

Kubernetes

Lab 5 – Deployments and Replica Sets

In this lab we will explore the nature of Kubernetes deployments and replica sets and how to work with them.

Deployments

A deployment provides declarative updates for pods and replica sets. You describe the desired state in a deployment object, and the deployment controller will change the actual state to the desired state at a controlled rate for you. You can define deployments to create new resources, or replace existing ones by new ones. Typical uses:

- bring up a replica set and (indirectly) its pods
- · capturing the results and status of a deployment
- updating an existing deployment to recreate pods with a new image (rolling updates)
- rolling back to an earlier deployment revision if the current deployment isn't stable
- pausing and resuming a deployment

ReplicaSets

Replica sets (RS) supersede the older replication controller (RC) resource type. Replica sets support the set-based selectors as well as equality-based selector requirements (RCs only supported equality.) While replica sets can be used independently, they are mainly used by deployments as a mechanism to orchestrate pod creation, deletion, and updates. When you use deployments you don't have to worry about managing the replica sets that they create; deployments own and manage their replica sets.

ReplicaSets ensure that a specified number of pod "replicas" are running at all times. If there are too many, it will kill some. If there are too few, it will start more. Unlike in the case where a user directly created pods, a ReplicaSet replaces pods that are deleted or terminated for any reason, such as in the case of node failure or disruptive node maintenance (e.g. a kernel upgrade, etc.)

For this reason the Kubernetes team recommends that you use a Deployment/ReplicaSet even if your application requires only a single pod. ReplicaSets are like

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process supervisors in many ways but monitor processes on multiple nodes at once. A ReplicaSet delegates local container restarts to some agent on the node (e.g., Kubelet or Docker.)

A ReplicaSet is only appropriate for pods with *RestartPolicy = Always* (if the RestartPolicy is not set, the default value is *Always*.) A ReplicaSet will refuse to instantiate any pod that has a different restart policy.

A ReplicaSet will never terminate on its own, but it isn't expected to be as long-lived as services. Services may be composed of pods controlled by multiple ReplicaSets, and it is expected that many ReplicaSets may be created and destroyed over the lifetime of a service (for instance, to perform an update of pods that run the service.) Both services themselves and their clients should remain oblivious to the ReplicaSets that maintain the pods of the services.

Now to create some Deployments/ReplicaSets.

1. A Simple Deployment

As a first exploratory step lets create a simple deployment which stands up three nginx pods. Create a config file similar to the following to accomplish this task:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ cd ~
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir dep
user@ubuntu:~$ cd dep
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ vim mydep.yaml
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ cat mydep.yaml
apiVersion: apps/v1beta1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: website
  labels:
    bu: sales
spec:
  replicas: 3
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        appname: webserver
        targetenv: demo
```

```
spec:
   containers:
   - name: podweb
   image: nginx:1.7.9
   ports:
   - containerPort: 80
```

The first thing you might notice is that Deployments are a beta resource type. Deployments were added to Kubernetes 1.2 and are the go forward solution for deploying replicated pods. The spec for Replication Controllers (part of the v1 API) is almost the same as the spec for Deployments though deployments add a few key features such as the ability to specify upgrades declaratively. The beta specification for Deployments can be found here:

https://kubernetes.io/docs/api-reference/v1.7/#deployment-v1beta1-apps

Now create the Deployment using the kubectl create subcommand and verify that the Deployment, its ReplicaSet and pods are up with the get subcommand:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl create -f mydep.yaml
deployment "website" created
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get deploy,rs,pods
                 DESIRED
NAME
                            CURRENT
                                      UP-T0-DATE
                                                    AVAILABLE
                                                                AGE
deploy/website
                            3
                                      3
                                                                 27s
                                                    3
NAME
                         DESIRED
                                   CURRENT
                                              READY
                                                        AGE
rs/website-205870431
                         3
                                   3
                                              3
                                                        27s
NAME
                               READY
                                         STATUS
                                                    RESTARTS
                                                                AGE
po/website-205870431-7cd9k
                               1/1
                                         Running
                                                                27s
po/website-205870431-h530h
                               1/1
                                         Running
                                                    0
                                                                27s
                                                                27s
po/website-205870431-l7czq
                               1/1
                                          Running
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

While everything appears to be running we can verify that there are no scheduling cycles or fail/restart activities by examining the system events. We have viewed

resource specific events in the past using the kubectl describe subcommand. This time we'll use the kubectl get events subcommand to view cluster wide events:

1m	1m	1 web	site-205870431-7cd9k	Pod		Normal	
Scheduled					te-205870431-7cd9k to ubur		
Lm	1m		site-205870431-7cd9k	Pod		Normal	
Pulling			pulling image				
.m	1m		site-205870431-7cd9k	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	Pulle
ubelet, u		Successfully	<pre>pulled image "nginx:</pre>	1.7.9"			
m	1m		site-205870431-7cd9k	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
reated			Created conta		5p00100u=0.0(p0u00)		
	faa02c20c		54ff30a6a65ad8e3baa46				
.m	1m		site-205870431-7cd9k	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
		kubelet, ubuntu	Started conta	iner with id	5p00100u=0.0(p0u00)		
	faa02c20c		54ff30a6a65ad8e3baa46				
m			site-205870431-h530h	Pod		Normal	
cheduled		default-schedule			tte-205870431-h530h to ubur		
m	1m		site-205870431-h530h	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
			pulling image				
m	1m	1 web	site-205870431-h530h	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	Pulle
ubelet, u		Successfully	pulled image "nginx:	1.7.9"	5p00100u=0.0(p0u00)		
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reated	2		Created conta		speci containers (peames)	1101	
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m	1m		site-205870431-h530h	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
tarted			Started conta		5p00100u=0.0(p0u00)		
	b75b6c9de		7afefe1c1d13fe8f52d2b				
m			site-205870431-l7czq			Normal	
cheduled		default-schedule			ite-205870431-l7czq to ubur		
m	1m	1 web	site-205870431-l7czq	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
ulling			pulling image			-	
m	1m	1 web	site-205870431-l7czq	Pod	<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	Pulle
ubelet, u	buntu	Successfully	pulled image "nginx:	1.7.9"			
m	1m		site-205870431-l7czq		<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
reated			Created conta				
94f3a303d	660a4771e		f6b74bcf042445dc75838				
m			site-205870431-l7czq		<pre>spec.containers{podweb}</pre>	Normal	
tarted			Started conta				
94f3a303d	660a4771e		f6b74bcf042445dc75838				
	1m		site-205870431	ReplicaSet		Normal	

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```
SuccessfulCreate
                    replicaset-controller
                                            Created pod: website-205870431-h530h
1m
           1m
                                 website-205870431
                                                           ReplicaSet
                                                                                                  Normal
                    replicaset-controller
SuccessfulCreate
                                            Created pod: website-205870431-7cd9k
                                 website-205870431
                                                           ReplicaSet
                                                                                                  Normal
1m
           1m
SuccessfulCreate
                    replicaset-controller
                                            Created pod: website-205870431-l7czg
                                 website
                                                           Deployment
                                                                                                  Normal
ScalingReplicaSet
                    deployment-controller
                                            Scaled up replica set website-205870431 to 3
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Checking the event log occasionally will help you identify normal cluster patterns and make it possible for you to spot anomalies more easily when debugging.

When many resources are running on a cluster it can be advantageous to restrict output to a certain set of resources. The Kubernetes labeling system makes this easy. The -l switch can be used with the kubectl get subcommand to filter output by label.

Try listing all pods:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get pods
NAME
                            READY
                                      STATUS
                                                 RESTARTS
                                                            AGE
website-205870431-7cd9k
                            1/1
                                      Running
                                                            2m
                            1/1
                                                 0
website-205870431-h530h
                                      Running
                                                            2m
website-205870431-l7czq
                            1/1
                                      Running
                                                 0
                                                            2m
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Now try filtering by the "appname" label key we assigned to all of our pods in the pod template metadata:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get pods -l appname
NAME
                            READY
                                      STATUS
                                                RESTARTS
                                                            AGE
website-205870431-7cd9k
                            1/1
                                      Running
                                                            2m
website-205870431-h530h
                            1/1
                                      Running
                                                            2m
website-205870431-l7czq
                            1/1
                                      Running
                                                            2m
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

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You can also filter by key and value:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get pods -l appname=webserver
NAME
                           READY
                                     STATUS
                                               RESTARTS
                                                          AGE
website-205870431-7cd9k
                           1/1
                                     Running
                                                          2m
                                     Running
website-205870431-h530h
                           1/1
                                                          2m
website-205870431-l7czq
                           1/1
                                     Running
                                                          2m
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

You can filter by pod name:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get $(kubectl get pods -o name | head -1)

NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE
website-205870431-7cd9k 1/1 Running 0 3m

user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Our pod has labels we have added and the Kubernetes infrastructure may add labels as well:

Unfortunately describe doesn't allow for JSON output. Good news, though, get does.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get $(kubectl get pods -o name | head -1) -o json | jq .metadata.labels {
   "appname": "webserver",
```

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```
"pod-template-hash": "2870940145",
  "targetenv": "demo"
}
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

- Why do each of the filters above work or not work?
- Enter a command to display all of the pods with either the "demo" or "prod" value for targetenv
- Find all pods other than those with the "demo" or "prod" value for targetenv
- Enter a command to display all of the pods with either the "demo" or "prod" value for targetenv and the appname key set to webserver

2. Checking status of a Deployment

We have seen previously how to check the status of a deployment.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get deploy

NAME DESIRED CURRENT UP-TO-DATE AVAILABLE AGE website 3 3 3 2m

user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Now we take an slightly more application-centric view.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout status deploy/website

deployment "website" successfully rolled out

user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Rollouts are used to update a given set of Pods, the ones controlled by this Deployment's replica set. It reports success when all the currently deployed Pods match what is expected in the current deployment. In k8s technical terms these conditions are all true:

- .status.observedGeneration >= .metadata.generation
- .status.updatedReplicas == .spec.replicas
- .spec.availableReplicas >= minimum required

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3. Updating a Deployment

We are using nginx 1.7.9 in our example, lets update to 1.9.1.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl set image deploy/website podweb=nginx:1.9.1 --record
deployment "website" image updated
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Alternative is to use kubectl edit deployment/website

Check the status of the rollout:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout status deploy/website

deployment "website" successfully rolled out

user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get deploy/website

NAME    DESIRED    CURRENT    UP-TO-DATE    AVAILABLE    AGE
website    3     3     3     5m

user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Look at the Replica Sets & Pods

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get rs,pod

NAME DESIRED CURRENT READY AGE
rs/website-205870431 0 0 0 6m
```

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```
rs/website-4061902189
                                   3
                                                       55s
NAME
                               READY
                                         STATUS
                                                   RESTARTS
                                                               AGE
po/website-4061902189-7kz2j
                                         Running
                               1/1
                                                               44s
po/website-4061902189-kt956
                                                               55s
                              1/1
                                         Running
po/website-4061902189-v11lw
                              1/1
                                         Running
                                                   0
                                                               43s
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

By describing the deployment we can inspect the events that occurred during the rollout:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl describe deploy/website
Name:
                        website
Namespace:
                        default
                        Tue, 12 Sep 2017 22:12:17 -0700
CreationTimestamp:
Labels:
                        bu=sales
                        deployment.kubernetes.io/revision=2
Annotations:
Selector:
                        appname=webserver,targetenv=demo
                        3 desired | 3 updated | 3 total | 3 available | 0 unavailable
Replicas:
                        RollingUpdate
StrategyType:
MinReadySeconds:
                        0
RollingUpdateStrategy: 25% max unavailable, 25% max surge
Pod Template:
  Labels:
                appname=webserver
                targetenv=demo
  Containers:
   podweb:
   Image:
                        nginx:1.9.1
                        80/TCP
    Port:
    Environment:
                        <none>
   Mounts:
                        <none>
 Volumes:
                        <none>
Conditions:
  Type
                Status Reason
                        MinimumReplicasAvailable
 Available
                True
                True
                        NewReplicaSetAvailable
  Progressing
OldReplicaSets: <none>
NewReplicaSet: website-4061902189 (3/3 replicas created)
Events:
```

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FirstSeen	LastSeen	Count	From	SubObjectPath	Туре	Reason				
Message 										
 7m	7m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled up repl	ica set website-	205870431				3 1				
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled up repl	ica set website-	406190218				3 1				
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled down re	plica set websit	e-2058704	131 to 2			J .				
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled up repl	Scaled up replica set website-4061902189 to 2									
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled down replica set website-205870431 to 1										
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled up replica set website-4061902189 to 3										
1m	1m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet				
Scaled down re	plica set websit	e-2058704	131 to 0							
user@ubuntu:~/	dep\$									

Note that the rollout was a smooth transition from one set of Pods controlled by our original ReplicaSet website-205870431 to our second set of Pods controlled by the RS website-4061902189.

4. Manually rolling back a deployment

Lets manually revert back to nginx 1.7.9 and check the status.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl set image deploy/website podweb=nginx:1.7.9 --record
deployment "website" image updated
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

user@ubuntu:~/dep\$ kubectl rollout status deploy/website
deployment "website" successfully rolled out

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user@ubuntu:~/dep\$ kubectl get rs

NAME DESIRED CURRENT READY AGE website-205870431 3 3 9m website-4061902189 0 0 0 4m

user@ubuntu:~/dep\$

Notice which deployment (NAME) is being used.

user@ubuntu:~/dep\$ kubectl get pods

 NAME
 READY
 STATUS
 RESTARTS
 AGE

 website-205870431-4bwfs
 1/1
 Running
 0
 35s

 website-205870431-62fv5
 1/1
 Running
 0
 38s

 website-205870431-x65g5
 1/1
 Running
 0
 36s

user@ubuntu:~/dep\$

Confirm your observations once again in the event log.

user@ubuntu:~/dep\$ kubectl describe deploy/website

Name: website Namespace: default

CreationTimestamp: Tue, 12 Sep 2017 22:12:17 -0700

Labels: bu=sales

Annotations: deployment.kubernetes.io/revision=3 Selector: appname=webserver,targetenv=demo

Replicas: 3 desired | 3 updated | 3 total | 3 available | 0 unavailable

StrategyType: RollingUpdate

MinReadySeconds: 0

RollingUpdateStrategy: 25% max unavailable, 25% max surge

Pod Template:

Labels: appname=webserver targetenv=demo Containers:							
<pre>podweb: Image: Port: Environment Mounts: Volumes: Conditions:</pre>	::	nginx:1.7.9 80/TCP <none> <none></none></none>					
Type	Status	Reason					
Available Progressing OldReplicaSets:	True True <none></none>	MinimumReplicas NewReplicaSetAv	railable				
<pre>NewReplicaSet: Events:</pre>	website	e-205870431 (3/3	replicas created)				
FirstSeen	LastSee	en Count	From	SubObjectPath	Туре	Reason	
Message 							
10m	10m	1 website-205870431	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
4m	4m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
Scaled up repli 4m	lca set w 4m	vebsite—406190218 1	9 to 1 deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
Scaled down rep 4m	olica set 4m	website-2058704			Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
Scaled up repli		vebsite-406190218	9 to 2				
4m Scaled down ren	4m olica set	1 website-2058704	deployment-controller 31 to 1		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
4m	4m	1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
4m	4m	website-406190218 1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
Scaled down rep	lica set 56s	website-2058704 1	31 to 0 deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
Scaled up repli 54s	ica set w 54s	website-205870431 1			Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
54s	49s	website-4061902 4	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet	
(combined from similar events): Scaled down replica set website-4061902189 to 0							
user@ubuntu:~/dep\$							

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5. Checking rollout history of a Deployment

We can use the *rollout history* subcommand to see what we have been doing to trigger these rollouts

Take a detailed look at a previous deployment version.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout history deploy/website --revision=2
deployments "website" with revision #2
Pod Template:
  Labels:
                appname=webserver
        pod-template-hash=4061902189
        targetenv=demo
  Containers:
   podweb:
               nginx:1.9.1
   Image:
    Port:
                80/TCP
    Environment:
                        <none>
   Mounts:
                <none>
 Volumes:
                <none>
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

6. Rolling back to a previous Deployment

Confirm the current version of a container is 1.7.9.

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```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get pods -o json | jq .items[0].spec.containers[0].image -r
nginx:1.7.9
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Revert to previous version/revision.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout undo deploy/website

deployment "website" rolled back
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Alternative to above is kubectl rollout undo deployment/website --to-revision=2

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl describe deploy/website
```

Name: website Namespace: default

CreationTimestamp: Tue, 12 Sep 2017 22:12:17 -0700

Labels: bu=sales

Annotations: deployment.kubernetes.io/revision=4 appname=webserver,targetenv=demo

Replicas: 3 desired | 3 updated | 3 total | 3 available | 0 unavailable

StrategyType: RollingUpdate

MinReadySeconds: 0

RollingUpdateStrategy: 25% max unavailable, 25% max surge

Pod Template: Labels:	appname targete	=webserv	er				
Containers: podweb: Image: Port: Environment Mounts: Volumes: Conditions: Type		nginx:1 80/TCP <none> <none></none></none>	.9.1				
Available Progressing	True True	Minimum NewRepl		Available			
OldReplicaSets: NewReplicaSet:	<none></none>	•		replicas created)			
Events: FirstSeen	LastSee		Count	From	SubObjectPath	Туре	Reason
Message		_					
12m Scaled up repli	12m ca set w	ebsite-2	1 05870431	deployment-controller to 3		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
7m Scaled up repli	7m		1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
7m Scaled down rep	7m		1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
7m	7m		1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
Scaled up repli 3m	3m		1	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
Scaled up repli 3m	ca set w 3m	ebsite-2	05870431 1	to 1 deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
Scaled down rep 24s	lica set 24s	website-	-4061902 1	189 to 2 deployment-controller		Normal	DeploymentRollback
Rolled back dep	loyment	"website		ision 2			
		events):	7 Scaled	<pre>deployment-controller up replica set website-</pre>	4061902189 to 2	Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
7m Scaled up repli	22s ca set w	ebsite-4	2 06190218	deployment-controller 9 to 3		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
7m Scaled down rep	22s lica set	wehsite	2 -2058704	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet
6m	20s		2	deployment-controller		Normal	ScalingReplicaSet

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```
Scaled down replica set website-205870431 to 0
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Note the unique event in the log for the rollback: DeploymentRollback

Confirm the container image version has been reverted to 1.9.1:

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl get pods -o json | jq .items[0].spec.containers[0].image -r
nginx:1.9.1
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

7. Pausing and resuming a Deployment

In a larger installation, we may be deploying dozens of pods. For our small test it is hard to pause in time, so we chain the commands to hopefully catch it in the act.

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl set image deploy/website podweb=nginx:1.7.9; kubectl rollout pause deploy/website deployment "website" image updated deployment "website" paused user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

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```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout status deploy/website
Waiting for rollout to finish: 1 out of 3 new replicas have been updated...
^C
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout resume deploy/website
deployment "website" resumed
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ kubectl rollout status deploy/website

deployment "website" successfully rolled out
user@ubuntu:~/dep$
```

Delete your deployment.

8. Health Checks

In this step we will create a pod with a health check. Enter and run the following config (hc.yaml):

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```
user@ubuntu:~/dep$ cd
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir hc
user@ubuntu:~$ cd hc
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ vi hc.yaml
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ cat hc.yaml
apiVersion: apps/v1beta1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: nginx
  labels:
   name: nginx
spec:
  replicas: 3
  selector:
    matchLabels:
     name: nginx
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
       name: nginx
    spec:
      containers:
      - name: nginx
        image: nginx:latest
        ports:
       - containerPort: 80
        livenessProbe: # An HTTP health check
         httpGet:
            path: /
            port: 80
          initialDelaySeconds: 30
          timeoutSeconds: 1
user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

Now run the deployment:

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```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ kubectl create -f hc.yaml
deployment "nginx" created
user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

View your deployment:

```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ kubectl get deploy,rs,pods
NAME
               DESIRED
                          CURRENT
                                    UP-T0-DATE
                                                  AVAILABLE
                                                               AGE
deploy/nginx
               3
                          3
                                     3
                                                  3
                                                               14s
NAME
                      DESIRED
                                CURRENT
                                           READY
                                                     AGE
rs/nginx-101291927
                                3
                                           3
                      3
                                                     14s
NAME
                            READY
                                       STATUS
                                                 RESTARTS
                                                             AGE
po/nginx-101291927-n78jd
                            1/1
                                       Running
                                                             14s
po/nginx-101291927-n7w09
                            1/1
                                       Running
                                                             14s
po/nginx-101291927-x38cd
                            1/1
                                       Running
                                                             14s
user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

Note that our nginx service listens on port 80 and responds normally to requests for "/", so our health check is passing.

To trigger the health check repair logic, we need to simulate an error condition. By forcing nginx to report a 404, the *httpGet* livenessProbe will fail. We can do this by deleting the nginx configuration file in the nginx container.

Display the events for the first pod in the set:

```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ kubectl get events | grep $(kubectl get pods -o name | head -1 | awk -F '/' '{print $2}')
                              nginx-101291927-n78jd
                                                                                                  Normal
8m
          8m
                                                          Pod
Scheduled
                     default-scheduler
                                              Successfully assigned nginx-101291927-n78jd to ubuntu
                                                                       spec.containers{nginx}
8m
          8m
                              nginx-101291927-n78jd
                                                          Pod
                                                                                                  Normal
                                                                                                            Pulling
kubelet, ubuntu
                        pulling image "nginx:latest"
                              nginx-101291927-n78jd
                                                                       spec.containers{nginx}
                    1
                                                                                                            Pulled
8m
                                                          Pod
                                                                                                  Normal
kubelet, ubuntu
                        Successfully pulled image "nginx:latest"
                              nginx-101291927-n78jd
                                                                       spec.containers{nginx}
8m
          8m
                    1
                                                          Pod
                                                                                                  Normal
                                                                                                            Created
```

```
kubelet, ubuntu
                        Created container with id f1c3413b14d4ad1389d698846f3dd5259cefadce5a88bb6ab424f40e42309b5c
          8m
                    1
                              nginx-101291927-n78jd
                                                         Pod
                                                                      spec.containers{nginx}
                                                                                                Normal
                                                                                                           Started
8m
                        Started container with id f1c3413b14d4ad1389d698846f3dd5259cefadce5a88bb6ab424f40e42309b5c
kubelet, ubuntu
8m
          8m
                              nginx-101291927
                                                         ReplicaSet
                                                                                                Normal
SuccessfulCreate
                     replicaset-controller Created pod: nginx-101291927-n78jd
user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

The status is good.

Now lets tell the nginx in the first pod to stop serving the root IRI by deleting the nginx default config.

```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ kubectl exec -it $(kubectl get pods -o name | head -1 | awk -F '/' '{print $2}') -- sh -c "rm /etc/nginx/conf.d/default.conf && nginx -s reload"

2017/07/14 19:09:28 [notice] 18#18: signal process started

user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

Now redisplay the events for the pod:

```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ kubectl get events | grep $(kubectl get pods -o name | head -1 | awk -F '/' '{print $2}')
15m
           15m
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                            Pod
                                                                                                      Normal
                                                 Successfully assigned nginx-2181692066-9cfxt to ubuntu
Scheduled
                        default-scheduler
15m
           15m
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                                                                      Normal
                        kubelet, ubuntu
SuccessfulMountVolume
                                                MountVolume.SetUp succeeded for volume "default-token-gl2cc"
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
                                                                                                      Normal
14m
           15m
                                                            Pod
                                                 pulling image "nginx:latest"
Pulling
                        kubelet. ubuntu
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
14m
           15m
                                                            Pod
                                                                                                      Normal
                        kubelet, ubuntu
                                                 Successfully pulled image "nginx:latest"
Pulled
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
14m
           15m
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                            Pod
                                                                                                      Normal
                        kubelet, ubuntu
Created
                                                 Created container
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
14m
           15m
                                                                                                      Normal
                                                            Pod
                                                 Started container
Started
                        kubelet. ubuntu
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
14m
           14m
                                                            Pod
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
                                                                                                      Warning
Unhealthy
                        kubelet, ubuntu
                                                Liveness probe failed: Get http://10.32.0.6:80/: dial tcp
10.32.0.6:80: getsockopt: connection refused
14m
                                 nginx-2181692066-9cfxt
                                                                         spec.containers{nginx}
           14m
                       1
                                                            Pod
                                                                                                      Normal
```

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```
Killing kubelet, ubuntu Killing container with id docker://nginx:pod "nginx-2181692066-9cfxt_default(0657e7d2-6bae-11e7-bbf7-000c29f5877a)" container "nginx" is unhealthy, it will be killed and recreated.

15m 15m 1 nginx-2181692066 ReplicaSet Normal
SuccessfulCreate replicaset-controller Created pod: nginx-2181692066-9cfxt

user@ubuntu:~/hc$
```

As you can see the Liveness probe is now failing. The nginx container in the pod was created, started, found unhealthy, killed, created and started again.

Remove the related resources.

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl delete deploy/nginx
deployment "nginx" deleted
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

9. Creating a Job

In a previous lab we saw that running a pod standalone works but without an RS the pod will not restart if it crashes. Unfortunately, if we run a batch job in a pod with an RS and the pod completes the task, the RS will start the pod again.

What if we want a pod that runs only once, however, if it or the node it is running on fails before the pod completes successfully, we want the pod to be started again until it does complete successfully. Kubernetes provides a **Job** type for this scenario.

A Job is like an RC/RS that ensures that a pod runes once to completion. Imagine we want to calculate Pi. Not twice, not half of a time, but precisely once. A job would be the perfect way to run a container that calculates Pi. Enter this sample job config to compute Pi:

```
user@ubuntu:~/hc$ cd ..
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir jobs
user@ubuntu:~$ cd jobs/
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ vim myjob.yaml
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ cat myjob.yaml
```

```
apiVersion: batch/v1
kind: Job
metadata:
    name: pi
spec:
    template:
        metadata:
        name: pi
    spec:
        containers:
        - name: pi
        image: perl
        command: ["perl", "-Mbignum=bpi", "-wle", "print bpi(2000)"]
    restartPolicy: Never
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

The config uses apiVersion "batch/v1". The kind of object we will create is a Job. The Job will have the name "pi", as per the metadata. The spec for our Job includes a selector which will match anything with the label "app=pi".

The template for the pod the Job we'll create must have a name pi.

The spec for the pod uses a single perl container which will run the command that computes pi. We also set the restart policy to Never.

Now try running your Job:

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl create -f myjob.yaml
job "pi" created
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

Examine the job:

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl get deploy,rs,pods,job

NAME DESIRED SUCCESSFUL AGE
jobs/pi 1 1 1m
```

user@ubuntu:~/jobs\$

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl describe job/pi
Name:
                рi
Namespace:
                default
Selector:
                controller-uid=7bd22273-38da-11e7-b8ef-000c2949d6f4
                controller-uid=7bd22273-38da-11e7-b8ef-000c2949d6f4
Labels:
                iob-name=pi
Annotations:
                <none>
Parallelism:
                1
Completions:
                1
Start Time:
                Sun, 14 May 2017 12:21:08 -0700
Pods Statuses:
                0 Running / 1 Succeeded / 0 Failed
Pod Template:
 Labels:
                controller-uid=7bd22273-38da-11e7-b8ef-000c2949d6f4
                job-name=pi
  Containers:
   pi:
    Image:
                perl
    Port:
    Command:
      perl
     -Mbignum=bpi
      -wle
     print bpi(2000)
    Environment:
                        <none>
   Mounts:
                        <none>
 Volumes:
                        <none>
Events:
  FirstSeen
              LastSeen
                                                         SubObjectPath
                                Count
                                        From
                                                                        Type
                                                                                         Reason
Message
                                1
                                        job-controller
                                                                                         SuccessfulCreate
  1m
                                                                         Normal
                1m
Created pod: pi-fhftr
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

The kubectl create subcommand processes the job request and runs our pod. Displaying the Job description shows us the name of the pod that ran the Job.

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We can now dump the logs for the pod to see the result:

user@ubuntu:~/jobs\$ kubectl logs \$(kubectl get jobs -o name)

3.1415926535897932384626433832795028841971693993751058209749445923078164062862089986280348253421170679821480865132 823066470938446095505822317253594081284811174502841027019385211055596446229489549303819644288109756659334461284756 482337867831652712019091456485669234603486104543266482133936072602491412737245870066063155881748815209209628292540 762931767523846748184676694051320005681271452635608277857713427577896091736371787214684409012249534301465495853710 185950244594553469083026425223082533446850352619311881710100031378387528865875332083814206171776691473035982534904 287554687311595628638823537875937519577818577805321712268066130019278766111959092164201989380952572010654858632788 558890750983817546374649393192550604009277016711390098488240128583616035637076601047101819429555961989467678374494 402474964732639141992726042699227967823547816360093417216412199245863150302861829745557067498385054945885869269956 909272107975093029553211653449872027559602364806654991198818347977535663698074265425278625518184175746728909777727 938000816470600161452491921732172147723501414419735685481613611573525521334757418494684385233239073941433345477624 168625189835694855620992192221842725502542568876717904946016534668049886272327917860857843838279679766814541009538 837863609506800642251252051173929848960841284886269456042419652850222106611863067442786220391949450471237137869609 563643719172874677646575739624138908658326459958133904780275898

user@ubuntu:~/jobs\$

By default, a Job is complete when one Pod runs to successful completion. You can also specify that this needs to happen multiple times by specifying Job spec key "completions" with a value greater than 1. You can suggest how many pods should run concurrently by setting Job spec key "parallelism" to the number of pods you would like to have running concurrently (the value defaults to "completions".) The parallelism key is just a hint and the Job may run fewer or more concurrent pods.

Jobs are complementary to Deployments. A Deployment manages pods which are not expected to terminate (e.g. web servers,) and a Job manages pods that are expected to terminate (e.g. batch jobs.)

When you are finished exploring remove the Job:

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl delete job pi
job "pi" deleted
```

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```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$ kubectl get deploy,rs,pods,job
No resources found.
user@ubuntu:~/jobs$
```

Congratulations you have completed the Kubernetes Deployments and Replica Sets lab!

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