Case Study 02

Kubernetes Application Deployment

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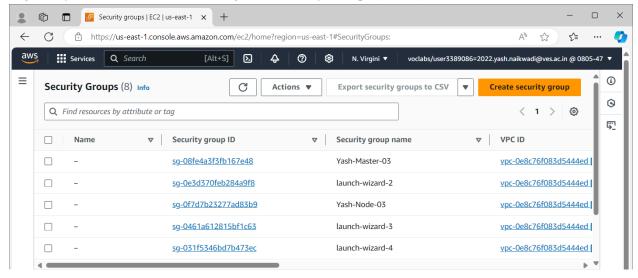
- Concepts Used: Kubernetes, AWS Cloud9 IDE, and Kubectl.
- **Problem Statement**: "Set up a Kubernetes cluster on AWS using the Cloud9 IDE. Deploy a sample application using kubectl and ensure it runs successfully."
- Tasks:
 - Install and configure kubectl using AWS Cloud9 IDE.
 - Deploy a sample application (like a simple Nginx server) on the Kubernetes cluster.
 - Verify the application deployment by accessing it through a NodePort or LoadBalancer.

SOLUTION

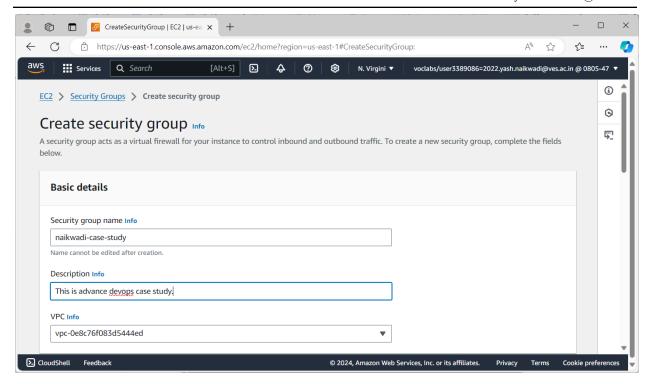
Ensure instances have the appropriate security groups allowing traffic on ports 6443 (Kubernetes API), 10250 (kubelet), and other necessary ports like 80 (HTTP) and 443 (HTTPS) for LoadBalancer.

Create Security Groups for Instances

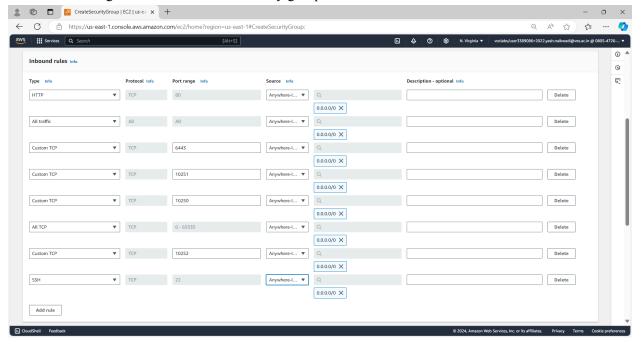
Log in to your AWS account and navigate to Security Groups (in EC2).

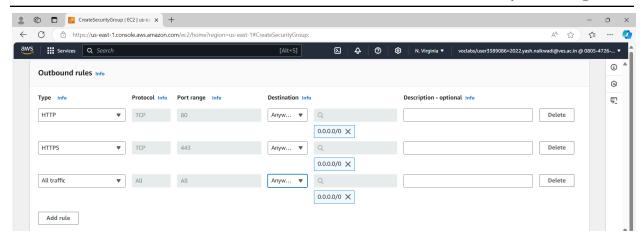


Click on create security group and give the name and description to the security group.



Add the following inbound rules to the security group.

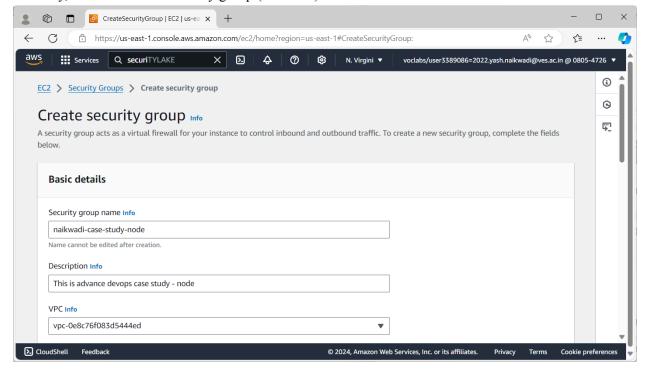




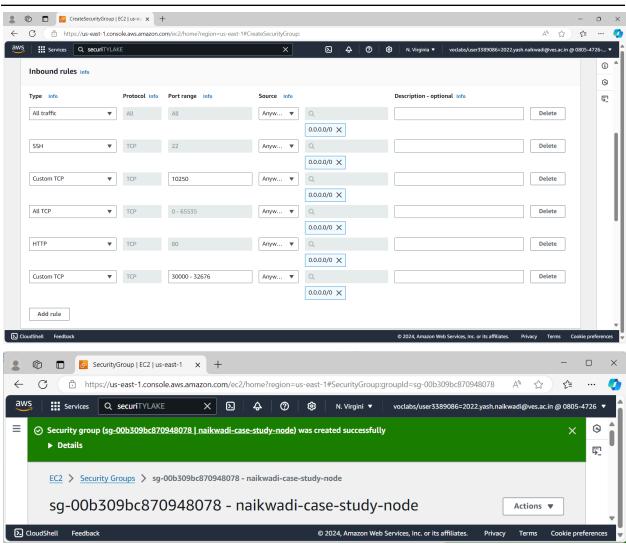
Create a security group.



Similarly, create one more security group (for Node).

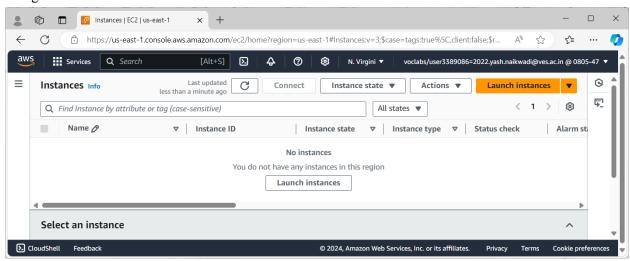


Add the inbound rules for Node security group.



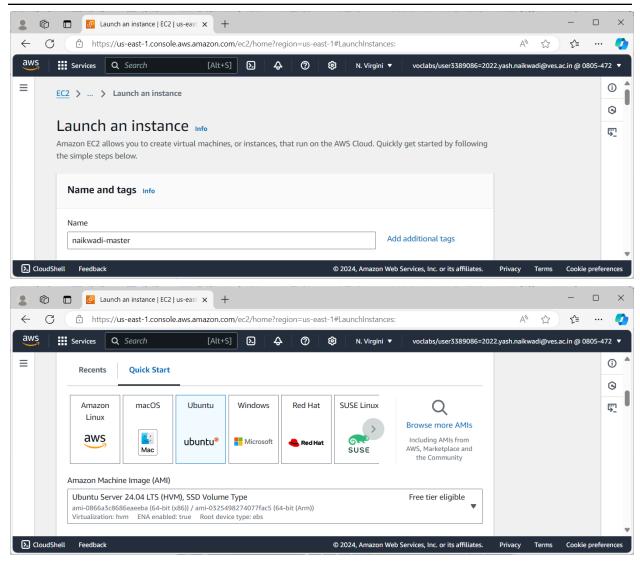
Launch EC2 Instances

Navigate to EC2.

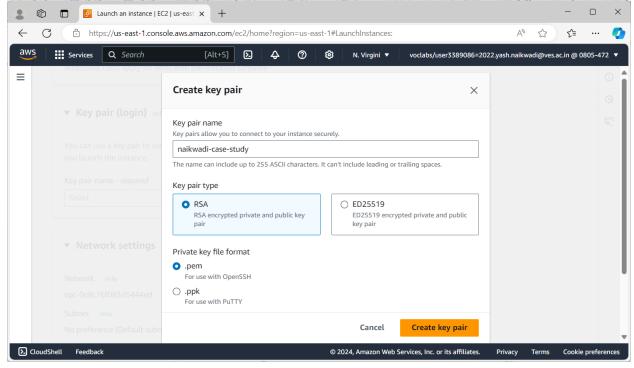


MASTER

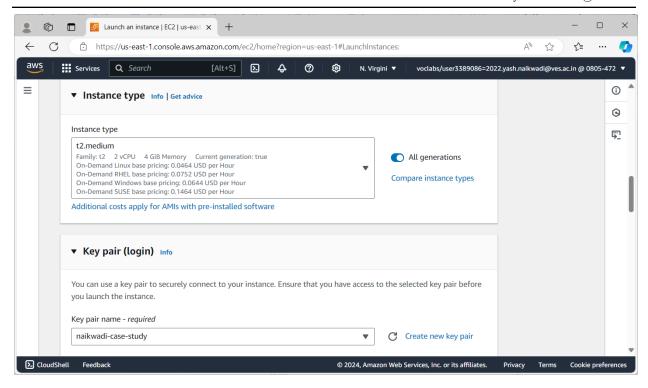
Launch a new EC2 instance for master with the following settings.



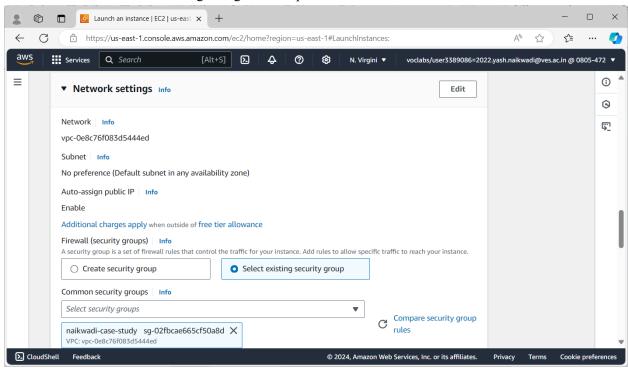
Generate the .pem file (or key-value pair) once while configuring the master ec2.



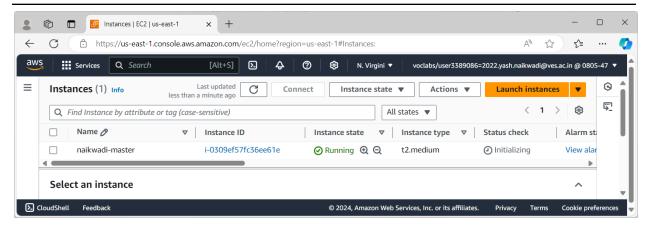
Keep the instance type as t2.medium



Select the existing security group under the network setting tab in which you have to select the group of master which was made in the beginning of the experiment.

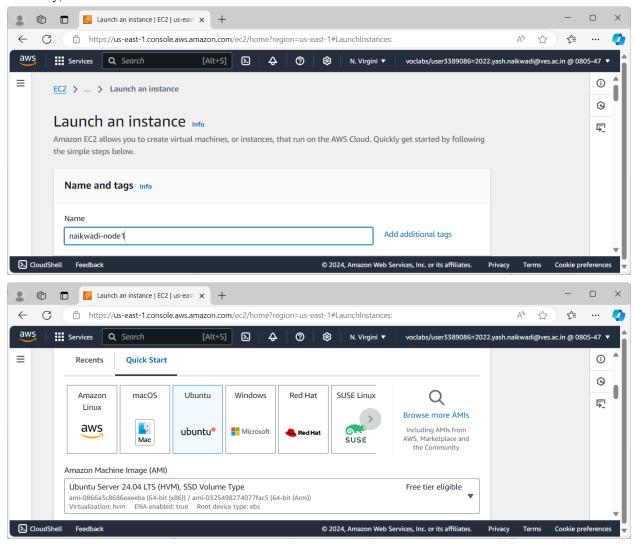


Successfully launched the ec2 instance.

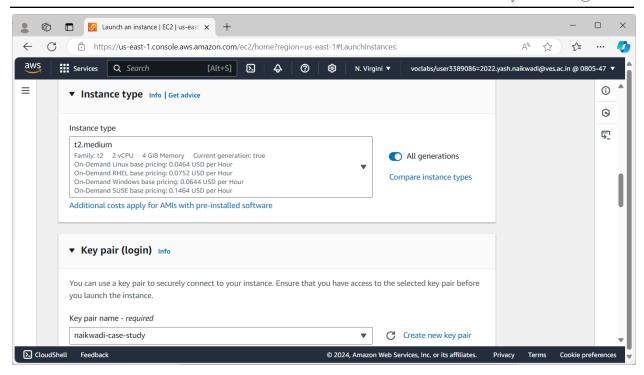


NODE

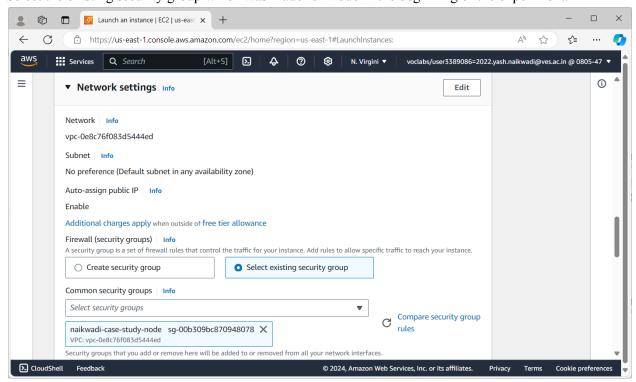
Similarly, launch 2 new ec2 instances for nodes.



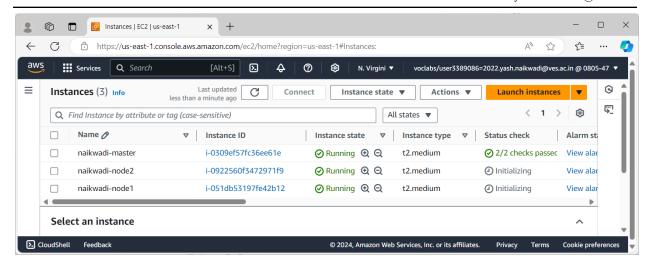
Keep the instance type of node as t2.medium and select the same key-value pair which was created during the master configuration.



Select the existing security group which was made for Node in the beginning of the experiment.

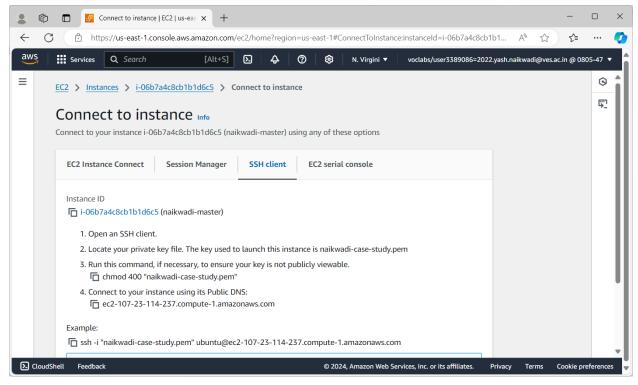


Successfully, created the 3 ec2 instances (1 for master & 2 for nodes).

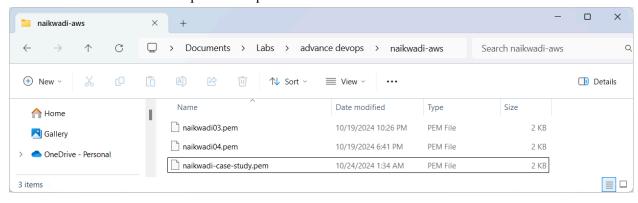


Connect to the Instances

After launching the instances, go to the **EC2 dashboard**, select each instance, and click **Connect** to get the SSH command.

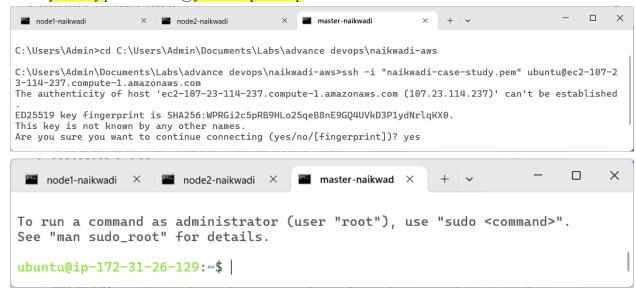


Locate the folder in which the .pem file is placed.



Open your terminal, navigate to the folder where your **.pem key** is stored, and connect to each instance using:

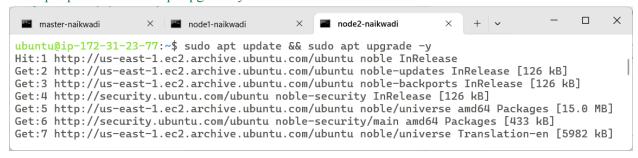
ssh -i "your-key.pem" ubuntu@your-ec2-public-ip



Update the Instances:

On all nodes (master and workers), update the system:

sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade -y



Install Docker on All Instances (Master and Nodes)

On each instance (Master, Node 1, Node 2), run the following commands to install Docker:

Add Docker's official GPG key

curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key add -

Add Docker's APT repository

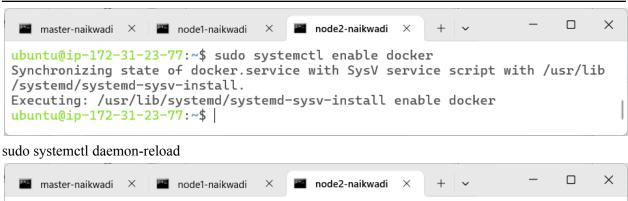
sudo add-apt-repository "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \$(lsb_release -cs) stable"

Update the package index sudo apt-get update

Install Docker CE (Community Edition) sudo apt-get install -y docker-ce

Configure Docker to use systemd as the cgroup driver sudo mkdir -p /etc/docker

Enable and start Docker sudo systemctl enable docker





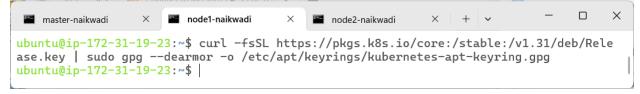
sudo systemctl restart docker



Install Kubernetes on All Instances

Run the below command to install Kubernets.

curl -fsSL https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/deb/Release.key | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /etc/apt/keyrings/kubernetes-apt-keyring.gpg

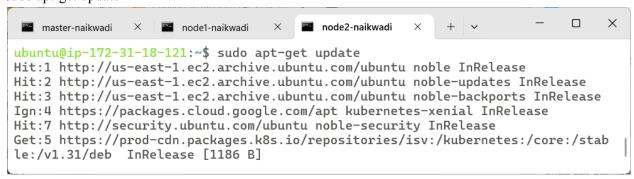


echo 'deb [signed-by=/etc/apt/keyrings/kubernetes-apt-keyring.gpg]

https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.31/deb/ /' | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/kubernetes.list



sudo apt-get update



sudo apt-get install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-26-24:~$ sudo apt-get install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
The following additional packages will be installed:
    conntrack cri-tools kubernetes-cni
The following NEW packages will be installed:
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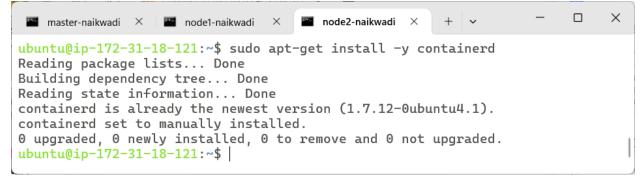
sudo apt-mark hold kubelet kubeadm kubectl



sudo systemctl enable --now kubelet



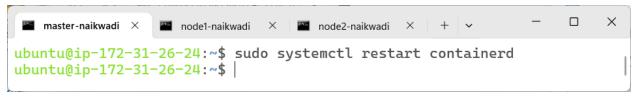
sudo apt-get install -y containerd



sudo mkdir -p /etc/containerd



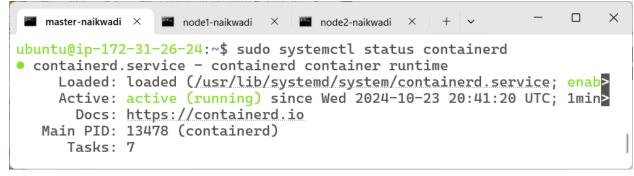
sudo containerd config default | sudo tee /etc/containerd/config.toml



sudo systemctl enable containerd

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-18-121:~$ sudo systemctl enable containerd
ubuntu@ip-172-31-18-121:~$
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sudo systemctl status containerd



sudo apt-get install -y socat

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                                    node2-naikwadi ×
ubuntu@ip-172-31-18-121:~$ sudo apt-get install -y socat
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
The following NEW packages will be installed:
0 upgraded, 1 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.
Need to get 374 kB of archives.
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Initialize the Kubernetes Master Node

Initialize the Kubecluster .Now Perform this Command only for Master. sudo kubeadm init --pod-network-cidr=10.244.0.0/16

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-26-129:~$ sudo kubeadm init --pod-network-cidr=10.244.0.0/16
[init] Using Kubernetes version: v1.31.2
[preflight] Running pre-flight checks
[preflight] Pulling images required for setting up a Kubernetes cluster
[preflight] This might take a minute or two, depending on the speed of your inte
rnet connection
[preflight] You can also perform this action beforehand using 'kubeadm config im
ages pull'
W1023 22:06:14.637443 14365 checks.go:846] detected that the sandbox image "re
gistry.k8s.io/pause:3.8" of the container runtime is inconsistent with that used
by kubeadm.It is recommended to use "registry.k8s.io/pause:3.10" as the CRI san
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Once the initialization is complete, you will see a command that looks like this:

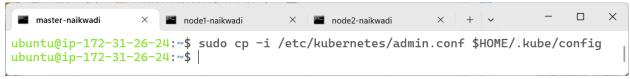
(Copy and save this command for later; you will need it to join the worker nodes to the master.)



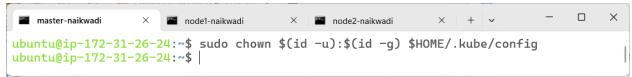
Next, configure kubectl to interact with the cluster: mkdir -p \$HOME/.kube



sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf \$HOME/.kube/config



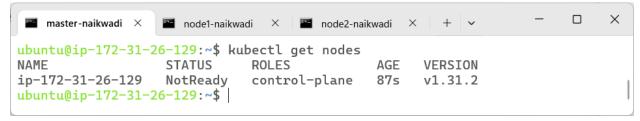
sudo chown \$(id -u):\$(id -g) \$HOME/.kube/config



Now Run the command

kubectl get nodes

to see the nodes before executing the Join command on nodes.

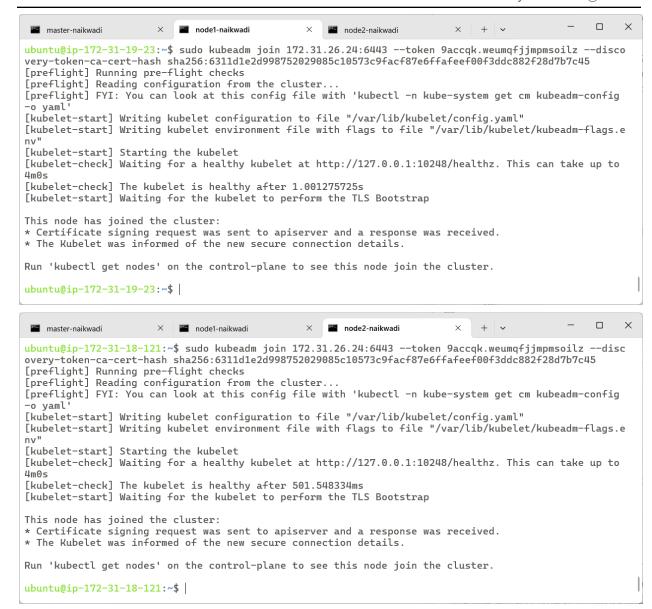


Join Worker Nodes to the Cluster

On **Node 1** and **Node 2**, run the kubeadm join command you saved from the master node initialization. It should look like this:

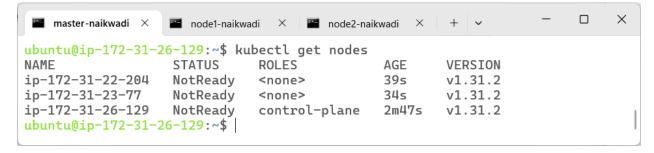
sudo kubeadm join <Master-IP>:6443 --token <token> --discovery-token-ca-cert-hash <hash> (In my case, command is as follows:

sudo kubeadm join 172.31.26.24:6443 --token 9accqk.weumqfjjmpmsoilz --discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:6311d1e2d998752029085c10573c9facf87e6ffafeef00f3ddc882f28d7b7c45)



Verify the Cluster

On the master node, verify that the nodes have joined the cluster: kubectl get nodes



Install a Network Plugin (Calico)

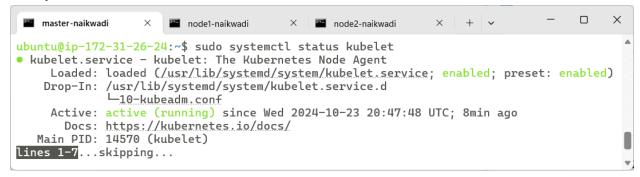
Since Status is NotReady we have to add a network plugin. And also we have to give the name to the nodes.

kubectl apply -f https://docs.projectcalico.org/manifests/calico.yaml

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-26-24:~$ kubectl apply -f https://docs.projectcalico.org/manifests/calico.yaml poddisruptionbudget.policy/calico-kube-controllers created serviceaccount/calico-kube-controllers created serviceaccount/calico-node created configmap/calico-config created customresourcedefinition.apiextensions.k8s.io/bgpconfigurations.crd.projectcalico.org created customresourcedefinition.apiextensions.k8s.io/bgppeers.crd.projectcalico.org created
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sudo systemctl status kubelet



Now Run command (we can see Status is ready).

kubectl get nodes -o wide



Rename/Label the Nodes

kubectl label node ip-172-31-22-204 kubernetes.io/role=Node1 kubectl label node ip-172-31-23-77 kubernetes.io/role=Node2

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Check Again

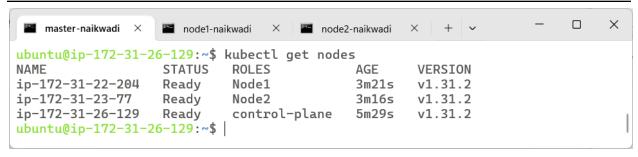
Run (again to confirm all nodes are in the Ready state and properly labeled).

kubectl get nodes -o wide



Or run

kubectl get nodes



Deploy the Sample Nginx Application

- 1. Deploy Nginx:
 - Create a deployment:

bash

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kubectl create deployment nginx --image=nginx



Expose the Nginx Deployment:

Expose the deployment via NodePort (or LoadBalancer if using cloud load balancing):

kubectl expose deployment nginx --port=80 --type=NodePort

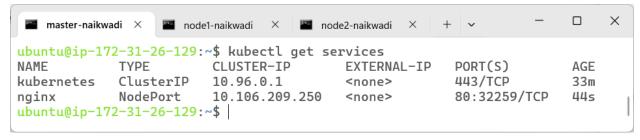
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Get the NodePort:

To get the NodePort:

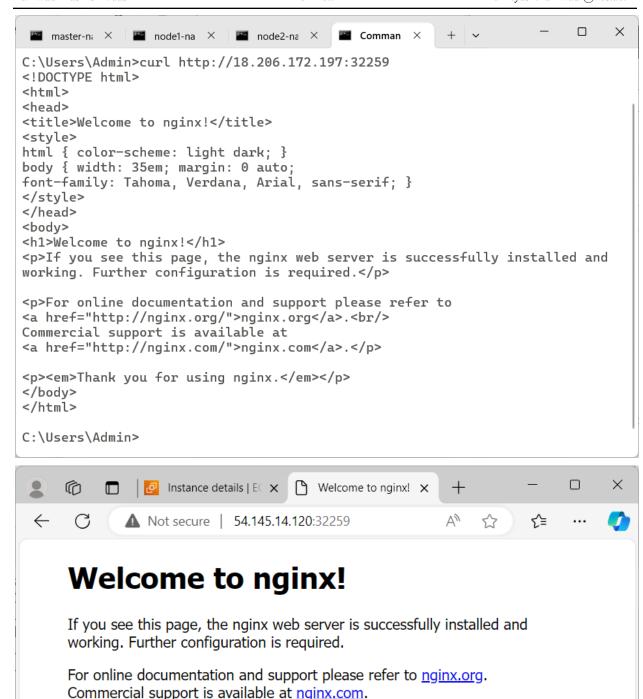
kubectl get services

• Note the NodePort value (it will be something like 30000-32767).



Access the Application:

• Open the browser and visit http://<ec2-instance-public-ip>:<NodePort> to verify that the Nginx server is running.



Cleanup (Optional)

When done, clean up the resources:

Thank you for using nginx.

kubectl delete service nginx

kubectl delete deployment nginx

Conclusion

The case study successfully demonstrated the setup of a Kubernetes cluster on AWS and the deployment of a sample Nginx application. The steps outlined provide a clear pathway for future deployments and emphasize the importance of understanding each component's role within a Kubernetes architecture.