Multi-Cloud Resilience Summary Checklist

After resolving the build vs. buy decision, evaluate commercial cloud data protection platforms across these seven criteria that define modern multi-cloud resilience.

Backup Cost Control

- Granularity and unified service catalog
- Recovery point objectives and modern architecture
- Compliance and isolation
- Application awareness
- Optimized total cost of ownership

Flexible Recovery

- Compliance and audit scenarios
- Surgical recovery
- Full application recovery
- Cross-cloud portability
- Speed and TCO

Platform ecosystem maturity

- Deep integration frameworks
- Agentic workflows
- Transparency

ResOps-Ready

- Resilience as code
- Ongoing testing
- End-to-end view

Early Warning Systems (pre-event)

- Anomaly detection
- Threat detection

Automated Response (post-event)

- Integration with external signals
- API framework for automated runbook
- Cleanroom capabilities

Foundational security

- Compliance
- Encryption and sovereignty
- Data Security Posture Management

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