



# HELM FOR BEGINNERS

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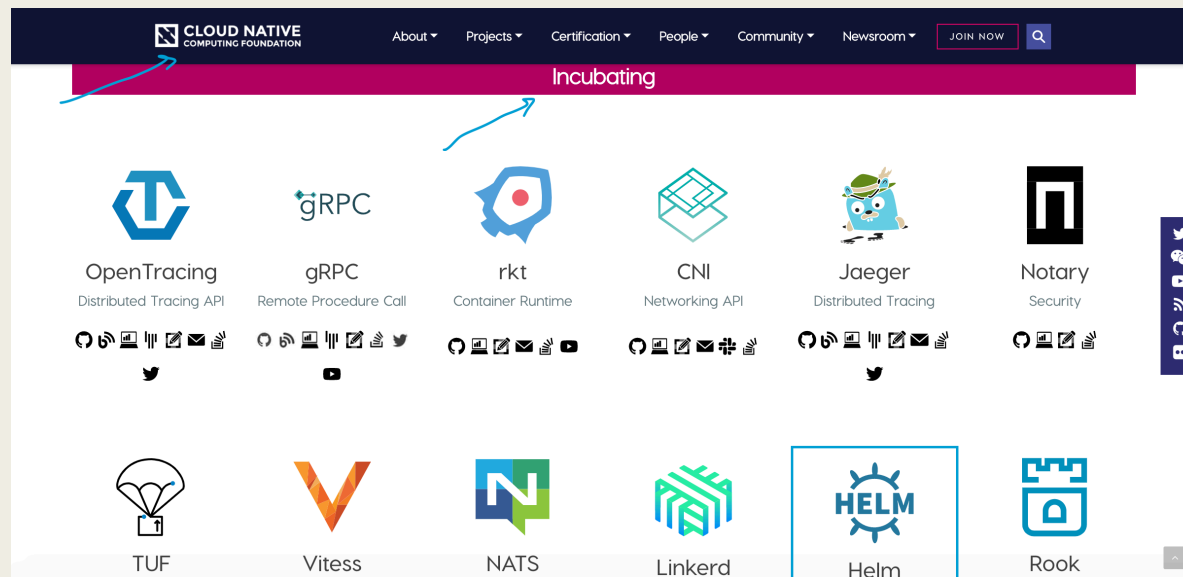
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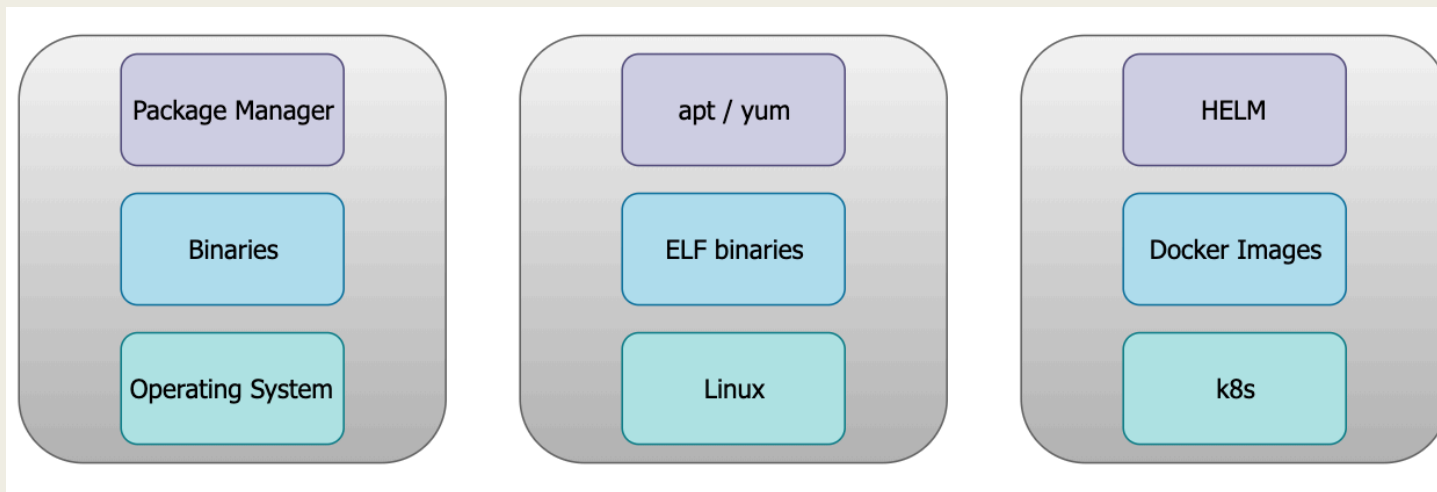
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Agenda



# INTRODUCTION TO HELM

A CNCF Project



# Introduction to Helm

## Package Manager

Method to easily share, consume & manage applications defined by k8s resources.

# Introduction to Helm

## Purpose

- Create new charts from scratch
- Package charts into chart archive (tgz) files
- Interact with chart repositories where charts are stored
- Install and uninstall charts into an existing Kubernetes cluster
- Manage the release cycle of charts that have been installed with Helm

Reference: <https://helm.sh/docs/architecture/>

### K8s

#### Deployment:

```
kubectl apply -f wordpress-deployment.yaml  
kubectl apply -f wordpress-deployment.yaml
```

#### Delete:

```
kubectl delete -f wordpress-deployment.yaml  
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```

### Helm

#### Deployment:

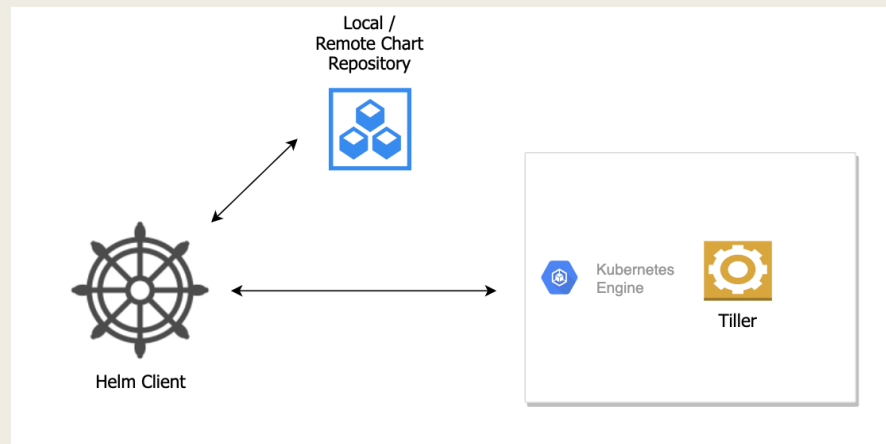
```
helm install -r my-release stable/wordpress
```

#### Delete:

```
helm delete --purge my-release
```

## Why Helm ?

[https://github.com/kubernetes/  
examples/tree/master/mysql-  
wordpress-pd](https://github.com/kubernetes/examples/tree/master/mysql-wordpress-pd)



# HELM ARCHITECTURE

# Helm Components

## Helm Client

- **The Helm Client** is a command-line client for end users. The client is responsible for the following domains:
- Local chart development
- Managing repositories
- Interacting with the Tiller server
  - Sending charts to be installed
  - Asking for information about releases
  - Requesting upgrading or uninstalling of existing releases

Reference: <https://helm.sh/docs/architecture/>



# Helm Components

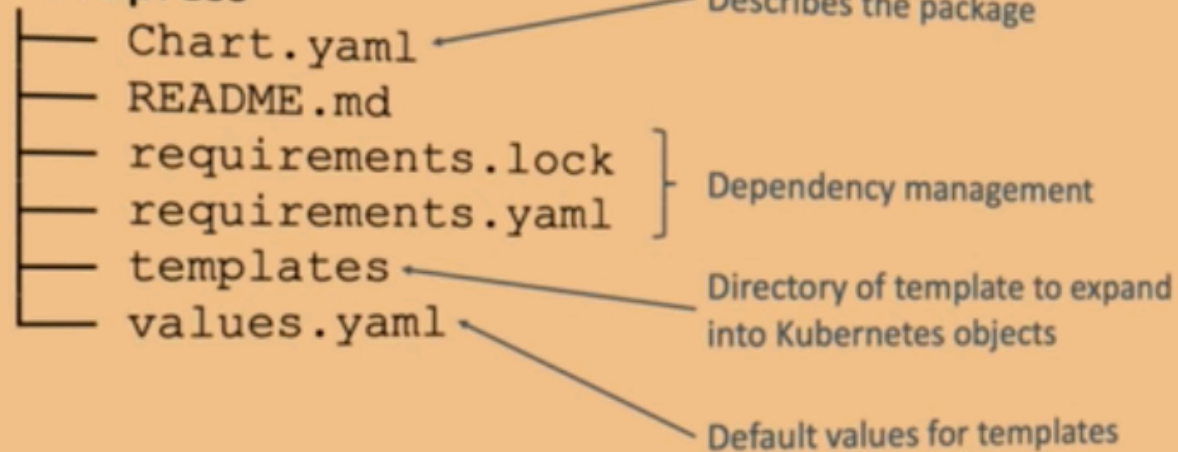
## Tiller Server

- **The Tiller Server** is an in-cluster server that interacts with the Helm client, and interfaces with the Kubernetes API server. The server is responsible for the following:
- Listening for incoming requests from the Helm client
- Combining a chart and configuration to build a release
- Installing charts into Kubernetes, and then tracking the subsequent release
- Upgrading and uninstalling charts by interacting with Kubernetes

Reference: <https://helm.sh/docs/architecture/>

## Chart: WordPress

### wordpress



## Helm Chart

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0xJc3d43kn0>

## Chart: WordPress

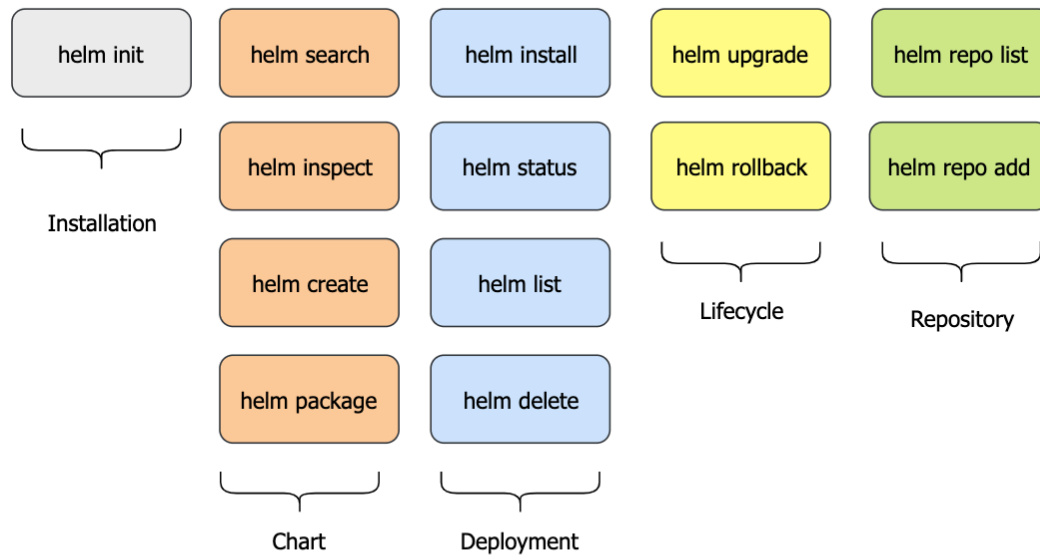
### templates

- NOTES.txt
- \_helpers.tpl
- deployment.yaml
- externaldb-secrets.yaml
- ingress.yaml
- pvc.yaml
- secrets.yaml
- svc.yaml
- tests
  - test-mariadb-connection.yaml
- tls-secrets.yaml

Yes, you can even  
have tests in charts

## Helm Chart

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0xJc3d43kn0>



Helm Commands

# HELM COMMANDS


**Helm Hub**


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**stable/aerospike**  
v4.5.0.5

  
**buildkite/agent**  
3.12.0

  
**choerodon/agile-service**  
0.17.3

  
**agones/agones**  
0.11.0-rc

# Helm Hub

<https://hub.helm.sh/>

# Demo

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