3. VPC Configuration Lab:

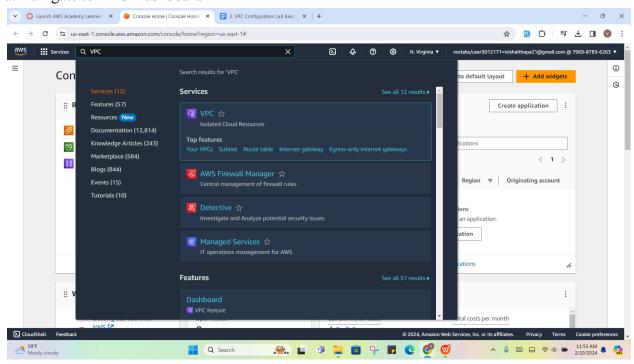
Objective:

The objective of this lab is to understand the fundamentals of AWS networking through the configuration of a Virtual Private Cloud(VPC).

Steps involved:

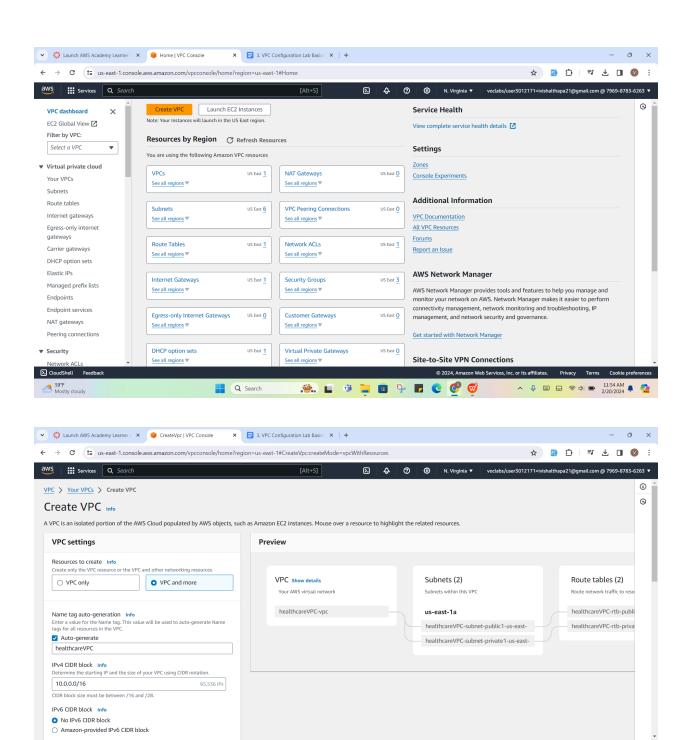
I. Navigate to the VPC Dashboard:

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II. Create a new VPC:

- a. Click on the "Create VPC" button.
- b. Enter a name for our VPC and provide a CIDR block for the VPC. Example:
- "10.0.0.0/16"
- c. We can keep other settings as default or customize as our requirements.
- d. Click on the "Create" button to create the VPC.



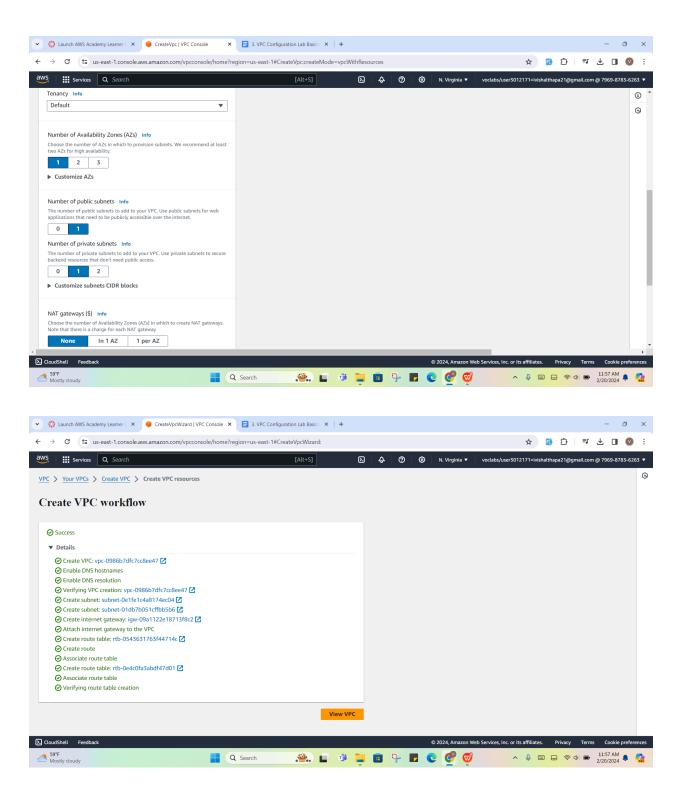
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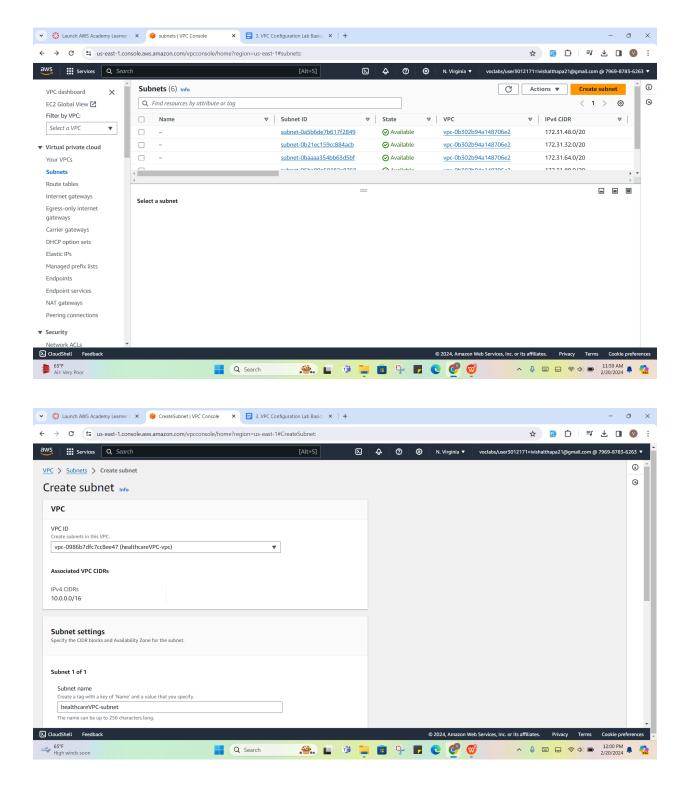
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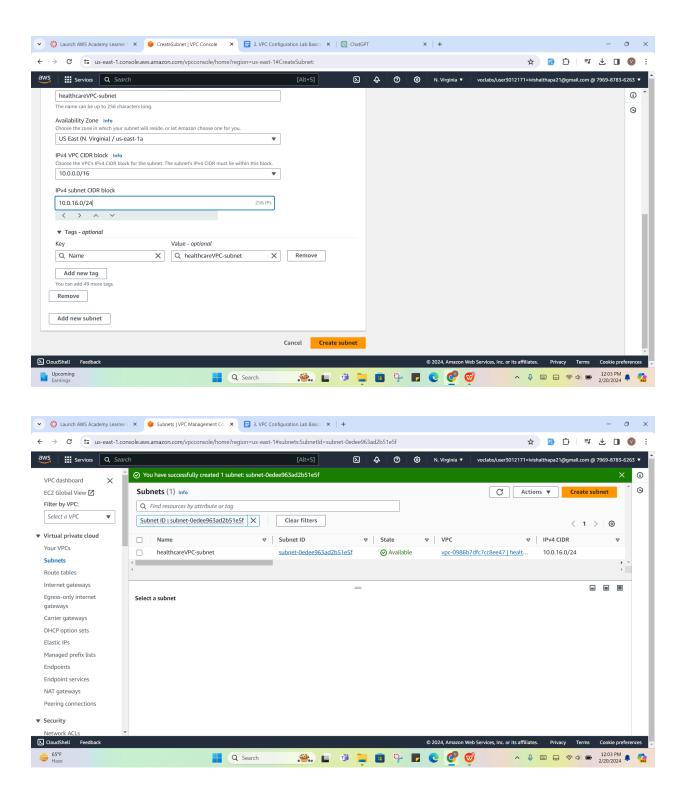


III. Add Subnets:

- a. After creating VPC, navigate to the "Subnets" section
- b. Click on "Create Subnet" button

- c. Enter a name for the subnet and select the VPC we created earlier.
- d. Provide a CIDR block for the subnet. For example: "10.0.1.0/24"
- e. Click on the "Create" button to create the subnet.

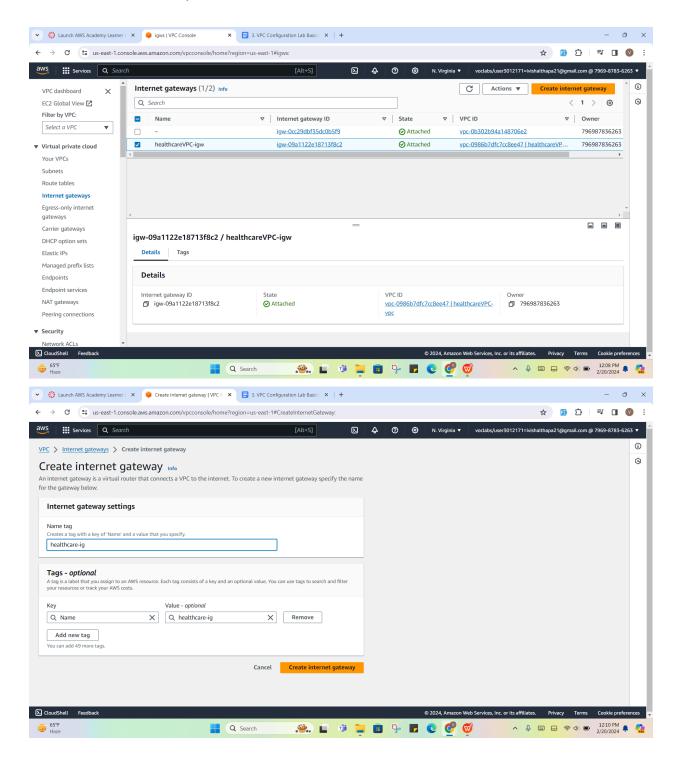




IV. Set up an Internet Gateway(IG):

- a. Navigate to the "Internet Gateways" section
- b. Click on the "Create Internet Gateway" button.

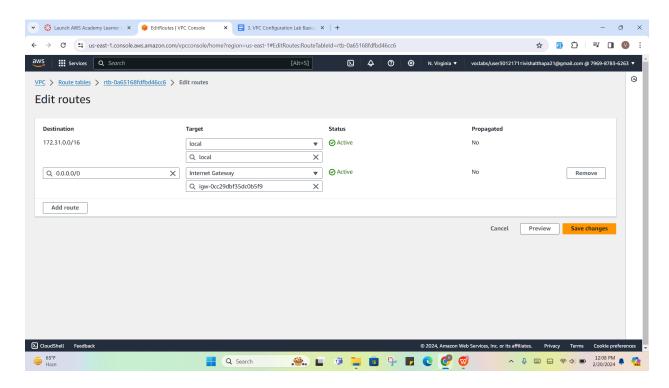
- c. Enter a name for the internet gateway and click on the "Create" button.
- d. Once the IG is created, select it and attach it to our VPC.



V. Configure Route Tables:

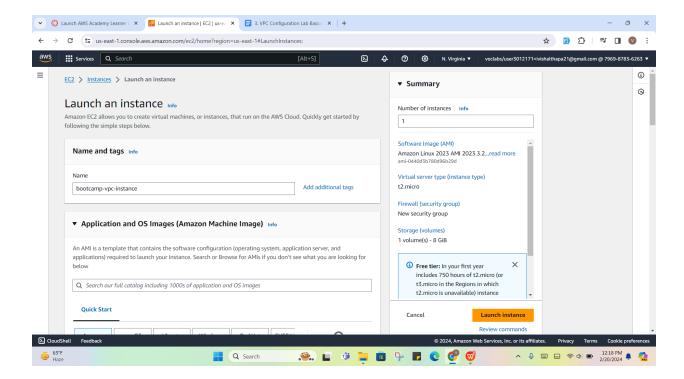
- a. Go to the "Route Table" section
- b. Select the default route table associated with our VPC.

- c. Click on the "Edit routes" button
- d. Add a new route with destination "0.0.0.0/0" and target the IG that we created earlier.
- e. Save the changes.



VI. Set up an EC2 instance:

- a. Navigate to the EC2 dashboard
- b. Launch a new EC2 instance and select the VPC and subnet we created earlier during the instance setup process.
- c. Complete the instance launch process by selecting an AMI, instance type, and other configurations.
- d. Once the instance is launched, we can connect to it and verify its network connectivity.



VII. Verify Configuration:

a. After completing the above steps, we can verify by testing network connectivity from within the VPC, using (ping) external IP addresses from an EC2 instance within the VPC.

Using the above steps, we have successfully configured a VPC, added subnets, set up an internet gateway and configured route tables in AWS.