Openshift

Introduction to the Side Car

Laurent Valeyre

Orange

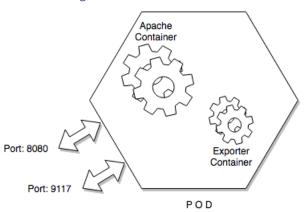
August 2018





Schema

Figure: schema of a Side Car







Apache status

Module to enable the output statistic of *Apache*.

```
<Location /server-status>
  SetHandler server-status
  Order deny,allow
  Allow from all
</Location> ExtendedStatus On>
```

Figure: status.conf

This module has to be copied in the /etc/apache2/mods-enabled/ directory.



Dockerfile

The *Dockerfile* includes the copy of the *Apache* module Important to add the switching between *root* and *1001* user

```
FROM ubuntu:latest
USER root
...
RUN a2enmod status
COPY status.conf /etc/apache2/mods-enabled/
EXPOSE 8080
USER 1001
CMD ["/usr/sbin/apache2ctl", "-DFOREGROUND"]
```

Figure: Dockerfile



Secret Access

And because the credential of GITLAB, we'll use the login/password based on the token initialized in our profile

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Secret
metadata:
  name: gitlab-secret
  namespace: sidecar
type: kubernetes.io/basic-auth
data:
  username: c3Bpa2U=
  password: dmFsZW50aW51
```

Figure: gitlab-secret.yaml



Secret Access

The *username* and *password* are encoded to Base64 format. Finally we load the new *secret*

```
$ echo -n 'spike' | base64
c3Bpa2U=
$ echo -n 'valentine' | base64
dmFsZW50aW51
$ oc create -f gitlab-secret.yaml
```



6/12

New Project

It's time to create our new project sidecar, similar to a namespace

```
$ oc new-project sidecar \
--display-name='Side Car Project' \
--description='Side Car Project'
```



New Application

It's time to create our application

```
$ oc new-app https://gitlab.forge.orange-labs.fr/\
laov6410/cdnselect.git --name sidecar
$ oc set build-secret --source bc/sidecar gitlab-secret
$ oc expose service sidecar
$ oc get all name --selector app=sidecar
```



Item To Modify

2 parts will be modified to adapted to our application

- DeploymentConfig
- Service





DeploymentConfig

We edit DeploymentConfig

```
$ oc edit dc/sidecar
```

and we add

```
spec:
  containers:
  - name: apache-exporter
   image: previousnext/apache-exporter
   command: [ "apache_exporter", "-scrape_uri", \
    "http://127.0.0.1:8080/server-status/?auto" ]
   ports:
   - containerPort: 9117
```

Service

We edit service

```
$ oc edit svc/sidecar
```

spec:

. . .

name: 9117-tcp port: 9117 protocol: TCP

targetPort: 9117

9117 is The port related to exporter apache



Finally

Finally we create our new application from this yaml file

```
$ oc get svc --selector "app=selector"

NAME TYPE CLUSTER-IP PORT(S)

selector ClusterIP 172.30.127.98 8080/TCP,9117/TCP

$ oc describe dc/sidecar
```

Et voila...



12 / 12