

# **Serverless Java**

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**...so I never worked. #java**



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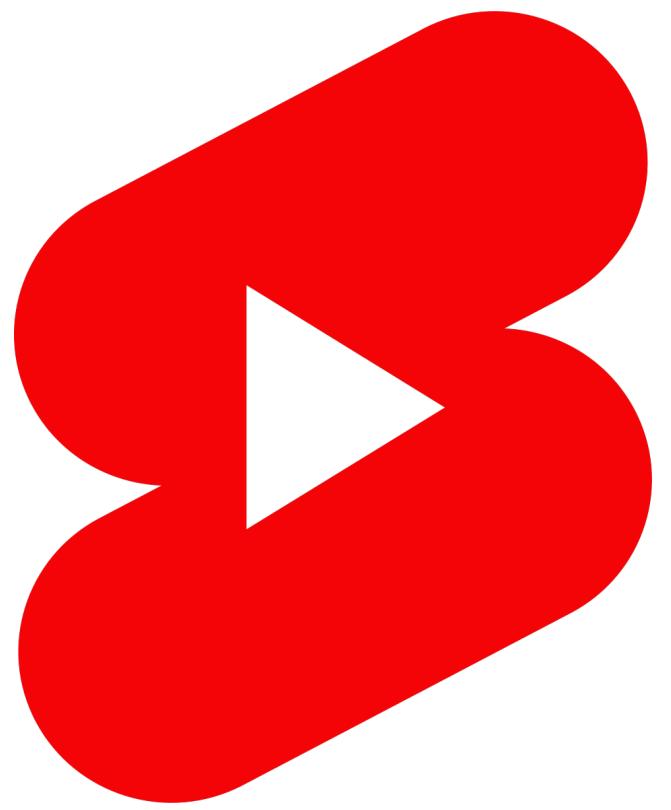
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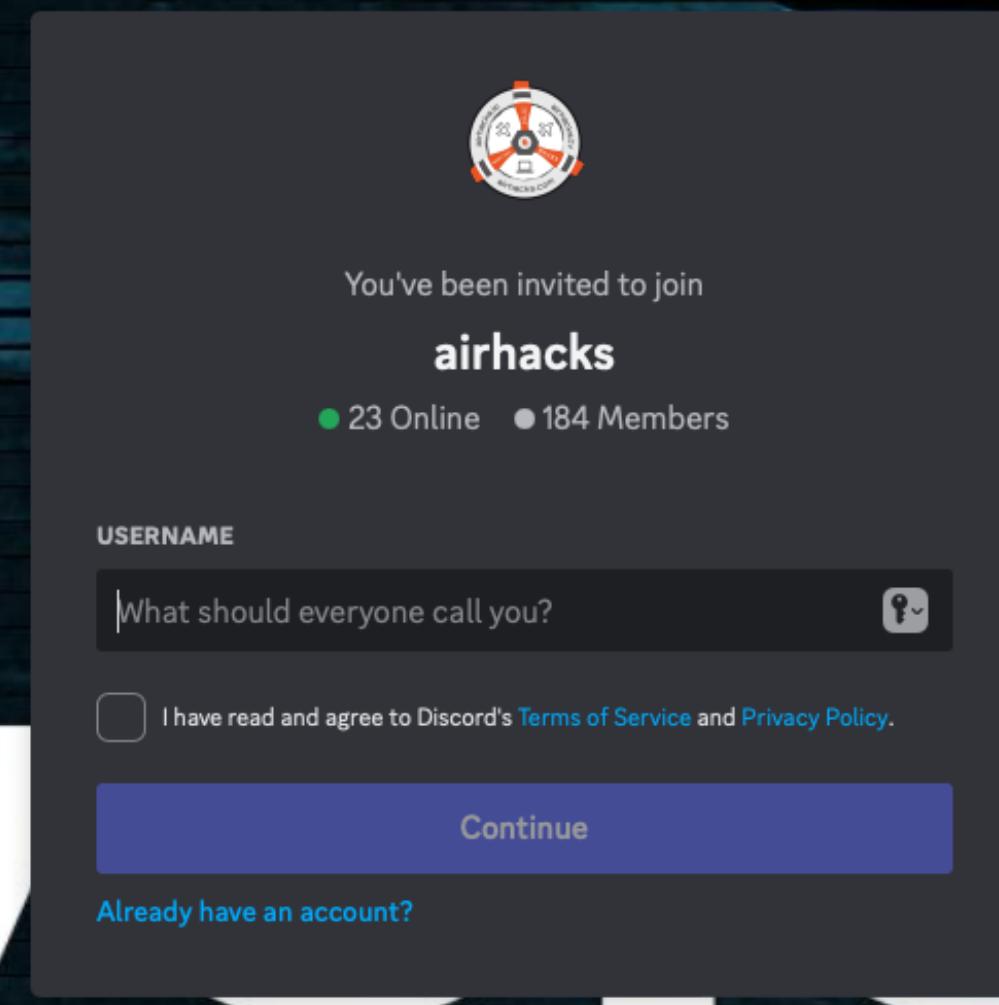
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**...I started with DevOps in 1995**

then continued with serverless computing in 2001 ...

# Green IT

	Total		
	Energy	Time	Mb
(c) C	1.00	(c) C	1.00
(c) Rust	1.03	(c) Rust	1.04
(c) C++	1.34	(c) C++	1.56
(c) Ada	1.70	(c) Ada	1.85
(v) Java	1.98	(v) Java	1.89
(c) Pascal	2.14	(c) Chapel	2.14
(c) Chapel	2.18	(c) Go	2.83
(v) Lisp	2.27	(c) Pascal	3.02
(c) Ocaml	2.40	(c) Ocaml	3.09
(c) Fortran	2.52	(v) C#	3.14
(c) Swift	2.79	(v) Lisp	3.40
(c) Haskell	3.10	(c) Haskell	3.55
(v) C#	3.14	(c) Swift	4.20
(c) Go	3.23	(c) Fortran	4.20
(i) Dart	3.83	(v) F#	6.30
(v) F#	4.13	(i) JavaScript	6.52
(i) JavaScript	4.45	(i) Dart	6.67
(v) Racket	7.91	(v) Racket	11.27
(i) TypeScript	21.50	(i) Hack	26.99
(i) Hack	24.02	(i) PHP	27.64
(i) PHP	29.30	(v) Erlang	36.71
(v) Erlang	42.23	(i) Jruby	43.44
(i) Lua	45.98	(i) TypeScript	46.20
(i) Jruby	46.54	(i) Ruby	59.34
(i) Ruby	69.91	(i) Perl	65.79
(i) Python	75.88	(i) Python	71.90
(i) Perl	79.58	(i) Lua	82.91

GraalVM™  
reduces RAM footprint

<https://sites.google.com/view/energy-efficiency-languages/results?authuser=0>

# motivation / facts

## Configure AWS Lambda [Info](#)



### Architecture

Arm



### Number of requests

2

### Unit

per second



### Duration of each request (in ms)

Duration is calculated from the time your code begins executing until it returns or otherwise terminates.

100

### Amount of memory allocated

Enter the amount between 128 MB and 10 GB

#### Value

2

#### Unit

GB



### Amount of ephemeral storage allocated

Enter the amount between 512 MB and 10,240 MB. The first 512 MB are at no additional charge, you only pay for any additional storage that you configure for the function.

#### Value

512

#### Unit

MB



► Show calculations

### Provisioned Concurrency [Info](#)

Total Upfront cost: 0.00 USD

Total Monthly cost: 15.07 USD

Show Details ▾

Save and view summary

Save and add service

## Configure AWS Fargate [Info](#)



### Operating system

Linux



### CPU Architecture

ARM



### Number of tasks or pods

Enter the number of tasks or pods running for your application

#### Value

1

#### Unit

per month



### Average duration

Enter the time period for which your tasks or pods are running. Pricing is per second with a 1-minute minimum (Linux) and a 15-minute minimum (Windows). Duration is calculated from the time you start to download your container image (docker pull) until the Task or Pod terminates, rounded up to the nearest second.

#### Value

30

#### Unit

days



### Amount of vCPU allocated

Enter the amount between 0.25 vCPU and 16 vCPU

1



vCPU selected supports memory values between 2 GB and 8 GB, in 1 GB increments

### Amount of memory allocated

8

#### Unit

GB



Total Upfront cost: 0.00 USD

Total Monthly cost: 50.38 USD

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## EC2 Instances (625)

Based on your inputs, this is the lowest-cost EC2 instance: **t4g.large**

Chosen instance: **t4g.large** | Family: **t4g** | 2vCPU | 8 GiB Memory

Search instance type

 *Search by instance name or filter by keyword*

Instance family [Info](#)

Any Instance f...

vCPUs

2

Memory (GiB)

8 GiB

Network performance

Any Network P...

Show only current generation instances.

< 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ... 63 > | 

Instance name ▾

vCPUs ▾

Memory ▾

Network Performance ▾

Storage



**t4g.large**

2

8 GiB

Up to 5 Gigabit

EBS only

Amazon EC2 Compute Savings Plans (Monthly): 33.07

Total Upfront cost: 0.00 USD

Total Monthly cost: 33.07 USD

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Save and view summary

Save and add service

## Configure Amazon RDS for PostgreSQL [Info](#)

Selected Instance:

**db.m4.large**

vCPU: 2

Memory: 8 GiB

### Utilization (On-Demand only)

With utilization, you still have to stop the instance to get the cost benefit. Utilization only affects OnDemand pricing for instances and not the storage, backups, etc.

Value

100

Unit

%Utilized/Month

### Deployment Option

Single-AZ

### Pricing Model

OnDemand

### ▼ Show calculations

1 instance(s) x 0.217 USD hourly x (100 / 100 Utilized/Month) x 730 hours in a month = 158.4100 USD

**Amazon RDS PostgreSQL instances cost (monthly): 158.41 USD**

**Amazon RDS PostgreSQL instances cost (upfront): 0.00 USD**

Total Upfront cost: 0.00 USD

Total Monthly cost: 188.80 USD

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# Specifications

Broadcom BCM2711, Quad core Cortex-A72 (ARM v8) 64-bit SoC @ 1.8GHz

1GB, 2GB, 4GB or 8GB LPDDR4-3200 SDRAM (depending on model)

2.4 GHz and 5.0 GHz IEEE 802.11ac wireless, Bluetooth 5.0, BLE

Gigabit Ethernet

2 USB 3.0 ports; 2 USB 2.0 ports.

Raspberry Pi standard 40 pin GPIO header (fully backwards compatible with previous boards)

2 × micro-HDMI® ports (up to 4kp60 supported)

2-lane MIPI DSI display port

2-lane MIPI CSI camera port

4-pole stereo audio and composite video port

H.265 (4kp60 decode), H264 (1080p60 decode, 1080p30 encode)

OpenGL ES 3.1, Vulkan 1.0

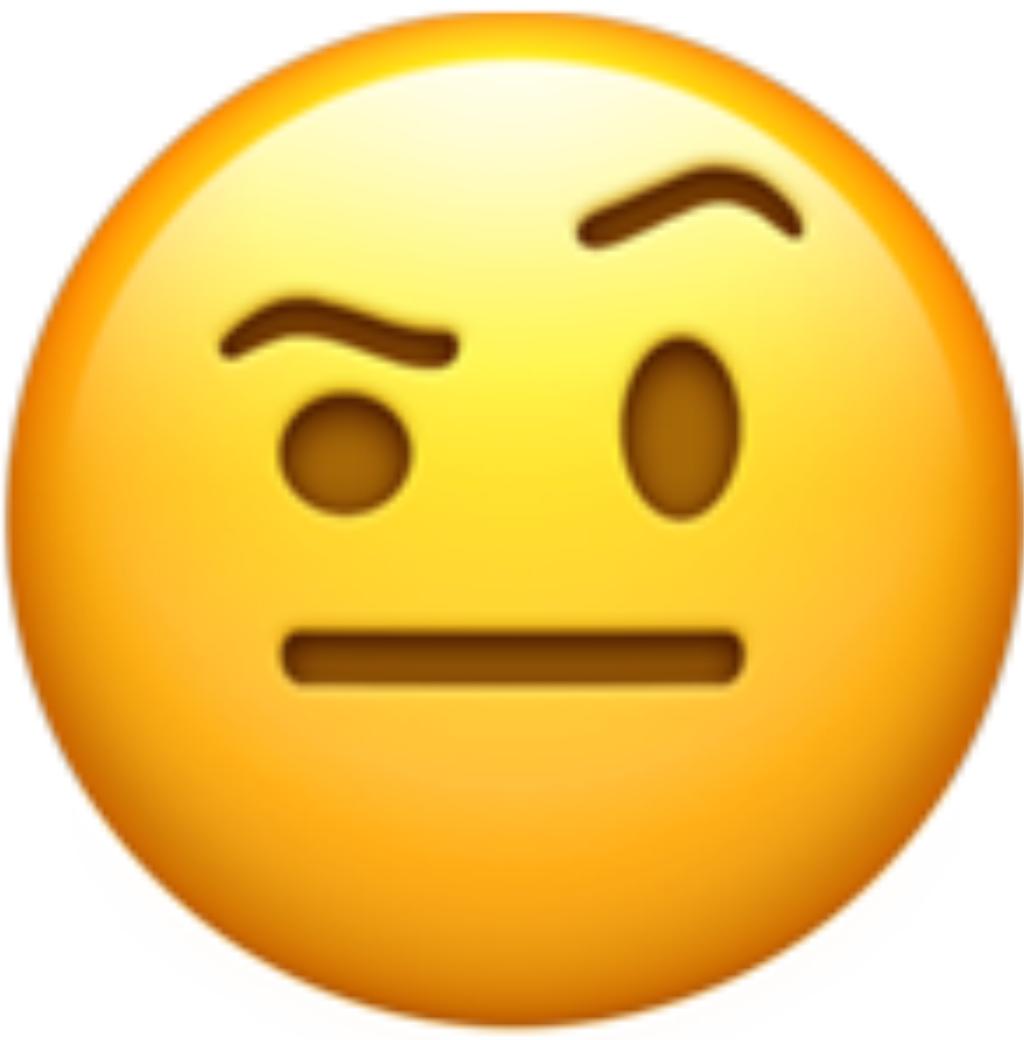
Micro-SD card slot for loading operating system and data storage

5V DC via USB-C connector (minimum 3A\*)

5V DC via GPIO header (minimum 3A\*)

Power over Ethernet (PoE) enabled (requires separate PoE HAT)

Operating temperature: 0 – 50 degrees C ambient



# The Runtime (R)Evolution

**business logic**

**MicroProfile**

**AWS Lambda**

**business logic**

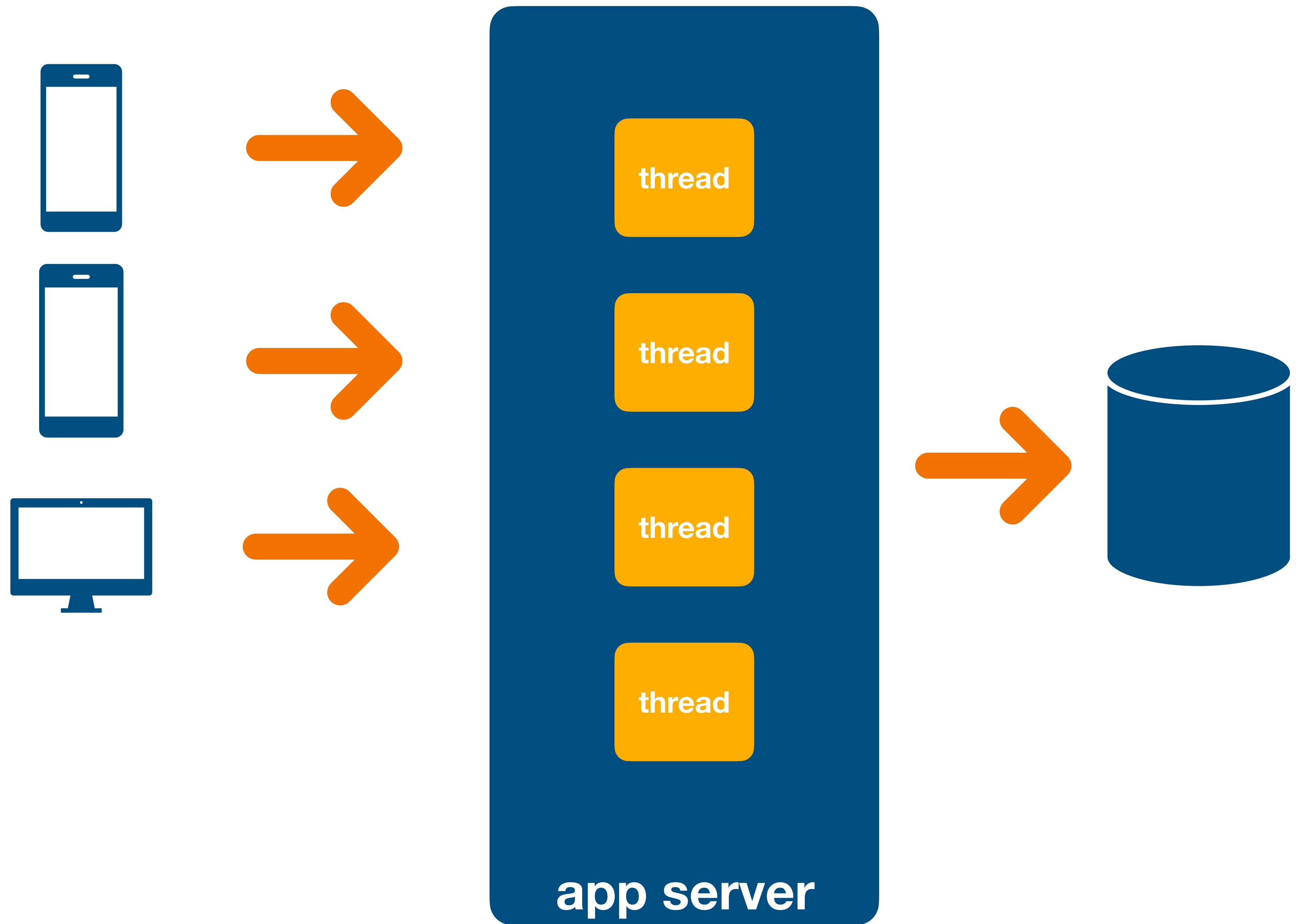
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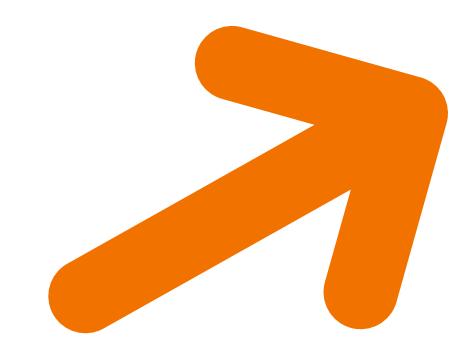
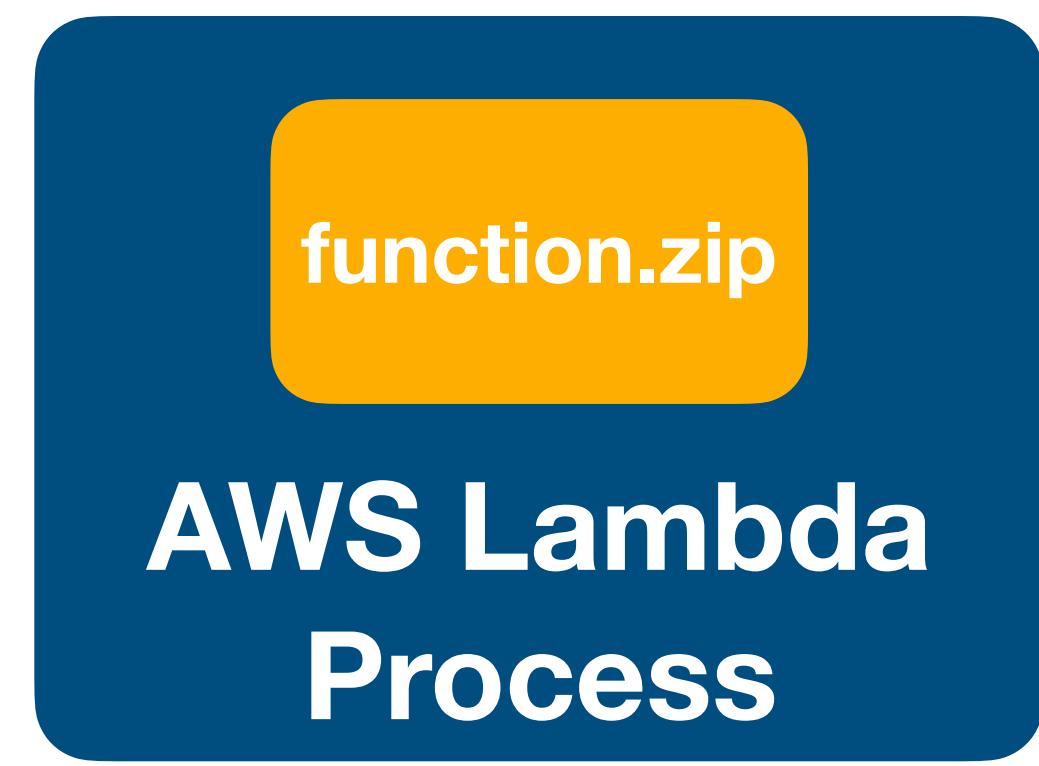
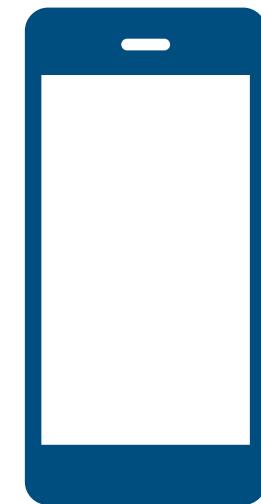
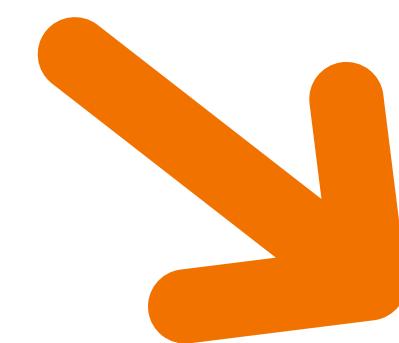
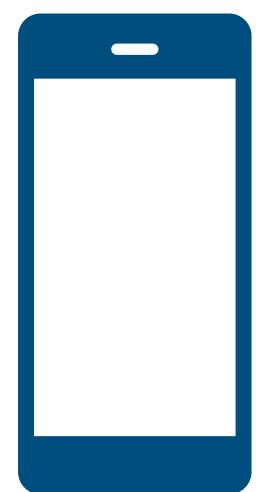
**Java SE / bare metal**

**business logic**

**MicroProfile**

**containerized**





# cloud native / serverless





# cost driven architectures

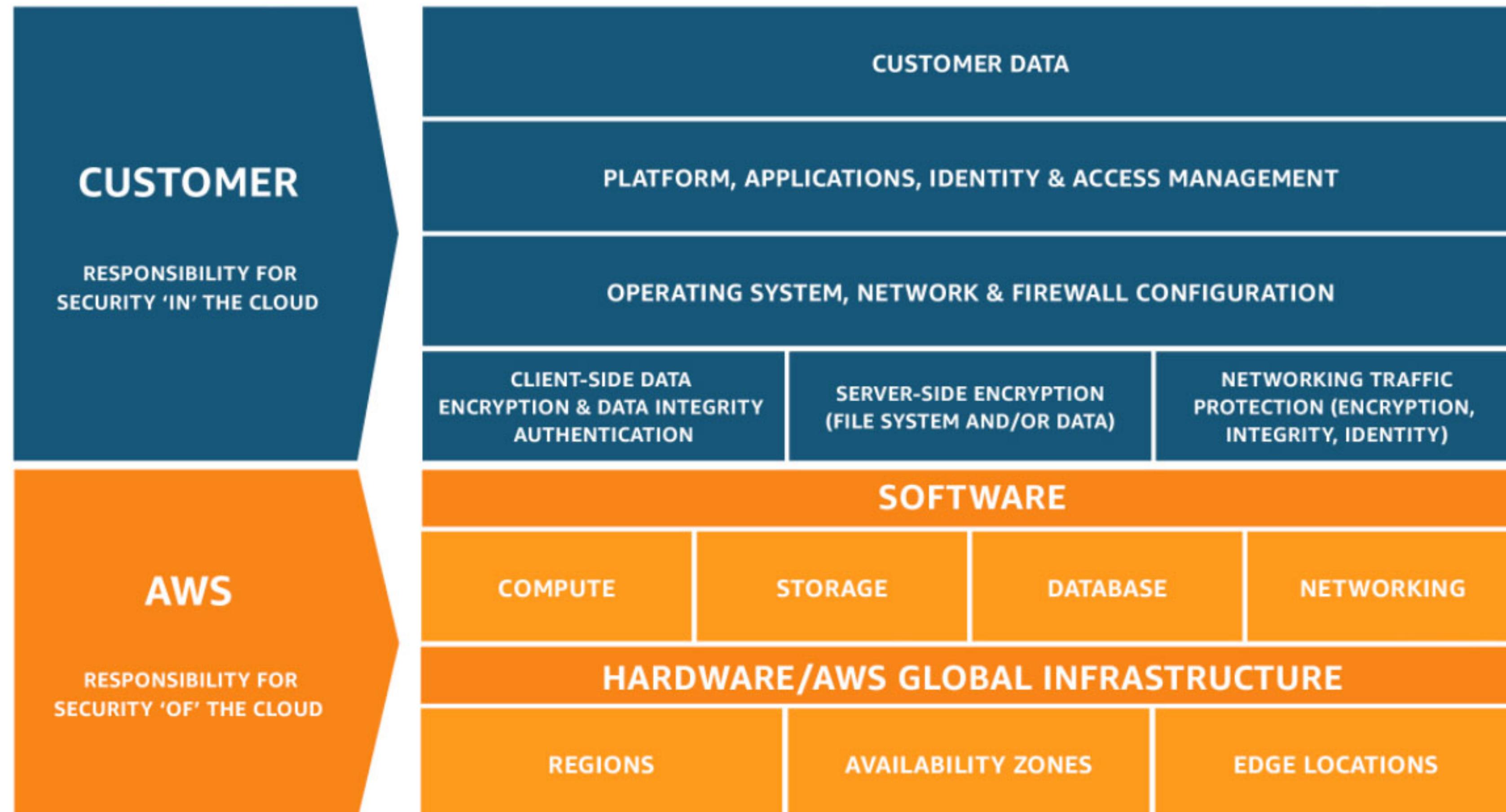
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- switching costs



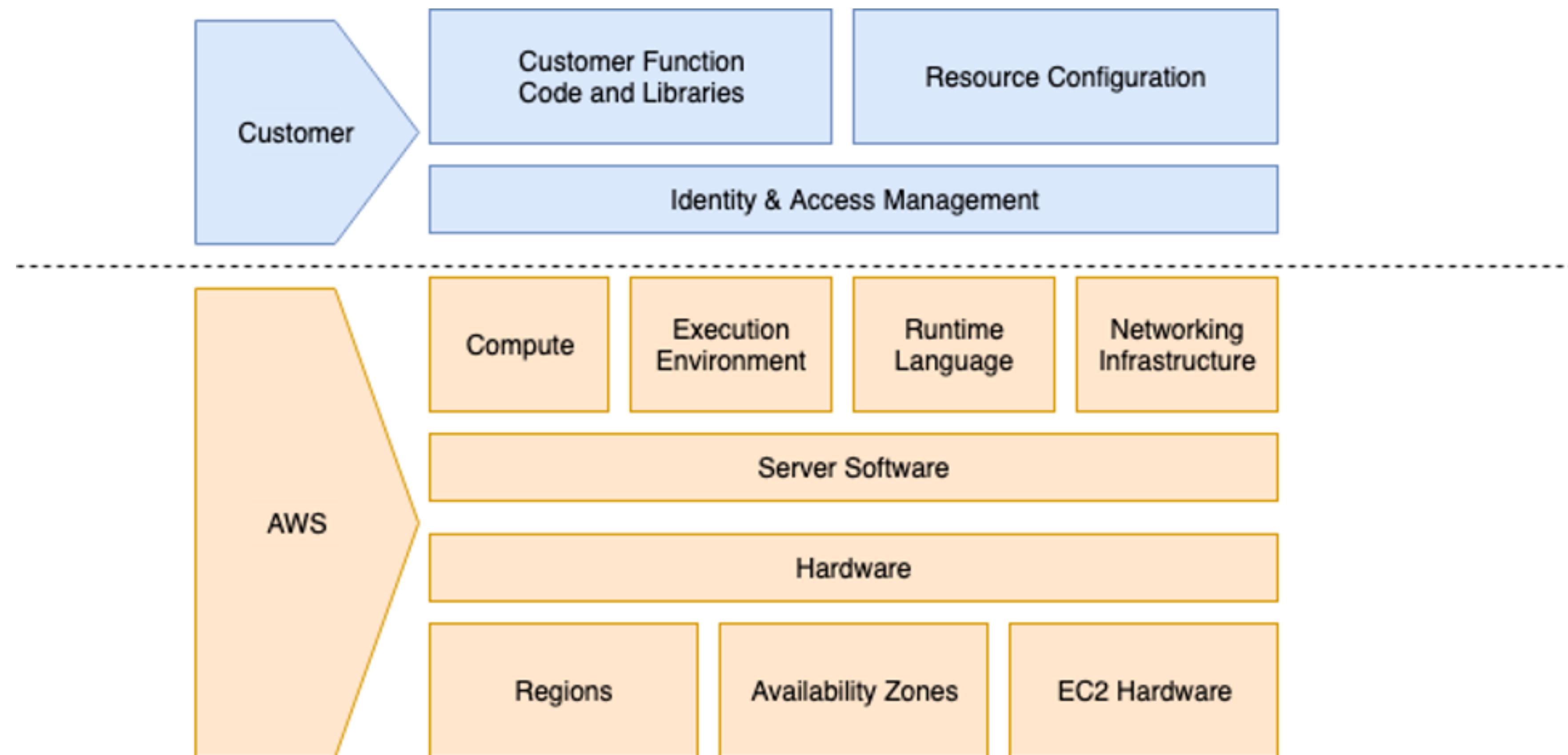
- code portability
- infrastructure portability
- ...data portability

# boring (like on-premise)...



<https://aws.amazon.com/compliance/shared-responsibility-model/>

# ...clouds



<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/whitepapers/latest/security-overview-aws-lambda/the-shared-responsibility-model.html>

# AWS Organizations

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<https://aws.amazon.com/organizations/>

# AWS IAM Identity Center

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<https://aws.amazon.com/iam/identity-center/>

# **Customer Carbon Footprint Tool**

# **DevOps? NoOps!**

DEFINITION

# NoOps (no operations)



By **Rahul Awati**

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## What is NoOps (no operations)?

NoOps (no operations) is a concept that an IT environment can become so automated and abstracted from the underlying [infrastructure](#) that there's no need for a dedicated team to manage [software](#) in-house.

First coined by research and advisory company Forrester, the term describes the goal of NoOps as to "improve the process of deploying [applications](#)" so that "application developers will never have to speak with an [operations](#) professional again." Forrester's Mike Gualtieri called [DevOps](#) "a step backward" even though, in his short 2011 article, he wrote that he admires its goal to improve application [release](#) deployment processes.

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# Infrastructure as Code

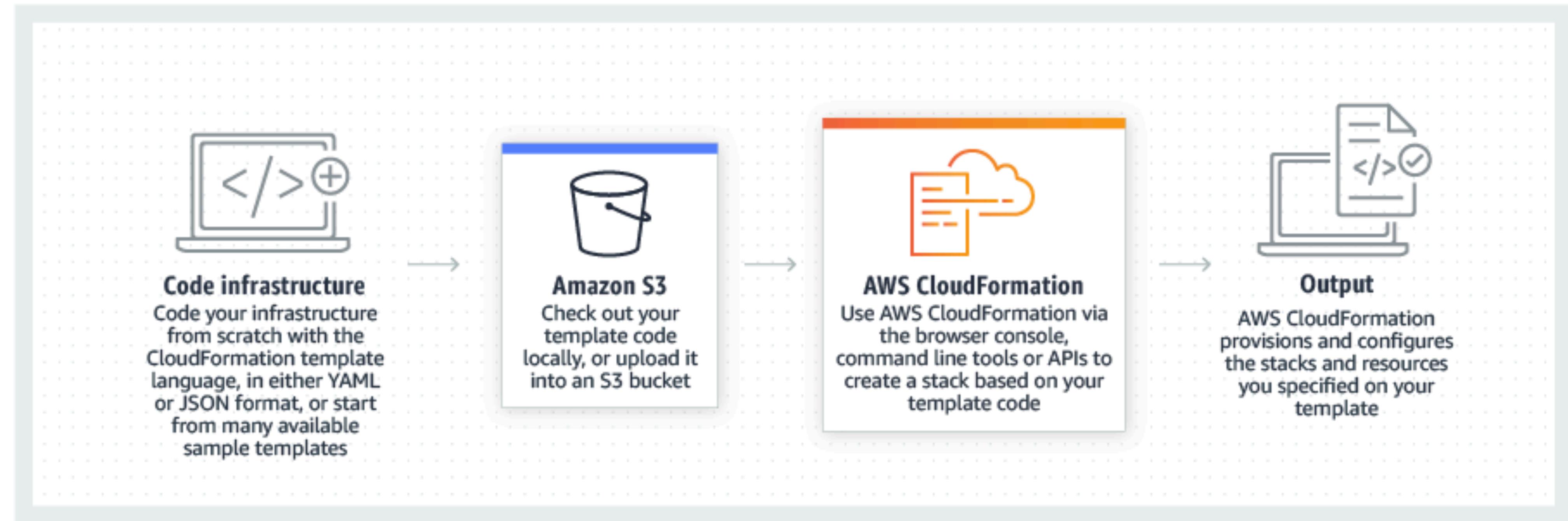
**Infrastructure as code (IaC)** is the process of managing and provisioning computer [data centers](#) through machine-readable definition files, rather than physical hardware configuration or interactive configuration tools.<sup>[1]</sup> The [IT infrastructure](#) managed by this process comprises both physical equipment, such as [bare-metal servers](#), as well as [virtual machines](#), and associated configuration resources. The definitions may be in a [version control system](#). It can use either scripts or declarative definitions, rather than manual processes, but the term is more often used to promote [declarative](#) approaches.

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Infrastructure\\_as\\_code](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Infrastructure_as_code)

# Infrastructure as Code

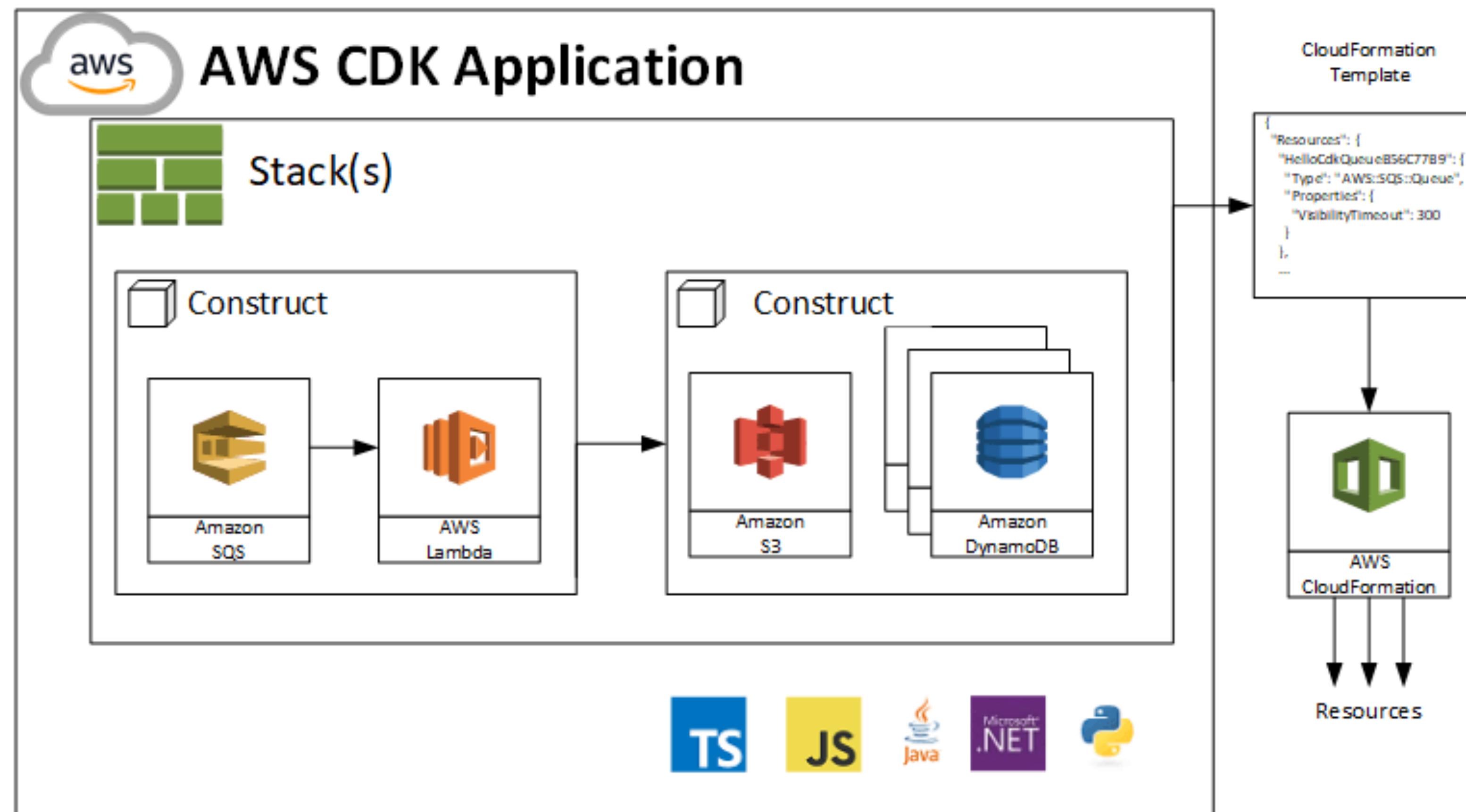
- AWS Command Line Interface (CLI)
- AWS CloudFormation
- AWS Cloud Development Kit (AWS CDK)

# AWS CloudFormation



<https://aws.amazon.com/cloudformation/>

# AWS Cloud Development Kit (CDK)



<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/cdk/latest/guide/home.html>

# Constructs

- L1: Cfn resources
- L2: opinionated resources
- L3: patterns - composite resources
- **custom constructs**

# Infrastructure as Code

- “cloud api” integration
- tables, queues and objects are exposed as AWS “Resources”
- no side channels required
- easier IaC
- multi-tenancy out-of-the-box
- integrated authentication and authorization

# migrations

# recap: cloud lock-in...

- switching costs



- code portability
- infrastructure portability
- ...data portability

# The 6 R's

1. Rehosting – Otherwise known as “lift-and-shift.”
2. Replatforming – I sometimes call this “lift-tinker-and-shift.”
3. Repurchasing – Moving to a different product.
4. Refactoring / Re-architecting.
5. Retire – Get rid of.
6. Retain – Usually this means “revisit” or do nothing (for now).

<https://aws.amazon.com/blogs/enterprise-strategy/6-strategies-for-migrating-applications-to-the-cloud/>

**cloud native services**  **CDK + SDK**

# Fat, Monolithic Function

# “Nano”, Asynchronous / Event Driven Function

# Serverless Archive: SAR (EAR

# App as a Function

**if you go to the cloud  
...use the cloud!**

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