

Problems exist in the construction of IDC data centers

Article Overview

Constructing an IDC involves complex challenges including site selection, power and cooling infrastructure, regulatory compliance, supply chain management, cost control, and sustainability considerations.

Site Selection and Location Constraints

Choosing the right location is critical for IDC construction. Factors include access to reliable power grids, proximity to high-speed internet, land availability, and zoning regulations. Urban areas offer low latency and proximity to users but often come with higher land costs and stricter zoning laws, while suburban or rural sites may face infrastructure limitations or community opposition .

Power Supply and Energy Efficiency

Data centers are highly energy-intensive, and ensuring reliable, scalable power is a major challenge. Power infrastructure bottlenecks can limit expansion, and operators increasingly adopt renewable energy sources and advanced technologies to improve energy efficiency. Techniques like liquid or immersion cooling help manage heat but require significant investment and technical expertise .

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