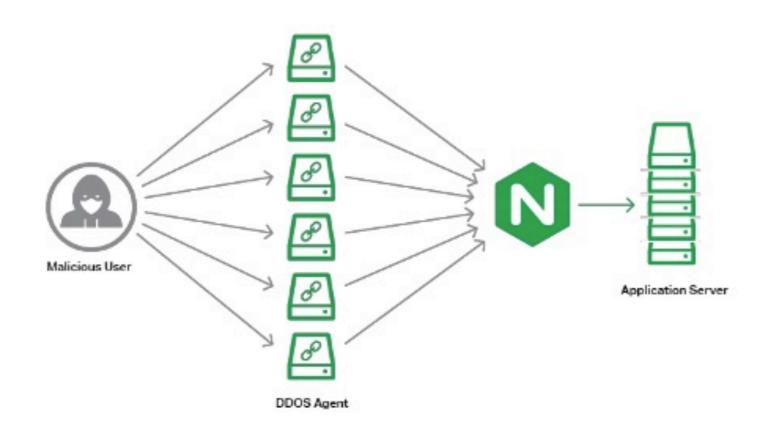
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NGINX: Rate Limit in Nginx

### NGINX: Web-Server & Load Balancer

➤ **NGINX Rate Limit** - It allows User to limit the amount of HTTP requests a user can make in a given period of time.

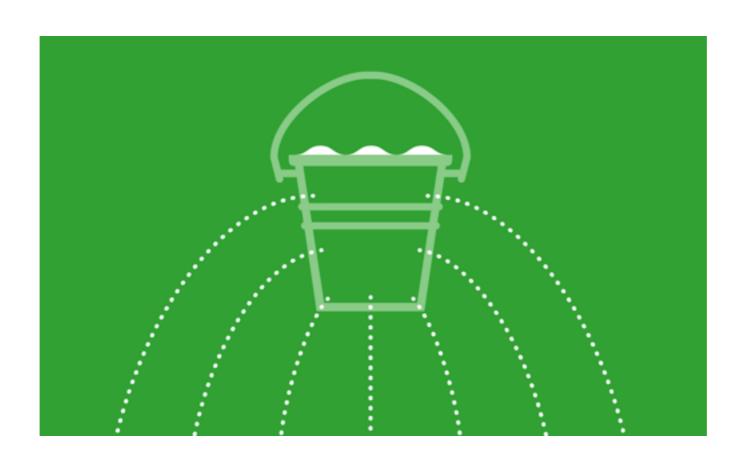


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- ➤ Rate limiting used for security purposes. For example, to slow down brute force password guessing attacks.
- ➤ To protect against DDoS attacks by limiting the incoming request rate to a value typical for real users, and identify the targeted URLs.

## NGINX: Web-Server & Load Balancer

➤ NGINX rate limiting uses the *leaky bucket algorithm*, which is widely used in telecommunications and packet-switched computer networks to deal with burstiness when bandwidth is limited.



# Will see you in Next Lecture...

