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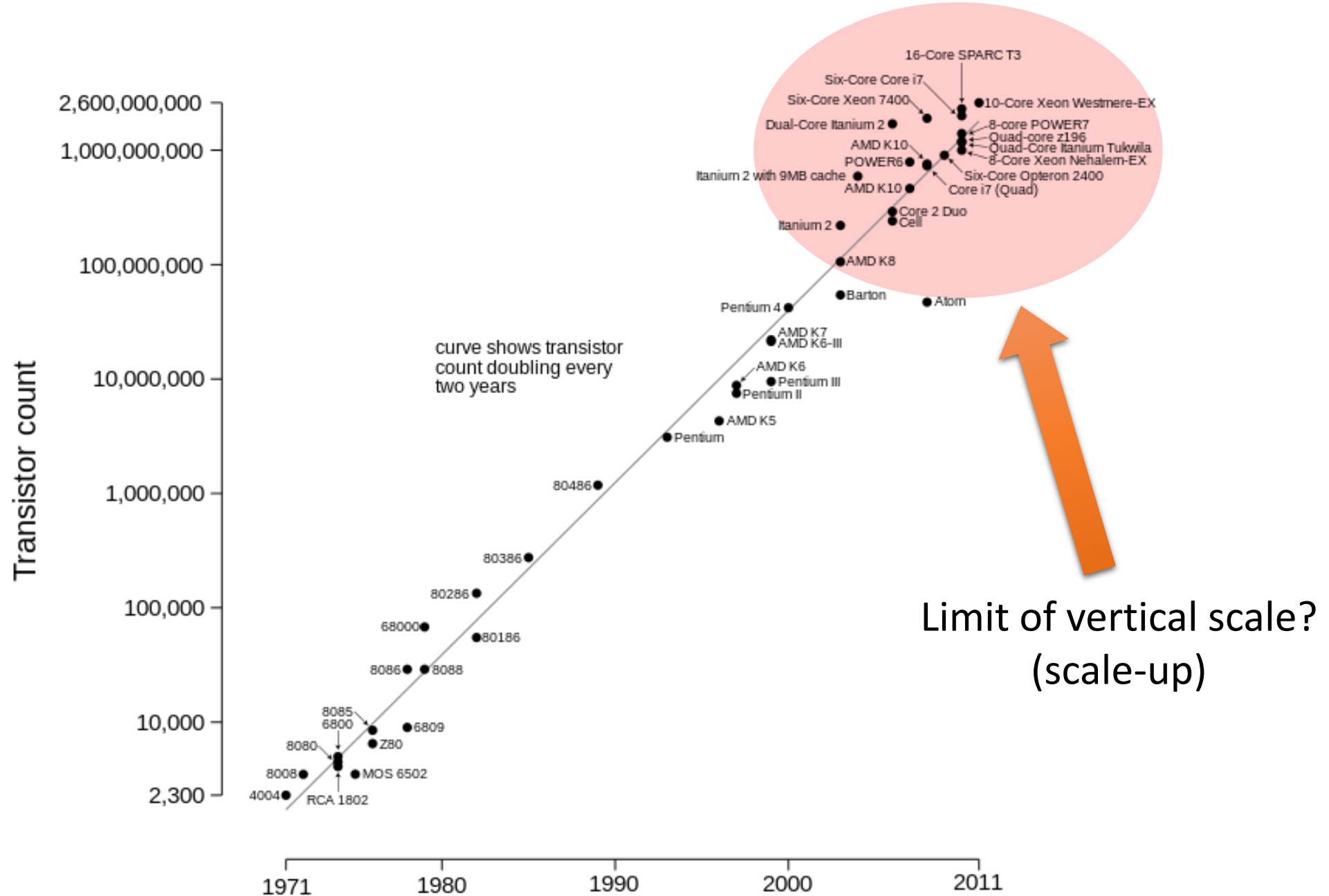


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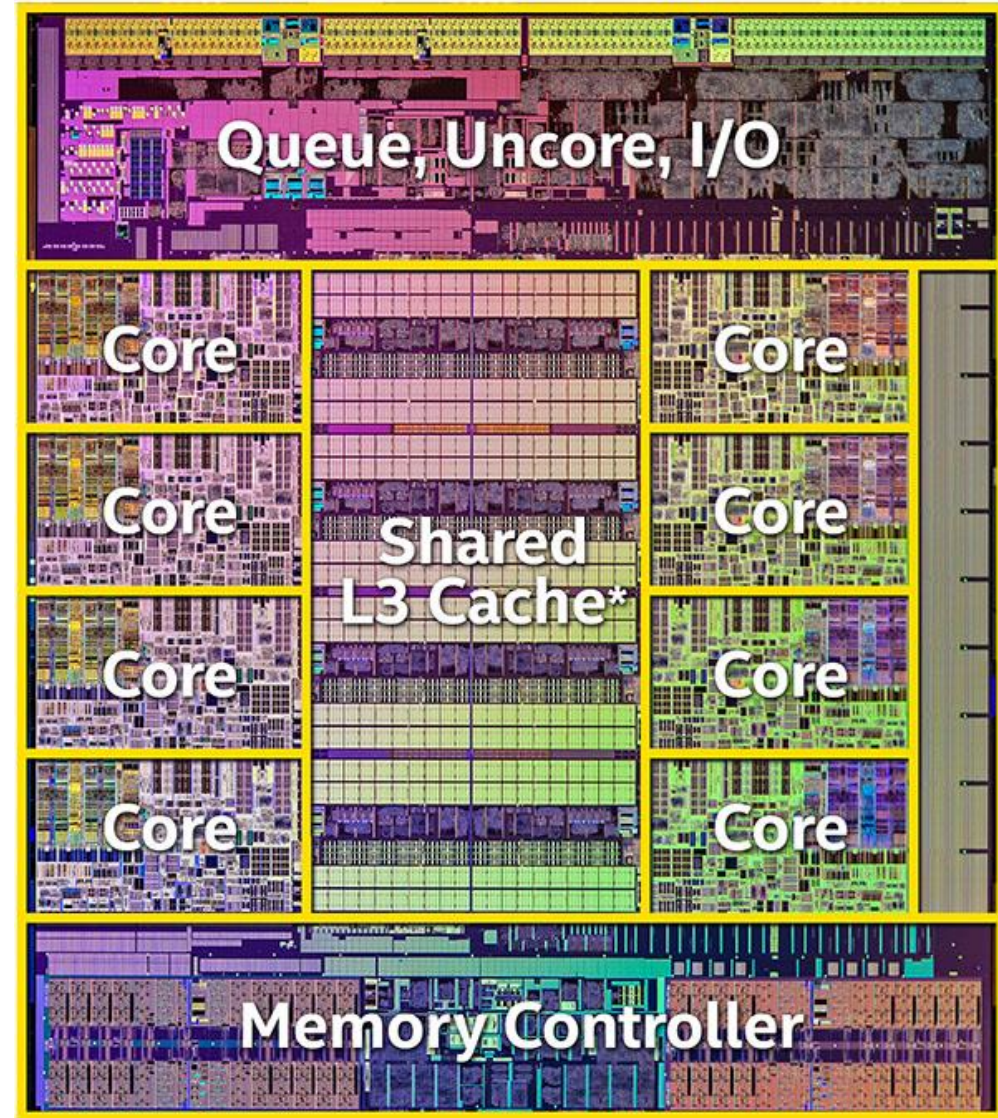
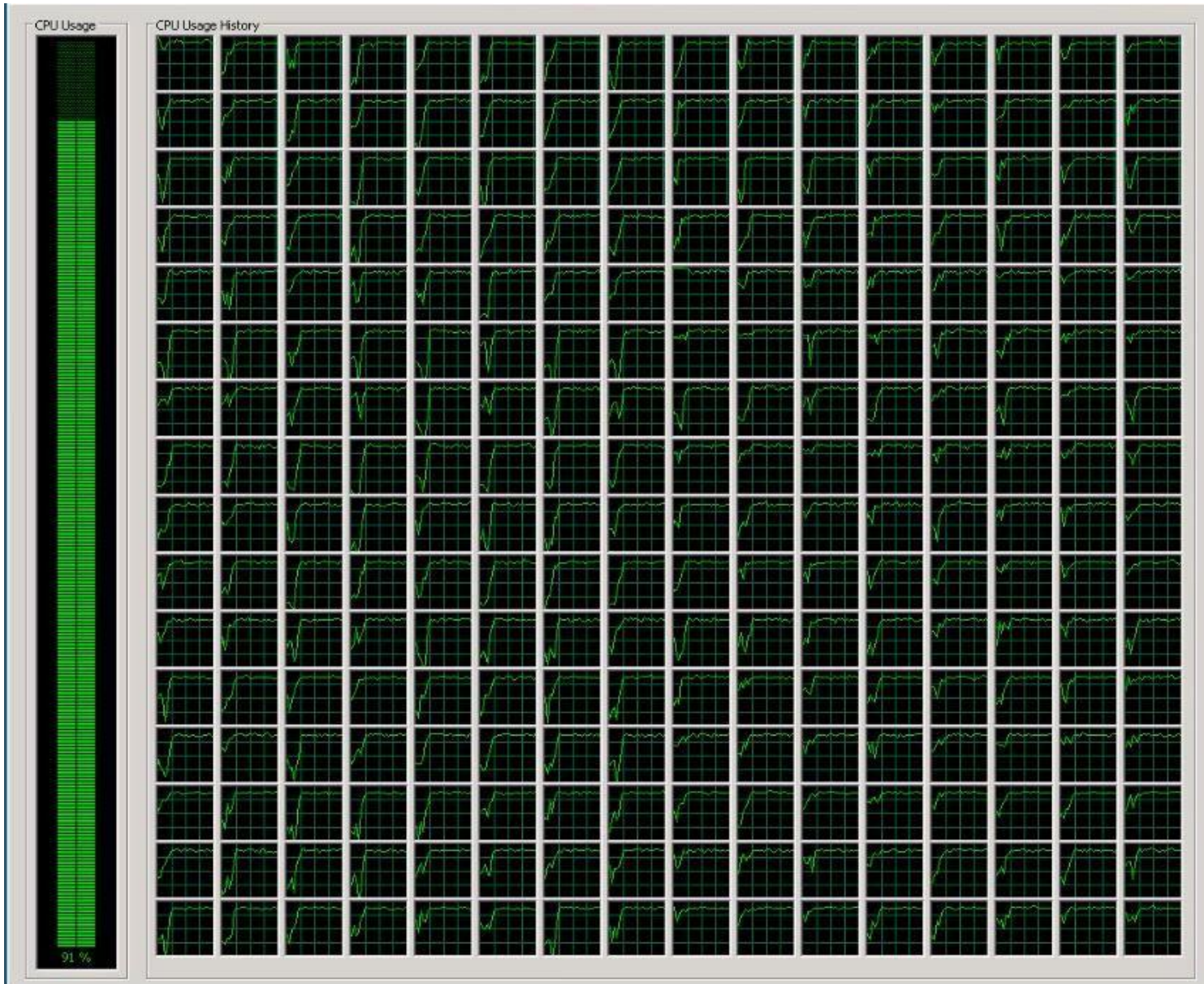
Micro Services
with Service Fabric



Moore's Law



256 core processor

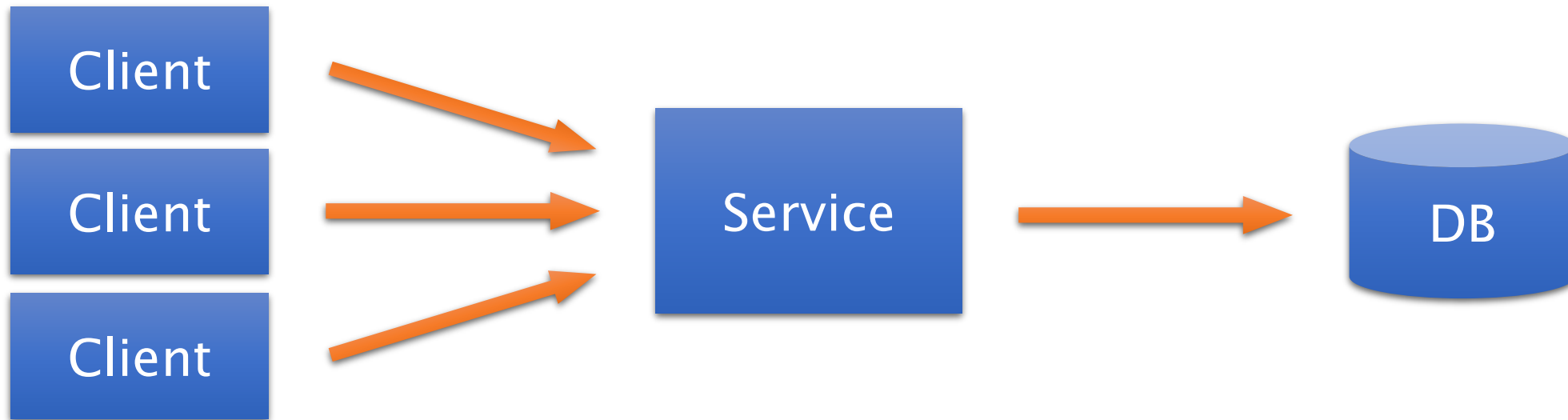


Distributed Systems

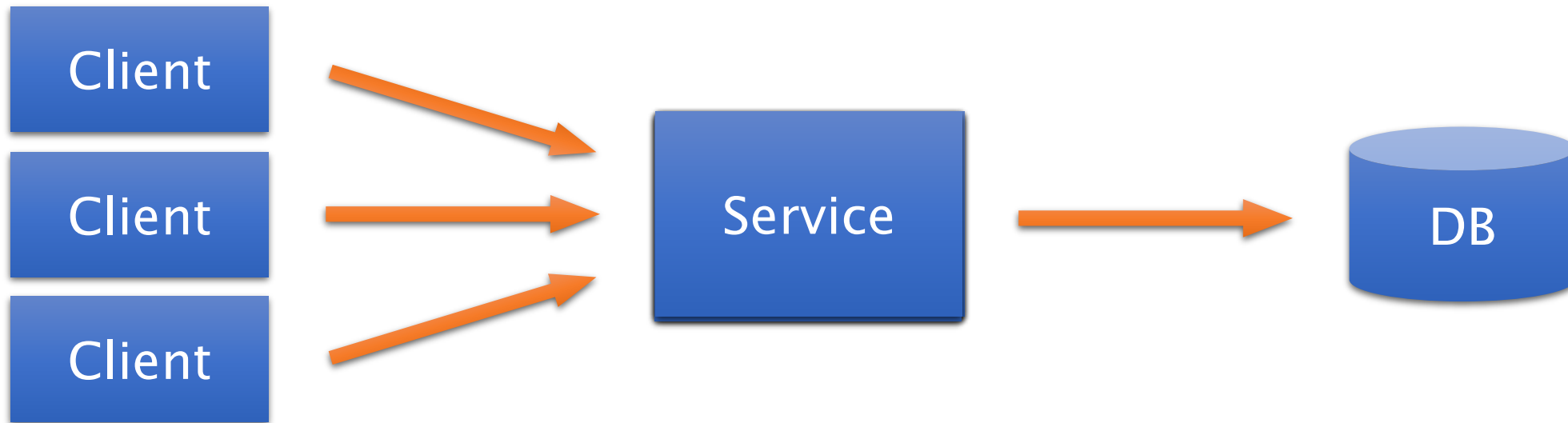


Common approach

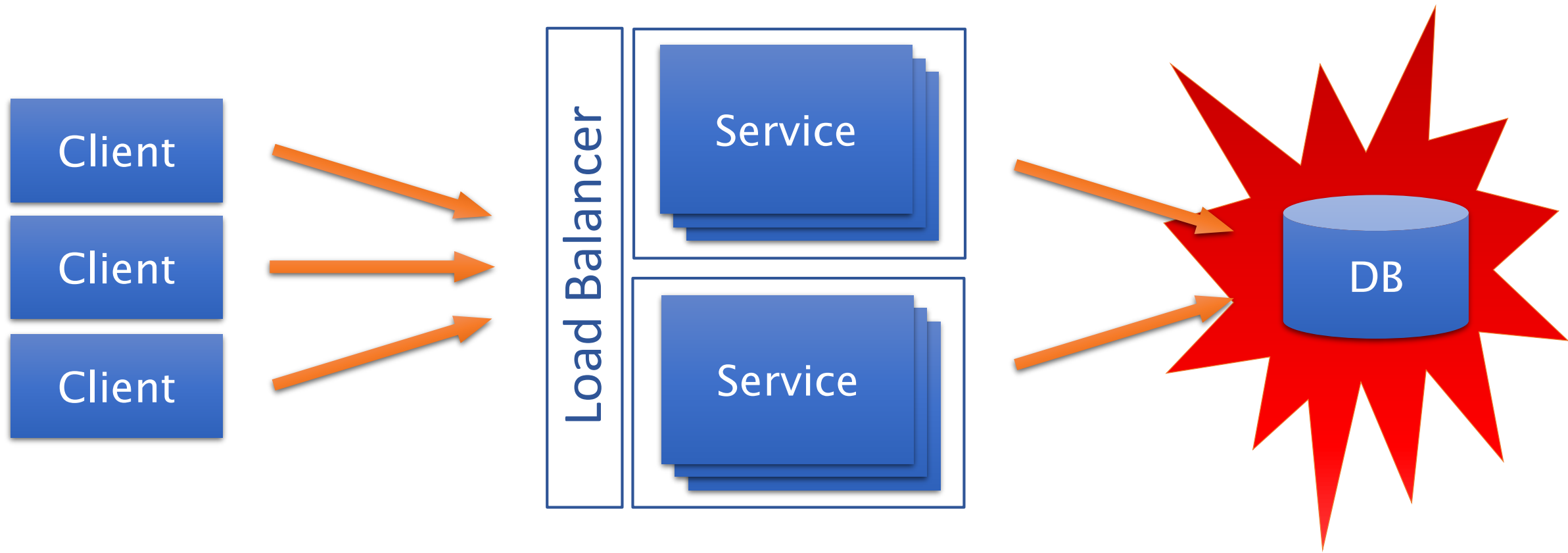
- Client Server model
- 3-tier architecture
- Object Oriented (C#, java, C++, ...)
- RPC, DCOM, SOAP, WCF, REST, ...



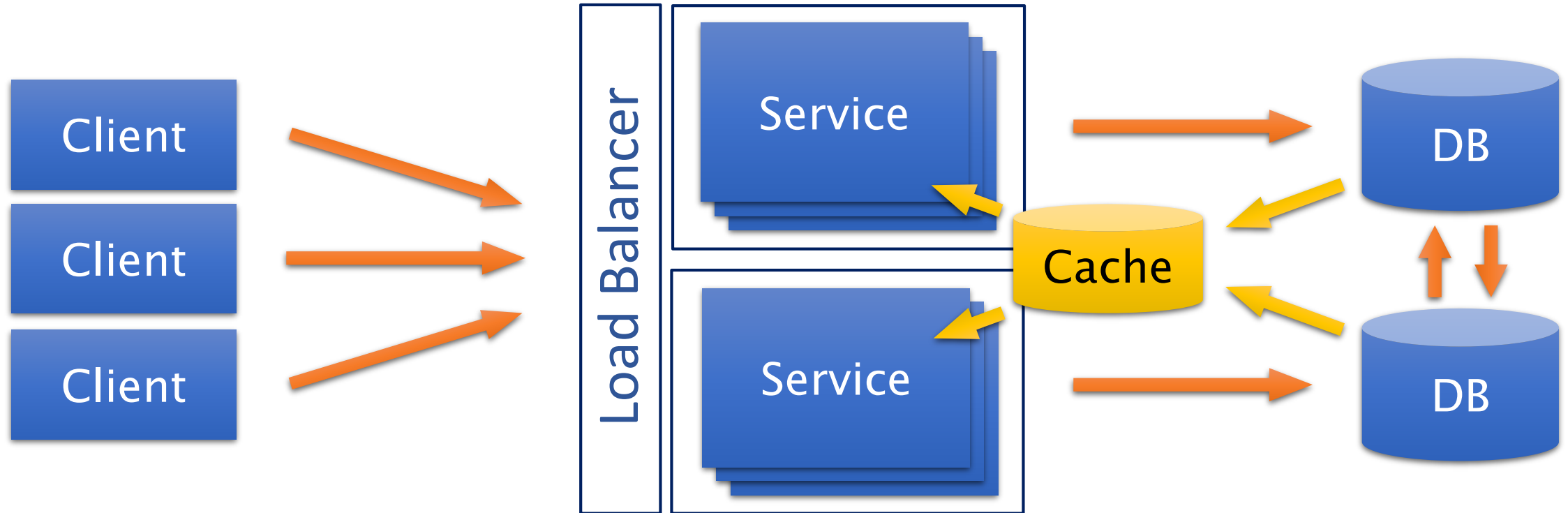
Middleware scale-out



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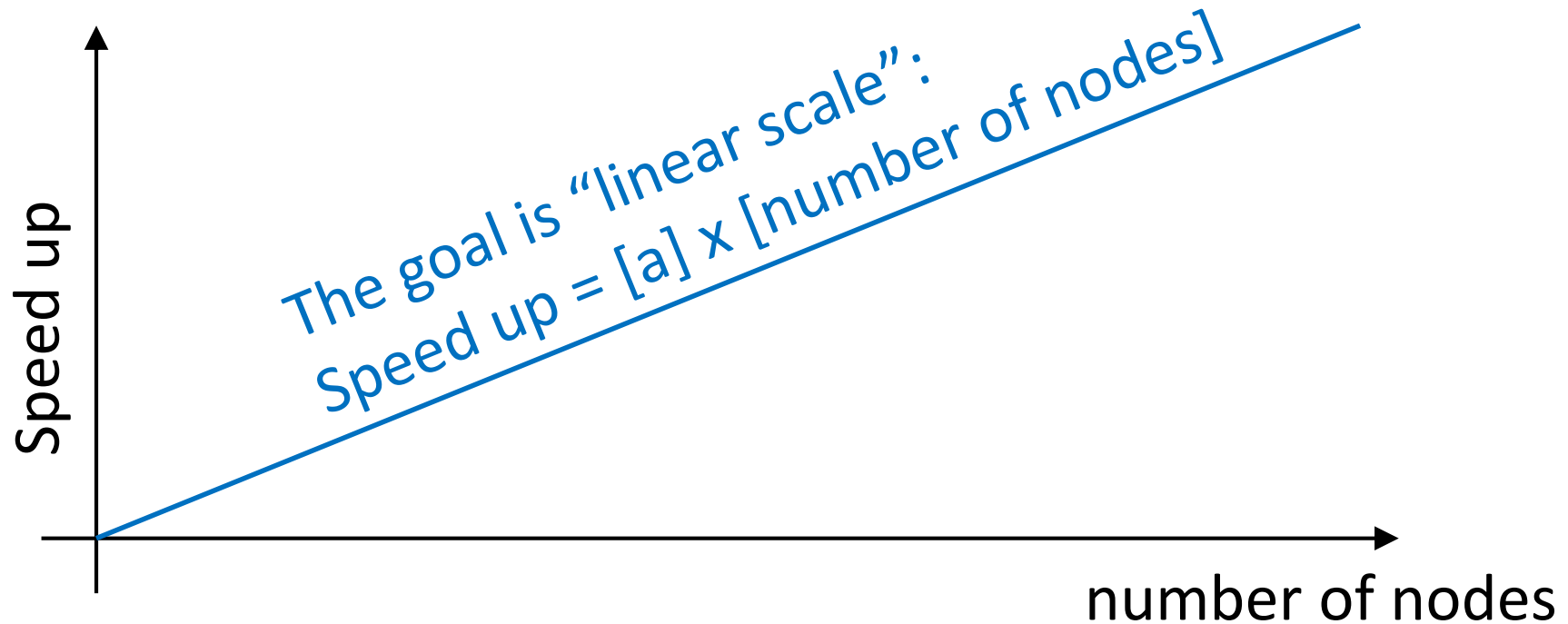


Database partitioning



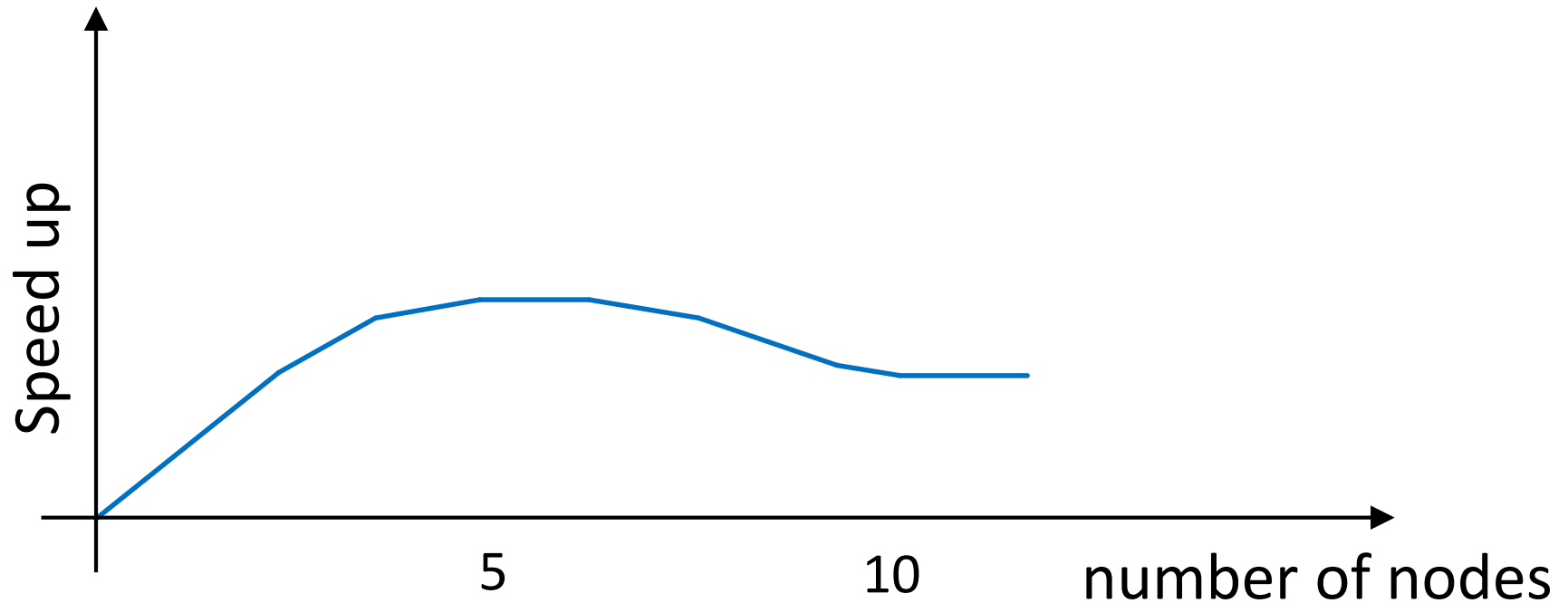
The problem of scale-out

- Concurrency
- Partitioning
- High throughput

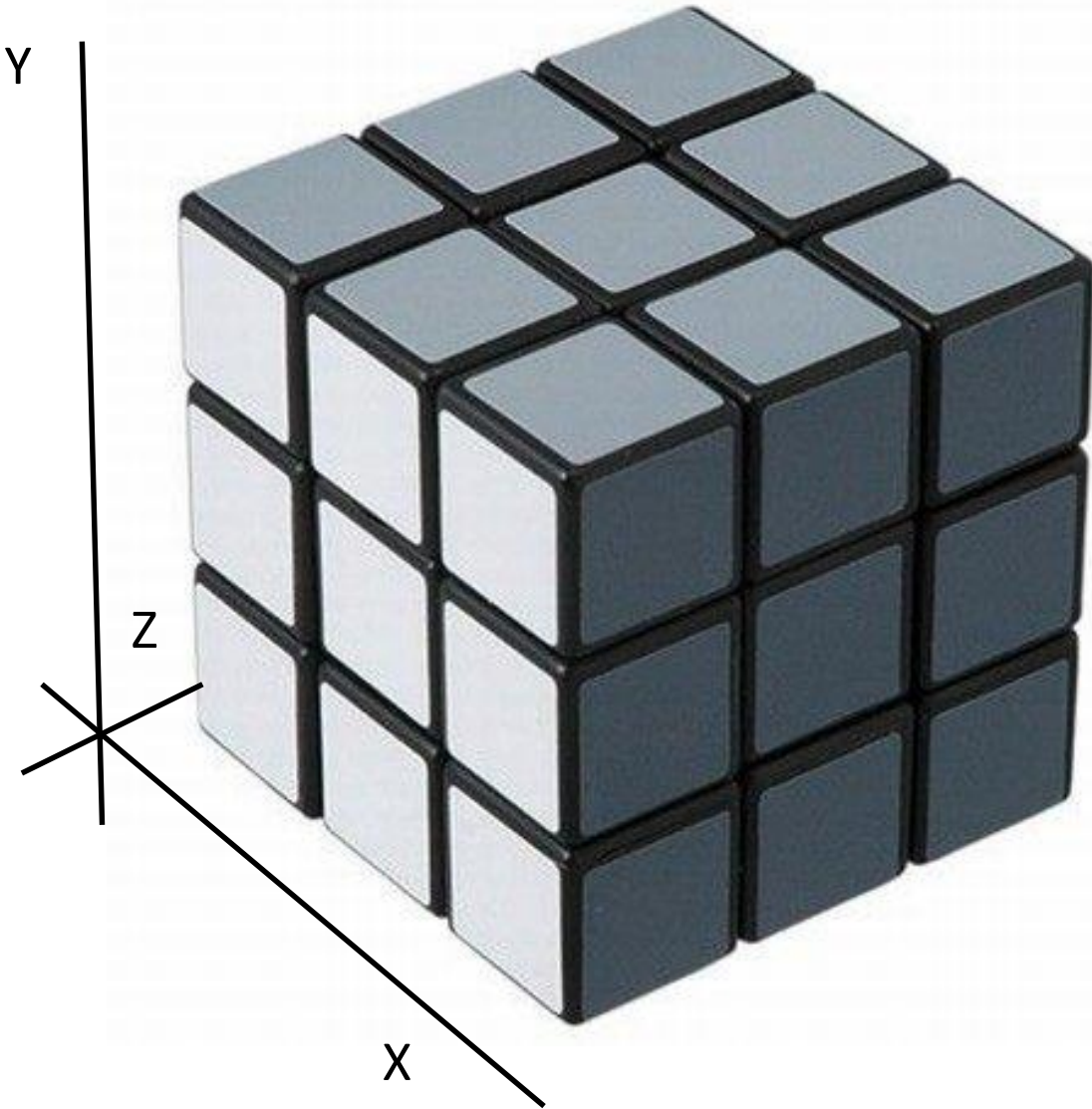


“Speed-up” of traditional approach...

- Reality is non linear
- More nodes does not mean more scale



Need more scaling options → Scale Cube (3D)



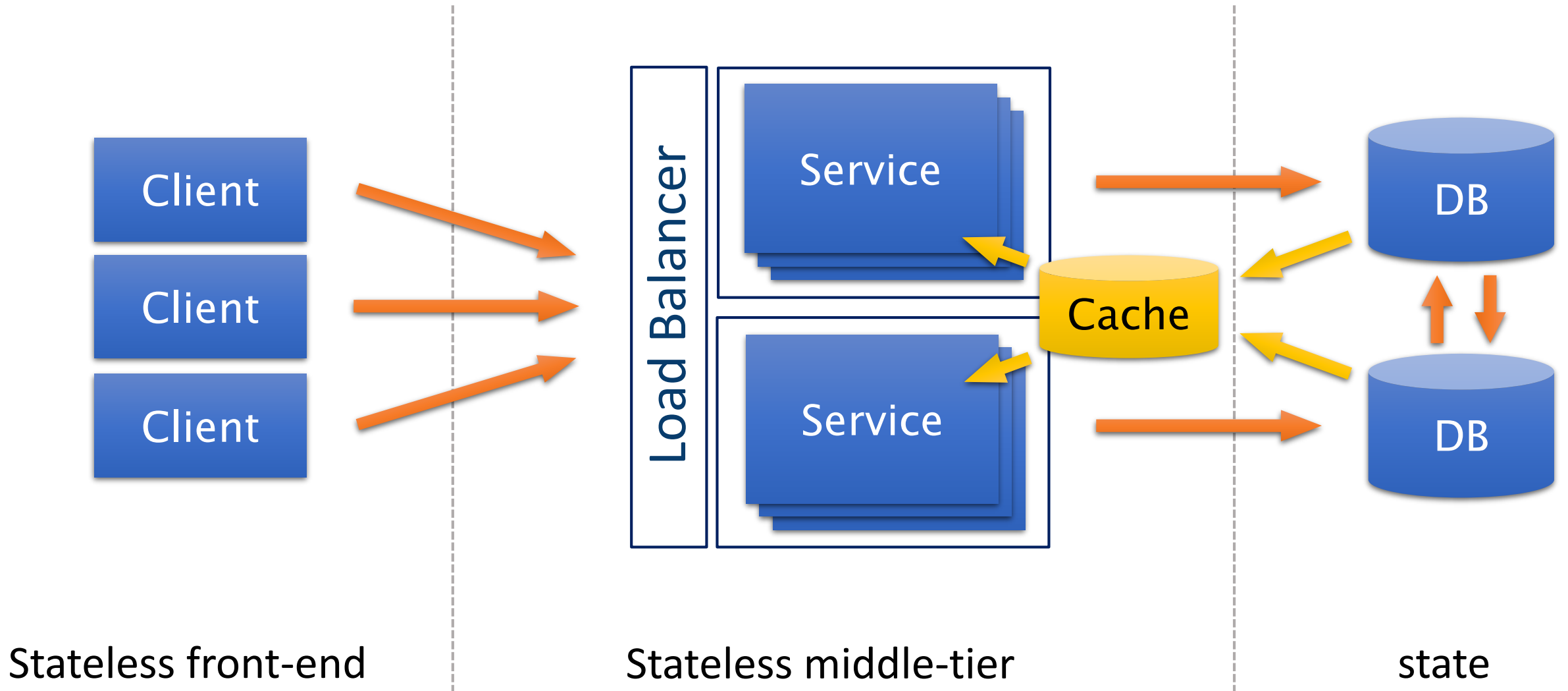
- X
 - Horizontal scale
 - More nodes
 - Network Load Balancing
- Y
 - Functional scale
 - Micro services
- Z
 - Data partitioning
 - Separate tenants
 - Separate by region

Micro Services: the goal

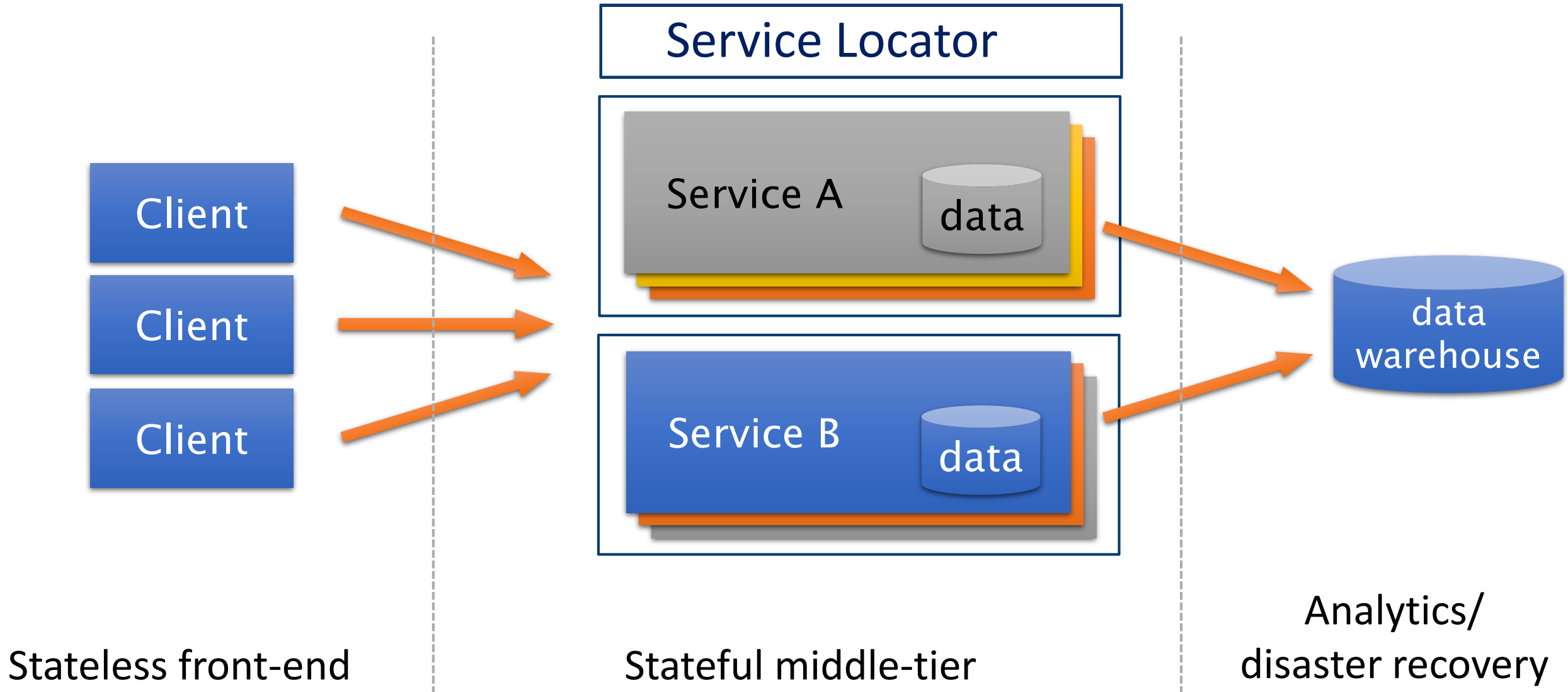
- **Build easier Distributed Systems**
- **Automatic 3D scaling is possible**
- **Less skilled dev's can build more complex systems**
- **Save development and operation costs**
- **Run same code on-premises and in Cloud**



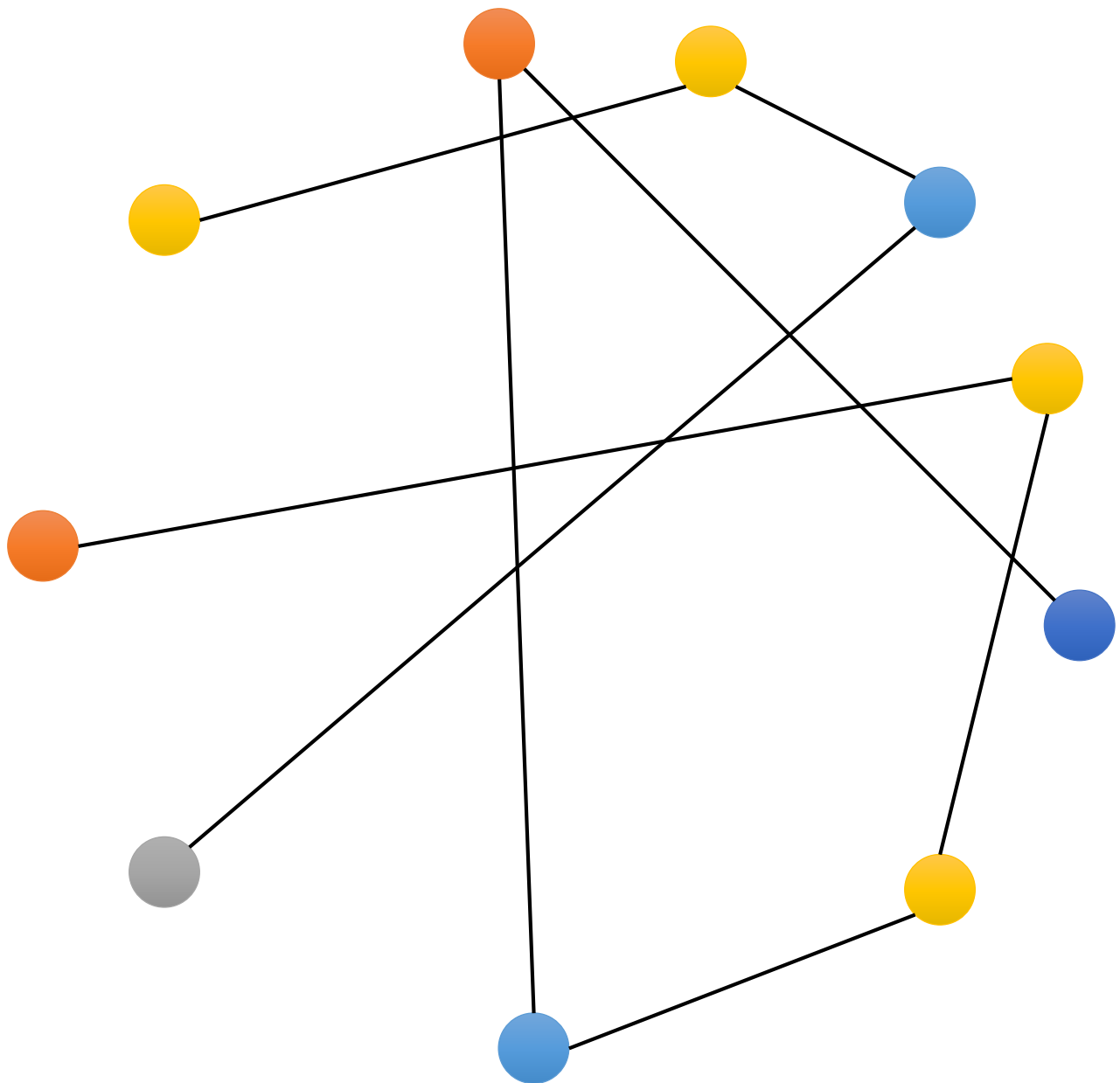
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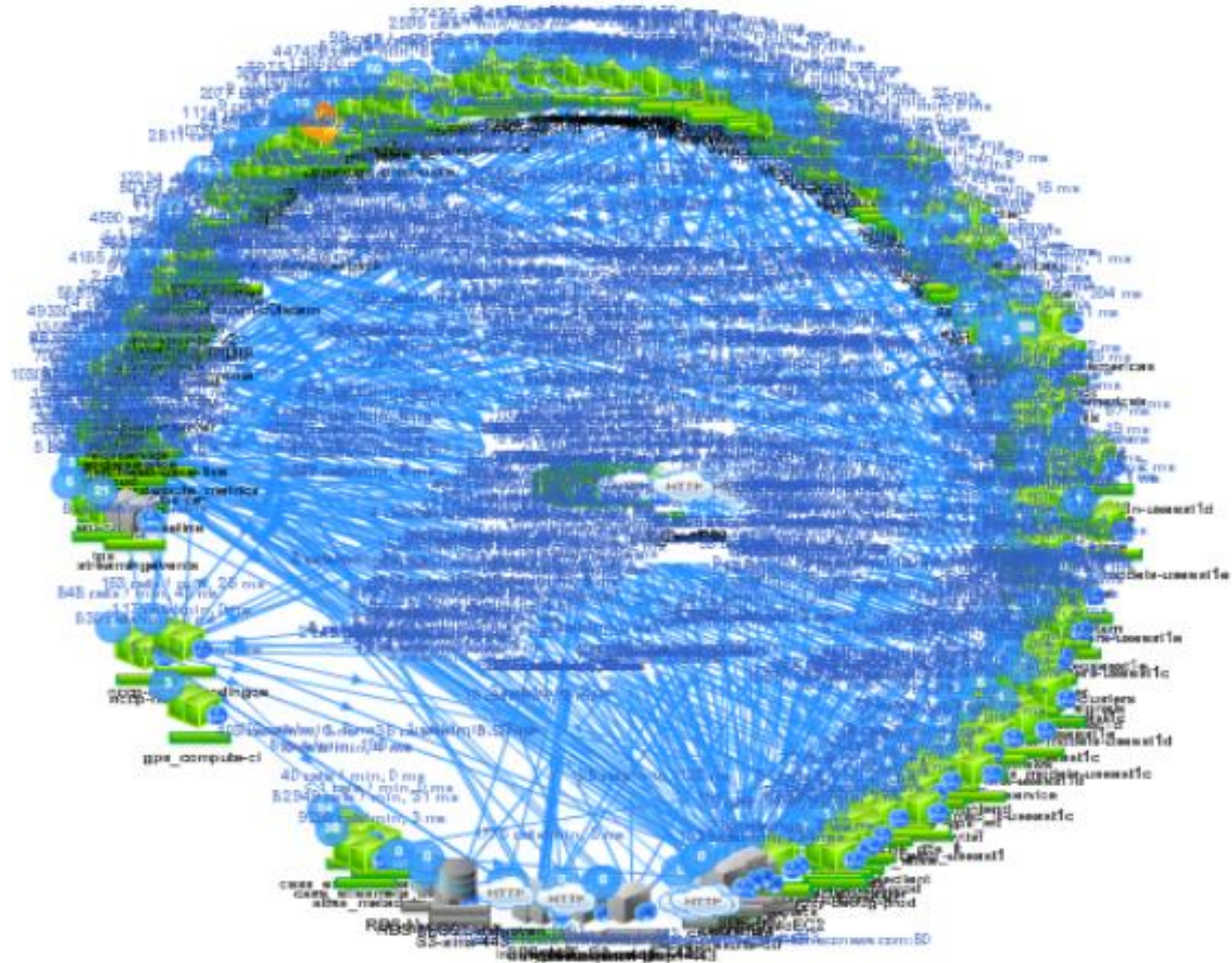
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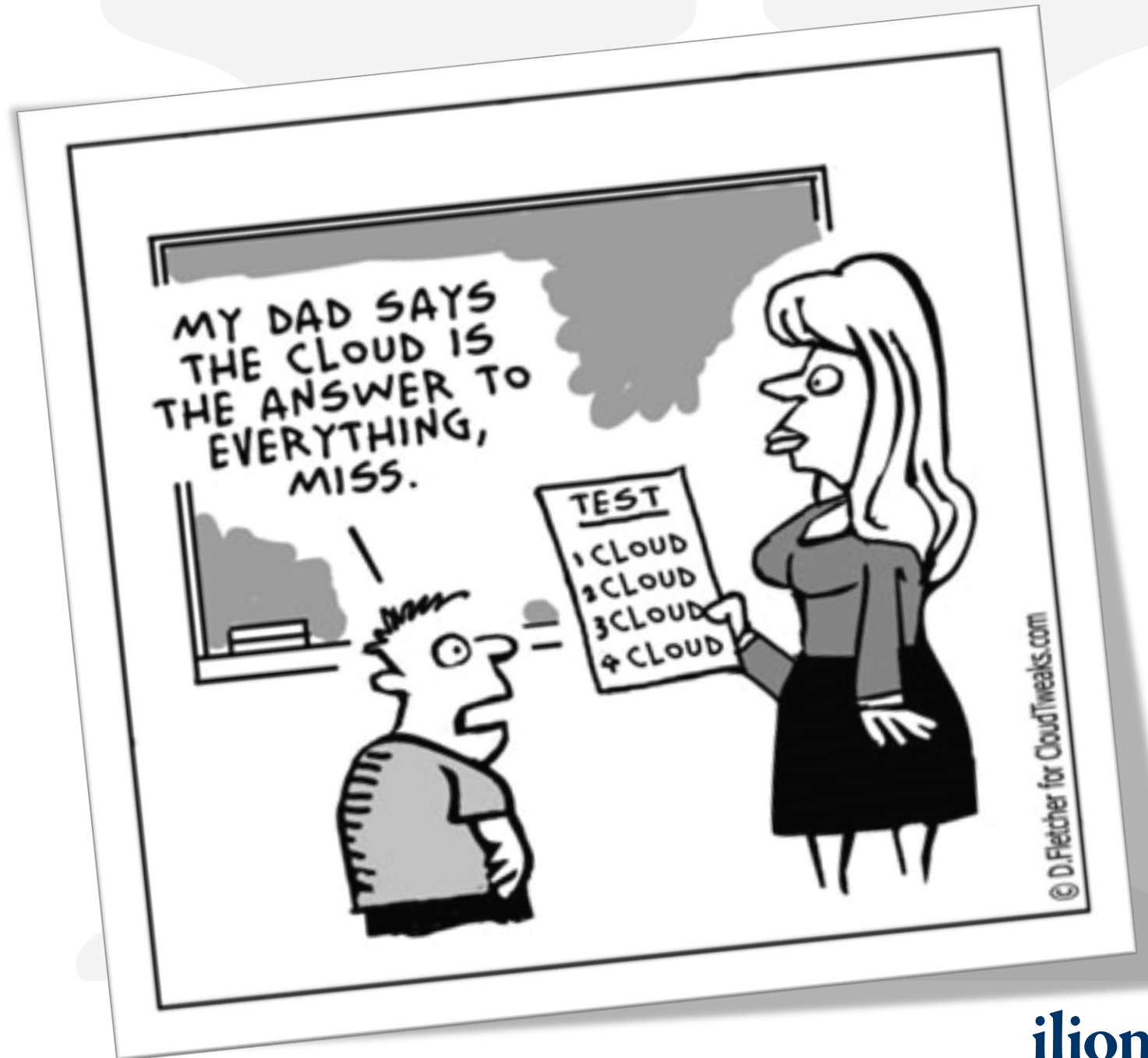
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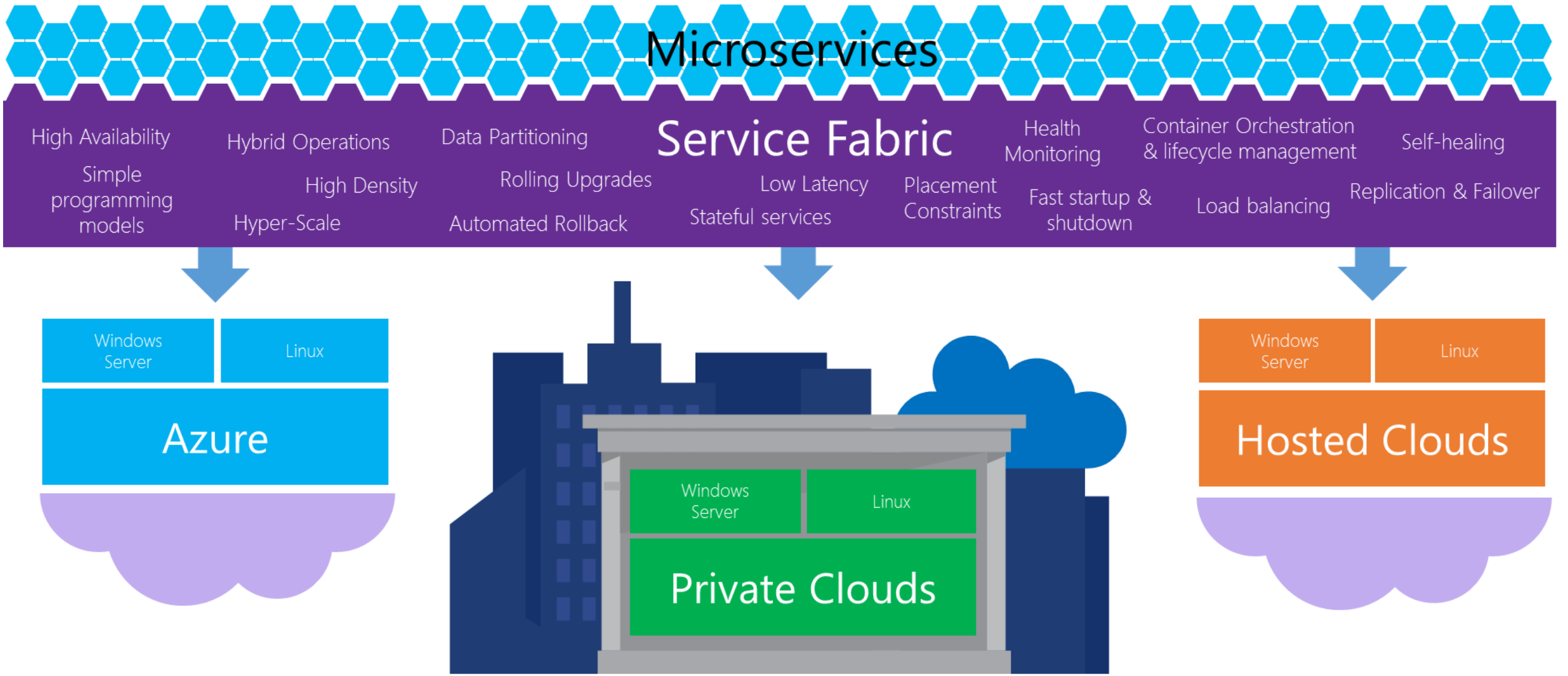
Micro Services bij Netflix



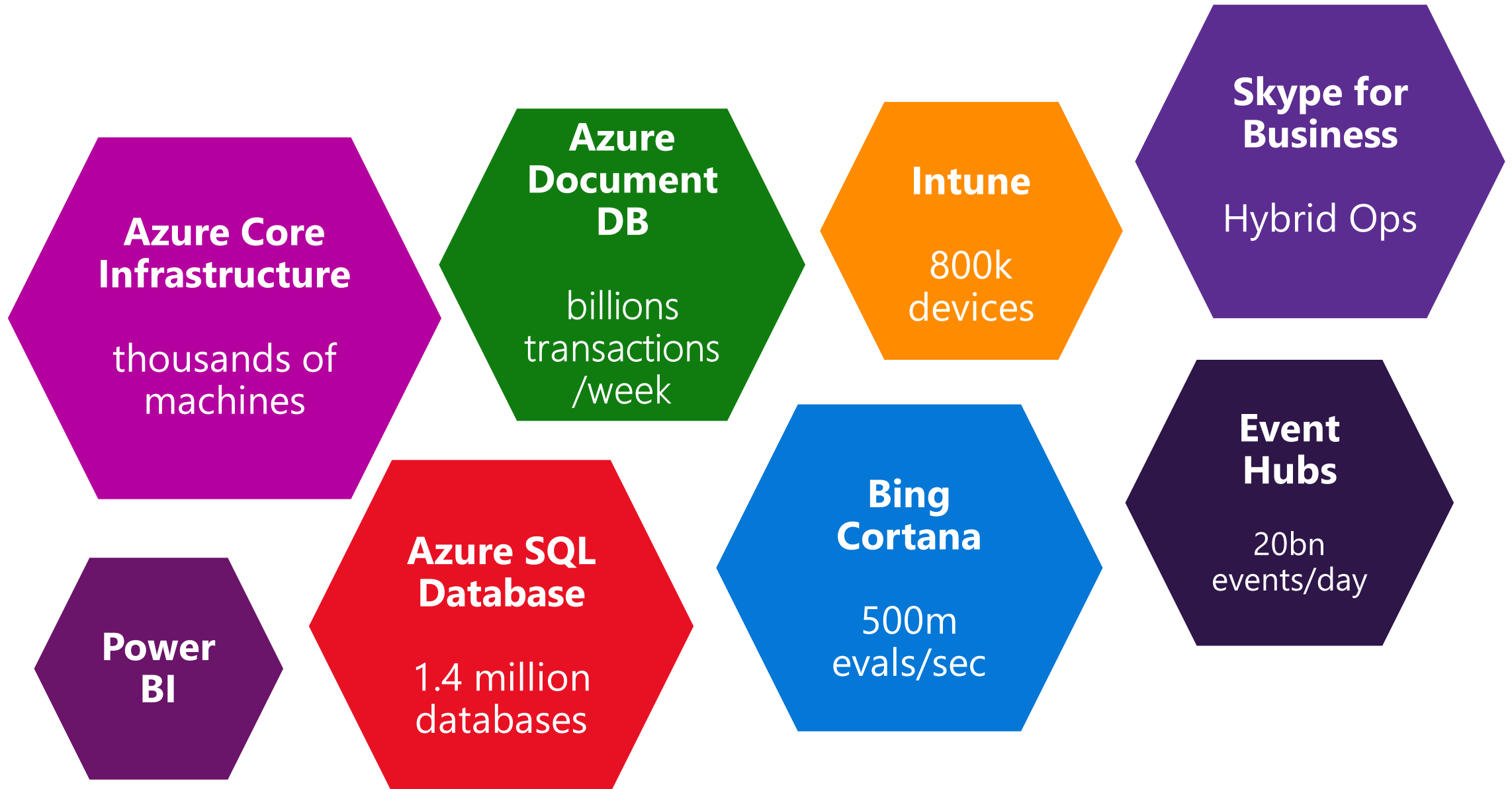
Azure Service Fabric



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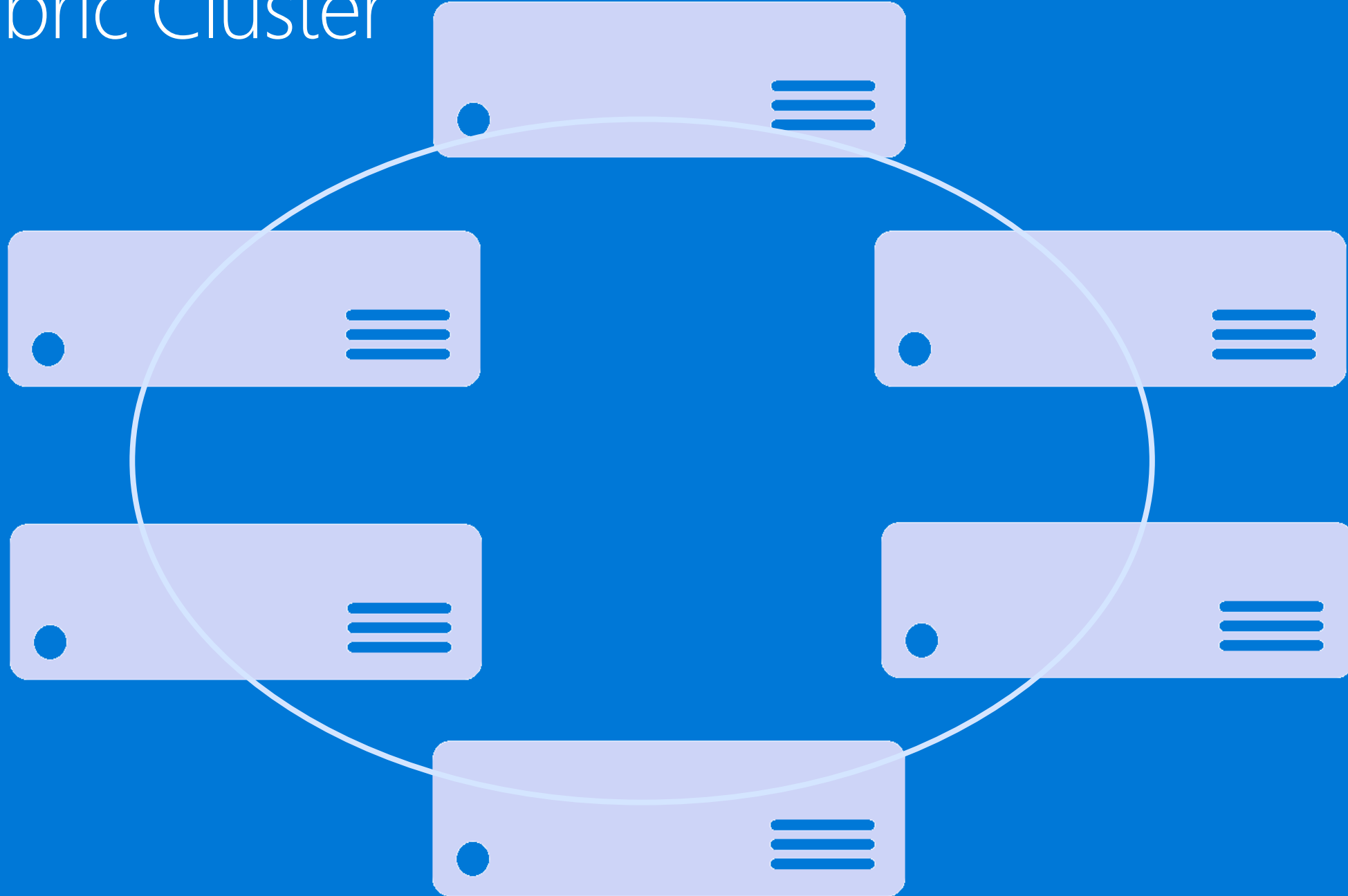
Azure Services build with Service Fabric



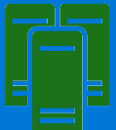

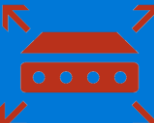

Service Fabric Cluster

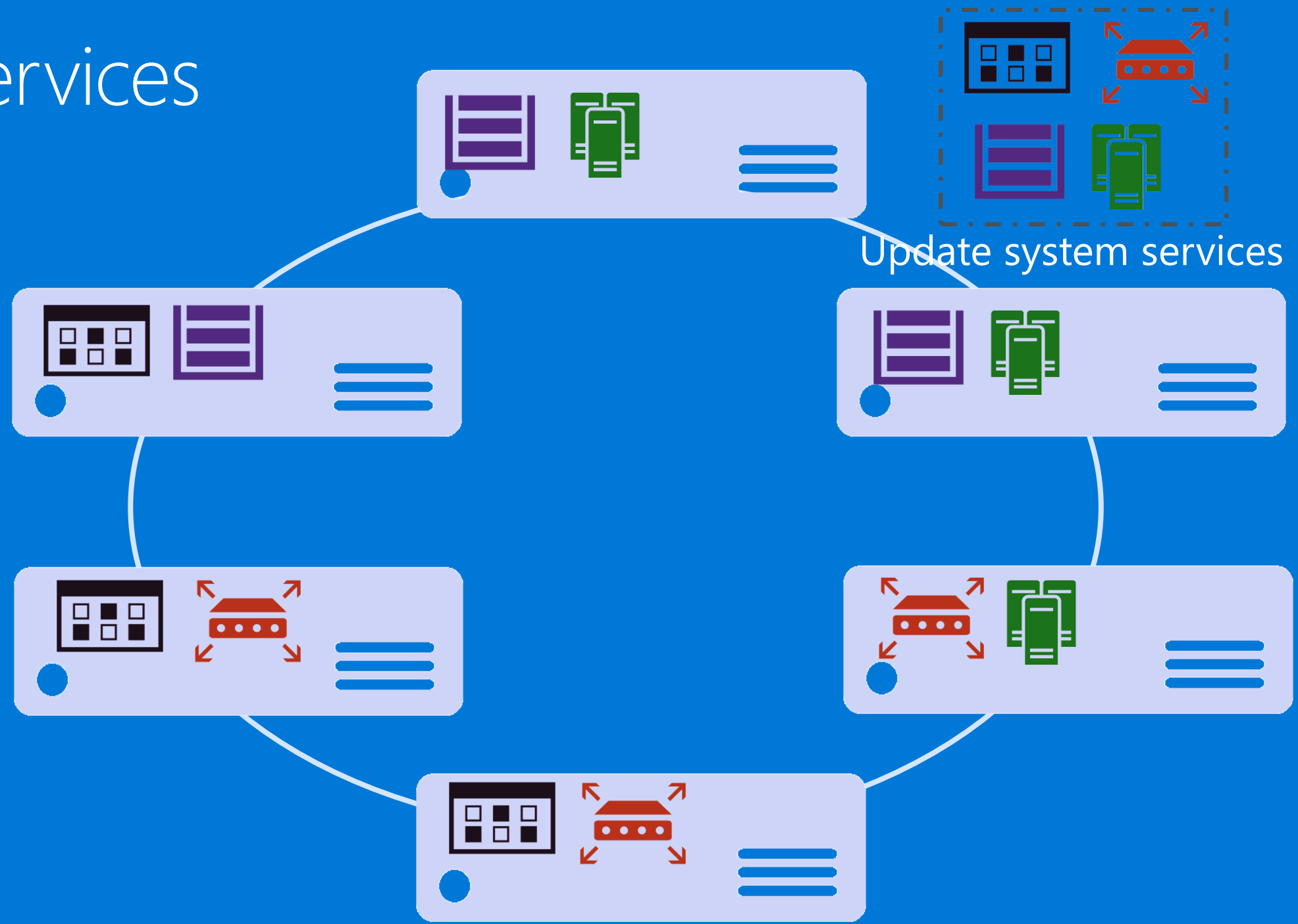
A set of machines that Service Fabric stitches together to form a cluster

Clusters can scale to 1000s of machines



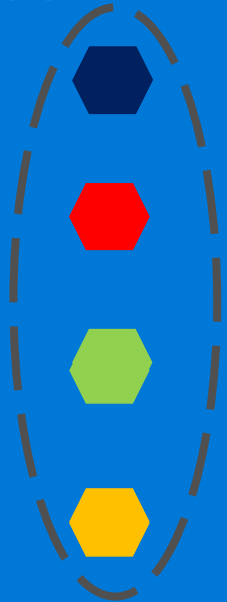
System Services

-  Failover manager
-  Cluster manager
-  Naming service
-  File store service

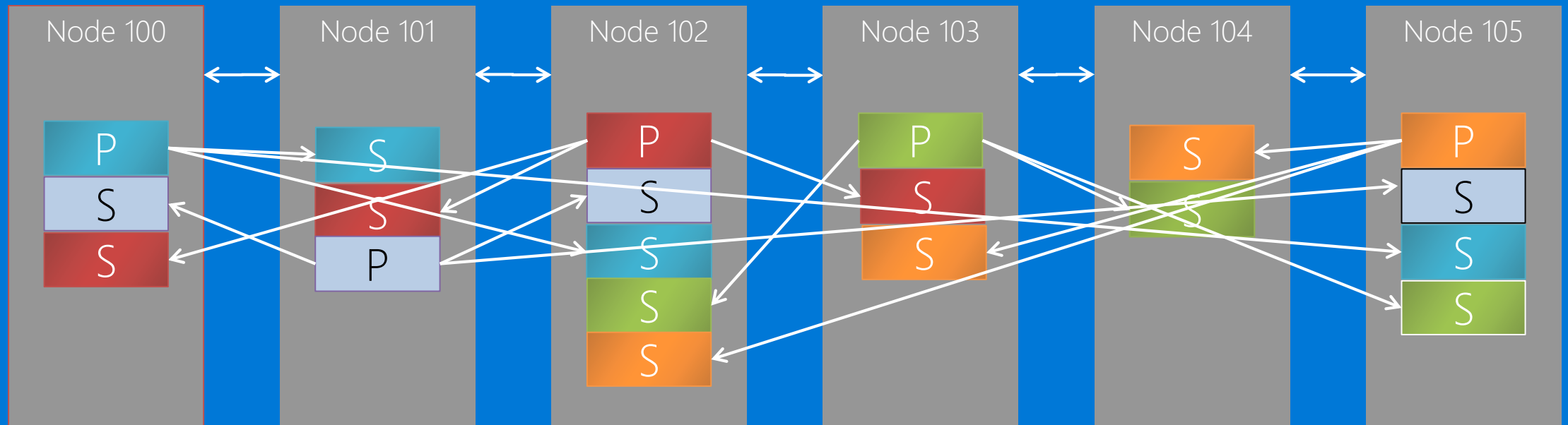


Application: A group of microservices

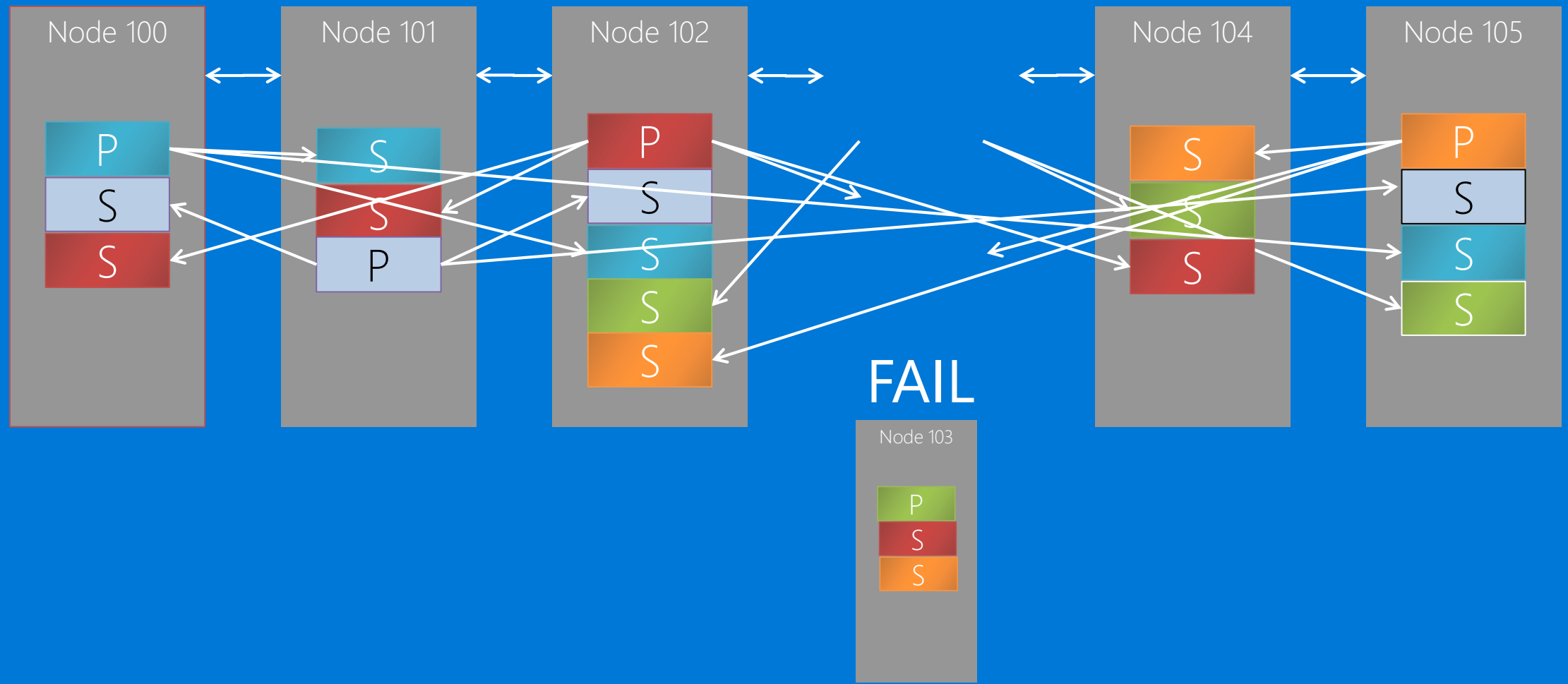
Application



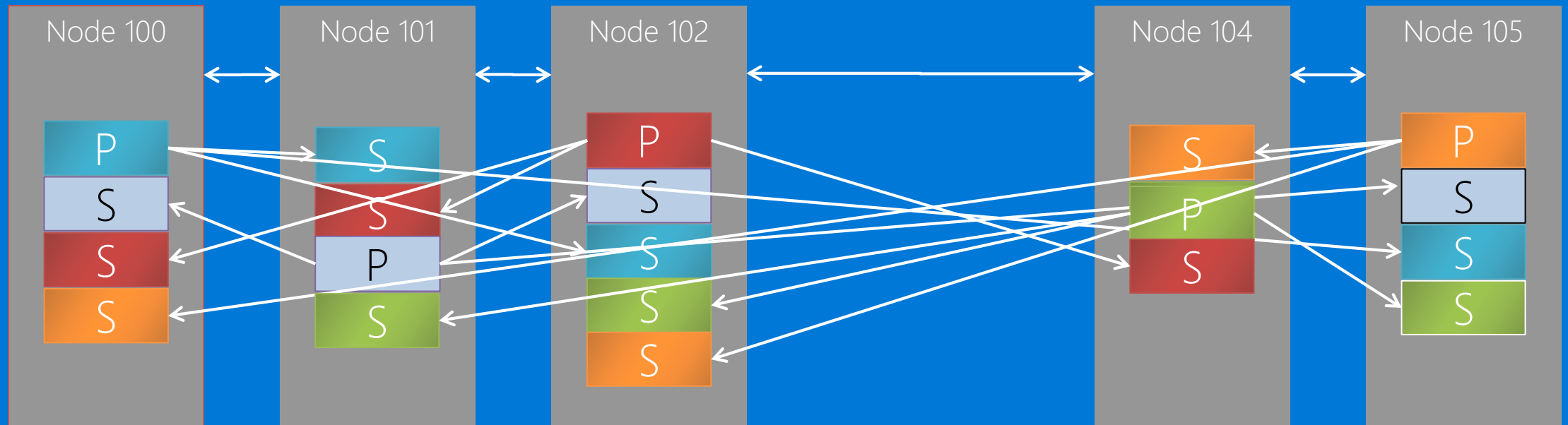
Service partitioning and failover



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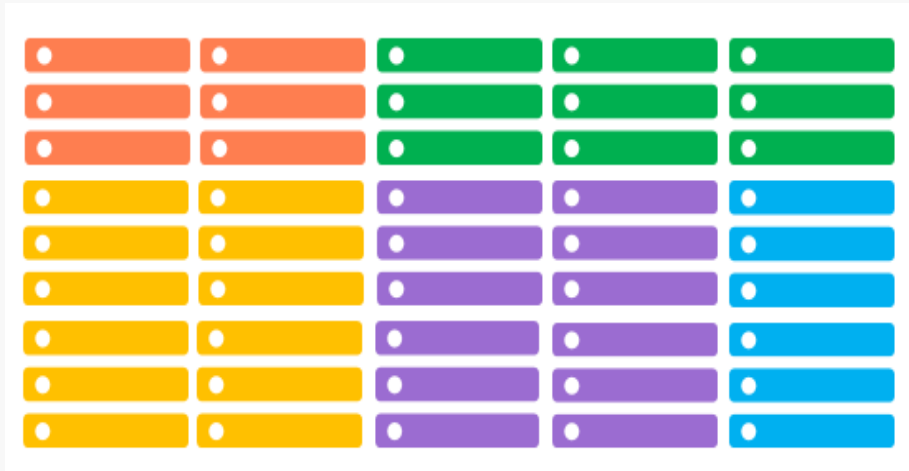
...normal operation...

What is a micro service in Service Fabric?

- Is [*logic + state*] that is independently versioned, deployed, and scaled
- Has a unique name that can be resolved
 - e.g. fabric:/myapplication/myservice
- Interacts with other micro services over well defined interfaces and protocols like REST
- Remains always logically consistent in the presence of failures
- Hosted inside a “container” (code + config)

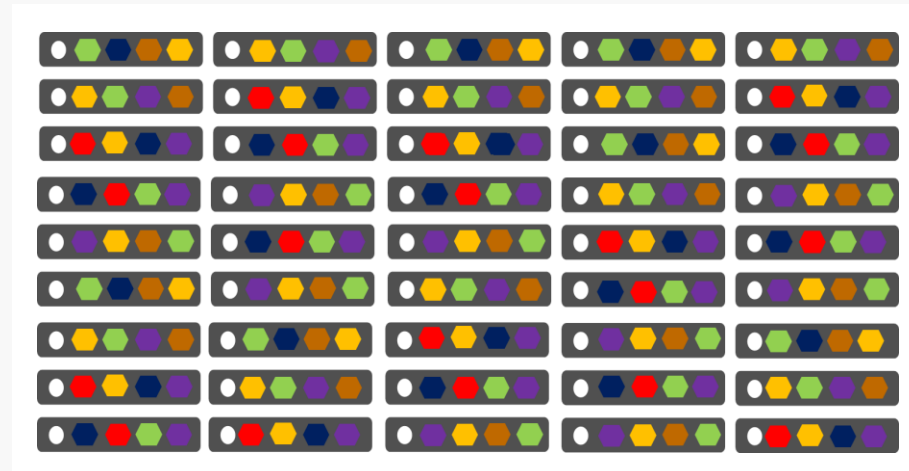
Cloud Services vs Service Fabric

Azure Cloud Services
(Web & Worker Roles)



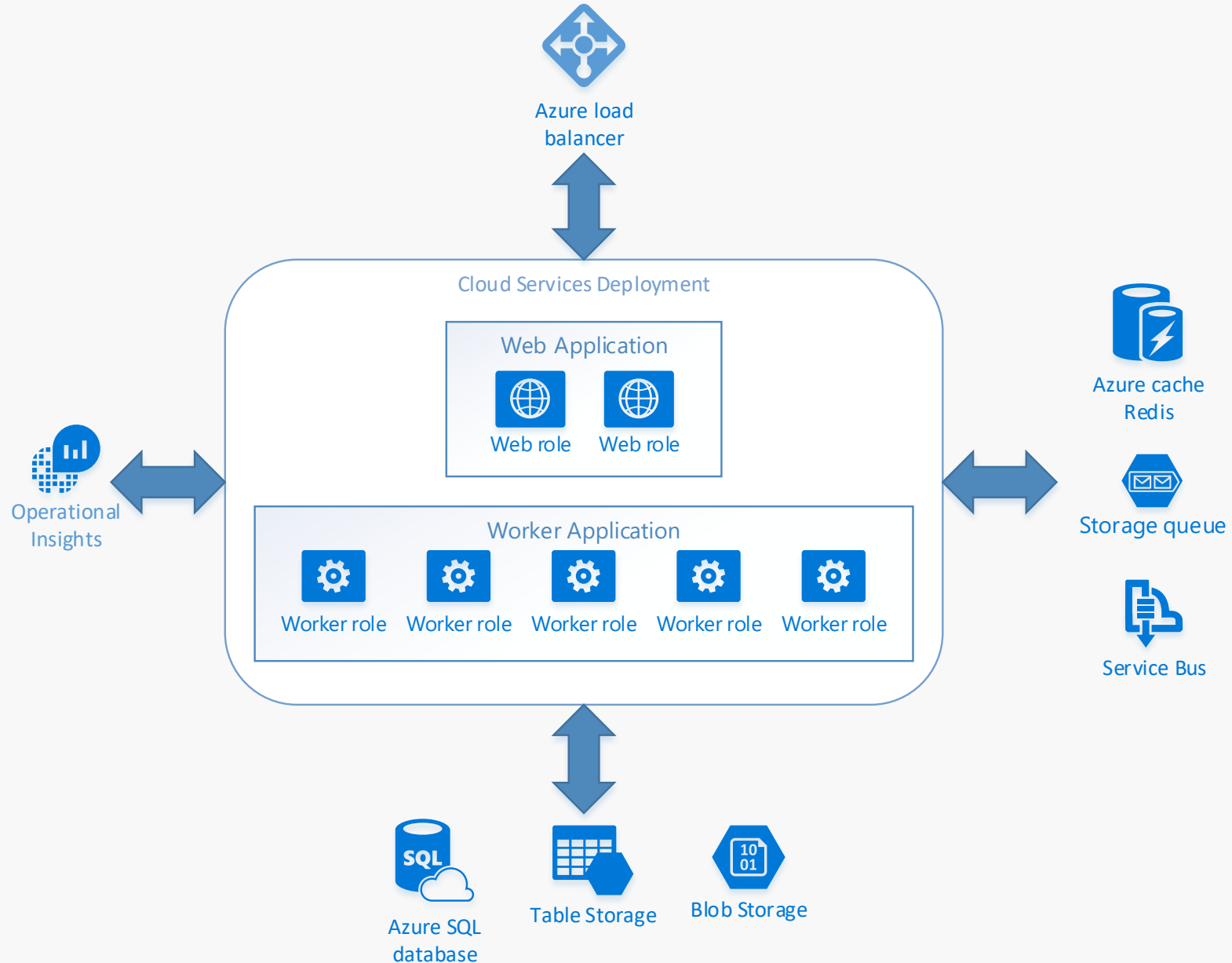
- 1 service instance per VM
- Slow deployment & upgrades
- Slow scaling of roles up/down
- Emulator for development

Azure Service Fabric
(Microservices)

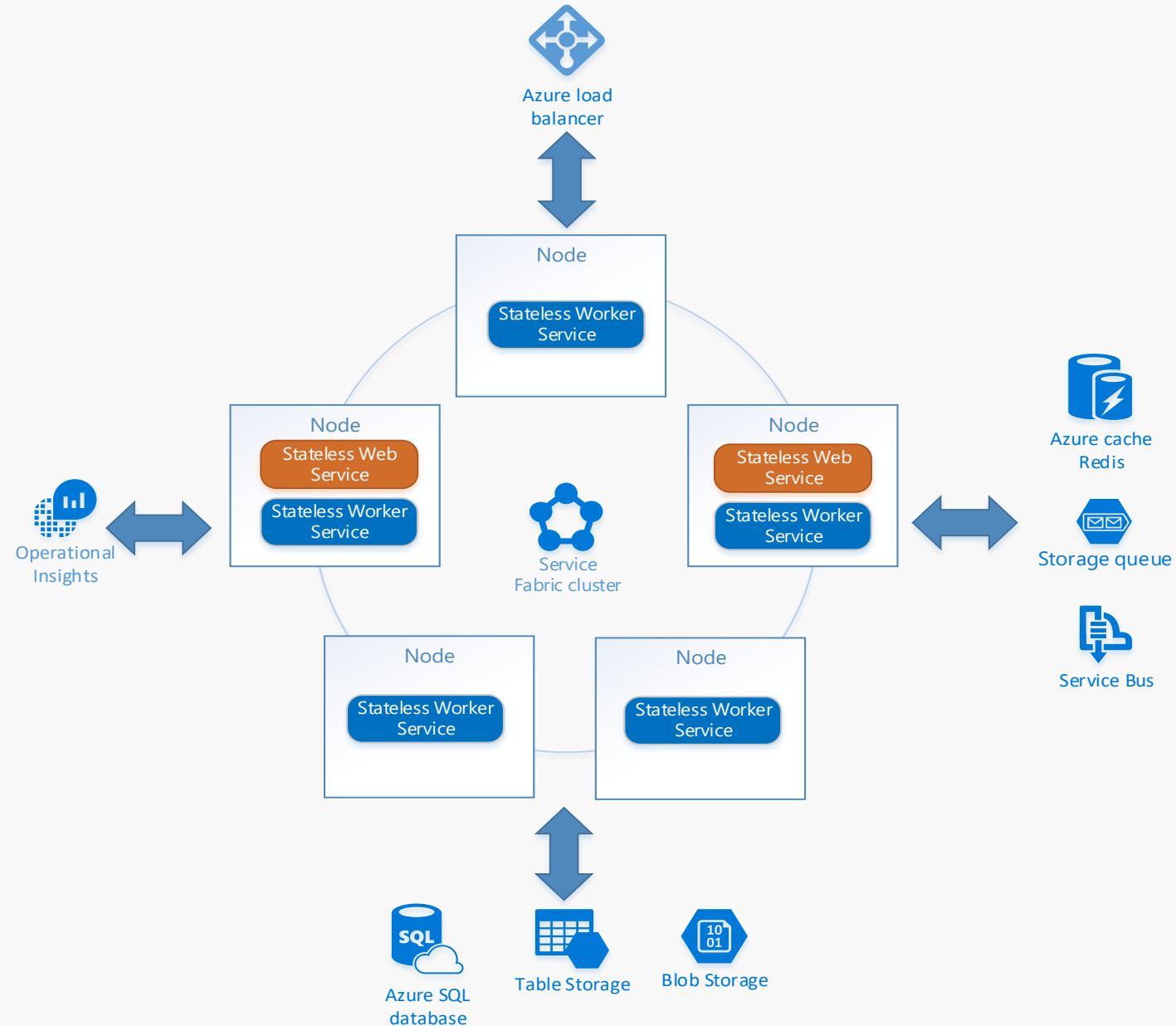


- Many microservices per machine/VM
- Fast deployment & upgrades
- Fast scaling of micro services up/down
- Single machine cluster for development

Cloud Service Application Design



Service Fabric Application Design

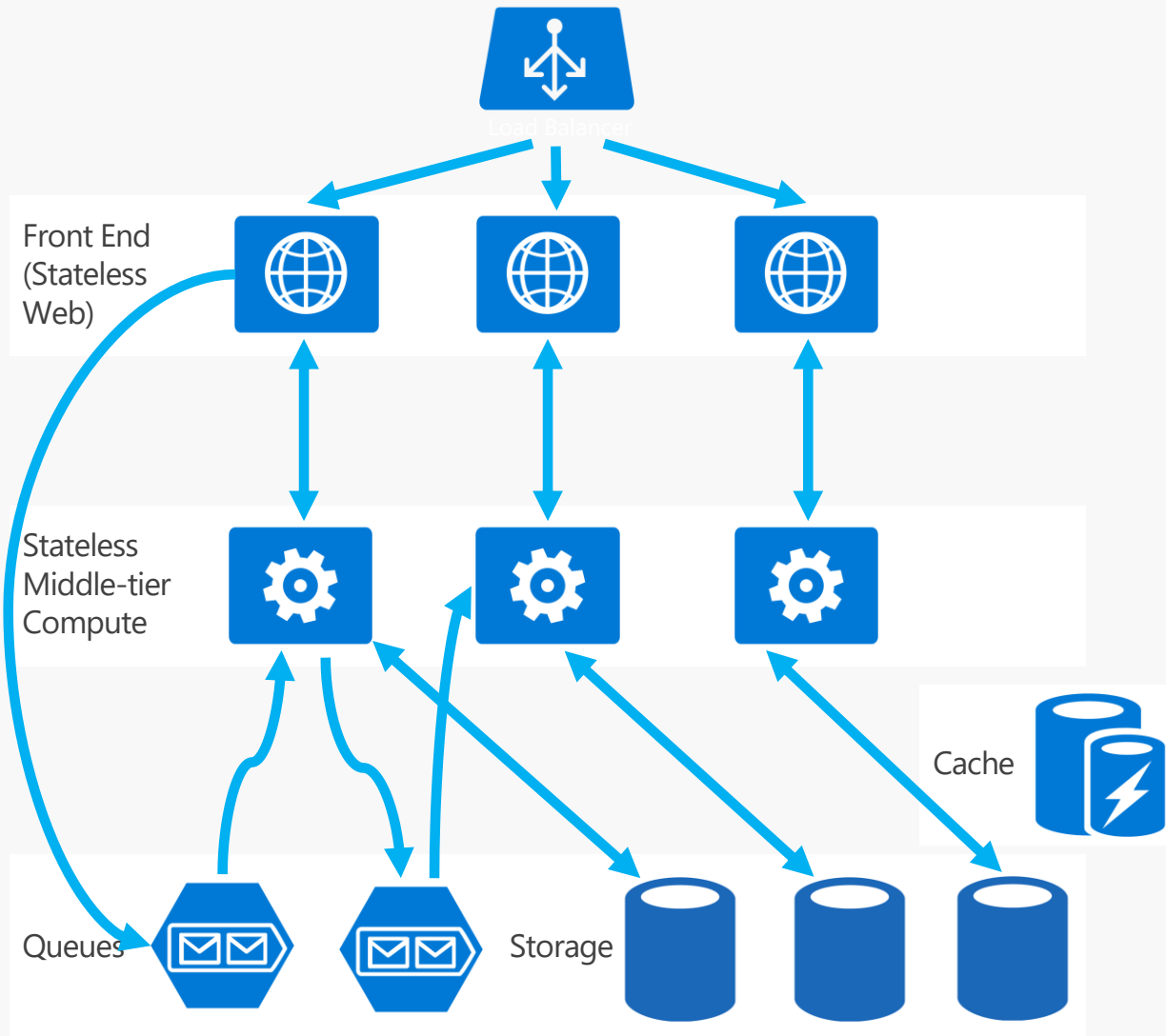


What can you build with Service Fabric?

- **Stateless applications**
 - A service that has state where the state is persisted to external storage, such as Azure databases or Azure storage
 - e.g. Existing web (ASP.NET) and worker role applications
- **Stateful applications**
 - Reliability of state through replication and local persistence
 - Reduces latency
 - Reduces the complexity and number of components in traditional three tier architecture
- **Existing apps written with other frameworks**
 - node.js, Java VMs, any EXE, any Docker container

Stateless Services Pattern

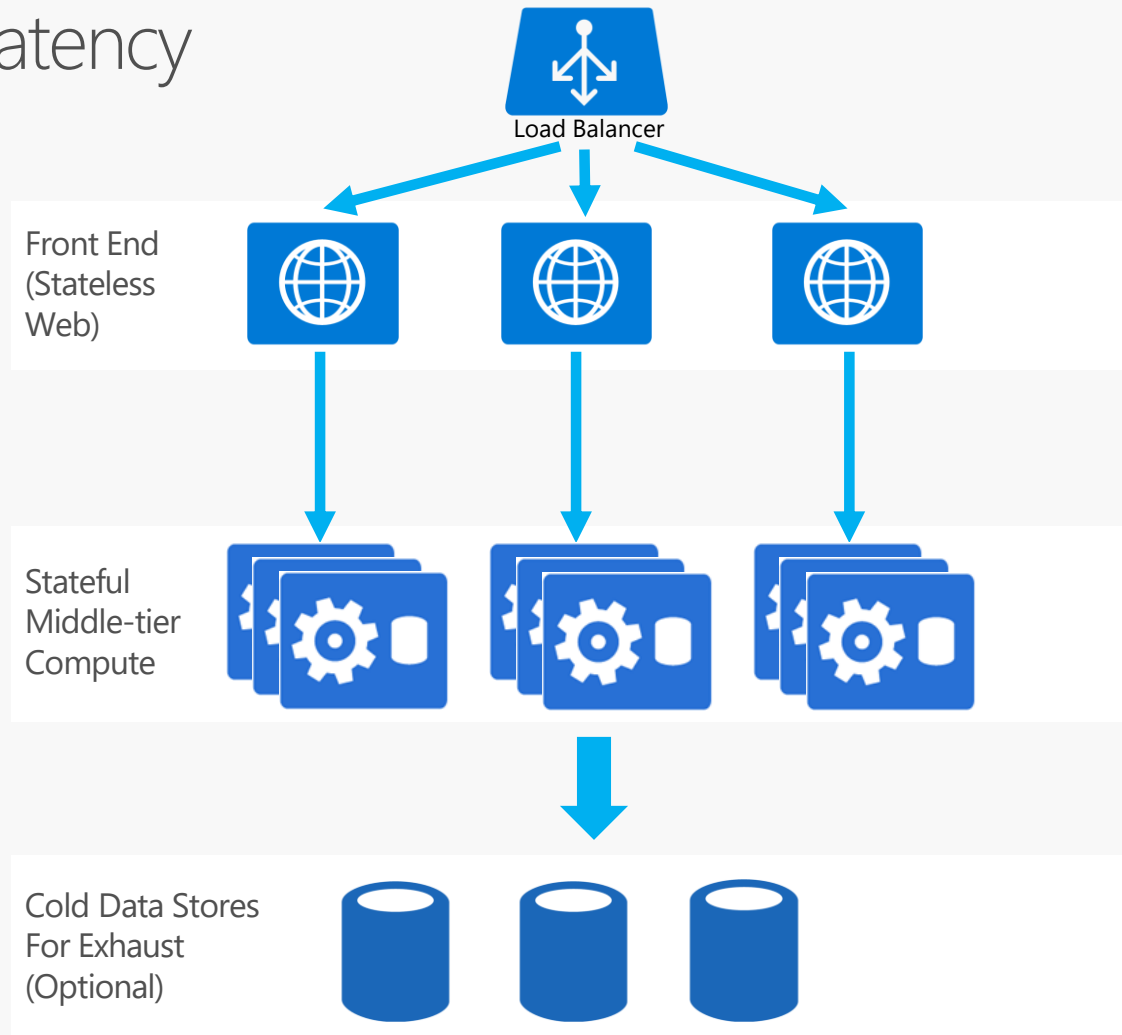
- Scale stateless services backed by partitioned storage
- Increase reliability and ordering with queues
- Reduce read latency with caches
- Manage your own transactions for state consistency
- More moving parts each managed differently



Stateful Services Pattern

Simplify design, reduce latency

- Application state resides in the compute tier
- Low latency reads and writes
- Partitions are first class at the service layer for scale-out
- Built in transactions
- Fewer moving parts
- External stores for exhaust and offline analytics



Service Fabric Programming Models

- **Reliable Actors API**

- Stateless
- Stateful

- **Reliable Services API**

- Stateless
- Stateful

- **Supported programming frameworks:**

- Microsoft.NET (full framework)
 - runs only on Windows
- Microsoft.NET Core
 - runs on Windows and Linux
- Java
 - runs only on Linux

Actor programming model

- Introduced in 1973
- An actor is the fundamental unit of computation
 - Does some processing
 - Holds state
 - Communicates with other actors
- Similar to objects in Object Oriented programming

Reliable Services API

- **Write services that are reliable, available, scalable and provide consistency**
- **Use Reliable Collections to persist state**
- **Manage the concurrency and granularity of state changes using transactions**
- **Communicate using tech of your choice (REST, SOAP, ...)**

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