



AWS Resource Creation Using Ansible



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WHAT IS ANSIBLE

Ansible is an open-source automation tool for configuration management, application deployment, and task automation. It allows IT admins to automate repetitive tasks like system management and infrastructure configuration. Ansible is agentless, meaning it doesn't require extra software on remote machines, using SSH (Linux/Unix)

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Cross-Platform Support

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Flexible & Scalable

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No Special Permissions
Needed

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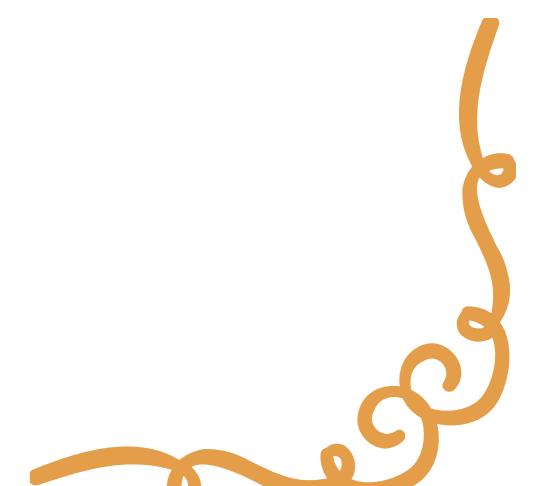
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Agentless

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Idempotent



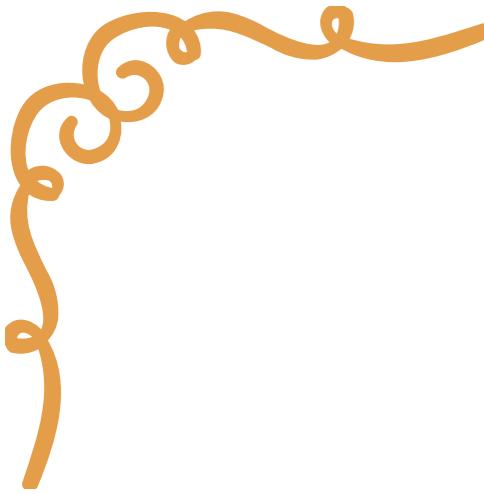
ANSIBLE PLAYBOOK



An Ansible Playbook is a YAML file that defines a set of tasks to be executed on remote systems. It automates processes like system configuration, software installation, and service management.

How to Write an Ansible Playbook

- 1.Create a YAML file(e.g:ansible.yaml)
- 2.Define the hosts: Specify which systems the playbook will run on.
- 3.List tasks: Each task performs a specific action, like installing a package or starting a service.
- 4.Run the playbook with the ansible-playbook command
(e.g.:ansible-playbook playbook.yml)



Project Objectives

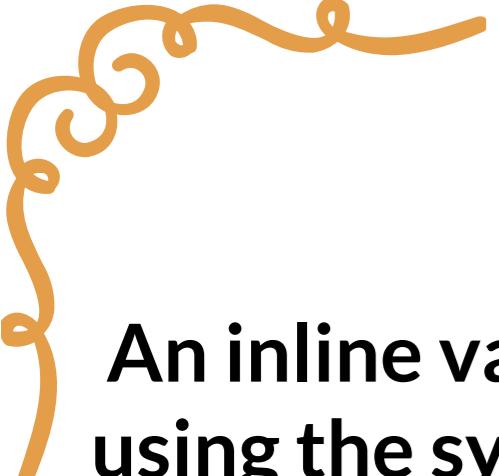
1. Automate AWS Resource Provisioning

2. Integrate AWS IAM for Secure Access

3. Simplify Configuration Management

4. Speed Up Deployments

5. Create a Scalable Solution



Using Inline Variables

An inline variable in Ansible is a variable that is defined directly within the task or playbook, typically using the syntax. It's a quick way to insert values without creating a separate variable file or inventory file.

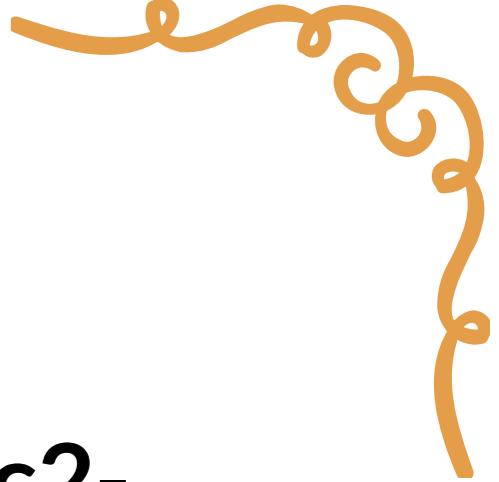
Benefits

Quick and simple: You can define variables on the fly within the playbook or task

Localized scope: An inline variable is only available within the specific task or play where it's defined. It does not affect other tasks or plays in the playbook.



1.Create an IAM User & Download Access
and Secret Keys



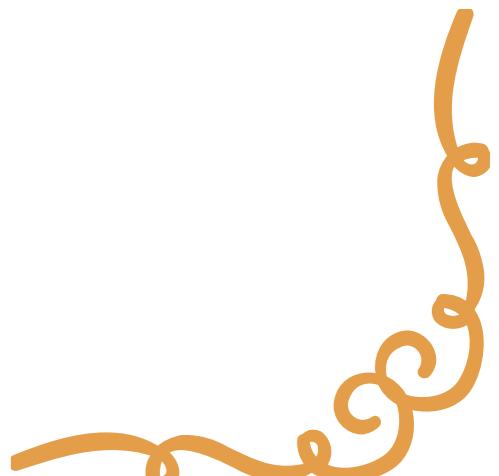
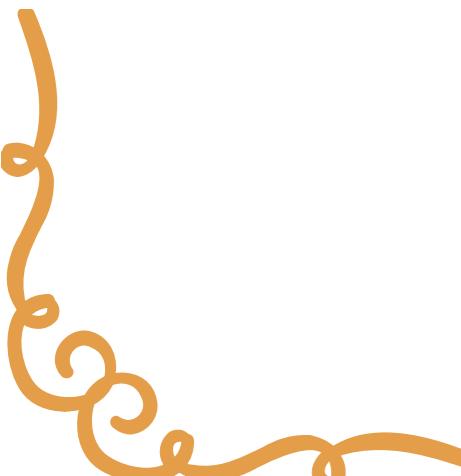
2.Launch an EC2 Instance

3.Transfer Your PEM File to EC2 Instance :scp -i pinku.pem pinku.pem ec2-
user@:/home/ec2-user

4.Set Permissions for the PEM File :sudo chmod 600 pinku.pem

5.Install Ansible and Dependencies

```
sudo amazon-linux-extras install ansible2 -y  
sudo pip3 install boto3  
sudo pip3 install botocore  
sudo pip3 install boto
```





6.Edit Ansible Configuration

cd /etc/ansible:Open the hosts file using vim host -un comment the line and at the top
add:

```
[localhost] 127.0.0.1 ansible_host= ansible_python_interpreter=/usr/bin/python3  
ansible_user=ec2-user ansible_ssh_private_key_file=/home/ec2-user/pinku.pem
```

7.Configure Ansible Permissions : remove # for inventory permissions

8.Create the Ansible Playbook :Inlinevariable.yml

9.Run the Ansible Playbook :ansible-plalybook Inlinevariable.yml

10.Verify in AWS Console :The resources will be created we can see those resources in aws console

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ansible-2 x + -
```

```
localhost: ~
```

```
welcome: yes
```

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gather_facts: false # if you want to hide the host key verification option then use gather_facts: false instead
```

```
Ansible Variable RSS
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```
aws:
```

- aws_access_key: "AKIAQ3EGG6H17GU34OXG"
- aws_secret_key: "8gRaifijJzy3v73sjanF3s5G13sFAFlPc7yXz4/W"
- title: "ARTH"

```
vpc:
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- vpc_name: pinku_vpc
- igs_name: pinku_igs
- pubsubnet_name: pinku_pub
- pvtsubnet_name: pinku_pvt
- pubroute_table_name: pinku_pub_rt
- pvtroute_table_name: pinku_pvt_rt
- security_group_name: pinku_sg
- vpc_cide_block: "13.0.0.0/16"
- pubsubnet_cidr_block: "11.0.1.0/24"
- pvtsubnet_cidr_block: "11.0.2.0/24"
- destination_cide_block: "8.0.0.0/8"
- port22_cidr_block: "0.0.0.0/0"
- region: "us-east-1"
- pubzone: "us-east-1a"
- pvtzone: "us-east-1b"
- image_id: "ami-0ca9fb6e07dab612"
- type: "t2.micro"
- instance_name: pinku-ec

```
asks:
```

```
# VPC Creation RSS
```

- ec2_vpc_net:
 - aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
 - aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
 - cide_block: "{{ vpc_cide_block }}"
 - name: "{{ vpc_name }}"
 - region: "{{ region }}"

```
INSERT --
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Breaking news
```

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Search
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```
dns_support: yes
```

```
# enable dns hostnames
```

```
dns_hostnames: yes
```

```
tenancy: default
```

```
state: absent # to delete Vpc then replace absent instead of present
```

```
register: vpc_result
```

```
# Internet gateway Creation RSS
```

- ec2_vpc_igs:
 - aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
 - aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
 - vpc_id: "vpc-85d54c589ccc782b5"
 - region: "{{ region }}"
 - state: absent
 - tags:
 - Name: "{{ igs_name }}"

```
register: igs_result
```

```
# create an vpc pub subnet
```

- ec2_vpc_subnet:
 - aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
 - aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
 - vpc_id: "vpc-85d54c589ccc782b5"
 - region: "{{ region }}"
 - az: "{{ pubzone }}" # az is the availability zone
 - state: absent
 - cide: "{{ pubsubnet_cidr_block }}"
 - # enable public ip
 - map_public: yes
 - resource_tags:
 - Name: "{{ pubsubnet_name }}"

```
register: pubsubnet_result
```

```
# create an vpc pvt subnet
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- ec2_vpc_subnet:
 - aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
 - aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
 - vpc_id: "vpc-85d54c589ccc782b5"
 - region: "{{ region }}"
 - az: "{{ pvtzone }}" # az is the availability zone
 - state: absent
 - cide: "{{ pvtsubnet_cidr_block }}"
 - # enable public ip
 - map_public: yes
 - resource_tags:
 - Name: "{{ pvtsubnet_name }}"

```
register: pvtsubnet_result
```

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INSERT --
```

```
- ec2_vpc_subnet:
  aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
  aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
  vpc_id: "vpc-05d54c509ccc782b5"
  region: "{{ region }}"
  az: "{{ aztzone }}"      # az is the availability zone
  state: absent
  cidr: "{{ pvtsubnet_cidr_block }}"
  # enable public ip
  map_public: no
  resource_tags:
    Name: "{{ pvtsubnet_name }}"
  register: pvtsubnet_result

## create an vpc pub route table

- ec2_vpc_route_table:
  aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
  aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
  vpc_id: "vpc-05d54c509ccc782b5"
  region: "{{ region }}"
  state: absent
  tags:
    Name: "{{ pubroute_table_name }}"
  subnets: "subnet-0837bcf07fadbb57d"
  # create routes
  routes:
    - dest: 0.0.0.0/0
      gateway_id: "{{ igw_result.gateway_id }}"
  register: public_route_table

## create an vpc pvt route table

- ec2_vpc_route_table:
  aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
  aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
  vpc_id: "vpc-05d54c509ccc782b5"
  region: "{{ region }}"
  state: absent
  tags:
    Name: "{{ pvtroute_table_name }}"
  subnets: "subnet-0837bcf07fadbb57d"
  register: private_route_table

## create an vpc security groups
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```
-- INSERT --
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```
- ec2_group:
  aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"
  aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"
  vpc_id: "vpc-05d54c509ccc782b5"
  region: "{{ region }}"
  state: absent
  name: "{{ security_group_name }}"
  description: allow
  tags:
    Name: Rabbani-sg
  rules:
    - proto: all
      cidr_ip: 0.0.0.0/0
      rule_desc: allow all traffic
  register: security_group_results

## tasks file for ec2-launch ##
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- ec2:
-- INSERT --
```

```

  command line flags. ansible will read ANSIBLE_CONFIG,
  .cfg in the current working directory, .ansible.cfg in
  a directory or /etc/ansible/ansible.cfg, whichever it
  first.

  basic default values...
  host = /etc/ansible/hosts
  module_path = /usr/share/my_modules/
  module_utils_path = /usr/share/my_module_utils/
  tmp = ~/ansible/tmp
  tmp_dir = ~/ansible/tmp
  filters_path = /etc/ansible/plugin_filters.yaml
  timeout = 30
  interval = 15
  become = root
  become_pass = True
  check = True
  smart = smart
  port = 22
  lang = C
  set_locale = False

  will gather facts by default, which contain information about
  the system.

  - gather_by_default, but don't regather if already gathered
  - it - gather_by_default, turn off with gather_facts: False
  - it - do not gather by default, must say gather_facts: True
  - no implicit

  only affects the gathering done by a play's gather_facts directive,
  default gathering retrieves all facts subsets
  gather_all_subsets
  -- --

```

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```

[localhost]
127.0.0.1 ansible_host=172.31.9.96 ansible_python_interpreter=/usr/bin/python3 ansible_user=ec2-user ansible_ssh_private_key_file=/home/ec2-user/pinku.pem
# This is the default ansible 'hosts' file.
#
# It should live in /etc/ansible/hosts
#
# Comments begin with the '#' character
# Blank lines are ignored
# Groups of hosts are delimited by [header] elements
# You can enter hostnames or ip addresses
# A hostname/ip can be a member of multiple groups
#
# Ex 1: Ungrouped hosts, specify before any group headers.
## green.example.com
## blue.example.com
## 192.168.100.1
## 192.168.100.10
#
# Ex 2: A collection of hosts belonging to the 'webservers' group
[webservers]
## alpha.example.org
## beta.example.org
## 192.168.1.100
## 192.168.1.110
#
# If you have multiple hosts following a pattern you can specify
# them like this:
## www[001:000].example.com
#
# Ex 3: A collection of database servers in the 'dbservers' group
[dbservers]
## db01.intranet.mydomain.net
## db02.intranet.mydomain.net
## 10.20.1.96
## 10.20.1.57
-- INSERT --

```

Activate Windows
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```

ansible-2
PLAY RECAP
127.0.0.1 : ok=8    changed=8   unreachable=0   failed=1    skipped=0   rescued=0   ignored=0

[root@ip-172-31-9-96 ansible]# vim ansibleplaybook.yml
[root@ip-172-31-9-96 ansible]# ansible-playbook ansibleplaybook.yml

PLAY [localhost] ****
  TASK [ec2_vpc_net] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_vpc_igw] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_vpc_subnet] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_vpc_subnet] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_vpc_route_table] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_vpc_route_table] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2_group] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]
  TASK [ec2] ****
  changed: [127.0.0.1]

PLAY RECAP
127.0.0.1 : ok=8    changed=8   unreachable=0   failed=0    skipped=0   rescued=0   ignored=0

```

Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status check	Alarm status	Availability Zone	Public IPv4
pinku-ec	i-06902be8165dca778	Running	t2.micro	Initializing	View alarms	us-east-1a	ec2-44-214-4-10
ansible-2	i-0f2d7b0860e8b4be8	Running	t2.micro	2/2 checks passed	View alarms	us-east-1a	ec2-98-81-10-1

With Out Variables

An Ansible playbook without variables is a simple YAML script where all values, such as package names, service names, or configuration settings, are directly specified within the playbook itself. There are no dynamic values or external files used, and every task in the playbook is hardcoded with its parameters.

1. Easy to Write

2. Perfect for Small Tasks

3. No Extra Files

4. Good for One-Time Setup

```
Internet gateway Creation

- ec2_vpc_igw:
    aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG
    aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W

    vpc_id: "vpc-0042f73cf46aef91a"
    region: us-east-1
    state: absent
    tags:
        Name: pravalika-igw
    register: igw_result
```

create an vpc pub subnet

```
- ec2_vpc_subnet:
    aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG
    aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W
    vpc_id: "vpc-0042f73cf46aef91a"
    region: us-east-1
    az: us-east-1a      # az is the availability zone
    state: absent
    cidr: 10.0.0.0/20
    # enable public ip
    map_public: yes
    resource_tags:
        Name: pravalika-pub
```

```
- ec2_vpc_route_table:
    aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG
    aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W

    vpc_id: "vpc-0042f73cf46aef91a"
    region: us-east-1
    state: absent
    tags:
        Name: pravalika-pub-rt
    subnets: [ "subnet-064c291f12328f8ef" ]
    # create routes
    routes:
        - dest: 0.0.0.0/0
          gateway_id: "igw-098e91957fe81f9ac"
    register: public_route_table

## create an vpc pvt route table

- ec2_vpc_route_table:
    aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG
    aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W
    vpc_id: "vpc-0042f73cf46aef91a"
    region: us-east-1
    state: absent
```

create an vpc security groups

```
- ec2_group:  
  aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG  
  aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjsonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W  
  vpc_id: "vpc-0042f73cf46aef91a"  
  region: us-east-1  
  state: absent  
  name: pravalika-sg  
  description: allow  
  tags:  
    Name: pinku-sg  
rules:  
- proto: all  
  cidr_ip: 0.0.0.0/0  
  rule_desc: allow all traffic  
register: security_group_results
```

tasks file for ec2-launch

```
- ec2:  
  image: ami-0ca9fb66e076a6e32  
  instance_type: t2.micro  
  instance_id: "i-0d1696144abb3d575"  
  region: us-east-1  
  wait: yes  
  count: 1  
  state: absent  
  vpc_subnet_id: "subnet-064c291f12328f8ef"  
  assign_public_ip: yes  
  group_id: "sg-048097d821c73539b"  
  aws_access_key: AKIAQ3EGQE4I7GU340XG  
  aws_secret_key: 8gKaifijJzy3v73sjsonf3sS413oFAfiPc7yXz4/W  
  instance_tags:  
    Name: pravalika-Ec
```

Using Outline variables

Outline variables in Ansible refer to variables that are defined outside the playbook but are used within it. These variables are often stored in separate files (such as inventory files, files, or external sources) and then referenced in the playbook.

1. Reusability

1. Create ansible playbbok for resources

2. Create secrets.yml playbook

2. Maintainability

A secrets.yml file in Ansible securely stores sensitive data like passwords and API keys, keeping them separate from your main playbook to enhance security and manageability

3. Flexibility

/PC Creation

```
- ec2_vpc_net:  
    aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"  
    aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"  
    cidr_block: "{{ vpc_cidr_block }}"  
    name: "{{ vpc_name }}"  
    region: "{{ region }}"  
    # enable dns support  
    dns_support: yes  
    # enable dns hostnames  
    dns_hostnames: yes  
    tenancy: default  
    state: present # to delete Vpc then replace absent instead of presnt  
register: vpc_result
```

Internet gateway Creation

```
- ec2_vpc_igw:  
    aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"  
    aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"  
    vpc_id: "{{ vpc_result.vpc.id }}"  
    region: "{{ region }}"  
    state: present  
    tags:  
        Name: "{{ igw_name }}"  
register: igw_result
```

```
- ec2_vpc_subnet:  
    aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"  
    aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"  
    vpc_id: "{{ vpc_result.vpc.id }}"  
    region: "{{ region }}"  
    az: "{{ pvtzone }}"      # az is the availability zone  
    state: present  
    cidr: "{{ pvtsubnet_cidr_block }}"  
    # enable public ip  
    map_public: no  
    resource_tags:  
        Name: "{{ pvtsubnet_name }}"  
register: pvtsubnet_result
```

create an vpc pub route table

```
- ec2_vpc_route_table:  
    aws_access_key: "{{ aws_access_key }}"  
    aws_secret_key: "{{ aws_secret_key }}"  
    vpc_id: "{{ vpc_result.vpc.id }}"  
    region: "{{ region }}"  
    state: present  
    tags:  
        Name: "{{ pubroute_table_name }}"  
    subnets: [ "{{ pubsubnet_result.subnet.id }} " ]  
    # create routes  
    routes:  
        - dest: 0.0.0.0/0  
          gateway_id: "{{ igw_result.gateway_id }}"  
register: public_route_table
```



A vibrant autumn forest scene with falling leaves and colorful foliage. The background features tall, thin trees with blue-grey trunks and branches. Orange, yellow, and red leaves are scattered throughout, some falling from the trees and others resting on the ground. The foreground is filled with a variety of autumnal plants, including ferns with long, serrated leaves and smaller flowers with delicate petals. The overall atmosphere is warm and celebratory, with the colors of fall.

Thank
you