

Exploring applications security services

Questions	Notes
Web application Firwall (WAF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• WAF helps you protect your web applications against common web attacks• Protects apps against common attack patterns• Protects against SQL iinjection• Protects against cross-site scripting• In The Real world:<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Protect your web application from cross-site scripting attacks (XSS): you can deploy a web application directly to an EC2 instance and protect it from cross-site scripting attacks using WAF.You can even deploy WAF on Cloudfront as part of your CDN solution to block malicious traffic.
DDOS Attacks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A DDos attack causes a traffic jam on website or web application in an attempt to cause it to crash
Sheild	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Always-on detection• Sheild standard is free: provides free protection against common and frequently occuring attacks• sheild advanced is a paid service: provides enhanced protections and 24/7 access to aws experts for a fee• DDoS protection via Shield advanced is supported on several services:<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ CloudFront◦ route 53◦ Elastic Load balancing◦ Aws global accelerator
Macie	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Macie helps you discover and protect sensitive data• uses machine learning• evaluate S3 environment• Uncovers personally identifiable information(PII)
things to remember to the EXAM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• WAF: protects against SQL injection and cross-site scripting attacks• Macie : Helps you find sensitive information• Sheild: provides DDOS protection and works with CloudFront , Route53 , Elastic load balancer , and aws global accelerator