



Introduction to Infrastructure as Code and Terraform

Spells for Provisioning Cloud Resources







Conjuring Efficiency: DevOps and laC

Terraform Magic: Spells for Provisioning Cloud Resources







DevOps



Set of practices, tools, and a cultural philosophy that **automates and integrates** the processes between software development and IT teams

Emphasizes team empowerment, crossteam communication, and technology automation.







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Infrastructure as Code (IaC)



Practice of managing **infrastructure** – such as servers, networks, and storage – using **code**.

Infrastructure code is stored in repositories just like software allowing for better collaboration and automation.







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laC Challenges



- Learning Curve
- Tool Proliferation
- Cloud Complexity
- Version Control
- Drift Management
- Security Concerns
- Enterprise Governance







Wizard of Provisioning: Terraform

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Terraform to the Rescue



Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tool that allows you to build, modify, and version cloud and on-premises resources efficiently.

With Terraform, you define infrastructure using **human-readable** configuration files, which can be **versioned**, **reused**, and **shared**.







How does Terraform work?

Configuration Files

Providers

Workflow

Immutable Infrastructure



Write











Terraform Project Structure



- .tf files
- .tfvars files
- terraform.tfstate
- .terraform directory









Resources









Data Sources

```
data "azurerm_resource_group" "rg" {
  name = var.resource_group_name
}
```









Variables









Modules

```
module "azure_regions" {
   source = "git::https://github.com/TLC/azure-regions.git"
   azure_region = var.azure_region
}
```









Locals

```
locals {
  tags = {
    Product = var.tag_product
    Criticality = var.tag_criticality
    CostCenter = var.tag_cost_center
    DR = var.tag_disaster_recovery
    Env = var.azure_environment
  }
}
```









Providers

```
provider "azurerm" {
    features {
       resource_group {
         prevent_deletion_if_contains_resources = true
       }
    }
}
```







Conclusion

• Infrastructure as Code and Terraform offers a modern approach to managing infrastructure, providing speed, consistency, and scalability.





