Configuring Resources After Creation



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Overview



Country grammar with Terraform
What's the (updated) scenario?
Get the party started with provisioners



Automating Infrastructure Deployment



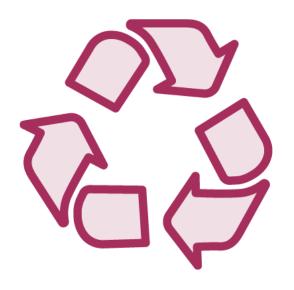
Provisioning resources



Planning updates



Using source control



Reusing templates



Terraform Syntax



HashiCorp configuration language

Why not JSON?

Human readable and editable

Configuration syntax and expressions

Conditionals, functions, templates



Terraform Syntax - Blocks

```
#Basic block
block_type label_one label_two {
 key = value
  embedded_block {
    key = value
```



Terraform Syntax - Blocks

```
#Example block
resource "aws_route_table" "route-table" {
 vpc_id = "id928310928"
  route {
    cidr_block = "0.0.0.0/0"
    gateway_id = "id128073987"
```



Terraform Syntax - Object Types

```
#Different value types
string = "taco"
number = 5
bool = true
list = ["bean-taco", "beef-taco"]
map = {name = "Ned", age = 42, loves_tacos = true}
```



Terraform Syntax - References

```
#Keyword reference
var.taco_day
aws_instance.taco_truck.name
local.taco_toppings.cheeses
module.taco_hut.locations
#Interpolation
taco_name = "neds-${var.taco_type}"
```



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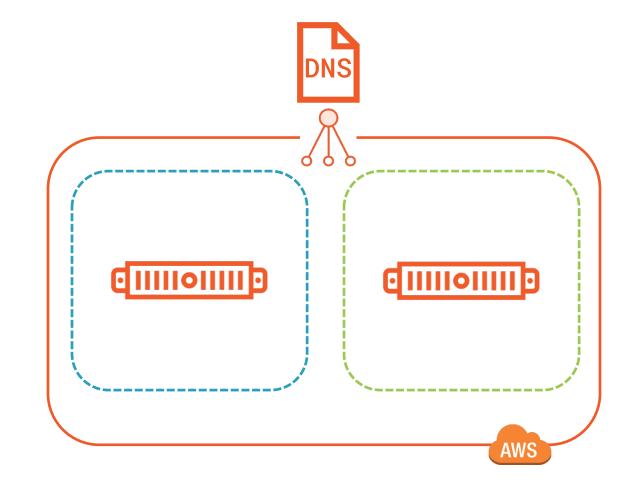
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#Strings, numbers, and bools
local.taco_count #returns the number
#Lists and maps
local.taco_toppings[2] #returns element 3
local.taco_map["likes-tacos"] #returns value at keyname
#Resource values
var.region #returns us-east-1
data.aws_availability_zones.azs.names[1] #returns 2nd AZ
```



The Scenario

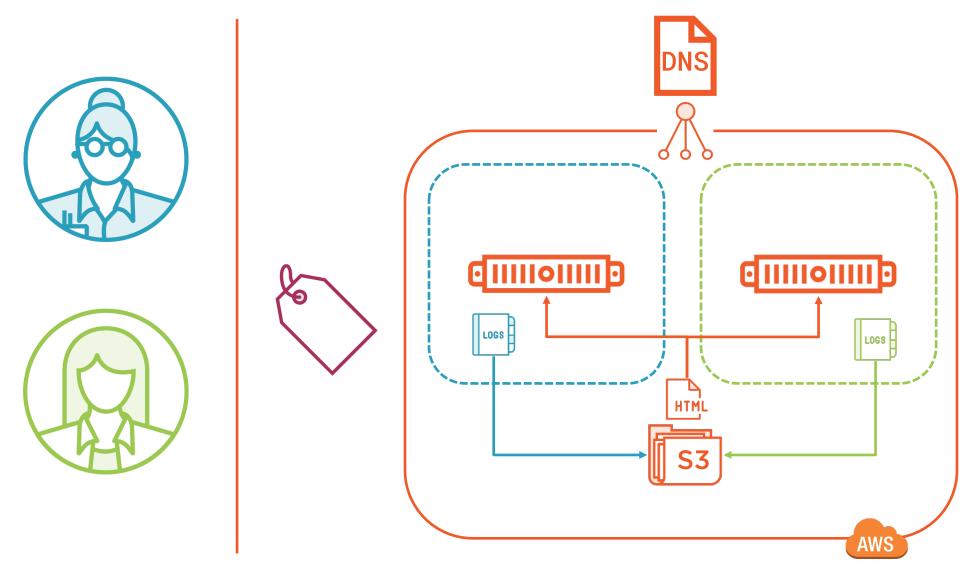








The Scenario



Terraform Provisioners



Last resort

Local or remote

Creation or destruction

Multiple provisioners

What if it all goes wrong?



Provisioner Example

```
provisioner "file" {
  connection {
    type = "ssh"
    user = "root"
    private_key = var.private_key
    host = var.hostname
  source = "/local/path/to/file.txt"
  destination = "/path/to/file.txt"
```



Provisioner Example

```
provisioner "local-exec" {
  command = "local command here"
}

provisioner "remote-exec" {
  scripts = ["list", "of", "local", "scripts"]
}
```



Summary



Terraform provisioners

Syntax and object types

S3 buckets, tags, and more!

Coming up

- Providers
- Functions
- Talking cmd.exe!

