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# Become a network support expert: We break it, you fix it

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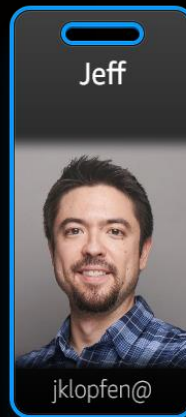
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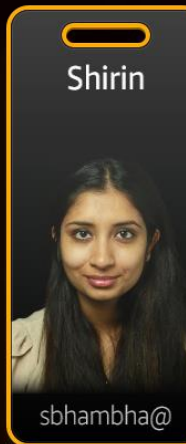
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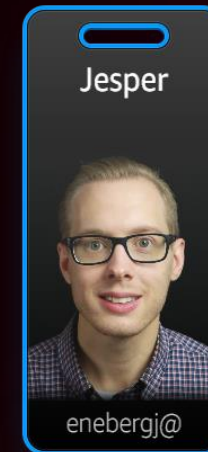
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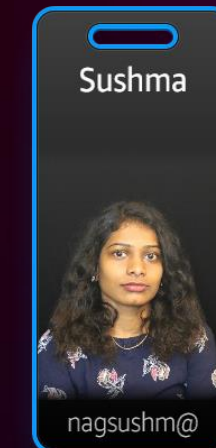
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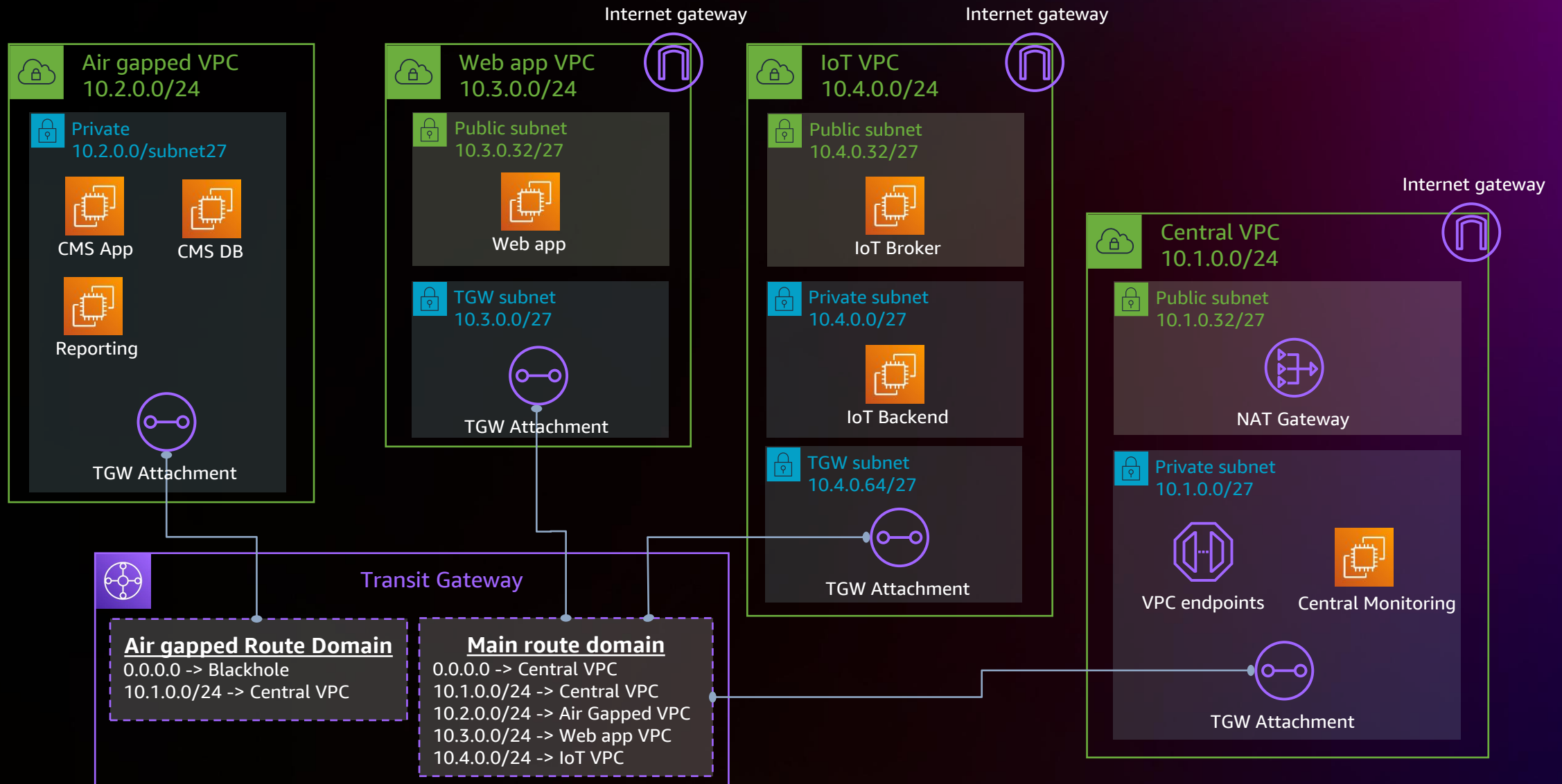


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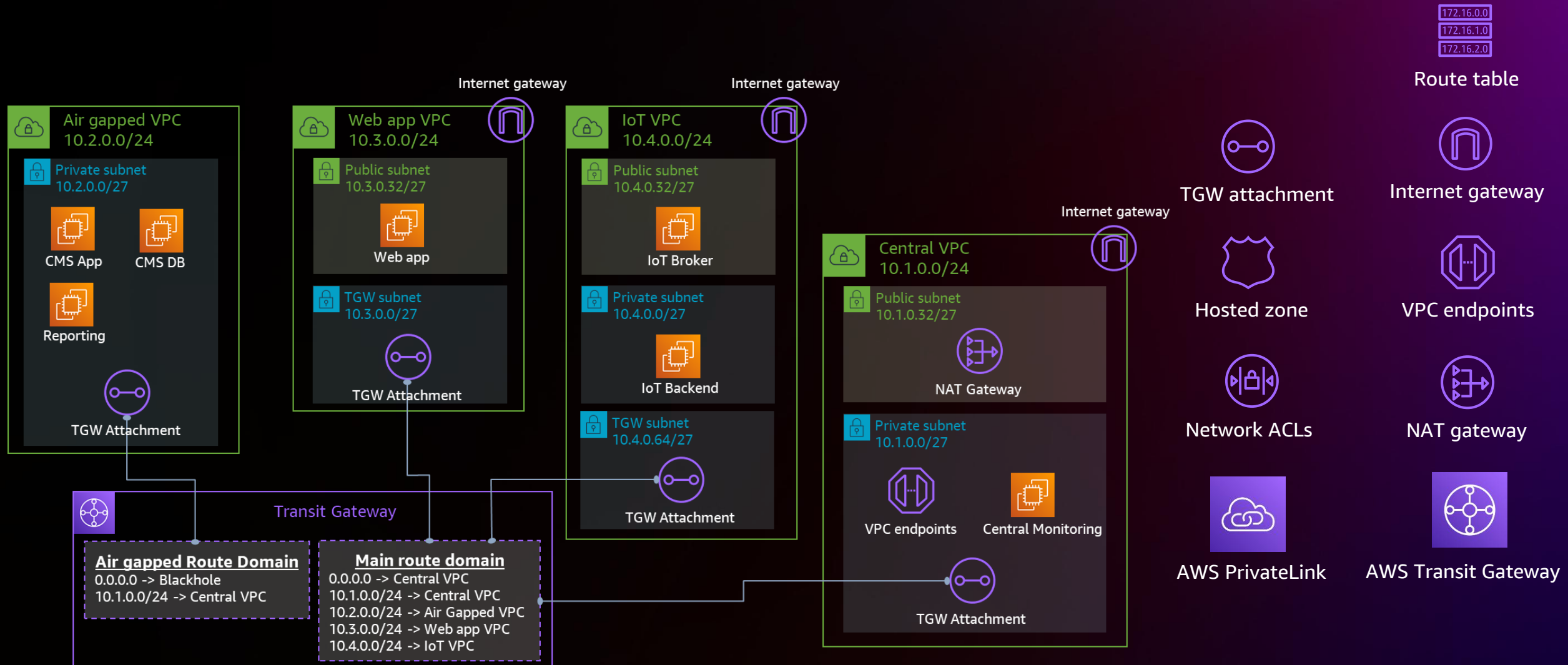
# Agenda

- What are we playing with? (Overview of the environment and services)
- How are we playing with it? (Introduction to the labs)
- Alright, so how do I get started? (Access the workshop environment)
- Fix the environment!

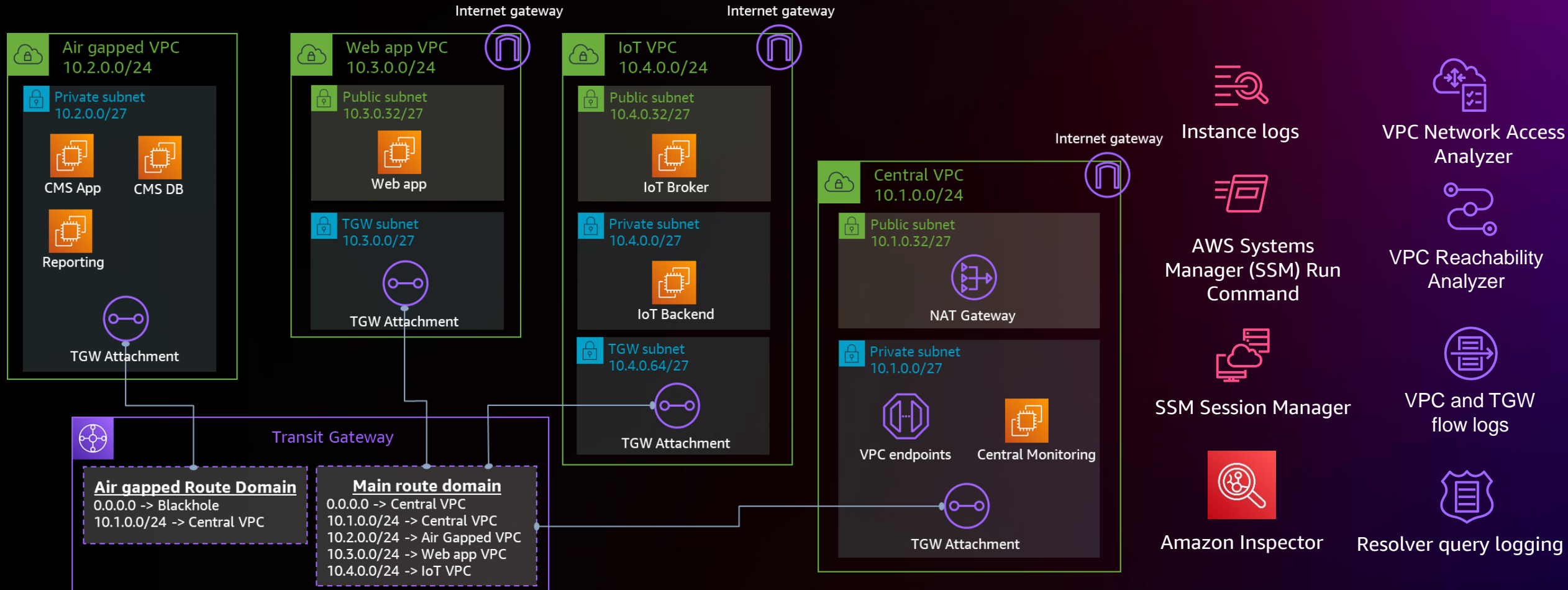
# Lab environment



# Lab environment – Issues

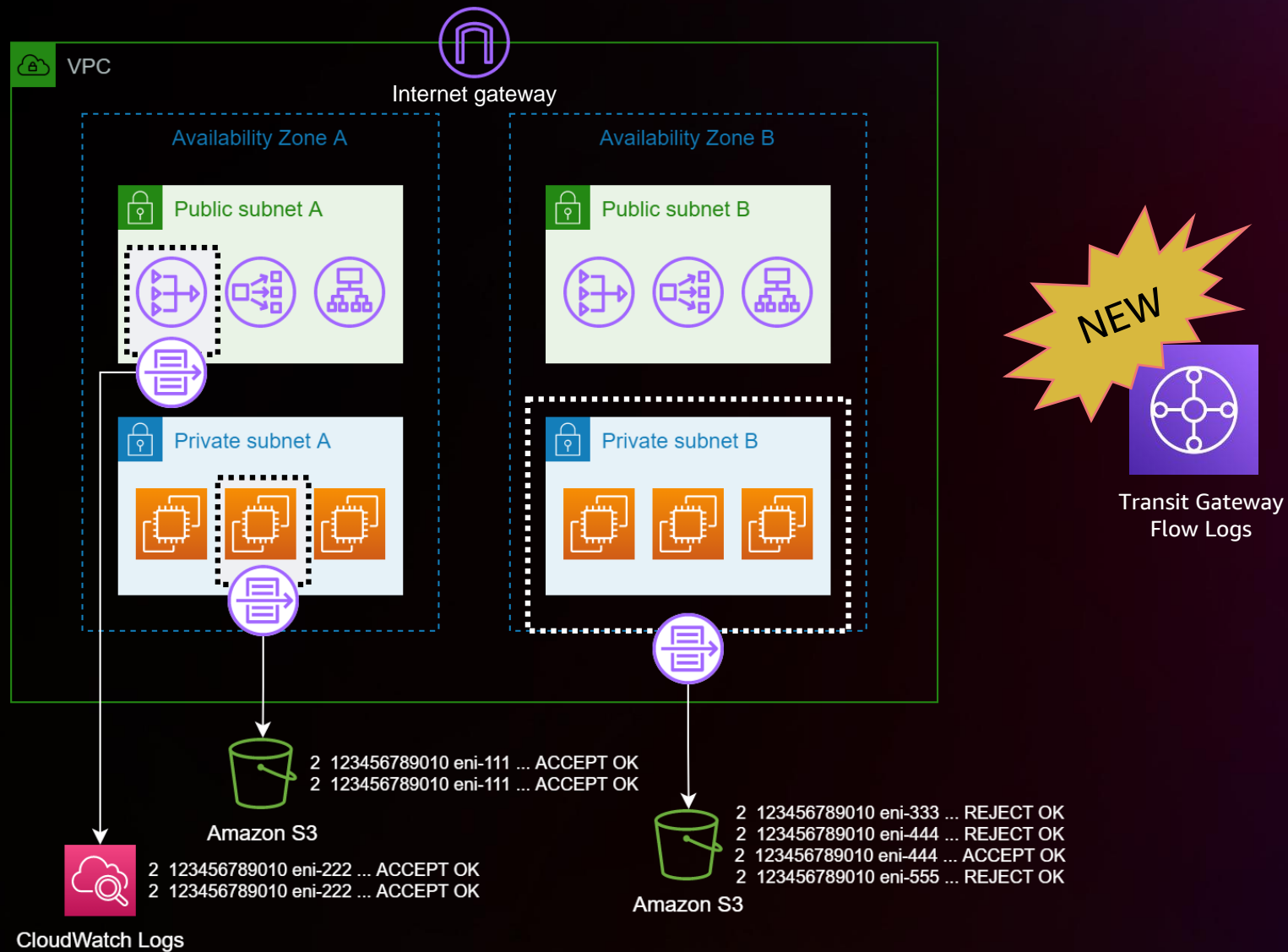


# Lab environment – Troubleshooting



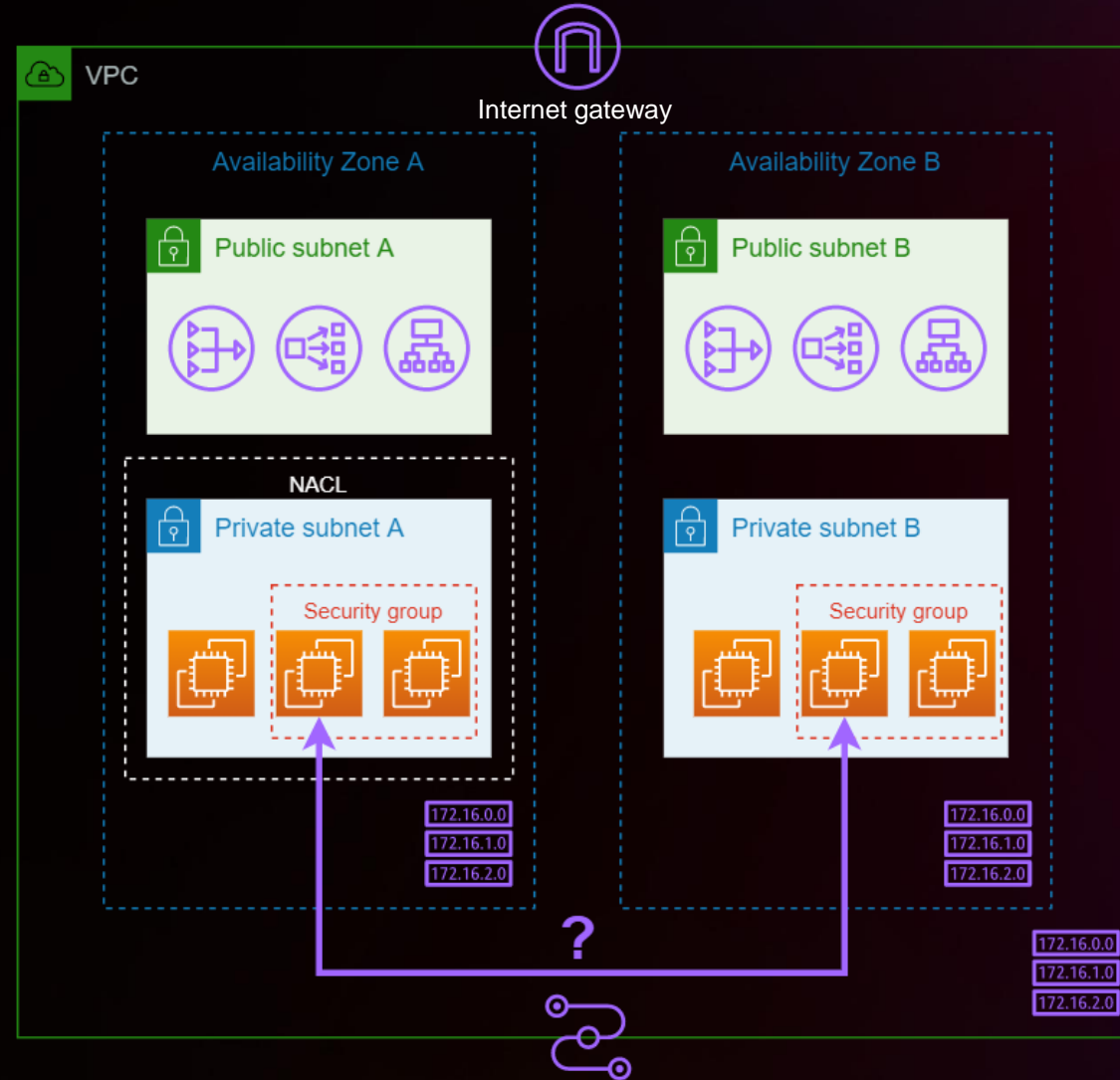
# VPC troubleshooting

## FLOW LOGS



# VPC troubleshooting

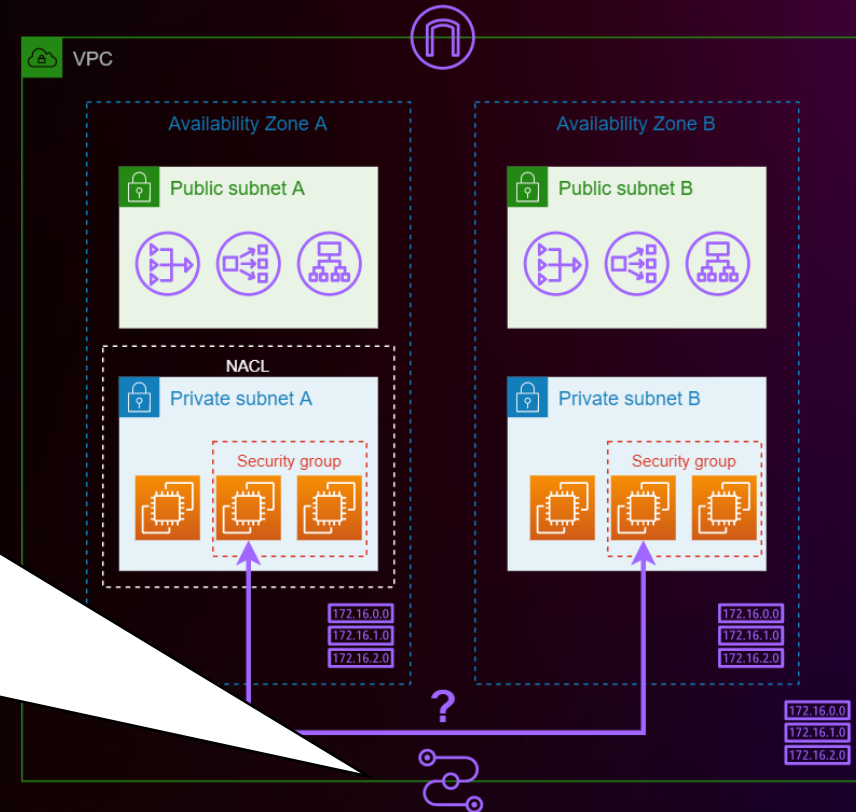
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# VPC troubleshooting

## VPC REACHABILITY ANALYZER

Network diagnostics tool that troubleshoots reachability between two endpoints in a VPC or within multiple VPCs



# VPC troubleshooting

## VPC NETWORK ACCESS ANALYZER

VPC Network Access Analyzer is a feature that identifies unintended network access to your resources on AWS

- Understand, verify, and improve your network security posture
- Demonstrate compliance
- Verify your network security posture

### Select Network Access Scope template

Select template

Build your Network Access Scope starting from a template based on common network access scenarios.

☒ Identify access from Internet Gateways  
Example

- Locate databases accessible from internet.
- Find non-HTTPS access to web servers

☐ Identify access to Internet Gateways  
Example

- Locate instances with un-authorized internet access

☐ Validate access from trusted networks  
Example

- Containers can only be accessed via load balancers
- Only Bastions can SSH to production
- Only App Servers can access Database Servers

☐ Identify non-permissible traffic type  
Example

- Only Web servers can receive HTTP/HTTPS traffic
- Production servers cannot send SSH/RDP traffic
- Development cannot SSH to Production.

☐ Validate network segmentation  
Example

- Development should be isolated from Production.
- PCI should be isolated from Non-PCI.

☐ Empty template  
Build your own Network Access Scope

# VPC troubleshooting

## VPC NETWORK ACCESS ANALYZER

VPC > Network Access Scopes > nis-02816534ee37f958e

nis-02816534ee37f958e / AWS-VPC-Ingress (Amazon created)

Summary [Info](#)

Actions [Analyze](#)

Network Access Scope ID

nis-02816534ee37f958e

Name

AWS-VPC-Ingress (Amazon created)

Description

Identify ingress paths into your VPCs from Internet Gateways, Peering Connections, VPC Service Endpoints, VPN and Transit Gateways.

▶ Network Access Scope definition

Latest analysis

Past analyses

Tags

Analysis details

Delete analysis

Analysis ID

nisa-070e95a2229814f60

Last analysis date

January 11, 2022, 17:04 (UTC-05:00)

Last analysis result

[Findings detected](#)  
Limited findings are displayed [Info](#)

Analysis status


[Complete](#)

Network Interfaces analyzed

47

Filter findings by category [Info](#)

This chart shows the number of occurrences of various resources in the findings. Select resource(s) to filter for findings containing the resource.



Security Groups (160)

Network ACLs (150)

Network Interfaces (100)

Transit Gateway Attachments (47)

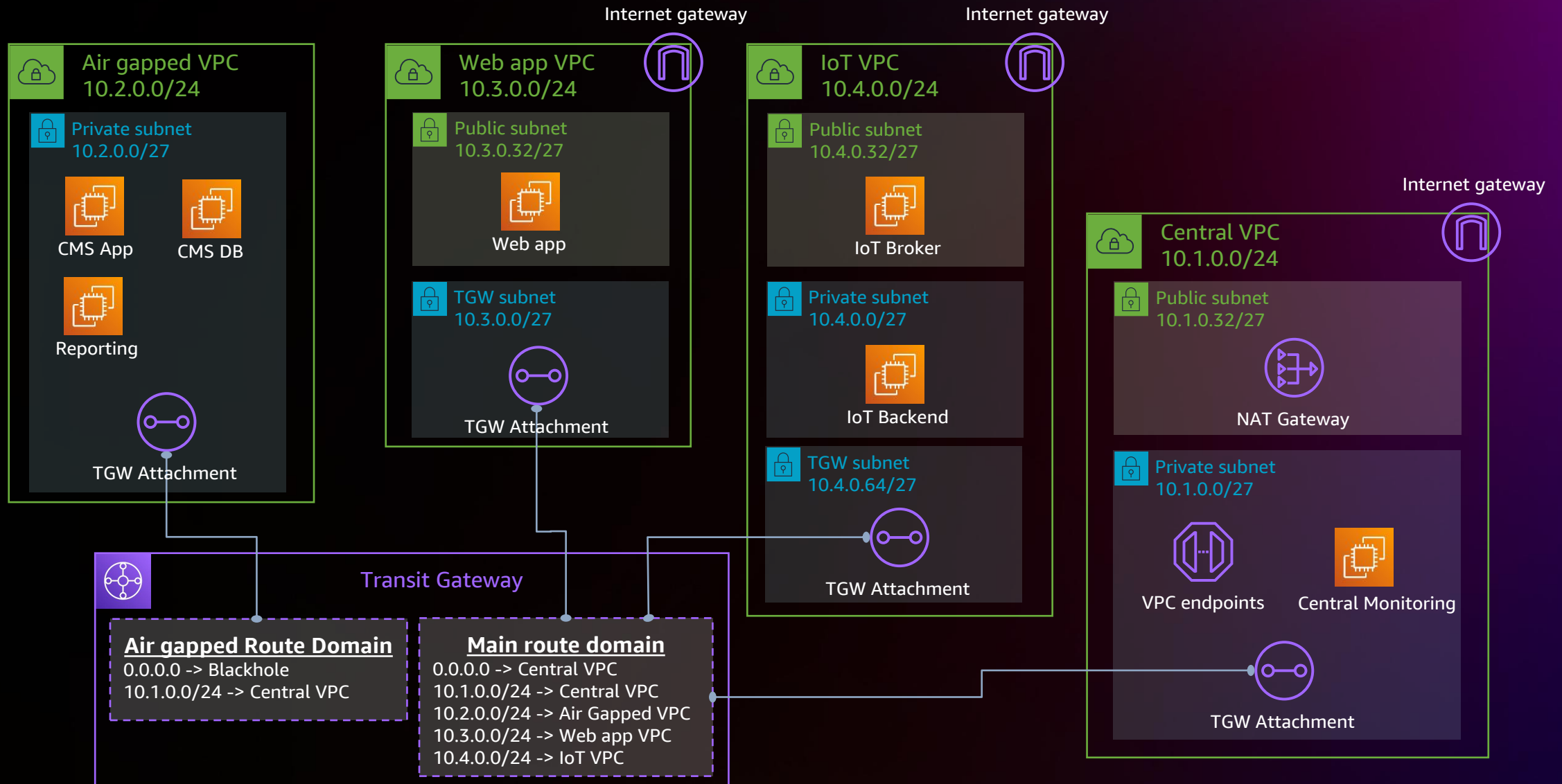
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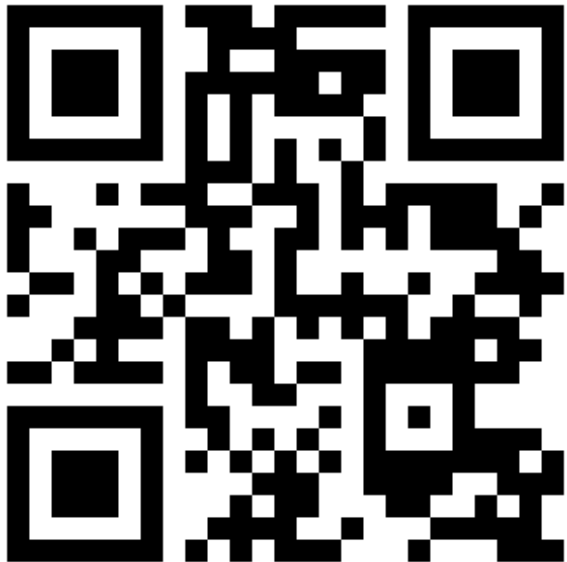
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# Lab environment



# Step 1: Sign in via your preferred method

<https://s12d.com/NET307-2022>



aws workshop studio

Workshop Studio > Sign in

### Sign in

Choose a preferred sign-in method

**Email one-time password (OTP)**

Enter your personal or corporate email to receive a one-time password

**Login with Amazon**


Login with your Amazon.com retail account




**Amazon employee**

Login with your Amazon Corporate account. Only for Amazon Employees.

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# Step 2: Enter event access code

 workshop studio

[Workshop Studio](#) > [Join event](#)

Step 1

**Enter event access code**

Step 2

[Review and join](#)

## Enter event access code

**Event access code**




Event access code  
A 12 digit code that was given to you for this event

[Cancel](#) [Next](#)

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# Step 3: Review terms and join event

aws workshop studio

Workshop Studio > Join event

Step 1

[Enter event access code](#)

Step 2

**Review and join**

Review and join

Event details

Name	Start time	Duration	Level
AWS General Immersion Day	9/23/2022 01:13 AM	12 hours	-

Description

AWS General Immersion Day

Terms and Conditions

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# Step 4: Get started with the workshop

## NET307-Become a network support expert: We break it, you fix it event

### Event information

Start time  
10/17/2022 10:00 PM

Duration  
12

Description  
Test event for content NET307-Become a network support expert: We break it, you fix it

### Workshop

Title	Complexity level	AWS services	Topics
NET307-Become a network support expert: We break it, you fix it	300	Amazon CloudWatch, Amazon Virtual Private Cloud (Amazon VPC)	Networking & Content Delivery

Description  
Troubleshooting is a muscle that must be exercised. In this workshop, troubleshoot and deploy fixes to several networking problems. Perform root-cause analysis using AWS tools to review logs and grow your troubleshooting capabilities.

Get started >

aws workshop studio

NET307-Become a network support expert: We break it, you fix it event

Accessing the AWS Environment and Labs

AWS account access

[Open AWS console](#)

[Get AWS CLI credentials](#)

Exit event

Event in progress

Ends in 11 hours 56 minutes 59 seconds.

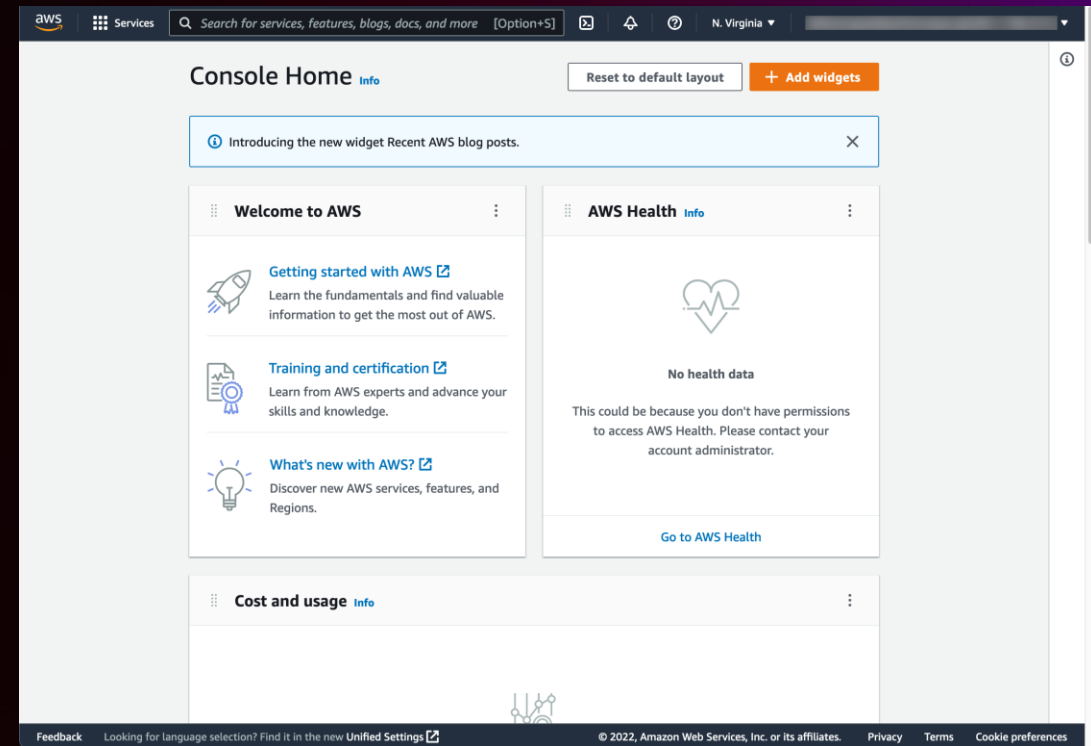
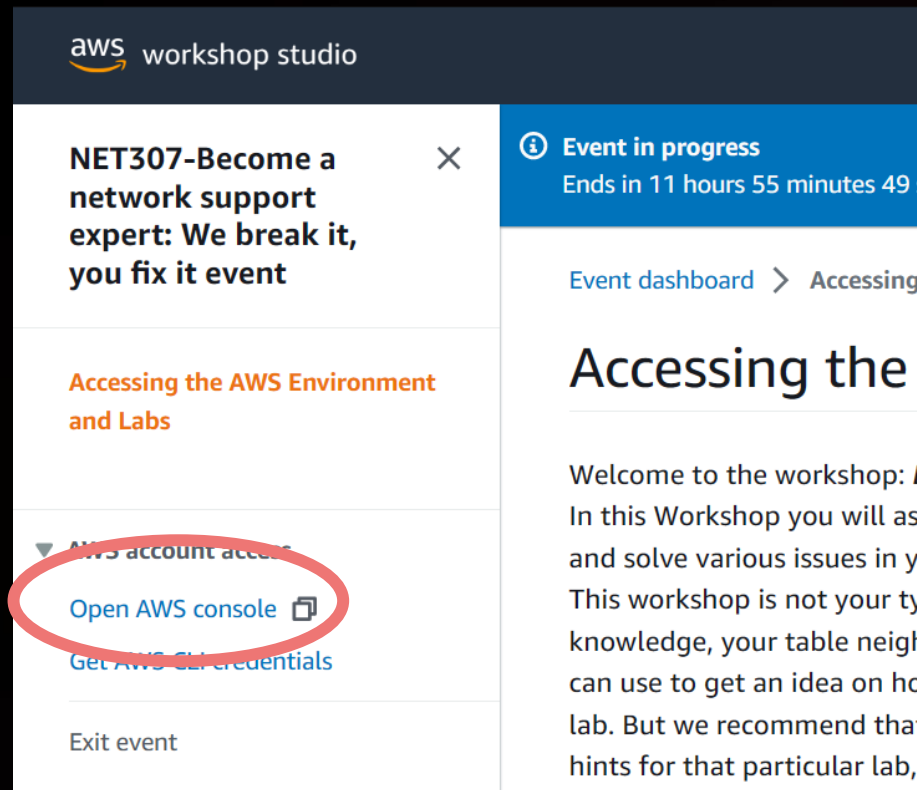
Event dashboard > Accessing the AWS Environment and Labs

Accessing the AWS Environment and Labs

Welcome to the workshop: *Become a network support expert: We break it, and you fix it!*  
In this Workshop you will assume the role of a Network support engineer at the fictitious company AnyCompany, and solve various issues in your AWS Network environment and your colleagues with various networking tasks. This workshop is not your typical step-by-step walkthrough workshop. Instead you will solve the workshop labs using your knowledge, your table neighbours (say Hi!) and hints located in every lab page. Each workshop lab have atleast two hints you can use to get an idea on how to solve that particular lab. However if you get stuck you can still get the full solution for that lab. But we recommend that you try to solve each lab using the hints - and even if you successfully solve a lab with hints for that particular lab, have a look at the remaining hints - you might learn something new about a feature, or you could approach the lab differently.  
This is not a GameDay or a competition, there are no points nor a winner. This is a learning workshop so don't be afraid to re-think and re-approach the problem differently or ask your neighbors or workshop staff for tips and hints. Remember to use the hints and the solution if needed.  
**All the Labs are located in Amazon CloudWatch dashboards. So to get started, lets access the AWS account with the Labs introductions and the various challenges you need to solve!**

# Step 5: Access AWS account

Access the AWS console



# Step 6: Access lab instructions



# Step 7: Access lab dashboards

The screenshot displays the AWS CloudWatch console interface. On the left-hand navigation pane, the **Dashboards** menu item is highlighted with a red rectangular box, and a large red number **1** is positioned to its right. Below this, other menu items like Alarms, Logs, Metrics, X-Ray traces, and Events are visible. The main content area is divided into two tabs: **Custom dashboards** (which is underlined) and **Automatic dashboards**. Under the **Custom dashboards** tab, there is a section titled **Custom Dashboards (6)** with an **Info** link. Below this title is a search bar labeled *Filter dashboards*. A table lists the custom dashboards. The first row of the table is highlighted with a red rectangular box, and a large red number **2** is placed to its right. This row contains a radio button, the text **Intro-NET307**, and a triangle icon. The second row shows a radio button and the text **lab-1-NET307**. The table has two visible columns: **Name** and **Sharing**.

	Name	Sharing
<input type="radio"/>	Intro-NET307	▲
<input type="radio"/>	lab-1-NET307	

# Step 8: Enable lab dashboards

This dashboard contains custom widgets that will execute Lambda functions. Make sure you trust these functions before executing them.

CloudWatch > Dashboards > Intro-NET307

**Intro-NET307** ☆ 🌙

Search dashboards ▼

1h 3h 12h 1d 3d 1w Custom 📅 ↺ ▼ 🗑️

Actions ▼ Save dashboard Add widget

### NET307 - Intro

Intro Lab 1 Lab 2 Lab 3 Lab 4 Lab 5

Overview

Welcome to NET307!

Custom widget will execute [mod-9250bd8642c64490-DashboardGetHints-BN4JGYVfZJQL](#)

The screenshot shows the AWS CloudWatch dashboard for 'Intro-NET307'. A blue banner at the top contains a warning icon and text: 'This dashboard contains custom widgets that will execute Lambda functions. Make sure you trust these functions before executing them.' A red arrow points from the right side of the banner to a button labeled 'Execute them all'. Below the banner, the breadcrumb 'CloudWatch > Dashboards > Intro-NET307' is visible. The dashboard title 'Intro-NET307' is followed by a star icon and a moon icon. A search bar labeled 'Search dashboards' is present. On the right, there are time range selectors (1h, 3h, 12h, 1d, 3d, 1w, Custom) and icons for refresh, dropdown, and delete. Below these are buttons for 'Actions', 'Save dashboard', and 'Add widget'. The main content area shows a section titled 'NET307 - Intro' with tabs for 'Intro', 'Lab 1', 'Lab 2', 'Lab 3', 'Lab 4', and 'Lab 5'. The 'Intro' tab is selected. Below the tabs, there is an 'Overview' section with the text 'Welcome to NET307!'. On the right side of the dashboard, a custom widget is displayed with the text 'Custom widget will execute' followed by a blue link: 'mod-9250bd8642c64490-DashboardGetHints-BN4JGYVfZJQL'. A red number '1' is placed below the 'Execute them all' button.

# Lab dashboard overview

lab-1-NET307 ☆ 🌙

Search dashboards ▼

1h 3h 12h 1d 3d 1w Custom 📅

🔄 10s ▼

Actions ▼

Save dashboard

Add wid

## NET307 - Lab 1: Centralized Egress Internet Connectivity

Intro

Lab 1

Lab 2

Lab 3

Lab 4

Lab 5

Overview

Problem

The network environment is using a centralized VPC to be able to have a single internet breakout for multiple VPCs Using AWS Transit Gateway. This means that all Private subnets in the Spoke VPCs in the public routing domain, such as the Web app VPC and IoT VPC is routing all outbound traffic through one shared egress VPC using the transit gateway. This enables several use-cases such as: re-use of NAT Gateways which improves overall network design and operational efficiency.

For more information about egress VPC, the following [blogpost](#) is a great start.

The resources in the Private Subnets in the spoke VPCs can't connect to the Internet using Transit Gateway and the Centralized VPC. The EC2 (Central monitor) in the Private Subnet in the Centralized VPC which uses the same centralized NAT and Internet Gateway also have problems connecting to the

Lab #1 Hints

Lab status

Hint #1

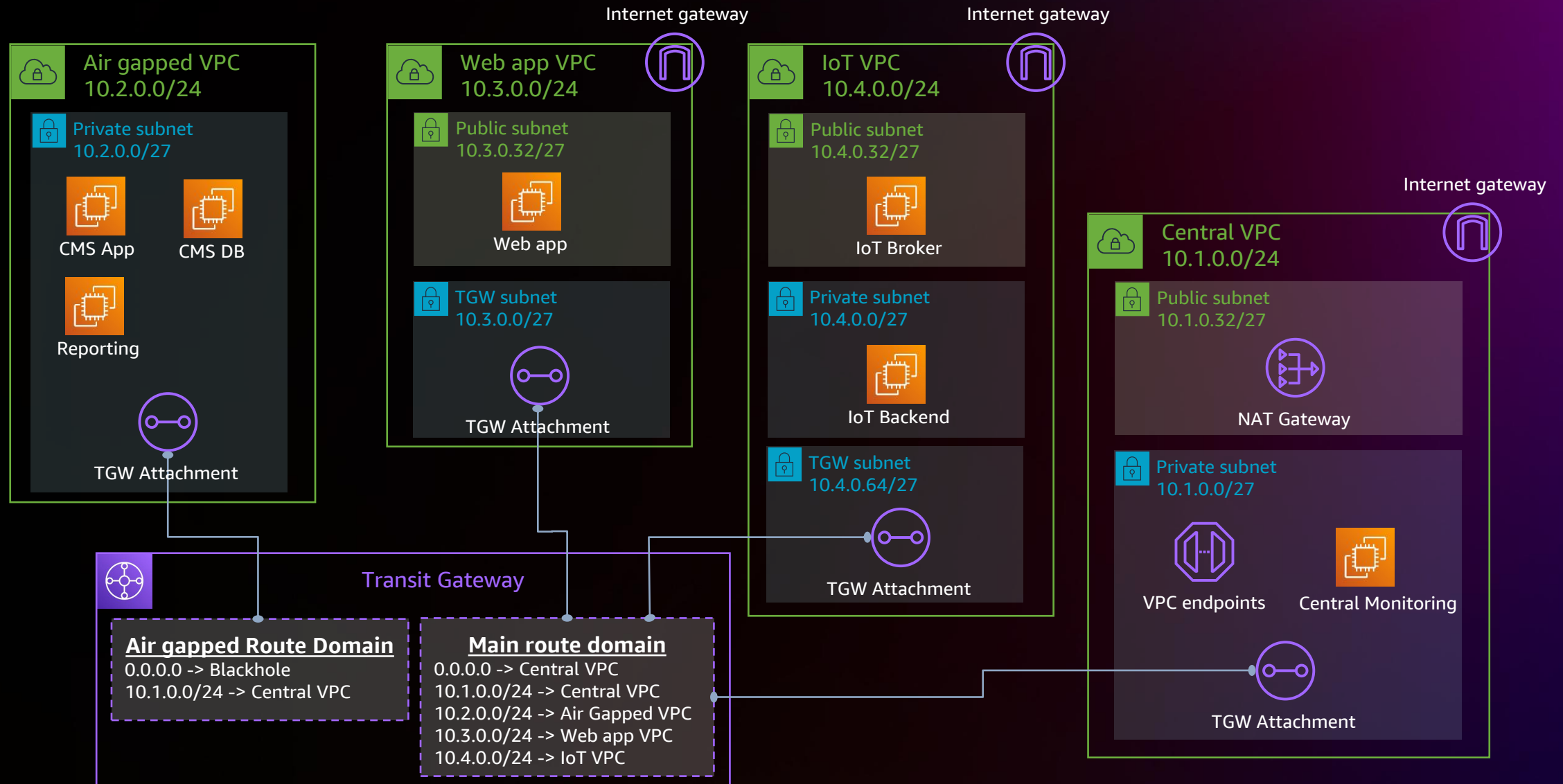
Hint #2

Hint #3

Solution

Lab1 NOT COMPLETED!

# Lab environment



# Thank you!

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