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# Grocery delivery goes serverless at More Retail

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# What are we going to discuss

- More Retail, an overview
- Business problems
- Business outcomes
- Architecture choice
- Technical deep dive



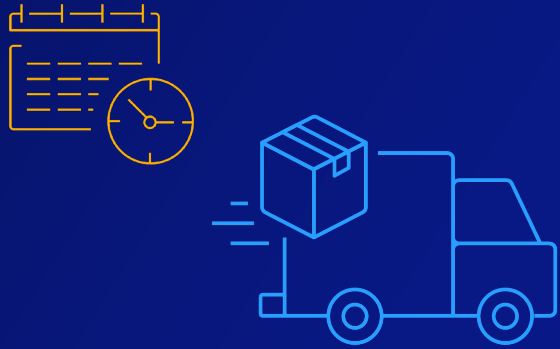
Omni channel retailer

Since 1988

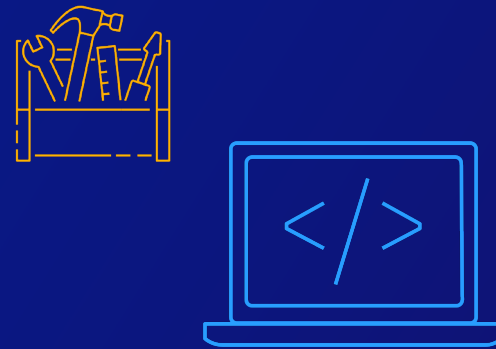
1000+ supermarkets

168+ Cities in India

# Business problems



Timely delivery is a challenge,  
requiring precise prediction



Built own platform  
for last mile delivery

# Business outcomes

# App metrics in the wild

Over **3,75,000** orders processed

**Million subscriptions** successfully processed

**50% orders** were cash on delivery

**~200,000** API calls processed per day

Current concurrency **<50**, scope to handle **30x**

**<100ms** average API response time

# Service costs

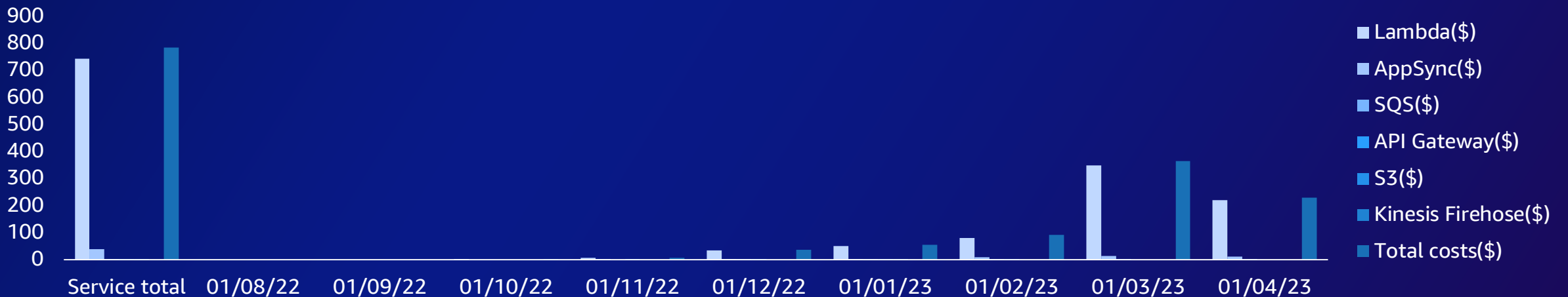
~\$2.7 Million / ~₹22 Crore  
worth of orders processed

\$ 784.49  
Total cost

\$ 87.17  
Average monthly cost

6  
Services

Services cost over time (\$)





# Architecture choice



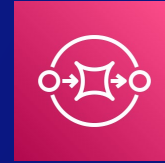
**AWS AppSync**



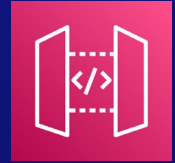
**AWS Lambda**



**Amazon Aurora**



**Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS)**



**Amazon API Gateway**



**React Native**

*Client application*



**Python**

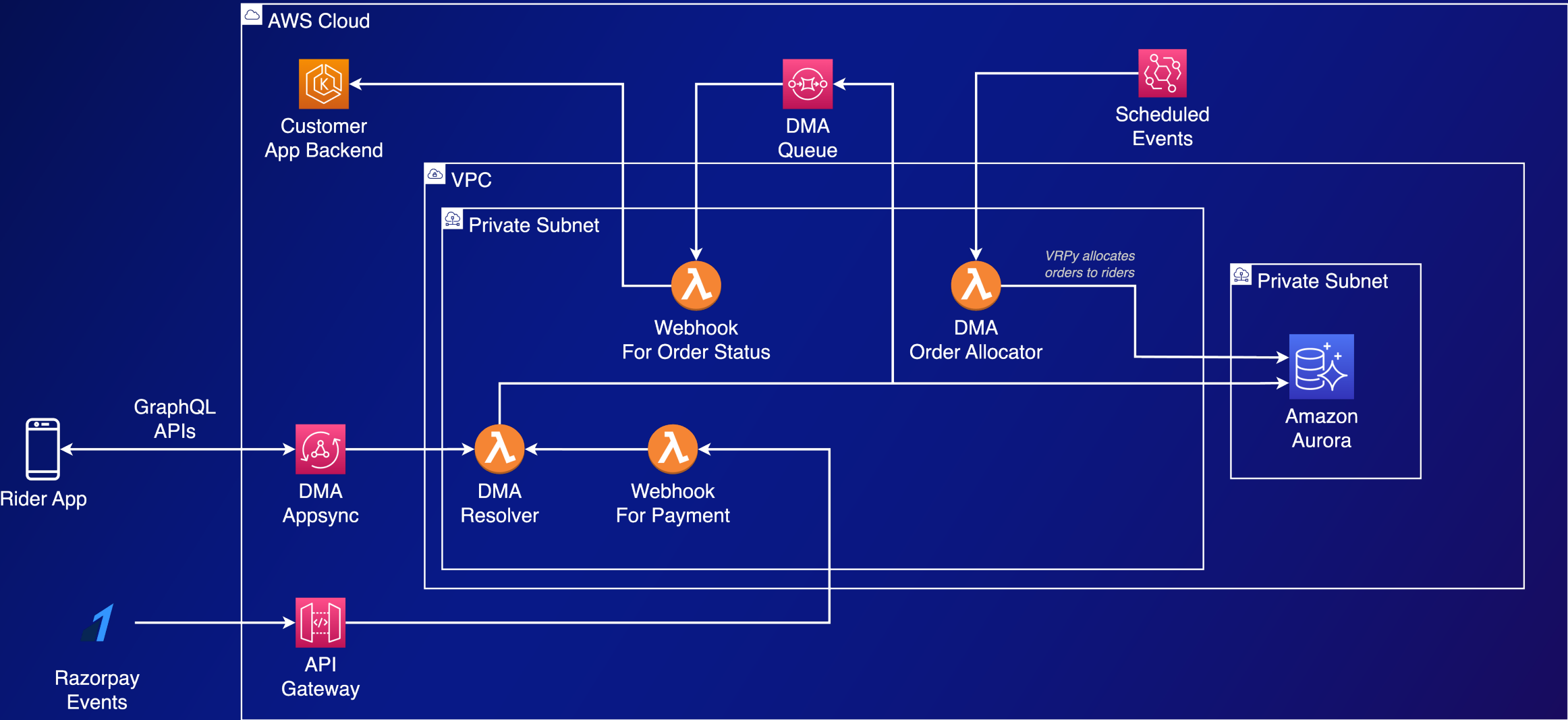
*Backend APIs*

## **VRPy**

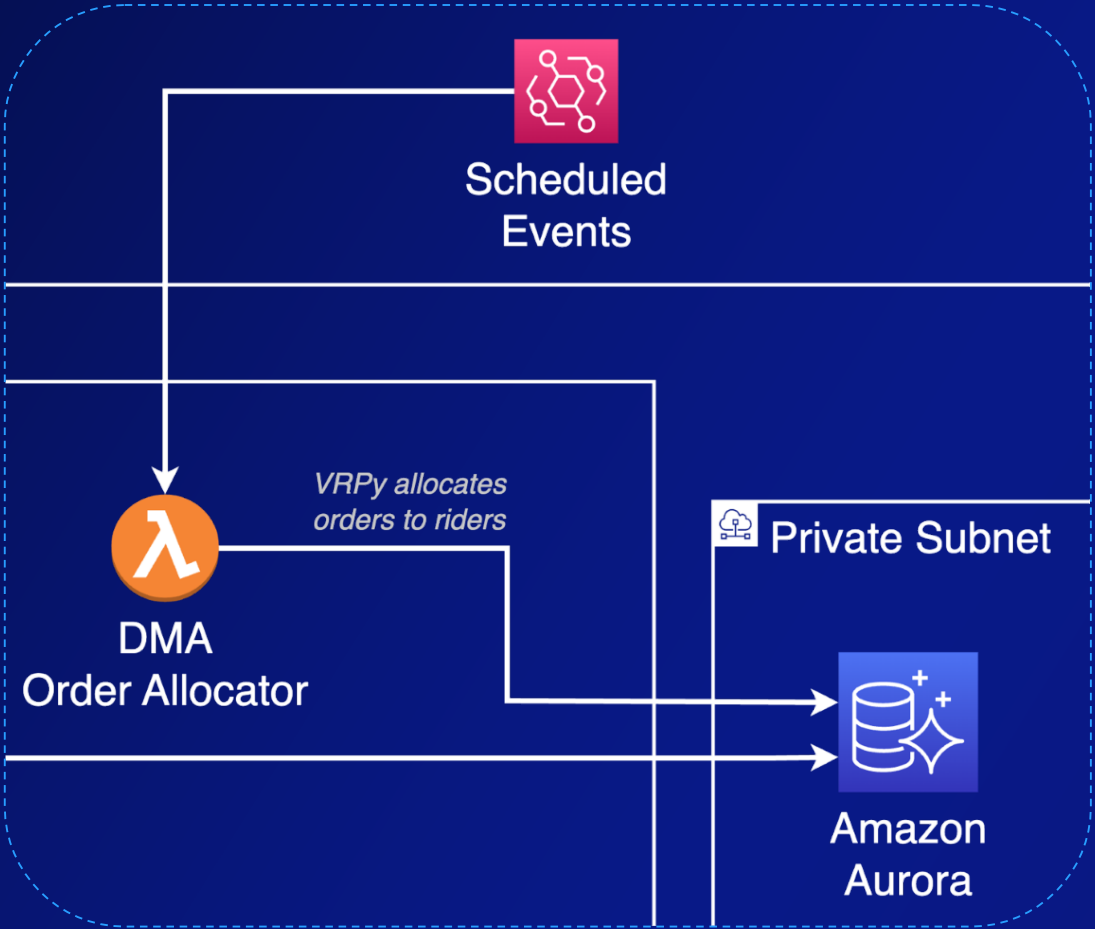
*Python framework for solving instances of different types of Vehicle Routing Problems (VRP)*

# Technical deep dive

# Backend architecture



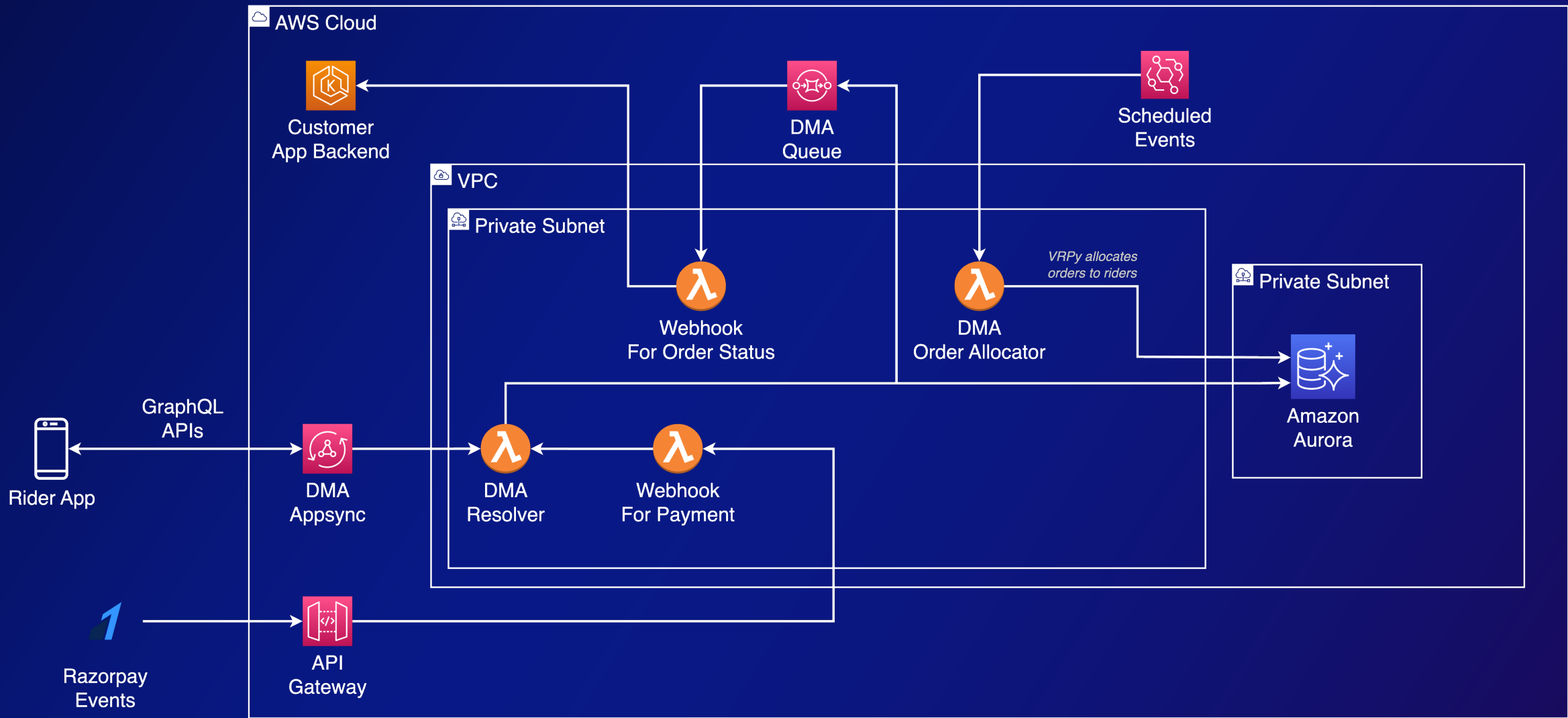
# Order allocation



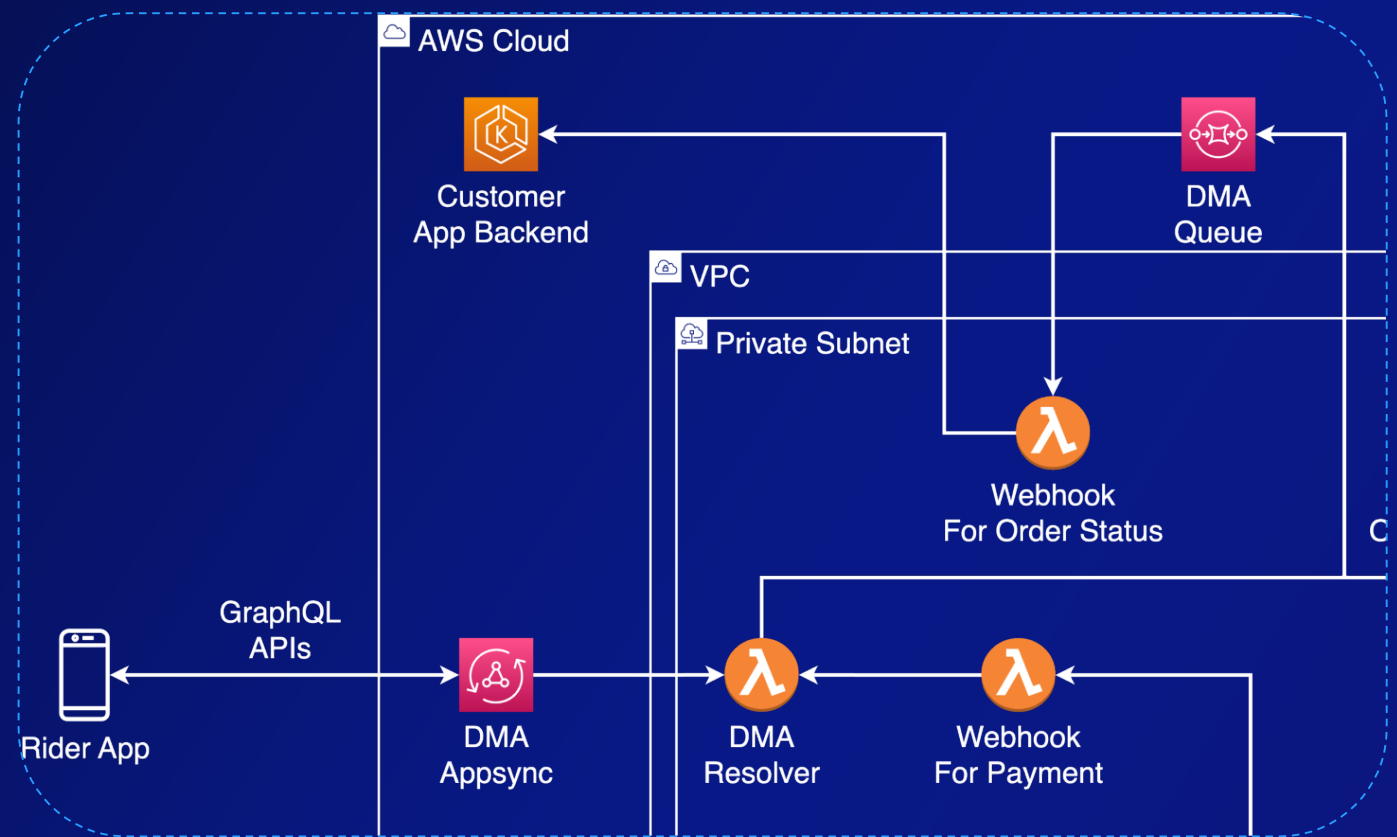
```
{
  "3089": [
    {
      "order_id": 56814,
      "rider_no": 100,
      "ETA": 15,
      "sequence": 1
    },
    {
      "order_id": 56824,
      "rider_no": 100,
      "ETA": 30.0,
      "sequence": 2
    },
    {
      "order_id": 56858,
      "rider_no": 100,
      "ETA": 52.0,
      "sequence": 3
    }
  ]
}
```



# Backend architecture

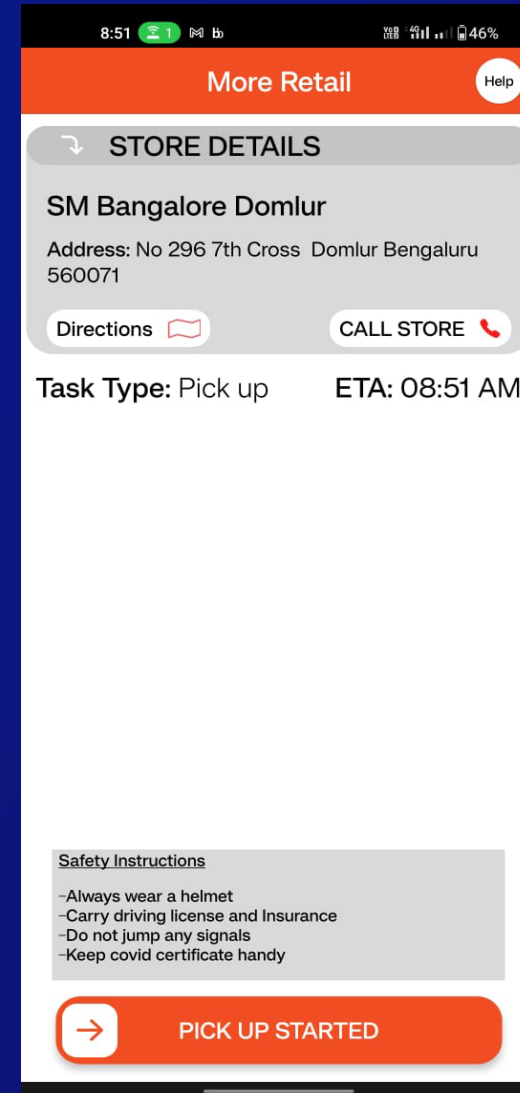


# Order lifecycle



# Order status mutation - Example

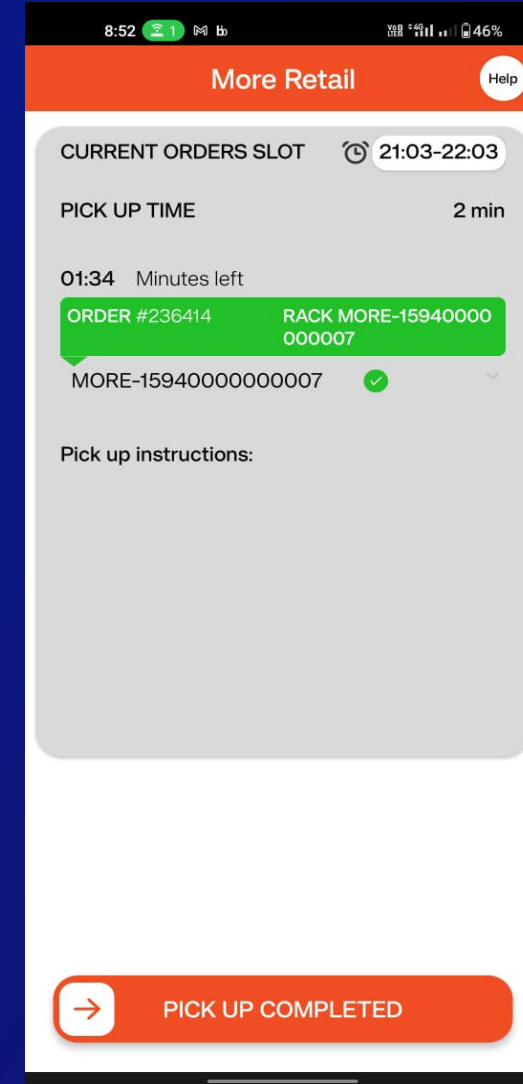
```
mutation MyMutation {  
  orderStatus(  
    access_token: "token",  
    lat: 1.5,  
    long: 1.5,  
    status: "pickup_started",  
    orders: [13402]) {  
    order_id  
    slot_start  
    slot_end  
    bag {  
      bags  
      code  
    }  
  }  
}
```



# Order status mutation - Example

## Mutation response

```
{
  "data": {
    "orderStatus": [
      {
        "order_id": 13402,
        "slot_start": "2022-12-07 14:00:00+05:30",
        "slot_end": "2022-12-07 16:00:00+05:30",
        "bag": [
          {
            "bags": "MORE-15940000000003",
            "code": "MORE-15940000000003"
          }
        ]
      }
    ]
  }
}
```





# Deployments



**AWS Cloud Development  
Kit (AWS CDK)**



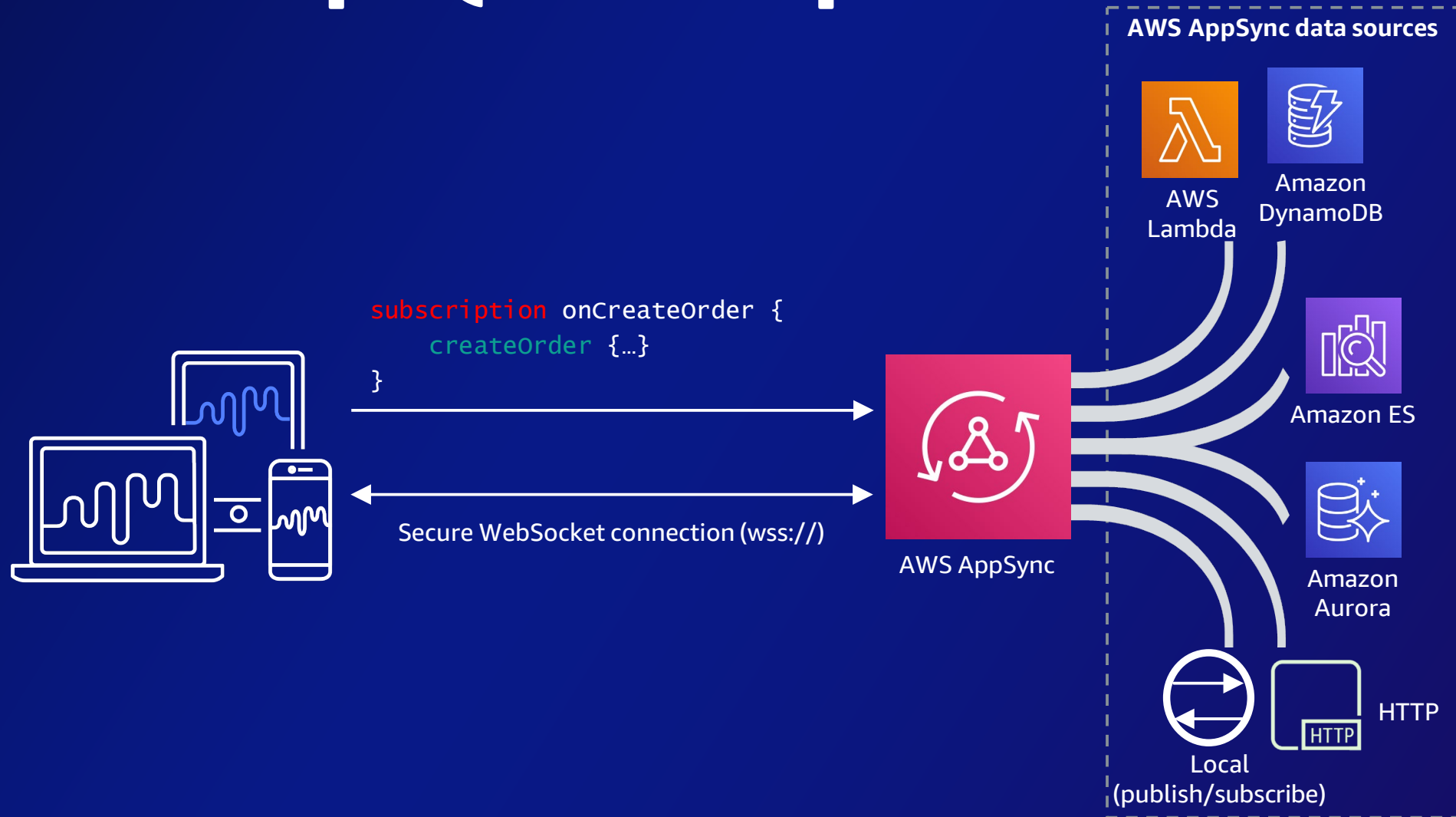
**Bitbucket  
CI/CD Pipelines**



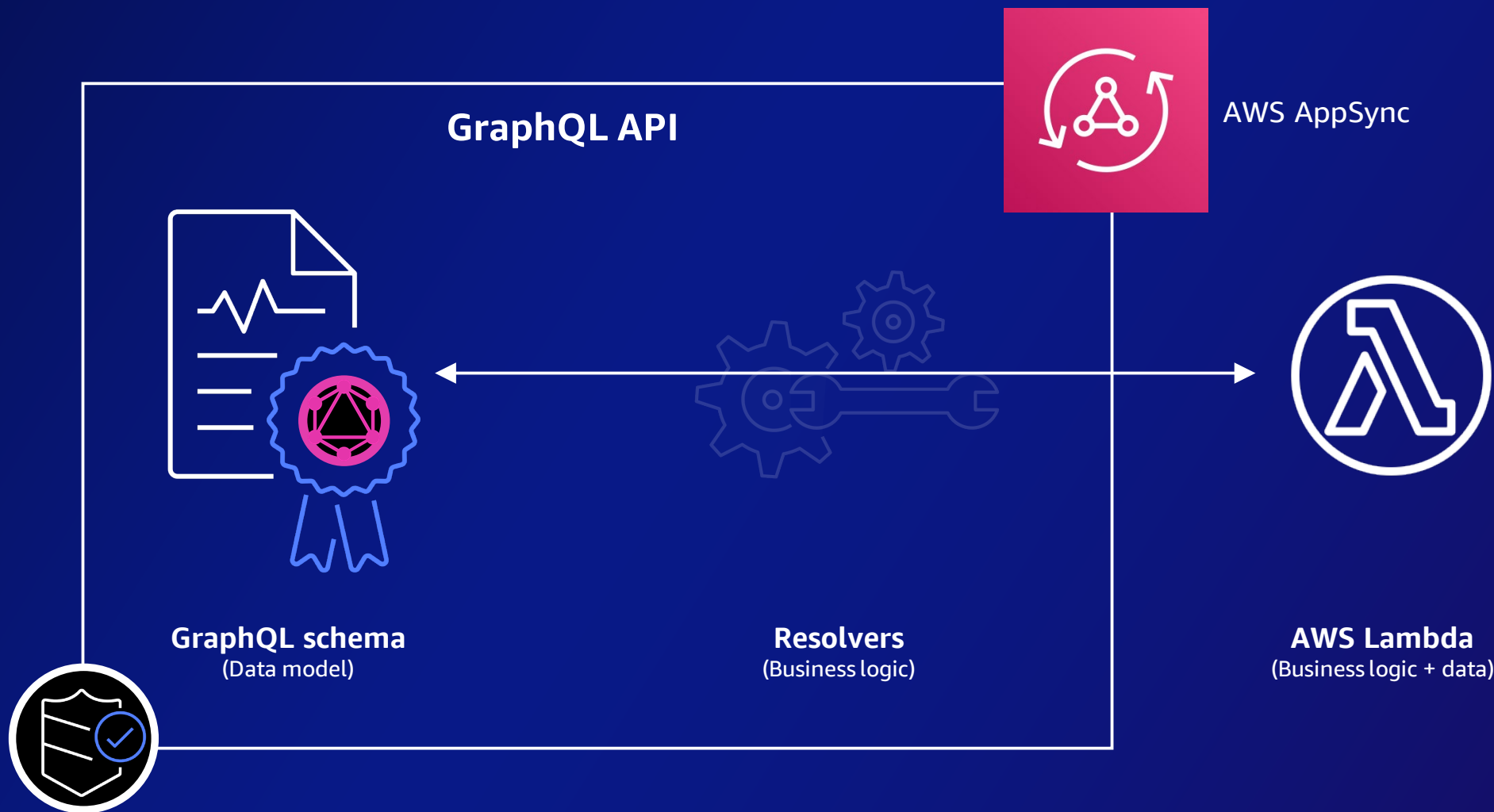
**AWS Lambda  
Versions**

# AppSync – Deep dive

# Real-time GraphQL subscriptions



# Direct Lambda



# Authentication options



API keys



Amazon Cognito  
User Pools



OpenID Connect

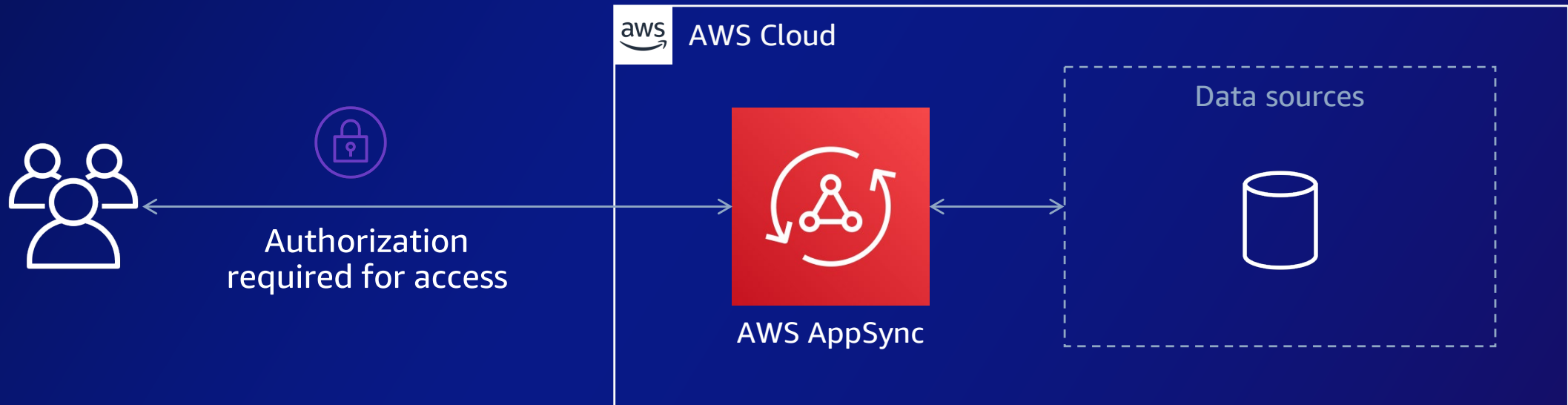


AWS Identity and  
Access Management



AWS Lambda

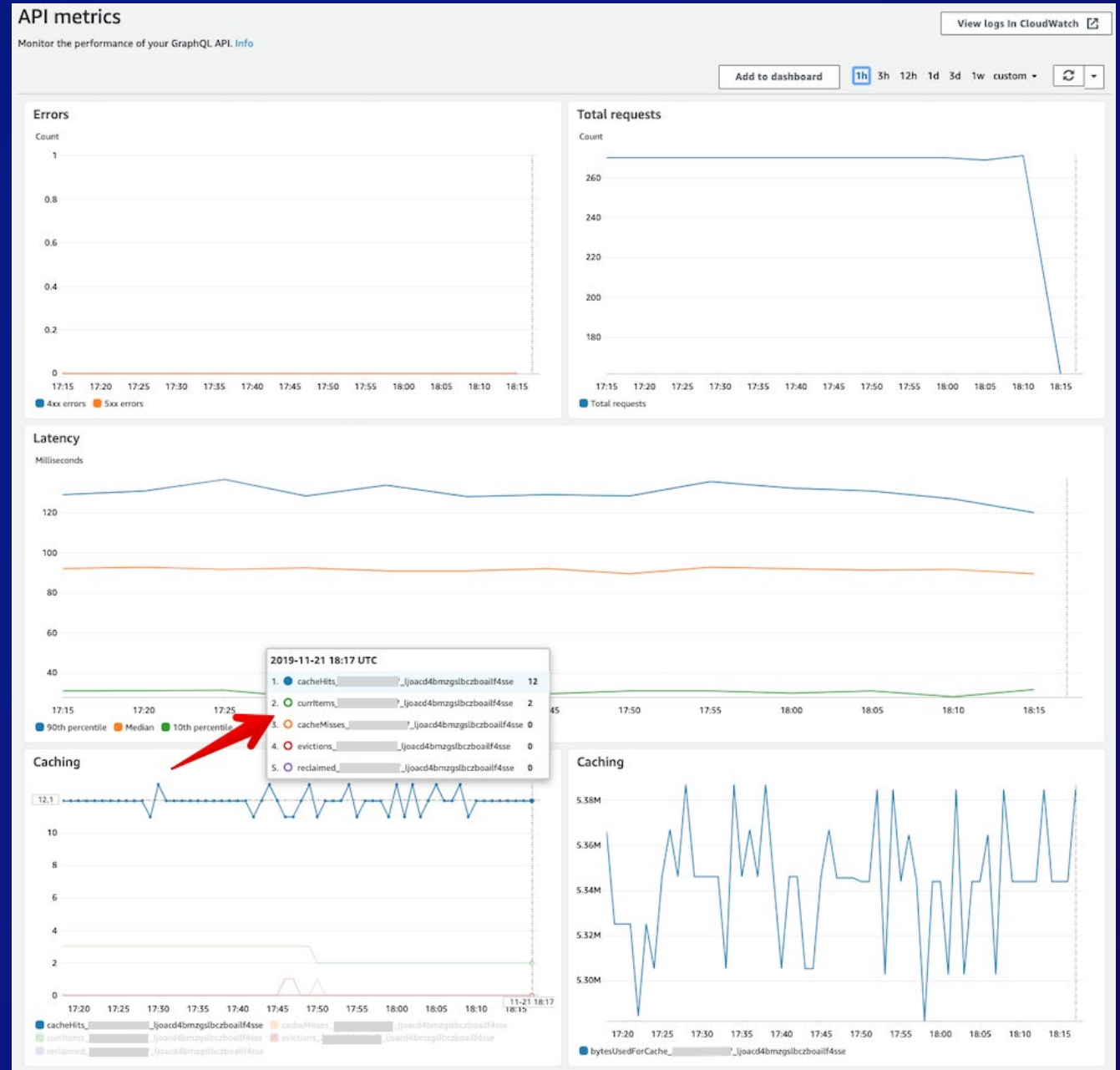
# AWS AppSync – secure and protected endpoints



# AppSync: Operations and Management

# Caching

- Managed server-side caching
- Full API caching
- Per resolver caching
- Encryption





# Log insights

/aws/appsync/apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse

15m 30m 1h 6h 12h 1d custom

fields ispresent(resolverArn) as isRes  
| stats count() as invocationCount by resolverArn  
| filter isRes | filter logType = "Tracing"

...

Run query

Actions

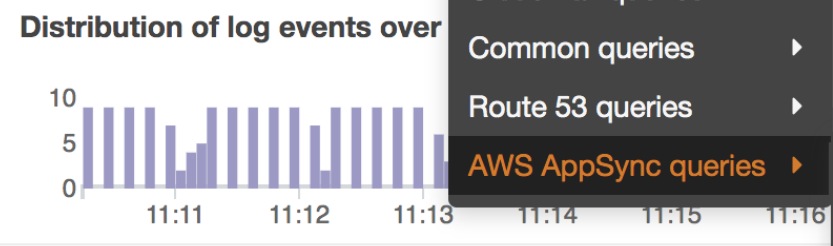
Sample queries

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Logs

Visualization

Distribution of log events over



817 records matched | 18,286 records (6.9 MB) scanned in 3.5s

#

resolverArn

invocationCount

1

arn:aws:appsync:us-west-2: [redacted] :apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse

updateReviews 475

2

arn:aws:appsync:us-west-2: [redacted] :apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse

cReviewss 87

3

arn:aws:appsync:us-west-2: [redacted] :apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse

updateMovies 87

4

arn:aws:appsync:us-west-2: [redacted] :apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse

Movies 85

5

arn:aws:appsync:us-west-2: [redacted] :apis/ljoacd4bmzgslbczboailf4sse/types/mutation/fields/createMovies

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Lambda queries

VPC flow log queries

CloudTrail queries

Common queries

Route 53 queries

AWS AppSync queries

Number of unique HTTP status codes

Top 10 resolvers with maximum latency

Most frequently invoked resolvers

Resolvers with most errors in mapping templates

Field latency statistics

Resolver latency statistics

Top 10 requests with maximum latency

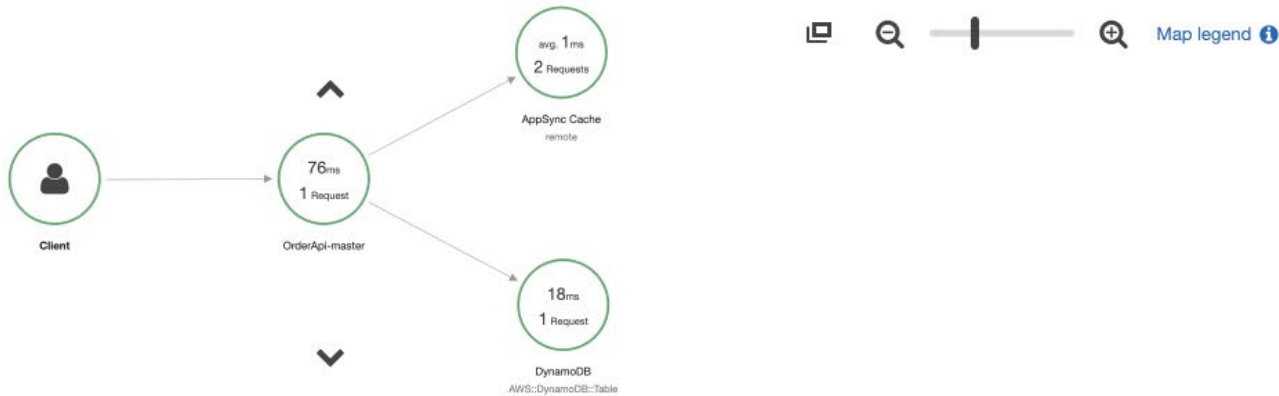




Traces > Details

TimelineRaw data				
Method	Response	Duration	Age	ID
POST	200	76.0 ms	33.5 sec (2020-01-28 21:43:15 UTC)	1-5e30aaf3-9b7d3a5ed9c701a254f2fee0

Trace Map



Name	Res.	Duration	Status	0.0ms	10ms	20ms	30ms	40ms	50ms	60ms	70ms	80ms
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OrderApi-master

OrderApi-master	200	76.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for OrderApi-master]									POST tilksaq4rpravfdh7qsykekhaym.appsync-api.us-eas...
/listOrders	-	2.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for /listOrders]									
requestMappingTemplateEvaluation	-	2.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for requestMappingTemplateEvaluation]									
AppSync Cache	-	1.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for AppSync Cache]									Remote
Query.listOrders	-	19.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for Query.listOrders]									
DynamoDB	200	18.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for DynamoDB]									Scan: Order-blj75seojzev5oiosjyec7cdq-master
responseMappingTemplateEvaluation	-	1.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for responseMappingTemplateEvaluation]									
AppSync Cache	-	1.0 ms	✓	[Timeline bar for AppSync Cache]									Remote

AppSync Cache (Client Response)

DynamoDB AWS::DynamoDB::Table (Client Response)

# Thank you!

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