# Installing Docker on Amazon Linux server

### Pre-requisites

1. Amazon Linux EC2 Instance

## Installation Steps

1. Install docker and start docker services

yum install docker -y

docker --version

# start docker services

service docker start

service docker status

1. Create a user called dockeradmin

useradd dockeradmin

passwd dockeradmin

1. add a user to docker group to manage docker

usermod -aG docker dockeradmin

### Validation test

1. Create a tomcat docker container by pulling a docker image from the public docker registry

docker run -d --name test-tomcat-server -p 8090:8080 tomcat:latest