

# HACKFEST 11 -- OAI 5GC Onboarding

**TEAM HAWK** 







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# Team Intro & Task Distribution TEAM HAWK





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• Kindly note that this is just a broad description. Everyone was somehow involved in all the tasks as we helped each other out. Hence, In a way everyone worked equally.



# Task - 1: OAI 5GC deployment using Helm Charts TEAM HAWK



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## Demo - Task 1



## Helm and Kubernetes Deployment

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			e is world-readable. This is insecure. Location: /ho	
NAME	NAMESPACE	RÉVISION	UPDATED STATUS	CHART APP VERSION
amf	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:09:06.905108978 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-amf-1.1.0 1.1.0
gnb	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:13:35.645824943 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-gnb-0.1.1 v1
nysql	oai	1	2021-09-15 08:21:48.493250725 +0000 UTC deployed	mysql-1.6.9 5.7.30
nr-ue	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:14:37.603161968 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-nr-ue-0.1.1 v1
nrf	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:07:07.570519836 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-nrf-1.1.0 1.1.0
smf	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:09:51.241910295 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-smf-1.1.0 1.1.0
spgwu	oai	1	2021-09-15 13:11:25.046298447 +0000 UTC deployed	oai-spgwu-tiny-1.1.2 1.1.2
ubuntu@	hackfest-mic	rok8s-3:~\$		

ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~\$ ku				105
NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
oai-nrf-5bcd85fd69-pdlh7	2/2	Running	Θ	28h
oai-spgwu-tiny-5b5f5f49fd-5m627	2/2	Running	Θ	28h
oai-amf-84cd7f6b4c-d26zj	2/2	Running	Θ	28h
mysql-86577dbd58-zmv4r	1/1	Running	Θ	32h
oai-nr-ue-65957c8bb8-hj247	2/2	Running	5	28h
oai-gnb-ffd5d6cd7-ws5fv	2/2	Running	3	28h
oai-smf-7dd779f9f9-nqlx6	2/2	Running	1	28h
ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~\$				

## Demo - Task 1 (Verification and Testing)



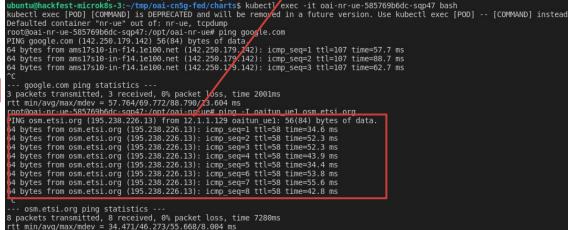
## 5GC Network Connectivity

ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~/logs\$ kubectl logs oai-smf-7dd779f9f9-nqlx6 smf | grep 'Received N4 ASSOCIATION SETUP RESPONSE from an UPF'
[2021-09-16T18:06:02.065593] [smf] [smf\_n4 ] [info ] Received N4 ASSOCIATION SETUP RESPONSE from an UPF
ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~/logs\$ kubectl logs oai-spgwu-tiny-5b5f5f49fd-5m627 spgwu | grep 'Received SX HEARTBEAT REQUEST' | wc -l
2806
ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~/logs\$ kubectl logs -c amf oai-amf-84cd7f6b4c-d26zj | grep Connected | grep gnb-rfsim | wc -l
200



#### UE Connectivity

.0.0.0	Gateway 169.254.1.1	Genmask 0.0.0.0	UG	Metric 0	0		Iface eth0
2.1.1.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	Θ	Θ	oaitun_ue
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## Demo - Task 1 (Issues)



## Static IP Configuration for gNB, and NR-UE

- Subnet from the calico network (10.1.115.x)
- Configuration in gNB, NR-UE values.yaml, deployment.yaml.
- <u>Issue related to mismatch and conflict of IPs</u> due to allocation to other CN elements
- Thanks to Sagar and many hours resolved.

## RAN & E2E Connectivity

- <u>The same issue with the conflict of IPs and also</u> <u>misconfigured IP in the NR-UE</u>
- NR-UE not able to connect and oaitun\_ue1 interface down
- Thanks to Sagar and many hours resolved.

config:
timeZone: "Europe/Paris"
rfSimulator: "server"
useSATddMono: "yes"
gnbName: "gnb-rfsim"
<pre>mcc: "208" # check the information with AMF, SMF, UPF/SPGWU</pre>
<pre>mnc: "95" # check the information with AMF, SMF, UPF/SPGWU</pre>
<pre>mncLength: "2" # check the information with AMF, SMF, UPF/SPGWU</pre>
<pre>tac: "1" # check the information with AMF</pre>
<pre>nssaiSst: "1" #currently only 4 standard values are allowed 1,2,3,4</pre>
nssaiSd0: "1" #values in hexa-decimal format
nssaiSdl: "112233"
amfIpAddress: "10.1.115.101" # amf ip-address currently we can not provide the amf service name to be used by gNB
<pre>gnbNgaIfName: "eth0" #ngap interface</pre>
gnbNgaIpAddress: "10.1.115.100"
<pre>gnbNguIfName: "eth0" #gtu interface for upf/spgwu</pre>
gnbNguIpAddress: "10.1.115.100"
useAdditionalOptions: "sa -Erfsim"

## gNB

<pre>config: timeZone: "Europe/Paris" rfSimulator: "10.1.115.100" fullImsi: "208950000000031" fullKey: "0C0A34601D4F076773 opc: "63bfa50ee6523365ff14c1 dnn: "oai"</pre>	
nssaiSst: "1" nssaiSd: "1"	<pre># configure according to gnb and amf, smf and upf</pre>
useAdditionalOptions: "-E	sarfsim -r 106numerology 1 -C 3619200000nokrnmod"





# Task 2: OAI 5GC deployment using JuJu-Charms TEAM HAWK



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## Demo - Task 2 (Procedures)



Installation of Juju

\$ sudo snap install charmcraft

\$ sudo snap install lxd
\$ sudo adduser \$USER lxd
\$ newgrp lxd
\$ lxd init --auto

\$ sudo snap install juju --classic

## Demo - Task 2 (Procedures)



Get the charms and deploy

git clone https://github.com/charmed-osm/oai-bundle.git

cd oai-bundle
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juju add-model oai-10

./build.sh

juju deploy ./bundle.yaml --trust

ubuntu@hackfest-m	icrok8s-3:~/tmp/oai-bundle\$ ls
README.md	oai-gnb-operator
build.sh	oai-nr-ue-operator
bundle.yaml	oai-nrf-operator
deploy.sh	oai-smf-operator
oai-amf-operator	oai-spgwu-tiny-operator
oai-db-operator	

## Demo - Task 2 (Verification and Testing)



## Check status

ubuntu@hackf Model oai-final-da	Contr	oller	Cloud/R		Versi	on SL	A supported		estamp 21:47z		
App	Version	Status	Scale	Charm		Store	Channel	Rev	OS	Address	Message
amf		active	1	oai-amf		local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.96	
db		active	1	oai-db		local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.191	
gnb		active	1	oai-gnb		local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.183	
nr-ue		active	1	oai-nr-ue	2	local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.120	
nrf		active	1	oai-nrf		local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.95	
smf		active	1	oai-smf		local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.220	
spgwu-tiny		active	1	oai-spgwu	l-tiny	local		0	kubernetes	10.152.183.196	
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## Demo - Task 2 (Issues)



- There were no charms for gnb and nr-ue
- IP with ue: Detected a bug, and reported to @David. Also gave some ideas to solve it

ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~/tmp/oai-bundle\$ microk8s.kubectl -n oai-09 logs amf-0 -c amf | less 2021-09-15T14:10:37.259Z [oai\_amf] [2021-09-15T16:10:37.259104] [AMF] [amf\_n1 ] [error] An error occurred while connecting to db: Unknown MySQL server host '10.1.115.89:3306' (0) 2021-09-15T14:10:37.259Z [oai\_amf] [2021-09-15T16:10:37.259142] [AMF] [amf\_n1] [error] Cannot connect to MySQL 2021-09-15T14:10:37.260Z [oai amf] 0x0000000000000000 2021-09-15T14:10:37.260Z [oai amf] [2021-09-15T16:10:37.260706] [AMF] [nas mm] [warn] IE ie eap message is not available 2021-09-15T14:10:37.290Z [oai amf] [2021-09-15T16:10:37.289780] [AMF] [amf n2] [info] Encoding DOWNLINK NAS TRANSPORT message, sending 2021-09-15T14:10:37.445Z [oai amf] InitiatingMessage ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] procedureCode: 4 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] criticality: 1 (ignore) value: DownlinkNASTransport ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] protocollEs: ProtocollE-Container ::= { DownlinkNASTransport-IEs ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] id: 10 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] criticality: 0 (reject) 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] value: 1 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] DownlinkNASTransport-IEs ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] id: 85 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] criticality: 0 (reject) 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] value: 1037432706 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] DownlinkNASTransport-IEs ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] id: 38 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] criticality: 0 (reject) 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] value: 7E 00 56 02 02 00 00 21 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 20 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai\_amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.446Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.447Z [oai amf] 2021-09-15T14:10:37.448Z [oai\_amf] er.encoded(552) 2021-09-15T14:10:37.524Z [oai amf] [2021-09-15T16:10:37.524488] [AMF] [sctp ] [info ] \*\*\*\* [Assoc id 67, Socket 19] Received a msg (length 67) from port 38412, on stream 1, PPID 60 \*\*\*\* 2021-09-15T14:10:37.525Z [oai amf] InitiatingMessage ::= { 2021-09-15T14:10:37.525Z [oai amf] procedureCode: 46 2021-09-15T14:10:37.525Z [oai amf] criticality: 1 (ignore)



# Task-3: OAI 5GC deployment and scaling using OSM TEAM HAWK



## Demo - Task 3 (Procedures)



nsd:	
nsd:	
- df:	
- id: default-df	
vnf-profile:	
- id: oai_k8s_charm-vnf	
virtual-link-connectivity:	
- constituent-cpd-id:	
<ul> <li>constituent-base-element-id: oai_k8s_charm-vnf</li> </ul>	
constituent-cpd-id: mgmt-ext	
virtual-link-profile-id: osm-ext	
vnfd-id: oai_k8s_charm-vnf	
id: oai_k8s_charm-ns	
name: oai_k8s_charm-ns	
version: '1.0'	
virtual-link-desc:	
- id: osm-ext	
mgmt-network: true	
vnfd-id:	
- oai_k8s_charm-vnf	

<b>vnfd:</b> df: - id: default-df	
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ext-cpd:	
- id: mgmt-ext	
k8s-cluster-net: osm-ext	
id: oai_k8s_charm-vnf	
k8s-cluster:	
nets:	
- id: osm-ext	
kdu:	
- name: oai-kdu	
juju-bundle: bundle.yaml	
mgmt-cp: mgmt-ext	
product-name: oai_k8s_charm-vnf	

## Demo - Task 3 (Procedures)



	n-3:~\$ osm ns-list				
++   ns instance name   id	+	+ date	ns state	current operation	error details
++   test   7d	+ d98dacd-cb37-4060-b8a4-85f605a6f788	+   2021-09-16T15:58:41	READY	IDLE (None)	+   N/A

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
modeloperator-68b766fffc-5m5bs	1/1	Running	0	92m
db-0	2/2	Running	0	92m
nrf-0	3/3	Running	0	91m
nr-ue-0	3/3	Running	0	91m
amf-0	3/3	Running	0	91m
gnb-0	3/3	Running	0	91m
spgwu-tiny-0	3/3	Running	0	91m
smf-0	3/3	Running	0	91m

## Demo - Task 3 (Procedures)



kdu-resource-profile:

 - id: oai5g kdu-name: oai-kdu resource-name: gnb min-number-of-instances: 1 max-number-of-instances: 3
 scaling-aspect:

- id: scale-kdu
 name: scale-kdu
 max-scale-level: 10
 aspect-delta-details:
 deltas:

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 - id: kdu-delta kdu-resource-delta:

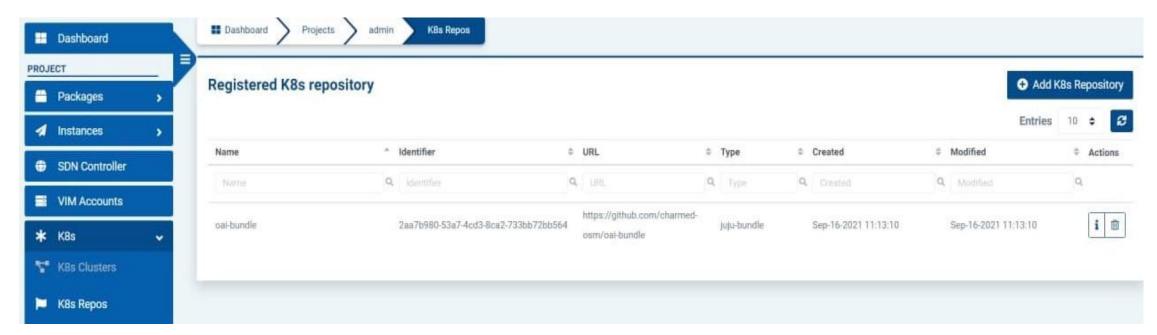
- id: oai5g number-of-instances: 1 osm vnf-scale [ns\_name] [vnf\_name] --scaling-group scale-kdu --scale-out/in

ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~\$ ku	ubectl ge	et pods -n	oai-kdu-7d	98dacd-cb37-4060-b8a4-85f605a6f788
NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
nodeloperator-68b766fffc-5m5bs	1/1	Running	Θ	8m8s
db - 0	2/2	Running	Θ	7m51s
nrf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	7m19s
nr-ue-0	3/3	Running	Θ	7m9s
amf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	6m59s
gnb-0	3/3	Running	Θ	6m49s
spgwu-tiny-0	3/3	Running	Θ	6m49s
smf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	6m49s
gnb - 1	3/3	Running	Θ	76s
ubuntu@hack†est-mıcrok8s-3:~\$ ku	ubectl ge	et pods -n	oa1-kdu-7d	98dacd-cb37-4060-b8a4-85f605a6f788
NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
nodeloperator-68b766fffc-5m5bs	1/1	Running	Θ	20m
db - 0	2/2	Running	Θ	19m
nrf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	19m
nr-ue-0	3/3	Running	Θ	19m
amf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	18m
gnb-0	3/3	Running	Θ	18m
spgwu-tiny-0	3/3	Running	Θ	18m
smf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	18m



**Error**: Stage 2/5: deployment of KDUs, VMs and execution environments. 1/2. Errors: Deploying KDU oai-kdu: [Errno 2] No such file or directory: ". VIM: (progress 0/1)

**Cause:** We were trying to use a k8s repo from OSM.



## **Solution**: Include the Juju Bundles inside the VNF package.



# TASK 4-5: Automatic Parameter change and scaling TEAM HAWK



# Task 4 and 5: Actions taken



- We explored several options to perform automatic scaling and parameter changes.
- One of the aspects we explored was the part of "scaling policy" in the vnfd, similar to vdus

```
scaling-group-descriptor:
  name: "cpu_autoscaling_descriptor"
    min-instance-count: 0
    max-instance-count: 10
   scaling-policy:
       name: "cpu scaling policy"
        scaling-type: "automatic"
        cooldown-time: 120
        scaling-criteria:

    name: "cpu_autoscaling_criteria"

            scale-in-threshold: 20
            scale-in-relational-operation: "LT"
            scale-out-threshold: 80
            scale-out-relational-operation: "GT"
            vnf-monitoring-param-ref: "vnf01_cpu_util"
    vdu:
       count: 1
        vdu-id-ref: vdu01
```

Upon further exploration we did not see that the OSM vnfd model supports similar scaling properties for the kdus.

Is that supposed to be available in a future release?

• Another aspect was to look charms.py and create new actions in the actions.yaml file. The relationship on how the actions.yaml helps in auto-scaling and param change is quite unclear.

## Task 4 and 5: Actions taken



• We used David's scripts to do the oai-gnb scaling

ubuntu@hackfest-microk8s-3:~\$ ku		jet pods -n	oai-kdu-sca	aling-7781d0	18-79c†-4343-86e	d-a2/30d9	31249			
NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE						
modeloperator-5957b4ccc6-pllhx	1/1	Running	Θ	18m						
db-0	2/2	Running	Θ	18m						
amf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
smf-0	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
gnb - 1	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
nrt-0	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
nr-ue-0	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
spgwu-tiny-0	3/3	Running	Θ	17m						
gnb-0	3/3	Running	Θ	16m						
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## Task 4 and 5: Actions taken



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	VNF Instances	Model 1 (Cloud/Region): cloud-f6f9	c9a1-e19d-4505-8bb1-2803	edf45942/ default							
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/	Operational Dashboard	• amf	active	1	oai-	amf	local	<b>\$</b> °°			1
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/	SDN Controller	• gnb	active	2	oai-	gnb	local	¢°	E		
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	<b>*</b> K8s >	• nrf	active	1	oai-i	nrf	local	\$			
/	OSM Repositories	● smf	active	1	oai-	smf	local	\$			
	WIM Accounts	• spgwu-tiny	active	1	oai-	spgwu-tiny	local	\$			
	ADMIN	Unit		Workload	Agent	Machine	Public Address / Address		Me	ssage	
	Projects	• amf/0 (Leader)		active	idle		10.1.115.104				
/	📇 Users	• db/0 (Leader)		active	idle	-	10.1.115.102				
/		• gnb/0 (Leader)		active	idle	878	10.1.115.124				
1	🚉 Roles	• gnb/1		active	idle	873	10.1.115.103				1
P		<ul> <li>nr-ue/0 (Leader)</li> </ul>		active	idle	875	10.1.115.78				1
We can see that two		<ul> <li>nrf/0 (Leader)</li> </ul>		active	idle	1.73	10.1.115.75				
		<ul> <li>smf/0 (Leader)</li> </ul>		active	idle	-	10.1.115.106				
gNBs have been		<ul> <li>spgwu-tiny/0 (Leader)</li> </ul>		active	idle	-	10.1.115.86				
scaled OSM view		Relation Provider		R	Requirer			Interface	Туре		
		amf:nrf nrf:nrf		а	mf:nrf nrf:nrf			nrf	prov	vider	
		smf:nrf nrf:nrf		s	mf:nrf nrf:nrf			nrf	prov	vider	
		spgwu-tiny:nrf nrf:nrf		S	pgwu-tiny:nrf nrf:nrf			nrf	prov	vider	



## CONCLUSION TEAM HAWK







- Achievements: We finished Tasks 1,2,3, and 5.
- We learnt quite a bit collectively about deploying a 5GC and testing it, using k8s, juju-charms, and OSM
- We also learnt to identify the issues and solve them collectively. We would like to mention @Sagar @Maciej @DavidGarcia @Endika specially for helping us throughout this process
- We identified certain issues as well as suggestions during this entire process:
  - Probably an initial survey on the level of the participants can help in better planning of the resources that need to be made available for the hackfest
  - The nr-ue has some connectivity issues when deployed through juju-charms and through OSM, we already raised this issue with David and would love to help in anyway possible
  - We believe that kdu scaling at present is a bit cumbersome. Scaling policy needs to be extended to the kdus similar to vdus, and hence, monitoring params also need to be defined for kdus
- The most amazing part was: we collaborated and learnt how to function as a team in such a short space of time!



## THANK YOU

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