

## Assignment 1, Cloud Application Development

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### Exercise 1: Setting Up Google Cloud SDK

1. **Objective:** Install and configure the Google Cloud SDK on your local machine.
2. **Steps:**
  - Visit the Google Cloud SDK installation page.
  - Follow the instructions to download and install the SDK for your operating system.
  - After installation, run `gcloud init` to initialize the SDK and authenticate with your Google account.
  - Configure the default project and region.
  - Verify the installation by running `gcloud version` and `gcloud info`.
3. **Questions:**
  - What command did you use to authenticate with your Google account?
  - How did you set the default project?
  - What information does the `gcloud info` command provide?

### Exercise 2: Exploring Cloud Shell

1. **Objective:** Familiarize yourself with the Google Cloud Shell environment.
2. **Steps:**
  - Open the Google Cloud Console and activate Cloud Shell.
  - Explore the environment by listing files and checking the available tools.
  - Run the command `gcloud config list` to see your current configuration.
  - Create a directory named `gcp-intro` and navigate into it.
  - Use the built-in code editor to create a simple `README.md` file describing your GCP project.
3. **Questions:**
  - What is the default home directory in Cloud Shell?
  - What tools are pre-installed in Cloud Shell?
  - How can you open the built-in code editor in Cloud Shell?

### Exercise 3: Managing Projects with Google Cloud SDK

1. **Objective:** Use Google Cloud SDK to manage projects.
2. **Steps:**
  - List all the projects associated with your Google account using `gcloud projects list`.
  - Create a new project with the command `gcloud projects create PROJECT_ID --name="My First GCP Project"`.
  - Set this new project as your default project.
  - Explore project metadata using `gcloud projects describe PROJECT_ID`.
  - Delete the project using `gcloud projects delete PROJECT_ID` after completing the exercise.
3. **Questions:**
  - How do you list all projects associated with your account?
  - What command is used to set a default project?
  - How do you describe project metadata?

## Exercise 4: Using Cloud Shell for Basic Operations

1. **Objective:** Perform basic file and directory operations in Cloud Shell.
2. **Steps:**
  - In Cloud Shell, create a directory structure that mimics a small project (e.g., `myproject/src`, `myproject/tests`, `myproject/docs`).
  - Create a few files in these directories and use commands like `touch`, `nano`, `cat`, and `rm` to manipulate them.
  - Use `gsutil` to create a new Cloud Storage bucket and upload a file from your Cloud Shell environment.
  - Verify the file upload by listing the contents of the bucket.
3. **Questions:**
  - What command did you use to create the directory structure?
  - How did you upload a file to a Cloud Storage bucket?
  - How can you list the contents of a Cloud Storage bucket?

## Exercise 5: Automating Tasks with Shell Scripts in Cloud Shell

1. **Objective:** Write and execute a basic shell script in Cloud Shell.
2. **Steps:**
  - In Cloud Shell, create a new shell script named `setup.sh` in your `gcp-intro` directory.
  - The script should automate the creation of a new directory, a simple text file, and set up a basic Google Cloud configuration (e.g., set a default project).
  - Make the script executable using `chmod +x setup.sh`.
  - Run the script and verify that it performs the expected tasks.
3. **Questions:**

- What command did you use to make the script executable?
- How did you ensure the script was executed correctly?
- What steps did your script automate?