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The Past, Present, and Future of Cloud

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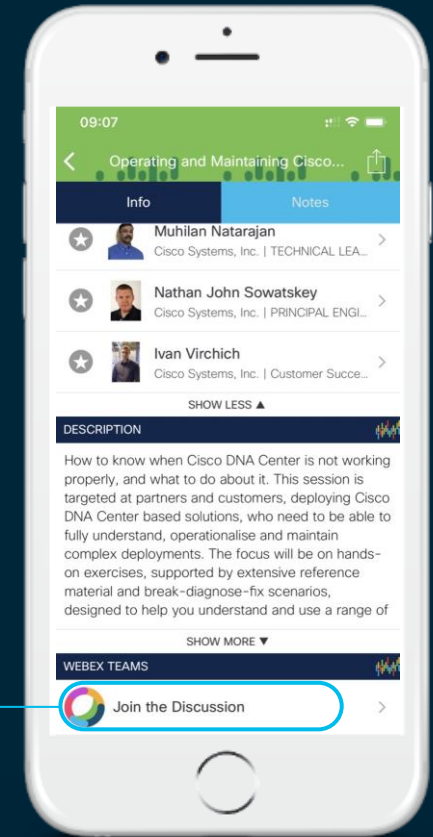
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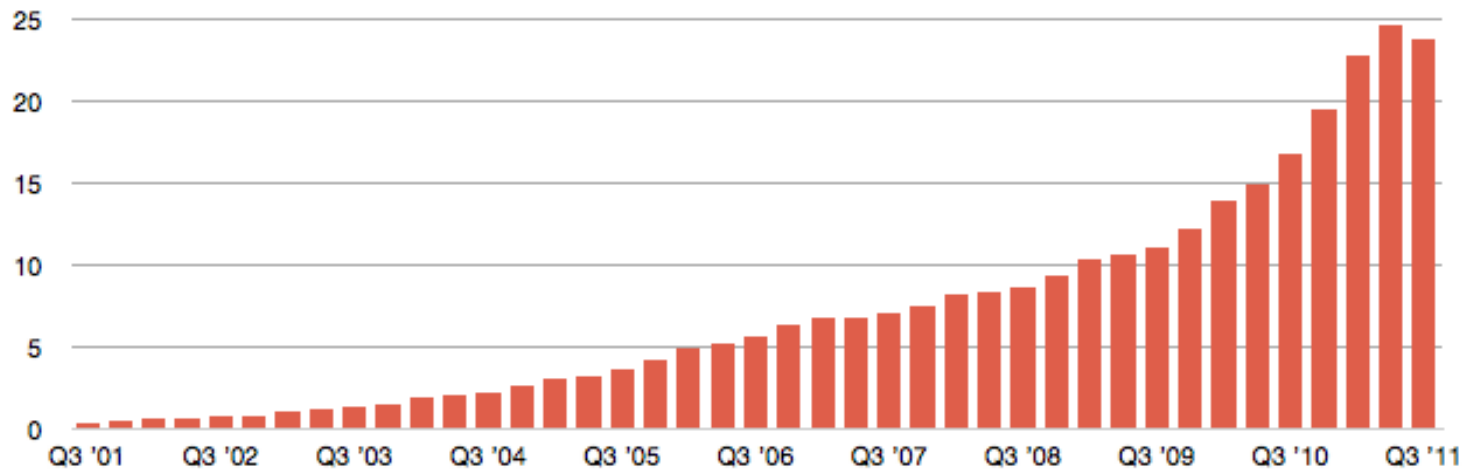
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The Past

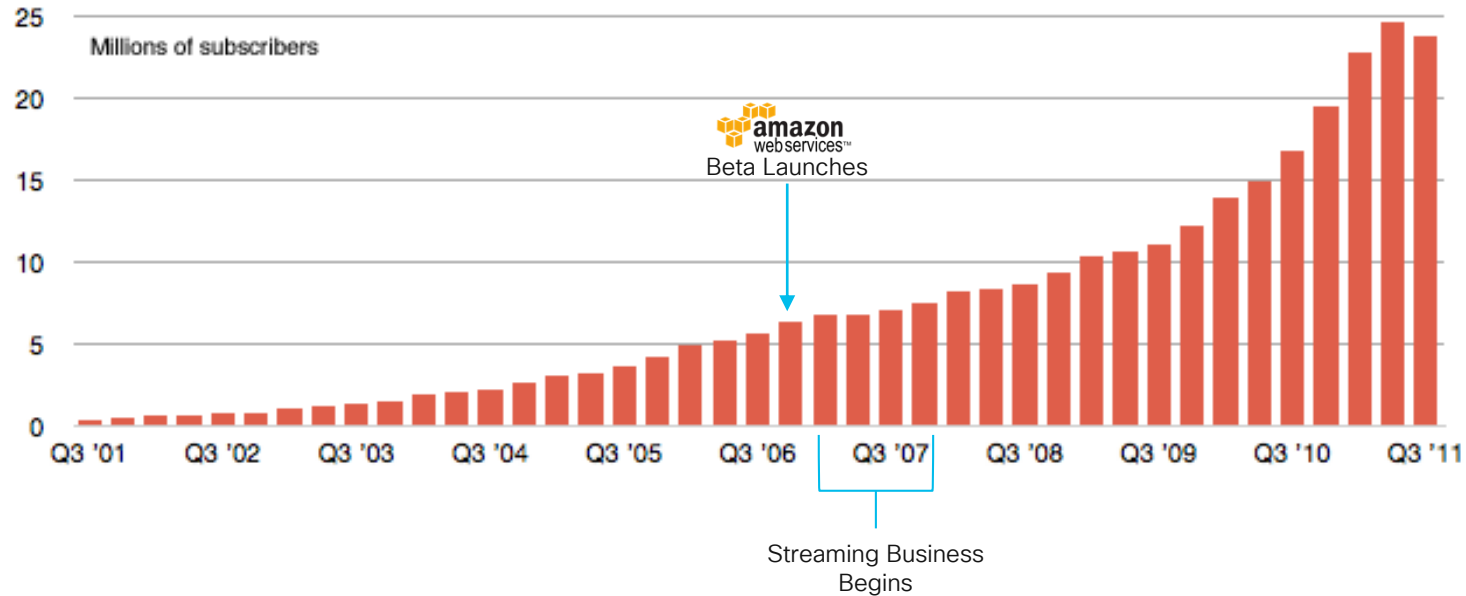
What has driven cloud adoption?

What's This?



First 10 Years Subscriber Growth

NETFLIX



Who Led This? Adrian Cockcroft



- Netflix Director of Web Engineering
 - 2007-2010
- Netflix Cloud Architect
 - 2010-2014
- Battery Ventures Technology Fellow
 - 2014-2016
- AWS VP Cloud Architecture Strategy
 - 2016-

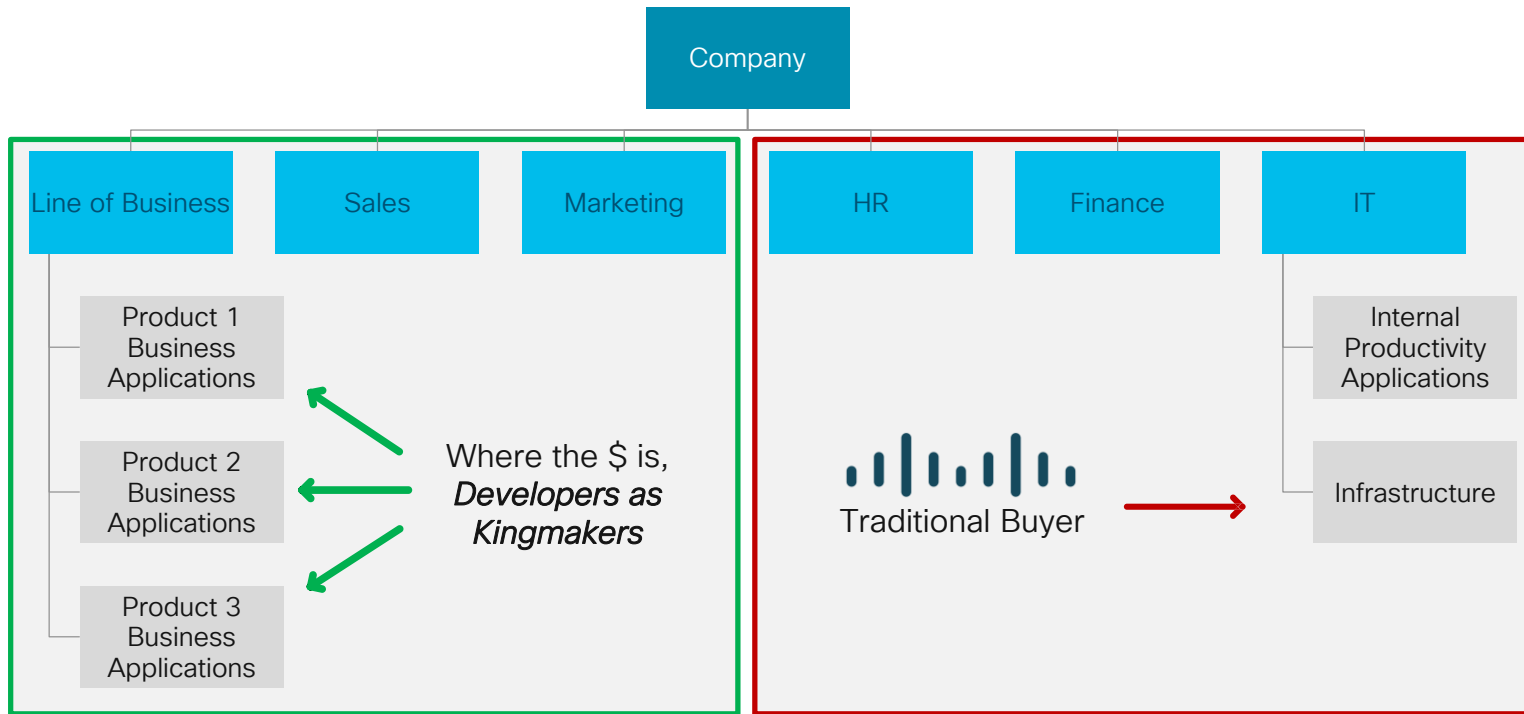
Adrian's Battery Venture pitch began with . . .



What I learned from my time at Netflix

- *Speed wins in the marketplace*
- *Remove friction from product development*
- *High trust, low process, no hand-offs between teams*
- *Freedom and responsibility culture*
- *Don't do your own undifferentiated heavy lifting*
- *Use simple patterns automated by tooling*
- *Self service cloud makes impossible things instant*

Standard Company Structure



Revenue Producers:
Optimized for innovation speed

Cost Centers:
Optimized for cost reduction

Application Architecture Approaches

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(Months)



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Scarcity Has Changed

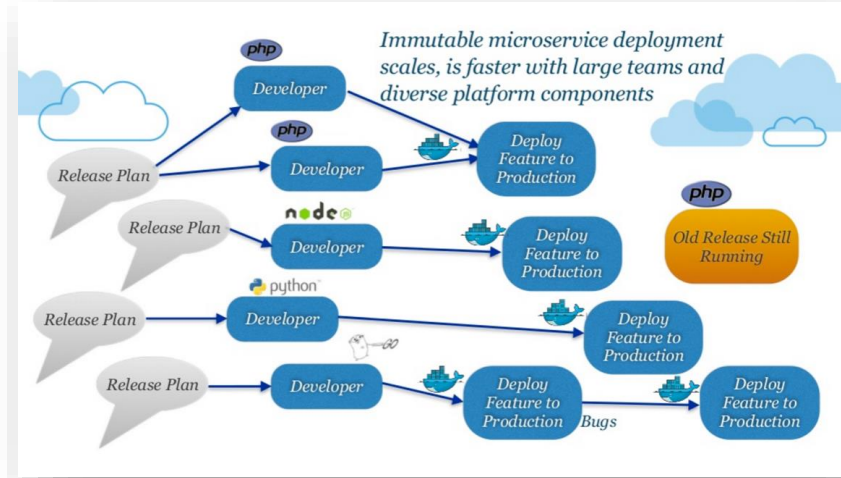
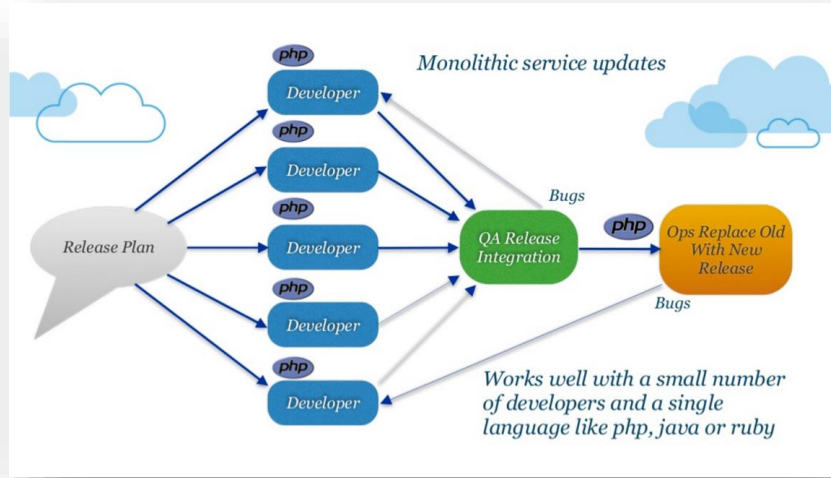


Used To Be



Is Now

Adrian: Monolithic vs Microservices



All In The Name of More Iterations, More Innovation



What Has Driven Cloud Adoption?

More Iterations,
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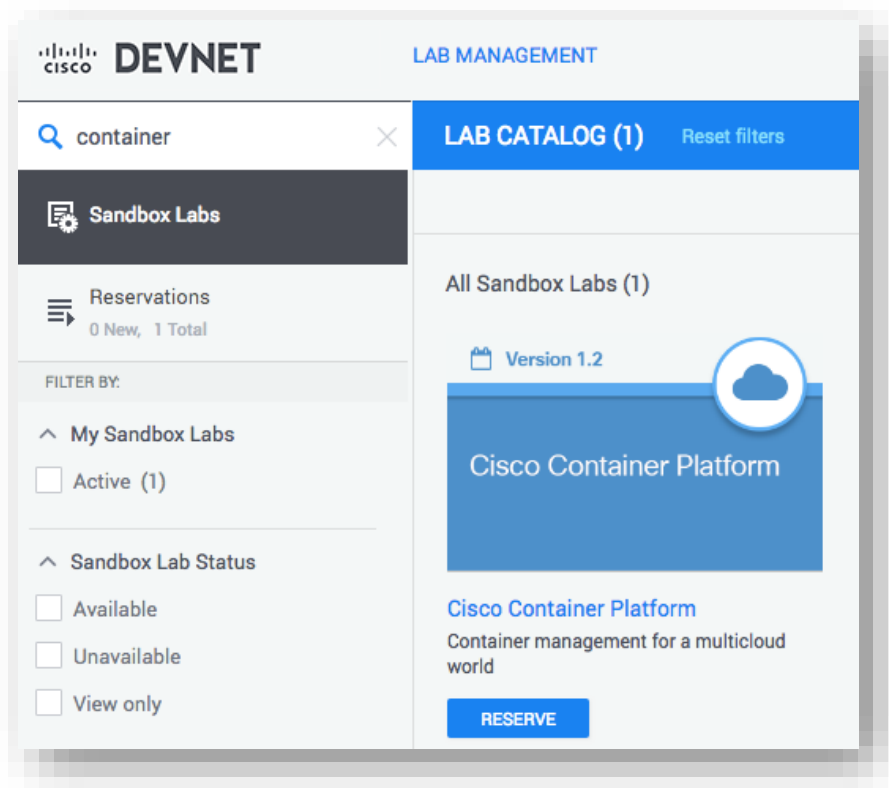
Demo #1: DevNet Sandbox

K8s Live Demo

Explore yourself:

devnetsandbox.cisco.com

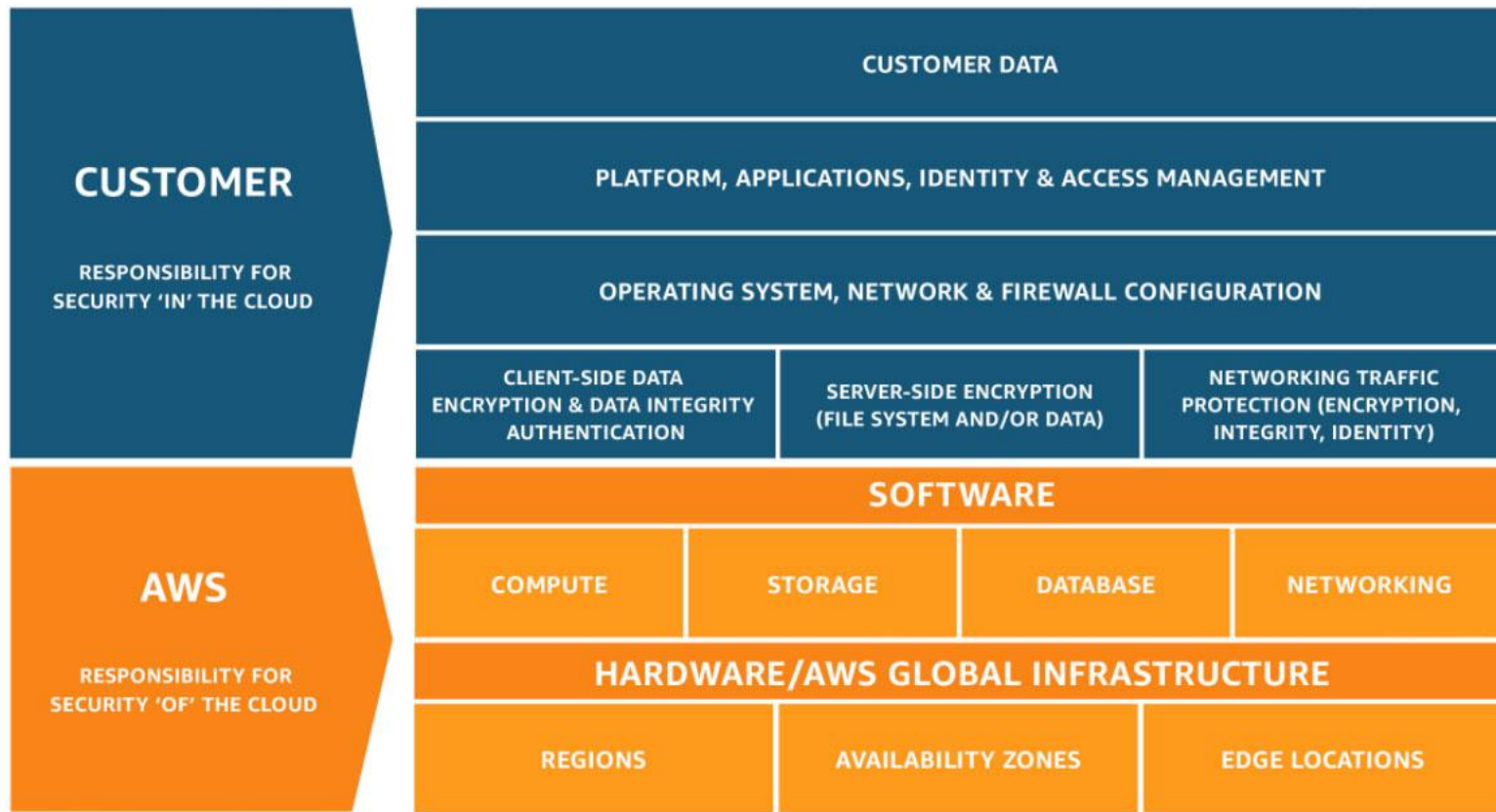
Search for “container”



The Present

AWS Shared Responsibility Model

The AWS Shared Responsibility Model

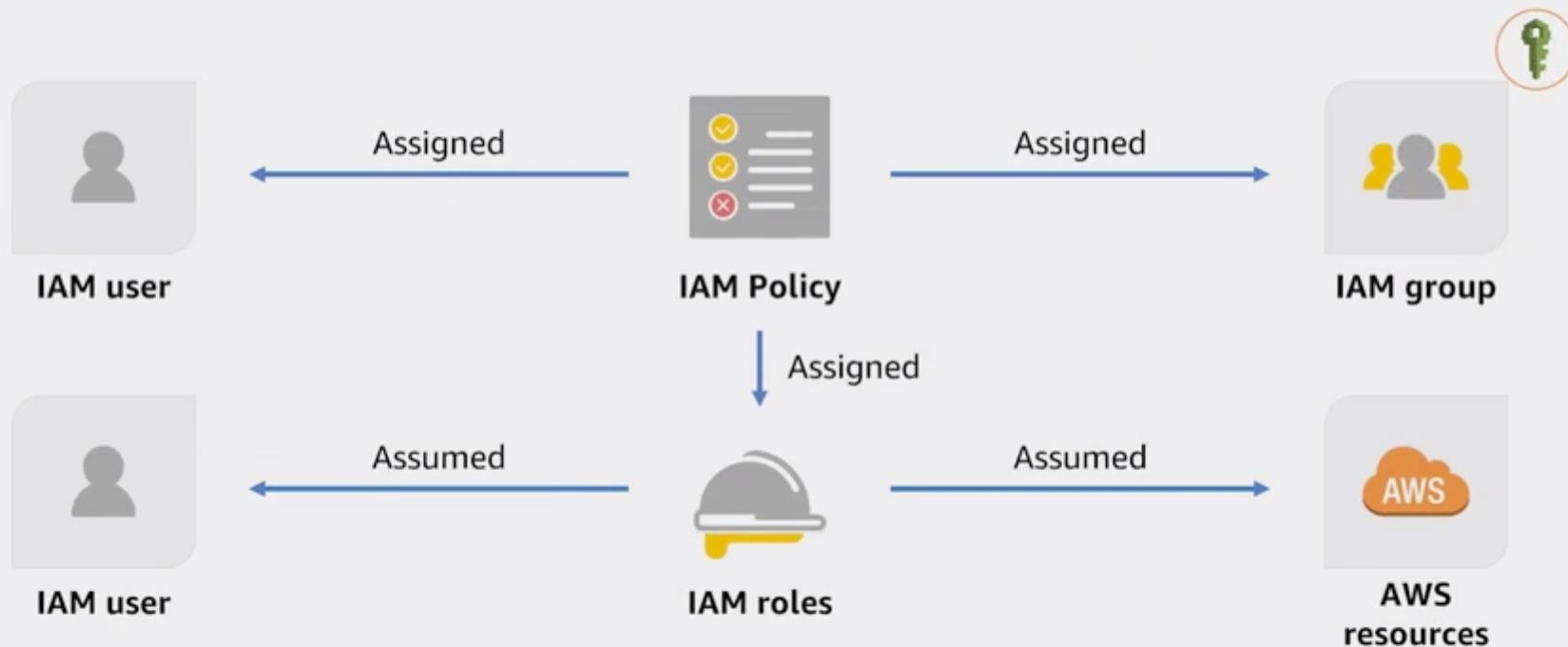


Sample IAM policy

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": ["s3:ListBucket"],
      "Resource": ["arn:aws:s3:::test"]
    },
    {
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "s3:PutObject",
        "s3:GetObject",
        "s3:DeleteObject"
      ],
      "Resource": ["arn:aws:s3:::test/*"]
    }
  ]
}
```

<https://aws.amazon.com/blogs/security/writing-iam-policies-how-to-grant-access-to-an-amazon-s3-bucket/>

AWS IAM Policy Assignment



Step 3: Configure Instance Details

Configure the instance to suit your requirements. You can launch multiple instances from the same AMI, request Spot instances to take advantage of the lower pricing, assign an access management role to the instance, and more.

Number of instances ⓘ

[Launch into Auto Scaling Group](#) ⓘ

Purchasing option ⓘ

☐ Request Spot instances

Network ⓘ

vpc-0e3f6e71516b74d57 | ccs-6617bfa5-11f9-4f80-⌵



[Create new VPC](#)

Subnet ⓘ

subnet-01d6d84f39b5671b8 | ccs-6617bfa5-11f9-4f80-⌵

[Create new subnet](#)

16379 IP Addresses available

Auto-assign Public IP ⓘ

Use subnet setting (Disable) ⌵

Placement group ⓘ

☐ Add instance to placement group

Capacity Reservation ⓘ

Open ⌵



[Create new Capacity Reservation](#)

IAM role ⓘ

None ⌵



[Create new IAM role](#)

Shutdown behavior ⓘ

Stop ⌵

Enable termination protection ⓘ

☐ Protect against accidental termination

Monitoring ⓘ

☐ Enable CloudWatch detailed monitoring

[Additional charges apply.](#)

Tenancy ⓘ

Shared - Run a shared hardware instance ⌵

[Additional charges will apply for dedicated tenancy.](#)

Elastic Inference ⓘ

☐ Add an Elastic Inference accelerator

[Additional charges apply.](#)

T2/T3 Unlimited ⓘ

☐ Enable

[Additional charges may apply](#)

[Cancel](#)

[Previous](#)

[Review and Launch](#)

[Next: Add Storage](#)

How does an instance get its profile creds?

The following command retrieves the security credentials for an IAM role named s3access.

```
curl http://169.254.169.254/latest/meta-data/iam/security-credentials/s3access
```



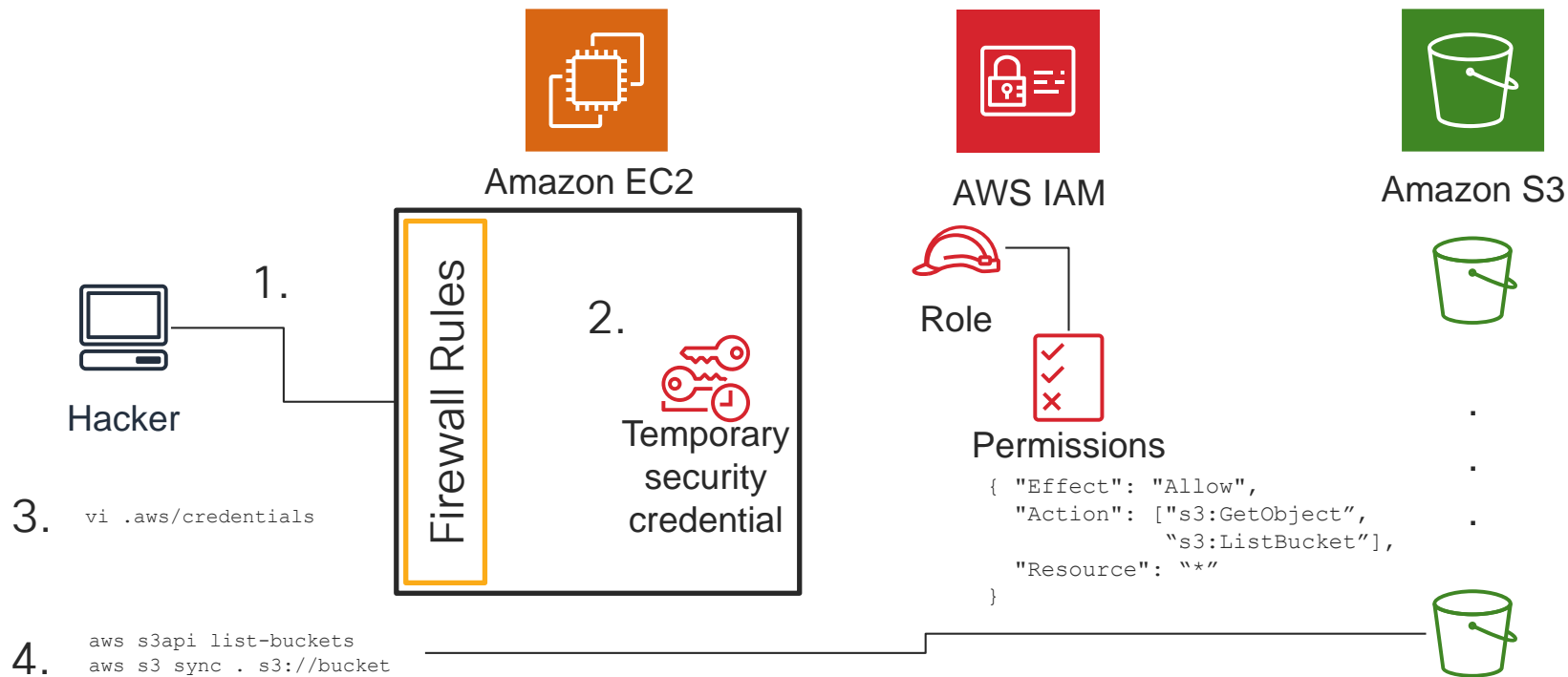
The following is example output.

```
{
  "Code" : "Success",
  "LastUpdated" : "2012-04-26T16:39:16Z",
  "Type" : "AWS-HMAC",
  "AccessKeyId" : "ASIAIOSFODNN7EXAMPLE",
  "SecretAccessKey" : "wJalrXUtnFEMI/K7MDENG/bPxrFiCYEXAMPLEKEY",
  "Token" : "token",
  "Expiration" : "2017-05-17T15:09:54Z"
}
```



<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSEC2/latest/UserGuide/iam-roles-for-amazon-ec2.html>

A Common Breach Tale



Common Issues

- Misconfigured firewall rules (and lack of virtual firewall)
- Too broadly granted IAM policy/Too flat an application architecture
- No StealthwatchCloud to detect rogue logins
- Could have rolled their own secrets management instead of relying on one published publicly

It's not any better for EKS, in fact, it's worse

Amazon EKS Worker Node IAM Role

The Amazon EKS worker node `kubelet` daemon makes calls to AWS APIs on your behalf. Worker nodes receive permissions for these API calls through an IAM instance profile and associated policies. Before you can launch worker nodes and register them into a cluster, **you must create an IAM role for those worker nodes to use when they are launched.** This requirement applies to worker nodes launched with the Amazon EKS-optimized AMI provided by Amazon, or with any other worker node AMIs that you intend to use. Before you create worker nodes, you must create an IAM role with the following IAM policies:

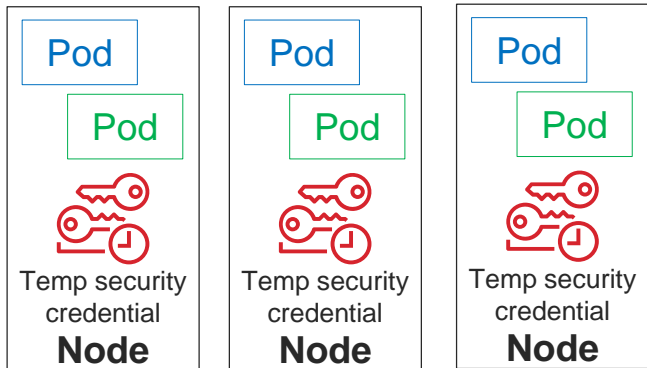
- `AmazonEKSWorkerNodePolicy`
- `AmazonEKS_CNI_Policy`
- `AmazonEC2ContainerRegistryReadOnly`

https://docs.aws.amazon.com/eks/latest/userguide/worker_node_IAM_role.html

IAM Roles and EKS Clusters



EKS Cluster



AWS IAM



Role



Permissions

```
{ "Effect": "Allow",  
  "Action": ["s3:GetObject",  
             "s3:ListBucket",  
             "dynamodb:GetRecords"],  
  "Resource": ["arn:s3:<bucket A>",  
               "arn:s3:<bucket B>",  
               "arn:dynamodb:<table A>"]  
}
```



Amazon DynamoDB



Table



Amazon S3



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* At least K8s has secrets management

Open Source Help:

<https://github.com/jtblin/kube2iam>

kube2iam

Provide IAM credentials to containers running inside a kubernetes cluster based on annotations.

Context

Traditionally in AWS, service level isolation is done using IAM roles. IAM roles are attributed through instance profiles and are accessible by services through the transparent usage by the aws-sdk of the ec2 metadata API. When using the aws-sdk, a call is made to the EC2 metadata API which provides temporary credentials that are then used to make calls to the AWS service.

Problem statement

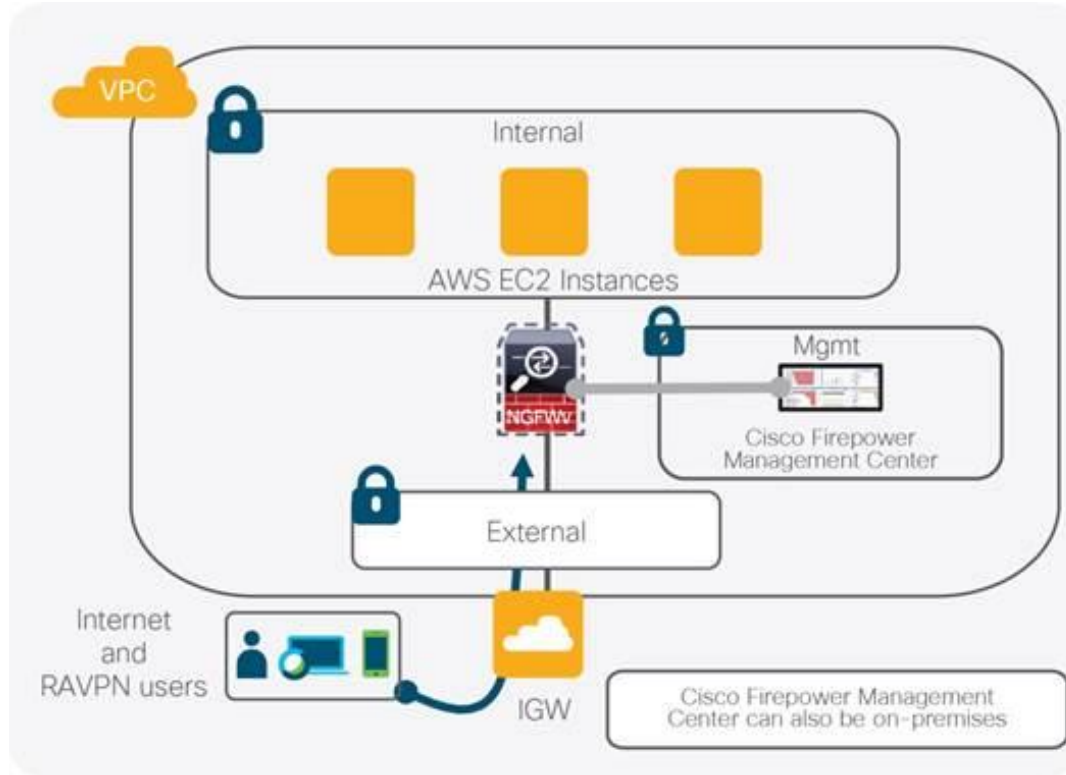
The problem is that in a multi-tenanted containers based world, multiple containers will be sharing the underlying nodes. Given containers will share the same underlying nodes, providing access to AWS resources via IAM roles would mean that one needs to create an IAM role which is a union of all IAM roles. This is not acceptable from a security perspective.

Solution

The solution is to redirect the traffic that is going to the ec2 metadata API for docker containers to a container running on each instance, make a call to the AWS API to retrieve temporary credentials and return these to the caller. Other calls will be proxied to the EC2 metadata API. This container will need to run with host networking enabled so that it can call the EC2 metadata API itself.

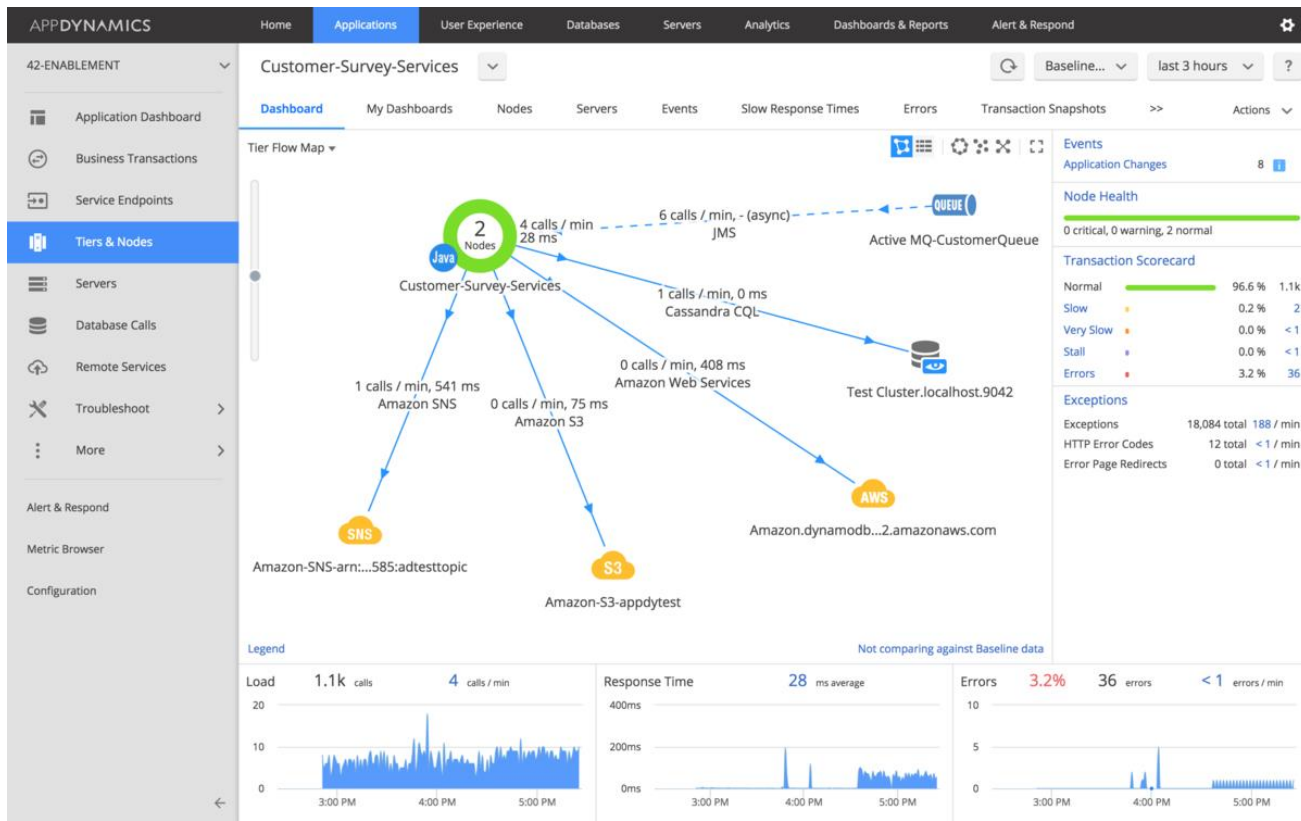
<https://medium.com/merapar/securing-iam-access-in-kubernetes-cfbcc6954de>

Cisco Help #1: Virtual Firewall

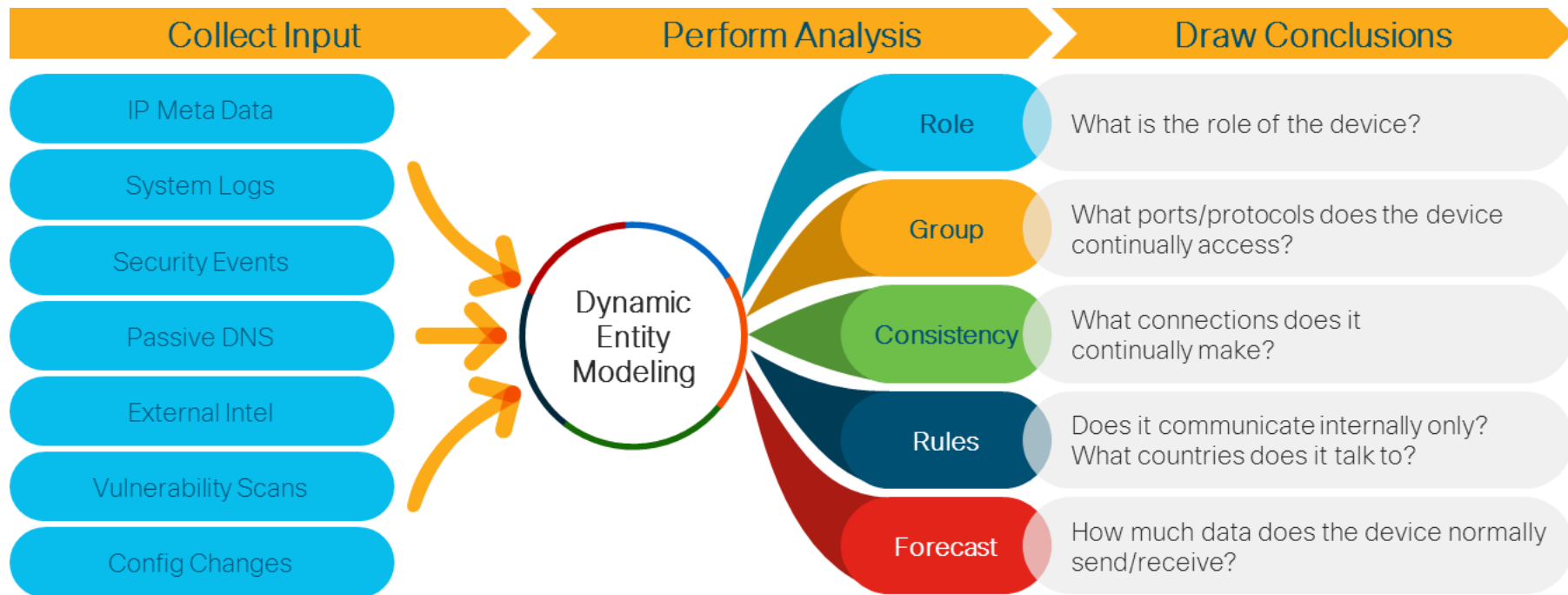


<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/security/adaptive-security-virtual-appliance-asav/white-paper-c11-740505.html>

Cisco Help #2: App Dynamics



Cisco Help #3: Stealthwatch Cloud



<https://blogs.cisco.com/security/stealthwatch-cloud-securing-the-public-cloud-without-undercutting-it>

Shared Responsibility Model: Takeaways

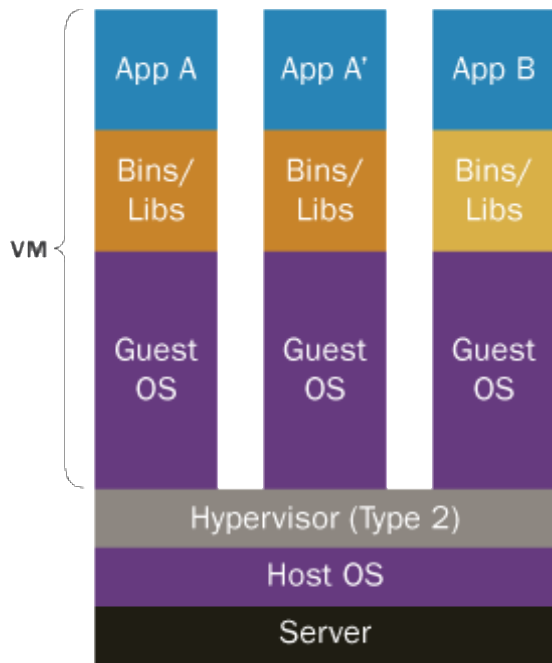
- Shared Responsibility Model limits AWS liability
- Cisco products help with the customer part of that Shared Responsibility Model
 - Virtual firewalls (better than firewall rules)
 - App D (better than PowerPoint for complex app architectures)
 - Stealthwatch Cloud (better for noticing unusual access behavior)

The Present

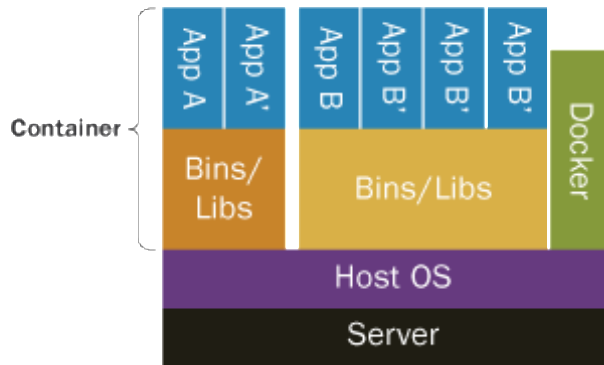
Microservices, K8s

Demo #2: CCP Tenant Cluster

Comparing VMs and Containers



Containers are isolated, but share OS and, where appropriate, bins/libraries



<https://www.microcontrollertips.com/containerization-differs-virtual-machines-faq/>

What is Kubernetes?

- Open source container cluster manager
- Used as a backend in Google's App Engine
- Runs on Private and Public Clouds, and even on Bare metal



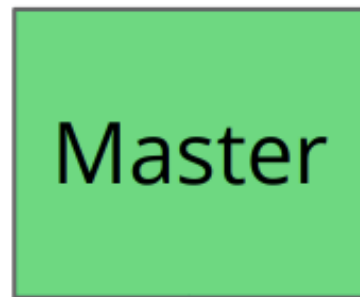
KUBERNETES ARCHITECTURE

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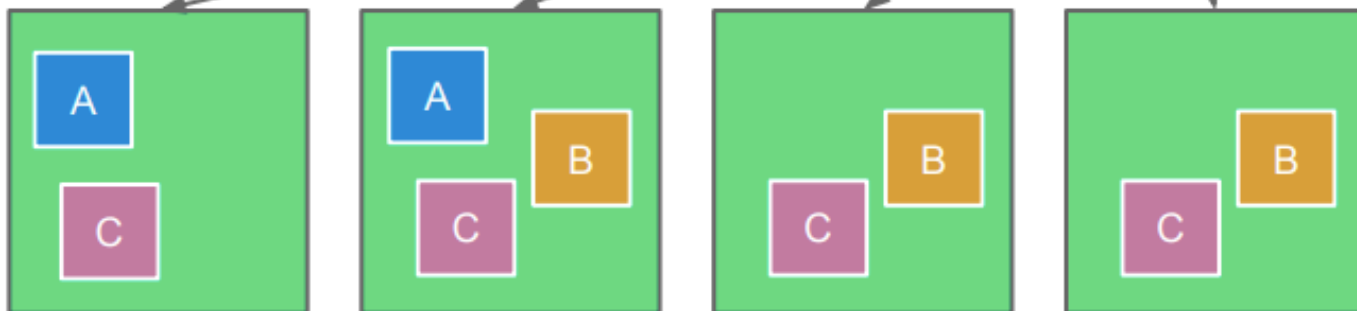
B => "replicas": 3

C => "replicas": 4

API
Naming
Scheduler



Nodes



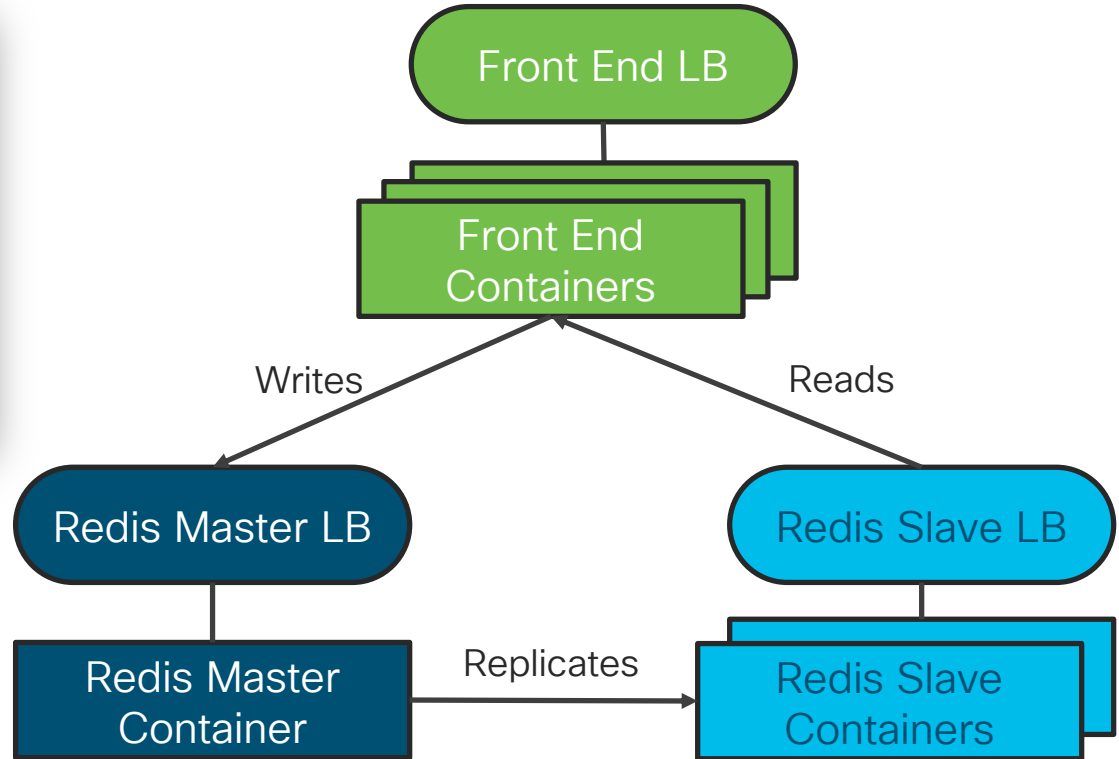
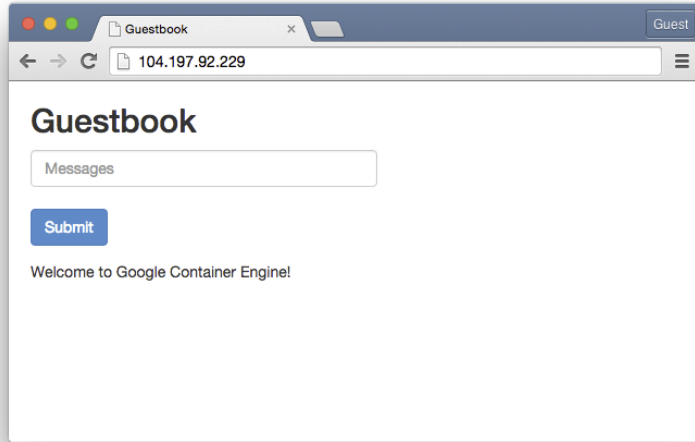
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Source: <https://www.slideshare.net/ZoharStolar/introduction-to-containers-running-dockers-using-kubernetes>

Demo #3: K8s Guestbook

Demo: Guestbook Application Architecture



K8s Broad Support



 Google Cloud Platform

GKE = Google Hosted and Managed K8s



Amazon EKS
aws

EKS = AWS Hosted and Managed K8s




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CCP = Cisco automated install of K8s

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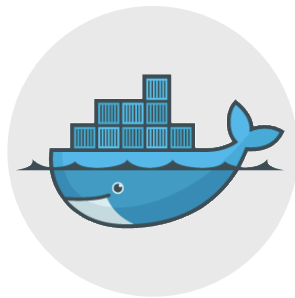
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Some Terminology & Technology Maturity

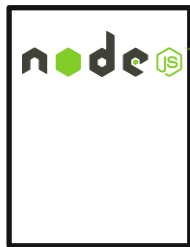
Serverless = The application architecture approach

FaaS = The underpinnings that make it possible

Serverless is to FaaS as Microservices are to Containers

Serverless 2020 ~= Cloud 2012

How FaaS Runtimes Work

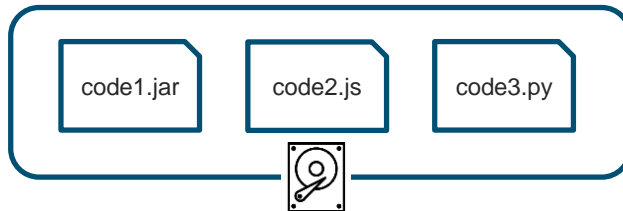


Standby containers
w/ language runtimes
but no app code



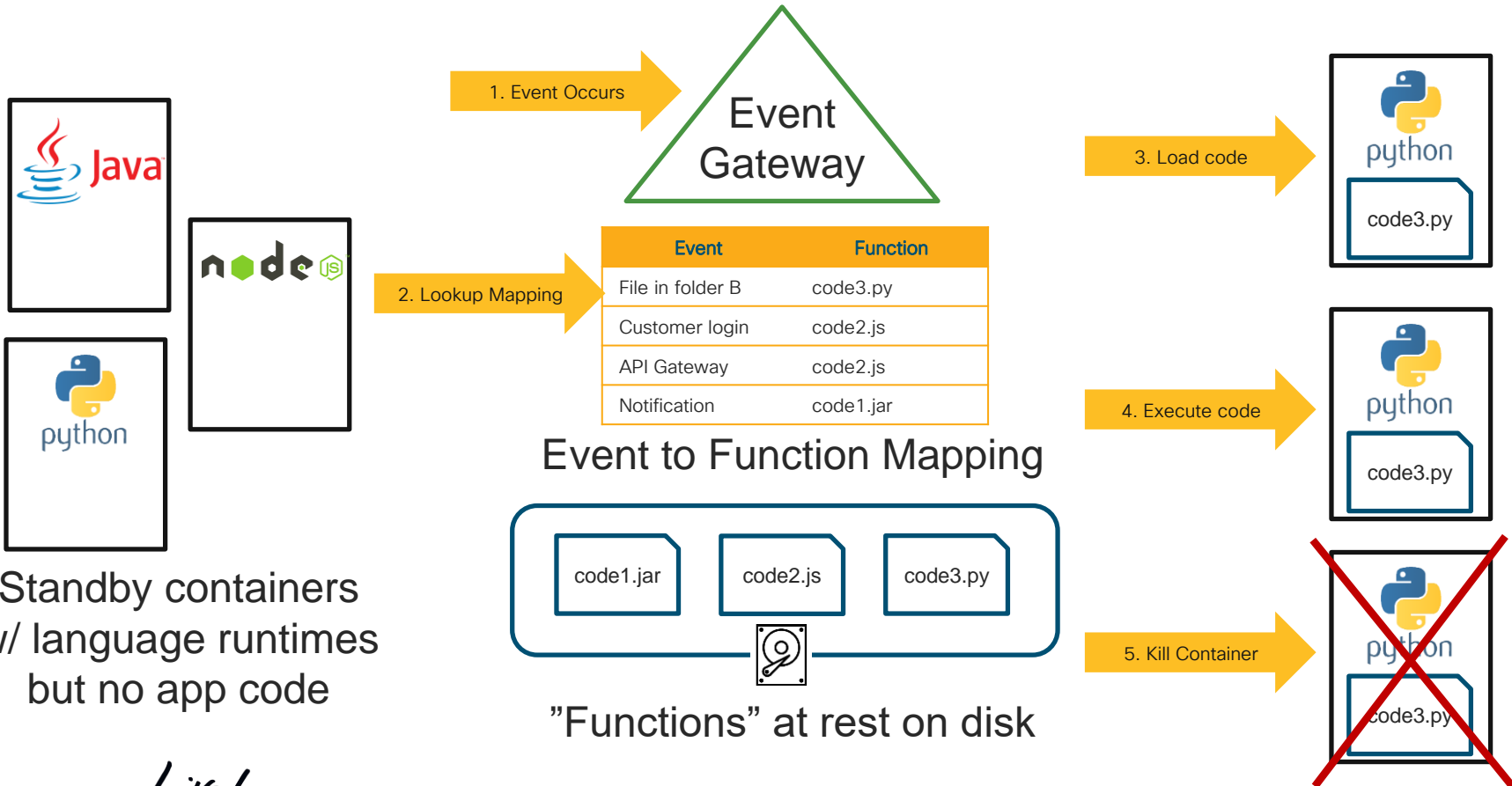
Event	Function
File in folder B	code3.py
Customer login	code2.js
API Gateway	code2.js
Notification	code1.jar

Event to Function Mapping

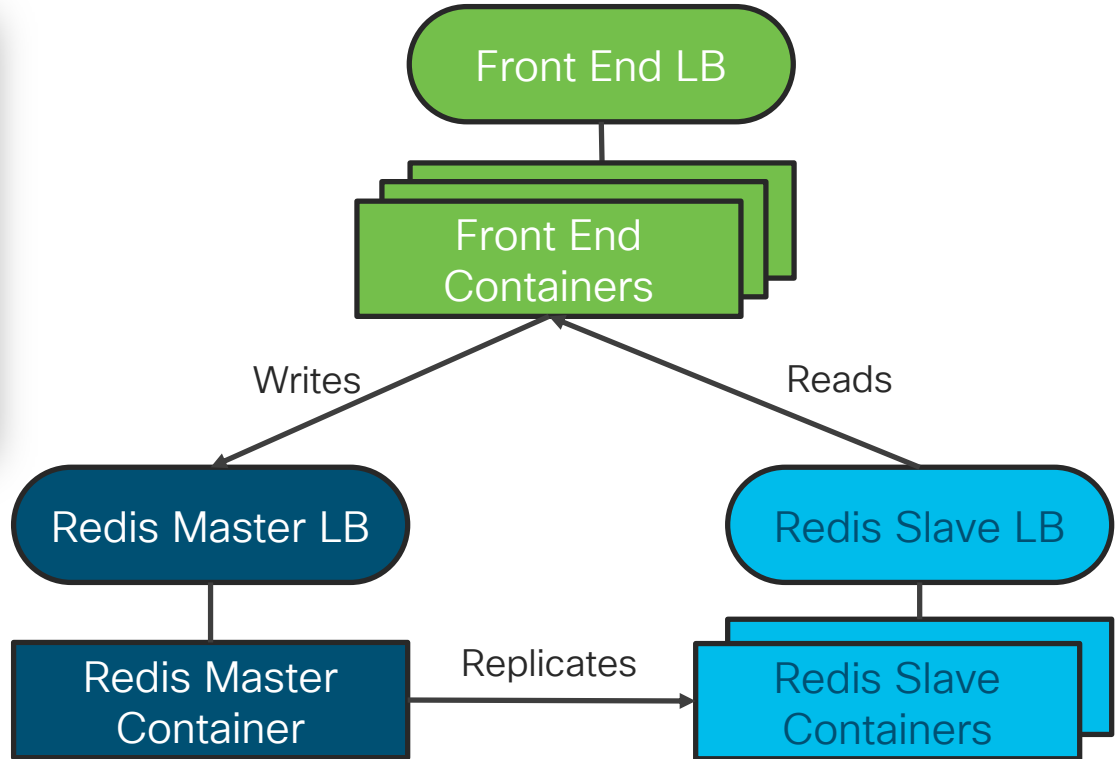
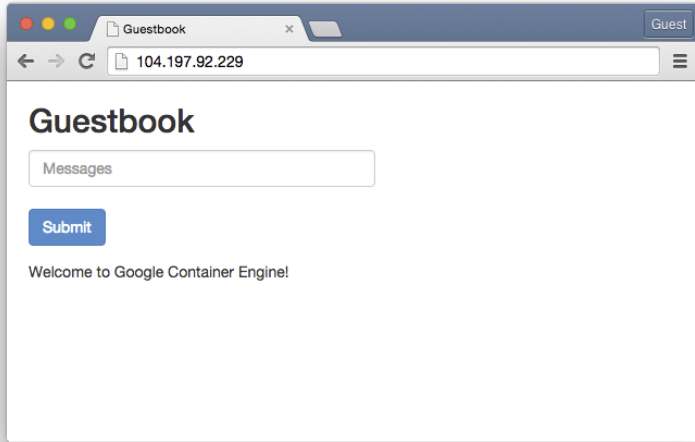


"Functions" at rest on disk

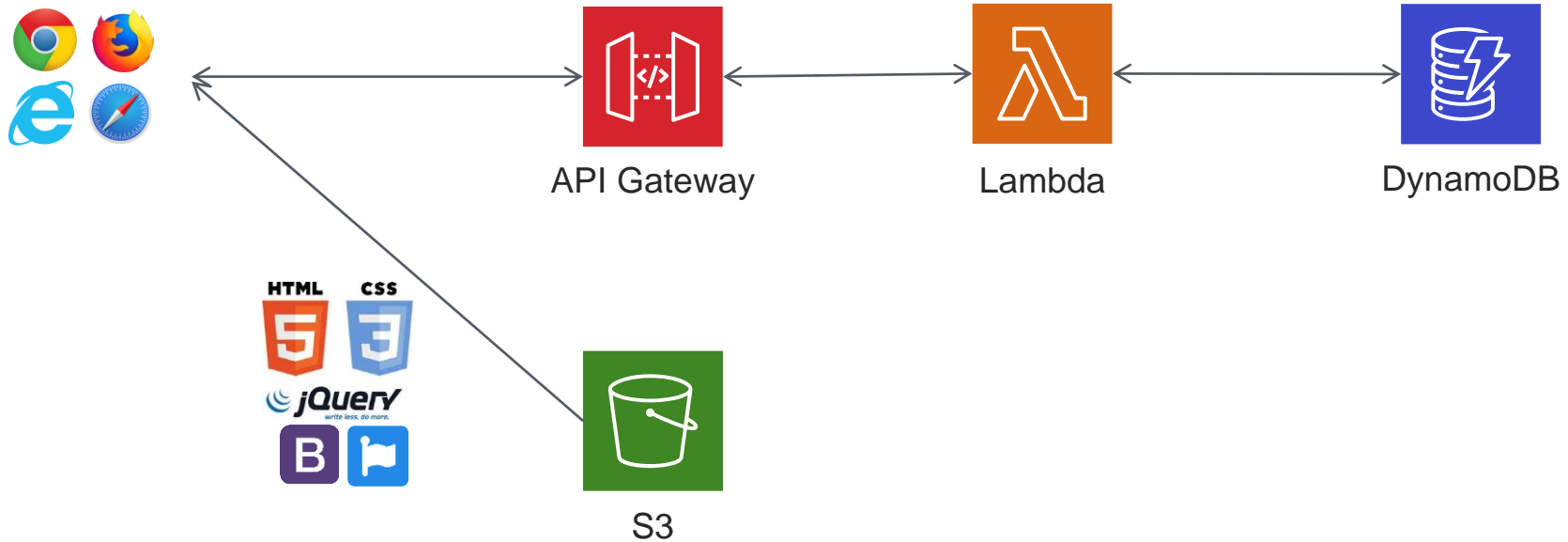
How FaaS Runtimes Work



Guestbook Application Architecture



Demo: Serverless Application Architecture

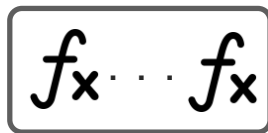


Demo #4: Serverless Guestbook

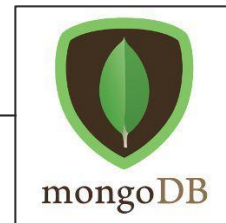
The Future

Serverless in the Datacenter

FONK Guestbook



API Gateway + Business Logic
(Functions)



Database



WebApp
Static Hosting
(Minio)



html
&
.js

FaaS on K8S Landscape findings from fonk-apps.io



OPENFAAS



fission



Kubeless



APACHE
OpenWhisk™

Dockerfile	Required	Hidden	Hidden	Hidden	Hidden	Hidden
Image Repo	Required	Required	Required	None	None	None
Local Docker	Required	Required	Required	None	None	None
Base Image	Required	Required	Required	Required	None	None



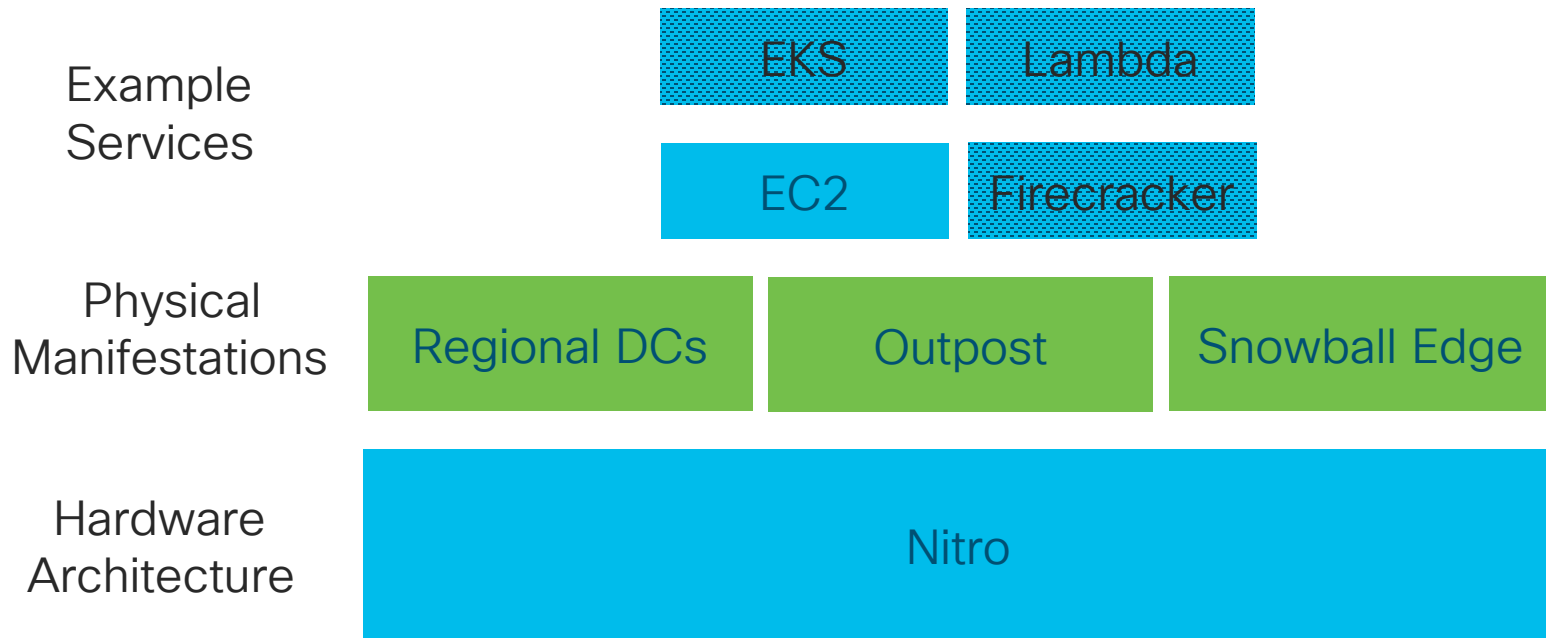
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More Like

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AWS Stack



What's a Snowball Edge?



- Storage Optimized Version
 - 100 TB of storage
 - 24 vCPUs
 - 1 TB SSD for pre-processing and large scale data transfer
- Compute Optimized Version
 - 52 vCPUs, an optional GPU
 - 7.68 TB NVMe SSD
 - 42 TB of storage for machine learning workloads
- EC2, Greengrass

<https://ctovision.com/a-new-aws-snowball-edge-provides-the-power-of-the-cloud-in-disconnected-environments/>

What is Outposts?

- 80" cabinet and smaller sizes shipped to customer DC within some latency threshold to an AWS AZ
- Control plane stays in AWS AZ
- Expected to offer EC2 and EKS, could offer Firecracker and Lambda
- Priced similar to reserved instances, but with equipment to return

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Nitro: Anywhere you need it



AWS Outposts

Nitro hardware and software in your data center

Access via standard AWS API and console

Deploy apps to Outposts using AWS services

AWS
re:Invent

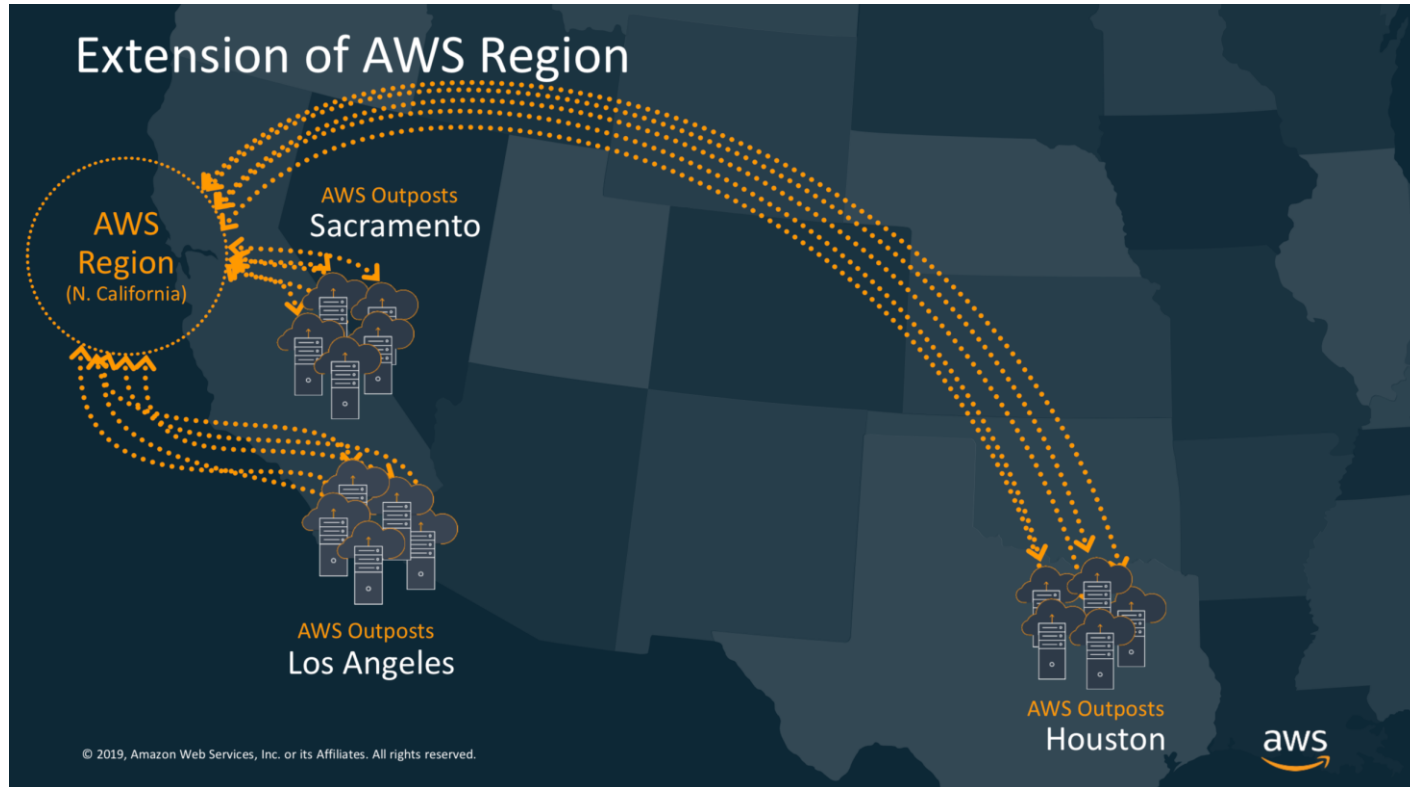
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Shows up in AWS Console similar to an AZ

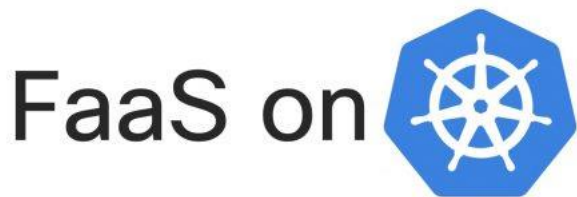
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Outpost's Bet on Latency



https://pages.awscloud.com/Introduction-to-AWS-Outposts_2019_0319-CMP_OD.html

What's Next? The Serverless Datacenter Race



VS



AWS Outposts



AWS Snowball Edge

maturity

acceptance
and
latency

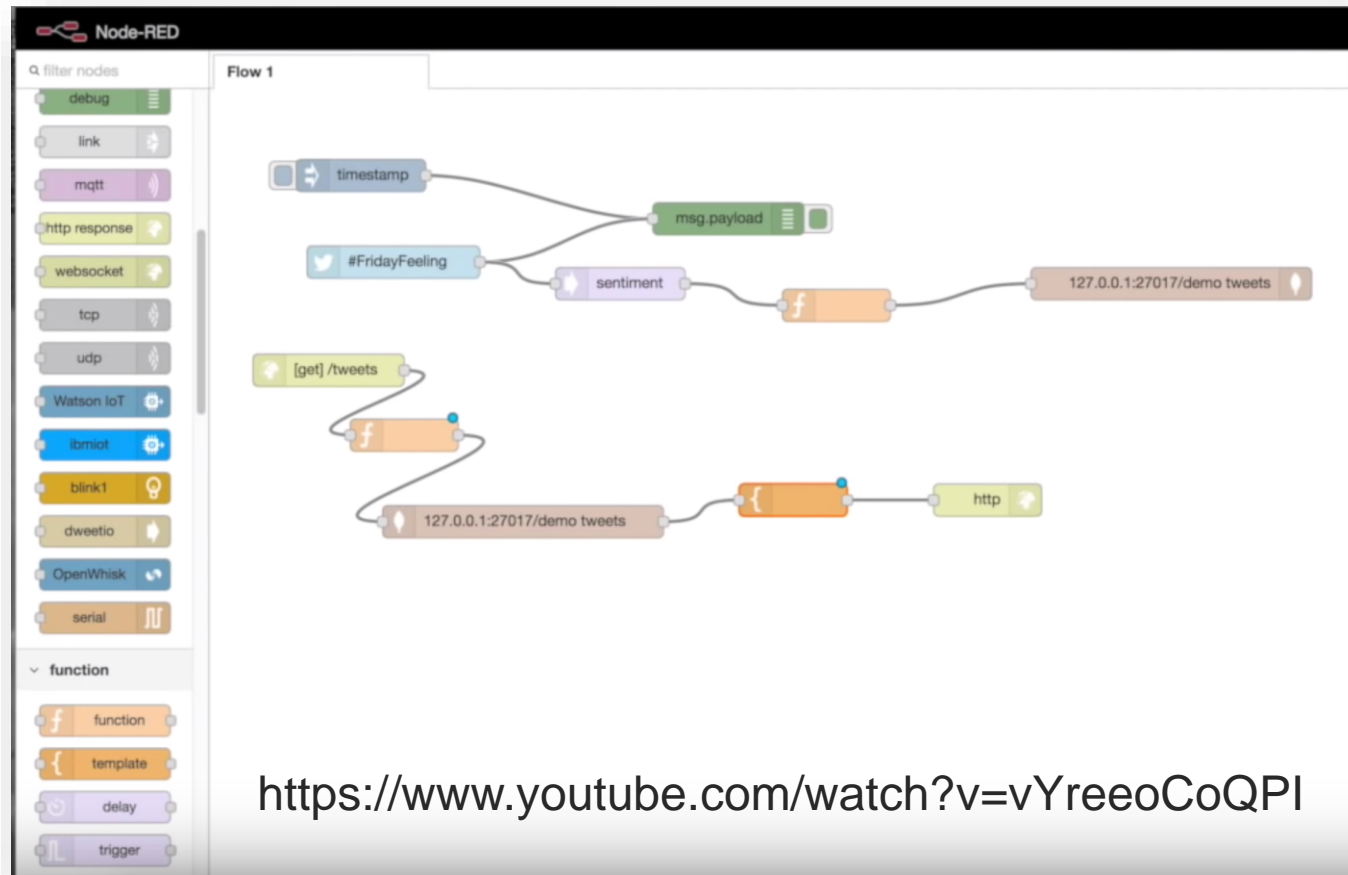
The Future

No Code

Demo #5: Node-Red Video

No Code Movement: Beyond Serverless

Node-Red example (Linux Foundation Project, 1.0 release Sept 30, 2019)



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vYreeoCoQPI>



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You helped us reach 1,000. Let's do another.
#winning #vote #LongIsland #battle #bands
#FridayFeeling <https://t.co/e7ixPyIE2o>



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RT @royalacademy: For that #FridayFeeling, we've found the corner of Friday Street, London, photographed by Henry Dixon & Son in 1883.
<http://www.royalacademy.org.uk>

Startup in the No Code Space

Unqork Raises \$80M Series B

Sophia Kunthara October 3, 2019



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No-code enterprise software startup [Unqork](#) has raised \$80 million in a new round of funding, the company announced Thursday.

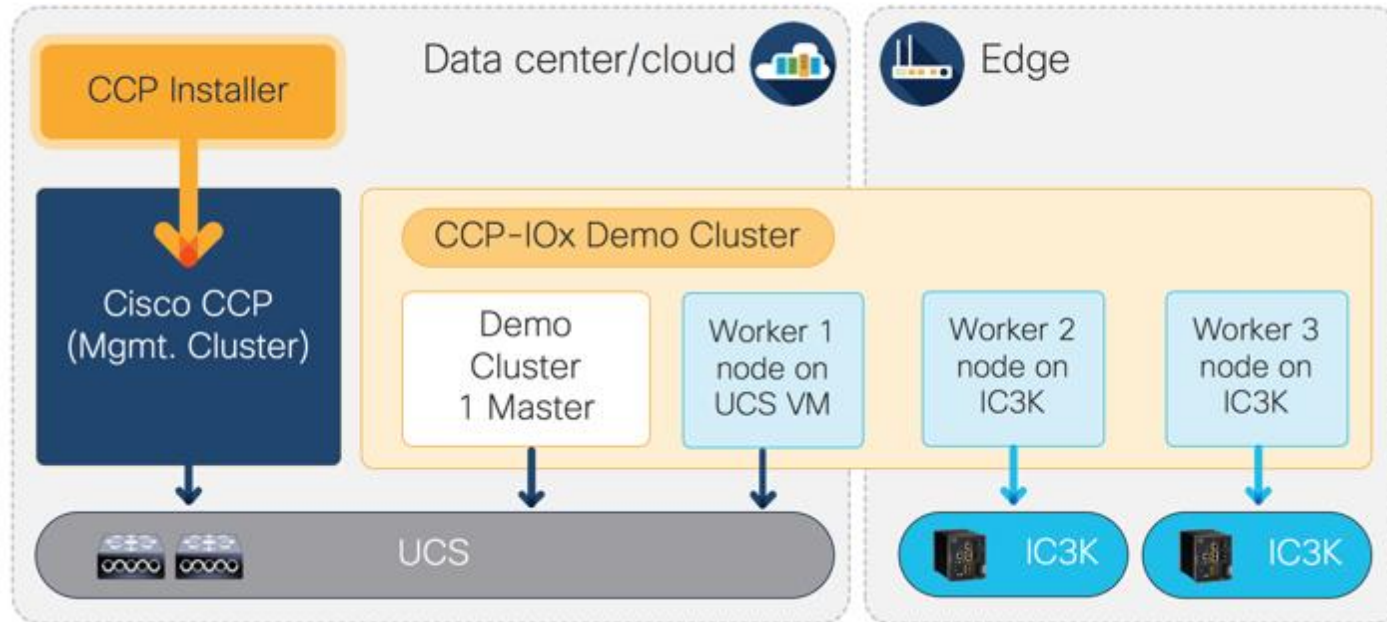
<https://news.crunchbase.com/news/unqork-raises-80m-series-b/>

The Future

Edge Clusters



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