

Lab Exercise 9- Create Service in Kubernetes

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Objective:

- Understand the syntax and structure of a Kubernetes Service definition file (YAML).

Prerequisites

- Kubernetes Cluster: Have a running Kubernetes cluster (locally using Minikube or kind, or a cloud-based service).
- kubectl: Install and configure kubectl to interact with your Kubernetes cluster.
- Basic Knowledge of YAML: Familiarity with YAML format will be helpful for understanding Kubernetes resource definitions.

Step-by-Step Guide

NodePort Service

To expose the Service on a port on each Node in the cluster, modify the Service type to NodePort.

Create a YAML file named ***service.yaml*** with the following content:

service.yaml

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: nodeport-service
spec:
  selector:
    app: web
  ports:
    - protocol: TCP
      port: 80
      targetPort: 80
      nodePort: 30007 # A specific port in the range 30000-32767
  type: NodePort
```



A screenshot of a dark-themed code editor window. The menu bar at the top includes 'File', 'Edit', 'View', and several icons on the right. The main area contains the YAML configuration for a 'Service' object named 'nodeport-service'. It specifies a selector for pods with 'app: web', a port mapping from 'port: 80' to 'targetPort: 80' on the pod, and an external 'nodePort' of '30007'. The 'type' is set to 'NodePort', which is highlighted in yellow. The code is formatted with four-space indentations.

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Explanation:

- The primary difference from the ClusterIP Service is the addition of `nodePort`, which specifies the static port on each Node.
- `type`: Set to `NodePort`, exposing the Service on a specific port across all Nodes.

Apply this YAML to create the NodePort Service:

```
kubectl apply -f nodeport-service.yaml
```

```
PS C:\Users\ASUS\Desktop> kubectl apply -f nodeport-service.yaml
service/nodeport-service created
```

Verify the Service:

```
kubectl get services
```

```
PS C:\Users\ASUS\Desktop> kubectl get services
NAME           TYPE      CLUSTER-IP   EXTERNAL-IP   PORT(S)
AGE
kubernetes     ClusterIP  10.96.0.1    <none>        443/TCP
46m
nodeport-service   NodePort   10.108.246.39 <none>        80:30007/TCP
23s
```

You should see the nodeport-service listed with a NodePort and details about the port exposed.