

fog

OR:
HOW I
LEARNED
TO STOP
WORRYING
AND
LOVE THE
CLOUD



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CLOUD

API driven on demand services

core: compute, dns, storage

also: *kvs, load balance, ...*

What?

on demand - only pay for what you actually use

flexible - add and remove resources in minutes (instead of weeks)

repeatable - code, test, repeat

resilient - build better systems with transient resources

Why Worry?

option overload - which provider/service should I use

expertise - each service has yet another knowledge silo

tools - vastly different API, quality, maintenance, etc

standards - slow progress and differing interpretations

Ruby cloud services



web: github.com/geemus/fog

twitter: @fog

Why?

portable - AWS, Bluebox, Brightbox, Google, Rackspace, Slicehost, Terremark, ...

powerful - compute, dns, storage, collections, models, mocks, requests, ...

established - 182k downloads, 1371 followers, 225 forks, 104 contributors, me, ...

Fog.mock! - faster, cheaper, simulated cloud behavior

Who?

libraries - carrierwave, chef, deckard, gaff, gemcutter, ...

products - DevStructure, Engine Yard, iSwifter, OpenFeint, RowFeeder, ...

Interactive Bit!

cloud

fog

What?

That's great and all but *I don't have a use case...*

uptime - because who wants a busted web site?

Setup

```
geymus ~ % gem install fog
```

or

```
geymus ~ % sudo gem install fog
```

Get Connected

```
1 credentials = {  
2   :provider          => 'Rackspace',  
3   :rackspace_api_key => RACKSPACE_API_KEY,  
4   :rackspace_username => RACKSPACE_USERNAME  
5 }  
6  
7 # setup a connection to the service  
8 compute = Fog::Compute.new(credentials)
```

Boot that Server

```
1 server_data = compute.create_server(  
2     1,  
3     49  
4 ).body[ 'server' ]  
5
```

Boot that Server

```
1 server_data = compute.create_server(  
2   1,  
3   49  
4 ).body['server']  
5  
6 until compute.get_server_details(  
7   server_data['id']  
8 ).body['server']['status'] == 'ACTIVE'  
9 end  
10
```

Boot that Server

```
1 server_data = compute.create_server(
2   1,
3   49
4 ).body['server']
5
6 until compute.get_server_details(
7   server_data['id']
8 ).body['server']['status'] == 'ACTIVE'
9 end
10
11 commands = [
12   %{ 'mkdir .ssh'},
13   %{'echo #{File.read('~/ssh/id_rsa.pub')} >> ~/ssh/authorized_keys'},
14   %{passwd -l root},
15 ]
16
17 Net::SSH.start(
18   server_data['addresses'].first,
19   'root',
20   :password => server_data['password']
21 ) do |ssh|
22   commands.each do |command|
23     ssh.open_channel do |ssh_channel|
24       ssh_channel.request_pty
25       ssh_channel.exec(%{bash -lc '#{command}'})
26     ssh.loop
27   end
28 end
29 end
```

Worry!

arguments - what goes where, what does it mean?

portability - most of this will only work on Rackspace

disservice - back to square one, but with tools in hand

Bootstrap

```
1 server_attributes = {  
2     :image_id          => '49',  
3     :private_key_path  => PRIVATE_KEY_PATH,  
4     :public_key_path   => PUBLIC_KEY_PATH  
5 }  
6  
7 # boot server and setup ssh keys  
8 server = compute.servers.bootstrap(server_attributes)
```

Servers?

```
1 compute.servers # list servers, same as #all  
2  
3 compute.servers.get(1234567890) # server by id  
4  
5 compute.servers.reload # update to latest  
6  
7 compute.servers.new(attributes) # local model  
8  
9 compute.servers.create(attributes) # remote model
```

ping

```
1 # ping target 10 times
2 ssh_results = server.ssh("ping -c 10 #{target}")
3 stdout = ssh_results.first.stdout
4
5 # parse result, last line is summary
6 # round-trip min/avg/max/stddev = A.A/B.B/C.C/D.D ms
7 stats = stdout.split("\n").last.split(' ')[-2]
8 min, avg, max, stddev = stats.split('/')
```

NOTE: most complex code was string parsing!?

cleanup

```
1 # shutdown the server
2 server.destroy
3
4 # return the data as a hash
5 {
6   :min      => min,
7   :avg      => avg,
8   :max      => max,
9   :stddev   => stddev
10 }
```

Next!

```
1 -server_data = compute.create_server(
2 +compute.import_key_pair(
3 +  'id_rsa.pub',
4 +  File.read('~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub')
5 +)
6 +
7 +compute.authorize_security_group_ingress(
8 +  'CidrIp'      => '0.0.0.0/0',
9 +  'FromPort'    => 22,
10 + 'IpProtocol'  => 'tcp',
11 + 'GroupName'   => 'default',
12 + 'ToPort'      => 22
13 +)
14 +
15 +server_data = compute.run_instances(
16 +  'ami-1a837773',
17     1,
18 -  49
19 -).body['server']
20 + 1,
21 +  'InstanceType'  => 'm1.small',
22 +  'KeyName'       => 'id_rsa.pub',
23 +  'SecurityGroup' => 'default'
24 +).body['instancesSet'].first
25
26 -until compute.get_server_details(
27 -  server_data['id']
28 -).body['server']['status'] == 'ACTIVE'
29 +until compute.describe_instances(
30 +  'instance-id' => server_data['instanceId']
31 +).body['reservationSet'].first['instancesSet'].first['instanceState']['name'] == 'running'
32 end
33
34 +sleep(300)
35 +
36 Net::SSH.start(
37 -  server_data['addresses'].first,
38 -  'root',
39 -  :password => server_data['password']
40 +  server_data['ipAddress'],
41 +  'ubuntu',
42 +  :key_data => [File.read('~/.ssh/id_rsa')]
43 ) do |ssh|
44   commands = [
45     %q{mkdir .ssh},
```

geoping v1

```
1 # specify a different provider
2 credentials = {
3   :provider          => 'AWS',
4   :aws_access_key_id => AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID,
5   :aws_secret_access_key => AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY
6 }
7
8 server_attributes = {
9   :image_id          => 'ami-1a837773',
10  :private_key_path  => PRIVATE_KEY_PATH,
11  :public_key_path   => PUBLIC_KEY_PATH,
12  :username          => 'ubuntu'
13 }
```

geoping v2

```
1 # specify a different aws region
2 # ['ap-southeast-1', 'eu-west-1', 'us-west-1']
3 credentials.merge!({
4   :region => 'eu-west-1'
5 })
```

geoping v...

portable - AWS, Bluebox, Brightbox, Rackspace, Slicehost, Terremark, ...

lather, rinse, repeat

How?

That is awesome, but *how did you...*

exploring

```
geymus ~ % fog
```

To run as 'default', add the following to ~/.fog

```
:default:  
  :aws_access_key_id:           INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  :aws_secret_access_key:       INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  :public_key_path:            INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  :private_key_path:           INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  :rackspace_api_key:          INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  :rackspace_username:         INTENTIONALLY_LEFT_BLANK  
  ...
```

sign posts

```
geymus ~ % fog
  Welcome to fog interactive!
    :default credentials provide AWS and Rackspace
>> providers
[AWS, Rackspace]
>> Rackspace.collections
[:directories, :files, :flavors, :images, :servers]
>> Compute[:rackspace]
#<Fog::Compute::Rackspace ... >
>> Compute[:rackspace].requests
[:confirm_resized_server, ..., :update_server]
```

what are those?

provider => [AWS, Rackspace, Zerigo, ...]

service => [Compute, DNS, Storage, ...]

collection => [flavors, images, servers, ...]

model => [flavor, image, server, ...]

request => [describe_instances, run_instances, ...]

requests?

```
>> Compute[:rackspace].list_servers
#<Excon::Response:0x_____
@body = {
  "servers" => []
},
@headers = {
  "X-PURGE-KEY"=>"/_____servers",
  ...
  "Connection"=>"keep-alive"
},
@status=200>
```

sanity check

```
>> Compute[:rackspace].servers.select {|s| s.ready?}  
<Fog::Compute::Rackspace::Servers  
  filters={}  
 []  
>  
>> Compute[:aws].servers.select {|s| s.ready?}  
<Fog::Compute::AWS::Servers  
 []  
>  
>> exit
```

finding images

```
>> Compute[:rackspace].images.table([:id, :name])
+-----+-----+
| id    | name
+-----+
| 49    | Ubuntu 10.04 LTS (lucid)
+-----+
...
>> Compute[:aws].images # I use alestic.com listing
...
```

exploring...

It takes **forever!**

It's so **expensive!**

A warm welcome for **Fog.mock!**

Mocks!

```
geymus ~ ≈ FOG_MOCK=true fog
```

or

```
require 'fog'  
Fog.mock!
```

simulation

Most functions *just work!*

Unimplemented mocks? **Errors** keep you on track.

Tests run against both, so it is either **consistent** or a **bug**.

Back to Business

I have a bunch of data ***now what?***

storage - aggregating cloud data

Get Connected

```
1 credentials = {  
2   :provider          => 'AWS',  
3   :aws_access_key_id => AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID,  
4   :aws_secret_access_key => AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY  
5 }  
6  
7 # setup a connection to the service  
8 storage = Fog::Storage.new(credentials)
```

directories

```
1 # create a directory
2 directory = storage.directories.create(
3   :key      => directory_name,
4   :public   => true
5 )
```

files

```
1 # store the file
2 file = directory.files.create(
3   :body    => File.open(path),
4   :key     => name,
5   :public  => true
6 )
7
8 # return the public url for the file
9 file.public_url
```

geostorage

```
1 # specify a different provider
2 credentials = {
3   :provider                  => 'Rackspace',
4   :rackspace_api_key         => RACKSPACE_API_KEY,
5   :rackspace_username        => RACKSPACE_USERNAME
6 }
```

cleanup

```
geymus ~ % fog  
...  
>> dir = Storage[:aws].directories.get(DIRECTORY_NAME)  
...  
>> dir.files.each {|file| file.destroy}  
...  
>> dir.destroy  
...  
>> exit
```

geoaggregating

portable - AWS, Google, Local, Rackspace

lather, rinse, repeat

Phase 3: Profit

I've got the data, but how do I **freemium**?

dns - make your cloud (premium) accessible

Get Connected

```
1 credentials = {  
2   :provider      => 'Zerigo',  
3   :zerigo_email  => ZERIGO_EMAIL,  
4   :zerigo_token  => ZERIGO_TOKEN  
5 }  
6  
7 # setup a connection to the service  
8 dns = Fog::DNS.new(credentials)
```

zones

```
1 # create a zone
2 zone = dns.zone.create(
3     :domain => domain_name,
4     :email   => "admin@#{domain_name}"
5 )
```

records

```
1 # create a record
2 record = zones.records.create(
3   :ip      => '1.2.3.4',
4   :name    => "#{customer_name}.#{domain_name}",
5   :type    => 'A'
6 )
```

cleanup

```
geymus ~ % fog  
...  
>> zone = DNS[:zerigo].zones.get(ZONE_ID)  
...  
>> zone.records.each {|record| record.destroy}  
...  
>> zone.destroy  
...  
>> exit
```

geofreemiuming

portable - AWS, Linode, Slicehost, Zerigo
lather, rinse, repeat

Congratulations!

todo - copy/paste, push, deploy!

budgeting - find ways to spend your pile of money

geemus - likes coffee, bourbon, games, etc

retire - at your earliest convenience

Love!

knowledge - experiencing encoded in memory

empowering - show the cloud who is boss

exciting - this is some cutting edge stuff!

Homework: Easy

follow **@fog** to hear about releases

follow **github.com/geemus/fog** to hear nitty gritty

proudly display **stickers** wherever hackers are found

ask **geemus** your remaining questions

play **games** with **geemus**

Homework: Normal

report issues at github.com/geemus/fog/issues

irc [#ruby-fog](#) on freenode

discuss groups.google.com/group/ruby-fog

write blog posts

give lightning talks

Homework: Hard

help make **fog.io** the cloud services resource for ruby

send **pull requests** fixing issues or adding features

proudly wear contributor-only **grey shirt** wherever hackers are found

Homework: Expert

help ***maintain*** the cloud services you depend on

become a ***collaborator*** by keeping informed and involved

proudly wear commit-only ***black shirt*** wherever hackers are found

Thanks! Questions?

(see also: *README*)

tutorial - http://github.com/geemus/learn_fog

examples - <http://gist.github.com/729992>

slides - <http://slidesha.re/hR8sP9>

repo - <http://github.com/geemus/fog>

bugs - <http://github.com/geemus/fog/issues>

@geemus - questions, comments, suggestions