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3 - TIER ARCHITECTURE

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Architecture Overview

The 3-tier architecture is a way of structuring software so that different parts of the system handle different jobs. This separation makes the system easier to manage, more secure, and better at handling growth.

- **Web Tier (Presentation Layer):** This is the part users interact with—like a website or app interface. It's responsible for displaying information and taking user input.
- **Application Tier (Logic Layer):** This is the "brain" of the system. It processes requests, makes decisions, and moves data between the user interface and the database.
- **Database Tier (Data Layer):** This is where all the important data is stored securely. Only the application tier talks to it directly, keeping things organized and safe

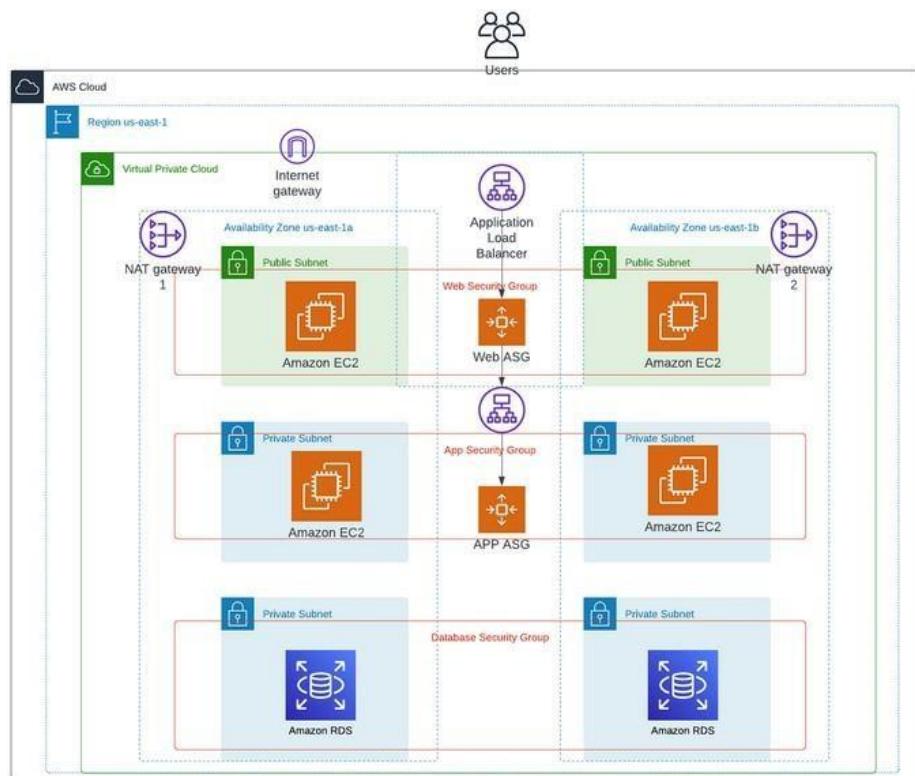


Figure: 3 - Tier Architecture

Steps to Create the 3-Tier Architecture:

1. Create VPC, Subnets – 6, Internet gate way – 1, Route tables – 2, Nat gate way – 1.
2. Launch an EC2 instance.
3. Create Load Balancer
4. Create an AMI (image).
5. Create Autoscaling group, Create launch template.
6. Create Subnet group.
7. Create Database (RDS).
8. Establish connection.

Step: 1 Create VPC and its components.

1. Create VPC:

The screenshot shows the AWS VPC dashboard. On the left, there's a sidebar with 'Virtual private cloud' expanded, showing 'Your VPCs', 'Subnets', 'Route tables', 'Internet gateways', and 'Egress-only internet gateways'. The main area is titled 'Your VPCs (1) Info' and lists a single VPC entry:

Name	VPC ID	State	Block Public...
3-tier-vpc	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Available	Off

2. Subnet Setup: 2 Public, 4 Private

The screenshot shows the AWS Subnets page. On the left, there's a sidebar with 'Virtual private cloud' expanded, showing 'Your VPCs', 'Subnets', 'Route tables', 'Internet gateways', 'Egress-only internet gateways', 'Carrier gateways', 'DHCP option sets', 'Elastic IPs', 'Managed prefix lists', and 'NAT gateways'. The main area is titled 'Subnets (6) Info' and lists six subnets:

Name	Subnet ID	State	VPC	Block Public...
public-subnet-1	subnet-0ccf64b4b868e879f	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off
private-subnet-1	subnet-0703ebd58f263a6cf	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off
public-subnet-2	subnet-0a0a06c52cc1352c2	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off
private-subnet-2	subnet-0d491ec671df947	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off
private-subnet-3	subnet-0d064f884b14e9c46	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off
private-subnet-4	subnet-0e562ce6f100fd96f	Available	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	Off

3. Internet Gateway Setup and attach to new VPC.

The screenshot shows the AWS Internet Gateways page. On the left, there's a sidebar with 'Virtual private cloud' expanded, showing 'Your VPCs', 'Subnets', 'Route tables', 'Internet gateways', 'Egress-only internet gateways', and 'Carrier gateways'. The main area is titled 'Internet gateways (1) Info' and lists one gateway entry:

Name	Internet gateway ID	State	VPC ID	Owner
3-tier-igw	igw-0da3695d8266c3d87	Attached	vpc-0979ce9ab31158a9f	47466

4. Create Route tables

The screenshot shows the AWS VPC Route Tables page. On the left, there's a sidebar with 'VPC dashboard' and 'Virtual private cloud' sections. The main area displays a table titled 'Route tables (3)'. The columns are 'Name', 'Route table ID', 'Explicit subnet associ...', 'Edge associations', 'Main', and 'VPC'. The rows show:

Name	Route table ID	Explicit subnet associ...	Edge associations	Main	VPC
public-route-table	rtb-006056561fa7df5cb	-	-	No	vpc-0979ce9ab
-	rtb-03fce18cce52a06608	-	-	Yes	vpc-0979ce9ab
private-route-table	rtb-0c3fa10efedfc978	-	-	No	vpc-0979ce9ab

5. Associate Subnets with Route Tables

The screenshots show the 'Edit subnet associations' page for two different route tables.

Screenshot 1 (Route Table ID: rtb-06553919aa507c49b):

Available subnets (2/6):

Name	Subnet ID	IPv4 CIDR	IPv6 CIDR	Route table ID
private-subnet-3	subnet-04d0ce06b48370a98	10.0.4.0/25	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public-subnet-2	subnet-053bbbeda247c74a58	10.0.32.0/19	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
private-subnet-1	subnet-03f149990976e6e5e	10.0.64.0/18	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
private-subnet-2	subnet-00ed293698bd2817a	10.0.28.0/23	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
private-subnet-4	subnet-0ef82664eeb12703b	10.0.5.0/26	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public-subnet- 1	subnet-0b982de60b13cc63c	10.0.128.0/17	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)

Screenshot 2 (Route Table ID: rtb-093dad6ac8c13026c):

Available subnets (4/6):

Name	Subnet ID	IPv4 CIDR	IPv6 CIDR	Route table ID
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private-subnet-3	subnet-04d0ce06b48370a98	10.0.4.0/25	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public-subnet-2	subnet-053bbbeda247c74a58	10.0.32.0/19	-	rtb-06553919aa507c49b / Public
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private-subnet-1	subnet-03f149990976e6e5e	10.0.64.0/18	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private-subnet-2	subnet-00ed293698bd2817a	10.0.28.0/23	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private-subnet-4	subnet-0ef82664eeb12703b	10.0.5.0/26	-	Main (rtb-0ec19ae4ff31d60c1)
public-subnet- 1	subnet-0b982de60b13cc63c	10.0.128.0/17	-	rtb-06553919aa507c49b / Public

6. Attach Public Route Table to Internet Gateway (via Edit Routes)

The screenshot shows the 'Edit routes' page for a specific route table.

Available routes:

Destination	Target	Status	Propagated
10.0.0.0/16	local	Active	No
Q_ 0.0.0.0/0	Internet Gateway	-	No

Add route

Remove

Cancel Preview Save changes

7. Create NAT gateway

The screenshot shows the 'Create NAT gateway' settings page. It includes fields for 'Name' (3Tire-NAT), 'Subnet' (selected subnet-0b982de60b13cc63c), 'Connectivity type' (Public selected), and 'Elastic IP allocation ID' (eipalloc-00b5371c9ae3d81c2). An 'Allocate Elastic IP' button is visible.

8. Attach Private Route Table to NAT Gateway

The screenshot shows the 'Edit routes' page for route table rtb-093dad6ac8c13026c. It lists two routes: one to 10.0.0.0/16 targeting 'local' (Status: Active, Propagated: No) and another to 0.0.0.0/0 targeting 'NAT Gateway' (Status: Active, Propagated: No). A 'Remove' button is shown for the second route.

Step: 2 Launch an EC2 instance.

1. Launch EC2 Instances: 2 Public & 2 Private

The screenshot shows the EC2 Instances page with four instances listed: public-instance-1, private-instance-2, public-instance-2, and private-instance-1. All instances are in the 'Running' state, t2.micro type, and us-east-1b availability zone.

Name	Instance ID	Instance State	Type	Status Check	Alarm Status	Availability
public-instance-1	i-0293694eca82b66af	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms +	us-east-1b
private-instance-2	i-02b482b6aa3df6b63	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms +	us-east-1b
public-instance-2	i-0be59e7cb1b245462	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms +	us-east-1b
private-instance-1	i-093189606fd9e36db	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms +	us-east-1b

Step 3: Create Load Balancer

1. Create Two Target Groups

- Public Target Group
- Private Target Group

The screenshot shows the AWS EC2 Target groups page. On the left, there's a navigation sidebar with options like Lifecycle Manager, Network & Security (Security Groups, Elastic IPs, Placement Groups, Key Pairs, Network Interfaces), Load Balancing (Load Balancers, Target Groups, Trust Stores), and Auto Scaling (Auto Scaling Groups). The main content area is titled "Target groups (2) Info". It has a search bar and a table with columns: Name, ARN, Port, Protocol, Target type, and Load balancer. Two entries are listed: "private-tg" and "public-tg", both associated with "arn:aws:elasticloadbalancing:us-east-1:123456789012:targetgroup/public-tg/5678901234567890" and port 80, with "HTTP" as the protocol and "Instance" as the target type. Both have "None associated" under Load balancer.

2. Associate EC2 Instances with Their Respective Target Groups

The image contains two screenshots of the AWS EC2 Target groups interface. Both screenshots show the "Targets" tab selected. The top screenshot is for the "public-tg" target group, which lists two registered targets: "public-instance-1" and "public-instance-2". Both instances are in the "us-east-1b" zone and have an "Unused" health status. The bottom screenshot is for the "private-tg" target group, also listing two registered targets: "private-instance-1" and "private-instance-2", both in the "us-east-1b" zone and marked as "Unused". Both screenshots include a note about anomaly mitigation being "Not applicable".

3. Create Application Load Balancers: Public & Private

- Public Load Balancer – Internet-Facing
- Private Load Balancer – Internal-Facing

Create Application Load Balancer ⓘ

The Application Load Balancer distributes incoming HTTP and HTTPS traffic across multiple targets such as Amazon EC2 instances, microservices, and containers, based on request attributes. When the load balancer receives a connection request, it evaluates the listener rules in priority order to determine which rule to apply, and if applicable, it selects a target from the target group for the rule action.

▶ How Application Load Balancers work

Basic configuration**Load balancer name**

Name must be unique within your AWS account and can't be changed after the load balancer is created.

public-lb

A maximum of 32 alphanumeric characters including hyphens are allowed, but the name must not begin or end with a hyphen.

Scheme ⓘ

Scheme can't be changed after the load balancer is created.

 Internet-facing

- Serves internet-facing traffic.
- Has public IP addresses.
- DNS name resolves to public IPs.
- Requires a public subnet.

 Internal

- Serves internal traffic.
- Has private IP addresses.
- DNS name resolves to private IPs.
- Compatible with the IPv4 and Dualstack IP address types.

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▶ How Application Load Balancers work

Basic configuration**Load balancer name**

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private-lb

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Scheme ⓘ

Scheme can't be changed after the load balancer is created.

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Step 4: Create an Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

Capacity Reservations:

▶ Images

▼ Elastic Block Store

Volumes

Snapshots

Lifecycle Manager

▼ Network & Security

Security Groups

Elastic IPs

Instances (1/2) Info

Last updated less than a minute ago

Connect

Instance state

Actions

Launch instances

Q Find Instance by attribute or tag (case-sensitive)

Running

Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status ch
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public-instance-1	i-0293694eca82b66af	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Running	t2.micro	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 2/2 ch
<input type="checkbox"/> public-instance-2	i-0be59e7cb1b245462	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Running	t2.micro	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 2/2 ch

Create Image

Create template from instance

Launch more like this

Instance diagnostics

Instance settings

Networking

Security

Image and templates

Monitor and troubleshoot

Create image ⓘ

An image (also referred to as an AMI) defines the programs and settings that are applied when you launch an EC2 instance. You can create an image from the configuration of an existing instance.

Image details**Instance ID**

i-0293694eca82b66af (public-instance-1)

Image name

3-tier-image

Maximum 127 characters. Can't be modified after creation.

Image description - optional

image

Maximum 255 characters

 Reboot instance

When selected, Amazon EC2 reboots the instance so that data is at rest when snapshots of the attached volumes are taken. This ensures data consistency.

Step 5: Create an Auto Scaling Group

1. Create launch template - Public

The screenshot shows the 'Create launch template' wizard. Step 1: Choose launch template. The 'Choose launch template' section is selected, showing options for Step 2 through Step 7. Step 2: Choose instance launch options is currently active. The 'Name' field is populated with 'public-autoscaling'. The 'Launch template name - required' field contains '3Tier-template'. The 'Template version description' field contains 'allow/'. The 'Auto Scaling guidance' section has a checked checkbox 'Provide guidance to help me set up a template that I can use with EC2 Auto Scaling'. Step 3: Application and OS Images (Amazon Machine Image) is shown with a search bar and filters for 'Recent', 'My AMIs', and 'Quick Start'. Step 4: Virtual server type (instance type) is set to 't2.micro'. Step 5: Firewall (security group) is set to 'allow-all'. Step 6: Storage (volumes) shows 1 volume(s) - 8 GiB. Step 7: Summary shows the configuration details. A note about the free tier is displayed.

2. Create Auto Scaling Group - Public

The screenshot shows the 'Create Auto Scaling group' wizard. Step 1: Choose launch template. The 'Choose launch template' section is selected, showing options for Step 2 through Step 7. Step 2: Choose instance launch options is currently active. Step 3: Choose launch template. The 'Name' field is populated with 'public-autoscaling'. Step 4: Launch template is shown with a note about accounts created after May 31, 2023.

EC2 > Auto Scaling groups > Create Auto Scaling group

Step 1 Choose launch template
Step 2 Choose instance launch options
 Choose instance launch options
Step 3 - optional
 Integrate with other services
Step 4 - optional
 Configure group size and scaling
Step 5 - optional
 Add notifications
Step 6 - optional
 Add tags
Step 7 Review

Choose instance launch options Info

Choose the VPC network environment that your instances are launched into, and customize the instance types and purchase options.

Instance type requirements Info

You can keep the same instance attributes or instance type from your launch template, or you can choose to override the launch template by specifying different instance attributes or manually adding instance types.

Specify instance attributes
Provide your compute requirements. We fulfill your desired capacity with matching instance types based on your allocation strategy selection.

Manually add instance types
Add one or more instance types. Any of the instance types may be launched to fulfill your desired capacity based on your allocation strategy selection.

Required instance attributes
Enter your compute requirements in virtual CPUs (vCPUs) and memory.

vCPUs
Enter the minimum and maximum number of vCPUs per instance.
 minimum maximum

EC2 > Auto Scaling groups > Create Auto Scaling group

Step 1 Choose launch template
Step 2 Choose instance launch options
Step 3 - optional
 Configure group size and scaling
Step 4 - optional
 Integrate with other services
Step 5 - optional
 Add notifications
Step 6 - optional
 Add tags
Step 7 Review

Configure group size and scaling - optional Info

Define your group's desired capacity and scaling limits. You can optionally add automatic scaling to adjust the size of your group.

Group size Info

Set the initial size of the Auto Scaling group. After creating the group, you can change its size to meet demand, either manually or by using automatic scaling.

Desired capacity type

Choose the unit of measurement for the desired capacity value. vCPUs and Memory(GiB) are only supported for mixed instances groups configured with a set of instance attributes.

Desired capacity

Specify your group size.

EC2 > Auto Scaling groups > Create Auto Scaling group

Scaling Info

You can resize your Auto Scaling group manually or automatically to meet changes in demand.

Scaling limits

Set limits on how much your desired capacity can be increased or decreased.

Min desired capacity <input type="text" value="2"/> Equal or less than desired capacity	Max desired capacity <input type="text" value="3"/> Equal or greater than desired capacity
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Automatic scaling - optional

Choose whether to use a target tracking policy Info
You can set up other metric-based scaling policies and scheduled scaling after creating your Auto Scaling group.

No scaling policies
Your Auto Scaling group will remain at its initial size and will not dynamically resize to meet demand.

Target tracking scaling policy
Choose a CloudWatch metric and target value and let the scaling policy adjust the desired capacity in proportion to the metric's value.

3. Create launch template - Private

Create launch template

Creating a launch template allows you to create a saved instance configuration that can be reused, shared and launched at a later time. Templates can have multiple versions.

Launch template name and description

Launch template name - required
private-launch-template-3-tier

Must be unique to this account. Max 128 chars. No spaces or special characters like '&', '+', '@'.

Template version description
allow

Max 255 chars.

Auto Scaling guidance Info
Select this if you intend to use this template with EC2 Auto Scaling
 Provide guidance to help me set up a template that I can use with EC2 Auto Scaling

► Template tags
► Source template

Summary

Software Image (AMI)

Virtual server type (instance type)

Firewall (security group)

Storage (volumes)

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)

Create launch template

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.

Select existing security group Create security group

Security groups Info
Select security groups
3tire-sg sg-065b37eb1e35a3bd0 X
VPC: vpc-0e312c0191f7614e6

Advanced network configuration
No network interfaces are currently included in this template. Add a network interface to include it in the launch template.
Add network interface

Summary

Software Image (AMI)
allow
ami-0d0d44455ba80ddcd

Virtual server type (instance type)
t2.micro

Firewall (security group)
3tire-sg

Storage (volumes)
1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

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4. Create Autoscaling group - Private

Step 1

Choose launch template Info
Specify a launch template that contains settings common to all EC2 instances that are launched by this Auto Scaling group.

Name
Auto Scaling group name
Enter a name to identify the group.
private-auto-scaling

Launch template Info
(Optional) For accounts created after May 31, 2023, the EC2 console only supports creating Auto Scaling groups with launch templates. Creating Auto Scaling groups with launch configurations is not recommended but still available via the CLI and API until December 31, 2023.

5. Auto Scaling Launches 4 Additional Instances (2 Public, 2 Private)

EC2 > Instances	
Instances (8) Info Last updated 1 minute ago Connect Instance state Actions Launch instances	
<input type="text"/> Find Instance by attribute or tag (case-sensitive)	
<input type="button" value="Instance state = running"/> Clear filters	
<input type="checkbox"/> Name ▼ Instance ID Instance state Instance type Status check Alarm status	
<input type="checkbox"/> public-instance-1 i-020c492fe96d8fe2e Running Q Q t2.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> private-instance-1 i-08f567eabf4c334e1 Running Q Q t2.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> i-02bb748f0553a5154 Running Q Q t1.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> i-04173f7f7635c8c9f Running Q Q t2.micro Initializing View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> public-instance-2 i-0eee20228b7f2ff9d Running Q Q t2.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> private-instance-2 i-0a67832e25c9d7085 Running Q Q t2.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> i-0b47b8446512d7fd3 Running Q Q t2.micro Initializing View alarm	
<input type="checkbox"/> i-06c7efb1f3aee22b8 Running Q Q t1.micro 2/2 checks passed View alarm	

Step 6: Create Subnet Group

Aurora and RDS > Subnet groups > Create DB subnet group

Create DB subnet group

To create a new subnet group, give it a name and a description, and choose an existing VPC. You will then be able to add subnets related to that VPC.

Subnet group details

Name
You won't be able to modify the name after your subnet group has been created.

Must contain from 1 to 255 characters. Alphanumeric characters, spaces, hyphens, underscores, and periods are allowed.

Description

VPC
Choose a VPC identifier that corresponds to the subnets you want to use for your DB subnet group. You won't be able to choose a different VPC identifier after your subnet group has been created.

Aurora and RDS > Subnet groups > Create DB subnet group

Add subnets

Availability Zones
Choose the Availability Zones that include the subnets you want to add.

Subnets
Choose the subnets that you want to add. The list includes the subnets in the selected Availability Zones.

Step 7: Create Database (RDS Instance)

Create database **Choose a database creation method** Standard create

You set all of the configuration options, including ones for availability, security, backups, and maintenance.

 Easy create

Use recommended best-practice configurations. Some configuration options can be changed after the database is created.

Engine options

Engine type

 Aurora (MySQL Compatible) Aurora (PostgreSQL Compatible) MySQL PostgreSQL MariaDB Oracle**Templates**

Choose a sample template to meet your use case.

 Production

Use defaults for high availability and fast, consistent performance.

 Dev/Test

This instance is intended for development use outside of a production environment.

 Free tier

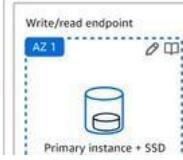
Use RDS Free Tier to develop new applications, test existing applications, or gain hands-on experience with Amazon RDS.

Availability and durability

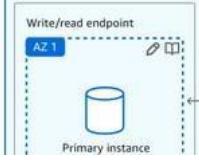
Deployment option

Choose the deployment option that provides the availability and durability needed for your use case. AWS is committed to a certain level of uptime depending on the deployment option you choose. Learn more in the [Amazon RDS service level agreement \(SLA\)](#). Multi-AZ DB cluster deployment (3 instances)

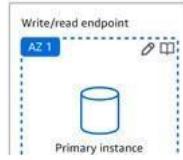
- Creates a primary DB instance with two readable standbys in separate Availability Zones. This setup provides:
- 99.95% uptime
 - Redundancy across Availability Zones
 - Increased read capacity
 - Reduced write latency

 Multi-AZ DB instance deployment (2 instances)

- Creates a primary DB instance with a non-readable standby instance in a separate Availability Zone. This setup provides:
- 99.95% uptime
 - Redundancy across Availability Zones

 Single-AZ DB instance deployment (1 instance)

- Creates a single DB instance without standby instances. This setup provides:
- 99.9% uptime
 - No data redundancy

**Settings**

DB instance identifier

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.

database-3-tier

The DB instance identifier is case-insensitive, but is stored as all lowercase (as in "mydbinstance"). Constraints: 1 to 63 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

Type a login ID for the master user of your DB instance.

admin

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

Aura and RDS > Create database

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

New VPC security group name
newsfgfor-database

RDS Proxy
RDS Proxy is a fully managed, highly available database proxy that improves application scalability, resiliency, and security.

Create an RDS Proxy [Info](#)
RDS automatically creates an IAM role and a Secrets Manager secret for the proxy. RDS Proxy has additional costs. For more information, see [Amazon RDS Proxy pricing](#).

Certificate authority - optional [Info](#)
Using a server certificate provides an extra layer of security by validating that the connection is being made to an Amazon database. It does so by checking the server certificate that is automatically installed on all databases that you provision.

rds-ca-rsa2048-g1 (default)
Expires: May 26, 2061

Step 8: Establish Connection

EC2 > Instances > i-013d6c46f4e679f76 > Connect to instance

Connect [Info](#)
Connect to an instance using the browser-based client.

EC2 Instance Connect Session Manager **SSH client** EC2 serial console

Instance ID
i-013d6c46f4e679f76 (public-server-1)

1. Open an SSH client.
2. Locate your private key file. The key used to launch this instance is awskey.pem
3. Run this command, if necessary, to ensure your key is not publicly viewable.
`chmod 400 "awskey.pem"`
4. Connect to your instance using its Public DNS:
`ec2-34-230-11-188.compute-1.amazonaws.com`

Example:
`ssh -i "awskey.pem" ec2-user@ec2-34-230-11-188.compute-1.amazonaws.com`

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

After connecting to the server, run:

- `sudo -i`
- `apt update -y`
- `sudo apt install mysql-server -y`

```
[root@ip-192-168-2-27 ec2-user]# sudo yum install mysql -y
Loaded plugins: extras_suggestions, langpacks, priorities, update-motd
Resolving Dependencies
--> Running transaction check
--> Package mariadb.x86_64 1:5.5.68-1.amzn2.0.1 will be installed
--> Finished Dependency Resolution

Dependencies Resolved

=====
Package           Arch          Version           Repository      Size
=====
Installing:
mariadb          x86_64        1:5.5.68-1.amzn2.0.1   amzn2-core    8.8 M

Transaction Summary
=====
Install 1 Package

Total download size: 8.8 M
Installed size: 49 M
Downloading packages:
[
```

```
[root@ip-192-168-2-27 ec2-user]# mysql -h database-1.c380a08uukyc.ap-south-1.rds.amazonaws.com -u admin -p
Enter password:
Welcome to the MariaDB monitor.  Commands end with ; or \g.
Your MySQL connection id is 28
Server version: 8.0.35 Source distribution

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Type 'help;' or '\h' for help. Type '\c' to clear the current input statement.

MySQL [(none)]> 
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MySQL [(none)]> CREATE DATABASE webapppdb;
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

MySQL [(none)]> SHOW DATABASES;
+-----+
| Database |
+-----+
| information_schema |
| mysql |
| performance_schema |
| sys |
| webapppdb |
+-----+
5 rows in set (0.00 sec)

MySQL [(none)]> 
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| mysql |
| performance_schema |
| sys |
| webapppdb |
+-----+
5 rows in set (0.00 sec)

MySQL [(none)]> USE webapppdb;
Database changed
MySQL [webapppdb]> clear
MySQL [webapppdb]> CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS transactions(
    ->     id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT,
    ->     amount DECIMAL(10,2),
    ->     description VARCHAR(100),
    ->     PRIMARY KEY(id)
    -> );
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.04 sec)

MySQL [webapppdb]> SHOW TABLES;
+-----+
| Tables_in_webapppdb |
+-----+
| transactions |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.02 sec)

MySQL [webapppdb]> 
```