

Workshop

Kubernetes

For Software Developers



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What's Kubernetes?

Feature View

Platform for containerized workloads and services

Open Source (open-sourced in 2014 by Google)

Portable cloud platform

Microservices

Tries to combine best of PaaS and IaaS

Current state → desired state

Container-centric

OS-level virtualization instead of HW-virtualization

Here: Focus on Docker

Component View

Master (aka Control Plane)

API Server

etcd

Scheduler

Controller Manager (Node-, Replication-, Endpoints-, and Service Accounts-Controller)

Nodes

Kubelet (primary “node agent” ensuring that pods are running and healthy)

Network Proxy

Container Runtime (in our case *Docker*)

Addons

DNS

Dashboard (web UI)

Monitoring and Logging

API

Web API

Documented with OpenAPI

Versioned

kubectl

CLI for interacting with API

Base for declarative configuration schema

```
GET http://127.0.0.1:8001/api/v1/nodes
Accept: application/json
```

```
###
GET http://127.0.0.1:8001/api/v1/namespaces/default/pods
```

```
###
POST http://127.0.0.1:8001/api/v1/namespaces/default/pods
Content-Type: application/json
```

```
{
  "apiVersion": "v1",
  "kind": "Pod",
  "metadata": {
    "name": "api-demo-pod",
    "labels": {
      "app": "api-demo"
    }
  },
  "spec": {
    "containers": [
      {
        "name": "api-demo-pod",
        "image": "nginx:alpine",
        "ports": [
          { "containerPort": 80 }
        ]
      }
    ]
  }
}
```

```
###
GET http://127.0.0.1:8001/api/v1/namespaces/default/pods?
labelSelector=app%20in%20%28api-demo%29
```

```
###
DELETE http://127.0.0.1:8001/api/v1/namespaces/default/pods/api-demo-pod
```

Demo: API

API Docs

[Read Nodes](#)

[Create Pod](#)

[Delete Pod](#)

[Label Selectors](#)

<https://www.json2yaml.com>

Tip: Run *kubectl proxy* for
authenticated access from
localhost

<https://github.com/rstropek/DockerVS2015Intro/blob/master/dockerDemos/13-kube-intro/api-demo.http>

Kubernetes 101

Pods

Typically one, sometimes multiple containers (tightly-coupled)

Common Pod environment (e.g. IP address, *localhost*)

Atomic unit (all-or-nothing)

Tip: Don't create pods directly, use controllers (e.g. deployments)

Service

Each services gets its own stable IP address, DNS name, and port

Uses *labels* to dynamically associate with Pods

Load-balances requests across Pods

Service type LoadBalancer → make service available outside the cluster

Kubernetes 101

ReplicaSet (aka ReplicationController)

Number of replicas for a Pod

Desired State and *Current State*

Tip: Don't create manually, use deployments

Deployments

Replication controller + *rolling updates*

Other Workload (not covered in detail here)

CronJob

DaemonSet (run copy of a pod on every node)

Jobs

StatefulSets (like deployments, but optimized for stateful applications)

Labels & Selectors

Key/value pairs for K8s objects

Organize and select objects

Used to define relationships of objects

E.g. service → pod

Label Selectors



kubectl Fundamentals

kubectl [command] [TYPE] [NAME] [flags]

- Operation; e.g. create, get, delete;
[List of operations...](#)
- Resource type (full name or abbreviation)
[List of resource types...](#)
- Resource name
- Command options

```
Kubectl get all  
kubectl get pods
```

kubectl configuration

```
kubectl config get-contexts  
kubectl config set-context ...
```

```
kubectl cluster-info  
kubectl get nodes  
kubectl describe nodes  
kubectl get componentstatuses # or short "cs"
```

kubectl

Different output formats

E.g. JSON, YAML, tables

[Details...](#)

[Cheat sheet...](#)

You know Docker?

[kubectl for Docker users...](#)

```
kubectl get namespace
```

```
kubectl create namespace ...
```

```
kubectl config set-context --current --namespace=...
```

kubectl

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Object Management

Imperative commands

Manipulate live objects

No source control, no review process → development, not production

Imperative object configuration

Configuration files (YAML)

Individual files

Declarative object configuration

Directories with configuration files

```
# Create deployment
kubectl run nginx --image=nginx:alpine --port=80
kubectl get deployments
kubectl get pods

# Interactive Pod
kubectl run my-shell --rm -it --image debian -- bash

# Scale
kubectl scale deployment nginx --replicas=3

# Work with deployment's labels
kubectl describe deployment nginx
kubectl label deployment nginx env=testing
kubectl describe deployment nginx
kubectl get deployment -l env=testing -o yaml

# Create service
kubectl expose deployment nginx --type=NodePort
kubectl get services
# Open http://127.0.0.1:<port>

# Try Kubernetes Dashboard
kubectl proxy
# Open http://localhost:8001/ui for Dashboard

# Delete deployment and service
kubectl delete deployment nginx
kubectl delete service nginx
```

Imperative Commands

Try this exercise in...

...Docker for Windows

...AKS

Try different service types

NodePort



Kubernetes Workloads


```
kind: Pod
apiVersion: v1
metadata:
  name: nginx-pod
  labels:
    name: nginx-pod
    app: workshop
spec:
  containers:
  - name: nginx-pod
    image: nginx
    ports:
      - containerPort: 80
        name: http
        protocol: TCP
```

###

```
kubectl create -f nginx-pod.yaml
kubectl get pods
kubectl expose pod nginx-pod --type NodePort
kubectl get services
kubectl exec -it nginx-pod -- /bin/bash
```

Pods

Tipp: [Kubernetes Snippets in VSCode](#)

```
kind: Service
apiVersion: v1
metadata:
  name: web-svc
spec:
  selector:
    app: workshop
  ports:
    - port: 8080
      targetPort: 80
  type: NodePort
```

###

```
kubectl create -f .\nginx-pod.yaml
kubectl create -f .\nginx-service.yaml
kubectl get services
kubectl delete -f .\nginx-service.yaml
kubectl delete -f .\nginx-pod.yaml
```

Services

Service Types

ClusterIP

NodePort

LoadBalancer (in AKS)

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: web
spec:
  replicas: 5
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: web
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: web
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: web
          image: nginx:alpine
          ports:
            - containerPort: 80
```

###

```
kubectl apply -f .
```

Deployment

Scaling

Change number of replicas and
run "apply" again

Scale cluster in AKS

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: demo-web
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: demo-web
  replicas: 5
  strategy:
    rollingUpdate:
      maxSurge: 1
      maxUnavailable: 1
  minReadySeconds: 30
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: demo-web
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: demo-web
          image: rstropek/docker-image-versioning:1.0
          ports:
            - containerPort: 80
          env:
            - name: PORT
              value: "80"
```

###

```
kubectl apply -f .
kubectl get pods
kubectl describe demo-web
```

```
kubectl set image deployment/demo-web demo-web=rstropek/docker-image-versioning:2.0
kubectl rollout status deployment/demo-web
kubectl get deployment demo-web
```

```
kubectl rollout history deployment demo-web
kubectl rollout history deployment demo-web --revision=2
kubectl rollout undo deployment demo-web
```

Rolling Updates



Storage

Storage

Volumes

Volume's lifetime bound to Pod's lifetime

Different types of volumes including cloud (Azure, Google, etc.), path on host, GitHub, etc.

[More...](#)

PersistentVolume (PV)

Similar to a Node

Admin provides storage with certain properties (capacity, performance, etc.)

Different types of volumes including cloud ([Azure](#), Google, etc.), path on host, etc.

PersistentVolumeClaim (PVC)

Similar to Pod

Request for storage (PV) by a user

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Pod
metadata:
  name: host-path
  labels:
    app: host-path
spec:
  containers:
  - image: nginx
    name: host-path
    volumeMounts:
    - mountPath: /usr/share/nginx/html
      name: test-volume
  volumes:
  - name: test-volume
    hostPath:
      path: /host_mnt/c/temp/kubernetes-data
      type: Directory
```

```
---
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: host-path-svc
spec:
  selector:
    app: host-path
  ports:
  - port: 80
    targetPort: 80
  type: NodePort
```

Volumes

Docker for Windows

Mount Windows folder

```
kind: StorageClass
apiVersion: storage.k8s.io/v1
metadata:
  name: k8sworkshop-files
provisioner: kubernetes.io/azure-file
parameters:
  storageAccount: k8sworkshop
---
```

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: PersistentVolumeClaim
metadata:
  name: k8sworkshop-pvc
spec:
  accessModes:
    - ReadWriteOnce
  storageClassName: k8sworkshop-files
resources:
  requests:
    storage: 5Gi
```

PV, PVC

With Azure

The screenshot displays the Azure portal interface for the resource group **MC_docker-workshop_workshop-kube_westeurope**. On the left sidebar, under the 'Resource groups' section, the resource **docker-workshop** is highlighted with a red box. A red arrow points from this resource to the **k8sworkshop** storage account listed in the main resource list on the right. The main list shows 15 items, including various Kubernetes components like nodepools, agents, and network resources, as well as the **k8sworkshop** storage account.

NAME	TYPE
nodepool1-availabilitySet-35504549	Availability set
aks-nodepool1-35504549-0_OsDisk_1_c5d0b200a45141f19f1be2ffb...	Disk
aks-nodepool1-35504549-1_OsDisk_1_7fd1429f07bf4f76ae4d518106...	Disk
kubernetes	Load balancer
cse-agent-0 (aks-nodepool1-35504549-0/cse-agent-0)	Microsoft.Compute/virtualMachine...
cse-agent-1 (aks-nodepool1-35504549-1/cse-agent-1)	Microsoft.Compute/virtualMachine...
aks-nodepool1-35504549-nic-0	Network interface
aks-nodepool1-35504549-nic-1	Network interface
aks-agentpool-35504549-nsg	Network security group
kubernetes-a4b29a9fc68ca1e89a240a58actf016	Public IP address
aks-agentpool-35504549-routetable	Route table
k8sworkshop	Storage account
aks-nodepool1-35504549-0	Virtual machine
aks-nodepool1-35504549-1	Virtual machine
aks-vnet-35504549	Virtual network


```
apiVersion: v1
kind: PersistentVolumeClaim
metadata:
  name: azure-managed-disk
spec:
  accessModes:
    - ReadWriteOnce
  storageClassName: default
  resources:
    requests:
      storage: 5Gi
---
kind: Pod
apiVersion: v1
metadata:
  name: nginx
spec:
  containers:
    - name: mywebserver
      image: nginx
      volumeMounts:
        - mountPath: "/usr/share/nginx/html"
          name: volume
  volumes:
    - name: volume
      persistentVolumeClaim:
        claimName: azure-managed-disk
```

PV, PVC

With Azure

Mount Windows folder

AKS

Azure Container Service – Kubernetes



AKS

Managed Kubernetes in Azure

No direct access (SSH) to the cluster

Note preview limitations

At the time of writing, no deployments possible in West Europe

[Read more...](#)

```
# Note: Uses demo app from  
# https://github.com/Azure-Samples/azure-voting-app-redis.git
```

```
cd ~/GitHub/azure-voting-app-redis  
cat cat docker-compose.yaml
```

```
docker-compose up -d
```

```
# Try app at http://your-ip:8080
```

```
docker images  
docker ps
```

```
docker-compose stop  
docker-compose down
```

Demo

Prepare image

Create images locally

Test application locally

```
az provider register -n Microsoft.ContainerService

# Create service principal for AKS (or change password)
# This is necessary if you want to use ACR with AKS
az ad sp create-for-rbac --name azurecaas \
    --password P@ssw0rd123
az ad sp credential reset --name azurecaas \
    --password P@ssw0rd123

# Assign "reader" role for ACR to AKS service principal
az acr show --name azurecaas --resource-group azure-caas-demo \
    --query "id"
az role assignment create \
    --assignee ...(app id) --role Reader --scope ...(ACR id)

# Create AKS cluster
az aks create --resource-group azure-caas-demo \
    --name azure-caas-kube --node-count 1 --generate-ssh-keys \
    --location westeurope --client-secret P@ssw0rd123 \
    --service-principal ...(app id)
```

Demo

Create AKS Cluster

Push demo image to ACR

Create service principal for
AKS

Create AKS cluster

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/aks/kubernetes-walkthrough>

Note: Due to preview limitations, location has to be *eastus*, for details see
https://github.com/Azure/AKS/blob/master/preview_regions.md

```
# Connect kubectl with AKS
az aks get-credentials --resource-group azure-caas-demo \
  --name azure-caas-kube

# Check connection to AKS
kubectl config get-contexts
kubectl config use-context ...
kubectl config current-context
kubectl get nodes

# Start Kubernetes dashboard (CMD, not bash!)
az aks browse --resource-group azure-caas-demo \
  --name azure-caas-kube

# Scale Kubernetes server
az aks scale --resource-group azure-caas-demo \
  --name azure-caas-kube --node-count 2
```

Demo

Create AKS Cluster

Deploy app to AKS

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Deploy a Web API to Kubernetes

Web API details

Web API implemented with Node.js (sources on [GitHub](#), [Dockerfile](#))

Automated build of image in Docker Hub ([rstropek/node-mongo-sample](#))

Uses MongoDB (Docker Hub image *mongo*) to store data

Your Job

Deploy MongoDB to Kubernetes

For debugging purposes, add a service to access MongoDB using e.g. *RoboMongo*

Deploy *rstropek/node-mongo-sample* (cluster of two replicas) and connect it to MongoDB

Add a service that makes the Web API available on the network

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: event-db
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: event-db
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: event-db
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: event-db
          image: mongo
          ports:
            - containerPort: 27017
---
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: event-db-svc
spec:
  selector:
    app: event-db
  ports:
    - port: 27017
      targetPort: 27017
  type: NodePort
```

Manifest

Mongo

Tip: In real world, use
stateful set

<https://kubernetes.io/blog/2017/01/running-mongodb-on-kubernetes-with-statefulsets/>


```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: api
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: api
  replicas: 2
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: api
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: api
          image: rstropek/node-mongo-sample
          ports:
            - containerPort: 80
          env:
            - name: MONGO_URL
              value: "mongodb://event-db-svc/member-management"
---
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: api-svc
spec:
  selector:
    app: api
  ports:
    - port: 80
      targetPort: 80
  type: NodePort
```

Manifest

API

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Q&A

Thank you for attending!



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