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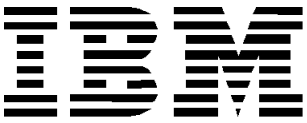
Red Hat OpenShift on Public Cloud with IBM Block Storage



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Introduction

The purpose of this document is to show how to install RedHat™ OpenShift Container Platform (OCP) on Amazon™ web services (AWS) public cloud with OpenShift installer, a method that is known as Installer-provisioned infrastructure (IPI). We also describe how to validate the installation of IBM container storage interface (CSI) driver on OCP 4.2 that is installed on AWS. This document also describes the installation of OCP 4.x on AWS with customization and OCP 4.x installation on IBM Cloud.

This document discusses how to provision internet small computer system interface (iSCSI) storage that is made available by IBM Spectrum Virtualize for Public Cloud (SVPC) that is deployed on AWS. Finally, the document discusses the use of Red Hat OpenShift command line interface (CLI), OCP web console graphical user interface (GUI), and AWS console.

OpenShift overview

Red Hat OCP provides developers and IT organizations with a hybrid cloud application platform for deploying new and existing applications on secure, scalable resources with minimal configuration and management overhead. OCP supports various programming languages and frameworks, such as Java, JavaScript, Python, Ruby, and PHP.

Built on Red Hat Enterprise Linux and Kubernetes, OpenShift Container Platform provides a more secure and scalable multi-tenant operating system for today's enterprise-class applications, while delivering integrated application run times and libraries. OpenShift Container Platform enables organizations to meet security, privacy, compliance, and governance requirements.

OCP release 4.2 can be installed on AWS, Azure, GCP, Bare Metal, IBM Z, OpenStack, and vSphere platforms.

CSI plug-in and SVPC overview

IBM released its open source CSI driver that allows dynamic provisioning of storage volumes for containers on Kubernetes and OCP that use IBM storage systems.

IBM Spectrum Storage family, SVPC and AWS, support clients in their IT architectural transformation and migration towards the cloud service model. This support enables hybrid cloud strategies or for a cloud-native workload, provides the benefits of familiar and sophisticated storage functions on public cloud data centers, which enhances the existing cloud offering.

For more information about SVPC on Public cloud, see *IBM Spectrum Virtualize for Public Cloud on AWS Implementation Guide*, REDP-5534.

Scope

In this document, we show how to install Red Hat OCP 4.2 on AWS by using the IPI method. For a post-OpenShift installation, we install the IBM CSI driver plug-in and provision storage by using SVPC.

Before this installation is started, ensure that the following requirements are met:

- You have the valid AWS account and rights to log in to AWS console and install or create the infrastructure on AWS.
- With cost estimator available on AWS console, estimate the required cost for the servers and services you use on AWS and get the cost approval per your organization and department policies.
- Valid Red Hat account login so that you can download the required packages, binaries, and pull secrets.
- IBM SPVC is available.
- User account and valid keys in `.ppk` format (for PuTTY login) or `.pem` format (for SSH login) to log in to the Linux node that is created on AWS (AMI image).
- Platform-specific connectivity tools, such as SSH, PuTTY, and WinSCP.

This document does *not* describe installing SVPC on AWS. For more information, see *IBM Spectrum Virtualize for Public Cloud on AWS Implementation Guide*, REDP-5534.

The document also does not cover installing OCP on AWS with any customizations, such as network, restricted network, or Cloud Formation templates.

Steps overview

This demonstration includes the following major steps:

1. Create or get the login credentials for AWS console.
2. Complete all of the installation prerequisites for OCP on AWS.
3. Install SVPC on AWS as described in *IBM Spectrum Virtualize for Public Cloud on AWS Implementation Guide*, REDP-5534.
4. Install the IBM CSI driver plug-in on OCP installed on AWS.
5. Configure storage and SPVC storage volume logical unit number (LUN) on the CoreOS worker nodes.

It is strongly recommended that the user has some basic knowledge of container concepts (for example, Docker and Kubernetes) to run this demonstration.

Infrastructure overview

This section discusses the infrastructure that is used for the demonstration (see Figure 1).

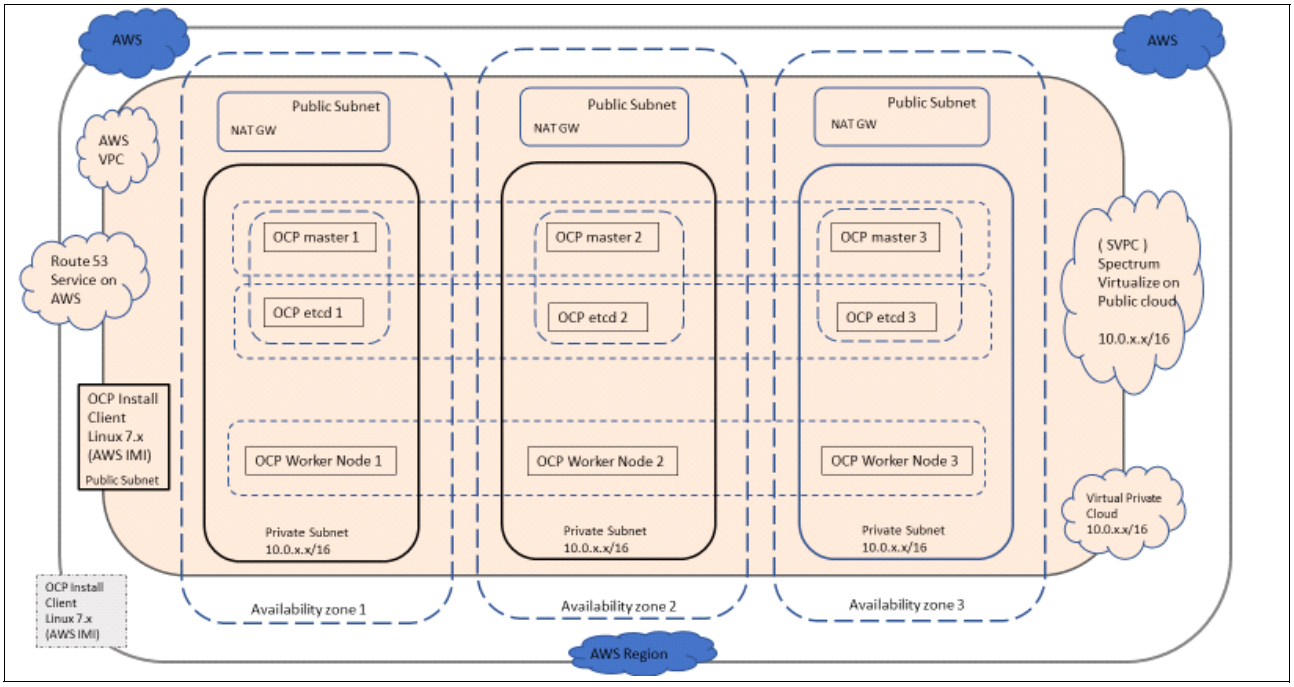

Figure 1 OpenShift Container Platform and SVPC on AWS

The demonstration is composed of eight virtual machines that are hosted on AWS. Table 1 lists the system and operating system requirements.

Table 1 Infrastructure overview

Node role	Type	Operating system	Quantity
Master	m4.xlarge	CoreOS	3
Worker	m4.xlarge	CoreOS	3
Installer node	t2.large	RHEL 7	2
SVCP nodes	2 x c5.9xlarge and 1 x c5.large	N/A	2

Configuring Route 53 Service (created on AWS, public hosted zone)

In this section, we describe configuring Route 53 Service, which was created on AWS with a public hosted zone.

IP addressing and credentials

During the IPI of OCP, all of the required IP addresses, nodes (master and worker), network address translation (NAT) gateway, dynamic host configuration protocol (DHCP), load balancer, and security are automatically provisioned by AWS.

Table 2 lists the components that are created and the required credentials to access them.

Table 2 Infrastructure and credentials overview

Node/Role	Public/Private IP address	User	Password
AWS console	aws.amazon.com/	< your user>	<your password>
OCP Install node rhel 7.x/EC2 instance	• Private IP address by AWS • Public IP provided by AWS	ec2-user <your name>	Key file
Master Nodes	• Private IP address by AWS • Public hostname by AWS	core	ssh key
Worker Nodes			
OpenShift GUI	https://console-openshift-console.apps.ocp42cluster25.ocp42svpc.com	kubeadmin	Password prompted after installation is completed
SVPC	https://3.123.xx.xxx:8443/gui#config-network-iscsi	superuser	<your password>

Demonstration steps

In this section, we describe the steps that are used in the demonstration.

Configuring Route53 Service

For OCP 4.2 installation on AWS, a domain name is needed for the cluster. This name can be an existing or new domain. For our demonstration, we create a domain in AWS.

Complete the following steps:

1. Log in to AWS console (see Figure 2).

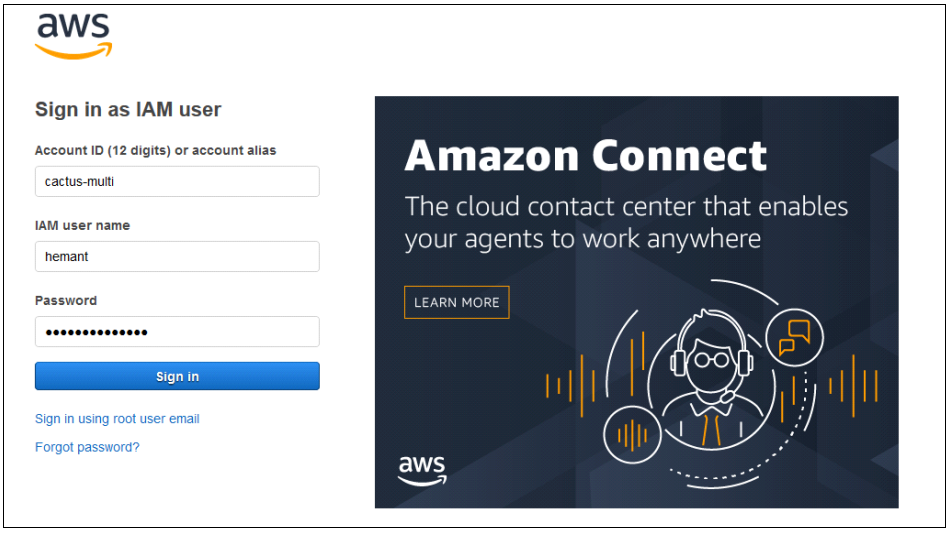

Figure 2 AWS login window

2. Sign on to the AWS console. Under Services, select **Route 53** from the Networking and Content Delivery list (see Figure 3).

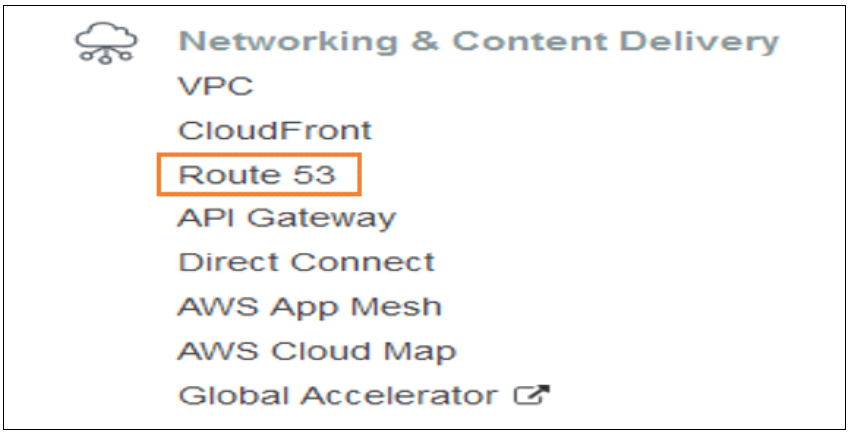

Figure 3 Selecting Route 53

3. Click **Register Domain** (see Figure 4).

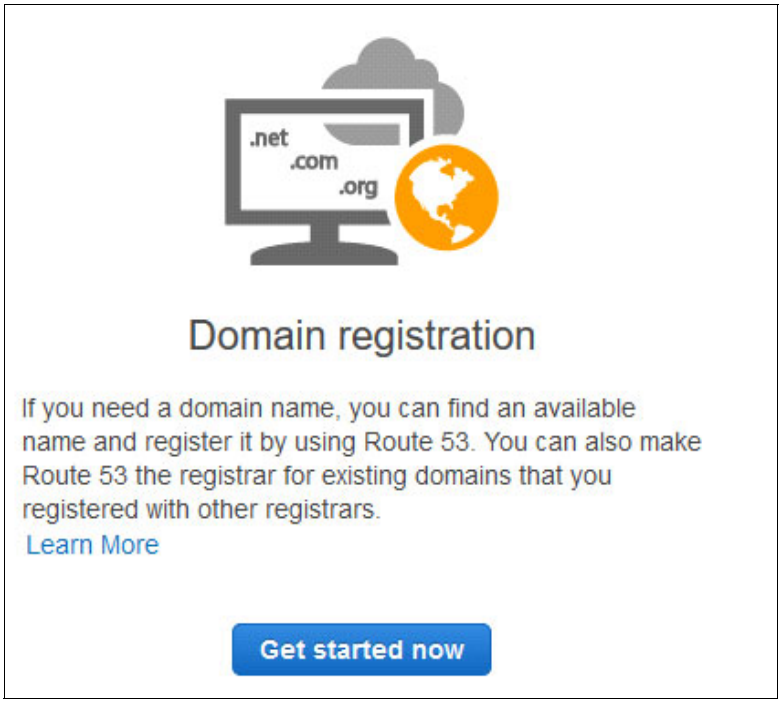

Figure 4 Domain registration window

The Registered domains window opens (see Figure 5).

Figure 5 Registered domains window

4. Enter the domain name and click **Check** (see Figure 6).

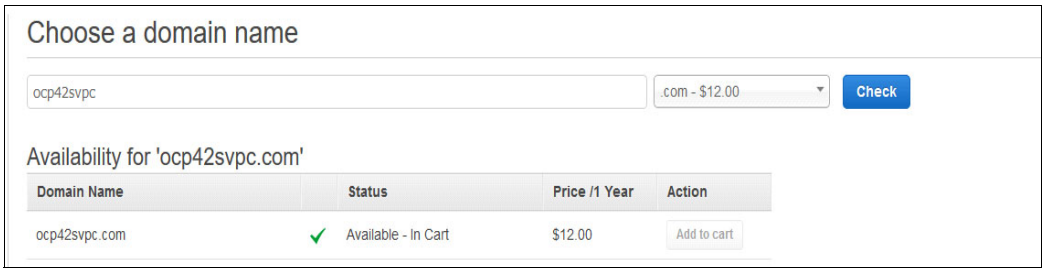

Figure 6 Choose a domain name window

If the wanted domain name is available, click **Add to cart**.

5. Click **Continue** and verify your contact information:
   - Do you want to automatically renew your domain? Select **disable**.
   - Accept the registration agreement and other details.
   - Follow the instruction as prompted.
6. Verify your email address to register the domain with Route 53 service.
7. Check your email and click the link to verify your email for domain registration. A few emails from the Amazon registrar also are sent. Click the links to verify.
8. After the email verification process is completed, go to domains and confirm that your domain is created (see Figure 7).

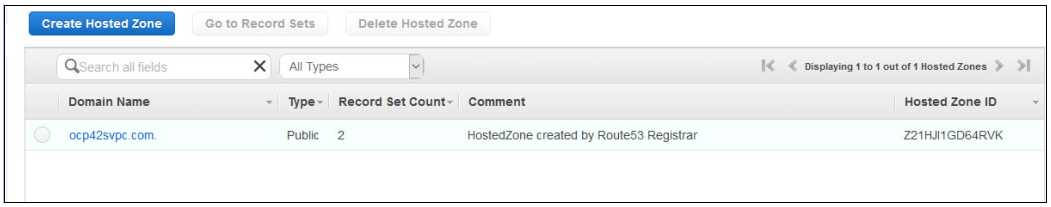

Figure 7 Create Hosted Zone window

The details of the hosted zone are shown (see Figure 8 on page 7).

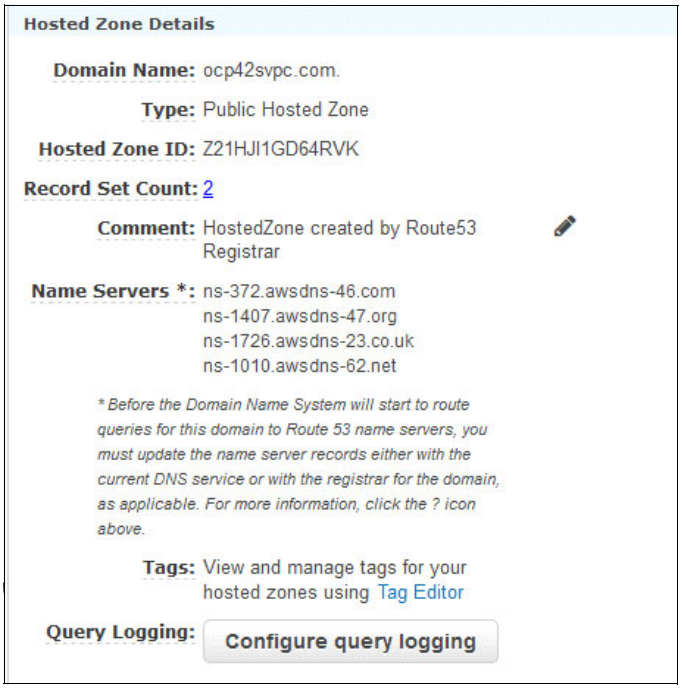

Figure 8 Hosted Zone Details window

Creating an AWS user from IAM

In this example, you use your AWS admin user to create the domain. For security reasons, create a user that is used to create a cluster on AWS.

Complete the following steps:

1. In AWS console under Services, select **IAM** from the Security, Identity, and Compliance list (see Figure 9).

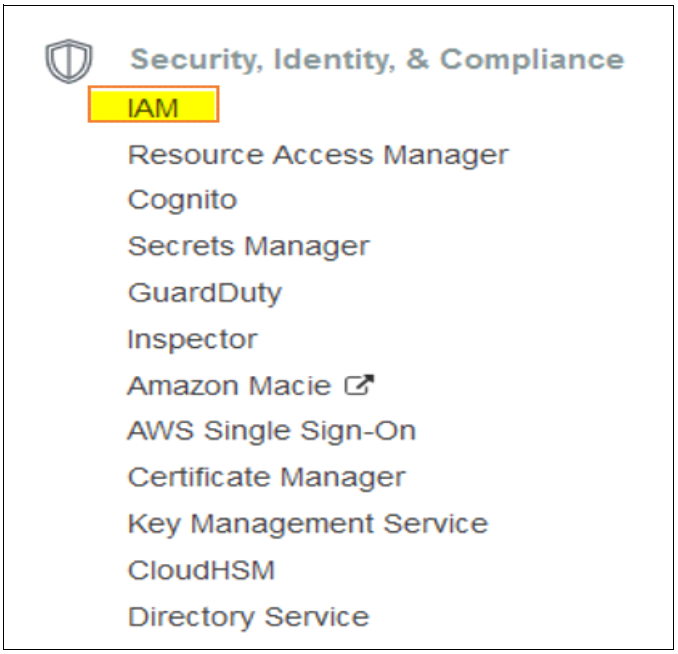

Figure 9 Selecting IAM

2. Click the **Users** option on the left side on the window (see Figure 10).

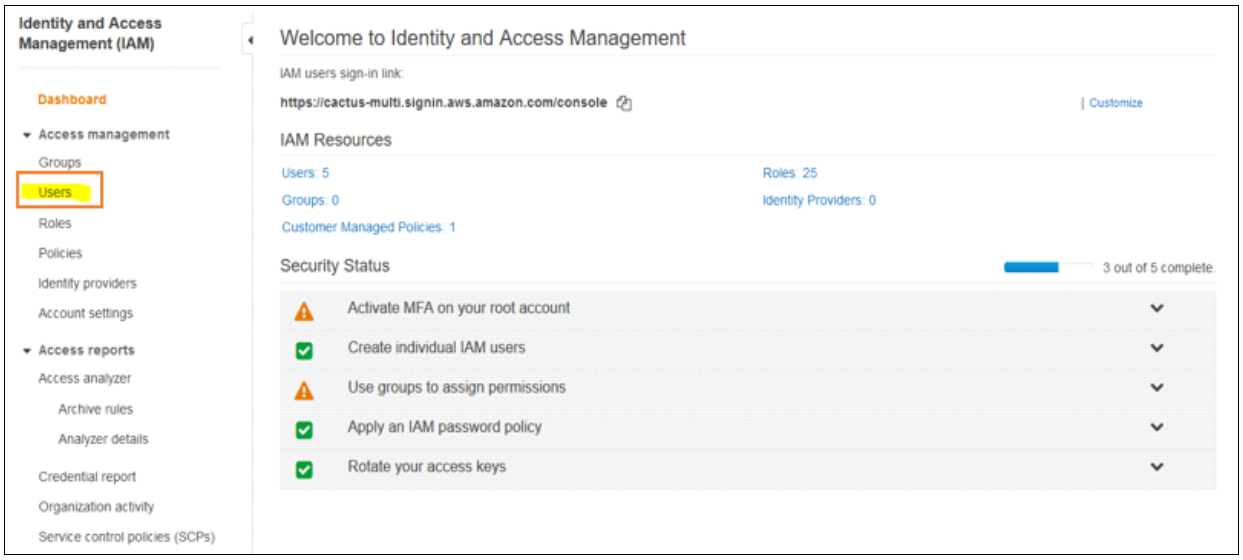

Figure 10 Selecting Users option

3. Click **Add Users** (see Figure 11).

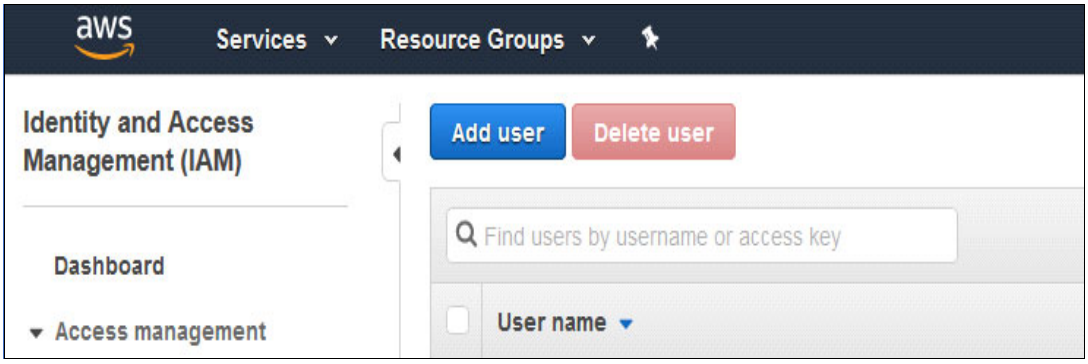

Figure 11 Add user option

4. Enter the wanted username.

5. Select **Access type Programmatic access** (see Figure 12).

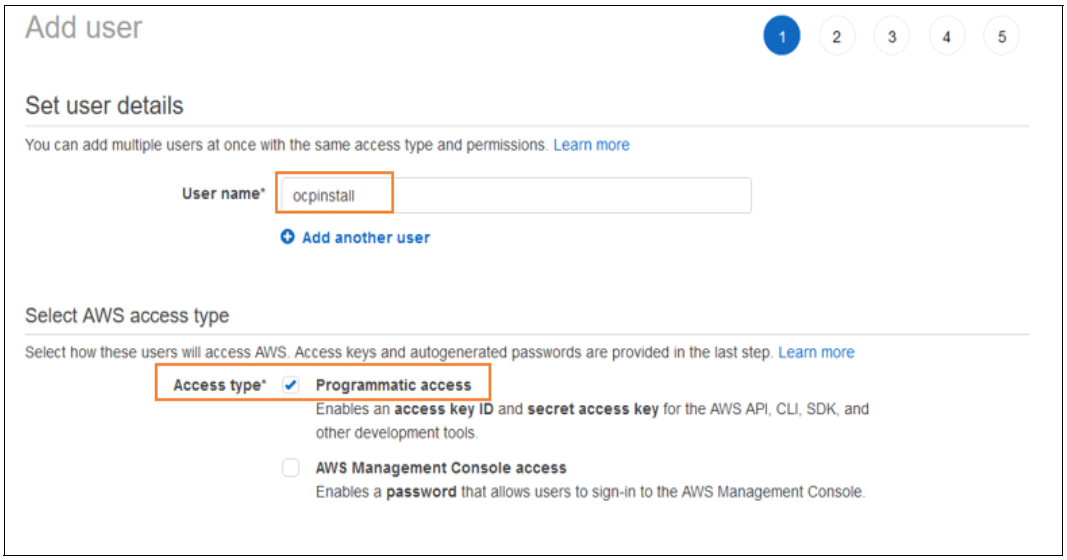

Figure 12 Selecting Access type

6. Select **Attach existing policies directly**.
7. Select **AdministratorAccess** (see Figure 13).

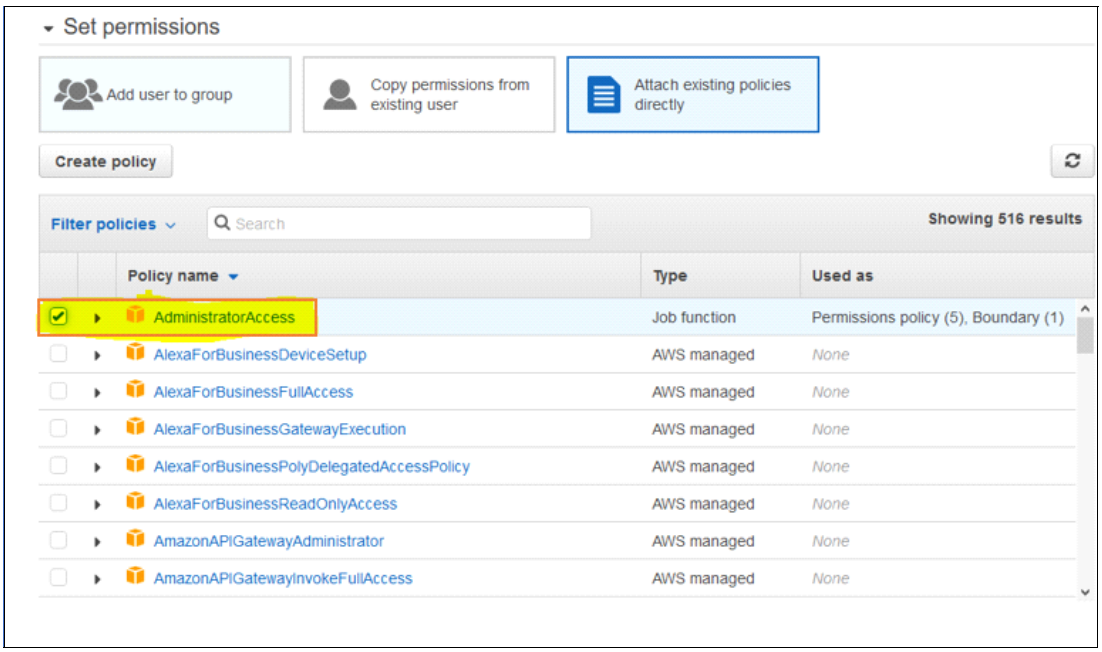

Figure 13 Show set permission

8. Click **Next**. Although adding tags is optional, tags can be added in the window that is shown in Figure 14 on page 10.

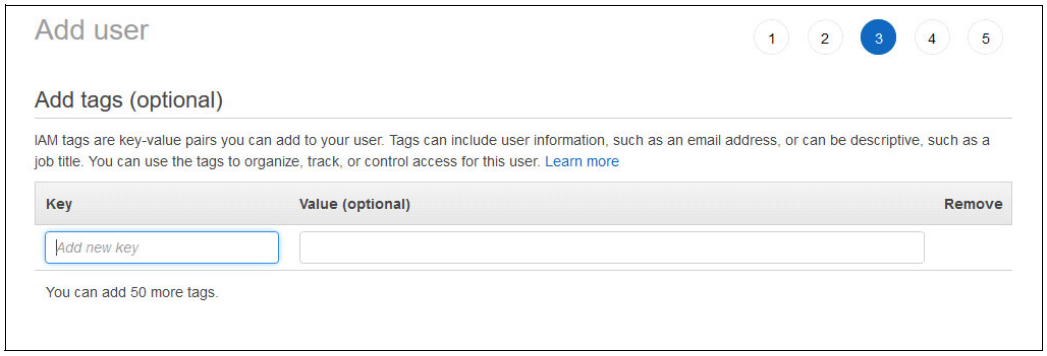

Figure 14 Add tags (optional) window

9. Click **Next**. The Add user window opens (see Figure 15).

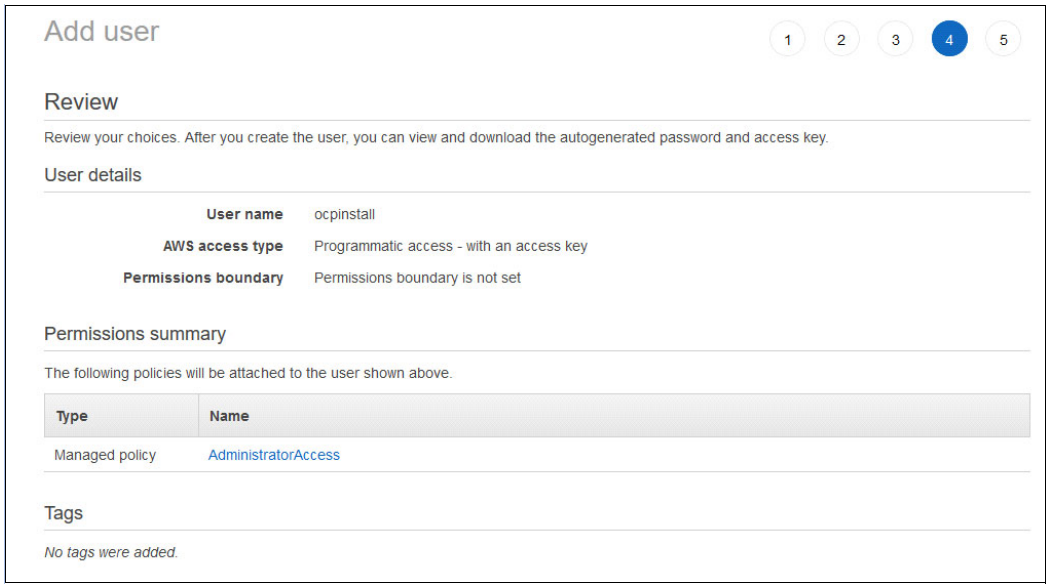

Figure 15 Review Add user window

A message that indicates that the user was successfully created is shown (see Figure 16).

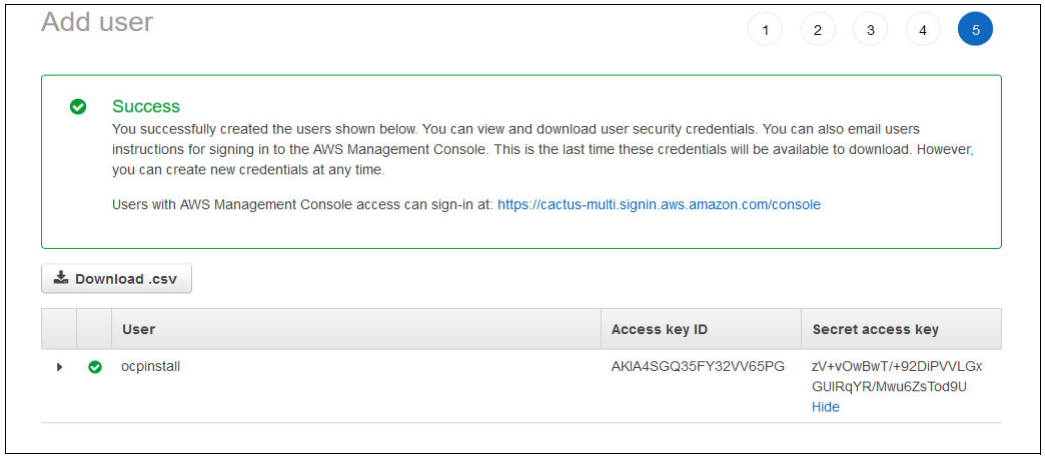

Figure 16 User created successfully message

10. Download the `.csv` file for the important information about the Access key ID and Secret access key for the user. This information is required to install OCP on AWS.

Creating RHEL 7.x node 1 with AMI image

Complete the following steps:

1. Log in to the AWS console by using your AWS admin user. Select **EC2** under Compute (see Figure 17).

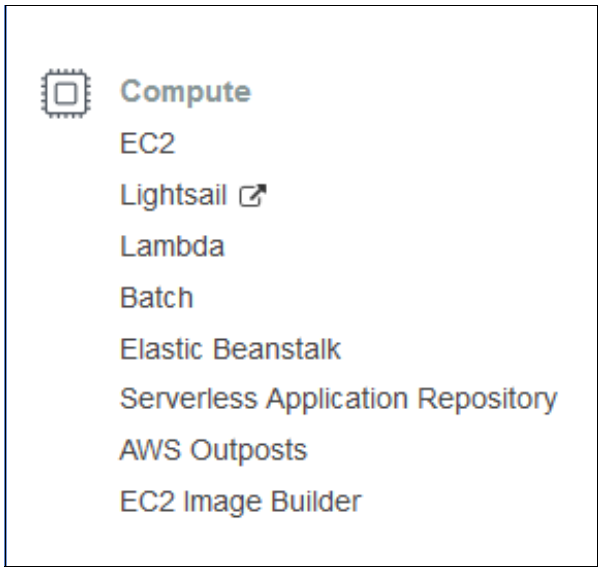

Figure 17 Select EC2 instance

2. Select **Launch Instance**.
3. Search for “Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 image”. Press Enter.
4. Select **AWS Market Place** and select **(RHEL) 7 (HVM)**.
5. Click **Continue**.
6. Choose the instance type (see Figure 18).

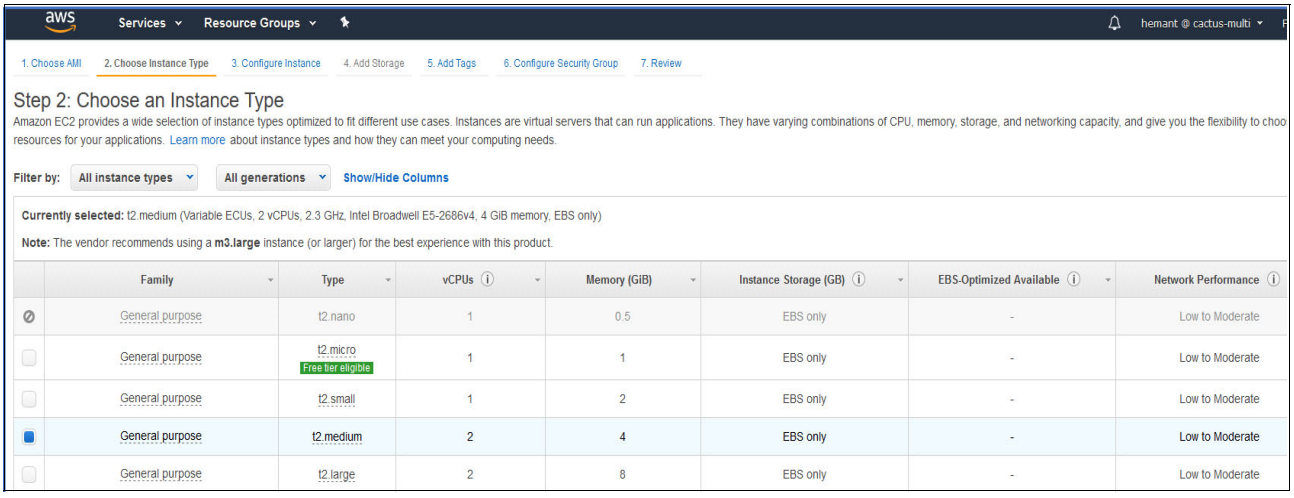

Figure 18 Choose instance type

7. Configure the instance details (see Figure 19):
   - Auto assign Public IP is set to: Use subnet setting (Enable).
   - The existing VPC is used because it was available. Another VPC can be created if wanted.

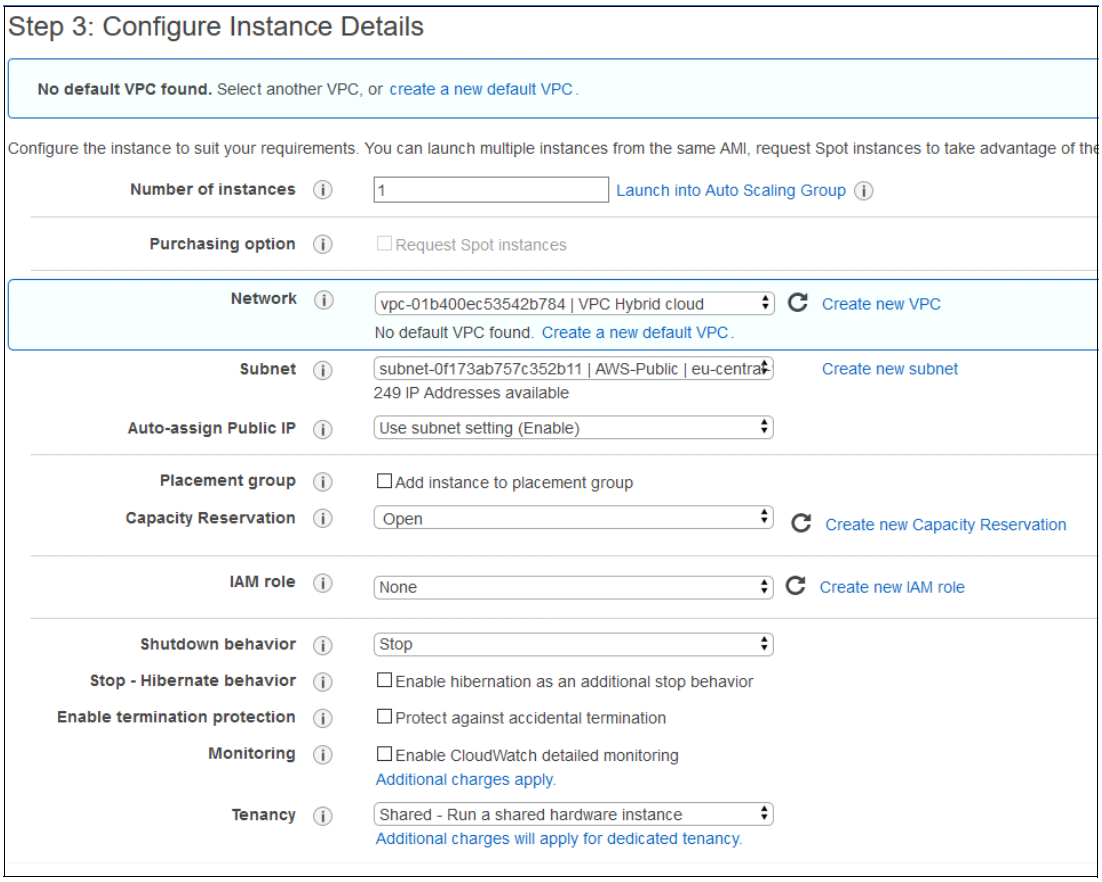

Figure 19 Showing details to configure the instance

8. Click **Next** to add Storage (see Figure 20).

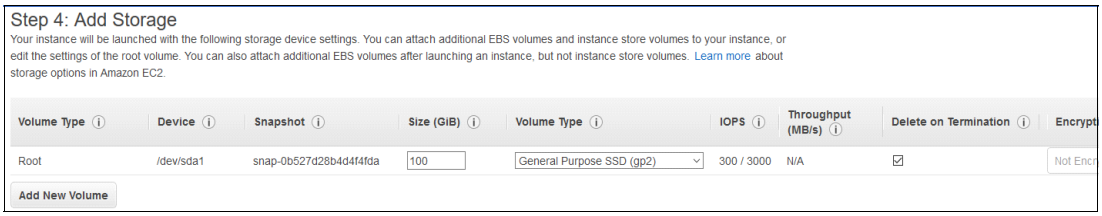

Figure 20 Add Storage window

9. (Optional) Click **Next** to add a tag.
10. Click **Next** to configure the security group (see Figure 21 on page 13).

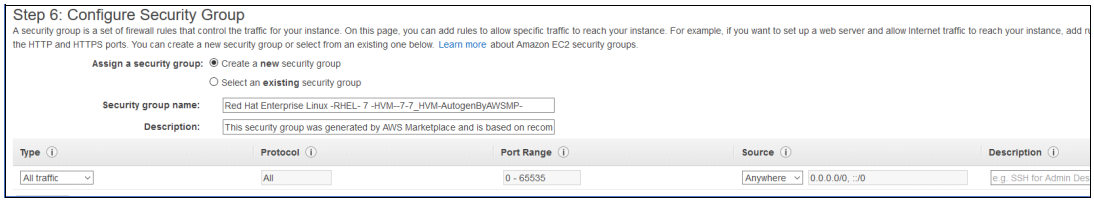

Figure 21 Configure Security Group window

11. For test and demonstration purposes, select **All traffic** for the Type and **Anywhere** as the Source. For other purposes and production, select the suitable security group.

12. Confirm that all settings are accurate in the Review Instance Launch window (see Figure 22).

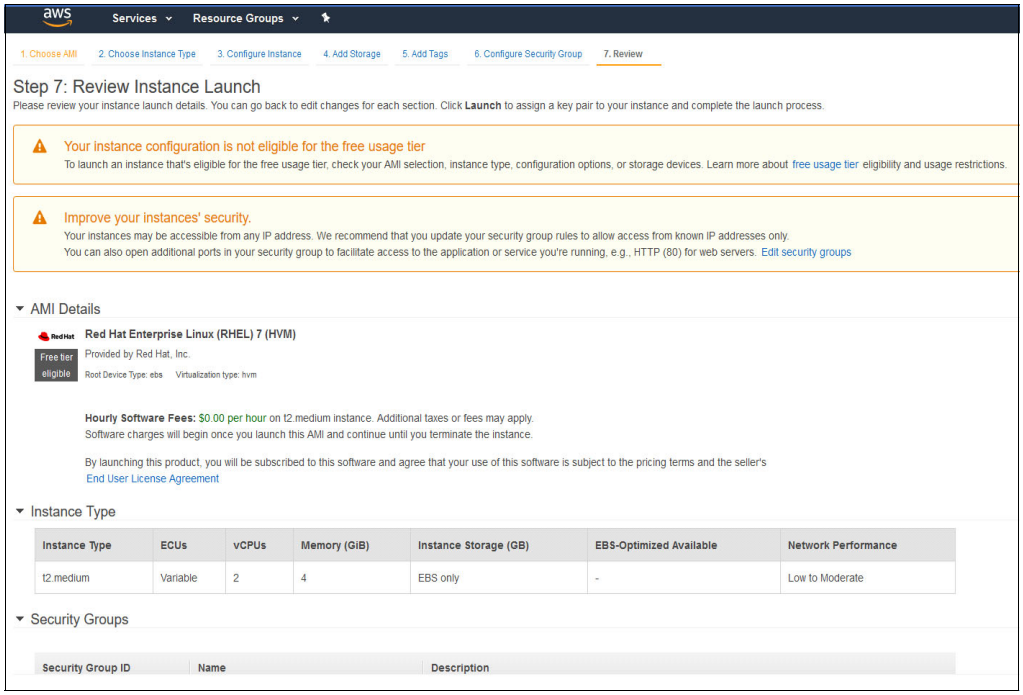

Figure 22 Review Instance Launch window

13. Use your key pair for the EC2 instance (your name), as described in Table 2 on page 4.

    For more information, see this web page.

14. Select an existing key pair or create a key pair (see Figure 23).

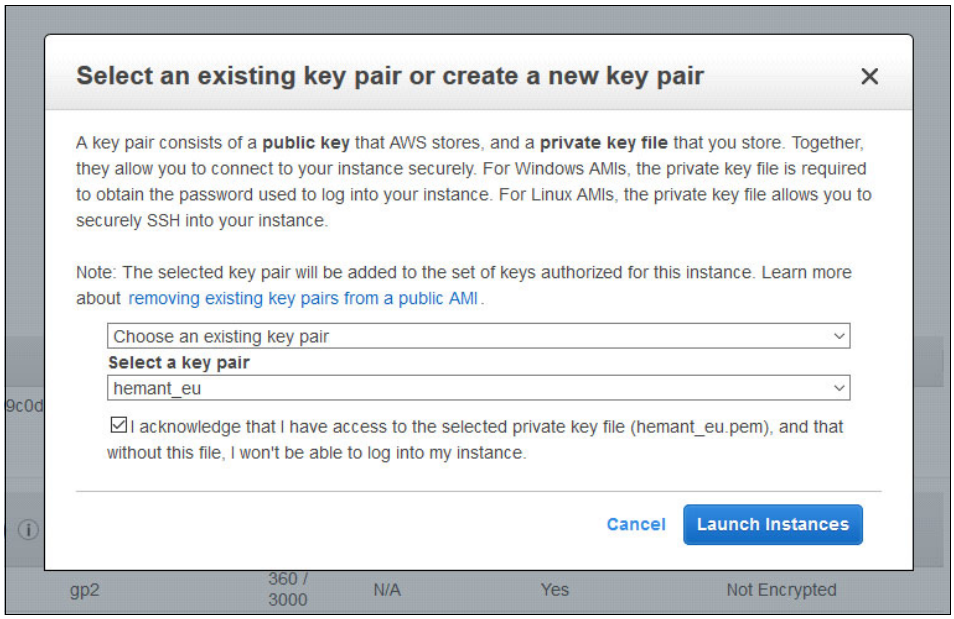

Figure 23 Select key pair

15. Check the status of your instance (see Figure 24).

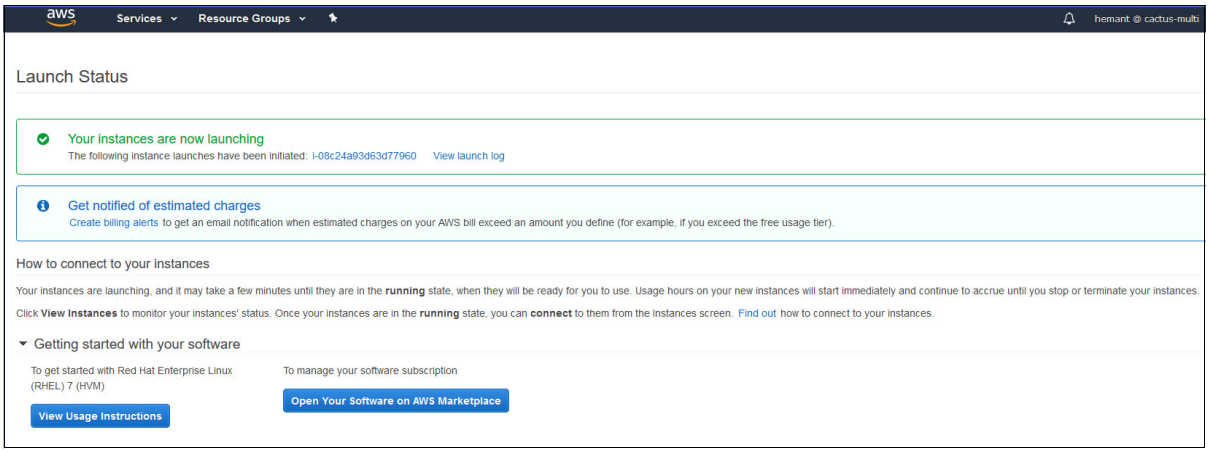

Figure 24 Instance status

16. Select the **EC2 dashboard**. Your newly created RHEL node 1 instance is in a running state. Enter a name for the instance.

Logging in to the newly created RHEL node 1 by using PuTTY

Complete the following steps:

1. Log in to the AWS console. Select the EC2 instance and your RHEL instance to check the details and public IP address that is assigned to this node.
2. Using your Windows-based notebook, open a PuTTY session and enter the Public IP address of the node. Click **Connection** → **auth** → **browse** and provide the `.ppk` file to log in to the Linux host.

3. Log in by using the username `ec2-user`. The $ Prompt is shown. The Internal IP address that is assigned for this node is `172.16.2.93` (see Figure 25).

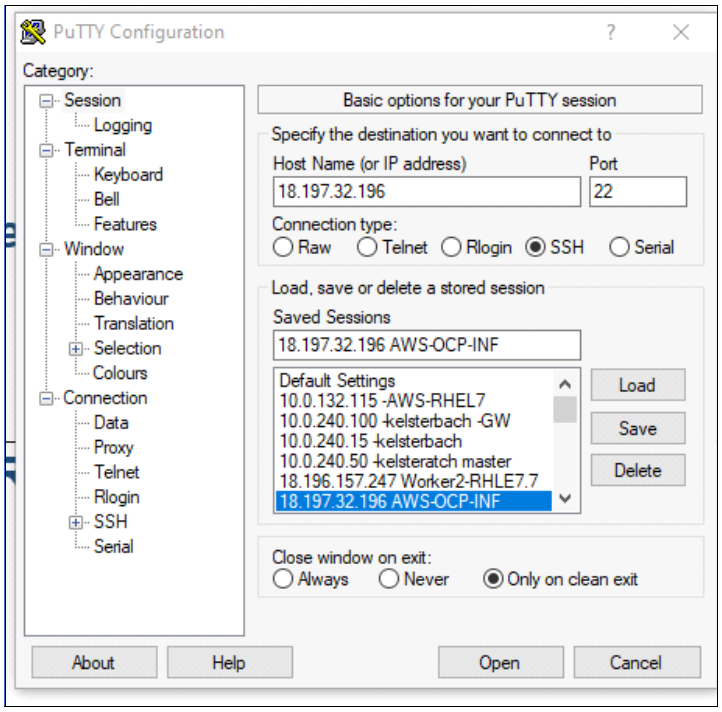

Figure 25 PuTTY Configuration window

4. Locate the private key (`.pem` file) for the key pair that you specified when you started the instance. Convert the `.pem` file to a `.ppk` file for use with PuTTY (see Figure 26).

   For more information, see this web page.

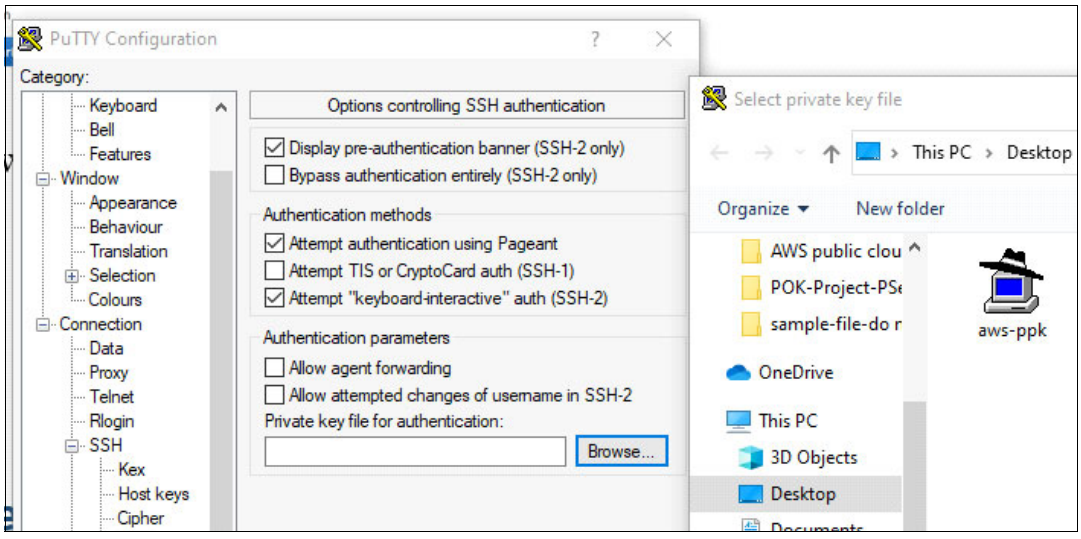

Figure 26 Configuring PuTTY session

Installing OCP on AWS

In this section, we describe the process that is used to install OCP on AWS.

Preparing the installation

Complete the following steps to prepare for the installation:

1. Log in to you newly created RHEL node 1 by using `ec2-user` and become a superuser.
2. Create a directory that is named `ocp42`.
3. See this Red Hat web page for the OCP 4.2 documentation.
4. Log on to the Red Hat OpenShift Cluster Manager website and browse to the Infrastructure Provider page by using your Red Hat account credentials. Select **AWS** (see Figure 27).

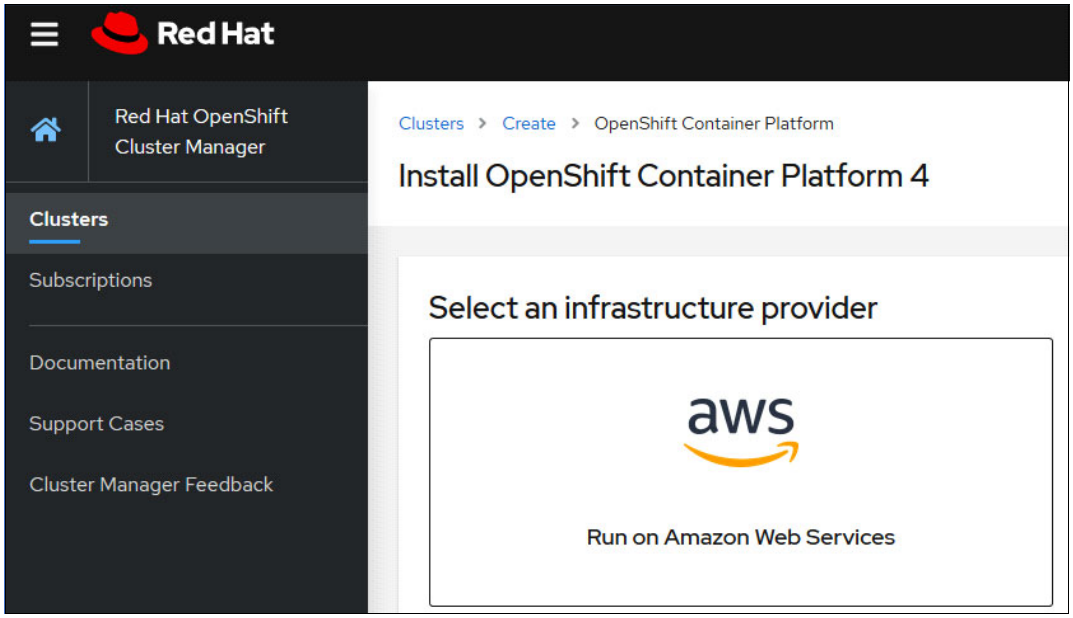

Figure 27 Logging in to Red Hat account

5. Select **Installer-provisioned infrastructure** (see Figure 28).

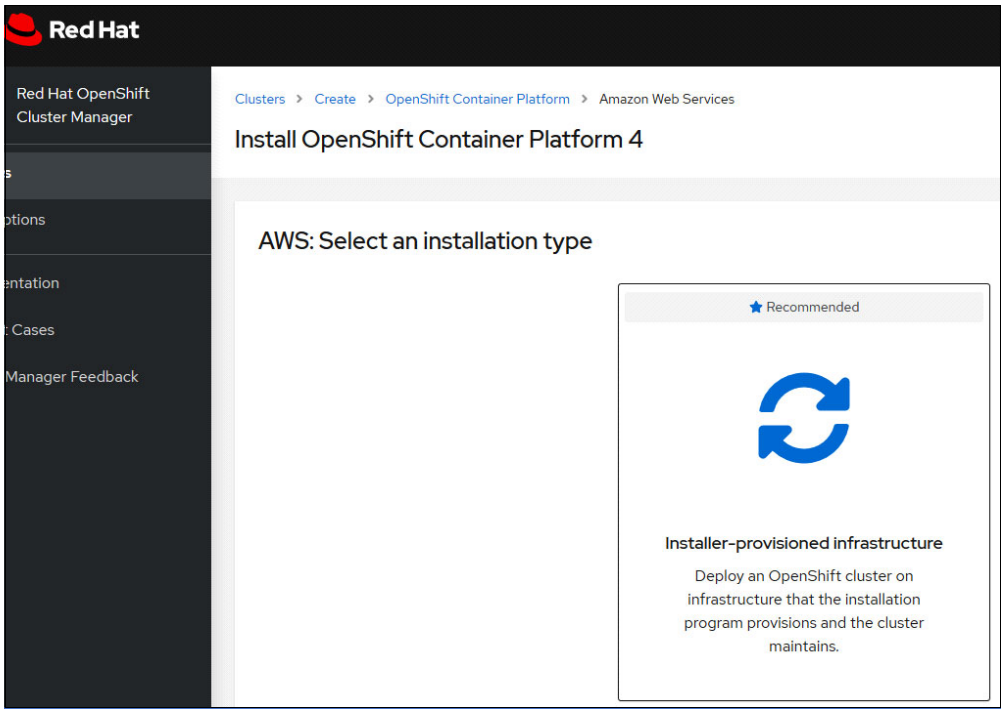

Figure 28 Selecting installer-provisioned infrastructure

6. Click **Download installer**.
7. Select the required version 4.2 path and right-click to copy the link location to wget the files on the newly created RHEL node.
8. Click **Download command-line tools**. The binary file for OpenShift client is available for download from the following URL:

   `https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/4.2.20/openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz`

9. Click **Download the Pull Secret** and copy the pull secret that is in the `.txt` file (see Figure 29).

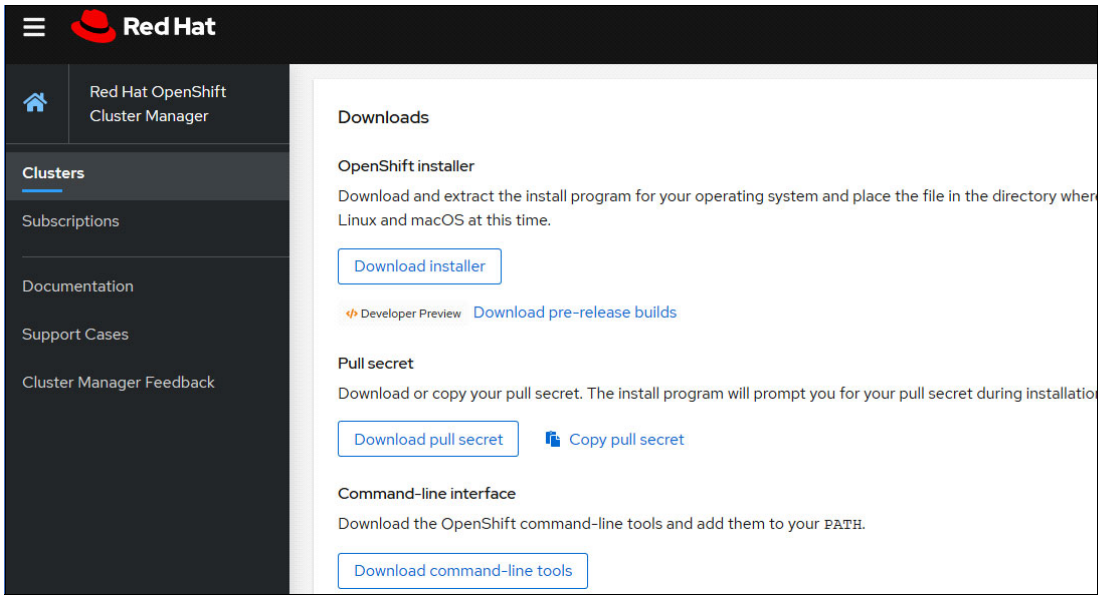

Figure 29 Download files

Installing OCP 4.2

Complete the following steps:

1. Log in to the RHEL node and run wget to download the files from the Red Hat site (see Figure 30).

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ec2-user]# mkdir ocp42
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ec2-user]# cd ocp42
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# pwd
/home/ec2-user/ocp42
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# wget https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/4.2.20/openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
--2020-03-02 09:47:54--  https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/4.2.20/openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
Resolving mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)... 54.172.173.155
Connecting to mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)|54.172.173.155|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 24550581 (23M) [application/x-gzip]
Saving to: 'openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz'

100%[=============================================================================================>] 24,550,581  6.68MB/s   in 3.5s

2020-03-02 09:47:58 (6.68 MB/s) - 'openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz' saved [24550581/24550581]

[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# wget https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/4.2.20/openshift-install-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
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Resolving mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)... 54.172.173.155
Connecting to mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)|54.172.173.155|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 71672634 (68M) [application/x-gzip]
Saving to: 'openshift-install-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz'

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Figure 30 Download with wget

2. Extract OpenShift-client (oc) and OpenShift-install (openshift-installer) from the downloaded files, as shown in Figure 31 on page 19.

```
drwxr-xr-x  2 root     root          114 Mar  2 09:48 .
drwx------. 4 ec2-user ec2-user      108 Mar  2 09:44 ..
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root     24550581 Feb 17 18:40 openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root     71672634 Feb 17 18:43 openshift-install-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root         2767 Mar  2 09:48 pull-secret
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# tar xvf openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
README.md
oc
kubectl
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# tar xvf openshift-install-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
README.md
openshift-install
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/home/ec2-user/ocp42
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# l s-la
bash: l: command not found
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# ls -la
total 527124
drwxr-xr-x  2 root     root           181 Mar  2 09:49 .
drwx------. 4 ec2-user ec2-user       108 Mar  2 09:44 ..
-rwxr-xr-x  2 root     root      74422040 Feb 17 18:40 kubectl
-rwxr-xr-x  2 root     root      74422040 Feb 17 18:40 oc
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root      24550581 Feb 17 18:40 openshift-client-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
-rwxr-xr-x  1 root     root     294690752 Feb 17 18:43 openshift-install
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root      71672634 Feb 17 18:43 openshift-install-linux-4.2.20.tar.gz
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root          2767 Mar  2 09:48 pull-secret
-rw-r--r--  1 root     root           706 Feb 17 18:43 README.md
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
```

Figure 31 Extract files

3. Generate the public and private key pairs with ssh-keygen (see Figure 32).

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -N '' -f ~/.ssh/id_rsa
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Your identification has been saved in /root/.ssh/id_rsa.
Your public key has been saved in /root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub.
The key fingerprint is:
SHA256:23YK1yGFycc/cXli/j2RBf3hapTlE1oDio66PsDIEJE root@ip-172-16-2-93.eu-central-1.compute.internal
The key's randomart image is:
+---[RSA 4096]----+
|.o           .o. |
|E         ..+.  Bo|
| .       .+.+ @.O|
|.       o  o B B=|
|o o    .S.. o =o.|
| o o  .  o o + oo|
|    ..  o + +  .o|
|     ..  + o    .|
|    .o.   .      |
+----[SHA256]-----+
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
```

Figure 32 Configure ssh-key generation

4. Start the ssh-agent process as a background task (see Figure 33).

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# eval "$(ssh-agent -s)"
Agent pid 4159
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# ssh-add ~/.ssh/id_rsa
Identity added: /root/.ssh/id_rsa (/root/.ssh/id_rsa)
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
```

Figure 33 Configure ssh agent

5. Run the **`openshift-install`** command to create the cluster (see Figure 34 on page 20). This command prompts you for the following required values:
   - SSH public key: `/root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub`
   - Platform: `aws`
   - AWS access key ID: Paste this key the ID from the `.csv` file that you downloaded.
   - AWS secret access key: Paste the ID from the `.csv` file that you downloaded.
   - Region: This value is shown on your AWS console when you log in.
   - Base Domain: This domain is created by using the Route 53 service.
   - Pull secret: Copy the pull secret that you downloaded from the Red Hat website.

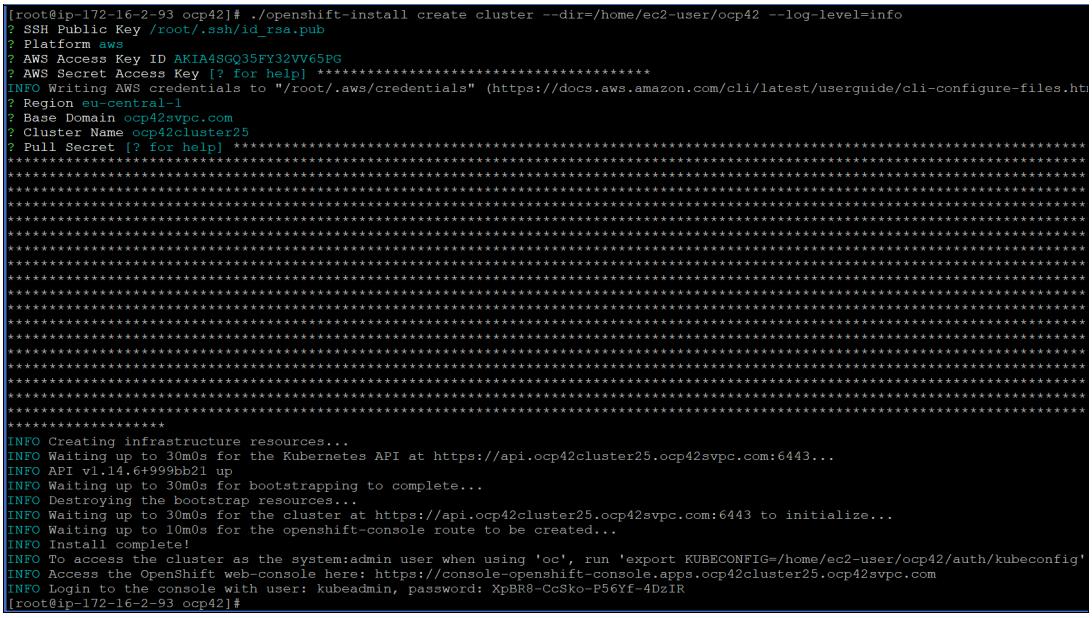

Figure 34 Creating the OpenShift cluster

The **`openShift-install create`** command completes and provides the username, password, and console login URL information.

6. Set the KUBECONFIG environment variable to point to the kubeconfig file:

   ```
   # export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp42/auth/kubeconfig
   ```

7. Check the status of the cluster and the nodes (see Figure 35).

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# oc login
Authentication required for https://api.ocp42cluster25.ocp42svpc.com:6443 (openshift)
Username: kubeadmin
Password:
Login successful.

You have access to 51 projects, the list has been suppressed. You can list all projects with 'oc projects'

Using project "default".
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]# oc get nodes
NAME                                         STATUS   ROLES    AGE    VERSION
ip-10-0-133-87.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   118m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
ip-10-0-140-178.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   124m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
ip-10-0-144-253.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   124m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
ip-10-0-148-197.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    worker   118m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
ip-10-0-169-128.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   124m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
ip-10-0-172-24.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   118m   v1.14.6+47933cbcc
[root@ip-172-16-2-93 ocp42]#
```

Figure 35 Check cluster status

8. Log in to the console URL and check the status (see Figure 36).

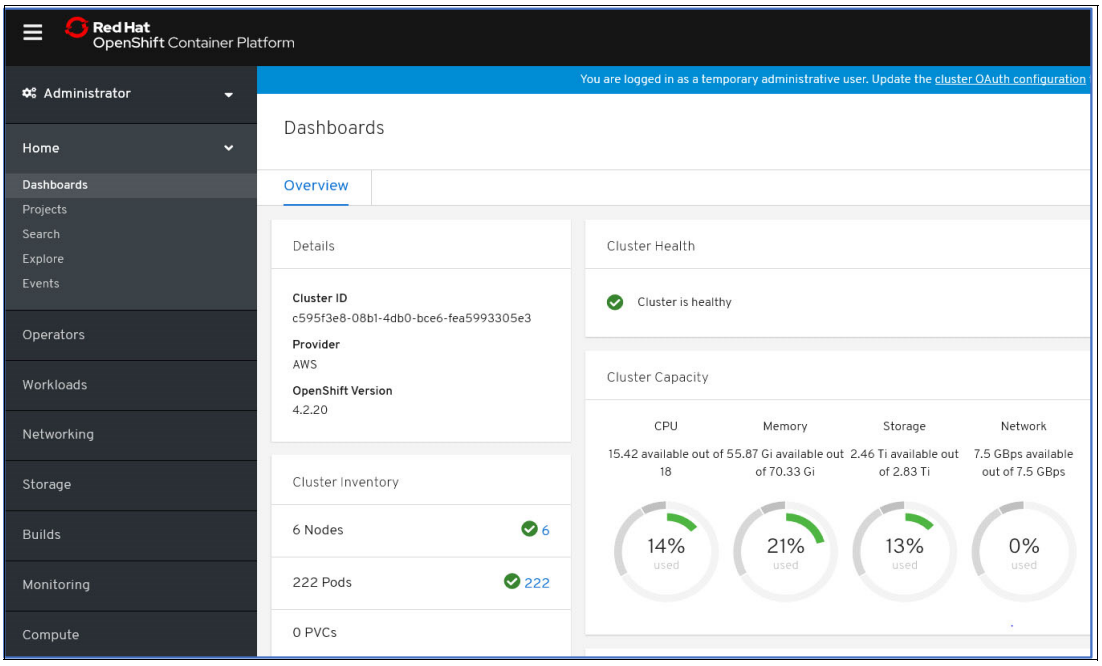

Figure 36 OpenShift dashboard

Creating RHEL 7.x node 2 with an AMI image

Complete the following steps:

1. Create an RHEL node as described in “Creating RHEL 7.x node 1 with AMI image” on page 11. Ensure to select the VPC that was created for this OCP cluster so that the new RHEL node includes the similar private IP range per the Master and Worker nodes; for example, 10.0.x.x range (10.0.3.25).

   The Internal IP address that is assigned for this node is (10.0.3.25)

2. Copy all the cluster configuration files and directory from node 1 to node 2:

   a. Log in to RHEL node 1:

      - `scp -r /home/ec2-user/ocp42 ec2-user@node2:/home/ec2-user/`
      - `scp /root/.ssh/ id_rsa ec2-user@node2:/home/ec2-user/id_rsa_node1`

      You also can paste the contents of `id_rsa` file from node1 to create the `id_rsa_node1` file on node 2.

   b. Log in to RHEL node 2 (see Figure 37).

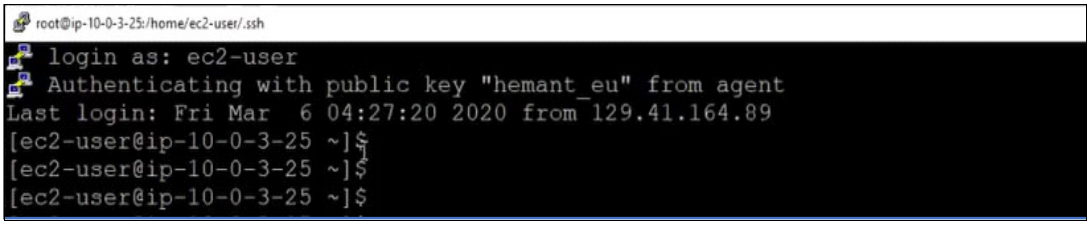

Figure 37 Log in to RHEL node

The following code is code is displayed when the cluster installation is complete:

```
# export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp42/auth/kubeconfig
# oc get node
```

Now, the status of the cluster nodes should be available.

By using this procedure, you created RHEL node 2 in OCP VPC with the similar private IP range of master and worker nodes so that you can log in to cluster nodes from this RHEL node.

Installing CSI driver plug-in

In this section, the process for installing the CSI driver plug-in is described.

Prerequisites for driver installation

For more information about the IBM CSI driver installation procedure, see this web page.

The following prerequisites for driver installation must be met:

- Worker nodes are prepared.
- You logged in to the RHEL node 2 by using your PuTTY session and sudo su (see Figure 38).

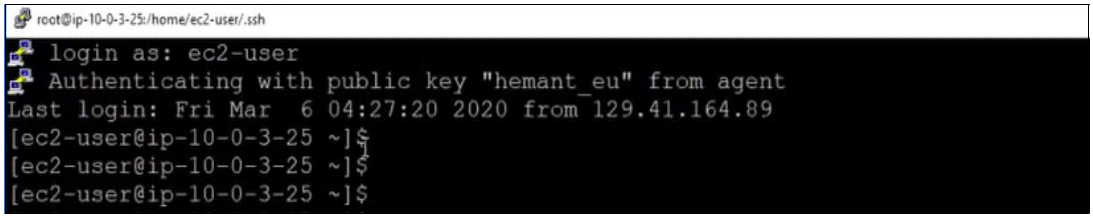

Figure 38 Log in to RHEL node

The following code is code is displayed when the cluster installation is complete (see Figure 39):

```
# export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp42/auth/kubeconfig
# oc get nodes (sample output)
```

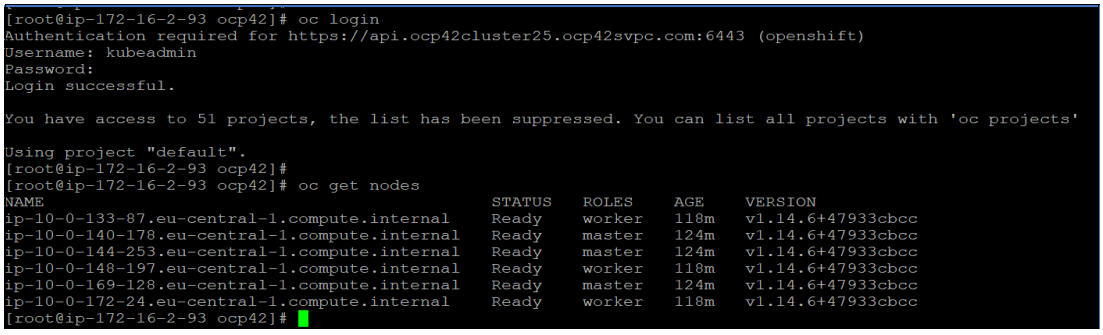

Figure 39 Show cluster node status

Use the `id_rsa_node1` file that you created to log in to the cluster's worker nodes:

```
[ec2-user2@ip-10-0-3-25]#  ssh -i id_rsa_node1
core@ip-10-0-172-24.eu-central-1.compute.internal
```

Or

```
[ec2-user2@ip-10-0-3-25]#  ssh -i id_rsa_node1 core@10.0.172.24
```

- Install Linux packages to ensure iSCSI connectivity:

  ```
  # yum -y install iscsi-initiator-utils
  ```

  (Preinstalled with RHCOS; needed for RHEL node only.)

- Configure Linux multipath devices on the host by using one of the following procedures:
  - Configuring for OpenShift Container Platform users (RHEL and RHCOS)

    The yaml file that is shown in Example 1 can be used for Fibre Channel and iSCSI configurations. To support iSCSI, uncomment the last two lines in the file.

Example 1 99-ibm-attach.yaml

```
apiVersion: machineconfiguration.openshift.io/v1
kind: MachineConfig
metadata:
  labels:
    machineconfiguration.openshift.io/role: worker
  name: 99-ibm-attach
spec:
  config:
    ignition:
      version: 2.2.0
    storage:
      files:
        - path: /etc/multipath.conf
          mode: 384
          filesystem: root
          contents:
            source:
data:,defaults%20%7B%0A%20%20%20%20path_checker%20tur%0A%20%20%20%20
path_selector%20%22round-robin%200%22%0A%20%20%20%20rr_weight%20unif
orm%0A%20%20%20%20prio%20const%0A%20%20%20%20rr_min_io_rq%201%20%20%
20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%0A%20%20%20%20polling_interva
l%2030%0A%20%20%20%20path_grouping_policy%20multibus%0A%20%20%20%20f
ind_multipaths%20yes%0A%20%20%20%20no_path_retry%20fail%0A%20%20%20%
20user_friendly_names%20yes%0A%20%20%20%20failback%20immediate%0A%20
%20%20%20checker_timeout%2010%0A%20%20%20%20fast_io_fail_tmo%20off%0
A%7D%0A%0Adevices%20%7B%0A%20%20%20%20device%20%7B%0A%20%20%20%20%20
%20%20%20path_checker%20tur%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20product%20%22F
lashSystem%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20vendor%20%22IBM%22%0A%20%20%
20%20%20%20%20%20rr_weight%20uniform%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20rr_mi
n_io_rq%204%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%0A%20%20%20
%20%20%20%20%20path_grouping_policy%20multibus%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%
20%20path_selector%20%22round-robin%200%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%2
0no_path_retry%20fail%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20failback%20immediate
%0A%20%20%20%20%7D%0A%20%20%20%20device%20%7B%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%2
0%20path_checker%20tur%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20product%20%22FlashS
ystem-9840%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20vendor%20%22IBM%22%0A%20%20%
```

```
20%20%20%20%20%20fast_io_fail_tmo%20off%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20rr
_weight%20uniform%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20rr_min_io_rq%201000%20%2
0%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20path_group
ing_policy%20multibus%0A%2020%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20path_selector%20%2
2round-robin%200%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20no_path_retry%20fail%0
A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20failback%20immediate%0A%20%20%20%20%7D%0A%2
0%20%20%20device%20%7B%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20vendor%20%22IBM%22%
0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20product%20%222145%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%
20%20path_checker%20tur%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20features%20%221%20
queue_if_no_path%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20path_grouping_policy%2
0group_by_prio%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20path_selector%20%22service-
time%200%22%20%23%20Used%20by%20Red%20Hat%207.x%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20
%20%20prio%20alua%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20rr_min_io_rq%201%0A%20%2
0%20%20%20%20%20%20%20rr_weight%20uniform%20%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%
no_path_retry%20%225%22%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20dev_loss_tmo%20120
%0A%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20failback%20immediate%0A%20%20%20%7D%0A%7D
%0A
            verification: {}
        - path: /etc/udev/rules.d/99-ibm-2145.rules
          mode: 420
          filesystem: root
          contents:
            source:
data:,%23%20Set%20SCSI%20command%20timeout%20to%20120s%20%28default%
20%3D%3D%2030%20or%2060%29%20for%20IBM%202145%20devices%0ASUBSYSTEM%
3D%3D%22block%22%2C%20ACTION%3D%3D%22add%22%2C%20ENV%7BID_VENDOR%7D%
3D%3D%22IBM%22%2CENV%7BID_MODEL%7D%3D%3D%222145%22%2C%20RUN%2B%3D%22
/bin/sh%20-c%20%27echo%20120%20%3E/sys/block/%25k/device/timeout%27%
22%0A
            verification: {}
    systemd:
      units:
      - name: multipathd.service
        enabled: true
      # Uncomment the following lines if this MachineConfig will be
used with iSCSI connectivity
      #- name: iscsid.service
      #  enabled: true
```

Save the `99-ibm-attach.yaml` file.

Apply the yaml file:

```
oc apply -f 99-ibm-attach.yaml
```

RHEL users should verify that the `systemctl status multipathd` output indicates that the multipath status is active and error-free:

```
yum install device-mapper-multipath
sudo modprobe dm-multipath
systemctl enable multipathd
systemctl start multipathd
systemctl status multipathd
multipath -ll
```

- Configuring for Kubernetes users (RHEL)

  Create and set the relevant storage system parameters in the `/etc/multipath.conf` file. You can also use the default `multipath.conf` file, which is in the following directory:

  `/usr/share/doc/device-mapper-multipath-*`

  Verify that the `systemctl status multipathd` output indicates that the multipath status is active and error-free:

  ```
  yum install device-mapper-multipath
  sudo modprobe dm-multipath
  systemctl enable multipathd
  systemctl start multipathd
  systemctl status multipathd
  multipath -ll
  ```

- Configuring storage system (SVPC) connectivity

  Define the host name of each worker node on the svpc storage with a valid IQN (for iSCSI).

  Log in to the worker node and identify the `initiatorname`:

  ```
  # cat /etc/iscsi/initiatorname.iscsi  à copy the iqn
  ```

Figure 40 Check iSCSI IQN

- Log in to the SVPC storage GUI:

  `https://3.123.33.250:8443/gui#hosts-all`

- Click **Hosts** → **Add hosts** and enter the required information (see Figure 40).

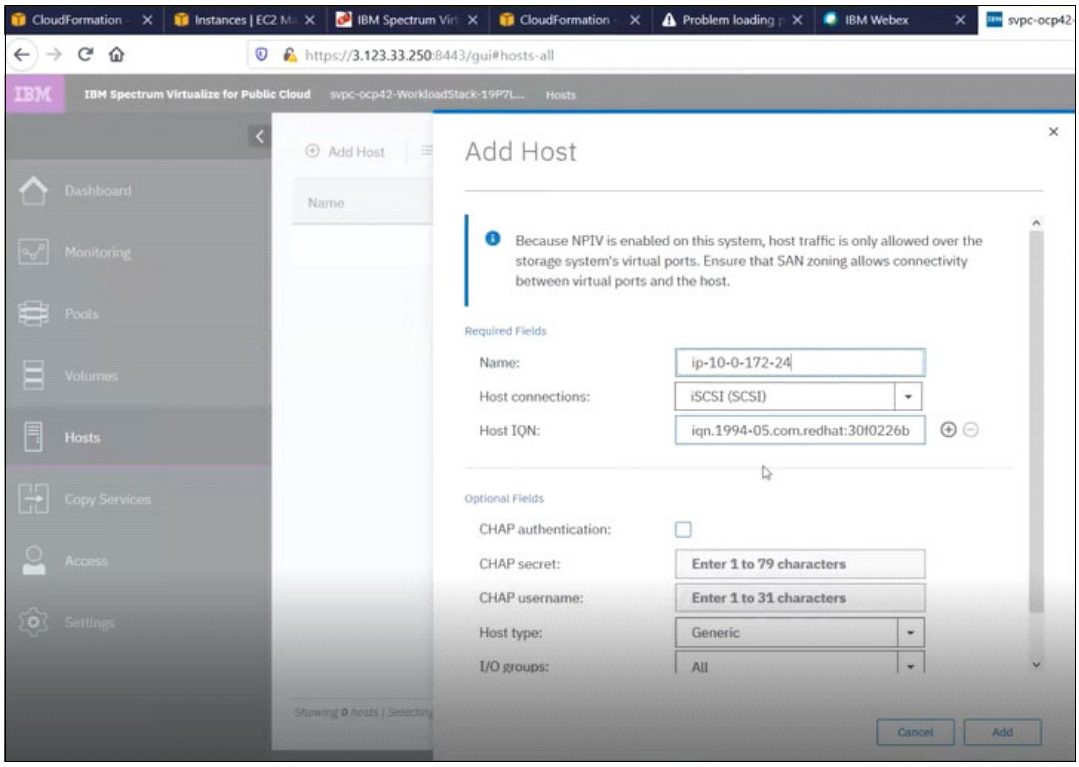

Figure 41 Configure hosts

- Add a test LUN to this host and check the status.
- Log in to the worker node and run the following **`iscsiadm`** command to discover the new LUN on worker node:

```
[ec2-user2@ip-10-0-3-25]#  ssh -i id_rsa_node1 core@10.0.172.24
```

```
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# iscsiadm -m discoverydb -t st -p 10.0.146.172:3260 --discover
).0.146.172:3260,1 iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node1
).0.156.45:3260,1 iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node1
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# iscsiadm -m discoverydb -t st -p 10.0.148.59:3260 --discover
).0.148.59:3260,1 iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node2
).0.147.59:3260,1 iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node2
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]#
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# iscsiadm -m node -p 10.0.148.59:3260 --login
ogging in to [iface: default, target: iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node2, portal: 10.0.148.59,3260]
ogin to [iface: default, target: iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node2, portal: 10.0.148.59,3260] successful.
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# iscsiadm -m node -p 10.0.146.172:3260 --login
ogging in to [iface: default, target: iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node1, portal: 10.0.146.172,3260]
ogin to [iface: default, target: iqn.1986-03.com.ibm:2145.svpc-ocp42-workloadstack-19p7lgnhi2ryx.node1, portal: 10.0.146.172,3260] successful.
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]#
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]#
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# multipath -ll
patha (36005076072fad48c9800000000000000) dm-0 IBM,2145
ze=10G features='1 queue_if_no_path' hwhandler='1 alua' wp=rw
+- policy='service-time 0' prio=50 status=active
`- 2:0:0:0 sda  8:0   active ready running
+- policy='service-time 0' prio=10 status=enabled
`- 3:0:0:0 sdb  8:16  active ready running
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]#
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]# lsblk
AME      MAJ:MIN RM  SIZE RO TYPE  MOUNTPOINT
da         8:0    0   10G  0 disk
-mpatha 253:0    0   10G  0 mpath
db         8:16   0   10G  0 disk
-mpatha 253:0    0   10G  0 mpath
vda      202:0    0  120G  0 disk
-xvda1   202:1    0    1M  0 part
-xvda2   202:2    0    1G  0 part  /boot
-xvda3   202:3    0  119G  0 part  /sysroot
root@ip-10-0-172-24 iscsi]#
```

Figure 42 Configure iSCSI

Deploying the CSI driver on OCP

For more information about deploying the IBM Block Storage CSI driver, see *IBM Storage for Red Hat OpenShift Blueprint Version 1 Release 4*, hREDP-5565.

Log in to the RHEL node 2 and check the status of IBM block CSI driver. Verify that the driver is running.

For more information about the use of the CSI driver that uses the secret and storage class, see the OpenShift documentation.

Sample file

A sample `/etc/multipath.conf` file is shown in Example 2.

Example 2 Sample /etc/multipath.conf file

```
defaults {
    path_checker tur
    path_selector "round-robin 0"
    rr_weight uniform
    prio const
    rr_min_io_rq 1
    polling_interval 30
    path_grouping_policy multibus
    find_multipaths yes
    no_path_retry fail
    user_friendly_names yes
    failback immediate
    checker_timeout 10
    fast_io_fail_tmo off
}
devices {
    device {
        path_checker tur
        product "FlashSystem"
        vendor "IBM"
        rr_weight uniform
        rr_min_io_rq 4
        path_grouping_policy multibus
        path_selector "round-robin 0"
        no_path_retry fail
        failback immediate
    }
    device {
        path_checker tur
        product "FlashSystem-9840"
        vendor "IBM"
        fast_io_fail_tmo off
        rr_weight uniform
        rr_min_io_rq 1000
        path_grouping_policy multibus
        path_selector "round-robin 0"
        no_path_retry fail
```

```
        failback immediate
    }
    device {
        vendor "IBM"
        product "2145"
        path_checker tur
        features "1 queue_if_no_path"
        path_grouping_policy group_by_prio
        path_selector "service-time 0" # Used by Red Hat 7.x
        prio alua
        rr_min_io_rq 1
        no_path_retry "5"
        dev_loss_tmo 120
        failback immediate
   }
}
```

Installing OpenShift 4.x on AWS with customization

In this section, installing customized OpenShift 4.x on AWS is described.

OCP4.3 on AWS with IPI

In this section, Red Hat OpenShift installation and configuration by using the OCP4.3 on AWS with IPI (Installer-Provisioned Infrastructure) method is described.

For more information, see this web page.

Note: With OCP version 4.3, installing OpenShift can be done on existing VPCs on AWS. Be sure to complete the VPC prerequisites for installation.

Complete the following steps:

1. Create an RHEL 7.x Linux node with public IP from AWS marketplace from the AWS console and wget the required files for installation (see Figure 43). Ensure that you create this Linux node in the VPC network.

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# wget https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/stable-4.3/openshift-client-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz
--2020-04-13 09:51:34--  https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/stable-4.3/openshift-client-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz
Resolving mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)... 54.172.173.155
Connecting to mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)|54.172.173.155|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 27496983 (26M) [application/x-gzip]
Saving to: ‘openshift-client-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz’

100%[==============================>] 27,496,983  7.35MB/s   in 3.9s

2020-04-13 09:51:38 (6.75 MB/s) - ‘openshift-client-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz’ saved [27496983/27496983]

[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]#
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# wget https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/stable-4.3/openshift-install-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz
--2020-04-13 09:51:52--  https://mirror.openshift.com/pub/openshift-v4/clients/ocp/stable-4.3/openshift-install-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz
Resolving mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)... 54.172.173.155
Connecting to mirror.openshift.com (mirror.openshift.com)|54.172.173.155|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 82425374 (79M) [application/x-gzip]
Saving to: ‘openshift-install-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz’

100%[==============================>] 82,425,374  6.94MB/s   in 13s

2020-04-13 09:52:05 (6.23 MB/s) - ‘openshift-install-linux-4.3.9.tar.gz’ saved [82425374/82425374]

[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# pwd
```

Figure 43 Downloading the required files for installation

For more information. see this web page.

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]# ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -N ''
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (/root/.ssh/id_rsa):
Your identification has been saved in /root/.ssh/id_rsa.
Your public key has been saved in /root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub.
The key fingerprint is:
SHA256:bxu55hmHJMu9geB3WrWqHChaoWG/xpKCg5nQPRRsVl4 root@ip-172-16-2-185.
The key's randomart image is:
+---[RSA 4096]----+
|    . .. E       |
|     =. .        |
|    o ..         |
|     .           |
| .oo. . S . .    |
|...+oo + B + .   |
|+o.o+.o * % o    |
|B oooo o *.@     |
| o.o.   ++B      |
+----[SHA256]-----+
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]# pwd
/root/.ssh
```

Figure 44 Configuring SSH

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]# eval "$(ssh-agent -s)"
Agent pid 29830
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]#
```

Figure 45 Configuring ssh-agent

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]# ssh-add /root/.ssh/id_rsa
Identity added: /root/.ssh/id_rsa (/root/.ssh/id_rsa)
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 .ssh]#
```

Figure 46 Configuring SSH

2. Create the installation configuration file and customize the file for installation. The customized cluster is created on the VPC of AWS. A sample `install-config.yaml` file is shown in Figure 47.

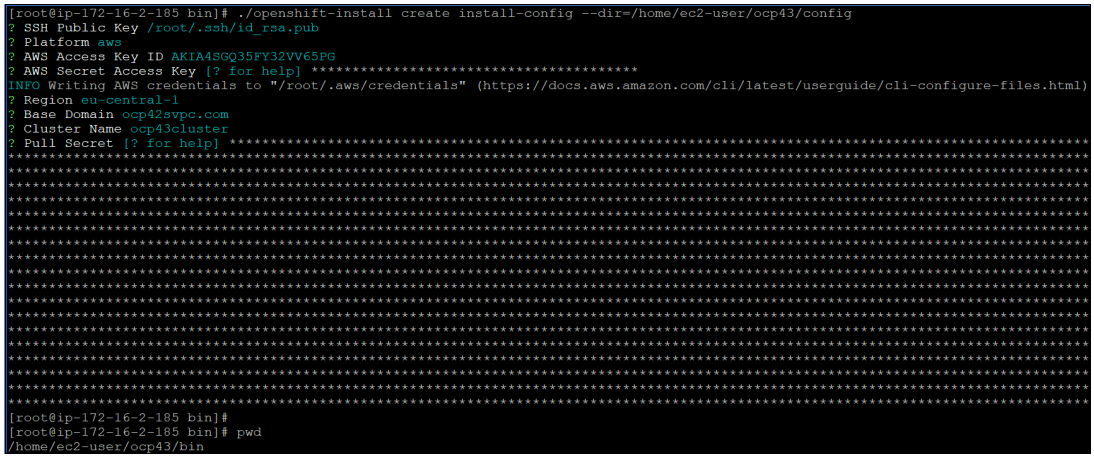

Figure 47 Custom create install-config.yaml

Consider the following points:

- This sample `install-config.yaml` file is modified per your environment. Ensure that the pull secret and ssh-key is added correctly in the `install-config.yaml` file.
- Use m4.xlarge configuration for worker and master nodes. In this sample, you can use the machine type per your requirement.
- Ensure a suitable subnet ID of the existing VPC for public and private network is included in your `install-config.yaml` file.

The custom configuration file is shown in Figure 48.

```
apiVersion: v1
baseDomain: ocp42svpc.com
controlPlane:
  hyperthreading: Enabled
  name: master
  platform:
    aws:
      zones:
      - eu-central-1a
      rootVolume:
        iops: 2000
        size: 500
        type: io1
      type: m4.xlarge
  replicas: 3
compute:
- hyperthreading: Enabled
  name: worker
  platform:
    aws:
      rootVolume:
        iops: 2000
        size: 500
        type: io1
      type: m4.large
      zones:
      - eu-central-1a
replicas: 3
metadata:
  name: ocp43cluster
networking:
  machineCIDR: 172.16.0.0/16
platform:
  aws:
    region: eu-central-1
    subnets:
    - subnet-0aa84476708f32710
    - subnet-0f173ab757c352b11
pullSecret:
sshKey:
```

Figure 48 Custom configuration file

3. Create the cluster by using the modified `install-config.yaml` file (see Figure 49 on page 32). This cluster is created in your VPC. For more information about VPC requirements, see this web page.

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# ./openshift-install create cluster --dir=/ho
me/ec2-user/ocp43/config --log-level=info
INFO Consuming Install Config from target directory
INFO Creating infrastructure resources...
INFO Waiting up to 30m0s for the Kubernetes API at https://api.ocp43clus
ter.ocp42svpc.com:6443...
INFO API v1.16.2 up
INFO Waiting up to 30m0s for bootstrapping to complete...
INFO Destroying the bootstrap resources...
INFO Waiting up to 30m0s for the cluster at https://api.ocp43cluster.ocp
42svpc.com:6443 to initialize...
INFO Waiting up to 10m0s for the openshift-console route to be created..
.
INFO Install complete!
INFO To access the cluster as the system:admin user when using 'oc', run
 'export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp43/config/auth/kubeconfig'
INFO Access the OpenShift web-console here: https://console-openshift-co
nsole.apps.ocp43cluster.ocp42svpc.com
INFO Login to the console with user: kubeadmin, password: 64KRa-S8hkD-y6
rtk-FIm6k
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp43/confi
g/auth/kubeconfig
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]#
```

Figure 49 Creation of OCP cluster on AWS

4. Check the status of the nodes and cluster with the login and password information that was provided in the command (see Figure 50):

   `Export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp43/config/ auth/kubeconfig`

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# export KUBECONFIG=/home/ec2-user/ocp43/confi
g/auth/kubeconfig
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]#
```

Figure 50 Export kubeconfig

5. Check the status of nodes and cluster (see Figure 51 and Figure 52 on page 33).

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# ./oc get nodes
NAME                                         STATUS   ROLES    AGE
VERSION
ip-172-16-1-153.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2
ip-172-16-1-204.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2
ip-172-16-1-21.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2
ip-172-16-1-244.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2
ip-172-16-1-53.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2
ip-172-16-1-94.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2
```

Figure 51 Nodes status, Part 1

```
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]# ./oc get nodes -o wide
NAME                                         STATUS   ROLES    AGE
VERSION   INTERNAL-IP    EXTERNAL-IP   OS-IMAGE
                          KERNEL-VERSION               CONTAINER-RU
NTIME
ip-172-16-1-153.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.153   <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
ip-172-16-1-204.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.204   <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
ip-172-16-1-21.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.21    <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
ip-172-16-1-244.eu-central-1.compute.internal   Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.244   <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
ip-172-16-1-53.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    master   18m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.53    <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
ip-172-16-1-94.eu-central-1.compute.internal    Ready    worker   11m
v1.16.2   172.16.1.94    <none>        Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS 4
3.81.202003230848.0 (Ootpa)   4.18.0-147.5.1.el8_1.x86_64   cri-o://1.16
.3-28.dev.rhaos4.3.git9aad8e4.el8
[root@ip-172-16-2-185 bin]#
```

Figure 52 Nodes status, Part 2

Installing Red Hat OpenShift 4.x on IBM Cloud

In this section, we describe the process to install Red Hat OpenShift 4.x on IBM Cloud.

Installing Red Hat OpenShift 4.3 on IBM cloud

In this demonstration, we use IBM internal paid account process for the deployment of Red Hat OpenShift 4.3 on IBM Cloud.

As a prerequisite, you need the IBM ID for creating the infrastructure components on IBM cloud. If an IBM ID is not available, create an IBM ID.

Log in to the IBM cloud console and create OpenShift cluster on IBM Cloud. For more information about the various options to select during the process of creating OpenShift on IBM cloud, see the IBM Cloud website (login required).

Complete the following steps:

1. Log in with your login ID and search the catalog for OpenShift on IBM Cloud (see Figure 53.

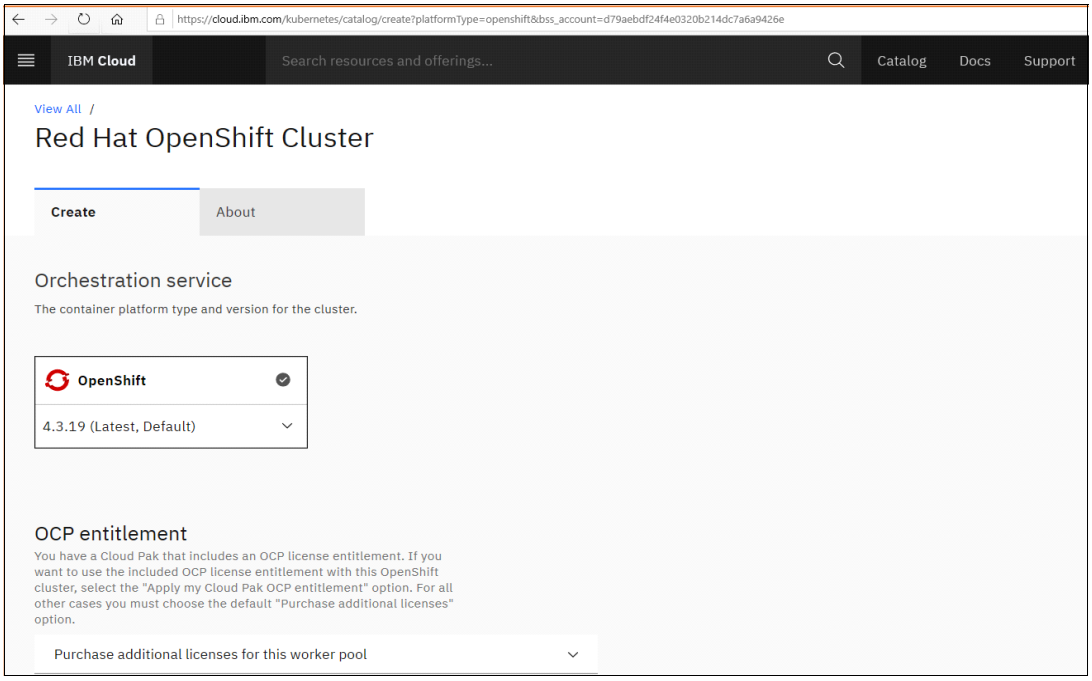

Figure 53 Log in to IBM Cloud

2. Select **Classic** infrastructure and select the Geography and Worker zone per your requirement (see Figure 54).

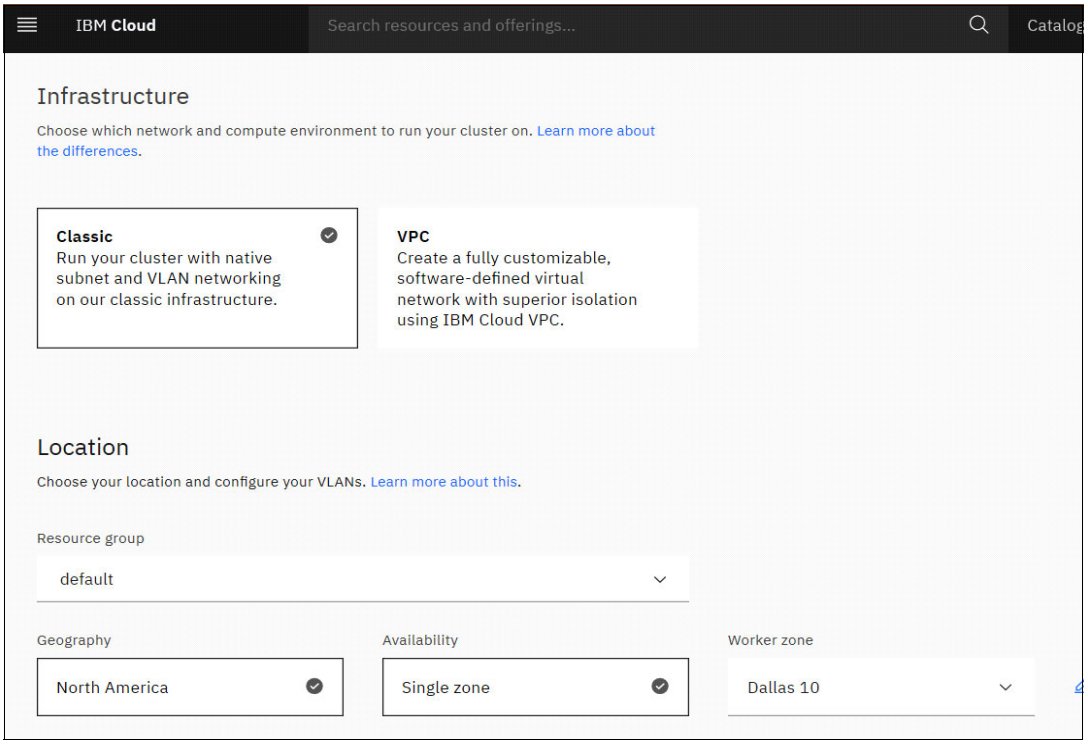

Figure 54 Select geography and zone

3. Select the number of workers (see Figure 55).

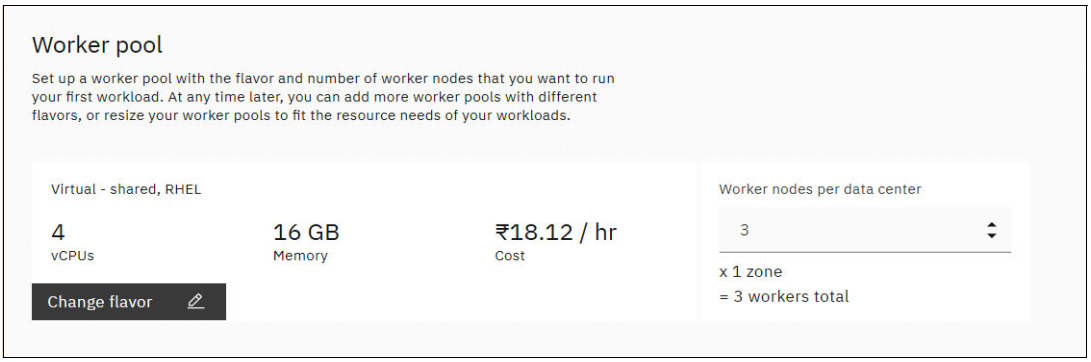

Figure 55 Select the number of workers

4. Select **Upgrade** to create the cluster.

   This cluster is your first cluster. Resources that are created on IBM Cloud in the next window display the type “Internal paid account, commercial proof of concept, Manage IAAS security with application operations”.

5. Select **Go** under Internal Paid Account (see Figure 56).

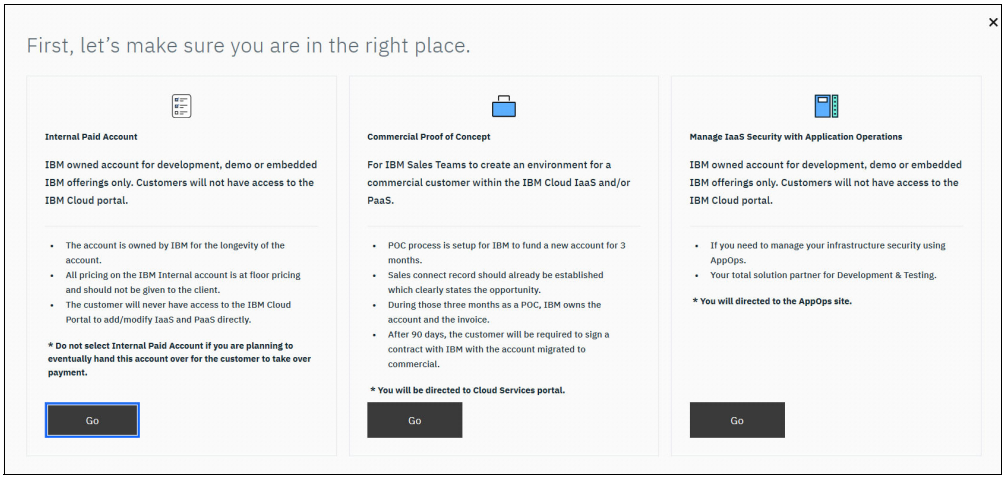

Figure 56 Select internal paid account

6. Confirm that the Internal Paid Account option is selected (see Figure 57).

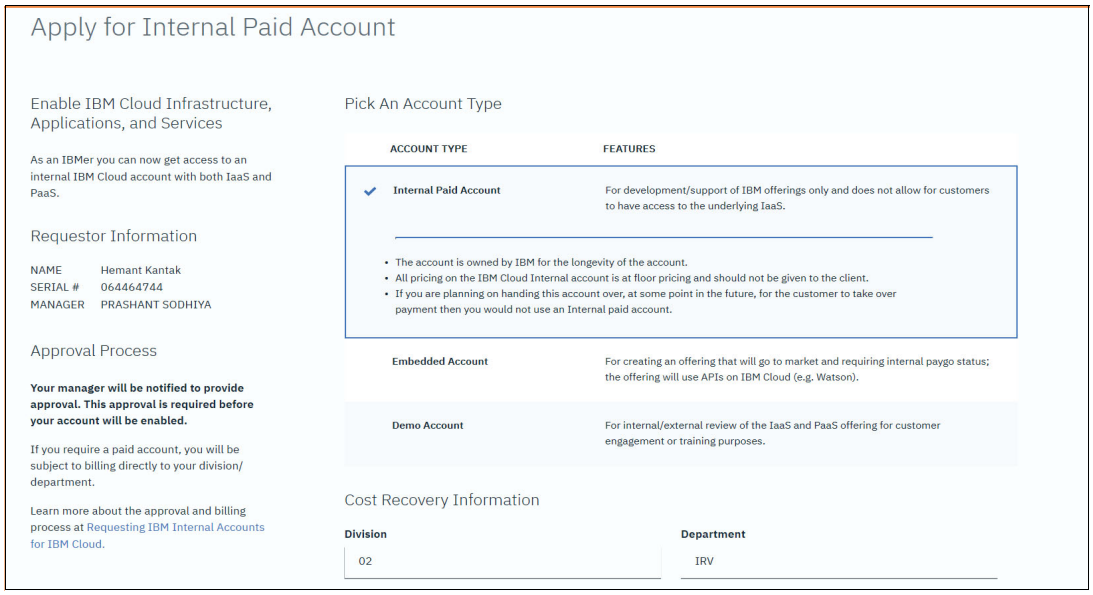

Figure 57 Apply for Internal Paid Account window

7. Complete the form in the Cost Recovery Information window and select the **Single Tenant** option at the bottom of the window (see Figure 58).

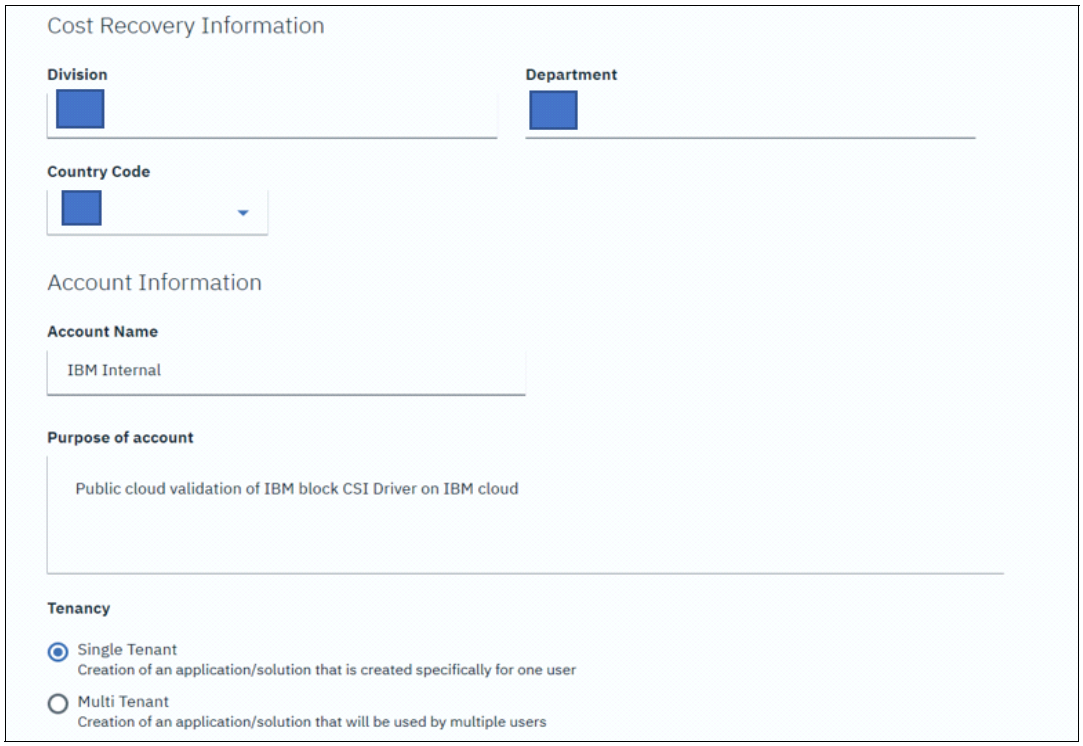

Figure 58 Cost Recovery Information window

8. Accept the terms and conditions (see Figure 59).

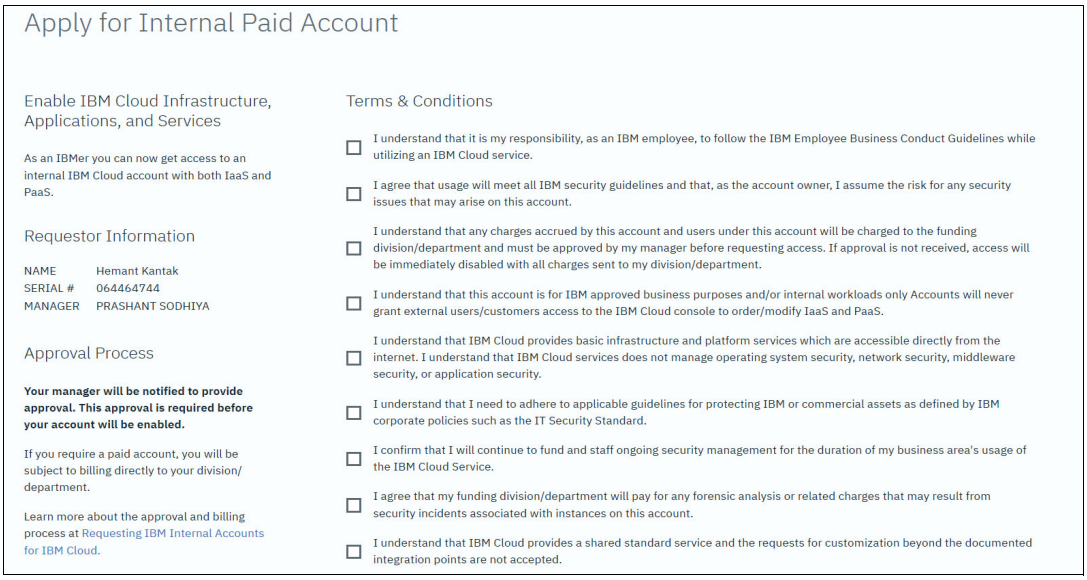

Figure 59 Terms and Conditions window

9. Select all applicable certifications in the Certify window (see Figure 60).

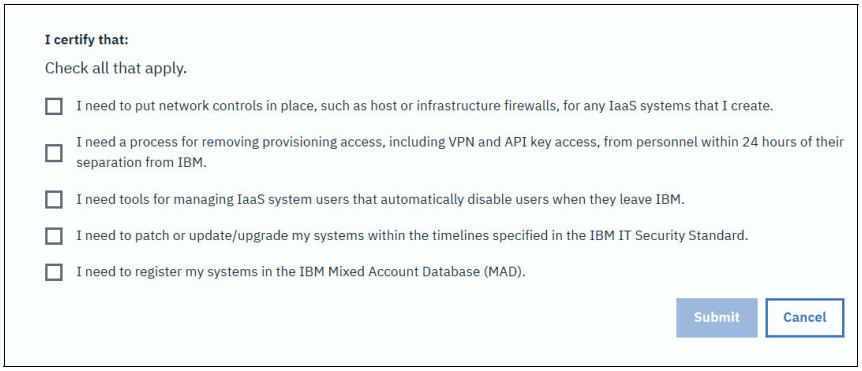

Figure 60 Certify window

10. Click **Submit**.

    The request is created, and it is routed to your manager for approval.

    After the manager approves the request, your IBM cloud ID is created, and you receive an email from IBM Cloud.

11. Log in with your IBM ID and create an OpenShift Cluster on IBM Cloud. Various options to create the OpenShift cluster on IBM Cloud, as shown in Figure 61, Figure 62, and Figure 63 on page 39. Make the suitable selections.

Figure 61 Create OCP cluster

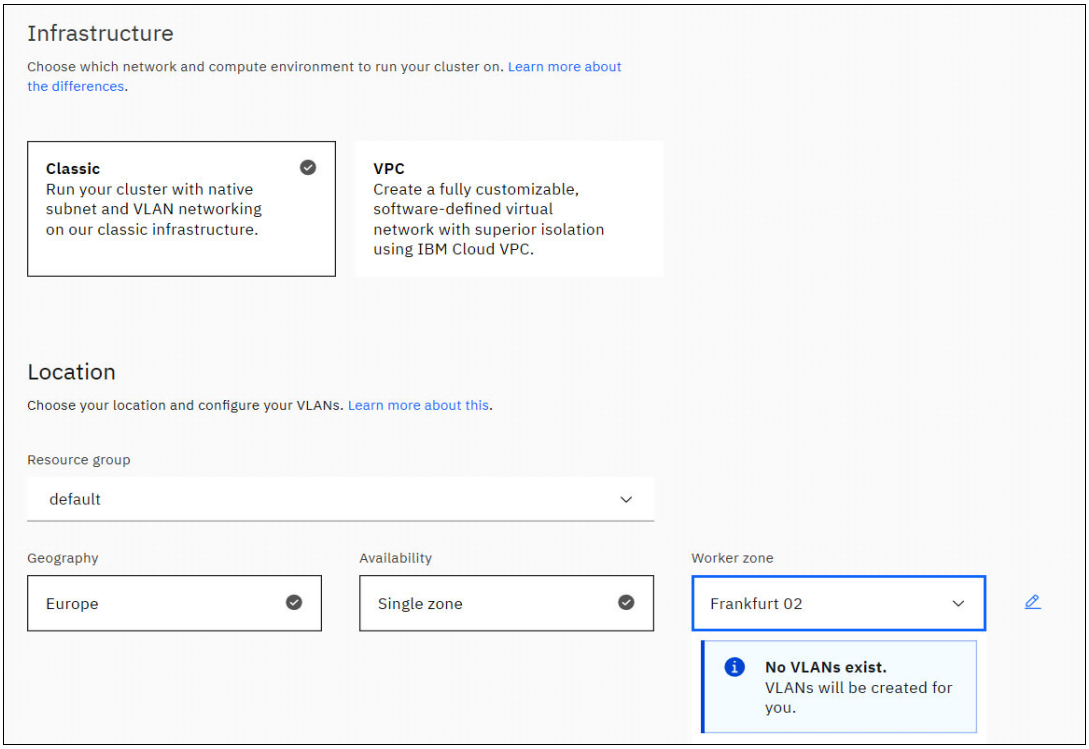

Figure 62 Infrastructure window

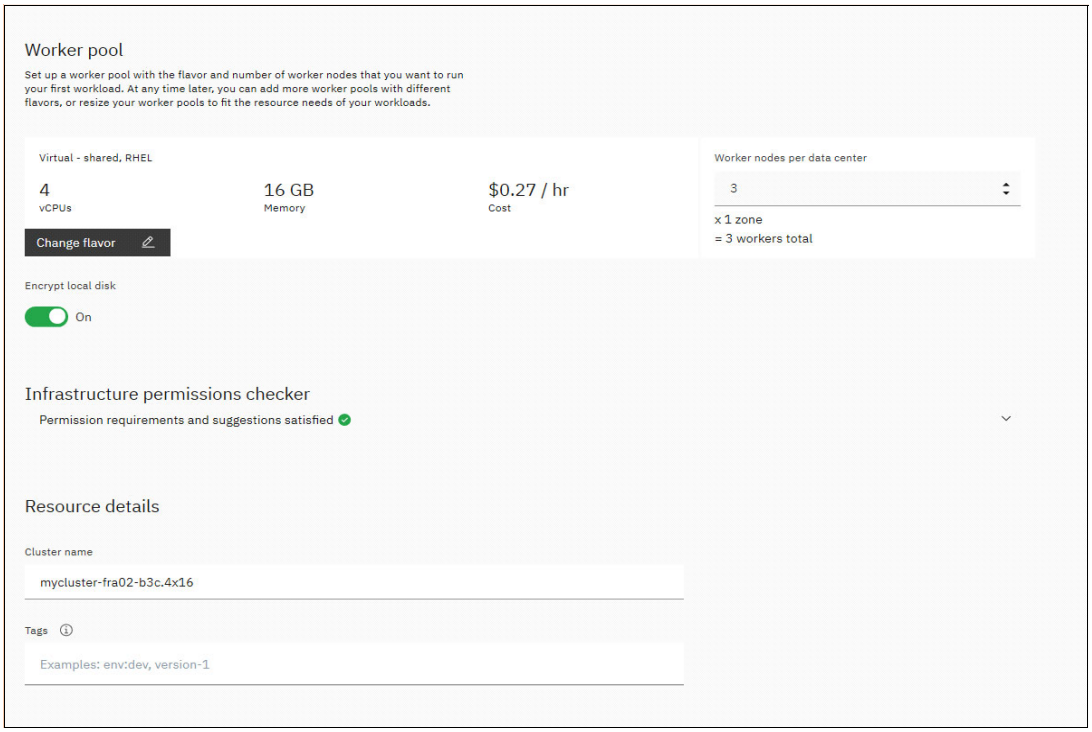

Figure 63 Create OCP cluster

12. Click **Create Cluster** (see Figure 64).

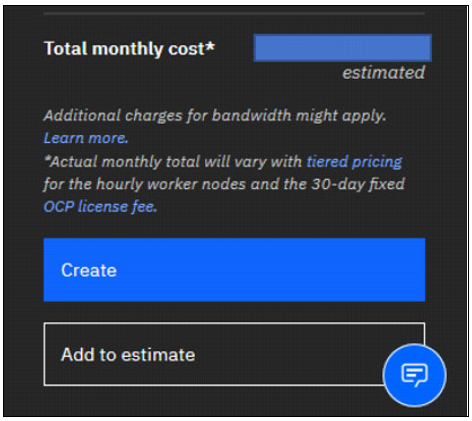

Figure 64 Selecting Create option

The cluster deployment process starts. You can monitor the status of process, as shown in Figure 65 on page 40, Figure 66 on page 40, Figure 67 on page 40, and Figure 68 on page 41.

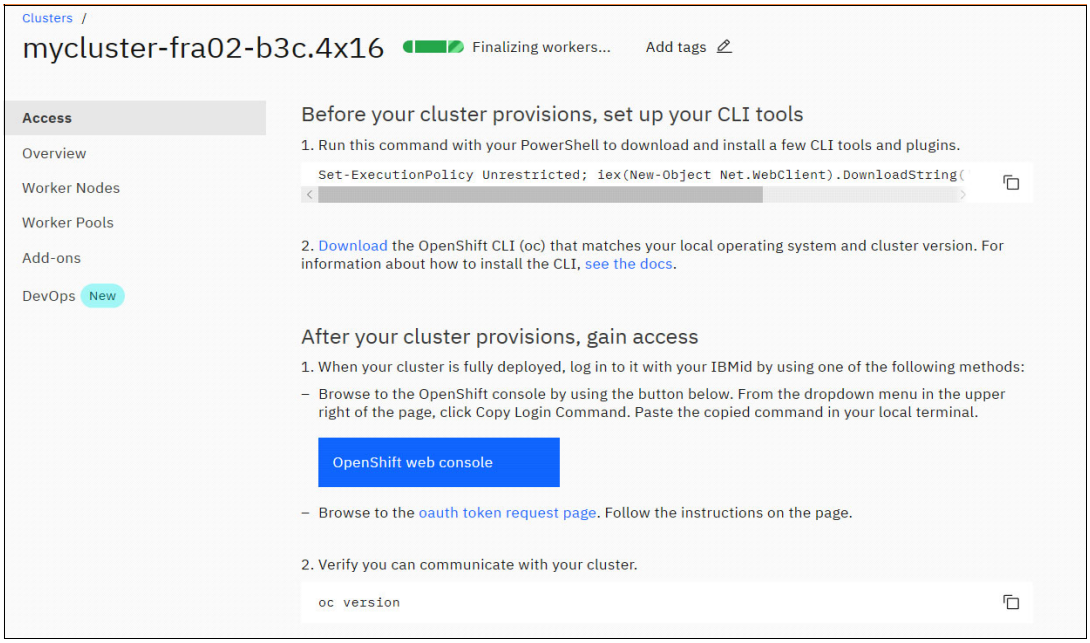

Figure 65 Setting up CLI tools

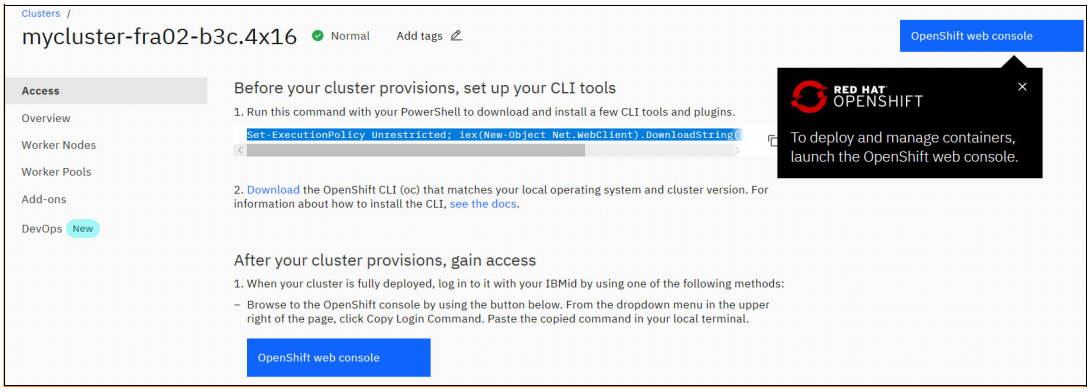

Figure 66 OpenShift web console option

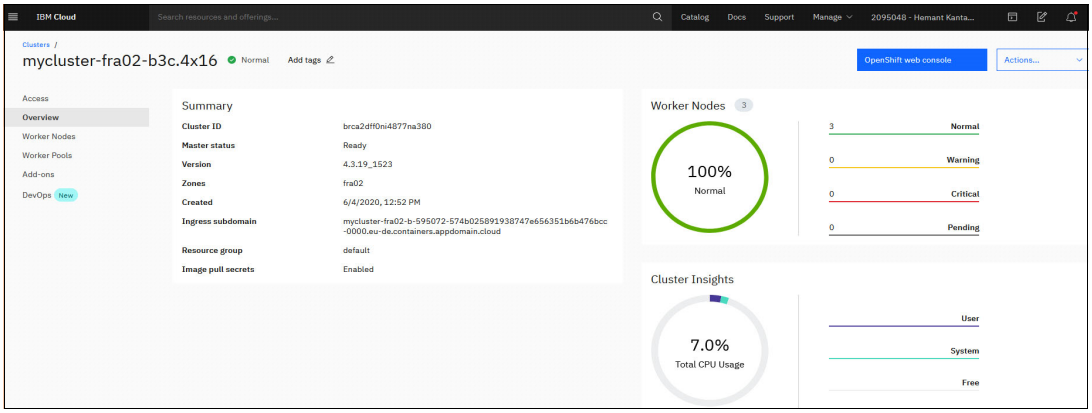

Figure 67 Overview window

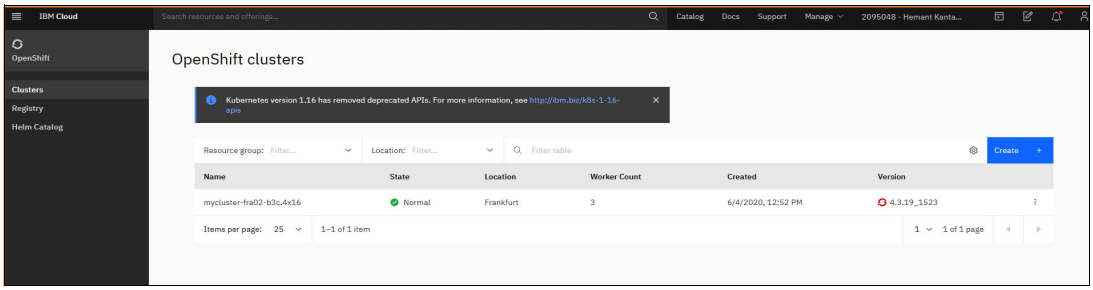

Figure 68 OpenShift cluster created

Logging in to OCP console with GUI and CLI

Click the **Actions** icon (see Figure 69) and log in to the OpenShift Web console.

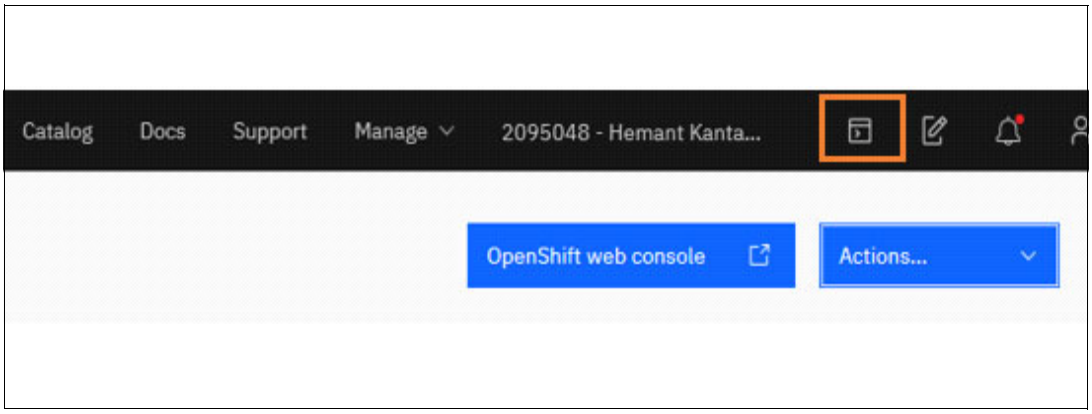

Figure 69 IBM shell icon

You can also log in by using the CLI with the IBM Beta shell, which is available on the IBM console to access and manage the cluster nodes by using **`oc`** and **`kubectl`** commands.

You can also log in by using the CLI from your windows system by way of PowerShell. Complete the following steps:

1. Log in to IBM Cloud console select the OpenShift cluster. Then, click **Action** → **drop down** → **Connect via cli** (follow the prompts that are shown get the auth token request page) → **display token** to log in by using the **`cli`** command.

```
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc>
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc> ./oc get all -n kube-system -l csi
error: You must be logged in to the server (Unauthorized)
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc>
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc> ./oc login --token=ROC00jhnopN140Ke-VwByHEBjCs-ny7WlDVhGJuX6Es --server=https://c100-e.eu-de.containers.cloud.ibm.com:31735

Logged into "https://c100-e.eu-de.containers.cloud.ibm.com:31735" as "IAM#hekantak@in.ibm.com" using the token provided.

You have access to 57 projects, the list has been suppressed. You can list all projects with 'oc projects'

Using project "default".
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc> ./oc get all -n kube-system -l csi
NAME                                READY   STATUS    RESTARTS   AGE
pod/ibm-block-csi-controller-0   4/4     Running   8          11d
pod/ibm-block-csi-node-jk6ks     3/3     Running   6          11d
pod/ibm-block-csi-node-nt7bx     3/3     Running   6          11d
pod/ibm-block-csi-node-nxch6     3/3     Running   3          11d

NAME                                 DESIRED   CURRENT   READY   UP-TO-DATE   AVAILABLE   NODE SELECTOR   AGE
daemonset.apps/ibm-block-csi-node   3         3         3       3            3           <none>          11d

NAME                                        READY   AGE
statefulset.apps/ibm-block-csi-controller   1/1     11d
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc>
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc> ./oc get pod -l app.kubernetes.io/name=ibm-block-csi-operator
NAME                                      READY   STATUS    RESTARTS   AGE
ibm-block-csi-operator-789bb74-tw9mx   1/1     Running   2          4d23h
PS C:\ibmcloud\oc>
```

Figure 70 Pod status and OC login

You cannot log in to the OpenShift cluster nodes from the Public IP because login/SSH is restricted. If you must log in to OCP cluster nodes, you must enable root login on the OCP cluster nodes.

Log a case with IBM cloud team, and enable SSH and root log in to cluster nodes. Then, you can log in to the OCP cluster nodes with the Private IP segment.

2. Create a VPN user and enable VPN access for the user and the required data center. Log in to the VPN. After the VPN is enabled, you can log in to the OCP cluster nodes with a private IP.
3. Log in to the OCP cluster nodes by using the username `root` and the password `password` (log in credentials are available in IBM Cloud console/devices.)
4. In the IBM Cloud console, select the OpenShift cluster and then, **Action** → **drop down** → **Connect via cli** (follow the prompts in the window to get the auth token request page) → **display token** to log in by using the **`cli`** command (see Figure 71).

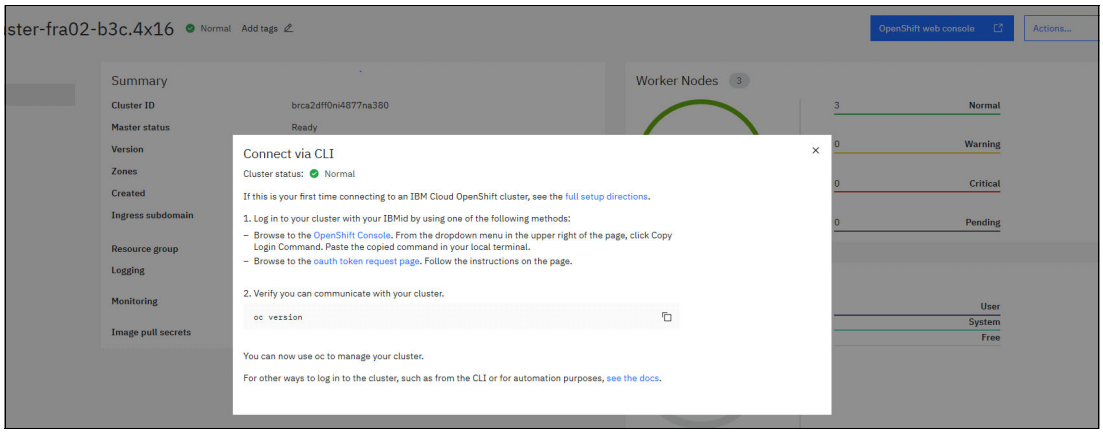

Figure 71 Connecting by using the CLI

5. Check the status of cluster and PODs by using the **`oc`** commands (see Figure 72).

```
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]# oc login --token=ROC00jhnopNl40Ke-VwByHEBjCs-ny7WlDVhGJuX6Es --server=https:/
.containers.cloud.ibm.com:31735
to "https://c100-e.eu-de.containers.cloud.ibm.com:31735" as "IAM#hekantak@in.ibm.com" using the token provided.

access to 57 projects, the list has been suppressed. You can list all projects with 'oc projects'

ject "kube-system".
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]#
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]# kubectl get all -n kube-system -l csi
                READY   STATUS    RESTARTS   AGE
lock-csi-controller-0   4/4     Running   8          11d
lock-csi-node-jk6ks     3/3     Running   6          11d
lock-csi-node-nt7bx     3/3     Running   6          11d
lock-csi-node-nxch6     3/3     Running   3          11d

                    DESIRED   CURRENT   READY   UP-TO-DATE   AVAILABLE   NODE SELECTOR   AGE
.apps/ibm-block-csi-node   3         3         3       3            3           <none>          11d

                           READY   AGE
et.apps/ibm-block-csi-controller   1/1     11d
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]#
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]# kubectl get pod -l app.kubernetes.io/name=ibm-block-csi-operator
                          READY   STATUS    RESTARTS   AGE
-csi-operator-589bd55477-lt887   1/1     Running   2          11d
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]#
e-brca2dff0ni4877na380-myclusterfr-default-000001f2 ~]#
```

Figure 72 POD status

For more information about installing IBM block Storage CSI driver, see “Deploying the CSI driver on OCP” on page 27.

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