### **Environment**

- VPC1 us-east-1
- VPC2 us-west-2
- tower1 node\_type controller
- node1 (VPC1) node\_type execution peers node2 execution\_node1
- node2 (VPC2) node\_type execution execution\_node2
- instance group aws\_mesh with:
  - execution nodel
  - execution\_node2
- Cloud Inventory AWS using ec2 inventory plugins cloud\_inventory
  - Source Variables:

```
filters:
    tag:project: "Ansible"
keyed_groups:
    prefix: os
    key: tags['os_type']
    prefix: Distro
    key: tags['os_distro']
hostnames:
    tag:inventory_name
    dns-name
compose:
    ansible_host: private_ip_address
```

- Target group in Cloud Inventory os\_Linux
- Template with simple ping/gather\_facts playbook job\_template

tried with aws\_mesh configured on the level of:

- cloud\_inventory
- job\_template
- . . .

#### **CLOUD CONFIGURATION**

Region	N Virginia
VPC CIDR	200.196.0.0/24
Private Subnet	200.196.0.128/26

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# **Expectation**

 $While \ calling \ ping \ \texttt{job\_template} \ against \ \texttt{os\_Linux} \ group \ under \ \texttt{cloud\_inventory} \ all \ systems \ will \ respond \ with \ \texttt{pong} \ systems \ systems \ systems \ will \ respond \ with \ \texttt{pong} \ systems \ systems$ 

## **Experience**

While calling ping job\_template against os\_Linux group under cloud\_inventory only systems in one VPC respond with pong while all in other VPC with fail with error Failed to connect to the host via ssh: ssh: connect to host XXXXXX port 22: Connection timed out

### Request

Ability to reach all nodes in the multi-tenant inventory using instacne group that would have multiple execution nodes each capable of reaching subset of the nodes in the inventory.

Since separate inventory can be created for each group of managed systems that is behind execution node it would be incredibly helpful if while calling a smart inventory (that groups all those separate inventories into one master one), it would be possible to assign instance group to that master inventory, consisting of all required execution nodes needed to reach all managed systems in that inventory and successfully execute automation against all those systems.

In short if inventory required using more that one execution node to ensure reachability and all required for that purpose execution nodes are present within instance group assigned to that inventory, controller should be able to map execution node to managed nodes and execute automation against entire inventory.