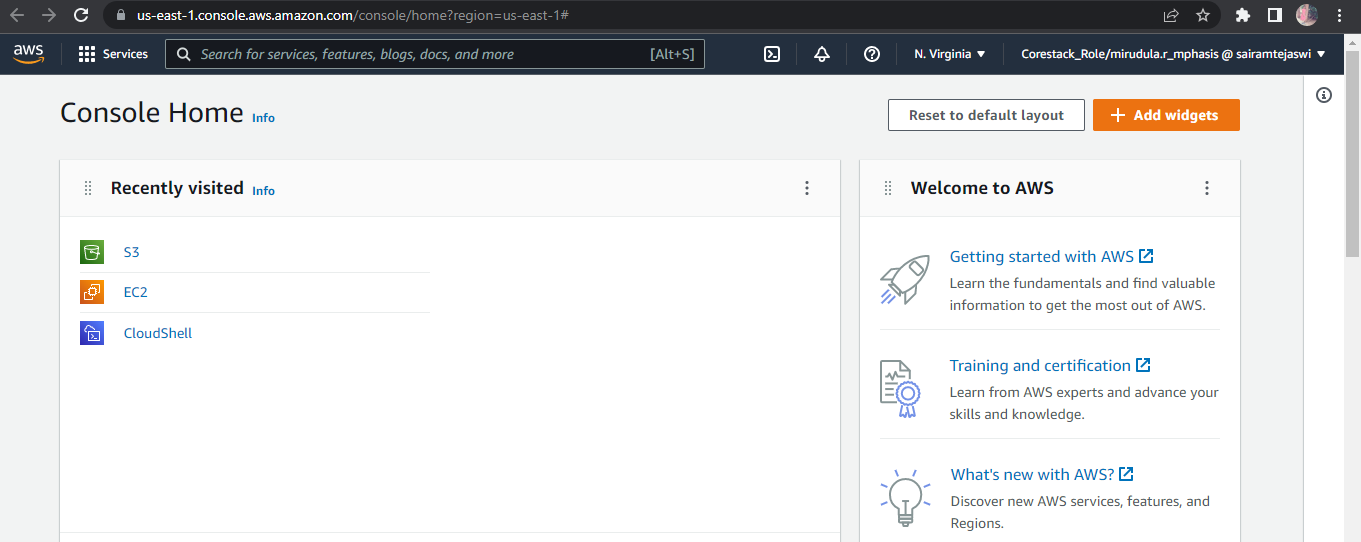
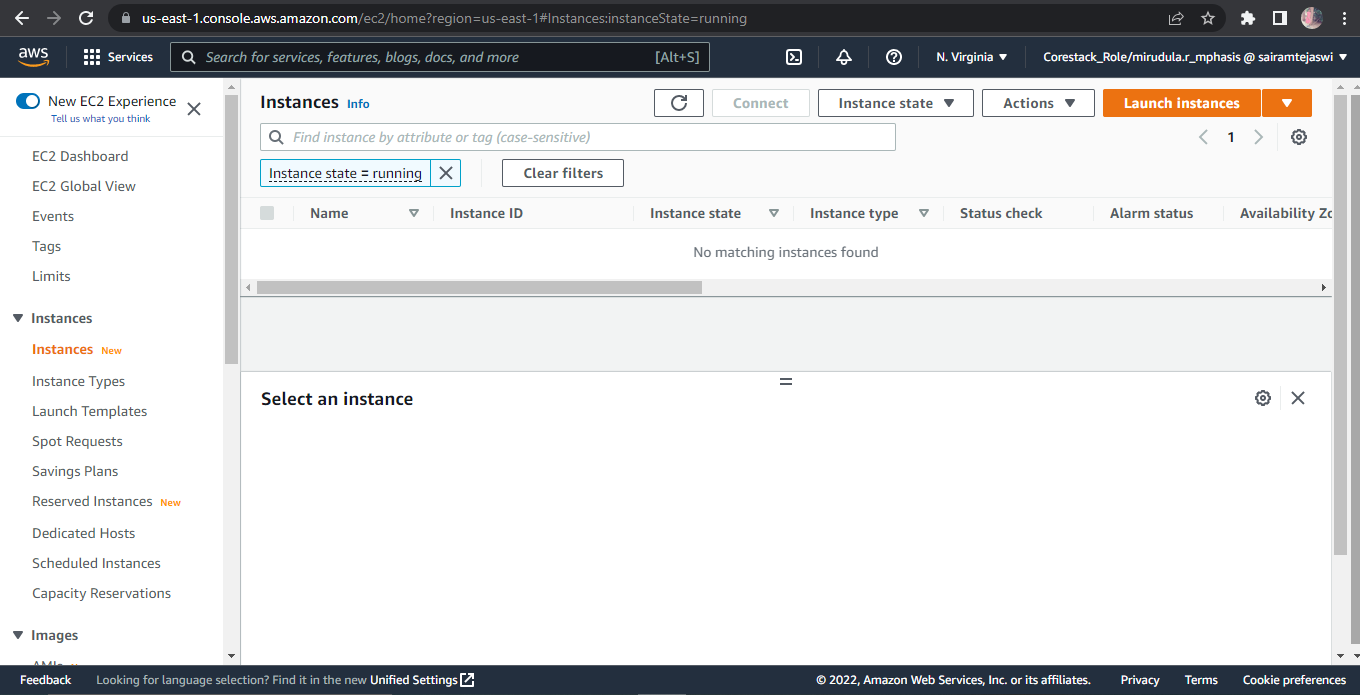
**Assisted Practice: 3.1 Launch and Connect to an EC2 Linux Instance**

**Step 3.1.1:** Launching an EC2 instance

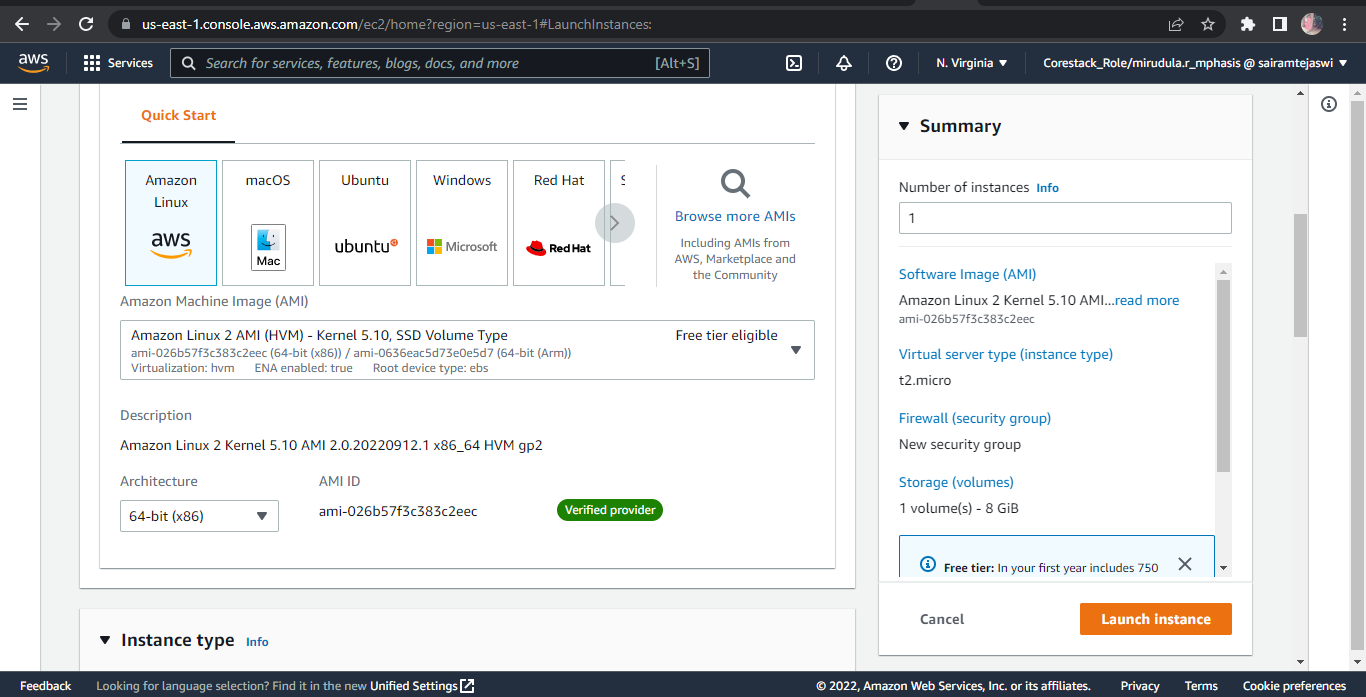
* Go to Amazon dashboard
* Select EC2

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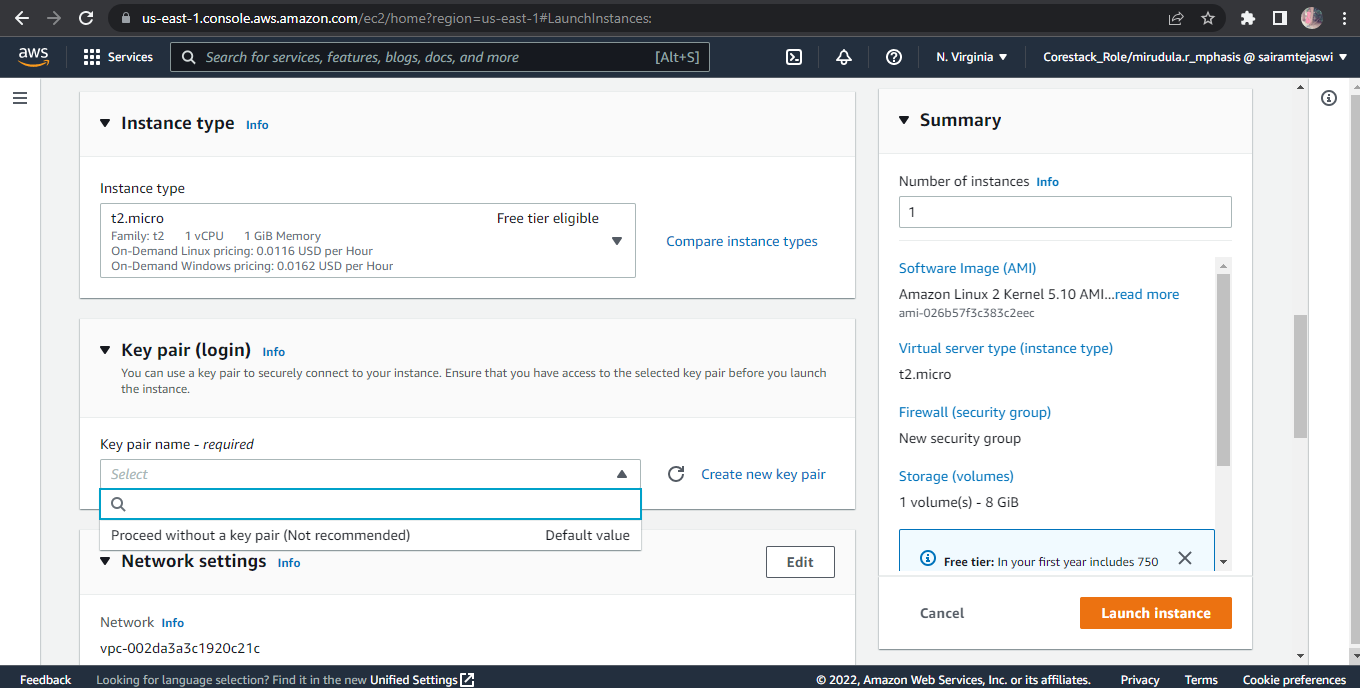
* Click on *launch instance* to run any instance

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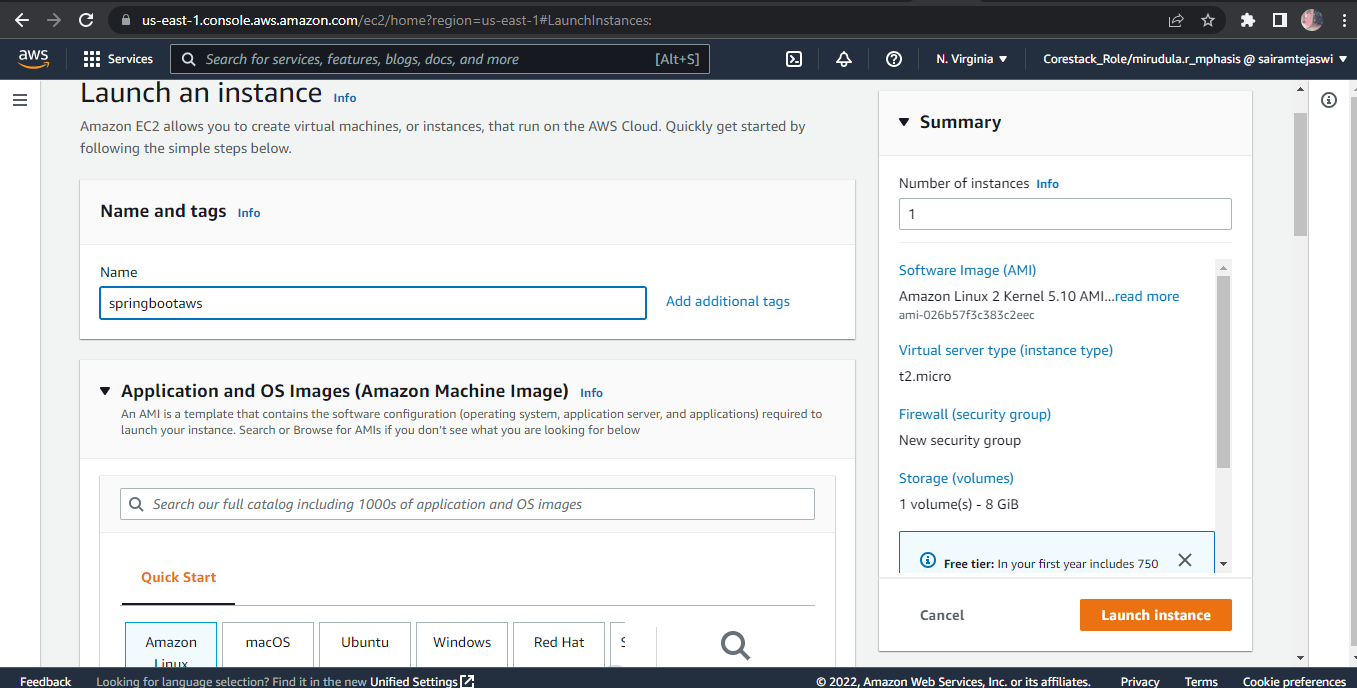
* Select the AMI

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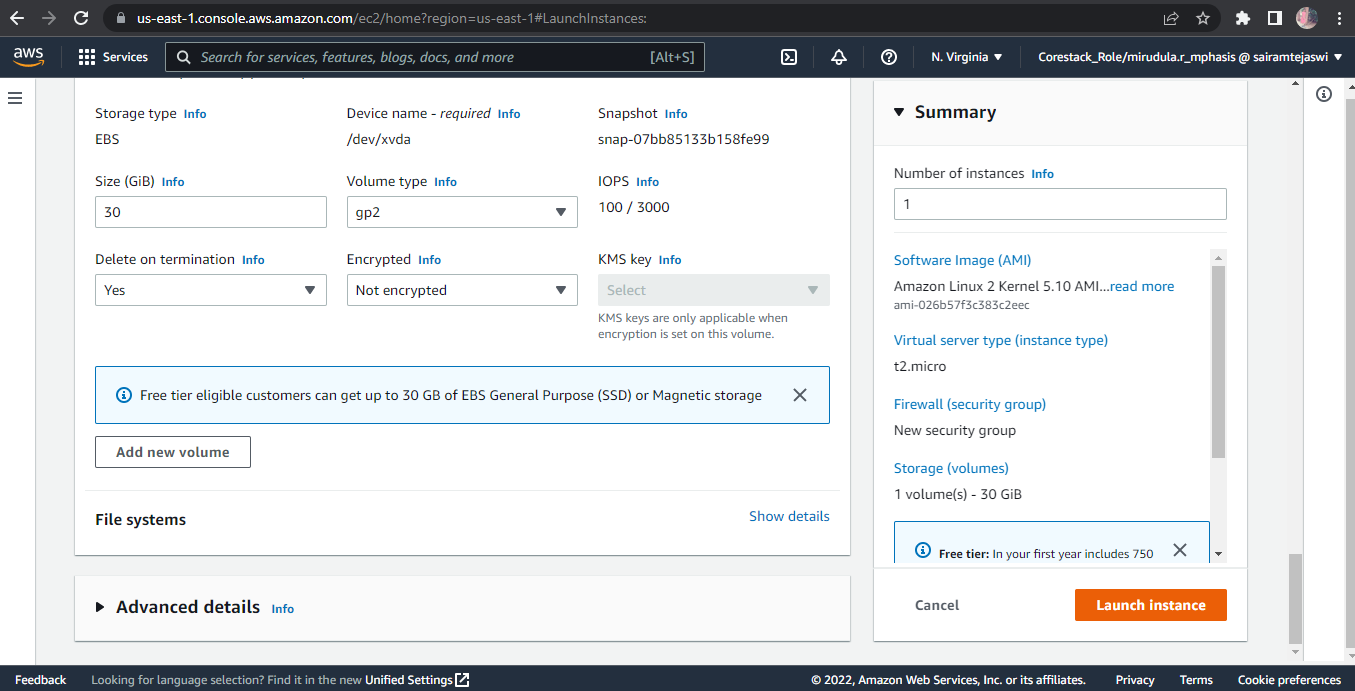
* Select t2.micro as the instance type



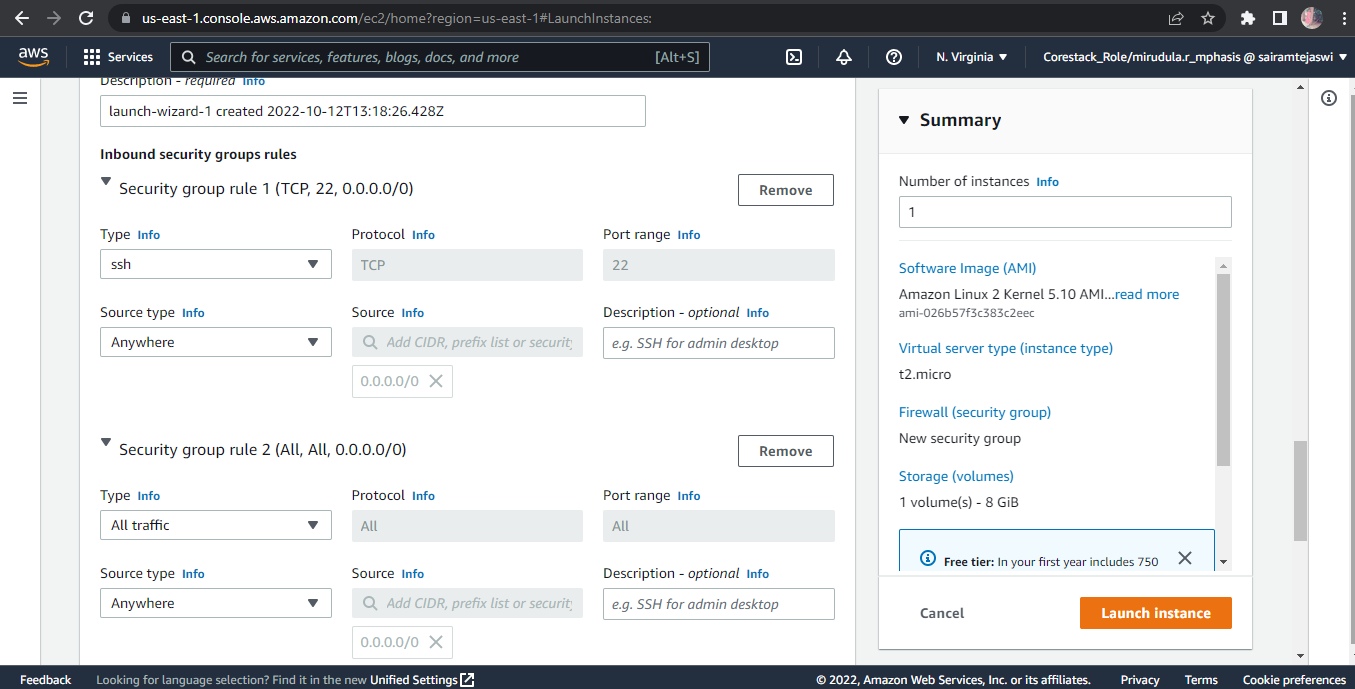
* Specify the number of instances, networks, placement groups, and IAM roles and click *Next*



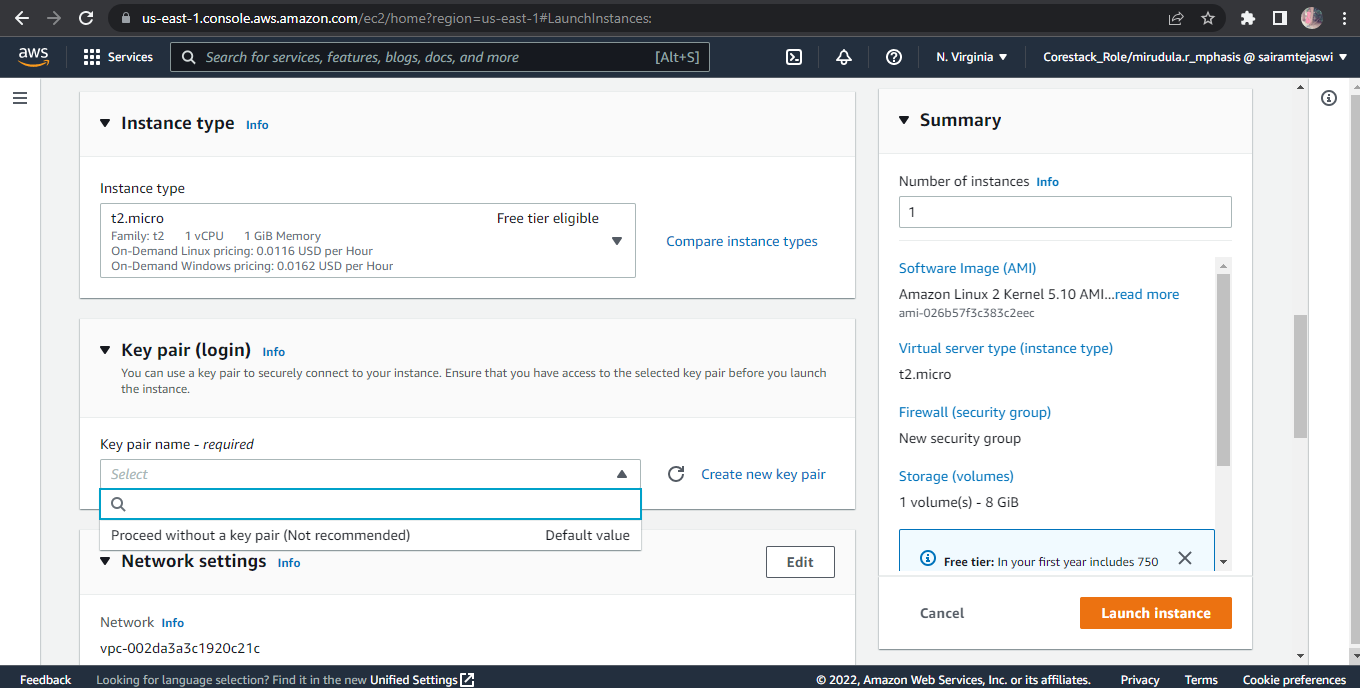
* There is one volume attached to the instance by default
* In Linux, the default volume attached is 8 GB
* You can add more volume if required

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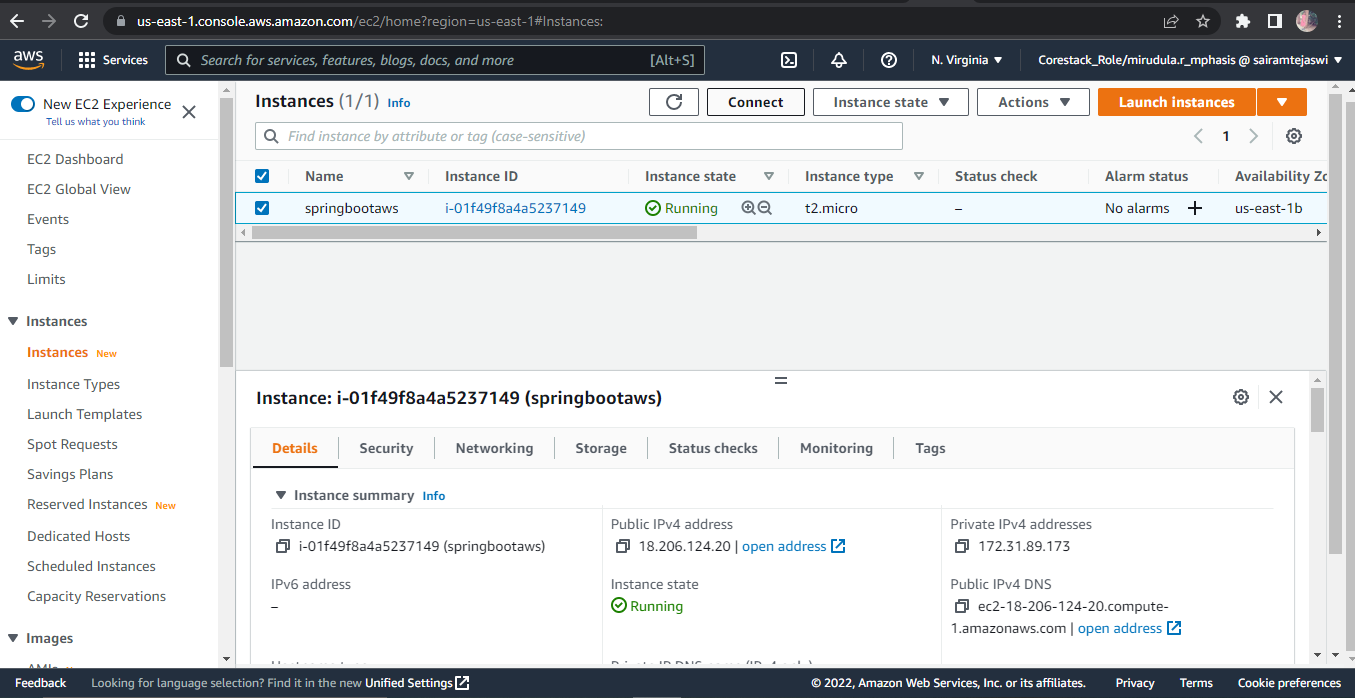
* Attach the three policy groups depending on the type of access required



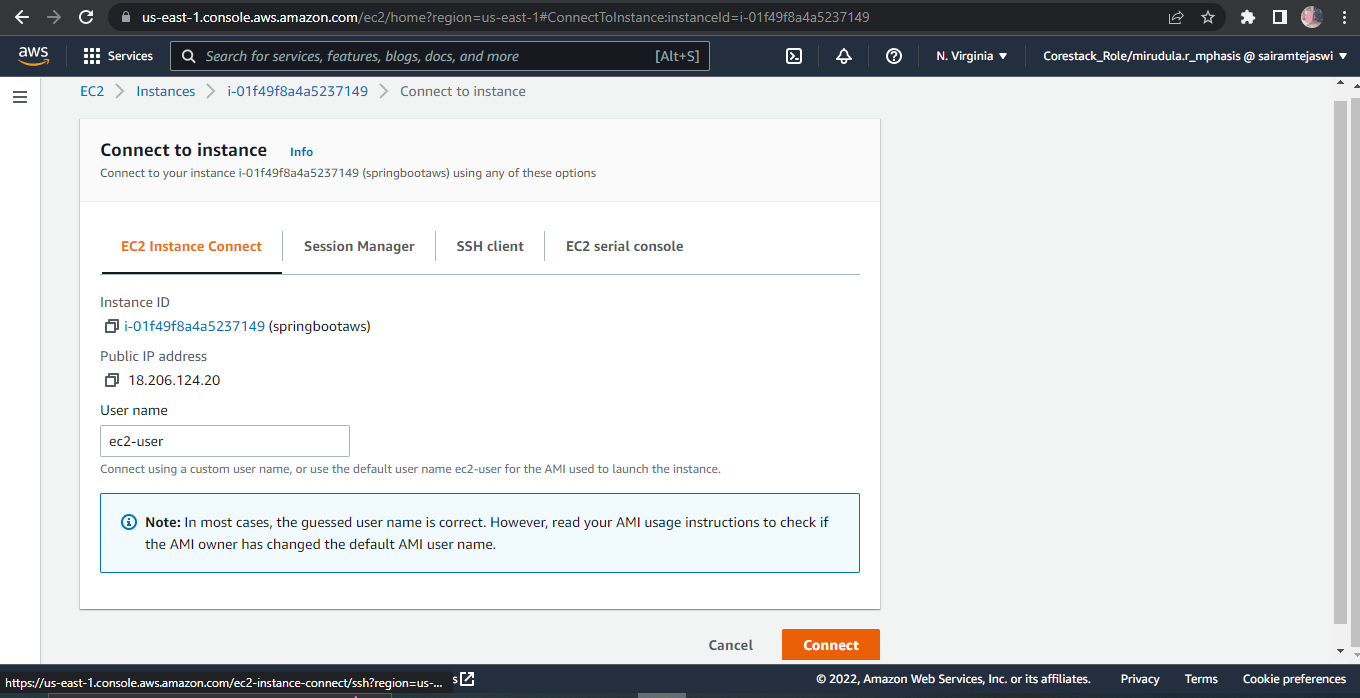
* Select proceed without a key-value pair to launch the instance

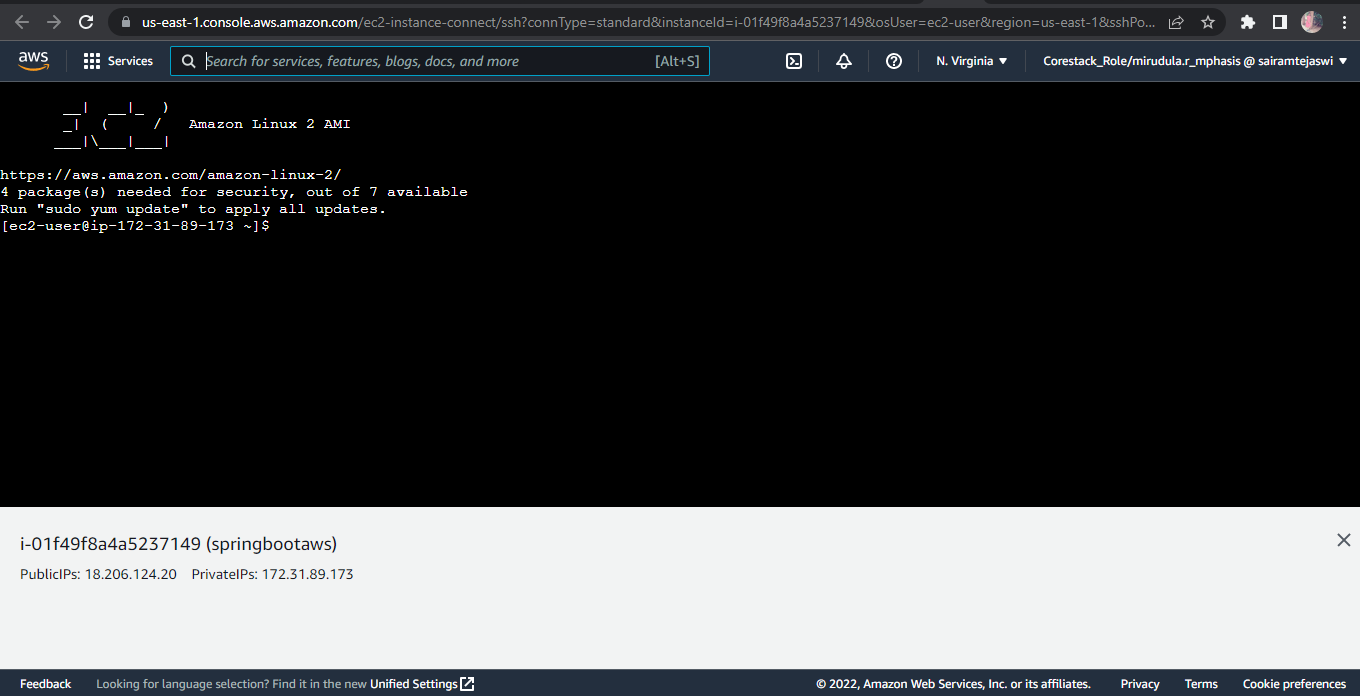


* The instance is ready to use

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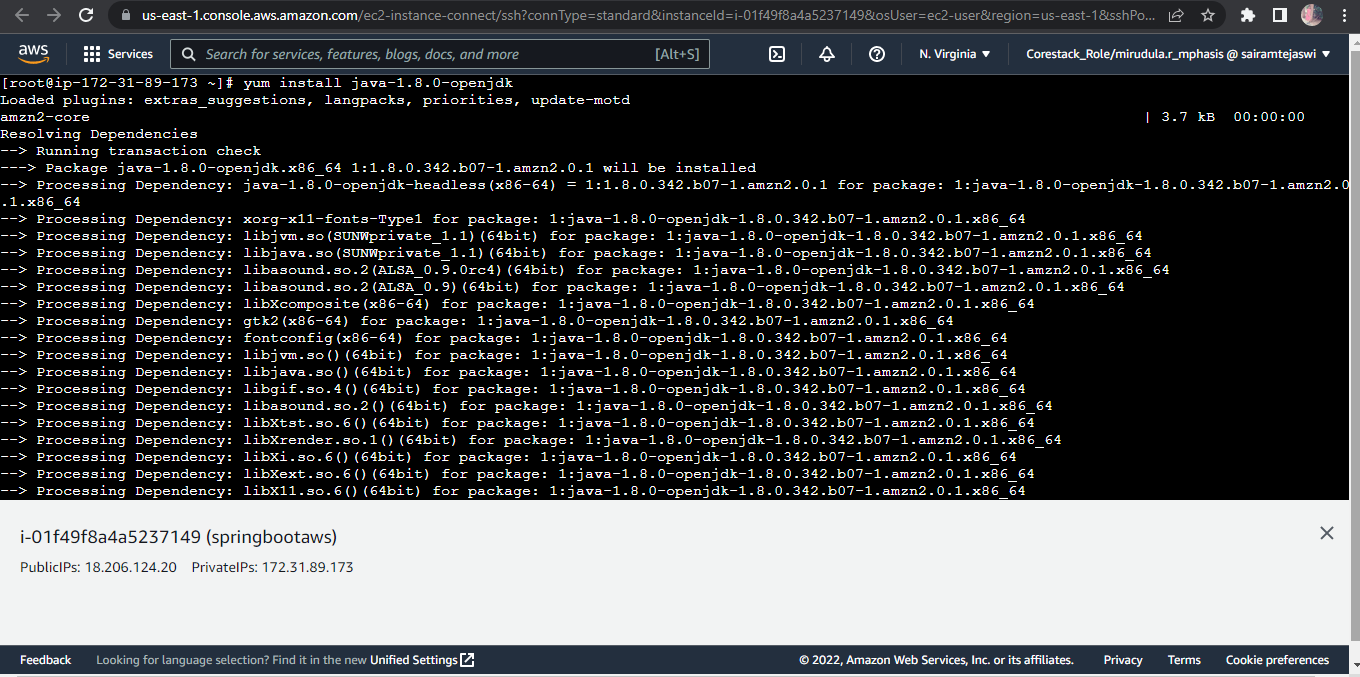
* Click on *Connect* on EC2 dashboard

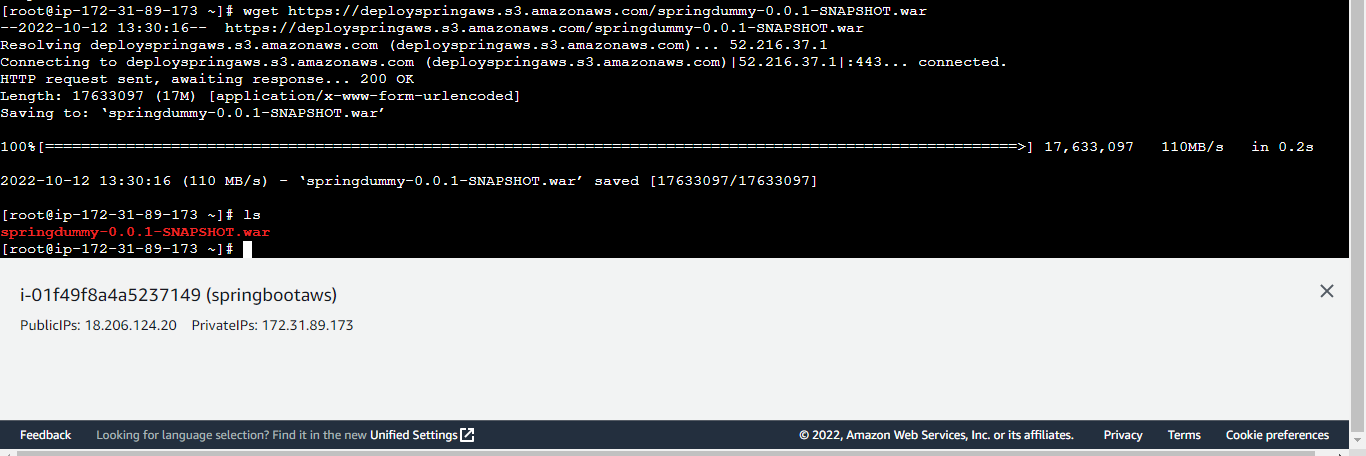
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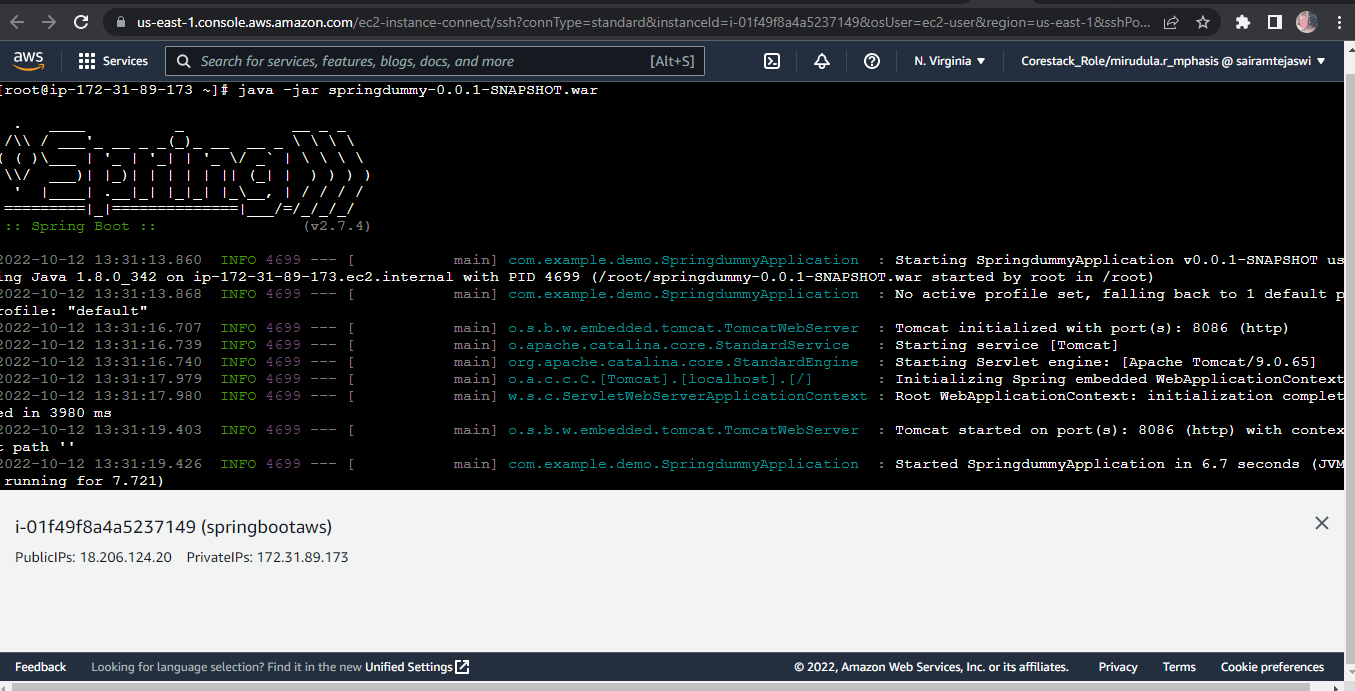
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**Step 3.1.2:** Connecting to an EC2 instance

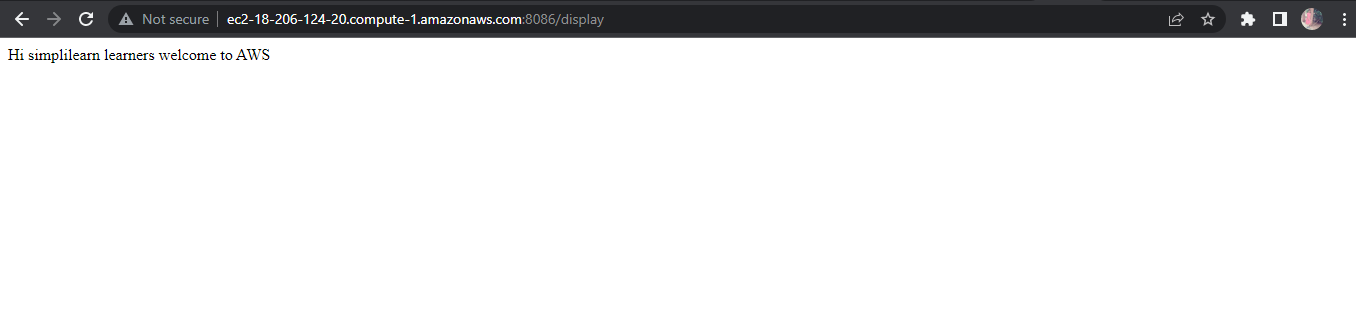
* Run the following command to launch a website over EC2:

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* Using public IP of EC2 instance, you can see your app running on the browser

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