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# Simplify and accelerate your data migration journey to AWS

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# Data transfer use cases

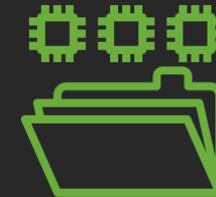
**Why** do customers transfer data to the cloud



Application migration



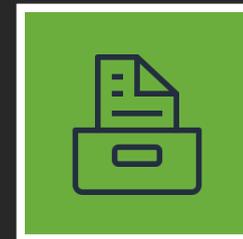
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Sharing Data



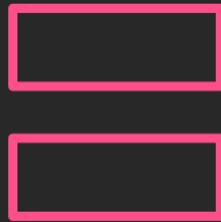
Backups



Data management

# Data transfer challenges

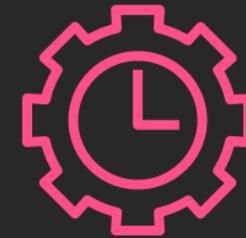
**What** are some challenges customers face when looking to transfer data



Mode



Speed



Time and effort

# How long could it take?

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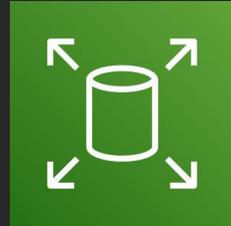
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EBS

## File storage



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EFS



Amazon FSx for  
Windows File Server



Amazon FSx  
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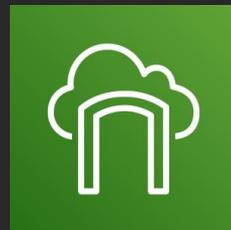


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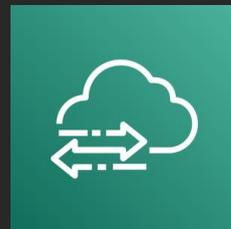
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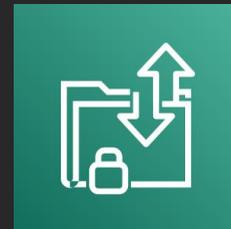


AWS Storage  
Gateway Family

## Transport & edge



AWS DataSync

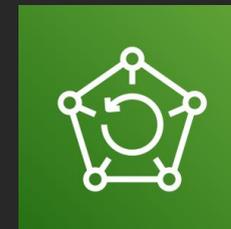


AWS Transfer  
for SFTP



AWS Snow\*  
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AWS Backup

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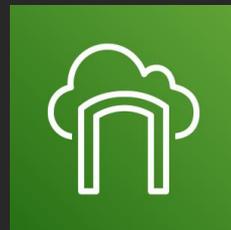


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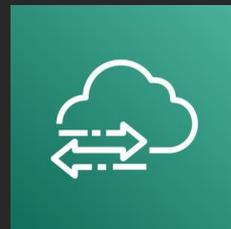
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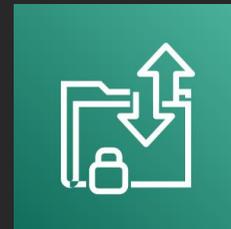


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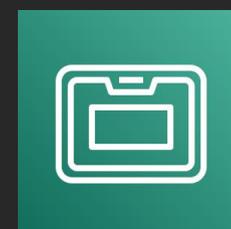
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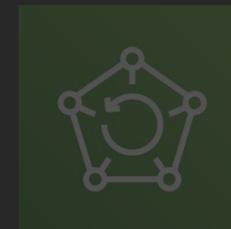


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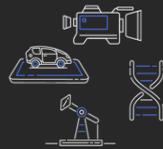
# Online data migration

# What is AWS DataSync?

Simplifies, automates, and accelerates your online data transfer



**Migrate** active application data



**Transfer** data for timely processing or Archiving



**Replicate** for data protection and recovery



Transfers up to **10 Gbps** per agent



Simple data movement to S3, EFS, FSx for Windows



Secure and reliable transfers



AWS integrated



Pay as you go

# As simple as 1-2-3 ...

**Deploy** DataSync agent

1



**Create** a task

2

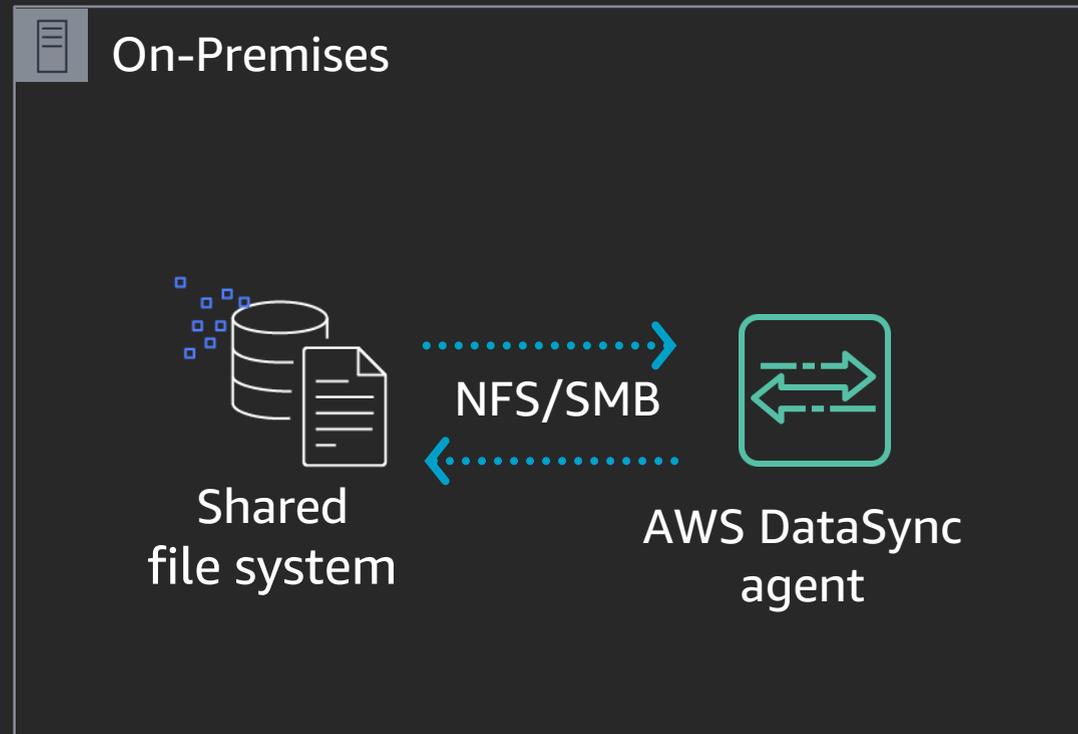


**Start** the task and monitor

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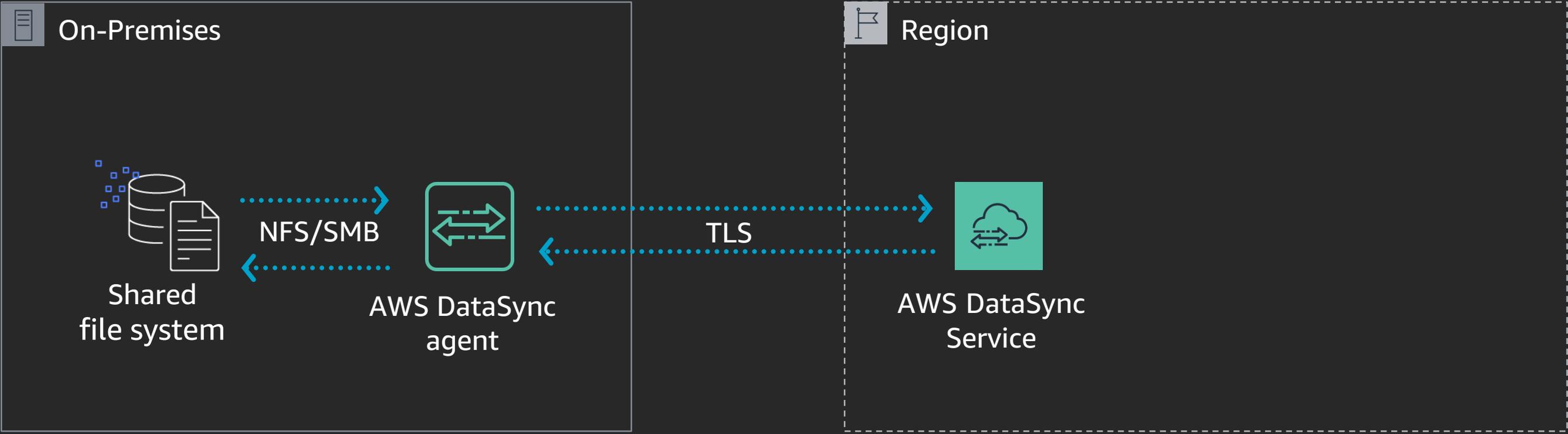


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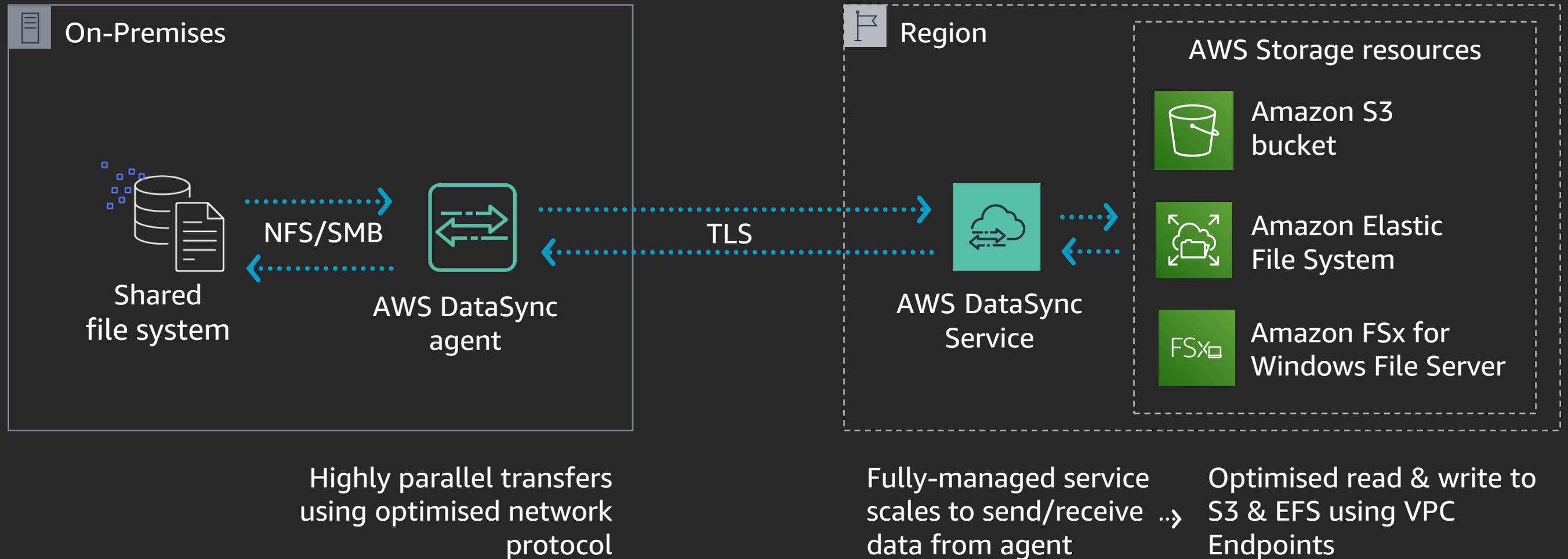
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Fully-managed service scales to send/receive data from agent

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The speed and reliability of *network acceleration* software with the cost-effectiveness of *open source tools*

# Task options

Invoke via **schedule**, **API**, or **manually**

File-level **validation**

Copy across file **metadata**

## Options

### Validation

- Enable verification**  
Check files for consistency between source and destination data at the end of the transfer

### Copy file metadata

- Copy ownership**  
Maintain user and group ID
- Copy permissions**  
Maintain existing permissions
- Copy timestamps**  
Maintain access time and modification time

### File management

- Keep deleted files**  
Keep files in destination even when deleted from source

### Set bandwidth

Allocate maximum bandwidth to be utilized by this task

- Use available**
- Set bandwidth (MiB/s)**

# Data migration using AWS DataSync

## Challenge

Multi-year retention of data, on-premises storage

## Solution

Utilised AWS DataSync for fast & seamless migration to Amazon S3

## Outcome

Successfully transferred & verified 700TB of data at a rate of approx. 500 GB/hour



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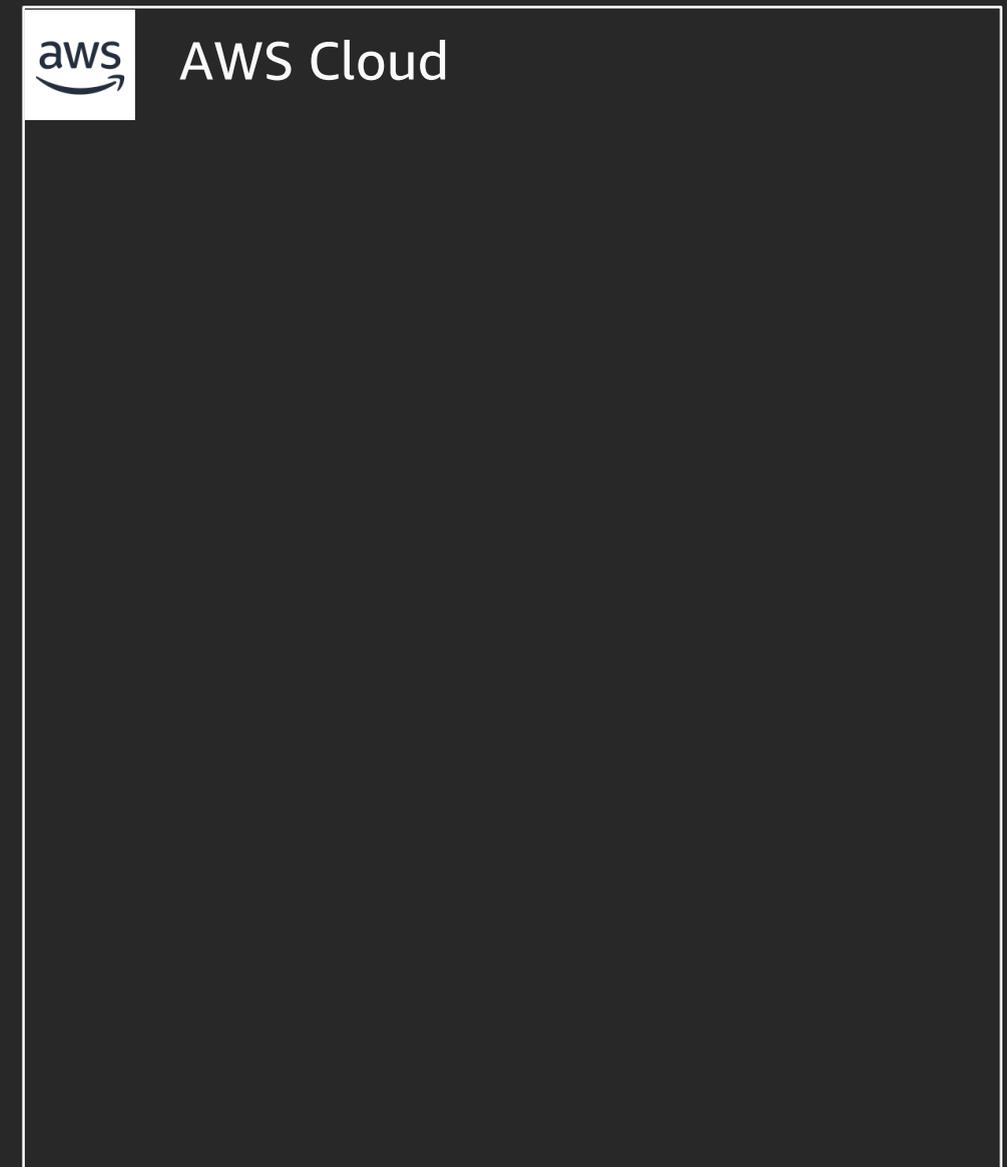
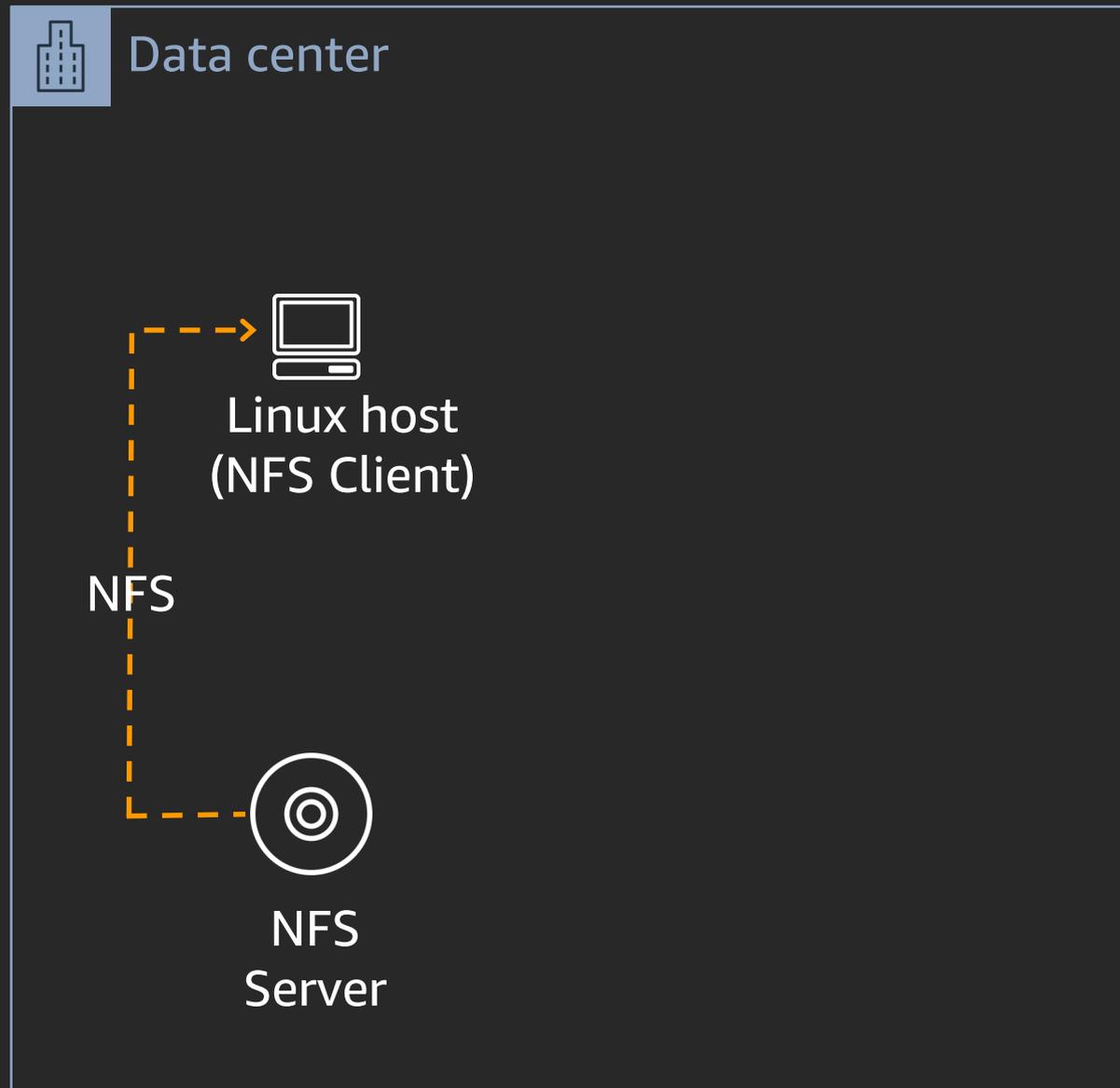


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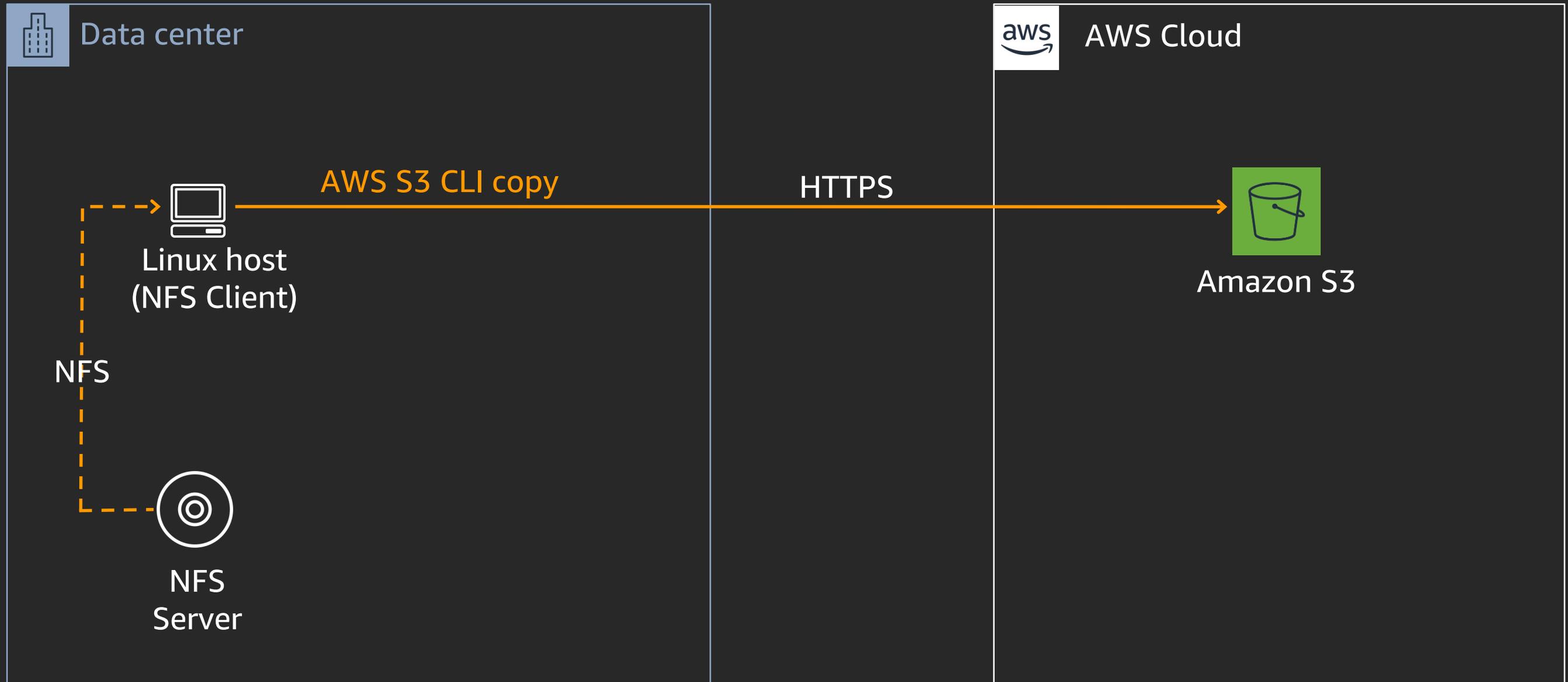


# Demo: Migration of 10,000 small files

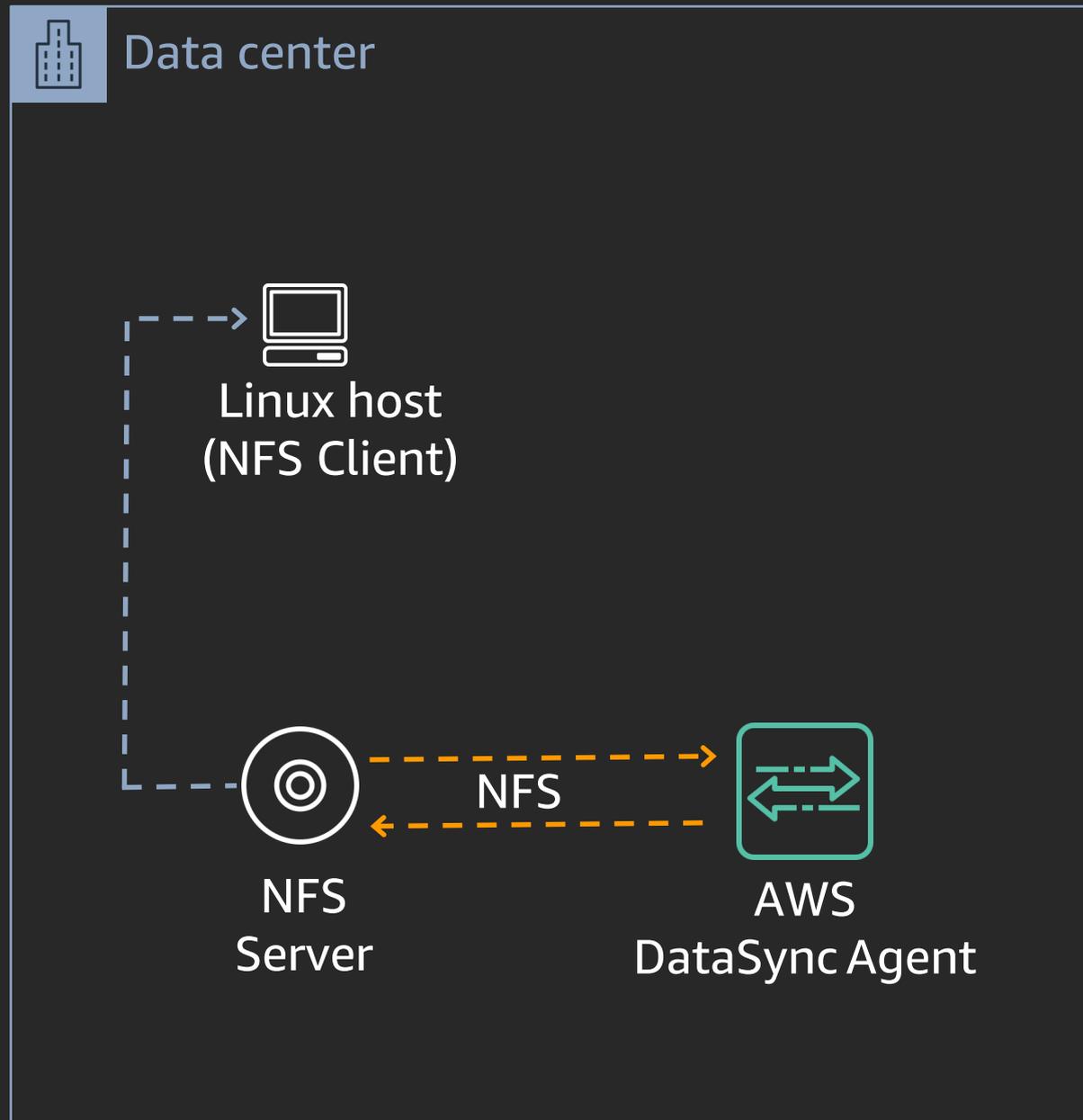
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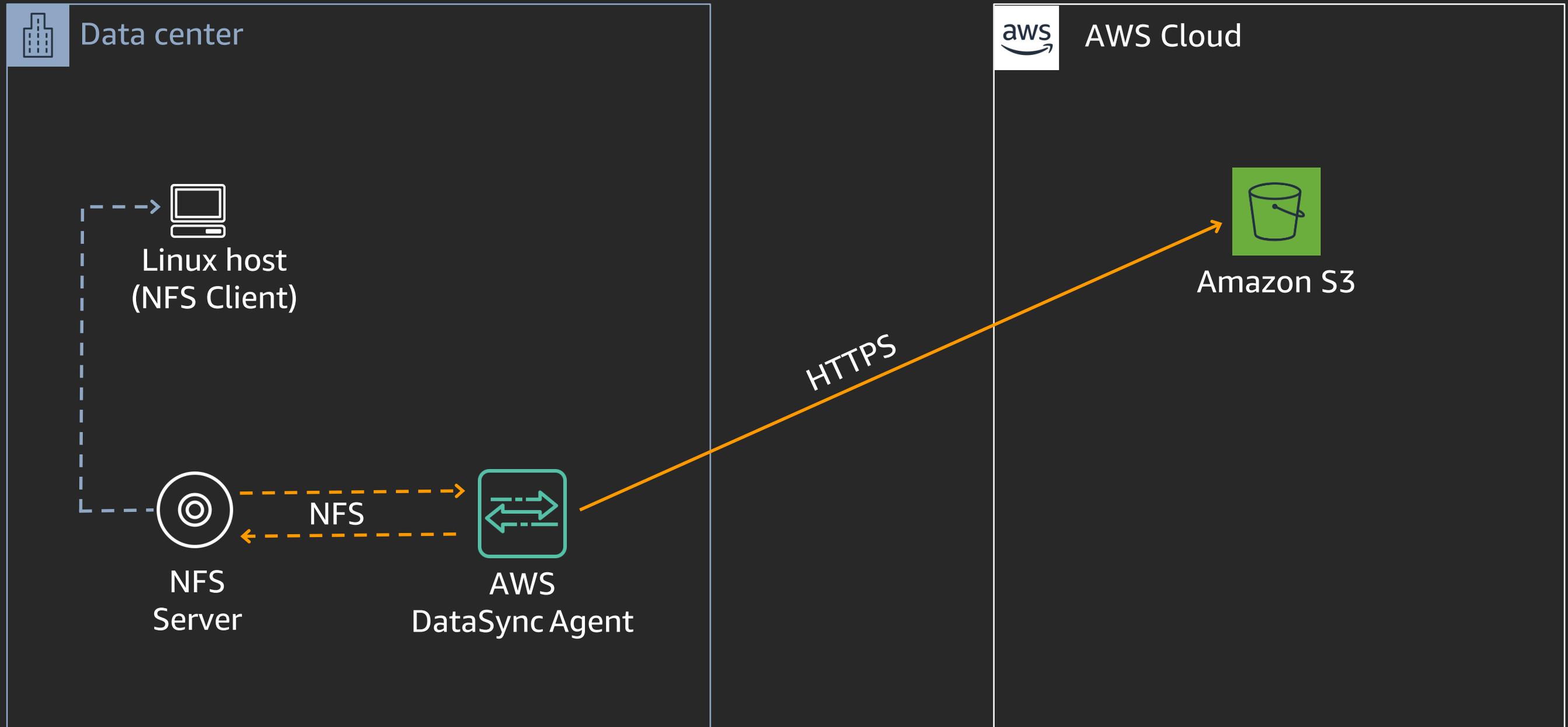
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# Demo 2: Using AWS DataSync



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What did I just see in this demo?

AWS DataSync **accelerated** the data transfer

Preserved file metadata such as **timestamps** and **permissions**

Provided data integrity **verification**

Think of this at **scale**, with **simplicity** in mind

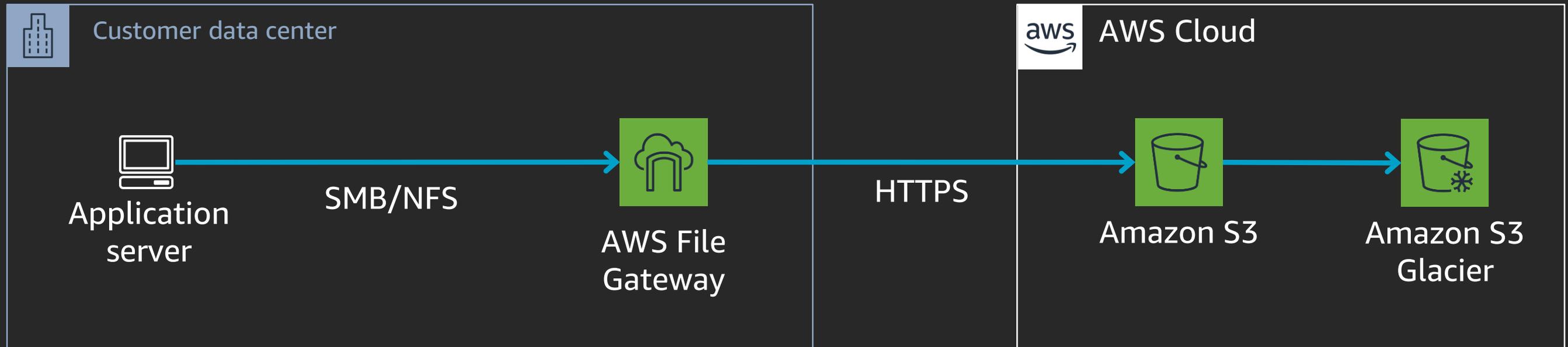
# AWS DataSync usage scenarios

Data transfer → Amazon S3 storage classes

NFS share migration → Amazon EFS

SMB share migration → Amazon FSx for Windows File Server

# What is AWS File Gateway?



- Allows low latency access to hot data via it's local cache, all data is stored Amazon S3
- Utilise a network file system (NFS/SMB) to interface to Amazon S3 storage
- Stores file content and metadata in Amazon S3
- SMB shares can integrate with Microsoft Active Directory

# AWS File Gateway usage scenarios

Migrate file shares → AWS File Gateway + Amazon S3 storage

Transfer data via File share → Amazon S3 storage

Amazon S3 data presented via → File shares

# Tips for accelerating data transfers

**Speed:** Optimal disk cache configuration & network to AWS

**Monitor:** Amazon CloudWatch metrics - CloudBytesUploaded

**Upload status:** Amazon CloudWatch events - NotifyWhenUploaded

# Offline data migration

# AWS Snow Family Portfolio



## AWS Snowball Edge

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### Data transfer & edge compute

- 42/100TB storage capacity (S3)
- 10/25/40GE networking
- Data encryption end-to-end
- Rugged 8.5 G impact case
- Chain of Custody, Tamper Detection
- Rain and dust resistant
- **EC2/AMI support for edge computing**
- **NFSv4 Server**



## AWS Snowmobile

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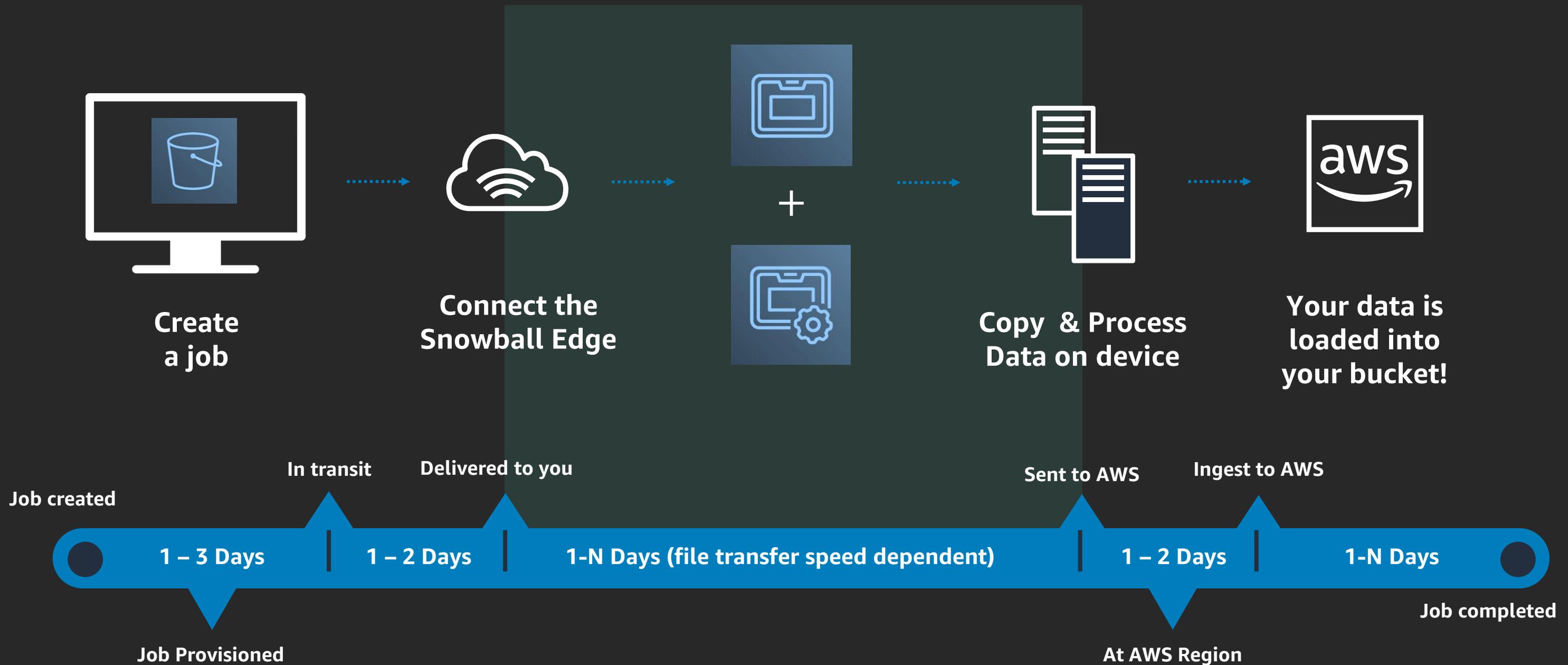
### 20+ PB data transfer

- Exabyte-scale storage in a 45ft container (90PB s3/Glacier/EBS)
- 10/25/40GE networking
- Data encryption end-to-end
- S3/Glacier Data import
- Dedicated security personnel
- GPS tracking, alarm monitoring, 24/7 surveillance, and optional additional security

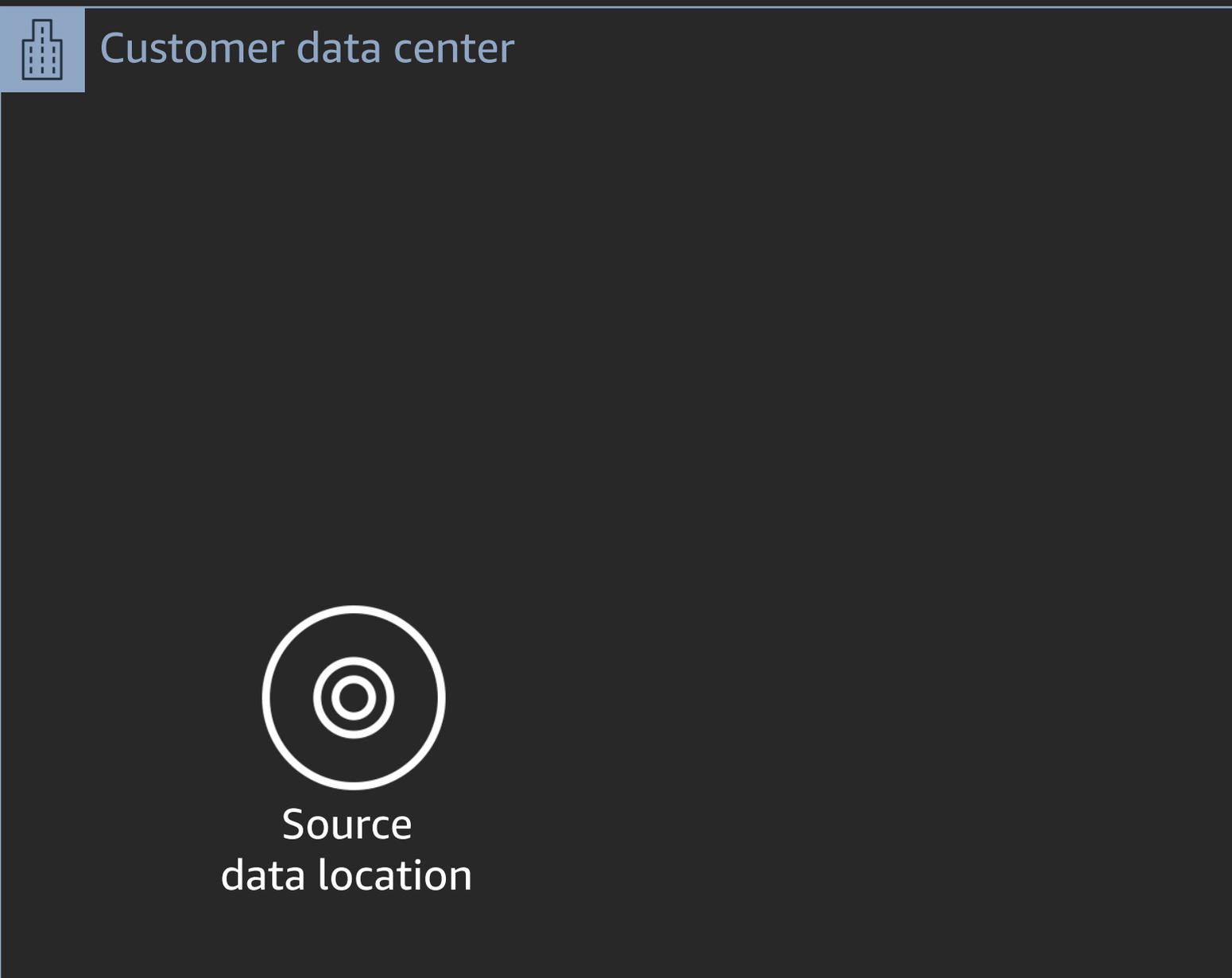
# AWS Snowball Edge usage scenarios

- **Bulk** data transfers - data not required immediately
- **Bulk** data transfers - limited network bandwidth
- **Free up** capacity on maxed-out on-premises storage
- **Compute** or **data transformation** at Edge

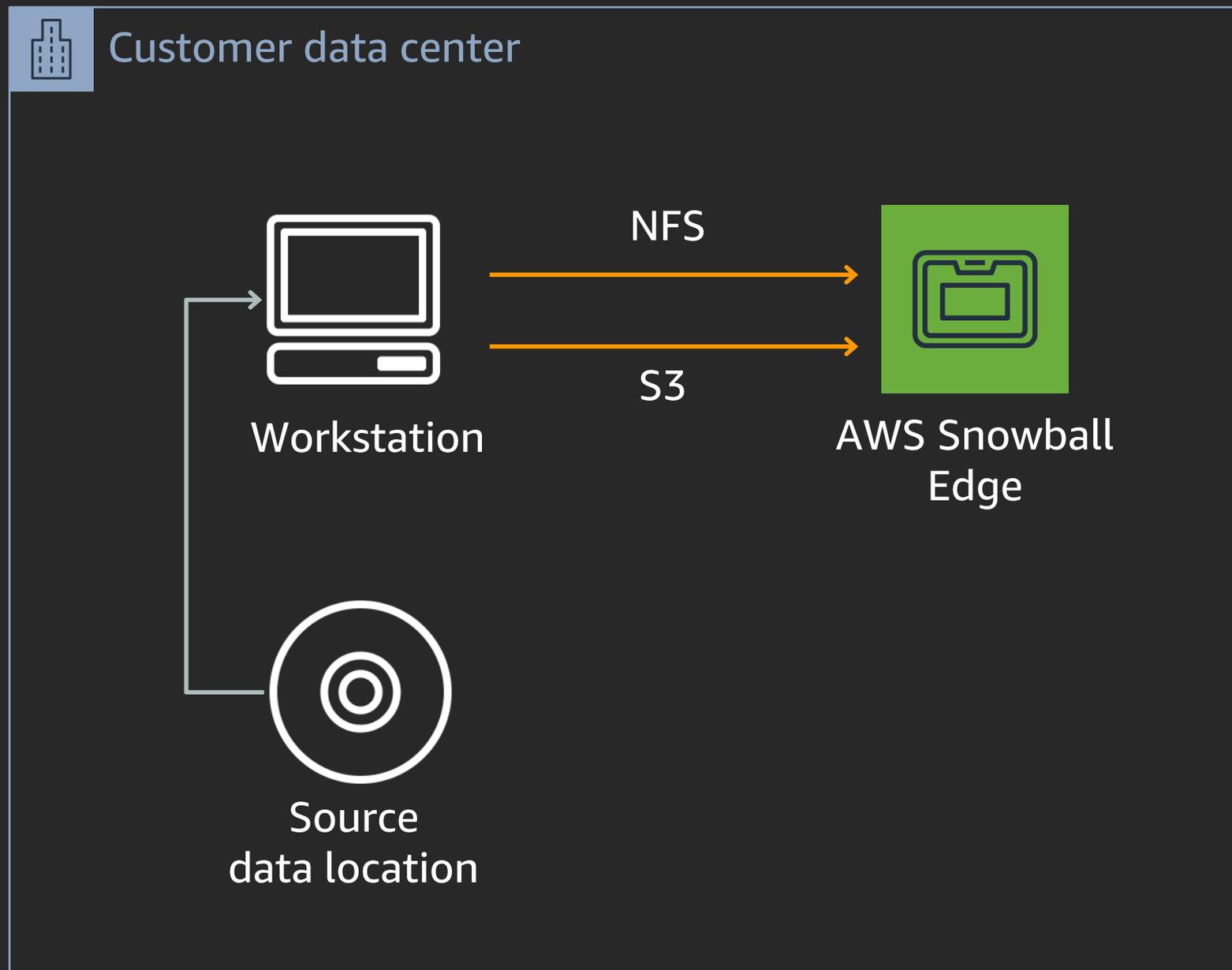
# AWS Snowball Edge import workflow



# Ingesting data into AWS Snowball Edge



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# Tips for accelerating data transfer

Get up and running with [AWS Snowball Edge Data Migration Guide](#)

Define your **tools** and **scripts**

Understand your **dataset** characteristics

**Aggregate** small files into larger files

Utilise **concurrent** transfers sessions

# When to use AWS DataSync

- Migration speed is a priority and network bandwidth is available
- Preserve file metadata and data integrity
- Integrate data transfer into existing workflows

# When to use AWS File Gateway

- Seamlessly migrate data into Amazon S3 using file share interfaces
- Retain low latency access to cached hot-data
- Visibility to data stored in Amazon S3 through a file share

# When to use AWS Snowball Edge

- Limited or no network bandwidth
- Bulk data transfers
- Compute at or data transformation at the edge

# Thank you!