

Install Kubernetes Cluster on Azure Platform using KubeSpray

Prerequisite:

1. Azure Account

Setup system:

1. Install azure cli (choose any method of your choice)
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/cli/azure/install-azure-cli?view=azure-cli-latest>
2. Install ansible
We can install it from different ways but i install using pip
`pip3 install ansible>=2.4.0`
`pip3 install ansible-modules-hashivault>=3.9.4`

Installation:

1. Clone Code:
git clone <https://github.com/kubernetes-incubator/kubespray.git>
2. Configure Files:
 - a. cd kubespray
 - b. cp -r inventory/sample/ inventory/azcluster
 - c. Add Azure Detail
`vi ./inventory/azcluster/group_vars/all.yml`
Note: Check [Appendix-1](#) for more Detail
 - d. Configure Node related info
`vi contrib/azurerm/group_vars/all`
 - e. Create infra
`cd /kubespray/contrib/azurerm`
`./apply-rg.sh op-np` [op-np is resource group in my case]
 - f. Create Inventory file
`./generate-inventory.sh op-np`
`cd ..`
check inventory file at `vi contrib/azurerm/inventory`
 - g. Create New Node (optional)
edit file `vi contrib/azurerm/group_vars/all`
repeat step e & f

h. Delete infra

```
cd /kubespray/contrib/azurerm  
./clear-rg.sh op-np
```

3. Configure Kubernetes

a. First Time

```
ansible-playbook -i contrib/azurerm/inventory -u clusteradmin --become -e  
"@inventory/azcluster/group_vars/all.yml" -e  
kube_network_plugin=flannel -e network_plugin=flannel -e  
dns_domain=cluster.local cluster.yml -b -v --private-key=privatekey
```

b. Add Node [Follow steps define in 2g section before doing this]

```
ansible-playbook -i contrib/azurerm/inventory -u clusteradmin --become -e  
"@inventory/azcluster/group_vars/all.yml" -e  
kube_network_plugin=flannel -e network_plugin=flannel -e  
dns_domain=cluster.local scale.yml --limit node1,node2 -b -v --private-  
key=privatekey
```

c. Delete Node

```
ansible-playbook -i contrib/azurerm/inventory -u clusteradmin --become -e  
"@inventory/azcluster/group_vars/all.yml" remove-node.yml -b -v --  
private-key=privatekey --extra-vars "node=node1,node2"
```

Appendix-1:

A. What All parameters should be update:

```
## When openstack is used make sure to source in the openstack credentials
## like you would do when using nova-client before starting the playbook.
cloud_provider: azure

## When azure is used, you need to also set the following variables.
## see docs/azure.md for details on how to get these values
azure_tenant_id: [REDACTED]
azure_subscription_id: [REDACTED]
azure_aad_client_id: [REDACTED]
azure_aad_client_secret: [REDACTED]
azure_resource_group: op-np
azure_location: eastasia
azure_subnet_name: minion-subnet
azure_security_group_name: secgroup
azure_vnet_name: KubeVNET
azure_vnet_resource_group: op-np
azure_route_table_name: routetable

## When OpenStack is used, Cinder version can be explicitly specified if auto
#openstack_blockstorage_version: "v1/v2/auto (default)"
```

- a. Cloud_provider: azure
- b. azure_tenant_id + azure_subscription_id:
 - i. az account show

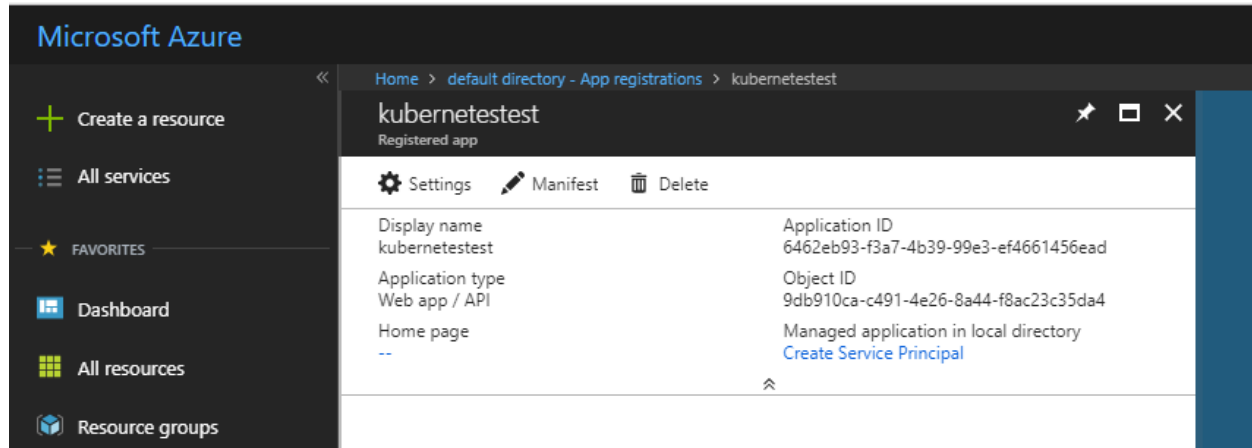
```
Windows PowerShell
bash-4.4# az account show
{
  "environmentName": "AzureCloud",
  "id": "[REDACTED]",
  "isDefault": true,
  "name": "Pay-As-You-Go",
  "state": "Enabled",
  "tenantId": "[REDACTED]",
  "user": {
    "name": "vaibhav.gupta2@alisdemooutlook.onmicrosoft.com"
```

- c. azure_aad_client_id:
 - i. Create an Azure AD Application run command “az ad app create --display-name kubernetes --identifier-uris <http://kubernetes>” [get app id]
 - ii. Create Service principal for the application run command:

```
az ad sp create --id <app-id>
```

iii. Create the role assignments run command:

```
az ad app create --display-name kubernetest1 --identifier-uris  
http://kubernetes --password dfdf678002dfdy8obdYHhv
```



d. **Azure_aad_client_secret:** dfdf678002dfdy8obdYHhv

e. **azure_resource_group:** op-np

Note: create resource group if not “**az group create --name op-np --location eastasia**” (in this example i am using op-np u can use your own name)

f. **Azure_location:** eastasia

g. **azure_subnet_name:** minion-subnet

h. **azure_security_group_name:** op-np

i. **azure_vnet_name:** KubeVNET

j. **azure_vnet_resource_group:** op-np

k. **Azure_route_table_name:** routetable

Appendix-2: Troubleshooting

A. If some user get error of storage account name already exist

Sol: edit storageAccountName in file “[vi roles/generate-templates/defaults/main.yml](#)”

```
sshKeyPath: "/home/{{admin_username}}/.ssh/authorized_keys"
imageReference:
  publisher: "OpenLogic"
  offer: "CentOS"
  sku: "7.2"
  version: "latest"
imageReferenceJson: "{{imageReference|to_json}}"
storageAccountName: "sa1{{nameSuffix | replace('-', '')}}"
storageAccountType: "{{ azure_storage_account_type | default('Standard_LRS') }}"
```

