There Are Clouds In Your Future

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My Goals For This Talk

- Introduce you to cloud computing
- Show you what others are already doing
- Alert you to the possibilities
- Get you to start thinking about it
- Start some conversations



Introduction

- Based in Seattle, Washington, USA
- Lifetime technologist
- Career path:
 - Startups
 - Microsoft
 - Consultant to VCs and startups
 - Amazon Web Services
 - Senior Developer
 - Web Services Evangelist
 - Technology Strategist





What is Cloud Computing?

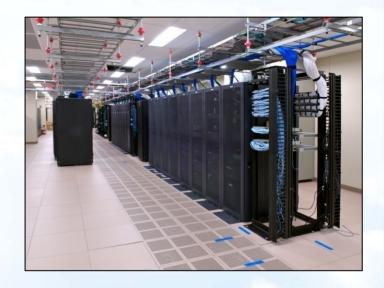
- New model for resource delivery
- laaS Infrastructure As A Service
- Programmable data center
- Over the internet
- Flexible
- On-demand
- Pay-as-you-go





What Problems Does It Solve?

- Reduce IT friction:
 - Contract negotiations
 - Bandwidth management
 - Power/cooling management
 - Purchasing decisions
 - Physical growth
 - Disaster recovery

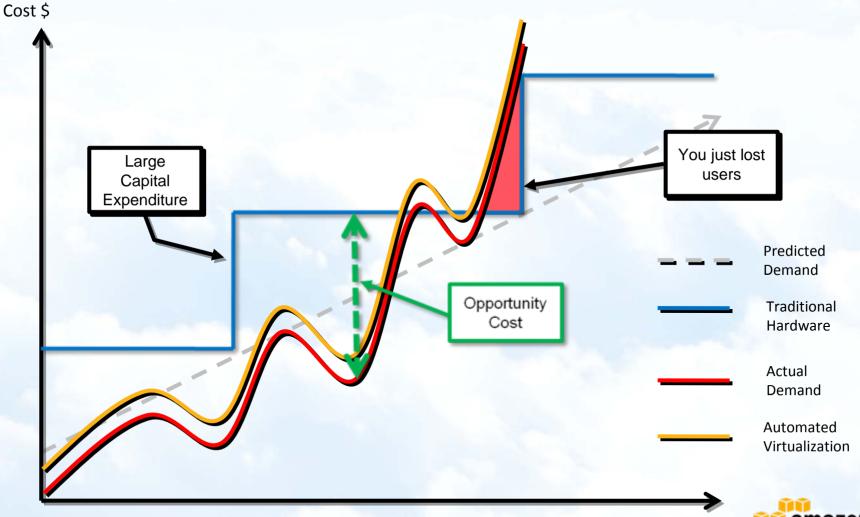


- Fix broken economic model:
 - Capital expenses become operating expenses
 - Costs track actual usage
 - No more up-front provisioning
 - Address the "Prediction Problem"



Predictions Cost Money

Infrastructure



Amazon Has Three Parts









Amazon Web Services

- AWS Amazon Web Services
 - Thought leader in cloud computing space
 - Scalable
 - Cost-effective
 - Reliable
 - Secure
 - Large -scale
- Long-term effort Now 4 years old
- Third major business



Amazon Web Services are Building Blocks

- Infrastructure As a Service
 - Amazon Simple Storage Service
 - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud
 - Amazon Simple Queue Service
 - Amazon SimpleDB
 - Amazon CloudFront
- People As a Service
 - Amazon Mechanical Turk

- Payments As a Service
 - Amazon Flexible Payments Service
 - Amazon DevPay
- Fulfillment and Associates
 - Amazon Fulfillment Web Service
 - Amazon Associates Web Service



Cloud Computing Success Stories

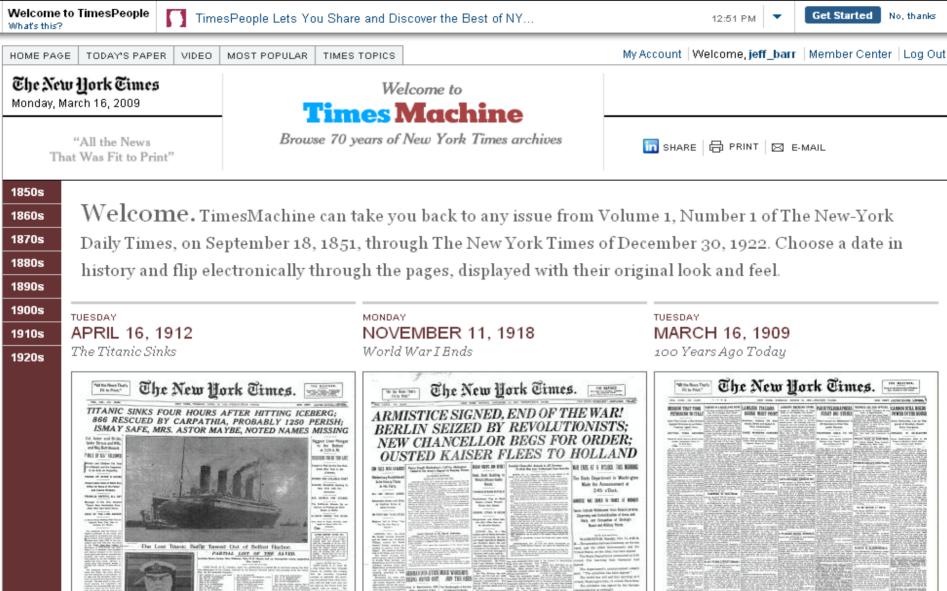
Batch Processing – New York Times

Rapid Scaling – Animoto

Agility – Washington Post

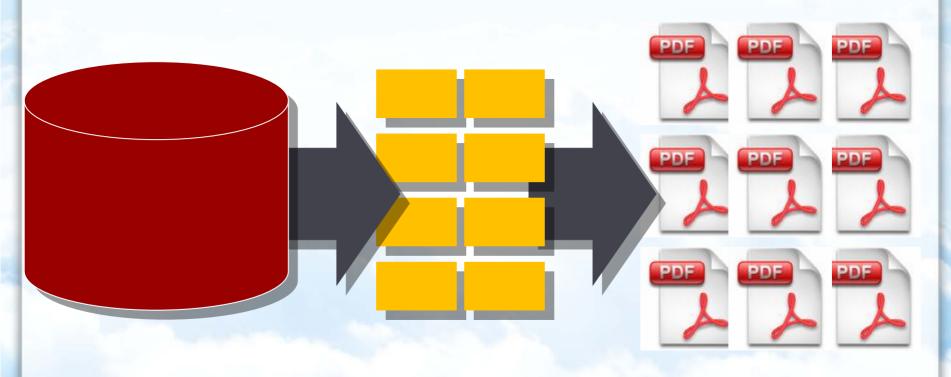
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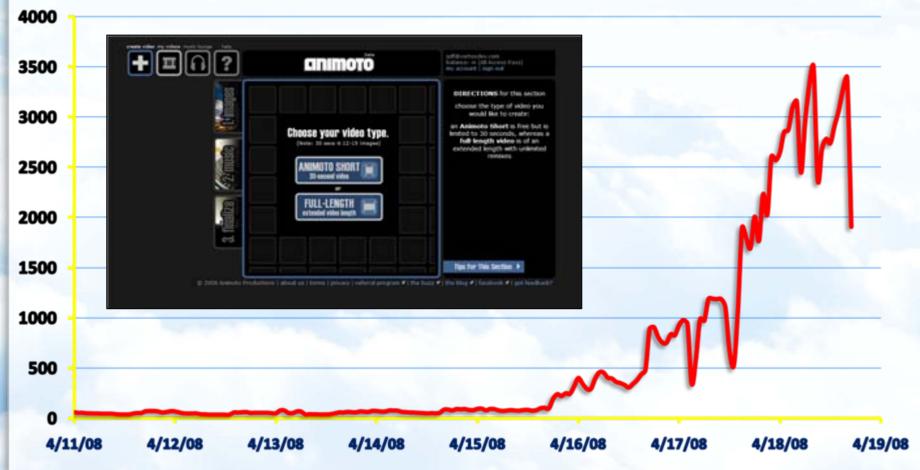
The New York Times



4 TB Data 100 Nodes 11 Million PDFs







50 Servers to 3500 Servers in 3 Days



The Washington Post

washingtonpost.com > Politics > Elections

Clinton's Schedule Hillary Clinton's activities as First Lady, 1993-2001

The William J. Clinton Presidential Library on Wednesday, March 19, released more than 11,000 pages of former first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton's official schedule during her husband's two terms in the White House. The records offer the most comprehensive public record to date of her daily activities throughout President Clinton's eight years in office, including private meetings, public speeches, social engagements and trips.

The records were released in response to Freedom of Information requests filed by a half-dozen journalists and organizations, including Judicial Watch, the watchdog group that spent much of the Clinton years probing various controversies and scandals.

SEARCH CLINTON'S SCHEDULE

Enter word(s): boston

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The Washington Post

- Hillary Clinton's public record about to be released
- How to process 17K page PDF?
- Developer suggests EC2
- 12 hour development time
- 200 instance EC2 job
- 9 hours to OCR and index
- First to market





SmugMug 🖰

- Consumer / Professional photo storage
- Family business
- No venture capital
- Moved to Amazon S3
- Saved \$1MM in first year of operation
- Storing about 1 PetaByte (10¹⁵) of data



Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2)

- Resizable compute capacity in the cloud
 - Boot Linux or Windows server instances in minutes
 - Scale capacity, up or down, as requirements change
 - Open source and commercial application stacks
- Full administrator access to a virtual machine
- Pay-as-you-go:
 - CPU hour: \$0.10 \$0.80
 - Bandwidth: \$0.10/GB inbound, \$0.17/GB outbound
 - Persistent disk storage: \$0.10/GB/month
- AWS Management Console



Amazon Simple Storage Service (Amazon S3)

- Highly scalable data storage in-the-cloud
- Programmatic access via web services API
- Highly available and durable
- Pay-as-you-go:
 - Storage: \$0.15 / GB / month, (\$0.12 @ 500TB)
- Data Transfer:
 - Inbound to cloud \$0.10 / GB
 - Outbound: \$0.17 / GB, (\$0.10/GB @ 150 TB)
- Requests: nominal charges



AWS Public Data Sets

Public Data Sets on AWS

Federal Contracts from the Federal Procurement Data Center (USASpending.gov)



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A data dump of all federal contracts from the Federal Procurement Data Center found at USASpending.gov.

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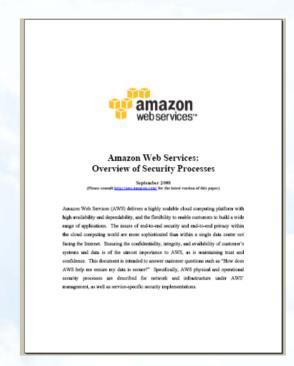
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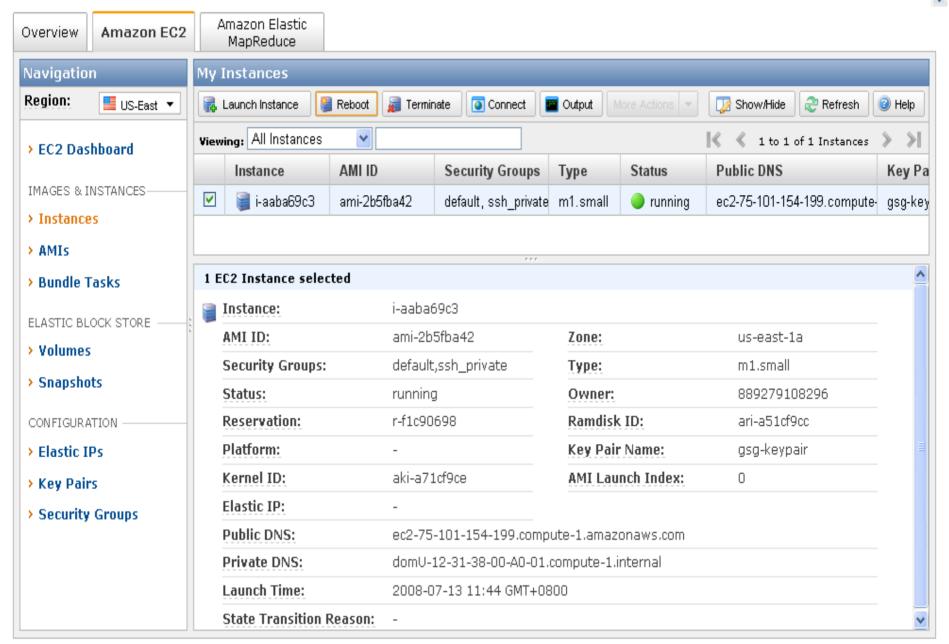
Reliability, Security & Certification

- SLAs for availability
- Managed by Amazon NOC
- Default deny-all firewall
- Network security groups
- Certifications:
 - SOX
 - SAS 70 Type II (underway)
- White papers available:
 - Overview of Security Processes
 - Creating HIPAA-Compliant Apps



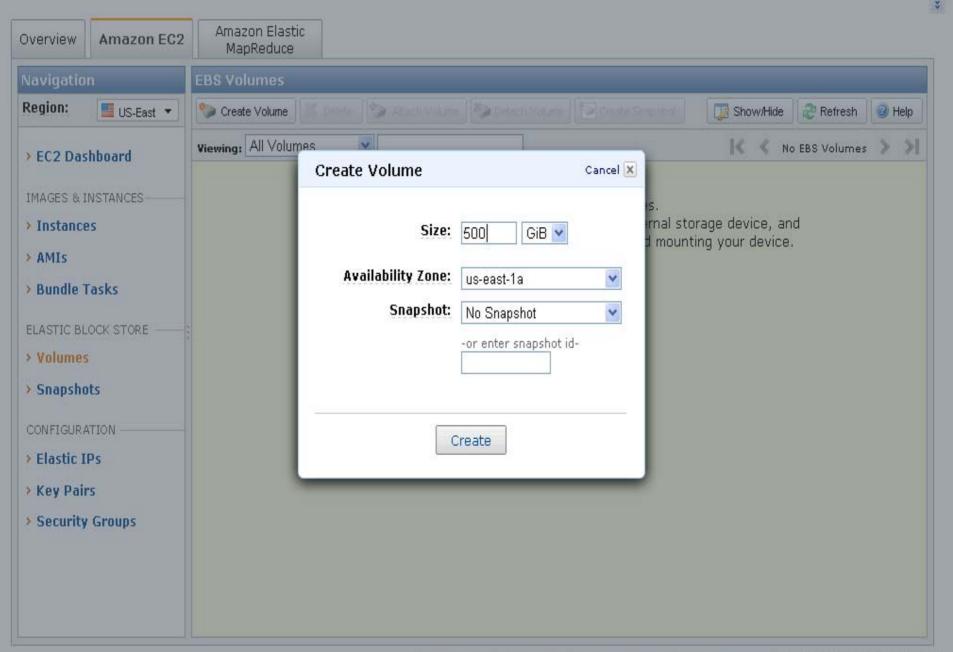






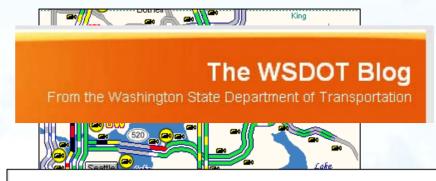
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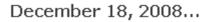




Web site

We reached 5.8 million page views yesterday. A new record for our site. Unfortunately we are experiencing internal network issues this morning. Pages may be slow to load or may not come up at all.

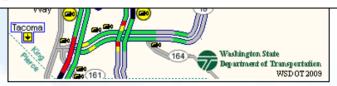




1 p.m. update

So here is what we know so far. Our Web site is getting slammed with traffic and due to technical challenges are hearing that it has been difficult to access. We put a text page up on our homepage about half an hour ago so that you can get at least the basics of what is going on. Here is the rundown:

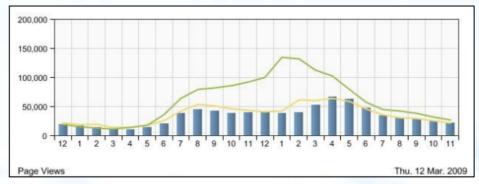


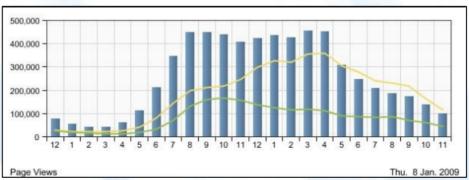


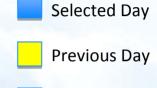


WSDOT Traffic (Page Views)

Normal Day:



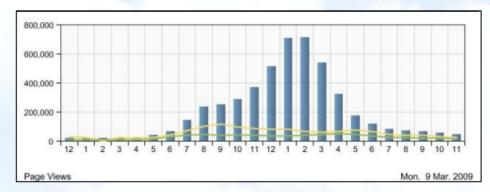






March Snow:

January Snow:









Challenges

- Emergency operating conditions
- Traffic 10-20x normal
 - Hard to simulate in advance
 - Expensive to provision
 - Stresses architecture in new ways
- Multiple bottlenecks:
 - Server
 - Connection
 - ISP issues





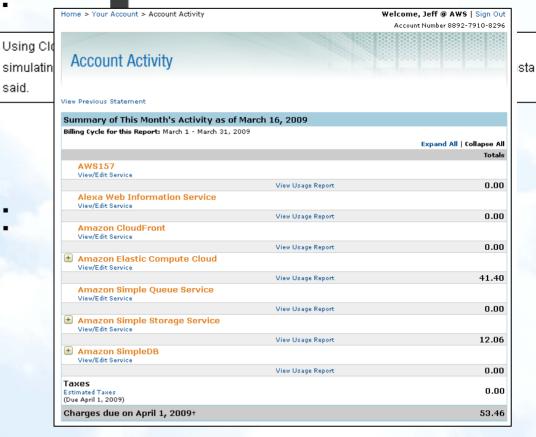
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Invest Up Front:

- Architecture
- Simulation
- Stress testing
- Pay As You Go:
 - Servers
 - Bandwidth
 - Storage







Final Thoughts

- Do more with less
 - Existing applications
 - New, on-demand applications

- Be more responsive to your audience
 - Focus on features, not on infrastructure
 - Control costs
 - Innovate



Let's Head to the Clouds!

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Thank You!

