



SSW-555: Agile Methods for Software Development

**DevOps
Week 13**

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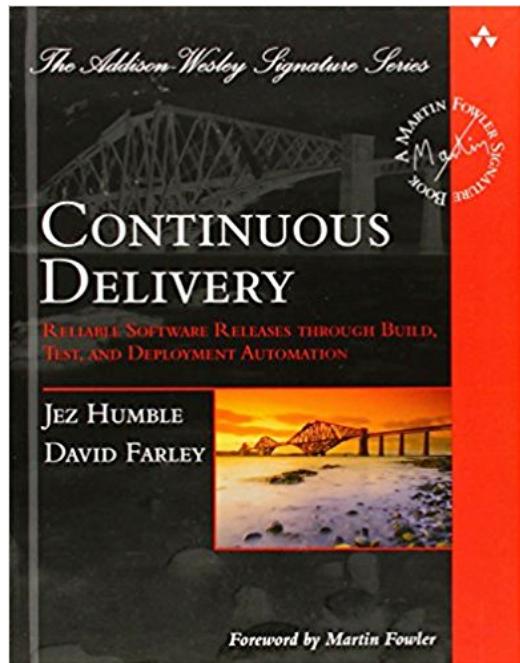
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Today's topics

What is DevOps?

What problem are we trying to solve?

Evolution from Waterfall to Agile to DevOps

How is DevOps related to Agile?

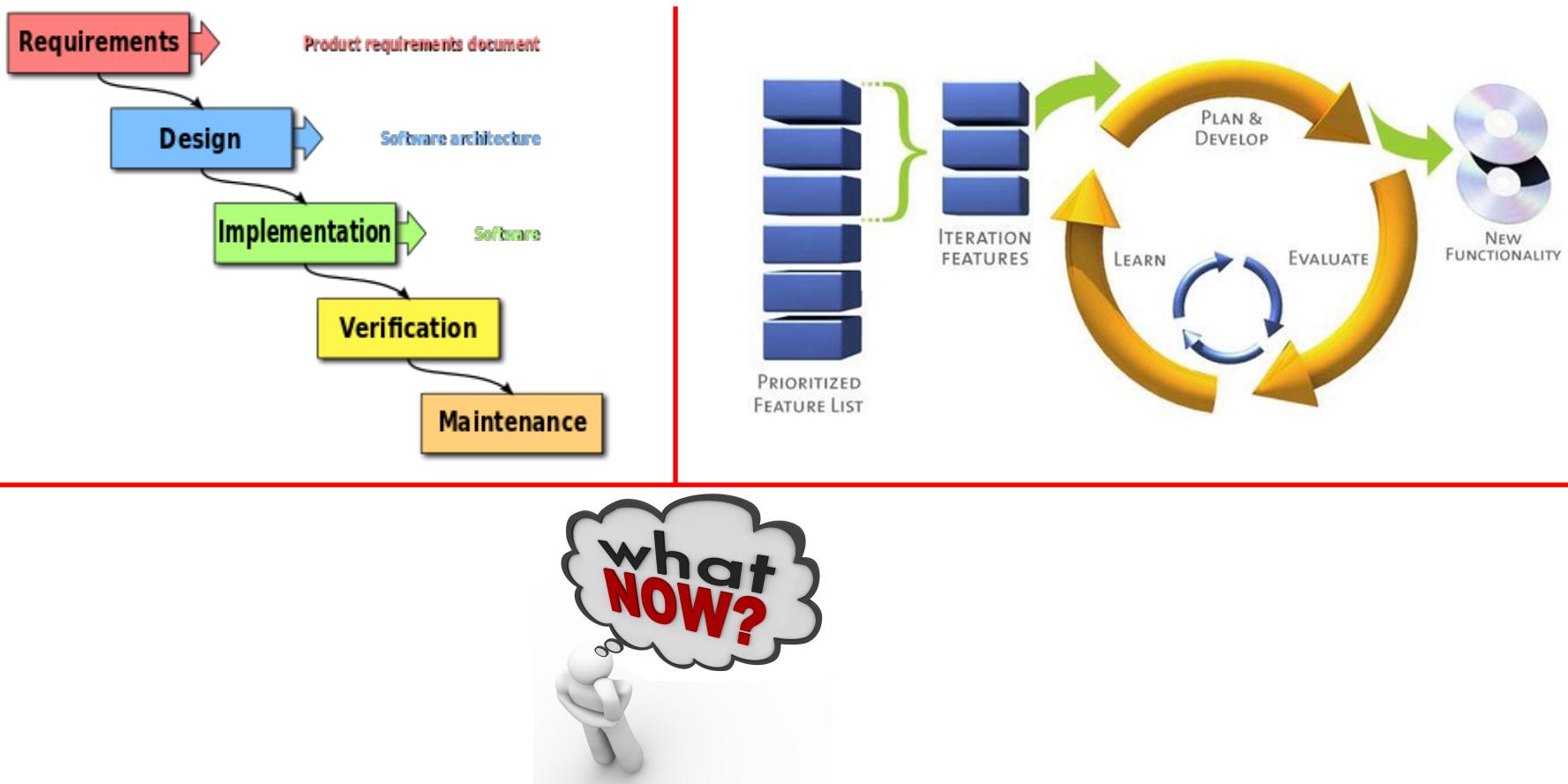
DevOps principles

DevOps tools



SDLC evolution: What now?

We improved the Waterfall model with Agile Methods



Delivering value to the customer

Agile methods help to build new features more quickly

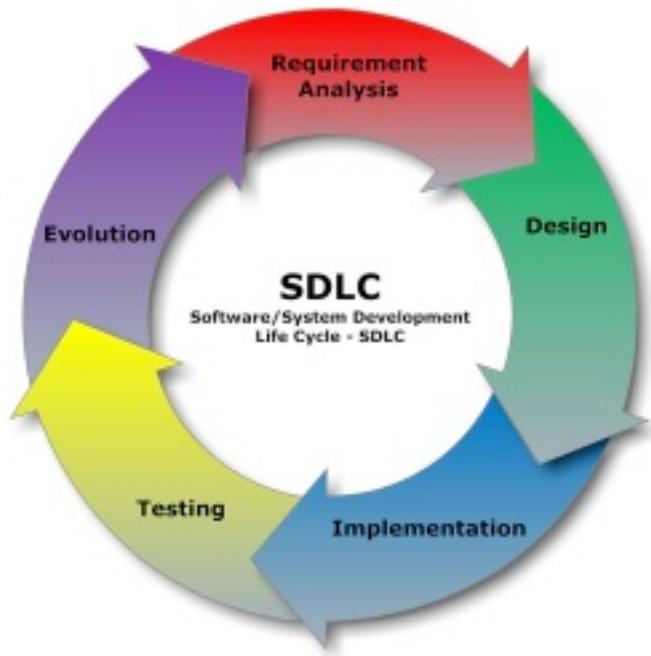
But, we don't achieve value until we deliver to customers

How to deliver those features to customers more quickly?

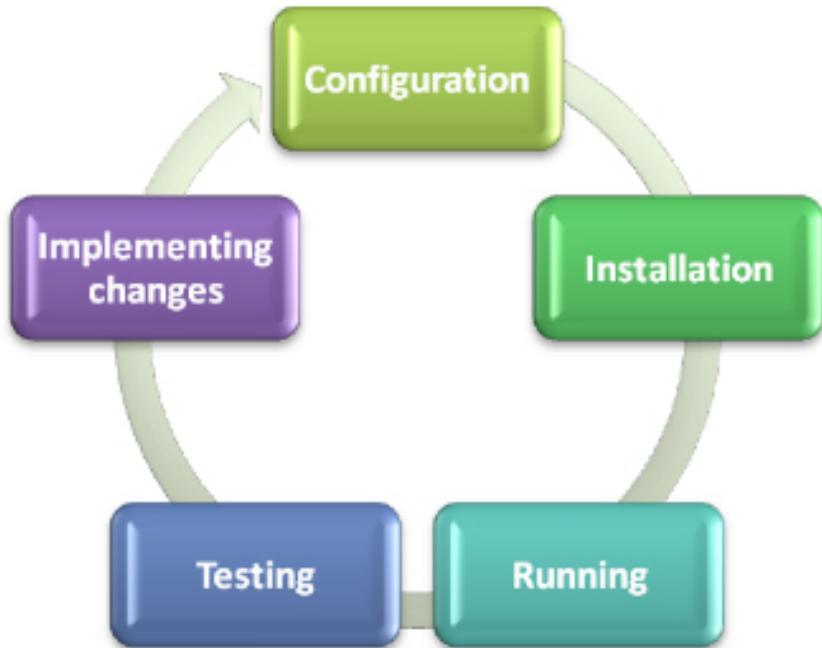


Development vs. Deployment/Ops

Development



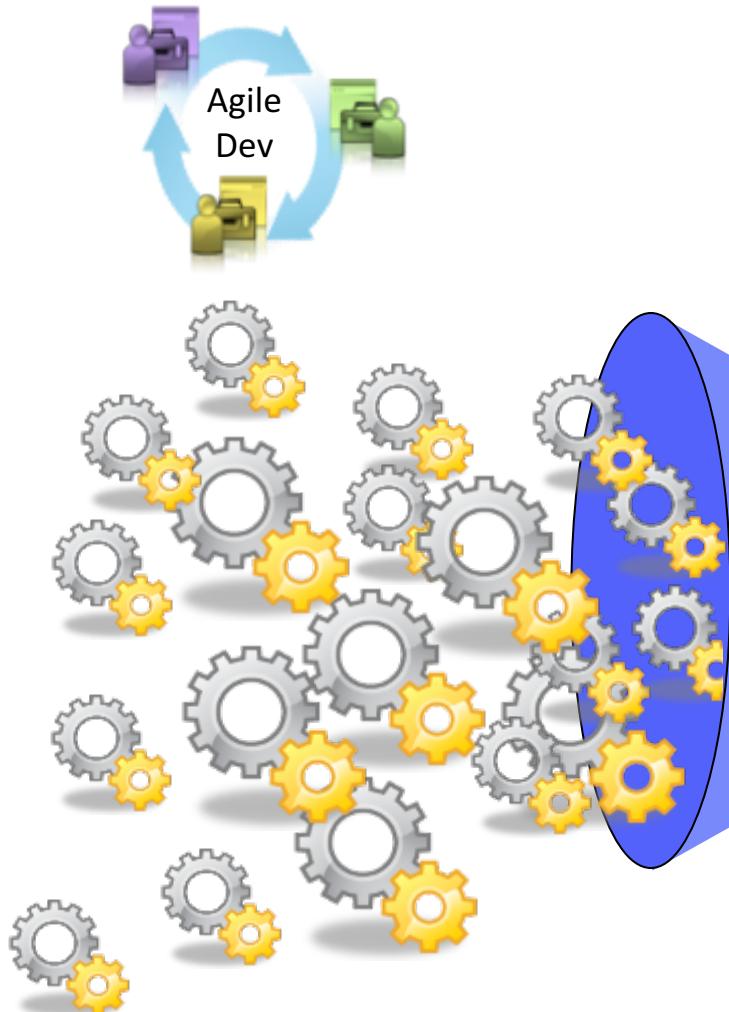
Deployment/Ops



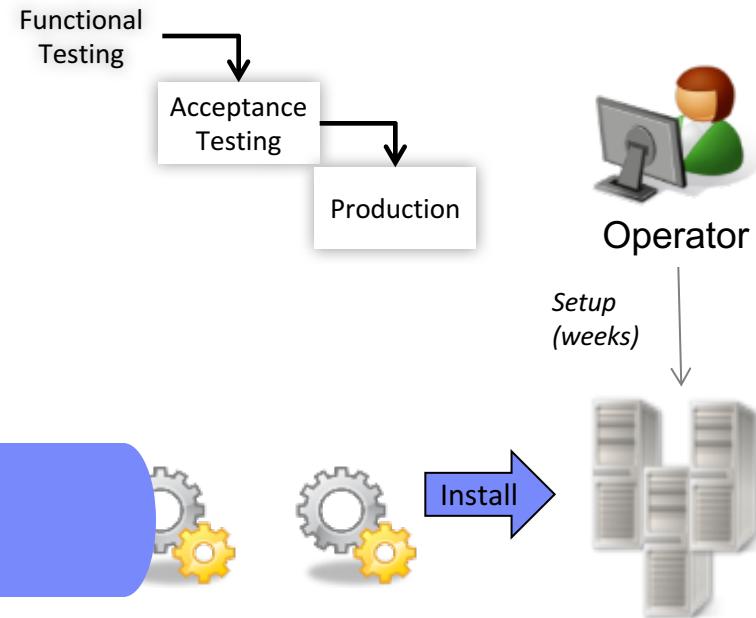
Source: <http://softwaredeploymentplan.blog.com/>

Source: http://www.matrikasoftware.com/implementation_deployment.html

Agile is not enough...

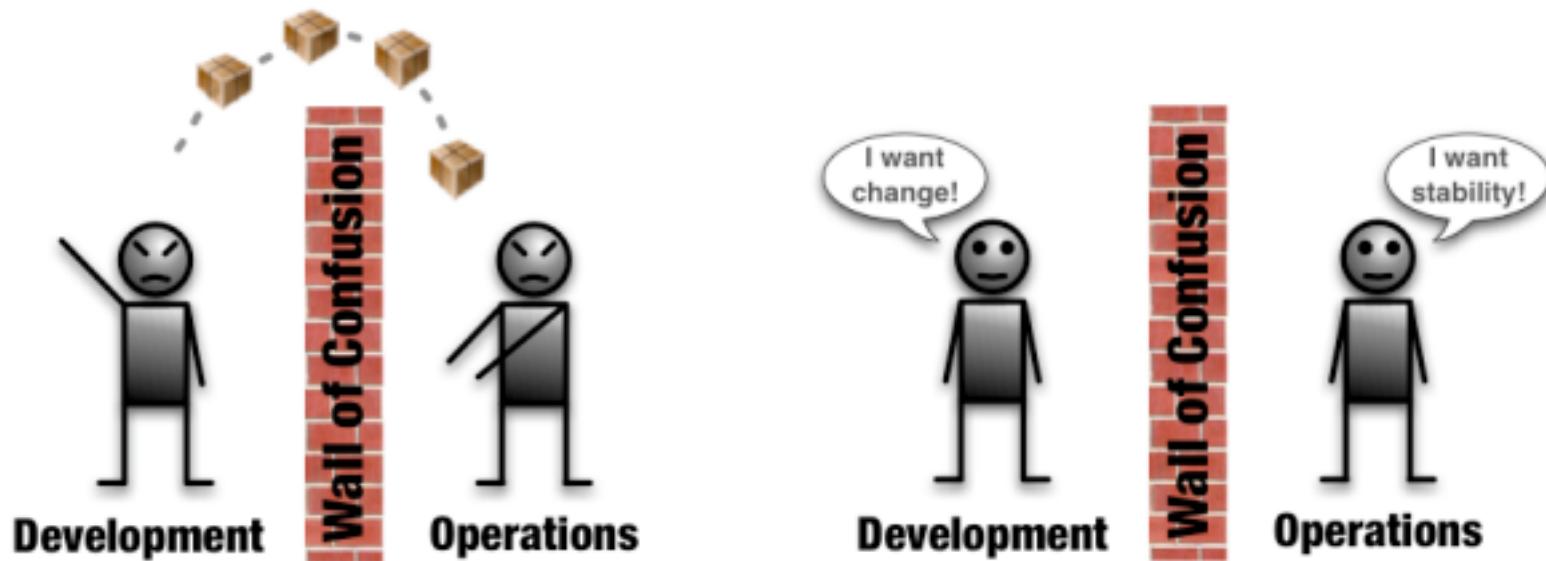


Agile builds are piling up



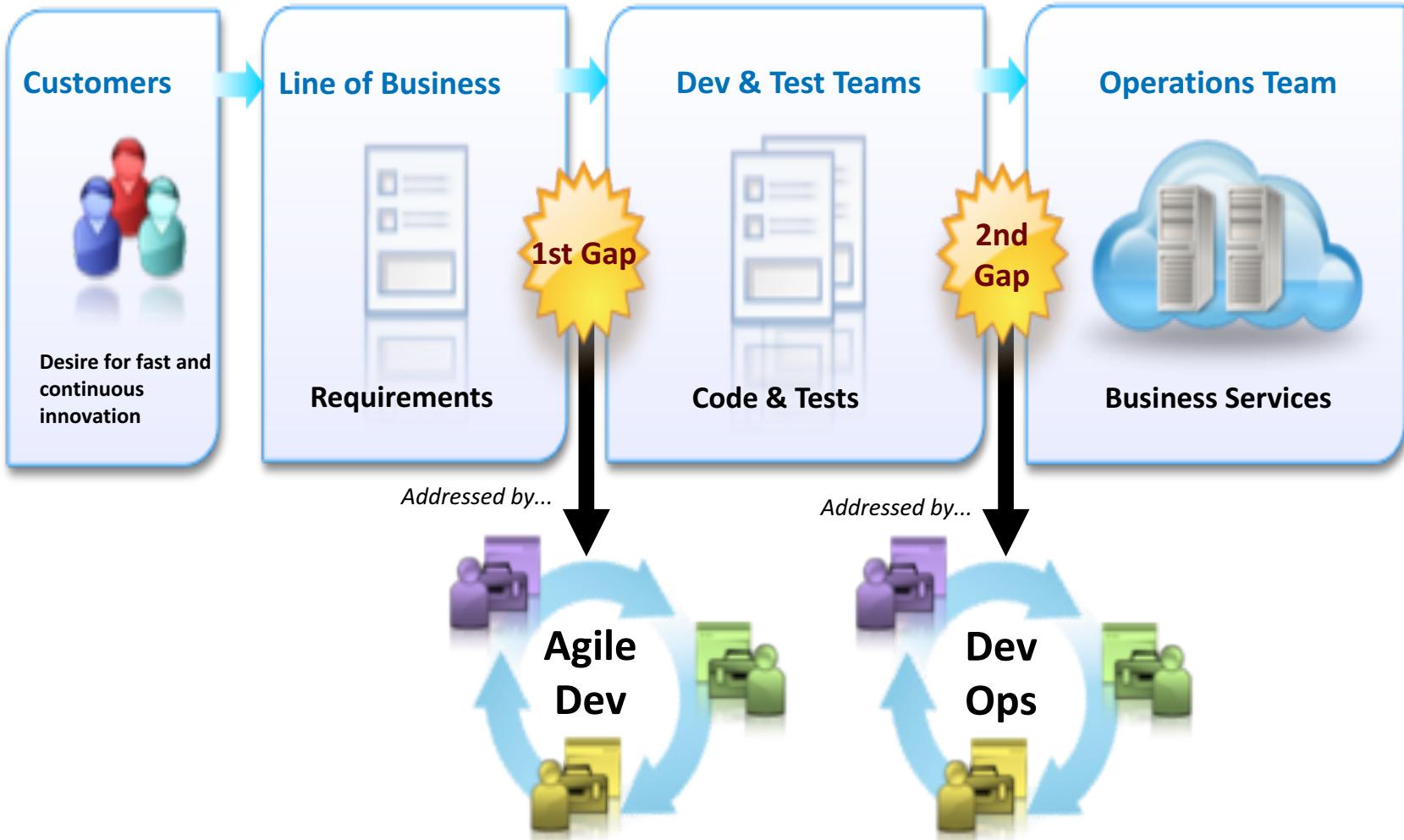
Test and Ops teams have increased pressures to keep up with increased loads but continue to use waterfall approaches and traditional tools.

Application Lifecycle Management

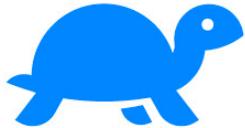


Source: <http://dev2ops.org/2010/02/what-is-devops/>

Siloed delivery challenges



How often to release new features?



slow

Operating systems,
mission critical systems

DSDM and SAFe minimize
customer disruption by
pacing releases

How frequently can the
customer absorb new
releases?



fast

Web based services

Spotify: weekly releases

Feature toggles and
Limited blast radius

Amazon: 50M
deployments in 2014
(1.5/second)

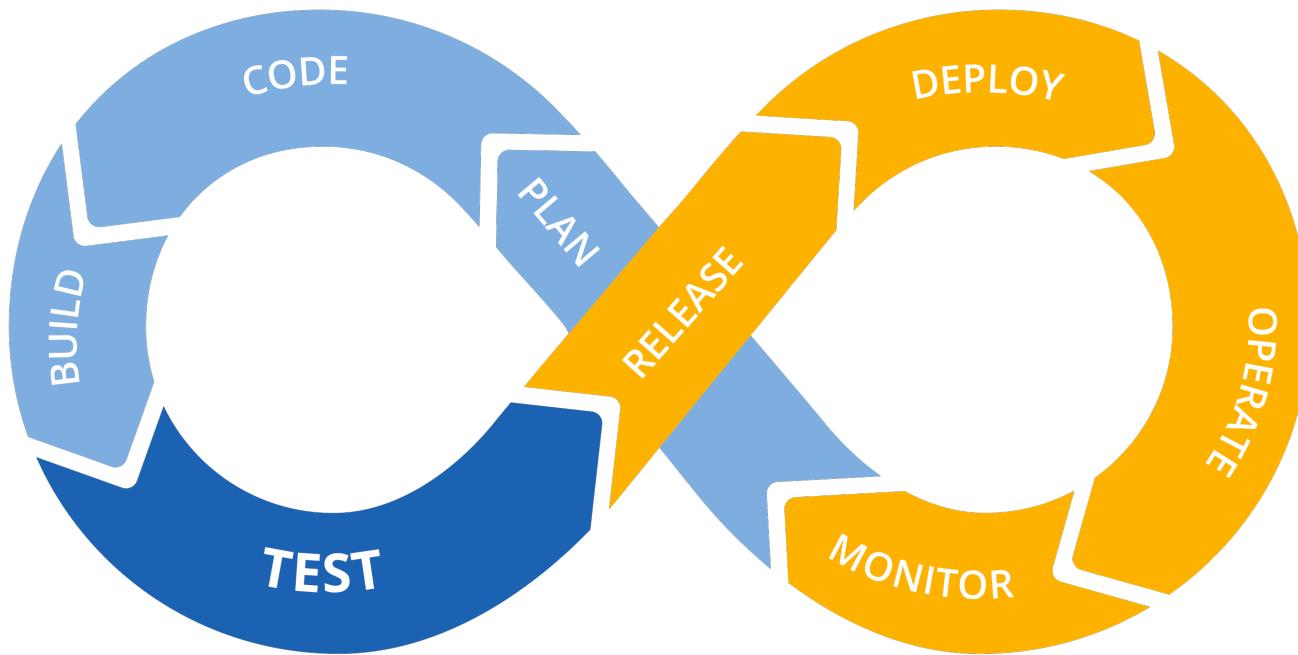
Netflix, Facebook



DevOps Solution

Tear down the silos!

Re-integrate IT to deliver business value faster and better





DevOps is...

A set of principles, values, and tools

that facilitate collaboration across disciplines to...

1. Enable rapid evolution of deployed business services
2. Reduce risk, decrease cost, and improve quality

People



Process



Tools





DevOps principles and values

Collaborate across disciplines

Requirements, development, deployment, operations

Develop and test against a production-like system

Iterative and frequent deployments using repeatable and reliable processes

Continuously monitor and validate operational quality characteristics

Amplify feedback loops

People



Process

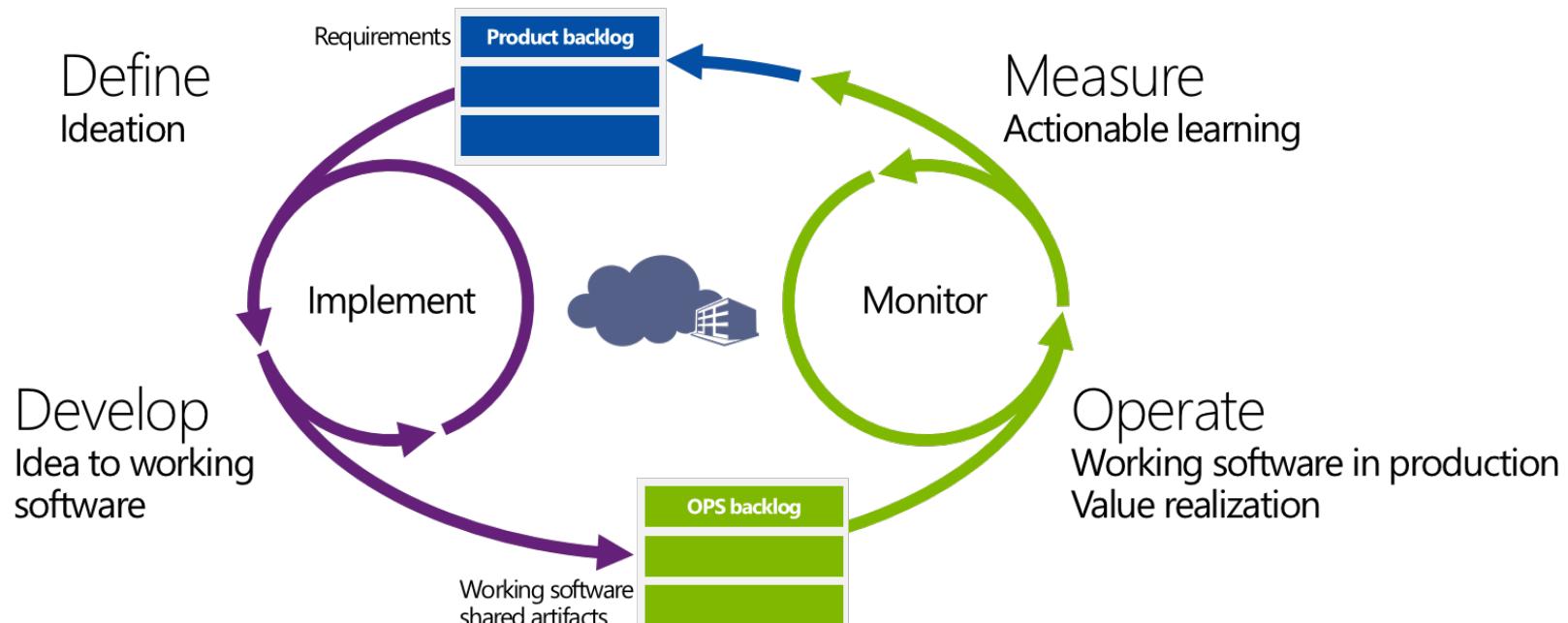


Tools



Application Lifecycle Management

Waste elimination | Cycle time reduction | Integration & visibility



Source: <http://incyclesoftware.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/01/modern-release-cycle.png>



Evolving customer and market expectations

User Experience	Today	Emerging
Delivery Model	Planned	Incremental (DevOps)
Development and Operations Team Sizes	100s and Costly	10s with built-in DevOps automation
Release Frequency	Months to Years	Days to Weeks, based on business opportunity
Integration Frequency	Weeks	Continuous
Infrastructure Deployment	Days	Minutes
Time to Value	Planned	Opportunistic
Operational Model	Systems Management	Built into application, Recovery Oriented Computing, Continuous Availability



A DevOps Manifesto

We are uncovering better ways of running systems by doing it and helping others do it. Through this work we have come to value:

Individuals and interactions over processes **over tools**

Reliable and repeatable processes are critical to OPS

Working **systems** over comprehensive documentation

Working systems, not just working software

Customer **and developer** collaboration over contract negotiation

Customers, developers, and OPS must be partners

Responding to change over following a plan

That is, while there is value in the items on the right, we value the items on the left more.

How do we make this happen?

Automate everything

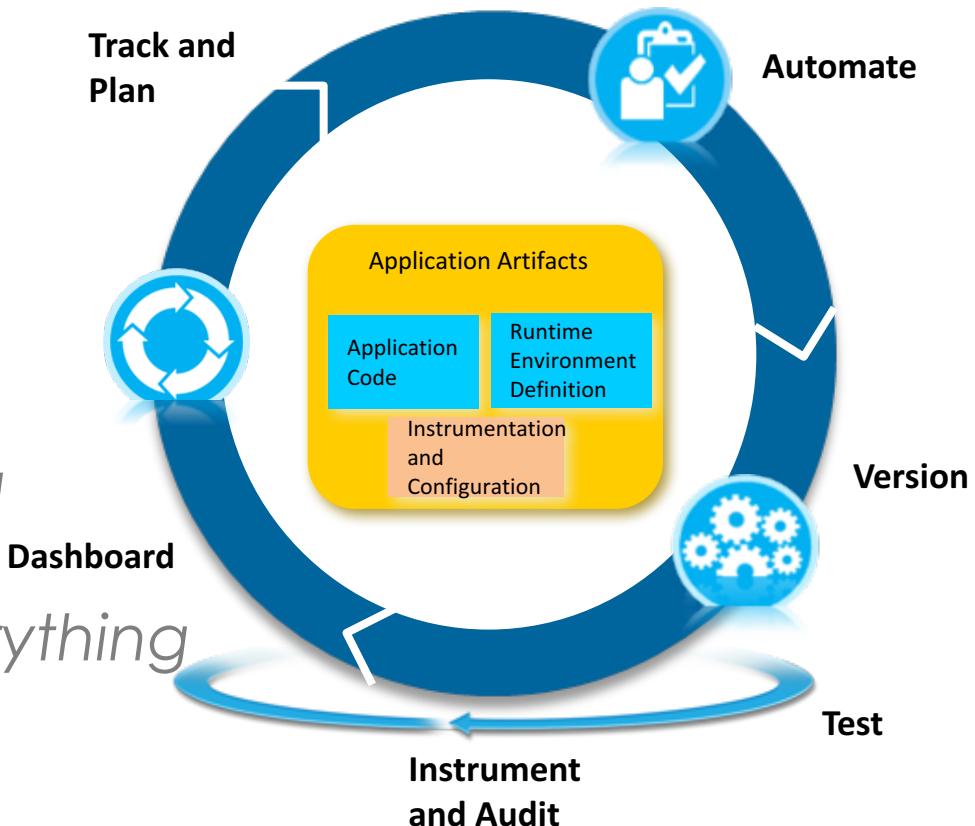
Version everything

Test everything

Track and Plan everything

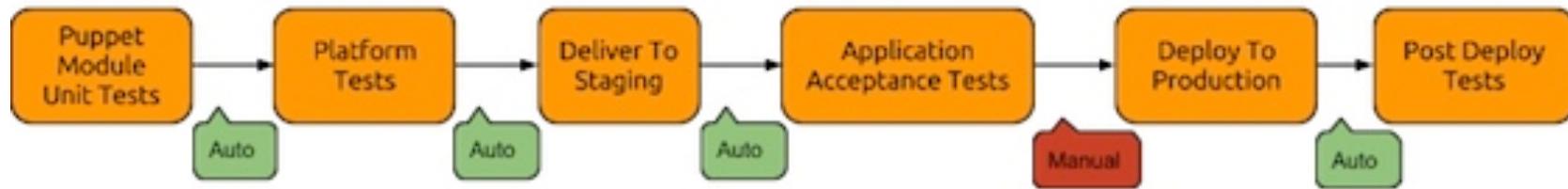
Instrument and Audit everything

Dashboard everything

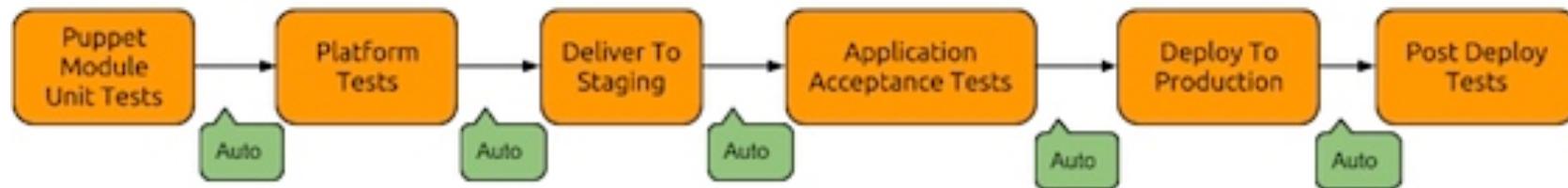


Continuous Delivery vs Deployment

Continuous Delivery



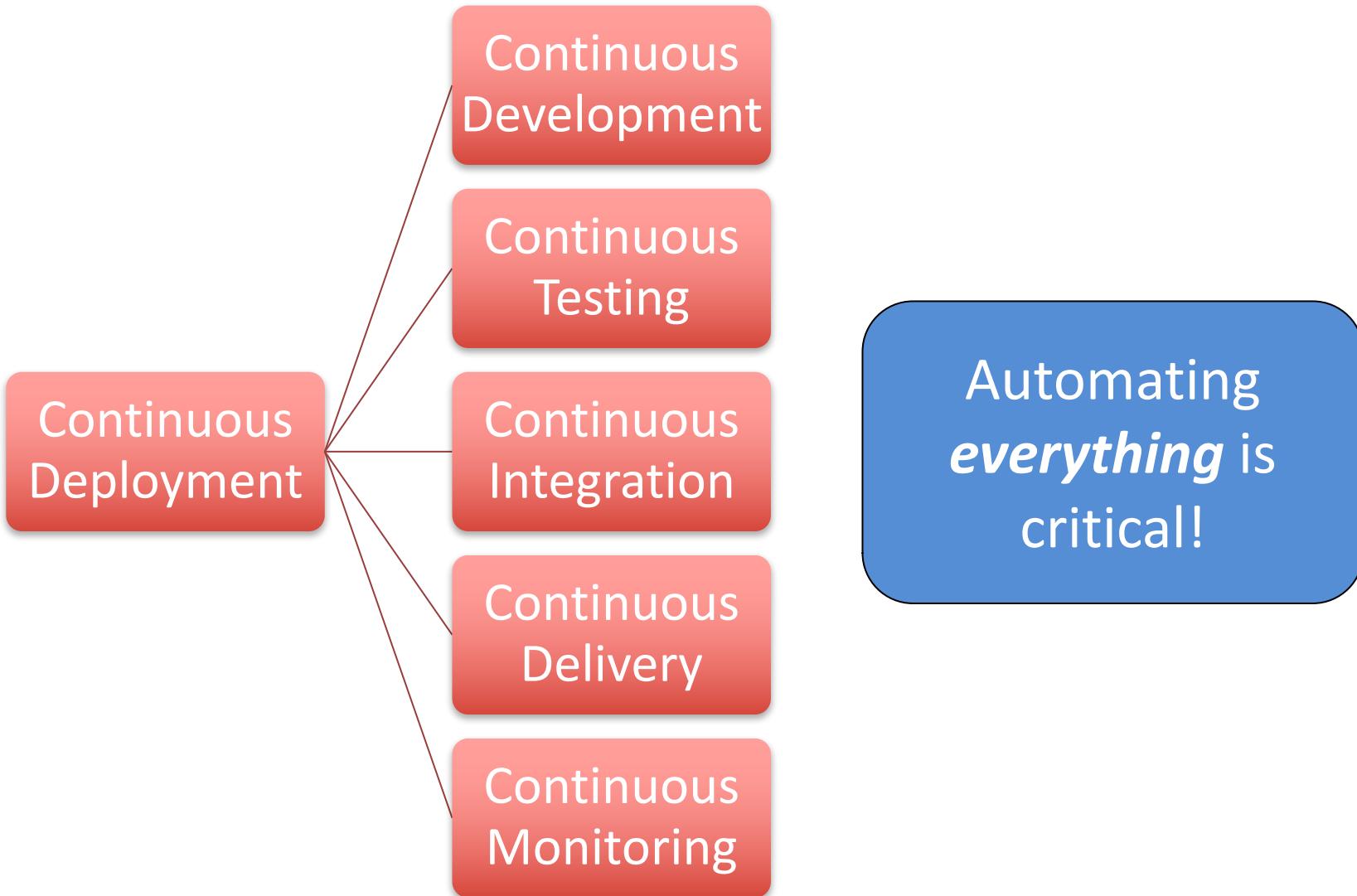
Continuous Deployment



Source: <http://dev.housetrip.com/2014/03/12/continuous-deployment/>



Continuous Deployment Requirements





Continuous Delivery Principles

Create a **repeatable** and **reliable** process for software releases

Releases occur frequently so the right process is critical

Automate as much of the process as possible

Manual processes are slow and error prone

Identify and automate the hardest parts

Keep **everything** needed to recreate the build under version control

You may need to recreate any previous build





Continuous Delivery Principles

Build quality in (Lean)

Include quality improvements up front, don't just measure after the fact
Automated testing of all steps is critical

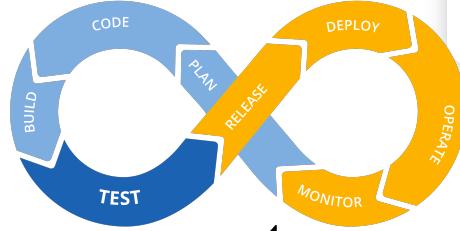
You're not “done” until the feature is released

Everyone shares responsibility for delivery, not just Ops

Reflection and continuous improvement are critical



DevOps Tools and Practices



Source Control/Configuration Management

Keep everything needed to deliver a release under source control

Build tools

Developers' build environment should reflect deployment
Completely automate the build process including all steps
Build, stage, and test every time a change is committed to source control

Automated test

All testing must be automated, e.g. TDD
Unit, integration, system, performance, security, acceptance

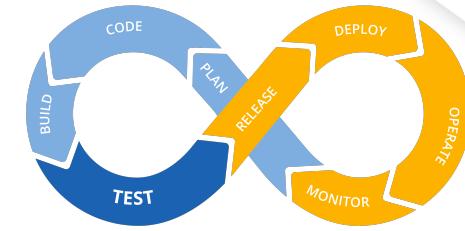
DevOps Tools and Practices

Continuous Integration

Integrate and test after every commit

Identify problems quickly

Develop, integrate, and test against a production-like environment



DevOps Tools and Practices

Monitoring

Critical to monitor everything relevant

Code quality, complexity, coverage

Mean time to failure

Mean time between failures

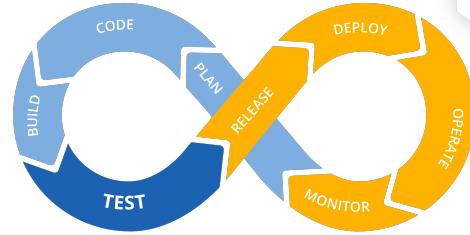
Mean time to resolution

Server capacity: disk, memory, network

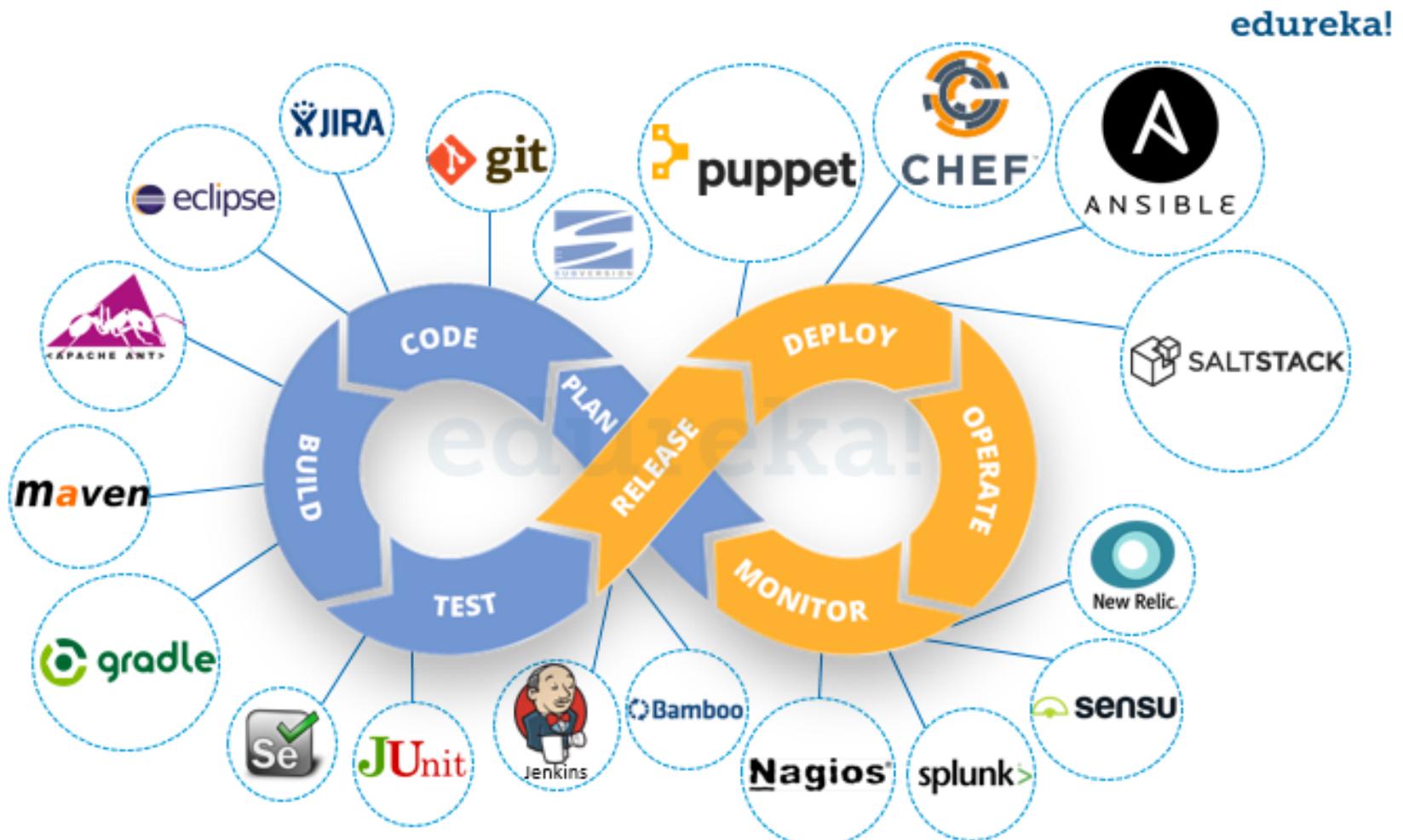
User behavior

Response times

Real-time monitoring



Tools for continuous deployment



<https://blog.xebialabs.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/DevOps-cycle-PPT-COLOURS.png>



DevOps summary

DevOps extends Agile principles from code to include systems and operations

DevOps is a philosophy

Continuing evolution between developers and operations

Questions?

