

Openfaas installation steps on Minikube

➤ Update System:

```
sudo apt-get update  
sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https  
sudo apt-get upgrade
```

➤ Download minikube:

```
wget https://storage.googleapis.com/minikube/releases/latest/minikube-linux-amd64  
chmod +x minikube-linux-amd64  
sudo mv minikube-linux-amd64 /usr/local/bin/minikube
```

```
minikube version
```

➤ Install kubectl:

```
curl -LO https://storage.googleapis.com/kubernetes-release/release/`curl -s https://storage.googleapis.com/kubernetes-release/release/stable.txt`/bin/linux/amd64/kubectl
```

```
chmod +x ./kubectl
```

```
sudo mv ./kubectl /usr/local/bin/kubectl
```

```
kubectl version -o json
```

➤ Starting minikube:

```
minikube start
```

➤ Check Nodes:

```
kubectl get nodes
```

➤ Faas-cli

```
curl -sL cli.openfaas.com | sudo sh
```

➤ Install Helm

```
curl -fsSL -o get_helm.sh https://raw.githubusercontent.com/helm/helm/master/scripts/get-helm-3  
chmod 700 get_helm.sh  
./get_helm.sh  
helm version
```

➤ Create openfaas namespace in Minikube:

```
kubectl apply -f https://raw.githubusercontent.com/openfaas/faas-netes/master/namespaces.yml
```

➤ Add openfaas helm repository:

```
helm repo add openfaas https://openfaas.github.io/faas-netes/
```

➤ Update all helm charts:

```
helm repo update
```

- Generate a random password:
`export PASSWORD=$(head -c 12 /dev/urandom | shasum | cut -d' ' -f1)`
- Display and note the password:
`echo $PASSWORD`
- Creation of basic-auth for openfaas:
`kubectl -n openfaas create secret generic basic-auth --from-literal=basic-auth-user=admin --from-literal=basic-auth-password="$PASSWORD"`
- Install openfaas
`helm upgrade openfaas --install openfaas/openfaas --namespace openfaas --set functionNamespace=openfaas-fn --set basic_auth=true`
- Set openfaas_url as an env-var:
`export OPENFAAS_URL=$(minikube ip):31112`
`echo $OPENFAAS_URL`
`kubectl get pods`
- Display all the namespaces:
`kubectl get namespaces`
`kubectl config current-context`
- Change namespace:
`kubectl config set-context minikube --namespace openfaas`
- Get containers status
`kubectl get pods`

`echo -n $PASSWORD | faas-cli login -g http://$OPENFAAS_URL -u admin -- password-stdin`
- Life-cycle of functions:
 1. Create:
`faas-cli new --lang python3 hello`
 2. Build:
`faas-cli build -f hello.yml`

`docker login`
 3. Push:
`faas-cli push -f hello.yml`
 4. Deploy:
`faas-cli deploy -f hello.yml --gateway http://$(minikube ip):31112`

OR, execute 'faas-cli up' command to build, push and deploy a function to openfaas in a single run
`faas-cli up -f hello.yml --gateway http://$(minikube ip):31112`

5. Invoke:

a. Through CLI

```
echo test | faas-cli invoke hello --gateway http://$(minikube ip):31112
```

b. Through openfaas-ui

➤ List all functions:

```
faas-cli list --gateway http://$(minikube ip):31112
```

➤ Monitor the functions:

```
kubectl get deployments
```

a. Expose deployment:

```
kubectl expose deployment prometheus --type=NodePort --name=prometheus-ui
```

b. View the prometheus-ui service

```
kubectl get svc prometheus-ui
```

c. Open prometheus-ui on local system

```
kubectl port-forward svc/prometheus-ui 9090:9090 &
```

➤ Visualize:

a. Create Grafana pod:

```
kubectl run grafana --image=stefanprodan/faas-grafana:4.6.3 --port=3000
```

b. Expose the pod:

```
kubectl expose pod grafana --type=NodePort --name=grafana
```

c. View the Grafana service

```
kubectl get service Grafana
```

d. Open Grafana on local system

```
kubectl port-forward svc/grafana 3000:3000 &
```

➤ References:

<https://medium.com/faun/getting-started-with-openfaas-on-minikube-634502c7acdf>