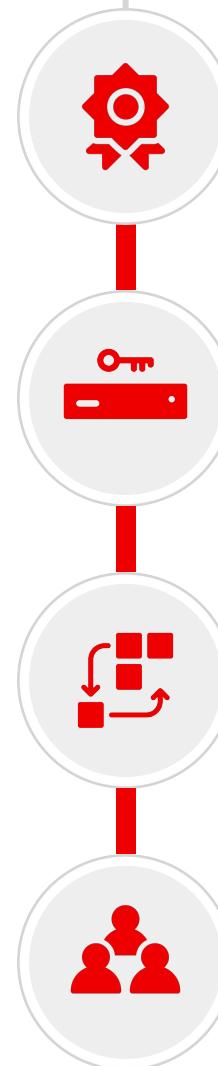




RED HAT QUAY TECHNICAL DECK

Detailed Feature Descriptions and Operational Guidance



Industry-leading, **trusted**, and **open source** registry platform operating at scale since 2014

Built to **efficiently manage content** under governance and security **controls** globally

Runs **everywhere**, easy to **integrate** and **automate** but works best with **OpenShift**

Developed in **collaboration** with a broad open source, customer, and ecosystem **community**

Red Hat Quay Key Features

Massive Scale Testing Quay.io
Real Time Garbage Collection
Automated Squashing

SCALABILITY

Seamless Git Integration
Build Workers
Webhooks

BUILD AUTOMATION

Extensible API
Webhooks, OAuth
Robot Accounts

INTEGRATION

Vulnerability Scanning
Logging & Auditing
Notifications & Alerting

SECURITY

REGISTRY

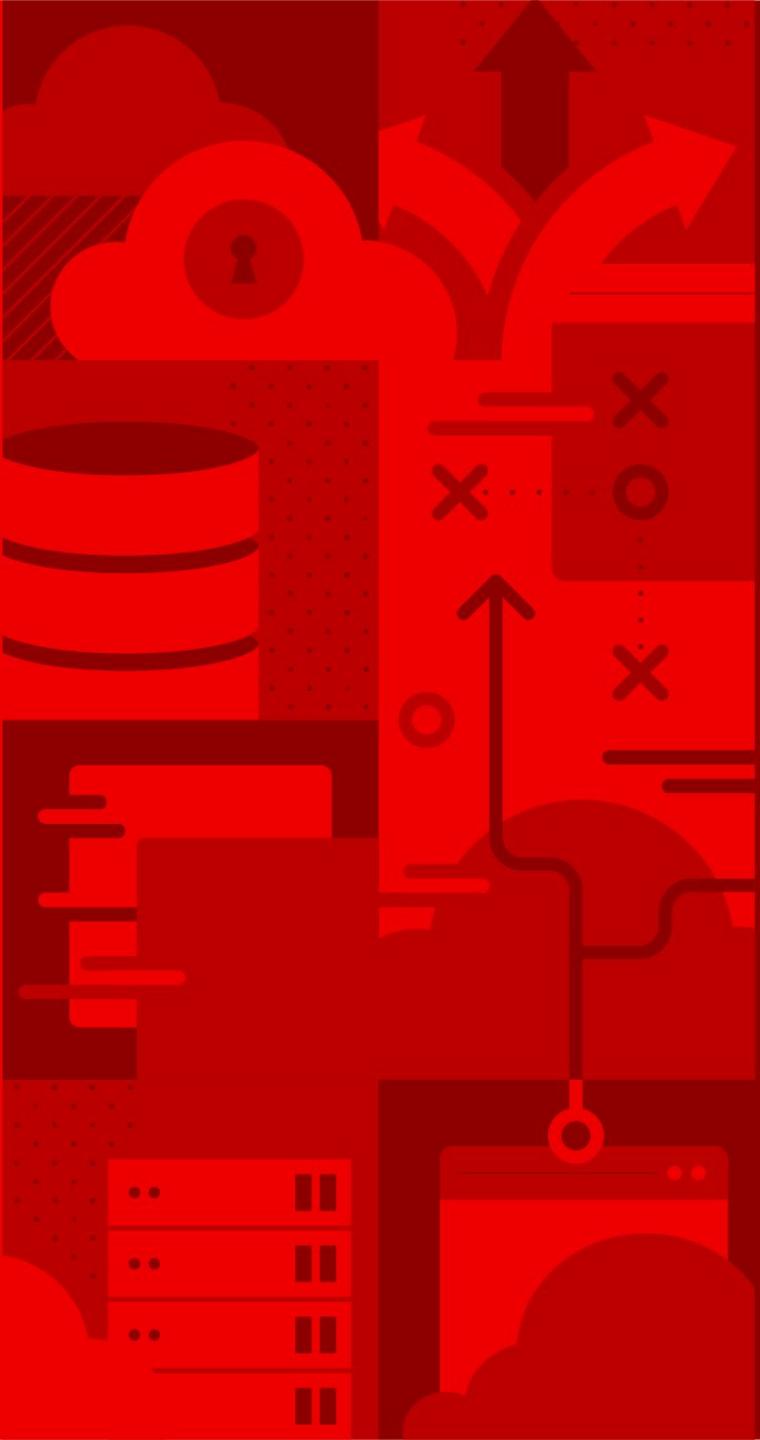
High Availability
Full Standards / Spec Support
Long-Term Protocol Support
Application Registry
Enterprise Grade Support
Regular Updates

CONTENT DISTRIBUTION

Geo-Replication
Repository Mirroring
Air-Gapped Environments

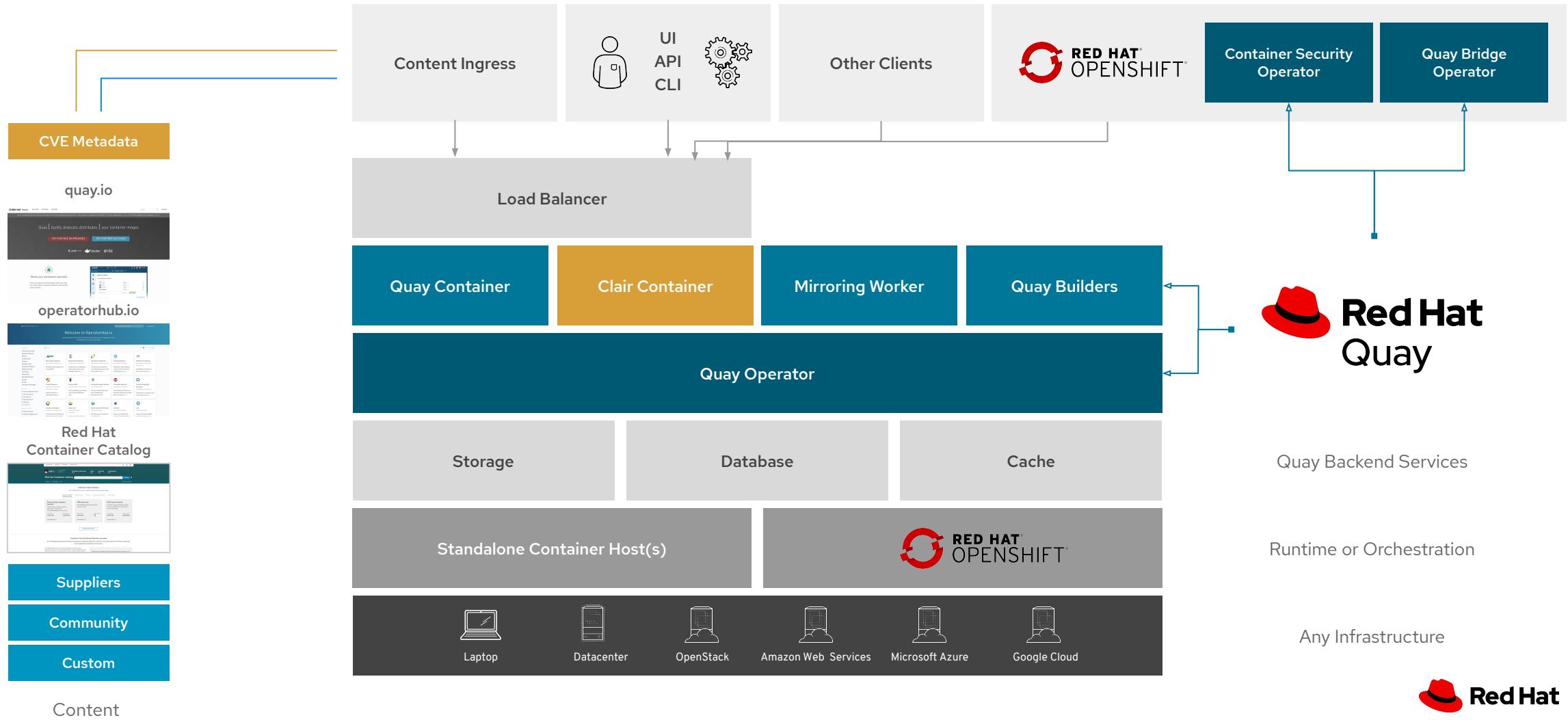
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Authentication Providers
Fine-Grained RBAC
Organizations & Teams

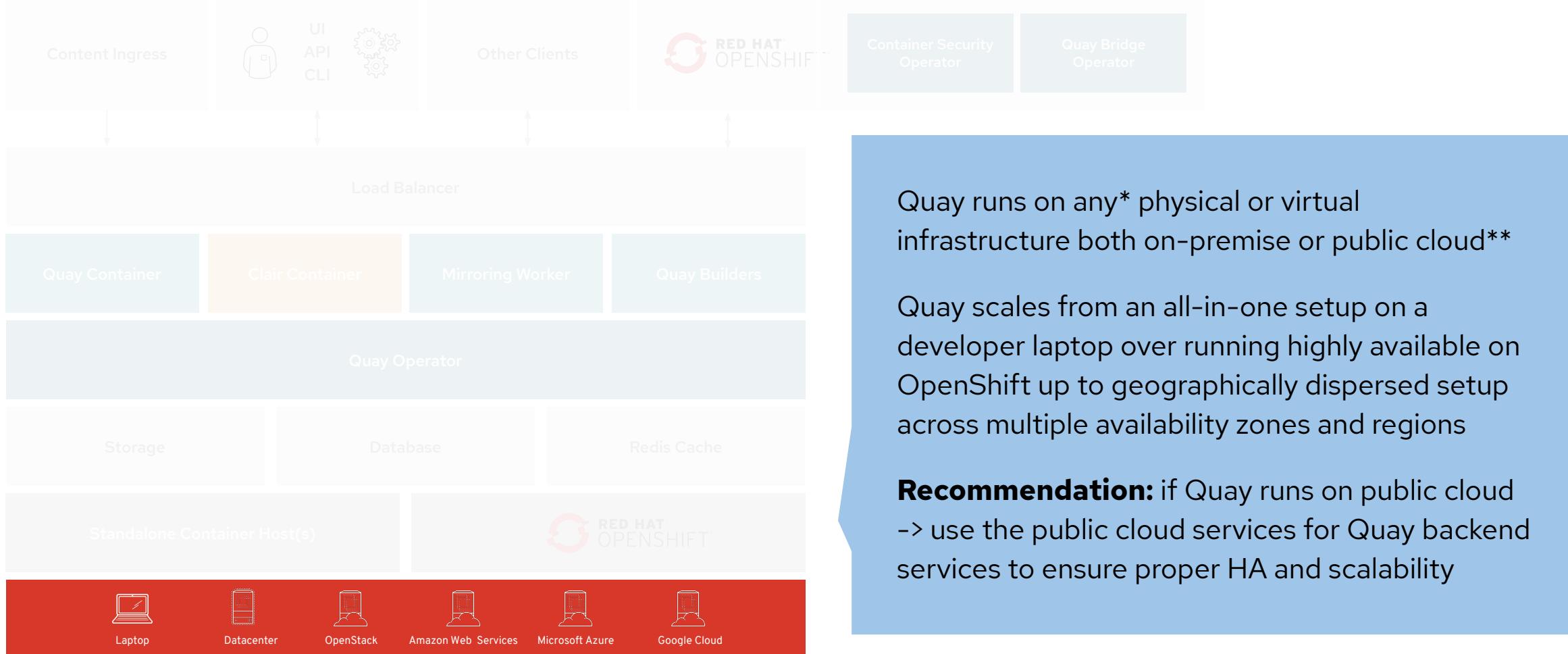


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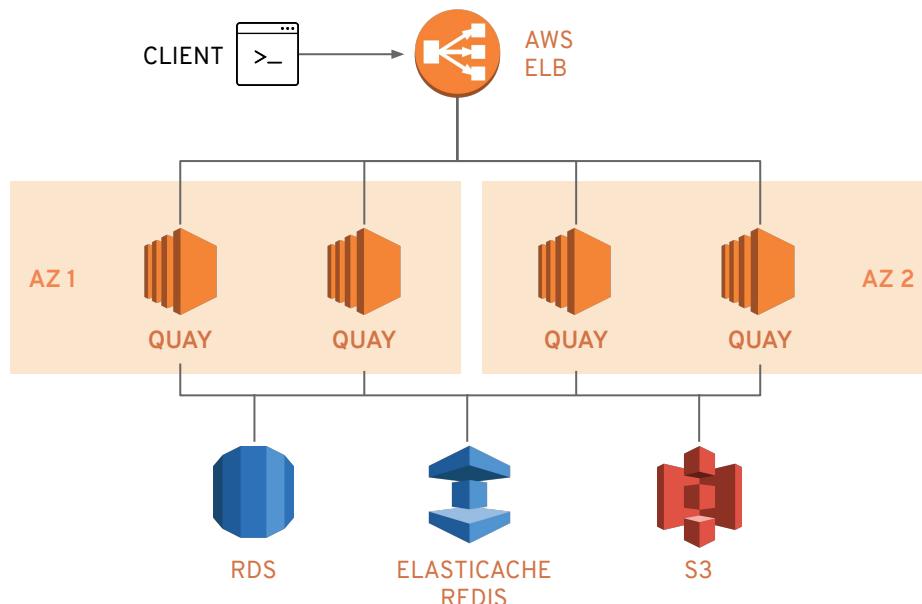


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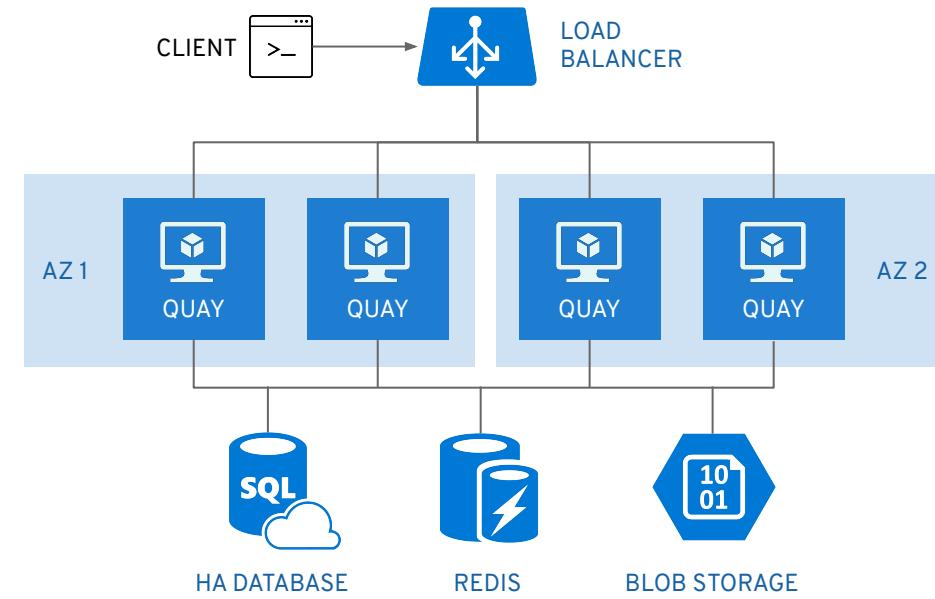
Running Red Hat Quay on Public Cloud

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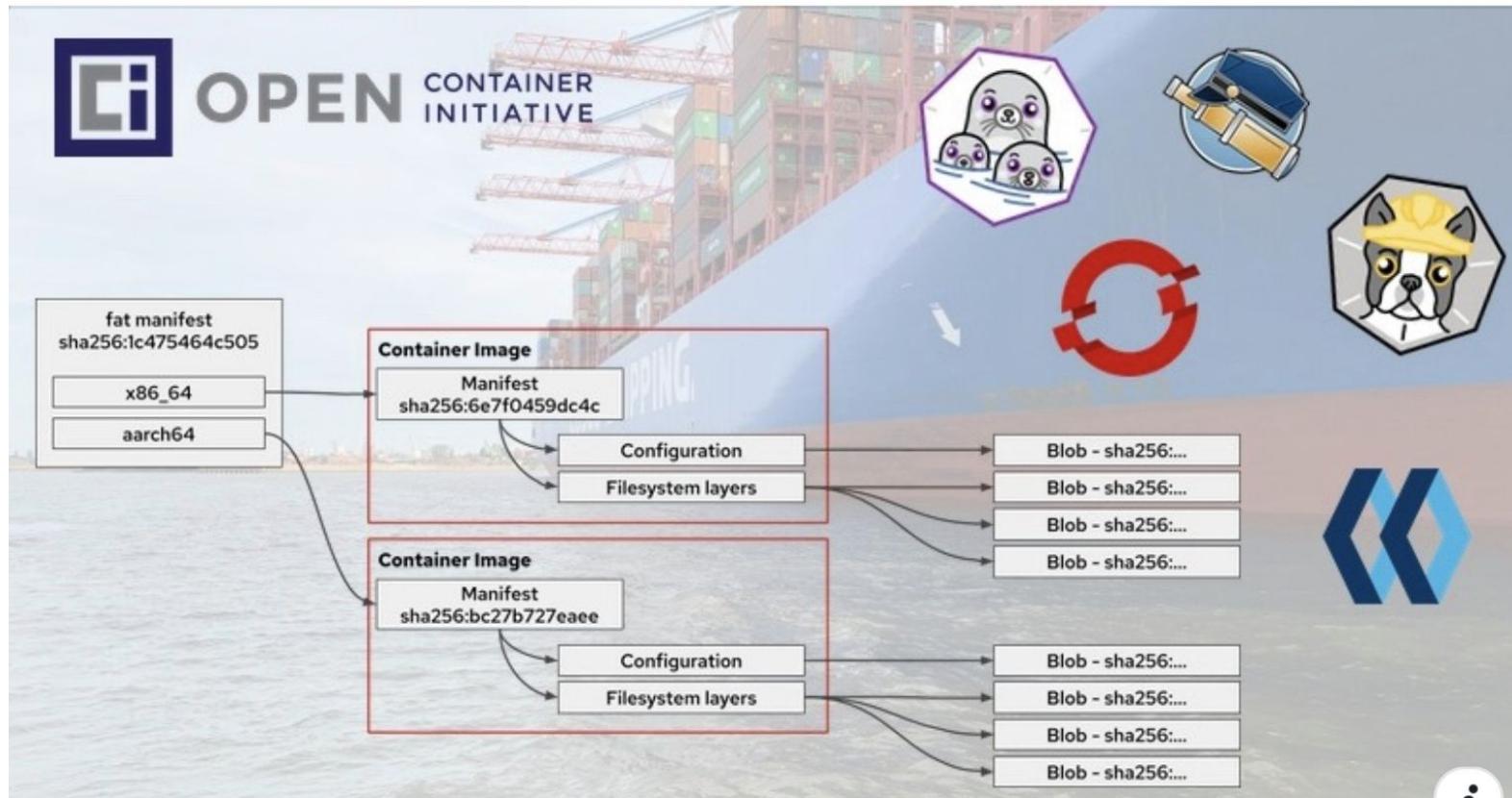
- AWS Elastic Load Balancer
- AWS S3 (hot) blob storage
- AWS RDS database
- AWS ElastiCache Redis
- EC2 VMs recommendation: M3.Large or M4.XLarge



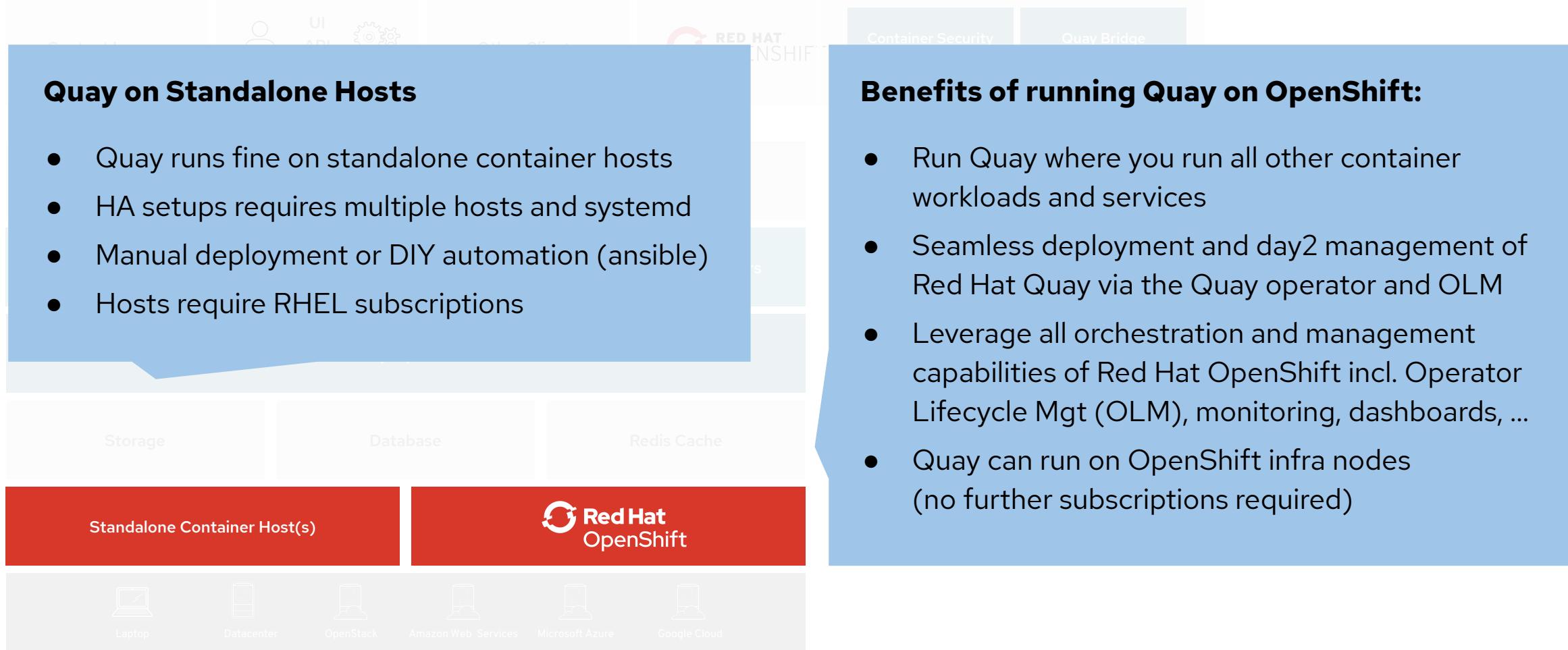
If Quay runs on MS Azure you can use:

- Azure managed services such as HA PostgreSQL
- Azure Blob Storage must be hot storage (not Azure Cool Blob Storage)
- Azure Cache for Redis

Multi Architecture Containers



Prerequisite: Container Runtime or Orchestration

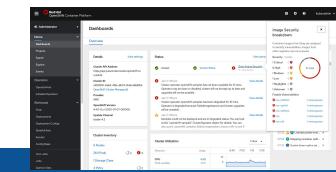


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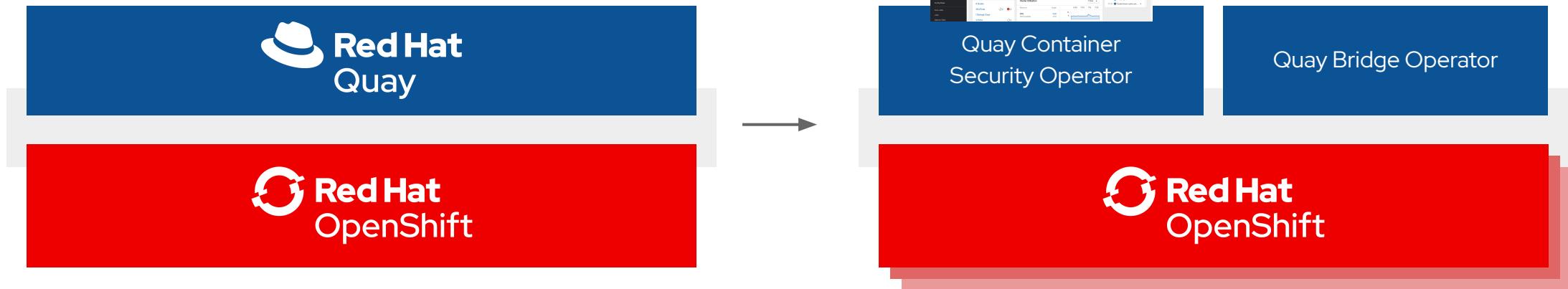
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Quay Sizing Recommendations

- Scalability of Quay is one of its key strengths since the same code base runs on a developer laptop with a PoC sizing, as a typical mid-size deployment with ~2,000 users serving content to dozens of kubernetes clusters up to thousands of clusters world-wide (Quay.io)
- As for any other product there are no “typical sizing recommendations” since sizing heavily depends on a multitude of factors (no of users / images / concurrent pulls and pushes, etc.)
- **Stateless** components can be **scaled-out** (will cause more load on backend services though)
 - Auto-scaling on k8s deployments currently tech-preview, future via Quay operator
 - Note: Scaling out stateless components will add load to stateful components
- **Minimum** requirements as documented in the Quay Product Docs:
 - Quay: min 4GB, recommended 6GB, 2 or more vCPUs
 - Clair: recommended 2GB RAM, 2 or more vCPUs
 - Clair database requirements for security metadata: min 200MB
 - Storage depends on no of images, recommended min 30GB

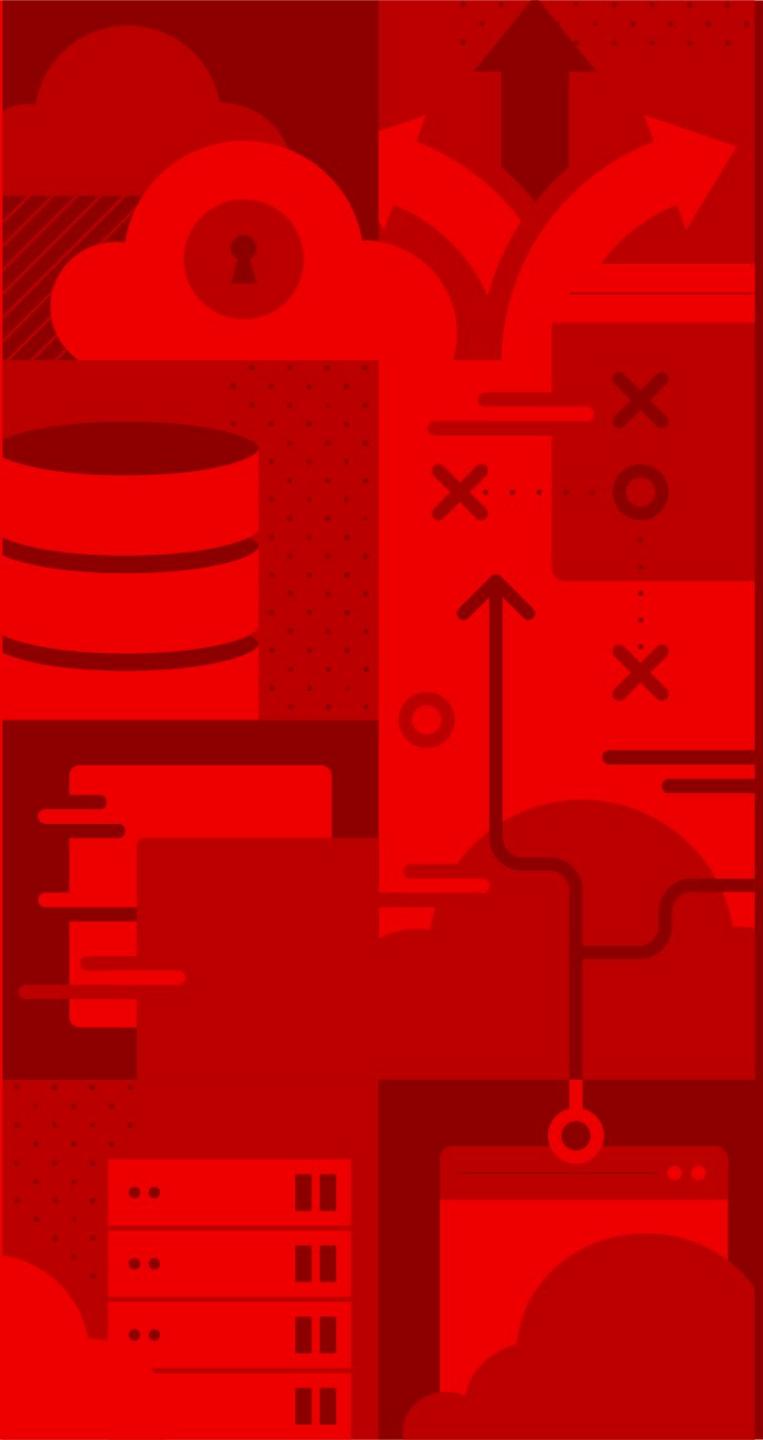
Quay Sample Sizings

Note: Those are sample sizings of existing Quay deployments. Whether a specific deployment runs fine with the same metrics depends on too many other factors as well not shown here.

Metric	Minimum Setup	Mid/Large Setup	XXXXL (Quay.io)
No of Quay containers by default	1	4	15
No of Quay containers max at scale-out	N/A	8	30
No of Clair containers by default	1	3	10
No of Clair containers max at scale-out	N/A	6	15
No of mirroring pods ¹ (to mirror 100 repos)	1	5-10	N/A
Database sizing		4-8 Cores / 6-32 GB RAM	32 cores 244GB, 1+ TB disk
Storage Backend Sizing	10-20 GB	1 - 20 TB	50+ TB up to PB
Redis Cache Sizing ²		2 Cores / 2-4 GB RAM	4 cores / 28 GB RAM
Underlying node sizing (phys or virtual)	2-4 Cores / 6 GB RAM	4-6 Cores, 12-16 GB RAM	Quay: 13 cores 56GB RAM Clair: 2 cores 4 GB RAM

¹ see repository mirroring section for further details on sizing & related recommendations

² since Redis cache is only used for Quay builders the sizing can be very tiny if builders aren't used



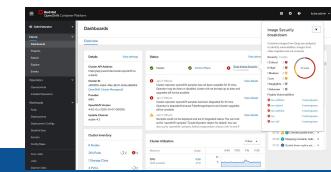
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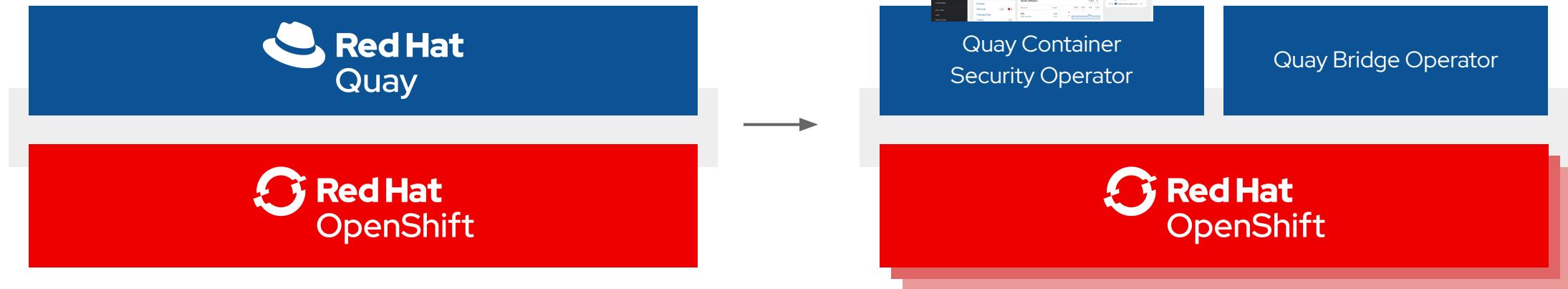
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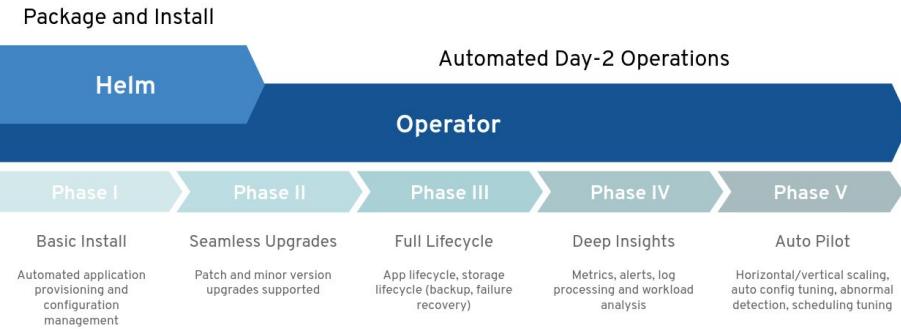
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Quay - Focus on Operators



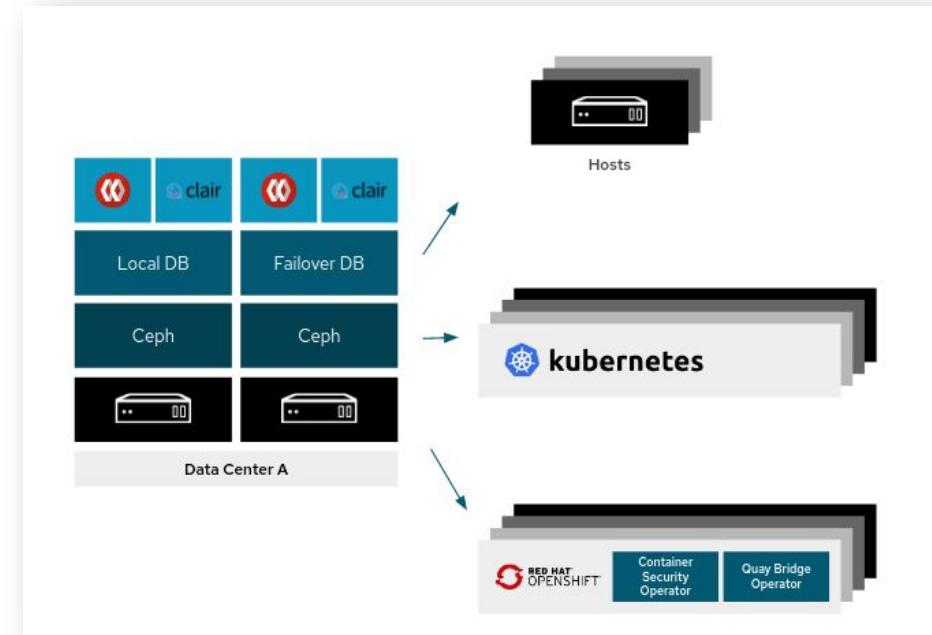
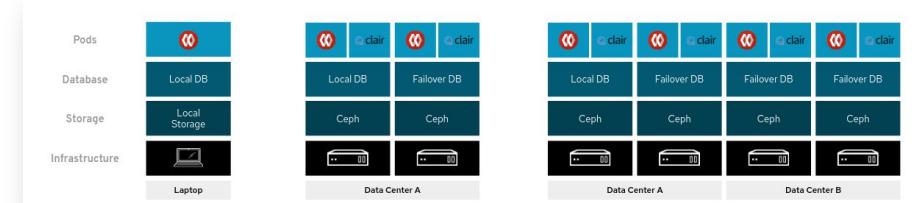
Focus and direction for the Quay product are kubernetes operators and running Quay on OpenShift / kubernetes given the advantages of operators compared with its alternatives

Maintaining another deployment and management tooling for non-k8s deployments is not feasible and not aligned to our prioritization and roadmap (Quay v4 will run on k8s by default)

The screenshot shows the Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform interface. The left sidebar is titled 'Administrator' and includes links for Home, Overview, Projects, Search, Explore, Events, Operators (which is currently selected), OperatorHub, Installed Operators, Workloads, Networking, Storage, Streaming & Messaging, Install State, and Builds. The main content area is titled 'Project: all projects' and shows a search bar with 'quay'. Below the search bar, there are two cards in the 'Community' section: 'Quay' provided by Red Hat and 'Quay Bridge Operator' provided by Red Hat. In the 'OperatorHub' section, there is one card: 'Red Hat Quay' provided by Red Hat. A message at the top right says: 'You are logged in as a temporary administrative user. Update the [cluster OAuth configuration](#) to allow others to log in.'

Quay Deployment Examples

- Quay can run on standalone container hosts or OpenShift (recommended)
- A Quay deployment can be distributed across multiple DCs or even OCP clusters (geo-repl)
- Typically Quay is used for **more than one / many OpenShift clusters**
- Components which can run **on-cluster**: Quay, Clair, mirroring workers
- Components which should / must run **off cluster** (today): Quay builders, databases (if not an operator), storage



Quay Builders on OpenShift

- Quay builders require a docker runtime and do not work with buildah yet
- As of today (Quay 3.3) the Quay builders can't run on OpenShift 3 + 4 and therefore should run off-cluster (also for security reasons)
- Preferably on bare metal due to performance reasons
- Technically Quay builders can run on OCP 4 bare metal, documentation and a small enhancement of the Quay config app targeted for Quay 3.4

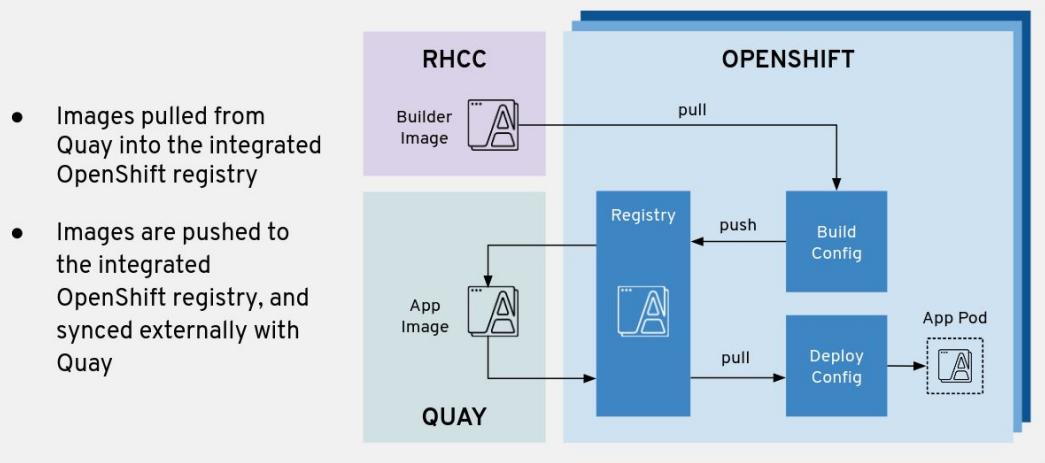
OpenShift and External Registries

- OpenShift can utilize an external container registry as a source for operations on the platform
 - Build source and output
 - Runtime content
- From an OpenShift point of view, Quay as with any external registry is not as deeply integrated as the OpenShift internal registry
 - No automatic RBAC isolation based on OpenShift cluster permissions
 - No real-time automatic ImageStream notifications and updates

Using Quay With or Without Internal Registry

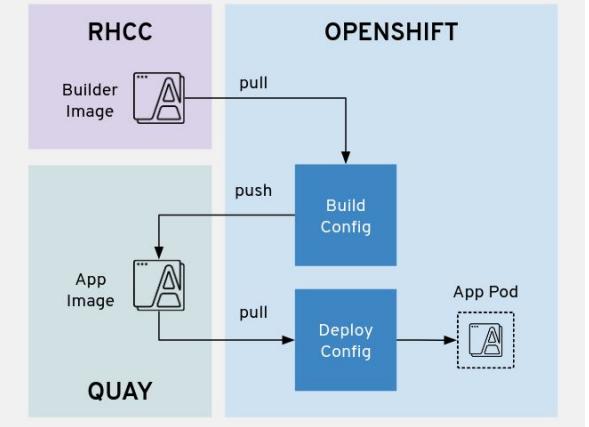
- Quay can be used as an external registry in front of an entire OpenShift cluster with its registry
- Quay also can be used directly without using the internal registry which requires a couple of changes (secrets, build and deployment configs) which are **partially** done automatically by QBO

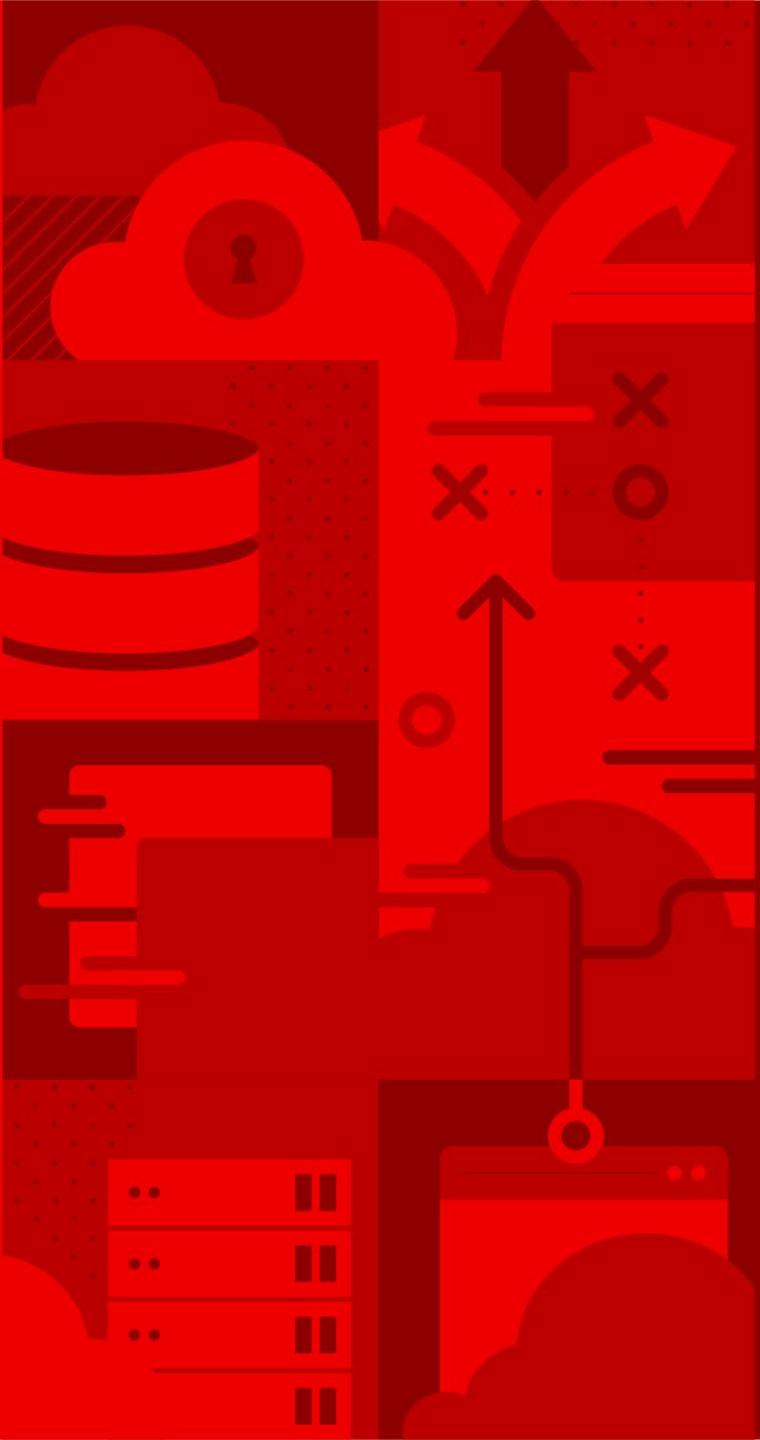
Quay as Upstream Registry with OpenShift



Quay as OpenShift Registry

- Images are pushed directly by builds to Quay
- Images are pulled directly from Quay

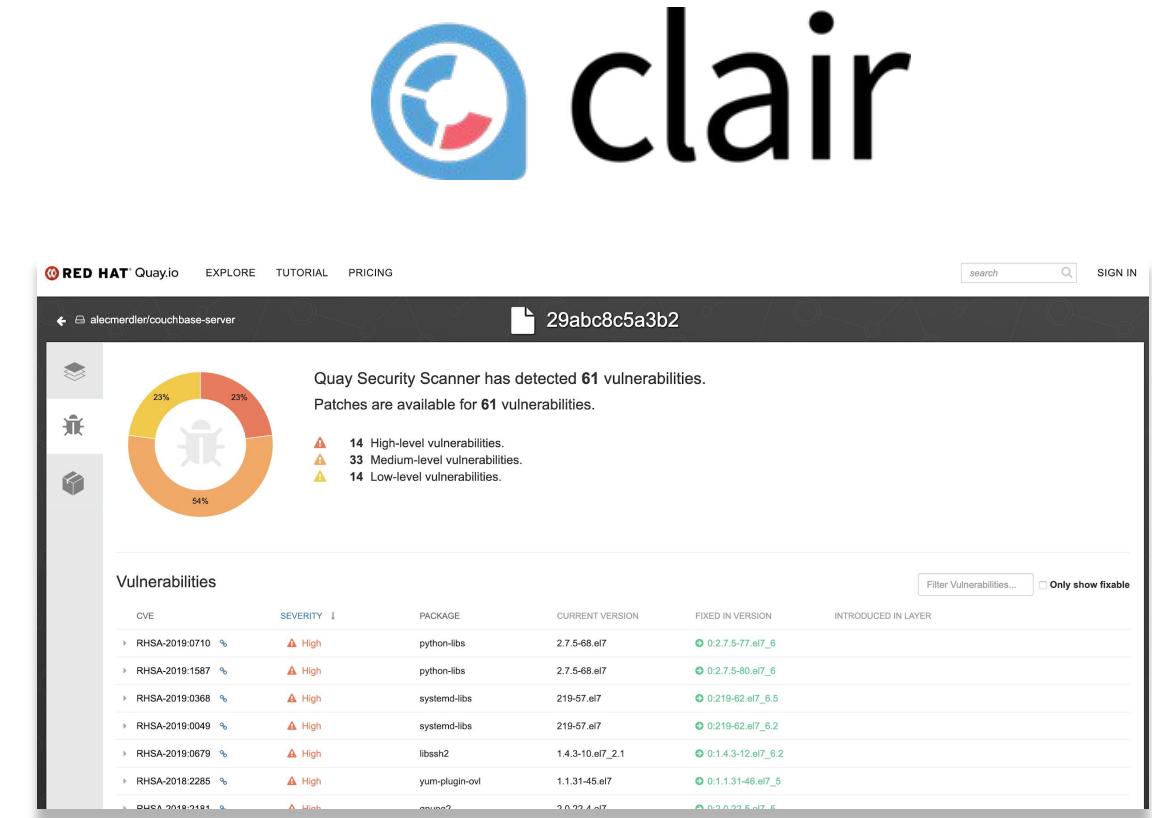




Built-In Vulnerability Scanning via Clair

Clair Overview

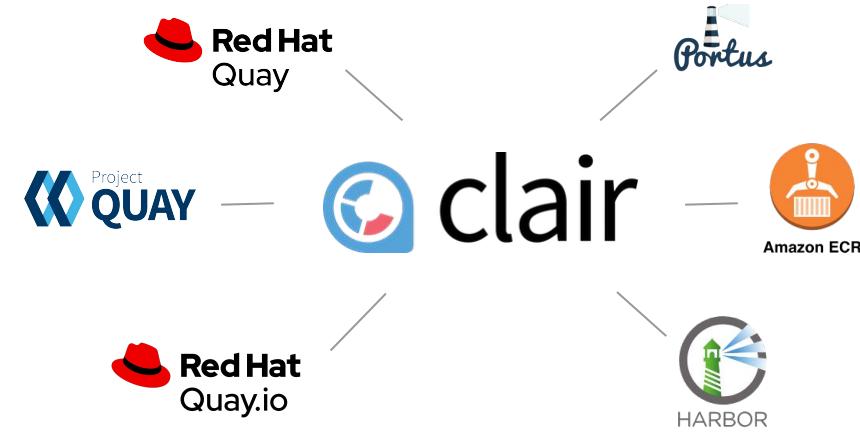
- Clair is an open source tool for static analysis of vulnerabilities in application containers
- Developed by CoreOS for Quay and it's massive scale usage at Quay.io
- Used by various other projects and third party products
- Upstream Repositories:
<https://github.com/quay/clair>





The screenshot shows the Red Hat Quay interface for a Python image. It displays a pie chart of vulnerabilities by severity: 7% High-level, 37% Medium-level, 31% Low-level, 26% Negligible-level, and 8% Unknown-level. Below the chart, a table lists four specific CVEs with their current version, fixed version, and introduction layer.

CVE	SEVERITY	PACKAGE	CURRENT VERSION	FIXED IN VERSION	INTRODUCED IN LAYER
CVE-2018-15686	10 / 10	systemd	232-25+deb9u6	232-25+deb9u7	ADD file: a1c14b182521b3a7f1998bd07ac48304bc...
CVE-2019-3855	9.3 / 10	libssh2	1.7.0-1	1.7.0-1+deb9u1	RUN apt-get update & apt-get install -y --re...
CVE-2019-3462	9.3 / 10	apt	1.4.8	1.4.9	ADD file: a1c14b182521b3a7f1998bd07ac48304bc...
CVE-2017-16997	9.3 / 10	glibc	2.24-11+deb9u3	2.24-11+deb9u4	ADD file: a1c14b182521b3a7f1998bd07ac48304bc...



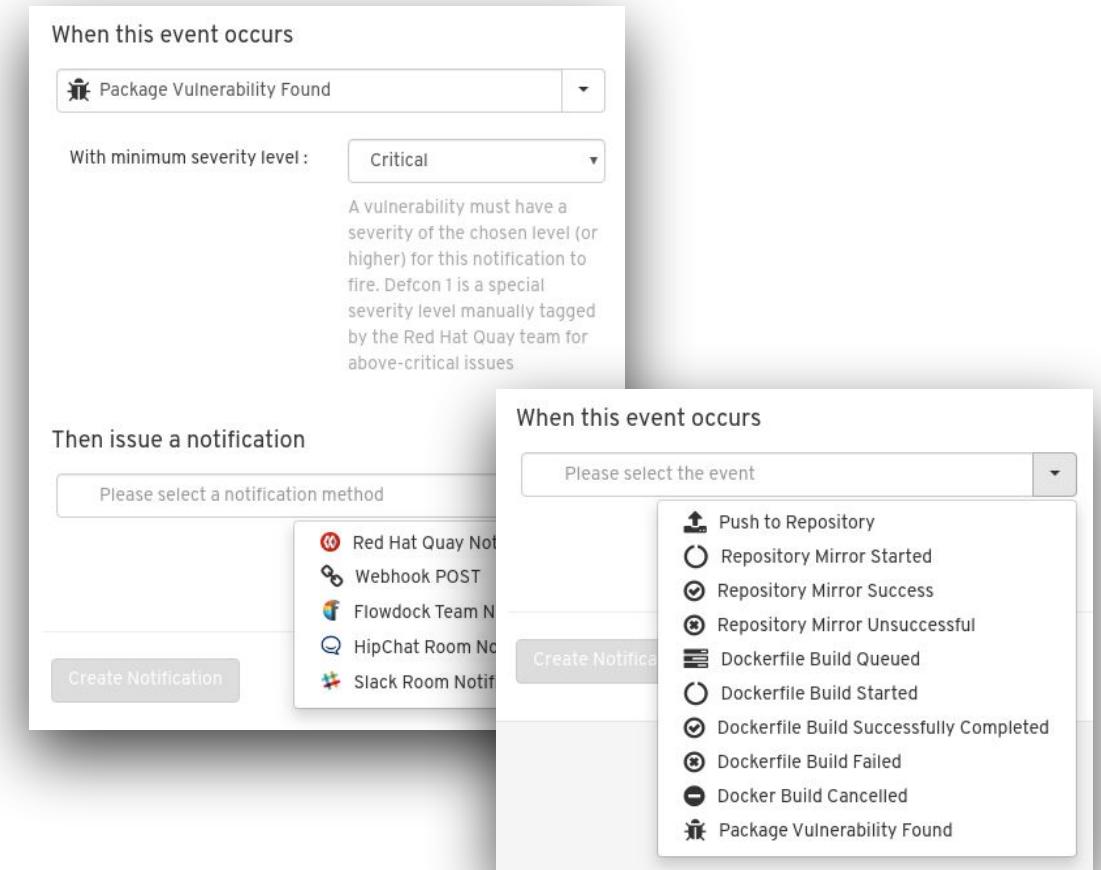
Clair v4 (Tech Preview with Quay 3.3)

Clair v4 is the newest version of Clair after a massive refactoring in order to make several big enhancements possible. This includes:

- Support for programming language package managers (3.3: python)
- immutable data model & new manifest-oriented API
- Refocus on latest container specifications (OCI) (Content addressability)

Notifications for Vulnerabilities found by Clair

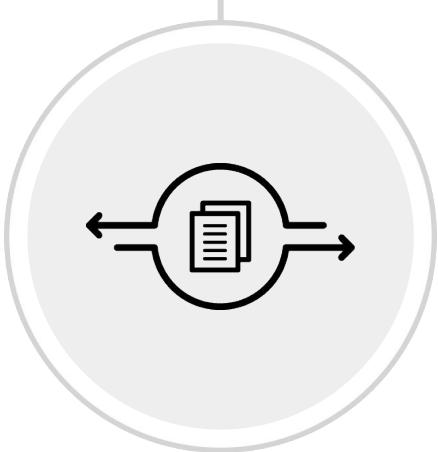
- **Quay triggers different notifications for various repository events** (depends on enabled features)
- This includes the event type “**Package Vulnerability Found**”
- Additional Filter can be applied for **Severity Level**
- **Various Notification Methods**
- Custom Notification Title (optional)





Container Security Operator and OpenShift Console Integration

Quay Container Security Operator (CSO)



The screenshot shows the Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform dashboard under the 'Administrator' account. The 'Dashboards' section includes:

- Cluster API Address:** https://api-jcain1.devcluster.openshift.com:6443
- Cluster ID:** a108f2f6-4a64-4fde-8b74-31a9ca868fb
- Provider:** AWS
- OpenShift Version:** 4.4.0-01-2020-01-07-061008
- Update Channel:** stable-4.3

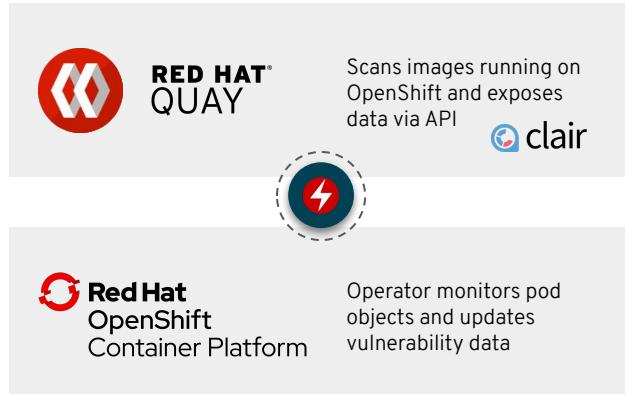
Status: Cluster (green), Control Plane (green), Quay Image Security (yellow)

Alerts: 12 vulnerabilities

Image Security Breakdown: 1 Critical (0), 6 High (5), 1 Medium (0), 1 Low (0), 1 Negligible (0), 1 Unknown (0). Total 12.

Cluster Inventory: 6 Nodes, 264 Pods, 1 Storage Class, 3 PVCs

Cluster Utilization: CPU usage over 1 hour.



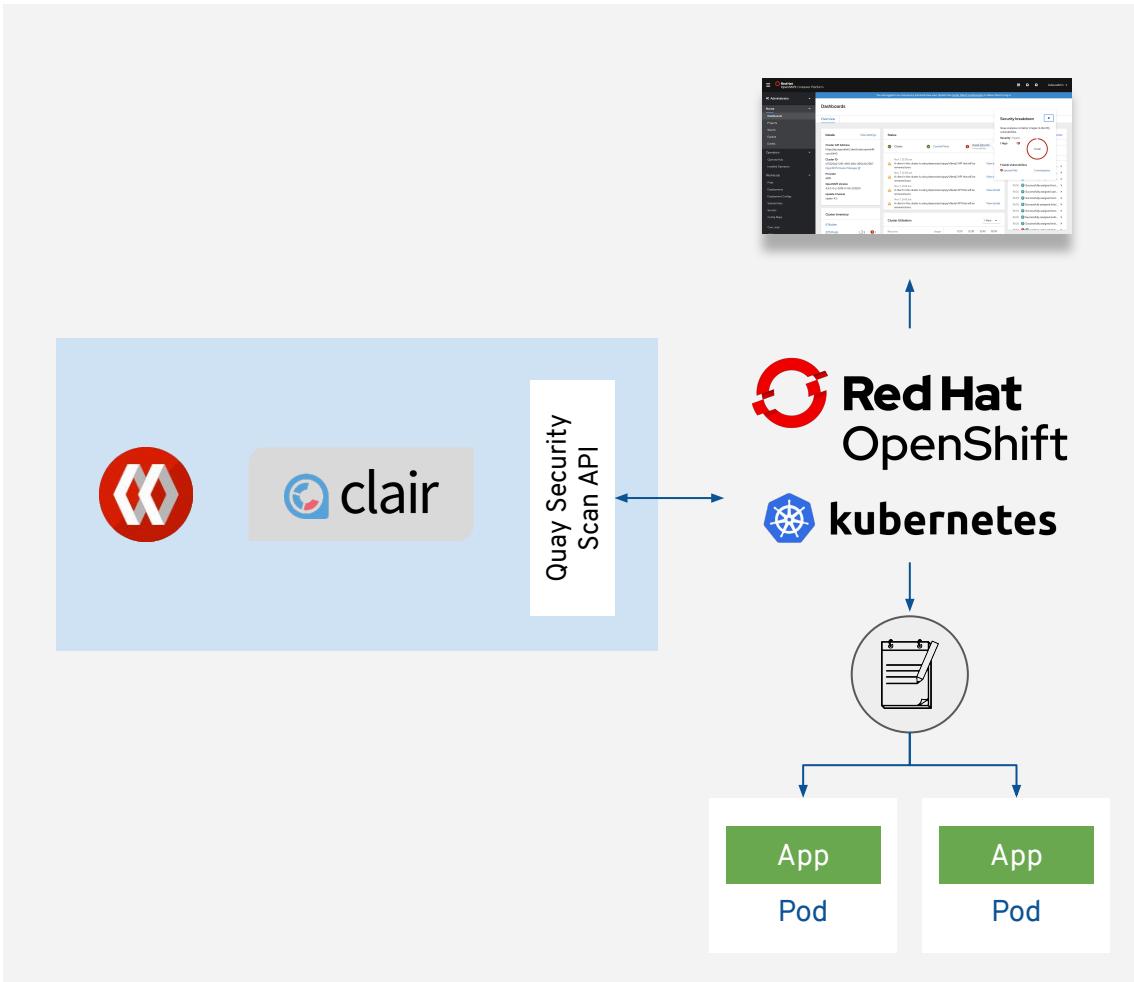
Container Security Operator - Vulnerability Data in OpenShift

Operator which runs on OpenShift and fetches vulnerability from Quay / Clair if Kubernetes pod objects change

Synchronous Updates of vulnerability information

Prerequisite to leverage / show vulnerability data in OpenShift Console

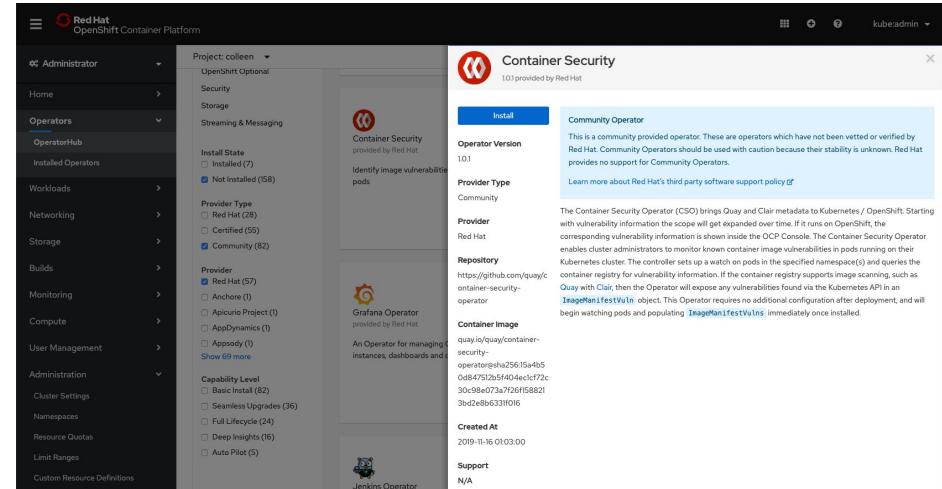
Container Security Operator (CSO)



- Container Security Operator (CSO) runs on OpenShift and watches pod objects
- Pod object changes triggering a data fetch from Quay/Clair and stores vulnerability information in CRs (by image manifest ID)
- CRs gets deleted if pod gets deleted
- Configurable interval to update vulnerability data from Quay / Clair (default: 5min)
- Data available via k8s CLI / APIs
- Supposed to be used by partner security products as well (consistent data ingress)

How to deploy the Container Security Operator (CSO)

- CSO supposed to run on all OCP clusters Quay is serving images to (not limited to the cluster Quay is running **on**)
- CSO available in OpenShift embedded operatorhub (upstream version in [operatorhub.io](#))
- Deployment via Operator Lifecycle Manager to ensure that OLM takes care of RBAC permissions, dependency resolution and automatic upgrades
- Works with both Red Hat Quay and Quay.io



```
securityLabeler:
  host: # Leave empty to use in-cluster config
  prometheusAddr: "0.0.0.0:8081"
  interval: 1m
  workers: 1
  labelPrefix: seccscan # Security labels' "namespace"
  namespaces: # List of namespaces to label in the cluster
    - default
    - dev
securityScanner:
  host: "https://quay.mycompany.com"
  apiVersion: 1
  type: "Quay"
```

OpenShift Console Integration via CSO

Name	Namespace	Highest Severity	Affected Pods	Fixable	Manifest
openshift/knative-knative-e-evening-channel-controller	knative-eventing	High	1	7	08aed83c1bb
openshift/knative-knative-e-evening-sources-controller	knative-eventing	High	1	7	32f3ca637fc
openshift/knative-knative-e-evening-controller	knative-eventing	High	1	7	cc4ec0d71b1

Vulnerability	Severity	Package	Current Version	Fixed in Version
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-softokn-freebl	3.44.0-5.el7	0:3.44.0-8.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-util	3.44.0-3.el7	0:3.44.0-4.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-tools	3.44.0-4.el7	0:3.44.0-7.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-softokn	3.44.0-5.el7	0:3.44.0-8.el7_7

List view - easily view vulnerabilities of the images

- Highest severity
- Number of affected pods
- Number fixable
- Manifest SHA external link for viewing the vulnerability in Quay

Details view - see a list of vulnerabilities of an image

- Vulnerability info, severity, package, current package, and the fixed version.

Affected Pods tab - easy access to the affected pods to quickly update with the fixes.

Learn more about the new views we added to the OpenShift Console with OCP 4.4:
<https://blog.openshift.com/openshift-4-4-not-on-my-watch-image-vulnerabilities-list/>

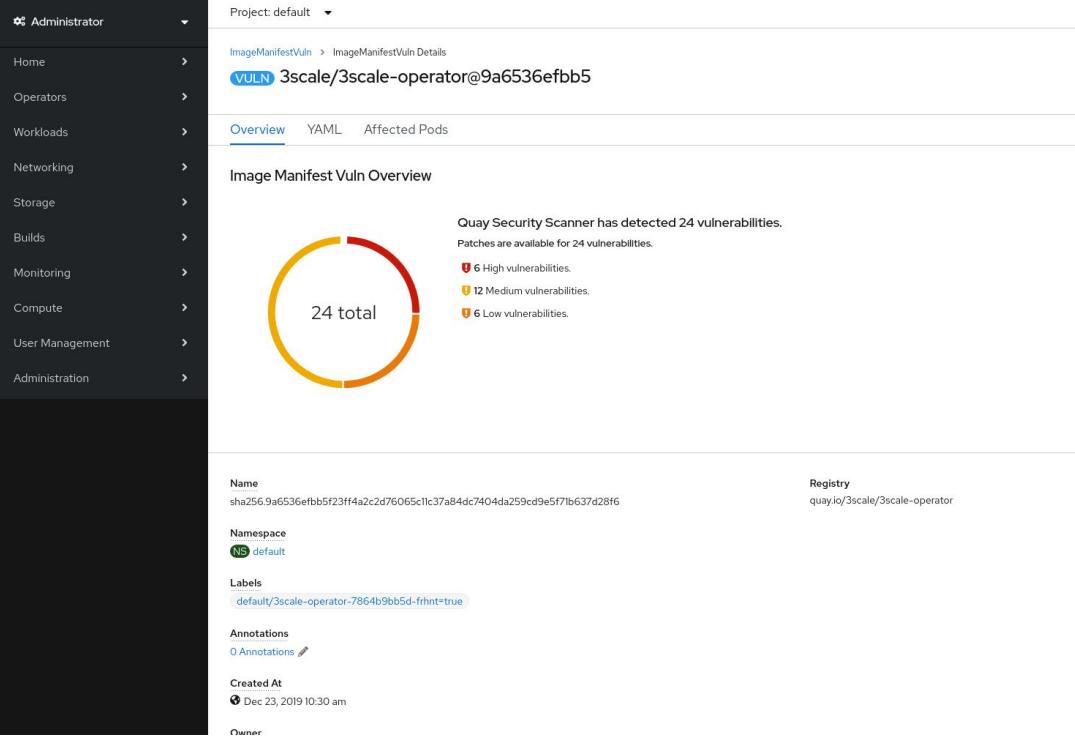
Vulnerability Data inside the OpenShift Console

The screenshot shows the OpenShift Console interface with the sidebar menu open. The 'Image Manifest Vulnerabilities' section is selected. A table lists vulnerabilities across various namespaces and images, including their severity, affected pods, fixable status, and manifest hash.

Image Name	Namespace	Highest Severity	Affected Pods	Fixable	Manifest
VULN alecmerdler/bad-pod	NS default	Medium	1	0	35c1c5688e7
VULN alecmerdler/bad-image	NS skynet	Unknown	1	1	4bc210f89d7
VULN alecmerdler/bad-pod	NS default	Critical	1	0	7d4aae77622
VULN 3scale/3scale-operator	NS default	High	1	24	9a6536efbb5
VULN alecmerdler/bad-image	NS skynet	Unknown	1	1	b025832c073
VULN alecmerdler/bad-pod	NS default	Low	1	0	e94c22ba519
VULN alecmerdler/bad-pod	NS default	Defcon 1	1	0	f4cd12ac979

ImageManifestVuln list view

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ImageManifestVuln Detail View

Image Manifest Vuln Overview

Quay Security Scanner has detected 24 vulnerabilities.
Patches are available for 24 vulnerabilities.

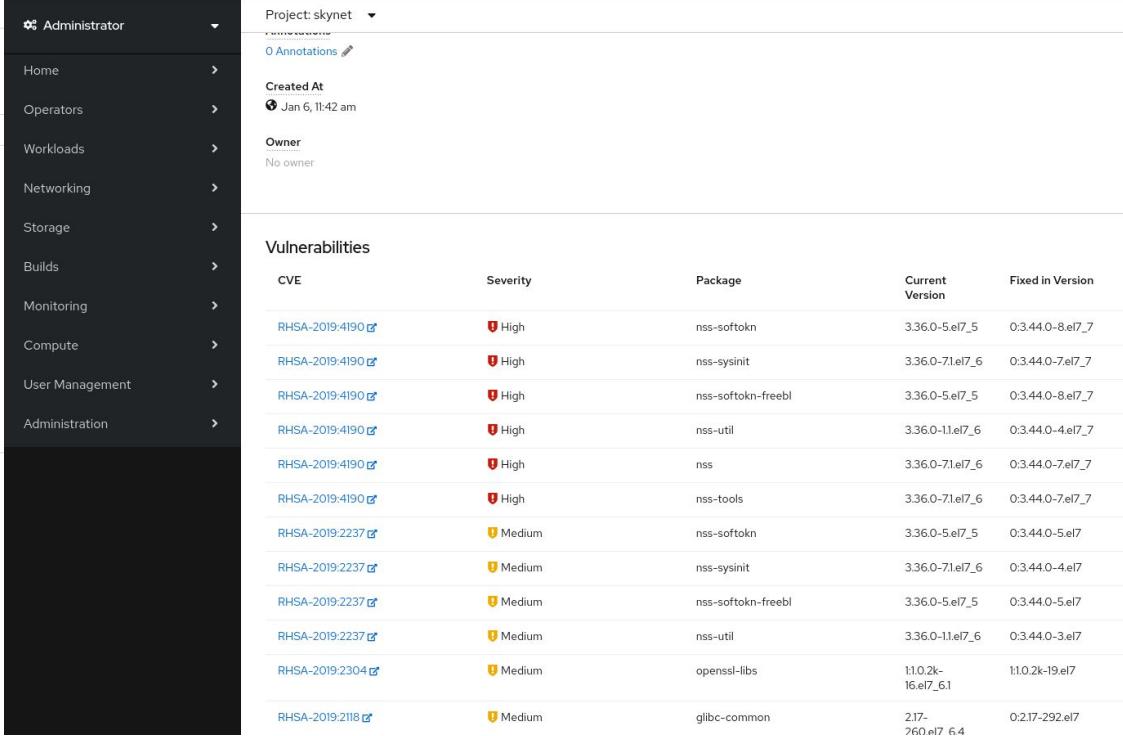
- 6 High vulnerabilities.
- 12 Medium vulnerabilities.
- 6 Low vulnerabilities.

Name: sha256.9a6536efbb5f23ff4a2c2d76065c1c37a84dc7404da259cd9e5f7lb637d28f6
Registry: quay.io/3scale/3scale-operator

Annotations: 0 Annotations

Created At: Dec 23, 2019 10:30 am

Owner: [Redacted]



Vulnerabilities

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RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-softokn-freebl	3.36.0-5.el7_5	0:3.44.0-8.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-util	3.36.0-11.el7_6	0:3.44.0-4.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss	3.36.0-7.el7_6	0:3.44.0-7.el7_7
RHSA-2019-4190	High	nss-tools	3.36.0-7.el7_6	0:3.44.0-7.el7_7
RHSA-2019-2237	Medium	nss-softokn	3.36.0-5.el7_5	0:3.44.0-5.el7
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RHSA-2019-2237	Medium	nss-util	3.36.0-11.el7_6	0:3.44.0-3.el7
RHSA-2019-2304	Medium	openssl-libs	1:1.0.2k-16.el7_6.1	1:1.0.2k-19.el7
RHSA-2019-2118	Medium	glibc-common	2.17-260.el7_6.4	0:2.17-292.el7

ImageManifestVuln detail view

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Name	Namespace	Created
3scale-operator-7864b9bb5d-frhnt	default	11 days ago

A 'Filter by name...' input field is located at the bottom right of the table area.

ImageManifestVuln detail view (affected pods)

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Name	Namespace	Created
3scale-operator-7864b9bb5d-frhnt	default	11 days ago

A 'Filter by name...' input field is located at the bottom right of the table. The entire screenshot is framed by a thin red border.

Kebab action on Pods list view

OpenShift Console Vulnerability Information Enhancements

The screenshots demonstrate the enhanced vulnerability information features in the OpenShift Console:

- Left Screenshot (Detailed View):** Shows the "Image Manifest Vuln Details" page for the image manifest `openshift-knative/knative-e-eventing-channel-controller@08aed83clbb`. It displays a summary of 7 vulnerabilities detected by Quay Security Scanner, with 7 High severity vulnerabilities. A red circle highlights the "7 total" count. Below this, it shows the image name (`sha256:08aed83clbb9f510d0f2c4dc64993fa333bad32d90bc08e4fcfc82ff6`), registry (`quay.io/openshift/knative-e-eventing-channel-controller`), namespace (`knative-e-eventing`), labels, annotations, creation date (Mar 23, 4:40 pm), and owner (No owner). A table at the bottom lists individual vulnerabilities with columns: Vulnerability, Severity, Package, Current Version, and Fixed in Version.
- Right Screenshot (List View):** Shows the "Image Manifest Vulnerabilities" page for the project `knative-e-eventing`. It lists four image manifests with their respective namespaces, highest severity, affected pods, fixable status, and manifest hash. Each row includes a link to the detailed view for that specific manifest.

Image Name	Namespace	Highest Severity	Affected Pods	Fixable	Manifest
<code>openshift-knative/knative-e-eventing-channel-controller</code>	<code>knative-e-eventing</code>	High	1	7	<code>08aed83clbb</code>
<code>openshift-knative/knative-e-eventing-sources-controller</code>	<code>knative-e-eventing</code>	High	1	7	<code>32f3ca637fd</code>
<code>openshift-knative/knative-e-eventing-controller</code>	<code>knative-e-eventing</code>	High	1	7	<code>cc4ec0d71b8</code>
<code>openshift-knative/knative-e-eventing-webhook</code>	<code>knative-e-eventing</code>	High	1	7	<code>e3bb2c01ddf</code>

Learn more about the new views which have been added to the OpenShift Console as part of OCP 4.4:
<https://www.openshift.com/blog/4.4-openshift-not-on-my-watch-image-vulnerabilities-list>

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