	Local	Cloud
Server is Cloud hosted or hosted on internal IT infrastructure?	Hosted on internal IT infrastructure	Cloud hosted server
Maintenance required at site level (backups etc)	✓	No – maintenance is performed by Watermark
Automated disaster recovery	✗	✓
Works with existing IT infrastructure	✓	✓
Requires a server?	✓	✗
Multi-site access?	Requires RDP, VPN or Citrix sessions	✓
Multi-site (multiple local cache support)	N/A	Optional
Multi-device access	Optional	Included
Field and remote staff access	Requires RDP or Citrix sessions	✓
Access to documents on the go (PaperCloud)	Optional	✓
Middle tier compression for optimisation internally and to remote locations	✗	✓
Storage size	Based on hardware	Unlimited
Types of storage for paperwork	All paper is stored within the database	Cloud and server caching (filestore)