

5 MISTAKES WHEN CHOOSING CLOUD TELEPHONY (AND HOW TO AVOID THEM)



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Introduction

Choosing a cloud telephony provider is a key step to modernize your business communication – but it's easy to get it wrong.

In 2025, with the Cloud PBX market booming, making the right choice can boost efficiency and cut costs.

This e-book uncovers the 5 most common mistakes businesses make when picking a provider and shares practical tips to avoid them.

Ready to set your telephony up for success? Read on and make an informed decision!



MISTAKE 1

Not understanding your specific needs

Picking a cloud telephony provider without knowing your needs is like buying a car without a route.

Many businesses focus on price or recommendations, overlooking their unique demands.

Why it matters?

- **Customization:** Every company has distinct needs – from local calls to global video.
- **Scalability:** A flexible system grows with you or adapts to seasonal shifts.
- **Integration:** Linking to CRMs or Microsoft Teams enhances productivity.

- **Features:** IVR, call recording, or queues might be must-haves.

How to avoid it?

- **Map your communication:** Review current calls, chats, and tools.
- **Ask your team:** Understand each department's needs.
- **Plan ahead:** Factor in growth or remote work.
- **Set priorities:** Focus on what drives efficiency and teamwork.



Clarity here ensures a provider that truly fits your business.



MISTAKE 2

Skipping a thorough market research

Rushing to the first provider is like hiring without interviews. Many skip researching options, missing out on the best fit.

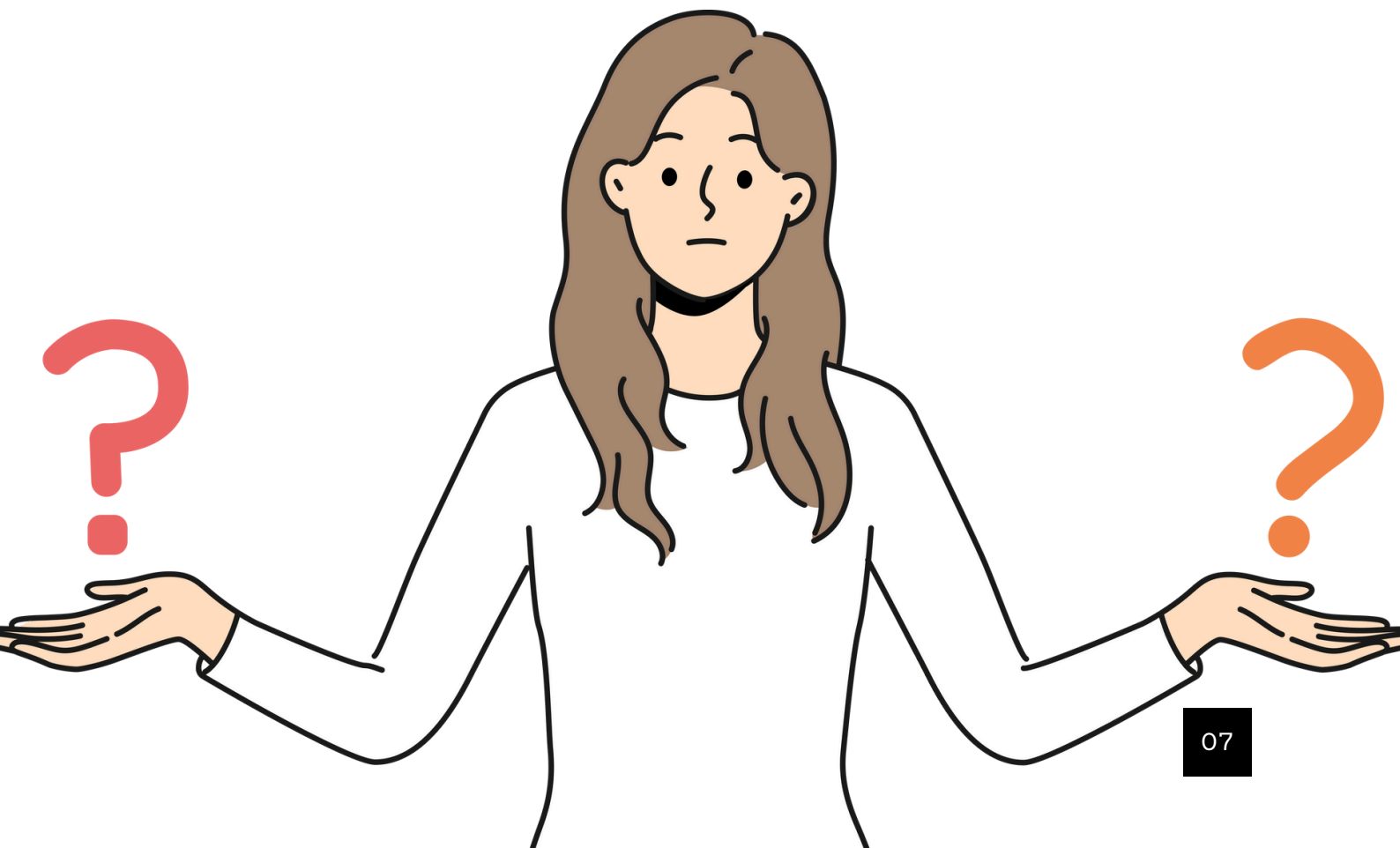
Why research matters

- **Variety:** Providers differ in features, pricing, and quality.
- **Reputation:** Reviews reveal reliability and experience.
- **Functionality:** Not all offer what you require.
- **Value:** Cheapest isn't always best.

How to do it right?

- **Compare options:** List providers and evaluate offerings.
- **Check feedback:** Read client testimonials.
- **Test features:** Try trials to see them in action.
- **Think future:** Pick one that scales with your growth.

Solid research leads to a smart, tailored choice.





MISTAKE 3

Overlooking data security and privacy

In 2025, security is non-negotiable. Ignoring it risks data breaches and damages your reputation.

Risks of neglect

- Cyberattacks can expose client information.
- Non-compliance (e.g., GDPR, LGPD) brings fines.

How to stay safe?

- **Encryption:** Ensure calls and data are secure.
- **Authentication:** Demand multifactor access.
- **Backup:** Confirm recovery plans for outages.

Choose a provider that puts security first – it's your peace of mind.





MISTAKE 4

Ignoring long-term costs

Focusing only on upfront costs is a trap. Hidden expenses can pile up over time.

Watch out for

- **Extra fees:** Setup or migration charges can add up.
- **Maintenance:** Updates and support may cost more.
- **Cancellation:** Early exit fees can sting.



How to plan better

- **Look at the full picture:** Include all projected costs.
- **Ask questions:** Clarify support or customization fees.
- **Budget ahead:** Account for future growth.

A long-term view maximizes value and avoids surprises.



MISTAKE 5

Neglecting support and uptime

A provider without reliable support or uptime can leave you stranded. In 2025, uninterrupted communication is a must.

Why it's critical

- **Fast fixes:** Issues need quick resolution.
- **Availability:** Downtime hurts clients and operations.
- **24/7 support:** Vital for global teams.

How to check

- **Test support:** Ask and gauge responses.
- **Verify uptime:** Look for 99.9%+ guarantees.
- **Try before you buy:** Use free trials.

A dependable provider keeps your business connected.





Conclusion

Choosing a cloud telephony provider doesn't have to be a gamble. This e-book walked you through the 5 most common mistakes – from missing your needs to overlooking support – and how to dodge them.

With these insights, your business can enjoy modern, secure, and efficient communication.

Ready to make the right move? Request a quote or talk to our Virtual-Call experts today!

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At Virtual-Call, we take your national company's communications to other countries. Whether you're a start-up or a global company, our cloud solutions meet your needs.

Why choose us?

- **Top quality:** *“Great connection and support. As a Swiss-based global firm, we picked Virtual-Call for flawless calls and low costs.”* – Client Testimonial
- **Innovation:** Cutting-edge features for peak productivity.
- **24/7 support:** Multilingual team always ready.
- **Ease:** Intuitive platform, no hassle.

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