

Enabling Technologies

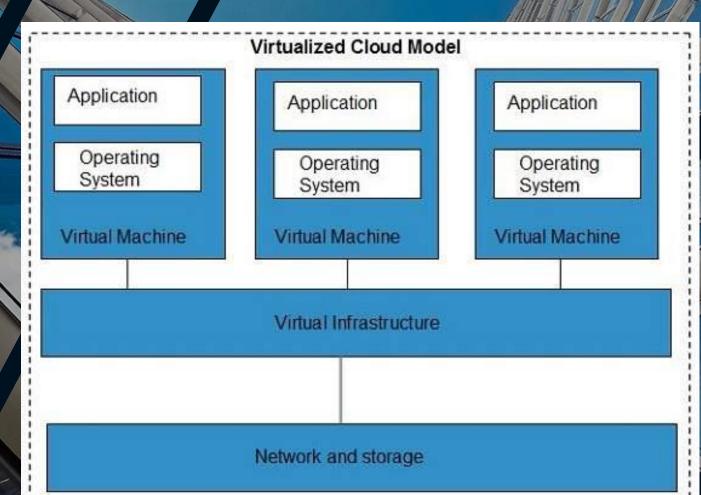
- Virtualization & Multitenancy
- Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA)
- Grid Computing
- Utility Computing

Virtualization

- Allows to share single physical instance of an application or resource among multiple organizations or tenants (customers).
- Assigns a logical name to a physical resource and providing a pointer to that physical resource on demand.







Virtualization

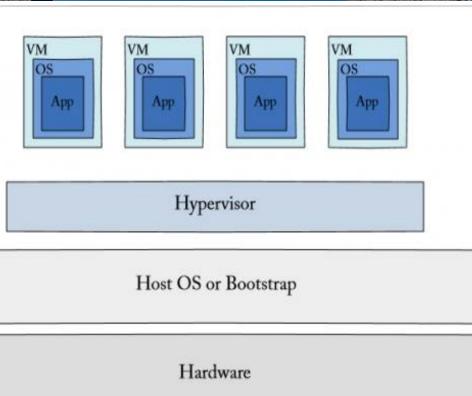
 Creating a virtual machine over existing operating system and hardware is referred as Hardware Virtualization.

The machine on which the virtual machine is created is known as host machine.

 The virtual machine is referred as guest machine.

 This virtual machine is managed a software or firmware, which is known as hypervisor.

Virtualization



Hypervisor

 The hypervisor is a firmware or lowlevel program that acts as a Virtual Machine Manager.

- Type 1
- Type 2

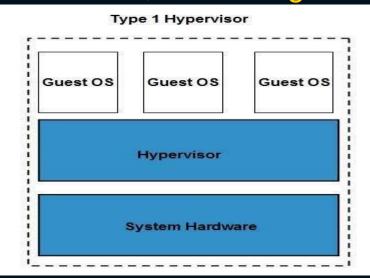


Type 1 Hypervisor

Executes on bare system.

 Does not have any host operating system.

 LynxSecure, RTS Hypervisor, Oracle VM, VirtualLogic VLX

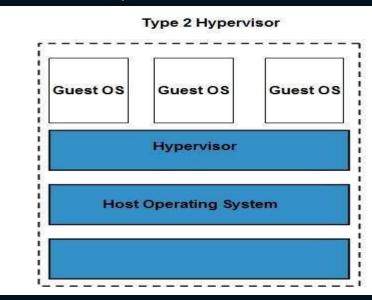




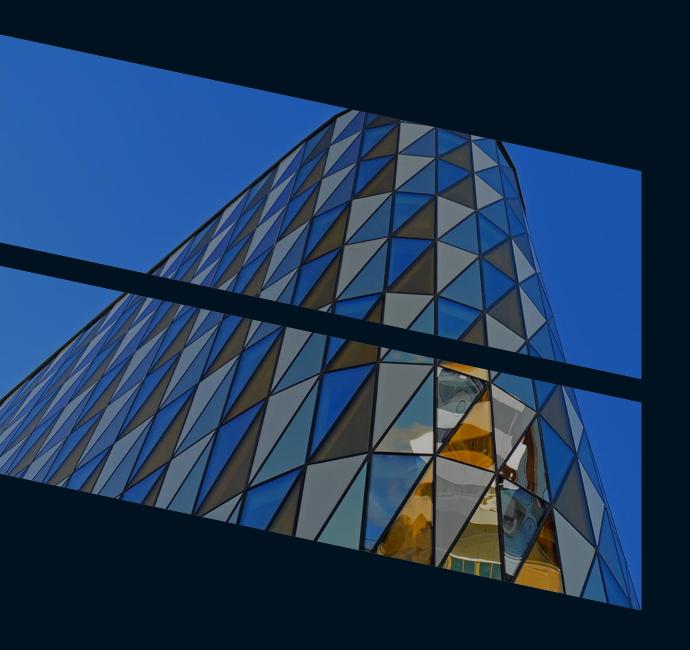
Type 2 Hypervisor

• Software interface that emulates the devices with which a system normally interacts.

 Hyper V, VMWare Fusion, Virtual Server 2005 R2, Windows Virtual PC







Types of Virtualization

- Hardware Virtualization
- Software Virtualization
- Memory Virtualization
- Storage Virtualization
- Network Virtualization

Hardware Virtualization

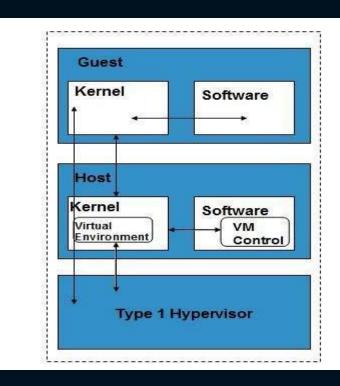
 Involves embedding virtual machine software into the server's hardware components.

Types

- Full Virtualization
- Emulation Virtualization
- Para-virtualization

Full Virtualization

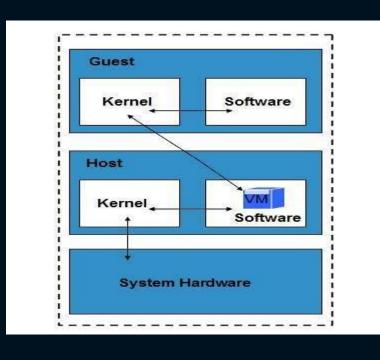
The underlying hardware completely simulated.





Emulation Virtualization

• The **virtual machine** simulates the hardware.

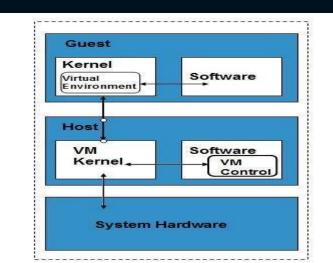


Para Virtualization

The hardware is not simulated.

 The guest software run their own isolated domains.

 The guest and the host are aware of one another.

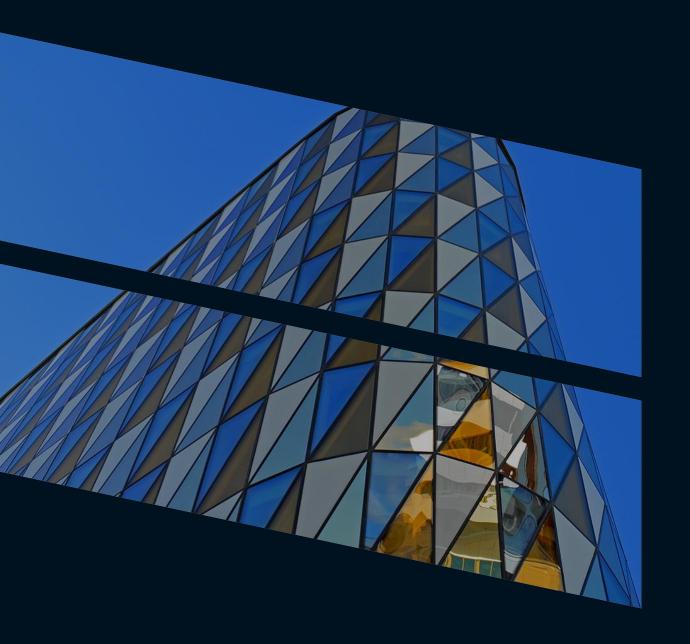




Software Virtualization

- Operating system
- Application virtualization
- Service virtualization



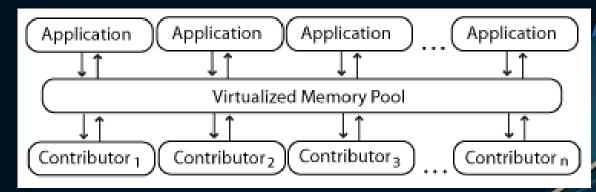


Memory Virtualization

- Introduces a way to decouple memory from the server to provide a shared, distributed or networked function.
- Enhances performance by providing greater memory capacity without any addition to the main memory.
- Types
 - Application-level integration
 - Operating System Level Integration

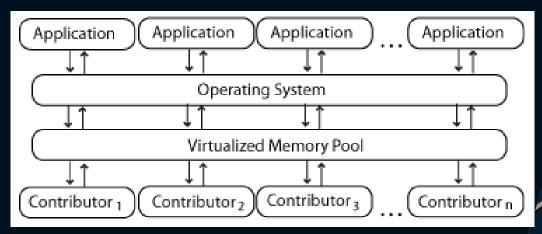
Application-level Integration

 Applications running on connected computers directly connect to the memory pool through an API or the file system.



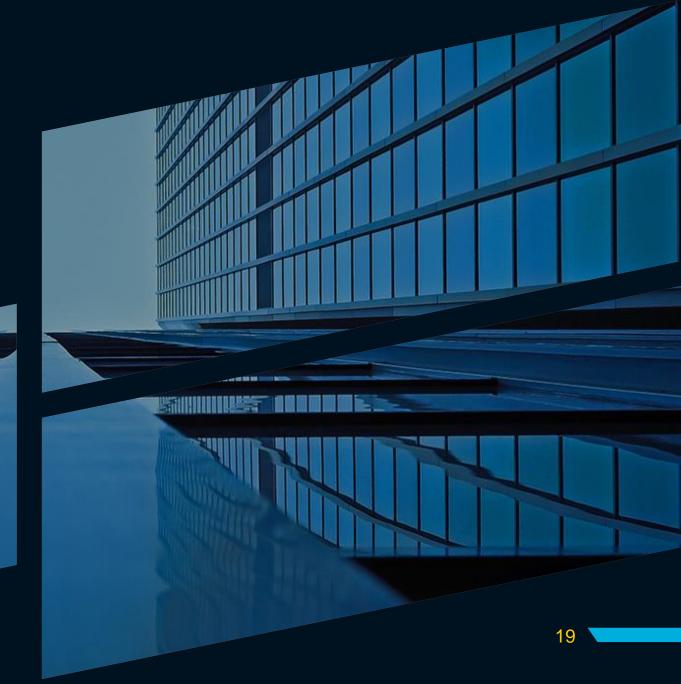
Operating System Level Integration

The operating system first connects to the memory pool, and makes that pooled memory available to applications.



Storage Virtualization

- Multiple physical storage devices are grouped together, which then appear as a single storage device.
- Types
 - Block Virtualization: It works before the file system exists. It replaces controllers and takes over at the disk level.
 - File Virtualization: Storage system grants access to files that are stored over multiple hosts.





Network Virtualization

- The management and monitoring of a computer network as a single managerial entity from a single software-based administrator's console.
- Types
 - Internal network: Enables a single system to function like a network.
 - External network:
 Consolidation of multiple
 networks into a single one, or
 segregation of a single
 network into multiple ones.

 Helps to use applications as a service for other applications regardless the type of vendor, product or technology.

A service:

- Is a logical representation of a repeatable business activity that has a specified
- Is self-contained
- May be composed of other services
- Is a "black box" to consumers of the service

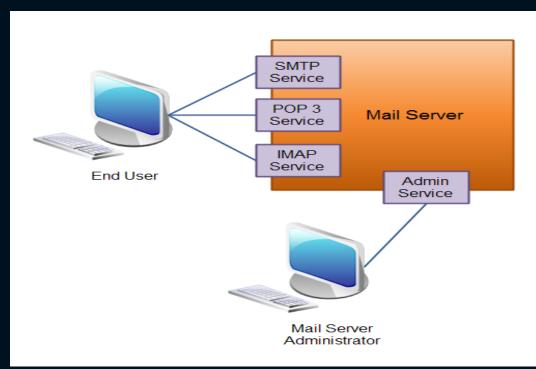


Services vs. Applications

Services	Applications	
Perform a single or a few specialized operations.	Perform a wide range of operations, and may even expose some of these operations as services.	
Most often accessed by other programs.	Often (but not always) accessed by humans.	
Often (but not always) targets part of a larger problem domain.	Often (but not always) targets a whole problem domain.	



A mail server (application) exposing
4 different services.



Advantages

 SOA allows reuse the service of an existing system alternately building the new system.

It allows plugging in new services or upgrading existing services to place the new business requirements.

It can enhance the performance, functionality of a service and easily makes the system upgrade.

 SOA has capability to adjust or modify the different external environments and large applications can be managed easily.

It provides **reliable** applications in which you can test and debug the independent services easily as compared to large number of code.



Limitations

SOA requires high investment cost (means large investment on technology, development and human resource).

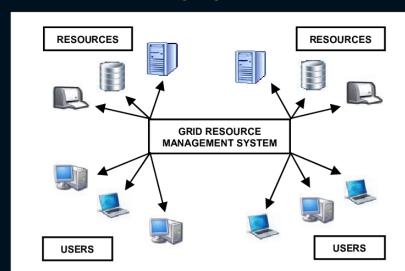
There is greater overhead when a service interacts with another service which increases the response time and machine load while validating the input parameters.

 SOA is not suitable for GUI (graphical user interface) applications which will become mor complex when the SOA requires the heavy d exchange.

Grid Computing

 Grid Computing refers to distributed computing, in which a group of computers from multiple locations are connected with each other to achieve a common objective.

In a basic grid computing system, every computer can access the resources of every other computer belonging to the network.





Grid Computing

BASIS FOR COMPARISON	CLOUD COMPUTING	GRID COMPUTING
Application focus	business and web-based applications.	Collaborative purposes.
Architecture used	Client-server	Distributed computing
Management	Centralized	Decentralized
Business model	Pay per use	No defined business model
Accessibility of services	High because it is real-time	Low because of scheduled services.
Resource usage patterns	Centralized manner	Collaborative manner
Flexibility	High	Low
Interoperability	Vendor lock-in and integration are some issues	Easily deals with interoperability between providers.

Utility computing

- Pay-per-Use model
- Utility computing is a model in which computing resources are provided to the customer based on specific demand.
- The service provider charges
 exactly for the services provided,
 instead of a flat rate.



