

TERRAFORM

- Terraform is an open source "Infrastructure as a Code" tool, created by HashiCorp.
- It was developed by Mitchell Hashimoto with Go Language in the year 2014 which
- All the configuration files used (HashiCorp Configuration Language) language for the code.
- Terraform uses a simple syntax, can provision infrastructure across multiple clouds & On premises.
- It is Cloud Agnostic it means the system does not depend on a single provider.

Infrastructure as Code (IaC): Terraform is a tool used for implementing Infrastructure as Code. It allows you to define and manage infrastructure configurations in a declarative manner.

Multi-Cloud Support: Terraform is cloud-agnostic and supports multiple cloud providers such as AWS, Azure, Google Cloud, and others. It also works with on-premises and hybrid cloud environments.

Declarative Configuration: Users describe the desired state of their infrastructure in a configuration file (usually written in HashiCorp Configuration Language - HCL), and Terraform takes care of figuring out how to achieve that state.

Resource Provisioning: Terraform provisions and manages infrastructure resources like virtual machines, storage, networks, and more. It creates and updates resources based on the configuration provided.

State Management: Terraform maintains a state file that keeps track of the current state of the infrastructure. This file is used to plan and apply changes, ensuring that Terraform can update resources accurately.

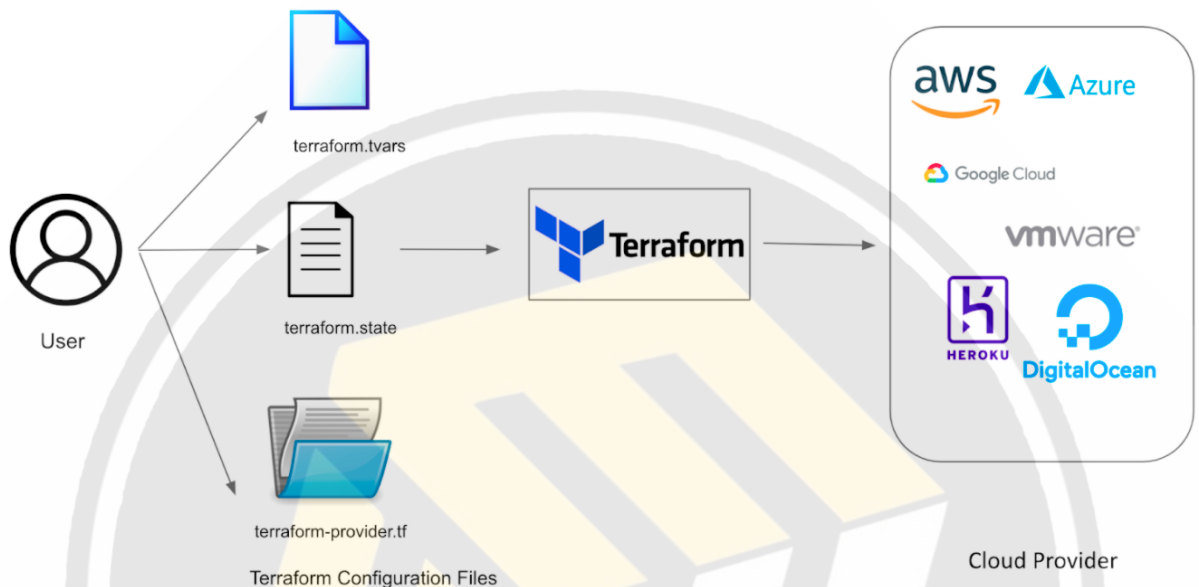
Plan and Apply Workflow: Before making changes, Terraform generates an execution plan, showing what actions it will take. Users review the plan and then apply it to make the changes to the infrastructure.

Version Control Integration: Terraform configurations can be versioned using version control systems like Git. This allows for collaboration, code review, and tracking changes over time.

Modular Configuration: Infrastructure configurations can be organized into modules, making it easier to reuse and share components across different projects.

Community and Ecosystem: Terraform has a vibrant community and a rich ecosystem of modules and providers contributed by the community, making it easier to leverage pre-built solutions for common infrastructure components.

Immutable Infrastructure: Terraform encourages the concept of immutable infrastructure, where changes to infrastructure are made by replacing existing resources rather than modifying them in place.



WHAT IS IAAC:

- Infrastructure as Code (IaC) is a practice in DevOps that involves managing and provisioning infrastructure resources using code and automation.
- Server automation and configuration management tools can often be used to achieve IaC. There are also solutions specifically for IaC.
- By using these IAAC we can automate the creation of Infrastructure instead of manual process.
- IaC brings the principles of software development to infrastructure management, allowing for more streamlined and agile operations.
- IaC tools, such as Terraform or Ansible, automate the provisioning and management of infrastructure resources. By defining infrastructure as code, you can create scripts or playbooks that automatically create, configure, and manage your infrastructure in a consistent and repeatable manner.

ALTERNATIVES OF TERRAFORM:

- AWS --> CFT (JSON/YAML)

- AZURE --> ARM TEMPLATES (JSON)
- GCP --> CLOUD DEPLOYMENT MANAGER (YAML/ PYTHON)
- PULUMI -- (PYTHON, JS, C#, GO & TYPE SCRIPT)
- ANSIBLE --> (YAML)
- PUPPET
- CHEF
- VAGRANT
- CROSSPLANE

TERRAFORM SETUP IN UBUNTU:

- `wget https://releases.hashicorp.com/terraform/1.1.3/terraform_1.1.3_linux_amd64.zip`
- `sudo apt-get install zip -y`
- `Unzip terraform`
- `mv terraform /usr/local/bin/`
- `terraform version`

TERRAFORM SETUP IN AMAZON LINUX:

- `sudo yum-config-manager --add-repo`
`https://rpm.releases.hashicorp.com/AmazonLinux/hashicorp.repo`
- `sudo yum -y install terraform`

TERRAFORM LIFECYCLE:

The Terraform lifecycle refers to the sequence of steps and processes that occur when working with Terraform to manage infrastructure as code. Here's an overview of the typical Terraform lifecycle:

Write Configuration:

- Users define their infrastructure in a declarative configuration language, commonly using HashiCorp Configuration Language (HCL).

Initialize:

- Run `terraform init` to initialize a Terraform working directory. This step downloads the necessary providers and sets up the backend.

Plan:

- Run `terraform plan` to create an execution plan. Terraform compares the desired state from the configuration with the current state and generates a plan for the changes

required to reach the desired state.

Review Plan:

- Examine the output of the plan to understand what changes Terraform intends to make to the infrastructure. This is an opportunity to verify the planned changes before applying them.

Apply:

- Execute terraform apply to apply the changes outlined in the plan. Terraform makes the necessary API calls to create, update, or delete resources to align the infrastructure with the desired state.

Destroy (Optional):

- When infrastructure is no longer needed, or for testing purposes, run terraform destroy to tear down all resources created by Terraform. This is irreversible, so use with caution.

CREATING EC2 INSTANCE:

```
provider "aws" {  
  region      = "ap-south-1"  
  access_key  = "AKIAWW7WL2JMKCCM0RC"  
  secret_key  = "DraPAxLZinm+ONtvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B "  
}  
  
resource "aws_instance" "example" {  
  ami          = "ami-0af25d0df86db00c1"  
  instance_type = "t2.micro"  
  
  tags = {  
    name = "web-server"  
  }  
}
```

Lets assume if we have multiple instances/resources in a terraform, if we want to delete a single instance/resource first we have to check the list of resources present in

main.tf file using **terraform state list** so it will give the list of entire resources

to delete particular resource: **terraform destroy -target=aws_instance.key[0]**

TERRAFORM VARIABLE TYPES:

```
variable "<YOUR_VARIABLE_NAME>" {  
  description = "Instance type t2.micro" ← Meaning full description  
  type        = string ← Ex - string, number, bool, list, set, map..  
  default     = "t2.micro" ← variable default value  
}
```

Input Variables serve as parameters for a Terraform module, so users can customize behavior without editing the source.

Output Values are like return values for a Terraform module. Local Values are a convenience feature for assigning a short name to an expression.

TERRAFORM STRING:

It seems like your question might be incomplete or unclear. If you are looking for information about working with strings in Terraform, I can provide some guidance.

In Terraform, strings are used to represent text data and can be manipulated using various functions and operators

```
provider "aws" {  
  region      = "ap-south-1"  
  access_key  = "AKIAW7WL2JMJKCCM0RC"  
  secret_key  = "DraPAXLZinm+ONTvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B"  
}  
  
resource "aws_instance" "ec2_example" {  
  ami          = "ami-0767046d1677be5a0"  
  instance_type = var.instance_type  
  
  tags = {  
    Name = "Terraform EC2"  
  }  
}  
  
variable "instance_type" {  
  description = "Instance type t2.micro"  
  type        = string  
  default     = "t2.micro"  
}
```

TERRAFORM NUMBER: The number type can represent both whole numbers and fractional values .

```

provider "aws" {
  region      = "ap-south-1"
  access_key  = "AKIAWW7WL2JMJKCCM0RC"
  secret_key  = "DraPAxLZinm+ONtvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B"
}

resource "aws_instance" "ec2_example" {

  ami          = "ami-0af25d0df86db00c1"
  instance_type = "t2.micro"
  count        = var.instance_count

  tags = {
    Name = "Terraform EC2"
  }
}

variable "instance_count" {
  description = "Instance type count"
  type        = number
  default     = 2
}

```

TERRAFORM BOOLEAN: a boolean represents a binary value indicating either true or false. Booleans are used to express logical conditions, make decisions, and control the flow of Terraform configurations. In HashiCorp Configuration Language (HCL), which is used for writing Terraform configurations, boolean values are written as true or false.

```

provider "aws" {
  region      = "ap-south-1"
  access_key  = "AKIAWW7WL2JMJKCCM0RC"
  secret_key  = "DraPAxLZinm+ONtvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B"
}

resource "aws_instance" "ec2_example" {

  ami          = "ami-0af25d0df86db00c1"
  instance_type = "t2.micro"
  count        = 1
  associate_public_ip_address = var.enable_public_ip

  tags = {
    Name = "Terraform EC2"
  }
}

variable "enable_public_ip" {
  description = "Enable public IP"
  type        = bool
  default     = true
}

```

LIST/TUPLE:

```

provider "aws" {
  region      = "ap-south-1"
  access_key  = "AKIAWW7WL2JMKCCMORC"
  secret_key  = "DraPAxLZinm+ONtvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B"
}

resource "aws_instance" "ec2_example" {

  ami          = "ami-0af25d0df86db00c1"
  instance_type = "t2.micro"
  count        = 1

  tags = {
    Name = "Terraform EC2"
  }
}

resource "aws_iam_user" "example" {
  count = length(var.user_names)
  name  = var.user_names[count.index]
}

variable "user_names" {
  description = "IAM USERS"
  type        = list(string)
  default     = ["user1", "user2", "user3"]
}

```

MAP/OBJECT:

```

provider "aws" {
  region      = "ap-south-1"
  access_key  = "AKIAWW7WL2JMKCCMORC"
  secret_key  = "DraPAxLZinm+ONtvchniWNG91MpqkwMvy rJVZo/B"
}

resource "aws_instance" "ec2_example" {

  ami          = "ami-0af25d0df86db00c1"
  instance_type = "t2.micro"

  tags = var.project_environment
}

variable "project_environment" {
  description = "project name and environment"
  type        = map(string)
  default     = {
    project = "project-alpha",
    environment = "dev"
  }
}

```

FOR LOOP:

The for loop is pretty simple and if you have used any programming language before then I guess you will be pretty much familiar with the for loop.

Only the difference you will notice over here is the syntax in Terraform.

We are going to take the same example by declaring a list(string) and adding three users to it - user1, user2, user3

Use the above ec2 block if you want

```
output "print_the_names" {
  value = [for name in var.user_names : name]
}

variable "user_names" {
  description = "IAM usernames"
  type        = list(string)
  default     = ["user1", "user2", "user3"]
}
```

FOR EACH:

The for each is a little special in terraforming and you can not use it on any collection variable.

Note : - It can only be used on set(string) or map(string).

The reason why for each does not work on list(string) is because a list can contain duplicate values but if you are using set(string) or map(string) then it does not support duplicate values.

```
resource "aws_iam_user" "example" {
  for_each = var.user_names
  name     = each.value
}

variable "user_names" {
  description = "IAM usernames"
  type        = set(string)
  default     = ["user1", "user2", "user3"]
}
```

LOOPS WITH COUNT:

we need to use count but to use the count first we need to declare collections inside our file.


```
resource "aws_iam_user" "example" {
  count = length(var.user_names)
  name  = var.user_names[count.index]
}

variable "user_names" {
  description = "IAM usernames"
  type        = list(string)
  default     = ["user1", "user2", "user3"]
}
```

LAUNCH EC2 INSTANCE WITH SG:

```
resource "aws_security_group" "demo-sg" {
  name = "sec-grp"
  description = "Allow HTTP and SSH traffic via Terraform"

  ingress {
    from_port = 80
    to_port   = 80
    protocol  = "tcp"
    cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
  }
  ingress {
    from_port = 22
    to_port   = 22
    protocol  = "tcp"
    cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
  }
  egress {
    from_port = 22
    to_port   = 22
    protocol  = "tcp"
    cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
  }
  egress {
    from_port = 0
    to_port   = 0
    protocol  = "-1"
    cidr_blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
  }
}
```

```
provider "aws" {
  region = "us-east-1"
  access_key = "AKIARSPNELGYCQNIC7XU"
  secret_key = "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"
}

resource "aws_instance" "key" {
  ami = "ami-0aa7d40eeae50c9a9"
  instance_type = "t2.micro"
  vpc_security_group_ids = [aws_security_group.demo-sg.id]
  tags = {
    Name = "auto-instance"
  }
}
```

TERRAFORM CLI: to pass values form command line during run time

```
provider "aws" {
```

```
}
```

```
resource "aws_instance" "two" {
```

```
  ami = "ami-0715c1897453cabd1"
```

```
  instance_type = var.instance_type
```

```
  tags = {
```

```
Name = "web-server"

}

}

variable "instance_type" {

}

terraform apply --auto-approve -var="instance_type=t2.micro"

terraform destroy --auto-approve -var="instance_type=t2.micro"
```

TERRAFORM OUTPUTS: used to show the properties/metadata of resources

```
provider "aws" {

}

resource "aws_instance" "two" {

    ami = "ami-0715c1897453cabd1"

    instance_type = "t2.micro"

    tags = {

        Name = "web-server"

    }

}

output "abc" {

    value = [aws_instance.two.public_ip, aws_instance.two.public_dns,
aws_instance.two.private_ip]

}
```


ALIAS & PROVIDERS:

```
provider "aws" {

    region = "us-east-1"

}
```

```
resource "aws_instance" "one" {  
  
  ami = "ami-0715c1897453cabd1"  
  
  instance_type = "t2.micro"  
  
  tags = {  
  
    Name = "web-server"  
  
  }  
  
}  
  
provider "aws" {  
  
  region = "ap-south-1"  
  
  alias = "south"  
  
}  
  
resource "aws_instance" "two" {  
  
  provider = "aws.south"  
  
  ami = "ami-0607784b46cbe5816"  
  
  instance_type = "t2.micro"  
  
  tags = {  
  
    Name = "web-server"  
  
  }  
  
}
```



TERRAFORM WORKSPACE:

In Terraform, a workspace is a way to manage multiple instances of your infrastructure configurations. Workspaces allow you to maintain different sets of infrastructure within the same Terraform configuration files. Each workspace has its own state, variables, and resources, allowing you to manage and deploy distinct environments or configurations.

Default Workspace:

- When you initialize a Terraform configuration without explicitly creating a workspace, you are in the default workspace. The default workspace is often used for the main or production environment.

Create a Workspace:

- You can create additional workspaces using the terraform workspace new

List Workspaces:

- To see a list of available workspaces, you can use: [terraform workspace list](#)

Select a Workspace:

- Use the terraform workspace select command to switch between workspaces: [terraform workspace select dev](#)

Destroy Specific Workspace:

- You can destroy resources for a specific workspace using: [terraform workspace select dev && terraform destroy](#)

TERRAFORM CODE TO CREATE S3 BUCKET:

```
resource "aws_s3_bucket" "one" {  
  bucket = "my-bucket-name"  
}
```

```
resource "aws_s3_bucket_ownership_controls" "two" {  
  bucket = aws_s3_bucket.one.id  
  rule {  
    object_ownership = "BucketOwnerPreferred"  
  }  
}
```

```
resource "aws_s3_bucket_acl" "three" {  
  depends_on = [aws_s3_bucket_ownership_controls.two]
```

```
bucket = aws_s3_bucket.one.id

acl   = "private"

}
```

```
resource "aws_s3_bucket_versioning" "three" {

bucket = aws_s3_bucket.one.id

versioning_configuration {

status = "Enabled"

}

}
```

TERRAFORM CODE TO CREATE VPC:

```
resource "aws_vpc" "abc" {

cidr_block = "10.0.0.0/16"

instance_tenancy = "default"

enable_dns_hostnames = "true"

tags = {

Name = "my-vpc"

}

}
```

```
resource "aws_subnet" "mysubnet" {

vpc_id = aws_vpc.abc.id

cidr_block = "10.0.0.0/16"

availability_zone = "ap-south-1a"
```

```
tags = {  
    Name = "subnet-1"  
}  
}  
  
resource "aws_internet_gateway" "igw" {  
    vpc_id = aws_vpc.abc.id  
    tags = {  
        Name = "my-igw"  
    }  
}  
  
resource "aws_route_table" "myrt" {  
    vpc_id = aws_vpc.abc.id  
    route {  
        cidr_block = "0.0.0.0/0"  
        gateway_id = aws_internet_gateway.igw.id  
    }  
    tags = {  
        Name = "my-route-table"  
    }  
}
```

TERRAFORM CODE TO CREATE EBS:

```
resource "aws_ebs_volume" "example" {  
    availability_zone = "us-west-2a"  
    size              = 40
```

```
tags = {  
  
    Name = "Volume-1"  
  
}  
  
}
```

TERRAFORM CODE TO CREATE EFS:

```
provider "aws" {  
  
    region = "us-east-1"  
  
}  
  
resource "aws_efs_file_system" "foo" {  
  
    creation_token = "my-product"  
  
    tags = {  
  
        Name = "swiggy-efs"  
  
    }  
  
}
```

TERRAFORM MODULES:

is a container where you can create multiple resources. Used to create .tf files in the directory structure.

main.tf

```
module "my_instance_module" {  
  
    source = "../modules/instances"  
  
    ami = "ami-0a2457eba250ca23d"  
  
    instance_type = "t2.micro"
```



```
instance_name = "rahainstance"

}

module "s3_module" {

source = "./modules/buckets"

bucket_name = "rahamshaik009988"

}
```

provider.tf

```
provider "aws" {

region = "us-east-1"

}
```

modules/instances/main.tf

```
resource "aws_instance" "my_instance" {

ami = var.ami

instance_type = var.instance_type

tags = {

Name = var.instance_name

}

}
```

Modules/instances/variable.tf

```
variable "ami" {

type = string

}

variable "instance_type" {
```

```
type = string

}

variable "instance_name" {

description = "Value of the Name tag for the EC2 instance"

type = string

}
```

Modules/buckets/main.tf

```
resource "aws_s3_bucket" "b" {

bucket = var.bucket_name

}
```

Modules/buckets/variable.tf

```
variable "bucket_name" {

type = string

}
```

validate: will check only configuration

plan: will check errors on code

apply: will check the values

TERRAFORM ADVANTAGES:

- Readable code.
- Dry run.
- Importing of Resources is easy.
- Creating of multiple resources.
- Can create modules for repeatable code.

TERRAFORM DISADVANTAGES:

- Currently under development. Each month, we release a beta version.
- There is no error handling
- There is no way to roll back. As a result, we must delete everything and re-run code.
- A few things are prohibited from import.
- Bugs

