Project - 1: Deploying a Multi-Tier Website Using AWS EC2

Problem Statement:

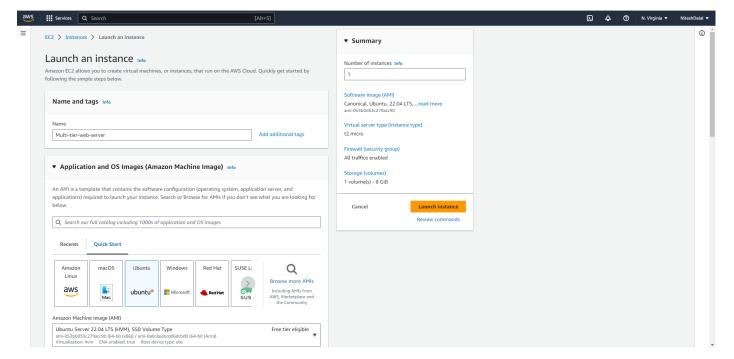
Company ABC wants to move their product to AWS. They have the following things set up right now: 1. MySQL DB 2. Website (PHP) The Company wants high availability on this product, therefore wants Auto Scaling to be enabled on this website.

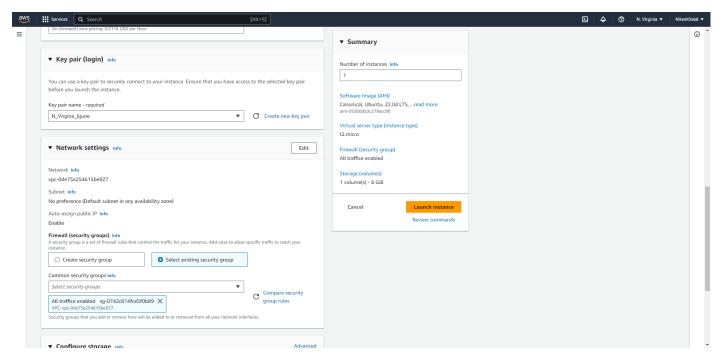
Steps To Solve:

- 1. Launch an EC2 Instance
- 2. Enable Auto Scaling on these instances (minimum 2)
- 3. Create an RDS Instance
- 4. Create Database & Table in RDS instance:
 - a. Database name: intel
 - b. Table name: data
 - c. Database password: intel123
- 5. Change hostname in website
- 6. Allow traffic from EC2 to RDS instance
- 7. Allow all-traffic to EC2 instance

Solution:

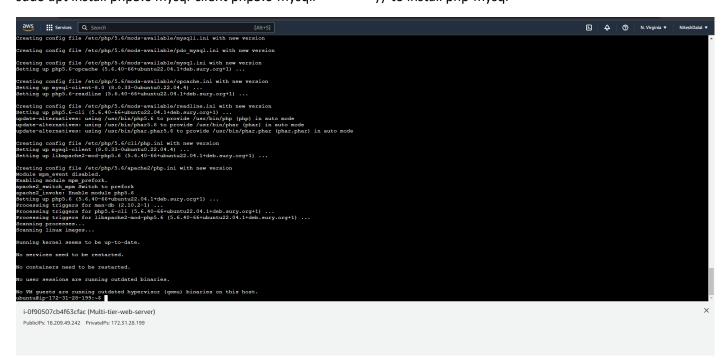
1. Go to your EC2 management console and launch an EC2 instance with default VPC and a security group that allows all traffic. Also you can select any region.



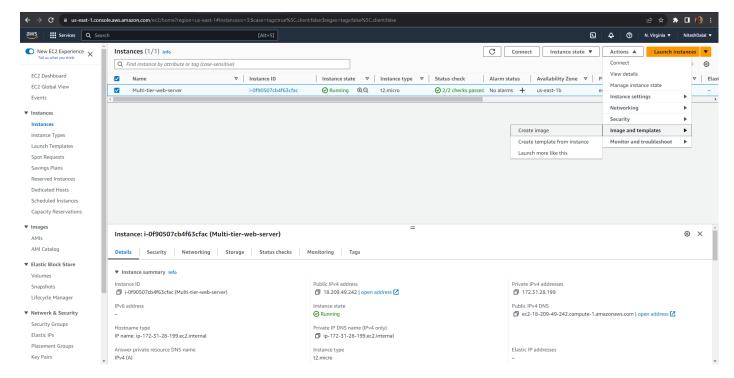


2. Once the machine is up and running we will hit some commands on this.

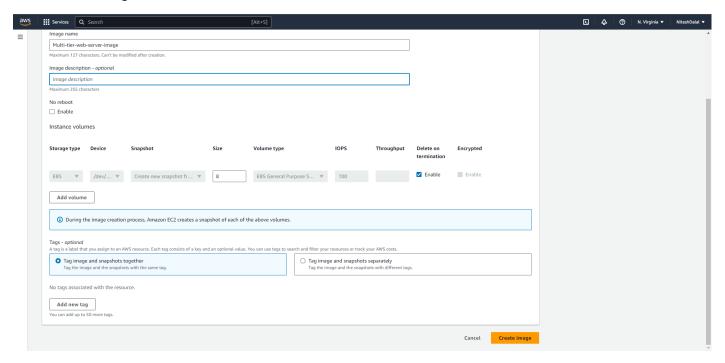
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sudo apt-get update // to update machine
sudo apt-get install apache2 // to install ache 2 server
sudo add-apt-repository -y ppa:ondrej/php // to install php-mysql
sudo apt install php5.6 mysql-client php5.6-mysqli // to install php-mysql
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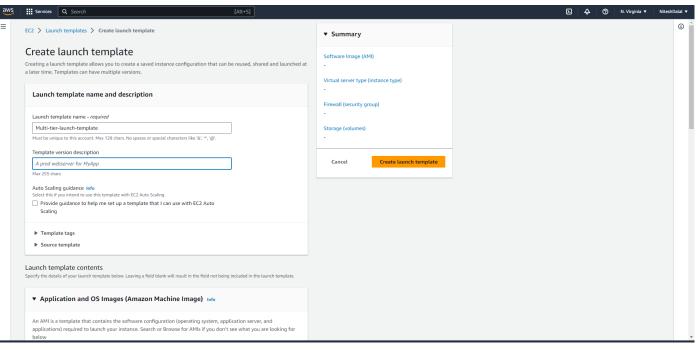
- 3. Now next task is to enable auto scaling and to do that we need to create a image first for our AMI. Then with that image we will create a launch template.
- 4. Select your EC2 instance and go to Actions tab -> Image and Templates -> Create image.

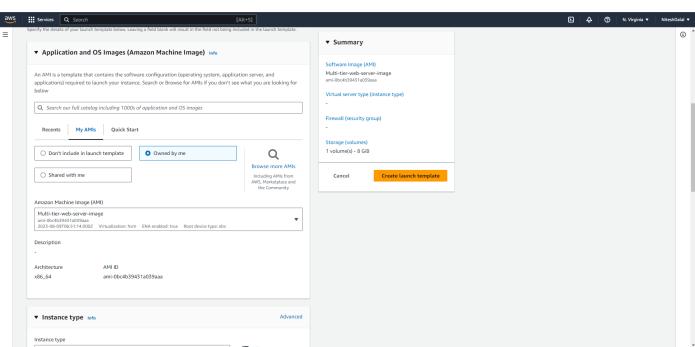


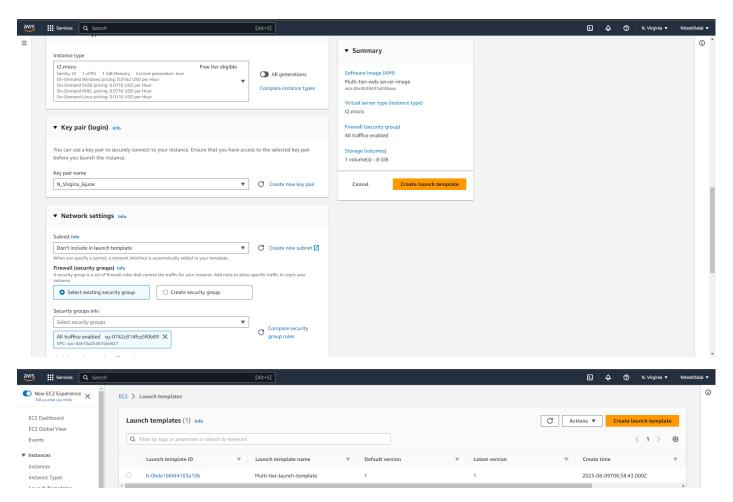
5. Name the image and click create.



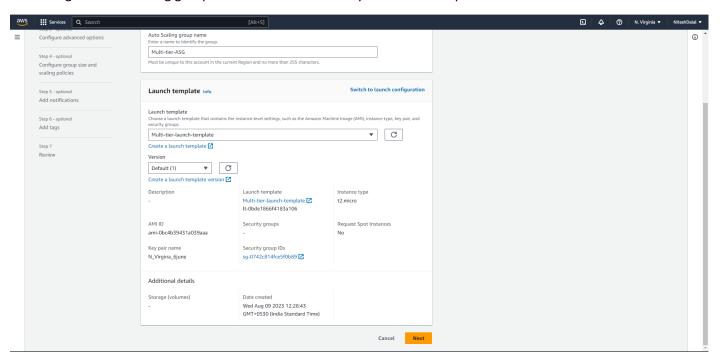
- 6. Once the image is in Available state go ahead and create a launch template. Name it and choose instance type, Key pair & security groups same as your EC2.
- 7. Also under Application and OS images choose My AMIs -> Owned by me and click on image created by us.



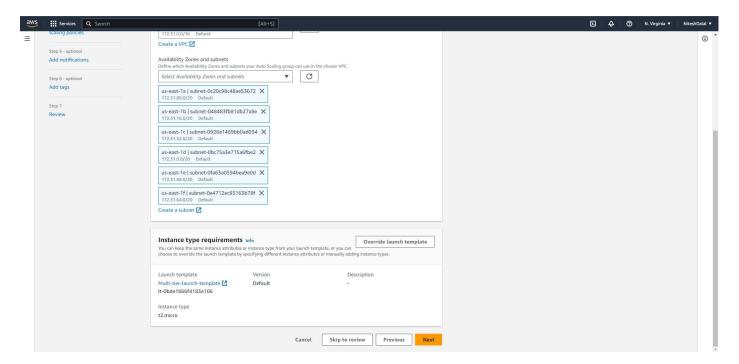




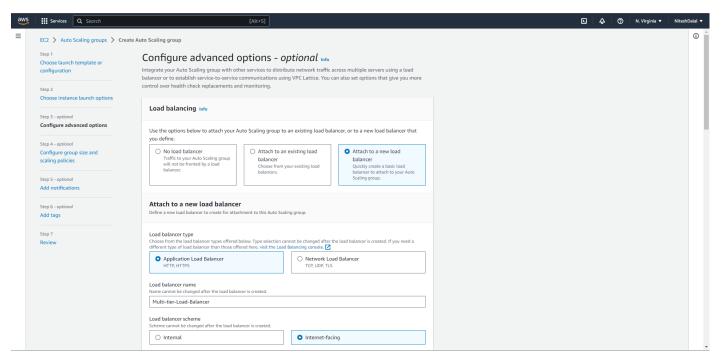
8. Now go to Auto scaling group and create one. Choose your launch template in it.



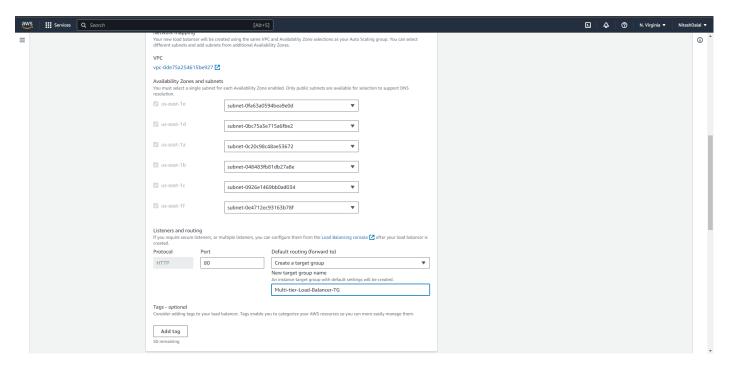
9. Under next step choose your VPC and availability zones.



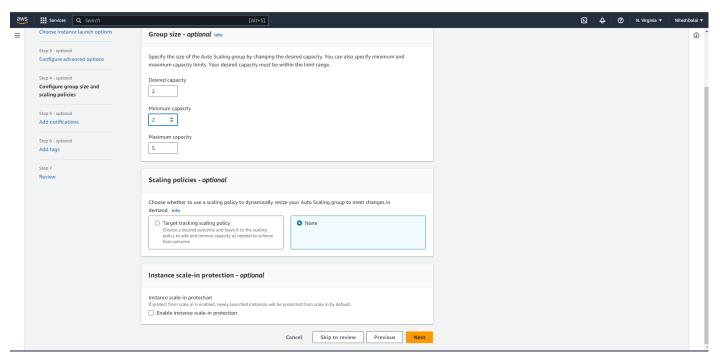
10. In next step I am attaching it to a new Load Balancer i.e. Application Load Balancer and Internet facing.



11. Choosing default VPC and AZ's. And for Listeners and routing I am creating a new target group.



12. Then as per the question choosing minimum capacity as two and maximum as five. Then click on create ignoring the last two steps.



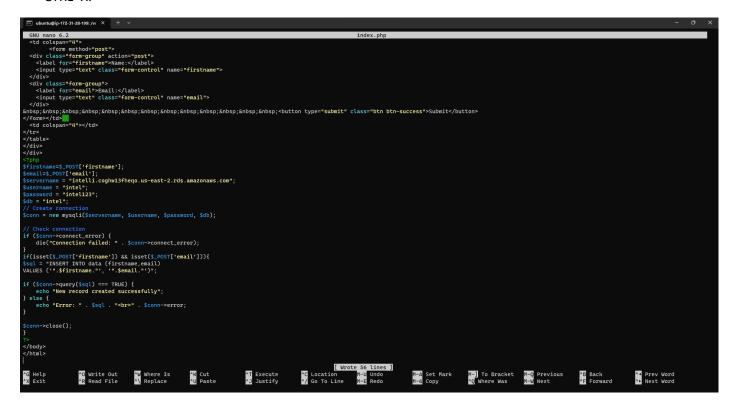
13. See two new servers are automatically triggered.



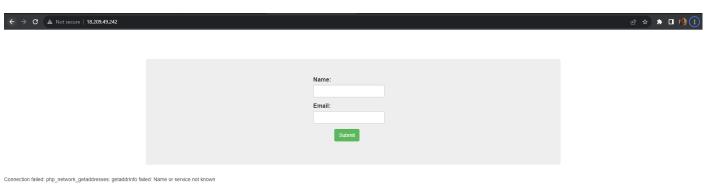
- 14. Now next task is to change the default webpage of our apache web server. To do that we will open public IP of our instance and navigate to the location of default webpage file i.e. /var/www/html.index.html
- 15. We are going to remove that file with command sudo rm index.html and create a new file there as index.php.

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Last login: Wed Aug 9 06:42:42 2023 from 18.206.107.28
ubuntugip-172-31-28-109:+$ cd /var/mmm/html
ubuntugip-172-31-28-199:/var/mmm/html$ 15
index.html
ubuntugip-172-31-28-199:/var/mmm/html$ sudo rm index.html
ubuntugip-172-31-28-199:/var/mmm/html$ Ls
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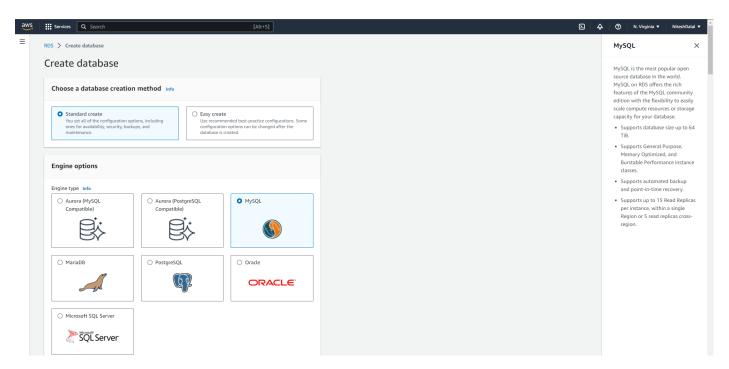
16. Created a new index.php with code provided by intellipat for sample website. Save the file with CTRL+S, CTRL+X.



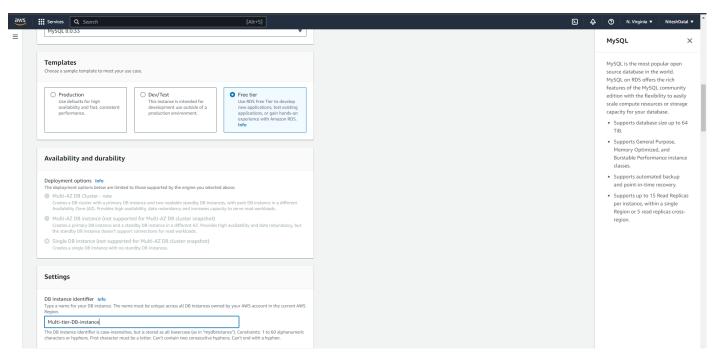
17. After saving your website will look like this.



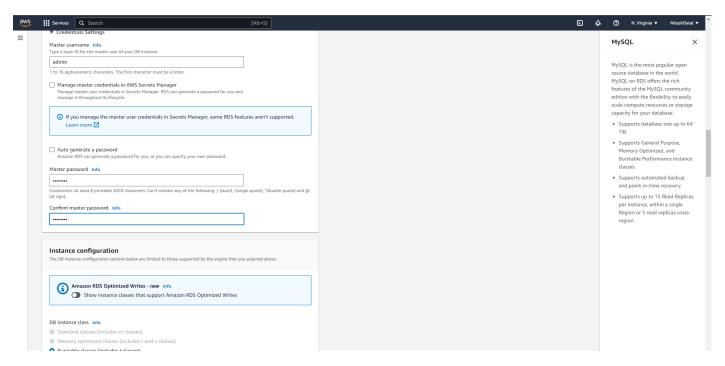
18. It is showing connection failed error because we haven't create a RDS database yet. So, lets create it. Go with standard create and type as MYSQL.



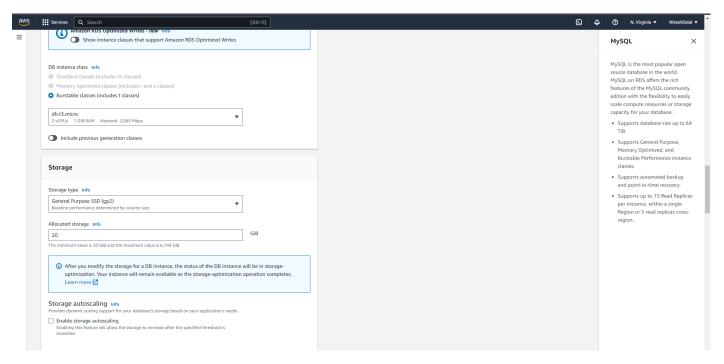
19. Choose template as free tier and name your DB instance.



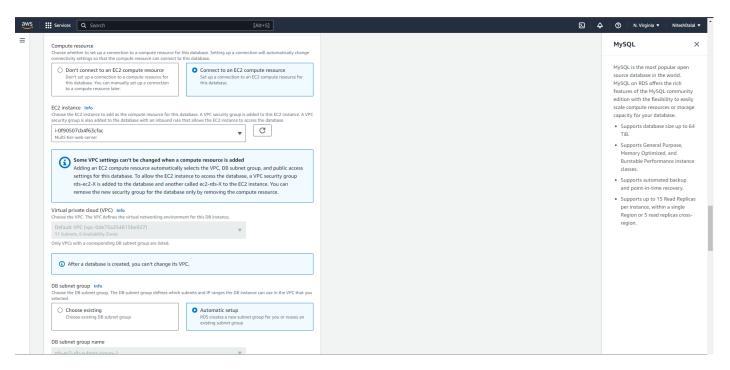
20. Give you DB a master username and password for credentialing purpose.



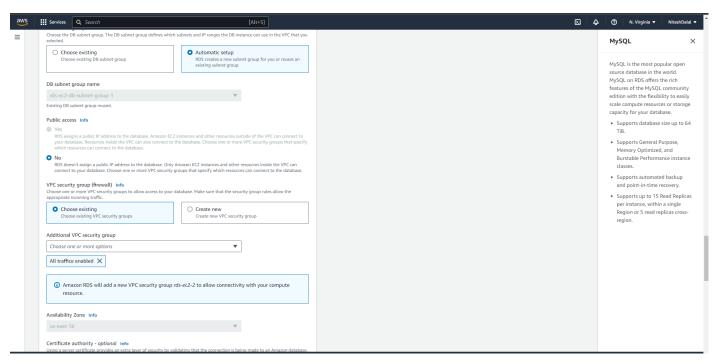
21. Instance configuration with instance class as Burstable classes and storage as 20 GB. Also storage auto calling turned off to avoid cost.



22. Under your Connectivity options choose to Connect with an EC2 compute resource and choose your instance.



23. Choose security group and then click on create database.



- 24. Now we are going to connect to our database using command mysql –h "DB endpoint-name" –u "Master-username" –p and hit enter. Then enter the password as well.
- 25. Then we will be creating a database with name intel by hitting command: create database intel;
- 26. Then we will hit command: use intel; // to switch to our database and create a table over there.
- 27. Now we will hot command create table data(firstname varchar(50), email varchar(50));

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-28-199:/var/www/html% mysql -h multi-tier-db-instance.c3bds9nqaese.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com -u admin -p
Enter password:

wclcome to the MySQL connection id is 15
Server version: 8.0-33 Source distribution

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Type 'help;' or '\h' for help. Type '\c' to clear the current input statement.

mysql> create database intel;
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> use intel;
Database changed
mysql> create table data(firstname varchar(50), email varchar(50));
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)

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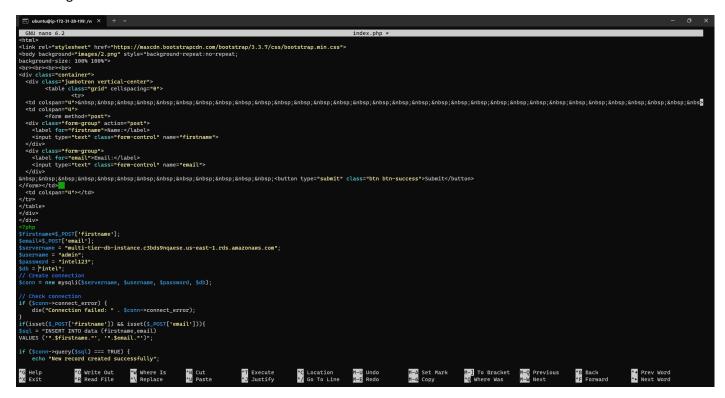
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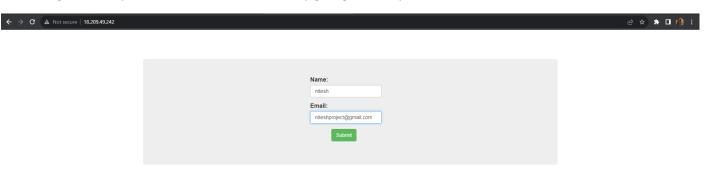
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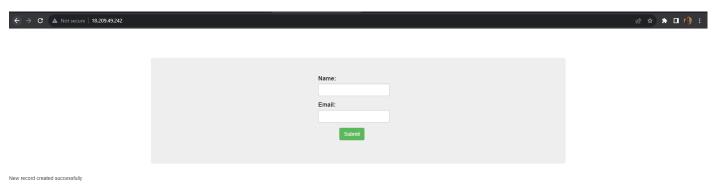
28. Now next step is to edit our index.php file with our DB endpint, DB name, username and the password. Using our nano editor.



29. Now go back to public IP of our instance and try giving some inputs.



30. See message pop up a new record created successfully.



31. Now let's check it from the database end. For that we will again use command. "use intel;" & "select * from data;"