Automation using Ansible: Spin up a new Linux VM using Ansible playbook.

Procedure:

Installation

Step 1: First, ensure that pip is installed.

sudo easy_install pip

Step 2: Then install Ansible.

sudo pip install ansible

Step 3: Once the installation has completed you can verify that everything installed correctly by issuing:

ansible --version

Step 4: If you were installing Ansible on Ubuntu the commands would be:

sudo apt update

sudo apt install software-properties-common

sudo apt-add-repository --yes --update ppa:ansible/ansible

sudo apt install ansible

Running Commands

ansible production -m ping -u root