

Installation on Control Server (Ubuntu)

- Create EC2 Instance with AMI as Ubuntu
- Login to EC2 instance using Git Bash/Terminal and execute below commands from Git Bash window
- To become the root user

```
sudo -i
```

```
apt update -y
```

- To install Ansible

```
apt install -y ansible
```

- To check Ansible version

```
ansible --version
```

- Create user named ansible

```
adduser ansible
```

- Add below entry so that ansible user can become root user if needed

```
echo "ansible ALL=(ALL) NOPASSWD: ALL" >> /etc/sudoers
```

- Enable Password Authentication

```
sed -ie 's/PasswordAuthentication no/ PasswordAuthentication yes/' /etc/ssh/sshd_config
```

- Restart sshd Daemon

```
service sshd reload
```

- Create Directory to /etc/ansible

```
mkdir /etc/ansible
```

```
cd /etc/ansible
```

- Create file named hosts (Default Inventory file)

```
touch hosts
```

- Change owner and group to ansible on hosts file

```
chown ansible:ansible hosts
```

- Exit as root user

`exit`

- Switch user to ansible, it is going to prompt the password that you set for ansible user
`su - ansible`
- To generate the ssh key
`ssh-keygen`
 - Press Enter for all the prompts (like Enter Paraphrase name etc)
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- `ssh-copy-id localhost` → To copy the ssh key to localhost
 - Provide the password for Ansible user when it prompts
- `ssh localhost` → to verify if we can connect to ssh (if connected then exit to come back)

Create another EC2 Instance for Node

Ubuntu AMI

`sudo -i`

`adduser ansible`

`echo "ansible ALL=(ALL) NOPASSWD: ALL" >> /etc/sudoers`

`sed -ie 's/PasswordAuthentication no/ PasswordAuthentication yes/' /etc/ssh/sshd_config`

`sudo service sshd reload`

After Creating the Node, come back to Control Server and type below command

- `ssh-copy-id <Node-private-ip>`

Whenever you add New Node Server

1. Configure the Node Server

2. From Control Server

`ssh-copy-id <Private-IP>`

3. Add that Private IP to inventory file (/etc/ansible/hosts)