

Create a Kubernetes cluster using kubeadm

We are creating a Kubernetes cluster using kubeadm.

For this we will have need of two Linux machines(may be Virtual machines) with static IP address and after this have to disable all swap nodes as follow:

```
$ sudo swapoff -a
$ sudo sed -i 's/^/#/' /etc/fstab
```

Updating sysctl settings for Kubernetes networking

```
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/modules-load.d/k8s.conf
br_netfilter
EOF
```

```
sudo modprobe br_netfilter
```

```
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-ip6tables = 1
net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables = 1
EOF
```

```
sudo sysctl --system
```

Now I'll install Docker (if not already installed)

```
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install -y apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl software-properties-common
```

```
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key add -
```

```
sudo add-apt-repository "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu focal stable"
```

```
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install -y docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io
```

```
sudo systemctl enable docker
sudo systemctl start docker
```

Along with Docker has been started, now docker is in running condition

Again installing kubeadm, kubelet, and kubectl on all nodes(if not installed)

```
sudo apt-get update && sudo apt-get install -y apt-transport-https curl
```

```
curl -s https://packages.cloud.google.com/apt/doc/apt-key.gpg | sudo apt-key add -
```

```
cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/kubernetes.list
deb https://apt.kubernetes.io/ kubernetes-xenial main
EOF
```

```
sudo apt-get update
```

```
sudo apt-get install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl
```

```
sudo apt-mark hold kubelet kubeadm kubectl
```

Initialize the Kubernetes master node

For the master node:

```
$ sudo kubeadm init --pod-network-cidr=10.244.0.0/16
```

After initialization completes, setting up kubeconfig for the `kubectl` command:

```
mkdir -p $HOME/.kube
sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf $HOME/.kube/config
sudo chown $(id -u):$(id -g) $HOME/.kube/config
```

Now installing a pod network add-on

```
$ kubectl apply -f https://raw.githubusercontent.com/coreos/flannel/master/Documentation/kube-flannel.yml
```

Now join worker nodes to the cluster

On the master node, after `kubeadm init`, we will see a command like:

```
kubeadm join <master-ip>:6443 --token <token> --discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:<hash>
```

Running this command on each worker node to join the cluster.

Final verifying the cluster

On the master node:

```
$ kubectl get nodes
```

Now as everything have been in suitable manner, there should be the master and worker nodes listed with status `Ready`