

# Deploy the sample app to EKS using CICD

In this chapter you will deploy a sample application using CodeCommit, CodePipeline & CodeBuild

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```
cd ~/environment/tfekscode/sampleapp
```

Be sure you have run the `terraform destroy -auto-approve` command in the previous step before proceeding with the steps below.

Before we start check CodeBuild is authorized to access the EKS cluster ok

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```
kubectl get -n kube-system configmap/aws-auth -o yaml | grep -i codebuild  
- rolearn: arn:aws:iam:xxxxxxxxxxxx:role/codebuild-eks-cicd-build-app-service-role
```

If you don't see a line of output similar to the line above - run this command:

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```
~/environment/tfekscode/nodecg/auth-cicd.sh
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Create a service credential to use with our CodeCommit git repo:

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```
usercred=$(aws iam create-service-specific-credential --user-name git-user --service-name  
codecommit.amazonaws.com)
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GIT_USERNAME=$(echo $usercred | jq -r '.ServiceSpecificCredential.ServiceUserName')
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GIT_PASSWORD=$(echo $usercred | jq -r '.ServiceSpecificCredential.ServicePassword')
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CREDENTIAL_ID=$(echo $usercred | jq -r '.ServiceSpecificCredential.ServiceSpecificCredentialId')
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test -n "$GIT_USERNAME" && echo GIT_USERNAME is "$GIT_USERNAME" || "echo GIT_USERNAME is not set"
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Clone the (empty) repo:

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test -n "$AWS_REGION" && echo AWS_REGION is "$AWS_REGION" || "echo AWS_REGION is not set"
wsid=$(aws ssm get-parameter --name /workshop/tf-eks/id --query Parameter.Value --output text)
git clone codecommit::$AWS_REGION://eksworkshop-app-${wsid}
Cloning into 'eksworkshop-app-xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx'...
```

'Namespace' object has no attribute 'cli\_binary\_format'  
warning: You appear to have cloned an empty repository.

Populate with our source files - including the special file **buildspec.yaml** which has the steps  
CodeBuild will follow.

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```
cd eksworkshop-app-${wsid}
cp ../buildspec.yml .
cp ../*.tf .
cp ../cleanup.sh .
cp ../tf-setup/generated/backend-k8scicd.tf backend-sampleapp.tf
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Add files to git, commit and push

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git add --all
git commit -m "Initial commit."
git push
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This should now trigger a few activities

Check you can see your code in CodeCommit - navigate to your repository in the console and confirm you can see the files:

The screenshot shows the AWS CodeCommit console. The left sidebar is titled 'Developer Tools' and 'CodeCommit'. It lists various actions: Source (CodeCommit), Getting started, Repositories, Code (highlighted), Pull requests, Commits, Branches, Git tags, Settings, Approval rule templates, Artifacts (CodeArtifact), Build (CodeBuild), Deploy (CodeDeploy), Pipeline (CodePipeline), and Settings. The main content area shows the repository 'eksworkshop-app' with a 'master' branch. A table lists the files in the repository:

Name
backend-sampleapp.tf
buildspec.yml
k8s.tf
null-cleanup.tf
sampleapp-deployment.tf
sampleapp-ingress.tf
sampleapp-namespace.tf
sampleapp-service.tf
vars-dynamodb.tf
vars-main.tf

Next check if the CodePipeline is running - navigate to it in the console

The screenshot shows the AWS CodePipeline console. The left sidebar is titled 'Developer Tools' and 'CodePipeline'. It lists various actions: Source (CodeCommit), Artifacts (CodeArtifact), Build (CodeBuild), Deploy (CodeDeploy), Pipeline (CodePipeline), Getting started, Pipelines, Pipeline (highlighted), History, Settings, and Settings. The main content area shows the pipeline 'pipe-eksworkshop-app'. The pipeline is in a 'Succeeded' state. The 'Source' action is highlighted, showing it was successful. The 'Build' action is also highlighted, showing it was successful. The pipeline execution ID is 'e9528d46-6721-4c13-803f-226fe9bbf171'.

You can also link through to the CodeBuild project:

The screenshot shows the AWS CodeBuild console for the project 'eks-cicd-build-app'. The left sidebar contains navigation links for Developer Tools, CodeBuild, Source (CodeCommit), Artifacts (CodeArtifact), Build (CodeBuild), Deploy (CodeDeploy), Pipeline (CodePipeline), and Settings. The main content area shows the project configuration and build history.

**Configuration**

Source provider	Primary repository	Artifacts upload location	Build badge
AWS CodeCommit	eksworkshop-app	-	Disabled

**Build history**

Build run	Status	Build number	Source version	Submitter	Duration	Completed
eks-cicd-build-app:8bea580e-b2d2-4b14-8e92-31336eb55a11	Succeeded	1	arn:aws:s3:::codepipeline-eks-ip-172-31-2-146-16-10121792796908977/pipe-eksworkshop-app/SourceArti/d5je8C1	codepipeline/pipe-eksworkshop-app	1 minute 21 seconds	10 minutes ago

And tail to logs of the build job (scroll the window or use the Tail Logs button):

The screenshot shows the AWS CodeBuild console for the build 'eks-cicd-build-app:8bea580e-b2d2-4b14-8e92-31336eb55a11'. The left sidebar contains navigation links for Developer Tools, CodeBuild, Source (CodeCommit), Artifacts (CodeArtifact), Build (CodeBuild), Deploy (CodeDeploy), Pipeline (CodePipeline), and Settings. The main content area shows the build status and logs.

**Build status**

Status	Initiator	Build ARN	Resolved source version
Succeeded	codepipeline/pipe-eksworkshop-app	arn:aws:codebuild:eu-west-1:136434655158:build/eks-cicd-build-app:8bea580e-b2d2-4b14-8e92-31336eb55a11	0cb0d4e307435291d3ac6b3fd7b7a098189857b0

**Build logs**

Showing the last 419 lines of the build log. [View entire log](#)

**Tail logs**

1 [Container] 2021/01/08 16:08:15 Waiting for agent ping  
2 [Container] 2021/01/08 16:08:17 Waiting for DOWNLOAD\_SOURCE  
3 [Container] 2021/01/08 16:08:18 Phase is DOWNLOAD\_SOURCE  
4 [Container] 2021/01/08 16:08:19 Configuring S3 artifacts for build/eks-cicd-build-app:8bea580e-b2d2-4b14-8e92-31336eb55a11

Check everything is running ?

```
kubectl get pods,svc,deployment -n game-2048 -o wide
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE	IP	NODE
NOMINATED NODE READINESS GATES						
pod/deployment-2048-76d4bff958-5w94k	1/1	Running	0	55s	100.64.143.56	ip-10-0-3-166.eu-west-1.compute.internal
<none> <none>						
pod/deployment-2048-76d4bff958-r4jhb	1/1	Running	0	55s	100.64.24.3	ip-10-0-1-228.eu-west-1.compute.internal
<none> <none>						

NAME	TYPE	CLUSTER-IP	EXTERNAL-IP	PORT(S)	AGE	SELECTOR
service/service-2048	NodePort	172.20.162.86	<none>	80:32624/TCP	20s	
app.kubernetes.io/name=app-2048						

NAME	READY	UP-TO-DATE	AVAILABLE	AGE	CONTAINERS	IMAGES
deployment.apps/deployment-2048	2/2	2	2	55s	app-2048	123456789012.dkr.ecr.eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/sample-app
app.kubernetes.io/name=app-2048						

### Note that:

- ☐ The pods are deployed to a 100.64.x.x. address.
- ☐ The service is exposing port 80.
- ☐ The deployment is referencing a private ECR repository belonging to your account. (see the IMAGES section of the deployment output)

Enable port forwarding so we can see the application in our Cloud9 IDE

```
kubectl port-forward service/service-2048 8080:80 -n game-2048
```

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Forwarding from 127.0.0.1:8080 -> 80
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Forwarding from [::1]:8080 -> 80
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Handling connection for 8080
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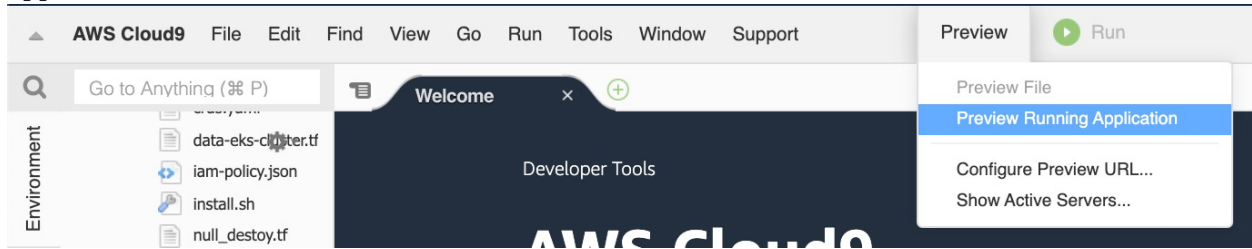
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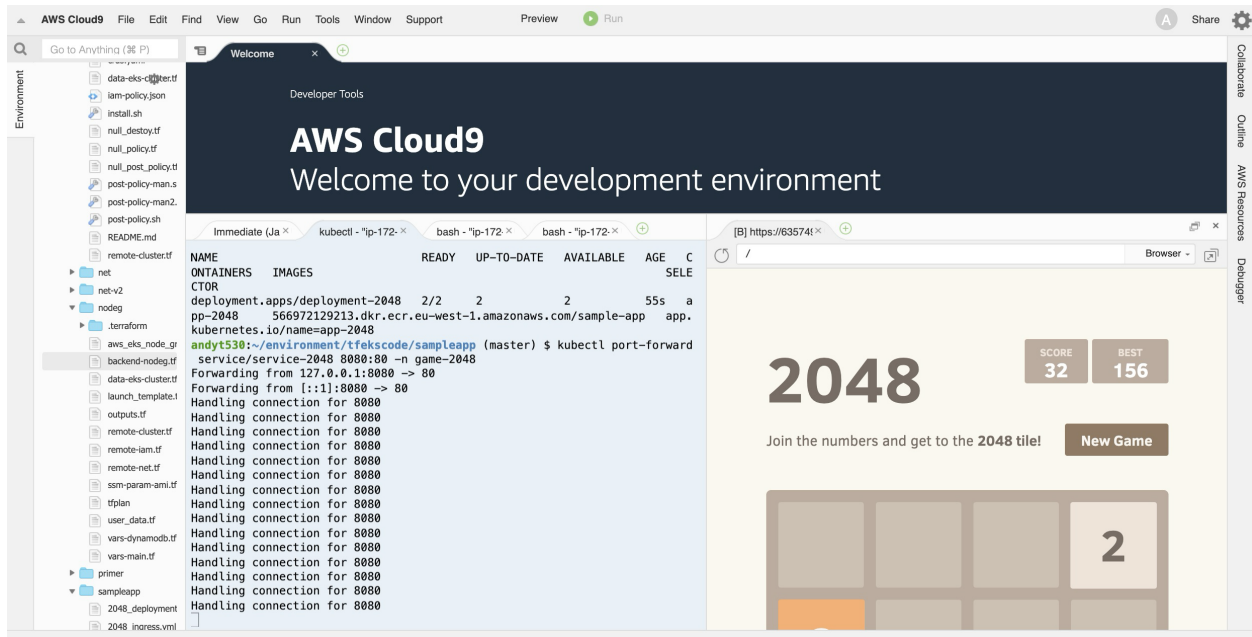
Preview the running (port-forwarded service) application from the cloud 9 IDE

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Preview -> Preview Running
```

## Application



You should then see the app running in the browser



## Finding the Internal Load Balancer

As before with the CLI the CI/CD pipeline has also deployed a Load Balancer.

The load balancer will take about 8 minutes to provision and come online

Check how long it has been provisioning by using the command:

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```
kubectl get ingress -n game-2048
```

NAME	CLASS	HOSTS	ADDRESS	PORTS	AGE
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```
ingress-2048 <none> *      80    5m27s
```

Watching the aws-load-balancer-controller - open another terminal and use this command to watch the logs:

```
kubectll logs `kubectll get pods -n kube-system | grep aws-load-balancer-controller | awk '{print $1}'` -n kube-system --follow
```

### After 8 minutes have elapsed

Check the `targetbindings` have populated. This is the new CRD type that was created as part of the load balancer controller installation.

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```
kubectll get targetgroupbindings -A
```

NAMESPACE	NAME	SERVICE-NAME	SERVICE-PORT	TARGET-TYPE	AGE
game-2048	k8s-game2048-service2-11af83fe8f	service-2048	80	ip	82s

Then obtain the internal DNS name of the load balancer using and check valid HTML is returned with curl

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```
ALB=$(aws elbv2 describe-load-balancers --query 'LoadBalancers[*].DNSName' | jq -r .[])
```

```
curl $ALB:8080
```

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<!DOCTYPE html>`
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<html>
```

```
<head>
```

```
<meta charset="utf-8">
```

```
<title>2048</title>
```

**\*\* Output truncated for brevity \*\***

```
<script src="js/application.js"></script>
```

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</body>
```

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</html>
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## Cleanup

Interrupt the port forwarding with ctrl-c if necessary.

**The following destroy operation make take up to 12 minutes as it deletes the ingress and ALB**

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cd ~/environment/tfekscod/sampleapp
terraform destroy -auto-approve
null_resource.cleanup: Destroying... [id=9012327125218962041]
null_resource.cleanup: Provisioning with 'local-exec'...
null_resource.cleanup (local-exec): Executing: ["/bin/bash" "-c" "    echo \"remote git credentials &\"
sample app\n    ./cleanup.sh\n    echo
\"*****\\n\""]
null_resource.cleanup (local-exec): remote git credentials & sample app
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Destroying... [id=game-2048]
kubernetes_service.game-2048_service-2048: Destroying... [id=game-2048/service-2048]
kubernetes_ingress.game-2048_ingress-2048: Destroying... [id=game-2048/ingress-2048]
kubernetes_deployment.game-2048_deployment-2048: Destroying... [id=game-2048/deployment-2048]
kubernetes_ingress.game-2048_ingress-2048: Destruction complete after 2s
kubernetes_service.game-2048_service-2048: Destruction complete after 2s
kubernetes_deployment.game-2048_deployment-2048: Destruction complete after 2s
null_resource.cleanup (local-exec):
*****
null_resource.cleanup: Destruction complete after 3s
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Still destroying... [id=game-2048, 10s elapsed]
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Still destroying... [id=game-2048, 20s elapsed]

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kubernetes_ingress_v1.game-2048_ingress-2048: Still destroying... [id=game-2048/ingress-2048, 7m50s
elapsed]
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Still destroying... [id=game-2048, 7m50s elapsed]
kubernetes_ingress_v1.game-2048_ingress-2048: Destruction complete after 7m57s
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Still destroying... [id=game-2048, 8m0s elapsed]
kubernetes_namespace.game-2048: Destruction complete after 8m4s
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Destroy complete! Resources: 5 destroyed.

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Note: it's only possible to delete the application from the command line like this because we are using S3 for the Terraform backend state files.