QUESTION 57

A company has a mobile chat application with a data store based in Amazon DynamoDB. Users would like new messages to be need with as little latency as possible. A possible architect needs design an optimal solution that requires minimal application changes. Which method should the solution architect select?

- A. Configure amazon DynamoDB Accelerator (DAX) for the new messages table. Update the code to use DAX endpoint.
- B. AddDynamoDB read replicas to handle the increased read lead the application to point to the read endpoint for the read replicas.
- C. Double the number of read capacity units for the new messages table in DynamoDB. Continue to use the existing DynamoDB endpoint.
- D. Add an Amazon ElastiCache for Redis cache to the application stack. Update the application to point to the Redis cache endpoint of DynamoDB.

Correct Answer: A

QUESTION 58

A company has created a multi-tier application for its ecommerce website. The website uses an Application Load Balancer that resides in the public subnets, a web tier in the public subnets, and a MySQL cluster hosted on Amazon EC2 instances in the private subnets. The MySQL database needs to retrieve product catalog and pricing information that is hosted on the internet by a third-party provider. A solutions architect must devise a strategy that maximizes security without increasing operational overhead. What should the solutions architect do to meet these requirements?

- A. Deploy a NAT instance in the VPC. Route all the internet-based traffic through the NAT instance.
- B. Deploy a NAT gateway in the public subnets. Modify the private subnet route table to direct all internet-bound traffic to the NAT gateway.
- C. Configure an internet gateway and attach it to the VPC. Modify the private subnet route table to direct internet-bound traffic to the internet gateway.
- D. Configure a virtual private gateway and attach it to the VPC. Modify the private subnet route table to direct internet-bound traffic to the virtual private gateway.

Correct Answer: B

QUESTION 59

An administrator of a large company wants to monitor for and prevent any cryptocurrency-related attacks on the company's AWS accounts. Which AWS service can the administrator use to protect the company against attacks?

- A. Amazon Cognito
- B. Amazon GuardDuty
- C. Amazon Inspector
- D. Amazon Macie

Correct Answer: B

QUESTION 60

A company is designing a new web service that will run on Amazon EC2 instances behind an

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Elastic Load Balancer. However, many of the web service clients can only reach IP addresses whitelisted on their firewalls. What should a solutions architect recommend to meet the clients' needs?

- A. A Network Load Balancer with an associated Elastic IP address
- B. An Application Load Balancer with an associated Elastic IP address
- C. An A record in an Amazon Route 53 hosted zone pointing to an Elastic IP address
- D. An EC2 instance with a public IP address running as a proxy in front of the load balancer

Correct Answer: A

QUESTION 61

A company runs a multi-tier web application that hosts news content. The application runs on Amazon EC2 instances behind an Application Load Balancer. The instances run in an EC2 Auto Scaling group across multiple Availability Zones and use an Amazon Aurora database. A solutions architect needs to make the application more resilient to periodic increases in request rates. Which architecture should the solutions architect implement? (Select TWO.)

- A. Add AWS Shield
- B. Add Aurora Replicas.
- C. Add AWS Direct Connect
- D. Add AWS Global Accelerator.
- E. Add an Amazon CloudFront distribution in front of the Application Load Balancer

Correct Answer: BE

QUESTION 62

A solutions architect is designing the architecture for a company website that is composed of static content. The company's target customers are located in the United States and Europe. Which architecture should the solutions architect recommend to MINIMIZE cost?

- A. Store the website files on Amazon S3 in the us-east-2 Region. Use an Amazon CloudFront distribution with the price class configured to limit the edge locations in use.
- B. Store the website files on Amazon S3 in the us-east-2 Region. Use an Amazon CloudFront distribution with the price class configured to maximize the use of edge locations.
- C. Store the website files on Amazon S3 in the us-east-2 Region and the eu-west-1 Region. Use an Amazon CloudFront geolocation routing policy to route requests to the closest Region to the user.
- D. Store the website files on Amazon S3 in the us-east-2 Region and the eu-west-1 Region. Use an Amazon CloudFront distribution with an Amazon Route 53 latency routing policy to route requests to the closest Region to the user.

Correct Answer: D

QUESTION 63

A company has applications that are deployed in multiple AWS Regions. The applications use an architecture that is based on Amazon EC2, Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS), Amazon Elastic File System (Amazon EFS) and Amazon DynamoDB. The company lacks a mechanism for centralized data backup. A solutions architect must centralize data backup with the least possible operational effort. What should the solutions architect do to meet these requirements?

- A. Tag all resources by project. Use AWS Systems Manager to set up snapshots by project and set DynamoDB incremental backups.
- B. Tag all resources by project. Create backup plans in AWS Backup to back up the data by tag name according to each project's needs.
- C. Tag all resources by project. Create an AWS Lambda function to run on schedule and take snapshots of each EC2 instance. EBS volume, and EFS file system by project Configure the function to invoke DynamoDB on-demand backup.
- D. Use AWS CloudFormation to create a template for every new project so that all resources can be recreated at any time. Set the template to take daily snapshots of each EC2 instance r EBS volume and EFS file system Set the template to use DynamoDB on-demand backup for daily backups

Correct Answer: B

QUESTION 64

A company needs to implement a relational database with a multi-Region disaster recovery Recovery Point Objective (RPO) of 1 second and an Recovery Time Objective (RTO) of 1 minute. Which AWS solution can achieve this?

- A. Amazon Aurora Global Database
- B. Amazon DynamoDB global tables
- C. Amazon RDS for MySQL with Multi-AZ enabled
- D. Amazon RDS for MySQL with a cross-Region snapshot copy

Correct Answer: A

QUESTION 65

A disaster response team is using drones to collect images of recent storm damage. The response team's laptops lack the storage and compute capacity to transfer the images and process the data. While the team has Amazon EC2 instances for processing and Amazon S3 buckets for storage, network connectivity is intermittent and unreliable. The images need to be processed to evaluate the damage. What should a solutions architect recommend'?

- A. Use AWS Snowball Edge devices to process and store the images.
- B. Upload the images to Amazon Simple Queue Service (Amazon SQS) during intermittent connectivity to EC2 instances.
- C. Configure Amazon Kinesis Data Firehose to create multiple delivery streams aimed separately at the S3 buckets for storage and the EC2 instances for processing the images.
- D. Use AWS Storage Gateway pre-installed on a hardware appliance to cache the images locally for Amazon S3 to process the images when connectivity becomes available.

Correct Answer: A

QUESTION 66

A company is migrating a large, mission-critical database to AWS. A solutions architect has decided to use an Amazon RDS for MySQL Multi-AZ DB instance that Is deployed with 80,000 Provisioned IOPS for storage. The solutions architect is using AWS Database Migration Service (AWS DMS) to perform the data migration. The migration is taking longer than expected, and the company wants to speed up the process. The company's network team has ruled out bandwidth as a limiting factor. Which actions should the solutions architect take to speed up the migration?

(Select TWO.)

- A. Disable Multi-AZ on the target DB instance.
- B. Create a new DMS instance that has a larger instance size.
- C. Turn off logging on the target DB instance until the initial load is complete.
- D. Restart the DMS task on a new DMS instance with transfer acceleration enabled.
- E. Change the storage type on the target DB instance to Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS) General Purpose SSD (gp2).

Correct Answer: CD

QUESTION 67

A company is designing an internet-facing web application. The application runs on Amazon EC2 for Linux-based instances that store sensitive user data in Amazon RDS MySQL Multi-AZ DB instances. The EC2 instances are in public subnets, and the RDS DB instances are in private subnets. The security team has mandated that the DB instances be secured against web-based attacks. What should a solutions architect recommend?

- A. Ensure the EC2 instances are part of an Auto Scaling group and are behind an Application Load Balancer Configure the EC2 instance iptables rules to drop suspicious web traffic. Create a security group for the DB instances. Configure the RDS security group to only allow port 3306 inbound from the individual EC2 instances.
- B. Ensure the EC2 instances are part of an Auto Scaling group and are behind an Application Load Balancer. Move DB instances to the same subnets that EC2 instances are located in. Create a security group for the DB instances Configure the RDS security group to only allow port 3306 inbound from the individual EC2 instances.
- C. Ensure the EC2 instances are part of an Auto Scaling group and are behind an Application Load Balancer. Use AWS WAF to monitor inbound web traffic for threats. Create a security group for the web application servers and a security group for the DB instances. Configure the RDS security group to only allow port 3306 inbound from the web application server security group.
- D. Ensure the EC2 instances are part of an Auto Scaling group and are behind an Application Load Balancer. Use AWS WAF to monitor inbound web traffic for threats. Configure the Auto Scaling group to automatically create new DB instances under heavy traffic. Create a security group for the RDS DB instances. Configure the RDS security group to only allow port 3306 inbound.

Correct Answer: C

QUESTION 68

A company hosts historical weather records in Amazon S3. The records are downloaded from the company's website by way of a URL that resolves to a domain name Users all over the world access this content through subscriptions. A third-party provider hosts the company's root domain name, but the company recently migrated some of its services to Amazon Route 53. The company wants to consolidate contracts, reduce latency for users, and reduce costs related to serving the application to subscribers. Which solution meets these requirements?

- A. Create a web distribution on Amazon CloudFront to serve the S3 content for the application. Create a CNAME record in a Route 53 hosted zone that points to the CloudFront distribution, resolving to the application's URL domain name.
- B. Create a web distribution on Amazon CloudFront to serve the S3 content for the application. Create an ALIAS record in the Amazon Route 53 hosted zone that points to the CloudFront distribution, resolving to the application's URL domain name.
- C. Create an A record in a Route 53 hosted zone for the application. Create a Route 53 traffic policy for the web application, and configure a geolocation rule. Configure health checks to check the

health of the endpoint and route DNS queries to other endpoints if an endpoint is unhealthy.

D. Create an A record in a Route 53 hosted zone for the application. Create a Route 53 traffic policy for the web application, and configure a geoproximity rule. Configure health checks to check the health of the endpoint and route DNS queries to other endpoints if an endpoint is unhealthy.

Correct Answer: C

QUESTION 69

A company is creating an architecture for a mobile app that requires minimal latency for its users. The company's architecture consists of Amazon EC2 instances behind an Application Load Balancer running in an Auto Seating group. The EC2 instances connect to Amazon RDS Application beta testing showed there was a slowdown when reading the data. However, the metrics indicate that the EC2 instances do not cross any CPU utilization thresholds. How can this issue be addressed?

- A. Reduce the threshold for CPU utilization in the Auto Scaling group.
- B. Replace the Application Load Balancer with a Network Load Balancer.
- C. Add read replicas for the RDS instances and direct read traffic to the replica.
- D. Add Multi-AZ support to the RDS instances and direct read traffic to the new EC2 instance.

Correct Answer: C

QUESTION 70

A company recently signed a contract with an AWS Managed Service Provider (MSP) Partner for help with an application migration initiative. A solutions architect needs to share an Amazon Machine Image (AMI) from an existing AWS account with the MSP Partner's AWS account. The AMI is backed by Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS) and uses a customer managed customer master key (CMK) to encrypt EBS volume snapshots. What is the MOST secure way for the solutions architect to share the AMI with the MSP Partner's AWS account?

- A. Make the encrypted AMI and snapshots publicly available. Modify the CMK's key policy to allow the MSP Partner's AWS account to use the key.
- B. Modify the launchPermission property of the AMI. Share the AMI with the MSP Partner's AWS account only. Modify the CMK's key policy to allow the MSP Partner's AWS account to use the key.
- C. Modify the launchPermission property of the AMI. Share the AMI with the MSP Partner's AWS account only. Modify the CMK's key policy to trust a new CMK that is owned by the MSP Partner for encryption.
- D. Export the AMI from the source account to an Amazon S3 bucket in the MSP Partner's AWS account. Encrypt the S3 bucket with a CMK that is owned by the MSP Partner. Copy and launch the AMI in the MSP Partner's AWS account.

Correct Answer: B

QUESTION 71

A company's website hosted on Amazon EC2 instances processes classified data stored in Amazon S3. Due to security concerns, the company requires a private and secure connection between its EC2 resources and Amazon S3. Which solution meets these requirements?