# Modern Applications on AWS

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## Agenda

- What is App Modernization
- Monolith to Microservices
- Modernization Technology Decisions
  - Architectural Patterns
  - Operational Model
  - Storage
  - Development & Deployment Devops
  - Management & Governance
- Security
- Well-Architected Pillar

## Modern Application – What?

Building applications today and continuously improve this automated, business focused solutions in the future



## Modern Application – Benefits



Faster to Market

Release features faster



Increased rate of innovation

Focus on Business Logic



Reduced costs

**Total Cost of Ownership** 



More reliable applications

Decouple systems

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### Monolith to Microservices - Amazon

Gradually creating events and APIs for various components



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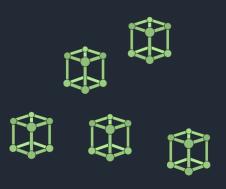
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Amazon.com Today

- 1000+ Microservices
- 100+ Different Databases
- 60+ Million Deployment / year

### What is a Microservice?

- Single Purpose (Monolith does everything)
- Black Boxes to each others
- Communication through APIs
- You build it you run it
- Isolated: Different technology which leads to usage of the right tool



## Technology Decisions for Modernization

Architectural Patterns

Operational Model

Storage

Devops

Management & Governance

### APIs are the front door



- Service communicate with each other
- Front door of microservices
- Avoid Chaos with repository of well described APIs

## API Gateway





Serverless Unified API frontend (EC2, Lambda)



Authenticate and Authorize (E.g. Cognito)



Network protection: Throttling and DDOS



Throttling and monetize API usage

## Event-driven - architecture pattern

Explicitly send to some system



Command

Events: how a system might react to changes.

A process creates an event, services can react on their own



Observable

### Event-driven – new benefits



Event Routers: Loosly coupled, the producer is not aware of the consumers (Abstraction)

AWS Service: EventBridge



Asynchronous Events: No need to wait for a response (Better resilience and responsiveness)



Event Stores: Buffer / Holding until consumers are ready

AWS Services: AWS SQS, Amazon MQ



Easy Extension or Modification in the future

## Amazon EventBridge



EventBridge

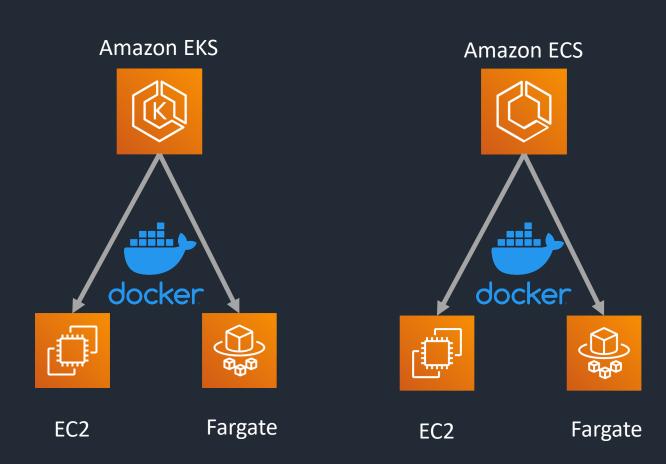
Serverless bus service

- Fully managed and serverless
- Integrate with AWS Services and Saas providers (Zendesk, MongoDB)
- Easily build event-driven architecture
- Cost optimized
- 17+ target Services

### Microservices - Containers

**Orchestration Tools** 

Launch Type



## Operational Model – Heavy Lifting



**Physical Machines** 



Virtual Machines



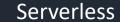


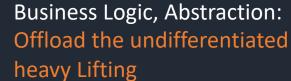


**AWS Fargate** 



**AWS Lambda** 





## Operational Model – Heavy Lifting

Less responsibilities









#### Amazon EC2

 Physical hardware software, networking, and facilities

#### ECS / EKS

- Container orchestration control plane
- Physical hardware software, networking, and facilities

#### **AWS Fargate**

- Container orchestration, provisioning
- Cluster scaling
- Physical hardware, host OS/kernel, networking, and facilities

#### **AWS Lambda**

- Data source integrations
- Physical hardware, software, networking, and facilities
- Provisioning

### Application code

**AWS** 

You

- Data source integrations
- Security config and updates, network config
- Provisioning, managing scaling and patching of servers

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## Operational Model – AWS do the Heavy Lifting

Less Operational Load for all workloads with Managed services



Amazon DynamoDB



Amazon S3



Amazon Athena



Amazon SQS



**Amazon SNS** 

## Operational Model – Serverless

Achieve the maximum value from the Cloud



No Server to manage



Auto Scaling out of the box



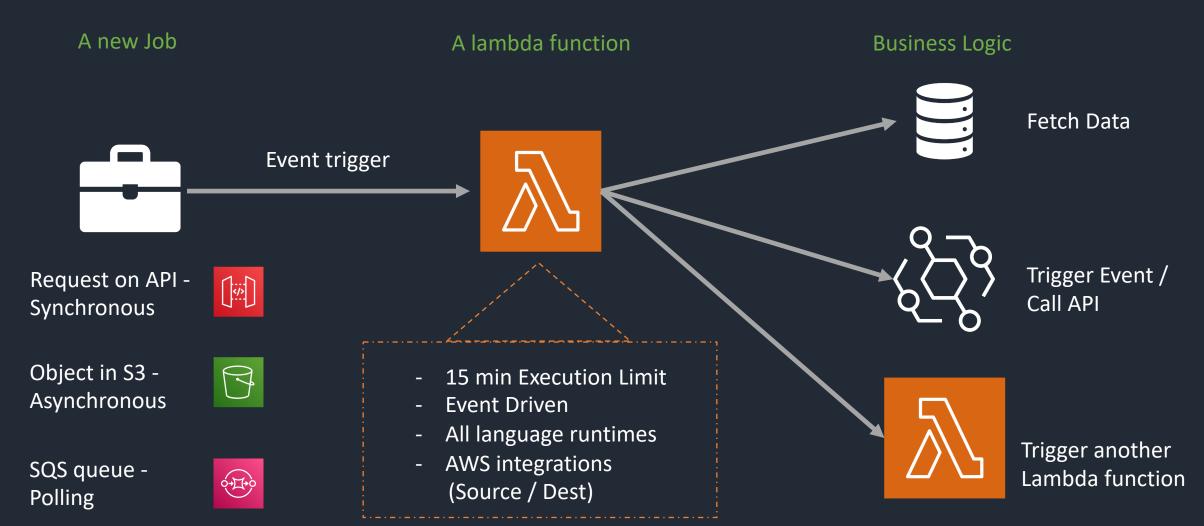
Pay for usage



High Availability and less operations

- Build and Think in Business not Infrastructure
- Operate on Business Events (e.g. cart order) and not run rate

### Lambda – Event Based



### AWS Lambda

Web Apps Backend **Data Processing** Chatbots Amazon Alexa **IT Automation Amazon Cloudwatch** Amazon S3 Amazon DynamoDB AWS CodeCommit A lot more... Amazon API Gateway **AWS IoT Amazon SNS** 

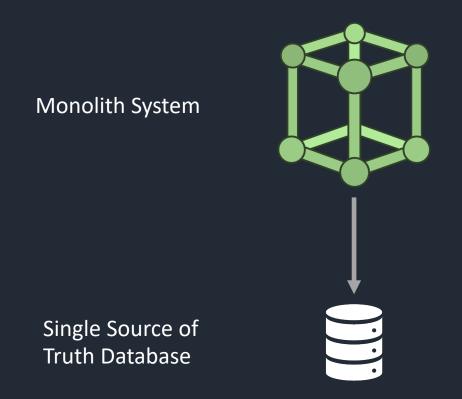
### Orchestration

15 min execution with event trigger shows limits: Complex Logic, Long running job, Try/catch

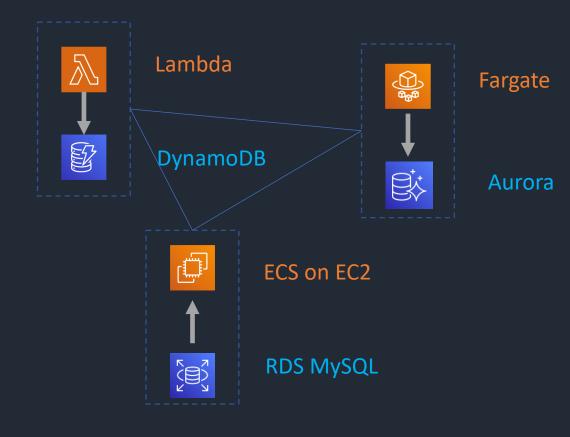


- Orchestrate complex job
- Integration with other AWS services
- Define in JSON
- Visualize in Console
- Monitor Executions

## Data management – Right tool for the job



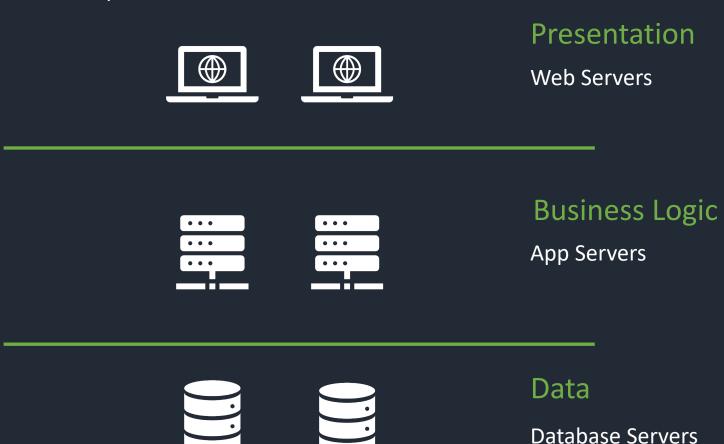
**Problems:** Scalability and Fault Tolerance



Loosly coopled, own scalability, reliability, security +15 purpose built DB

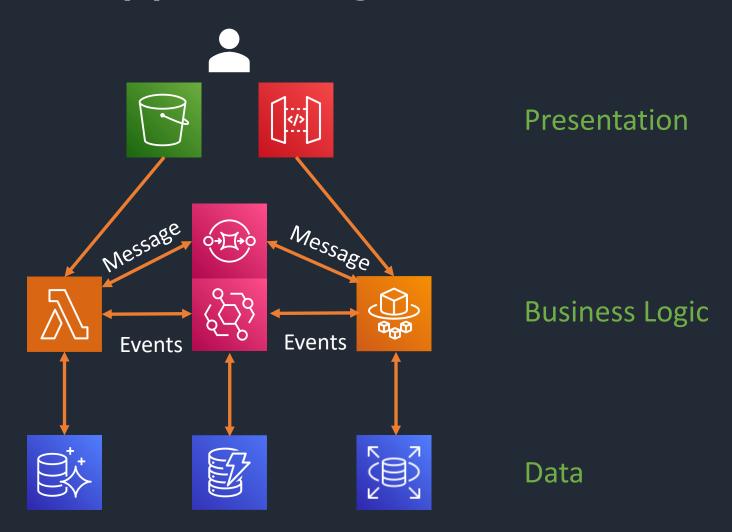
## Traditional three-tier app

Separation of Skills and Responsibilities

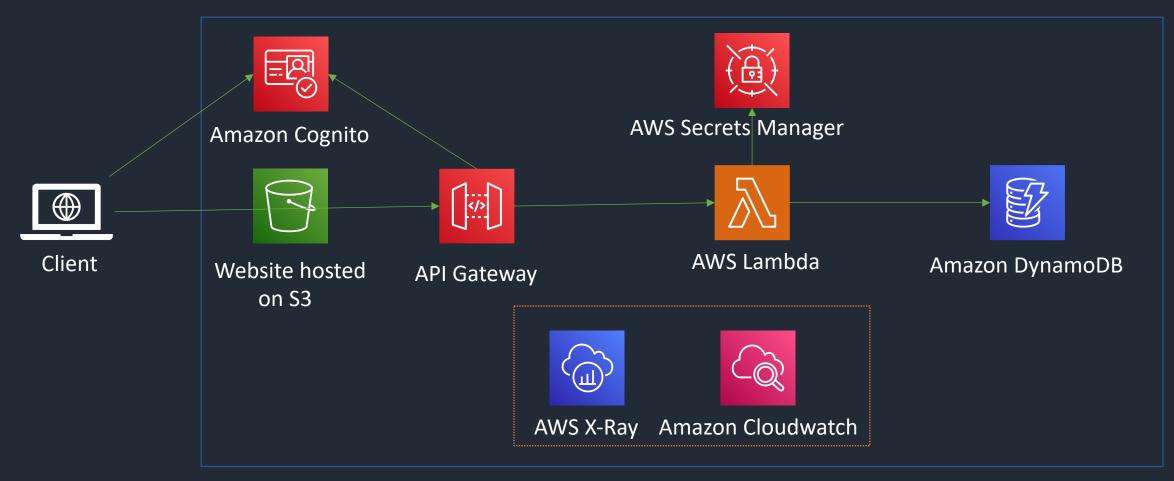


## Modern three-tier app – a single microservice

- APIs Communication
- Stateless
- Purpose Built Databases
- Events + Queues = Loosly coupled& Scalability



## Modern three-tier app – REST example



## Devops – Developer Tools







Amazon CodeBuild



Amazon CodeDeploy



Amazon CodePipeline

You Build it you Run it - Pipeline

## Devops – Developer Tools



Amazon CodeStar



AWS Command Line



**AWS Cloud9** 



**AWS SDK** 

### AWS Infrastructure as Code

#### **AWS CloudFormation:**

- Infrastructure as code
- Easy to provision and manage a collection of related AWS resources
- Input .yaml file and output provisioned AWS resources
- Optimized for infrastructure

#### **AWS SAM:**

- CloudFormation extension optimized for serverless
- New serverless resources: functions, APIs, and tables
- Supports anything CloudFormation supports

#### **AWS Cloud Development Kit (CDK):**

- Programming output in Cloudformation stack
- Supports TypeScript, JavaScript, Python, Java, and C#/.Net



## Framework Amplify



#### **Amplify Framework**

Develop using Amplify Framework. Use components together or on their own.



#### **Configure Your Backend**

Use the Amplify CLI to create a new AWS backend or bring your own AWS backend.



#### **Connect to your App**

Use Amplify Libraries to connect your cloud backend to your app.



#### **Integrate UI Components**

Accelerate app development with Amplify UI components.

## Benefits of Modern App



Scales to millions of users



Global availability

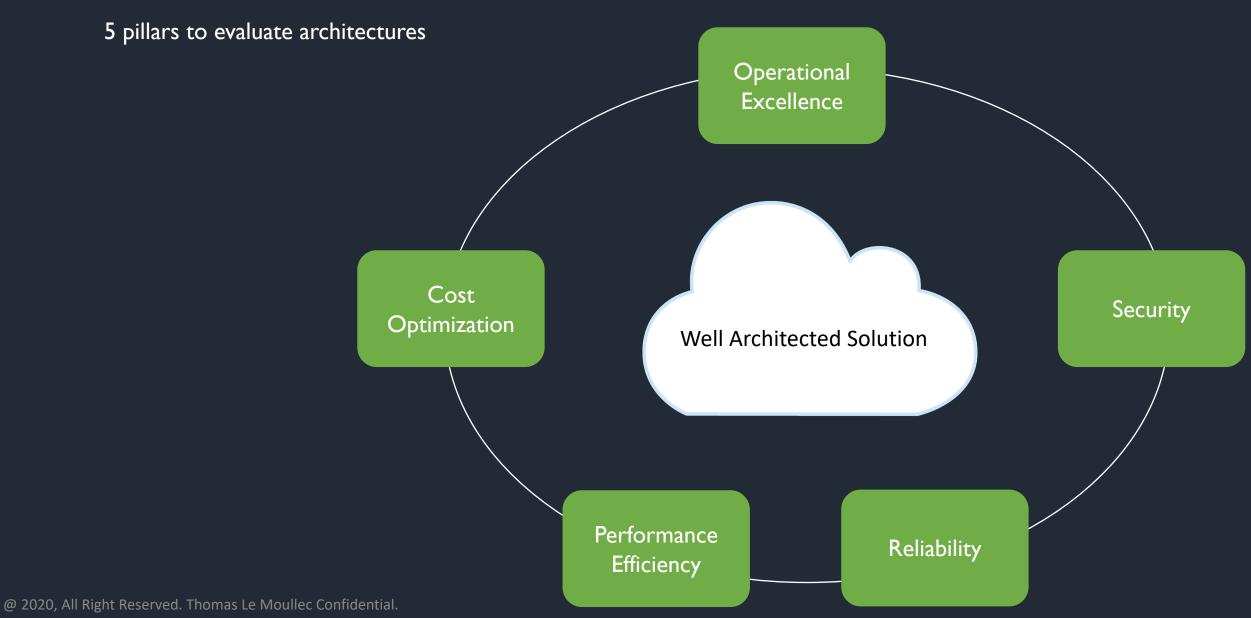


Responds in milliseconds



Handles petabytes of data

### Well Architected Framework



## Thank you!

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