Aim: To launch a Windows instance using AWS EC2 & to understand the concept of laaS (Infrastructure as a Service)

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Windows**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow RDP traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **RDP client**, download the **remote desktop file**.
- 9. Get the password by uploading the private key file & obtain the decrypted password. Copy the password.
- 10. Open the **RDP file downloaded**, allow all permissions & connect to the instance. Paste the password to access the instance.
- 11. After accessing the windows, open any browser and check for the IP address of the instance.

Aim: To launch an Ubuntu instance using AWS EC2 & to understand the concept of laaS (Infrastructure as a Service) with the help of MobaXterm.

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session. Using terminal, check the IP address of the machine.

Aim: To learn Amazon S3 Service for creating buckets, storing objects & deploying of a static website on AWS S3.

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to S3 service
- 2. Create a new bucket for general purpose, enter a **unique name**.
- 3. Under block public access, **uncheck all checkboxes** & check the acknowledgement to make bucket objects public.
- 4. Create the bucket. Select the created bucket and upload objects to it.
- 5. Add files and select the index.html file to upload it as a bucket object.
- 6. Create a **new bucket policy**. Go to the bucket, then go to the **permissions tab**. In the bucket policy section, **edit the policy** and in the **given text area paste** the following code snippet.

- 7. Replace <bucket-name> with the actual name of the bucket created.
- 8. Save changes to the policy.
- 9. Go the properties tab of the bucket. In the static website hosting section edit the properties. Set the static website hosting radio button to enable. Choose hosting type as "Host a static website". In Index document, specify the name of the object i.e. index.html.
- 10. Save all the changes. A **bucket website endpoint URL** will be generated. Click on the URL to open the static hosted website in a new tab.

Aim: To create a Lambda function which will log a message once an object is added to a specific bucket in Amazon S3.

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to S3 service
- 2. Create a new bucket for general purpose, enter a **unique name**.
- 3. Under block public access, **uncheck all checkboxes** & check the acknowledgement to make bucket objects public.
- 4. Create the bucket.
- 5. Go to AWS Lambda service and create a function.
- 6. Use a blueprint, select **blueprint name** as "Get S3 object" (python or any suitable language) & give a function name. Under execution role, select "Create a new role from AWS policy templates" & provide a role name.
- 7. Under **S3 trigger**, select the **bucket created earlier** & **acknowledge** the before creating the function.
- 8. After creating the function, navigate to "Code" section. In the given code, add a print statement in the "try" block. Once changes are done, deploy the code.
- 9. Go to S3 service, **add object to the bucket** created earlier to **trigger the lambda** service.
- 10. Go to Lambda service, select the function created. Go to "Monitor" tab and click View CloudWatch logs. Find the recent log under log streams & check the log events. The whole event log must be seen & the print statement that was added to the code. This marks the execution of function triggered when an object was uploaded to S3.

Aim: To create and configure an AWS Lambda function (using Python/Java/Node.js) that is triggered by Amazon S3 events, and interacts with a DynamoDB table using appropriate IAM role permissions.

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to IAM service
- 2. Create a new role, select entity type as AWS service & use case as Lambda. In the next step, search for DynamoDB & select AmazonDynamoDBFullAccess. Next provide name for the role & create a role.
- 3. Go to Lambda service, create a function. Provide function name, select the runtime (Python or whichever suitable). Under execution role, select "Use an existing role" & select the IAM role created earlier. Create the function.
- 4. Go to S3 service, create a new bucket with unique name. Uncheck all the checkboxes to avoid blocking public access.
- 5. Go to the Lambda function created earlier. Add a trigger to the function. Select the trigger as S3 bucket & select the newly created bucket. Finally add the trigger.
- 6. Go to DynamoDB service. Create a **new table**, provide table name, set partition key & create the table.
- 7. Go to Lambda function created earlier. Under the **code tab** of Lambda function, paste the following code.

```
import boto3
from uuid import uuid4
def lambda handler (event, context):
    s3 = boto3.client("s3")
    dynamodb = boto3.resource('dynamodb')
    for record in event['Records']:
        bucket name = record['s3']['bucket']['name']
        object key = record['s3']['object']['key']
        size = record['s3']['object'].get('size', -1)
        event name = record ['eventName']
        event time = record['eventTime']
        dynamoTable = dynamodb.Table('')
        dynamoTable.put item(
            Item={'unique': str(uuid4()), 'Bucket':
bucket name, 'Object': object key, 'Size': size, 'Event':
event name, 'EventTime': event time})
```

- 8. Replace <table_name> with the actual table name created in DynamoDB service. After making changes deploy the code.
- 9. Add one or more objects to S3 bucket.
- 10. Go to DynamoDB service, **explore the table items** of the table created earlier. The **uploaded objects in S3 must reflect** in the DynamoDB table.

Aim: To understand the concept of NOSQL Databases, AWS DynamoDB creating of tables, adding table items & querying the table.

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to DynamoDB service
- 2. Create a **new table** in DynamoDB
- 3. Provide a **table name**, set the **partition key** & **optionally the sort key**. Create the table.
- 4. Browse to the newly created table & explore table items.
- 5. Manually create a new table item.
- 6. Use the form fields to add attribute names & attribute values.
- 7. To add multiple attributes, use the "Add new attribute" button.
- 8. Table items can also be added using JSON view.
- 9. Add at least 10 items in the DynamoDB table.
- 10. Use the **query feature** to perform **different queries** on the DynamoDB table & retrieve information.

Aim: Install & configure Jenkins on AWS EC2 Ubuntu instance

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as .pem
- 5. In the network settings, edit the settings, add "All traffic" type & keep source type as "Anywhere".
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Update the packages.

```
sudo apt update
```

12. Upgrade the packages.

```
sudo apt upgrade
```

13. Download Java JDK version 11 (or 17 or 21).

```
sudo apt install openjdk-11-jdk
```

14. Fetch the Jenkins package.

```
wget -q -0 - https://pkg.jenkins.io/debian/jenkins.io.key |
sudo apt-key add -
```

15. Add the Jenkins package fetched using wget to list of sources under apt

```
sudo sh -c 'echo deb http://pkg.jenkins.io/debian-stable
binary/ > /etc/apt/sources.list.d/jenkins.list'
```

16. Add the keys to the keyserver

```
sudo apt-key adv --keyserver keyserver.ubuntu.com --recv-
keys 5BA31D57EF5975CA
```

17. Update again to fetch the latest Jenkins package

sudo apt update

18. Install Jenkins

sudo apt install jenkins

19. Enable the Jenkins service

sudo systemctl enable jenkins

20. Start the jenkins service

sudo systemctl start jenkins

21. Check the status of Jenkins whether it is running on port 8080 or not

sudo systemctl status jenkins

- 22. Go to EC2 instances, select the instance and note down its public IPv4 address or Public DNS, copy it and paste it in a new tab.
- 23. Make sure to use http protocol & at the end of the IP address or DNS, add the port 8080 on which Jenkins is running.

http://<IPv4 address>:8080 or http://<public DNS>:8080

24. Jenkins will require a secret password to unlock. Fetch password by running the following command on the CLI (read the initialAdminPassword file) & copy it.

sudo cat /var/lib/jenkins/secrets/initialAdminPassword

25. Paste the password in Jenkins & continue. Install suggested plugins, configure the Jenkins URL (let it be default as it appears).

Aim: Install Docker & deploy a containerized web application using Nginx on AWS EC2 Linux.

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Update & upgrade the latest packages using following command.

```
sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade -y
```

12. Install docker using curl

```
curl -fsSL https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh && sh
get-docker.sh
```

13. Check docker installation & version

```
docker -v
```

14. Pull nginx using docker

```
sudo docker pull nginx
```

15. Run nginx in a docker container & list the running containers in docker

```
sudo docker run -d -p 80:80 --name nginx-container nginx
```

- 16. Go to AWS EC2 instances, select the instance, copy the Public DNS or the Public IPv4 address and paste it in a new tab. Make sure to use HTTP protocol
- 17. Pull python image using docker

```
sudo docker pull python
```

18. Pull python: 3.9-slim image using docker

sudo docker pull python:3.9-slim

19. Pull python: 3.8-alpine image using docker

sudo docker pull python:3.8-alpine

20. List all the images in docker

sudo docker images

Aim: To install Docker on Ubuntu instance using curl, running hello-world from docker hub, pulling images from docker & executing docker commands.

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Get root access. Using curl, install docker.

```
sudo su
curl -fsSL https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh
sh get-docker.sh
```

12. Check docker installation & version

```
docker -v
```

13. Run 'hello-world' using docker

```
docker run hello-world
```

14. Pull some images using docker

```
docker pull python
docker pull python:3.9-slim
docker pull python:3.8-alpine
docker pull ubuntu
```

15. Execute following docker commands

```
# Run python print statement docker run python:3.10 python -c "print('hello')"
```

Run ubuntu docker run -it ubuntu # List all running containers docker ps # List all containers docker ps -a # List all images docker images # Stop a running container docker stop <container id> # Start a container docker start <container id> # Restart a container docker restart <container id> # Remove a container docker rm <container id> # Remove an image docker rmi <image id> # Fetch logs of a container docker logs <container id> # List network docker network ls # List volume docker volume 1s # Inspect a container docker inspect <container id>

Aim: To run a containerized web application using Nginx server in Docker

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Get root access. Use curl to install docker.

```
sudo su
curl -fsSL https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh
```

12. Run bash of nginx server using docker.

```
docker run -it -p 80:80 nginx bash
```

13. Start the nginx service on the nginx image (machine). Change the directory to where html file is stored of Nginx server.

```
service nginx start cd usr/share/nginx/html
```

- 14. In a new tab, paste the public IPv4 address or public DNS of the EC2 instance & make sure to use the HTTP protocol. Nginx server must now be running and following page must be shown.
- 15. In the Nginx bash, install nano editor.

```
apt install nano
```

16. Using nano editor, modify the contents of the Nginx server html file. Add your own HTML code.

nano index.html

17. Save the file (Ctrl + S) and close (Ctrl + X) the editor. Now go to the browser and reload the page.

Aim: Install docker on AWS EC2 using curl & run a flask application inside a docker container.

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Ubuntu**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Get root access. Use curl to install docker.

```
sudo su
curl -fsSL https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh
```

12. Verify docker installation & its version.

```
docker --version
```

13. Create a new directory for flask application. Change directory to flask application directory. Create a new app directory and change directory to the app directory. In the app directory create app.py (flask application) file using nano editor.

```
Ubuntu
|
|-- myflaskapp
|
|-- app
|
|-- app.py
```

```
mkdir myflaskapp
cd myflaskapp
mkdir app
cd app
```

```
nano app.py
```

14. In the app.py file, paste the following contents.

```
from flask import Flask
app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/')
def hello():
    return "This is a sample flask application"

if __name__ == '__main__':
    app.run(host="0.0.0.0", port=80)
```

15. Create a requirements.txt file

```
nano requirements.txt
```

16. Mention the required python libraries

```
Flask
```

17. Change directory and come out of the app directory. Create a Docker file in the directory.

```
cd .. nano Dockerfile
```

18. Paste the following in the Dockerfile

```
#Specify the base image of the Docker image we are building FROM python

#Set the working directory inside the Docker image WORKDIR /opt/demo/

#Copy the content of the /app directory on host machine into current working directory COPY /app .

#Run a command inside the image during build phase RUN pip install -r requirements.txt

#Define a default command that will run when a container is started from the image ENTRYPOINT python app.py
```

19. Build the image for the Flask application. Replace with any name

```
docker build -t <img_name>:latest .
```

20. Run the Flask image using docker on port 80. Replace <img_name> with the image built in previous step.

```
docker run -it -p 80:80 <img_name>
```

21. Select the launched instance. Copy the public IPv4 address or public DNS, open a new tab & paste it. Make sure to use HTTP protocol.

Aim: To understand continuous monitoring, installation & configuration of Nagios core & plugins on Linux machine.

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to EC2 service
- 2. Launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 3. Select AMI image as **Amazon Linux**.
- 4. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as **.pem**
- 5. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 6. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 7. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 8. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 10. Start the SSH session.
- 11. Get root access. Install the httpd & php package using yum.

```
sudo su
yum install httpd php
```

12. Install the gcc packages

```
yum install gcc glibc glibc-common
```

13. Install gd & gd-devel package

```
yum install gd gd-devel
```

14. Add a user named nagios & set password for the user.

```
adduser -m nagios
passwd nagios
```

15. Create a new group, and attach users to it

```
groupadd nagioscmd
usermod -a -G nagioscmd nagios
usermod -a -G nagioscmd apache
```

16. Download nagios using wget.

wget http://prdownloads.sourceforge.net/sourceforge/nagios/nagios4.4.14.tar.gz

17. Download nagios plugins using wget

wget http://nagios-plugins.org/download/nagios-plugins-2.4.6.tar.gz

18. Unzip the nagios zip file and change directory to the file

tar zxvf nagios-4.4.14.tar.gz cd nagios-4.4.14

19. Install openssl-devel package.

yum install openssl-devel

20. Configure nagios, with the command group created earlier.

./configure --with-command-group=nagioscmd

21. Compile all components of nagios

make all

22. Build and install software from source code.

make install

23. Install initialization scripts for nagios

make install-init

24. Install default configuration files for nagios

make install-config

25. Set proper permissions & ownerships for Nagios external command file

make install-commandmode

26. Install the web configurations needed to run Nagios web interface

make install-webconf

27. Create a password file for authenticating

htpasswd -c /usr/local/nagios/etc/htpasswd.users nagiosadmin

28. Restart the httpd service

service httpd restart

29. Change directory to where nagions-plugins zip file was installed & unzip it.

```
cd ..
tar zxvf nagios-plugins-2.4.6.tar.gz
```

30. Change directory to nagios-plugins directory & configure the nagios plugins.

```
cd nagios-plugins-2.4.6
./configure --with-nagios-user=nagios --with-nagios-group=nagios
```

31. Build & compile the nagios-plugins

make

32. Build & install software from the source code.

make install

33. Enable nagios service to start automatically

chkconfig nagios on

34. Verify the Nagios configurations

/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg

35. Start the nagios service & restart the httpd service

```
service nagios start service httpd restart
```

- 36. Go to AWS EC2 instance, select the running instance, copy the public DNS or the public IPv4 address.
- 37. Open a new tab, paste the public DNS or public IPv4 address and at the end add nagios endpoint. Make sure to use HTTP protocol.

Aim: To understand Terraform lifecycle & implement IaC (Infrastructure as a Code) to launch AWS EC2 instances

Steps:

- 1. Sign in to AWS console and go to IAM service
- 2. Create a new role, select entity type as AWS service & use case as EC2. In the next step, search for EC2Full & select AmazonEC2FullAccess. Next provide name for the role & create a role.
- 3. Go to EC2 service & launch an instance, provide a name to the instance.
- 4. Select AMI image as **Amazon Linux**.
- 5. Create a new key pair, provide a name, select key pair type as **RSA** & select file format as .pem
- 6. In the network settings, allow SSH traffic, HTTPS traffic & HTTP traffic.
- 7. Under advanced details, select IAM instance profile & attach the role created earlier.
- 8. Once all configuration is done, launch the instance.
- 9. The instance state must be running & all status checks must pass.
- 10. Connect to the instance, select **SSH client**, **copy the public DNS address** and the **username**.
- 11. Open MobaXterm, create a new session, session type must be SSH. In the remote host field, paste the public DNS copied earlier. Specify the username. Under advanced settings, select the private key file downloaded while launching the instance.
- 12. Start the SSH session.
- 13. Access root account. Create a directory to install terraform. Create a variables.tf file which will store variables for terraform.

```
sudo su
mkdir project-terraform
cd project-terraform
nano variables.tf
```

14. Paste the following contents in the variables.tf file

```
variable "aws_region" {
    description = "The AWS region to create things in."
    default = "eu-north-1"
}

variable "key_name" {
    description = "SSH keys to connect to ec2 instance"
    default = "ab_sec"
}
```

```
variable "instance_type" {
    description = "instance type for ec2"
    default = "t3.micro"
}

variable "security_group" {
    description = "Name of security group"
    default = "ab-jenkins-sg"
}

variable "tag_name" {
    description = "Tag Name for EC2 instance"
    default = "ab-terraform-started"
}

variable "ami_id" {
    description = "AMI for Ubuntu EC2 instance"
    default = "ami-0a716d3f3b16d290c"
}
```

15. Save (Ctrl + S) the variables.tf file & close (Ctrl + X) the nano editor. Create main.tf file

```
nano main.tf
```

16. Paste the following content in main.tf file

```
provider "aws" {
     region = var.aws region
#Create security group with firewall rules
resource
                                       "aws security group"
"ab terra security jenkins grp"
     name = var.security group
     description = "security group for jenkins"
     ingress {
          from port = 8080
          to port = 8080
         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 = 0
          to_port = 65535
          protocol = "tcp"
          cidr blocks = ["0.0.0.0/0"]
     tags {
         Name = var.security group
}
resource "aws instance" "abTerraInstance" {
     ami = var.ami id
     key_name = var.key_name
     instance type = var.instance type
     security groups =
     [aws_security_group.ab_terra_security_jenkins grp.nam
     e]
     tags = {
         Name = var.tag name
}
resource "aws eip" "abTerraElastIP" {
     instance = aws instance.abTerraInstance.id
     tags = {
         Name = "jenkins elastic ip"
```

- 17. Save (Ctrl + S) the main.tf file & close (Ctrl + X) the nano editor.
- 18. Download terraform using wget

```
wget
https://releases.hashicorp.com/terraform/1.0.9/terraform_1
.0.9_linux_amd64.zip
```

19. Initialize terraform

```
# Initialize terraform working directory
terraform init
```

20. Preview the changes before applying them.

```
# Preview changes that terraform will make to infrastructure
before applying
terraform plan
```

21. Apply the changes to infrastructure

Executes the changes needed to create, update or delete infrastructure

terraform apply

Type "yes" to confirm the changes

- 22. Go to AWS EC2 instances, a new instance will be initializing. Under security group, verify the security group attached to the EC2 instance as per main.tf file.
- 23. Verify the elastic IP address of the new instance, it will be set as per our main.tf file.

(Optional)

24. Destroy the Infrastructure resources created using terraform.

```
# Destroy all infrastructure managed by terraform
terraform destroy
```

- 25. Terraform will automatically delete the EC2 instance which was managed by Terraform.
- 26. The security group managed by terraform has also been deleted.
- 27. The elastic IP addresses created by terraform has also been destroyed.