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Top 5 patterns to unblock complex relational database migrations

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Agenda

Introduction

Challenges with complex migrations

Design to address complex migration

Q&A

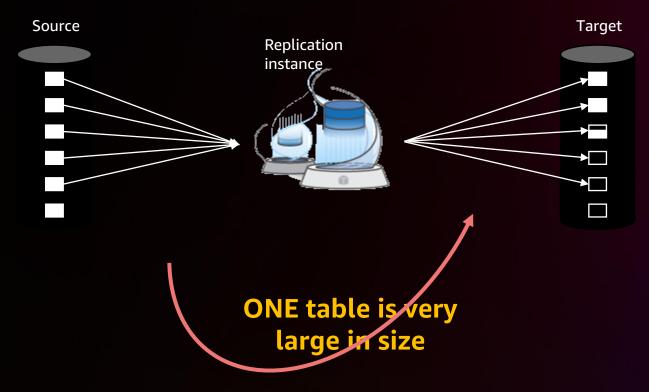
Summary



Pattern – 1 Migrating Large Dataset



Problem Statement





Using Row Filtering in DMS





Leveraging DMS Parallel Full Load - Partitioned Table

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Leveraging DMS Parallel Full Load - Non Partitioned Table

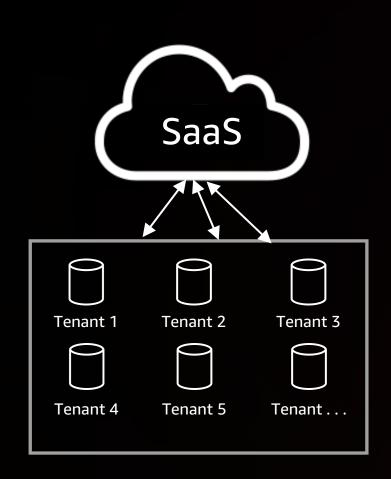
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Pattern – 2 Design for database-level multi-tenancy



Multi-tenant applications migration Challenges



Thousands of end users, each with their own database, different traffic pattern

How to scale a tenant independently?

How to do tenant level migration?

How to solve noisy neighbor problem?

How to backup restore a tenant?



Amazon Aurora Serverless v2



On-demand and autoscaling configuration

Automatically scales capacity based on application needs

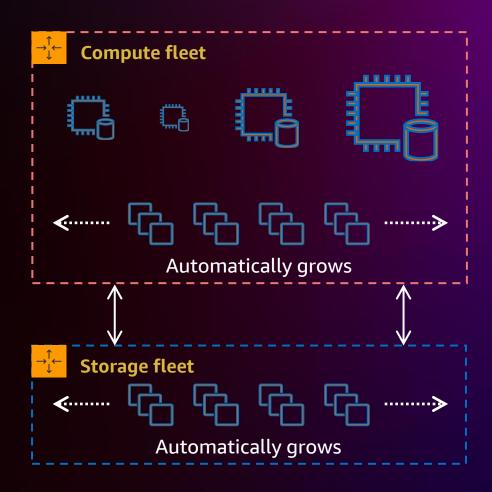
Simple pay-per-use pricing per second

Next version scales instantly to support demanding applications

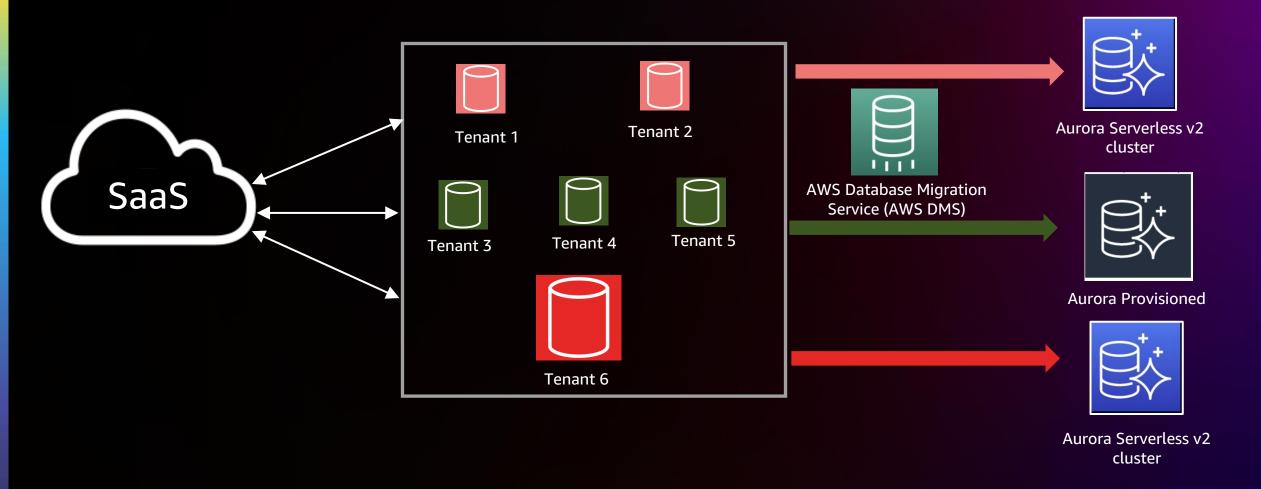
Worry-free database capacity management

Instant, in-place scaling

- Scales in place in under a second by adding more CPU and memory resources
- No impact due to scaling even when running hundreds of thousands of transactions
- Compute fleet continuously monitored and scaled horizontally for heat management
- Background movement of idling instances while preserving state (e.g., buffer pool, connections)
- Up to 15x faster scale downs



Choosing the right target database?



Pattern - 3 Migrating Third party App



Amazon RDS Custom (Managing Databases)

MANAGED CLOUD DATABASE SERVICE

On-premises

High availability

Backups

Patching

Scaling

Hardware

EC₂

High availability

Backups

Patching

Scaling

Hardware

RDS Custom

High availability

Backups

Patching

Scaling

Hardware

RDS

High availability

Backups

Patching

Scaling

Hardware

You manage

Shared responsibility

> **AWS** manages

NO MANAGEMENT

Host-level access and full database permissions Allows features not currently supported by RDS

FULL MANAGEMENT

Allows 3rd-party applications on the database host



Use Cases

Custom & Packaged Business Applications

Customers looking to install applications directly on the host or applications that require elevated privileges

Example: Customer looking to migrate their Oracle ERP application

Lift and Shift

Customers looking to migrate to a managed service without making any changes to the application

Example: Customer looking to migrate using native DB technologies like RMAN

Granular Control

Customers looking to install custom drivers or enable features that require elevated privileges

Example: Customers looking to utilize features likes DB Vault and Flashback

Disaster Recovery

Customers looking to setup DR from self-managed environments

Example: Customer looking to set up Data Guard Stand-By in the cloud



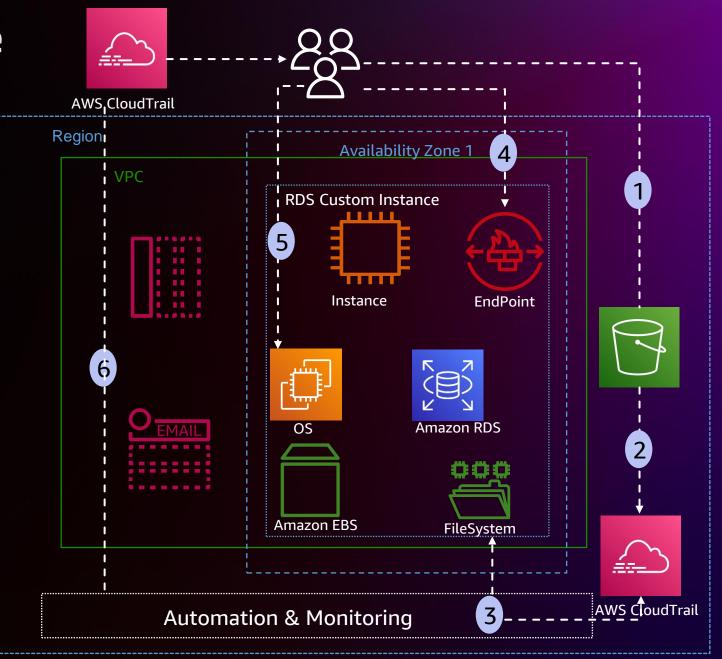
RDS Custom Architecture

DB Instance deployed to customer VPC

Full access with sysdba privileges for Oracle and root access to OS

SSH access to database EC2 instance

SSM Agent, Amazon CloudWatch Agent & Amazon RDS Custom Agent on RDS Custom DB instance



Pattern – 4 Design for Operational excellence



Operational Challenges

Database major version upgrades

Test schema changes with minimal impacts [New Column, Index]

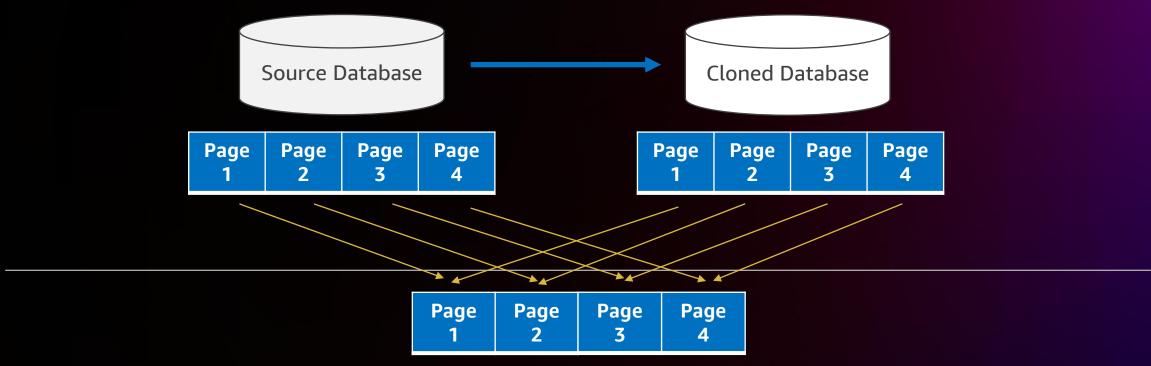
Test new Application version requiring several Database changes

Performance optimization [Index rebuild, Table reorganization]



Aurora Fast database cloning

Create a copy of a DB cluster (storage volume) without duplicate storage cost Creation is fast – we don't physically copy data

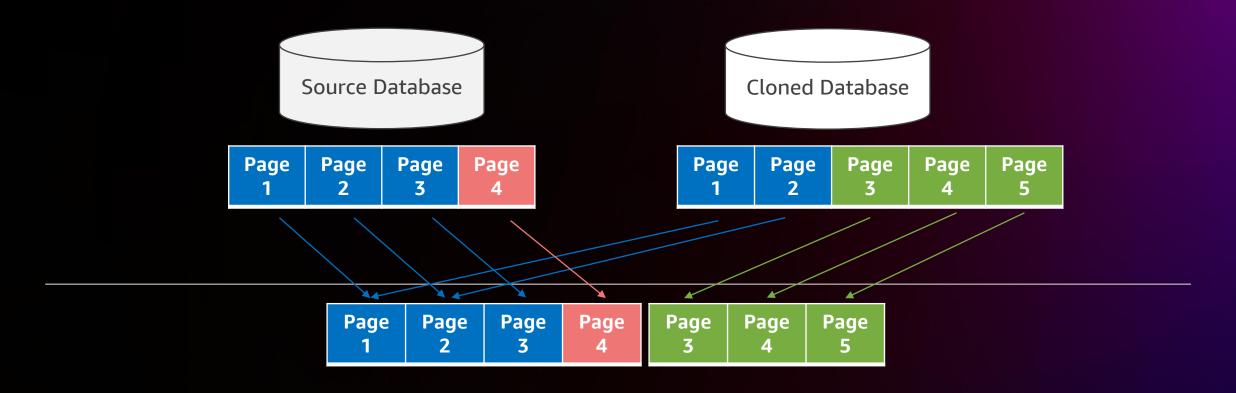


State: Created a clone, made no storage changes
Both databases reference same pages on the shared distributed storage system



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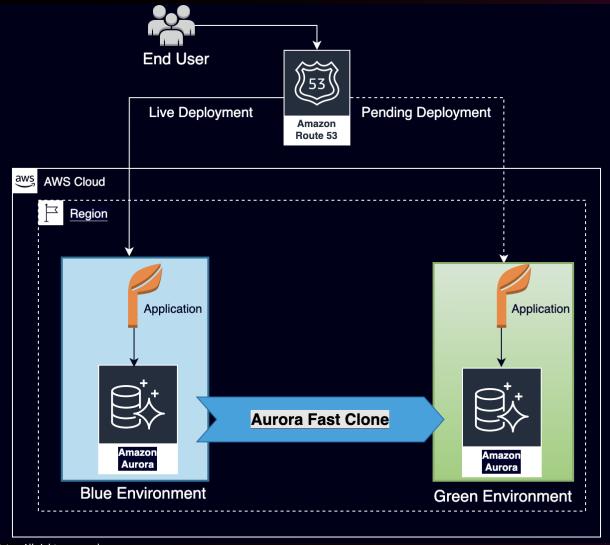
Isolation: Activity on the clone doesn't impact performance of the source (and vice-versa)



State: Created a clone, made storage changes on both source & clone
Both databases reference common pages on the shared distributed storage system

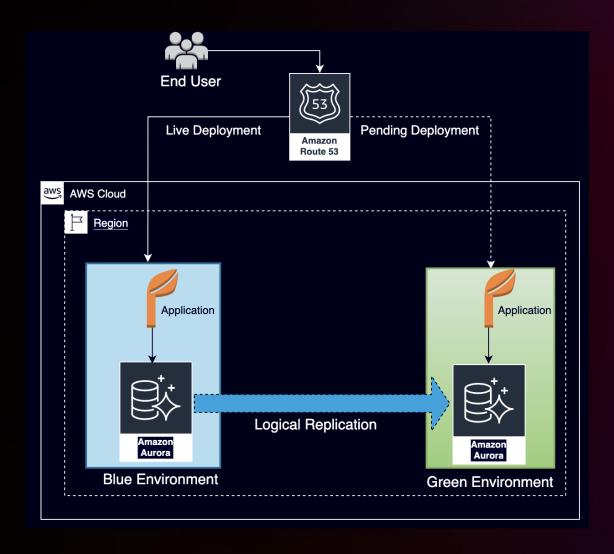


Aurora Blue Green Deployment





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Pattern – 5 Designing For Resilience



Tiers

Level1

Planned: min / hrs Unplanned: hrs/days Level2

RPO/RTO

Downtime

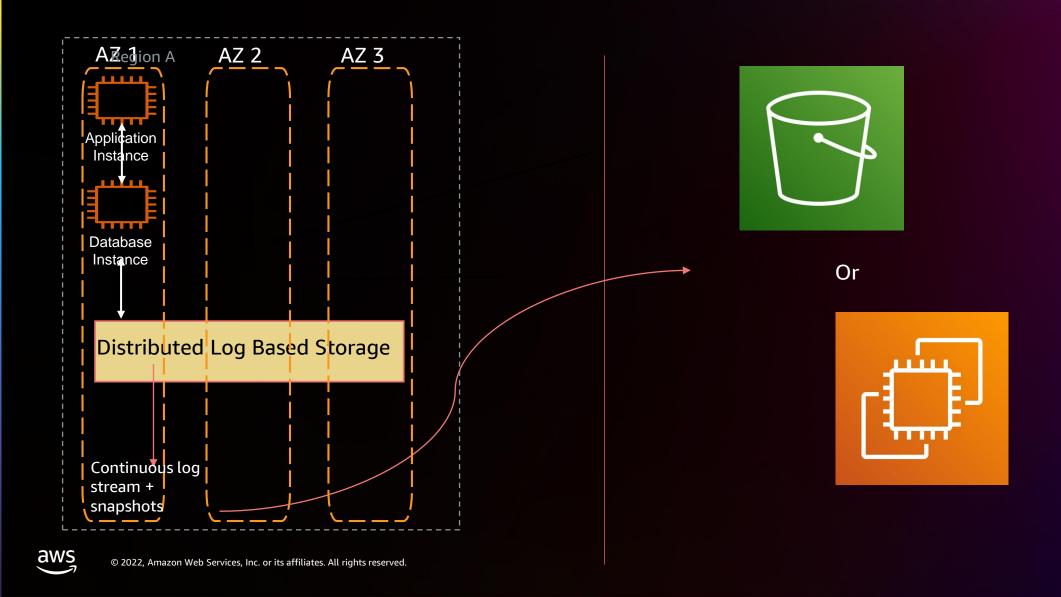
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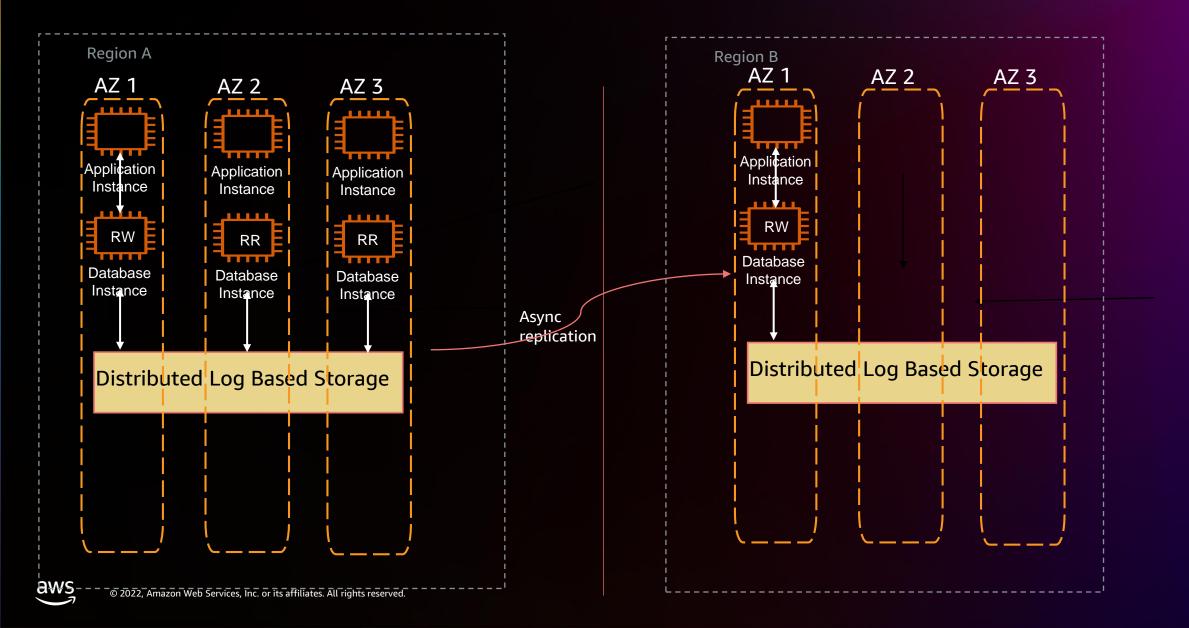
Level3



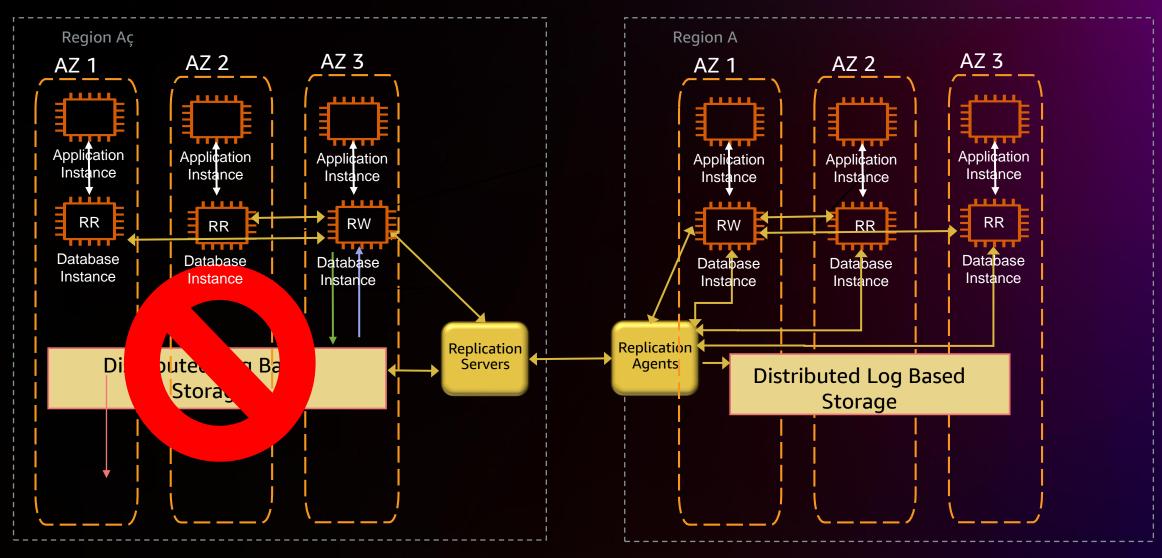
Level1 / bronze / low HA needs



Level2 / silver / medium HA needs



Level3 / gold / high HA needs





Summary

Design for migrating Large Data set using DMS

Design best practices in migrating multi-tenant application

Achieving operation excellence using Blue-Green Deployment

Migrating Third party applications using RDS Oracle for custom

Application driven Database HA, DR design best practices



Thank you!

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