

Advanced Kubernetes

Lab 2 – Kubelet and advanced pod specification

The kubelet is the primary "node agent" that runs on each Node in a Kubernetes cluster. The kubelet works in terms of PodSpecs. A PodSpec is a YAML or JSON object that describes a pod. The kubelet takes a set of PodSpecs that are provided through various mechanisms (primarily through the kube-apiserver), and ensures that the containers described in those PodSpecs are running and healthy.

Other than a PodSpec from the kube-apiserver, there are three additional ways that a pod manifest can be provided to the kubelet:

- **File** The **staticPodPath** in the kubelet's config file or the **--pod-manifest-path** switch can be used to pass a path containing pods to run on startup. This path is rechecked every 20 seconds (configurable)
 - · The switch is deprecated, replaced by the setting in the config file, but still works
 - --file-check-frequency=20s duration between checking config files for new data
- HTTP endpoint HTTP endpoint passed as a parameter on the command line, checked every 20 seconds (configurable)
 - --http-check-frequency duration duration between checking http for new data
- HTTP server The kubelet can also listen for HTTP manifest posts
- --runonce[=false] If true, exit after spawning pods from local manifests or remote urls (can not be used with --api-servers and/or --enable-server)

The staticPodPath is typically used to tell the kubelet to start other kubernetes components, like the kube-proxy on worker nodes and/or the kube-apiserver on master nodes.

1. Stop running cluster components

To experiment with the kubelet independently, stop the Kubernetes components (kube-apiserver, kubelet, and etcd) you may have running by typing ^C (or kill - SIGINT) in their TTYs.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ sudo kill -SIGINT $(pidof kube-apiserver kubelet etcd)
ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

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Before you restart your cluster, clear the kube-apiserver cluster state by removing the etcd backing store:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ rm -Rf ~/default.etcd/
ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

The kubelet also caches its state on disk. You can eliminate the kubelet's cached state by stopping kubelet and then removing the kubelet's backing store as well:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ sudo rm -Rf /var/lib/kubelet/
ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

This is a good remedy for components that will not restart due to preexisting state that is out of synch with the rest of the cluster.

Recheck that all of the Kubernetes services are stopped.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ pidof etcd kube-apiserver kubelet
ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

In addition to k8s components, we need to clean up what Docker is currently running.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ docker container rm $(docker container stop $(docker container ls -qa))
...
ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

2. Using files

When you run the kubelet you can supply a single manifest file (or several in a directory) as a command line argument. On kubelet startup these manifests

will start prior to the manifests supplied by the API server. If no kube-apiserver is supplied the kubelet will simply run these manifests independently.

We will try running the kubelet stand alone with a simple pod config. First create a working directory for your configuration files:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ cd
ubuntu@nodea:~$

ubuntu@nodea:~$ mkdir kubelet

ubuntu@nodea:~$

ubuntu@nodea:~$ cd kubelet/
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Now create a simple pod to test:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ vim pod.yaml
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ cat pod.yaml

apiVersion: v1
kind: Pod
metadata:
    name: nginx-startup
labels:
    app: nginx
spec:
    containers:
    - name: nginx
    image: nginx:1.7.9
    ports:
    - containerPort: 80
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Now start the kubelet with the new pod spec file supplied as a --pod-manifest-path parameter:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo $HOME/k8s/ output/bin/kubelet --pod-manifest-path=/home/ubuntu/kubelet/pod.yaml
Flag --pod-manifest-path has been deprecated, This parameter should be set via the config file specified by the
Kubelet's --config flag. See https://kubernetes.io/docs/tasks/administer-cluster/kubelet-config-file/ for more
information.
10330 03:57:57.749438
                         4625 server.go:417] Version: v1.14.0
                         4625 plugins.go:103] No cloud provider specified.
I0330 03:57:57.749621
                         4625 server.go:556] standalone mode, no API client
W0330 03:57:57.749639
                         4625 server.go:474] No api server defined - no events will be sent to API server.
W0330 03:57:57.793899
                         4625 server.go:625] --cgroups-per-gos enabled, but --cgroup-root was not specified.
I0330 03:57:57.793923
defaulting to /
                         4625 container manager linux.go:261] container manager verified user specified cgroup-
I0330 03:57:57.794303
root exists: []
I0330 03:57:57.794323
                         4625 container manager linux.go:266] Creating Container Manager object based on Node
Config: {RuntimeCgroupsName: SystemCgroupsName: KubeletCgroupsName: ContainerRuntime:docker CgroupsPerQOS:true
CgroupRoot:/ CgroupDriver:cgroupfs KubeletRootDir:/var/lib/kubelet ProtectKernelDefaults:false
NodeAllocatableConfig:{KubeReservedCgroupName: SystemReservedCgroupName: EnforceNodeAllocatable:map[pods:{}]
KubeReserved:map[] SystemReserved:map[] HardEvictionThresholds:[{Signal:memory.available Operator:LessThan Value:
{Quantity:100Mi Percentage:0} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:nodefs.available Operator:LessThan Value:
{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.1} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:nodefs.inodesFree Operator:LessThan
Value:{Quantity:<nil> Percentage:0.05} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:imagefs.available
Operator:LessThan Value:{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.15} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>}]} OOSReserved:map[]
ExperimentalCPUManagerPolicy:none ExperimentalCPUManagerReconcilePeriod:10s ExperimentalPodPidsLimit:-1
EnforceCPULimits:true CPUCFSQuotaPeriod:100ms}
I0330 03:57:57.794472
                         4625 container manager linux.go:286] Creating device plugin manager: true
10330 03:57:57.794624
                         4625 state mem.go:36] [cpumanager] initializing new in-memory state store
                         4625 kubelet.go:279] Adding pod path: /home/ubuntu/kubelet/pod.yaml
I0330 03:57:57.797262
                         4625 client.go:75] Connecting to docker on unix:///var/run/docker.sock
I0330 03:57:57.799579
                         4625 client.go:104] Start docker client with request timeout=2m0s
I0330 03:57:57.799618
                         4625 docker service.go:561] Hairpin mode set to "promiscuous-bridge" but kubenet is not
W0330 03:57:57.800696
enabled, falling back to "hairpin-veth"
                         4625 docker service.go:238] Hairpin mode set to "hairpin-veth"
I0330 03:57:57.800752
W0330 03:57:57.800852
                         4625 cni.go:213] Unable to update cni config: No networks found in /etc/cni/net.d
                         4625 hostport_manager.go:68] The binary conntrack is not installed, this can cause
W0330 03:57:57.802288
failures in network connection cleanup.
I0330 03:57:57.803358
                         4625 docker_service.go:253] Docker cri networking managed by kubernetes.io/no-op
10330 03:57:57.820478
                         4625 docker service.go:258] Docker Info: &
{ID:T05X:T6PX:K2WX:LMX6:W44V:RPMB:DME6:AQJP:AMOD:45JW:HCD2:RCXA Containers:0 ContainersRunning:0
ContainersPaused: O ContainersStopped: O Images: 3 Driver: overlay2 DriverStatus: [[Backing Filesystem extfs] [Supports
d type true] [Native Overlay Diff true]] SystemStatus:[] Plugins:{Volume:[local] Network:[bridge host macvlan null
overlay] Authorization:[] Log:[awslogs fluentd gcplogs gelf journald json-file local logentries splunk syslog]}
MemoryLimit:true SwapLimit:false KernelMemory:true CPUCfsPeriod:true CPUCfsQuota:true CPUShares:true CPUSet:true
```

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IPv4Forwarding:true BridgeNfIptables:true BridgeNfIP6tables:true Debug:false NFd:22 0omKillDisable:true
NGoroutines:38 SystemTime:2019-03-30T03:57:57.804036176Z LoggingDriver:json-file CgroupDriver:cgroupfs
NEventsListener: 0 KernelVersion: 4.4.0-1075-aws OperatingSystem: Ubuntu 16.04.5 LTS OSType: linux Architecture: x86 64
IndexServerAddress:https://index.docker.io/v1/ RegistryConfig:0xc0007bb2d0 NCPU:2 MemTotal:8369913856
GenericResources:[] DockerRootDir:/var/lib/docker HTTPProxy: HTTPSProxy: NoProxy: Name:nodea Labels:[]
ExperimentalBuild: false ServerVersion: 18.09.3 ClusterStore: ClusterAdvertise: Runtimes: map[runc:{Path:runc Args:
[]}] DefaultRuntime:runc Swarm:{NodeID: NodeAddr: LocalNodeState:inactive ControlAvailable:false Error:
RemoteManagers:[] Nodes: 0 Managers: 0 Cluster: <nil>} LiveRestoreEnabled: false Isolation: InitBinary: docker-init
ContainerdCommit:{ID:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e Expected:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e}
RuncCommit:{ID:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d Expected:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d}
InitCommit:{ID:fec3683 Expected:fec3683} SecurityOptions:[name=apparmor name=seccomp,profile=default]}
                         4625 docker service.go:271] Setting cgroupDriver to cgroupfs
I0330 03:57:57.820566
                         4625 remote runtime.go:62] parsed scheme: ""
I0330 03:57:57.838006
                         4625 remote_runtime.go:62] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 03:57:57.838028
                         4625 remote image.go:50] parsed scheme: ""
I0330 03:57:57.838153
                         4625 remote_image.go:50] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 03:57:57.838169
I0330 03:57:57.838311
                         4625 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
I0330 03:57:57.838328
                         4625 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
                         4625 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
I0330 03:57:57.838349
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
I0330 03:57:57.838360
                         4625 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
                         4625 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
I0330 03:57:57.838378
0xc000841a40, CONNECTING
10330 03:57:57.838388
                         4625 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc0008e0870, CONNECTING
I0330 03:57:57.838502
                         4625 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000841a40, READY
I0330 03:57:57.838503
                         4625 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc0008e0870, READY
I0330 03:57:57.839903
                         4625 kuberuntime_manager.go:210] Container runtime docker initialized, version: 18.09.3,
apiVersion: 1.39.0
W0330 03:57:57.840368
                         4625 csi_plugin.go:218] kubernetes.io/csi: kubeclient not set, assuming standalone
kubelet
I0330 03:57:57.843996
                         4625 server.go:1037] Started kubelet
E0330 03:57:57.844114
                         4625 kubelet.go:1282] Image garbage collection failed once. Stats initialization may not
have completed yet: failed to get imageFs info: unable to find data in memory cache
W0330 03:57:57.844144
                         4625 kubelet.go:1387] No api server defined - no node status update will be sent.
I0330 03:57:57.844621
                         4625 fs resource analyzer.go:64] Starting FS ResourceAnalyzer
I0330 03:57:57.844653
                         4625 status_manager.go:148] Kubernetes client is nil, not starting status manager.
I0330 03:57:57.844672
                         4625 kubelet.go:1806] Starting kubelet main sync loop.
10330 03:57:57.844692
                         4625 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization - [container runtime status check may
not have completed yet., PLEG is not healthy: pleg has yet to be successful.]
```

```
I0330 03:57:57.844757
                         4625 server.go:141] Starting to listen on 0.0.0.0:10250
                         4625 server.go:343] Adding debug handlers to kubelet server.
I0330 03:57:57.845301
                         4625 volume manager.go:248] Starting Kubelet Volume Manager
10330 03:57:57.846695
                         4625 runtime.go:69] Observed a panic: "invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference"
E0330 03:57:57.847627
(runtime error: invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference)
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:76
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:65
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:51
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/panic.go:522
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:189
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:214
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:125
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:152
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:153
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:88
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:124
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:54
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:71
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/asm amd64.s:1337
I0330 03:57:57.848720
                         4625 desired state of world populator.go:130] Desired state populator starts to run
I0330 03:57:57.866355
                         4625 clientconn.go:440] parsed scheme: "unix"
                         4625 clientconn.go:440] scheme "unix" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 03:57:57.866369
10330 03:57:57.866398
                         4625 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{unix:///run/containerd/containerd.sock 0 <nil>}]
10330 03:57:57.866408
                         4625 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
I0330 03:57:57.866437
                         4625 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000246a00, CONNECTING
I0330 03:57:57.866537
                         4625 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000246a00, READY
I0330 03:57:57.943776
                         4625 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
I0330 03:57:57.944908
                         4625 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization – container runtime status check may
not have completed yet.
I0330 03:57:57.945531
                         4625 cpu manager.go:155] [cpumanager] starting with none policy
                         4625 cpu_manager.go:156] [cpumanager] reconciling every 10s
I0330 03:57:57.945549
                         4625 policy none.go:42] [cpumanager] none policy: Start
I0330 03:57:57.945559
                         4625 manager.go:538] Failed to retrieve checkpoint for "kubelet internal checkpoint":
W0330 03:57:57.946094
checkpoint is not found
W0330 03:57:57.946578
                         4625 container manager linux.go:818] CPUAccounting not enabled for pid: 4625
W0330 03:57:57.946594
                         4625 container manager linux.go:821] MemoryAccounting not enabled for pid: 4625
                         4625 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
I0330 03:57:57.946685
attach/detach
E0330 03:57:57.956104
                         4625 summary sys containers.go:47] Failed to get system container stats for
```

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Give Docker enough time to pull the nginx image, then list the running containers in a new shell.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ docker container ls --no-trunc --format "table {{.Image}}"

IMAGE

nginx@sha256:e3456c851a152494c3e4ff5fcc26f240206abac0c9d794affb40e0714846c451

k8s.gcr.io/pause:3.1

ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

Note the nginx image tag (in the YAML), it is version 1.7.9 as requested in the spec but Kubernetes and Docker 1.10 and above track images by the content addressable SHA hash. Imagine we would like to change the version. Instead of manipulating the Docker containers directly, we will update the pod configuration and let the kubelet redeploy the new version of nginx.

In a separate shell, update your config to request image tag 1.9.1, leaving your kubelet running:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ cd kubelet/
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$ vim pod.yaml
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$ cat pod.yaml
apiVersion: v1
kind: Pod
metadata:
 name: nginx-startup

```
labels:
    app: nginx
spec:
    containers:
    - name: nginx
    image: nginx:1.9.1
    ports:
    - containerPort: 80
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Shortly after you save your file changes you should notice the following log output in the kubelet log:

```
. . .
E0708 19:11:24.989605 40352 file_linux.go:61] Unable to read config path "/home/user/kubelet/pod.yaml": error
while processing inotify event ("/home/user/kubelet/pod.yaml": 0x400 == IN DELETE SELF): the watched path is
deleted
                       40352 kubelet_node_status.go:269] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
I0708 19:11:24.996046
attach/detach
W0708 19:11:29.529114
                        40352 pod container deletor.go:75] Container
"d99aed7c64c24279287f70fa8ba1ae402ff025c5e2c4b53028232e949a627be4" not found in pod's containers
                        40352 kuberuntime container.go:65] Can't make a ref to pod "nginx-startup-
E0708 19:11:30.117230
nodea_default(9d6e47038092eb6f3563ff648b593046)", container nginx: selfLink was empty, can't make reference
                       40352 kubelet node status.go:269] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
I0708 19:11:30.538543
attach/detach
W0708 19:11:30.543534
                       40352 pod_container_deletor.go:75] Container
"98539533b6f25724223387e8faca0cbecd9ac4350f34e958388c39b33c9535d2" not found in pod's containers
```

It may take Docker some time to pull the image. You can see the pull status by issuing the appropriate docker pull command:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker image pull nginx:1.9.1

1.9.1: Pulling from library/nginx
5641bf7f839b: Pull complete
a3ed95caeb02: Pull complete
d003dd0d7f8a: Pull complete
c5dd085dcc7c: Pull complete
d95a07673dd5: Pull complete
```

```
cec5c5855afe: Pull complete
b315c6f2ccf3: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:2f68b99bc0d6d25d0c56876b924ec20418544ff28e1fb89a4c27679a40da811b
Status: Downloaded newer image for nginx:1.9.1
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

If you list the running containers you will see that the kubelet has started the new nginx container.

Note that the new 1.9 nginx container has a different SHA hash than the 1.7 version.

While the above example is just an experiment, this is exactly the way a Kubernetes master is typically boot strapped. For example, the kubeadm installer, configures a kubelet with a pod manifest path and then adds pod specs to the directory for etcd, the api-server, the controller-manager, and the scheduler. In this way the kubelet is the only Kubernetes service actually running on the host, all of the other services run in containers.

The kubelet in turn is generally configured as a systemd service, so if the kubelet fails, systemd will restart it.

3. HTTP endpoint

The kubelet also has the ability load manifests from URL based resources. The following switches configure this feature:

- staticPodURL / --manifest-url="" URL for accessing the container manifest (deprecated but still available)
- staticPodURLHeader / --manifest-url-header="" HTTP header to use when accessing the manifest URL, with the key separated from the value with a ':', as in 'key:value'
- httpCheckFrequency / --http-check-frequency=20s Duration between checking http for new data

Let's try running the kubelet using a config supplied by URL.

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Stop the kubelet with ^C.

Clean up the running containers.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container rm $(docker container stop $(docker container ls -qa))
...
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Clear all of the kubelet state:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo rm -Rf /var/lib/kubelet
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

The Kubernetes GitHub repo has a sample pod we can use for this test:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ curl https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod

# Copy of pod.yaml without file extension for test
apiVersion: v1
kind: Pod
metadata:
    name: nginx
labels:
    name: nginx
spec:
    containers:
    - name: nginx
    image: nginx
    ports:
    - containerPort: 80
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Now rerun the kubelet, providing it the URL from the Kubernetes repo.

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```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo $HOME/k8s/ output/bin/kubelet \
--manifest-url=https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod
Flag --manifest-url has been deprecated, This parameter should be set via the config file specified by the
Kubelet's --config flag. See https://kubernetes.io/docs/tasks/administer-cluster/kubelet-config-file/ for more
information.
I0330 04:06:47.648756
                         5750 server.go:417] Version: v1.14.0
                         5750 plugins.go:103] No cloud provider specified.
I0330 04:06:47.648932
W0330 04:06:47.648949
                         5750 server.go:556] standalone mode, no API client
                         5750 server.go:474] No api server defined - no events will be sent to API server.
W0330 04:06:47.689169
I0330 04:06:47.689192
                         5750 server.go:625] --cgroups-per-gos enabled, but --cgroup-root was not specified.
defaulting to /
10330 04:06:47.689481
                         5750 container_manager_linux.go:261] container manager verified user specified cgroup-
root exists: []
I0330 04:06:47.689501
                         5750 container_manager_linux.go:266] Creating Container Manager object based on Node
Config: {RuntimeCgroupsName: SystemCgroupsName: KubeletCgroupsName: ContainerRuntime:docker CgroupsPer00S:true
CgroupRoot:/ CgroupDriver:cgroupfs KubeletRootDir:/var/lib/kubelet ProtectKernelDefaults:false
NodeAllocatableConfig:{KubeReservedCgroupName: SystemReservedCgroupName: EnforceNodeAllocatable:map[pods:{}]
KubeReserved:map[] SystemReserved:map[] HardEvictionThresholds:[{Signal:nodefs.inodesFree Operator:LessThan Value:
{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.05} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:imagefs.available Operator:LessThan
Value:{Quantity:<nil> Percentage:0.15} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:memory.available Operator:LessThan
Value:{Ouantity:100Mi Percentage:0} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:nodefs.available Operator:LessThan
Value:{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.1} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>}]} 00SReserved:map[]
ExperimentalCPUManagerPolicy:none ExperimentalCPUManagerReconcilePeriod:10s ExperimentalPodPidsLimit:-1
EnforceCPULimits:true CPUCFSQuotaPeriod:100ms}
I0330 04:06:47.689599
                         5750 container_manager_linux.go:286] Creating device plugin manager: true
10330 04:06:47.689667
                         5750 state mem.go:36] [cpumanager] initializing new in-memory state store
                         5750 kubelet.go:285] Adding pod url
I0330 04:06:47.692121
"https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod" with HTTP header map[]
                         5750 client.go:75] Connecting to docker on unix:///var/run/docker.sock
I0330 04:06:47.693610
                         5750 client.go:104] Start docker client with request timeout=2m0s
I0330 04:06:47.693630
                         5750 docker_service.go:561] Hairpin mode set to "promiscuous-bridge" but kubenet is not
W0330 04:06:47.694612
enabled, falling back to "hairpin-veth"
10330 04:06:47.694633
                         5750 docker_service.go:238] Hairpin mode set to "hairpin-veth"
                         5750 cni.go:213] Unable to update cni config: No networks found in /etc/cni/net.d
W0330 04:06:47.694719
W0330 04:06:47.696137
                         5750 hostport_manager.go:68] The binary conntrack is not installed, this can cause
failures in network connection cleanup.
I0330 04:06:47.697092
                         5750 docker_service.go:253] Docker cri networking managed by kubernetes.io/no-op
I0330 04:06:47.714555
                         5750 docker service.go:258] Docker Info: &
{ID:T05X:T6PX:K2WX:LMX6:W44V:RPMB:DME6:A0JP:AMOD:45JW:HCD2:RCXA Containers:0 ContainersRunning:0
ContainersPaused: O ContainersStopped: O Images: 5 Driver: overlay2 DriverStatus: [[Backing Filesystem extfs] [Supports
d type true] [Native Overlay Diff true]] SystemStatus:[] Plugins:{Volume:[local] Network:[bridge host macvlan null
```

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overlay] Authorization:[] Log:[awslogs fluentd gcplogs gelf journald json-file local logentries splunk syslog]}
MemoryLimit:true SwapLimit:false KernelMemory:true CPUCfsPeriod:true CPUCfsQuota:true CPUShares:true CPUSet:true
IPv4Forwarding:true BridgeNfIptables:true BridgeNfIP6tables:true Debug:false NFd:22 0omKillDisable:true
NGoroutines:38 SystemTime:2019-03-30T04:06:47.697759333Z LoggingDriver:json-file CgroupDriver:cgroupfs
NEventsListener: 0 KernelVersion: 4.4.0-1075-aws OperatingSystem: Ubuntu 16.04.5 LTS OSType: linux Architecture: x86 64
IndexServerAddress:https://index.docker.io/v1/ RegistryConfig:0xc0007a0620 NCPU:2 MemTotal:8369913856
GenericResources:[] DockerRootDir:/var/lib/docker HTTPProxy: HTTPSProxy: NoProxy: Name:nodea Labels:[]
ExperimentalBuild:false ServerVersion:18.09.3 ClusterStore: ClusterAdvertise: Runtimes:map[runc:{Path:runc Args:
[]}] DefaultRuntime:runc Swarm:{NodeID: NodeAddr: LocalNodeState:inactive ControlAvailable:false Error:
RemoteManagers:[] Nodes: 0 Managers: 0 Cluster: <nil>} LiveRestoreEnabled: false Isolation: InitBinary: docker-init
ContainerdCommit:{ID:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e Expected:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e}
RuncCommit:{ID:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d Expected:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d}
InitCommit:{ID:fec3683 Expected:fec3683} SecurityOptions:[name=apparmor name=seccomp,profile=default]}
                         5750 docker_service.go:271] Setting cgroupDriver to cgroupfs
I0330 04:06:47.714890
10330 04:06:47.737120
                         5750 remote runtime.go:62] parsed scheme: ""
I0330 04:06:47.737135
                         5750 remote_runtime.go:62] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
                         5750 remote_image.go:50] parsed scheme: ""
I0330 04:06:47.737154
                         5750 remote_image.go:50] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 04:06:47.737160
I0330 04:06:47.737294
                         5750 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
I0330 04:06:47.737306
                         5750 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
I0330 04:06:47.737341
                         5750 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000bde910, CONNECTING
                         5750 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
10330 04:06:47.737448
0xc000bde910, READY
10330 04:06:47.737464
                         5750 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
I0330 04:06:47.737471
                         5750 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
                         5750 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
10330 04:06:47.737494
0xc000bdea60, CONNECTING
I0330 04:06:47.737599
                         5750 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000bdea60, READY
10330 04:06:47.738606
                         5750 kuberuntime_manager.go:210] Container runtime docker initialized, version: 18.09.3,
apiVersion: 1.39.0
W0330 04:06:47.738886
                         5750 csi_plugin.go:218] kubernetes.io/csi: kubeclient not set, assuming standalone
kubelet
10330 04:06:47.742925
                         5750 server.go:1037] Started kubelet
                         5750 kubelet.go:1282] Image garbage collection failed once. Stats initialization may not
E0330 04:06:47.743046
have completed yet: failed to get imageFs info: unable to find data in memory cache
                         5750 kubelet.go:1387] No api server defined - no node status update will be sent.
W0330 04:06:47.743075
10330 04:06:47.743531
                         5750 fs resource analyzer.go:64] Starting FS ResourceAnalyzer
                         5750 status manager.go:148] Kubernetes client is nil, not starting status manager.
I0330 04:06:47.743558
I0330 04:06:47.743578
                         5750 kubelet.go:1806] Starting kubelet main sync loop.
```

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5750 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization - [container runtime status check may
I0330 04:06:47.743598
not have completed yet., PLEG is not healthy: pleg has yet to be successful.]
                         5750 server.go:141] Starting to listen on 0.0.0.0:10250
I0330 04:06:47.743663
                         5750 server.go:343] Adding debug handlers to kubelet server.
I0330 04:06:47.744182
                         5750 volume manager.go:248] Starting Kubelet Volume Manager
I0330 04:06:47.748713
                         5750 runtime.go:69] Observed a panic: "invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference"
E0330 04:06:47.750501
(runtime error: invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference)
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:76
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:65
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:51
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/panic.go:522
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:189
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:214
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:125
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:152
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:153
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:88
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:124
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:54
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:71
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/asm amd64.s:1337
I0330 04:06:47.750539
                         5750 desired state of world populator.go:130] Desired state populator starts to run
                         5750 clientconn.go:440] parsed scheme: "unix"
I0330 04:06:47.787387
                         5750 clientconn.go:440] scheme "unix" not registered, fallback to default scheme
10330 04:06:47.787405
I0330 04:06:47.787675
                         5750 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{unix:///run/containerd/containerd.sock 0 <nil>}]
                         5750 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
I0330 04:06:47.787695
I0330 04:06:47.788150
                         5750 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000641ef0, CONNECTING
10330 04:06:47.788384
                         5750 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000641ef0, READY
                         5750 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization – container runtime status check may
10330 04:06:47.846589
not have completed yet.
I0330 04:06:47.865132
                         5750 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
I0330 04:06:47.866902
                         5750 cpu manager.go:155] [cpumanager] starting with none policy
                         5750 cpu manager.go:156] [cpumanager] reconciling every 10s
10330 04:06:47.866919
                         5750 policy_none.go:42] [cpumanager] none policy: Start
I0330 04:06:47.866932
                         5750 manager.go:538] Failed to retrieve checkpoint for "kubelet internal checkpoint":
W0330 04:06:47.867591
checkpoint is not found
10330 04:06:47.867868
                         5750 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
W0330 04:06:47.868066
                         5750 container manager linux.go:818] CPUAccounting not enabled for pid: 5750
```

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W0330 04:06:47.868082
                         5750 container_manager_linux.go:821] MemoryAccounting not enabled for pid: 5750
                         5750 summary sys containers.go:47] Failed to get system container stats for
E0330 04:06:47.877761
"/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope": failed to get cgroup stats for "/user.slice/user-
1000.slice/session-119.scope": failed to get container info for "/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope":
unknown container "/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope"
W0330 04:06:48.046970
                         5750 pod_container_deletor.go:75] Container
"8c303af855c11761594b827c598b99b3a66a846041af3641d9529ac556a59969" not found in pod's containers
10330 04:06:48.047091
                         5750 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
I0330 04:06:48.055750
                         5750 kubelet_node_status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
                         5750 reconciler.go:154] Reconciler: start to sync state
I0330 04:06:48.156231
. . .
```

Notice the informational log output indicating that the kubelet is adding the desired URL to its manifest list.

I0330 04:06:47.692121 5750 kubelet.go:285] Adding pod url "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod" with HTTP header map[]

Examine the containers running through Docker.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container ls \
--no-trunc --format "table {{.Image}}\t{{.CreatedAt}}\t{{.Status}}"

IMAGE
STATUS
nginx@sha256:a65beb8c90a08b22a9ff6a219c2f363e16c477b6d610da28fe9cba37c2c3a2ac
About a minute
k8s.gcr.io/pause:3.1
About a minute
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
CREATED AT

2018-07-08 19:15:47 -0700 PDT Up

2018-07-08 19:15:45 -0700 PDT Up
```

Stop the kubelet again with ^C, then list the running containers.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container ls \
--no-trunc --format "table {{.Image}}\t{{.CreatedAt}}\t{{.Status}}"
```

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```
IMAGE
STATUS
nginx@sha256:a65beb8c90a08b22a9ff6a219c2f363e16c477b6d610da28fe9cba37c2c3a2ac
About a minute
k8s.gcr.io/pause:3.1
3 minutes

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
CREATED AT

2018-07-08 19:15:47 -0700 PDT Up

2018-04-30 19:24:45 -0700 PDT Up
```

As you can see the nginx pod started by the kubelet is still running.

Display the labels associated with the nginx container:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container inspect \
$(docker container ls --filter=ancestor=nginx -q) | iq -r '.[].Confiq.Labels'
"annotation.io.kubernetes.container.hash": "d31f99e0",
"annotation.io.kubernetes.container.ports": "[{\"containerPort\":80,\"protocol\":\"TCP\"}]",
"annotation.io.kubernetes.container.restartCount": "0",
"annotation.io.kubernetes.container.terminationMessagePath": "/dev/termination-log",
"annotation.io.kubernetes.container.terminationMessagePolicy": "File",
"annotation.io.kubernetes.pod.terminationGracePeriod": "30",
"io.kubernetes.container.logpath": "/var/log/pods/7fd56f7a4dadfbe6b6e30602fb1e0deb/nginx/0.log",
"io.kubernetes.container.name": "nginx",
"io.kubernetes.docker.type": "container",
"io.kubernetes.pod.name": "nginx-nodea",
"io.kubernetes.pod.namespace": "default",
"io.kubernetes.pod.uid": "7fd56f7a4dadfbe6b6e30602fb1e0deb",
"io.kubernetes.sandbox.id": "1927e8277b0bb8b32a38d1afa23d870da378ca2e3012fb6e4a0a00d6f969a219",
"maintainer": "NGINX Docker Maintainers <docker-maint@nginx.com>"
```

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$

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As you can see, it is easy for the Kubelet to identify its own containers.

Restart the kubelet with no arguments:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo $HOME/k8s/ output/bin/kubelet
10330 04:09:46.656964
                         6048 server.go:417] Version: v1.14.0
I0330 04:09:46.657221
                         6048 plugins.go:103] No cloud provider specified.
                         6048 server.go:556] standalone mode, no API client
W0330 04:09:46.657320
                         6048 server.go:474] No api server defined - no events will be sent to API server.
W0330 04:09:46.697396
10330 04:09:46.697417
                         6048 server.go:625] --cgroups-per-gos enabled, but --cgroup-root was not specified.
defaulting to /
10330 04:09:46.697691
                         6048 container_manager_linux.go:261] container manager verified user specified cgroup-
root exists: []
I0330 04:09:46.697705
                         6048 container_manager_linux.go:266] Creating Container Manager object based on Node
Config: {RuntimeCgroupsName: SystemCgroupsName: KubeletCgroupsName: ContainerRuntime:docker CgroupsPer00S:true
CgroupRoot:/ CgroupDriver:cgroupfs KubeletRootDir:/var/lib/kubelet ProtectKernelDefaults:false
NodeAllocatableConfig:{KubeReservedCgroupName: SystemReservedCgroupName: EnforceNodeAllocatable:map[pods:{}]
KubeReserved:map[] SystemReserved:map[] HardEvictionThresholds:[{Signal:imagefs.available Operator:LessThan Value:
{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.15} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:memory.available Operator:LessThan
Value:{Ouantity:100Mi Percentage:0} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:nodefs.available Operator:LessThan
Value:{Ouantity:<nil> Percentage:0.1} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>} {Signal:nodefs.inodesFree Operator:LessThan
Value:{Quantity:<nil> Percentage:0.05} GracePeriod:0s MinReclaim:<nil>}]  00SReserved:map[]
ExperimentalCPUManagerPolicy:none ExperimentalCPUManagerReconcilePeriod:10s ExperimentalPodPidsLimit:-1
EnforceCPULimits:true CPUCFSQuotaPeriod:100ms}
                         6048 container_manager_linux.go:286] Creating device plugin manager: true
10330 04:09:46.697796
                         6048 state mem.go:36] [cpumanager] initializing new in-memory state store
10330 04:09:46.697820
                         6048 state mem.go:84] [cpumanager] updated default cpuset: ""
I0330 04:09:46.697931
                         6048 state mem.go:92] [cpumanager] updated cpuset assignments: "map[]"
10330 04:09:46.697946
                         6048 client.go:75] Connecting to docker on unix:///var/run/docker.sock
10330 04:09:46.699443
                         6048 client.go:104] Start docker client with request timeout=2m0s
I0330 04:09:46.699462
                         6048 docker_service.go:561] Hairpin mode set to "promiscuous-bridge" but kubenet is not
W0330 04:09:46.700451
enabled, falling back to "hairpin-veth"
I0330 04:09:46.700472
                         6048 docker_service.go:238] Hairpin mode set to "hairpin-veth"
                         6048 cni.go:213] Unable to update cni config: No networks found in /etc/cni/net.d
W0330 04:09:46.700558
W0330 04:09:46.701861
                         6048 hostport_manager.go:68] The binary conntrack is not installed, this can cause
failures in network connection cleanup.
10330 04:09:46.702828
                         6048 docker_service.go:253] Docker cri networking managed by kubernetes.io/no-op
I0330 04:09:46.718906
                         6048 docker service.go:258] Docker Info: &
{ID:T05X:T6PX:K2WX:LMX6:W44V:RPMB:DME6:A0JP:AMOD:45JW:HCD2:RCXA Containers:2 ContainersRunning:2
ContainersPaused: O ContainersStopped: O Images: 5 Driver: overlay2 DriverStatus: [[Backing Filesystem extfs] [Supports
d type true] [Native Overlay Diff true]] SystemStatus:[] Plugins:{Volume:[local] Network:[bridge host macvlan null
```

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overlay] Authorization:[] Log:[awslogs fluentd gcplogs gelf journald json-file local logentries splunk syslog]}
MemoryLimit:true SwapLimit:false KernelMemory:true CPUCfsPeriod:true CPUCfsQuota:true CPUShares:true CPUSet:true
IPv4Forwarding:true BridgeNfIptables:true BridgeNfIP6tables:true Debug:false NFd:33 0omKillDisable:true
NGoroutines:46 SystemTime:2019-03-30T04:09:46.703486208Z LoggingDriver:json-file CgroupDriver:cgroupfs
NEventsListener: 0 KernelVersion: 4.4.0-1075-aws OperatingSystem: Ubuntu 16.04.5 LTS OSType: linux Architecture: x86 64
IndexServerAddress:https://index.docker.io/v1/ RegistryConfig:0xc0004579d0 NCPU:2 MemTotal:8369913856
GenericResources:[] DockerRootDir:/var/lib/docker HTTPProxy: HTTPSProxy: NoProxy: Name:nodea Labels:[]
ExperimentalBuild:false ServerVersion:18.09.3 ClusterStore: ClusterAdvertise: Runtimes:map[runc:{Path:runc Args:
[]}] DefaultRuntime:runc Swarm:{NodeID: NodeAddr: LocalNodeState:inactive ControlAvailable:false Error:
RemoteManagers:[] Nodes: 0 Managers: 0 Cluster: <nil>} LiveRestoreEnabled: false Isolation: InitBinary: docker-init
ContainerdCommit:{ID:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e Expected:e6b3f5632f50dbc4e9cb6288d911bf4f5e95b18e}
RuncCommit:{ID:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d Expected:6635b4f0c6af3810594d2770f662f34ddc15b40d}
InitCommit:{ID:fec3683 Expected:fec3683} SecurityOptions:[name=apparmor name=seccomp,profile=default]}
                         6048 docker_service.go:271] Setting cgroupDriver to cgroupfs
I0330 04:09:46.718987
I0330 04:09:46.735407
                         6048 remote runtime.go:62] parsed scheme: ""
10330 04:09:46.735426
                         6048 remote_runtime.go:62] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
                         6048 remote_image.go:50] parsed scheme: ""
I0330 04:09:46.735453
                         6048 remote_image.go:50] scheme "" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 04:09:46.735461
I0330 04:09:46.735515
                         6048 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
I0330 04:09:46.735530
                         6048 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
I0330 04:09:46.735582
                         6048 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc00038bf30, CONNECTING
                         6048 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
10330 04:09:46.735610
[{/var/run/dockershim.sock 0 <nil>}]
10330 04:09:46.735621
                         6048 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
                         6048 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
I0330 04:09:46.735656
0xc0004c8ad0, CONNECTING
10330 04:09:46.735713
                         6048 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc00038bf30, READY
                         6048 balancer_conn_wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
I0330 04:09:46.735755
0xc0004c8ad0, READY
I0330 04:09:46.739877
                         6048 kuberuntime_manager.go:210] Container runtime docker initialized, version: 18.09.3,
apiVersion: 1.39.0
W0330 04:09:46.740093
                         6048 csi_plugin.go:218] kubernetes.io/csi: kubeclient not set, assuming standalone
kubelet
10330 04:09:46.740776
                         6048 server.go:1037] Started kubelet
W0330 04:09:46.740810
                         6048 kubelet.go:1387] No api server defined - no node status update will be sent.
E0330 04:09:46.740878
                         6048 kubelet.go:1282] Image garbage collection failed once. Stats initialization may not
have completed yet: failed to get imageFs info: unable to find data in memory cache
I0330 04:09:46.741236
                         6048 fs resource analyzer.go:64] Starting FS ResourceAnalyzer
I0330 04:09:46.741260
                         6048 status manager.go:148] Kubernetes client is nil, not starting status manager.
I0330 04:09:46.741279
                         6048 kubelet.go:1806] Starting kubelet main sync loop.
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I0330 04:09:46.741299
                         6048 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization - [container runtime status check may
not have completed yet., PLEG is not healthy: pleg has yet to be successful.]
                         6048 server.go:141] Starting to listen on 0.0.0.0:10250
I0330 04:09:46.741379
                         6048 server.go:343] Adding debug handlers to kubelet server.
I0330 04:09:46.741882
                         6048 volume manager.go:248] Starting Kubelet Volume Manager
I0330 04:09:46.743226
                         6048 runtime.go:69] Observed a panic: "invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference"
E0330 04:09:46.748060
(runtime error: invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference)
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:76
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:65
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:51
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/panic.go:522
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:189
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:214
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:125
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:152
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:153
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:88
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:124
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:54
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:71
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/asm amd64.s:1337
I0330 04:09:46.748131
                         6048 desired state of world populator.go:130] Desired state populator starts to run
                         6048 clientconn.go:440] parsed scheme: "unix"
I0330 04:09:46.769199
                         6048 clientconn.go:440] scheme "unix" not registered, fallback to default scheme
I0330 04:09:46.769222
I0330 04:09:46.769251
                         6048 asm amd64.s:1337] ccResolverWrapper: sending new addresses to cc:
[{unix:///run/containerd/containerd.sock 0 <nil>}]
                         6048 clientconn.go:796] ClientConn switching balancer to "pick first"
10330 04:09:46.769265
10330 04:09:46.769295
                         6048 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000b304e0, CONNECTING
10330 04:09:46.769402
                         6048 balancer conn wrappers.go:131] pickfirstBalancer: HandleSubConnStateChange:
0xc000b304e0, READY
                         6048 kubelet.go:1823] skipping pod synchronization - container runtime status check may
10330 04:09:46.841475
not have completed yet.
10330 04:09:46.848620
                         6048 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
attach/detach
I0330 04:09:46.850252
                         6048 cpu manager.go:155] [cpumanager] starting with none policy
                         6048 cpu manager.go:156] [cpumanager] reconciling every 10s
10330 04:09:46.850315
I0330 04:09:46.850372
                         6048 policy none.go:42] [cpumanager] none policy: Start
                         6048 container manager linux.go:818] CPUAccounting not enabled for pid: 6048
W0330 04:09:46.851409
W0330 04:09:46.851425
                         6048 container manager linux.go:821] MemoryAccounting not enabled for pid: 6048
                         6048 kubelet node status.go:283] Setting node annotation to enable volume controller
10330 04:09:46.851484
attach/detach
E0330 04:09:46.868063
                         6048 summary sys containers.go:47] Failed to get system container stats for
```

```
"/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope": failed to get cgroup stats for "/user.slice/user-
1000.slice/session-119.scope": failed to get container info for "/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope":
unknown container "/user.slice/user-1000.slice/session-119.scope"
                        6048 reconciler.go:154] Reconciler: start to sync state
I0330 04:09:46.957172
                        6048 runtime.go:69] Observed a panic: "invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference"
E0330 04:09:47.748458
(runtime error: invalid memory address or nil pointer dereference)
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:76
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:65
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/runtime/runtime.go:51
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/panic.go:522
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:189
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:214
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:125
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:152
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:153
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:88
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/client-go/tools/cache/reflector.go:124
/home/ubuntu/k8s/_output/local/go/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:54
/home/ubuntu/k8s/ output/local/qo/src/k8s.io/kubernetes/vendor/k8s.io/apimachinery/pkg/util/wait/wait.go:71
/usr/local/go/src/runtime/asm_amd64.s:1337
E0330 04:09:48.747784
                         6048 kuberuntime container.go:71] Can't make a ref to pod "nginx-
nodea_default(a99a44614791402b058c084253a9e75f)", container nginx: selfLink was empty, can't make reference
. . .
```

At the bottom of the display. The kubelet is discovering containers running that it has no manifests for.

In another terminal display the running containers:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ docker container ls

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

ubuntu@nodea:~$
```

Any pods or containers running that the kubelet can not reconcile with the manifests it has been assigned are stopped and removed. In any version, if you run ad hoc containers using docker commands they will not have the Kubelet specific labels and the Kubelet will ignore them.

4. HTTP server

The kubelet has its own REST API and can be run as a standalone server when appropriate. You can request information including pod details (/pods) and overall node status (/healthz).

The REST endpoint on the kubelet is enabled by default but you can disable it with the --enable-server=false switch.

• --enable-server=[true] - Enable the kubelet's server

Try curling a list of pods from the Kubelet.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ curl -s --insecure https://localhost:10250/pods | jq .

{
    "kind": "PodList",
    "apiVersion": "v1",
    "metadata": {},
    "items": null
}

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Stop & rerun the kubelet with the previous IRI based PodSpec.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo $HOME/k8s/_output/bin/kubelet \
--manifest-url=https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod
...
```

Try the pod listing again.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ curl -s --insecure https://localhost:10250/pods | jq .items[].spec
```

```
"containers": [
    "name": "nginx",
    "image": "nginx",
    "ports": [
        "containerPort": 80,
        "protocol": "TCP"
    ],
    "resources": {},
    "terminationMessagePath": "/dev/termination-log",
    "terminationMessagePolicy": "File",
    "imagePullPolicy": "Always"
"restartPolicy": "Always",
"terminationGracePeriodSeconds": 30,
"dnsPolicy": "ClusterFirst",
"nodeName": "nodea",
"securityContext": {},
"schedulerName": "default-scheduler",
"enableServiceLinks": true
```

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Next stop the kubelet and rerun it disabling the HTTP server with --enable-server=false.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~$ sudo $HOME/k8s/_output/bin/kubelet \
--manifest-url=https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod \
--enable-server=false
...
```

The kubelet is running and our pod is started but the REST endpoint is down.

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ curl -svk https://localhost:10250/pods
   Trying ::1...
* connect to ::1 port 10250 failed: Connection refused
   Trying 127.0.0.1...
* connect to 127.0.0.1 port 10250 failed: Connection refused
* Failed to connect to localhost port 10250: Connection refused
* Closing connection 0
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container ls
CONTAINER ID
                    IMAGE
                                                 COMMAND
                                                                           CREATED
                                                                                                STATUS
PORTS
                    NAMES
                                                 "nginx -g 'daemon of..."
8e5c5fe2ced9
                    nginx
                                                                          About a minute ago
                                                                                                Up About a minute
k8s_nginx_nginx-nodea_default_7fd56f7a4dadfbe6b6e30602fb1e0deb_0
                    k8s.gcr.io/pause-amd64:3.1
5e99265d933f
                                                 "/pause"
                                                                           2 minutes ago
                                                                                                Up 2 minutes
```

Restart the kubelet with HTTP enabled (remove the --enable-server or set it to true)

k8s_POD_nginx-nodea_default_7fd56f7a4dadfbe6b6e30602fb1e0deb_0

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ sudo $HOME/k8s/_output/bin/kubelet \
--manifest-url=https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kubernetes/kubernetes/release-1.10/examples/pod \
--enable-server=true
...
```

Try to stop the nginx container owned by the kubelet via Docker.

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ docker container ls

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS
PORTS NAMES
```

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7a0b1acd0a95 nginx "nginx -g 'daemon ..." 2 minutes ago Up 2 minutes k8s_nginx_nginx-nodea_default_ab4f45926942575bebaa13c947218fce_0
17fdc80a4c01 k8s.gcr.io/pause-amd64:3.1 "/pause" 2 minutes ago Up 2 minutes k8s_POD_nginx-nodea_default_ab4f45926942575bebaa13c947218fce_0 ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$ docker container kill \$(docker container ls --filter=ancestor=nginx -q)

7a0b1acd0a95 ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$ docker container ls

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS

PORTS NAMES

da140e7f5d1b nginx "nginx -g 'daemon ..." 3 seconds ago Up 2 seconds

k8s nginx nginx-nodea default ab4f45926942575bebaa13c947218fce 1

17fdc80a4c01 k8s.gcr.io/pause-amd64:3.1 "/pause" 2 minutes ago Up 2 minutes

k8s_POD_nginx-nodea_default_ab4f45926942575bebaa13c947218fce_0

ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet\$

What happened?

Docker reports that it killed the container in question. However a new docker container ls shows the same nginx image running. However, if you look carefully, you will see that it is *not* the same container. You killed one container (7a0b1acd0a95 in the example) and the kubelet started a new copy of the image (container da140e7f5d1b in the example). The kubelet will *never* restart a container, it will only run new copies of the image when an old container fails.

Look at the kubelet log output for clues.

When the container fails, the kubelet checks the backoff time and if it has expired the kubelet tries to recreate the container. The back off ensures that the kubelet will not try to restart the container more than once in the backoff time window.

This behavior is consistent with the general Kubernetes philosophy, users supply the desired state and Kubernetes ensures that it is enforced as the actual state. As long as this kubelet has the podspec for nginx, it will make sure nginx is running.

5. Health check

The kubelet offers a basic health check endpoint which is used to verify reachability and liveness of the kubelet.

The /healthz path can be curled easily, try it:

Be advised that this is a very primitive health check, it only tells you that the kubelet is running. You can stop the Docker daemon (crash all pods) and the kubelet will still return ok. This only tells you that the kubelet is ok, it says nothing about the rest of the node.

6. Spec

You can use the spec endpoint to retrieve general information about this kubelet's node.

Try it:

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$ curl -sL 127.0.0.1:10255/spec | jq .

{
   "num_cores": 2,
   "cpu_frequency_khz": 2300062,
   "memory_capacity": 8369913856,
```

```
"hugepages": [
    "page_size": 2048,
    "num_pages": 0
],
"machine_id": "e53d14d788454608be05a016cbffebf6",
"system_uuid": "EC203559-73E9-971D-B8A9-50080CBED047",
"boot_id": "fe03b0b8-f5d2-490d-a949-faef5f3f1211",
"filesystems": [
    "device": "tmpfs",
    "capacity": 836993024,
    "type": "vfs",
    "inodes": 1021718,
    "has_inodes": true
  },
   "device": "/dev/xvda1",
    "capacity": 31158935552,
    "type": "vfs",
   "inodes": 3840000,
    "has_inodes": true
  },
    "device": "shm",
    "capacity": 67108864,
    "type": "vfs",
   "inodes": 1021718,
    "has_inodes": true
],
"disk_map": {
 "202:0": {
   "name": "xvda",
    "major": 202,
   "minor": 0,
   "size": 32212254720,
   "scheduler": "deadline"
},
"network_devices": [
```

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```
"name": "eth0",
    "mac_address": "02:ef:63:d5:3b:be",
   "speed": 0,
    "mtu": 9001
],
"topology": [
    "node_id": 0,
    "memory": 8369913856,
    "cores": [
     {
       "core_id": 0,
        "thread_ids": [
        ],
       "caches": [
           "size": 32768,
            "type": "Data",
            "level": 1
          },
            "size": 32768,
           "type": "Instruction",
           "level": 1
          },
           "size": 262144,
           "type": "Unified",
            "level": 2
      },
{
       "core_id": 1,
        "thread_ids": [
          1
        "caches": [
           "size": 32768,
            "type": "Data",
```

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```
"level": 1
            "size": 32768,
            "type": "Instruction",
            "level": 1
            "size": 262144,
            "type": "Unified",
            "level": 2
    "caches": [
       "size": 47185920,
        "type": "Unified",
       "level": 3
"cloud_provider": "AWS",
"instance_type": "t2.large",
"instance_id": "i-0ebfee6563638eef6"
```

```
ubuntu@nodea:~/kubelet$
```

Congratulations you have successfully completed the lab!

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