Node in Production

Module 4: Node, Containers and Amazon Web Services



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Types of Cloud Computing

- · laaS
- PaaS
- BaaS
- FaaS
- SaaS

Benefits of cloud

- · Elastic, scalable, flexible and operational agile
- Disaster recovery
- Automatic software updates
- · Capital-expenditure Free
- Increased collaboration
- Work from anywhere
- Standard and expertise
- Reduced time to market and competitiveness
- Environmentally friendly
- Easy to use
- Benefits of mass economy of scale
- Global delivery faster

Major Cloud Providers

- Azure
- Google
- AWS

AWS has many Services

AWS Benefits

- One of the first
- Massive scale
- Innovator with news features and services
- Lots of tools good dev experience
- Almost a standard with lots of expertise, best practices, experts, books, etc.

AWS Services for Containers

- Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)
- Elastic Container Service (ECS)
- Elastic Container Registry (ECR)
- Elastic Beanstalk Containers PaaS
- Docker EE for AWS
- Relational Database Service (RDS)

EC2

Do It Yourself approach

- Amazon Linux or other AMI + Docker Engine
- Docker image (AMI)
- CloudFormation, AWS CLI or web console
- User Data to install Docker Engine

ECS

Managed container service

- Monitors containers
- Allows ELB
- Allows autoscaling
- Allows health checks

ECR

Storage for container images which can be used with EC2, ECS or other services

Elastic BeanStack

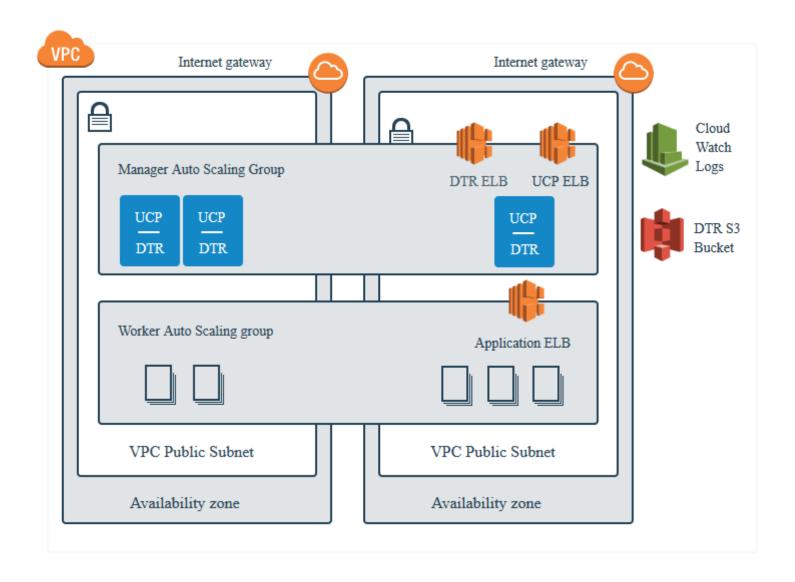
PaaS

Ideal for small services with few containers.

Docker EE

Comprehensive CloudFormation blueprint

https://aws.amazon.com/marketplace/pp/B06XCFDF9K



RDS

Can be used with other services. Allows for managed databases.

Let's cover ECS + ECR usage

AWS EC2 Container Services

- Tasks
- Clusters
- Registries

Registry

Where developers store their images. Allows for versioning and tagging.

Task

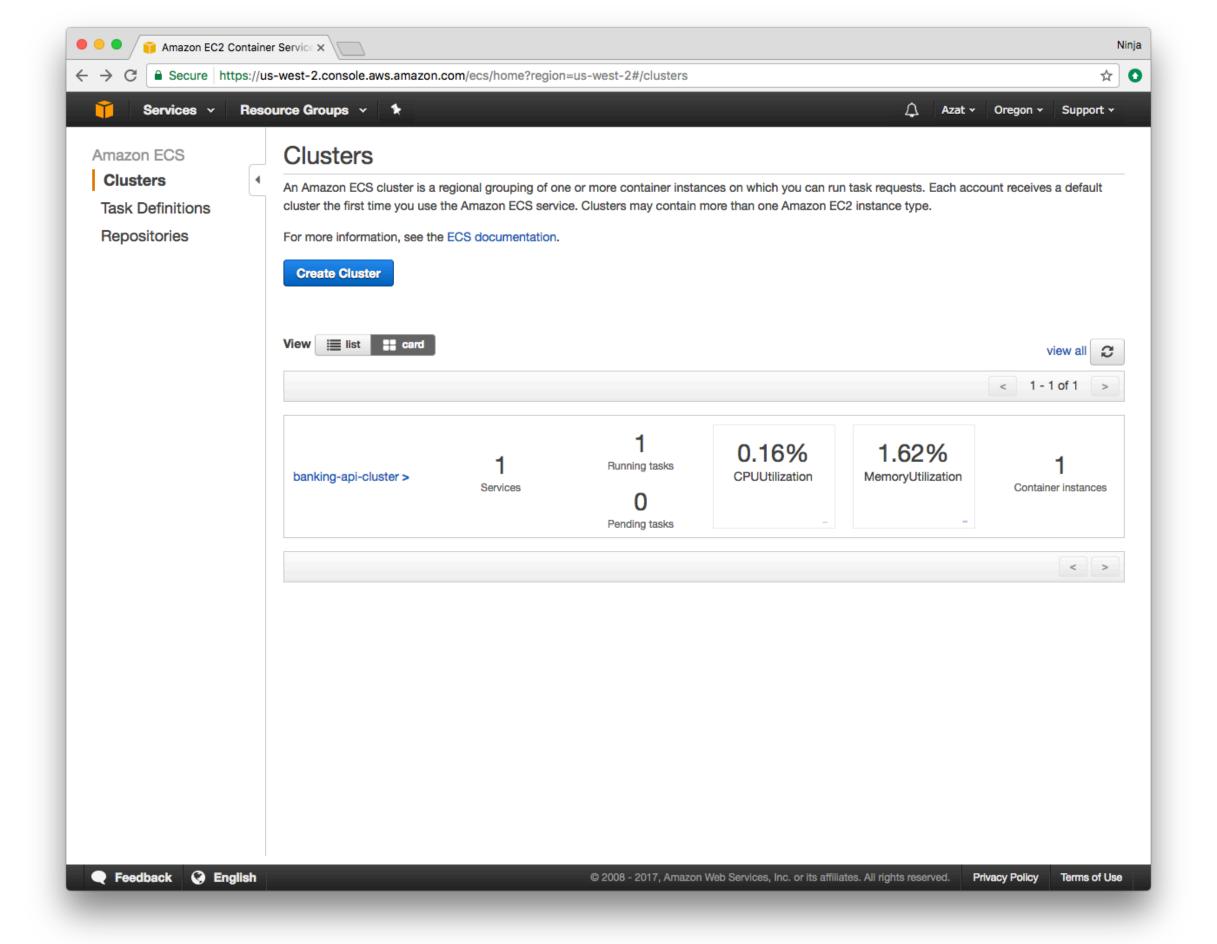
Task definition has info about images, env vars and network.

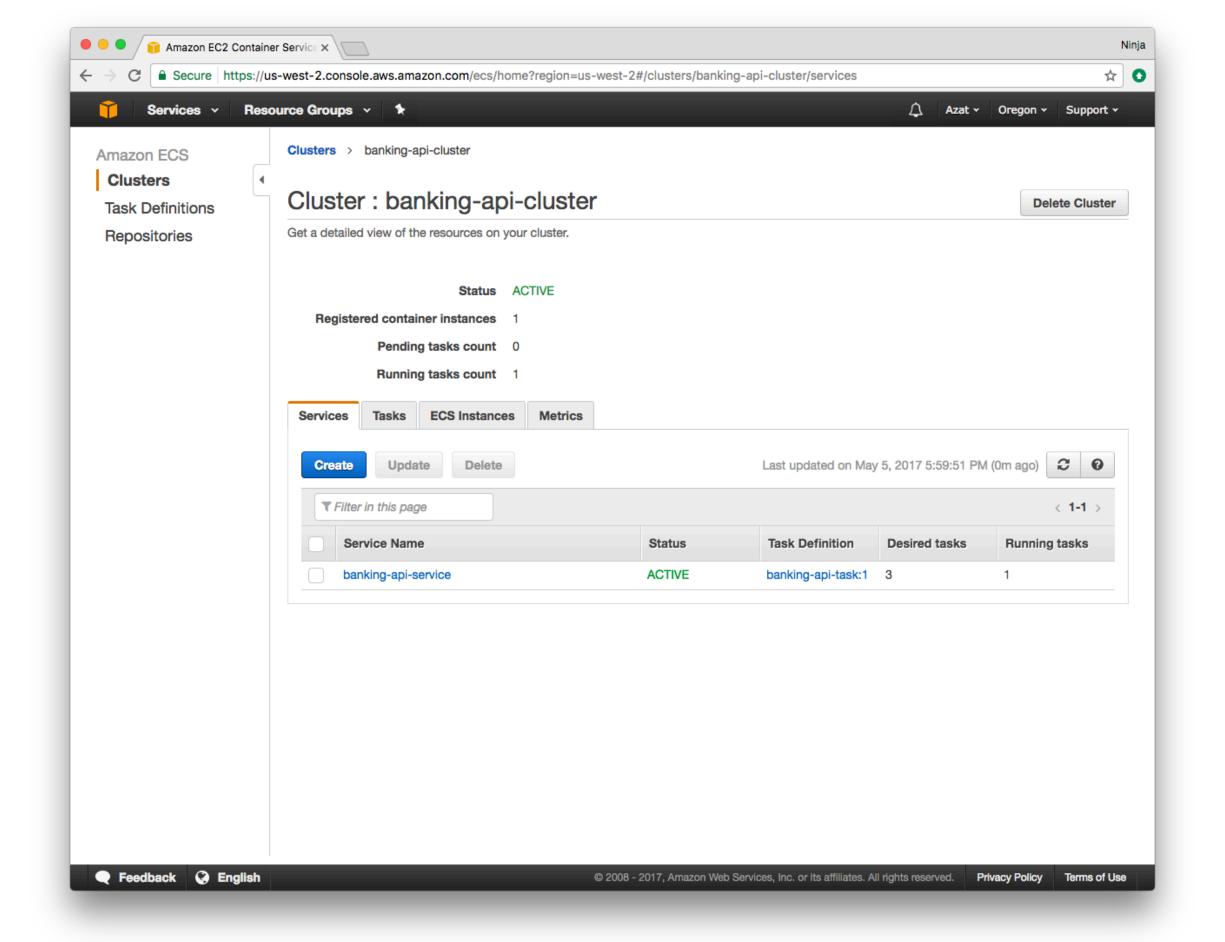
Cluster

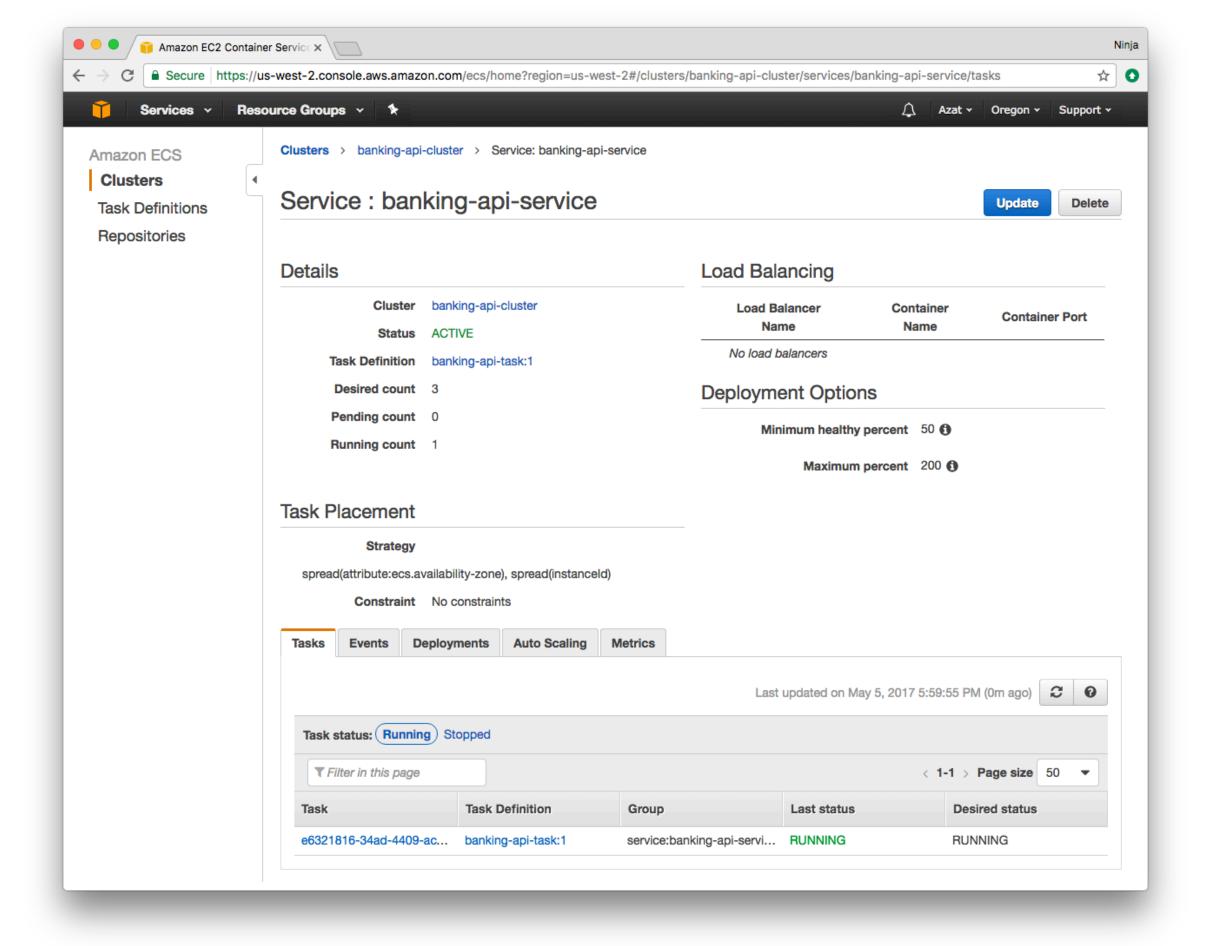
Container cluster is like an EC2 instance where containers run.

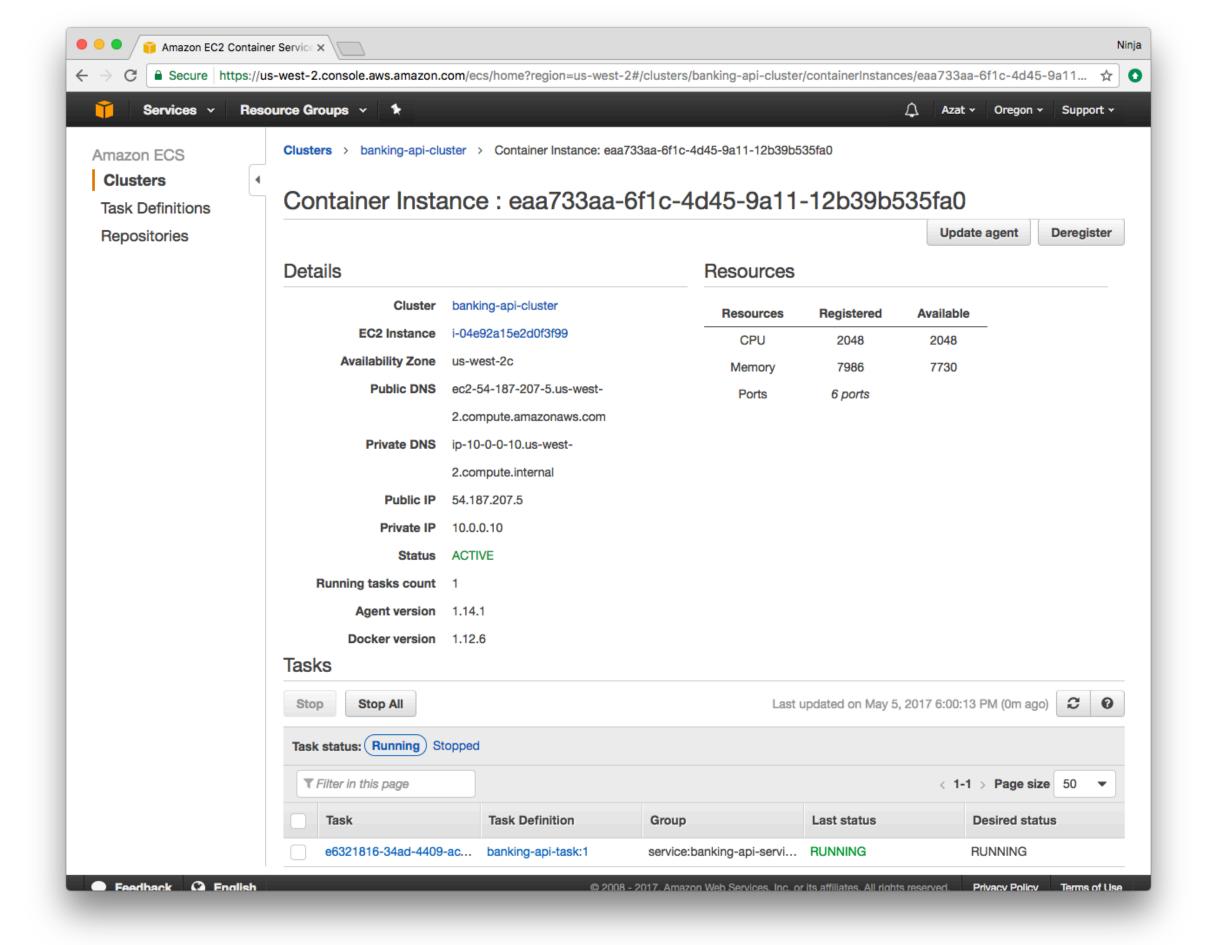
Service

Container service makes sure your containers from task are running in a cluster. ELB and autoscaling group can be added to a service.









AWS is vast

You should have Elastic Load Balancer, multi-availability zone deployment, Continuous Delivery S3, and managed database services.

Learn more about AWS by taking AWS Intro and AWS Intermediate

Demo -

Deployment using ECR and EC2 ECS.

Lab 2: AWS Containers

Task: Deploy two containers (API and DB) which connect using ECR and EC2 ECS.

Detailed instructions and link are in labs/2-aws-containers.md

Time to finish: 20 min

Congrats!