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# **Track Overview: Cloud Storage**

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# Decentralized Platforms Push Edge Networks Closer to the Edge

The connection between edge computing  
and edge storage

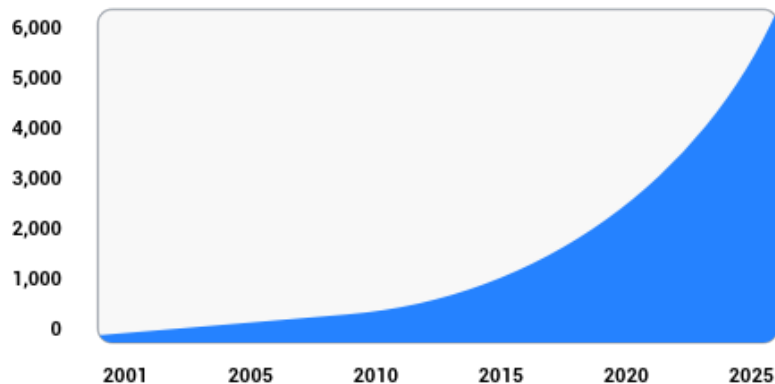
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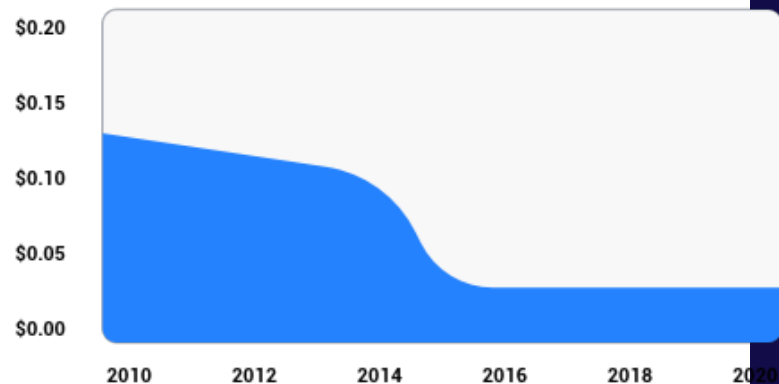
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# HDD Annual Capacity Shipments

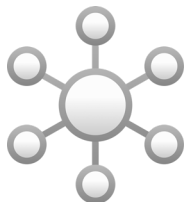
## Exabytes Shipped



## Storage Pricing

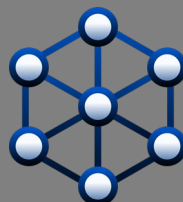


# What is a decentralized application?



## Centralized Systems

- ✓ Central Authority
- ✓ Single Point of Failure
- ✓ Opaque
- ✓ Security by People
- ✓ Trust Me



## Decentralized Systems

- ✓ No Central Authority
- ✓ No Single Point of Failure
- ✓ Transparent - Open Source
- ✓ Security by Math
- ✓ “Trustless” (really, trust open code and large community)



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# **Decoupling SDS Architectures for Agility**

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# The Case for Decoupling SDS Architectures

## Previously, we have illustrated,

- SDS decoupling via data and control plane separation
  - Ceph, SPDK, and NVMe-oF ecosystem
- Benefits of decoupling when storage is disaggregated
  - Removes extra hop (“datacenter tax”) -> reduce latency & bw cost [[SDC2018 talk](#)]
- Decoupled SDS architecture PoC [[SDC2019 talk](#)]
  - Integration of next-gen storage and mixed media types [[SDC2020: Mortimer talk](#)]
  - Scale-out of multiple heterogeneous storage services
  - Separating of failure domains and benefits to recovery

## Focus of this talk,

**→ *Agility must be considered in SDS architecture design!***

SDS = Software Defined Storage

# A Novel Approach for SDS Agility

## Clone OSD top-half

- Need: Place data close to where needed
- Does not contribute to object placement → not part of CRUSH
- Functions as a cache node → does not require durable backend
- Fundamentally different from tiering → not a cache tier pool

## **Introduce *clonemap* as part of the cluster metadata**

- Clones are tracked as part a *clone set* for a given OSD in *clonemap*
- Separate from placement SLA related metadata (e.g., CRUSH)

## Clone OSD bottom-half

- Need: I/O bottlenecks from write bursts
- Completely transparent to every entity in cluster except fronting OSD top half
- OSD top-half independently creates/removes clones based on load

**Decoupling enables adding SDS clones without data rebalance**  
**Does not cause any object migration across failure domains**





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# **Architecting Storage Applications for the Public Cloud Economy**

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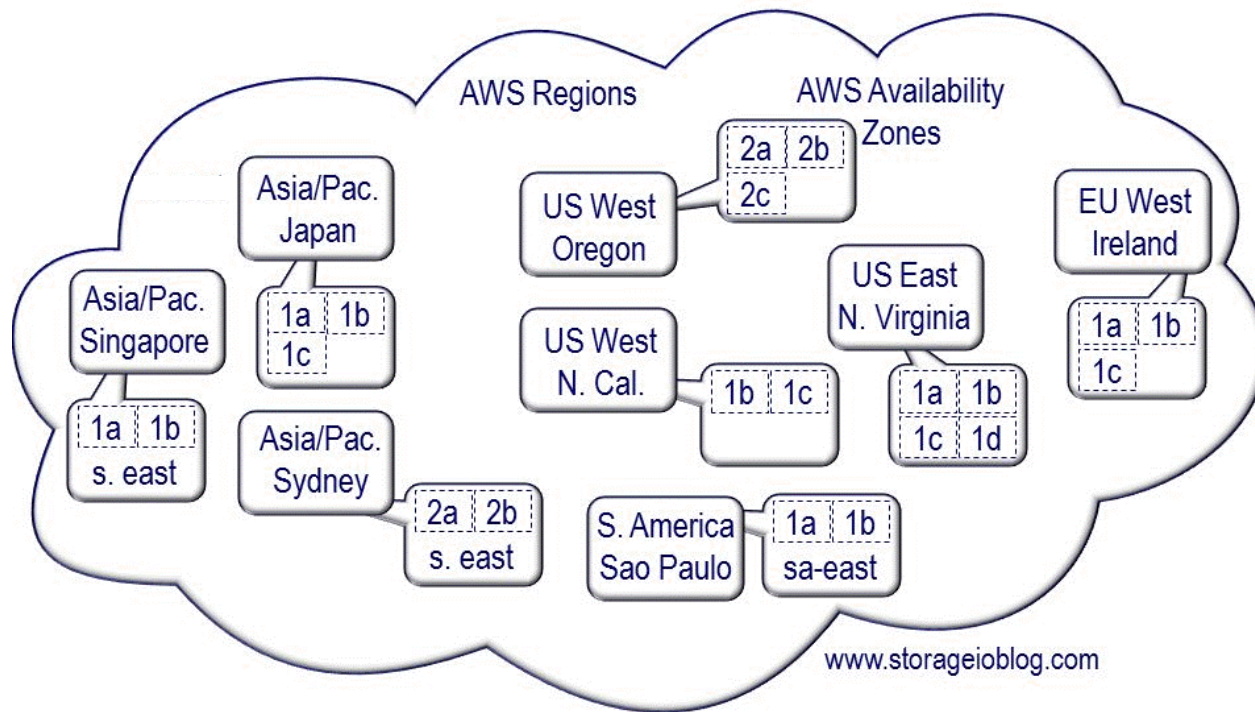
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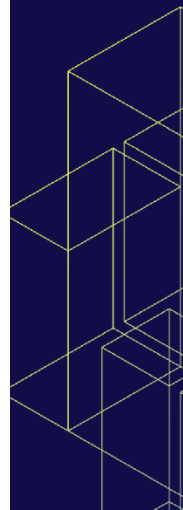
# Public Cloud Structure



Examples use AWS terminology - [https://storageio.com/images/SIO\\_AWS\\_Regions.gif](https://storageio.com/images/SIO_AWS_Regions.gif)

# Summary - Key Points for Cloud Systems

- Elasticity
  - While this is the obvious it is also the key for successful cloud implementation.
- Multiple Deployment Options
  - Pricing model can change without notice, system should be flexible enough to adapt quickly
- Think OPEX
  - Need to optimize on more dimensions



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