

Creating AWS Ubuntu Instance

1. Access the AWS Website:

- Go to the [Amazon Web Services home page](#).

2. Initiate Account Creation:

- Click on "Create an AWS account".
- If you recently signed in, you might need to click "Sign in to the Console" and then "Create a new AWS account".
- If "Create a new AWS account" is not visible, first choose "Sign in to a different account" and then "Create a new AWS account".

3. Enter Account Information:

- **Root User Email Address:** Enter your email address.
- **AWS Account Name:** Choose a name for your account.
- **Verify Email Address:** Click "Verify email address" to send a verification code to your email.
- Enter the verification code from the email.

4. Set up Account Details:

- **Root User Password:** Create and confirm a password for your root user.
- **Account Type:** Choose "Personal" or "Business".
- **Contact Information:** Fill in your contact details.
- **Accept Terms and Conditions:** Agree to the AWS Terms and Conditions.

5. Add Payment Method:

- **Billing Information:** Enter your payment method details: debit card and billing address.
- **Verify and Add:** Verify and add your payment method.

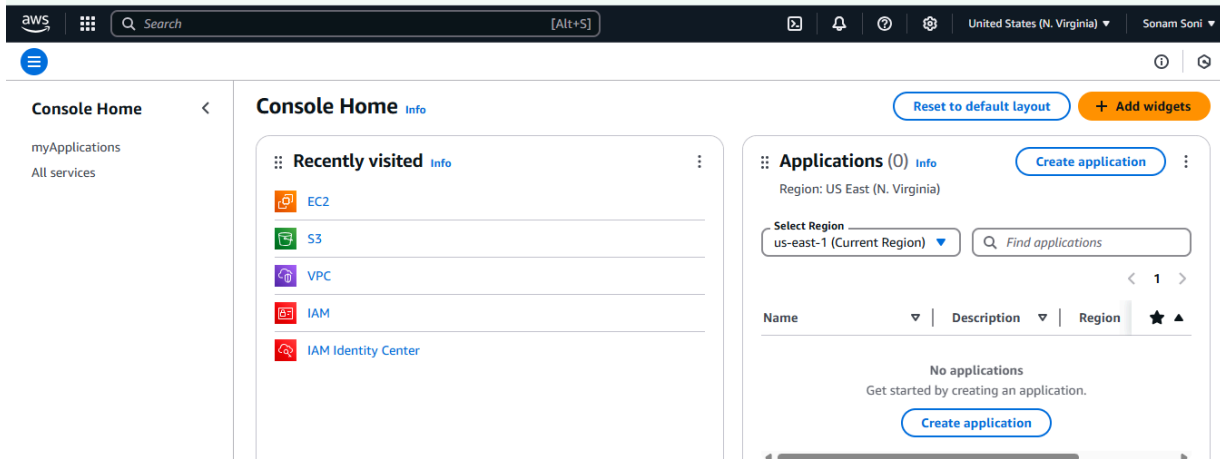
6. Verify Phone Number:

- **Select Contact Method:** Choose how you'd like to receive a verification code (e.g., SMS).
- **Enter Phone Number:** Enter your phone number and country/region code.
- **Verify:** Enter the verification code sent to your phone number.

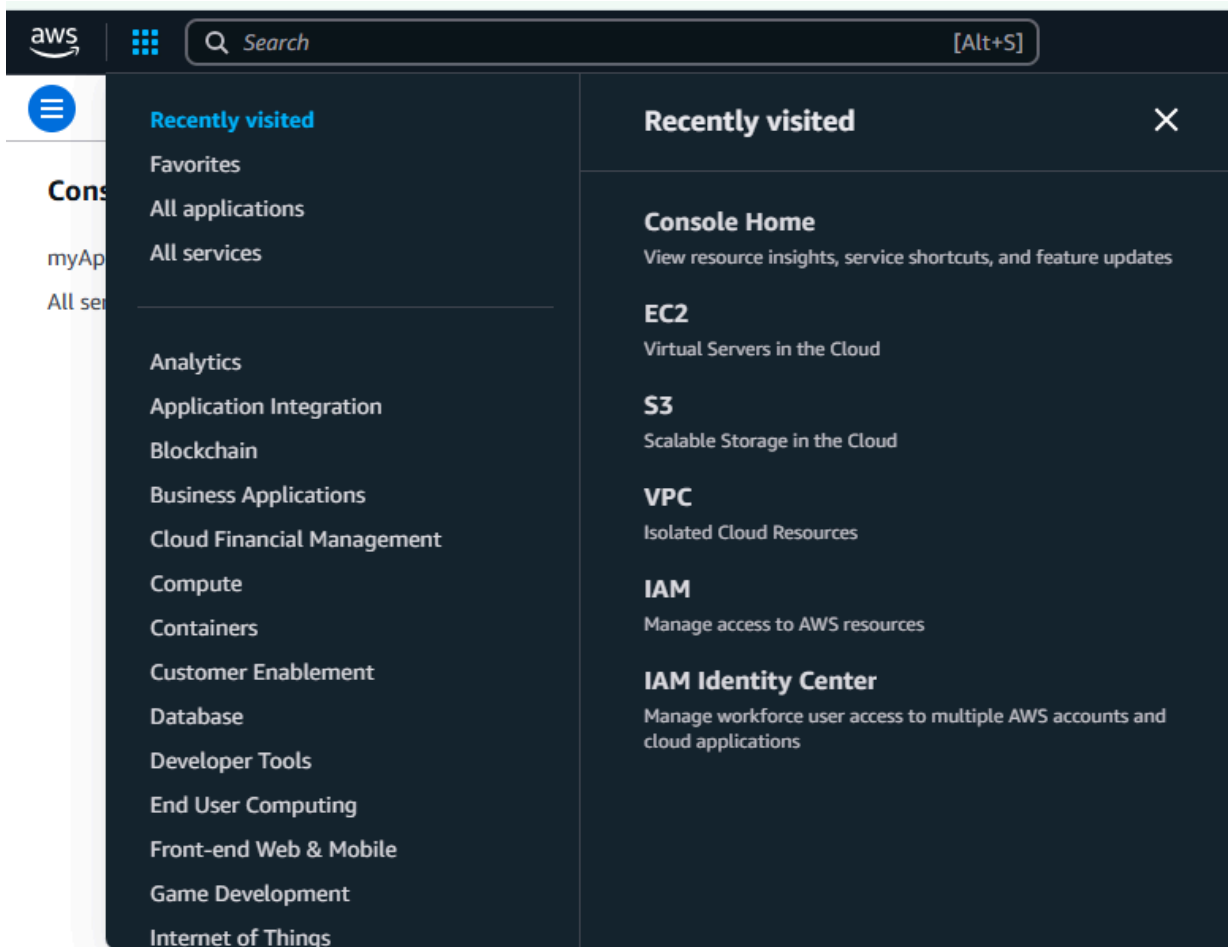
7. Choose a Support Plan:

- **Select a Support Plan:** Choose an AWS Support plan Basic.

After successful Account creation you will be able to see below console Screen.



you can click on top icon for checking services:



you can search for ec2 and click on the same.
you can see ec2 dashboard as mentioned below.

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AMIs

Compute

Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)

Create, manage, and monitor virtual servers in the cloud.

Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2) offers the broadest and deepest compute platform, with over 600 instance types and a choice of the latest processors, storage, networking, operating systems, and purchase models to help you best match the needs of your workload.

Launch a virtual server

To get started, launch an Amazon EC2 instance, which is a virtual server in the cloud.

Launch instance

View dashboard

Benefits and features

Get started

Click on Launch Instance.

EC2 > Instances > Launch an instance

Launch an instance [Info](#)

Amazon EC2 allows you to create virtual machines, or instances, that run on the AWS Cloud. Quickly get started by following the simple steps below.

Name and tags [Info](#)

Name


sonamvm

Add additional tags

Select Ubuntu for API

▼ Application and OS Images (Amazon Machine Image) [Info](#)

An AMI is a template that contains the software configuration (operating system, application server, and applications) required to launch your instance. Search or Browse for AMIs if you don't see what you are looking for below

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Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

Ubuntu Server 24.04 LTS (HVM), SSD Volume Type
ami-084568db4383264d4 (64-bit (x86)) / ami-0c4e709339fa8521a (64-bit (Arm))
Virtualization: hvm ENA enabled: true Root device type: ebs

Free tier eligible 

Description

Ubuntu Server 24.04 LTS (HVM),EBS General Purpose (SSD) Volume Type. Support available from Canonical (<http://www.ubuntu.com/cloud/services>).

Canonical, Ubuntu, 24.04, amd64 noble image

Instance type keep as it is: t2.micro

▼ 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](#)

click on create new pair

Create key pair

Key pair name

Key pairs allow you to connect to your instance securely.

mysecretkey

The name can include up to 255 ASCII characters. It can't include leading or trailing spaces.

Key pair type


☒ RSA
RSA encrypted private and public key pair

☐ ED25519
ED25519 encrypted private and public key pair

Private key file format

☒ .pem
For use with OpenSSH

☐ .ppk
For use with PuTTY

 When prompted, store the private key in a secure and accessible location on your computer. **You will need it later to connect to your instance.** [Learn more](#)

Cancel

Create key pair

create key pair.

Keep below network setting as it is.

[Edit](#)

vpc-00cac9736fe83a9ff

No preference (Default subnet in any availability zone)

Enable

Additional charges apply when outside of free tier allowance

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.

☐ Select existing security group

We'll create a new security group called **'launch-wizard-1'** with the following rules:

Anywhere
0.0.0.0/0

Anywhere

☐ **Allow HTTP traffic from the internet**
To set up an endpoint, for example when creating a web server

⚠ Rules with source of 0.0.0.0/0 allow all IP addresses to access your instance. We recommend setting security group rules to

Advanced

1x 8 GiB gp3 Root volume, 3000 IOPS, Not encrypted

Free tier eligible customers can get up to 30 GB of EBS General Purpose (SSD) or Magnetic storage

[Add new volume](#)

The selected AMI contains more instance store volumes than the instance allows. Only the first 0 instance store volumes from the AMI will be accessible from the instance

④ Click refresh to view backup information

The tags that you assign determine whether the instance will be backed up by any Data Lifecycle Manager policies.

0 x File systems

[Edit](#)

keep below Storage as it is.
verify summary and click on launch Instance.

▼ Summary

Number of instances | [Info](#)

1

Firewall (security group)

New security group

Storage (volumes)

1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

Free tier: In your first year of opening an AWS account, you get 750 hours per month of t2.micro instance usage (or t3.micro where t2.micro isn't available) when used with free tier AMIs, 750 hours per month of public IPv4 address usage, 30 GiB of EBS storage, 2 million I/Os, 1 GB of snapshots, and 100 GB of bandwidth to the internet.

[Cancel](#)

[Launch instance](#)

[Preview code](#)

Launching instance
Creating security group rules

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► Details

Please wait while we launch your instance.
Do not close your browser while this is loading.

☰ [EC2](#) > [Instances](#) > [Launch an instance](#)

✓ **Success**
Successfully initiated launch of instance ([i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4](#))

► **Launch log**

click on instance Id

Instances (1) [Info](#) Last updated less than a minute ago [Refresh](#) [Connect](#) [Instance state ▼](#)

[All states ▼](#)

[Instance ID = i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4](#) [Clear filters](#)

| <input type="checkbox"/> | Name ✎ ▼ | Instance ID | Instance state ▼ | Instance type ▼ | Status check | Alarm |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--|-----------------|---------------------------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | sonamvm | i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 | Running 🔍 🔊 | t2.micro | Initializing | ... |

Check the instance status once it is running. You can click on instance ID.

Instance summary for i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 (sonamvm) [Info](#) [Refresh](#) [Connect](#)

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| | | |
|--|---|--|
| Instance ID 🔗 i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 | Public IPv4 address 🔗 54.236.19.99 open address 🔗 | Private IPv4 address 🔗 172.31.19.1 |
| IPv6 address - | Instance state Running | Public IPv4 DNS name 🔗 ec2-54-236-19-99.us-east-2.compute.amazonaws.com open address 🔗 |
| Hostname type IP name: ip-172-31-19-171.ec2.internal | Private IP DNS name (IPv4 only) 🔗 ip-172-31-19-171.ec2.internal | |

Click on connect.

Click on EC2 instance connect tab.

Connect to instance [Info](#)

Connect to your instance i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 (sonamvm) using any of these options

[EC2 Instance Connect](#) | [Session Manager](#) | [SSH client](#) | [EC2 serial console](#)

Instance ID
[🔗](#) i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 (sonamvm)

Connection Type

☒ **Connect using EC2 Instance Connect**
 Connect using the EC2 Instance Connect browser-based client, with a public IPv4 or IPv6 address.

☐ **Connect using EC2 Instance Connect Endpoint**
 Connect using the EC2 Instance Connect browser-based client, with a private IPv4 address and a VPC endpoint.

Public IPv4 address
[🔗](#) 54.236.19.99

☐ **IPv6 address**
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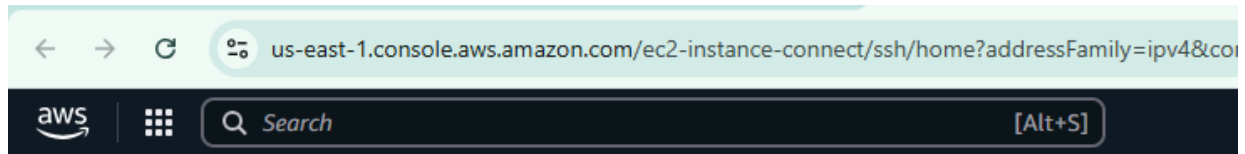
Username
 Enter the username defined in the AMI used to launch the instance. If you didn't define a custom username, use the default username, ubuntu.

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Note: In most cases, the default username, ubuntu, is correct. However, read your AMI usage instructions to check if the AMI owner has changed the default AMI username.

[Cancel](#) [Connect](#)

click on connect button visible in the right bottom corner.



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Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

The programs included with the Ubuntu system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.

Ubuntu comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by
applicable law.

To run a command as administrator (user "root"), use "sudo <command>".
See "man sudo_root" for details.

ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-171:~$
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This is your Linux terminal where you can run all your Linux commands.
Like below mentioned.

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-171:~$ sudo adduser sonam
info: Adding user `sonam' ...
info: Selecting UID/GID from range 1000 to 59999 ...
info: Adding new group `sonam' (1001) ...
info: Adding new user `sonam' (1001) with group `sonam (1001)' ...
info: Creating home directory `/home/sonam' ...
info: Copying files from `/etc/skel' ...
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
Changing the user information for sonam
Enter the new value, or press ENTER for the default
    Full Name []: Sonam Soni
    Room Number []:
    Work Phone []:
    Home Phone []:
    Other []:
Is the information correct? [Y/n] Y
info: Adding new user `sonam' to supplemental / extra groups `users' ...
info: Adding user `sonam' to group `users' ...
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-171:~$
```

Once your learning completed then terminate your instance.

The screenshot shows the AWS Management Console 'Instances' page. At the top, it says 'Instances (1/1)' with an 'Info' link. Below this is a search bar and a table of instances. The table has columns for 'Name', 'Instance ID', 'Instance state', and 'Instance type'. One instance is listed: 'sonamvm' with ID 'i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4' and state 'Running'. A context menu is open over the 'Running' state, showing options: 'Stop instance', 'Start instance', 'Reboot instance', 'Hibernate instance', and 'Terminate (delete) instance'. Below the table, a green banner states 'Successfully initiated termination (deletion) of i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4'. Below this banner, the table is updated: the instance 'sonamvm' now has a state of 'Shutting-d...' (partially visible as 'Shutting-d...').

Instances (1/1) Info

Last updated less than a minute ago

Find Instance by attribute or tag (case-sensitive)

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Name | Instance ID | Instance state | Instance type |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | sonamvm | i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 | Running | t2.m... |

- Stop instance
- Start instance
- Reboot instance
- Hibernate instance
- Terminate (delete) instance

Successfully initiated termination (deletion) of i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4

Instances (1/1) Info

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|-------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | sonamvm | i-0b12bd357a7fbbbf4 | Shutting-d... | t2.micro |

It will be removed from dashboard after sometime.