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What's new on controller-runtime of the day

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Mainly focuses on cluster management, workloads, exploring AI jobs scheduling on Kubernetes.

What is controller-runtime



Kubebuilder/OperatorSDK:

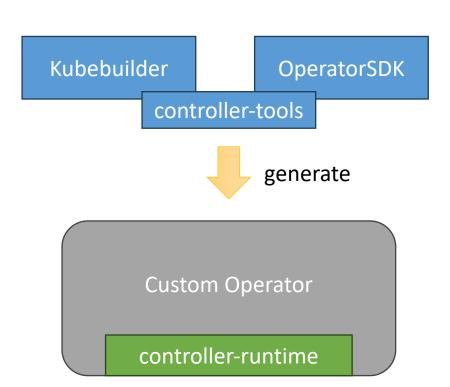
generate the project and go types for custom resources

controller-tools:

- generate go files, e.g., deepcopy
- generate yaml files, e.g., CRD/Webhook/RBAC definition

controller-runtime:

- a set of go libraries for building Controllers/Webhooks
- the core runtime sdk for all Operators

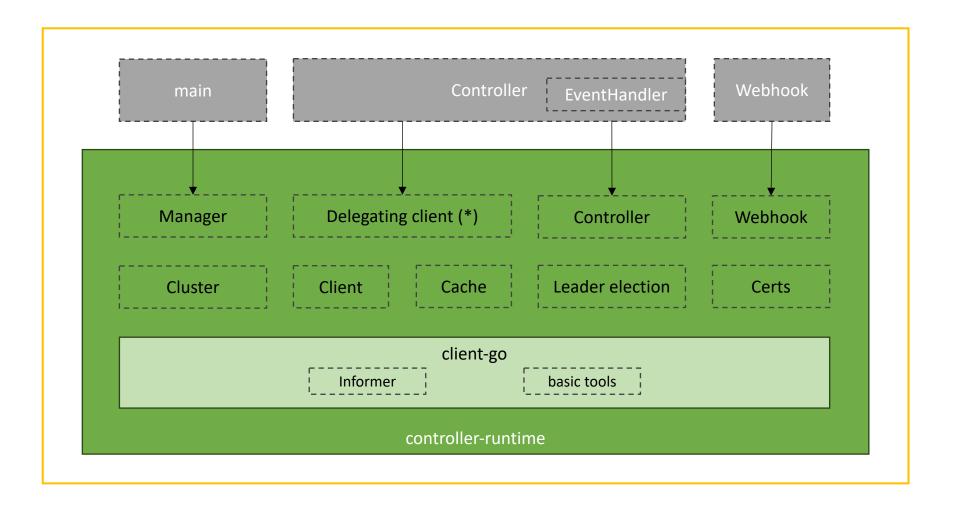


What is controller-runtime



Core concepts:

- Manager
- Client
- Controller
- Webhook



Versioning and Compatibility



Kubebuilder	controller-runtime	Kubernetes
v1.x	v0.1.x	v1.13
v2.x	v0.2.x - v0.6.x	v1.14 - v1.18
v3.x	v0.7.x - ?	v1.19 - ?

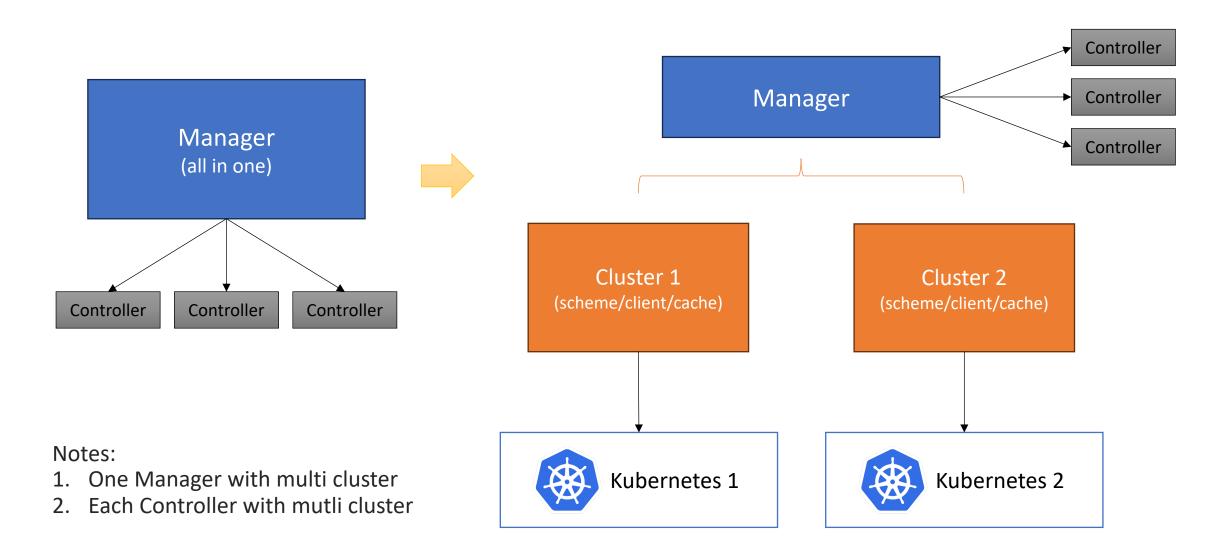
Latest version matched:

• controller-runtime v0.X <-> Kubernetes v0.{X+12}

Kubernetes	client-go	controller-runtime
v1.4	v1.4	
v1.5	v1.5, v2.0	
v1.6 – v1.13	v3.0 – v10.0	
v1.14	v11.0	v0.2
v1.15	v12.0, v0.15	v0.3
v1.16-v1.28	v0.16 - v0.28	v0.4 – v0.16

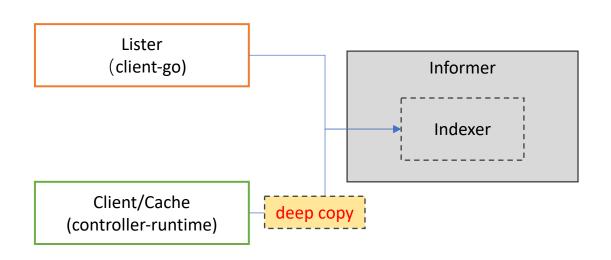
Section.1 multi cluster





Section.2 disable deep copy



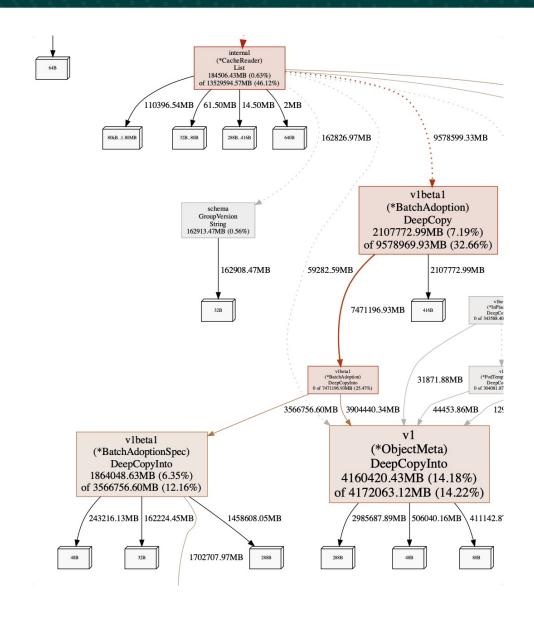


Since v0.10 (cache options refactored in v0.15):

- DefaultUnsafeDisableDeepCopy
- 2. UnsafeDisableDeepCopy By Object

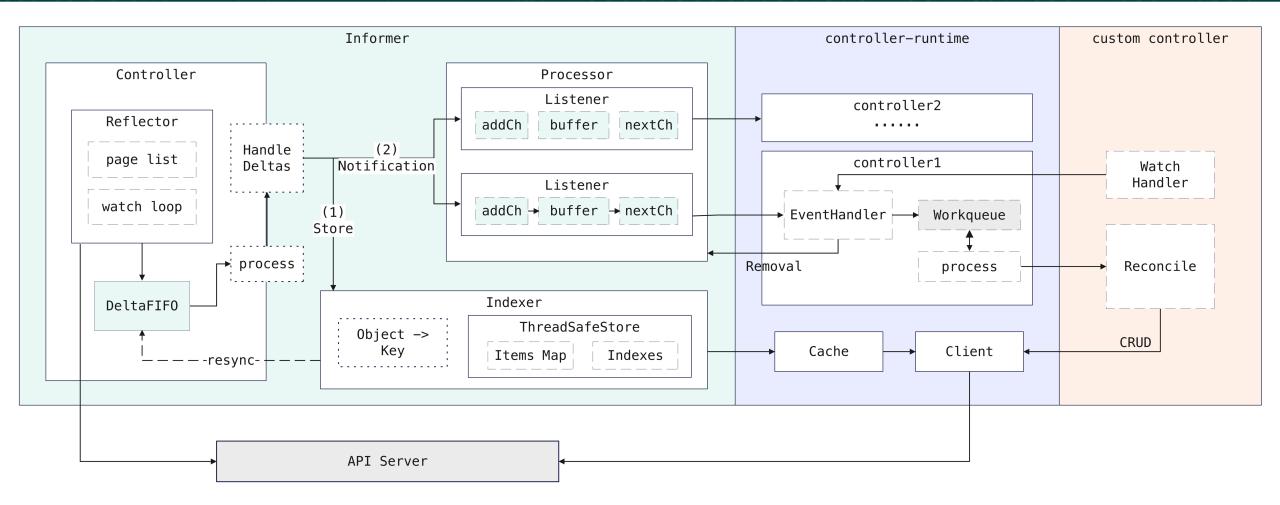
Since v0.14:

UnsafeDisableDeepCopyOption



Section.3 Cache overview





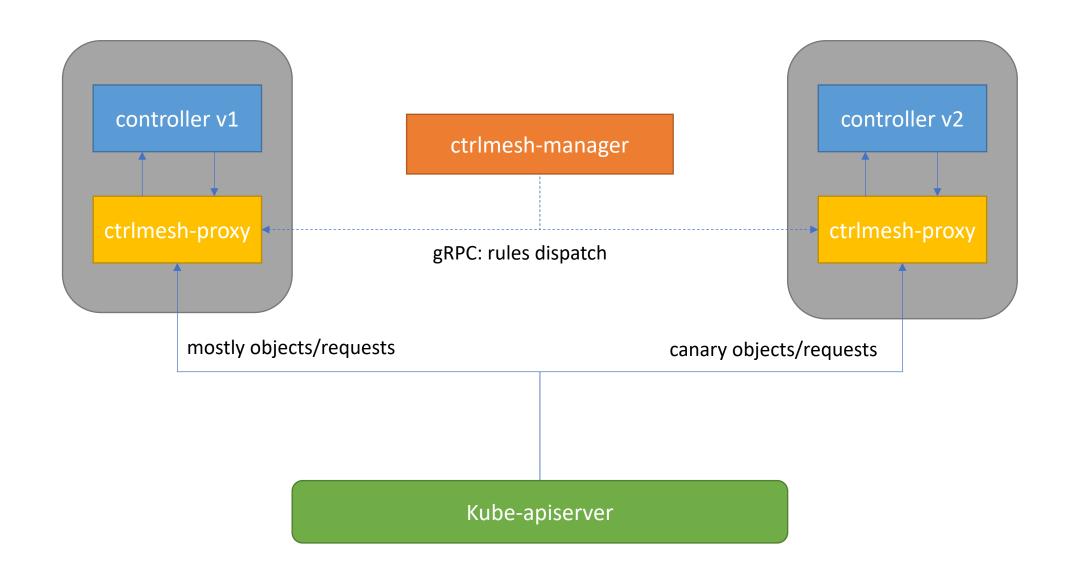
- Transform objects to save on RAM cost
- Removal of event handlers
- Dynamic watches and controllers



- Canary update: the controllers can be updated in canary progress instead of one time replace.
- Fault injection: it helps developers to verify their reconcile logic in some fault scenarios.
- Flexible isolation: limits resources of which namespaces can be queried by a controller.
- Client-side rate-limit and blown.

https://github.com/openkruise/controllermesh

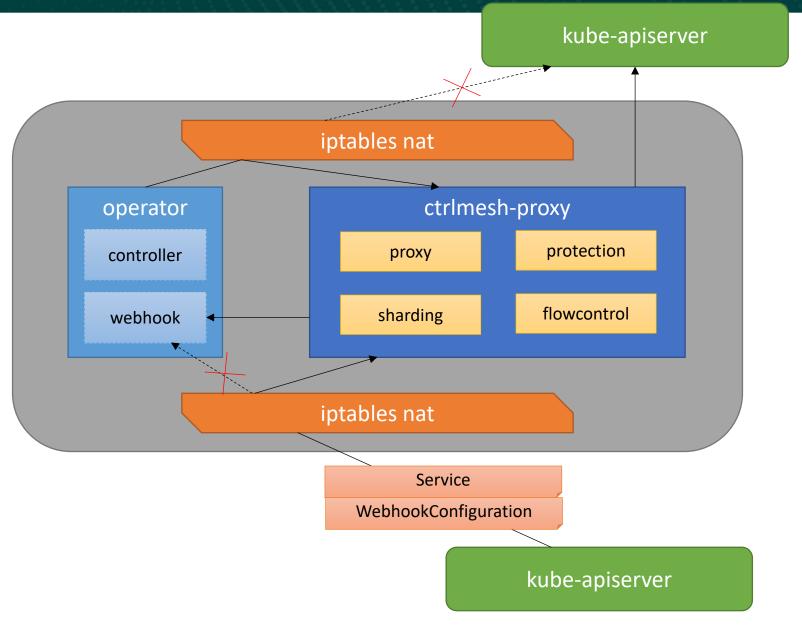




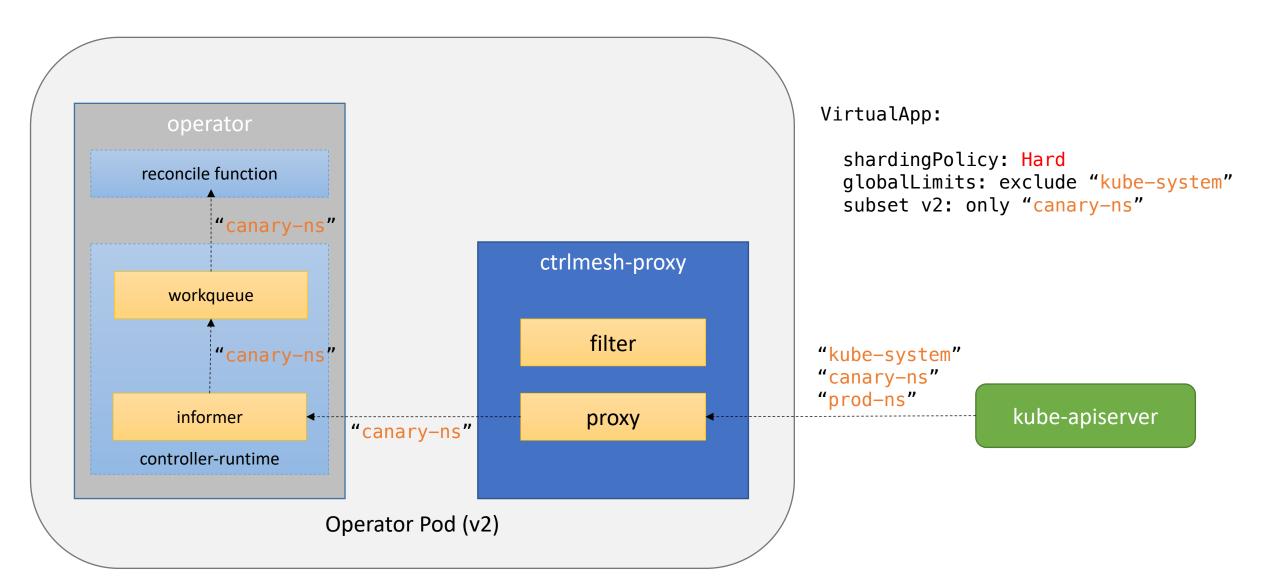


Transparent proxy:

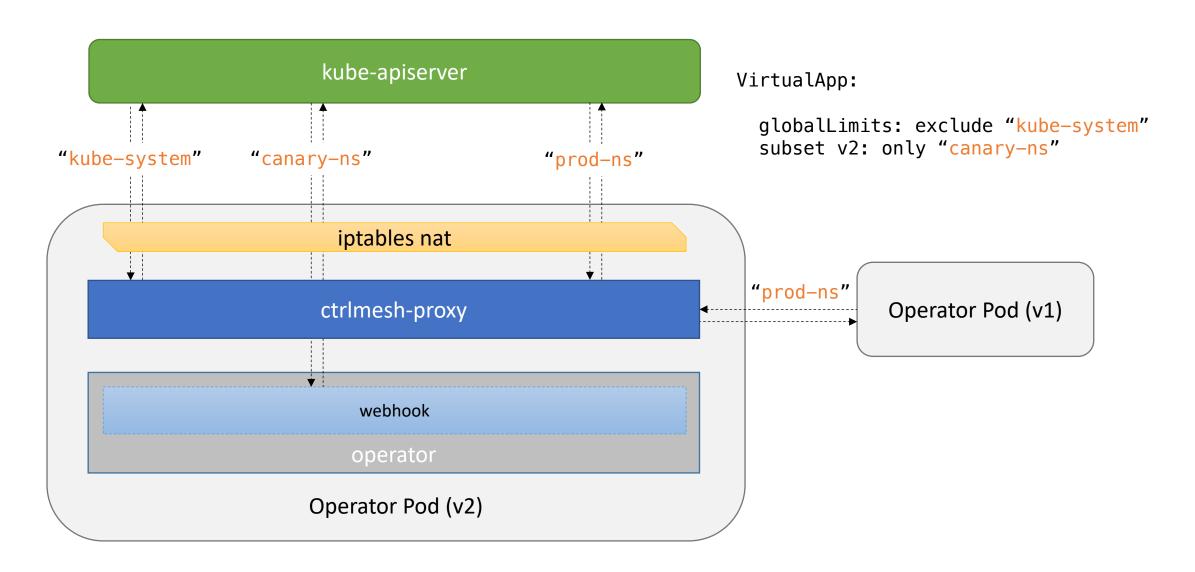
- Router
- Filter
- Circuit breaker
- Monitor













```
apiVersion: ctrlmesh.kruise.io/v1alpha1
kind: VirtualApp
metadata:
  name: test-operator
 # ...
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      component: test-operator
  configuration:
    controller:
      leaderElectionName: test-operator
    webhook:
      certDir: /tmp/webhook-certs
      port: 9443
```

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route:
 qlobalLimits:
 - namespaceSelector:
  subRules:
  - name: canary-rule
   match:
    - namespaceSelector:
        matchLabels:
          ns-type: canary-1
    - namespaceRegex: "^canary.*"
    - objectSelector:
      . . .
subsets:
- name: v2
  labels:
   version: v2
  routeRules:
  - canary-rule
```



```
apiVersion: ctrlmesh.kruise.io/v1alpha1
kind: TrafficPolicy
metadata:
  name: test-operator-policy
 # ...
spec:
  targetVirtualApps:
  - name: test-operator
  circuitBreaking:
    apiServer:
      resourceRules:
        apiGroups:
        resources:
        secret
        verbs:
        - "*"
        namespaces:
        - "kube-system"
```

```
rateLimiting:
   ratePolicies:
  - rules:
       resourceRules:
         apiGroups:
         _ ""
         resources:
         pods
         verbs:
         update
         - patch
         namespaces:
         - "*"
     maxInFlight: 100
     bucket:
       qps: 30
       burst: 50
     exponentialBackoff:
       baseDelayInMillisecond: 10
       maxDelayInMillisecond: 3000
       continuouslyFailureTimes: 3
```



What's more it can do:

- Fault injection:
 - Mock response for specific group/version/resources via Proxy.
- Observability:
 - Trace connection, RT, flow, error between Operator and APIServer via Proxy.



Thanks

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