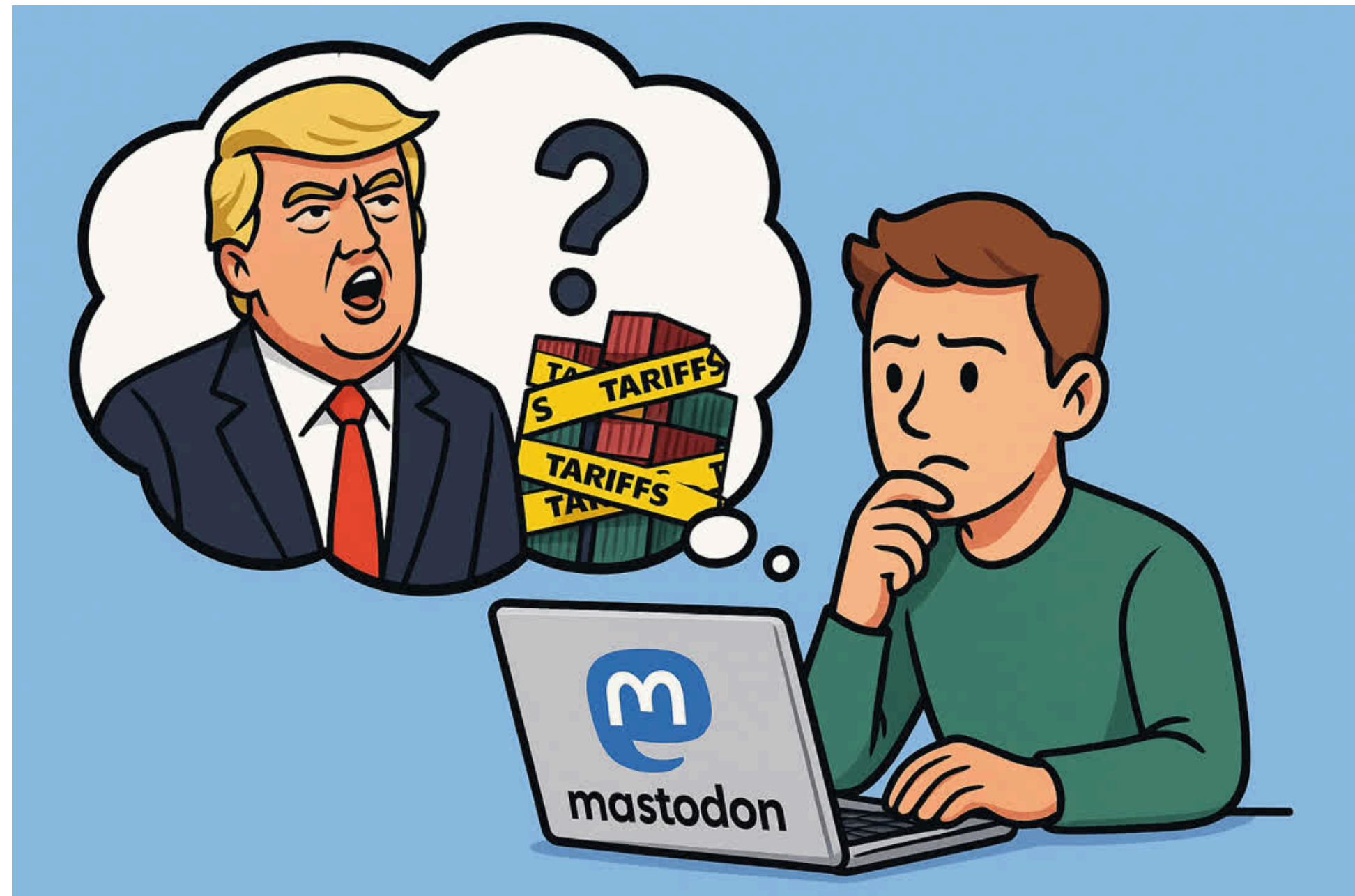


WHAT DO AUSTRALIANS THINK OF DONALD TRUMP AND TARIFFS ON MASTODON?

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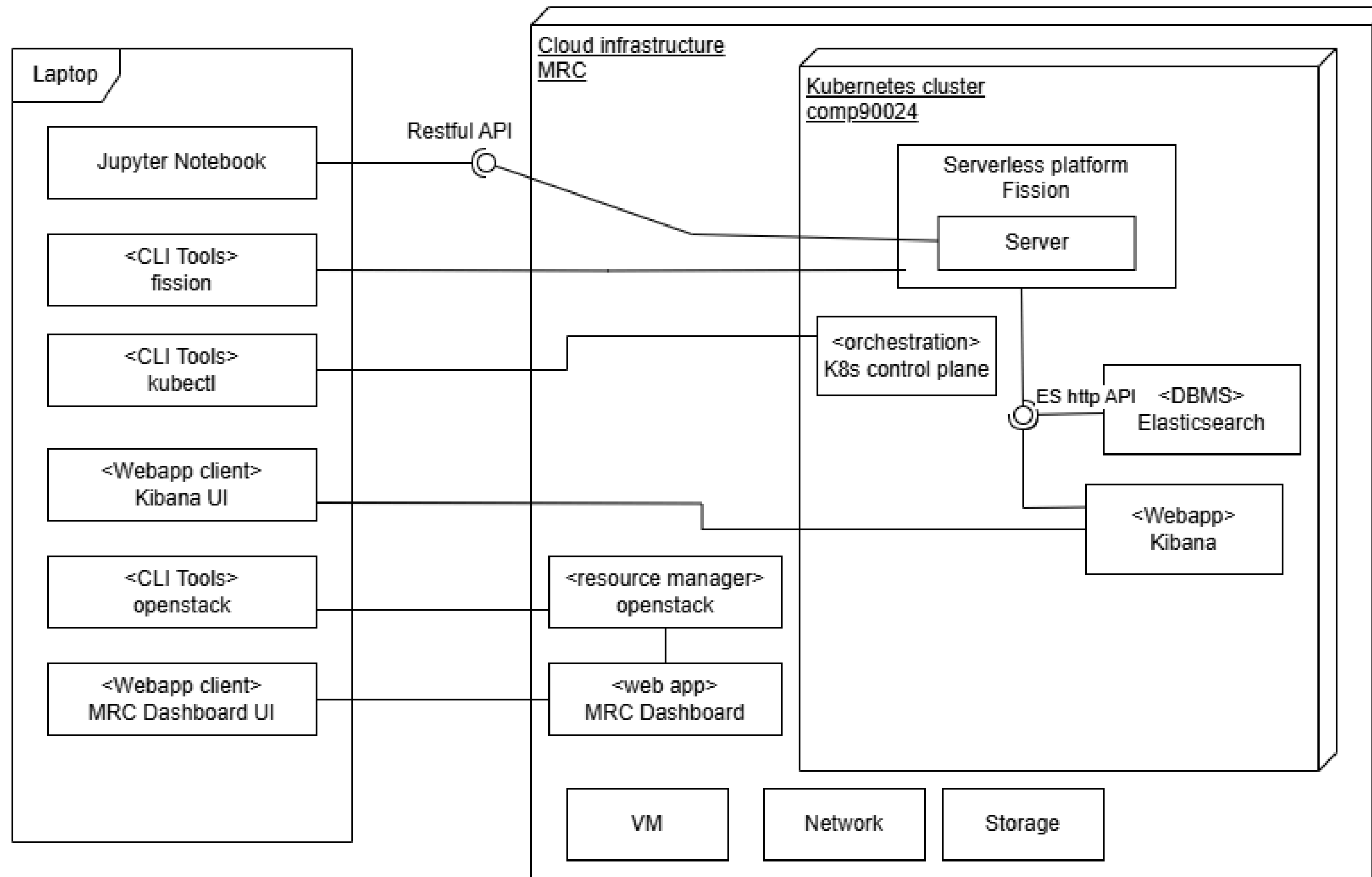
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We chose this topic because it speaks directly to Australian politics and economics—particularly the Australia–U.S. trade relationship—and Mastodon’s decentralized structure gives us access to a diverse, grassroots set of user-generated opinions relevant to Australia’s position.

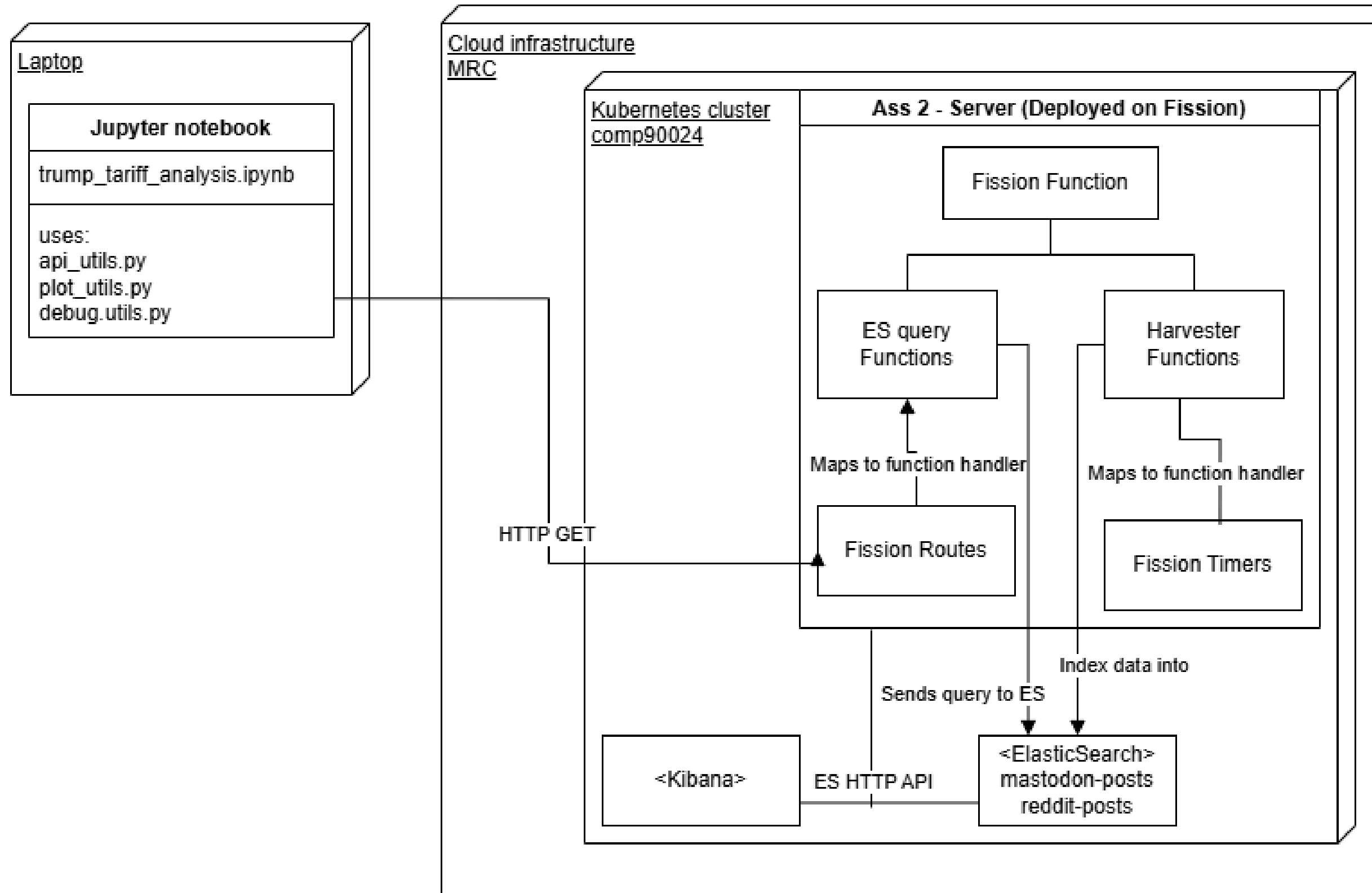
Donald Trump’s series of tariff policies disrupted traditional international trade patterns. As a heavily export-dependent nation with close diplomatic ties, Australia is especially sensitive to such shifts.

Understanding Australians’ reactions helps us gauge public social cognition and political attitudes toward these global affairs. Moreover, Mastodon’s emerging, decentralized public-opinion ecology often surfaces perspectives that mainstream platforms (e.g., Twitter, Reddit) can miss.

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SUMMARY

- Tariffs are widely viewed **negatively** by Australian social media users.
- Many associate Trump's trade policies with **economic tension** and **political division**.
- Users show a strong preference for **stable international trade relations**.



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