# » Resource: helm release

A Release is an instance of a chart running in a Kubernetes cluster. A Chart is a Helm package. It contains all of the resource definitions necessary to run an application, tool, or service inside of a Kubernetes cluster.

helm\_release describes the desired status of a chart in a kubernetes cluster.

### » Example Usage

```
data "helm_repository" "stable" {
 name = "stable"
 url = "https://kubernetes-charts.storage.googleapis.com"
}
resource "helm_release" "example" {
            = "my-redis-release"
 repository = data.helm_repository.stable.metadata[0].name
            = "redis"
 chart
  version
            = "6.0.1"
 values = [
    "${file("values.yaml")}"
 ]
  set {
   name = "cluster.enabled"
    value = "true"
 }
 set {
   name = "metrics.enabled"
    value = "true"
 set_string {
   name = "service.annotations.prometheus\\.io/port"
    value = "9127"
}
```

### » Example Usage - Local Chart

In case a Chart is not available from a repository, a path may be used:

### » Argument Reference

The following arguments are supported:

- name (Required) Release name.
- chart (Required) Chart name to be installed. A path may be used.
- repository (Optional) Repository where to locate the requested chart. If is an URL the chart is installed without installing the repository.
- repository\_key\_file (Optional) The repositories cert key file
- repository\_cert\_file (Optional) The repositories cert file
- repository\_ca\_file (Optional) The Repositories CA File.
- repository\_username (Optional) Username for HTTP basic authentication against the repository.
- repository\_password (Optional) Password for HTTP basic authentication against the reposotory.
- devel (Optional) Use chart development versions, too. Equivalent to version '>0.0.0-0'. If version is set, this is ignored.
- version (Optional) Specify the exact chart version to install. If this is not specified, the latest version is installed.
- namespace (Optional) The namespace to install the release into. Defaults to default
- verify (Optional) Verify the package before installing it. Defaults to false
- keyring (Optional) Location of public keys used for verification. Used only if verify is true. Defaults to /.gnupg/pubring.gpg in the location set by home
- timeout (Optional) Time in seconds to wait for any individual kubernetes operation (like Jobs for hooks). Defaults to 300 seconds.
- disable\_webhooks (Optional) Prevent hooks from running. Defauts to false
- reuse\_values (Optional) When upgrading, reuse the last release's values and merge in any overrides. If 'reset\_values' is specified, this is ignored. Defaults to false.
- reset\_values (Optional) When upgrading, reset the values to the ones built into the chart. Defaults to false.
- force\_update (Optional) Force resource update through delete/recreate if needed. Defaults to false.
- recreate\_pods (Optional) Perform pods restart during upgrade/rollback.
   Defaults to false.
- cleanup on fail (Optional) Allow deletion of new resources created in

- this upgrade when upgrade fails. Defaults to false.
- max\_history (Optional) Maximum number of release versions stored per release. Defaults to 0 (no limit).
- atomic (Optional) If set, installation process purges chart on fail. The wait flag will be set automatically if atomic is used. Defaults to false.
- skip\_crds (Optional) If set, no CRDs will be installed. By default, CRDs are installed if not already present. Defaults to false.
- render\_subchart\_notes (Optional) If set, render subchart notes along with the parent. Defaults to true.
- disable\_openapi\_validation (Optional) If set, the installation process
  will not validate rendered templates against the Kubernetes OpenAPI
  Schema. Defaults to false.
- wait (Optional) Will wait until all resources are in a ready state before
  marking the release as successful. It will wait for as long as timeout.
  Defaults to true.
- values (Optional) List of values in raw yaml to pass to helm. Values will be merged, in order, as Helm does with multiple -f options.
- set (Optional) Value block with custom values to be merged with the values yaml.
- set\_sensitive (Optional) Value block with custom sensitive values to be merged with the values yaml that won't be exposed in the plan's diff.
- set\_string (Optional) Value block with custom STRING values to be merged with the values yaml.
- dependency\_update (Optional) Runs helm dependency update before installing the chart. Defaults to false.
- replace (Optional) Re-use the given name, even if that name is already used. This is unsafe in production. Defaults to false.
- description (Optional) Set release description attribute (visible in the history).
- postrender (Optional) Configure a command to run after helm renders the manifest which can alter the manifest contents.

The set, set sensitive and set strings blocks support:

- name (Required) full name of the variable to be set.
- value (Required) value of the variable to be set.

The postrender block supports a single attribute:

• binary\_path - (Required) relative or full path to command binary.

#### » Attributes Reference

In addition to the arguments listed above, the following computed attributes are exported:

• metadata - Block status of the deployed release.

The metadata block supports:

- chart The name of the chart.
- name Name is the name of the release.
- namespace Namespace is the kubernetes namespace of the release.
- revision Version is an int32 which represents the version of the release.
- status Status of the release.
- version A SemVer 2 conformant version string of the chart.
- values The compounded values from values and set\* attributes.

### » Import

A Helm Release resource can be imported using its namespace and name e.g.

\$ terraform import helm\_release.example default/example-name`

**NOTE:** Since the repository attribute is not being persisted as metadata by helm, it will not be set to any value by default. All other provider specific attributes will be set to their default values and they can be overriden after running apply using the resource definition configuration.

## » Data Source: helm\_repository

A chart repository is a location where packaged charts can be stored and shared. helm\_repository describes a helm repository.

### » Example Usage

```
data "helm_repository" "incubator" {
  name = "incubator"
  url = "https://kubernetes-charts-incubator.storage.googleapis.com"
}

resource "helm_release" "my_cache" {
  name = "my-cache"
  repository = data.helm_repository.incubator.metadata[0].name
  chart = "redis-cache"
}
```

### » Argument Reference

The following arguments are supported:

- name (Required) Chart repository name.
- url (Required) Chart repository URL.
- key\_file (Optional) Identify HTTPS client using this SSL key file
- cert\_file (Optional) Identify HTTPS client using this SSL certificate file.
- ca\_file (Optional) Verify certificates of HTTPS-enabled servers using this CA bundle
- username (Optional) Username for HTTP basic authentication.
- password (Optional) Password for HTTP basic authentication.

#### » Attributes Reference

In addition to the arguments listed above, the following computed attributes are exported:

• metadata - Status of the deployed release.

The metadata block supports:

- name Name of the repository read from the home.
- url URL of the repository read from the home.

## » Old resource helm\_repository

Before 0.9.0 helm\_repository was a resource and not a data source. The old resource is now a shim to the data source to preserve backwards compatibility. As the use of the resource is deprecated it is strongly suggested to move to the new data source as the compatibility will be removed in a future release.