

GovCloud Onboarding Simulation

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Purpose

Simulate secure, modular AWS GovCloud account onboarding using CloudFormation-based infrastructure patterns.

Architecture Overview

- Segmented VPCs: Dev / Shared / Prod
- Centralized AWS Transit Gateway
- Single Transit Gateway Route Table
- Route Propagation by Attachment
- Optional On-Premise via Direct Connect

What Was Built

- vpc-dev.yaml - Dev VPC (10.0.0.0/16)
- vpc-shared.yaml - Shared Services VPC (10.10.0.0/16)
- vpc-prod.yaml - Prod VPC (10.20.0.0/16)
- tgw-create.yaml - Transit Gateway
- tgw-attach-*.yaml - Attach VPCs to TGW
- tgw-route-*.yaml - Route table creation and propagation

Deployment

```
./deploy.sh
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Manually update VPC/Subnet/TGW IDs before attaching or propagating

Tools Used

- AWS CloudFormation
- VS Code
- Git + GitHub
- Draw.io
- Shell scripting

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Time Spent

~6.5 hours total - planning, building, testing, diagramming, documenting.

Why This Matters

- Demonstrates CloudFormation fluency
- Mirrors segmentation and routing patterns
- Shows initiative and fast execution
- Packaged for clarity and reuse by others

GitHub Link

<https://github.com/serversorcerer/govcloud-onboarding-framework>