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Midterm Skills Exam: Install, Configure, and Manage Log Monitoring tools

1. Objectives

Create and design a workflow that installs, configure and manage enterprise availability, performance and log monitoring tools using Ansible as an Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tool.

2. Instructions

- Create a repository in your GitHub account and label it CPE_MIDEXAM_SURNAME.
- Clone the repository and do the following:
 - Create an Ansible playbook that does the following with an input of a config.yaml file and arranged Inventory file:
 - Install and configure Elastic Stack in separate hosts (Elastic Search, Kibana, Logstash) • Install Nagios in one host
 - Install Grafana, Prometheus and Influxdb in separate hosts (Influxdb, Grafana, Prometheus)
 - Install Lamp Stack in separate hosts (Httpd + Php, Mariadb)
- Document all your tasks using this document. Provide proofs of all the ansible playbooks codes and successful installations.
- Document the push and commit from the local repository to GitHub.
- Finally, paste also the link of your GitHub repository in the documentation.

3. Output (screenshots and explanations)


Create a new repository

Repositories contain a project's files and version history. Have a project elsewhere?
Required fields are marked with an asterisk ().*


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General

Owner *

 qrvgapostol

Repository name *

 CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL is available.

Great repository names are short and memorable. How about probable-spork?

Add new SSH Key

Title

CPE232

Key type

Authentication Key ↕

Key

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ssh-rsa AAAAB3NzaC1yc2EAAAADAQABAAQAC6hu/  
eYRjaso3dwIAM2sW4R6p7c3cWJIoVLMHQXmuyxo35m7pReX7w7CumOSFmkm8drtI4CgBNqinrfucTAFVYtKOGfnOAIu4LX04DVft  
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i8DuSudDueCGfDfYbgKdRAfKXBJw== Apostol@ApostolCN
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Add SSH key

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no changes added to commit (use "git add" and/or "git commit -a")  
Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$ git add README.md  
Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$ git commit -m Stage1  
[main c2818c1] Stage1  
 1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)  
Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$ git push origin main  
Enumerating objects: 5, done.  
Counting objects: 100% (5/5), done.  
Writing objects: 100% (3/3), 278 bytes | 278.00 KiB/s, done.  
Total 3 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 0  
To github.com:qrvgapostol/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL.git  
 2b6cdbf..c2818c1  main -> main  
Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$
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Install Lamp Stack in separate hosts (Httpd + Php,Mariadb)

```
PLAY RECAP *****
192.168.56.104      : ok=0    changed=0    unreachable=1
kipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
192.168.56.106      : ok=8    changed=6    unreachable=0
kipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
192.168.56.108      : ok=8    changed=6    unreachable=0
kipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
192.168.56.113      : ok=1    changed=0    unreachable=0
kipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0

Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$
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MariaDB:

```
Apostol@Server1: ~
Apostol@Server1:~$ systemctl status mariadb
● mariadb.service - MariaDB 10.11.13 database server
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/mariadb.service; enabled; preset: >
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 06:39:40 UTC; 2min 18s ago
     Docs: man:mariadb(8)
           https://mariadb.com/kb/en/library/systemd/
   Main PID: 18955 (mariabdd)
    Status: "Taking your SQL requests now..."
     Tasks: 12 (limit: 50165)
    Memory: 78.7M (peak: 81.9M)
       CPU: 723ms
    CGroup: /system.slice/mariadb.service
            └─18955 /usr/sbin/mariabdd

Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Note] InnoDB: l>
Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Note] Plugin 'F>
Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Note] InnoDB: L>
Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Warning] You ne>
Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Note] Server so>
Oct 10 06:39:40 Server1 mariabdd[18955]: 2025-10-10 6:39:40 0 [Note] InnoDB: B>
```

```
Apostol@Server2: ~  
Apostol@Server2:~$ systemctl status mariadb  
● mariadb.service - MariaDB 10.11.13 database server  
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/mariadb.service; enabled; preset: >  
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 06:39:29 UTC; 3min 11s ago  
     Docs: man:mariadb(8)  
           https://mariadb.com/kb/en/library/systemd/  
  Main PID: 18063 (mariabdb)  
    Status: "Taking your SQL requests now..."  
   Tasks: 12 (limit: 50165)  
  Memory: 78.7M (peak: 82.7M)  
     CPU: 650ms  
   CGroup: /system.slice/mariadb.service  
           └─18063 /usr/sbin/mariabdb  
  
Oct 10 06:39:29 Server2 mariabdb[18063]: 2025-10-10 6:39:29 0 [Note] Plugin 'F>  
Oct 10 06:39:29 Server2 mariabdb[18063]: 2025-10-10 6:39:29 0 [Note] InnoDB: L>  
Oct 10 06:39:29 Server2 mariabdb[18063]: 2025-10-10 6:39:29 0 [Warning] You ne>  
Oct 10 06:39:29 Server2 mariabdb[18063]: 2025-10-10 6:39:29 0 [Note] Server so>  
Oct 10 06:39:29 Server2 mariabdb[18063]: 2025-10-10 6:39:29 0 [Note] InnoDB: B>
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Apostol@vbox:~  
[Apostol@vbox ~]$ systemctl status mariadb  
● mariadb.service - MariaDB 10.5 database server  
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/mariadb.service; enabled; preset: >  
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 13:34:36 PST; 1h 11min ago  
     Docs: man:mariadb(8)  
           https://mariadb.com/kb/en/library/systemd/  
 Process: 963 ExecStartPre=/usr/libexec/mariadb-check-socket (code=exited, s>  
 Process: 1034 ExecStartPre=/usr/libexec/mariadb-prepare-db-dir mariadb.serv>  
 Process: 1525 ExecStartPost=/usr/libexec/mariadb-check-upgrade (code=exited>  
 Main PID: 1353 (mariabdb)  
    Status: "Taking your SQL requests now..."  
   Tasks: 8 (limit: 19847)  
  Memory: 92.7M (peak: 94.7M)  
     CPU: 1.710s  
   CGroup: /system.slice/mariadb.service  
           └─1353 /usr/libexec/mariabdb --basedir=/usr
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httpd:

```
Apostol@vbox:~ — systemctl status httpd

[Apostol@vbox ~]$ systemctl status httpd
● httpd.service - The Apache HTTP Server
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/httpd.service; enabled; preset: disabled)
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 13:34:35 PST; 1h 10min ago
     Docs: man:httpd.service(8)
   Main PID: 962 (httpd)
   Status: "Total requests: 0; Idle/Busy workers 100/0; Requests/sec: 0; Bytes served/sec: 0"
   Tasks: 177 (limit: 19847)
  Memory: 18.8M (peak: 19.3M)
    CPU: 8.017s
   CGroup: /system.slice/httpd.service
           └─ 962 /usr/sbin/httpd -DFOREGROUND
              1134 /usr/sbin/httpd -DFOREGROUND
              1138 /usr/sbin/httpd -DFOREGROUND
              1139 /usr/sbin/httpd -DFOREGROUND
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Apostol@Server1:~$ systemctl status apache2
● apache2.service - The Apache HTTP Server
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/apache2.service; enabled; preset: disabled)
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 06:38:26 UTC; 14min ago
     Docs: https://httpd.apache.org/docs/2.4/
   Main PID: 17634 (apache2)
   Tasks: 7 (limit: 7600)
  Memory: 14.8M (peak: 15.1M)
    CPU: 280ms
   CGroup: /system.slice/apache2.service
           └─ 17634 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              17640 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
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Apostol@Server2:~$ systemctl status apache2
● apache2.service - The Apache HTTP Server
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/apache2.service; enabled; preset: disabled)
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 06:38:37 UTC; 15min ago
     Docs: https://httpd.apache.org/docs/2.4/
   Main PID: 16762 (apache2)
   Tasks: 6 (limit: 7600)
  Memory: 13.9M (peak: 14.2M)
    CPU: 84ms
   CGroup: /system.slice/apache2.service
           └─ 16762 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              16778 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              16779 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              16780 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              16781 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              16783 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
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PHP:

```
Apostol@Server1:~$ php -v
PHP 8.3.6 (cli) (built: Jul 14 2025 18:30:55) (NTS)
Copyright (c) The PHP Group
Zend Engine v4.3.6, Copyright (c) Zend Technologies
    with Zend OPcache v8.3.6, Copyright (c), by Zend Technologies
Apostol@Server1:~$
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```
Apostol@Server2:~$ php -v
PHP 8.3.6 (cli) (built: Jul 14 2025 18:30:55) (NTS)
Copyright (c) The PHP Group
Zend Engine v4.3.6, Copyright (c) Zend Technologies
    with Zend OPcache v8.3.6, Copyright (c), by Zend Technologies
Apostol@Server2:~$
```

**Install Grafana,Prometheus and Influxdb in separate hosts
(Influxdb,Grafana,Prometheus)**

```
TASK [Install Grafana] *****
ok: [192.168.56.106]
ok: [192.168.56.108]

TASK [Start and enable Grafana service] *****
ok: [192.168.56.108]
ok: [192.168.56.106]

TASK [Create Prometheus user] *****
ok: [192.168.56.106]
ok: [192.168.56.108]

TASK [Create Prometheus directories] *****
ok: [192.168.56.108] => (item=/etc/prometheus)
ok: [192.168.56.106] => (item=/etc/prometheus)
ok: [192.168.56.108] => (item=/var/lib/prometheus)
ok: [192.168.56.106] => (item=/var/lib/prometheus)

TASK [Download Prometheus] *****
```



```

Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$ nano task2.yml
Apostol@ApostolCN:~/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL$ ansible-playbook --ask-become-pass task2.yml
BECOME password:

PLAY [all] *****

TASK [Gathering Facts] *****
fatal: [192.168.56.104]: UNREACHABLE! => {"changed": false, "msg": "Failed to connect to the host via ssh: Apostol@192.168.56.104: Permission denied (publickey, password).", "unreachable": true}
[WARNING]: Platform linux on host 192.168.56.106 is using the discovered Python interpreter at /usr/bin/python3.12, but future installation of another Python

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Influxdb:

```

Apostol@Server2:~$ systemctl status influxdb
● influxdb.service - InfluxDB is an open-source, distributed, time series database
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/influxdb.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
   Active: activating (start) since Fri 2025-10-10 08:10:27 UTC; 1min 11s ago
     Docs: https://docs.influxdata.com/influxdb/
    Cntrl PID: 34251 (influxd-systemd)
      Tasks: 10 (limit: 7600)
     Memory: 28.3M (peak: 43.5M)
        CPU: 941ms
     CGroup: /system.slice/influxdb.service
             └─34251 /bin/bash -e /usr/lib/influxdb/scripts/influxd-systemd-start.sh
                └─34282 /usr/bin/influxd -config /etc/influxdb/influxdb.conf
                   └─34477 sleep 1

Oct 10 08:11:35 Server2 influxd-systemd-start.sh[34470]: /usr/lib/influxdb/scripts/influxd-systemd-start.sh: line 1: influxd: command not found
Oct 10 08:11:35 Server2 influxd-systemd-start.sh[34251]: InfluxDB API unavailable
Oct 10 08:11:36 Server2 influxd-systemd-start.sh[34472]: /usr/lib/influxdb/scripts/influxd-systemd-start.sh: line 1: influxd: command not found

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Apostol@Server1:~$ systemctl status influxdb
● influxdb.service - InfluxDB is an open-source, distributed, time series database
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/influxdb.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 08:12:41 UTC; 29s ago
     Docs: https://docs.influxdata.com/influxdb/
  Process: 1818 ExecStart=/usr/lib/influxdb/scripts/influxd-systemd-start.sh
    Main PID: 2289 (influxd)
      Tasks: 9 (limit: 7600)
     Memory: 98.1M (peak: 115.6M)
        CPU: 1.307s
     CGroup: /system.slice/influxdb.service
             └─2289 /usr/bin/influxd -config /etc/influxdb/influxdb.conf

Oct 10 08:12:41 Server1 influxd-systemd-start.sh[2289]: ts=2025-10-10T08:12:41.123Z level=info msg="InfluxDB is starting"
Oct 10 08:12:41 Server1 influxd-systemd-start.sh[2289]: ts=2025-10-10T08:12:41.123Z level=info msg="InfluxDB is starting"
Oct 10 08:12:41 Server1 influxd-systemd-start.sh[2289]: ts=2025-10-10T08:12:41.123Z level=info msg="InfluxDB is starting"

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Grafana:

```
Apostol@Server2: ~
Unit prometheus.service could not be found.
Apostol@Server2:~$ systemctl status grafana-server
● grafana-server.service - Grafana instance
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/grafana-server.service; enabled; p>
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 07:52:16 UTC; 22min ago
     Docs: http://docs.grafana.org
   Main PID: 27567 (grafana)
    Tasks: 15 (limit: 7600)
   Memory: 126.4M (peak: 160.6M)
      CPU: 19.757s
   CGroup: /system.slice/grafana-server.service
           └─27567 /usr/share/grafana/bin/grafana server --config=/etc/grafana>

Oct 10 07:53:06 Server2 grafana[27567]: logger=plugin.installer t=2025-10-10T07:53:06Z>
Oct 10 07:53:07 Server2 grafana[27567]: logger=installer.fs t=2025-10-10T07:53:07Z>
Oct 10 07:53:07 Server2 grafana[27567]: logger=plugins.registration t=2025-10-10T07:53:07Z>
Oct 10 07:53:07 Server2 grafana[27567]: logger=plugin.backgroundinstaller t=2025-10-10T07:53:07Z>
Oct 10 07:53:27 Server2 grafana[27567]: logger=infra.usagestats t=2025-10-10T07:53:27Z>

Apostol@Server1:~$ systemctl status grafana-server
● grafana-server.service - Grafana instance
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/grafana-server.service; enabled; p>
   Active: active (running) since Fri 2025-10-10 08:12:41 UTC; 2min 33s ago
     Docs: http://docs.grafana.org
   Main PID: 2385 (grafana)
    Tasks: 13 (limit: 7600)
   Memory: 317.3M (peak: 318.0M)
      CPU: 3.925s
   CGroup: /system.slice/grafana-server.service
           └─2385 /usr/share/grafana/bin/grafana server --config=/etc/grafana>

Oct 10 08:12:46 Server1 grafana[2385]: logger=grafana-apiserver t=2025-10-10T08:12:46Z>
Oct 10 08:12:46 Server1 grafana[2385]: logger=grafana-apiserver t=2025-10-10T08:12:46Z>
Oct 10 08:12:46 Server1 grafana[2385]: logger=grafana-apiserver t=2025-10-10T08:12:46Z>
```

Prometheus:

GitHub link:

- https://github.com/qrvgapostol/CPE_MIDEXAM_APOSTOL

Conclusions:

- My conclusion is on how to install all of the tasks using ansible playbooks and using the roles. I installed https, mariadb, and many more that are required in this exam.

