

# Case Study: AWS Lambda, S3, and DynamoDB Integration

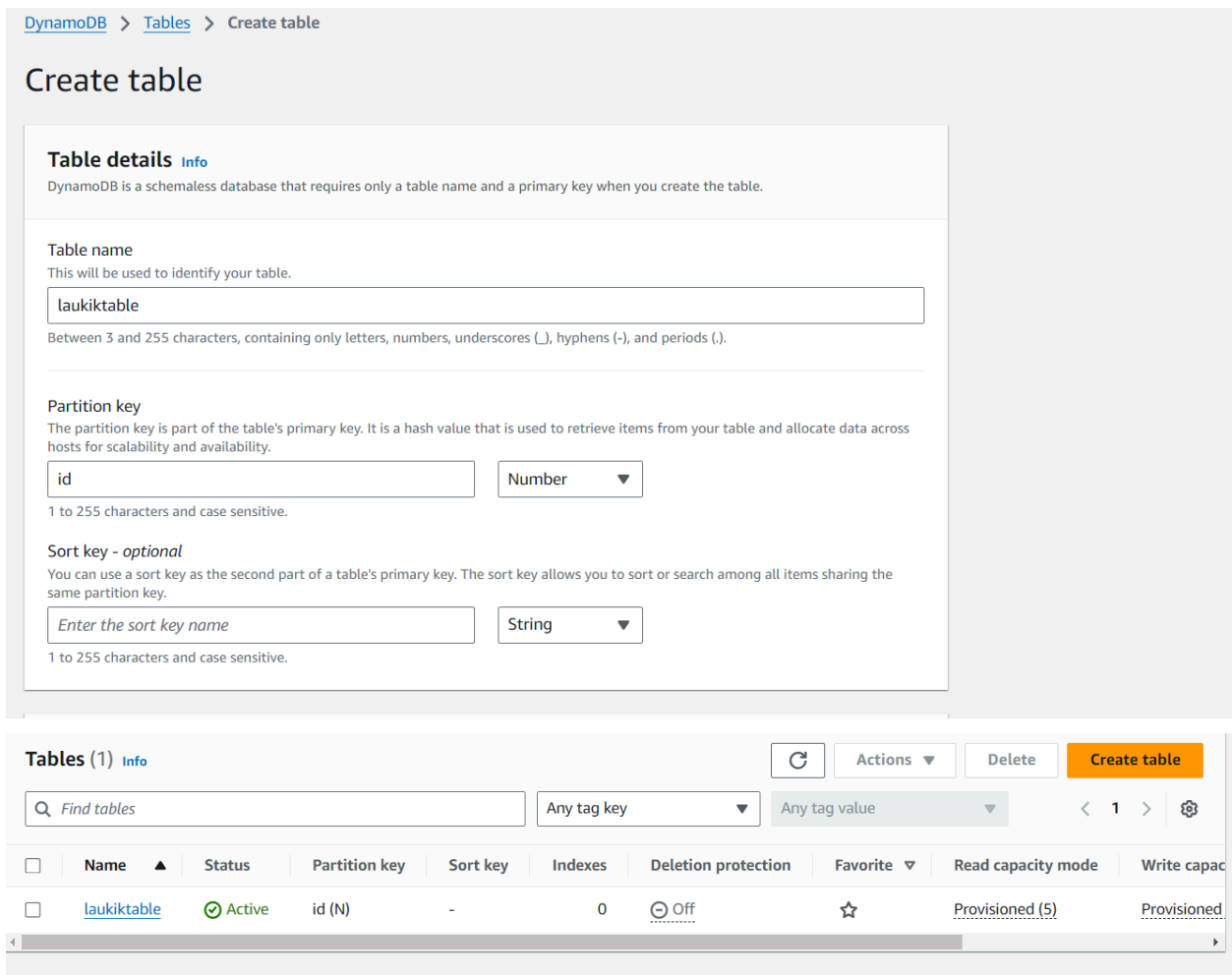
## Step 1: Create S3 Bucket

- Begin by creating a new S3 bucket to store the JSON file that will be processed.



## Step 2: Set Up DynamoDB Table

- Create a DynamoDB table that will store the JSON data. Ensure the table has the appropriate schema to match the data structure in the JSON file.



## Step 3: Configure IAM Roles and Policies

- Go to IAM roles and create the necessary policies to provide your Lambda function with access to both S3 and DynamoDB.
- Create a role and attach the policies to it, ensuring the Lambda function can read from S3 and write to DynamoDB.

**Policies (1253)** [Info](#)

A policy is an object in AWS that defines permissions.

Filter by Type

Search  All types

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	Policy name	Type	Used as	Description
<input type="radio"/>	<a href="#">AccessAnalyzerService...</a>	AWS managed	None	
<input type="radio"/>	<a href="#">AdministratorAccess</a>	AWS managed - job function	None	
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<input type="radio"/>	<a href="#">AlexaForBusinessDevi...</a>	AWS managed	None	
<input type="radio"/>	<a href="#">AlexaForBusinessFullA...</a>	AWS managed	None	
<input type="radio"/>	<a href="#">AlexaForBusinessGate...</a>	AWS managed	None	

Create role

Select created policy while creating roles:

**Add permissions** [Info](#)

**Permissions policies (1/969)** [Info](#)

Choose one or more policies to attach to your new role.

Filter by Type

Search   All types  1 match

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Policy name	Type	Description
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">laukikpolicy</a>	Customer managed	-

## Name, review, and create

### Role details

#### Role name

Enter a meaningful name to identify this role.

Maximum 64 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+=, @-\_' characters.

#### Description

Add a short explanation for this role.

Maximum 1000 characters. Use letters (A-Z and a-z), numbers (0-9), tabs, new lines, or any of the following characters: \_+=, @-/\[\]\#\\$\%^&\*(){};:'<>`

### Step 1: Select trusted entities

[Edit](#)

✔ Role **laukikpolicylambda** created.

[IAM](#) > Roles

## Step 4: Create Lambda Function

- In the AWS Lambda console, create a new Lambda function.
- While creating the function, select "Use an existing role" and choose the IAM role you created earlier.
- Define the Lambda function to read a JSON file from the S3 bucket and store its data in DynamoDB.

Compute

# AWS Lambda

## lets you run code without thinking about servers.

You pay only for the compute time that you consume — there is no charge when your code is not running. With Lambda, you can run code for virtually any type of application or backend service, all with zero administration.

### Get started

Author a Lambda function from scratch, or choose from one of many preconfigured examples.

[Create a function](#)

### ▼ Change default execution role

#### Execution role

Choose a role that defines the permissions of your function. To create a custom role, go to the [IAM console](#).

- ☐ Create a new role with basic Lambda permissions
- ☒ Use an existing role
- ☐ Create a new role from AWS policy templates

#### Existing role

Choose an existing role that you've created to be used with this Lambda function. The role must have permission to upload logs to Amazon CloudWatch Logs.

laukikpolicylambda

[View the laukikpolicylambda role](#) on the IAM console.

## Create function

laukiklambda

### ▼ Function overview [Info](#)

Diagram

Template



laukiklambda



Layers

(0)



S3

+ Add destination

+ Add trigger

## Step 5: CloudWatch Monitoring and Testing

- After creating the Lambda function, check CloudWatch logs to ensure it's properly set up.
- Run a test in the Lambda console and verify the logs again to ensure the function behaves as expected.

Log groups (2)							
By default, we only load up to 10000 log groups.							
<input type="text" value="Filter log groups or try prefix search"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Exact match <span>&lt; 1 &gt; ⚙</span>							
<input type="checkbox"/>	Log group	Log class	Anomaly d...	Data p...	Sensit...	Retenti...	Metr
<input type="checkbox"/>	/aws/lambda/lamdaexp12	Standard	<a href="#">Configure</a>	-	-	<a href="#">Never expire</a>	-
<input type="checkbox"/>	/aws/lambda/laukiklambda	Standard	<a href="#">Configure</a>	-	-	<a href="#">Never expire</a>	-

## Step 6: Add S3 Trigger to Lambda

- Once the Lambda function passes tests, add a trigger that runs the function whenever a file is uploaded to the S3 bucket.
- After adding the trigger, check the S3 bucket's properties to verify the event has been added.

### ▼ Function overview [Info](#)

**Diagram**

Template



laukiklambda



Layers

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[+ Add trigger](#)

## Add the following configurations:

### Trigger configuration [Info](#)



S3

aws asynchronous storage

#### Bucket

Choose or enter the ARN of an S3 bucket that serves as the event source. The bucket must be in the same region as the function.



Bucket region: us-east-1

#### Event types

Select the events that you want to have trigger the Lambda function. You can optionally set up a prefix or suffix for an event. However, for each bucket, individual events cannot have multiple configurations with overlapping prefixes or suffixes that could match the same object key.

PUT



#### Prefix - optional

Enter a single optional prefix to limit the notifications to objects with keys that start with matching characters. Any [special characters](#) must be URL encoded.

#### Suffix - optional

Enter a single optional suffix to limit the notifications to objects with keys that end with matching characters. Any [special characters](#) must be URL encoded.

Now after adding the trigger we can see in lambda bucket properties to see if event is added:

**Event notifications (1)** [Learn more](#)

[Edit](#) [Delete](#) [Create event notification](#)

Send a notification when specific events occur in your bucket. [Learn more](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Event types	Filters	Destination type	Destination
<input type="checkbox"/>	e83ee151-c6dc-4a3a-8263-a40e61e64e5c	Put	,.json	Lambda function	<a href="#">laukiklambda</a>

**Amazon EventBridge** [Learn more](#) or [see EventBridge pricing](#) [Edit](#)

For additional capabilities, use Amazon EventBridge to build event-driven applications at scale using S3 event notifications.

Send notifications to Amazon EventBridge for all events in this bucket  
Off

## Step 7: Upload JSON File to S3

- Upload a test JSON file (**laukik.json**) to the S3 bucket.
- In CloudWatch logs, you should see a new log stream with details about the file uploaded.

**Upload** [Info](#)

Add the files and folders you want to upload to S3. To upload a file larger than 160GB, use the AWS CLI, AWS SDK or Amazon S3 REST API. [Learn more](#)

Drag and drop files and folders you want to upload here, or choose **Add files** or **Add folder**.

**Files and folders (1 Total, 58.0 B)** [Remove](#) [Add files](#) [Add folder](#)

All files and folders in this table will be uploaded.

☐

Name

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laukik.json

-

☐

Folder

▼

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Type

application/

In logs a new log stream must have been created where the log of the file which was uploaded can be seen:

```
{
  "Records": [
    {
      "eventVersion": "2.1",
      "eventSource": "aws:s3",
      "awsRegion": "us-east-1",
      "eventTime": "2024-10-21T04:15:36.833Z",
      "eventName": "ObjectCreated:Put",
      "userIdentity": {
        "principalId": "A1M62JC7CGA1CQ"
      },
      "requestParameters": {
        "sourceIPAddress": "125.99.93.18"
      },
      "responseElements": {
        "x-amz-request-id": "2F177F56GYX2PYS9",
        "x-amz-id-2": "0Vc0qPnKWETImDfF2V6Um0oUMN1h85NIXyBBizN0kukNDP/FKmEVF3ioIzMj/wDK4rq81JqGTTxduzmHqbbIGKR7rPJbTrMzMV9KD8u3R10="
      },
      "s3": {
        "s3SchemaVersion": "1.0",
        "configurationId": "e83ee151-c6dc-4a3a-8263-a40e61e64e5c",
        "bucket": {
          "name": "laukikbucket",
          "ownerIdentity": {
            "principalId": "A1M62JC7CGA1CQ"
          },
          "arn": "arn:aws:s3:::laukikbucket"
        },
        "object": {
          "key": "laukik.json",
          "size": 58,
          "eTag": "f0e0a55008c69327bcc3d2201a0be3bb",
          "sequencer": "006715D568C8C5DDC0"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

## Step 8: Update Lambda Code

- Use the following updated code in the Lambda function to process the JSON file:

Now update the following code:

```
import json
import boto3
import time
```

```
def lambda_handler(event, context):
```

```
    start_time = time.time() # Start timing
```

```
    bucket = 'laukikbucket'
```

```
    file_name = 'laukik.json'
```

```
    s3 = boto3.client('s3')
```

```
    table = boto3.resource('dynamodb').Table('laukiktable')
```

```
    try:
```

```
        # Read the file from S3
```

```
        print("Reading file from S3...")
```

```
        file_obj = s3.get_object(Bucket=bucket, Key=file_name)
```

```

file_reader = file_obj['Body'].read().decode('utf-8')

# Load the content of the file
print("Loading JSON content...")
file_content = json.loads(file_reader)

# Convert id to integer if necessary
if 'id' in file_content:
    file_content['id'] = int(file_content['id']) # Convert to integer

# Put the item into the DynamoDB table
print("Putting item into DynamoDB...")
table.put_item(Item=file_content)

except Exception as e:
    print(f"Error: {e}")
    return {
        'statusCode': 500,
        'body': json.dumps('Error processing the request')
    }

end_time = time.time()
print(f"Function executed in {end_time - start_time} seconds")

return {
    'statusCode': 200,
    'body': json.dumps('Item successfully added to DynamoDB')
}

```

## Step 9: Deployment and Testing

- Deploy the updated Lambda function and run a test case.
- If successful, the logs will show confirmation that the data was added to DynamoDB.

<b>Test Event Name</b> laukik	
<b>Response</b> { "statusCode": 200, "body": "\"Item successfully added to DynamoDB\"" }	
<b>Function Logs</b> START RequestId: bd9363c9-c024-4f46-99ed-6459f86e7753 Version: \$LATEST Reading file from S3... Loading JSON content... Putting item into DynamoDB... Function executed in 4.615940093994141 seconds END RequestId: bd9363c9-c024-4f46-99ed-6459f86e7753 REPORT RequestId: bd9363c9-c024-4f46-99ed-6459f86e7753 Duration: 4696.72 ms Billed Duration: 4697 ms	
<b>Request ID</b>	



## Step 10: Verify Data in DynamoDB

- Navigate to DynamoDB > Tables > Select your table > Explore items.
- Here, you will see the items that have been successfully uploaded.

Items returned (1)

Actions ▾

Create item

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<input type="checkbox"/>	id (Number) ▾	age ▾	name ▾
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">37</a>	20	laukik

**Conclusion:** To conclude, this experiment aimed to create an AWS Lambda function that processes a JSON file uploaded to an S3 bucket and stores the data in a DynamoDB table. Several issues were encountered, including JSON parsing errors, type mismatches, and timeout errors, but these were resolved by correcting the JSON format, ensuring proper type alignment, and improving execution time. In the end, the Lambda function successfully processed the JSON file and stored its contents in DynamoDB, demonstrating effective integration of AWS services in a serverless environment.