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How do I figure out how much data I'm transferring?

Sometimes it's difficult trying to understand how much network usage comes with each package. We'll try and make it a little clearer.

In these descriptions, we'll use "KB" for thousands of bytes, "MB" for millions of bytes, and "GB" (gigabytes) for billions of bytes. Let's look at data transfer in terms of activities that use it. Take, for example, our base transfer package: 1 GB/month of up and down transfer.

Please realize in the following examples that there are exceptions to all of these cases.

Viewing pictures

Let's say you wanted to offer pictures, maybe wild African animals. A really good high resolution picture is about 100 KB. So, consider data transfer by number of pictures viewed:

Number Viewed	Transfer Used
1	0.0001 GB
10	0.001 GB
100	0.01 GB
1000	0.1 GB

Based on the above table, if you served up 1000 pictures per day, you would use approximately 0.1 GB per day of data transfer.

Delivering Web Pages

How about looking at web pages? Each web page contains a variable amount of data. The average webpage is approximately 20 KB / page. Ponder the graph:

Number Viewed	Transfer Used
1	0.00002 GB
10	0.0002 GB
100	0.002 GB
1000	0.02 GB
5000	0.1 GB

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