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I tried several times to experiment with Docker swarm but nearly all the tools are deprecated (Docker machine) so I gave up & learned Kubernetes

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Same. I love swarm too but the market had decided kubernetes and everything died. Nail in the coffin was when mirantis bought it.

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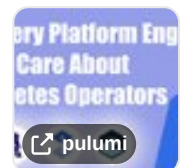
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