Lesson 10 Demo 01

Running a Docker Container on an AWS EC2 Instance

Objective: To demonstrate the process of running a Hello World Docker container on an AWS EC2 instance for efficient container deployment

Tools required: AWS Management Console

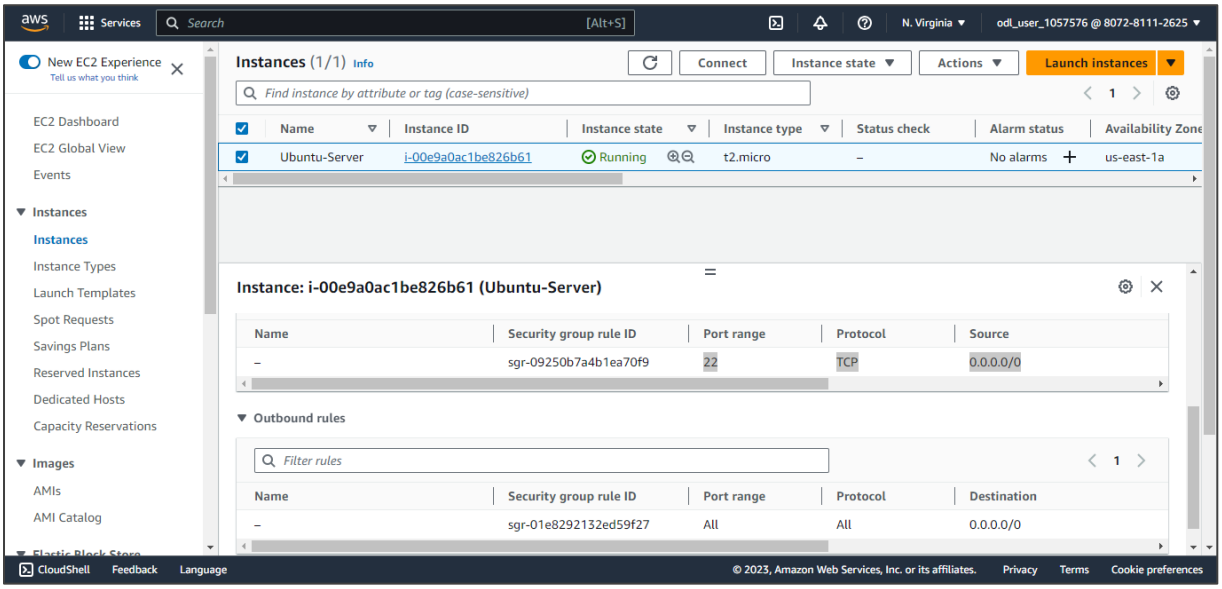
Prerequisites: An EC2 instance with Ubuntu installed

Steps to be followed:

1. Set up an EC2 instance
2. Install the Docker on Ubuntu
3. Run the Hello World container

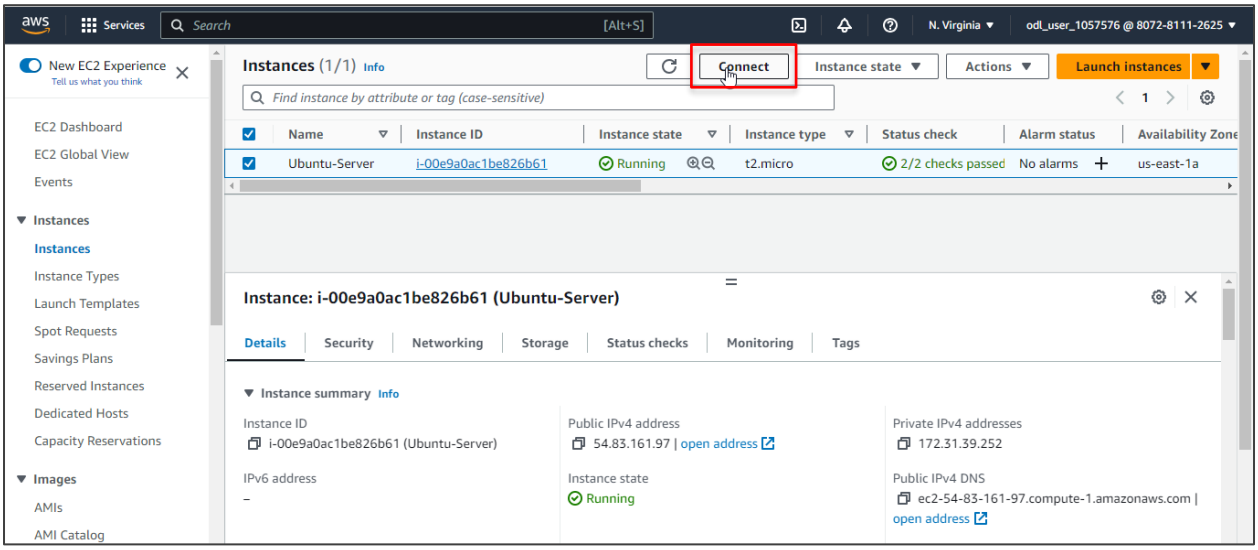
Step 1: Set up an EC2 instance

1.1 Launch a new EC2 instance with Ubuntu as the operating system

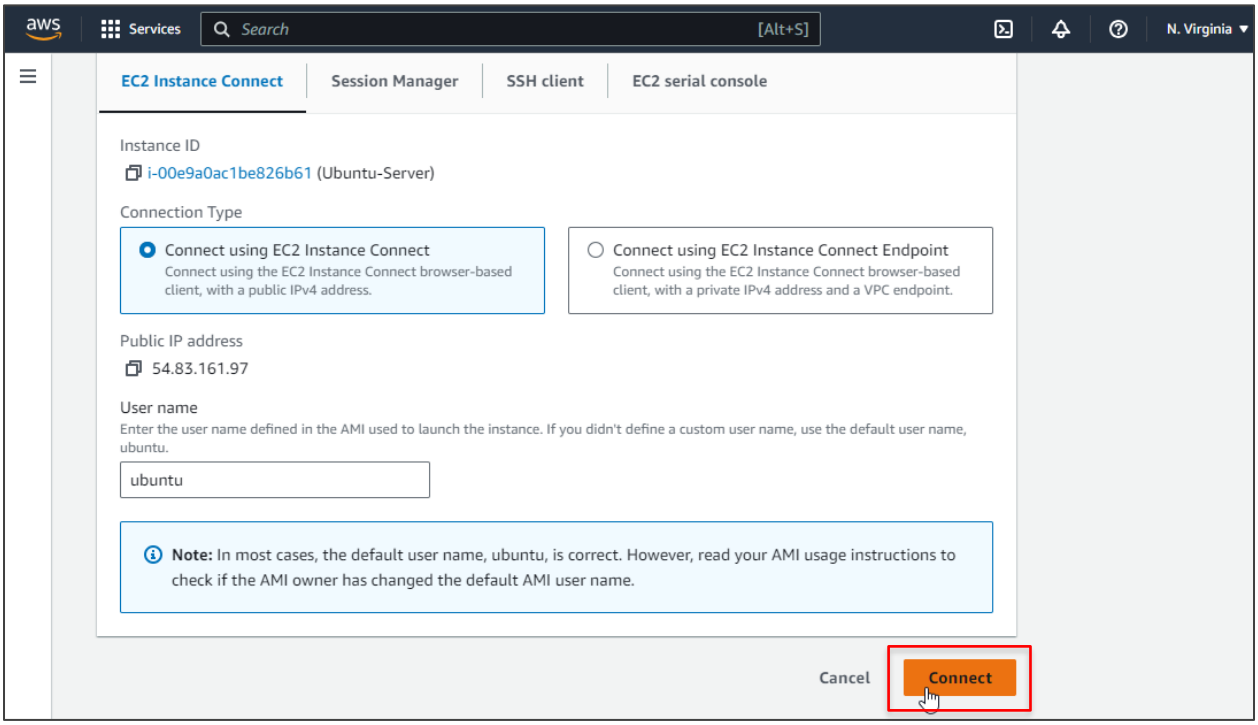


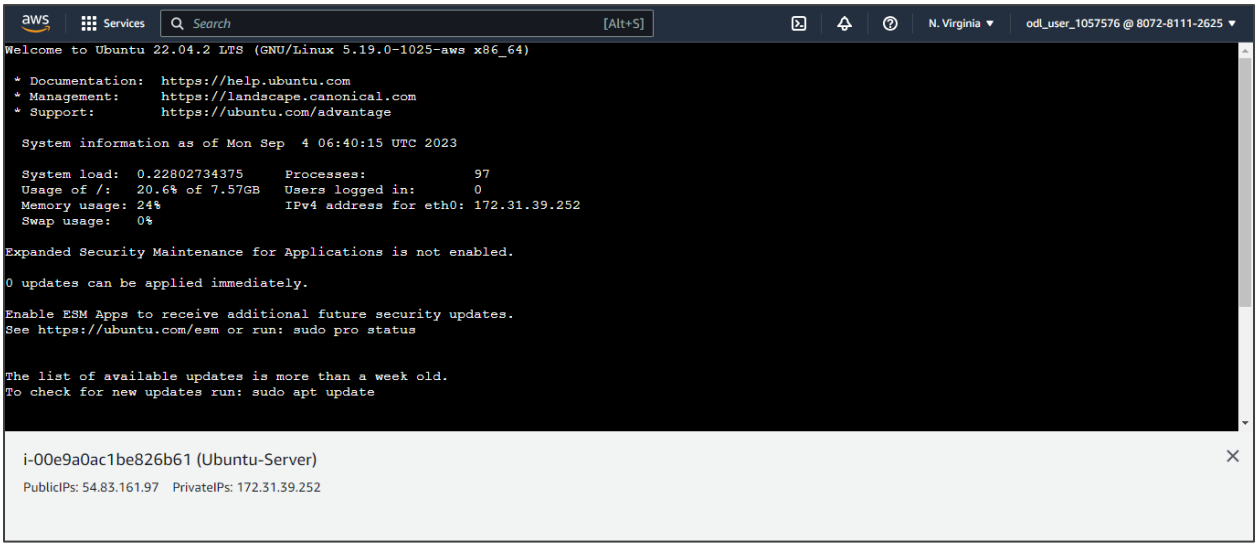
Note: Ensure that you have the necessary security group rules to allow SSH access. Refer to previous lesson demos on how to launch an EC2 instance.

1.2 Select the instance and click **Connect**



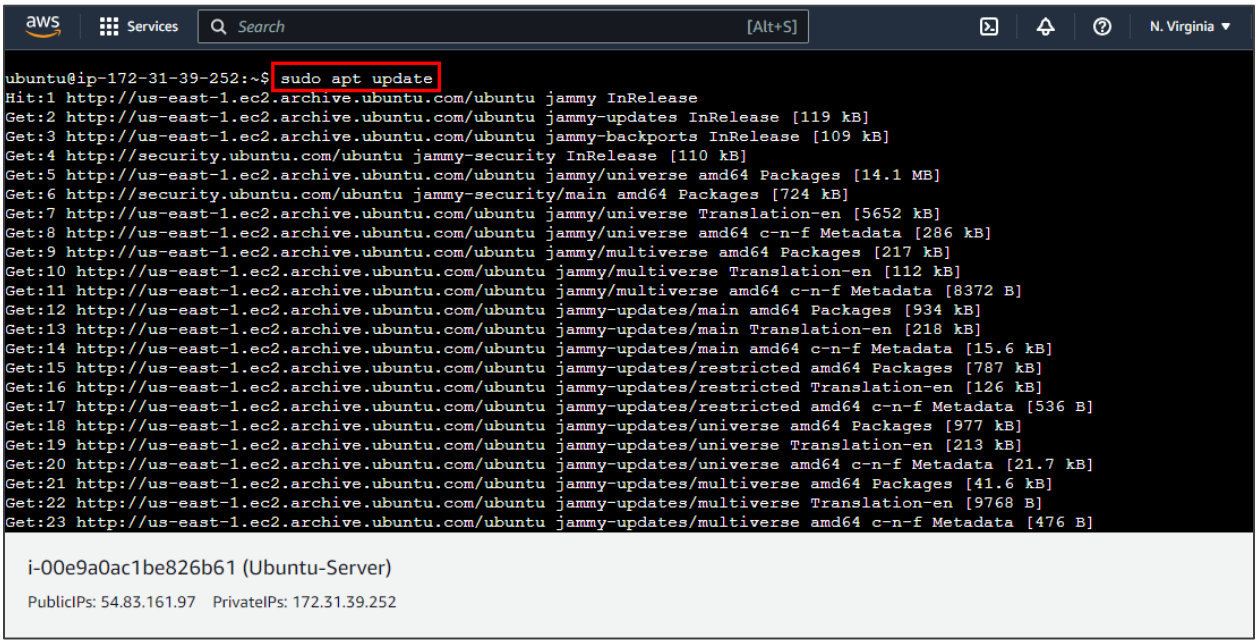
1.3 Click **Connect**



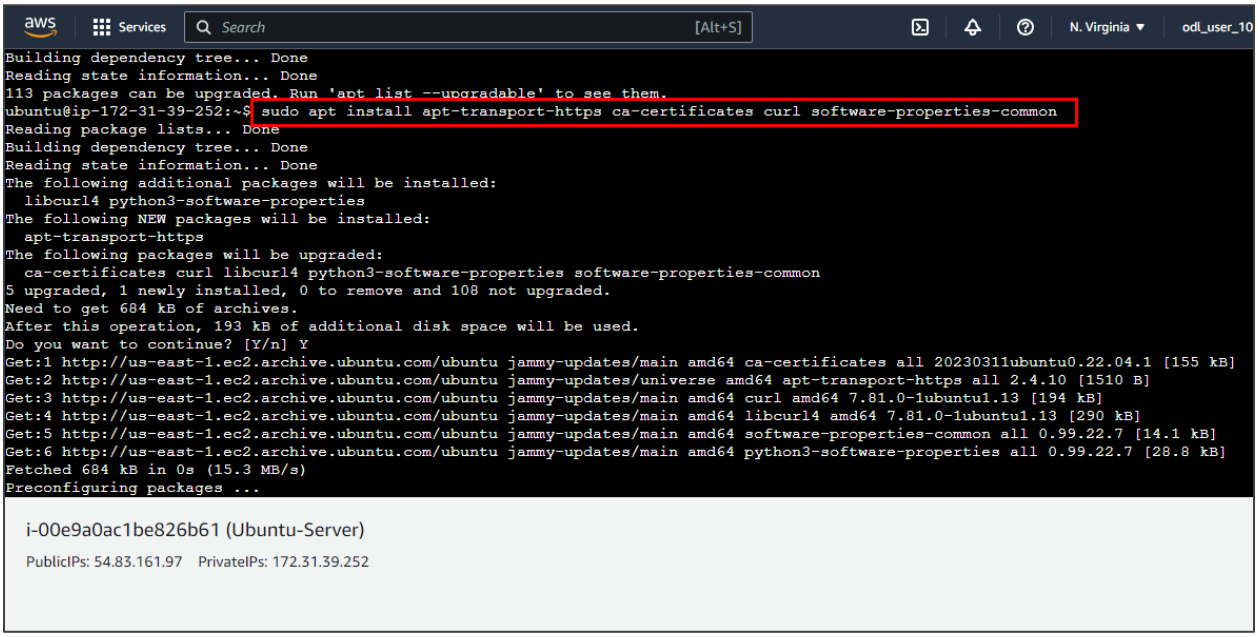


Step 2: Install the Docker on Ubuntu

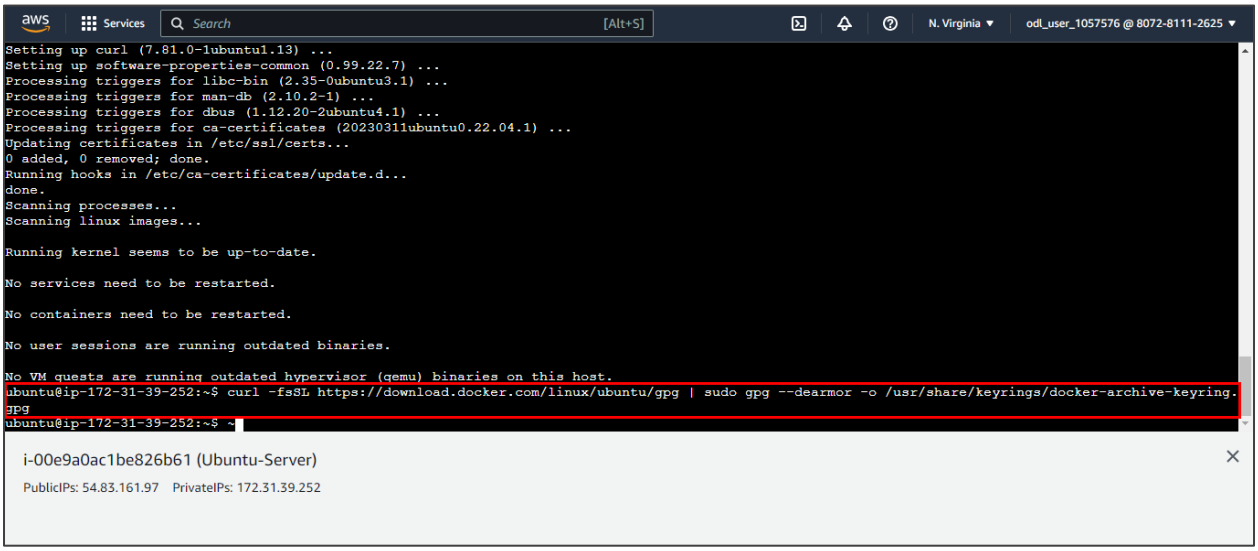
2.1 Run the following command to update the package list:
sudo apt update



2.2 Run the following command to install the necessary dependencies:
sudo apt install apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl software-properties-common

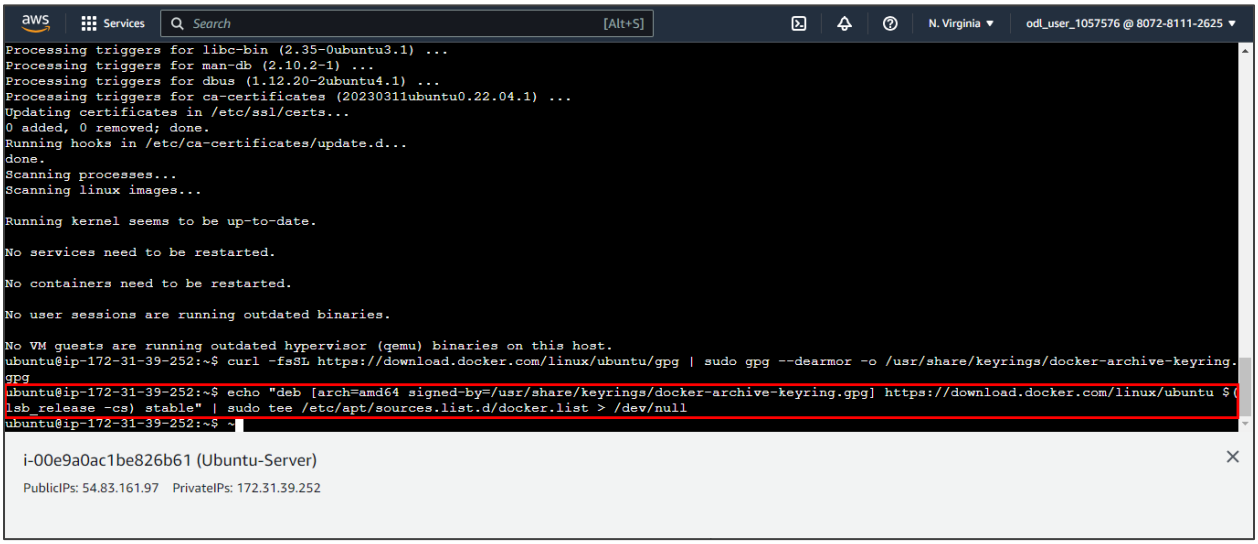


2.3 Run the following command to add the Docker GPG key:
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg



2.4 Run the following command to add the Docker repository:

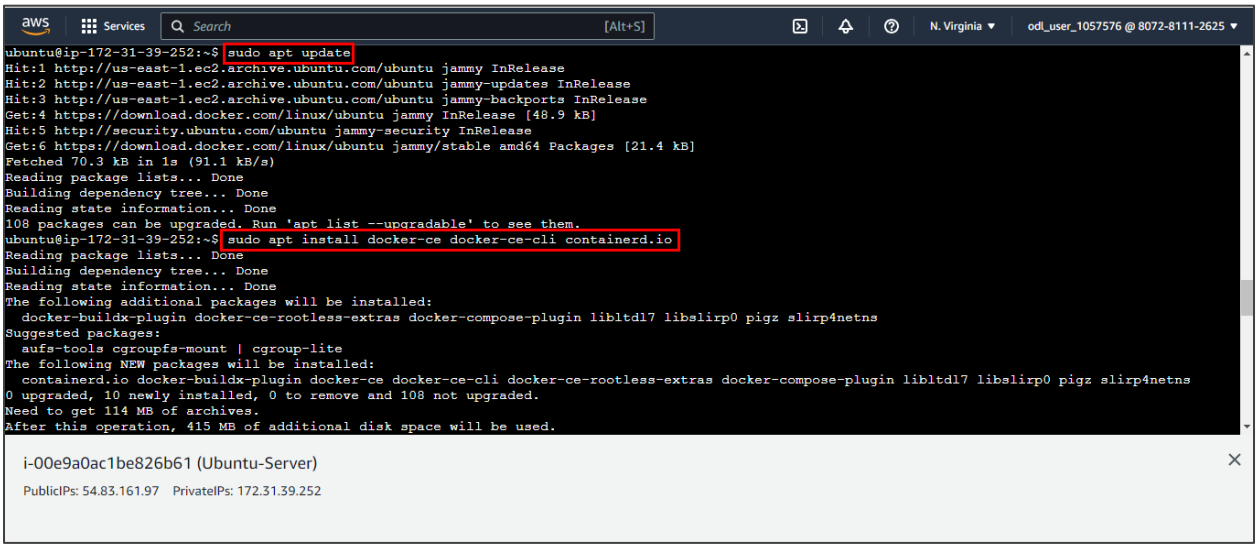
echo "deb [arch=amd64 signed-by=/usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu $(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /dev/null



2.5 Run the following commands to install Docker:

sudo apt update

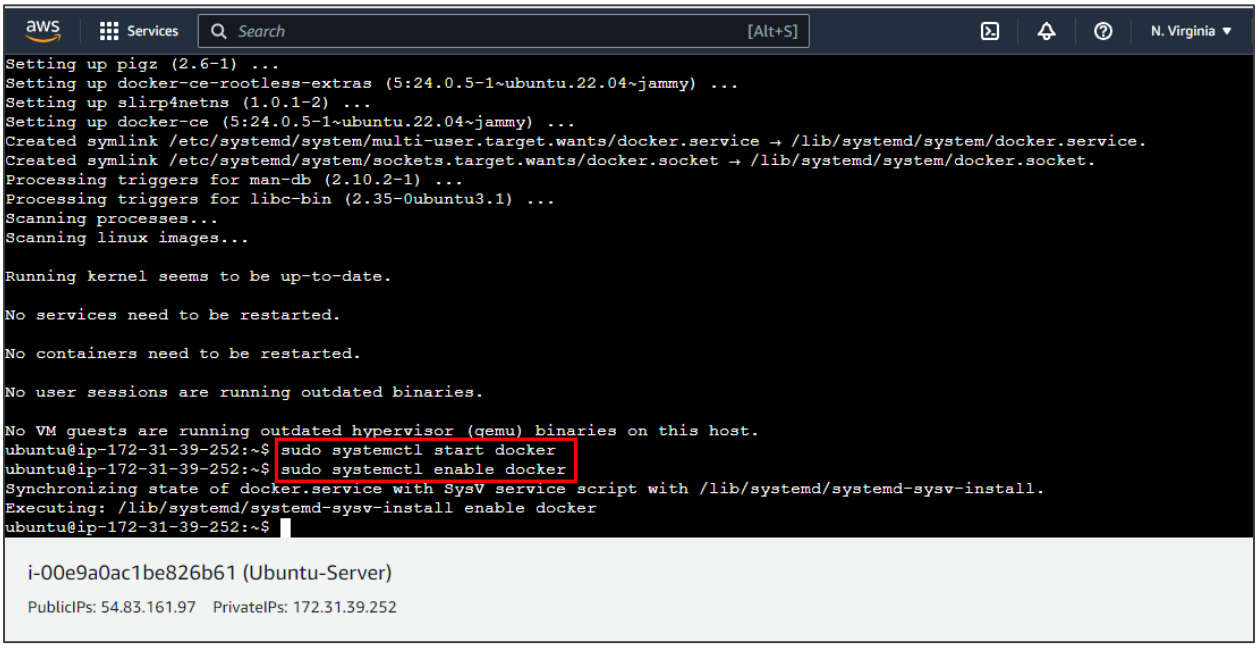
sudo apt install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io



2.6 Run the following commands to start and enable the Docker service:

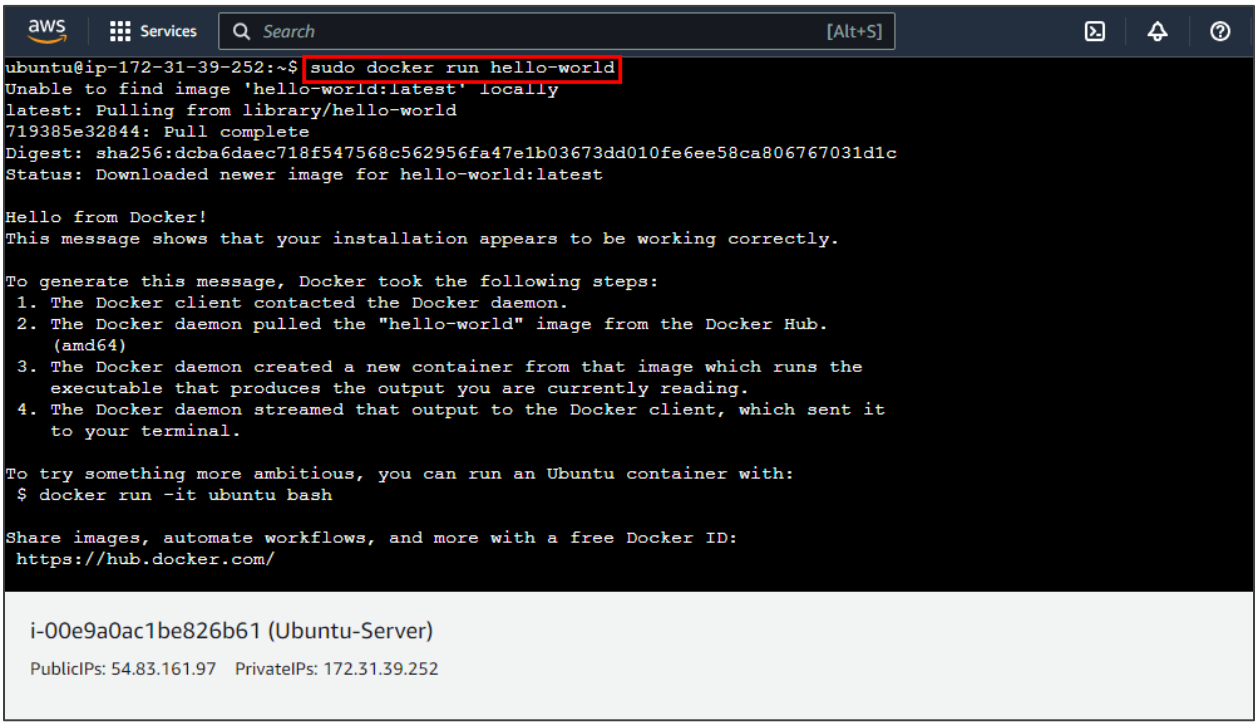
sudo systemctl start docker

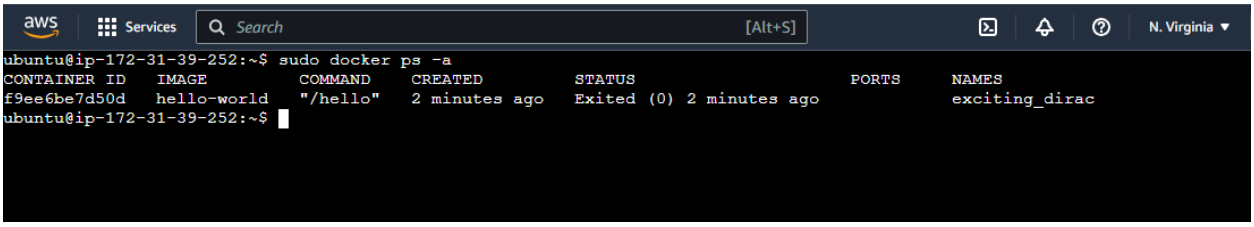
sudo systemctl enable docker



Step 3: Run the Hello World container

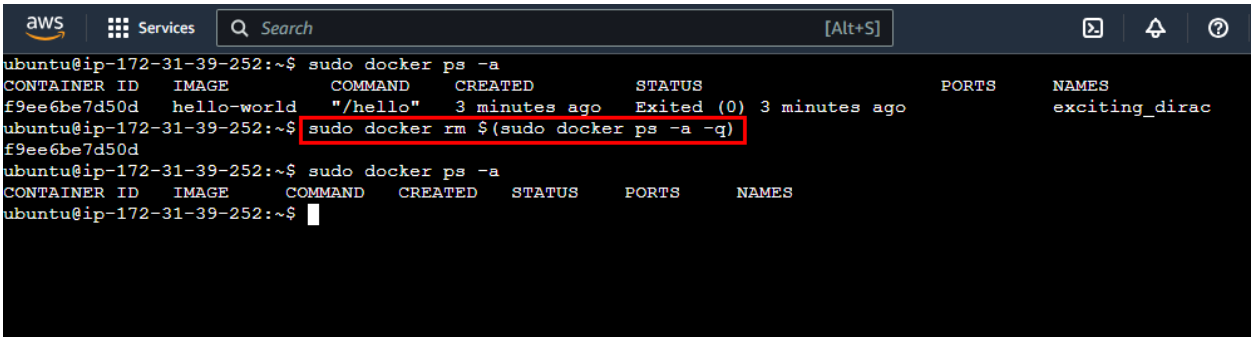
3.1 Run the **Hello World** container using the below command:
sudo docker run hello-world





You will see a message that indicates your installation is working correctly.

3.2 Execute the following command to remove the container:
sudo docker rm $(docker ps -a -q)



By following these steps, you have successfully run a Hello World container on an EC2 instance using Ubuntu and Docker to enhance container deployment efficiency.