

Complete online analytics processing work faster with Google Cloud Platform N2 standard VM instances featuring 3rd Generation Intel Xeon Scalable Processors



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## About our testing

We tested data warehouse analytical performance on three sizes of two sets of VM instances.

CSP	Google Cloud Platform	About PT Principled Technologies, Inc. (PT) is the leading provider of third-party competitive marketing services for technology.
VM instances	<ul> <li>N2 standard feat. 3rd Gen Intel Xeon Scalable processors (Ice Lake)</li> <li>N2 standard feat. 2nd Gen Intel Xeon Scalable processors (Cascade Lake)</li> </ul>	
Database	Microsoft SQL Server 2019	Our hands-on testing mirrors the way real users work with your product and delivers proof
Workload	<ul> <li>TPROC-H workload from HammerDB benchmark suite:</li> <li>Online analytics processing (OLAP)</li> <li>Measures time required to analyze streams of database queries</li> <li>One stream = 22 serialized database queries</li> </ul>	points you and they can count on, while our award-winning competitive marketing contextualizes those claims. Learn more at www.principledtechnologies.com.
Sizes	<ul> <li>8 vCPus with 32 GB memory</li> <li>16 vCPus with 64 GB memory</li> <li>64 vCPus with 256 GB memory</li> </ul>	

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## Key claims

VM instances with 3rd Gen Intel Xeon Scalable CPUs **consistently completed the workload faster** than those with 2nd Gen Intel Xeon Scalable processors.





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## Medium VM instance comparison: speed of completion

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Compared to N2 standard instances with 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation Intel Xeon Scalable processors

These days, many sound business decisions rely on a conversation between powerful analytics systems and executives who consider the data those systems report. While we can't help your staff with their deliberations, we can point the way to a cloud solution capable of speeding up data analysis so key decision-makers can gain insights sooner.

At Principled Technologies, we assessed the data warehouse analytical performance of two sets of Google Cloud Platform VM instances running Microsoft SQL server 2019 databases: N2 standard VM instances featuring 3° Generation Intel Xeon Scalable processors and N2 standard VM instances featuring 2° Generation Intel Xeon Scalable processors. In our tests, the VM instances with 3°° Gen Intel Xeon Scalable processors completed the workload faster than the VM instances with 2°° Gen Intel Xeon Scalable processors (up to 1.25 times as fast when processing a single data stream).

This speed could enable your business to process more analytics work in the same analysis window you currently use, or to speed the time to insights.

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