

Terraform: Provision Software

➤ There are 2 ways to Provision Software on your Instance.

➤ Build Custom AMI:

- ➤ Bundle your softwares and Files in Base Image.
- ➤ Packer is Tool to Bundle the Custom AMIs.
- ➤ Boot Standard AMIs and Install Software on Instance at Runtime.
 - Using File Upload.
 - Using Remote-exec
 - ➤ Using tools like Chef, Puppet & Ansible.

- ➤ Chef is Integrated with Terraform.
- ➤ User Can Run Puppet using Remote-Exec
- ➤ For Ansible, First Run Terraform, Get the **Host IP** address and then execute Ansible Playbook on Host.

File Upload on Instance -

```
resource "aws_instance" "MyFirstInstnace" {
ami
          = lookup(var.AMIS, var.AWS_REGION)
instance_type = "t2.micro"
tags = {
 Name = "demoinstnce"
provisioner "file" {
  source = "installNginx.sh"
  destination = "/etc/installNginx.sh"
```

- ➤ Remote-exec needs to be execute to execute the Script.
- ➤ Terraform Provisioner needs to use SSH(Unix/Linux) or WinRM(Windows Machine)
- ➤ User can use Connection to Make SSH Connection on Host.

```
provisioner "file" {
   source = "installNginx.sh"
   destination = "/etc/installNginx.sh"

   connection {
      user = var.instance_user
      password = var.instance_pass
   }
}
```

➤ On AWS User needs to use SSH KeyPairs instead of Password.

```
resource "aws_key_pair" "levelup-key" {
  key_name = "levelup_key"
  public_key = "ssh rsa my-public-key"
resource "aws_instance" "MyFirstInstnace" {
          = lookup(var.AMIS, var.AWS_REGION)
 ami
 instance_type = "t2.micro"
 key_name = aws_key_pair.levelup_key.key_name
 tags = {
  Name = "custom_instance"
 provisioner "file" {
   source = "installNginx.sh"
   destination = "/etc/installNginx.sh"
   connection {
     user = var.instance_user
     private_key = file(var.path_to_private_key)
```

➤ Remote-exec need to execute the Script.

```
provisioner "remote-exec" {
   inline = [
      "chmod +x /etc/installNginx.sh",
      "/etc/installNginx.sh"
]
}
```

Will see you in Next Lecture...

