

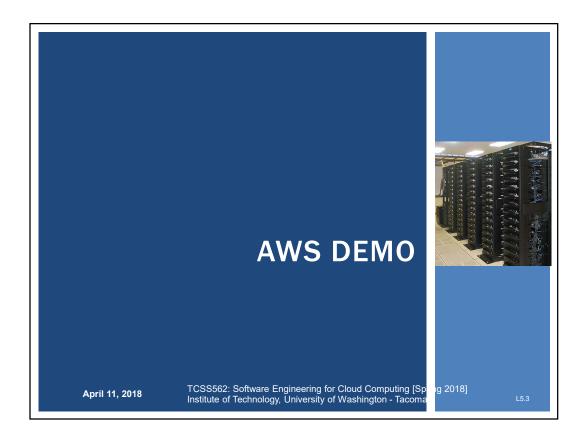
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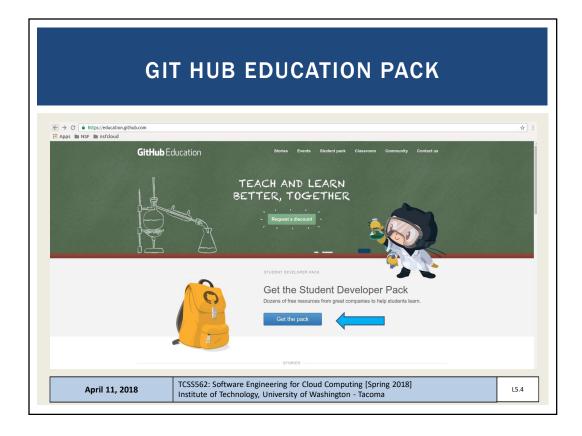
- Term project questions
- Tutorials #1: Submit to PDF Canvas
 - Teams up to 2
- AWS Demo
- Cloud Enabling Technology (Ch. 5 Erl book)
- Online lectures to be posted, week of 4/16

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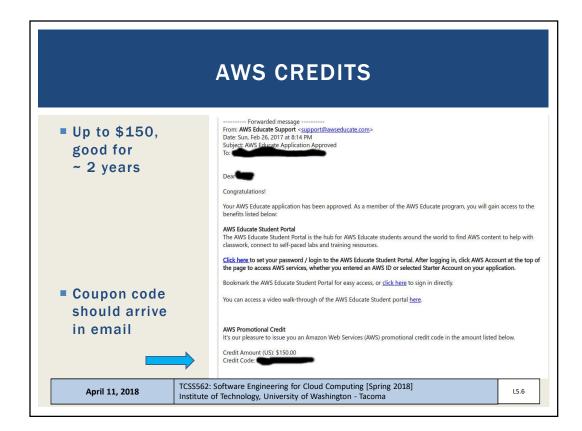
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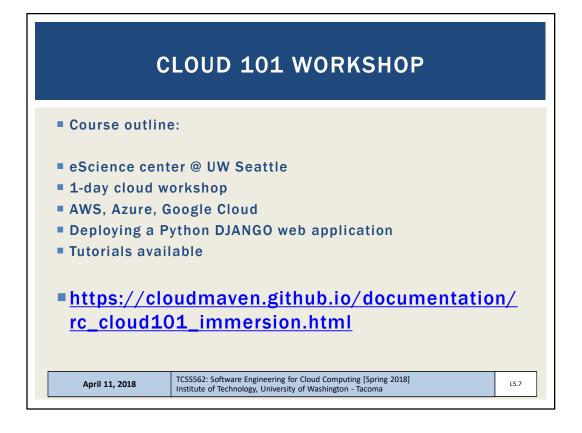
- All TCSS 562 students should register using new link
- Each student that sign-up grows our collective pool of shared credits...
- Link in CANVAS announcement:
- https://www.awseducate.com/Registration?apptype=student&courseview=true#INFO-Student
- On the second screen, please enter your existing AWS account ID...
- DO NOT Select the option for a starter account.
- For TCSS 562 assignments, can select whether to use your personal AWS account, or the IAM account for various activities throughout the quarter.

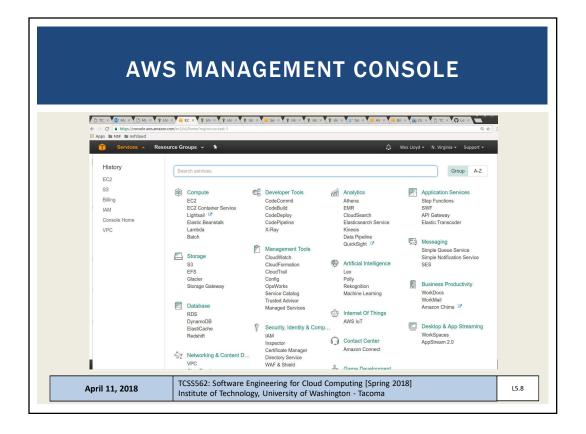
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AWS EC2

- Elastic Compute Cloud
- Instance types
 - On demand instance full price
 - Reserved instance contract based
 - Spot instance auction based, terminates with 2 minute warning
 - Dedicated/resreved host reserved HW
 - Reserved host
 - Instance families:
 General, compute-optimized, memory-optimized, GPU, etc.
- Storage types
 - Instance storage ephemeral storage
 - Elastic block store
 - Elastic file system

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INSTANCE STORAGE

- Also called ephemeral storage
- Persisted using images saved to S3 (simple storage service)
 - ~2.3¢ per GB/month on S3
 - 5GB of free tier storage space on S3
- Requires "burning" an image
- Mutli-step process:
 - Create image files
 - Upload chunks to S3
 - Register image
- Launching a VM
 - Requires downloading image components from S3, reassembling them...
 is potentially slow
- VMs with instance store backed root volumes not pause-able
- Historically root volume limited to 10-GB max- faster imaging...

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ELASTIC BLOCK STORE

- EBS cost model is different than instance storage (uses S3)
 - ~10¢ per GB/month
 - 30GB of free tier storage space
- EBS provides "live" mountable volumes
 - Listed under volumes
 - <u>Data volumes</u>: can be mounted/unmounted to any VM, dynamically at any time
 - Root volumes: hosts OS files and acts as a boot device for VM
 - In Linux drives are linked to a mount point "directory"
- Snapshots back up EBS volume data to S3
 - Enables replication (required for horizontal scaling)
 - EBS volumes not actively used should be snapshotted, and deleted to save EBS costs...

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EBS VOLUME TYPES - 2

- Metric: I/O Operations per Second (IOPS)
- General Purpose 2 (GP2)
 - 3 IOPS per GB, Max 10,000 IOPS, 160MB/sec per volume
- Provisioned IOPS (IO1)
 - 32,000 IOPS, and 500 MB/sec throughput per volume
- Throughput Optimized HDD (ST1)
 - Up to 500 MB/sec throughput
 - 4.5 ¢ per GB/month
- Cold HDD (SC1)
 - Up to 250 MB/sec throughput
 - 2.5 ¢ per GB/month
- Magnetic
 - Up to 800 MB/sec throughput
 - 5 ¢ per GB/month

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ELASTIC FILE SYSTEM

- Network file system (NFSv4 protocol) for EC2 instances
- Hosted by EC2 instances
- ~ 30 ¢ per GB/month
- Enables mounting (sharing) the same disk "volume" for R/W access across multiple instances at the same time
- Different performance behavior and limitations

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AMAZON MACHINE IMAGES

- AMIS
- Unique for the operating system (root device image)
- Two types
 - Instance store
 - Elastic block store (EBS)
- Deleting requires multiple steps
 - Deregister AMI
 - Delete associated data (files in S3)
- Forgetting both steps leads to costly "orphaned" data
 - No way to instantiate a VM from deregistered AMIs
 - Data still in S3 resulting in charges

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EC2 VIRTUALIZATION - PARAVIRTUAL

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th generation → XEN-based
- 5th generation instances → KVM (full virtualization)
- XEN two virtualization modes
- XEN Paravirtualization "paravirtual"
 - 2008-2012: required because of poor performance of HVM mode
 - I/O performed in kernel mode for better performance
 - Requires special OS paravirtual kernel
 - Notice use of common <u>AKI</u> files on AWS Amazon kernel image(s)

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EC2 VIRTUALIZATION - HVM

- XEN HVM mode
 - Full virtualization no special OS kernel required
 - Computer entirely simulated
 - MS Windows runs in "hvm" mode
 - Allows work around: 10GB instance store root volume limit
 - Kernel is on the root volume
 - No AKIs (kernel images)
 - Commonly used today (EBS-backed instances)

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INSTANCE ACTIONS

- Stop
 - Costs of "pausing" an instance
- Terminate
- Reboot
- Image management
- Creating an image
 - EBS (snapshot)
- Bundle image
 - Instance-store

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EC2 INSTANCE: NETWORK ACCESS

- Public IP address
- Elastic IPs
 - Costs: in-use FREE, not in-use ~12 \$\psi/day
 - Not in-use (e.g. "paused" EBS-backed instances)
- Security groups
 - E.g. firewall
- Identity access management (IAM)
 - AWS accounts, groups
- VPC / Subnet / Internet Gateway / Router
- NAT-Gateway

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SIMPLE STORAGE SERVICE (S3)

- Key-value blob storage
- What is the difference vs. key-value stores (NoSQL DB)?
- Can mount an S3 bucket as a volume in Linux
 - Supports common file-system operations
- Eventual consistency

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AWS CLI

- Launch Ubuntu 16.04 VM
 - Instances | Launch Instance
- Install the general AWS CLI
 - sudo apt install awscli
- Create config file
 [default]
 aws_access_key_id = <access key id>
 aws_secret_access_key = <secret access key>
 region = us-east-1

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