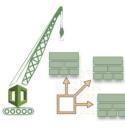
# Deploying containers with Cloudformation

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# What is Cloudformation?

AWS CloudFormation is an infrastructure-as-code tool/service that lets a user describe and provision infrastructure resources in a cloud environment using cloudformation templates.

# Cloudformation

### **Templates**

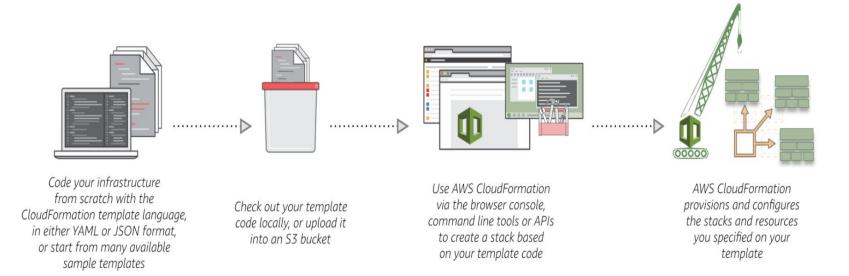
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A yaml or a json based text configuration file that defines the resources to be created

### Stack

Group of resources like EC2 instances, RDS database, Lambda etc are created after you create a Stack in Cloudformation.

## **How it works**



https://aws.amazon.com/cloudformation/

# Demo

- 1) I create a stack with my premade cloudformation template( configuration file)
- 2) Cloudformation provisions an EC2 instance on AWS.
- A script is run on EC2 during Startup that installs docker, builds container image and runs a container accessible with a public IP address.
- 4) We verify the app is running