

Step 1: Choose an Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

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An AMI is a template that contains the software configuration (operating system, application server, and applications) required to launch your instance. You can select an AMI provided by AWS, our user community, or the AWS Marketplace; or you can select one of your own AMIs.

Search for an AMI by entering a search term e.g. "Windows" ×

[Search by Systems Manager parameter](#)

Quick Start

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Amazon Linux 2 AMI (HVM), SSD Volume Type - ami-00dfe2c7ce89a450b (64-bit x86) / ami-031dea1a744251b51 (64-bit Arm)

Amazon Linux 2 comes with five years support. It provides Linux kernel 4.14 tuned for optimal performance on Amazon EC2, systemd 219, GCC 7.3, Glibc 2.26, Binutils 2.29.1, and the latest software packages through extras. This AMI is the successor of the Amazon Linux AMI that is approaching end of life on December 31, 2020 and has been removed from this wizard.

Root device type: ebs Virtualization type: hvm ENA Enabled: Yes

[Select](#)

- ☒ 64-bit (x86)
☐ 64-bit (Arm)



macOS Big Sur 11.5.2 - ami-0b1674fbc9847f6d

The macOS Big Sur AMI is an EBS-backed, AWS-supported image. This AMI includes the AWS Command Line Interface, Command Line Tools for Xcode, Amazon SSM Agent, and Homebrew. The AWS Homebrew Tap includes the latest versions of multiple AWS packages included in the AMI.

Root device type: ebs Virtualization type: hvm ENA Enabled: Yes

[Select](#)

64-bit (Mac)

Step 2: Choose an Instance Type

Amazon EC2 provides a wide selection of instance types optimized to fit different use cases. Instances are virtual servers that can run applications. They have varying combinations of CPU, memory, storage, and networking capacity, and give you the flexibility to choose the appropriate mix of resources for your applications. [Learn more](#) about instance types and how they can meet your computing needs.

Filter by: All instance families Current generation [Show/Hide Columns](#)

Currently selected: t2.micro (- ECUs, 1 vCPUs, 2.5 GHz, -, 1 GiB memory, EBS only)

	Family	Type	vCPUs ⓘ	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GB) ⓘ	EBS-Optimized Available ⓘ	Network Performance ⓘ	IPv6 Support ⓘ
<input type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.nano	1	0.5	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.micro Free tier eligible	1	1	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.small	1	2	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.medium	2	4	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.large	2	8	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes

Step 3: Configure Instance Details

Configure the instance to suit your requirements. You can launch multiple instances from the same AMI, request Spot instances to take advantage of the lower pricing, assign an access management role to the instance, and more.

Number of instances ⓘ [Launch into Auto Scaling Group](#) ⓘ

Purchasing option ⓘ ☐ Request Spot instances

Network ⓘ ⓘ [Create new VPC](#)

Subnet ⓘ ⓘ [Create new subnet](#)

Auto-assign Public IP ⓘ ⓘ

Placement group ⓘ ☐ Add instance to placement group

Capacity Reservation ⓘ ⓘ

Domain join directory ⓘ ⓘ [Create new directory](#)

IAM role ⓘ ⓘ [Create new IAM role](#)

Shutdown behavior ⓘ ⓘ

Step 4: Add Storage

Your instance will be launched with the following storage device settings. You can attach additional EBS volumes and instance store volumes to your instance, or edit the settings of the root volume. You can also attach additional EBS volumes after launching an instance, but not instance store volumes. [Learn more](#) about storage options in Amazon EC2.

Volume Type ⓘ	Device ⓘ	Snapshot ⓘ	Size (GiB) ⓘ	Volume Type ⓘ	IOPS ⓘ	Throughput (MB/s) ⓘ	Delete on Termination ⓘ	Encryption ⓘ
Root	/dev/xvda	snap-0350fa19a1ac7579d	<input type="text" value="8"/>	<div>General Purpose SSD (gp3) ▾</div>	<input type="text" value="3000"/>	<input type="text" value="125"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypte ▾

Add New Volume





Free tier eligible customers can get up to 30 GB of EBS General Purpose (SSD) or Magnetic storage. [Learn more](#) about free usage tier eligibility and usage restrictions.

Step 5: Add Tags

A tag consists of a case-sensitive key-value pair. For example, you could define a tag with key = Name and value = Webserver.

A copy of a tag can be applied to volumes, instances or both.

Tags will be applied to all instances and volumes. [Learn more](#) about tagging your Amazon EC2 resources.

Key (128 characters maximum)	Value (256 characters maximum)	Instances 	Volumes 	Network Interfaces 	
<input type="text" value="Name"/>	<input type="text" value="Arty's New Server"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Add another tag


(Up to 50 tags maximum)

Step 6: Configure Security Group









A security group is a set of firewall rules that control the traffic for your instance. On this page, you can add rules to allow specific traffic to reach your instance. For example, if you want to set up a web server and allow Internet traffic to reach your instance, add rules that allow unrestricted access to the HTTP and HTTPS ports. You can create a new security group or select from an existing one below. [Learn more](#) about Amazon EC2 security groups.

Assign a security group: ☒ Create a **new** security group
☐ Select an **existing** security group

Security group name:

 Security group name can only consist of the characters: a-z, A-Z, 0-9, spaces, and . _ - / () # , @ [] + = & ; { } ! \$ *

Description:

Type 	Protocol 	Port Range 	Source 	Description 	
<div>All traffic </div>	All	0 - 65535	<div>Anywhere </div> 0.0.0.0/0, ::/0	e.g. SSH for Admin Desktop	

Add Rule



Warning

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

Step 7: Review Instance Launch

▼ Instance Type

[Edit instance type](#)

Instance Type	ECUs	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GB)	EBS-Optimized Available	Network Performance
t2.micro	-	1	1	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate

▼ Security Groups

[Edit security groups](#)

Security group name Arty_NewSecurity_Group
Description launch-wizard-1 created 2021-09-13T23:00:55.636+05:30

Type ⓘ	Protocol ⓘ	Port Range ⓘ	Source ⓘ	Description ⓘ
All traffic	All	All	0.0.0.0/0	
All traffic	All	All	:::/0	

▶ Instance Details

[Edit instance details](#)

▶ Storage

[Edit storage](#)

Select an existing key pair or create a new key pair



A key pair consists of a **public key** that AWS stores, and a **private key file** that you store. Together, they allow you to connect to your instance securely. For Windows AMIs, the private key file is required to obtain the password used to log into your instance. For Linux AMIs, the private key file allows you to securely SSH into your instance. Amazon EC2 supports ED25519 and RSA key pair types.

Note: The selected key pair will be added to the set of keys authorized for this instance. Learn more about [removing existing key pairs from a public AMI](#).

Create a new key pair



Key pair type

☒ RSA ☐ ED25519

Key pair name

Art'sNewKey

Download Key Pair



You have to download the **private key file** (*.pem file) before you can continue. **Store it in a secure and accessible location.** You will not be able to download the file again after it's created.

Cancel

Launch Instances

Launch Status



Your instances are now launching

The following instance launches have been initiated: [i-077a2a3eec9c978e7](#) [View launch log](#)



Get notified of estimated charges

[Create billing alerts](#) to get an email notification when estimated charges on your AWS bill exceed an amount you define (for example, if you exceed the free usage tier).

How to connect to your instances

Your instances are launching, and it may take a few minutes until they are in the **running** state, when they will be ready for you to use. Usage hours on your new instances will start immediately and continue to accrue until you stop or terminate your instances.

Click **View Instances** to monitor your instances' status. Once your instances are in the **running** state, you can **connect** to them from the Instances screen. [Find out](#) how to connect to your instances.

▼ Here are some helpful resources to get you started

- [How to connect to your Linux instance](#)
- [Amazon EC2: User Guide](#)
- [Learn about AWS Free Usage Tier](#)
- [Amazon EC2: Discussion Forum](#)

While your instances are launching you can also

Instances (1/1) [Info](#)

[Connect](#)[Instance state ▼](#)[Actions ▼](#)[Launch instances](#)[< 1 >](#) [Instance state: running](#) [Clear filters](#)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Name ▼	Instance ID	Instance state ▼	Instance type ▼	Status check	Alarm status	Availability
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Arty's New Ser...	i-077a2a3eec9c978e7	Running	t2.micro	2/2 checks passed	No alarms	us-east-2a

Instance: i-077a2a3eec9c978e7 (Arty's New Server)

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▼ Instance summary [Info](#)

Instance ID

i-077a2a3eec9c978e7 (Arty's New Server)

IPv6 address

-

Public IPv4 address

 18.117.73.176 | [open address](#)

Instance state

Running

Private IPv4 addresses

172.31.8.252

Public IPv4 DNS

ec2-18-117-73-176.us-east-

Connect to instance [Info](#)

Connect to your instance i-077a2a3eec9c978e7 (Arty's New Server) using any of these options

EC2 Instance Connect

Session Manager

SSH client

EC2 Serial Console

Instance ID

 i-077a2a3eec9c978e7 (Arty's New Server)


Public IP address

 18.117.73.176

User name

ec2-user

Connect using a custom user name, or use the default user name ec2-user for the AMI used to launch the instance.

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

Cancel

Connect

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<https://aws.amazon.com/amazon-linux-2/>

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-8-252 ~]$ sudo yum update
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```
Loaded plugins: extras_suggestions, langpacks, priorities, update-motd  
amzn2-core
```

| 3.7 kB 00:00:00

```
No packages marked for update
```

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-8-252 ~]$ █
```

i-077a2a3eec9c978e7 (Arty's New Server)

Public IPs: 18.117.73.176 Private IPs: 172.31.8.252