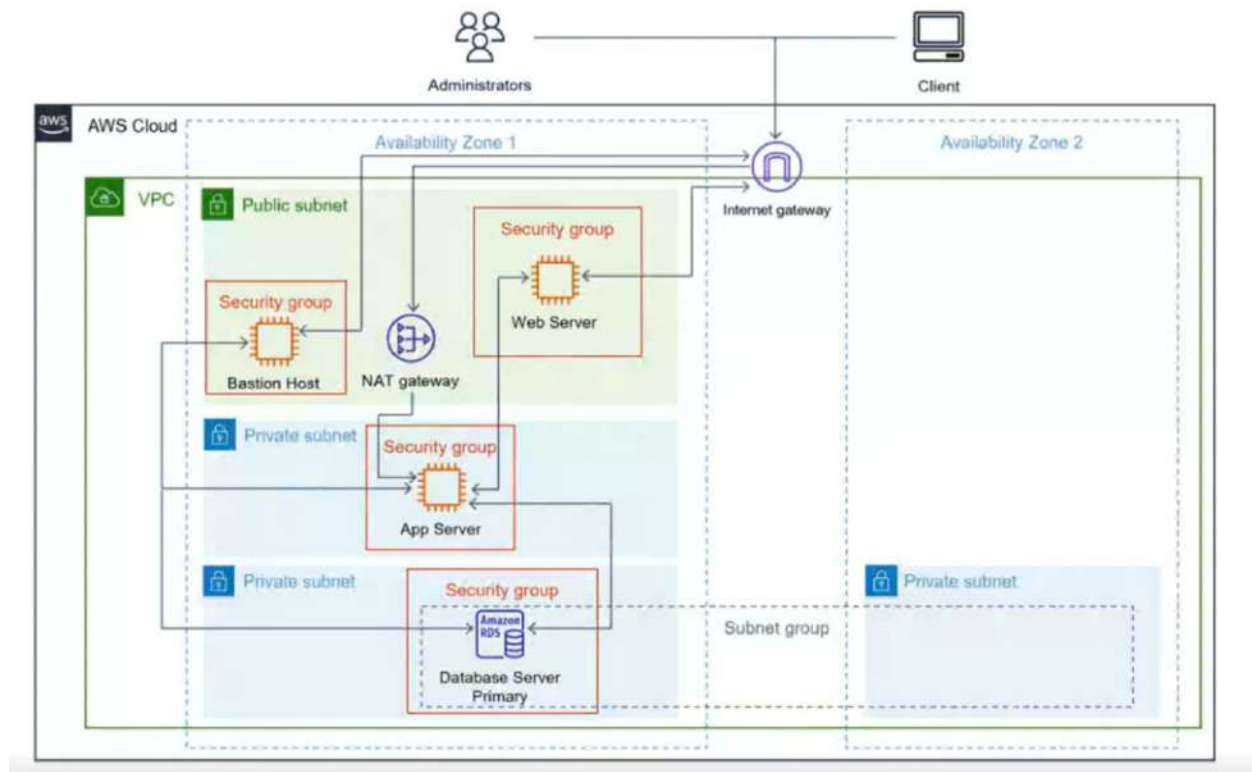


## Tier 3 Project



### Make VPC

- 4 subnets (1 public, 3 private)
- Enable in subnet settings public ip addresses
- Make it highly available (use 2 availability zones, the final private subnet can be the only one in a different subnet)
- Allocate an Elastic IP
- Create a nat gateway
- Create an internet gateway and attach it to your VPC
- Make route tables for your public and private subnets and attach an internet gateway and nat gateway to them respectively
- Make security groups for Bastion Host, web server, app server, and database
- Make sure to go back to security groups after making them and adding security groups to link them together, for example in the app server security group adding a rule for the database security group after creating the database security group.

### Creating the VPC

**VPC settings**

**Resources to create** [Info](#)  
Create only the VPC resource or the VPC and other networking resources.

☒ VPC only ☐ VPC and more

**Name tag - optional**  
Creates a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.

3-Tier VPC

**IPv4 CIDR block** [Info](#)  
☒ IPv4 CIDR manual input  
☐ IPAM-allocated IPv4 CIDR block

IPv4 CIDR  
192.168.0.0/16  
CIDR block size must be between /16 and /28.

**IPv6 CIDR block** [Info](#)  
☒ No IPv6 CIDR block  
☐ IPAM-allocated IPv6 CIDR block  
☐ Amazon-provided IPv6 CIDR block  
☐ IPv6 CIDR owned by me

**Tenancy** [Info](#)

**You successfully created vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 / 3-Tier VPC**

[VPC](#) > [Your VPCs](#) > vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8

## vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 / 3-Tier VPC Actions ▾

**Details** [Info](#)

VPC ID vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8	State Available	DNS hostnames Disabled	DNS resolution Enabled
Tenancy Default	DHCP option set dopt-00df23fa5001c4dc9	Main route table rtb-068b0049475d7bcce	Main network ACL acl-08907e09d3b69b10e
Default VPC No	IPv4 CIDR 192.168.0.0/16	IPv6 pool -	IPv6 CIDR (Network border group) -
Network Address Usage metrics Disabled	Route 53 Resolver DNS Firewall rule groups -	Owner ID 211125753258	

[Resource map](#) [CIDRs](#) [Flow logs](#) [Tags](#) [Integrations](#)

**Resource map** [Info](#)

Creating the subnets(1 public and 3 private)

**Create subnet** [Info](#)

**VPC**

VPC ID  
Create subnets in this VPC.  
vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 (3-Tier VPC)

**Associated VPC CIDRs**

IPv4 CIDRs  
192.168.0.0/16

- Assign it a name letting you know what it is your first public subnet
- Put it in any availability zone and give it a CIDR of 192.168.1.0/24

**Subnet settings**  
Specify the CIDR blocks and Availability Zone for the subnet.

**Subnet 1 of 1**

**Subnet name**  
Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.  
Public Subnet  
The name can be up to 256 characters long.

**Availability Zone** [Info](#)  
Choose the zone in which your subnet will reside, or let Amazon choose one for you.  
US West (Oregon) / us-west-2b

**IPv4 VPC CIDR block** [Info](#)  
Choose the VPC's IPv4 CIDR block for the subnet. The subnet's IPv4 CIDR must lie within this block.  
192.168.0.0/16

**IPv4 subnet CIDR block**  
192.168.1.0/24 256 IPs

▼ **Tags - optional**

Key	Value - optional

- Add a second subnet and name it Private Subnet 1 or something to let you know it is your first private subnet
- Put it in the same availability zone as the first subnet you made and give it a CIDR of 192.168.2.0/24

#### Subnet 2 of 2

##### Subnet name

Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.

Private Subnet 1

The name can be up to 256 characters long.

##### Availability Zone [Info](#)

Choose the zone in which your subnet will reside, or let Amazon choose one for you.

US West (Oregon) / us-west-2b

##### IPv4 VPC CIDR block [Info](#)

Choose the VPC's IPv4 CIDR block for the subnet. The subnet's IPv4 CIDR must lie within this block.

192.168.0.0/16

##### IPv4 subnet CIDR block

192.168.2.0/24

256 IPs

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##### ▼ Tags - optional

Key

Value - optional

Q Name

X

Q Private Subnet 1

X

Remove

Add new tag

- Add a third subnet and assign a name letting you know it is the second private subnet you will be making
- Put it in the same availability zone as your first public subnet and give it a CIDR of 192.168.3.0/24

##### Subnet name

Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.

Private Subnet 2

The name can be up to 256 characters long.

##### Availability Zone [Info](#)

Choose the zone in which your subnet will reside, or let Amazon choose one for you.

US West (Oregon) / us-west-2a

##### IPv4 VPC CIDR block [Info](#)

Choose the VPC's IPv4 CIDR block for the subnet. The subnet's IPv4 CIDR must lie within this block.

192.168.0.0/16

##### IPv4 subnet CIDR block

192.168.3.0/24

256 IPs

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##### ▼ Tags - optional

Key

Value - optional

Q Name

X

Q Private Subnet 2

X

Remove

Add new tag

You can add 49 more tags.

Remove

- Add a fourth and final subnet and give it a name letting you know it is the third private subnet
- Put it in a different availability zone from the rest of your subnets and give it a CIDR of 192.168.4.0/24

**Subnet 4 of 4**

**Subnet name**  
Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.  
Private Subnet 3  
The name can be up to 256 characters long.

**Availability Zone** Info  
Choose the zone in which your subnet will reside, or let Amazon choose one for you.  
US West (Oregon) / us-west-2a

**IPv4 VPC CIDR block** Info  
Choose the VPC's IPv4 CIDR block for the subnet. The subnet's IPv4 CIDR must lie within this block.  
192.168.0.0/16

**IPv4 subnet CIDR block**  
192.168.4.0/24 256 IPs

**Tags - optional**

Key	Value - optional
Name	Private Subnet 3

Add new tag

✓ You have successfully created 4 subnets: subnet-0970f218d1a4c6c45, subnet-0e3339e14ec49d4ca, subnet-0325fd7102dba87c5, subnet-0cb62cc65e1a59856

**Subnets (4)** Info Last updated less than a minute ago Actions Create subnet

Find resources by attribute or tag

Subnet ID : subnet-0970f218d1a4c6c45 Subnet ID : subnet-0e3339e14ec49d4ca Subnet ID : subnet-0325fd7102dba87c5

Show more (+1) Clear filters

	Name	Subnet ID	State	VPC	IPv4 CIDR
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 1	<a href="#">subnet-0e3339e14ec49d4ca</a>	✓ Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.2
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 3	<a href="#">subnet-0cb62cc65e1a59856</a>	✓ Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.4
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 2	<a href="#">subnet-0325fd7102dba87c5</a>	✓ Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Subnet	<a href="#">subnet-0970f218d1a4c6c45</a>	✓ Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.1

- Set up for route tables
- Allocate an Elastic IP address by going to Elastic IPs on the left hand side and click "Allocate Elastic IP address"

## Create route table [Info](#)

A route table specifies how packets are forwarded between the subnets within your VPC, the internet, and your VPN connection.

### Route table settings

#### Name - optional

Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.

#### VPC

The VPC to use for this route table.

### Tags

A tag is a label that you assign to an AWS resource. Each tag consists of a key and an optional value. You can use tags to search and filter your resources or track your AWS costs.

#### Key

#### Value - optional

You can add 49 more tags.

[VPC](#) > [Route tables](#) > [rtb-06cae8b07cecd058](#) > [Edit subnet associations](#)

## Edit subnet associations

Change which subnets are associated with this route table.

### Available subnets (4)

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Subnet ID	IPv4 CIDR	IPv6 CIDR	Route table ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 1	<a href="#">subnet-0e3339e14ec49d4ca</a>	192.168.2.0/24	–	<a href="#">Main (rtb-068b0049475d7bcce)</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 3	<a href="#">subnet-0cb62cc65e1a59856</a>	192.168.4.0/24	–	<a href="#">Main (rtb-068b0049475d7bcce)</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 2	<a href="#">subnet-0325fd7102dba87c5</a>	192.168.3.0/24	–	<a href="#">Main (rtb-068b0049475d7bcce)</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Subnet	<a href="#">subnet-0970f218d1a4c6c45</a>	192.168.1.0/24	–	<a href="#">Main (rtb-068b0049475d7bcce)</a>

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NB: Do not forget to associate your Route table to their respective subnets

## Allocate an Elastic IP

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Allocate Elastic IP address

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Elastic IP address settings

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Network border group

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Public IPv4 address pool

Amazon's pool of IPv4 addresses

Public IPv4 address that you bring to your AWS account with BYOIP. (option disabled because no pools found) Learn more

Customer-owned pool of IPv4 addresses created from your on-premises network for use with an Outpost. (option disabled because no customer owned pools found) Learn more

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Create accelerator

because no pools found) Learn more

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Tags - optional

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No tags associated with the resource.

Add new tag

You can add up to 50 more tag

Cancel

Allocate

✓ Elastic IP address allocated successfully.  
Elastic IP address 54.188.100.136

Associate this Elastic IP address

Elastic IP addresses (1)

Find resources by attribute or tag

Public IPv4 address : 54.188.100.136 X Clear filters

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Allocated IPv4 addr...	Type	Allocation ID	Reverse
<input type="checkbox"/>	-	<a href="#">54.188.100.136</a>	Public IP	eipalloc-01d042ed986f3fb6e	-

View IP address usage and recommendations to release unused IPs with [Public IP insights](#)

✓ Elastic IP address allocated successfully.  
Elastic IP address 54.188.100.136

Associate this Elastic IP address

Elastic IP addresses (1)

Find resources by attribute or tag

Public IPv4 address : 54.188.100.136 X Clear filters

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Allocated IPv4 addr...	Type	Allocation ID	Reverse
<input type="checkbox"/>	-	<a href="#">54.188.100.136</a>	Public IP	eipalloc-01d042ed986f3fb6e	-

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- Now create an internet gateway and attach it to the VPC by going to Internet Gateways on the left hand side and clicking "Create Internet Gateway"
- Once it is created attach it to your VPC by clicking "Attach to a VPC" on the top of the screen



✓ The following internet gateway was created: igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3 - lab-IGW. You can now attach to a VPC to enable the VPC to communicate with the internet. [Attach to a VPC](#) ✕

VPC > Internet gateways > igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3

## igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3 / lab-IGW Actions ▾

**Details** [Info](#)

Internet gateway ID igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3	State ⊖ Detached	VPC ID -	Owner 211125753258
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**Tags** Manage tags

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Key	Value
Name	lab-IGW

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VPC > Internet gateways > Attach to VPC (igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3) [Info](#)

## Attach to VPC (igw-0cdc09b8af68b77f3)

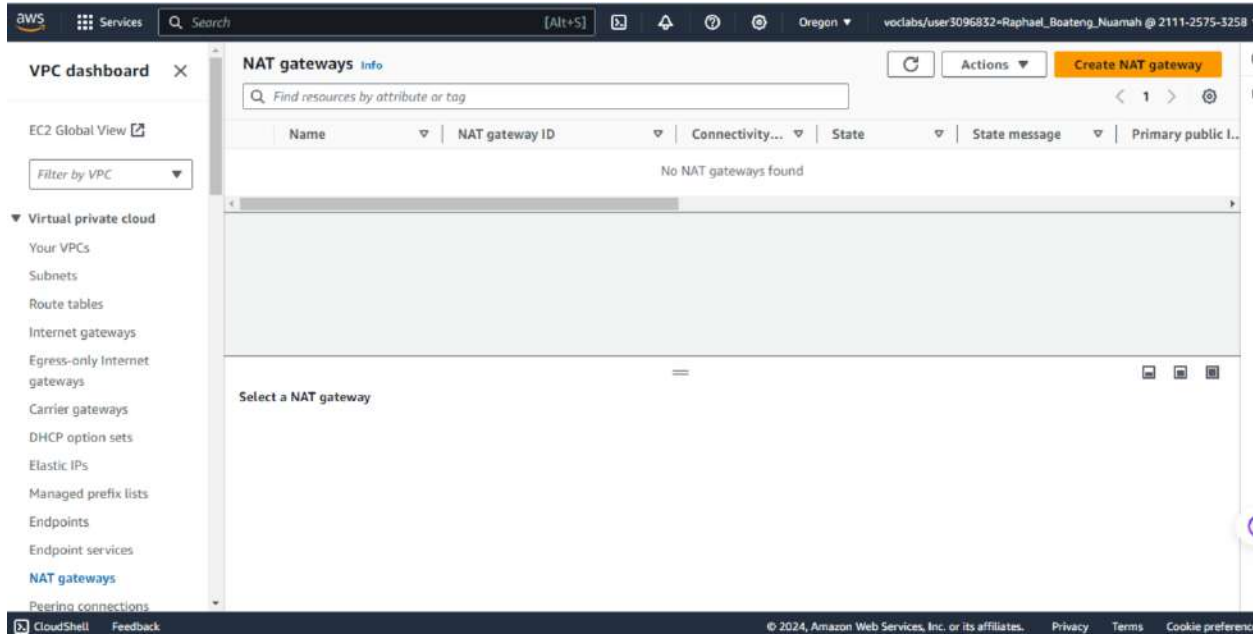
**VPC**  
Attach an internet gateway to a VPC to enable the VPC to communicate with the internet. Specify the VPC to attach below.

**Available VPCs**  
Attach the internet gateway to this VPC.

vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 - 3-Tier VPC

Cancel [Attach internet gateway](#)

Create a NAT Gateway by clicking on Nat Gateways on the left hand side and then clicking "Create NAT Gateway"



- Give it a name similar to the one below and assign it to a public subnet
- Click the drop down for Elastic IPs and click the one you created previously
- Click "Create NAT gateway"

## Create NAT gateway [Info](#)

A highly available, managed Network Address Translation (NAT) service that instances in private subnets can use to connect to services in other VPCs, on-premises networks, or the internet.

### NAT gateway settings

**Name - optional**  
Create a tag with a key of 'Name' and a value that you specify.

The name can be up to 256 characters long.

**Subnet**  
Select a subnet in which to create the NAT gateway.

**Connectivity type**  
Select a connectivity type for the NAT gateway.

☒ Public
 ☐ Private

**Elastic IP allocation ID** [Info](#)  
Assign an Elastic IP address to the NAT gateway.

► [Additional settings](#) [Info](#)

- Now add a route to our public route table to get access to the internet gateway
- Click on “Routes” next to “Details” and click “Edit routes

NAT gateway nat-09eb26a556f80cec7 | lab-NAT was created successfully.

Route tables (1/4) Info Last updated 28 minutes ago Actions Create route table

Find resources by attribute or tag

Name	Route table ID	Explicit subnet associ...	Edge associations	Main	V
-	rtb-00fb623bfaf7f1728	-	-	Yes	vi
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Subnet Route Table	rtb-06cae8b07cecdc058	subnet-021d178bc40fc6c...	-	No	vi
-	rtb-068b0049475d7bcce	-	-	Yes	vi
<input type="checkbox"/> Private Subnet Route Table	rtb-07a1aa82ce65cd204	3 subnets	-	No	vi

Details Routes Subnet associations Edge associations Route propagation Tags

Routes (1) Both Edit routes

Filter routes

Destination	Target	Status	Propagated
192.168.0.0/16	local	Active	No

- Add a new route having a destination of anywhere and a target of your internet gateway and click “Save changes”

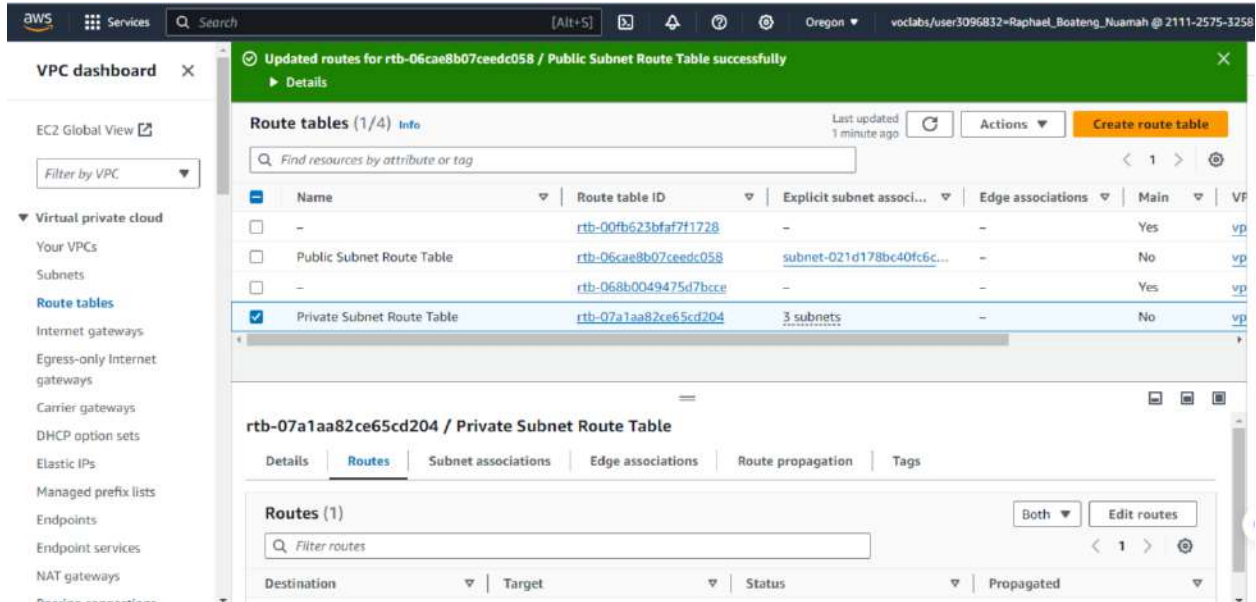
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VPC > Route tables > rtb-06cae8b07cecdc058 > Edit routes

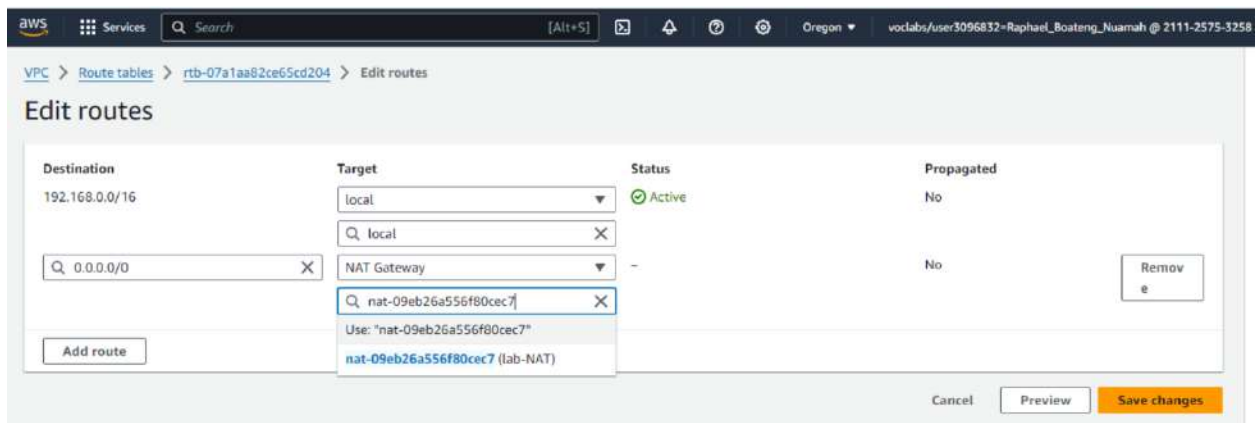
### Edit routes

Destination	Target	Status	Propagated
192.168.0.0/16	local	Active	No
0.0.0.0/0	Internet Gateway	-	No

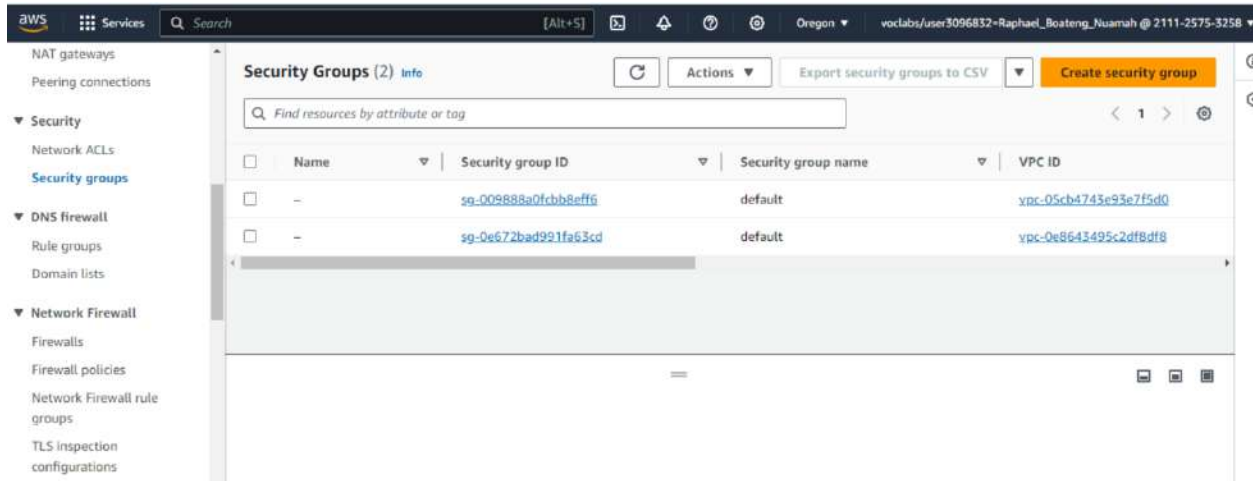
- Go to edit the routes of the private table



- Add a route to the private table that has a destination of anywhere and a target of your Nat gateway that you made earlier



- Now to create our security groups (One for our bastion host, web server, app server, and our database) we will head to Security Groups on the left and click "Create security group"



- Give it a name and description letting you know it is for a bastion host
- Assign your VPC to it
- Give it three inbound rules, one for SSH using your IP and one for HTTP using 0.0.0.0/0 as well as https using 0.0.0.0/0

**Create security group** [Info](#)

A security group acts as a virtual firewall for your instance to control inbound and outbound traffic. To create a new security group, complete the fields below.

**Basic details**

Security group name [Info](#)  
  
Name cannot be edited after creation.

Description [Info](#)

VPC [Info](#)

**Inbound rules** [Info](#)

Type <a href="#">Info</a>	Protocol <a href="#">Info</a>	Port range <a href="#">Info</a>	Source <a href="#">Info</a>	Description - optional <a href="#">Info</a>	
HTTP	TCP	80	Any... <input type="text" value="0.0.0.0/0"/>		Delete
SSH	TCP	22	Any... <input type="text" value="0.0.0.0/0"/>		Delete
HTTPS	TCP	443	Any... <input type="text" value="0.0.0.0/0"/>		Delete

[Add rule](#)

**Rules with source of 0.0.0.0/0 or ::/0 allow all IP addresses to access your instance. We recommend setting security group rules to allow access from known IP addresses only.**

- Create another security group
- Give it a name and description letting you know it is for a Web server
- Assign your VPC to it
- Give it the same inbound rules as the Bastion Host security group

[VPC](#) > [Security Groups](#) > Create security group

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Name cannot be edited after creation.

Description [Info](#)

VPC [Info](#)

**Inbound rules** Info

Type <small>Info</small>	Protocol <small>Info</small>	Port range <small>Info</small>	Source <small>Info</small>	Description - optional <small>Info</small>	
HTTP	TCP	80	Any...	0.0.0.0/0	Delete
SSH	TCP	22	Any...	0.0.0.0/0	Delete
HTTPS	TCP	443	Any...	0.0.0.0/0	Delete

[Add rule](#)

Rules with source of 0.0.0.0/0 or ::/0 allow all IP addresses to access your instance. We recommend setting security group rules to allow access from known IP addresses only.

- Create another security group
- Give it a name and description letting you know it is for an app server
- Assign your VPC to it
- Give it an inbound rule for All ICMP -IPv4 with a source of your web server SG and another inbound rule for SSH with a source of your bastion host SG

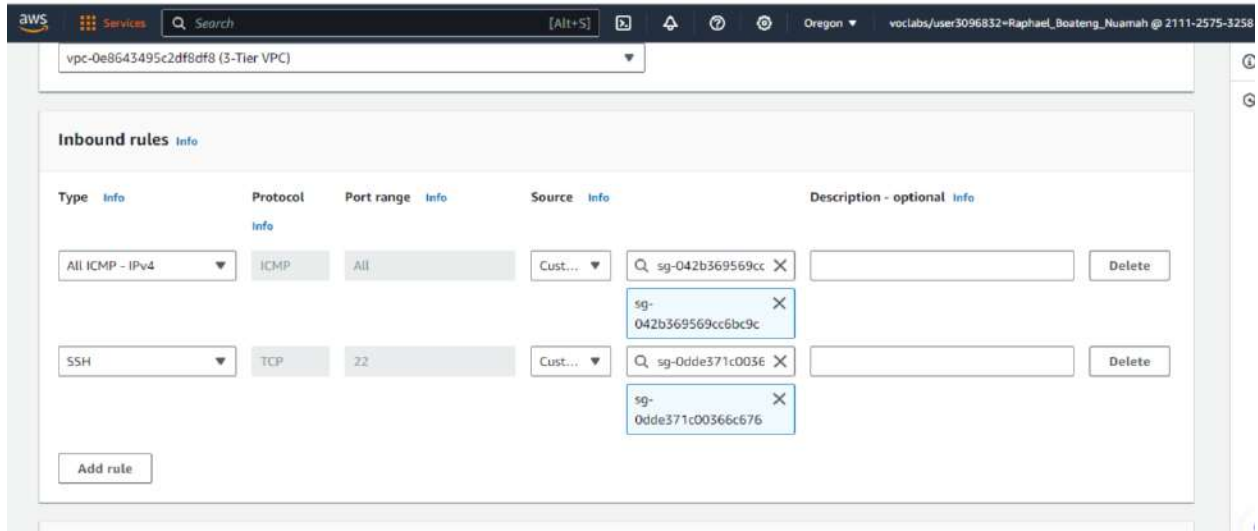
**Subnets (4)** Info

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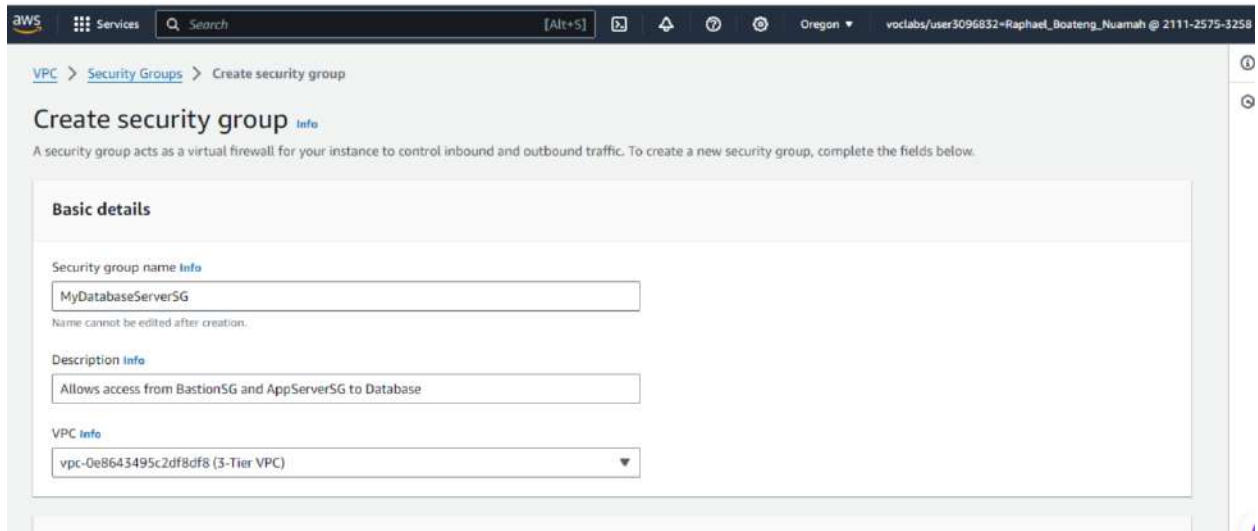
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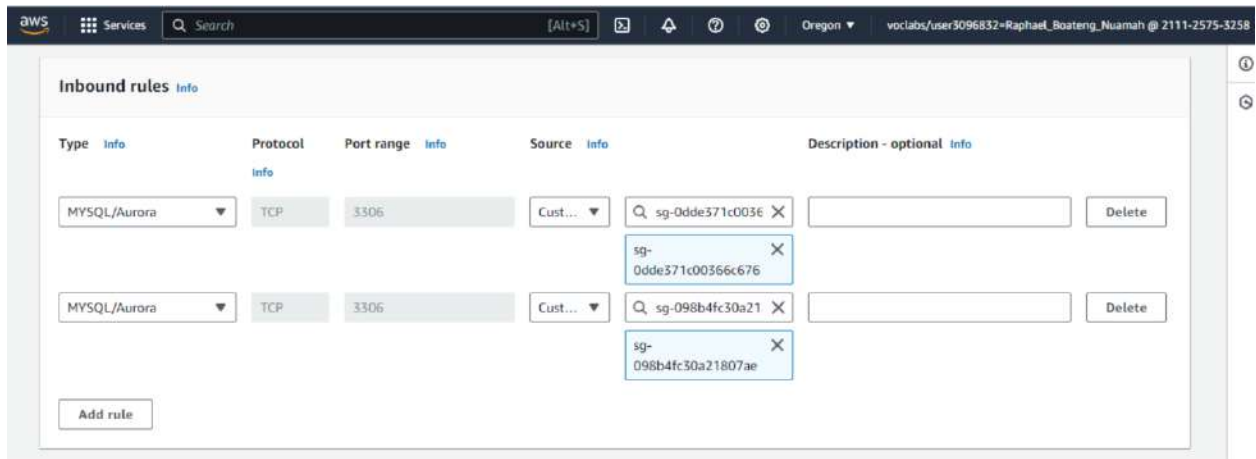
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 3	<a href="#">subnet-0cb62cc65e1a59856</a>	Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.4
<input type="checkbox"/>	Private Subnet 2	<a href="#">subnet-0325fd7102dba87c5</a>	Available	<a href="#">vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8</a>   3-Tie...	192.168.3
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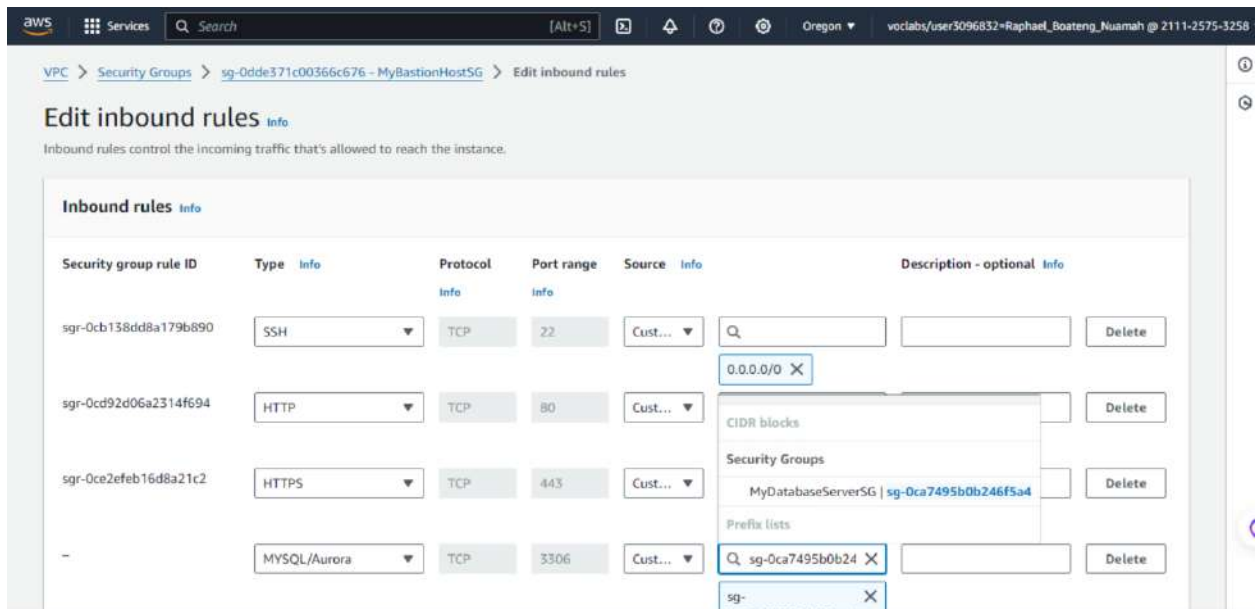
- Create one final security group
- Give it a name and description letting you know it is for a database server
- Assign your VPC to it
- Give it two inbound rules both for MYSQL/Aurora and give one of them a source of your app server SG and the other one a source of your bastion host SG



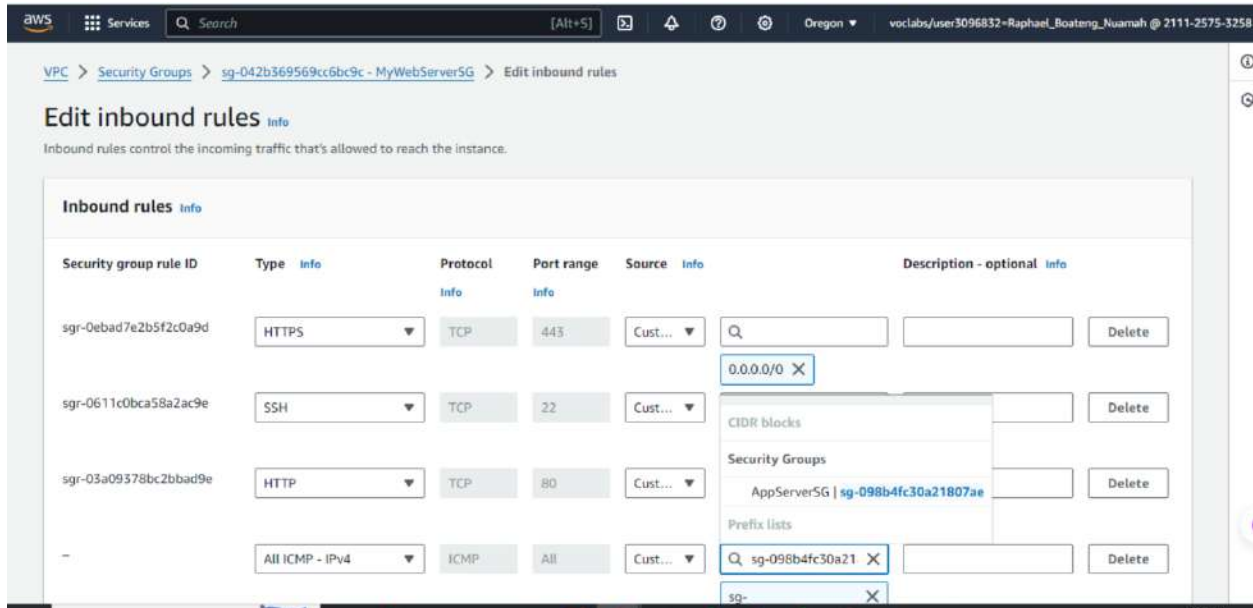




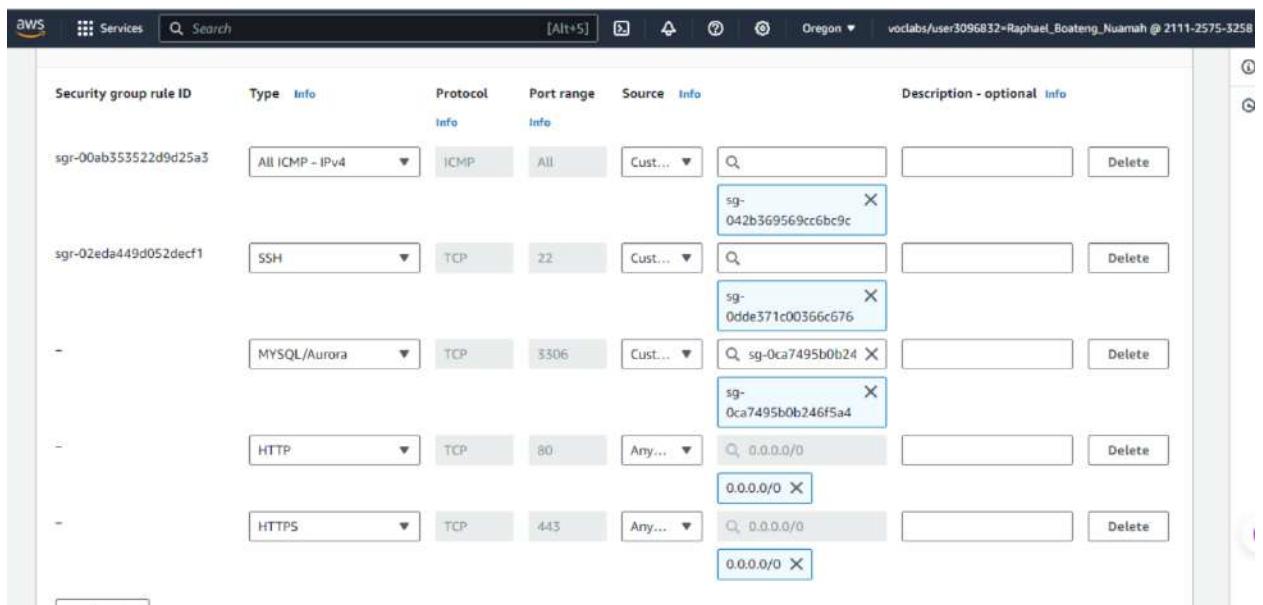
- Include bastion host inbound rules and add one more for MySQL/Aurora and a source of your database SG



Include web server inbound rules and add one more for All ICMP - IPv4 and a source of your app server SG



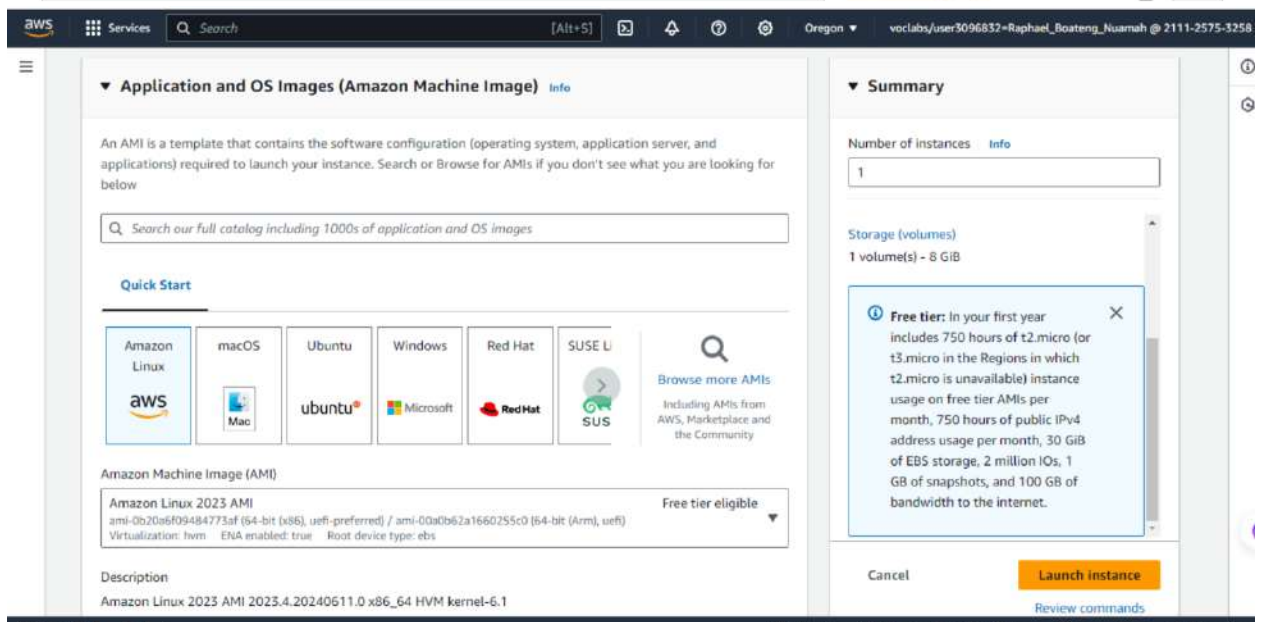
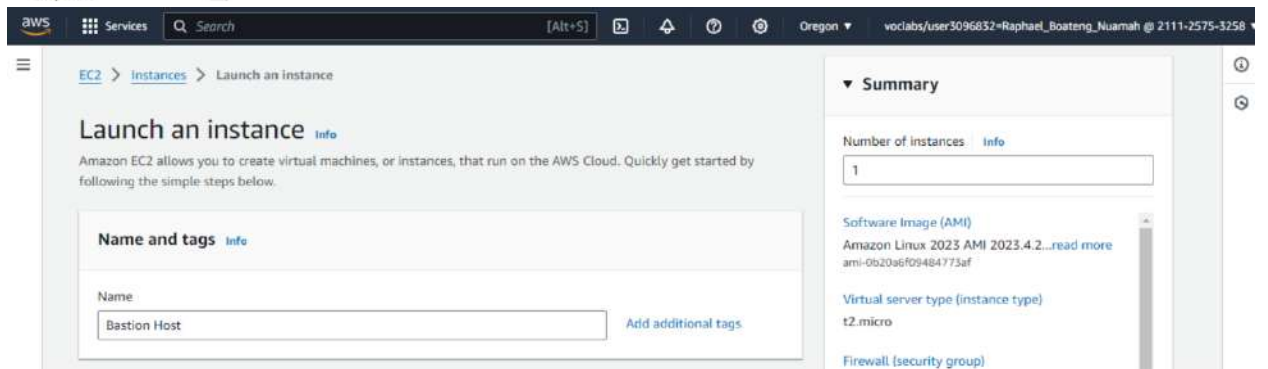
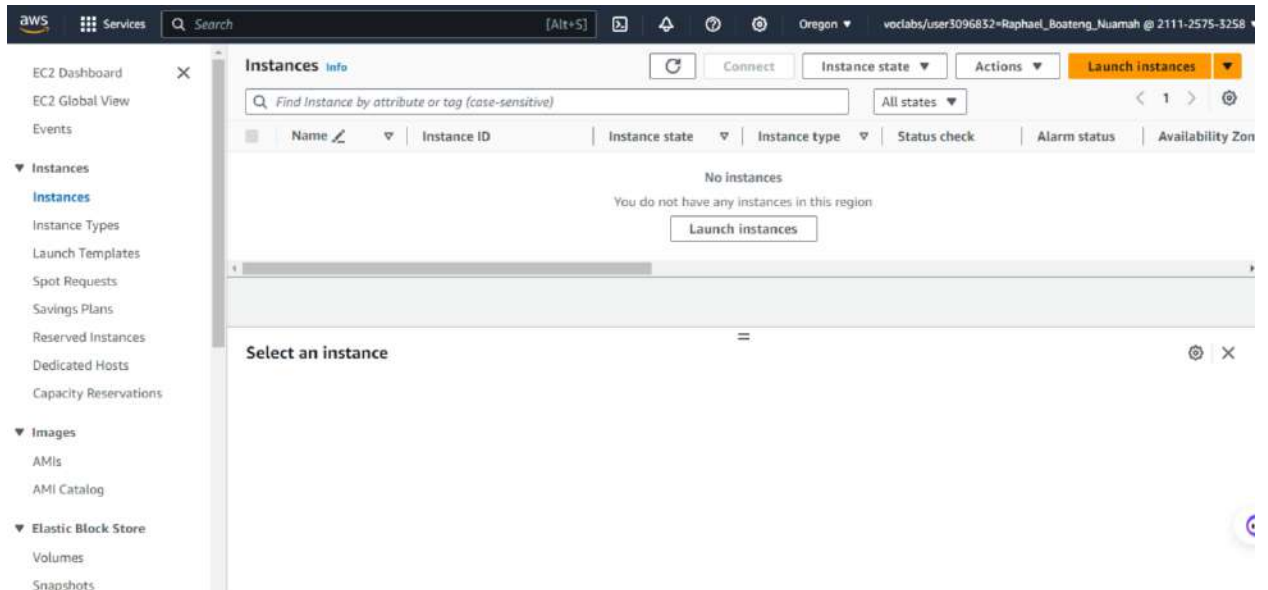
- Include app server inbound rules and add one more for MYSQL/Aurora and a source of your database SG and then an HTTP and HTTPS rule both with a source of 0.0.0.0/0



## Step 2: Create Servers

### Create Bastion Host

- EC2 instance
  - Amazon linux 2 ami
  - T2.micro
  - Use your vpc and public subnet
  - Use Security Group for Bastion Host made in VPC Setup



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Instance type

t2.micro

Family: t2 1 vCPU 1 GiB Memory Current generation: true

On-Demand Linux base pricing: 0.0116 USD per Hour

On-Demand SUSE base pricing: 0.0116 USD per Hour

On-Demand Windows base pricing: 0.0162 USD per Hour

On-Demand RHEL base pricing: 0.0716 USD per Hour

Free tier eligible

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All generations

Compare instance types

Additional costs apply for AMIs with pre-installed software

▼ Key pair (login) [Info](#)

You can use a key pair to securely connect to your instance. Ensure that you have access to the selected key pair before you launch the instance.

Key pair name - required

Select

Create new key pair

▼ Network settings [Info](#)

▼ Summary

Number of instances [Info](#)

1

Storage (volumes)

1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

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▼ Network settings [Info](#)

VPC - required [Info](#)

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192.168.0.0/16

Subnet [Info](#)

subnet-021d178bc40fc6c47

Public Subnet

VPC: vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 Owner: 211125753258

Availability Zone: us-west-2b IP addresses available: 250 CIDR: 192.168.1.0/24

Create new subnet

Auto-assign public IP [Info](#)

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Firewall (security groups) [Info](#)

A security group is a set of firewall rules that control the traffic for your instance. Add rules to allow specific traffic to reach your instance.

Create security group

Select existing security group

Common security groups [Info](#)

Select security groups

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MyBastionHostSG sg-0dde371c00366c676

VPC: vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8

Compare security group rules

Security groups that you add or remove here will be added to or removed from all your network interfaces.

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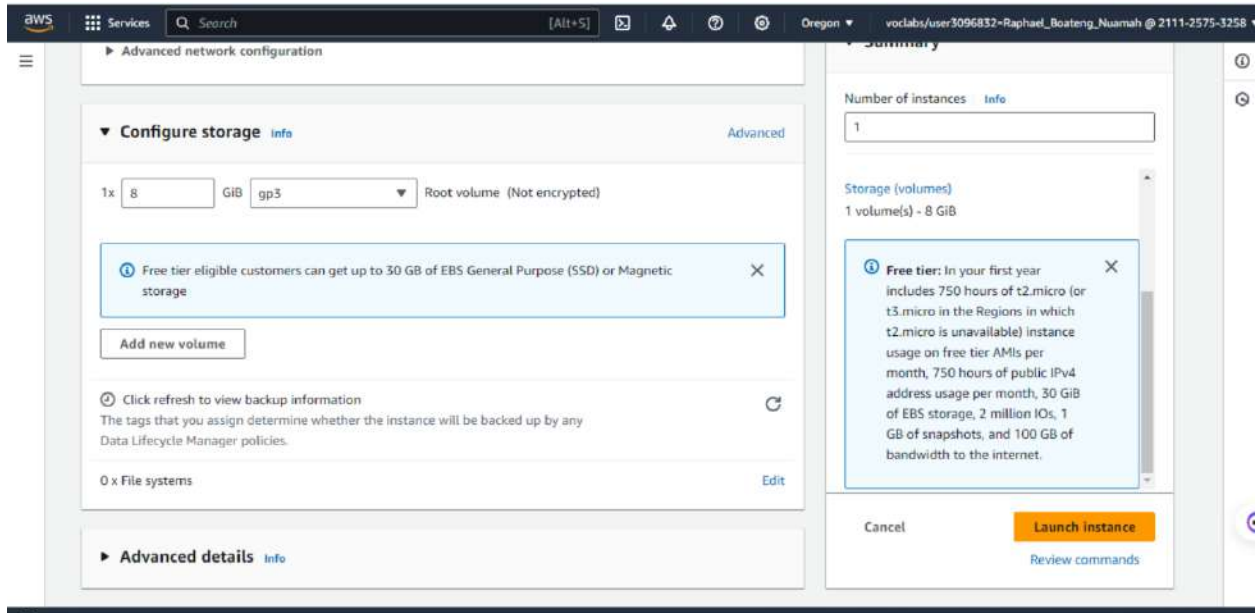
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## Create Web Server

- EC2 instance
  - Amazon linux 2 ami
  - T2.micro
  - Use your vpc and public subnet
  - In user data
    - `#!/bin/bash`
    - `sudo yum update -y`
    - `sudo amazon-linux-extras install -y lamp-mariadb10.2-php7.2 php7.2`
    - `Sudo yum install -y httpd`
    - Use `sudo systemctl start httpd` to start up the webserver
    - Use `sudo systemctl enable httpd` to do it on reboot
  - Use Security Group for Web Server made in VPC Setup

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Name

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Number of instances

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Software Image (AMI)

Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.4.2...read more  
ami-0b20a6f09484773af

Virtual server type (instance type)

t2.micro

Firewall (security group)

MyWebServerSG

Storage (volumes)

1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

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ami-0b20a6f09484773af (64-bit (x86), uefi-preferred) / ami-00a0b62a1660255c0 (64-bit (Arm), uefi)  
Virtualization: hvm ENA enabled: true Root device type: ebs

Free tier eligible

Description

Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.4.20240611.0 x86\_64 HVM kernel-6.1

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Instance type

t2.micro

Family: t2 1 vCPU 1 GiB Memory Current generation: true  
On-Demand Linux base pricing: 0.0116 USD per Hour  
On-Demand SUSE base pricing: 0.0116 USD per Hour  
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Free tier eligible

All generations

Compare instance types

Additional costs apply for AMIs with pre-installed software

▼ Key pair (login) Info

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Key pair name - required

vockey

Create new key pair

▼ Network settings Info

VPC - required Info

vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 [3-Tier VPC]

192.168.0.0/16

Subnet Info

subnet-021d178bc40fc6c47

Public Subnet

VPC: vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 Owner: 211125753258  
Availability Zone: us-west-2b IP addresses available: 249 CIDR: 192.168.1.0/24

Create new subnet

Auto-assign public IP Info

Enable

Additional charges apply when outside of free tier allowance

Firewall (security groups) Info

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Create security group

Select existing security group

Common security groups Info

Select security groups

MyWebServerSG sg-042b369569cc6bc9c X  
VPC: vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8

Compare security group rules

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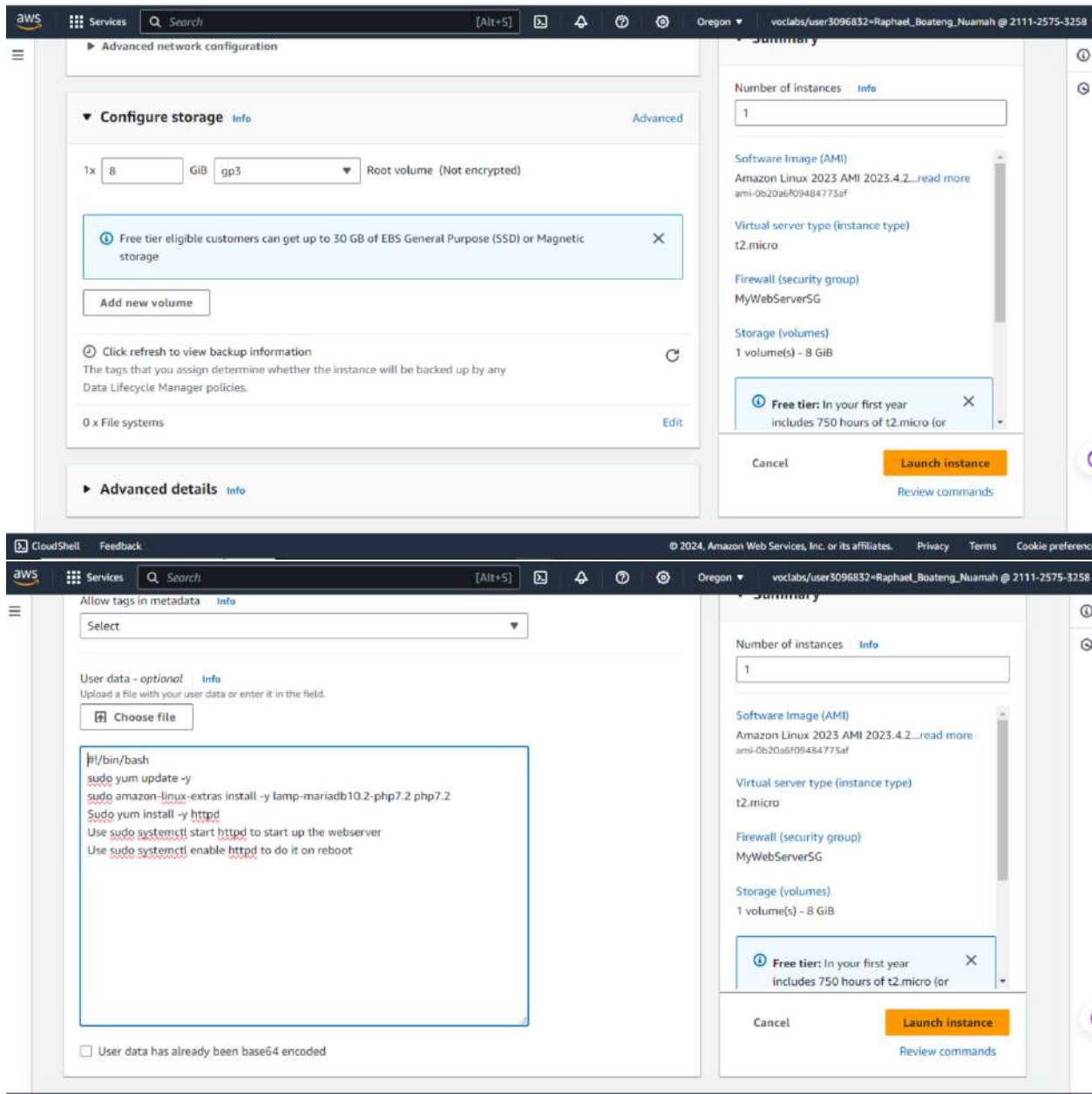
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## Create App Server

- EC2 instance
  - Amazon linux 2 ami
  - T2.micro
  - Use your vpc and private subnet
  - Type into user data
    - `#!/bin/bash`
    - `sudo yum install -y mariadb-server`
    - `Sudo service mariadb start`
  - Use Security Group for App Server made in VPC Setup



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Free tier eligible

Description

Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.4.20240611.0 x86\_64 HVM kernel-6.1

Architecture

64-bit (x86)

Boot mode

uefi-preferred

AMI ID

ami-0b20a6f09484773af

Verified provider

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▼ Network settings [Info](#)

VPC - required [Info](#)

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192.168.0.0/16

Subnet [Info](#)

subnet-0e3339e14ec49d4ca

Private Subnet 1

VPC: vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8 Owner: 211125753258

Availability Zone: us-west-2a IP addresses available: 251 CIDR: 192.168.2.0/24

[Create new subnet](#)

Auto-assign public IP [Info](#)

Disable

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AppServerSG sg-098b4fc30a21807ae

[Compare security group rules](#)

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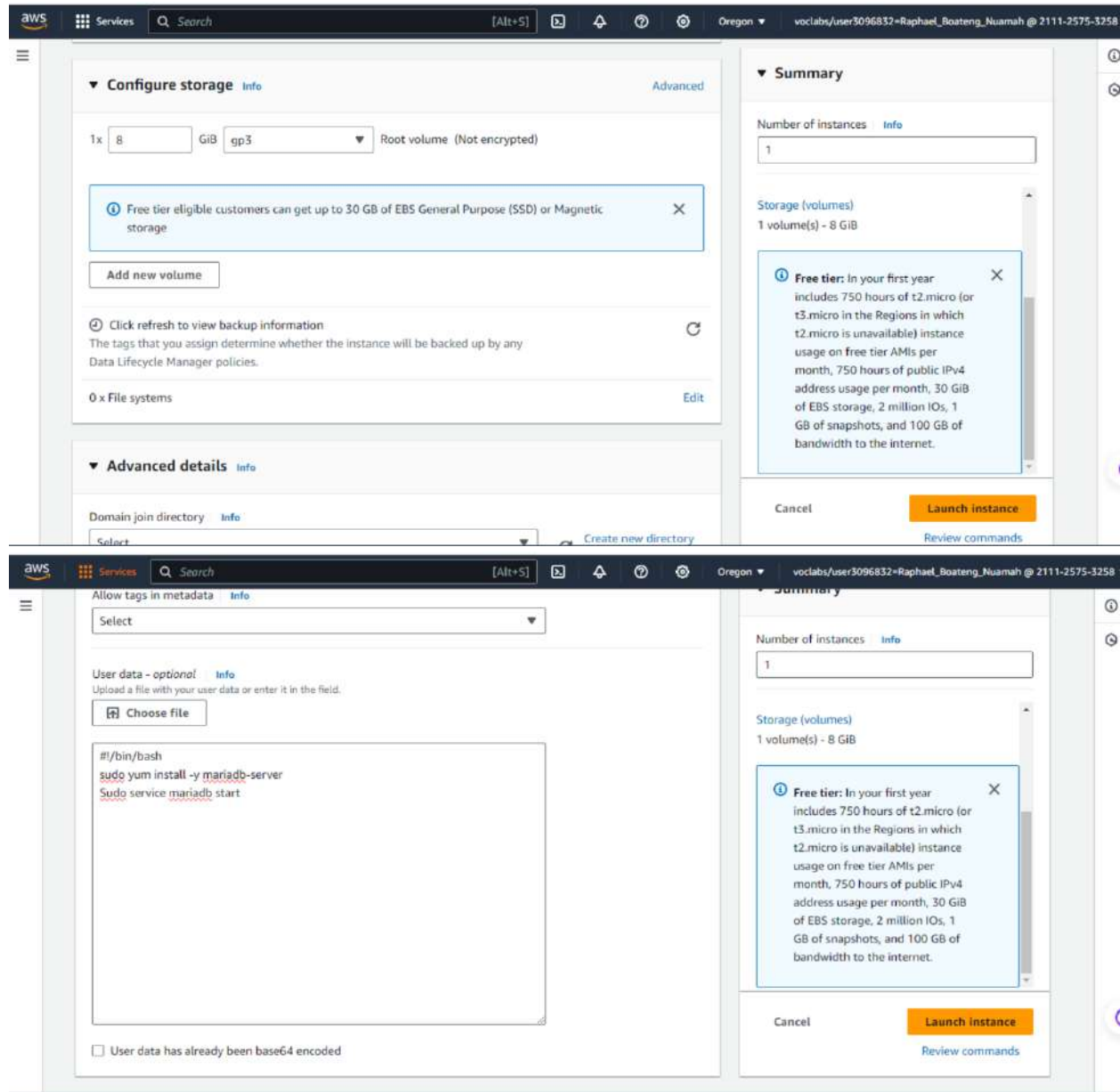
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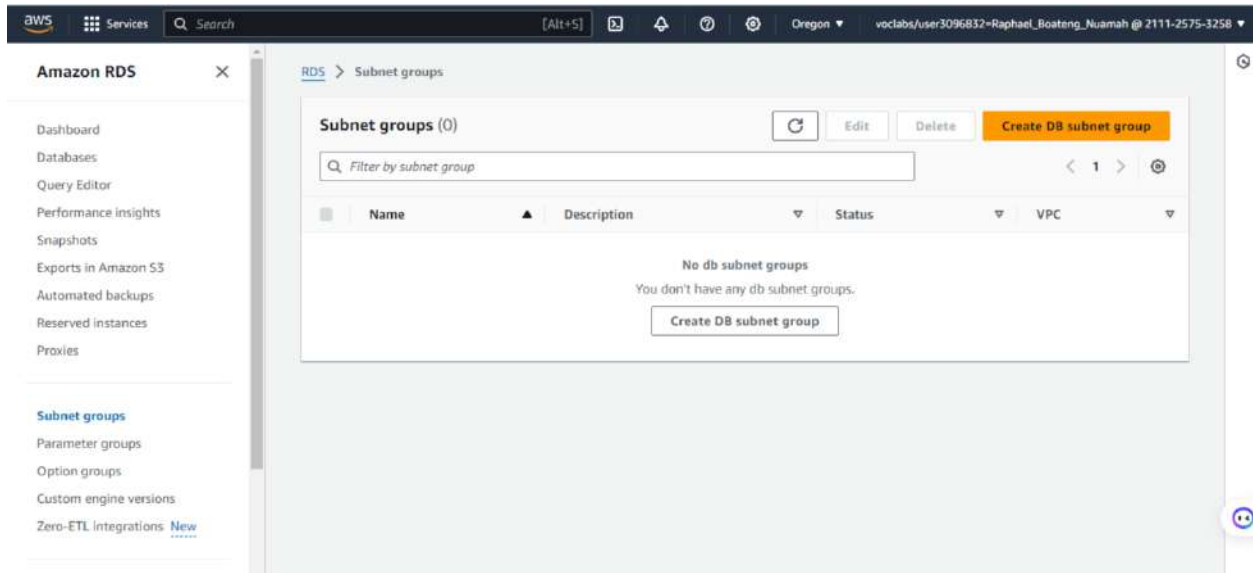


## Create DB instance

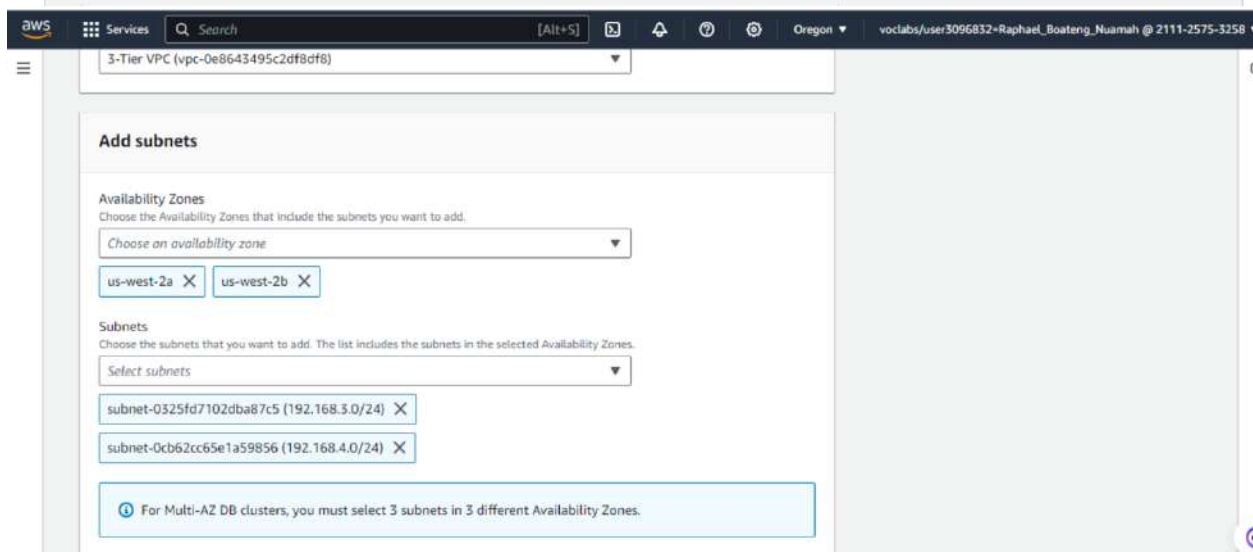
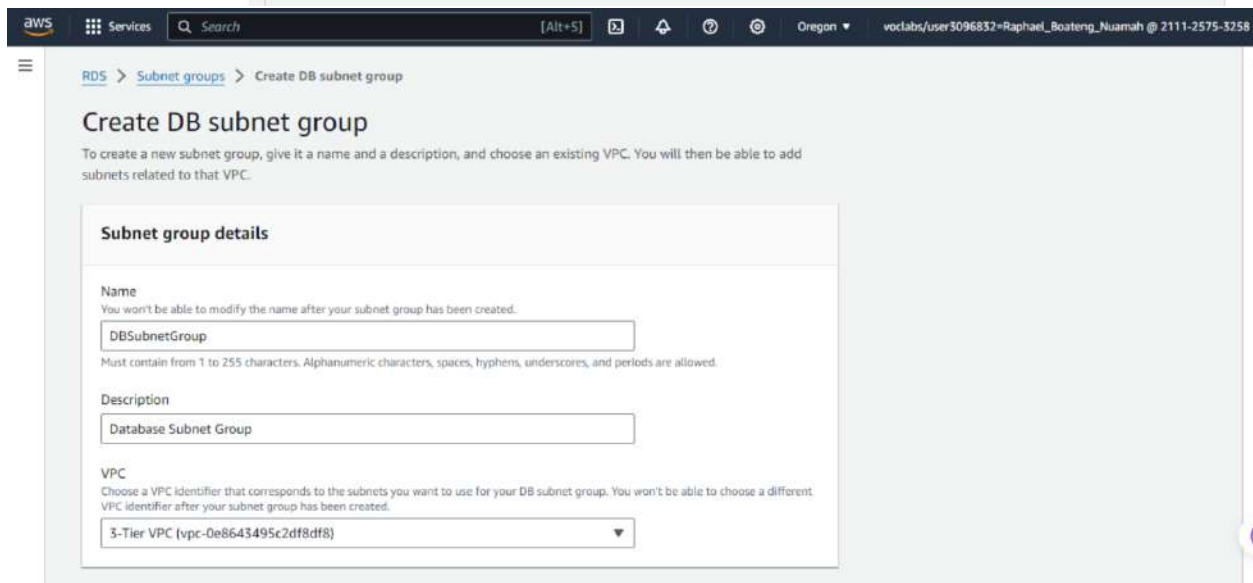
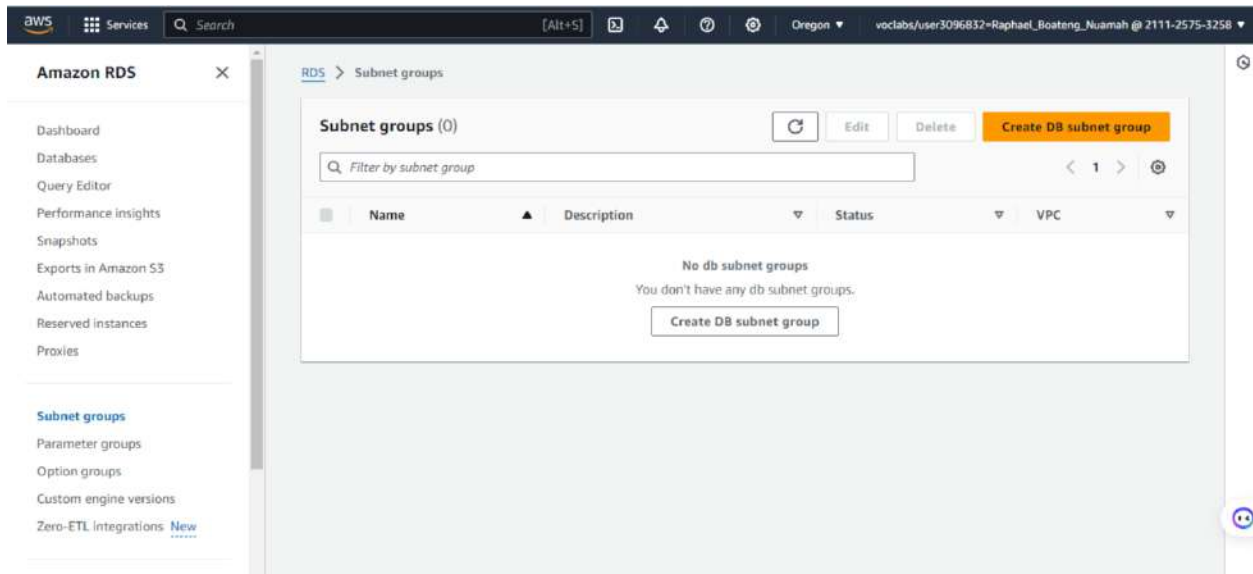
- Create a subnet group
- Make a database instance
  - Standard create
  - mariadb
  - Free Tier
  - Disable automated backups
  - Disable encryption
  - User = root
  - Password = Re:Start!9
  - Initial database = mydb

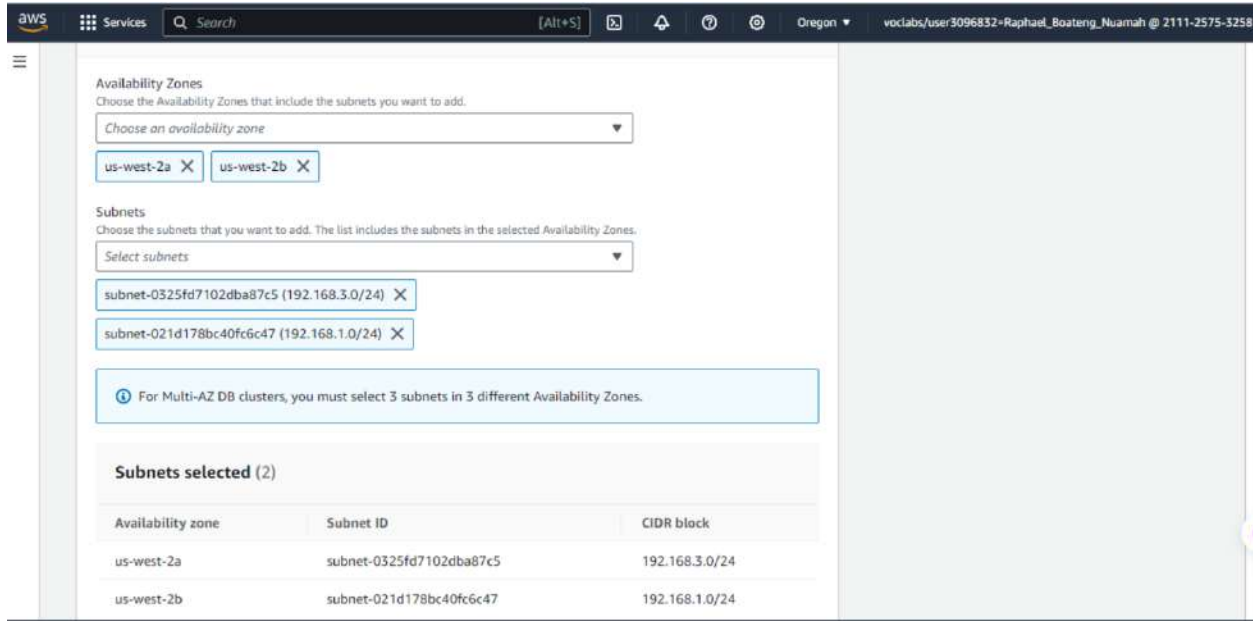
## Create a Database

- Create a DB subnet group by first heading to the Amazon RDS service page on the AWS management console
- Click on Subnet Groups on the left hand side and then click on "Create DB subnet group"

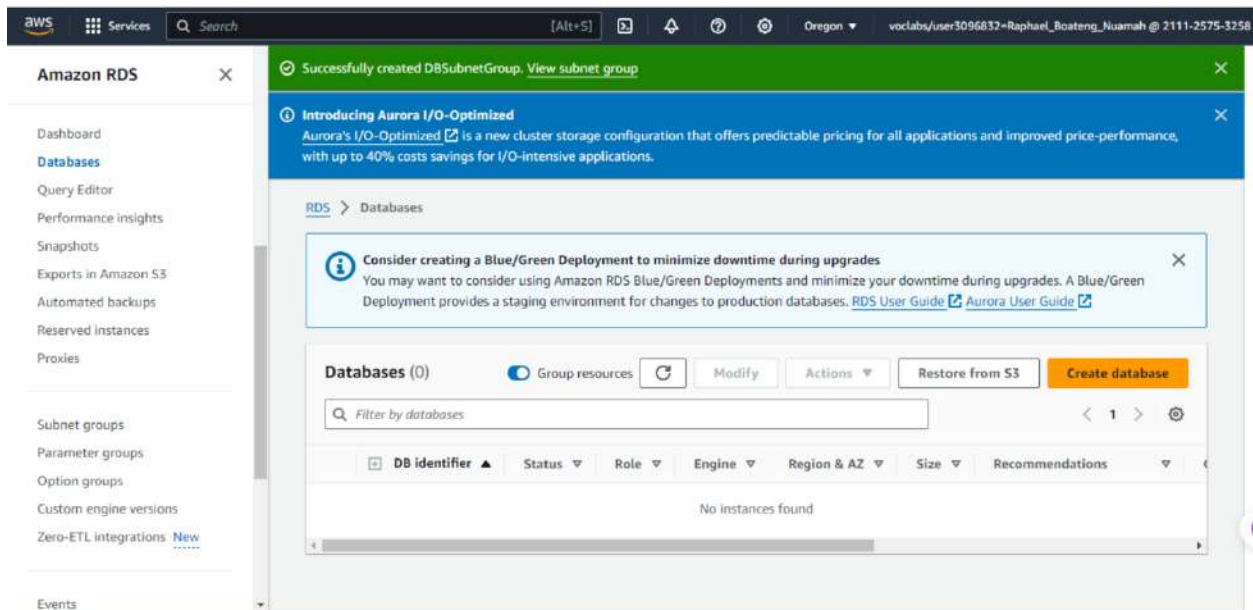


- Give it a name and description letting you know what it is and then assign your VPC to it
- Put in the availability zones you used for your subnets
- Select subnets 3 and 4
- Click create



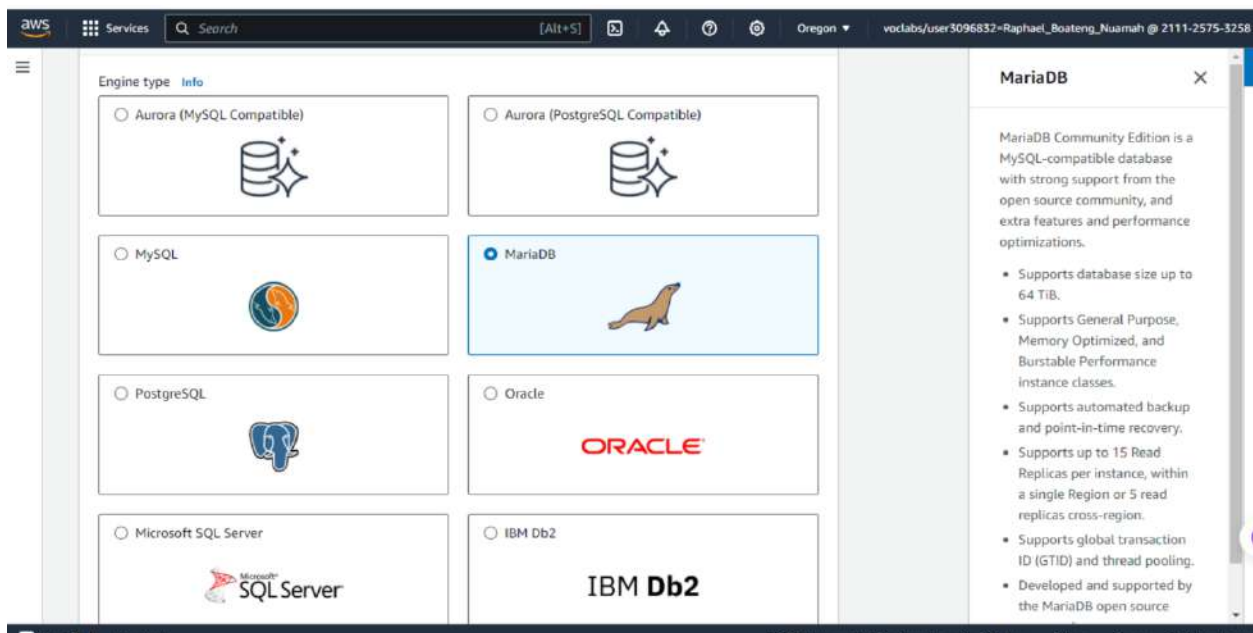
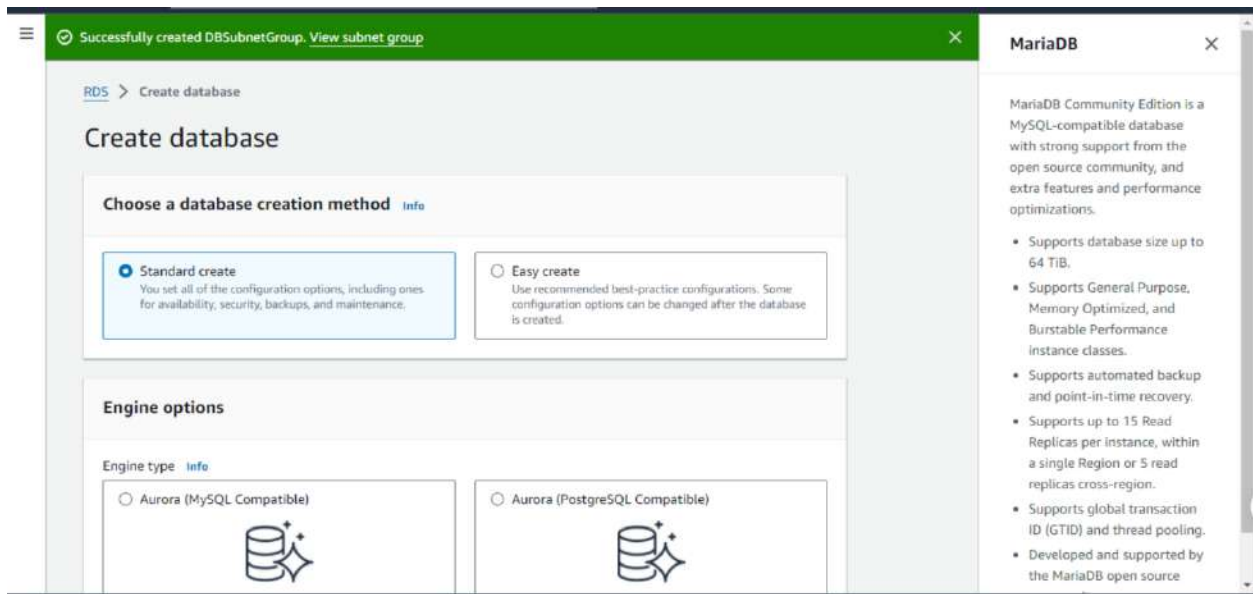


- Go to Databases on the left hand side and click on "Create Database"

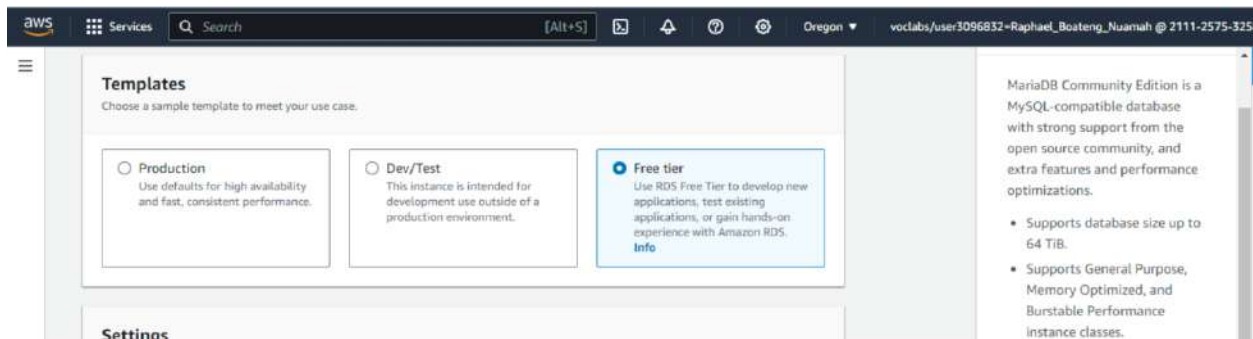


- Click on Standard create and MariaDB for the engine type





- Make sure you click on Free tier here



- Give it an identifier you can easily identify with

- Give it a master username or leave it as default admin. For the purpose of these instructions I will be using root
- Give it a password that you write down somewhere else to make sure you have the correct one. For the purpose of these instructions I will be using Re:Start!9

**DB instance identifier** [Info](#)  
Type a name for your DB instance. The name must be unique across all DB instances owned by your AWS account in the current AWS Region.

dbinstance

The DB instance identifier is case-insensitive, but is stored as all lowercase (as in "mydbinstance"). Constraints: 1 to 60 alphanumeric characters or hyphens. First character must be a letter. Can't contain two consecutive hyphens. Can't end with a hyphen.

▼ **Credentials Settings**

**Master username** [Info](#)  
Type a login ID for the master user of your DB instance.

root

1 to 16 alphanumeric characters. The first character must be a letter.

**Credentials management**  
You can use AWS Secrets Manager or manage your master user credentials.

☐ **Managed in AWS Secrets Manager - most secure**  
RDS generates a password for you and manages it throughout its lifecycle using AWS Secrets Manager.

☒ **Self managed**  
Create your own password or have RDS create a password that you manage.

☐ **Auto generate password**  
Amazon RDS can generate a password for you, or you can specify your own password.

**Master password** [Info](#)

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Minimum constraints: At least 8 printable ASCII characters. Can't contain any of the following symbols: / \* @

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- Everything between this and the last step is left default
- Assign your vpc
- Make sure your subnet group is listed under the subnet group section
- Public access is no
- Choose existing VPC security groups
- Remove the default security group and add your database security group
- Select your first availability zone as well



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## Connectivity Info

**Compute resource**

Choose whether to set up a connection to a compute resource for this database. Setting up a connection will automatically change connectivity settings so that the compute resource can connect to this database.

☒ **Don't connect to an EC2 compute resource**  
Don't set up a connection to a compute resource for this database. You can manually set up a connection to a compute resource later.

☐ **Connect to an EC2 compute resource**  
Set up a connection to an EC2 compute resource for this database.

**Network type Info**

To use dual-stack mode, make sure that you associate an IPv6 CIDR block with a subnet in the VPC you specify.

☒ **IPv4**  
Your resources can communicate only over the IPv4 addressing protocol.

☐ **Dual-stack mode**  
Your resources can communicate over IPv4, IPv6, or both.

**Virtual private cloud (VPC) Info**

Choose the VPC. The VPC defines the virtual networking environment for this DB instance.

3-Tier VPC (vpc-0e8643495c2df8df8)

4 Subnets, 2 Availability Zones

Only VPCs with a corresponding DB subnet group are listed.

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## DB subnet group Info

Choose the DB subnet group. The DB subnet group defines which subnets and IP ranges the DB instance can use in the VPC that you selected.

dbsubnetgroup

2 Subnets, 2 Availability Zones

**Public access Info**

☐ **Yes**  
RDS assigns a public IP address to the database. Amazon EC2 instances and other resources outside of the VPC can connect to your database. Resources inside the VPC can also connect to the database. Choose one or more VPC security groups that specify which resources can connect to the database.

☒ **No**  
RDS doesn't assign a public IP address to the database. Only Amazon EC2 instances and other resources inside the VPC can connect to your database. Choose one or more VPC security groups that specify which resources can connect to the database.

**VPC security group (firewall) Info**

Choose one or more VPC security groups to allow access to your database. Make sure that the security group rules allow the appropriate incoming traffic.

☒ **Choose existing**  
Choose existing VPC security groups

☐ **Create new**  
Create new VPC security group

Existing VPC security groups

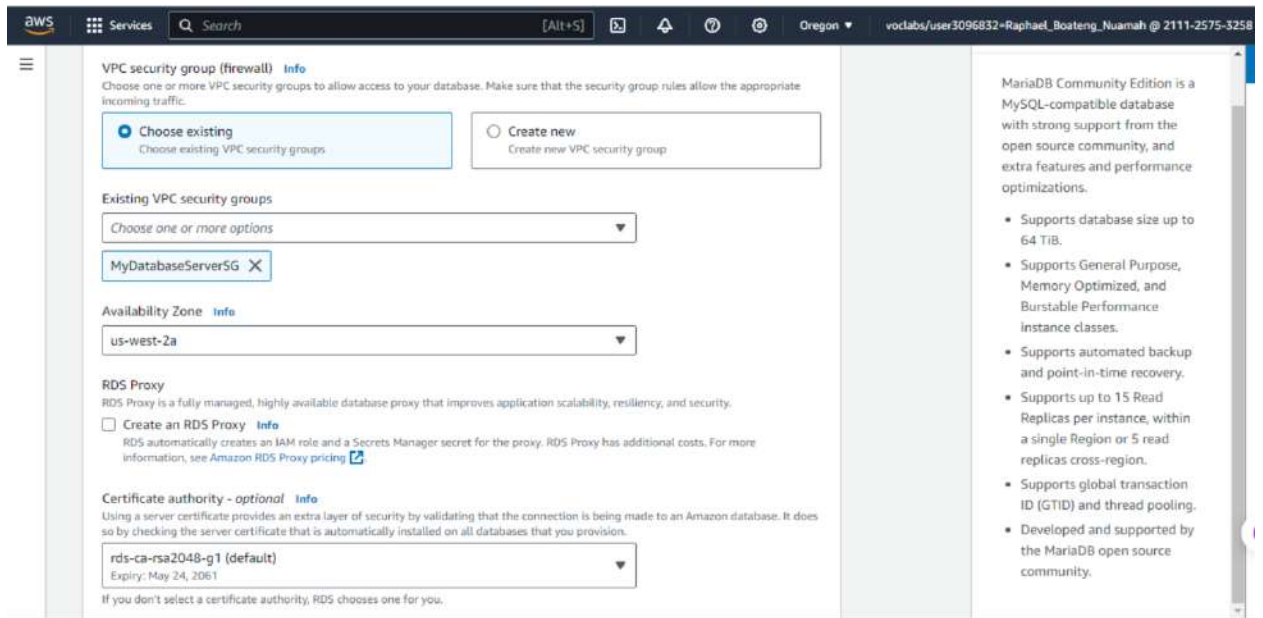
Choose one or more options

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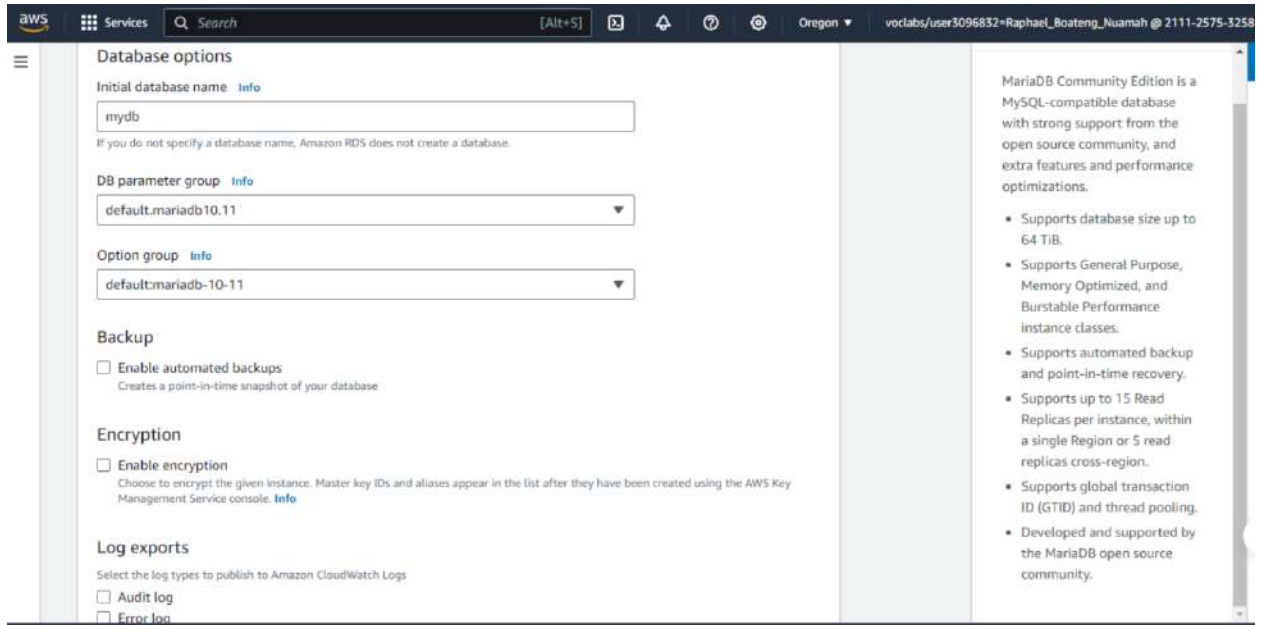
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- Scroll down to Additional configuration on the bottom and give it an initial database name and save it in the same spot as your password since it will be used later
- Disable automated backups and encryption since they are not needed (These are normally best practice to leave enabled but the database will spin up faster with those checked off as they are not needed).
- Scroll down all the way to the bottom and create your database



- Change file permissions for the file we just downloaded to our bastion host by typing
  - `chmod 400 labsuser.pem`
- Then ssh into our app server by typing
  - `ssh -i my-key-pair.pem ec2-user@app-server-private-ip`
  - Replace my-key-pair with the name of your key

- ```

ai@kali:~/BESKTOP-C3T681:/mnt/d$ sudo ssh -I labsuser.pem ec2-user@54.184.75.155
The authenticity of host '54.184.75.155 (54.184.75.155)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:w0yyVtJ0o2I2DIw/HdisAmHEoCzxcDxxv0dpSheywCo.
This key is not known by any other names
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '54.184.75.155' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.

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- Bastion Host (Amazon Linux 2, T2.micro) in public subnet for SSH access.
- Web Server (Amazon Linux 2, T2.micro) in public subnet with LAMP stack.
- App Server (Amazon Linux 2, T2.micro) in private subnet with MariaDB installed via User Data.

### 3. Database Setup:

- Create a MySQL or MariaDB RDS instance:
- Configure root user with 'Re:Start!9' password and initial database setup.

### 4. Networking and Security:

- Configure security groups for Bastion Host, Web Server, App Server, and Database to control traffic.
- Define route tables for public and private subnets, attaching Internet and NAT Gateways.

### 5. Connectivity and Testing:

- Upload SSH keys to Bastion Host for secure access.
- Verify connectivity by SSHing into instances via Bastion Host.
- Test web server functionality and database connectivity from the App Server.

This summary outlines the foundational steps required to deploy and connect a three-tier architecture on AWS, emphasizing networking, instance deployment, security setup, and connectivity testing. Adjust configurations based on specific project requirements and AWS guidelines for optimal performance and security.