Implementación Automatizada con Terraform Cloud, GitHub Actions y AWS

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Objetivo Este proyecto demostró la integración de: HCP Terraform (gestión centralizada de estado) GitHub Actions (CI/CD automatizado) AWS (proveedor cloud) [Desarrollador] ↓ (Push código) [Repositorio GitHub] ↓ (Trigger automático) [GitHub Actions] ↓ (Ejecuta) [Terraform Plan] → [Muestra cambios en Pull Request] ↓ (Tras aprobación) [Merge a rama principal] ↓ (Trigger automático) [GitHub Actions Apply] ↓ (Aplica cambios) [HCP Terraform] ↓ (Gestiona infra) [Recursos en AWS]

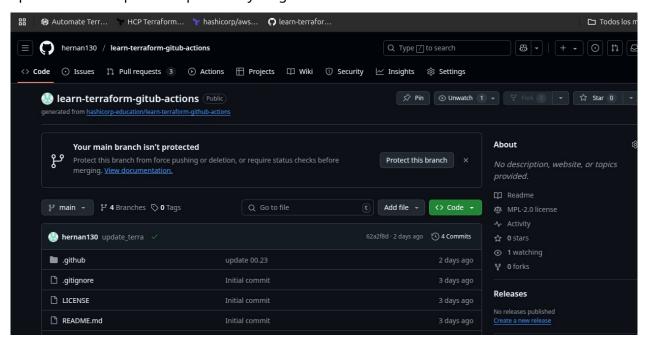
Flujo de trabajo implementado:

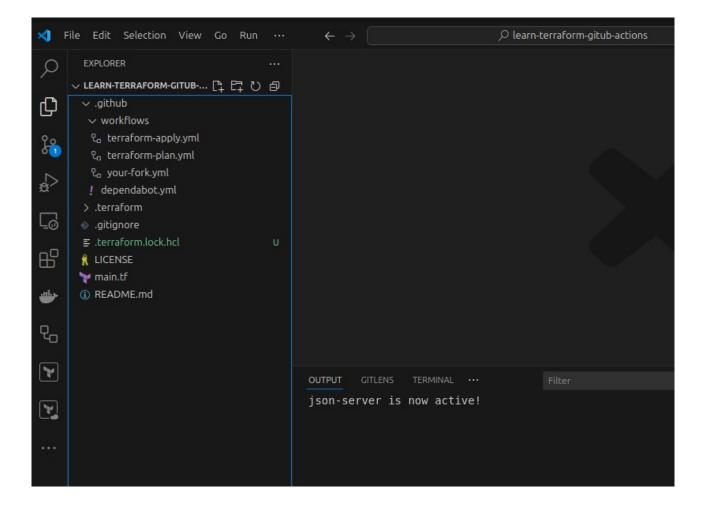
- 1. El desarrollador realiza un Push al repositorio de GitHub.
- 2. GitHub Actions detecta los cambios y ejecuta un Terraform Plan.
- 3. Se revisa el resultado en el Pull Request.
- 4. Si se aprueba, se realiza el merge a la rama main .
- 5. GitHub Actions ejecuta Terraform Apply y despliega los cambios en AWS.

como primera medida se utilizo la plantilla del repositorio propuesto((Post Hashicorp) -

https://developer.hashicorp.com/terraform/tutorials/automation/github-actions)

para crear un repositorio personal y luego clonarlo a nivel localmente





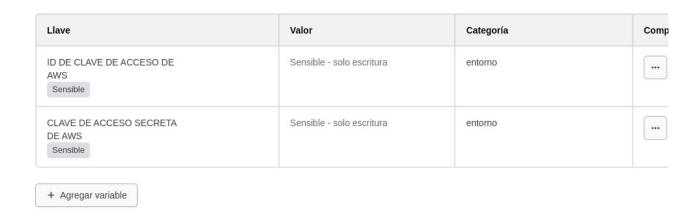
Configuración Realizada

3.1 HCP Terraform

	Team Tokens Team API tokens are used by services, for example a CI/CD pipeline, to perform plans and applies on a workspace. Treat this token like a password, as used to access your account without your username, password, or two-factor authentication. Team Tokens (1)					
Q Search by team name				Cre	ate a te	
	Team name ↑	Permission	Expiry date ↑	Created by ↑	Last used ↑↓	
~	owners	Members can manage	Apr 27, 2025	hernan_acosta	34 minutes ago	
		'	'			

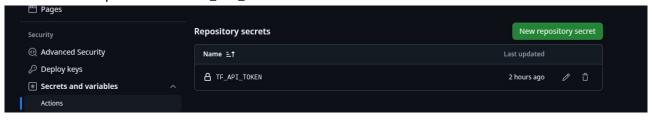
Creación de workspace y token de API:

Variables de AWS configuradas como sensibles:



Conjuntos de variables (0)

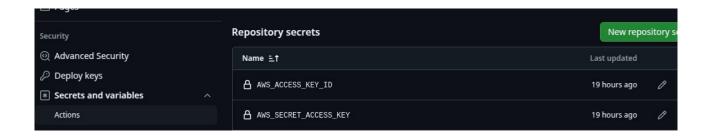
Secrets del repositorio con TF_API_TOKEN:



Configuración de Secrets en GitHub

Se almacenaron las credenciales de AWS en Settings > Secrets > Actions:

- •AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID
- •AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY



 Workflows en .GitHub/Workflows/: terraform-plan.yml

• name: "Terraform Plan"

on:

Pull Request:

env:

TF_CLOUD_ORGANIZATION: "mi-org-tf"
TF_API_TOKEN: "\${{ secrets.TF_API_TOKEN }}"

TF_WORKSPACE: "learn-terraform-github-actions"

CONFIG_DIRECTORY: "./"

jobs:

terraform:

if: github.repository != 'hashicorp-education/learn-terraform-github-actions'

name: "Terraform Plan" runs-on: ubuntu-latest

permissions:

so GitHub can check out this repo using the default github.token

contents: read pull-requests: write

steps:

- name: Checkout

uses: actions/checkout@v3

- name: Upload Configuration

uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/upload-configuration@v1.0.0

id: plan-upload

with:

workspace: \${{ env.TF_WORKSPACE }}
directory: \${{ env.CONFIG_DIRECTORY }}

speculative: true

- name: Create Plan Run

uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/create-run@v1.0.0

id: plan-run

with:

workspace: \${{ env.TF WORKSPACE }}

configuration_version: \${{ steps.plan-upload.outputs.configuration_version_id }}

plan_only: true

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- name: Get Plan Output
uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/plan-output@v1.0.0
id: plan-output
with:
plan: ${{ fromJSON(steps.plan-run.outputs.payload).data.relationships.plan.data.id }}
- name: Update PR
uses: actions/github-script@v6
id: plan-comment
with:
github-token: ${{ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }}
script: |
// 1. Retrieve existing bot comments for the PR
const { data: comments } = await github.rest.issues.listComments({
owner: context.repo.owner,
repo: context.repo.repo,
issue_number: context.issue.number,
});
const botComment = comments.find(comment => {
return comment.user.type === 'Bot' && comment.body.includes('Terraform Cloud Plan Output')
});
const output = `#### Terraform Cloud Plan Output
1.1.1.
Plan: ${{ steps.plan-output.outputs.add }} to add, ${{ steps.plan-output.outputs.change }} to
change, ${{ steps.plan-output.outputs.destroy }} to destroy.
[Terraform Cloud Plan](${{ steps.plan-run.outputs.run_link }})
// 3. Delete previous comment so PR timeline makes sense
if (botComment) {
github.rest.issues.deleteComment({
owner: context.repo.owner,
repo: context.repo.repo,
comment_id: botComment.id,
});
github.rest.issues.createComment({
issue_number: context.issue.number,
owner: context.repo.owner,
repo: context.repo.repo,
body: output
});
terraform-apply.yml)
name: "Terraform Apply"
on:
push:
branches:
```

- main

env:

TF_CLOUD_ORGANIZATION: "mi-org-tf"

TF_API_TOKEN: "\${{ secrets.TF_API_TOKEN }}"
TF_WORKSPACE: "learn-terraform-github-actions"

CONFIG DIRECTORY: "./"

jobs:

terraform:

if: github.repository != 'hashicorp-education/learn-terraform-github-actions'

name: "Terraform Apply" runs-on: ubuntu-latest

permissions: # granular permissions

so GitHub can check out this repo using the default github.token

contents: read

steps:

- name: Checkout

uses: actions/checkout@v3

- name: Upload Configuration

uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/upload-configuration@v1.0.0

id: apply-upload

with:

workspace: \${{ env.TF_WORKSPACE }}
directory: \${{ env.CONFIG_DIRECTORY }}

- name: Create Apply Run

uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/create-run@v1.0.0

id: apply-run

with:

workspace: \${{ env.TF_WORKSPACE }}

configuration_version: \${{ steps.apply-upload.outputs.configuration_version_id }}

- name: Apply

uses: hashicorp/tfc-workflows-github/actions/apply-run@v1.0.0

if: fromJSON(steps.apply-run.outputs.payload).data.attributes.actions.IsConfirmable

id: apply with:

run: \${{ steps.apply-run.outputs.run_id }}

comment: "Apply Run from GitHub Actions CI \${{ github.sha }}"

- 4. Flujo de Trabajo
- 4.1 Terraform Plan (PR)



Ejecución actual



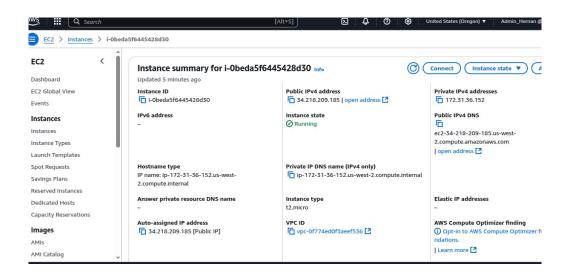
1. Se creó un Pull Request con cambios :

GitHub Actions



Recursos creados en AWS:

Instancia EC2 t2.micro con acceso HTTP:



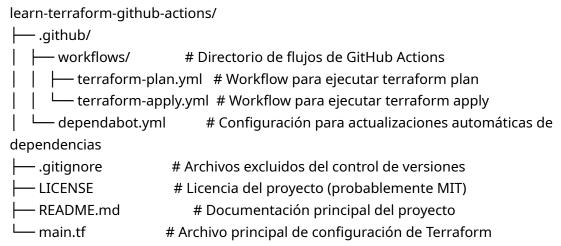
Conclusión

La implementación fue exitosa, logrando:

- Automatización completa del ciclo de vida de IaC
- Integración entre Terraform Cloud y GitHub
- Creación verificable de recursos en AWS

Lo que mejoraría en esta implementación es la estructura

Estructura original



Estructura con modificaciones

learn-terraform-github	-actions/					
├─ .github/						
│	— workflows/					
 terraform-pla	│ ├── terraform-plan.yml					
└── terraform-apply.yml						
dependabot.ym	└── dependabot.yml					
— modules/	# Módulos reutilizables (opcional)					
example-modul	e/					
├── main.tf						
wariables.tf						
│ └─ outputs.tf						
environments/	# Configuración por entorno					
│						
	# Config específica de dev					
 terraform.tfv	ars # Variables para dev					
backend.tf	# Backend config para dev					
├── main.tf						
terraform.tfva	ars					
backend.tf						

├── main.tf	# Configuración principal				
├── providers.tf	# Configuración de proveedores				
├── variables.tf	# Variables globales				
├── outputs.tf	# Outputs globales				
terraform.tfvars.example # Ejemplo de variables (sin valores sensibles)					
├── .gitignore					
├── LICENSE					
└── README.md					

Mejoras clave:

1. Separación clara de componentes:

- •providers.tf para la configuración de proveedores
- •variables.tf para declaración de variables
- •outputs.tf para outputs

2.Estructura por entornos (dev/prod) con:

- •Configuraciones específicas por entorno
- Variables separadas
- •Backend configuration independiente

3. Módulos opcionales para componentes reutilizables

Ejemplo de terraform.tfvars sin valores reales para documentación

4. README.md debería explicar:

- •Cómo usar los workflows de GitHub Actions
- •Estructura del proyecto
- •Requisitos previos
- •Ejemplos de uso