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## **Exercise 7.5: Rollout and Rollback using DaemonSet**

One of the advantages of micro-services is the ability to replace and upgrade a container while continuing to respond to client requests. We will use the OnDelete setting that upgrades a container when the predecessor is deleted.



## nginx versions

The **nginx** software updates on a distinct timeline from Kubernetes. If the lab shows an older version please use the current default, and then a newer version. Versions can be seen with this command: **sudo docker image Is nginx** 

1. Begin by viewing the current updateStrategy setting for the DaemonSet created in the previous section.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl get ds ds-one -o yaml | grep -A 4 Strategy

updateStrategy:
   rollingUpdate:
    maxSurge:; 0
   maxUnavailable: 1
   type: RollingUpdate
```

2. Edit the object to use the OnDelete update strategy. This would allow the manual termination of some of the pods, resulting in an updated image when they are recreated.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl edit ds ds-one

....
  updateStrategy:
    rollingUpdate:
       maxUnavailable: 1
    type: OnDelete #<-- Edit to be this line
status:</pre>
```

3. Update the DaemonSet to use a newer version of the **nginx** server. This time use the **set** command instead of **edit**. Set the version to be 1.16.1-alpine.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl set image ds ds-one nginx=nginx:1.26-alpine --record
```

```
Flag --record has been deprecated, --record will be removed in the future daemonset.apps/ds-one image updated
```

4. Verify that the Image: parameter for the Pod checked in the previous section is unchanged.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl describe po ds-one-b1dcv |grep Image:
```

```
Image: nginx:1.22.1
```

5. Delete the Pod. Wait until the replacement Pod is running and check the version.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl delete po ds-one-b1dcv
```

```
pod "ds-one-b1dcv" deleted
```

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl get pod
```



```
NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE
ds-one-xc86w 1/1 Running 0 19s
ds-one-z31r4 1/1 Running 0 4m8s
```

student@cp:~\$ kubectl describe pod ds-one-xc86w | grep Image:

```
Image: nginx:1.26-alpine
```

6. View the image running on the older Pod. It should still show version 1.22.1.

student@cp:~\$ kubectl describe pod ds-one-z31r4 |grep Image:

```
Image: nginx:1.22.1
```

7. View the history of changes for the DaemonSet. You should see two revisions listed. As we did not add the the change-cause annotation we didn't see why the object updated.

student@cp:~\$ kubectl rollout history ds ds-one

```
daemonset.apps/ds-one
REVISION CHANGE-CAUSE

1 <none>
2 kubectl set image ds ds-one nginx=nginx:1.26-alpine --record=true
```

8. View the settings for the various versions of the DaemonSet. The Image: line should be the only difference between the two outputs.

student@cp:~\$ kubectl rollout history ds ds-one --revision=1

student@cp:~\$ kubectl rollout history ds ds-one --revision=2

```
....
Image: nginx:1.26-alpine
.....
```

9. Use kubectl rollout undo to change the DaemonSet back to an earlier version. As we are still using the OnDelete strategy there should be no change to the Pods.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl rollout undo ds ds-one --to-revision=1
```



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```
daemonset.apps/ds-one rolled back

student@cp:~$ kubectl describe pod ds-one-xc86w | grep Image:

Image: nginx:1.26-alpine
```

10. Delete the Pod, wait for the replacement to spawn then check the image version again.

student@cp:~\$ kubectl delete pod ds-one-xc86w

```
pod "ds-one-xc86w" deleted
```

student@cp:~\$ kubectl get pod

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
ds-one-qc72k	1/1	Running	0	10s
ds-one-xc86w	0/1	Terminating	0	12m
ds-one-z31r4	1/1	Running	0	28m

student@cp:~\$ kubectl describe po ds-one-qc72k |grep Image:

```
Image: nginx:1.22.1
```

11. View the details of the DaemonSet. The Image should be v1.22.1 in the output.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl describe ds |grep Image:
```

```
Image: nginx:1.22.1
```

12. View the current configuration for the DaemonSet in YAML output. Look for the updateStrategy: the the type:

13. Create a new DaemonSet, this time setting the update policy to RollingUpdate. Begin by generating a new config file.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl get ds ds-one -o yaml > ds2.yaml
```

14. Edit the file. Change the name, around line 69 and the update strategy around line 100, back to the default RollingUpdate.

```
student@cp:~$ vim ds2.yaml
```



```
name: ds-two
....
type: RollingUpdate
```

15. Create the new DaemonSet and verify the **nginx** version in the new pods.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl create -f ds2.yaml
```

```
daemonset.apps/ds-two created
```

## student@cp:~\$ kubectl get pod

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ds-one-qc72k	1/1	Running	0	28m
ds-one-z31r4	1/1	Running	0	57m
ds-two-10khc	1/1	Running	0	5m
ds-two-kzp9g	1/1	Running	0	5m

student@cp:~\$ kubectl describe po ds-two-10khc |grep Image:

```
Image: nginx:1.15.1
```

16. Edit the configuration file and set the image to a newer version such as 1.26-alpine.

17. View the age of the DaemonSets. It should be around ten minutes old, depending on how fast you type.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl get ds ds-two
```

```
NAME DESIRED CURRENT READY UP-TO-DATE AVAILABLE NODE-SELECTOR AGE ds-two 2 2 2 2 2 <none> 10m
```

18. Now view the age of the Pods. Two should be much younger than the DaemonSet. They are also a few seconds apart due to the nature of the rolling update where one then the other pod was terminated and recreated.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl get pod
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
ds-one-qc72k	1/1	Running	0	36m
ds-one-z31r4	1/1	Running	0	1h
ds-two-2p8vz	1/1	Running	0	34s
ds-two-81x7k	1/1	Running	0	32s
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19. Verify the Pods are using the new version of the software.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl describe po ds-two-81x7k |grep Image:
```



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```
Image: nginx:1.16.1-alpine
```

20. View the rollout status and the history of the DaemonSets.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl rollout status ds ds-two

daemon set "ds-two" successfully rolled out
```

21. Clean up the system by removing the DaemonSets.

```
student@cp:~$ kubectl delete ds ds-one ds-two
```

```
daemonset.apps "ds-one" deleted daemonset.apps "ds-two" deleted
```