

**#1 Kubernetes Data Protection and Mobility** 

# Veeam Kasten for Kubernetes

# Cloud-native Security and Enterprise Scale

As Kubernetes adoption accelerates in the cloud-native era, organizations need to address the critical requirement of protecting their Kubernetes applications. To keep business running, robust protection and recovery of the entire application — along with data services — must be addressed to overcome misconfiguration, outage, and security threats that compromise availability.

Containers play a pivotal role in the development of cloud-native applications. According to an ESG survey conducted for Veeam Kasten in 2022, 83% of enterprises are projected to adopt containers by 2024. Additionally, Kubernetes has emerged as the go-to container orchestration platform, with 66% of organizations currently using it in production. Notably, a Cloud Native Computing Foundation February 2024 blog post, "The 2024 Trends on Cloud Computing", by Kelsey Hightower and Alex Saroyan, emphasizes that effective workload management, regardless of hosting location, will be the primary focus of cloud strategy in 2024.

Kubernetes deployments are expanding due to their ability to support distributed locations, cluster groupings, and the rising popularity of edge traffic. Furthermore, databases and other stateful applications are becoming more diverse in terms of capabilities and deployment

# Why Legacy Backup Fails Kubernetes Workloads



- Volume backup does not fully protect cloud-native applications and data.
- Protecting cloud-native workloads with traditional backup solutions increases management cost.
- Traditional software tools lack visibility into Kubernetes applications and data.
- Legacy backup solutions do not scale with your enterprise Kubernetes workloads.
- Standard backup does not protect your Kubernetes applications/workloads against ransomware attacks.

patterns (e.g., in cluster and DBaaS). Lastly, the workloads on Kubernetes, whether newly developed or revamped, exhibit increasing diversity, which highlights the growing importance of virtual machines (VMs) within the Kubernetes ecosystem. These trends emphasize the necessity of not only prioritizing backing up Kubernetes applications and their data, but natively managing the applications themselves among cloud platforms.

### Veeam Kasten for Kubernetes Use Cases



## Backup and Restore

Protect your cloud native Kubernetes and VM applications while preserving business-critical data.



# Disaster Recovery

Manage how backups are replicated off-site to meet business and regulatory requirements.



# Application Mobility

Move applications between clouds and on-premises for test/dev, load balancing, data management, and upgrades.



# Ransomware Protection

Protect your Kubernetes platform during cyberattacks to preserve business continuity.

**Red Hat OpenShift Virtualization** 

OpenShift Virtualization virtual machines

Automatically deploy and protect

patterns and production-ready best

Extend industry-leading, Kubernetes-

unify VM and container management.

**Immutable Restore Point Visibility** 

Recover applications and data

with confidence by easily identifying whether a restore

point is immutable or not.

**Kasten DR Enhancements** 

Enable rapid, in-place recovery

of Veeam Kasten itself via nextgeneration architecture and

GitOps-ready configuration.

native resilience to SUSE Virtualization to

(VMs) at the edge with validated

practices and GitOps.

**SUSE Virtualization** 



# Why Veeam Kasten for Kubernetes?

Veeam Kasten delivers secure, Kubernetes-native data protection and application mobility at scale and across a wide range of distributions and platforms. Proven to recover entire applications simply, quickly, and reliably, Kasten gives operations and application teams the confidence to withstand the unexpected.

### **Key capabilities**

#### **Data Scaling Enhancements**

Protect large-scale application volumes, including millions of files, and optimize backup and restore for more efficient operations.

#### **Granular Data Mover**

Dynamically allocate data mover CPU and memory resources on a per-application basis for more efficient resource utilization.

#### **CBT for Microsoft Azure**

Improve export performance and lower resource consumption for Azure Managed Disk volumes with changed block tracking (CBT) integration.

#### Red Hat OpenShift Dynamic Console

Get critical insights into data protection operations and gain quick access to the Veeam Kasten dashboard directly from OpenShift's console.

#### **How Veeam Kasten Works**

#### Discover

Automated discovery of your Kubernetes application.

#### **Protect**

identify and protect system applications.

Secure your Kubernetes applications and data.

Quick to deploy and easy to use via a state-of-the-art management interface or cloud native API. Enables DevOps with the agility to

# Google Cloud Storage Immutability

Protect your backups from ransomware attacks with object lock integration with Google Cloud Storage.

#### Multi-cluster FIPS Support

Bolster security and adhere to strict benchmarks and best practices fit for governments, now with expanded Kasten multi-cluster management for OpenShift.

#### **Azure Federated Identity**

Eliminate credential risks with our newly supported Azure Identity Federation for OpenShift.

#### **OpenShift Security Enhancements**

By leveraging new annotations in OpenShift, Veeam Kasten can now ensure precise and secure control over workload permissions.

Quickly and effectively restore your

#### Restore

Kubernetes applications and data.







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