

ITA\_System Configuration / Environment Construction Guide

Terraform-driver

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# Introduction

This document explains the system configuration and environment construction for operating Terraform optional function (referred to as Terraform driver hereafter) in ITA.

To use the ITA Terraform driver, it is assumed that the basic ITA functions have been built. Please refer to "System Configuration/Environment Construction Guide - Basics" for constructing ITA basic function.

# Function

Terraform driver provides the following functions.

Table 1-1. Function name

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| No | Function name | User | WEB  Content | BackYard  Content |
| 1 | Terraform driver | Generate an execution plan and execute the construction bases on the coded infrastructure configuration in ITA via Terraform.  In addition, it is possible manage coded access policies based on Policy as Code. | ◎ | ◎ |

# System configuration

The system configuration of Terraform driver is same as the ITA system.

For the Terraform driver, there are two configurations. One that uses Terraform cloud or one where there Terraform has its own server separately from ITA.

This figure shows a configuration in which a Terraform server is added to the balanced HA type, the recommended configuration for the ITA system.

※The figure here is a omitted version. Please refer to "System Configuration/Environment Construction Guide - Basics" for details.

ITA system/Terraform driver

Web/AP server [ACT]

Web/AP server [ACT]

Web

function

Web/AP server [ACT]

DB connection

information

**Terraform**

**driver**

Load balancer

Backyard server [SBY]

Terraform

Backyard server [ACT]

Session management

**Terraform API Function**

BackYard

Function

Uploaded

file

Terraform

DB

DBMS

DB connection

Information

**Terraform**

**driver**

Configuration target device

Network  
device

Server

Storage

External installed server

# System requirements

Since Terraform driver (ITA side) is based on system requirements of ITA system, please refer to "System Configuration/Environment Construction Guide - Basics". This section describes the requirements for BackYard.

●BackYard

**Table 3-1. Linux commands required for Terraform backyard**

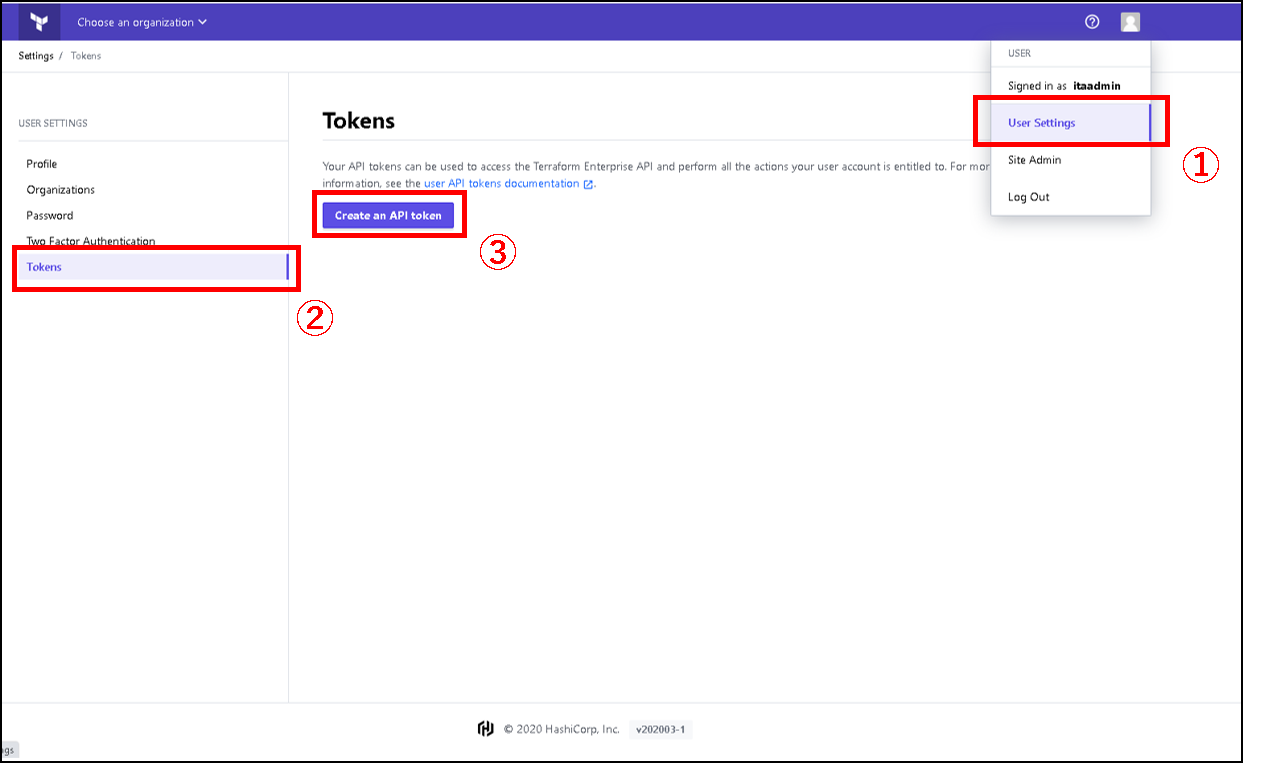
|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Command** | **Note** |
| tar |  |
| zip |  |

# Terraform initial setting

## Prepare required resource

In order to link Terraform from Terraform driver, you need to create an user token.

Log in to Terraform from a browser, then click [User Setting] → [Tokens] → [Create an API token] to create API token.



The created user token should be set to “Interface information” of Terraform console in ITA.  
Please refer to “User Instruction manual Terraform-driver” for details.