

Starters = Runtime, Boilerplate



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Learning Objectives:

1. Understand what starters are
2. Benefits of using starters i.e., Runtime & Boilerplate

Starter

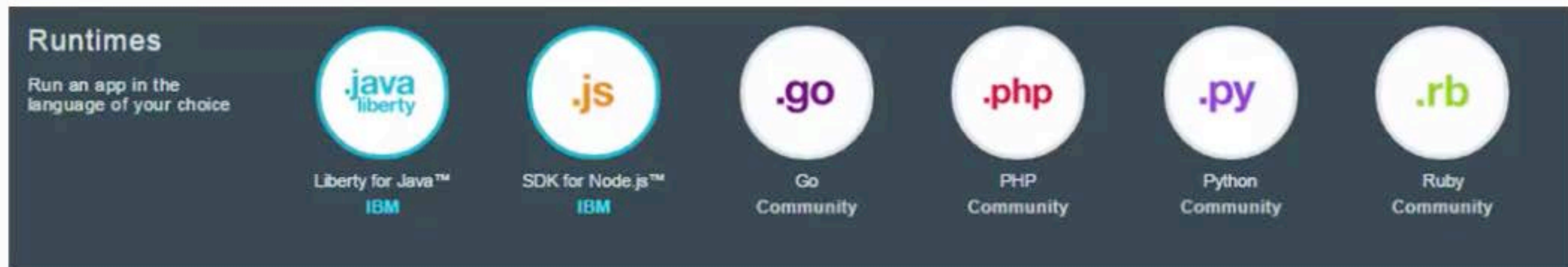
- A *starter* is a template that includes predefined services and application code
 - Higher productivity
 - Faster speed to release
 - Consistency
- Two types:

Runtime

Boilerplate

Runtime

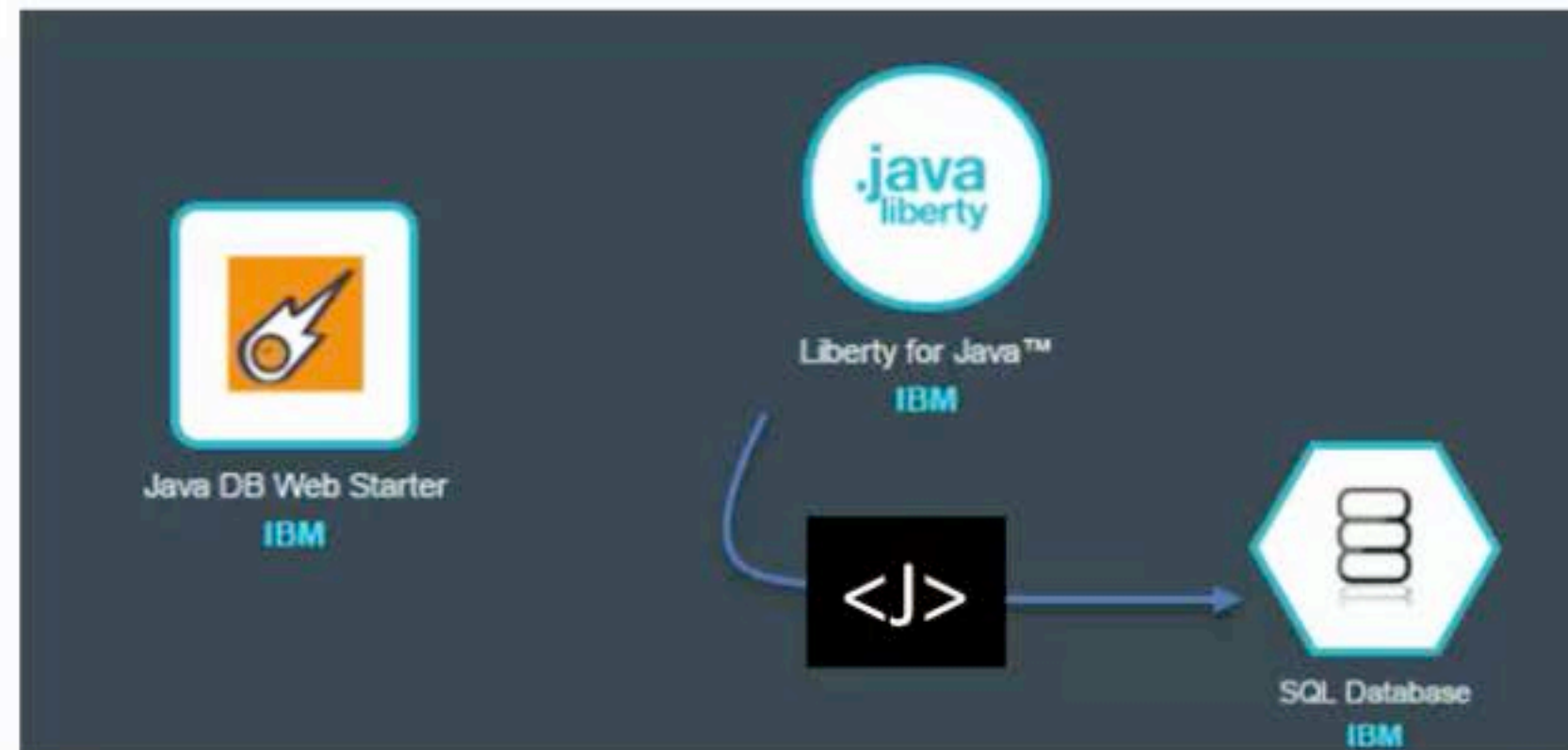
- A set of resources to run your application
- Bluemix provides runtime containers for different type of applications



- Runtime environments are automatically configured
- Runtime = *Buildpacks*; Additional runtimes may be supported

Boilerplate

- Provides a starting point for a specific solution
- Combination of **Runtime** and **Services**



Summary

- Starters are templates
- Leads to faster development, consistency, higher productivity
- Two types of starters:
 1. Runtime
 2. Boilerplate

