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Crafting Real-Time Personalized Game Highlights using AI with AWS

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Agenda

- The Content Creation Bottleneck
- The Al-powered Highlight Factory with AWS
- High-Level Architecture
- Deep dive
- Results & Benefits



The Content Creation Bottleneck

- The best gaming moments are sometimes hidden in 5+ hour long gameplay, at exactly 4:12.
- Viewers are drowning in gameplay but starving for highlights.

Creator Economy Market projected to rise from \$212.3B in 2024 to \$894.8B by 2032 [Source: Yahoo]





The Content Creation Bottleneck

Why 99% of gaming moments disappear forever?

Opportunity

- Game streamers generate hours of content daily.
- Viewers want engaging clips right now.

Challenge

- Streams are long, highlight discovery is manual.
- Viewers have short attention spans.

What if?

 Al could instantly turn raw gameplay into personalized highlights tailored to each viewer's interests?



The Al-powered Highlight Factory using AWS

Ingestion

Ingest video stream data to Amazon Kinesis Video Streams

Analysis

Analyze the streams with Amazon Rekognition (event/face/object detection), Amazon Comprehend (contextual metadata)

Decision

Summarise the clips using Amazon Bedrock (LLM for summaries)

Personalization

Personalize clips based on past user data using Amazon Personalize (User preference, smart scoring, diversity)

Delivery

Deliver using Amazon CloudFront, Websocket, Real-time API



Key Architectural Principles

- Event-Driven: S3 uploads trigger Lambda functions
- Cost-effective: Pay only for actual processing time
- Serverless scale: Handle 1 or 1000s seamlessly
- AI-Enhanced: Every highlight enriched with metadata
- Real-Time: WebSocket updates for live notifications

Raw Gameplay



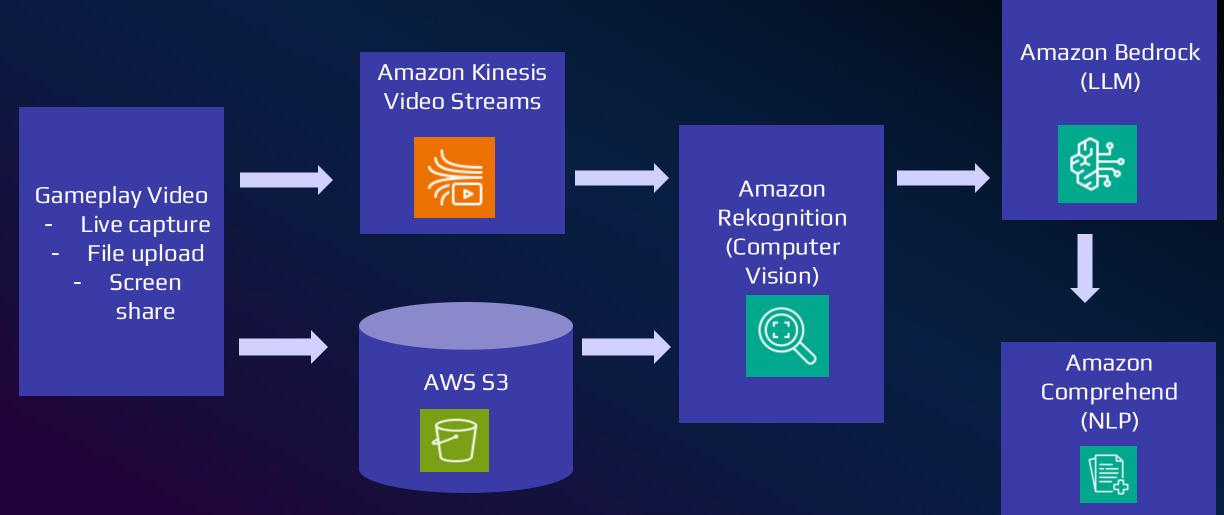
Real-time analytics



Instant
Personalized
highlights

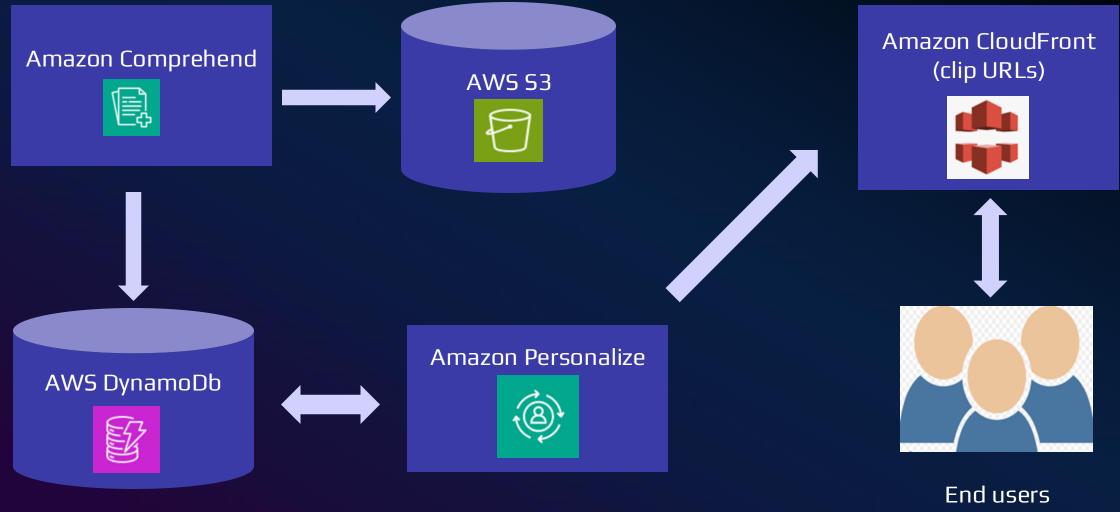


High Level Architecture





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 The video analysis Lambda function orchestrates the entire AI pipeline: it calls Rekognition for computer vision, waits for the results, then sequentially invokes Bedrock for contextual enhancement and Comprehend for sentiment analysis, all within the same function execution.



Event detection that understands the game story

Amazon Rekognition + Bedrock

- Rekognition analyzes entire video and performs label detection, person tracking.
- The video analysis algorithm finds 5-second highlight windows with 3+ interesting events.
- Amazon Bedrock transforms raw computer vision data into meaningful, contextual insights using Claude 3 Haiku; turning simple object detection into rich gaming narratives.
- Processing 10-30 seconds per highlight batch vs. minutes for larger models
 - Excitement Level: Al rates content engagement (1-10)
 - Play Classification: Understands gaming context
 - Natural Titles: Human-readable descriptions

Without Bedrock:

Generic labels: "Ball", "Person", "Sports"

With Bedrock:

Contextual insights: "Goal celebration with crowd reaction"



Context understanding with Personalization

Amazon Comprehend and Personalize

- Comprehend analyzes the AI-generated text from Bedrock.
- It is not analyzing the video directly; it is understanding the language descriptions.
- This creates a feedback loop where AI-generated content gets further AI analysis.
- Sentiment analysis tells us if a highlight title sounds exciting, neutral, or negative.
 - \circ For example: 'Spectacular Goal!' gets POSITIVE sentiment with 95% confidence.
- Entity extraction identifies specific gaming terms, team names, and player references.
 - From 'Manchester United scores amazing goal' it extracts 'Manchester United' as ORGANIZATION.
- We automatically classify content into emotional tones and gameplay types.
- This creates personalization dimensions beyond basic sport categories.
- Users can be matched by emotional preference some prefer 'exciting', others 'intense'.



Production Readiness

- **Observability:** CloudWatch metrics/alarms; distributed tracing on Lambdas.
- **Cost controls:** tiered storage (S3 IA/Glacier for older clips), batch Transcribe for non-urgent ASR.
- **Governance:** IAM least privilege; human-in-the-loop review list for "borderline" clips; content filters.



PoC Link

- GitHub Repo: https://github.com/gkang050/game-spotlights-ai
- Programming Language: Node.js, JavaScript
- IDE used: Amazon Kiro



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