Devops Project Report On

Deploying a 2-tier Application on AWS Cloud Using Terraform and and Docker Containers

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1. INTRODUCTION

In the current digital era, businesses demand fast, repeatable, and error-free deployment of their applications. Manual server setup and configuration often lead to inefficiencies and scalability issues. This project demonstrates the deployment of a 2-tier web application on AWS using Infrastructure as Code (IaC) with Terraform and containerization with Docker. By automating infrastructure provisioning and packaging applications into containers, this project provides a consistent and reliable deployment environment while reducing operational overhead.

2. PROBLEM STATEMENT

Using a Bash Scripting, create 3 stages. Each of these stages has a specific

job. The stages are named as such:

Create_Infra

Create a 2-tier application (preferably on git) using any language andtools, run and test the application. The application must have a frontend and a database connected to it inthe backend. It must allow the user to enter some details in the frontendand store the same in a row in the database.

2. Deploy_Apps

Using terraform provisioners execute the scripts in respective systems:frontend.sh: Installs and Configures docker in the FRONTEND instance and runsthe containerized frontend in it using the pull request command in previous slide.backend.sh: Installs and Configures docker in BACKEND instance and runs the containerized backend in it using the pull request command in previous slide.Use remote-exec provisioner to find out if docker has been installed and the application is running in the local system.

Stage 3: Test_Solution

Using terraform output save the public DNS or Public IP of the FRONTEND and display it as the stage is executed. Using terraform outputs and variables display the exact address with port number for the frontend form application. Curl the public DNS or IP to check if the frontend containerized application is working.

Manual Testing

Manually test if the application is running correctly. In the frontend enter some details for an user (Capture a screenshot of it)Now dive into the database and check if the line has been added to the database in the BACKEND instance or not (Capture a screenshot of it)

3. PROJECT OVERVIEW

This project focuses on building a 2-tier application deployment architecture on AWS. The architecture consists of:

- Frontend Layer: A web interface running in a Docker container that interacts with users.
- Backend Layer: A containerized API that connects to a database hosted on MongoDB Atlas for data management.

Terraform is used to provision AWS resources like VPC, subnets, security groups, and EC2 instances, while Docker ensures the applications run in isolated, portable environments. By combining Terraform and Docker, the project delivers an automated, cost-effective, and scalable solution suitable for modern cloud-based application deployments.

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1.Terraform files

```
main.tf
provider "aws" {
 region = "eu-north-1a"
# VPC
resource "aws_vpc" "my_vpc" {
 cidr_block
                 = "10.0.0.0/16"
 enable_dns_support = true
 enable_dns_hostnames = true
 tags = {
  Name = "devops2tier-vpc"
}
}
# Public Subnet
resource "aws_subnet" "public_subnet" {
 vpc_id
                 = aws_vpc.my_vpc.id
                 = "10.0.1.0/24"
 cidr_block
 map_public_ip_on_launch = true
 availability_zone = "eu-north-1a"
 tags = {
  Name = "public-subnet"
 }
}
# Internet Gateway
resource "aws internet gateway" "igw" {
 vpc_id = aws_vpc.my_vpc.id
 tags = {
  Name = "devops2tier-igw"
```

```
}
}
# Route Table for Public Subnet
resource "aws_route_table" "public_rt" {
 vpc_id = aws_vpc.my_vpc.id
 tags = {
  Name = "public-rt"
}
}
resource "aws_route" "public_internet_access" {
 route_table_id
                    = aws_route_table.public_rt.id
 destination_cidr_block = "0.0.0.0/0"
 gateway_id
                   = aws_internet_gateway.igw.id
}
resource "aws_route_table_association" "public_assoc" {
            = aws_subnet.public_subnet.id
 subnet_id
 route_table_id = aws_route_table.public_rt.id
}
# Security Groups
resource "aws_security_group" "frontend_sg" {
           = "frontend-sg"
 name
 description = "Allow HTTP and SSH"
 vpc_id
           = aws_vpc.my_vpc.id
 ingress {
  from_port = 80
  to_port = 80
  protocol = "tcp"
  cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
 ingress {
  from_port = 22
  to_port = 22
  protocol = "tcp"
  cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
```

```
}
 egress {
  from_port = 0
  to_port = 0
  protocol = "-1"
  cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
 tags = {
  Name = "frontend-sg"
}
}
resource "aws_security_group" "backend_sg" {
 name
           = "backend-sg"
 description = "Allow backend API access"
          = aws_vpc.my_vpc.id
 ingress {
  from_port = 5000
  to_port = 5000
  protocol = "tcp"
  cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
 }
 egress {
  from_port = 0
  to_port = 0
  protocol = "-1"
  cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
 }
 tags = {
  Name = "backend-sg"
}
}
# Frontend EC2
resource "aws_instance" "frontend" {
                = var.ami_id
                    = "t3.micro"
 instance_type
```

```
subnet id
              = aws_subnet.public_subnet.id
 security_groups = [aws_security_group.frontend_sg.id]
 key name
                 = var.key name
 user data = <<-EOF
#!/bin/bash
apt update -y
apt install -y docker.io
systemctl start docker
# Create index.html
cat <<EOT > /home/ubuntu/index.html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>DevOps Login</title>
  <style>
     body { background-color: #282c34; color: #61dafb; font-family: Arial, sans-serif; text-align:
center; }
    form { margin-top: 30px; background: #333; padding: 25px; border-radius: 8px; display:
inline-block; text-align: left; width: 300px; }
     .form-header { font-size: 22px; font-weight: bold; text-align: center; margin-bottom: 15px; }
     label { display: block; margin-bottom: 5px; }
     input[type="email"], input[type="password"] { width: 100%; padding: 8px; border: 1px solid
#61dafb; border-radius: 4px; margin-bottom: 15px; background: #222; color: #61dafb; }
     input[type="submit"] { width: 100%; background: #61dafb; border: none; padding: 10px;
cursor: pointer; color: #000; font-weight: bold; margin-top: 5px; }
     .forgot { text-align: center; margin-top: 10px; font-size: 12px; color: #61dafb; cursor:
pointer; }
     .success { margin-top: 15px; text-align: center; color: limegreen; font-weight: bold; }
</head>
<body>
  <h1>Welcome here! Biswa this side</h1>
  <form id="loginForm">
     <div class="form-header">Login</div>
     <label for="email">Email:</label>
     <input type="email" id="email" name="email" required>
     <label for="password">Password:</label>
     <input type="password" id="password" name="password" required>
     <input type="submit" value="Submit">
     <div class="forgot">Forgot Password?</div>
     <div id="result" class="success"></div>
  </form>
```

```
<script>
     document.getElementById("loginForm").addEventListener("submit", async function(e) {
       e.preventDefault();
       const email = document.getElementById("email").value;
       const password = document.getElementById("password").value;
       const response = await fetch("http://${aws_instance.backend.public_ip}:5000/save", {
         method: "POST",
         headers: { "Content-Type": "application/json" },
         body: JSON.stringify({ email, password })
       });
       const result = await response.json();
       document.getElementById("result").innerText = result.message;
    });
  </script>
</body>
</html>
EOT
docker run -d -p 80:80 --name frontend -v
/home/ubuntu/index.html:/usr/share/nginx/html/index.html nginx
EOF
}
# Backend EC2
resource "aws_instance" "backend" {
 ami
                  = var.ami id
                       = "t3.micro"
 instance_type
 subnet_id
                      = aws_subnet.public_subnet.id
 associate_public_ip_address = true
 vpc_security_group_ids
                            = [aws security group.backend sg.id]
 key_name
                       = var.key_name
 user data = <<-EOF
#!/bin/bash
exec > >(tee /var/log/user_data.log|logger -t user-data ) 2>&1
set -x
apt update -y
apt install -y docker.io
systemctl start docker
mkdir -p /home/ubuntu/backend
```

cd /home/ubuntu/backend

```
# Create Flask backend app
cat <<EOT > app.py
from flask import Flask, request, jsonify
from flask cors import CORS
from pymongo import MongoClient
app = Flask(__name__)
CORS(app)
print("Starting Flask app and connecting to MongoDB Atlas...")
client =
MongoClient("mongodb+srv://dbuser:dbpass123@cluster0.i3gcqrs.mongodb.net/devopsdb?retr
vWrites=true&w=majority")
db = client["devopsdb"]
users = db["users"]
@app.route('/save', methods=['POST'])
def save():
  data = request.json
  email = data.get("email")
  password = data.get("password")
  if not email or not password:
    return jsonify({"message": "Email and Password required"}), 400
  users.insert_one({"email": email, "password": password})
  print(f"Inserted user: {email}")
  return jsonify({"message": "Login data stored successfully!"})
if name == ' main ':
  print("Flask backend running on port 5000")
  app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=5000)
EOT
# Create Dockerfile
cat <<EOT > Dockerfile
FROM python:3.9
WORKDIR /app
COPY . .
RUN pip install flask flask-cors pymongo
CMD ["python", "app.py"]
EOT
```

```
docker build -t biswaa18/backend:1.0.
docker run -d --name backend -p 5000:5000 biswaa18/backend:1.0
# Log container status
docker ps
docker logs -f backend > /var/log/backend.log 2>&1 &
}
Terraform.tfvars
key_name = "devops-key-1754072235"
private key path = "~/.ssh/your-key.pem"
Terraform-outputs.txt
output "frontend_public_ip" {
 value = aws_instance.frontend.public_ip
output "frontend_url" {
 value = "http://${aws_instance.frontend.public_ip}:80"
Variables.tf
variable "aws_region" {
 default = "eu-north-1"
variable "ami_id" {
 description = "Ubuntu AMI ID"
 default = "ami-07a0715df72e58928" # Ubuntu 22.04 in eu-north-1
}
variable "key name" {
 description = "Name of your AWS key pair"
}
variable "private_key_path" {
 description = "Path to your private key file"
}
```

2. Containerized Application Link (provide your link from dockerhub)

https://hub.docker.com/repository/docker/biswaa18/frontend/general

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3.Frontend.sh

#!/bin/bash sudo apt update -y sudo apt install docker.io -y sudo systemctl enable docker sudo systemctl start docker sudo usermod -aG docker ubuntu

Sudo docker run -d -p 80:80 biswaa18/frontend-app:latest

4. Backend.sh

#!/bin/bash sudo apt update -y sudo apt install docker.io -y sudo systemctl enable docker sudo systemctl start docker sudo usermod -aG docker ubuntu

Sudo docker run -d -p 3306:3306 biswaa18/backend-app:latest

5. A Textfile containing terraform outputs.

```
Initializing the backend...
Initializing provider plugins...
- Reusing previous version of hashicorp/aws from the dependency lock file
- Using previously-installed hashicorp/aws v6.7.0
vyper-RS-7C95:-/Desktop/2241018146.bisu/devops-2tier5 terraform apply -auto-approve
ic.ny.voc: Refreshing state... [id=vpc-08f4466551750e1c9]
terret_gatewoy.jque: Refreshing state... [id=vb-02tia2a92e6e6c9ee]
ute_table_public_rt: Refreshing state... [id=subnet-0a82047a545199cb6]
bubet_public_subnet: Refreshing state... [id=subnet-0a82047a545199cb6]
curity_group_backend_sg: Refreshing state... [id=sp-0ae092445a571cdb8]
curity_group_frontend_ag: Refreshing state... [id=sp-0ae092445a571cdb8]
curity_group_frontend_ag: Refreshing state... [id=sp-0ae09249591f7e27a3]
ute_upblic_internet_access: Refreshing state... [id=rrtb-02cb12693f0b83id01080289494]
ute_upblic_internet_access: Refreshing state... [id=rtb-02506126916936060b]
stance_backend: Refreshing state... [id=i-032d3252cc9ab13e4]
                                                               act eact reask backenid app
for flask import Flask, request, jsonify
from flask_cors import CORS
from pymongo import MongoClient
                                                                                                                      L_block_device {
    delete_on_termination = true -> null
    device_name = "/dev/sda1" -> null
    device_name = flse -> null
    iops = 100 -> null
    tags_all = {} -> null
    throughput = 0 -> null
    twolune_id = "vol-0e0b025519c9f632c" -> null
    volune_size = 8 -> null
    volune_size = 8 -> null
    volune_size = 100" -> null
   Plan: 1 to add, 1 to change, 1 to destroy.

Changes to Outputs:

- frontend_public_ip = "51.20.78.46" -> (known after apply)

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- frontend_public_ip = "intip://51.20.78.46:80" -> (known after apply)

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- aws_instance.frontend: Still destroying... [idi=-032/3252cc2abl31e4]

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- aws_instance.frontend: Still destroying... [idi=-032/3252cc2abl31e4]

- aws_instance.backend: Still destroying... [idi=-032/3252cc2abl31e4]

- aws_instance.backend: Still nodifying... [idi=-047269719b650c0b]

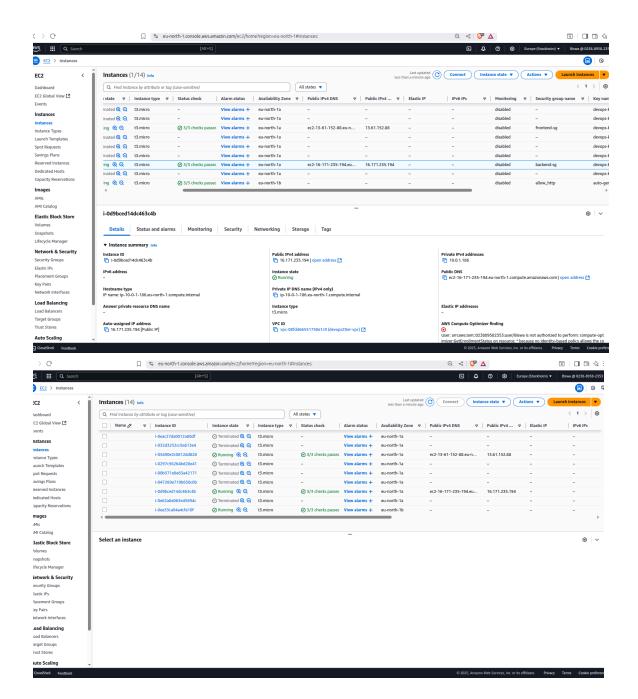
- aws_instance.backend: Still nodifying... [idi=-047269719b650c0b]

- aws_instance.backend: Nodifications complete after 36 [idi-047269719b650c0b]

- aws_instance.frontend: Creating...

- aws_instance.frontend: Creating...
```

frontend_public_ip = "13.60.224.55" frontend_url = "http://13.60.224.55:80"



Docker-frontend

Dockerfiles (frontend)

FROM nginx:alpine COPY index.html /usr/share/nginx/html/index.html EXPOSE 80

Index.html

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>DevOps Login</title>
  <style>
     body {
       background-color: #282c34;
       color: #61dafb;
       font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
       text-align: center;
       margin: 0;
       padding: 0;
     }
     h1 {
       color: #61dafb;
       margin-top: 30px;
     }
     form {
       margin-top: 30px;
       background: #333;
       padding: 25px;
       border-radius: 8px;
       display: inline-block;
       text-align: left;
       width: 300px;
     }
     .form-header {
       font-size: 22px;
       font-weight: bold;
       text-align: center;
       margin-bottom: 15px;
```

```
label {
       display: block;
       margin-bottom: 5px;
    input[type="email"], input[type="password"] {
       width: 100%;
       padding: 8px;
       border: 1px solid #61dafb;
       border-radius: 4px;
       margin-bottom: 15px;
       background: #222;
       color: #61dafb;
    input[type="submit"] {
       width: 100%;
       background: #61dafb;
       border: none;
       padding: 10px;
       cursor: pointer;
       color: #000;
       font-weight: bold;
       margin-top: 5px;
    }
     .forgot {
       text-align: center;
       margin-top: 10px;
       font-size: 12px;
       color: #61dafb;
       cursor: pointer;
     .success {
       margin-top: 15px;
       text-align: center;
       color: limegreen;
       font-weight: bold;
  </style>
</head>
<body>
  <h1>Welcome here! Biswa this side</h1>
  <form id="loginForm">
     <div class="form-header">Login</div>
     <label for="email">Email:</label>
```

```
<input type="email" id="email" name="email" required>
     <label for="password">Password:</label>
     <input type="password" id="password" name="password" required>
     <input type="submit" value="Submit">
     <div class="forgot">Forgot Password?</div>
     <div id="result" class="success"></div>
  </form>
  <script>
document.getElementById("loginForm").addEventListener("submit", async function(e) {
  e.preventDefault();
  const email = document.getElementById("email").value;
  const password = document.getElementById("password").value;
  const response = await fetch("http://13.61.181.216:5000/save", {
     method: "POST",
    headers: { "Content-Type": "application/json" },
    body: JSON.stringify({ email, password })
  });
  const result = await response.json();
  document.getElementById("result").innerText = result.message;
});
</script>
</body>
</html>
```

docker-backend

- app.py

```
from flask import Flask, request, jsonify from flask_cors import CORS from pymongo import MongoClient

app = Flask(__name__)
CORS(app)

# MongoDB Atlas Connection try:
```

```
client =
MongoClient("mongodb+srv://dbuser:dbpass123@cluster0.i3gcqrs.mongodb.net/devopsdb?retr
yWrites=true&w=majority&appName=Cluster0")
  db = client["devopsdb"]
  users = db["users"]
  print("Connected to MongoDB Atlas successfully")
except Exception as e:
  print("MongoDB Connection Failed:", e)
@app.route('/save', methods=['POST'])
def save():
  data = request.json
  email = data.get("email")
  password = data.get("password")
  if not email or not password:
    return jsonify({"message": "Email and Password required"}), 400
  users.insert_one({"email": email, "password": password})
  return jsonify({"message": "Login data stored successfully!"})
if __name__ == '__main__':
  app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=5000)
```

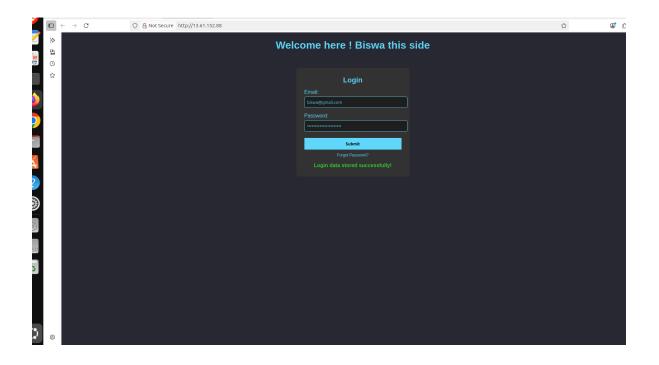
Requirements.txt

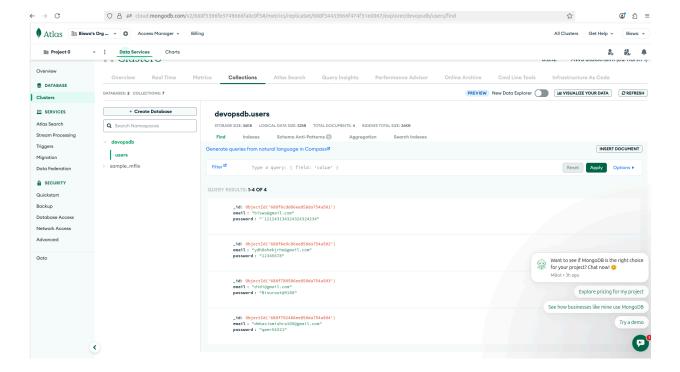
flask Pymongo

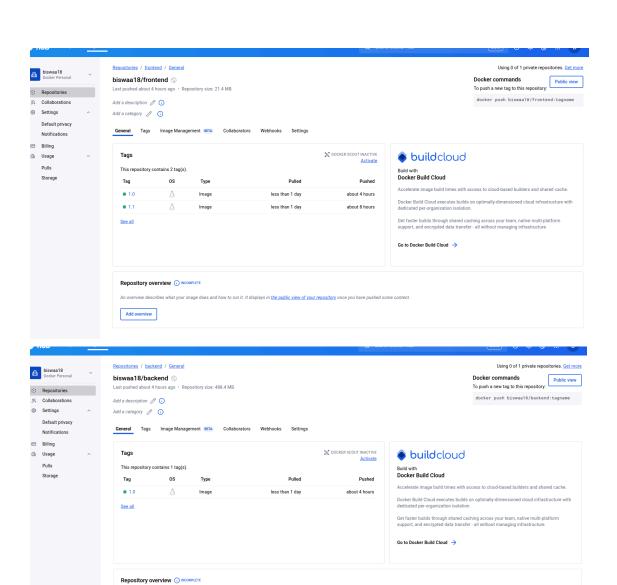
Dockerfiles (backend)

```
FROM python:3.9
WORKDIR /app
COPY requirements.txt .
RUN pip install -r requirements.txt
RUN pip install flask pymongo flask-cors
COPY . .
CMD ["python", "app.py"]
```

6.Screenshots of Manual Testing







An overview describes what your image does and how to run it. It displays in the public view of your repository once you have pushed some content

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