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Experiment 3

Aim: To understand the Kubernetes Cluster Architecture, install and Spin Up a Kubernetes Cluster on Linux Machines/Cloud Platforms.

Theory:

Container-based microservices architectures have revolutionized how development and operations teams test and deploy modern software. Containers allow companies to scale and deploy applications more efficiently, but they also introduce new challenges, adding complexity by creating a whole new infrastructure ecosystem.

Today, both large and small software companies are deploying thousands of container instances daily. Managing this level of complexity at scale requires advanced tools. Enter Kubernetes.

Originally developed by Google, Kubernetes is an open-source container orchestration platform designed to automate the deployment, scaling, and management of containerized applications. Kubernetes has quickly become the de facto standard for container orchestration and is the flagship project of the Cloud Native Computing Foundation (CNCF), supported by major players like Google, AWS, Microsoft, IBM, Intel, Cisco, and Red Hat.

Kubernetes simplifies the deployment and operation of applications in a microservice architecture by providing an abstraction layer over a group of hosts. This allows development teams to deploy their applications while Kubernetes takes care of key tasks, including:

- Managing resource consumption by applications or teams
- Distributing application load evenly across the infrastructure
- Automatically load balancing requests across multiple instances of an application Monitoring resource usage to prevent applications from exceeding resource limits and automatically restarting them if needed
- Moving application instances between hosts when resources are low or if a host fails
 Automatically utilizing additional resources when new hosts are added to the cluster
 Facilitating canary deployments and rollbacks with ease

Necessary Requirements:

- EC2 Instance: The experiment required launching a t2.medium EC2 instance with 2 CPUs, as Kubernetes demands sufficient resources for effective functioning.
- Minimum Requirements:
 - Instance Type: t2.medium
 - o CPUs: 2
 - Memory: Adequate for container orchestration.

This ensured that the Kubernetes cluster had the necessary resources to function smoothly

Create 2 Security Groups for Master and Nodes and add the following rules inbound rules in those Groups.

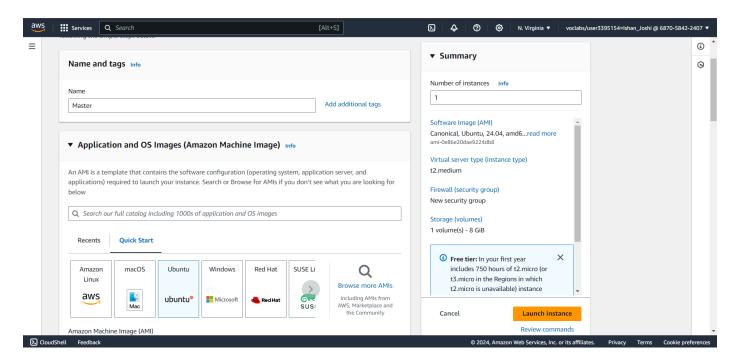
Master:

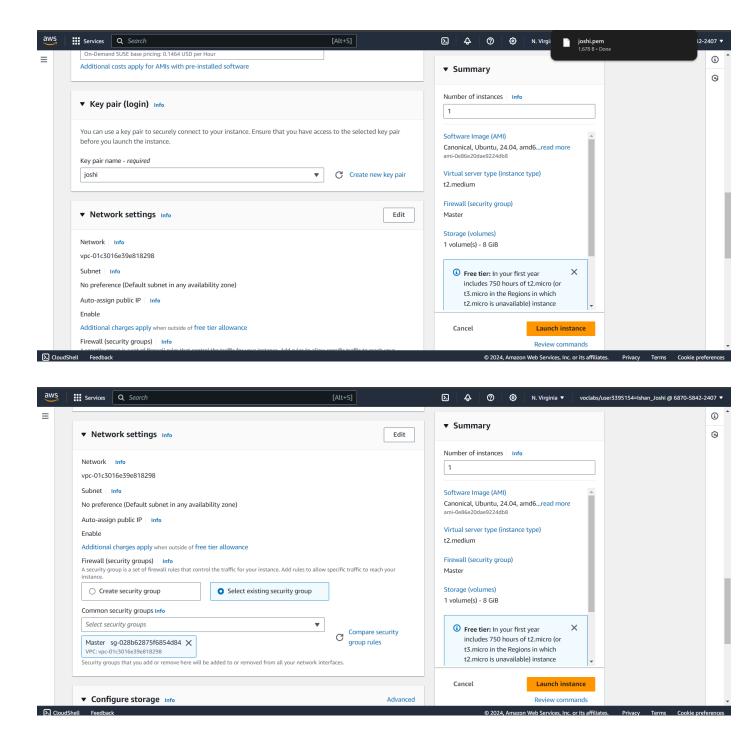
Node:

Step 1: Log in to your AWS Academy/personal account and launch 3 new Ec2 Instances. Select Ubuntu as AMI and t2.medium as Instance Type and create a key of type RSA with .pem extension and move the downloaded key to the new folder. We can use 3 Different keys or 1 common key also. Note: A minimum of 2 CPUs are required so Please select t2.medium and do not forget to stop the instance after the experiment because it is not available in the free tier.

Also Select Security groups from existing.

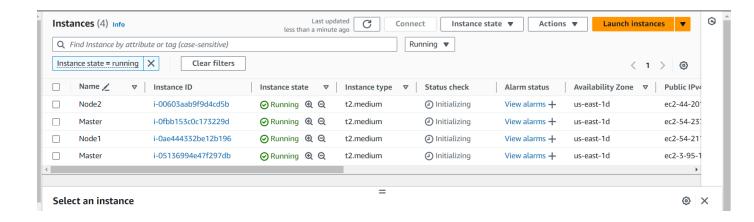
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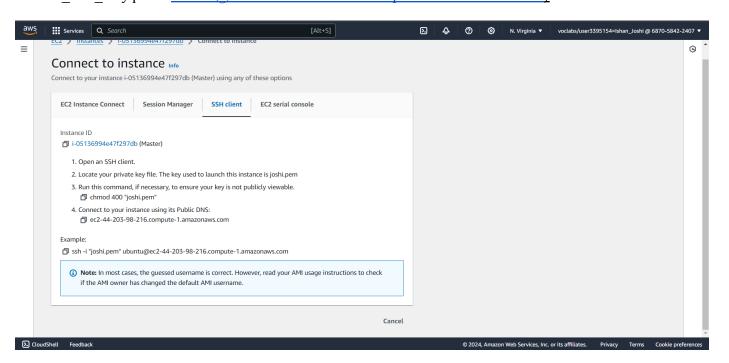


Do Same for 2 Nodes and use security groups of Node for that.

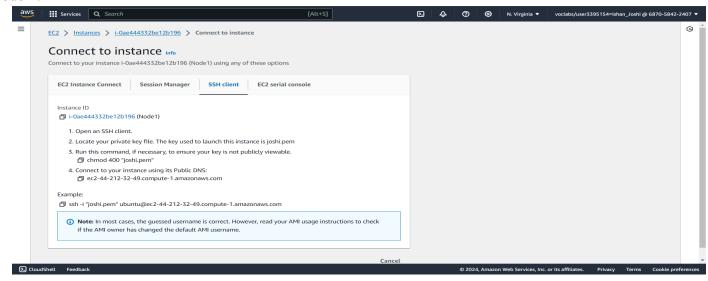
Step 2: After creating the instances click on Connect & connect all 3 instances and navigate to SSH Client.



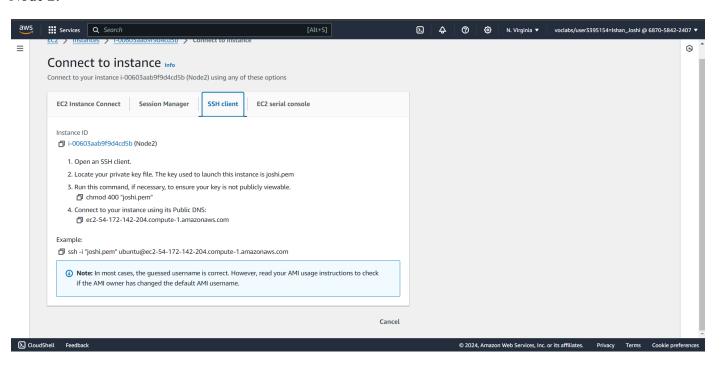
Step 3: Now open the folder in the terminal 3 times for Master, Node1& Node 2 where our .pem key is stored and paste the Example command (starting with ssh -i) in the terminal.(ssh -i "Master Ec2 Key.pem" ubuntu@ec2-54-196-129-215.compute-1.amazonaws.com) Master:



Node 1:



Node 2:



Step 4: Run on Master, Node 1, and Node 2 the below commands to install and setup Docker in Master, Node1, and Node2.

curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key add - curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo tee /etc/apt/trusted.gpg.d/docker.gpg > /dev/null

sudo add-apt-repository "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \$(lsb release -cs) stable"

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sudo apt-get update sudo apt-get install -y docker-ce

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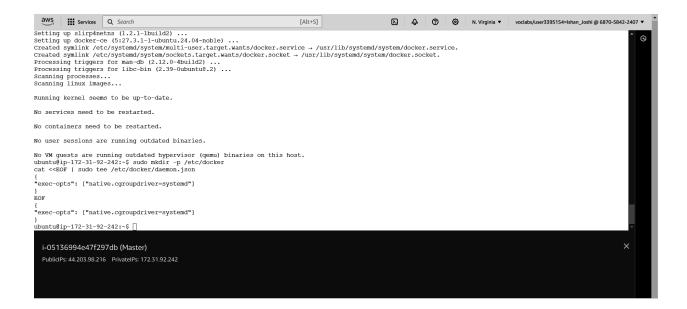
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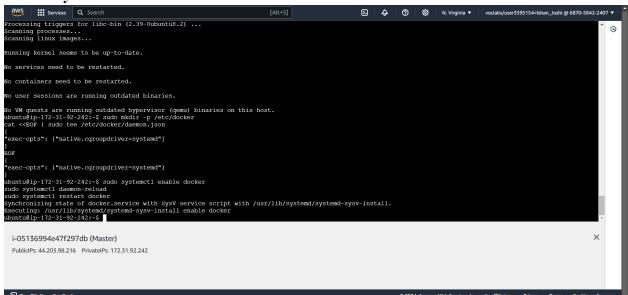
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sudo mkdir -p /etc/docker
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/docker/daemon.json
{
    "exec-opts": ["native.cgroupdriver=systemd"]
}
EOF</pre>
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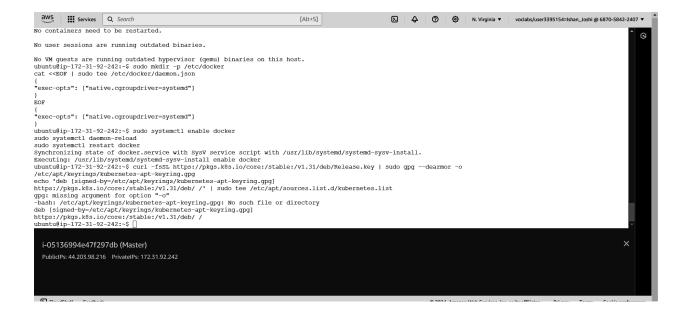
sudo systemctl enable docker sudo systemctl daemon-reload sudo systemctl restart docker



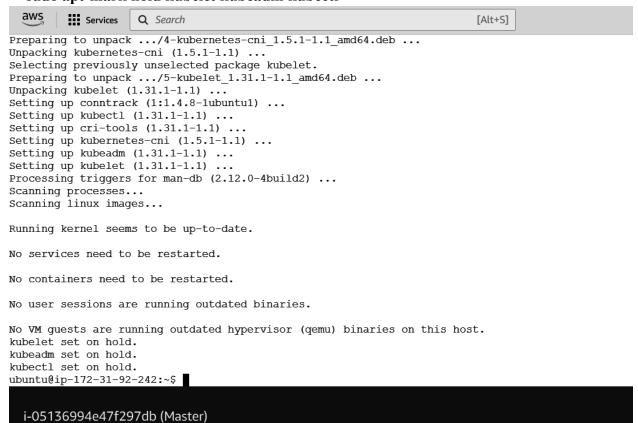
Step 5: Run the below command to install Kubernets.

curl -fsSL https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/deb/Release.key | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /etc/apt/keyrings/kubernetes-apt-keyring.gpg

echo 'deb [signed-by=/etc/apt/keyrings/kubernetes-apt-keyring.gpg] https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/deb//'| sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/kubernetes.list

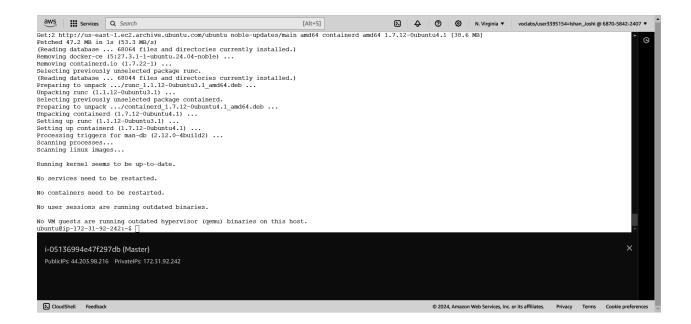


sudo apt-get update sudo apt-get install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl sudo apt-mark hold kubelet kubeadm kubectl



sudo systemctl enable --now kubelet

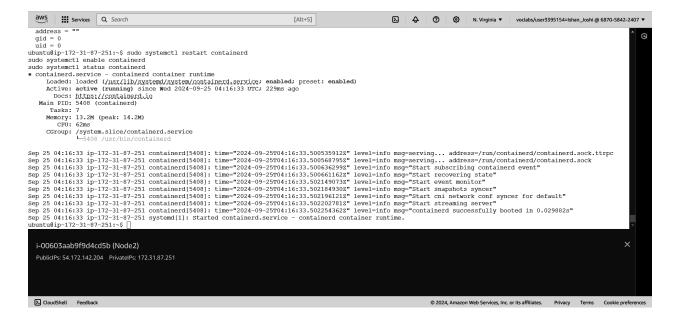
sudo apt-get install -y containerd



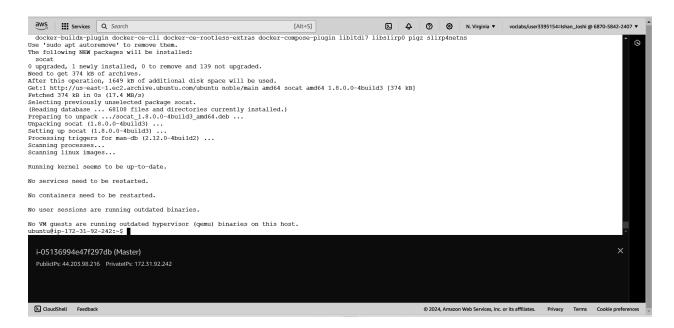
sudo mkdir -p /etc/containerd sudo containerd config default | sudo tee /etc/containerd/config.toml



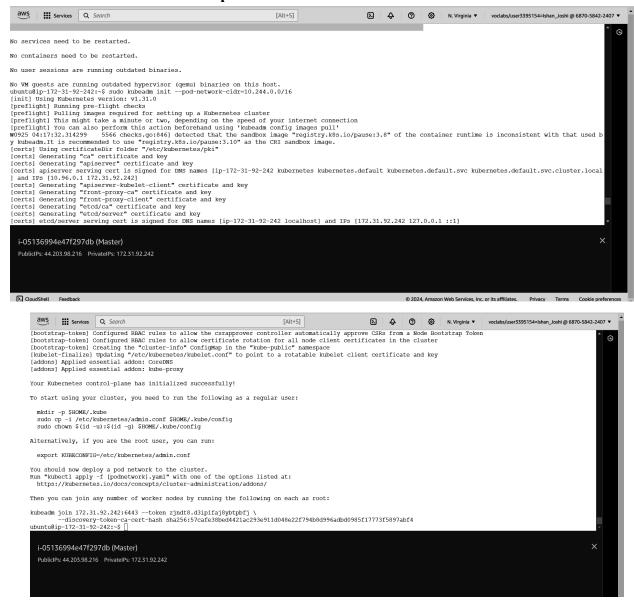
sudo systemctl restart containerd sudo systemctl enable containerd sudo systemctl status containerd



sudo apt-get install -y socat



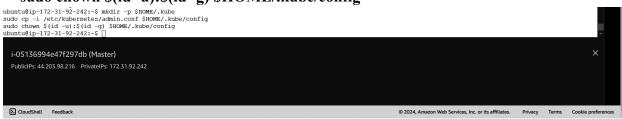
Step 6: Initialize the Kubecluster .Now Perform this Command only for Master. **sudo kubeadm init --pod-network-cidr=10.244.0.0/16**



Run this command on master and also copy and save the Join command from above.

mkdir -p \$HOME/.kube

sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf \$HOME/.kube/config sudo chown \$(id -u):\$(id -g) \$HOME/.kube/config



Step 7: Now Run the command kubectl get nodes to see the nodes before executing Join command

on nodes.



Step 8: Now Run the following command on Node 1 and Node 2 to Join to master.

sudo kubeadm join 172.31.27.176:6443 --token ttay2x.n0sqeukjai8sgfg3 \ --discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:d6fc5fb7e984c83e2807780047fec6c4f2acfe9da9184ecc028d77157608fbb6

Node 1:

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This node has joined the cluster:
* Certificate signing request was sent to apiserver and a response was received.
* The Kubelt was informed of the new secure connection details.
 Run 'kubectl get nodes' on the control-plane to see this node join the cluster.
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Node 2:

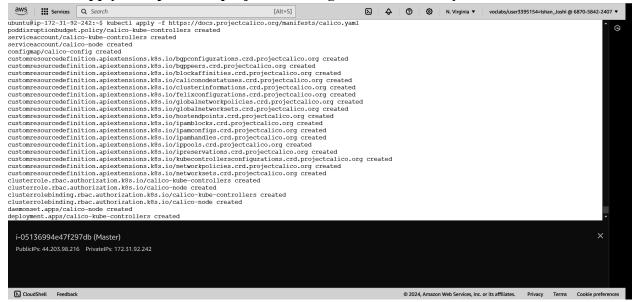


Step 9: Now Run the command kubectl get nodes to see the nodes after executing Join command on nodes.

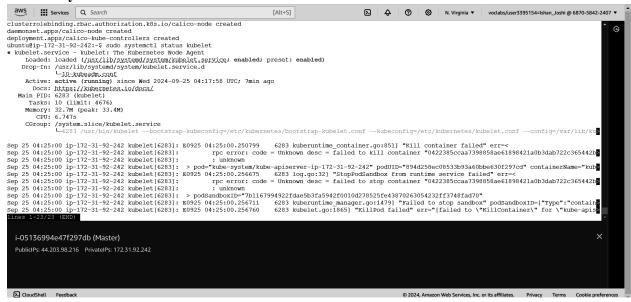


Step 10: Since Status is NotReady we have to add a network plugin. And also we have to give the name to the nodes.

kubectl apply -f https://docs.projectcalico.org/manifests/calico.yaml



sudo systemctl status kubelet



command kubectl get nodes -o wide we can see Status is ready.

| ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:~\$ kubectl get nodes -o wide | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|---------|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| NAME STATUS I | ROLES AGE | VERSION | INTERNAL-IP | EXTERNAL-IP | OS-IMAGE | KERNEL-VERSION | CONTAINER-RUNTIME |
| ip-172-31-85-255 Ready | <none> 2m47s</none> | v1.31.1 | 172.31.85.255 | <none></none> | Ubuntu 24.04 LTS | 6.8.0-1012-aws | containerd://1.7.12 |
| ip-172-31-87-251 Ready | <none> 2m11s</none> | v1.31.1 | 172.31.87.251 | <none></none> | Ubuntu 24.04 LTS | 6.8.0-1012-aws | containerd://1.7.12 |
| ip-172-31-92-242 Ready | control-plane 7m55s | v1.31.1 | 172.31.92.242 | <none></none> | Ubuntu 24.04 LTS | 6.8.0-1012-aws | containerd://1.7.12 |
| ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:~\$ | | | | | | | |
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Now to Rename run this command

kubectl label node ip-172-31-18-135 kubernetes.io/role=worker

Rename to Node 1:kubectl label node ip-172-31-28-117 kubernetes.io/role=Node1 Rename to Node 2:kubectl label node ip-172-31-18-135 kubernetes.io/role=Node2

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:-$ kubectl label node ip-172-31-85-255 kubernetes.io/role=Nodel node/ip-172-31-85-255 labeled ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:-$ kubectl label node ip-172-31-87-251 kubernetes.io/role=Node2 node/ip-172-31-97-251 labeled ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:-$ 

i-05136994e47f297db (Master)

PublicIPs: 44.203.98.216 PrivateIPs: 172.31.92.242
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Step 11: Run command kubectl get nodes -o wide . And Hence we can see we have Successfully connected Node 1 and Node 2 to the Master.

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-92-242:~$ kubect1 get nodes
NAME
ip-172-31-85-255
                                               8m34s
                                                                                                   Ubuntu 24.04 LTS
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                    Ready
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ip-172-31-87-251
ip-172-31-92-242
                    Ready
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  i-05136994e47f297db (Master)
  PublicIPs: 44.203.98.216 PrivateIPs: 172.31.92.242
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Or run kubectl get nodes



Conclusion: In this experiment, we effectively established a Kubernetes cluster comprising a single master and two worker nodes using AWS EC2 instances. We began by installing Docker, Kubernetes components (kubelet, kubeadm, and kubectl), and containerd on each node. Following this, the master node was initialized, and the worker nodes were joined to the cluster. Although the nodes initially appeared in the NotReady state, installing the Calico network plugin resolved this issue. We also assigned appropriate labels to the nodes, designating their roles as control-plane and worker. Ultimately,

| the cluster became fully operational with all nodes in the Ready state, confirming the successful setup and orchestration of Kubernetes. |
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