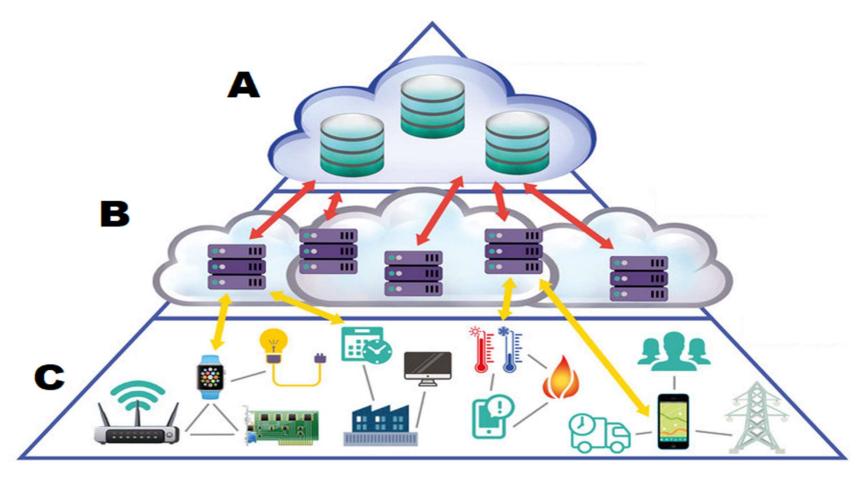
Cloud Computing

Module 1

Review



- 4. Edge Computing 5. Dew Computing
- 1. Mist Computing 2. Fog Computing 3. Cloud Computing

A Simple Example

- ABC Corporation is an e-commerce company
- They have traditionally hosted their website on an on-premise server
- Recently, they have been getting a lot of business
- Their IT head, Bob, observes that their server sometimes operates very near its capacity
- What options does Bob have?



Two Options

Horizontal Scaling

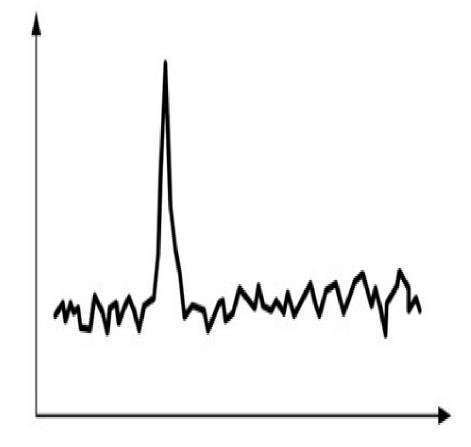
- Add more systems to handle the extra load
- Usually less expensive in the long run
- No downtime
- Potentially unlimited scaling

Vertical Scaling

- Upgrade the existing system
- Usually expensive in the long run
- Possible downtime
- There is a limit to which scaling can be done

But what if...

- But what if the website only shows a spike in usage during holiday season?
- If you upgrade, your new hardware remains unused most of the year
- If you don't upgrade, the company loses out on important revenue



Secret Option

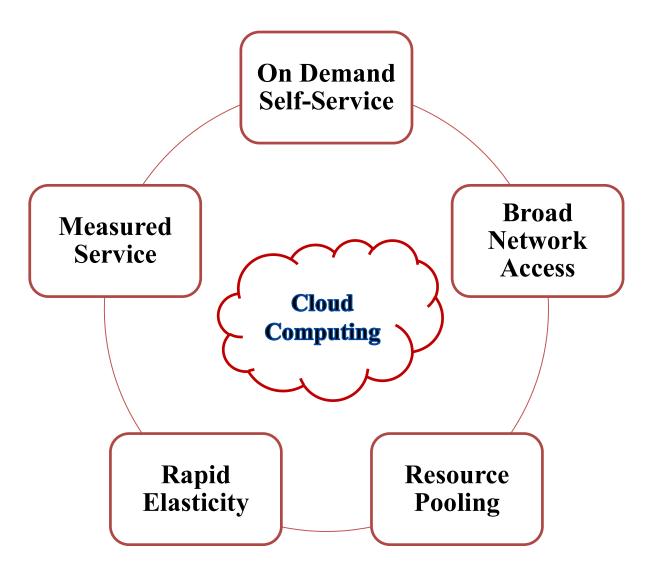
- Bob decides to move their business to the cloud
 - Automatic scaling when usage increases
 - When usage decreases, the server resources are scaled back
 - No upfront capital cost
 - Pay only for the resources that are used



NIST Definition of Cloud Computing

"Cloud computing is a model for enabling ubiquitous, convenient, on-demand network access to a shared pool of configurable computing resources (e.g., networks, servers, storage, applications, and services) that can be rapidly provisioned and released with minimal management effort or service provider interaction".

Essential Features of Cloud Computing



Contd...

1. On Demand Self – Service

- Resources can be provisioned and released when needed
- No need for human interaction

2. Broad Network Access

- Resources can be accessed over the network
- Any device smartphone, tablet, laptop, thin client, PC etc.

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3. Resource Pooling

 Service provider has a pool of resources that can be allocated and deallocated to customers

4. Rapid Elasticity

- Resources can be allocated on the fly
- Customers get an illusion of unlimited resources

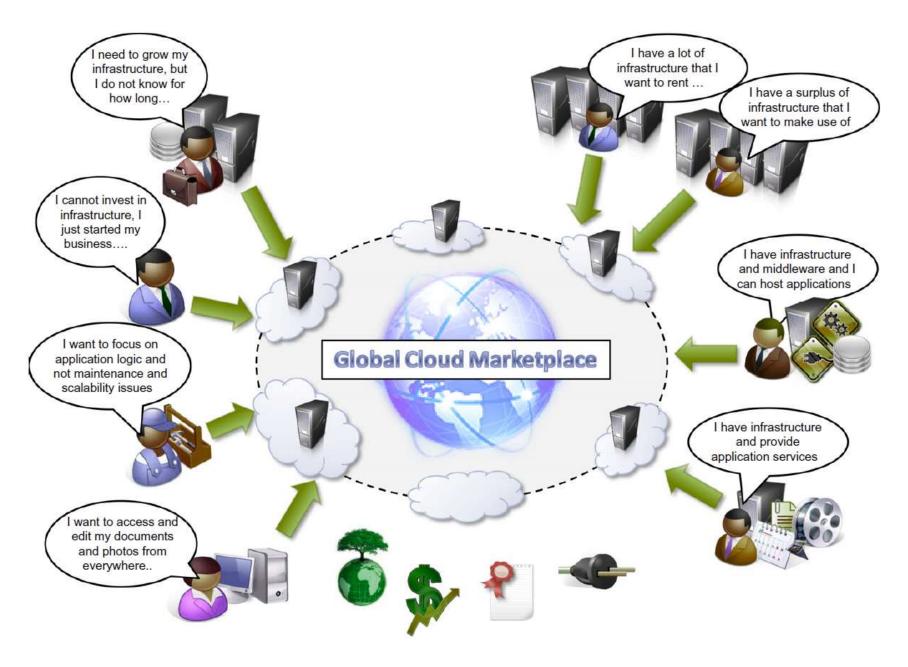
5. Measured Service

Pay per use

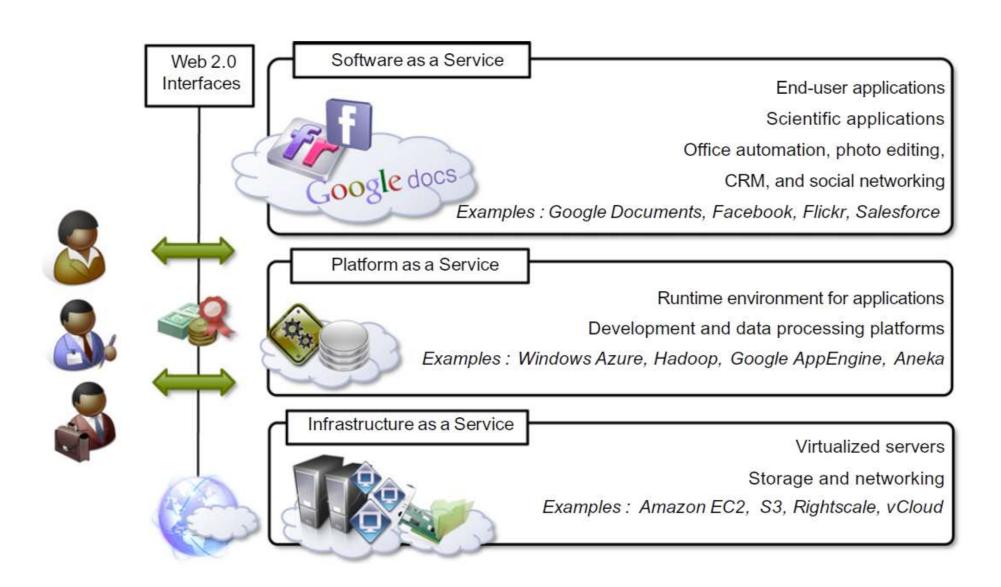
SLA – The Warranty for Cloud Services

- SLA (Service Level Agreement) is a bond for performance negotiated between the cloud services provider and the client
 - Availability and Performance
 - Security / privacy of the data
 - Disaster Recovery expectations
 - Location of the data
 - Access and portability to the data
 - Process to identify problems and resolution expectations
 - Dispute mediation process (e.g. escalation process, consequences)
 - Exit Strategy with expectations on the provider to ensure smooth transition

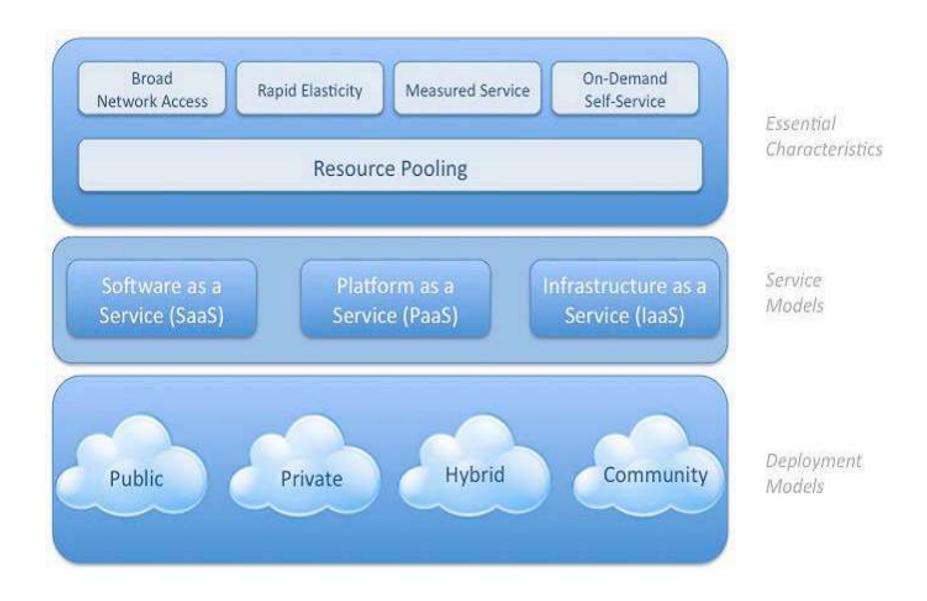
Cloud Computing Vision



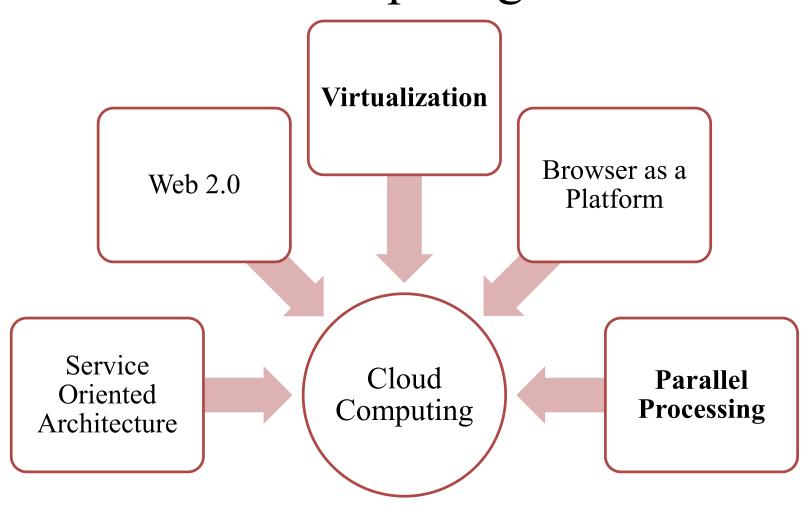
Cloud Computing Reference Model



NIST Visual Model



Enabling Technologies for Cloud Computing



Virtualization

- Virtualization is a core technology for cloud computing.
- Virtualization is essentially a technology that allows creation of different computing environments.
- These environments are called virtual because they simulate the interface that is expected by a guest.
- The most common example of virtualization is hardware virtualization.
- This technology allows simulating the hardware interface expected by an operating system.
- Hardware virtualization allows the coexistence of different software stacks on top of the same hardware.
- These stacks are contained inside virtual machine instances, which operate in complete isolation from each other.

Web 2.0

- The Web is the primary interface through which cloud computing delivers its services.
- Web 2.0 enables developers to architect applications and deliver services through the Internet.
- Web 2.0 brings interactivity and flexibility into Webpages.
- These capabilities are obtained by integrating a collection of standards and technologies such as XML, Asynchronous JavaScript and XML (AJAX), Web Services, and others.
- Examples of Web 2.0 applications are Google Documents, Google Maps, Flickr, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, de.li.cious, Blogger, and Wikipedia.

Service Oriented Computing

- Service orientation is the core reference model for cloud computing systems.
- This approach adopts the concept of services as the main building blocks of application and system development.
- It supports the development of rapid, low-cost, flexible, interoperable, and evolvable application and systems.
- A service is supposed to be loosely coupled, reusable, programming language independent, and location transparent.
- Service-oriented computing introduces and diffuses two fundamental concepts to cloud computing: Quality of Service (QoS) and Software-as-a-Service (SaaS).
- Quality of service (QoS) identifies a set of functional and nonfunctional attributes that can be used to evaluate the behavior of a service from different perspectives