

# What's New in Kubernetes

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# **Kubernetes 1.16**

### • 31 enhancements

- 8 moving to Stable
- 8 in Beta
- 15 in Alpha

## • Highlights

- CSI enhancements
- CRDs reach GA
- Admission webhooks reach GA
- Metrics overhaul

# **CSI Enhancements**

- Resizing support graduates to Beta
- Specify another PVC as a "DataSource" so the new volume becomes a clone of the source volume
- Inline volume support graduates to Beta

# **Windows Support**

- kubeadm support added for Windows
- Windows nodes can now use existing CSI plugins
- Active Directory Group Managed Service Account (GMSA) support is graduating to Beta
- RunAsUserName support

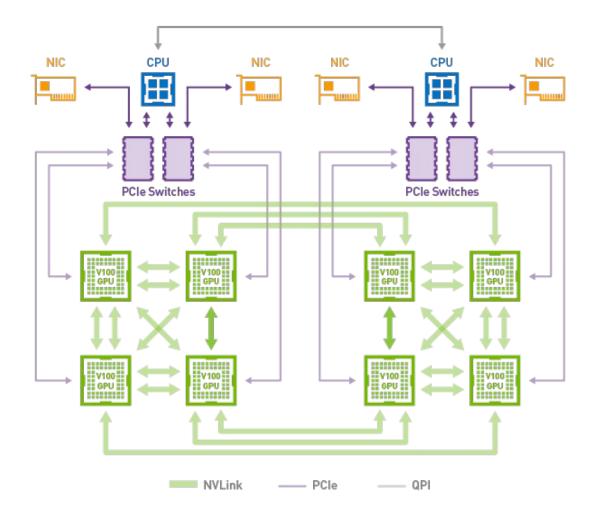
# **Ephemeral Containers**

- Pods are immutable but you can attach an ephemeral container to a running pod!
- When `kubectl exec` isn't enough

- Useful to combine with process namespace sharing
- Can use a kubectl plugin to do something like: kubectl debug my-debug-container
  --image debian --attach

# Node Topology Manager

Useful for high performance computing and machine learning workloads!



# **Cloud Providers**

- Cloud providers are moving out-of-tree to enable faster iteration cycles
- Finalizer protection for service LoadBalancers graduates to Beta, preventing orphaned resources
- Azure availability zones support graduates to Stable, with topology awareness for disk provisioning

# **Other Notable Features**

- IPv4/IPv6 dual-stack support!
- More scalable endpoints API
- Pod topology spread constraints

# **Thank You Contributors!**

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### 32,000 individual contributors to date

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