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## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Employee in Seattle, WA

- ✓ Accepted Offer
- Neutral Experience
- Average Interview

## **Application**

I applied through an employee referral I interviewed at Amazon (Seattle, WA) in Aug 2021

#### Interview

First a tech assessment that you complete at home Second tech/behavioural interview

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**Interview Questions** 

where does the browser save the cache

where does the os save the cache

does router save the cache

how many ips does the subnet of 255.255.255.0

how many of those can be used

where does the nat gateway reside in private and public subnet

your application crashed, what can you check (think system metrics like CPU)

web server is not able to access the server, it can reach the same server in the same VPC, network wise every (think app logs)

how to check historical CPU - HTOP

how to check size of files in a linux directory

what are inodes

what is forward and reverse proxy server

what is DHCP

what happens when you type in browser www.amazon.com

how to update auto scaling group? can it be done without downtime? (think update template template)

how can you have dependencies installed on the 1000 instance (think AMI)

OSI model

describe any 2 layers of the OSI model

which 2 layers are is amazon responsible for

what is blue green deployment? compare with rolling/canary deployment

how does rollback deployment happen in blue/green? how does rollback happen in canary deployment?

customer wants suggestion on how many environments do they need

cust env passes validations in test env but fails in prod

cust env passes validations in all other env but fails in prod

what is continuous integration and continuous delivery

what is the difference between continuous delivery and continuous deployment

how do you set up ansible? how does ansible know which hosts to target

## Answer Question

118 people found this interview helpful





8 Jun 2022

## **Cloud Support Engineer I Interview**

Anonymous Interview Candidate in Herndon, VA





#### **Application**

I applied online. I interviewed at Amazon (Herndon, VA) in Jun 2022

#### Interview

Deployment/Devops. I was expecting and prepared for leadership principles because recruiter told me that's be about. He basically asked whatever was on the resume. It was difficult for me because I wasn't prepared for leadership principles because recruiter told me that's be about.

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#### **Interview Questions**

Why AWS and Amazon?

Why deployment?

Why, like, what's the benefit of using Ansible?

What's one thing that makes Ansible different from any other tool for example, Chef, Puppet or anything like Is Ansible agent or agentless?

What does it use to communicate with the host?

How does Ansible interact with the servers?

What have you automated so far in terms of that, like what have you configured on the host using Ansible pla You mentioned Docker what is Docker like if you want to generalize it, and how would you go about defining Is Docker container itself or container runtime?

Why would you use Docker? Over a virtual machine, and even an example?

Let's say I have like okay, I have a Docker image in Docker Hub. And I want to, like use that image to start a Docker your local laptop or an EC two instance what command would we use?

If I want to create an image Docker image. What command would I use?

What's the difference between Docker build and Docker Compose?

For example, let's say you have X number of Docker containers running on a machine right and maybe an inst or server or whatever. How would you check those containers like what command would you use?

Let's say there was seven containers running on a machine out of those two stops for some reason. And some hey, can we check what happened to those two containers? Like what can you do from here to see why those stopped?

Let's say paint shop for whatever reasons. And someone asks you like hey, can we check what happened there approach?

I was checking resume and it also says that you have experience with Eks elastic Kubernetes service. Yes. Like to begin with?

Can you give me a brief overview of what Jenkins is and what it does?

What are the components of Jenkins?

Does Jenkins have a concept of master slave if yes, do you know what it is?

Can you walk me through how would you? Let's say you write a code right and you want to push it to whateve You mentioned GitHub GitLab only push updated code?

Let's say you do this, but there is a conflict in the repo. How will you resolve it?

Now, you mentioned your work with CloudFormation and TerraForm. Why do you prefer one over the other?

Why would you use infrastructure code and what are the benefits of using that?

What language do you use? To write your code?

What have you so far coded? Using cloud formation or TerraForm? Like any major project to undertake and w for that? If yes, can you please talk about it?

Like what is the most ambitious thing you have done with IAC?

Any difficulty you face while writing this setup form template?

Let's say we create a new branch because let's say two people are working on the same project, but don't hav branches. How do you create a new branch?

Different deployment strategies one can take when they're deploying any application, or, you know, virtual m containers or anything like that.

But do you know what each of them mean? Like when we talked about rolling and versus blue and green? Key between those two?

familiar with Windows or Linux?

Personally, how do you connect to a Linux machine?

Let's say SSH is not working for some reason. How would you go over troubleshooting it?

What is the default port for SSH?

Let's say the server is running straight because you go to AWS console and you can see your instance running better system is still not working any have also checked up the inbound rule is correct and security group is a instances in public subnet. Any commands you can run to check where might be the issue lying with this? you ping it you get a response right? What does that mean?

when you use ping does it only check network connectivity or does it check connectivity on a specific port? What if you want to check connectivity on a certain website on a specific port, for example. You do Ping goog response right? It means that you can communicate with Google as in your laptop from where you ran that communicating with google.com Just fine. However, if you want to communicate with Google, let's say on por you check connectivity for that?

Let's say you create a website. Just for example, right? It's your own website, where you know you put in deta and stuff. And it's hosted on, let's say www yourname.com. Write your name means that can.com That's fine. that you get a response. We have been in this from your own laptop or computer whatever you use, right? It r connectivity is there however you want to communicate to your website on a specific port. For example, let t 8080 How would you check connectivity with your website on port 8080 Like what one would use? the command you will use to check both connectivity. To check port is open or not.

## **Answer Question**

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Anonymous Interview Candidate

X No Offer

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- X Negative Experience
- X Difficult Interview

### **Application**

I applied through a recruiter. I interviewed at Amazon in May 2022

#### Interview

Recruiter reached out, I applied. I passed the initial vetting process and the recruiter gave me a list of questio study for the interview. None of them were asked during the interview, the questions were almost all de

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#### **Interview Questions**

What happens when you type in "amazon.com" to your web browser?

### Answer Question

What distinguishes a local IP address from a public IP address? Why can't a local IP address be accessed from default?

#### Answer Question

Describe all the various HTTP requests and their functions.

### **Answer Question**

How would you secure a website beyond an SSL certification? How does SSL work?

## Answer Question

6 people found this interview helpful





22 May 2022

# **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Interview Candidate

- X No Offer
- Neutral Experience
- X Difficult Interview

#### **Application**

I interviewed at Amazon

#### Interview

Stressful but It could have gone better if I knew what I was talking about from the beginning. Very nice people ready. I will get the job for sure.

#### **Interview Questions**

What is your hobbies day to day?

### **Answer Question**

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14 May 2022

## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Employee

- ✓ Accepted Offer
- ✓ Positive Experience
- Average Interview

## **Application**

I applied online. I interviewed at Amazon

#### Interview

3 round Interview process

1 test basic customer problem solving of generic problem

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## **Interview Questions**

OSI Model Python Basics Previous experience

## **Answer Question**

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13 May 2022

## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Interview Candidate in Taipei

- X No Offer
- ✓ Positive Experience
- Average Interview

### **Application**

I applied online. I interviewed at Amazon (Taipei) in May 2022

#### Interview

They gave me a bunch of reading material regarding to the Network domain, and will test those in technical in for the OSI model, that appears the most in the interview.

## **Interview Questions**

Explain the 7 layer OSI model to me.

### **Answer Question**

3 people found this interview helpful





3 May 2022

## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Interview Candidate in Dallas, TX

- X No Offer
- ✓ Positive Experience
- X Difficult Interview

#### **Application**

I applied through college or university. I interviewed at Amazon (Dallas, TX)

#### Interview

Online APT, Telephonic screening, On-site interview(Total 4 rounds out of which 2 were Technical round + 2 round)

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## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

Anonymous Interview Candidate in Seattle, WA

- X No Offer
- ✓ Positive Experience
- Average Interview

#### **Application**

I applied online. The process took 2 weeks. I interviewed at Amazon (Seattle, WA) in May 2022

#### Interview

I applied for the CSE, I with Linux specialty.

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#### **Interview Questions**

- STAR format(Tell me about a time you dealt with a customer that was upset, tell me about a time you dealt v feedback, stuff like that)
- General Linux and networking knowledge. Nothing specific to AWS.

## **Answer Question**

1 person found this interview helpful



16 May 2022

## **Cloud Support Engineer Interview**

**Anonymous Interview Candidate** 

× No Offer

- X Negative Experience
- Average Interview

### **Application**

I applied through other source. I interviewed at Amazon in May 2022

#### Interview

Poor management from Amazon in terms of interview scheduling and communication.

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#### **Interview Questions**

Signed NDA, so won't be able to disclose.

### **L** Answer Question

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