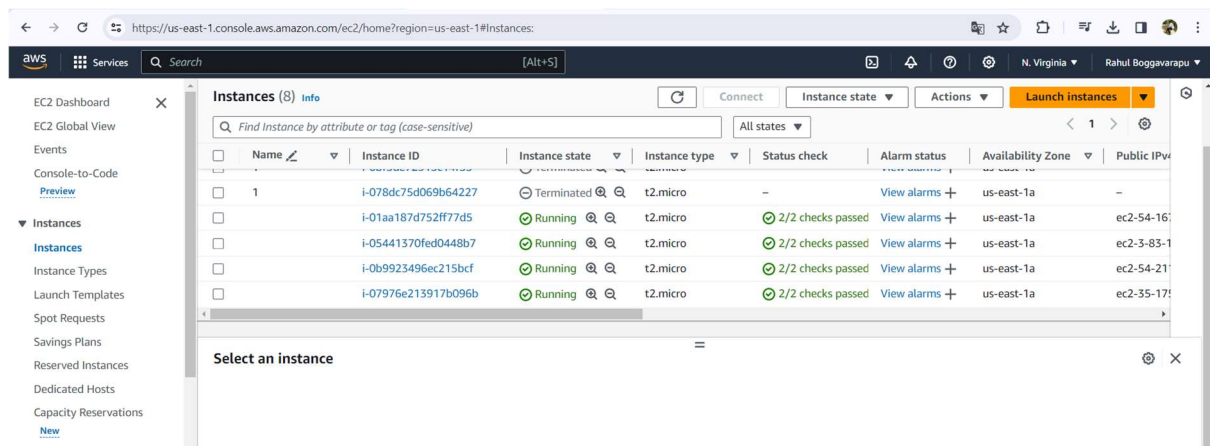


Lab Activity-2

Multiple Hosts with Same PEM Keys:

1. Create an EC2 instance with multiple instances with same key pair.

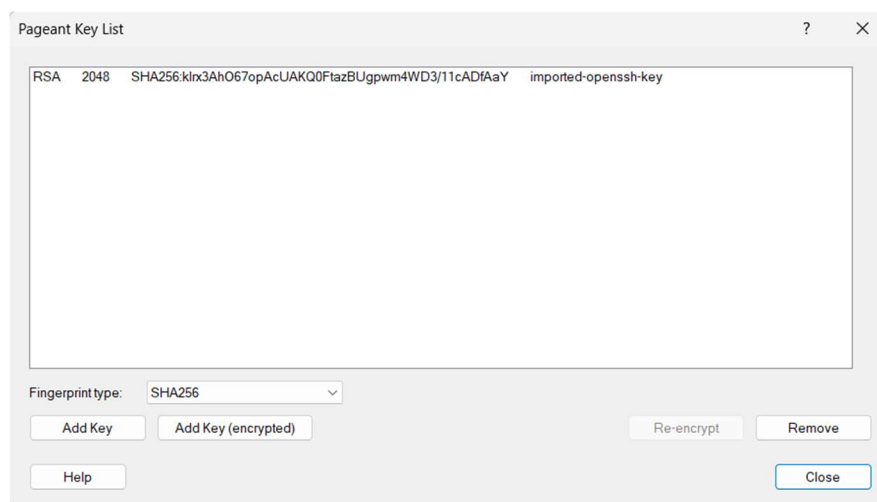


2. Download the putty gen in your windows and configure it.

3. Start Pageant from the PuTTY folder: Start Menu > All Programs > PuTTY > Pageant.

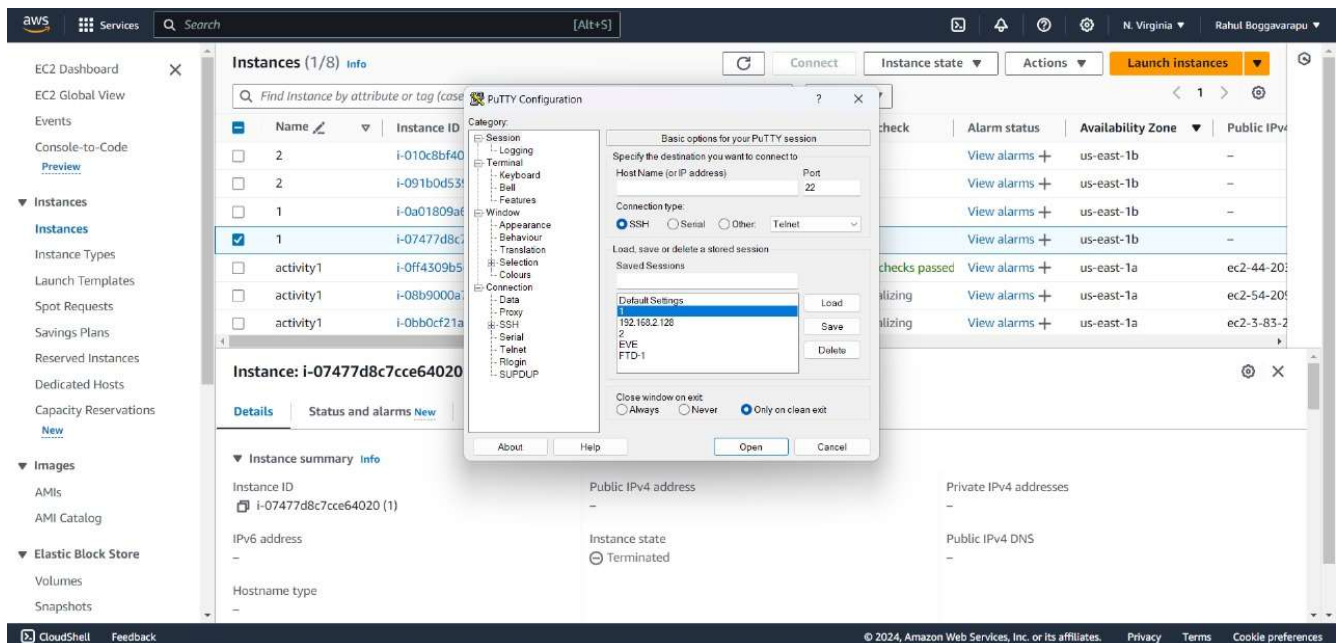
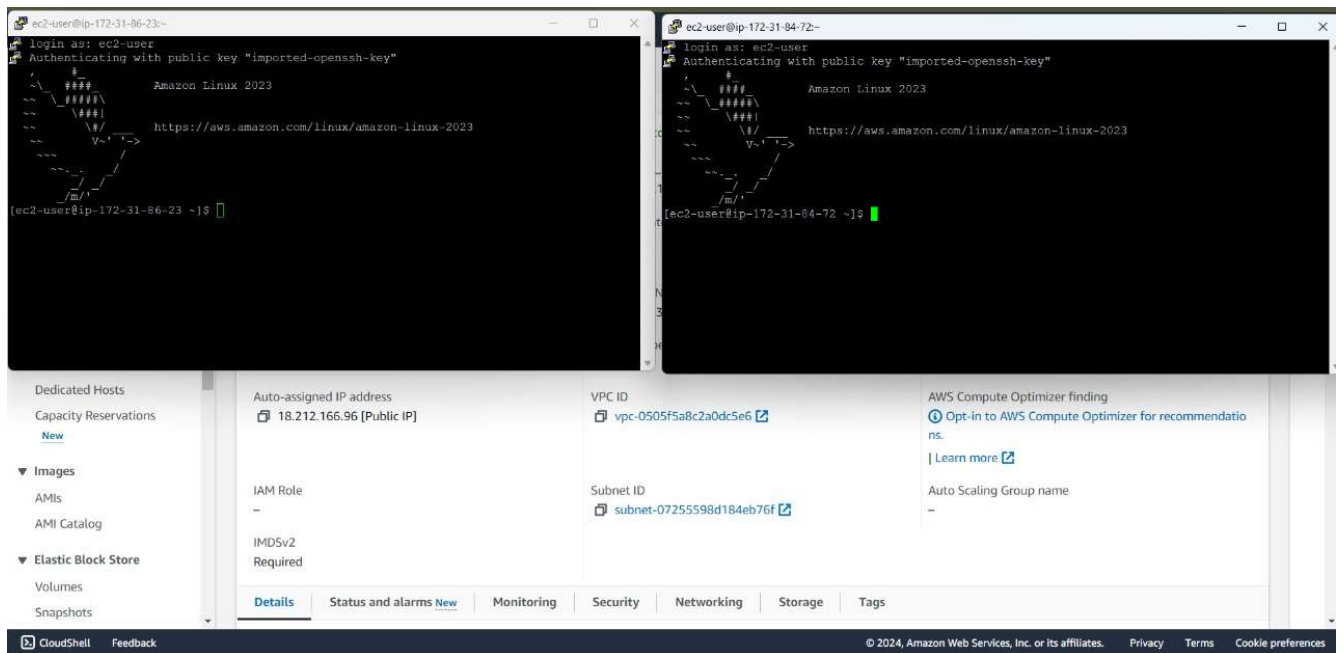
4. Pageant will start minimized in the system tray. Right-click on its icon and select Add Key.

5. In the file explorer, select your .ppk file(s) and click Open to load the keys into Pageant.



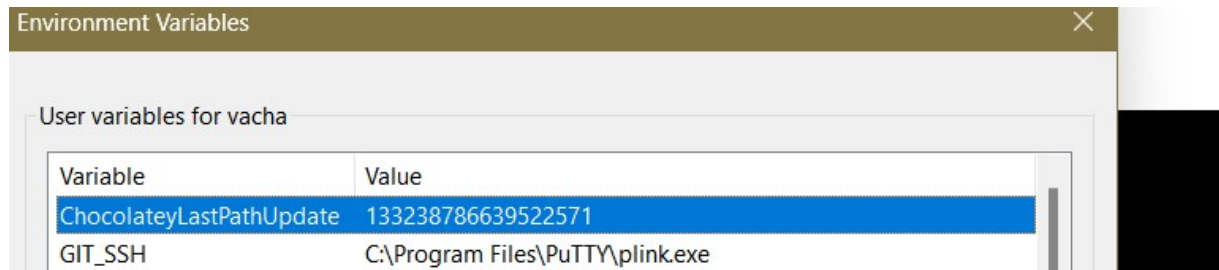
5. When connecting via PuTTY, simply enter your hostname or IP address, and SSH user. PuTTY will automatically try to authenticate using the keys loaded in Pageant.

6. Now you type it in command prompt.

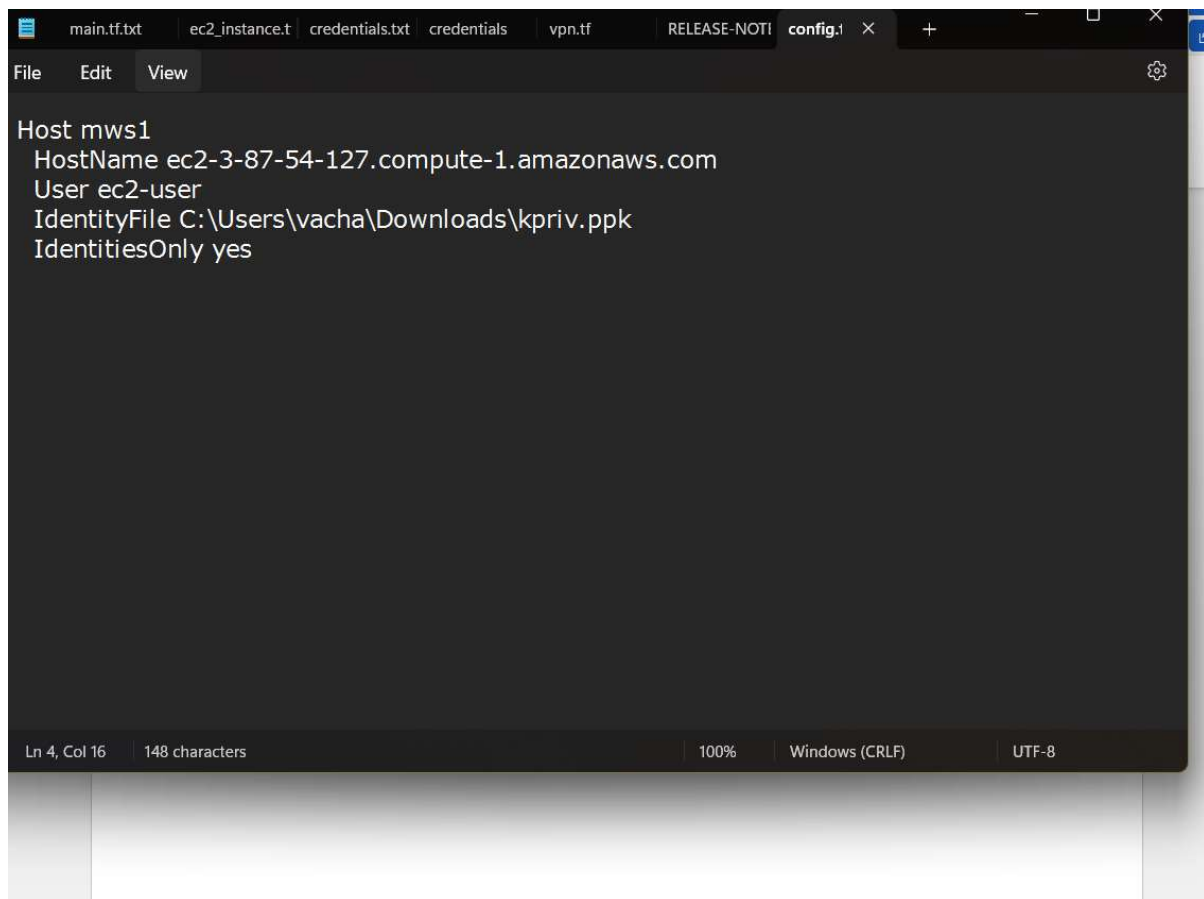


Environment Setup for Local and Remote Hosts

1. Set up an environment variable named GIT_SSH with the path to your plink.exe.



2. Use the ~/.ssh/configfile to configure host shortcuts and keys. Add Identity Agent SSH_AUTH_SOCK to your .ssh/config.



1. Install OpenSSH:
In windows powershell with admin access , type:

Install the OpenSSH Client

Add-WindowsCapability -Online -Name OpenSSH.Client~~~~0.0.1.0

Install the OpenSSH Server

Add-WindowsCapability -Online -Name OpenSSH.Server~~~~0.0.1.0

```
PS C:\Windows\system32> (New-Object Security.Principal.WindowsPrincipal([Security.Principal.WindowsIdentity]::GetCurrent
())).IsInRole([Security.Principal.WindowsBuiltInRole]::Administrator)
True
PS C:\Windows\system32> Get-WindowsCapability -Online | Where-Object Name -like 'OpenSSH*'

Name : OpenSSH.Client~~~~0.0.1.0
State : Installed

Name : OpenSSH.Server~~~~0.0.1.0
State : NotPresent

PS C:\Windows\system32> Add-WindowsCapability -Online -Name OpenSSH.Server~~~~0.0.1.0
```

```
PS C:\Windows\system32> Add-WindowsCapability -Online -Name OpenSSH.Server~~~~0.0.1.0

Path      :
Online    : True
RestartNeeded : False
```

To start and configure OpenSSH Server for initial use, open an elevated PowerShell prompt (right click, Run as an administrator), then run the following commands to start the sshd service:

Start the sshd service Start-Service sshd

OPTIONAL but recommended:

Set-Service -Name sshd -StartupType 'Automatic'

Confirm the Firewall rule is configured. It should be created automatically by setup. Run the following to verify

```
if (!(Get-NetFirewallRule -Name "OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP" -ErrorAction SilentlyContinue |
Select-Object Name, Enabled)) {
Write-Output "Firewall Rule 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' does not exist, creating it..."
New-NetFirewallRule -Name 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' -DisplayName 'OpenSSH Server
(sshd)' -Enabled True -Direction Inbound -Protocol TCP -Action Allow -LocalPort 22
} else {
Write-Output "Firewall rule 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' has been created and exists."
}
```

```

PS C:\Windows\system32> # Start the sshd service
>> Start-Service sshd
PS C:\Windows\system32> Set-Service -Name sshd -StartupType 'Automatic'
PS C:\Windows\system32> if (!(Get-NetFirewallRule -Name "OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP" -ErrorAction SilentlyContinue | Select-Ob
ject Name, Enabled)) {
>>     Write-Output "Firewall Rule 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' does not exist, creating it..."
>>     New-NetFirewallRule -Name 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' -DisplayName 'OpenSSH Server (sshd)' -Enabled True -Direction I
nbound -Protocol TCP -Action Allow -LocalPort 22
>> } else {
>>     Write-Output "Firewall rule 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' has been created and exists."
>> }
Firewall rule 'OpenSSH-Server-In-TCP' has been created and exists.

```

Connect to your server:

ssh domain\username@servername