Ali Youssef Solh DevOps bootcamp Capstone

DevOps Infra Optimization

Notes

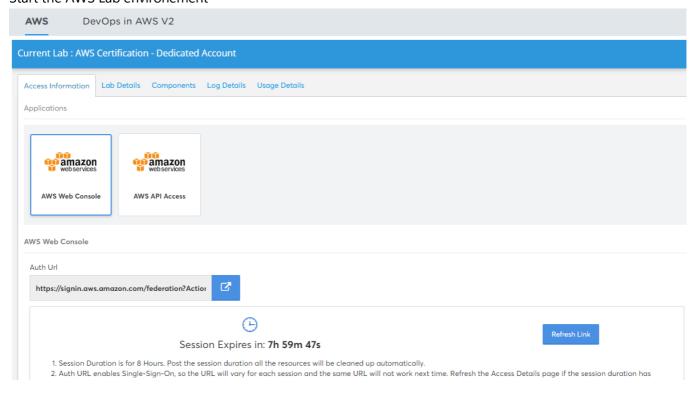
All source files are found at https://github.com/AliYoussefSolh/Infra-Optimization

Because it makes advantage of the high availability of nodes provided by AWS EC2 instances, as well as the dependability and scalability of Kubernetes, this solution resolves the issue with the EasyPay application. This prevents downtime and allows the application to scale horizontally during high traffic times. The underlying configuration can be backed up using etcd snapshots. This will provide much better performance, and reliability, for the application than their current infrastructure.

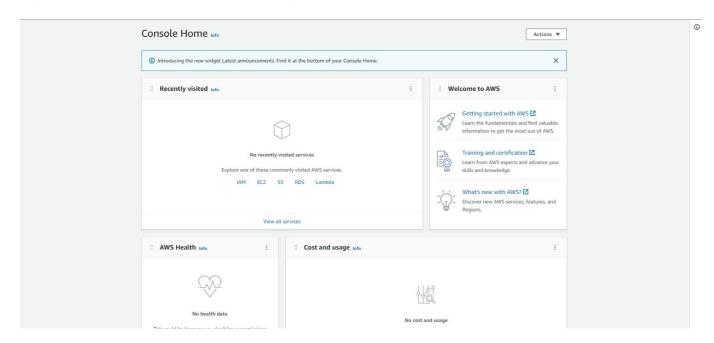
Steps with Instructions

- -Starting with the course lab environement
- -We Log into the RDP session. This will be the Terraform controller

Start the AWS Lab environement



log into the AWS Console (will use this to manage and monitor our resources (EC2, EKS)



Create EC2 Instance using Terraform

From the RDP session:

Verify installation of terraform

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~$ terraform version

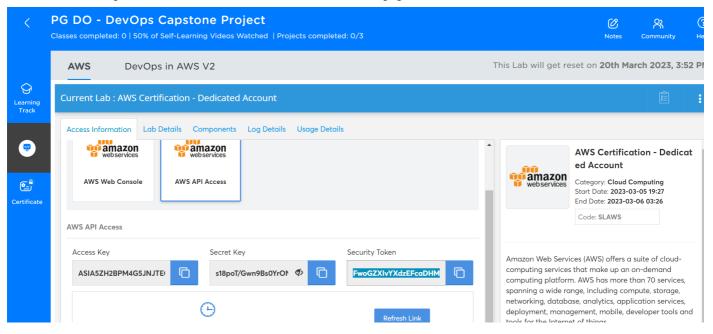
Terraform v1.1.6
on linux_amd64
```

Your version of Terraform is out of date! The latest version is 1.2.3. You can update by downloading from https://www.terraform.io/downloads.html

we export our AWS Key and ID for terraform to use

```
export AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID="ASIA5ZH2BPM4G5JNJTEO"
export
AWS_SESSION_TOKEN="FwoGZXIvYXdzEFcaDHMHLMVfQUYDYrMSXiK4Acy
RuPPlKrmxMDtPZumQS0aRSEQSwydiUOrzliAPK1mp821umZCKlGLafpjJ8
0EbEenfuXmkHBNUN6qj79WzlImGiEZ6" export
AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY="****"
```

These values were pulled from the AWS API Access tab in the lab page



Create aws.tf

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ cat aws.tf

provider "aws" {
   region = "us-east-1"
}
```

Initialization of Terraform project

aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone\$ terraform init

Initializing the backend...

Initializing provider plugins...

- Finding latest version of hashicorp/aws...
- Installing hashicorp/aws v4.20.0...
- Installed hashicorp/aws v4.20.0 (signed by HashiCorp)

Terraform has created a lock file .terraform.lock.hcl to record the provider selections it made above. Include this file in your version control repository so that Terraform can guarantee to make the same selections by default when you run "terraform init" in the future.

Terraform has been successfully initialized!

You may now begin working with Terraform. Try running "terraform plan" to see any changes that are required for your infrastructure. All Terraform commands should now work.

If you ever set or change modules or backend configuration for Terraform, rerun this command to reinitialize your working directory. If you forget, other commands will detect it and remind you to do so if necessary.

verification that the terraform project initalization files are created

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ls -a
. .. .terraform .terraform.lock.hcl aws.tf
```

Obtain VPC ID vpc-056bd3280605a4938

VPC > Your VPCs > vpc-056bd3280605a4938

Vpc-056bd3280605a4938

Details Info

VPC ID
 vpc-056bd3280605a4938

Tenancy
Default

Default VPC
Yes

Route 53 Resolver DNS Firewall rule groups
-

Create main.tf that will define your resources

```
cat main.tf
resource "aws_instance" "ubuntu" {
       = "ami-052efd3df9dad4825"
 instance_type = "t2.medium"
 key_name = "${aws_key_pair.generated_key.key_name}"
 tags = {
  Name = "terraform_instance"
 }
}
output "myEC2IP" {
 value = "${aws_instance.ubuntu.public_ip}"
}
resource "tls_private_key" "example" {
 algorithm = "RSA"
 rsa\_bits = 4096
}
resource "aws_key_pair" "generated_key" {
 key name = "mykey2"
 public_key = tls_private_key.example.public_key_openssh
provisioner "local-exec" { # Create "myKey.pem" to your computer!!
   command = "echo '${tls_private_key.example.private_key_pem}' > ./myKey.pem"
 }
}
```

Validate and deploy EC2 Instance

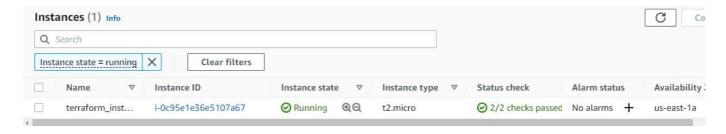
```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ terraform plan
...
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ terraform apply
...
aws_instance.rhel: Creation complete after 42s [id=i-0c95e1e36e5107a67]
Apply complete! Resources: 4 added, 0 changed, 0 destroyed.
Outputs:
```

```
myEC2IP = "54.83.74.19"
```

We test this by ssh to the new EC2 instance (we change the permission of the key)

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ chmod 600 myKey.pem aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -i myKey.pem ubuntu@54.83.74.19 [ec2-user@ip-172-31-20-71 ~]$ whoami && hostname ec2-user ip-172-31-20-71.ec2.internal
```

We can check the status from the AWS console



Now we will scale up by adding these 2 lines to main.tf

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ diff

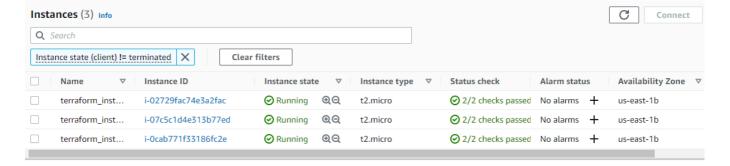
ami = "ami-052efd3df9dad4825"
+ count = 3
  instance_type = "t2.medium"

...

output "myEC2IP" {
- value = "${aws_instance.ubuntu.public_ip}"
+ value = "${aws_instance.ubuntu.*.public_ip}"
}
```

Now run apply to get the additional instances

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ terraform apply
```



From this point forward, I've added the following to my local "/etc/hosts" file to make hosts more readable.

```
54.226.15.188 master
54.167.63.97 node1
34.203.223.52 node2
...
```

Install and Configure Kubernetes

All the needed steps to install kubeadm and start our control plane (master) nodes are in the script install k8s.sh

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ cat
install_k8s.sh #!/bin/bash
swapoff -a
curl -fsSL https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh
DRY_RUN=1 sudo sh ./get-docker.sh
sudo apt-get install -y apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl
sudo curl -fsSLo /usr/share/keyrings/kubernetes-archive-keyring.gpg
https://packages.cloud.google.com/apt/doc/apt-key.gpg
echo "deb [signed-by=/usr/share/keyrings/kubernetes-archive-keyring.gpg]
https://apt.kubernetes.io/ kubernetes-xenial main" | sudo tee
/etc/apt/sources.list.d/kubernetes.list
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-cache madison kubeadm
sudo apt-get install -y kubelet=1.23.6-00 kubeadm=1.23.6-00 kubectl=1.23.6-00
sudo hostnamectl set-hostname master.example.com
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/docker/daemon.json</pre>
  "exec-opts": ["native.cgroupdriver=systemd"],
  "log-driver": "json-file",
  "log-opts": {
    "max-size": "100m"
  "storage-driver": "overlay2"
```

```
sudo systemctl enable docker
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
sudo systemctl restart docker

sudo kubeadm init
mkdir -p $HOME/.kube
sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf $HOME/.kube/config
sudo chown $(id -u):$(id -g) $HOME/.kube/config
kubectl get nodes
```

Copy to master node

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ chmod +x install_k8s.sh aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ scp -p -i myKey.pem install_k8s.sh ubuntu@master:/home/ubuntu install_k8s.sh 100% 1106 2.2MB/s 00:00
```

Execute the script on the remote system

Now we must set up our worker nodes First we must allow TCP traffic within subnet

Within EC2 > Security Groups > sg-0a5402b40de29840d - allow_ssh2 > Edit inbound rules



aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone\$ scp -p -i myKey.pem node.sh ubuntu@node2:~

```
node.sh
                                                         100% 944
                                                                       1.9MB/s
00:00
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -t -i myKey.pem ubuntu@node2
"./node.sh"
. . .
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -t -i myKey.pem ubuntu@node2 "sudo
kubeadm join 172.31.16.119:6443 --token e8w6ko.4q91edczl30a6ar5 --discovery-token-
ca-cert-hash
sha256:1d7f217f7c8dc989b8328546559959298e959584d4fab71828c578b90533abdb"
This node has joined the cluster:
* Certificate signing request was sent to apiserver and a response was received.
* The Kubelet was informed of the new secure connection details.
Run 'kubectl get nodes' on the control-plane to see this node join the cluster.
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ scp -p -i myKey.pem
node.sh
                                                                       1.9MB/s
node.sh
                                                         100% 944
00:00
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -t -i myKey.pem ubuntu@node1
"./node.sh"
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -t -i myKey.pem ubuntu@node1 "sudo
kubeadm join 172.31.16.119:6443 --token e8w6ko.4q91edczl30a6ar5 --discovery-token-
ca-cert-hash
sha256:1d7f217f7c8dc989b8328546559959298e959584d4fab71828c578b90533abdb"
. . .
This node has joined the cluster:
* Certificate signing request was sent to apiserver and a response was received.
* The Kubelet was informed of the new secure connection details.
```

Run 'kubectl get nodes' on the control-plane to see this node join the cluster.

aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71: \sim /capstone\$ ssh -i myKey.pem ubuntu@master "kubectl get nodes"

NAME master.example.com node1.example.com node2.example.com	STATUS NotReady NotReady NotReady	ROLES control-plane,master <none> <none></none></none>	AGE 110m 8m32s 74s	VERSION v1.23.6 v1.23.6 v1.23.6

Setting up the overlay network

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -i myKey.pem ubuntu@master
ubuntu@node1:~$ kubectl apply -f "https://cloud.weave.works/k8s/net?k8s-
version=$(kubectl version | base64 | tr -d '\n')"
```

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71:~/capstone$ ssh -i myKey.pem ubuntu@master "kubectl get nodes"
```

NAME	STATUS	ROLES	AGE	VERSION
master.example.com	Ready	control-plane,master	3h18m	v1.23.6
node1.example.com	Ready	<none></none>	155m	v1.23.6
<pre>node2.example.com</pre>	Ready	<none></none>	145m	v1.23.6

Deploy application

```
aliyoussefsolhl@ip-172-31-20-71 ssh -i myKey.pem
ubuntu@master ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl create -f mydb.yml
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl expose deployment mydb --port=3306

ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl create -f wp.yml
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl expose deployment wp --port=80 --type=NodePort
```

- -Add security group policy for port
- Show access to WP config page

Apply network policy

```
kubectl apply -f np.yaml
```

Create Users and ACL

```
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl create serviceaccount newroleadded
serviceaccount/newroleadded created
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl create clusterrole newroleadded --verb=get --verb=list --
verb=create --verb=update --resource=pods
clusterrole.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/newroleadded created
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl create clusterrolebinding newroleadded --
serviceaccount=default:newroleadded --clusterrole=newroleadded
clusterrolebinding.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/newroleadded created
ubuntu@master:~\$ TOKEN=\$(kubectl describe secrets "\$(kubectl describe)
serviceaccount newroleadded | grep -i Tokens | awk '{print $2}')" | grep token: |
awk '{print $2}')
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl config <a href="mailto:set">set</a>-credentials myuser1 --token=<a href="mailto:set">$TOKEN</a>
User "myuser1" set.
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl config set-context newcontextadded --cluster=kubernetes -
-user=myuser1
Context "newcontextadded" created.
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl config use-context newcontextadded
Switched to context "newcontextadded".
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl auth can-i get pods --all-namespaces
yes
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl get all
NAME
                        READY
                                STATUS RESTARTS
                                                      AGE
mydb-659c7949cd-xrw25
                        1/1
                                 Running
                                                      14m
wp-946c66d98-8csh4
                        1/1
                                 Running
                                                      13m
Error from server (Forbidden): replicationcontrollers is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource
"replicationcontrollers" in API group "" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): services is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "services" in
API group "" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): daemonsets.apps is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "daemonsets" in
API group "apps" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): deployments.apps is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "deployments" in
API group "apps" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): replicasets.apps is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "replicasets" in
API group "apps" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): statefulsets.apps is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "statefulsets"
in API group "apps" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): horizontalpodautoscalers.autoscaling is forbidden:
User "system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource
"horizontalpodautoscalers" in API group "autoscaling" in the namespace "default"
```

```
Error from server (Forbidden): cronjobs.batch is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "cronjobs" in
API group "batch" in the namespace "default"
Error from server (Forbidden): jobs.batch is forbidden: User
"system:serviceaccount:default:newroleadded" cannot list resource "jobs" in API
group "batch" in the namespace "default"

ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl auth can-i get pods --all-namespaces
yes

ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl auth can-i get deployment --all-namespaces
no

ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl config use-context kubernetes-admin@kubernetes
Switched to context "kubernetes-admin@kubernetes".

ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl auth can-i get deployment --all-namespaces
yes
```

Take a snapshot of ETCD database

Install etcd client tools

```
sudo apt update -y
sudo apt install etcd-client
```

```
ubuntu@master:~$ hostname -I
172.31.16.119 172.17.0.1 10.32.0.1
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl get nodes -o wide
NAME
                  STATUS ROLES
                                               AGE
                                                      VERSION INTERNAL-
IP EXTERNAL-IP OS-IMAGE
                                 KERNEL-VERSION CONTAINER-RUNTIME
master.example.com Ready control-plane, master 4h19m v1.23.6
172.31.16.119 <none>
                        Ubuntu 22.04 LTS 5.15.0-1011-aws
docker://20.10.17
node1.example.com Ready <none>
                                              157m v1.23.6
172.31.20.65 <none>
                        Ubuntu 22.04 LTS 5.15.0-1011-aws
docker://20.10.17
node2.example.com Ready <none>
                                             150m v1.23.6 172.31.28.7
ubuntu@master:~$ export advertise_url="172.31.16.119:2379"
ubuntu@master:~$ echo $advertise url
172.31.16.119:2379
ubuntu@master:~$ sudo ETCDCTL_API=3 etcdctl --endpoints $advertise_url --cacert
/etc/kubernetes/pki/etcd/ca.crt --key /etc/kubernetes/pki/etcd/server.key --cert
```

```
/etc/kubernetes/pki/etcd/server.crt snapshot save test1.db

2023-03-5 22:19:12.947059 I | clientv3: opened snapshot stream; downloading
2023-03-5 22:19:13.056969 I | clientv3: completed snapshot read; closing
Snapshot saved at test1.db

ubuntu@master:~$ du -h test1.db

7.7M test1.db
```

Set criteria such that if the memory of CPU goes beyond 50%, environments automatically get scaled up and configured

Create Metrics server

```
kubectl apply -f https://github.com/kubernetes-sigs/metrics-
server/releases/latest/download/components.yaml

serviceaccount/metrics-server created
clusterrole.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/system:aggregated-metrics-reader created
clusterrole.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/system:metrics-server created
rolebinding.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/metrics-server-auth-reader created
clusterrolebinding.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/metrics-server:system:auth-delegator
created
clusterrolebinding.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/system:metrics-server created
service/metrics-server created
deployment.apps/metrics-server created
apiservice.apiregistration.k8s.io/v1beta1.metrics.k8s.io created
```

Needs a patch

ubuntu@master:~\$ kubectl get pods	-n kube-s	system		
NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
coredns-64897985d-64mpp	1/1	Running	0	3h41m
coredns-64897985d-v5z2r	1/1	Running	0	3h41m
kube-apiserver-master.example.com	0/1	Pending	0	1s
kube-proxy-n99wn	1/1	Running	0	112m
kube-proxy-p4swz	1/1	Running	1	3h41m
kube-proxy-rp9nb	1/1	Running	0	120m
metrics-server-847dcc659d-qtfqq	0/1	Running	0	48s
weave-net-2k5kl	2/2	Running	2 (36m ago)	55m
weave-net-68qm9	0/2	Pending	0	55m
weave-net-p19j2	2/2	Running	2 (36m ago)	55m

apply patch

```
ubuntu@master:~$ wget -c
https://gist.githubusercontent.com/initcron/1a2bd25353e1faa22a0ad41ad1c01b62/raw/0
08e23f9fbf4d7e2cf79df1dd008de2f1db62a10/k8s-metrics-server.patch.yaml
--2022-06-24 22:30:42--
https://gist.githubusercontent.com/initcron/1a2bd25353e1faa22a0ad41ad1c01b62/raw/0
08e23f9fbf4d7e2cf79df1dd008de2f1db62a10/k8s-metrics-server.patch.yaml
Resolving gist.githubusercontent.com (gist.githubusercontent.com)...
185.199.109.133, 185.199.110.133, 185.199.111.133, ...
Connecting to gist.githubusercontent.com
(gist.githubusercontent.com) | 185.199.109.133 | :443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 205 [text/plain]
Saving to: 'k8s-metrics-server.patch.yaml'
k8s-metrics-server.patch.yaml
                                            100%
========>] 205 --.-KB/s in 0s
2023-03-5 22:30:42 (14.0 MB/s) - 'k8s-metrics-server.patch.yaml' saved [205/205]
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl patch deploy metrics-server -p "$(cat k8s-metrics-
server.patch.yaml)" -n kube-system
deployment.apps/metrics-server patched
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
coredns-64897985d-64mpp	1/1	Running	0	
4h22m				
coredns-64897985d-v5z2r	1/1	Running	0	
4h22m				
etcd-master.example.com	1/1	Running	1 (4h14m ago)	37m
kube-apiserver-master.example.com		Running	1 (4h14m ago)	37m
<pre>kube-controller-manager-master.example.com</pre>		Running	1 (4h14m ago)	37n
kube-proxy-n99wn	1/1	Running	0	
153m				
kube-proxy-p4swz	1/1	Running	1 (4h14m ago)	
4h22m				
kube-proxy-rp9nb	1/1	Running	0	
161m				
kube-scheduler-master.example.com	1/1	Running	1 (4h14m ago)	36m
metrics-server-77b7f4f884-g5jl5	1/1	Running	0	57s
weave-net-2k5kl		Running	2 (77m ago)	97n
weave-net-68qm9	2/2	Running	0	97n
weave-net-pl9j2	2/2	Running	2 (77m ago)	97m

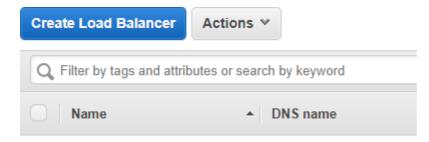
```
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl apply -f hpa.yaml

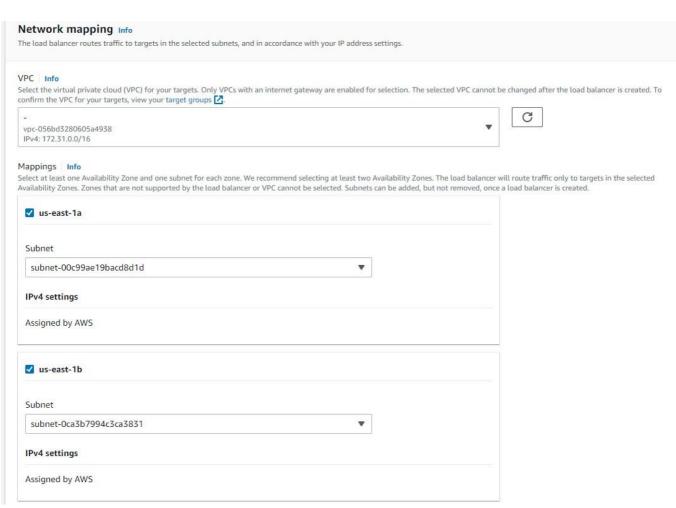
ubuntu@master:~$ kubectl get horizontalpodautoscaler

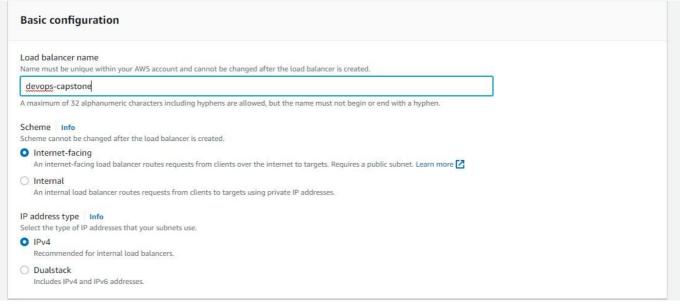
NAME REFERENCE TARGETS MINPODS MAXPODS REPLICAS AGE

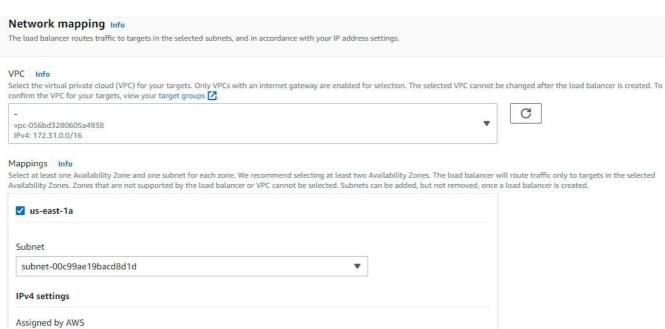
php-apache Deployment/wp 0%/50% 1 10 1 23s
```

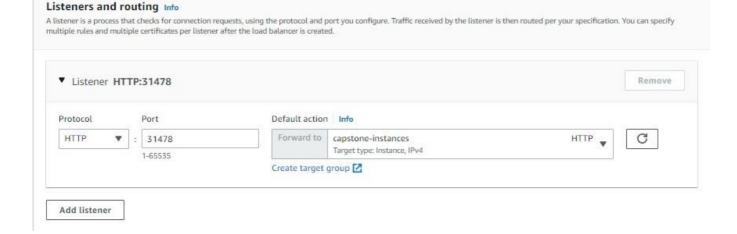
Create Load balancer

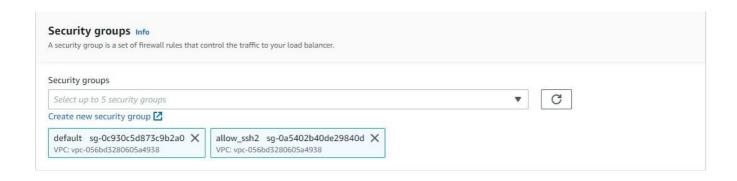












Basic configuration

Settings in this section cannot be changed after the target group is created.

Choose a target type



- · Supports load balancing to instances within a specific VPC.
- Facilitates the use of Amazon EC2 Auto Scaling to manage and scale your EC2 capacity.

O IP addresses

- · Supports load balancing to VPC and on-premises resources.
- . Facilitates routing to multiple IP addresses and network interfaces on the same instance.
- . Offers flexibility with microservice based architectures, simplifying inter-application communication.
- Supports IPv6 targets, enabling end-to-end IPv6 communication, and IPv4-to-IPv6 NAT.

Lambda function

- · Facilitates routing to a single Lambda function.
- · Accessible to Application Load Balancers only.

Application Load Balancer

- · Offers the flexibility for a Network Load Balancer to accept and route TCP requests within a specific VPC.
- · Facilitates using static IP addresses and PrivateLink with an Application Load Balancer.

Target group name

capstone-instances

A maximum of 32 alphanumeric characters including hyphens are allowed, but the name must not begin or end with a hyphen.

Protocol Port HTTP ▼ : 31406

VPC

Select the VPC with the instances that you want to include in the target group.



Protocol version

O HTTP1

Send requests to targets using HTTP/1.1. Supported when the request protocol is HTTP/1.1 or HTTP/2.

HTTP2
 Send requests to targets using HTTP/2. Supported when the request protocol is HTTP/2 or gRPC, but gRPC-specific features are not available.

O gRPC

