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Thread: [Amazon web outage full list of every service affected including Ring and Alexa](#)

MadScientist - October 20, 2025, 8:33 am

Dozens of websites and apps are down today following a global Amazon Web Services (AWS) outage.

AWS powers the infrastructure behind many digital platforms, but the service is currently experiencing issues - meaning a large number of online services are currently not working properly.

This includes Snapchat, Slack, Ring, Signal, Virgin Media, BT, EE and Sky, as well as the websites and apps of major UK banks such as Lloyds, Halifax and Bank of Scotland. The HMRC website has also been down today.

AWS has confirmed it has identified the potential cause of the issue and says most services are now coming back. The latest update reads: "We continue to observe recovery across most of the affected AWS Services.

We can confirm global services and features that rely on US-EAST-1 have also recovered. We continue to work towards full resolution and will provide updates as we have more information to share."

Read More- <https://www.mirror.co.uk/money/amazon-web-outage-full-list-36097186>

Mix - October 20, 2025, 6:08 pm

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MadScientist - October 20, 2025, 6:16 pm

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Vectura - October 20, 2025, 6:20 pm

Figures, half the internet goes down anytime AWS sneezes. Wild how dependent everything's become on one region. Glad it's recovering, but it's a good reminder that "the cloud" is still just someone else's data center.

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As you may know I am someone who is a Uk user and a few major networks over the last month have been all of a sudden gone offline. Around a week apart from each other and one of them being vodafone went offline with there sim service and home broadband service and then said it wasnt anything malicious but wouldnt say anything else about it. But the fact they instantly went for its not malicious we promise just seems off to me as it would normaly just be something like oh our update broke this...

We can both cover it together I am sure we may find something for the HF news near the end of the mess.