

CLOUD AND LOCAL DEVICE STORAGE



Cloud storage is like renting space on the internet to store your files and data securely. Instead of saving everything on your computer's hard drive, you upload it to a remote database maintained by a service provider. This allows you to access your files 24/7 from any device, anywhere with an internet connection and ensures they're backed up in case something happens to your local storage.

Local device storage is the space on your computer, phone, or tablet where your files, photos, apps, and data are saved. It's like a digital drawer inside your device where you keep everything. This storage is built into the device and you can access your files directly without needing the internet.

Microsoft OneDrive



Google Drive



iCloud



Uploading is sending files from your device to the internet, like putting photos into an online album.

Downloading is the opposite; it's taking files from the internet and saving them to your device, like getting a song from a music website onto your phone. Both actions involve transferring data between your device and the internet.