CLOUD OPTIONS FOR COLLABORATION AND SHARED DOCUMENTATION

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WHAT'S "CLOUD COMPUTING"?

Cloud computing is the practice of using a network of remote servers to store, manage, and process data, rather than a local server or a personal computer. Both applications / services and the infrastructure they sit on can be hosted on "the cloud".





COMMON CLOUD STORAGE AND COLLABORATION TOOLS



















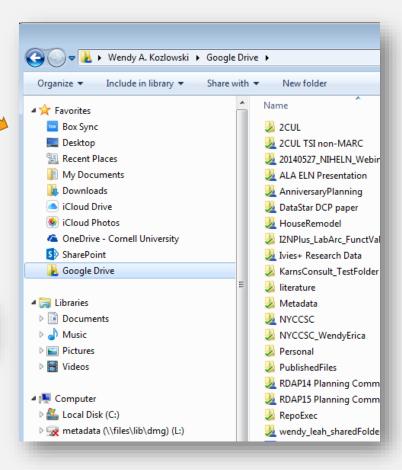




HOW TO ACCESS CLOUD CONTENT

- I. Through a browser
- 2. Via folders synchronized to your local machine
- 3. Through applications "linked" to the cloud product





CONSIDERATIONS FOR ALL CLOUD PRODUCTS

- Security even the best companies get hacked (local systems too…)
- Content especially for work, be sure it's OK to put it on the cloud
 - See Cornell's Regulated Data Chart
- Synchronization is NOT the same as a Backup
- The only product approved for secure file transfer is Cornell DropBox service
 - http://dropbox.cornell.edu

CORNELL ENTERPRISE PRODUCT

box	OneDrive	⚠ Drive	₩ Dropbox
YES	YES	NO	NO

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Why use a product Cornell licenses?

- Support from IT@Cornell
- Shibboleth integration (Cornell manages your login and password, not the vendor)
- Security vetting
- License protections for things like content indexing and account maintenance

THE FINE PRINT



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TOTAL STORAGE

box	OneDrive	Drive	S Dropbox
Unlimited	I TB	15 GB ^{\$} (including Gmail)	2 GB \$

FILE SIZE LIMITATIONS

box	OneDrive	Drive	Dropbox
I5 GB	2 GB	5TB* Except Google Doc, Sheet or Slides: 50-100MB	Via Desktop or Mobile App: No limit Via Website: 10GB

^{*} Confusing – also limited in terms of number of characters for docs and cells used for spreadsheets. See link for details.

SHARING

box	OneDrive	Drive	State Dropbox
With Link*In companyIn folderSpecific people	 With link* Specific people 	 Open to public With link* Specific people 	 With link* Specific people Password access\$ Expiration dates\$

^{*} Use caution when sharing files with links. If "anyone with link" can access content, files can be shared or found and accessed accidentally. In Drive, for example, this is the default setting when sharing with a link.

ACCESS CONTROLS

box	OneDrive	Drive	Oropbox
 Editor (default) Co-Owner Viewer Uploader Previewer Uploader Viewer Previewer Uploader 	EditView	OwnerCan EditCan View	 Can Edit Read Only \$

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ACCESS CONTROLS

Access Levels	Upload	Download	Preview	Get Link	Edit	Delete	Owner
Co-owner	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Editor	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Viewer Uploader	•	•	•	•	•		
Previewer Uploader	•		•				
Viewer		•	•	•			
Previewer			•				
Uploader	•						

SIMULTANEOUS EDITING

box	OneDrive	Drive	S Dropbox
 Via Microsoft Online Word, Excel and Powerpoint On BoxNotes Commenting available on BoxNotes 	 Via online or local Word, Excel and Powerpoint Commenting available 	 On Google Sheets, Docs and Slides Commenting available 	 Via "<u>Dropbox</u> <u>Badge</u>" On Microsoft Word, Excel and Powerpoint files Commenting available

VERSION CONTROL

box	OneDrive	♣ Drive	S Dropbox
 Can restore most recent 100 versions Deleted content can be restored for 30 days 	 "Complete" Deleted content can be restored for 90 days 	• 30 days	• 30 days \$

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

	box	OneDrive	Drive	Dropbox
Use with portable devices	 Very good 	• Excellent	• Excellent	• Excellent
Tools for file creation	 Excellent 	 Excellent 	 Excellent 	• N/A
Integration with other products/apps	 Very good 	• Good	• Excellent	• Excellent
Other features	User notificationsTagsBox Edit	Also integrates with OneNote	 Great search capabilities Easy to organize	

YOUR TURN...

- 1. Log in (you may need to create an account for Drive and/or Dropbox)
- 2. Create structure to hold content (folders)
- 3. Create content from within the product (not in Dropbox)
- 4. Move content from a local drive to the product
- 5. Share that content with someone else
- 6. Open content that someone else has shared with you
- 7. Simultaneously edit that content
- 8. Restore an old version of content

RESOURCES

Lynda.com

• Search on "Box", "Google Drive" or "Dropbox" for some great videos

Box

- http://www.it.cornell.edu/services/box/index.cfm
- https://community.box.com/t5/Getting-Started-Guide-for-New/Box-User-Guide/ta-p/6807

OneDrive

http://www.it.cornell.edu/services/onedrive/

	box	OneDrive	Drive	₩ Dropbox
Licensed Cornell product	Yes	Yes	No	No \$ Additional storage/features
Total storage	Unlimited	I ТВ	15 GB \$ (including Gmail and Photos)	2 GB \$ available for a cost.
File size limits * Google pricing is confusing. Follow link for more info.	15 GB	2 GB	5TB* Except Google Doc, Sheet or Slides: 50-100MB	Via Desktop or Mobile App: No limit Via Website: 10GB
Sharing / Collaboration ** Use caution when sharing files via shared links.	 With Link ** In company In folder Specific people 	With link **Specific people	 Open to public With link ** Specific people 	 With link ** Specific people Password access \$ Expiration dates \$
Access controls	 Editor (default) Co-Owner Viewer Uploader Previewer Uploader Viewer Previewer Uploader 	EditView	OwnerCan EditCan View	 Can Edit Read Only \$
Simultaneous editing	Via Online Word, Excel, PowerpointOn BoxNotes	 Via Online OR local Word, Excel, Powerpoint 	 On Google Sheets, Docs and Slides 	Via "<u>Dropbox Badge</u>"Via Online Word, Excel, Powerpoint
Version control	 Can restore most recent 100 versions Deleted content can be restored for 30 days 	 "Complete" Deleted content can be restored for 90 days	• 30 days	• 30 days \$
Tools for file creation	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	N/A
Use with portable devices	Very good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Integration with other apps/products	Very good	Good	Excellent	Excellent
Other features	User notificationsTagsBox Edit	Integrates with OneNoteComments	 Great search capabilities Easy to organize Comments	• Comments