

CSC PROJECT :- VOICE COMMAND ENGINE

Working

1. Wake Word & Speech Recognition:

You trigger the device by saying a wake word, like "Alexa" or "Echo." The device's

microphone picks up your entire question or command.

Locally on the device, there's some basic wake word detection to ensure only relevant audio is processed further.

2. Uploading the Recording (Utterance) to Amazon's Cloud:

The part of your speech after the wake word is converted into a digital format.

This digital audio file (utterance) is encrypted for security.

An internet connection is required as the utterance is uploaded to Amazon's secure cloud servers.

3. Automatic Speech Recognition (ASR) in the Cloud:

Amazon's Automatic Speech Recognition (ASR) service takes over.

ASR uses complex algorithms to convert the sounds you spoke into text.

It accounts for background noise, accents, and different speaking styles.

4. Natural Language Understanding (NLU) in the Cloud:

The transcribed text from ASR enters the Natural Language Understanding (NLU) stage.

NLU analyzes the text to understand the intent behind your question or command.

It identifies key terms, removes irrelevant information, and considers the context of the conversation (if any).

5. Dialog Management in the Cloud:

The Dialog Management component takes the output from NLU and decides what action to take.

It determines if you're asking a question, giving a command, or something else.

It may also consider your preferences and past interactions to personalize the response.

6. Skill Selection or Actioning Built-in Functions:

There are two main possibilities here:

Skills: If your request involves a specific functionality offered by a third-party app (called a Skill), Dialog Management will identify the relevant Skill and send the request to it.

Built-in Functions: If your request relates to something Alexa can do directly (like playing music, setting timers), Dialog Management will use Alexa's built-in functions to handle it.

7. Skill Processing or Alexa Action (on Cloud or Device):

Skills: The Skill you invoked is processed in the cloud by the Skill provider's servers. They access relevant data and services to complete your request. The results are then sent back to Alexa.

Built-in Functions: Alexa uses its built-in capabilities on the cloud or the device itself (depending on the complexity) to complete tasks like playing music or controlling smart home devices.

8. Response Generation in the Cloud:

Once Alexa has everything it needs (from Skills or built-in functions), it formulates a response that addresses your request.

This response may involve text, audio clips, or instructions to control smart home devices.

9. Sending the Response Back to the Device:

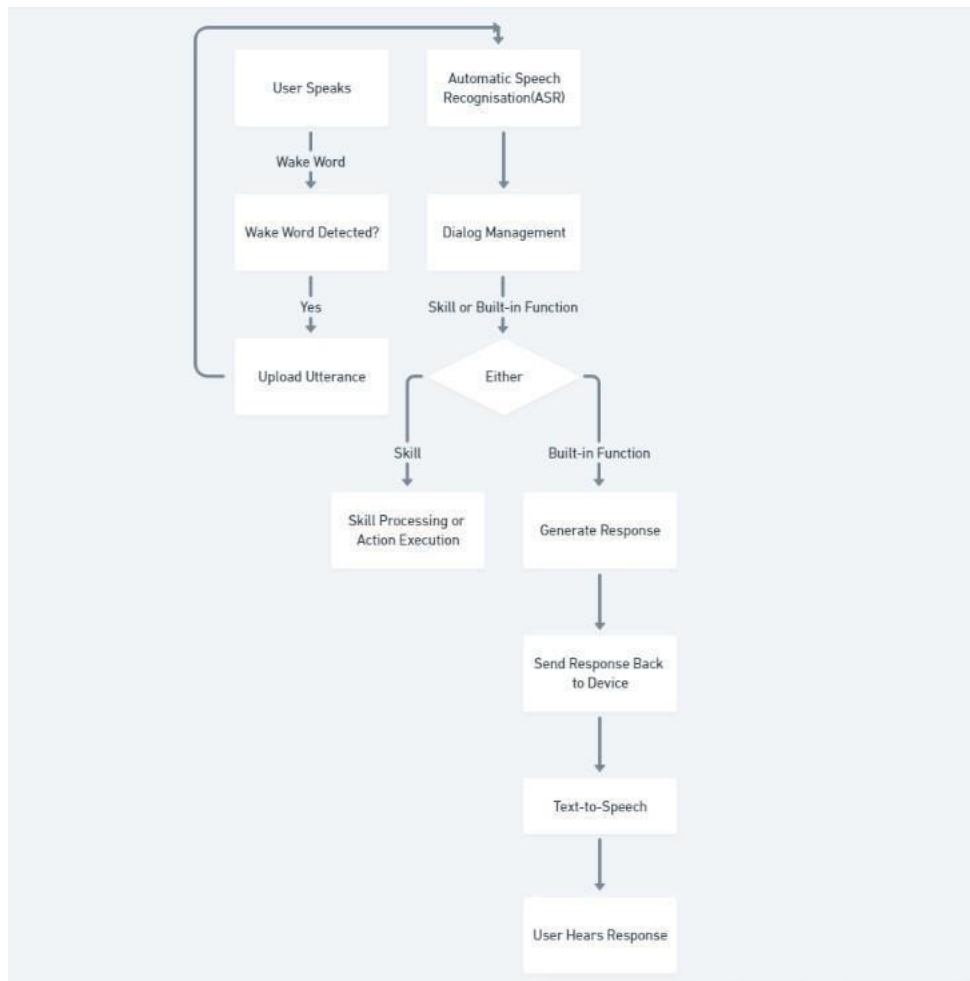
The formulated response is sent back over the internet to your Alexa device.

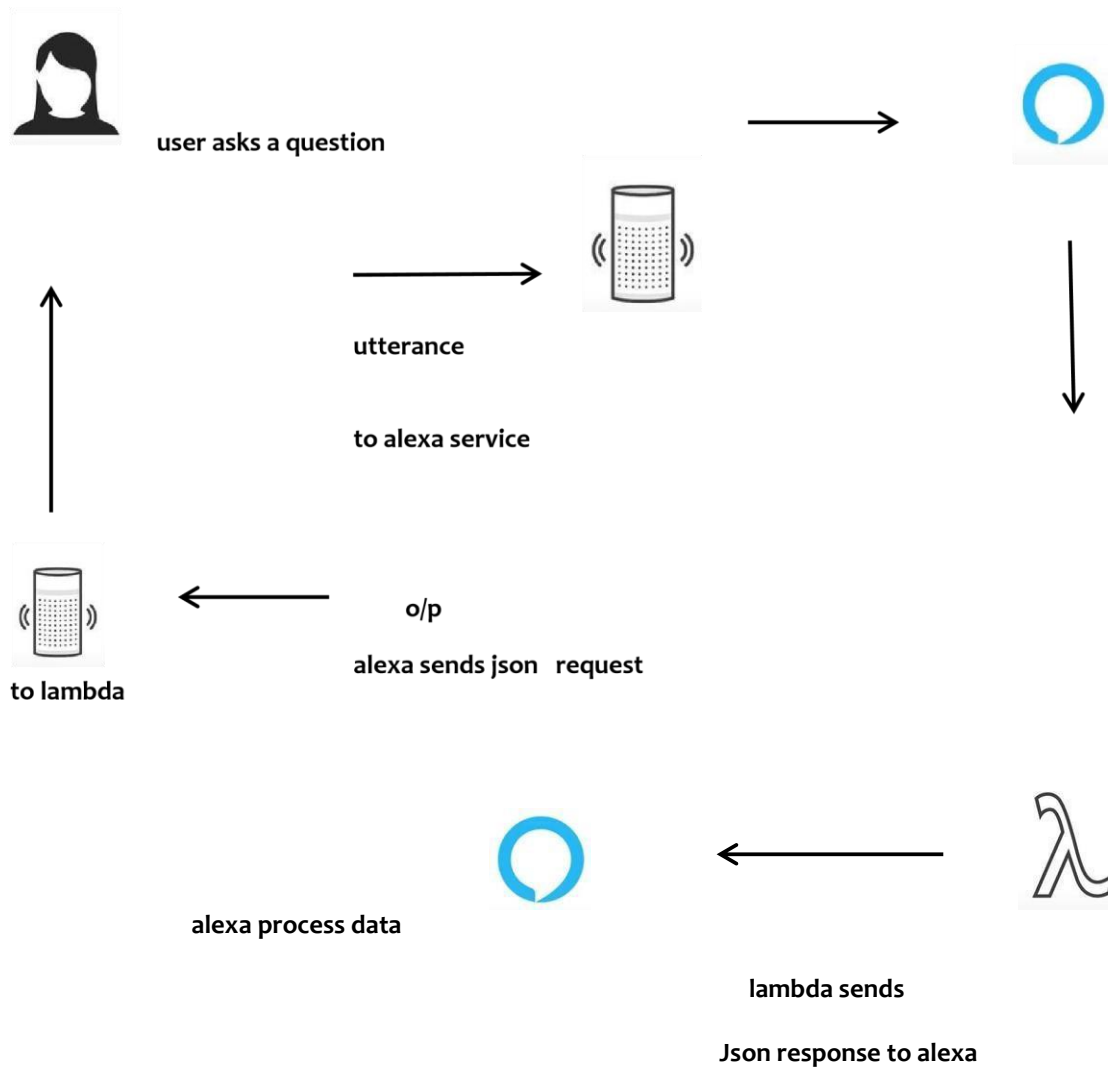
10. Text-to-Speech (TTS) and Audio Output:

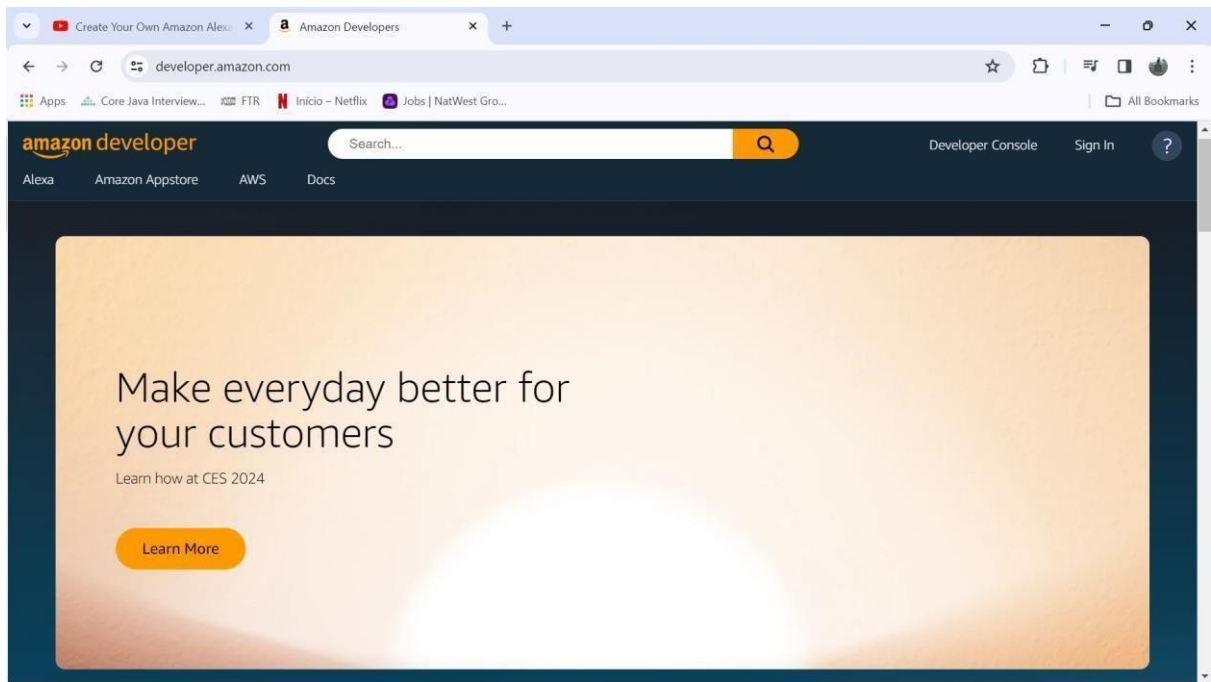
The Alexa device receives the response and converts it into an audio format using Text-to-Speech (TTS).

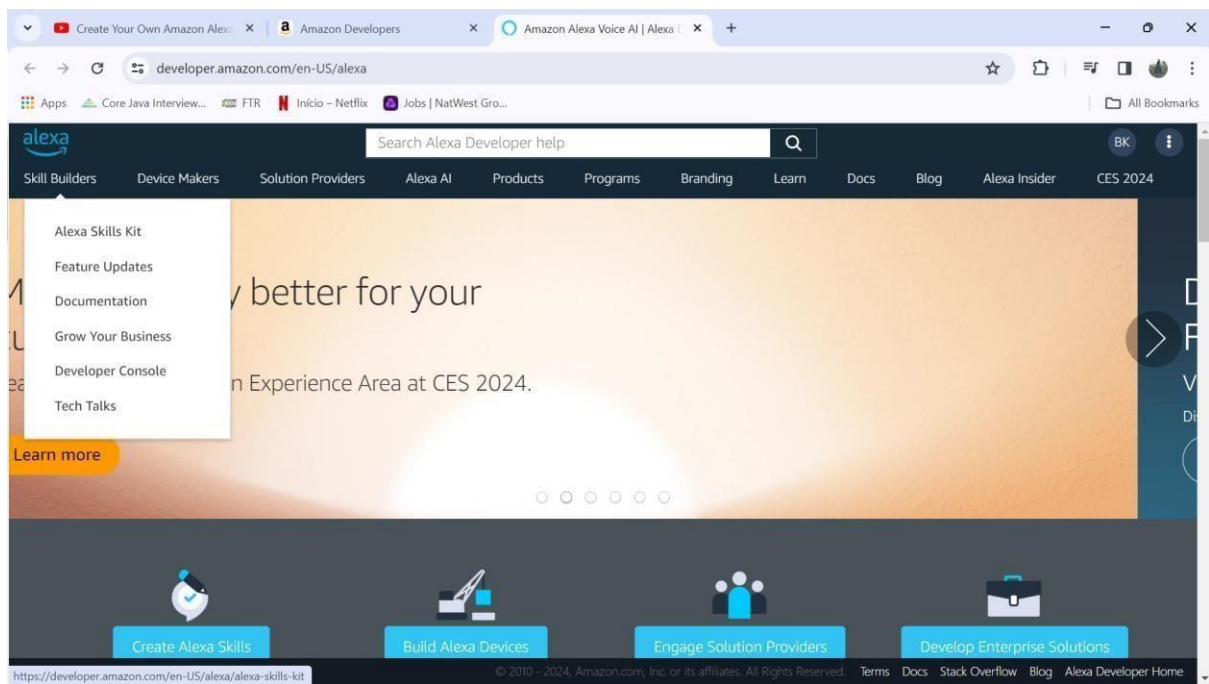
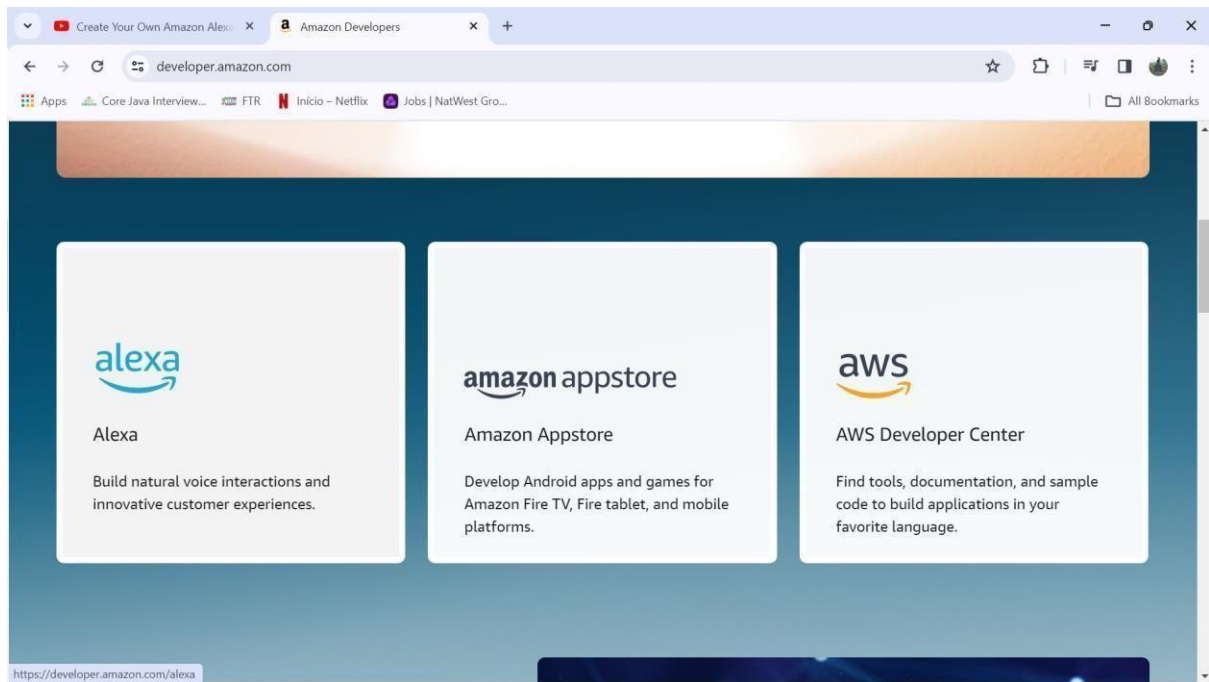
The device's speaker plays the audio response back to you, letting you know the results.

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1. Name your Skill

Enter a name for your skill. This is not the same as the skill invocation name, which you'll set up after you complete the skill set up process.

Skill name

0/50 characters

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2. Choose a primary locale

A locale refers to a language and the country in which it's spoken. Build your skill in your primary locale. You can add more locales after you create the skill.

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1. Choose a type of experience

Tell us what kind of experience you want to build and we'll recommend a voice interaction model (also known as a skill model) to get you started. A skill model has pre-defined words and phrases that users can say when interacting with your skill. You'll be able to customize what Alexa responds with that is unique to your skill's use-case.

☐ Food & Drink

☐ Games & trivia

☐ Movies & TV

☒ Music & Audio

☐ News

☐ Smart home

☐ Other

2. Choose a model

Our pre-built models provide words and phrases people can say to Alexa to interact with your skill. With the custom model, you'll define words and phrases yourself. To learn more, go to our [Alexa Skills Kit Help documentation](#) for voice interaction models.

Note: Different models allow for different degrees of customization. Make sure to review these potential limitations while choosing your model.

Recommended models

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Recommended models

Music

Give users complete control of your audio streaming service. The pre-built model provides a voice interface that includes ways to discover and interact with your audio content.

What this skill type offers

- Voice interactions to shuffle, loop, start, stop, pause, and search.

Custom

Design a unique experience for your users from scratch. A custom model enables you to create all of your skill's interactions.

What this skill type offers

- Built in voice interactions to stop, cancel, navigate to home, get help, and more.

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3. Hosting services

If you're creating a custom skill, you can provision your own backend resources or Alexa can host them. If Alexa hosts your skill, you'll get access to our code editor, which lets you deploy code directly to AWS Lambda from the developer console.

Alexa-hosted (Node.js)

Alexa will host skills in your account and get you started with a Node.js template.

Things to know

- Get your skill up and running in less than a minute with free hosting across all Alexa regions.
- Unlimited Lambda calls, 25GB S3 storage, 250GB/month S3 throughput, and a single Dynamo table with 10M reads and writes.
- If you exceed usage limits, you can use

Alexa-hosted (Python)

Alexa will host skills in your account and get you started with a Python template.

Things to know

- Get your skill up and running in less than a minute with free hosting across all Alexa regions.
- Unlimited Lambda calls, 25GB S3 storage, 250GB/month S3 throughput, and a single Dynamo table with 10M reads and writes.
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Provision your own

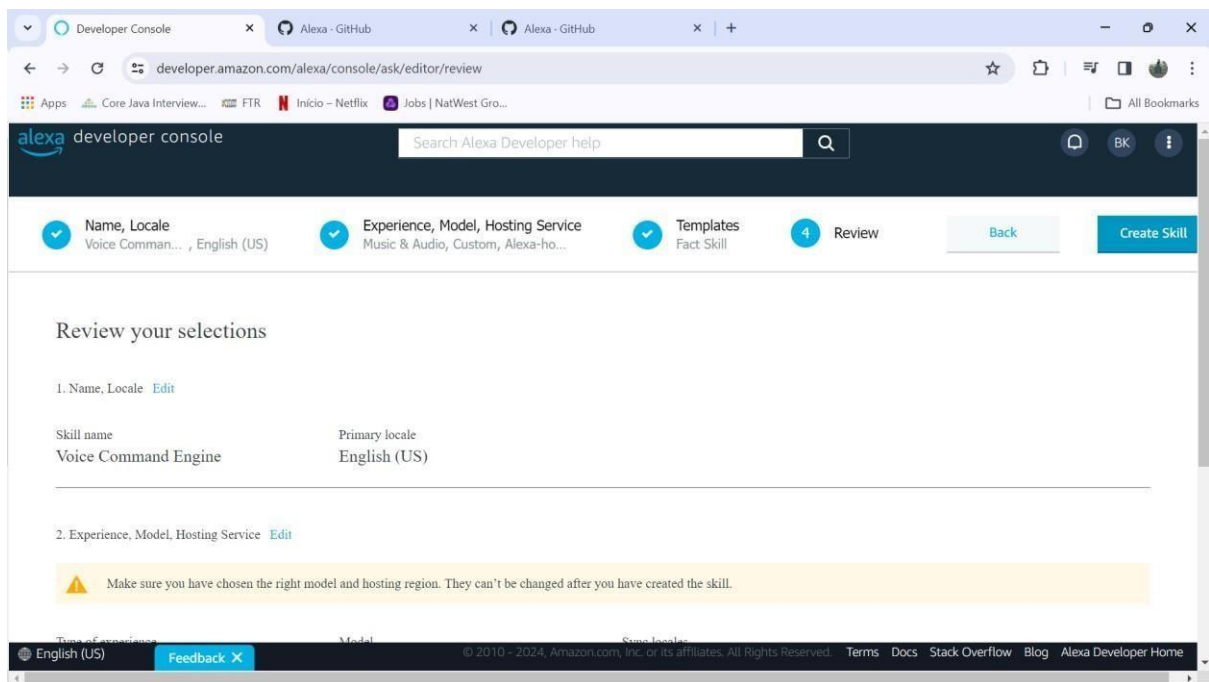
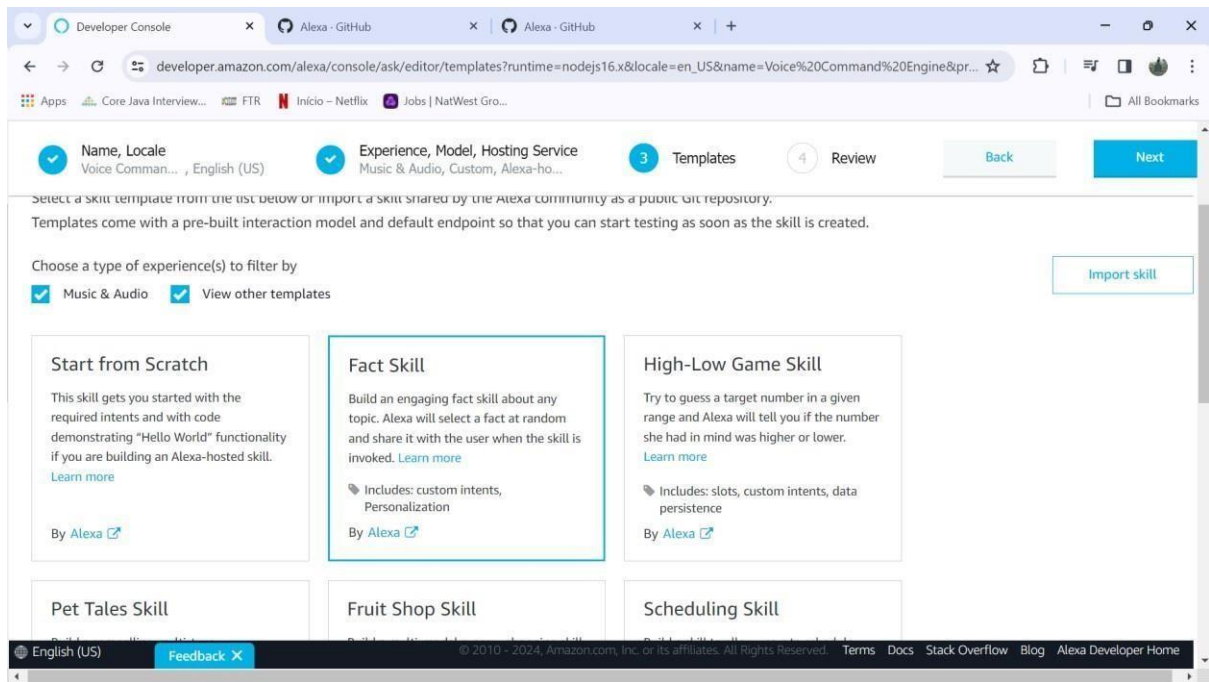
Provision your own endpoint and backend resources for your skill. This is recommended for skills that have significant data transfer requirements.

Things to know

- You're in full control of your endpoint and backend resources.
- No usage limits.
- You'll need your own AWS account
- You won't have access to the console's

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Save Evaluate model Update live skill Last successful build: 3/4/2024 @ 9:47 AM - View history Build skill

User: Alexa, open daily horoscopes

User: Alexa, ask daily horoscopes for the horoscope for Gemini

Skill Invocation Name [How to pick names that are right for you](#)

Your skill's invocation name does not need to be unique across Alexa.

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If invocation name is an abbreviation, it should contain a space and a period after each letter (e.g.: a. b. c.).

Once the skill is published, the invocation name can no longer be changed.

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Skill testing is enabled in: Development

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+ open fun facts

Ok, Here's fun facts

Here's your fact: It takes 8 minutes 17 seconds for light to travel from the Sun's surface to the Earth.

+ one more

Personalization

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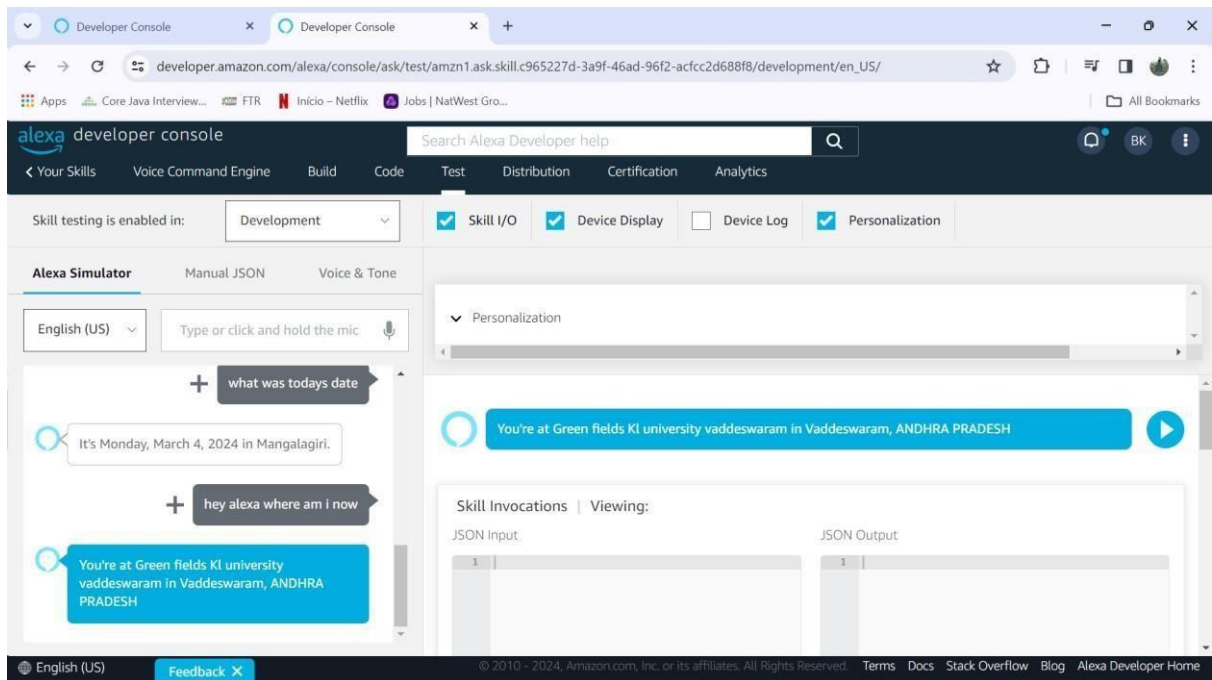
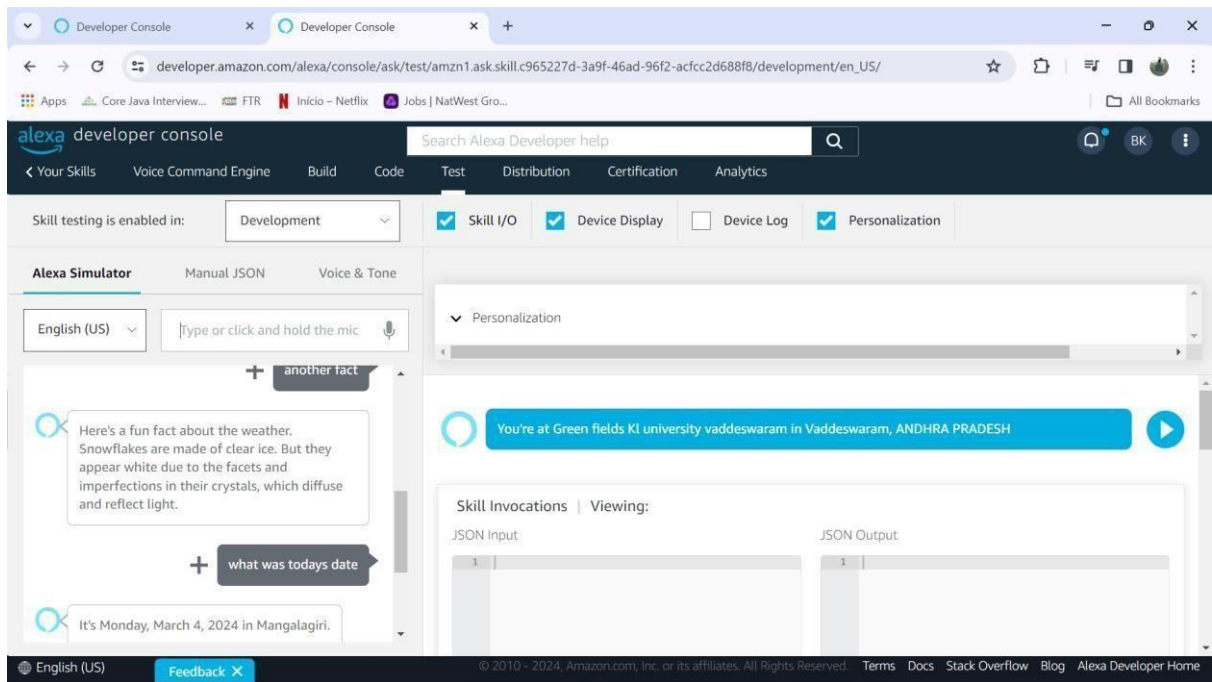
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