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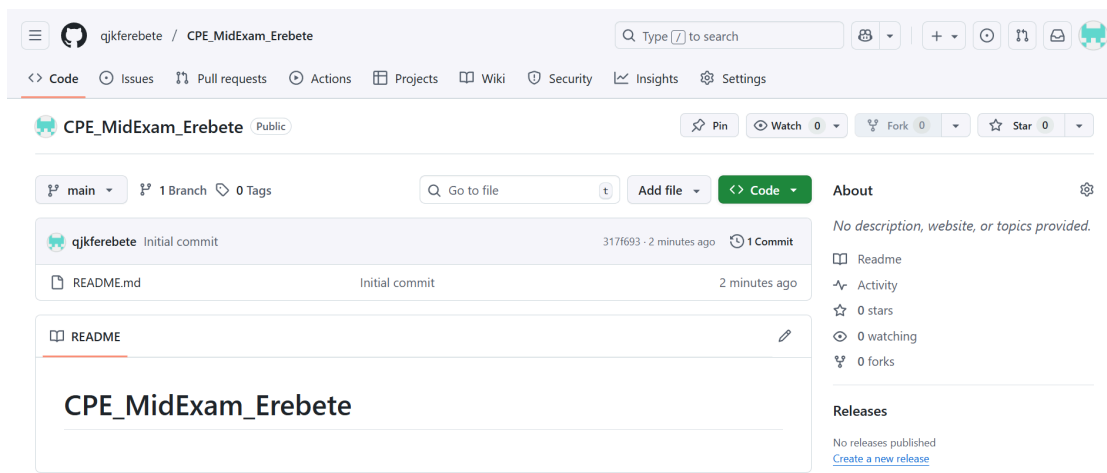
Midterm Skills Exam: Install, Configure, and Manage Log Monitoring tools

1. Objectives

Create and design a workflow that installs, configure and manage enterprise availability, performance and log monitoring tools using Ansible as an Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tool.

2. Instructions

1. Create a repository in your GitHub account and label it CPE MIDEXAM SURNAME.



2. Clone the repository and do the following:
 - 2.1. Create an Ansible playbook that does the following with an input of a config.yaml file and arranged Inventory file:

```

1  [file_servers]
2  192.168.56.101
3
4  [db_servers]
5  192.168.56.102
6  192.168.56.103
7
8  [web_servers]
9  192.168.56.104  ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/id_rsa

```

```

1 [defaults]
2 inventory = inventory.ini
3 private_key_file = ~/.ssh/id_rsa

```

- 2.2. Install and configure Elastic Stack in separate hosts (Elastic Search, Kibana, Logstash) • Install Nagios in one host
- 2.3. Install Grafana, Prometheus and Influxdb in separate hosts (Influxdb, Grafana, Prometheus)
- 2.4. Install Lamp Stack in separate hosts (Httpd + Php, Mariadb)
3. Document all your tasks using this document. Provide proofs of all the ansible playbooks codes and successful installations.
4. Document the push and commit from the local repository to GitHub.
5. Finally, paste also the link of your GitHub repository in the documentation.

3. Output (screenshots and explanations)

2.2 code

Code for the elastic search

```

roles > elasticsearch > tasks > 1 config.yml > 1 > 1 name > 1 install elastic stack for ubuntu apt
1 - hosts: web_servers, db_servers
2 tasks:
3
4
5 - name: install elastic stack for ubuntu
6 apt:
7   name:
8     - elastic search
9     state: start/enable
10    when: ansible_distribution=="Ubuntu"
11 - name: install elastic stack for centos
12 apt:
13   name:
14     - elastic search
15     state: start/enable
16    when: ansible_distribution=="Centos"
17

```

Code for the kibana

```

roles > kibana > tasks > ! config.yml > {} --- - name
Ansible Tasks Schema - Ansible tasks file (ansible.json)
1
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15
- name: install elastic stack for centos
  apt:
    name:
      - kibana
    state: start/enable
    when: ansible_distribution=="Centos"
- name: install elastic stack for ubuntu
  apt:
    name:
      - kibana
    state: start/enable
    when: ansible_distribution=="Ubuntu"

```

Code for the log stash

- In the code of 2.2 for the roles of log stash, kibana and elastic search i try to do it for web server and ubuntu server but i fail to run it just like the code below but i try my best to do it and i think i really fail on the indentation of configuration of my device that's why i don't have the output for this.

```

Ansible Tasks Schema - Ansible tasks file (ansible.json)
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14
name: install elastic stack for ubuntu
  apt:
    name:
      - log_stash
    state: start/enable
    when: ansible_distribution=="Ubuntu"
name: install elastic stack for centos
  apt:
    name:
      - log_stash
    state: start/enable
    when: ansible_distribution=="Centos"

```

2.4 code

```
! config.yml U • ! config.yml .../httpd/... 1,U • ! config.yml .../mariadb/... 1,U • ! config.yml .../php/... 1,U • ...
! config.yml > {} 0 > [ ] tasks > {} 0 > {} apt > [ ] name > 2
1 ---
2 - hosts: web_servers, db_servers
3   become: true
4   tasks:
5
6   - name: install lamp stack for ubuntu
7     apt:
8       name:
9         - httpd
10        - php
11        - mariadb
12      state: latest
13      when: ansible_distribution=="Ubuntu"
14
15   - name: install lamp stack for centos
16     yum:
17       name:
18         - httpd
19         - php
20         - mariadb
21       state: latest
```

In this code i was trying to install the lamp stack on the httpd, php and mariadb and looks like my syntax was error or my code was error i try my best to run it but i can't really run it and as a result the output has an error on it.

Output for httpd

```
config.yml
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/httpd/tasks$ ansible-playbook config.yml -K
BECOME password:
[WARNING]: No inventory was parsed, only implicit localhost is available
[WARNING]: provided hosts list is empty, only localhost is available. Note that the implicit localhost does not match 'all'
ERROR! Empty playbook, nothing to do: /home/erebete/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/httpd/tasks/config.yml
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/httpd/tasks$
```

Output for php

```
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete$ cd roles
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles$ cd php
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/php$ cd tasks
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/php/tasks$ ansible-playbook config.yml -K
BECOME password:
[WARNING]: No inventory was parsed, only implicit localhost is available
[WARNING]: provided hosts list is empty, only localhost is available. Note that the implicit localhost does not match 'all'
ERROR! Empty playbook, nothing to do: /home/erebete/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/php/tasks/config.yml
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/php/tasks$
```

Output for mariadb

```
erebete@Workstation:~$ cd CPE_MidExam_Erebete
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete$ cd roles
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles$ cd mariadb
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/mariadb$ cd tasks
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/mariadb/tasks$ ansible-playbook config.yml -K
BECOME password:
[WARNING]: No inventory was parsed, only implicit localhost is available
[WARNING]: provided hosts list is empty, only localhost is available. Note that the implicit localhost
does not match 'all'
ERROR! Empty playbook: Focus folder in explorer (ctrl + click) erebete/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/mariadb/tasks/config.yml
erebete@Workstation:~/CPE_MidExam_Erebete/roles/mariadb/tasks$
```

GitHub link: https://github.com/gjkferebete/CPE_MidExam_Erebete

Conclusions: (link your conclusion from the objective)

- In conclusion to this exam i learned how to create a role and how to run it but i think i fail to the objective of this exam because i didn't manage to answer all the question of this and overall the mistakes that i did here and try to fix it on the next exam and also learned more about ansible roles and be familiarized on how it works on vscode.