Scalable Parallel Automated Test

Optimizing Software Testing Solution

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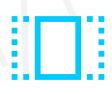
Agenda







Problems



Solutions



Benefits



The demand in test automation

A high regression test coverage obviously requires a large amount of test cases

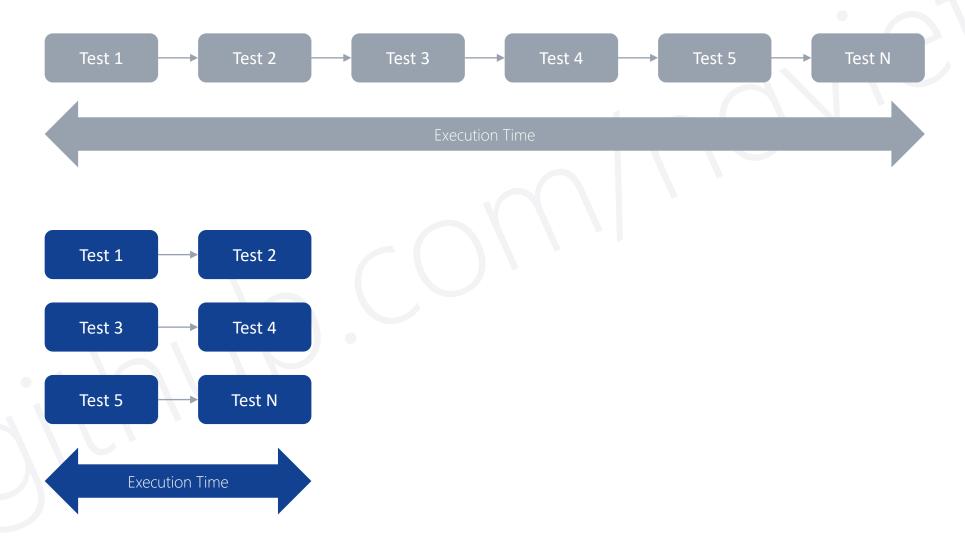
Test execution time begins to become an important factor in software development pipelines

The "Shift Left" initiative has put more pressure on tests to deliver fast feedback

Distributed Cloud for Cross Browser Testing

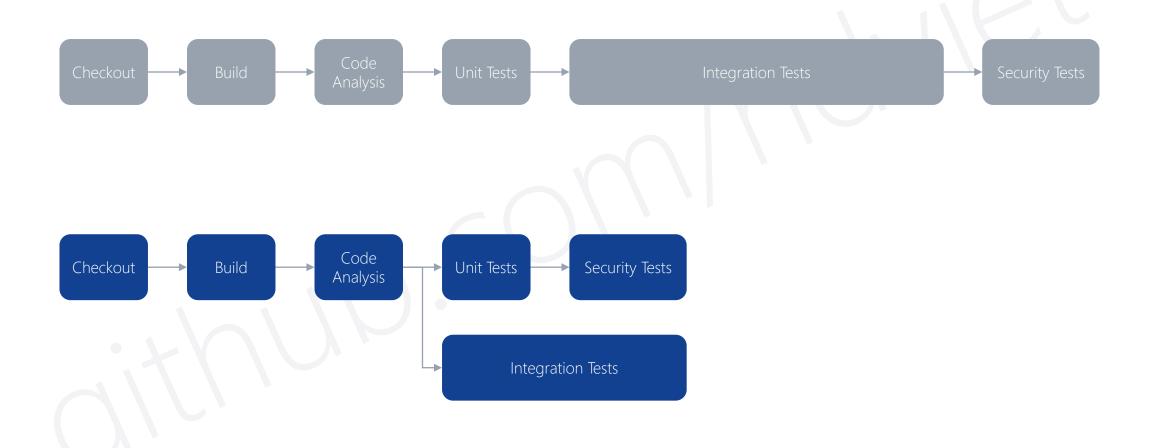


Parallel execution overview



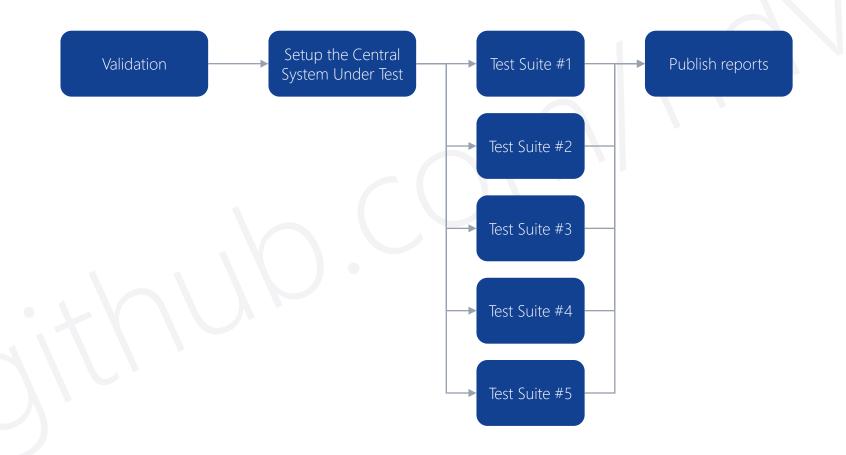


Parallel execution stages of pipeline



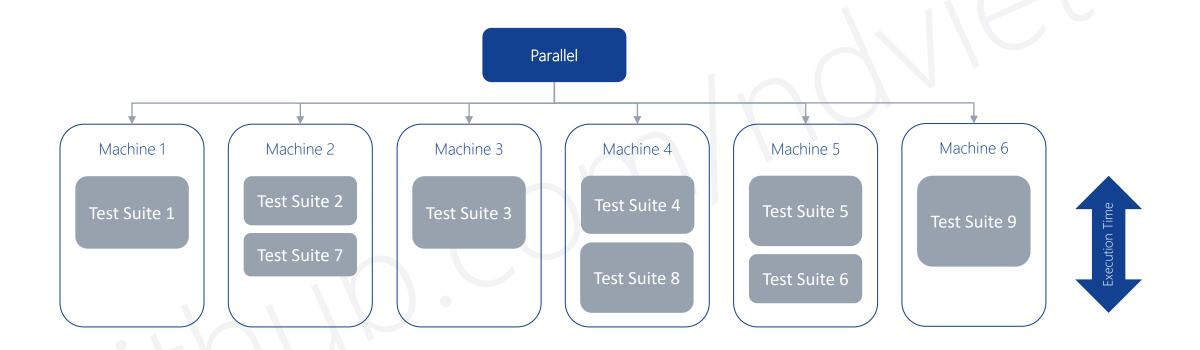


Parallel execution tests in the CI/CD pipeline



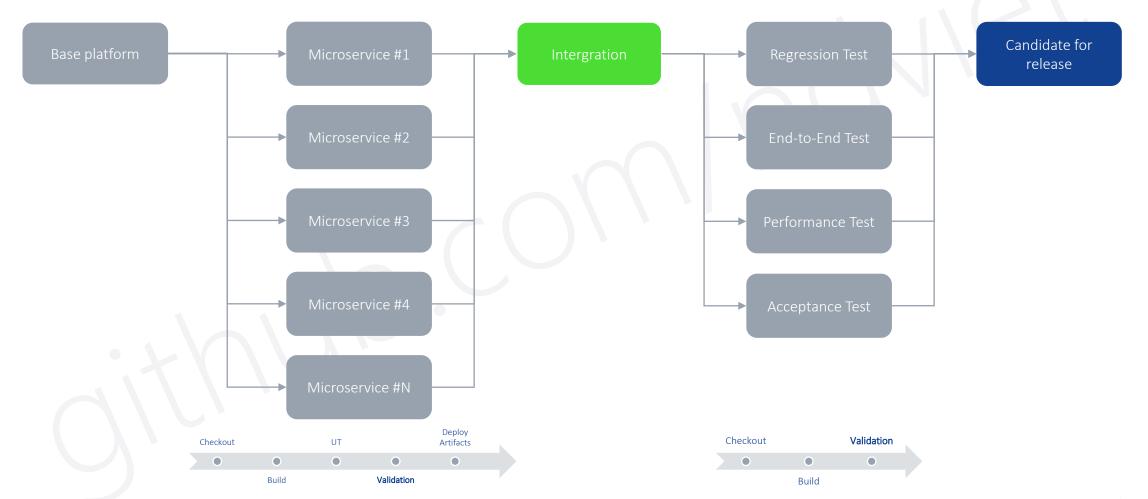


Parallel execution tests in multiple machines



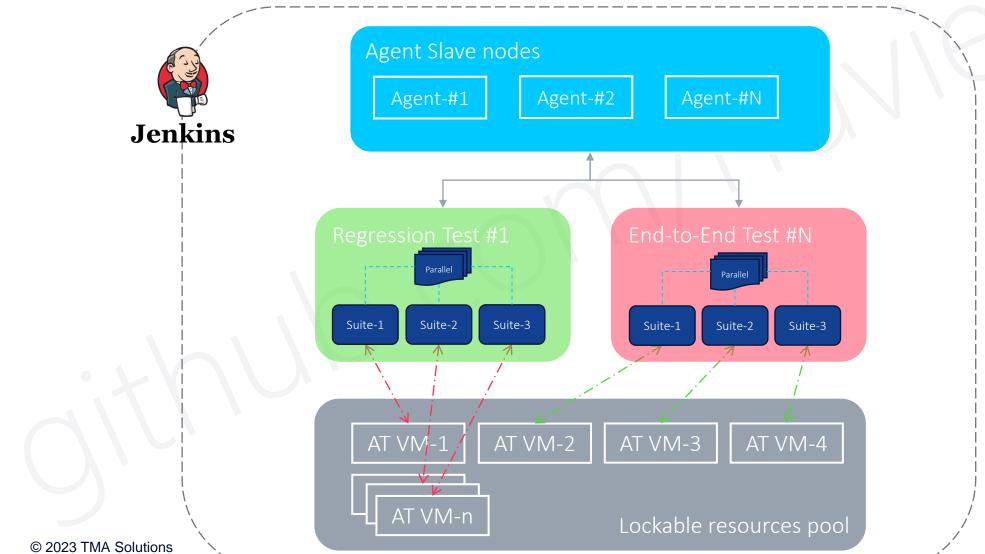


Parallel execution multiple pipelines





Parallel testing in multiple pipelines





Problems Resource costs

Significant reduction comes at a high cost

Resources are not continuously needed

Resources should be allocated dynamically to avoid the costs of providing environments

Resources should be provisioned automatically as fast

Resources should be scaled down when they are in idle time



Problems

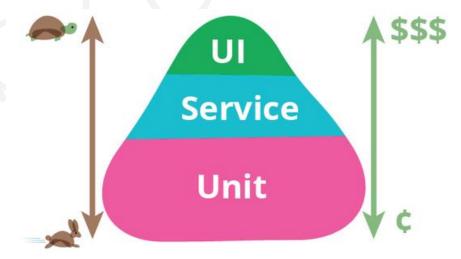
Test costs



Run tests against multiple browsers, multiple versions of browser, and browsers running on different operating system



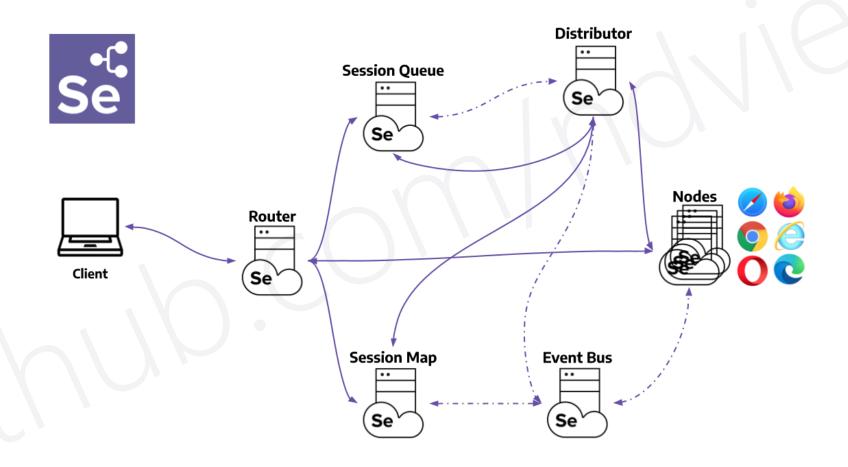
Run the tests parallelly in same browser with multiple instances to reduce the time it takes for the test suite to complete a test pass







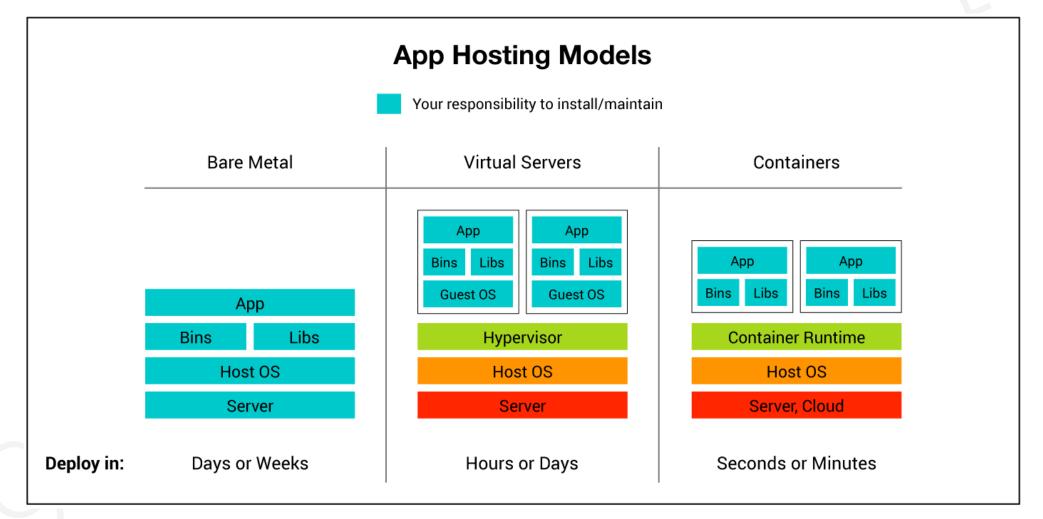
Selenium Grid v4.0 supports fully Distributed



Source: https://www.selenium.dev/documentation/grid/components/



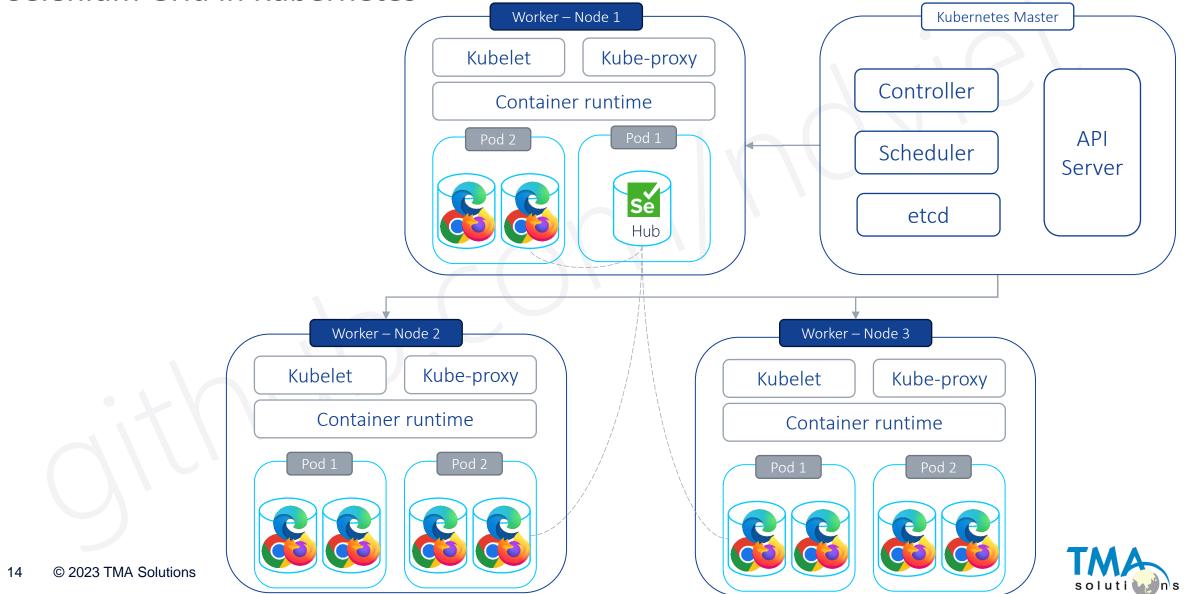
Containerization



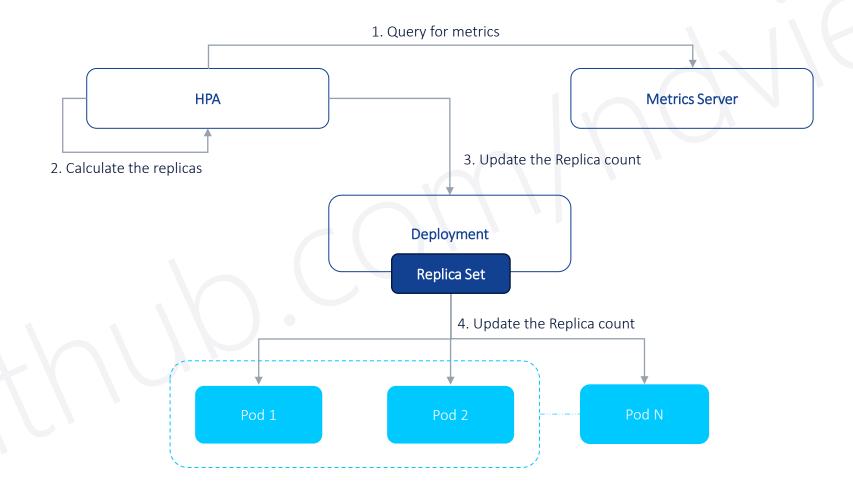
Source: https://its.umich.edu/computing/virtualization-cloud/container-service/our-model



Selenium Grid in Kubernetes



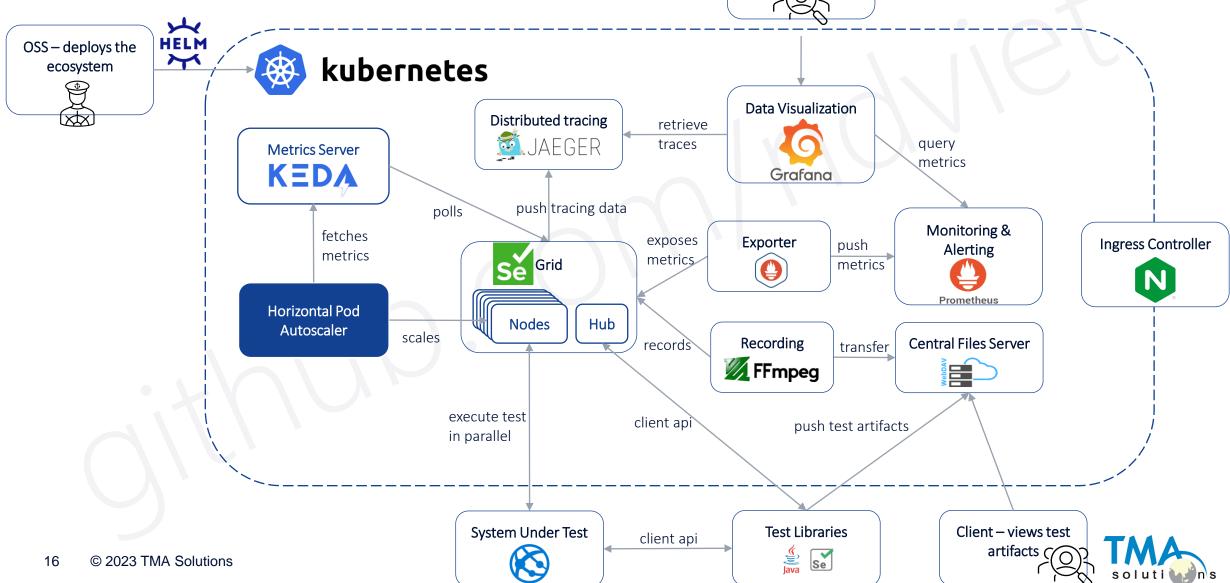
Kubernetes Horizontal Pod Autoscaler (HPA)



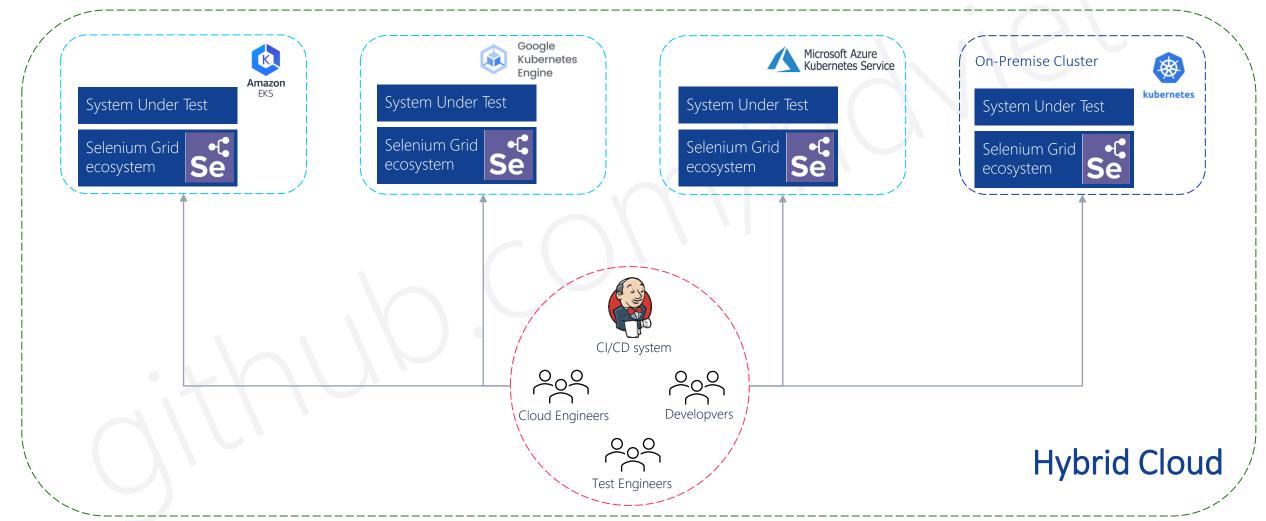


Solutions Selenium Grid Ecosystem

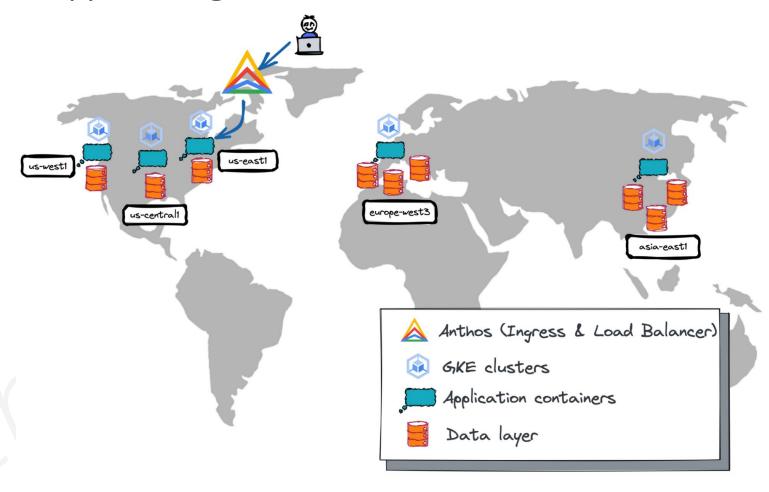
Client – views Logs, Metrics, and Traces



Distributed cloud for testing



Geo-distributed apps testing



Source: https://cloud.google.com/blog/products/containers-kubernetes/building-geo-distributed-applications-gke-yugabytedb



Benefits

Tech stack



Free (using stack of tools are open-sources)



Easy to deploy (powered by Helm charts package management, cloud service providers)



Support cloud-native infrastructure



Benefits

Testing works



Better utilization of resources



Faster feedback



Improved efficiency



What's next?



Umbrella charts to install the Scalable Central Grid https://github.com/ndviet/test-scaling-grid



Test Automation Framework with adaptation for parallel executions https://github.com/ndviet/test-automation-fwk



Q&A



