Steps to deploy!

- Navigate to the Backup & Restore directory:
- Create the Service Principal, representing Velero, to perform backups & restores:

```
az ad sp create-for-rbac --name sp-velero-aks1 --role Reader --scopes
/subscriptions/{subscriptionId}
```

• Deploy the Terraform sample code:

```
terraform init
terraform plan
terraform apply
```

• Connect to the Primary AKS Cluster (following the sample code as is):

```
az aks get-credentials --name primary-aks1 --overwrite-existing --resource-group primary-aks1
```

Check that velero is installed and running correctly:

```
```bash
kubectl get pods -n velero
```
```

• Deploy sample stateful applications in the primary cluster:

```
kubectl apply -f ../applications_samples/
```

Wait for the applications to be running

```
kubectl get pods --all-namespaces -w
```

• Create some data files (to test backups and restores):

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-zrs -n csi-disk-zrs -- touch
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-lrs -n csi-disk-lrs -- touch
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-file-zrs -n csi-file-zrs -- touch
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-file-lrs -n file-lrs -- touch /mnt/azuredisk/some-
data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginxstatefulset-0 -n diskstatefulset -- touch
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

• Check that data is created:

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-zrs -n csi-disk-zrs -- ls
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

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kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-lrs -n csi-disk-lrs -- ls
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```

• Create a backup for primary AKS cluster: (You can filter resources to backup)

```
velero backup create manual-backup1 -w
```

Create backup

• Describe created backup:

velero backup describe manual-backup1 --details

- Describe backup
- Restore to secondary AKS cluster:
 - Connect to the Secondary / Backup AKS Cluster (following the sample code as is):

az aks get-credentials --name aks-dr --overwrite-existing --resource-group aks-dr

Check running pods :

kubectl get pods --all-namespaces

• As Velero is configured, in the secondary backup cluster, to reference the same backup location (storage account container), You should see the same backups available:

velero backup get

Velero check install screenshot

• Restore from backup: (you may get a partially failed status when trying to restore existing objects, such as kube-system resources).

velero restore create restore1 --from-backup manual-backup1 -w

- Create Restore
- Check that Restore is successful:
 - Check restored applications / pods

kubectl get pods --all-namespaces

o check restore details

```
velero restore get restore1
```

```
velero restore describe restore1 --details
```

check restore logs

```
velero restore logs restore1
```

• Check that data is restored (verify existence of data files):

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-zrs -n csi-disk-zrs -- ls
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-disk-lrs -n csi-disk-lrs -- ls
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

```
kubectl exec -it nginx-csi-file-zrs -n csi-file-zrs -- ls
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
```

kubectl exec -it nginx-file-lrs -n file-lrs -- ls /mnt/azuredisk/some-datafile.txt

```
kubectl exec -it nginxstatefulset-0 -n diskstatefulset -- ls
/mnt/azuredisk/some-data-file.txt
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