

# K8S Architecture



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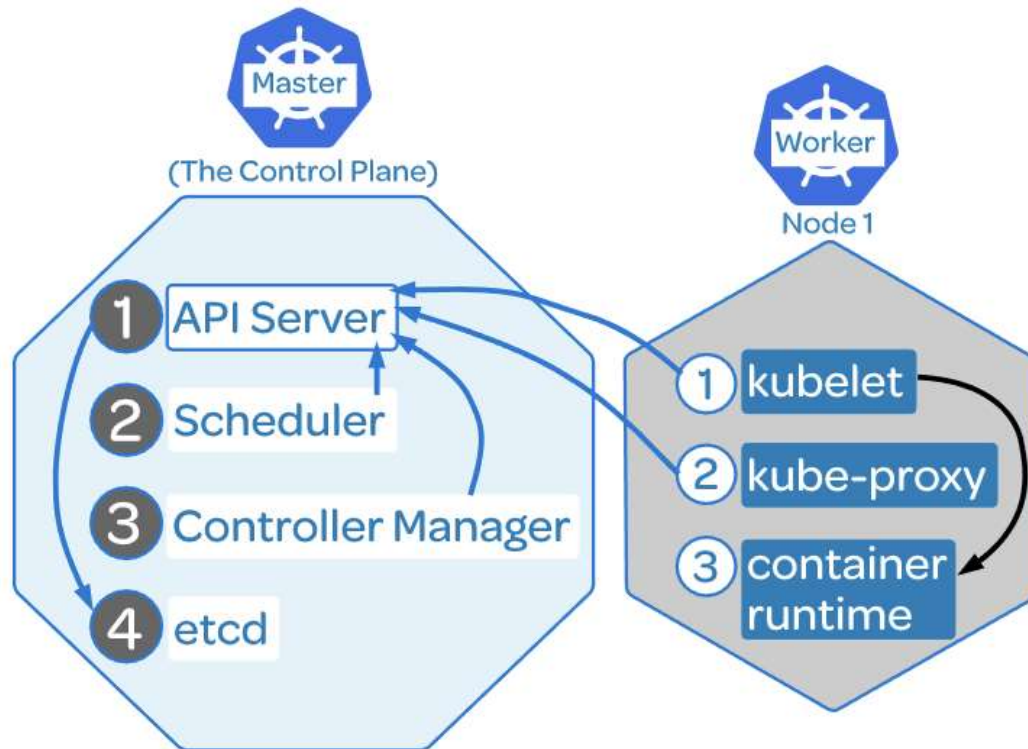
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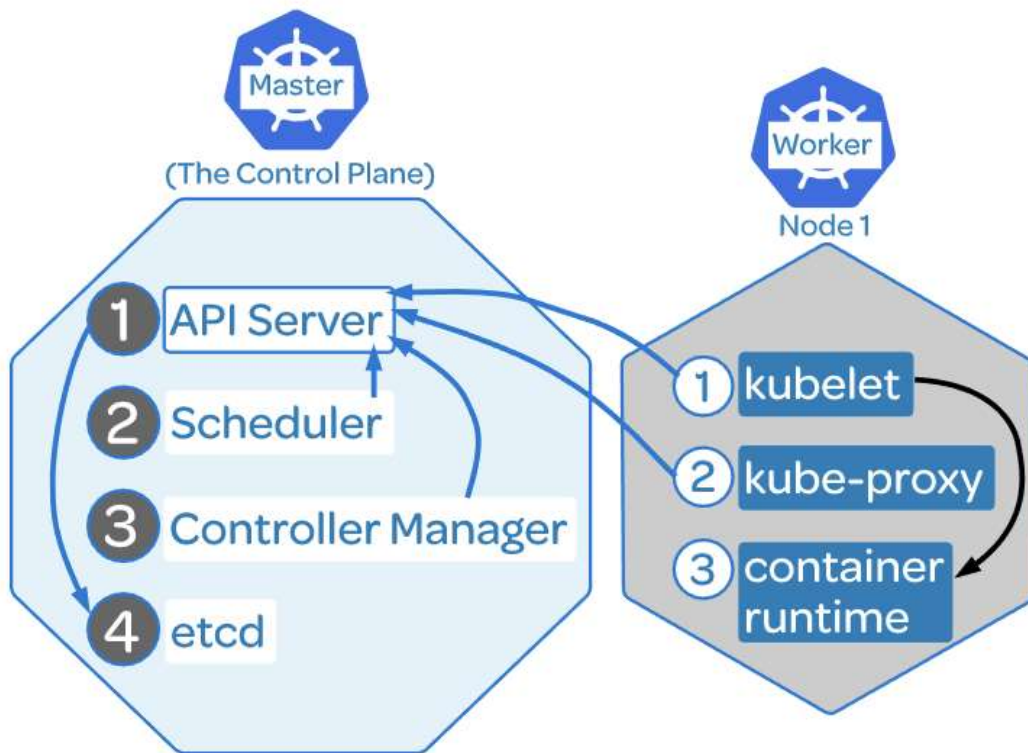
# Cluster Architecture



- **API Server:** The communication hub for all cluster components. It exposes the k8s API
- **Scheduler:** Assigns workloads to a worker node based on resource requirements, hardware constraints, ...
- **Controller Manager:** Maintains the cluster, handles node failures, replicating components, maintaining the amount of pods...
- **etcd:** Data store that store the cluster configuration



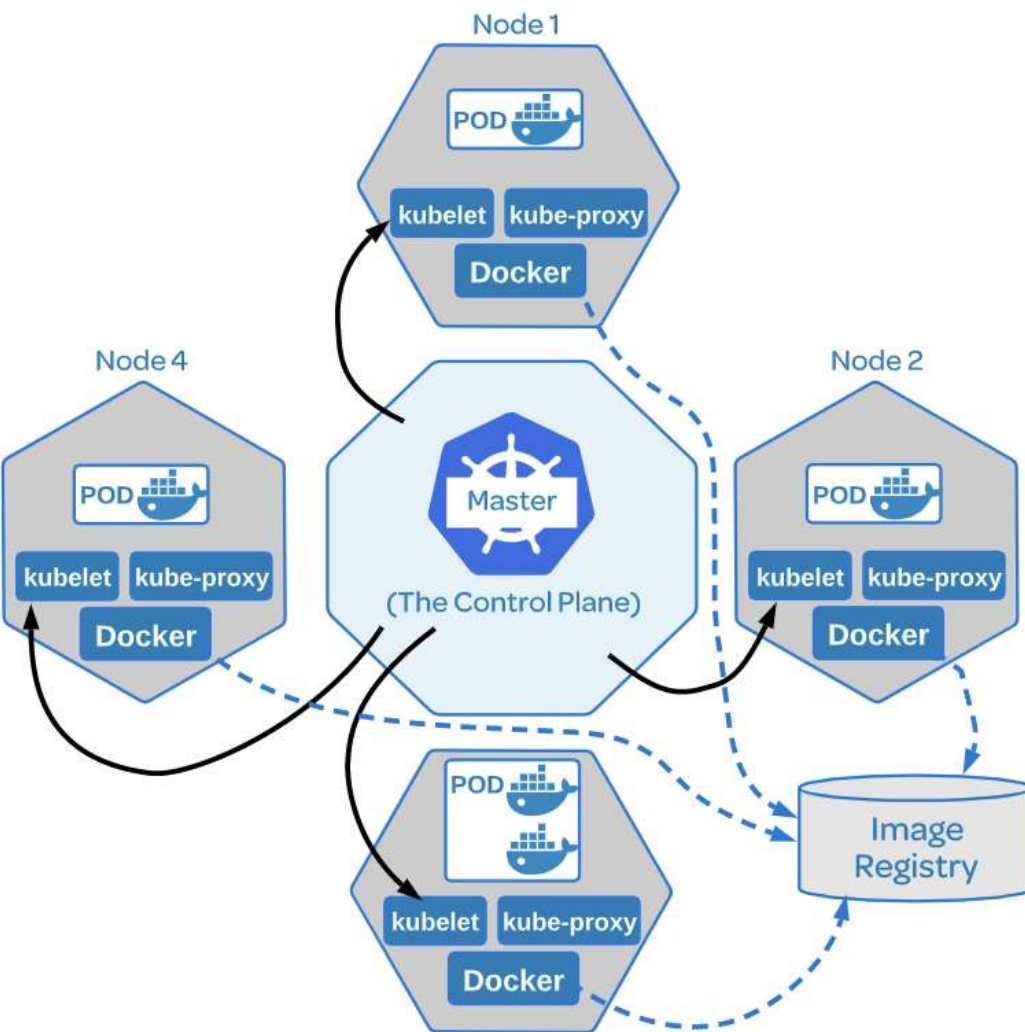
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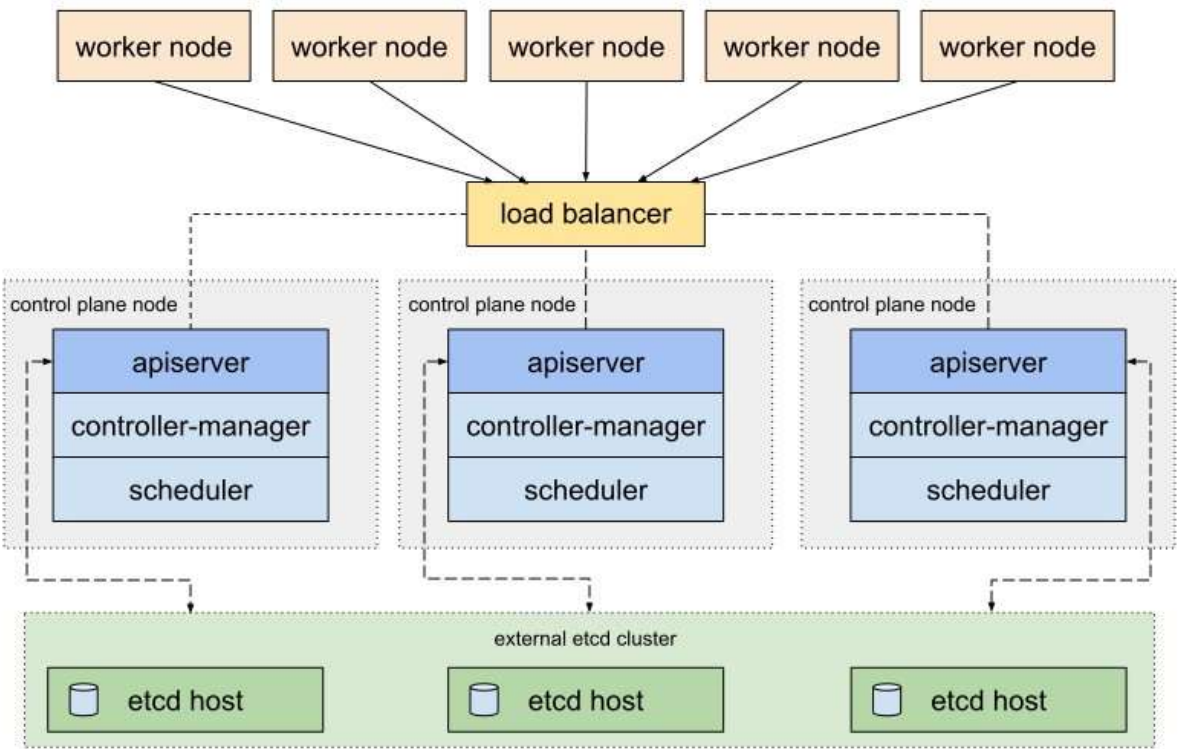
- **kubelet:** Runs and manages the containers on the node and talks to the API server
- **kube-proxy:** Load balancing traffic between application
- **container runtime:** The program that runs your containers



# Multiple workers - multiple masters



kubeadm HA topology - external etcd





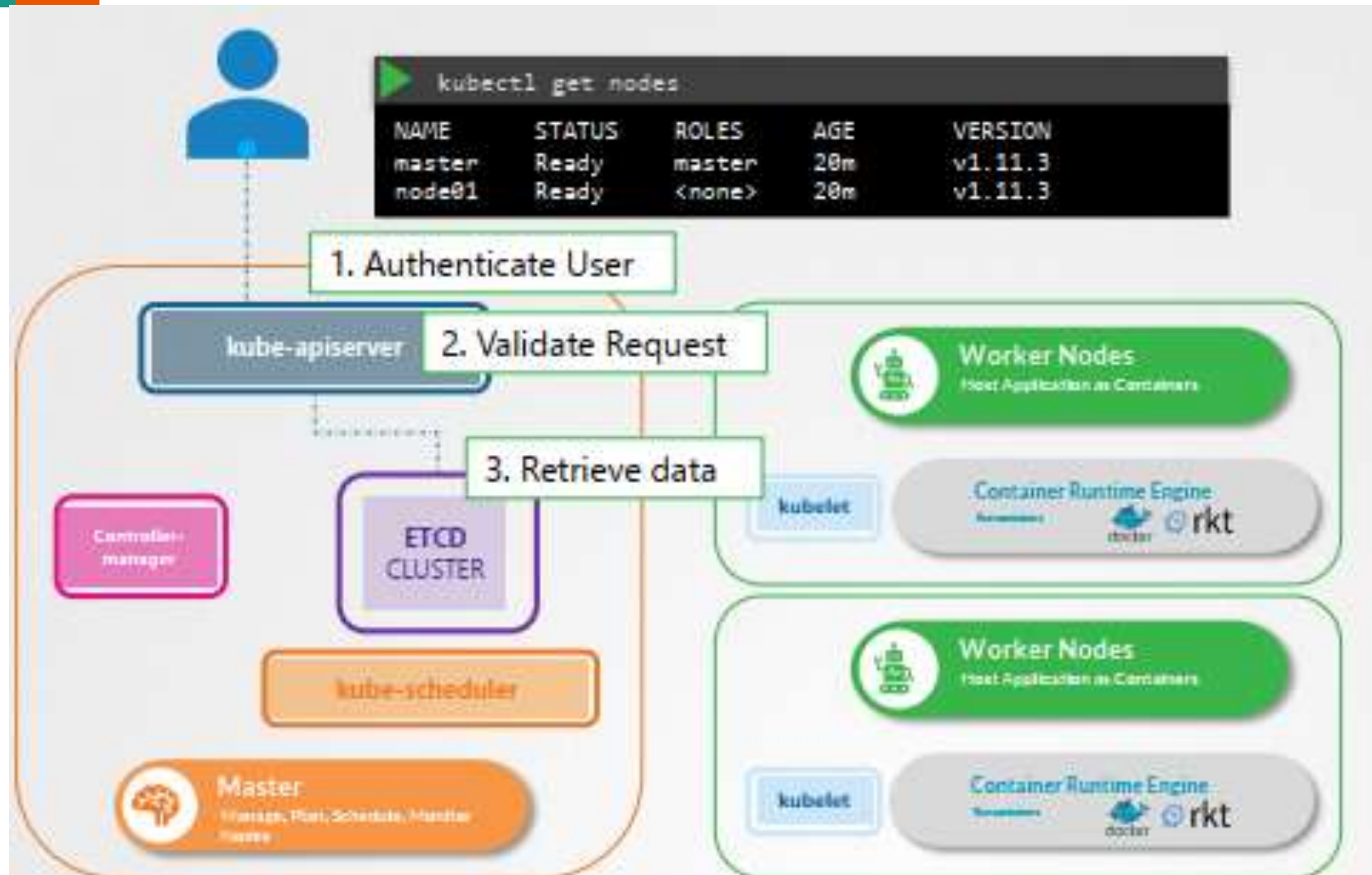
# Core Concept

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- ❑ Kube API Server
- ❑ ETCD
- ❑ Controller manager
- ❑ Scheduler
- ❑ Kubelet
- ❑ Kube Proxy



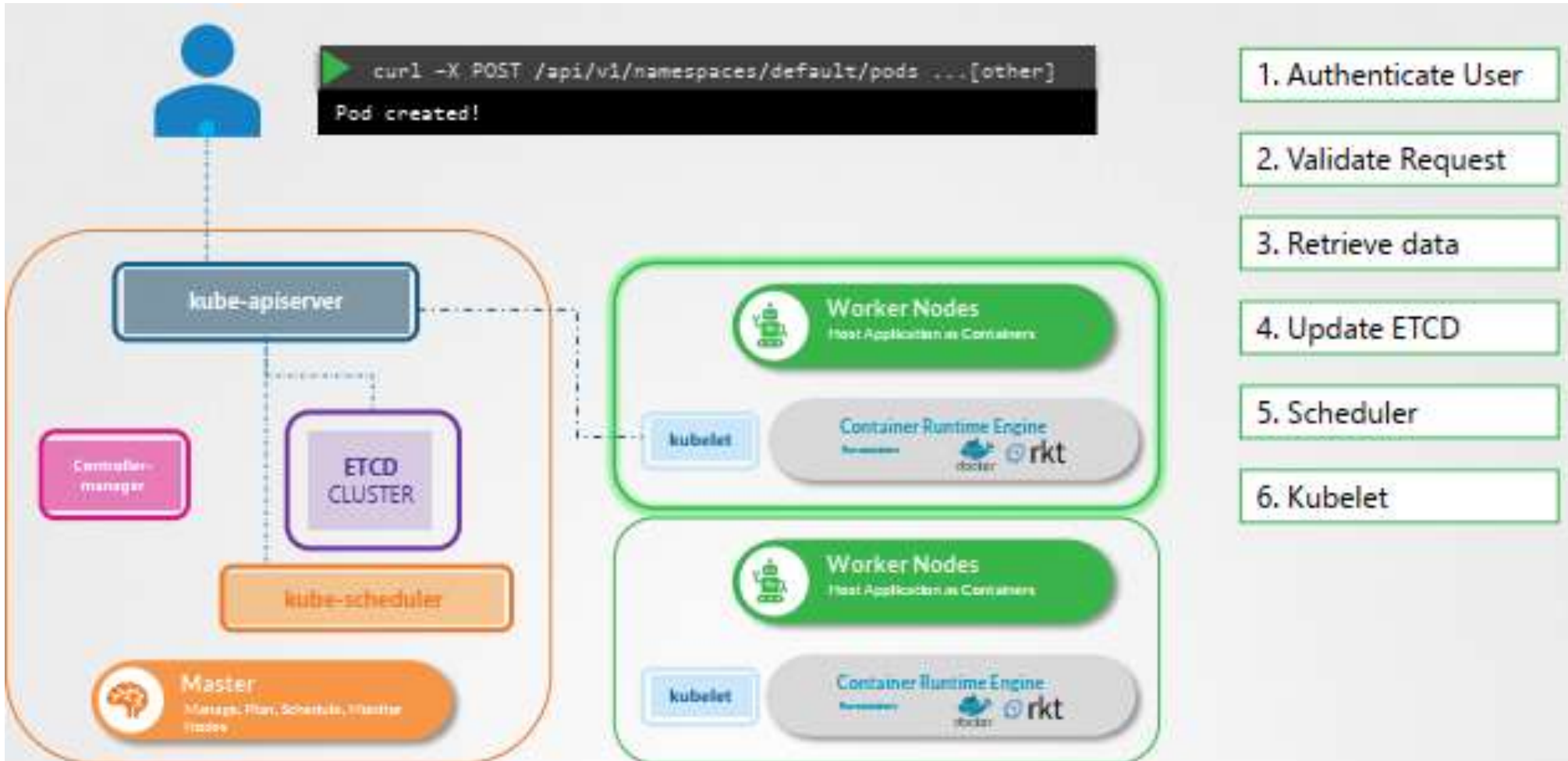
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# Kube API Server

“The Kubernetes API server validates and configures data for the api objects which include pods, services, replication controllers, and others. The API Server services REST operations and provides the frontend to the cluster's shared state through which all other components interact”

```
kubectl get pods -n kube-system
```

NAMESPACE	NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
kube-system	coredns-78fcd66894-hwrq9	1/1	Running	0	16m
kube-system	coredns-78fcd66894-rzhjr	1/1	Running	0	16m
kube-system	etcd-master	1/1	Running	0	15m
kube-system	kube-apiserver-master	1/1	Running	0	15m
kube-system	kube-controller-manager-master	1/1	Running	0	15m
kube-system	kube-proxy-1zt6f	1/1	Running	0	16m
kube-system	kube-proxy-zm5qd	1/1	Running	0	16m
kube-system	kube-scheduler-master	1/1	Running	0	15m
kube-system	weave-net-29z42	2/2	Running	1	16m
kube-system	weave-net-snm1	2/2	Running	1	16m



# ETCD

Consistent and highly-available key value store used as Kubernetes' backing store for all cluster data

Key	Value
Name	Aryan Kumar
Age	10
Location	New York
Grade	A

Key	Value
Name	Lauren Rob
Age	13
Location	Bangalore
Grade	C

Key	Value
Name	Lily Oliver
Age	15
Location	Bangalore
Grade	B



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kube-system	coredns-78fcd66894-prwv1	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	coredns-78fcd66894-vqd9w	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	etcd-master	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	kube-apiserver-master	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	kube-controller-manager-master	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	kube-proxy-f6k26	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	kube-proxy-hnzsx	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	kube-scheduler-master	1/1	Running	0	1h
kube-system	weave-net-924k8	2/2	Running	1	1h
kube-system	weave-net-hzfcz	2/2	Running	1	1h



# ETCD

```
./etcd
```

```
▶ ./etcdctl set key1 value1
```

```
▶ ./etcdctl get key1
```

```
value1
```

```
▶ ./etcdctl
```

NAME:

etcdctl - A simple command line client for etcd.

COMMANDS:

backup	backup an etcd directory
cluster-health	check the health of the etcd cluster
mk	make a new key with a given value
mkdir	make a new directory
rm	remove a key or a directory
rmdir	removes the key if it is an empty directory or a key-value pair
get	retrieve the value of a key





# Kube Controller Manager

a controller is a control loop that watches the shared state of the cluster through the apiserver and makes changes attempting to move the current state towards the desired state

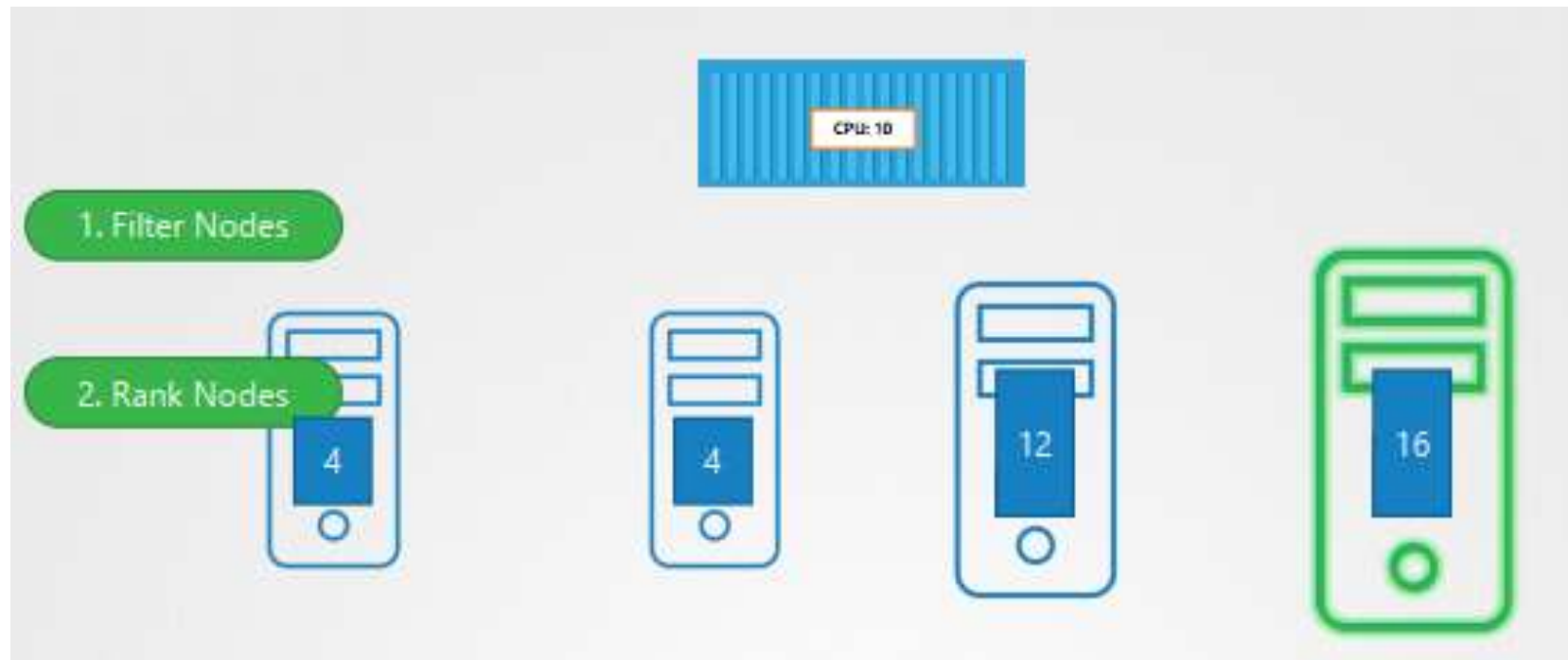
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# Kube Scheduler

The scheduler needs to take into account individual and collective resource requirements, quality of service requirements, hardware/software/policy constraints, affinity and anti-affinity specifications, data locality, inter-workload interference, deadlines, and so on.

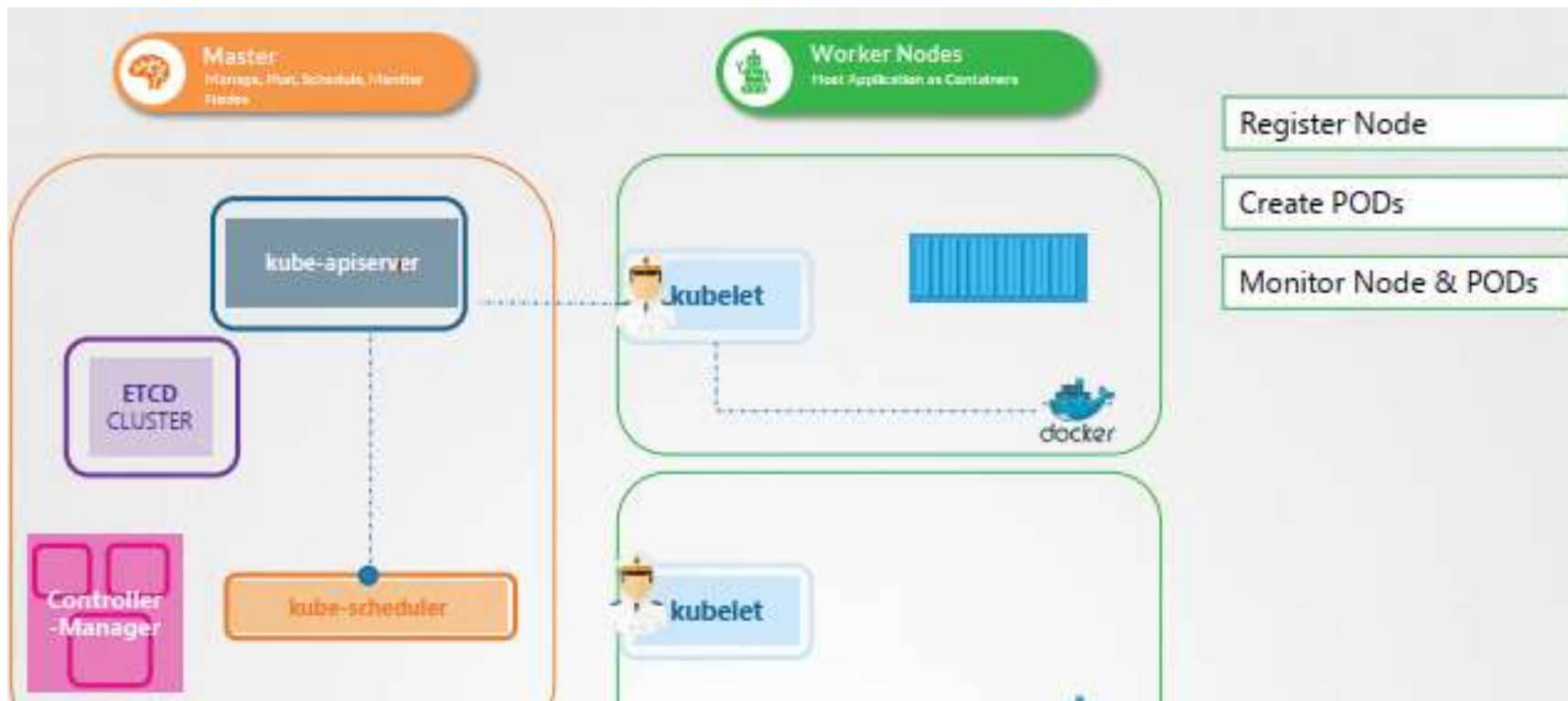






# Kubelet

The kubelet is the primary "node agent" that runs on each node. It can register the node with the apiserver using one of: the hostname





# Kube Proxy

The Kubernetes network proxy runs on each node. This can do simple TCP, UDP, and SCTP stream forwarding or round robin TCP, UDP, and SCTP forwarding across a set of backends

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# API Primitives

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: nginx-deployment
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: nginx
  replicas: 2
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: nginx
    spec:
      containers:
      - name: nginx
        image: nginx:1.7.9
        ports:
        - containerPort: 80
status:
```

- **apiVersion: \$GROUP\_NAME/\$VERSION**  
The API server exposes an HTTP API that lets end users, different parts of your cluster, and external components communicate with one another.
- **kind:**  
Represents the kind of object will be created such as pod, deployment, job,... This field is a required field.
- **metadata:**  
Data that helps uniquely identify the object, including a name, UID and optional namespace.
- **spec:**  
Describes the desired state and characteristics of the object. Spec can contains nested specs.
- **status:**  
Describes the current state of the object, supplied and updated by the Kubernetes system and its components.



# Play with kubectl - Enabling shell autocompletion

```
curl -LO https://storage.googleapis.com/kubernetes-release/release/v1.18.0/bin/linux/amd64/kubectl
chmod +x ./kubectl
sudo mv ./kubectl /usr/local/bin/kubectl
kubectl version
```

```
echo 'source <(kubectl completion bash)' >> ~/.bashrc
```

```
echo 'alias k=kubectl' >> ~/.bashrc
echo 'complete -F __start_kubectl k' >> ~/.bashrc
```



# Play with kubectl

```
root@lab1:~# kubectl get nodes
```

NAME	STATUS	ROLES	AGE	VERSION
lab1	Ready	master	4d15h	v1.18.3
lab2	Ready	<none>	4d15h	v1.18.3
lab3	Ready	<none>	4d15h	v1.18.3

```
root@lab1:~# kubectl get componentstatuses
```

NAME	STATUS	MESSAGE	ERROR
controller-manager	Healthy	ok	
scheduler	Healthy	ok	
etcd-0	Healthy	{"health":"true"}	



# Play with kubectl - create your first k8s object

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
  name: nginx-deployment
spec:
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: nginx
  replicas: 2
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: nginx
    spec:
      containers:
      - name: nginx
        image: nginx:1.7.9
        ports:
        - containerPort: 80
```

- **File Extension:** both yaml & yml are accepted
- **Indent:** 2 spaces, not Tab (Tab in linux/unix are configurable)
- **Useful free course about yaml:**  
<https://www.udemy.com/course/yaml-essentials/>
- **Source Version Control:** should check in a SVC like git
- **Conversion:** kubectl converts yaml object file to JSON as the API request must be made as JSON





# Imperative vs Declarative

## Kubernetes

Imperative

```
> kubectl run --image=nginx nginx
```

```
> kubectl create deployment --image=nginx nginx
```

```
> kubectl expose deployment nginx --port 80
```

```
> kubectl edit deployment nginx
```

```
> kubectl scale deployment nginx --replicas=5
```

```
> kubectl set image deployment nginx nginx=nginx:1.18
```

```
> kubectl create -f nginx.yaml
```

```
> kubectl replace -f nginx.yaml
```

```
> kubectl delete -f nginx.yaml
```

Declarative

```
> kubectl apply -f nginx.yaml
```



# Exploring k8s resource detail

```
kubectl get deployments nginx-deployment -oyaml
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
```

```
kind: Deployment
```

```
metadata:
```

```
  annotations:
```

```
    deployment.kubernetes.io/revision: "1"
```

```
    kubectl.kubernetes.io/last-applied-configuration: |
```

```
{"apiVersion":"apps/v1","kind":"Deployment","metadata":{"annotations":{},"name":"nginx-  
deployment","namespace":"default"},"spec":{"replicas":2,"selector":{"matchLabels":{"app  
":"nginx"}},"template":{"metadata":{"labels":{"app":"nginx"}},"spec":{"containers":[{"i  
mage":"nginx:1.7.9","name":"nginx","ports":[{"containerPort":80}]}}}}}
```

```
  creationTimestamp: "2020-06-28T08:28:14Z"
```

```
..... . . .
```



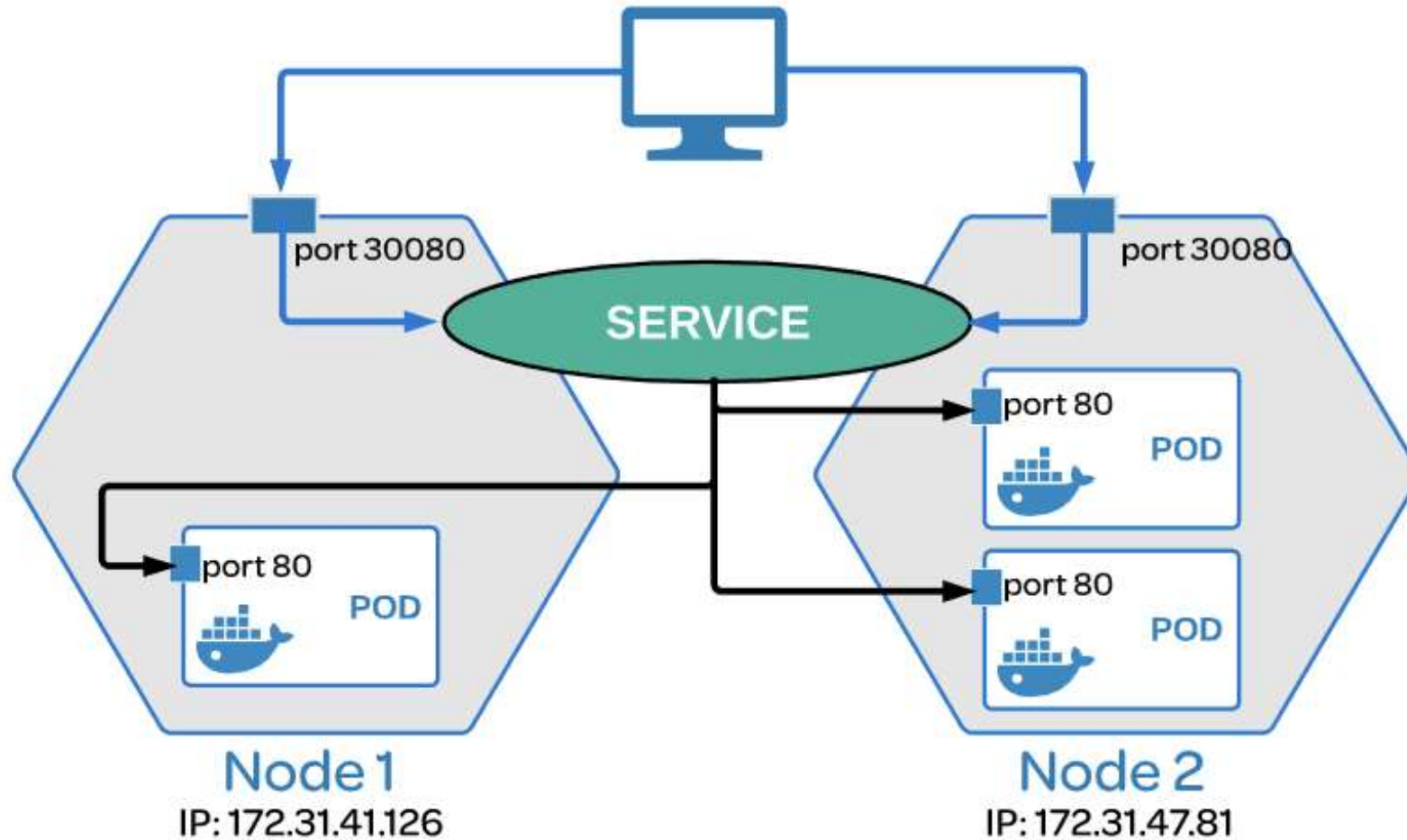
# Service & Network Primitives

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- Kubernetes services allow you to dynamically access a group of replica pods without having to keep track of which pods are moved, changed, or deleted.



# Kubernetes Service





# Look into the pods IP addresses

```
kubectl get po -owide
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS		
AGE	IP	NOMINATED	NODE	READINESS	GATES
nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-9tq9g	1/1	Running	0		
101m	10.244.2.6	lab3	<none>	<none>	

```
kubectl delete pod nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-9tq9g  
pod "nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-9tq9g" deleted
```

```
kubectl get po -owide
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS		
AGE	IP	NOMINATED	NODE	READINESS	GATES
nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-8jj7d	1/1	Running	0	5s	
10.244.2.7	lab3	<none>	<none>		



# k8s service

```
cat <<'EOF' | kubectl apply -f -
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: nginx-nodeport
spec:
  type: NodePort
  ports:
    - protocol: TCP
      port: 80
      targetPort: 80
      nodePort: 30080
  selector:
    app: nginx
EOF
```

service/nginx-nodeport created





# Access application through NodePort

```
curl http://<worker_ip>:<node_port>

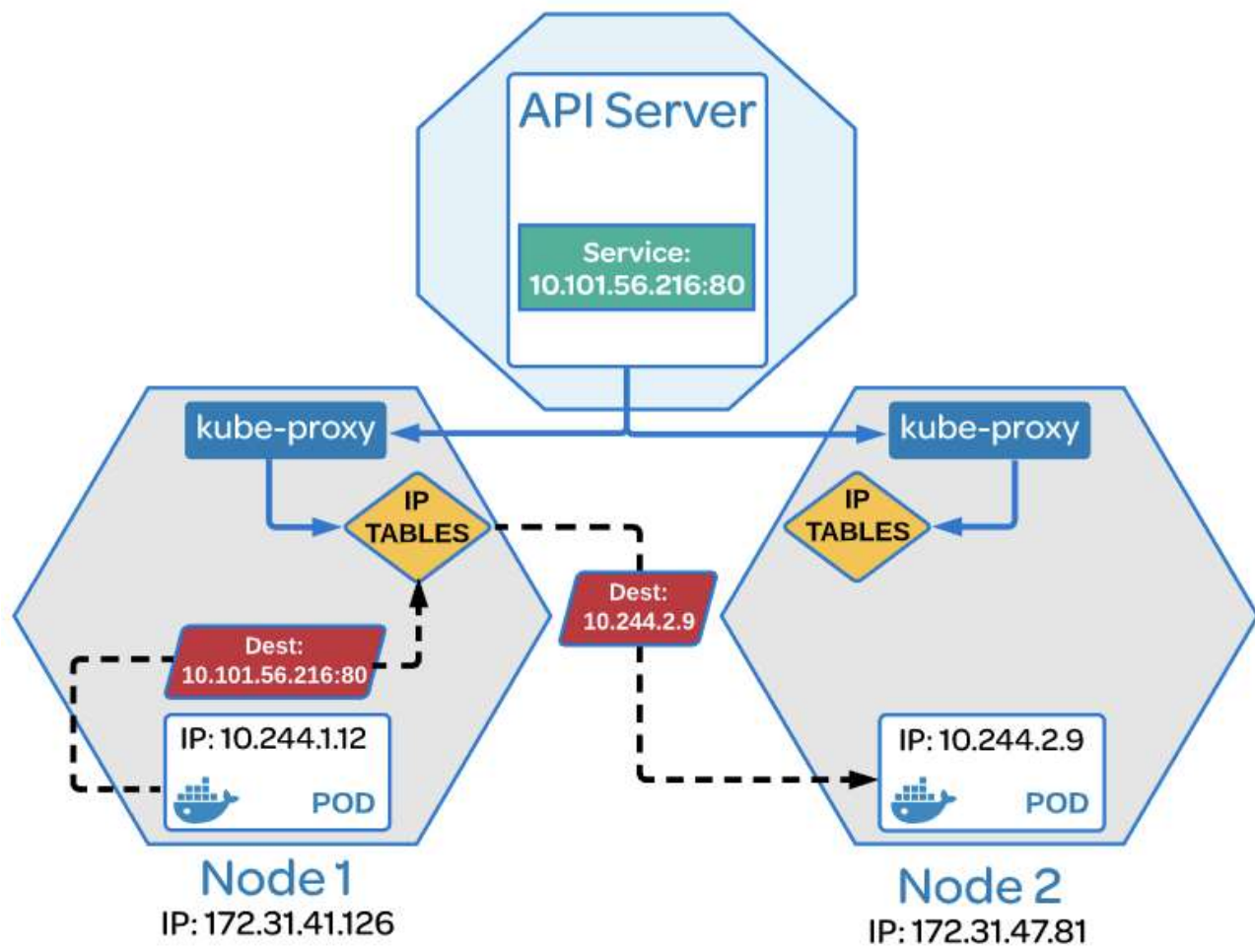
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<title>Welcome to nginx!</title>
<style>
    body {
        width: 35em;
        margin: 0 auto;
        font-family: Tahoma, Verdana, Arial, sans-serif;
    }
</style>
</head>
<body>
<h1>Welcome to nginx!</h1>
<p>If you see this page, the nginx web server is successfully installed and
working. Further configuration is required.</p>

<p>For online documentation and support please refer to
<a href="http://nginx.org/">nginx.org</a>.<br/>
Commercial support is available at
<a href="http://nginx.com/">nginx.com</a>.</p>

<p><em>Thank you for using nginx.</em></p>
</body>
</html>
```



# kube-proxy & iptables





# Create a busybox pod

```
cat <<'EOF' | kubectl apply -f -  
apiVersion: v1  
kind: Pod  
metadata:  
  name: busybox  
spec:  
  containers:  
  - name: busybox  
    image: radial/busyboxplus:curl  
    args:  
    - sleep  
    - "1000"  
EOF
```

pod/busybox created



# Inter-cluster communication

```
kubectl get svc
```

NAME	TYPE	CLUSTER-IP	EXTERNAL-IP	PORT(S)	AGE
kubernetes	ClusterIP	10.96.0.1	<none>	443/TCP	5d1h
nginx-nodeport	NodePort	10.96.186.253	<none>	80:30080/TCP	30m

```
kubectl get po -o wide
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE	IP	NODE	NOMINATED
busybox	1/1	Running	0	44s	10.244.2.8	lab3	<none>
nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-8jj7d	1/1	Running	0	6h52m	10.244.2.7	lab3	<none>
nginx-deployment-5bf87f5f59-jfrnj	1/1	Running	0	8h	10.244.1.5	lab2	<none>

```
kubectl exec busybox -- curl -sI 10.96.186.253:80
```

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
```

```
Server: nginx/1.7.9
```

```
Date: Sun, 28 Jun 2020 17:23:41 GMT
```

```
Content-Type: text/html
```

```
Content-Length: 612
```

```
Last-Modified: Tue, 23 Dec 2014 16:25:09 GMT
```

```
Connection: keep-alive
```

```
ETag: "54999765-264"
```

```
Accept-Ranges: bytes
```

