FAST local development with Kalabox + Pantheon



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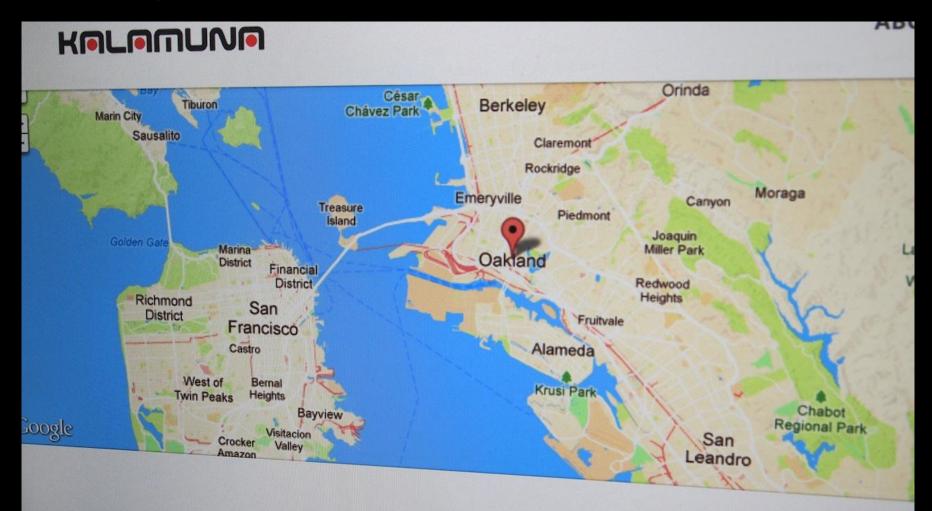
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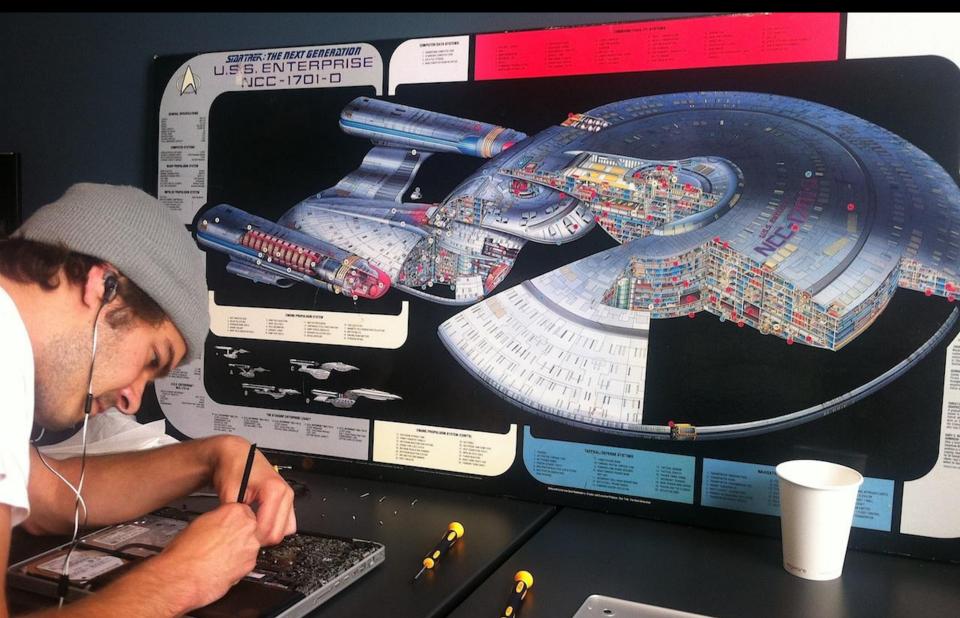


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we've got something really exciting, but first...

current local stack options





Drupal Quickstart / Drupal Pro





megalodon





Pros

- Faster than on server dev
- Deployment
- Try new things
- Fail privately
- Internet independent Codez on Planes
- Get on same page as team
- Easier fileplay/IDEplay
- Free!

Cons

- Can be slow
- Pain to set up
- Not a native stack
- Not a modern stack
- Not an authentic webserver experience
- Difficult to use
- Parity with production
- Lacking tools
- Can't upgrade / hack around
- Additional setup costs to make up config difference

THE IDEAL STACK

- Fast
- Modern optimized and tuned for php dev
- Native actually runs on Linux
- Ridiculously easy to setup sane defaults
- Accessible for newbies, control for veterans
- Parity with production change environments
- Great tools
- Automation for common tasks
- Easy to deploy your site

now for the exciting part...



Hi There.



stack

linux nginx mysql php5 tomcat/solr



tools

```
phpmyadmin
       apc
       ssh
        git
      drush
      xdebug
     webgrind
       nfs
pantheon commands
     kaladash
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magix

nodejs
virtualbox
vagrant
puppet/chef
foreman



works on

macosx

windows debian fedora

nintendo wii

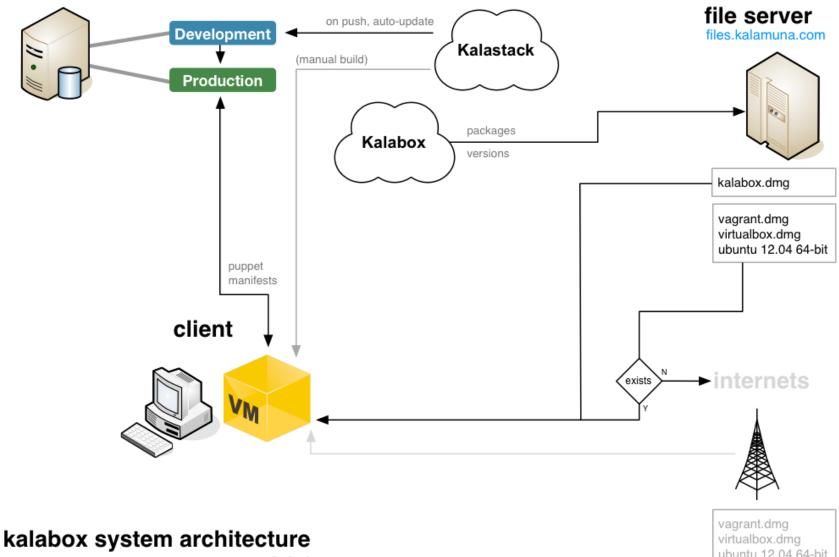
now is the time to show them the installer...



background install nodejs download vb download vagrant download base box puppet master kalastack foreman

puppet master

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v. 2.0.4

ubuntu 12.04 64-bit



roadmap

use any stack
persist sites through rebuilds
build new sites
acquia integration
deploy your site
better/faster/stronger

drush demo...



Kalamuna on Kalabox + Pantheon Multidev: Ride the Hydra!



Josh Koenig



Pantheon partner Kalamuna — the most stylish Drupal outfit in the East Bay — have been doing really interesting work with their Kalabox project: a system for handling local development that's designed to take advantage of modern VM tools (Vagrant) and configuration management (Puppet).

Customers

This model offers a significant advantage over MAMP or other "stack in a box" tools that rely on your native OS. Unless you're booting Linux locally, the chances are high your production environment is built on a very different platform. That kind of fragmentation can be a killer, and hopefully soon it won't be a risk anyone has to take.

Co-Founder (and chief food taster) Alec Reynolds put up a really great blog today, imaginatively entitled Ride the Hydra, about the power of using Kalabox in conjunction with Pantheon's Multidev features:

Take the example of back-end code refactoring.
This type of work is the dark matter of large, long-term projects: it takes up lots of time, it's largely invisible and hides on a developer's laptop until the time comes to integrate it with the main

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thanks!

