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EC2
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- => EC2 means Elastic Compute Cloud
- => It is used to create virtual machines in aws cloud.
- => EC2 is a paid service in aws cloud.
- => EC2 works based on 'Pay as you go' model.
- => Ec2 VMs bill will be generated on hourly basis.
- => Ec2 VM minimum billing period is 1 hour.

9:00 AM --- 9:15 AM ==> 1 hr

9:30 AM -- 9:45 AM ==> 1 hr

Note: For practice purpose AWS provided "t2.micro/t3.micro" instances 1 year free of cost (monthly 750 hours we can use).

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EC2 Usecases :
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- 1) To deploy dynamic web apps
- 2) To setup sonarqube server
- 3) To setup docker server
- 4) to setup Kubernetes cluster
- 5) To setup Jenkins server
- 6) To setup Nexus/Jfrog server

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How to setup EC2 vm
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=> To setup EC2 instance we will use below options in AWS

- 1) AMI
- 2) Instance Type
- 3) Keypair (public key & Private key)
- 4) Network (VPC)
- 5) Security Group (inbound & outbound)
- 6) Storage (EBS)

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What is AMI
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=> AMI stands for Amazon machine image.

=> An AMI is a template that contains the software configuration (operating system, application server, and applications) required to launch your instance.

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EC2 Instance Types

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=> Amazon EC2 (Elastic Compute Cloud) offers a variety of instance types to suit different use cases.

1) General Purpose

- T series : t2, t3, t4...

2) Compute Optimized (High-performance processors)

- C series: c7gm c6i, c6g, c5, c5a

3) Memory Optimized (High memory capacity)

- R series : r6g, r5, r5a, r5n

4) Storage Optimized (High-performance local storage using NVMe, SSDs or HDDs)

- I series : i4i, i3, i3en

5) Accelerated Computing (Powerful GPU and FPGA accelerators)

- G series : g5, g4ad, g4dn

6) High Performance Computing (HPC) (massive computational power & latest-generation processors)

- H series

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Key Pair

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=> In AWS, a Key Pair is a set of security credentials used to securely connect to EC2 instances.

=> It consists of two parts:

- 1) public key : Stored in AWS and attached to the EC2 instance.
- 2) private key : Kept by the user and used to connect to the instance.

Note-1: When we are connecting with EC2 instance, private key and public key handshake will happen. If handshake is successful then only we can connect with that EC2 machine.

Note-2: One key pair we can use to launch multiple EC2 instances.

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What is VPC in EC2

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=> VPC stands for Virtual Private Cloud.

=> VPC provides network required to launch our ec2 instance.

Note: To encourage beginners, AWS provided Default VPC to launch EC2 instances.

Note: Based on requirement, we can create custom VPC and we can use custom vpc to launch Ec2 instances.

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Security Groups
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=> A Security Group (SG) in AWS acts as a virtual firewall that controls inbound and outbound traffic for EC2 instances.

=> In Security Group we can define 2 types of rules

- 1) inbound rule : Control Traffic coming into the instance
- 2) outbound rule : Control traffic going out from instance.

=> Below PORTs we are going to enable in Security Group based on requirement

SSH :: 22
RDP :: 3389
HTTP :: 80
MySQL :: 3306
Custom TCP :: 8080 or 9090 or 9091

Note: One Security Group we can use to launch multiple EC2 instances.

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What is EBS
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=> EBS stands for Elastic Block Store

=> It is block level storage device (Hard Disc / SSD)

=> For EC2 instances storage will be provided by EBS.

Note: EBS volume can have upto 16 TB (16000 GB)

=> For Linux VM, we will get 8 GB as default volume size.

=> For windows VM, we will get 30 GB as default volume size.

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What is Load Balancer
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=> When we run our application in single server then we have to face below challenges

- 1) One server should handle all reqs
- 2) Burden will increase on server

- 3) Response will be delayed for clients
- 4) Server can crash
- 5) Single Point Of Failure
- 6) Business Loss

=> To avoid above problems, we will run our application using "Load Balancer".

=> Load Balancer is used to distribute load to multiple servers in round robin fashion.

=> We have below advantages with Load Balancer

- 1) App will run in multiple servers
- 2) Load will be distributed
- 3) Burden will be reduced on servers
- 4) Fast Performance
- 5) High Availability

=> We have 4 types of load balancers in aws

- 1) Application Load balancer (ALB)
- 2) Network Load balancer (NLB)
- 3) Gateway load balancer (GLB)
- 4) Classic load balancer (previous generation)

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Load Balancer Lab Task
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Step-1 :: Create EC2 Linux VM-1 with below user data

```
#!/bin/bash
sudo su
yum install httpd -y
cd /var/www/html
echo "<html><h1>Life Insurance Server - 1</h1></html>" > index.html
service httpd start
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Step-2 :: Create EC2 Linux VM-2 with below user data

```
#!/bin/bash
sudo su
yum install httpd -y
cd /var/www/html
echo "<html><h1>Life Insurance Server - 2</h1></html>" > index.html
service httpd start
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Step-3 :: Add these 2 instances to one "Target Group"

Step-4 :: Create Load Balancer with Target Group (ALB)

Step-5 :: Access our application using ALB DNS URL

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Auto Scaling

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- => It is used to adjust the capacity required to handle the load of our application.
- => If requests are increasing then servers should be increased and if requests are decreasing then servers should be reduced.
- => If we use Auto scaling then it will increase or decrease the no.of servers based on incoming traffic.
- => We have below advantages with Auto Scaling

- 1) Better Cost Management
- 2) Fault Tolerance
- 3) High Availability

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Types of IP's in AWS Cloud

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- => We have 3 types of IP's in AWS cloud

- 1) private ip
- 2) public ip
- 3) elastic ip

- => Private IP is a fixed IP in AWS. It is used for internal communication (With in VPC).
- => Even if we restart the EC2 instance, private IP will not change.
- => public ip is a dynamic IP in aws. It is used to connect with EC2 VM from outside.
- => When we restart our EC2 instance then public ip gets changed.
- => If we want fixed public ip then we need to use Elastic IP.
- => Elastic IPs are commercial (bill will be generated).