

EXPERIMENT – 7

Creating Service in Kubernetes

Objective:

- Understand the syntax and structure of a Kubernetes Service definition file (YAML).
- Learn to create different types of Services: ClusterIP, NodePort, and LoadBalancer.
- Comprehend how Services operate independently of specific Pods.

Prerequisites

- Kubernetes Cluster: Have a running Kubernetes cluster (locally using Minikube or kind, or a cloud-based service).
- kubectl: Install and configure kubectl to interact with your Kubernetes cluster.
- Basic Knowledge of YAML: Familiarity with YAML format will be helpful for understanding Kubernetes resource definitions.

Step-by-Step Guide

NodePort Service

To expose the Service on a port on each Node in the cluster, modify the Service type to NodePort.

Create a YAML file named nodeport-service.yaml with the following content:

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
name: nodeport-service
spec:
 selector:
  app: my-app
 ports:
  - protocol: TCP
   port: 80
   targetPort: 80
   nodePort: 30007 # A specific port in the range 30000-32767
 type: NodePort
anshi@HP MINGW64 /e/Academics/Docker Lab
$ cd 'exp6,7,8'
anshi@HP MINGW64 /e/Academics/Docker Lab/exp6,7,8
$ nano nodeport-service.yaml
 GNU nano 7.2
apiVersion: v1
 cind: Service
 netadata:
 name: nodeport-service
  selector:
   app: my-app
  ports:
     protocol: TCP
     targetPort: 80 nodePort: 30007 # A specific port in the range 30000-32767
  type: NodePort
```

Explanation:

- The primary difference from the ClusterIP Service is the addition of nodePort, which specifies the static port on each Node.
- type: Set to NodePort, exposing the Service on a specific port across all Nodes.

Apply this YAML to create the NodePort Service:

```
kubectl apply -f nodeport-service.yaml
anshi@HP MINGW64 /e/Academics/Docker Lab/exp6,7,8
$ kubectl apply -f nodeport-service.yaml
service/nodeport-service created
```

Verify the Service:

```
kubectl get services
anshi@HP MINGW64 /e/Academics/Docker Lab/exp6,7,8
$ kubectl get services
NAME
                               CLUSTER-IP
                                             EXTERNAL-IP
                                                           PORT(S)
                                                                           AGE
kubernetes
                   ClusterIP
                               10.96.0.1
                                                            443/TCP
                                                                           23h
                                             <none>
nodeport-service NodePort
                               10.97.208.1
                                                            80:30007/TCP
                                                                           23s
                                             <none>
anshi@HP MINGW64 /e/Academics/Docker Lab/exp6,7,8
```

You should see the nodeport-service listed with a NodePort and details about the port exposed.