

# Traditional Camera System Infrastructure vs. Hybrid Cloud Architecture

# Traditional camera system infrastructure



# Common challenges: scaling, security, remote access and reliability

## Infrastructure limitations

- NVRs/DVRs only support a limited number of cameras
- Inconsistent and uncertain retention periods
- Recorder is a single point of failure for all cameras

# Out-of-date & unsecure

- Upgrading firmware and software is manual and costly
- Complex configurations that lead to vulnerabilities
- Consistently behind on new features and patches

## Difficult to access

- Finding footage is unintuitive and time-consuming
- On-prem access is required for exporting footage
- Shared footage comes in varied, complex formats

#### Costly to manage

- Short product warranties which lead to costly repairs
- Reliance on specialized IT or long partner contracts

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• Scaling security results in new infrastructure costs

# Verkada's hybrid cloud architecture



**No NVR or DVRs** Industrial-grade onboard storage saves up to 365 days of continuous video<sup>1</sup>



# **Centralized management**

Modern platform enables secure access on any device from anywhere in the world

# The Reliability of Onboard Storage, With the Accessibility of the Cloud

# Simple to install

- No NVRs, DVRs, or servers-just a PoE connection
- Cameras come online and configure in minutes
- No added software or complexities like port forwarding

## Easy to use

- Centralized management for secure remote access on any device nearly anywhere
- No training required to access footage and features
- Find, download and share footage from any device

## Advantages of cloud-managed solution

- Real-time alerts if cameras fall offline
- SAML-based integration with single-sign on (SSO) solutions
- Continuous updates with new AI features
- Instantly share live footage via SMS and email
- Live, proactive alerting based on unusual activity

## **Ready for scale**

- Bandwidth-friendly, operating at just 20-50 kbps per head
- Scale to thousands of cameras per location
- No added equipment needed to support additional cameras

## No hidden costs

- Hardware includes up to a 10-year warranty
- Automatic firmware updates keep systems secure
- New features and enhancements are added at no additional costs

