

Deploying static website on AWS

About the project:



Project Overview

This project demonstrates how to deploy a static website using Amazon Web Services (AWS).

The deployment uses **Amazon S3**, **Amazon CloudFront**.

The goal of this project is to showcase knowledge of cloud deployment, versioning, security etc.

AWS Services Used

- **Amazon S3** – Host the website files (HTML, CSS, JS, images)
- **Amazon CloudFront** – CDN distribution for faster content delivery
- **AWS IAM** – Secure access and permissions

Project Structure:

bucket-name/

index.html

style.css

script.js

images/

Steps to deploy the project:

1. Creating the S3 bucket

- Go to AWS console → S3
- Click create bucket
- Create bucket with globally unique name.
- Enable the public access to the bucket.
- Click create bucket.

2. Uploading website files in the bucket.

- Click the upload button in the bucket.
- Add all files and folders related to the website.
- Make files public.

3. Configure bucket policy

- Click permissions tab.
- In the bucket policy section click edit button.
- Enter the code below and name it to your bucket name
- click save

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "AddPerm",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Principal": "*",
      "Action": ["s3:GetObject"],
      "Resource": ["arn:aws:s3:::mybucket-3126-9063-3537/*"]
    }
  ]
}
```

4. Static website hosting and copy endpoint

- Go to properties tab
- In static website hosting section click edit.
- Enable the static website hosting.
- Enter index.html in the index document.
- Save the changes and copy the website endpoint.

5. Creating the distribution in the CloudFront.

- Select CloudFront from the services
- In the dashboard click create distribution.

- Follow all the steps and click create distribution.
6. Attaching the S3 pages to the Distribution.
- Once distribution created select it
 - Paste the end point in the distribution and origin name.
 - Enable and deploy distribution.

Final output:

Your static website is successfully deployed!

You can access it using:

- **S3 Website URL:**
<http://mybucket-3126-9063-3536.s3-website-region.amazonaws.com>
- **CloudFront URL:**
d2i0buzs5vy6v.cloudfront.net