



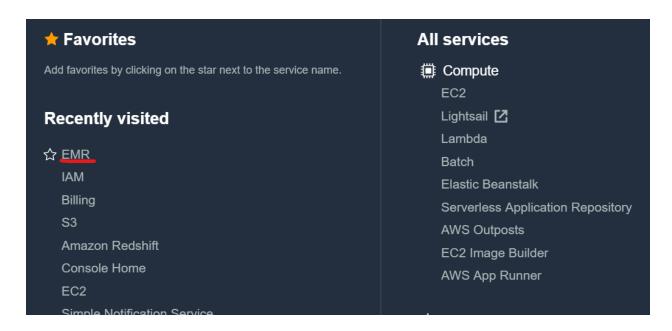
# Setting up HBase EMR instance

This document contains the steps to create an EMR cluster for using Apache HBase.

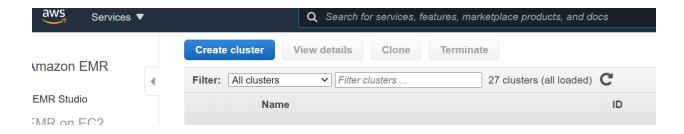
**Note**: Make sure that the location selected for running your account is **US East (N.Virginia)** us-east-1, else the EMR cluster will not launch.

**Prerequisites for EMR setup** – EC2 key pair already set up from the previous EMR instance setup.

1. Click on the **Services** at the top of the AWS console and then click on the **EMR** service.



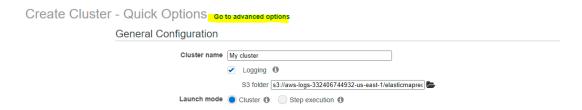
2. Click on the Create cluster button and you will go to the cluster creation page.



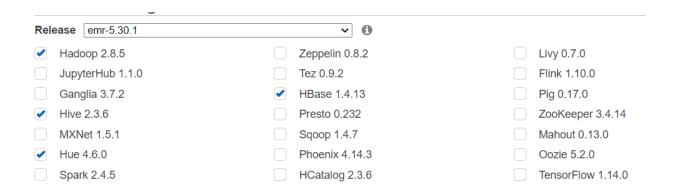




3. Once you click on the 'Create cluster' button, you need to click on the **Go to advanced options** link.



- 4. It will take you to the following page. In the 'Release' column, you will be choosing the emr-5.30.1 version for your EMR cluster. You will now configure the software applications that you need for your EMR cluster. For HBase, you need to install the following services -
  - Hadoop
  - Hive
  - Hue
  - HBase

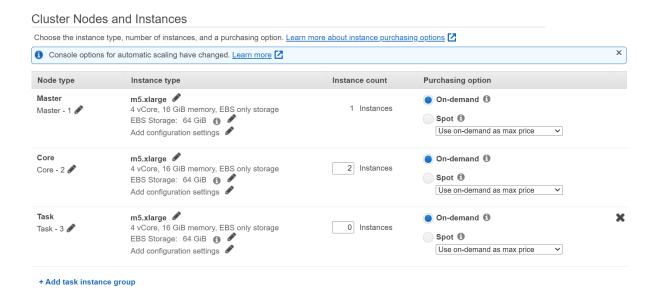


5. Click on the **Next** button at the end of the page.

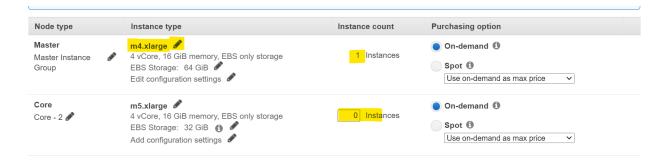




6. In this page, scroll down to the 'Cluster Nodes' and 'Instances' section. You will now have to click on the Cross button to the right of the Task Node, and then under Core Node, you will need to type 0 under Instances. The Task and Core Node count should be 0. Do not create a multiple node cluster, otherwise you might consume the entire budget in a single day.



7. Now, you need to click on the pencil button to the right of **m5.xlarge**.





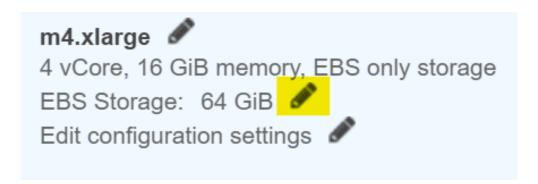


8. Now, you need to select the **m4.xlarge** instance type under the window that appears, and then click on the **Save** button. You can use 'Control + F' keys and search for m4.xlarge.

Instance types				×
m2.4xlarge	8	68.4	1690 SSD	•
m3.xlarge	4	15	80 SSD	
m3.2xlarge	8	30	160 SSD	
m4.large	2	8	EBS only	
m4.xlarge	4	16	EBS only	
m4.2xlarge	8	32	EBS only	
m4.4xlarge	16	64	EBS only	
m4.10xlarge	40	160	EBS only	
m4.16xlarge	64	256	EBS only	
m5.xlarge	4	16	EBS only	
m5.2xlarge	8	32	EBS only	
m5.4xlarge	16	64	EBS only	•
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9. Now, you need to click on the pencil button to the right of the EBS storage.



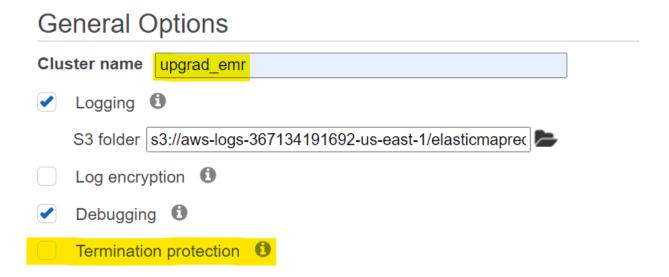




10. Next, you need to configure the EBS volume for your EMR cluster. Click on the 'Volume type' and select the General Purpose SSD (GP2) option, and then under the 'Size' column, type 40. Remove any other EBS volumes if present. After this, you can now click on the Done button. Thereafter, you can click on the Next button for this step of the advanced options as well.



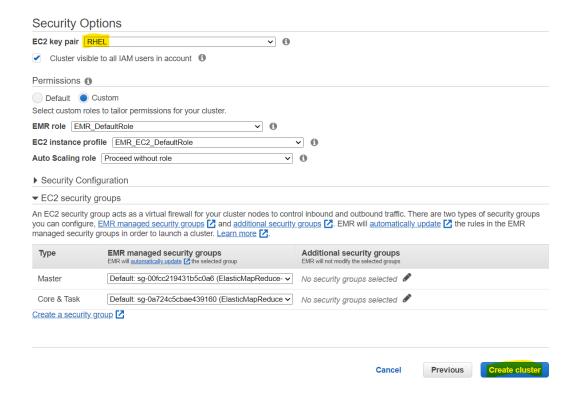
11. Now, in this step like the previous method, type the Cluster name that you want for your EMR cluster. Also, uncheck the 'Termination protection' option as this is not needed for this EMR instance. You can now click on the **Next** button.



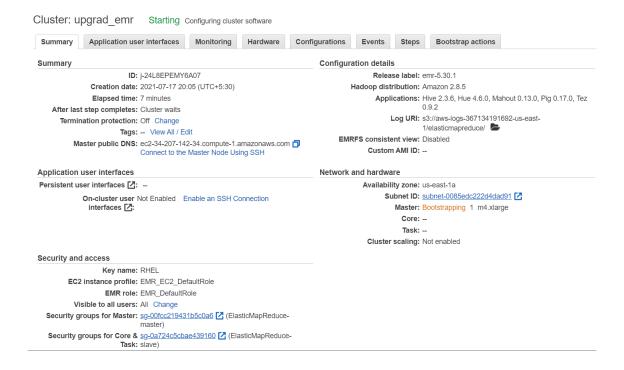




12. Now in this step, you just need to select the EC2 key pair that you had created previously, and after that you can click on the **Create cluster** button.



13. Thereafter, the cluster will start setting up.







#### Steps to follow before performing SSH to the master node:

1. Under the cluster information page, click on the **security groups of the master node**.

### Security and access

Key name: RHEL

**EC2** instance profile: EMR\_EC2\_DefaultRole

EMR role: EMR\_DefaultRole

Visible to all users: All Change

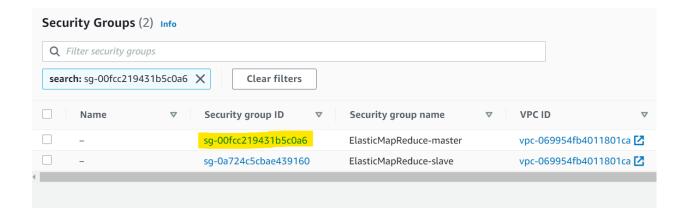
Security groups for Master: sg-00fcc219431b5c0a6 (ElasticMapReduce-

master)

Security groups for Core & sg-0a724c5cbae439160 (ElasticMapReduce-

Task: slave)

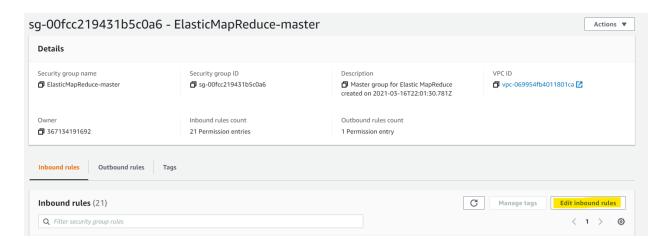
Click on the 'security group' and you will land on a similar page. Here, click on the security group of the Elastic MapReduce-master node as highlighted in the image below.



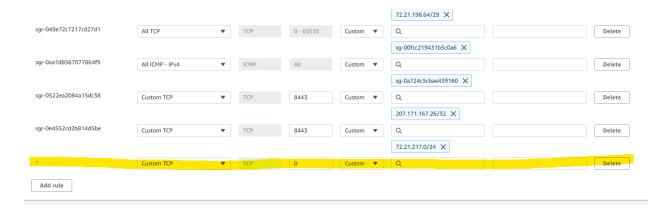




3. Clicking on the security group will land you on the corresponding security information page. Click on 'Edit inbound rules' to add a new rule.



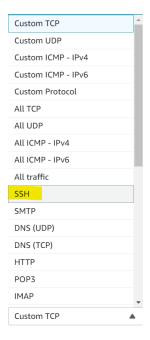
4. This will take you to a list of existing rules, where you have the option to delete the existing rules [clicking on delete on the extreme right-hand side] or add a new rule by clicking on **Add rule** towards the bottom of all the rules. Clicking on the 'add rule' will add a new row as shown in the figure below.





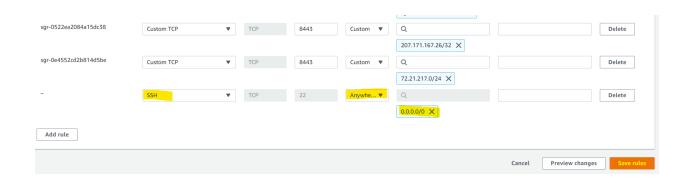


Under the type field of the newly added row, select SSH.



The **Source** will be '**Anywhere-IPv4**' for this rule. For frequent testing, you can avoid using My IP address and choose 'Anywhere-IPv4' while adding rules in the Security Group.

After adding the rule, do not forget to click on **Save rules** at the bottom of the window.



You can now set up the YARN parameter configurations and then login to your instance.

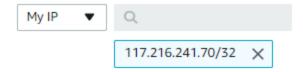
Note: Avoid choosing My IP for the EMR cluster.



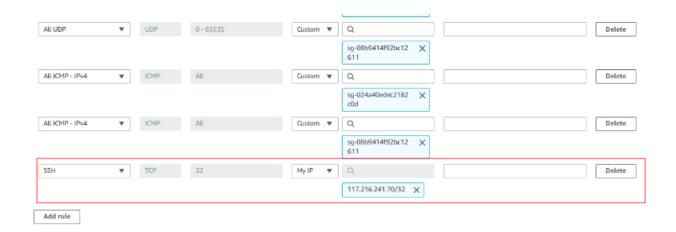


### What happens if you choose My IP?

If you Choose **My IP** under the source field, this will automatically load your IP address in the adjacent blank column.



On adding the rule and choosing the appropriate options as shown below, click on 'Save rule' [at the bottom of the screen] to successfully add the rule.



Now, under the list of inbound rules appearing under the master node security group, you can see the newly added rule.

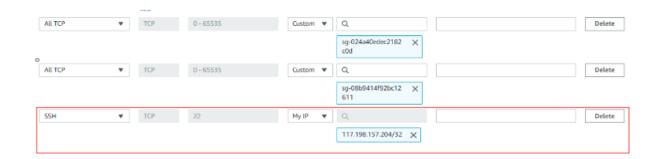




Inbound rules			_	Edit inbound rules
Туре	Protocol	Port range	Source	Description - optional
ALL TCP	TCP	0 - 65535	sg-024a40edec2182c0d (ElasticMapReduce-master)	
All TCP	TCP	0 - 65535	sg-08b9414f92bc12611 (ElasticMapReduce-slave)	
SSH	TCP	22	117.216.241.70/32	
Custom TCP	TCP	8443	207.171.167.25/32	-
Custom TCP	TCP	8443	54.240.217.8/29	-
Custom TCP	TCP	8443	72.21.196.64/29	-
Custom TCP	TCP	8443	72.21.198.64/29	
Custom TCP	TCP	8443	54.240.217.16/29	-

On adding this rule, it enables you to perform an SSH to the master node of the cluster.

**But each time you are cloning** the cluster or connecting to the cluster after restarting the laptop, the first thing to do is to edit the security groups and update your current IP address.



As shown in the figure, you need to edit the rule corresponding to the **SSH type** rule and change the option from custom to **My IP** and click on **Save rules**.

This will ensure that you are performing a successful SSH or successfully cloning to a new cluster.





## **Important – General Practice:**

To avoid having to clone a cluster or restart the laptop every time, a common practice followed while studying or internal testing is to select the option 'anywhere' instead of custom or My IP. In the real-world development environment, this should be avoided because it makes the cluster vulnerable and any IP address can access the cluster.