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#### **Abstract**

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#### **PREFACE**

Learn how to use both the OpenShift command-line interface and web console to install Red Hat OpenShift Al Self-Managed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster in a disconnected environment. To uninstall the product, learn how to use the recommended command-line interface (CLI) method.



#### **NOTE**

Red Hat recommends that you install only one instance of OpenShift AI on your cluster.

Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator on the same cluster as the Red Hat OpenShift Al Add-on is not recommended or supported.

### CHAPTER 1. ARCHITECTURE OF OPENSHIFT AI SELF-MANAGED

Red Hat OpenShift Al Self-Managed is an Operator that is available on a self-managed environment, such as Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform.

OpenShift AI integrates the following components and services:

• At the service layer:

#### OpenShift AI dashboard

A customer-facing dashboard that shows available and installed applications for the OpenShift Al environment as well as learning resources such as tutorials, quick starts, and documentation. Administrative users can access functionality to manage users, clusters, notebook images, accelerator profiles, and model-serving runtimes. Data scientists can use the dashboard to create projects to organize their data science work.

#### Model serving

Data scientists can deploy trained machine-learning models to serve intelligent applications in production. After deployment, applications can send requests to the model using its deployed API endpoint.

#### Data science pipelines

Data scientists can build portable machine learning (ML) workflows with Data Science Pipelines 2.0, using Docker containers. With data science pipelines, data scientists can automate workflows as they develop their data science models.

#### Jupyter (self-managed)

A self-managed application that allows data scientists to configure their own notebook server environment and develop machine learning models in JupyterLab.

#### Distributed workloads

Data scientists can use multiple nodes in parallel to train machine-learning models or process data more quickly. This approach significantly reduces the task completion time, and enables the use of larger datasets and more complex models.

At the management layer:

#### The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator

A meta-operator that deploys and maintains all components and sub-operators that are part of OpenShift AI.

#### Monitoring services

Prometheus gathers metrics from OpenShift AI for monitoring purposes.

When you install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator in the OpenShift Container Platform cluster, the following new projects are created:

- The **redhat-ods-operator** project contains the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- The **redhat-ods-applications** project installs the dashboard and other required components of OpenShift Al.
- The **redhat-ods-monitoring** project contains services for monitoring.
- The **rhods-notebooks** project is where notebook environments are deployed by default.

You or your data scientists must create additional projects for the applications that will use your machine learning models.

Do not install independent software vendor (ISV) applications in namespaces associated with OpenShift AI

#### **CHAPTER 2. UNDERSTANDING UPDATE CHANNELS**

You can use update channels to specify which Red Hat OpenShift AI minor version you intended to update your Operator to. Update channels also allow you to choose the timing and level of support your updates have through the **fast**, **stable**, **stable-x.y** eus-x.y, and **alpha** channel options.

The subscription of an installed Operator specifies the update channel, which is used to track and receive updates for the Operator. You can change the update channel to start tracking and receiving updates from a newer channel. For more information about the release frequency and the lifecycle associated with each of the available update channels, see Red Hat OpenShift AI Self-Managed Life Cycle.

Chann el	Support	Releas e freque ncy	Recommended environment
fast	One month of full support	Every month	Production environments with access to the latest product features.  Select this streaming channel with automatic updates to avoid manually upgrading every month.
stable	Three months of full support	Every three months	Production environments with stability prioritized over new feature availability.  Select this streaming channel with automatic updates to access the latest stable release and avoid manually upgrading.
stable -x.y	Seven months of full support	Every three months	Production environments with stability prioritized over new feature availability.  Select numbered stable channels (such as <b>stable-2.10</b> ) to plan and upgrade to the next stable release while keeping your deployment under full support.
eus- x.y	Seven months of full support followed by Extended Update Support for eleven months	Every nine months	Enterprise-grade environments that cannot upgrade within a seven month window.  Select this streaming channel if you prioritize stability over new feature availability.

Chann el	Support	Releas e freque ncy	Recommended environment
alpha	One month of full support	Every	Development environments with early-access features that might not be functionally complete.  Select this channel to use early-access features to test functionality and provide feedback during the development process. Early-access features are not supported with Red Hat production service level agreements (SLAs).  For more information about the support scope of Red Hat Technology Preview features, see Technology Preview Features Support Scope.  For more information about the support scope of Red Hat Developer Preview features, see Developer Preview Features Support Scope.



#### NOTE

The **embedded** and **beta** channels are legacy channels that will be removed in a future release. Do not select the **embedded** or **beta** channels for a new Operator installation.

## CHAPTER 3. DEPLOYING OPENSHIFT AI IN A DISCONNECTED ENVIRONMENT

Read this section to understand how to deploy Red Hat OpenShift AI as a development and testing environment for data scientists in a disconnected environment. Disconnected clusters are on a restricted network, typically behind a firewall. In this case, clusters cannot access the remote registries where Red Hat provided OperatorHub sources reside. Instead, the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator can be deployed to a disconnected environment using a private registry to mirror the images.

Installing OpenShift AI in a disconnected environment involves the following high-level tasks:

- 1. Confirm that your OpenShift Container Platform cluster meets all requirements. See Requirements for OpenShift Al Self-Managed.
- 2. Add administrative users for OpenShift Container Platform. See Adding administrative users for OpenShift Container Platform.
- 3. Mirror images to a private registry. See Mirroring images to a private registry for a disconnected installation.
- 4. Install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator. See Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 5. Install OpenShift Al components. See Installing and managing Red Hat OpenShift Al components.
- 6. Configure user and administrator groups to provide user access to OpenShift Al. See Adding users.
- 7. Provide your users with the URL for the OpenShift Container Platform cluster on which you deployed OpenShift Al. See Accessing the OpenShift Al dashboard.

#### 3.1. REQUIREMENTS FOR OPENSHIFT AI SELF-MANAGED

You must meet the following requirements before you can install Red Hat OpenShift AI on your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster in a disconnected environment:

#### **Product subscriptions**

• You must have a subscription for Red Hat OpenShift Al Self-Managed.

Contact your Red Hat account manager to purchase new subscriptions. If you do not yet have an account manager, complete the form at https://www.redhat.com/en/contact to request one.

#### Cluster administrator access to your OpenShift cluster

- You must have an OpenShift cluster with cluster administrator access. Use an existing cluster or create a cluster by following the OpenShift Container Platform documentation: Disconnected installation mirroring.
- After you install a cluster, configure the Cluster Samples Operator by following the OpenShift Container Platform documentation: Configuring Samples Operator for a restricted cluster.
- Your cluster must have at least 2 worker nodes with at least 8 CPUs and 32 GiB RAM available for OpenShift AI to use when you install the Operator. To ensure that OpenShift AI is usable, additional cluster resources are required beyond the minimum requirements.

- Your cluster is configured with a default storage class that can be dynamically provisioned.
   Confirm that a default storage class is configured by running the oc get storageclass command. If no storage classes are noted with (default) beside the name, follow the OpenShift Container Platform documentation to configure a default storage class: Changing the default storage class. For more information about dynamic provisioning, see Dynamic provisioning.
- Open Data Hub must not be installed on the cluster.

For more information about managing the machines that make up an OpenShift cluster, see Overview of machine management.

#### An identity provider configured for OpenShift Container Platform

- Red Hat OpenShift Al uses the same authentication systems as Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform. See Understanding identity provider configuration for more information on configuring identity providers.
- Access to the cluster as a user with the **cluster-admin** role; the **kubeadmin** user is not allowed.

#### Internet access on the mirroring machine

Along with Internet access, the following domains must be accessible to mirror images required for the OpenShift Al Self-Managed installation:

- cdn.redhat.com
- subscription.rhn.redhat.com
- registry.access.redhat.com
- registry.redhat.io
- quay.io
  - For CUDA-based images, the following domains must be accessible:
- ngc.download.nvidia.cn
- developer.download.nvidia.com

#### Data science pipelines preparation

- Data Science Pipelines (DSP) 2.0 contains an installation of Argo Workflows. If there is an
  existing installation of Argo Workflows that is not installed by DSP on your cluster, data science
  pipelines will be disabled after you install OpenShift Al. Before installing OpenShift Al, ensure
  that your cluster does not have an existing installation of Argo Workflows that is not installed by
  DSP, or remove the separate installation of Argo Workflows from your cluster.
- Before you can execute a pipeline in a disconnected environment, you must upload the images to your private registry. For more information, see Mirroring images to run pipelines in a restricted environment.
- You can store your pipeline artifacts in an S3-compatible object storage bucket so that you do
  not consume local storage. To do this, you must first configure write access to your S3 bucket
  on your storage account.

#### Install KServe dependencies

- To support the KServe component, which is used by the single-model serving platform to serve large models, you must also install Operators for Red Hat OpenShift Serverless and Red Hat OpenShift Service Mesh and perform additional configuration. For more information, see Serving large models.
- If you want to add an authorization provider for the single-model serving platform, you must install the **Red Hat - Authorino** Operator. For information, see Adding an authorization provider for the single-model serving platform.

#### Access to object storage

- Components of OpenShift AI require or can use S3-compatible object storage such as AWS S3, MinIO, Ceph, or IBM Cloud Storage. An object store is a data storage mechanism that enables users to access their data either as an object or as a file. The S3 API is the recognized standard for HTTP-based access to object storage services.
- The object storage must be accessible to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. Deploy the object storage on the same disconnected network as your cluster.
- Object storage is required for the following components:
  - Single- or multi-model serving platforms, to deploy stored models. See Deploying models
    on the single-model serving platform or Deploying a model by using the multi-model
    serving platform.
  - Data science pipelines, to store artifacts, logs, and intermediate results. See Configuring a pipeline server and About pipeline logs.
- Object storage can be used by the following components:
  - Workbenches, to access large datasets. See Adding a data connection to your data science project.
  - Distributed workloads, to pull input data from and push results to. See Running distributed data science workloads from data science pipelines.
  - Code executed inside a pipeline. For example, to store the resulting model in object storage. See Overview of pipelines in Jupyterlab.

### 3.2. ADDING ADMINISTRATIVE USERS FOR OPENSHIFT CONTAINER PLATFORM

Before you can install and configure OpenShift AI for your data scientist users, you must define administrative users. Only users with cluster administrator privileges can install and configure OpenShift AI.

For more information about creating a cluster admin user, see Creating a cluster admin in the OpenShift Container Platform documentation.

### 3.3. MIRRORING IMAGES TO A PRIVATE REGISTRY FOR A DISCONNECTED INSTALLATION

You can install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator to your OpenShift cluster in a disconnected environment by mirroring the required container images to a private container registry. After mirroring the images to a container registry, you can install Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator using OperatorHub.

You can use the *mirror registry for Red Hat OpenShift*, a small-scale container registry that you can use as a target for mirroring the required container images for OpenShift Al in a disconnected environment. Use of the mirror registry for Red Hat OpenShift is optional if another container registry is already available in your installation environment.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have cluster administrator access to a running OpenShift Container Platform cluster, version 4.12 or greater.
- You have credentials for Red Hat OpenShift Cluster Manager (https://console.redhat.com/openshift/).
- Your mirroring machine is running Linux, has 100 GB of space available, and has access to the Internet so that it can obtain the images to populate the mirror repository.
- You have installed the OpenShift CLI (oc).
- If you plan to use NVIDIA GPUs, you have mirrored and deployed the NVIDIA GPU Operator.
   See Configuring the NVIDIA GPU Operator in the OpenShift Container Platform documentation.
- If you plan to use data science pipelines, you have mirrored the OpenShift Pipelines operator.
- If you plan to use the single-model serving platform to serve large models, you have mirrored the Operators for Red Hat OpenShift Serverless and Red Hat OpenShift Service Mesh. For more information, see Serving large models.
- If you plan to use the distributed workloads component, you have mirrored the Ray cluster image.

#### Procedure

- 1. Create a mirror registry. See Creating a mirror registry with mirror registry for Red Hat OpenShift in the OpenShift Container Platform documentation.
- 2. To mirror registry images, install the **oc-mirror** OpenShift CLI plug-in (version 4.12 or greater) on your mirroring machine running Linux. See Installing the oc-mirror OpenShift CLI plug-in in the OpenShift Container Platform documentation.



#### **IMPORTANT**

Versions of **oc-mirror** before version 4.12 do not allow you to mirror the full image set configuration provided.

- 3. Create a container image registry credentials file that allows mirroring images from Red Hat to your mirror. See Configuring credentials that allow images to be mirrored in the OpenShift Container Platform documentation.
- 4. Open the example image set configuration file (**rhoai-<version>.md**) from the disconnected installer helper repository and examine its contents.
- 5. Using the example image set configuration file, create a file called **imageset-config.yaml** and populate it with values suitable for the image set configuration in your deployment.

• To view a list of the available OpenShift versions, run the following command. This might take several minutes. If the command returns errors, repeat the steps in Configuring credentials that allow images to be mirrored.

oc-mirror list operators

To see the available channels for a package in a specific version of OpenShift Container Platform (for example, 4.15), run the following command:

oc-mirror list operators --catalog=registry.redhat.io/redhat/redhat-operator-index:v4.15 -package=<package-name>

For information about subscription update channels, see Understanding update channels.



#### **IMPORTANT**

The example image set configurations are for demonstration purposes only and might need further alterations depending on your deployment.

To identify the attributes most suitable for your deployment, examine the documentation and use cases in Mirroring images for a disconnected installation using the oc-mirror plugin.

Your imageset-config.yaml should look similar to the following example, where openshiftpipelines-operator-rh is required for data science pipelines, and both serverless-operator and **servicemeshoperator** are required for the KServe component.

apiVersion: mirror.openshift.io/v1alpha2 archiveSize: 4 storageConfig: registry: imageURL: registry.example.com:5000/mirror/oc-mirror-metadata skipTLS: false mirror:

operators:

- catalog: registry.redhat.io/redhat/redhat-operator-index:v4.15 packages:
  - name: rhods-operator

kind: ImageSetConfiguration

channels:

- name: stable minVersion: 2.10.0 maxVersion: 2.10.0

- name: openshift-pipelines-operator-rh

channels: - name: stable

- name: serverless-operator

channels: - name: stable

- name: servicemeshoperator

channels: - name: stable

6. Download the specified image set configuration to a local file on your mirroring machine:

- Replace mirror-rhoai with the target directory where you want to output the image set file.
- The target directory path must start with file://.
- The download might take several minutes.

\$ oc mirror --config=./imageset-config.yaml file://mirror-rhoai

#### **TIP**

If the tls: failed to verify certificate: x509: certificate signed by unknown authority error is returned and you want to ignore it, set **skipTLS** to **true** in your image set configuration file and run the command again.

7. Verify that the image set .tar files were created:

\$ Is mirror-rhoai mirror\_seq1\_000000.tar mirror\_seq1\_000001.tar

If an **archiveSize** value was specified in the image set configuration file, the image set might be separated into multiple .tar files.

8. Optional: Verify that total size of the image set .tar files is around 75 GB:

\$ du -h --max-depth=1 ./mirror-rhoai/

If the total size of the image set is significantly less than 75 GB, run the **oc mirror** command again.

- 9. Upload the contents of the generated image set to your target mirror registry:
  - Replace mirror-rhoai with the directory that contains your image set .tar files.
  - Replace registry.example.com:5000 with your mirror registry.

\$ oc mirror --from=./mirror-rhoai docker://registry.example.com:5000

#### **TIP**

If the tls: failed to verify certificate: x509: certificate signed by unknown authority error is returned and you want to ignore it, run the following command:

\$ oc mirror --dest-skip-tls --from=./mirror-rhoai docker://registry.example.com:5000

- 10. Log in to your target OpenShift cluster using the OpenShift CLI as a user with the **cluster-admin** role.
- 11. Verify that the YAML files are present for the **ImageContentSourcePolicy** and **CatalogSource** resources:
  - Replace **<results-directory>** with the name of your results directory.

\$ Is oc-mirror-workspace/<results-directory>/

catalogSource-cs-redhat-operator-index.yaml charts imageContentSourcePolicy.yaml mapping.txt release-signatures

- 12. Install the generated **ImageContentSourcePolicy** and **CatalogSource** resources into the cluster:
  - Replace <results-directory> with the name of your results directory.

\$ oc apply -f ./oc-mirror-workspace/<results-directory>/imageContentSourcePolicy.yaml \$ oc apply -f ./oc-mirror-workspace/<results-directory>/catalogSource-cs-redhat-operator-index.yaml

#### Verification

- Verify that the **CatalogSource** and pod were created successfully:
  - \$ oc get catalogsource,pod -n openshift-marketplace

This should return at least one catalog and two pods.

- Check that the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator exists in the OperatorHub:
  - a. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform cluster web console.
  - b. Click Operators → OperatorHub.
     The OperatorHub page opens.
  - c. Confirm that the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator is shown.
- If you mirrored additional operators, such as OpenShift Pipelines, Red Hat OpenShift Serverless, or Red Hat OpenShift Service Mesh, check that those operators exist the OperatorHub.

#### Additional resources

Disconnected installation mirroring

#### 3.4. INSTALLING THE RED HAT OPENSHIFT AI OPERATOR

This section shows how to install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster using the command-line interface (CLI) and the OpenShift web console.



#### **NOTE**

If you want to upgrade from a previous version of OpenShift AI rather than performing a new installation, see Upgrading OpenShift AI in a disconnected environment.



#### **NOTE**

If your OpenShift cluster uses a proxy to access the Internet, you can configure the proxy settings for the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator. See Overriding proxy settings of an Operator for more information.

#### 3.4.1. Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator by using the CLI

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. You must install the Operator before you can install OpenShift Al components on the cluster.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have a running OpenShift Container Platform cluster, version 4.12 or greater, configured with a default storage class that can be dynamically provisioned.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have downloaded and installed the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI). See Installing the OpenShift CLI.
- You have mirrored the required container images to a private registry. See Mirroring images to a private registry for a disconnected installation.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Open a new terminal window.
- 2. Follow these steps to log in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster as a cluster administrator:
  - a. In the upper-right corner of the OpenShift web console, click your user name and select **Copy login command**.
  - b. After you have logged in, click **Display token**.
  - c. Copy the **Log in with this token** command and paste it in the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI).
    - \$ oc login --token=<token> --server=<openshift\_cluster\_url>
- 3. Create a namespace for installation of the Operator by performing the following actions:
  - a. Create a namespace YAML file, for example, rhods-operator-namespace.yaml.

apiVersion: v1 kind: Namespace metadata:

name: redhat-ods-operator 1

- **redhat-ods-operator** is the recommended namespace for the Operator.
- b. Create the namespace in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

\$ oc create -f rhods-operator-namespace.yaml

You see output similar to the following:

namespace/redhat-ods-operator created

- 4. Create an operator group for installation of the Operator by performing the following actions:
  - a. Create an **OperatorGroup** object custom resource (CR) file, for example, **rhods-operator-group.yaml**.

apiVersion: operators.coreos.com/v1

kind: OperatorGroup

metadata:

name: rhods-operator

namespace: redhat-ods-operator 1

- 1 You must specify the same namespace that you created earlier in this procedure.
- b. Create the **OperatorGroup** object in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

\$ oc create -f rhods-operator-group.yaml

You see output similar to the following:

operatorgroup.operators.coreos.com/rhods-operator created

- 5. Create a subscription for installation of the Operator by performing the following actions:
  - a. Create a Subscription object CR file, for example, rhods-operator-subscription.yaml.

apiVersion: operators.coreos.com/v1alpha1

kind: Subscription

metadata:

name: rhods-operator

namespace: redhat-ods-operator 1

spec:

name: rhods-operator channel: stable 2

source: cs-redhat-operator-index

sourceNamespace: openshift-marketplace

- You must specify the same namespace that you created earlier in this procedure.
- For **channel**, select a value of **fast**, **stable**, **stable-x.y eus-x.y**, or **alpha**. For more information about selecting an update channel, see Understanding update channels.
- b. Create the **Subscription** object in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster to install the Operator.

\$ oc create -f rhods-operator-subscription.yaml

You see output similar to the following:

subscription.operators.coreos.com/rhods-operator created

#### Verification

- In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and confirm that the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator shows one of the following statuses:
  - **Installing** installation is in progress; wait for this to change to **Succeeded**. This might take several minutes.
  - Succeeded installation is successful.
- In the web console, click Home → Projects and confirm that the following project namespaces are visible and listed as Active:
  - o redhat-ods-applications
  - redhat-ods-monitoring
  - redhat-ods-operator

#### Additional resources

- Installing and managing Red Hat OpenShift Al components
- Adding users
- Adding Operators to a cluster

#### 3.4.2. Installing the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator by using the web console

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift Container Platform web console to install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator on your cluster. You must install the Operator before you can install OpenShift Al components on the cluster.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have a running OpenShift Container Platform cluster, version 4.12 or greater, configured with a default storage class that can be dynamically provisioned.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have mirrored the required container images to a private registry. See Mirroring images to a private registry for a disconnected installation.

#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform web console as a cluster administrator.
- 2. In the web console, click Operators → OperatorHub.
- 3. On the **OperatorHub** page, locate the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator by scrolling through the available Operators or by typing Red Hat OpenShift Al into the **Filter by keyword** box.

- 4. Click the Red Hat OpenShift AI tile. The Red Hat OpenShift AI information pane opens.
- 5. Select a **Channel**. For information about subscription update channels, see Understanding update channels.
- 6. Select a Version.
- 7. Click Install. The Install Operator page opens.
- 8. Review or change the selected channel and version as needed.
- 9. For **Installation mode**, note that the only available value is **All namespaces on the cluster** (**default**). This installation mode makes the Operator available to all namespaces in the cluster.
- 10. For Installed Namespace, select Operator recommended Namespace: redhat-ods-operator.
- 11. For **Update approval**, select one of the following update strategies:
  - **Automatic**: Your environment attempts to install new updates when they are available based on the content of your mirror.
  - Manual: A cluster administrator must approve any new updates before installation begins.



By default, the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator follows a sequential update process. This means that if there are several versions between the current version and the target version, Operator Lifecycle Manager (OLM) upgrades the Operator to each of the intermediate versions before it upgrades it to the final, target version.

If you configure automatic upgrades, OLM automatically upgrades the Operator to the *latest* available version. If you configure manual upgrades, a cluster administrator must manually approve each sequential update between the current version and the final, target version.

For information about supported versions, see Red Hat OpenShift Al Life Cycle.

#### 12. Click Install.

The **Installing Operators** pane appears. When the installation finishes, a checkmark appears next to the Operator name.

#### Verification

- In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and confirm that the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator shows one of the following statuses:
  - **Installing** installation is in progress; wait for this to change to **Succeeded**. This might take several minutes.
  - Succeeded installation is successful.
- In the web console, click **Home** → **Projects** and confirm that the following project namespaces are visible and listed as **Active**:
  - o redhat-ods-applications

- o redhat-ods-monitoring
- o redhat-ods-operator

#### Additional resources

- Installing and managing Red Hat OpenShift Al components
- Adding users
- Adding Operators to a cluster

### 3.5. INSTALLING AND MANAGING RED HAT OPENSHIFT AI COMPONENTS

The following procedures show how to use the command-line interface (CLI) and OpenShift Container Platform web console to install and manage components of Red Hat OpenShift AI on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### 3.5.1. Installing Red Hat OpenShift Al components by using the CLI

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to install specific components of Red Hat OpenShift Al on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.



#### **IMPORTANT**

The following procedure describes how to create and configure a **DataScienceCluster** object to install Red Hat OpenShift Al components as part of a *new* installation. However, if you upgraded from version 1 of OpenShift Al (previously OpenShift Data Science), the upgrade process automatically created a default **DataScienceCluster** object. If you upgraded from a previous minor version, the upgrade process uses the settings from the previous version's **DataScienceCluster** object. To inspect the **DataScienceCluster** object and change the installation status of Red Hat OpenShift Al components, see Updating the installation status of Red Hat OpenShift Al components by using the web console.

#### **Prerequisites**

- The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator is installed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. See Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have downloaded and installed the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI). See Installing the OpenShift CLI.

#### Procedure

- 1. Open a new terminal window.
- 2. Follow these steps to log in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster as a cluster administrator:

- a. In the upper-right corner of the OpenShift web console, click your user name and select Copy login command.
- b. After you have logged in, click **Display token**.
- c. Copy the Log in with this token command and paste it in the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI).

\$ oc login --token=<token> --server=<openshift\_cluster\_url>

3. Create a DataScienceCluster object custom resource (CR) file, for example, rhods-operatordsc.yaml.

apiVersion: datasciencecluster.opendatahub.io/v1

kind: DataScienceCluster

metadata:

name: default-dsc

spec:

components: codeflare:

managementState: Removed

dashboard:

managementState: Removed

datasciencepipelines:

managementState: Removed

kserve:

managementState: Removed 1 2

managementState: Removed

modelmeshserving:

managementState: Removed

managementState: Removed

workbenches:

managementState: Removed

- To fully install the KServe component, which is used by the single-model serving platform to serve large models, you must install Operators for Red Hat OpenShift Service Mesh and Red Hat OpenShift Serverless and perform additional configuration. See Serving large models.
- If you have not enabled the KServe component (that is, you set the value of the managementState field to Removed), you must also disable the dependent Service Mesh component to avoid errors. See Disabling KServe dependencies.
- 4. In the **spec.components** section of the CR, for each OpenShift Al component shown, set the value of the managementState field to either Managed or Removed. These values are defined as follows:

#### Managed

The Operator actively manages the component, installs it, and tries to keep it active. The Operator will upgrade the component only if it is safe to do so.

#### Removed

The Operator actively manages the component but does not install it. If the component is already installed, the Operator will try to remove it.



#### **IMPORTANT**

- To learn how to fully install the KServe component, which is used by the single-model serving platform to serve large models, see Serving large models.
- To learn how to configure the distributed workloads feature that uses the CodeFlare, KubeRay, and Kueue components, see Configuring distributed workloads.
- To learn how to run distributed workloads in a disconnected environment, see Running distributed data science workloads in a disconnected environment.
- 5. Create the **DataScienceCluster** object in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster to install the specified OpenShift Al components.
  - \$ oc create -f rhods-operator-dsc.yaml

You see output similar to the following:

datasciencecluster.datasciencecluster.opendatahub.io/default created

#### Verification

- Confirm that there is a running pod for each component:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click Workloads → Pods.
  - 2. In the **Project** list at the top of the page, select **redhat-ods-applications**.
  - 3. In the applications namespace, confirm that there are running pods for each of the OpenShift AI components that you installed.
- Confirm the status of all installed components:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators**.
  - 2. Click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
  - 3. Click the **Data Science Cluster** tab and select the **DataScienceCluster** object called **default-dsc**.
  - 4. Select the YAML tab.
  - 5. In the **installedComponents** section, confirm that the components you installed have a status value of **true**.



#### **NOTE**

If a component shows with the **component-name:** {} format in the **spec.components** section of the CR, the component is not installed.

#### 3.5.2. Installing Red Hat OpenShift AI components by using the web console

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift Container Platform web console to install specific components of Red Hat OpenShift AI on your cluster.



#### **IMPORTANT**

The following procedure describes how to create and configure a **DataScienceCluster** object to install Red Hat OpenShift Al components as part of a *new* installation. However, if you upgraded from version 1 of OpenShift Al (previously OpenShift Data Science), the upgrade process automatically created a default **DataScienceCluster** object. If you upgraded from a previous minor version, the upgrade process used the settings from the previous version's **DataScienceCluster** object. To inspect the **DataScienceCluster** object and change the installation status of Red Hat OpenShift Al components, see Updating the installation status of Red Hat OpenShift Al components by using the web console.

#### **Prerequisites**

- The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator is installed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. See Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform web console as a cluster administrator.
- 2. In the web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 3. Create a **DataScienceCluster** object to install OpenShift Al components by performing the following actions:
  - a. Click the Data Science Cluster tab.
  - b. Click Create DataScienceCluster.
  - c. For Configure via, select YAML view.
     An embedded YAML editor opens showing a default custom resource (CR) for the DataScienceCluster object.
  - d. In the **spec.components** section of the CR, for each OpenShift Al component shown, set the value of the **managementState** field to either **Managed** or **Removed**. These values are defined as follows:

#### Managed

The Operator actively manages the component, installs it, and tries to keep it active. The Operator will upgrade the component only if it is safe to do so.

#### Removed

The Operator actively manages the component but does not install it. If the component is already installed, the Operator will try to remove it.



- To learn how to install the KServe component, which is used by the single-model serving platform to serve large models, see Serving large models.
- If you have not enabled the KServe component (that is, you set the value of the managementState field to Removed), you must also disable the dependent Service Mesh component to avoid errors. See Disabling KServe dependencies.
- To learn how to configure the distributed workloads feature that uses the CodeFlare and KubeRay components, see Configuring distributed workloads.
- 4. Click Create.

#### Verification

- Confirm that there is a running pod for each component:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Workloads** → **Pods**.
  - 2. In the **Project** list at the top of the page, select **redhat-ods-applications**.
  - 3. In the applications namespace, confirm that there are running pods for each of the OpenShift AI components that you installed.
- Confirm the status of all installed components:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators**.
  - 2. Click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
  - 3. Click the **Data Science Cluster** tab and select the **DataScienceCluster** object called **default-dsc**.
  - 4. Select the YAML tab.
  - 5. In the **installedComponents** section, confirm that the components you installed have a status value of **true**.



#### NOTE

If a component shows with the **component-name:** {} format in the **spec.components** section of the CR, the component is not installed.

### 3.5.3. Updating the installation status of Red Hat OpenShift AI components by using the web console

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift Container Platform web console to update the installation status of components of Red Hat OpenShift Al on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.



If you upgraded from version 1 to version 2 of OpenShift AI, the upgrade process automatically created a default **DataScienceCluster** object and enabled several components of OpenShift AI. If you upgraded from a previous minor version, the upgrade process used the settings from the previous version's **DataScienceCluster** object.

The following procedure describes how to edit the **DataScienceCluster** object to do the following:

- Change the installation status of the existing Red Hat OpenShift AI components
- Add additional components to the **DataScienceCluster** object that were not available in the previous version of OpenShift Al.

#### **Prerequisites**

- The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator is installed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform web console as a cluster administrator.
- 2. In the web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 3. Click the Data Science Cluster tab.
- 4. On the **DataScienceClusters** page, click the **default** object.
- Click the YAML tab.
   An embedded YAML editor opens showing the custom resource (CR) file for the DataScienceCluster object.
- 6. In the **spec.components** section of the CR, for each OpenShift Al component shown, set the value of the **managementState** field to either **Managed** or **Removed**. These values are defined as follows:



#### NOTE

If a component shows with the **component-name: {}** format in the **spec.components** section of the CR, the component is not installed.

#### Managed

The Operator actively manages the component, installs it, and tries to keep it active. The Operator will upgrade the component only if it is safe to do so.

#### Removed

The Operator actively manages the component but does not install it. If the component is already installed, the Operator will try to remove it.



- To learn how to install the KServe component, which is used by the single-model serving platform to serve large models, see Serving large models.
- If you have not enabled the KServe component (that is, you set the value of the managementState field to Removed), you must also disable the dependent Service Mesh component to avoid errors. See Disabling KServe dependencies.
- If they are not already present in the CR file, you can install the CodeFlare, KubeRay, and Kueue components by adding the codeflare, ray, and kueue entries to the spec.components section of the CR and setting the managementState field for the components to Managed.
- To learn how to configure the distributed workloads feature that uses the CodeFlare, KubeRay, and Kueue components, see Configuring distributed workloads.
- To learn how to run distributed workloads in a disconnected environment, see Running distributed data science workloads in a disconnected environment.

#### 7. Click Save.

For any components that you updated, OpenShift AI initiates a rollout that affects all pods to use the updated image.

#### Verification

- Confirm that there is a running pod for each component:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Workloads** → **Pods**.
  - 2. In the **Project** list at the top of the page, select **redhat-ods-applications**.
  - 3. In the applications namespace, confirm that there are running pods for each of the OpenShift Al components that you installed.
- Confirm the status of all installed components:
  - 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators**.
  - 2. Click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
  - 3. Click the **Data Science Cluster** tab and select the **DataScienceCluster** object called **default-dsc**.
  - 4. Select the YAML tab.
  - 5. In the **installedComponents** section, confirm that the components you installed have a status value of **true**.



#### NOTE

If a component shows with the **component-name:** {} format in the **spec.components** section of the CR, the component is not installed.

#### 3.5.4. Disabling KServe dependencies

If you have *not* enabled the KServe component (that is, you set the value of the **managementState** field to **Removed**), you must also disable the dependent Service Mesh component to avoid errors.

#### **Prerequisites**

• You have used the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) or web console to disable the KServe component.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift web console as a cluster administrator.
- 2. In the web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 3. Disable the OpenShift Service Mesh component as follows:
  - a. Click the DSC Initialization tab.
  - b. Click the **default-dsci** object.
  - c. Click the YAML tab.
  - d. In the **spec** section, add the **serviceMesh** component (if it is not already present) and configure the **managementState** field as shown:

spec: serviceMesh: managementState: Removed

e. Click Save.

#### Verification

 In the web console, click Operators → Installed Operators and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.

The Operator details page opens.

2. In the **Conditions** section, confirm that there is no **ReconcileComplete** condition with a status value of **Unknown**.

#### 3.6. CONFIGURING THE OPENSHIFT AI OPERATOR LOGGER

You can adjust the log level of OpenShift Al Operator components to increase or reduce log verbosity to suit your use case.

#### 3.6.1. Configuring the OpenShift Al Operator logger

You can change the log level for OpenShift Al Operator components by setting the .spec.devFlags.logmode flag for the DSC Initialization/DSCI custom resource during runtime. If you do not set a logmode value, the logger uses the INFO log level by default.

The log level that you set with **.spec.devFlags.logmode** applies to all components, not just those in a **Managed** state.

The following table shows the available log levels:

Log level	Stacktrace level	Verbosity	Output	Timestamp type
devel or development	WARN	INFO	Console	Epoch timestamps
"" (or no logmode value set)	ERROR	INFO	JSON	Human-readable timestamps
prod or production	ERROR	INFO	JSON	Human-readable timestamps

Logs that are set to **devel** or **development** generate in a plain text console format. Logs that are set to **prod**, **production**, or which do not have a level set generate in a JSON format.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have admin access to the **DSCInitialization** resources in the OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You installed the OpenShift command line interface (oc) as described in Get Started with the CLI.

#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform as a cluster administrator.
- 2. Click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 3. Click the **DSC Initialization** tab.
- 4. Click the **default-dsci** object.
- 5. Click the YAML tab.
- 6. In the **spec** section, update the **.spec.devFlags.logmode** flag with the log level that you want to set.

apiVersion: dscinitialization.opendatahub.io/v1

kind: DSCInitialization

metadata:

name: default-dsci

spec: devFlags:

logmode: development

7. Click Save.

You can also configure the log level from the OpenShift CLI by using the following command with the **logmode** value set to the log level that you want.

oc patch dsci default-dsci -p '{"spec":{"devFlags":{"logmode":"development"}}}' --type=merge

#### Verification

- If you set the component log level to **devel** or **development**, logs generate more frequently and include logs at **WARN** level and above.
- If you set the component log level to **prod** or **production**, or do not set a log level, logs generate less frequently and include logs at **ERROR** level or above.

#### 3.6.1.1. Viewing the OpenShift AI Operator log

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift CLI.
- 2. Run the following command:

oc get pods -l name=rhods-operator -o name -n redhat-ods-operator | xargs -l  $\{\}$  oc logs -f  $\{\}$  -n redhat-ods-operator

The operator pod log opens.

You can also view the operator pod log in the OpenShift Console, under **Workloads** > **Deployments** > **Pods** > **redhat-ods-operator** > **Logs**.

## CHAPTER 4. PREPARING OPENSHIFT AI FOR USE IN IBM CLOUD PAK FOR DATA

The procedures in this section show how to prepare Red Hat OpenShift AI for use in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater. These versions of Cloud Pak for Data include watsonx.ai.



#### **IMPORTANT**

The procedures in this section apply when you want to prepare a *new* installation of Red Hat OpenShift AI for use in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater. The procedures show how to install the KServe component of OpenShift AI in *raw* mode, which means that KServe does not have any other components as dependencies. However, if you have an existing deployment of OpenShift AI with KServe and its dependencies already installed and enabled, you *do not* need to modify the configuration for use in Cloud Pak for Data.

### 4.1. INSTALLING THE RED HAT OPENSHIFT AI OPERATOR BY USING THE CLI



#### **IMPORTANT**

Follow this procedure *only* if you are preparing Red Hat OpenShift AI for use in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater. These versions of Cloud Pak for Data include watsonx.ai. If this use case does not apply to your organization, see Installing and deploying OpenShift AI in a disconnected environment for more generally applicable instructions.

This procedure shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to install the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. You must install the Operator before you can manage the installation of OpenShift Al components.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have a running OpenShift Container Platform cluster, version 4.12 or greater, configured with a default storage class that can be dynamically provisioned.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have downloaded and installed the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI). See Installing the OpenShift CLI.
- You have mirrored the required container images to a private registry. See Mirroring images to a private registry for a disconnected installation.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Open a new terminal window.
- 2. In the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI), log in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster as a cluster administrator, as shown in the following example:

\$ oc login <openshift\_cluster\_url> -u <admin\_username> -p <password>

3. Create a new YAML file with the following contents:

apiVersion: v1 kind: Namespace 1 metadata: name: redhat-ods-operator apiVersion: operators.coreos.com/v1 kind: OperatorGroup 2 metadata: name: rhods-operator namespace: redhat-ods-operator apiVersion: operators.coreos.com/v1alpha1 kind: Subscription (3) metadata: name: rhods-operator namespace: redhat-ods-operator spec: name: rhods-operator channel: eus-2.8 4 source: cs-redhat-operator-index sourceNamespace: openshift-marketplace config: env: - name: "DISABLE\_DSC\_CONFIG"

- Defines the recommended **redhat-ods-operator** namespace for installation of the Operator.
- Defines an Operator group for installation of the Operator. You must specify the same namespace that you defined earlier in the file. Also, another Operator group must not exist in the namespace.
- 3 Defines a subscription for the Operator. You must specify the same namespace that you defined earlier in the file.
- For **channel**, specify a value of **eus-2.8**. This channel name indicates that OpenShift AI 2.8 is an Extended Update Support (EUS) version. For more information, see Red Hat OpenShift AI Self-Managed Life Cycle.
- 4. Deploy the YAML file to create the namespace, Operator group, and subscription that you defined.
  - \$ oc create -f <file\_name>.yaml

You see output similar to the following:

namespace/redhat-ods-operator created operatorgroup.operators.coreos.com/rhods-operator created subscription.operators.coreos.com/rhods-operator created

5. Create another new YAML file with the following contents:

apiVersion: dscinitialization.opendatahub.io/v1

kind: DSCInitialization 1

metadata:

name: default-dsci

spec:

applicationsNamespace: redhat-ods-applications

monitoring:

managementState: Managed namespace: redhat-ods-monitoring

serviceMesh:

managementState: Removed 2

trustedCABundle:

managementState: Managed

customCABundle: ""

Defines a **DSCInitialization** object called **default-dsci**. The **DSCInitialization** object is used by the Operator to manage resources that are common to all product components.

2 Specifies that the **serviceMesh** component (which is a dependency for KServe in some setups) is *not* installed. This setting is required when preparing OpenShift AI for use in IBM products.

#### Verification

- In the OpenShift CLI, check that there is a running pod for the Operator by performing the following actions:
  - Check the pods in the **redhat-ods-operator** project.

\$ oc get pods -n redhat-ods-operator

• Confirm that there is a **rhods-operator-\*** pod with a **Running** status, as shown in the following example:

NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE rhods-operator-56c85d44c9-vtk74 1/1 Running 0 3h57m

- In the OpenShift CLI, check that the **DSCInitialization** object that you created is running by performing the following actions:
  - Check the cluster for **DSCInitialization** objects.

\$ oc get dscinitialization

 Confirm that there is a **default-dsci** object with a **Ready** status, as shown in the following example:

NAME AGE PHASE default-dsci 4d18h Ready

#### Additional resources

Adding Operators to a cluster

### 4.2. MANAGING RED HAT OPENSHIFT AI COMPONENTS BY USING THE CLI

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to manage the installation of specific components of Red Hat OpenShift AI on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.



#### **IMPORTANT**

Follow this procedure *only* if you are preparing Red Hat OpenShift AI for use in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater. These versions of Cloud Pak for Data include watsonx.ai. If this use case does not apply to your organization, see Installing and managing Red Hat OpenShift AI components for more generally applicable instructions.

#### **Prerequisites**

- The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator is installed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. See Installing the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator by using the CLI.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have downloaded and installed the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI). See Installing the OpenShift CLI.

#### Procedure

- 1. Open a new terminal window.
- 2. In the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI), log in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster as a cluster administrator, as shown in the following example:

\$ oc login <openshift\_cluster\_url> -u <admin\_username> -p <password>

3. Create a new YAML file with the following contents:

kind: DataScienceCluster 1 apiVersion: datasciencecluster.opendatahub.io/v1 metadata: name: default-dsc labels: app.kubernetes.io/name: datasciencecluster app.kubernetes.io/instance: default-dsc app.kubernetes.io/part-of: rhods-operator app.kubernetes.io/managed-by: kustomize app.kubernetes.io/created-by: rhods-operator spec: components: codeflare: managementState: Removed dashboard: managementState: Removed datasciencepipelines: managementState: Removed kserve:

managementState: Managed

defaultDeploymentMode: RawDeployment 2

serving:

managementState: Removed 3

name: knative-serving

kueue:

managementState: Removed

modelmeshserving:

managementState: Removed

ray:

managementState: Removed

workbenches:

managementState: Removed

- 1 Defines a new **DataScienceCluster** object called **default-dsc**. The **DataScienceCluster** object is used by the Operator to manage OpenShift Al components.
- 2 Specifies that the KServe component is installed and managed by the Operator in *raw* mode, which means that KServe does not have any other components as dependencies.
- Specifies that the **serving** component (which is a dependency for KServe in some setups) is *not* installed. This setting is required when preparing OpenShift AI for use in Cloud Pak for Data.

In addition, observe that the value of the **managementState** field for all other OpenShift Al components is set to **Removed**. This means that the components are not installed.

In general, the **Managed** and **Removed** values are described as follows:

#### Managed

The Operator actively manages the component, installs it, and tries to keep it active. The Operator will upgrade the component only if it is safe to do so.

#### Removed

The Operator actively manages the component but does not install it. If the component is already installed, the Operator will try to remove it.

4. Create the **DataScienceCluster** object on your OpenShift cluster.

You see output similar to the following:

datasciencecluster.datasciencecluster.opendatahub.io/default-dsc created

#### Verification

- In the OpenShift CLI, check that there is a running pod for the KServe controller by performing the following actions:
  - Check the pods in the **redhat-ods-applications** project.

\$ oc get pods -n redhat-ods-applications

• Confirm that there is a **kserve-controller-manager-\*** pod with a **Running** status, as shown in the following example:

NAME READY STATUS RESTARTS AGE kserve-controller-manager-57796d5b44-sh9n5 1/1 Running 0 4m57s

# 4.3. EDITING THE MODEL INFERENCING CONFIGURATION

Particular use cases in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater (which include watsonx.ai) might require customizations to the model inferencing configuration used by Red Hat OpenShift Al. Before you can make any such customizations, you need to put the inferencing configuration file in an editable state. In addition, you must make a specific configuration update that prevents errors when using OpenShift Al in Cloud Pak for Data and watsonx.ai.



#### **IMPORTANT**

Follow this procedure *only* if you are preparing Red Hat OpenShift AI for use in IBM Cloud Pak for Data version 5.0 or greater. These versions of Cloud Pak for Data include watsonx.ai.

#### **Prerequisites**

- The Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator is installed on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster. See Installing the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator by using the CLI.
- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform web console as a cluster administrator.
- 2. In the web console, click Workloads → ConfigMaps.
- 3. In the **Project** list, click **redhat-ods-applications**.
- 4. On the list of **ConfigMap** resources, click the **inferenceservice-config** resource and then click the **YAML** tab.
- 5. In the **metadata.annotations** section of the file, add **opendatahub.io/managed: 'false'** as shown:

metadata:

annotations:

internal.config.kubernetes.io/previousKinds: ConfigMap internal.config.kubernetes.io/previousNames: inferenceservice-config internal.config.kubernetes.io/previousNamespaces: opendatahub opendatahub.io/managed: 'false'

The additional annotation makes the inferencing configuration file editable.

- 6. To prevent errors when using OpenShift AI in Cloud Pak for Data (including watsonx.ai), update the configuration as follows:
  - a. In the YAML file, locate the following entry:

"domainTemplate": "{{ .Name }}-{{ .Namespace }}.{{ .IngressDomain }}

b. Update the value of the **domainTemplate** field as shown:

"domainTemplate": "example.com"

This new, explicitly specified value ensures that OpenShift AI cannot generate a value for the **domainTemplate** field that exceeds the maximum length and causes an error. The **domainTemplate** field is not used by the raw deployment mode that you configured for the KServe component when preparing OpenShift AI for use in Cloud Pak for Data.

7. Click Save.

# CHAPTER 5. WORKING WITH CERTIFICATES

Certificates are used by various components in OpenShift Container Platform to validate access to the cluster. For clusters that rely on self-signed certificates, you can add those self-signed certificates to a cluster-wide Certificate Authority (CA) bundle and use the CA bundle in Red Hat OpenShift Al. You can also use self-signed certificates in a custom CA bundle that is separate from the cluster-wide bundle. Administrators can add a CA bundle, remove a CA bundle from all namespaces, remove a CA bundle from individual namespaces, or manually manage certificate changes instead of the system.

# 5.1. UNDERSTANDING CERTIFICATES IN OPENSHIFT AI

For OpenShift Container Platform clusters that rely on self-signed certificates, you can add those self-signed certificates to a cluster-wide Certificate Authority (CA) bundle (**ca-bundle.crt**) and use the CA bundle in Red Hat OpenShift Al. You can also use self-signed certificates in a custom CA bundle (**odh-ca-bundle.crt**) that is separate from the cluster-wide bundle.

# 5.1.1. How CA bundles are injected

After installing OpenShift AI, the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator automatically creates an empty **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** configuration file (ConfigMap), and the Cluster Network Operator (CNO) injects the cluster-wide CA bundle into the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** configMap with the label "config.openshift.io/inject-trusted-cabundle". The components deployed in the affected namespaces are responsible for mounting this configMap as a volume in the deployment pods.

apiVersion: v1
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
labels:
app.kubernetes.io/part-of: opendatahub-operator
config.openshift.io/inject-trusted-cabundle: 'true'
name: odh-trusted-ca-bundle

After the CNO operator injects the bundle, it updates the ConfigMap with the **ca-bundle.crt** file containing the certificates.

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
labels:
app.kubernetes.io/part-of: opendatahub-operator
config.openshift.io/inject-trusted-cabundle: 'true'
name: odh-trusted-ca-bundle
data:
ca-bundle.crt: |
<BUNDLE OF CLUSTER-WIDE CERTIFICATES>
```

# 5.1.2. How the ConfigMap is managed

By default, the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator manages the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap. If you want to manage or remove the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap, or add a custom CA bundle ( **odh-ca-bundle.crt**) separate from the cluster-wide CA bundle ( **ca-bundle.crt**), you can use the **trustedCABundle** property in the Operator's DSC Initialization (DSCI) object.

spec:

trustedCABundle:

managementState: Managed

customCABundle: ""

In the Operator's DSCI object, you can set the **spec.trustedCABundle.managementState** field to the following values:

- Managed: The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator manages the odh-trusted-ca-bundle
   ConfigMap and adds it to all non-reserved existing and new namespaces (the ConfigMap is not
   added to any reserved or system namespaces, such as default, openshift-\\* or kube-\*). The
   ConfigMap is automatically updated to reflect any changes made to the customCABundle
   field. This is the default value after installing Red Hat OpenShift Al.
- Removed: The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator removes the odh-trusted-ca-bundle
   ConfigMap (if present) and disables the creation of the ConfigMap in new namespaces. If you
   change this field from Managed to Removed, the odh-trusted-ca-bundle ConfigMap is also
   deleted from namespaces. This is the default value after upgrading Red Hat OpenShift Al from
   2.7 or earlier versions to 2.10.
- Unmanaged: The Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator does not manage the odh-trusted-ca-bundle ConfigMap, allowing for an administrator to manage it instead. Changing the managementState from Managed to Unmanaged does not remove the odh-trusted-ca-bundle ConfigMap, but the ConfigMap is not updated if you make changes to the customCABundle field.

In the Operator's DSCI object, you can add a custom certificate to the **spec.trustedCABundle.customCABundle** field. This adds the **odh-ca-bundle.crt** file containing the certificates to the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap, as shown in the following example:

apiVersion: v1
kind: ConfigMap
metadata:
labels:
app.kubernetes.io/part-of: opendatahub-operator
config.openshift.io/inject-trusted-cabundle: 'true'
name: odh-trusted-ca-bundle
data:
ca-bundle.crt: |
<BUNDLE OF CLUSTER-WIDE CERTIFICATES>
odh-ca-bundle.crt: |
<BUNDLE OF CUSTOM CERTIFICATES>

# 5.2. ADDING A CA BUNDLE

There are two ways to add a Certificate Authority (CA) bundle to OpenShift Al. You can use one or both of these methods:

For OpenShift Container Platform clusters that rely on self-signed certificates, you can add
those self-signed certificates to a cluster-wide Certificate Authority (CA) bundle (cabundle.crt) and use the CA bundle in Red Hat OpenShift AI. To use this method, log in to the
OpenShift Container Platform as a cluster administrator and follow the steps as described in
Configuring the cluster-wide proxy during installation.

• You can use self-signed certificates in a custom CA bundle (**odh-ca-bundle.crt**) that is separate from the cluster-wide bundle. To use this method, follow the steps in this section.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have admin access to the **DSCInitialization** resources in the OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You installed the OpenShift command line interface (oc) as described in Get Started with the CLI.
- You are working in a new installation of Red Hat OpenShift Al. If you upgraded Red Hat OpenShift Al, see Adding a CA bundle after upgrading.

#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform.
- 2. Click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 3. Click the **DSC Initialization** tab.
- 4. Click the **default-dsci** object.
- 5. Click the YAML tab.
- 6. In the **spec** section, add the custom certificate to the **customCABundle** field for **trustedCABundle**, as shown in the following example:

```
spec:
trustedCABundle:
managementState: Managed
customCABundle: |
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
examplebundle123
-----END CERTIFICATE-----
```

7. Click Save.

#### Verification

• If you are using a cluster-wide CA bundle, run the following command to verify that all non-reserved namespaces contain the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap:

\$ oc get configmaps --all-namespaces -l app.kubernetes.io/part-of=opendatahub-operator | grep odh-trusted-ca-bundle

 If you are using a custom CA bundle, run the following command to verify that a non-reserved namespace contains the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap and that the ConfigMap contains your **customCABundle** value. In the following command, example-namespace is the nonreserved namespace and examplebundle123 is the customCABundle value.

\$ oc get configmap odh-trusted-ca-bundle -n example-namespace -o yaml | grep examplebundle123

#### 5.3. REMOVING A CA BUNDLE

You can remove a Certificate Authority (CA) bundle from all non-reserved namespaces in OpenShift Al. This process changes the default configuration and disables the creation of the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** configuration file (ConfigMap), as described in *Understanding certificates in OpenShift Al*.



#### **NOTE**

The **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMaps are only deleted from namespaces when you set the **managementState** of **trustedCABundle** to **Removed**; deleting the DSC Initialization does not delete the ConfigMaps.

To remove a CA bundle from a single namespace only, see Removing a CA bundle from a namespace .

# **Prerequisites**

- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You installed the OpenShift command line interface (oc) as described in Get Started with the CLI.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
- 2. Click the **DSC Initialization** tab.
- 3. Click the **default-dsci** object.
- 4. Click the YAML tab.
- 5. In the **spec** section, change the value of the **managementState** field for **trustedCABundle** to **Removed**:

spec:

trustedCABundle:

managementState: Removed

6. Click Save.

#### Verification

• Run the following command to verify that the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap has been removed from all namespaces:

\$ oc get configmaps --all-namespaces | grep odh-trusted-ca-bundle

The command should not return any ConfigMaps.

# 5.4. REMOVING A CA BUNDLE FROM A NAMESPACE

You can remove a custom Certificate Authority (CA) bundle from individual namespaces in OpenShift Al. This process disables the creation of the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** configuration file (ConfigMap) for the specified namespace only.

To remove a certificate bundle from all namespaces, see Removing a CA bundle.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You installed the OpenShift command line interface (oc) as described in Get Started with the CLI.

#### **Procedure**

 Run the following command to remove a CA bundle from a namespace. In the following command, example-namespace is the non-reserved namespace.

\$ oc annotate ns example-namespace security.opendatahub.io/inject-trusted-ca-bundle=false

#### Verification

• Run the following command to verify that the CA bundle has been removed from the namespace. In the following command, example-namespace is the non-reserved namespace.

\$ oc get configmap odh-trusted-ca-bundle -n example-namespace

The command should return configmaps "odh-trusted-ca-bundle" not found.

# 5.5. MANAGING CERTIFICATES

After installing OpenShift AI, the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator creates the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** configuration file (ConfigMap) that contains the trusted CA bundle and adds it to all new and existing non-reserved namespaces in the cluster. By default, the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator manages the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap and automatically updates it if any changes are made to the CA bundle. You can choose to manage the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap instead of allowing the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator to manage it.

# **Prerequisites**

• You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### Procedure

- 1. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, click **Operators** → **Installed Operators** and then click the **Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator**.
- 2. Click the **DSC Initialization** tab.
- 3. Click the **default-dsci** object.
- 4. Click the YAML tab.

5. In the **spec** section, change the value of the **managementState** field for **trustedCABundle** to **Unmanaged**, as shown:

spec:

trustedCABundle:

managementState: Unmanaged

6. Click Save.

Note that changing the **managementState** from **Managed** to **Unmanaged** does not remove the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap, but the ConfigMap is not updated if you make changes to the **customCABundle** field.

#### Verification

 In the spec section, set or change the value of the customCABundle field for trustedCABundle, for example:

spec:

trustedCABundle:

managementState: Unmanaged customCABundle: example123

- 2. Click Save.
- 3. Click Workloads → ConfigMaps.
- 4. Select a project from the project list.
- 5. Click the **odh-trusted-ca-bundle** ConfigMap.
- 6. Click the YAML tab and verify that the value of the customCABundle field did not update.

# 5.6. USING SELF-SIGNED CERTIFICATES WITH OPENSHIFT AI COMPONENTS

Some OpenShift Al components have additional options or required configuration for self-signed certificates.

# 5.6.1. Using certificates with data science pipelines

If you want to use self-signed certificates, you have added them to a central Certificate Authority (CA) bundle as described in Working with certificates (for disconnected environments, see Working with certificates).

No additional configuration is necessary to use those certificates with data science pipelines.

#### 5.6.1.1. Providing a CA bundle only for data science pipelines

Perform the following steps to provide a Certificate Authority (CA) bundle just for data science pipelines.

#### Procedure

1. Log in to OpenShift Container Platform.

2. From **Workloads** → **ConfigMaps**, create a ConfigMap with the required bundle in the same data science project or namespace as the target data science pipeline:

```
kind: ConfigMap
apiVersion: v1
metadata:
    name: custom-ca-bundle
data:
    ca-bundle.crt: |
# contents of ca-bundle.crt
```

3. Add the following snippet to the **.spec.apiserver.caBundle** field of the underlying Data Science Pipelines Application (DSPA):

```
apiVersion: datasciencepipelinesapplications.opendatahub.io/v1alpha1kind: DataSciencePipelinesApplication
metadata:
    name: data-science-dspa
spec:
    ...
    apiServer:
    ...
    cABundle:
        configMapName: custom-ca-bundle
        configMapKey: ca-bundle.crt
```

The pipeline server pod redeploys with the updated bundle and uses it in the newly created pipeline pods.

#### Verification

Perform the following steps to confirm that your CA bundle was successfully mounted.

- 1. Log in to the OpenShift Container Platform console.
- 2. Go to the OpenShift Container Platform project that corresponds to the data science project.
- 3. Click the Pods tab.
- 4. Click the pipeline server pod with the **ds-pipeline-dspa-<hash>** prefix.
- 5. Click Terminal.
- 6. Enter cat /dsp-custom-certs/dsp-ca.crt.
- 7. Verify that your CA bundle is present within this file.

You can also confirm that your CA bundle was successfully mounted by using the CLI:

1. In a terminal window, log in to the OpenShift cluster where OpenShift Al is deployed.

oc login

2. Set the **dspa** value:

dspa=dspa

3. Set the **dsProject** value, replacing **\$YOUR\_DS\_PROJECT** with the name of your data science project:

dsProject=\$YOUR\_DS\_PROJECT

4. Set the **pod** value:

pod=\$(oc get pod -n \${dsProject} -l app=ds-pipeline-\${dspa} --no-headers | awk '{print \$1}')

5. Display the contents of the /dsp-custom-certs/dsp-ca.crt file:

oc -n \${dsProject} exec \$pod -- cat /dsp-custom-certs/dsp-ca.crt

6. Verify that your CA bundle is present within this file.

# 5.6.2. Using certificates with workbenches



#### **IMPORTANT**

Self-signed certificates apply to workbenches that you create after configuring self-signed certificates centrally as described in Working with certificates (for disconnected environments, see Working with certificates. There is no change to workbenches that you created before configuring self-signed certificates.

# 5.6.2.1. Creating data science pipelines with Elyra and self-signed certificates

To create pipelines using a workbench that contains the Elyra extension and which uses self-signed certificates, see the Workbench workaround for executing a pipeline using Elyra in a disconnected environment knowledgebase article.

# CHAPTER 6. ENABLING GPU SUPPORT IN OPENSHIFT AI

Optionally, to ensure that your data scientists can use compute-heavy workloads in their models, you can enable graphics processing units (GPUs) in OpenShift AI.

# **Prerequisites**

- You have logged in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have the **cluster-admin** role in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. To enable GPU support on an OpenShift cluster in a disconnected or airgapped environment, follow the instructions here: Deploy GPU Operators in a disconnected or airgapped environment in the NVIDIA documentation.
- 2. Delete the migration-gpu-status ConfigMap.
  - a. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, switch to the Administrator perspective.
  - b. Set the **Project** to **All Projects** or **redhat-ods-applications** to ensure you can see the appropriate ConfigMap.
  - c. Search for the **migration-gpu-status** ConfigMap.
  - d. Click the action menu ( : ) and select **Delete ConfigMap** from the list. The **Delete ConfigMap** dialog appears.
  - e. Inspect the dialog and confirm that you are deleting the correct ConfigMap.
  - f. Click Delete.
- 3. Restart the dashboard replicaset.
  - a. In the OpenShift Container Platform web console, switch to the Administrator perspective.
  - b. Click Workloads → Deployments.
  - c. Set the **Project** to **All Projects** or **redhat-ods-applications** to ensure you can see the appropriate deployment.
  - d. Search for the **rhods-dashboard** deployment.
  - e. Click the action menu ( : ) and select **Restart Rollout** from the list.
  - f. Wait until the **Status** column indicates that all pods in the rollout have fully restarted.

#### Verification

- The NVIDIA GPU Operator appears on the Operators → Installed Operators page in the OpenShift Container Platform web console.
- The reset migration-gpu-status instance is present in the Instances tab on the AcceleratorProfile custom resource definition (CRD) details page.

After installing the NVIDIA GPU Operator, create an accelerator profile as described in Working with accelerator profiles.

# CHAPTER 7. ACCESSING THE DASHBOARD

After you have installed OpenShift Al and added users, you can access the URL for your OpenShift Al console and share the URL with the users to let them log in and work on their models.

# **Prerequisites**

- You have installed OpenShift Al on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have added at least one user to the user group for OpenShift Al.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Log in to OpenShift Container Platform web console.
- 2. Click the application launcher (
- 3. Right-click on Red Hat OpenShift AI and copy the URL for your OpenShift AI instance.
- 4. Provide this instance URL to your data scientists to let them log in to OpenShift Al.

#### Verification

• Confirm that you and your users can log in to OpenShift AI by using the instance URL.

#### Additional resources

- Logging in to OpenShift Al
- Adding users

# CHAPTER 8. UNINSTALLING RED HAT OPENSHIFT AI SELF-MANAGED

This section shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to uninstall the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator and any OpenShift AI components installed and managed by the Operator.



#### **NOTE**

Using the CLI is the recommended way to uninstall the Operator. Depending on your version of OpenShift Container Platform, using the web console to perform the uninstallation might not prompt you to uninstall all associated components. This could leave you unclear about the final state of your cluster.

# 8.1. UNDERSTANDING THE UNINSTALLATION PROCESS

Installing Red Hat OpenShift AI created several custom resource instances on your OpenShift Container Platform cluster for various components of OpenShift AI. After installation, users likely created several additional resources while using OpenShift AI. Uninstalling OpenShift AI removes the resources that were created by the Operator, but retains the resources created by users to prevent inadvertently deleting information you might want.

#### What is deleted

Uninstalling OpenShift Al removes the following resources from your OpenShift Container Platform cluster:

- DataScienceCluster custom resource instance
- **DSCInitialization** custom resource instance
- FeatureTracker custom resource instances created during or after installation
- ServiceMesh custom resource instance created by the Operator during or after installation
- KNativeServing custom resource instance created by the Operator during or after installation
- redhat-ods-applications, redhat-ods-monitoring, and rhods-notebooks namespaces created by the Operator
- Workloads in the **rhods-notebooks** namespace
- Subscription, ClusterServiceVersion, and InstallPlan objects
- **KfDef** object (version 1 Operator only)

# What might remain

Uninstalling OpenShift AI retains the following resources in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster:

- Data science projects created by users
- Custom resource instances created by users
- Custom resource definitions (CRDs) created by users or by the Operator

While these resources might still remain in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster, they are not

functional. After uninstalling, Red Hat recommends that you review the data science projects and custom resources in your OpenShift Container Platform cluster and delete anything no longer in use to prevent potential issues, such as pipelines that cannot run, notebooks that cannot be undeployed, or models that cannot be undeployed.

#### Additional resources

Operator Lifecycle Manager (OLM) uninstall documentation

# 8.2. UNINSTALLING OPENSHIFT AI SELF-MANAGED BY USING THE CLI

The following procedure shows how to use the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI) to uninstall the Red Hat OpenShift AI Operator and any OpenShift AI components installed and managed by the Operator.

#### **Prerequisites**

- You have cluster administrator privileges for your OpenShift Container Platform cluster.
- You have downloaded and installed the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI). See Installing the OpenShift CLI.
- You have backed up the persistent disks or volumes used by your persistent volume claims (PVCs).

#### Procedure

- 1. Open a new terminal window.
- 2. In the OpenShift command-line interface (CLI), log in to your OpenShift Container Platform cluster as a cluster administrator, as shown in the following example:
  - \$ oc login copenshift\_cluster\_url> -u system:admin
- 3. Create a **ConfigMap** object for deletion of the Red Hat OpenShift Al Operator.
  - \$ oc create configmap delete-self-managed-odh -n redhat-ods-operator
- 4. To delete the **rhods-operator**, set the **addon-managed-odh-delete** label to **true**.
  - \$ oc label configmap/delete-self-managed-odh api.openshift.com/addon-managed-odh-delete=true -n redhat-ods-operator
- 5. When all objects associated with the Operator are removed, delete the **redhat-ods-operator** project.
  - a. Set an environment variable for the **redhat-ods-applications** project.
    - \$ PROJECT\_NAME=redhat-ods-applications
  - b. Wait until the **redhat-ods-applications** project has been deleted.
    - \$ while oc get project \$PROJECT\_NAME &> /dev/null; do

echo "The \$PROJECT\_NAME project still exists" sleep 1 done echo "The \$PROJECT\_NAME project no longer exists"

When the **redhat-ods-applications** project has been deleted, you see the following output.

- The redhat-ods-applications project no longer exists
- c. When the **redhat-ods-applications** project has been deleted, delete the **redhat-ods-operator** project.
  - \$ oc delete namespace redhat-ods-operator

# Verification

- Confirm that the **rhods-operator** subscription no longer exists.
  - \$ oc get subscriptions --all-namespaces | grep rhods-operator
- Confirm that the following projects no longer exist.
  - o redhat-ods-applications
  - o redhat-ods-monitoring
  - redhat-ods-operator
  - o rhods-notebooks
    - \$ oc get namespaces | grep -e redhat-ods\* -e rhods\*



#### **NOTE**

The **rhods-notebooks** project was created only if you installed the workbenches component of OpenShift Al. See Installing and managing Red Hat OpenShift Al components.