

Software Development Life Cycle

# Lecture 2: Cloud Computing and AWS

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**Cloud Computing**



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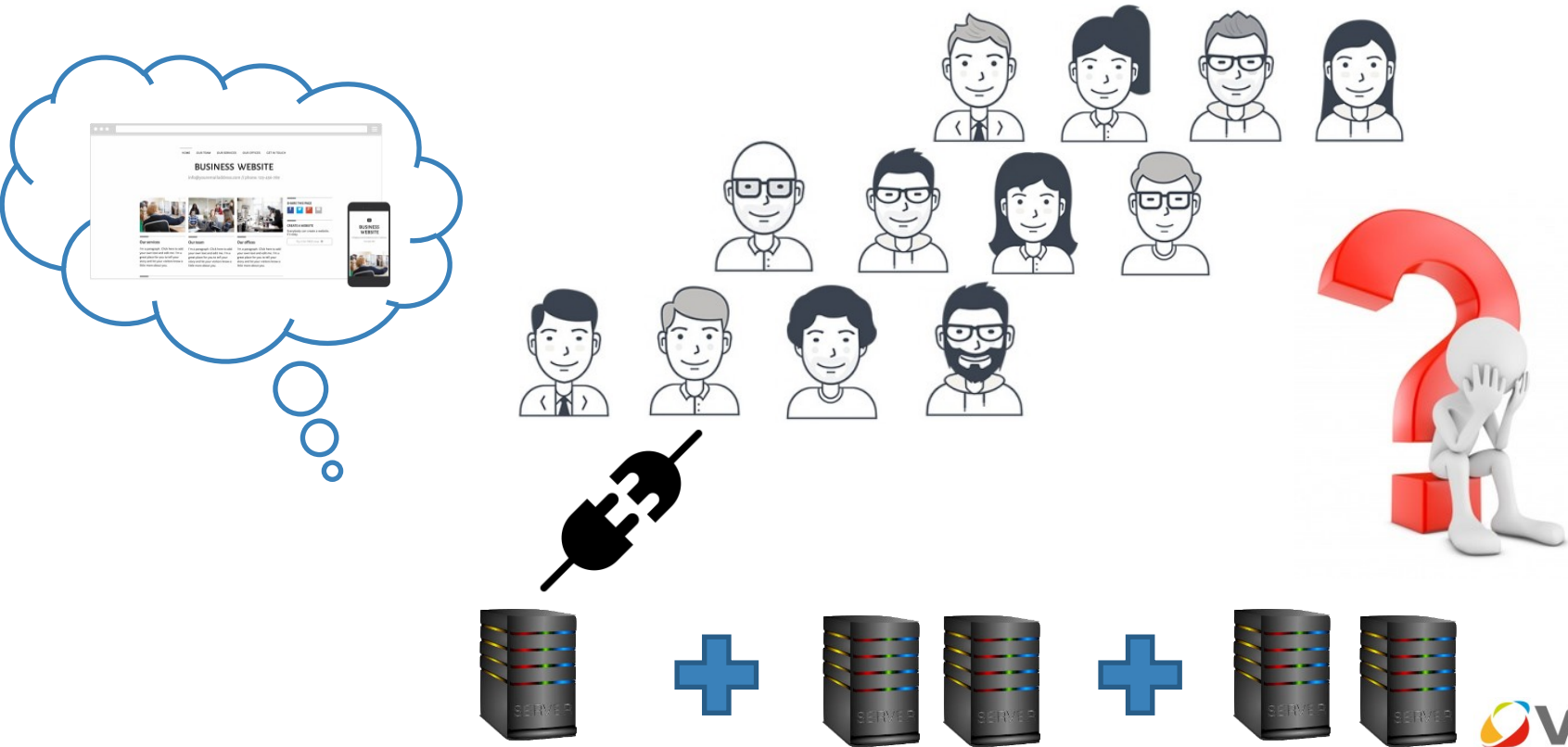
**AWS – Free Tier**

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# Cloud Computing

# Before Cloud Computing

Suppose you are operating a company and you want to host a website.



# Disadvantage of Traditional Systems



**Expensive to keep up running.**



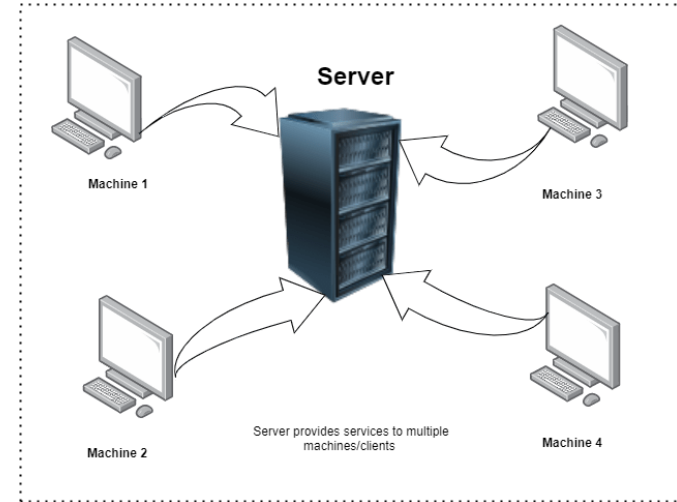
**Difficult to setup and maintain.**



**Need to keep monitoring resources.**



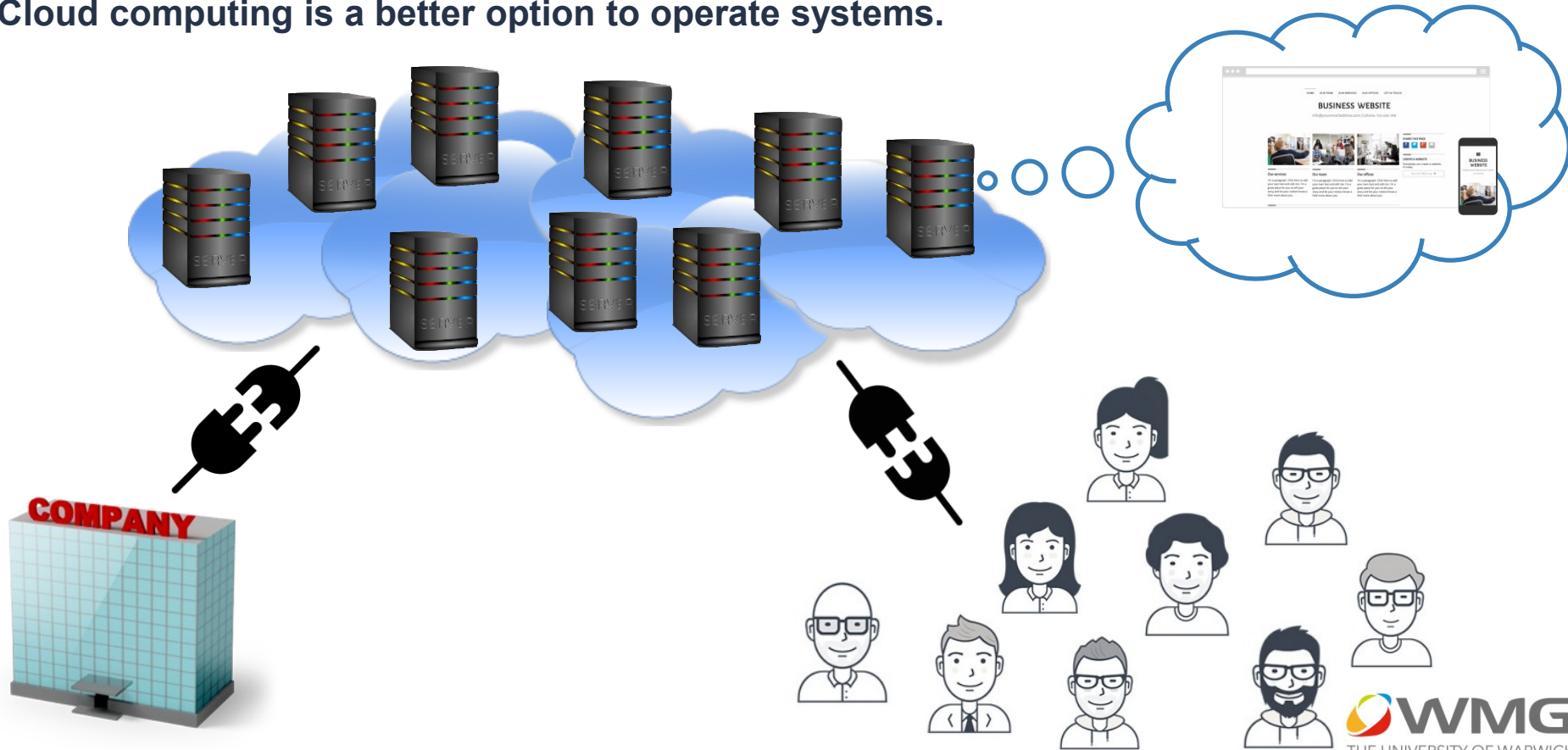
**Hard to reconfigure resources.**



*Source: awscloudguide.com*

# Cloud Computing Concept

Cloud computing is a better option to operate systems.



# Definition of Cloud Computing

*“**Cloud computing** is a model for enabling convenient, **on-demand network access** to a **shared pool** of configurable computing resources (e.g., networks, servers, storage, applications and services) that can be **rapidly provisioned and released** with **minimal management effort** or service provider interaction.”*

- National Institute of Standards and Technology -

*“**Cloud computing** is an information technology paradigm that enables **ubiquitous access** to **shared pools** of **configurable** system resources and higher-level services that can be **rapidly provisioned** with **minimal management effort**, often over the Internet.”*

- Wikipedia -



Source: Dreamstime.com

# Advantages of Cloud Computing

## ☐ **Cost efficiency**

- It does not need any physical hardware investments and hardware maintenance.

## ☐ **Almost unlimited resource**

- At any time it is possible to quickly extend storage capacity with nominal monthly fees.

## ☐ **Backup and restore data**

- Once the data is stored in the cloud, it is easier to get back-up and restore that data.

## ☐ **Improved collaboration**

- Cloud applications improve collaboration by allowing groups of people to quickly and easily share information.

## ☐ **Faster time to market**

- It can make down the deployment of new servers through cloud migration.

## ☐ **Mobility**

- Anyone who is working at the remote locations can easily access all the cloud services.

## ☐ **Automatic software integration**

- There is no need to take additional efforts to customise and integrate application as software integration will be done automatically.

## ☐ **Easy access**

- Clouds allow to quickly and easily access store information anywhere, anytime using an internet connection.



# Disadvantages of Cloud Computing

## ☐ No internet no access

- Without Internet connection, there is no cloud service available.

## ☐ Poor service with low bandwidth

- Depending on the speed of bandwidth, cloud service will be vary.

## ☐ Possible downtime

- Downtime should be considered such as power loss, low internet connectivity, service maintenance, etc.

## ☐ Vendor lock-in

- When in need to migrate from one cloud platform to another, a company might face some serious challenges.

## ☐ Security in the cloud

- Although cloud provide powerful security, hackers might access company's sensitive information.

## ☐ Lack of support

- Cloud may fail to provide proper support to the customers and FAQ or online help can be tedious job for non-technical persons.

## ☐ Limited control

- Because cloud infrastructure is owned and managed by the service provider, the cloud users have less control over the execution of services.

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Cloud Computing has **several common characteristics**:

- ☐ **Managed by cloud computing provider**
- ☐ **On demand self-service**
- ☐ **Broad network access**
- ☐ **Resource pooling**
- ☐ **Measured service**



Source: Dzone

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## Managed by Cloud Computing Provider

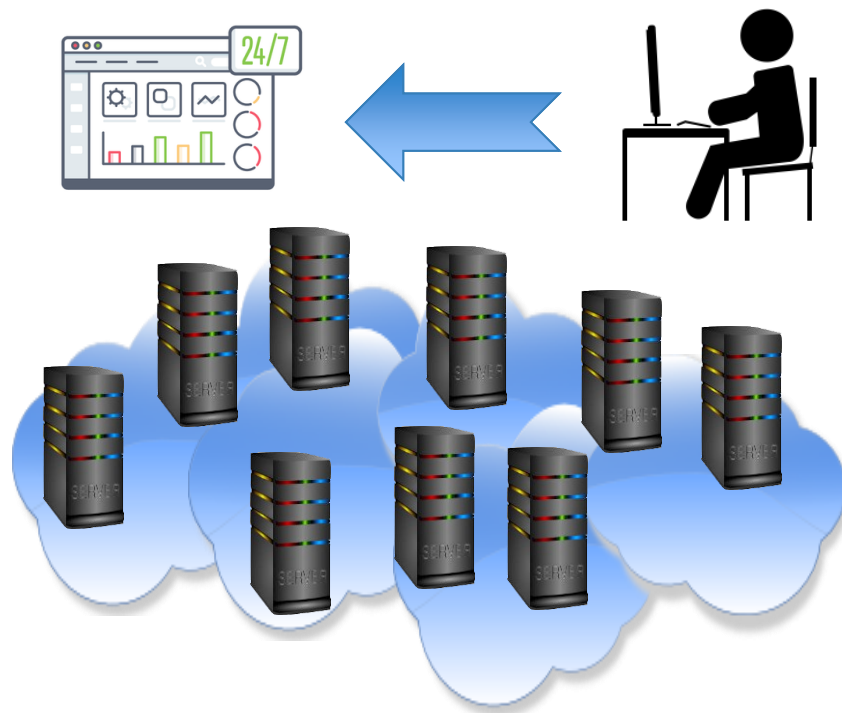
- ☐ There is no longer need to worry about **power, space, setup, maintenance**, etc.
- ☐ There is no longer need to understand **individual hardware** and **software configuration**.
- ☐ **Any software and hardware update** will be provided by **cloud computing providers**.



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## On Demand Self-service

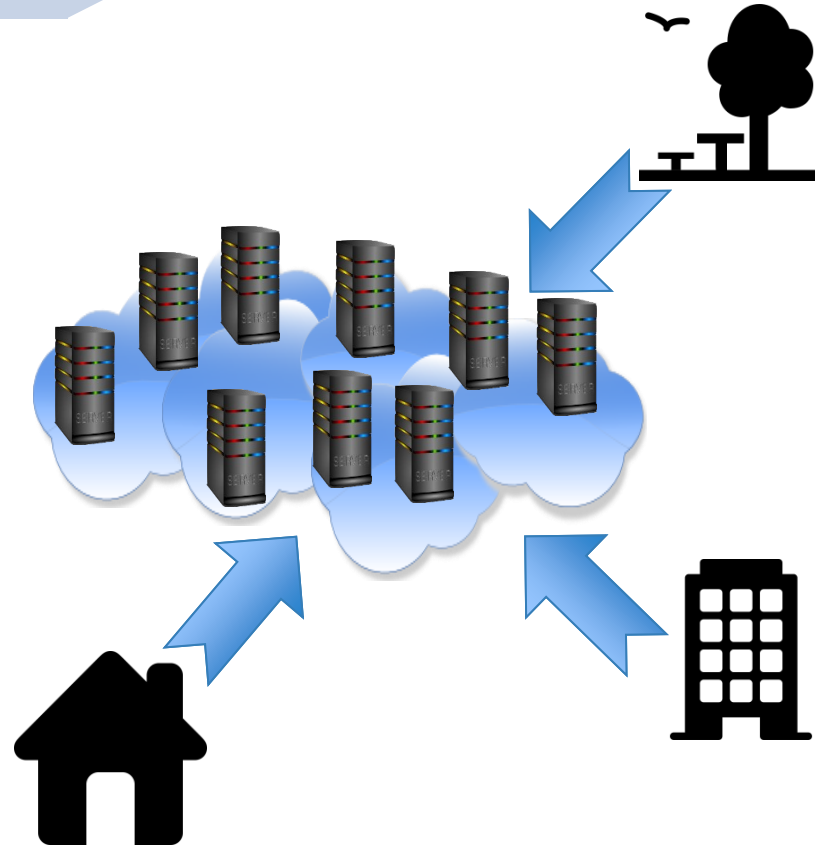
- Typically, cloud computing service providers **offer a self-service interface** to manage their resources.
- Customers allocate a new resource **by a number of clicks via the interface**.
- With minimal effort, new resource capacity is **automatically expanded or managed by customers**.
- It is managed automatically **without further technical assistance** needed from a cloud provider.



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## Broad Network Access

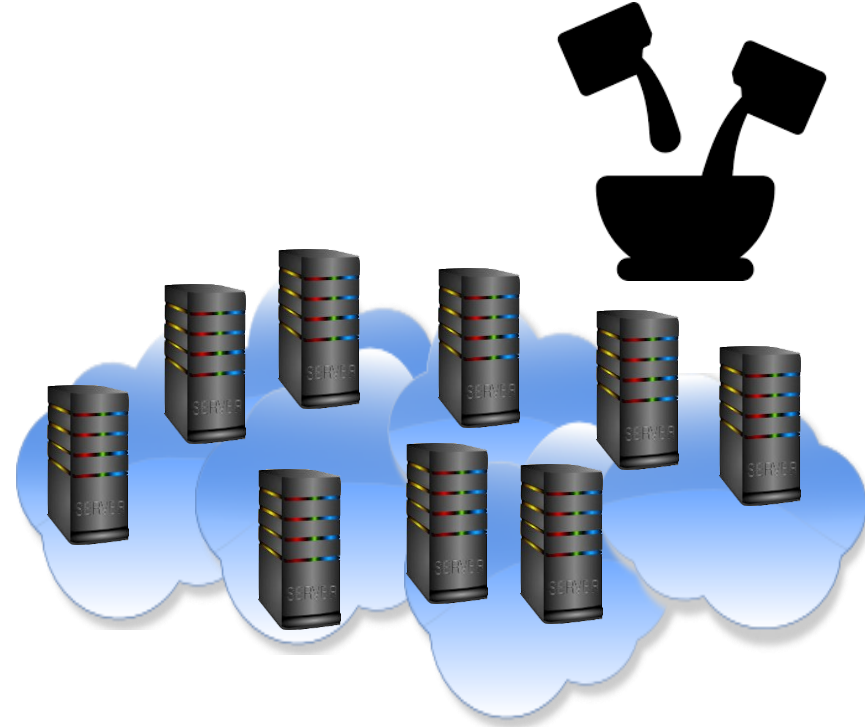
- ❑ Cloud computing service is **available** via **any networked devices and technologies**.
- ❑ It is oriented to “**anywhere, anytime**” service model.
- ❑ Cloud computing provides typically **24/7 service**.
- ❑ Cloud computing service is **accessible** even though there are **geopolitical turmoil or environmental threats** such as hurricane, earthquake, etc.



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## Resource Pooling

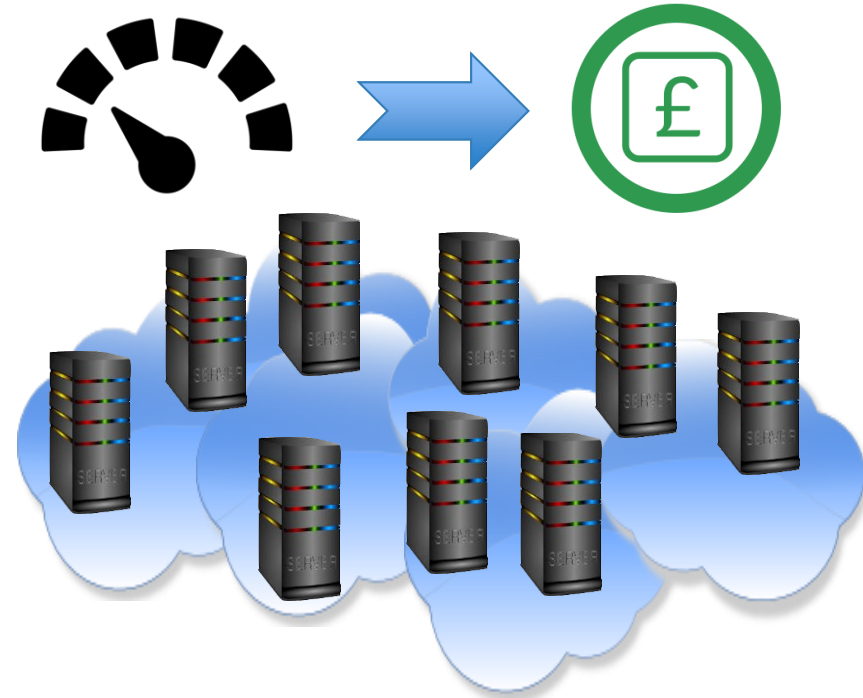
- ☐ Cloud computing resources are based on a **pooling mechanism**.
- ☐ Cloud computing providers use **virtualisation technique to manage their resources**.
- ☐ Depending to customer demand, different physical and virtual resources are **dynamically assigned and reassigned**.
- ☐ There is no longer need to know **the exact location of the provided resource**.



# Characteristics of Cloud Computing

## Measured Service

- ☐ Cloud computing customers are able to **keep track of their resources usage**.
- ☐ Cloud computing service providers can **charge customers only based on the resources used**.
- ☐ It might be possible to **setup alert or warning** message based on your service usage
- ☐ It even add **automatically shutdown** your service after a certain amount of usage.





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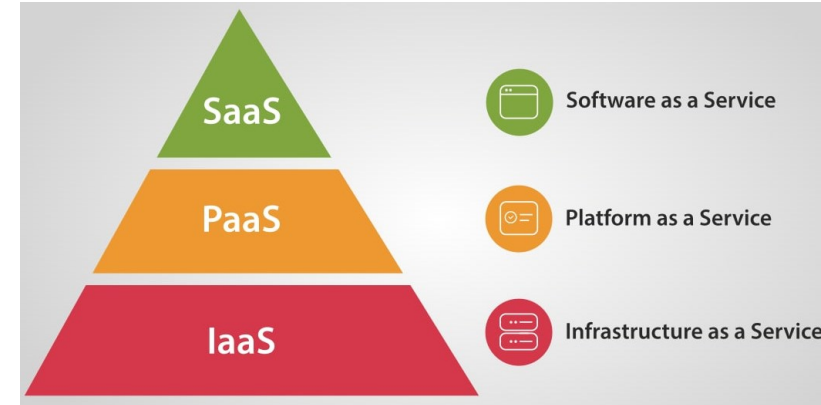
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- ❑ There are typically **three primary service models** in cloud computing:
  - **Software as a Service**
  - **Platform as a Service**
  - **Infrastructure as a Service**
- ❑ Cloud computing service providers often describe their **particular products with other names**:

- Storage as a Service
- Database as a Service
- Backup as a Service
- Communication as a Service
- Process as a Service

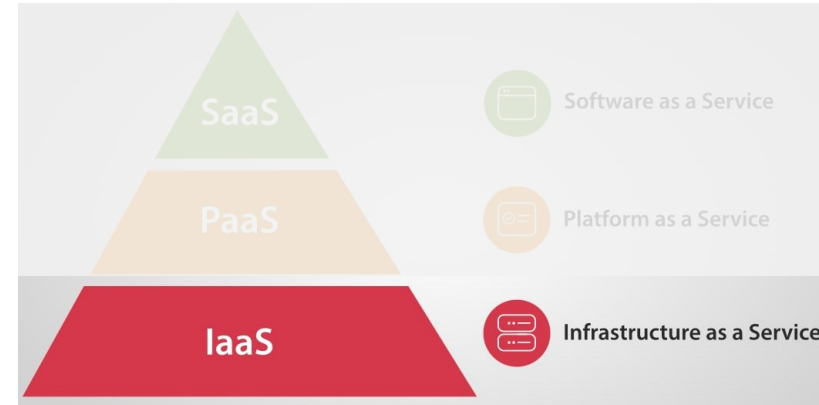
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# Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS)

- ☐ **IaaS** allows a customer almost **complete IT resource control** including hardware, network, operating systems and other IT resources such as applications, programming languages, database, storage, etc.
- ☐ IaaS is sometimes referred to as **Hardware as a Service**.
- ☐ IaaS requires a customer to **configure and maintain IT resources for their own use**.
- ☐ IaaS level is typically for **system administrators or enterprise planners**.

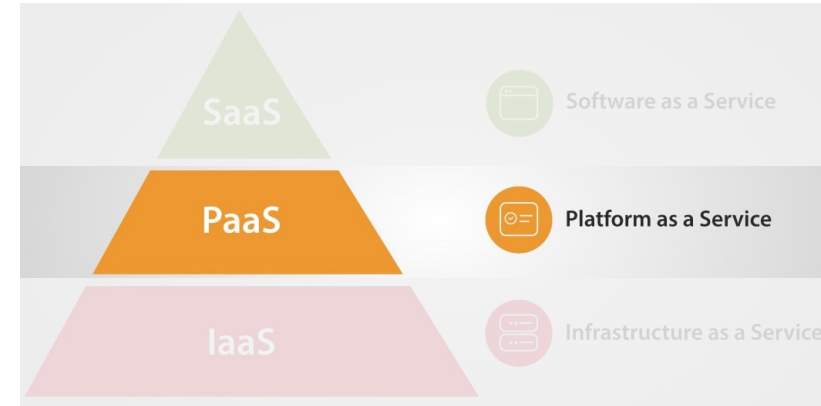


Google Compute Engine



# Platform as a Service (PaaS)

- ❑ **PaaS** provides a **pre-defined 'ready to use'** environment to a customer, which is already deployed and configured IT resource.
- ❑ **PaaS supports all the computing software** such as operating system, database, web server, programming environment.
- ❑ **PaaS customers only log in to use the platform to develop and deploy their applications through an interface.**
- ❑ **PaaS level is typically for application developers.**

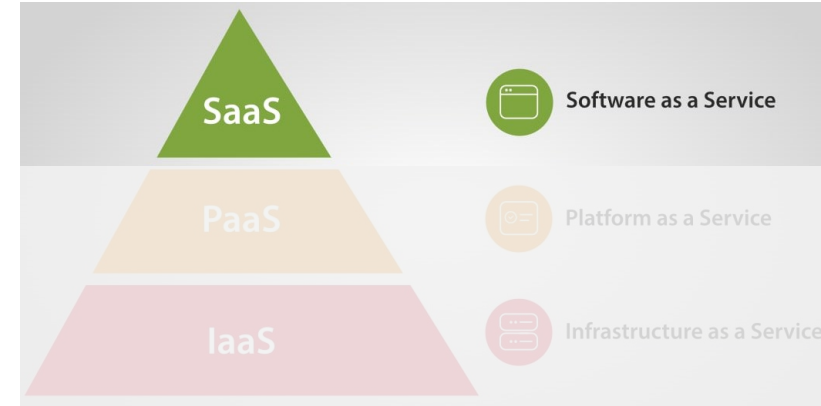


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# Software as a Service (SaaS)

- ☐ **SaaS** provides **various software applications** including email, word, excel, calendar, etc.
- ☐ SaaS is **available through a web browser** or very **thin client**.
- ☐ SaaS products are generally **pre-built without significant customisation**.
- ☐ SaaS **provides all maintenance**, including patch and update.
- ☐ SaaS is typically for **end users**.



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# Virtualisation



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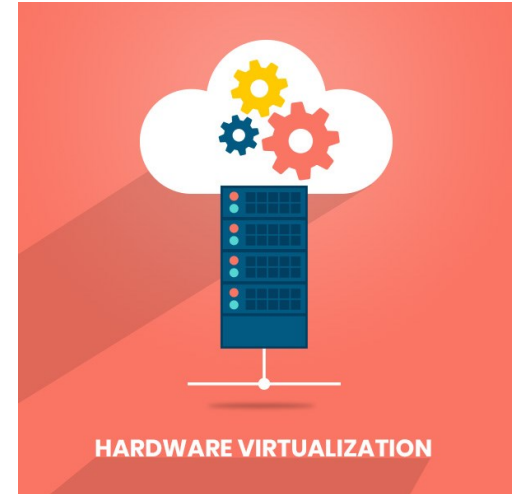
- ❑ **Virtualisation** plays a very important role in the cloud technology normally in the cloud computing such as users **share the data** in the clouds and also **share the infrastructure** with the help of virtualisation.
- ❑ Virtualisation is **the creation of a virtual version** of something which can be server, desktop, storage, operating system, network resource, etc.
- ❑ Virtualisation **allows to share a single physical instance of a resource** or an application among multiple customers and organisation.
- ❑ **A virtual machine** using virtualisation techniques provides **an environment that is logically separated** from hardware.
- ❑ The machine on which the virtual machine is going to create is known as **Host Machine** and that virtual machine is referred as **Guest Machine**.



Source: Opensource.com

# Virtualisation – Hardware Virtualisation

- ☐ Hardware virtualisation is **the virtualisation of hardware computing platform** as complete hardware platforms, certain logical abstractions of hardware, or only the functionality required to run various operating systems.
- ☐ Hardware virtualisation **hides the physical characteristics** of a computing platform from the users, presenting instead an abstract computing platform.
- ☐ It is **mainly done for the server platforms** because controlling virtual machines is **much easier than controlling a physical server**.
- ☐ The **virtual machine software** or **virtual machine manager** or **hypervisor software** is installed on the hardware for hardware virtualisation to control hardware resources.
- ☐ After virtualisation of hardware system, we can install **different operating system** on it and run **different applications**.



Source: Veritis Group Inc





# Virtualisation – Hardware Virtualisation Advantages



## More efficient resource utilisation

- Physical resources can be shared among virtual machine. The unused resources can be allocated to a virtual machine and be used by other virtual machines if the need exists.



## Lower overall costs

- Multiple operating systems can co-exist on a single hardware platform. The servers, space, and power consumption drops significantly.



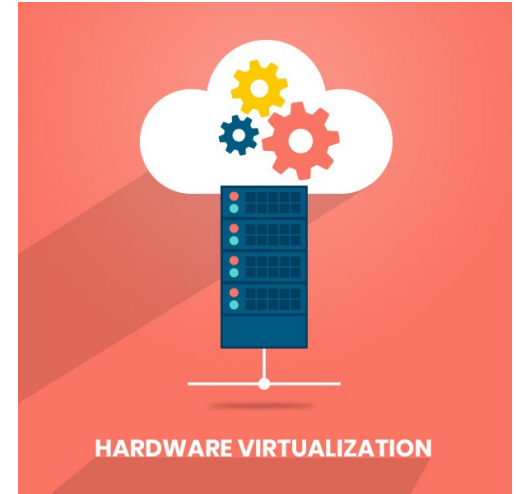
## Increased uptime

- The modern hypervisors provide highly orchestrated operations that maximise the abstraction of the hardware and help to ensure the maximum uptime.



## Increased IT flexibility

- Hardware virtualisation helps for quick deployment of server resources in a managed and consists ways. This provides the business with resources needed in good time.

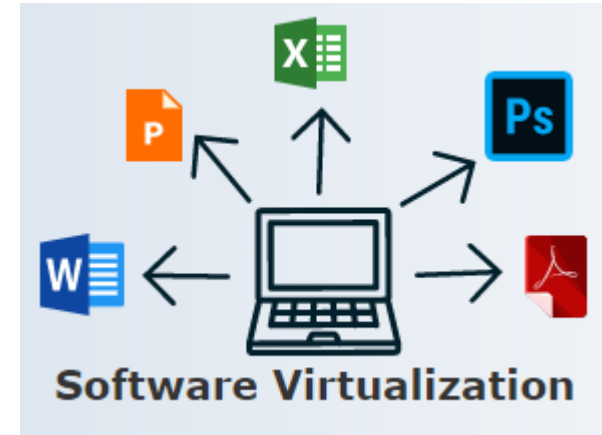


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# Virtualisation – Software Virtualisation

- ❑ **Managing applications and distribution** becomes a typical task for IT department.
- ❑ **Installation mechanism differs** depending on applications
- ❑ For example, some applications **require certain frameworks** and these applications may have **conflict with existing applications**.
- ❑ Software virtualisation is just like a virtualisation but **able to abstract installation procedure** and **create virtual software installations**.
- ❑ **Virtualised software** is an application that will be **installed into its own self-contained unit**.
- ❑ Examples of software virtualisation tools is **VMWare, Virtual Box, Docker**, etc.



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# Virtualisation – Software Virtualisation Advantages

## ☐ Client deployments become easier

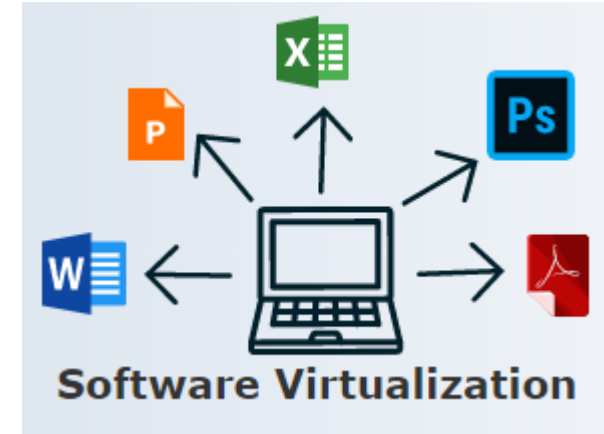
- It is **easy to install virtualised software** by copying a file to a workstation or linking a file in a network.

## ☐ Easy to manage

- Managing software updates becomes a simpler task. You may need to **update at one place** and **deploy the updated virtual application to the all clients**.

## ☐ Software migration

- Without software virtualisation, **moving from one software platform to another platform takes much time** for deploying and impact on end user systems.
- With the help of virtualised software environment, **the migration becomes easier**.

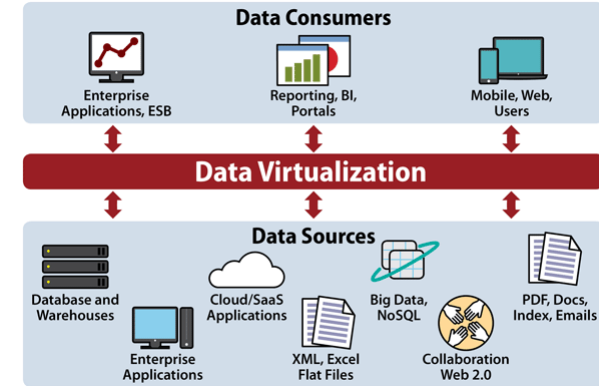


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# Virtualisation – Data Virtualisation

- ❑ Data virtualisation is an approach to data management that allows an application to **retrieve and manipulate data without technical details about the data**, such as how it is formatted at source, or where it is physically located.
- ❑ It **collects different types of data from different resources** and **allows users across the organisation to access the data** according to their work requirements.
- ❑ The data can be **accessed using any application** such as web portals, web services, E-commerce, Software as a Service, and mobile application.
- ❑ Data virtualisation can **reduce the risk of data errors, the risk of the workload moving data**.
- ❑ **Various abstraction and transformation techniques are used** to resolve differences in source, formats, and semantics.



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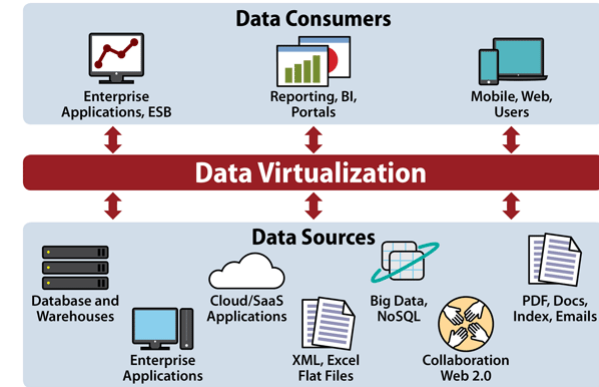


# Virtualisation – Data Virtualisation Advantages



The advantages of data virtualisation are:

- Allows users to access the data **without worrying about where it resides** on the memory.
- Provides **various security mechanism** that allows users to safely store their personal and professional information.
- Reduces costs by **removing data replication**.
- Provides **a user-friendly interfaces** to developer as customised views.
- Provides **various simple and fast deployment resources**.
- Increase business user efficiency by **providing data in real-time**.
- Is **used in various fields**, including business intelligence, service-oriented architecture data services, enterprise search, and cloud computing.
- Offers **better customer satisfaction, retention, and revenue growth**.



Source: Datamation



## **Communication & Technology**

- Data virtualisation is used, e.g., to increase revenue per customer, create a real-time operational data store for marketing, manage customers, improve customer insights, optimise customer care, etc.

## **Finance**

- Data virtualisation is used, e.g., to improve trade reconciliation, empowering data democracy, addressing data complexity, and managing fixed-risk income.

## **Healthcare**

- Data virtualisation helps, e.g., to improve patient care, drive new product innovation, and provide more efficient claims analysis.

## **Manufacturing**

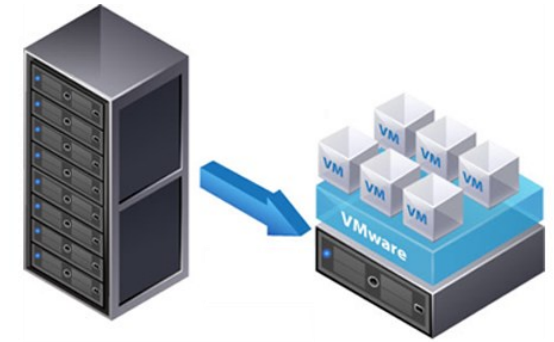
- Data virtualisation is used, e.g., to optimise a global supply chain, optimise factories and improve IT assets utilisation.

## **Government**

- Data virtualisation is used, e.g., to share data between organisation, protect data.

# Virtualisation – Server Virtualisation

- ☐ Server virtualisation is **the process of dividing a physical server into several virtual servers**, called virtual private server.
- ☐ Each virtual private server can be **run independently**.
- ☐ The concept of server virtualisation widely is used in the IT infrastructure **to minimise the costs by increasing the utilisation of existing resources**.
- ☐ It **reduces redundancy** without purchasing additional hardware component.
- ☐ Server virtualisation is common to use **in the testing and development environment**.
- ☐ However, when the main **physical server goes offline**, all the virtual servers hosted by **the server will also go down**. It must consider **fault tolerant mechanism** such secondary server.



**Server Virtualization**

*Source: Vents Magazine*

# Virtualisation – Server Virtualisation Advantages

## ☐ Independent Restart

- Each server can **restart independently** and does **not affect the working of other** virtual servers.

## ☐ Low Cost

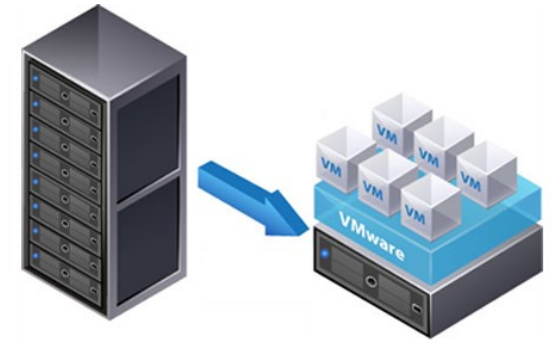
- Server virtualisation can **divide a single server into multiple** virtual private servers, so it reduces the cost of hardware component.

## ☐ Disaster Recovery

- In server virtualisation, data can easily and **quickly move from one server to another** and these data can be stored and retrieved from anywhere

## ☐ Faster Deployment of Resources

- Server virtualisation allows to **deploy resources in a simpler and faster** way.



Server Virtualization

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# Cloud Service Providers

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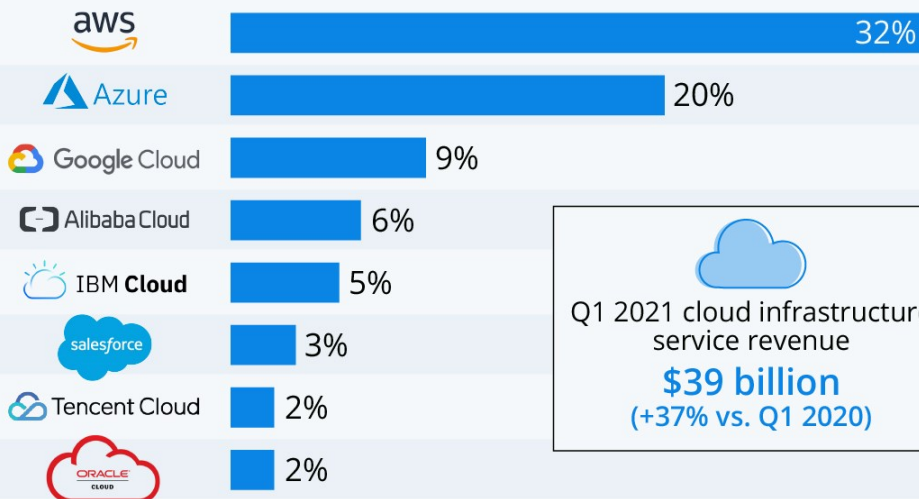
- ☐ Cloud service providers **offer various services** such as software as a service, platform as a service, infrastructure as a service, network services, business applications, mobile applications, and infrastructure in cloud.
- ☐ The cloud service providers **host these services** in a data centre, and users can **access these services** through cloud provider companies **using an Internet connection**.
- ☐ There are the following cloud service provider companies:
  - Amazon Web Services (AWS)
  - Microsoft Azure
  - Google Cloud Platform
  - Salesforce
  - Alibaba Cloud
  - IBM Cloud Services




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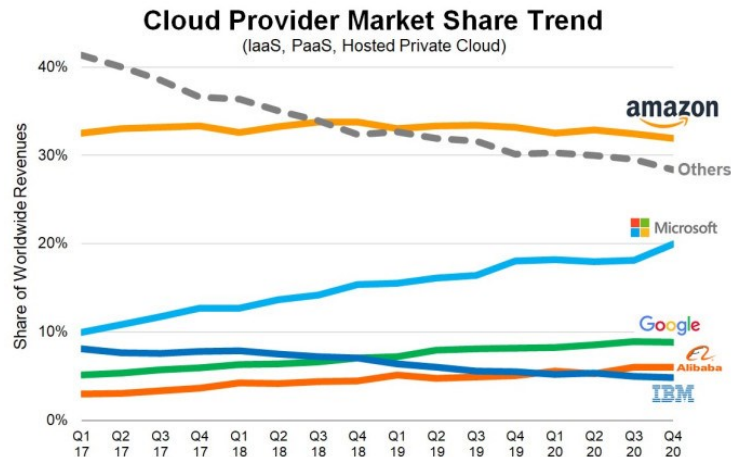
## Amazon Leads \$150-Billion Cloud Market

Worldwide market share of leading cloud infrastructure service providers in Q1 2021\*



  
Q1 2021 cloud infrastructure  
service revenue  
**\$39 billion**  
(+37% vs. Q1 2020)

Source: Statista



Source: Synergy Research Group

Source: TechCrunch



## Cloud Service Provider – Amazon Web Services

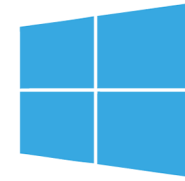
- ☐ **Amazon Web Services (AWS)** is a comprehensive cloud platform by e-commerce giant **Amazon**.
- ☐ AWS provides cloud services **from multiple availability zones (AZs)** spread across **regions of the world**.
- ☐ Each AZ contains one or more data centres and customers can **setup virtual machines and replicate their data** in multiple AZs in order to **have a highly resilient system**.
- ☐ AWS is **scalable** because it has an ability to scale the computing resources up or down **according to the organisation's demand**.
- ☐ AWS is **cost effective** as it works on a **pay-as-you-go pricing model**.
- ☐ The major AWS product categories: **Compute, Storage, Data management, Networking, Monitoring, Migration to AWS, Machine Learning, Databases**, etc.





## Cloud Service Provider – Microsoft Azure

- ☐ **Microsoft Azure** is a cloud computing service created by **Microsoft** for building, testing, deploying, and managing applications and services.
- ☐ Azure uses large-scale virtualisation at Microsoft data centres worldwide and it **offers more than 600 services**.
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Microsoft  
Azure

# Amazon Web Services

## Compute

- EC2**  
Virtual Servers in the Cloud
- EC2 Container Service**  
Run and Manage Docker Containers
- Elastic Beanstalk**  
Run and Manage Web Apps
- Lambda**  
Run Code in Response to Events

## Storage & Content Delivery

- S3**  
Scalable Storage in the Cloud
- CloudFront**  
Global Content Delivery Network
- Elastic File System**  
Fully Managed File System for EC2
- Glacier**  
Archive Storage in the Cloud
- Snowball**  
Large Scale Data Transport
- Storage Gateway**  
Hybrid Storage Integration

## Database

- RDS**  
Managed Relational Database Service
- DynamoDB**  
Managed NoSQL Database
- ElastiCache**  
In-Memory Cache
- Redshift**  
Fast, Simple, Cost-Effective Data Warehousing
- DMS**  
Managed Database Migration Service

## Networking

- VPC**  
Isolated Cloud Resources
- Direct Connect**  
Dedicated Network Connection to AWS
- Route 53**  
Scalable DNS and Domain Name Registration

## Developer Tools

- CodeCommit**  
Store Code in Private Git Repositories
- CodeDeploy**  
Automate Code Deployments
- CodePipeline**  
Release Software using Continuous Delivery

## Management Tools

- CloudWatch**  
Monitor Resources and Applications
- CloudFormation**  
Create and Manage Resources with Templates
- CloudTrail**  
Track User Activity and API Usage
- Config**  
Track Resource Inventory and Changes
- OpsWorks**  
Automate Operations with Chef
- Service Catalog**  
Create and Use Standardized Products
- Trusted Advisor**  
Optimize Performance and Security

## Security & Identity

- Identity & Access Management**  
Manage User Access and Encryption Keys
- Directory Service**  
Host and Manage Active Directory
- Inspector**  
Analyze Application Security
- WAF**  
Filter Malicious Web Traffic
- Certificate Manager**  
Provision, Manage, and Deploy SSL/TLS Certificates

## Analytics

- EMR**  
Managed Hadoop Framework
- Data Pipeline**  
Orchestration for Data-Driven Workflows
- Elasticsearch Service**  
Run and Scale Elasticsearch Clusters
- Kinesis**  
Work with Real-Time Streaming Data
- Machine Learning**  
Build Smart Applications Quickly and Easily

## Internet of Things

- AWS IoT**  
Connect Devices to the Cloud

## Game Development

- GameLift**  
Deploy and Scale Session-based Multiplayer Games

## Mobile Services

- Mobile Hub**  
Build, Test, and Monitor Mobile Apps
- Cognito**  
User Identity and App Data Synchronization
- Device Farm**  
Test Android, iOS, and Web Apps on Real Devices in the Cloud
- Mobile Analytics**  
Collect, View and Export App Analytics
- SNS**  
Push Notification Service

## Application Services

- API Gateway**  
Build, Deploy and Manage APIs
- AppStream**  
Low Latency Application Streaming
- CloudSearch**  
Managed Search Service
- Elastic Transcoder**  
Easy-to-Use Scalable Media Transcoding
- SES**  
Email Sending and Receiving Service
- SQS**  
Message Queue Service
- SWF**  
Workflow Service for Coordinating Application Components

## Enterprise Applications

- WorkSpaces**  
Desktops in the Cloud
- WorkDocs**  
Secure Enterprise Storage and Sharing Service
- WorkMail**  
Secure Email and Calendaring Service



# Over 200 Services

# Amazon Web Services – Certification

## Professional

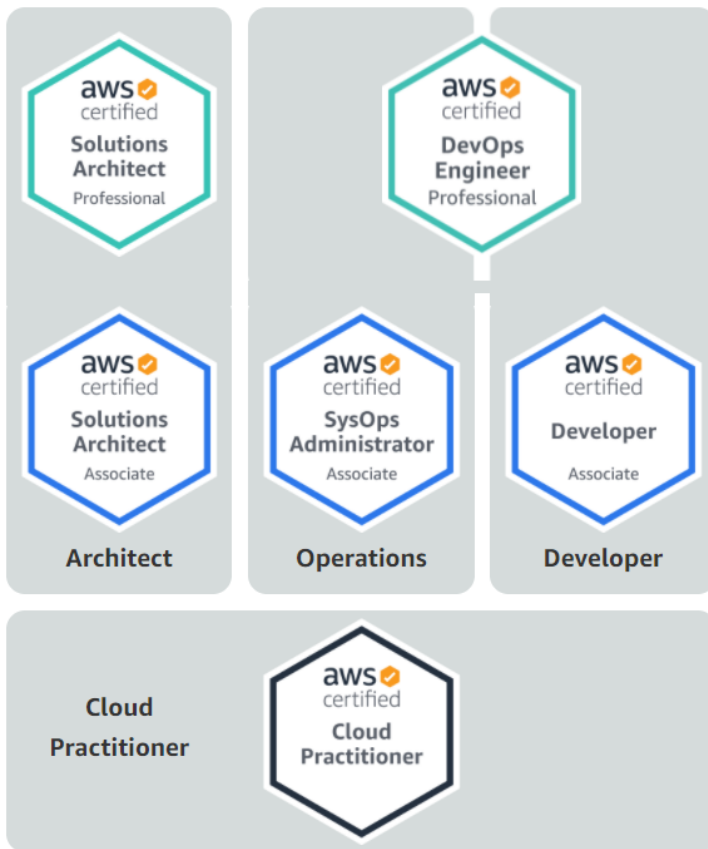
**Two years** of comprehensive experience designing, operating, and troubleshooting solutions using the AWS Cloud

## Associate

**One year** of experience solving problems and implementing solutions using the AWS Cloud

## Foundational

**Six months** of fundamental AWS Cloud and industry knowledge



## Specialty

Technical AWS Cloud experience in the Specialty domain as specified in the exam guide



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# Amazon Web Services



- ☐ **Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)** is a web service that provides secure, resizable **compute capacity in the cloud**.
- ☐ **EC2's simple web service interface** allows to obtain and configure capacity with minimal friction.
- ☐ EC2 offers the broadest and deepest compute platform with choice of **processor, storage, networking, operating system, and purchase model**.
- ☐ EC2 provides **reliable, scalable, infrastructure on demand** by increasing and decreasing capacity within minutes not hours or days.
- ☐ EC2 provides **secure compute for application** by supporting 89 security standards and compliance certification including PCI-DCS, HIPAA/HITECH/ FedRAMP, GDPR, etc.
- ☐ EC2 provides **flexible options to optimise cost** by paying only the computer you need.

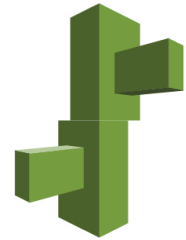


Amazon  
EC2



## Amazon Web Services – Elastic Beanstalk

- ☐ **AWS Elastic Beanstalk** is an easy to use service for **deploying and scaling web applications and services**.
- ☐ It supports **various languages** such as Java, .NET, PHP, Node JS, Python, Ruby, Go, and **servers running on docker** such as Apache, Nginx, Passenger, and IIS.
- ☐ Elastic Beanstalk is **the fastest and simplest way to deploy** an application on AWS as customers (typically developers) can simply upload the application code. Then, Elastic Beanstalk **automatically handles the deployment**.
- ☐ Elastic Beanstalk operates the infrastructure and manages the application stack for customers. So, **there is no need to spend the time or develop the expertise**.
- ☐ There is no additional charge for Elastic Beanstalk and so customers can **pay only for the AWS resources needed to store and run the applications**.



Amazon  
Beanstalk

- ☐ **Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3)** is an object storage service that offers **scalability, data availability, security, and performance**.
- ☐ Customers of all sizes and industries can **use S3 to store and protect any amount of data** for a ranges of use cases.
- ☐ The cases includes data lakes, websites, mobile applications, backup and restore, archive, enterprise applications, IoT devices and big data analytics.
- ☐ It is **designed for 99.999999999% (11 9's) of durability** and stores data for millions of applications for companies all around the world.
- ☐ It **saves costs without sacrificing performance** by storing data across the S3 Storage Classes, which **support different data access levels at corresponding rates** such as S3 Standard, S3 Intelligent-IA, S3 Glacier, etc.
- ☐ S3 gives **robust capabilities to manage access, cost, replication and data protection** using S3 Access Points.



Amazon  
S3

## Amazon Web Services – Lambda

- ☐ **AWS Lambda** is a **serverless computer service** that lets customers run code without provisioning or managing servers.
- ☐ With Lambda, customers can **run code for virtually any type of application** or **backend service** by uploading their code as a ZIP file or container image
- ☐ Lambda **automatically allocates computer execution power** and runs the code based on the incoming request or event for any scale of traffic.
- ☐ Customers can **write Lambda functions in any favourite language** (Node JS, Python, Go, Java, and more) and use both serverless and container tools such as Docker CLI.
- ☐ AWS Lambda **automatically scales customers' application** by running code in response to each event.
- ☐ With AWS Lambda, customers **only pay for the compute time**, so, customers are never paying for over-provisioned infrastructure.



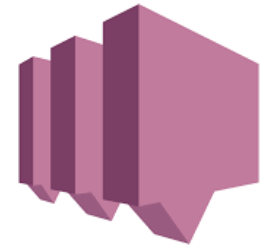
Amazon  
Lambda

- ☐ **Amazon Relational Database Service (RDS)** makes it easy to set up, operate, and scale a relational database in the cloud.
- ☐ It **provides cost-effective and resizable capacity** while automating time-consuming administration tasks such as hardware provisioning, database setup, patching and backups.
- ☐ RDS **frees customers to focus on their applications** so customers can give the fast performance, high availability, security and compatibility.
- ☐ RDA is **available on several database instance types** including Amazon Aurora, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MariaDB, Oracle Database, and SQL Server.
- ☐ Customers can **use the AWS Database Migration Service** to easily migrate or replicate the existing database to Amazon RDS.
- ☐ Customers **pay very low rates and only for the resources customers consume**.



Amazon  
RDS

- ☐ **Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS)** is a fully managed **messaging service** for both application-to-application (A2A) and application-to-person (A2P) communication.
- ☐ The A2A functionality **provides high-throughput, push-based, many-to-many messaging** between distributed systems, microservices, and event-driven serverless application.
- ☐ The A2P functionality enables to send messages or notifications to users at scale via **SMS, mobile push, and email**.
- ☐ Amazon SNS enables to **decouple applications into smaller, independent components** that are easier to develop, deploy and maintain.
- ☐ Amazon SNS is designed to **handle burst traffic patterns and enables customers to send millions of messages** per second.
- ☐ Amazon SNS has **no upfront costs**. Customers pay based on the number of messages, notifications and any additional API calls.



Amazon  
SNS

## Amazon Web Services – CloudFront

- ☐ **Amazon CloudFront** is a **fast content delivery network (CDN) service** that securely delivers data, videos, applications, and APIs to customers globally with low latency and high transfer speeds.
- ☐ Content delivery networks **provide a globally distributed network of proxy servers** that **cache content** to **improve access** for downloading the content.
- ☐ CloudFront **offers the most advanced security capabilities** including **field level encryption** and **HTTPS support** to protect against multiple types of attacks such as DDoS attacks.
- ☐ CloudFront is used by customers like Tinder and Slack **to secure and accelerate API calls** as well as **Websocket connections**.
- ☐ Amazon CloudFront is **integrated with AWS services** such as Amazon S3, Amazon EC2, Elastic Load Balancing, Amazon Route 53, and AWS Elemental Media Services for easy setup.



Amazon  
CloudFront

## Amazon Web Services – Auto Scaling

- ☐ **Amazon Auto Scaling** monitors customers' applications and **automatically adjusts capacity** to maintain steady, predictable performance at the lowest possible cost.
- ☐ Using Amazon Auto Scaling, it is **easy to setup application scaling for multiple resources across multiple service** in minutes.
- ☐ Amazon Auto Scaling **provides a simple, powerful user interface** that lets customers build scaling plans for resources.
- ☐ Amazon Auto Scaling is **available at no additional charge**. Customers pay only for the AWS resources needed to run applications and monitoring fee if it is used.
- ☐ For example, if your application uses Amazon EC2 and Amazon DynamoDB, you can **use AWS Auto Scaling to manage resource** provisioning for all of the EC2 Auto Scaling groups and database tables in your applications.



Amazon  
Auto Scaling



## Amazon Web Services – VPC

- ☐ **Amazon Virtual Private Cloud (VPC)** is a service that lets customers **launch AWS resources in a locally isolated** virtual network defined.
- ☐ Then, customers have **complete control over the virtual networking environment**, including selection of own IP address range, creation of subnets, and configuration of route tables and network gateways.
- ☐ VPC lets customers to **use multiple layers of security**, including security groups and network access control lists to help control access to Amazon resources.
- ☐ With Amazon VPC's simple set-up, customers **spend less time setting up, managing, and validating**, so customers can concentrate on building the application that run in their VPCs.



## Amazon Web Services – IAM

- ☐ Amazon identify an Access Management (IAM) **enables customers to manage access** to AWS services and resource securely.
- ☐ Using IAM, you can **create and manage AWS users and groups, and use permissions** to allow and deny their access to AWS resources.
- ☐ IAM is a feature of your AWS account offered at **no additional charge**. It will be **charged only for use of other AWS services by your users**.
- ☐ IAM also enables to **add specific conditions** such as times of day to control how a user can use AWS, their originating IP address, whether they are using SSL, or whether they have authenticated with a multi-factor authentication device.



Amazon  
IAM

# Amazon Web Services – DynamoDB

- ☐ **Amazon DynamoDB** is a **key-value and document database** that delivers single-digit millisecond performance at any scale.
- ☐ DynamoDB can **handle more than 10 trillion requests** per day and can **support peaks of more than 20 million requests** per second.
- ☐ **Hundreds of thousands of AWS customers** such as Airbnb, Samsung, Toyota, and Capital One have chosen DynamoDB as their key-value and document database for mobile, web, gaming, ad tech, IoT and other applications.
- ☐ DynamoDB **automatically scales tables up and down** to adjust for capacity and maintain performance.
- ☐ DynamoDB **provides both provisioned and on-demand capacity modes** so that customers **can optimise costs** by specifying capacity per workload, or paying for only the resources they consume.
- ☐ DynamoDB **supports ACID transaction** to enable customers to **build business-critical applications** at scale.



Amazon  
DynamoDB

# Amazon Web Services – CloudWatch

- ☐ **Amazon CloudWatch** is a **monitoring and observability service** built for DevOps engineers, developers, site reliability engineers and IT managers.
- ☐ CloudWatch provides **customers with data and actionable insights** to **monitor** their applications, **respond** to system-wide performance changes, **optimise** resource utilisation.
- ☐ CloudWatch **collects monitoring and operational data** in the form of **logs**, **metrics**, and **events**, providing a unified view of AWS resource, applications, and services that run on AWS.
- ☐ Customers can use CloudWatch to:
  - **Detect anomalous behaviour** in their environments
  - **Set alarms** and take automated actions
  - **Visualise logs** and metrics side by side
  - **Discover insights** to keep their applications running on smoothly.



Amazon  
CloudWatch

## Amazon Web Services – Lambda

- ☐ **Amazon FreeRTOS** is open source, real-time operating system for microcontrollers.
- ☐ It makes small, low-power edge devices easy to **program, deploy, secure, connect, and manage**.
- ☐ Distributed freely under the MIT open source license, FreeRTOS **include a kernel and a growing set of software libraries** suitable for use across industry sectors and applications.
- ☐ The FreeRTOS kernel is **trusted by world-leading companies** as the de facto standard for microcontrollers and small microprocessors with proven robustness, tiny footprint, and wide device support.
- ☐ With FreeRTOS, small, low-power devices **are easily allowed to connect AWS Cloud service** such as AWS IoT Core, AWS IoT Greengrass, etc.
- ☐ The FreeRTOS offers feature stability with **long term support release**.



Amazon  
freeRTOS

Cloud Computing and AWS

# AWS – Free Tier



## AWS Free Tier

- ☐ **The AWS Free Tier** provides customers the ability to explore and try out **AWS services free of charge up to specified limits** for each service.
- ☐ The Free Tier is comprised of three different types of offerings, a **12-month Free Tier**, an **Always Free offer**, and **short term trials**.
- ☐ Services with a 12-month Free Tier allow customers to **use the product for free up to specified limits for one year** from the date the account was created.
- ☐ Services with a Always Free offer allow customers to use the product for **free up to specified limits as long as they are an AWS customer**.
- ☐ Services with a short term trials are fee to use for a **specified period of time or up a one-time limit** depending on the service selected.





## AWS Free Tier

- ☐ The AWS Free Tier is **available to all types of customers** such as students, entrepreneurs, small businesses, etc.
- ☐ When your free usage expires, you simply pay **standard, pay-as-you-go service rates**.
- ☐ To avoid charges while on the AWS Free Tier, you must **keep your usage below the AWS Free Tier limits**.
- ☐ You can track AWS Free Tier usage and **set a billing alarm** to notify you **if you start incurring charges**.
- ☐ If you don't use the full benefits provided by the AWS Free Tier in a given month, the benefits **don't roll over to the next month**.





# AWS Free Tier – Services ( 1 )

## COMPUTE

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon EC2

# 750 Hours

per month

Resizable compute capacity in the Cloud.

750 hours per month of Linux, RHEL, or SLES t2.micro or t3.micro instance dependent on region

750 hours per month of Windows t2.micro or t3.micro instance dependent on region

## DATABASE

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon RDS

# 750 Hours

per month of db.t2.micro database usage (applicable DB engines)

Managed Relational Database Service for MySQL, PostgreSQL, MariaDB, Oracle BYOL, or SQL Server.

750 Hours per month of db.t2.micro database usage (applicable DB engines)

20 GB of General Purpose (SSD) database storage

20 GB of storage for database backups and DB Snapshots

## STORAGE

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon S3

# 5 GB

of standard storage

Secure, durable, and scalable object storage infrastructure.

5 GB of Standard Storage

20,000 Get Requests

2,000 Put Requests

# AWS Free Tier – Services ( 2 )

## DATABASE

Free Tier

ALWAYS FREE

Amazon DynamoDB

**25 GB**

of storage

Fast and flexible NoSQL database with seamless scalability.

25 GB of Storage

25 provisioned Write Capacity Units (WCU)

25 provisioned Read Capacity Units (RCU)

Enough to handle up to 200M requests per month.

## MOBILE

Free Tier

ALWAYS FREE

Amazon SNS

**1 Million**

publishes

Fast, flexible, fully managed push messaging service.

1,000,000 Publishes

100,000 HTTP/S Deliveries

1,000 Email Deliveries

## SECURITY, IDENTITY, & COMPLIANCE

Free Tier

FREE TRIAL

Amazon GuardDuty

**30 Days**

Free Trial

Intelligent threat detection and continuous monitoring to protect your AWS accounts and workloads.

30-day Free Trial

# AWS Free Tier – Services ( 3 )

## DEVELOPER TOOLS

Free Tier ALWAYS FREE

Amazon CloudWatch

**10**

custom metrics and alarms

Monitoring for AWS cloud resources and applications.

10 Custom Metrics and 10 Alarms

1,000,000 API Requests

5GB of Log Data Ingestion and 5GB of Log Data Archive

3 Dashboards with up to 50 Metrics Each per Month

## MOBILE

Free Tier 12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon API Gateway

**1 Million**

API Calls Received per month

Publish, maintain, monitor, and secure APIs at any scale.

1 Million API Calls Received per month

## DESKTOP & APP STREAMING

Free Tier FREE TRIAL

Amazon AppStream 2.0

**40 Hours**

per month use of the stream.standard.large instance type when using Image Builder

Stream desktop applications securely to a browser.

40 hours per month use of the stream.standard.large instance type when using Image Builder

# AWS Free Tier – Services ( 4 )

## STORAGE

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon CloudFront

# 50 GB

of data transfer out

Web service to distribute content to end users with low latency and high data transfer speeds.

50 GB of Data Transfer Out

2,000,000 HTTP or HTTPS Requests

## MACHINE LEARNING

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon Comprehend

# 50 K

units of text (5M characters) for each API per month

Continuously trained and fully managed natural language processing (NLP).

50K units of text (5M characters) for each API per month

5 Topic Modeling Jobs up to 1MB each per month for the first 12 months

## MEDIA SERVICES

Free Tier

12 MONTHS FREE

Amazon Elastic Transcoder

# 20 Minutes

of audio transcoding

Fully managed media transcoding service.

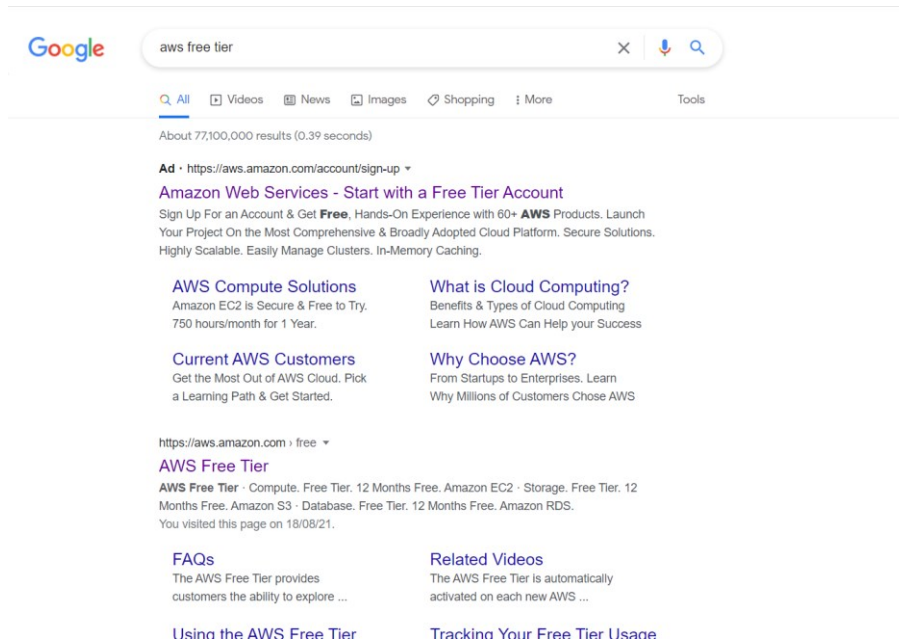
20 Minutes of Audio Transcoding

20 Minutes of SD Transcoding

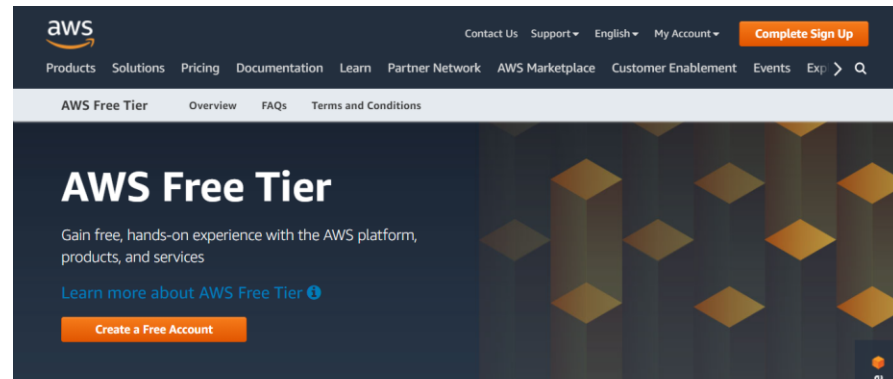
10 Minutes of HD Transcoding

# AWS Free Tier – Demo

## Search 'aws free tier' and Click **AWS Free Tier** link



Google search results for "aws free tier". The search bar shows "aws free tier" with a microphone icon. Below the search bar, it says "About 77,100,000 results (0.39 seconds)". The first result is an advertisement for "Amazon Web Services - Start with a Free Tier Account" with a link to "https://aws.amazon.com/account/sign-up". Below the ad, there are four links: "AWS Compute Solutions", "What is Cloud Computing?", "Current AWS Customers", and "Why Choose AWS?". At the bottom, there are two links: "Using the AWS Free Tier" and "Tracking Your Free Tier Usage".



The AWS Free Tier landing page. The header includes the AWS logo, navigation links (Products, Solutions, Pricing, Documentation, Learn, Partner Network, AWS Marketplace, Customer Enablement, Events), and a "Complete Sign Up" button. The main content area features the "AWS Free Tier" title, a description "Gain free, hands-on experience with the AWS platform, products, and services", and a "Create a Free Account" button. A "Chat Online" button is visible on the right side.

### Types of offers

Explore more than 100 products and start building on AWS using the Free Tier. Three different types of free offers are available depending on the product used. See below for details on each product.



# AWS Free Tier – Create Account ( 1 )

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## Sign up for AWS

### Select a support plan

Choose a support plan for your business or personal account. Compare plans and pricing examples. You can change your plan anytime in the AWS Management Console.

**Basic support - Free**

- Recommended for new users just getting started with AWS
- 24x7 self-service access to AWS resources
- For account and billing issues only
- Access to Personal Health Dashboard & Trusted Advisor

**Developer support - From \$25/month**

- Recommended for developers experimenting with AWS
- Email access to AWS Support during business hours
- 12 Developer-hour response times

**Business support - From \$100/month**

- Recommended for existing production workloads on AWS
- 24x7 tech support via email, phone, and chat
- 1-hour response time
- Full set of Trusted Advisor features and recommendations

**Need Enterprise level support?**  
Email: [aws-ent-support@amazon.com](mailto:aws-ent-support@amazon.com) or call: 1-800-451-0700

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aws

## Sign up for AWS

### Free Tier offers

All AWS accounts can explore 3 different types of free offers, depending on the product used.

**Always free**

Never expires

**12 months free**

Start from initial sign-up date

**Trials**

Start from service activation date

### Contact information

How do you plan to use AWS?

☐ Business - for your work, school, or organization

☐ Personal - for your own projects

Who should we contact about this account?

Full Name

Phone Number   
Enter your country code and your phone number.  
+1 202-333-4444

Country or Region

Address   
Apartment, suite, unit, building, floor, etc.

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aws

## Sign up for AWS

### Secure verification

We will not charge for usage below AWS's Free Tier limits. We temporarily hold \$1 USD off as a pending transaction for 3-5 days to verify your identity.

**Billing Information**

Credit or Debit card number

Expiration date

Cardholder's name

Billing address

☒ Use my contact address

☐ Use a new address

[Verify and Continue \(step 3 of 5\)](#)

Amount fee submitted by your bank's address to authorize the verification charge.

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Transaction Verification

1610463 5020776461: Amazon.com requires information using a One Time Password (OTP).

Business - 10100  
Date: 10/08/21  
Card: \*\*\*\*0000000000

If your registered contact details below are correct, please confirm. If not, please press cancel. You'll need to visit our website or contact us to update your details before continuing.

**Transaction Verification**

How can we verify your One Time Password (OTP) via text message? \*\*\*\*\*0000 with Reference ID: 10710

Mobile number: 101 100  
Date: 10/08/21  
Card: \*\*\*\*0000000000

Learn more  
Protect yourself from fraud

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## Sign up for AWS

### Confirm your identity

Before you can use your AWS account, you must verify your phone number. When you continue, the AWS automated system will contact you with a verification code.

How should we send you the verification code?

☒ Text message (SMS)

☐ Voice call

Country or region code

Mobile phone number

Security check

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## Sign up for AWS

### Confirm your identity

Verify code

[Continue \(step 4 of 5\)](#)

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# AWS Free Tier – Create Account ( 2 )

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**Sign up for AWS**

Explore Free Tier products with a new AWS account.  
To learn more, visit [aws.amazon.com/free](https://aws.amazon.com/free).



Email address  
You will use this email address to sign in to your new AWS account.

Password

Confirm password


**AWS account name**  
Choose a name for your account. You can change this name in your account settings after you sign up.  
Choose a name that is not already in use.

[Continue \(step 1 of 3\)](#)

[Sign in to an existing AWS account](#)

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**Congratulations**

Thank you for signing up for AWS.  
We are activating your account, which should only take a few minutes. You will receive an email when this is complete.

[Go to the AWS Management Console](#)

[Sign up for another account or contact sales.](#)

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**Sign in**

☒ **Root user**  
Account owner that performs tasks requiring unrestricted access. [Learn more](#)

☐ **IAM user**  
User with an account that performs daily tasks. [Learn more](#)

Root user email address

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**Security check**

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**Root user sign in**

Email:

Password [Forgot password?](#)


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

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**aws** Services ▾ Search for services, features, marketplace products, and docs [Mac OS]   London ▾ Support ▾

**AWS Management Console**

**AWS services**

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All services

**Build a solution**  
Get started with simple wizards and automated workflows.

**Launch a virtual machine**  
With EC2  
2-3 minutes

**Build a web app**  
With Elastic Beanstalk  
6 minutes

**Stay connected to your AWS resources on-the-go**

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## Summary

- ☐ **Cloud computing** enables convenient, **on-demand network access** to a **shared pool** of configurable computing resources that can be **rapidly provisioned and released** with **minimal management effort**.
- ☐ The advantages of cloud computing include **cost efficiency**, **unlimited resource**, **easy to backup and restore data**, **improved collaboration**, **faster to market**, **mobility**, **automatic software integration**, **easy to access**, etc.
- ☐ The disadvantages of cloud computing might be **no internet no access**, **poor service with low bandwidth**, **vendor lock-in**, **limited control**, etc,
- ☐ Cloud computing has several common characteristics including **managed by cloud computing provider**, **on demand self-service**, **broad network access**, **resource pooling**, **measured service**, etc.

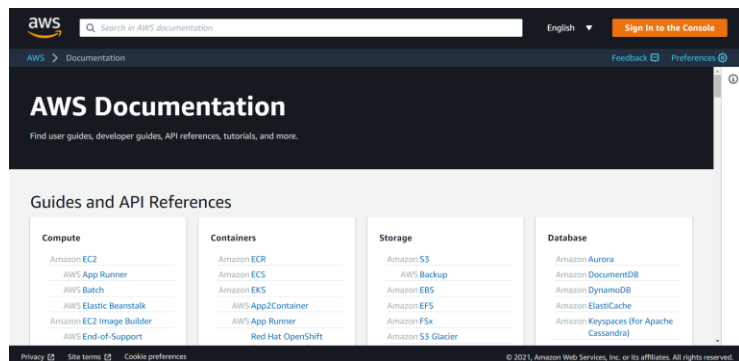


## Summary

- ☐ **Virtualisation** is a technique, which **allows to share** a single physical instance of a resource or an application among multiple customers and organisation.
- ☐ There are a number ways of virtualisation including **hardware virtualisation, software virtualisation, data virtualisation, server virtualisation**, etc.
- ☐ Cloud service providers offer three primary services **software as a service, platform as a service, infrastructure as a service**, etc.
- ☐ Among cloud service providers, **Amazon Web Service (AWS)** is the world's most comprehensive and broadly adapted cloud platform, **offering over 200 services**.
- ☐ **The AWS Free Tier** provides customers the ability to explore and try out **AWS services free of charge up to specified limits** for each service.



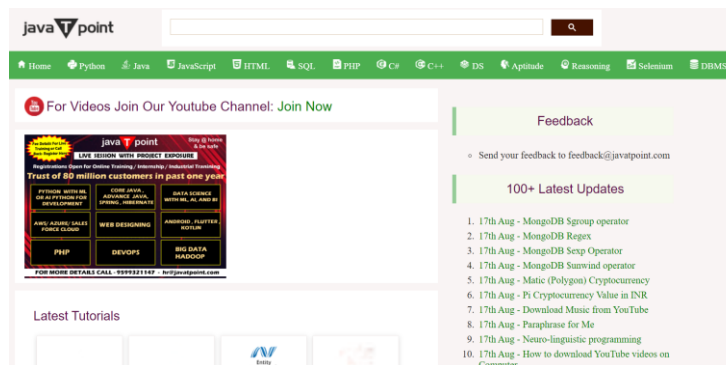
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