## Kinesis Producers

- Puts data records into data streams
- Data record consists of:
  - Sequence number (unique per partition-key within shard)
  - Partition key (must specify while put records into stream)
  - Data blob (up to I MB)
- Producers:
  - AWS SDK: simple producer
  - Kinesis Producer Library (KPL): C++, Java, batch, compression, retries
  - Kinesis Agent: monitor log files
- Write throughput: I MB/sec or 1000 records/sec per shard
- PutRecord API
- Use batching with PutRecords API to reduce costs & increase throughput