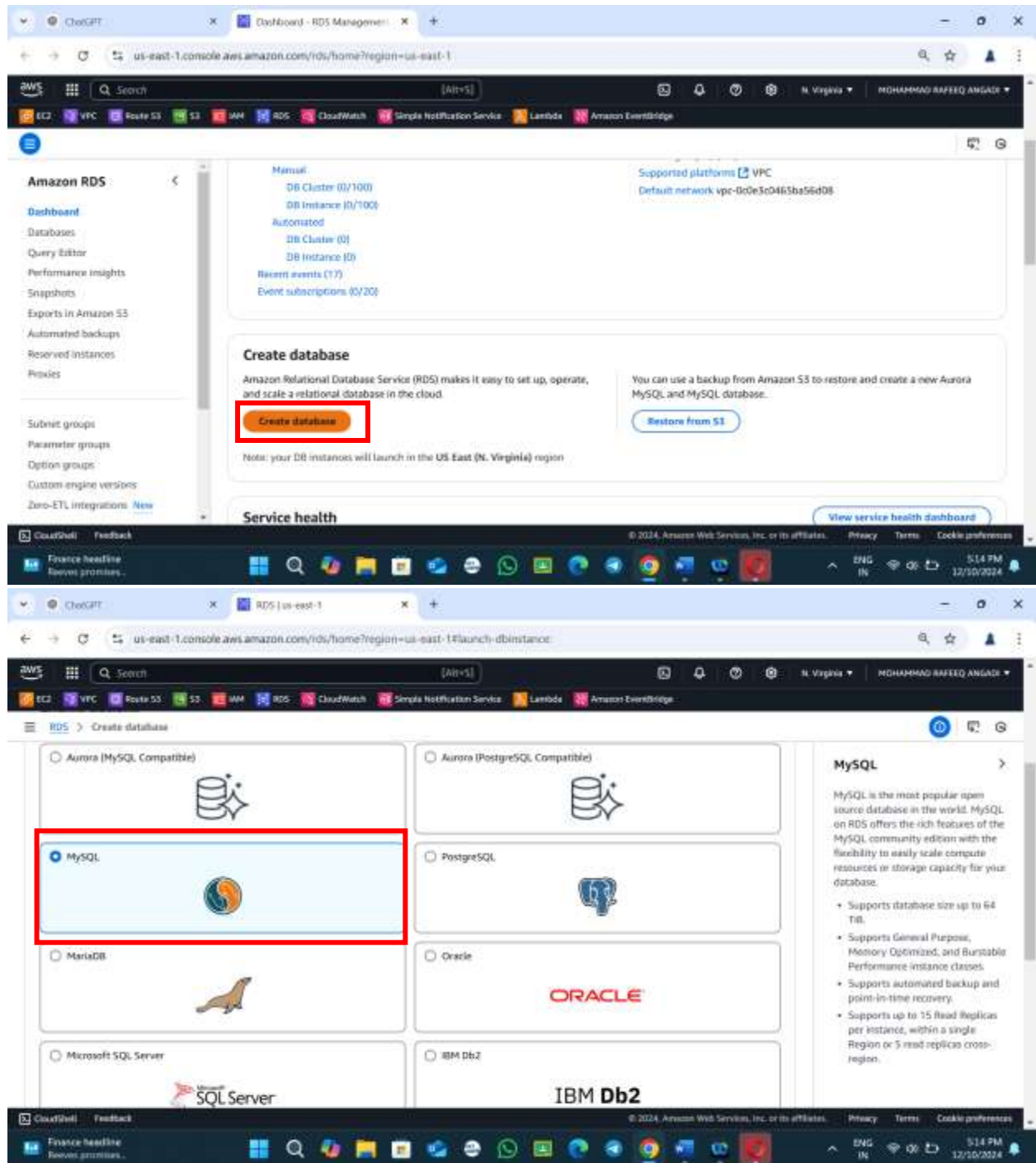


# AWS Lambda to connect to an Amazon RDS

Using AWS Lambda to connect to an Amazon RDS (Relational Database Service) instance is a common approach to building serverless applications. Here's a step-by-step guide to achieve this:

## 1. Set Up Your RDS Database



us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/rds/home?region=us-east-1#launch-dbinstance

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### Create database

#### 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. [Info](#)

#### Availability and durability

**Deployment options** [Info](#)

The deployment options below are limited to those supported by the engine you selected above.

☒ Multi-AZ DB Cluster  
Creates a DB cluster with a primary DB instance and two standby DB instances, with each DB instance in a different Availability Zone (AZ). Provides high availability, data redundancy and increased capacity to serve read workloads.

☐ Multi-AZ DB instance (not supported for Multi-AZ DB cluster snapshot)  
Creates a primary DB instance and a standby DB instance in a different AZ. Provides high availability and data redundancy, but the standby DB instance doesn't support connections for read workloads.

☐ Single DB instance (not supported for Multi-AZ DB cluster snapshot)  
Creates a single DB instance with no standby DB instances.

#### MySQL

MySQL is the most popular open source database in the world. MySQL on RDS offers the rich features of the MySQL community edition with the flexibility to easily scale compute resources or storage capacity for your database.

- Supports database size up to 64 TiB.
- Supports General Purpose, Memory Optimized, and Burstable Performance instance classes.
- Supports automated backup and point-in-time recovery.
- Supports up to 15 Read Replicas per instance, within a single Region or 5 read replicas cross-region.

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

Use 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  
[Learn how your password is generated for your master user and how you can manage it.](#)

#### Master password

**Password strength** [Info](#) Weak

Minimum constraints: At least 8 printable ASCII characters. Can't contain any of the following symbols: / ' " @

#### Confirm master password

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us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/rds/home?region=us-east-1#/launch-db-instance

**After a database is created, you can't change its VPC.**

**DB subnet group** [info](#)  
Choose the DB subnet group. The DB subnet group defines which subnets and IP ranges the DB instance can use in the VPC that you selected.  
**default-vpc-0e0e3c0465ba56d08**  
[View this VPC's resources](#)

**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

**Existing VPC security groups**

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☐ **Create new**  
Create new VPC security group

**Existing VPC security groups**  
Choose one or more options  
**default** X

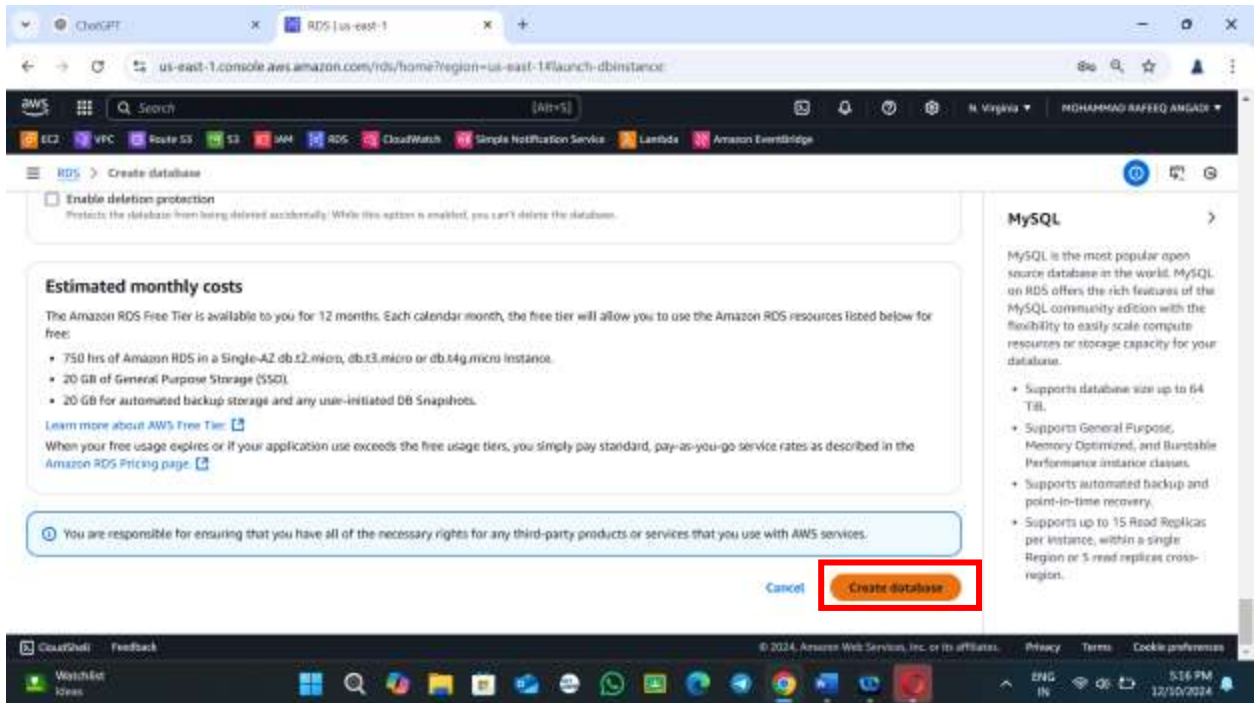
**Availability Zone** [info](#)  
us-east-1a

**RDS Proxy**  
RDS Proxy is a managed 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](#).

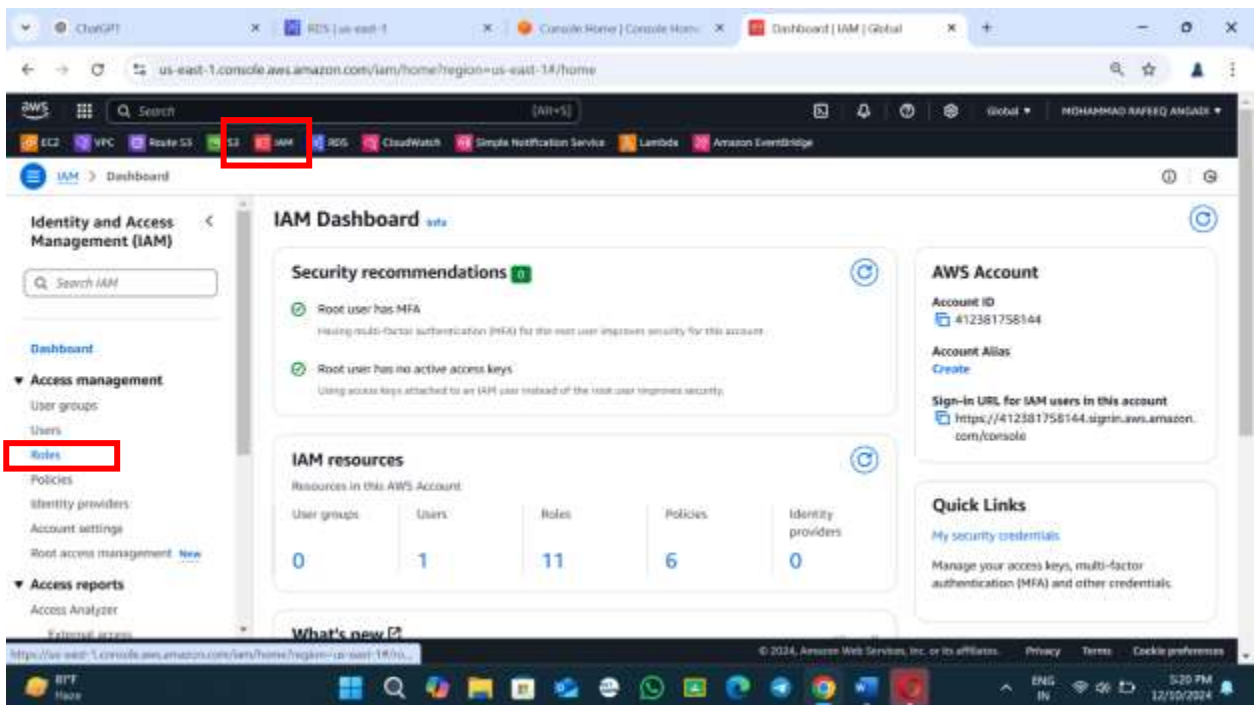
**Certificate authority - optional** [info](#)  
Using a server certificate provides an extra layer of security by validating that the connection is being made to an Amazon database. It does so by checking the server certificate that is automatically installed on all databases that you provision.  
rds-ca-rsa2048-g1 (default)

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## Create IAM Role For Lambda Function





us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/iam/home?region=us-east-1#/roles

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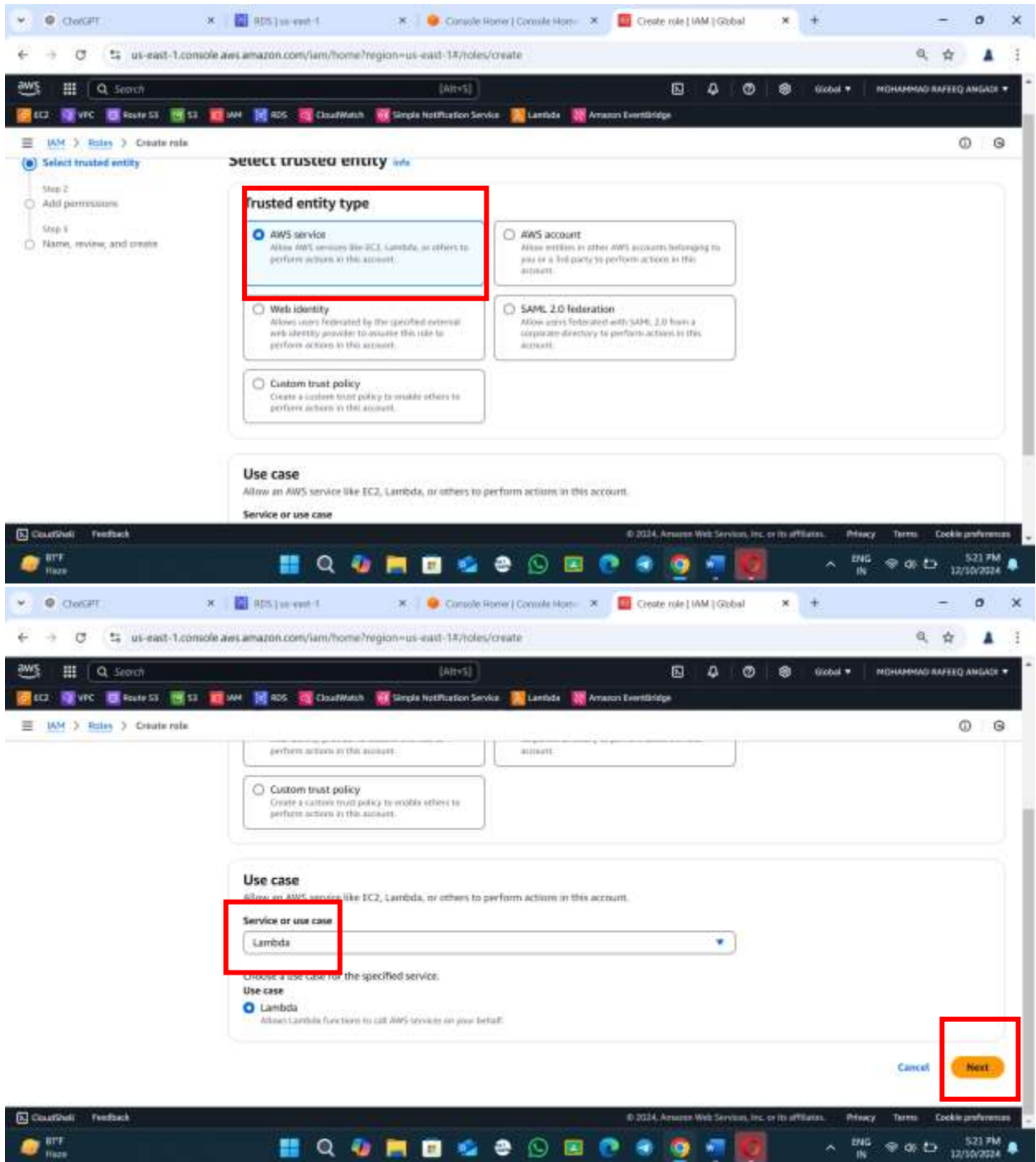
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Step 3: Name, review, and create

### Add permissions [info](#)

Permissions policies (1/1023) [info](#)

Choose one or more policies to attach to your new role.

Filter by type: All types < 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ... 52 > ⚙

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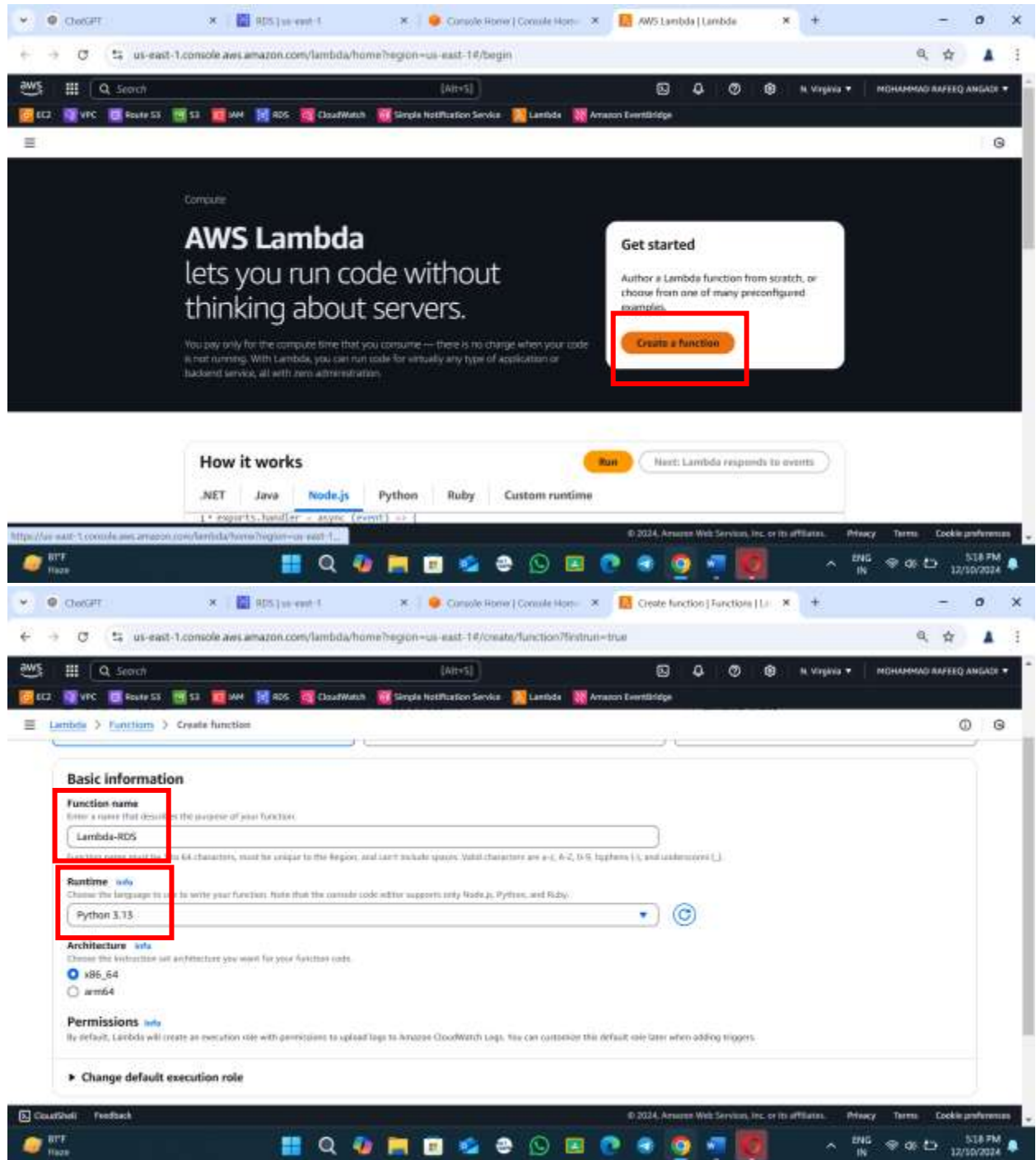
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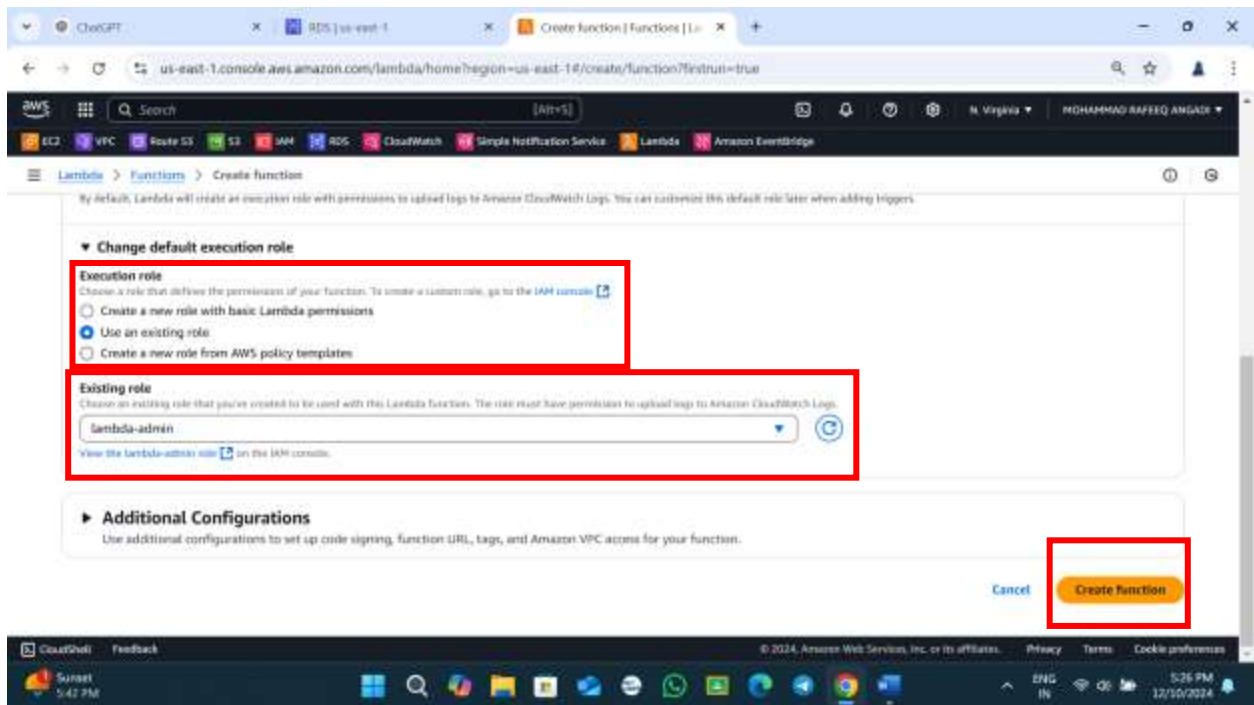




## 2. Create a Lambda Function

- Go to the **AWS Lambda Console** and create a new function.
- Choose a runtime supported by the database client library you'll use (e.g., Python, Node.js, Java).

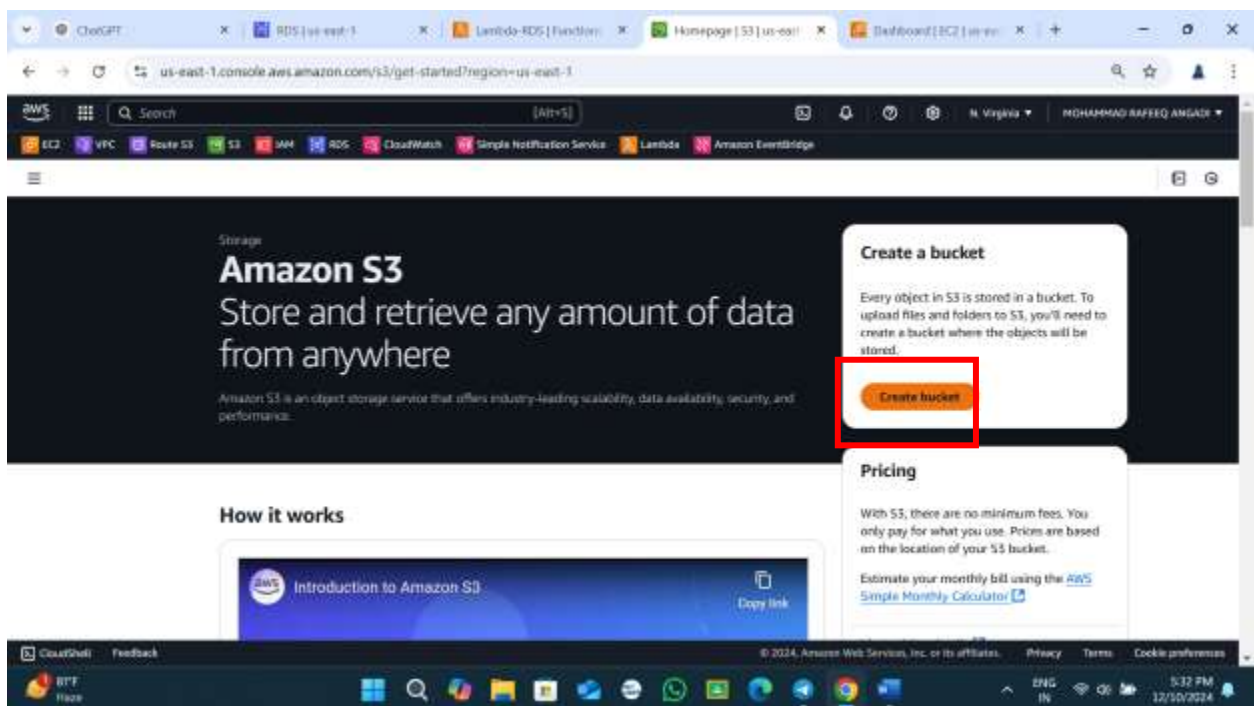


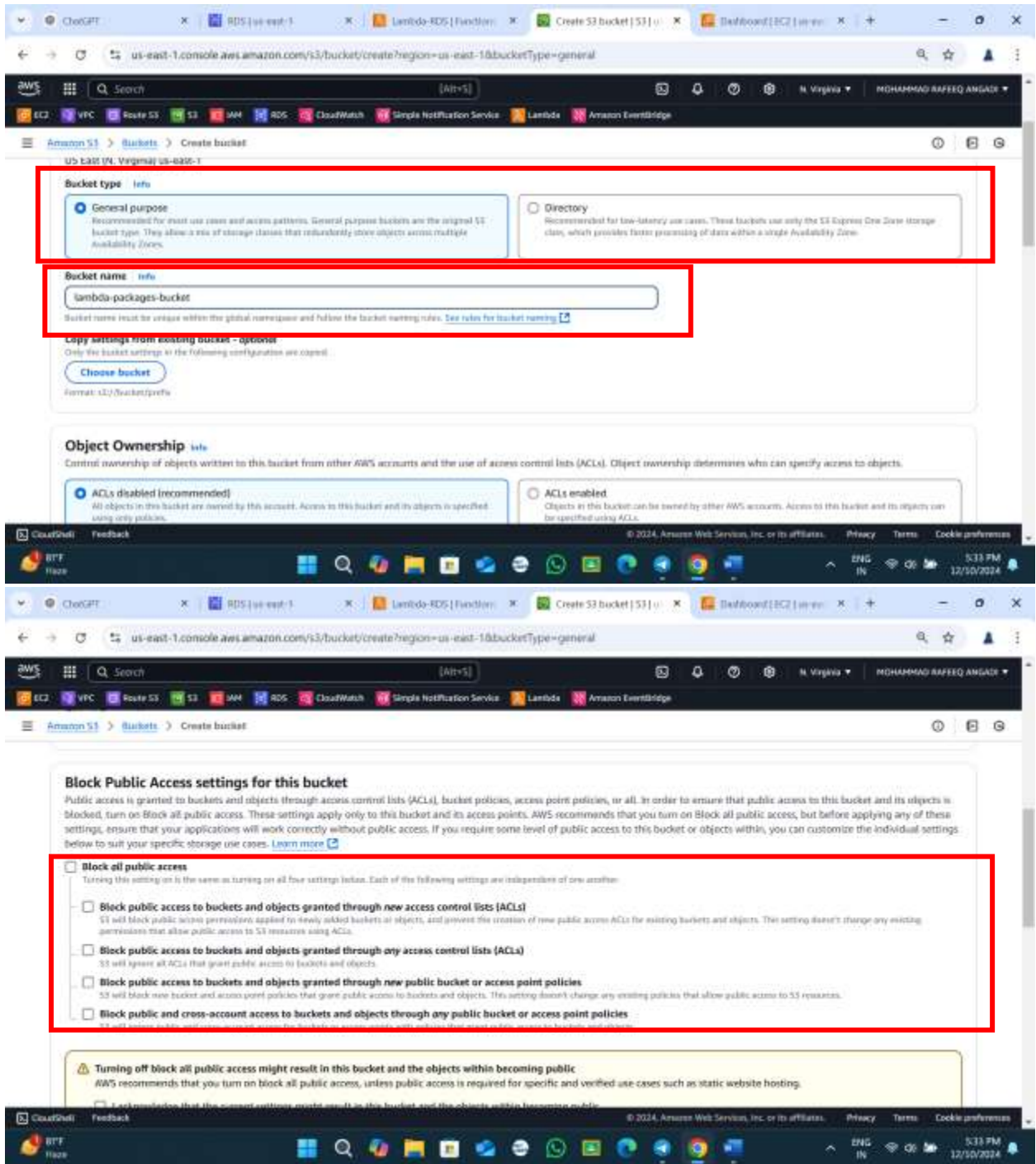


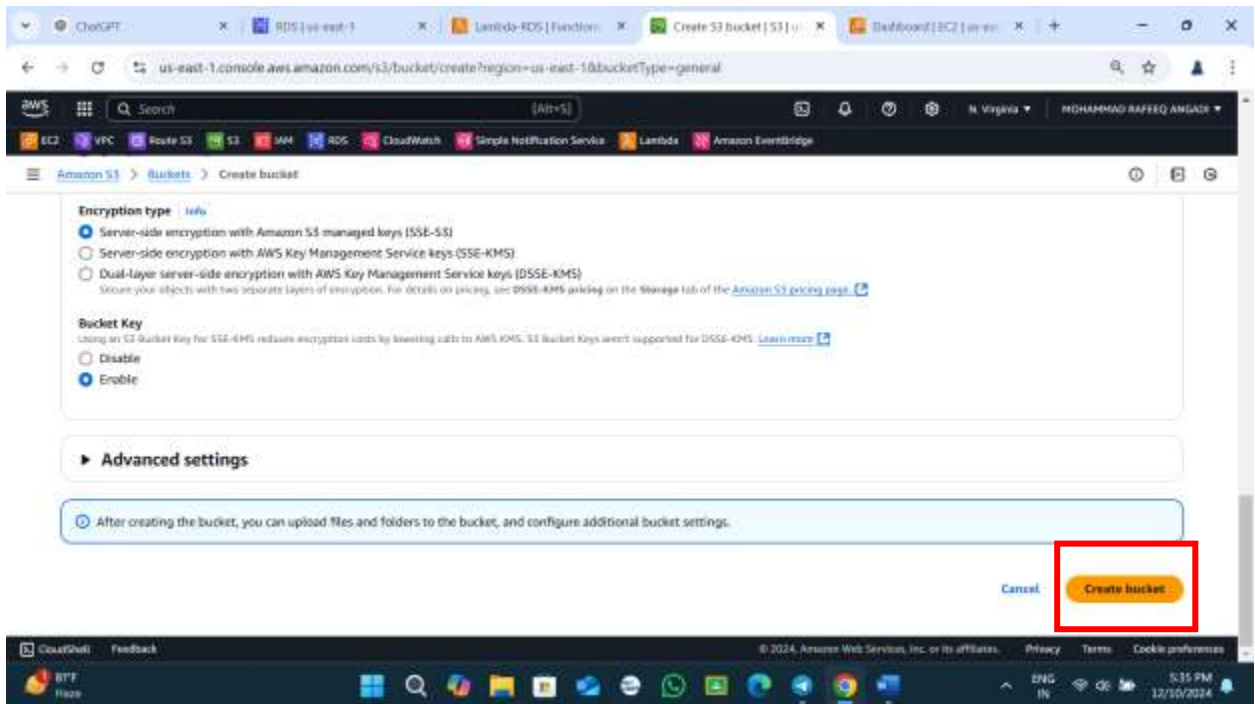
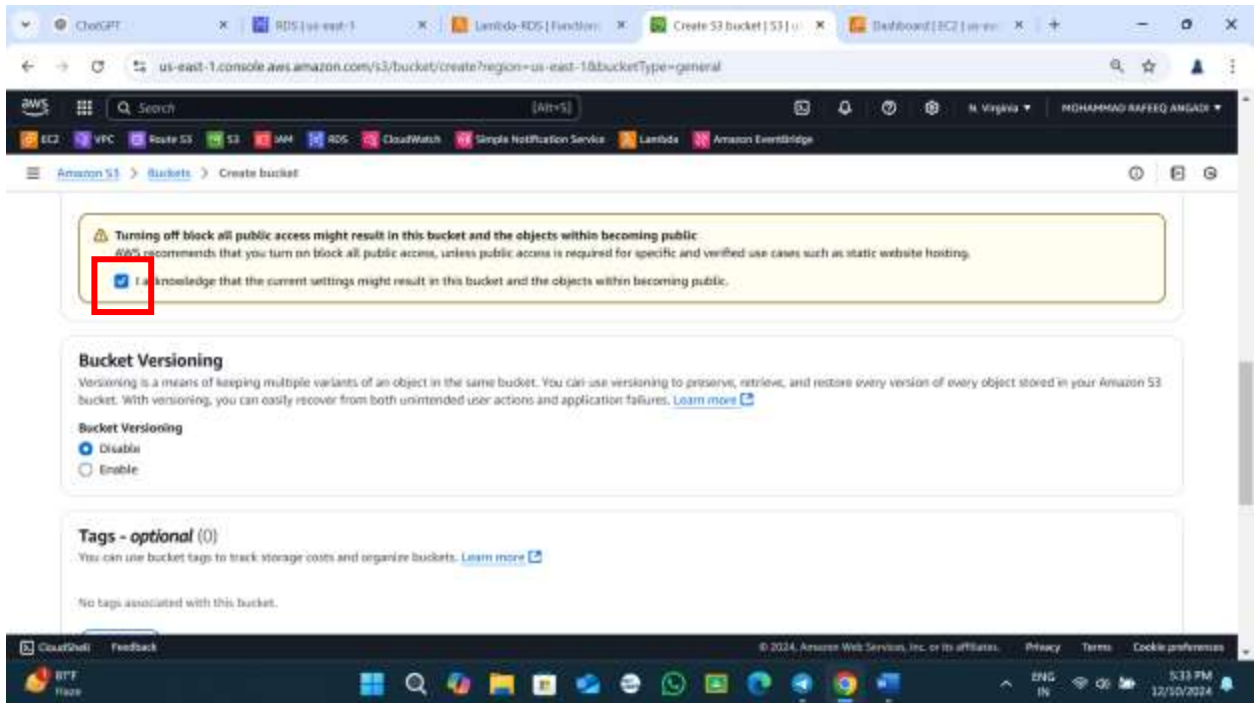
### 3. Install Database Client Library

Connect the instance and install pymysql package and cp the package into s3

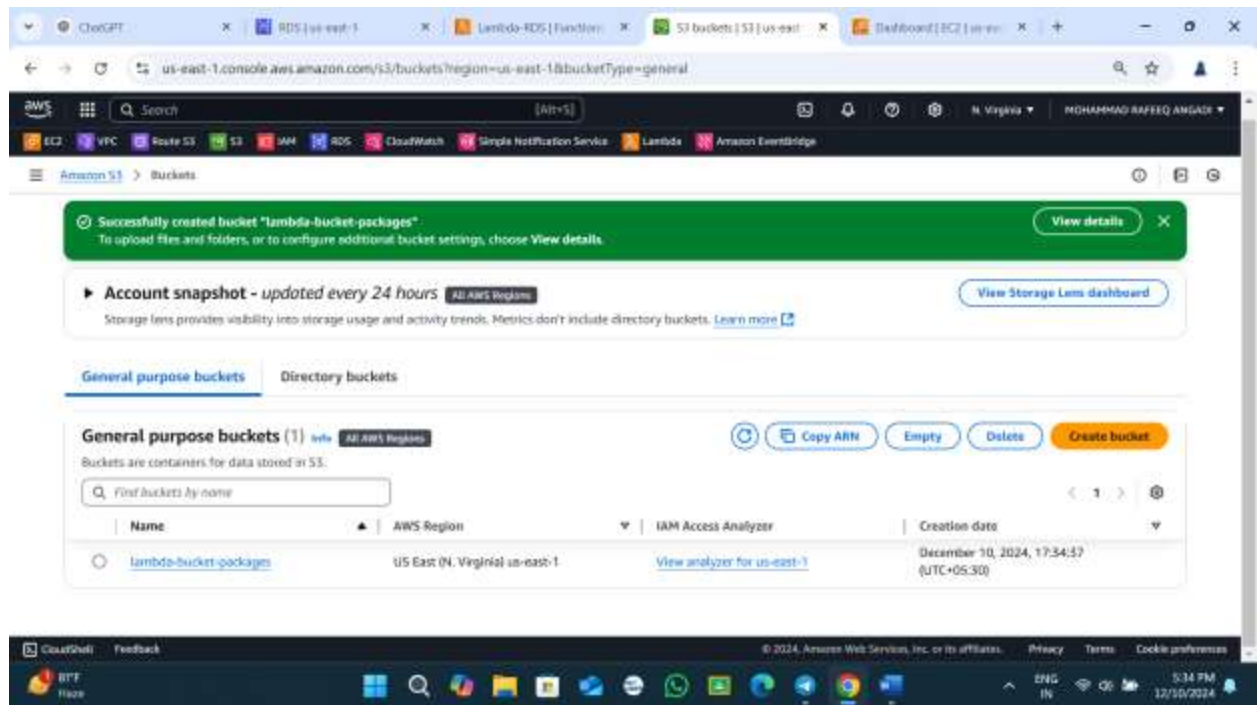
First we can create s3 bucket



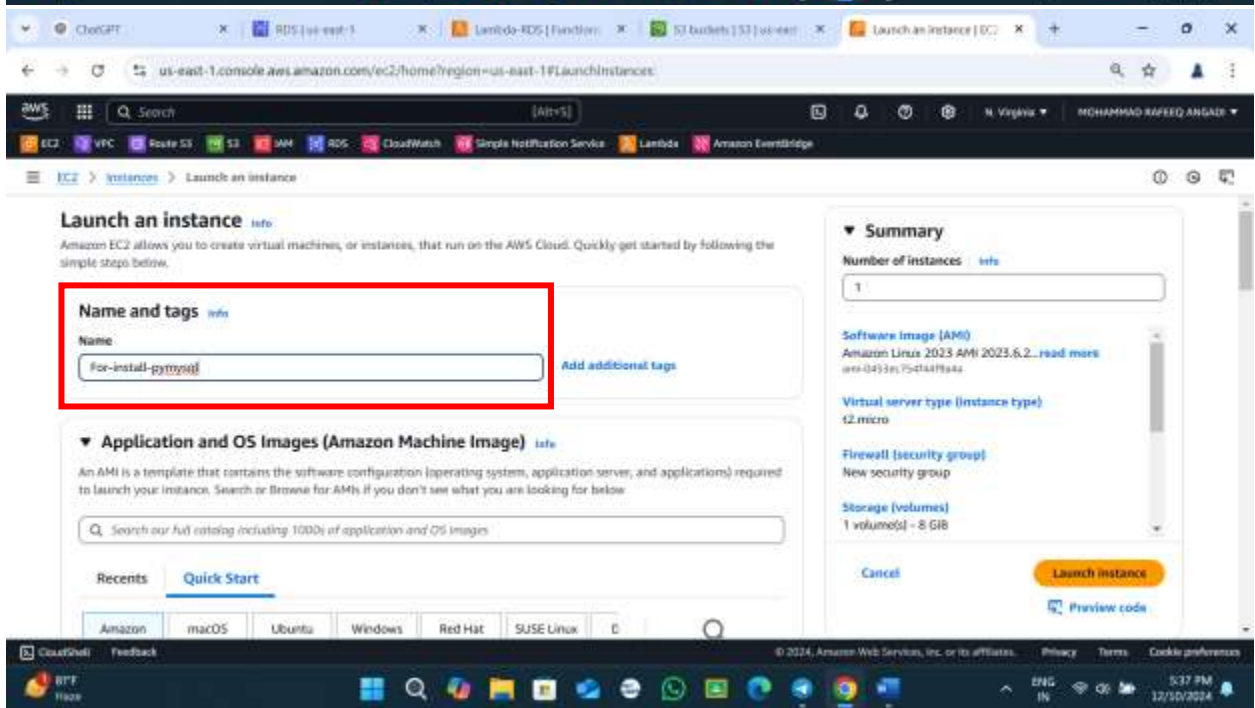
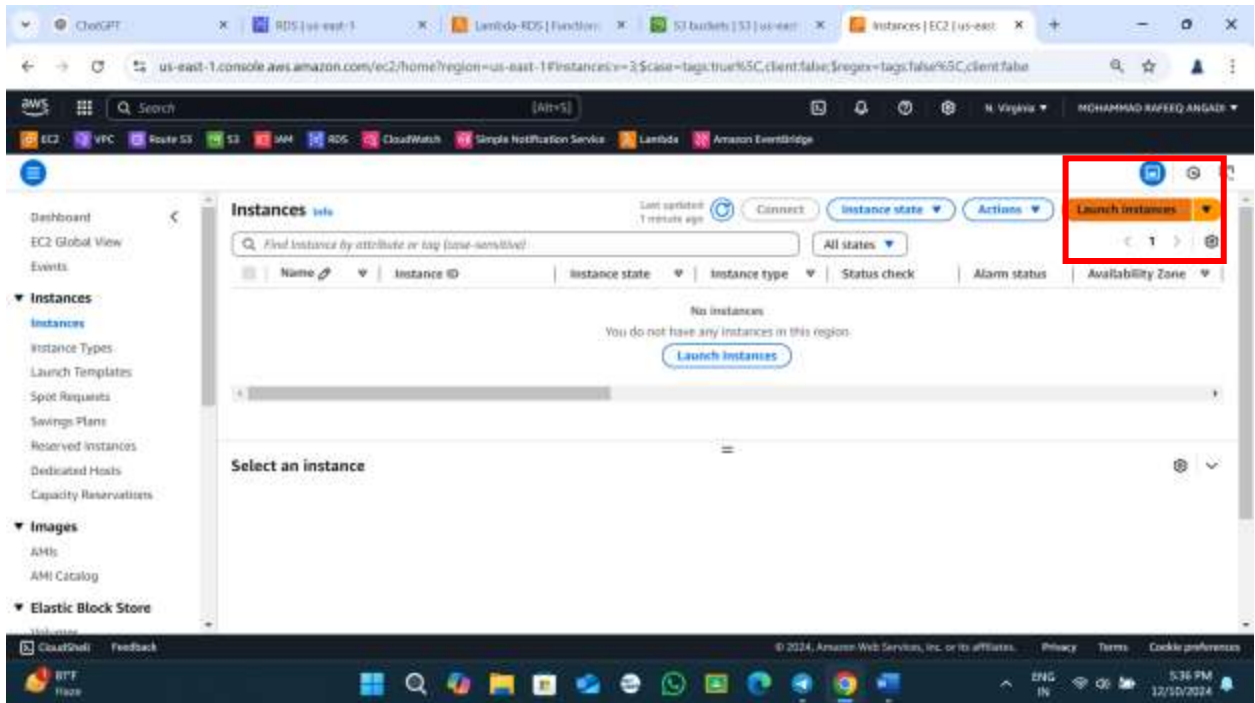








And next create instance for pymysql Install package and cp to s3 bucket



The image displays two screenshots from the AWS Management Console. The top screenshot shows the 'Launch an instance' wizard in the 'Configure storage' step. The 'Number of instances' is set to 1. The 'Software image (AMI)' is 'Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.6.2'. The 'Virtual server type (instance type)' is 't2.micro'. The 'Firewall (security group)' is 'New security group'. The 'Storage (volumes)' section shows 1 volume of 8 GB. The 'Launch instance' button is highlighted with a red box. The bottom screenshot shows the 'Instances' page with a table of instances. The instance 'i-0eaaced00a9598644' is in the 'Running' state. The 'Instance summary' section shows the instance ID, public IPv4 address, private IPv4 addresses, and instance state.

**Launch an instance**

Number of instances: 1

Software image (AMI): Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.6.2...read more

Virtual server type (instance type): t2.micro

Firewall (security group): New security group

Storage (volumes): 1 volume(s) - 8 GB

Launch instance

**Instances (1/1)**

Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status check	Alarm status	Availability Zone
For-install-p...	i-0eaaced00a9598644	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms	us-east-1d

**i-0eaaced00a9598644 (For-install-pymysql)**

Details | Status and alarms | Monitoring | Security | Networking | Storage | Tags

**Instance summary**

Instance ID: i-0eaaced00a9598644

Public IPv4 address: 54.221.137.242 | open address

Private IPv4 addresses: 172.31.30.160

Instance state: Initializing

Public IPv4 DNS:

Create the IAM Role for instance

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/iam/home?region=us-east-1/home

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### IAM Dashboard

Security recommendations

- Root user has MFA
- Root user has no active access keys

AWS Account

Account ID: 412381758144

Account Alias: [Create](#)

Sign-in URL for IAM users in this account: <https://412381758144.signin.aws.amazon.com/console>

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Manage your access keys, multi-factor authentication (MFA) and other credentials.

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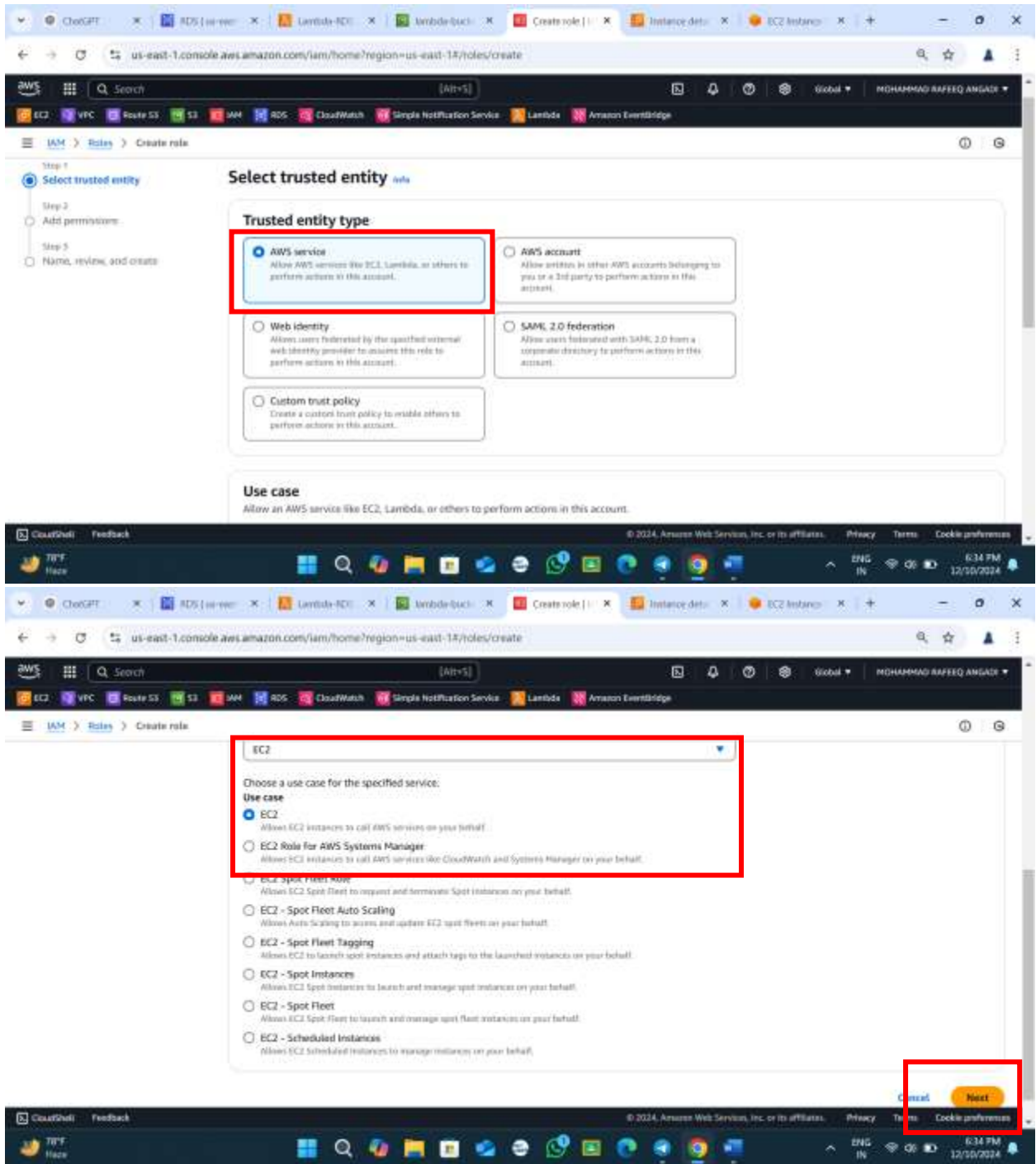
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Instances (1/1) info

Instance ID: i-0eaaced00a9598644

1

2

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For-instal-p... i-0eaaced00a9598644 Running t2.micro 2/2 checks passed

Change security groups

Get Windows password

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Security

Instance and templates

Monitor and troubleshoot

i-0eaaced00a9598644 (For-install-pymysql)

Details Status and alarms Monitoring Security Networking Storage Tags

Instance summary info

Instance ID: i-0eaaced00a9598644

Public IPv4 address: 1.80.41.43 | open address

Private IPv4 addresses: 172.31.50.160

IPv6 address

Instance state

Public IPv4 DNS

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/ec2/home?region=us-east-1#ModifyIAMRole:instanceid=i-0eaaced00a9598644

Modify IAM role info

Attach an IAM role to your instance.

Instance ID: i-0eaaced00a9598644 (For-install-pymysql)

IAM role

Select an IAM role to attach to your instance or choose a new role if you haven't created any. The role you select replaces any roles that are currently attached to your instance.

Choose IAM role

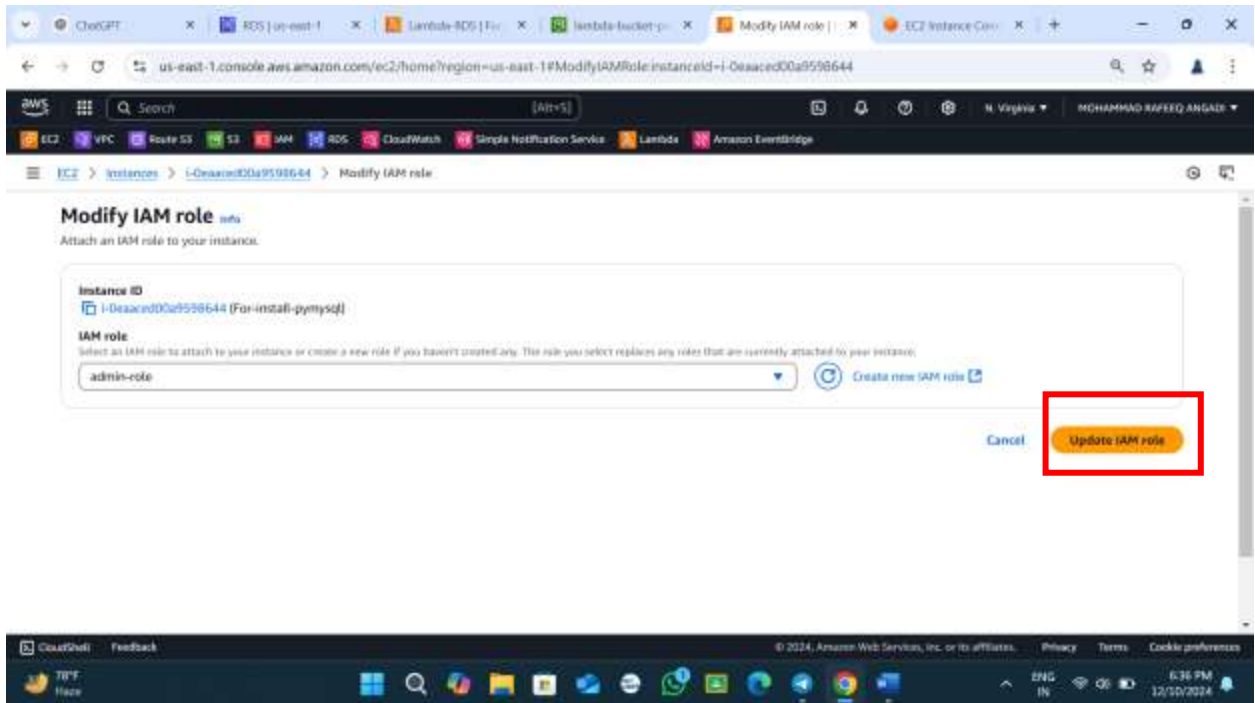
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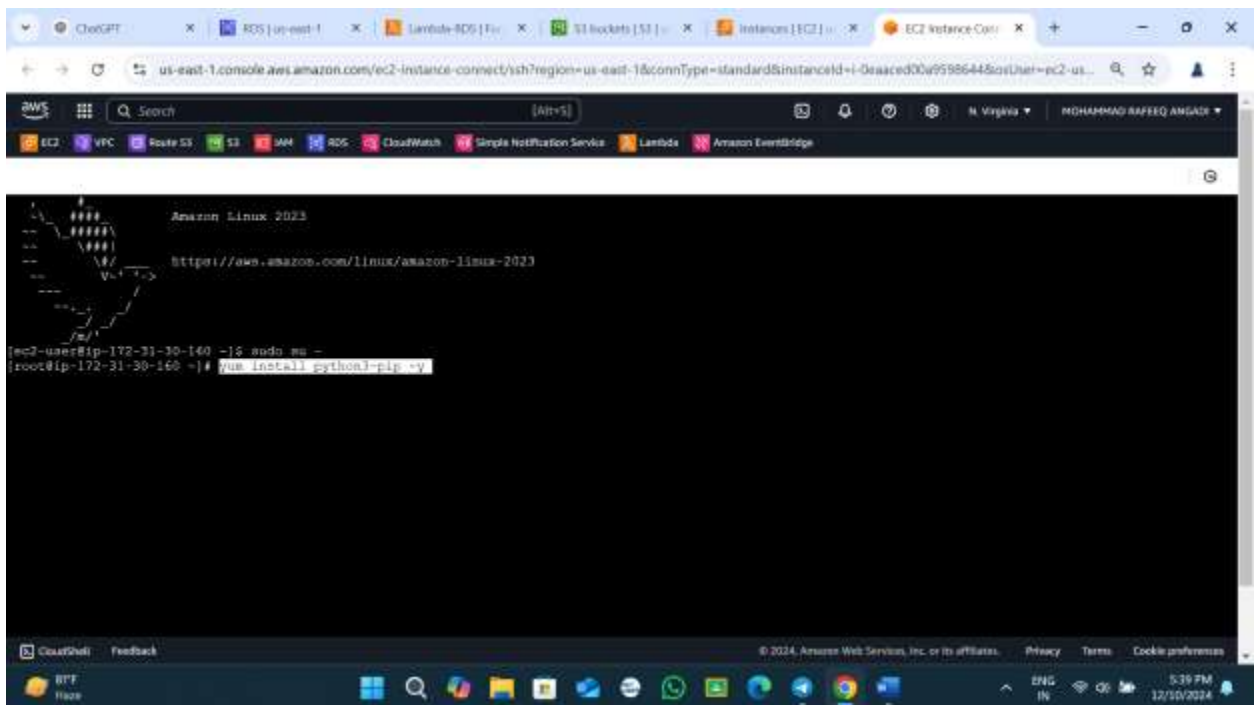




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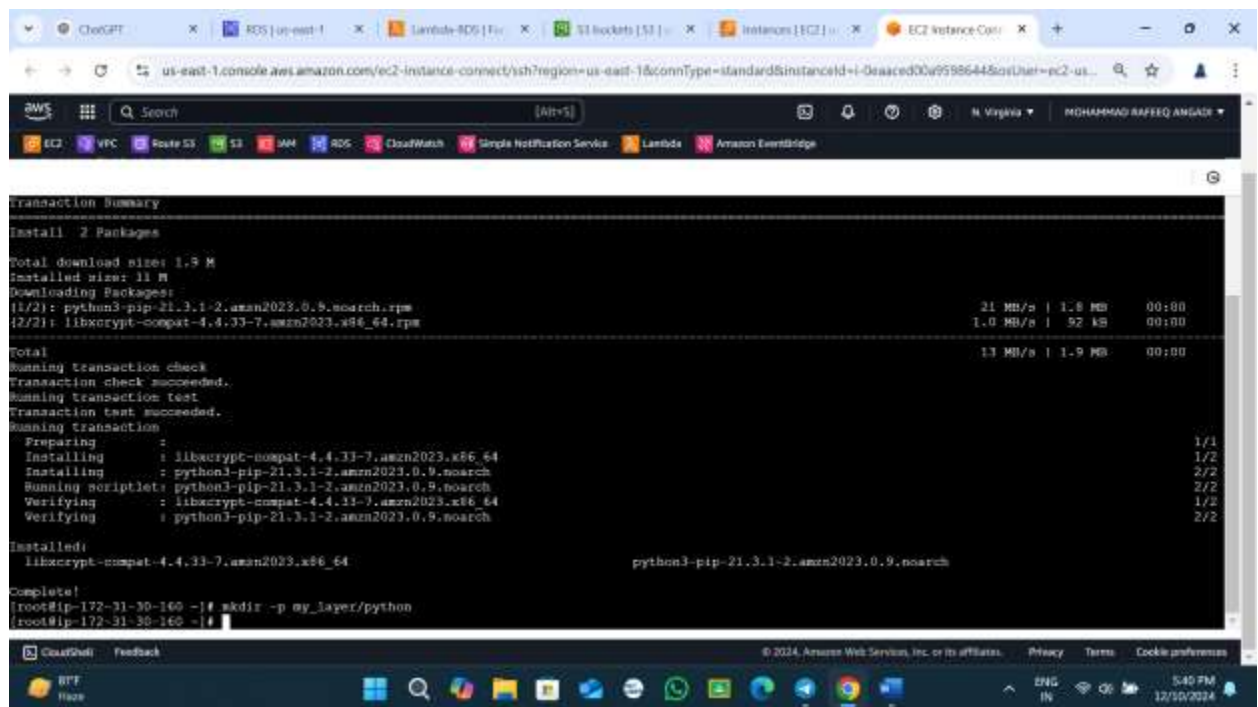
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sudo su -
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yum install python3-pip -y
```



And next run this command

`mkdir -p my_layer/python`



And run this command

`pip install pymysql -t my_layer/python`

```
[root@ip-172-31-10-41 ~]# mkdir -p my_layer/python
[root@ip-172-31-10-41 ~]# pip install pymysql -t my_layer/python
Collecting pymysql
  Downloading PyMySQL-1.1.1-py3-none-any.whl (44 kB)
    | 44 kB 3.6 MB/s
Installing collected packages: pymysql
Successfully installed pymysql-1.1.1
WARNING: Running pip as the 'root' user can result in broken permissions and conflicting behavior
commanded to use a virtual environment instead: https://pip.pypa.io/warnings/virtual
[root@ip-172-31-10-41 ~]#
```

Run this command

`yum install tree -y`

```
Installing:
tree                                x86_64                                1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2                                amazonlinux                                56 k

Transaction Summary
Install 1 Package

Total download size: 56 k
Installed size: 113 k
Downloading Packages:
tree-1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64.rpm                                1.1 MB/s | 56 kB | 00:00
Total:
581 kB/s | 56 kB | 00:00
Running transaction check
Transaction check succeeded.
Running transaction test
Transaction test succeeded.
Running transaction
Preparing :
Installing : tree-1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64                                1/1
Running scriptlet: tree-1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64                                1/1
Verifying : tree-1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64                                1/1

Installed:
tree-1.8.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

Complete!
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 ~]#
```

and run this command

```
cd my_layer/
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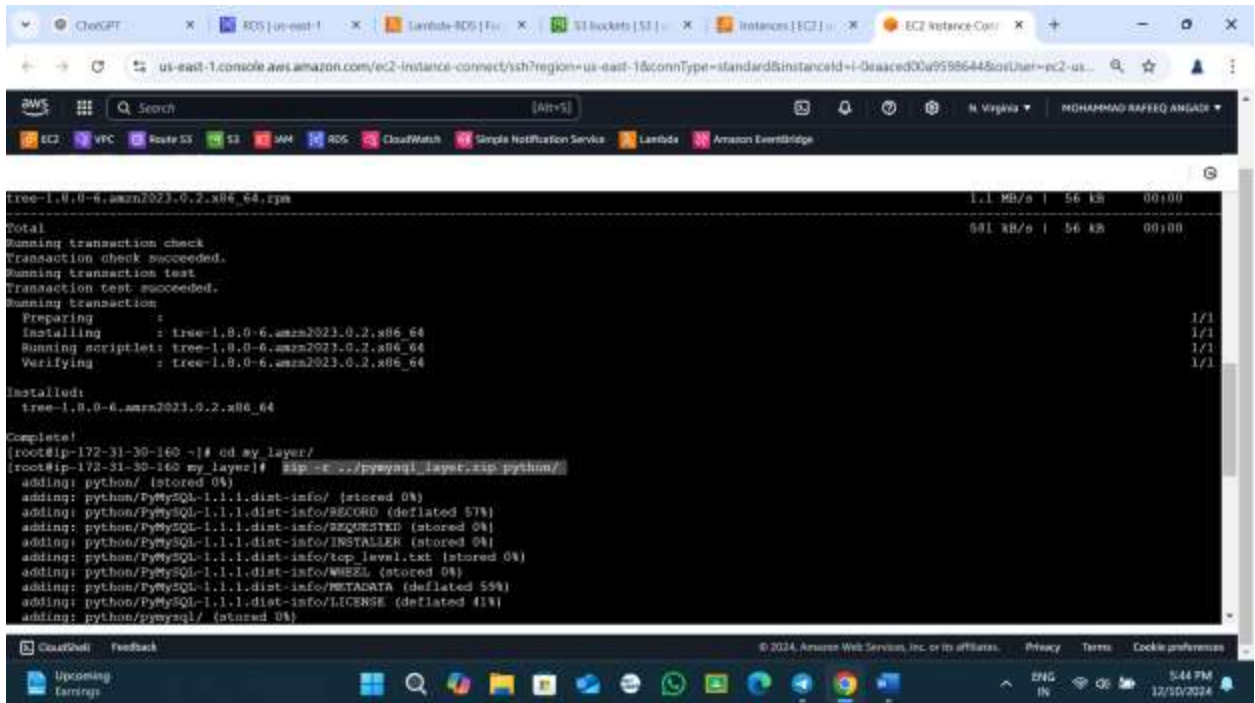
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Complete!
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 ~]# cd my_layer/
```

run this commad

```
zip -r ../pymysql_layer.zip python/
```



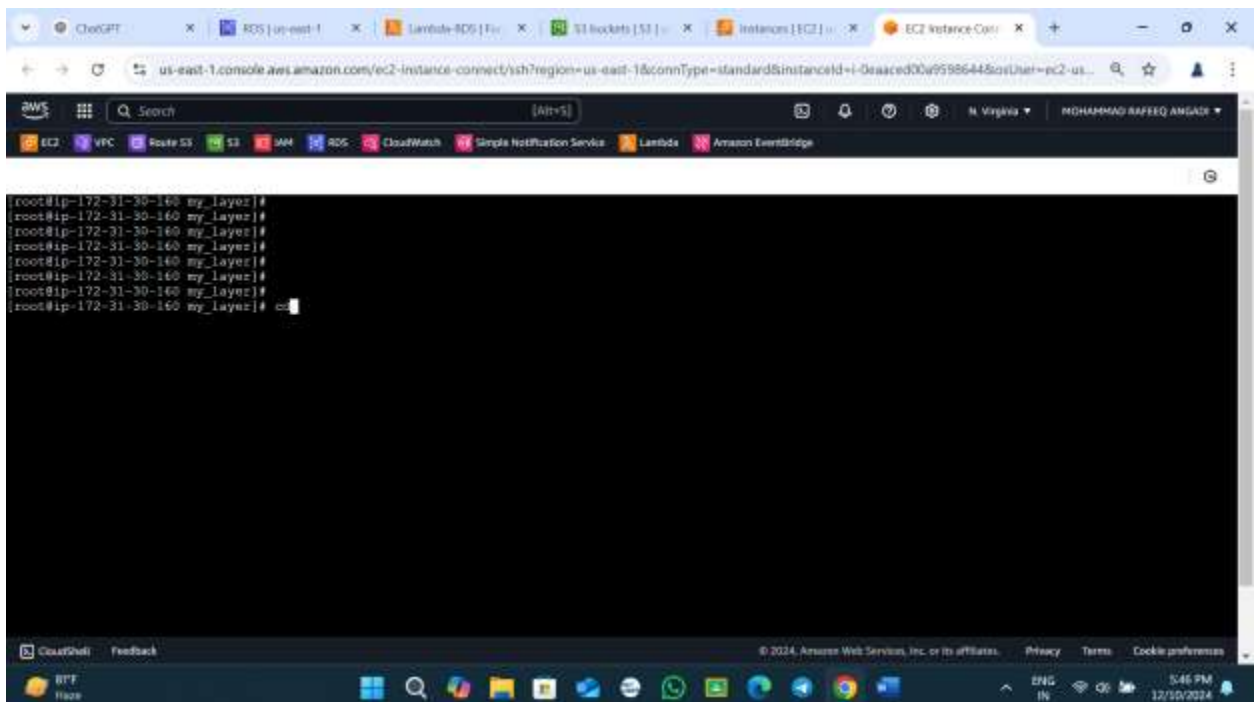
```
tree-1.0.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64.rpm 1.1 MB/s | 56 kB 00:00
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Total 581 kB/s | 56 kB 00:00
Running transaction check
Transaction check succeeded.
Running transaction test
Transaction test succeeded.
Running transaction
  Preparing                : 1/1
  Installing               : tree-1.0.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64 1/1
  Running scriptlet        : tree-1.0.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64 1/1
  Verifying                : tree-1.0.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64 1/1

Installed:
  tree-1.0.0-6.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

Complete!
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 ~]# cd my_layer/
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]# zip -r ../prepare_layer.zip python/
adding: python/ (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/ (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/RECORD (deflated 57%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/REQUESTED (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/INSTALLER (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/top_level.txt (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/WHEEL (stored 0%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/METADATA (deflated 55%)
adding: python/PyMySQL-1.1.1.dist-info/LICENSE (deflated 41%)
adding: python/pymysql/ (stored 0%)
```

And next Come back run this command one by one

cd



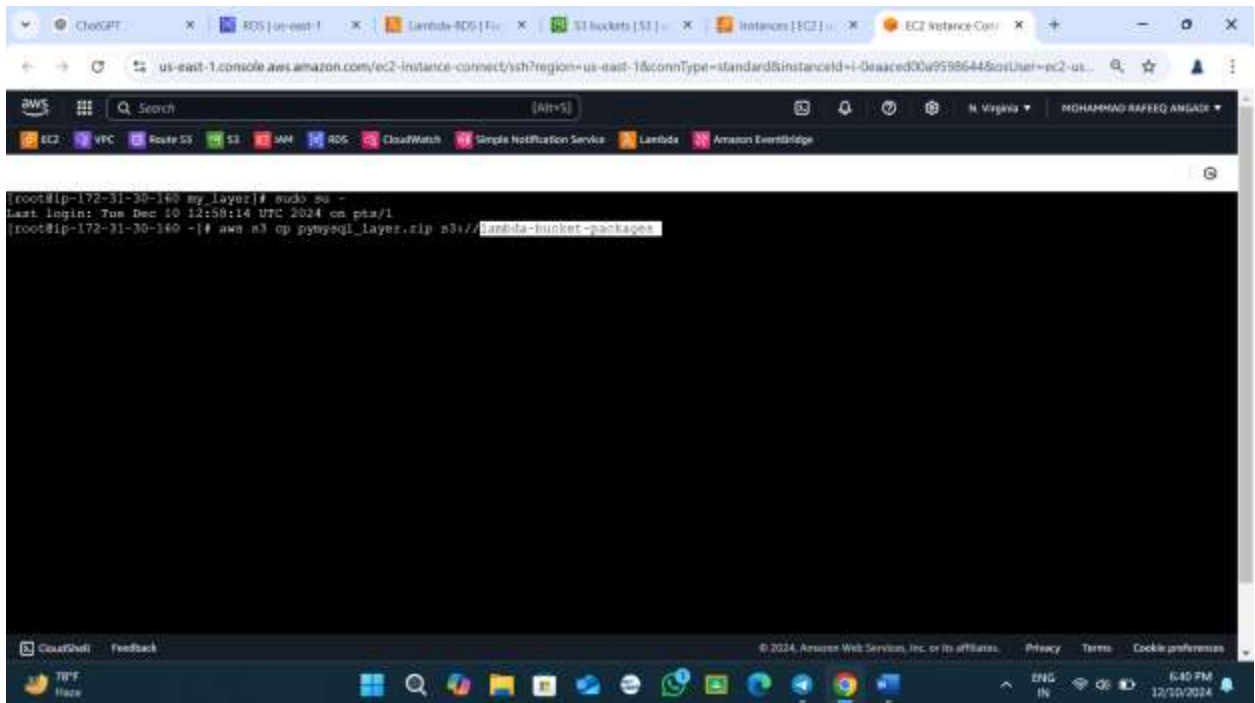
```
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]# cd
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]#
[root@ip-172-31-30-160 my_layer]# cd
```

Run this below command for cp the pymysql package into s3 bucket



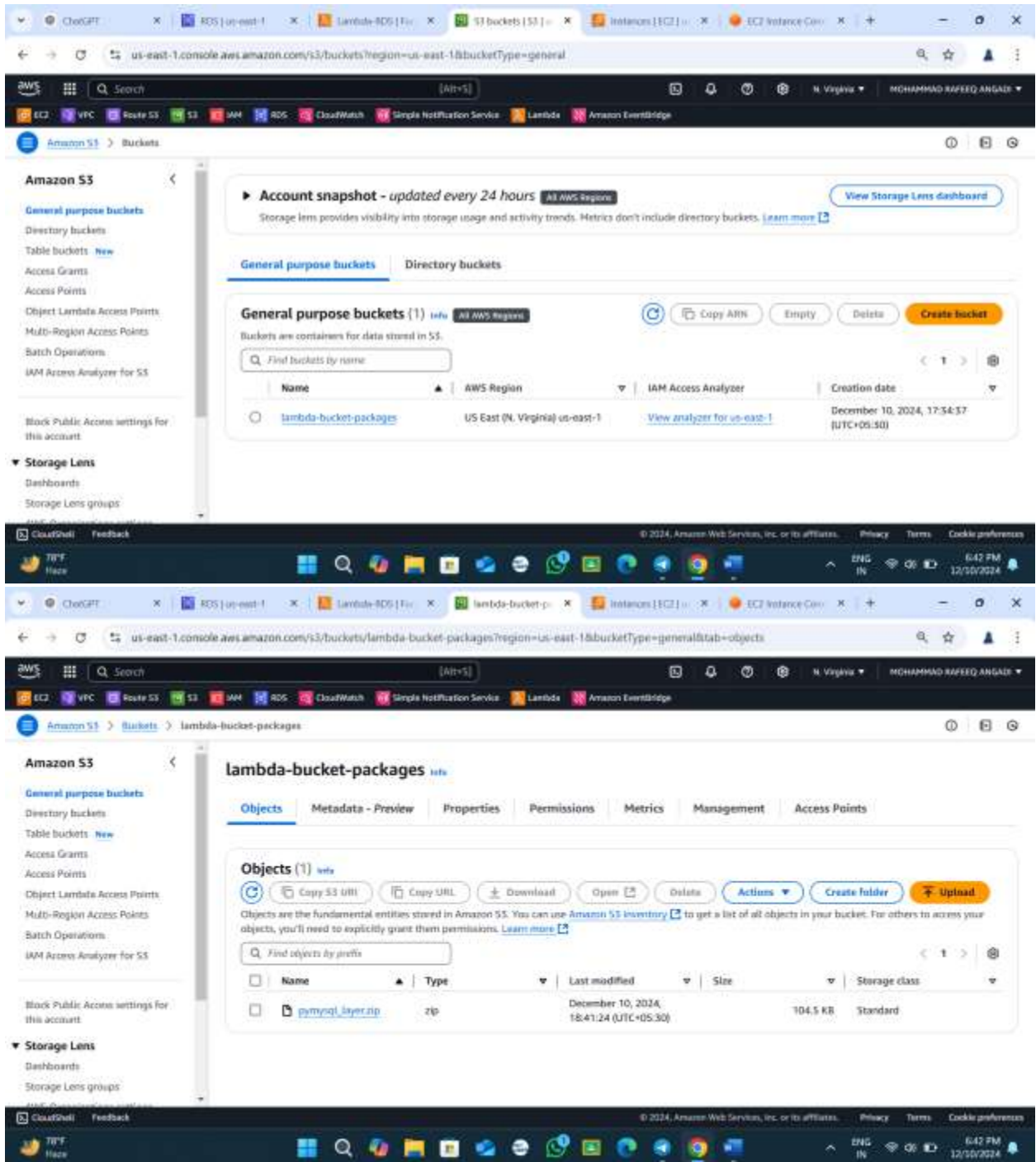
Copy the s3 bucket name and past in below command

```
aws s3 cp pymysql_layer.zip s3://your-bucket-name
```



See uploaded into s3

Go to s3 bucket see package is copied or not



## 6. Enable VPC Access in Lambda

If your RDS is in a private subnet:

- Attach the Lambda function to the same VPC as the RDS instance.
- Configure the Lambda function's VPC settings to include subnets and security groups.

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/discover

**Lambda**

Dashboard  
Applications  
Functions

▼ **Additional resources**  
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**Resources for US East (N. Virginia)**

**Lambda functions**  
1

Code storage  
**313.7 kB**  
(0% of 75 GB)

Full account concurrency  
**400**

Unreserved account concurrency  
**400**

Create function

▼ **Top 10 functions**  
The charts below show the top 10 functions in each category from the last 3 hours in this AWS region.

Errors  
Invocations  
Concurrent Executions

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions

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**Functions (1)**

Last fetched 0 seconds ago

Filter by tags and attributes or search by keyword

Function	Description	Package type	Runtime	Last modified
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Lambda-RDS</b>		Zip	Python 3.13	1 hour ago

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions/Lambda-RDS?tab=configure

Diagram Template

Lambda-RDS

Layers 100

+ Add trigger

+ Add destination

Description

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Function ARN [arn:aws:lambda:us-east-1:412581758144:function:Lambda-RDS](#)

Function URL [info](#)

Code Test Monitor **Configuration** Aliases Versions

General configuration [info](#)

Triggers

Description

Memory 128 MB

Ephemeral storage 512 MB

Edit

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions/Lambda-RDS?tab=configure

Code Test Monitor **Configuration** Aliases Versions

General configuration [info](#)

Triggers

Permissions

Destinations

Function URL

Environment variables

Tags

**VPC**

RDS databases

Monitoring and operations tools

Description

Timeout 0 min 3 sec

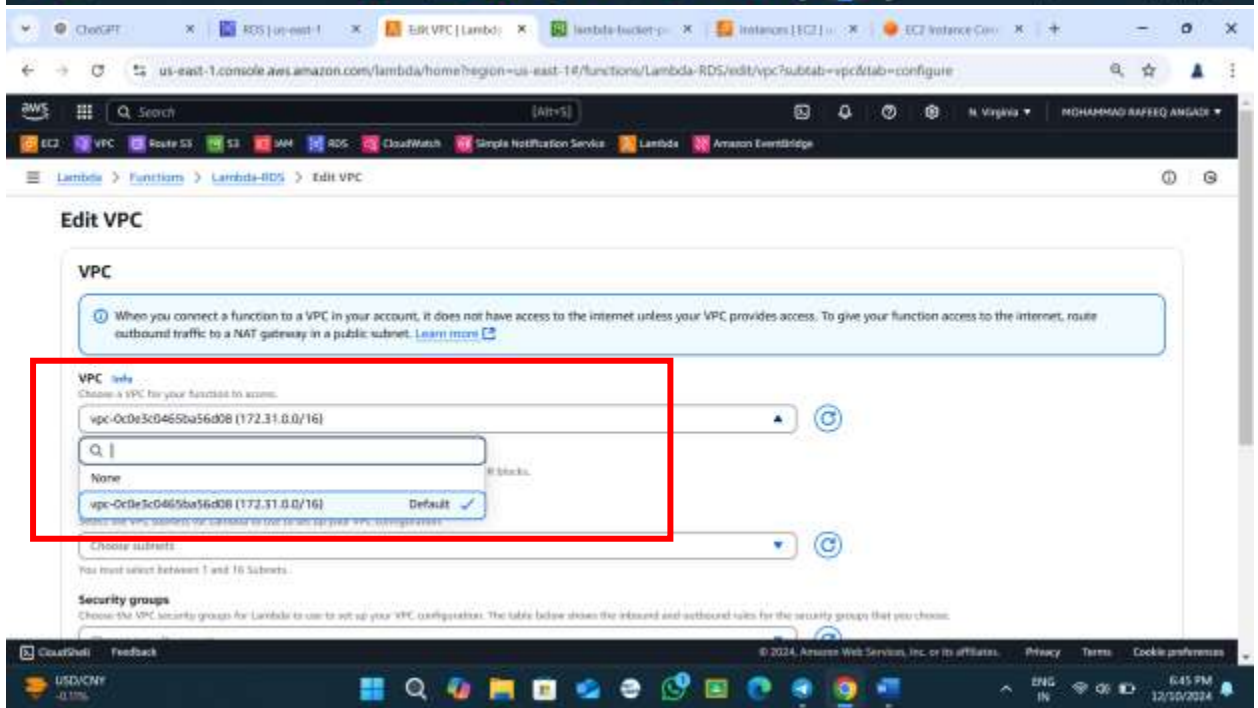
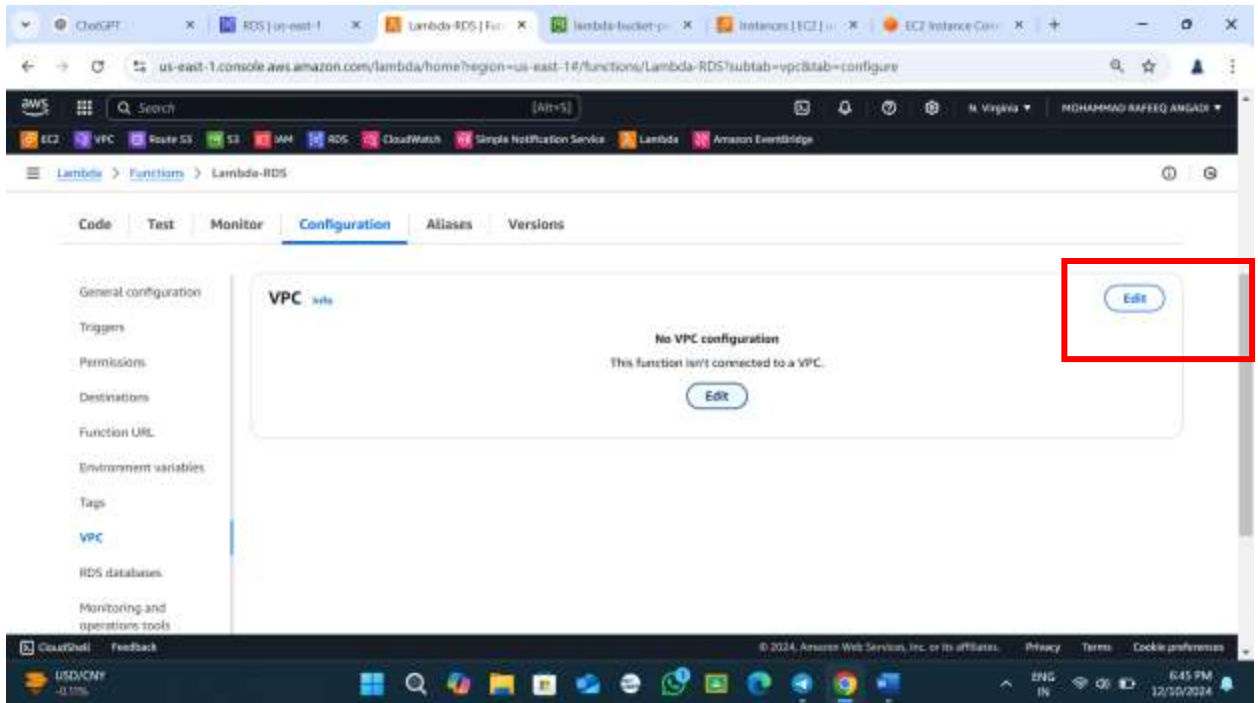
Memory 128 MB

SnapStart [info](#)

Ephemeral storage 512 MB

Edit





us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions/Lambda-RDS/edit/vpc?subtab=vpc&tab=configure

**VPC** [info](#)

Choose a VPC for your function to access.

vpc-0c0e3c0465ba56d08 (172.31.0.0/16)

☐ Allow IPv6 traffic for dual-stack subnets

**Subnets**

Select the VPC subnets for Lambda to use to set up your VPC configuration.

Choose subnets

subnet-0c9d58ece5c885019 (172.31.32.0/20) us-east-1a

subnet-014555f908486cde (172.31.128.0/20) us-east-1b

subnet-0d7707df4829fa0bd (172.31.80.0/20) us-east-1c

You must select between 1 and 16 subnets.

**Security groups**

Choose the VPC security groups for Lambda to use to set up your VPC configuration. The table below shows the inbound and outbound rules for the security groups that you choose.

Choose security groups

You must select between 1 and 5 security groups.

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions/Lambda-RDS/edit/vpc?subtab=vpc&tab=configure

**Subnets**

subnet-0c9d58ece5c885019 (172.31.32.0/20) us-east-1a

subnet-014555f908486cde (172.31.128.0/20) us-east-1b

subnet-0d7707df4829fa0bd (172.31.80.0/20) us-east-1c

You must select between 1 and 16 subnets.

**Security groups**

Choose the VPC security groups for Lambda to use to set up your VPC configuration. The table below shows the inbound and outbound rules for the security groups that you choose.

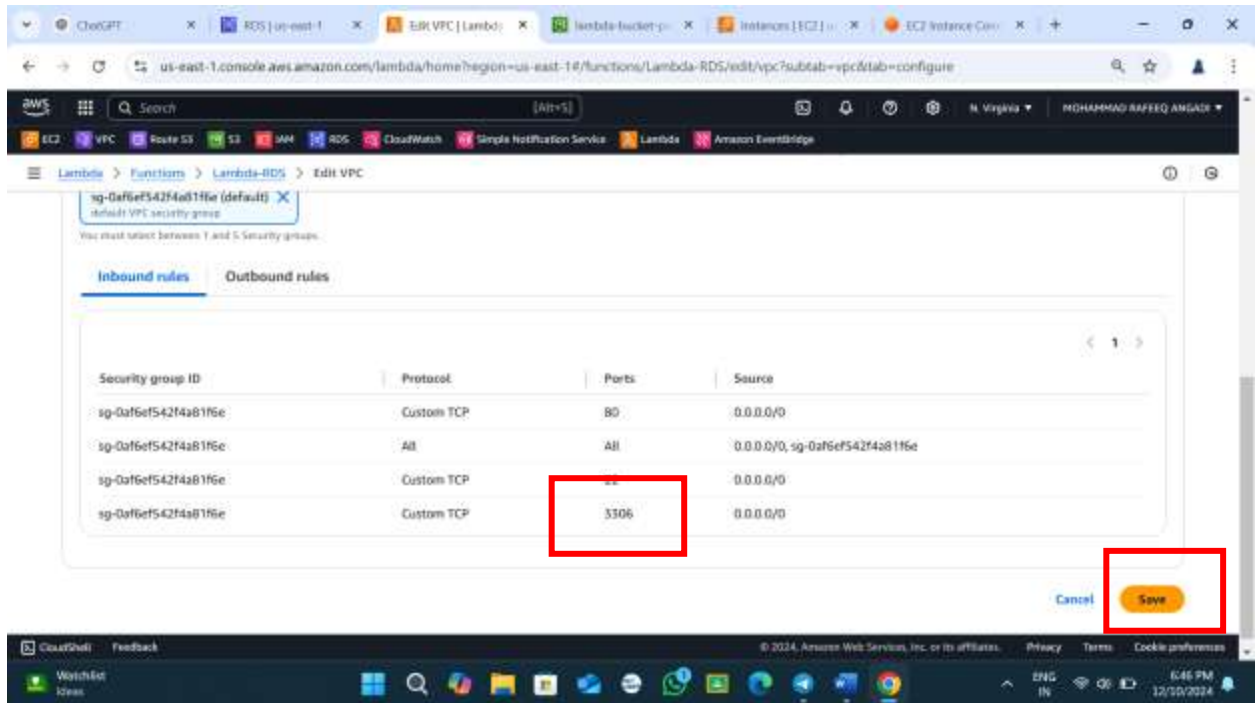
Choose security groups

sg-0af6ef542f4a0116e (default) default VPC security group

You must select between 1 and 5 security groups.

**Inbound rules** **Outbound rules**

Security group ID	Protocol	Ports	Source
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And add layer to the lambda like given below

us-east-1.console.aws.amazon.com/lambda/home?region=us-east-1#/functions/Lambda-RDS?subtab=vpc&tab=configure

Updating the function Lambda-RDS.

### Lambda-RDS

Function overview

Diagram Template

Lambda-RDS

Layers 10

+ Add trigger

+ Add destination

Export to Infrastructure Composer Download

Description

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Function ARN [arn:aws:lambda:us-east-1:412581758144:function:Lambda-RDS](#)

Function URL [info](#)

Encryption with AWS KMS customer managed KMS key

#### Runtime settings

Runtime Python 3.11

Handler [info](#) lambda\_function.lambda\_handler

Architecture [info](#) x86\_64

Runtime management configuration

#### Layers

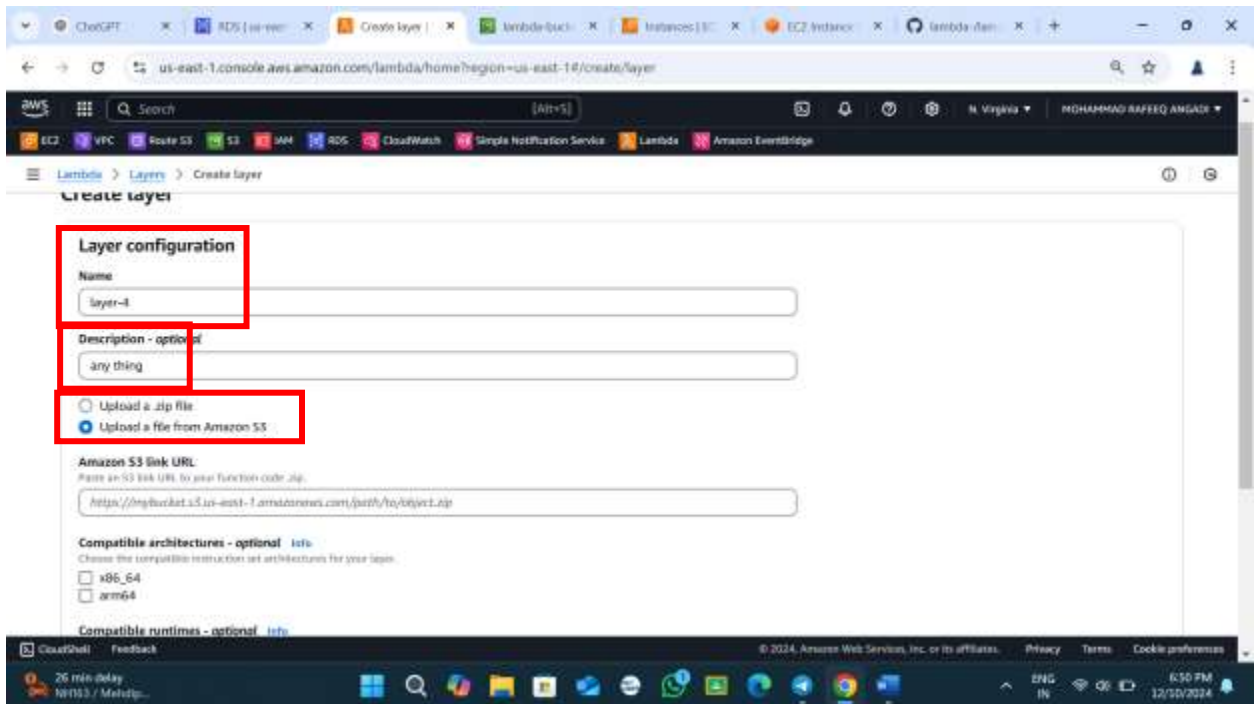
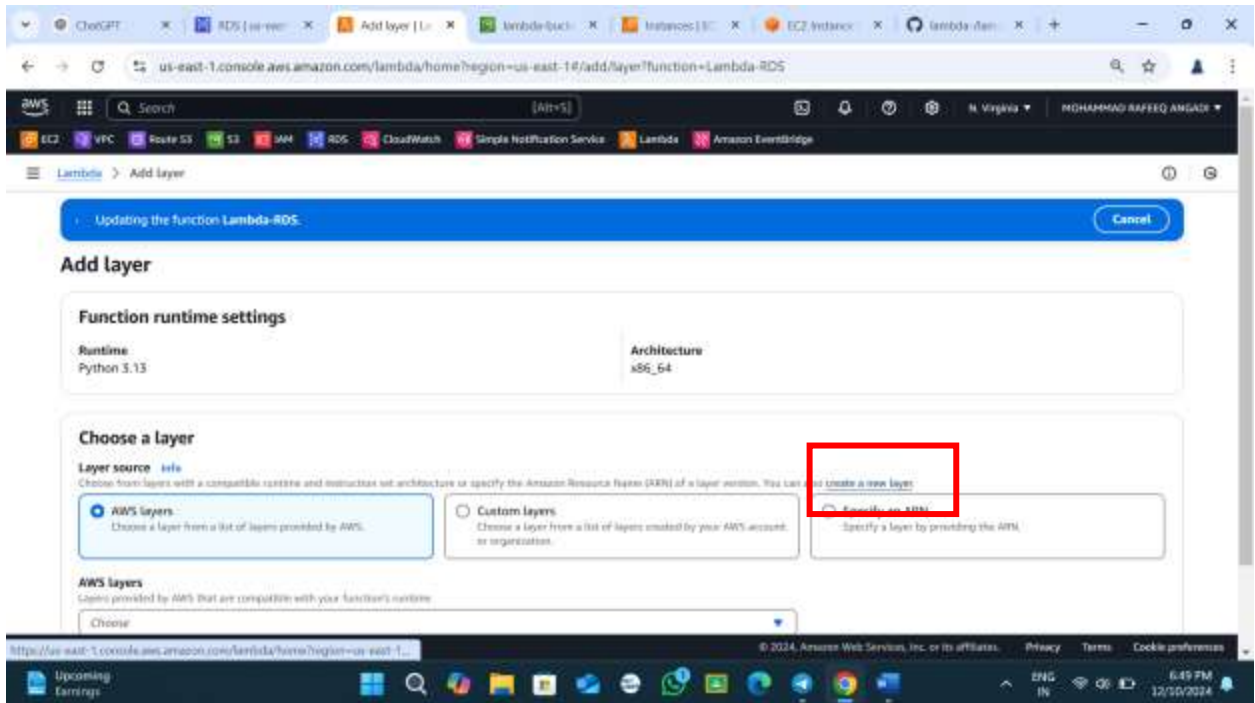
Layers

Layer version Compatible runtimes Compatible architectures Version 2.0

There is no data to display.

Add a layer





And go to s3 copy the s3 package url

The first screenshot shows the AWS Management Console with the 'Amazon S3' menu item highlighted in the left sidebar. The main content area displays the 'General purpose buckets' section. A search bar is present, and a table lists the bucket 'lambda-bucket-packages' in the 'US East (N. Virginia) us-east-1' region, created on December 10, 2024. The second screenshot shows the 'lambda-bucket-packages' bucket page. The 'Objects' tab is selected, showing a table with one object: 'pymysql\_layer.zip'. A red box highlights the 'Copy URL' button, and another red box highlights the object name in the table. A notification 'Object URL Copied' is visible at the top of the object list.

Account snapshot - updated every 24 hours

Storage Lens provides visibility into storage usage and activity trends. Metrics don't include directory buckets. [Learn more](#)

General purpose buckets | Directory buckets

General purpose buckets (1)

Buckets are containers for data stored in S3.

Find buckets by name

Name	AWS Region	IAM Access Analyzer	Creation date
lambda-bucket-packages	US East (N. Virginia) us-east-1	<a href="#">View analyzer for us-east-1</a>	December 10, 2024, 17:54:57 (UTC+05:30)

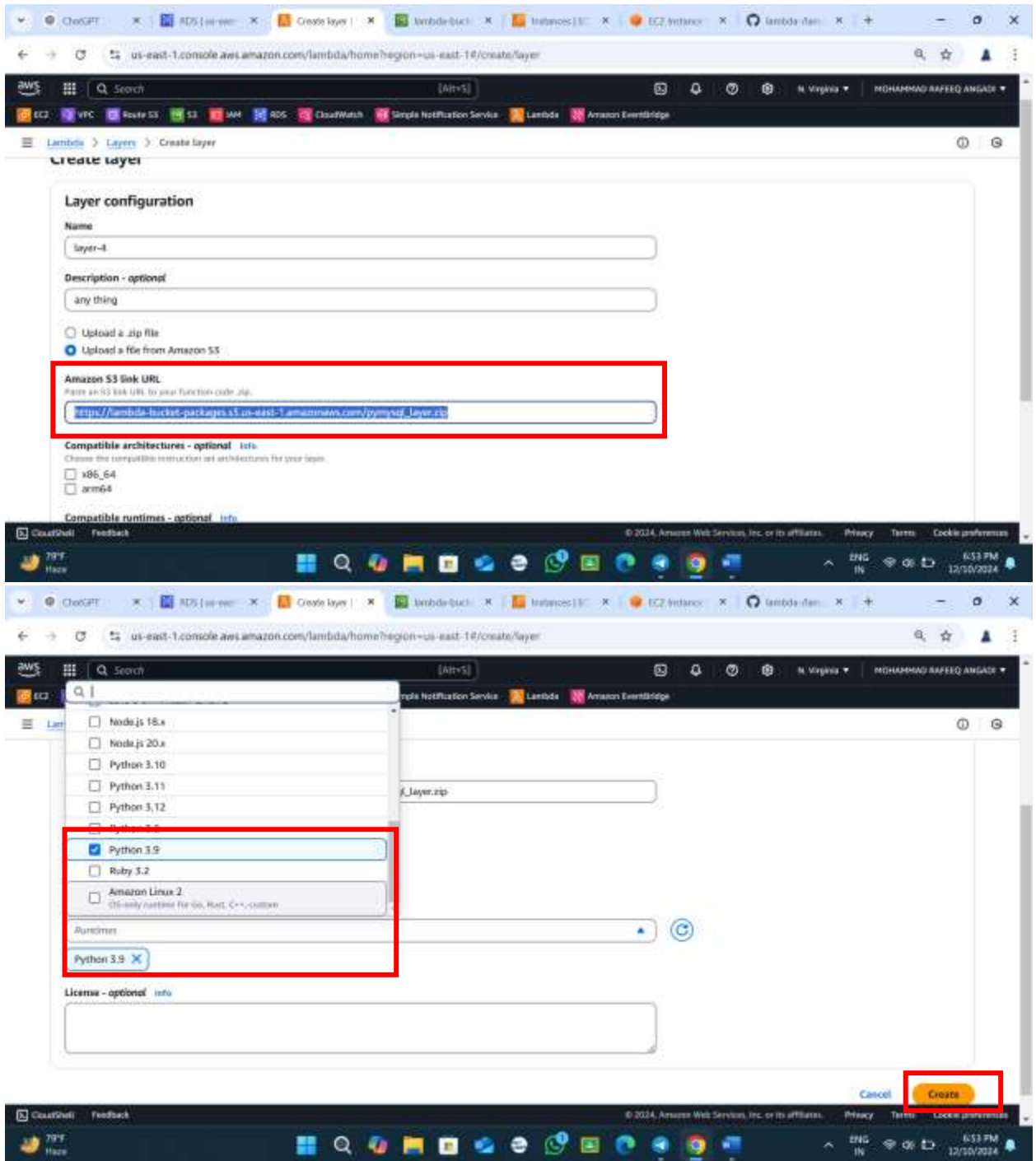
Objects (1)

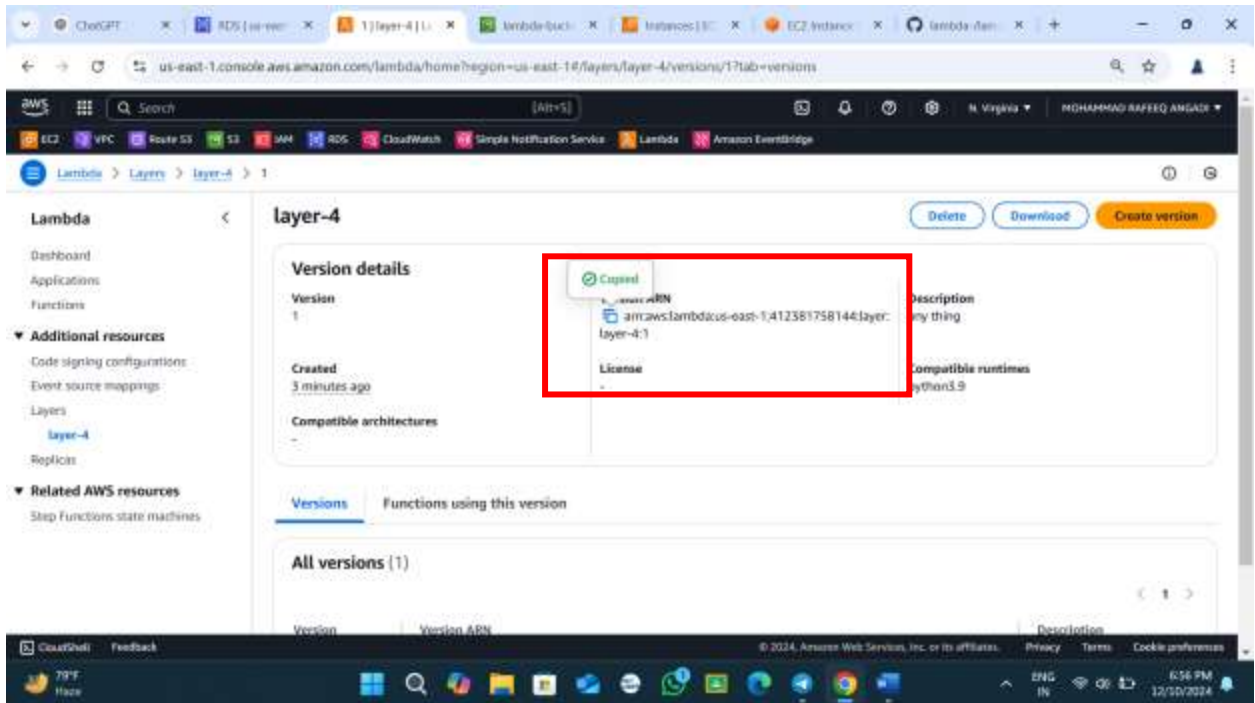
Copy S3 URL | Copy URL | Download | Open | Delete | Actions | Create folder | Upload

Find objects by prefix

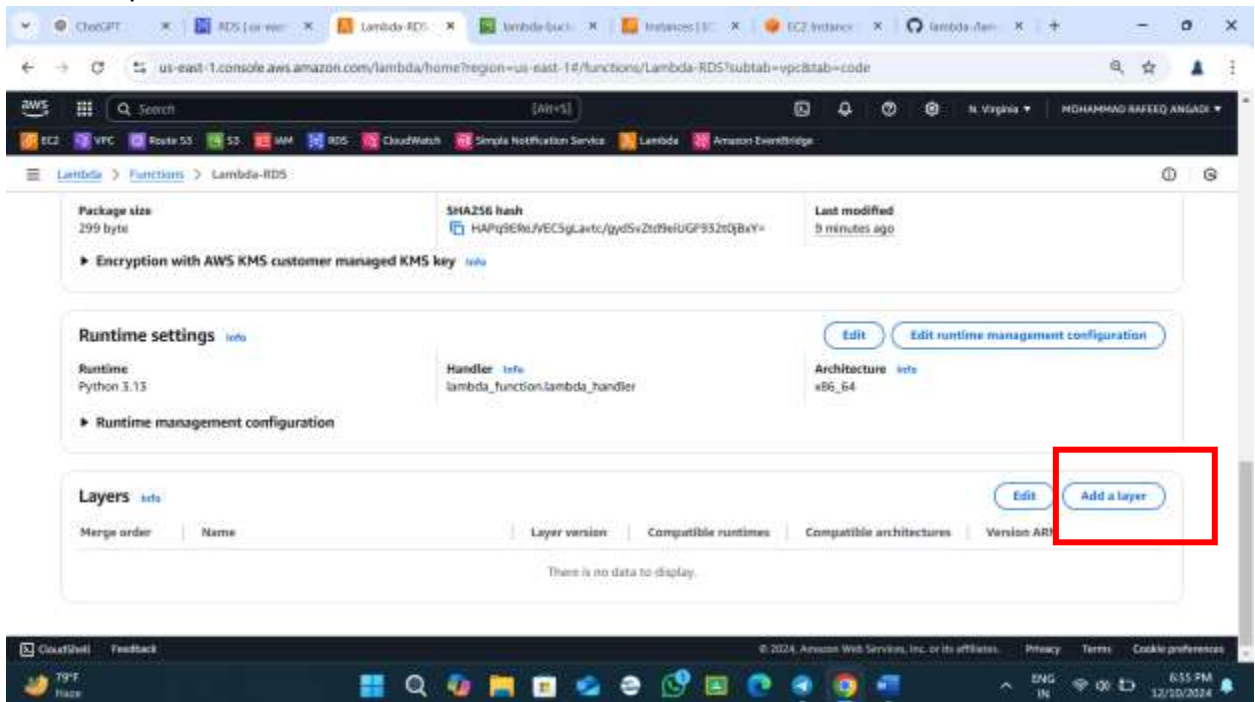
Name	Type	Last modified	Size	Storage class
pymysql_layer.zip	zip	December 10, 2024, 18:41:24 (UTC+05:30)	104.5 KB	Standard

And past into the lambda like shown below

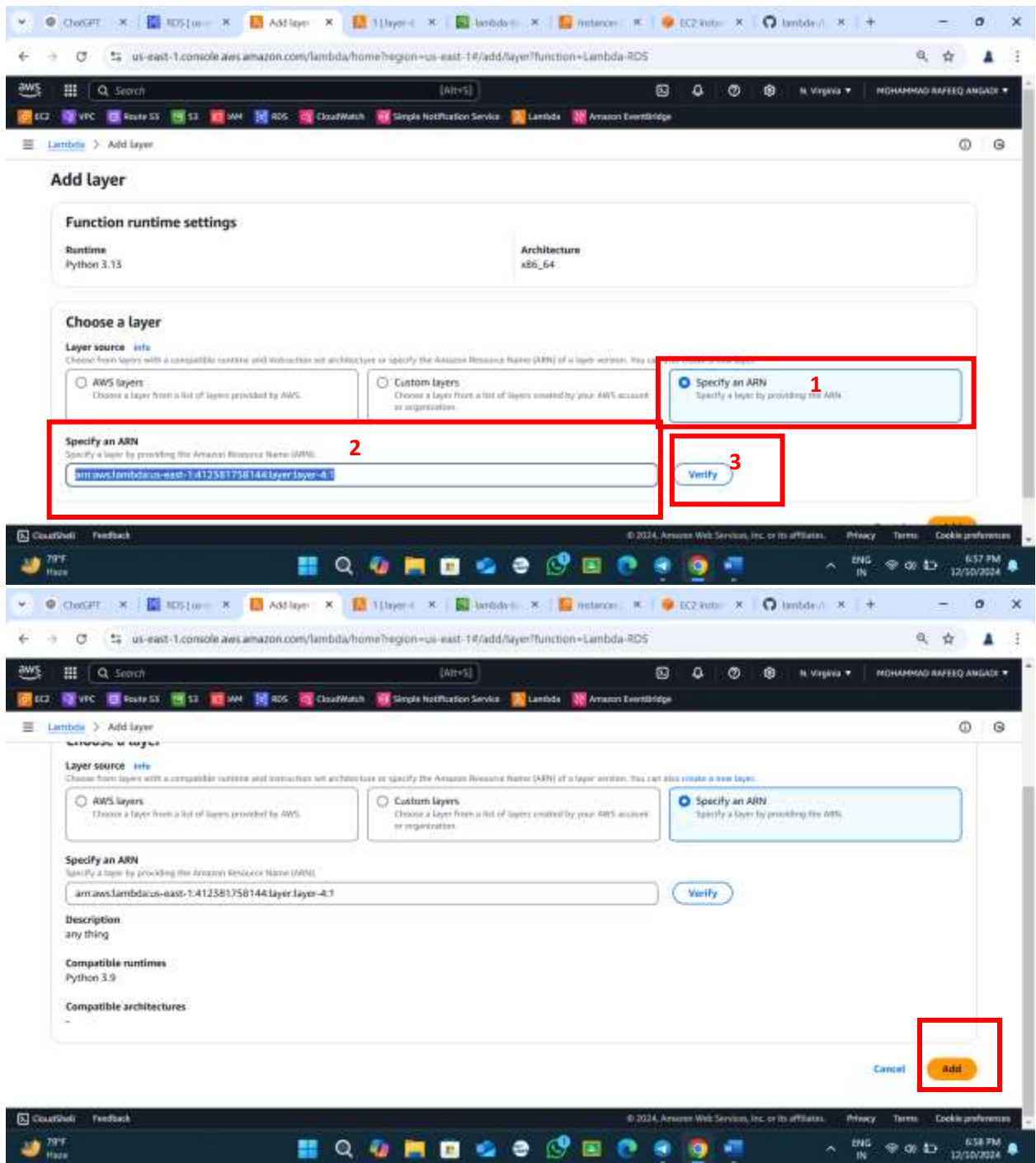




Add the layer to function







## 7. Lambda Code

copy the below code:

```
import os
```

```
import pymysql
```

```
# Database settings from environment variables
```

```
db_host = os.environ['DB_HOST']
```

```
db_user = os.environ['DB_USER']
```

```
db_pass = os.environ['DB_PASS']
```

```
new_db_name = "test" # Change as needed
```

```
table_name = "mytable" # Change as needed
```

```
# Establish a database connection
```

```
def connect_to_rds():
```

```
    connection = pymysql.connect(
```

```
        host=db_host,
```

```
        user=db_user,
```

```
        password=db_pass,
```

```
        cursorclass=pymysql.cursors.DictCursor
```

```
    )
```

```
    return connection
```

```
# Lambda function handler
```

```
def lambda_handler(event, context):
```

```
    try:
```

```
        connection = connect_to_rds()
```

```
        with connection.cursor() as cursor:
```

```
            # Create a new database
```

```
            create_db_sql = f"CREATE DATABASE IF NOT EXISTS {new_db_name};"
```

```
            cursor.execute(create_db_sql)
```

```
# Select the new database
```

```
cursor.execute(f"USE {new_db_name};")
```

```
# Create a new table
```

```
create_table_sql = f"""
```

```
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS {table_name} (
```

```
    id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
```

```
    name VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
```

```
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
```

```
);
```

```
"""
```

```
cursor.execute(create_table_sql)
```

```
print(f"Database '{new_db_name}' and table '{table_name}' created successfully.")
```

```
return {
```

```
    'statusCode': 200,
```

```
    'body': f"Database '{new_db_name}' and table '{table_name}' created  
successfully."
```

```
}
```

```
except Exception as e:
```

```
    print("Error:", str(e))
```

```
    return {
```

```
        'statusCode': 500,
```

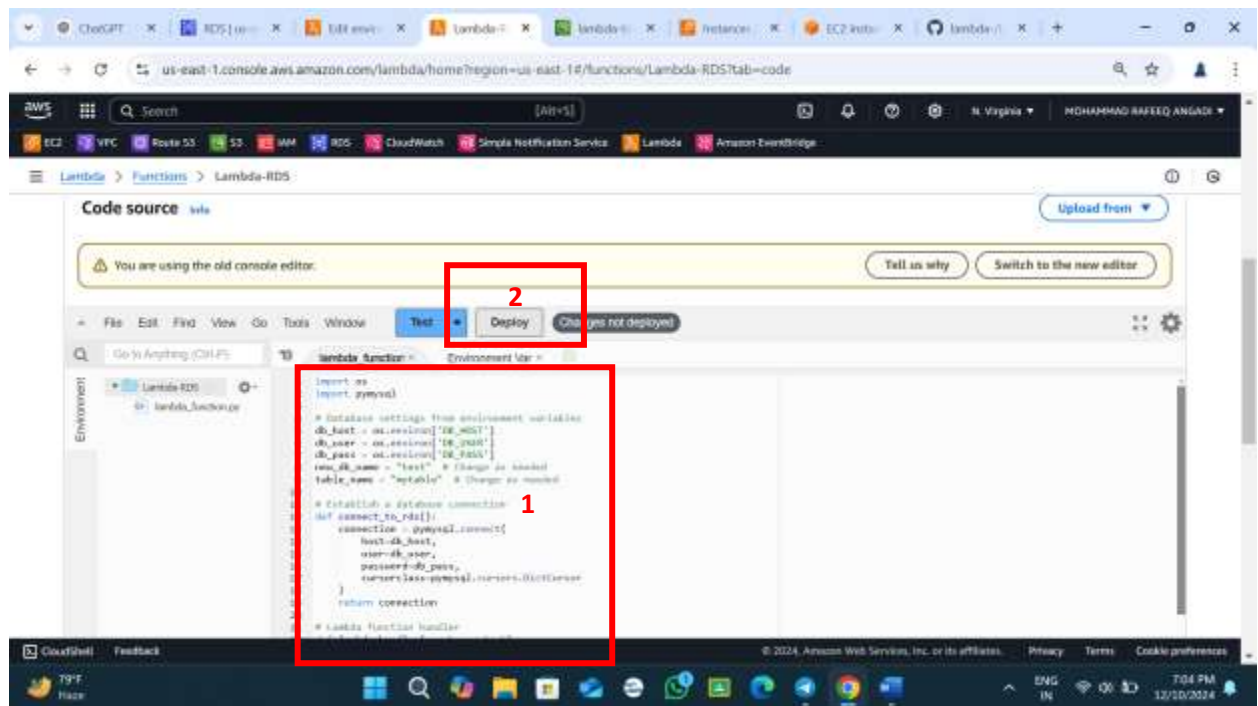
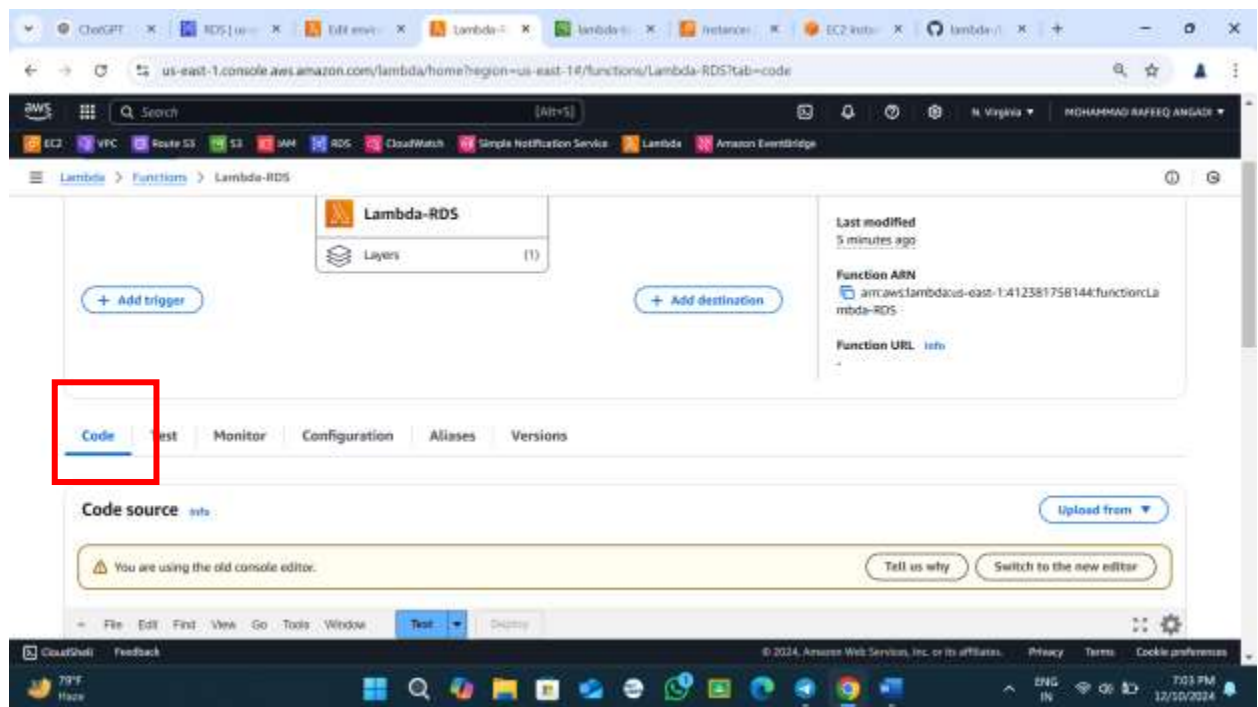
```
        'body': str(e)
```

```
    }
```

```
finally:
```

```
    connection.close()
```

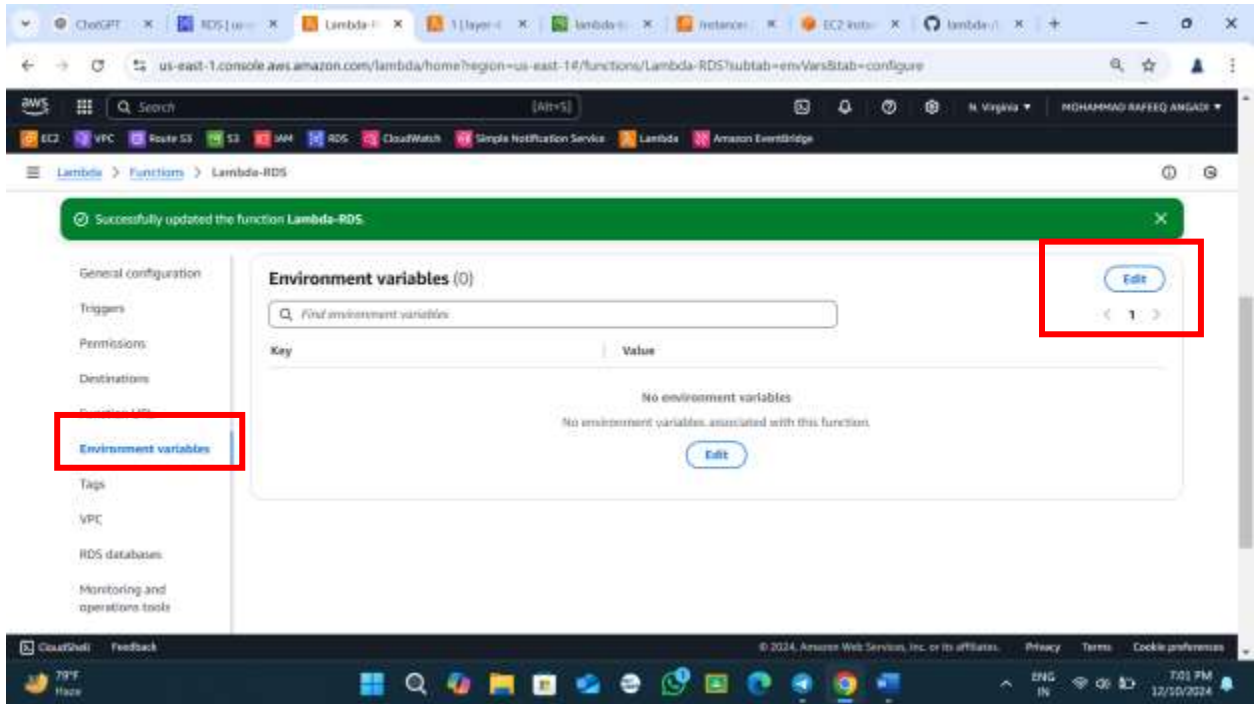
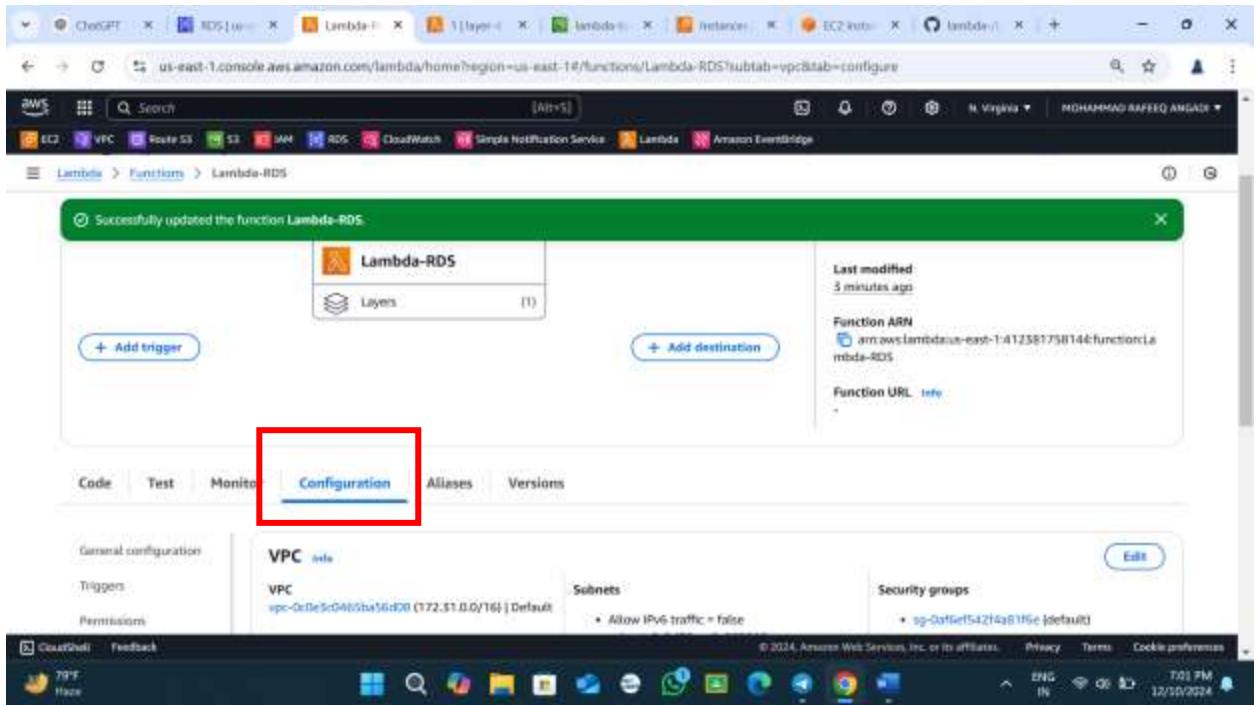
and paste the code into code tab

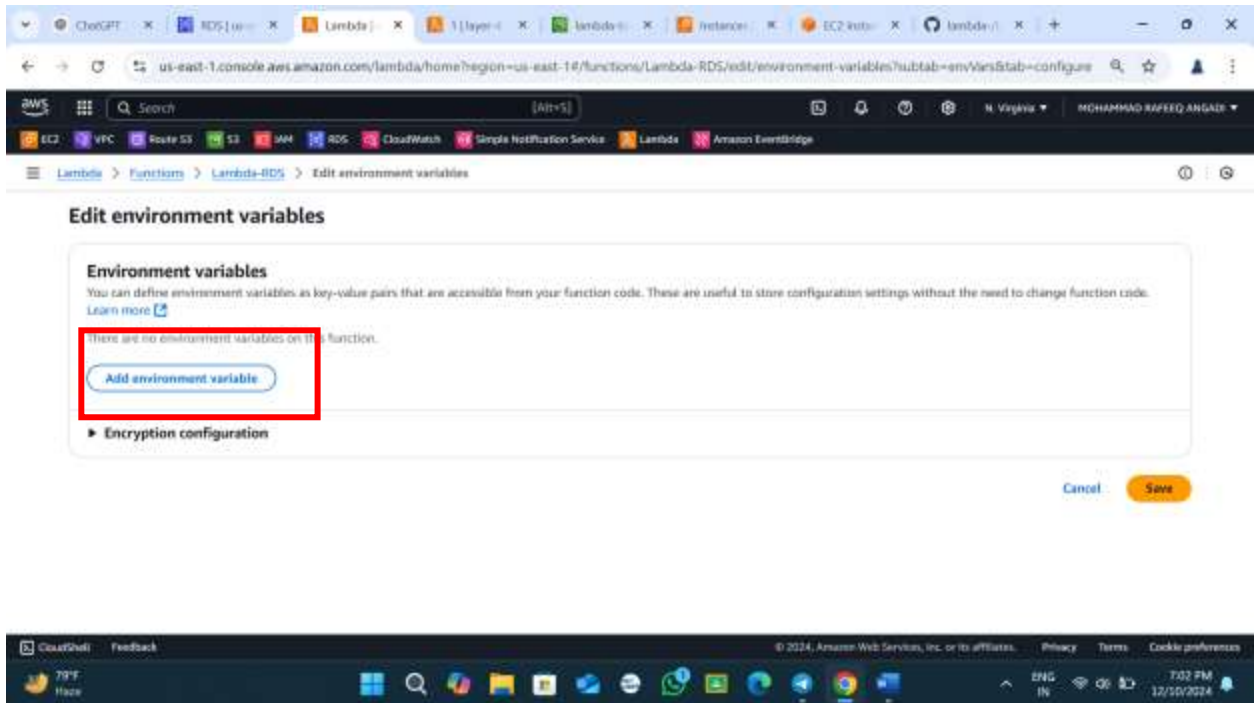


Click Deploy button

go to lambda configurations



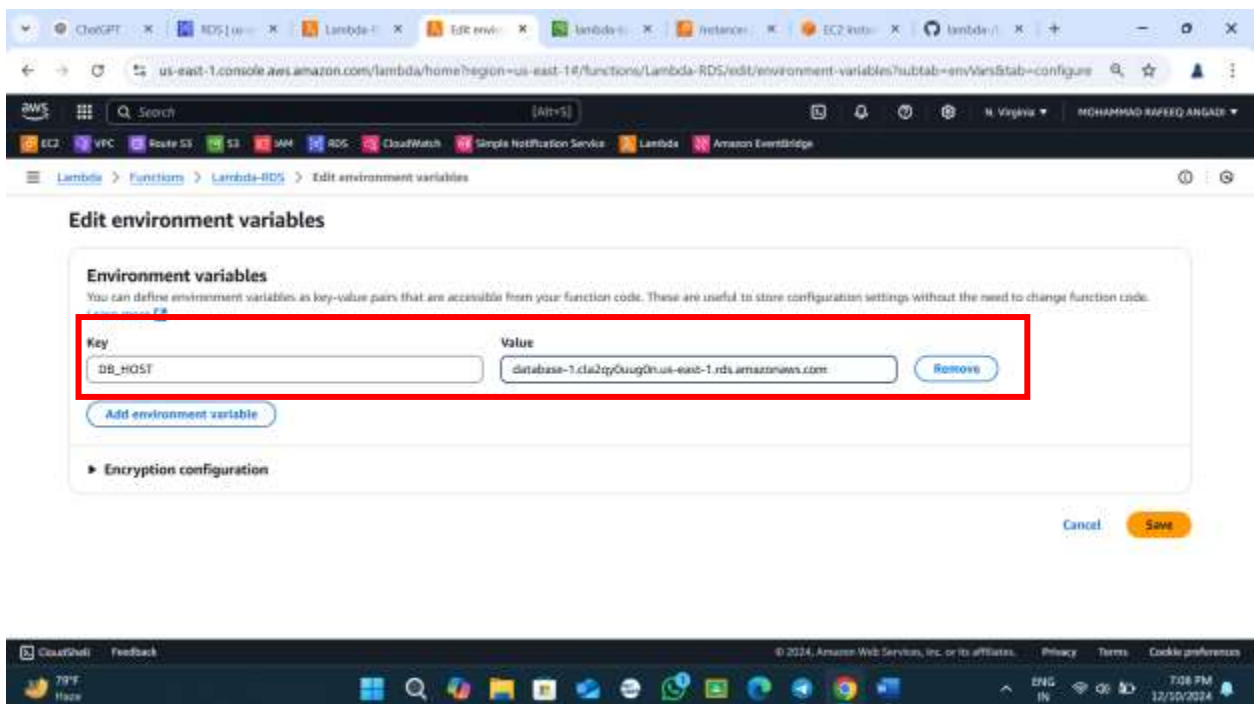




Give the below environment variables shown as below image

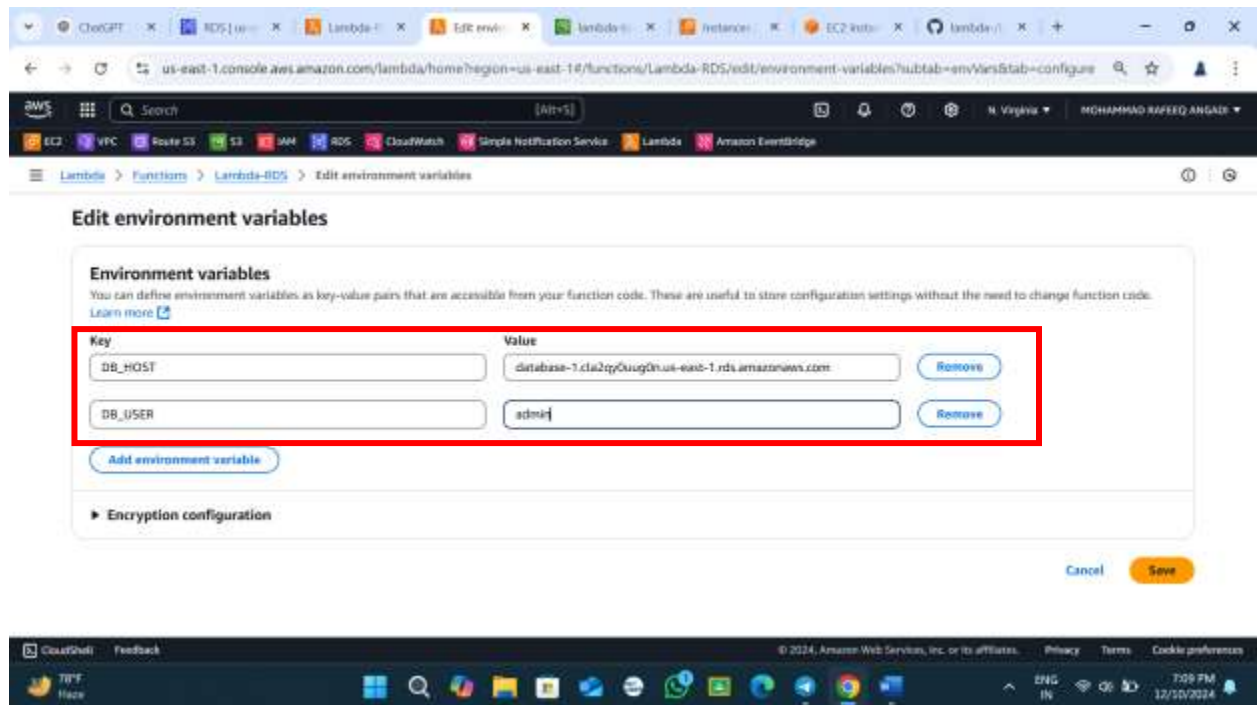
**DB\_HOST**

**your data base endpoint**



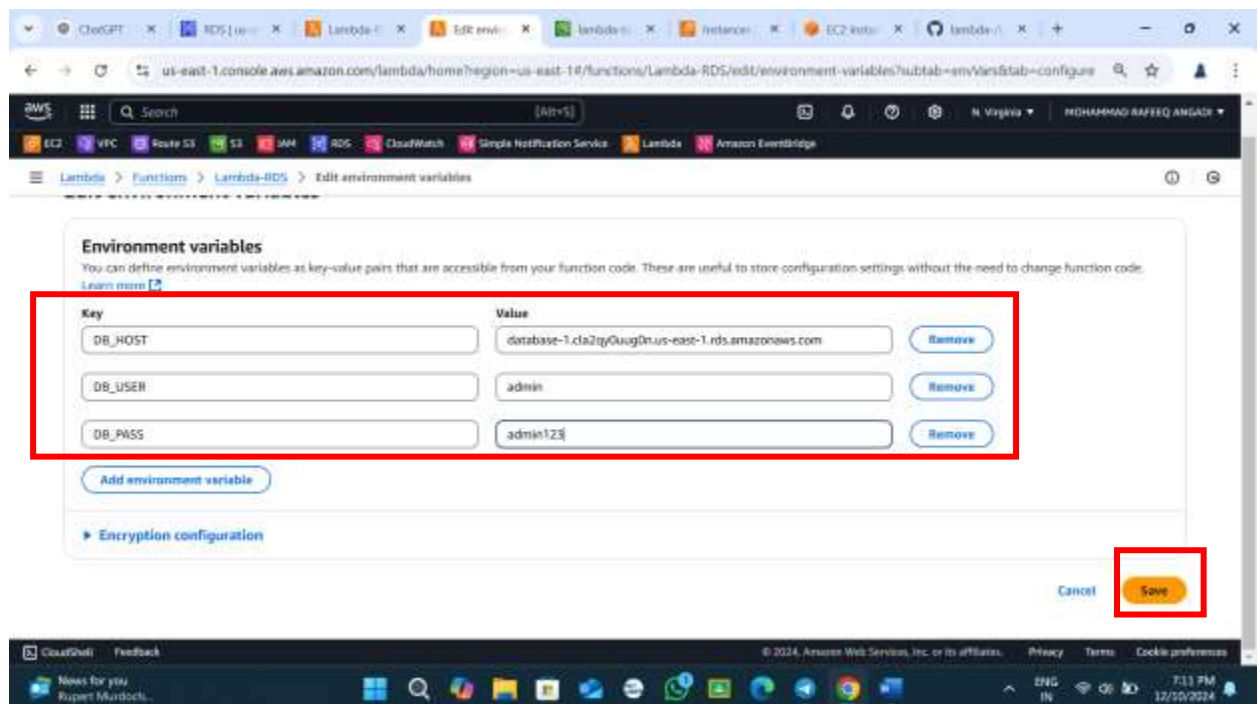
DB\_USER

your data base user name

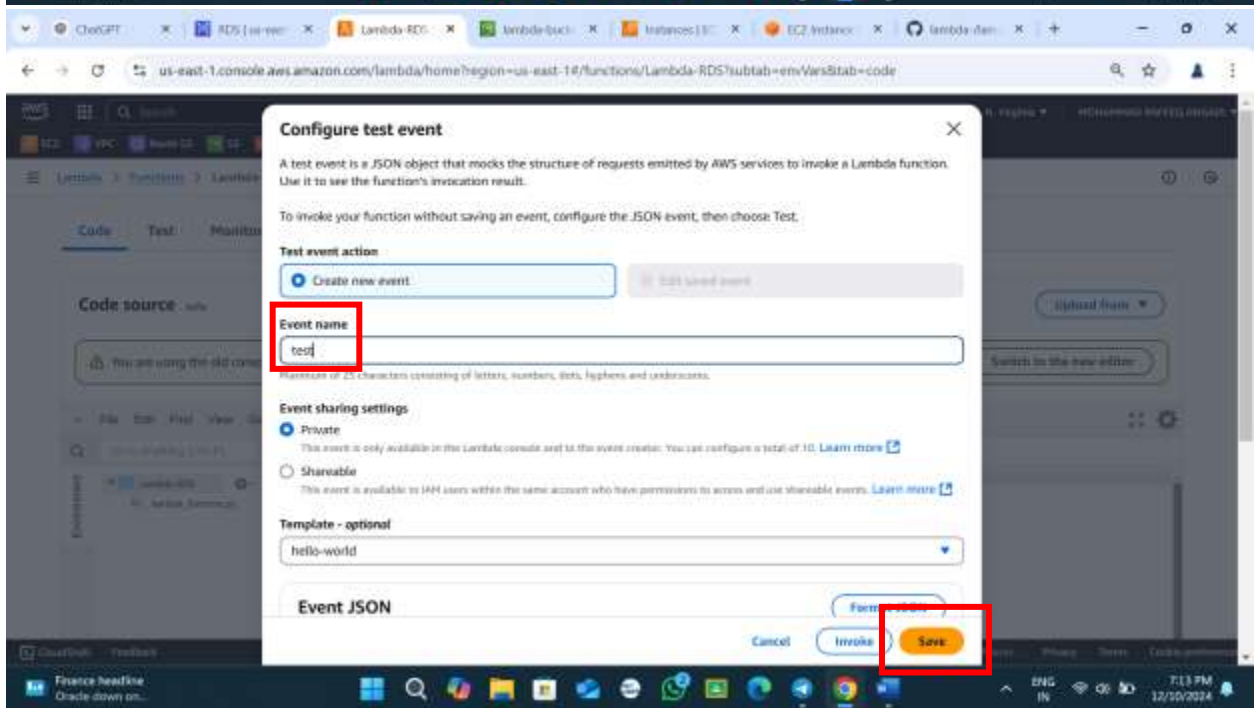
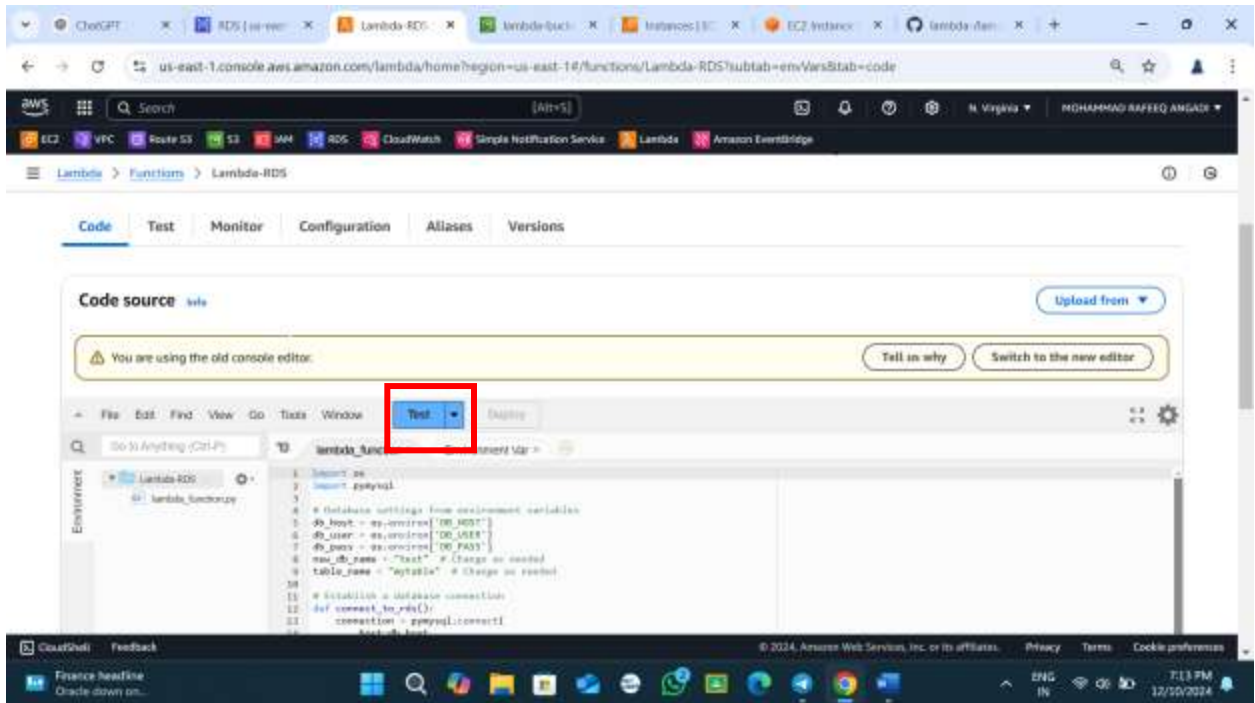


DB\_PASS

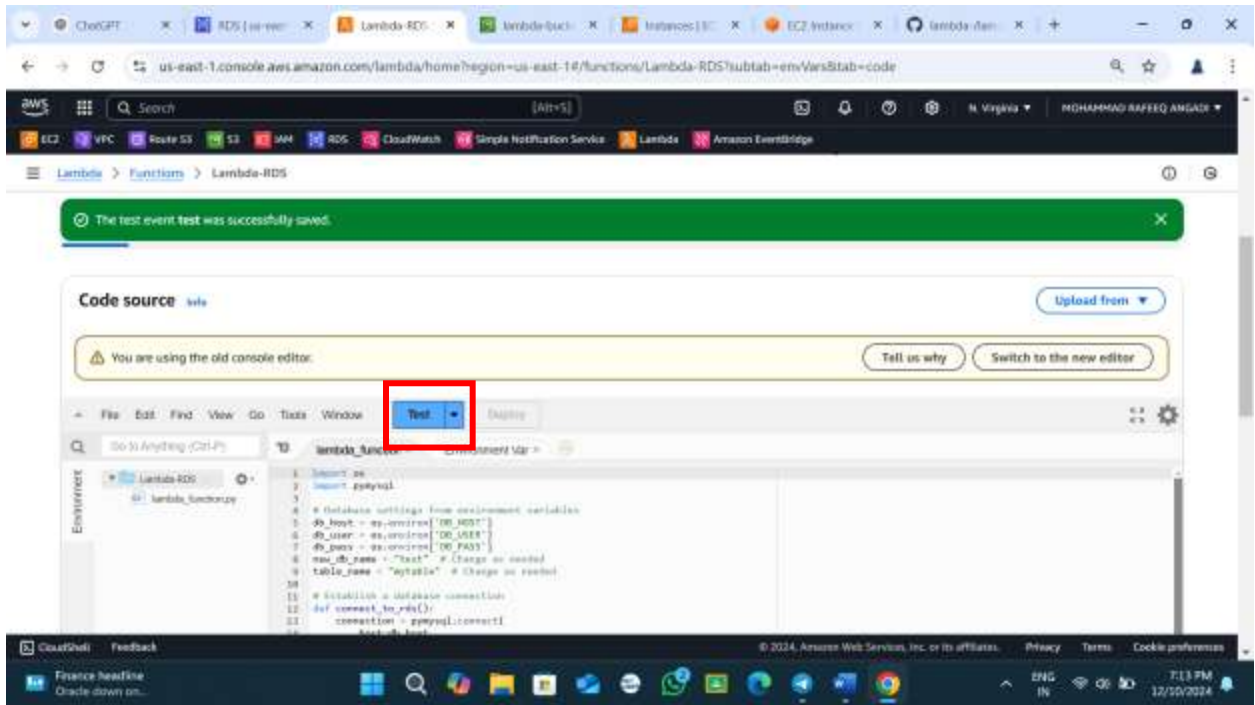
your database password



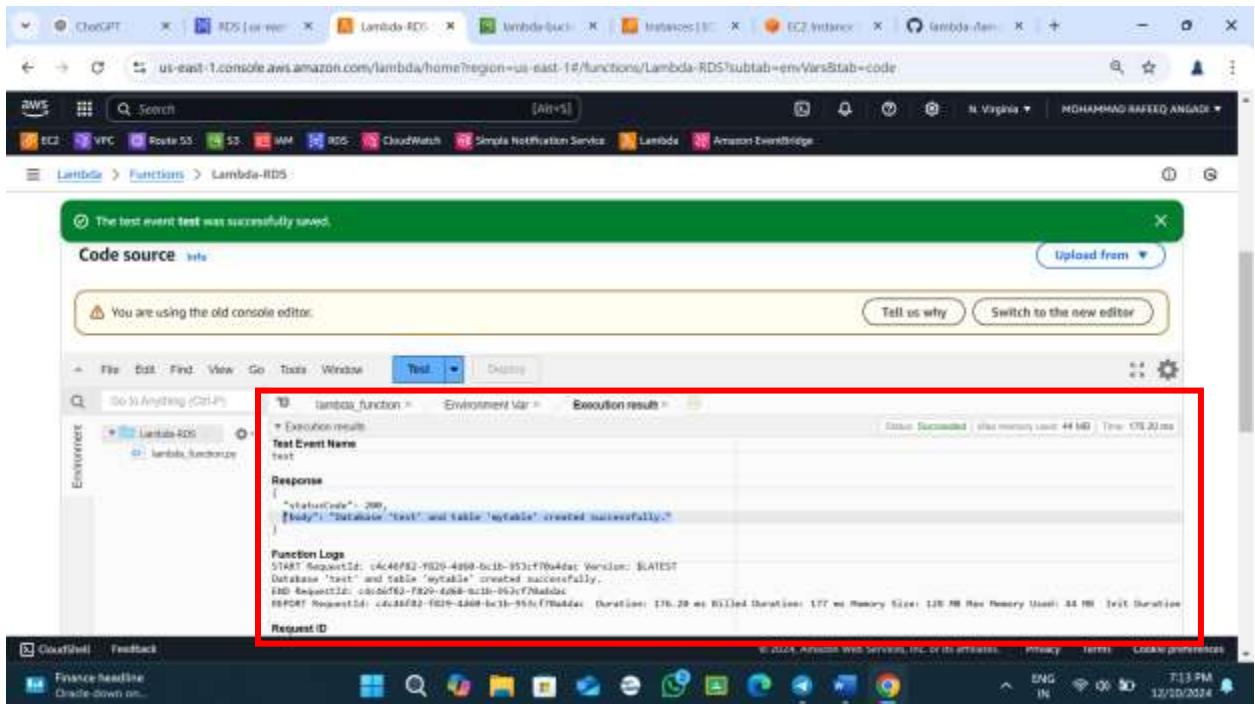
And click on test like shown in the below image







200 means success



200 means success see created Database with test and inside created table name is mytable

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