

Lifecycle-Management with The Foreman

An Introduction



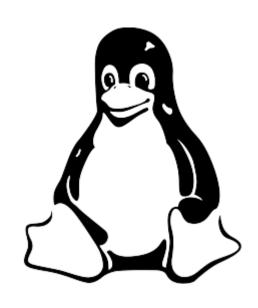
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Foreman

→ Life Cycle Management?



Provision



Operate



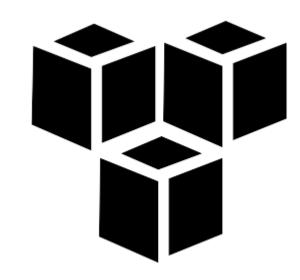
Demolish



Provisioning – Where to?

- Bare Metal
- VMs
 - AWS
 - Digitalocean
 - VMWare
 - Google
 - Libvirt
 - OpenStack
 - Rackspace
 - oVirt
 - Docker
 - Xen
 - Azure
 - ..

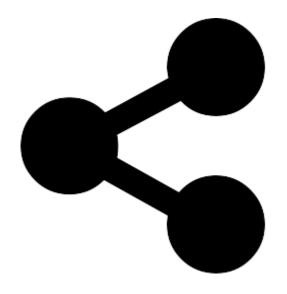




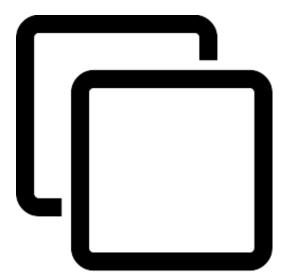




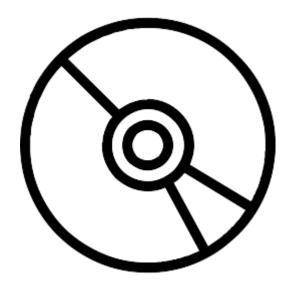
Provisioning



- PXE
 - Kickstart
 - Preseed
 - AutoYast



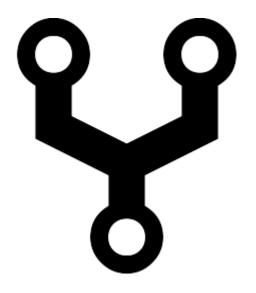
- Image
 - Cloning
 - user-data (cloudinit)
 - SSH



- ISO Bootdisk
- PXE-less Discovery



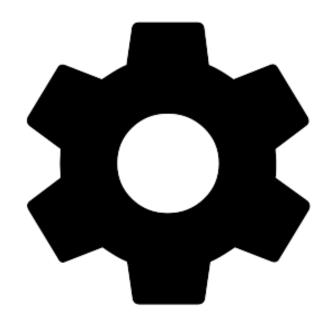
Orchestration



- DNS
- DHCP
- Config Management



Configuration



- Puppet
- Chef
- Salt
- Ansible



Monitoring



- Reports
- Facts
- Charts

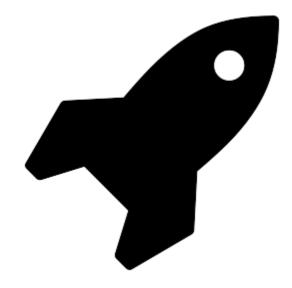




Interfaces

- Foreman
 - GUI
 - CLI
 - API

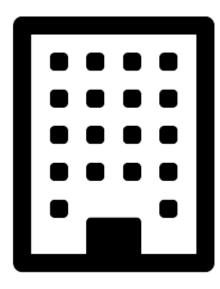
- Smart Proxy
 - REST





Enterprise

- LDAP
- ACL
- Organizations / Locations





Discovery



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[ 0]
01 This is Foreman Discovery 0.5.9999-P, tty1 is reserved for logs.
  01 Some interesting facts about this system:
  01 hardwareisa: x86 64
   01 hardwaremodel: x86 64
   01 ipaddress: 192.168.122.5
   0] ipaddress_eth0: 192.168.122.5
   01 ipaddress_lo: 127.0.0.1
   01 macaddress: 52:54:00:D3:84:72
  01 macaddress eth0: 52:54:00:D3:84:72
  01 manufacturer: Red Hat
  01 memorytotal: 868.63 MB
   01 productname: KVM
   01 Logs from discovery services now follows:
   01 Discovered by SERVER:xx.xx.xx.
   01 Registering host with Foreman (http://xx.xx.xx.xx)
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