

8. Create an auto scaling instance group that hosts the apache server that displays the name of the instance that has served the current request to the user. Stress the Autoscaling group artificially using the stress tool (sudo apt-get install stress) and demonstrate the group being autoscaled. Use cli/client library

1. Create an instance template with the given startup script:

a) **startup script:**

```
#!/bin/bash
apt-get update
apt-get install -y apache2
/etc/init.d/apache2 start
cat <<EOF > /var/www/html/index.html
<html>
<body>
<p>hostname is: $(hostname)</p>
</body>
</html>
EOF
```

b) **command:**

```
gcloud compute --project=pe-training instance-templates create av-a1-q8 --machine-
type=f1-micro --network=projects/pe-training/global/networks/default --network-
tier=PREMIUM --metadata=startup-script=#!/bin/bash$'\n'apt-get\ update$'\n'apt-get\
install\ -y\ apache2$'\n'/etc/init.d/apache2\ start$'\n'cat\ \<\<EOF\ \>\
/var/www/html/index.html$'\n'<html>$'\n'<body>$'\n'<p>hostname\ is:\ \$(
hostname)\</p>$'\n'</body>$'\n'</html>$'\n'EOF --maintenance-policy=MIGRATE
--service-account=912623308461-compute@developer.gserviceaccount.com --
scopes=https://www.googleapis.com/auth/devstorage.read_only,https://
www.googleapis.com/auth/logging.write,https://www.googleapis.com/auth/
monitoring.write,https://www.googleapis.com/auth/servicecontrol,https://
www.googleapis.com/auth/service.management.readonly,https://www.googleapis.com/
auth/trace.append --image=debian-9-stretch-v20190618 --image-project=debian-cloud --
boot-disk-size=10GB --boot-disk-type=pd-standard --boot-disk-device-name=av-a1-q8
```

2. Create an instance group using the following commands:

a) avinash@Quantiphi-929:~/Documents/gcp\_assessment\_1\$ **gcloud compute --project=pe-training instance-groups managed create av-a1-q8-ig --base-instance-name=av-a1-q8-ig --template=av-a1-q8 --size=1 --zone=us-central1-a**

```
Created [https://www.googleapis.com/compute/v1/projects/pe-training/zones/us-
central1-a/instanceGroupManagers/av-a1-q8-ig].
NAME      LOCATION  SCOPE  BASE_INSTANCE_NAME  SIZE
TARGET_SIZE  INSTANCE_TEMPLATE  AUTOSCALED
av-a1-q8-ig  us-central1-a  zone  av-a1-q8-ig        0   1      av-a1-q8          no
```

b) avinash@Quantiphi-929:~/Documents/gcp\_assessment\_1\$ **gcloud beta compute --project "pe-training" instance-groups managed set-autoscaling "av-a1-q8-ig" --zone "us-central1-a" --cool-down-period "60" --max-num-replicas "3" --min-num-replicas "1" --target-cpu-utilization "0.6"**

```
Created [https://www.googleapis.com/compute/beta/projects/pe-training/zones/us-
central1-a/autoscalers/av-a1-q8-ig-0dqdn].
```

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autoscalingPolicy:

coolDownPeriodSec: 60

cpuUtilization:

utilizationTarget: 0.6  
 maxNumReplicas: 3  
 minNumReplicas: 1  
 creationTimestamp: '2019-07-19T06:56:45.957-07:00'  
 id: '1190444656100143858'  
 kind: compute#autoscaler  
 name: av-a1-q8-ig-0dqn  
 selfLink: <https://www.googleapis.com/compute/beta/projects/pe-training/zones/us-central1-a/autoscalers/av-a1-q8-ig-0dqn>  
 status: ACTIVE  
 target: <https://www.googleapis.com/compute/beta/projects/pe-training/zones/us-central1-a/instanceGroupManagers/av-a1-q8-ig>  
 zone: <https://www.googleapis.com/compute/beta/projects/pe-training/zones/us-central1-a>

3. Install stress tool and test your auto-scaling group:

- a) SSH into your primary instance.
- b) Then, install stress tool using the following command:  
**sudo apt-get stress**
- c) Now, run the following command:  
`avinash_sidhwani@av-a1-q8-ig-cv1r:~$ stress --cpu 1 --timeout 60`  
 stress: info: [2949] dispatching hogs: 1 cpu, 0 io, 0 vm, 0 hdd

⚠ av-a1-q8-ig

Members Details Monitoring

Zone: us-central1-a Template: av-a1-q8 Autoscaling: On Target: CPU usage 60% In use by:

⚠ The number of instances in the instance group has reached the max\_num\_replicas. The autoscaler cannot add more instances.

☰ Filter group members

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Creation time	Template	Internal IP	External IP	Connect
<input type="checkbox"/>	✓ av-a1-q8-ig-6bln	Jul 19, 2019, 7:33:32 PM	av-a1-q8	10.128.0.124 (nic0)	34.66.104.89	SSH ▾
<input type="checkbox"/>	✓ av-a1-q8-ig-cv1r	Jul 19, 2019, 7:26:05 PM	av-a1-q8	10.128.0.122 (nic0)	34.67.18.201	SSH ▾
<input type="checkbox"/>	✓ av-a1-q8-ig-m8nz	Jul 19, 2019, 7:33:22 PM	av-a1-q8	10.128.0.123 (nic0)	104.198.63.209	SSH ▾