

# Launching Cloud Manager from the AWS Marketplace

It is best to launch Cloud Manager in AWS using [NetApp Cloud Central](#), but you can launch it from the AWS Marketplace, if needed.



If you launch Cloud Manager from the AWS Marketplace, Cloud Manager is still integrated with NetApp Cloud Central. [Learn more about the integration.](#)

## *Before you begin*

If you want to assign a public IP address to the Cloud Manager instance and use the AWS 1-Click Launch option, the public subnet must be already enabled to automatically assign public IP addresses. Otherwise, you must use the Manual Launch option to assign a public IP address to the instance.

For details, refer to [AWS Documentation: IP Addressing in Your VPC](#).

## *Steps*

1. Set up an IAM role that includes the required permissions.

[Granting permissions when Cloud Manager is not launched from Cloud Central](#)

2. Go to the [Cloud Manager page on the AWS Marketplace](#).
3. Click **Continue**.
4. Launch the instance from the 1-Click Launch tab or the Custom Launch tab, depending on how you want to grant AWS permissions to Cloud Manager:

Choice	Steps
You want to associate the instance with an IAM role.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. On the Custom Launch tab, click <b>Launch with EC2 Console</b> for your region.</li><li>b. Choose the t2.medium or m4.large instance type.</li><li>c. Select a VPC, subnet, IAM role, and other configuration options that meet your requirements.</li><li>d. Keep the default storage options.</li><li>e. Enter tags for the instance, if desired.</li><li>f. Specify the required connection methods for the Cloud Manager instance: SSH, HTTP, and HTTPS.</li><li>g. Click <b>Launch</b>.</li></ol>

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You do not want to associate the instance with an IAM role. You want to specify AWS keys for each Cloud Manager user account.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. On the 1-Click Launch tab, specify settings for the instance. Note the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ The t2.medium and m4.large instance types are supported.</li> <li>◦ Under security group, select <b>Create new based on seller settings</b> to create a pre-defined security group that includes the rules required by Cloud Manager.</li> </ul> </li> <li>b. Click <b>Accept Terms and Launch with 1-Click</b>.</li> </ol>

### *Result*

AWS launches the software with the specified settings. The Cloud Manager instance and software should be running in approximately five minutes.

### *After you finish*

Log in to Cloud Manager by entering the public IP address or private IP address in a web browser and then complete the Setup wizard.