Bake Security Into Your Infrastructure as Code

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Recipe Requirements

1 cup of cloud infrastructure

2 fluid oz of infrastructure as code

3 tablespoons of CI/CD

1/4 cup of open-source tools

1 gallon of coffee



Cloud Infrastructure Options

- AWS
- Azure
- GCP
- Heroku
- Alibaba
- IBM
- Oracle











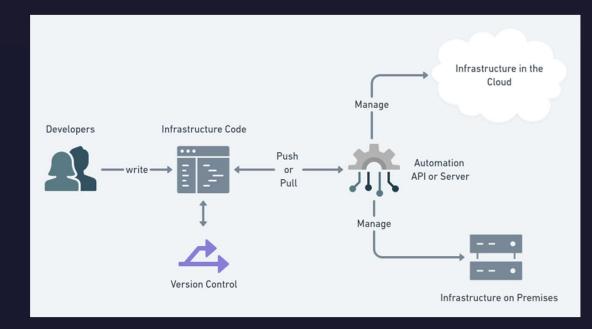






Infrastructure as Code The Advent, The Options, and Why

- 1908 Herbert Johnson electric standing mixer
- 1993 first CFEngine (The Configuration Engine)
- Terraform
- AWS CloudFormation
- Azure Resource Manager
- GC Deployment Manager
- Chef
- Puppet
- SaltStack



Why IaC?

- Recoverable State
- Disaster Recovery
- Auditability
- Repeatability
- Speed
- Reduced Risk
- Cost Reduction



What's Missing?

<u>Verification</u> and <u>Validation</u> of Security

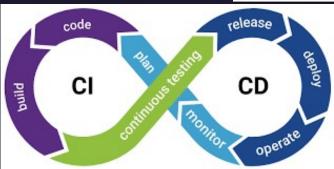
Pipelines



CI/CD

Continuous Integration
Continuous Deployment

	lenkins	3 circle ci	■ TeamCity	& Bamboo	₩ GitLab
Open source	Yes	No	No	No	No
Ease of use & setup	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Built-in features	3/5	4/5	4/5	4/5	4/5
Integration	****	* * *	****	***	****
Hosting	On premise & Cloud	On premise & Cloud	On premise	On premise & Bitbucket as Cloud	On premise & Cloud
Free version	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Build Agent License Pricing	Free	From \$39 per month	From \$299 one-off payment	From \$10 one-off payment	From \$4 per month per user
Supported OSs	Windows, Linux, macOS, Unix-like OS	Linux or MacOS	Windows, Linux, macOS, Solaris, FreeBSD and more	Windows, Linux, macOS, Solaris	Linux distributions: Ubuntu, Debian, CentOS, Oracle Linux



https://www.katalon.com/resources-center/blog/ci-cd-tools/

When security is left out of the DevOps Pipeline

Party...



https://twitter.com/petecheslock/status/595617204273618944

Open-Source Tools

- Terrascan
- Checkov
- TFLint
- Terrafirma
- CloudSploit
- Hashicorp Sentinel







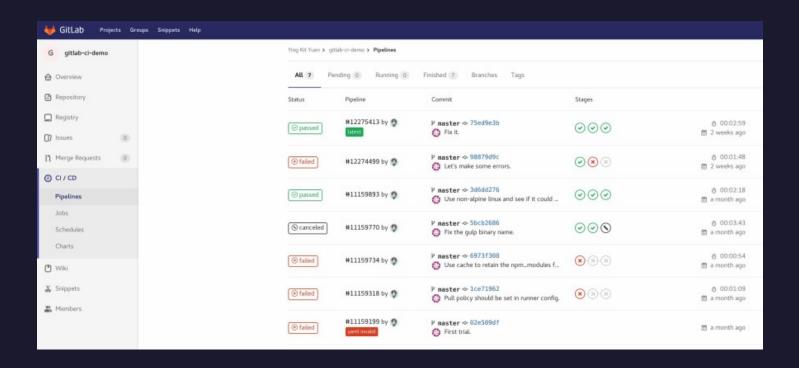


Terrascan Example (Gitlab CI)

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stages:
    - scan

terrascan:
    image:
    name: accurics/terrascan:latest
    entrypoint: ["/bin/sh", "-c"]
    stage: scan
    script:
        - /go/bin/terrascan scan .
```

Terrascan Example (Continued)

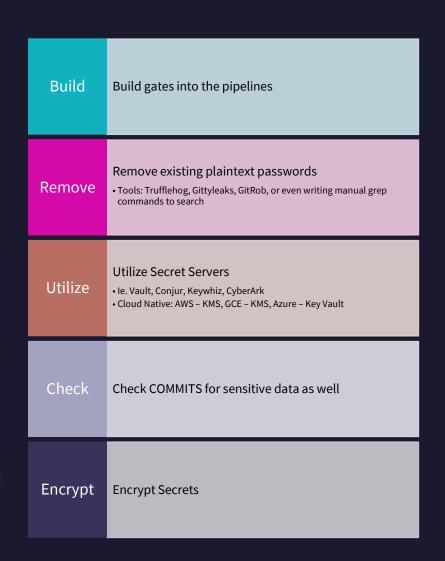


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- 2. Managing Secrets
- 3. Governed in Code, Secured in Code
- 4. CI/CD Integration



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Concluding Remarks

- Become familiar with Infrastructure as Code, no matter what environment you work in
- Don't assume anything is secure, but specifically don't assume infrastructure as code is secure

cough cough zero-trust...

- Utilize CI/CD Pipelines for securing your code
- BRUCE



