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Q1. Use S3 bucket and host video streaming?

→ steps to host video on AWS S3 bucket:

1. Download any sample video from the internet.
2. Now ~~break~~ break video into smaller segments so that it can be easily transmitted over the internet.
3. To make smaller chunks ~~are used~~ ^{we would} use ffmpeg tool, the general syntax is `ffmpeg -i <VIDEO-NAME> -profile:v baseline-level 3.0 -start-number 0 -hls-time 30 -hls-list-size 0 -f hls output m3u8`
4. Ensure you download the ffmpeg before executing above command.
5. After that create a new S3 bucket, make it public.
6. Now, change bucket policy to anyone can access.
7. we also need to setup CORS policy so that any endpoint can request for resources of bucket.
8. After setting up ~~all necessary~~ configuration, we need to upload video segments that we had created previously.
9. Create a new folder named 'hls' inside bucket and upload all the video segments in it.
10. Now we would create a simple HTML document that would be hosted on S3 bucket so that video can be played.
11. The HTML file would contain the link on the main playlist of the video segments.
12. Open the link provided inside object properties.
13. The video will start streaming.

Q2. Discuss BMW and Hotstar Case studies with AWS :
→ BMW Case study with AWS :

Background :

BMW is a global automobile manufacturer to offer cutting-edge Connected Car services innovation, with over 100 million connected cars. BMW needed a highly scalable infrastructure to handle the increasing data from their connected cars and provide seamless customer services.

Key challenges :

① Data Handling : BMW's Connected Cars generate a large amount of data. They needed a system that could handle this in real time.

② Global Scalability : BMW needed to scale to serve customers worldwide, providing services like navigation, remote software updates, and infotainment.

③ Agility and Innovation : The company wanted to accelerate innovation by reducing infrastructure management overheads and fostering a DevOps culture.

Solution :

BMW chose AWS to power its Connected Car services, which collect, process, and analyze data from millions of vehicles.

1. Scalable Infrastructure : BMW uses AWS services like Amazon S3, Amazon EC2, and AWS Lambda to store, process, and analyze vehicle data at scale. This helps them efficiently manage huge datasets.

Key challenges:

1. Massive Traffic spikes: Hotstar faces spikes in traffic during live events like the where millions of users stream simultaneously.
2. Low Latency and High Availability: For live streaming, low latency and uninterrupted are critical for user satisfaction.
3. Scalability: Hotstar needed the infrastructure support over 100 million concurrent viewers while maintaining quality streaming.

Solution:

1. Auto-Scaling and Elasticity: Using Amazon EC2 auto-scaling features, Hotstar can dynamically scale resources based on viewer traffic. During live events, Hotstar scales up to handle millions of concurrent viewers.
2. Content Delivery with AWS CloudFront: Hotstar uses Amazon CloudFront to distribute content globally, ensuring low latency and smooth streaming for users in remote areas.
3. Data Analytics: Hotstar uses Amazon Redshift for time data analytics to monitor user engagement during live events. This helps them make real-time adjustments to improve the streaming experience.
4. Database and storage: Hotstar uses Amazon S3 to manage large amounts of structured and unstructured data efficiently.

by Connected vehicles.

2. Data Lakes : Using Amazon S3, BMW built a global data lake to store and analyze terabytes of data from their vehicles in real-time.

3. DevOps and Agility : BMW adapted a microservices architecture with AWS Lambda, enabling faster innovation cycles and reducing time-to-market for new features in their cars.

Results :

Scalability : BMW Successfully Scaled its Connected car platform, supporting over 14 million connected vehicles globally.

Cost Efficiency : AWS's pay-as-you-go model allows BMW to optimize costs while expanding its platform.

Innovation Acceleration : By automating infrastructure management, BMW's engineering team can focus on innovating new features for customers.

Hotstar's Case Study with AWS

Background :

Hotstar (now known as Disney+ Hotstar) is a leading video streaming platform in India, providing live streaming of sports, TV shows, and movies. During major live sports event, like the IPL, Hotstar saw spikes in viewership that need to be handled seamlessly.

Q3. Why Kubernetes and advantages and disadvantages of Kubernetes. Explain How Kubernetes works.

→ Kubernetes is an open-source platform that automates deployment, scaling and management, ~~of~~ of container applications, providing a consistent way to manage workloads across various environments.

Advantages of Kubernetes:

(1) Automated Scaling: Adjusts resources based on demand.

(2) Portability: Runs across any infrastructure (on-premises or cloud).

(3) High availability: Self-heals and ensures uptime.

(4) Load Balancing: Distributes traffic across containers.

(5) Automated updates: Smooth rollouts and rollbacks of applications.

(6) Resource Efficiency: Maximizes hardware usage.

(7) Extensibility: Supports plugins for additional features like monitoring and security.

Disadvantages of Kubernetes:

(1) Complexity: Difficult to learn & set up.

(2) Overhead: Adds resource overhead for small projects.

(3) Requires Expertise: Demands skilled engineering management.

(4) Cost: Can be expensive to operate at scale.

(5) Networking complexity: Customization may be required.

Results :

1. Record-Breaking Concurrency: Hotstar achieved over 25 million concurrent viewers during a single live Sport event, setting a global record.
2. Cost optimization: AWS's auto-scaling features helped Hotstar optimize infrastructure costs by scaling resources up and down based on demand.
3. Reliable streaming Experience: With AWS CloudFront and Elastic Load Balancing, Hotstar maintained low latency and high availability during critical live events, ensuring a smooth viewing experience for millions of users.

Conclusion :

Both BMW and Hotstar have successfully utilized AWS's Scalable and Flexible Cloud services to address their unique challenges :

1. BMW built a Connected car platform that can handle massive amounts of real-time data, accelerating its digital transformation.
2. Hotstar leveraged AWS's elastic infrastructure and Content delivery Services to provide a reliable streaming experience, even during peak traffic events like IPL.

This case studies highlight the versatility of AWS in catering to different industries with unique demands - whether it's connected cars or live sports streaming.

Qn. What are Nagios and explain how Nagios is used in e-services

→ Nagios is an open-source monitoring tool used to oversee the health and performance of systems, networks, and applications. It tracks uptime, resource usage, and service availability, providing alerts via email or SMS when issues arise, allowing for quick resolution to prevent downtime.

Key Features:

- ① Monitoring: Tracks servers, applications, and network devices.
- ② Alerts: Notifies administrators about issues and service outages.
- ③ Performance metrics: Monitors CPU, memory, and network traffic.
- ④ Plugins: Supports custom plugins for extended monitoring.
- ⑤ Web-interface: Provides a user-friendly interface.

Nagios in e-services:

e-services, like e-commerce and online banking, require high uptime and performance. Nagios helps ensure reliability by providing real-time monitoring, proactive alerts, and resource optimization.

- ① Real-Time Monitoring: Tracks the status of

For hybrid or multi-cloud environments.

How Adidas Uses Kubernetes:

Adidas uses Kubernetes to manage its e-commerce platform, providing:

- ① Scalability: Handles traffic spikes during events.
- ② Microservices: Shifts from monoliths to independently deployable services.
- ③ Multi-cloud: Supports a flexible multi-cloud strategy.
- ④ Development Efficiency: Streamlined environments and speeds up releases.
- ⑤ Cost Efficiency: Optimizes resource usage and reduces cloud costs.

Adidas benefits from Kubernetes scalability, flexibility, and efficient resource management to meet global demand and enhance their development process.

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databases, and networks, ensuring smooth operation.

② Proactive Alerts : Sends alerts for issues such as downtime or high resource usage, allowing for immediate response.

③ SLA Monitoring : Ensures compliance with service-level agreements by tracking uptime and performance.

④ Resource Optimization : Helps avoid crashes by monitoring performance.

⑤ Security Monitoring : Detects potential security threats, such as unauthorized access or abnormal traffic.

⑥ Scalability : Easily scales as the e-service grows, supporting larger environments.

⑦ Historical Reporting : Stores data for reporting and future planning.

Example in E-services :

In an e-commerce platform, Nagios monitors web servers, databases, payment gateways, and user transactions, ensuring high availability and performance for customers.

Conclusion :

Nagios ensures reliability and performance in e-services by monitoring infrastructure, providing real-time alerts, and optimizing resource usage, ensuring a seamless user experience.