Checklist: Launching your Drupal Instance in the Cloud

This checklist describes the steps that need to be taken to launch a server running the Drupal content management server on the NeCTAR cloud

	Bring up the launch instance dialogue:
☐	In a web browser navigate to the Dashboard home (https://dashboard.rc.nectar.org.au)
☐	Select the "Images" menu item (https://dashboard.rc.nectar.org.au/project/images/)
☐	Select the "Public" filter
☐	Find the image named "**res_os_drupal7**"
☐	Press the "Launch Instance" button next to it
☐	A dialogue titled "Launch Instance" is shown

	Go to the "Details" tab:
☐	Enter a meaningful name in the Instance Name field, e.g.: "DrupalCMS"
	The name you entered was:
☐	The Flavor is:
☐	The Instance Count is:
☐	The Instance Boot Source is:
☐	The Image Name is:
☐	**Go to the "Access & Security" tab:**
☐	Select a key pair to ssh into this instance with (the one you have just created would be good)
	The key pair you selected was:
☐	Selected appropriate security groups for this instance (must allow ingress on ports 80 and 22 – the one you have just created would be good)
	The security group(s) you selected were:
☐	**Go to the "Availability Zone" tab:**
☐	The default Availability Zone option of **(Any availability zone)** is selected
☐	**Create your computer on the cloud:**
☐	Press the "Launch" button...

Once launched (Status is **Active**), click on the instance name and confirm:

	On the Instances "Overview" tab:
☐	The values selected in launching the instance above match the values displayed...
☐	The IP address for the instance is:

Build a url to place in your browser by prepending "http://" to the IP address

	URL works:
☐	When visiting the constructed URL (along the lines of "http://144.6.255.198") a web page opens in your browser, and shows a photograph of the Research Kat.

Congratulations! You have just spun a highly powered content management system. The world awaits your Kitten research.