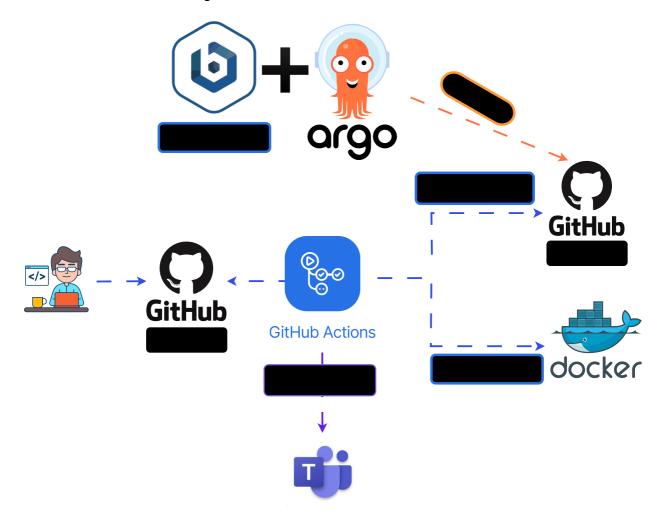
Node.js Todo App with CI/CD using GitHub Actions & ArgoCD

⋄ Overview

This repository automates the CI/CD pipeline for the Node.js Todo App using GitHub Actions, Docker, Kubernetes, ArgoCD, and Sealed Secrets. The workflow builds and pushes the application Docker image to Docker Hub, encrypts sensitive data with the kubeseal CLI, updates the ArgoCD GitOps repo with the latest Deployment and SealedSecret manifests, triggers a deployment, and sends success or failure alerts to Microsoft Teams via an incoming webhook.



% Technologies Used

- GitHub Actions Automates build and deployment.
- **Docker** Containerizes the application.
- Kubernetes Manages deployments and scaling.
- ArgoCD Implements GitOps for continuous deployment.
- MySQL Stores application data.
- Microsoft Teams Sends deployment notifications.
- Bitnami Sealed Secrets for secure secret management
- Sealed secret encryption using kubeseal CLI

📆 Secure Secret Management

To ensure Kubernetes secrets are not exposed in the Git repository, this project uses:

- Sealed Secrets Controller (installed in the Kubernetes cluster)
- kubeseal CLI to encrypt secrets
- Encrypted SealedSecret files committed to the GitOps repo
- ArgoCD automatically decrypts secrets during deployment

№ CI/CD Workflow

The GitHub Actions workflow consists of four jobs:

1 Build & Push Docker Image

- Triggers on push to the main branch.
- Builds a Docker image and tags it as latest.
- Retrieves the latest image tag from Docker Hub and increments it.
- Pushes the new image to Docker Hub.

2 Generate Summary

- Retrieves the newly created image tag.
- Generates a summary of the build process for GitHub Actions.

3 Update ArgoCD Repository

- Clones the argocd-example-apps repository.
- Updates the Kubernetes deployment manifest with the new image tag.
- Commits and pushes the changes.

4 Notify Microsoft Teams

• Sends a notification on **success** or **failure** of the workflow.

📃 Setup & Usage

1 Pre-requisites

Ensure you have the following configured:

- Docker Hub account with repository access.
- Kubernetes cluster managed by ArgoCD.
- A k8s/deployment.yaml file in the ArgoCD repository.
- A Microsoft Teams webhook URL for notifications.

2 Secrets Configuration

In your GitHub repository settings, add the following **secrets**:

Secret Name	Description
DOCKERHUB_TOKEN	Docker Hub access token
GH_PAT	GitHub Personal Access Token (for pushing updates to ArgoCD repo)
TEAMS WEBHOOK URL	Microsoft Teams webhook URL

3 Deployment Steps

- 1. Push changes to main branch
- 2. GitHub Actions runs automatically
- 3. ArgoCD detects the new image tag and deploys it
- 4. Microsoft Teams receives a notification

Folder Structure

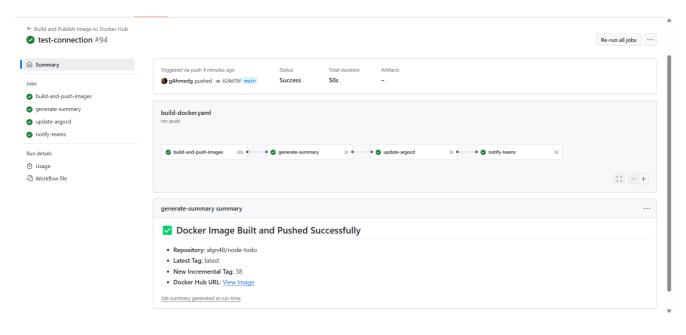
d ArgoCD Deployment File Example (argocd-example-apps/k8ssealedsecret)

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: node-todo
spec:
  replicas: 2
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: node-todo
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: node-todo
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: node-todo
          image: algn48/node-todo:latest
            - containerPort: 3000
```

Monitoring & Troubleshooting

- Check Workflow Runs: GitHub Actions → Actions Tab
- Verify Image in Docker Hub: Docker Hub Repository
- Monitor ArgoCD Deployment: Run kubectl get pods -n <namespace>
- Check Logs: kubectl logs -f <pod-name>
- Teams Notification: Alerts for success/failure

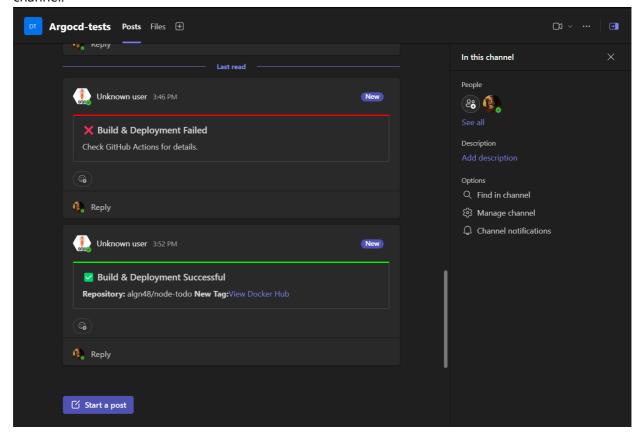
CI/CD Pipeline Screenshot



Microsoft Teams Notifications

This project integrates **Microsoft Teams** notifications to report the status of CI/CD pipelines.

- Success Alerts: Sent when a pipeline or deployment completes successfully.
- **X** Failure Alerts: Sent when a job or step fails.
- Triggered from GitHub Actions via an **Incoming Webhook URL** configured in the Teams channel.



References

- GitHub Actions Documentation
- Docker Hub
- ArgoCD Documentation