

# Kubernetes

- A container orchestration tool hosted by cloud native computing foundation (CNCF), developed by Google

## Features

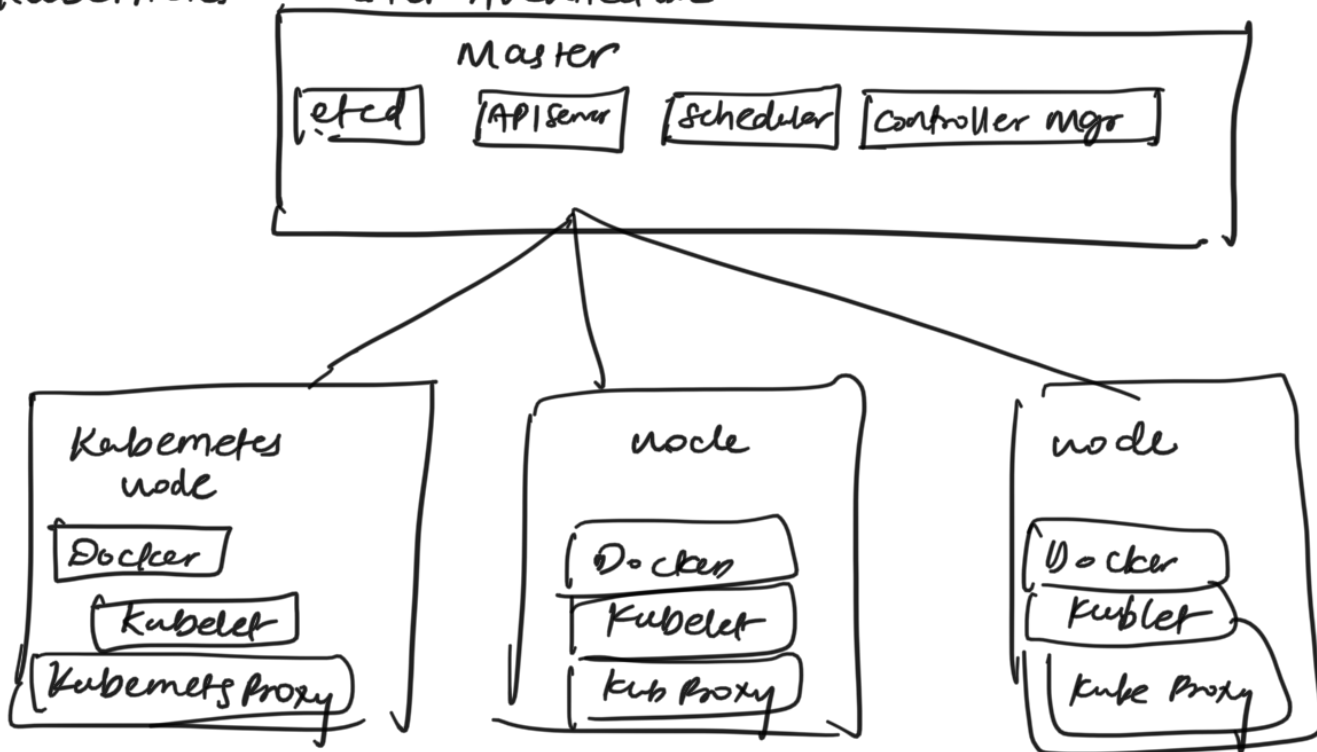
- CLOUD
  - Containerized infrastructure
  - Application centric management
  - Auto scalable infrastructure
  - Env consistency across dev, test, prod
  - Loosely coupled infrastructure.
  - High density of resource utilization
- It can run application on clusters of physical and virtual machine infrastructure.
  - Can also run apps on cloud.

What do orchestration tools offer?

1. High Availability
2. Scalability
3. Disaster Recovery

Kubelet - Kubernetes process that makes it possible for the cluster to talk/communicate with each other and execute some tasks on those nodes

## Kubernetes - Cluster Architecture



etcd: k8s backed key value store

- accessible to everyone
- may have sensitive info.

API server: Endpoint to K8S Cluster

- provides all operations on the cluster.

**Controller Manager** : Keeps track of what is happening in the cluster

- collect & send info to API server. continuously.
- make changes to bring current status to desired state.

**Scheduler** - ensures pod placement

- distribute workload.
- track utilization of working load on cluster nodes.

**Node Components**

Docker

Kubelet - for communication

- interacts with etcd to read config details
- etcd interact with master to received commands & work.
- manage network rules, port forwarding.

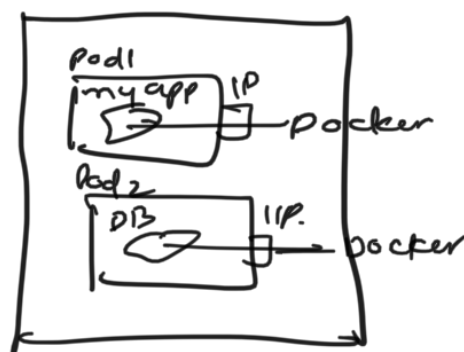
K8S Proxy - make service available to external host

- load balancing.
- make sure networking env is predictable
- and accessible as well as isolated.
- manages pods on node, volume, secrets, health check, create new containers etc.

We can have multiple replicas of Master in case one fails.

Pod:

- smallest unit of K8S
- Abstraction over container
- Usually 1 application per pod
- Each pod has its own IP address.
- New IP address on recreation



Service

- a permanent IP address connected to a pod.
- helps in load balancing & scaling.
- REST object in K8S. whose definition can be posted to K8S api server on master to create new instance.
- a logical set of pods.  
eg.  
apiVersion: v1  
kind: Service  
metadata:  
name: Tutorial

Spec:

ports:

- port: 8080

targetPort: 31999

### Types of Service

#### Cluster IP

- restrict service within cluster

#### NodePort

expose to static port on deployed node  
cluster IP is automatically created.

#### Load Balancer

It uses Cloud providers load balancer.  
NodePort & ClusterIP are created automatically to which external lb will route

Configmap: map of configuration

- external configuration of your application

eg DB-URL = mongo-db-service

- You don't have to build new images everytime the db url is changed
- Don't put credentials here.

### Secrets

- used to store secret data
- base 64 encoded

### Volumes

- Attaches your physical storage to the pod

### Deployment

- blueprint for my-app pods.
- You create Deployments
- can scale up/down
- if one pod is not available we use other replica.
- DB can't be replicated using deployment

### Stateful Set

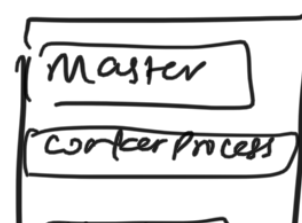
- meant for databases.
- to maintain consistency in db

DB's are often hosted outside K8s cluster

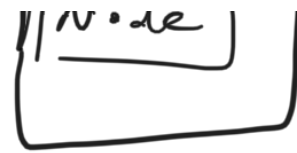
Ingress - route traffic to cluster.

### Minikube

- creates virtualbox on laptop
- Node runs in that Virtualbox



- 1 Node K8S cluster
- for testing purposes.



## kubectl.

- a way to interact with cluster
- a command line tool
- API Server
  - UI
  - API
  - CLI (kubectl)

## Installation

```

brew update
brew install hyperkit
brew install minikube (will install kubectl automatically)

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minikube start --vm-driver=hyperkit
                    which hypervisor to use.

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kubectl get nodes → get status of nodes.

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minikube status → u → Client & Server version.

kubectl get pods

kubectl get services

Deployment - abstraction over pods

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kubectl create deployment NAME --image=image
[options]

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kubectl create deployment nginx-depl --image=nginx

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kubectl get deployment

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kubectl get pod

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kubectl logs [podname]

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kubectl describe pod [podname]

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kubectl exec -it podname --bin/bash

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kubectl apply -f configfile.yaml → add all options, image,
                                   name in config file & use it

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kubectl apply -f secrets.yaml.

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nodePort 30000 - 32767.

clusterIP - Internal

LoadBalance - External.