



# Hands-on Lab : Getting Started with Watson Studio

**Estimated time needed:** 20 minutes

IBM Watson Studio provides you with the environment and tools to solve problems by collaboratively working with data. You can choose the tools you need to analyze and visualize data, to cleanse and shape data, to ingest streaming data, or to create and train machine learning models.

## Pre-requisite

You need an IBM Cloud account to create a project in Watson Studio. If you don't have an account created already, click and open this [link](#) and follow the instructions, to create an IBM Cloud account.

## Objectives

After completing this lab, you will be able to:

- Use Watson Studio service
- Create project in Watson Studio
- Add an interactive python notebook to a project in Watson Studio

## Exercise 1: Exercise - Create a project on Watson Studio

*If you have not created a Watson service before proceed with Task 1, otherwise go to Task 2*

### Task 1: For New Users (with no Watson service):

1. [Click here](#) to go to the IBM Cloud Watson Studio page. To create a Watson service, choose a plan you want to use, click **Create**. In the image below, the *Lite* plan has been chosen.

IBM Cloud

Search resources and offerings...

Catalog Docs Support Manage

Lavanya Sunde...

Catalog / Services /

Watson Studio

Author: IBM • Date of last update: 12/06/2020 • Docs

Create

About

Select a region

Select a region

Dallas

Select a pricing plan

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Plan	Features	Pricing
Lite	<div>1 authorized user</div> <div>50 capacity unit-hours monthly limit</div> <div>Environment = # of capacity units required per hour</div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 vCPU + 4 GB RAM = 0.5</li><li>• 2 vCPU + 8 GB RAM = 1</li><li>• 4 vCPU + 16 GB RAM = 2</li></ul> <div>Decision Optimization = Environment + 5</div>	Free

The Lite plan for Watson Studio offers everything you need to become a better data scientist or domain expert in a collaborative environment.

Lite plan services are deleted after 30 days of inactivity.

Summary

Watson Studio

Free

Region: Dallas

Plan: Lite

Service name: Watson Studio-qo

Resource group: Default

Create

Add to estimate

View terms

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2. On the Watson Studio page, click on **Get Started**.

IBM Cloud

Search resources and offerings...

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Support

Manage

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Resource list /

Watson Studio-xs

Active


Add tags

Details

Actions...

Manage

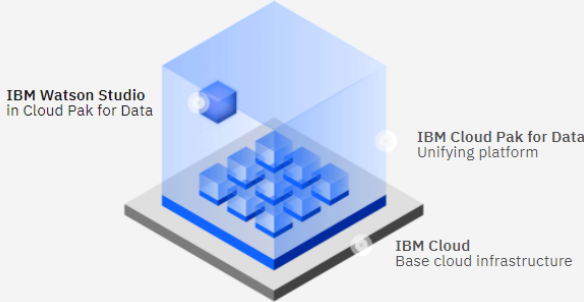
Plan



### Watson Studio in Cloud Pak for Data

Watson Studio is one of the core services in Cloud Pak for Data as a Service. Build, deploy and manage AI models, and optimize decisions on IBM Cloud Pak for Data.

Launch in IBM Cloud Pak for Data



IBM Watson Studio is part of IBM Cloud Pak for Data and serves as the data science capability of the data fabric architecture.

Helpful links

#### Documentation

Learn about tools, features, and how to perform a wide variety of Data and AI tasks.

#### Learning path

Start a step-by-step tutorial to get up and running quickly.

#### Videos

Watch videos to learn about Watson Studio and Cloud Pak for Data as a Service.

Task 2: For Existing Users (who already have Watson Service):

1. Go to the IBM Cloud Dashboard and click Services.

IBM Cloud

Search resources and offerings...

Q

Catalog

Docs

Support

Manage

Lavanya Sunde...

Dashboard

Upgrade account

Create resource

Resource summary

6

Resources

Services

Storage


5

1

View all (2)...

Planned maintenance

View all



Clear skies!  
You can view your scheduled maintenance events here.

For you

Get started with using AI and Cloud Object Storage in 15 minutes.

Get Started with Watson Studio

Watson Assistant lets you build conversational interfaces into any application, device, or channel.

Use Watson Assistant

Refresh

News

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Coca-Cola European Partners Signs a Multiyear Agreement with IBM to Accelerate its Strategic Transformation Journey with...

Daimler Expands Relationship with IBM; Adopts IBM public cloud for its security capabilities

Wipro and IBM Collaborate to Help Clients

Recent support cases

View all



User access


Manage users

Enter email addresses below to jump directly into the invite user setup:

Enter up to 100 email addresses

IBM Cloud status

View all



2. When you click on Services, all your existing services will be shown in the list. Click the Watson Studio service you created:

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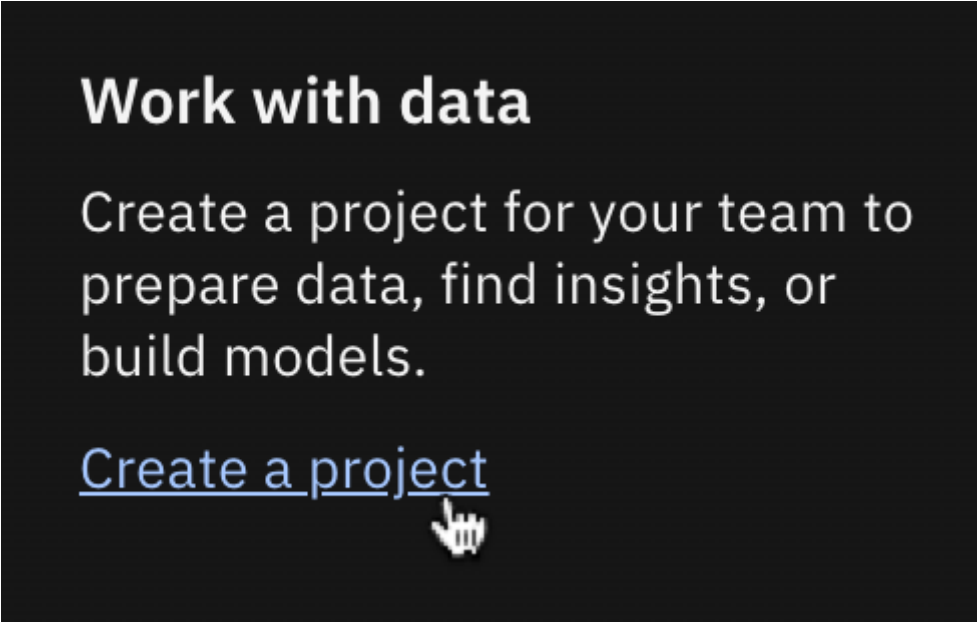
3. On the Watson Studio page, click on **Get Started**.

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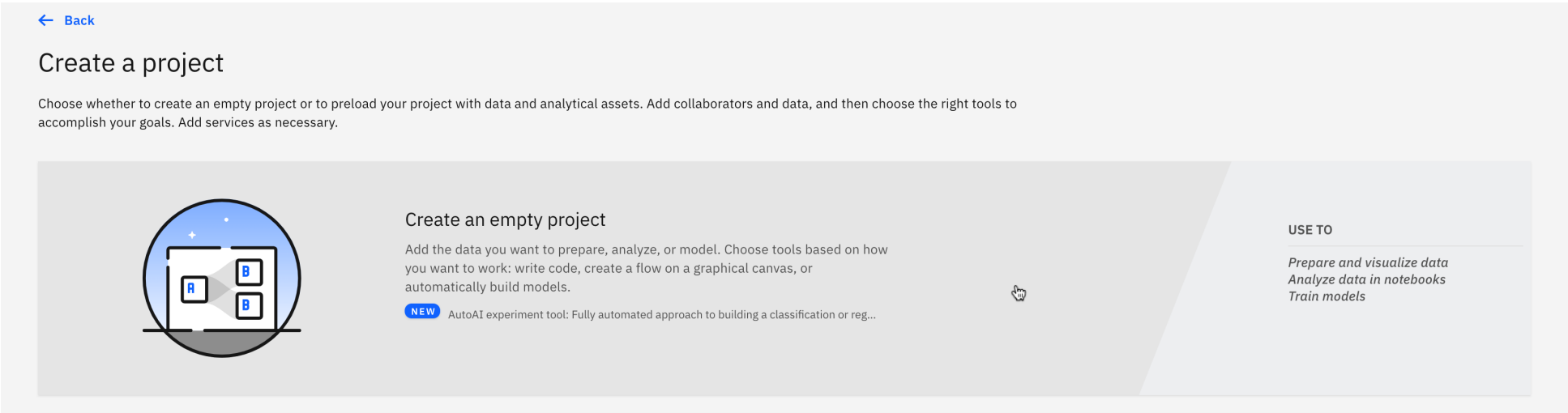
## Exercise 2: Creating a Project

In this exercise, you will create a project.

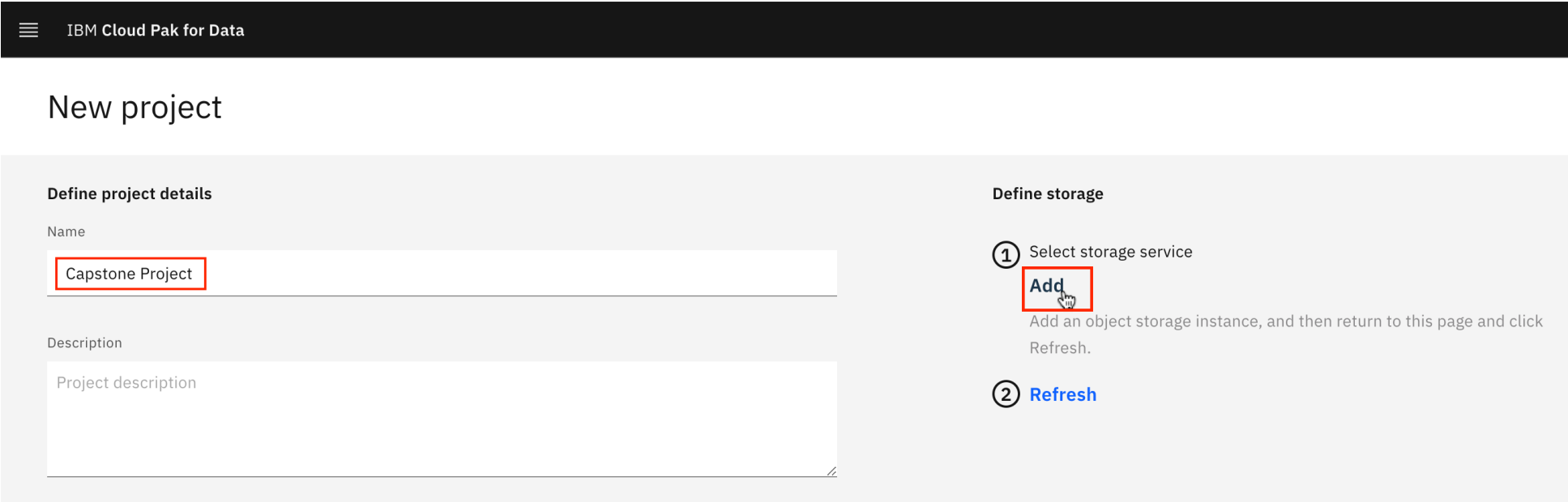
1. On the IBM Cloud Pak for Data welcome page, click **Create a project**.



2. Click **Create an empty project**.



3. Provide a **Project Name** and **Description** and click **Add** on Select storage service if no storage service appears. If a storage appears, proceed to step 6 directly.



4. You will be redirected to a new page. On the **Create** tab, select **Lite** plan. Then click **Create**.

IBM Cloud Pak for Data

Services catalog /

Cloud Object Storage

Author: IBM • Date of last update: Sep 23, 2020 • Docs • API Docs

CreateAbout

Pricing plan

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Plan	Features	Pricing
Lite	<div>1 COS Service Instance</div> <div>Storage up to 25 GB/month</div> <div>Up to 2,000 Class A (PUT, COPY, POST, and LIST) requests per month</div> <div>Up to 20,000 Class B (GET and all others) requests per month</div> <div>Up to 10 GB/month of Data Retrieval</div> <div>Up to 5GB of egress (Public Outbound)</div> <div>Applies to aggregate total across all storage bucket classes</div> <div>The Lite service plan for Cloud Object Storage includes Regional and Cross Regional resiliency, flexible data classes, and built in security.</div> <div>Lite plan services are deleted after 30 days of inactivity.</div>	Free
Standard	There is no minimum fee, so you pay only for what you use.	<a href="#">See pricing details</a>

Configure your resource

Service name

Cloud Object Storage-iu

Select a resource group

Default

Create

[View terms](#)

5. Now you will be redirected to the previous new project page. Click **Refresh**.

IBM Cloud Pak for Data

New project

Define project details

Name

Capstone Project

Description

Project description

Define storage

1 Select storage service

Add

Add an object storage instance, and then return to this page and click Refresh.

2 Refresh

6. Once you see a storage service, click **Create**.

IBM Cloud Pak for Data

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New project

Define project details

Name

Capstone Project

Description

Project description

Choose project options

☐ Restrict who can be a collaborator ⓘ

Project includes integration with [Cloud Object Storage](#) for storing project assets.

Storage

Cloud Object Storage-iu

Cancel

Create

7. You have successfully created a project. Click **IBM Cloud Pak for Data** at the top left to go back to homepage.

Projects / IBM\_Project

Launch IDE

Find assets

Add asset

New asset

Overview

Assets

Jobs

Manage

0 asset

All assets

Asset types

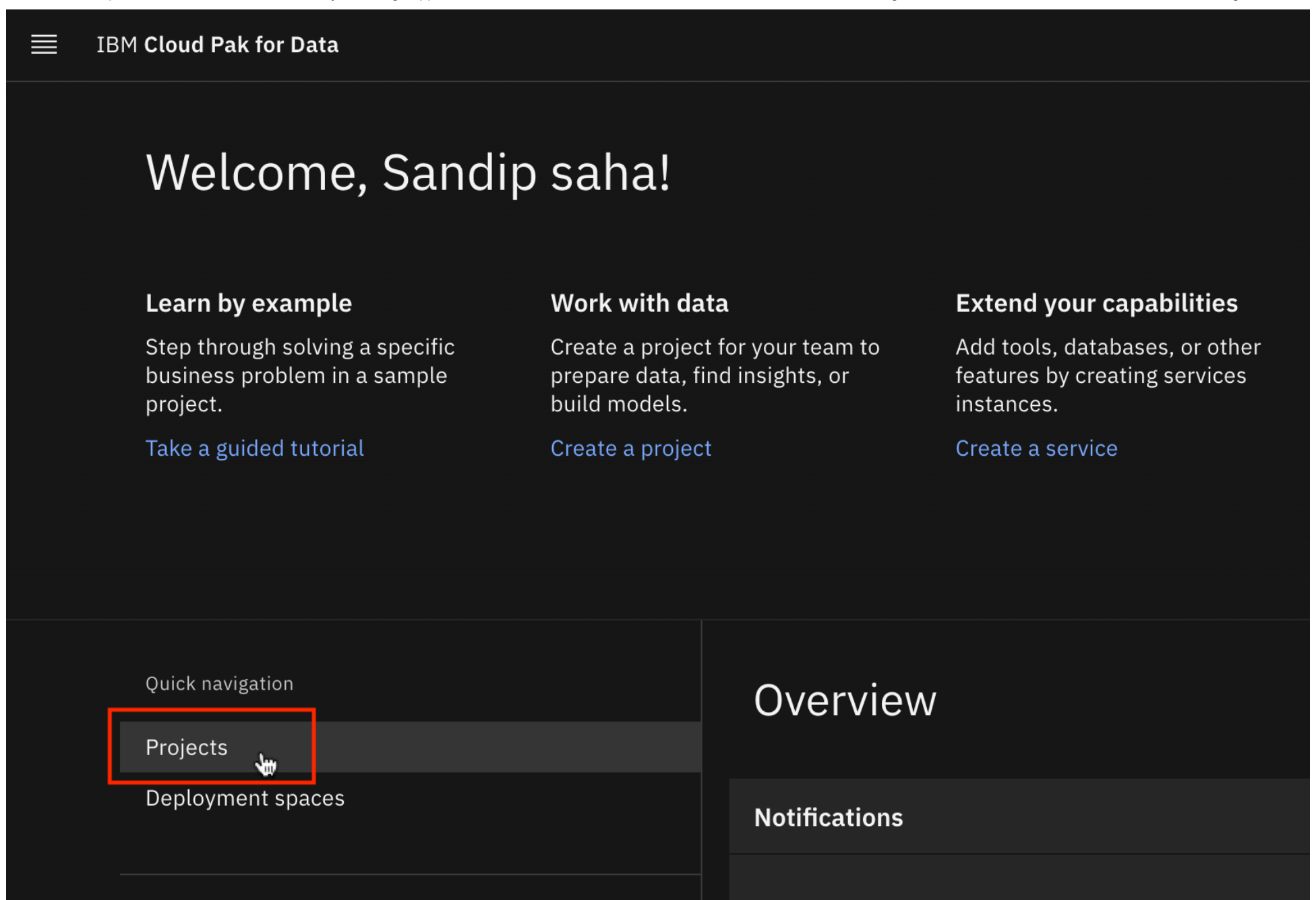
Start adding assets

To get started with project assets, click **New asset** to create them, or **Add asset** to add existing ones.

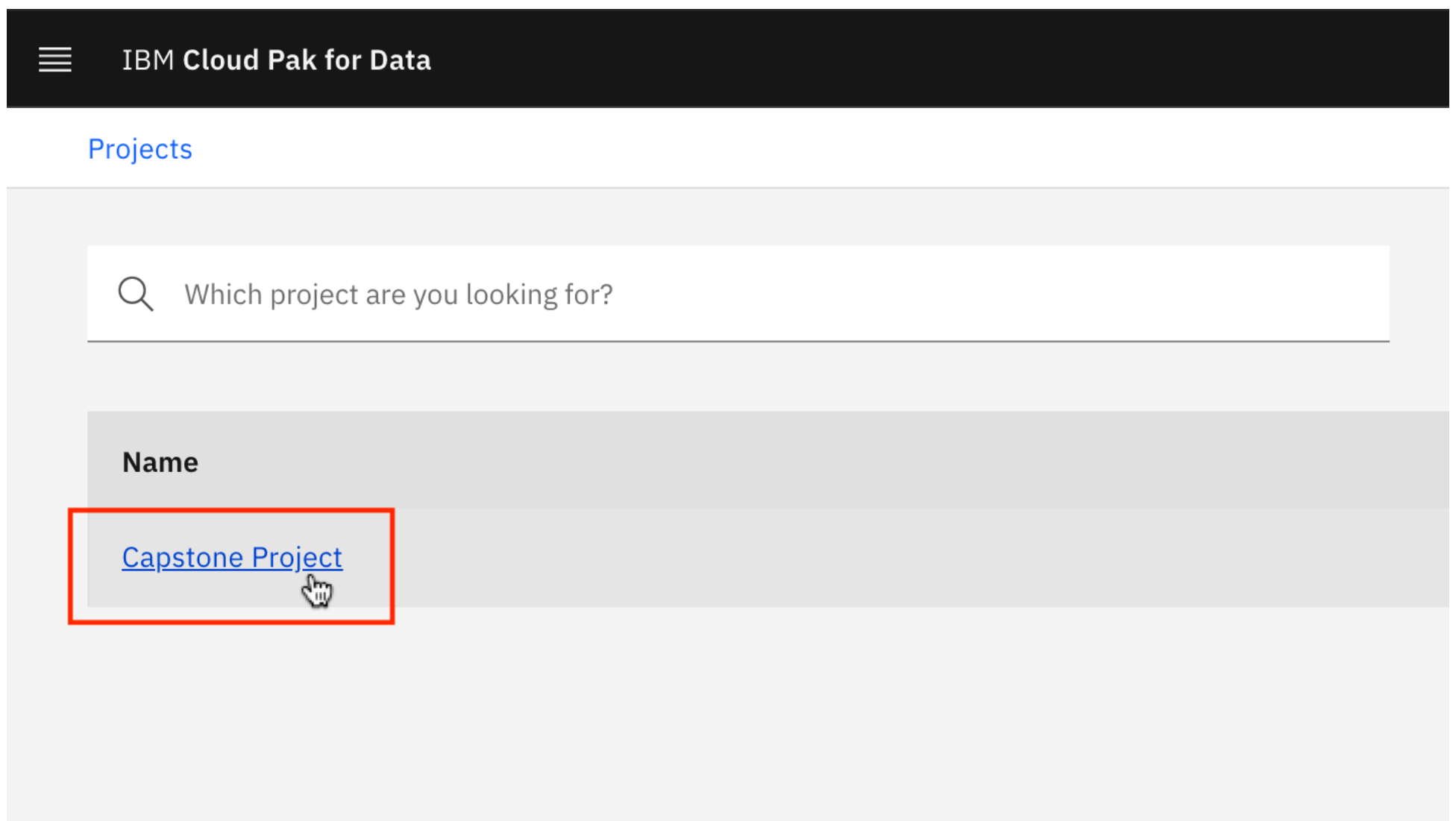
# Exercise 3: Adding a Jupyter Notebook to the Project

In this exercise, you will add an IPYNB Jupyter notebook to the Project you created.

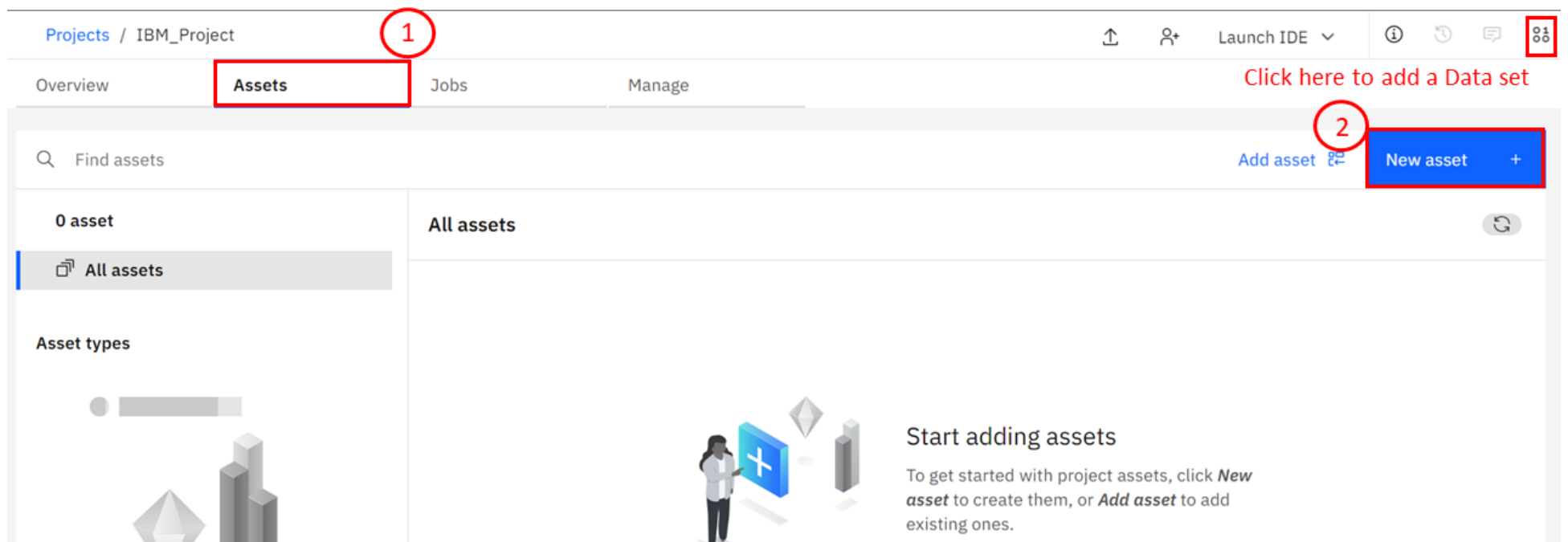
1. From IBM Cloud Pak for Data homepage, click **Projects** under Quick navigation.



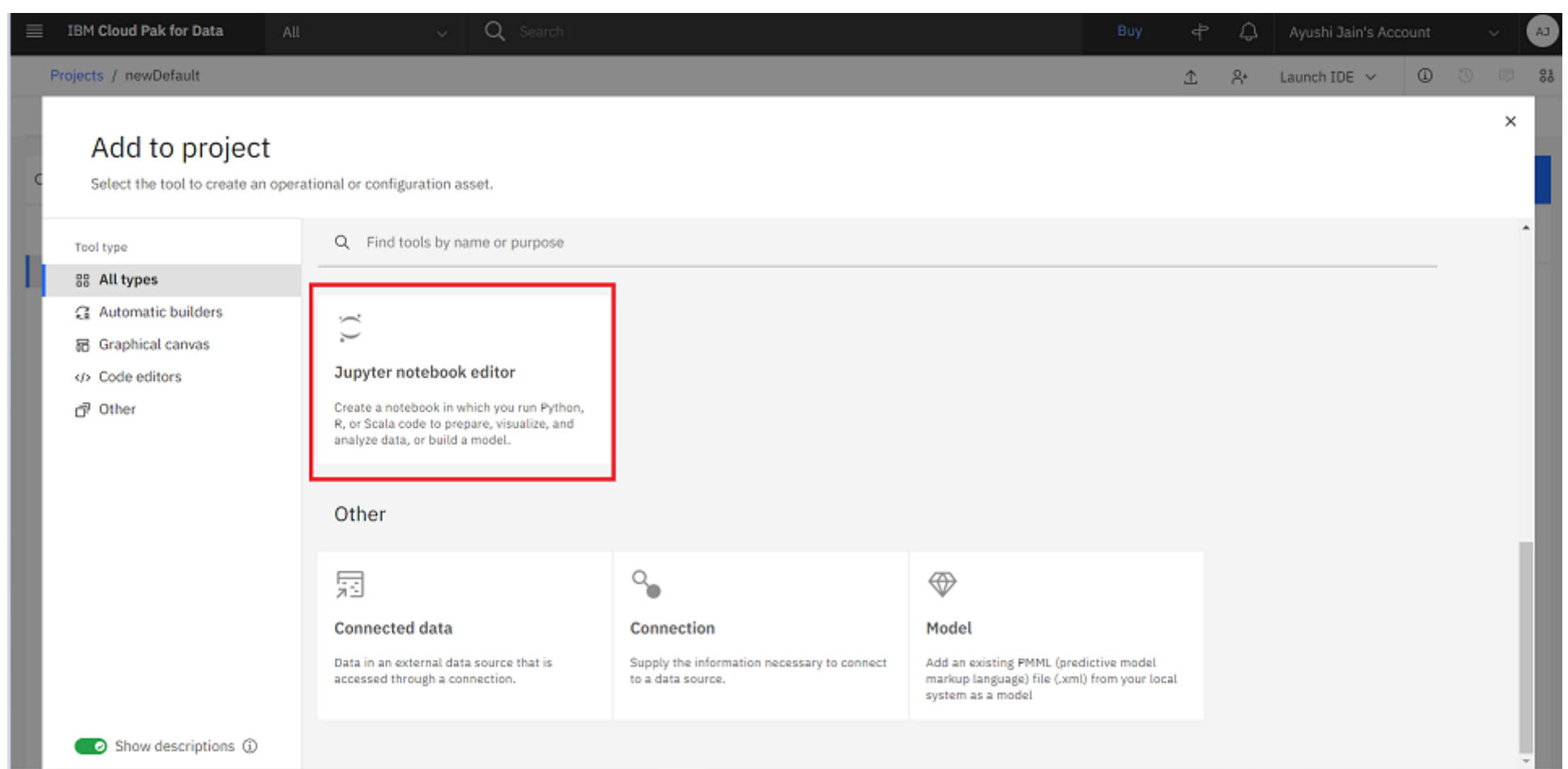
2. Select the project you created earlier.



3. On the **Overview** page of project, click **New asset**.



#### 4. Select **Notebook**.



- Right-click on this [Link](#) and copy the link address of the sample Jupyter notebook.
  - Under **From URL** tab, name the Notebook as **Sample Jupyter Notebook**. Then paste the link of the sample Jupyter notebook to **Notebook URL** you just copied.



New notebook

Blank

From file

From URL

Name

Final\_Assignment

Description (optional)

Type your description here

Select runtime

IBM Runtime 22.1 on Python 3.9 XXS (1 vCPU 4 GB RAM)

The selected runtime has 1 vCPU and 4 GB RAM.  
It consumes 0.5 capacity units per hour.  
[Learn more](#) about capacity unit hours and Watson Studio pricing plans.

Notebook URL

https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBM-D/

Cancel

Create

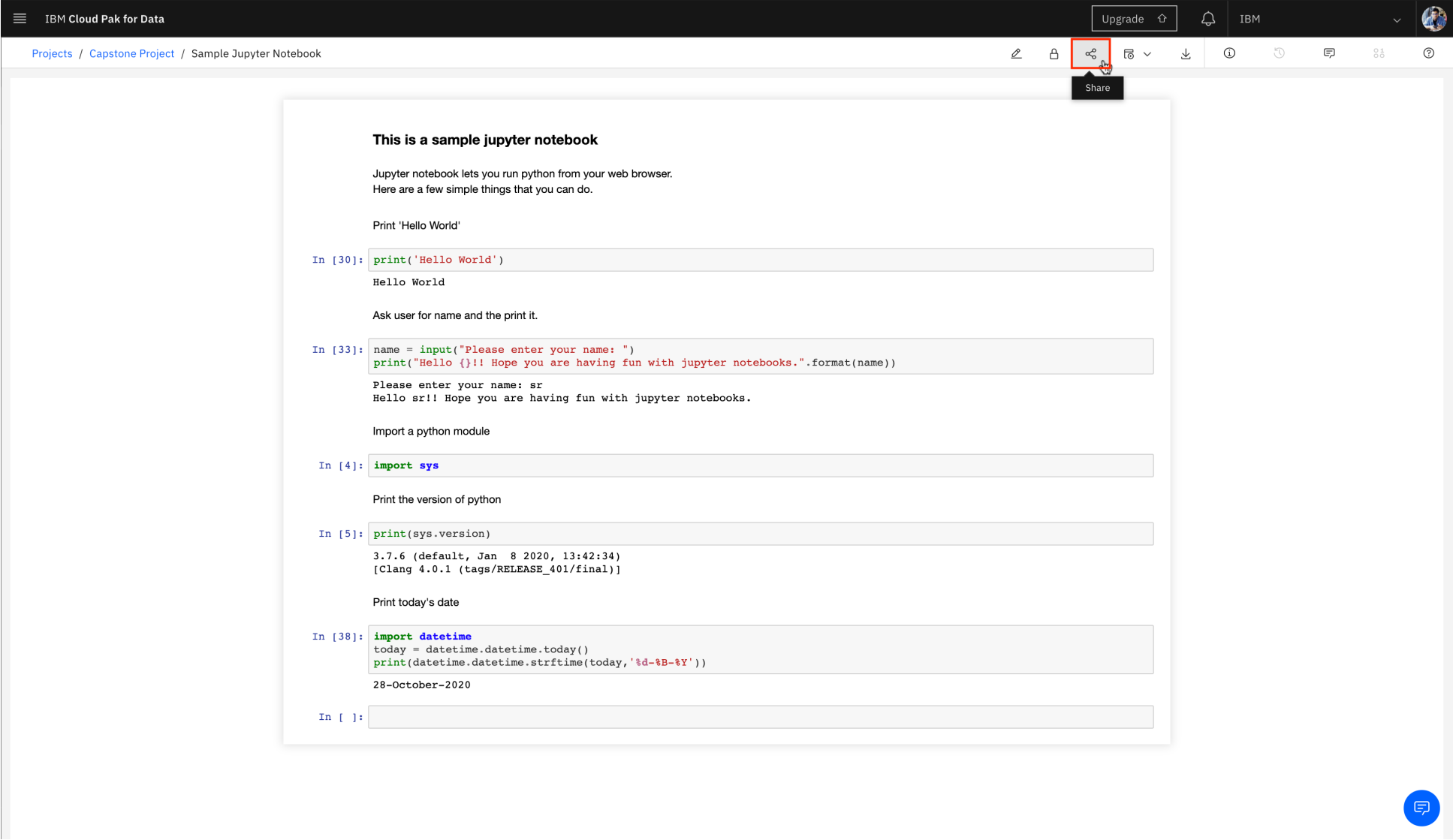
6. Wait until the notebook gets uploaded and become ready.

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Instantiating runtime for Sample Jupyter Notebook

The selected runtime has 4 vCPU and 16 GB RAM.  
It consumes 2 capacity units per hour.

7. You have successfully added a Jupyter Notebook to the Project and opened it using Watson Studio. To share the notebook using permalink, click on the **Share** icon.



8. Click on the **toggle button** to turn on "Share with anyone who has the link". Select **All content, including code** from Cell content. Click on the **copy link** icon to copy the "Permalink to view notebook" and share the link if you need to share your work on the notebook. This link always points to the most recent saved version of the notebook.

Share: Sample Jupyter Notebook

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Share a read-only view of this notebook.

Share with anyone who has the link.



Cell content

- ☐ Only text and output
- ☐ All content excluding sensitive code cells
- ☒ All content, including code

**i** If your notebook includes credentials for data sources, you might want to remove such sensitive data from the notebook or hide it (see option 2). A version is saved for your notebook. The link always points to the most recent version of the notebook.

Permalink to view notebook

<https://eu-gb.dataplatform.cloud.ibm.com/analytics/notebooks/v2/1ead203a-35f3-4b80-a218-f88e8f625bc8/view>



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Congratulations! You have completed this Lab.

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# Changelog

Date	Version	Changed by	Change Description
2022-04-05	1.1	Malika Singla	Updated screenshot
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