



Moby and LinuxKit

What to expect

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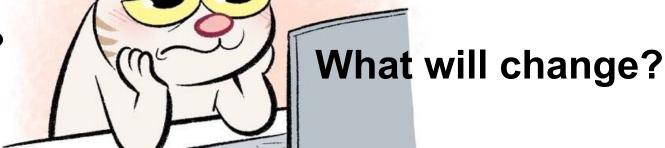
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Docker Captain - Docker Maintainer
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What happened?

What to expect?

Governance?



What's that LinuxKit?

Will I become a Moby captain?



"A platform is only as secure as its weakest components,"











"I want Docker for whateverplatform!,"

— **Me** (whenever I discover any new platform)









LinuxKit a SECURE Linux subsystem

Only works with containers

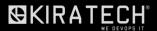
- Smaller attack surface
- Immutable infrastructure
- Sandboxed system services
- Specialized patches and configurations

Incubator for security innovations

- Wireguard, Landlock, KSPP
- MirageOS type safe system daemons
- okernel

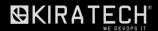
Community-first security process

- Linux is too big for a single company to secure it
- Participate in existing Linux security efforts



LinuxKit a LEAN Linux subsystem

- Minimal size, minimal boot time
- All system services are containers
- Everything can be removed or replaced



LinuxKit a PORTABLE Linux subsystem

- Desktop, Server, IoT, Mainframe
 - Intel & ARM
 - Bare Metal & Virtualized
 - On prem & in the Cloud



Everything is a yaml file: kernel

```
kernel:
image: "linuxkit/kernel:4.9.x"
cmdline: "console=ttyS0 console=tty0 page_poison=1"
```



Everything is a yaml file: init

init:

- linuxkit/init:1c8cd75ec89313f4058b069449e9bac966cd96b1
- linuxkit/runc:b0fb122e10dbb7e4e45115177a61a3f8d68c19a9
- linuxkit/containerd:60e2486a74c665ba4df57e561729aec20758daed
- linuxkit/ca-certificates:eabc5a6e59f05aa91529d80e9a595b85b046f935



Everything is a yaml file: onboot

```
onboot:
 - name: sysctl
   image: "linuxkit/sysctl:2cf2f9d5b4d314ba1bfc22b2fe931924af666d8c"
   net: host
   pid: host
   ipc: host
   capabilities:
    - CAP SYS ADMIN
   readonly: true
```



Everything is a yaml file: services

```
services:
 - name: rngd
   image: "linuxkit/rngd:c42fd499690b2cb6e4e6cb99e41dfafca1cf5b14"
  capabilities:
   - CAP SYS ADMIN
  oomScoreAdj: -800
   readonly: true
- name: nginx
   image: "nginx:alpine"
  capabilities:
   - CAP_NET_BIND_SERVICE
   - CAP CHOWN
   - CAP SETUID
   - CAP SETGID
   - CAP DAC OVERRIDE
  net: host
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Everything is a yaml file: output

outputs:

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- format: kernel+initrd
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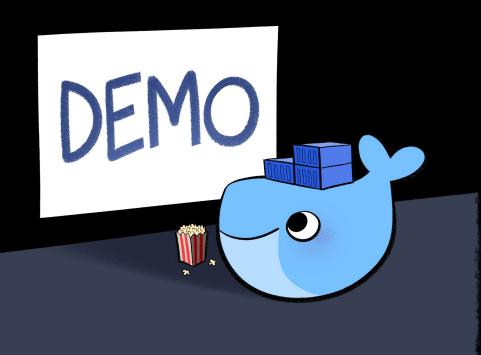
- format: iso-bios

- format: iso-efi

- format: vhd

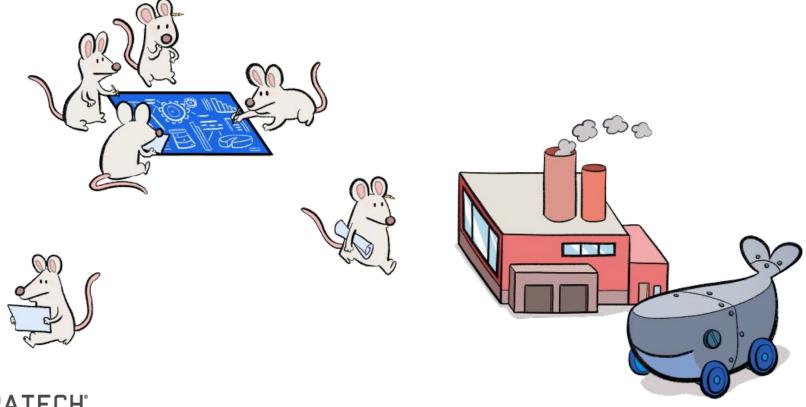
- format: vmdk





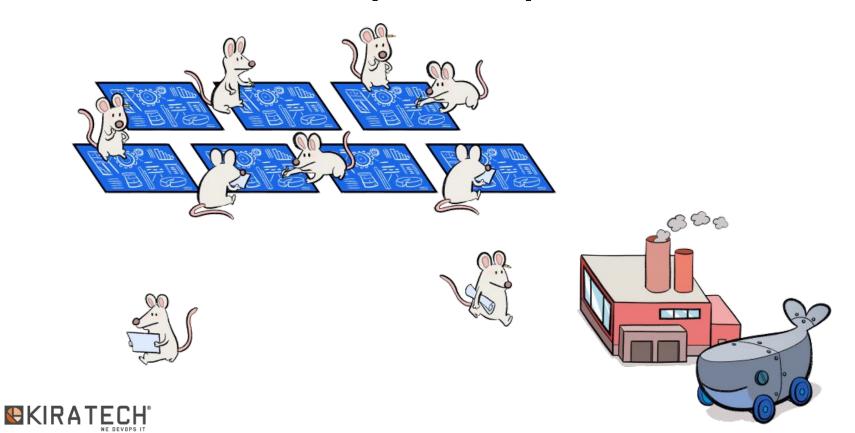
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Production model: Open Source

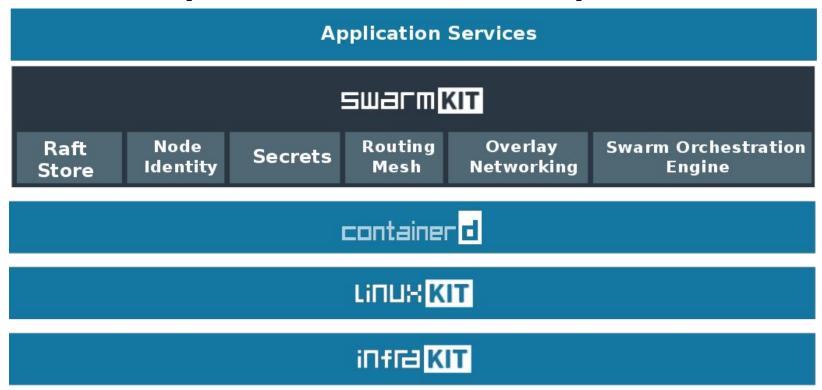




Production model: **Open components**

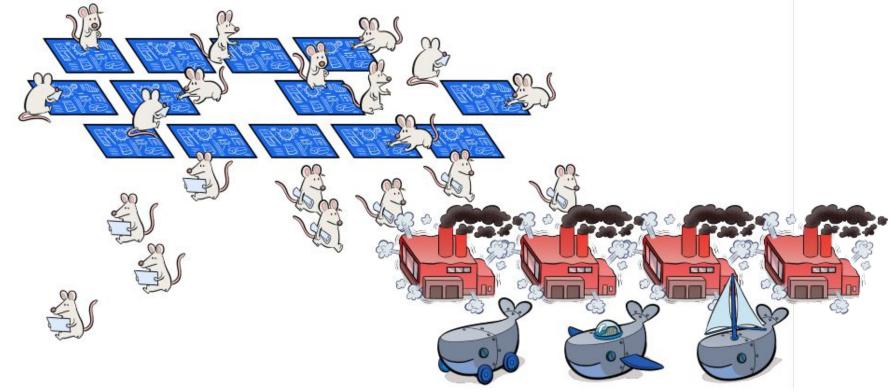


Docker is a platform made of components





The open components model shows its limits...

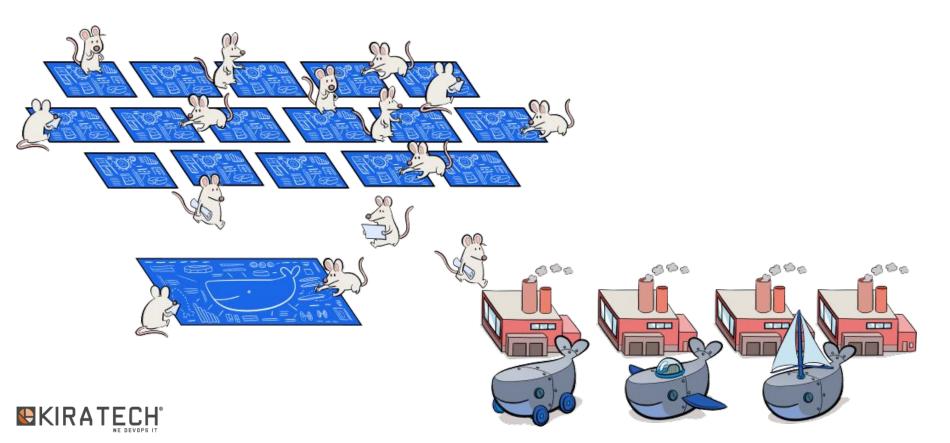








Next level: Collaborating on components and Assemblies

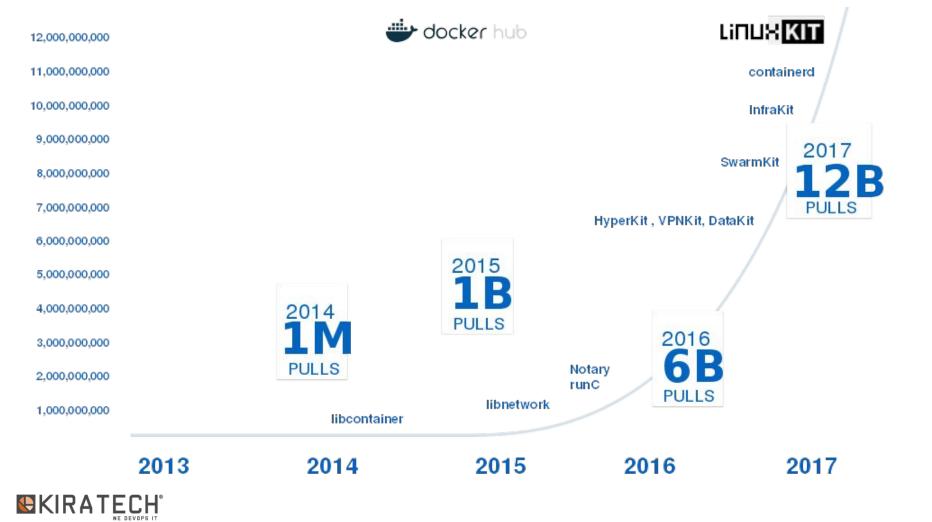


"With going mainstream comes great responsibilities,"

— Solomon Hykes









"A framework to assemble specialized container systems without reinventing the wheel"

- Library of 80+ components
- Package your own components as containers
- Reference assemblies deployed on millions of nodes
- Create your own assemblies or start from existing ones



What Moby means for you as a:

DOCKER USER

Nothing changes for you, your command line remains the same and also anything else.

It's just that now Docker can leverage the ecosystem to innovate faster for you

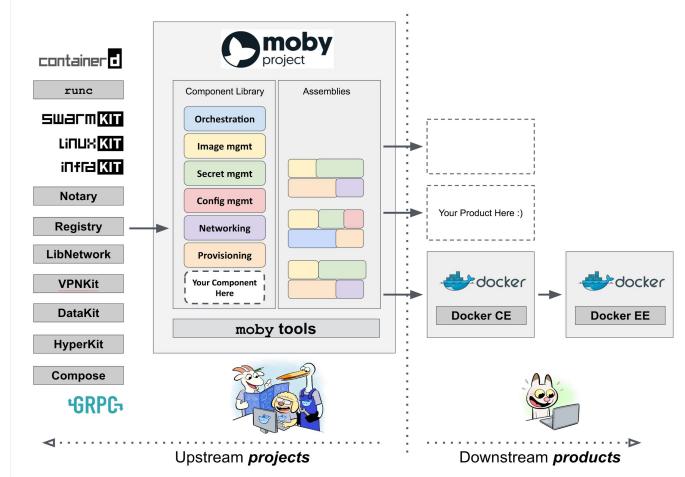
SYSTEM BUILDER

Moby helps you to innovate without tying you to Docker



"The Moby Project is to Docker what Fedora is to Red Hat Enterprise Linux,"











Future plans

- Moby IS NOT going to be donated to an external organization
- Moby will develop a community-driven governance model inspired by
 Fedora
- As **LinuxKit** outputs we will have also **deb** and **rpm**





Thank you!



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