

**Intelligent EdgeCloud**

# **Getting Started**

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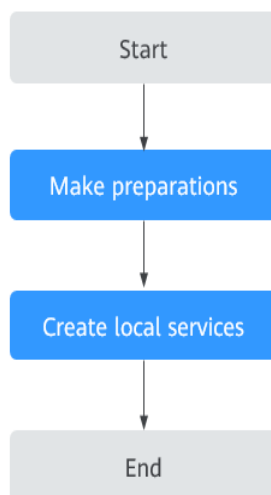
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# 1 Process of using IEC

**Figure 1-1** shows how you can use Intelligent EdgeCloud (IEC) on the management console if you are new to it.

**Figure 1-1** Process of using IEC



1. **Making preparations:** Register a HUAWEI ID, enable Huawei Cloud Services, complete real-name authentication, top up your account, and apply for the permissions on using an IEC HomeZones.
2. **Creating a local service:** An edge service is a resource management set at the logical layer. Resources are compute instances that include instance specifications, disks, and networks.

# 2 Preparations for Using IEC

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## Signing Up for a HUAWEI ID and Enabling Huawei Cloud Services

For details, see [Registering a HUAWEI ID and Enabling Huawei Cloud Services](#).

## Completing Real-name Authentication

**Step 1** You have registered a HUAWEI ID and enabled the Huawei Cloud service.

**Step 2** Complete real-name authentication by following the instructions in [Real-Name Authentication](#).

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## Topping up Your Account

Ensure that your Huawei Cloud account has sufficient balance. For details, see [Topping Up an Account](#).

## Applying for Permissions

To use IEC and related cloud services, apply for the permissions on using IEC HomeZones.

Apply for the permission as prompted.

# 3 Creating a Local Service

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## Application scenarios

After you [make preparations](#) and specify the service requirements, you can create local services.

This section uses purchasing an ECS as an example.

## Prerequisites

You have registered a HUAWEI ID, enabled Huawei Cloud, completed real-name authentication, and topped up your account. Your application for permissions on using IEC HomeZones has been approved. For details, see [Preparations for Using IEC](#).

## Procedure

**Step 1** Log in to the Huawei Cloud console.

**Step 2** Click  and choose **Compute > Elastic Cloud Server**.

**Step 3** Click **Buy ECS**.

Log in to the ECS console and open the page for purchasing ECSs.

**Step 4** In the Basic Configuration area, select the parent region where the IEC HomeZones belongs.

**Step 5 AZ Type:** Select **HomeZones**.

**Step 6 AZ:** Select the AZ where your local service is to be deployed.

**Step 7** For details about other configurations, see [Purchasing and Using an ECS](#).

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