# DevOps Test Notes

I installed the provided helm package ping.tar.gz in GCP to test the functionality. I created a cluster with the following parameters [1]. Cluster was created [2].

I manually installed the helm chart using the cloud shell.

\$tar -zxvf ping.tar.gz

#### I connected to the cluster to get the cluster credentials:

\$gcloud container clusters get-credentials cluster-1 --zone us-central1-a --project instant-jetty-435813-p4

#### and installed the helm chart on it:

\$helm install ping ./ --namespace default

### I got the following error:

Error: INSTALLATION FAILED: parse error at (ping/templates/deployment.yaml:51): unexpected EOF I added {{- end }} to deployment.yaml to be able to deploy it.

NAME: ping
LAST DEPLOYED: Sat Jan 18 10:32:33 2025
NAMESPACE: default
STATUS: deployed
REVISION: 1
NOTES:

1. Get the application URL by running these commands:
export POD\_NAME=\$(kubectl get pods --namespace default -l
"app.kubernetes.io/name=ping,app.kubernetes.io/instance=ping" -o jsonpath="{.items[0].metadata.name}")
export CONTAINER\_PORT=\$(kubectl get pod --namespace default \$POD\_NAME -o
jsonpath="{.spec.containers[0].ports[0].containerPort}")
echo "Visit http://127.0.0.1:8080 to use your application"
kubectl --namespace default port-forward \$POD\_NAME 8080:\$CONTAINER\_PORT

#### Pod is up and running:

\$kubectl get pods
NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE
ping-5989f667d5-624mc 1/1 Running 0 1m02s

After forwarding the port I was able to see the app running [3].

# -----CHALLENGE 1------

"Modify the Ping Helm Chart to deploy the application on the following restrictions: Isolate specific node groups forbidding the pods scheduling in these node groups.

Ensure that a pod will not be scheduled on a node that already has a pod of the same type. Ensure that Pods are deployed across different availability zones. Ensure that another random service is up before applying the manifests."

Isolate Specific Node Groups:

I will prevent Prevent pods from scheduling on specific node groups by using node affinity[4]. In templates/deployment.yaml, I updated the spec.template.spec section to include affinity. Here's the modified section:

```
spec:
{{- with .Values.nodeSelector }}
nodeSelector:
{{- toYaml . | nindent 8 }}
{{- end }}
affinity:
nodeAffinity:
requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution:
nodeSelectorTerms:
- matchExpressions:
- key: "node-group"
operator: NotIn
values:
{{- toYaml .Values.forbiddenNodeGroups | nindent 12 }}
```

I updated values.yaml, I added a new configuration field for forbiddenNodeGroups under values.yaml:

# List of node groups where pods are not allowed to be scheduled forbiddenNodeGroups:
- forbidden-group-1
- forbidden-group-2

nodeAffinity: Specifies the scheduling rules for the pods.

**requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution:** Ensures that pods cannot be scheduled on nodes with the specified labels (node-group in this case).

**Notin:** Prevents scheduling on nodes with labels matching the specified values.

I upgraded the helm chart (first with a dry run) to test the changes:

\$helm upgrade ping ./ --namespace default --dry-run —debug No issues found I proceeded with the upgrade:

\$helm upgrade ping ./ --namespace default

Release "ping" has been upgraded. Happy Helming!
NAME: ping
LAST DEPLOYED: Sat Jan 18 11:45:53 2025
NAMESPACE: default
STATUS: deployed
REVISION: 5
NOTES:
1. Get the application URL by running these commands:

```
export POD_NAME=$(kubectl get pods --namespace default -l
"app.kubernetes.io/name=ping,app.kubernetes.io/instance=ping" -o jsonpath="{.items[0].metadata.name}")
export CONTAINER_PORT=$(kubectl get pod --namespace default $POD_NAME -o
jsonpath="{.spec.containers[0].ports[0].containerPort}")
echo "Visit http://127.0.0.1:8080 to use your application"
kubectl --namespace default port-forward $POD_NAME 8080:$CONTAINER_PORT
$kubectl get pods -n default
                 READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE
ping-57d5b87fd6-2zfzb 1/1 Running 0
$kubectl describe pods ping-57d5b87fd6-2zfzb -n default
See output in [5]
$kubectl get pod ping-57d5b87fd6-2zfzb -n default -o yaml | grep -A 5 nodeAffinity
  nodeAffinity:
   requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution:
   nodeSelectorTerms:
    - matchExpressions:
     - kev: node-group
```

The pod will not be scheduled on any node with node-group labels matching the forbidden values specified in values.yaml.

#### Let's test it further:

operator: NotIn

I temporarily labeled all the nodes with a forbidden value.

kubecti label node gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-0k57 node-group=forbidden-group-1 kubecti label node gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-1k33 node-group=forbidden-group-1 kubecti label no gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-vn8v node-group=forbidden-group-2

node/gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-0k57 labeled  $\dots$ 

#### Checking the current pod:

kubectl get pod ping-57d5b87fd6-7nm4m -n default -o wide
NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE IP NODE NOMINATED
NODE READINESS GATES
ping-57d5b87fd6-7nm4m 1/1 Running 0 17m 10.100.1.5 gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-1k33 <none>

I forced rescheduling by deleting and recreating the pod:

kubectl delete pod ping-57d5b87fd6-7nm4m -n default pod "ping-57d5b87fd6-7nm4m" deleted

#### Checking the current pod I can see:

kubectl get pod ping-57d5b87fd6-m7s7n -n default -o wide

NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE IP NODE NOMINATED NODE READINESS GATES ping-57d5b87fd6-m7s7n 0/1 Pending 0 2m16s <none> <none> <none> <none>

It's on pending status as expected, as pod didn't match the node affinity rules.

\$kubectl describe pod ping-57d5b87fd6-m7s7n -n default

Warning FailedScheduling 3m16s default-scheduler 0/3 nodes are available: 3 node(s) didn't match Pod's node affinity/selector. preemption: 0/3 nodes are available: 3 Preemption is not helpful for scheduling.

#### Full output here [6].

Test finished, affinity is working I will remove the node labels:

```
$kubectl label node gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-0k57 node-group-node/gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-0k57 unlabeled $kubectl label node gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-1k33 node-group-$kubectl label no gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-vn8v node-group-
```

## Challenge 1.2:

Ensure that a pod will not be scheduled on a node that already has a pod of the same type.

To ensure that a pod is not scheduled on a node that already has a pod of the same type, I can use a **pod anti-affinity** rule in the Helm chart.

I will add a podAntiAffinity rule under the affinity section of the deployment.yaml. This ensures that pods with the same labels do not get scheduled on the same node.

#### Adding to deployment:

```
podAntiAffinity:
```

requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution:
- labelSelector:
 matchLabels:
 app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
 topologyKey: "kubernetes.io/hostname"

- **podAntiAffinity:** Specifies rules to avoid scheduling pods of the same type on the same
- requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution: Ensures strict enforcement during scheduling. Pods will not schedule on nodes that already have matching pods.
- **labelSelector:** Matches pods with specific labels. In this case, it ensures the rule applies to pods with the app.kubernetes.io/name label matching the chart's name.
- **topologyKey:** Defines the scope for the rule. "kubernetes.io/hostname" enforces this rule on a per-node basis.

#### Let's render the yaml:

```
$helm template ./ --namespace default
$helm upgrade --install ping ./ --namespace default
```

Let's increase the replica count in values.yaml

```
replicaCount: 4 helm upgrade --install ping ./ --namespace default
```

### Checking the labels:

kubectl get pods -n default -o yaml | grep -A 10 "labels"

Label "ping" is correct.

#### Checking the pods:

```
kubectl get pods -o wide -n default
               READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE IP
                                                           NODE
                                                                                     NOMINATED
NODE READINESS GATES
ping-58b97c5bb4-2jtsg 0/1
                        Pending 0
                                         76s <none>
                                                        <none>
                                                                                  <none>
<none>
ping-58b97c5bb4-8t4d4 1/1 Running 0
                                         76s 10.100.1.12 gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-1k33
<none>
           <none>
ping-58b97c5bb4-x6xhp 1/1
                                          76s 10.100.0.8 gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-vn8v <none>
                          Running 0
ping-58b97c5bb4-xt6dx 1/1
                          Running 0
                                         76s 10.100.2.18 gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-0k57 <none>
<none>
```

\$kubectl describe pod ping-58b97c5bb4-2jtsg -n default

```
Events:
Type Reason Age From Message
```

Warning FailedScheduling 2m28s default-scheduler 0/3 nodes are available: 3 node(s) didn't match pod antiaffinity rules. preemption: 0/3 nodes are available: 3 No preemption victims found for incoming pod.

Warning FailedScheduling 2m27s default-scheduler 0/3 nodes are available: 3 node(s) didn't match pod antiaffinity rules. preemption: 0/3 nodes are available: 3 No preemption victims found for incoming pod.

Normal NotTriggerScaleUp 2m29s cluster-autoscaler pod didn't trigger scale-up:

Challenge 1.2 completed. Pod anti-affinity rules are working.

# Challenge 1.3

Ensure that the Pods are deployed across different availability zones.

To ensure pods are deployed across different availability zones, I will modify the deployment.yaml to include a **podAntiAffinity** rule based on the zone topology. Kubernetes uses the topology.kubernetes.io/zone label to represent the availability zone of each node.

Changes to deployment.yaml to include a podAntiAffinity rule targeting zones:

```
#Ensure pods are spread across nodes (anti-affinity based on hostname)
podAntiAffinity:
requiredDuringSchedulingIgnoredDuringExecution:
- labelSelector:
    matchLabels:
        app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
        topologyKey: "kubernetes.io/hostname" # Avoid scheduling multiple pods of the same type on the same node
        #Avoid scheduling in the same zone
- label selector:
        matchLabels:
        app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
        topologyKey: "topology.kubernetes.io/zone"
```

I currently have a zonal cluster, I will create a new cluster to be able to test it.

In a zonal cluster it works as expected of 4 replicas only one is scheduled:

```
        NAME
        READY
        STATUS
        RESTARTS
        AGE

        ping-6cb9b69695-6tdvb
        0/1
        Pending
        0
        83m

        ping-6cb9b69695-7bw8f
        1/1
        Running
        0
        83m

        ping-6cb9b69695-7p9gc
        0/1
        Pending
        0
        83m

        ping-6cb9b69695-h88lv
        0/1
        Pending
        0
        83m
```

#### Trying it in a regional cluster [7]:

\$helm install ping ./ --namespace default

```
        NAME
        READY
        STATUS
        RESTARTS
        AGE

        ping-6cb9b69695-7nwm4
        1/1
        Running
        0
        6s

        ping-6cb9b69695-7x6j8
        0/1
        Pending
        0
        6s

        ping-6cb9b69695-w274f
        1/1
        Running
        0
        6s

        ping-6cb9b69695-w6dxm
        1/1
        Running
        0
        6s
```

Expected result, one pod in each zone, the solution is working.

# Challenge 1.4

Ensure that another random service is up before applying the manifests.

I will create a pre-install hook to check for the random service.

templates/hooks/check-random-service.yaml that will ensure the random service is up before proceeding [8].

The helm chart structure will be like:

```
ping/

— Chart.yaml
— values.yaml
— templates/

- deployment.yaml
- service.yaml
— hooks/

- check-random-service.yaml
```

I initially thought in creating the random service as a dependency of the ping helm chart and loading it in the Chart.yaml. However, after testing it as a dependency, the hook was created before the random-service creation. I ended up with a simple workaround, I created 2 separate Helm Releases, because I wanted to be completely sure that random service was created before the hook and the ping deployment.

#### 1. Deployed random-service first:

\$helm install random-service ./charts/random-service --namespace default -debug

This release contains the random service.

2. After the random service I deployed "ping":

This release contains the ping workload with a prehook that will check if the random workload is running (pre-install) and continue the ping deployment if it is running.

helm install ping ./ --namespace default --debug

This ensures random-service is fully deployed before the ping chart.

The random-service helm code is :

Deployment -> ping/charts/random-service/templates/deployment.yaml [9]

Service -> ping/charts/random-service/templates/service.yaml [10]

The hook code is: ping/templates/hooks/check-random-service.yaml [8]

I tested it in the already created GKE cluster, the logic between the hook works and only if random-service is up , the ping workload is deployed.

# **Challenge 2**

To automate the described process of copying Helm charts from the reference GCP Artifact Registry (reference.gcr.io) to another GCP Artifact Registry (instance.gcr.io), I'll provide an automation solution using **Terraform** module.

```
terraform-project/

main.tf # Main Terraform configuration file
variables.tf
terraform.tfvars
modules/
helm_chart_copy/
main.tf # Module implementation
wariables.tf # Variables specific to the module
outputs.tf # Outputs specific to the module
```

Root main.tf (Main Terraform configuration file where the module is invoked.)

```
terraform {
 required_providers {
  google = {
   source = "hashicorp/google"
   version = "~> 4.0"
 required_version = ">= 1.3.0"
provider "google" {
 credentials = file(var.service_account_key)
 project = var.project_id
 region = var.region
module "copy_helm_charts" {
 source = "./modules/helm_chart_copy"
 source_registry = var.source_registry
 target_registry = var.target_registry
 helm_chart_list = var.helm_chart_list
 sa_email = var.sa_email
```

Root Variables.tf (all configurable inputs in main.tf are parameterized, promoting reusability and flexibility)

```
variable "project_id" {
  description = "The ID of the Google Cloud project"
  type = string
}
variable "region" {
  description = "The region for the Google Cloud resources"
  type = string
}
variable "service_account_key" {
  description = "Path to the service account key JSON file"
  type = string
```

```
variable "helm_chart_list" {
  description = "List of Helm charts to copy"
  type = list(string)
}

variable "source_registry" {
  description = "The source registry for Helm charts"
  type = string
  default = "https://reference.gcr.io/helm"
}

variable "target_registry" {
  description = "The target registry for Helm charts"
  type = string
}

variable "sa_email" {
  description = "The email of the service account to use for authentication"
  type = string
}
```

### Root Terraform.tfvars example file

```
project_id = "your-project-id"
region = "us-central1"
service_account_key = "/path/to/your/service-account-key.json"
helm_chart_list = ["chart1", "chart2"]
source_registry = "https://reference.gcr.io/helm"
target_registry = "instance.gcr.io"
sa_email = "your-service-account-email"
```

### Module: modules/helm\_chart\_copy/main.tf

#The logic for copying Helm charts resides here.

```
variable "source_registry" {}
variable "target_registry" {}
variable "helm_chart_list" {
 type = list(string)
variable "sa_email" {}
resource "null_resource" "copy_helm_charts" {
 provisioner "local-exec" {
  command = <<EOT
  gcloud auth activate-service-account ${var.sa_email} --key-file=/path/to/key.json
  # Add source Helm repository
  helm repo add source ${var.source_registry}
  helm repo update
  for chart in ${join(" ", var.helm_chart_list)}; do
   # Pull the Helm chart from the source repository
   helm pull source/$chart --untar
   # Push the chart to the target Artifact Registry
   helm push $chart.tar.gz oci://${var.target_registry}
  done
  EOT
```

#### Module: modules/helm\_chart\_copy/variables.tf

The modules/helm\_chart\_copy/variables.tf file defines variables specifically for the **module**, making the module independent and reusable.

```
variable "source_registry" {
  description = "Source Helm repository URL"
  type = string
}
variable "target_registry" {
  description = "Target GCP Artifact Registry URL"
  type = string
}
variable "helm_chart_list" {
  description = "List of Helm charts to copy"
  type = list(string)
}
variable "sa_email" {
  description = "Service account email for permissions"
  type = string
}
```

#### Module: modules/helm\_chart\_copy/outputs.tf (Optional)

Useful information about the process using an outputs file.

```
output "copied_helm_charts" {
  description = "List of Helm charts copied"
  value = var.helm_chart_list
}
```

### **Module Code Explanation:**

**helm pull**: This downloads the chart directly from the source Helm repository. It avoids the need for using fetch for OCI repositories.

**Helm Repository Management**: Adds and updates the Helm repository before pulling charts. **OCI Push**: Assumes the target registry is OCI-compliant and pushes the charts accordingly.

#### How to use the module:

Replace placeholders with the correct values (source\_registry, target\_registry, etc.). Ensure the service account (sa) has necessary roles in GCP:

roles/artifactregistry.reader for the source repository. roles/artifactregistry.writer for the target repository.

Save this as a module and call it from the Terraform configuration.

# **Challenge 3**

Create a Github workflow to allow installing helm chart from Challenge #1 using module from Challenge #2, into a GKE cluster (considering a preexisting resource group and cluster name).

I create the file structure:

```
.github/

workflows/

install-helm-chart.yaml
```

.github/workflows/install-helm-chart.yaml.

The install-helm-chart.yaml workflow yaml content:

```
name: Deploy Helm Chart to GKE
workflow_dispatch: # Allows manual triggering of the workflow
   - main # Trigger on push to the main branch
 deploy-helm:
  runs-on: ubuntu-latest
   GOOGLE_CREDENTIALS: ${{ secrets.GOOGLE_CREDENTIALS }} # GCP Service Account Key
   PROJECT_ID: ${{ secrets.GCP_PROJECT_ID }}
                                                      # GCP Project ID
                                                  # GCP Region
   REGION: ${{ secrets.GCP_REGION }}
   CLUSTER_NAME: ${{ secrets.GKE_CLUSTER_NAME }}
                                                            # GKE Cluster Name
  steps:
  - name: Checkout Code
   uses: actions/checkout@v3
  - name: Set up Google Cloud SDK
   uses: google-github-actions/setup-gcloud@v1
    service_account_key: ${{ secrets.GOOGLE_CREDENTIALS }}
    project_id: ${{ secrets.GCP_PROJECT_ID }}
  - name: Authenticate with GKE
   run: |
    gcloud container clusters get-credentials $CLUSTER_NAME --region $REGION --project $PROJECT_ID
  - name: Set up Terraform
   uses: hashicorp/setup-terraform@v2
    terraform_wrapper: true
  - name: Initialize Terraform
   run: terraform init
  - name: Plan Terraform Changes
run: |
    set -e
    terraform plan \
     -var="project_id=${{ secrets.GCP_PROJECT_ID }}" \
     -var="region=${{ secrets.GCP_REGION }}" \
     -var="cluster_name=${{ secrets.GKE_CLUSTER_NAME }}"
```

```
    name: Apply Terraform Changes
    run: |
        set -e
        terraform apply -auto-approve \
            -var="project_id=${{ secrets.GCP_PROJECT_ID }}" \
            -var="region=${{ secrets.GCP_REGION }}" \
            -var="cluster_name=${{ secrets.GKE_CLUSTER_NAME }}"
    name: Verify Deployment
        run: |
            kubectl get pods -n default
```

#### Secrets required in the GitHub repository:

1. GOOGLE\_CREDENTIALS:

JSON key file for a GCP service account with the following permissions:
Kubernetes Engine Admin
Artifact Registry Reader
Service Account User

2. GCP\_PROJECT\_ID:

The GCP project ID where the cluster resides.

3. GCP\_REGION:

The region of the GKE cluster.

4. **GKE\_CLUSTER\_NAME:** 

The name of the existing GKE cluster.

#### To test the GitHub action:

\$git add .github/workflows/install-helm-chart.yaml \$git commit -m "Add Helm chart deployment workflow" \$git push origin main

Select the workflow and click Run Workflow.

### **Final Notes**

Changed the ping chart version to 0.1.1. I created the helm package: \$ helm package. ping-0.1.1.tgz

Included also the helm release for the random-service as random-service-1.0.0.tgz. (you can find it also inside ping release in charts folder)

```
[1] $gcloud beta container --project "instant-jetty-435813-p4" clusters create "cluster-1" --zone "us-central1-a" --tier "standard" --no-enable-basic-auth --cluster-version "1.30.8-gke.1051000" --release-channel "regular" --machine-type "e2-medium" --image-type "COS_CONTAINERD" --disk-type "pd-balanced" --disk-size "100" --metadata disable-legacy-endpoints=true --scopes
```

"https://www.googleapis.com/auth/devstorage.read\_only","https://www.googleapis.com/auth/logging.write","https://www.googleapis.com/auth/monitoring","https://www.googleapis.com/auth/service.management.readonly"," https://www.googleapis.com/auth/service.management.readonly"," https://www.googleapis.com/auth/trace.append" --num-nodes "3" -- logging=SYSTEM,WORKLOAD --

monitoring=SYSTEM,STORAGE,POD,DEPLOYMENT,STATEFULSET,DAEMONSET,HPA,CADVISOR, KUBELET --enable-ip-alias --network "projects/instant-jetty-435813-

p4/global/networks/default" --subnetwork "projects/instant-jetty-435813-p4/regions/us-central1/subnetworks/default" --no-enable-intra-node-visibility --default-max-pods-per-node "110" --enable-ip-access --security-posture=standard --workload-vulnerability-scanning=disabled --no-enable-master-authorized-networks --no-enable-google-cloud-access --addons HorizontalPodAutoscaling,HttpLoadBalancing,GcePersistentDiskCsiDriver --enable-autoupgrade --enable-autorepair --max-surge-upgrade 1 --max-unavailable-upgrade 0 --binauthz-evaluation-mode=DISABLED --enable-managed-prometheus --enable-shielded-nodes --node-locations "us-central1-a"

[2] kubectl cluster-info

Kubernetes control plane is running at https://104.154.163.47

GLBCDefaultBackend is running at https://104.154.163.47/api/v1/namespaces/kubesystem/services/default-http-backend:http/proxy

KubeDNS is running at https://104.154.163.47/api/v1/namespaces/kube-system/services/kube-dns:dns/proxy

Metrics-server is running at https://104.154.163.47/api/v1/namespaces/kube-system/services/https:metrics-server:/proxy

```
[3] {
    "host": {
        "hostname": "127.0.0.1",
        "ip": "::ffff:127.0.0.1",
        "ips": []
    },
    "http": {
        "method": "GET",
        "baseUrl": "",
        "originalUrl": "/?authuser=0",
```

```
"protocol": "http"
},
 "request": {
  "params": {
   "0": "/"
  },
  "query": {
   "authuser": "0"
  },
  "cookies": {
  },
  "body": {
  },
  "headers": {
   "host": "127.0.0.1:8080",
   "user-agent": "Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64) AppleWebKit/537.36 (KHTML,
like Gecko) Chrome/131.0.0.0 Safari/537.36",
   "accept":
"text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,image/apng,
*/*;q=0.8,application/signed-exchange;v=b3;q=0.7",
   "accept-encoding": "gzip, deflate, br, zstd",
   "accept-language": "es-ES,es;q=0.9,ca;q=0.8",
   "referer": "https://shell.cloud.google.com/",
   "sec-ch-ua": "\"Google Chrome\";v=\"131\", \"Chromium\";v=\"131\", \"Not_A
Brand\";v=\"24\"",
   "sec-ch-ua-mobile": "?0",
   "sec-ch-ua-platform": "\"Windows\"",
   "sec-fetch-dest": "document",
   "sec-fetch-mode": "navigate",
   "sec-fetch-site": "cross-site",
```

```
"sec-user-ip": "10.0.0.32",
   "upgrade-insecure-requests": "1",
   "x-forwarded-host": "8080-cs-848137978281-default.cs-europe-west1-
onse.cloudshell.dev"
 }
 },
 "environment": {
  "PATH": "/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/bin:/sbin:/bin",
  "HOSTNAME": "ping-5989f667d5-624mc",
  "NODE_VERSION": "16.16.0",
  "YARN_VERSION": "1.22.19",
  "KUBERNETES_PORT_443_TCP": "tcp://34.118.224.1:443",
  "PING_SERVICE_PORT_HTTP": "80",
  "PING_PORT": "tcp://34.118.229.251:80",
  "PING_PORT_80_TCP_ADDR": "34.118.229.251",
  "KUBERNETES_PORT": "tcp://34.118.224.1:443",
  "KUBERNETES_PORT_443_TCP_ADDR": "34.118.224.1",
  "PING_PORT_80_TCP_PROTO": "tcp",
  "PING_PORT_80_TCP_PORT": "80",
  "KUBERNETES_SERVICE_PORT": "443",
  "KUBERNETES_SERVICE_PORT_HTTPS": "443",
  "PING_SERVICE_HOST": "34.118.229.251",
  "PING_SERVICE_PORT": "80",
  "KUBERNETES_SERVICE_HOST": "34.118.224.1",
  "KUBERNETES_PORT_443_TCP_PROTO": "tcp",
  "KUBERNETES_PORT_443_TCP_PORT": "443",
  "PING_PORT_80_TCP": "tcp://34.118.229.251:80",
  "HOME": "/root"
}
}
```

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[5] Name:
                 ping-57d5b87fd6-2zfzb
Namespace:
                default
Priority:
Service Account: ping
            gke-cluster-1-default-pool-1b47b03f-1k33/10.128.0.34
Sat, 18 Jan 2025 11:45:55 +0000
Node:
Start Time:
            app.kubernetes.io/instance=ping
Labels:
         app.kubernetes.io/name=ping
         pod-template-hash=57d5b87fd6
Annotations:
              <none>
            Running
Status:
          10.100.1.5
IPs:
         10.100.1.5
Controlled By: ReplicaSet/ping-57d5b87fd6
Containers:
 ping:
  Container ID: containerd://9e1d41df62e9183e353b77cd88eb1010b339ccb8c45c9aae8049640a6e29fc55
  Image:
             ealen/echo-server:0.7.0
  Image ID:
              80/TCP
  Port:
  Host Port:
              0/TCP
             Running
  State:
   Started:
             Sat, 18 Jan 2025 11:45:56 +0000
  Ready: True
Restart Count: 0
  Liveness:
              http-get http://:http/ delay=0s timeout=1s period=10s #success=1 #failure=3
  Readiness:
               http-get http://:http/ delay=0s timeout=1s period=10s #success=1 #failure=3
  Environment: <none>
  Mounts:
   /var/run/secrets/kubernetes.io/serviceaccount from kube-api-access-q64tr (ro)
Conditions:
                  Status
 PodReadyToStartContainers True
 Initialized
                   True
 Ready
                   True
 ContainersReady
                       True
 PodScheduled
Volumes:
 kube-api-access-q64tr:
                 Projected (a volume that contains injected data from multiple sources)
  Type:
  TokenExpirationSeconds: 3607
  ConfigMapName: ConfigMapOptional:
                        kube-root-ca.crt
<nil>
  DownwardAPI:
                      true
                   BestEffort
Node-Selectors:
                      <none>
               node.kubernetes.io/not-ready:NoExecute op=Exists for 300s node.kubernetes.io/unreachable:NoExecute op=Exists for 300s
Tolerations:
Events:
 Type Reason Age From
                                   Message
 Normal Scheduled 3m default-scheduler Successfully assigned default/ping-57d5b87fd6-2zfzb to gke-cluster-1-default-pool-
1b47b03f-1k33
                                    Container image "ealen/echo-server:0.7.0" already present on machine Created container ping
 Normal Pulled
                 3m kubelet
 Normal Created 3m kubelet
 Normal Started 3m kubelet
                                     Started container ping
[6]: Events:
            ping-57d5b87fd6-m7s7n
Name:
Namespace:
               default
           0
Priority:
Service Account: ping
Node:
            app.kubernetes.io/instance=ping
         app.kubernetes.io/name=ping
         pod-template-hash=57d5b87fd6
               cloud.google.com/cluster_autoscaler_unhelpable_since: 2025-01-18T12:09:42+0000
         cloud.google.com/cluster_autoscaler_unhelpable_until: Inf
Status:
            Pending
IP:
IPs:
          <none>
Controlled By: ReplicaSet/ping-57d5b87fd6
Containers:
ping:
```

Image: ealen/echo-server:0.7.0

80/TCP Port: Host Port: 0/TCP

Liveness: http-get http://:http/ delay=0s timeout=1s period=10s #success=1 #failure=3 Readiness: http-get http://:http/delay=0s timeout=1s period=10s #success=1 #failure=3

Mounts:

/var/run/secrets/kubernetes.io/serviceaccount from kube-api-access-4fp42 (ro)

Conditions: Type PodScheduled False

Volumes:

kube-api-access-4fp42:

Projected (a volume that contains injected data from multiple sources)

TokenExpirationSeconds: 3607 kube-root-ca.crt ConfigMapName: ConfigMapOptional: <nil>

DownwardAPI: true QoS Class: BestEffort Node-Selectors: <none>

node.kubernetes.io/not-ready:NoExecute op=Exists for 300s Tolerations: node.kubernetes.io/unreachable:NoExecute op=Exists for 300s

Events:

Type Reason Age From Message

Warning FailedScheduling 3m16s default-scheduler 0/3 nodes are available: 3 node(s) didn't match Pod's node affinity/selector. preemption: 0/3 nodes are available: 3 Preemption is not helpful for scheduling.

Warning FailedScheduling 3m15s default-scheduler 0/3 nodes are available: 3 node(s) didn't match Pod's node affinity/selector. preemption: 0/3 nodes are available: 3 Preemption is not helpful for scheduling.

Normal NotTriggerScaleUp 3m17s cluster-autoscaler pod didn't trigger scale-up:

[7] gcloud beta container --project "instant-jetty-435813-p4" clusters create "cluster-2" --region "us-central1" --tier "standard" --no-enable-basic-auth -cluster-version "1.30.8-gke.1051000" --release-channel "regular" --machinetype "e2-medium" --image-type "COS CONTAINERD" --disk-type "pd-balanced" -disk-size "100" --metadata disable-legacy-endpoints=true --scopes "https://www.googleapis.com/auth/devstorage.read only", "https://www.googleapis .com/auth/logging.write","https://www.googleapis.com/auth/monitoring","https:/ /www.googleapis.com/auth/servicecontrol", "https://www.googleapis.com/auth/serv ice.management.readonly","https://www.googleapis.com/auth/trace.append" --numnodes "1" --logging=SYSTEM, WORKLOAD -monitoring=SYSTEM, STORAGE, POD, DEPLOYMENT, STATEFULSET, DAEMONSET, HPA, CADVISOR, KU BELET --enable-ip-alias --network "projects/instant-jetty-435813p4/global/networks/default" --subnetwork "projects/instant-jetty-435813p4/regions/us-central1/subnetworks/default" --no-enable-intra-node-visibility --default-max-pods-per-node "110" --enable-ip-access --securityposture=standard --workload-vulnerability-scanning=disabled --no-enablemaster-authorized-networks --no-enable-google-cloud-access --addons HorizontalPodAutoscaling, HttpLoadBalancing, GcePersistentDiskCsiDriver -enable-autoupgrade --enable-autorepair --max-surge-upgrade 1 --maxunavailable-upgrade 0 --binauthz-evaluation-mode=DISABLED --enable-managedprometheus --enable-shielded-nodes

[8]: check-random-service.yaml

apiVersion: batch/v1

kind: Job metadata:

name: {{ .Release.Name }}-check-random-service

annotations:

"helm.sh/hook": pre-install,pre-upgrade

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"helm.sh/hook-delete-policy": hook-succeeded
spec:
template:
  spec:
   containers:
    - name: check-random-service
     image: busybox
     command:
      - /bin/sh
      - -c
      - |
       for i in {1..60}; do
       if wget -qO- random-service-random1.default.svc.cluster.local:80; then
       echo "Random service is up!";
         exit 0;
        fi;
        echo "Waiting for random service...";
        sleep 5;
       done;
       echo "Random service is not ready.";
       exit 1;
   restartPolicy: Never
 backoffLimit: 1
[9] random-service deployment.yaml
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
 name: {{ .Release.Name }}-random1
 labels:
  app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
  app.kubernetes.io/instance: {{ .Release.Name }}
spec:
 replicas: {{ .Values.replicaCount }}
 selector:
  matchLabels:
   app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
 template:
  metadata:
   labels:
    app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
  spec:
   containers:
    - name: random-service
     image: "us-docker.pkg.dev/google-samples/containers/gke/hello-app:2.0"
```

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: {{ .Release.Name }}-random1
labels:
    app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
    app.kubernetes.io/instance: {{ .Release.Name }}
spec:
    type: ClusterIP
    ports:
        - port: 80
            targetPort: 8080
            protocol: TCP
selector:
        app.kubernetes.io/name: {{ .Chart.Name }}
```