Setup a virtual Openstack environment

Milestones 01: Build the virtual infrastructure

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After installing vagrant and the resizing plugin, inside the Vagrantfile directory, run

vagrant up

This command will create the typology based on the Vagrantfile.

To check that the Virtual machines are running

vagrant status

To connect to the created VMs:

vagrant ssh <vm name >

If you like to use putty or another ssh client, you can use the public IP with:

username: vagrant
password vagrant

To destroy the created infra:

vagrant destroy -f

2. Create bare metal nodes

Note: The next commands must be runned on the bare metal VM

Change the directory

cd /home/vagrant/openstack scripts/baremetal/

Create a node

./create_baremetal.sh <node number > <disk size > <VCPU> <RAM>

Example:

./create baremetal.sh 01 30G 1 4096

3. Add nodes to VirtualBMC

Note: The next commands must be runned on the bare metal VM

Add the node to VirtualBMC

vbmc add --port 6230 node_01 vbmc start node_01

Check the status of the vm

ipmitool -I lanplus -U admin -P password -H 127.0.0.1 -p 6230 power status

Turn off the vm

ipmitool -I lanplus -U admin -P password -H 127.0.0.1 -p 6230 power off virsh list --all

In virsh you can see the VM in a shutdown state

Turn on the vm

ipmitool -I lanplus -U admin -P password -H 127.0.0.1 -p 6230 power on virsh list --all

Milestones 02: Setup OpenStack LAB

Now our lab is ready we'll move to the install of OpenStack on the infrastructure that we built. In each VM you will find a directory called *openstack scripts*

root@controller01:/home/vagrant#ls openstack_scripts/baremetal compute controller storage

For each VM use the right folder, inside you will find a script each one is used to install a node, you can check the used configurations in the *configs* directory.

1. Setup controller node

openstack_scripts/controller/deploy_controller.sh is used to deploy controller components
on the controller, the script is splitted into functions, each function is responsible of installing
a component, the deploy controller script contains the following functions:

Function	Description
init	Upgrade system, install OpenStack repository and client
mysql	Deploy and configure a MySQL server
rabbitmq	Install and Create a rabbitmq user
memcache	Install memcache server
keystone	Install keystone and configure keystone
glance	Install keystone and configure glance
placement	Install keystone and configure placement
nova	Install keystone and configure nova
cinder	Install keystone and configure cinder
network	Create baremetal and public bridge and
neutron	Install keystone and configure neutron
horizon	Install keystone and configure horizon

ironic Install keystone and configure ironic

To start deploying the controller node:

Login as root:

\$ sudo su

Change the directory to:

cd /home/vagrant/openstack_scripts/controller/

Run the script with the needed function

./deploy controller.sh <function>

Run the functions one by one and in each step check that the service is working properly, it is prefered to use the following order:

- 1. init
- 2. mysql
- 3. rabbitmq
- 4. memcache
- 5. keystone
- 6. glance
- 7. placement
- 8. nova
- 9. network
- 10. neutron
- 11. cinder
- 12. horizon
- 13. ironic

PS: I'll provide how to validate each step in the third milestone

2. Setup compute node

Same as the controller, the deploy_compute.sh is responsible of deploying a compute node, it contains 3 functions :

Function	Description
init	Upgrade system, install OpenStack repository and client
compute	Install nova-compute and hypervisor
neutron	Install OpenVswitch and OVS agent

To start deploying the compute node:

Login as root:

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$ sudo su
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Change the directory to:

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# cd /home/vagrant/openstack_scripts/compute/
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Run the script with the needed function

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# ./deploy_compute.sh <function>
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3. Setup storage node

Same as the controller, the deploy_storage.sh is responsible of deploying a storage node, it contains 2 functions :

Function	Description
init	Upgrade system, install OpenStack repository and client
storage	Install and configure cinder-volume, create a PV and VG using LVM

To start deploying the storage node:

Login as root:
\$ sudo su
Change the directory to :
cd /home/vagrant/openstack_scripts/storage/
Run the script with the needed function
./deploy_storage.sh <function></function>

Milestones 03: Documentation

Our work is not done yet, i left many things to add into the final documentations What next:

- How to validate each componant
- Create Floating IP network
- Create Private network
- Create Flavor
- Create a server
- Create a router
- Attache an Floating IP to VM
- Create volume and attach it to a VM
- Create Bare Metal network
- Upload deploy images to glance
- Create bare metal flavors
- Enroll a node
- Deploy a bare metal server
- Finalise Ironic configuration