

Amazon Web Services

Physical and Virtual Computing Environment

Learning Objective

Computing Environments and Getting Started with Virtualization

Topics Covered

- Computing Environments and Operating Systems
 - Dersonal Computing, Server- Client
- Understanding Virtualization and Advantages
- Understanding Hypervisor
 - Hosted
 - Baremetal

Hands-On

Setting up a Virtual Machine with Windows OS Locally

Cloud Computing with AWS

Learning Objective

Cloud Computing and Introduction to AWS.

- □ What is Cloud Computing
- □ History & Comparison with Client Server computing

- Advantages of Cloud Computing
- □ Why AWS is different from other Vendors.
- □ Future of Cloud
- □ Service Model of Cloud
 - SAAS
 - PAAS
 - IAAS
- Deployment Model of Cloud
 - Public
 - Private
 - Hybrid
- □ AWS Infrastructure (Regions and Availability Zone)
- Design Diagram Tools for AWS draw.io
- □ Accessing AWS
 - Management Console
 - AWS CLI
 - AWS SDK
- □ AWS Account Plans and Free Tier
- Overview of AWS Domain and Services

AWS Elastic Compute Cloud in Compute Domain

Learning Objective

- Introduction to Compute Service in AWS
- Understanding and Mastering EC2 and it's Features
- Designing Highly Available, Scalable, Cost-efficient Systems
- Select the Appropriate Instance(s) Based on Compute, Storage, and Networking Requirements.
- Determine the Most Cost-effective Amazon EC2 Billing Options for Each Aspect of the Workload.

- Understanding EC2, Instance, AMI, Security Group, KeyPair
- □ Launching EC2 Instance and Connect
 - Windows Instance

- □ Linux Instance
- Status Checks, Instance Userdata and Metadata
- □ Instance Lifecycle
- □ EC2 Instance Types and Family
 - General Purpose
 - Compute Optimized
 - Memory Optimized
 - Storage Optimized
 - □ Accelerated Computing
- □ EC2 Instance Pricing Options
 - On-Demand
 - Reserved
 - Scheduled Reserved
 - Spot
 - □ Shared Instances
 - Dedicated Instances
 - Dedicated Host
 - □ Capacity Reservation
 - Saving Plans
- □ Types of AMIs to Launch EC2 Instance
 - AWS Published
 - AWS Marketplace
 - □ Creating from Existing Instance
 - Upload Virtual Services
- □ AWS Service Limits and Support Plans
- □ Summary of EC2 Services
- Exam Essentials

Hand-on Lab:

- □ Launching EC2 Instance (Windows) with Standard SSD Storage, Connect to Windows Instance with Remote Desktop Protocol, and make Web Server.
- □ Launching EC2 Instance (Linux) with Standard SSD Storage, Connect to Linux instance with Secure Shell via Putty software and make Web Server.
- □ Managing Instance Lifecycle Stopping, Rebooting and Terminating Instance

AWS Storage Service (Block Storage)

Learning Objective

- Understanding Cloud Storage and it's Advantages
- Mastering Block Storage
 - > Instance Store
 - > Elastic Block Store
- Mastering EBS Volumes, Snapshots and Images
- Select an Appropriate Compute and Storage Service Based on Requirements.

- Understanding Cloud Storage and Advantages of Cloud Storage
- Understanding Terminologies of Cloud Storage
 - HDD/SSD
 - Physical Hard Disk
 - Virtual Hard Disk
 - Volume
 - IOPS
 - Disk I/O
 - □ Storage Memory in GiB, MiB, KiB
- AWS Instance Store vs Elastic Block Store
- EBS Volumes Extending, Creating, Attaching, Detaching, Deleting
- □ EBS Volume Types gp2, gp3, io1, io2, sc1, st1
- EBS Snapshots
- AMIs using EBS Snapshots
- □ Cross-region Copy of Snapshot and AMI
- □ EBS Snapshot LifeCycle Manager
- □ Summary of Cloud and EBS Storage
- Exam Essentials

- □ Launching Windows EC2 Instance with Root EBS Volume (Default Size), and later Increase the Size of EBS Volume (5GiB)
- Creating and Attaching New EBS Data Volume to Windows EC2 Instances as Additional Storage.
- Detaching and Deleting Unused Volumes
- □ Creating Image from Existing Instance Based on Volume or Instance
- □ Cross Region / Cross Account Image/Snapshot Copy

AWS Storage Services (File and Object)

Learning Objective

- Identify Storage Services that can be used with Hybrid or Non-Cloud-Native Applications.
- Select a Storage Service and Configuration that meets Performance Demands
- Determine Storage Services that can Scale to Accommodate Future Needs
- Understanding File storage using NFS and SMB
- * Mastering File Storage with Elastic File System
- Mastering File Storage with FSx
- Understanding Object Storage
- * Mastering Object Storage with Simple Storage Services

- □ Understanding Traditional File Sharing Using NFS and SMB
- □ AWS File Storage using Elastic File System
- □ Create and Mount File Share in EFS
- □ Understanding the EFS Performance Mode, Storage LifeCycle
- □ AWS Fsx Console Walkthrough
- Object vs Block vs File Storage
- □ AWS Simple Storage Service (S3)
- S3 Benefits and Uses
- □ S3 Storage Classes
 - Standard

- Standard-IA
- One-Zone IA
- □ Intelligent Tiering
- Reduced Redundancy
- Glacier Instant Retrieval, Flexible Retrieval, Deep Archive
- S3 Pricing
- S3 Bucket Properties
 - Presigned URL
 - Versioning
 - Encryption
 - □ Intelligent-Tiering Archive Configuration
 - Static Web Hosting
 - Server and Object Access Logging
 - Requesters Pay
 - □ Transfer Acceleration and Object Lock
- □ S3 Bucket Permissions
 - Block Public Settings
 - 🗅 ACL
 - Policy
 - □ CORS
- □ S3 Bucket Management
 - LifeCycle Rule
 - Replication Rule
- Summary and Exam Essentials

- □ Creating an EFS File System and Mounting it to two Linux EC2 Instances.
- Creating S3 Bucket and Uploading Objects, Creating Presigned URL, Enabling Versioning
- □ Creating a S3 Static Website and Configure Access Logging
- □ Creating Bucket with Lifecycle Rule and Cross Region Replication Rule

AWS Virtual Private Cloud

Learning Objective

Mastering Network Basics

- > IP addressing
- Devices Switch and Router
- LAN and WAN
- > Subnetting
- Designing a Local Area Network
- Understanding Networking in AWS Cloud
- Mastering Virtual Private Cloud
- Determine a Network Segmentation Strategy Using Public and Private Subnets and NAT Instance/Gateway.
- Implement VPN for On-premises
- Implement Transit Network
- Understanding Storage Gateway
- Given Traffic Control Requirements, Determine When and How to Use Security Groups and Network ACLs.
- Select the Appropriate Routing Mechanism to Securely Access AWS Service Endpoints or Internet-based Resources from Amazon VPC.
- Troubleshooting Network Problems

- Virtual Private Cloud
- Subnets
- Route Tables
- Internet Gateway
- □ Private, Public and Elastic IP and Elastic Network Interface
- □ Private and Public Subnets
- Nat Instance and Nat Gateways
- □ VPC Peering Intra, Inter Region and Same, Cross Account
- Virtual Private Gateway
- Customer Gateway
- □ Virtual Private Network Customer Gateway and Virtual Private Gateway
- Transit Gateway Attachments, RouteTable and Associations
- AWS Direct Connect
- □ Storage Gateway
- Security Group and Network Access Control List
- Summary
- Exam Essentials

- Verifying Default VPC, Subnets, Route Table and Internet Gateway, Deleting and Recreating Default VPC
- □ Creating a Custom VPC, Subnet, Internet Gateway, Managing Route Table and Launching EC2 Instance.
- Verifying Private and Public IP and Allocate, Associate, Disassociate and Release Elastic IP
- Creating Public and Private Subnets and Managing Route Tables, Launching Instance in Public and Private Subnets and Use Public Subnet Instance(Bastion) to Login to Private Subnet Instance
- □ Creating Nat Gateway and Allow Internet Access to Private Subnet Instances .
- Creating VPC Peering Connection between two Regions and Manage Route Tables
- Creating a VPN Connection between Openswan Customer Gateway and Virtual Private Gateway
- Creating a Transit Gateway and add attachments(VPC or VPN)
- Managing security Groups and Network Access Control List

AWS Management Tools

Learning Objective

- Learn How to Monitor and Audit AWS services using CloudWatch
- Understanding CloudWatch Basic Monitoring and Detailed Monitoring
- * Setting CloudWatch Alarms on EC2 instance
- Understanding CloudTrail.
- Create and Logs all events using CloudTrail
- Learn how to set a budget for Cost Management, Cost Explore.
- Learn how to get SNS notification for any activity that happens in AWS Resources.

- □ CloudWatch Metrics, Dashboards
- □ Monitor EC2 Instance CPU, Disk IO, Network IO
- CloudWatch Unified Agent

- □ CloudWatch Logs
- □ Monitor VPC Flow Logs
- CloudWatch Rules
- □ CloudWatch Billing Alerts
- Cost Management
- CloudTrail
- □ CloudTrail Logs in S3 Bucket for all API Calls
- □ Simple Notification Service
- □ Summary
- Exam Essentials

Hands-on

- Launch an EC2 Linux Instance and Monitor the CPU, Disk IO and Network IO with Basic Monitoring and Configure Stress to Increase the CPU Utilization within Linux and Monitor
- □ Installing CloudWatch Unified Agent for Pushing Custom Metric to CloudWatch
- Monitor VPC flow logs using CloudWatch Logs
- Audit event cloudtrail for 90 days
- □ Create Trail to log all events
- □ Create SNS Topic and Subscribe Email to get Notifications

Load Balancing and Auto Scaling of EC2 Instance and Traffic

- Understanding High Availability
- Use load balancing in the creation of highly available systems.
- Understanding Scaling AWS Resources
 - ≻ Manual
 - Scheduled
 - ➢ Dynamic
- Learn scaling Applications/Systems with AutoScaling and its use in Building Fault Tolerant Networks.
- Understanding components of AutoScaling
 - Launch Configuration
 - > Launch Template

> Autoscaling Group

Topics Covered

- Load Balancers Types
- Application
- Network
- □ Target Groups
- □ Load Balancer Configuration
- Service Health Check
- Path Based Routing
- □ Launch Configurations
- Launch Templates
- Scaling Groups
- Scaling Policies
- Building Fault Tolerant and Highly Available Applications
- Summary of Auto Scaling and Load Balancers
- Exam Essentials

Hands-On

- □ Create an Application Load balancer and register targets
- Create path based routing rules
- □ Create a Network load balancer and compare with application load balancer
- □ Launch EC2 instances and use Auto Scaling Group to build High Available Applications.

AWS Route53

- Understanding Name Resolution, DNS and Amazon Route 53
- Mastering DNS Name Resolution
- Mastering DNS records
 - > Name Server
 - > Start of Authority
 - ≻ Host
 - ≻ Alias

- Understanding Domain Registration
 - > Domain Registrar
 - ➤ Domain Names
 - ➤ Subdomain Names
- Mastering Route53

- Domain Name Service
- □ AWS Route53
- Domain Registration
- Hosted Zones
- Record Sets
- Routing Policies
- DNS Failover with S3 and CDN
- □ Summary
- Exam Essentials

Hands-On

- □ Route53, Routing Policy and DNS Failover
- □ Implement Name Resolution for two different VPC to access web pages.

AWS Cloud Front

Learning Objective

Understanding Content Delivery Network for Videos and media files.

- **Content Delivery Network**
- AWS Edge Locations
- Distributions
- CloudFront
- Summary
- Exam Essentials

- Create S3 Bucket and upload Video files and make them public.
- Create distribution in CloudFront to distribute videos to all Edge locations.

AWS Command Line Interface

Learning Objective

- Understanding AWS Command Line Tool
- Install AWS Command Line Tool
- AWS CLI Configuration
- Launch AWS Resources using CLI Tool

Topics Covered

- Install and Configure AWS CLI
- AWS CLI Reference
- Build AWS Resources using AWS CLI
- □ S3 presigned URL, Multi-part upload, MFA Delete

Hands-On

- Manage s3 using aws CLI
- Manage EC2 using aws CLI

Identity and Access Management

- Understanding Fundamentals of AWS IAM
- Understanding IAM Principles
- Build Secure Administration using IAM Components
 - > Users
 - > Groups

- > Policies
- ≻ Roles

- □ IAM Principles
- Creating Users
- MFA
- Creating Groups
- Understanding Policies
- Understanding Console and Programmatic Access
- Access Keys and Secret Key
- IAM Roles
- Security and Policies
- VPC Endpoint for S3
- Cross AWS Account Access Using IAM User and Role
- Summary
- Exam Essentials

Hands-On

- □ Create Users and allow EC2 Read-Only
- □ Create Users and allow S3 Bucket Read-only
- □ Allow Specific bucket to Access Fully
- Create user access AWS Resources CLI
- Create and assign Roles to Resource

Serverless and PAAS

- Understanding What is Serverless
- Understanding Lambda
- Manual invoke and Cloud Watch(Event bridge trigger)
- Understanding PAAS and Elastic Beanstalk

- Lambda functions
- Configuration limitations and pricing
- □ Configuring Elastic Beanstalk
- □ Understand the deployment types

Hands-On

- □ Create a lambda function for stopping and starting ec2 instance
- Integrate with cloudwatch event and trigger lambda
- □ Create a simple sample application and deploy using elastic beanstalk

Database Services

Learning Objective

- Understanding Database
- Understanding Relational and Non Relational Database Services
- Understanding Transactional and Analytical databases
- Understanding AWS Database services and their use case
- Build LAMP stack using AWS RDS (online application)
- Understanding the difference between RDS MYSQL and Aurora
- Understanding dynamodb and dax cluster

- AWS RDS
- Encryptions
- LAMP Stack
- Multi-AZ Deployment
- Read Replica
- Snapshots
- Restoring Snapshots
- Aurora
- What is multi-master database
- Aurora Serverless
- Non Relational database dynamodb

- DAX
- Summary of Database services
- Exam Essentials

- Create MySql Database to implement LAMP Stack.
- □ Create multi-AZ and read replicas
- □ Create an Aurora DB Cluster
- □ Create a simple dynamodb table and global tables
- Create a dax cluster

Organization, Directory Services, Workspaces and AWS SSO

Learning Objective

- Understanding AWS Organization
- Understanding AWS Organizational Hierarchy Using Organizational Unit
- Understanding Service Control Permission
- Understanding Active Directory
- Install and Configure Windows Active Directory
- Mastering Windows Active Directory
 - > Installing
 - > Configuration
 - > Domain
 - > Domain Controller
 - > Domain Members
- Understanding Directory Services in AWS
- Understanding the need of AWS SSO

- Organization and Invitations
- Organizational Unit and SCP
- Authentication and Authorization
- □ Workgroup and Domain Model
- Windows Active Directory

- Directory Services
- □ Types of Directory Services in AWS
- Virtual Desktop Infrastructure
- AWS Workspaces
- AWS SSO
- Summary
- Exam Essentials

- Create a aws organization and add member accounts
- □ Create a SCP from the management account to manage member accounts
- □ Create AWS Managed Directory and add Windows Client
- Create and Launch Workspace to know how to implement VDI
- Create AWS SSO and allow AD user to login to AWS Accounts in AWS Organization

Containerization

Learning Objective

- Understanding Traditional(Physical and Virtual) Application Deployment Methods) and Containerization
- Advantages
- Understanding docker and components
- Understanding Container Orchestration
- Understanding ECS and Launch Types

- Docker Engine
- Images
- Registry
- Containers
- ECS
 - Container Definition
 - Task

- Task Definition
- □ Service
- □ EC2 Launch Type
- □ Fargate

- □ Launch an EC2 instance and install docker engine and start docker
- D Pull image and run httpd container on ec2 instance
- □ Creating a ECS Cluster using ec2 and fargate launch type