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# **Exam Questions AWS-Certified-Cloud-Practitioner**

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What AWS service has built-in DDoS mitigation? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. CloudFront
- B. CloudTrail
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Answer: A

## Explanation:

With CloudFront, you cache content at Edge Locations, which shield your underlining application infrastructure from DDoS attacks.

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What are the benefits of AWS Organizations? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

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What AWS database is primarily used to analyze data using standard SQL formatting with compatibility for your existing business intelligence tools? Choose the Correct Answer

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Redshift is a database offering that is fully-managed and used for data warehousing and analytics, including compatibility with existing business intelligence tools.



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- A. Copy the current VPC and located in US-East-1 and ask AWS to move it to a region closest to Japan
- B. Create a and manage a complete duplicate copy of the web application and its infrastructure in a region closest to Japan.
- C. Create a CDN using CloudFront, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.
- D. Create a CDN using CloudCache, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.

Answer: C

### **Explanation:**

CloudFront is AWS's content delivery network (CDN) service. You can use it to cache web content at edge locations what are closest to you customers. This will decrease latency for the customer and improve overall performance.

#### **NEW QUESTION 46**

What AWS feature acts as a traffic distribution regulator, making sure each EC2 instance in a system get the same amount of traffic? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Availability Zone
- B. ELB
- C. NACL
- D. Auto Scaling

Answer: B

#### **Explanation:**

An Elastic Load Balancer is responsible for evenly distributing incoming web traffic between all the EC2 instances associated with it. This help prevent one server from becoming overloaded with traffic, while another server remains underutilized.

#### **NEW QUESTION 50**

What best describes the concept of fault tolerance?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The ability for a system to withstand a certain amount of failure and still remain functional.
- B. The ability for a system to grow and shrink based on demand.
- C. The ability for a system to grow in size, capacity, and/or scope.
- D. The ability for a system be accessible when you attempt to access i

Answer: A

## **Explanation:**

Fault tolerance describes the concept of a system (in our case a web application) to have failure in some of its components and still remain accessible (highly available). Fault tolerant web applications will have at least two web servers (in case one fails).

## **NEW QUESTION 55**

What best describes an AWS region?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. A specific location where an AWS data center is located.
- B. An isolated collection of AWS Availability Zones, of which there are many placed all around the world.
- C. The physical networking connections between Availability Zones.
- D. A collection of DNS server

Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

An AWS region is an isolated geographical area that is is comprised of three or more AWS Availability Zones.

## **NEW QUESTION 59**

Amit is running a web application with a capacity of 5000 users. Every few days, traffic reaches 5000 users and any additional users are being denied access. What can Amit do to efficiently automate the process of adding and removing server capacity based on traffic demand? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Enable elastic load balancing on his application.
- B. Automating this process cannot be done
- C. Enable auto scaling on his application.
- D. Write a custom script to automate the process

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Auto scaling in AWS allows you to configure metric-based rules that (when triggered) will add and/or remove instances (server capacity) to your application. Adding/moving instances is then automated based on the metric rules you configure.



What is a main benefit of CloudFront? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. DNS management
- B. Unlimited storage
- C. Serverless compute capacity
- D. Built-in DDoS protection

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

CloudFront allows you to cache content at edge locations. When a request is made for that content, the request is sent to an edge location (not your applications hardware), so the edge locations will absorb any DDoS attack and protect your underlining hardware.

#### **NEW QUESTION 65**

An Edge Location is a specialized AWS data center that works in conjunction with what AWS service? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Route 53
- B. CloudWatch
- C. Lambda
- D. CloudFront

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

CloudFront is comprised of a network of Edge Locations (which is where content is cached).

#### **NEW QUESTION 70**

Children's All Saints Hospital has millions of old medical records that they must save for regulatory reasons. These records will most likely never be accessed again. What is the best and most costeffective S3 storage option that will meet the hospitals needs?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Standard
- **B.** Infrequent Access
- C. Glacier
- D. Reduced Redundacy

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Glacer is specifically designed for long-term archival storage. It is extremely inexpensive and should only be used for items that you access very infrequently.

## **NEW QUESTION 71**

Donna needs to provision a Linux server to run a web application on. What AWS service should she use to create the Linux server? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. VPC
- B. Lambda
- C. IAM
- D. EC2

Answer: D

## **Explanation:**

Elastic Cloud Compute (EC2) is AWS server-based compute service platform. You can use it to provision and use Linux- and Windows-based servers.

## **NEW QUESTION 74**

What AWS database service is used for data warehousing of petabytes of data? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. RDS
- B. Elasticache
- C. Redshift
- D. DynamoDB

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Redshift is a fully-managed data warehouse that is perfect for storing petabytes worth of data.

## **NEW QUESTION 76**

What are two open source in-memory engines supported by ElastiCache? Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Redis
- B. Aurora



C. Cachelt
D. MemcacheD

Answer: AD

#### **NEW QUESTION 78**

What is the major difference between AWS's RDS and DynamoDB database services?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. RDS offers NoSQL database options, and DynamoDB offers SQL database options.
- B. RDS offers on SQL database option, and DynamoDB offers many NoSQL database options.
- C. RDS offers SQL database options, and DynamoDB offers a NoSQL database option.
- D. None of the above

Answer: C

#### **Explanation:**

RDS is a SQL database service (that offers several database engine options), and DynamoDB is a NoSQL database option that only offers one NoSQL engine.

#### **NEW QUESTION 82**

If you want to have SMS or email notifications sent to various members of your department with status updates on resources in your AWS account, what service should you choose?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. STS
- B. RDS
- C. GetSMS
- D. SNS

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

Simple Notification Service (SNS) is what publishes messages to SMS and/or email endpoints.

#### **NEW QUESTION 84**

If you want to learn about AWS architectural or security best practices, where will you find that type of information? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS Yellow Pages
- B. AWS Console Info Section
- C. AWS White Papers
- D. AWS Service Documentation

Answer: C

## Explanation:

White papers are a collection of technical documents that outlines many AWS relevant topics.

## **NEW QUESTION 87**

What is a main benefit of consolidated billing?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Faster response from AWS technical support.
- B. Gain a volume discount for usage across all your AWS accounts.
- C. Access to a higher support plan level.
- D. None of the abov

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## **Explanation:**

Consolidated billing allows you to view, manage, and pay bills for multiple AWS accounts in one user interface. Volume discounts can be earned by combining the usage from all accounts your own.

## **NEW QUESTION 92**

What best describes the difference between the TCO Calculator and the Cost Explorer? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The TCO Calculator help you analyze current AWS usage charges; the Cost Explorer helps you estimate the cost savings of using AWS.
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- C. The Cost Explorer helps you calculate hourly EC2 Usage cost; the TCO Calculator is a price list for each AWS service.
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## Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

The TCO calculator is a free tool provided by AWS that allows you to estimate the cost savings of using AWS vs. using an on-premises data center. The Cost Explorer is a free tool that allows you to view charges of your cost (helps you analyze where you are spending money).





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Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Copy the current VPC and located in US-East-1 and ask AWS to move it to a region closest to Japan
- B. Create a and manage a complete duplicate copy of the web application and its infrastructure in a region closest to Japan.
- C. Create a CDN using CloudFront, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.
- D. Create a CDN using CloudCache, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.

Answer: C

### **Explanation:**

CloudFront is AWS's content delivery network (CDN) service. You can use it to cache web content at edge locations what are closest to you customers. This will decrease latency for the customer and improve overall performance.

#### **NEW QUESTION 46**

What AWS feature acts as a traffic distribution regulator, making sure each EC2 instance in a system get the same amount of traffic? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Availability Zone
- B. ELB
- C. NACL
- D. Auto Scaling

Answer: B

#### **Explanation:**

An Elastic Load Balancer is responsible for evenly distributing incoming web traffic between all the EC2 instances associated with it. This help prevent one server from becoming overloaded with traffic, while another server remains underutilized.

#### **NEW QUESTION 50**

What best describes the concept of fault tolerance?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The ability for a system to withstand a certain amount of failure and still remain functional.
- B. The ability for a system to grow and shrink based on demand.
- C. The ability for a system to grow in size, capacity, and/or scope.
- D. The ability for a system be accessible when you attempt to access i

Answer: A

## **Explanation:**

Fault tolerance describes the concept of a system (in our case a web application) to have failure in some of its components and still remain accessible (highly available). Fault tolerant web applications will have at least two web servers (in case one fails).

## **NEW QUESTION 55**

What best describes an AWS region?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. A specific location where an AWS data center is located.
- B. An isolated collection of AWS Availability Zones, of which there are many placed all around the world.
- C. The physical networking connections between Availability Zones.
- D. A collection of DNS server

Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

An AWS region is an isolated geographical area that is is comprised of three or more AWS Availability Zones.

## **NEW QUESTION 59**

Amit is running a web application with a capacity of 5000 users. Every few days, traffic reaches 5000 users and any additional users are being denied access. What can Amit do to efficiently automate the process of adding and removing server capacity based on traffic demand? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Enable elastic load balancing on his application.
- B. Automating this process cannot be done
- C. Enable auto scaling on his application.
- D. Write a custom script to automate the process

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Auto scaling in AWS allows you to configure metric-based rules that (when triggered) will add and/or remove instances (server capacity) to your application. Adding/moving instances is then automated based on the metric rules you configure.



What is a main benefit of CloudFront? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. DNS management
- B. Unlimited storage
- C. Serverless compute capacity
- D. Built-in DDoS protection

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

CloudFront allows you to cache content at edge locations. When a request is made for that content, the request is sent to an edge location (not your applications hardware), so the edge locations will absorb any DDoS attack and protect your underlining hardware.

#### **NEW QUESTION 65**

An Edge Location is a specialized AWS data center that works in conjunction with what AWS service? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Route 53
- B. CloudWatch
- C. Lambda
- D. CloudFront

Answer: D

### **Explanation:**

CloudFront is comprised of a network of Edge Locations (which is where content is cached).

#### **NEW QUESTION 70**

Children's All Saints Hospital has millions of old medical records that they must save for regulatory reasons. These records will most likely never be accessed again. What is the best and most costeffective S3 storage option that will meet the hospitals needs?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Standard
- **B.** Infrequent Access
- C. Glacier
- D. Reduced Redundacy

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Glacer is specifically designed for long-term archival storage. It is extremely inexpensive and should only be used for items that you access very infrequently.

## **NEW QUESTION 71**

Donna needs to provision a Linux server to run a web application on. What AWS service should she use to create the Linux server? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. VPC
- B. Lambda
- C. IAM
- D. EC2

Answer: D

## **Explanation:**

Elastic Cloud Compute (EC2) is AWS server-based compute service platform. You can use it to provision and use Linux- and Windows-based servers.

## **NEW QUESTION 74**

What AWS database service is used for data warehousing of petabytes of data? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. RDS
- B. Elasticache
- C. Redshift
- D. DynamoDB

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Redshift is a fully-managed data warehouse that is perfect for storing petabytes worth of data.

## **NEW QUESTION 76**

What are two open source in-memory engines supported by ElastiCache? Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Redis
- B. Aurora



C. Cachelt
D. MemcacheD

Answer: AD

#### **NEW QUESTION 78**

What is the major difference between AWS's RDS and DynamoDB database services?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. RDS offers NoSQL database options, and DynamoDB offers SQL database options.
- B. RDS offers on SQL database option, and DynamoDB offers many NoSQL database options.
- C. RDS offers SQL database options, and DynamoDB offers a NoSQL database option.
- D. None of the above

Answer: C

#### **Explanation:**

RDS is a SQL database service (that offers several database engine options), and DynamoDB is a NoSQL database option that only offers one NoSQL engine.

#### **NEW QUESTION 82**

If you want to have SMS or email notifications sent to various members of your department with status updates on resources in your AWS account, what service should you choose?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. STS
- B. RDS
- C. GetSMS
- D. SNS

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

Simple Notification Service (SNS) is what publishes messages to SMS and/or email endpoints.

#### **NEW QUESTION 84**

If you want to learn about AWS architectural or security best practices, where will you find that type of information? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS Yellow Pages
- B. AWS Console Info Section
- C. AWS White Papers
- D. AWS Service Documentation

Answer: C

## Explanation:

White papers are a collection of technical documents that outlines many AWS relevant topics.

## **NEW QUESTION 87**

What is a main benefit of consolidated billing?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Faster response from AWS technical support.
- B. Gain a volume discount for usage across all your AWS accounts.
- C. Access to a higher support plan level.
- D. None of the abov

Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

Consolidated billing allows you to view, manage, and pay bills for multiple AWS accounts in one user interface. Volume discounts can be earned by combining the usage from all accounts your own.

## **NEW QUESTION 92**

What best describes the difference between the TCO Calculator and the Cost Explorer? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The TCO Calculator help you analyze current AWS usage charges; the Cost Explorer helps you estimate the cost savings of using AWS.
- B. The TCO Calculator helps you estimate the cost savings of using AWS; the Cost Explorer help you analyze current AWS usage charges.
- C. The Cost Explorer helps you calculate hourly EC2 Usage cost; the TCO Calculator is a price list for each AWS service.
- D. The Cost Explorer is a price list for each AWS service; the TCO Calculator helps you calculate hourly EC2 Usage cost.

## Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

The TCO calculator is a free tool provided by AWS that allows you to estimate the cost savings of using AWS vs. using an on-premises data center. The Cost Explorer is a free tool that allows you to view charges of your cost (helps you analyze where you are spending money).





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