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Equinix AM3

Unknown MW · Total facility power not established

See capacity evidence for reported claims.

Also known as: AM3 · Equinix AM3 - Amsterdam, Science Park

Development status: operational

Operational Equinix colocation facility in Amsterdam Science Park, opened in October 2012. AM3 is distinct from adjacent AM4 despite sharing an address. Secondary reporting identifies 14 MW of IT connection capacity; current operator-confirmed MW remains unresolved.

Last researched: 2026-10-09 | Last verified: Not independently verified

Tracked dataset only. Unknown values are not zero. Evidence dates and measurement definitions must be considered when comparing sites.

Site photographs

No approved property photo available.

Site profile

Field	Published information
Operator	Equinix [1] [2]
Owner	Unknown
Business model	colocation [1]
Scale	unknown
Country	Netherlands [1] [3]
State / region	Unknown
Metro area	Amsterdam [1]
City / locality	Amsterdam [1] [4]
Address	Science Park 610, 1098 XH Amsterdam [1] [4]
Coordinates	Unknown · unknown precision. Operator address established; no corroborated facility point obtained.
Parent	Not assigned

Capacity evidence

Do not add these claims together. IT load, facility power, grid connection and unspecified power are different measurements. Cumulative and incremental scopes remain separate.

Measurement	Development scope	Evidence / accounting
14 MW IT load	Equinix AM3; source labels capacity IT-Anschlussleistung operational · unclear	[5] reported · 2026-10-09 Excluded from totals. As-of is retrieval date, not a disclosed capacity measurement or commissioning date. Secondary-source reporting; operator confirmation needed. Do not combine with AM4 or treat as actual consumption.

Development timeline

2012-10 · actual_opening · AM3 opened

Equinix's May 2013 announcement states AM3 opened in October 2012. [2]

2013-05-30 · announcement · EU Code of Conduct energy efficiency award

Equinix announced an award recognizing AM3's energy efficiency technologies. [2]

Disclosed specifications

Colocation space: 6,400 m² (68,889 ft²)

Current operator specification; distinct from gross building area. [1]

Building: 5-storey reinforced concrete

Operator building description. [1]

Gross floor area: 18,750 m²

Architect's AM3 figure differs from the operator's historical 188,000 ft² gross-space figure; boundary or measurement differences unresolved. [3]

Historical gross space: 188,000 ft²

Reported in May 2013; preserve separately from architect and current colocation-area figures. [2]

UPS redundancy: N+1

Current operator specification. [1]

Cooling redundancy: N+20%

Current operator specification. [1]

Minimum cabinet density: 6 kVA

Operator uses apparent-power units; not converted to kW. [1]

Generator autonomy: 30 hours or more at full load

Current operator specification; generator redundancy unavailable on page. [1]

Cooling and heat reuse: Aquifer Thermal Energy Storage with hybrid cooling towers; hot-water reuse by neighboring university

Historical operator description from 2013; present configuration not independently verified. [2]

Connectivity: AMS-IX point of presence

Listed by AMS-IX; does not establish all carriers or tenants. [4]

Public facility contact: +31 (0)20 808 0015

Published in the AMS-IX colocation directory. [4]

Architect and development client: Benthem Crouwel Architects; Equinix Netherlands BV

Architect's project attribution; client designation is not proof of legal property ownership. [3]

Research gaps

- Legal property owner and land tenure
- Corroborated facility coordinates
- Administrative region independently established
- Current operator-confirmed IT, facility and grid capacity
- Reconciliation of 14 MW IT connection reporting, indexed 18 MW total power and the supplied 10–20 MW directory clue
- AM3 expansion phases and present rack count
- Current site-specific renewable coverage and complete certifications

Sources and field evidence

Attribution does not establish independent verification or permission to reuse images. URLs refer to public evidence.

[1] AM3 — Equinix Amsterdam data center

<https://www.equinix.com/data-centers/europe-colocation/netherlands-colocation/amsterdam-data-centers/am3>

Published: Unknown · Retrieved: 2026-10-09

Current operator facility page identifies AM3 at Science Park 610, 1098 XH Amsterdam, Netherlands; lists colocation space and technical specifications.

[2] Equinix Wins EU Code of Conduct Energy Efficiency Award

<https://investor.equinix.com/news-events/press-releases/detail/598/equinix-wins-eu-code-of-conduct-energy-efficiency-award>

Published: 2013-05-30 · Retrieved: 2026-10-09

Reports AM3 opened in October 2012, with 188,000 square feet gross space; describes ATES, hybrid cooling towers and university heat reuse.

[3] Data center Equinix AM3/AM4 — Benthem Crouwel

<https://www.benthemcrouwel.com/projects/data-centers-equinix>

Published: Unknown · Retrieved: 2026-10-09

Architect distinguishes AM3's two lower volumes from AM4's tower; identifies client Equinix Netherlands BV, AM3 completion in 2012 and AM3 gross floor area of 18,750 m².

[4] Colocations — AMS-IX Amsterdam

<https://www.ams-ix.net/ams/colocations>

Published: Unknown · Retrieved: 2026-10-09

Current exchange listing identifies Equinix AM3 as a point of presence at Science Park 610, Amsterdam, with public telephone +31 (0)20 808 0015.

[5] Bytes2Heat — Best Practices: Equinix AM3

<https://bytes2heat.de/bestpractices>

Published: Unknown · Retrieved: 2026-10-09

AM3 entry reports IT-Anschlussleistung of 14.00 MW and heat reuse involving Equinix and Universiteit van Amsterdam; no capacity observation date displayed.

Name: [1] [4]

Aliases: [1] [4]

Kind: [1] [3]

Country: [1] [3]

City: [1] [4]

Metro: [1]

Address: [1] [4]

Operator: [1] [2]

Business Model: [1]

Statuses: [1] [4]

Summary: [1] [2] [3] [5]

Location: [1]

Stable identifier: 5d676d6e-2fc2-4941-84eb-51fd0a49a68d