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Kubernetes: Beyond Minikube

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Who are we?

Introducing myself and introducing OVH OVHcloud



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OVHcloud: A Global Leader

250k Private cloud VMs running

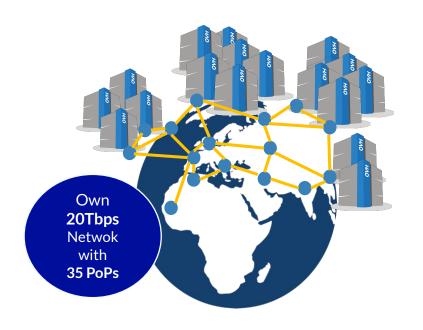


Dedicated IaaS Europe

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Hosting capacity: **1.3M** Physical
Servers

360k Servers already deployed



30 Datacenters

> 1.3M Customers in 138 Countries



OVHcloud: Our solutions







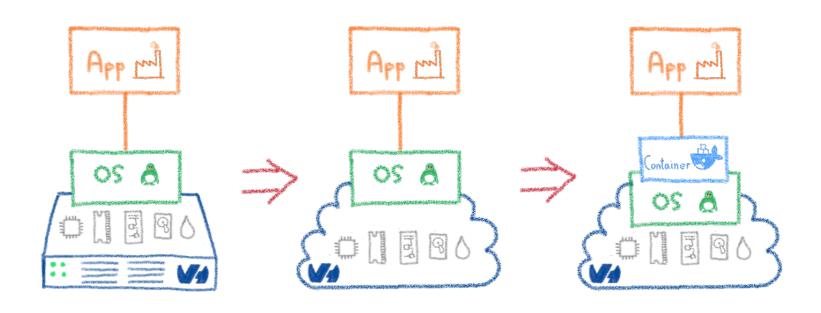


Orchestrating containers

Like herding cats... but in hard mode!

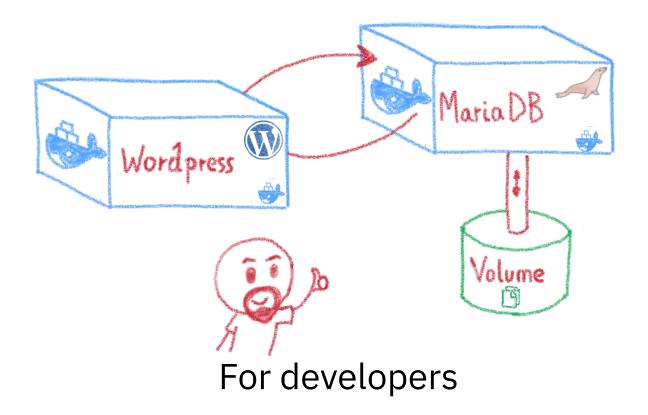


From bare metal to containers

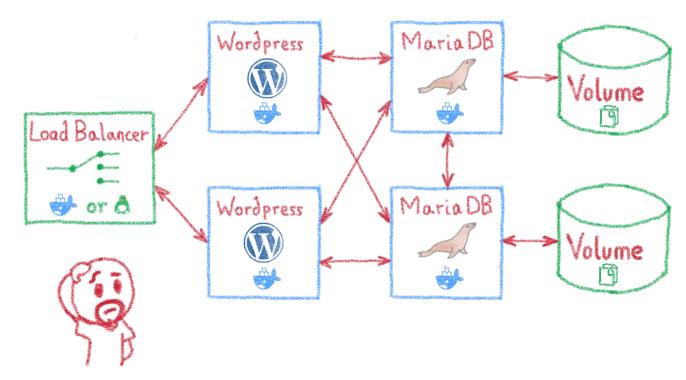


Another paradigm shift

Containers are easy...

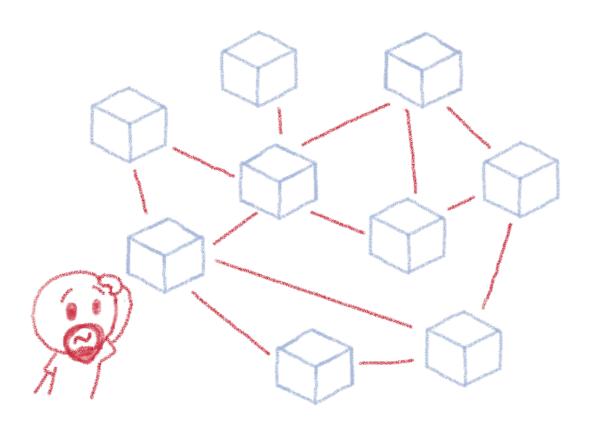


Less simple if you must operate them



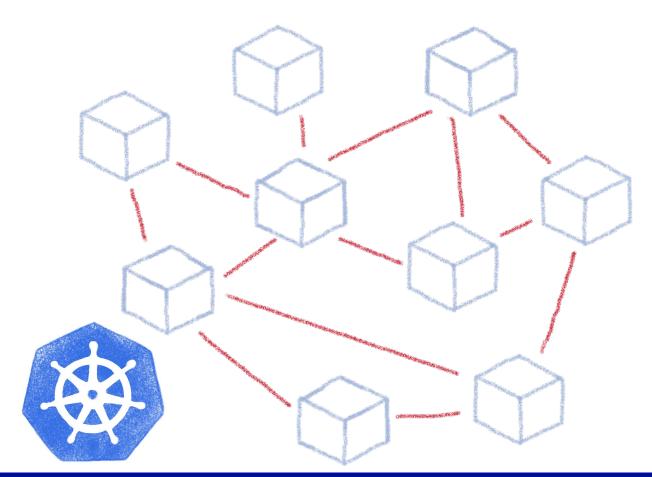
Like in a production context

And what about microservices?



Are you sure you want to operate them by hand?

Taming microservices with Kubernetes

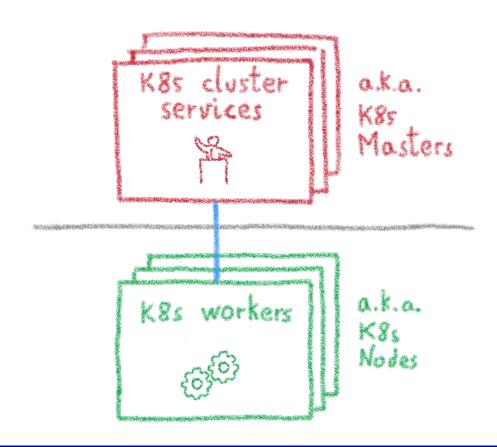


Kubernetes

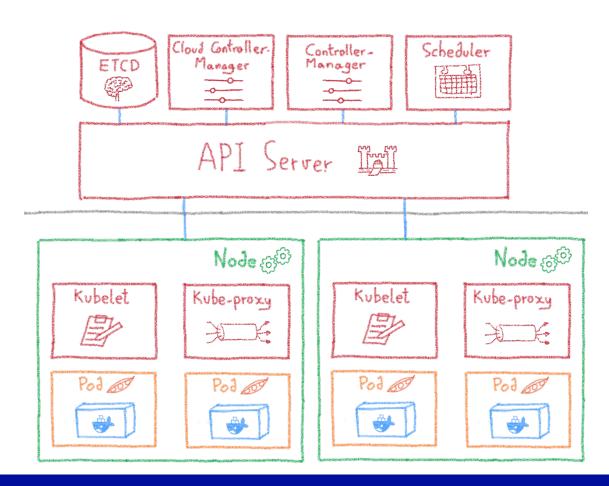
Way more than a buzzword!



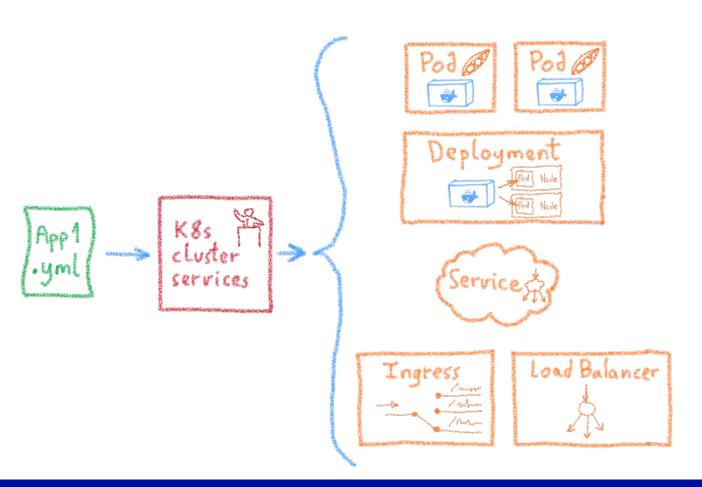
Masters and nodes



Some more details



Desired State Management



Ingress

Services

Deployments

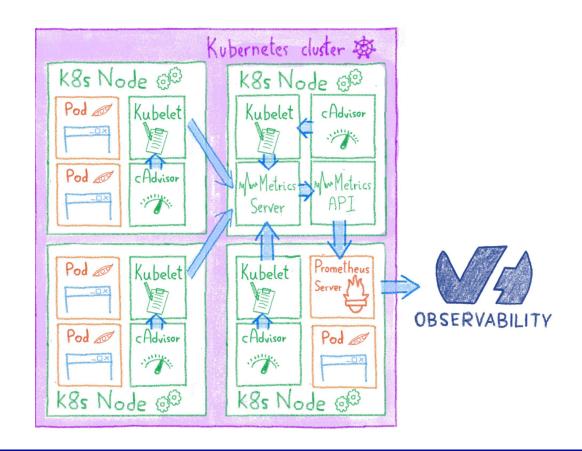
Pods

Sidecars

Replica Sets

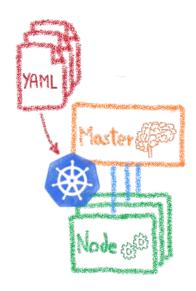


Extending Kubernetes

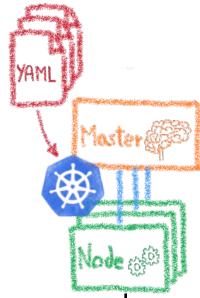


Multi-environment made easy

Dev, staging, prod, multi-cloud...

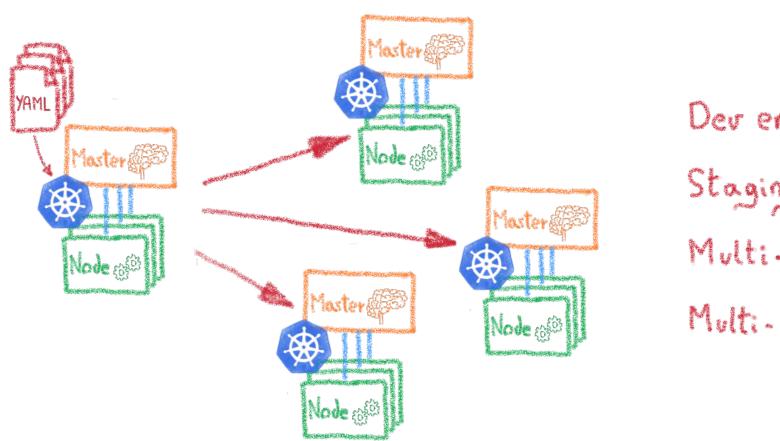


Declarative infrastructure



Multi-environment made easy

Having identical, software defined envs



Devienvs

Staging

Multi-cluster

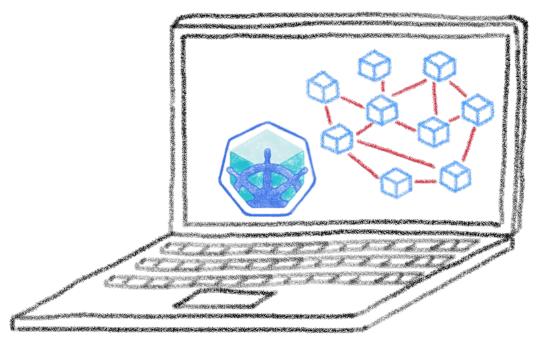
Multi-cloud

I have deployed on Minikube, woah!

A great fastlane into Kubernetes

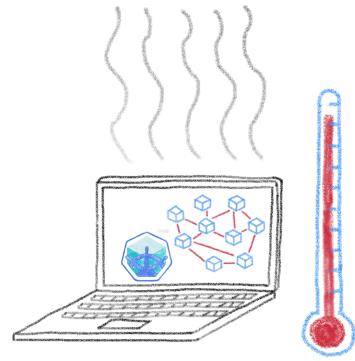


Running a full K8s in your laptop



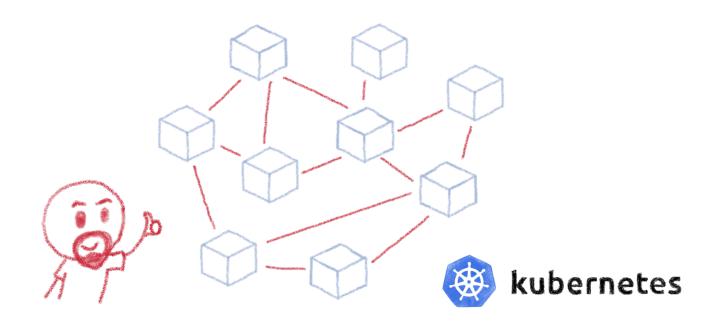
A great learning tool

Your laptop isn't a true cluster



Don't expect real performances

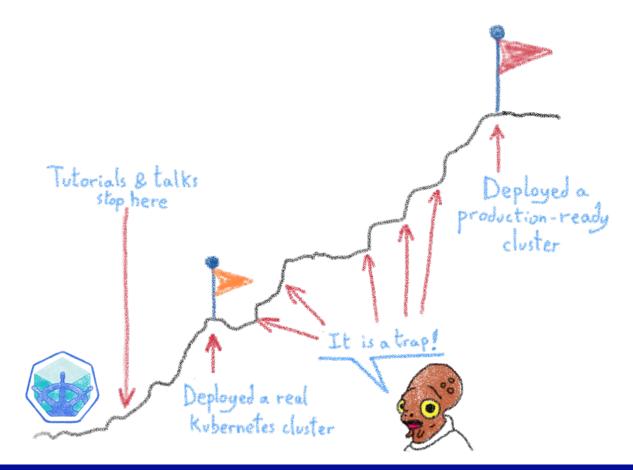
Beyond the first deployment



So I have deployed my distributed architecture on K8s, everything is good now, isn't it?



Minikube is only the beginning

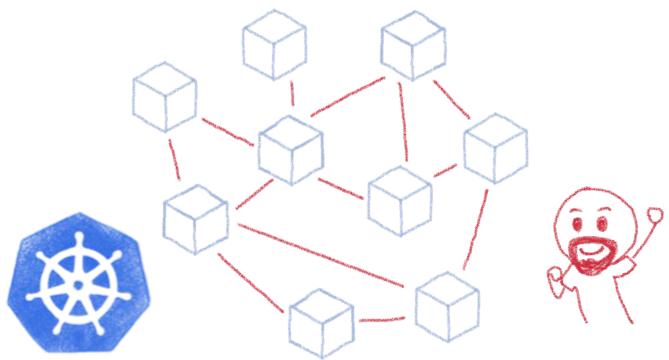


From Minikube to prod

A journey not for the faint of heart

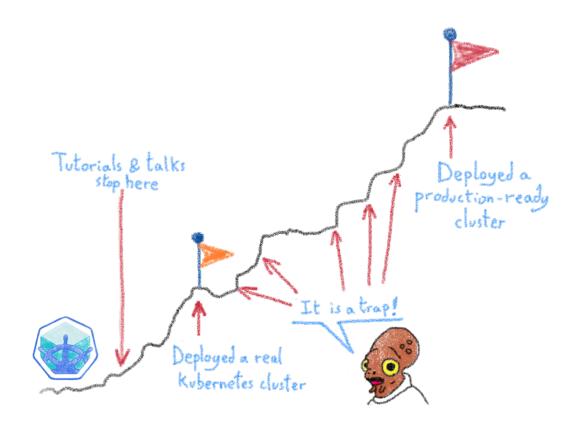


Kubernetes can be wonderful



For both developers and devops

But it comes with a price...



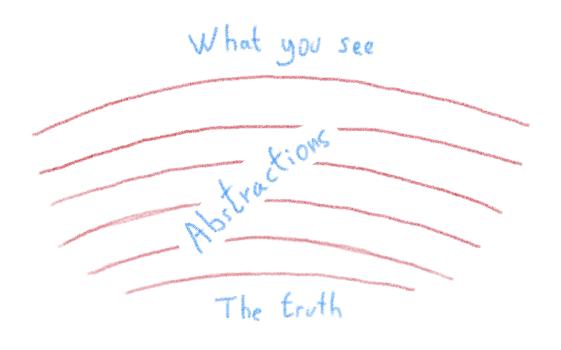
Describing some of those traps



To ease and empower your path to production

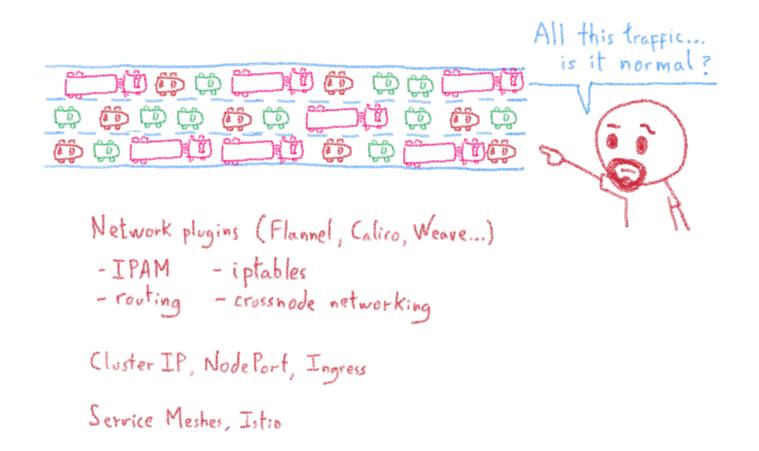


The truth is somewhere inside...

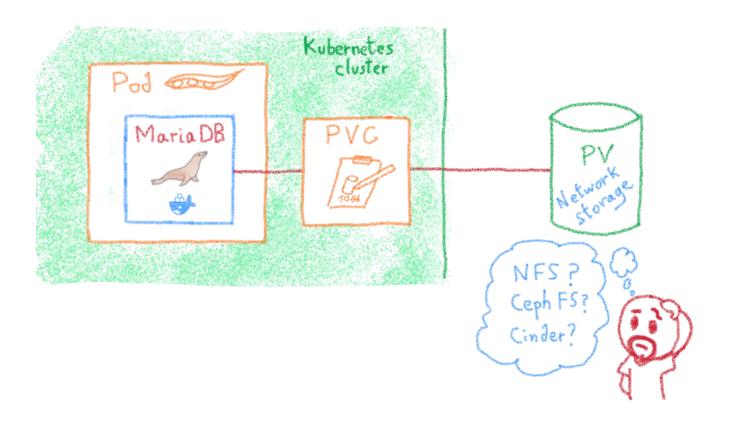




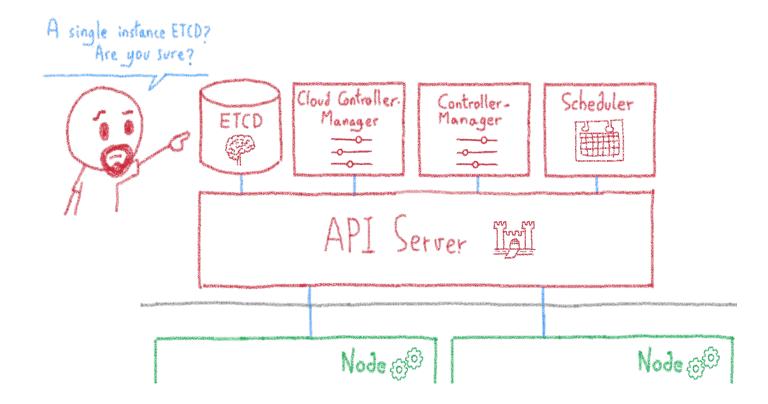
The network is going to feel it...



The storage dilemma



The ETCD vulnerability



Security

Hardening your Kubernetes



The security journey

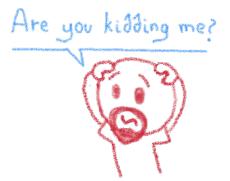


Open ports (e.g. etcd 2379/TCP)

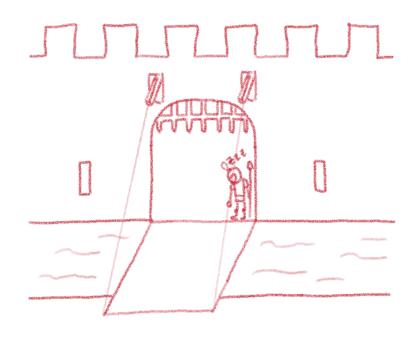
Kubernetes API (e.g. Tesla hacking)

Exploits (lots of CVES)

RBAC (e.g. badly defined roles)



Kubernetes is insecure by design



It's a feature, not a bug.
Up to K8s admin to secure it according to needs

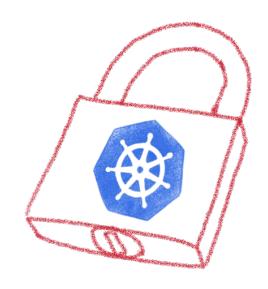


Not everybody has the same security needs





Kubernetes allows to enforce security practices as needed

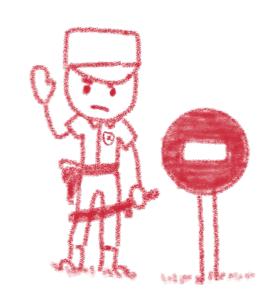


Listing some good practices

- · Close open access
- · Define and implement RBAC
- · Define and implement Network Policies
- · Isolate sensitive worklands



Close open access

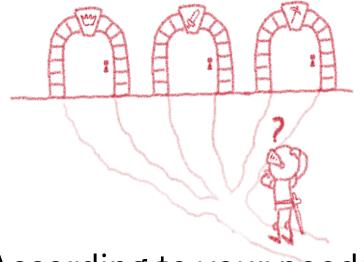


Close all by default, open only the needed ports Follow the least privileged principle



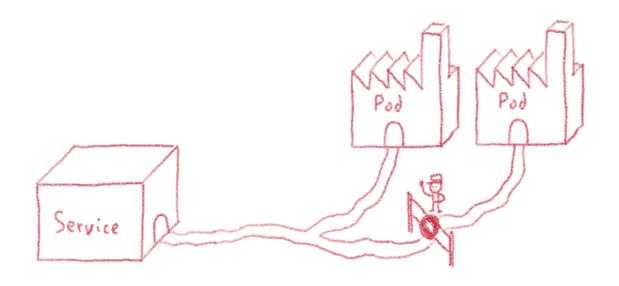
Define and implement RBAC

RBAC: Role-Based Access Control



According to your needs

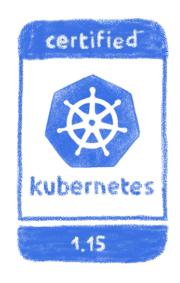
Define and implement network policies



Use RBAC and Network Policies to isolate your sensitive workload



Always keep up to date



Both Kubernetes and plugins



And remember, even the best can get hacked



One of Tesla's cluster got hacked via an unprotected K8s API endpoint, and was used to mine cryptocurrency...

Remain attentive, don't get too confident

Extensibility

Enhance your Kubernetes



Kubernetes is modular



Let's see how some of those plugins can help you

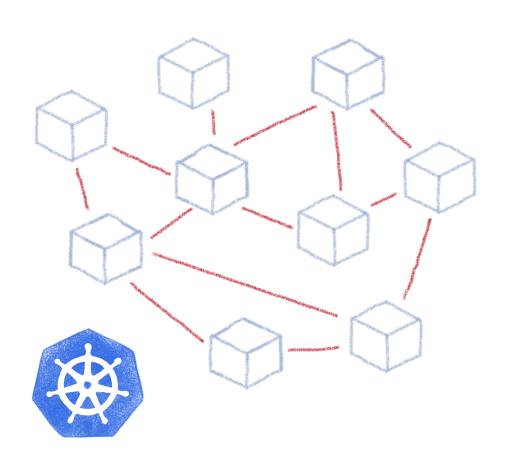


Helm

A package management for K8s



Complex deployments



Lingress

Services

Deployments

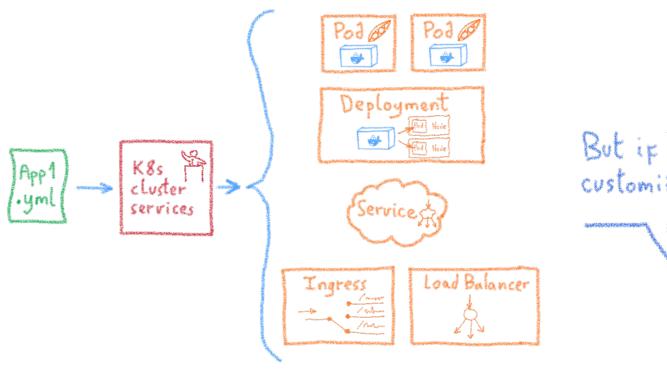
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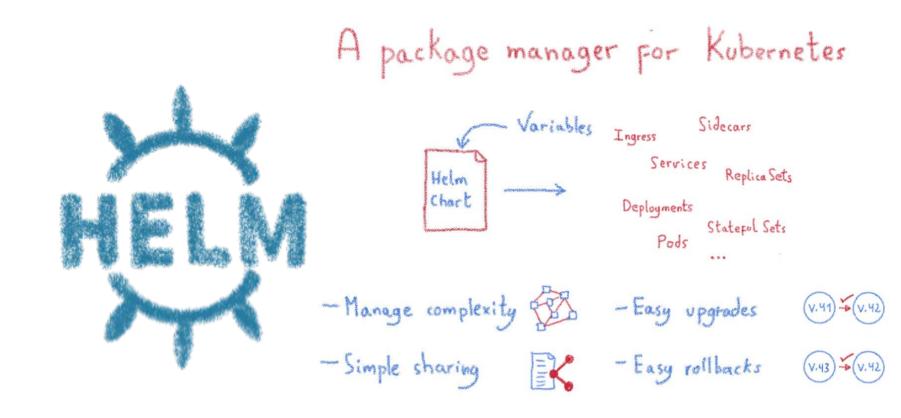
Replica Sets Stateful Sets

Using static YAML files





Complex deployments

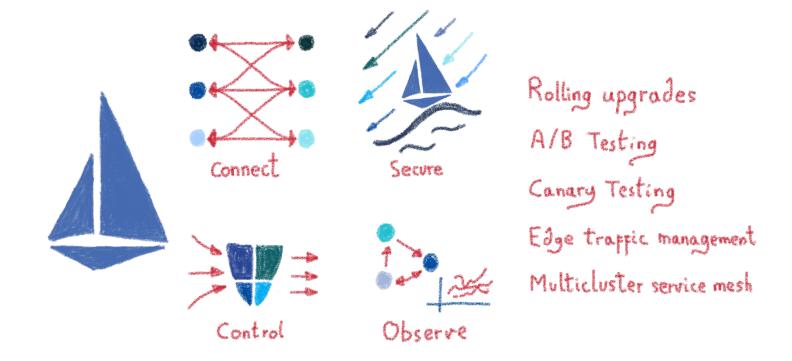


Istio

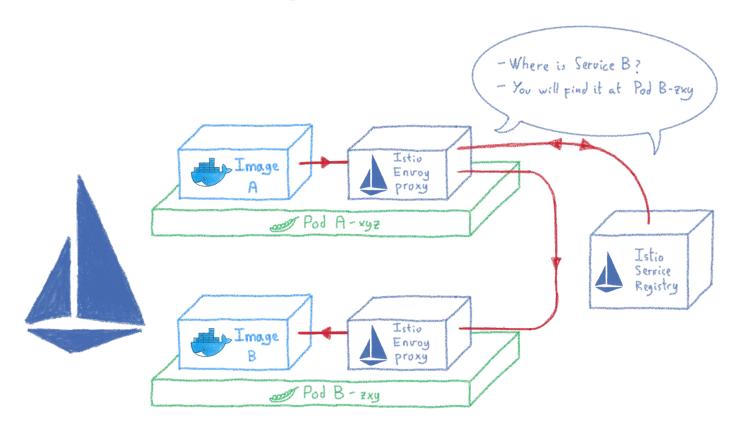
A service mesh for Kubernetes... and much more!



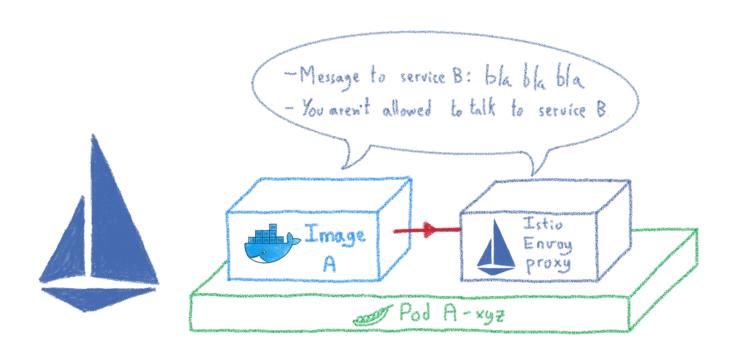
Istio: A service mesh but not only



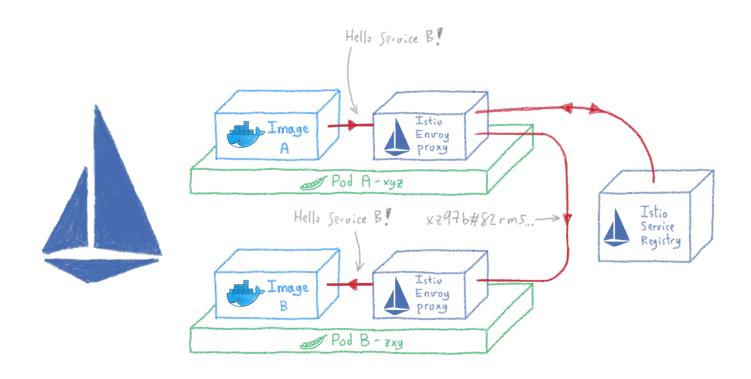
Service discovery



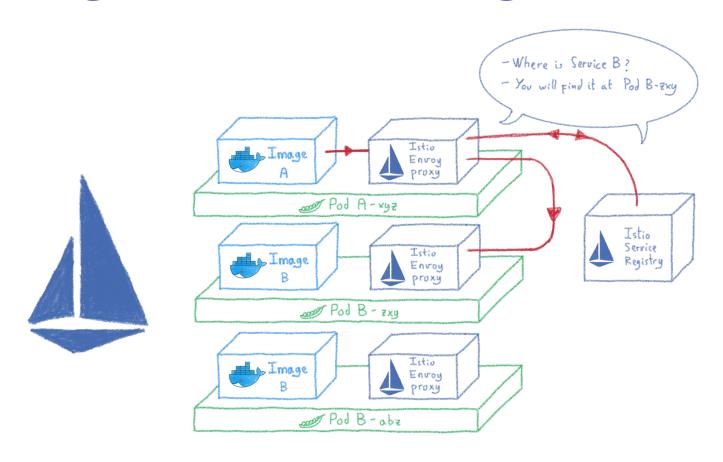
Traffic control

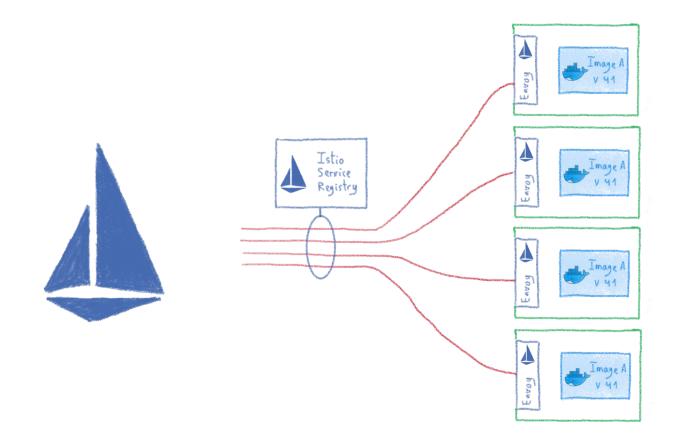


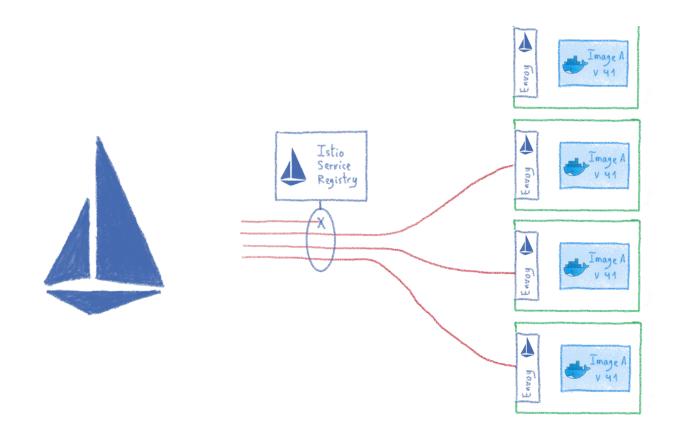
Encrypting internal communications

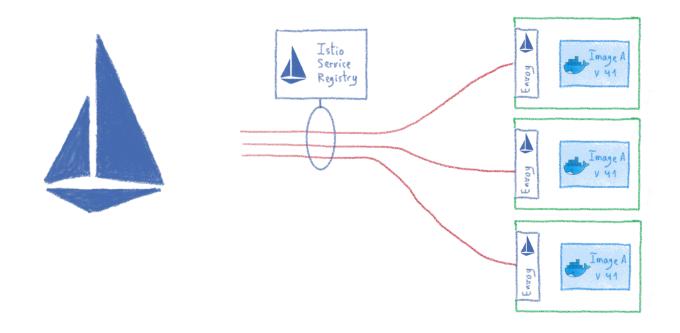


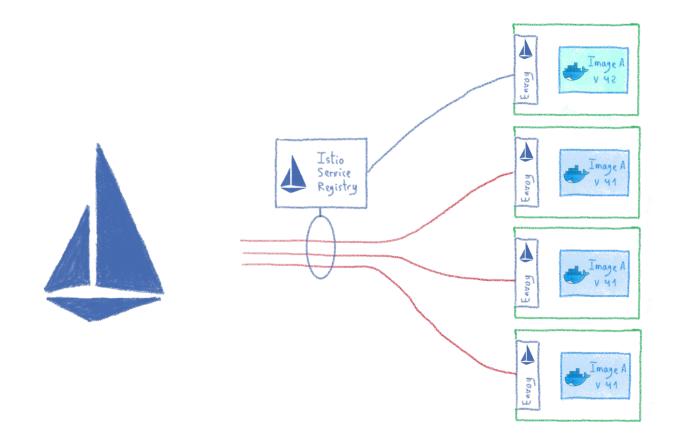
Routing and load balancing

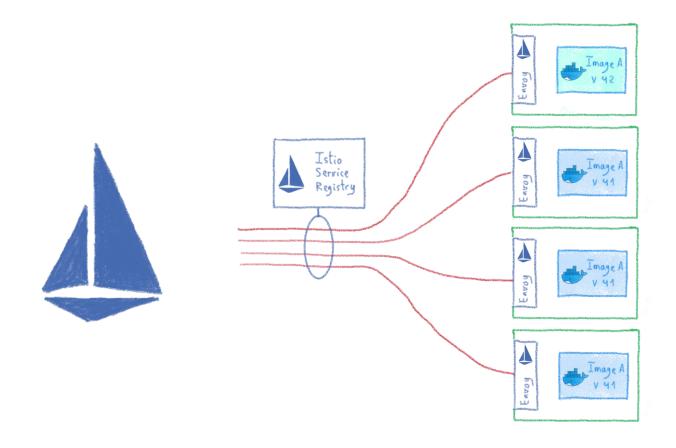


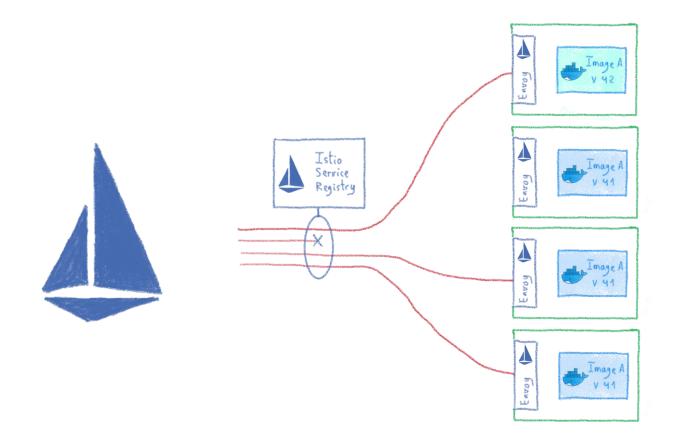


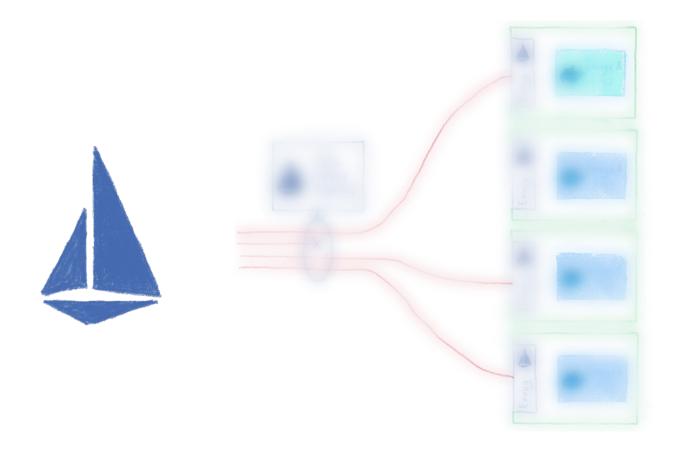


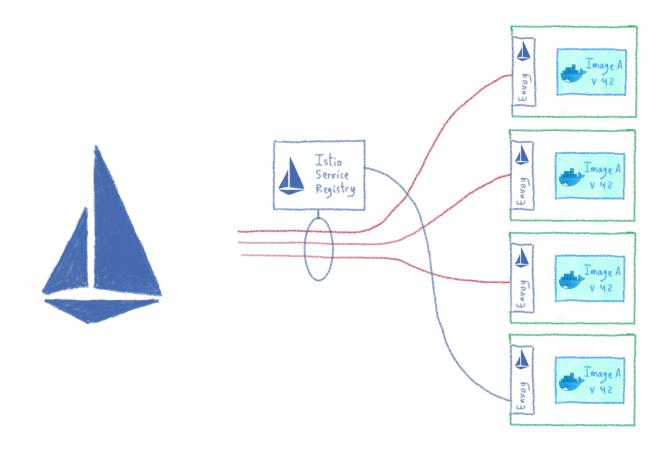


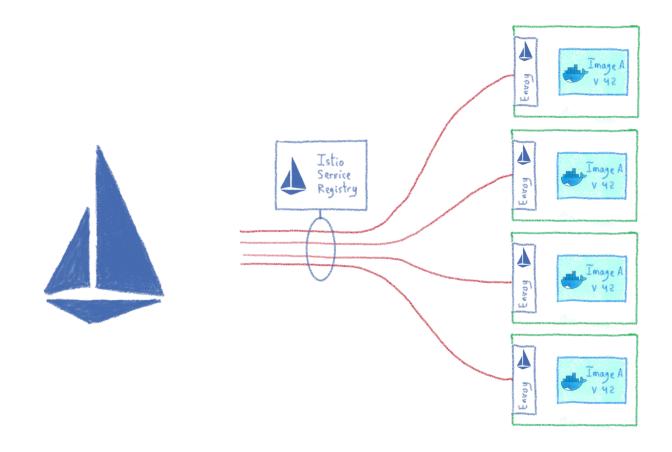




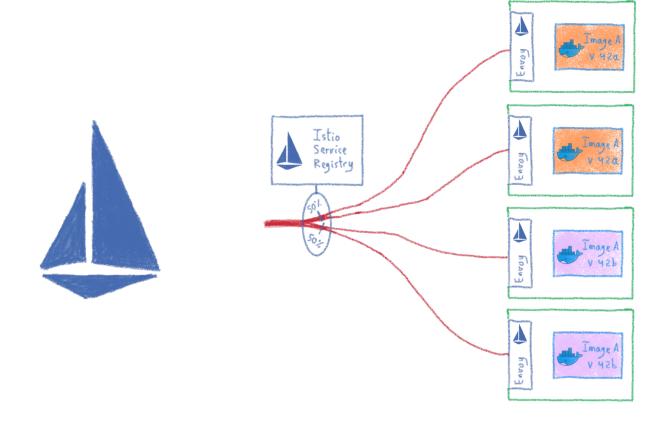








A/B testing



Monitoring your cluster

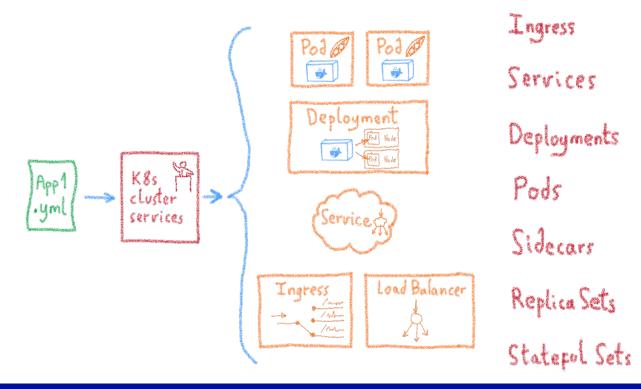


Velero

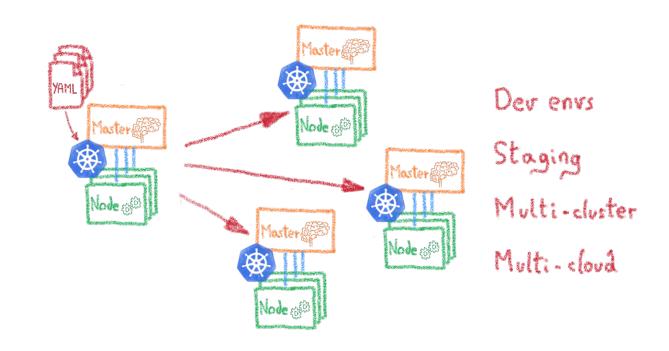
Backing up your Kubernetes



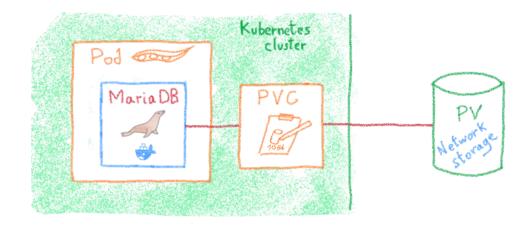
Kubernetes: Desired State Management



YAML files allows to clone a cluster



But what about the data?





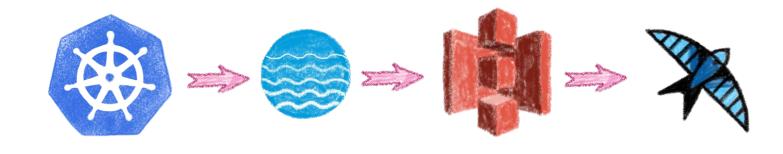
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Backup and migrate Kubernetes applications and their persistent volumes



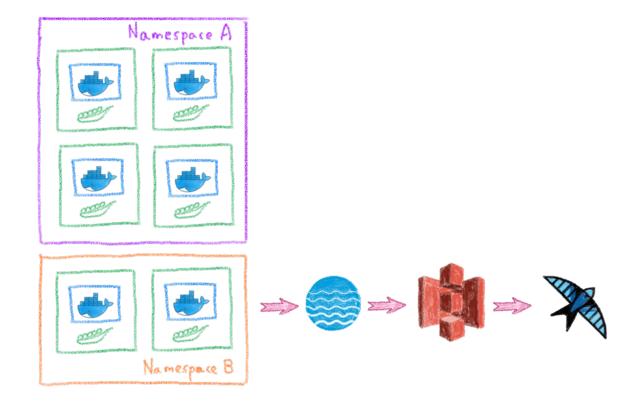
S3 based backup



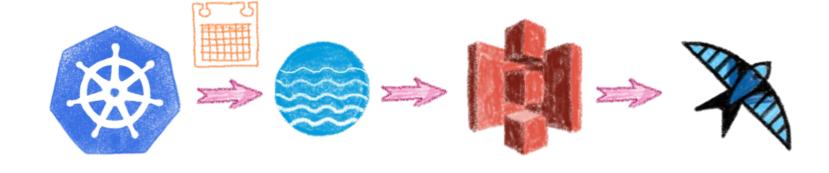
On any S3 protocol compatible store



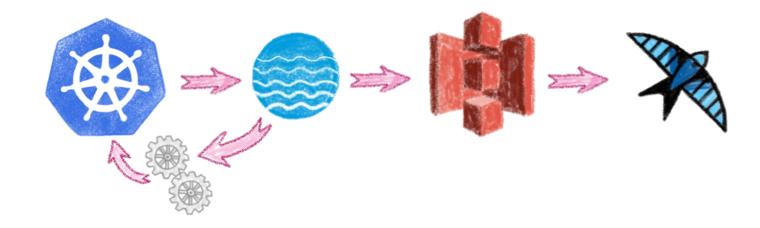
Backup all or part of a cluster



Schedule backups



Backups hooks

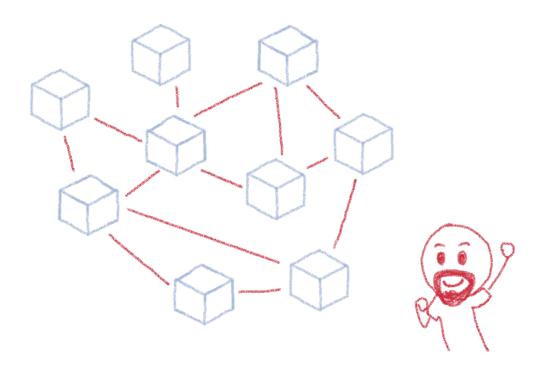


Conclusion

And one more thing...



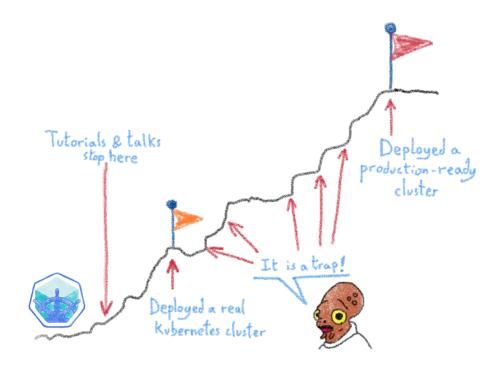
Kubernetes is powerful



It can make Developers' and DevOps' lives easier



But there is a price: operating it



Lot of things to think about



We have seen some of them



One more thing...

Who should do what?











Different roles







Each role asks for very different knowledge and skill sets



Most companies don't need to operate the clusters





As they don't build and rack their own servers!



If you don't need to build it, choose a certified managed solution



You get the cluster, the operator get the problems



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Thank you for listening

