

# Amazon-Web-Services

## Exam Questions CLF-C01

AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner



#### NEW QUESTION 1

What is the term used to describe giving an AWS user only access to the exact services he/she needs to do the required job and nothing more?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The Least Privilege User Principal
- B. The Principal of Least Privilege
- C. The Only Access Principal.
- D. None of the above

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 2

How much data can you store in S3?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Storage capacity is virtually unlimited.
- B. You can store up to 1 petabyte of data.
- C. Each account is given 50 gigabytes of storage capacity and no more can be used.
- D. You can store up to 1 petabyte of data, then you are required to pay an additional fee

**Answer: A**

#### Explanation:

Although there is theoretically a capacity limit, as an S3 user, there is no limit on the amount of data you can store in S3.

#### NEW QUESTION 3

Your company's upper management is getting very nervous about managing governance, compliance, and risk auditing in AWS. What service should you enable and inform upper management about?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. CloudAudit
- B. CloudTrail
- C. CloudCompliance
- D. CloudWatch

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

AWS CloudTrail is designed to log all actions taken in your AWS account. This provides a great resource for governance, compliance, and risk auditing.

#### NEW QUESTION 4

What does S3 stand for? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Simple Storage Service
- B. Simplified Storage Service
- C. Simple Store Service
- D. Service for Simple Storage

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 5

Big Cloud Jumbo Corp is beginning to explore migrating their entire on-premises data center to AWS. They are very concerned about how much it will cost once their entire I.T. infrastructure is running on AWS. What tool can you recommend so that they can estimate what the cost of using AWS may be?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS Estimate Calculator
- B. AWS TCO Calculator
- C. AWS Cost Explorer
- D. AWS Migration Cost Calculator

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

The AWS TCO (Total Cost of Ownership) Calculator is a free tool provided by AWS. It allows you to compare your current on-premises cost vs. estimated AWS cost.

#### NEW QUESTION 6

Kunal is managing an application running on an on-premises data center. What best describes the challenges he faces that someone using the AWS cloud does not?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Kunal must research what size (compute capacity) servers he needs to run his application.
- B. Kunal must know how to properly configure network level security.
- C. Kunal must predict future growth, and scaling can be costly and time consuming.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Scaling is much faster and cost-effective on the AWS cloud. With on-demand instances and autoscaling, future growth does not have to be predicted. More compute capacity can be added gradually as demand increases.

**NEW QUESTION 7**

What best describes penetration testing?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Testing your applications ability to penetrate other applications.
- B. Testing your IAM users access to AWS services.
- C. Testing your own network/application for vulnerabilities.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 8**

You are trying to organize and import (to AWS) gigabytes of data that are currently structured in JSON-like, name-value documents. What AWS service would best fit your needs?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Lambda
- B. Aurora
- C. RDS
- D. DynamoDB

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

DynamoDB is AWS's NoSQL database offering. NoSQL databases are for non-structured data that are typically stored in JSON-like, name-value documents.

**NEW QUESTION 9**

What best describes what AWS is?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS is an online retailer
- B. AWS is the cloud.
- C. AWS is a cloud services provider.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 10**

Jeff is building a web application on AWS. He wants to make sure his application is highly available to his customers. What infrastructure components of the AWS cloud allow Jeff to accomplish this goal? (Select all that apply)  
Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Availability Zones
- B. Regional Zones
- C. Regions
- D. Data Locations

**Answer:** AC

**Explanation:**

As part of AWS' global infrastructure, Regions and Availability Zones allow for backups and duplicate components to be placed in separate (isolated) areas of the globe. If one region/Availability Zone were to fail, duplicates in other regions/Availability Zones can be used.

**NEW QUESTION 10**

Stephen is having issues tracking how much compute capacity his application is using. Ideally, he wants to track and have alarms for when CPU utilization goes over 70%. What should Stephen do to accomplish this?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Configure an SNS topic with an alarm threshold set to trigger when CPU utilization is greater than 70%.
- B. Configure a CloudWatch alarm with an alarm threshold set to trigger when CPU utilization is greater than 70%.
- C. Configure a CloudWatch alarm with an alarm threshold set to trigger when CPU utilization is greater than or equal to 70%.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

The answer is to configure a CloudWatch alarm with an alarm threshold set to trigger when CPU utilization is greater than 70%. This will display the alarm in "alarm" state when CPU utilization is greater than 70%. This question has been worded very specifically with the words "goes above 70%". This disqualifies the answer that stated "greater than or equal to 70%". The AWS exam will have very tricky questions like this.

### NEW QUESTION 13

If you want to easily share a file with a friend, family or coworker, what AWS solution should you use?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Mail them a flash drive with the file on it.
- B. Create an EC2 instance and give provide login credentials so others can access the file.
- C. Upload the object to S3 and share it via its object's S3 public object URL.
- D. None of the abov

**Answer:** C

#### **Explanation:**

You can easily share objects uploaded into S3 by provided others with the object's URL.

### NEW QUESTION 14

S3 storage classes are rated by what two metric categories? (Select two) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Objectivity
- B. Durability
- C. Availability
- D. Fault tolerance

**Answer:** BC

#### **Explanation:**

Each S3 storage class is rated on its availability and durability.

### NEW QUESTION 16

You have been tasked by your department head to upload a batch of files to an S3 bucket; however, when you select S3 on the AWS console, you see a notification stating that you do not have permission to access S3. What is the most probable cause of this error?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. It takes 24 hours go get access to S3.
- B. The S3 service is currently down for maintenance.
- C. You do not have an S3 access policy attached to your IAM user.
- D. Your boss has not enabled proper bucket permission

**Answer:** C

#### **Explanation:**

If you get an error stating that you do not have proper permissions to access/use and AWS service, then most likely your IAM user does not have the proper permission policy attached.

### NEW QUESTION 19

What acts as an address (like a mailing address) for a web server located on a network?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. DNS Server
- B. IP Address
- C. Common language domain name
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

#### **Explanation:**

An IP address is a servers address on a network. It is how traffic/request get routed to it (much like a piece of mail gets routed to your home).

### NEW QUESTION 21

Derek is running a web application and is noticing that he is paying for way more server capacity then is required. What AWS feature should Derek set up and configure to ensure that his application is automatically adding/removing server capacity to keep in line with the required demand?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Auto Scaling
- B. Elastic Server Scaling
- C. Elastic Load Balancing
- D. Auto Sizing

**Answer:** A

#### **Explanation:**

Auto scaling is the feature that automated the process of adding/removing server capacity from a system (based on usage demand). Auto scaling creates a very cost effective system by never having too much or too little server capacity.

### NEW QUESTION 23

What AWS service uses Edge Locations for content caching?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. ElastiCache
- B. Route 53
- C. CloudFront
- D. CloudCache

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

CloudFront is a content caching service provided by AWS that utilizes "Edge Locations," which are AWS data centers located all around the world.

**NEW QUESTION 25**

If you are using an on-demand EC2 instance, how are you being charged for it?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. You are charged per second, based on an hourly rate, and there are no termination fees.
- B. You are charged by the hour and must pay a partial upfront fee.
- C. You must commit to a one or three year term and pay upfront.
- D. You are charged per second, based on an hourly rate, and there is a termination fee

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

On-demand EC2 instances are exactly that, on-demand. There are no upfront or termination fees, and you are charged for each second of usage (based on an hourly rate).

**NEW QUESTION 30**

Matt is working on a projects that involves converting an images format from .png to .jpg. Thousands of images have to be converted; however, time is not really an issue and continual processing is not required. What type of EC2 buying option would be most cost-effective for Matt to use?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Spot
- B. On-demand
- C. Reserved
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Spot instances offer the cheapest option of all EC2's buying options. However, spot instances should only be used when there can be interruptions in the processing jobs being conducted. This is due to the fluctuation in spot pricing. If the spot price goes above your bid price, then you will lose access to the spot instance (thus causing a stoppage in processing).

**NEW QUESTION 34**

David is managing a web application running on dozens of EC2 servers. He is worried that if something goes wrong with one of the servers he will not know about it in a timely manner. What solution could you offer to help him keep updated on the status of his servers?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Configure each EC2 instance with a custom script to email David when any issues occur.
- B. Configure RDS notifications based on CloudWatch EC2 metric alarms.
- C. Enable CloudTrail to log and report any issues that occur with the EC2 instances.
- D. Configure SNS notifications based on CloudWatch EC2 metric alarm

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

CloudWatch is used to track metrics on all EC2 instances. Metric alarms can be configured to trigger SNS messages if something goes wrong.

**NEW QUESTION 38**

What AWS database is primarily used to analyze data using standard SQL formatting with compatibility for your existing business intelligence tools?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. ElastiCache
- B. DynamoDB
- C. Redshift
- D. RDS

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Redshift is a database offering that is fully-managed and used for data warehousing and analytics, including compatibility with existing business intelligence tools.

**NEW QUESTION 41**

Tracy has created a web application, placing it's underlining infrastructure in the N. Virginia (US-East-1) region. After several months, Tracy notices that much of the traffic coming to her website is coming from Japan. What can Tracy do to (best) help reduce latency for her users in Japan?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Copy the current VPC and located in US-East-1 and ask AWS to move it to a region closest to Japan
- B. Create a and manage a complete duplicate copy of the web application and its infrastructure in a region closest to Japan.
- C. Create a CDN using CloudFront, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.
- D. Create a CDN using CloudCache, making sure the proper content is cached at Edge Locations closest to Japan.

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

CloudFront is AWS's content delivery network (CDN) service. You can use it to cache web content at edge locations what are closest to you customers. This will decrease latency for the customer and improve overall performance.

**NEW QUESTION 42**

What AWS feature acts as a traffic distribution regulator, making sure each EC2 instance in a system get the same amount of traffic?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Availability Zone
- B. ELB
- C. NACL
- D. Auto Scaling

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

An Elastic Load Balancer is responsible for evenly distributing incoming web traffic between all the EC2 instances associated with it. This help prevent one server from becoming overloaded with traffic, while another server remains underutilized.

**NEW QUESTION 43**

What best describes a simplified definition of the "cloud"?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. All the computers in your local home network.
- B. A computer located somewhere else that you are utilizing in some capacity.
- C. An on-premisis data center that your company owns.
- D. Your internet service provider

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

The simplest definition of the cloud is a computer that is located somewhere else that you are utilizing in some capacity. AWS is a cloud services provider, as the provide access to computers they own (located at AWS data centers), that you use for various purposes.

**NEW QUESTION 45**

What is the purpose of a DNS server?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. To serve web application content.
- B. To convert common language domain names to IP addresses.
- C. To convert IP addresses to common language domain names.
- D. To act as an internet search engin

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Domain name system servers act as a "third party" that provides the service of converting common language domain names to IP addresses (which are required for a web browser to properly make a request for web content).

**NEW QUESTION 50**

What is the relationship between AWS global infrastructure and the concept of high availability?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS is centrally located in one location and is subject to widespread outages if something happens at that one location.
- B. AWS regions and Availability Zones allow for redundant architecture to be placed in isolated parts of the world.
- C. Each AWS region handles a different AWS services, and you must use all regions to fully use AWS.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

As an AWS user, you can create your applications infrastructure and duplicate it. By placing duplicate infrastructure in multiple regions, high availability is created because if one region fails you have a backup (in a another region) to use.

**NEW QUESTION 53**

Karen is building a website that is expected to have a minimum of 1000 users continually over the course of 24 hours. For 8 hours each day, traffic is expected to be at about 1800 users. What EC2 buying options should she use to handle all the traffic and be most cost-effective?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Karen should rely solely on spot instances since that will be the cheapest option.
- B. Karen should buy enough reserved instance capacity to handle all 1800 users and probably buy a little more capacity just in case it is needed.
- C. Karen should buy reserved instances with enough capacity to cover the baseline of 1000 users, then rely on on-demand instances for the 8 hour period of increased traffic each day.
- D. Karen should buy reserved instances with enough capacity to cover the baseline of 1000 users, then rely on spot instances for the 8 hour period of increased traffic each day.

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Reserved instances should be used to handle the expected baseline traffic to the website. Reserved instances (in 1/3 year term) can be purchased as a significant discount over on-demand instances. Any varying traffic above the baseline should be handled with on-demand instance (since they can be added/removed at any time, based on current demand). Spot instances should not be used in this scenario.

**NEW QUESTION 54**

Jacky is creating a website using AWS infrastructure. She has a great idea for a domain name but needs to see if it's available and, if so, register it. What AWS service will allow her to do this?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. CloudFront
- B. DomainServices
- C. CloudWatch
- D. Route 53

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Route 53 is AWS's domain and DNS management service. (DomainServices does not exist).

**NEW QUESTION 58**

Kunal is logged into his company's AWS account. He tries to access EC2 but is getting an error. What is the most likely reason why he cannot access EC2?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. There is not an IAM access policy attached to his IAM user.
- B. He is not part of an IAM Group.
- C. He does not have multi-factor authentication (MFA) enabled.
- D. There is not an IAM access policy attached to his IAM role.

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

When an IAM user is created, that user has NO access to any AWS services. To gain access to an AWS server, an IAM user must have permission granted to them. This is done by attaching an IAM access policy to their IAM user (or through an attached group). However, just being in a group does not grant access. A proper policy would need to be attached to that group.

**NEW QUESTION 62**

What is the name of AWS's RDS SQL database engine?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Lightsail
- B. SNS
- C. MySQL
- D. Aurora

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

AWS created their own custom SQL database engine, which is called Aurora.

**NEW QUESTION 67**

What is AWS's relational database service?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Redshift
- B. DynamoDB
- C. ElastiCache
- D. RDS

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

RDS offers SQL database options - otherwise known as relational databases.

**NEW QUESTION 70**

Under what circumstances would you choose to use the AWS service CloudTrail?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. When you want to collect and view resource metrics.
- B. When you want to log what actions various IAM users are taking in your AWS account.
- C. When you want a serverless compute platform.
- D. When you want to send SMS notifications based on events that occur in your account

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

CloudTrail is AWS's logging service used to log actions taken by users in your AWS account.

**NEW QUESTION 74**

If you want to learn about AWS architectural or security best practices, where will you find that type of information?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS Yellow Pages
- B. AWS Console Info Section
- C. AWS White Papers
- D. AWS Service Documentation

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

White papers are a collection of technical documents that outlines many AWS relevant topics.

**NEW QUESTION 75**

Consolidated billing is managed through what AWS service?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. AWS TCO
- B. AWS Billing Manager
- C. AWS Consolidated Management
- D. AWS Organizations

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

AWS Organizations is where you can manage multiple AWS accounts in one place (including its billing features, such as consolidated billing).

**NEW QUESTION 77**

What **MUST** you do before you do any penetration testing on your account?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Penetration testing is now allowed.
- B. Contact AWS and let them know first.
- C. Nothing, you are free to do penetration testing whenever you like.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

You must contact AWS before doing any penetration testing on your account. If you do not notify AWS first, they may shut down your account.

**NEW QUESTION 79**

What is a main benefit of consolidated billing?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Faster response from AWS technical support.
- B. Gain a volume discount for usage across all your AWS accounts.
- C. Access to a higher support plan level.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Consolidated billing allows you to view, manage, and pay bills for multiple AWS accounts in one user interface. Volume discounts can be earned by combining the usage from all accounts your own.

**NEW QUESTION 80**

What does TCO stand for?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Tally of Cost Ownership
- B. Total Continual Ownership
- C. The Cost of Ownership
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

TCO stand for Total Cost of Ownership.

**NEW QUESTION 85**

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