

# **AWS Solution Architect Syllabus**

#### INTRODUCTION TO CLOUD COMPUTING

- What is Cloud?
- **Cloud Service Models:** 
  - IAAS (Infrastructure As A Service)
  - PAAS (Platform As A Service)
  - **SAAS (Software As A** Service)
- **Cloud Deployment Models:**

# **INTRODUCTION TO AMAZON WEB SERVICES**

- What is AWS? AWS Global
- Infrastructure & Components Regions,
- Availability Zones and Endpoints How to Subscribe for AWS account
- What are the AWS Free Tier Limits and
- Usage?
- Pillars of the AWS Well-Architected
- Framework AWS Certification paths
- Navigate AWS Console List of services
- given by AWS

# AMAZON EC2

- What is EC2?
- **Instance Types**
- **Instance lifecycle**
- **Security groups**
- **IP Addressing**
- **Assigning Elastic IP**
- Security from Key pairs
- **Pricing Model in EC2 Instances**
- **Understanding Reserved Instances**
- **Building Linux and Windows Instances**
- **Connecting Instances from Different Platforms**
- **Network Interfaces**
- **EC2 Troubleshooting Scenarios**

#### AMAZON MACHINE IMAGES (AMI)

- What is AMI? Managing AMI's
- **Working with Linux and Windows**
- **AMI's Shared and Paid AMI's Web Server Configuration Creating own**
- AMI's

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- Making an AMI Public
- AMI Market place
- . What is Virtualization?

#### AWS COMMAND LINE (AWS CLI)

- Introduction to AWS CLI?
- Useful features in AWS CLI
- Prerequisites for CLI
- Installing AWS CLI on Windows and Linux
- Generating Access Keys and Secret Key
- Configuring AWS CLI
- Running Commands

#### **IDENTITY ACCESS MANAGEMENT (IAM)**

- IAM initial setup and configuration
- What is a policy?
- Policies creation
- IAM Roles
- IAM Groups and Policies
- User and Group settings
- What is MFA
- . How to configure MFA
- Cross account access

#### **CLOUD TRAIL**

- What is cloud Trail
- Tracking User Activity
- Benefits
- Trails

#### **AMAZON SQS**

- What is SQS?
- SQS benefits
- Types of messages

#### Standard vs fifo

#### **SIMPLE NOTIFICATION SERVICE (SNS)**

- What is SNS?
- SNS Topics
- Subscriptions
- Subscribing topic via email
- Setting notification for EC2 instance changes

## **CLOUD WATCH**

- Introducing cloud watch
- dashboards
- Cloud watch Architecture
- Monitoring the AWS service health dashboard
- Monitoring the cloud watch
- Getting statistics for a specific EC2
- instance
  Setting up notifications

#### **NETWORKING BASICS**

- What is network?
- Network topologies
- OSI reference models
- Ipaddresses and classes
- Difference between private and public ipaddress
- Description of Subnet, gateway, router...etc
- Different networking components
- Router, Gateway
- Subnets, CIDR

#### VIRTUAL PRIVATE CLOUD (VPC)

- What is Amazon VPC?
- **VPC Essentials**
- **Default and Non-Default VPC**
- **VPC networking and ACL**
- **Security Groups**
- Route Tables public and private
- DNS and DHCP options set
- **VPC Peering and end points**
- **Subnets**
- **Subnet Routing**
- **VPC Internet Gateway**
- Elastic IP addresses and network
- interfaces

**Extending on-premise networks with** 

- **VPC integration with other services**
- **Creating NAT Instance**
- Configuring web application in VPC
- **Trouble shooting scenarios**
- **Network monitoring with flow logs**
- **Endpoints**
- **DNS hostnames**
- **VPC Peering**

#### **NETWORK & SECURITY**

Security-Groups

ACLS

Elastic IPs

**Placement Groups** 

**Key Pairs** 

**Network Interfaces** 

Secure VPN Connection

Site to site VPN connection

Tunneling

Transit gateways

**Traffic mirroring** 

**VPC Trouble shooting** 

# **AMAZON ROUTE 53**

- What is DNS?
- What is Hosted Zone and Record sets
- Route53 as your DNS service
- Route53 basics
- **Domain Registration**
- **ELB Address Record**
- Different types of routing policies
- Route53 and DNS failover for S3 bucket
- **Health Checks**

#### **EC2 INSTANCE STORE & EBS**

What is Instance Store? How to launch instance with instance store volume

What is EBS?

**EBS Performance** 

Difference between instance store and

Features of Amazon EBS

**Amazon EBS Volumes** 

EBS Ephemeral

**Managing EBS Volumes** 

**Creating and Deleting EBS Volumes** 

**Attaching and Detaching EBS Volumes** 

**Increasing EBS Volumes** 

**Amazon EBS Snapshots** 

**Automatic snapshots** 

**EBS Lifecycle** 

Lifecycle Manager

#### **SIMPLE STORAGE SERVICE (S3)**

- What is object storage?
- What is bucket?
- Storage classes
- Creating and deleting buckets



- Getting an object
- Static website hosting with S3
- Uses of s3 storage
- S3 IAM and Bucket policies
- Working with permissions of S3
- Object versioning
- Object lifecycle
- Bucket cross Region

#### **GLACIER STORAGE**

- Introduction to glacier
- What are vaults
- Creating a glacier vault
- Storing archives in vaults

#### **AMAZON EFS**

- What is Elastic File System?
- What is NFS?
- How to configure in different AZ's
- Mounting Amazon EC2 Instances
- Difference between EBS and EFS
- Understanding Block storage and Object storage
- Understanding file storage and Block storage

# SNOWBALL, SNOWBALL EDGE, SNOW MOBILE

- Data Migration & Transfer
- What is snowball
- How device difference
- Use cases
- Benefits
- Use Case Differences
- Storage Capacity

#### RELATIONAL DATABASE SERVICE (RDS)

What is RDS?

- Working with the RDS
- Deploying database Engine
- RDS security Groups and Connecting to RDS from EC2
- Subnet Groups
- Group Parameters
- MySQL, PostgreSQL, Aurora and Maria DB on RDS
- DD OII IIDS
- Multi AZ's
- RDS Backups
- Snapshots
- Read Replicas

# **AMAZON DYNAMO DB**

- What is NoSQL?
- Creating tables
- views
- Getting started with Dynamo DB
- Local and Global Secondary Indexes
- Dynamo DB overview and Limits
- Provisioned Throughput
- Backups

# **AMAZON ELASTIC CACHE**

- Overview
- Types of caches
- Types of nodes
- Mem cache
- Redis

#### **ELASTIC LOAD BALANCING (ELB)**

- What is ELB?
- Creating a load Balancer
- Load balancer Types
- What is Classic and Application ELB
- Network Load Balancer
- Internal and External load balancer
- Load balancing protocols

- Health check for the load balancer
- Adding multiple instances to the load balancer
- **ELB with Scaling**
- Cross zone Load balancing

#### **AUTO SCALING**

- What is Auto Scaling?
- **Auto Scaling Components**
- CloudWatch metrics
- **Benefits of Auto scaling**
- **Auto Scaling Use cases**
- **Creation of launch Configuration**

# LIGHTSAIL

- What is Lightsail?
- Manage instances
- Virtual private servers with LightSail
- Deploying LAMP stack
- **Deploying other applications**
- **Connecting instances**

#### **LAMBDA**

- What is a serverless?
- What is LABMDA?
- Serverless in aws
- Traditional vs serverless
- Which services do we need?
- **Create function**
- What Lambda supported languages

#### AMAZON CLOUD FORMATION

What is code as Service

- CloudFormation components
- **Cloud Formation Essentials**
- Building AWS Infrastructure as a code
- Building an S3 bucket with cloud formation
- **Deploying aws resources**
- Deploying a website S3 bucket
- Configuration **Deploying VPC**

#### **ELASTIC BEANSTALK**

- **Elastic Beanstalk Essentials**
- Getting started with EB.
- Deploy, manage, scale an application
- **Work flow of Elastic Bean Stalk**
- Components and usage
- Create Application
- **Launch Environment**
- **Manage Environment**
- Creating application source bundle

## **SYSTEMS MANAGER**

- What is systems manager
- **Resource Groups**
- Automation
- Managed instances
- State manager
- **Patch Manager**
- **Session Manager**
- **RESUME PREPARATION ROLES & RESPONSBILITIES**



