

# Task 1

NOTE: Ensure that the host device has Ansible, boto and AWS CLI configured using the following commands:

```
sudo apt install ansible
pip3 install boto
aws configure
```

## Steps:

1. Once the set up is completed create a YAML file called Deployment8.yaml using the following:

Description:

This template deploys a VPC, with a pair of public and private subnets spread across two Availability Zones. It deploys an internet gateway, with a default route on the public subnets. It deploys a pair of NAT gateways (one in each AZ), and default routes for them in the private subnets.

Parameters:

EnvironmentName:

Description: An environment name that is prefixed to resource names

Type: String

VpcCIDR:

Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for this VPC

Type: String

Default: 192.168.0.0/16

PublicSubnet1CIDR:

Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the public subnet in the first Availability Zone

Type: String

Default: 192.168.0.0/18

PublicSubnet2CIDR:

Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the public subnet in the second Availability Zone

Type: String

Default: 192.168.64.0/18

PrivateSubnet1CIDR:

Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the private subnet in the first Availability Zone

Type: String

Default: 192.168.128.0/18

PrivateSubnet2CIDR:

Description: Please enter the IP range (CIDR notation) for the private subnet in the second Availability Zone

Type: String

Default: 192.168.192.0/18

KeyName:

Description: Name of an existing EC2 KeyPair to enable SSH access to the instance

Type: AWS::EC2::KeyPair::KeyName

Resources:

VPC:

Type: AWS::EC2::VPC

Properties:

CidrBlock: !Ref VpcCIDR

EnableDnsSupport: true

EnableDnsHostnames: true

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Ref EnvironmentName

InternetGateway:

Type: AWS::EC2::InternetGateway

Properties:

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Ref EnvironmentName

InternetGatewayAttachment:

Type: AWS::EC2::VPCGatewayAttachment

Properties:

InternetGatewayId: !Ref InternetGateway

VpcId: !Ref VPC

PublicSubnet1:

Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

AvailabilityZone: !Select [0, !GetAZs ""]

CidrBlock: !Ref PublicSubnet1CIDR

MapPublicIpOnLaunch: true

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Public Subnet (AZ1)

PublicSubnet2:

Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

AvailabilityZone: !Select [1, !GetAZs ""]

CidrBlock: !Ref PublicSubnet2CIDR

MapPublicIpOnLaunch: true

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Public Subnet (AZ2)

PrivateSubnet1:

Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

AvailabilityZone: !Select [0, !GetAZs ""]

CidrBlock: !Ref PrivateSubnet1CIDR

MapPublicIpOnLaunch: false

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Private Subnet (AZ1)

PrivateSubnet2:

Type: AWS::EC2::Subnet

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

AvailabilityZone: !Select [1, !GetAZs ""]

CidrBlock: !Ref PrivateSubnet2CIDR

MapPublicIpOnLaunch: false

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Private Subnet (AZ2)

NatGateway1EIP:

Type: AWS::EC2::EIP

DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment

Properties:

Domain: vpc

NatGateway2EIP:

Type: AWS::EC2::EIP

DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment

Properties:

Domain: vpc

NatGateway1:

Type: AWS::EC2::NatGateway

Properties:

AllocationId: !GetAtt NatGateway1EIP.AllocationId

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

NatGateway2:

Type: AWS::EC2::NatGateway

Properties:

AllocationId: !GetAtt NatGateway2EIP.AllocationId

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet2

PublicRouteTable:

Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Public Routes

DefaultPublicRoute:

Type: AWS::EC2::Route

DependsOn: InternetGatewayAttachment

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable

DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0

GatewayId: !Ref InternetGateway

PublicSubnet1RouteTableAssociation:

Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

PublicSubnet2RouteTableAssociation:

Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PublicRouteTable

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet2

PrivateRouteTable1:

Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Private Routes (AZ1)

DefaultPrivateRoute1:

Type: AWS::EC2::Route

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable1

DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0

NatGatewayId: !Ref NatGateway1

PrivateSubnet1RouteTableAssociation:

Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable1

SubnetId: !Ref PrivateSubnet1

PrivateRouteTable2:

Type: AWS::EC2::RouteTable

Properties:

VpcId: !Ref VPC

Tags:

- Key: Name

Value: !Sub \${EnvironmentName} Private Routes (AZ2)

DefaultPrivateRoute2:

Type: AWS::EC2::Route

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable2

DestinationCidrBlock: 0.0.0.0/0

NatGatewayId: !Ref NatGateway2

PrivateSubnet2RouteTableAssociation:

Type: AWS::EC2::SubnetRouteTableAssociation

Properties:

RouteTableId: !Ref PrivateRouteTable2

SubnetId: !Ref PrivateSubnet2

JenkinsControllerSecurityGroup:

Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup

Properties:

GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"

GroupName: "JenkinsController"

SecurityGroupIngress:

- IpProtocol: tcp

FromPort: 22

ToPort: 22

CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0

- IpProtocol: tcp

FromPort: 8080

ToPort: 8080

CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0

VpcId: !Ref VPC

JenkinsControllerEC2Instance:

Type: AWS::EC2::Instance

Properties:

ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7

InstanceType: t2.micro

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

KeyName: !Ref KeyName

SecurityGroupIds:

- !Ref JenkinsControllerSecurityGroup

Tags:

- Key: "Name"

Value: "Jenkins Controller"

JenkinsAgentSecurityGroup:

Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup

Properties:

GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"

GroupName: "JenkinsAgent"

SecurityGroupIngress:

- IpProtocol: tcp

FromPort: 22

ToPort: 22

CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0

VpcId: !Ref VPC

JenkinsAgentEC2Instance:

Type: AWS::EC2::Instance

Properties:

ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7

InstanceType: t2.micro

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

KeyName: !Ref KeyName

SecurityGroupIds:

- !Ref JenkinsAgentSecurityGroup

Tags:

- Key: "Name"

Value: "Jenkins Agent"

ProductionSecurityGroup:

Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup

Properties:

GroupDescription: "Security group that allows SSH from anywhere"

GroupName: "Production"

SecurityGroupIngress:

- IpProtocol: tcp

FromPort: 22

ToPort: 22

CidrIp: 0.0.0.0/0

VpcId: !Ref VPC

ProductionEC2Instance:



Type: AWS::EC2::Instance

Properties:

ImageId: ami-09e67e426f25ce0d7

InstanceType: t2.micro

SubnetId: !Ref PublicSubnet1

KeyName: !Ref KeyName

SecurityGroupIds:

- !Ref ProductionSecurityGroup

Tags:

- Key: "Name"

Value: "Production"

Deploy08DBSecurityGroup:

Type: AWS::EC2::SecurityGroup

Properties:

GroupDescription: "Security group for the RDS MySQL database that allows access from Production/Agent SG only"

GroupName: "Deploy08-DB"

SecurityGroupIngress:

- IpProtocol: tcp

FromPort: 3306

ToPort: 3306

SourceSecurityGroupId:

Fn::GetAtt:

- ProductionSecurityGroup

- GroupId

VpcId: !Ref VPC

Outputs:

VPC:

Description: A reference to the created VPC

Value: !Ref VPC

JenkinsControllerEC2Instance:

Value: !GetAtt JenkinsControllerEC2Instance.PublicIp

Description: JenkinsController's PublicIp Address

JenkinsAgentEC2Instance:

Value: !GetAtt JenkinsAgentEC2Instance.PublicIp

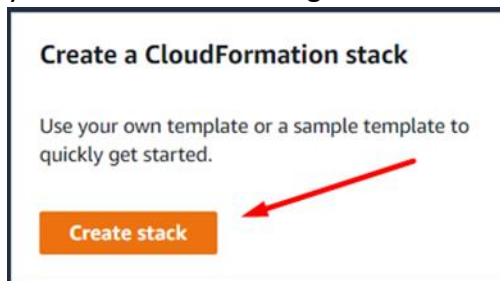
Description: JenkinsAgentEC2Instance's PublicIp Address

ProductionEC2Instance:

Value: !GetAtt ProductionEC2Instance.PublicIp

Description: ProductionEC2Instance's PublicIp Address

2. Once the file is created, save it and got to AWS CloudFormation to create a stack. Ensure you're in the correct region.



3. Create your stack and add the yaml file as shown below:  
Create stack

**Create a CloudFormation stack**

Use your own template or a sample template to quickly get started.

**Create stack**

**Prerequisite - Prepare template**

Prepare template  
Every stack is based on a template. A template is a JSON or YAML file that contains configuration information about the AWS resources you want to include in the stack.

☒ Template is ready ☐ Use a sample template ☐ Create template in Designer

**Specify template**  
A template is a JSON or YAML file that describes your stack's resources and properties.

Template source  
Selecting a template generates an Amazon S3 URL where it will be stored.

☐ Amazon S3 URL ☒ Upload a template file

Upload a template file  
Choose file **Deployment8.yaml**  
JSON or YAML formatted file

S3 URL: <https://s3-external-1.amazonaws.com/cf-templates-1edq93qwy8rm-us-east-1/2021338dbu-Deployment8.yaml> [View in Designer](#)

[Cancel](#) [Next](#)

4. Give the stack a name and include the Key Pair you'll use to SSH into the ec2 instances.

#### Specify stack details

**Stack name**

Stack name

Deployment08

Stack name can include letters (A-Z and a-z), numbers (0-9), and dashes (-).

**Parameters**

Parameters are defined in your template and allow you to input custom values when you create or update a stack.

**EnvironmentName**

An environment name that is prefixed to resource names

**KeyName**

Name of an existing EC2 KeyPair to enable SSH access to the instance

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5. Keep all the default settings and create the stack. Then wait for it to be completed

CloudFormation > Stacks > Deployment08

**Stacks (1)**

Filter by stack name

Active View nested

Deployment08

2021-12-03 21:57:06 UTC-0400

CREATE\_COMPLETE

**Deployment08**

Stack info Events Resources Outputs

**Overview**

Stack ID

arn:aws:cloudformation:us-east-

6. Then go to the Outputs tab to make sure everything was created successfully.

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**Stacks (1)**

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**Deployment08**

Stack info Events Resources **Outputs**

**Overview**

Stack ID

arn:aws:cloudformation:us-east-

Stack info	Events	Resources	Outputs	Parameters	Template	Change sets
Outputs (4)						
<input type="text" value="Search outputs"/>						
Key	Value	Description	Export name			
JenkinsAgentEC2Instance	18.212.61.205	JenkinsAgentEC2Instance's PublicIp Address	-			
JenkinsControllerEC2Instance	52.90.106.79	JenkinsController's PublicIp Address	-			
ProductionEC2Instance	52.90.91.94	ProductionEC2Instance's PublicIp Address	-			
VPC	vpc-07e7a3684fcf86ec9	A reference to the created VPC	-			

- Record by taking **note** of the Public IPv4 address of all the EC2 instances created in the following format since we'll need to edit our host file later on.

[Controller]

**52.90.106.79** ansible\_user=ubuntu ansible\_ssh\_private\_key\_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutorial.pem

[Agent]

**18.212.61.205** ansible\_user=ubuntu ansible\_ssh\_private\_key\_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutorial.pem

[Production]

**52.90.91.94** ansible\_user=ubuntu ansible\_ssh\_private\_key\_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutorial.pem

- Once everything is set up proceed to set up Ansible so that it configures the EC2s. Change into the SSH directory and make sure the Key that is being used to SSH into the EC2 instance is present. Use the following commands (`$ cd ~/.ssh`) followed by (`$ cd ls`).
- Now change the host file for Ansible so that we can SSH into our EC2s with Ansible and run the commands below. Use the command (`$ sudo nano /etc/ansible/hosts`)

```

cd@cd-kura: ~
GNU nano 4.8 /etc/ansible/hosts Modified
## [dbservers]
##
## db01.intranet.mydomain.net
## db02.intranet.mydomain.net
## 10.25.1.56
## 10.25.1.57
# Here's another example of host ranges, this time there are no
# leading 0s:
## db-[99:101]-node.example.com
[Controller]
52.90.106.79 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutoriala
[Agent]
18.212.61.205 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutori
[Production]
52.90.91.94 ansible_user=ubuntu ansible_ssh_private_key_file=~/.ssh/EC2Tutoriala
^G Get Help ^O Write Out ^W Where Is ^K Cut Text ^J Justify ^C Cur Pos
^X Exit ^R Read File ^E Replace ^U Paste Text ^T To Spell ^_ Go To Line

```

## NOTE:

- i. **We can now use ansible to configure our EC2 instances. For the first EC2, we will need to install Java and Jenkins. Once we install Jenkins, we need to obtain the password to set up jenkins on our browser. We will be able to access our Jenkins application using the Public IPv4 of the Jenkins Controller EC2 followed by port 8080. The second EC2 instance needs Java, npm, and nodejs. The third EC2 needs openjdk and docker.**
- ii. **We will need to create a set of YAML files with specific commands. There will be 3 ansible playbooks created to install dependencies in each EC2 instance. Once all the separated ansible playbooks are created, there will be one main ansible playbook that calls upon the other 3 and run them.**

10. In the first Ansible Playbook, create a YAML file called "configure\_controller.yaml" with the following:

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Controller EC2 instance"
  hosts: Controller
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    # https://www.jenkins.io/doc/book/installing/linux/
    - name: getting the long term support release of jenkins
      shell: curl -fsSL https://pkg.jenkins.io/debian-stable/jenkins.io.key | sudo tee \ /usr/share/keyrings/jenkins-keyring.asc > /dev/null

    - name: signing the downloaded jenkins application and adding it to the repository
      shell: echo deb [signed-by=/usr/share/keyrings/jenkins-keyring.asc] \ https://pkg.jenkins.io/debian-stable binary/ | sudo tee \
/etc/apt/sources.list.d/jenkins.list > /dev/null

    - name: upgrading the repository
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing the jenkins application.
      shell: sudo apt-get install jenkins -y

    - name: installing git tool
      shell: sudo apt install git -y

    - name: checking if jenkins is active
      shell: sudo systemctl status jenkins | head -n 3
      register: command_output
    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines

    - name: outputting jenkins password
      shell: echo "The Jenkins password is $(sudo cat /var/lib/jenkins/secrets/initialAdminPassword)"
      register: command_output
    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines
```

11. In the second Ansible Playbook, create a YAML file called “configure\_agent.yaml” with the following:

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Agent EC2 instance"
  hosts: Agent
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    - name: installing nodejs
      shell: sudo apt install nodejs -y

    - name: installing npm
      shell: sudo apt install npm -y
```

12. In the second Ansible Playbook, create a YAML file called “configure\_production.yaml” with the following:

```
---
- name: "Configuring the Production EC2 instance"
  hosts: Production
  gather_facts: false
  connection: ssh

  tasks:
    - name: updating the ec2 instance
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing java
      shell: sudo apt install openjdk-11-jre-headless -y

    - name: downloading modules
      shell: sudo apt-get install \ ca-certificates \ curl \ gnupg \ lsb-release -y

    - name: adding docker keys
      shell: curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /usr/share/keyrings/docker-archive-keyring.gpg

    - name: upgrading the repository
      shell: sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get upgrade -y

    - name: installing latest version of docker
      shell: sudo apt-get install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io -y

    - name: starting docker
      shell: sudo systemctl start docker

    - name: configure docker to start on boot
      shell: sudo systemctl enable docker

    - name: checking if docker is active
      shell: sudo systemctl status docker | head -n 3
      register: command_output

    - debug:
        var: command_output.stdout_lines
```

13. Then create the final Ansible playbook called "control.yaml" which will run all 3 of the previous yaml files. Use the following configuration:

```
---
- hosts: localhost
  tasks:
    - debug:
        msg: Configuring All 3 EC2 Instances.

- name: configuring the controller ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_controller.yaml

- name: configuring the agent ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_agent.yaml

- name: configuring the production ec2 instance
  import_playbook: configure_production.yaml
```

14. After creating all the files use the command (\$ **ansible-playbook configure.yaml**).

```
cd@cd-kura:~$ nano configure_controller.yaml
cd@cd-kura:~$ nano configure_agent.yaml
cd@cd-kura:~$ nano configure_production.yaml
cd@cd-kura:~$ nano configure.yaml
cd@cd-kura:~$ ansible-playbook configure.yaml
cd@cd-kura:~$ ansible-playbook configure.yaml

PLAY [localhost] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
ok: [localhost]

TASK [debug] *****
ok: [localhost] => {
  "msg": "Configuring All 3 EC2 Instances."
}

PLAY [Configuring the Controller EC2 instance] *****

TASK [updating the ec2 instance] *****
fatal: [52.90.106.79]: UNREACHABLE! => {"changed": false, "msg": "Failed to connect to the host via ssh: Load key \"/home/cd/.ssh/EC2Tutorial.pem\": Permission denied\r\nubuntu@52.90.106.79: Permission denied (publickey).", "unreachable": true}

PLAY RECAP *****
52.90.106.79      : ok=0    changed=0    unreachable=1    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=
0               ignored=0
localhost       : ok=2    changed=0    unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=
0               ignored=0
```

NOTE: Currently working on fixing this error.