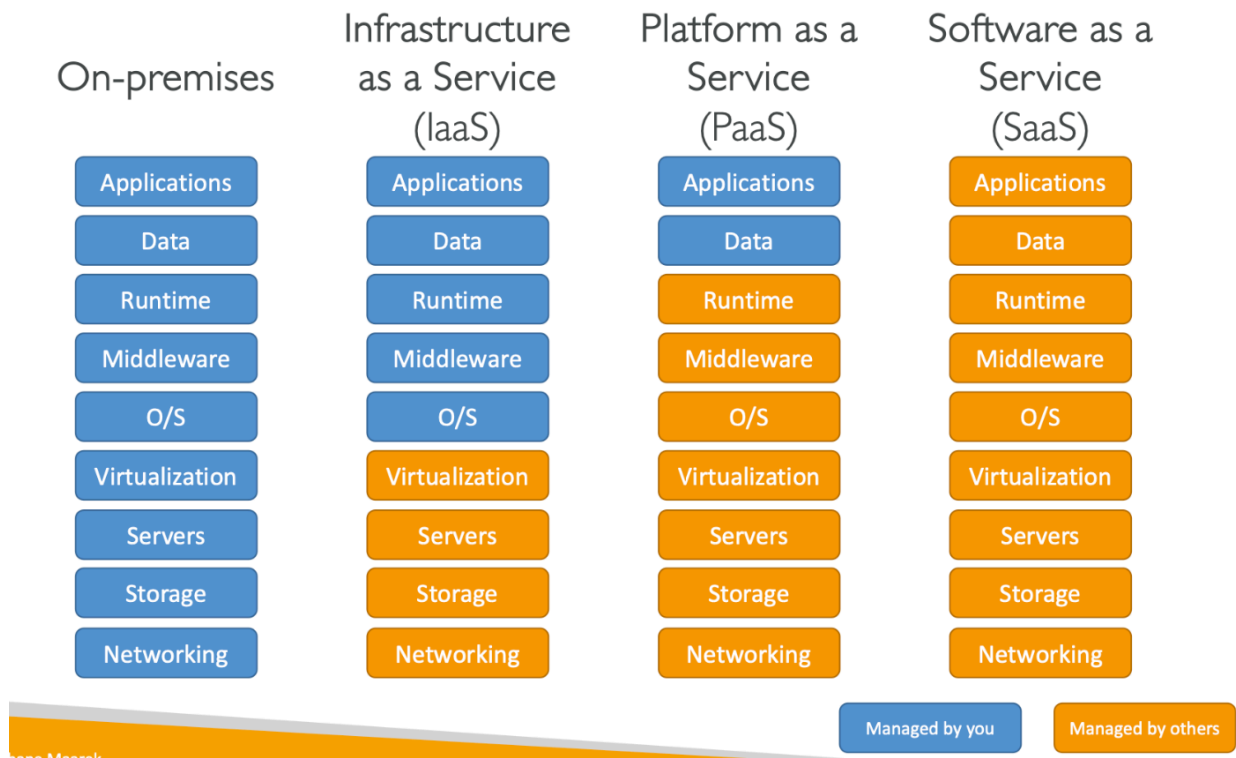


Udemy CCP Notes



- **ELB**: automatically distributes incoming application traffic across multiple resources
 - healthy check
- **SQS: decoupling and scaling of app.** can send, store, and receive messages between software components, without losing messages or requiring other services to be available
- **SNS: decoupling**, publishes messages to subscribers. (Subscribers can be web servers, email addresses, AWS Lambda functions, or several other options.)
- **Lambda**: run code without needing to provision or manage servers.
- Container Orchestration Tool:
 - **ECS**-Elastic Container Service: highly scalable, high-performance container management system that enables you to run and scale containerized applications on AWS.
 - **EKS**-Elastic Kubernetes Service: fully managed service that you can use to run Kubernetes on AWS.
- **Fargate: serverless** compute engine for containers. It works with both Amazon ECS and Amazon EKS.
- **Outposts**: run AWS infrastructure in your own data center
- **CloudTrail**: enables governance, compliance, operational auditing, and auditing of your AWS account.
 - cloudTrail Logs has **encryption default**
 - management events logged default
- **Elastic Beanstalk**: provide code and configuration settings, and Elastic Beanstalk deploys the resources necessary to perform: adjust capacity, load balancing, auto scaling, application health monitoring.
- **CloudFormation**: treat your infrastructure as code, deploy a collection of related resources

- **CloudFront**(CDN) : use Edge locations around the world to cache content for accelerating
- **VPC**: Define and launch AWS resources in a logically **isolated** virtual network
 - support **VPC endpoint gateway** for private connection: **S3, DynamonDB**(data not leave amazon)
 - Internet gateway:
 - **NAT gateway**: managed by AWS
- **VPN**: connection between your data center(on premises) and a VPC.
- **Direct connect**: establish a dedicated **private** connection between your data center(on premises) and a VPC, 1 month to establish

I Both connect **on-premises VPN to AWS**,

- **Site to Site VPN**: **public** internet, connection is **encrypted**
- **Transit Gateway**: connect thousand VPC
- **Control Tower**:
 - run on top of AWS organization.
 - set up and govern a secure and compliant multi-account AWS environment based on best practices
- **Network ACL**(control access list):
 - for subnet, They are stateless and **allow** all inbound traffic by default.
 - **both deny and allow rule!**
 - contains a numbered list of rules and evaluates these rules in the increasing order while deciding whether to allow the traffic

I **both check packet in and out, but SG is stateful, and NACL is**

stateless (<https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/134/play/99519/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials>)

- **Security group**:
 - for instances, They are stateful and **deny** all inbound traffic by default.
 - **only have allow rule!**
- Region has **at least 3 AZ**, each AZ **one or more data center**
- **Route53**(DNS domain name service): translating a domain name to an IP address. Able to use relocation-related routing policies.
 - SIMPLE ROUTING POLICY
 - WEIGHTED ROUTING POLICY
 - LATENCY ROUTING POLICY
 - FAILOVER ROUTING POLICY
- **Example How Route 53 and CloudFront deliver content**: Client request → Route53 translate domain to IP → Client get Ip address → CloudFront(edge locations) → ELB → EC2 instances.
- **EMR**: Hadoop clusters
- **Kendra**: document search service
- **Local Zone**: allow you to use select AWS services run **latency-sensitive applications**
 - extend of region
- **Encryption Automatically enabled**:
 - CloudTrail Logs, S3 Glacier, Storage Gateway
- **Dedicated host** support business **license** and **dedicated instance not**.
- **EFS- Elastic file system**: Multiple instances can access the data in EFS same time, **as long as in same region, EC2**

can access EFS! Auto scales, can access up to 1000 EC2

- **EBS** elastic block store: attach block-level storage volumes for EC2 instances, **EC2 and EBS need to be in the same AZ!**
Not auto scales
 - Database, Enterprise software, file systems
 - mount OS and application files
 - cannot access simultaneously by multiple EC2 instances
- **EBS snapshots**: is an **incremental** backup, which means update items change instead of whole block
 - able to across AZ or region
- **EC2 Instance store**: **high performance, low latency, fault-tolerant architectures, physically attached**, provides temporary **block-level** storage for an Amazon EC2 instance. Terminate = lose data

Object storage consists of data, metadata, key

reservation option: DynamoDB, RDS, EC2

- **S3 standard**: 11-9's%, frequently accessed data, store data in a min of three AZ
- **S3 standard-IA**:
- **S3 Intelligent tiering**: Ideal for data with unknown or changing access patterns
- **S3 One Zone-IA**: in single availability zone
- **S3 Glacier instant retrieval**: data requires immediate access, retrieve objects within a few milliseconds
- **S3 Glacier Flexible Retrieval**: low-cost, within few mins to hours
- **S3 Glacier deep archive**: lowest-cost, retrieve within 12 hours
- **S3 outposts**: Creates S3 buckets on Amazon S3 Outposts, Makes it easier to retrieve, store, and access data on AWS Outposts
- **Storage Gateway**:
 - Hybrid storage service to allow on- premises to seamlessly use the AWS Cloud
 - Tape Gateway, File Gateway and Volume Gateway
 - **encryption auto**
- **AWS Health - Service Health Dashboard** displays the **general** status of AWS services
- **AWS Health - Your Account Health Dashboard** gives you a **personalized** view of the performance and availability of the AWS services underlying your AWS resources.
- **Compute Optimizer**: EBS, Lambda, EC2, ASG
- **Elastic Container Registry**: used to store, manage, and deploy Docker container images
- **ECS**: highly scalable, fast, container management service that makes it easy to run, stop, and manage Docker containers on a cluster
- **QuickSight: BI**, Serverless machine learning-powered business intelligence service to create interactive dashboards
- **Glue**: Serverless, Useful to prepare and transform data for analytics
- **API Gateway**: serverless, scale
- **Lightsail**:
 - simple web app
 - Great for people with little cloud experience
- **CodeStar**: manage software development activities in one place
- **CodeGuru**: automated code reviews and application performance recommendations

- **Macie:** identify and alert you to **sensitive** data, such as personally identifiable information (**PII**)
- Amazon **Detective analyzes:** investigates, and quickly identifies the root cause of security issues or suspicious activities (using ML and graphs)
 - Automatically collects and processes events from VPC Flow Logs
- **RDS:** run relational databases in the AWS Cloud. Business analytics
 - **Supported database engines:** aurora, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MariaDB, Oracle DB, MS SQL server
 - **Aurora serverless:** enterprise-class relational database, compatible with MySQL and PostgreSQL relational databases
 - **Read Replicas: Scale**
 - **Multi-AZ: Failover,** Can only have 1 other AZ as failover
 - **Multi-Region:** Disaster recovery, local performance for global read
- **DynamoDB: serverless** DB, NoSQL, key-value database service, **Auto Scaling**
 - **flexible schema and supports document data models**
 - **DynamoDB global tables(active-active)** replicate data automatically across your choice of AWS Regions and automatically scale capacity to accommodate your workloads
- **Redshift: SQL.** a data warehousing service that you can use for big data analytics
- **DMS** Database migration service: migrate relational databases, non-relational databases, and other types of data stores.
 - **Use cases:**
 - Development and test DB migrations
 - DB consolidation: all into one
 - Continuous replication.
- **Other:**
 - **DocumentDB: Fully managed NoSQL.** document database service that supports MongoDB workloads
 - **Neptune:** a graph database service.
 - **QLDB** Quantum Ledger DB: a ledger database service.
 - **Managed Blockchain:** use to create and manage blockchain networks with open-source frameworks.
 - **ElasticCache: in-memory DB,** adds caching layers on top of your databases to help improve the read times of common requests.
 - **DynamoDB Accelerator:** in-memory cache for DynamoDB
- **MQ:** managed message broker service
- **CloudHSM - Hardware** security Module: generate and use your encryption keys on the AWS Cloud
- **KMS** Key Management services: enables you to perform encryption operations through the use of cryptographic keys
- **Cloud Foundations:** help customers **deploy**, configure, and secure their new workloads while ensuring they are ready for **on-going** operations in the cloud
- **AWS Acceptable Use Policy:** prohibited uses of the web services
- **Shared Responsibility Model:**
 - Both: **AWS and Customer**
 - Patch & Configuration Management, Awareness & Training
 - **AWS:** Security of the cloud
 - Edge Location Management
 - updating firmware
 - Physical and Environmental controls

- **Customer:** Security in the cloud
 - Server-side Encryption
 - Database encryption
 - patch guest OS and app
 - Service and Communications Protection or Zone Security
- **IAM:** enables you to manage access to AWS services and resources securely.
 - **Users** (default user without any permissions): an identity created in AWS
 - **Policies(least privilege):** a document that allows or denies permissions to AWS services and resources.
 - **Groups:** a collection of IAM users. When you assign an IAM policy to a group, all users in the group are granted permissions specified by the policy.
 - **Roles:** an identity that you can assume to gain **temporary** access to permissions. *(When someone assumes an IAM role, they abandon all previous permissions that they had under a previous role and assume the permissions of the new role.)*
- **IAM Credentials report (account-level)**
 - List all account's users and the status of their various credentials
- **IAM Access Advisor(user-level)**
 - Show the service permissions granted to a user and when those service were last accessed
- **MFA:** provides an extra layer of security for your AWS account.
- **Organization:** A central location to manage multiple AWS accounts
 - The AWS account must be able to operate as a standalone account. Only then it can be removed from AWS organizations
 - When creating an org, auto creates a root
 - **SCP** service control policies: **can limit the permission of the root user.** centrally control permissions for the accounts in org.
 - **OU** org units: to manage accounts with similar business or security requirements. *(When you apply a policy to an OU, all the accounts in the OU automatically inherit the permissions specified in the policy.)*
- **Artifact:** provides on-demand access to AWS security and compliance reports and select online agreements.
 - **AWS Artifact Agreements:** can review, accept, and manage agreements for an individual account and for all your accounts in AWS Organizations.
 - **AWS Artifact Reports:** provide compliance reports from third-party auditors
- **DDoS** distributed denial-of-service: a deliberate attempt to make a website or application unavailable to users.
 - **for: EC2, ELB, CDN, Route53, Global Accelerator**
 - **Shield:** protects applications against DDoS attacks.
 - **Shield Standard:** Auto protects all AWS customers at no cost
 - **Shield Advanced:** paid to provide detailed attack diagnostics and the ability to detect and mitigate sophisticated DDoS attacks.
- **System manager:** Hybrid service, deploy security patches at regular monthly intervals automatically.
 - run commands, patch & configure our servers
- **Firewall Manager:** centrally configure and **manage firewall rules across all accounts** in your AWS Organization
- **WAF** web app firewall: monitor network requests that come into your web app.
 - Work with ELB and CloudFront
 - Web ACL, similar with NACL
- **Trusted Advisor:** inspects your AWS environment and provides **real-time** recommendations in accordance with AWS best

practices.

- **Five pillars:** Cost optimization, performance, security, fault tolerance, service limits
- check s3 permission
- MFA for RU
- **Inspector:** improve the **security(network)** and compliance of applications by running automated security **assessments**.
(checks applications for security **vulnerabilities** and **deviations** from security best practices, such as open access to Amazon EC2 instances and installations of vulnerable software versions.)
 - **only** for EC2 instances, Container Images & Lambda functions
- **GuardDuty:** provides **intelligent** threat **detection** for your AWS infrastructure and resources.
- **Athena:** analyze data in S3 using SQL queries
- **CloudWatch:** monitor and manage various metrics and configure alarm actions based on data from those metrics.
 - **MTTR:** Mean time to resolution
 - **TCO:** Total cost of ownership
- **CloudTrail:** records API calls for account(provision, manage, and configure)
- **X-Ray:** analyze and debug **serverless** and distributed applications such as those built using a **microservices** architecture
- **Free Tier:** enables you to begin using certain services without having to worry about incurring costs for the specified period.
 - Types: always free, 12 months free, trials
- **Pricing 3 categories:** Pay for what you use, Pay less when you reserve, Pay less with volume-based discount when you use more
- **Billing Dashboard:** pay your AWS bill, monitor your usage, and analyze and control your costs.
 - **Consolidated billing:** receive a single bill for all AWS accounts in your organization. Default min account is 4.
 - **Budgets:** create budgets to plan your service usage, service costs, and instance reservations.
 - **Cost explorer:** lets you forecast usage up to 12 months, visualize, understand, and manage your AWS **costs and usage over time**.
- **Support Plan:**
 - provide access to guidance, configuration, and troubleshooting of AWS interoperability with third-party software
 - Enterprise, Business
 - lowest price trusted advisor, provides architectural guidance contextual to your specific use-cases, 24x7 contact
 - Business
 - provide access to only core checks from the AWS Trusted Advisor Best Practice Checks
 - Basic, Developer
 - **Basic -**
 - One-on-one responses to account and billing questions
 - Support forums
 - Service health checks
 - Documentation, technical papers, and best practice guides
 - **AWS Developer Support -**
 - testing or doing early development on AWS
 - email-based technical support during business hours
 - only supports general architectural guidance.
 - **AWS Business Support**

- 24x7 phone, email and chat access to technical support and architectural guidance in the context of your specific use-cases.
 - Full access to AWS Trusted Advisor Best Practice Checks.
 - Access to Infrastructure Event Management for an additional fee.
- **AWS Enterprise On-Ramp Support**
 - production/business critical workloads in AWS
 - 24x7 access to technical support and need expert guidance to grow and optimize in the Cloud.
 - supports architectural guidance contextual to your application (one per year).
- **AWS Enterprise Support -**
 - provides customers with concierge - achieve their outcomes and find success in the cloud.
 - 24x7 technical support from high-quality engineers, tools and technology to automatically manage the health of your environment, consultative review and guidance based on your applications,
 - TAM to coordinate access to proactive/preventative programs and AWS subject matter experts.
 - supports architectural guidance contextual to your application.
- **CAF Cloud Adoption Framework: advice to enable a quick and smooth migration to AWS** (<https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/134/play/99519/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials>)
 - **business capabilities:** People, business, governance
 - **technical capabilities:** platform, security, operation
 - Do it before move migration:
 - Leverage agile methods to rapidly iterate and evolve
 - Organize your teams around products and value streams
 - **Business:** ensures that **IT aligns with business** needs and that IT investments link to key business results.
 - **People: connect technology and business.** support development of an org-wide change management strategy for successful cloud adoption
 - **Governance: risk management.** focuses on the skills and processes to align **IT strategy** with **business strategy**, max the business value and min risk
 - **Platform:** includes **principles** and **patterns** for implementing new solutions on the cloud, and migrating on-premises workloads to the cloud.
 - **Security:** ensure that the org meets **security** objectives for visibility, auditability, control, and agility.
 - **Operations:** helps you to enable, run use, operate, and recover IT **workloads** to the level agreed upon with your business stakeholders.
- **Well-architected framework:** ensure AWS workloads and system follow best practices.
 - **Operational excellence:** run and monitor systems to deliver business value and to continually improve supporting processes and procedures.
 - **Security:** protect information, systems, and assets while delivering business value through risk assessments and mitigation strategies.
 - **Reliability:**
 - CloudTrail, CloudWatch, Config
 - **performance efficiency:**
 - **cost optimization:**

- **sustainability**: continually improve sustainability impacts by **reducing energy consumption**
- **Migration Evaluator**: compare current env cost to the cost of running in the AWS cloud
- **Miragtion 7's R**
 - Retire, Retain, relocate, rehost, replatform, repurchase, refactor
- **Step function** : Build serverless visual workflow to orchestrate your Lambda functions
- **Snow Family**: use **OpsHub** managed Snow Family
 - **Snow cone**: 2 CPU, 4GB memory, up to 14 TB
 - **Snowball**: 80 - 210 TB
 - **Snowmobile**: 100 PB
- Other:
 - Amazon Textract is a machine learning service that automatically extracts text and data from scanned documents.
 - Amazon Lex is a service that enables you to build conversational interfaces using voice and text.
 - AWS DeepRacer is an autonomous 1/18 scale race car that you can use to test reinforcement learning models.
- **Config**:
 - access, audit, monitor, and evaluate the configuration of AWS resources.
 - recording compliance of your AWS resources
- **Partner Network**: **third party** support you in AWS cloud