DevOps & Cloud Computing Roadmap (Beginner to Advanced)

Stage 1: Basics of DevOps

- What is DevOps and Why is it important?
- DevOps Culture and Lifecycle
- Traditional vs DevOps Approaches
- Introduction to SDLC and Agile Practices
- Key DevOps Practices: CI/CD, Automation, Monitoring, Collaboration

Stage 2: Version Control Systems

- Git Basics (init, add, commit, push, pull)
- Branching and Merging
- GitHub/GitLab Basics
- Collaboration with Pull Requests

Stage 3: Linux & Shell Scripting

- Basic Linux Commands and File System Navigation
- Permissions, Processes, Services
- Writing Shell Scripts (.sh files)
- Automating tasks with Cron

Stage 4: Continuous Integration (CI)

- What is CI?
- Tools: Jenkins, GitHub Actions, GitLab CI
- Writing CI pipelines
- Build Triggers and Webhooks

Stage 5: Continuous Deployment (CD) & Configuration Management

- What is CD?
- Tools: Ansible, Chef, Puppet

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- Infrastructure as Code (IaC)
- Automating deployments to environments

Stage 6: Containerization with Docker

- What is Docker?
- Docker Images, Containers, Volumes
- Dockerfile and Docker Compose
- Managing containers and networks

Stage 7: Orchestration with Kubernetes

- Introduction to Kubernetes (K8s)
- Pods, Deployments, Services
- ConfigMaps and Secrets
- Helm Charts for package management

Stage 8: Cloud Fundamentals (AWS, Azure, GCP)

- Cloud Basics: IaaS, PaaS, SaaS
- Core Services: Compute, Storage, Networking
- IAM (Identity and Access Management)
- Hands-on with AWS/GCP/Azure Free Tier

Stage 9: Monitoring & Logging

- Importance of Monitoring in DevOps
- Tools: Prometheus, Grafana, ELK Stack, Datadog
- Centralized Logging & Alerting Systems

Stage 10: Security in DevOps (DevSecOps)

- Secure CI/CD Pipelines

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- Secrets Management (Vault, AWS Secrets Manager)
- Image Scanning and Dependency Audits
- Compliance and Audit Logs

Stage 11: Final Projects & Real World Practice

- Build a CI/CD Pipeline using Jenkins & GitHub
- Deploy Docker containers with Kubernetes
- Automate AWS Infrastructure using Terraform/Ansible
- Monitor & Secure Application with Prometheus + Vault