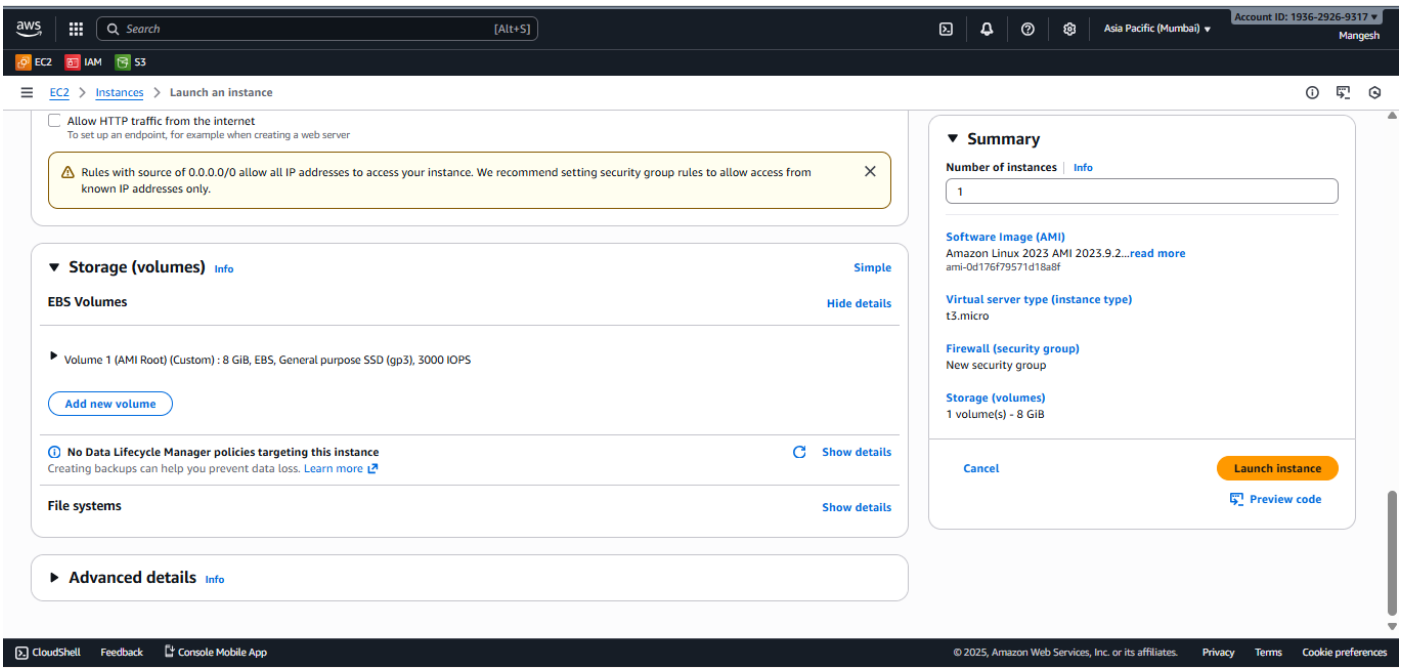
Preserve EC2 Root Volume on Instance Termination (Disable Delete-on-Termination for Root EBS Volume)

When we create the EC2 instance, the root volume should be created automatically (default – happens automatically); But when we terminate/delete the EC2 instance, the root volume should NOT be deleted

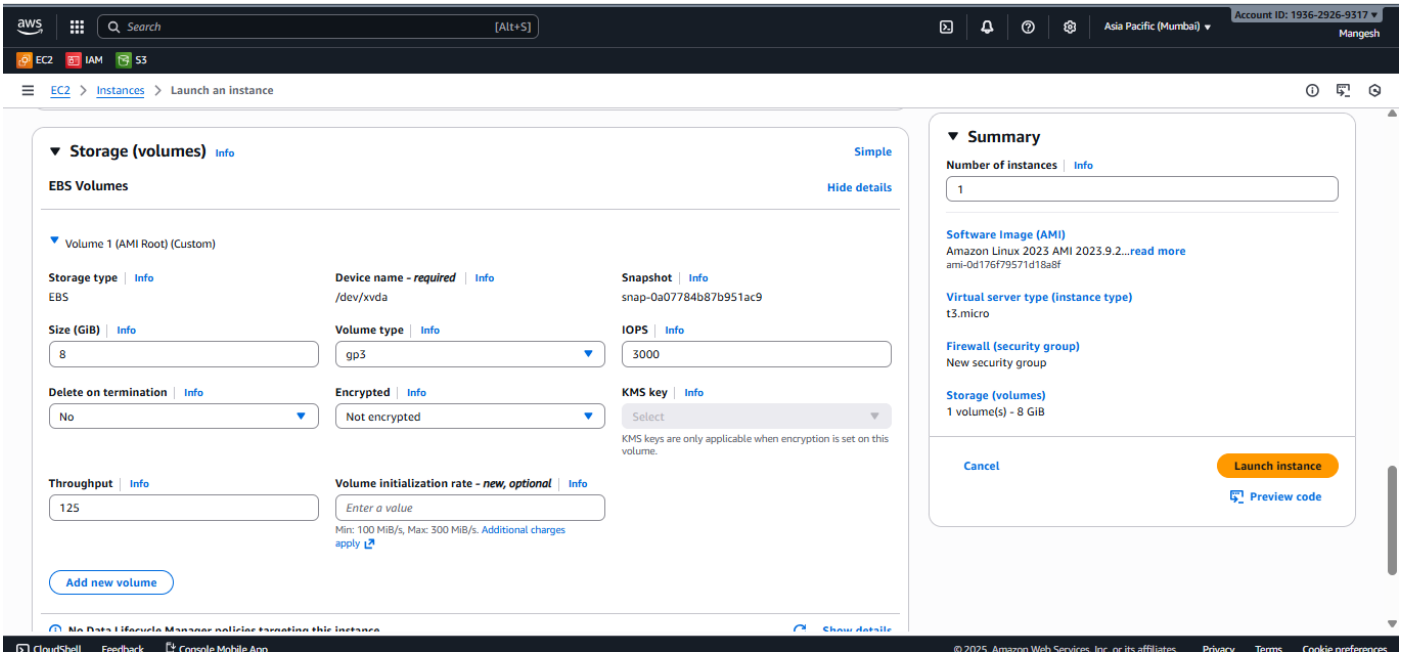
Steps:

Step 1. Go into EC2 Console → Launch an instance.

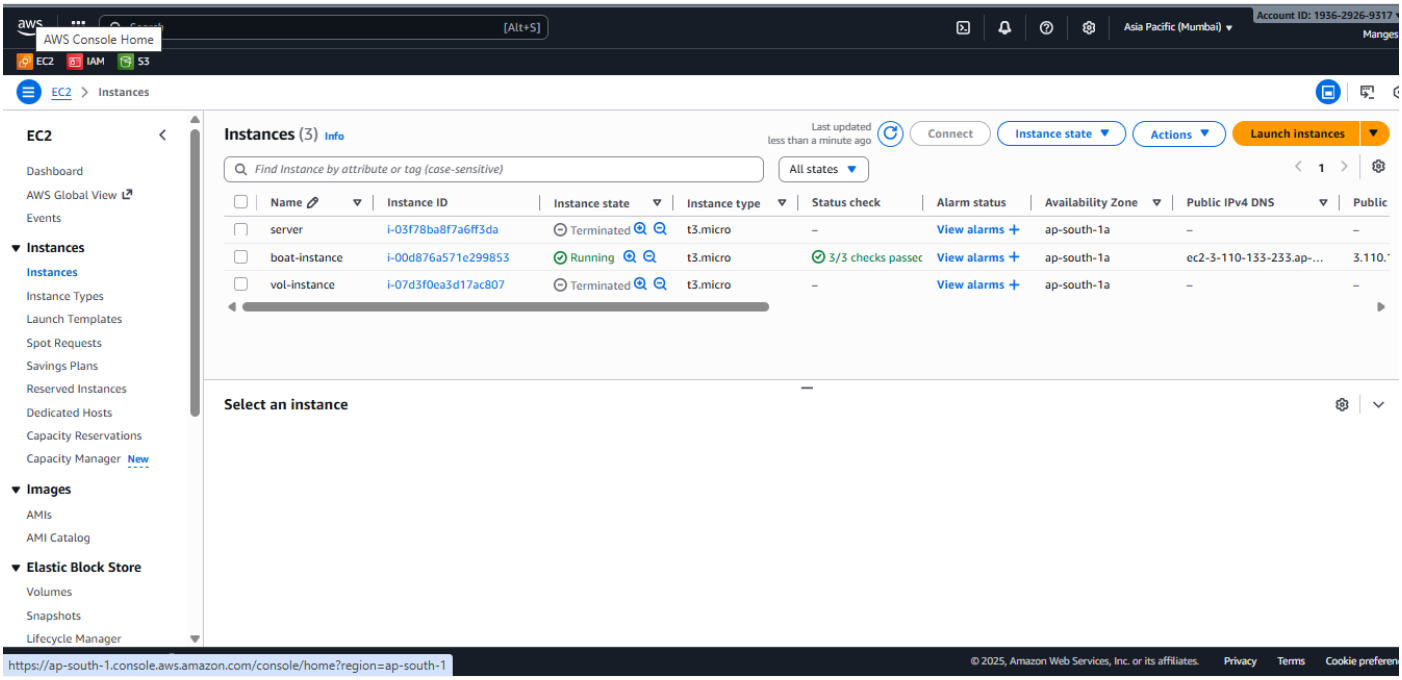
Step 2. Configure Storage → Go to advance →Show Details



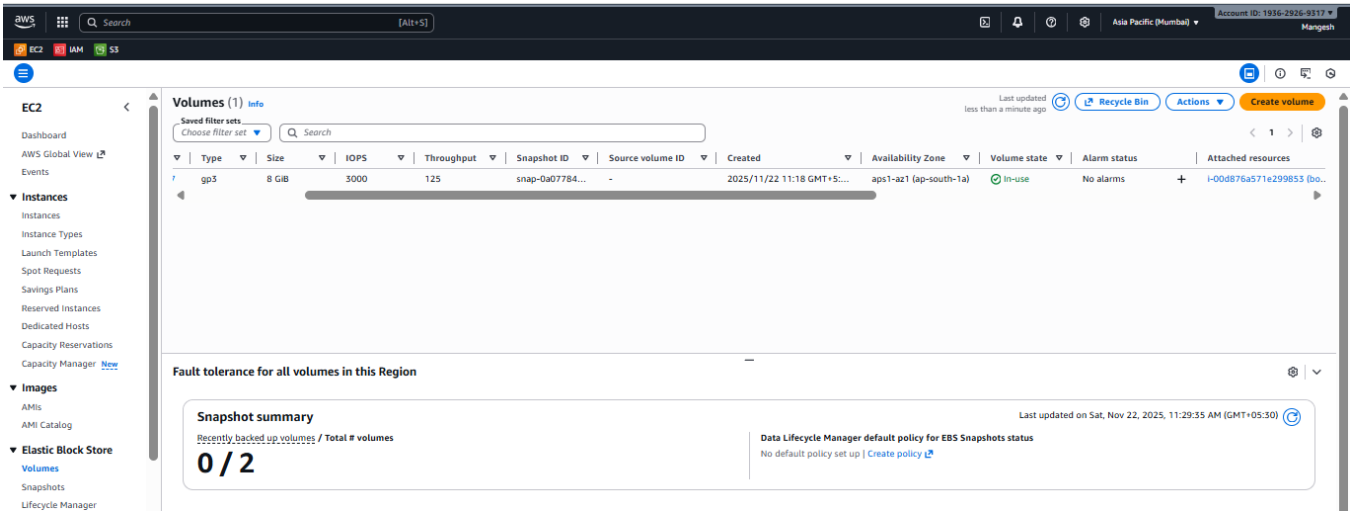
Step 3. Click on Volume AMI (root) → Select Delete on termination (**NO**) → Save changes



Step 4. Instance created. Name **boat-instance .**

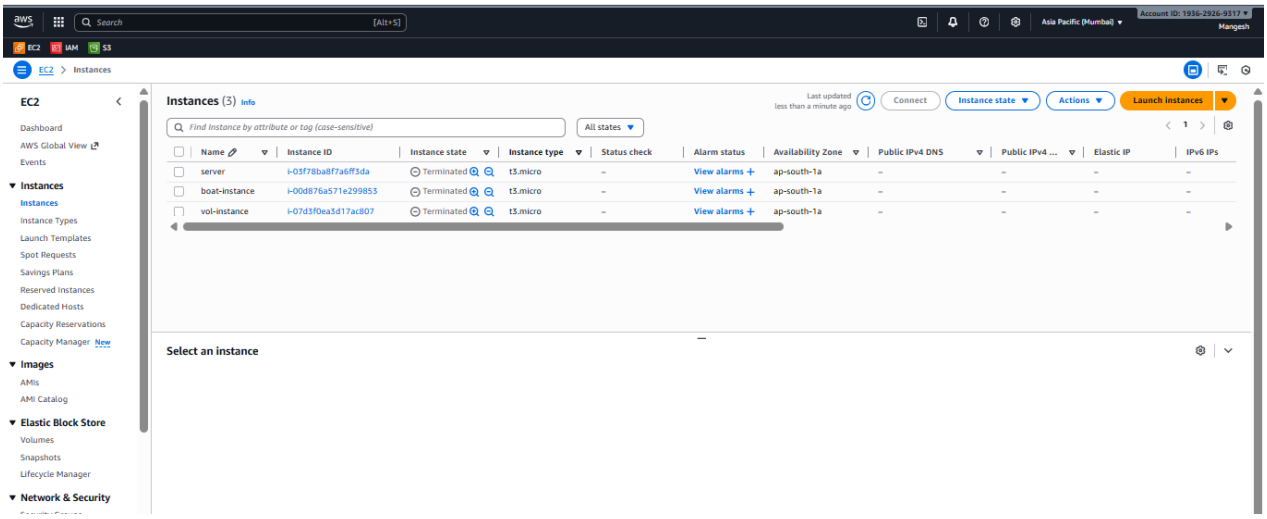


Step 5. Check wheather volume is created or not after launching an instance.

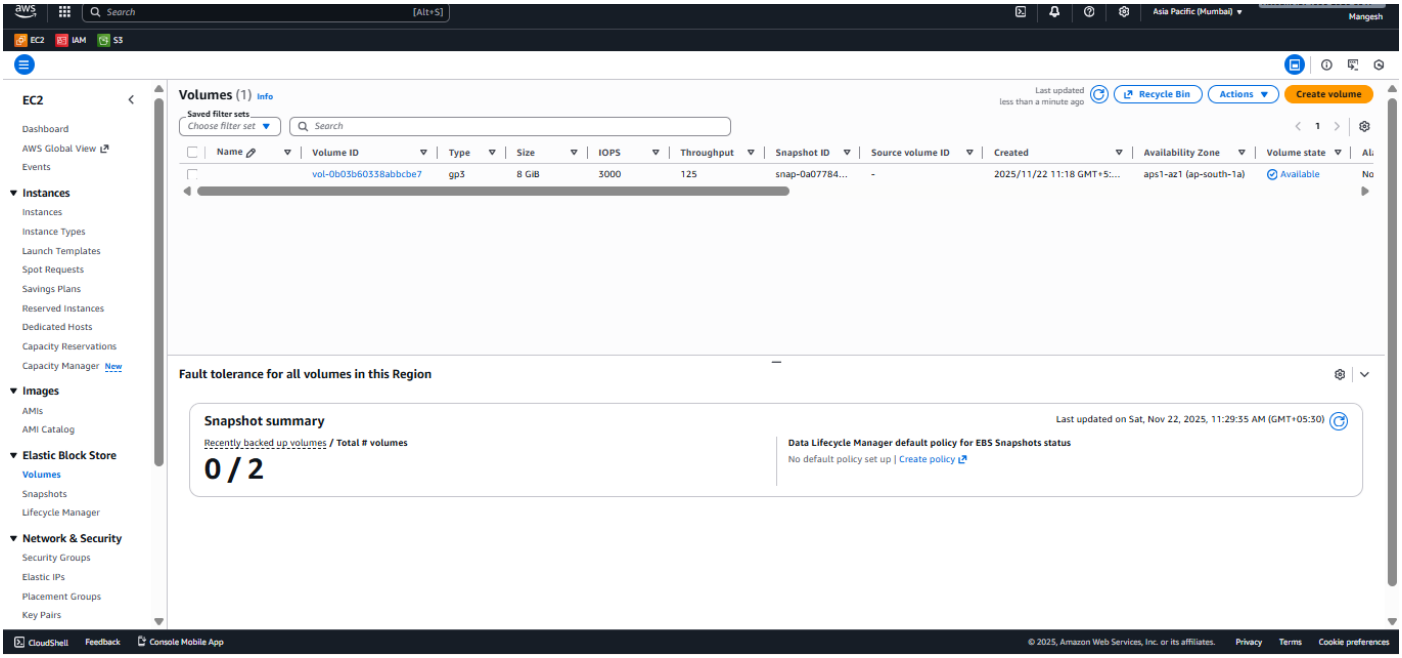


Volume is created after launching instance.

Step 6. Terminate the instance and check the volume wheather it is deleted or not.



Step 7. Check wheather the volume is delete or not.



Volume is not deleted after terminate the instance.