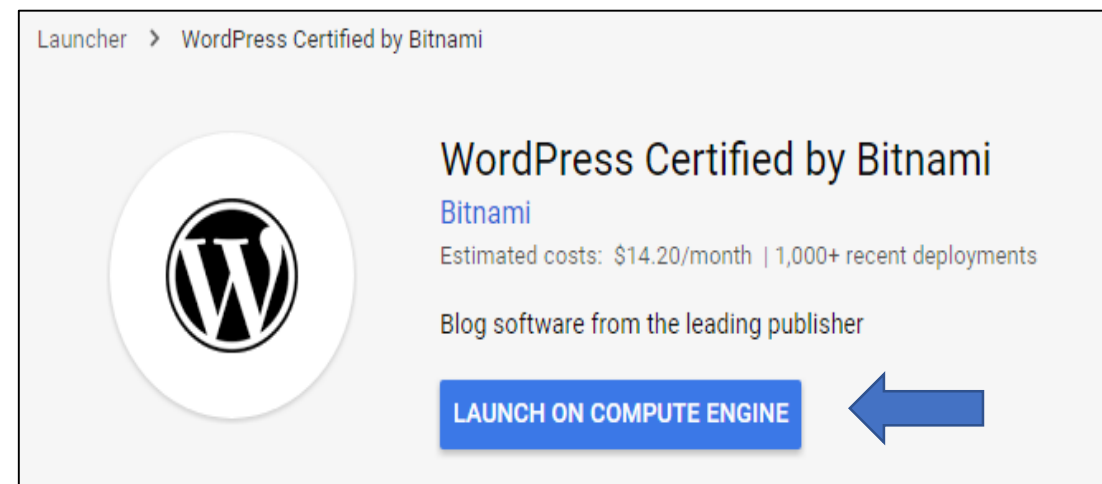
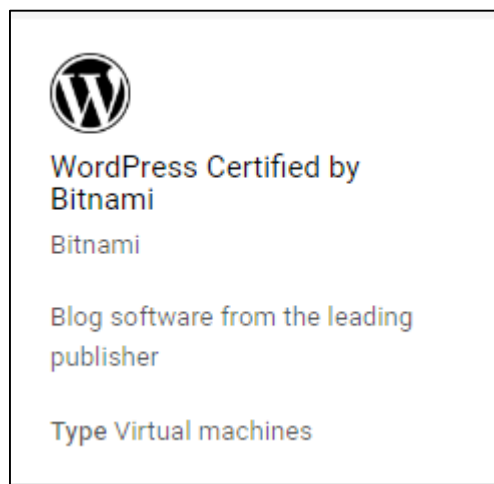
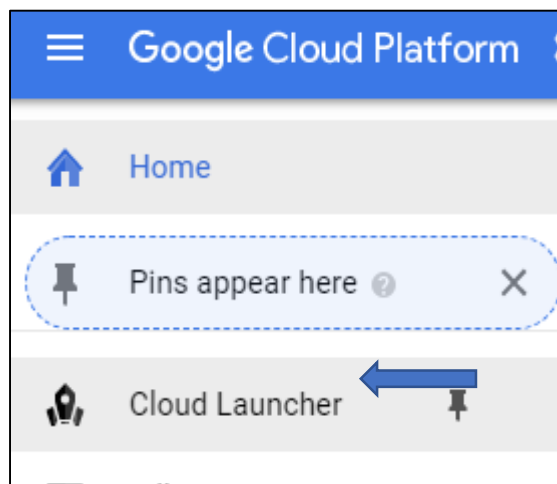


Create Bitnami WordPress Site on Google Cloud



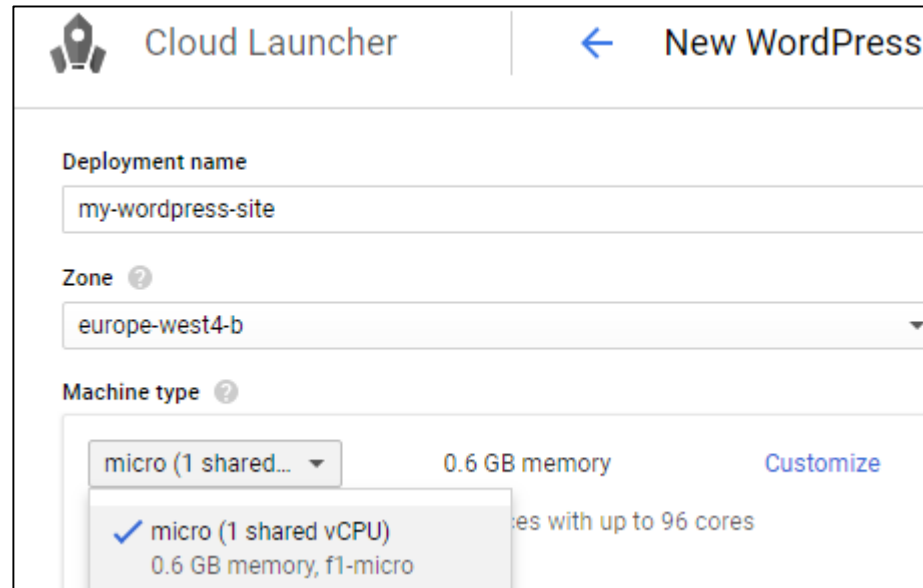
https://Cloud.Google.com

- Start by logging into your Google Cloud account
- From the main menu choose Cloud Launcher
- Next find the Bitnami WordPress option
- Click the blue button that says LAUNCH ON COMPUTE ENGINE



Now we need to customize the VM instance

- We need to give our site a name
- We need to choose our region
- We choose the smallest Micro-instance because that is all we need



Customizing the VM instance

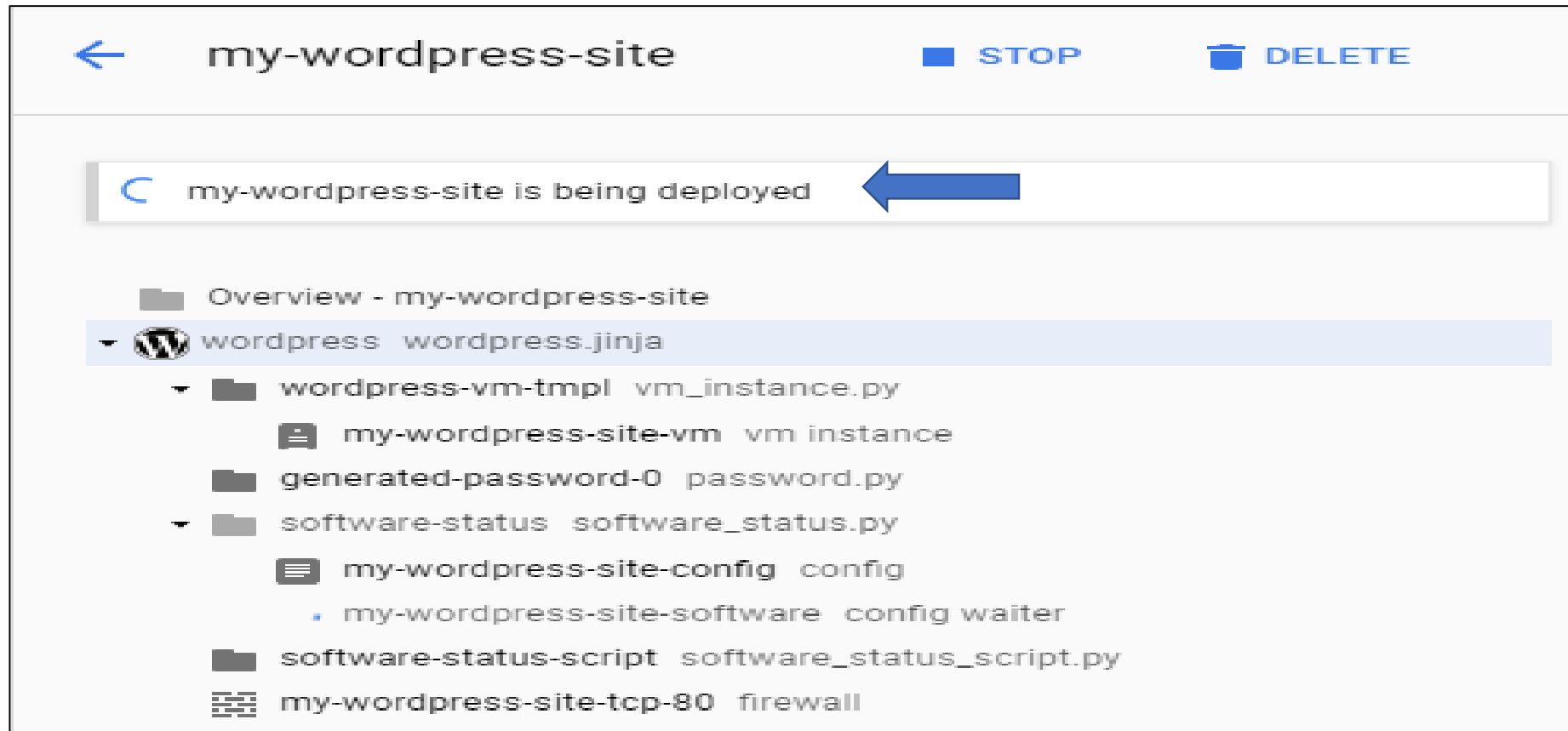
- We'll choose an SSD because they are much faster
- Storage of 10GB is enough for this small site
- We notice that ports 80 and 443 are open as needed for web sites



The screenshot shows a configuration panel for a VM instance. It is divided into three sections: 'Boot Disk', 'Networking', and 'Firewall'. In the 'Boot Disk' section, 'Boot disk type' is set to 'SSD Persistent Disk' and 'Boot disk size in GB' is set to '10'. In the 'Networking' section, both 'Network name' and 'Subnetwork name' are set to 'default'. In the 'Firewall' section, there are two checked checkboxes: 'Allow HTTP traffic' and 'Allow HTTPS traffic'. Below these checkboxes is a 'More' link with a downward arrow. At the bottom left of the panel is a blue 'Deploy' button, which is pointed to by a large blue arrow from the right.

We click **Deploy** when we are ready

It does take a little time for the setup



The screenshot shows a cloud console interface for a resource named "my-wordpress-site". At the top, there are navigation icons (back, refresh) and actions: "STOP" and "DELETE". A progress bar at the top indicates "my-wordpress-site is being deployed" with a blue arrow pointing to the right. Below the progress bar, a tree view shows the resource structure:

- Overview - my-wordpress-site
 - wordpress wordpress.jinja
 - wordpress-vm-tmpl vm_instance.py
 - my-wordpress-site-vm vm instance
 - generated-password-0 password.py
 - software-status software_status.py
 - my-wordpress-site-config config
 - my-wordpress-site-software config waiter
 - software-status-script software_status_script.py
 - my-wordpress-site-tcp-80 firewall

Note that there are options to configure items such as password and SQL credentials

Configure SSH keys to access the application as the user "bitnami".

[Using SFTP](#) ↗

Use this guide to upload files using SFTP.

[MySQL access credentials](#) ↗

Use username "root" and the temporary password to access MySQL.

[Change your MySQL root password](#) ↗

Change your temporary MySQL root password by following these instructions

[Accessing phpMyAdmin](#) ↗

Access phpMyAdmin via an SSH tunnel using this guide.

[Adding plugins with privileges](#) ↗

Some plugins need privileged access to install. Edit privileges with this guide.

[Installation directory structure](#) ↗

Learn how application files, libraries and configuration files are organized.

All of these configuration items can be done later as needed

You will be informed when the VM has been deployed. Copy your user name and password into a text file and then log into the site and you can begin to customize it. You should set up your security (change password) before you log out.

The screenshot displays a cloud console interface. On the left, a file explorer shows a directory structure for 'my-wordpress-site', including folders for 'wordpress-vm-tmpl', 'generated-password-0', 'software-status', and 'software-status-script', along with various configuration and script files. A notification at the top left states 'my-wordpress-site has been deployed'. On the right, a 'WordPress Certified by Bitnami' section provides key configuration details for the instance.

Property	Value
Site address	http://35.204.211.181/
Admin URL	http://35.204.211.181/wp-admin/
Admin user	user
Admin password (Temporary)	DR1HzXwDbBWL
Instance	my-wordpress-site-vm
Instance zone	europa-west4-b
Instance machine type	f1-micro

[More about the software](#)

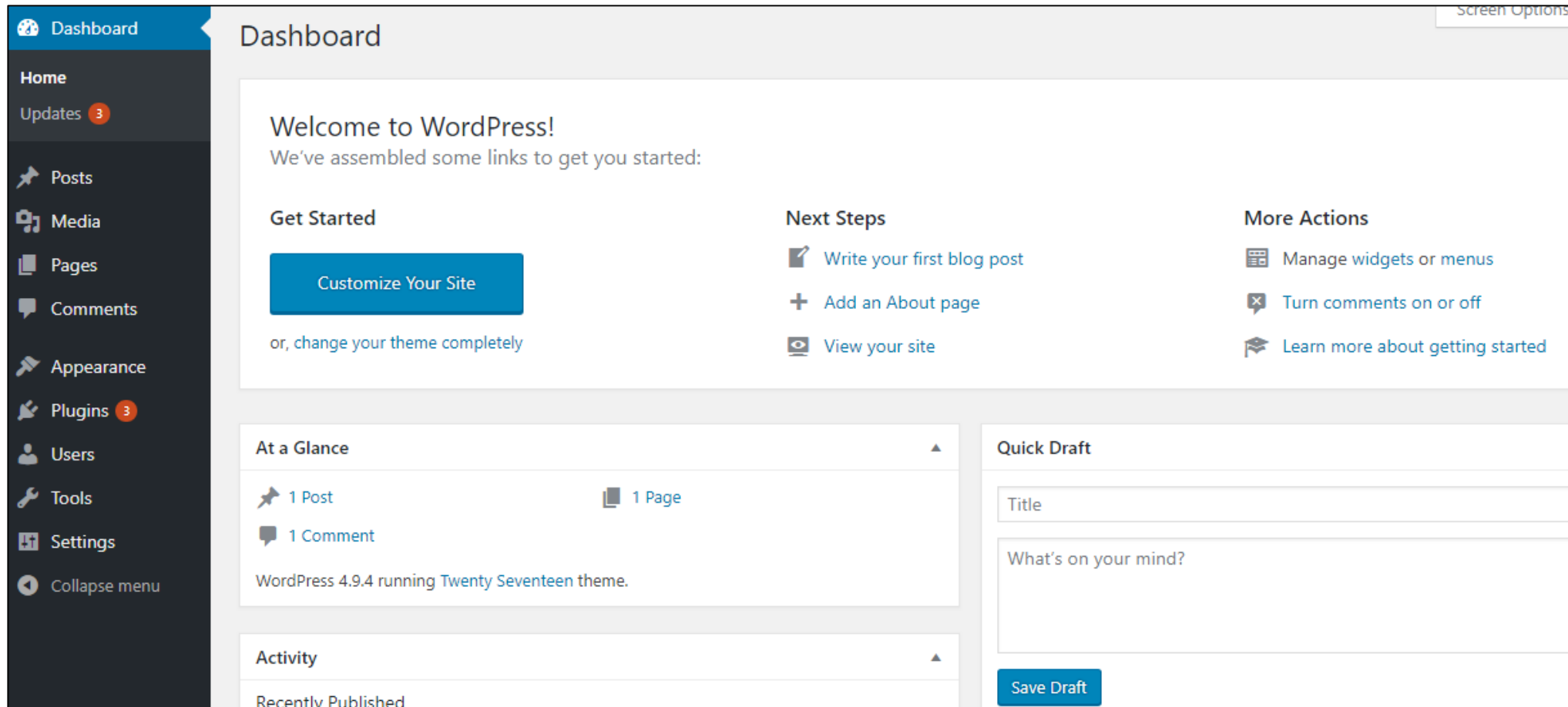
Get started with WordPress Certified by Bitnami

[Log into the admin panel](#) [SSH](#)

Suggested next steps

- Change the temporary password
For additional security, it is recommended that you change

Now you can customize the site how you want



The image shows the WordPress dashboard interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation links: Dashboard, Home, Updates (3), Posts, Media, Pages, Comments, Appearance, Plugins (3), Users, Tools, Settings, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard' and features a 'Welcome to WordPress!' message with a 'Customize Your Site' button. Below this are three columns: 'Get Started' with the 'Customize Your Site' button and a link to 'change your theme completely'; 'Next Steps' with links to 'Write your first blog post', 'Add an About page', and 'View your site'; and 'More Actions' with links to 'Manage widgets or menus', 'Turn comments on or off', and 'Learn more about getting started'. At the bottom, there are 'At a Glance' and 'Quick Draft' widgets. The 'At a Glance' widget shows 1 Post, 1 Page, and 1 Comment, along with the version 'WordPress 4.9.4 running Twenty Seventeen theme.' The 'Quick Draft' widget has a 'Title' field, a text area for 'What's on your mind?', and a 'Save Draft' button. A 'Screen Options' button is visible in the top right corner.

Dashboard

Home

Updates **3**

Posts

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Comments

Appearance

Plugins **3**

Users

Tools

Settings

Collapse menu

Dashboard

Screen Options

Welcome to WordPress!

We've assembled some links to get you started:

Get Started

[Customize Your Site](#)

or, [change your theme completely](#)

Next Steps

- [Write your first blog post](#)
- [Add an About page](#)
- [View your site](#)

More Actions

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At a Glance

[1 Post](#) [1 Page](#)

[1 Comment](#)

WordPress 4.9.4 running [Twenty Seventeen](#) theme.

Quick Draft

Title

What's on your mind?

[Save Draft](#)

Welcome to WordPress!

