



DEPLOYING ERLANG APPLICATIONS ON THE CLOUD WITH WOMBAT

A Riak Example



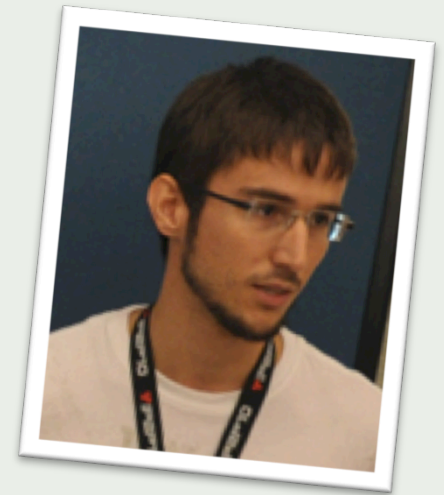
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ERLANG SOLUTIONS

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- Offices in 5+ countries
 - Professional training
 - Erlang certification
 - In-house system development
 - On-site consultancy
 - Research
 - Conferences

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RELEASE (EU FP7 STREPS)

GOAL OF THE PROJECT

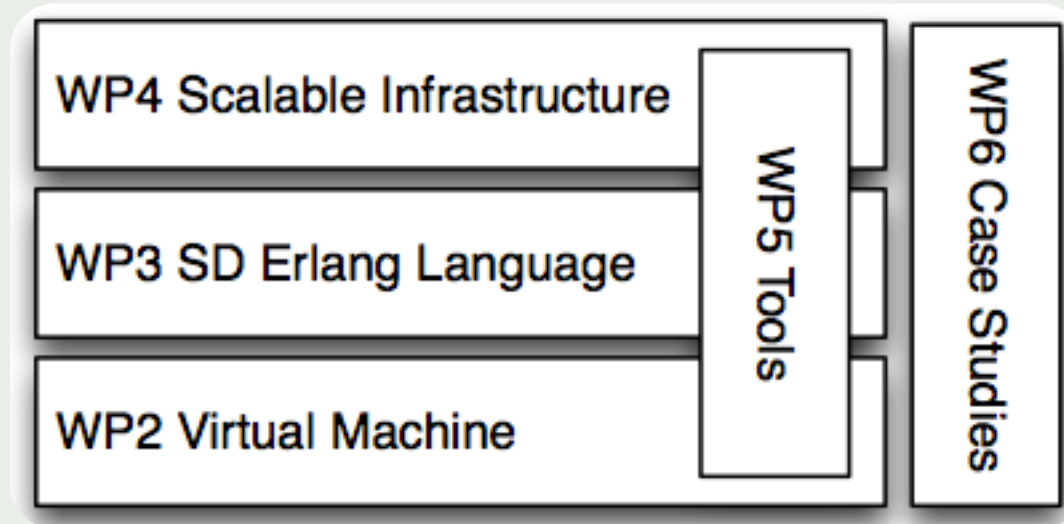
*To scale the radical **concurrency-oriented programming paradigm** to build reliable general-purpose software on **massively parallel** machines.*

RELEASE Statement of Aims, 2011

MULTI-CORE

DISTRIBUTED

WORK PACKAGE 4 (SCALABLE INFRASTRUCTURE)



*Developing a scalable **virtualization** infrastructure capable of creating, managing and **dynamically scaling** super-clusters of smaller **heterogeneous** clusters, based on **capability profile matching***

WOMBAT (ORCHESTRATION)

HETEROGENEOUS DEPLOYMENT (WHAT?)



OpenNebula.org



cloudstack
open source cloud computing



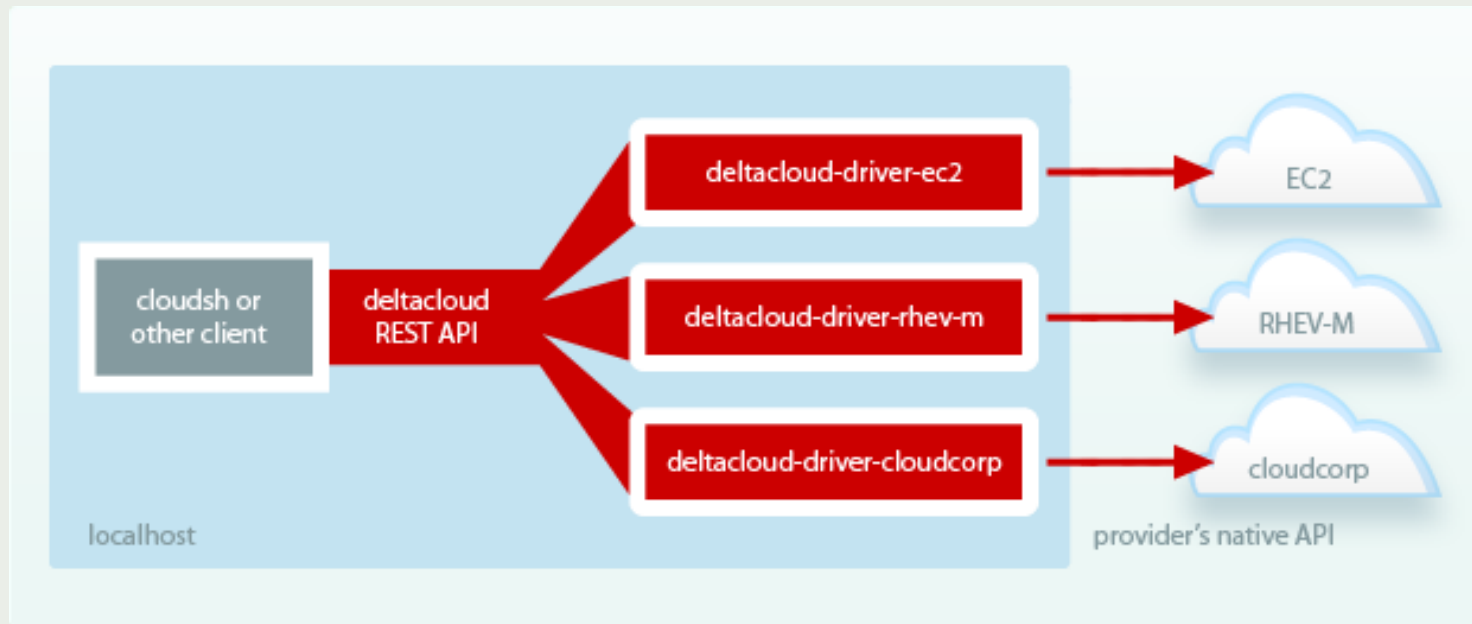
Seamless deployment across multiple cloud providers

Erlang
SOLUTIONS

HETEROGENOUS DEPLOYMENT (WHY?)

- Avoid vendor lock-in
- Multiple providers offering different capabilities
- Go beyond the limits of a single Cloud provider
e.g., limit in the number of instances per user account
- Massively parallel infrastructure
Deploy an Erlang application on an infrastructure consisting of 1000+ computing units spread all over the world

HETEROGENEOUS DEPLOYMENT (HOW?)



ONE API (DeltaCloud/CIMI) **TO RULE THEM ALL !**

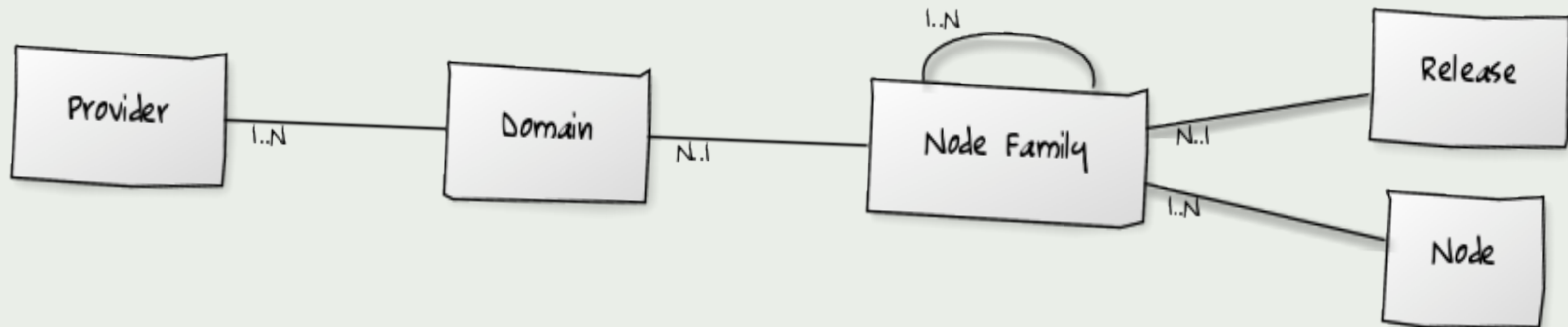
SEMI-EXPLICIT DEPLOYMENT

*Match deployment **demands** against
the **capabilities** of the available
deployment domains*

- Co-location of nodes
- Geographical constraints
- Load balancing across infrastructure providers
- Infrastructure provider consolidation

e.g., prioritize the deployment on a private Cloud and fallback to a public Cloud only when we cannot cope with the demand of resources

USER INTERACTION



- ~> Register infrastructure providers
- ~> Upload Erlang releases
- ~> Create node families
- ~> Define intra/inter-family bootstrapping strategies
- ~> Spawn new nodes within a node family
- ~> Manage existing nodes (e.g., start, stop, ...)
- ~> Remotely execute application-specific commands

ROADMAP

- Semi-explicit deployment
- 1-click service deployment
- Built-in support for SD Erlang
- ~~Management web-dashboard~~
- ~~Auto-discovery of nodes~~
- ~~Monitoring~~
- Auto-scaling
- License parts of Wombat as open-source

LIVE DEMO

QUESTIONS?