# Cloud FinOps in 5 Minutes



### Public Cloud Challenges

#### Cloud Growth & Wastage



- ► Growth Forecast 80%
- ▶ Wastage is ~30% of the spend

### **Dynamic Spend**

	Cost	Procure Hardware/ software
Traditional Data center	Fixed	Months
Public Cloud	Variable	Immediate

Spend can go \$0-\$100K in few days

### **Accountability**

- Finance and Engineering teams don't understand each other's world
- Hence, spend accountability is a gray area

## Solution?

Cloud FinOps



# What is Cloud FinOps?

It is a framework to manage & optimize cloud spend

It is a continuous process like business operations



### FinOps Team

 A centralized team takes accountability of spend

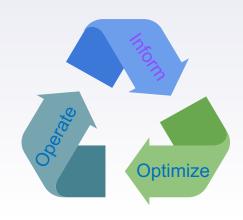
 Works with finance & engineering teams to manage & Optimize spend



### Operating Model

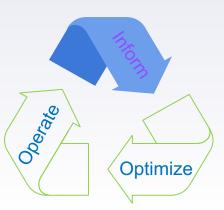
### FinOps is operated across three phases

- Inform
  - Understand your bills
  - Who & what are driving these
- Optimize
  - Identify cost avoidance levers & set goals to optimize the spend
- Operate
  - Plan and execute Inform & Optimize tasks



# INFORM Understand your Bills

- Provide Visibility
  - Build Custom reports & dashboard like tagging report



- Build Show/Charge Back Model
  - Show Back: Bills are paid by one department
  - Charge Back: Bills are paid by one department &
     Internally charged to others

# Optimize Goals and Strategies



#### **Cost Avoidance Levers**

- Terminating an instance
- Delete unattached
   Volumes

#### **Cost Savings**

- Purchase RI to reduce instance cost
- Sign up enterprise agreement for discounts on total bill

#### **Cost Optimization**

- Set the goals for your spend
- Develop and measure OKR

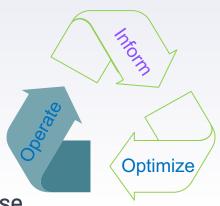
# Operate Planning and execution

### Execution

- Execute the tasks set in Inform and Optimize phase
  - e.g. "Create custom reports or alerts" for Inform phase
  - e.g. "Delete older snap shots" for Optimize phase

### Onboarding

- Define account onboarding process
- Automate the process from request to provisioning



### Thank You

