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Performance Efficiency Pillar

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Resources:

Website:

<https://aws.amazon.com/architecture/well-architected/>

Whitepaper



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Download the Performance Efficiency whitepaper [PDF](#) | [Kindle](#)

Resources:

HTML Version of Performance Pillar:

<https://wa.aws.amazon.com/wat.pillar.performance.en.html>

Design Principal:



Democratize advanced technologies

Go global in minutes

Use server-less architectures

Experiment more often

Mechanical sympathy

Definitions:



Selection

Review

Monitoring

Trade-offs

Selection

- Compute
 - Instances
 - Containers
 - Functions
 - Elasticity
- Storage
- Database
 - OLTP
 - NoSQL
 - OLAP
 - Data Indexing and searching
- Network

Selection

- Compute
 - EC2 → GPU? FPGA? Burstable? HPC?
 - ECS, EKS, Fargate
 - Lambda + APIGateway
- Storage
 - EBS, EFS, EC2 instance store, Glacier
- Database
 - RDS
 - DynamoDB, DAX
 - Redshift, S3, Athena
 - ES
- Network
 - Route53, VPC, CloudFront, DirectConnect

Definitions:



Selection

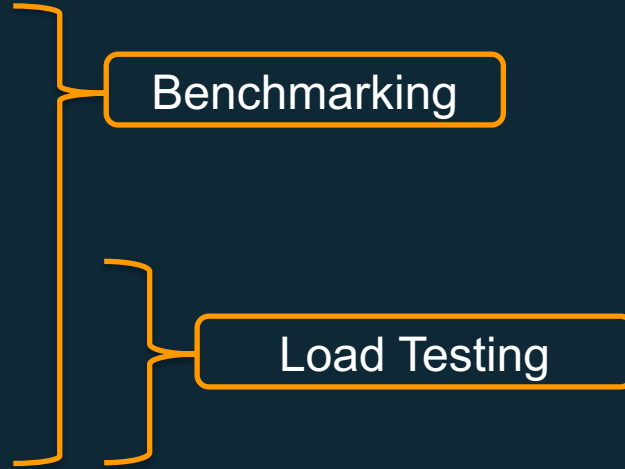
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- Infrastructure as code
- Deployment pipeline
- Well-defined metrics
- Performance test automatically
- Load generation
- Performance visibility
- visualization



→ CodeDeploy, CloudFormation, CloudWatch

Definitions:



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Monitoring

- Active
 - You setup and collect in every environment
- Passive
 - Collected from outside of your system
 - Understand user experience performance
 - Geographically performance variability
 - The impact of API use
- Phases

Generation → Aggregation → Real-time processing and alarming → Storage → Analytics

→ CloudWatch, S3, EMR

Definitions:



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Trade-offs

- Caching
 - Application Level
 - Database Level
 - Geographic Level
- Partitioning or Sharding
- Compression
- Buffering

Q: How did you select your storage solution?

Considered Characteristics

Options no Explored

Considered Configuration Options

Have not Considered Configuration Options to Improve Performance

Considered Access Patterns

Have not Considered Access Patterns to Improve Performance



Q&A

Thank you!