

DNS.3.4. DNS Zone Distribution Data Center

Does or will this RSP have at least two Tier III (as defined here: <https://uptimeinstitute.com/tiers>) or equivalent data centers having no inter-dependencies for DNS zone distribution?

Registry Services, LLC d/b/a GoDaddy Registry uses AWS services. AWS Cloud Services provide multiple datacentres across multiple regions, which are not certified to the Uptime Institute Tier system but are designed, built and operated at or above 99.99% availability.

“AWS has identified critical system components required to maintain the availability of the system and recover service in the event of outage. Critical system components are backed up across multiple, isolated locations known as Availability Zones. Each Availability Zone runs on its own physically distinct, independent infrastructure, and is engineered to be highly reliable. Availability Zones are connected to each other with fast, private fiber-optic networking, enabling you to easily architect applications that automatically fail-over between Availability Zones without interruption.”

<https://aws.amazon.com/compliance/uptimeinstitute/>

At each of the two AWS Regions leveraged for Registry, DNS and DNSSEC services, multiple Availability Zones are in use to ensure above 99.99% availability as well as rapid recovery options and rapid restore point options.