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# Experiment:3

**Aim**: To understand the Kubernetes Cluster Architecture, install and Spin Up a Kubernetes Cluster on Linux Machines/Cloud Platforms.

## **Steps:**

### **Create 3 EC2 Amazon Linux Instances on AWS:**

• Created three instances (Master, worker-1, and worker-2) to set up the Kubernetes cluster.



1. From now on, until mentioned, perform these steps on all 3 machines. Install Docker on All Machines:

## Commands:

sudo su yum update -y yum install docker -y service docker start systemctl enable docker docker --version

Purpose: Docker is essential for running containers in Kubernetes. The installation commands ensure Docker is updated, installed, started, and set to start on boot.

```
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 home]# yum update -y
Last metadata expiration check: 0:02:58 ago on Sun Sep 15 04:37:38 2024.
 Dependencies resolved.
 Nothing to do.
Complete!
Complete!

[root@ip-172-31-19-73 home]# yum install docker -y

Last metadata expiration check: 0:03:19 ago on Sun Sep 15 04:37:38 2024.

Package docker-25.0.6-1.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64 is already installed.

Dependencies resolved.
 Nothing to do.
   Complete!
 [root@ip-172-31-19-73 home] # service docker start
[root@ip-1/2-31-19-73 nome]# service docker start
Redirecting to /bin/systemctl start docker.service
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 home]# systemctl enable docker
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/docker.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/docker.service.
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 home]# docker --version
Docker version 25.0.5, build 5dc9bcc
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 home]# |
```

### i-043b96c835c70d2d7 (Master-Kuber)

```
reated symlink /etc/systemd/system/sockets.target.wants/docker.socket - /usr/lib/systemd/system/docker.socket
                                 containerd-1.7.20-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64

: docker-25.0.6-1.amzn2023.0.2.x86 64

: iptables-1ibs-1.8.9-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86 64

: iptables-nft-1.8.8-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86 64

: libotgoup-3.0-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86 64

: libotgoup-3.0-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86 64

: libnetfiler contrack-1.0.8-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

: libnftnl-1.2.2-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

: libnftnl-1.2.2-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

: runc-1.1.13-1.amzn2023.0.3.x86_64
                                                                                                                                                                                                   iptables-libs-1.8.8-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
libnetfilter conntrack-1.0.8-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
pigz-2.5-1.amzn2023.0.3.x86_64
```

```
i-0da6acf8052254ef8 (Worker-1-Kuber)
PublicIPs: 3.92.32.91 PrivateIPs: 172.31.29.38
```

```
containerd-1.7.20-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64

docker=25.0.6-1.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

iptables-ilbs-1.8.8-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

iptables-ift-1.8.8-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

libogroup-3.0-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64

libogroup-3.0-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64

libnftnlik-1.0.1-19.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

libnftnl-1.2.2-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64

runc-1.1.3-1.amzn2023.0.3.x86_64
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Stalled:
containerd-1.7.20-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64
iptables-nft-1.8.8-3.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
libnfnetlink-1.0.1-19.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
runc-1.1.13-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64
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libnetfilter_conntrack-1.0.8-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
pigz-2.5-1.amzn2023.0.3.x86_64
                                                                                                                                                                                                   docker-25.0.6-1.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
libcgroup-3.0-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64
libnftnl-1.2.2-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
mplete!
cot@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user] # service docker start
directing to /bin/systemctl start docker.service
oot@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user] # systemctl enable docker
cot@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user] # systemctl enable docker
eated symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/docker.service -- /usr/lib/systemd/system/docker.service.
oot@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user] # docker --version
oot@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user] # docker-version
```

```
i-0fbc853664be5368a (Worker-2-Kuber)
PublicIPs: 50.19.34.228 PrivateIPs: 172.31.28.21
```

Then, configure cgroup in a daemon.json file.

```
cd /etc/docker
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/docker/daemon.json
{
"exec-opts": ["native.cgroupdriver=systemd"],
"log-driver": "json-file",
"log-opts": {
"max-size": "100m"
},
"storage-driver": "overlay2"
}
EOF
sudo systemctl enable docker
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
sudo systemctl restart docker
```

Purpose: Configures Docker to use the systemd cgroup driver, which is recommended for Kubernetes, and ensures Docker logs are managed and storage is optimized.

```
"exec-opts": ["native.cgroupdriver=systemd"],
"log-driver": "json-file",
"log-opts": {
   "max-size": "100m"
  storage-driver": "overlay2"
OF
Cor

[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# systemctl enable docker

[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# systemctl daemon-reload

[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# systemctl restart docker

[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# docker info | grep -i cgroup
         Driver: systemd
root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]#
 i-Oda6acf8052254ef8 (Worker-1-Kuber)
  PublicIPs: 3.92.32.91 PrivateIPs: 172.31.29.38
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 ec2-user]# cd /etc/docker
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]# cat <<EOF > /etc/docker/daemon.json
 "exec-opts": ["native.cgroupdriver=systemd"],
"log-driver": "json-file",
  "log-driver": "json-
"log-opts": {
   "max-size": "100m"
  "storage-driver": "overlay2"
Driver: systemd
Version: 2
root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]#
  i-Ofbc853664be5368a (Worker-2-Kuber)
  PublicIPs: 50.19.34.228 PrivateIPs: 172.31.28.21
```

1. Set SELinux to permissive mode:

These instructions are for Kubernetes 1.31.

sudo setenforce 0

sudo sed -i 's/^SELINUX=enforcing\$/SELINUX=permissive/' /etc/selinux/config

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2. Add the Kubernetes yum repository. The exclude parameter in the repository definition ensures that the packages related to Kubernetes are not upgraded upon running yum update as there's a special procedure that must be followed for upgrading Kubernetes. Please note that this repository have packages only for Kubernetes 1.31; for other Kubernetes minor versions, you need to change the Kubernetes minor version in the URL to match your desired minor version (you should also check that you are reading the documentation for the version of Kubernetes that you plan to install).

cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/yum.repos.d/kubernetes.repo
[kubernetes]</pre>

```
name=Kubernetes
baseurl=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/rpm/
enabled=1
gpgcheck=1
gpgkey=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/rpm/repodata/repomd.xml.key
exclude=kubelet kubeadm kubectl cri-tools kubernetes-cni
EOF
```

3. Install kubelet, kubeadm and kubectl:

sudo yum install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl --disableexcludes=kubernetes

4. (Optional) Enable the kubelet service before running kubeadm:

sudo systemctl enable --now kubelet

```
sed -i 's/^SELINUX=enforcing$/SELINUX=permissive/' /etc/selinux/config
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 docker]# cat <<EOF > /etc/yum.repos.d/kubernetes.repo
[kubernetes]
name=Kubernetes
baseurl=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/rpm/
enabled=1
gpgcheck=1
gpgkey=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/rpm/repodata/repomd.xml.key
 exclude=kubelet kubeadm kubectl cri-tools kubernetes-cni
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 docker] # yum install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl --disableexcludes=kubernetes
Kubernetes
Package kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64 is already installed. Package kubeadm-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64 is already installed. Package kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64 is already installed.
Dependencies resolved.
Nothing to do.
 Complete!
 [root@ip-172-31-19-73 docker] # systemctl enable --now kubelet
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 docker]# | |
```

i-043b96c835c70d2d7 (Master-Kuber)

PublicIPs: 54.242.131.150 PrivateIPs: 172.31.19.73

```
Installing : libnetfilter_cthelper-1.0.0-21.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
Installing : conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
Running scriptlet: conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
Installing : kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
   Running scriptlet: kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
  Installing : kubeadm-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
Installing : kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
Running scriptlet: kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
                      conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: libnetfilter_cthelper-1.0.0-21.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: libnetfilter_cttimeout-1.0.0-19.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: libnetfilter_queue-1.0.5-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: cri-tools-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
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                           : kubeadm-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
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   kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
                                                                                         kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86
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 omplete!
[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker] # systemctl enable --now kubelet
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/kubelet.service - /usr/li
[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]#||
   i-Oda6acf8052254ef8 (Worker-1-Kuber)
   PublicIPs: 3.92.32.91 PrivateIPs: 172.31.29.38
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   Installing : conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
Running scriptlet: conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
  Installing : kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
Running scriptlet: kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
   Installing : kubeadm-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
Installing : kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
   Installing
   Running scriptlet: kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
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                      : libnetfilter_cthelper-1.0.0-21.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: libnetfilter_cttimeout-1.0.0-19.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: libnetfilter_queue-1.0.5-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64
: cri-tools-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubeadm-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
: kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
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   conntrack-tools-1.4.6-2.amzn2023.0.2.x86 64
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   kubectl-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x86_64
                                                                                           kubelet-1.31.1-150500.1.1.x
   libnetfilter cthelper-1.0.0-21.amzn2023.0.2.x86 64
                                                                                           libnetfilter cttimeout-1.0.
 Complete!
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker] # systemctl enable --now kubelet
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/kubelet.service - /usr/[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]#||
   i-0fbc853664be5368a (Worker-2-Kuber)
   PublicIPs: 50.19.34.228 PrivateIPs: 172.31.28.21
```

5. After installing Kubernetes, we need to configure internet options to allow bridging. sudo swapoff -a echo "net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables=1" | sudo tee -a /etc/sysctl.conf sudo sysctl -p

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**Purpose:** Disables swap memory and configures network settings to ensure proper networking and performance for Kubernetes.

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-19-73 ~]$ swapoff -a
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-19-73 ~]$ echo "net.bridge
                                                         [root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# swapoff -a
                                                         [root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker] # echo "net.br
bash: /etc/sysctl.conf: Permission denied
                                                         net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables=1
[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# sudo sysctl
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-19-73 ~]$ echo "net.bridge
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables=1
                                                         net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables =
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-19-73 ~]$ sudo sysctl -p
                                                         [root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]#
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables = 1
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-19-73 ~]$
  i-043b96c835c70d2d7 (Master-Kuber)
                                                            i-Oda6acf8052254ef8 (Worker-1-Kuber)
  PublicIPs: 54.242.131.150 PrivateIPs: 172.31.19.73
                                                            PublicIPs: 3.92.32.91 PrivateIPs: 172.31.29.38
 root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]# swapoff
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker] # echo "net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables=1" | sudo tee -a /etc/sysctl.conf
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables=1
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]# sudo sysctl -p
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables =
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]#
```

6. Perform this ONLY on the Master machine

**kubeadm init** first runs a series of prechecks to ensure that the machine is ready to run Kubernetes. These prechecks expose warnings and exit on errors. kubeadm init then downloads and installs the cluster control plane components. This may take several minutes. After it finishes you should see:

Your Kubernetes control-plane has initialized successfully!

To start using your cluster, you need to run the following as a regular user:

```
mkdir -p $HOME/.kube
sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf $HOME/.kube/config
sudo chown $(id -u):$(id -g) $HOME/.kube/config
```

You should now deploy a Pod network to the cluster.

### Run

"kubectl apply -f

https://github.com/flannel-io/flannel/releases/latest/download/kube-flannel.yml" with one of the options listed at : /docs/concepts/cluster-administration/addons/

**Purpose:** Initialises the Kubernetes master, sets up the kubeconfig file for cluster access, and deploys the Flannel network plugin for pod networking.

You can now join any number of machines by running the following on each node as root:

```
oteip-1/2-31-19-73 /|# mkdir -p shume/.kube
oteip-1/2-31-19-73 /|# sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf $HOME/.kube/config
overwrite '/root/.kube/config'? y
oteip-172-31-19-73 /|# sudo chown $(id -u):$(id -g) $HOME/.kube/config
oteip-172-31-19-73 /|# kubectl apply -f https://github.com/flannel-io/flannel/releases/latest/download/kube-flannel.yml
      espace/kube-flannel created
viceaccount/flannel created
rerviceaccount/flannel created
clusterrole.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/flannel created
clusterrolebinding.rbac.authorization.k8s.io/flannel created
configmap/kube-flannel-cfg created
lamconset.apps/kube-flannel-ds created
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 /] # kubectl get pods
for resources found in default namespace.
root@ip-172-31-19-73 /] # kubectl get pods --all-namespaces
[AMMSPACE NAME
                                    kube-flannel-ds-lbqbd
   be-flannel
                                                                                                                                                                                                              CrashLoopBackOff
                                    cube-fianner-ds-logod
coredns-7c65d6cfc9-bvjkk
coredns-7c65d6cfc9-b178b
etcd-ip-172-31-19-73.ec2.internal
kube-apiserver-ip-172-31-19-73.ec2.internal
kube-controller-manager-ip-172-31-19-73.ec2.in
                                                                                                                                                                                                              ContainerCreati
        -system
     e-system
                                                                                                                                                                                                              ContainerCreating
       -system
                                                                                                                                                                                                               Running
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            (3m25s ago)
                                     kube-proxy-j9fdq
kube-scheduler-ip-172-31-19-73.ec2.internal
                                                                                                                                                                                                               CrashLoopBackOff
       e-system kube schedaler ip
pt@ip-172-31-19-73 /]# kubectl get nodes
status ROL
```

sudo yum install iproute-tc socat -y sudo systemctl enable kubelet sudo systemctl restart kubelet

**Purpose:** Installs necessary packages on worker nodes, ensures kubelet starts, and joins the nodes to the Kubernetes cluster using the provided token and hash.

```
[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# sudo yum install iproute-tc socat -y
 udo systemctl enable kubelet
udo systemctl restart kubelet
ast metadata expiration check: 0:57:00 ago on Sun Sep 15 04:57:12 2024.
 ependencies resolved.
Package
                                           Architecture
                                                                                  Version
nstalling:
                                           x86_64
x86_64
                                                                                  5.10.0-2.amz
                                                                                  1.7.4.2-1.am
Transaction Summary
Install 2 Packages
Total download size: 758 k
installed size: 2.0 M
Oownloading Packages:
(1/2): iproute-tc-5.10.0-2.amzn2023.0.5.x86_64.rpm
(2/2): socat-1.7.4.2-1.amzn2023.0.2.x86_64.rpm
 unning transaction check
ransaction check succeeded.
 unning transaction test
ransaction test succeed
```

Paste this to both worker node to join:

kubeadm join 172.31.19.73:6443 --token cenfmg.0y3m7m51649vj3bd \
--discovery-token-ca-cert-hash
sha256:3443d69f393c593e9279c6e26ea7b37208db3db34bb1507c01f790a57f4b8a7b

```
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 /]# kubect1 get nodes
NAME
                                            STATUS
                                                         ROLES
                                                                                AGE
                                                                                         VERSION
                                                         control-plane
                                                                                         v1.31.1
ip-172-31-19-73.ec2.internal
                                            Ready
                                                                                11m
[root@ip-172-31-19-73 /]#
   i-043b96c835c70d2d7 (Master-Kuber)
   PublicIPs: 54.242.131.150 PrivateIPs: 172.31.19.73
root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker] # kubeadm join 172.31.19.73:6443
         discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:3443d69f393c593e9279c6e26ea7b37208db3db<u>34bb1507c01f790a57f4b8a7b</u>
[preflight] Running pre-flight checks
[root@ip-172-31-29-38 docker]# | |
 i-Oda6acf8052254ef8 (Worker-1-Kuber)
  PublicIPs: 3.92.32.91 PrivateIPs: 172.31.29.38
 coot@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]# kubeadm join 172.31.19.73:6443
         discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:3443d69f393c593e9279c6e26ea7b37208db3db3db34bb1507c01f790a57f4b8a7b
[preflight] Running pre-flight checks
[root@ip-172-31-28-21 docker]# |
 i-0fbc853664be5368a (Worker-2-Kuber)
 PublicIPs: 50.19.34.228 PrivateIPs: 172.31.28.21
```

# **Conclusion:**

In this experiment, we aimed to understand Kubernetes cluster architecture by setting up a Kubernetes cluster on AWS EC2 instances. We started by creating three Amazon Linux instances (Master, worker-1, and worker-2). Docker was installed and configured on all nodes, SELinux was set to permissive mode, and the Kubernetes repository was added. We then installed the Kubernetes packages and initialised the cluster on the master node. After configuring networking and deploying the Flannel plugin, we joined the worker nodes to the cluster. Despite following the steps, the setup did not complete successfully, indicating issues with establishing a fully functional Kubernetes cluster with all nodes connected.