

Chicago Metro

Rich ecosystems with high concentration of Enterprises, Financial, Cloud, Content and IT service providers

The Chicago colocation facilities contribute to one of the world's top global financial centers and are ideal for business continuity. These facilities allow customers to join a rich network of ecosystems comprised of financial service companies, cloud service providers, content providers, IT service providers and enterprises. The Equinix colocation facilities are located in 350 Cermak (CH1, CH2 and CH4), Elk Grove (CH3) and Westmont (CH7).

Chicago metro facilities

The Equinix Chicago metro International Business Exchange™ (IBX®) data centers consist of five buildings with more than 358,000 square feet of colocation space. These colocation facilities provide proximity to financial services companies, cloud service providers, content providers, IT service providers and enterprises in the metro area. This strategic Midwest location is ideal for business continuity and disaster recovery operations.

180+
Network

210+
Enterprise

200+
Financial Services

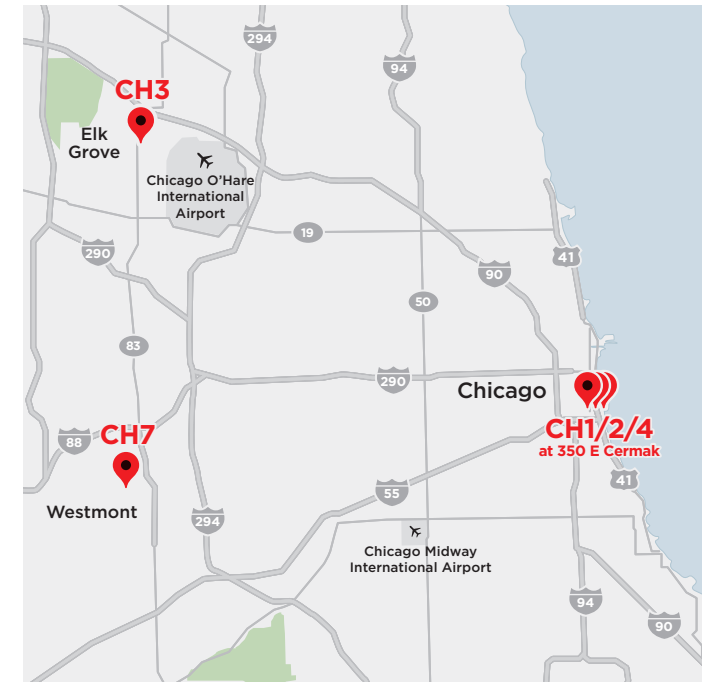
50+
Content and Digital Media

185+
Cloud and IT Services

To learn more about interconnection opportunities in Chicago, visit the Explorer feature within [Equinix Marketplace](#).



Equinix CH3 IBX data center exterior





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Equinix value by vertical

For network service providers

- Generate new revenue with direct connect opportunities through a number of cloud providers (185+) and content providers (50+)
- Access Microsoft Azure ExpressRoute through Equinix Fabric
- Connect to 20+ local CSPs via Equinix Fabric. Find the full list at [Equinix.com](https://www.equinix.com)

For enterprises

- Equinix Fabric enables global connectivity to thousands of networking, storage, compute and application service providers in the industry's largest infrastructure ecosystem
- Performance Hub® enables next-generation wide area network (WAN) architecture for secure and highly reliable connectivity
- Data Hub® addresses today's IT demand for real-time analytics, internet of things, data storage, data collection and data protection

For cloud and IT service providers

- Connect to 835+ customers, partners, content providers, networks and ISPs
- Equinix Fabric allows providers to quickly and easily offer direct cloud access globally

For content and digital media

- Strong peering and network base for reliable content delivery to end users
- Connect to Content Delivery Networks such as Limelight Networks, Akamai Technologies, Highwinds Network Group, Inc. and more

For financial services

- With Equinix Fabric, enable private, secure connections to cloud and payment partners and integrate payment systems
- Equinix's rich financial ecosystem includes members such as Chicago Intercontinental Exchange, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Deutsche Borse, NYSE SFTI and Trading Technologies
- Strategic Midwest location ideal for business continuity and disaster recovery programs