

Lab 5.1 - Configuring the Deployment

Overview

In this lab, we will add resources to our deployment with further configuration you may need for production. We'll also work with updating deployed applications and automation of batch jobs and regular tasks.

Save a copy of your ~/app1/simpleapp.yam1 file, in case you would like to repeat portions of the labs, or you find your file difficult to use due to typos and whitespace issues.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ cp ~/app1/simpleapp.yaml ~/beforeLab5.yaml
```

Secrets and ConfigMap

There are three different ways a ConfigMap can ingest data:

- From a literal value
- From a file
- From a directory of files.

Create a ConfigMap containing primary colors. We will create a series of files to ingest into the ConfigMap. First, create a directory **primary** and populate it with four files. Then, we create a file in our home directory with our favorite color:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ cd
student@ckad-1:~$ mkdir primary
student@ckad-1:~$ echo c > primary/cyan
student@ckad-1:~$ echo m > primary/magenta
```



```
student@ckad-1:~$ echo y > primary/yellow
student@ckad-1:~$ echo k > primary/black
student@ckad-1:~$ echo "known as key" >> primary/black
student@ckad-1:~$ echo blue > favorite
Generate a configmap using each of the three methods:
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create configmap colors \
 --from-literal=text=black \
--from-file=./favorite \
--from-file=./primary/
configmap/colors created
View the newly created configmap. Note the way the ingested data is presented:
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get configmap colors
NAME
          DATA
                    AGE
colors
          6
                     11s
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get configmap colors -o yaml
apiVersion: v1
data:
 black: |
    k
   known as key
  cyan: |
    C
  favorite: |
   blue
 magenta: |
    m
  text: black
  yellow: |
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
  creationTimestamp: 2018-04-05T19:49:59Z
 name: colors
  namespace: default
  resourceVersion: "13491"
  selfLink: /api/v1/namespaces/default/configmaps/colors
  uid: 86457ce3-390a-11e8-ba73-42010a800003
```

Update the YAML file of the application to make use of the **configmap** as an environmental parameter. Add the six lines from the **env**: line to **key**: **favorite**.

Delete and re-create the deployment with the new parameters:

```
student@ckad-1-lab-7xtx:~$ kubectl delete deployment try1
deployment.extensions "try1" deleted
student@ckad-1-lab-7xtx:~$ kubectl create -f app1/simpleapp.yaml
deployment.extensions/try1 created
```

Even though the try1 container is not in a ready state, it is running and useful. Use kubectl exec to view a variable's value. View the pod state, then verify you can see the ilike value within.

Edit the YAML file again, this time adding the third method of using a ConfigMap. Edit the file to add three lines. envFrom should be indented the same amount as env earlier in the file, and configMapRef should be indented the same as configMapKeyRef.



```
key: favorite
envFrom: #Add this and the following two lines
- configMapRef:
    name: colors
imagePullPolicy: Always
```

Again delete and recreate the deployment. Check that the pods restart:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete deployment try1
deployment.extensions "try1" deleted
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create -f app1/simpleapp.yaml
deployment.extensions/try1 created
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get pods
NAME
                            READY
                                       STATUS
                                                     RESTARTS
                                                                 AGE
nginx-6b58d9cdfd-9fn14
                            1/1
                                                     1
                                                                 23h
                                       Running
registry-795c6c8b8f-hl5wf
                            1/1
                                                                 23h
                                       Running
try1-d4fbf76fd-46pkb
                            1/2
                                       Running
                                                                 40s
                            1/2
                                                     0
try1-d4fbf76fd-9kw24
                                       Running
                                                                 39s
try1-d4fbf76fd-bx9j9
                            1/2
                                       Running
                                                     0
                                                                 39s
try1-d4fbf76fd-jw8g7
                            1/2
                                       Running
                                                     0
                                                                 40s
try1-d4fbf76fd-lpp15
                            1/2
                                       Running
                                                     0
                                                                 39s
try1-d4fbf76fd-xtfd4
                            1/2
                                                                 40s
                                       Running
```

View the settings inside the try1 container of a pod. The following output is truncated in a few places. Omit the container name, to observe the behavior. Also, execute a command to see all environmental variables instead of logging into the container first:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl exec -it try1-d4fbf76fd-46pkb -- /bin/bash -c
'env'
Defaulting container name to try1.
Use 'kubectl describe pod/try1-d4fbf76fd-46pkb -n default' to see all of
the containers in this pod.
REGISTRY_PORT_5000_TCP_ADDR=10.105.119.236
HOSTNAME=try1-d4fbf76fd-46pkb
TERM=xterm
yellow=y
<output_omitted>
REGISTRY_SERVICE_HOST=10.105.119.236
KUBERNETES_SERVICE_PORT=443
REGISTRY_PORT_5000_TCP=tcp://10.105.119.236:5000
```



```
KUBERNETES_SERVICE_HOST=10.96.0.1
text=black
REGISTRY_SERVICE_PORT_5000=5000
<output_omitted>
black=k
known as key
<output_omitted>
ilike=blue
<output_omitted>
magenta=m

cyan=c
<output_omitted>
```

For greater flexibility and scalability, ConfigMaps can be created from a YAML file, then deployed and redeployed as necessary. Once ingested into the cluster, the data can be retrieved in the same manner as any other object. Create another ConfigMap, this time from a YAML file:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ vim car-map.yaml
apiVersion: v1
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
  name: fast-car
 namespace: default
data:
  car.make: Ford
 car.model: Mustang
 car.trim: Shelby
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create -f car-map.yaml
configmap/fast-car created
View the ingested data, and note that the output is just as in file created:
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get configmap fast-car -o yaml
apiVersion: v1
data:
  car.make: Ford
  car.model: Mustang
 car.trim: Shelby
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
```

```
creationTimestamp: 2018-07-26T16:36:32Z
name: fast-car
namespace: default
resourceVersion: "105700"
selfLink: /api/v1/namespaces/default/configmaps/fast-car
uid: aa19f8f3-39b8-11e8-ba73-42010a800003
```

Add the configMap settings to the simpleapp.yaml file as a volume. Both containers in the try1 deployment can access to the same volume, using the volumeMounts statements. Remember that the volume stanza is of equal depth to the containers stanza, and should probably come after for readability:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ vim app1/simpleapp.yaml
    spec:
      containers:
      - image: 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:latest
        volumeMounts:
        - mountPath: /etc/cars
          name: car-vol
       name: car-vol
        imagePullPolicy: Always
        name: try1
          initialDelaySeconds: 15
          periodSeconds: 20
      volumes:
                                   #Add this and the following four lines
      - configMap:
          defaultMode: 420
          name: fast-car
        name: car-vol
         dnsPolicy: ClusterFirst
         restartPolicy: Always
```

Delete and recreate the deployment:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete deployment try1
deployment.extensions "try1" deleted
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create -f app1/simpleapp.yaml
deployment.extensions/try1 created
```



Verify the deployment is running. Note that we still have not automated the creation of the /tmp/healthy file inside the container; as a result, the AVAILABLE count remains zero until we use the for loop to create the file. We will remedy this in the next step.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deployment
NAME
           DESIRED
                      CURRENT
                                 UP-TO-DATE
                                               AVAILABLE
                                                           AGE
nginx
                                                            1d
                                 1
                                               1
                                                           1d
           1
                      1
registry
           6
                      6
                                 6
                                               0
                                                           39s
try1
```

Our health check was the successful execution of a command. We will edit the command of the existing readinessProbe to check for the existence of the mounted configMap file and re-create the deployment. After a minute, both containers should become available for each pod in the deployment:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete deployment try1
deployment.extensions "try1" deleted
student@ckad-1:~$ vim app1/simpleapp.yaml
        readinessProbe:
          exec:
            command:
            - ls
                                     #Add this and the following line.
            - /etc/cars
          periodSeconds: 5
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create -f app1/simpleapp.yaml
deployment.extensions/try1 created
```

Wait about a minute and view the deployment and pods. All six replicas should be running and report that 2/2 containers are in a ready state within:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deployment
           DESIRED
                      CURRENT
                                UP-TO-DATE
NAME
                                              AVAILABLE
                                                           AGE
           1
                      1
                                 1
                                              1
                                                           1d
nginx
registry
           1
                      1
                                 1
                                              1
                                                           1d
           6
                      6
                                 6
                                               6
try1
                                                           1m
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get pods
NAME
                             READY
                                        STATUS
                                                   RESTARTS
                                                              AGE
                             1/1
nginx-6b58d9cdfd-9fn14
                                                               1d
```



Running

1

```
registry-795c6c8b8f-h15wf
                             1/1
                                       Running
                                                              1d
                             2/2
try1-7865dcb948-2dzc8
                                       Running
                                                  0
                                                              1m
                             2/2
try1-7865dcb948-7fkh7
                                       Running
                                                  0
                                                              1m
try1-7865dcb948-d85bc
                             2/2
                                       Running
                                                  0
                                                              1m
                             2/2
try1-7865dcb948-djrcj
                                       Running
                                                  0
                                                              1m
try1-7865dcb948-kwlv8
                             2/2
                                       Running
                                                  0
                                                              1m
try1-7865dcb948-stb2n
                             2/2
                                       Running
                                                              1m
```

View a file within the new volume mounted in a container. It should match the data we created inside the configMap. Because the file did not have a carriage-return, it will appear prior to the following prompt:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl exec -c try1 -it try1-7865dcb948-stb2n --
/bin/bash \
-c 'cat /etc/cars/car.trim'
Shelbystudent@ckad-1:~$
```

Attaching Storage

There are several types of storage which can be accessed with Kubernetes, with flexibility of storage being essential to scalability. In this exercise, we will configure an NFS server. With the NFS server, we will create a new *persistent volume (pv)* and a *persistent volume claim (pvc)* to use it.

Use the CreateNFS.sh script from the tarball to set up NFS on your master node. This script will configure the server, export /opt/sfw and create a file /opt/sfw/hello.txt.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ bash lfd259/CreateNFS.sh
Hit:1 http://us-central1.gce.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu xenial InRelease
Get:2 http://us-central1.gce.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu xenial-updates
InRelease [102 kB]

<output_omitted>
Should be ready. Test here and second node

Export list for localhost:
/opt/sfw *
```

Test by mounting the resource from your **second** node. Begin by installing the client software:



```
student@ckad-2:~$ sudo apt-get -y install nfs-common nfs-kernel-server
<output omitted>
```

Test that you can see the exported directory using showmount from your second node:

```
student@ckad-2:~$ showmount -e ckad-1 ## First node's name or IP
Export list for ckad-1:
/opt/sfw *
```

Mount the directory. Be aware that, unless you edit /etc/fstab, this is not a persistent mount. Change out the node name for that of your master node:

```
student@ckad-2:~$ sudo mount ckad-1:/opt/sfw /mnt
```

Verify the hello.txt file created by the script can be viewed:

```
student@ckad-2:~$ 1s -1 /mnt
total 4
-rw-r--r- 1 root root 9 Sep 28 17:55 hello.txt
```

Return to the master node and create a YAML file for an object with kind PersistentVolume. The included example file needs an edit to the server parameter. Use the hostname of the master server and the directory you created in the previous step. Only syntax is checked, an incorrect name or directory will not generate an error, but a Pod using the incorrect resource will not start. Note that the accessModes do not currently affect actual access, and are typically used as labels instead:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ cd 1fd259; vim PVol.yaml
apiVersion: v1
kind: PersistentVolume
metadata:
 name: pvvol-1
spec:
 capacity:
    storage: 1Gi
  accessModes:
    - ReadWriteMany
 persistentVolumeReclaimPolicy: Retain
 nfs:
    path: /opt/sfw
    server: ckad-1
                     #<-- Edit to match your master node name
    readOnly: false
```



Create and verify you have a new 1Gi volume named pvvol-1. Note the status shows as Available. Remember we made two persistent volumes for the image registry earlier.

```
student@ckad-1:~/lfd259$ kubectl create -f PVol.yaml
persistentvolume/pvvol-1 created
student@ckad-1:~/lfd259$ kubectl get pv
NAME
                CAPACITY
                           ACCESS MODES
                                          RECLAIM POLICY
                                                           STATUS
CLAIM
                         STORAGECLASS
                                        REASON
                                                  AGE
pvvol-1
                1Gi
                           RWX
                                          Retain
                                                           Available
4s
registryvm
                200Mi
                           RWO
                                                           Bound
                                          Retain
default/nginx-claim0
                                                   4d
task-pv-volume
                           RWO
                                          Retain
                                                           Bound
default/registry-claim0
                                                   4d
```

Now that we have a new volume, we will use a persistent volume claim (pvc) to use it in a Pod. We should have two existing claims from our local registry:

student@ckad-1:	:~/lid259\$ k	ubectl get pvc		
NAME	STATUS	VOLUME	CAPACITY	ACCESS MODES
STORAGECLASS	AGE			
nginx-claim0	Bound	registryvm	200Mi	RWO
4 d				
registry-claim(Bound	task-pv-volume	200Mi	RWO
4d				

Create a YAML file with the kind PersistentVolumeClaim.

```
student@ckad-1:~/lfd259$ vim pvc.yaml
apiVersion: v1
kind: PersistentVolumeClaim
metadata:
   name: pvc-one
spec:
   accessModes:
   - ReadWriteMany
   resources:
      requests:
      storage: 200Mi
```



Create and verify the new pvc status is bound. Note the size is 1Gi, even though 200Mi was suggested. Only a volume of at least that size could be used, so the smallest available was chosen.

```
student@ckad-1:~/lfd259$ kubectl create -f pvc.yaml
persistentvolumeclaim/pvc-one created
```

student@ckad-1:~	/LFD259\$ ku	ubectl get pvc		
NAME	STATUS	VOLUME	CAPACITY	ACCESS MODES
STORAGECLASS AC	SE			
nginx-claim0	Bound	registryvm	200 M i	RWO
4d				
pvc-one	Bound	pvvol-1	1Gi	RWX
4s				
registry-claim0	Bound	task-pv-volume	200 M i	RWO
4d				

Now, look at the status of the physical volume. It should also show as **bound**.

student@ckad-1:~/lfd259\$ kubectl get pv ; cd							
NAME	CAPACI	TY	ACCESS MODES	RECLAIM POLICY	STATUS	CLAIM	
STORAGECLASS	REASON	AGE					
pvvol-1	1Gi		RWX	Retain	Bound		
default/pvc-or	ie .		14:	m			
registryvm	200Mi		RWO	Retain	Bound		
default/nginx-	claim0		4d				
task-pv-volume	200Mi		RWO	Retain	Bound		
default/regist	ry-claim()	4d				

Edit the simpleapp.yaml file to include two new sections. While one section for the container will use the volume mount point, you should have an existing entry for car-vol. The other section adds a volume to the deployment in general, which you can put after the configMap volume section.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ vim app1/simpleapp.yaml
<output_omitted>
    volumeMounts:
    - mountPath: /etc/cars
        name: car-vol
    - name: nfs-vol  ## Add these two lines
        mountPath: /opt ##
<output_omitted>
    volumes:
```



```
- configMap:
    defaultMode: 420
    name: fast-car
    name: car-vol
- name: nfs-vol  ## Add these three lines
    persistentVolumeClaim: ##
    claimName: pvc-one ##

<output_omitted>
```

Delete and re-create the deployment:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl delete deployment try1 ; kubectl create -f \
    simpleapp.yaml
deployment.extensions "try1" deleted
deployment.extensions/try1 created
```

View the details for any of the pods in the deployment: you should see nfs-vol mounted under /opt. The use to command line completion with the <Tab> key can be helpful for using a pod name.

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl describe pod try1-594fbb5fc7-5k7sj
<output_omitted>
    Mounts:
        /etc/cars from car-vol (rw)
        /opt from nfs-vol (rw)
<output omitted>
```

Rolling Updates and Rollbacks

When we started working with simpleapp, we used a Docker tag called latest. While this is the default tag when pulling an image, and commonly used, it remains just a string, and it may not be the actual latest version of the image.

Make a slight change to our source and create a new image. We will use updates and rollbacks with our application. Adding a comment to the last line should be enough for a new image to be generated:

```
student@ckad-1:~$ cd ~/app1
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ vim simple.py
<output_omitted>
## Sleep for five seconds then continue the loop
```



```
time.sleep(5)
## Adding a new comment so image is different.
```

Build the image again. A new container and image will be created. Verify when successful. There should be a different image ID and a recent creation time:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ sudo docker build -t simpleapp .
Sending build context to Docker daemon 7.168 kB
Step 1/3 : FROM python:2
 ---> 2863c80c418c
Step 2/3 : ADD simple.py /
 ---> cde8ecf8492b
Removing intermediate container 3e908b76b5b4
Step 3/3 : CMD python ./simple.py
 ---> Running in 354620c97bf5
---> cc6bba0ea213
Removing intermediate container 354620c97bf5
Successfully built cc6bba0ea213
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ sudo docker images
REPOSITORY
                                                          TAG
IMAGE ID
                    CREATED
                                        SIZE
simpleapp
                                                          latest
                    8 seconds ago
cc6bba0ea213
                                        679 MB
10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp
                                                          latest
15b5ad19d313
                    4 days ago
                                       679 MB
<output omitted>
```

Tag and push the updated image to your locally hosted registry. A reminder that your IP address will be different than the example below. Use the tag v2 this time, instead of latest.

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ sudo docker tag simpleapp
10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:v2
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ sudo docker push 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:v2
The push refers to a repository [10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp]
d6153c8cc7c3: Pushed
ca82a2274c57: Layer already exists
de2fbb43bd2a: Layer already exists
4e32c2de91a6: Layer already exists
6e1b48dc2ccc: Layer already exists
ff57bdb79ac8: Layer already exists
```



```
6e5e20cbf4a7: Layer already exists
86985c679800: Layer already exists
8fad67424c4e: Layer already exists
v2: digest:
sha256:6cf74051d09463d89f1531fceb9c44cbf99006f8d9b407dd91d8f07baeee7e9c
size: 2218
```

Connect to a terminal running on your <u>second</u> node. Pull the latest image, then pull v2. Note the latest did not pull the new version of the image. Again, remember to use the IP for your locally hosted registry. You'll note the digest is different:

```
student@ckad-2:~$ sudo docker pull 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp
Using default tag: latest
latest: Pulling from simpleapp
Digest:
sha256:cefa3305c36101d32399baf0919d3482ae8a53c926688be3386f9bbc04e490a5
Status: Image is up to date for 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:latest
student@ckad-2:~$ sudo docker pull 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:v2
v2: Pulling from simpleapp
f65523718fc5: Already exists
1d2dd88bf649: Already exists
c09558828658: Already exists
0e1d7c9e6c06: Already exists
c6b6fe164861: Already exists
45097146116f: Already exists
f21f8abae4c4: Already exists
1c39556edcd0: Already exists
fa67749bf47d: Pull complete
Digest:
sha256:6cf74051d09463d89f1531fceb9c44cbf99006f8d9b407dd91d8f07baeee7e9c
Status: Downloaded newer image for 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:v2
```

Use kubectl edit to update the image for the try1 deployment to use v2. As we are only changing one parameter, we could also use the kubectl set command. Note that the configuration file has not been updated, so a delete or a replace command would not include the new version. It can take the pods up to a minute to delete and to recreate each pod in sequence.



<output omitted>

Verify each of the pods has been recreated and is using the new version of the image. Note that some messages will show the scaling down of the old replicaset, others should show the scaling up using the new image:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl get events
LAST SEEN
           FIRST SEEN
                         COUNT
                                   NAME
                                                  REASON
KIND
             SUBOBJECT
                                        TYPE
SOURCE
                        MESSAGE
4s
                                   try1-594fbb5fc7-nxhfx.152422073b7084da
Pod
             spec.containers{goproxy}
                                        Normal
                                                  Killing
                        Killing container with id docker://goproxy:Need to
kubelet, ckad-2-wdrq
kill Pod
<output omitted>
2m
            2m
                         1
                                   try1.1524220c35a0d0fb
Deployment
                                        Normal
                                                   ScalingReplicaSet
deployment-controller
                        Scaled up replica set try1-895fccfb to 5
                                   try1.1524220e0d69a94a
            2m
Deployment
                                        Normal
                                                   ScalingReplicaSet
deployment-controller
                        (combined from similar events): Scaled down replica
set try1-594fbb5fc7 to 0
```

View the images of a Pod in the deployment. Narrow the output to just view the images. The goproxy remains unchanged, but the simpleapp should now be v2:

View the update history of the deployment:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl rollout history deployment try1
deployments "try1"
REVISION CHANGE-CAUSE
```



```
1 <none>
2 <none>
```

Compare the output of the rollout history for the two revisions. Images and labels should be different, with the image **v2** being the change we made:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl rollout history deployment try1 \
  --revision=1 > one.out
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl rollout history deployment try1 \
  --revision=2 > two.out
student@ckad-/app11:~$ diff one.out two.out
< deployments "try1" with revision #1
> deployments "try1" with revision #2
3c3
<
   Labels:
                pod-template-hash=1509661973
                pod-template-hash=45197796
>
   Labels:
7c7
<
                10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:latest
      Image:
                10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:v2
>
      Image:
```

View what would be undone using the --dry-run option while undoing the rollout. This allows us to see the new template prior to using it:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl rollout undo --dry-run=true deployment/try1
deployment.extensions/try1
Pod Template:
   Labels: pod-template-hash=1509661973
        run=try1
   Containers:
   try1:
        Image: 10.105.119.236:5000/simpleapp:latest
        Port: <none>
<output omitted>
```

View the pods. Depending on how fast you type, the try1 pods should be about 2 minutes old:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl get pods
```



NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
nginx-6b58d9cdfd-9fn14	1/1	Running	1	5d
registry-795c6c8b8f-hl5wf	1/1	Running	2	5d
try1-594fbb5fc7-7d17c	2/2	Running	0	2 m
try1-594fbb5fc7-8mxlb	2/2	Running	0	2 m
try1-594fbb5fc7-jr7h7	2/2	Running	0	2 m
try1-594fbb5fc7-s24wt	2/2	Running	0	2m
try1-594fbb5fc7-xfffg	2/2	Running	0	2 m
try1-594fbb5fc7-zfmz8	2/2	Running	0	2m

In our case, there are only two revisions. Were there more, we could choose a particular version. The following command would have the same effect as the previous, without the --dry-run option.

student@ckad-1:~/app1\$ kubectl rollout undo deployment try1 --to-revision=1
deployment.extensions/try1

Again, it can take a bit for the pods to be terminated and re-created. Keep checking back until they are all running again.

student@ckad-1:~/app1\$ kubectl get pods	student	@ckad-1:~	/app1\$	kubectl	get	pods
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NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
nginx-6b58d9cdfd-9fn14	1/1	Running	1	5d
registry-795c6c8b8f-h15wf	1/1	Running	2	5d
try1-594fbb5fc7-7d17c	2/2	Terminating	0	3m
try1-594fbb5fc7-8mxlb	0/2	Terminating	0	2m
try1-594fbb5fc7-jr7h7	2/2	Terminating	0	3m
try1-594fbb5fc7-s24wt	2/2	Terminating	0	2m
try1-594fbb5fc7-xfffg	2/2	Terminating	0	3m
try1-594fbb5fc7-zfmz8	1/2	Terminating	0	2m
try1-895fccfb-8dn4b	2/2	Running	0	22s
try1-895fccfb-kz72j	2/2	Running	0	10s
try1-895fccfb-rxxtw	2/2	Running	0	24s
try1-895fccfb-srwq4	1/2	Running	0	11s
try1-895fccfb-vkvmb	2/2	Running	0	31s
try1-895fccfb-z46qr	2/2	Running	0	31s

Working with Jobs

We will create a simple cron job to explore how to create them and view their execution. We will run a regular job and view both the job status and output. Note that the jobs are expected to be idempotent,



so should not be used for tasks that require strict timings to run. The sleep 30 command will cause some jobs to finish in the next minute, as the job could start at any time during the minute.

Begin by creating a YAML file for the cron job. Set the time interval to be every minute. Use the busybox container and pass it the date command. We could just as easily use a copy command to backup output files from our simpleapp.

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ vim cron-job.yaml
apiVersion: batch/v1beta1
kind: CronJob
metadata:
  name: date
spec:
  schedule: "*/1 * * * *"
  jobTemplate:
    spec:
      template:
        spec:
          containers:
          - name: dateperminute
            image: busybox
            args:
            - /bin/sh
            - -c
            - date; sleep 30
          restartPolicy: OnFailure
```

View the cronjob. Depending on the speed you type, one may not have run yet, as seen below:

View the jobs as they run. Give it a couple of minutes. Note the successful jobs completed within the timeframe of the minute, but each eventually did finish. Use <ctrl>-c to stop the --watch option.

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl get jobs --watch
                 DESIRED
                           SUCCESSFUL
NAME
                                        AGE
                            0
date-1523426280
                                          2s
date-1523426280
                 1
                            1
                                         32s
date-1523426340
                 1
                            0
                                          0s
                            0
date-1523426340 1
                                          0s
```



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View the pods; you should see at least a couple of completed pods:

View the output of the job; you should see a recent time:

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl logs date-1523426340-hk897 Wed Apr 11 05:59:10 UTC 2018
```

Clean up by deleting the cronjob.

```
student@ckad-1:~/app1$ kubectl delete cronjob date
cronjob.batch "date" deleted
```