

Steps for VPN Project

1. Create VPC (VPC & More)

Name – On-Prem

IPv4 CIDR – 172.16.0.0/16

Available Zone - 1

Public Subnet - 1

Private Subnet - 0

Nat Gateway – none

Create VPC

2. Create an Instance in On-Prem

Name – On-Premises

AMI – Ubuntu

Key pair – Existing

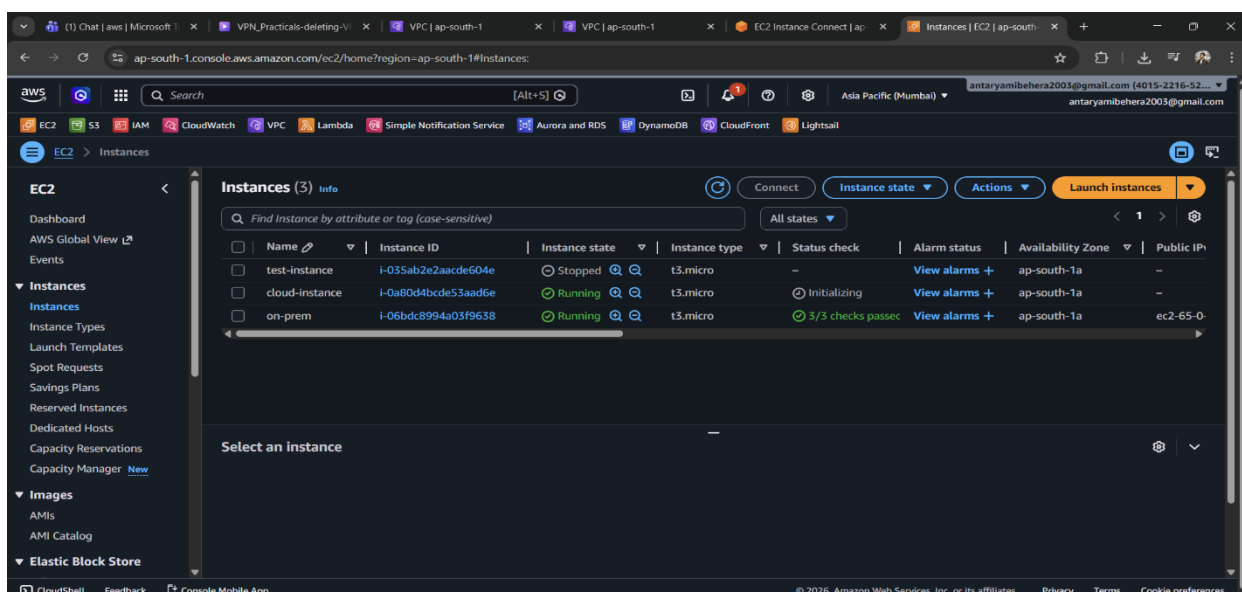
Network settings edits

- VPC – On-Prem
- Public subnet
- Auto assign public IP – Enable

Security Group

- SSH
- ICMP all (custom) (172.16.0.0/16)
- Custom UDP (custom) (172.16.0.0/16) - [500]
- Custom UDP (custom) (172.16.0.0/16) - [4500]

Launch Instance



3. Create Another VPC (VPC & More)

Name – Aws Cloud

CIDR – 10.0.0.0/16

Available zone – 1

Public subnet – 0

Private subnet – 1

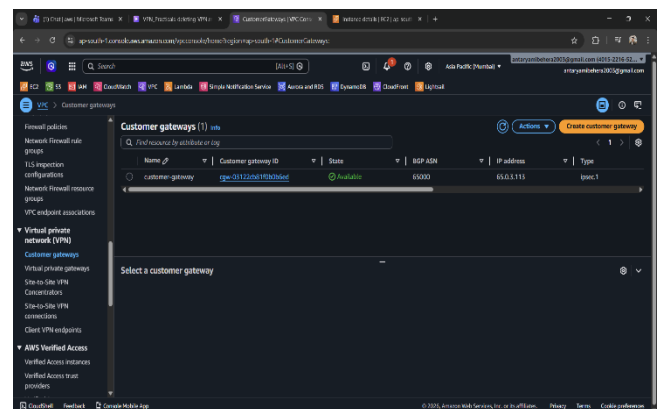
NAT Gateway – none

Create VPC

4. In VPC left-side menu – VPN

- ❖ Customer gateway – Create
Name – customer-gateway
BGD ASN – By default
IP Address – Give the public IP of On-prem (Which Instance have the Customer gate way)

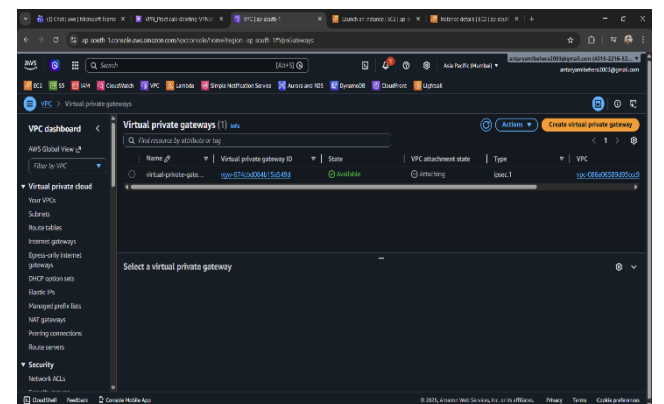
Create Customer gateway



- ❖ Virtual Private Gateway
Name – Virtual-Private-gateway
ASN – Amazon default ASN

Create Virtual Gateway

After available select that GW then in Action – Attach – AWS Cloud VPC



- ❖ Site-to-site Connection

Name – VPN

TGT – Virtual private gateway

Virtual private gateway (Choose) – Virtual-private-gateway

Customer gateway (Choose) – That you created for On-prem

Routing Option – static

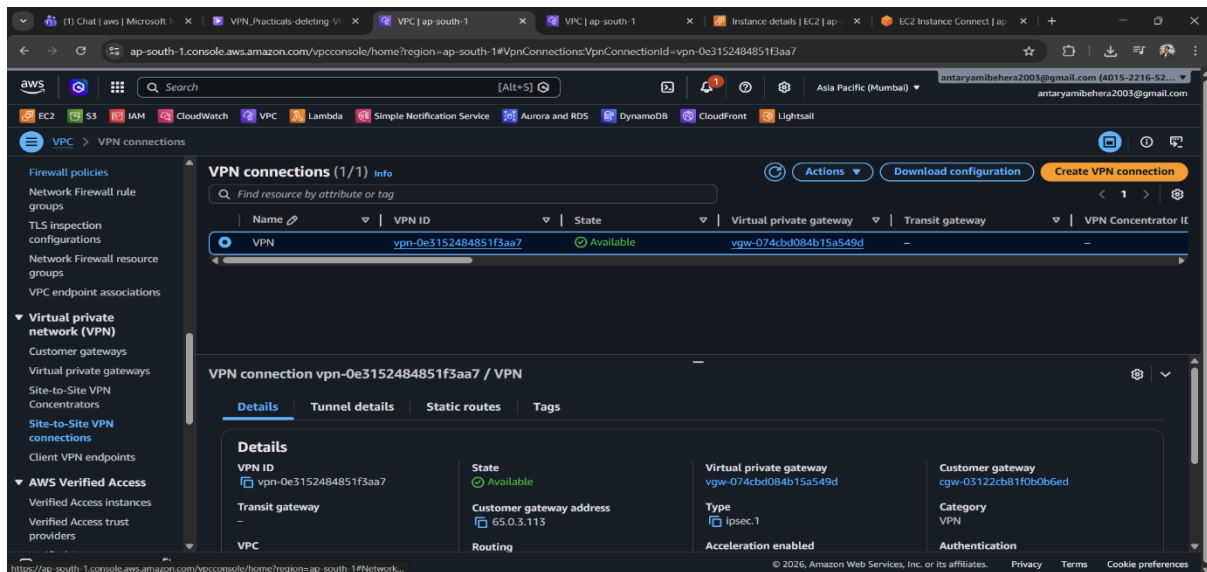
Static IP Prefixes – (On-Prem-Network) That IPv4 CIDR [In VPC you will get]

Pre-Share-key – Standard

Create VPN connection

Download configuration: - Vendor – Strongswan

Remain same – Download



5. In Instance – Connect (On-Prem)

- Sudo apt update
- Sudo apt install strongswan -y
- Ipsec version
- Sudo ipsec status
- Sudo ipsec statusall
- Sudo nano /etc/sysctl.conf
Uncomment – net.ipv4.ip_forward=1 (From configuration document)
[Save & Exit]
- Sudo sysctl -p
- Sudo nano /etc/ipsec.conf
Uncomment – uniqueids = no
{Paste the “conn Tunnel1”}
Uncomment the CIDR line (last line) Paste CIDR of AWS Cloud VPC
[Save & Exit]
- Sudo nano /etc/ipsec.secrets
pre-shared-key (PSK)
{Paste the PSK line – tunnel 1 & tunnel 2}
[Save & Exit]
- Sudo nano /etc/ipsec.d/aws-updown.sh
(Copy the script of document and paste it)
and give 744 permission
(In add_route line paste – src {private IP (on-prem)})
[Save & Exit]
- Sudo su

- echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/ip_forward
[Save & Exit]
- Sudo ipsec restart
- Sudo ipsec status

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1 clear
2 sudo apt update && sudo apt install strongswan -y
3 ipsec version
4 sudo ipsec status
5 sudo ipsec statusall
6 sudo nano /etc/sysctl.conf
7 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.conf
8 sudo sysctl -p
9 sudo nano /etc/sysctl.conf
10 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.conf
11 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.secrets
12 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.d/aws-updown.sh
13 sudo su
14 sudo ipsec restart
15 sudo ipsec status
16 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.d/aws-updown.sh
17 sudo nano demo.pem
18 chmod 400 demo.pem
19 chmod 400 demo.pem
20 ls
21 chmod 400 demo.pem
22 sudo chmod 400 demo.pem
23 ssh -i "demo.pem" ubuntu@10.0.137.124
24 nano test.pem
25 chmod 400 "test.pem"
26 ssh -i "test.pem" ubuntu@10.0.130.78
27 sudo nano /etc/ipsec.secrets
28 ssh -i "test.pem" ubuntu@10.0.130.78

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i-06bdc8994a03f9638 (on-prem)
PublicIPs: 65.0.3.113 PrivateIPs: 172.16.0.112

6. In Rout Table

Private RT – add Inbound rule (172.16.0.0/16) – Private-virtual-gateway
[Save]

7. Create a private instance in AWS Cloud VPC

Only add – SSH – 172.16.0.0/16
– custom ICMP – Ipv4 – 172.16.0.0/16

VPC dashboard

Static

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|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| Local IPv4 network CIDR 0.0.0.0/0 | Remote IPv4 network CIDR 0.0.0.0/0 | Local IPv6 network CIDR - | Remote IPv6 network CIDR - |
| Core network ARN - | Core network attachment ARN - | Gateway association state Associated | Outside IP address type Public IPv4 |
| Secrets management ARN - | Tunnel bandwidth Standard | VPN Concentrator ID - | |

Tunnel details

| Tunnel number | Outside IP address | Inside IPv4 CIDR | Inside IPv6 CIDR | Status | Provisioning status | Last status change |
|---------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------|---------------------|---|
| Tunnel 1 | 3.7.150.177 | 169.254.200.100/30 | - | Up | Available | February 26, 2026, 21:31:31 (UTC+05:30) |
| Tunnel 2 | 13.205.164.75 | 169.254.228.244/30 | - | Up | Available | February 26, 2026, 21:32:21 (UTC+05:30) |

Tunnel 1 options

Tunnel 2 options