

Loop task

❑ Loop over a list of packages and install latest versions.

❑ Loop over a list of packages and use different states as per input.

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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1$ ansible-playbook task2.yaml
BECOME password:

PLAY [looptask] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Install latest packages on ubuntu] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=nginx)
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item=docker)
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item=curl)
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=sudo)
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item=mysql-server)

TASK [Install packages on ubuntu with different states] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item={'package_name': 'docker', 'package_state': 'absent'})
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item={'package_name': 'mysql-server', 'package_state': 'absent'})
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item={'package_name': 'nginx', 'package_state': 'latest'})
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item={'package_name': 'curl', 'package_state': 'absent'})
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item={'package_name': 'sudo', 'package_state': 'present'})

PLAY RECAP *****
10.2.0.67 : ok=3 changed=2 unreachable=0 failed=0 skipped=0 rescued=0 ignored=0

root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1$
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- name: looptask
  hosts: servers
  ignore_errors: true
  tasks:
    - name: Install latest packages on ubuntu
      ansible.builtin.apt:
        name: "{{ item }}"
        state: "latest"
        update_cache: true
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian"
      loop:
        - nginx
        - docker
        - curl
        - sudo
        - mysql-server
    - name: Install packages on ubuntu with different states
      ansible.builtin.apt:
        name: "{{ item.package_name }}"
        state: "{{ item.package_state }}"
        update_cache: true
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian"
      loop:
        - {package_name: "docker", package_state: "absent"}
        - {package_name: "mysql-server", package_state: "absent"}
        - {package_name: "nginx", package_state: "latest"}
        - {package_name: "curl", package_state: "absent"}
        - {package_name: "sudo", package_state: "present"}
```

When task

❑ Install nginx or httpd depending on distribution

❑ Restart nginx service if distribution is ubuntu.

❑ Restart httpd service if distribution is centos

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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1# vim task1.yaml
root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1# ansible-playbook task1.yaml
BECOME password:

PLAY [task1] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Install Nginx on Ubuntu] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Install apache on Redhat-based OS] *****
skipping: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Restart apache service on Redhat-based OS] *****
skipping: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Restart nginx service on Ubuntu] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67]

PLAY RECAP *****
10.2.0.67 : ok=3 changed=1 unreachable=0 failed=0 skipped=2 rescued=0 ignored=0

root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1# curl 10.2.0.67
<h1> Hello, This Message is deployed From Ansible </h1>
root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1#
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- name: task1
  hosts: servers
  ignore_errors: true
  tasks:
    - name: Install Nginx on Ubuntu
      ansible.builtin.apt:
        name: nginx
        state: present
        update_cache: true
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian"
    - name: Install apache on Redhat-based OS
      ansible.builtin.yum:
        name: httpd
        state: present
        update_cache: true
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "RedHat"
    - name: Restart apache service on Redhat-based OS
      ansible.builtin.service:
        name: httpd
        state: restarted
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "RedHat"
    - name: Restart nginx service on Ubuntu
      ansible.builtin.service:
        name: nginx
        state: restarted
      when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian"
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[defaults]
inventory = ./inventory
private_key_file = /root/ansible.pem
remote_user = ubuntu
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[privilege_escalation]
become_ask_pass = true
become = true
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[servers]
10.2.0.67
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REGISTER & WHEN task

🔗 View the value of your register variable using debug module

🔗 Restart service if the installation task was changed or was not failed

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- name: Install and restart nginx
hosts: servers
ignore_errors: true
tasks:
  - name: Install Nginx on ubuntu
    ansible.builtin.apt:
      name: nginx
      state: present
      update_cache: true
    when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian"
    register: installation_info
  - name: View the output of the previous task
    ansible.builtin.debug:
      msg: "{{ installation_info }}"
  - name: Restart nginx service on ubuntu
    ansible.builtin.service:
      name: nginx
      state: restarted
    when: ansible_facts.os_family == "Debian" and installation_info.changed and not installation_info.failed

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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1$ ansible-playbook task3.yaml
BECOME password:

PLAY [Install and restart nginx] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [Install Nginx on ubuntu] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [View the output of the previous task] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67] => {
  "msg": {
    "cache_update_time": 1694894212,
    "cache_updated": true,
    "changed": false,
    "failed": false
  }
}

TASK [Restart nginx service on ubuntu] *****
skipping: [10.2.0.67]

PLAY RECAP *****
10.2.0.67 : ok=3  changed=0  unreachable=0  failed=0  skipped=1  rescued=0  ignored=0

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HANDLERS task

1. install a package

(get the package name from vars)

2. copy a list of files (index.html & file.css & file.js) from controller to host using loop

(get the list of file names from vars)

(the actual files will be stored in ./your_current_directory)

(will be defined as Handler)

(will be triggered by step 1)

3. Restart the service of the installed package

(will be defined as Handler)

(will be triggered by step 2)

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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1$ ansible-playbook task4.yaml
BECOME password:

PLAY [handlertask] *****

TASK [install nginx package] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67]

RUNNING HANDLER [copyFiles_handler] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/index.html)
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/styles.css)
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/script.js)

PLAY RECAP *****
10.2.0.67 : ok=2  changed=1  unreachable=0  failed=0  skipped=0  rescued=0  ignored=0

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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1# curl 10.2.0.67
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8">
  <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0">
  <title>Simple Website</title>
  <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="styles.css">
</head>
<body>
  <header>
    <h1>Simple Website</h1>
  </header>
  <div class="container">
    <h2>Welcome to my website!</h2>
    <p>This is a simple website with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.</p>
    <button id="colorChangeButton">Change Background Color</button>
  </div>
  <script src="script.js"></script>
</body>
</html>
root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1#
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files_path: ./handler

files:
- "{{ files_path }}/index.html"
- "{{ files_path }}/styles.css"
- "{{ files_path }}/script.js"
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- name: handlertask
  hosts: servers
  gather_facts: false
  tags: handler
  vars:
    package_name: nginx
  vars_files: ./handler.yaml
  tasks:

    - name: install {{ package_name }} package
      apt:
        name: "{{ package_name }}"
        state: present
        changed_when: true
        notify: copyFiles_handler

  handlers:
    - name: copyFiles_handler
      copy:
        src: "{{ item }}"
        dest: /var/www/html/
        loop: "{{ files }}"
        notify: topic

    - name: Restart service of {{ package_name }}
      listen: topic
      service:
        name: "{{ package_name }}"
        state: restarted
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TEMPLATES task

1. installing a package

(get the package name from vars)

2. Copying index.html from controller to host using template

(get the template name & template message from vars)

(the actual template file will be stored in ./your_current_directory)

(will trigger step 4)

3. copying a list of files (file.css & file.js) from controller to host using loop

(get the list of file names from vars)

(the actual files will be stored in ./your_current_directory)

(will be defined as Handler)

(will be triggered by step 1)

4. Restart the service of the installed package

(will be defined as Handler)

(will be triggered by step 3)

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template_name: index.html

template_message: this is from ansible tamplate

template_target_name: index.html
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root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1# ansible-playbook task5.yaml
BECOME password:

PLAY [tamplate] *****

TASK [install nginx package] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67]

TASK [copy tamplate file index.html to the target machine] *****
ok: [10.2.0.67]

RUNNING HANDLER [copyFiles_handler] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/index.html)
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/styles.css)
ok: [10.2.0.67] => (item=./handler/script.js)

RUNNING HANDLER [restartService_handler] *****
changed: [10.2.0.67]

PLAY RECAP *****
10.2.0.67 : ok=4 changed=3 unreachable=0 failed=0 skipped=0 rescued=0 ignored=0

root@ip-10-2-0-220:~/lab1#
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```
- name: tamplate
  hosts: servers
  gather_facts: false
  tags: tamplate
  vars:
    package_name: nginx
  vars_files: ../tamplate.yaml
  tasks:

    - name: install {{ package_name }} package
      apt:
        name: "{{ package_name }}"
        state: present
        changed_when: true
        notify: copyFiles_handler

    - name: copy tamplate file {{ tamplate_name }} to the target machine
      template:
        src: ../tamplate/{{ tamplate_name }}"
        dest: "/var/www/html/{{ tamplate_target_name }}"
        notify: restartService_handler
  handlers:
    - name: copyFiles_handler
      copy:
        src: "{{ item }}"
        dest: /var/www/html/
        loop: "{{ files }}"
        notify: restartService_handler

    - name: restartService_handler
      service:
        name: "{{ package_name }}"
        state: restarted
```