Lab 3 AWS EC2

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1. Amazon Web Service Portal

1.1. Preparations

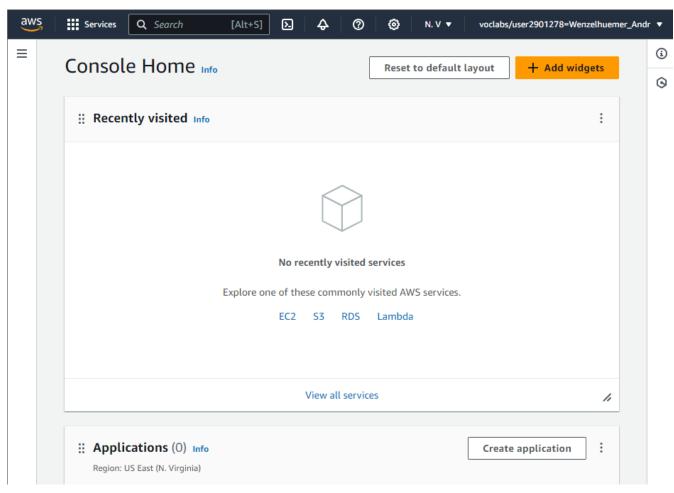


Figure 1. Amazon Web Services Portal

1.2. Launch of an EC2 Instance

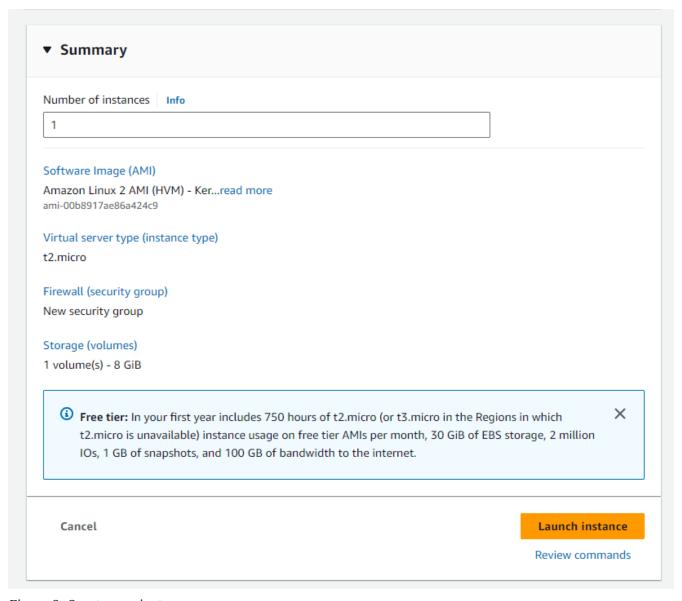


Figure 2. Create new instance

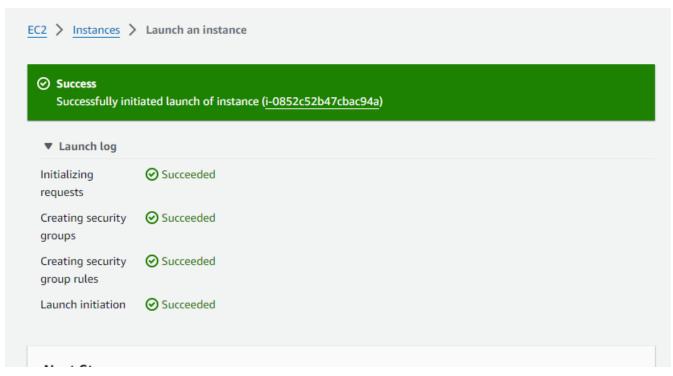


Figure 3. Instance launched

1.3. Security Groups

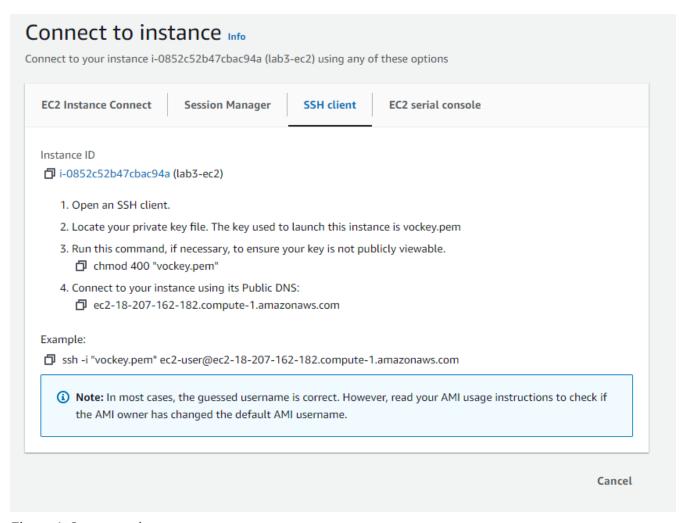


Figure 4. Connect to instance

Figure 5. SSH connection established

Install Apache Web Server:

sudo yum install httpd -y

Turn on the Server:

```
Complete!

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ service httpd status

Redirecting to /bin/systemctl status httpd.service

• httpd.service - The Apache HTTP Server

Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/httpd.service; disabled; vendor preset: disabled)

Active: inactive (dead)

Docs: man:httpd.service(8)

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ service httpd start

Redirecting to /bin/systemctl start httpd.service

Failed to start httpd.service: The name org.freedesktop.Policykitl was not provided by any .service files

See system logs and 'systemctl status httpd.service' for details.

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo service httpd start

Redirecting to /bin/systemctl start httpd.service

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ chkconfig httpd on

Note: Forwarding request to 'systemctl enable httpd.service'.

Failed to execute operation: The name org.freedesktop.Policykitl was not provided by any .service files

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo schconfig httpd on

Note: Forwarding request to 'systemctl enable httpd.service'.

Created symlink from /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/httpd.service to /usr/lib/systemd/system/httpd.service.

[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ |
```

Figure 6. Turn on Server (Don't forget sudo..)

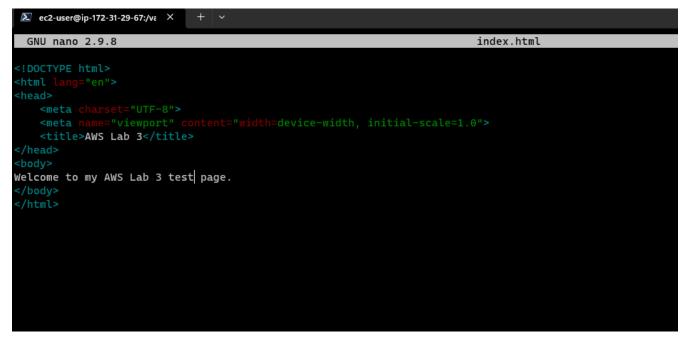


Figure 7. Add html page

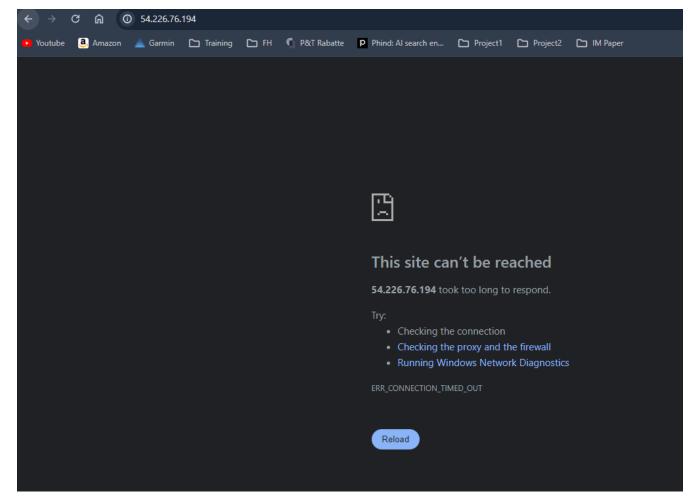


Figure 8. Show html page

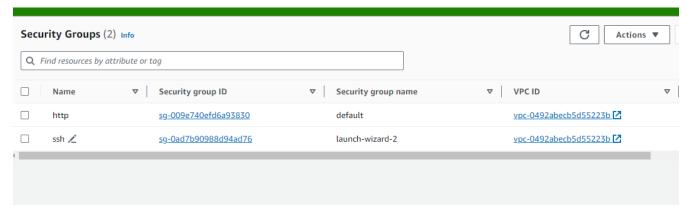


Figure 9. Add rules for http requests

After adding rules the web server can be accessed.

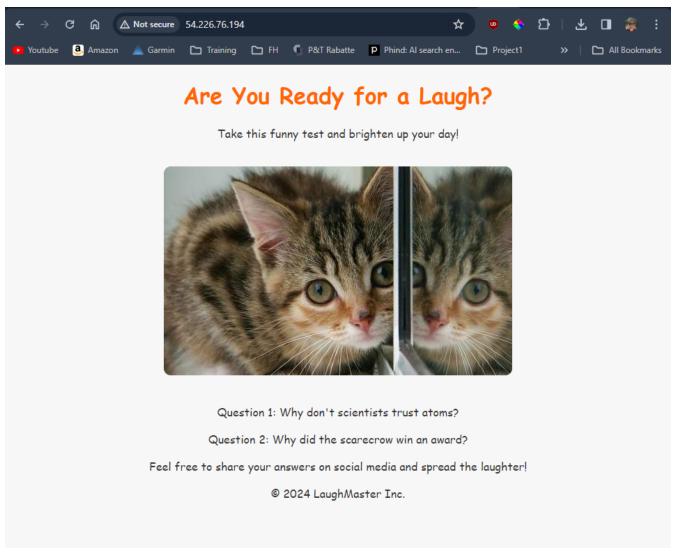


Figure 10. Web page (ChatGPT generated test page)

1.4. Volumes and Snapshots

Create a new volume and attach it to your instance.

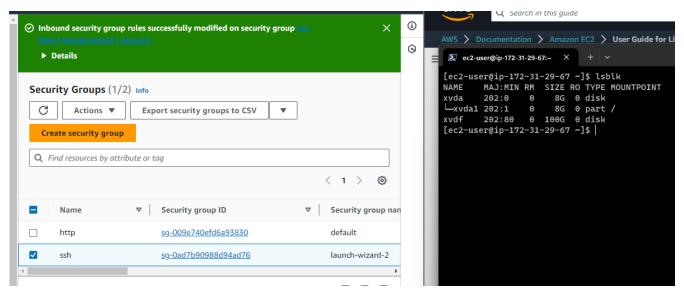


Figure 11. New volume

Check type of the volume.

sudo file -s /dev/xvdf

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo file -s /dev/xvdf
/dev/xvdf: data
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ |
```

Figure 12. Type

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo mkfs -t ext4 /dev/xvdf
mke2fs 1.42.9 (28-Dec-2013)
Filesystem label=
OS type: Linux
Block size=4096 (log=2)
Fragment size=4096 (log=2)
Stride=0 blocks, Stripe width=0 blocks
6553600 inodes, 26214400 blocks
1310720 blocks (5.00%) reserved for the super user
First data block=0
Maximum filesystem blocks=2174746624
800 block groups
32768 blocks per group, 32768 fragments per group
8192 inodes per group
Superblock backups stored on blocks:
        32768, 98304, 163840, 229376, 294912, 819200, 884736, 1605632, 2654208,
       4096000, 7962624, 11239424, 20480000, 23887872
Allocating group tables: done
Writing inode tables: done
Creating journal (32768 blocks): done
Writing superblocks and filesystem accounting information: done
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ mkdir /fileserver
mkdir: cannot create directory '/fileserver': Permission denied
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo mkdir /fileserver
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ mount /dev/xvdf /fileserver
mount: only root can do that
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ sudo mount /dev/xvdf /fileserver
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$
```

Figure 13. Create filesystem and mount

Figure 14. Create file on new partition

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ ls -l
total 0
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ec2-user ec2-user 0 Jan 8 15:21 i-was-here
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 ~]$ cd /
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 /]$ ls
bin boot dev etc fileserver home lib lib64 local m
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 /]$ sudo umount /dev/xvdf
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 /]$ cd /fileserver
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 fileserver]$ ls
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 fileserver]$ ls -l
total 0
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 fileserver]$
```

Figure 15. Unmount

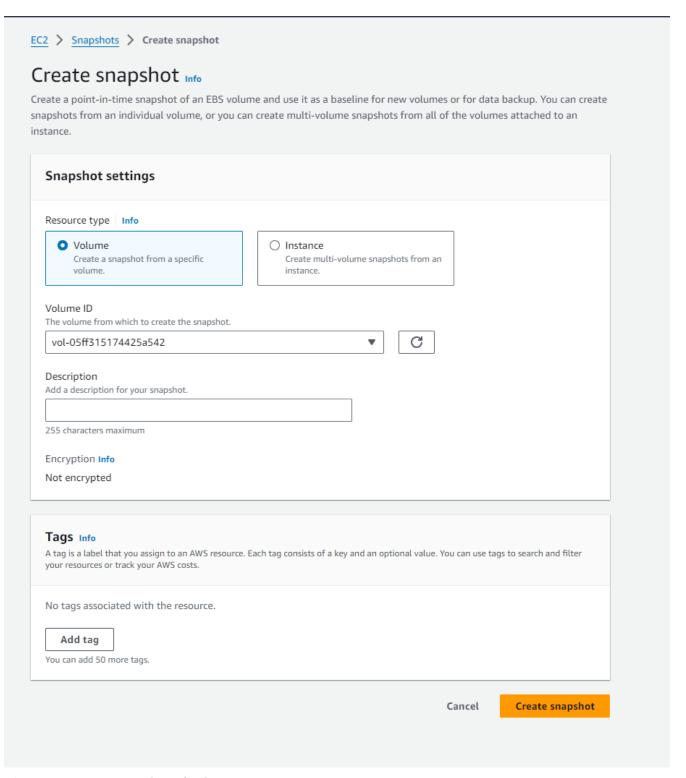


Figure 16. Create snapshot of volume

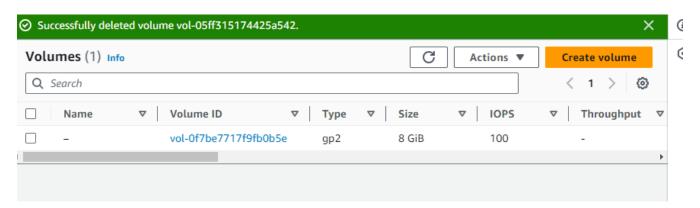


Figure 17. Volume deleted

Create volume Info

Create an Amazon EBS volume to attach to any EC2 instance in the same Availability Zone.

| Volume settings | | |
|--|----|--|
| Volume type Info | | |
| General Purpose SSD (gp2) ▼ | | |
| Size (GiB) Info | | |
| 100 | | |
| Min: 1 GiB, Max: 16384 GiB. The value must be an integer. | | |
| IOPS Info | | |
| 300 / 3000 | | |
| Baseline of 3 IOPS per GiB with a minimum of 100 IOPS, burstable to 3000 IOP | S. | |
| Throughput (MiB/s) Info | | |
| Not applicable | | |
| A called the Tanana and | | |
| Availability Zone Info | | |
| us-east-1a ▼ | | |
| Snapshot ID - optional Info | | |
| | ^ | |
| snap-08621d977f6442e37 ▼ | | |
| snap-08621d977f6442e37 ▼ Fast snapshot restore Info | | |

Figure 18. Create from snapshot

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 /]$ sudo mount /dev/xvdf /fileserver
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 /]$ cd fileserver/
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 fileserver]$ ls
i-was-here lost+found
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-29-67 fileserver]$ |
```

Figure 19. Mount and check if file exists

1.5. Load Balancers

1.5.1. Classic Load Balancing

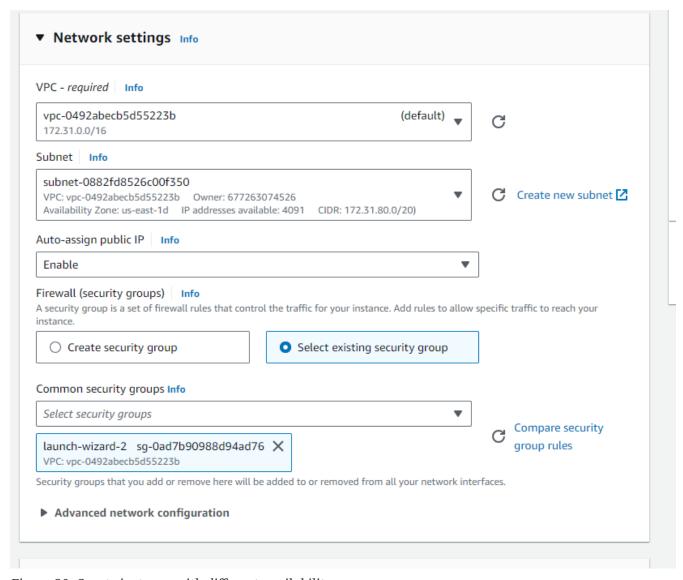


Figure 20. Create instance with different availability zone

Create new load balancer and new instance target group for routing.

| Listener HTTI | P:80 | | | | Remove |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--------|--------|
| Protocol HTTP ▼ | Port : 80 1-65535 | Default action Forward to | lab3-targetgroup-instances Target type: Instance, IPv4 | НТТР 🔻 | C |
| Listener tags - o | optional | Create targe | t group 🛂 | | |
| Consider adding tage Add listener t | | le you to categorize your AWS | 5 resources so you can more easily manage them. | | |

Figure 21. Target group with instances

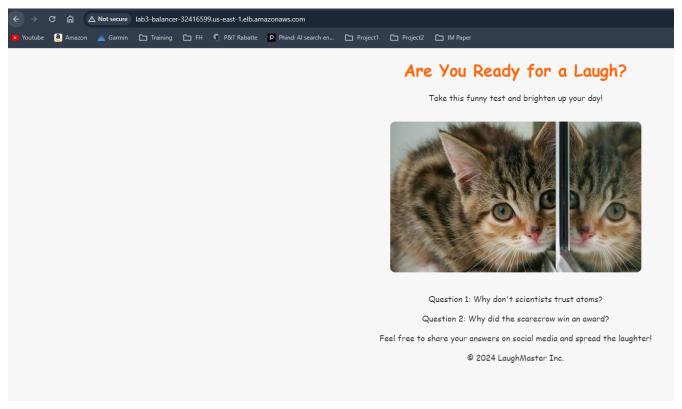


Figure 22. Access through load balancer (Instance 1 reached)

Second instance is missing the http security group that's why its unhealthy.

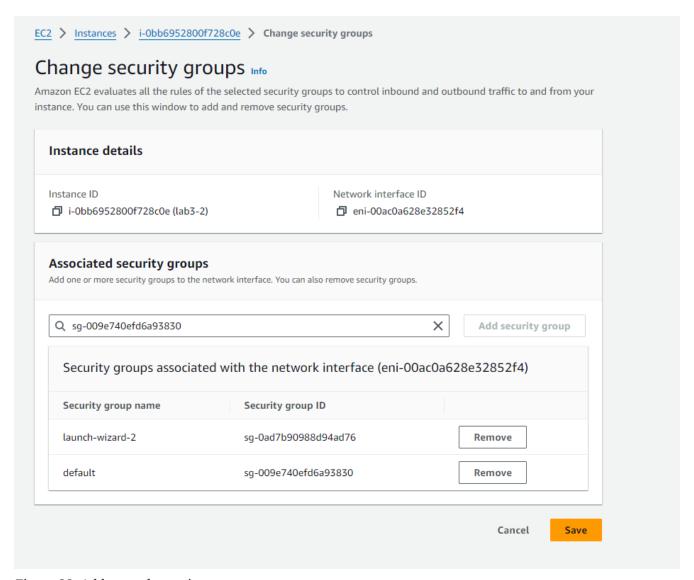


Figure 23. Add second security group

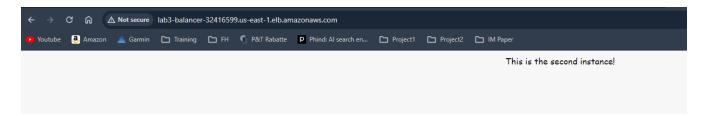


Figure 24. Both instances are healthy

The load balancer is now routing to both instances, that's why the website changes from one instance to the other.

1.5.2. Path-Based Load Balancing

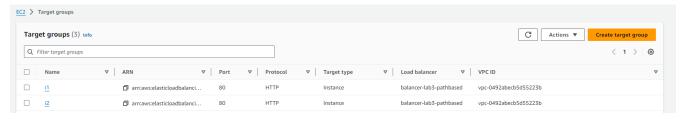


Figure 25. Add two target groups i1 and i2

Add folders i1 and i2 and add html file there.

After that rules for the different paths have to be added.

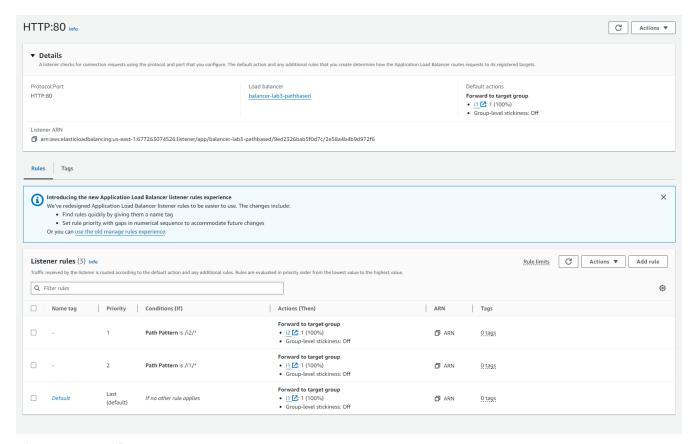


Figure 26. Set rules

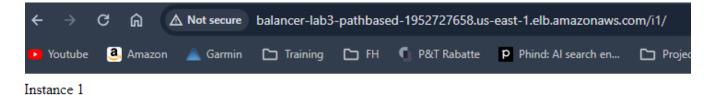


Figure 27. Verify routing (Instance 1)

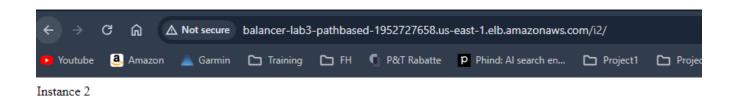


Figure 28. Verify routing (Instance 2)

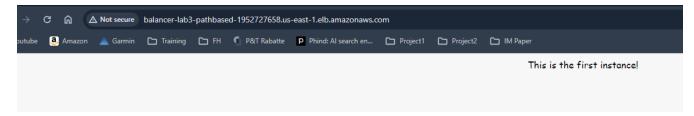


Figure 29. Fallback (Different page from instance 1)

2. AWS CLI

2.1. Configuration

Install the aws shell:

```
pip install aws-shell
```

```
PS C:\Users\Andi\Documents\Github\fh-mc-cc\exercise\e03> aws-shell
First run, creating autocomplete index...
Creating doc index in the background. It will be a few minutes before all documentation is available
.
aws>
```

Add credentials file from aws portal to ~/.aws/credentials.

Configure aws shell:

```
aws> configure

AWS Access Key ID [**************5CEY]:

AWS Secret Access Key [**************************

Default region name [us-east-1]:

Default output format [json]:

aws>
```

Figure 30. aws-shell configure

```
describe-instances
aws>
    "Reservations": [
        {
            "Groups": [],
            "Instances": [
                    "AmiLaunchIndex": 0,
                    "ImageId": "ami-00b8917ae86a424c9",
                    "InstanceId": "i-0c65ff9bcbf527ea3",
                    "InstanceType": "t2.micro",
                    "KeyName": "ssh-key",
                    "LaunchTime": "2024-01-08T17:17:32.000Z",
                    "Monitoring": {
                        "State": "disabled"
                    "Placement": {
                        "AvailabilityZone": "us-east-1a",
```

Figure 31. Test command after credential configuration

2.2. AWS CLI with EC2

2.2.1. Key-Pairs

```
Default output format [json]:
aws> ec2 describe-key-pairs
    "KeyPairs": [
              "KeyPairId": "key-038c4273dd1a6d524",
              "KeyFingerprint": "bb:20:e0:ad:d1:20:17:a0:fa:4d:0d:0d:16:b4:7c:c0:f8:07:1d:9a",
              "KeyName": "ssh-key",
             "KeyType": "rsa",
              "Tags": [],
              "CreateTime": "2024-01-08T13:21:00.674Z"
             "KeyPairId": "key-0ee589ac2e54abf5a",
"KeyFingerprint": "a4:95:6f:e1:f6:94:e3:35:84:bf:47:a1:49:23:08:b0:90:17:54:24",
              "KeyName": "vockey",
"KeyType": "rsa",
              "Tags": [],
              "CreateTime": "2024-01-08T17:17:38.778Z"
         }
    ]
aws>
```

2.2.2. Virtual Private Cloud - VPC

```
describe-vpcs
aws>
{
    "Vpcs": [
        {
            "CidrBlock": "172.31.0.0/16",
            "DhcpOptionsId": "dopt-0c61c4fcf2427827b",
            "State": "available",
            "VpcId": "vpc-0492abecb5d55223b",
            "OwnerId": "677263074526",
            "InstanceTenancy": "default",
            "CidrBlockAssociationSet": [
                {
                    "AssociationId": "vpc-cidr-assoc-03d668ab340b533b1",
                    "CidrBlock": "172.31.0.0/16",
                    "CidrBlockState": {
                         "State": "associated"
                    }
            "IsDefault": true
        }
    ]
aws>
```

Figure 32. Describe the VPCs

```
describe-subnets --filters Name=vpc-id, Values=vpc-0492abecb5d55223b
aws>
    "Subnets": [
        {
            "AvailabilityZone": "us-east-1e",
            "AvailabilityZoneId": "use1-az3",
            "AvailableIpAddressCount": 4091,
            "CidrBlock": "172.31.48.0/20",
            "DefaultForAz": true,
            "MapPublicIpOnLaunch": true,
            "MapCustomerOwnedIpOnLaunch": false,
            "State": "available",
            "SubnetId": "subnet-09fec55be67f9079a",
            "VpcId": "vpc-0492abecb5d55223b",
            "OwnerId": "677263074526",
            "AssignIpv6AddressOnCreation": false,
            "Ipv6CidrBlockAssociationSet": [],
            "SubnetArn": "arn:aws:ec2:us-east-1:677263074526:subnet/subnet-09fec55be67f9079a",
            "EnableDns64": false,
            "Ipv6Native": false,
```

Figure 33. Filter by id

2.2.3. Run instance

aws ec2 run-instances --image-id ami-00b8917ae86a424c9 --instance-type t2.micro --key-name ssh-key --security-group-ids sg-0ad7b90988d94ad76 --subnet-id subnet-0882fd8526c00f350 --tags "Key=Name,Value=i1"

Figure 34. Using the aws shell

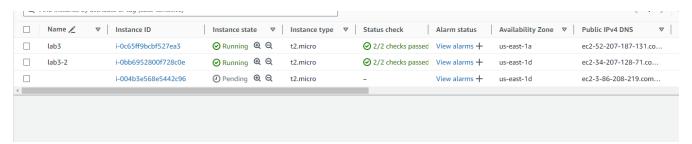


Figure 35. New instance

2.2.4. Querying output

Command for querying all instances by instance id and state:

```
aws ec2 describe-instances
"Reservations[].Instances[].{InstanceId:InstanceId,State:State.Name}"
```

Figure 36. Querying all instances

2.3. Working with the CLI

2.3.1. Instances

Create second instance with different availability zone

```
aws ec2 run-instances --image-id ami-00b8917ae86a424c9 --instance-type t2.micro --key-name ssh-key --security-group-ids sg-0ad7b90988d94ad76 --subnet-id subnet-0882fd8526c00f350 --placement AvailabilityZone=us-east-1d
```

Querying all instances

```
aws ec2 describe-instances
"Reservations[].Instances[].{InstanceId:InstanceId,State:State.Name}"
```

Figure 37. 4 Instances and 1 test instance which got terminated.

2.3.2. Security Groups

Create security group

```
aws ec2 create-security-group --group-name httpsg --description "HTTP Security Group"
```

Allow http traffic from my ip only

aws ec2 authorize-security-group-ingress --group-name MyHTTPSG --protocol tcp --port 80 --cidr 77.220.105.192/32

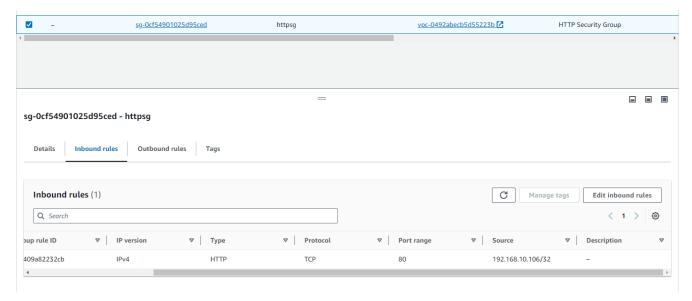
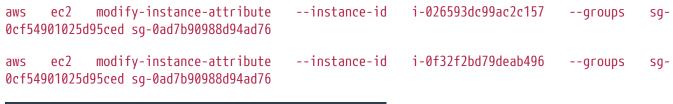
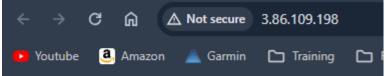


Figure 38. Create Security Group with inbound rule

Change security groups of the instances:





This is instance 1!

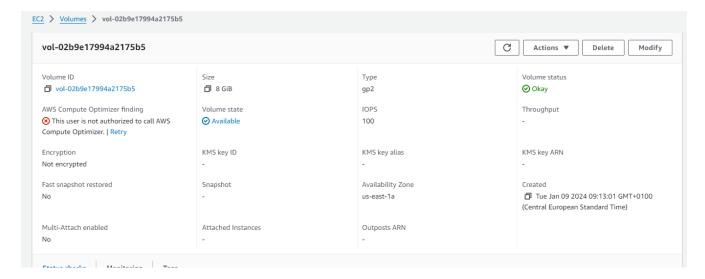
Figure 39. Check if access is possible

2.3.3. Volumes and Snapshots

Create volume

aws ec2 create-volume --availability-zone us-east-1d --size 8

Created volume



Attach volume to instance

```
aws ec2 attach-volume --volume-id vol-0d509bb887609d1c8 --instance-id i-026593dc99ac2c157 --device /dev/sdg
```

Attached volume

```
PS C:\Users\Andi\Documents\Github\fh-mc-cc\exercise\e03> aws ec2 attach-volume --volume-id vol-0d509bb887609d1c8
--instance-id i-026593dc99ac2c157 --device /dev/sdg

{
    "AttachTime": "2024-01-09T08:18:54.309Z",
    "Device": "/dev/sdg",
    "InstanceId": "i-026593dc99ac2c157",
    "State": "attaching",
    "VolumeId": "vol-0d509bb887609d1c8"
}
```

Create snapshot

```
aws ec2 create-snapshot --volume-id vol-0d509bb887609d1c8 --description "Test snapshot"
```

Detach volume

```
aws ec2 detach-volume --volume-id vol-0d509bb887609d1c8
```

Delete volume

```
aws ec2 delete-volume --volume-id vol-0d509bb887609d1c8
```

Create volume from snapshot

```
aws ec2 create-volume --snapshot-id snap-0007714f04824ed3d --availability-zone us-east-1d
```

Check if file exists

i-was-here still exists

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-80-122 /]$ sudo mount /dev/xvdg /fileserver
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-80-122 /]$ cd /fileserver/
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-80-122 fileserver]$ ls
i-was-here lost+found
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-80-122 fileserver]$ |
```

2.3.4. Load Balancer

Create load balancer

aws elbv2 create-load-balancer --name my-load-balancer --subnets subnet-0882fd8526c00f350 subnet-08e8a61e2b32bc655 --security-groups sg-0cf54901025d95ced

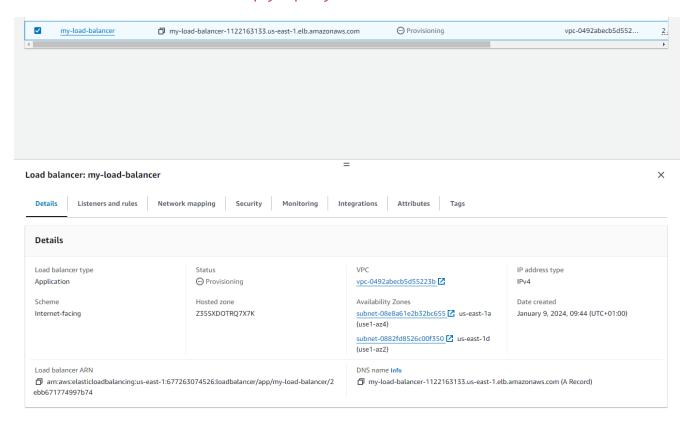


Figure 40. Created load balancer "my-load-balancer"

Create new target group

aws elbv2 create-target-group --name MyTargetGroup --protocol HTTP --port 80 --vpc-id vpc-0492abecb5d55223

Create new listener for load balancer with target group

aws elbv2 create-listener --load-balancer-arn arn:aws:elasticloadbalancing:us-east-1:677263074526:loadbalancer/app/my-load-balancer/2ebb671774997b74 --protocol HTTP --port 80 --default-actions Type=forward, TargetGroupArn=arn:aws:elasticloadbalancing:us-east-1:677263074526:targetgroup/MyTargetGroup/0d709139aa1c35bb

Register instances as targets to the target group

aws elbv2 register-targets --target-group-arn arn:aws:elasticloadbalancing:us-east1:677263074526:targetgroup/MyTargetGroup/0d709139aa1c35bb --targets "Id=i-026593dc99ac2c157"
"Id=i-0bb2c09b1f9587e15"

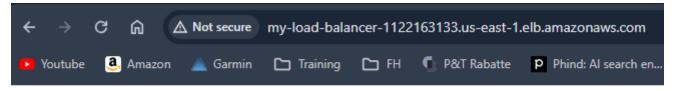
Remove existing security group rule

aws ec2 revoke-security-group-ingress --group-id sg-0cf54901025d95ced --protocol tcp --port 80 --cidr 77.220.105.192/32

Add new security group rule

aws ec2 authorize-security-group-ingress --group-id sg-0cf54901025d95ced --protocol tcp --port 80 --cidr 0.0.0.0/0

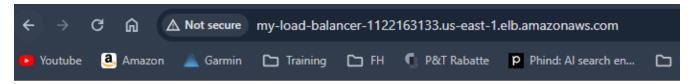
Test load balancer



This is instance 1!

Figure 41. Instance 1

Instance 2



This is instance 2