

DataArts Fabric

Billing

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1 Overview

1.1 Ray and XDS Billing Overview

This section provides a quick overview of Ray and XDS billing modes, items, renewals, and other key billing information.

Billing Modes

DataArts Fabric offers two billing modes: yearly/monthly and pay-per-use.

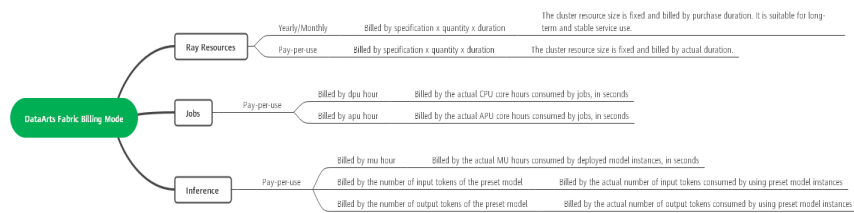
- Yearly/Monthly: A prepaid model where payment is made upfront for a specified period. Longer subscription periods offer greater discounts. This mode is ideal for mature businesses with stable, long-term compute resource needs.
- Pay-per-use: A postpaid model where you are billed based on actual usage duration, calculated per second and settled hourly. It allows flexibility to scale resources according to real-time business demands without pre-provisioning, minimizing risks of over- or under-allocation. This mode suits scenarios with fluctuating resource requirements, enabling you only pay for what you use.

Table 1-1 DataArts Fabric billing modes

Billing Mode	Payment Method	Billing Cycle	Applicable Billing Item
Yearly/ Monthly	Prepaid. Billed by the purchase period specified in your order.	Billed by the purchase period specified in the order	Ray resources.

Billing Mode	Payment Method	Billing Cycle	Applicable Billing Item
Pay-per-use	Postpaid. Billed by usage duration.	Billed based on the actual usage duration of resources. A bill is generated every hour.	Ray resources, MU hours, SQL warm-up resources, and SQL compute unit hours.

The following figure shows the billing modes of DataArts Fabric in different service scenarios.



Billing Items

DataArts Fabric implements separate billing policies for its Ray services and inference services.

Table 1-2 Billing items

Billing Item	Description
Ray resources	You are billed based on the specifications and quantity of Ray resources provisioned, as well as usage duration. Pricing varies depending on deep compute unit (DCU) or AI compute unit (ACU) specifications. Both yearly/monthly and pay-per-use billing modes are supported.
Model compute unit hours	Fees are applied based on the duration of model compute units consumed by deployed model instances after creating an inference endpoint. This supports a pay-per-use mode. The cost is calculated as follows: (Number of model instances under an inference endpoint) × (Number of compute units) × (Usage duration reported in seconds) . Refer to Common Models for specific compute unit requirements of different base models.

Bills

On the top navigation bar of the console, click **Billing**. In the left navigation pane of the Billing Center console, choose **Billing > Transaction and Detailed Bills** to view bill details. For details, see [Bills](#).

Renewal/Arrears

See [Expiration and Renewal](#) for details.

Stopping Billing

If you no longer need to use your cloud services, you can unsubscribe from or delete them to stop the billing. For details, see [Stopping Billing](#).

Billing Examples

NOTICE

The following prices are for reference only. For the actual prices, see pricing details for each service.

1. DataArts Fabric Ray resources

DataArts Fabric Ray resources are billed on a pay-per-use basis, with charges calculated per second. The hourly price is listed on the DataArts Fabric product pricing details page. You can divide this by 3600 to obtain the per-second rate.

Example: If a **fabric.ray.dpu.d1x** pay-per-use instance costs CNY 0.2/hour, and you use 5 instances:

- For 30 minutes of usage: $(0.2/3600) \times 5 \times 30 \times 60 = \text{CNY } 0.5$.
- For 1 hour of usage: $(0.2/3600) \times 5 \times 60 \times 60 = \text{CNY } 1$.

2. DataArts Fabric model compute unit (MU) hours

MU hours are billed on a pay-per-use basis, with charges calculated per second. The hourly price is listed on the DataArts Fabric product pricing details page. You can divide this by 3600 to obtain the per-second rate.

Example: A base model, such as LLAMA3_8B, consumes 2 MUs per inference endpoint instance. Assuming the MU hour price is CNY 30.0/hour, the price is calculated based on the number of deployed model instances, multiplied by the MU consumption per instance, and then by the actual usage duration (seconds).

- If one model service instance is used for 30 minutes (and the number of instances remains constant), the price is: $(1/3600) \times 1 \times 2 \times 30 \times 60 = \text{CNY } 30$.
- If, over 1 hour, two service instances are deployed for the first 15 minutes, and then one service instance for the remaining 45 minutes, the price is: $(30/3600) \times 1 \times 2 \times 45 \times 60 + (30/3600) \times 2 \times 2 \times 15 \times 60 = \text{CNY } 75$.

1.2 SQL Billing Overview

This section provides a quick overview of Fabric SQL's billing modes, key billing items, and other essential information.

Billing Modes

Fabric SQL offers two serverless, pay-per-use billing modes: Pay By Resource and Pay By Query.

- **Pay By Resource:** You are billed based on **the number of warm-up resources** allocated to your SQL endpoints multiplied by its **runtime**. This mode allows you to enable or disable resources with per-second billing and hourly settlement. Bills are generated at the end of each hour and deducted from your account balance. It ensures dedicated resource usage and high SLA guarantees.
- **Pay By Query:** You are billed based on the **SQL compute unit hours** consumed when running queries on shared public endpoints. Similar to Pay By Resource, it features per-second billing and hourly settlement. Bills are issued at the end of each hour and deducted from your account balance. This mode involves shared resource usage with moderate SLA levels.

For details about the billing differences, see [Table 1-3](#).

Table 1-3 Billing modes of DataArts Fabric SQL

Billing Mode	Payment Method	Billing Cycle	Applicable Billing Item
Pay By Resource	Postpaid. Billed based on the runtime of warm-up resources purchased.	Hourly billing based on the runtime of warm-up resources. A charge detail record (CDR) is generated hourly.	SQL warm-up resources
Pay By Query	Postpaid. Billed based on the SQL compute unit hours consumed during query execution at public endpoints.	Hourly billing based on SQL compute unit hours used. A CDR is generated hourly.	SQL compute unit hours

Billing Items

DataArts Fabric SQL is billed based on the resources used in actual service scenarios. For detailed billing items and descriptions, refer to [Table 1-4](#).

Table 1-4 Billing items

Billing Item	Description
SQL warm-up resources	Charges are calculated based on the runtime of warm-up resources created for your SQL endpoint. Usage is measured as (number of warm-up resources × runtime) and reported per second.

Billing Item	Description
SQL compute unit hours	Charges are calculated based on the number of SQL compute units consumed during query execution at public endpoints multiplied by the duration . Usage is reported per second every hour.

Bills

On the top navigation bar of the console, click **Billing**. In the left navigation pane of the Billing Center console, choose **Billing > Transaction and Detailed Bills** to view bill details. For details, see [Bills](#).

Arrears

See [Expiration and Renewal](#) for details.

Stopping Billing

If you no longer need to use your cloud services, you can unsubscribe from or delete them to stop the billing. For details, see [Stopping Billing](#).

Billing Example

NOTICE

The following prices are for reference only. For the actual prices, see pricing details for each service.

1. SQL warm-up resources

SQL warm-up resources are billed per second in pay-per-use mode. The hourly price is available on the DataArts Fabric product pricing details page. You can divide this by 3600 to obtain the per-second rate.

Example: Consider a **fabric.sql.dcu.std** instance priced at USD 0.155 per core-hour. If you buy 50 DCU warm-up resources with per-per-use billing, the cost is calculated by multiplying the **number of resources** by the actual **running duration** (billed to the second).

- For 30 minutes of runtime: $(0.155/3600) \times 50 \times 30 \times 60 = \text{USD } 3.875$.
- For 1 hour of runtime: $(0.155/3600) \times 50 \times 60 \times 60 = \text{USD } 7.75$.

2. SQL CU hours

SQL compute unit hours are billed per second in pay-per-use mode. The hourly price is listed on the DataArts Fabric product pricing details page. You can divide this by 3600 to obtain the per-second rate.

Example: For a **fabric.sql.query** flavor instance priced at USD 0.2015 per core-hour, the fee is calculated based on the DCU duration (core-second) consumed by running SQL statements, billed per second.

- From 9:00 to 10:00, three SQL statements are executed: Statement 1 (2.4 seconds), Statement 2 (3.5 seconds), and Statement 3 (6.3 seconds). The total DCU duration for this hour is 12.2 seconds (2.4 + 3.5 + 6.3). The fee is: $(0.2015/3600) \times 12 = \text{USD } 0.00067$.
- From 10:00 to 11:00, Statement 1 is executed but canceled mid-execution, consuming 18 seconds of the DCU duration. Canceled SQL statements are also charged. The fee is: $(0.2015/3600) \times 18 = \text{USD } 0.0010075$.

2 Billing Items

2.1 Fabric Ray and XDS Billing Items

DataArts Fabric implements separate billing policies for its Ray services and inference services. For detailed billing items and descriptions, refer to [Table 2-1](#).

Table 2-1 Billing items

Billing Item	Description
Ray resources	You are billed based on the specifications and quantity of Ray resources provisioned, as well as usage duration. Pricing varies depending on DCU or ACU specifications. Both yearly/monthly and pay-per-use billing modes are supported.
Model compute unit hours	Fees are applied based on the duration of model compute units consumed by deployed model instances after creating an inference endpoint. This supports a pay-per-use mode. The cost is calculated as follows: (Number of model instances under an inference endpoint) × (Number of compute units) × (Usage duration reported in seconds) . Refer to Common Models for specific compute unit requirements of different base models.

2.2 Fabric SQL Billing Items

Fabric SQL is billed based on the actual resources used in service scenarios. For detailed billing items and descriptions, refer to [Table 2-2](#).

Table 2-2 SQL billing items

Billing Item	Description
SQL warm-up resources	Charges are calculated based on the runtime of warm-up resources created for your SQL endpoint. Usage is measured as (number of warm-up resources × runtime) and reported per second.
SQL compute unit hours	Charges are calculated based on the number of SQL compute units consumed during query execution at public endpoints multiplied by the duration . Usage is reported per second every hour.

3 Billing Mode

DataArts Fabric offers two billing modes: yearly/monthly and pay-per-use.

- Yearly/Monthly: A prepaid model where payment is made upfront for a specified period. Longer subscription periods offer greater discounts. This mode is ideal for mature businesses with stable, long-term compute resource needs.
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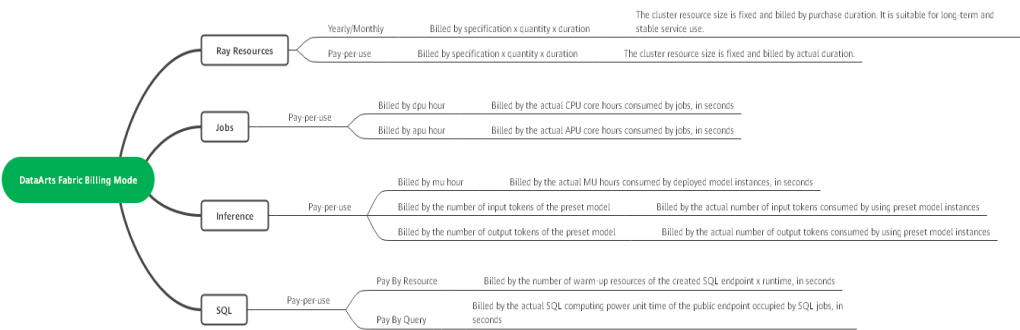
For details about the billing differences, refer to [Table 3-1](#).

Table 3-1 DataArts Fabric billing modes

Billing Mode	Payment Method	Billing Cycle	Applicable Billing Item
Yearly/Monthly	Prepaid. Billed by the purchase period specified in your order.	Billed by the purchase period specified in the order	Ray resources.
Pay-per-use	Postpaid. Billed by usage duration.	Billed based on the actual usage duration of resources. A bill is generated every hour.	Ray resources, MU hours, SQL warm-up resources, and SQL compute unit hours.

[Figure 3-1](#) shows the billing modes of DataArts Fabric for different service resources.

Figure 3-1 DataArts Fabric billing modes



4 Modifying Configurations

Currently, only Ray and SQL warm-up resources support billing-mode changes. Other service scenarios use pay-per-use billing and do not support order or billing mode adjustments. Therefore, configuration changes involve only Ray and SQL warm-up size adjustments.

Modifying Ray or SQL warm-up resource sizes has an impact on costs as shown in [Table 4-1](#).

Table 4-1 Impact on fees

Current Billing Mode	Change Scenario	Impact on Costs
Pay-per-use	Changing the number of Ray resources (specifications upgrade/downgrade)	The change will take effect immediately.
Pay-per-use	Changing the number of SQL warm-up resources (specifications upgrade/downgrade)	The change will take effect immediately.

Current Billing Mode	Change Scenario	Impact on Costs
Yearly/ Monthly	Increasing the number of Ray resources (specification upgrade, with price difference charged)	The new resource quantity takes effect immediately upon specification upgrade and will be billed accordingly for the remainder of the original period.
Yearly/ Monthly	Decreasing the number of Ray resources (specifications downgrade)	The new resource size takes effect immediately upon specification downgrade within the original period. The price difference will be refunded based on the used period.

5 Bills

- **Bill reporting period**

The usage of pay-per-use resources is reported to the billing system at a fixed interval for settlement. These resources can be settled hourly, daily, or monthly, depending on the usage type.

Example: If a cloud server, billed hourly, is deleted at 08:30, the fee for the 08:00 to 09:00 period will be deducted around 10:00. On the **Billing Center > Billing > Bills > Transaction Bills** page, **Expenditure Time** indicates the time when a pay-per-use product is used.

- **Viewing a complete bill**

You can view both monthly summary bills and detailed bills on Huawei Cloud.

- Summary bill: Summary data displays information such as payable amounts and fee deduction details across various dimensions. Only one summary record is shown per product. The final summary bill for the current month is generated on the third day of the following month and becomes viewable and exportable after 10:00 on the fourth day.
- Bill details: You can view bill details in different dimensions, including transaction bills and custom bills. Custom bills can be filtered by usage, resource, or product.

- **Viewing the bill of a specified resource**

- Querying Ray Resource Bills
 - i. Obtain the resource ID from the Ray resource page in the cloud service console.
 - ii. View the resource bills in the Billing Center based on the resource ID. For details, see [How Do I Find Cloud Service Resources By Resource Names or IDs?](#) in Billing Center.
- Querying Inference Endpoint CU Hour Bills

The inference endpoint ID for DataArts Fabric services differs from the resource ID reported in the bill. The billing resource ID for an inference endpoint corresponds to the Model Unit (MU) and follows the format **mu.{Endpoint ID}**. For example, if the inference endpoint ID is **32de36ea-26c0-4876-ae48-fdbbb03cd455**, the resource ID reported to the bill is **mu.32de36ea-26c0-4876-ae48-fdbbb03cd455**.

 - i. Obtain the endpoint ID from the inference endpoint page of the cloud service console.

- ii. Construct the corresponding MU resource ID.
 - iii. View the resource bills in the Billing Center based on the resource ID. For details, see [How Do I Find Cloud Service Resources By Resource Names or IDs?](#) in Billing Center.
- Querying SQL Warm-Up Resource Bills
 - i. Obtain the endpoint ID from the SQL endpoint page on the cloud service console. This endpoint ID is the resource ID in the bill.
 - ii. View the resource bills in the Billing Center based on the resource ID. For details, see [How Do I Find Cloud Service Resources By Resource Names or IDs?](#) in Billing Center.
- Querying SQL Compute Unit Bills for Public Endpoints

When the public endpoint service is enabled for DataArts Fabric SQL, the SQL compute unit's resource ID is formatted as *{First six digits of the workspace ID}_{Public endpoint ID}*. For example, if the workspace ID is **6eeda84c-9ac9-4464-b1d8-122fe5c235c1** and the public endpoint ID is **0288b810-d119-4d51-b6d5-fccee06e209f**, the billed resource ID for the SQL compute unit is **6eeda8_0288b810-d119-4d51-b6d5-fccee06e209f**.

 - i. From the DataArts Fabric homepage on the cloud service console, view and obtain the workspace ID.
 - ii. Obtain the public endpoint ID from the SQL endpoint page in the cloud service console.
 - iii. Combine these to form the resource ID. For details, see [How Do I Find Cloud Service Resources By Resource Names or IDs?](#) in Billing Center.

For more information about bills, see [Bill Management \(Old Version\)](#) or [Bill Management \(New Version\)](#).

6 Stopping Billing

After reviewing your bill, you can stop charges for certain resources by following these steps:

1. Obtain resource information (e.g., IDs or names) from your bill.
2. Locate the corresponding cloud service resources within the cloud service console.
3. Stop billing for these resources.

The following is an example:

- Ray resources: To stop billing, you must delete or unsubscribe from them. Note that deletion may render existing Ray clusters unavailable.
- Job endpoints:
 - a. Public endpoints: No charges are incurred unless jobs are actively executed using the public endpoint.
 - b. Self-built endpoints: Warm-up resources are continuously charged after endpoint creation until the endpoint is deleted. Elastic resources are charged based on usage when the number of running jobs exceeds the warm-up resources. No fees are generated when no jobs are running.
- Inference MU: Billing stops when you delete the inference service instance under an inference endpoint or delete the inference endpoint itself.
- SQL resources:
 - SQL warm-up resources: Fees are continuously generated after endpoint creation. You must delete the endpoint to stop billing.
 - For SQL compute units on public endpoints, no charges will be incurred if you do not execute SQL jobs using the public endpoint.

7 Expiration and Renewal

If your account is in arrears, you can view the arrears details in the Billing Center. To prevent related resources from being stopped or released, you need to top up your account within the specified period. For details, see [Top-Up and Payment](#).

If you do not renew or top up your account in time, your resources enter a grace period. If you still do not complete the payment or renewal after the grace period expires, you will enter a retention period. During this period, the resources will be suspended. If you still do not complete the payment or renewal after the retention period has ended, your data stored in the cloud service will be deleted and the resource will be released. For details, see [Resource Suspension and Release](#).

Resource Expiration

If your account is in arrears, a retention period is provided based on your service tier. Once this retention period begins, your Ray resources, SQL resources, and model instances within DataArts Fabric are retained, but your account enters a restricted state. In the restricted state, you cannot create or use endpoints on the console, but you can still perform other operations. If the outstanding balance is not settled before the retention period expires, all data stored in DataArts Fabric will be permanently deleted and cannot be recovered.

For more information about the retention period, see [What Is a Retention Period of Huawei Cloud? How Long Is It?](#)

Renewal

Yearly/monthly Ray resources are renewable. You can renew them from the Renewal Management page on the management console. You can also set auto-renewal upon expiration. For more information, see [Renewal Management](#).