

Linux-Foundation

Exam Questions CKS

Certified Kubernetes Security Specialist (CKS) Exam



NEW QUESTION 1

Given an existing Pod named test-web-pod running in the namespace test-system

Edit the existing Role bound to the Pod's Service Account named sa-backend to only allow performing get operations on endpoints.

Create a new Role named test-system-role-2 in the namespace test-system, which can perform patch operations, on resources of type statefulsets.

Create a new RoleBinding named test-system-role-2-binding binding the newly created Role to the Pod's ServiceAccount sa-backend.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Send us your feedback on this.

NEW QUESTION 2

Enable audit logs in the cluster, To Do so, enable the log backend, and ensure that

- * 1. logs are stored at /var/log/kubernetes-logs.txt.
- * 2. Log files are retained for 12 days.
- * 3. at maximum, a number of 8 old audit logs files are retained.
- * 4. set the maximum size before getting rotated to 200MB

Edit and extend the basic policy to log:

- * 1. namespaces changes at RequestResponse
- * 2. Log the request body of secrets changes in the namespace kube-system.
- * 3. Log all other resources in core and extensions at the Request level.
- * 4. Log "pods/portforward", "services/proxy" at Metadata level.
- * 5. Omit the Stage RequestReceived

All other requests at the Metadata level

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Kubernetes auditing provides a security-relevant chronological set of records about a cluster. Kube-apiserver performs auditing. Each request on each stage of its execution generates an event, which is then pre-processed according to a certain policy and written to a backend. The policy determines what's recorded and the backends persist the records.

You might want to configure the audit log as part of compliance with the CIS (Center for Internet Security) Kubernetes Benchmark controls.

The audit log can be enabled by default using the following configuration in cluster.yml:

```
services:
  kube-api:
    audit_log:
      enabled:true
```

When the audit log is enabled, you should be able to see the default values at

/etc/kubernetes/audit-policy.yaml

The log backend writes audit events to a file in JSONlines format. You can configure the log audit backend using the following kube-apiserver flags:

- --audit-log-path specifies the log file path that log backend uses to write audit events. Not specifying thi flag disables log backend. - means standard out
- --audit-log-maxbackup defines the maximum number of audit log files to retain
- --audit-log-maxsize defines the maximum size in megabytes of the audit log file before it gets rotated

If your cluster's control plane runs the kube-apiserver as a Pod, remember to mount the location of the policy file and log file, so that audit records are persisted.

For example:-hostPath-to the

--audit-policy-file=/etc/kubernetes/audit-policy.yaml\

--audit-log-path=/var/log/audit.log-

NEW QUESTION 3

Use the kubesecc docker images to scan the given YAML manifest, edit and apply the advised changes, and passed with a score of 4 points.

kubesecc-test.yaml

apiVersion: v1

kind: Pod

metadata:

name: kubesecc-demo

spec:

containers:

- name: kubesecc-demo

image: gcr.io/google-samples/node-hello:1.0

securityContext:

readOnlyRootFilesystem:true

Hint: docker run -i kubesecc/kubesecc:512c5e0 scan /dev/stdin< kubesecc-test.yaml

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Send us your feedback on it.

NEW QUESTION 4

A container image scanner is set up on the cluster. Given an incomplete configuration in the directory /etc/kubernetes/confcontrol and a functional container image scanner with HTTPS endpoint https://test-server.local.8081/image_policy

- * 1. Enable the admission plugin.
- * 2. Validate the control configuration and change it to implicit deny.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Finally, test the configuration by deploying the pod having the image tag as latest. Send us your Feedback on this.

NEW QUESTION 5

- * a. Retrieve the content of the existing secret named default-token-xxxxx in the testing namespace. Store the value of the token in the token.txt
 - * b. Create a new secret named test-db-secret in the DB namespace with the following content: username: mysql password: password@123
- Create the Pod name test-db-pod of image nginx in the namespace db that can access test-db-secret via a volume at path /etc/mysql-credentials

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

To add a Kubernetes cluster to your project, group, or instance:

Navigate to your:

Project's Operations > Kubernetes

page, for a project-level cluster.

Group's Kubernetes

page, for a group-level cluster.

Admin Area > Kubernetes

page, for an instance-level cluster.

Click Add Kubernetes cluster.

Click the Add existing cluster

tab and fill in the details:

Kubernetes cluster name (required) - The name you wish to give the cluster.

Environment scope (required) - The associated environment to this cluster.

API URL (required) - It's the URL that GitLab uses to access the Kubernetes API. Kubernetes exposes several APIs, we want the "base" URL that is common to all of them. For

example, https://kubernetes.example.com rather than https://kubernetes.example.com/api/v1.

Get the API URL by running this command:

```
kubectl cluster-info | grep -E 'Kubernetes master|Kubernetes control plane' | awk '/http/ {print $NF}'
```

CA certificate (required) - A valid Kubernetes certificate is needed to authenticate to the cluster.

We use the certificate created by default.

List the secrets with kubectl get secrets, and one should be named similar to default-token-xxxxx. Copy that token name for use below.

Get the certificate by running this command: kubectl get secret <secret name>-ojsonpath="{['data']['ca.crt']}"

NEW QUESTION 6

Before Making any changes build the Dockerfile with tag base:v1 Now Analyze and edit the given Dockerfile(based on ubuntu 16:04)

Fixing two instructions present in the file, Check from Security Aspect and Reduce Size point of view.

Dockerfile:

```
FROM ubuntu:latest
```

```
RUN apt-getupdate -y
```

```
RUN apt install nginx -y
```

```
COPY entrypoint.sh /
```

```
RUN useradd ubuntu
```

```
ENTRYPOINT ["/entrypoint.sh"]
```

```
USER ubuntu
```

```
entrypoint.sh
```

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo "Hello from CKS"
```

After fixing the Dockerfile, build the docker-image with the tag base:v2 To Verify: Check the size of the image before and after the build.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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NEW QUESTION 10

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