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What is Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)?



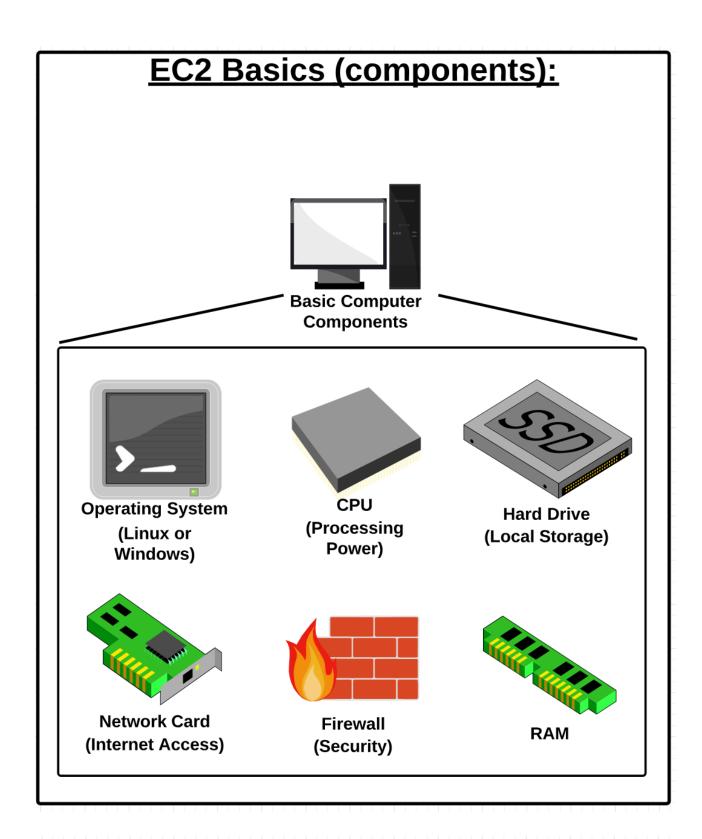
Simplified Definition:

Think of EC2 as your basic desktop computer.

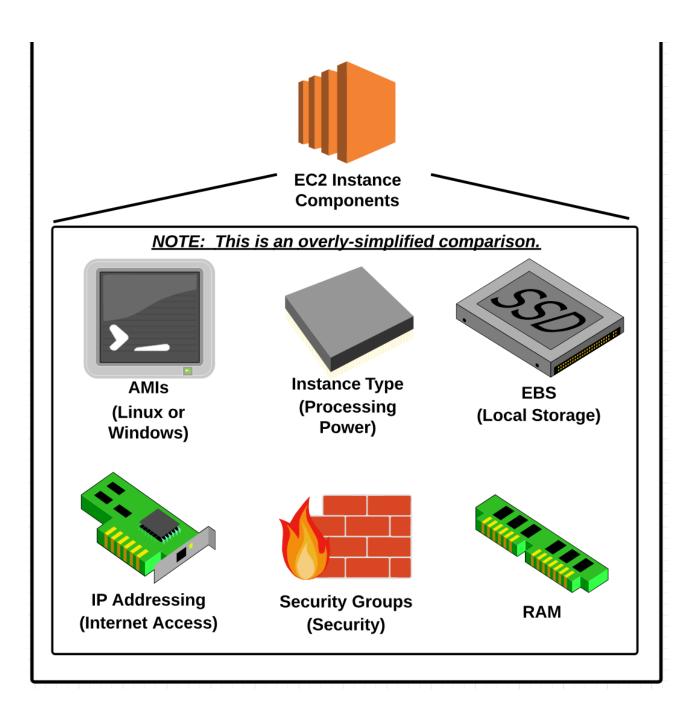
AWS Definition:

"Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2) provides scalable computing capacity in the Amazon Web Services (AWS) cloud. Using Amazon EC2 eliminates your need to invest in hardware up front, so you can develop and deploy applications faster. You can use Amazon EC2 to launch as many or as few virtual servers as you need, configure security and networking, and manage storage. Amazon EC2 enables you to scale up or down to handle changes in requirements or spikes in popularity, reducing your need to forecast traffic."





EC2 Basics (components):



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AMI Options:

AMIs come in three main categories:

(1) Community AMIs:

-Free to use

-Generally, with these AMIs you are just selecting the OS you want.

(2) AWS Marketplace AMIs:

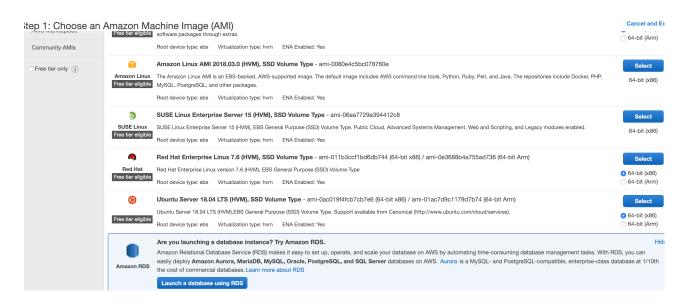
- -Pay to use
- -Generally comes packaged with additional, licensed software.

(3) My AMIs:

-AMIs that you create yourself

Instance Type Options:

- (1) General purpose
- (2) Compute optimized
- (3) GPU optimized
- (4) Memory optimized
- (5) Storage optimized



Step 1: Choose an Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

Q Search for an AMI by entering a search term e.g. "Windows"

My AMIs

AWS Marketplace

Community AMIs

Categories

All Categories

Infrastructure Software (2563)

Developer Tools (571)

Business Software (1059)

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Find and buy software that runs in the AWS Cloud, software from trusted vendors like SAP, Zend, Microsoft, as well as n Marketplace AMI products. View Marketplace products you are currently subscribed to by visiting Your Software in the

Featured Software





Rating ★★★★★

By Barracuda Networks, Inc.

Starting from \$0.60/hr or from \$4,599/yr (12% savings) for software

JUNIPER.

vSRX Next Generation Firewall

By Juniper Networks \$0.55/hr or \$2,280/yr (53% savings) for software



Matillion ETL for Amazon Redshift

Rating *****

By Matillion

Starting from \$1.37/hr or from \$9,950/yr (17% savings) for software



Trend Micro Deep Security

Rating ★★★★★

By Trend Micro Starting from \$0.01 per host/hr for software usage

Popular Software



F5 BIG-IP Virtual



CentOS 7.2 LAMP



SoftNAS Cloud



F5 BIG-IP Virtua

EC2 Basics (buying options)

On-Demand:

On-demand purchasing allows you to choose any *instance type* you like and provision/terminate it at any time (on-demand).

- (1) Is the *most expensive* purchasing option.
- (2) Is the **most flexible** purchasing option.
- (3) You are only charged when the instance is *running* (and billed by the second).
- (4) You can provision/terminate an on-demand instance at any time.

Reserved?

cheap

Reserved purchasing allows you to purchase an instance for a **set time period** of one (1) or three (3) years.

- (1) This allows for a **significant price discount** over using on-demand.
- (2) You can select to pay upfront, partial upfront, no upfront.
- (3) Once you buy a reserved instance, you own it for the selected time period and are **responsible for the entire price** regardless of how often you use it.

Spot:

Even × Use, still pay

Spot pricing is a way for you to "bid" on an instance type and only pay for and use that instance when the spot price is equal to or below your "bid" price.

(1) This option allows Amazon to sell the use of *unused instances*, for short amounts of time, at a *substantial discount*.

- (2) **Spot prices fluctuate** based on supply and demand in the spot marketplace.
- (3) You are charged by the second but bid pricing based on and hourly rate)
- (4) When you have an active bid, an instance is **provisioned for you when the spot price is equal to or less than you bid price**.
- (5) Provisioned instances automatically terminate when the spot price is greater than your bid price.

Full list of Instance Purchasing Options:

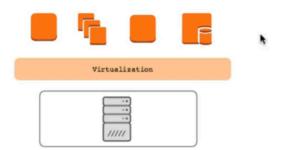
https://aws.amazon.com/ec2/pricing/

What is Instance Store?

AWS Instance Store provides a temporary block storage volumes for use with EC2.

This storage is located on the disks that are physically attached to the host computer

Size of instance store varies depending on your instance type.



AMI: Amazon Machine Image

What is EBS?

- AWS Elastic Block Store is a persistent block storage volumes for use with EC2.
- Each EBS volume is designed for 99.9999% availability & are automatically replicated within its availability zone.
- EBS can be elastic in nature, thus supports dynamic increase in capacity, performance

Elastic Block Store

AWS Elastic Block Store is based on Network Attached Storage.

Since the storage are attached via network, they can be easily detached as well hence providing the portability based feature.

Compute != Storage

- AWS EC2 is regarded as compute based service.
- Compute generally refers to Memory & CPU

Instance:

Instance Purchasing Options

Amazon EC2 provides the following purchasing options to enable you to optimize your costs based on your needs:

- On-Demand Instances Pay, by the second, for the instances that you launch.
- Reserved Instances Purchase, at a significant discount, instances that are always available, for a term from three years.
- Scheduled Instances Purchase instances that are always available on the specified recurring schedule, for a
 year term.
- **Spot Instances** Request unused EC2 instances, which can lower your Amazon EC2 costs significantly.
- **Dedicated Hosts** Pay for a physical host that is fully dedicated to running your instances, and bring your exper-socket, per-core, or per-VM software licenses to reduce costs.
- Dedicated Instances Pay, by the hour, for instances that run on single-tenant hardware.
- Capacity Reservations Reserve capacity for your EC2 instances in a specific Availability Zone for any duration

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