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OBJECTIVE - TO CREATE EC2 INSTANCE

Steps to Create an EC2 Instance

1. Login to AWS

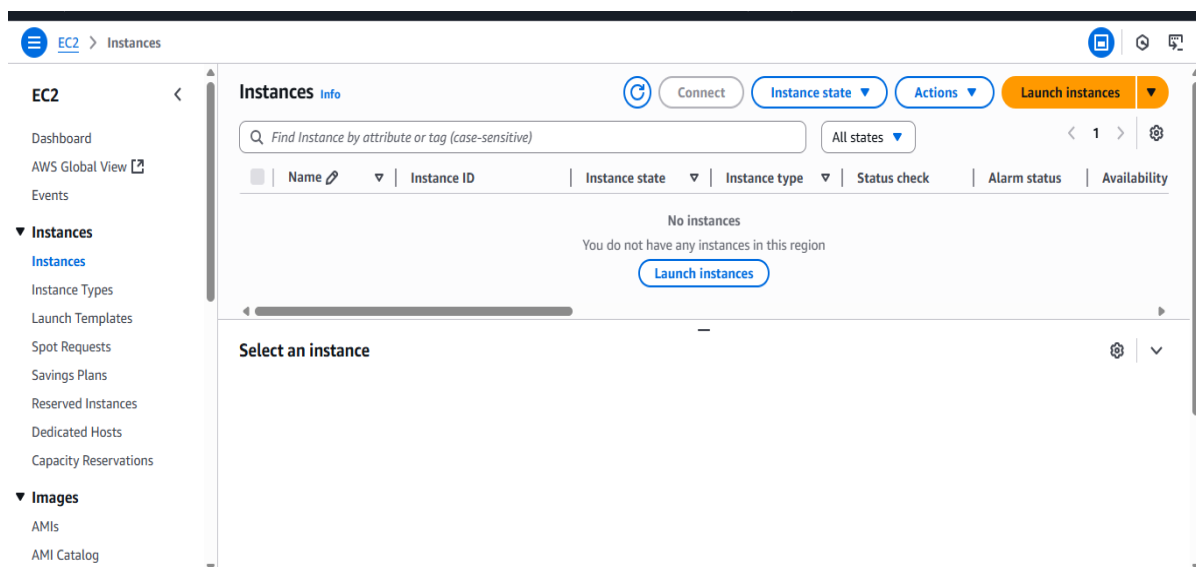
- Go to AWS Management Console.
- Sign in with your credentials.

2. Navigate to EC2

- In the search bar, type **EC2** and select it.

3. Launch Instance

- Click **Instances** → **Launch Instance**.
- Give your instance a **name**.



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It seems like you may be new to launching instances in EC2. Take a walkthrough to learn about EC2, how to launch instances and about best practices.

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Launch an instance Info

Amazon EC2 allows you to create virtual machines, or instances, that run on the AWS Cloud. Quickly get started by following the simple steps below.

Name and tags Info

Name

[Add additional tags](#)

▼ Application and OS Images (Amazon Machine Image) Info

An AMI contains the operating system, application server, and applications for your instance. If you don't see a suitable AMI below, use the search field or choose [Browse more AMIs](#).

▼ Summary

Number of instances Info

Software Image (AMI)
Amazon Linux 2023 AMI 2023.8.2...[read more](#)
ami-043339ea831b48099

Virtual server type (instance type)
t3.micro

Firewall (security group)
New security group

Storage (volumes)
1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

4. Choose Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

- Select an OS image (e.g., Amazon Linux 2, Ubuntu, Windows).
- For beginners, choose **Amazon Linux 2 (Free tier eligible)**.

5. Choose Instance Type

- Select **t2.micro** (free tier eligible).

6. Configure Key Pair

- Create a new key pair (RSA) and download the **.pem file**.
- This will be used later to connect to your instance.

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Instance type

t3.micro
Family: t3 2 vCPU 1 GiB Memory Current generation
On-Demand Ubuntu Pro base pricing: 0.0143 USD per Hour
On-Demand RHEL base pricing: 0.0396 USD per Hour
On-Demand SUSE base pricing: 0.0108 USD per Hour
On-Demand Linux base pricing: 0.0108 USD per Hour
On-Demand Windows base pricing: 0.02 USD per Hour

Additional costs apply for AMIs with pre-installed software.

▼ Key pair (login) Info

You can use a key pair to securely connect to your instance when you launch the instance.

Key pair name - *required*

Create key pair

Key pair name

Key pairs allow you to connect to your instance securely.

The name can include up to 255 ASCII characters. It can't include leading or trailing spaces.

Key pair type

☒ RSA
RSA encrypted private and public key pair

☐ ED25519
ED25519 encrypted private and public key pair

Private key file format

☒ .pem
For use with OpenSSH

☐ .ppk
For use with PuTTY

⚠ When prompted, store the private key in a secure and accessible location on your computer. You will need it later to connect to your instance. [Learn](#)

[Cancel](#) [Create key pair](#)

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7. Configure Network & Security

- Leave default **VPC and subnet** (unless you want custom networking).
- Under **Security group**, allow:
 - **SSH (port 22)** for Linux
 - **RDP (port 3389)** for Windows
 - **HTTP/HTTPS** if you're hosting a website.

8. Configure Storage

- Default 8 GB is fine (increase if needed).

9. Launch Instance

- Click **Launch Instance**.
- AWS will start your instance.

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group rules to allow access from known IP addresses only.

Configure storage Info Advanced

1x 8 GiB gp3 Root volume, 3000 IOPS, Not encrypted

[Add new volume](#)

Click refresh to view backup information
The tags that you assign determine whether the instance will be backed up by any Data Lifecycle Manager policies.

0 x File systems [Edit](#)

Advanced details Info

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Success
Successfully initiated launch of instance (i-090b05c06a9749475)

Launch log

Next Steps
What would you like to do next with this instance, for example "create alarm" or "create backup"

Create billing usage alerts
To manage costs and avoid surprise bills, set up email notifications for billing usage thresholds.
[Create billing alerts](#)

Connect to your instance
Once your instance is running, log into it from your local computer.
[Connect to instance](#)
[Learn more](#)

Connect an RDS database
Configure the connection between an EC2 instance and a database to allow traffic flow between them.
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[Create a new RDS database](#)

Create EBS snapshot policy
Create a policy that automates the creation, retention, and deletion of EBS snapshots.
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Instances (1) Info

Last updated less than a minute ago

Connect

Instance state

Actions

Launch instances

Find Instance by attribute or tag (case-sensitive)

All states

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status check	Alarm status	Availability
<input type="checkbox"/>	srishti	i-090b05c06a9749475	Running	t3.micro	Initializing	View alarms +	eu-north-1

Select an instance

A screenshot of a terminal window with a black background. On the left side, there is a large ASCII art logo of the letter 'A' composed of various symbols like '#', '~', '/', and '|'. To the right of the logo, the text "Amazon Linux 2023" is displayed in a light blue font. Below this, the URL "https://aws.amazon.com/linux/amazon-linux-2023" is shown in a smaller, lighter blue font. At the bottom left of the terminal, the prompt "[ec2-user@ip-172-31-39-107 ~]\$" is visible in white. In the top right corner of the terminal window, there are two small icons: a magnifying glass and a square icon. The entire terminal window is set against a dark gray background.

