

DuckLake on **HETZNER**

Your own data lakehouse for under **€15 a month**

who?

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why?

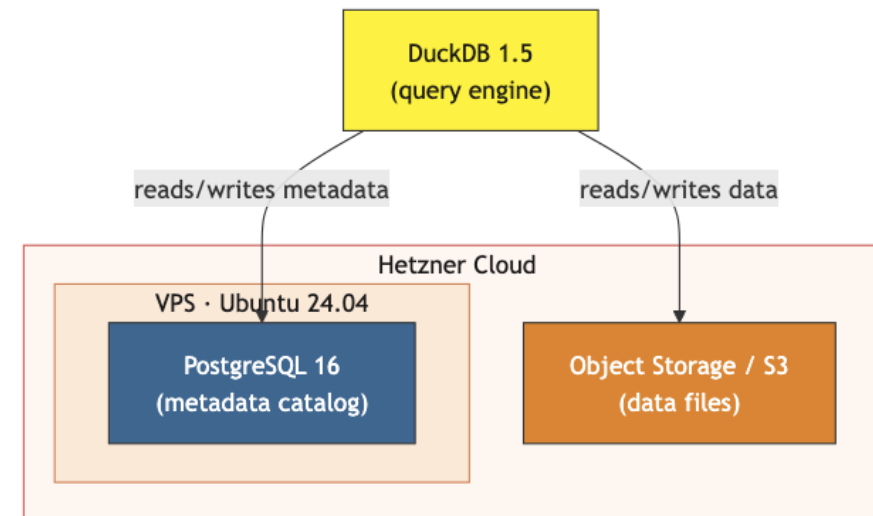
- **Cost-sensitivity**
- **Strict data requirements**
- **Desire to self-host & own your stack**

- Don't have these requirements?
Give [MotherDuck](#) a chance!

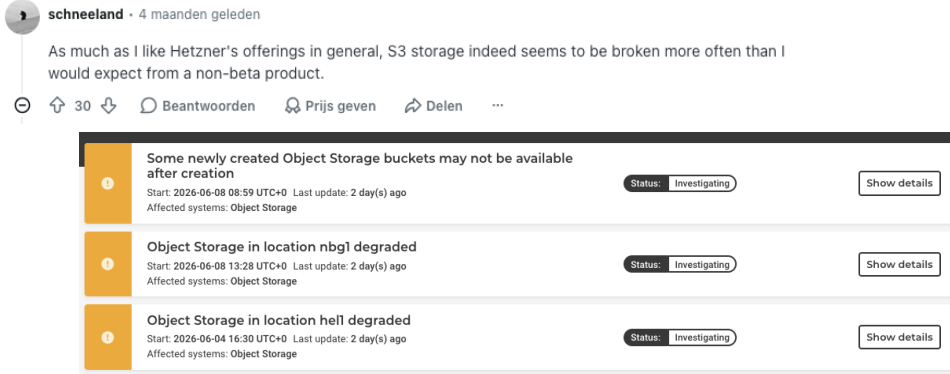
how?

Deploy within minutes with deployment script:

<https://github.com/berndsen-io/ducklake-hetzner>



more?



- **Role-based access control** is somewhat possible: see [ducklake-guard](#) repo for details
- Hetzner S3 works but has issues, but not up to par with AWS, Scaleway.
- Recent price hikes in [April](#) and [June](#) **increased costs by 70%**
- Production requires extra steps. I've made a [production checklist](#) to support.

CX33 (4 vCPU, 8GB RAM)

Before **April 1st**
€4,99

April 1st
€6,49

June 15th
€8,49
(+70%)

Blog article: **DuckLake on Hetzner**
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One-click lakehouse, based on DuckLake



duckLake-deploy

Catalog of DuckLake deployment options by provider



duckLake-guard

Access control for DuckLake



DuckLake production checklist 1.0

Interactive checklist for deploying DuckLake to production

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