

A decorative background graphic on the right side of the slide, resembling a circuit board or network diagram. It features a complex web of thin white lines connecting various geometric shapes: small circles, squares, and larger circles, some of which contain smaller shapes. The overall pattern is dense and intricate, set against a dark gray background.

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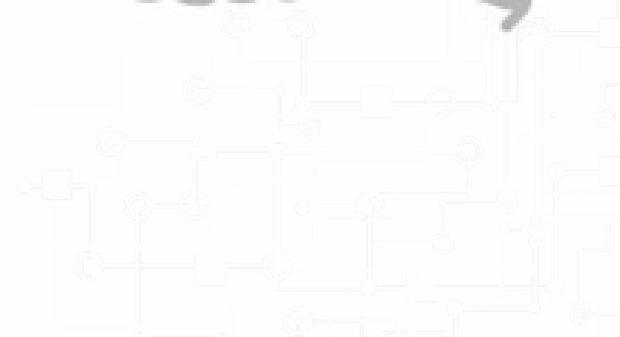
Major Things to Look Forward to in 2017

New Web Standards

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2. [WebGL 2](#)
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4. [CSS Grid](#)

```
function arraySum(arr) {  
  var sum = 0;  
  for (var i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {  
    sum += arr[i];  
  }  
}
```

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WebAssembly

arraySum	line 4	sum = int arr = array i = int arr[i] = int	
arraySum	line 2	sum = int	

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WebVR





CSS Grid Layout

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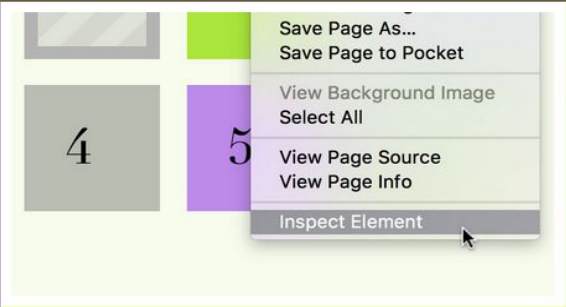
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DevTools

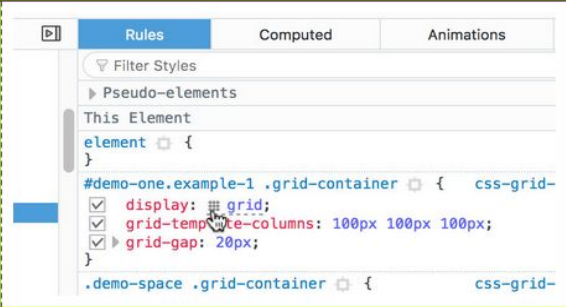
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Inspect the Design

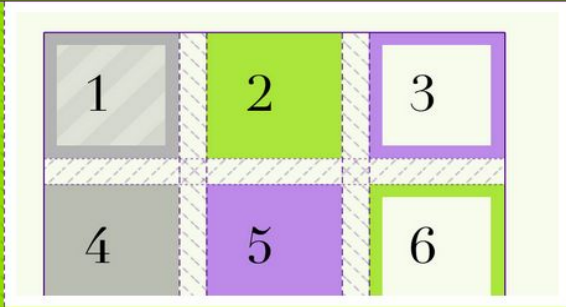
Firefox's [Grid Inspector Tool](#) lets you see the grid lines in the browser while you're creating a layout or studying other examples of CSS Grid in action. In fact, this entire page was laid out using CSS Grid. Try it out!



1 In Firefox, right click and select "Inspect Element."



2 In the Developer Tools, find an element with a `display: grid;` declaration and click the  icon.



3 You'll see the grid overlaid on the page, including grid lines and tracks.

CSS Grid Inspector



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Performance

1. [Electrolysis \(e10s\)](#)
2. [Multiple content processes \(e10s-multi\)](#)
3. [Project Quantum \(announcement\)](#)

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Privacy + Security

1. The [Tor Uplift](#)
2. Strong [sandboxing on all platforms](#)
3. Flash “Ask to Activate”

Firefox Features

1. Pocket Integration
2. [Activity Stream](#) graduating from [Test Pilot](#)
3. More [Test Pilot](#) experiments
4. [Container Tabs](#)
5. Eliminating the Aurora release channel so features can get from Nightly to Release more quickly

Web Extensions

1. Standardizing add-on APIs between Firefox, Chrome, Edge, and Opera
2. Supporting the devtools.* APIs
3. Supporting the [storage.sync](#) API
4. New Firefox-specific APIs for theming the browser
5. Finishing Chrome-compat and landing more Firefox-specific APIs



Speakers

Michael Van Kleeck, Enterprise Architect:

Cloud Computing, SaaS, and Security

Chuck Harmston, Sr. Engineer- Firefox Test Pilot

Contributing to Open Source



A complex network diagram in the background, featuring a dense web of interconnected nodes (circles and squares) and lines, rendered in a light gray color against a dark gray background.

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Cloud Computing, SaaS, and Security

Michael Van Kleeck

Mozilla Enterprise Solutions Architect

Cloud Computing, SaaS, Security- Overview

After this presentation, audience members will be able to:

- **Differentiate between monolithic and microservice architectures**
- **Describe what SaaS is and how it is used**
- **Compare VM and Container-based cloud architectures**
- **Talk about how to secure SaaS-driven applications using OIDC, and use JSON Web Tokens for access***

Application Architectures- a brief history

- **Mainframes and dumb terminals**
- **Client + Server**
- **Model-View-Controller**
- **Service-Oriented Architecture (Microservices)**

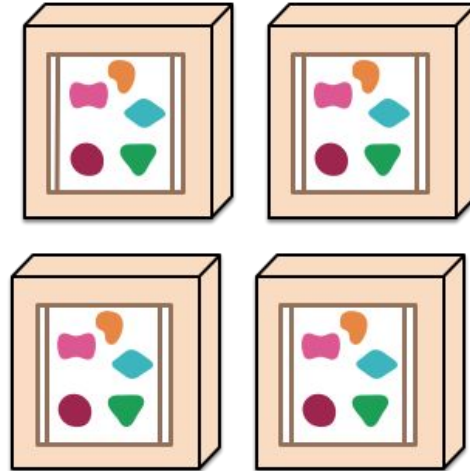
The web supports all these models. HTTP is just a protocol.

Monoliths- The Old Way, The Old New Way

A monolithic application puts all its functionality into a single process...

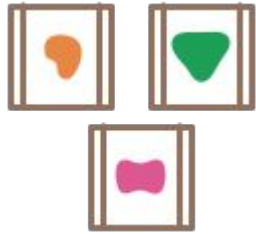


... and scales by replicating the monolith on multiple servers

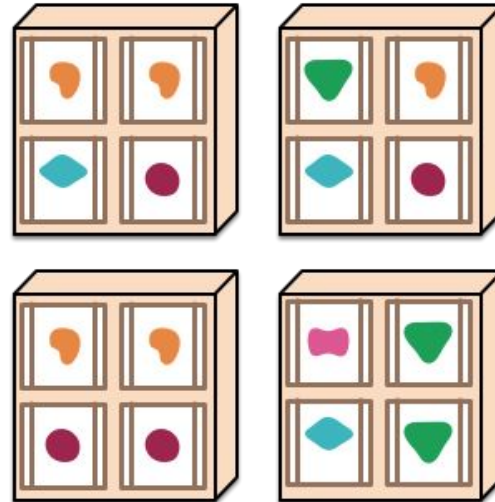


Microservices- The New, New Way

A microservices architecture puts each element of functionality into a separate service...



... and scales by distributing these services across servers, replicating as needed.



Microservices are....

- **Coarse-grained (the details are in the data)**
- **Single business function**
- **Atomic (self-contained, with rollback)**
- **Stateless**
- **Independently secure**

Examples: Amazon uses 100-150 Microservices to build a page.

[Netflix runs hundreds of Microservices!](#)

Software As A Service (SaaS)

- **SaaS can be microservices- or larger services**
- **Applications combine services to implement a complete business process**
- **Independent of underlying infrastructure**
- **Widely varying in quality (buyer beware!)**

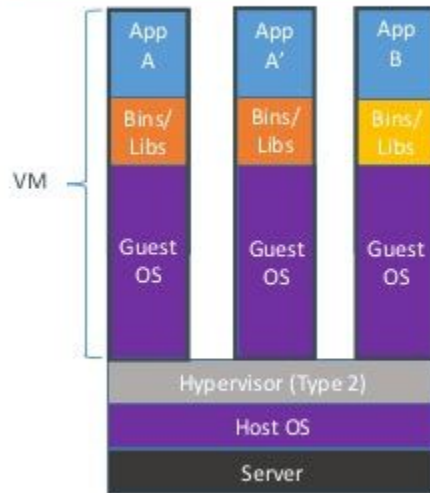
Cloud Computing

“Cloud computing is a model for enabling **ubiquitous, convenient, on-demand network access to a shared pool of configurable computing resources** (e.g., networks, servers, storage, applications, and services) that can be rapidly provisioned and released with minimal management effort or service provider interaction”

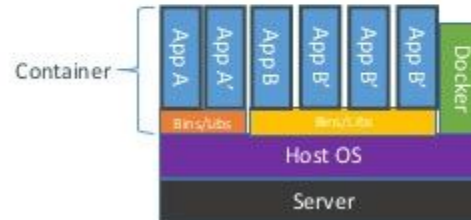
- [The NIST Definition of Cloud Computing](#)

Cloud Architectures- Virtual Machines vs. Containers

Containers vs. VMs



Containers are isolated, but share OS and, where appropriate, bins/libraries

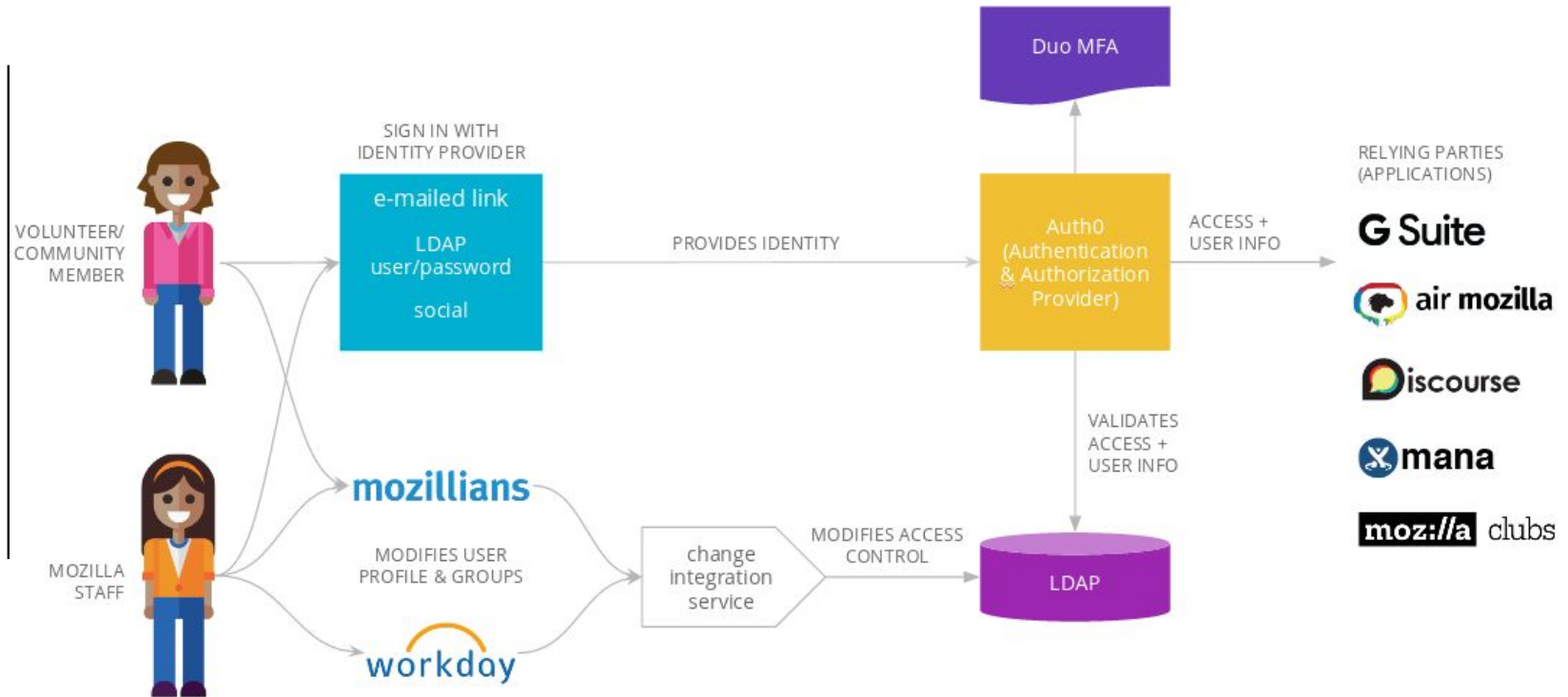


VMs ~= monoliths, Containers ~= microservices

Software As A Service- Security

- Services require independent authentication
- Users don't want an account with every service
- Authentication and Authorization are core differentiators for organizations
- OAuth and OIDC are the standards

Example- Mozilla Identity and Access Management



Note: High-security services have extra checks on access control modification

Identity and Access Management- Lock screen

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LOG IN WITH GITHUB



LOG IN WITH GOOGLE



LOG IN WITH EMAIL



LOG IN WITH LDAP



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Note : To log in with an LDAP email alias,
please click BACK and choose LOG IN
WITH EMAIL.



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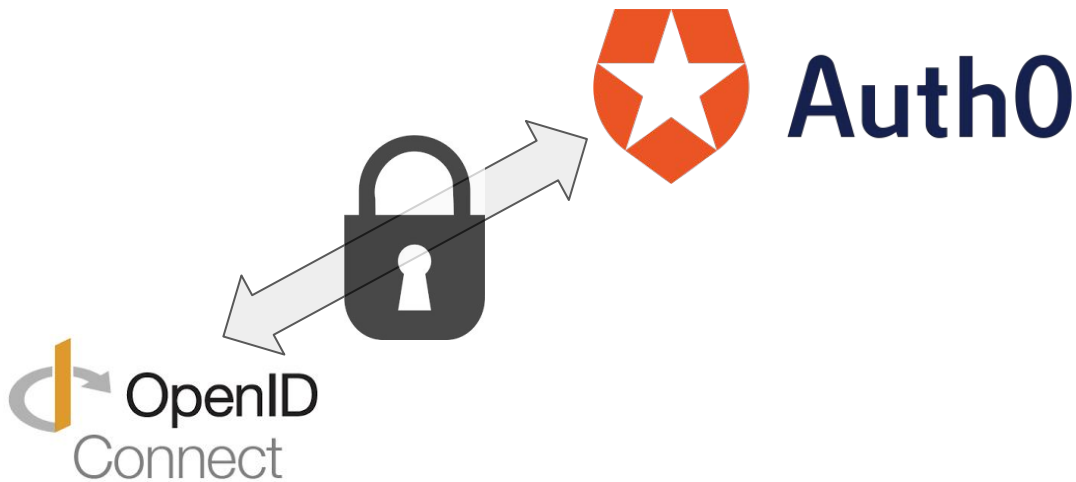


your LDAP password

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LOG IN

Securing SaaS Using OIDC



- Applications or relying parties need to talk with identity providers securely.
- Each authentication has unique messages associated.
- Those messages need to be secure in transit.

JSON Web Token

Decoded

HEADER: ALGORITHM & TOKEN TYPE

```
{  
  "alg": "HS256",  
  "typ": "JWT"  
}
```

PAYLOAD: DATA

```
{  
  "sub": "1234567890",  
  "name": "John Doe",  
  "admin": true  
}
```

VERIFY SIGNATURE

```
HMACSHA256(  
  base64UrlEncode(header) + "." +  
  base64UrlEncode(payload),  
    
) ☐ secret base64 encoded
```

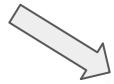
JSON Web Token

Encoded

```
eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.  
eyJzdWIiOiIxMjM0NTY3ODkwIiwibmFtZSI6IkpvaG4  
gRG9lIiwiaXNTb2NpYWwiOnRydWV9.  
4pcPyMD09o1PSyXnrXCjTwXyr4Bsezdi1AVTmud2fU4
```

What's a digital signature?

Header



eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.

eyJzdWIiOiIxMjM0NTY3ODkwIiwibmFtZSI6IkpvaG4

gRG9lIiwiaXNTb2NpYWwiOnRydWV9.

4pcPyMD09o1PSyXnrXCjTwXyr4Bsezdi1AVTmud2fU4



Payload



Secret

Digital Signatures Continued



Payload + Signature



Secret: Passw@rd1!



HMAC(secret, header and payload)



Signature = 0xC0FF33C0FF33

Secret: Passw@rd1!



HMAC(secret, header and payload)



Signature = 0xC0FF33C0FF33

If you did catch all that...

Summary :

Secure because math...

What would that look like in code?

```
#This is the payload we receive in python
```

```
eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.eyJzdWIiOiIxMjM0NTY3ODkwIiwibmFtZSI6Ikp1Y2hhZWwgVmFuEtsZWVrliwiYWRTaW4iOnRydWV9.puDI94cptsSD3STETlqT4MO84nA54P2VtT_iH-mcu7I
```

First we have to split it apart...

```
#!/usr/bin/python

payload =
eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.eyJzdWIiOiIxMjM0NTY3ODkwIiwibmFtZSI6Ikp1Y2hhZWwgVmFuEtsZWVrliwiYWRTaW4iOnRydWV9.puDI94cptsSD3STETIqT4MO84nA54P2VtT_iH-mcu7I

header = payload.split('.')[0]

payload = payload.split('.')[1]

signature = payload.split('.')[2]
```

Now we need to sign it...

```
1  #!/usr/bin/python
2  import hmac
3  import hashlib
4
5  payload = ( redacted for brevity )
6  secret = ByRzU2haBzT0dLwt7QZgzut4LqSPc5JW
7
8  header = payload.split('.')[0]
9  payload = payload.split('.')[1]
10 signature = payload.split('.')[2]
11
12 message = header + payload
13 digest_maker = hmac.new(secret, '', hashlib.sha256)
14
15 this_signature = digest_maker.update(message).hexdigest()
```

Checking Signatures

```
1  #!/usr/bin/python
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4  ** redacted for brevity **
12 message = header + payload
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14
15 this_signature = digest_maker.update(message).hexdigest()
16
17 if this_signature == signature:
18     #do things like trust the payload
19 else:
20     #do things like access denied
```

A Defense in Depth Strategy

- TLS Certificates
- Application Security
- Custom Authorizers
- 2FA (Duo, OTP, etc.)

More Resources

JSON Web Tokens: <https://jwt.io/introduction/>

OpenIDC Security Best Practices:

https://wiki.mozilla.org/Security/Guidelines/OpenID_Connect

[OAuth, OIDC, SAML, WS-Fed Comparison](#) (blog by Niraj Bhatt)

Protect the Web- Get Involved With Mozilla!

Run Firefox Nightly!

<https://www.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/channel/desktop/>

Contribute to the Mozilla Code Base!

https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Mozilla/Developer_guide

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