Serverless Feedback Collection System using AWS

Aim:

To build a simple serverless feedback collection system using core AWS services like S3, API Gateway, Lambda, and DynamoDB that can accept user feedback through a web form and store it securely in a database without requiring any backend server.

Problem Statement:

Collecting user feedback usually requires hosting a backend server, setting up a database, and managing infrastructure. This increases cost and complexity. A serverless approach simplifies deployment by using AWS managed services, offering a reliable and low-maintenance alternative for real-time feedback collection.

Key Benefits:

- **Serverless Architecture** — No servers to maintain or configure.
- **Cost-Effective** — Pay only for usage (Lambda invocations, API calls).
- **Easy to Deploy** — Minimal configuration with AWS Console.
- **Real-time Storage** — Feedback saved instantly in DynamoDB.
- **Browser-Friendly** — Form hosted directly via S3 as a static site.
- **Built-in Monitoring** — CloudWatch logs used for debugging.

AWS Services Used:

Core Services:

- **Amazon S3** – Hosts the static HTML feedback form.
- **Amazon API Gateway** – Provides the HTTP endpoint for form submission.
- **AWS Lambda** – Processes form data and stores it into DynamoDB.
- **Amazon DynamoDB** – Stores feedback entries.

Supporting Services:

- **AWS IAM** – Manages permissions between Lambda and DynamoDB.
- **Amazon CloudWatch** – Logs Lambda events for debugging.

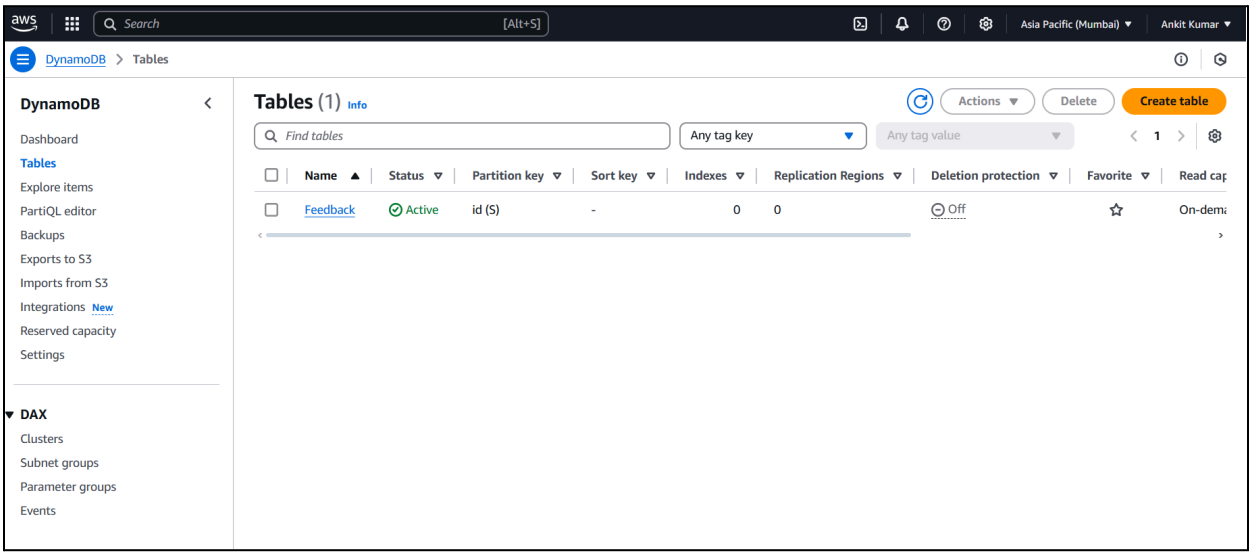
Project Workflow:

1. Users access the feedback form via an S3-hosted webpage.
2. On form submission, JavaScript sends a POST request to API Gateway.
3. API Gateway triggers a Lambda function.
4. Lambda parses the feedback and inserts it into a DynamoDB table.

Implementation Steps:

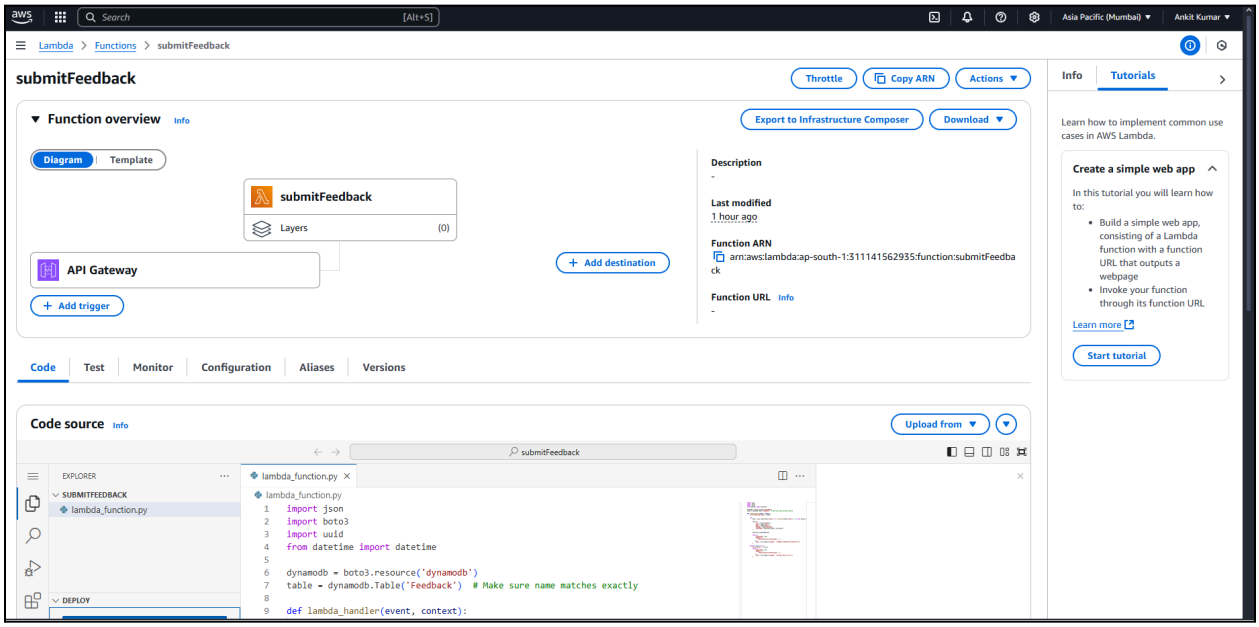
1. Create DynamoDB Table

- **Table Name:** Feedback
- **Primary Key:** id (String)



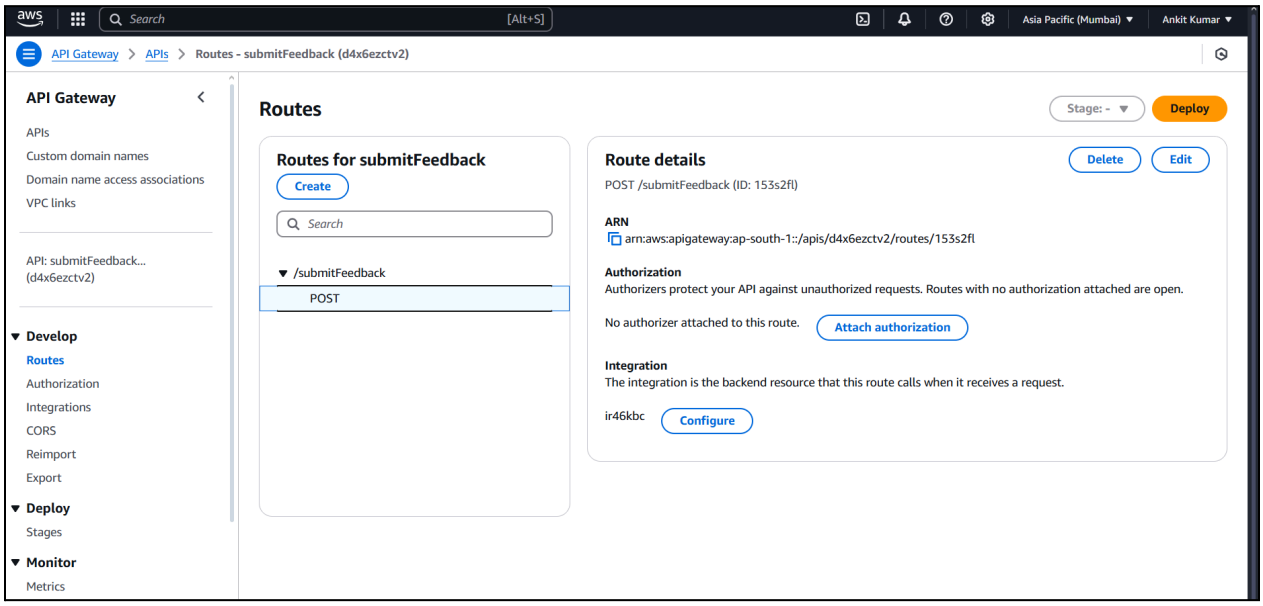
2. Lambda Function

- Parses request body (JSON)
- Generates id and timestamp
- Inserts item into DynamoDB



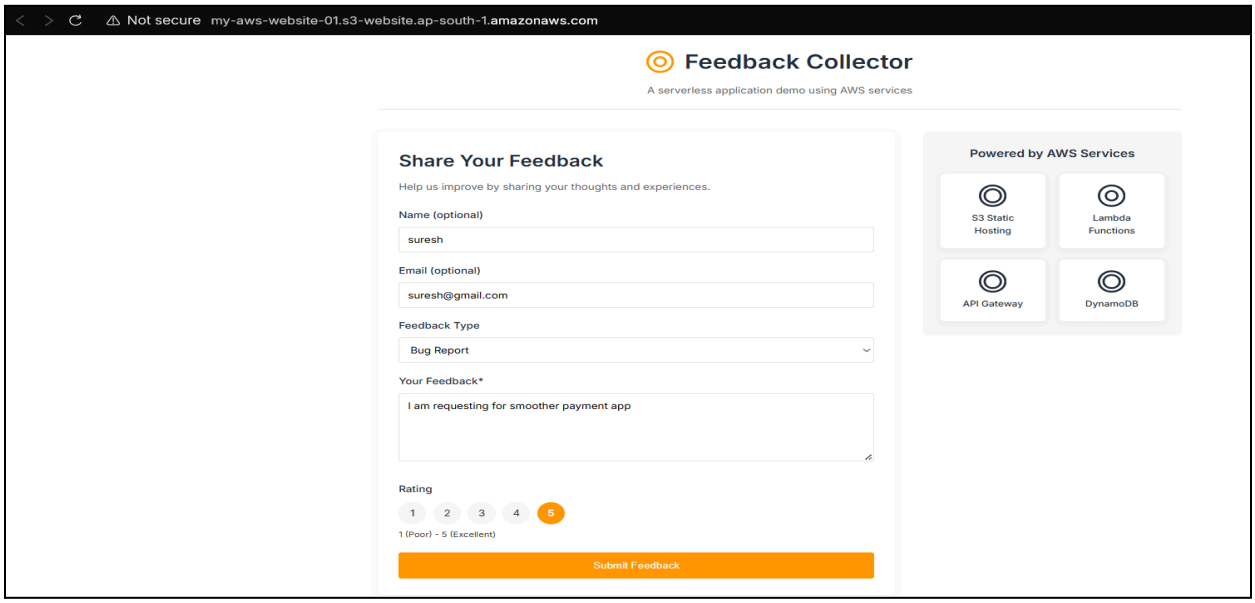
3. Configure API Gateway

- **Route:** POST /submitFeedback
- **Integration:** Lambda function
- **CORS Enabled** for browser access

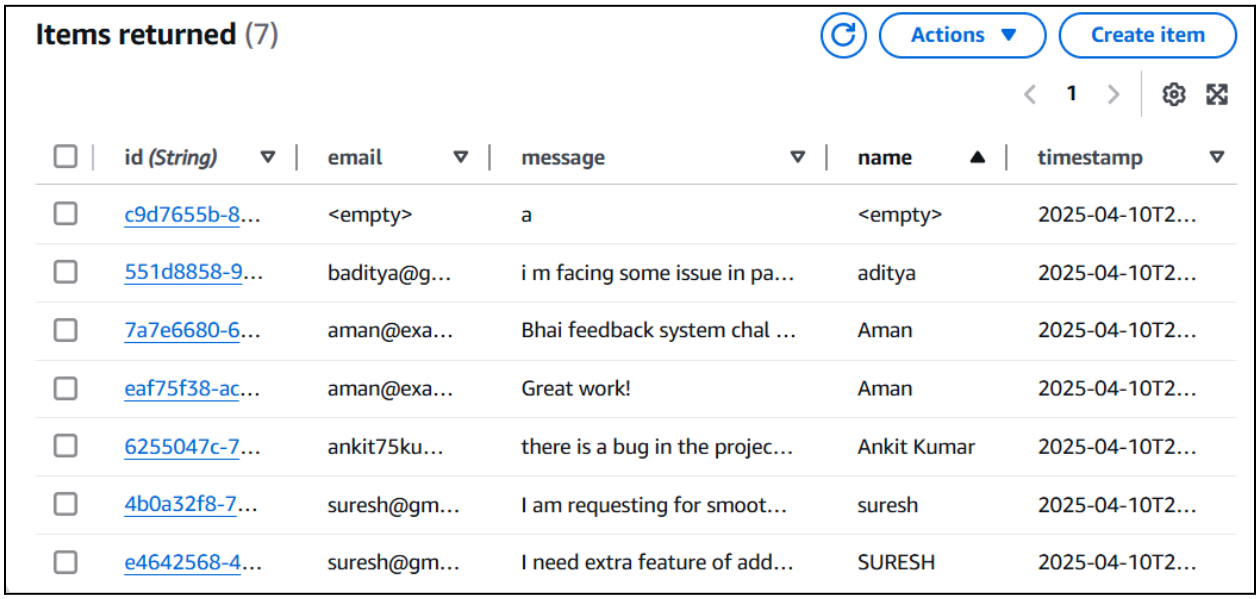


4. Uploaded index.html to S3

- Static website hosting enabled
- Web Page uses fetch() to submit data to the API Gateway endpoint



5. Data entered via our portal of feedback mechanism.



Items returned (7)

Actions | Create item

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id (String)	email	message	name	timestamp
c9d7655b-8...	<empty>	a	<empty>	2025-04-10T2...
551d8858-9...	baditya@g...	i m facing some issue in pa...	aditya	2025-04-10T2...
7a7e6680-6...	aman@exa...	Bhai feedback system chal ...	Aman	2025-04-10T2...
eaf75f38-ac...	aman@exa...	Great work!	Aman	2025-04-10T2...
6255047c-7...	ankit75ku...	there is a bug in the projec...	Ankit Kumar	2025-04-10T2...
4b0a32f8-7...	suresh@gm...	I am requesting for smoot...	suresh	2025-04-10T2...
e4642568-4...	suresh@gm...	I need extra feature of add...	SURESH	2025-04-10T2...

Conclusion:

This project demonstrates a lightweight serverless solution for real-time feedback collection. It uses a combination of AWS services with minimal configuration and no server hosting, making it ideal for academic demos, simple internal tools, or prototype applications.

Use Cases:

- Mini projects & college demos
- Event or course feedback collection
- Internal suggestion boxes
- AWS learning projects