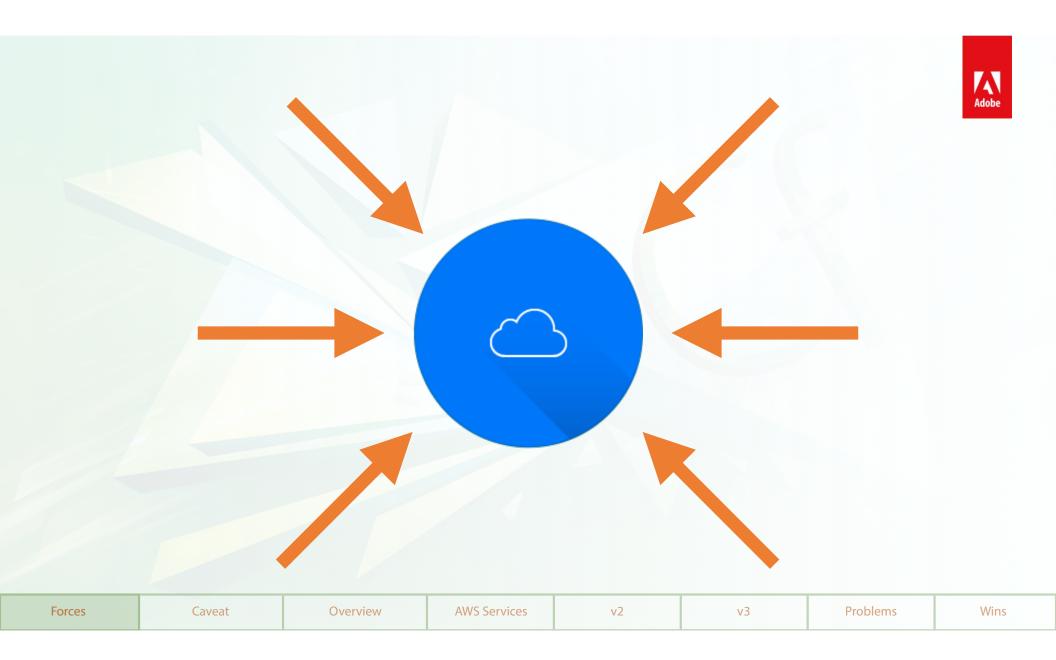
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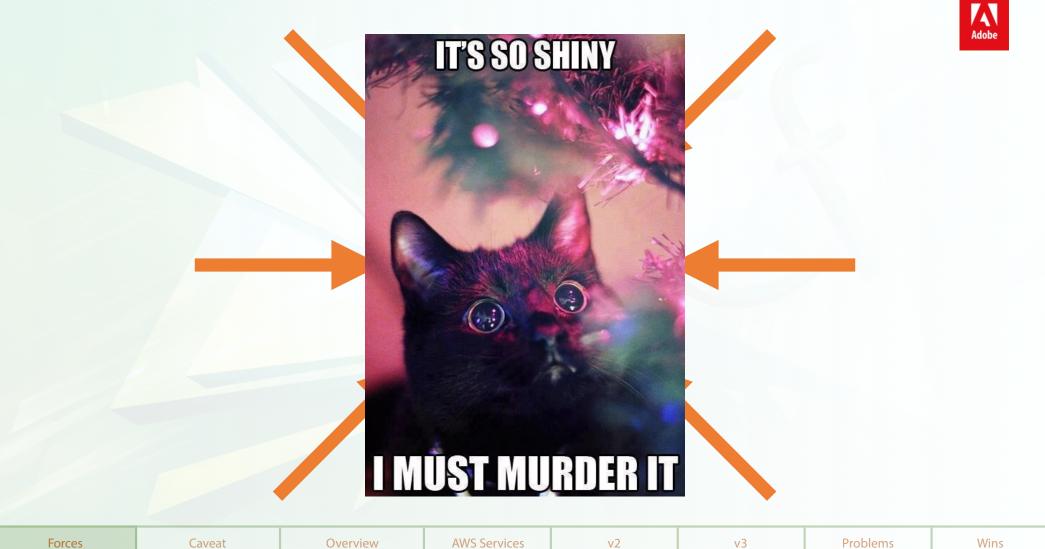
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Architecture

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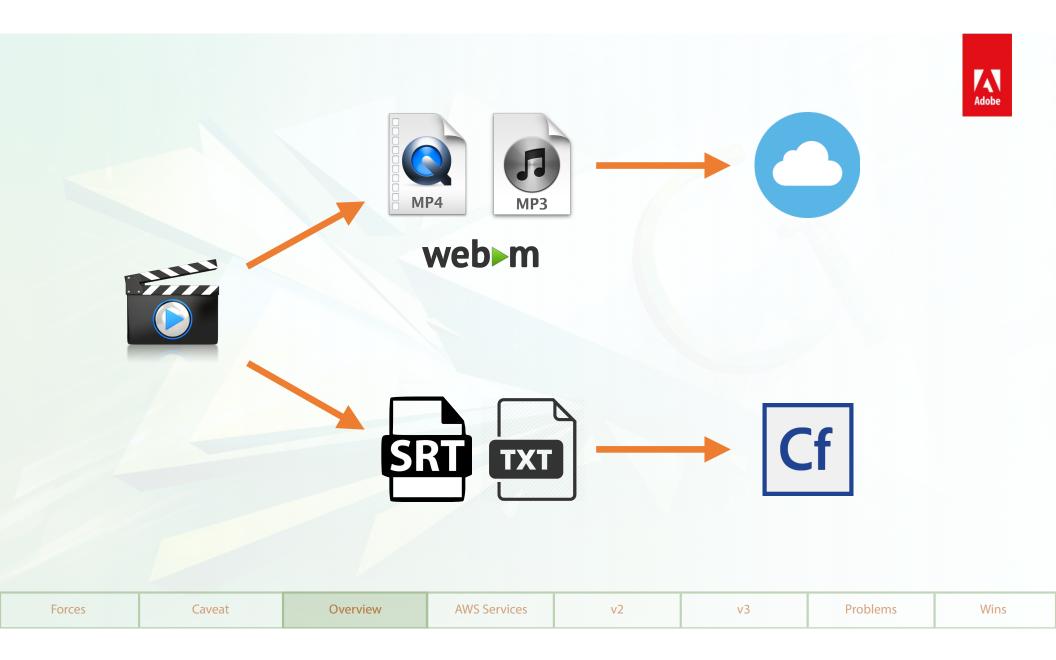
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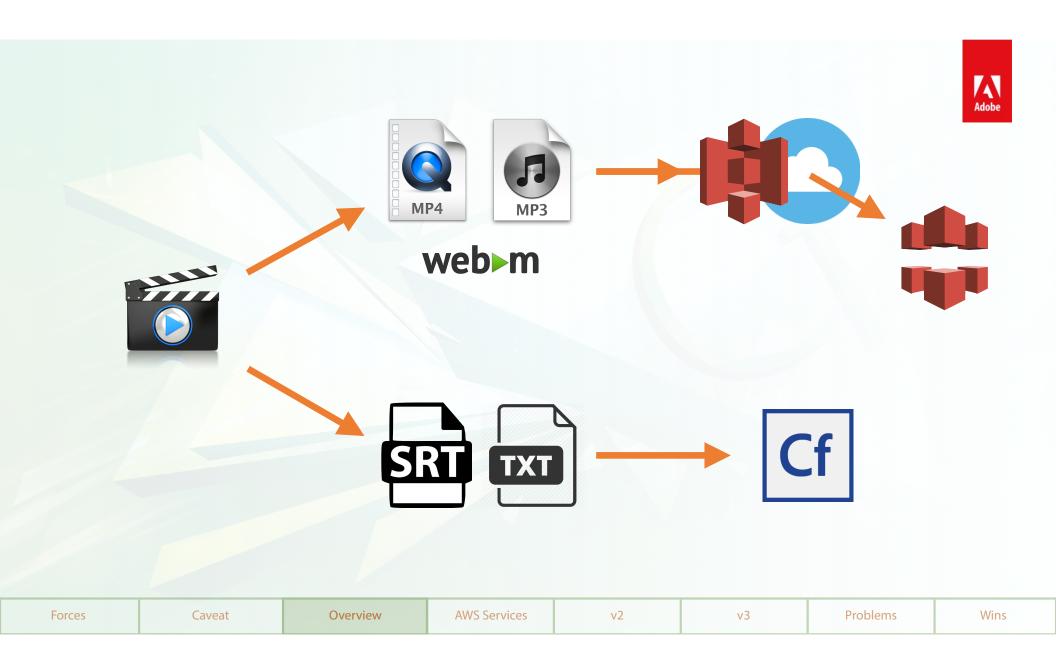




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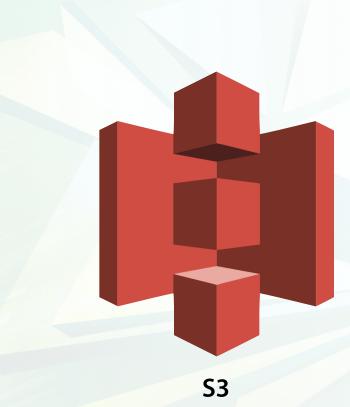
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Simple Storage Service



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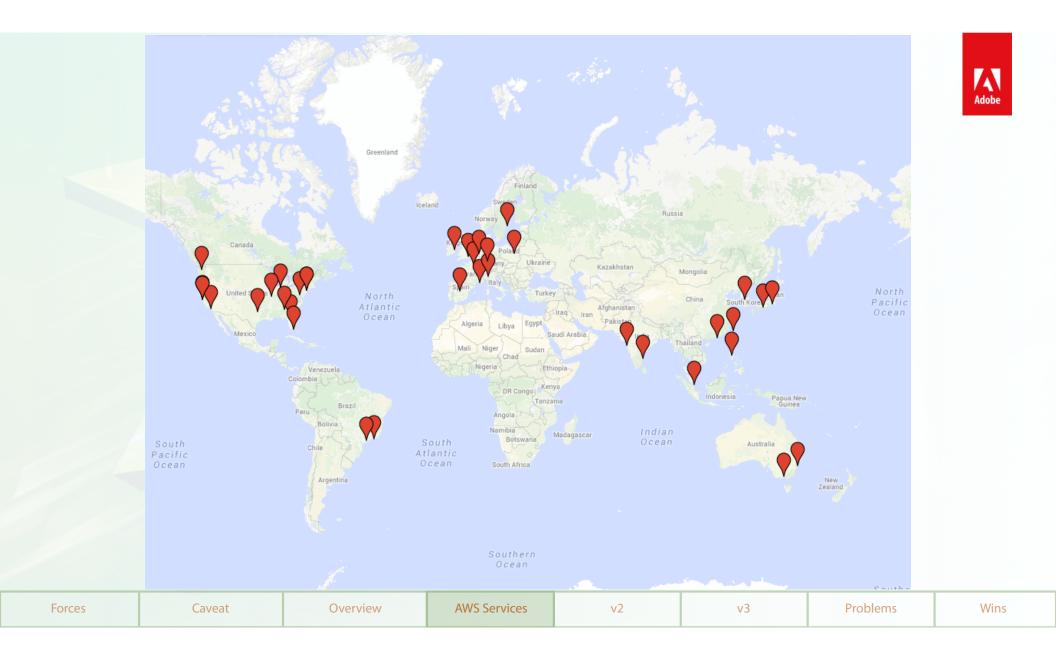
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http://myDistribution.cloudFront.net/myFile/inS3.mp4

Protect files with signatures or by geographic region

\$50/month per TB of traffic

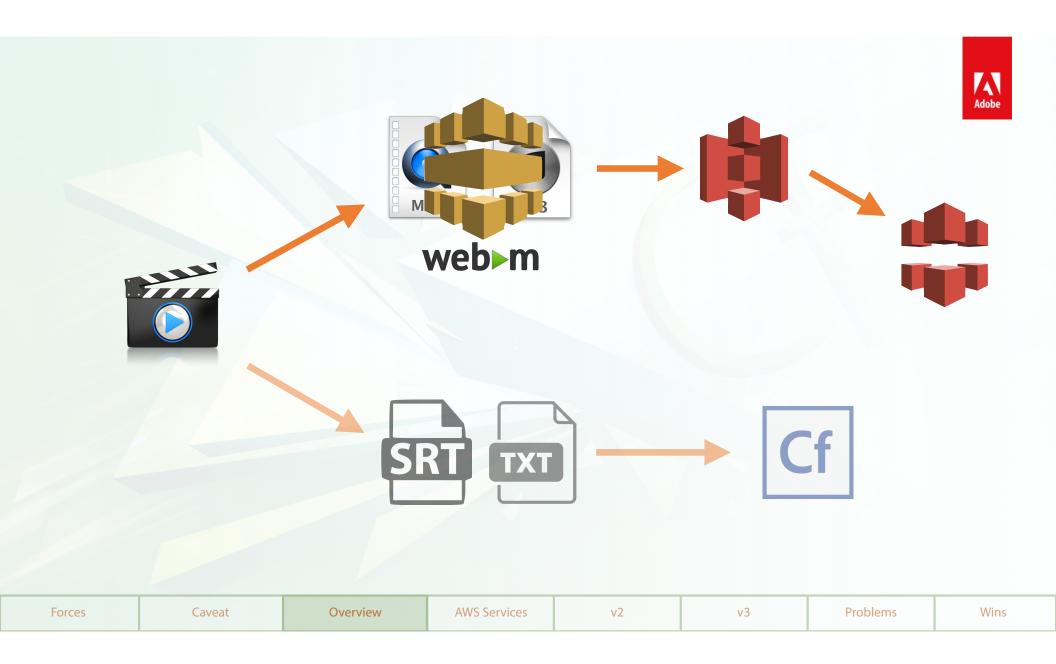
CloudFront

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We built nothing.

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Massively parallel A/V transcoding engine

Cheaper than most desktop transcoding solutions

Repeatable jobs set up through a web form ...or...

Elastic Transcoder

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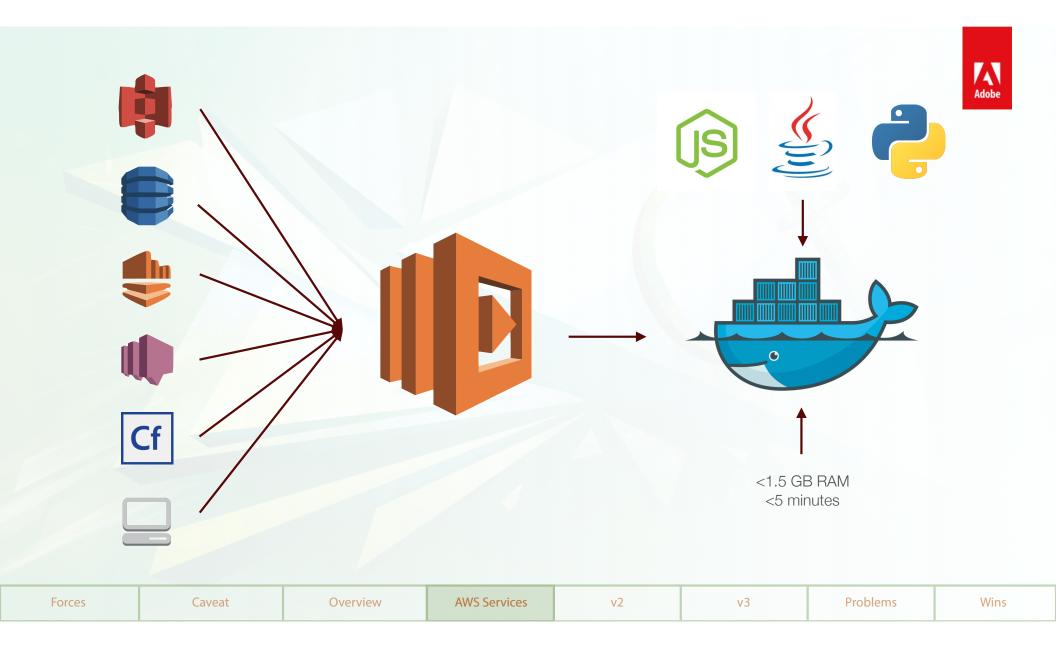
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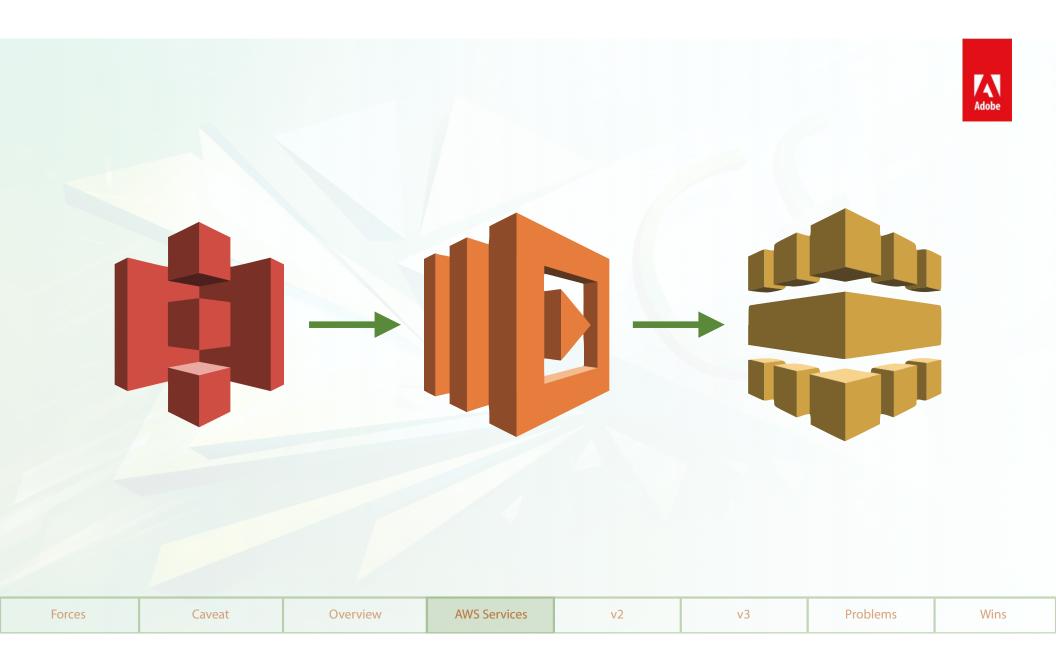


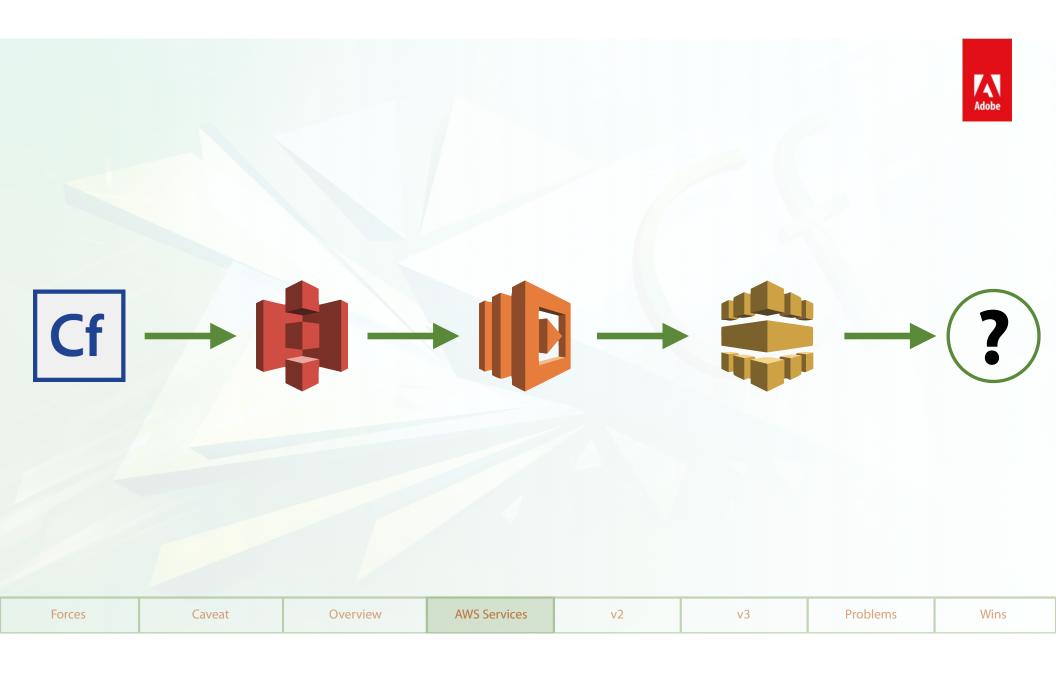
= Serverless computing

Lambda

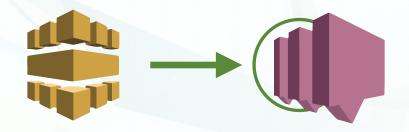
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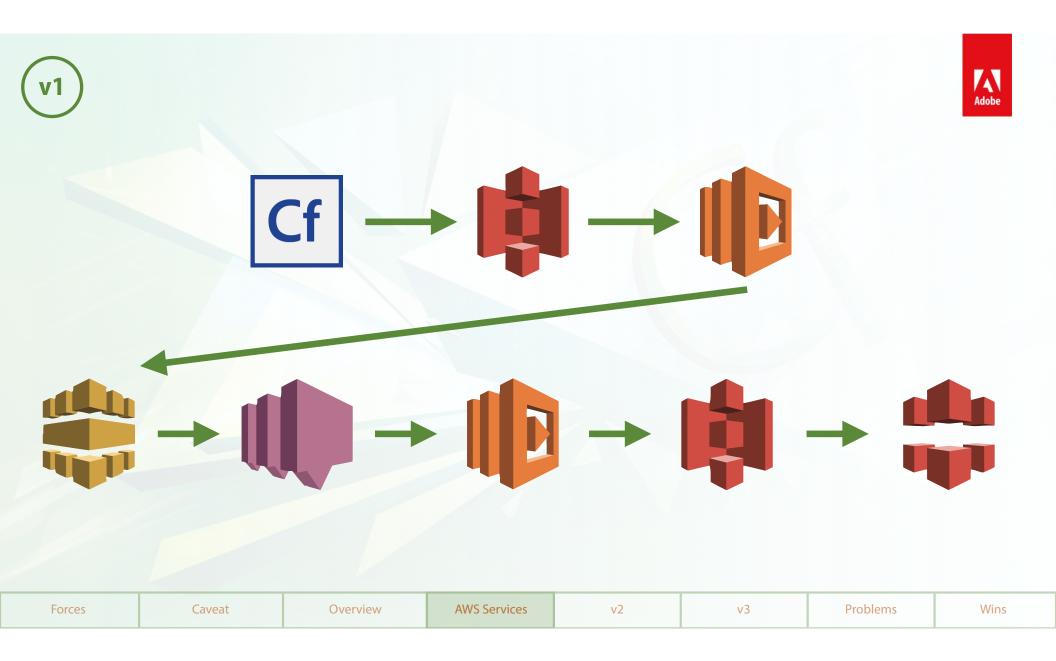
= Pub/Sub

Simple Notification Service

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Each S3 bucket can only have one Lambda listener

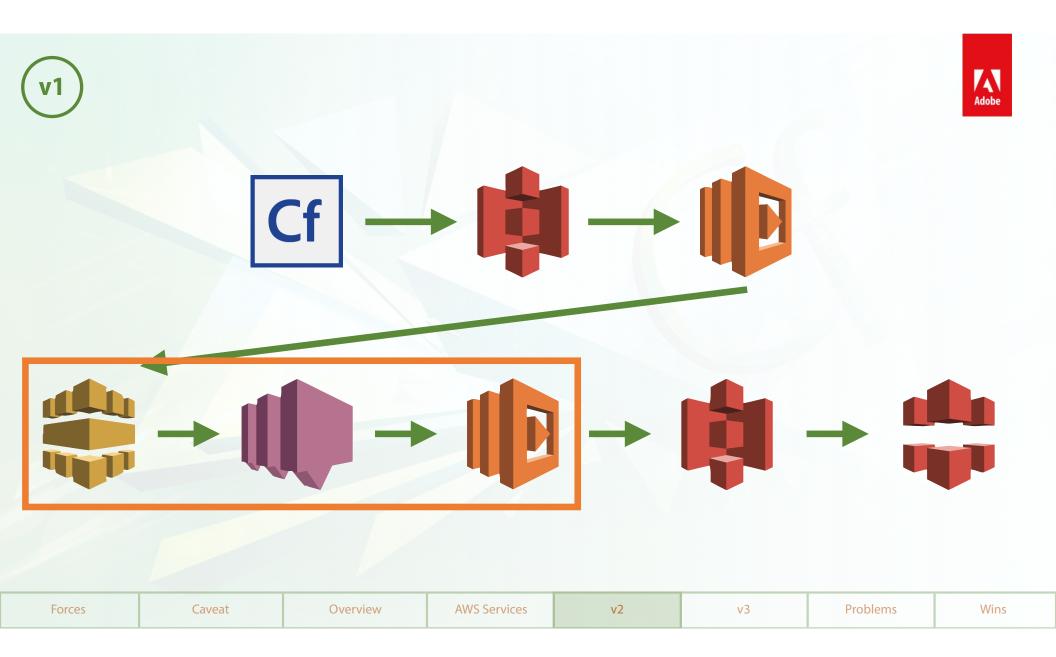


Track changes across multiple functions

ET jobs run asynchronously, and each gets its own ID

How do we know things are done?

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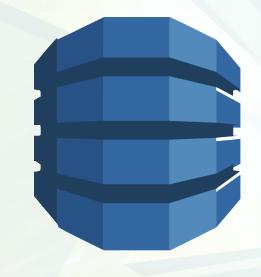




Persistence

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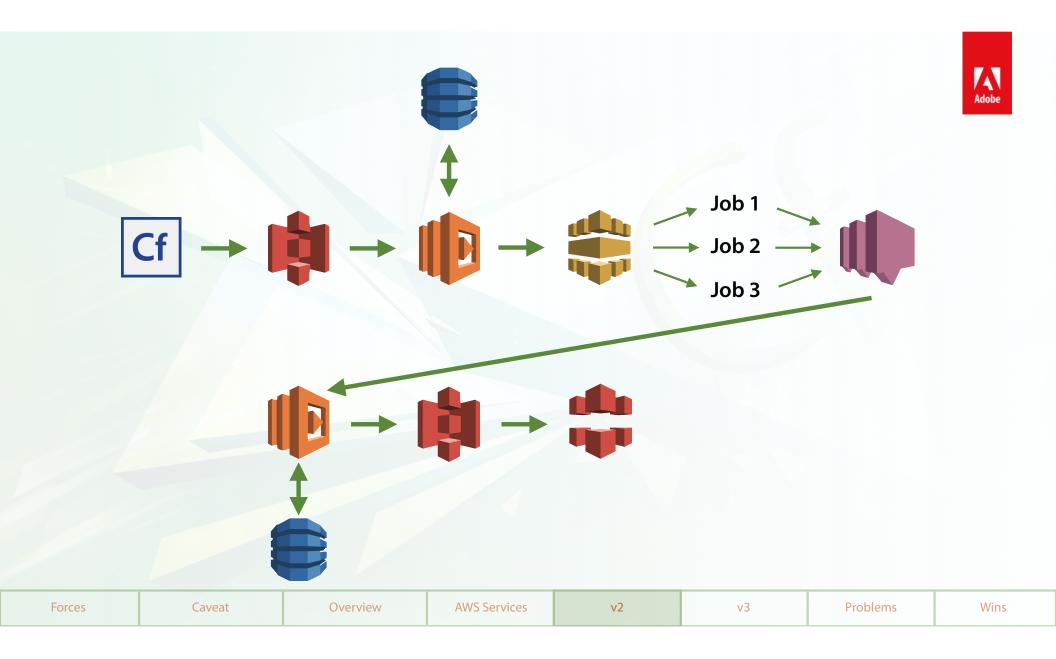
Crazy scalable NoSQL document datastore

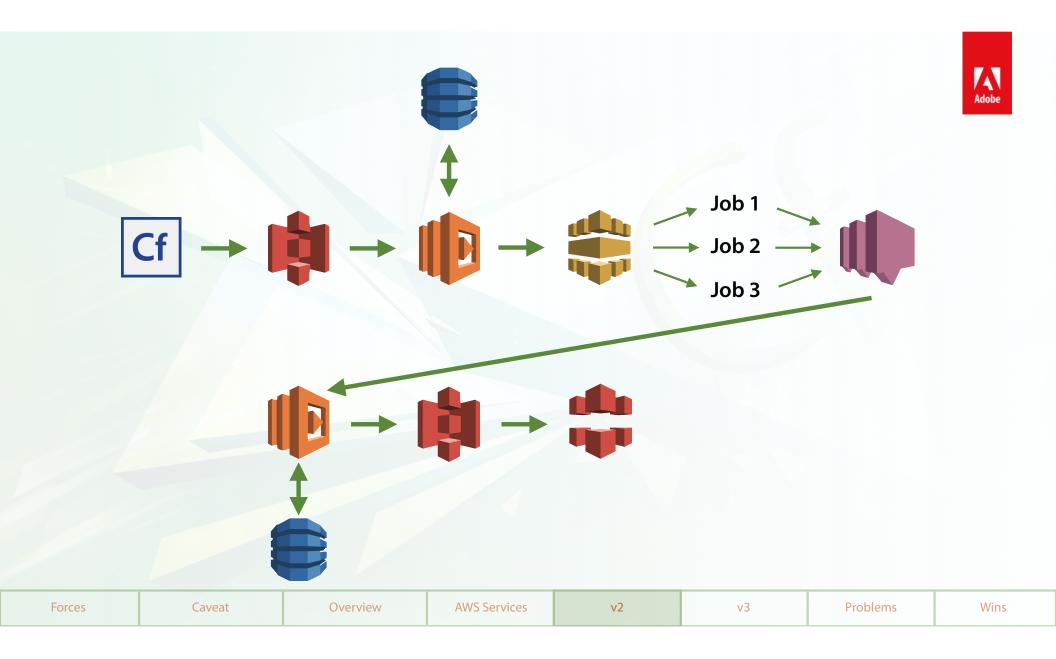
Pay for reads/writes per second

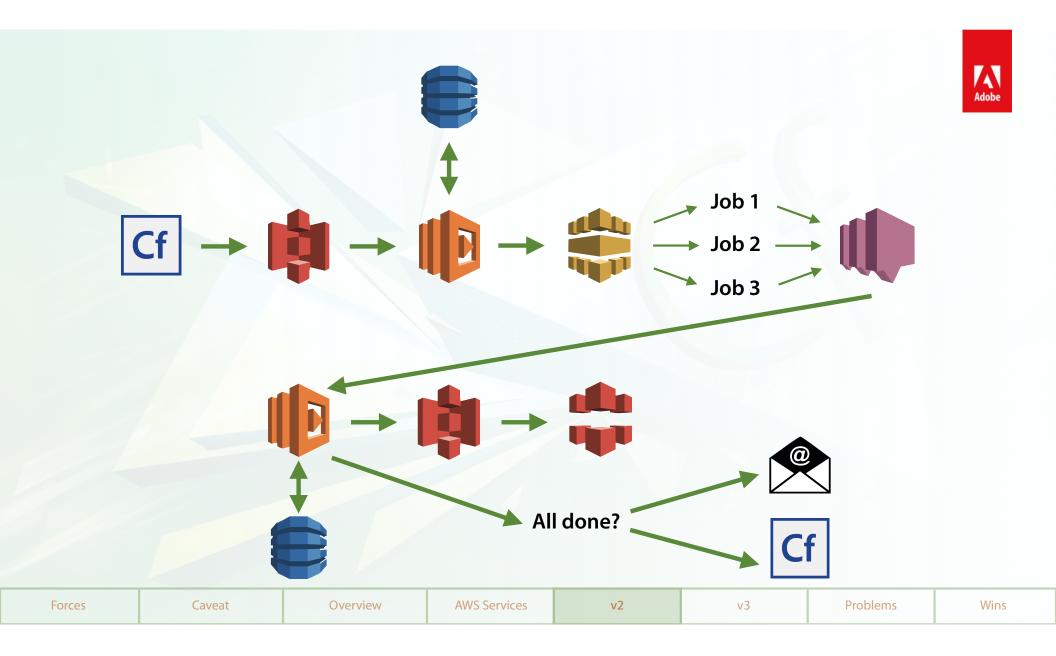
Flexible data model as we figured what we needed

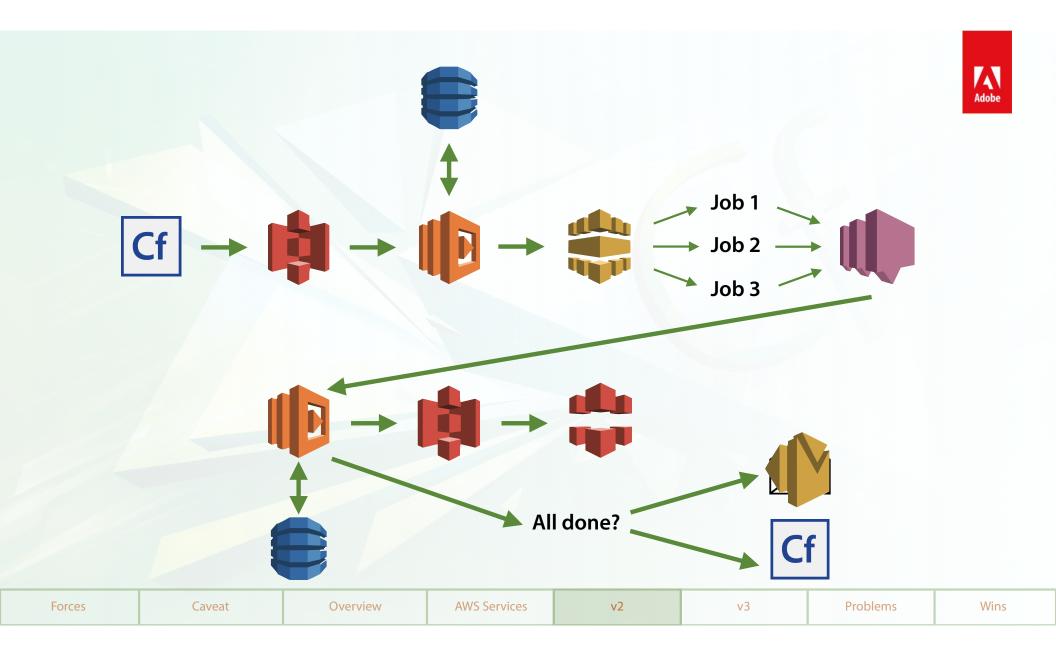
DynamoDB

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Massively scalable infrastructure

API for subscribe/unsub, tracks bounces

Lambda functions can handle incoming + bounce msgs

Simple Email Service

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Video uploaded to **S3** input bucket





Lambda processes file



Info about source file is stored in **DynamoDB** by Lambda function



Lambda function fires off all needed Elastic Transcoder jobs

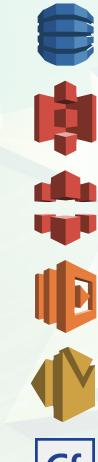


Elastic Transcoder notifies SNS when each job is done



Lambda processes incoming SNS message

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Information about job is updated in **DynamoDB**



CloudFront picks up the file for global distribution

Lambda function checks to see if all related jobs are done

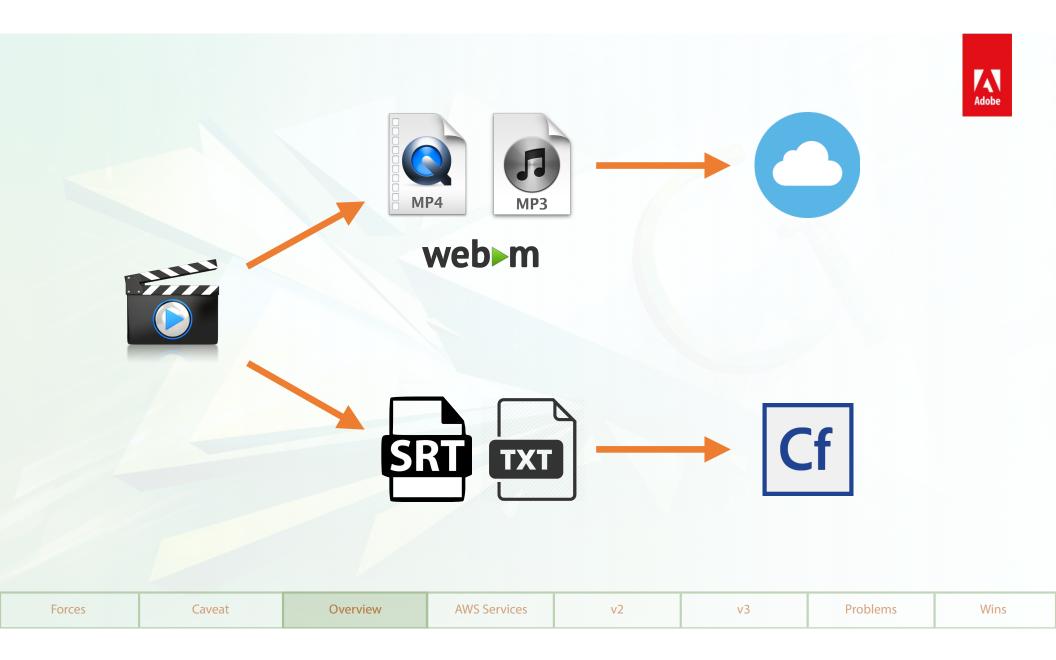
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If yes, SES message is sent to appropriate team member



If yes, Lambda notifies CF-based LMS to make video available

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Bulk purchase savings + variable turnaround time

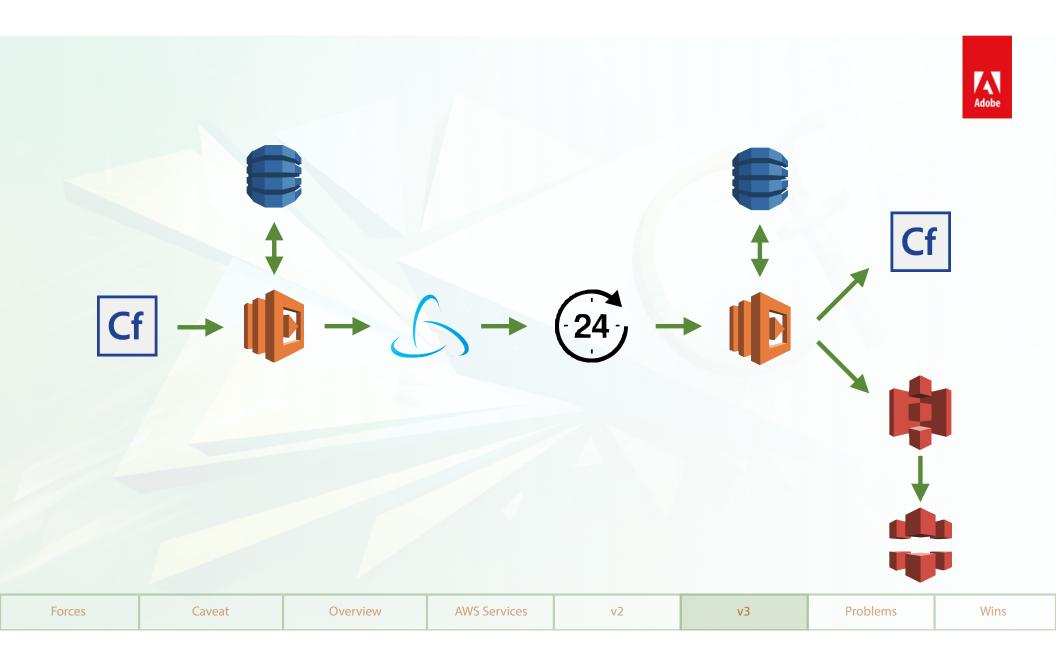
3PlayMedia

Highly accurate even on technical jargon + ESL

Caption search plugins

API for job processing and tracking

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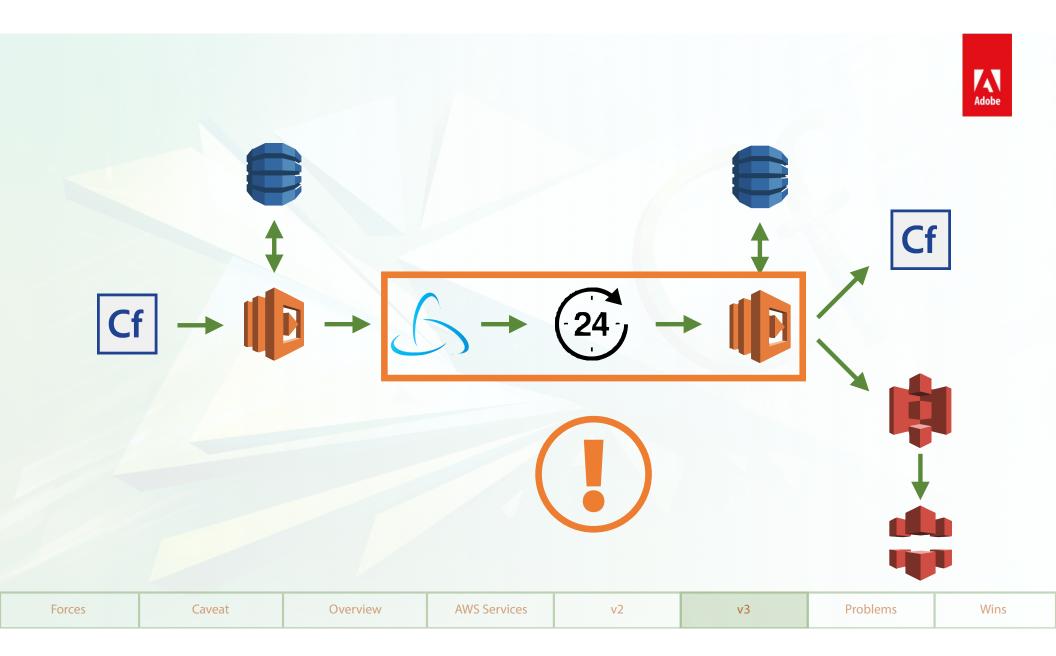


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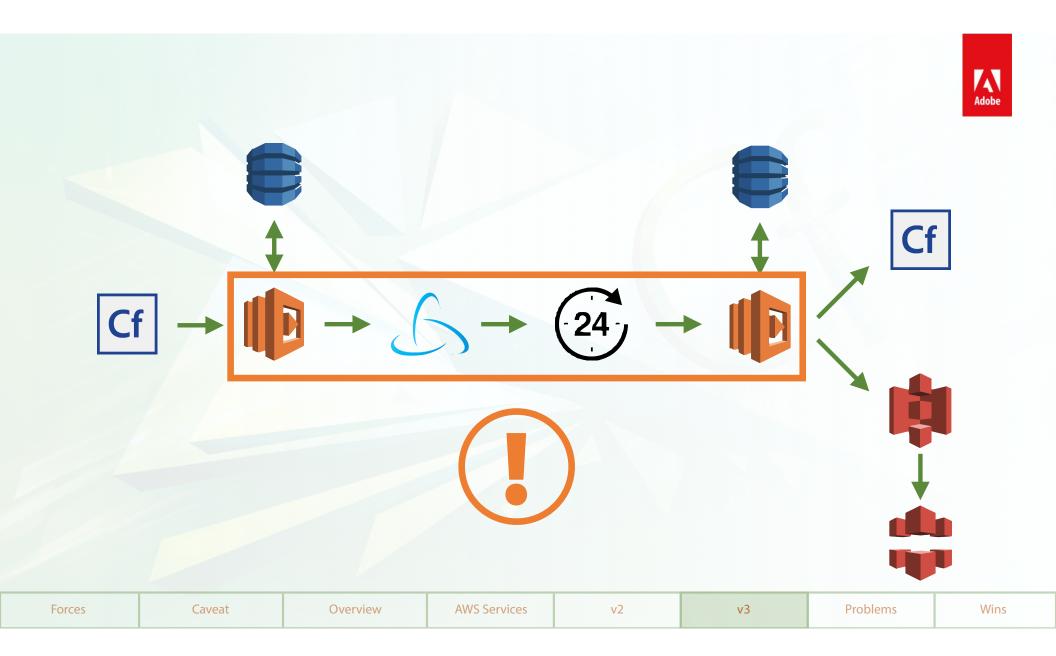
Security credential system

Users, groups, permissions, roles

Extremely fine-grained control over access

Identity Access Management

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ctlS3Utils: https://github.com/brianklaas/ctlS3Utils

ctlCloudFrontUtils: https://github.com/brianklaas/ctlCloudFrontUtils

CTL Utils

Request signing and file property manipulation

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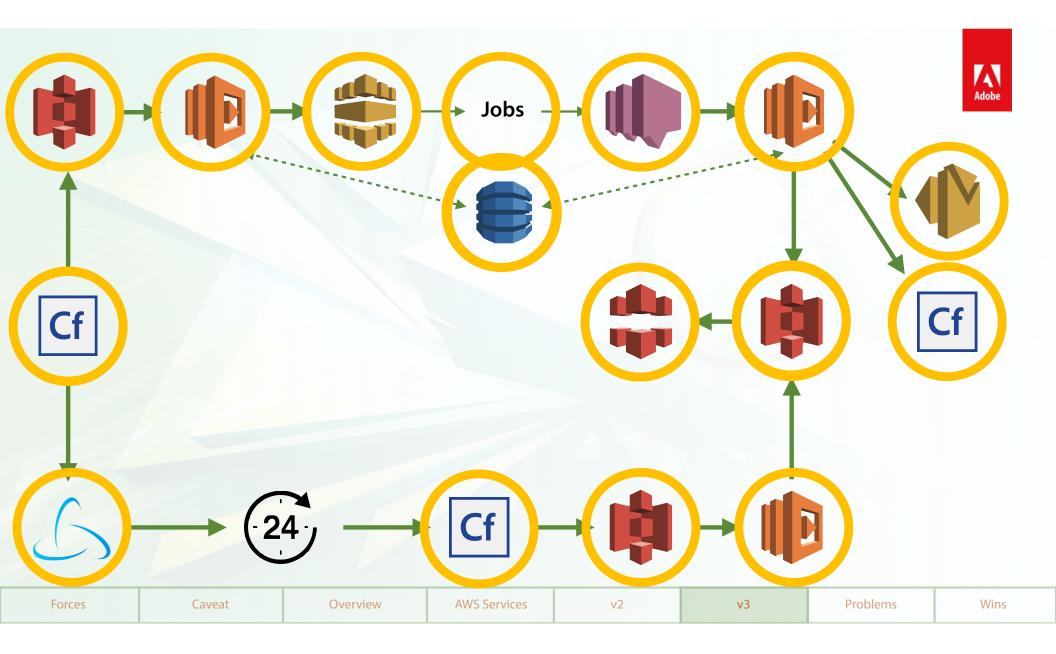
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Security

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Always https

Security

Add the 3rd party certificate to the Java keystore

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Use custom attributes for internal validation

Security

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Build for idempotence

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Network timeouts

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Lambda function execution time limit

Network

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Store on S3, let 3rd party API grab

Network

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Retries

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Backup Lambda or **Cf** functions for retries

Retries

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Process

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Debugging in Lambda is awful.

Process

https://www.concurrencylabs.com/blog/how-to-operate-aws-lambda/

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Create request/job IDs to track across services

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Testing Lambda functions is hard.

Good test practices are universal.

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Everything fails.

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async:waterfall

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Distributed, moving pieces

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No servers. No updating. No admin.

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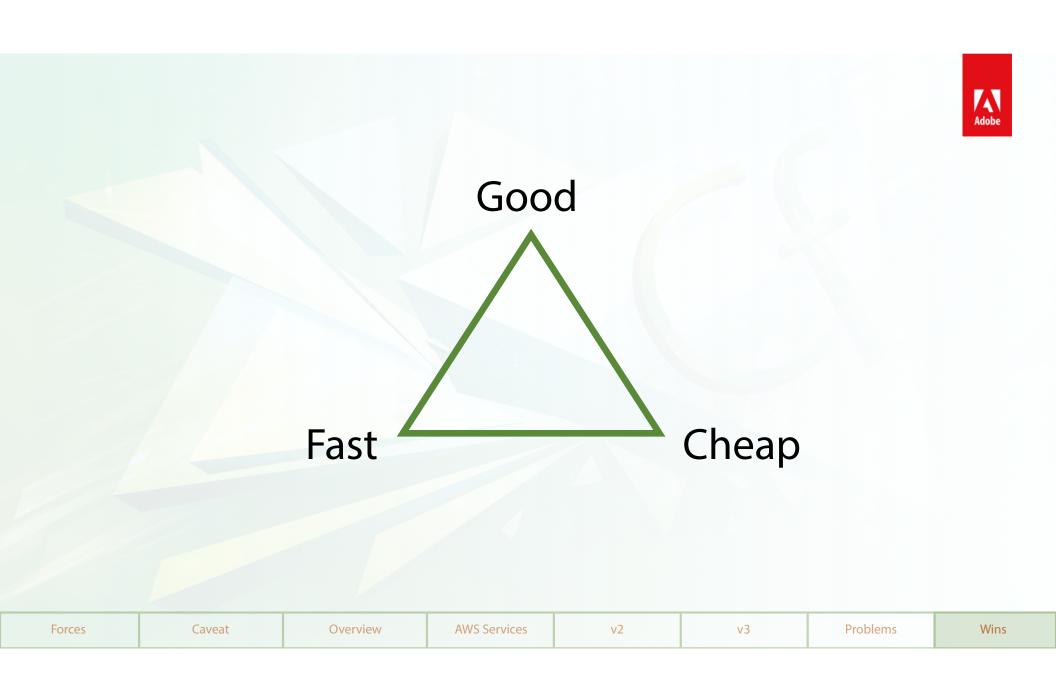
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Cheap!

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+ AWS Services + Node.js + Microservices

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Questions?

Please fill out the session evaluation!

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