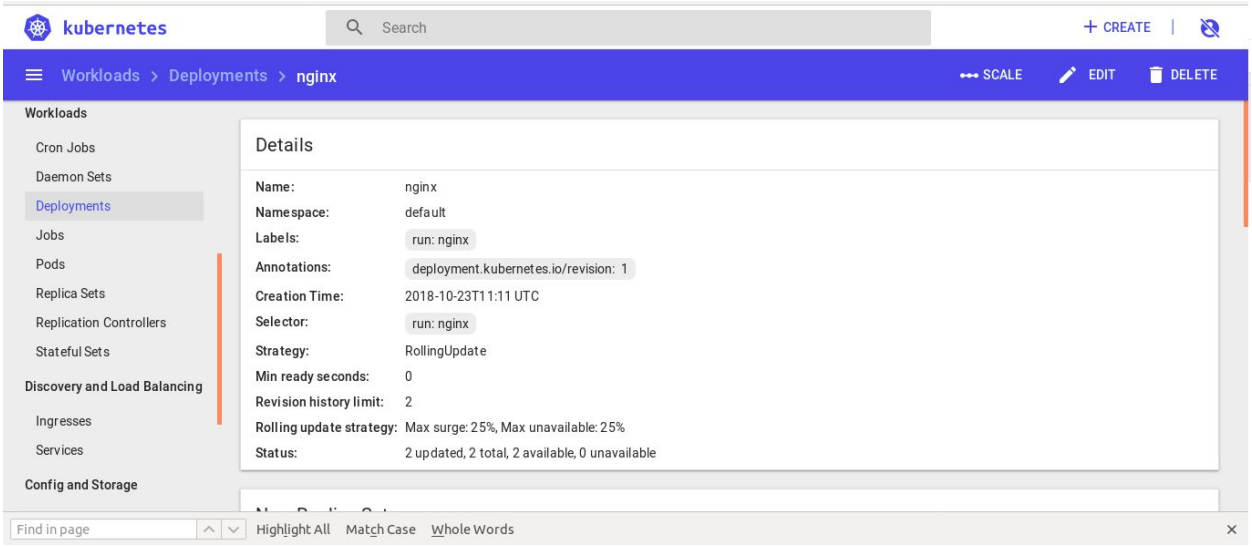
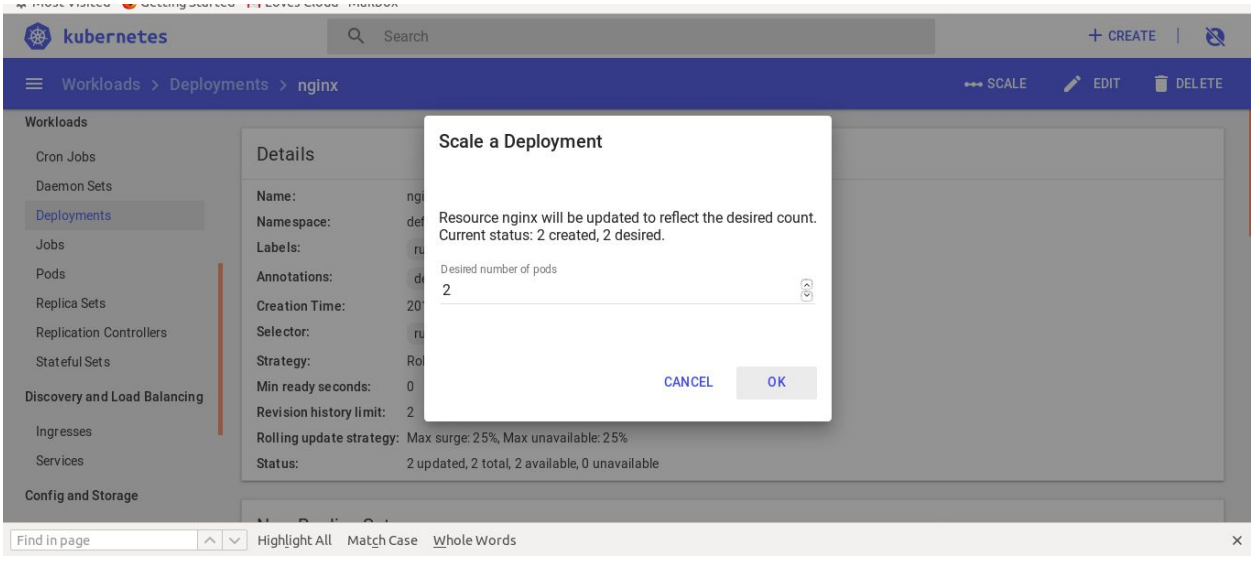
You can Scale your running deployments from the K8s Dashboard and CLI

Note: Do not scale the app above 3 else the deployments will fail because of resource over utilization.

1. Login to the K8s Dashboard and browse to the Deployments.



2. Click on **SCALE** on the top right

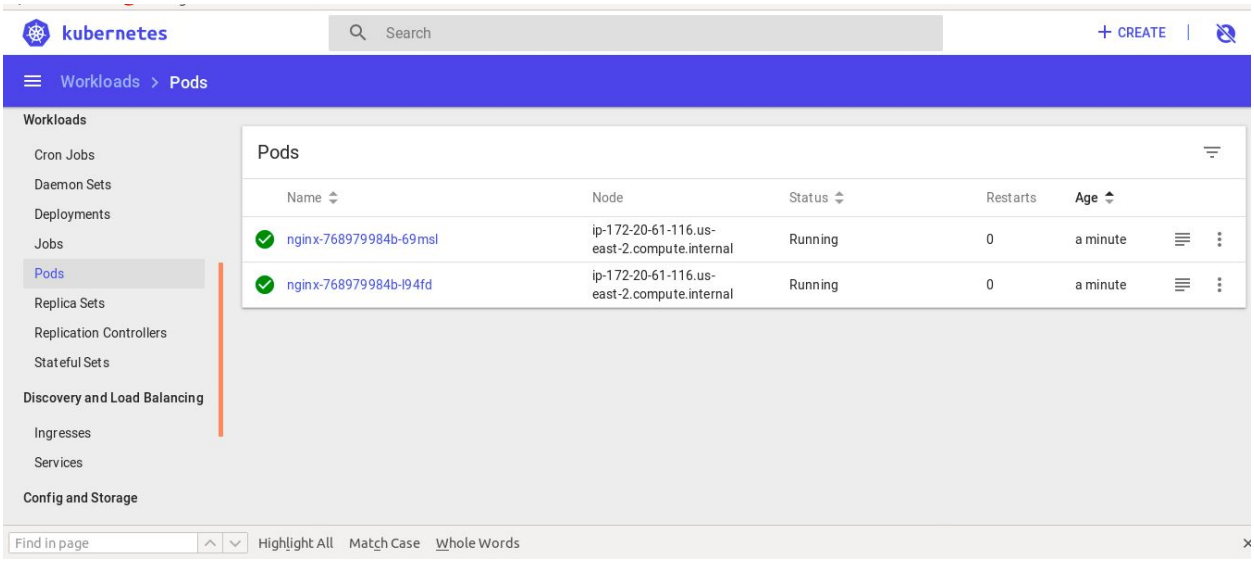


3. Enter the desired number of **PODS** (Containers).

(A *Pod* is the basic building block of Kubernetes–the smallest and simplest unit in the Kubernetes object model that you create or deploy. A Pod represents a running process on your cluster.

You can think of a **Pod** as a wrapper around a single **container**, **and** Kubernetes manages the **Pods** rather than the **containers** directly. **Pods** that run multiple **containers** that need to work together.

You can observe under Pods that your application has been scaled to the desired number.



Cleaning UP.

Scale down the deployments again to 1 before moving on to the next lab.