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### 1. Disclaimer

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## 2. Introduction

#### **Background**

Oracle Cloud Infrastructure (OCI) is a set of complementary cloud services that enable you to build and run a wide range of applications and services in a highly available hosted environment. Oracle Cloud Infrastructure offers high-performance compute capabilities (as physical hardware instances) and storage capacity in a flexible overlay virtual network that is securely accessible from your on-premises network.

# 3. Pre-Requisites

- To perform the steps in this tutorial, you must have an active subscription to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure or a Free Trial Account.
- PuTTY and PuTTYGen installed

To generate an SSH key pair using the PuTTY Key Generator,

• Find puttygen.exe in the PuTTY folder on your computer, for example, C:\Program Files (x86)\PuTTY. Double-click puttygen.exe to open it. Or you may download it from here.





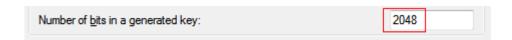
• Accept the default key type, **SSH-2 RSA**.

**SSH-2** is the most recent version of the SSH protocol (and is incompatible with SSH-1). **RSA** and DSA are algorithms for computing digital signatures.



• Set the **Number of bits in a generated key** to 2048 bits, if it is not already set with that value.

This sets the size of your key and thus the security level. A minimum of 2048 bits is recommended for SSH-2 RSA.

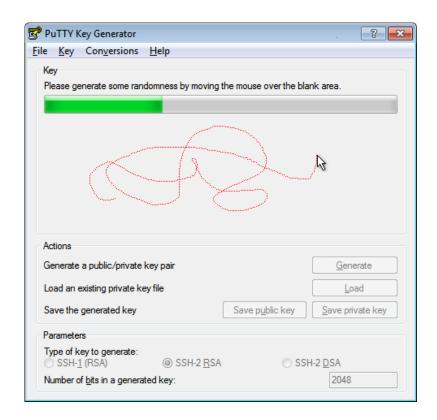


• Click Generate.



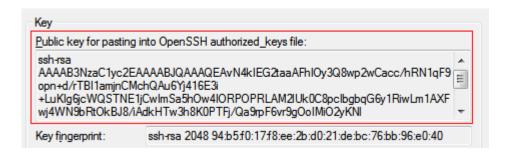
Move your mouse around the blank area to generate randomness to the key.

**Note:** the dotted red line in the image below is for illustration purposes only. It does not appear in the generator pane as you move the mouse.

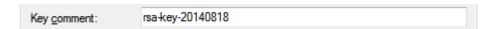




• The generated key appears under Public key for pasting into OpenSSH authorized keys file.



• The key comment is the name of the key that you will use to identify it. You can keep the generated key comment or create your own.



• If you want to password-protect your key, enter a **Key passphrase** and enter it again for **Confirm passphrase**. When you reload a saved private key, you will be asked for the passphrase, if one is set.



While a passphrase is not required, you should specify one as a security measure to protect the private key from unauthorized use.

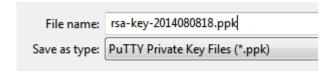
There is no way to recover a passphrase if you forget it.

- Save the private key of the key pair. Depending how you work with the private key in the future, you may need one saved in the PuTTY PPK format and one saved in OpenSSH format. Let's do both.
  - To save the key in the PuTTY PPK format, click Save private key to save the private key of the key pair.



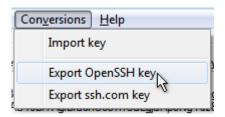
You can name it anything you want, although you may want to use the same name as you used for the key comment. The private key is saved in PuTTY's Private Key (PPK) format, which is a proprietary format that works only with the PuTTY toolset.



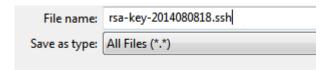


You can use this key whenever you use Putty to perform SSH actions.

• To save the key in OpenSSH format, open the **Conversions** menu and select **Export SSH key**. This will be the same key as above, just saved in a different format.



You can name it anything you want, but to keep track of your keys, you should give it the same name as the key you saved in PPK format in the previous step. You can also use any extension (or no extension), but let's use .ssh, to make it clear what format it is.



You can use this key whenever you use OpenSSH to perform SSH actions using ssh utitlities that support OpenSSH, for example when using Linux in a command shell.

• Now you need to create the public key to be paired with the private key(s) you just created. However, clicking the **Save public key button** will create a public key that won't work with Oracle Cloud services in certain cases. So, for the purposes of this tutorial, there is no reason to save a public key using the **Save public key** button.



Instead, proceed as follows.

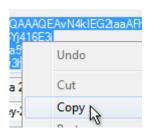
• In the PuTTY Key Generator, select all of the characters under Public key for pasting into OpenSSH authorized keys file.

Make sure you select all the characters, not just the ones you can see in the narrow window. If a scroll bar is next to the characters, you aren't seeing all the characters.

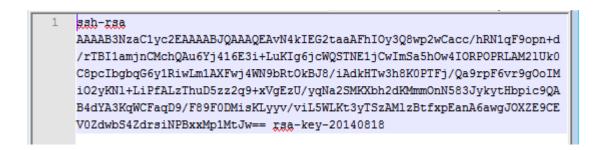




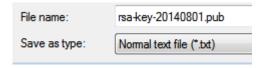
Right click somewhere in the selected text and select **Copy** from the menu.



• Open a text editor and paste the characters, just as you copied them. Start at the first character in the text editor, and do not insert any line breaks.



• Save the key as a text file, using the same root name as you used for the private key. Add a .pub extension. You can give it any extension you want, but .pub is a useful convention to indicate that this is a public key.



Write down the names of your public and private keys, and note where they are saved. You will need the public key when creating service instances in, for example, Oracle Java Cloud Service and Oracle Database Cloud - Database as a Service. You will need the private key when trying to access a service instance's virtual machine via SSH.

Create an SSH key pair on the command line using ssh-keygen



- 1. Open a shell for entering the commands.
- 2. At the prompt, enter the following:

ssh-keygen -t rsa -N "" -b "2048" -C "key comment" -f path/root\_name

where the arguments are as follows:

-t rsa	Use the RSA algorithm.
-N "passphrase"	Passphrase to protect the use of the key (like a password). If you don't want to set a passphrase, don't enter anything between the quotes.
	<b>Note:</b> While a passphrase is not required, you should specify one as a security measure to protect the private key from unauthorized use.
-b "2048"	Generate a 2048 bit key. You don't have to set this if 2048 is acceptable, as 2048 is the default.
	Note: A minimum of 2048 bits is recommended for SSH-2 RSA.
-C "key comment"	A name to identify the key.
-f path/root_name	The location where the key pair will be saved and the root name for the files. For example, if you give the root name as id_rsa, the name of the private key will be id_rsa and the public key will be id_rsa.pub.

3. Alternatively, you can simply enter ssh-keygen and then enter responses when prompted for a name and a passphrase. The keys will be created with default values: RSA keys of 2048 bits:





# 4. Signing in to the OCI Console

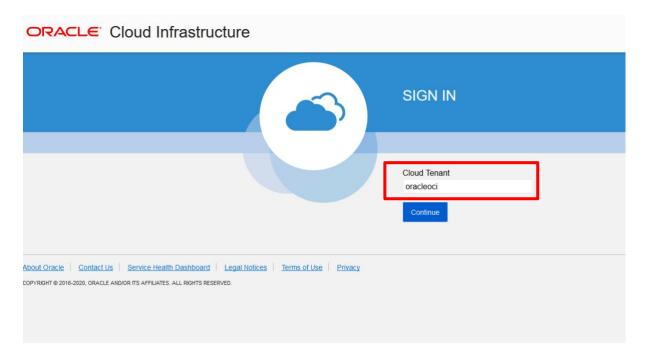
Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Identity and Access Management (IAM) Service lets you control who has access to your cloud resources. You control the types of access a group of users has and to which specific resources. The purpose of this lab is to give you an overview of the IAM Service components and an example scenario to help you understand how they work together.

#### Pre-requisites:

- Oracle Cloud Infrastructure account credentials (User, Password, and Tenancy)
- To sign in to the Console, you need the following:
  - o Tenant, User name and Password
  - o URL for the Console: https://console.eu-frankfurt-1.oraclecloud.com/
  - Oracle Cloud Infrastructure supports the latest versions of Google Chrome, Firefox and Internet Explorer 11

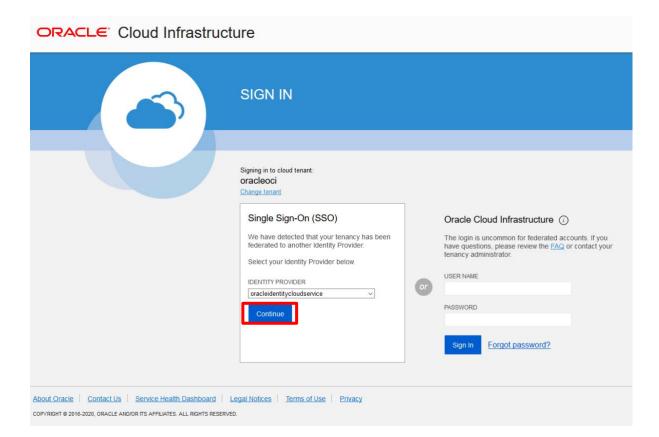
In this Lab, you will sign in to the Oracle Cloud Infrastructure console using your credentials.

- **1.** Open a supported browser and go to the Console URL: https://console.eu-frankfurt-1.oraclecloud.com/.
- 2. Enter your tenant name and click Continue



**3.** Oracle Cloud Infrastructure is integrated with Identity Cloud Services, you will see a screen validating your Identity Provider. Click **Continue**.





- 4. Enter your user name and password
  - o **Username:** provided during trial tenant activation
  - o **Password:** provided during trial tenant activation



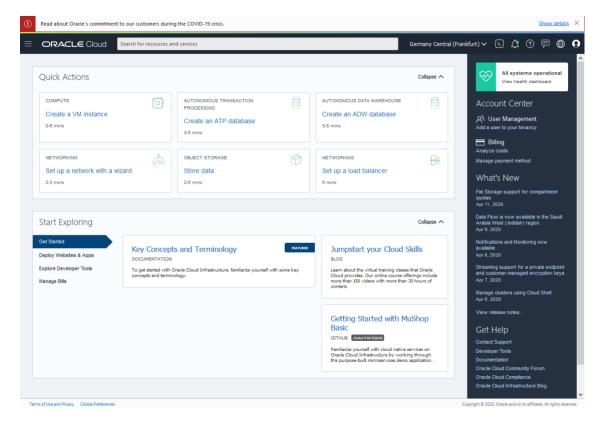
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Oracle Cloud Account Sign In



Need help signing in? Click here

**5.** When you sign in to the Console, the dashboard is displayed.

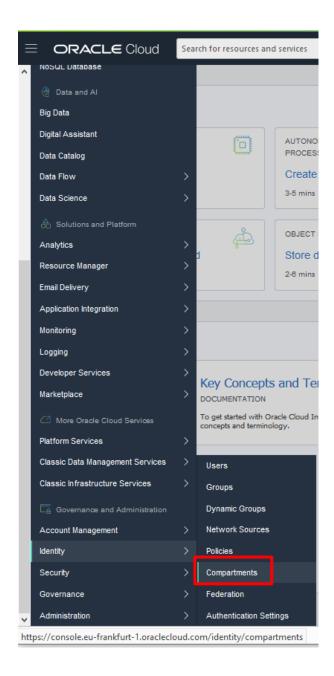




# 5. Creation of a compartment

A **compartment** – is a collection of related resources that can be accessed only by certain groups that have been given permission by an administrator in your organization. When you first start working with Oracle Cloud Infrastructure, you need to think carefully about how you want to use compartments to organize and isolate your cloud resources. Compartments are fundamental to that process. Most resources can be moved between compartments.

In order to view and create a compartment in your tenancy, please navigate to **Main Menu**, **Governance and Administration** section, **Identity** and select **Compartments**.

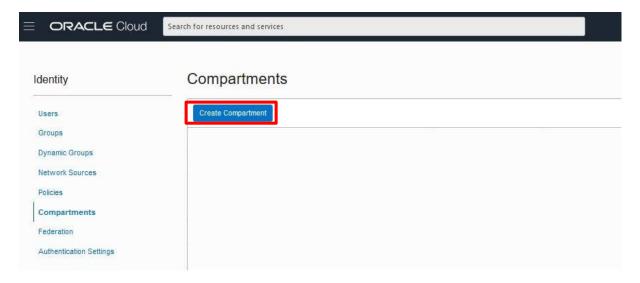


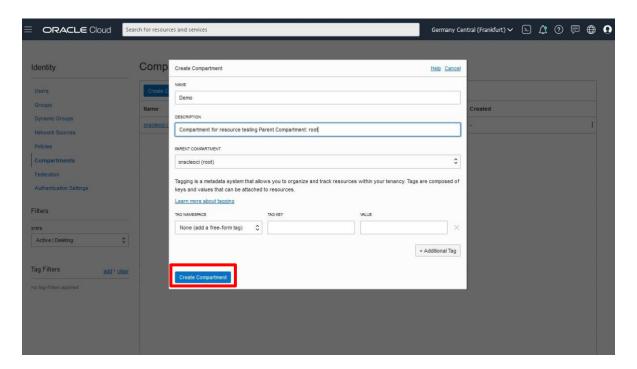
► Click on "**Create Compartment**" and fill the information:



Name: Demo

Description: Compartment for resource testing Parent Compartment: root



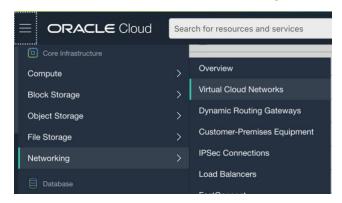


To learn more about compartments in OCI, please visit: <a href="https://docs.cloud.oracle.com/en-us/iaas/Content/Identity/Tasks/managingcompartments.htm">https://docs.cloud.oracle.com/en-us/iaas/Content/Identity/Tasks/managingcompartments.htm</a>

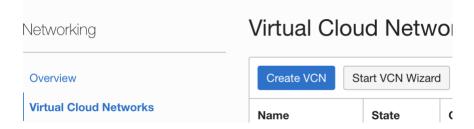


# 6. Create a virtual cloud network via wizard

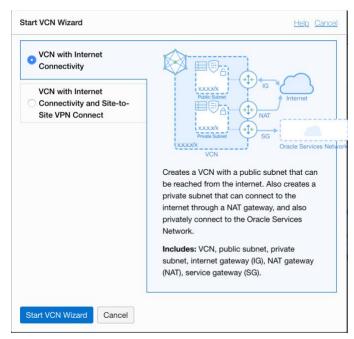
Select from the OCI menu -> Networking -> Virtual Cloud Networks



#### Click on start VCN wizard



#### Select VCN with Internet Connectivity and Start VCN Wizard



Complete the requested informations and review all the configurations. Click create to finish.



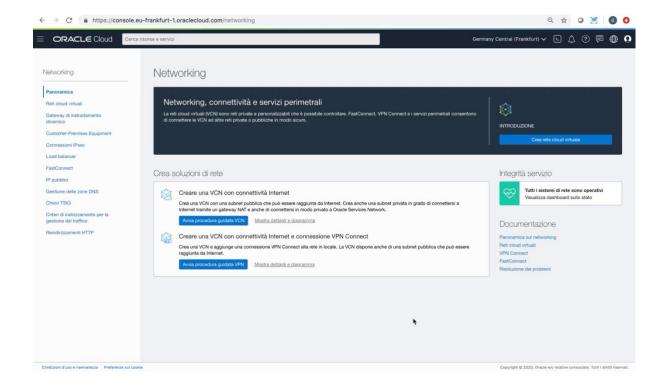
#### 7. Create Bastion Host

It's necessary to create a VM that will be used a bastion host. The key that has been created during chapter 3 will be used during the deployment of this server.

This VM must be deployed into the public subnet. In this way an Internet IP address will be assigned to the server.

This address will be used to connect to the VM.

The following video will show you how to create the bastion host.



At the end, a bastion host will be available. Try to access to it using ssh or putty



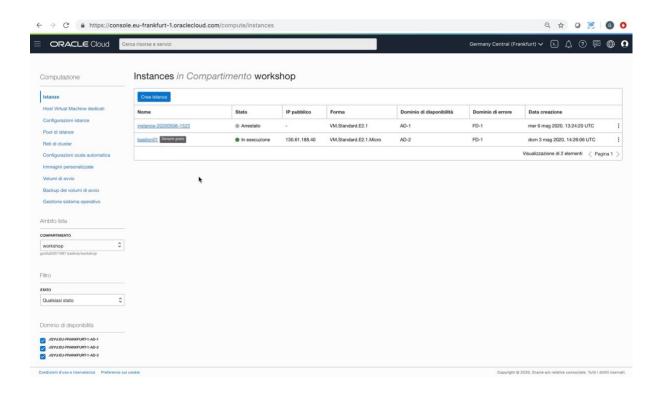
# 8. Create Template Host

Now it's necessary to create a new VM that will be used to prepare the Application Server for Instance Pooling.

The key that has been created during chapter 3 will be used during the deployment of this server.

This VM must be deployed into the private subnet.

The following video will show you how create this initial template server (template01)



A server will be available to install Tomcat as Application Server.



## 9. Install Tomcat on Template Host

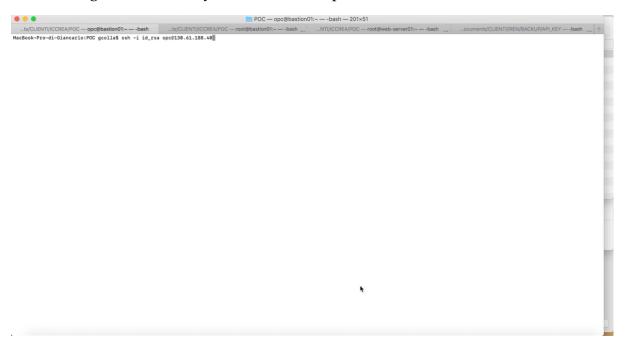
Now it's necessary to access the new VM (template01) and to install Tomcat.

In order to connect to the new server it's necessary:

- 1. Copy your public id key (id\_rsa.pub) from your local desktop to Bastion Host using scp
- 2. Connect to the Bastion Host from your local desktop (using ssh)
- 3. Connect from Bastion Host to template01 using ssh and the id\_rsa.pub that you have transferred

Example scp: scp -i id\_rsa id\_rsa.pub opc@<ip\_address\_bastion\_host>:/tmp

The following video will show you how to install Apache Tomcat on the server



#### The commands used to install tomcat are:

```
# JDK installation
sudo yum install java-1.7.0-openjdk

# Check Java version
java -version

#Download tomcat
wget https://downloads.apache.org/tomcat/tomcat-7/v7.0.103/bin/apache-tomcat-7.0.103.tar.gz

# move into the /opt directory
cd /opt
# untar Apache Tomcat into the /opt directory
sudo tar xvzf /home/opc/apache-tomcat-7.0.103.tar.gz
```



```
# Open ports into the server
sudo firewall-cmd --permanent --zone=public --add-port=80/tcp
sudo firewall-cmd --permanent --zone=public --add-port=443/tcp
sudo firewall-cmd --permanent --zone=public --add-port=8080/tcp
sudo service firewalld restart
# configure auto-start of Apache Tomcat
sudo vi /etc/systemd/system/tomcat.service
                 [Unit]
                 Description=Tomcat - instance %i
                 After=syslog.target network.target
                 [Service]
                 Type=forking
                 User=root
                 Group=root
                 Environment="JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/jre"
                 Environment="JAVA_OPTS=-Djava.security.egd=file:///dev/urandom"
                 Environment="CATALINA_PID=/opt/apache-tomcat-7.0.103/%i/run/tomcat.pid"
                 Environment="CATALINA_BASE=/opt/apache-tomcat-7.0.103/%i/"
                 Environment="CATALINA_HOME=/opt/apache-tomcat-7.0.103/"
                 Environment="CATALINA_OPTS=-Xms512M -Xmx1024M -server -XX:+UseParallelGC"
                 ExecStart=/opt/apache-tomcat-7.0.103/bin/startup.sh
                 ExecStop=/opt/apache-tomcat-7.0.103/bin/shutdown.sh
                 TimeoutStartSec = o
                 [Install]
                 WantedBy=multi-user.target
# Enable tomcat service
sudo systemctl enable tomcat
#Start Tomcat service
sudo systemctl start tomcat
# Disconnect from template01
# From Bastion Host test Tomcat
```

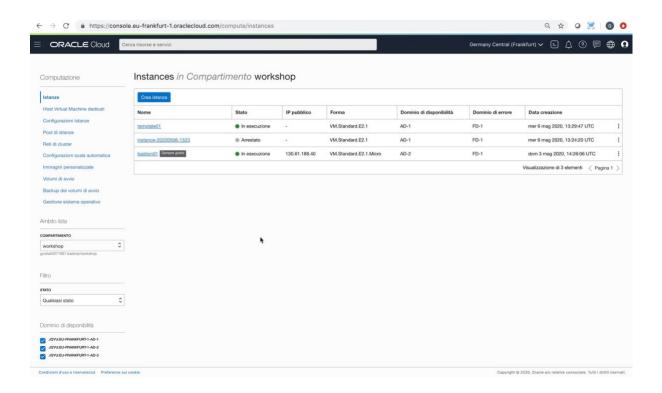
wget http://<templateo1\_ip\_address>:8080

## 10. Custom Image

When the installation of the template Tomcat server is completed successfully it's necessary to create a custom image from this server.

The custom image is used to deploy a new server which is identical to server that has been used to create the custom image.

The following video shows you how to create a custom image from the template01 server



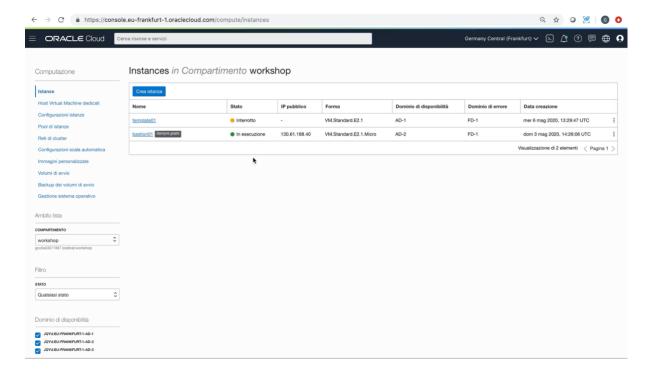
## 11. Instance Configuration

The next step is to create an instance template.

An Instance Configuration is a template that defines a set of required and optional parameters needed to create a compute instance on Oracle Cloud Infrastructure, including OS image, shape and resources, such as block volumes attached to the instance as a single configuration entity.

In order to create an instance configuration, it's necessary to provision a new server from the custom image.

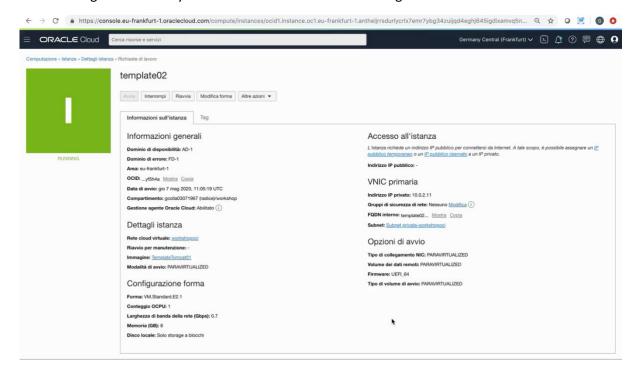
The following video shows you how to create the VM using the custom image we created in the previous chapter.



When the deployment of the VM is completed, it's possible to create the Instance Comfiguration using the Cloud Interface.



The following video shows you how to create the instance configuration.



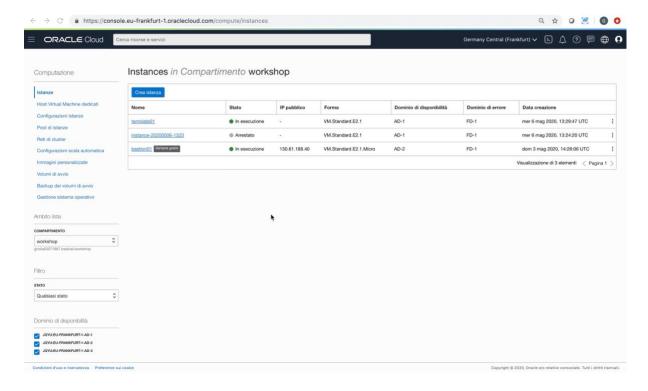
### 12. Creation of Load Balancer

The next step is to create the load balancer.

The load balancer must be deployed into the public subnet in order to be accessible using a public IP Address.

During the deployment a backend set name is defined. This backend set name will be use to associate the load balancer to the instance pool that we will create in the next step.

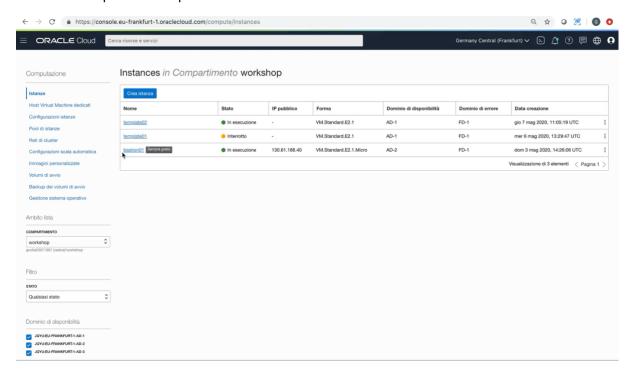
The next video shows you how to create a Load Balancer.



## 13. Creation of Instance Pool

The next step is to create the instance pool. During this step we don't define autoscaling.

The following video shows you how to create an instance pool using the instance configuration we created in the previous chapter.



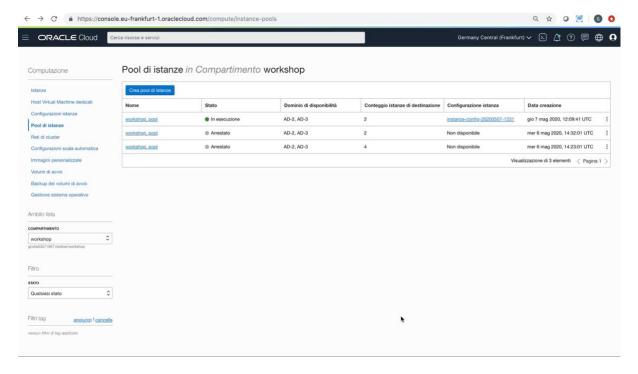
## 14. Autoscaling

The next step is to define autoscaling.

In order to define autoscaling it's necessary to take some decisions:

- What is the initial number of instances that are started during pool activation
- What is the minimum number of instances that must be active when the pool is under utilization
- What is the maximum number of instances of the pool
- Where the instances are activated (availability domains, fault domains, etc.)
- What is the metric that is used to scale-up or down the pool (cpu or memory)
- What is the value of the metric that is used to scale-up the pool
- What is the value of the metric that is used to scale-down the pool

The following video shows you how to configure autoscaling





# 15. Testing Autoscaling

It's possible to test autoscaling using

Apache HTTP server benchmarking tool

You may create a new Virtual Server into the public subnet and also to use the bastion host.

Later you can load the instance pool using the "ab" command

 $ab\ -c\ 10\ -n\ 5000000\ http://<load\_balancer\_ip\_address>/examples/jsp/jsp2/el/basic-arithmetic.jsp$ 

The following video shows you how it's possible to do this

