

**AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**  
**DEPRECIATION IMPACT ANALYSIS**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2018**

Effective January 1, 2019, Akamai increased the expected average useful life some of its network assets, primarily servers, from four years to five years. This change reflects software and hardware related initiatives to manage Akamai's global network more efficiently. The table below illustrates the decrease (increase) in depreciation expense on network assets in place at January 1, 2019, due to the increase in the estimated useful life. The table below does not include the projected change in depreciation expense associated with network assets placed in service after January 1, 2019.

<i>(in thousands)</i>	2019				2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Total
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4						
Decrease (increase) in depreciation expense	\$ 6,109	\$ 7,485	\$ 6,197	\$ 4,500	\$ 24,291	\$ 6,768	\$ (6,221)	\$ (17,369)	\$ (7,469)	\$ —