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## **Exam Questions AWS-Certified-Cloud-Practitioner**

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#### NEW QUESTION 1

What you create and S3 bucket, what rules must be followed regarding the bucket name? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Bucket names must be unique across all of AWS.
- B. Bucket names must be between 3-63 characters in length.
- C. Bucket names must contain at least one uppercase letter
- D. Bucket names can be formatted as IP addresses

**Answer:** AB

#### Explanation:

Although certain regions do allow for uppercase letters in the bucket name, uppercase letters are NOT required. Also, a bucket name cannot be formatted as an IP address.

#### NEW QUESTION 2

What are the main benefits of On-Demand EC2 instances? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. They are the cheapest buying option.
- B. They are the most flexible buying option.
- C. They require 1-2 days for setup and configuration.
- D. Create, start, stop, and terminate at any time

**Answer:** BD

#### Explanation:

On-demand EC2 instances are widely used due to their flexibility. You can create, start, stop, and terminate at any time (with no startup or termination fees). Although due to this flexibility, they are the most expensive buying option.

#### NEW QUESTION 3

You have just set up a brand new AWS account. You want to keep monthly billing under \$100, but you are worried about going over that limit. What can you set up in order to be notified when the monthly bill approaches \$100? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. A CloudTrail billing alarm that triggers an SNS notification to your email address.
- B. A SNS billing alarm that triggers a CloudWatch notification to your email address.
- C. A CloudWatch billing alarm that triggers an SNS notification to your email address.
- D. A CloudWatch billing alarm that triggers a CloudTrail notification to your email address

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

In CloudWatch, you can set up a billing alarm that will trigger when your monthly bill hit the set threshold. That alarm can then be set up to trigger an SNS topic that will send you a notification that the alarm threshold has been met.

#### NEW QUESTION 4

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

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

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 5

Which of the following will effect how much you are charged for storing objects in S3? Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. The storage class used for the objects stored.
- B. Encrypting data (objects) stored in S3.
- C. Creating and deleting S3 buckets
- D. The total size in gigabytes of all objects store

**Answer:** AD

#### NEW QUESTION 6

What does S3 stand for? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Simple Storage Service
- B. Simplified Storage Service

- C. Simple Store Service
- D. Service for Simple Storage

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 7

What are the benefits of DynamoDB? (Select all that apply) Choose the 3 Correct answers:

- A. Supports multiple known NoSQL database engines like MariaDB and Oracle NoSQL.
- B. Automatic scaling of throughput capacity.
- C. Single-digit millisecond latency.
- D. Supports both document and key-value store data model

**Answer:** BCD

#### Explanation:

DynamoDB does not use/support other NoSQL database engines. You only have access to use DynamoDB's built-in engine.

#### NEW QUESTION 8

What best describes penetration testing?

Choose the Correct Answer

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

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 9

What best describes what AWS is?

Choose the Correct Answer

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

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Before moving and/or storing object in AWS Glacier, what considerations should you make regarding the data you want to store.

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Make sure the data is properly formatted for storage Glacier.
- B. Make sure the total amount of data you want to store is under 1 terabyte in size.
- C. Make sure you are ok with it taking at minimum a few minutes to retrieve the data once stored in Glacier.
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

Objects stored in Glacier take time to retrieve. You can pay for expedited retrieval, which will take several minutes - OR wait several hours (for normal retrieval).

#### NEW QUESTION 10

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

Choose the Correct Answer

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

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 14

What is the availability and durability rating of S3 Standard Storage Class?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. 99.999999999% Durability and 99.99% Availability

- B. 99.999999999% Availability and 99.90% Durability
- C. 99.999999999% Availability and 99.99% Durability
- D. 99.999999999% Durability and 99.00% Availability

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

S3 Standard Storage class has a rating of 99.999999999% durability (referred to as 11 nines) and 99.99% availability.

**NEW QUESTION 16**

What should you do if you believe your AWS account has been compromised? (Select all that apply) Choose the 4 Correct answers:

- A. Delete any resources in your account that you did not create.
- B. Respond to any notifications you received from AWS through the AWS Support Center.
- C. Change all IAM user's passwords.
- D. Delete or rotate all programatic (API) access key

**Answer:** ABCD

**Explanation:**

All these answers are actions you should take if you believe you account has been compromised.

**NEW QUESTION 20**

Under what circumstances would someone want to use ElastiCache? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. They need a NoSQL database option
- B. They need to use Edge Locations to cache content
- C. They need improved performance of their web application.
- D. They need in-memory data store service

**Answer:** CD

**Explanation:**

ElastiCache is used as an in-memory data store or cache in the cloud. Benefits include improved performance for web applications (that rely on information stored in a database). Edge Locations are used for caching content with the CloudFront service, so that is not a answer here.

**NEW QUESTION 23**

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

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

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

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

**NEW QUESTION 25**

What is the purpose of AWS's Route 53 service? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Content Caching
- B. Database Management
- C. Domain Registration
- D. Domain Name System (DNS) service

**Answer:** CD

**Explanation:**

Route 53 is AWS's domain and DNS management service. You can use it to register new domain names, as well as manage DNS record sets.

**NEW QUESTION 28**

What AWS service allows you to have your own private network in the AWS cloud?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Virtual Private Network (VPN)
- B. Virtual Private Cloud (VPC)
- C. Virtual Cloud Network (VCN)
- D. None of the above

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

A Virtual Private Cloud (VPC) is a private sub-section of AWS that is your own private network. You control what resources you place inside the VPC and the security features around it.

### NEW QUESTION 30

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

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

**Answer:** C

#### **Explanation:**

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

### NEW QUESTION 35

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

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

**Answer:** C

#### **Explanation:**

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

### NEW QUESTION 39

What best describes the concept of fault tolerance?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The ability for a system to withstand a certain amount of failure and still remain functional.
- B. The ability for a system to grow and shrink based on demand.
- C. The ability for a system to grow in size, capacity, and/or scope.
- D. The ability for a system be accessible when you attempt to access i

**Answer:** A

#### **Explanation:**

Fault tolerance describes the concept of a system (in our case a web application) to have failure in some of its components and still remain accessible (highly available). Fault tolerant web applications will have at least two web servers (in case one fails).

### NEW QUESTION 41

What are the four primary benefits of using the cloud/AWS?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Elasticity, scalability, easy access, limited storage.
- B. Fault tolerance, scalability, elasticity, and high availability.
- C. Unlimited storage, limited compute capacity, fault tolerance, and high availability.
- D. Fault tolerance, scalability, sometimes available, unlimited storage

**Answer:** B

#### **Explanation:**

Fault tolerance, scalability, elasticity, and high availability are the four primary benefits of AWS/the cloud.

### NEW QUESTION 42

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

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

**Answer:** B

#### **Explanation:**

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

#### NEW QUESTION 44

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

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

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 46

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

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

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 50

John, member of your company's development team, needs access to company's AWS account. What AWS service is used to manage such access?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. S3
- B. Route 53
- C. IAM
- D. EC2

**Answer: C**

#### Explanation:

Identity & Access Management (IAM) is the AWS service where user accounts, credentials, and service access is managed.

#### NEW QUESTION 54

What is a main benefit of CloudFront?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. DNS management
- B. Unlimited storage
- C. Serverless compute capacity
- D. Built-in DDoS protection

**Answer: D**

#### Explanation:

CloudFront allows you to cache content at edge locations. When a request is made for that content, the request is sent to an edge location (not your applications hardware), so the edge locations will absorb any DDoS attack and protect your underlining hardware.

#### NEW QUESTION 59

What is the EC2 AMI Marketplace?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Where you select the storage type of an EC2 instance.
- B. A collection of pay-to-use EC2 AMIs that generally come packaged with licensed enterprise software.
- C. Where you store AMIs that you create.
- D. Where you select to compute capacity of an EC2 instanc

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 62

Children's All Saints Hospital has millions of old medical records that they must save for regulatory reasons. These records will most likely never be accessed again. What is the best and most costeffective S3 storage option that will meet the hospitals needs?  
Choose the Correct Answer

- A. Standard
- B. Infrequent Access

- C. Glacier
- D. Reduced Redundancy

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Glacier is specifically designed for long-term archival storage. It is extremely inexpensive and should only be used for items that you access very infrequently.

**NEW QUESTION 65**

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

Choose the Correct Answer

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

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

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

**NEW QUESTION 66**

Donna needs to provision a Linux server to run a web application on. What AWS service should she use to create the Linux server?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. VPC
- B. Lambda
- C. IAM
- D. EC2

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Elastic Cloud Compute (EC2) is AWS server-based compute service platform. You can use it to provision and use Linux- and Windows-based servers.

**NEW QUESTION 70**

What are two open source in-memory engines supported by ElastiCache? Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Redis
- B. Aurora
- C. Cachelt
- D. Memcached

**Answer:** AD

**NEW QUESTION 73**

If you want to have SMS or email notifications sent to various members of your department with status updates on resources in your AWS account, what service should you choose?

Choose the Correct Answer

- A. STS
- B. RDS
- C. GetSMS
- D. SNS

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Simple Notification Service (SNS) is what publishes messages to SMS and/or email endpoints.

**NEW QUESTION 74**

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

Choose the Correct Answer

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

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

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

#### NEW QUESTION 77

What SQL database engine options are available in RDS? (Select all that apply) Choose the 3 Correct answers:

- A. MariaDB
- B. PostgreSQL
- C. MongoDB
- D. MySQL

**Answer:** ABD

#### Explanation:

RDS offers the following SQL options: Aurora MySQL MariaDB PostgreSQL Oracle Microsoft SQLServer

#### NEW QUESTION 80

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

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

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 81

In the AWS Shared Responsibility Model, what is AWS responsible for? (Select all that apply) Choose the 2 Correct answers:

- A. Physical security of the AWS data centers
- B. Server-side encryption
- C. Network level security
- D. The maintenance of the hosts virtualization software

**Answer:** AD

#### NEW QUESTION 82

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

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

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

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

#### NEW QUESTION 83

Which of the following are AWS Support Plans? (Select all that apply) Choose the 3 Correct answers:

- A. Enterprise
- B. Expert
- C. Basic
- D. Business

**Answer:** ACD

#### Explanation:

AWS has four support plan levels: Basic Developer Business Enterprise

#### NEW QUESTION 86

What best describes the difference between the TCO Calculator and the Cost Explorer? Choose the Correct Answer

- A. The TCO Calculator help you analyze current AWS usage charges; the Cost Explorer helps you estimate the cost savings of using AWS.
- B. The TCO Calculator helps you estimate the cost savings of using AWS; the Cost Explorer help you analyze current AWS usage charges.
- C. The Cost Explorer helps you calculate hourly EC2 Usage cost; the TCO Calculator is a price list for each AWS service.
- D. The Cost Explorer is a price list for each AWS service; the TCO Calculator helps you calculate hourly EC2 Usage cost.

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

The TCO calculator is a free tool provided by AWS that allows you to estimate the cost savings of using AWS vs. using an on-premises data center. The Cost

Explorer is a free tool that allows you to view charges of your cost (helps you analyze where you are spending money).

**NEW QUESTION 87**

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