

# Kubectl Kubernetes CheatSheet

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## 1.1 Common Commands

| Name                                 | Command  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| Run curl test temporarily            | <code>kubectl run --rm mytest --image=yauritux/busybox-curl -it</code>   |
| Run wget test temporarily            | <code>kubectl run --rm mytest --image=busybox -it</code>   |
| Run nginx deployment with 2 replicas | <code>kubectl run my-nginx --image=nginx --replicas=2 --port=80</code>   |
| Run nginx pod and expose it          | <code>kubectl run my-nginx --restart=Never --image=nginx --port=80 --expose</code>                             |
| Run nginx deployment and expose it   | <code>kubectl run my-nginx --image=nginx --port=80 --expose</code>   |
| Set namespace preference             | <code>kubectl config set-context &lt;context_name&gt; --namespace=&lt;ns_name&gt;</code>                       |
| List pods with nodes info            | <code>kubectl get pod -o wide</code>   |
| List everything                      | <code>kubectl get all --all-namespaces</code>  |
| Get all services                     | <code>kubectl get service --all-namespaces</code>  |
| Show nodes with labels               | <code>kubectl get nodes --show-labels</code>   |
| Validate yaml file with dry run      | <code>kubectl create --dry-run --validate -f pod-dummy.yaml</code>   |
| Start a temporary pod for testing    | <code>kubectl run --rm -i -t --image=alpine test-\$RANDOM -- sh</code>   |
| kubectl run shell command            | <code>kubectl exec -it mytest -- ls -l /etc/hosts</code>   |
| Get system conf via configmap        | <code>kubectl -n kube-system get cm kubeadm-config -o yaml</code>  |
| Get deployment yaml                  | <code>kubectl -n denny-websites get deployment mysql -o yaml</code>  |
| Explain resource                     | <code>kubectl explain pods, kubectl explain svc</code>   |
| Watch pods                           | <code>kubectl get pods -n wordpress --watch</code>   |
| Query healthcheck endpoint           | <code>curl -L http://127.0.0.1:10250/healthz</code>  |
| Open a bash terminal in a pod        | <code>kubectl exec -it storage sh</code>   |
| Check pod environment variables      | <code>kubectl exec redis-master-ft9ex env</code>   |
| Enable kubectl shell autocompletion  | <code>echo "source &lt;(kubectl completion bash)" &gt; ~/.bashrc, and reload</code>                            |
| Use minikube dockerd in your laptop  | <code>eval \$(minikube docker-env)</code> , No need to push docker hub any more                                |
| Kubectl apply a folder of yaml files | <code>kubectl apply -R -f .</code>   |
| Get services sorted by name          | <code>kubectl get services --sort-by=.metadata.name</code>   |
| Get pods sorted by restart count     | <code>kubectl get pods --sort-by='.status.containerStatuses[0].restartCount'</code>                            |
| List pods and images                 | <code>kubectl get pods -o='custom-columns=PODS:.metadata.name,Images:.spec.containers[*]</code>                |
| List all container images            | <code>list-all-images.sh</code>  |
| kubeconfig skip tls verification     | <code>skip-tls-verify.md</code>  |
| Ubuntu install kubectl               | <code>"deb https://apt.kubernetes.io/ kubernetes-xenial main"</code>   |
| Reference                            | GitHub: <a href="#">kubernetes releases</a>  |
| Reference                            | <a href="#">minikube cheatsheet</a> , <a href="#">docker cheatsheet</a> , <a href="#">OpenShift CheatSheet</a> |

## 1.2 Check Performance

| Name   | Command   |
|--|---|
| Get node resource usage                      | <code>kubectl top node</code>                                   |
| Get pod resource usage                       | <code>kubectl top pod</code>                                    |
| Get resource usage for a given pod           | <code>kubectl top &lt;podname&gt; --containers</code>           |
| List resource utilization for all containers | <code>kubectl top pod --all-namespaces --containers=true</code> |

### 1.3 Resources Deletion

| Name                                    | Command   |
|---|---|
| Delete pod                              | <code>kubectl delete pod/&lt;pod-name&gt; -n &lt;my-namespace&gt;</code>  |
| Delete pod by force                     | <code>kubectl delete pod/&lt;pod-name&gt; --grace-period=0 --force</code> |
| Delete pods by labels                   | <code>kubectl delete pod -l env=test</code>                               |
| Delete deployments by labels            | <code>kubectl delete deployment -l app=wordpress</code>                   |
| Delete all resources filtered by labels | <code>kubectl delete pods,services -l name=myLabel</code>                 |
| Delete resources under a namespace      | <code>kubectl -n my-ns delete po,svc --all</code>                         |
| Delete persist volumes by labels        | <code>kubectl delete pvc -l app=wordpress</code>                          |
| Delete statefulset only (not pods)      | <code>kubectl delete sts/&lt;stateful_set_name&gt; --cascade=false</code> |

### 1.4 Log & Conf Files

| Name                      | Comment  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Config folder             | <code>/etc/kubernetes/</code>  |
| Certificate files         | <code>/etc/kubernetes/pki/</code>  |
| Credentials to API server | <code>/etc/kubernetes/kubelet.conf</code>  |
| Superuser credentials     | <code>/etc/kubernetes/admin.conf</code>  |
| kubectl config file       | <code>~/.kube/config</code>  |
| Kubernetes working dir    | <code>/var/lib/kubelet/</code>   |
| Docker working dir        | <code>/var/lib/docker/, /var/log/containers/</code>                              |
| Etd working dir           | <code>/var/lib/etcd/</code>  |
| Network cni               | <code>/etc/cni/net.d/</code>   |
| Log files                 | <code>/var/log/pods/</code>  |
| log in worker node        | <code>/var/log/kubelet.log, /var/log/kube-proxy.log</code>                       |
| log in master node        | <code>kube-apiserver.log, kube-scheduler.log, kube-controller-manager.log</code> |
| Env                       | <code>/etc/systemd/system/kubelet.service.d/10-kubeadm.conf</code>               |
| Env                       | <code>export KUBECONFIG=/etc/kubernetes/admin.conf</code>                        |

### 1.5 Pod

| Name                         | Command  |
|------------------------------|--|
| List all pods                | <code>kubectl get pods</code>  |
| List pods for all namespace  | <code>kubectl get pods -all-namespaces</code>  |
| List all critical pods       | <code>kubectl get -n kube-system pods -a</code>  |
| List pods with more info     | <code>kubectl get pod -o wide, kubectl get pod/&lt;pod-name&gt; -o yaml</code>                         |
| Get pod info                 | <code>kubectl describe pod/srv-mysql-server</code>   |
| List all pods with labels    | <code>kubectl get pods --show-labels</code>  |
| List running pods            | <code>kubectl get pods --field-selector=status.phase=Running</code>                                    |
| Get Pod initContainer status | <code>kubectl get pod --template '{{.status.initContainerStatuses}}' &lt;pod-name&gt;</code>           |
| kubectl run command          | <code>kubectl exec -it -n "\$ns" "\$podname" - sh -c "echo \$msg »/dev/err.log"</code>                 |
| Watch pods                   | <code>kubectl get pods -n wordpress --watch</code>   |
| Get pod by selector          | <code>kubectl get pods --selector="app=syslog" -o jsonpath='{.items[*].metadata.name}'</code>          |
| List pods and images         | <code>kubectl get pods -o='custom-columns=PODS:.metadata.name,Images:.spec.containers[*].image'</code> |
| List pods and containers     | <code>-o='custom-columns=PODS:.metadata.name,CONTAINERS:.spec.containers[*].name'</code>               |
| Reference                    | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>  |

### 1.6 Label & Annotation

| Name                             | Command  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Filter pods by label             | <code>kubectl get pods -l owner=denny</code>                                 |
| Manually add label to a pod      | <code>kubectl label pods dummy-input owner=denny</code>                      |
| Remove label                     | <code>kubectl label pods dummy-input owner-</code>                           |
| Manually add annotation to a pod | <code>kubectl annotate pods dummy-input my-url=https://dennyzhang.com</code> |

## 1.7 Deployment & Scale

| Name                         | Command   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Scale out                    | <code>kubect1 scale --replicas=3 deployment/nginx-app</code>  |
| online rolling upgrade       | <code>kubect1 rollout app-v1 app-v2 --image=img:v2</code>   |
| Roll backup                  | <code>kubect1 rollout app-v1 app-v2 --rollback</code>   |
| List rollout                 | <code>kubect1 get rs</code>   |
| Check update status          | <code>kubect1 rollout status deployment/nginx-app</code>  |
| Check update history         | <code>kubect1 rollout history deployment/nginx-app</code>   |
| Pause/Resume                 | <code>kubect1 rollout pause deployment/nginx-deployment, resume</code>                                    |
| Rollback to previous version | <code>kubect1 rollout undo deployment/nginx-deployment</code>   |
| Reference                    | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a> , Link: <a href="#">Pausing and Resuming a Deployment</a> |

## 1.8 Quota & Limits & Resource

| Name                          | Command  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| List Resource Quota           | <code>kubect1 get resourcequota</code>   |
| List Limit Range              | <code>kubect1 get limitrange</code>  |
| Customize resource definition | <code>kubect1 set resources deployment nginx -c=nginx --limits=cpu=200m</code>     |
| Customize resource definition | <code>kubect1 set resources deployment nginx -c=nginx --limits=memory=512Mi</code> |
| Reference                     | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>                                    |

## 1.9 Service

| Name                            | Command  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| List all services               | <code>kubect1 get services</code>  |
| List service endpoints          | <code>kubect1 get endpoints</code>   |
| Get service detail              | <code>kubect1 get service nginx-service -o yaml</code>   |
| Get service cluster ip          | <code>kubect1 get service nginx-service -o go-template='{{.spec.clusterIP}}'</code>            |
| Get service cluster port        | <code>kubect1 get service nginx-service -o go-template='{{(index .spec.ports 0).port}}'</code> |
| Expose deployment as lb service | <code>kubect1 expose deployment/my-app --type=LoadBalancer --name=my-service</code>            |
| Expose service as lb service    | <code>kubect1 expose service/wordpress-1-svc --type=LoadBalancer --name=ns1</code>             |
| Reference                       | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>  |

## 1.10 Secrets

| Name                             | Command  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| List secrets                     | <code>kubect1 get secrets --all-namespaces</code>                                    |
| Generate secret                  | <code>echo -n 'mypasswd', then redirect to base64 --decode</code>                    |
| Get secret                       | <code>kubect1 get secret denny-cluster-kubeconfig</code>                             |
| Get a specific field of a secret | <code>kubect1 get secret denny-cluster-kubeconfig -o jsonpath='{.data.value}'</code> |
| Create secret from cfg file      | <code>kubect1 create secret generic db-user-pass --from-file=./username.txt</code>   |
| Reference                        | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a> , Link: <a href="#">Secrets</a>      |

## 1.11 StatefulSet

| Name                               | Command   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| List statefulset                   | <code>kubect1 get sts</code>  |
| Delete statefulset only (not pods) | <code>kubect1 delete sts/&lt;stateful_set_name&gt; --cascade=false</code> |
| Scale statefulset                  | <code>kubect1 scale sts/&lt;stateful_set_name&gt; --replicas=5</code>     |
| Reference                          | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>                           |

## 1.12 Volumes & Volume Claims

| Name                      | Command   |
|---------------------------|---|
| List storage class        | <code>kubectl get storageclass</code>   |
| Check the mounted volumes | <code>kubectl exec storage ls /data</code>  |
| Check persist volume      | <code>kubectl describe pv/pv0001</code>   |
| Copy local file to pod    | <code>kubectl cp /tmp/my &lt;some-namespace&gt;/&lt;some-pod&gt;:/tmp/server</code> |
| Copy pod file to local    | <code>kubectl cp &lt;some-namespace&gt;/&lt;some-pod&gt;:/tmp/server /tmp/my</code> |
| Reference                 | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>                                     |

## 1.13 Events & Metrics

| Name                            | Command   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| View all events                 | <code>kubectl get events --all-namespaces</code>                      |
| List Events sorted by timestamp | <code>kubectl get events --sort-by=.metadata.creationTimestamp</code> |

## 1.14 Node Maintenance

| Name                                      | Command                                   |
|---|---|
| Mark node as unschedulable                | <code>kubectl cordon \$NODE_NAME</code>   |
| Mark node as schedulable                  | <code>kubectl uncordon \$NODE_NAME</code> |
| Drain node in preparation for maintenance | <code>kubectl drain \$NODE_NAME</code>    |

## 1.15 Namespace & Security

| Name                          | Command  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| List authenticated contexts   | <code>kubectl config get-contexts, ~/.kube/config</code>                                 |
| Set namespace preference      | <code>kubectl config set-context &lt;context_name&gt; --namespace=&lt;ns_name&gt;</code> |
| Load context from config file | <code>kubectl get cs --kubeconfig kube_config.yml</code>                                 |
| Switch context                | <code>kubectl config use-context &lt;cluster-name&gt;</code>                             |
| Delete the specified context  | <code>kubectl config delete-context &lt;cluster-name&gt;</code>                          |
| List all namespaces defined   | <code>kubectl get namespaces</code>  |
| List certificates             | <code>kubectl get csr</code>   |
| Reference                     | Link: <a href="#">kubernetes yaml templates</a>  |

## 1.16 Network

| Name                               | Command   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Temporarily add a port-forwarding  | <code>kubectl port-forward redis-134 6379:6379</code>               |
| Add port-forwarding for deployment | <code>kubectl port-forward deployment/redis-master 6379:6379</code> |
| Add port-forwarding for replicaset | <code>kubectl port-forward rs/redis-master 6379:6379</code>         |
| Add port-forwarding for service    | <code>kubectl port-forward svc/redis-master 6379:6379</code>        |
| Get network policy                 | <code>kubectl get NetworkPolicy</code>                              |

## 1.17 Patch

| Name                          | Summary   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Patch service to loadbalancer | <code>kubectl patch svc \$svc_name -p '{"spec": {"type": "LoadBalancer"}}'</code> |

## 1.18 Extensions

| Name                         | Summary                               |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| List api group               | <code>kubectl api-versions</code>     |
| List all CRD                 | <code>kubectl get crd</code>          |
| List storageclass            | <code>kubectl get storageclass</code> |
| List all supported resources | <code>kubectl api-resources</code>    |

## 1.19 Components & Services

### 1.19.1 Services on Master Nodes

| Name                    | Summary  |
|-------------------------|--|
| kube-apiserver          | exposes the Kubernetes API from master nodes   |
| etcd                    | reliable data store for all k8s cluster data   |
| kube-scheduler          | schedule pods to run on selected nodes   |
| kube-controller-manager | node controller, replication controller, endpoints controller, and service account & token controllers |

### 1.19.2 Services on Worker Nodes

| Name              | Summary   |
|-------------------|---|
| kubelet           | makes sure that containers are running in a pod   |
| kube-proxy        | perform connection forwarding   |
| Container Runtime | Kubernetes supported runtimes: Docker, rkt, runc and any OCI runtime-spec implementation. |

### 1.19.3 Addons: pods and services that implement cluster features

| Name                          | Summary   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| DNS                           | serves DNS records for Kubernetes services                                |
| Web UI                        | a general purpose, web-based UI for Kubernetes clusters                   |
| Container Resource Monitoring | collect, store and serve container metrics                                |
| Cluster-level Logging         | save container logs to a central log store with search/browsing interface |

### 1.19.4 Tools

| Name                  | Summary   |
|-----------------------|---|
| kubectrl              | the command line util to talk to k8s cluster                |
| kubeadm               | the command to bootstrap the cluster                        |
| kubefed               | the command line to control a Kubernetes Cluster Federation |
| Kubernetes Components | Link: <a href="#">Kubernetes Components</a>                 |

## 1.20 More Resources

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<https://kubernetes.io/docs/reference/kubectrl/cheatsheet/>

<https://codefresh.io/kubernetes-guides/kubernetes-cheat-sheet/>