# Dubbo and Weidian's Practice on Microservice Architecture

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# Who's Weidian ?

Weidian is a app of China to help sellers open their shop on mobile phones. Anyone can open their own shop through mobile phone numbers.

**Scale**
70 million

- 70 million stores, 1 billion goods; 9P data
- Payment, search, recommendation, risk control, IM, transaction, open platform, advertising, supply chain...

**Security**
600 million / day

- 5.6 million attacks / days;
- CC、SQLInjection、XSS、CSRF ...
- 600 million + daily visit of crawlers...

**Cost**
Tens of millions / year

- In IDC, 2016/2017, our total expenditure is tens of millions of RMB.

**Efficiency**
600+

- 600+ RD work together
- 60 times a day on the line, 400+ release (including test / Pre deployment environment)

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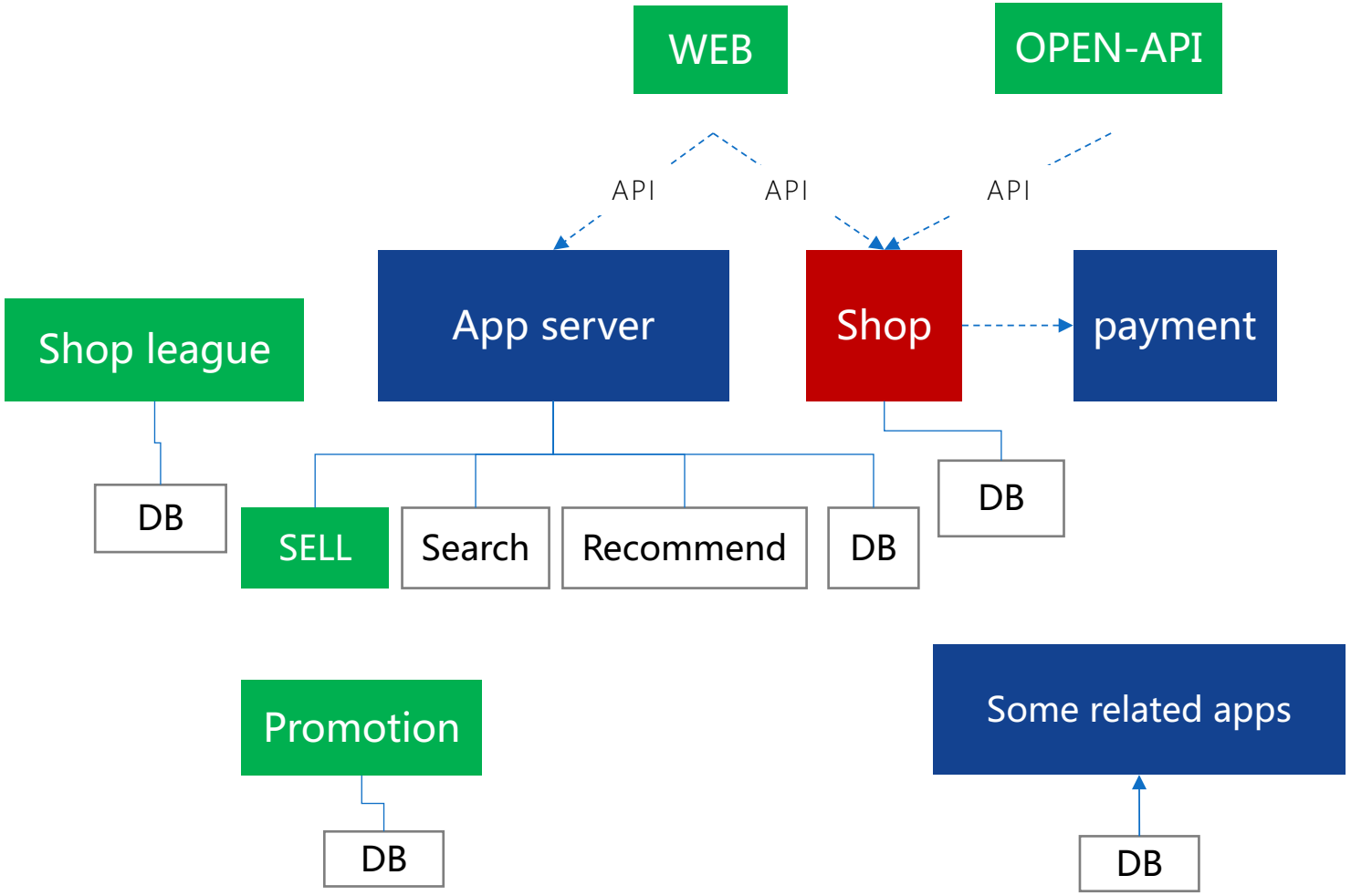
# Monolithic application stage



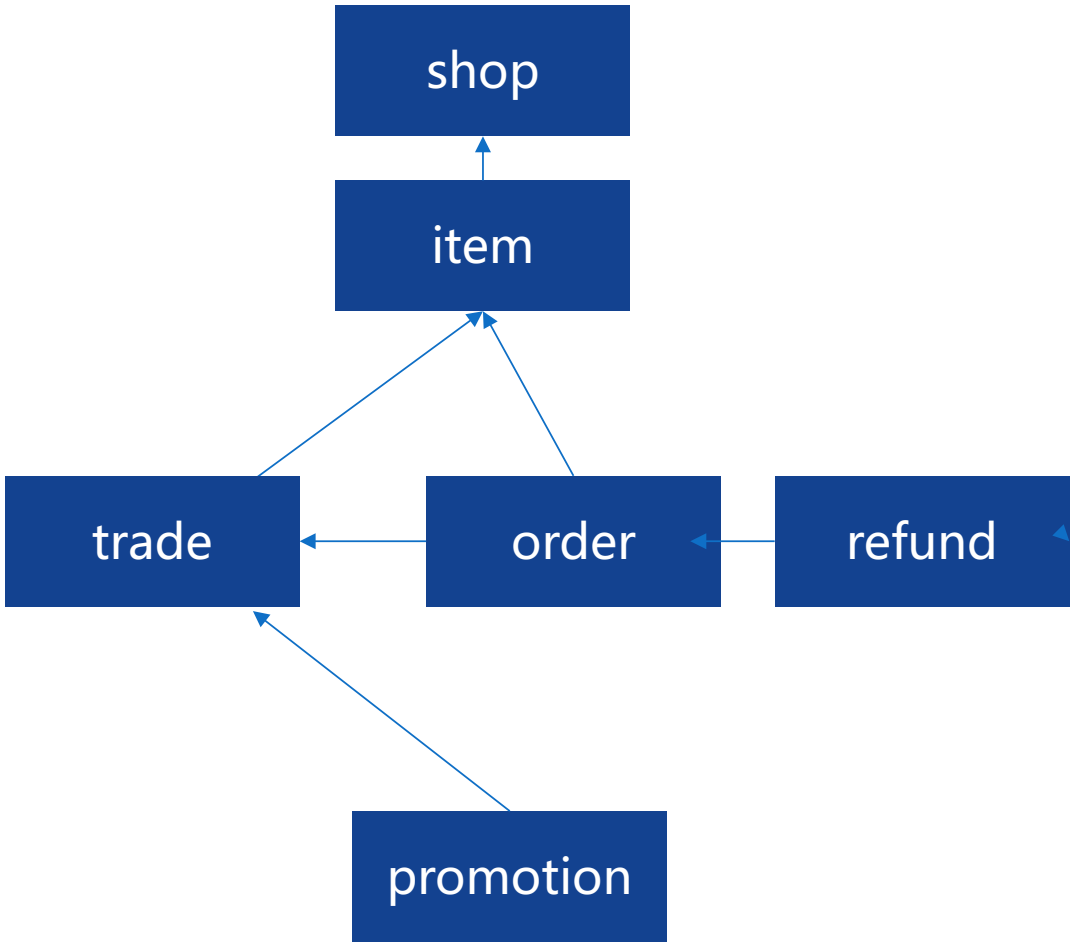

## Technology stack

- PHP
- Nginx
- Mysql
- Redis

## Technology stack

- Testing is difficult: requires all functional regression
- Scalability: weak
- Edge BUG, such as dead loop, OOM, and so on, drag down the entire site.

# Multi module stage



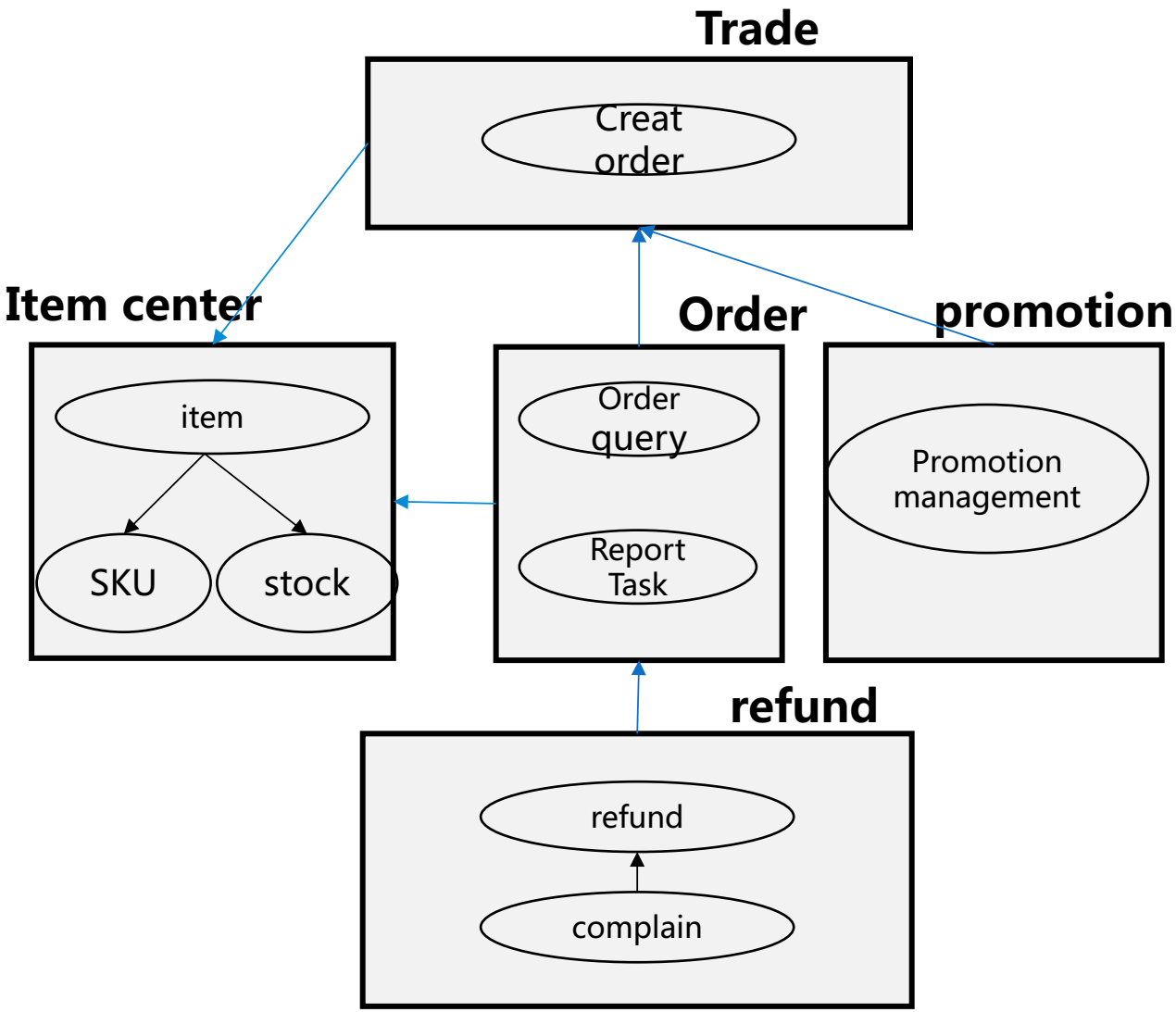

## Technology stack

- PHP
- Nginx
- Mysql
- Redis

## Problems encountered

- Code splitting, independent deployment, process isolation, technology stack has not changed much.
- Problems：
  - It is difficult to upgrade，because need to push the whole site
  - The pressure of the database connection pool is great

# Servitization stage




- **Service group appears, order center : item center, trading center, etc.**
- **Technology stack:**
  - Dubbo
  - VTrace
  - Vdds
- **Technology stack:**
  - Problem tracking is difficult
  - Configuration is troublesome, ops have heavy work
  - Difficulty in testing: interference with each other

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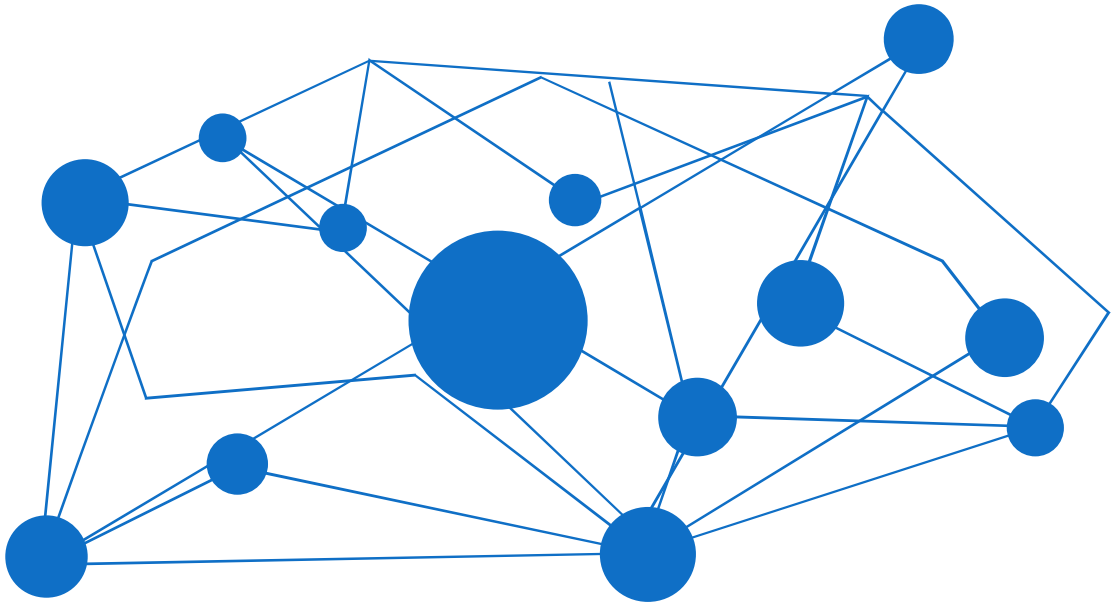
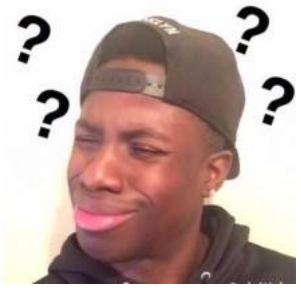
# Servitization-Module split



Complex business relations




**How to split the module?**

- Consider the business first VS Consider the data table first?
- Should the number of lines of code be used as the basis for subcontracting?
- How to balance the pursuit of design, engineering, and operation?

# Servitization-Module split

Microservices - the new architectural style

*Martin Fowler, Mar 2014*

◆ **Microservice:**

- System consisting of distributed services
- Organize organizations by business rather than technology
- Automated operation and maintenance
- Rapid evolution of service iteration

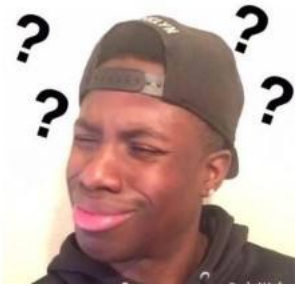
◆ **DDD Domain-driven Design**

- Solve core issues in the domain by building domain models
- Implementation of code driven by domain models
- Technical architecture design or data storage, etc. are on the periphery of the domain model
- DDD vs SSI ( spring+hibernate ) : congestion model / blood loss model

## Split principle:

- DDD Business-driven
- Balance of design, engineering, operations, etc.
- Progressive evolution

# Servitization-Automated deployment



**Ops and deployment problem**

- Services, the configuration workload is getting bigger, how to ensure that no mistakes are made?
- How to ensure that the test system is independent according to business needs?
- How to implement the CI/CD pipeline system?
- How do you fully squeeze the usage of the infrastructure (CPU/memory/disk/network)?

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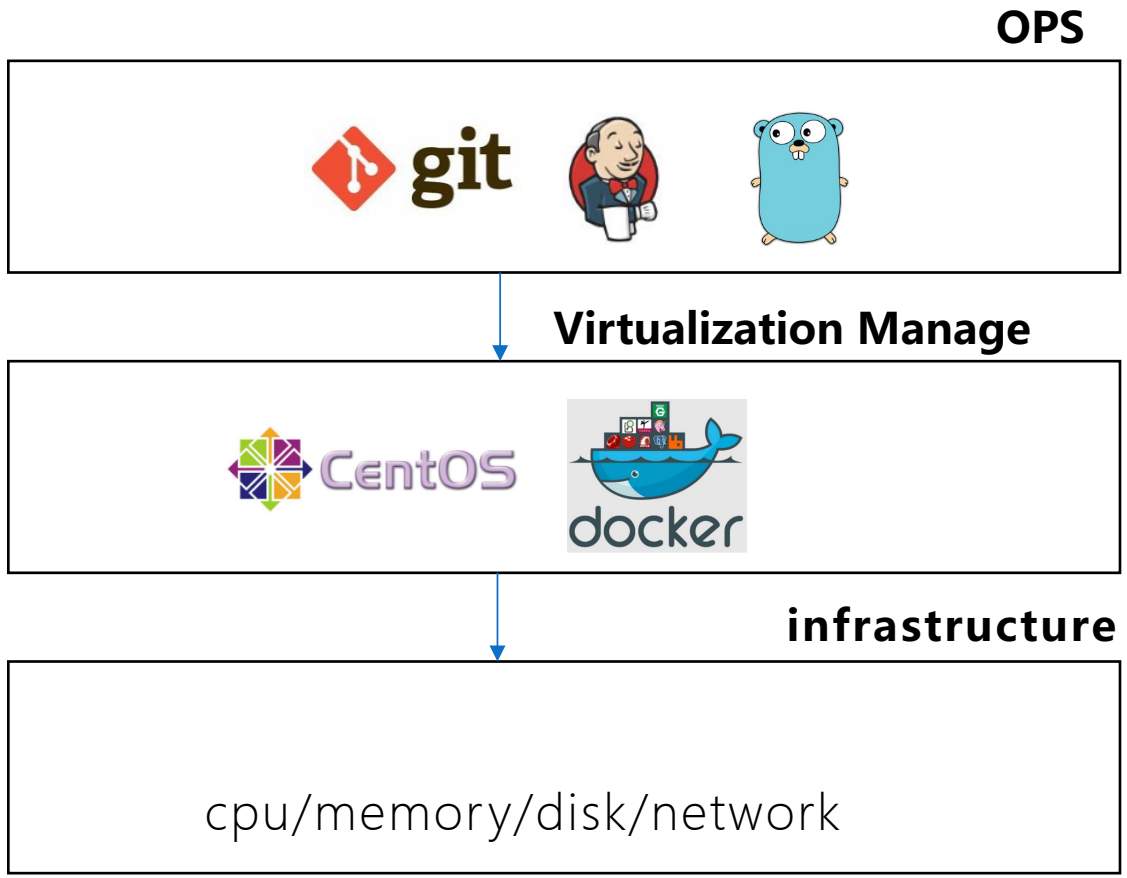
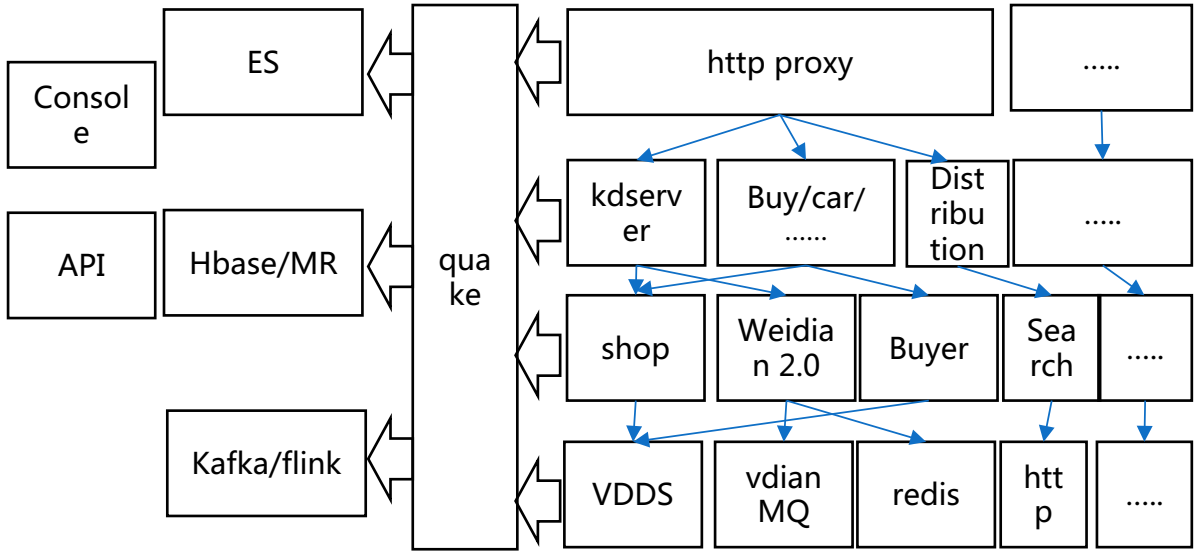
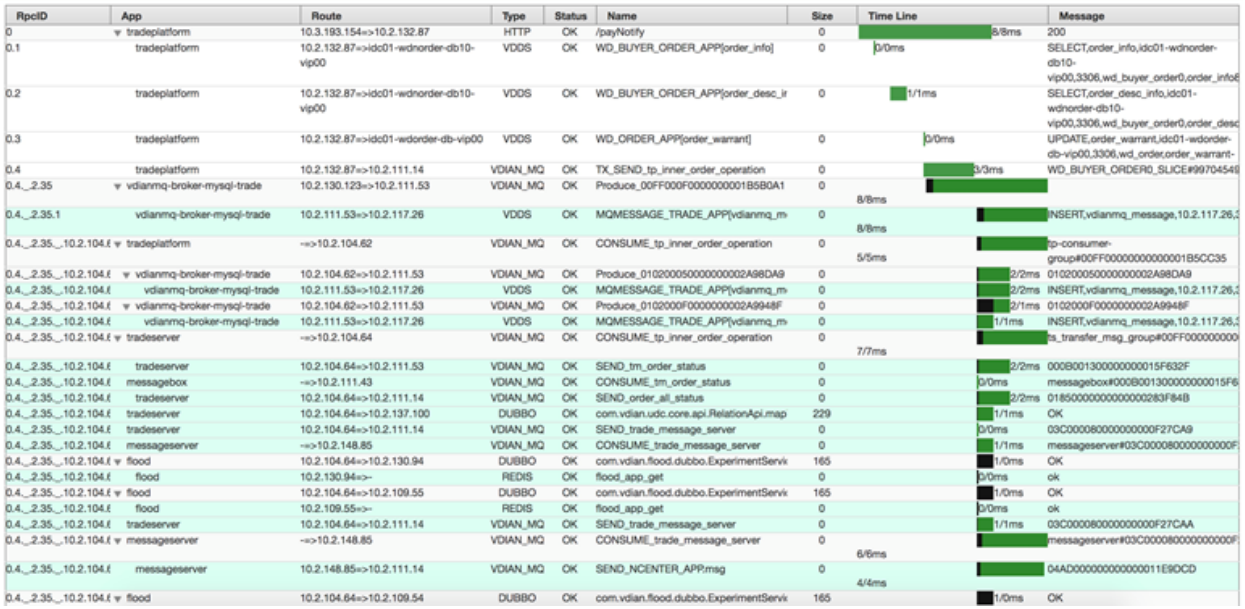



- **OS version**
  - •Centos7.2
- **Virtualization**
  - • KVM
  - • Docker
- Network mode
  - • Bridge
    - ✓ Pipework
    - ✓ Libvirt
  - • Configuring unique IP, and interworking all over the network

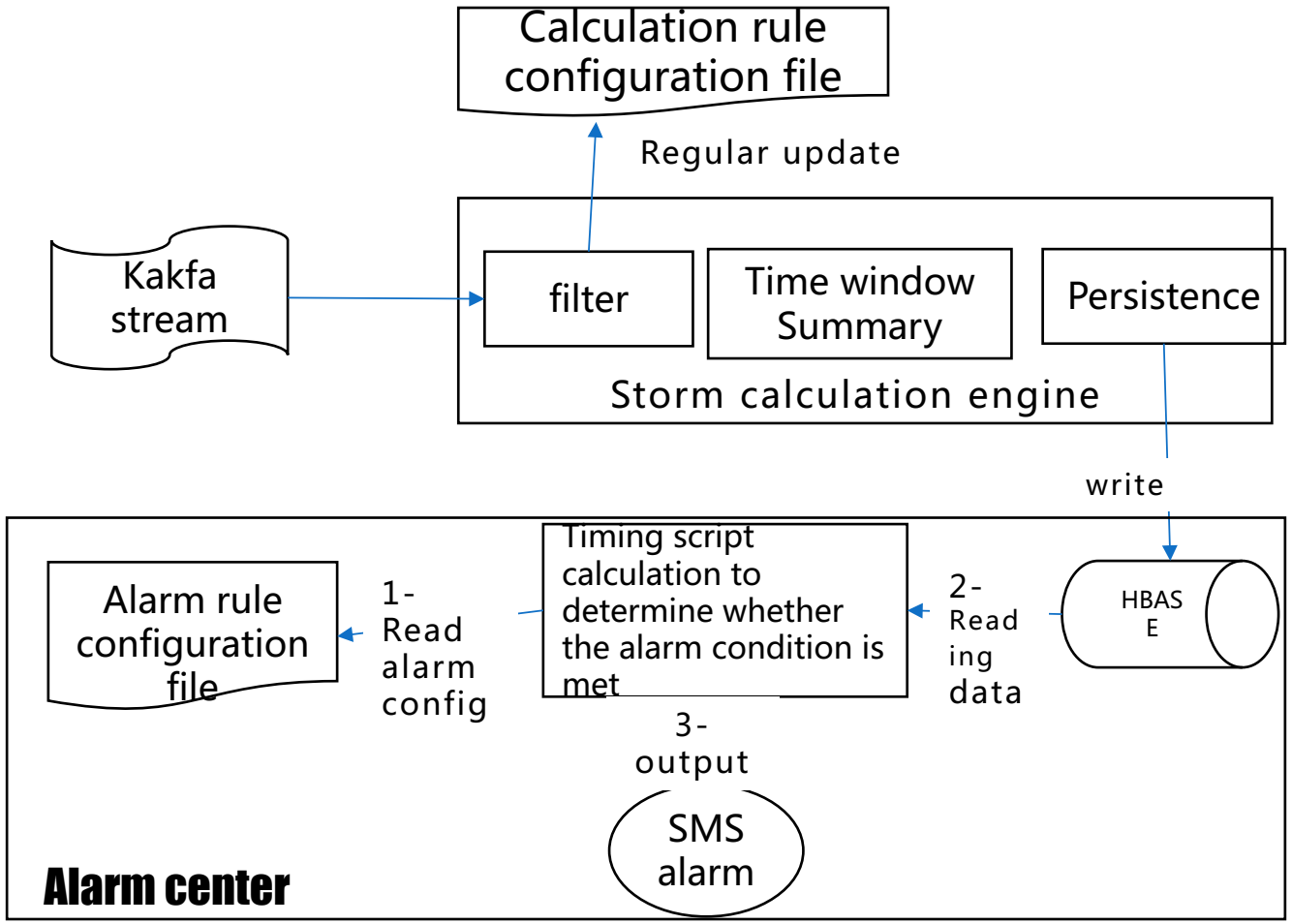
# Servitization-Call link tracking




- Dapper: rpc tracks the basis of the paper
- Rpc framework generation, no business intrusion
- Trace Id: initial call to generate uuid string
- Each rpc call generates a span while recording the parent span
- Full support for other middleware：tomcat/dubbo/vdianMQ/vdds/redisClient

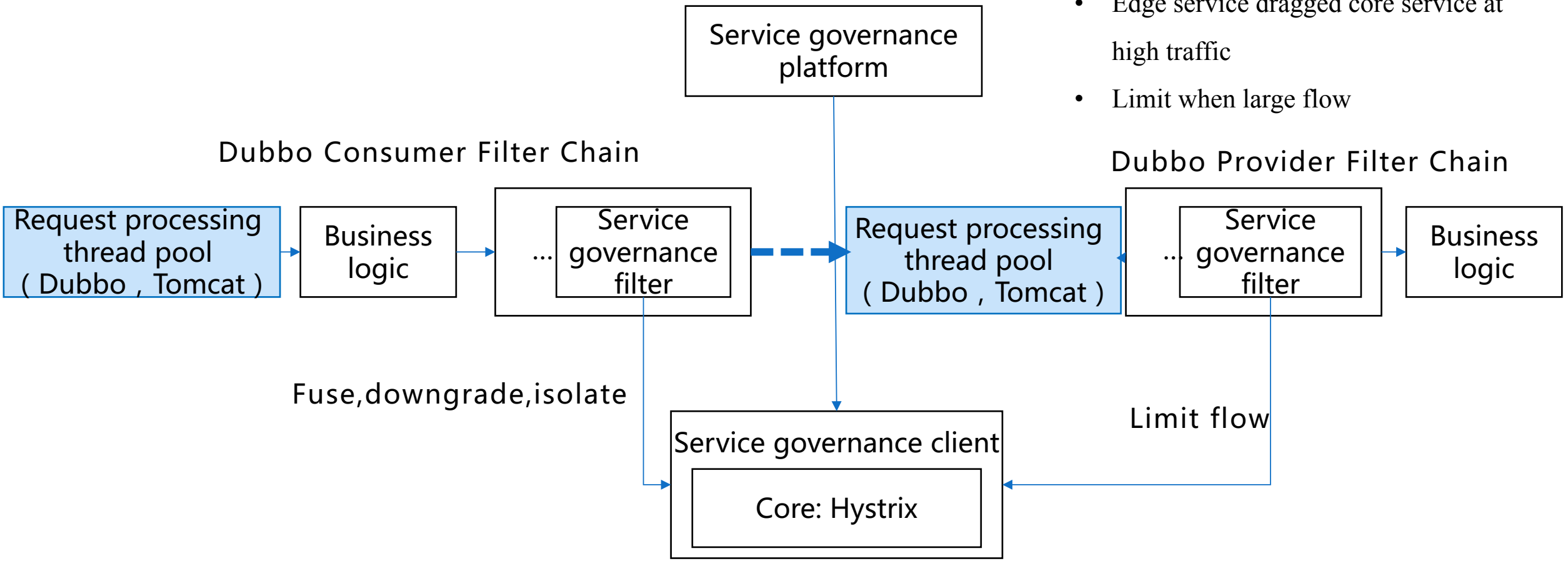
# Servitization-Application service monitoring, alarm



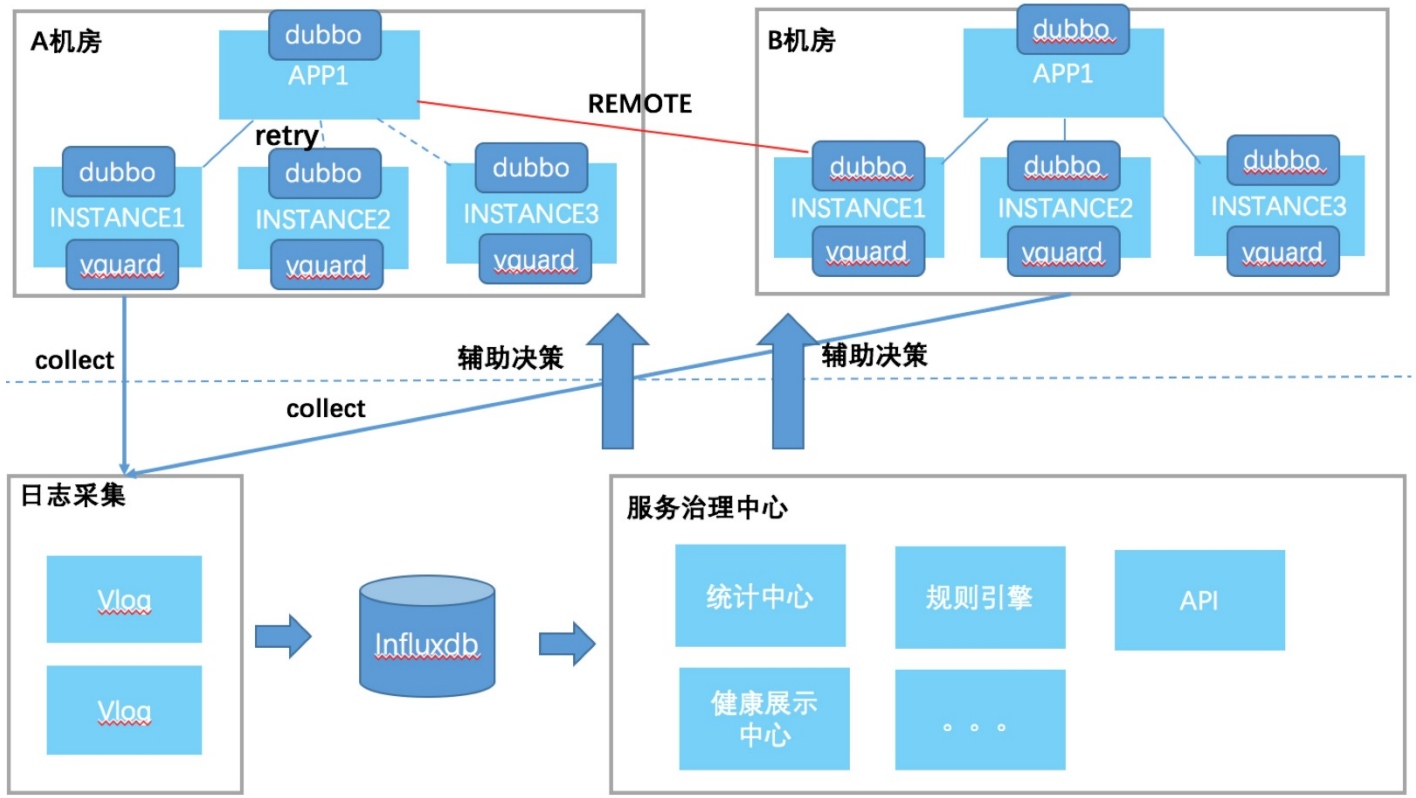

- **Application service monitoring, alarm**
  - Vmonitor agent collects rpc trace logs
  - Alarm rule configuration (traffic exception/service exception super threshold...)
- **Solved problems:**
  - Abnormal traffic warning
  - Error warning

# Servitization-Application fuse, limit flow

- **Solved problems:**
  - Edge service dragged core service at high traffic
  - Limit when large flow



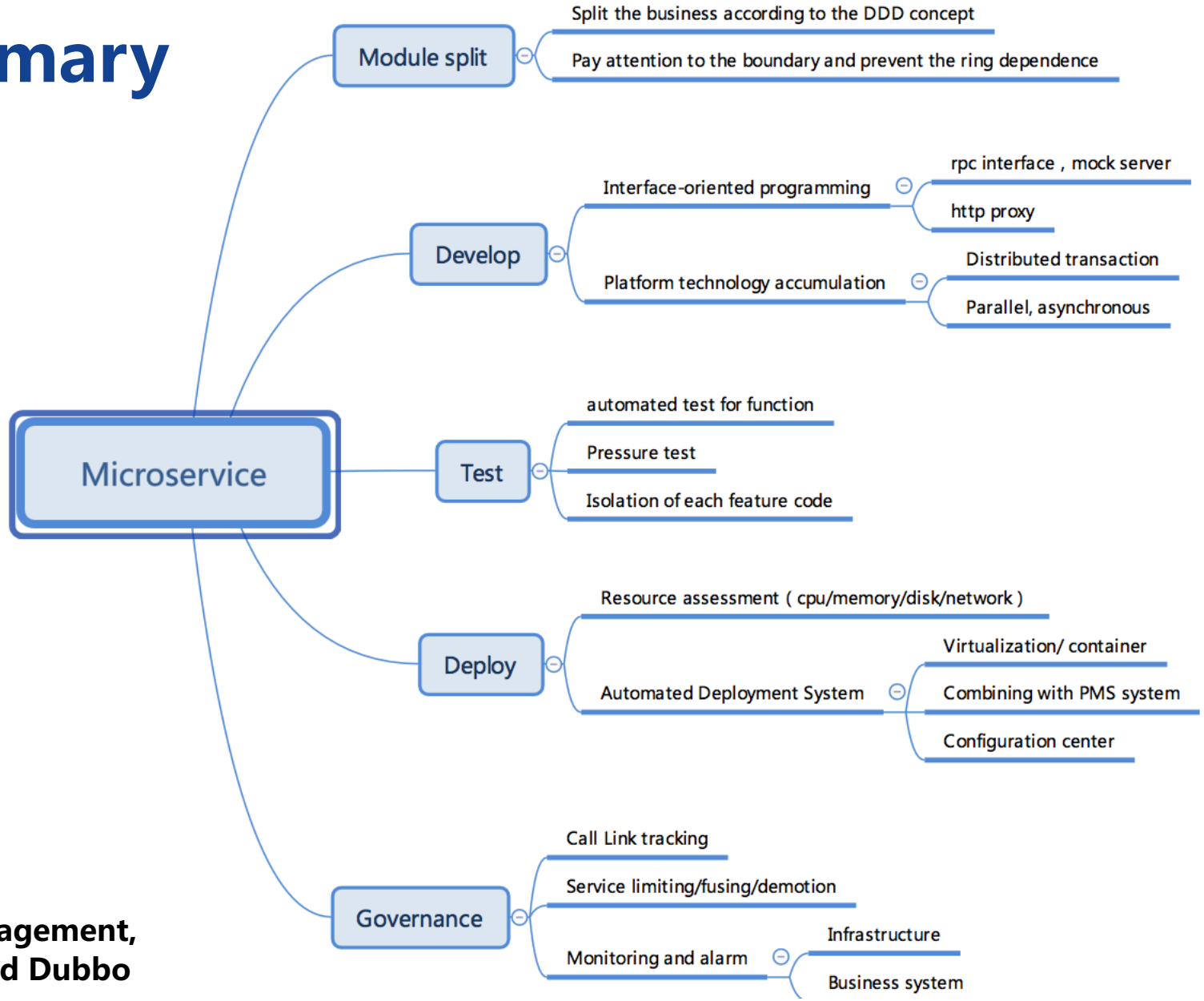
# Servitization-Business challenge: double alive




- **Requirement:** **Computer room migration(Double alive in the same city)**
- **Strategy：**
  - New and old machine room share a Dubbo root root node
  - The service of the new computer room is registered under the same service directory. In the URL, the belongTo attribute needs to be added.
  - If all the local services are down, the router will be routed to the remote execution.
- **Changes：**
  - The Dubbo router policy needs to be re implementeddubbo
  - The timeout retry strategy needs to be reimplemented

# Servitization-Summary

Thanks to Dubbo's support for the business


**Summary**: using Dubbo to do service management, we should make efforts in all around Dubbo

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# About the future-Giving back to the community

## How to replace the dubbo version of the private maintenance with the latest dubbo version?

- Serialization compatibility (in the rolling upgrade, the business is guaranteed to be ordered)
- After graduating from the apache community, the package will be changed from com.alibaba.dubbo to org.apache.dubbo and will provide an extension.


## Private dubbo version, how to integrate with the official version of dubbo?

- Please submit your private extension to the dubbo communitydubbo
- Dubbo official will make the best practices in the following areas: rpc tracking, current-limiting fuse, multi-language support, etc.

# About the future-Multi-language support

- **Method：**

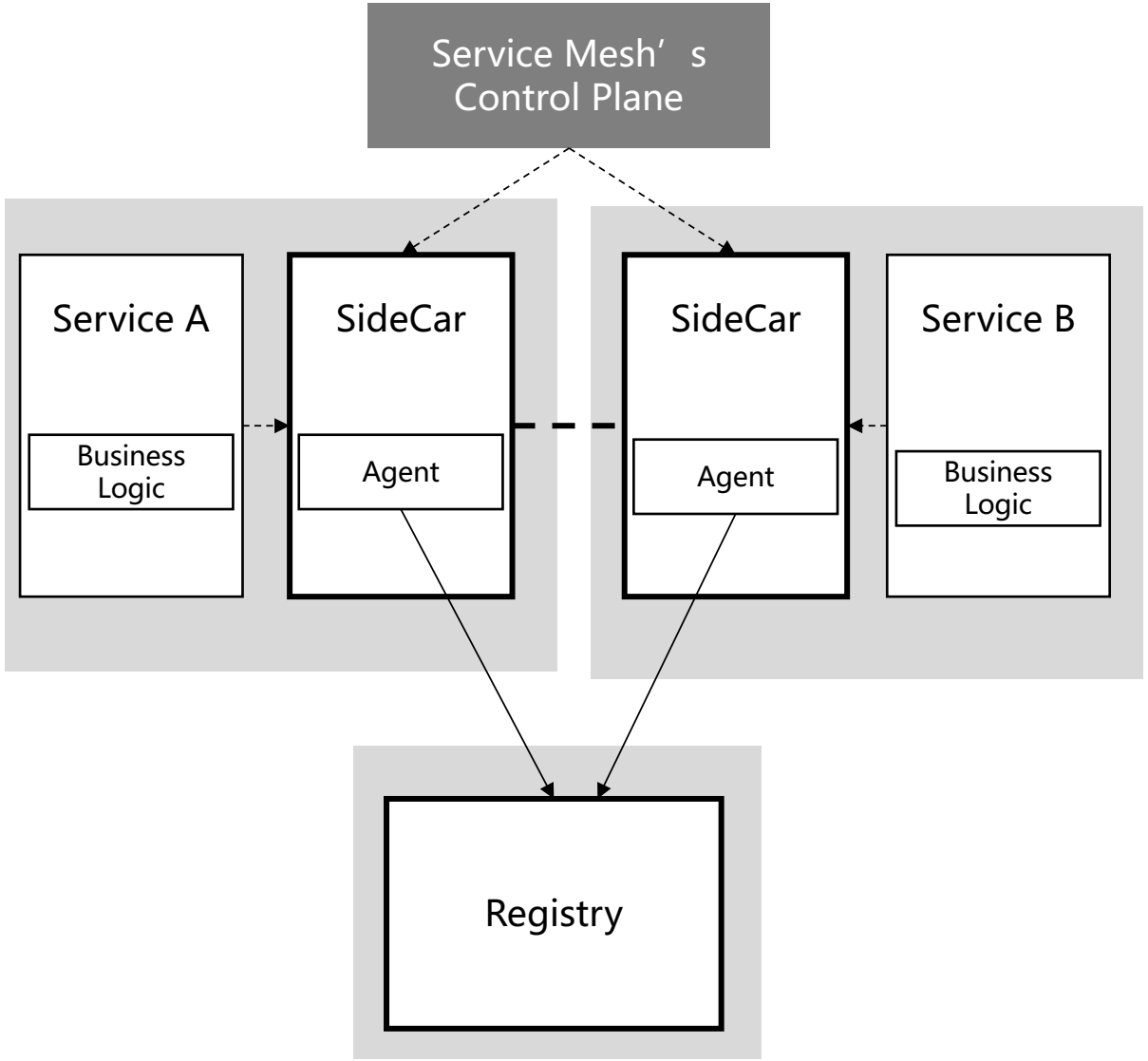
Use a effective  language to develop a agent, other than JAVA language can interact through the agent process and registry. (Service mesh sidecar mode)

## Benefit ：

No need to implement a dubbo client in every language (in multi-language communication, thrift, gRPC and other serialization frameworks based on tcp protocol will perform better than http1+json) serialization

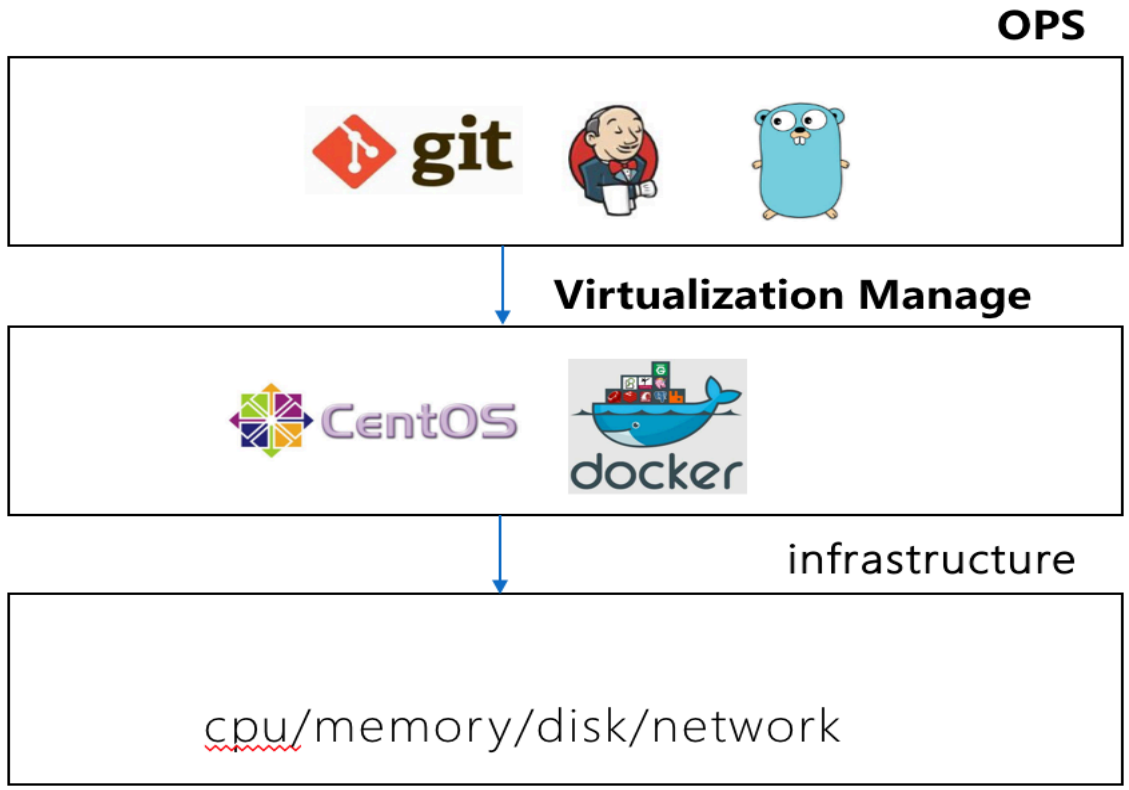
## Problem：

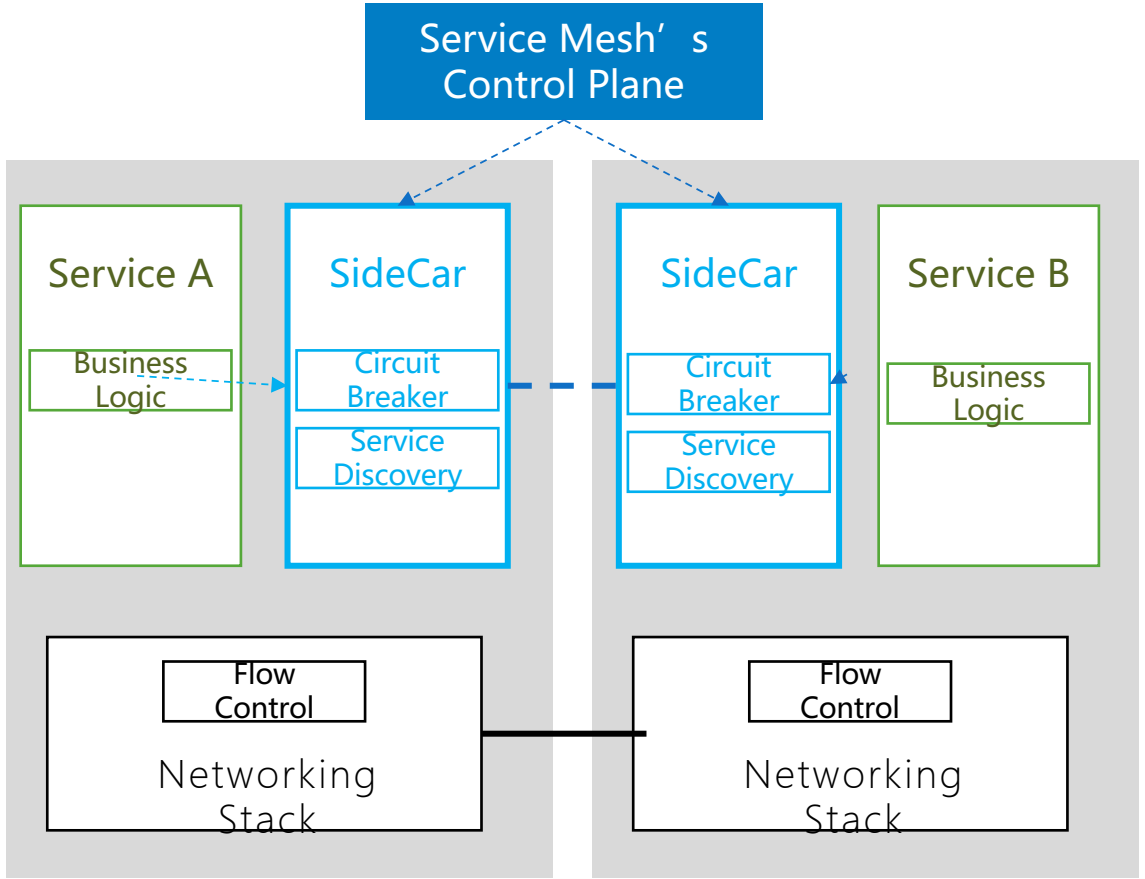
A node has been added: when the agent process is abnormal or hangs, the business process of the agent service has to remove the traffic.



# About the future- Silver Bullet or not，When dubbo meet Service mesh

**View:** 1. For the use of technology, it depends on the stage of business development. 2. For the new technology ecology: Please use some of his ideas, such as sidecar, such as this multi-language client practice



# About the future- Dubbo+Reactive programming

## Principle of Finagle:

1, Service as a function;

2, function is in line with the functional programming paradigm: transparent reference, no side effects, can be combined, can be transformed, etc.;

3, the return value of the function is unified Fututre [Xxx] / Try [Xxx] / Option [Xxx]. Try and so is a Monad Tip: Refer to the basic concept of Monad in functional programming;

4. Based on the above three points, the whole system can be constructed like building blocks;

## Reactive programming :

Microservices need to consider their responsiveness, ie

1. Resilience (in response to failure);

2, scalability (response under different load conditions)

3, message-driven (loosely coupled, through asynchronous message isolation) and responsive programming requirements: message-driven, designed for failure, asynchronous. Therefore, responsive programming is required;

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