Build, Launch, and Scale Your Projects on the Cloud with Confidence

Self-managed hosting has a low price tag to get started, but often presents hidden costs and indirect expenses as you grow. Some of these costs are easy to anticipate and budget for, such as servers, bandwidth, storage. Other costs that are difficult to anticipate and budget for include non-billable hours spent on infrastructure upkeep, staying on top of security, documentation and disaster recovery.

	Hours	DIY Cost (At \$100/hr)	Cost with ScaleDynamix
♠ Development / staging server setup	5 hrs	\$500	Cost Included
★ Git workflow setup and planning	5 hrs	\$500	Cost Included
★ Code Build and test process setup	10 hrs	\$1000	Cost Included
♠ Production server setup	10 hrs	\$1000	Cost Included
♠ Production performance optimization	20 hrs	\$2000	Cost Included
★ Cache setup and tuning	20 hrs	\$2000	Cost Included
★ Backups, monitoring, and APM setup	20 hrs	\$2000	Cost Included
★ High availability	100 hrs	\$10000	Cost Included
★ Training and Documentation	10 hrs	\$1000	Cost Included
★ Total	200 hrs	\$20000	\$500

Monthly recurring costs

Tasks	Hours *	DIY Cost ¹	Cost with ScaleDynamix
★ Server & CMS updates	5-10 Hours	\$500 - \$1000	Cost Included
★ Security scans and log review	5-10 Hours	\$500 - \$1000	Cost Included
★ Backup testing	1-5 Hours	\$100 - \$500	Cost Included
★ Total	11-25 Hours	\$1100 - \$2500	\$500

^{*} Estimates for mid-range sites with < 1 million monthly visits.

Monthly savings: \$600 - \$2,000 or More



¹ At \$100/hr bill rate.