

Project 1 Architecture Document

Instances:

- The base instance is used to create a snapshot for future instances
- The snapshot is used to create images which are then used for image templates
- Image templates have start up script to add environment variables, start up a Python script to pull from the bucket, and start up the web page

Group instances:

- Uses the image templates to scale the number of instances there are
- Also does a health check on those instances

Load balancer:

- The load balancer directs traffic to instances to balance out the amount of work load each instance has
- Contains a certificate and allows only https from outside

Bastion/Firewall rules:

- Firewall rules blocks all tcp:22 traffic
- Firewall rule allows tcp:22 into the Bastion
 - o Has a lower priority number than the first rule to override it
- Firewall rule allows health check and load balancer traffic to the server instances

VPC:

- All server instances and the bastion node are in the same network

Bucket:

- The bucket contains the web-content that the servers regularly pull from to update the website

Datastore:

- Contains data that the web page pulls from and pushes into

Cloud functions:

- All functions used are triggered by HTTP requests from the web site
- Interacts with the bucket and Datastore

