

Load Balancer

Load Balancer — Why Needed?

◆ Simple Answer (One Line)

👉 Load Balancer multiple servers-এর মধ্যে incoming traffic ভাগ করে দেয়

যাতে কোনো একটায় বেশি চাপ না পড়ে।

Real-Life Analogy

Restaurant example:

- অনেক customer আসে
- একটাই waiter হলে slow হবে
- Head waiter (Load Balancer) customer ভাগ করে দেয়

👉 Result: Fast service, no chaos

Without Load Balancer (Problem)

Client

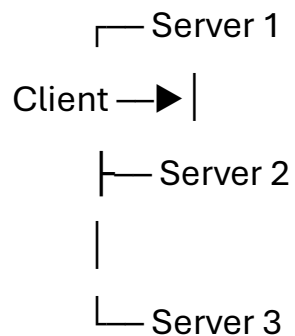
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Server ( overloaded)

- ✗ Server crash
- ✗ Slow response
- ✗ Downtime

✚ With Load Balancer (Solution)



- ✓ Even traffic distribution
- ✓ High availability
- ✓ Scalability

🎯 Why FAANG Systems NEED Load Balancer

1. Traffic Distribution

- Thousands / millions request
- Load evenly spread হয়

2. High Availability

- 1 server down?
- Load balancer automatically skip করে

📌 Interview line:

“Load balancer removes single point of failure.”

3. Scalability

- New server add করলেই traffic যাবে
- Client কিছু জানে না

📌 “Horizontal scaling becomes easy.”

4. Better Performance

- Less server overload
- Lower latency

5. Security (Bonus)

- Server IP hide
- Rate limiting
- DDoS protection

🍔 Food Delivery App Example

Lunch time:

- 1 million users order করছে
- Order service spike

👉 Load balancer:

- Order request multiple instances-এ ভাগ করে

- App crash হয় না

Interview-Ready Summary

Problem	Without LB	With LB
Traffic	Overload	Balanced
Server failure	System down	Auto recover
Scaling	Hard	Easy
Latency	High	Low

FAANG Golden Sentence

এই sentence মুখস্থ রাখো:

“Load balancer distributes traffic, improves availability, and enables horizontal scaling.”

One-Line Summary

Load Balancer = Traffic manager of your system