

Wisilica Infra DB Cluster Automation

Prerequisites:

- Install ansible latest version(Tested on version 2.5.1).
- Should have to add ssh keys in each server.
- SSH user should have sudo privileges to all database servers.
- Required 3 or 3x3 Ubuntu 18.04 for Timescaledb, Mysql Galera, Redis DB clusters (Required separate three servers if need to implement each database clusters separately)
- Each database node should have the inter node connection to the following ports,
 - For Postgresql TimescaleDB cluster.
 - Tcp:2379 for etcd
 - Tcp 8008 for patroni
 - Tcp 5432 for PostgreSQL
 - For MySQL cluster
 - Tcp 3306 for MySQL
 - For Redis Sentinel cluster
 - 6379 for Redis
 - 26379 for Sentinel

Steps to Automate the Cluster Setup:

Extract the zip file to the ansible server where the SSH access is available to the database cluster nodes.

unzip ansible_db_clusters.zip

Change directory to db_clusters

cd db_clusters

Update Inventory file:

Open the inventory file and update the host IP address details,

For three database (TimescaleDB, MySQL and Redis) cluster configuration required a minimum nine instances if needed to create the each database cluster in a separate server or it required a minimum three instances.

List out the 3x3 set of servers IP addresses for each database cluster for running the database clusters separately for each database cluster.

1. Three servers for configuring the PostgreSQL + TimescaleDB + Patroni + etcd cluster required a minimum of three servers.
2. Three servers for configuring the MySQL galera multi master cluster.
3. Three servers for configuring Redis Sentinel Cluster.

Or three servers for all three database clusters.

In this below example I am using 3 server for configuring all three database clusters,

IP address List

172.31.34.236
172.31.34.214
172.31.41.1

Open the inventory file and update the server IP address details.

vim inventory

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```
#####  
#      PostgreSQL Cluster      #  
#####
```

#ETCD Cluster

[etcd_cluster] # recommendation: 3 or 5-7 nodes

172.31.34.236
172.31.34.214
172.31.41.1

PostgreSQL nodes

[master]

172.31.34.236 hostname=db-node01

[replica]

172.31.34.214 hostname=db-node02

172.31.41.1 hostname=db-node03

[postgres_cluster:children]

master

replica

#####

#####

Mysql Cluster

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[mysql_cluster]

172.31.34.236 hostname=db-node01

172.31.34.214 hostname=db-node02

172.31.41.1 hostname=db-node03

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Redis Cluser

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[redis_master]

172.31.34.236 hostname=db-node01

[redis_slave]

172.31.34.214 hostname=db-node02

172.31.41.1 hostname=db-node03

[redis_cluster:children]

redis_master

redis_slave

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Connection settings

[all:vars]

ansible_connection='ssh'

ansible_ssh_port='22'

ansible_user='ubuntu'

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Note: make sure to update the ansible ssh user, port in the inventory connection settings. Also update the hostname required for each database cluster.

Update variables:

Update the Common variables in the vars/main.yml file.

```
vim vars/main.yml
```

Update the database clusters(install_postgresql_cluster, install_mysql_cluster, install_redis_cluster) as true for required database clusters.

For example to install PostgreSQL(timescaledb), MySQL Galera, Redis cluster add the following line in the common variable files,

```
install_postgresql_cluster: true  
install_mysql_cluster: true  
install_redis_cluster: true
```

If only required one database cluster PostgreSQL cluster then select only install_postgresql_cluster as “true”

```
install_postgresql_cluster: true
```

Update the PostgreSQL cluster name, super user, replicator user and its passwords in the postgresql configuration section in the main.yml file,

#Postgresql Cluster variables

```
patroni_cluster_name: "postgres-cluster" # specify the cluster name  
patroni_superuser_username: "postgres"  
patroni_superuser_password: "postgres-pass" # please change password  
patroni_replication_username: "replicator"  
patroni_replication_password: "replicatorpass" # please change password
```

Update the MySQL Galera cluster name and password in the MySQL field,

#MySQL Galera CLuster Variables

```
mysql_cluster_name: mysql_cluster_name  
mysql_root_password: "your_mysql_root_password"
```

Update the Redis password if the Redis cluster needs to set a password.

#Redis Cluster variables

```
redis_password: test123 # please change password
```

Change the value of `is_redis_password` to "false" when redis cluster start without password
is_redis_password: "true"

If password is not required, make `redis_password` field as empty.

redis_password: ""
is_redis_password to "false"

Update specific Database variables:

TimescaleDB Cluster:

For updating the postgresql timescaledb cluster update the variables in the `vars/postgresql.yml` file.

vim vars/postgresql.yml

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In the `postgresql.yml` file we can update the postgresql, patroni and etcd cluster parameters,

patroni version latest or specific version

patroni_install_version: "latest"

Update to 'true' for enable synchronous database replication, 'false' for disable synchronous database replication

synchronous_mode: 'false'

version for deploy etcd cluster

etcd_ver: "v3.3.19"

Update etcd data directory

etcd_data_dir: "/var/lib/etcd"

Update the postgresql port

postgresql_port: "5432"

Update the postgresql parameters as shown below,

postgresql_parameters:

```
- { option: "max_connections",          value: "100" }
- { option: "superuser_reserved_connections", value: "5"   }
- { option: "max_locks_per_transaction", value: "64"   }
- { option: "max_prepared_transactions", value: "0"    }
- { option: "huge_pages",               value: "try"  }
- { option: "log_filename",             value: "'postgresql-%a.log'" }
- { option: "log_directory",            value: "{{ postgresql_log_dir }}" }
- { option: "shared_preload_libraries", value: "'timescaledb'"   }
```

MySQL Galera Cluster:

For updating the MySQL Galera cluster update the variables in the vars/mysql.yml file.

vim vars/mysql.yml

```
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mysql_cluster_name: mysql_cluster_name
swap_file: /swapfile
swap_space: 512
```

Redis Sentinel Cluster:

For updating the Redis sentinel cluster configuration update the parameters in vars/mysql.yml file

vim vars/redis.yml

```
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Update the redis version
```

redis_version: 4.0.9

Update the redis source code url,

redis_download_url: <http://download.redis.io/releases/redis-4.0.9.tar.gz>

Update the redis master name

redis_master_name: redis-primary

Update the redis config path

redis_config_file: /etc/redis/redis.conf

Update the redis log path

redis_log_file: /var/log/redis/redis.log

Update the redis data directory

redis_data_dir: /var/lib/redis

Update the redis binary command line path

redis_executable: /usr/local/bin/redis-server

Update the redis redis configuration file parameters,

redis_cluster_instances:

- port: 6379

protected_mode: 'no'

maxmemory: 5000mb

timeout: 86400

loglevel: notice

persistence_save: ""

repl_diskless_sync: 'no'

repl_timeout: 60

repl_backlog_size: 1mb

repl_backlog_ttl: 3600

maxmemory_policy: volatile-lru

maxmemory_samples: 27

cluster_enabled: 'no'

cluster_node_timeout: 15000

cluster_slave_validity_factor: 10

cluster_migration_barrier: 1

cluster_require_full_coverage: 'no'

client_output_buffer_limit_slave_hard: 256mb

client_output_buffer_limit_slave_soft: 64mb

client_output_buffer_limit_slave_time: 60

Run Ansible playbook:

Once updated the variables and inventory details run the ansible playbook as following,

ansible-playbook deploy_dbcluster.yml