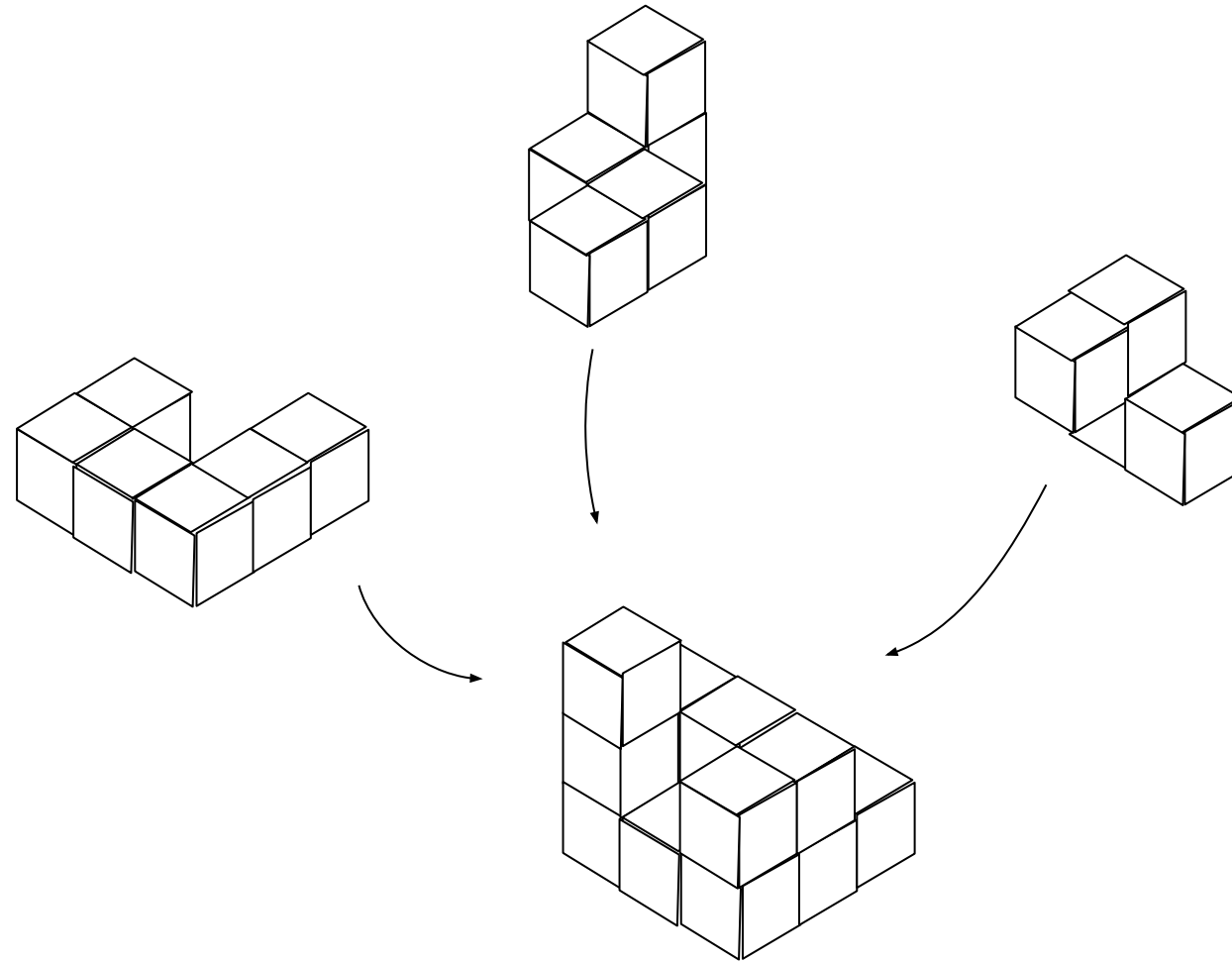


# Automation for accelerating DevOps adoption

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**SOLVING PROBLEMS IS COOL**



# BASTARD OPERATOR FROM HELL



*IN DISK SPACE, NOBODY CAN  
HEAR YOUR FILES SCREAM.*

# RISKS FOR OPS TEAMS

Lack of communication

Slow work **iterations**

Human error

**Heroes**

No **focus** on real problem solving

# KEY POINTS

- Solving everyday always the same problems is **bad**
- The team should actually **work and act as a team** and **NOT** as a group of people **waiting for the hero** to do something
- If the whole Operations team disappears the **company should not die**

# CAMS

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- Culture
- **Automation**
- Measurement
- Sharing



# AUTOMATION IS THE KEY

# NEEDS OF OPS TEAMS

Application Deployment

People focus on what matters

State of art **Documentation**

**Knowledge sharing**

**Building Blocks**

**Transparency**

System Management

**Understandable**

# POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS

- A collection of reusable scripts
- A wiki
- A collaboration tool
- Integrate an application deployment tool

# YEAH BUT...

- A wiki gets **outdated in 0 seconds**
- A collection of scripts is **not very scalable**
- Would be better to have something I can write once

# THE REAL NEED

Something **verbose and complete like a wiki** but that can be **actually executed** to do the operations I need and that once created or updated doesn't need for me to change other things accordingly.

In one word:

***#executableselfexplainingdocumentation***

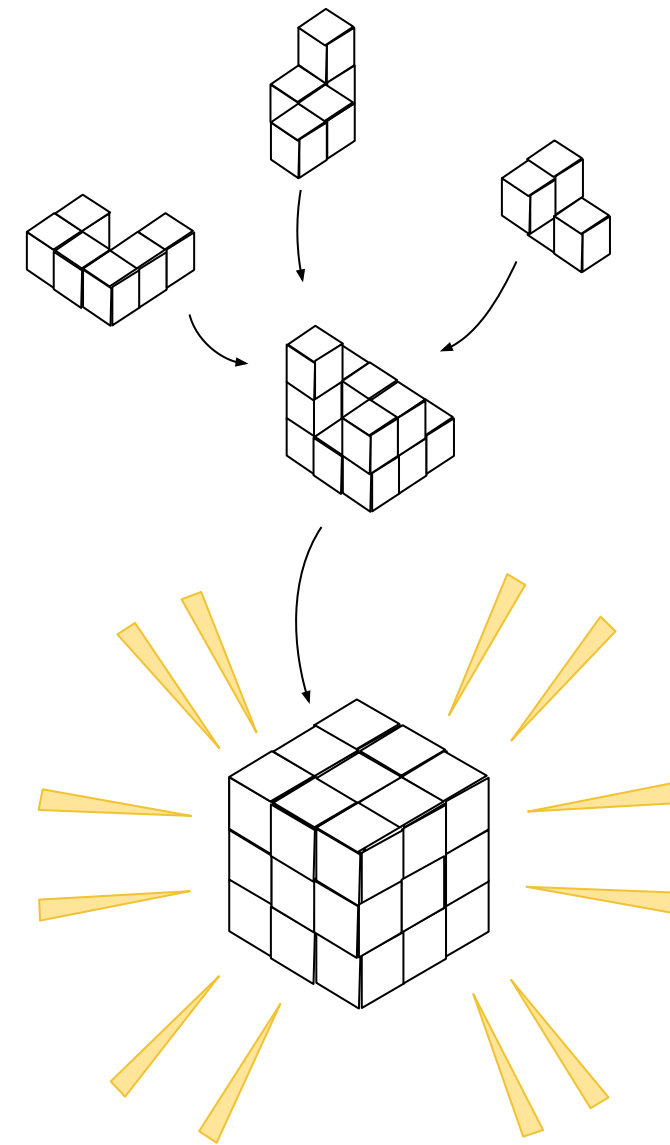
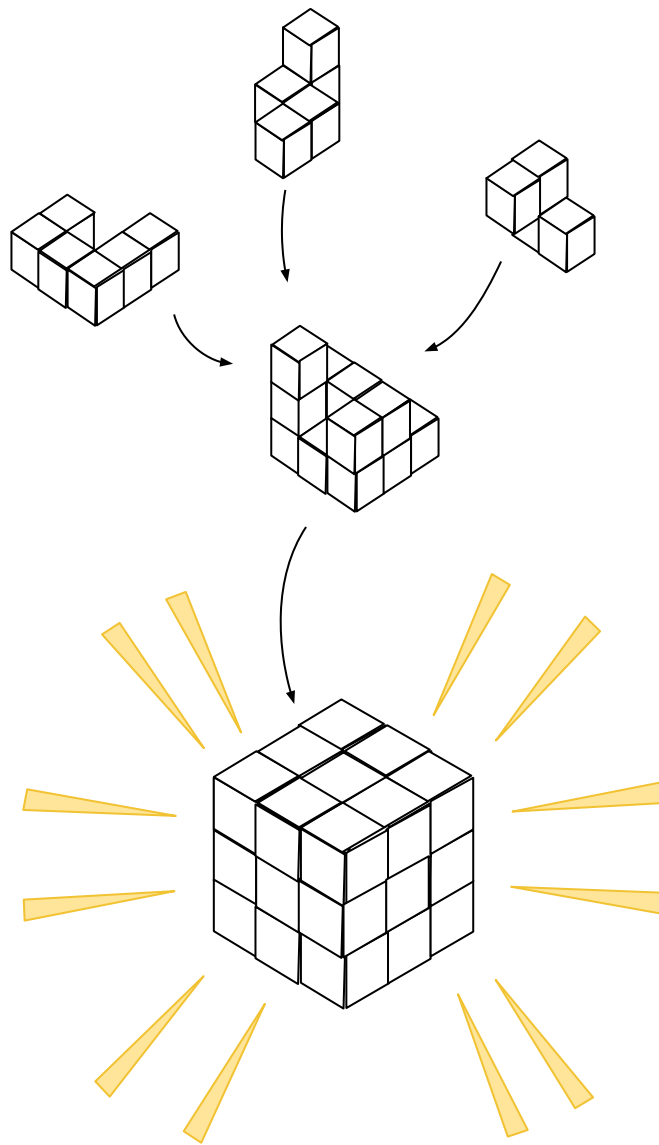
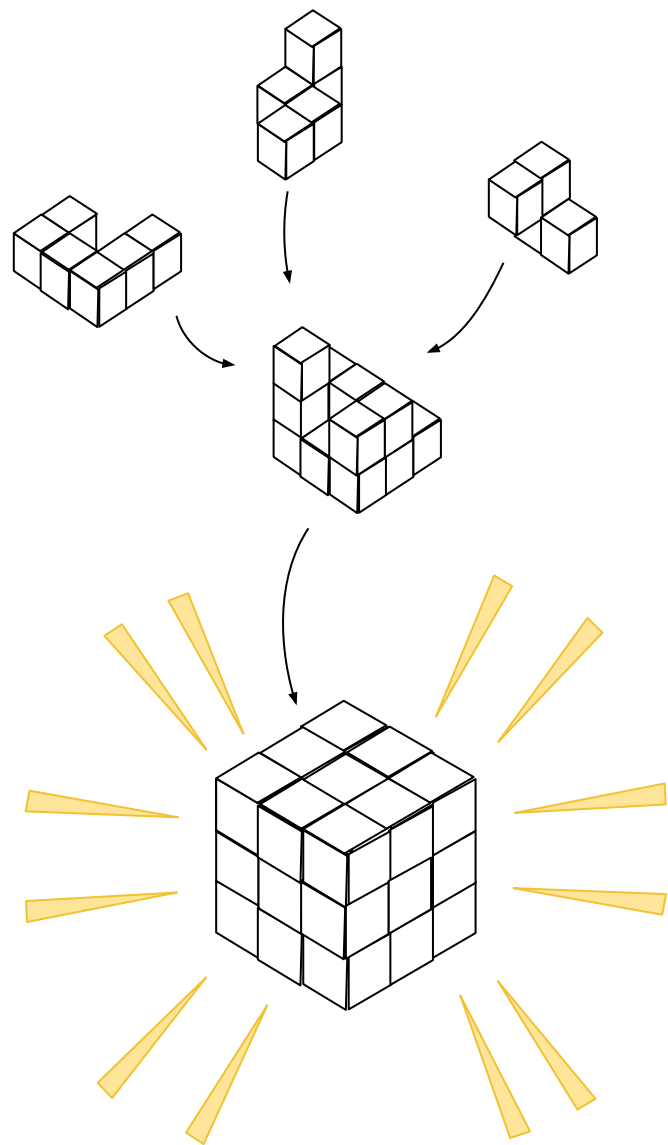


# ANSIBLE POINTS

- You can solve a problem once by writing a role
- The role can be shared with others
- Perfect to be introduced in any infrastructure.
- Agentless
- Roles act as documentation
- Multi tier deployments
- Good with eterogeneous IT environments
- Modular (400+ modules or build your own)
- Ansible Galaxy

```
---
- name: Install MariaDB
  yum: name={{ item }} update_cache=yes cache_valid_time=3600 state=present
  sudo: yes
  with_items:
    - python-mysqldb
    - mariadb
- name: copy cnf
  copy: src=.my.cnf dest=~/.my.cnf owner=mysqlid mode=0644
  sudo: yes
- name: Start the MySQL service
  sudo: yes
  service:
    name: mariadb
    state: started
    enabled: true
- name: update mysql root password for all root accounts
  sudo: yes
  mysql_user:
    name: root
    host: "{{ item }}"
    password: "{{ mysql_root_password }}"
    login_user: root
    login_password: "{{ mysql_root_password }}"
    check_implicit_admin: yes
    priv: " *.*:ALL,GRANT"
  with_items:
    - "{{ ansible_hostname }}"
    - 127.0.0.1
    - ::1
```







# ANSIBLE TOWER

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DASHBOARD

331 HOSTS

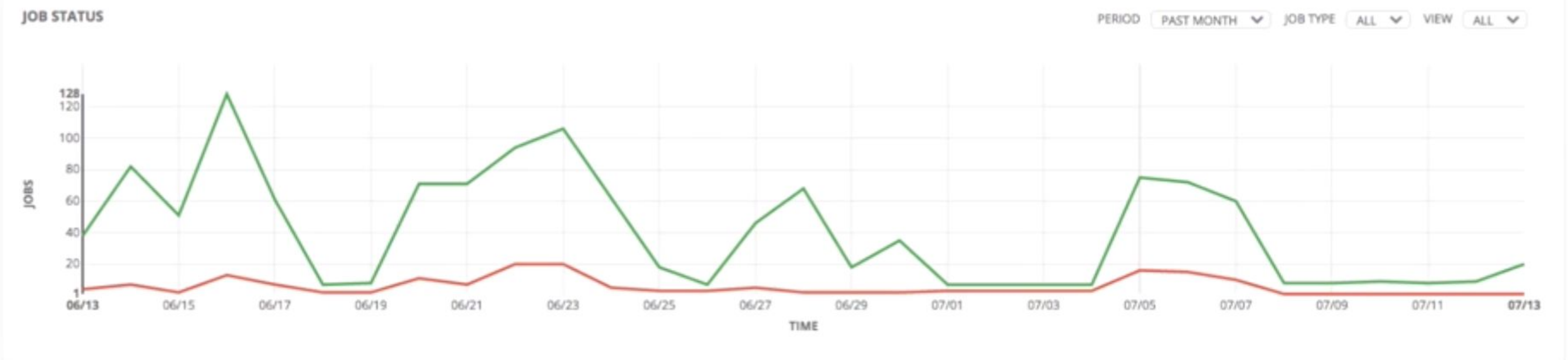
25 FAILED HOSTS

54 INVENTORIES

1 INVENTORY SYNC FAILURES

37 PROJECTS

3 PROJECT SYNC FAILURES



**RECENTLY USED JOB TEMPLATES**

| TITLE                                | ACTIVITY   | ACTIONS |
|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|
| Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Stack   | ●●●●●●●●●● |         |
| Justin / Add demo webservers         | ●●●●●●●●●● |         |
| Justin / Update JBoss Webapp Stack   | ●●●●●●●●●● |         |
| Justin / Deploy Demo Instances       | ●●●●●●●●●● |         |
| Z - Terminate ALL AWS demo instances | ●●●●●●●●●● |         |

**RECENT JOB RUNS**

| TITLE                                 | TIME                  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ● Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Stack  | 7/13/2016 12:24:50 PM |
| ● Justin / Add demo webservers        | 7/13/2016 12:07:06 PM |
| ● Justin / Update JBoss Webapp Stack  | 7/13/2016 12:02:27 PM |
| ● Justi 1 / Deploy JBoss Webapp Stack | 7/13/2016 11:51:33 AM |
| ● Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Stack  | 7/13/2016 11:24:20 AM |

# TOWER POINTS

- Role based access control
- Push button deployment
- Centralized logging and auditing
- Rest API
- Visual Dashboard
- Job scheduling
- Graphical inventory management

JOB TEMPLATES

JOB TEMPLATES 6

[+ ADD](#)

NAME  SEARCH

✕ Name : Justin

| NAME ^                              | DESCRIPTION ⇅                               | ACTIVITY | LABELS | ACTIONS   |
|-------------------------------------|---|----------|--------|---|
| Justin / Add demo webservers        | Add some more webservers to the stack       | ● ● ●    |        |                |
| Justin / Deploy Demo Instances      |   |          |        |      |
| Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Sta... | Deploy JBoss stack onto instances           | ●        |        |                |
| Justin / Deploy LAMP Stack          | Deploy LAMP stack onto instances            |          |        |                |
| Justin / Update JBoss Webapp Sta... | Perform a rolling update of the JBoss Stack | ●        |        |                |
| Justin / Update LAMP Stack          | Perform a rolling update of the LAMP stack  |          |        |      |

Start a job using this template

ITEMS 1-6 OF 6

JOB TEMPLATES

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+ ADD

NAME SEARCH [Magnifying Glass]

Name: Justin

| NAME ^                              | DESCRIPTION                |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Justin / Add demo webservers        | Add some mo the stack      |
| Justin / Deploy Demo Instances      |                            |
| Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Sta... | Deploy jBoss :             |
| Justin / Deploy LAMP Stack          | Deploy LAMP                |
| Justin / Update JBoss Webapp Sta... | Perform a roll JBoss Stack |
| Justin / Update LAMP Stack          | Perform a roll LAMP stack  |

| ACTIONS |            |           |        |         |
|---------|------------|-----------|--------|---------|
| [Fly]   | [Calendar] | [Refresh] | [Edit] | [Trash] |
| [Fly]   | [Calendar] | [Refresh] | [Edit] | [Trash] |
| [Fly]   | [Calendar] | [Refresh] | [Edit] | [Trash] |
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**LAUNCH JOB | JUSTIN / DEPLOY JBOSS WEBAPP STACK**

**SURVEY**





































\*WHAT VERSION OF THE APPLICATION SHOULD BE DEPLOYED?

v1.0

INVENTORY: Justin's Hosts      CREDENTIAL: Justin - AWS Base

CANCEL      LAUNCH

ITEMS 1-6 OF 6

| TASK  | STARTED  | ELAPSED  | HOST STATUS   |
|---|----------|----------|---|
|  <div style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #333; color: white; padding: 2px; font-size: 8px;">                     Event ID: 206697<br/>                     Status: Changed                 </div> | 14:01:37 | 00:00:06 |    |
|  sat_reg : Enable plugin   | 14:01:44 | 00:00:02 |    |
|  sat_reg : Install Bootst...   | 14:01:46 | 00:00:25 |    |
|  sat_reg : Register to th...   | 14:02:11 | 00:00:36 |    |
|  sat_reg : Remove Ama...   | 14:02:48 | 00:00:02 |    |
|  sat_reg : update subsc...   | 14:02:50 | 00:00:56 |    |
|  sat_reg : Attach all sub...   | 14:03:46 | 00:00:11 |    |
|  sat_reg : Install Katello...  | 14:03:58 | 00:00:41 |    |
|  common : install pyth...  | 14:04:40 | 00:00:02 |    |
|  common : Create the r...  | 14:04:42 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : Create the ...   | 14:04:44 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : install some...  | 14:04:47 | 00:01:13 |  |
|  common : install ntp  | 14:06:01 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : Configure n...   | 14:06:03 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : Start the nt...  | 14:06:06 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : insert iptab...  | 14:06:09 | 00:00:02 |  |
|  common : test to see l...   | 14:06:11 | 00:00:01 |  |
|  common : Remediate ...  | 14:06:12 | 00:01:12 |  |

RESULTS

|                    |   |                  |                                    |
|--------------------|---|------------------|------------------------------------|
| STATUS             | Successful  | TEMPLATE         | Justin / Deploy JBoss Webapp Stack |
| STARTED            | 7/13/2016 2:01:36 PM  | JOB TYPE         | Run                                |
| FINISHED           | 7/13/2016 2:16:18 PM  | LAUNCHED BY      | jnemmers                           |
| ELAPSED            | 00:14:41  | INVENTORY        | Justin's Hosts                     |
| PROJECT            | Justin's Conference Demos   | PLAYBOOK         | Satellite/stack-deploy-jboss.yml   |
| MACHINE CREDENTIAL | Justin - AWS Base   | CLOUD CREDENTIAL | Justin AWS Acct - Ansible          |
| LIMIT              | tag_ansible_group_webse<br>rvers,tag_ansible_group_<br>dbservers,tag_ansible_gro<br>up_lbservers,tag_ansible_<br>group_monitoring | VERBOSITY        | Debug                              |

EXTRA VARIABLES

```

1 app_name: webapp
2 balance: roundrobin
3 daemonname: myapplb
4 dbname: foodb
5 dbuser: root
6 group_dbservers: tag_ansible_group_dbservers
7 group_lbservers: tag_ansible_group_lbservers
8 group_monitoring: tag_ansible_group_monitoring
9 group_webservers: tag_ansible_group_webservers
10 http_port: 8080
    
```

DETAILS

Please select from a play below to view its associated tasks.

STANDARD OUT

```

Identity added: /tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/credential (/tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/credential)
Using /etc/ansible/ansible.cfg as config file

PLAYBOOK: stack-deploy-jboss.yml *****
5 plays in Satellite/stack-deploy-jboss.yml

PLAY [all] *****

TASK [setup] *****
<52.23.253.0> ESTABLISH SSH CONNECTION FOR USER: ec2-user
<54.172.160.219> ESTABLISH SSH CONNECTION FOR USER: ec2-user
<52.23.253.0> SSH: EXEC ssh -C -q -o ControlMaster=auto -o ControlPersist=60s -o
StrictHostKeyChecking=no -o KbdInteractiveAuthentication=no -o PreferredAuthentications=gssapi-
with-mic,gssapi-keyex,hostbased,publickey -o PasswordAuthentication=no -o User=ec2-user -o
ConnectTimeout=10 -o ControlPath=/tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/cp/ansible-ssh-4h-4p-4r 52.23.253.0
'/bin/sh -c ''''( umask 77 && mkdir -p '' echo $HOME/.ansible/tmp/ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-
229528733021951 '' && echo ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-229528733021951="" echo
$HOME/.ansible/tmp/ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-229528733021951 '' ) && sleep 0''''''
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ConnectTimeout=10 -o ControlPath=/tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/cp/ansible-ssh-4h-4p-4r
54.172.160.219 '/bin/sh -c ''''( umask 77 && mkdir -p '' echo $HOME/.ansible/tmp/ansible-tmp-
1468432898.08-9955492081408 '' && echo ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-9955492081408="" echo
$HOME/.ansible/tmp/ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-9955492081408 '' ) && sleep 0''''''
<52.90.174.29> ESTABLISH SSH CONNECTION FOR USER: ec2-user
<52.90.174.29> SSH: EXEC ssh -C -q -o ControlMaster=auto -o ControlPersist=60s -o
StrictHostKeyChecking=no -o KbdInteractiveAuthentication=no -o PreferredAuthentications=gssapi-
with-mic,gssapi-keyex,hostbased,publickey -o PasswordAuthentication=no -o User=ec2-user -o
ConnectTimeout=10 -o ControlPath=/tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/cp/ansible-ssh-4h-4p-4r 52.90.174.29
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135514554706444 '' && echo ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-135514554706444="" echo
$HOME/.ansible/tmp/ansible-tmp-1468432898.08-135514554706444 '' ) && sleep 0''''''
<54.227.203.51> ESTABLISH SSH CONNECTION FOR USER: ec2-user
<54.227.203.51> SSH: EXEC ssh -C -q -o ControlMaster=auto -o ControlPersist=60s -o
StrictHostKeyChecking=no -o KbdInteractiveAuthentication=no -o PreferredAuthentications=gssapi-
with-mic,gssapi-keyex,hostbased,publickey -o PasswordAuthentication=no -o User=ec2-user -o
ConnectTimeout=10 -o ControlPath=/tmp/ansible_tower_DgdKSB/cp/ansible-ssh-4h-4p-4r 54.227.203.51
    
```



# QUICK RECAP

- Ansible is the tool which enable teams to do *configuration management* and *infrastructure automation* by defining and executing roles and playbooks
- Ansible Tower is the tool which enable **Enterprise** adoption with its **extended features**

# WHY IS ANSIBLE SO IMPORTANT ?

- Ansible is a key tool for your DevOps Toolbox
- Ansible is the perfect tool to take you to the containers journey

**Thank you!**  
**and please, do more Ansible**

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