

During the Standing Committee of the Economy the following was asked:

Ms. A. Young: — And what are the ongoing costs associated with cloud-based storage for SRC, understanding the massive data sets that can sometimes be associated with this type of research?

Please see our answer below:

Answer — We have purchased 6TB (terabyte) of cloud storage at a cost of \$16,560 annually to replace previously utilized physical storage. The cumulative cost is lower than what we would be able to obtain server grade solid state drives for over the life of those drives.

