Introduction to Ansible

Learning Objective

• Learn about how Ansible can be used for Configuration Management and how to deploy resources using Infrastructure as a code.

Topics

- Evolution of Infrastructure
- Overview of Infrastructure as a Code
- What is Configuration Management
- Ansible Overview
- Case Study

Ansible Architecture & Installation

Learning Objective

• Learn about Ansible Architecture, Installation and Configuration of Ansible and how to work with Command Line Tools.

Topics

- Ansible Architecture and its working
- Ansible in DevOps
- Installation and Configuration
- Working with Command Line Tools

The Playbook Grammar

Learning Objective

• Learn how to write using Ansible Playbooks using various parameters and templates.

Topics

- Playbook YAML definition
- Playbook terms
- Playbook tasks
- Writing Ansible Playbooks
 - Hosts and Users
 - Variables
 - o Tasks
 - Handlers
 - o Jinja2 Templates

Ansible Modules

Learning Objective

• Learn how to work with Ansible Modules which are used for controlling system resources.

Topics

- Overview of Modules
- Types of Modules
 - o Core Modules
 - Extras Modules
- Return Values
- Ad Hoc Commands
 - Case Study

Ansible Roles

Learning Objective

• Understand about Roles that provide a framework for fully independent or interdependent collections of variables, tasks, templates, and modules.

Topics

• Overview of Roles

- Role Directory Structure
- Using Roles
- Working with Ansible Galaxy

Ansible Tower

Learning Objective

• Learn Web-based solution -Ansible Tower for central management of automation tasks.

Topics

- Installing Ansible Tower
- Features of Ansible Tower
- Managing Jobs
- Manage and Track Inventory
- Remote Command Execution
- Case Study