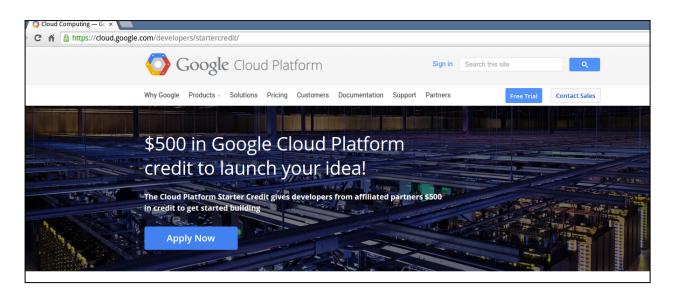
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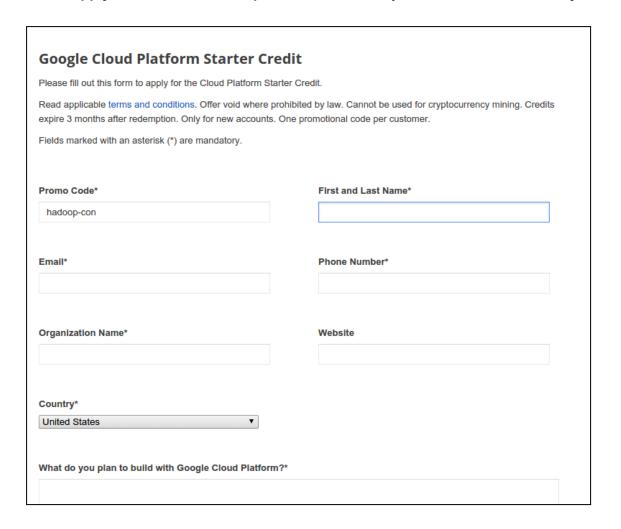
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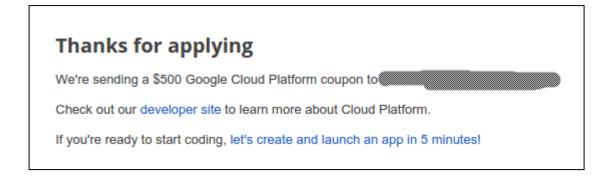
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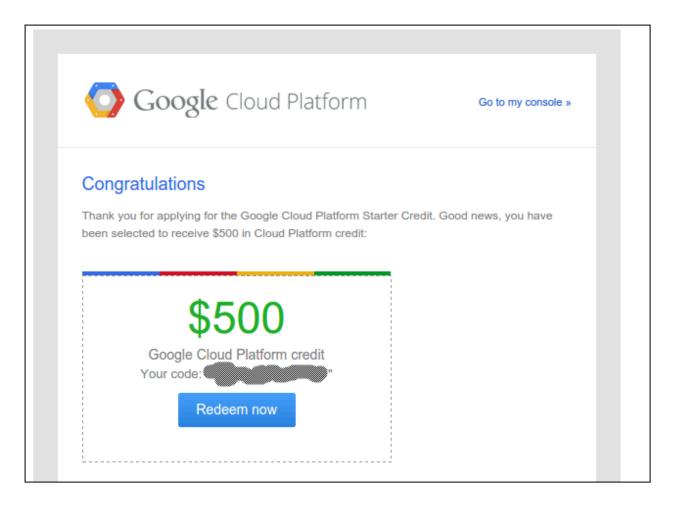
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You will receive a confirmation in your email.

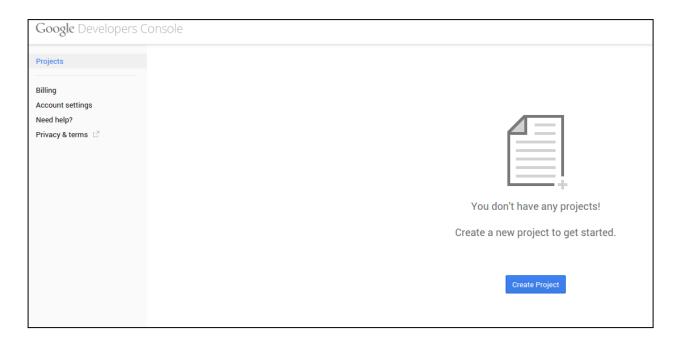


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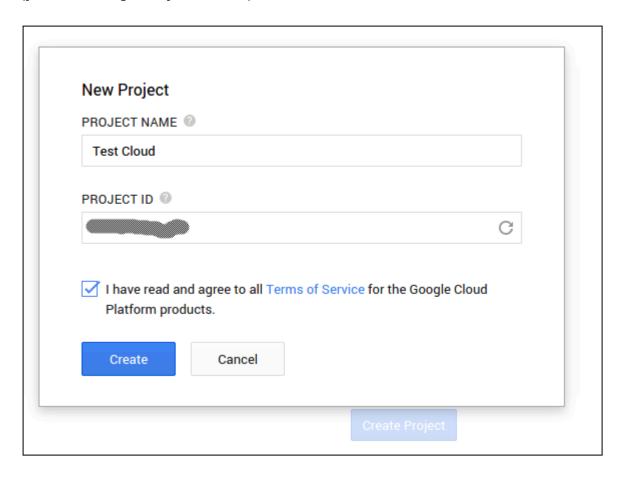


Go to your Cloud console by clicking on the "Go to my console" link in this email.

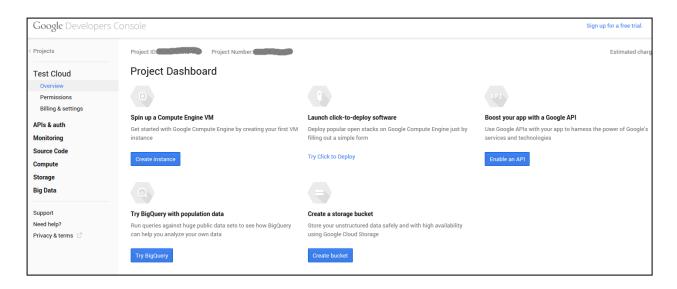
Your Developers Console will look something like below (if you are new to Google Cloud)



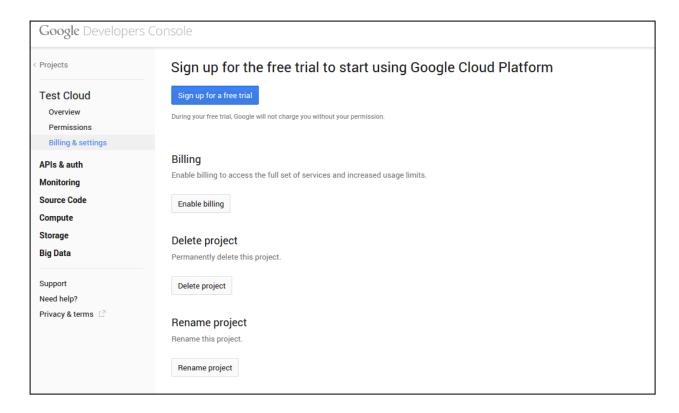
Click on "Create Project" and give any name. You can leave the project ID to whatever shows up (you can change it if you want to). This will take a few minutes.



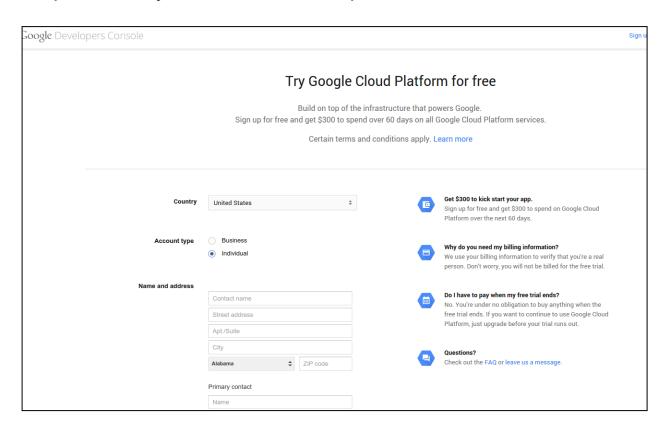
After you click "Create", your project will be created (will take a few minutes) and you should be at your dashboard.



Click on "Billing & settings" to go to the Billing page.



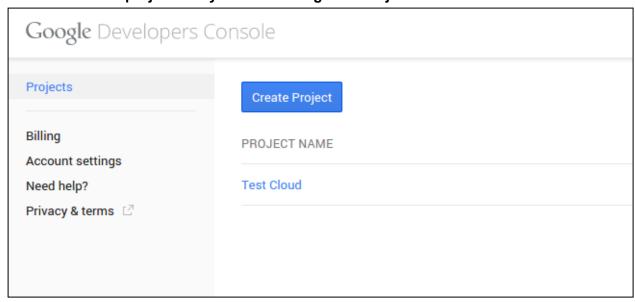
Click on "Enable billing" and create a billing account. You will need a credit/debit card for this. Fill up the necessary details and click on "Accept and start free trial".

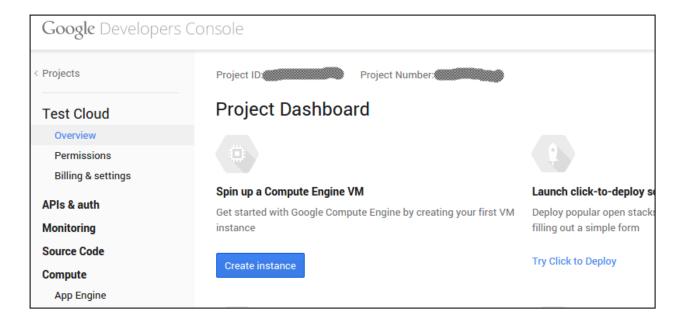


You should see the \$300 credit to your account.

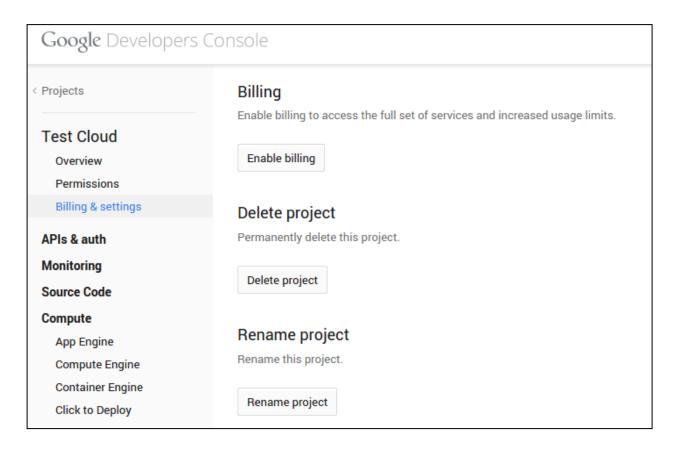
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Now click on the project that you created to go the Project dashboard.

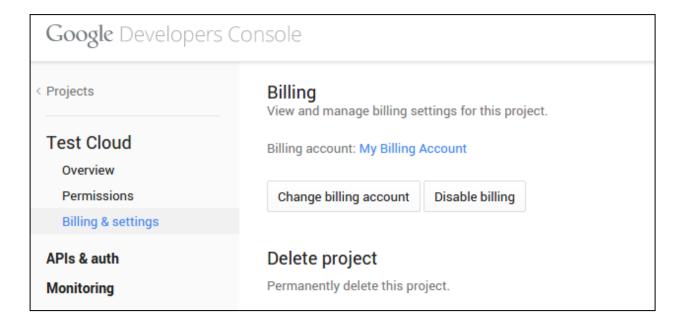




Click on "Billing & settings" to go to the Billing page of this Project.



Click on "Enable billing" to enable billing for this project.

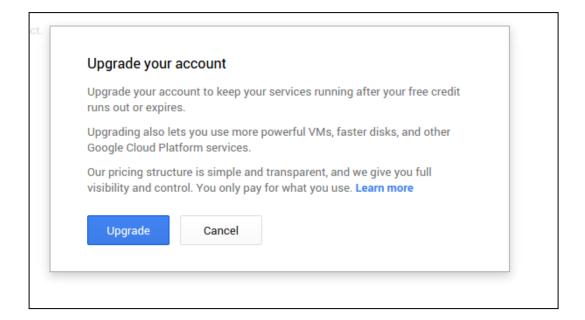


Your account now is in a free trial (with \$300 credit). This free trial has restrictions on the number of simultaneous CPUs you can run. This means that a Hadoop cluster cannot be deployed in a free trial. We will need to convert this into a full active account.

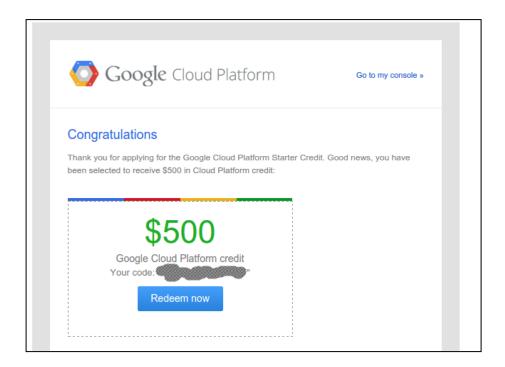
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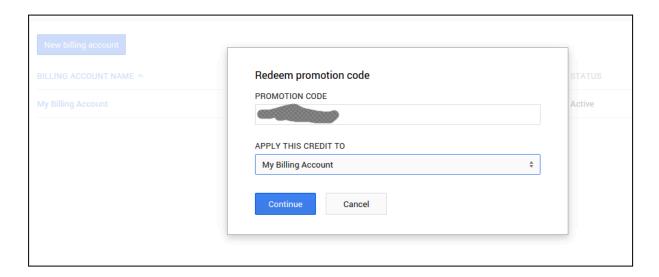
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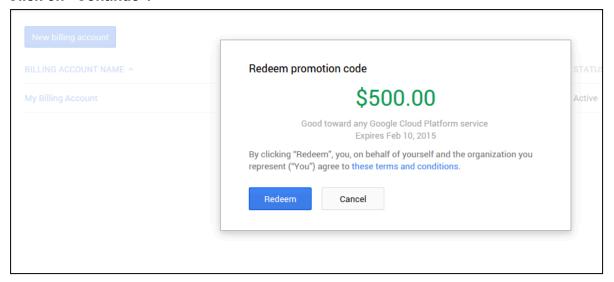
Go back to your email where you received the \$500 credit. Click on "Redeem Now".



That should take you to the Billing page asking for a Billing account to apply the credit to.



Click on "Continue".



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