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NEW QUESTION 1

An Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS) queue serves as an event source for an AWS Lambda function. In the SQS queue, each item corresponds to a video file that the Lambda function must convert to a smaller resolution. The Lambda function is timing out on longer video files, but the Lambda function's timeout is already configured to its maximum value.

What should a developer do to avoid the timeouts without additional code changes'?

- A. Increase the memory configuration of the Lambda function.
- B. Increase the visibility timeout on the SQS queue.
- C. Increase the instance size of the host that runs the Lambda function.
- D. Use multi-threading for the conversion.

Answer: A

Explanation:

Increasing the memory configuration of the Lambda function will also increase the CPU and network throughput available to the function. This can improve the performance of the video conversion process and reduce the execution time of the function. This solution does not require any code changes or additional resources. It is also recommended to follow the best practices for preventing Lambda function timeouts¹. References

? Troubleshoot Lambda function invocation timeout errors | AWS re:Post

NEW QUESTION 2

An online food company provides an Amazon API Gateway HTTP API to receive orders for partners. The API is integrated with an AWS Lambda function. The Lambda function stores the orders in an Amazon DynamoDB table.

The company expects to onboard additional partners. Some partners require additional Lambda function to receive orders. The company has created an Amazon S3 bucket. The company needs to store all orders and updates in the S3 bucket for future analysis.

How can the developer ensure that all orders and updates are stored to Amazon S3 with the LEAST development effort?

- A. Create a new Lambda function and a new API Gateway API endpoint.
- B. Configure the new Lambda function to write to the S3 bucket.
- C. Modify the original Lambda function to post updates to the new API endpoint.
- D. Use Amazon Kinesis Data Streams to create a new data stream.
- E. Modify the Lambda function to publish orders to the data stream. Configure the data stream to write to the S3 bucket.
- F. Enable DynamoDB Streams on the DynamoDB table.
- G. Create a new Lambda function to read from the DynamoDB Streams and write to the S3 bucket.
- H. Associate the stream's Amazon Resource Name (ARN) with the Lambda Function.
- I. Modify the Lambda function to publish to a new Amazon SNS topic.
- J. Simple Lambda function receives order.
- K. Subscribe a new Lambda function to the topic.
- L. Configure the new Lambda function to write to the S3 bucket as updates come through the topic.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution will ensure that all orders and updates are stored to Amazon S3 with the least development effort because it uses DynamoDB Streams to capture changes in the DynamoDB table and trigger a Lambda function to write those changes to the S3 bucket. This way, the original Lambda function and API Gateway API endpoint do not need to be modified, and no additional services are required. Option A is not optimal because it will require more development effort to create a new Lambda function and a new API Gateway API endpoint, and to modify the original Lambda function to post updates to the new API endpoint. Option B is not optimal because it will introduce additional costs and complexity to use Amazon Kinesis Data Streams to create a new data stream, and to modify the Lambda function to publish orders to the data stream. Option D is not optimal because it will require more development effort to modify the Lambda function to publish to a new Amazon SNS topic, and to create and subscribe a new Lambda function to the topic. References: Using DynamoDB Streams, Using AWS Lambda with Amazon S3

NEW QUESTION 3

A company notices that credentials that the company uses to connect to an external software as a service (SaaS) vendor are stored in a configuration file as plaintext.

The developer needs to secure the API credentials and enforce automatic credentials rotation on a quarterly basis.

Which solution will meet these requirements MOST securely?

- A. Use AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) to encrypt the configuration file.
- B. Decrypt the configuration file when users make API calls to the SaaS vendor.
- C. Enable rotation.
- D. Retrieve temporary credentials from AWS Security Token Service (AWS STS) every 15 minutes.
- E. Use the temporary credentials when users make API calls to the SaaS vendor.
- F. Store the credentials in AWS Secrets Manager and enable rotation.
- G. Configure the API to have Secrets Manager access.
- H. Store the credentials in AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store and enable rotation.
- I. Retrieve the credentials when users make API calls to the SaaS vendor.

Answer: C

Explanation:

Store the credentials in AWS Secrets Manager and enable rotation. Configure the API to have Secrets Manager access. This is correct. This solution will meet the requirements most securely, because it uses a service that is designed to store and manage secrets such as API credentials. AWS Secrets Manager helps you protect access to your applications, services, and IT resources by enabling you to rotate, manage, and retrieve secrets throughout their lifecycle¹. You can store secrets such as passwords, database strings, API keys, and license codes as encrypted values². You can also configure automatic rotation of your secrets on a schedule that you specify³. You can use the AWS SDK or CLI to retrieve secrets from Secrets Manager when you need them⁴. This way, you can avoid storing credentials in plaintext files or hardcoding them in your code.

NEW QUESTION 4

A company needs to deploy all its cloud resources by using AWS CloudFormation templates. A developer must create an Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS) automatic notification to help enforce this rule. The developer creates an SNS topic and subscribes the email address of the company's security team to the SNS topic.

The security team must receive a notification immediately if an IAM role is created without the use of CloudFormation.

Which solution will meet this requirement?

- A. Create an AWS Lambda function to filter events from CloudTrail if a role was created without CloudFormation. Configure the Lambda function to publish to the SNS topic.
- B. Create an Amazon EventBridge schedule to invoke the Lambda function every 15 minutes.
- C. Create an AWS Fargate task in Amazon Elastic Container Service (Amazon ECS) to filter events from CloudTrail if a role was created without CloudFormation. Configure the Fargate task to publish to the SNS topic. Create an Amazon EventBridge schedule to run the Fargate task every 15 minutes.
- D. Launch an Amazon EC2 instance that includes a script to filter events from CloudTrail if a role was created without CloudFormation. Configure the script to publish to the SNS topic.
- E. Configure the script to publish to the SNS topic.
- F. Create a cron job to run the script on the EC2 instance every 15 minutes.
- G. Create an Amazon EventBridge rule to filter events from CloudTrail if a role was created without CloudFormation. Specify the SNS topic as the target of the EventBridge rule.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Creating an Amazon EventBridge rule is the most efficient and scalable way to monitor and react to events from CloudTrail, such as the creation of an IAM role without CloudFormation. EventBridge allows you to specify a filter pattern to match the events you are interested in, and then specify an SNS topic as the target to send notifications. This solution does not require any additional resources or code, and it can trigger notifications in near real-time. The other solutions involve creating and managing additional resources, such as Lambda functions, Fargate tasks, or EC2 instances, and they rely on polling CloudTrail events every 15 minutes, which can introduce delays and increase costs.

References

? Using Amazon EventBridge rules to process AWS CloudTrail events

? Using AWS CloudFormation to create and manage AWS Batch resources

? How to use AWS CloudFormation to configure auto scaling for Amazon Cognito and AWS AppSync

? Using AWS CloudFormation to automate the creation of AWS WAF web ACLs, rules, and conditions

NEW QUESTION 5

A developer has been asked to create an AWS Lambda function that is invoked any time updates are made to items in an Amazon DynamoDB table. The function has been created and appropriate permissions have been added to the Lambda execution role. Amazon DynamoDB streams have been enabled for the table, but the function is still not being invoked.

Which option would enable DynamoDB table updates to invoke the Lambda function?

- A. Change the StreamViewType parameter value to NEW_AND_OLD_IMAGES for the DynamoDB table.
- B. Configure event source mapping for the Lambda function.
- C. Map an Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS) topic to the DynamoDB streams.
- D. Increase the maximum runtime (timeout) setting of the Lambda function.

Answer: B

Explanation:

This solution allows the Lambda function to be invoked by the DynamoDB stream whenever updates are made to items in the DynamoDB table. Event source mapping is a feature of Lambda that enables a function to be triggered by an event source, such as a DynamoDB stream, an Amazon Kinesis stream, or an Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS) queue. The developer can configure event source mapping for the Lambda function using the AWS Management Console, the AWS CLI, or the AWS SDKs. Changing the StreamViewType parameter value to NEW_AND_OLD_IMAGES for the DynamoDB table will not affect the invocation of the Lambda function, but only change the information that is written to the stream record. Mapping an Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS) topic to the DynamoDB stream will not invoke the Lambda function directly, but require an additional subscription from the Lambda function to the SNS topic. Increasing the maximum runtime (timeout) setting of the Lambda function will not affect the invocation of the Lambda function, but only change how long the function can run before it is terminated.

Reference: [Using AWS Lambda with Amazon DynamoDB], [Using AWS Lambda with Amazon SNS]

NEW QUESTION 6

A developer has observed an increase in bugs in the AWS Lambda functions that a development team has deployed in its Node.js application. To minimize these bugs, the developer wants to implement automated testing of Lambda functions in an environment that closely simulates the Lambda environment.

The developer needs to give other developers the ability to run the tests locally. The developer also needs to integrate the tests into the team's continuous integration and continuous delivery (CI/CD) pipeline before the AWS Cloud Development Kit (AWS CDK) deployment.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Create sample events based on the Lambda documentation.
- B. Create automated test scripts that use the `cdk local invoke` command to invoke the Lambda function.
- C. Check the response. Document the test scripts for the other developers on the team. Update the CI/CD pipeline to run the test scripts.
- D. Install a unit testing framework that reproduces the Lambda execution environment.
- E. Create sample events based on the Lambda Documentation. Invoke the handler function by using a unit testing framework for the other developers on the team.
- F. Check the response. Document how to run the unit testing framework.
- G. Update the CI/CD pipeline to run the unit testing framework.
- H. Install the AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM) CLI tool. Use the `Sam local generate-event` command to generate sample events for the automated test.
- I. Create automated test scripts that use the `Sam local invoke` command to invoke the Lambda function.
- J. Check the response. Document the test scripts for the other developers on the team. Update the CI/CD pipeline to run the test scripts.
- K. Create sample events based on the Lambda documentation.
- L. Create a Docker container from the Node.js base image to invoke the Lambda function.
- M. Check the response. Document how to run the Docker container for the other developers on the team. Update the CI/CD pipeline to run the Docker container.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution will meet the requirements by using AWS SAM CLI tool, which is a command line tool that lets developers locally build, test, debug, and deploy serverless applications defined by AWS SAM templates. The developer can use `sam local generate-event` command to generate sample events for different event sources such as API Gateway or S3. The developer can create automated test scripts that use `sam local invoke` command to invoke Lambda functions locally in an environment that closely simulates Lambda environment. The developer can check the response from Lambda functions and document how to run the test scripts for other developers on the team. The developer can also update CI/CD pipeline to run these test scripts before deploying with AWS CDK. Option A is not optimal because it will use `cdk local invoke` command, which does not exist in AWS CDK CLI tool. Option B is not optimal because it will use a unit testing framework that reproduces Lambda execution environment, which may not be accurate or consistent with Lambda environment. Option D is not optimal because it will create a Docker container from Node.js base image to invoke Lambda functions, which may introduce additional overhead and complexity for creating and running Docker containers.

References: [AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM)], [AWS Cloud Development Kit (AWS CDK)]

NEW QUESTION 7

A developer is configuring an applications deployment environment in AWS CodePipeline. The application code is stored in a GitHub repository. The developer wants to ensure that the repository package's unit tests run in the new deployment environment. The deployment has already set the pipeline's source provider to GitHub and has specified the repository and branch to use in the deployment.

When combination of steps should the developer take next to meet these requirements with the least the LEAST overhead' (Select TWO).

- A. Create an AWS CodeCommit project
- B. Add the repository package's build and test commands to the project's buildspec
- C. Create an AWS CodeBuild project
- D. Add the repository package's build and test commands to the project's buildspec
- E. Create an AWS CodeDeploy provider
- F. Add the repository package's build and test commands to the project's buildspec
- G. Add an action to the source stage
- H. Specify the newly created project as the action provider
- I. Specify the build artifact as the action's input artifact.
- J. Add a new stage to the pipeline after the source stage
- K. Add an action to the new stage
- L. Specify the newly created provider as the action provider
- M. Specify the source artifact as the action's input artifact.

Answer: BE

Explanation:

This solution will ensure that the repository package's unit tests run in the new deployment environment with the least overhead because it uses AWS CodeBuild to build and test the code in a fully managed service, and AWS CodePipeline to orchestrate the deployment stages and actions. Option A is not optimal because it will use AWS CodeCommit instead of AWS CodeBuild, which is a source control service, not a build and test service. Option C is not optimal because it will use AWS CodeDeploy instead of AWS CodeBuild, which is a deployment service, not a build and test service. Option D is not optimal because it will add an action to the source stage instead of creating a new stage, which will not follow the best practice of separating different deployment phases. References: AWS CodeBuild, AWS CodePipeline

NEW QUESTION 8

A company has an application that is hosted on Amazon EC2 instances. The application stores objects in an Amazon S3 bucket and allows users to download objects from the S3 bucket. A developer turns on S3 Block Public Access for the S3 bucket. After this change, users report errors when they attempt to download objects from the S3 bucket. The developer needs to implement a solution so that only users who are signed in to the application can access objects in the S3 bucket.

Which combination of steps will meet these requirements in the MOST secure way? (Select TWO.)

- A. Create an EC2 instance profile and role with an appropriate policy. Associate the role with the EC2 instances.
- B. Create an IAM user with an appropriate policy.
- C. Store the access key ID and secret access key on the EC2 instances.
- D. Modify the application to use the S3 `GeneratePresignedUrl` API call.
- E. Modify the application to use the S3 `GetObject` API call and to return the object handle to the user.
- F. Modify the application to delegate requests to the S3 bucket.

Answer: AC

Explanation:

The most secure way to allow the EC2 instances to access the S3 bucket is to use an EC2 instance profile and role with an appropriate policy that grants the necessary permissions. This way, the EC2 instances can use temporary security credentials that are automatically rotated and do not need to store any access keys on the instances. To allow the users who are signed in to the application to download objects from the S3 bucket, the application can use the S3 `GeneratePresignedUrl` API call to create a pre-signed URL that grants temporary access to a specific object. The pre-signed URL can be returned to the user, who can then use it to download the object within a specified time period. References:

? Use Amazon S3 with Amazon EC2

? How to Access AWS S3 Bucket from EC2 Instance in a Secured Way

? Sharing an Object with Others

NEW QUESTION 9

A company runs a payment application on Amazon EC2 instances behind an Application Load Balance. The EC2 instances run in an Auto Scaling group across multiple Availability Zones. The application needs to retrieve application secrets during the application startup and export the secrets as environment variables. These secrets must be encrypted at rest and need to be rotated every month.

Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST development effort?

- A. Save the secrets in a text file and store the text file in Amazon S3. Provision a customer managed key. Use the key for secret encryption in Amazon S3. Read the contents of the text file and read the export as environment variables. Configure S3 Object Lambda to rotate the text file every month.
- B. Save the secrets as strings in AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store and use the default AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) key. Configure an Amazon EC2 user data script to retrieve the secrets during the startup and export as environment variables. Configure an AWS Lambda function to rotate the secrets in Parameter Store every month.
- C. Save the secrets as base64 encoded environment variables in the application properties.
- D. Retrieve the secrets during the application startup.

- E. Reference the secrets in the application code
- F. Write a script to rotate the secrets saved as environment variables.
- G. Store the secrets in AWS Secrets Manager Provision a new customer master key Use the key to encrypt the secrets Enable automatic rotation Configure an Amazon EC2 user data script to programmatically retrieve the secrets during the startup and export as environment variables

Answer: D

Explanation:

AWS Secrets Manager is a service that enables the secure management and rotation of secrets, such as database credentials, API keys, or passwords. By using Secrets Manager, the company can avoid hardcoding secrets in the application code or properties files, and instead retrieve them programmatically during the application startup. Secrets Manager also supports automatic rotation of secrets by using AWS Lambda functions or built-in rotation templates. The company can provision a customer master key (CMK) to encrypt the secrets and use the AWS SDK or CLI to export the secrets as environment variables. References:

- ? What Is AWS Secrets Manager? - AWS Secrets Manager
- ? Rotating Your AWS Secrets Manager Secrets - AWS Secrets Manager
- ? Retrieving a Secret - AWS Secrets Manager

NEW QUESTION 10

A company uses Amazon API Gateway to expose a set of APIs to customers. The APIs have caching enabled in API Gateway. Customers need a way to invalidate the cache for each API when they test the API.

What should a developer do to give customers the ability to invalidate the API cache?

- A. Ask the customers to use AWS credentials to call the InvalidateCache API operation.
- B. Attach an InvalidateCache policy to the IAM execution role that the customers use to invoke the AP
- C. Ask the customers to send a request that contains the HTTP header when they make an API call.
- D. Ask the customers to use the AWS SDK API Gateway class to invoke the InvalidateCache API operation.
- E. Attach an InvalidateCache policy to the IAM execution role that the customers use to invoke the AP
- F. Ask the customers to add the INVALIDATE_CACHE query string parameter when they make an API call.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 10

A company has a web application that is hosted on Amazon EC2 instances The EC2 instances are configured to stream logs to Amazon CloudWatch Logs The company needs to receive an Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS) notification when the number of application error messages exceeds a defined threshold within a 5-minute period

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Rewrite the application code to stream application logs to Amazon SNS Configure an SNS topic to send a notification when the number of errors exceeds the defined threshold within a 5-minute period
- B. Configure a subscription filter on the CloudWatch Logs log grou
- C. Configure the filter to send an SNS notification when the number of errors exceeds the defined threshold within a 5-minute period.
- D. Install and configure the Amazon Inspector agent on the EC2 instances to monitor for errors Configure Amazon Inspector to send an SNS notification when the number of errors exceeds the defined threshold within a 5-minute period
- E. Create a CloudWatch metric filter to match the application error pattern in the log data. Set up a CloudWatch alarm based on the new custom metric
- F. Configure the alarm to send an SNS notification when the number of errors exceeds the defined threshold within a 5- minute period.

Answer: D

Explanation:

The best solution is to create a CloudWatch metric filter to match the application error pattern in the log data. This will allow you to create a custom metric that tracks the number of errors in your application. You can then set up a CloudWatch alarm based on this metric and configure it to send an SNS notification when the number of errors exceeds a defined threshold within a 5-minute period. This solution does not require any changes to your application code or installing any additional agents on your EC2 instances. It also leverages the existing integration between CloudWatch and SNS for sending notifications. References

- ? Create Metric Filters - Amazon CloudWatch Logs
- ? Creating Amazon CloudWatch Alarms - Amazon CloudWatch
- ? How to send alert based on log message on CloudWatch - Stack Overflow

NEW QUESTION 15

An online sales company is developing a serverless application that runs on AWS. The application uses an AWS Lambda function that calculates order success rates and stores the data in an Amazon DynamoDB table. A developer wants an efficient way to invoke the Lambda function every 15 minutes.

Which solution will meet this requirement with the LEAST development effort?

- A. Create an Amazon EventBridge rule that has a rate expression that will run the rule every 15 minute
- B. Add the Lambda function as the target of the EventBridge rule.
- C. Create an AWS Systems Manager document that has a script that will invoke the Lambda function on Amazon EC2. Use a Systems Manager Run Command task to run the shell script every 15 minutes.
- D. Create an AWS Step Functions state machine
- E. Configure the state machine to invoke the Lambda function execution role at a specified interval by using a Wait state
- F. Set the interval to 15 minutes.
- G. Provision a small Amazon EC2 instance
- H. Set up a cron job that invokes the Lambda function every 15 minutes.

Answer: A

Explanation:

The best solution for this requirement is option A. Creating an Amazon EventBridge rule that has a rate expression that will run the rule every 15 minutes and adding the Lambda function as the target of the EventBridge rule is the most efficient way to invoke the Lambda function periodically. This solution does not require any additional resources or development effort, and it leverages the built-in scheduling capabilities of EventBridge.

NEW QUESTION 20

A developer wants to expand an application to run in multiple AWS Regions. The developer wants to copy Amazon Machine Images (AMIs) with the latest changes and create a new application stack in the destination Region. According to company requirements, all AMIs must be encrypted in all Regions. However, not all the AMIs that the company uses are encrypted.

How can the developer expand the application to run in the destination Region while meeting the encryption requirement?

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Amazon Machine Images (AMIs) are encrypted snapshots of EC2 instances that can be used to launch new instances. The developer can create new AMIs from the existing instances and specify encryption parameters. The developer can copy the encrypted AMIs to the destination Region and use them to create a new application stack. The developer can delete the unencrypted AMIs after the encryption process is complete. This solution will meet the encryption requirement and allow the developer to expand the application to run in the destination Region.

References:

- ? [Amazon Machine Images (AMI) - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud]
- ? [Encrypting an Amazon EBS Snapshot - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud]
- ? [Copying an AMI - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud]

NEW QUESTION 24

A company is building a compute-intensive application that will run on a fleet of Amazon EC2 instances. The application uses attached Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS) volumes for storing data. The Amazon EBS volumes will be created at time of initial deployment. The application will process sensitive information. All of the data must be encrypted. The solution should not impact the application's performance.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Configure the fleet of EC2 instances to use encrypted EBS volumes to store data.
- B. Configure the application to write all data to an encrypted Amazon S3 bucket.
- C. Configure a custom encryption algorithm for the application that will encrypt and decrypt all data.
- D. Configure an Amazon Machine Image (AMI) that has an encrypted root volume and store the data to ephemeral disks.

Answer: A

Explanation:

Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS) provides block level storage volumes for use with Amazon EC2 instances¹. Amazon EBS encryption offers a straight-forward encryption solution for your EBS resources associated with your EC2 instances¹. When you create an encrypted EBS volume and attach it to a supported instance type, the following types of data are encrypted: Data at rest inside the volume, all data moving between the volume and the instance, all snapshots created from the volume, and all volumes created from those snapshots¹. Therefore, option A is correct.

NEW QUESTION 26

A company uses a custom root certificate authority certificate chain (Root CA Cert) that is 10 KB in size generate SSL certificates for its on-premises HTTPS endpoints. One of the company's cloud based applications has hundreds of AWS Lambda functions that pull data from these endpoints. A developer updated the trust store of the Lambda execution environment to use the Root CA Cert when the Lambda execution environment is initialized. The developer bundled the Root CA Cert as a text file in the Lambdas deployment bundle.

After 3 months of development the root CA Cert is no longer valid and must be updated. The developer needs a more efficient solution to update the Root CA Cert for all deployed Lambda functions. The solution must not include rebuilding or updating all Lambda functions that use the Root CA Cert. The solution must also work for all development, testing and production environment. Each environment is managed in a separate AWS account.

When combination of steps Would the developer take to meet these environments MOST cost-effectively? (Select TWO)

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

This solution will meet the requirements by storing the Root CA Cert as a Secure String parameter in AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store, which is a secure and scalable service for storing and managing configuration data and secrets. The resource-based policy will allow IAM users in different AWS accounts and environments to access the parameter without requiring cross-account roles or permissions. The Lambda code will be refactored to load the Root CA Cert from the parameter store and modify the runtime trust store outside the Lambda function handler, which will improve performance and reduce latency by avoiding repeated calls to Parameter Store and trust store modifications for each invocation of the Lambda function. Option A is not optimal because it will use AWS Secrets Manager instead of AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store, which will incur additional costs and complexity for storing and managing a non-secret configuration data such as Root CA Cert. Option C is not optimal because it will deactivate the application secrets and monitor the application error logs temporarily, which will cause application downtime and potential data loss. Option D is not optimal because it will modify the runtime trust store inside the Lambda function handler, which will degrade performance and increase latency by repeating unnecessary operations for each invocation of the Lambda function.

References: AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store, [Using SSL/TLS to Encrypt a Connection to a DB Instance]

NEW QUESTION 28

A developer creates a static website for their department The developer deploys the static assets for the website to an Amazon S3 bucket and serves the assets with Amazon CloudFront The developer uses origin access control (OAC) on the CloudFront distribution to access the S3 bucket

The developer notices users can access the root URL and specific pages but cannot access directories without specifying a file name. For example, /products/index.html works, but /products returns an error The developer needs to enable accessing directories without specifying a file name without exposing the S3 bucket publicly.

Which solution will meet these requirements'?

- A. Update the CloudFront distribution's settings to index.html as the default root object is set
Update the Amazon S3 bucket settings and enable static website hostin
- ☒ B. Specify index.html as the Index document Update the S3 bucket policy to enable acces
- D. Update the CloudFront distribution's origin to use the S3 website endpoint
- E. Create a CloudFront function that examines the request URL and appends index.html when directories are being accessed Add the function as a viewer request

CloudFront function to the CloudFront distribution's behavior.

F. Create a custom error response on the CloudFront distribution with the HTTP error code set to the HTTP 404 Not Found response code and the response page path to /index.html Set the HTTP response code to the HTTP 200 OK response code

Answer: A

Explanation:

The simplest and most efficient way to enable accessing directories without specifying a file name is to update the CloudFront distribution's settings to index.html as the default root object. This will instruct CloudFront to return the index.html object when a user requests the root URL or a directory URL for the distribution.

This solution does not require enabling static website hosting on the S3 bucket, creating a CloudFront function, or creating a custom error response. References

? Specifying a default root object

? cloudfront-default-root-object-configured

? How to setup CloudFront default root object?

? Ensure a default root object is configured for AWS Cloudfront ...

NEW QUESTION 29

A financial company must store original customer records for 10 years for legal reasons. A complete record contains personally identifiable information (PII).

According to local regulations, PII is available to only certain people in the company and must not be shared with third parties. The company needs to make the records available to third-party organizations for statistical analysis without sharing the PII.

A developer wants to store the original immutable record in Amazon S3. Depending on who accesses the S3 document, the document should be returned as is or with all the PII removed. The developer has written an AWS Lambda function to remove the PII from the document. The function is named removePii.

What should the developer do so that the company can meet the PII requirements while maintaining only one copy of the document?

A. Set up an S3 event notification that invokes the removePii function when an S3 GET request is mad

B. Call Amazon S3 by using a GET request to access the object without PII.

C. Set up an S3 event notification that invokes the removePii function when an S3 PUT request is mad

D. Call Amazon S3 by using a PUT request to access the object without PII.

E. Create an S3 Object Lambda access point from the S3 consol

F. Select the removePii functio

G. Use S3 Access Points to access the object without PII.

H. Create an S3 access point from the S3 consol

I. Use the access point name to call the GetObjectLegalHold S3 API functio

J. Pass in the removePii function name to access the object without PII.

Answer: C

Explanation:

S3 Object Lambda allows you to add your own code to process data retrieved from S3 before returning it to an application. You can use an AWS Lambda function to modify the data, such as removing PII, redacting confidential information, or resizing images. You can create an S3 Object Lambda access point and associate it with your Lambda function. Then, you can use the access point to request objects from S3 and get the modified data back. This way, you can maintain only one copy of the original

document in S3 and apply different transformations depending on who accesses it. Reference: Using AWS Lambda with Amazon S3

NEW QUESTION 31

For a deployment using AWS Code Deploy, what is the run order of the hooks for in-place deployments?

A. BeforeInstall -> ApplicationStop -> ApplicationStart -> AfterInstall

B. ApplicationStop -> BeforeInstall -> AfterInstall -> ApplicationStart

C. BeforeInstall -> ApplicationStop -> ValidateService -> ApplicationStart

D. ApplicationStop -> BeforeInstall -> ValidateService -> ApplicationStart

Answer: B

Explanation:

For in-place deployments, AWS CodeDeploy uses a set of predefined hooks that run in a specific order during each deployment lifecycle event. The hooks are ApplicationStop, BeforeInstall, AfterInstall, ApplicationStart, and ValidateService. The run order of the hooks for in-place deployments is as follows:

? ApplicationStop: This hook runs first on all instances and stops the current application that is running on the instances.

? BeforeInstall: This hook runs after ApplicationStop on all instances and performs any tasks required before installing the new application revision.

? AfterInstall: This hook runs after BeforeInstall on all instances and performs any tasks required after installing the new application revision.

? ApplicationStart: This hook runs after AfterInstall on all instances and starts the new application that has been installed on the instances.

? ValidateService: This hook runs last on all instances and verifies that the new application is running properly on the instances.

Reference: [AWS CodeDeploy lifecycle event hooks reference]

NEW QUESTION 33

A company runs an application on AWS The application stores data in an Amazon DynamoDB table Some queries are taking a long time to run These slow queries involve an attribute that is not the table's partition key or sort key

The amount of data that the application stores in the DynamoDB table is expected to increase significantly. A developer must increase the performance of the queries.

Which solution will meet these requirements'?

A. Increase the page size for each request by setting the Limit parameter to be higher than the default value Configure the application to retry any request that exceeds the provisioned throughput.

B. Create a global secondary index (GSI). Set query attribute to be the partition key of the index

C. Perform a parallel scan operation by issuing individual scan requests in the parameters specify the segment for the scan requests and the total number of segments for the parallel scan.

D. Turn on read capacity auto scaling for the DynamoDB tabl

E. Increase the maximum read capacity units (RCUs).

Answer: B

Explanation:

Creating a global secondary index (GSI) is the best solution to improve the performance of the queries that involve an attribute that is not the table's partition key or sort key. A GSI allows you to define an alternate key for your table and query the data using that key. This way, you can avoid scanning the entire table and reduce the latency and cost of your queries. You should also follow the best practices for designing and using GSIs in DynamoDB¹². References
? Working with Global Secondary Indexes - Amazon DynamoDB
? DynamoDB Performance & Latency - Everything You Need To Know

NEW QUESTION 38

A developer is testing an application that invokes an AWS Lambda function asynchronously. During the testing phase the Lambda function fails to process after two retries.

How can the developer troubleshoot the failure?

- A. Configure AWS CloudTrail logging to investigate the invocation failures.
- B. Configure Dead Letter Queues by sending events to Amazon SQS for investigation.
- C. Configure Amazon Simple Workflow Service to process any direct unprocessed events.
- D. Configure AWS Config to process any direct unprocessed events.

Answer: B

Explanation:

This solution allows the developer to troubleshoot the failure by capturing unprocessed events in a queue for further analysis. Dead Letter Queues (DLQs) are queues that store messages that could not be processed by a service, such as Lambda, for various reasons, such as configuration errors, throttling limits, or permissions issues. The developer can configure DLQs for Lambda functions by sending events to either an Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS) queue or an Amazon Simple Notification Service (SNS) topic. The developer can then inspect the messages in the queue or topic to identify and fix the root cause of the failure. Configuring AWS CloudTrail logging will not capture invocation failures for asynchronous Lambda invocations, but only record API calls made by or on behalf of Lambda. Configuring Amazon Simple Workflow Service (SWF) or AWS Config will not process any direct unprocessed events, but require additional integration and configuration.

Reference: [Using AWS Lambda with DLQs], [Asynchronous invocation]

NEW QUESTION 39

A developer at a company needs to create a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time. The company does not have infrastructure in the AWS Cloud yet, but the company wants to implement this functionality on AWS.

Which solution meets these requirements in the MOST operationally efficient manner?

- A. Use a Kubernetes cron job that runs on Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS).
- B. Use an Amazon Linux crontab scheduled job that runs on Amazon EC2.
- C. Use an AWS Lambda function that is invoked by an Amazon EventBridge scheduled event.
- D. Use an AWS Batch job that is submitted to an AWS Batch job queue.

Answer: C

Explanation:

The correct answer is C. Use an AWS Lambda function that is invoked by an Amazon EventBridge scheduled event.

* C. Use an AWS Lambda function that is invoked by an Amazon EventBridge scheduled event. This is correct. AWS Lambda is a serverless compute service that lets you run code without provisioning or managing servers. Lambda runs your code on a high-availability compute infrastructure and performs all of the administration of the compute resources, including server and operating system maintenance, capacity provisioning and automatic scaling, and logging¹. Amazon EventBridge is a serverless event bus service that enables you to connect your applications with data from a variety of sources². EventBridge can create rules that run on a schedule, either at regular intervals or at specific times and dates, and invoke targets such as Lambda functions³. This solution meets the requirements of creating a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time, without requiring any infrastructure in the AWS Cloud or any operational overhead.

* A. Use a Kubernetes cron job that runs on Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS). This is incorrect. Amazon EKS is a fully managed Kubernetes service that allows you to run containerized applications on AWS⁴. Kubernetes cron jobs are tasks that run periodically on a given schedule⁵. This solution could meet the functional requirements of creating a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time, but it would not be the most operationally efficient manner. The company would need to provision and manage an EKS cluster, which would incur additional costs and complexity.

* B. Use an Amazon Linux crontab scheduled job that runs on Amazon EC2. This is incorrect. Amazon EC2 is a web service that provides secure, resizable compute capacity in the cloud⁶. Crontab is a Linux utility that allows you to schedule commands or scripts to run automatically at a specified time or date⁷. This solution could meet the functional requirements of creating a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time, but it would not be the most operationally efficient manner. The company would need to provision and manage an EC2 instance, which would incur additional costs and complexity.

* D. Use an AWS Batch job that is submitted to an AWS Batch job queue. This is incorrect. AWS Batch enables you to run batch computing workloads on the AWS or sequentially on compute environments⁸. Batch jobs are units of work that can be submitted to job queues, where they are executed in parallel.

This solution could meet the functional requirements of creating a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time, but it would not be the most operationally efficient manner. The company would need to configure and manage an AWS Batch environment, which would incur additional costs and complexity.

References:

- ? 1: What is AWS Lambda? - AWS Lambda
- ? 2: What is Amazon EventBridge? - Amazon EventBridge
- ? 3: Creating an Amazon EventBridge rule that runs on a schedule - Amazon EventBridge
- ? 4: What is Amazon EKS? - Amazon EKS
- ? 5: CronJob - Kubernetes
- ? 6: What is Amazon EC2? - Amazon EC2
- ? 7: Crontab in Linux with 20 Useful Examples to Schedule Jobs - Tecmint
- ? 8: What is AWS Batch? - AWS Batch
- ? 9: Jobs - AWS Batch

NEW QUESTION 43

A company needs to distribute firmware updates to its customers around the world. Which service will allow easy and secure control of the access to the downloads at the lowest cost?

- A. Use Amazon CloudFront with signed URLs for Amazon S3.
- B. Create a dedicated Amazon CloudFront Distribution for each customer.
- C. Use Amazon CloudFront with AWS Lambda@Edge.
- D. Use Amazon API Gateway and AWS Lambda to control access to an S3 bucket.

Answer: A

Explanation:

This solution allows easy and secure control of access to the downloads at the lowest cost because it uses a content delivery network (CDN) that can cache and distribute firmware updates to customers around the world, and uses a mechanism that can restrict access to specific files or versions. Amazon CloudFront is a CDN that can improve performance, availability, and security of web applications by delivering content from edge locations closer to customers. Amazon S3 is a storage service that can store firmware updates in buckets and objects. Signed URLs are URLs that include additional information, such as an expiration date and time, that give users temporary access to specific objects in S3 buckets. The developer can use CloudFront to serve firmware updates from S3 buckets and use signed URLs to control who can download them and for how long. Creating a dedicated CloudFront distribution for each customer will incur unnecessary costs and complexity. Using Amazon CloudFront with AWS Lambda@Edge will require additional programming overhead to implement custom logic at the edge locations. Using Amazon API Gateway and AWS Lambda to control access to an S3 bucket will also require additional programming overhead and may not provide optimal performance or availability.

Reference: [Serving Private Content through CloudFront], [Using CloudFront with Amazon S3]

NEW QUESTION 46

A developer is migrating some features from a legacy monolithic application to use AWS Lambda functions instead. The application currently stores data in an Amazon Aurora DB cluster that runs in private subnets in a VPC. The AWS account has one VPC deployed. The Lambda functions and the DB cluster are deployed in the same AWS Region in the same AWS account.

The developer needs to ensure that the Lambda functions can securely access the DB cluster without crossing the public internet.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Configure the DB cluster's public access setting to Yes.
- B. Configure an Amazon RDS database proxy for the Lambda functions.
- C. Configure a NAT gateway and a security group for the Lambda functions.
- D. Configure the VPC, subnets, and a security group for the Lambda functions.

Answer: D

Explanation:

This solution will meet the requirements by allowing the Lambda functions to access the DB cluster securely within the same VPC without crossing the public internet. The developer can configure a VPC endpoint for RDS in a private subnet and assign it to the Lambda functions. The developer can also configure a security group for the Lambda functions that allows inbound traffic from the DB cluster on port 3306 (MySQL). Option A is not optimal because it will expose the DB cluster to public access, which may compromise its security and data integrity. Option B is not optimal because it will introduce additional latency and complexity to use an RDS database proxy for accessing the DB cluster from Lambda functions within the same VPC. Option C is not optimal because it will require additional costs and configuration to use a NAT gateway for accessing resources in private subnets from Lambda functions.

References: [Configuring a Lambda Function to Access Resources in a VPC]

NEW QUESTION 48

A developer is using an AWS Lambda function to generate avatars for profile pictures that are uploaded to an Amazon S3 bucket. The Lambda function is automatically invoked for profile pictures that are saved under the /original/ S3 prefix. The developer notices that some pictures cause the Lambda function to time out. The developer wants to implement a fallback mechanism by using another Lambda function that resizes the profile picture.

Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST development effort?

- A. Set the image resize Lambda function as a destination of the avatar generator Lambda function for the events that fail processing.
- B. Create an Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS) queue
- C. Set the SQS queue as a destination with an on failure condition for the avatar generator Lambda function
- D. Configure the image resize Lambda function to poll from the SQS queue.
- E. Create an AWS Step Functions state machine that invokes the avatar generator Lambda function and uses the image resize Lambda function as a fallback
- F. Create an Amazon EventBridge rule that matches events from the S3 bucket to invoke the state machine.
- G. Create an Amazon Simple Notification Service (Amazon SNS) topic
- H. Set the SNS topic as a destination with an on failure condition for the avatar generator Lambda function
- I. Subscribe the image resize Lambda function to the SNS topic.

Answer: A

Explanation:

The solution that will meet the requirements with the least development effort is to set the image resize Lambda function as a destination of the avatar generator Lambda function for the events that fail processing. This way, the fallback mechanism is automatically triggered by the Lambda service without requiring any additional components or configuration. The other options involve creating and managing additional resources such as queues, topics, state machines, or rules, which would increase the complexity and cost of the solution.

Reference: Using AWS Lambda destinations

NEW QUESTION 53

An AWS Lambda function requires read access to an Amazon S3 bucket and requires read/write access to an Amazon DynamoDB table. The correct 1AM policy already exists.

What is the MOST secure way to grant the Lambda function access to the S3 bucket and the DynamoDB table?

- A. Attach the existing 1AM policy to the Lambda function.
- B. Create an 1AM role for the Lambda function. Attach the existing 1AM policy to the role. Attach the role to the Lambda function.
- C. Create an 1AM user with programmatic access. Attach the existing 1AM policy to the user.
- D. Add the user access key ID and secret access key as environment variables in the Lambda function.
- E. Add the AWS account root user access key ID and secret access key as encrypted environment variables in the Lambda function.

Answer: B

Explanation:

The most secure way to grant the Lambda function access to the S3 bucket and the DynamoDB table is to create an IAM role for the Lambda function and attach the existing IAM policy to the role. This way, you can use the principle of least privilege and avoid exposing any credentials in your function code or environment variables. You can also leverage the temporary security credentials that AWS provides to the Lambda function when it assumes the role. This solution follows the best practices for working with AWS Lambda functions¹ and designing and architecting with DynamoDB². References

? Best practices for working with AWS Lambda functions

? Best practices for designing and architecting with DynamoDB

NEW QUESTION 55

A developer at a company needs to create a small application that makes the same API call once each day at a designated time. The company does not have infrastructure in the AWS Cloud yet, but the company wants to implement this functionality on AWS.

Which solution meets these requirements in the MOST operationally efficient manner?

- A. Use a Kubernetes cron job that runs on Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS)
- B. Use an Amazon Linux crontab scheduled job that runs on Amazon EC2
- C. Use an AWS Lambda function that is invoked by an Amazon EventBridge scheduled event.
- D. Use an AWS Batch job that is submitted to an AWS Batch job queue.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution meets the requirements in the most operationally efficient manner because it does not require any infrastructure provisioning or management. The developer can create a Lambda function that makes the API call and configure an EventBridge rule that triggers the function once a day at a designated time. This is a serverless solution that scales automatically and only charges for the execution time of the function.

Reference: [Using AWS Lambda with Amazon EventBridge], [Schedule Expressions for Rules]

NEW QUESTION 58

A developer has written an AWS Lambda function. The function is CPU-bound. The developer wants to ensure that the function returns responses quickly.

How can the developer improve the function's performance?

- A. Increase the function's CPU core count.
- B. Increase the function's memory.
- C. Increase the function's reserved concurrency.
- D. Increase the function's timeout.

Answer: B

Explanation:

The amount of memory you allocate to your Lambda function also determines how much CPU and network bandwidth it gets. Increasing the memory size can improve the performance of CPU-bound functions by giving them more CPU power. The CPU allocation is proportional to the memory allocation, so a function with 1 GB of memory has twice the CPU power of a function with 512 MB of memory. Reference: AWS Lambda execution environment

NEW QUESTION 60

A company is planning to securely manage one-time fixed license keys in AWS. The company's development team needs to access the license keys in automation scripts that run in Amazon EC2 instances and in AWS CloudFormation stacks.

Which solution will meet these requirements MOST cost-effectively?

- A. Amazon S3 with encrypted files prefixed with "config"
- B. AWS Secrets Manager secrets with a tag that is named SecretString
- C. AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store SecureString parameters
- D. CloudFormation NoEcho parameters

Answer: C

Explanation:

AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store is a service that provides secure, hierarchical storage for configuration data and secrets. Parameter Store supports SecureString parameters, which are encrypted using AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) keys. SecureString parameters can be used to store license keys in AWS and retrieve them securely from automation scripts that run in EC2 instances or CloudFormation stacks. Parameter Store is a cost-effective solution because it does not charge for storing parameters or API calls. Reference: Working with Systems Manager parameters

NEW QUESTION 65

An application runs on multiple EC2 instances behind an ELB.

Where is the session data best written so that it can be served reliably across multiple requests?

- A. Write data to Amazon ElastiCache
- B. Write data to Amazon Elastic Block Store
- C. Write data to Amazon EC2 instance Store
- D. Write data to the root filesystem

Answer: A

Explanation:

The solution that will meet the requirements is to write data to Amazon ElastiCache. This way, the application can write session data to a fast, scalable, and

reliable in-memory data store that can be served reliably across multiple requests. The other options either involve writing data to persistent storage, which is slower and more expensive than in-memory storage, or writing data to the root filesystem, which is not shared among multiple EC2 instances.
Reference: Using ElastiCache for session management

NEW QUESTION 68

A company hosts a client-side web application for one of its subsidiaries on Amazon S3. The web application can be accessed through Amazon CloudFront from <https://www.example.com>. After a successful rollout, the company wants to host three more client-side web applications for its remaining subsidiaries on three separate S3 buckets.

To achieve this goal, a developer moves all the common JavaScript files and web fonts to a central S3 bucket that serves the web applications. However, during testing, the developer notices that the browser blocks the JavaScript files and web fonts.

What should the developer do to prevent the browser from blocking the JavaScript files and web fonts?

- A. Create four access points that allow access to the central S3 bucket
- B. Assign an access point to each web application bucket.
- C. Create a bucket policy that allows access to the central S3 bucket
- D. Attach the bucket policy to the central S3 bucket.
- E. Create a cross-origin resource sharing (CORS) configuration that allows access to the central S3 bucket
- F. Add the CORS configuration to the central S3 bucket.
- G. Create a Content-MD5 header that provides a message integrity check for the central S3 bucket
- H. Insert the Content-MD5 header for each web application request.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This is a frequent trouble. Web applications cannot access the resources in other domains by default, except some exceptions. You must configure CORS on the resources to be accessed. <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AmazonS3/latest/userguide/cors.html>

NEW QUESTION 71

A company is implementing an application on Amazon EC2 instances. The application needs to process incoming transactions. When the application detects a transaction that is not valid, the application must send a chat message to the company's support team. To send the message, the application needs to retrieve the access token to authenticate by using the chat API.

A developer needs to implement a solution to store the access token. The access token must be encrypted at rest and in transit. The access token must also be accessible from other AWS accounts.

Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST management overhead?

- A. Use an AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store SecureString parameter that uses an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) AWS managed key to store the access token
- B. Add a resource-based policy to the parameter to allow access from other account
- C. Update the IAM role of the EC2 instances with permissions to access Parameter Store and retrieve the token from Parameter Store with the decrypt flag enabled
- D. Retrieve the token from Parameter Store
- E. Use the decrypted access token to send the message to the chat.
- F. Encrypt the access token by using an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) customer managed key
- G. Store the access token in an Amazon DynamoDB table
- H. Update the IAM role of the EC2 instances with permissions to access DynamoDB and AWS KMS
- I. Retrieve the token from DynamoDB
- J. Decrypt the token by using AWS KMS on the EC2 instance
- K. Use the decrypted access token to send the message to the chat.
- L. Use AWS Secrets Manager with an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) customer managed key to store the access token
- M. Add a resource-based policy to the secret to allow access from other account
- N. Update the IAM role of the EC2 instances with permissions to access Secrets Manager
- O. Retrieve the token from Secrets Manager
- P. Use the decrypted access token to send the message to the chat.
- Q. Encrypt the access token by using an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) AWS managed key
- R. Store the access token in an Amazon S3 bucket
- S. Add a bucket policy to the S3 bucket to allow access from other account
- T. Update the IAM role of the EC2 instances with permissions to access Amazon S3 and AWS KMS
- U. Retrieve the token from the S3 bucket
- V. Decrypt the token by using AWS KMS on the EC2 instance
- W. Use the decrypted access token to send the message to the chat.

Answer: C

Explanation:

<https://aws.amazon.com/premiumsupport/knowledge-center/secrets-manager-share-between-accounts/>
https://docs.aws.amazon.com/secretsmanager/latest/userguide/auth-and-access_examples_cross.html

NEW QUESTION 76

A company built a new application in the AWS Cloud. The company automated the bootstrapping of new resources with an Auto Scaling group by using AWS CloudFormation templates. The bootstrap scripts contain sensitive data.

The company needs a solution that is integrated with CloudFormation to manage the sensitive data in the bootstrap scripts.

Which solution will meet these requirements in the MOST secure way?

- A. Put the sensitive data into a CloudFormation parameter
- B. Encrypt the CloudFormation templates by using an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) key.
- C. Put the sensitive data into an Amazon S3 bucket. Update the CloudFormation templates to download the object from Amazon S3 during bootstrap.
- D. Put the sensitive data into AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store as a secure string parameter
- E. Update the CloudFormation templates to use dynamic references to specify template values.
- F. Put the sensitive data into Amazon Elastic File System (Amazon EFS). Enforce EFS encryption after file system creation
- G. Update the CloudFormation templates to retrieve data from Amazon EFS.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution meets the requirements in the most secure way because it uses a service that is integrated with CloudFormation to manage sensitive data in encrypted form. AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store provides secure, hierarchical storage for configuration data management and secrets management. You can store sensitive data as secure string parameters, which are encrypted using an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) key of your choice. You can also use dynamic references in your CloudFormation templates to specify template values that are stored in Parameter Store or Secrets Manager without having to include them in your templates. Dynamic references are resolved only during stack creation or update operations, which reduces exposure risks for sensitive data. Putting sensitive data into a CloudFormation parameter will not encrypt them or protect them from unauthorized access. Putting sensitive data into an Amazon S3 bucket or Amazon Elastic File System (Amazon EFS) will require additional configuration and integration with CloudFormation and may not provide fine-grained access control or encryption for sensitive data.

Reference: [What Is AWS Systems Manager Parameter Store?], [Using Dynamic References to Specify Template Values]

NEW QUESTION 78

A developer is migrating an application to Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS). The developer migrates the application to Amazon Elastic Container Registry (Amazon ECR) with an EKS cluster.

As part of the application migration to a new backend, the developer creates a new AWS account. The developer makes configuration changes to the application to point the application to the new AWS account and to use new backend resources. The developer successfully tests the changes within the application by deploying the pipeline.

The Docker image build and the pipeline deployment are successful, but the application is still connecting to the old backend. The developer finds that the application's configuration is still referencing the original EKS cluster and not referencing the new backend resources.

Which reason can explain why the application is not connecting to the new resources?

- A. The developer did not successfully create the new AWS account.
- B. The developer added a new tag to the Docker image.
- C. The developer did not update the Docker image tag to a new version.
- D. The developer pushed the changes to a new Docker image tag.

Answer: C

Explanation:

The correct answer is C. The developer did not update the Docker image tag to a new version.

* C. The developer did not update the Docker image tag to a new version. This is correct. When deploying an application to Amazon EKS, the developer needs to specify the Docker image tag that contains the application code and configuration. If the developer does not update the Docker image tag to a new version after making changes to the application, the EKS cluster will continue to use the old Docker image tag that references the original backend resources. To fix this issue, the developer should update the Docker image tag to a new version and redeploy the application to the EKS cluster.

* A. The developer did not successfully create the new AWS account. This is incorrect. The creation of a new AWS account is not related to the application's connection to the

backend resources. The developer can use any AWS account to host the EKS cluster and the backend resources, as long as they have the proper permissions and configurations.

* B. The developer added a new tag to the Docker image. This is incorrect. Adding a new tag to the Docker image is not enough to deploy the changes to the application. The developer also needs to update the Docker image tag in the EKS cluster configuration, so that the EKS cluster can pull and run the new Docker image.

* D. The developer pushed the changes to a new Docker image tag. This is incorrect. Pushing the changes to a new Docker image tag is not enough to deploy the changes to the application. The developer also needs to update the Docker image tag in the EKS cluster configuration, so that the EKS cluster can pull and run the new Docker image. References:

? 1: Amazon EKS User Guide, "Deploying applications to your Amazon EKS cluster", <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/eks/latest/userguide/deploying-applications.html>

? 2: Amazon ECR User Guide, "Pushing an image", <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AmazonECR/latest/userguide/docker-push-ecr-image.html>

? 3: Amazon EKS User Guide, "Updating an Amazon EKS cluster", <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/eks/latest/userguide/update-cluster.html>

NEW QUESTION 81

A developer accesses AWS CodeCommit over SSH. The SSH keys configured to access AWS CodeCommit are tied to a user with the following permissions:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codecommit:BatchGetRepositories",
        "codecommit:Get*",
        "codecommit:List*",
        "codecommit:GitPull"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    }
  ]
}
```

The developer needs to create/delete branches

Which specific IAM permissions need to be added based on the principle of least privilege?

- A. "codecommit:CreateBranch"
"codecommit>DeleteBranch"
- B. "codecommit:Put*"
- C. "codecommit:Update*"
- D. "codecommit:*"

- A. Option A
- B. Option B
- C. Option C
- D. Option D

Answer: A

Explanation:

This solution allows the developer to create and delete branches in AWS CodeCommit by granting the codecommit:CreateBranch and codecommit>DeleteBranch permissions. These are the minimum permissions required for this task, following the principle of least privilege. Option B grants too many permissions, such as codecommit:Put*, which allows the developer to create, update, or delete any resource in CodeCommit. Option C grants too few permissions, such as codecommit:Update*, which does not allow the developer to create or delete branches. Option D grants all permissions, such as codecommit:*, which is not secure or recommended.

Reference: [AWS CodeCommit Permissions Reference], [Create a Branch (AWS CLI)]

NEW QUESTION 84

A company has installed smart meters in all its customer locations. The smart meter's measure power usage at 1-minute intervals and send the usage readings to a remote endpoint for collection. The company needs to create an endpoint that will receive the smart meter readings and store the readings in a database. The company wants to store the location ID and timestamp information.

The company wants to give its customers low-latency access to their current usage and historical usage on demand. The company expects demand to increase significantly. The solution must not impact performance or include downtime while scaling.

When solution will meet these requirements MOST cost-effectively?

- A. Store the smart meter readings in an Amazon RDS database
- B. Create an index on the location ID and timestamp columns. Use the columns to filter on the customers' data.
- C. Store the smart meter readings in an Amazon DynamoDB table. Create a composite key by using the location ID and timestamp column.
- D. Use the columns to filter on the customers' data.
- E. Store the smart meter readings in Amazon ElastiCache for Redis. Create a Sorted Set key by using the location ID and timestamp column.
- F. Use the columns to filter on the customers' data.
- G. Store the smart meter readings in Amazon S3. Partition the data by using the location ID and timestamp column.

H. Use Amazon Athena to filter on the customers' data.

Answer: B

Explanation:

The solution that will meet the requirements most cost-effectively is to store the smart meter readings in an Amazon DynamoDB table. Create a composite key by using the location ID and timestamp columns. Use the columns to filter on the customers' data. This way, the company can leverage the scalability, performance, and low latency of DynamoDB to store and retrieve the smart meter readings. The company can also use the composite key to query the data by location ID and timestamp efficiently. The other options either involve more expensive or less scalable services, or do not provide low-latency access to the current usage.

Reference: Working with Queries in DynamoDB

NEW QUESTION 86

A company is creating an application that processes csv files from Amazon S3. A developer has created an S3 bucket. The developer has also created an AWS Lambda function to process the csv files from the S3 bucket.

Which combination of steps will invoke the Lambda function when a csv file is uploaded to Amazon S3? (Select TWO.)

- A. Create an Amazon EventBridge rule. Configure the rule with a pattern to match the S3 object created event.
- B. Schedule an Amazon EventBridge rule to run a new Lambda function to scan the S3 bucket.
- C. Add a trigger to the existing Lambda function.
- D. Set the trigger type to EventBridge. Select the Amazon EventBridge rule.
- E. Create a new Lambda function to scan the S3 bucket for recently added S3 objects.
- F. Add S3 Lifecycle rules to invoke the existing Lambda function.

Answer: AC

Explanation:

To invoke a Lambda function when a csv file is uploaded to Amazon S3, you can use Amazon EventBridge to create a rule that matches the S3 object created event. Then, you can add a trigger to the existing Lambda function and set the trigger type to EventBridge. This way, the Lambda function will be invoked whenever a new csv file is added to the S3 bucket. References:

? Tutorial: Using an Amazon S3 trigger to invoke a Lambda function

? How to trigger my Lambda Function once the file is uploaded to S3 bucket

? Lambda Function to be invoked or triggered by S3(csv file upload ...)

NEW QUESTION 91

A company is building a microservices application that consists of many AWS Lambda functions. The development team wants to use AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM) templates to automatically test the Lambda functions. The development team plans to test a small percentage of traffic that is directed to new updates before the team commits to a full deployment of the application.

Which combination of steps will meet these requirements in the MOST operationally efficient way? (Select TWO.)

- A. Use AWS SAM CLI commands in AWS CodeDeploy to invoke the Lambda functions to test the deployment.
- B. Declare the `EventInvokeConfig` on the Lambda functions in the AWS SAM templates with `OnSuccess` and `OnFailure` configurations. Enable gradual deployments through AWS SAM templates.
- C. Set the deployment preference type to `Canary10Percent130Minutes`. Use hooks to test the deployment.
- D. Set the deployment preference type to `Linear10PercentEvery10Minutes`. Use hooks to test the deployment.

Answer: CD

Explanation:

This solution will meet the requirements by using AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM) templates and gradual deployments to automatically test the Lambda functions. AWS SAM templates are configuration files that define serverless applications and resources such as Lambda functions. Gradual deployments are a feature of AWS SAM that enable deploying new versions of Lambda functions incrementally, shifting traffic gradually, and performing validation tests during deployment. The developer can enable gradual deployments through AWS SAM templates by adding a `DeploymentPreference` property to each Lambda function resource in the template. The developer can set the deployment preference type to `Canary10Percent30Minutes`, which means that 10 percent of traffic will be shifted to the new version of the Lambda function for 30 minutes before shifting 100 percent of traffic. The developer can also use hooks to test the deployment, which are custom Lambda functions that run before or after traffic shifting and perform validation tests or rollback actions.

References: [AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM)], [Gradual Code Deployment]

NEW QUESTION 94

A developer is preparing to begin development of a new version of an application. The previous version of the application is deployed in a production environment. The developer needs to deploy fixes and updates to the current version during the development of the new version of the application. The code for the new version of the application is stored in AWS CodeCommit.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. From the main branch, create a feature branch for production bug fixes.
- B. Create a second feature branch from the main branch for development of the new version.
- C. Create a Git tag of the code that is currently deployed in production.
- D. Create a Git tag for the development of the new version.
- E. Push the two tags to the CodeCommit repository.
- F. From the main branch, create a branch of the code that is currently deployed in production.
- G. Apply an IAM policy that ensures no other users can push or merge to the branch.
- H. Create a new CodeCommit repository for development of the new version of the application.
- I. Create a Git tag for the development of the new version.

Answer: A

Explanation:

? A feature branch is a branch that is created from the main branch to work on a specific feature or task. Feature branches allow developers to isolate their work from the main branch and avoid conflicts with other changes. Feature branches can be merged back to the main branch when the feature or task is completed and tested.

? In this scenario, the developer needs to maintain two parallel streams of work: one for fixing and updating the current version of the application that is deployed in

production, and another for developing the new version of the application. The developer can use feature branches to achieve this goal.

? The developer can create a feature branch from the main branch for production bug fixes. This branch will contain the code that is currently deployed in production, and any fixes or updates that need to be applied to it. The developer can push this branch to the CodeCommit repository and use it to deploy changes to the production environment.

? The developer can also create a second feature branch from the main branch for development of the new version of the application. This branch will contain the code that is under development for the new version, and any changes or enhancements that are part of it. The developer can push this branch to the CodeCommit repository and use it to test and deploy the new version of the application in a separate environment.

? By using feature branches, the developer can keep the main branch stable and clean, and avoid mixing code from different versions of the application. The developer can also easily switch between branches and merge them when needed.

NEW QUESTION 96

A development team maintains a web application by using a single AWS CloudFormation template. The template defines web servers and an Amazon RDS database. The team uses the Cloud Formation template to deploy the Cloud Formation stack to different environments.

During a recent application deployment, a developer caused the primary development database to be dropped and recreated. The result of this incident was a loss of data. The team needs to avoid accidental database deletion in the future.

Which solutions will meet these requirements? (Choose two.)

A. Add a CloudFormation Deletion Policy attribute with the Retain value to the database resource.

B. Update the CloudFormation stack policy to prevent updates to the database.

Modify the database to use a Multi-AZ deployment.

☒ C. Create a CloudFormation stack set for the web application and database deployments.

E. Add a Cloud Formation DeletionPolicy attribute with the Retain value to the stack.

Answer: AB

Explanation:

AWS CloudFormation is a service that enables developers to model and provision AWS resources using templates. The developer can add a CloudFormation Deletion Policy attribute with the Retain value to the database resource. This will prevent the database from being deleted when the stack is deleted or updated.

The developer can also update the CloudFormation stack policy to prevent updates to the database. This will prevent accidental changes to the database configuration or properties.

References:

? [What Is AWS CloudFormation? - AWS CloudFormation]

? [DeletionPolicy Attribute - AWS CloudFormation]

? [Protecting Resources During Stack Updates - AWS CloudFormation]

NEW QUESTION 97

A company has an application that stores data in Amazon RDS instances. The application periodically experiences surges of high traffic that cause performance problems.

During periods of peak traffic, a developer notices a reduction in query speed in all database queries.

The team's technical lead determines that a multi-threaded and scalable caching solution should be used to offload the heavy read traffic. The solution needs to improve performance.

Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST complexity?

A. Use Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached to offload read requests from the main database.

B. Replicate the data to Amazon DynamoDB

C. Set up a DynamoDB Accelerator (DAX) cluster.

D. Configure the Amazon RDS instances to use Multi-AZ deployment with one standby instance.

E. Offload read requests from the main database to the standby instance.

F. Use Amazon ElastiCache for Redis to offload read requests from the main database.

Answer: A

Explanation:

? Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached is a fully managed, multithreaded, and scalable in-memory key-value store that can be used to cache frequently accessed data and improve application performance¹. By using Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached, the developer can reduce the load on the main database and handle high traffic surges more efficiently.

? To use Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached, the developer needs to create a cache cluster with one or more nodes, and configure the application to store and retrieve data from the cache cluster². The developer can use any of the supported Memcached clients to interact with the cache cluster³. The developer can also use Auto Discovery to dynamically discover and connect to all cache nodes in a cluster⁴.

? Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached is compatible with the Memcached protocol, which means that the developer can use existing tools and libraries that work with

Memcached¹. Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached also supports data partitioning, which allows the developer to distribute data among multiple nodes and scale out the cache cluster as needed.

? Using Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached is a simple and effective solution that meets the requirements with the least complexity. The developer does not need to change the database schema, migrate data to a different service, or use a different caching model. The developer can leverage the existing Memcached ecosystem and easily integrate it with the application.

NEW QUESTION 100

A developer has an application that stores data in an Amazon S3 bucket. The application uses an HTTP API to store and retrieve objects. When the PutObject API operation adds objects to the S3 bucket the developer must encrypt these objects at rest by using server-side encryption with Amazon S3 managed keys (SSE-S3).

Which solution will meet this requirement?

A. Create an AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) key.

B. Assign the KMS key to the S3 bucket.

C. Set the x-amz-server-side-encryption header when invoking the PutObject API operation.

D. Provide the encryption key in the HTTP header of every request.

E. Apply TLS to encrypt the traffic to the S3 bucket.

Answer: B

Explanation:

Amazon S3 supports server-side encryption, which encrypts data at rest on the server that stores the data. One of the encryption options is SSE-S3, which uses keys managed by S3. To use SSE-S3, the x-amz-server-side-encryption header must be set to AES256 when invoking the PutObject API operation. This instructs S3 to encrypt the object data with SSE-S3 before saving it on disks in its data centers and decrypt it when it is downloaded. Reference: Protecting data using server-side encryption with Amazon S3-managed encryption keys (SSE-S3)

NEW QUESTION 103

A company built an online event platform. For each event, the company organizes quizzes and generates leaderboards that are based on the quiz scores. The company stores the leaderboard data in Amazon DynamoDB and retains the data for 30 days after an event is complete. The company then uses a scheduled job to delete the old leaderboard data.

The DynamoDB table is configured with a fixed write capacity. During the months when many events occur, the DynamoDB write API requests are throttled when the scheduled delete job runs.

A developer must create a long-term solution that deletes the old leaderboard data and optimizes write throughput.

Which solution meets these requirements?

- A. Configure a TTL attribute for the leaderboard data.
- B. Use DynamoDB Streams to schedule and delete the leaderboard data.
- C. Use AWS Step Functions to schedule and delete the leaderboard data.
- D. Set a higher write capacity when the scheduled delete job runs.

Answer: A

Explanation:

"Deletes the item from your table without consuming any write throughput" <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/amazondynamodb/latest/developerguide/TTL.html>

NEW QUESTION 108

A developer is building a serverless application by using AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM) on multiple AWS Lambda functions.

When the application is deployed, the developer wants to shift 10% of the traffic to the new deployment of the application for the first 10 minutes after deployment.

If there are no issues, all traffic must switch over to the new version.

Which change to the AWS SAM template will meet these requirements?

- A. Set the DeploymentPreference.Type to Canary10Percent10Minute. Set the AutoPublishAlias property to the Lambda alias.
- B. Set the DeploymentPreference.Type to Linear10PercentEvery10Minute.
- C. Set the DeploymentPreference.Type to Canary10Percent10Minute.
- D. Set the AutoPublishAlias property to the Lambda alias.
- E. Set the DeploymentPreference.Type to Canary10Percent10Minute.
- F. Set the PreTraffic and PostTraffic properties to the Lambda alias.
- G. Set the DeploymentPreference.Type to Linear10PercentEvery10Minute.
- H. Set the PreTraffic and PostTraffic properties to the Lambda alias.

Answer: A

Explanation:

The AWS Serverless Application Model (AWS SAM) comes built-in with CodeDeploy to provide gradual AWS Lambda deployments¹.

The DeploymentPreference property in AWS SAM allows you to specify the type of deployment that you want. The Canary10Percent10Minutes option means that 10 percent of your customer traffic is immediately shifted to your new version. After 10 minutes, all traffic is shifted to the new version¹. The AutoPublishAlias property in AWS SAM allows AWS SAM to automatically create an alias that points to the updated version of the Lambda function¹. Therefore, option A is correct.

NEW QUESTION 113

An application that runs on AWS Lambda requires access to specific highly confidential objects in an Amazon S3 bucket. In accordance with the principle of least privilege, a company grants access to the S3 bucket by using only temporary credentials.

How can a developer configure access to the S3 bucket in the MOST secure way?

- A. Hardcode the credentials that are required to access the S3 objects in the application code.
- B. Use the credentials to access the required S3 objects. Create a secret access key and access key ID with permission to access the S3 bucket.
- C. Store the key and key ID in AWS Secrets Manager.
- D. Configure the application to retrieve the Secrets Manager secret and use the credentials to access the S3 objects.
- E. Create a Lambda function execution role. Attach a policy to the role that grants access to specific objects in the S3 bucket.
- F. Create a secret access key and access key ID with permission to access the S3 bucket. Store the key and key ID as environment variables in Lambda.
- G. Use the environment variables to access the required S3 objects.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution will meet the requirements by creating a Lambda function execution role, which is an IAM role that grants permissions to a Lambda function to access AWS resources such as Amazon S3 objects. The developer can attach a policy to the role that grants access to specific objects in the S3 bucket that are required by the application, following the principle of least privilege. Option A is not optimal because it will hardcode the credentials that are required to access S3 objects in the application code, which is insecure and difficult to maintain. Option B is not optimal because it will create a secret access key and access key ID with permission to access the S3 bucket, which will introduce additional security risks and complexity for storing and managing credentials. Option D is not optimal because it will store the secret access key and access key ID as environment variables in Lambda, which is also insecure and difficult to maintain. References: [AWS Lambda Execution Role], [Using AWS Lambda with Amazon S3]

NEW QUESTION 115

A company is running Amazon EC2 instances in multiple AWS accounts. A developer needs to implement an application that collects all the lifecycle events of the EC2 instances. The application needs to store the lifecycle events in a single Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS) queue in the company's main AWS account for further processing.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Configure Amazon EC2 to deliver the EC2 instance lifecycle events from all accounts to the Amazon EventBridge event bus of the main account
- B. Add an EventBridge rule to the event bus of the main account that matches all EC2 instance lifecycle event
- C. Add the SQS queue as a target of the rule.
- D. Use the resource policies of the SQS queue in the main account to give each account permissions to write to that SQS queue
- E. Add to the Amazon EventBridge event bus of each account an EventBridge rule that matches all EC2 instance lifecycle event
- F. Add the SQS queue in the main account as a target of the rule.
- G. Write an AWS Lambda function that scans through all EC2 instances in the company accounts to detect EC2 instance lifecycle change
- H. Configure the Lambda function to write a notification message to the SQS queue in the main account if the function detects an EC2 instance lifecycle change
- I. Add an Amazon EventBridge scheduled rule that invokes the Lambda function every minute.
- J. Configure the permissions on the main account event bus to receive events from all account
- K. Create an Amazon EventBridge rule in each account to send all the EC2 instance lifecycle events to the main account event bus
- L. Add an EventBridge rule to the main account event bus that matches all EC2 instance lifecycle event
- M. Set the SQS queue as a target for the rule.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Amazon EC2 instances can send the state-change notification events to Amazon EventBridge.

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSEC2/latest/UserGuide/monitoring-instance-state-changes.html> Amazon EventBridge can send and receive events between event buses in AWS accounts. <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/eventbridge/latest/userguide/eb-cross-account.html>

NEW QUESTION 119

A developer is deploying an AWS Lambda function. The developer wants the ability to return to older versions of the function quickly and seamlessly. How can the developer achieve this goal with the LEAST operational overhead?

- A. Use AWS OpsWorks to perform blue/green deployments.
- B. Use a function alias with different versions.
- C. Maintain deployment packages for older versions in Amazon S3.
- D. Use AWS CodePipeline for deployments and rollbacks.

Answer: B

Explanation:

A function alias is a pointer to a specific Lambda function version. You can use aliases to create different environments for your function, such as development, testing, and production. You can also use aliases to perform blue/green deployments by shifting traffic between two versions of your function gradually. This way, you can easily roll back to a previous version if something goes wrong, without having to redeploy your code or change your configuration. Reference: AWS Lambda function aliases

NEW QUESTION 122

A company has an analytics application that uses an AWS Lambda function to process transaction data asynchronously. A developer notices that asynchronous invocations of the Lambda function sometimes fail. When failed Lambda function invocations occur, the developer wants to invoke a second Lambda function to handle errors and log details.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Configuring a Lambda function destination with a failure condition is the best solution for invoking a second Lambda function to handle errors and log details. A Lambda function destination is a resource that Lambda sends events to after a function is invoked. The developer can specify the destination type as Lambda function and the ARN of the error-handling Lambda function as the resource. The developer can also specify the failure condition, which means that the destination is invoked only when the initial Lambda function fails. The destination event will include the response from the initial function, the request ID, and the timestamp. The other solutions are either not feasible or not efficient. Enabling AWS X-Ray active tracing on the initial Lambda function will help to monitor and troubleshoot the function performance, but it will not automatically invoke the error-handling Lambda function. Configuring a Lambda function trigger with a failure condition is not a valid option, as triggers are used to invoke Lambda functions, not to send events from Lambda functions. Creating a status check alarm on the initial Lambda function will incur additional costs and complexity, and it will not capture the details of the failed invocations. References

? Using AWS Lambda destinations

? Asynchronous invocation - AWS Lambda

? AWS Lambda Destinations: What They Are and Why to Use Them

? AWS Lambda Destinations: A Complete Guide | Dashbird

NEW QUESTION 126

A developer has an application that is composed of many different AWS Lambda functions. The Lambda functions all use some of the same dependencies. To avoid security issues, the developer is constantly updating the dependencies of all of the Lambda functions. The result is duplicated effort to reach function.

How can the developer keep the dependencies of the Lambda functions up to date with the LEAST additional complexity?

- A. Define a maintenance window for the Lambda functions to ensure that the functions get updated copies of the dependencies.
- B. Upgrade the Lambda functions to the most recent runtime version.
- C. Define a Lambda layer that contains all of the shared dependencies.
- D. Use an AWS CodeCommit repository to host the dependencies in a centralized location.

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution allows the developer to keep the dependencies of the Lambda functions up to date with the least additional complexity because it eliminates the need to update each function individually. A Lambda layer is a ZIP archive that contains libraries, custom runtimes, or other dependencies. The developer can create a layer that contains all of the shared dependencies and attach it to multiple Lambda functions. When the developer updates the layer, all of the functions that use the layer will have access to the latest version of the dependencies.

Reference: [AWS Lambda layers]

NEW QUESTION 128

A developer is using AWS Amplify Hosting to build and deploy an application. The developer is receiving an increased number of bug reports from users. The developer wants to add end-to-end testing to the application to eliminate as many bugs as possible before the bugs reach production.

Which solution should the developer implement to meet these requirements?

- A. Run the amplify add test command in the Amplify CLI.
- B. Create unit tests in the applicatio
- C. Deploy the unit tests by using the amplify push command in the Amplify CLI.
- D. Add a test phase to the amplify.yml build settings for the application.
- E. Add a test phase to the aws-exports.js file for the application.

Answer: C

Explanation:

The solution that will meet the requirements is to add a test phase to the amplify.yml build settings for the application. This way, the developer can run end-to-end tests on every code commit and catch any bugs before deploying to production. The other options either do not support end-to-end testing, or do not run tests automatically.

Reference: End-to-end testing

NEW QUESTION 131

A team of developed is using an AWS CodePipeline pipeline as a continuous integration and continuous delivery (CI/CD) mechanism for a web application. A developer has written unit tests to programmatically test the functionality of the application code. The unit tests produce a test report that shows the results of each individual check. The developer now

wants to run these tests automatically during the CI/CD process.

- A. Write a Git pre-commit hook that runs the test before every commi
- B. Ensure that each developer who is working on the project has the pre-commit hook instated locall
- C. Review the test report and resolve any issues before pushing changes to AWS CodeCommit.
- D. Add a new stage to the pipelin
- E. Use AWS CodeBuild as the provide
- F. Add the new stage after the stage that deploys code revisions to the test environmen
- G. Write a builds spec that fails the CodeBuild stage if any test does not pas
- H. Use the test reports feature of Codebuild to integrate the report with the CodoBuild consol
- I. View the test results in CodeBuild Resolve any issues.
- J. Add a new stage to the pipelin
- K. Use AWS CodeBuild at the provide
- L. Add the new stage before the stage that deploys code revisions to the test environmen
- M. Write a builds spec that fails the CodeBuild stage it any test does not pas
- N. Use the test reports feature of CodeBuild to integrate the report with the CodeBuild consol
- O. View the test results in codeBuild Resolve any issues.
- P. Add a new stage to the pipelin
- Q. Use Jenkins as the provide
- R. Configure CodePipeline to use Jenkins to run the unit test
- S. Write a Jenkinsfile that fails the stage if any test does not pas
- T. Use the test report plugin for Jenkins to integrate the repot with the Jenkins dashboar
- . View the test results in Jenkin
- . Resolve any issues.

Answer: C

Explanation:

The solution that will meet the requirements is to add a new stage to the pipeline. Use AWS CodeBuild as the provider. Add the new stage before the stage that deploys code revisions to the test environment. Write a builds spec that fails the CodeBuild stage if any test does not pass. Use the test reports feature of CodeBuild to integrate the report with the CodeBuild console. View the test results in CodeBuild. Resolve any issues. This way, the developer can run the unit tests automatically during the CI/CD process and catch any bugs before deploying to the test environment. The developer can also use the test reports feature of CodeBuild to view and analyze the test results in a graphical interface. The other options either involve running the tests manually, running them after deployment, or using a different provider that requires additional configuration and integration.

Reference: Test reports for CodeBuild

NEW QUESTION 136

A developer is planning to migrate on-premises company data to Amazon S3. The data must be encrypted, and the encryption Keys must support automate annual rotation. The company must use AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) to encrypt the data.

When type of keys should the developer use to meet these requirements?

- A. Amazon S3 managed keys
- B. Symmetric customer managed keys with key material that is generated by AWS
- C. Asymmetric customer managed keys with key material that generated by AWS
- D. Symmetric customer managed keys with imported key material

Answer: B

Explanation:

The type of keys that the developer should use to meet the requirements is symmetric customer managed keys with key material that is generated by AWS. This way, the developer can use AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) to encrypt the data with a symmetric key that is managed by the developer. The developer can also enable automatic annual rotation for the key, which creates new key material for the key every year. The other options either involve using Amazon S3 managed keys, which do not support automatic annual rotation, or using asymmetric keys or imported key material, which are not supported by S3 encryption.

Reference: Using AWS KMS keys to encrypt S3 objects

NEW QUESTION 139

A company is using Amazon RDS as the Backend database for its application. After a recent marketing campaign, a surge of read requests to the database increased the latency of data retrieval from the database.

The company has decided to implement a caching layer in front of the database. The cached content must be encrypted and must be highly available.

Which solution will meet these requirements?

- A. Amazon Cloudfront
- B. Amazon ElastiCache to Memcached
- C. Amazon ElastiCache for Redis in cluster mode
- D. Amazon DynamoDB Accelerate (DAX)

Answer: C

Explanation:

This solution meets the requirements because it provides a caching layer that can store and retrieve encrypted data from multiple nodes. Amazon ElastiCache for Redis supports encryption at rest and in transit, and can scale horizontally to increase the cache capacity and availability. Amazon ElastiCache for Memcached does not support encryption, Amazon CloudFront is a content delivery network that is not suitable for caching database queries, and Amazon DynamoDB Accelerator (DAX) is a caching service that only works with DynamoDB tables.

Reference: [Amazon ElastiCache for Redis Features], [Choosing a Cluster Engine]

NEW QUESTION 144

A developer is creating an AWS Lambda function in VPC mode. An Amazon S3 event will invoke the Lambda function when an object is uploaded into an S3 bucket. The Lambda function will process the object and produce some analytic results that will be recorded into a file. Each processed object will also generate a log entry that will be recorded into a file.

Other Lambda functions, AWS services, and on-premises resources must have access to the result files and log file. Each log entry must also be appended to the same shared log file. The developer needs a solution that can share files and append results into an existing file.

Which solution should the developer use to meet these requirements?

- A. Create an Amazon Elastic File System (Amazon EFS) file system
- B. Mount the EFS file system in Lambda
- C. Store the result files and log file in the mount point
- D. Append the log entries to the log file.
- E. Create an Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS) Multi-Attach enabled volume. Attach the EBS volume to all Lambda function instances. Lambda functions download the log file, append the log entries, and upload the modified log file to Amazon EBS.
- F. Update the Lambda function code to download the log file, append the log entries, and upload the modified log file to Amazon EBS.
- G. Create a reference to the /tmp/local directory
- H. Store the result files and log file by using the directory reference
- I. Append the log entry to the log file.
- J. Create a reference to the /opt storage directory. Store the result files and log file by using the directory reference. Append the log entry to the log file.

Answer: A

Explanation:

<https://aws.amazon.com/blogs/compute/using-amazon-efs-for-aws-lambda-in-your-serverless-applications/>

NEW QUESTION 147

A developer is building a web application that uses Amazon API Gateway to expose an AWS Lambda function to process requests from clients. During testing, the developer notices that the API Gateway times out even though the Lambda function finishes under the set time limit.

Which of the following API Gateway metrics in Amazon CloudWatch can help the developer troubleshoot the issue? (Choose two.)

- A. CacheHitCount
- B. IntegrationLatency
- C. CacheMissCount
- D. Latency
- E. Count

Answer: BD

Explanation:

Amazon API Gateway is a service that enables developers to create, publish, maintain, monitor, and secure APIs at any scale. Amazon CloudWatch is a service that monitors AWS resources and applications. API Gateway provides several CloudWatch metrics to help developers troubleshoot issues with their APIs. Two of the metrics that can help the developer troubleshoot the issue of API Gateway timing out are:

? IntegrationLatency: This metric measures the time between when API Gateway relays a request to the backend and when it receives a response from the backend. A high value for this metric indicates that the backend is taking too long to respond and may cause API Gateway to time out.

? Latency: This metric measures the time between when API Gateway receives a request from a client and when it returns a response to the client. A high value for this metric indicates that either the integration latency is high or API Gateway is taking too long to process the request or response.

References:

? [What Is Amazon API Gateway? - Amazon API Gateway]

? [Amazon API Gateway Metrics and Dimensions - Amazon CloudWatch]

? [Troubleshooting API Errors - Amazon API Gateway]

NEW QUESTION 152

An application is using Amazon Cognito user pools and identity pools for secure access. A developer wants to integrate the user-specific file upload and download features in the application with Amazon S3. The developer must ensure that the files are saved and retrieved in a secure manner and that users can access only their own files. The file sizes range from 3 KB to 300 MB.

Which option will meet these requirements with the HIGHEST level of security?

- A. Use S3 Event Notifications to validate the file upload and download requests and update the user interface (UI).
- B. Save the details of the uploaded files in a separate Amazon DynamoDB table.
- C. Filter the list of files in the user interface (UI) by comparing the current user ID with the user ID associated with the file in the table.
- D. Use Amazon API Gateway and an AWS Lambda function to upload and download file.
- E. Validate each request in the Lambda function before performing the requested operation.
- F. Use an IAM policy within the Amazon Cognito identity prefix to restrict users to use their own folders in Amazon S3.

Answer: D

Explanation:

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/cognito/latest/developerguide/amazon-cognito-integrating-user-pools-with-identity-pools.html>

NEW QUESTION 157

A developer is designing a serverless application with two AWS Lambda functions to process photos. One Lambda function stores objects in an Amazon S3 bucket and stores the associated metadata in an Amazon DynamoDB table. The other Lambda function fetches the objects from the S3 bucket by using the metadata from the DynamoDB table. Both Lambda functions use the same Python library to perform complex computations and are approaching the quota for the maximum size of zipped deployment packages.

What should the developer do to reduce the size of the Lambda deployment packages with the LEAST operational overhead?

- A. Package each Python library in its own .zip file archive.
- B. Deploy each Lambda function with its own copy of the library.
- C. Create a Lambda layer with the required Python library.
- D. Use the Lambda layer in both Lambda functions.
- E. Combine the two Lambda functions into one Lambda function.
- F. Deploy the Lambda function as a single .zip file archive.
- G. Download the Python library to an S3 bucket.
- H. Program the Lambda functions to reference the object URLs.

Answer: B

Explanation:

AWS Lambda is a service that lets developers run code without provisioning or managing servers. Lambda layers are a distribution mechanism for libraries, custom runtimes, and other dependencies. The developer can create a Lambda layer with the

required Python library and use the layer in both Lambda functions. This will reduce the size of the Lambda deployment packages and avoid reaching the quota for the maximum size of zipped deployment packages. The developer can also benefit from using layers to manage dependencies separately from function code.

References:

? [What Is AWS Lambda? - AWS Lambda]

? [AWS Lambda Layers - AWS Lambda]

NEW QUESTION 161

A developer is troubleshooting an application in an integration environment. In the application, an Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS) queue consumes messages and then an AWS Lambda function processes the messages. The Lambda function transforms the messages and makes an API call to a third-party service.

There has been an increase in application usage. The third-party API frequently returns an HTTP 429 Too Many Requests error message. The error message prevents a significant number of messages from being processed successfully.

How can the developer resolve this issue?

- A. Increase the SQS event source's batch size setting.
- B. Configure provisioned concurrency for the Lambda function based on the third-party API's documented rate limits.
- C. Increase the retry attempts and maximum event age in the Lambda function's asynchronous configuration.
- D. Configure maximum concurrency on the SQS event source based on the third-party service's documented rate limits.

Answer: D

Explanation:

? Maximum concurrency for SQS as an event source allows customers to control the maximum concurrent invokes by the SQS event source¹. When multiple SQS event sources are configured to a function, customers can control the maximum concurrent invokes of individual SQS event source¹.

? In this scenario, the developer needs to resolve the issue of the third-party API frequently returning an HTTP 429 Too Many Requests error message, which prevents a significant number of messages from being processed successfully. To achieve this, the developer can follow these steps:

? By using this solution, the developer can reduce the frequency of HTTP 429 errors and improve the message processing success rate. The developer can also avoid throttling or blocking by the third-party API.

NEW QUESTION 164

A company is planning to use AWS CodeDeploy to deploy an application to Amazon Elastic Container Service (Amazon ECS) During the deployment of a new version of the application, the company initially must expose only 10% of live traffic to the new version of the deployed application. Then, after 15 minutes elapse, the company must route all the remaining live traffic to the new version of the deployed application.

Which CodeDeploy predefined configuration will meet these requirements?

- A. CodeDeployDefault ECSCanary10Percent15Minutes
- B. CodeDeployDefault LambdaCanary10Percent5Minutes
- C. CodeDeployDefault LambdaCanary10Percent15Minutes
- D. CodeDeployDefault ECSLinear10PercentEvery1 Minutes

Answer: A

Explanation:

The predefined configuration "CodeDeployDefault.ECSCanary10Percent15Minutes" is designed for Amazon Elastic Container Service (Amazon ECS) deployments and meets the specified requirements. It will perform a canary deployment, which means it will initially route 10% of live traffic to the new version of the application, and then after 15 minutes elapse, it will automatically route all the remaining live traffic to the new version. This gradual deployment approach allows

the company to verify the health and performance of the new version with a small portion of traffic before fully deploying it to all users.

NEW QUESTION 167

An ecommerce company is using an AWS Lambda function behind Amazon API Gateway

as its application tier. To process orders during checkout, the application calls a POST API from the frontend. The POST API invokes the Lambda function asynchronously. In rare situations, the application has not processed orders. The Lambda application logs show no errors or failures. What should a developer do to solve this problem?

- A. Inspect the frontend logs for API failure
- B. Call the POST API manually by using the requests from the log file.
- C. Create and inspect the Lambda dead-letter queue
- D. Troubleshoot the failed function
- E. Reprocess the events.
- F. Inspect the Lambda logs in Amazon CloudWatch for possible error
- G. Fix the errors.
- H. Make sure that caching is disabled for the POST API in API Gateway.

Answer: B

Explanation:

The solution that will solve this problem is to create and inspect the Lambda dead-letter queue. Troubleshoot the failed functions. Reprocess the events. This way, the developer can identify and fix any issues that caused the Lambda function to fail when invoked asynchronously by API Gateway. The developer can also reprocess any orders that were not processed due to failures. The other options either do not address the root cause of the problem, or do not help recover from failures.

Reference: Asynchronous invocation

NEW QUESTION 168

A developer is storing sensitive data generated by an application in Amazon S3. The developer wants to encrypt the data at rest. A company policy requires an audit trail of when the AWS Key Management Service (AWS KMS) key was used and by whom. Which encryption option will meet these requirements?

- A. Server-side encryption with Amazon S3 managed keys (SSE-S3)
- B. Server-side encryption with AWS KMS managed keys (SSE-KMS)
- C. Server-side encryption with customer-provided keys (SSE-C)
- D. Server-side encryption with self-managed keys

Answer: B

Explanation:

This solution meets the requirements because it encrypts data at rest using AWS KMS keys and provides an audit trail of when and by whom they were used. Server-side encryption with AWS KMS managed keys (SSE-KMS) is a feature of Amazon S3 that encrypts data using keys that are managed by AWS KMS. When SSE-KMS is enabled for an S3 bucket or object, S3 requests AWS KMS to generate data keys and encrypts data using these keys. AWS KMS logs every use of its keys in AWS CloudTrail, which records all API calls to AWS KMS as events. These events include information such as who made the request, when it was made, and which key was used. The company policy can use CloudTrail logs to audit critical events related to their data encryption and access. Server-side encryption with Amazon S3 managed keys (SSE-S3) also encrypts data at rest using keys that are managed by S3, but does not provide an audit trail of key usage. Server-side encryption with customer-provided keys (SSE-C) and server-side encryption with self-managed keys also encrypt data at rest using keys that are provided or managed by customers, but do not provide an audit trail of key usage and require additional overhead for key management.

Reference: [Protecting Data Using Server-Side Encryption with AWS KMS–Managed Encryption Keys (SSE-KMS)], [Logging AWS KMS API calls with AWS CloudTrail]

NEW QUESTION 173

A developer wants to add request validation to a production environment Amazon API Gateway API. The developer needs to test the changes before the API is deployed to the production environment. For the test, the developer will send test requests to the API through a testing tool. Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST operational overhead?

- A. Export the existing API to an OpenAPI file
 - B. Create a new API
 - C. Import the OpenAPI file.
 - D. Perform the test
 - E. Modify the existing API to add request validation
- Modify the new API to add request validation

- F. Deploy the existing API to production.
- G. Modify the existing API to add request validation
- H. Deploy the updated API to a new API Gateway stage
- I. Perform the test
- J. Deploy the updated API to the API Gateway production stage.
- K. Create a new AP
- L. Add the necessary resources and methods, including new request validation
- M. Perform the test
- N. Modify the existing API to add request validation
- O. Deploy the existing API to production.
- P. Clone the existing AP
- Q. Modify the new API to add request validation
- R. Perform the test
- S. Modify the existing API to add request validation
- T. Deploy the existing API to production.

Answer: B

Explanation:

Amazon API Gateway allows you to create, deploy, and manage a RESTful API to expose backend HTTP endpoints, AWS Lambda functions, or other AWS services¹. You can use API Gateway to perform basic validation of an API request before proceeding with the integration request¹. When the validation fails, API Gateway immediately fails the request, returns a 400 error response to the caller, and publishes the validation results in CloudWatch Logs¹.

To test changes before deploying to a production environment, you can modify the existing API to add request validation and deploy the updated API to a new API Gateway stage¹. This allows you to perform tests without affecting the production environment. Once testing is complete and successful, you can then deploy the updated API to the API Gateway production stage¹.

This approach has the least operational overhead as it avoids unnecessary creation of new APIs or exporting and importing of APIs. It leverages the existing infrastructure and only requires changes in the configuration of the existing API¹.

NEW QUESTION 174

A developer is creating a mobile app that calls a backend service by using an Amazon API Gateway REST API. For integration testing during the development phase, the developer wants to simulate different backend responses without invoking the backend service.

Which solution will meet these requirements with the LEAST operational overhead?

- A. Create an AWS Lambda function
- B. Use API Gateway proxy integration to return constant HTTP responses.
- C. Create an Amazon EC2 instance that serves the backend REST API by using an AWS CloudFormation template.
- D. Customize the API Gateway stage to select a response type based on the request.
- E. Use a request mapping template to select the mock integration response.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Amazon API Gateway supports mock integration responses, which are predefined responses that can be returned without sending requests to a backend service. Mock integration responses can be used for testing or prototyping purposes, or for simulating different backend responses based on certain conditions. A request mapping template can be used to select a mock integration response based on an expression that evaluates some aspects of the request, such as headers, query strings, or body content. This solution does not require any additional resources or code changes and has the least operational overhead. Reference: Set up mock integrations for an API Gateway REST API

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/apigateway/latest/developerguide/how-to-mock-integration.html>

NEW QUESTION 176

A development team wants to build a continuous integration/continuous delivery (CI/CD) pipeline. The team is using AWS CodePipeline to automate the code build and deployment. The team wants to store the program code to prepare for the CI/CD pipeline.

Which AWS service should the team use to store the program code?

- A. AWS CodeDeploy
- B. AWS CodeArtifact
- C. AWS CodeCommit
- D. Amazon CodeGuru

Answer: C

Explanation:

AWS CodeCommit is a service that provides fully managed source control for hosting secure and scalable private Git repositories. The development team can use CodeCommit to store the program code and prepare for the CI/CD pipeline. CodeCommit integrates with other AWS services such as CodePipeline, CodeBuild, and CodeDeploy to automate the code build and deployment process.

References:

? [What Is AWS CodeCommit? - AWS CodeCommit]

? [AWS CodePipeline - AWS CodeCommit]

NEW QUESTION 179

A developer is creating an application that includes an Amazon API Gateway REST API in the us-east-2 Region. The developer wants to use Amazon CloudFront and a custom domain name for the API. The developer has acquired an SSL/TLS certificate for the domain from a third-party provider. How should the developer configure the custom domain for the application?

- A. Import the SSL/TLS certificate into AWS Certificate Manager (ACM) in the same Region as the AP
- B. Create a DNS A record for the custom domain.
- C. Import the SSL/TLS certificate into CloudFront
- D. Create a DNS CNAME record for the custom domain.
- E. Import the SSL/TLS certificate into AWS Certificate Manager (ACM) in the same Region as the AP

- F. Create a DNS CNAME record for the custom domain.
- G. Import the SSL/TLS certificate into AWS Certificate Manager (ACM) in the us-east-1 Region.
- H. Create a DNS CNAME record for the custom domain.

Answer: D

Explanation:

Amazon API Gateway is a service that enables developers to create, publish, maintain, monitor, and secure APIs at any scale. Amazon CloudFront is a content delivery network (CDN) service that can improve the performance and security of web applications. The developer can use CloudFront and a custom domain name for the API Gateway REST API. To do so, the developer needs to import the SSL/TLS certificate into AWS Certificate Manager (ACM) in the us-east-1 Region. This is because CloudFront requires certificates from ACM to be in this Region. The developer also needs to create a DNS CNAME record for the custom domain that points to the CloudFront distribution.

References:

- ? [What Is Amazon API Gateway? - Amazon API Gateway]
- ? [What Is Amazon CloudFront? - Amazon CloudFront]
- ? [Custom Domain Names for APIs - Amazon API Gateway]

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