Creating and Subscribing to SNS Topics, Adding SNS event for S3 bucket

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Lab Steps

Task 1: Sign in to AWS Management Console

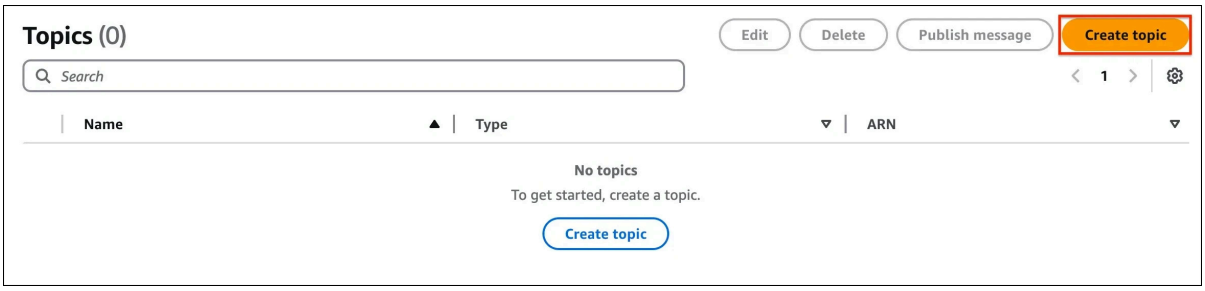
1. Click on the **Open Console** button, and you will get redirected to AWS Console in a new browser tab.
2. On the AWS sign-in page,
    - Leave the Account ID as default. Never edit/remove the 12-digit Account ID present in the AWS Console. Otherwise, you cannot proceed with the lab.
    - Now copy your **UserName** and **Password** in the Lab Console to the **IAM Username and Password** in AWS Console and click on the **Sign-in** button.

3. Once Signed In to the AWS Management Console, make the default AWS Region as **US East (N. Virginia) us-east-1.**

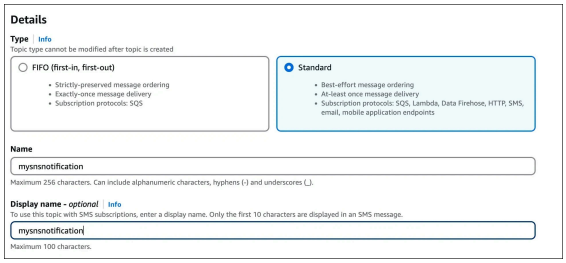
> **Note :** If you face any issues, please go through **FAQs and Troubleshooting for Labs**.

Task 2: Create SNS Topic

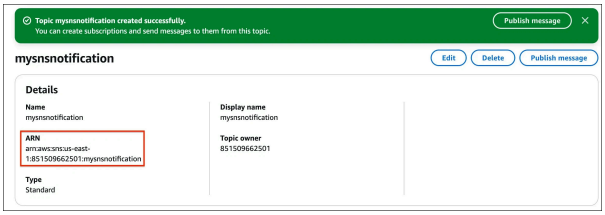
1. Make sure you are in the **US East (N. Virginia) us-east-1** Region.
2. Navigate to SNS by clicking on the **Services** menu available under the **Application Integration** section.
3. Click on **Topics** in left panel. Click **Create topic**



5. Select the Type as **Standard**.
6. Under **Details**:
   - Name : Enter ***mysnsnotification***
   - Display name : Enter ***mysnsnotification***



7. Leave other options as default and click on **Create topic**.
8. An SNS topic is now created.



9. **Copy the ARN and save it for later.**

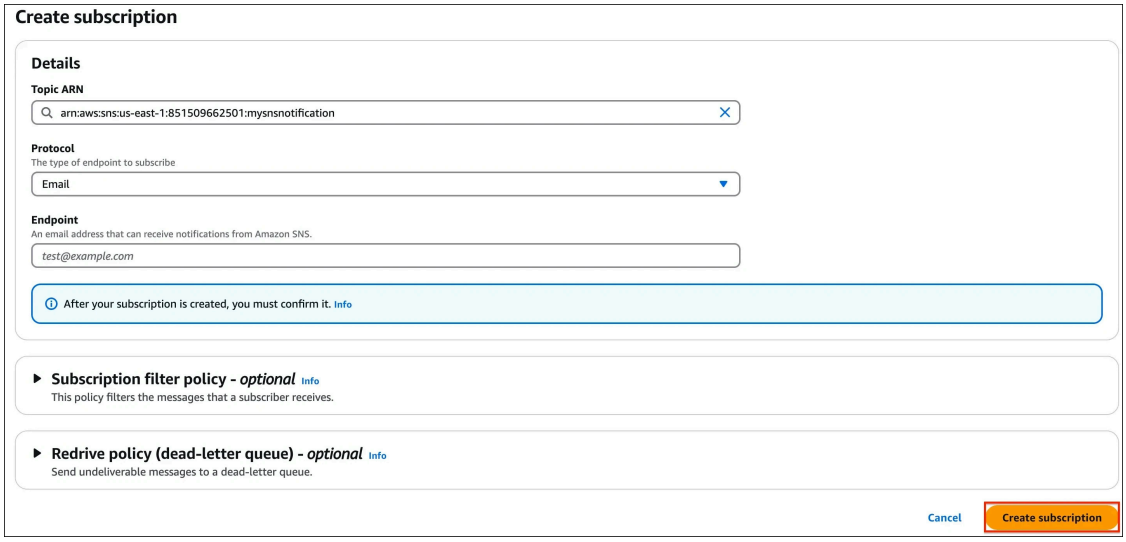
Task 3: Subscribe to SNS Topic

In this task, we are going to subscribe an email address to the SNS Topic created in the previous task

1. Once the SNS topic is created, scroll down below and click on **Create Subscription**

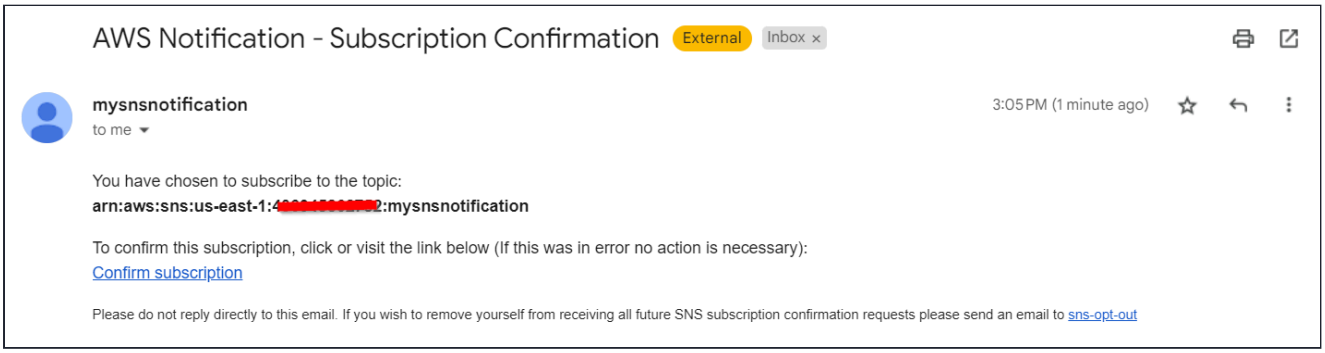
2. Under Details:

- Protocol : Select **Email**
- Endpoint : Enter **<your Mail ID>**
- Leave other settings as default and click on **create subscription.**

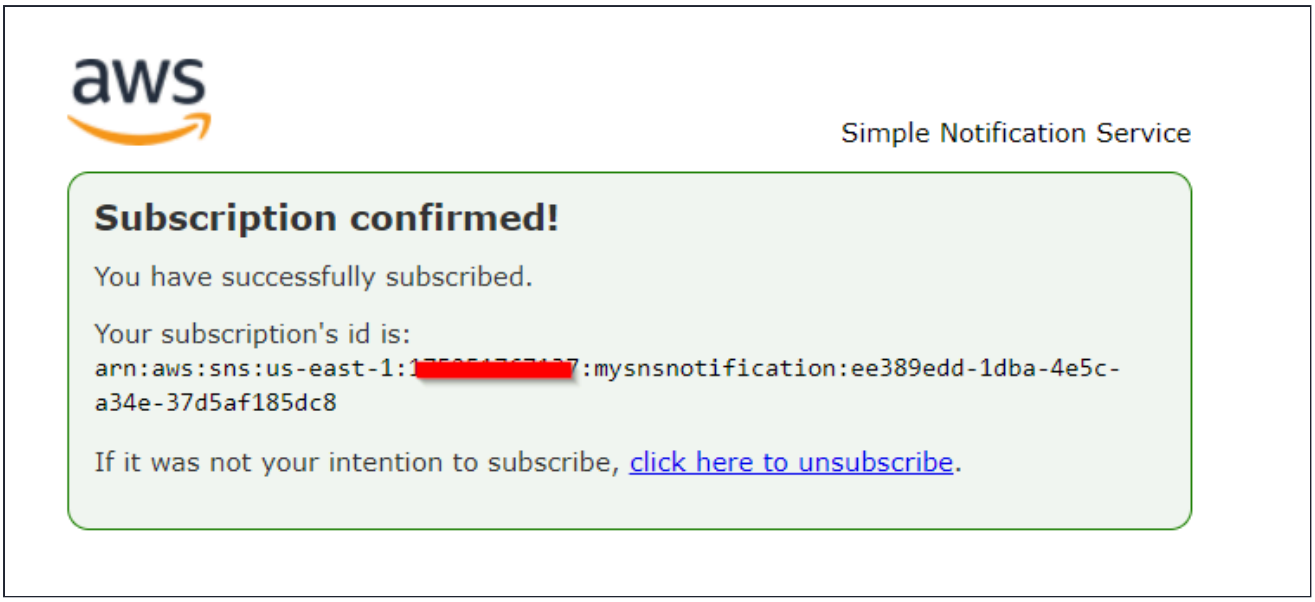


- **Note: Make sure you give a valid email address, as you will receive an SNS notification to this email address.**
- **Check your Spam box if you don't see the email in your Inbox.**

3. You will receive an email confirming your subscription to your email.



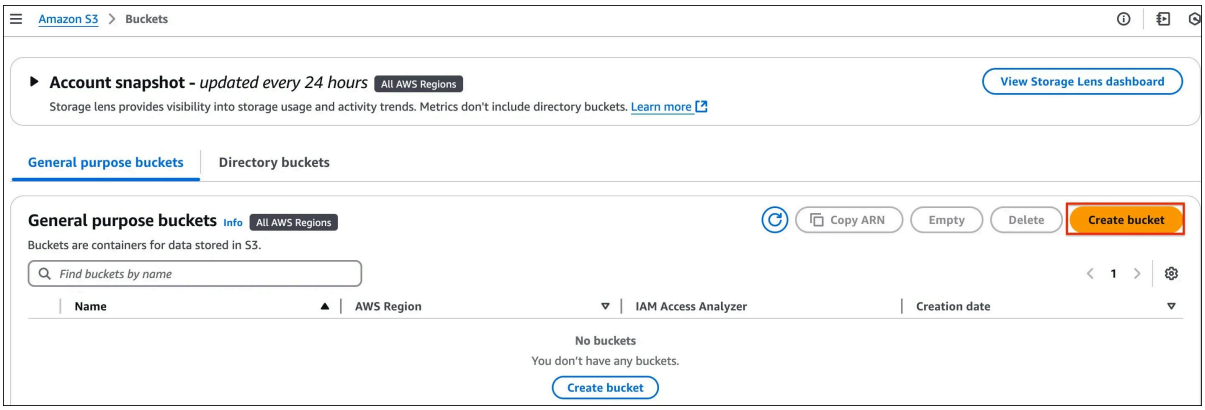
4. Click on **Confirm subscription**.



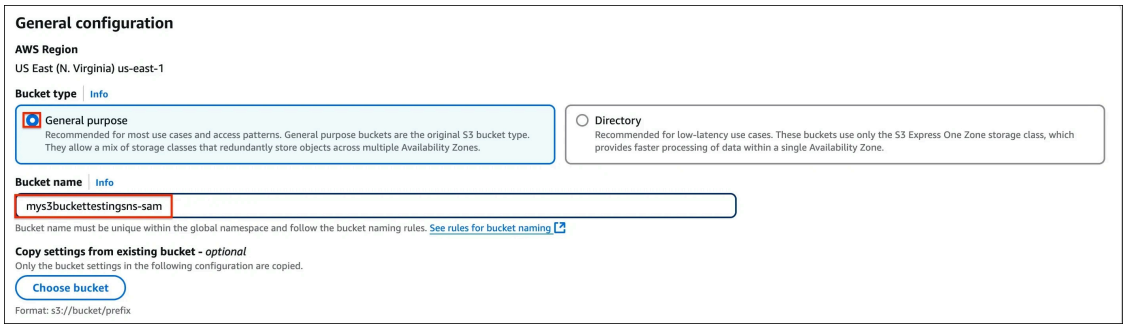
5. Your email address is now subscribed to the SNS Topic **mysnsnotification**.

Task 4: Create an S3 Bucket

1. Navigate to **AWS S3** by clicking on **Services** in the top left corner. S3 is available under **Storage**.
2. In the S3 dashboard, click on the **Create Bucket** button and fill in the bucket details.



3. In the **General Configuration**:
   - Select Bucket type : **General purpose**
   - Bucket name: Enter ***mys3buckettestingsns-{yourname}***
   - Example **:** ***mys3buckettestingsns-sam***
     (**Note:** The Bucket Name must be unique across all existing bucket names in Amazon S3)
   - Region: Select **US East (N. Virginia) us-east-1** from dropdown.



4. Object ownership: Select **ACLs disabled (recommended)** option
5. Leave all other settings as default and click on **Create bucket**.
6. Select the created bucket and click **Copy content** on the top. Save the ARN.

Task 5: Update SNS Topic Access Policy

In this task, we are going to update the Access Policy of the SNS topic to enable it to send notification events based on S3 bucket event

1. Navigate back to the **SNS** page.
2. Click on **Topics**.
3. Click on ***mysnsnotification***.
4. Click on **Edit** in the top right corner to edit the **Access Policy** of the SNS topic.
5. Expand **Access Policy.**
6. Update the SNS policy as shown below:

    - **Note: Here we need to update two things after pasting the below policy.**
    - Remove the old SNS policy and add the new policy to the SNS topic
    - **SNS Topic ARN** in the Resources section below
    - **S3 bucket ARN** in the Condition section below.

```
{
    "Version": "2008-10-17",
    "Id": "__default_policy_ID",
    "Statement": [
        {
            "Sid": "__default_statement_ID",
            "Effect": "Allow",
            "Principal": {
                "AWS": "*"
            },
            "Action": [
```

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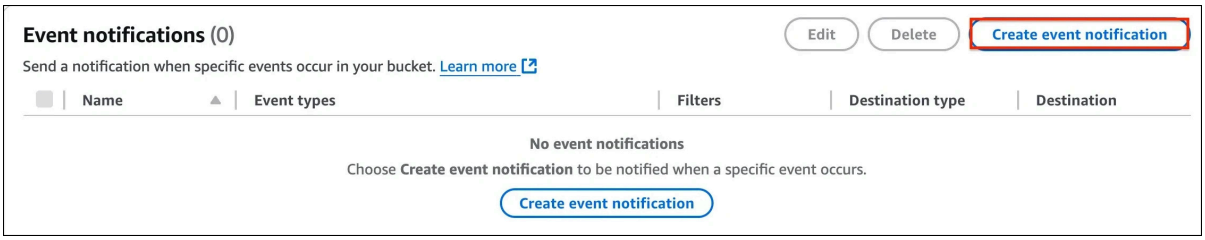
                "SNS:GetTopicAttributes",
                "SNS:SetTopicAttributes",
                "SNS:AddPermission",
                "SNS:RemovePermission",
                "SNS:DeleteTopic",
                "SNS:Subscribe",
                "SNS:ListSubscriptionsByTopic",
                "SNS:Publish",
                "SNS:Receive"
            ],
            "Resource": "<Your_SNS_Topic_ARN>",
            "Condition": {
                "ArnLike": {
                    "aws:SourceArn": "<Your_Bucket_ARN>"
                }
            }
        }
    ]
}
```

7. **Note:** Make sure to update the bucket ARN and SNS topic in the above policy.
8. Click on **Save Changes**.
9. Now, your SNS topic has access to send notification events based on S3 bucket events.

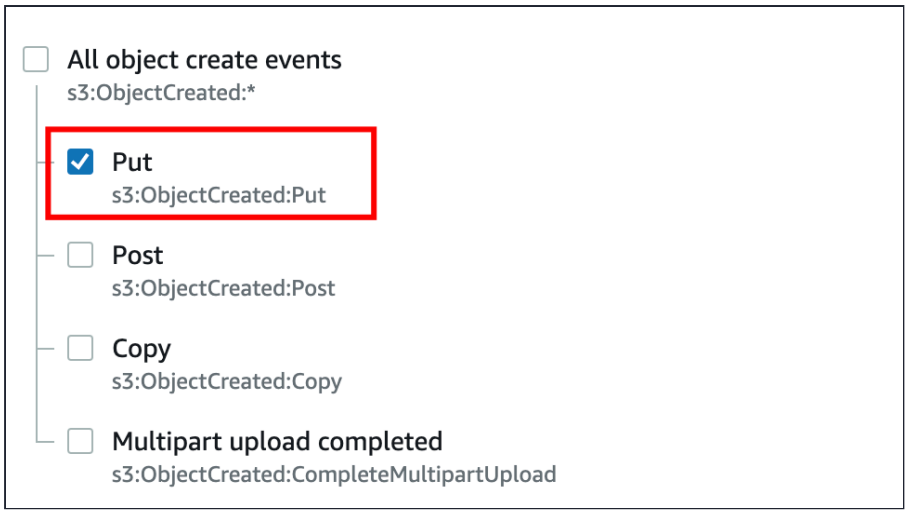
Task 6: Create S3 Event

In this task, we are going to enable event notifications in the S3 bucket that was created in a previous step

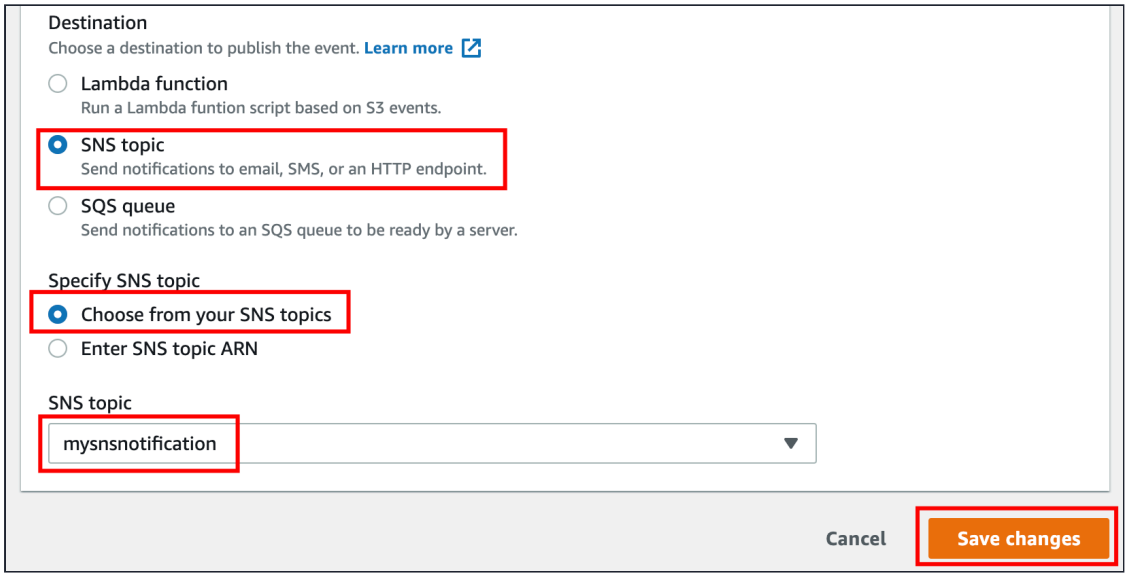
1. Navigate back to the S3 page.
2. Click on the S3 bucket that you have created in the above step.
3. Go to the **Properties** tab and scroll down to **Event notifications**.
4. Click on **Create event notification** button.



- Event name : Enter ***myemaileventforput***
- Event types : Check **PUT**



- Under Destination, select **SNS Topic**
- Under SNS topic, select topic name created earlier.
- Click on **Save changes.**



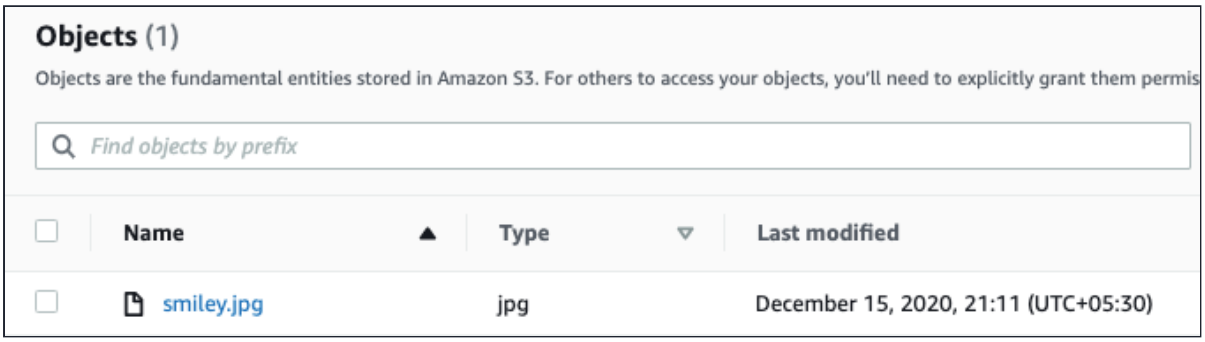
5. **Note:** If you are getting the below error, make sure to check that you have added PUT as condition above and completed Task 5 i.e. Updating the SNS Access Policy.

6. Now the S3 bucket has been enabled event notifications for putting new objects through our SNS topic.

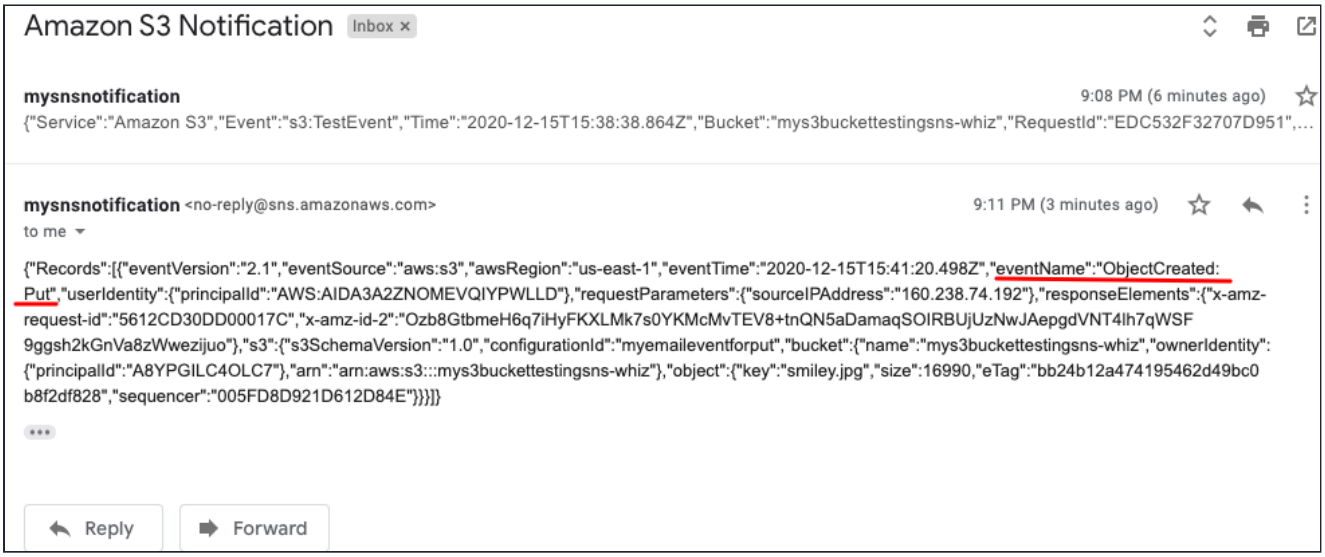
Task 7: Testing the SNS Notification

In this task, we are going to test the setup of event notifications and verify that notifications are being sent successfully

1. Open your S3 bucket **mys3buckettestingsns**.
2. In the bucket, under **Objects,** click on **Upload**
3. Now click on **Add Files** and upload an image from your local system.
4. Once the image is successfully uploaded to the S3 bucket, click on **Close**. Now you can see the uploaded image under **Objects**.



5. **You have successfully received an SNS notification based on the PUT object event in S3 bucket.**



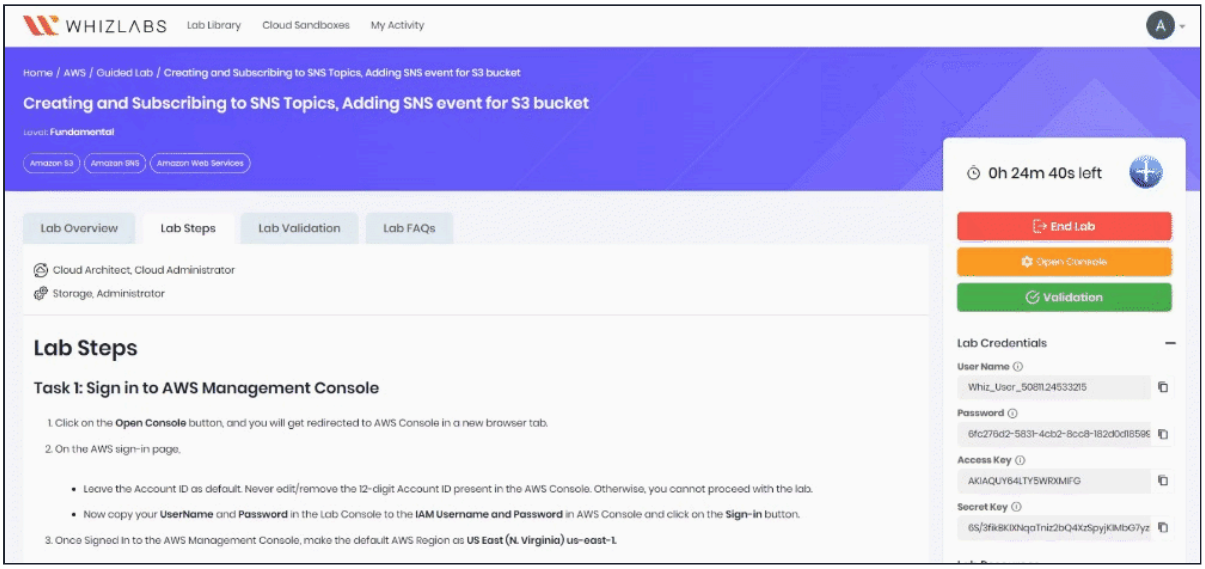
6. Go to your mailbox. You should have received an email from SNS.

Do you know?

Amazon SNS service now supports message filtering based on message attributes. With this feature, customers can now subscribe to a topic and receive only a subset of messages based on specific message attributes. This can help reduce the amount of processing needed for applications that receive high volumes of messages, as well as provide more granular control over which messages are processed by which subscribers

Task 8: Validation Test

1. Once the lab steps are completed, please click on the **Validation** button on the right side panel.
2. This will validate the resources in the AWS account and displays whether you have completed this lab successfully or not.
3. Sample output :



Completion and Conclusion

1. You have successfully used the AWS management console to create an Amazon SNS Topic.
2. You have successfully subscribed to an SNS topic using your email address.
3. You have successfully created an S3 bucket event to get SNS notifications sent to your email address.

End Lab

1. Sign out of AWS Account.

2. You have successfully completed the lab.

3. Once you have completed the steps, click on **End Lab** from your whizlabs dashboard.