- The most common types of data centres are the following: **Enterprise**, **Multi-Tenant/Colocation**, **Edge/Micro**, **Hyperscale/Cloud**.

- **Enterprise Data Centre**: It is a private data centre facility that is constructed, owned and managed by a single organization with the purpose of serving their customers. Examples in Portugal: Covillhã Data Centre (Altice), NOS data centre, Colt data centre, etc.

- **Multi-Tenant Data Centre** (also known as colocation data centre): Offer data centre facilities to companies that want to host their computing hardware and servers offsite. These facilities include namely power, cooling, security and networking equipment. Portugal: Start Campus, Sines

- **Edge/Micro Data Centre**: These types of data centres are small and located near the people they serve to handle real time data processing, making low-latency communications with small devices possible. This data centre are the basis for 5G networking.