



Introduction to Ansible

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Motivace



Pojmy

Automatizace



Orchestrace



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Cíl

- Konfigurace, správa a deploying všech serverů najednou
- IaaS (Infrastructure as a service)
- Propojení se službami poskytujícími "zdroje" (Amazon, OpenStack, DigitalOcean, ...)
- *A admini nebudou mít co žrát.*

Řešení

- Puppet
- Chef
- CFEngine3
- SaltStack (OpenSuse)
- **Ansible** (RedHat)
- ...



Ansible

- Open source v Pythonu.
- Komunikace probíhá přes SSH spojení: šifrované, "bezpečné", pomalé.
- Nepotřebuje nainstalovaného agenta:
 - *Puppet je výborný, ale stejně potřebujete Ansible, abyste jej jednoduše a najednou nainstalovali.* (Věroš Kaplan)
- Potřebuje Python3 (resp. Python2 pro některé moduly ☹)
- Popisujeme stav stroje - jak má vypadat.
- Idempotentní by design (stejná akce = stejný stav).
- Formáty/jazyky: ini, YaML, Jinja2.



Instalace a konfigurace

Instalace:

- Ubuntu 18.04: 2.5.1
- pip: 2.7.0

Cesta konfiguračního souboru (dle priority):

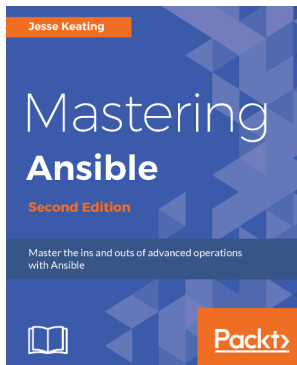
- \$ANSIBLE_CFG
- ./ansible.cfg
- \$HOME/ansible.cfg
- /etc/ansible/ansible.cfg



Příprava prostředí

Zdroj inspirace

Jessee Keating:
Mastering Ansible -
Second edition



Praktické příklady

<https://xmv.cz/ansible>

```
sudo apt install git python-pip
sudo pip install ansible
git clone https://gitlab.labs.nic.cz/\
    mvician/ansible-introduction-examples
cd ansible-introductiton-examples
```

Soubory pro spuštění:

```
./??-run.sh
```

Slajdy: <https://vician.cz/slides/>

Inventory

- konfigurace: `inventory = hosts`
- přepínače: `-i/--inventory INVENTORY_PATH`
- typické cesty:
 - soubor: `hosts`
 - složka: `inventory/*`
- seznam strojů spravovaných Ansiblem
- `ini` formát
- proměnné určující spojení (konvence) - např.:
 - `ansible_connection: local, smart, ssh, paramiko, docker`
 - `ansible_user`
 - `ansible_port`
 - ...
- sdružení strojů do skupin

```
ansible localhost -m ping
```



Proměnné v inventory

```
muj-pocitac ansible_connection=local
server.example.com ansible_port=9022
turris.example.com ansible_user=root
tajnyserver.tajnadomena.tld ansible_host=1.1.1.1
muj-arch-desktop ansible_python_interpreter=/usr/bin/python2
desktop-doma.example.com ansible_ssh_common_args=' \
-o ProxyCommand="ssh -W %h:%p -q root@turris.example.com"'
```

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/intro_inventory.html#list-of-behavioral-inventory-parameters



Playbook

- složka: playbooks (konvence)
- seznam stavů/úkolů
- omezuje se množina serverů z inventory
- lineární procházení úkolů
- standardně se vykonává úkol po úkolu na daných strojích
- yaml - všude stejný počet mezer/tabulátorů



Spuštění:

```
ansible-playbook -i 02-hosts playbooks/02-hello-word.yml
```

Struktura playbooku

playbooks/03-playbook.yml:

```
- hosts: all
  tasks:
    - debug:
        msg: Hello world!
    - debug:
        msg: And again!
```

Spuštění:

```
ansible-playbook -i 03-hosts playbooks/03-playbook.yml
```

nebo: ./03-run.sh



Skupiny strojů

Hosts

```
ginny  
  
[twins]  
fred  
george  
  
[prefects]  
bill  
charlie  
percy  
ron
```

Playbook

```
- hosts: twins  
  tasks:  
    - debug:  
      msg: "Weasleys' Wizard Wheezes!!!"  
- hosts: prefects  
  tasks:  
    - debug:  
      msg: Am I also head-boy?
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 04-hosts playbooks/04-playbook-limit.yml
```



Limit strojů

```
- hosts: all:!percy
  tasks:
    - debug:
      msg: "Where is Percy?"
- hosts: twins
  tasks:
    - debug:
      msg: "Oh, are you a prefect, Percy?"
- hosts: percy
  tasks:
    - debug:
      msg: "Oh, shut up! "
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 05-hosts playbooks/05-playbook-more.yml
```



Runtime limit

Playbook

```
- hosts: all
  tasks:
    - debug:
        msg: "I'm Fred or George?"
```

Hosts

```
fred
george

[all:vars]
ansible_connection=...
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 06-hosts playbooks/06-limit.yml \
  --limit twins
```



Hiearchie skupin

```
[weasly]  
ginny
```

```
[twins]  
fred  
george
```

```
[prefects]  
bill  
charlie  
percy  
ron
```

```
[weasly:children]  
twins  
prefects
```

Playbook

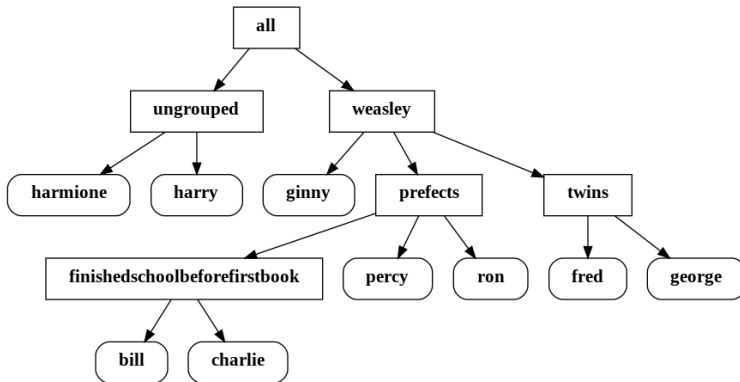
```
- hosts: weasly  
  tasks:  
    - debug:  
      msg: "We are ..."
```

Run

```
ansible-playbooks \  
-i 07-hosts \  
playbooks/07-groups.yml
```



Hiearchie skupin - znázornění



```
ansible-inventory-grapher -q -i 07-hosts all | dot -Tpng | \
display png:-
```

<https://github.com/willthames/ansible-inventory-grapher>



Výstupy

```
- hosts: localhost
  tasks:
    - shell: date
      register: currenttime
    - debug:
      msg: "Current time is: {{ currenttime.stdout }}"
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 08-hosts playbooks/08-stdout.yml
```



Výstupy

```
ok: [localhost] => {
  "msg": {
    "changed": true,
    "cmd": "date",
    "delta": "0:00:00.001941",
    "end": "2018-06-27 12:57:20.775504",
    "failed": false,
    "rc": 0,
    "start": "2018-06-27 12:57:20.773563",
    "stderr": "",
    "stderr_lines": [],
    "stdout": "St čen 27 12:57:20 CEST 2018",
    "stdout_lines": [
      "St čen 27 12:57:20 CEST 2018"
    ]
  ]
}
```



Změny

```
- hosts: localhost
  tasks:
    - debug:
      msg: "No change"
      register: gringotts
    - debug:
      msg: "Was changed"
      when: gringotts is changed
    - debug:
      msg: "Success"
      when: gringotts is success
```

```
ok: [localhost] => {
  "gringotts": {
    "changed": false,
    "failed": false,
    "msg": "No change"
  }
}
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 09-hosts playbooks/09-changed.yml
```



Návratový kód

```
- hosts: kingscross
  tasks:
    - shell: sl
      register: hogwartsexpress
    - debug:
        msg: "Hogwarts Express isn't installed!"
      when: hogwartsexpress.rc == 2
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 10-hosts playbooks/10-return.yml
```



Návratový kód

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_error_handling.html

```
- hosts: kingscross
  tasks:
    - shell: sl
      register: hogwartsexpress
      failed_when: hogwartsexpress.rc == 2
```



Root? No, thank you!

Přihlašujeme se pomocí SSH klíčů.

Hosts

```
localhost ansible_user=lab
```

Playbook

```
- hosts: localhost  
  tasks:  
    - shell: whoami
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 11-hosts playbooks/11-sudo.yml \  
  --become --ask-become-pass
```



He-who-must-not-be-named

```
- hosts: ron
  tasks:
    - name: Rat name
      debug:
        msg: "My rat is called Scabbers."
    - name: Mirror of Erised
      debug:
        msg: "I would like to win Quidditch World Cup."
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 12-hosts playbooks/12-names.yml
```



Inventory

```
./inventory/gryffindor  
  johnson  
  wood  
  [harrysyear]  
  weasley  
  granger  
./inventory/hufflepuff  
  diggory  
  [harrysyear]  
  macmillan
```

```
./inventory/ravenclaw  
  lovegood  
  [harrysyear]  
  patil  
./inventory/slytherin  
  flint  
  [harrysyear]  
  malfoy  
  crabbe  
  goyle
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 13-inventory playbooks/13-inventory.yml
```



Inventory

Ansible "jen" sloučí všechny soubory v adresáři

```
ansible-playbook -i 13-inventory playbooks/13-inventory.yml \  
-l gryffindor
```

```
- hosts: gryffindor  
  tasks: ...
```

Obojí selže, ale 13-inventory/all funguje:

```
[all:vars]  
ansible_connection=local
```



Roles

- slučujeme úkoly do logických celků
- sdílíme role (`roles_path = \`
`roles:shared`)

```
./  
./ansible.cfg  
./hosts  
./playbooks/hello.yml  
./roles/hello/tasks/main.yml  
./roles/myrole/tasks/main.yml  
./shared/users/tasks/main.yml  
./shared/sshd/tasks/main.yml
```

tasks/main.yml:

```
- name: first  
  debug:  
    msg: Hello World!
```

playbooks/hello.yml:

```
- hosts: localhost  
  roles:  
    - hello  
    - users
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 15-hosts playbooks/15-roles.yml
```



Variables

- V inventory ansible_port, ...
- group_vars
- host_vars
- v rolích
 - vychozí
 - vynucné
- dočasné v úkolech
- v playboocích



```
ansible-playbook -i 16-hosts playbooks/16-variables.yml
```



Variables - hierarchy

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_variables.html#variable-precedence-where-should-i-put-a-variable

- Proměnná musí být definovaná!

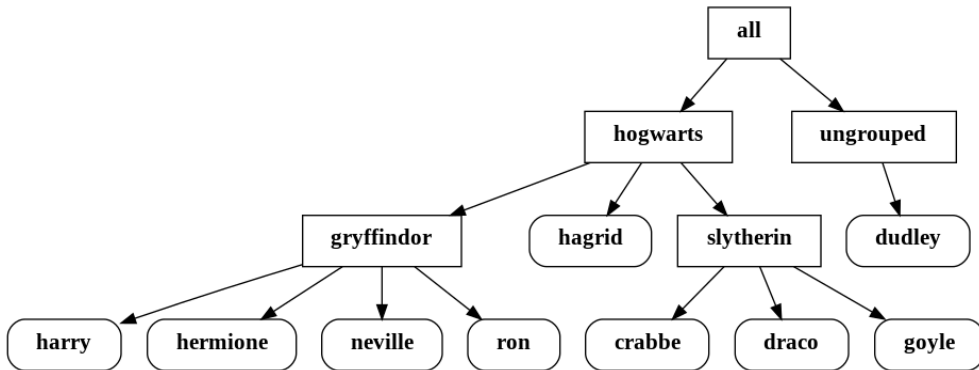
```
when: variable is not defined
msg: "{{ variable | default('zapomnel jsem definovat') }}"
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 17-hosts playbooks/17-variables.yml
```

- typicky:
 - proměnné do rolí role/myrole/defaults/main.yml
 - změny v host_vars a group_vars



Variables - hierarchy



TOP Modules

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/modules/modules_by_category.html

- ping
- apt, yum, apt_key, apt_repo, ...
- pip
- systemd
- sysctl
- user
- git
- copy
- template
- uri



Files

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/modules/copy_module.html

```
roles/gryffindor/tasks/main.yml  
roles/gryffindor/files/fat-lady-password.txt
```

```
- copy:  
  src: fat-lady-password.txt  
  dest: /etc/gryffindor-door/fat-lady-password.txt  
  owner: percy  
  group: percy  
  mode: 0644
```



Templates

- https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/modules/template_module.html
- https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_templating.html

```
roles/teachers/tasks/main.yml
roles/teachers/templates/.jinja2
```

```
- copy:
  src: herbology.jinja2
  dest: /etc/herbology.txt
  owner: dumbledore
  group: dumbledore
  mode: 0644
```

```
Teacher: {{ teacher }}
{% for item in ... %}
- {{ item }}
{% endfor %}
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 19-hosts playbooks/19-templates.yml
```



Loops

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_loops.html

```
- debug:
  msg: "I'm {{ item }} Weasley."
with_items: [ Fred, George ]
- debug:
  msg: "I'm {{ item }} Weasley."
with_items:
  - Fred
  - George
- debug:
  msg: "I'm {{ item }} Weasley."
with_items: "{{ twins_names }}"
```

```
ansible-playbook -i 20-hosts playbooks/20-loops.yml
```



Handlers

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_intro.html#handlers-running-operations-on-change

```
roles/gryffindor/tasks/main.yml  
roles/gryffindor/handlers/main.yml
```

```
- copy:  
  dest: /etc/gryffindor-door/fat-lady-password.txt  
  content: "{{ password }}"  
  notify: fatlady reload
```

- notify jen při změně

```
ansible-playbook -i 21-hosts playbooks/21-handlers.yml
```



Tasks include

```
roles/users/tasks/main.yml  
roles/users/tasks/user.yml
```

main.yml:

```
- name: Process each user  
  include: user.yml  
  with_items: "{{ users }}"
```

user.yml:

```
- user:  
  name: "{{ item }}"
```



Tagy

https://docs.ansible.com/ansible/latest/user_guide/playbooks_tags.html

- tagovat lze:
 - task v roli
 - roli v playbooku

```
- hosts: all
  roles:
    - {role: users, tags: users}
    - {role: sshd, tags: sshd}
```

```
ansible-playbook example.yml --tags "users,sshd"
```



Konvence

- nepoužívat roli common (není jasné, co dělá)
- závislosti řešit na úrovni playbooku a ne v rolích
- jeden playbook pro jednu činnost
- citlivá data dohromady separátně
- v playbooks žádné tasks
- každá role má README.md
- proměnné jsou v defaults
- playbooky neobsahují duplikátní role
- proměnné obalené mezerami: {{ promenna }}
- proměnné s prefixem názvu role



Sdílime role!

- ansible-galaxy: <https://galaxy.ansible.com/>
(spíš inspirace, pozor na bezpečnost)
- git submoduly s tagovanými čísly verzí



ansible.cfg:

```
roles_path = roles:companyroles:galaxy-roles
```



Ansible vault

ansible.cfg:

```
vault_password_file = vault.sh
```

```
#!/bin/sh  
DN="$(dirname "$0")"  
gpg2 --batch --use-agent --decrypt "$DN"/pass.gpg \  
2> /dev/null
```

```
ansible-vault [create|edit|view] file
```

- group_vars/all/secure.yml
- host_vars/harry/diary.yml



Become

```
- hosts: localhost
  tasks:
    - name: gitlab projects
      git:
        repo: "ssh://git@gitlab.com/project"
        dest: "/home/{{ ansible_env['USER'] }}/project"
        become: no
```

```
ansible-playbook playbooks/gitproject.yml --become \
  --ask-become-pass
```



Otázky?

