



Sterling SkyWave GPU Partition Plugin

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<https://sterling.com/skywave/>

Overview

This plugin provides a blueprint to configure the ARC-OTA gNB GPU in a Supermicro GH200 server into multiple MIG partitions. This allows the end researcher to experiment with multiple simultaneous GPU accelerated workloads using a single server.

MIG Partitions

The included configuration creates two MIG partitions.

Partition	SMs	Memory	Use Case
0	4	48 GB	Aerial cuBB Layer1
1	3	48 GB	Other CUDA Applications

Modifying the MIG Configuration

This release includes a configmap (skywave-service-management/files/custom-mig-parted-config.yaml) that defines a custom profile (mixed-3g4g.48gb). If the default configuration listed above does not meet the end researcher's needs, the configmap can be edited to create additional profiles. Customizing the configmap should be edited prior to following the installation process below.

Installation Process

1. Create the MIG Partition configmap.

```
kubectl create configmap custom-mig-parted-config --from-file=config.yaml=/home/aerial/skywave-service-management/files/custom-mig-parted-config.yaml -n gpu-operator
```

2. Edit the cluster policy to set the new configmap as the active configuration.

```
kubectl patch clusterpolicy -n gpu-operator cluster-policy --type json -p='[{"op": "replace", "path": "/spec/migManager/config/name", "value": "custom-mig-parted-config"}]'
```

3. Label the node to create the MIG partitions.

```
kubectl label nodes `hostname` nvidia.com/mig.config=mixed-3g4g.48gb --overwrite
```

4. Verify the MIG configuration.

```
kubectl exec -n gpu-operator `kubectl get pods -n gpu-operator | grep nvidia-driver-daemonset | cut -d' ' -f 1` -- bash -c "/usr/bin/nvidia-smi"
```

```

+-----+
| NVIDIA-SMI 535.129.03                 Driver Version: 535.129.03    CUDA Version: 12.2 |
+-----+
| GPU  Name                  Persistence-M | Bus-Id     Disp.A  | Volatile Uncorr. ECC | | |
| Fan  Temp     Perf          Pwr:Usage/Cap |          Memory-Usage | GPU-Util Compute M. |
|                   |                               |          |           | MIG M. |
+-----+
| 0  GH200  480GB             On           00000009:01:00.0 Off   |          On | | | |
| N/A  29C     P0              89W / 900W | 88MiB / 97871MiB | N/A      Default |
|                   |                               |          |           | Enabled |
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| MIG devices:                |
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| GPU  GI  CI  MIG |          Memory-Usage |          Vol| Shared   | |
|       ID  ID  Dev |          BAR1-Usage | SM  Unc| CE ENC DEC OFA JPG |
|                   |          |          | ECC|        |
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| 0  1  0  0 |          50MiB / 47616MiB | 64  0 | 4  0  4  0  4 |
|           |          0MiB / 0MiB |          |          |          |          |
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| 0  2  0  1 |          37MiB / 47616MiB | 60  0 | 3  0  3  0  3 |
|           |          0MiB / 0MiB |          |          |          |          |
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| Processes:                  |
+-----+
| GPU  GI  CI          PID  Type  Process name          GPU Memory |
|       ID  ID          ID   ID          | Usage          |
+-----+
| No running processes found |
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