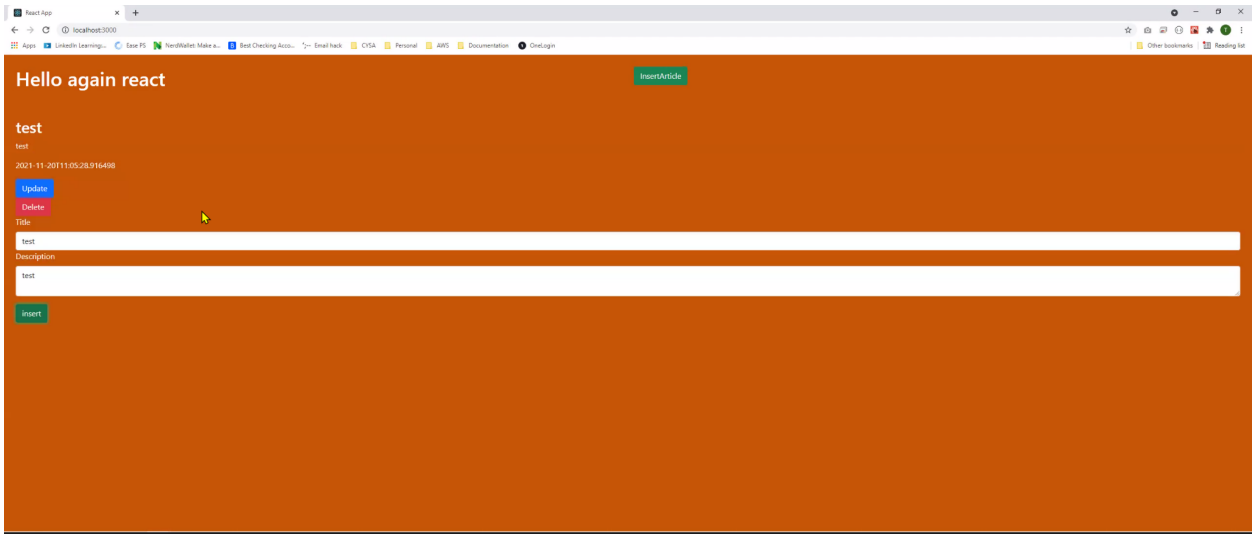
Deployment 08 - CICD

For this assignment, we have to create an entire CICD pipeline

We will have to deploy an application. The application provided will insert data and populate the page. The data is then sent to a database. The application will use React as the front end and Python as the backend.



For this assignment, we will have to incorporate Docker, Cypress, and ansible. There will be 3 EC2 instances. The first one will be a jenkins controller, second will be a jenkins agent, and last will be a production instance.

Build app -> test front end (can do backend) -> when doing test, should have test results and encrypt it and put it on GitHub (using ansible) -> create a docker image of the application after its tested and know exactly what risk you have for application -> after created application do a security check on the application. Encrypt the report -> set up a cloudwatch alert and stress out CPU -> configure alerts and notice what to keep an eye of

Notes

Jenkins
What are the factors. Different ways to take app and send it to deployment pipeline

Is this for production and development?
Have to change the value and test
A lot of key values to change
Authentication keys and key value pairs
What are some things to keep in mind
Take app and send it through pipeline

Order of operations
Plan out how to put things together
Keep stuff in mind.
Requirements for test

Task 1

For this task, we need to provision all the resources that we need. We need 3 EC2 instances for this assignment. The first EC2 will be the Jenkins Controller. The second EC2 instance will be a Jenkins Agent that received instructions from the Jenkins Controller. Finally, the third EC2 will be used for a production environment. In this scenario, not all resources are required to be in a private subnet. Each EC2 requires different dependencies to be installed.

We will be using CloudFormation to provision all the resources and then use Ansible to configure each instance.

Before we begin, we need to make sure that our host system has Ansible. We also need to make sure that boto is installed and our AWS CLI is configured.
sudo apt install ansible
pip3 install boto
aws configure

Once that is set up, we can provision the resources using CloudFormation. Create a file called resource.yaml and paste the following inside the file…

```
Description:
  This template deploys a VPC, with a pair of public and private subnets spread
  across two Availability Zones. It deploys an internet gateway, with a default
  route on the public subnets. It deploys a pair of NAT gateways (one in each AZ),
  and default routes for them in the private subnets.

Parameters:
 EnvironmentName:
   Description: An environment name that is prefixed to resource names
   Type: String

 VpcCIDR:
   Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for this VPC
   Type: String
   Default: 192.168.0.0/16

 PublicSubnet1CIDR:
   Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the public subnet in the first Availability Zone
   Type: String
   Default: 192.168.0.0/18

 PublicSubnet2CIDR:
   Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the public subnet in the second Availability Zone
   Type: String
   Default: 192.168.64.0/18

 PrivateSubnet1CIDR:
   Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the private subnet in the first Availability Zone
   Type: String
   Default: 192.168.128.0/18

 PrivateSubnet2CIDR:
   Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the private subnet in the second Availability Zone
   Type: String
   Default: 192.168.192.0/18

 KeyName:
   Description: Name of an existing EC2 KeyPair to enable SSH access to the instance
   Type: AWS::EC2::KeyPair::KeyName

Resources:
 VPC:
   Type: AWS::EC2::VPC
   Properties:
     CidrBlock: !Ref VpcCIDR
     EnableDnsSupport: true
     EnableDnsHostnames: true
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Ref EnvironmentName

 InternetGateway:
   Type: AWS::EC2::InternetGateway
   Properties:
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Ref EnvironmentName

 InternetGatewayAttachment:
   Type: AWS::EC2::VPCGatewayAttachment
   Properties:
     InternetGatewayId: !Ref InternetGateway
     VpcId: !Ref VPC

 PublicSubnet1:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     AvailabilityZone: !Select [0, !GetAZs ""]
     CidrBlock: !Ref PublicSubnet1CIDR
     MapPublicIpOnLaunch: true
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Public Subnet (AZ1)

 PublicSubnet2:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     AvailabilityZone: !Select [1, !GetAZs ""]
     CidrBlock: !Ref PublicSubnet2CIDR
     MapPublicIpOnLaunch: true
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Public Subnet (AZ2)

 PrivateSubnet1:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     AvailabilityZone: !Select [0, !GetAZs ""]
     CidrBlock: !Ref PrivateSubnet1CIDR
     MapPublicIpOnLaunch: false
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Private Subnet (AZ1)

 PrivateSubnet2:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     AvailabilityZone: !Select [1, !GetAZs ""]
     CidrBlock: !Ref PrivateSubnet2CIDR
     MapPublicIpOnLaunch: false
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Private Subnet (AZ2)

 NatGateway1EIP:
   Type: AWS::EC2::EIP
   DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment
   Properties:
     Domain: vpc

 NatGateway2EIP:
   Type: AWS::EC2::EIP
   DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment
   Properties:
     Domain: vpc

 NatGateway1:
   Type: AWS::EC2::NatGateway
   Properties:
     AllocationId: !GetAtt NatGateway1EIP.AllocationId
     SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

 NatGateway2:
   Type: AWS::EC2::NatGateway
   Properties:
     AllocationId: !GetAtt NatGateway2EIP.AllocationId
     SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet2

 PublicRouteTable:
   Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Public Routes

 DefaultPublicRoute:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Route
   DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable
     DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0
     GatewayId: !Ref InternetGateway

 PublicSubnet1RouteTableAssociation:
   Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable
     SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

 PublicSubnet2RouteTableAssociation:
   Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable
     SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet2

 PrivateRouteTable1:
   Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Private Routes (AZ1)

 DefaultPrivateRoute1:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Route
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable1
     DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0
     NatGatewayId: !Ref NatGateway1

 PrivateSubnet1RouteTableAssociation:
   Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable1
     SubnetId: !Ref PrivateSubnet1

 PrivateRouteTable2:
   Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable
   Properties:
     VpcId: !Ref VPC
     Tags:
       - Key: Name
         Value: !Sub ${EnvironmentName} Private Routes (AZ2)

 DefaultPrivateRoute2:
   Type: AWS::EC2::Route
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable2
     DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0
     NatGatewayId: !Ref NatGateway2

 PrivateSubnet2RouteTableAssociation:
   Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation
   Properties:
     RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable2
     SubnetId: !Ref PrivateSubnet2

 JenkinsControllerSecurityGroup:
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```
  Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup
  Properties:
   GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"
   GroupName: "JenkinsController"
   SecurityGroupIngress:
    - IpProtocol: tcp
      FromPort: 22
      ToPort: 22
      CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0
    - IpProtocol: tcp
      FromPort: 8080
      ToPort: 8080
      CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0
   VpcId: !Ref VPC

JenkinsControllerEC2Instance:
  Type: AWS::EC2::Instance
  Properties:
   ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7
   InstanceType: t2.micro
   SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1
   KeyName: !Ref KeyName
   SecurityGroupIds:
    - !Ref JenkinsControllerSecurityGroup
   Tags:
    - Key: "Name"
      Value: "Jenkins Controller"

JenkinsAgentSecurityGroup:
  Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup
  Properties:
   GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"
   GroupName: "JenkinsAgent"
   SecurityGroupIngress:
    - IpProtocol: tcp
      FromPort: 22
      ToPort: 22
      CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0
   VpcId: !Ref VPC

JenkinsAgentEC2Instance:
  Type: AWS::EC2::Instance
  Properties:
   ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7
   InstanceType: t2.micro
   SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1
   KeyName: !Ref KeyName
   SecurityGroupIds:
    - !Ref JenkinsAgentSecurityGroup
   Tags:
    - Key: "Name"
      Value: "Jenkins Agent"

ProductionSecurityGroup:
  Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup
  Properties:
   GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"
   GroupName: "Production"
   SecurityGroupIngress:
    - IpProtocol: tcp
      FromPort: 22
      ToPort: 22
      CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0
   VpcId: !Ref VPC

ProductionEC2Instance:
  Type: AWS::EC2::Instance
  Properties:
   ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7
   InstanceType: t2.micro
   SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1
   KeyName: !Ref KeyName
   SecurityGroupIds:
    - !Ref ProductionSecurityGroup
   Tags:
    - Key: "Name"
      Value: "Production"

Deploy08DBSecurityGroup:
  Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup
  Properties:
   GroupDescription: "Security group for the RDS MySQL database that allows access from ProductionAgent SG only"
   GroupName: "deploy08-db"
   SecurityGroupIngress:
    - IpProtocol: tcp
      FromPort: 0
      ToPort: 65535
      CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0
   VpcId: !Ref VPC

Outputs:
  VPC:
   Description: A reference to the created VPC
   Value: !Ref VPC

JenkinsControllerEC2Instance:
  Value: !GetAtt JenkinsControllerEC2Instance.PublicIp
  Description: JenkinsController's PublicIp Address

JenkinsAgentEC2Instance:
  Value: !GetAtt JenkinsAgentEC2Instance.PublicIp
  Description: JenkinsAgentEC2Instance's PublicIp Address

ProductionEC2Instance:
  Value: !GetAtt ProductionEC2Instance.PublicIp
  Description: ProductionEC2Instance's PublicIp Address
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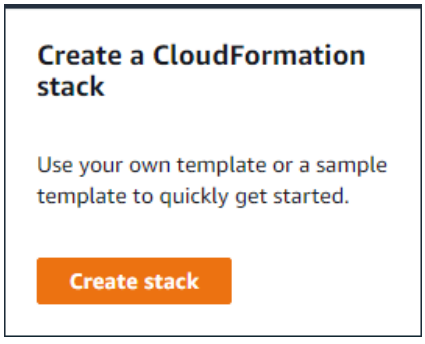
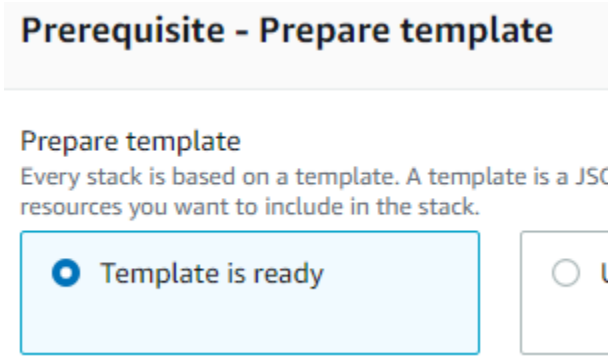
Once the file is saved, go to CloudFormation on AWS (Make sure you are in the correct region).

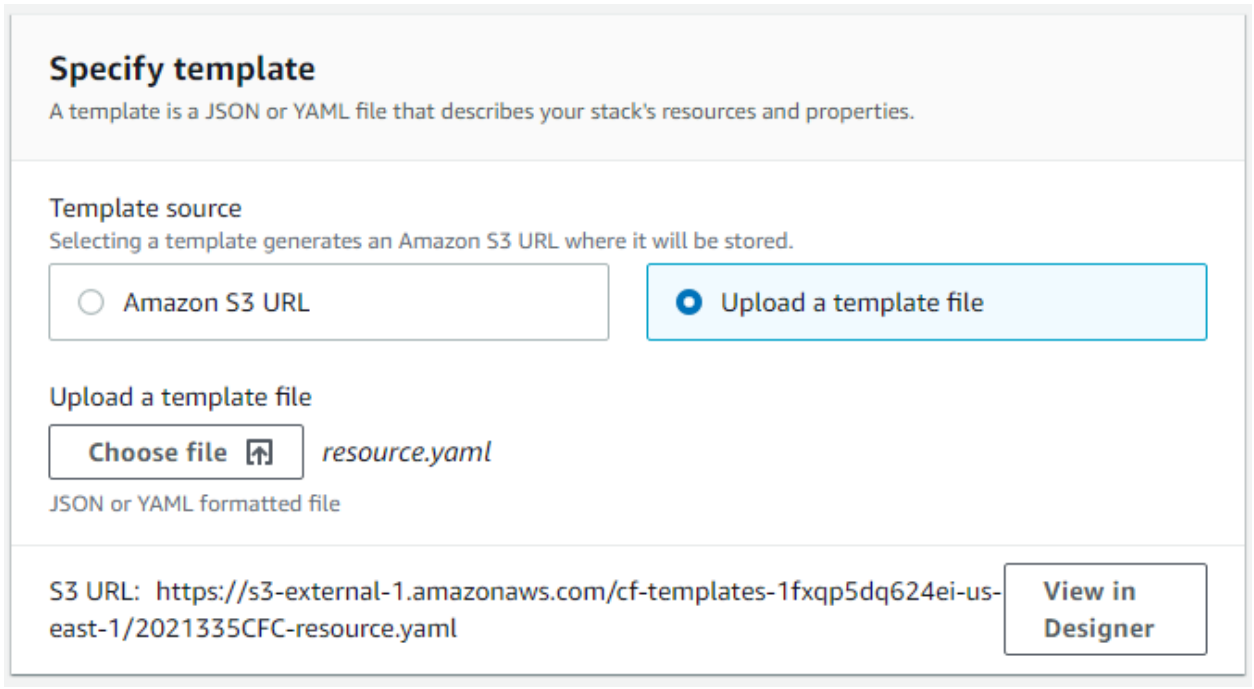
Create a stack



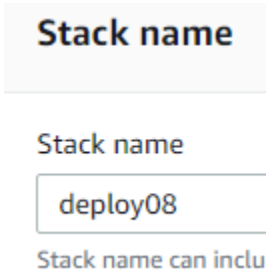
We will be using a template to create all the resources needed for this assignment. For the prerequisite select, Template is ready



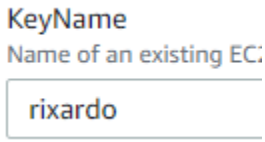
We then need to upload our template from local to AWS. Select upload a template file and upload your resource.yaml file.



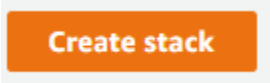
We will need to configure our stack details. Select a name



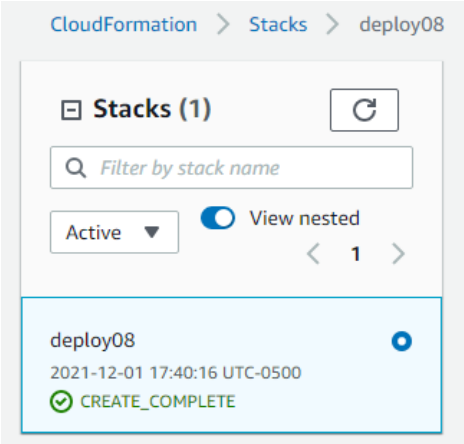
Under Parameters, select the KeyName that will be used to SSH into each EC2 instance.



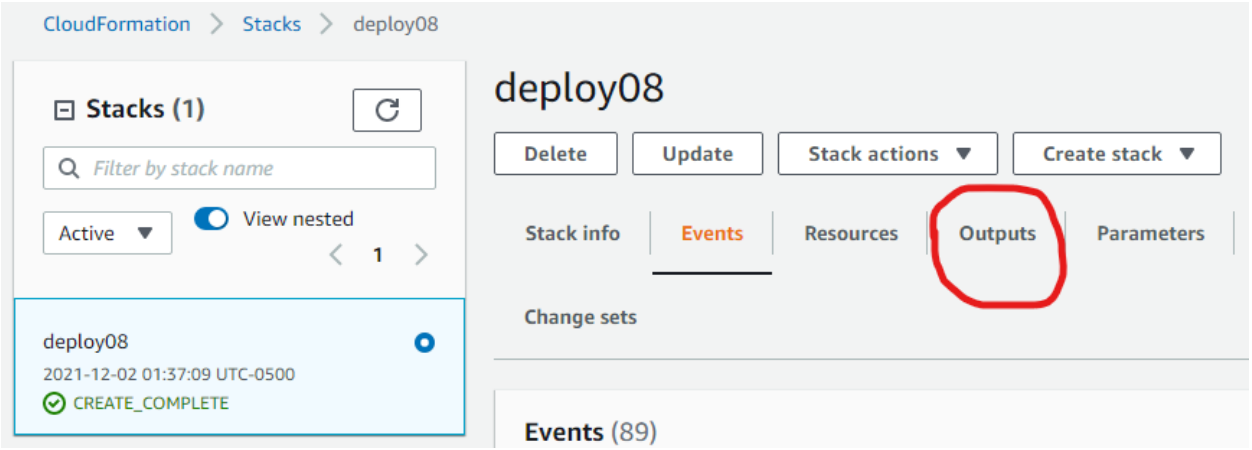
You can leave everything else default and go to the next page

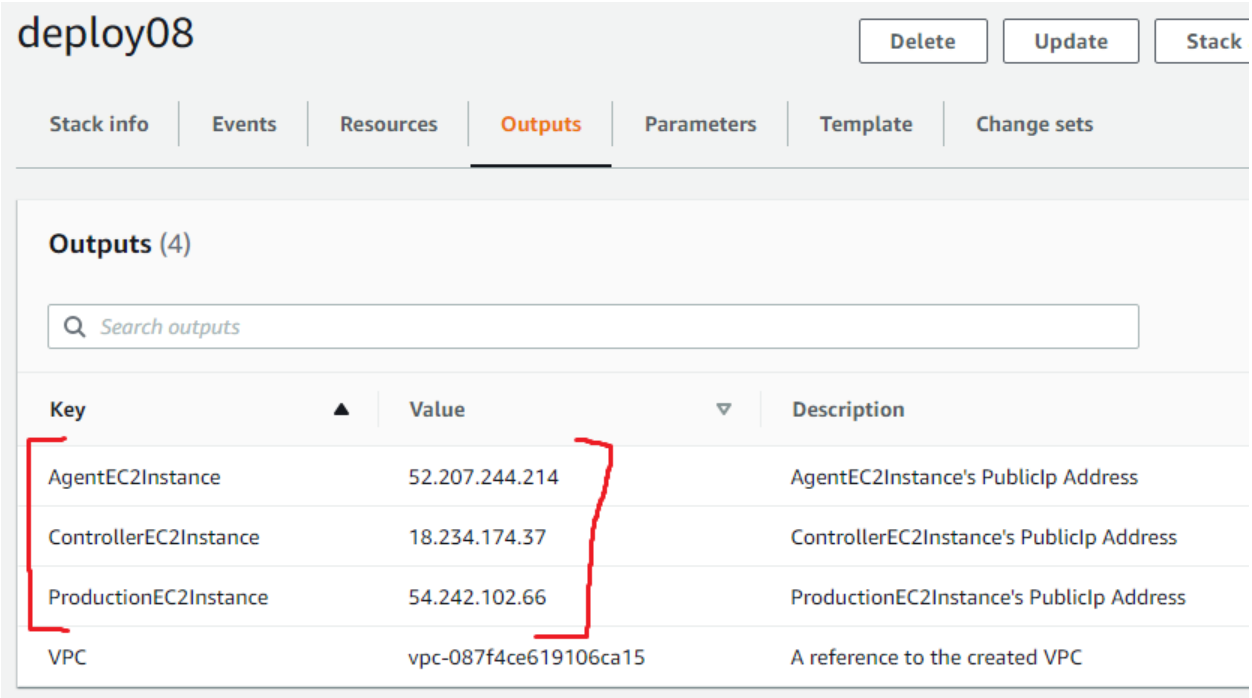


The CloudFormation will take some time to create. You can refresh every few minutes to check completion. Once it's created, it should look like this…



Before moving on to configuring each of the instances, we need to obtain data. Navigate to Outputs tab in the CloudFormation Stack.





Take a note of the Public IPv4 address of all the EC2 instances that were created in this format. We will need to edit our hosts file in the future with this format.

[Agent]
18.234.51.214 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/**rixardo.pem**

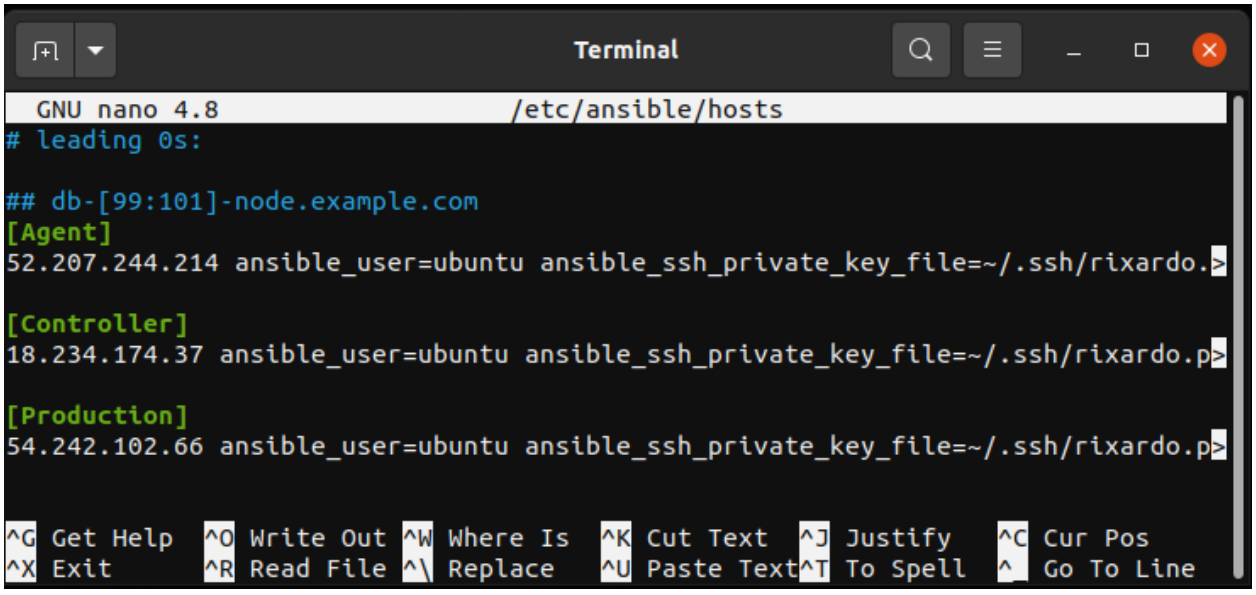
[Controller]
174.129.117.4 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/**rixardo.pem**

[Production]
52.55.217.196 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/**rixardo.pem**

Once we set up all the resources and obtain the necessary data, we can proceed to setting up Ansible so we can configure the EC2s. Change directory to your SSH folder and make sure your Key that you use to SSH into EC2 instances is there.
cd ~/.ssh

We will then need to change the host file for Ansible so that we can SSH into our EC2s with Ansible and run commands.
sudo nano /etc/ansible/hosts

Scroll all the way to the bottom and attach the formatted text above that we created with the Public IPv4 for each of the instances at the bottom.



Save and exit the text editor
CTRL + O
<ENTER>
CTRL + X

We can now use ansible to configure our EC2 instances. For the first EC2, we will need to install Java and Jenkins. Once we install Jenkins, we need to obtain the password to set up jenkins on our browser. We will be able to access our Jenkins application using the Public IPv4 of the Jenkins Controller EC2 followed by port 8080. The second EC2 instance needs Java, npm, and nodejs. The third EC2 needs openjdk and docker.

We will need to create a set of YAML files with specific commands. There will be 3 ansible playbooks created to install dependencies in each EC2 instance. Once all the separated ansible playbooks are created, there will be one main ansible playbook that calls upon the other 3 and run them.

The first Ansible Playbook should be called “configure_controller.yaml”. This playbook will install updates, java, and set up jenkins. A helpful addition that I added was to output if Jenkins is active and the password to log into the root account. Paste the following script inside…

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Controller EC2 instance"
  hosts: Controller
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    # https://www.jenkins.io/doc/book/installing/linux/
    - name: getting the long term support release of jenkins
      shell: curl -fsSL https://pkg.jenkins.io/debian-stable/jenkins.io.key | sudo tee \ /usr/share/keyrings/jenkins-keyring.asc > /dev/null

    - name: signing the downloaded jenkins application and adding it to the repository
      shell: echo deb [signed-by=/usr/share/keyrings/jenkins-keyring.asc] \ https://pkg.jenkins.io/debian-stable binary/ | sudo tee \ /etc/apt/sources.list.d/jenkins.list > /dev/null

    - name: upgrading the repository
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing the jenkins application.
      shell: sudo apt-get install jenkins -y

    - name: installing git tool
      shell: sudo apt install git -y

    - name: checking if jenkins is active
      shell: sudo systemctl status jenkins | head -n 3
      register: command_output
    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines

    - name: outputting jenkins password
      shell: echo "The Jenkins password is $(sudo cat /var/lib/jenkins/secrets/initialAdminPassword)"
      register: command_output
    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines
```

The second Ansible Playbook should be called “configure_agent.yaml”. This playbook simply installs updates, java, nodejs, and npm. Paste the following script inside…

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Agent EC2 instance"
  hosts: Agent
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    - name: installing nodejs
      shell: sudo apt install nodejs -y

    - name: installing npm
      shell: sudo apt install npm -y

    - name: using npm to install cypress
      shell: npm install cypress

    - name: using npm to install mocha
      shell: npm install mocha

    - name: installing dependencies for cypress testing
      shell: sudo apt install xvfb libatk1.0-0 libgtk-3-0 libgbm-dev libnotify-dev libgconf-2-4 libnss3 libxss1 libasound2 libxtst6 xauth -y

    - name: downloading dependencies for docker
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```
    shell: sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl software-properties-common -y

  - name: adding gpg keys
    shell: curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key add -

  - name: installing the docker repository
    shell: sudo add-apt-repository "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu  $(lsb_release -cs)  stable"

  - name: upgrading the repository
    shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

  - name: installing latest version of docker
    shell: sudo apt-get install docker-ce -y

  - name: changing permissions for the docker socket
    shell: sudo chmod 666 /var/run/docker.sock

  - name: starting docker
    shell: sudo systemctl start docker

  - name: configure docker to start on boot
    shell: sudo systemctl enable docker

  - name: checking if docker is active
    shell: sudo systemctl status docker | head -n 3
    register: command_output
  - debug:
      var: command_output.stdout_lines
```

The third Ansible Playbook should be called “configure_production.yaml”. This playbook simply installs updates, java, and updates. A helpful addition that I added was to output if Docker is active Paste the following script inside…

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Production EC2 instance"
  hosts: Production
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    - name: downloading dependencies for docker
      shell: sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl software-properties-common -y

    - name: adding gpg keys
      shell: curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key add -

    - name: installing the docker repository
      shell: sudo add-apt-repository "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu  $(lsb_release -cs)  stable"

    - name: upgrading the repository
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing latest version of docker
      shell: sudo apt-get install docker-ce -y

    - name: changing permissions for the docker socket
      shell: sudo chmod 666 /var/run/docker.sock

    - name: starting docker
      shell: sudo systemctl start docker

    - name: configure docker to start on boot
      shell: sudo systemctl enable docker

    - name: checking if docker is active
      shell: sudo systemctl status docker | head -n 3
      register: command_output
    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines
```

Finally, the final Ansible playbook should be called “configure.yaml”. Paste the following script inside…

```
---
- hosts: localhost
  tasks:
    - debug:
        msg: Configuring All 3 EC2 Instances.
```

```
- name: configuring the controller ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_controller.yaml

- name: configuring the agent ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_agent.yaml

- name: configuring the production ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_production.yaml
```

Once we have created the required configuration files, we can execute one main ansible playbook that will run the other playbooks ansible playbook using the following command

ansible-playbook configure.yaml

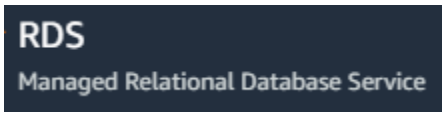
A successful outcome would look like this

```
PLAY RECAP *********************************************************************************
18.234.174.37              : ok=11   changed=9    unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
52.207.244.214             : ok=17   changed=16   unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
54.242.102.66              : ok=12   changed=11   unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
localhost                  : ok=2    changed=0    unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0

ricardo@ricardo-VirtualBox:~/Documents/deploy08$
```

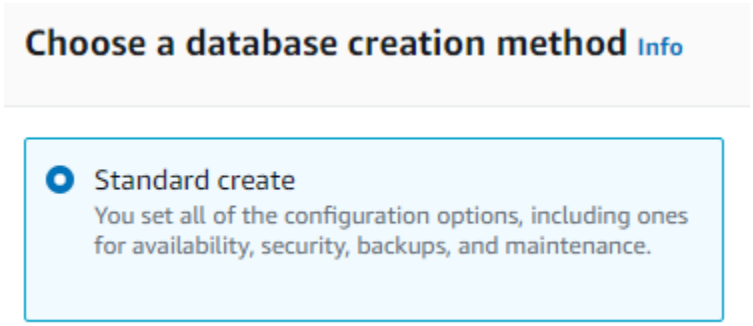
While testing the application locally, I decided use RDS

Go to AWS RDS service

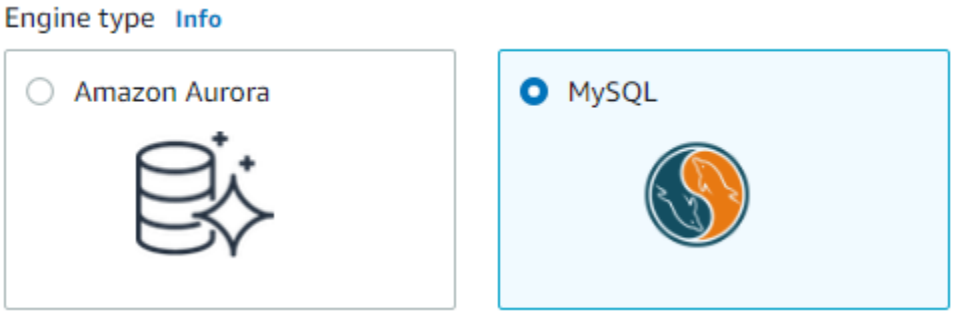


Create a database

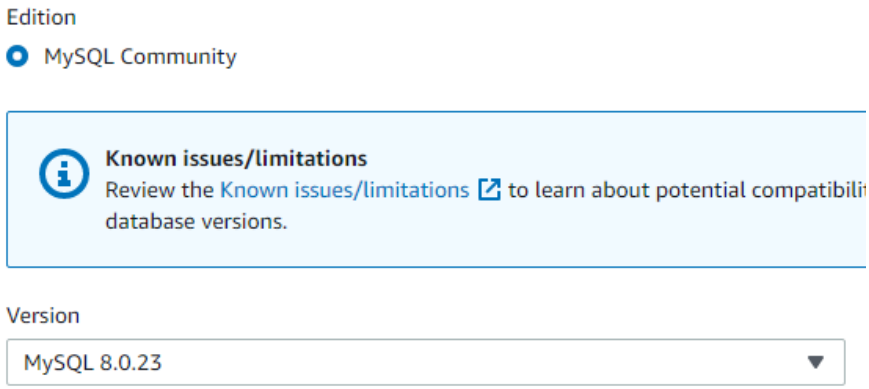
For database creation method, select easy create



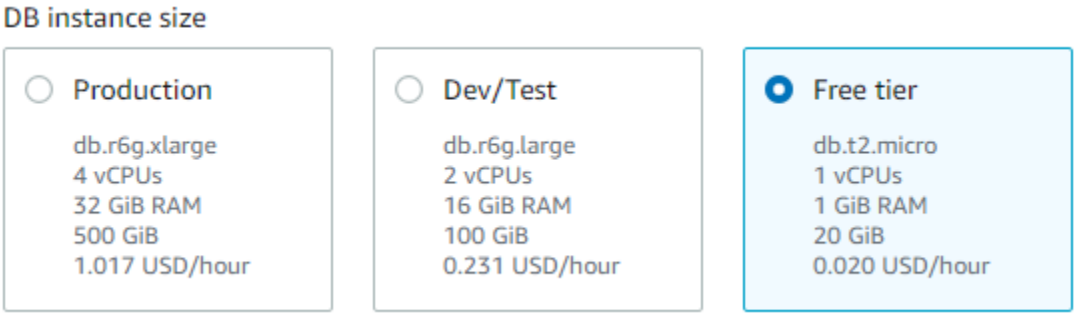
For the engine type, select MySQL



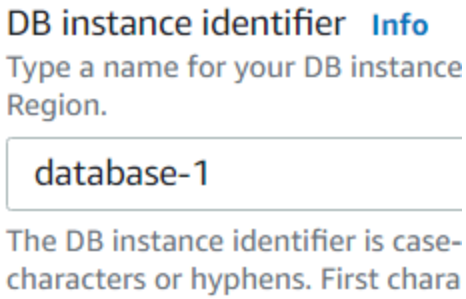
Keep the version and edition default



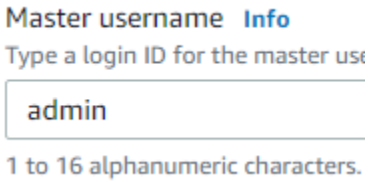
For the database instance size,



Under settings, for database name, a simply name such as “deploy08-db” will work

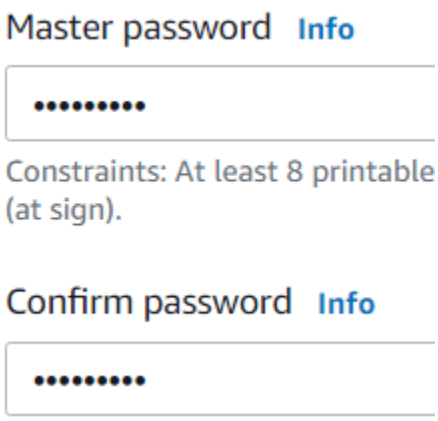


Take note of the username that you create

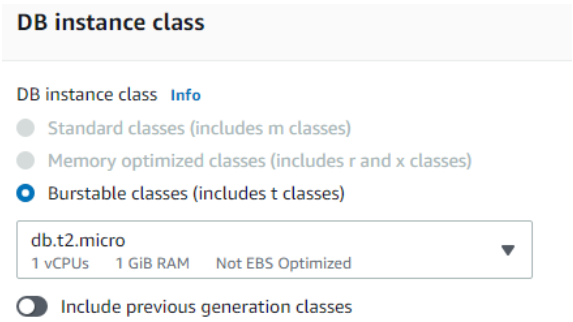


When creating a password, make sure to write it down

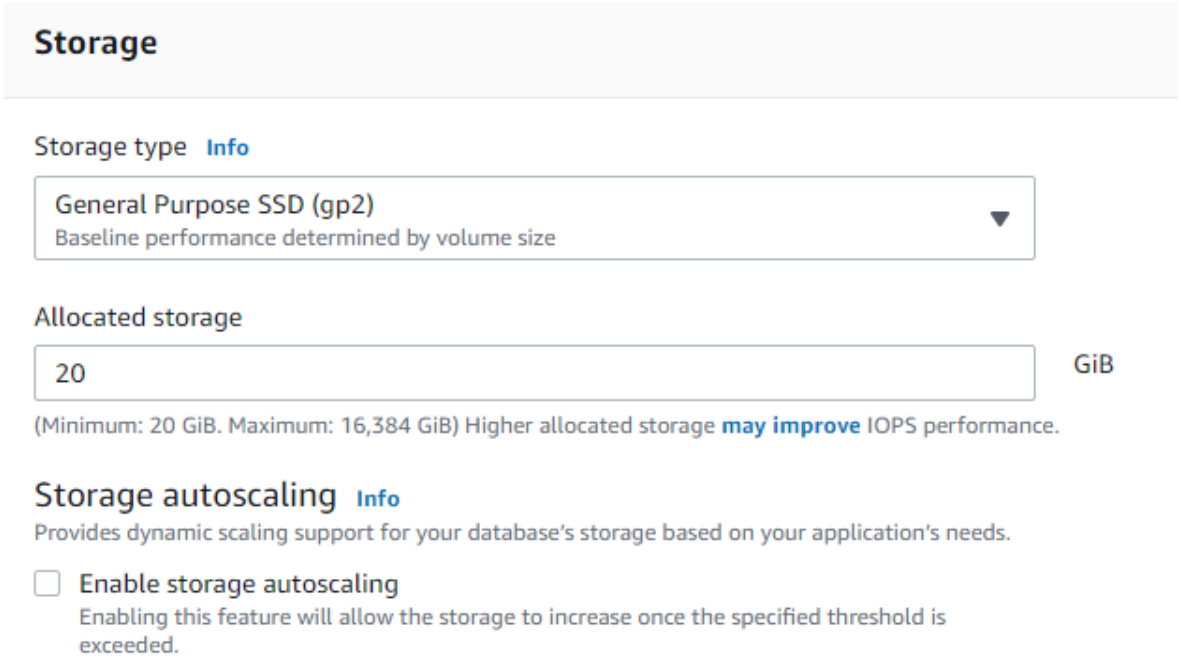
Password: abc123abc



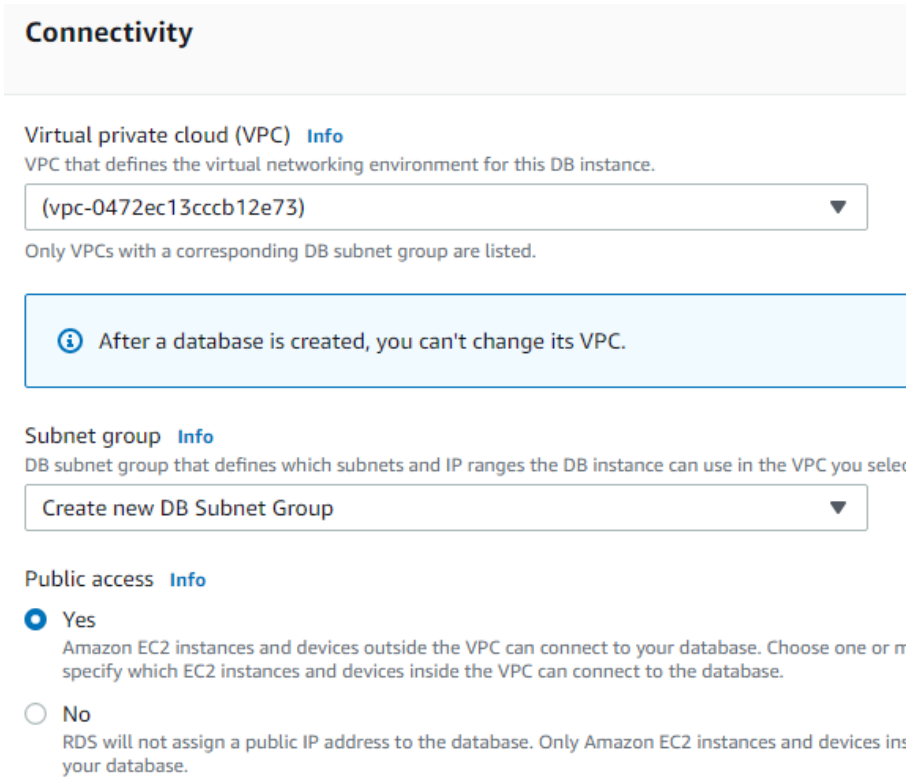
DB Instance class can be default



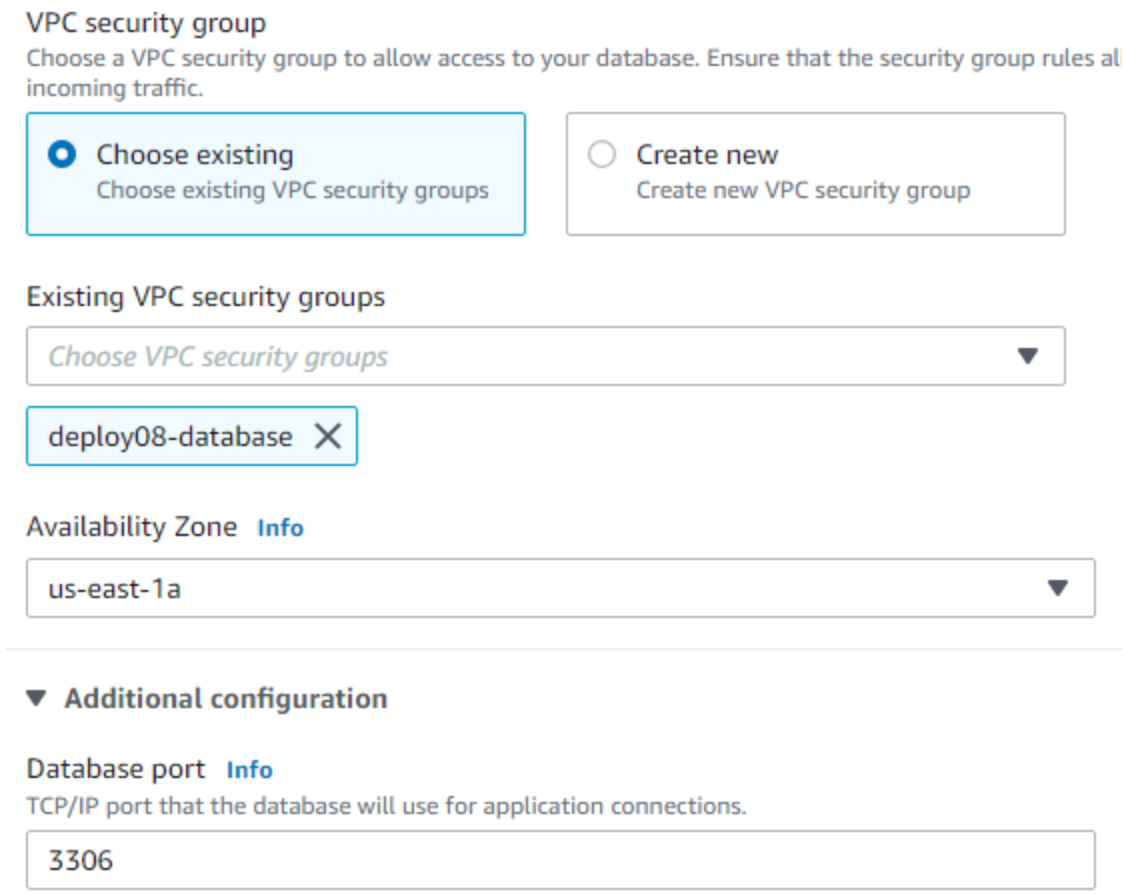
For storage, we can leave the default 20GiB General Purpose SSD and disable autoscaling



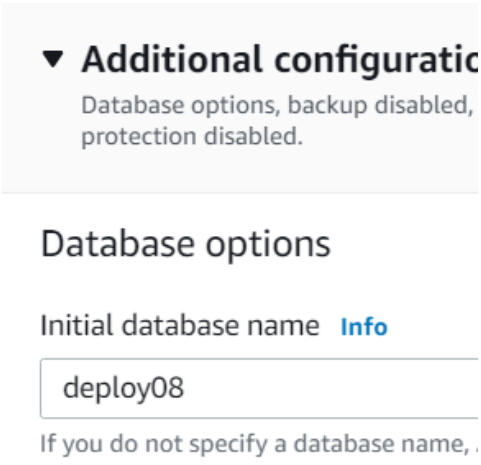
Under Connectivity, we will need to select the VPC that was created during CloudFormation. You can find out under the VPC service. The IPv4 CIDR for the CloudFormation VPC is 192.168.0.0/16. We also need to make sure the database is publicly accessed.



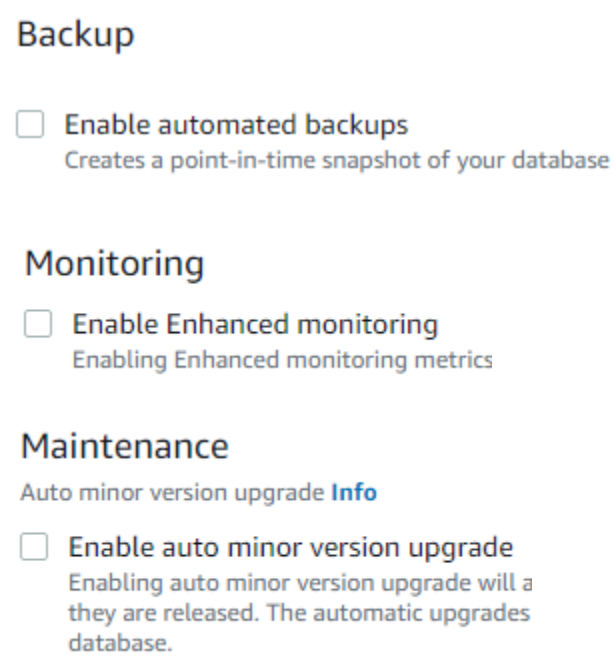
For VPC security groups, we can select the existing security group that was created during CloudFormation called “deploy08-database”



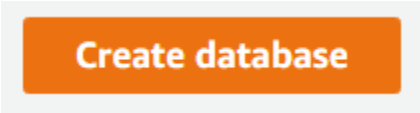
Under Additional Configuration, put an initial database name



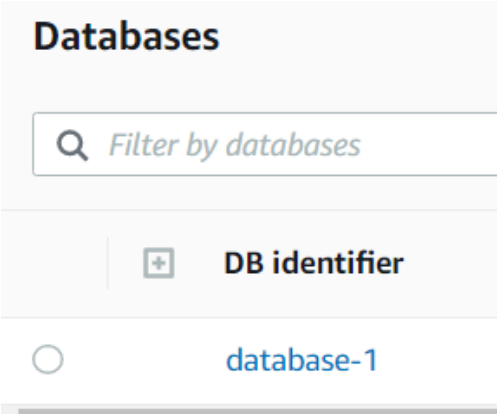
Disable Backup, Monitoring, and Maintenance



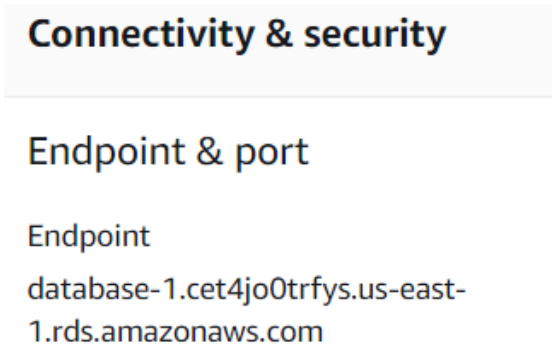
Once all that is configured, we can proceed and created the database



Once the database has been created, click on the database



Under connectivity & security, copy the Endpoint down



Once the database is running, we can go to the backend code and alter it. Inside the backend folder, open the app.py file. In line 10, we need to update our connection information following the provided schema

'mysql://**DBUsername**:**DBPassword@DBEndpoint**:3306/**DatabaseInitialName**'

```
app.config["SQLALCHEMY_DATABASE_URI"] = "mysql://admin:abc123abc@database-1.cet4jo0trfys.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:3306/deploy08"
```

In line 12, we will also need to change "app.config['SQLALCHEMY_DATABASE_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS'] = False" to "**app.config["SQLALCHEMY_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS"] = False**"

Change the following **"app.config["SQLALCHEMY_DATABASE_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS"] = False"** to **"app.config["SQLALCHEMY_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS"] = False"**

```
12   app.config["SQLALCHEMY_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS"] = False
```

This code will not create a table. We will need to alter the code so it will check if the table named "articles" is created. If it is created, the code will continue. If it is not created, the program will create the table for us. Navigate to line 32 in the code. After that line, we will add our code

```
# This will check if the table "articles" is created. If it is not created, it will create it. If it is created, it will continue
list_of_tables = db.engine.table_names()
if "articles" in list_of_tables:
    print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are active")
else:
    print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are inactive")
    db.create_all()
```

```
list_of_tables = db.engine.table_names()
print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are now active")
```

```
article_schema = ArticleSchema()
articles_schema = ArticleSchema(many=True)


# This will check if the table "articles" is created. If it is r
list_of_tables = db.engine.table_names()
if "articles" in list_of_tables:
    print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are active")
else:
    print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are inactive")
    db.create_all()
    list_of_tables = db.engine.table_names()
    print(f"The table(s) {list_of_tables} are now active")


@app.route("/get", methods=["GET"])
```

At the bottom of the backend application code, we have to alter the app.run() command. This will allow our flask application to run

```
    return article_schema.jsonify(article)


if __name__ == "__main__":
    app.run(host="0.0.0.0")
```

Once the code is updated, we can then test the application locally. For the front end application, change directory into the frontend folder and run the following command

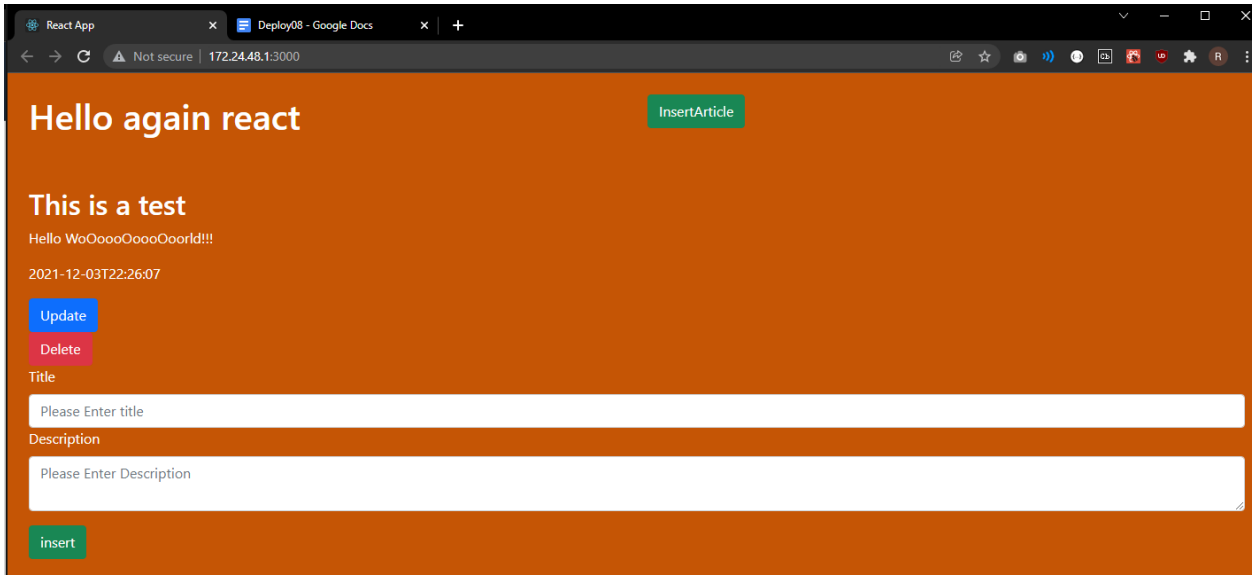
cd application/frontend
npm install
npm run start

```
You can now view frontend in the browser.

  Local:            http://localhost:3000
  On Your Network:  http://172.24.48.1:3000
```

Change directory into the backend application and open another terminal. We can run the following commands to start the backend application.
cd application/backend
pip3 install -r .\requirements.txt
$env:FLASK_APP = ".\application.py"
flask run

On the frontend, you should be able to add a new query to the table.



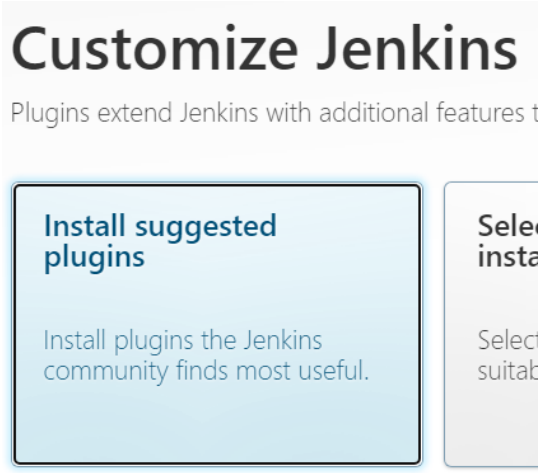
We can move on once we have created all the cloud resources, configured each EC2s, created the RDS database, and tested it locally. Access our Jenkins application using the Public IPv4 of the Controller EC2 Agent followed by port 8080.
http://54.173.152.217:8080/

Enter the password that was outputted in the ansible-playbook script earlier.

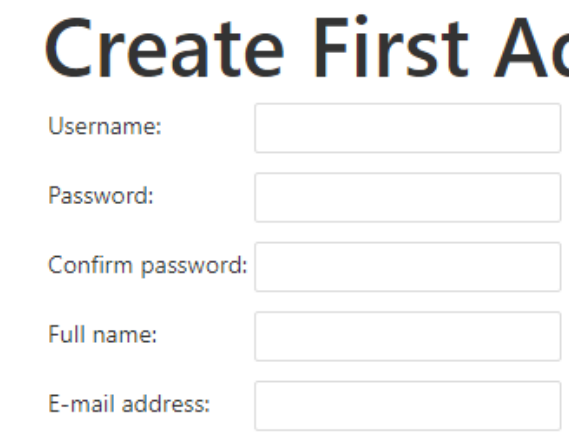
```
TASK [outputting jenkins password] ***********************************
changed: [54.173.152.217]

TASK [debug] *********************************************************
ok: [54.173.152.217] => {
    "command_output.stdout_lines": [
        "The Jenkins password is 5b38c05b45a54d9395ce954d282b2889"
    ]
}
```

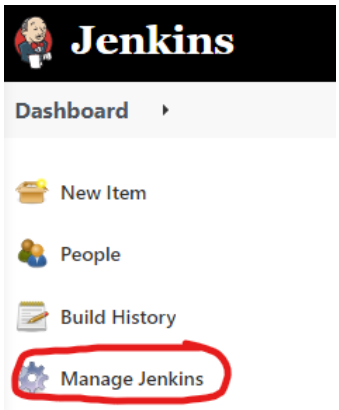
Install the suggest plugins



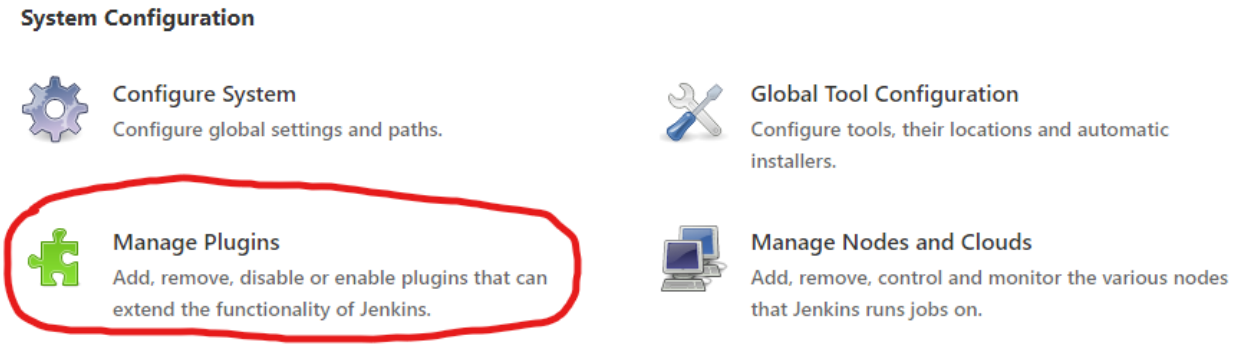
Create a basic Jenkins user.



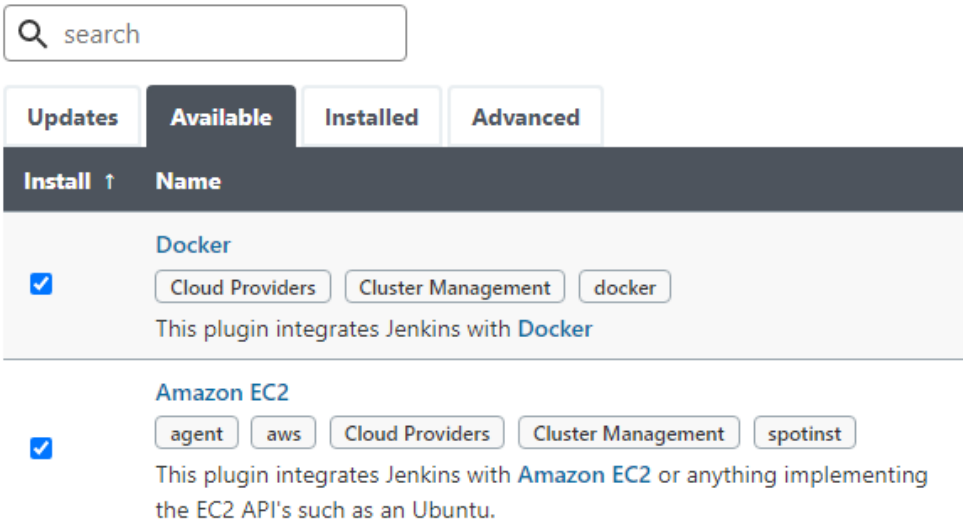
Inside of Jenkins, we will need to install a couple of plugins. Navigate to Manage Jenkins



Select Manage Plugins. This is where we will install and uninstall plugins



We will be installing Amazon EC2, and Docker

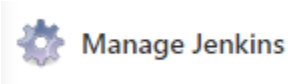


At the bottom of the screen, download the following plugins

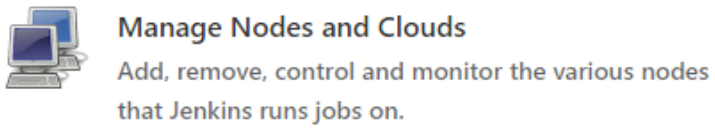
Select Restart when installation is complete

(This may take a couple of minutes. Keep refreshing the page occasionally)

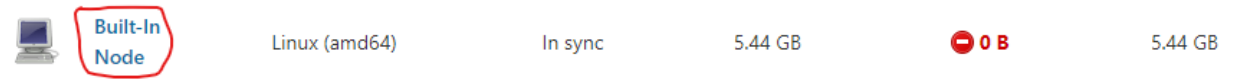
Once Jenkins has restarted, sign back in. First we will remove all building powers on the controller agentWe can now configure Nodes inside of Jenkins. This will allow us to attach our agent and production EC2 to the controller EC2. Inside the Dashboard, select Manage Jenkins



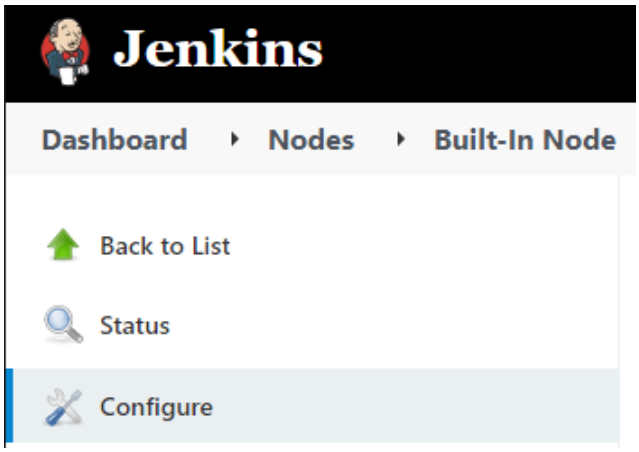
Under System Configurations, we need to add a node so select “Manage Nodes and Clouds”



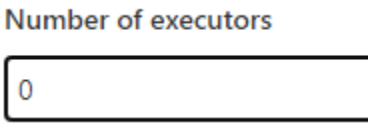
First, select the controller node called (Built-In Node)



Select configure in the left side



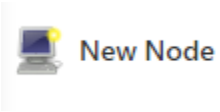
Change number of executors to 0. This will allow us to not build on the controller agent.



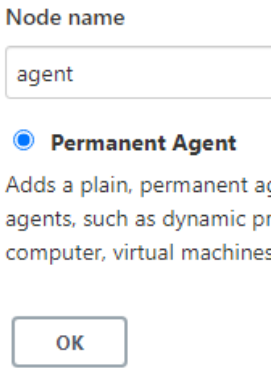
Save the changes

Now select go back to list

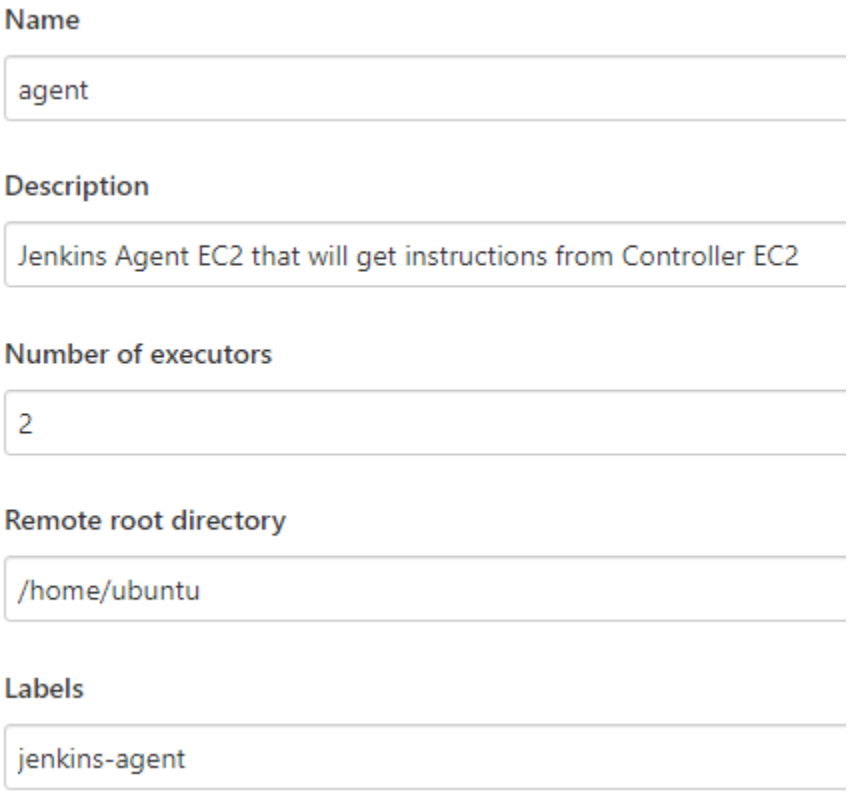
Select New Node in the left side



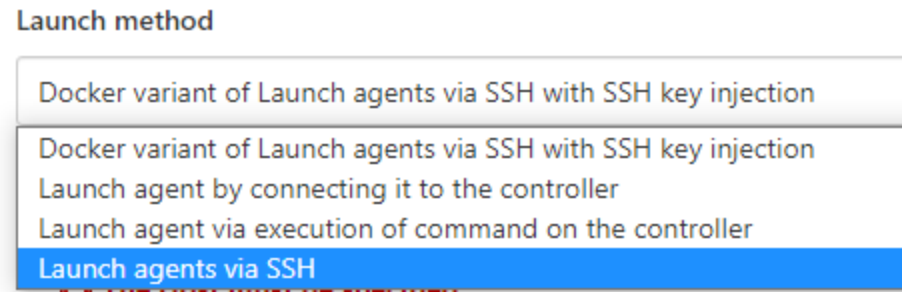
Name the agent, “Node”



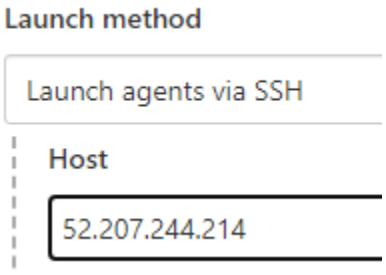
In the next steps we will need to fill out some configurations. Use the following…



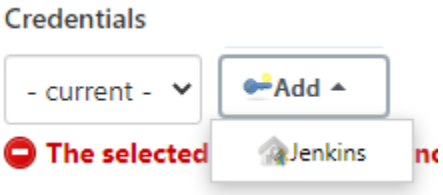
We will then need to set up how we will access our agent which is hosted on an EC2. The CloudFormation template sets up SSH access from anywhere. For the Launch method, select via SSH.



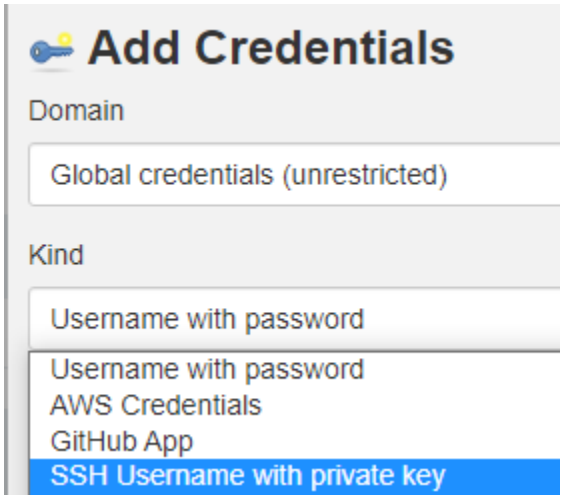
The Host IP is the public IPv4 of the Agent EC2 we created.



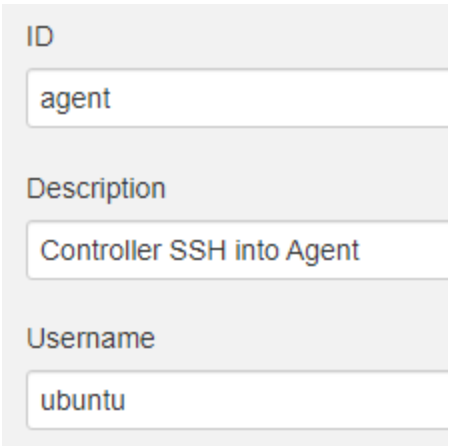
We need to add credentials to access the EC2 instance.



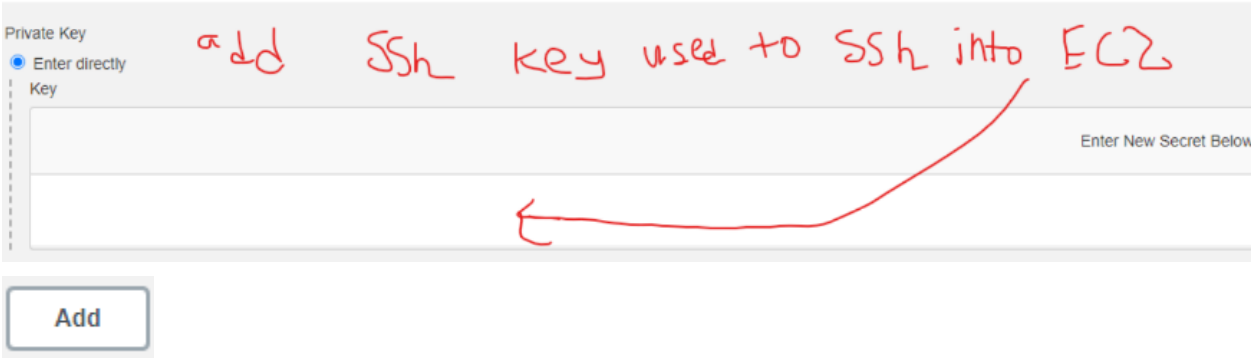
For the settings, change the Kind to SSH username with a private key.



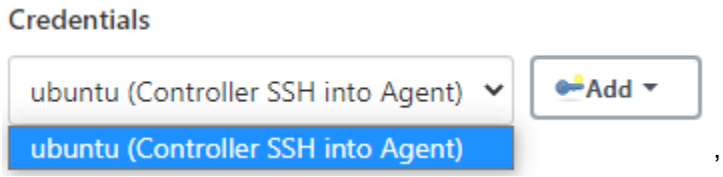
The username is important, It will be the same as our AMI.



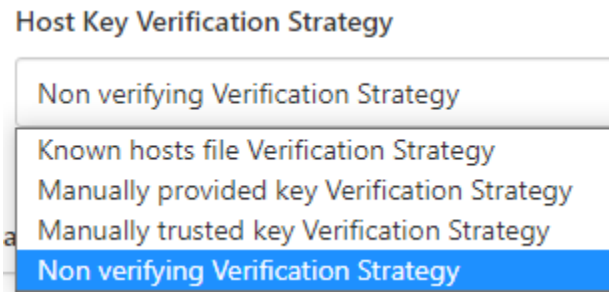
We then need to add our private key directly so we can SSH into the EC2. Find your PEM key that you use to SSH into EC2 instances and paste the contents into the field



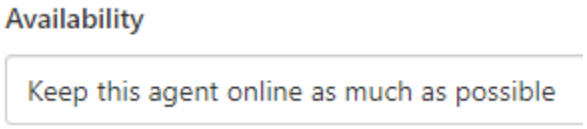
Once the credentials are set, we need to select it.



We also need to change the host key verification strategy to “Non key verification strategy”.



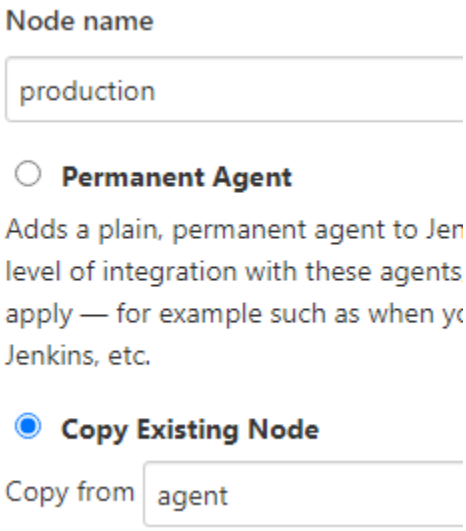
We must keep this agent online as much as possible to avoid errors.



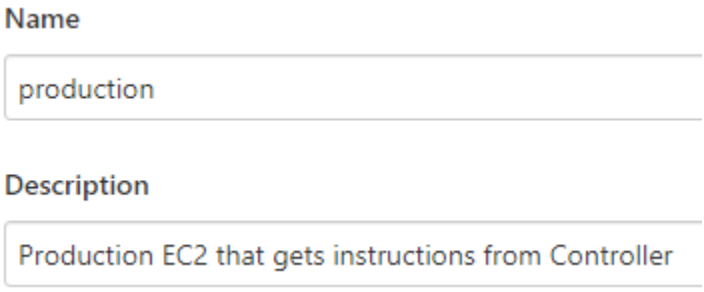
Once everything is set up, save it.

Another node is needed for the production EC2. This will be used to deploy our application.

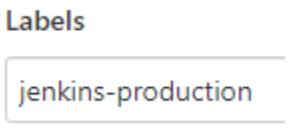
Name the agent and copy from the existing Node



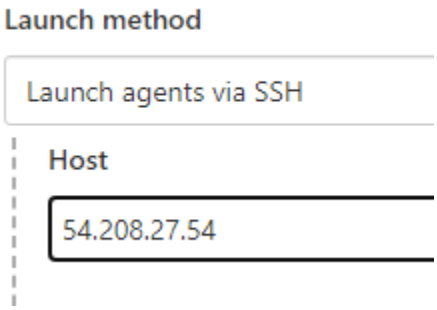
There are a couple of details that we need to configure



We will need to change the label so we can call different agents

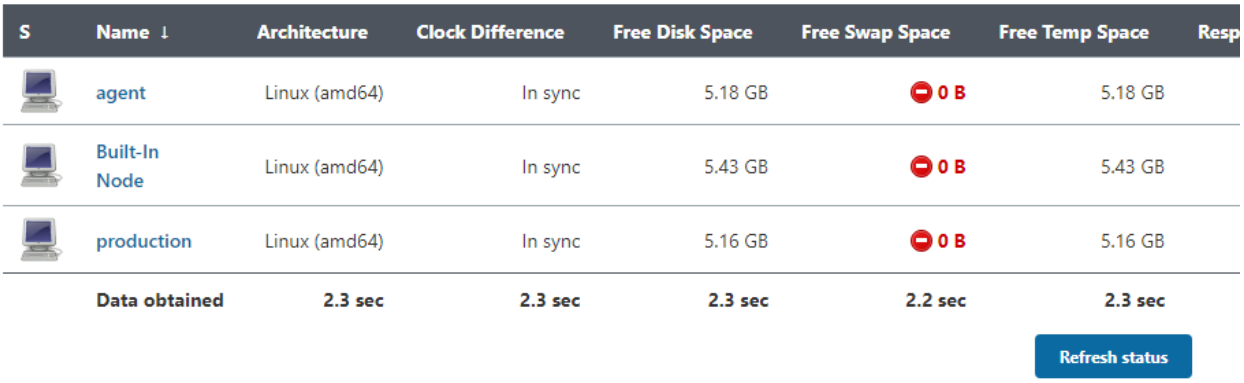


Under launch methods, we need to change the Public IPv4 to the Production EC2's IPv4



Those are all the settings we need to alter. Save the agent

You should see all your agents online

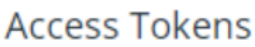


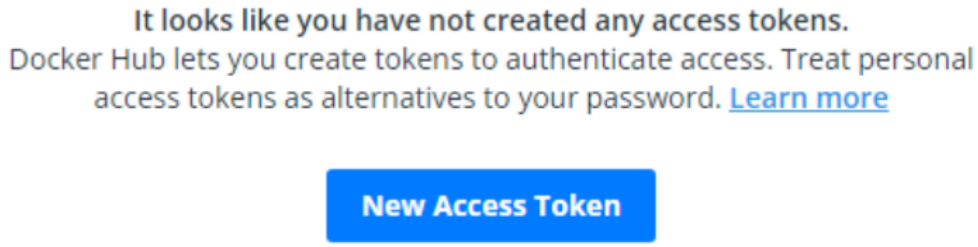
S	Name ↓	Architecture	Clock Difference	Free Disk Space	Free Swap Space	Free Temp Space	Resp
	agent	Linux (amd64)	In sync	5.18 GB	0 B	5.18 GB	
	Built-In Node	Linux (amd64)	In sync	5.43 GB	0 B	5.43 GB	
	production	Linux (amd64)	In sync	5.16 GB	0 B	5.16 GB	
	Data obtained	2.3 sec	2.3 sec	2.3 sec	2.2 sec	2.3 sec	

Refresh status

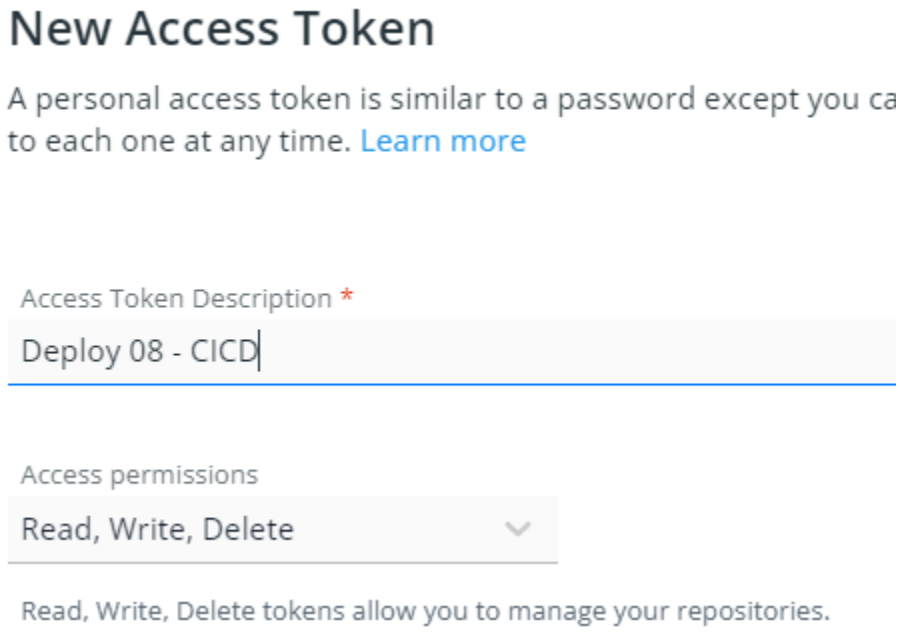
We will now need to set up Docker Credentials in Jenkins. This will allow our agent to push our docker images to DockerHub. First, we will need to create a Docker Access Token. Go to -> https://hub.docker.com/settings/security and signup/signin. Once you are logged in to DockerHub, select the security tab in Account Settings

We need to create an access token which will be used to gain access to DockerHub without a password. Create a new access token

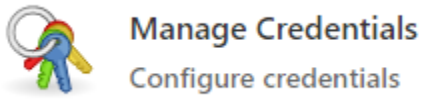




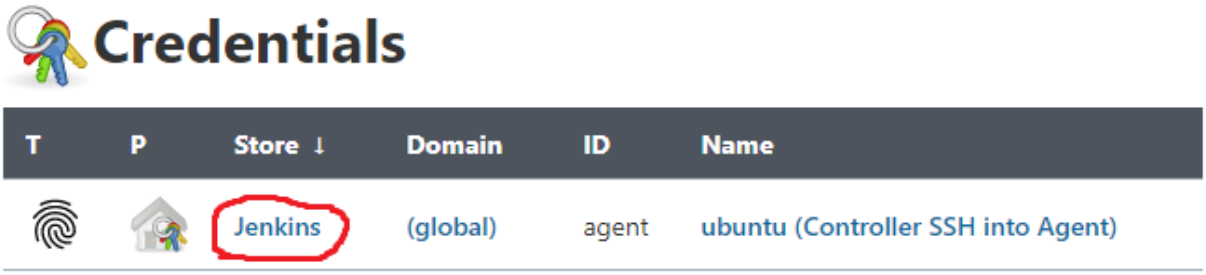
When creating a new access token, you can put anything inside the description



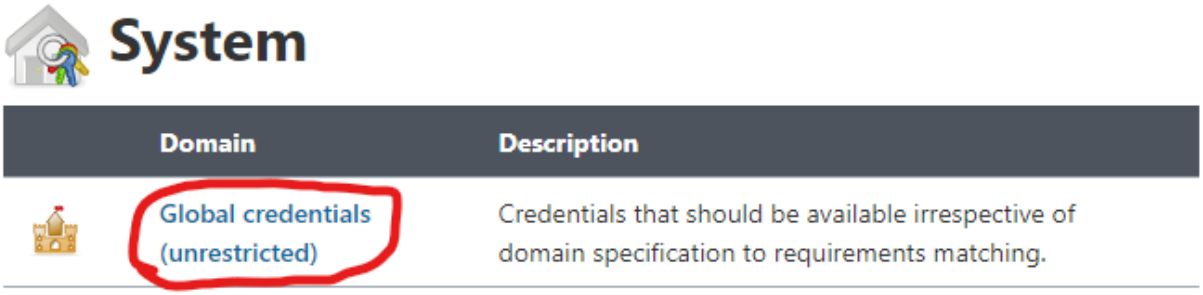
Generate your token and make SURE to copy the personal access token. Navigate back to the Jenkins Controller and go to the dashboard. Select Manage Jenkins. We then need to select Manage Credentials under security.



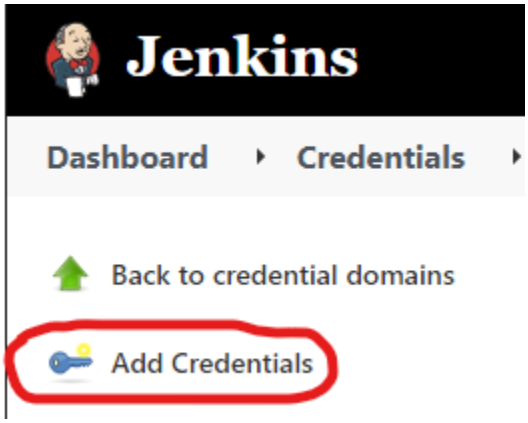
Select the following credentials



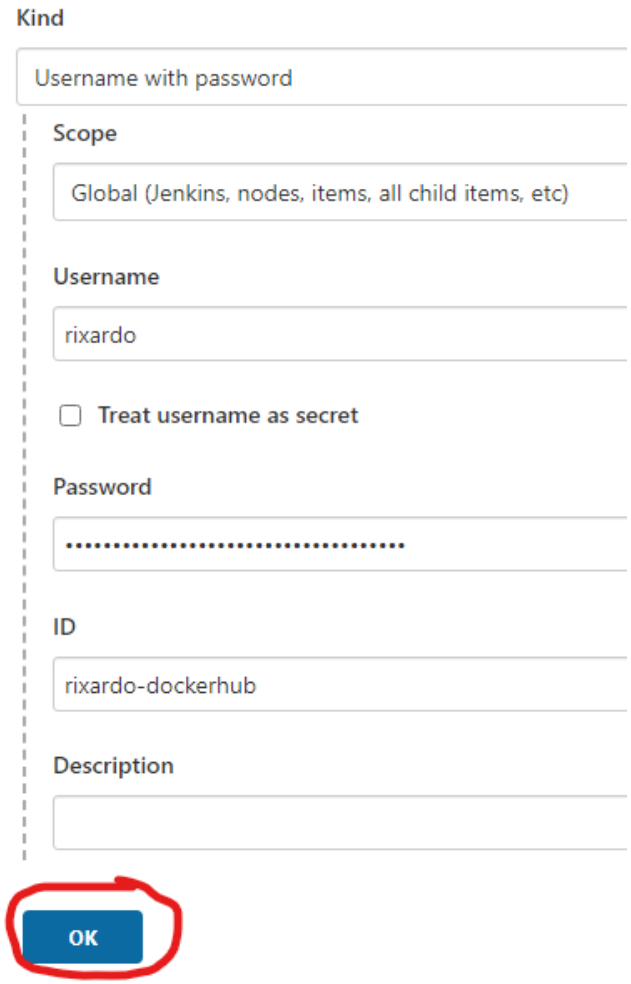
Once inside that credentials, we need to select Global Credentials



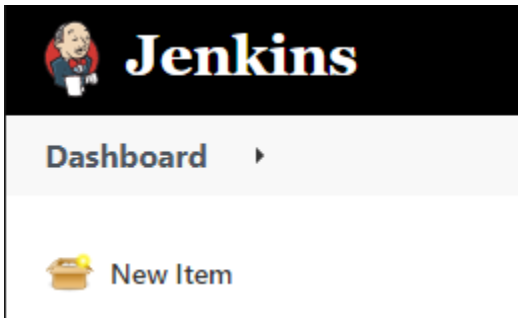
This page is where we will configure our credentials to DockerHub. Choose Add Credentials



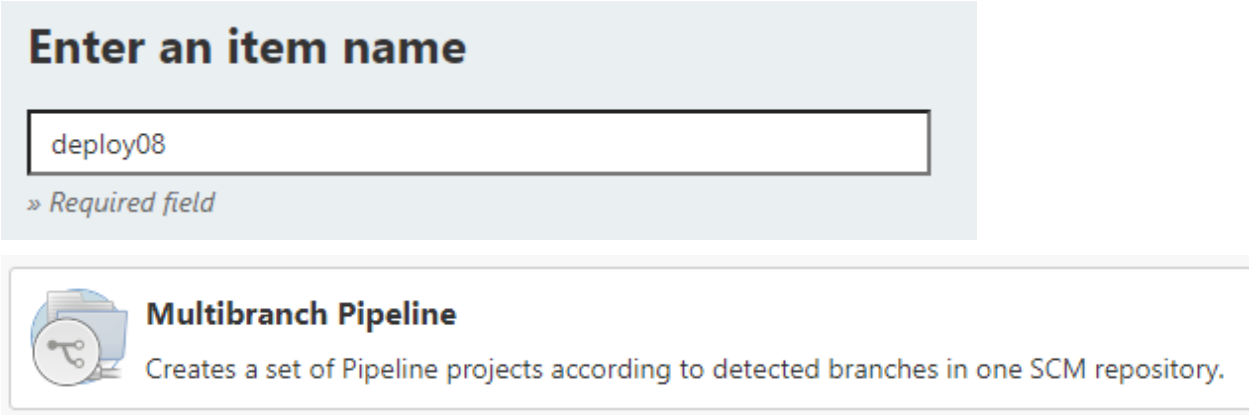
For the following settings, the Username should be your DockerHub username. The password is the personal access token that you created on DockerHub. The ID will simply have your DockerHub username followed by -dockerhub. (ex. rixardo-dockerhub)



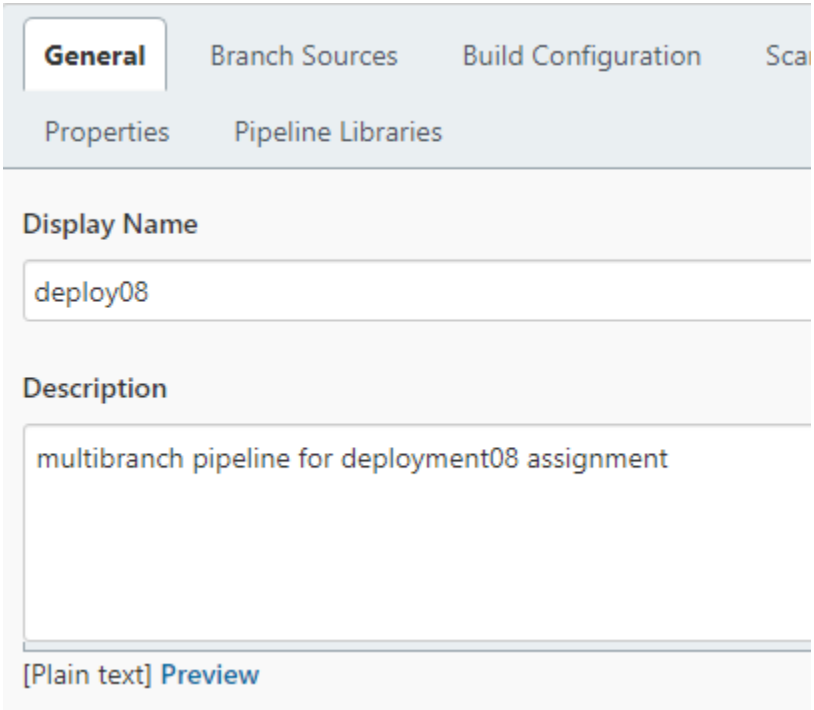
We can now move onto creating the actual Multibranch pipeline that will do all our stages. Navigate to the Jenkins Dashboard and select New Items



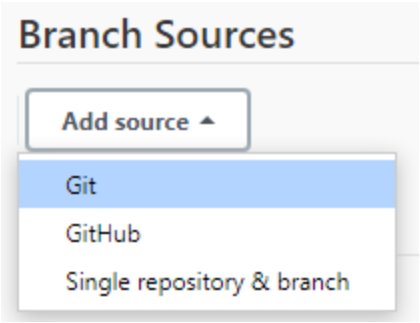
When creating an item, we will be making a multibranch pipeline. Any name for this item will be acceptable.



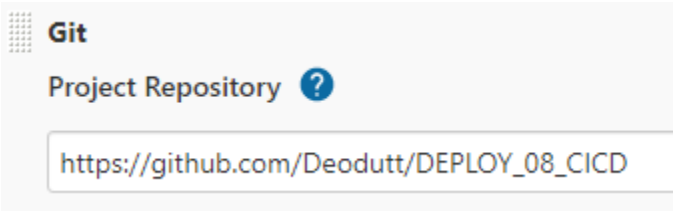
Inside the pipeline, we will need to configure multiple sections. For display name and description select a simple response…



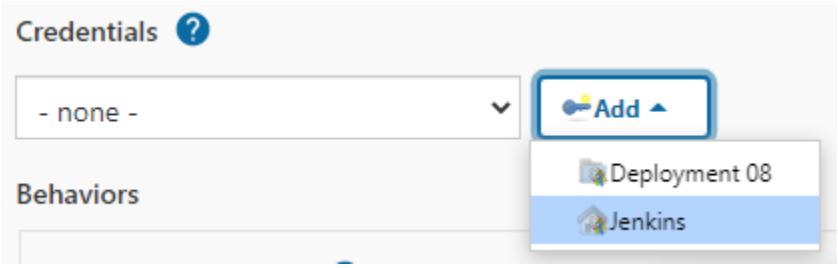
For Branch sources we will use GitHub. We are pulling our application from GitHub



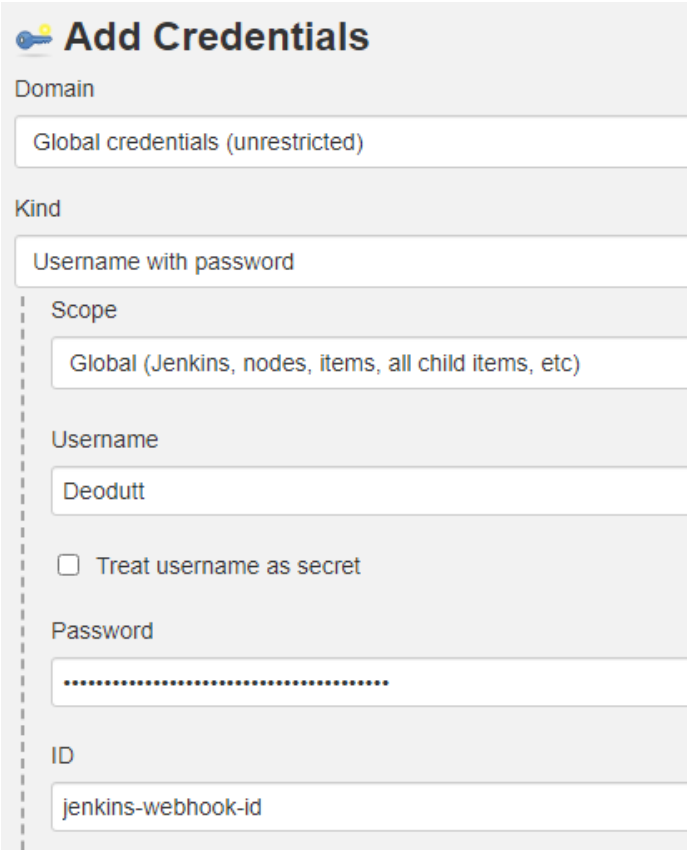
Under Project Repository, link the forked repository of the assignment



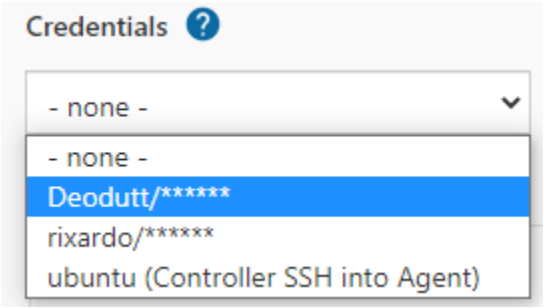
We will need to add credentials that will allow Jenkins to interact with GitHub. Select Jenkins in the dropdown



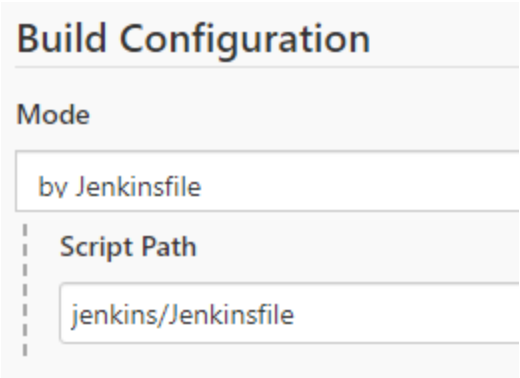
When adding the credentials, the username will be our GitHub Username. The password will be your GitHub personal access token that you can create using -> here. The ID can be a simple jenkins-webhook-id



After the credentials are credited, select the credentials.

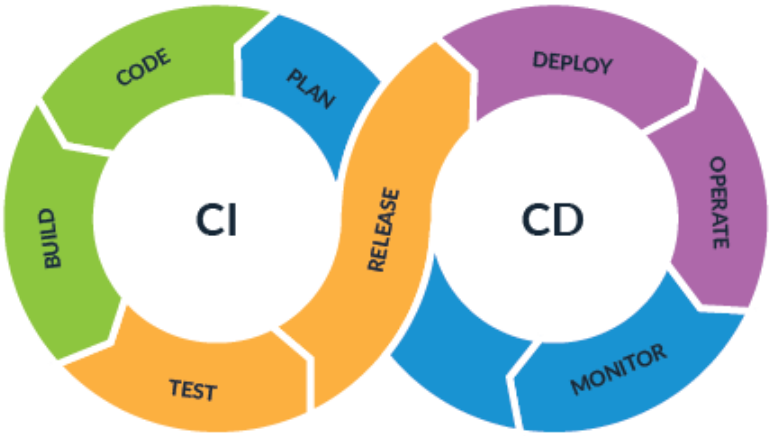


When configuring Build Configuration, it is important to have the Jenkinsfile in your GitHub in the correct path. In my case, I have my jenkins script inside a folder called jenkins in my repository.



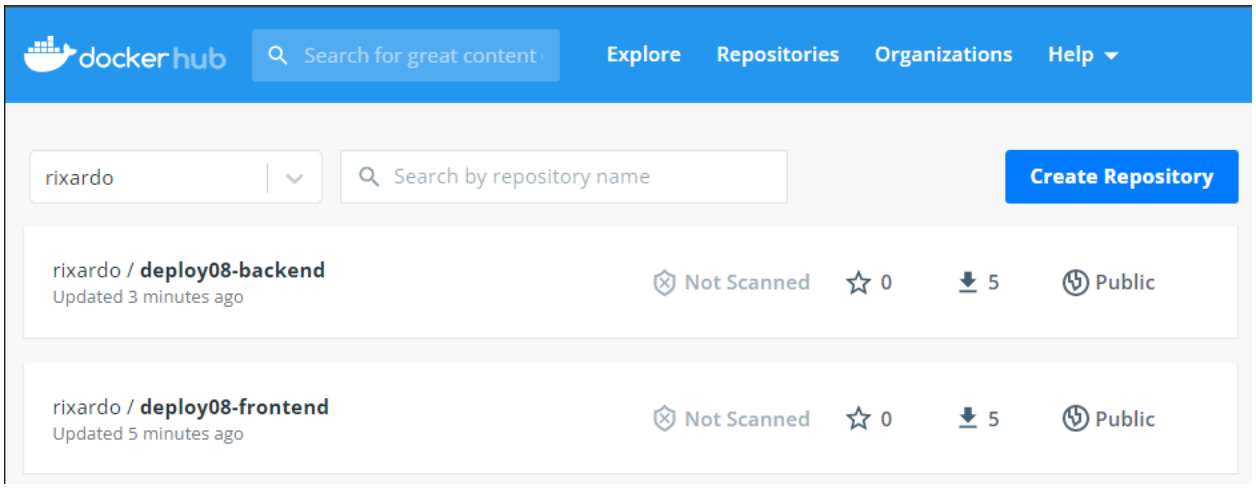
Once that is configured we can save

Inside the Jenkinsfile (in GitHub) we can edit the file and attach our pipeline script.



Inside the Jenkinsfile, we will have multiple stages. The planning stage starts fromAll code will be hosted on GitHub.

Successful screenshots



So I have completed…

creating resources using CloudFormation
Configuring each EC2 using ansbil;e
Setting up RDS database

Editing the application locally and testing if connection to database works

Setting up Jenkins
Downloading Docker and Amazon EC2 Plugin
Adding the two nodes Agent and Production
Set up Docker Credentials

What I need to do…
Set up Multibranch Pipeline
Create Groovy Script

1st Stage is Building
npm install
npm run build
sudo npm install -g serve
serve -s build &

2nd Stage is testing
npm install cypress
npm install mocha
sudo apt-get install xvfb -y
npx cypress run --spec ./cypress/integration/test.spec.js

Then after these two stages will get the results using Junit
(Figure out how to implement ansible to encrypt it)

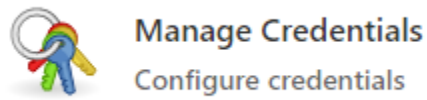
```
post {
        always {
        junit 'results/cypress-report.xml'
  }
```

Then build the application using docker and push it to dockerhub

cloudwatch?
Stress test
Security step

Finally, we can create a pipeline that will do all our steps such as building, testing, pushing, etc.

We can now move onto creating our Docker Credentials which will allow our agent to push to DockerHub. In the dashboard, select Manage Jenkins. We can then select Manage Credentials.



Aws ecr
Put command to docker jenkins file
Top 2 commands use aws cli to grab standard

Create the entire application in container
Have ansible pull the container
Create it on an ec2

Ansible to configure all the packages needed to create the container on the ec2.
Download docker on the testing ec2. Download docker on the production ec2.
Have ansible deploy to the ec2 on the docker

Have ansible install docker. After it installs, create the container

Use ansible for configuration management.
Node docker and get ansible to make the container. react downloaded

A yaml file for testing environment

Testing environment worked with react and javascript application
When I want to run a test, know what to do

Containerize the application to move it around
Do jenkins do each step.
Test
Deployment

Ansible for one or two things

Cloudformation create environment
Ansible configure

Can use cloudformation to create the vpcs

Ansible to install docker

Ansible to configure a server

Install all the programs you need

Ansible for the secrets
Encrypt it

Security group

Split database

Can use rds and connect to application
ok
Just install ec2 on docker

Has application on container
Its portable
Can pass it over to testing environment.

Made it before, pull it down from dockerhub and put it into production environment

Created application on actual server then decided to create the image.

Create the image first,

Dockerfile to create application, take it, test it and then need to update it, update it

Log into ec2 and application and configure it

Create two application
Application connecting to test database
Application connect to rds database

Not testing the database

Create container

Use ansible to download node
Use anbile to configure docker and run the images

Use docker scp

Copy file
Ansible.builtin.copy

To another server

Can push over dockerfile and have ansible run that dockerfile
Have ansible make the dockerfile
Dont have to log inot the system and run dockerbuild
Jenkins build command

Jenkins use ansible
Can do it on multiple systems

Jenkins can do it on system at time.
Ansible to run it on multiple ec2s

Use ansible to push out insutrctuoin of whatever you want to build out in multiple systems

Configure ssh for

Top 10 modules for ansible

Package manager command
Service that can change service of system. Restart nginx/apache
copy
Debug

Ansible installed on production and test environment

Task 2

In this task, we have to figure out how to build the application and then create a build step in Jenkins pipeline. For this case, I will be splitting up my application. There will be a frontend application and a backend application

Task 3

For this task, we will need to create a test step that will test our front end application. I will be using cypress to test my front end application. Since ansible installed all the required cypress tools we will just have to run a simple command.

First, we will need to edit/create our test.spec.js file that is located in the cypress/integration folder in our root work directory. This file will explain the test that cypress will complete. The file will simply visit our front end application and check an HTML element header tag if it is equals to a certain text.

Inside your cypress/integration/test.spec.js file, paste the following test code

```
describe('Title', () => {
    it('has the right title', () => {
        // The application is hosted on port 3000
        cy.visit('http://localhost:3000')

        cy.get('h1')
            .invoke('text')
            .should("equal", "Hello again react")
        Cypress.Screenshot.defaults({
        capture: 'runner',
        })
        cy.screenshot();
```

```
    });
});
```

Inside the jenkins script, we will add a new stage called “Test”. This stage will run a cypress test at a specific path and then say it's completed. After the test has completed, the script will use junit to export a test report file

```
stages {
    // Testing the front end application
    stage('Test') {
        steps {
            sh '''
            npx cypress run --spec ./cypress/integration/test.spec.js
            '''
            sh 'echo "completed build"'
        }
        post {
            always {
            junit 'results/cypress-report.xml'
            }
        }
    }
}
```

Task 4

In this task, we will have to create an image of both our applications and push that image to Dockerhub. To do this task, we have set up DockerHub credentials earlier. This will aid us in the process of logging into DockerHub, building our image using Dockerfiles and pushing to DockerHub. Since we split up the frontend and backend there will also be two Dockerfiles located in each application directory

Inside the application/frontend/ directory, we will need to create a Dockerfile and paste the following contents. This will use an ubuntu image for the docker container. We will then update our OS and copy all the frontend application files from our agent to a new directory in the container. We will then change our working directory to the directory with our application and install a couple of vital applications. We will then use npm to install more dependencies, run our application, and run it in the background.

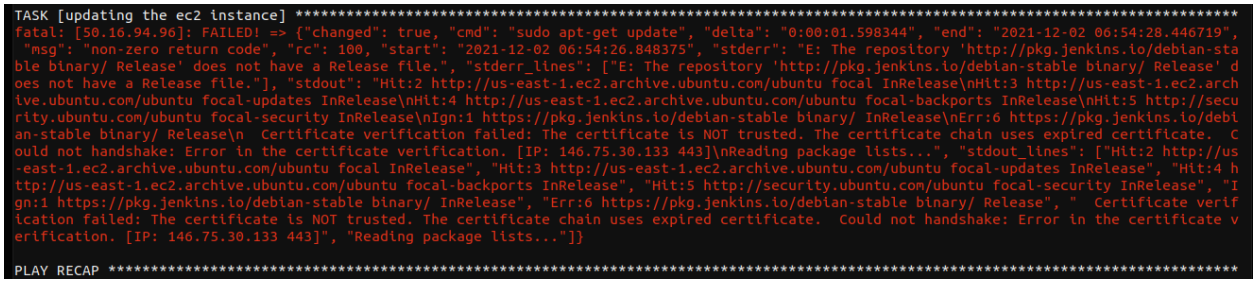
```
FROM ubuntu:latest
RUN apt-get update && apt-get upgrade -y
COPY ./application/frontend/ /home/ubuntu/app/
WORKDIR /home/ubuntu/app/
RUN DEBIAN_FRONTEND="noninteractive" apt-get -y install tzdata
RUN apt-get install nodejs -y
```

RUN apt-get install npm -y
RUN npm install
RUN npm run build
RUN npm install -g serve
EXPOSE 3000
CMD ["serve", "-s", "build"]

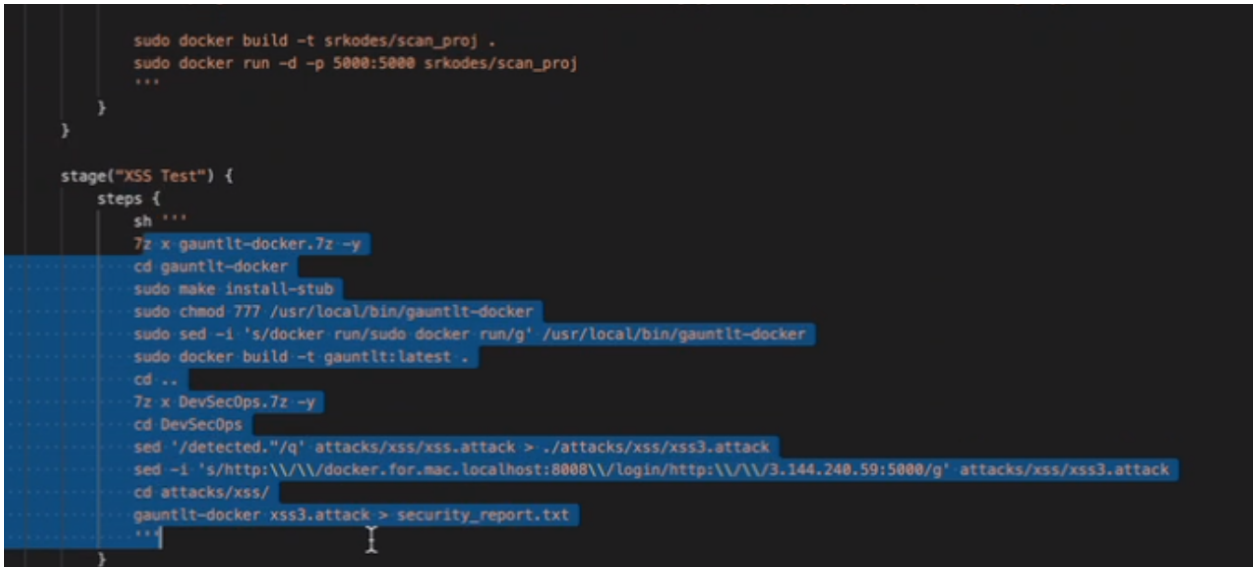
Task 5

Errors

Was getting this error involving certificate not trusted



Ansible-vault encrypt cloudlogs.csv



Run the container
docker run

After you start the container, you have to bride it so it can talk together.

docker network create linkage
docker run -d -p 3000:3000 --name frontend --rm --net linkage rixardo/deploy08-frontend
docker run -d -p 5000:5000 --name backend --rm --net linkage rixardo/deploy08-backend

docker network connect linkage frontend
docker network connect linkage backend

docker stop frontend
docker stop backend

docker start frontend
docker start backend

docker rm $(docker ps -a -f status=exited -f status=created -q)

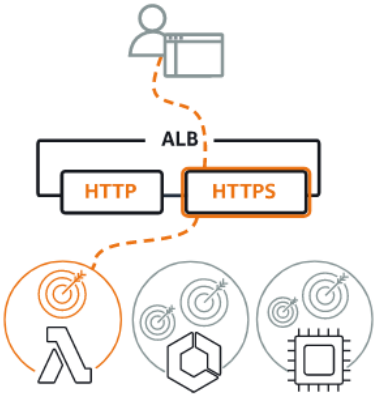
To deploy our application we will need to create an Application Load Balancer. Navigate to EC2 and select Load balancers

Create a load balancer

We will be creating an application load balancer

Load balancer types

Application Load Balancer Info



For the basic configuration

Basic configuration

Load balancer name

Name must be unique within your AWS account and cannot be ch

production

A maximum of 32 alphanumeric characters including hyphens are

Scheme Info

Scheme cannot be changed after the load balancer is created.

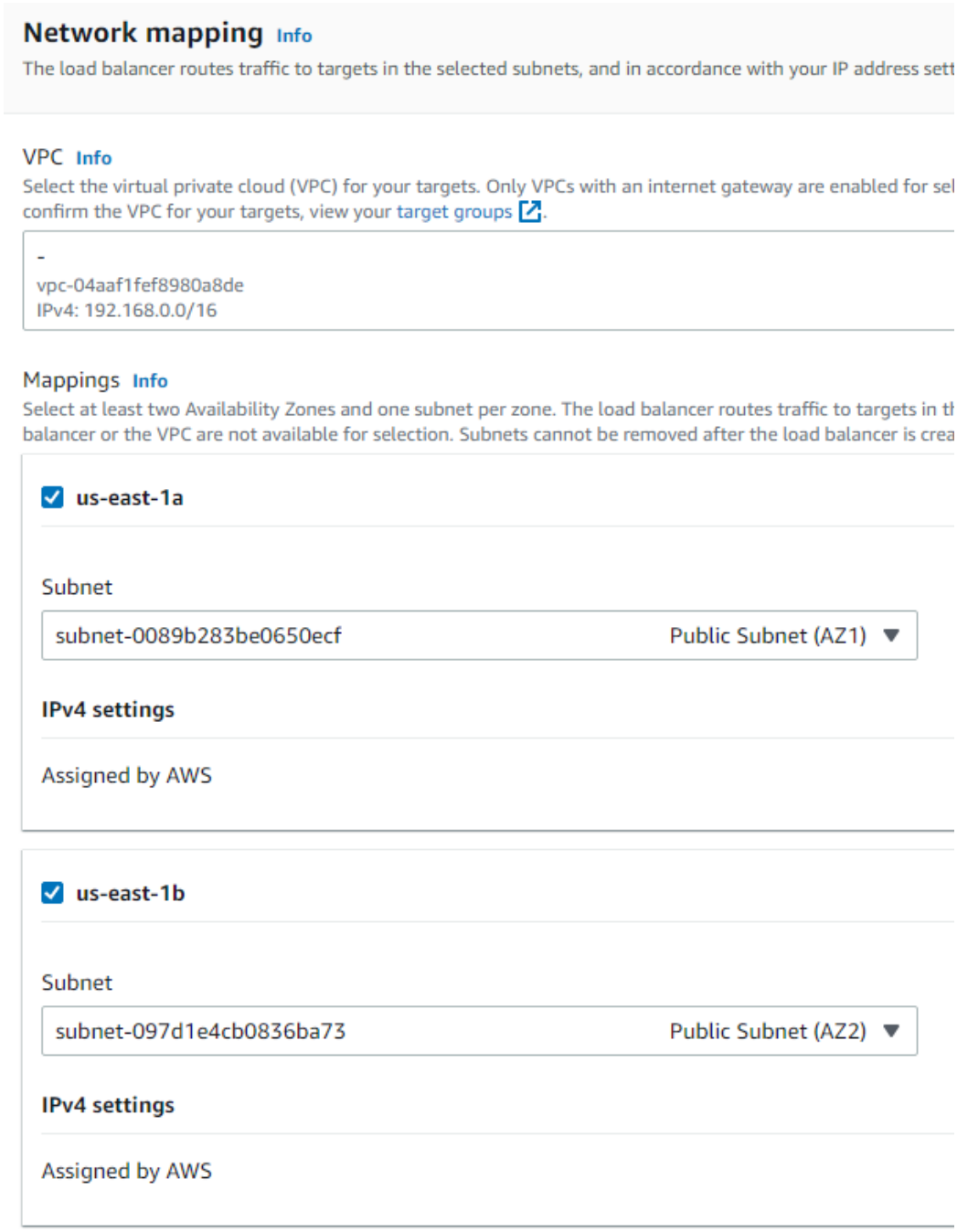
- (●) Internet-facing
  An internet-facing load balancer routes requests from clients
- ( ) Internal
  An internal load balancer routes requests from clients to targ

IP address type Info

Select the type of IP addresses that your subnets use.

- (●) IPv4
  Recommended for internal load balancers.
- ( ) Dualstack
  Includes IPv4 and IPv6 addresses.

For the network mapping, we will need to select the VPC that cloudformation created and two two availability zones for resilience. It is important that we select the public subnets



Security groups Info

A security group is a set of firewall rules that control the traffic to yo

Security groups

Select security groups

Create new security group

load-balancer sg-01151cf972db654f5

VPC: vpc-04aaf1fef8980a8de

Listeners and routing Info

A listener is a process that checks for connection requests, using the protocol and port you configure. Traffic received by the listener is then routed per your specification. You can specify multiple rules and multiple certificates per listener after the load balancer is created.

Listener HTTP:80 Remove

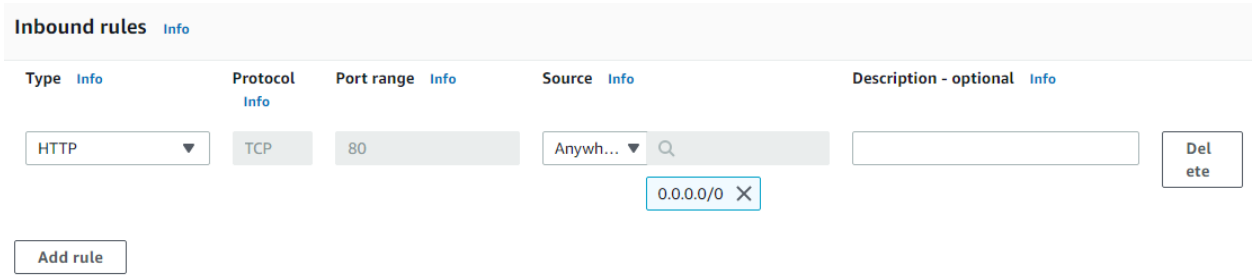
Protocol	Port	Default action Info
HTTP	80 (1-65535)	Forward to deploy08-target, HTTP, Target type: Instance, IPv4

Create target group

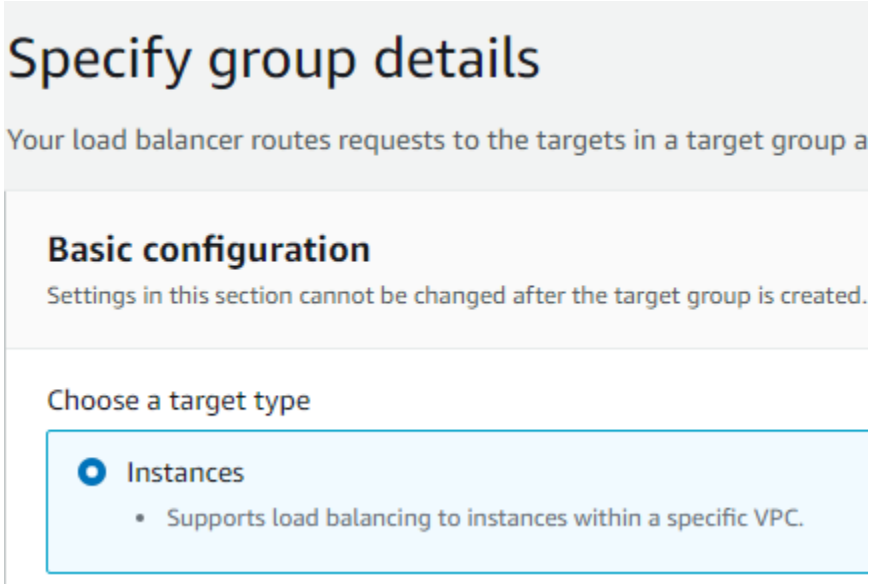
Add listener

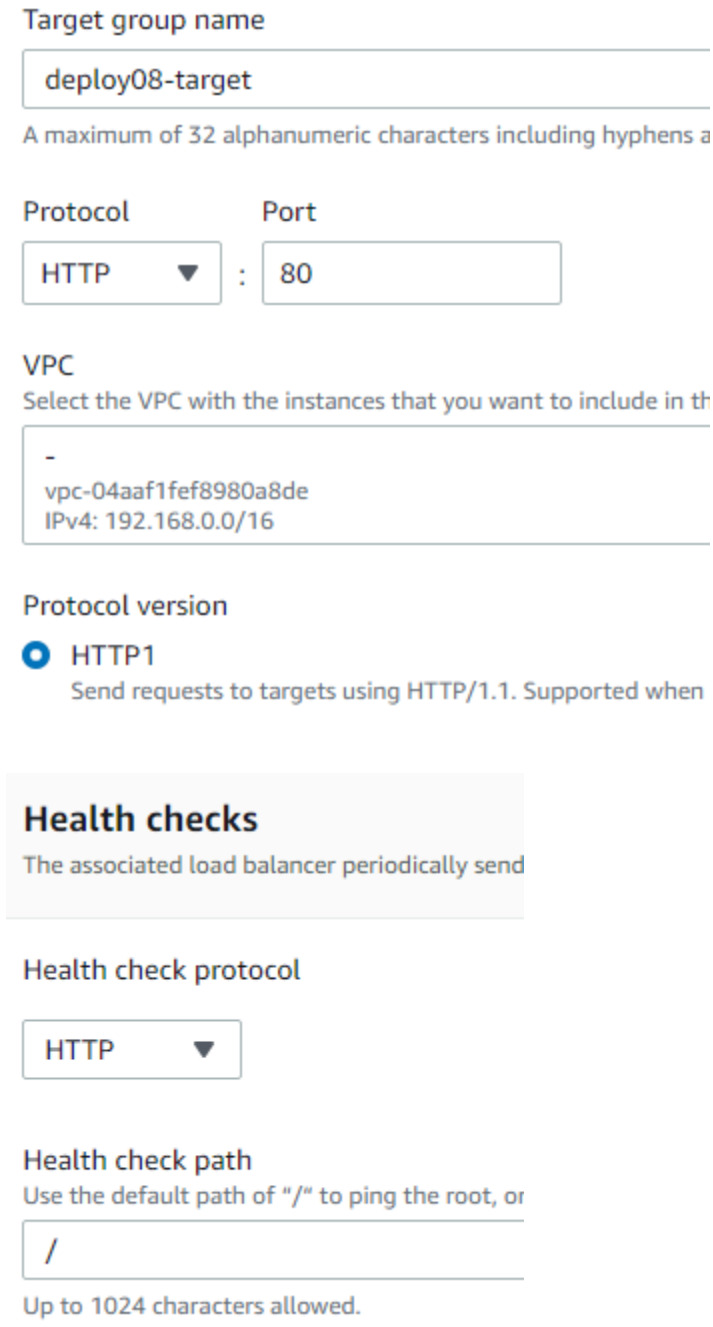
Create load balancer

Load balancer sg

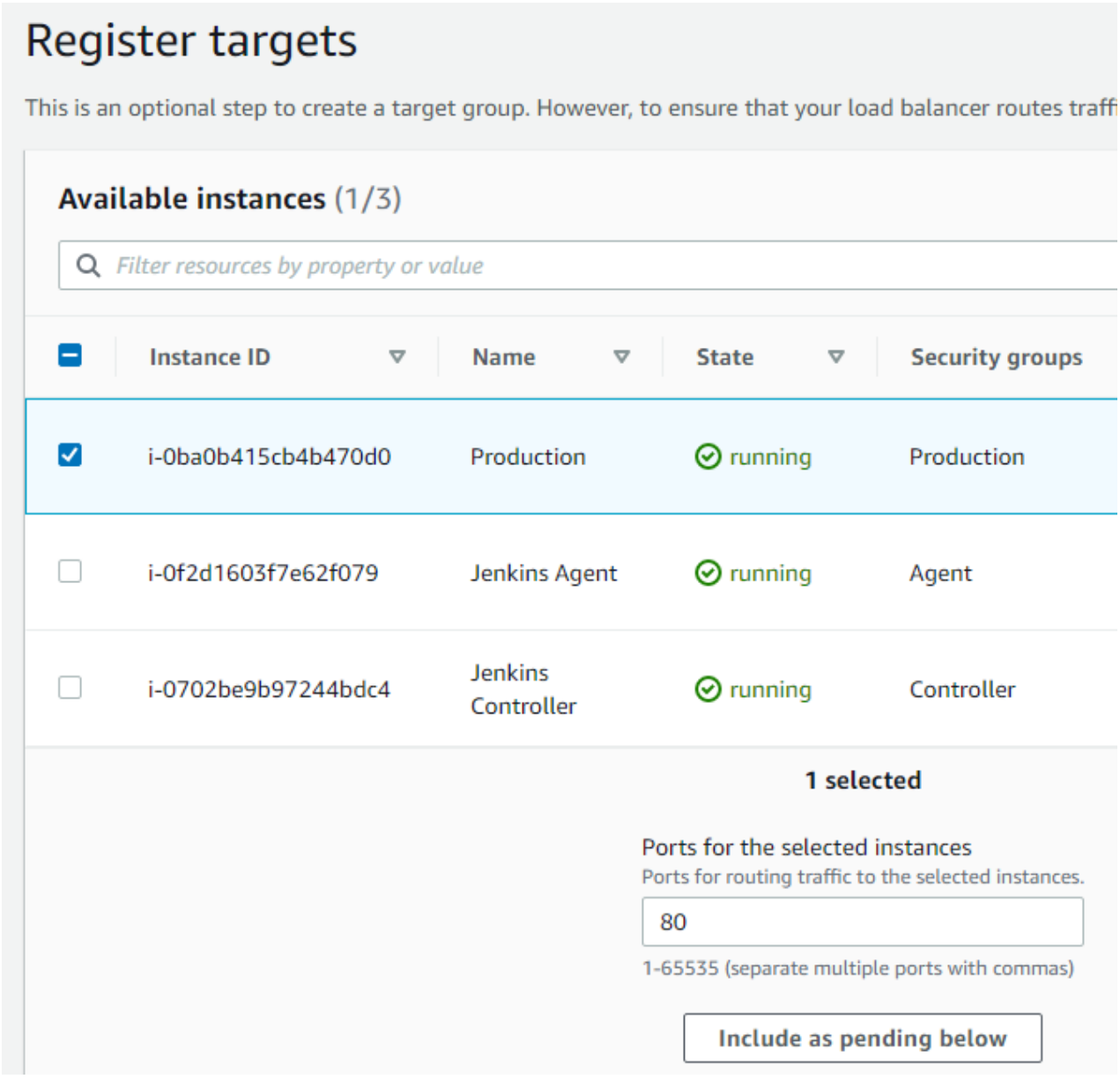


Target group selects the EC2 to route traffic





Register targets



Docker versions of kuberentes using swarm

To deploy our application, we are going to be creating a targetgroup/

To deploy our application we are going to use a docker stack. This feature is commonly used with docker swarm which is, a built in docker native container orchestration tool Similar to that of kuberentes. The benefits of this is that, if we wanted to scale our servers, all we would have to do is do a docker swarm join command, and connect our production servers together. We can also scale up and down both our containers and servers as we desire.

We created a load balancer which port forwards user traffic to our target groups. The target group then directs traffic to the specific server at a specific port.

For production ec2 allow http request

ERROR
CPU UTILIZATION KEPT HITTING 100% When i did docker build with the front end application
https://docs.docker.com/engine/reference/commandline/build/#options