



Hands-on Lab Part 3: Watson Assistant Service Creation(10 min)

Objective for Exercise:

- How to create a Watson Assistant Service.

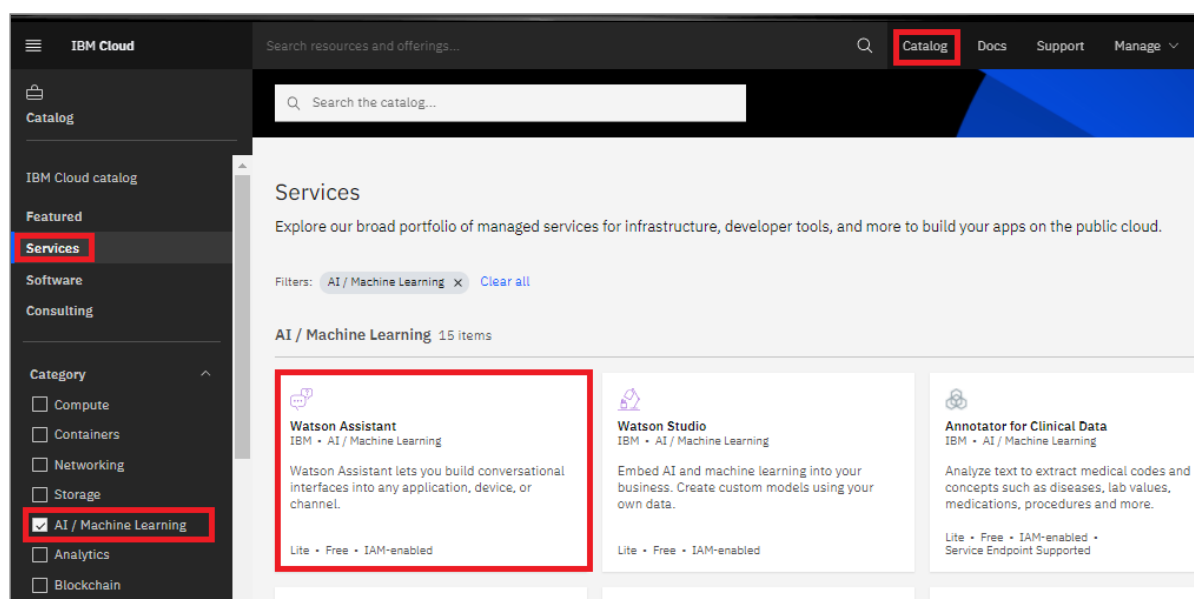
If you already have a Watson Assistant service running in your IBM Cloud account, you are all set. If you don't, please follow these steps to create one. (You can check which services you already created from your IBM Cloud Dashboard).

Task 1: Add a Watson Assistant Service Instance

We need to add an instance of the Watson Assistant service to your account. This will be used later to create chatbot.

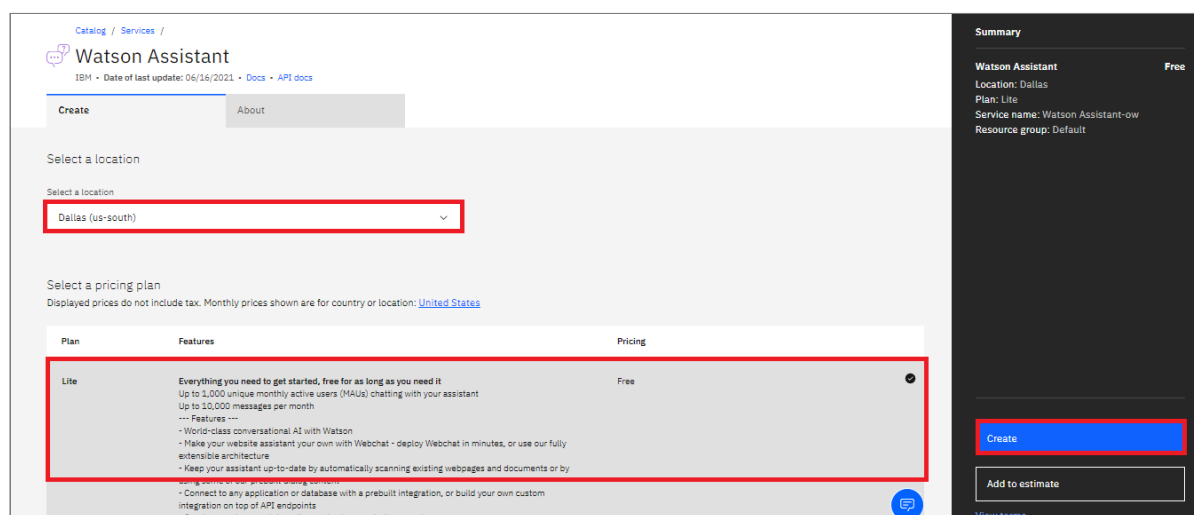
1. Click on the IBM Cloud [Catalog](#)

From the catalog page that loads, Click on the services, select the AI category and then select the Watson Assistant service from the list.

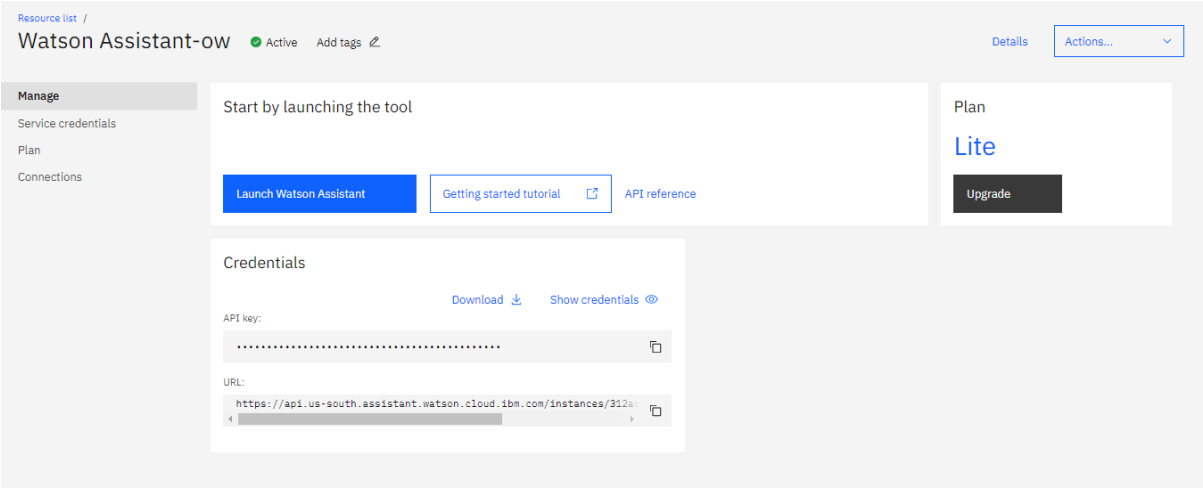


2. In the Watson Assistant setup page, choose a region depending on where you are located. For example, here we have chosen Dallas. Verify that the Lite plan is selected, and then click Create.

Note: If you created a Watson Assistant instance in the past using the Lite plan, you won't be allowed to create a second instance. You can use the instance you already created for this course or you'll need to delete your previous instance and create a new one.



3. Once the service is created you will see the below page, from where you can launch Watson Assistant. Click on the **Launch Watson Assistant** button to access the web application that will allow you to create chatbots.



Congratulations on completing this Lab.

Changelog

Date	Version	Changed by	Change Description
2021-06-17	2.0	Srishti	Created Lab

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