

**BUILDING A SCALABLE** 

## CLINIC MANAGEMENT PLATFORM

USING SERVERLESS FOR A \$ 5B MNC









Alkem Labs is a \$5B South Asian giant specializing in generic and specialty drugs. Spanning across 50+ countries, the company boasts 800+ product portfolio.

Committed to empowering healthcare providers, Alkem envisioned to develop a physician-focused clinic management platform. Opting for an off-the-shelf solution, the company soon encountered a series of challenges.





#### **Difficulty in Data Management**

**Operational Issues** 

Infrastructure
Management was
time-consuming and
expensive.

Inefficient management of large volumes of sensitive patient records led to data security and storage issues. **Data Integration** from various sources (e.g., EHR systems, labs) was complex.

Inefficiency in handling fluctuating patient load during peak hours led to scalability issues.

To address these challenges, Alkem engaged **McKinsey** to identify potential solutions. Based on McKinsey's recommendations, Alkem chose Mantra Labs as its technology partner.



# Mantra's Objective

To overcome the existing challenges, we built the solution from grounds-up.

Through an in-depth analysis of their business and technical needs, we recommended adopting a **serverless architecture** to enhance **scalability** of the platform. This approach was designed to:



### Accelerate Time-to-Market

Reduce development cycles and get the system up and running faster.



### Optimize Costs

Eliminate unnecessary spending on idle resources.



## Enable infinite Scalability

Handle fluctuating workloads with ease, ensuring optimal performance.



### Boost Platform's Extensibility

New business modules can be built as independent functions, easily integrated into the platform.



## Key Prerequisite

**Building a Strong Foundation** 

To establish a robust development environment, a high-efficiency **CI/CD pipeline** was built, supported by reliable version control and project management systems.

**Bitbucket** streamlined code management and seamlessly integrated with Jira for efficient project tracking.

**Jira** served as a project management hub, facilitating agile workflows, issue tracking, and overall project visibility.



# Components & Functionality



### **Serverless Computing**

Serverless Lambda + Layers (Cold Start)

- ✓ Handle dynamic workloads without managing servers.
- Optimize resource allocation, reduce operational overhead, and scale seamlessly based on demand.

#### Serverless Lambda + Layers (Hot Start)

- $\bigvee$  Immediate execution of functions without startup delays.
- Eliminate cold start delays, ensure consistent performance, and enhance responsiveness for time-sensitive applications.



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## API Management and Security

#### **API Gateway Rest (Authorization)**

- Secure exposure and management of REST APIs.
- ☑ Enable controlled access, integrate effective authorization mechanisms, and ensure API security and compliance.



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### Database And Data Management

#### Postgres RDS Cluster (Master Configuration)

- High availability and scalability of relational databases.
- Ensure robust data management, support scalable operations, and facilitate seamless failover for reliability.

#### DynamoDB (NoSQL)

- Flexible and scalable storage of unstructured data like abhalogs, reports, WhatsApp chats etc.
- Support high-performance queries, scale seamlessly, and ensure efficient storage and retrieval of diverse data types.



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# Infrastructure as Code (IaC) and Deployment Automation

#### Cloudformation + SAM template

- Implement Infrastructure as Code (IaC) for managing AWS resources.
- Ensure consistency in resource deployment, simplify management, and enhance scalability and reliability.

#### Codepipeline + Codebuild + Code Deploy

- Automate build, test, and deployment processes.
- Enable continuous integration and delivery (CI/CD), ensuring efficient and reliable deployment with minimal downtime.



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### **Messaging & Notification**

#### **Amazon SNS**

- Subscribe to SQS queues and send email notifications
- Facilitate real-time communication and event-driven notifications, enhance responsiveness and user engagement.

#### **Amazon SQS**

Reliable message queuing system used for scheduling SMS (with Kaleria), Appointments schedules, etc.

#### Kaleria SMS

Send transactional notifications via SMS.



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# Application Integration and Optimization

#### **Amazon Lex**

Integrate chatbot capabilities with WhatsApp.

#### Cloudfront for media caching

- Caching media content and accelerate application delivery.
- Integrate with Amazon S3.



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### Security and Access Management

#### Secrets Manager

Manage and rotate sensitive credentials like DB credentials, configurations etc.

### **Testing and Quality Assurance**

#### **Device Farm**

- ▼ Test mobile applications across real devices.
- Ensure compatibility and performance across various platforms, enhance application quality and user experience.





#### **Technical Outcome**

Overall delivery time reduced by **29**%.

**New business modules** can be effortlessly

integrated and scaled on the platform.

#### **Business Outcome**

Website handles over **100K+ appointments** a month.

Trusted by **Apollo Group** that runs over **300+** clinics and India's leading hospital- **Breach Candy Hospitals** amongst others.

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