

# API Engineering

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Topic: AWS Overview

# What is Amazon Web Services (AWS)?

web services are really the same as cloud services, simply our defn of them differs

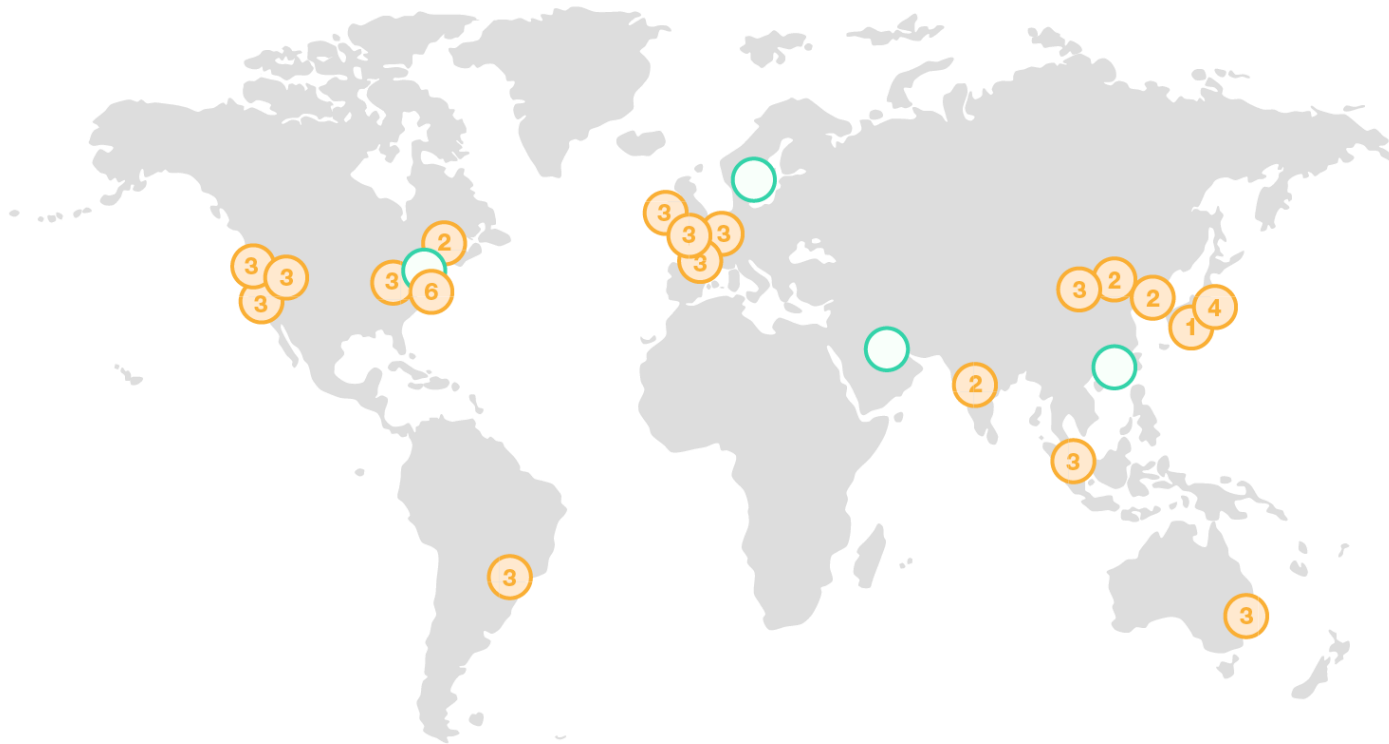
- In 2006, AWS began offering IT infrastructure services to businesses as web services, now commonly known as cloud computing
- Now, AWS provides a highly reliable, scalable, low-cost infrastructure platform in the cloud that powers hundreds of thousands of businesses in 190 countries around the world

# AWS Global Infrastructure(1/2)

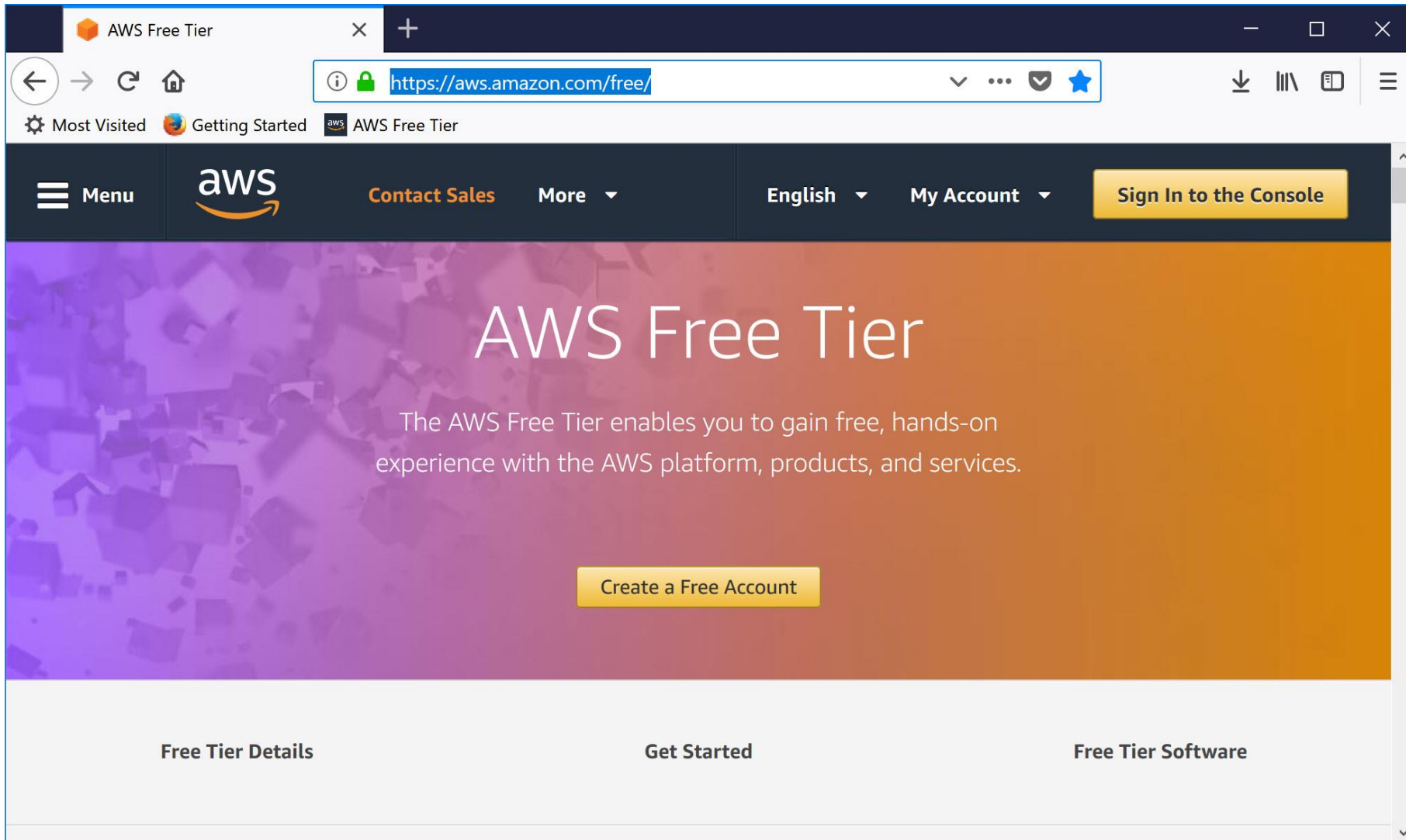
- AWS cloud infrastructure is build around Regions and Availability Zones
  - An AWS Region is a physical location in the world where AWS provides multiple, physically separated and isolated Availability Zones
  - Availability Zones consist of one or more discrete data centers, each with redundant power, networking, and connectivity, housed in separate facilities
  - Each Availability Zone is isolated, but the Availability Zones in a Region are connected through low-latency links
  - AWS provides customers with the flexibility to place instances and store data within multiple geographic regions as well as across multiple Availability Zones within each ASW Region
- An AWS Local Region is a single datacenter designed to complement an existing AWS Region, and it completely isolated from other AWS Regions

# AWS Global Infrastructure

- The AWS Cloud spans 55 Availability Zones within 18 geographic Regions and 1 Local Region around the world, with announced plans for 12 more Availability Zones and 4 more Regions in Bahrain, Hong Kong SAR, Sweden, and a second AWS GovCloud Region in the US.



# Subscription



The image shows a web browser window displaying the AWS Free Tier landing page. The browser's address bar shows the URL `https://aws.amazon.com/free/`. The page features a dark blue header with the AWS logo, navigation links like "Menu", "Contact Sales", and "More", and a yellow "Sign In to the Console" button. The main content area has a purple and orange gradient background with the text "AWS Free Tier" and a description: "The AWS Free Tier enables you to gain free, hands-on experience with the AWS platform, products, and services." A yellow "Create a Free Account" button is centered below the text. At the bottom, there are three links: "Free Tier Details", "Get Started", and "Free Tier Software".

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**Footer:**

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# Services Offered by AWS

## Compute

Amazon EC2  
Amazon EC2 Auto Scaling  
Amazon Elastic Container Service  
Amazon Elastic Container Service for Kubernetes  
Amazon Elastic Container Registry  
Amazon Lightsail  
AWS Batch  
AWS Elastic Beanstalk  
AWS Fargate  
AWS Lambda  
AWS Serverless Application Repository  
Elastic Load Balancing  
VMware Cloud on AWS

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## Storage

Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3)  
Amazon Elastic Block Store (EBS)  
Amazon Elastic File System (EFS)  
Amazon Glacier  
AWS Storage Gateway  
AWS Snowball  
AWS Snowball Edge  
AWS Snowmobile

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## Database

Amazon Aurora  
Amazon RDS

## Networking & Content Delivery

Amazon VPC  
Amazon VPC PrivateLink  
Amazon CloudFront  
Amazon Route 53  
Amazon API Gateway  
AWS Direct Connect  
Elastic Load Balancing

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## Developer Tools

AWS CodeStar  
AWS CodeCommit  
AWS CodeBuild  
AWS CodeDeploy  
AWS CodePipeline  
AWS Cloud9  
AWS X-Ray  
AWS Tools & SDKs

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## Management Tools

Amazon CloudWatch  
AWS Auto Scaling  
AWS CloudFormation  
AWS CloudTrail  
AWS Config  
AWS OpsWorks  
AWS Service Catalog  
AWS Systems Manager  
AWS Trusted Advisor

## Machine Learning

Amazon SageMaker  
Amazon Comprehend  
Amazon Lex  
Amazon Polly  
Amazon Rekognition  
Amazon Machine Learning  
Amazon Translate  
Amazon Transcribe  
AWS DeepLens  
AWS Deep Learning AMIs  
Apache MXNet on AWS  
TensorFlow on AWS

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## Analytics

Amazon Athena  
Amazon EMR  
Amazon CloudSearch  
Amazon Elasticsearch Service  
Amazon Kinesis  
Amazon Redshift  
Amazon QuickSight  
AWS Data Pipeline  
AWS Glue

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## Security, Identity & Compliance

AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM)  
Amazon Cloud Directory

## AR & VR

Amazon Sumerian

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## Application Integration

Amazon MQ  
Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS)  
Amazon Simple Notification Service (SNS)  
AWS AppSync  
AWS Step Functions

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## Customer Engagement

Amazon Connect  
Amazon Pinpoint  
Amazon Simple Email Service (SES)

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## Business Productivity

Alexa for Business  
Amazon Chime  
Amazon WorkDocs  
Amazon WorkMail

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## Desktop & App Streaming

Amazon WorkSpaces  
Amazon AppStream 2.0

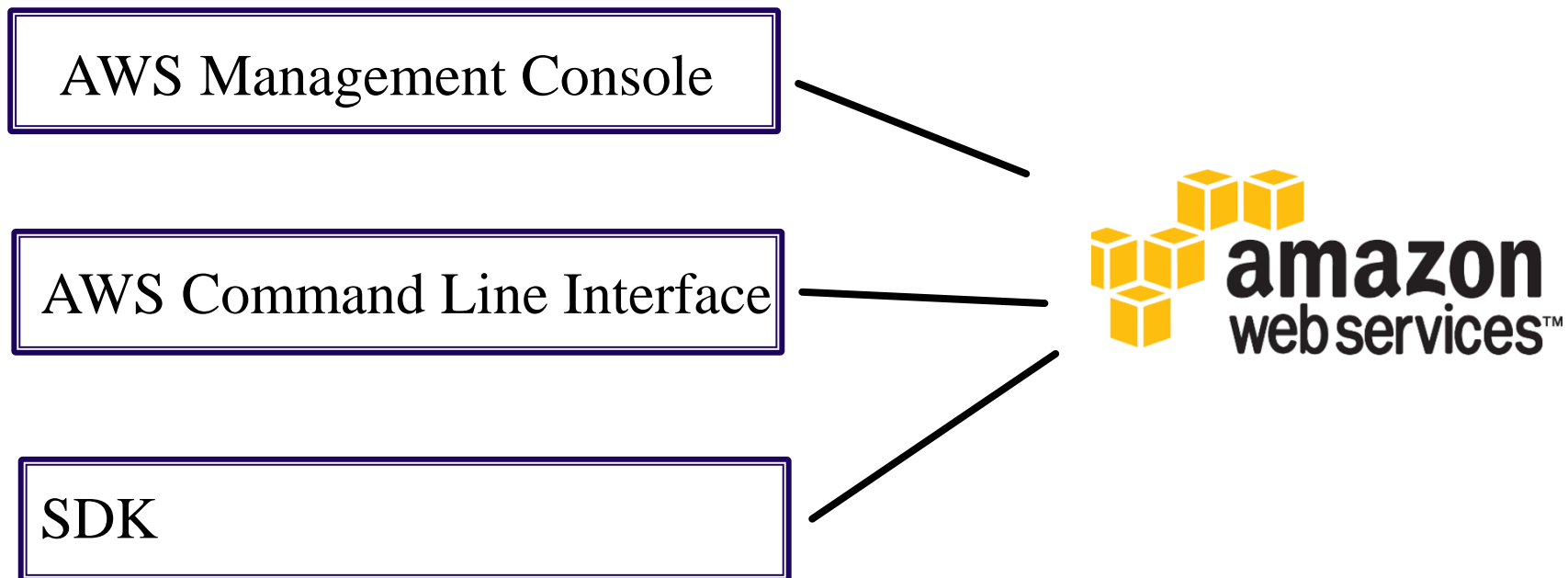
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## Internet of Things

AWS IoT Core  
Amazon FreeRTOS  
AWS Greengrass

# Interact with AWS

- AWS Management Console – Web user interface
- AWS Command Line Interface (CLI) (command-line interfaces)
- Software Development Kits(SDKs): use AWS services in your apps with an API tailored to programming language or platform



# Reference

- <https://aws.amazon.com/education/faqs/>