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Building DevOps metrics for your choice of CD tools through CDEvents

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In this talk

- Learn About CDEvents
- Learn About DevOps Metrics
- How do they fit together

CDEvents

Conceptual: Common language

Wider effort

- CDF SIG Interoperability
- CDF SIG Events

CDEvents

Concrete: Spec and SDKs





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repository: ... change: ...

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type: ... |subject: ... |source: ...

TaskRunStarted

task: ... pipeline: ...

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type: ...
subject: ...
source: ...

ServiceDeployed

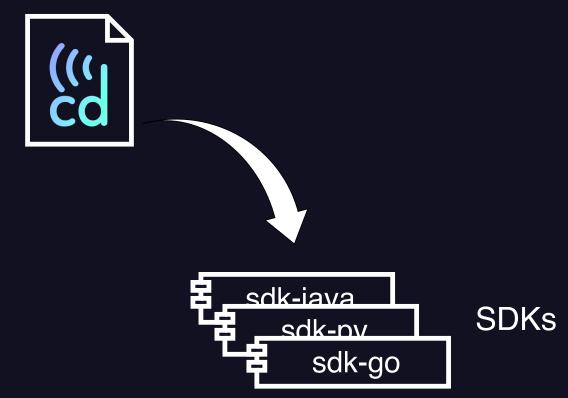
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service: ...

version: ...

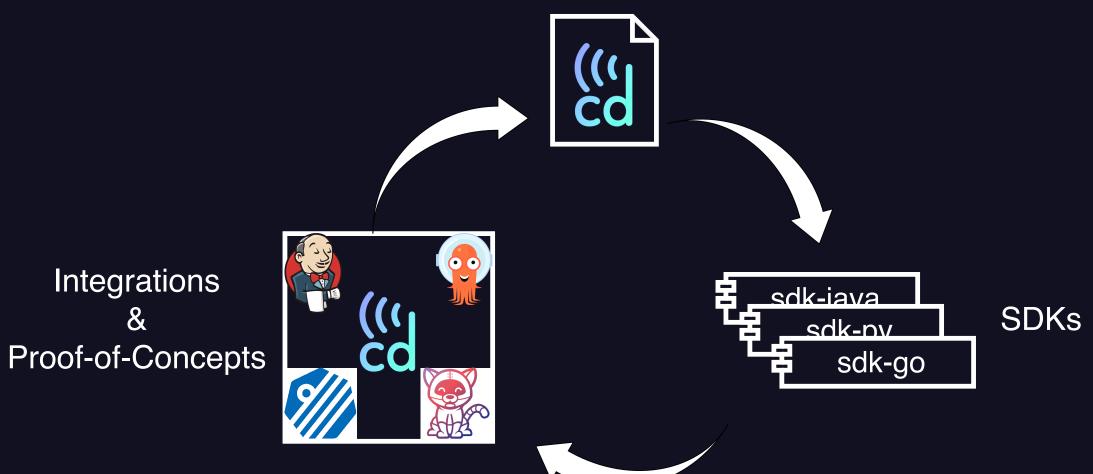
type: ...

subject: ... source: ...



SDKs

```
// Create an event.
event, _ := cde.CreateServiceEvent(
    cde.ServiceDeployedEventV1,
    serviceEnvId,
    serviceName,
    serviceVersion,
                                                            sdk-iava
    serviceData)
                                                               sdk-nv
                                                                 sdk-go
// Set a source.
event.SetSource(source)
// Set a target.
ctx := cloudevents.ContextWithTarget(
    context.Background(), CDE_SINK)
```



Wider effort (again)

- CDEvents team
- Project communities

What we want to achieve through CDEvents

Interoperability

Observability

DevOps Metrics

DORA Metrics

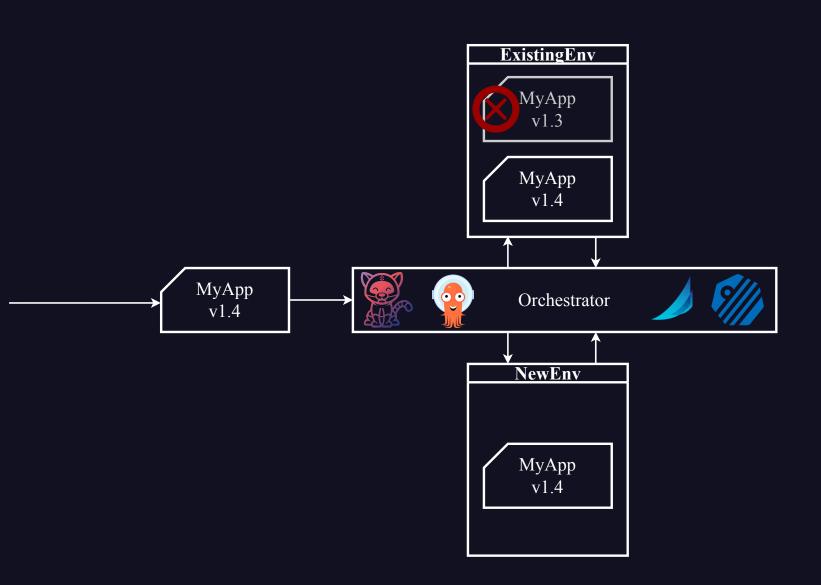
- Deployment Frequency
- Lead Time for Changes
- Change Failure Rate
- Time to Restore Service

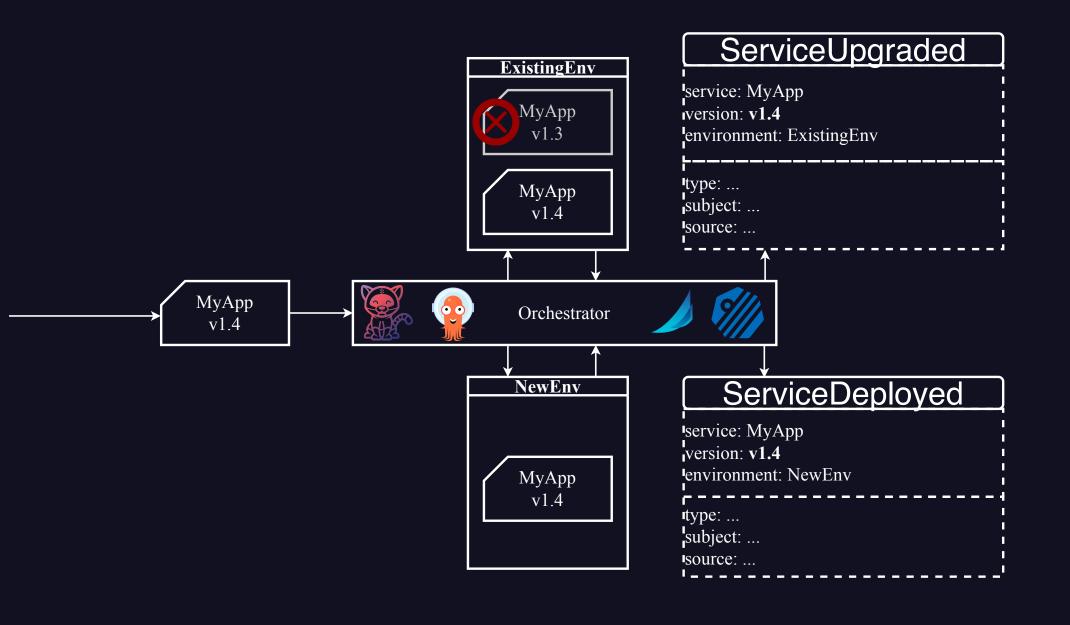
Metrics through CDEvents

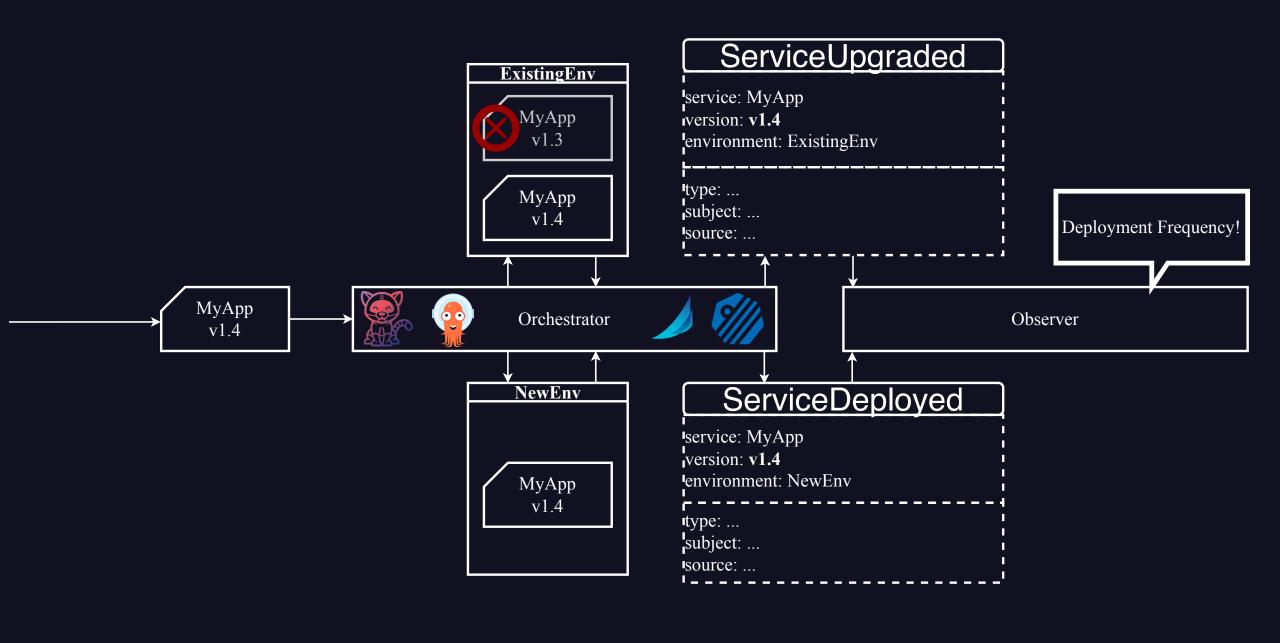
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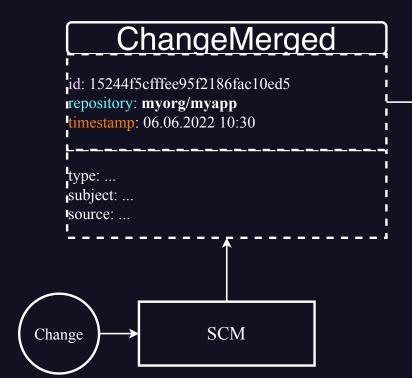


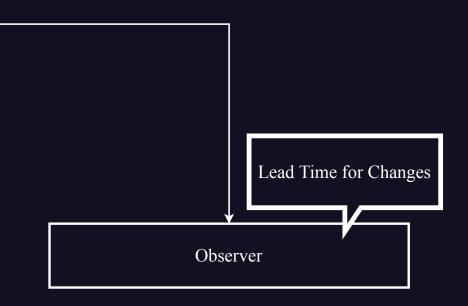




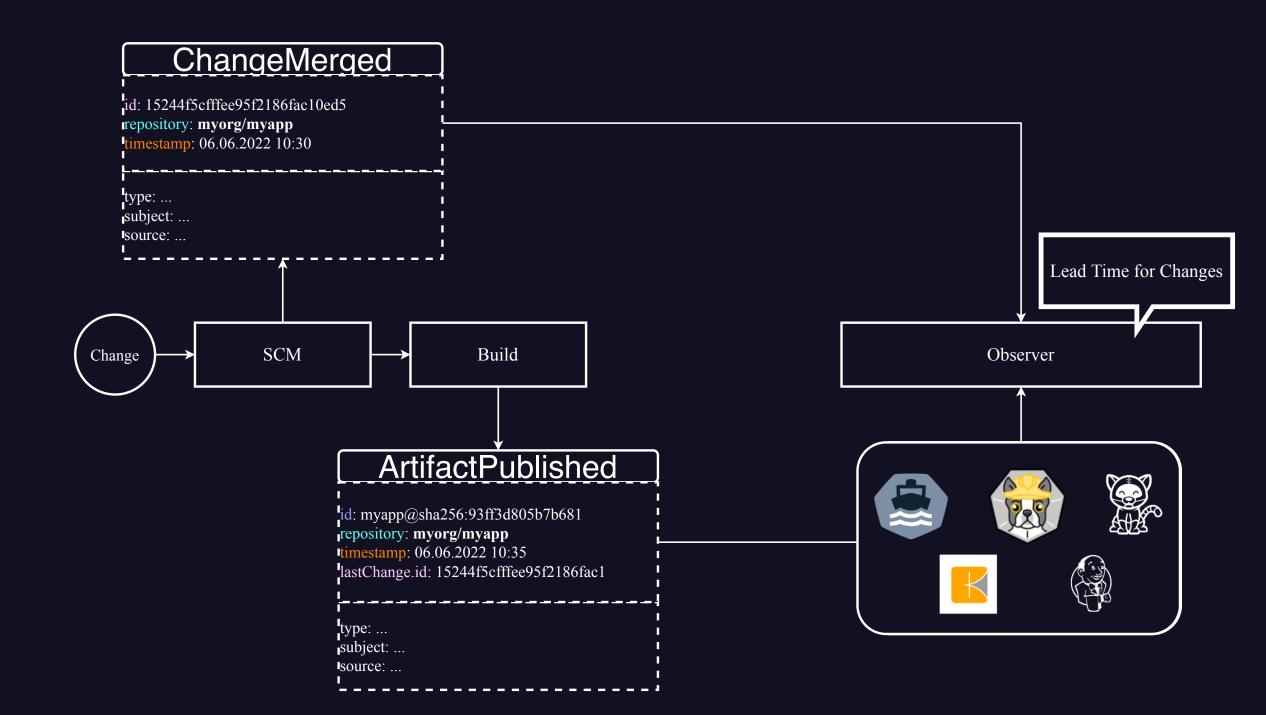


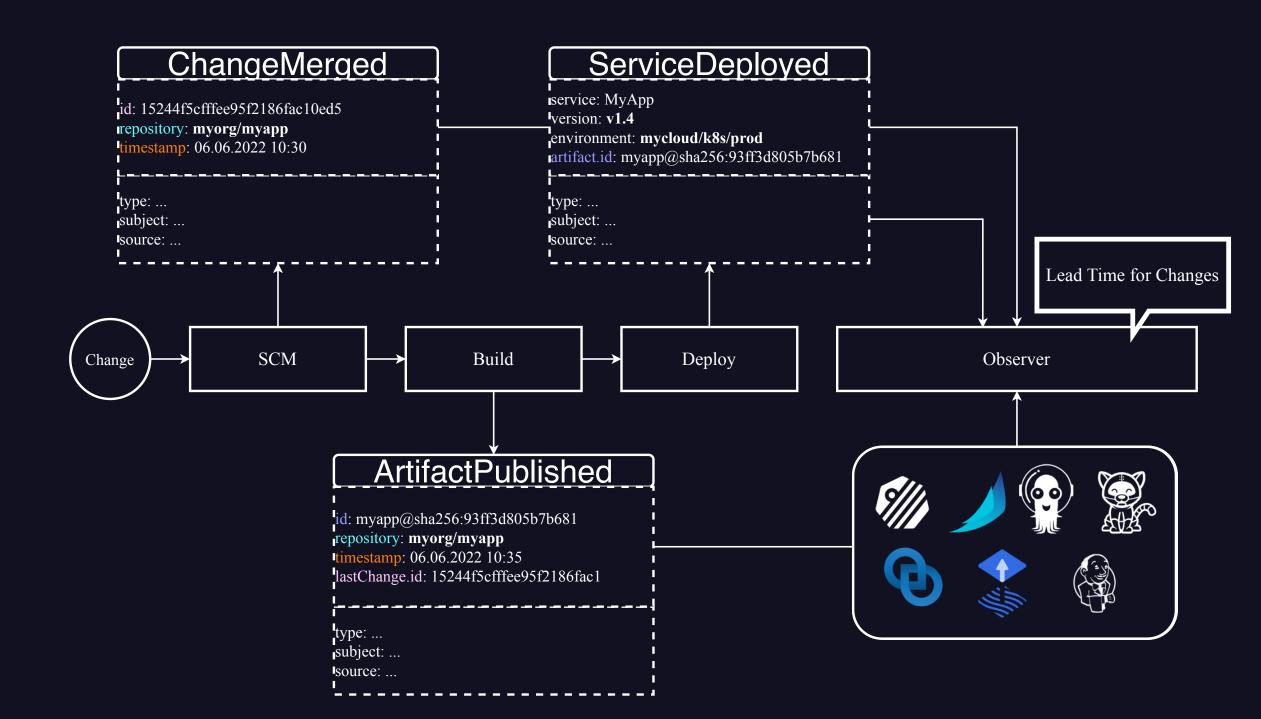
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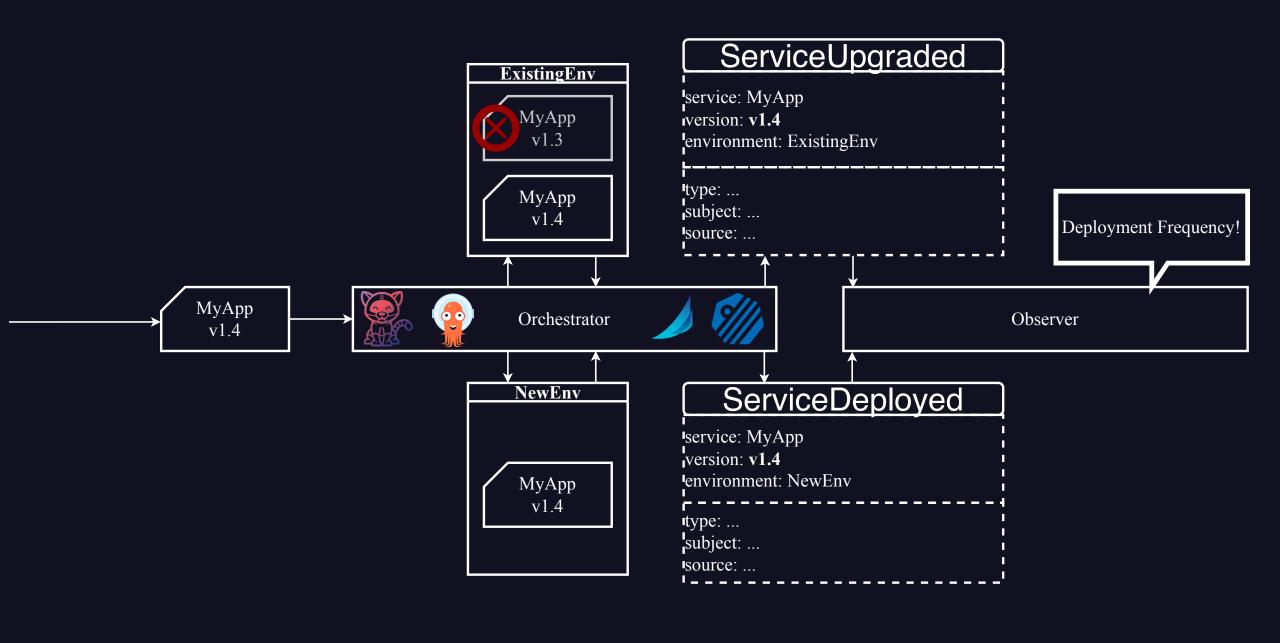






Change Failure Rate

Deployments / # Incidents



Incidents

What can cause an incident?

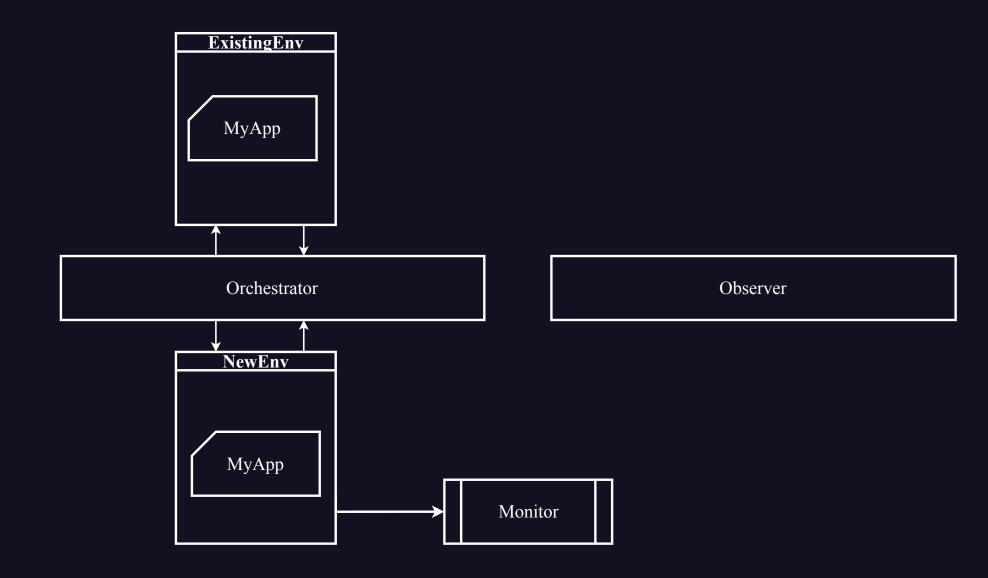
- Application error (bug!)
- Configuration error
- Environment error

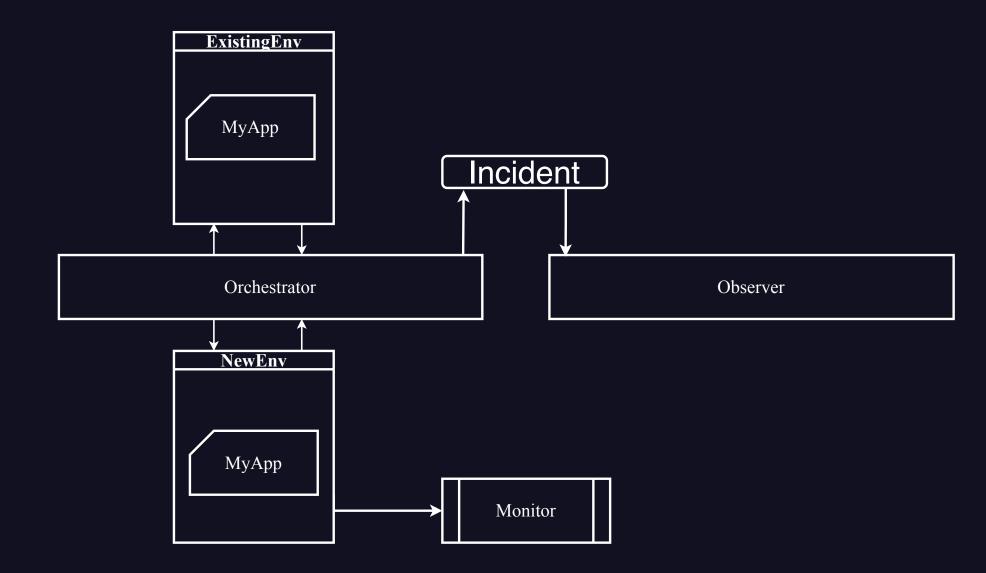
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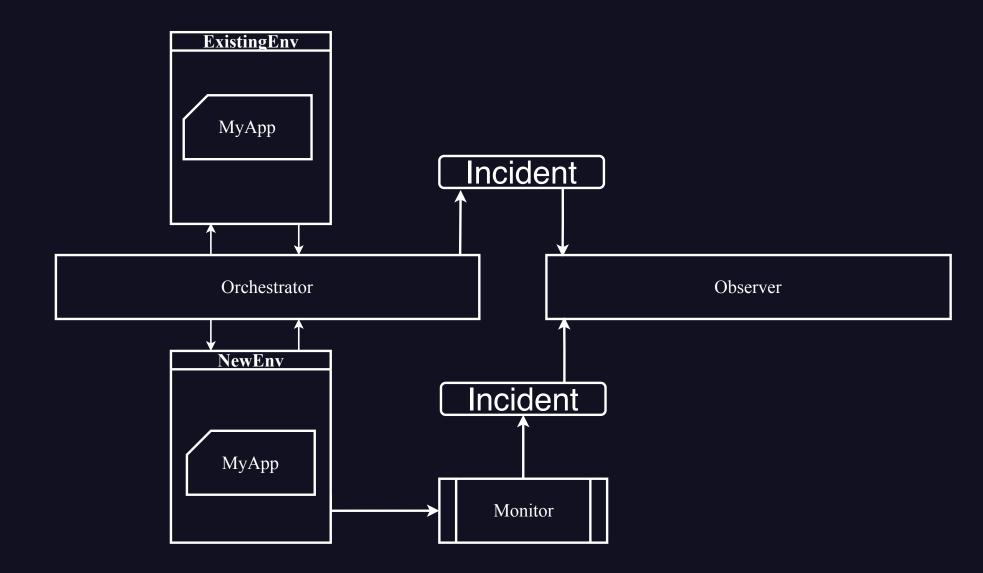
Who can discover an incident?

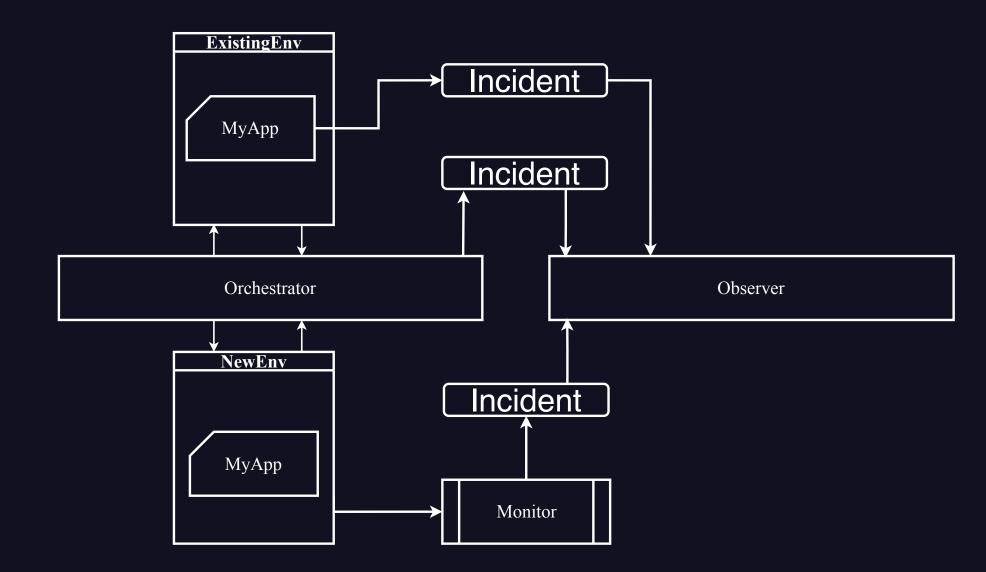
- Orchestrator
- Monitoring system
- Application itself
- Users / DevOps team

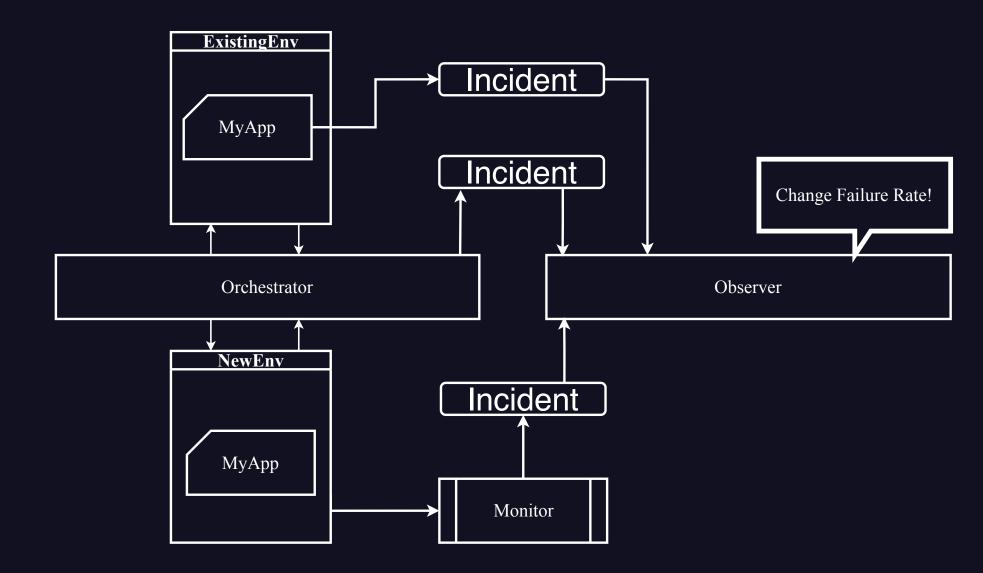
Send an Incident event!









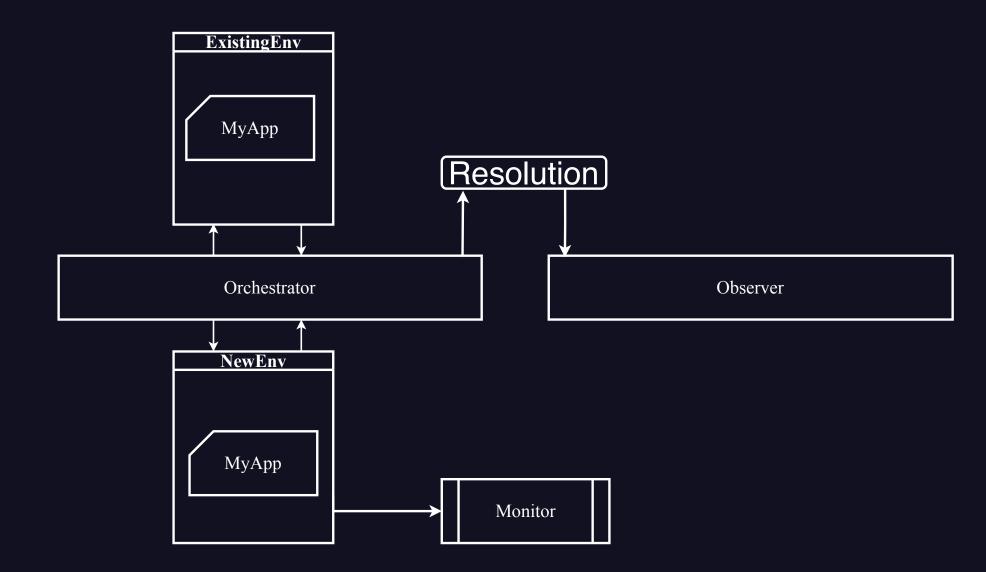


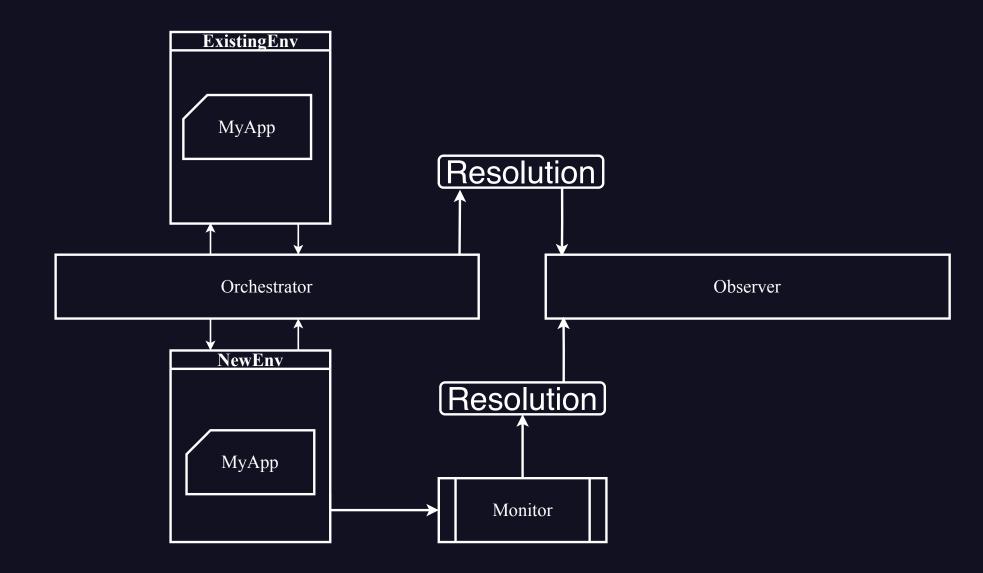
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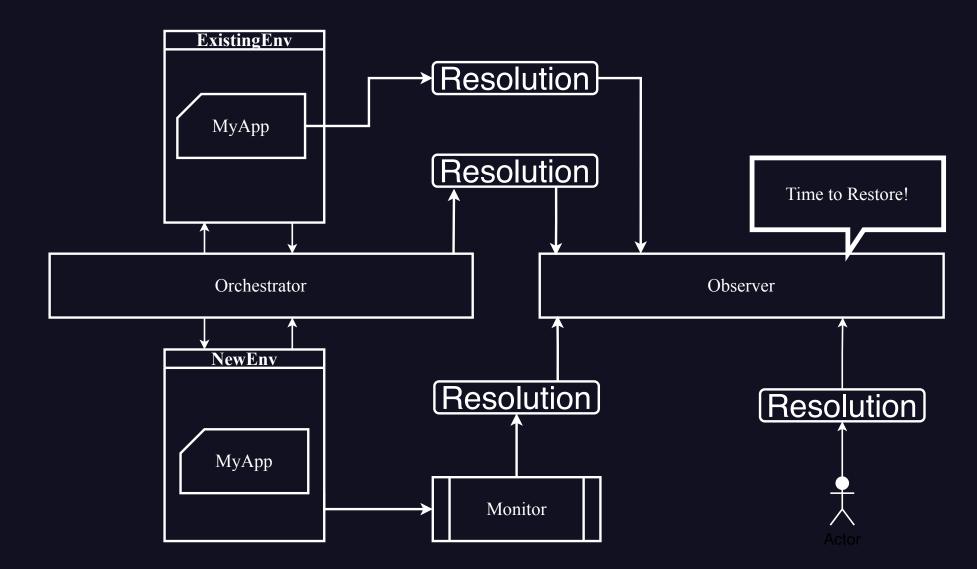
What can restore the service?

- A rollback or deployment of a newer version
- Configuration change (e.g. scaling)
- A change to an external dependency

Who generates the events?







Key takeaways

Metrics are tricky

A common language helps!

A call to action

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Thank you!

Questions?

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