

POWERWORSHOP

(DAY 1: HANDS-ON LAB)

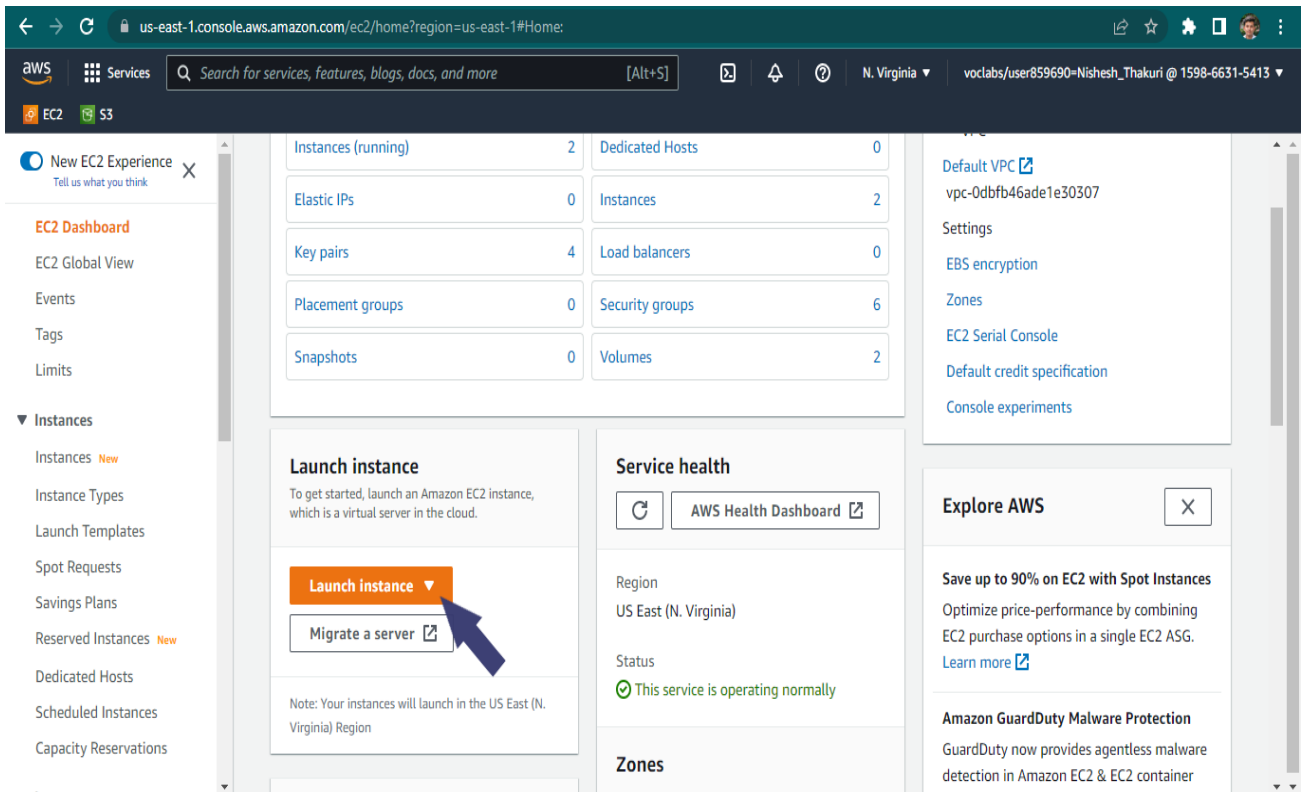
Part-I

Objectives

- Create an instance in EC2 service.
- Creating pair key.
- Connecting to created ec2 instance using SSH.

Instance creation using EC2.

1. Search for EC2 service.
2. Go to the EC2 dashboard and select launch instance option in the dashboard.



The screenshot displays the AWS Management Console for the us-east-1 region. The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with 'EC2 Dashboard' selected. The main content area features a grid of EC2-related metrics and a 'Launch instance' button highlighted with a blue arrow. The 'Service health' section indicates that the EC2 service is operating normally in the US East (N. Virginia) region.

Resource	Count
Instances (running)	2
Elastic IPs	0
Key pairs	4
Placement groups	0
Snapshots	0
Dedicated Hosts	0
Instances	2
Load balancers	0
Security groups	6
Volumes	2

Launch instance
To get started, launch an Amazon EC2 instance, which is a virtual server in the cloud.

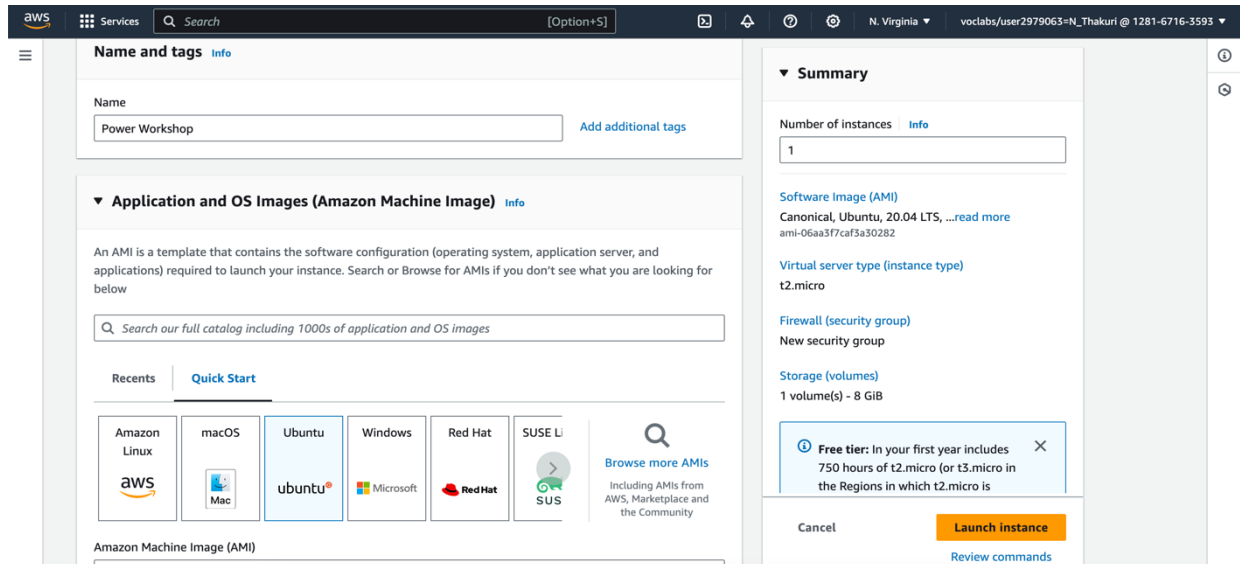
[Launch instance](#) [Migrate a server](#)

Note: Your instances will launch in the US East (N. Virginia) Region

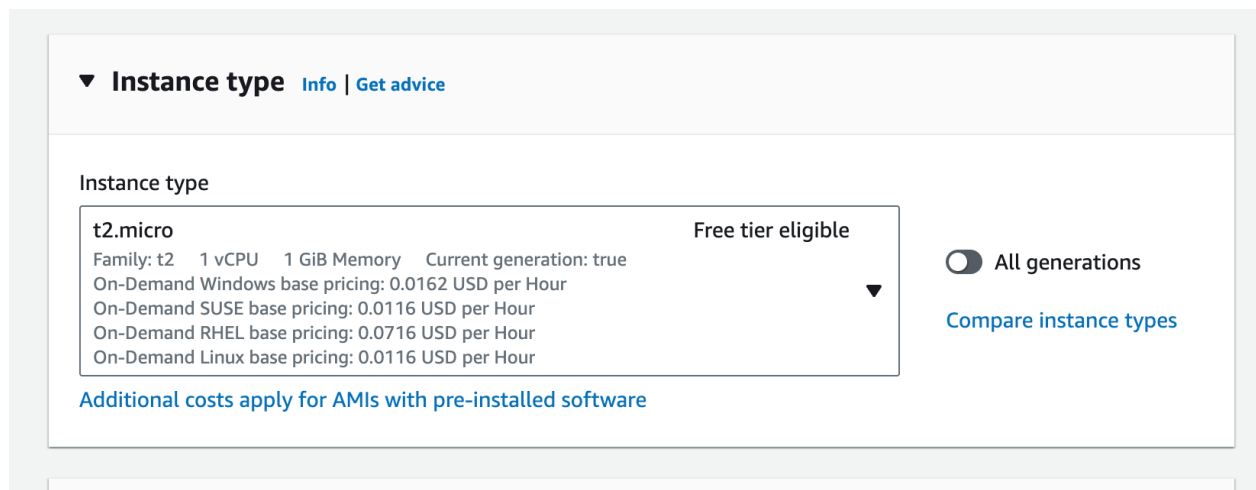
Service health
Region: US East (N. Virginia)
Status: ✔ This service is operating normally

Zones

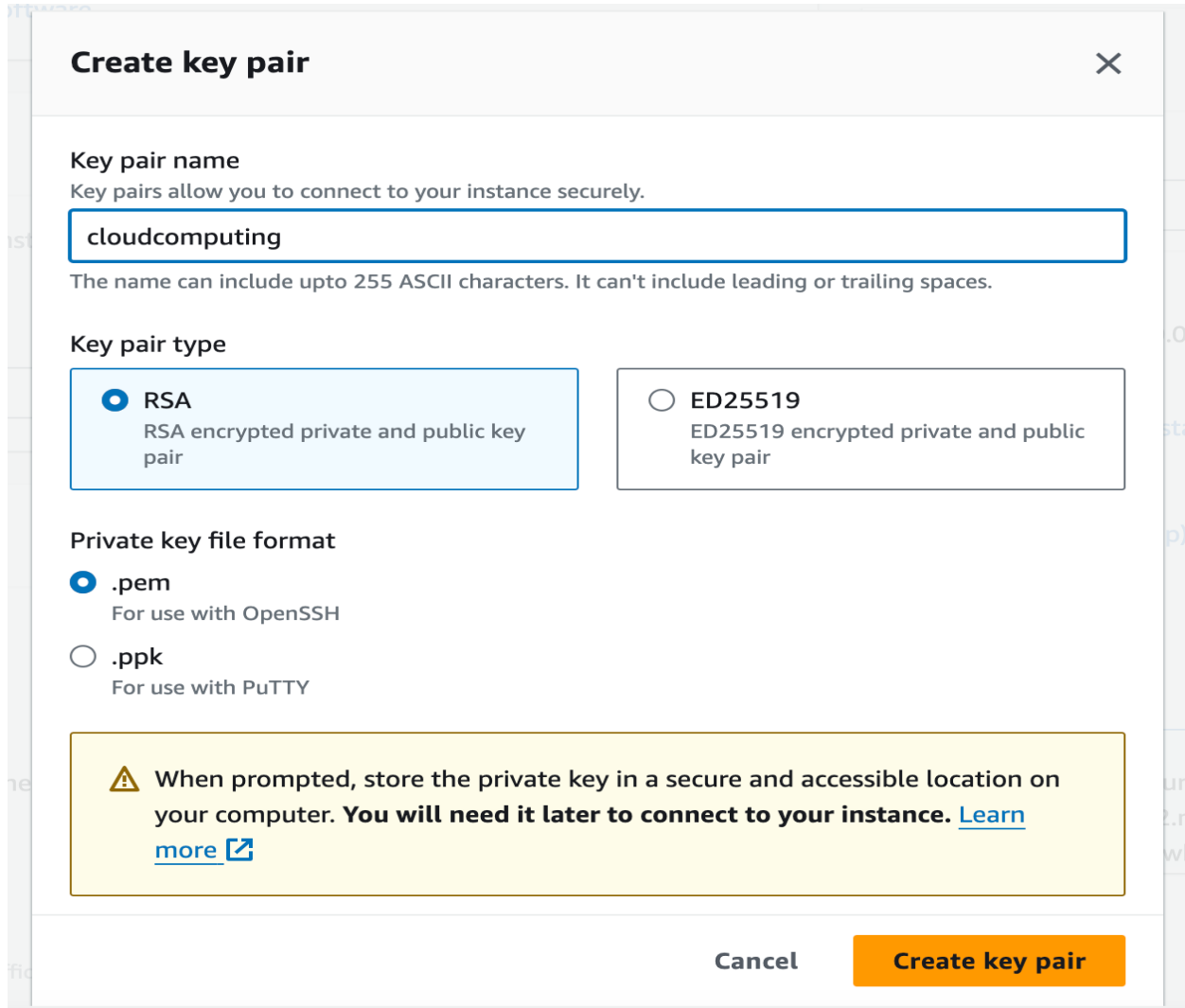
- Choose an AMI. You can select an AMI provided by AWS, our user community, or the AWS Marketplace; or you can select one of your own AMIs.



- After selecting the AMI, the next step is to choose an instance type. They are grouped by characteristics in terms of compute, memory, storage, and networking resources. To select an EC2 instance, you must understand the application infrastructure requirements and the right EC2 instance type to meet them. For now, we are using t2.micro instance type.



5. After selecting the instance type, the next step is to create an EC2 key or select an existing one. The key is used to enable Secure Shell (SSH) access into the EC2 instance. AWS stores a copy of the public key inside the EC2 instance. Users keep the private key.



Create key pair ✕

Key pair name
Key pairs allow you to connect to your instance securely.

The name can include up to 255 ASCII characters. It can't include leading or trailing spaces.

Key pair type

☒ **RSA**
RSA encrypted private and public key pair

☐ **ED25519**
ED25519 encrypted private and public key pair

Private key file format

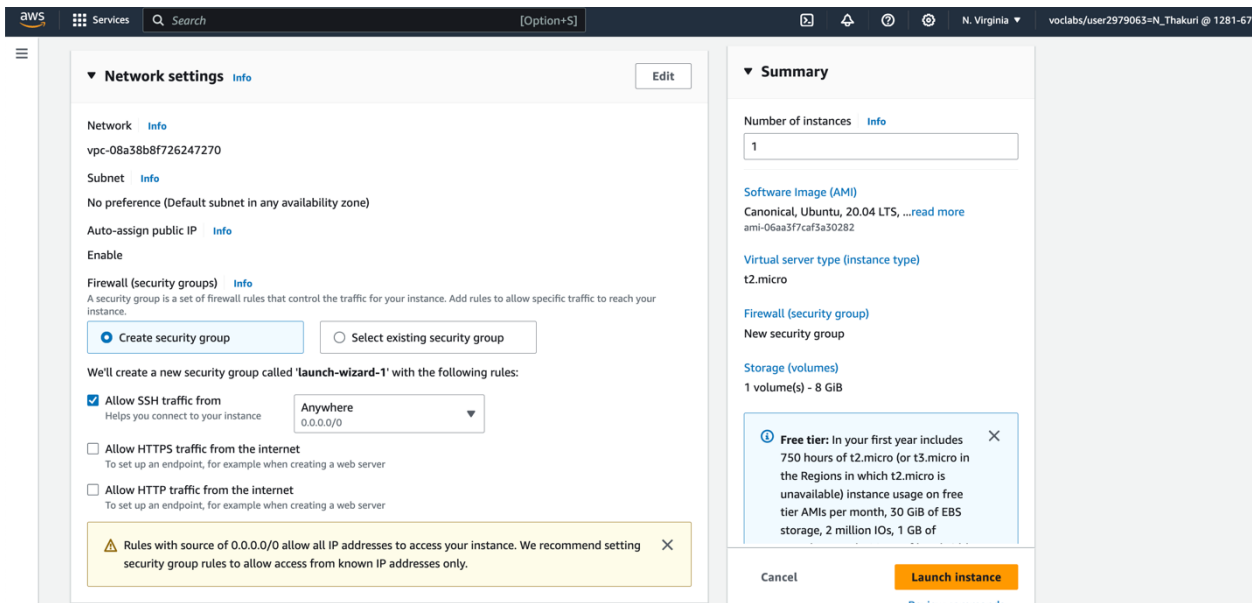
☒ **.pem**
For use with OpenSSH

☐ **.ppk**
For use with PuTTY

⚠ When prompted, store the private key in a secure and accessible location on your computer. You will need it later to connect to your instance. [Learn more](#)

Cancel **Create key pair**

6. The next step is to configure network settings. Security groups in AWS determine a set of access rules for both incoming and outgoing traffic in the EC2 instance. The settings include port ranges, IPs or security group IDs assigned to resources trying to access an EC2 instance. You can either select an existing security group or create a new one. For now, we are using default options.



The screenshot displays the AWS Management Console interface for configuring an EC2 instance. The 'Network settings' tab is active, showing the following configuration:

- Network:** vpc-08a38b8f726247270
- Subnet:** No preference (Default subnet in any availability zone)
- Auto-assign public IP:** Enable
- Firewall (security groups):** Create security group (selected)

Under the 'Firewall (security groups)' section, a new security group named 'launch-wizard-1' is being created with the following rules:

- ☒ Allow SSH traffic from: Anywhere (0.0.0.0/0)
- ☐ Allow HTTPS traffic from the internet
- ☐ Allow HTTP traffic from the internet

A warning message states: "Rules with source of 0.0.0.0/0 allow all IP addresses to access your instance. We recommend setting security group rules to allow access from known IP addresses only."

The 'Summary' tab on the right shows the following configuration:

- Number of instances:** 1
- Software Image (AMI):** Canonical, Ubuntu, 20.04 LTS, ...read more (ami-06aa3f7caf3a30282)
- Virtual server type (instance type):** t2.micro
- Firewall (security group):** New security group
- Storage (volumes):** 1 volume(s) - 8 GiB

A 'Free tier' notification is displayed: "Free tier: In your first year includes 750 hours of t2.micro (or t3.micro in the Regions in which t2.micro is unavailable) instance usage on free tier AMIs per month, 30 GiB of EBS storage, 2 million IOs, 1 GB of ..."

At the bottom, there are 'Cancel' and 'Launch instance' buttons, with a 'Review command' link below the 'Launch instance' button.

7. Specify the storage size in gigabytes and the storage type options. Your instance will be launched with the following storage device settings.

▼ **Configure storage** [Info](#)

[Advanced](#)

1x GiB ▼

Root volume (Not encrypted)

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Free tier eligible customers can get up to 30 GB of EBS General Purpose (SSD) or Magnetic storage

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Add new volume

The selected AMI contains more instance store volumes than the instance allows. Only the first 0 instance store volumes from the AMI will be accessible from the instance

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Click refresh to view backup information

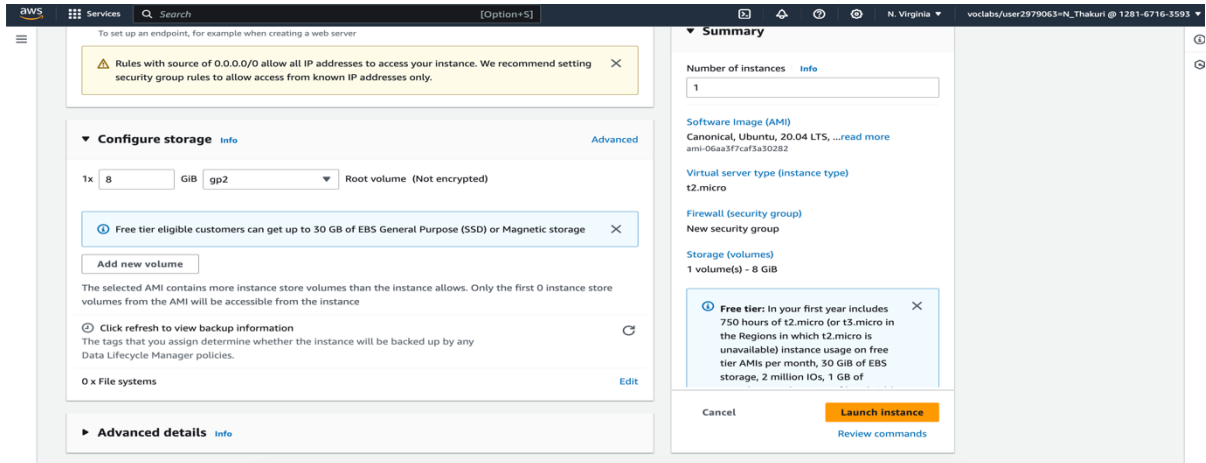
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The tags that you assign determine whether the instance will be backed up by any Data Lifecycle Manager policies.

0 x File systems

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8. At last, review the summary of instance you are going to create and click Launch instance button.

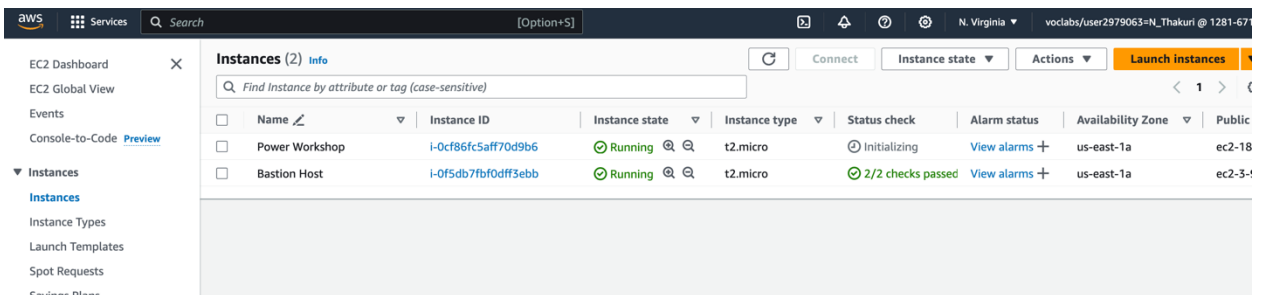


The screenshot shows the 'Summary' step of the AWS 'Launch Instance' wizard. The left pane shows the 'Configure storage' section with a root volume of 8 GiB, gp2 type, and 'Not encrypted'. The right pane shows the 'Summary' section with the following details:

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- Software Image (AMI): Canonical, Ubuntu, 20.04 LTS, ...read more (ami-06aa3f7caf3a30282)
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At the bottom right, there are buttons for 'Cancel', 'Launch Instance', and 'Review commands'.

9. You can view your launched instances in instance dashboard.



The screenshot shows the 'Instances' dashboard in the AWS Management Console. The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with 'Instances' selected. The main content area displays a table of instances:

Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status check	Alarm status	Availability Zone	Public
Power Workshop	i-0cf86fc5aff70d9b6	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms	us-east-1a	ec2-18
Bastion Host	i-0f5db7fb0dff3ebb	Running	t2.micro	2/2 checks passed	View alarms	us-east-1a	ec2-3-

Connecting instance using SSH

1. Now that I have created the instance. Now you will see in this step how you can connect the instance using keypair. You can use puTTY or simply windows power shell for connecting to instance.
2. Navigate to the folder in your local machine where you have downloaded keypair.
3. Now we will use ssh command to securely connect to the instance. Before that, we need to provide the permission to the key.
 - a. For Windows: `icacls '.\directory keyname' /grant Owner:R`
 - b. For MAC: `chmod 400 keyname`
4. Use ssh command to securely connect to the instance.

```
PS C:\Users\Admin\Downloads> ssh -i .\cloudcomputing_key.pem ubuntu@3.89.115.127
```

Syntax: ssh -i keypairname username@public_ip_of_instance



5. Now you can access the created machine.

```
* Support:      https://ubuntu.com/advantage

System information as of Sat Sep  3 08:15:22 UTC 2022

System load:  0.0          Processes:           99
Usage of /:   19.0% of 7.58GB Users logged in:       0
Memory usage: 21%         IPv4 address for eth0: 172.31.87.211
Swap usage:   0%

0 updates can be applied immediately.

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

The programs included with the Ubuntu system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.

Ubuntu comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by
applicable law.

To run a command as administrator (user "root"), use "sudo <command>".
See "man sudo_root" for details.

ubuntu@ip-172-31-87-211:~$ ls
ubuntu@ip-172-31-87-211:~$ pwd
/home/ubuntu
ubuntu@ip-172-31-87-211:~$
```


Part-II

Objectives

- Install and configure Nginx.
 - Host a simple hello world page.
1. Once you ssh into your server, run the following commands to update your system and install Nginx:

- a. *sudo apt update*
- b. *sudo apt install nginx*

2. Once installed you can check the status using command:

- a. *systemctl status nginx*

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:~$ systemctl status nginx
● nginx.service - A high performance web server and a reverse proxy server
   Loaded: loaded (/lib/systemd/system/nginx.service; enabled; vendor preset: enabled)
   Active: active (running) since Sun 2024-01-07 06:08:00 UTC; 56s ago
     Docs: man:nginx(8)
    Main PID: 2517 (nginx)
      Tasks: 2 (limit: 1126)
     Memory: 4.4M
    CGroup: /system.slice/nginx.service
            └─2517 nginx: master process /usr/sbin/nginx -g daemon on; master_process on;
               └─2518 nginx: worker process

Jan 07 06:08:00 ip-172-31-19-120 systemd[1]: Starting A high performance web server and a reverse proxy server...
Jan 07 06:08:00 ip-172-31-19-120 systemd[1]: Started A high performance web server and a reverse proxy server.
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:~$
```

3. Now you need to configure your website, for that navigate to /var/www/html folder, use command:

- a. *cd /var/www/html*

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:~$ cd /var/www/html/
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:/var/www/html$ ls
index.nginx-debian.html
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:/var/www/html$
```

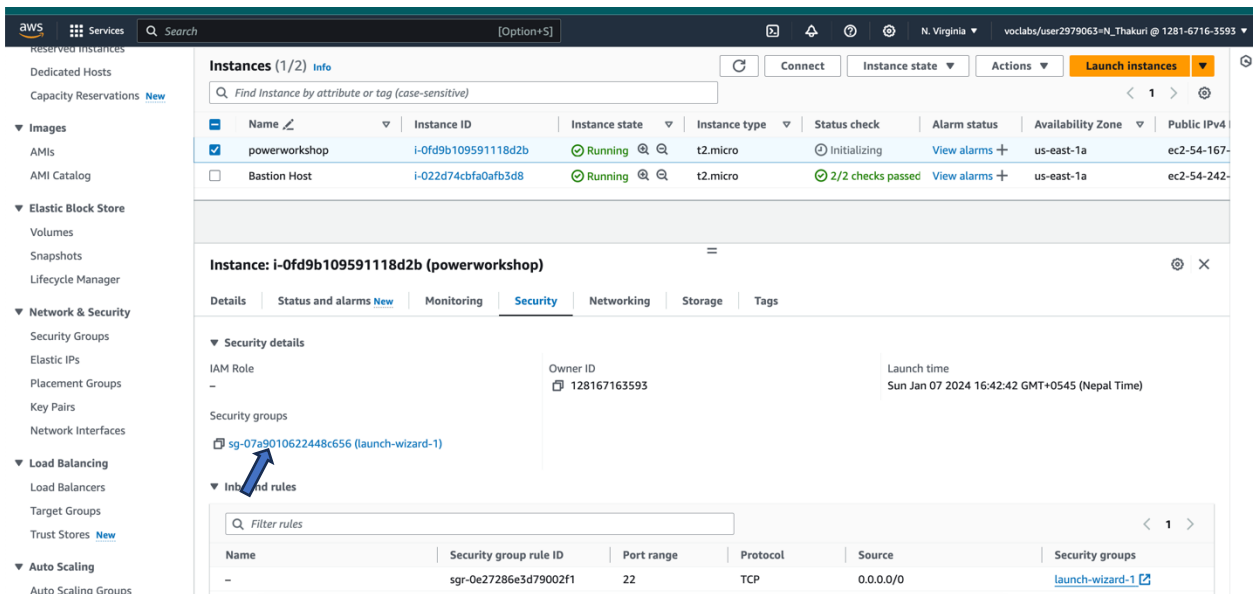

- ```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-19-120:/etc/nginx/sites-enabled$ sudo vi test.conf
```

- ```
server {  
    listen 80;  
    server_name your_domain.com;  
    root /var/www/html;  
    index myfile.html;  
    location / {  
        try_files $uri $uri/ =404;  
    }  
    error_page 500 502 503 504 /50x.html;
```

```
location = /50x.html {  
    root /usr/share/nginx/html;  
}  
}
```

listen 80: Specifies that this server block will listen on port 80 for incoming connections. Port 80 is the default port for HTTP.

5. You also need to open port 80 in security group.
 - a. Select the instance.
 - b. Click on Security tab as shown below.
 - c. Click security group link pointed by arrow.



The screenshot shows the AWS Management Console interface. On the left, the 'Network & Security' menu is expanded, showing 'Security Groups'. The main panel displays the 'Instances' list with two instances: 'powerworkshop' and 'Bastion Host'. The 'powerworkshop' instance is selected. Below the list, the 'Instance: i-0fd9b109591118d2b (powerworkshop)' details are shown. The 'Security' tab is active, displaying 'Security details'. Under 'Security groups', a link 'sg-07a9010622448c656 (launch-wizard-1)' is highlighted with a blue arrow. Below this, the 'Inbound rules' section is visible, showing a single rule with 'Port range' 22 and 'Protocol' TCP.

Name	Security group rule ID	Port range	Protocol	Source	Security groups
-	sgr-0e27286e3d79002f1	22	TCP	0.0.0.0/0	launch-wizard-1

- d. Once you click the link, you'll be redirected to below page. Click edit inbound rules button.

EC2 > Security Groups > sg-07a9010622448c656 - launch-wizard-1

sg-07a9010622448c656 - launch-wizard-1

Actions

Details

Security group name launch-wizard-1	Security group ID sg-07a9010622448c656	Description launch-wizard-1 created 2024-01-07T10:57:23.403Z	VPC ID vpc-054be5a53325e2d89
Owner 128167163593	Inbound rules count 1 Permission entry	Outbound rules count 1 Permission entry	

Inbound rules | Outbound rules | Tags

Inbound rules (1)
Manage tags | Edit inbound rules

Search

	Name	Security group rule...	IP version	Type	Protocol	Port range
<input type="checkbox"/>	-	sgr-0e27286e3d79002f1	IPv4	SSH	TCP	22

- e. Click on Add rule, open port 80, you can directly select type as HTTP or if the type is Custom TCP, then you need to manually enter 80 in port range. After adding rules, click save rules.

aws Services Search [Option+S] N. Virginia voclabs/user2979063=N_Thakuri @ 1281-6716-3593

EC2 > Security Groups > sg-07a9010622448c656 - launch-wizard-1 > Edit inbound rules

Edit inbound rules

Inbound rules control the incoming traffic that's allowed to reach the instance.

Inbound rules

Security group rule ID	Type	Protocol	Port range	Source	Description - optional
sgr-0e27286e3d79002f1	SSH	TCP	22	Custom 0.0.0.0/0	Delete
-	HTTP	TCP	80	Anywh... 0.0.0.0/0	Delete

Add rule

Rules with source of 0.0.0.0/0 or ::/0 allow all IP addresses to access your instance. We recommend setting security group rules to allow access from known IP addresses only.

Cancel Preview changes Save rules



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6. Now, enter the public IP of your instance in web browser.



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