

1. Create accounts for Amazon Web Services and Microsoft Azure portal and log into both
2. Create a virtual network and subnet in Azure
 - a. Open up azure portal first and on the search bar type in Virtual Networks and navigate to that section
 - b. Create a virtual network and create a new resource group and call the resource group AWSConnectionArchitecture
 - c. Call the Virtual network name AzureVNet and select the region that your Azure is currently connected in and click IP Addresses on the top bar
 - d. Change the IPv4 address under the button "Add a subnet" to 10.1.0.0/16
 - e. Click add a subnet on the top of the screen
 - f. Select the Subnet purpose as Virtual Network Gateway
 - g. Set the IPv4 Address range to 10.1.0.0/16
 - h. Set the starting address as 10.1.1.0 and size as /24
 - i. Click Review+Create and click create
 - j. Let the deployment be created and complete
3. Create a Virtual Network Gateway in Azure
 - a. In azure portal on the search bar, type in Virtual Network Gateways and navigate there
 - b. Click Create Virtual Network Gateway
 - c. Name the gateway Azure-VPN-Gateway
 - d. Select the SKU as VpnGw2
 - e. Select Generation 2 as the Generation
 - f. Select the Virtual Network as AzureVNet
 - g. Create a new Public IP Address and call it Azure-To-AWS-PublicIP
 - h. Create the Second Public IP Address and call it Azure-To-AWS-PublicIP-2
 - i. Click Review + Create and click create
 - j. Let the deployment be created and complete
4. Create a VPC(Virtual Private Cloud) in AWS
 - a. Open up the AWS portal and search VPC and navigate there
 - b. Click create VPC on the top of the screen
 - c. Select VPC only on the left panel
 - d. Name the VPC AWSVPC
 - e. Create the IPv4 CIDR address 10.2.0.0/16
 - f. Create the VPC
5. Create VPG(Virtual Private Gateway) in AWS
 - a. Navigate back to VPC Dashboard and select Virtual Private Gateways
 - b. Name the VPG as AWS-VPN-Gateway
 - c. Leave the ASN as default
 - d. Click the circle to select the VPG and select Actions and click Attatch to VPC
 - e. When in the menu for Attatch to VPC select AWSVPC and attach
6. Create Customer Gateway in AWS
 - a. Search Customer Gateway in AWS in the VPC dashboard
 - b. Create a customer gateway
 - c. Call the gateway AzureCustomerGateway

- d. Go back to Azure and search Azure-To-AWS-PublicIP and copy the IP address
 - e. Go back to the customer gateway and paste the IP Address in and click create
7. Create site to site connection in AWS
- a. Search Site-to-Site VPN Connections in AWS in the VPC dashboard
 - b. You will be redirected to a menu called VPN connections
 - c. Click on Create VPN Connection
 - d. Name the VPC Connection AWS-Azure-VPN
 - e. Select AWS-VPN-Gateway for the VPG
 - f. Select AzureCustomerGateway
 - g. Set the Routing options as Static
 - h. Set the Static IP Prefixes as 10.1.0.0/16
 - i. Click Create VPC connection
8. Configure Azure VPN connection
- a. Search Local Network Gateway in Azure
 - b. Create a new Local Network Gateway in Azure
 - c. Select AWSConnectionArchitecture as the resource group
 - d. Call the Gateway AWSLocalGateway
 - e. Go to AWS to the Site to Site dashboard under VPC
 - f. Select AWS-Azure-VPN
 - g. On the bottom select Tunnel Details and select one of the outside IP addresses, preferable Tunnel 1
 - h. Paste in the IP address back in Azure in the IP address space
 - i. For Address Space(s) set it to 10.2.0.0/16
 - j. Click Review and create and create
9. Create Connection in Azure
- a. Search Connections in Azure, there will be 2 symbols, click the symbol that has a circle and "><" inside of it
 - b. Create new Connection
 - c. Select AWSConnectionArchitecture as the resource group
 - d. Set the connection type as Site-to-site(IPsec)
 - e. Name the connection AzureToAWSVPN
 - f. Go to settings tab and select Azure-VPN-Gateway for the first Virtual Network Gateway
 - g. Select Azure-VPN-Gateway for the Second Virtual Network Gateway
 - h. Go to AWS in the Site-to-site dashboard and select AWS-Azure-VPN
 - i. Click Actions and select Modify VPN Tunnel Options
 - j. Copy the PSK in that menu and paste it into Azure under Shared Key
 - k. Select IKEv2 as the IKE protocol and click review and create
10. Configure Route Tables in AWS
- a. Search Route Table in the search bar in AWS
 - b. Click the already created Route Table associated with the VPC
 - c. On the bottom of the screen click Routes
 - d. Click Edit Routes
 - e. In the edit menu, select Add Route, and add 10.1.0.0/16 as the destination

- f. Select Virtual Private Gateway as the Target, then select AWS-VPN-Gateway
 - g. Click Save Changes
- 11. Configure Azure Network Security Group
 - a. Go to Azure and search Network Security Groups
 - b. Create new Network Security Group
 - c. Select AWSConnectionArchitecture as the subnet
 - d. Name this group Allow-AWS-To-Azure-NSG
 - e. Click Review and Create then create
 - f. Click go to Resource
 - g. Click settings on the left tab and select Inbound Security Rules
 - h. Click Add
 - i. Select the source as IP address
 - j. Enter 10.2.0.0/16 as the IP address
 - k. Write _ for source port ranges
 - l. Write 22 as the Destination port ranges
 - m. Select TCP as the protocol
 - n. Set the priority as 1000
 - o. Name the Security rule as Allow-AWS-SSH
 - p. Click Add on the bottom of the screen
- 12. Create EC2 Instance in AWS
 - a. Go to EC2 dashboard in AWS
 - b. Click Launch Instance
 - c. Name the Instance AWS-EC2-Instance
 - d. Select Ubuntu as the AMI
 - e. Select Ubuntu Server 22.04 LTS Free Tier
 - f. Select t2.micro free tier
 - g. Create new Key pair
 - h. Call the name AWS-EC2-Key
 - i. Select RSA as the key pair type
 - j. Select .ppk as the format
 - k. Click Create Key Pair
 - l. Edit Network Settings
 - m. Select AWSVPC as the VPC
 - n. Click Create new Subnet
 - i. Select AWSVPC as the VPC
 - ii. Call the Subnet AWSSubnet1
 - iii. Select us-east-2a as the availability zone
 - iv. Select 10.2.0.0/16 as the IPv4 VPC CIDR block
 - v. Select 10.2.1.0/24 as the subnet CIDR block
 - vi. Create Subnet
 - o. Select AWSSubnet1 as the subnet
 - p. Select Enable for Auto Assign Public IP
 - q. Create new security group for firewall
 - r. Click Launch Instance

13. Create a VM in Azure

- a. Search Virtual Machine in Azure
- b. Create a new Virtual Machine
- c. Select AWSConnectionArchitechure as the resource group
- d. Call the VM AzureVM
- e. Select the region as US East
- f. Scroll down to image and select Ubuntu 22.04 LTS
- g. Set size as Standard B1s
- h. Set Authentication type as SSH public key
- i. Set the username as azureuser
- j. Select Generate New Key Pair
- k. RSA SSH Format
- l. Call the key pair AzureVM-key
- m. Go to the network tab
- n. Select AzureVNet as the virtual network
- o. Create new Public IP called AzureVM-ip
- p. Select Advanced as the NIC network security group
- q. Select Allow-AWS-To-Azure-NSG
- r. Click Review and create then Create
- s. Download private key and create resource

14. Open EC2 instance

- a. Search Elastic IPs
- b. Allocate Elastic IP Address
- c. Leave the settings as default and click Allocate
- d. Search Internet Gateway
- e. Create Internet Gateway
- f. Call this MyIGW
- g. Click Create
- h. Click Actions
- i. Attatch to VPC
- j. Select AWSVPC
- k. Go to Route Table
- l. Click your route, and on the bottom of the screen click edit routes
- m. Add route, set destination as 0.0.0.0/0
- n. Select Internet Gateway
- o. Select MyIGW
- p. Save Routes
- q. Go back to Elastic IPS
- r. Click Action on created IP
- s. Click Associate Elastic IP Address and add EC2 and Private IP created
- t. Click on AWS-EC2-Instance in EC2 dashboard and copy the IP address, in my case, the IP address is 3.139.46.141 and I will be referencing to that for the rest of this document
- u. Open PuTTY and enter ubuntu@3.139.46.141 as the host name

- v. On the left, click the plus next to SSH, The plus next to Auth, then click credentials
 - w. Click Browse next to Private Key File for Authentication
 - x. Select AWS-EC2-Key
 - y. Click Open
15. Open VM Instance
- a. Open Azure VM portal
 - b. Click Networking and Network Settings
 - c. Create Port Rule
 - d. Create Inbound Rule
 - e. Source
 - f. IP Addresses 20.115.93.57
 - g. Destination Port Range 22
 - h. Protocol TCP
 - i. Priority 100
 - j. Name, Allow-SSH-From-Home
 - k. Go to Network Interfaces
 - l. Select public IP address, mine is 20.115.93.57
 - m. Open PuttyGen
 - n. Load the .pem key
 - o. Click Save Private Key
 - p. Click YES to save without passphrase
 - q. Call the new key azure_key.ppk
 - r. Paste 20.115.93.57 into the host name
 - s. On the left, click the plus next to SSH, The plus next to Auth, then click credentials
 - t. Click Browse next to Private Key File for Authentication
 - u. Open azure_key.ppk
 - v. Click Open
16. Test Pings in internal IPs
- a. Go to EC2 Dashboard in AWS and click instance details and copy the Private IPv4 Address, in my case it is, 10.2.1.244
 - b. Go to Azure VM dashboard and Go to Overview and find private IP address, in my case it is 10.1.0.4
 - c. In the AWS Terminal, labelled ubuntu@ip-10-2-1-244 on the top, type in this command to test the ping
 - i. ping 10.1.0.4
 - d. This will output a ping showing the connection between AWS terminal and Azure IP
 - e. In the Azure Terminal, labelled, azureuser@AzureVM on the top, type this command to test the ping
 - i. ping 10.2.1.244
 - f. This will output a ping showing the connection between the Azure Terminal and AWS IP