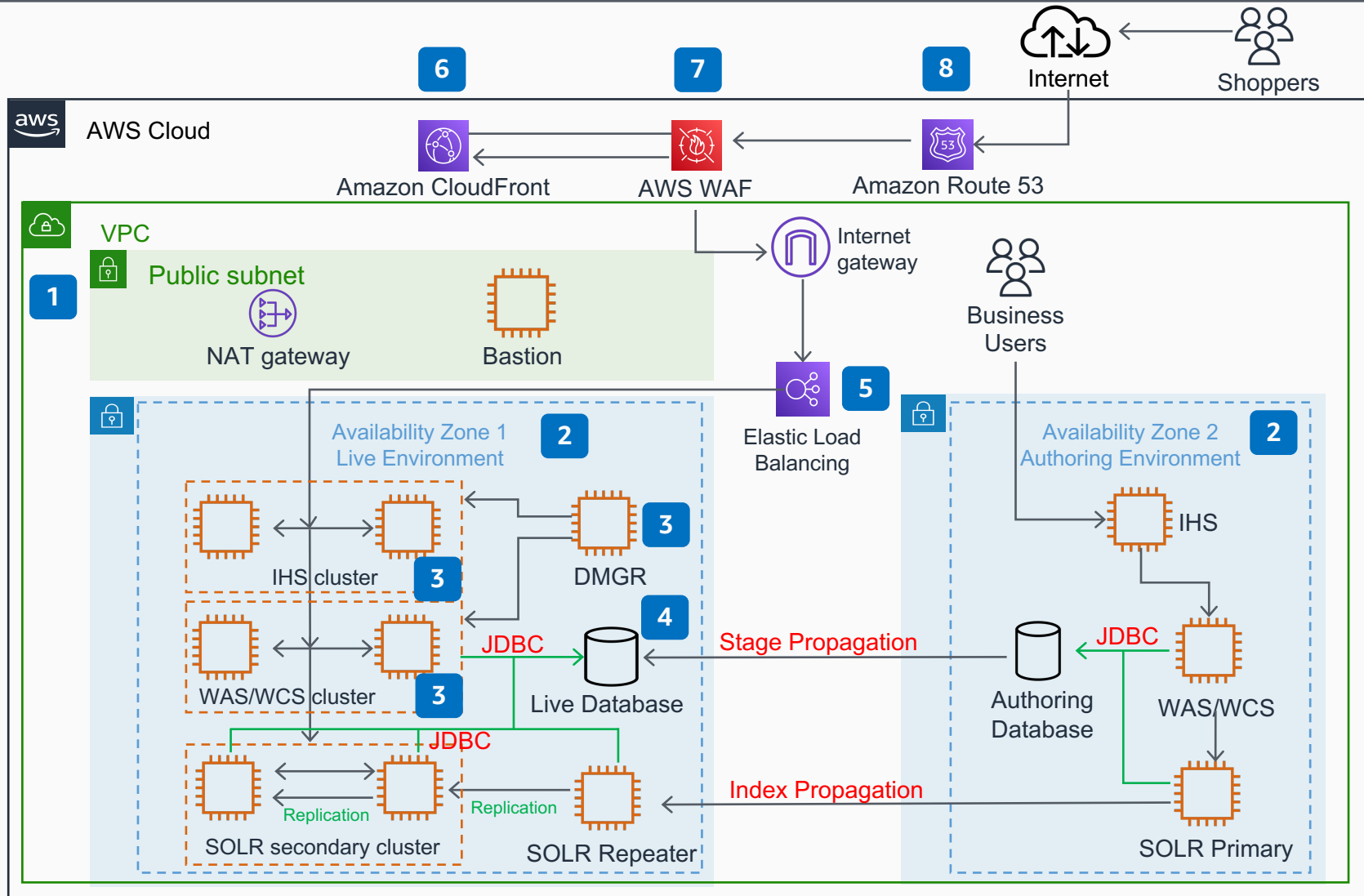


# WebSphere Commerce (WCS) on AWS

Reference architecture for a lift and shift approach to move legacy ecommerce website from on-premises to AWS, allowing for unlimited resources to scale your ecommerce website when you need it. For more details, see [Three Steps for Modernizing Your DTC Ecommerce Website](#).



- 1** Single AWS Region and single **Amazon Virtual Private Cloud (Amazon VPC)** provide similar architecture as an on-premise data center setup.
- 2** Multiple Availability Zones provide resilience and separate authoring workload from live.
- 3** Out-of-the-box WebSphere Commerce clusters are set up to provide high availability and instance management via DMGR (deployment manager).
- 4** Use an [AWS partner solution to run production workload on Oracle RAC](#) or [Create highly available IBM Db2 databases in AWS](#).
- 5** Elastic Load Balancing distributes network traffic to improve the scalability and availability of your applications across multiple instances.
- 6** **Amazon CloudFront** provides a highly secure and programmable content delivery network (CDN).
- 7** **AWS WAF** is the web application firewall that protects the ecommerce website against common web exploits.
- 8** **Amazon Route 53** provides DNS configuration.



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