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# Introduction to AWS/GCP

16-824 Visual Learning and Recognition (Fall 2022)

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# Course Logistics

- You will receive \$50 of AWS credit per homework
  - We will send this credit out soon via email
- \$50 GCP credit sent for HW1
  - We will send \$100 more GCP credits later

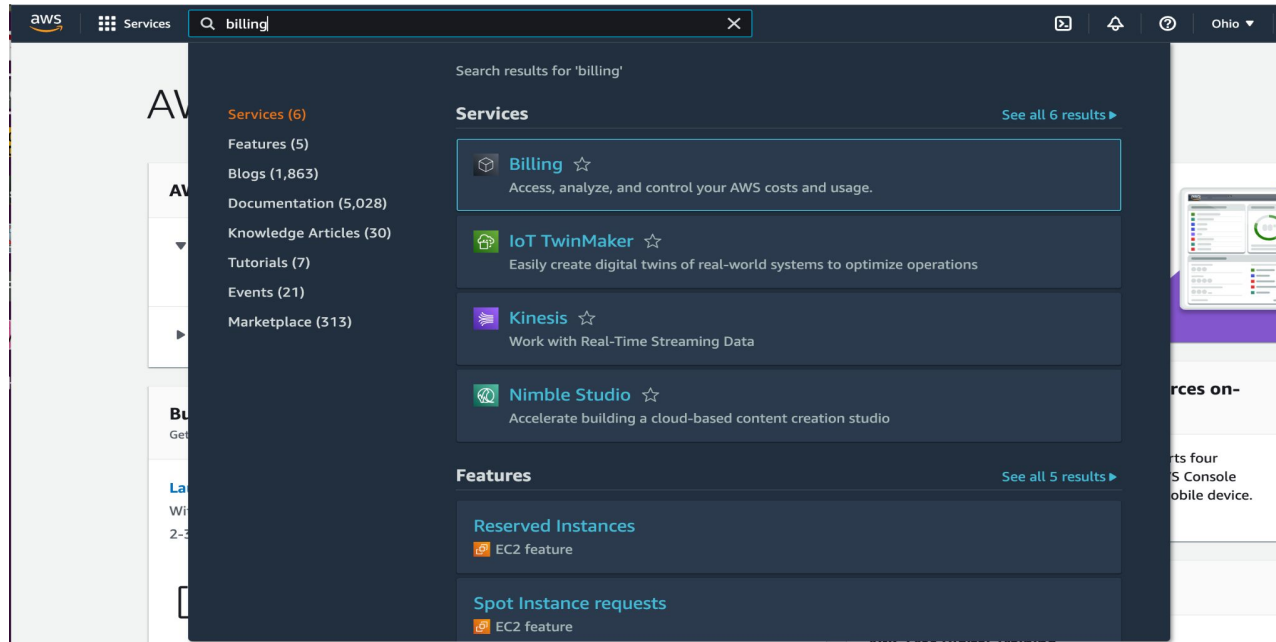
# Other Resources

- Personal Laptop / Lab GPU Server
  - We cannot provide installation support
- Google Colab
  - Free GPU access (time limited)
  - Very easy to set up
  - Might need pro (\$10/mo) for smoother experience

# AWS Account Setup

- **Use andrew email address**
- <https://aws.amazon.com/console/>
- Redeem credits via billing console

- Apply the credits to your AWS account
  - AWS console - Billing - Credits - Redeem Credit - Enter Promo Code



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The screenshot shows the AWS Billing console 'Credits' page. The top navigation bar includes the AWS logo, 'Services' link, a search bar, and user information. The left sidebar lists various billing and cost management options. The main content area is titled 'Credits' and shows a summary of credit usage. The summary table indicates that the total amount remaining is \$0.00, the total amount used is \$0.00, and there are 0 active credits. Below the summary, there is a section for 'Credits' with a search bar and a table. The table has columns for 'Expiration date', 'Credit name', 'Amount used', 'Amount remaining', and 'Applicable products'. The table is currently empty, displaying a 'No credits' message and a 'Redeem credit' button.

Expiration date	Credit name	Amount used	Amount remaining	Applicable products
No credits You don't have any redeemable credits.				

# Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2)

- Visual learning is computation-intensive, requiring special hardware: GPU
- EC2 provides resizable compute capacity in the cloud
- Easy deployment of hardware, system softwares and data storage according to your demand and budget

# EC2 Instances


- An instance is a virtual machine with specific hardware configuration
- Life cycle of an instance:
  - Launch
  - **Stop - when you are not working on EC2, only charges storage**
  - (Re)start
  - Terminate - be careful, the instance and root storage will be deleted.



# EC2 Instances Types

- Various instance types available - different in RAMs, CPUs, GPUs
- t2.micro: baseline CPU performance
  - 750 hours of free usage per month
  - (Optional) write code; test part of code
- p2.xlarge: what we use for assignments and projects
  - 4-core CPU, Nvidia Tesla K80 (11,441MB memory)
  - **costs \$0.9 per Hour**
- g4dn instances: alternative for initial testing with GPU

# EC2 Dashboard

 New EC2 Experience  
[Tell us what you think](#)

EC2 Dashboard

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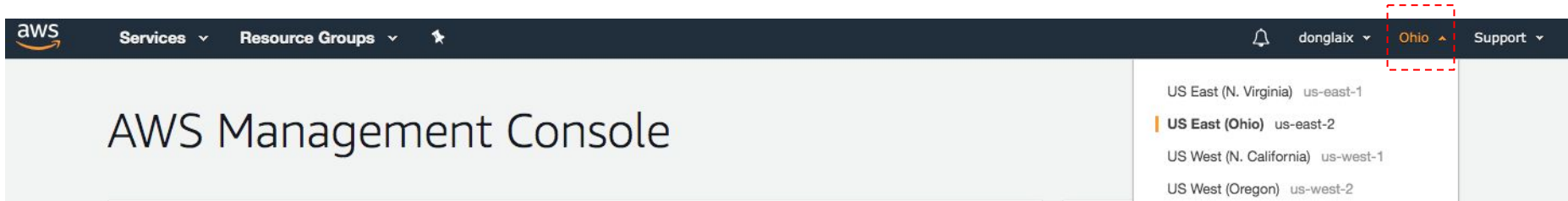
No matching instances found

Select an instance

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# EC2 Regions



# EC2 Limits

## AWS Support Center

### How can we help?

 New! You can now search for support cases from your case history using the search bar on this page.

 Search for articles or support cases

### Open support cases

[View all cases](#)

[Create case](#)

- Increase limit for P instances and G instances
- You won't be able to launch any instances with GPU until you request this service limit increase
- **Do this ASAP - it takes a while for AWS to approve**

# EC2 Limits

Create case [Info](#)

Account and billing support  
Assistance with account and billing-related inquiries

**Service limit increase**  
Requests to increase the service limit of your AWS resources

Technical support  
Service-related technical issues and third-party applications  
Unavailable under the Basic Support Plan

Case details

Limit type  
EC2 Instances

Severity [Info](#)  
The severity levels available are determined by your support subscription.  
General question

**Announcement**  
Service Quota increases are moving to the new Service Quotas dashboard. You can use the Service Quotas dashboard to view and manage your quotas for AWS services from a central location. Not all services are supported at this time. [Learn more.](#)  
[Service Quotas dashboard](#)

Requests

To request additional limit increases for the same limit type, choose **Add another request**. To request an increase for a different limit type, create a separate limit increase request.

**Request 1** [Remove](#)

Region  
US East (Ohio)

Primary Instance Type  
All P Instances

Limit  
Instance Limit

New limit value  
10

[Add another request](#)

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## EC2 Dashboard New

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Elastic IPs New

We're redesigning the EC2 console to make it easier to use and improve performance. We'll release new screens periodically. We encourage you to try them and let us know where console and the new console, use the New EC2 Experience toggle.

EC2

## Resources



You are using the following Amazon EC2 resources in the US East (Ohio) Region:

Running Instances	1	Elastic IPs	0	Dedicated Hosts	0
Snapshots	0	Volumes	1	Load balancers	0
Key pairs	1	Security groups	7	Placement groups	0

Easily size, configure, and deploy Microsoft SQL Server Always On availability groups on AWS using the AWS Launch Wizard for SQL Server. [Learn more](#)



## Launch instance

To get started, launch an Amazon EC2 instance, which is a virtual server in the cloud.

[Launch instance](#)

Note: Your instances will launch in the US East (Ohio) Region

## Scheduled events



## Service health



[Service Health Dashboard](#)

Region

US East (Ohio)

Status

This service is operating normally

## Availability Zone status

Zone

us-east-2a (use2-az1)

Status

Availability Zone is operating normally

1. Choose AMI
2. Choose Instance Type
3. Configure Instance
4. Add Storage
5. Add Tags
6. Configure Security Group
7. Review

## Step 1: Choose an Amazon Machine Image (AMI)

or the AWS Marketplace; or you can select one of your own AMIs.

[Cancel and Exit](#)

[Search by Systems Manager parameter](#)


**Quick Start (8)**


My AMIs (0)

AWS Marketplace (266)

Community AMIs (688)

☐ Free tier only ⓘ

**Deep Learning AMI (Ubuntu 18.04) Version 54.0** - ami-0476bba883df7cca6  
MXNet-1.8.0 & 1.7.0, TensorFlow-2.4.3, 2.3.4 & 1.15.5, PyTorch-1.7.1 & 1.8.1, Neuron, & others. NVIDIA CUDA, cuDNN, NCCL, Intel MKL-DNN, Docker, NVIDIA-Docker & EFA support. For fully managed experience, check: <https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker>  
Root device type: ebs   Virtualization type: hvm   ENA Enabled: Yes  
[Select](#)  
64-bit (x86)

**Deep Learning AMI GPU PyTorch 1.10.0 (Amazon Linux 2) 20211115** - ami-0ba823678b2e6eed8  
Built with PyTorch conda environment, NVIDIA CUDA, cuDNN, NCCL, GPU Driver, Docker, NVIDIA-Docker and EFA support. For a fully managed experience, check: <https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker>  
Root device type: ebs   Virtualization type: hvm   ENA Enabled: Yes  
[Select](#)  
64-bit (x86)

**Deep Learning AMI (Amazon Linux 2) Version 51.0** - ami-04f364f94781fb3f4  
[Select](#)

## Step 2: Choose an Instance Type

Amazon EC2 provides a wide selection of instance types optimized to fit different use cases. Instances are virtual servers that can run applications. They have varying combinations of CPU, memory, storage, and networking capacity, and give you the flexibility to choose the appropriate mix of resources for your applications. [Learn more](#) about instance types and how they can meet your computing needs.

Filter by: p2 Current generation [Show/Hide Columns](#)

Currently selected: p2.xlarge (- ECUs, 4 vCPUs, 2.7 GHz, -, 61 GiB memory, EBS only)								
	Family	Type	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GB)	EBS-Optimized Available	Network Performance	IPv6 Support
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	p2	p2.xlarge	4	61	EBS only	Yes	High	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	p2	p2.8xlarge	32	488	EBS only	Yes	10 Gigabit	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	p2	p2.16xlarge	64	732	EBS only	Yes	25 Gigabit	Yes

Choose t2.micro for CPU,  
or if P instance type limits aren't set

[Cancel](#)

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[Next: Configure Instance Details](#)



### Step 3: Configure Instance Details

Configure the instance to suit your requirements. You can launch multiple instances from the same AMI, request Spot instances to take advantage of the lower pricing, assign an access management role to the instance, and more.

Number of instances	<input type="text" value="1"/>	<a href="#">Launch into Auto Scaling Group</a>
Purchasing option	<input type="checkbox"/> Request Spot instances	
Network	<input type="text" value="vpc-a688b4ce (default)"/>	<a href="#">Create new VPC</a>
Subnet	<input type="text" value="No preference (default subnet in any Availability Zone)"/>	<a href="#">Create new subnet</a>
Auto-assign Public IP	<input type="text" value="Use subnet setting (Enable)"/>	
Hostname type	<input type="text" value="Use subnet setting (IP name)"/>	
DNS Hostname	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable IP name IPv4 (A record) DNS requests <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable resource-based IPv4 (A record) DNS requests <input type="checkbox"/> Enable resource-based IPv6 (AAAA record) DNS requests	
Placement group	<input type="checkbox"/> Add instance to placement group	
Capacity Reservation	<input type="text" value="Open"/>	
Domain join directory	<input type="text" value="No directory"/>	<a href="#">Create new directory</a>

[Cancel](#)[Previous](#)[Review and Launch](#)[Next: Add Storage](#)

Just click Add Storage  
Do NOT change any settings

## Step 4: Add Storage

Your instance will be launched with the following storage device settings. You can attach additional EBS volumes and instance store volumes to your instance, or edit the settings of the root volume. You can also attach additional EBS volumes after launching an instance, but not instance store volumes. [Learn more](#) about storage options in Amazon EC2.

Volume Type <sup>i</sup>	Device <sup>i</sup>	Snapshot <sup>i</sup>	Size (GiB) <sup>i</sup>	Volume Type <sup>i</sup>	IOPS <sup>i</sup>	Throughput (MB/s) <sup>i</sup>	Delete on Termination <sup>i</sup>	Encryption <sup>i</sup>
Root	/dev/sda1	snap-0afe27d2ce58f1639	130	General Purpose SSD (gp2)	390 / 3000	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypt <sup>▼</sup>

Add New Volume

Free tier eligible customers can get up to 30 GB of EBS General Purpose (SSD) or Magnetic storage. [Learn more](#) about free usage tier eligibility and usage restrictions.

### ▼ Shared file systems <sup>i</sup>

You currently don't have any file systems on this instance. Select "Add file system" button below to add a file system.

Add file system

Cancel

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## Step 7: Review Instance Launch

### ▼ AMI Details

[Edit AMI](#)

#### Deep Learning AMI (Ubuntu 18.04) Version 54.0 - ami-0476bba883df7cca6

MXNet-1.8.0 & 1.7.0, TensorFlow-2.4.3, 2.3.4 & 1.15.5, PyTorch-1.7.1 & 1.8.1, Neuron, & others. NVIDIA CUDA, cuDNN, NCCL, Intel MKL-DNN, Docker, NVIDIA-Docker & EFA support. For fully managed experience, check: <https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker>

Root Device Type: ebs    Virtualization type: hvm

### ▼ Instance Type

[Edit instance type](#)

Instance Type	ECUs	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GB)	EBS-Optimized Available	Network Performance
p2.xlarge	-	4	61	EBS only	Yes	High

### ▼ Security Groups

[Edit security groups](#)

#### Security group name

launch-wizard-20

#### Description

launch-wizard-20 created 2022-02-08T19:31:08.619-05:00

Type ⓘ	Protocol ⓘ	Port Range ⓘ	Source ⓘ	Description ⓘ
SSH	TCP	22	0.0.0.0/0	

### ► Instance Details

[Edit instance details](#)

### ► Storage

[Edit storage](#)

### ► Tags

[Edit tags](#)

Just click Launch  
Do NOT change any settings

[Cancel](#)[Previous](#)[Launch](#)

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## Select an existing key pair or create a new key pair



A key pair consists of a **public key** that AWS stores, and a **private key file** that you store. Together, they allow you to connect to your instance securely. For Windows AMIs, the private key file is required to obtain the password used to log into your instance. For Linux AMIs, the private key file allows you to securely SSH into your instance.

Note: The selected key pair will be added to the set of keys authorized for this instance. Learn more about [removing existing key pairs from a public AMI](#).

Create a new key pair

Key pair name

my-key-pair-name

Download Key Pair



You have to download the **private key file** (\*.pem file) before you can continue. **Store it in a secure and accessible location.** You will not be able to download the file again after it's created.

Cancel

Launch Instances

1. Name your key pair
2. Download key pair
3. Launch

Comments:

1. Make sure that you store key pair file safely and privately. You won't be able to log into an instance if its key pair is lost.
2. You may choose to reuse an existing key pair when you launch a second instance. Make sure you can still find the key pair.

# Check your instance status

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Instance ID	Instance Type	Availability Zone	Instance State	Status Checks	Alarm Status	Public DNS (IPv4)	IPv4 Public IP	IPv6 IPs	Key Name	Monitoring
<input type="checkbox"/>		i-05046535507da87...	p2.xlarge	us-east-2b	running	✓ 2/2 checks ...	None	ec2-18-188-76-159.us-...	18.188.76.159	-	t2.micro	disabled

# Instructions for login

The screenshot shows the AWS Management Console interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'Launch Instance', 'Connect', and 'Actions'. The 'Connect' button is highlighted with a red dashed box. Below these buttons is a search bar and a table of instances. The first instance in the table has the ID 'i-05046535507da87...' and is in the 'running' state. A modal window titled 'Connect to your instance' is open, showing the following content:

**Connect to your instance**

Connection method

- ☒ A standalone SSH client (i)
- ☐ Session Manager (i)
- ☐ EC2 Instance Connect (browser-based SSH connection) (i)

To access your instance:

1. Open an SSH client. (find out how to [connect using PuTTY](#))
2. Locate your private key file (t2.micro.pem). The wizard automatically detects the key you used to launch the instance.
3. Your key must not be publicly viewable for SSH to work. Use this command if needed:  

```
chmod 400 t2.micro.pem
```
4. Connect to your instance using its Public DNS:  

```
ec2-18-188-76-159.us-east-2.compute.amazonaws.com
```

Example:

```
ssh -i "t2.micro.pem" ubuntu@ec2-18-188-76-159.us-east-2.compute.amazonaws.com
```

Please note that in most cases the username above will be correct, however please ensure that you read your AMI usage instructions to ensure that the AMI owner has not changed the default AMI username.

If you need any assistance connecting to your instance, please see our [connection documentation](#).

Close

# Login via SSH

Open a terminal on Mac OS /Linux, or similar alternatives on Windows  
Change directory (cd) to where you store the key pair;  
Change the key pair to be only readable by yourself

```
chmod 0400 <path_to_key_file>
```

After that, log in via ssh. Check the username and public ip from the previous slide

```
ssh -i <path_to_key_file> <username>@<public_ip_from_EC2>
```

```
=====
 _ | ( _ | - )
 _ | ( _ | - ) /
 _ | \ _ | _ |
=====
Deep Learning Base AMI (Ubuntu 16.04) Version 21.0
=====
```

Welcome to Ubuntu 16.04.6 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.4.0-1098-aws x86\_64v)

Nvidia driver version: 418.87.01

CUDA versions available: cuda-10.0 cuda-8.0 cuda-9.0 cuda-9.2

Default CUDA version is 10.0

Libraries: cuDNN, NCCL, Intel MKL-DNN

AWS Deep Learning AMI Homepage: <https://aws.amazon.com/machine-learning/amis/>

Developer Guide and Release Notes: <https://docs.aws.amazon.com/dlami/latest/devguide/what-is-dlami.html>

Support: <https://forums.aws.amazon.com/forum.jspa?forumID=263>

For a fully managed experience, check out Amazon SageMaker at <https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker>

When using INF1 type instances, please update regularly using the instructions at: <https://github.com/aws/aws-neuron-sdk/tree/master/release-notes>

```
=====
* Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
* Management:   https://landscape.canonical.com
* Support:      https://ubuntu.com/advantage
=====
```

\* Multipass 1.0 is out! Get Ubuntu VMs on demand on your Linux, Windows or Mac. Supports cloud-init for fast, local, cloud devops simulation.

<https://multipass.run/>

Get cloud support with Ubuntu Advantage Cloud Guest:

<http://www.ubuntu.com/business/services/cloud>

59 packages can be updated.

87 updates are security updates.

The programs included with the Ubuntu system are free software;  
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the  
individual files in /usr/share/doc/\*/copyright.

Ubuntu comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by  
applicable law.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-25-48:~$ ls
Nvidia_Cloud_EULA.pdf  README  src  tools
```



# Configure Anaconda Environment

```
$ wget https://repo.continuum.io/archive/Anaconda3-2019.10-Linux-x86\_64.sh  
$ bash Anaconda3-2019.10-Linux-x86_64.sh
```

Agree to terms and conditions; yes to everything (including conda init); use default installation path.

```
$ source ~/.bashrc  
$ conda create -n pytorch_p36 python=3.6
```

Create an environment called pytorch\_p36, with the Python 3.6 interpreter.

```
$ conda activate pytorch_p36  
$ conda install pytorch=1.3.0 torchvision cudatoolkit=10.1 -c pytorch
```

Now you should be able to use PyTorch on your instance.

# Amazon Machine Images (AMI)

- A template of pre-installed system softwares and libraries
  - For deep learning: Linux OS, Nvidia GPU driver, CUDA, cuDNN, etc.
- When an instance is launched, a root storage is created with a copy of AMI.
- **Deep Learning AMI - we prefer base AMI w/ Ubuntu 18**



**Deep Learning AMI (Ubuntu 18.04) Version 54.0** - ami-0476bba883df7cca6

MXNet-1.8.0 & 1.7.0, TensorFlow-2.4.3, 2.3.4 & 1.15.5, PyTorch-1.7.1 & 1.8.1, Neuron, & others. NVIDIA CUDA, cuDNN, NCCL, Intel MKL-DNN, Docker, NVIDIA-Docker & EFA support. For fully managed experience, check: <https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker>

Root device type: ebs    Virtualization type: hvm    ENA Enabled: Yes

Select

64-bit (x86)

# Storage - Amazon Elastic Block Store (EBS)

- General Purpose SSD (gp2)
  - **\$0.1 per GB-month**
  - 30 GB-month per month of free usage for the first 12 months
- Incurs charges as long as the EBS is **active**
  - "Active" means that it is allocated to your account, until it is deleted.
  - Even if it stores no data
  - Even if it is not attached to your instance

# Root Storage vs. Additional Storage

- **Root storage**

- Automatically created when an instance is launched
- Stores OS, libraries
- Automatically deleted when an instance is terminated
- Instance cannot boot when root storage is detached
- 50GB for the deep learning AMI

- **Additional storage**

- Need to create manually
- **Stores your code, model checkpoints & dataset**
- Need to delete manually
- Can be detached from or attached to different instances
- 20 GB for the 1st assignment
- Must be in the same availability zone as the instance

# Python/Pytorch Development on AWS

- Deep Learning Base AMI provides almost everything except Python
- Anaconda enables easy Python library management
- Create an environment with Python 3.6
- Alternative: virtualenv & pip
  - we don't provide instruction
- Use IDE like [VSCode](#) to write code w/ a nice UI (some conda integration)

# Create additional storage (Optional)

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Launch Instance

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Filter by tags and attributes or search by keyword

	Name	Instance ID	Instance Type	Availability Zone	Instance State	Status Checks	Alarm Status	Public DNS (IPv4)	IPv4 Public IP	IPv6 IPs	Key Name	Monitoring
<input type="checkbox"/>		i-05046535507da87...	p2.xlarge	us-east-2b	running	2/2 checks ...	None	ec2-18-188-76-159.us-...	18.188.76.159	-	t2.micro	<input type="checkbox"/> disabled

Important: check the availability zone of your instance; your additional storage must be in the same zone.

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Name



Volume ID



vol-013d492

## Create Volume

Volume Type

General Purpose SSD (gp2)



Size (GiB)

20

(Min: 1 GiB, Max: 16384 GiB)



IOPS 100 / 3000

(Baseline of 3 IOPS per GiB with a minimum of 100 IOPS, burstable to 3000 IOPS)



Availability Zone\*

us-east-2b



Throughput (MB/s) Not applicable



Snapshot ID

Select a snapshot



Encryption

☐

Encrypt this volume



Filter by tags and attributes or search by keyword



1 to 2 of 2

	Name	Volume ID	Size	Volume Type	IOPS	Snapshot	Created	Availability Zone	State	Alarm Status	Attachmer
<input type="checkbox"/>		vol-013d492...	50 GiB	gp2	150	snap-051911fd...	February 9, 2020 at...	us-east-2b	<span style="color: green;">●</span> in-use	None	i-05046535
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		vol-054b7e9...	20 GiB	gp2			February 9, 2020 at...	us-east-2b	<span style="color: blue;">●</span> available	None	

- Modify Volume
- Create Snapshot
- Delete Volume
- Attach Volume
- Detach Volume
- Force Detach Volume
- Change Auto-Enable IO Setting
- Add/Edit Tags

## Attach Volume



**Volume** ⓘ vol-054b7e9740990770e in us-east-2b

**Instance** ⓘ  in us-east-2b

**Device** ⓘ

Linux Devices: /dev/sdf through /dev/sdp

Fill in the ID of your GPU instance

Default device name

Note: Newer Linux kernels may rename your devices to /dev/xvdf through /dev/xvdp internally, even when the device name entered here (and shown in the details) is /dev/sdf through /dev/sdp.

Cancel

Attach

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# Initialize & mount additional storage

- `lsblk`
  - show the attached devices (find the name of the attached EBS volume)
- `sudo file -s /dev/<device_name>`
  - show whether the device has a filesystem
- `sudo mkfs -t ext4 /dev/<device_name>`
  - e.g. `sudo mkfs -t ext4 /dev/xvdf`
  - create the ext4 file system on the device (do this only if the previous command returned "data")
- `sudo mkdir <mount_point>`
  - e.g. `sudo mkdir /mnt/data`
  - make a folder for mounting the volume
- `sudo mount <device_name> <mount_point>`
  - e.g. `sudo mount /dev/xvdf /mnt/data`
  - mount the volume
- `sudo chmod 777 -R <mount_point>`
  - add permissions to access the folder

```
(base) ubuntu@ip-172-31-25-48:~$ lsblk
NAME        MAJ:MIN RM  SIZE RO TYPE MOUNTPOINT
xvda         202:0    0   50G  0 disk
└─xvda1      202:1    0   50G  0 part /
xvdf         202:80   0    20G  0 disk
```

/dev/sdf in previous slide renamed to /dev/xvdf

# Test additional storage

- `cd <mount point>`
  - go to the mount point of the additional storage, e.g., `/mnt/data`
- `wget http://host.robots.ox.ac.uk/pascal/VOC/voc2007/VOCtest\_06-Nov-2007.tar`
  - download the dataset required for the 1st assignment
  - also store your code and model checkpoints on additional EBS storage
- `df -h`
  - show the usage on the disks
  - monitor root storage and additional storage

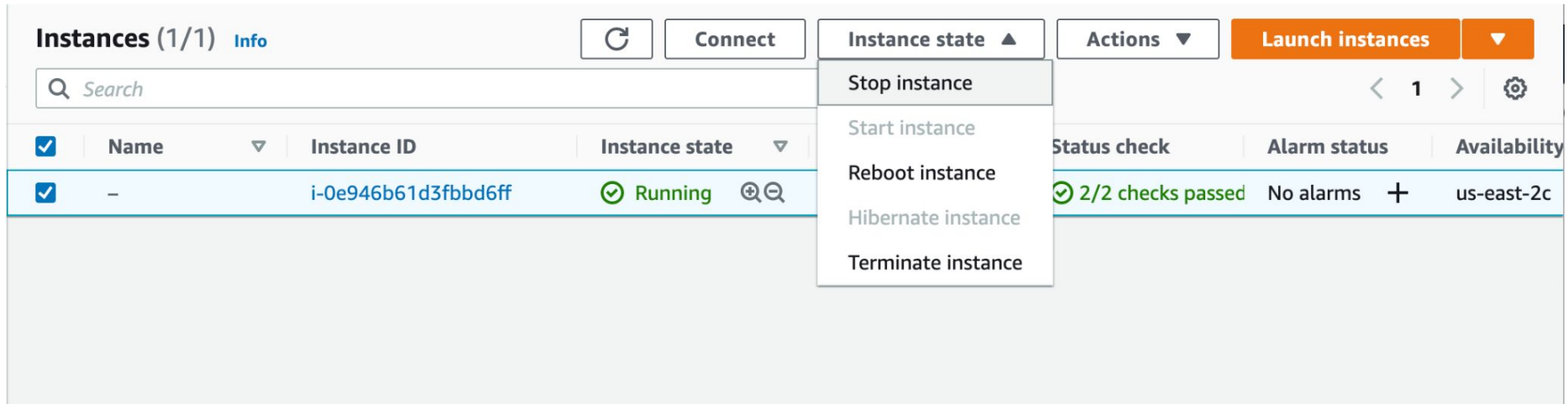
```
(base) ubuntu@ip-172-31-25-48:/mnt/data$ df -h
```

Filesystem	Size	Used	Avail	Use%	Mounted on
udev	30G	0	30G	0%	/dev
tmpfs	6.0G	8.8M	6.0G	1%	/run
/dev/xvda1	49G	36G	13G	74%	/
tmpfs	30G	0	30G	0%	/dev/shm
tmpfs	5.0M	0	5.0M	0%	/run/lock
tmpfs	30G	0	30G	0%	/sys/fs/cgroup
/dev/loop0	88M	88M	0	100%	/snap/core/5742
/dev/loop1	17M	17M	0	100%	/snap/amazon-ssm-agent/784
/dev/loop2	18M	18M	0	100%	/snap/amazon-ssm-agent/1480
/dev/loop3	90M	90M	0	100%	/snap/core/8268
tmpfs	6.0G	0	6.0G	0%	/run/user/1000
/dev/xvdf	20G	475M	19G	3%	/mnt/data

root storage

additional storage

# Final Word: Stop your instance! For now..



The screenshot displays the AWS Management Console interface for EC2 instances. At the top, the header shows 'Instances (1/1)' with an 'Info' link. Below this is a search bar and a table of instances. The table has columns for 'Name', 'Instance ID', and 'Instance state'. A single instance is listed with ID 'i-0e946b61d3fbbd6ff' and state 'Running'. To the right of the instance list, there are summary cards for 'Status check' (2/2 checks passed), 'Alarm status' (No alarms), and 'Availability' (us-east-2c). An 'Instance state' dropdown menu is open, showing options: 'Stop instance' (highlighted), 'Start instance', 'Reboot instance', 'Hibernate instance', and 'Terminate instance'. Other buttons like 'Connect', 'Launch instances', and 'Actions' are also visible.

	Name	Instance ID	Instance state
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	-	i-0e946b61d3fbbd6ff	Running

Summary cards:

- Status check: 2/2 checks passed
- Alarm status: No alarms
- Availability: us-east-2c

Instance state menu options:

- Stop instance
- Start instance
- Reboot instance
- Hibernate instance
- Terminate instance

# Google Cloud Platform

Same Idea

- structure
- billing strategy
- increase quotas
- create instance (pay attention to many details).

# GCP Account Setup

- **Use personal email address**
  - Do not use andrew account (Will likely face organization error)
- <https://cloud.google.com/>
- Redeem credits at: <https://console.cloud.google.com/education>

# Google Cloud Platform

- Redeem coupon to your personal account

<https://console.cloud.google.com/education>

Google Cloud Platform Select a project Search products

## GCP credit application

Fill in the following information below to apply GCP credits to your account listed below.

First name \*  
Zhiqiu

Last name \*  
Lin

Account email  
zl279@cornell.edu

Credits will be applied to this account. If you'd like to apply credits to a different account, specify your preference [here](#).

Coupon code \*

### Terms and conditions

The following [Terms of Service](#) apply to the credit you received for Google Cloud products.

ACCEPT AND CONTINUE

\* Indicates required

# Google Cloud Platform (Basic steps)

- Upgrade to paid account (not free account)
- Enable "Compute Engine API"
- Create a project
- **Increase your quota for "gpus\_all\_region"**
- Create "VM Instance"
- Select the zone you are residing in



# Increase Quotas (otherwise you cannot use all types of GPUs)

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud Platform interface for managing quotas. The top navigation bar includes the Google Cloud Platform logo, account ID 16726, and a search bar. The left sidebar shows the 'Quotas' section with an 'EDIT QUOTAS' link. The main content area displays a table of quotas for the 'Compute Engine API' service. A red box highlights the 'Limit name' column, specifically the entry 'GPUs (all regions)'. Another red box highlights the 'search here' text input field. A third red box highlights the 'All Quotas' link in the top right. A fourth red box highlights the 'click and edit' text next to the 'Global' checkbox in the 'GPUs (all regions)' row. The table has columns for 'Service', 'Limit name', 'Quota status', and 'Details'. The 'GPUs (all regions)' row is highlighted in blue. The 'Details' column for this row shows 'Service: Compute Engine API' and 'Category: Location'. The 'Limit' value is 0.

Google Cloud Platform 16726

Compute Engine VM instances

Quotas EDIT QUOTAS

search here

Filter compute.googleapis.com/gpus\_all\_regions Enter property name or value

Service	Limit name	Quota status	Details
Compute Engine API	GPUs (all regions)	ALL QUOTAS	

GPUs (all regions)

Service: Compute Engine API  
Category: Location

☐ Global  
Limit: 0

click and edit

# Increase Quotas (otherwise you cannot use all types of GPUs)

Quotas for project "16726"

 EDIT QUOTAS

Near the limit

0

[View quotas](#)

Low usage

5,375

[View quotas](#)

All quotas

5,568

Filter Metric : `compute.googleapis.com/gpus_all_regions` Enter property name or value



Service

Quota

Dimensions (e.g. location)

Limit

Current usage percentage ↓

7 day peak usage percentage

Compute  
[Engine API](#)

GPUs (all  
regions)

0

0%

0%

You must have a paid account before increasing Quotas (otherwise you cannot use all types of GPUs)

Filter

Metric : compute.googleapis.com/gpus\_all\_regions

Enter property name or value

<input type="checkbox"/>	Service	Quota	Dimensions (e.g. location)	Limit	Current usage percentage
<input type="checkbox"/>	Compute	GPUs (all		0	<div></div>

Please be aware that free trial accounts for Google Cloud Platform have limited quota during their trial period. In order to increase your quota, please upgrade to a paid account by clicking "Upgrade my account" from the top of any page once logged in to Google Cloud Console.

#### Machine configuration

##### Machine family

General-purpose

Compute-optimized

Memory-optimized

Machine types for common workloads, optimized for cost and flexibility

##### Series

N1

Powered by Intel Skylake CPU platform or one of its predecessors

##### Machine type

n1-highmem-4 (4 vCPU, 26 GB memory)



vCPU

4

Memory

26 GB

GPUs

1 x NVIDIA Tesla K80

##### CPU platform

CPU platform configuration is permanent

Intel Broadwell or later

##### GPU type

NVIDIA Tesla K80

##### Number of GPUs

1

☐ Enable Virtual Workstation (NVIDIA GRID)

To enable Virtual Workstation (NVIDIA GRID), choose a different GPU such as NVIDIA Tesla T4, P4 or P100. [Learn more.](#)

##### Display device

Turn on a display device if you want to use screen capturing and recording tools.

☐ Turn on display device

Now you can proceed to:

- Compute Engine -> VM instances -> Create Instance
- Only Tesla P4 is available (as of 2022.02)
- You can use your preferred GPUs (we won't be making recommendations).

~~NVIDIA® Tesla® K80~~

1  
GPU

12 GB  
GDDR5

\$0.45 per  
GPU

NVIDIA® Tesla® P4

1  
GPU

8 GB  
GDDR5

\$0.60 per  
GPU

## CPU platform and GPU

### Confidential VM service ?

☐ Enable the Confidential Computing service on this VM instance.

### Container ?

☐ Deploy a container image to this VM instance. [Learn more](#)

### Boot disk ?



New 50 GB balanced persistent disk

Image

Deep Learning Image: Base m65 CU...

Change

### Identity and API access ?

#### Service account ?

Compute Engine default service account

#### Access scopes ?

- ☐ Allow default access
- ☒ Allow full access to all Cloud APIs
- ☐ Set access for each API

### Firewall ?

Add tags and firewall rules to allow specific network traffic from the internet

- ☒ Allow HTTP traffic
- ☒ Allow HTTPS traffic

Management, security, disks, networking, sole tenancy

The following options have been customized:

On host maintenance

Select an image or snapshot to create a boot disk, or attach an existing disk. [Learn more](#)

Public images

Custom images

Snapshots

Existing disks

### Operating system

Deep Learning on Linux

### Version

Deep Learning Image: Base m65 CUDA11.0

A debian-10 Linux based image with CUDA 11.0 preinstalled. ?

### Boot disk type ?

Balanced persistent disk

### Size (GB) ?

50

- Set SSH Keys:  
[https://cloud.google.com/compute/docs/instances/adding-removing-ssh-keys#create\\_sshkeys](https://cloud.google.com/compute/docs/instances/adding-removing-ssh-keys#create_sshkeys)
- add disk: [youtube](#)
- Pricing: <https://cloud.google.com/compute/gpus-pricing>

# Final words

- **Stop an instance if you are not working on it!**
- \$150 AWS and GCP for all 3 assignments and course project
- Use AWS/GCP wisely & responsibly
- Enjoy the deep learning alchemy!