Cloud Computing Final Project

Building a scalable dynamic website

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Website overview

- Properties

- A technology social-network
- Dynamic

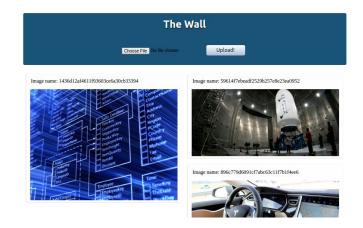
- The structure

- Storage
- Database
- Webserver

- A few quirks

- Optional authentication
- Public content





Initial server

- EC2 (one instance)
- Node.js
- Local storage



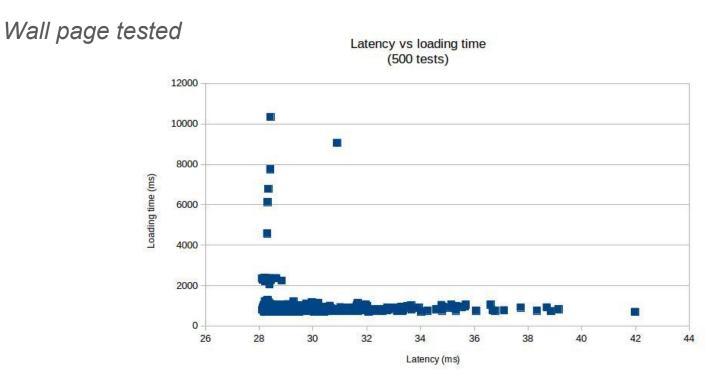


Tests

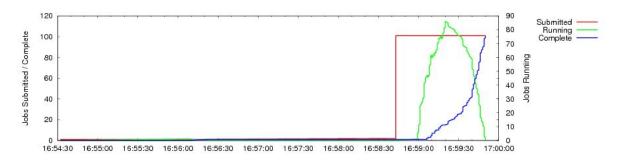
- Variables
 - Latency
 - Loading times (up and down)
- Using Condor for testing
- Apache benchmark

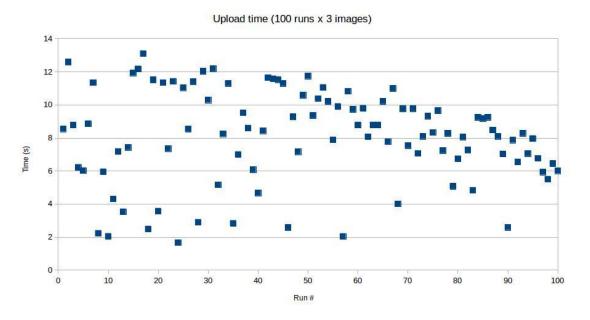


Testing latency and page loading



Testing uploads





3 uploads per job (or run):

0.5 MB

2 MB

4 MB

 Σ 6.5 MB x 100 uploads

Around 650 MB of traffic in ~50 seconds

Apache benchmark results

Homepage tested

Mean time [st. dev] (ms)			
# of concurrent accesses	10	100	1000
Connecting time	29 [0.3]	34 [2.2]	130 [57.6]
Total	262 [35.3]	1290 [298.4]	10,542 [3,019]

Conclusions

- Not a good idea to send the client everything at once
- The server performance decreased considerably with a couple hundred requests

Next step: scaling the website



- Database
- Processing
- Storage





Questions