### **Objective:**

Use variables, output values, implicit & explicit dependencies

#### Provider.tf (sets the provider)

```
provider "google" {
  project = "qwiklabs-gcp-01-1cafc15cf0b8"
  region = "us-east1"
  zone = "us-east1-b"
}
```

### **Create IMPLICIT Resource Dependency**

(Implicit dependencies: Dependencies known to Terraform)

#### Instance.tf (sets the instance)

A static IP is assigned to the VM instance using the vm\_static\_ip

Update the network\_interface configuration for the instance by adding nat ip = google compute address.vm static ip.address

```
resource google compute instance "vm instance" {
name
         = "${var.instance name}"
        = "${var.instance zone}"
zone
machine type = "${var.instance type}"
boot disk {
 initialize params {
   image = "1ebian-cloud/1ebian-10"
resource google compute instance "vm instance" {
name = "${var.instance_name}"
zone = "${var.instance_zone}"
machine type = "${var.instance type}"
boot disk {
     initialize_params {
       image = "lebian-cloud/lebian-10"
       }
network_interface {
  network = "default"
```

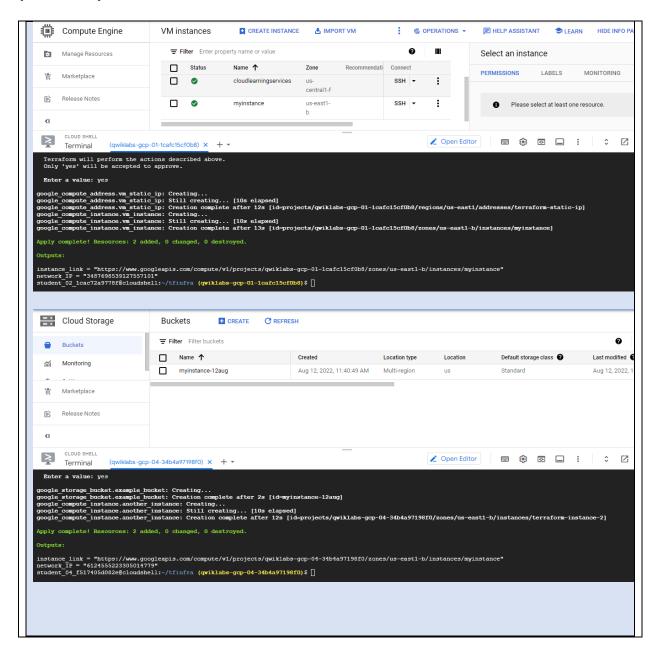
```
access_config {
    # Allocate a one-to-one NAT IP to the instance
    nat_ip = google_compute_address.vm_static_ip.address
}
resource "google_compute_address" "vm_static_ip" {
    name = "terraform-static-ip"
}
```

#### Variables.tf (sets the variables-name/zone/instance\_type)

```
variable "instance_name" {
  type = string
  description = "Name for the Google Compute instance"
}
variable "instance_zone" {
  type = string
  description = "Zone for the Google Compute instance"
}
variable "instance_type" {
  type = string
  description = "Disk type of the Google Compute instance"
  default = "n1-standard-1"
}
```

#### Outputs.tf (sets the output values)

```
output "network_IP" {
  value = google_compute_instance.vm_instance.instance_id
  description = "The internal ip address of the instance"
  }
  output "instance_link" {
   value = google_compute_instance.vm_instance.self_link
   description = "The URI of the created resource."
  }
```



### **Create EXPLICIT Resource Dependency**

(Explicit dependencies: Dependencies unknown to Terraform)

Explicit dependencies are used to inform dependencies between resources that are not visible to Terraform. In this example, consider that you will run on your instance that expects to use a specific Cloud Storage bucket, but that dependency is configured inside the application code and thus not visible to Terraform. In that case, you can use depends on to explicitly declare the dependency.

#### Exp.tf

```
# Create a new instance that uses the bucket
resource "google compute instance" "another instance" {
  name = "terraform-instance-2"
  machine type = "f1-micro"
  boot disk {
   initialize params {
     image = "debian-cloud/debian-10"
  network interface {
   network = "default"
    access config {
  # Tells Terraform that this VM instance must be created only after
the
  # storage bucket has been created.
  depends on = [google storage bucket.example bucket]
# New resource for the storage bucket our application will use.
resource "google storage bucket" "example bucket" {
 name = "myinstance-12aug"
 location = "US"
  website {
   main page suffix = "index.html"
   not found page = "404.html"
  }
}
```

Run – Terraform plan Terraform apply

