### Installing Kubernetes v1.28 with Kubeadm

### Before you begin

- A compatible Linux host. The Kubernetes project provides generic instructions for Linux distributions based on Debian and Red Hat, and those distributions without a package manager.
- 4 GB for Master node and 2 GB for workers.
- 2 CPUs or more.
- Full network connectivity between all machines in the cluster (public or private network is fine)

Hostname	IP Address	Used as
k8master.exmaple.com	192.168.43.156	control-plane
worker1.example.com	192.168.43.157	worker node

1st we need to set our hostname on systems for this run this command

[root@k8master ~]# hostnamectl set-hostname k8master.example.com

### [root@k8master ~]# nmcli -p dev sh

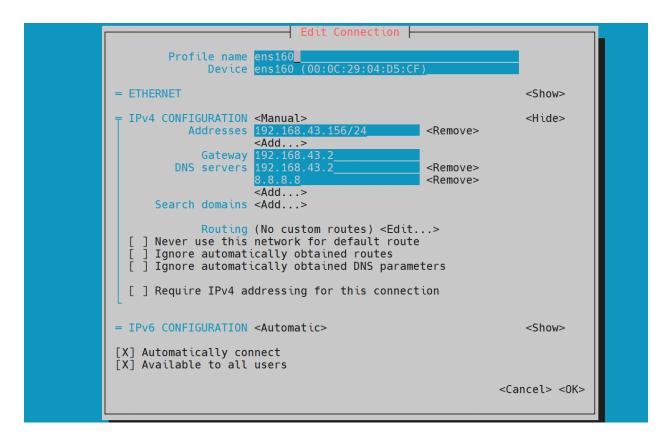
{ run this command to check your gateway, DNS, IP, etc}

```
Device details (ens160)
GENERAL.DEVICE:
GENERAL.TYPE:
GENERAL.HWADDR:
GENERAL.MTU:
                                                         1500
GENERAL.STATE:
                                                         100 (connected)
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
 ENERAL.CON-PATH:
                                                         /org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveConnection
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
P4.ADDRESS[1]:
P4.GATEWAY:
P4.ROUTE[1]:
P4.ROUTE[2]:
                                                         192.168.43.156/24
192.168.43.2
dst = 192.168.43.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt = dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 192.168.43.2, mt =
    .DNS[1]:
.DOMAIN[1]:
 P6.ADDRESS[1]:
P6.GATEWAY:
P6.ROUTE[1]:
                                                         fe80::20c:29ff:fe04:d5cf/64
                                                         dst = fe80::/64, nh = ::, mt = 1024
```

After verifying your dns, gateway you need to set manual IP configuration

Run this command to set static IP on your machine

### [root@k8master ~]# nmtui



After adding the network you need to configure local dns for this open /etc/hosts file and enter these lines

### [root@k8master ~]# vim /etc/hosts

```
127.0.0.1 localhost localhost.localdomain localhost4 localhost4.localdomain4
::1 localhost localhost.localdomain localhost6 localhost6.localdomain6
192.168.43.156 k8master.example.com k8master
192.168.43.157 worker1.example.com worker1
```

### Now we need to deactivate the swap space

1st we need to verify whether swap space is working or not running this command to verify

#### [root@k8master ~]# free -m

```
root@k8master
               ~]# free
                total
                                                               buff/cache
                                                                             available
                                           free
                                                      shared
                                           3108
                                                                                  3092
Mem:
                 3627
                               535
                                                           9
                                                                      210
                 3071
                                 0
                                           3071
Swap:
[root@k8master ~]# swapon -s
 ilename
                                           Type
                                                             Size
                                                                              Used
                                                                                                Priority
/dev/dm-1
                                           partition
                                                             3145724
root@k8master ~]# ■
```

If swap space is activated you need to disable swap temporarily and permanent

### To disable the swap temporarily you need to run [root@k8master ~]# swapoff -a

To disable swap permanently you need to open the/etc/fstab file and comment swap entry

```
# Units generated from this rite.

# /dev/mapper/rl-root / xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=63aa319a-771c-4d57-b812-d1c51d5c34a6 /boot xfs defaults 0 0
## dev/mapper/rl-swap none swap defaults 0 0
~ ~
```

### Now we need to disable se-linux temporarily and permanent

In this command, we check the se-linux status

[root@k8master ~]# sestatus

SELinux status: enabled

SELinuxfs mount: /sys/fs/selinux SELinux root directory: /etc/selinux Loaded policy name: targeted Current mode: enforcing Mode from config file: enforcing Policy MLS status: enabled

Policy deny\_unknown status: allowed Memory protection checking: actual (secure)

Max kernel policy version: 33

Run this command to disable se-linux temporarily

[root@k8master ~]# setenforce 0

Verify whether se-linux is disabled or not to verify run this command

[root@k8master ~]# getenforce

Permissive

Now disabled se-linux permanently for this open /etc/selinux/config [root@k8master ~]# vim /etc/selinux/config { in this file you need to change SELINUX=enforcing to SELINUX=disabled }

```
# To revert back to SELinux enabled:
#
# grubby --update-kernel ALL --remove-args selinux
#
SELINUX=disabled
# SELINUXTYPE= can take one of these three values:
```

After this, we need to add a port on the firewall
As Kubernetes 1.28 needs these ports
[6443,2379,2380,10250,10251,10252,10257,10259,179] for TCP
[4789] for udp
We need to enable all these ports to enable running this command

[root@k8master ~]# firewall-cmd --add-port={6443,2379,2380,10250,10251,10252,10257,10259,179}/tcp --permanent success

[root@k8master ~]# firewall-cmd --add-port=4789/udp --permanent success
[root@k8master ~]# firewall-cmd --reload
Success

After adding ports to the firewall verify whether ports were added or not for this run of this command

[root@k8master ~]# firewall-cmd --list-all

```
[root@k8master ~]# firewall-cmd --list-all
public (active)
  target: default
  icmp-block-inversion: no
  interfaces: ens160
  sources:
  services: cockpit dhcpv6-client ssh
  ports: 6443/tcp 2379/tcp 2380/tcp 10250/tcp 10251/tcp 10252/tcp 10257/tcp 10259/tcp 179/tcp 4789/udp
  protocols:
  forward: yes
  masquerade: no
  forward-ports:
  source-ports:
  icmp-blocks:
    rich rules:
[root@k8master ~]#
```

Now we need to load a kernel module for k8s load {overlay and br\_netfilter} for load modules temporary, run this command [root@k8master ~]# modprobe overlay [root@k8master ~]# modprobe br\_netfilter

### Run this command to verify whether modules are loaded or not [root@k8master ~]# Ismod | grep br\_

br netfilter 32768 0

bridge 315392 1 br\_netfilter

[root@k8master ~]# Ismod | grep over

overlay 155648 0

### For loading modules for permanent we need to create a config file on /etc/modules-load.d this location for creating a config file run this command

In this file enter these two lines

overlay

br\_netfilter

### [root@k8master ~]# vim /etc/modules-load.d/k8s.conf

overlay

br netfilter

To verify the config file run this command

### [root@k8master ~]# cat /etc/modules-load.d/k8s.conf

overlay

br netfilter

### Now we are creating a config file for iptables for this run this command on your terminal directly

[root@k8master ~]# cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf

net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables = 1

net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-ip6tables = 1

net.ipv4.ip\_forward = 1

**EOF** 

To verify whether rules are added or not run this command [root@k8master ~]# sysctl --system

```
[root@k8master ~]# sysctl --system
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/10-default-yama-scope.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-coredump.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-default.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-libkcapi-optmem_max.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-pid-max.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-pid-max.conf ...
    * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-redhat.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/sks.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.dofs.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.dofs.conf ...
    * Applying /etc/sysctl.dofs.conf ...
```

All prerequisites for **worker and master** are fulfilled now we are moving towards installing and configuring the Kubernetes cluster...

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### **Master Node Configurations**

Run this command to install yum utilities on the master

[root@k8master ~]# yum install yum-utils -y

Removing podman [root@k8master ~]# yum remove podman -y

Adding docker repo to install container runtime in our case we are using containerd [root@k8master ~]# yum-config-manager --add-repo https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo

Adding repo from: https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo

After adding docker repo installing containerd for intsall containerd run this command

[root@k8master ~]# yum install containerd.io -y

To configure containerd run this command

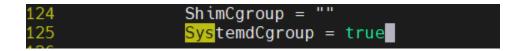
This command is for renaming the containerd config file [root@k8master ~]# mv /etc/containerd/config.toml /etc/containerd/config.toml.backup

This command is for generating new config file for containerd [root@k8master]# containerd config default > /etc/containerd/config.toml

Verify file generated or not [root@k8master]# Is /etc/containerd config.toml config.toml.backup

Now open /etc/containerd/config.toml file search SystemdCgroup line and add SystemdCgroup = true

[root@k8master ~]# vim /etc/containerd/config.toml



#### **Enabling and starting containerd**

[root@k8master ~]# systemctl enable --now containerd.service

Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/containerd.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/containerd.service.

[root@k8master ~]# systemctl restart containerd.service [root@k8master ~]# systemctl restart containerd.service

enabled

[root@k8master ~]# systemctl is-active containerd.service active

### Now configure k8s repo for v1.28 to configure run this command

For reference k8s docs

[root@k8master ~]# cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/yum.repos.d/kubernetes.repo

[kubernetes]

name=Kubernetes

baseurl=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.28/rpm/

enabled=1

gpgcheck=1

gpgkey=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.28/rpm/repodata/repomd.xml.key

exclude=kubelet kubeadm kubectl cri-tools kubernetes-cni

**EOF** 

After adding k8s repo installing kubelet,kubeadm,kubectl

[root@k8master ~]# yum install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl

--disableexcludes=kubernetes

**Enabled kubelet** 

[root@k8master ~]# systemctl enable kubelet

Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/kubelet.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/kubelet.service.

Adding user in your master node

[root@k8master ~]# useradd kiosk

[root@k8master ~]# passwd kiosk

Changing password for user kiosk.

New password:

BAD PASSWORD: The password is shorter than 8 characters

Retype new password:

passwd: all authentication tokens updated successfully.

Giving sudo access to kiosk user

[root@k8master ~]# vim /etc/sudoers

```
110 # %wheel ALL=(ALL) NOPASSWD: ALL
111 %kiosk ALL=(ALL) NOPASSWD: ALL
```

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All configurations for the master are done, now we move towards worker node configurations...

To configure worker nodes, in my case only 1 worker node is available

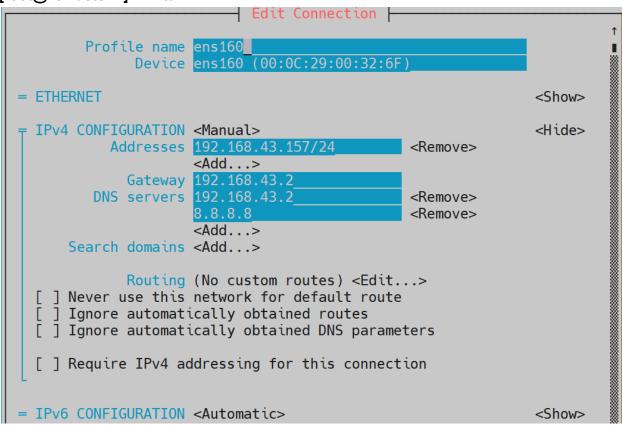
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1st we need to set our hostname on systems for this run this command

[root@k8master ~]# hostnamectl set-hostname worker1.example.com

Run this command to set static ip on your machine

### [root@k8master ~]# nmtui



After adding the network you need to configure local dns for this open /etc/hosts file and enter these lines

#### [root@worker1 ~]# vim /etc/hosts

```
[root@worker1 ~]# cat /etc/hosts
127.0.0.1 localhost localhost.localdomain localhost4 localhost4.localdomain4
::1 localhost localhost.localdomain localhost6 localhost6.localdomain6
192.168.43.156 k8master.example.com k8master
192.168.43.157 worker1.example.com worker1
```

#### Now we need to deactivate the swap space

1st we need to verify whether swap space is working or not running this command to verify

```
root@worker1 ~]# free -m
               total
                                           free
                                                       shared
                              used
                                                                buf
                 1743
                               924
                                              80
                                                           10
lem:
                                 0
                                               0
wap:
                    0
root@worker1 ~]#
```

### To disable the swap temporarily you need to run [root@worker1 ~]# swapoff -a

To disable swap permanently you need to open /etc/fstab file and comment swap entry

```
# units generated from this rite.

#
/dev/mapper/rl-root / xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=63aa319a-771c-4d57-b812-d1c51d5c34a6 /boot xfs defaults 0 0
#//dev/mapper/rl-swap none swap defaults 0 0
~
~
```

#### Now we need to disable the selinux temporarily and permanent

In this command, we check the se-linux status

### [root@worker1 ~]# sestatus

SELinux status: enabled
SELinuxfs mount: /sys/fs/selinux
SELinux root directory: /etc/selinux
Loaded policy name: targeted
Current mode: enforcing
Mode from config file: enforcing
Policy MLS status: enabled

Policy deny\_unknown status: allowed Memory protection checking: actual (secure)

Max kernel policy version: 33

Run this command to disable se-linux temporarily

[root@worker1 ~]# setenforce 0

Verify whether se-linux is disabled or not to verify run this command

### [root@worker1 ~]# getenforce

Permissive

Now disabled se-linux permanently for this open /etc/selinux/config

[root@worker1 ~]# vim /etc/selinux/config

{ in this file you need to change SELINUX=enforcing to SELINUX=disabled }

```
# To revert back to SELinux enabled:
#
# grubby --update-kernel ALL --remove-args selinux
#
SELINUX=disabled
# SELINUXTYPE= can take one of these three values:
```

After this, we need to add a port on the firewall
As Kubernetes 1.28 needs these ports for workers we need these ports only

[179,10250,30000-32767] for TCP

[4789] for udp

We need to enable all these ports to enable running this command

[root@worker1 ~]# firewall-cmd --permanent --add-port={179,10250,30000-32767}/tcp success

[root@worker1 ~]# firewall-cmd --permanent --add-port=4789/udp success

[root@worker1 ~]# firewall-cmd --reload

Success

After adding ports to the firewall verify whether ports were added or not for this run of this command

[root@worker1 ~]# firewall-cmd --list-all

```
[root@worker1 ~]# ^C
[root@worker1 ~]# firewall-cmd --list-all
public (active)
  target: default
  icmp-block-inversion: no
  interfaces: ens160
  sources:
  services: cockpit dhcpv6-client ssh
  ports: 179/tcp 10250/tcp 30000-32767/tcp 4789/udp
  protocols:
  forward: yes
  masquerade: no
  forward-ports:
  source-ports:
  icmp-blocks:
  rich rules:
```

Now we need to load a kernel module for k8s load {overlay and br\_netfilter} for load modules temporary, run this command

[root@worker1 ~]# modprobe overlay [root@worker1 ~]# modprobe br\_netfilter Run this command to verify whether modules are loaded or not [root@worker1 ~]# Ismod | grep br\_

br netfilter 32768 0

bridge 315392 1 br\_netfilter

### [root@worker1 ~]# Ismod | grep over

overlay 155648 0

For loading modules for permanent we need to create a config file on /etc/modules-load.d this location for creating a config file run this command

In this file enter these two lines overlay br netfilter

[root@worker1 ~]# vim /etc/modules-load.d/k8s.conf

overlay br netfilter

To verify the config file run this command [root@worker1 ~]# cat /etc/modules-load.d/k8s.conf

overlay

br\_netfilter

Now we are creating a config file for iptables for this run this command on your terminal directly

[root@worker1 ~]# cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/sysctl.d/k8s.conf net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-iptables = 1 net.bridge.bridge-nf-call-ip6tables = 1 net.ipv4.ip\_forward = 1 EOF

### To verify whether rules are added or not run this command [root@worker1 ~]# sysctl --system

```
[root@k8master ~]# sysctl --system
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/10-default-yama-scope.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-coredump.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-default.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-libkcapi-optmem_max.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-pid-max.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/50-pid-max.conf ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.d/99-sysctl.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/99-sysctl.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/99-sysctl.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/98-sysctl.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/sks.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.d/sks.conf ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.dof ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.dof ...
  * Applying /etc/sysctl.dof ...
  * Applying /usr/lib/sysctl.dof ...
  * Applying /usr/li
```

All prerequisites for **worker and master both** are fulfilled now we are moving towards installing and configuring the Kubernetes worker node ...

### **Worker Node Configurations**

Run this command to install yum utilities on the worker node

[root@worker1 ~]# yum install yum-utils -y

Removing podman [root@worker1 ~]# yum remove podman -y

Adding docker repo to install container runtime in our case we are using containerd [root@worker1 ~]# yum-config-manager --add-repo https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo

Adding repo from: https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo

After adding the docker repo and installing containerd for installing containerd run this command

[root@worker1 ~]# yum install containerd.io -y

To configure containerd run this command

This command is for renaming the containerd config file [root@worker1 ~]# mv /etc/containerd/config.toml /etc/containerd/config.toml.backup

This command is for generating a new config file for containerd [root@worker1 ~]# containerd config default > /etc/containerd/config.toml

Verify file is generated or not [root@worker1 ~]# Is /etc/containerd config.toml config.toml.backup

Now open /etc/containerd/config.toml file search SystemdCgroup line and add SystemdCgroup = true

[root@worker1 ~]# vim /etc/containerd/config.toml

```
ShimCgroup = ""

SystemdCgroup = true
```

#### **Enabling and starting containerd**

### [root@worker1 ~]#systemctl enable --now containerd.service

Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/containerd.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/containerd.service.

[root@worker1 ~]# systemctl restart containerd.service

[root@worker1 ~]# systemctl is-enabled containerd.service

enabled

[root@worker1 ~]# systemctl is-active containerd.service

active

### Now configure the k8s repo for v1.28 to configure and run this command

For reference <u>k8s docs</u>

[root@worker1 ~]# cat <<EOF | sudo tee /etc/yum.repos.d/kubernetes.repo

[kubernetes]

name=Kubernetes

baseurl=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.28/rpm/

enabled=1

gpgcheck=1

gpgkey=https://pkgs.k8s.io/core:/stable:/v1.28/rpm/repodata/repomd.xml.key

exclude=kubelet kubeadm kubectl cri-tools kubernetes-cni

**EOF** 

After adding k8s repo installing kubelet,kubeadm,kubectl

[root@worker1 ~]# yum install -y kubelet kubeadm kubectl --disableexcludes=kubernetes

### **Enabled kubelet**

[root@worker1 ~]# systemctl enable kubelet

Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/kubelet.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/kubelet.service.

=======Worker node configuration finishd=======

### [root@k8master ~]# kubeadm init

After completing this command you will get this type of output on your terminal

To start using your cluster, you need to run the following as a regular user:

mkdir -p \$HOME/.kube sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf \$HOME/.kube/config sudo chown \$(id -u):\$(id -g) \$HOME/.kube/config

Alternatively, if you are the root user, you can run: export KUBECONFIG=/etc/kubernetes/admin.conf

You should now deploy a pod network to the cluster.

Run "kubectl apply -f [podnetwork].yaml" with one of the options listed at:

https://kubernetes.io/docs/concepts/cluster-administration/addons/

Then you can join any number of worker nodes by running the following on each as root:

kubeadm join 192.168.43.156:6443 --token epiv7r.q6nkchryz72ar9jl \
--discovery-token-ca-cert-hash sha256:e14c31f6d21c9495b4ddf941d9cacbb63ac7220e
2d364d8baee624af422d0713

Save this output to your notepad file this is very important of do not forget to save this

Before joining worker nodes run this commands on master node as kiosk user [kiosk@k8master ~]\$ mkdir -p \$HOME/.kube

[kiosk@k8master ~]\$ sudo cp -i /etc/kubernetes/admin.conf \$HOME/.kube/config

[kiosk@k8master ~]\$ sudo chown \$(id -u):\$(id -g) \$HOME/.kube/config

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After finishing worker node configuration go to your master node and setup calico (CNI Plugin) for network

For setting calico plugin you need to download calico release v3.26.3

To download calico v3.26.3 Go to this link and download release-v3.26.3.tgz this file

https://github.com/projectcalico/calico/releases/tag/v3.26.3

### Or

# Run this command on your master node with kiosk user [kiosk@k8master ~]\$ wget https://github.com/projectcalico/calico/releases/download/v3.26.3/release-v3.26.3.tgz

#### To initialize cluster run this command on master node

After downloading this file extract this file, for extracting run this command [kiosk@k8master ~]\$ tar -xvf /home/kiosk/release-v3.26.3

Verify file is extracted or not to verify run this command [kiosk@k8master ~]\$ ls release-v3.26.3 release-v3.26.3.tgz

### After this go to this path

[kiosk@k8master ~]\$ cd release-v3.26.3/ [kiosk@k8master release-v3.26.3]\$ Is bin images manifests [kiosk@k8master release-v3.26.3]\$ cd manifests/ [kiosk@k8master manifests]\$

### Verify that your in right location

[kiosk@k8master manifests]\$ pwd /home/kiosk/release-v3.26.3/manifests

After this run this command on master node only [do not run this command on worker node]

[kiosk@k8master manifests]\$ kubectl apply -f /home/kiosk/release-v3.26.3/manifests/calico.yaml After setting Calico we are going to initialize our k8s cluster

After we need to join our worker node to master node

For joining our run this command to your worker node as root in my case my token is different from yours

[root@worker1 ~]# kubeadm join 192.168.43.156:6443 --token epiv7r.q6nkchryz72ar9jl \
--discovery-token-ca-cert-hash
sha256:e14c31f6d21c9495b4ddf941d9cacbb63ac7220e 2d364d8baee624af422d0713

## Run this commands to verify you cluster [kiosk@k8master]\$ kubectl get pods --all-namespaces

[kiosk@k8master]\$ kubectl get nodes

NAME STATUS ROLES AGE VERSION

k8master.example.com Ready control-plane 72m v1.28.4

worker1.example.com Ready<none> 45m v1.28.4

=======END============