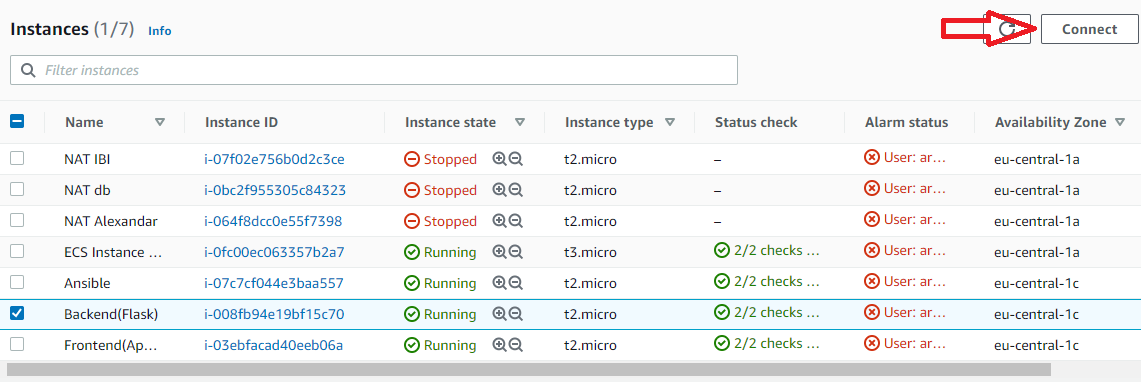
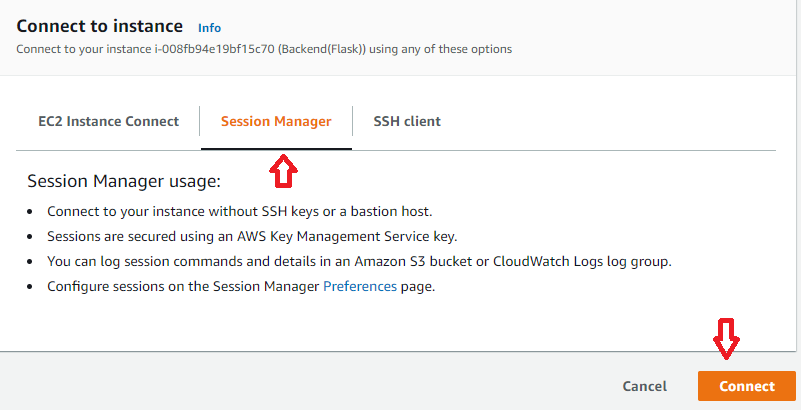
How to connect to EC2 Instances

Connect with Systems Manager (recommended):

1. Select instance you want to connect to.
2. Press Connect
3. Choose System Manager and Connect

**Note: You will connect as ssm-user. Preferably switch to different user – on Frontend and Backend to user ‘ubuntu’, NAT Instance – ‘ec2-user’, Ansible – ‘devops’.**

Connect via SSH (Bastion Instance)

1. Connect to NAT instance (NAT Mikaeil) using SSH Key (MikaeilKeyPair.pem)
2. From NAT Instance connect to the instance using private IP (find it in the AWS Console or in the instance details) (check the note above to know which user to connect to)

**Note: You need to have SSH key beforehand**

**Note: If you are using Windows and cmd.exe to connect to EC2, you will need to disable inheritance and delete most of the permissions and leave only your user full control.**