You can increase the number of pods in your Deployment by applying a new YAML file. This YAML file sets replicas to 4, which specifies that the Deployment should have four pods:

deployment-scale.yaml

```
apiVersion: apps/v1 # for versions before 1.9.0 use apps/v1beta2
kind: Deployment
metadata:
 Name: <your-deployment-name>
spec:
 selector:
       matchLabels:
       app: ril
 replicas: 4 # Update the replicas from 2 to 4
 template:
       metadata:
       labels:
       app: ril
       spec:
       containers:
       - name: ril
       image: ayed755/ril:v2
       ports:
       - containerPort: 80
```

1. Apply the new YAML file:

\$ kubectl apply -f deployment-scale.yaml

2. Verify that the Deployment has four pods:

\$ kubectl get pods -l app=nginx

3. The output is similar to this:

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTAF	RTS	AGE
arshad-deployment-148	880595-4zdc	qq 1/1	Running	0	25s
arshad-deployment-148	880595-6zgi	1 1/1	Running	0	25s
arshad-deployment-148	880595-fxcez	z 1/1	Running	0	2m
arshad-deployment-148	880595-rwov	n 1/1	Running	0	2m