How to: Setup Active-Active Cloud Regions

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Ground Rules

- Not going to ask you to turn off mobile phones but, if it rings its mine :D
- Ask questions (requirement)
- Take any side conversations outside (mainly because I like hearing myself talk only)
- This workshop is hands on, please group yourself into groups no larger than 2-3.
 Please take turns doing stuff!
- Materials for the workshop are available here (case matters):

https://goo.gl/Bhf5ru

Before we get started...

- Please form teams of 3 or more
- Each group will be given a StudentID and instructions to connect to the OpenStack regions
- Each team will operate 3 OpenStack Liberty release cloud regions (two of the three regions (alpha and beta) will be running all the core services; the third region (admin) will be running only the identity and dashboard service)
- Each member of team should be responsible for one region

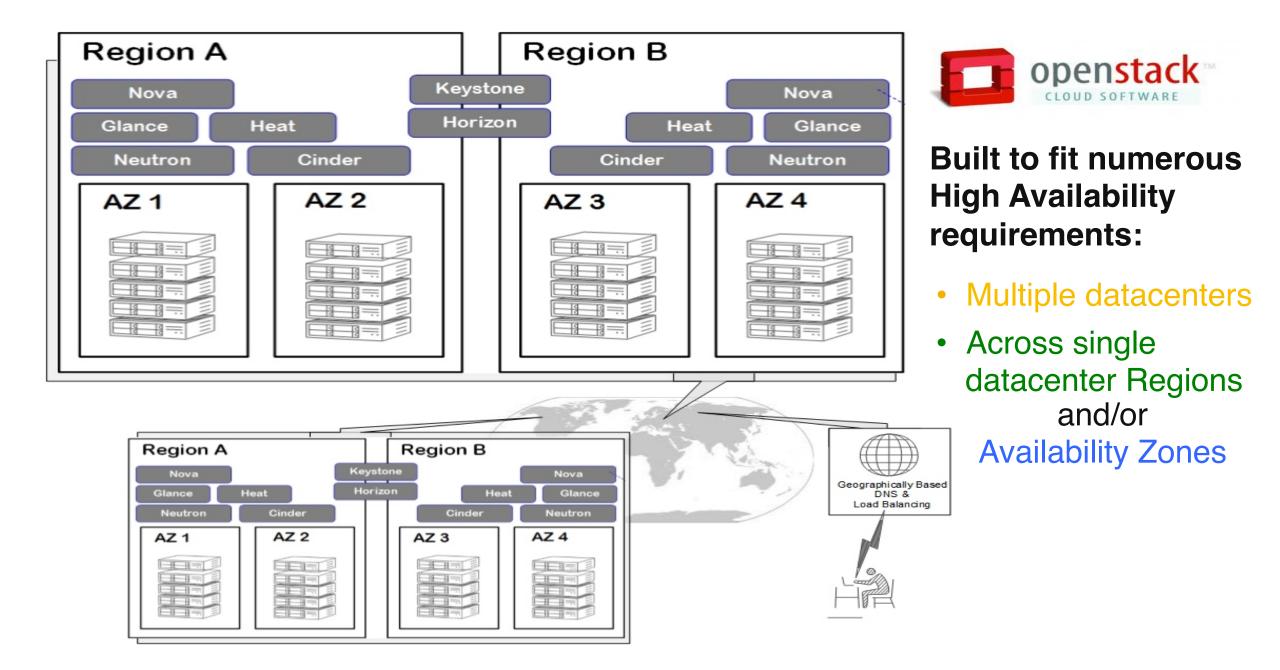


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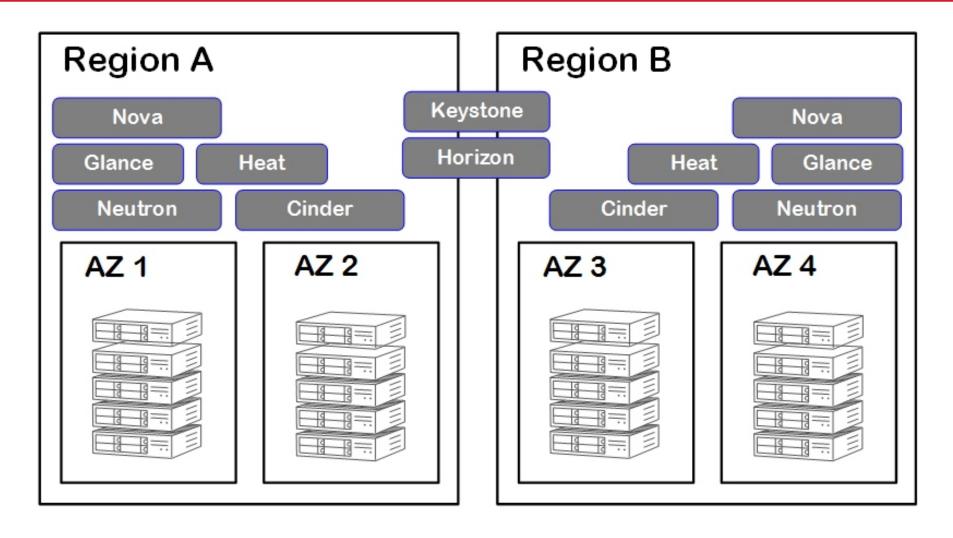
Active-Active Cloud Approach

Using native OpenStack services





Active-Active OpenStack Cloud Regions - Architecture



Lab Overview

- 1. Inventory each regions endpoints and take note of the URLs
- 2. Create user service accounts on the Admin Region
- 3. Create service on the Admin Region
- 4. Register each regions endpoints to the Admin Region
- 5. Configure each of the regions services to authenticate against the Admin Region identity service, instead of the local regions identity service
- 6. Use your clouds, enjoy!

Let's get started...

Please go to the URL below in your browser (case matters):

https://goo.gl/Bhf5ru

Next connect to the Lab environment, connection details are on the handout

GO!!!

Part 1 of the Lab will take 30-40 minutes



Configuring OpenStack Services

It can be done many ways but, no matter what...it is tedious and attention to detail is super critical!

The process of editing the services conf files does leave open the door of making edits by mistake, which leads to services that will not start.

For that reason, we will use Ansible commands to make the service configuration changes

Configuring OpenStack Services – with Ansible

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$ ansible <host> -m <module> -a <adhoc command>
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host = glance_container module = shell adhoc command = sed -i 's+^auth_url = http://172.30.238.2:35357+auth_url = http://<alpha region IP>: 35357+' /etc/glance/glance-api.conf
```

\$ ansible glance_container -m shell -a "sed -i 's+^auth_url = http://172.30.238.2:35357+auth_url = http://<alpha region IP>:35357+' /etc/glance/glance-api.conf"

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