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Lab: Terraform AWS Provider - Multi-Region and Alias

The provider alias allows Terraform to differentiate the two AWS providers.

- Task 1: Configure Multiple AWS Providers
- Task 2: Build Resources using provider alias

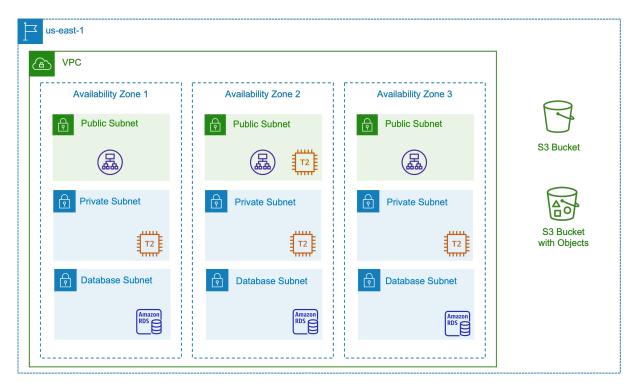


Figure 1: AWS Application Infrastructure Buildout

Task 1: Configure Multiple AWS Providers

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

provider "aws" {
  alias = "west"
  region = "us-west-2"
}
```



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Task 2: Build Resources using provider alias

```
data "aws_ami" "ubuntu" {
 provider = aws.east
 most_recent = true
  filter {
   name = "name"
   values = ["ubuntu/images/hvm-ssd/ubuntu-focal-20.04-amd64-server-*"]
  }
  filter {
   name = "virtualization-type"
   values = ["hvm"]
 owners = ["099720109477"]
}
resource "aws_instance" "example" {
 provider = aws.east
           = data.aws_ami.ubuntu.id
 instance_type = "t2.micro"
 tags = {
   Name = "East Server"
 }
}
resource "aws_vpc" "west-vpc" {
  provider = aws.west
 cidr_block = "10.10.0.0/16"
 tags = {
           = "west-vpc"
   Environment = "dr_environment"
   Terraform = "true"
  }
}
```

Reference

Use AssumeRole to Provision AWS Resources Across Accounts

