# Task #4 – S3

## What to read/watch beforehand

- [AWS docs] What is AWS S3?
  - o read the index article
  - navigate through the rest of the table of contents because you might want to consult it later when facing concrete tech questions
- [AWS docs] Getting started with S3
- [AWS docs] S3 FAQs
- [Video] Introduction to S3
- [Video] An S3 tutorial for beginners
- [AWS docs] Amazon S3 Storage Classes
- [AWS docs] S3 Object lifecycle management
- [AWS docs] S3 Protecting data using encryption.

### What's given

• The IAM roles and users from module 2.

#### What to save money on

• The S3 bucket created in the sub-task 2 for experiments with versioning may be safely removed. It won't be required anymore.

#### What answers to know

- 1. What are buckets in S3?
- 2. What does S3 replication do? What is it for?
- 3. What steps are required to gain AWS CLI access to an S3 bucket?
- 4. How is it possible to control access to S3 resources?
- 5. What are versions in S3? What does it mean to delete an object in S3 when versioning is enabled?
- 6. How is it possible to optimize cost of S3 resources?
- 7. How nested file hierarchies are represented in S3?
- 8. What does S3 store inside its objects?
- 9. Why S3 is better than a physically maintained file server?