So that **the bucket can function as a website**, run this command (replace my bucket name to your bucket name). This ensure that index.html file will known as the index document:

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[ec2-user@ip-10-200-0-14 static-website]$ aws s3 website s3://maayanaimelak345 --index-document index.html
[ec2-user@ip-10-200-0-14 static-website]$ aws s3 cp /home/ec2-user/sysops-activity-files/static-website/ s3://maayanaimelak345/
--recursive --acl public-read

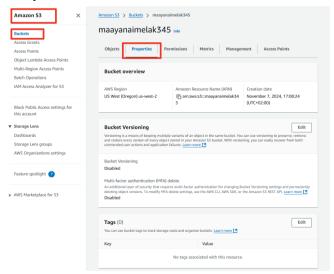
upload: css/styles.css to s3://maayanaimelak345/css/styles.css
upload: images/Coffee-Shop.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Coffee-Shop.png
upload: images/Cookies.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cookies.png
upload: images/Cafe-Owners.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cafe-Owners.png
upload: images/Cafe-Owners.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cafe-Owners.png
upload: images/Coffee-and-Pastries.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Coffee-and-Pastries.png
upload: images/Strawberry-Tarts.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Strawberry-Tarts.png
upload: images/Strawberry-6-Blueberry-Tarts.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cup-of-Hot-Chocolate.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cup-of-Hot-Chocolate.png to s3://maayanaimelak345/images/Cup-of-Hot-Chocolate.png
[ec2-user@ip-10-200-0-14 static-website]$

PRE css/
PRE images/
2024-11-07 15:22:01 2990 index.html
[ec2-user@ip-10-200-0-14 static-website]$
```

To verify that the files were uploaded, run this command (replace my bucket name to your bucket name): To upload the files to the bucket, run this command (replace my bucket name to your bucket name):

notice that the upload command includes an access control list (**ACL**) parameter. this parameter specifies that the uploaded files have public read access. it also includes the recursive parameter, which indicates that all files in the current directory on your machine should be uploaded.

Go to **AWS Management Console**, choose **S3** and then your **bucket name. Click on it**. Choose **Properties** tab:



Scroll down to **Static website hosting**. See that is **Enabled**. running the AWS S3 website AWS CLI command turns on the static website hosting for an amazon s3 bucket. this option is usually turned off by default.

