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## Lab 2

To write and execute the SQL statements in this lab, you will need to launch the SQL editor (Run SQL) in your Db2 database instance on IBM Cloud that you created in the previous lab.

NOTE: Some users have reported issues performing this lab using Microsoft Edge. It is recommended using Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox as your web browser to complete these labs.

NOTE: This lab is not related to the content in this module, rather it is intended to prepare you for the next lab.

First, you will launch the SQL editor in the Db2 console using the following steps:

1. Go to the IBM Cloud dashboard (you may need to log into IBM Cloud in the process): <https://cloud.ibm.com/resources>
2. Locate and click on your instance of the Db2 service listed under Services  
(It will typically be named something similar to Db2-xx)

The screenshot shows the IBM Cloud 'Resource list' page. The top navigation bar includes 'IBM Cloud', 'Catalog', 'Docs', 'Support', 'Manage', and 'IBM'. A 'Create resource' button is in the top right. The main content area has a 'Collapse all | Expand all' link. Below is a table with columns: Name, Group, Location, and Status. The table lists various resources, including 'Db2-gm', 'Language Translator-dg', 'Speech to Text-k1', 'Speech to Text-qj', 'Watson Studio-rd', 'cloud-object-storage-lu', and 'Network'. The 'Db2-gm' resource is highlighted with a red box. A 'FEEDBACK' button is visible on the right side of the table.

Name	Group	Location	Status
> Devices (0)			
> VPC infrastructure (0)			
> Clusters (0)			
> Cloud Foundry apps (0)			
> Cloud Foundry services (0)			
▼ Services (5)			
Db2-gm	Default	Dallas	Provisioned
Language Translator-dg	Default	Dallas	Provisioned
Speech to Text-k1	Default	Dallas	Provisioned
Speech to Text-qj	Default	Dallas	Provisioned
Watson Studio-rd	Default	Dallas	Provisioned
▼ Storage (1)			
cloud-object-storage-lu	Default	Global	Provisioned
> Network (0)			
> Cloud Foundry enterprise environments (0)			

3. Click on the **Open Console** button.

The screenshot shows the IBM Cloud 'Db2-gm' console page. The top navigation bar includes 'IBM Cloud', 'Catalog', 'Docs', 'Support', 'Manage', and 'IBM'. The left sidebar has links for 'Getting started', 'Manage', 'Service credentials', and 'Connections'. The main content area shows the 'Db2-gm' resource details, including 'Resource group: Default' and 'Location: Dallas'. A red box highlights the 'Open Console' button. Below the button are two sections: 'Getting Started' and 'Need Help?'. The 'Getting Started' section includes a link to 'Getting Started' and a 'Where can I find my credentials?' section. The 'Need Help?' section includes a link to 'IBM dW Answers' and a 'Support Ticket' button. A 'FEEDBACK' button is visible on the right side of the page.

Resource list / Db2-gm

Resource group: Default Location: Dallas [Add Tags](#)

**Open Console**

**Getting Started**

**Where can I find my credentials?**  
Get your username and password by clicking the "Service Credentials" link to the left and selecting "New Credentials".

[Getting Started](#)

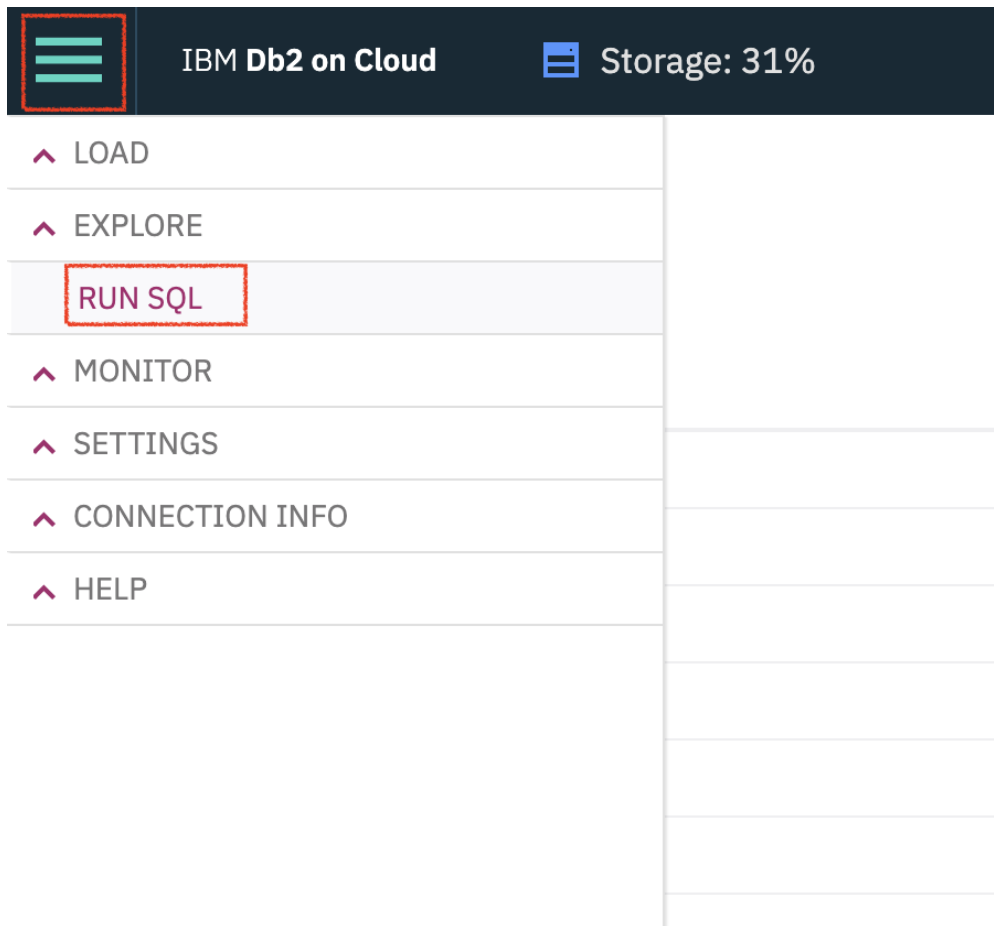
**Need Help?**

Use IBM dW Answers to view recently asked questions or ask your own. Still unable to find an answer? Submit a Bluemix Support Ticket to our team.

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[Support Ticket](#)

4. The Db2 console will open in a new tab in your web browser. Click on the 3 bar menu icon in the top left corner and then click on RUN SQL



4. Create a Blank file. The SQL editor will open where you can start typing and running queries.

Good luck!



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