DEPLOYMENT AUTOMATION IS ANCIENT ART COMPARED TO DEVOPS

▸ 1991: Continuous integration mentioned in "Object Oriented Design: With Applications"

▸ 1999: "Extreme Programming Explained" advocates continuous integration running several times a day

▸ 2005: Puppet released

▸ 2009: Chef released

▸ 2009: First Devopsdays conference

"a set of practices that emphasize the collaboration and communication of both software developers and information technology (IT) professionals while automating the process of software delivery and infrastructure changes"

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