# AI 620 Emerging Topics in Artificial Intelligence HOS01A Introduction to Amazon Rekognition

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#### **Before You Start**

- The directory path shown in screenshots may be different from yours.
- Some steps are not explained in the tutorial. If you are not sure what to do:
  - 1. Consult the resources listed below.
  - 2. If you cannot solve the problem after a few tries, ask a TA for help.

### **Learning Outcomes**

Students will be able to learn:

- Introduction to Amazon Rekognition
- Amazon rekognition setup

#### Resources

- AWS, (n.d), Amazon Regnition, what is Amazon Regnition?, https://docs.aws.amazon.com/rekognition/latest/dg/what-is.html
- flowers.zip

## Introduction to Amazon Rekognition

Amazon Rekognition is a pre-trained computer vision AWS deep learning algorithm which can pull and index insights from images and videos. Amazon Rekognition is fully customized and can detect things like objects, scenes, faces, text pornography, violence, foul language, drug, alcohol use, and inappropriate content in images to automate the process of content moderation. Amazon Rekognition pricing operates on a pay-as-you-go model, and it provides the following services:

- Automated content moderation
- Facial recognition

- Sentiment analysis
- Labeling/metadata
- Text detection
- Celebrity recognition
- Video segment detection

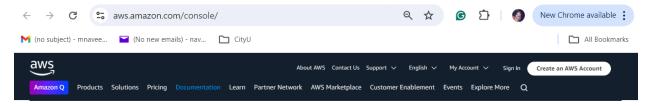
# Amazon Rekognition custom labels demonstration

Let's train a machine learning model using Amazon Rekognition to analyze images.

Note: - We need to have an AWS account. Please create an account if you don't have.

https://aws.amazon.com/

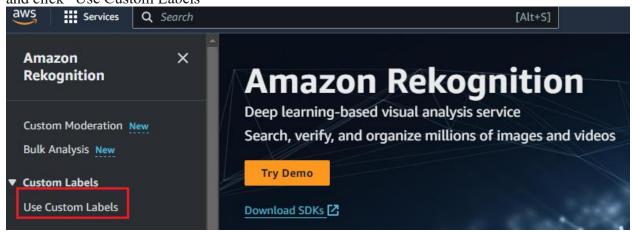
When you create your AWS account, you may be prompted to enter your credit card number. Please do so as you will be granted 1-year free-tier and Amazon Rekognition is provided in the free-tier plan.



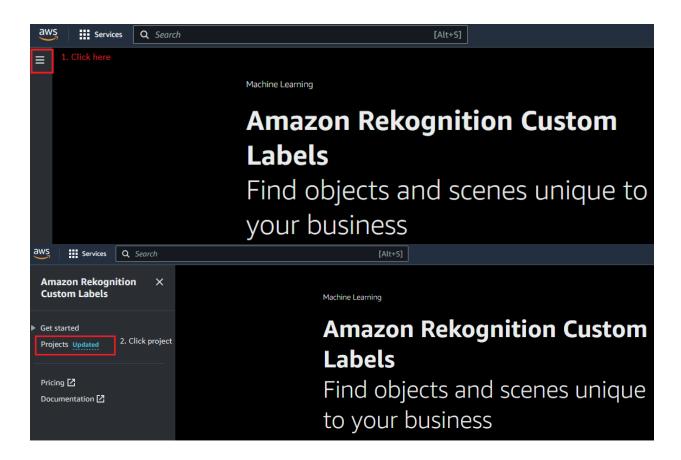
Step 1: Sign into the Console https://aws.amazon.com/console/



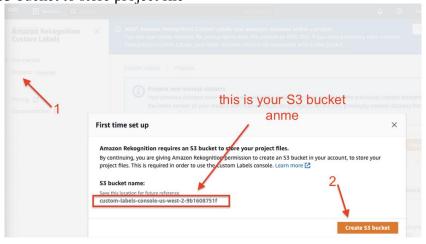
Step 2: Open the Amazon Rekognition console at <a href="https://console.aws.amazon.com/rekognition/">https://console.aws.amazon.com/rekognition/</a> and click "Use Custom Labels"



Step 3: Click on the icon at the left side to open Get Started and then click on the projects.

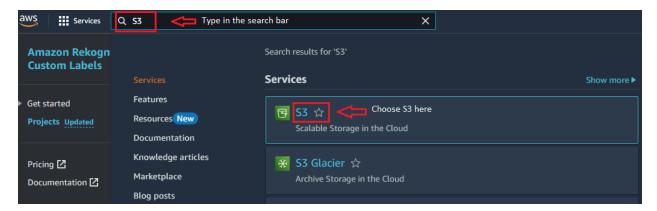


Step 4: Create S3 bucket to store project file

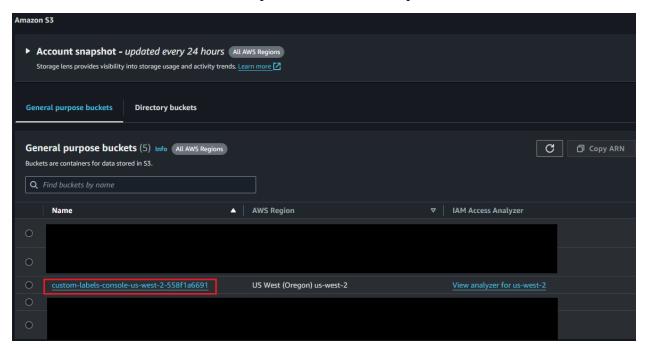


Step 5: Go to your AWS S3 service and upload image to S3 bucket name.

1. In the search bar, type S3. Under the Services list, select S3.



2. Select the bucket created in Step 4. It should have the prefix: custom-labels\*

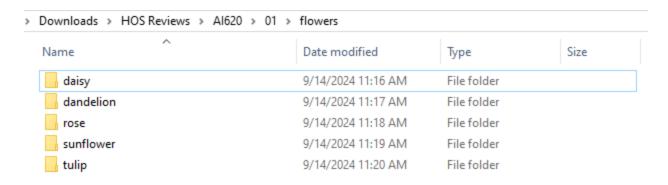


3. Inspect the dataset for model training.

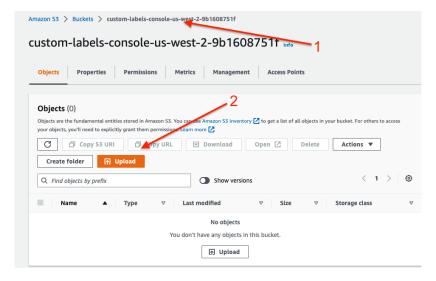
When you clone the HOS repository, there is already a ZIP file named "flowers.zip", containing images of 5 flower species: daisy, dandelion, rose, sunflower, tulip. Each folder consists of 100 flower images, making the total number of images 500.

Note: - The original dataset is from this link. We cut down the number of images due to the original dataset size (approximately 4000 images).

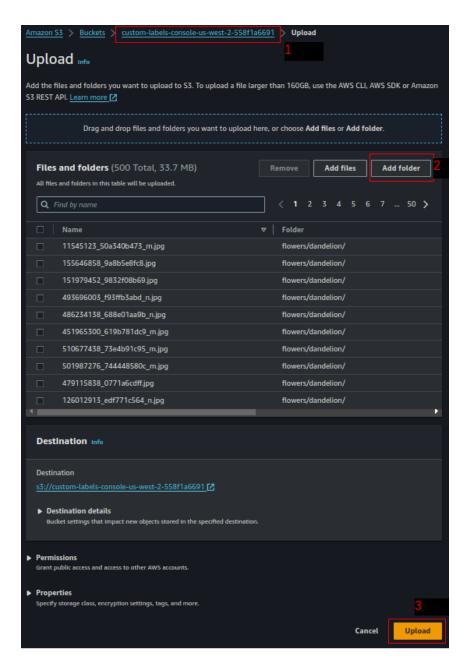
Extract the zip file, you will see the following folders.



You will need to upload the images to the S3 bucket. After selecting the bucket, click Upload.



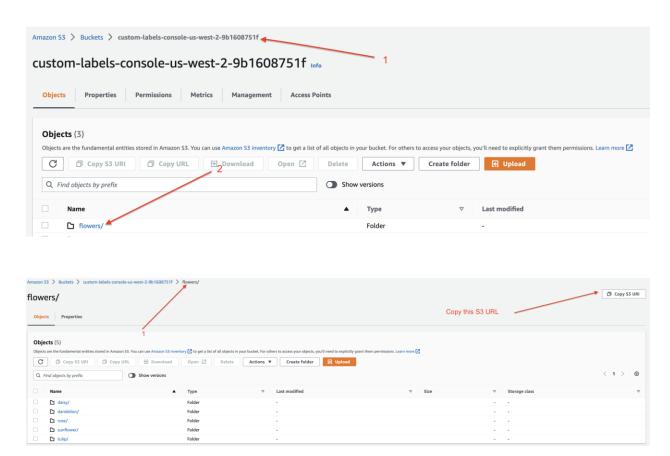
Step 6: Click "Add folder". Navigate to the "flower" folder you just extracted and click Upload. You might need to wait for 5 minutes until all images are uploaded.



Note: - The uploaded image status should be changed to Succeeded. Once the Upload status is successful, click Close to go back to the bucket.

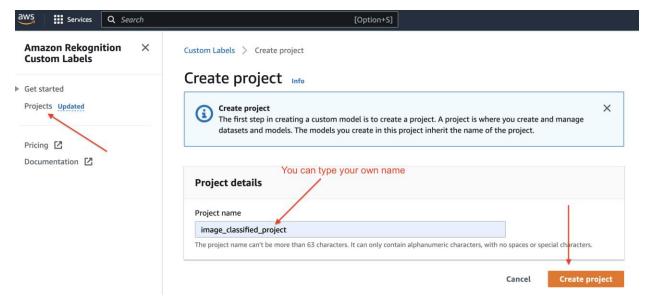


Step 7: Copy the S3 URI form the uploaded folder

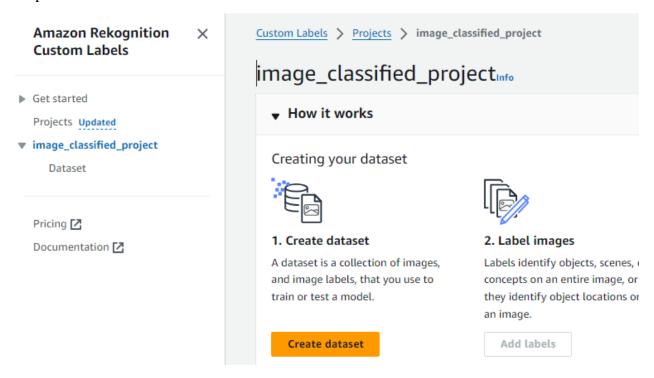


**NOTE: For submission,** Take the screenshot for all steps from step 8 and save it in your local repository.

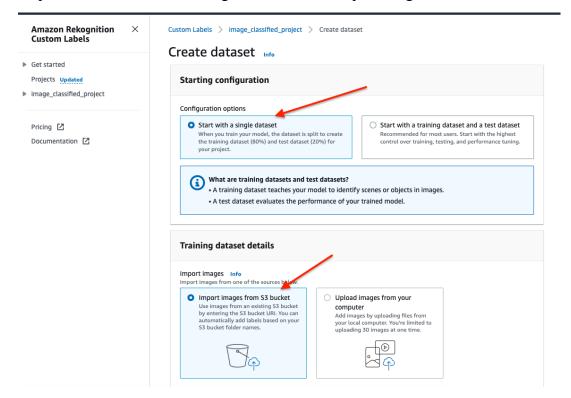
Step 8: Go to Amazon Rekognition > Use Custom Labels > Projects and click on "Create project". Name the project "image\_classified\_project"



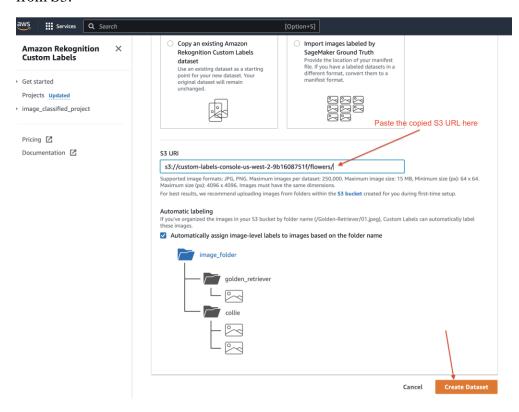
Step 9: Click on "Create dataset"



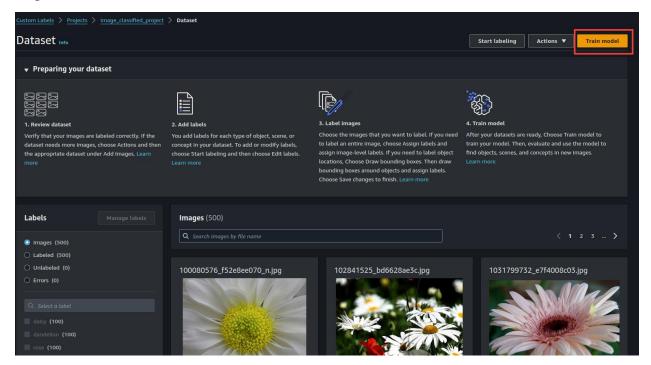
Step 10: Select "Start with a single dataset" and "Import images from S3 bucket"



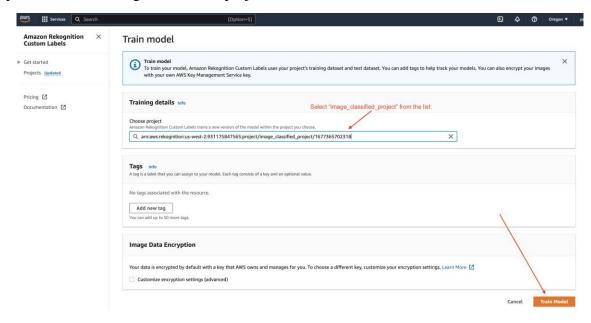
Step 11: Turn on Automatic labeling and click on Create Dataset button to upload the image from S3.



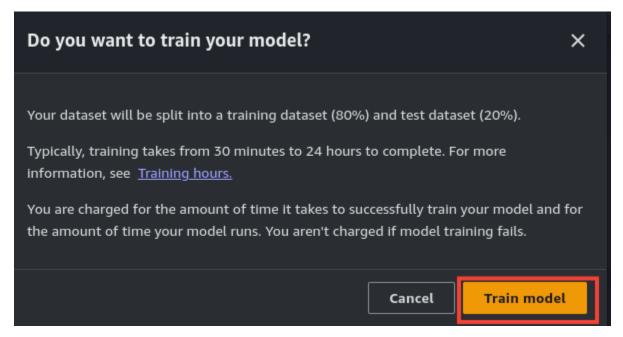
Step 12: Train the model



Step 13: Select the image\_classified\_project and click on the "train new model" button

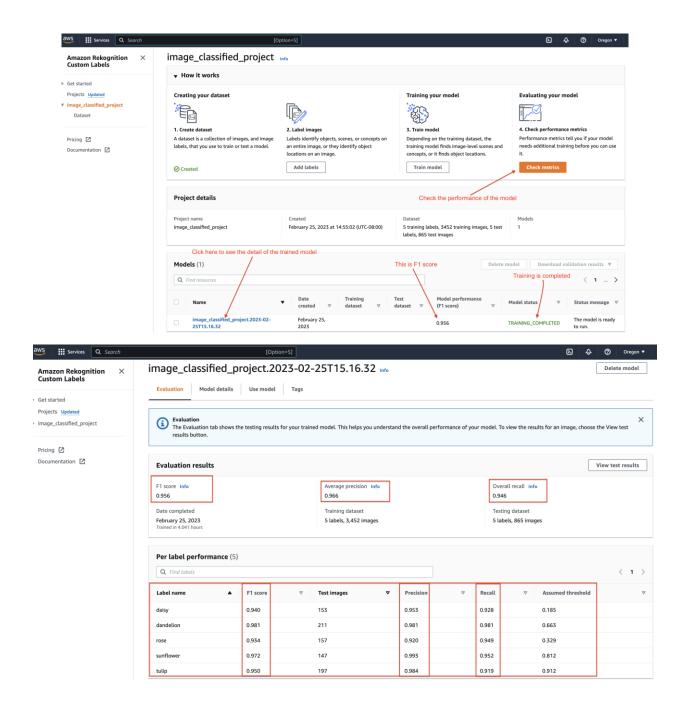


When you are prompted "Do you want to train your model?", click "Train model".



You might need to wait until the model status changes from TRAINING\_IN\_PROGRESS to TRAINING\_COMPLETED.

Step 14: Check the performance of the trained model



### **HOS** submission instructions:

- 1. Please install the GitHub Desktop: <a href="https://cityuseattle.github.io/docs/git/github\_desktop/">https://cityuseattle.github.io/docs/git/github\_desktop/</a>
- 2. Clone, organize, and submit your work through GitHub Desktop: <a href="https://cityuseattle.github.io/docs/hoporhos">https://cityuseattle.github.io/docs/hoporhos</a>