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Project 1: Building a Highly Available, Scalable Web Application

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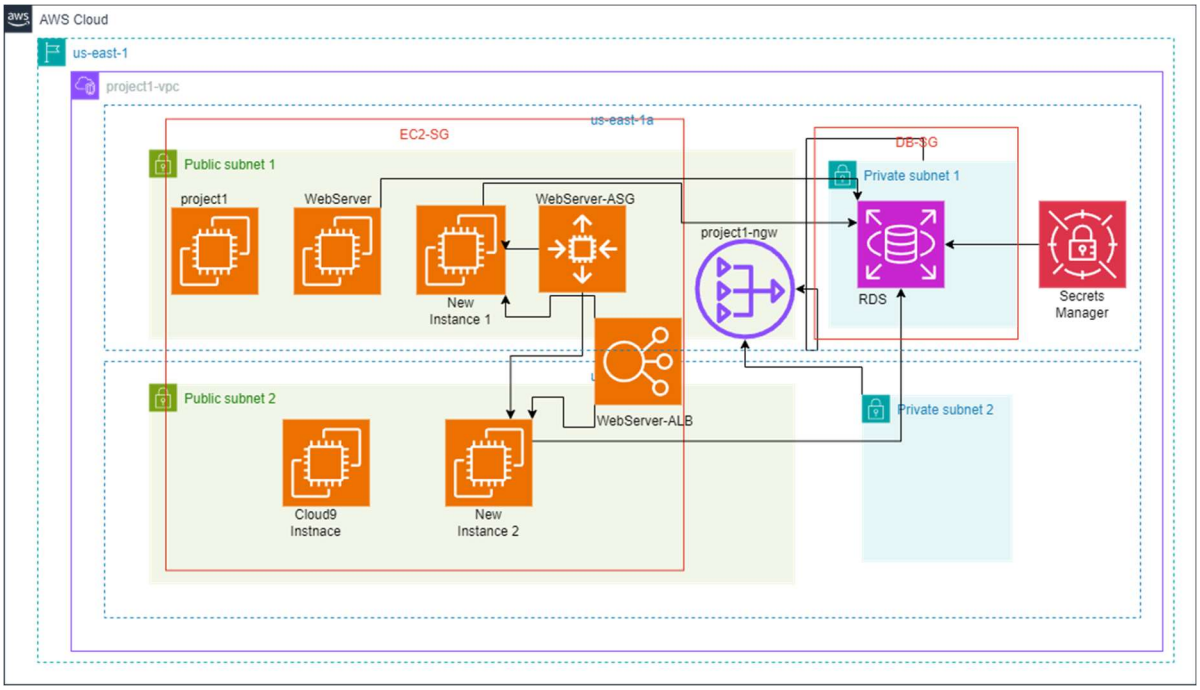
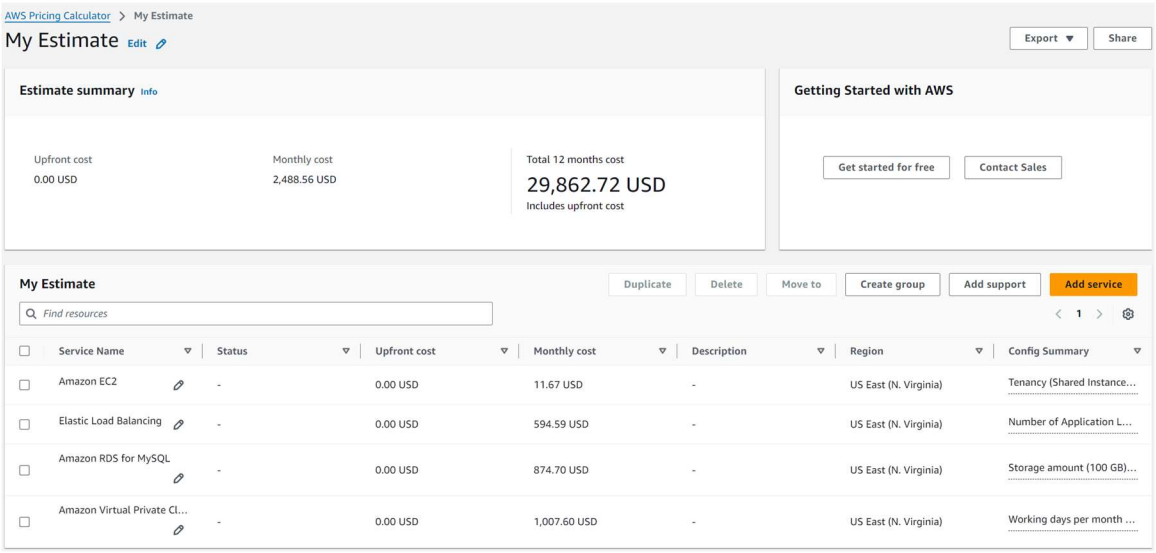
Phase 1: Planning the design and estimating cost

Task 1: Creating an architectural diagram



Task 2: Developing a cost estimate



Estimate summary

Upfront cost	Monthly cost	Total 12 months	Currency
0	2488.56	29862.72	USD

* Includes upfront cost

Detailed Estimate

Group hierarc	Region	Description	Service	Upfront	Monthly	First 12 mc	Currency	Status	Configuration summary
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		Amazon EC	0	11.668	140.02	USD		Tenancy (Shared Instances), Operating system (Linux), Workload (Consistent, Number of instances: 2), Advance EC2 instance (t2.micro), Pricing strategy (Compute Savings
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		Applicatio	0	594.59	7135.08	USD		Number of Application Load Balancers (1)
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		Amazon RI	0	874.7	10496.4	USD		Storage amount (100 GB), Storage for each RDS instance (Provisioned IOPS SSD (io2)), Nodes (1), Instance type (db.m1.large), Utilization (On-Demand only) (100 %Utilized/M
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		VPN Conn	0	967	11604	USD		Working days per month (30), Number of Site-to-Site VPN Connections (0), Number of subnet associations (4)
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		Network A	0	33.3	399.6	USD		Number of NAT Gateways (1)
My Estimate	US East (N. Virginia)		Public IPv4	0	7.3	87.6	USD		Number of In-use public IPv4 addresses (2), Number of Idle public IPv4 addresses (0)

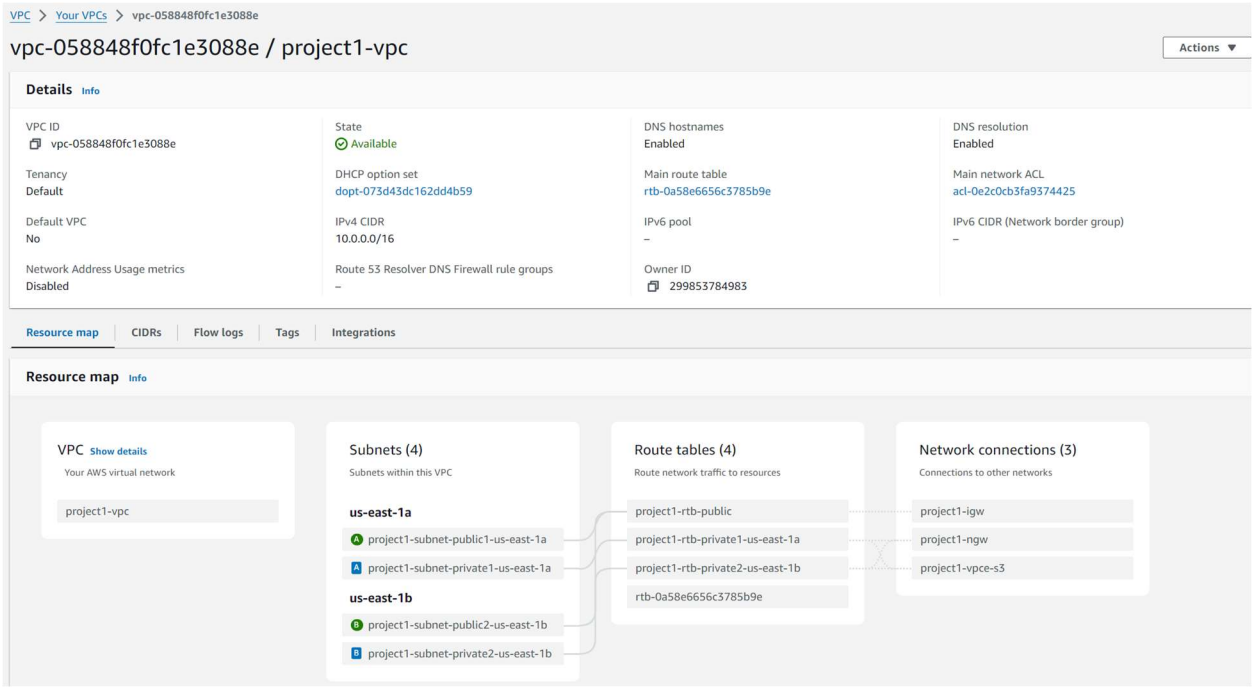
Acknowledgement

* AWS Pricing Calculator provides only an estimate of your AWS fees and doesn't include any taxes that might apply. Your actual fees depend on a variety of factors, including your actual usage of AWS services.

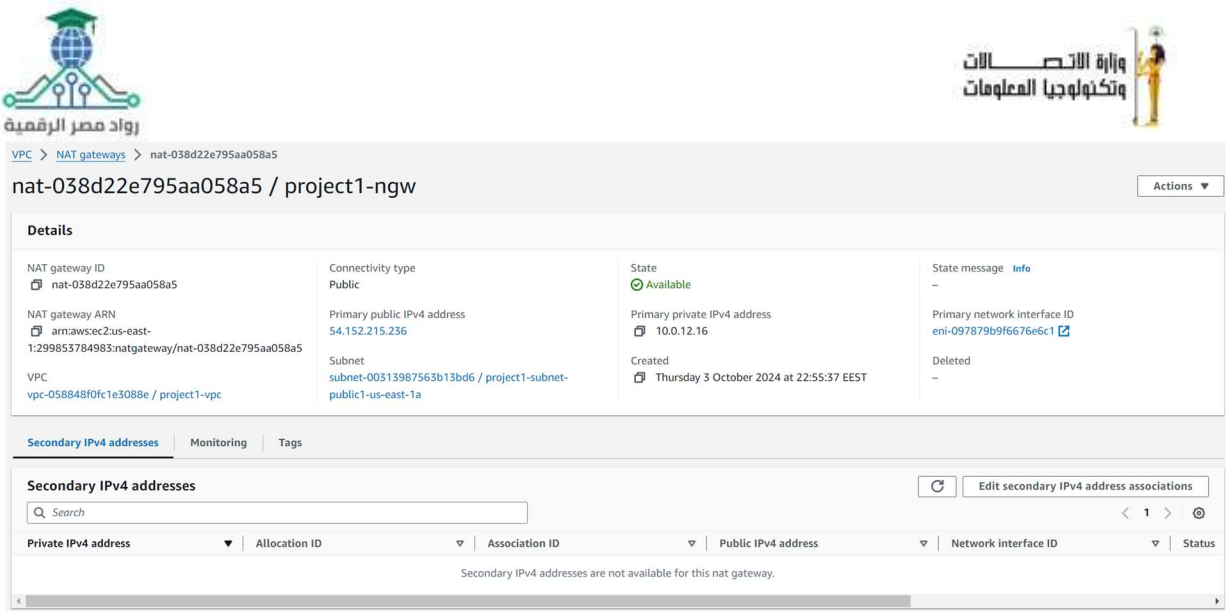
Phase 2: Creating a basic functional web application

Task 1: Creating a virtual network

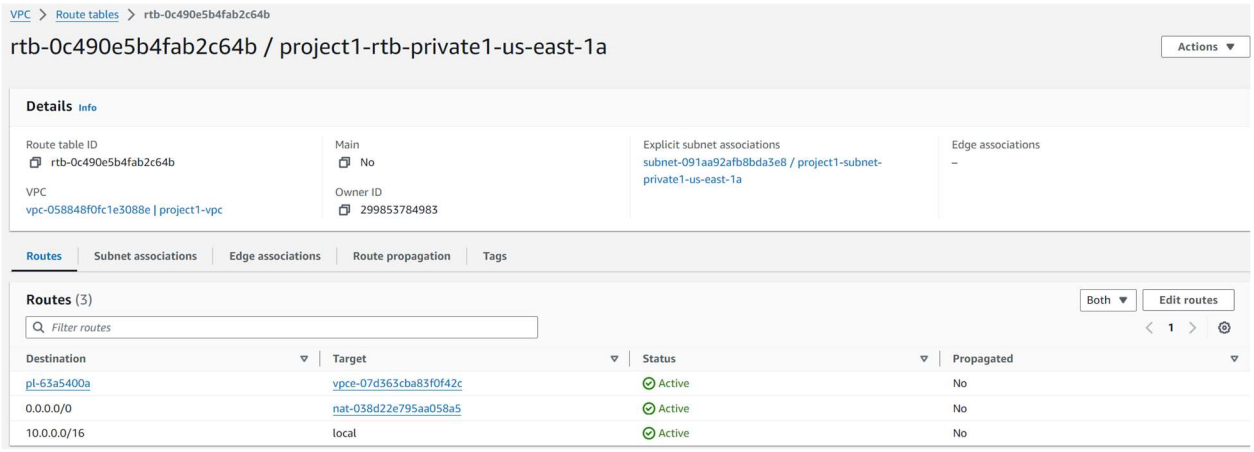
We created VPC.



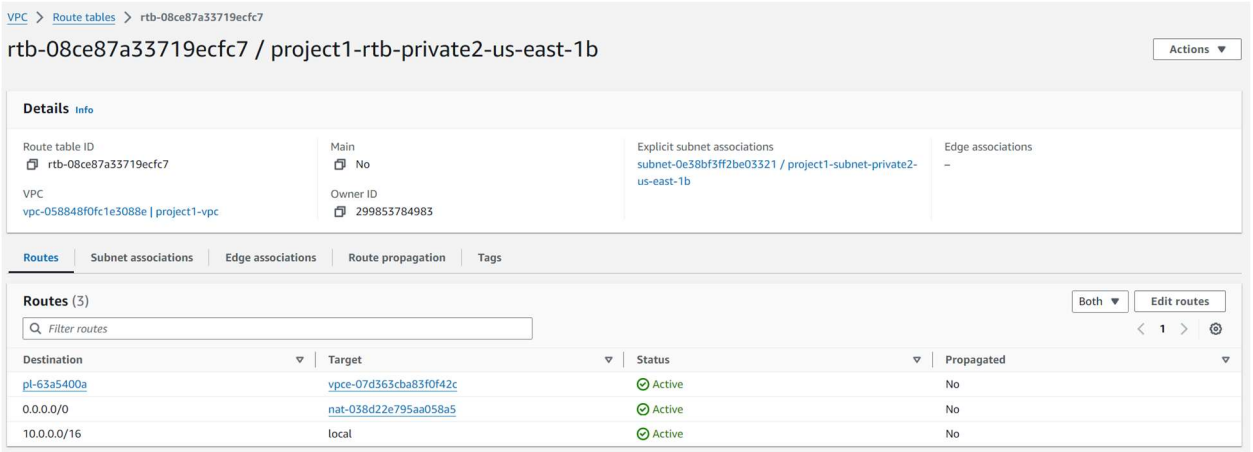
We then create NAT Gateway in the public subnet 1.



We then go to route tables and add new route for anywhere (0.0.0.0/0) to exit from NAT gateway in the private subnet 1.

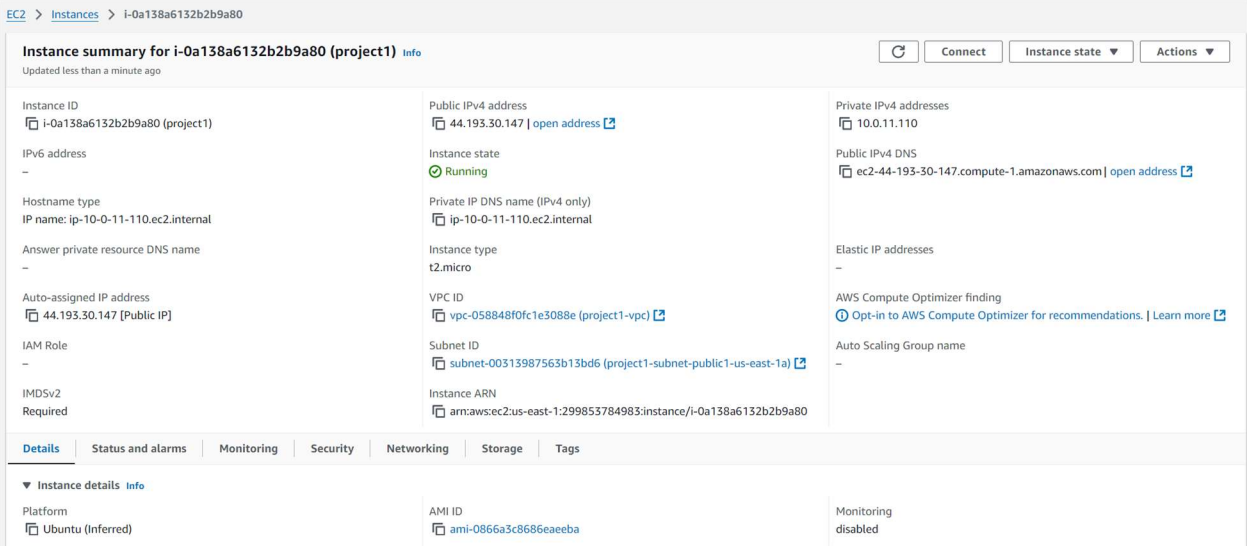


Then do the same for private subnet 2.



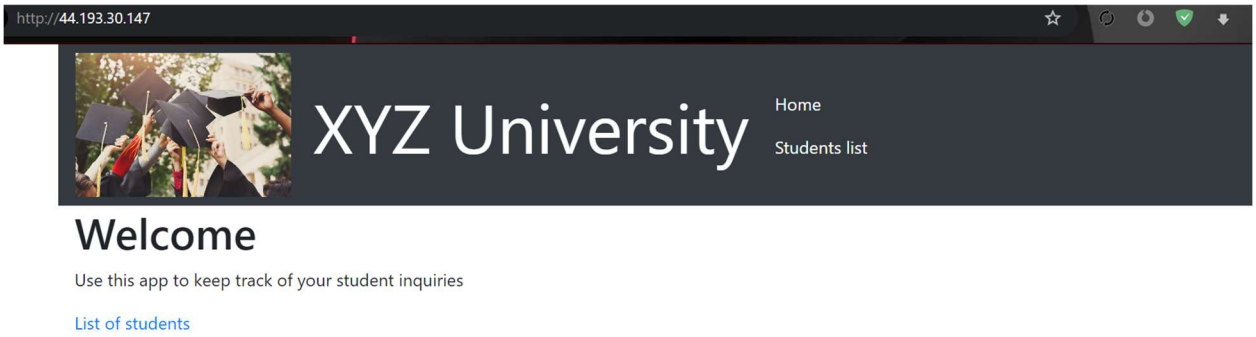
Task 2: Creating a virtual machine

We will create an EC2 instance. We will select Ubuntu as Operating system and we will create a security group to allow SSH and HTTP connections from anywhere (0.0.0.0/0).



Task 3: Testing the deployment

And we can test that the web application is running successfully by going to the public IP in new browser window.



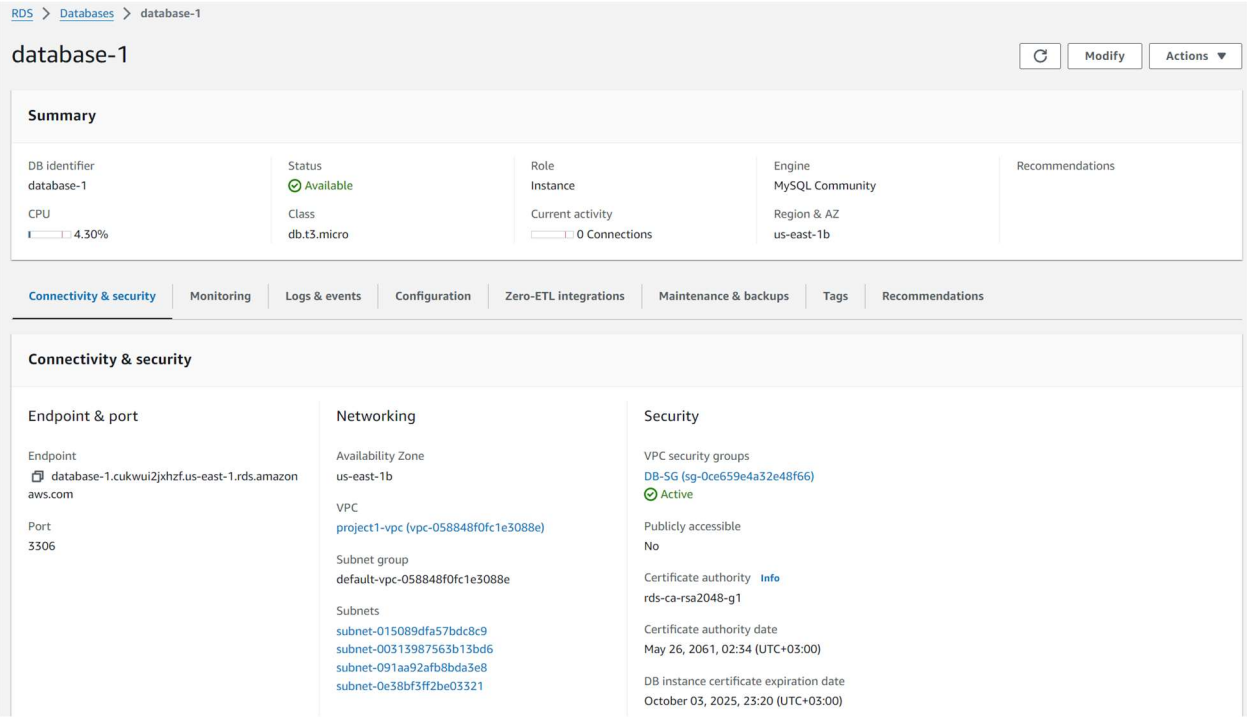
Phase 3: Decoupling the application components

Task 1: Changing the VPC configuration

We already created the private subnets and in two Availability Zones.

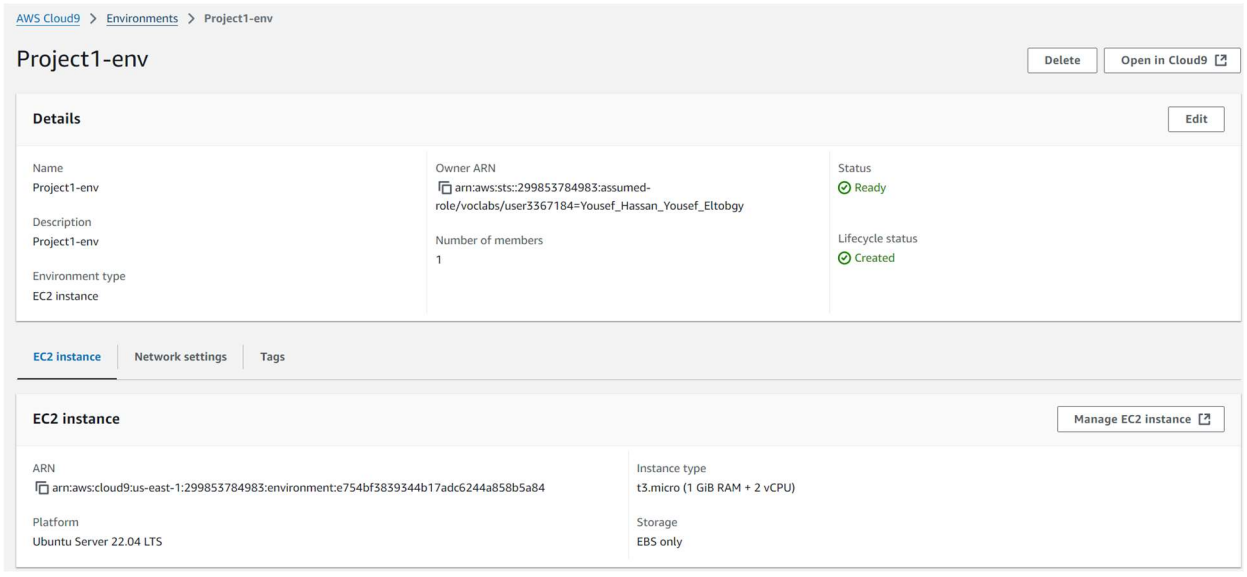
Task 2: Creating and configuring the Amazon RDS database

We create new database from RDS dashboard. We will choose MySQL engine.



Task 3: Configuring the development environment

Created cloud9 environment on a new t3.micro instance and the platform is Ubuntu and the access is SSH.



Installed AWS CLI on it.

```
voclabs:~/environment $ curl "https://awscli.amazonaws.com/awscli-exe-linux-x86_64.zip" -o "awscliv2.zip"
  % Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time    Time     Time  Current
                                 Dload  Upload   Total   Spent    Left  Speed
100 62.9M  100 62.9M    0     0   109M      0 --:--:-- --:--:-- --:--:--  109M
voclabs:~/environment $ unzip awscliv2.zip
```

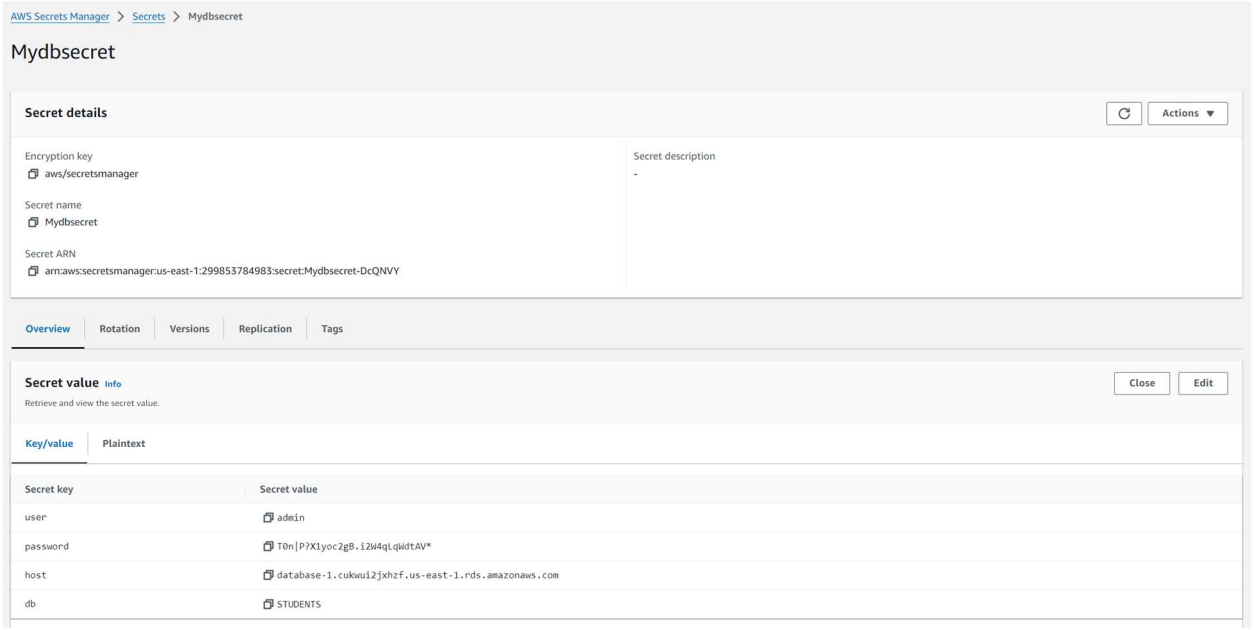
```
  inflating: aws/dist/docutils/parsers/rst/include/isoamsb.txt
  inflating: aws/dist/docutils/parsers/rst/include/isomopf-wide.txt
  inflating: aws/dist/docutils/parsers/rst/include/isolat1.txt
voclabs:~/environment $ sudo ./aws/install
Found preexisting AWS CLI installation: /usr/local/aws-cli/v2/current. Please rerun install script with --update flag.
voclabs:~/environment $
voclabs:~/environment $
voclabs:~/environment $
voclabs:~/environment $ aws --version
aws-cli/2.17.60 Python/3.12.6 Linux/6.8.0-1015-aws exe/x86_64.ubuntu.22
voclabs:~/environment $
```

Task 4: Provisioning Secrets Manager

Created new secret using the below command in the cloud9 session.

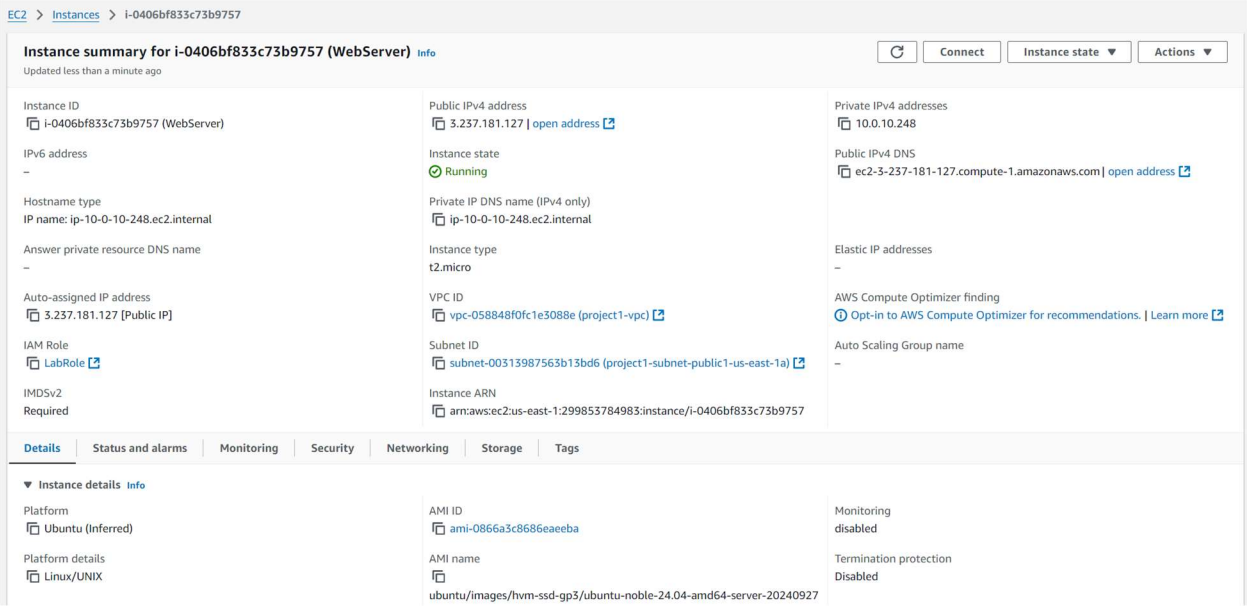
```
voclabs:~/environment $ aws secretsmanager create-secret \
>     --name Mydbsecret \
>     --description "Database secret for web app" \
>     --secret-string "{\"user\":\"admin\",\"password\":\"SK6#px$dN}Lf]8):DB07x1j<ZF5$\",\"host\":\"database-1.cukwui2jxhzf.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com\",\"db\":\"STUDENTS\"}"
{
    "ARN": "arn:aws:secretsmanager:us-east-1:299853784983:secret:Mydbsecret-ze5uiW",
    "Name": "Mydbsecret",
    "VersionId": "1ab60cae-77ef-46db-808b-96917746658a"
}
voclabs:~/environment $
```

And we can confirm the data from the secret manager dashboard.

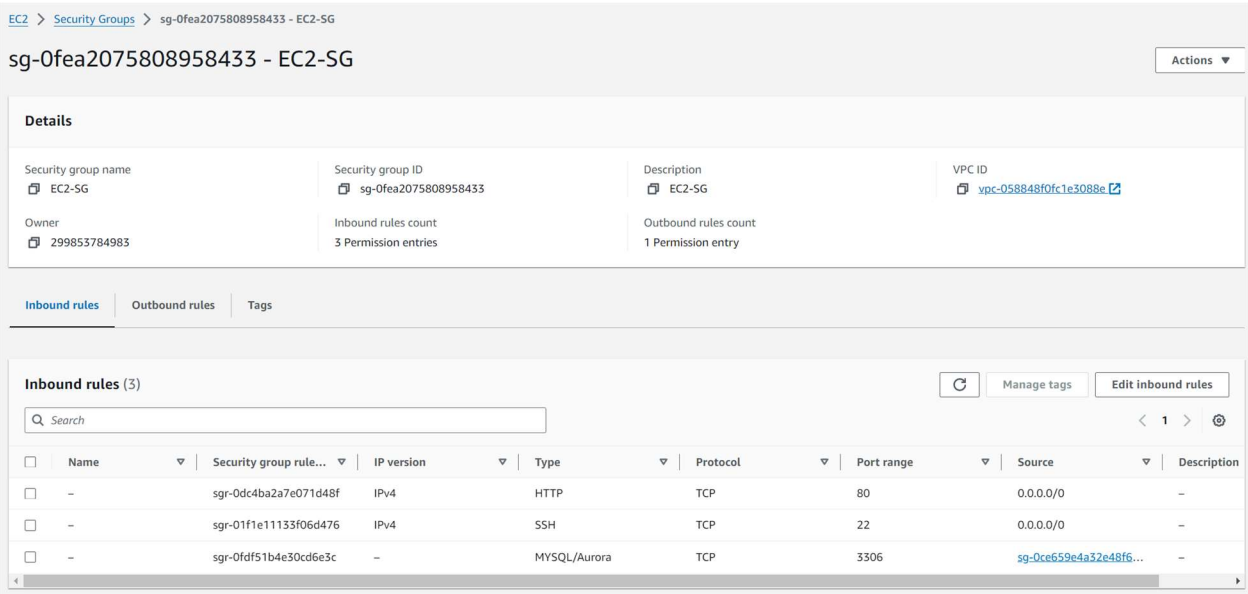


Task 5: Provisioning a new instance for the web server

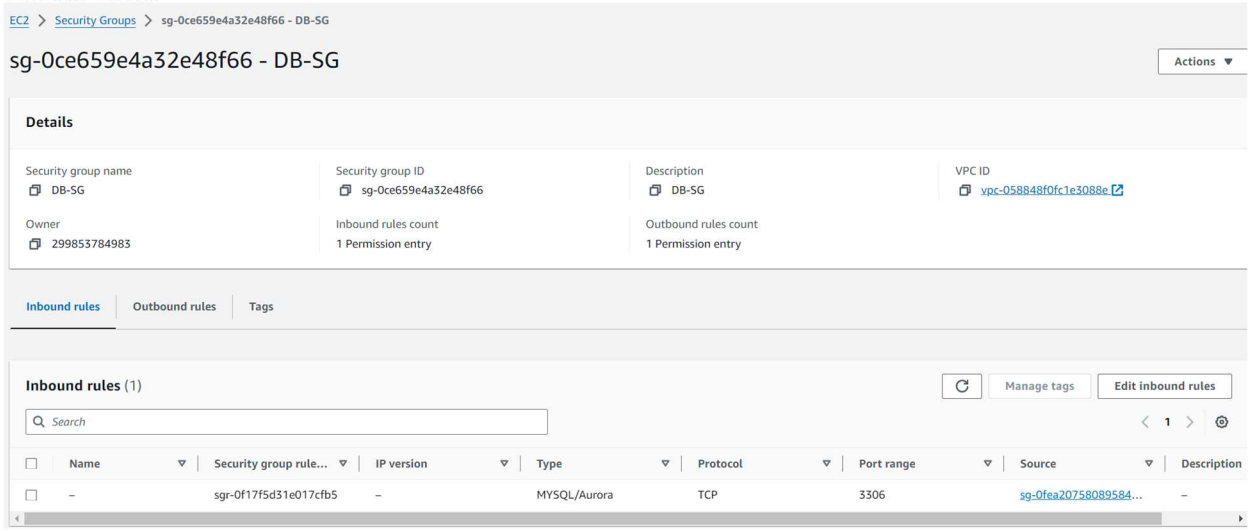
Created new instance and added the script of the web application



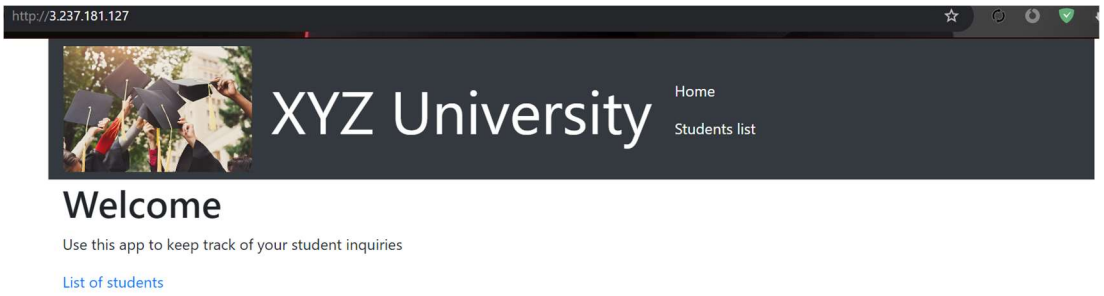
Edited the security group for EC2 instances to allow traffic through port 3306



Also created a security group for the RDS instance and allowed inbound traffic on port 3306

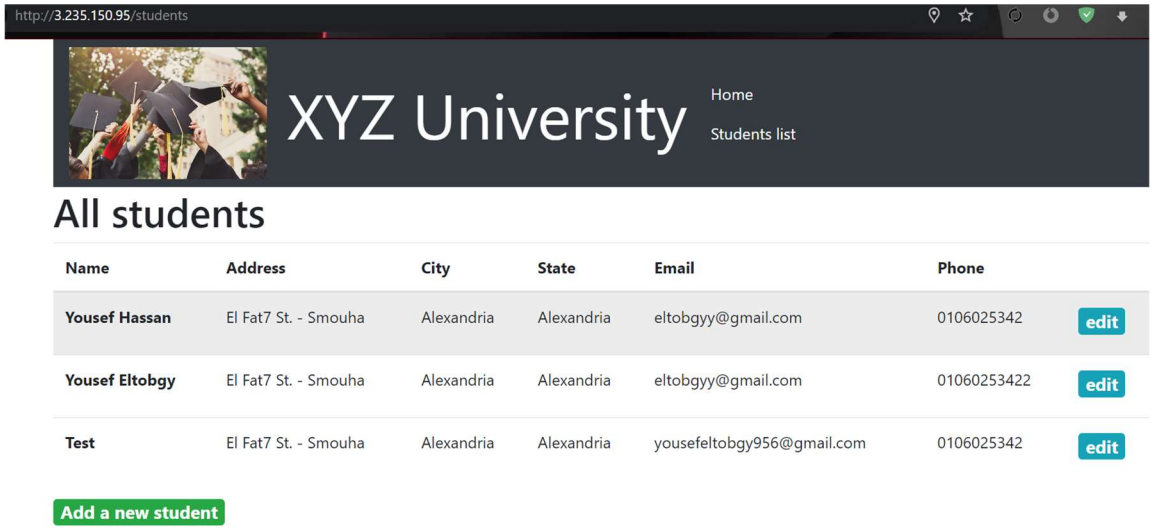


Tested the web app is working fine



Task 6: Migrating the database

First add some data on the website (on the old EC2 instance's public IP) like below:



Then, we will export the data from the old EC2 instance

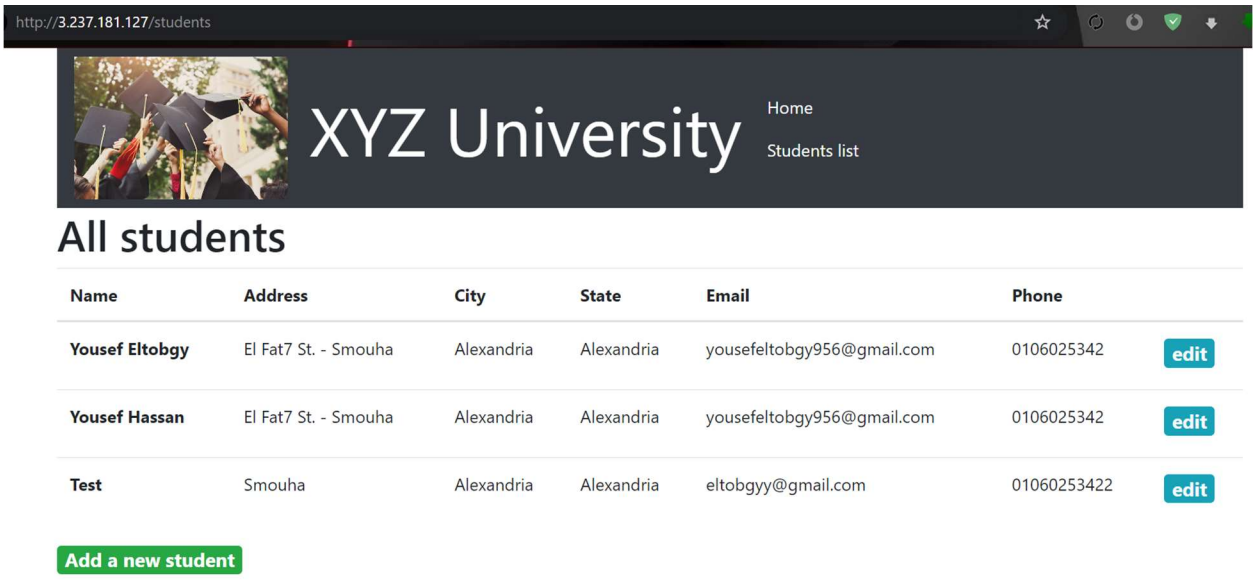
```
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$ mysqldump -h 10.0.11.110 -u nodeapp -p --databases STUDENTS > data.sql
Enter password:
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$ cat data.sql
```

Then we will put it in the RDS instance

```
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$ mysql -u admin -p -h database-1.cukwui2jxhzf.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com  < data.sql
Enter password:
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
```

Task 7: Testing the application

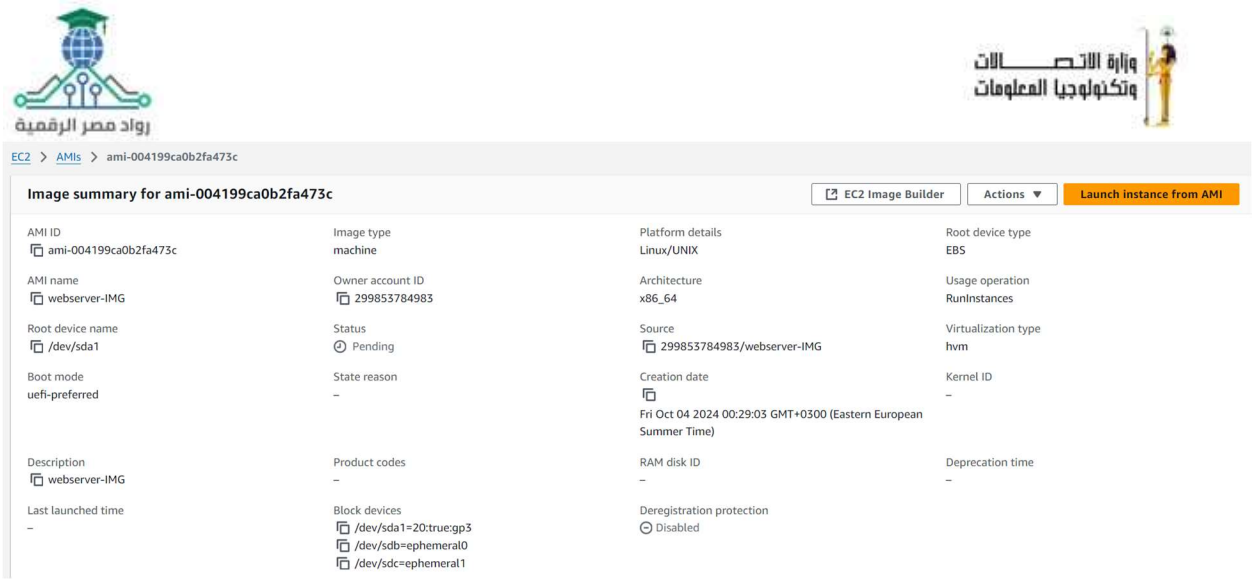
I went to the newly created EC2 instance and the found the data migrated which means the application can access it from RDS instance.



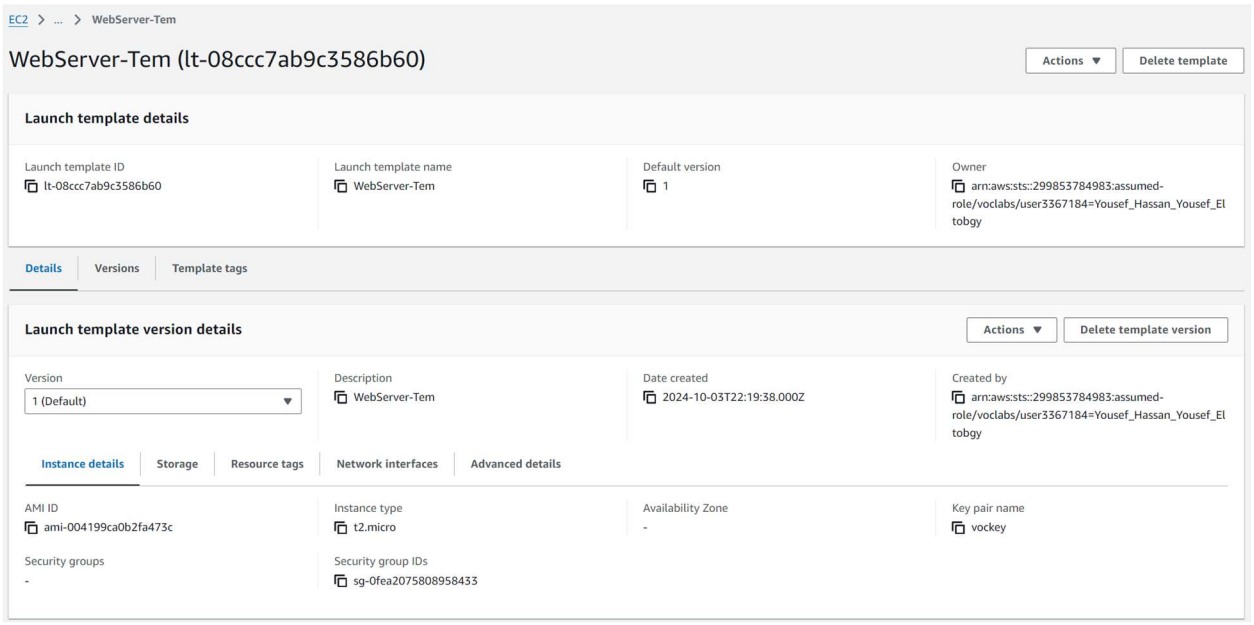
Phase 4: Implementing high availability and scalability

Task 1: Creating an Application Load Balancer

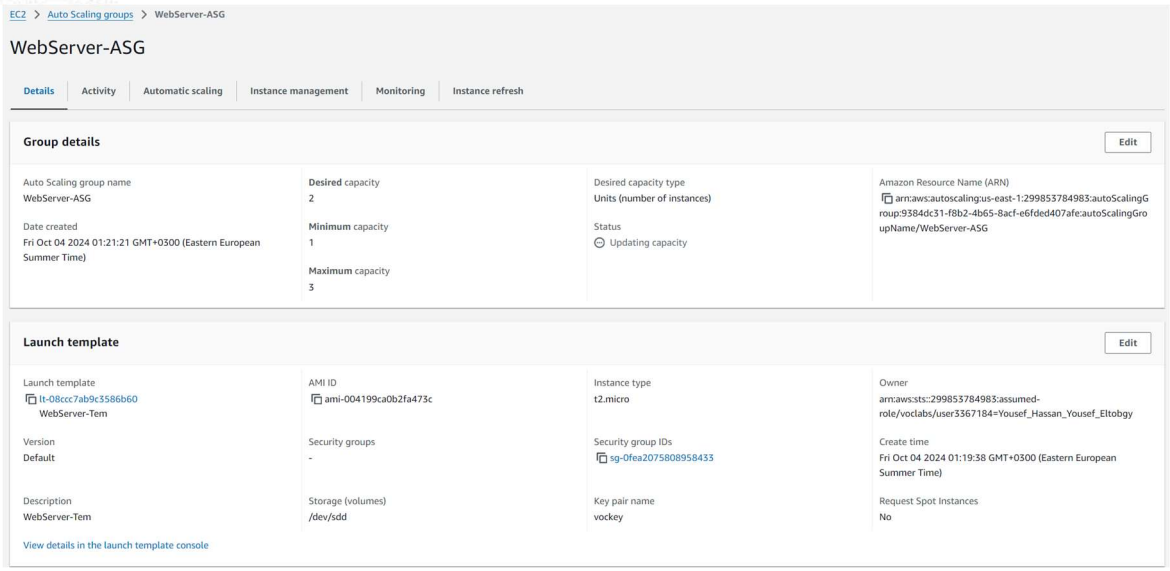
Created image from the Webserver instance.



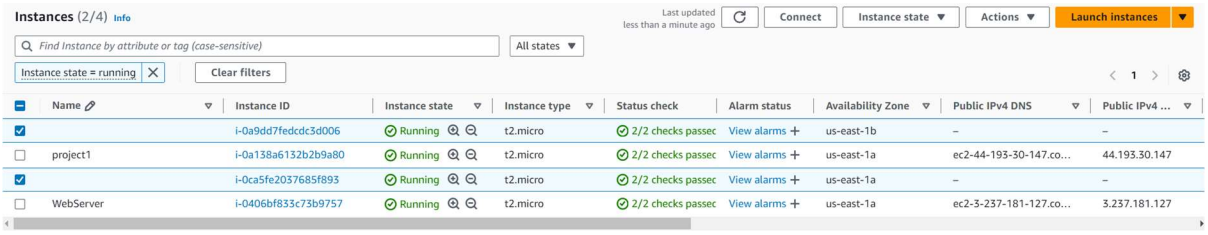
Create a launch template.



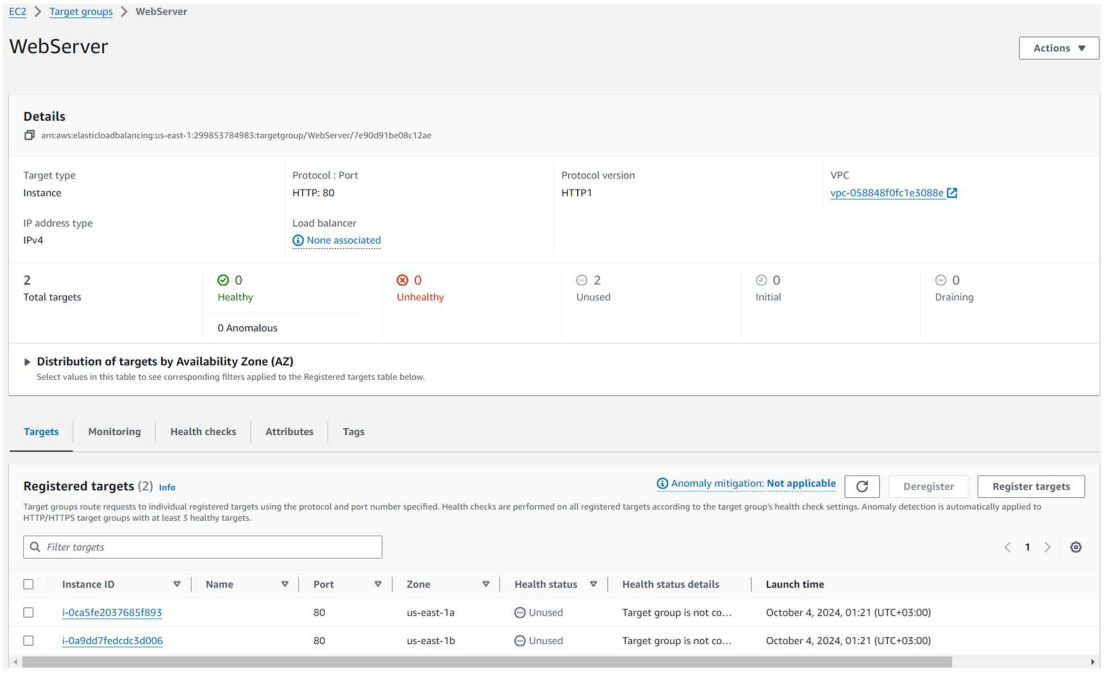
Then create the Automatic Scaling Group. I set the desired capacity to two as I want two instances to run in the two public subnets (one per each).



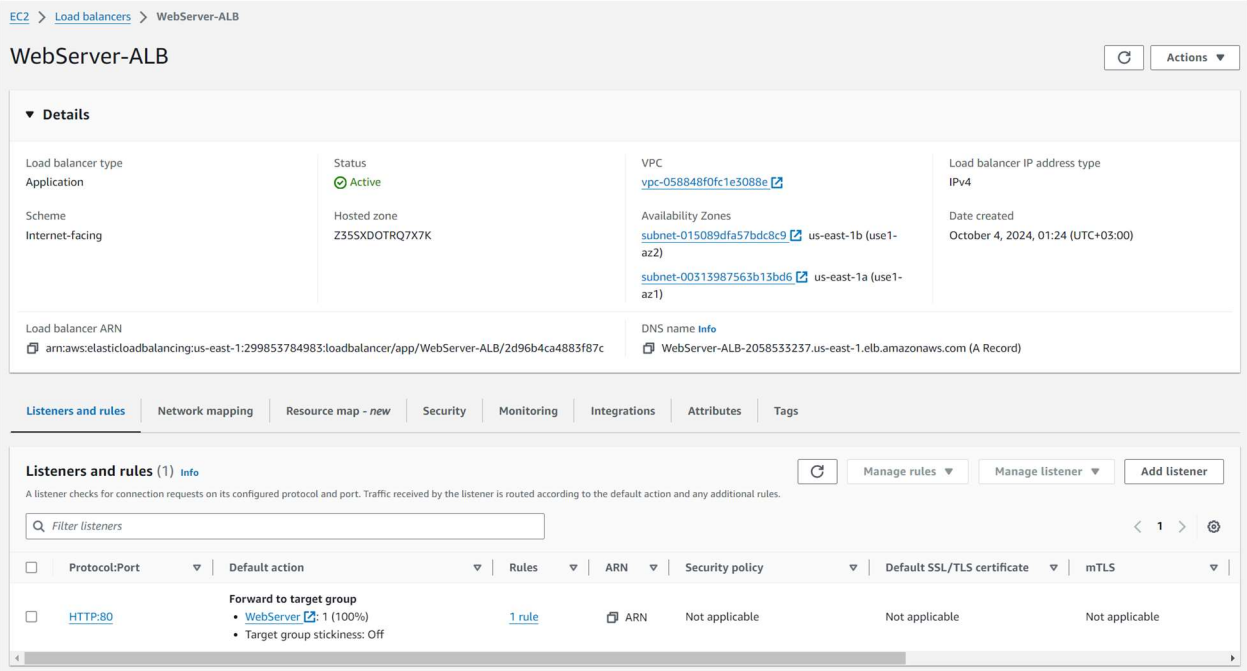
You can see that there two new instances have been created in the EC2 dashboard (because we set the desired capacity to 2 instances).



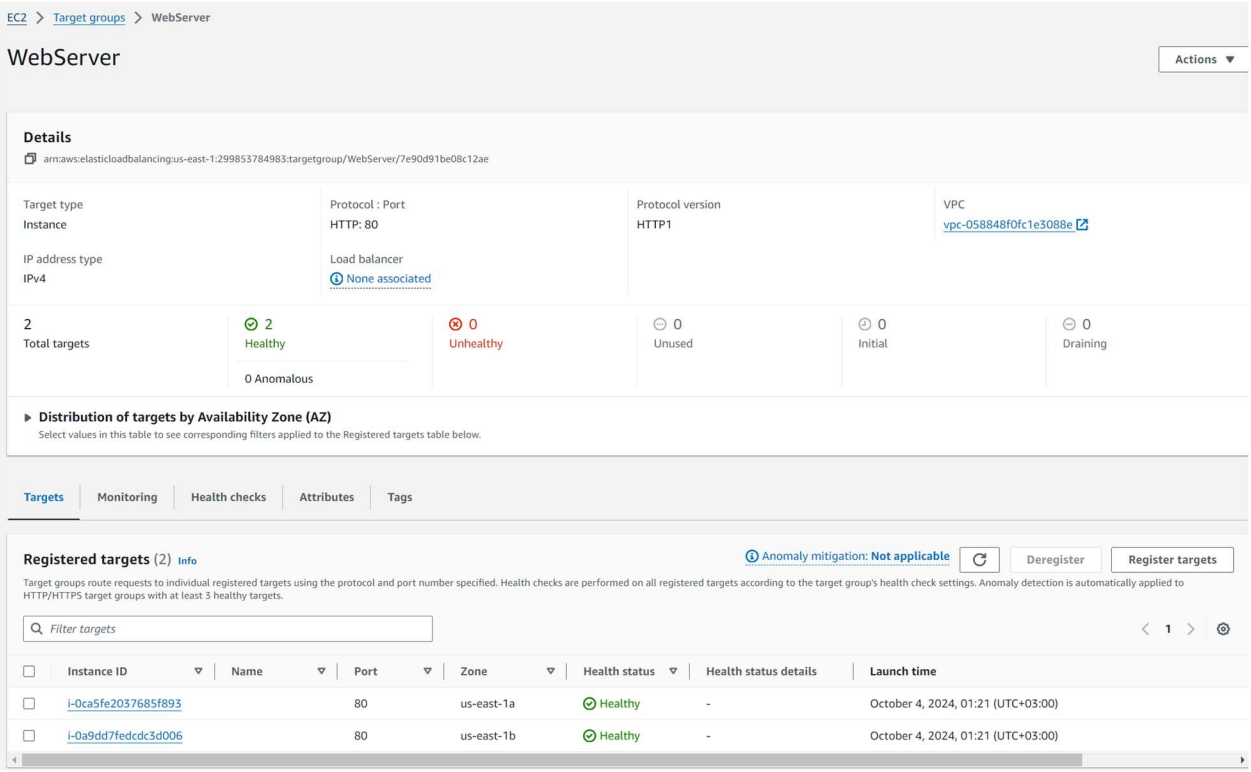
Create a target group and include the two created instances.



Then we will create the Application Load Balancer.



And now the targets are receiving monitoring and their status became healthy

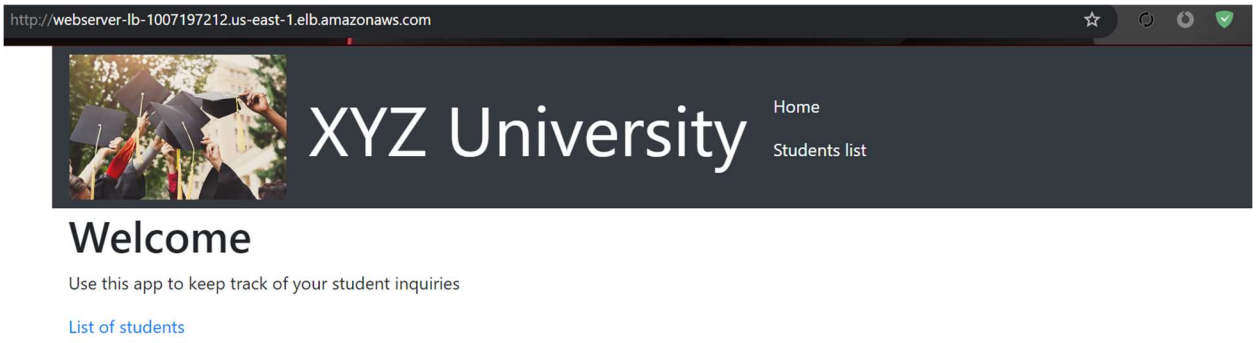


Task 2: Implementing Amazon EC2 Auto Scaling

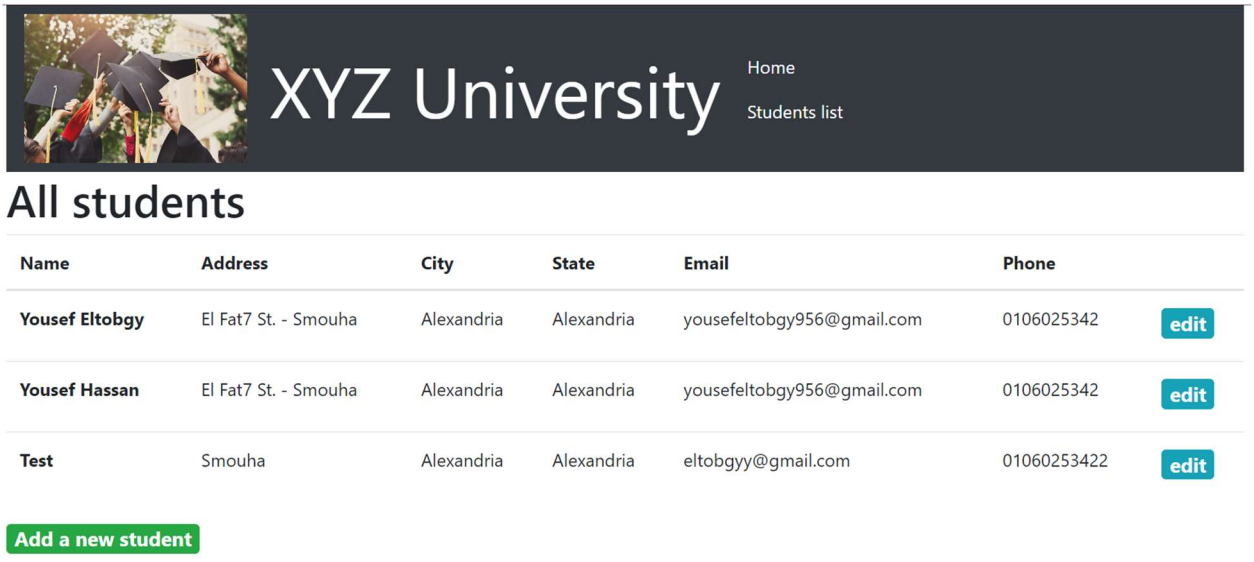
Created the Auto Scaling Group in the previous step.

Task 3: Accessing the application

By using the public DNS name of the Application Load Balancer, we can test that we can access the application.



And we will find the data from the RDS instance



Task 4: Load testing the application

We will now try doing load testing on the Application Load Balancer that we created. So we will install the loadtest package using the below command.

```
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$ sudo npm install -g loadtest

added 31 packages in 3s

1 package is looking for funding
  run `npm fund` for details
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
```

Then we will run the loadtest command on the ALB.

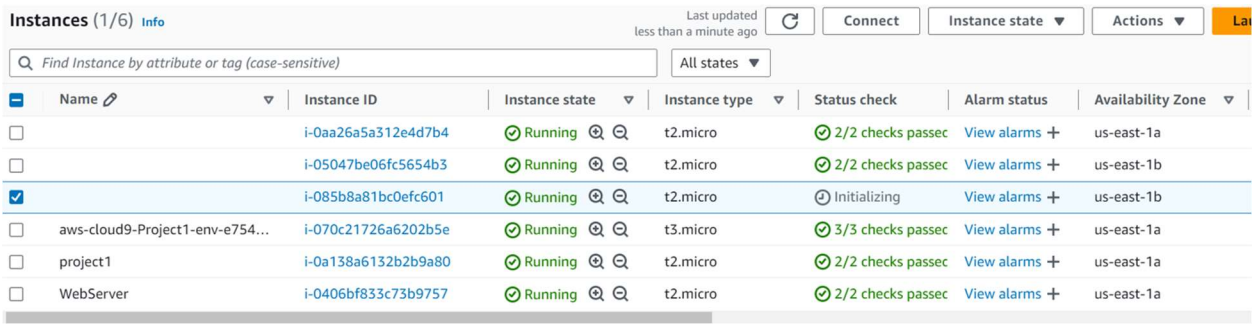
```
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$ sudo loadtest --rps 1000  -c 500 -k http://WebServer-ALB-2058533237.us-east-1.elb.amazonaws.com
Requests: 5000, requests per second: 1000, mean latency: 2.5 ms

Target URL:          http://WebServer-ALB-2058533237.us-east-1.elb.amazonaws.com
Max time (s):        10
Target rps:          1000
Concurrent clients:  24
Agent:               keepalive

Completed requests:  9998
Total errors:        0
Total time:          10.001 s
Mean latency:        2.2 ms
Effective rps:       1000

Percentage of requests served within a certain time
  50%      1 ms
  90%      4 ms
  95%      6 ms
  99%      17 ms
 100%      32 ms (longest request)
ubuntu@ip-10-0-11-110:~$
```

Then we will wait till the Auto Scaling Group create a new instance.



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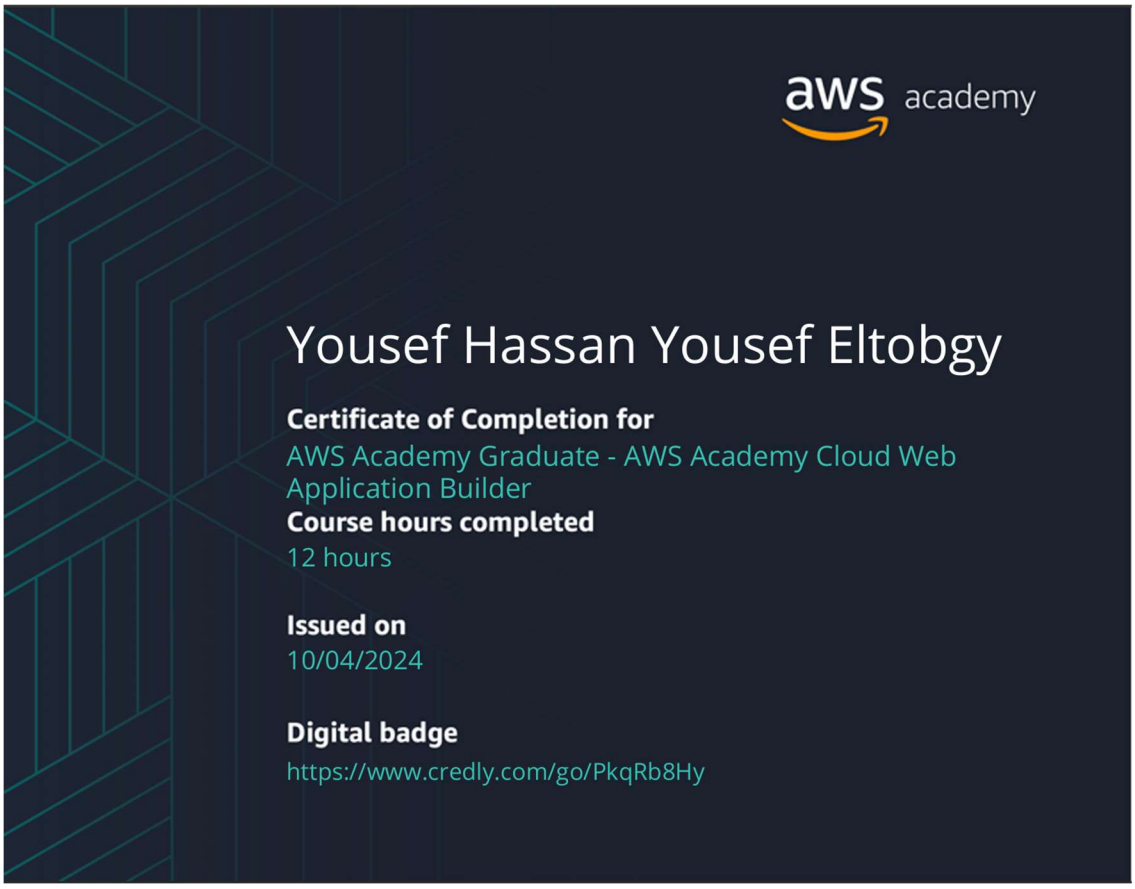

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