Minikube and Kubernetes Commands Guide

1. Start Minikube Cluster

minikube start

• Initializes a Minikube cluster on your local machine. This command sets up a Kubernetes environment.

2. View Kubernetes Namespaces

kubectl get ns

• Lists all available namespaces in the Kubernetes cluster.

3. View All Pods Across Namespaces

kubectl get po -A

• Shows the status of all pods in all namespaces.

4. View Ingress Resources

kubectl get ingress

• Lists the ingress resources deployed in the cluster. Ingress controllers manage external access to services within the cluster.

Pause and Resume Minikube Cluster (Without Impacting Applications)

Pause Kubernetes:

minikube pause

- Pauses the Minikube cluster. This action will suspend the Kubernetes components without stopping deployed applications.
- Resume Kubernetes:

minikube unpause

o Resumes a paused Minikube cluster.

Halt and Delete Minikube Cluster

Stop the Cluster:

minikube stop

o Halts the Minikube cluster, stopping all running services and resources.

• Delete All Minikube Clusters:

minikube delete --all

o Deletes all Minikube clusters from your local system.

Deploying and Managing Resources in Kubernetes

1. Deploy a YAML Configuration:

kubectl apply -f zamans-deployment.yaml

o Applies the deployment configuration specified in zamans-deployment.yaml.

2. Get Pods in the Current Namespace:

kubectl get pods

Lists all running pods in the default namespace.

3. View Services in Kubernetes:

kubectl get services

o Displays all services currently deployed in Kubernetes.

4. Access a Service in Minikube:

minikube service zamans-service

o Opens the service zamans-service in the default web browser.

Logging, Managing, and Deleting Pods

1. View Pod Logs:

kubectl logs zamans-container-67f5b885c5-h27dk

o Shows logs from the specified pod zamans-container-67f5b885c5-h27dk.

2. Delete a Pod:

kubectl delete pod zamans-container-67f5b885c5-h27dk

 Deletes the specified pod. Kubernetes will automatically create a new pod to maintain the desired state.

Deleting Deployments and Services

1. View Deployments:

kubectl get deployments

2. Delete a Deployment:

kubectl delete deployments zamans-container

o Removes the specified deployment.

3. View Services Again:

kubectl get services

4. Delete a Service:

kubectl delete services zamans-service

o Deletes the specified service.

Access Pod Container Shell

kubectl exec -it zamans-container-67f5b885c5-jp7f2 -- /bin/sh

• Launches an interactive shell (/bin/sh) in the specified container within the pod.