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**Git Link: <https://github.com/Hydra-Dev110/Ansible>**

**Drive Link:**

**[https://docs.google.com/document/d/18ayxm7VzaW316cG6XZGDAp\\_yFcpvYCGDGPMY2TqDSFo/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/18ayxm7VzaW316cG6XZGDAp_yFcpvYCGDGPMY2TqDSFo/edit?usp=sharing)**

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**1. Write Ansible playbooks to automate the setup and configuration of a web server (e.g., Apache or Nginx)?**

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## **Inventory File**

[web]

localhost ansible\_connection=local

## **Ansible Playbook**

File Name: apache.yml

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- name: Install and configure Apache web server

hosts: localhost

become: yes

tasks:

- name: Install Apache

apt:

name: apache2

state: present

update\_cache: yes

- name: Start and enable Apache service

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service:

  name: apache2

  state: started

  enabled: yes
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- name: Create index.html

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copy:

  dest: /var/www/html/index.html

  content: |

    <html>

    <head>

      <title>Ansible Web Server</title>

    </head>

    <body>

      <h1>Apache Web Server Configured Using Ansible</h1>

      <p>Ansible-2 Assignment</p>

    </body>

    </html>
```

## Command to Execute the Playbook

**ansible-playbook -i inventory.ini apache.yml**

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hydra_02@DESKTOP-1FI938H:/mnt/e/PW Assignment/Ansible$ ansible-playbook -i inventory.ini apache.yml

PLAY [Install and configure Apache web server] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
[WARNING]: Platform linux on host localhost is using the discovered Python interpreter at /usr/bin/python3.10, but future installation of
another Python interpreter could change the meaning of that path. See https://docs.ansible.com/ansible-
core/2.17/reference_appendices/interpreter_discovery.html for more information.
ok: [localhost]

TASK [Install Apache] *****
changed: [localhost]

TASK [Start and enable Apache service] *****
ok: [localhost]

TASK [Create index.html] *****
ok: [localhost]

PLAY RECAP *****
localhost                : ok=4    changed=1    unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
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## sudo systemctl status apache2

```
hydra_02@DESKTOP-1FI938H:/mnt/e/PW Assignment/Ansible$ sudo systemctl status apache2
● apache2.service - The Apache HTTP Server
   Loaded: loaded (/lib/systemd/system/apache2.service; enabled; vendor preset: enabled)
   Active: active (running) since Sun 2025-12-14 10:56:37 IST; 1min 28s ago
     Docs: https://httpd.apache.org/docs/2.4/
  Main PID: 7359 (apache2)
    Tasks: 55 (limit: 6967)
   Memory: 11.1M
    CGroup: /system.slice/apache2.service
            └─7359 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              └─7360 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
                └─7361 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start

Dec 14 10:56:37 DESKTOP-1FI938H systemd[1]: Starting The Apache HTTP Server...
Dec 14 10:56:37 DESKTOP-1FI938H systemd[1]: Started The Apache HTTP Server.
```

https://localhost



## Apache Web Server Configured Using Ansible

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