

MICROSERVICES

Lessons from the Trenches

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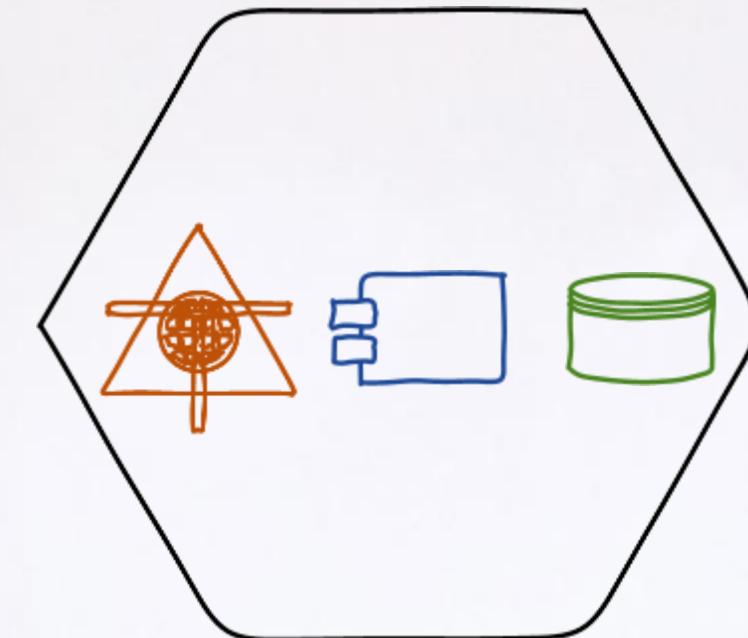


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Agenda

- What are Microservices?
A “Purist” Introduction
- Focus on Architecture
A Pragmatic Look
- Microservices & the Real World
Lessons Learned in the Trenches



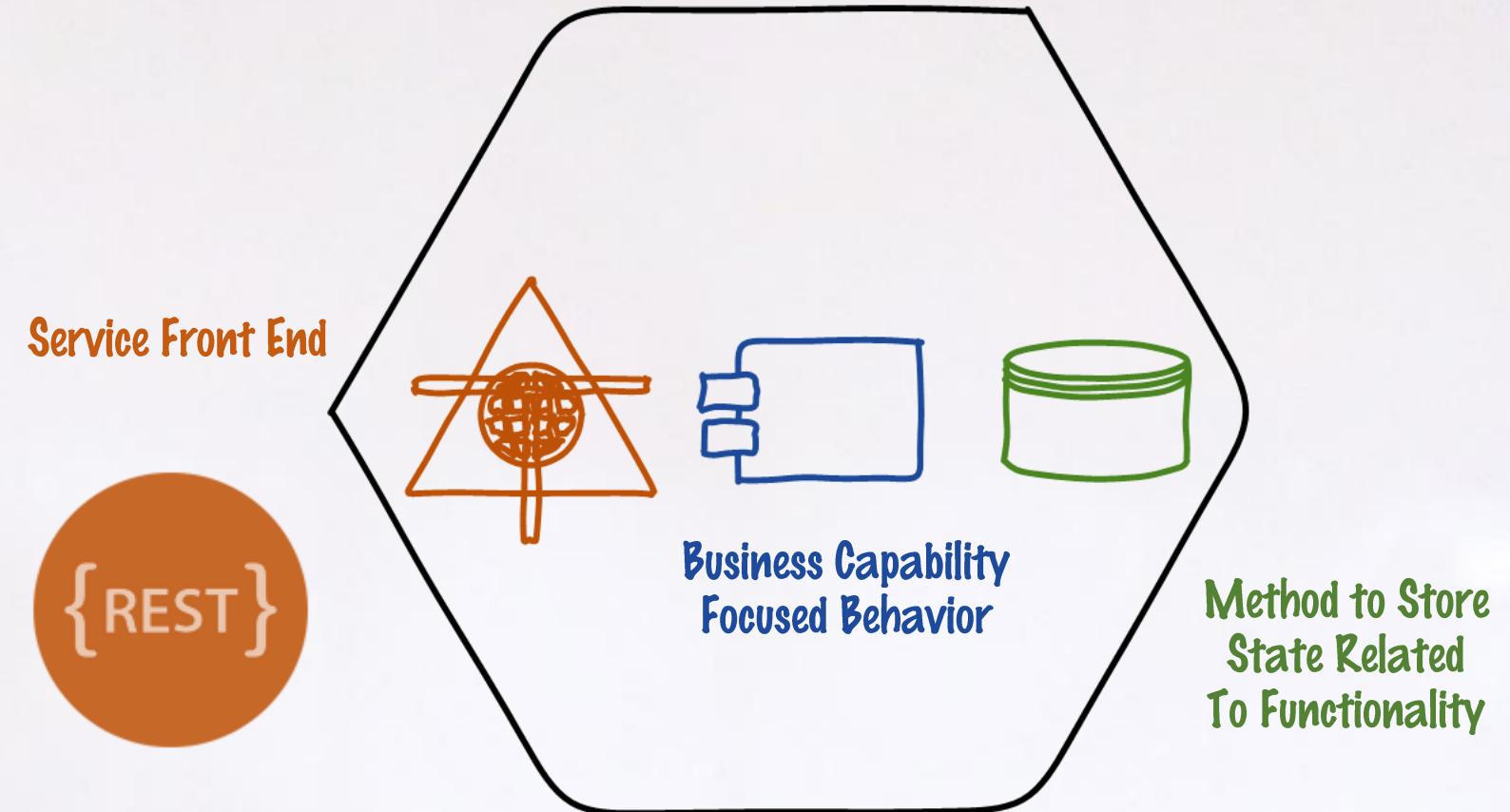
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A "Purist" Introduction

What? In a Nutshell

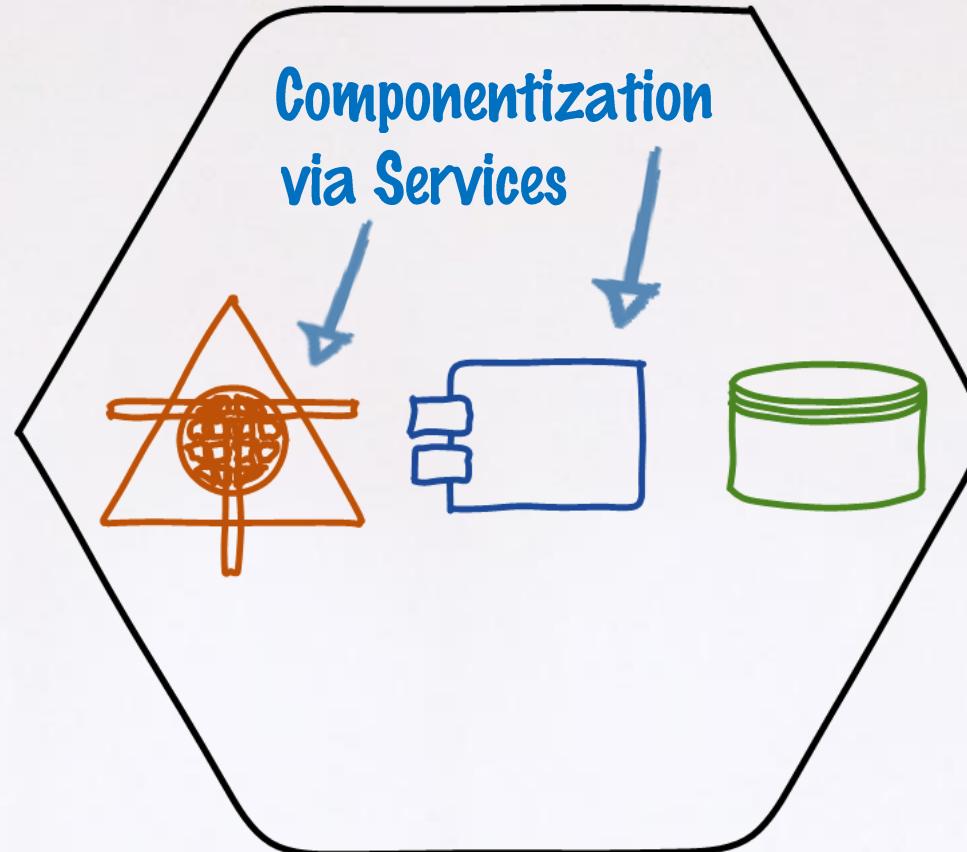
PURIST VIEW

Complete Stack in a Single Product



What? Characteristics

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Sidebar 1

What is a Component?

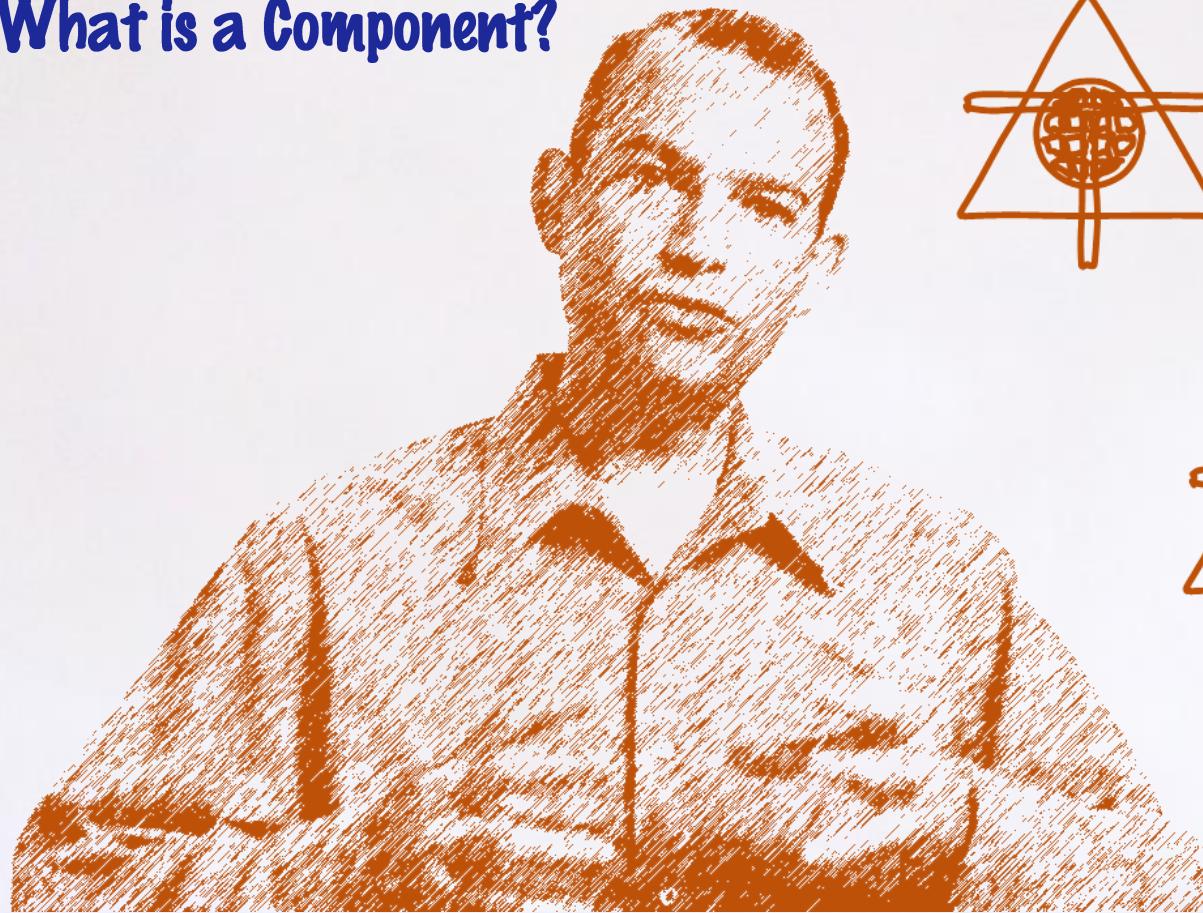
Definition
(contract)

Implementation

Implementation

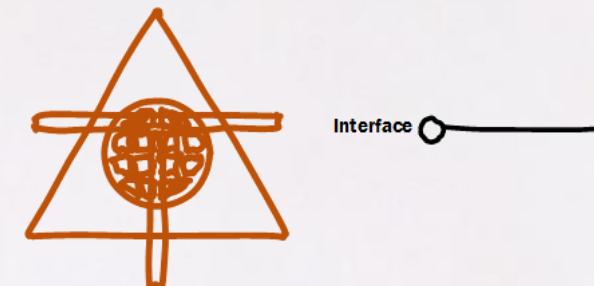
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What is a Component?



Contract

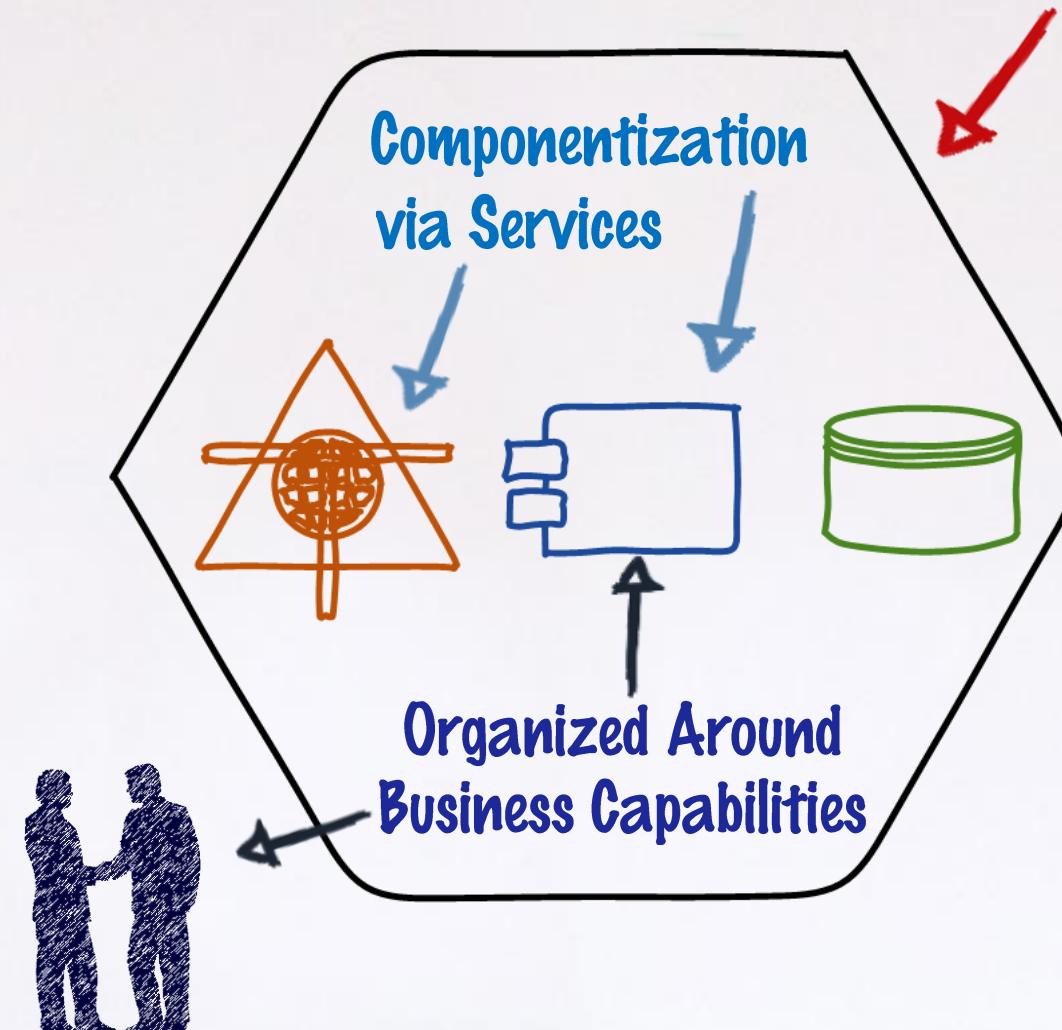
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Products, not
Projects

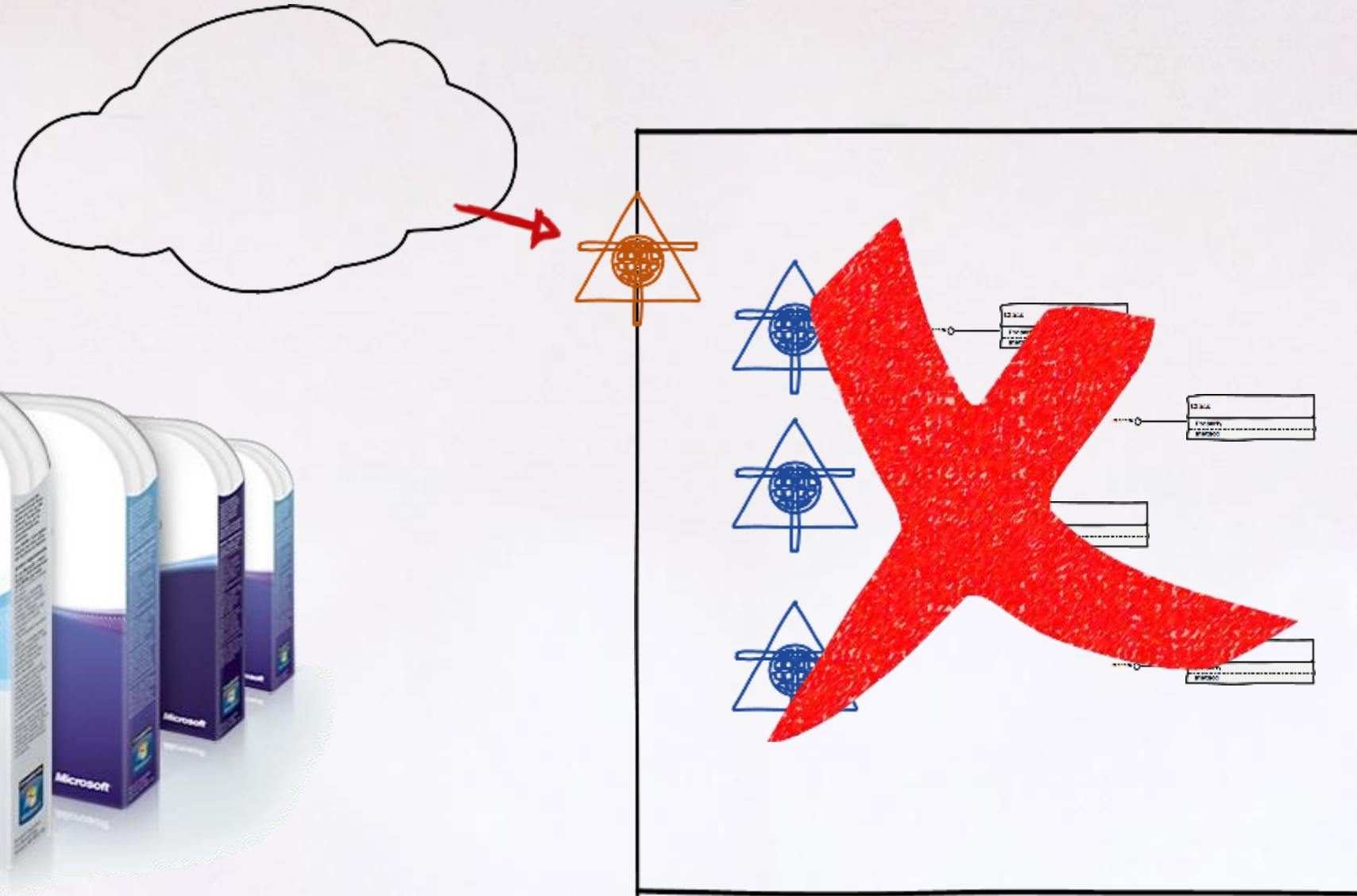
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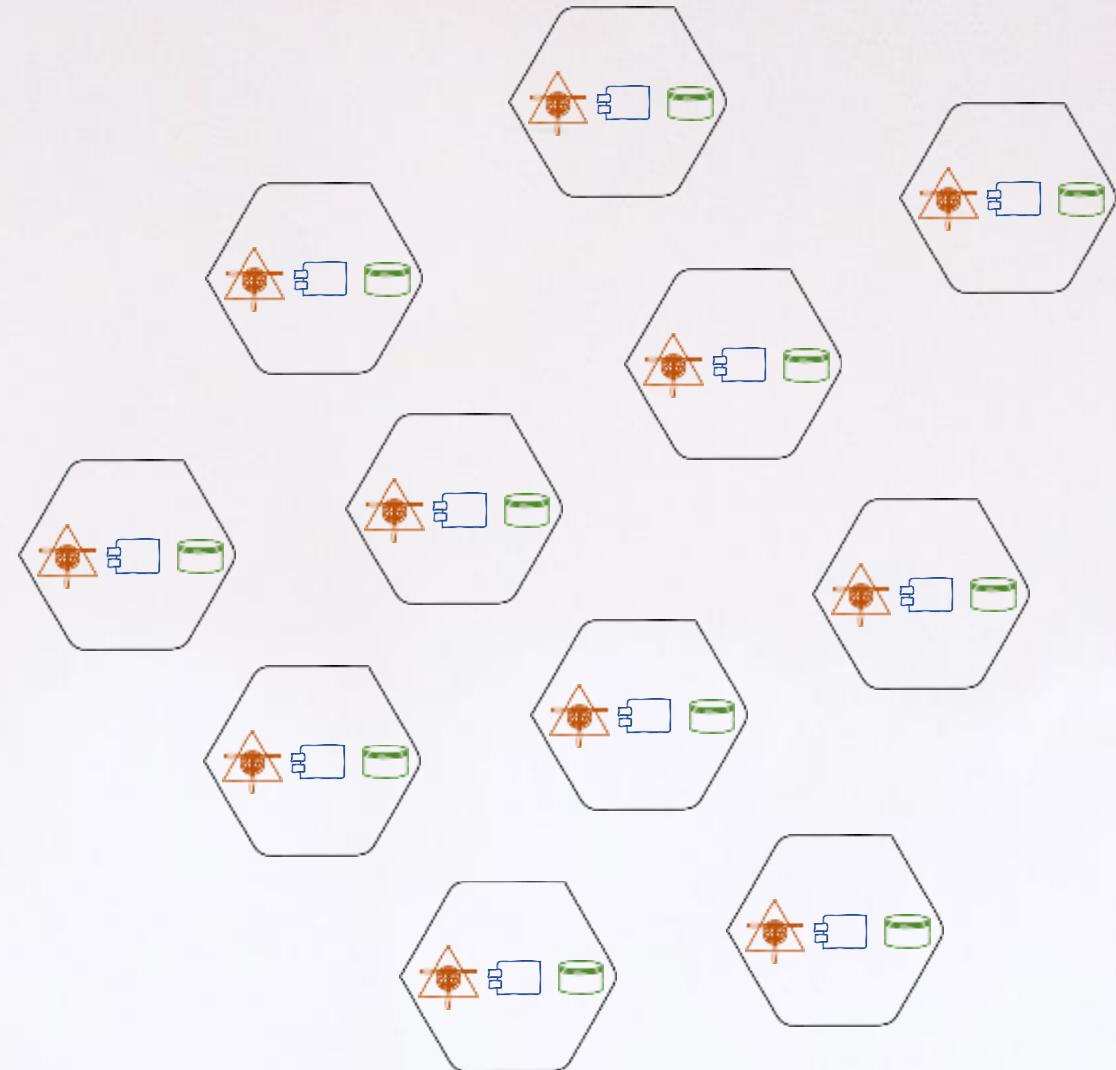
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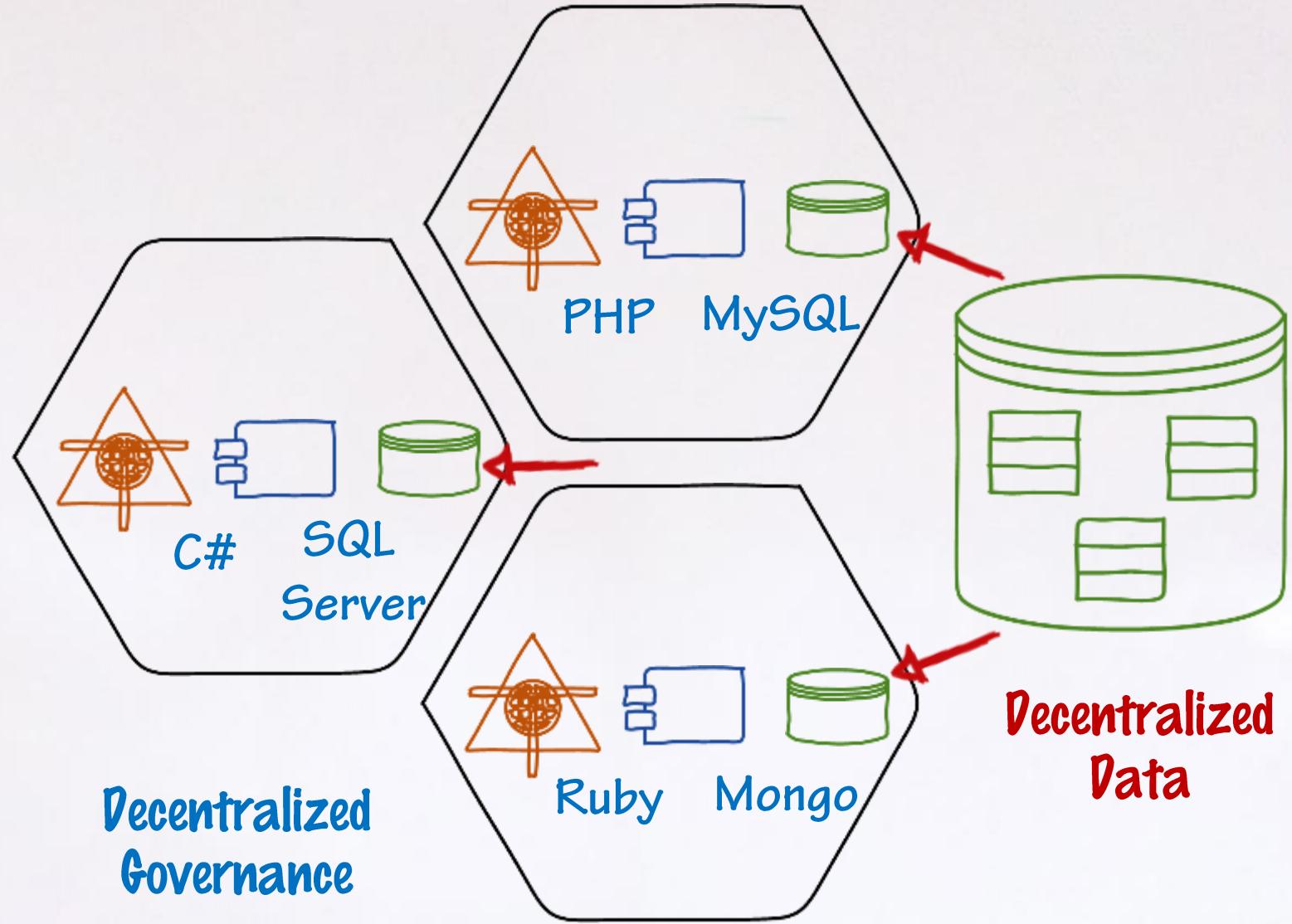
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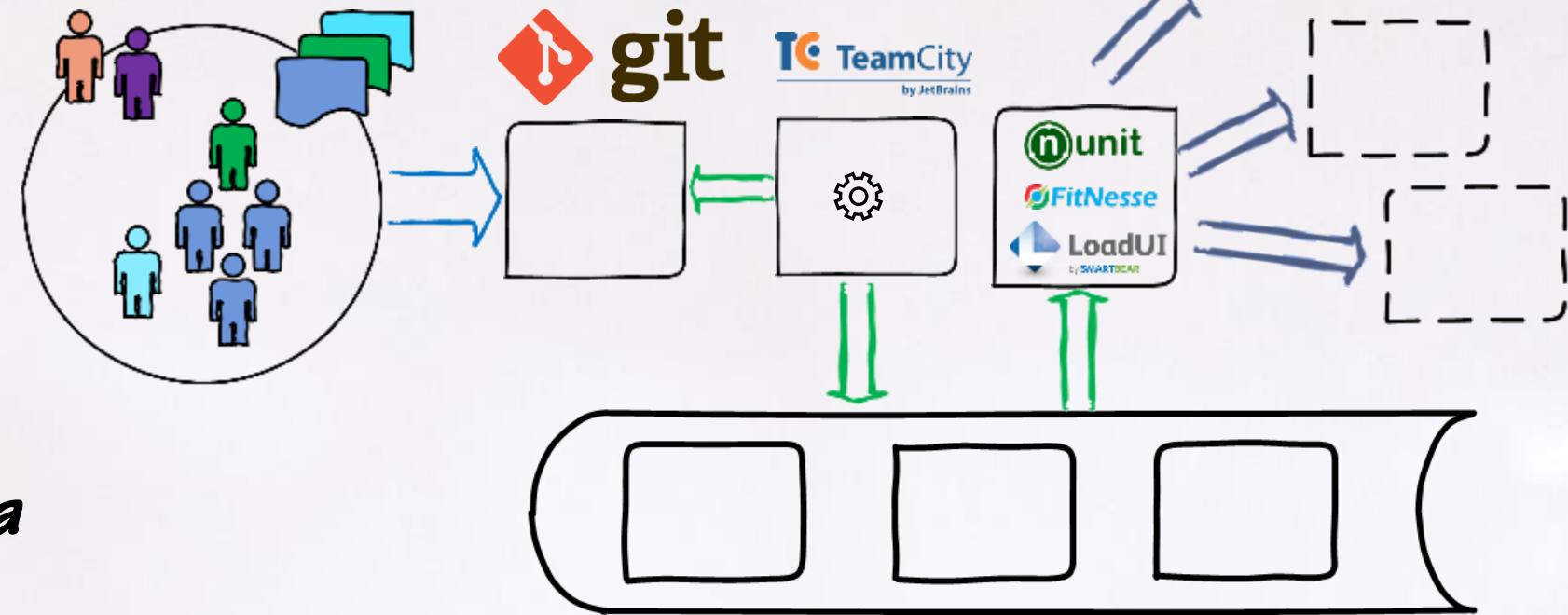
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Infrastructure Automation

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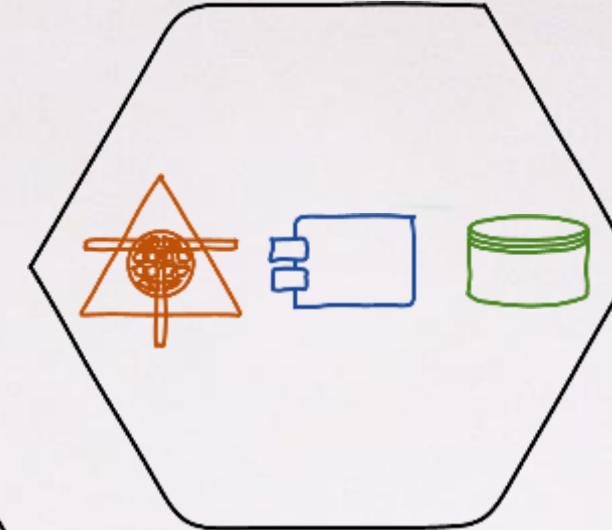
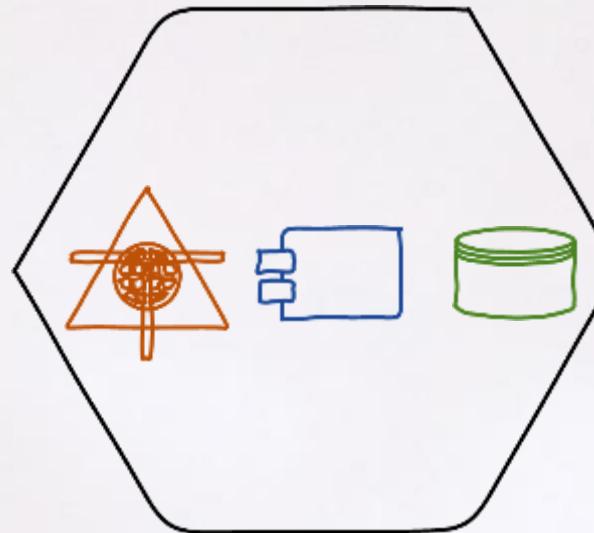
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CODE CAN

Bamboo

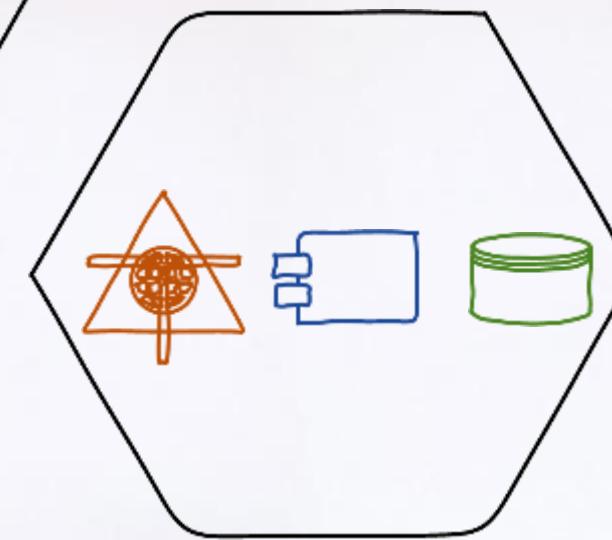


What? Characteristics

Smart Endpoints
Dumb Pipes



RabbitMQ™



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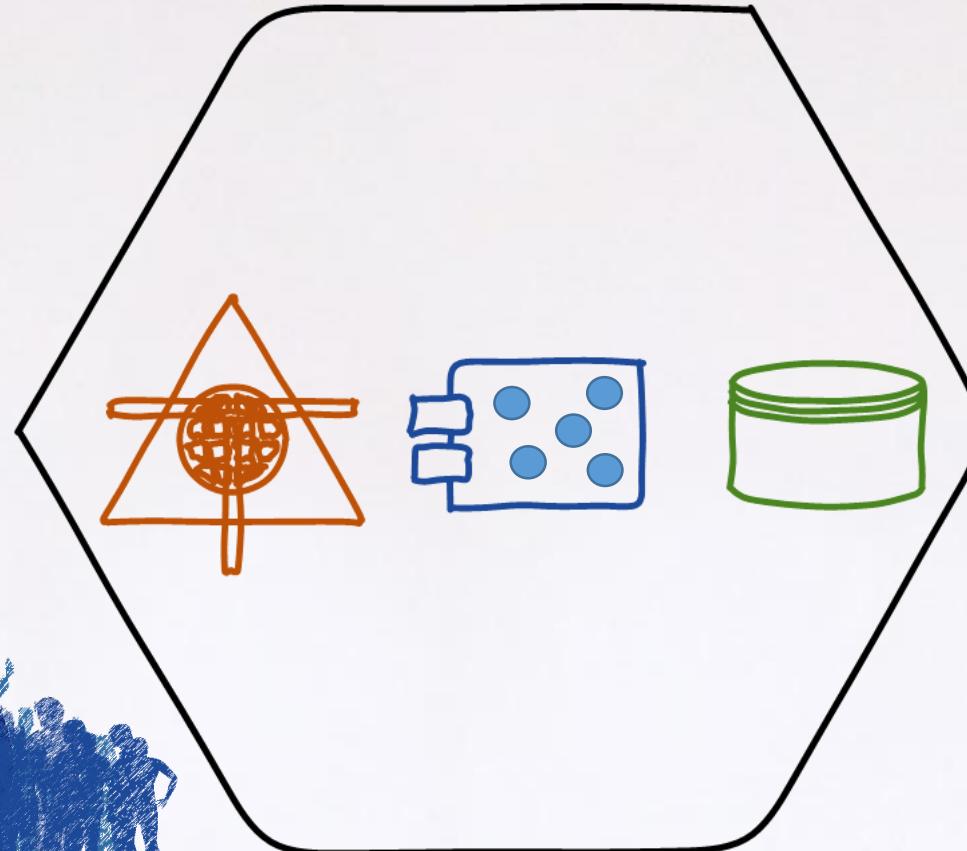
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Evolutionary Design

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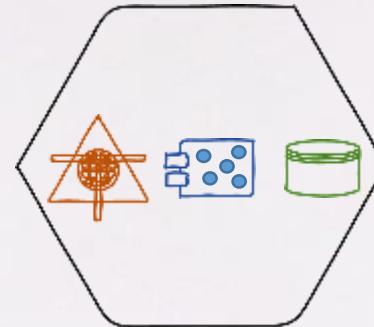


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Microservices

- Componentization via Services
- Organized around business capabilities



Agile Practices

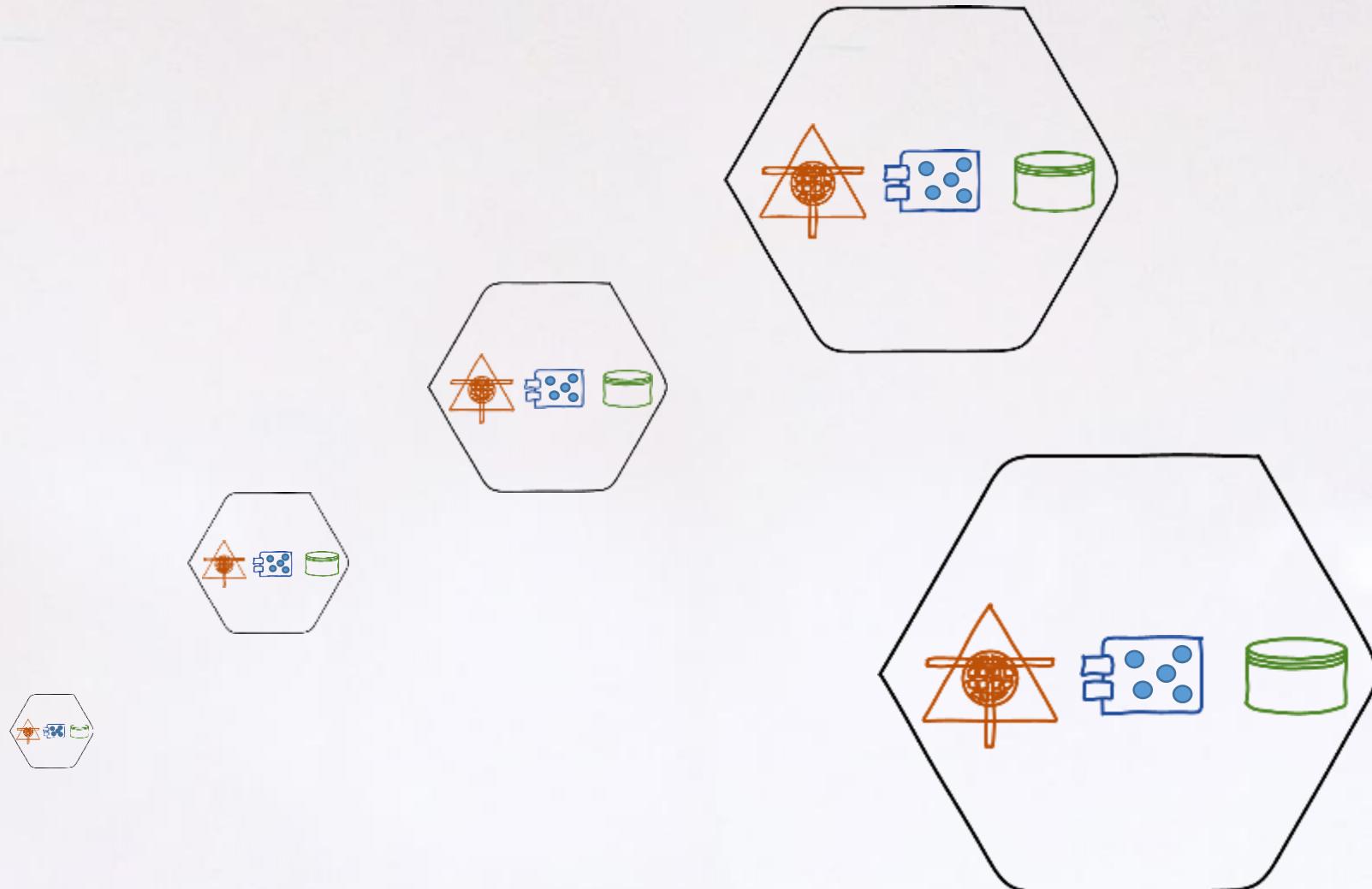
- Products not Projects
- Decentralization (governance, data)
- Evolutionary Design

DevOps

- Infrastructure Automation Smart Endpoints, Dumb Pipes

What? How Big is a Microservice?

It's **not** about lines of code!



If it is not about lines of code, what
is it about?

Business Capabilities

Focus on Architecture

A Pragmatic Approach

Architectural Style

Focus on Architecture Architectural Style

In short, the microservice architectural style is an approach to developing a single application as a suite of small services, each running in its own process and communicating with lightweight mechanisms, often an HTTP resource API

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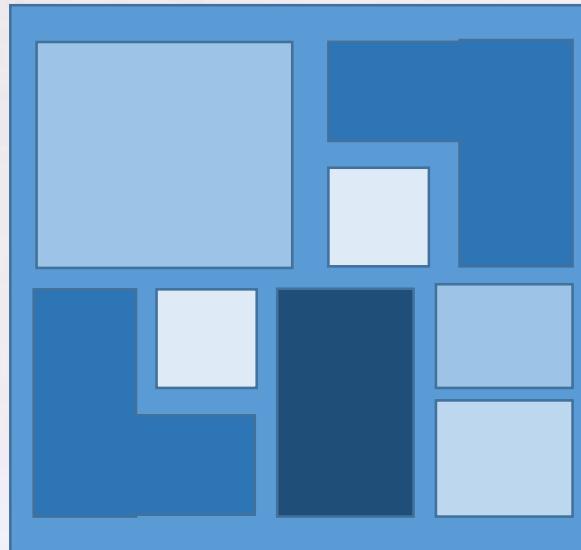
Independent Scale

Flexibility

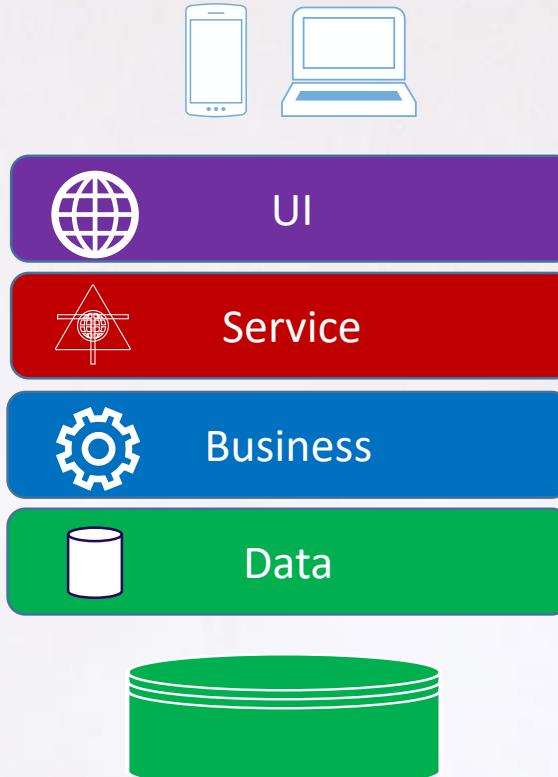
Loose Coupling
Tight Cohesion

Focus on Architecture

Monolith versus Microservices

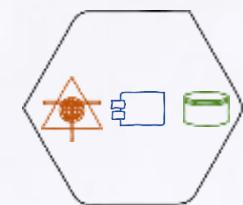
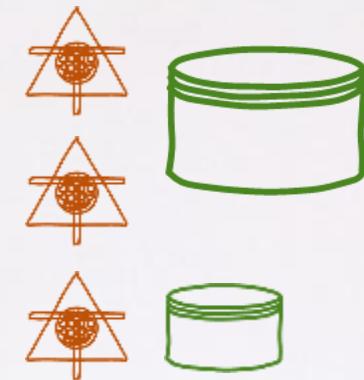


Monolithic Architecture



Layered Architecture

SOA



Microservice
Architecture

In a Properly Architected Solution,
What is the difference between a
monolith and a microservice

Boundaries and deployment methodologies

Focus on Architecture

Microservices are Easy?

- Easy to Understand
- Easy to Enhance
- Easy to Test
- Easy to Deploy

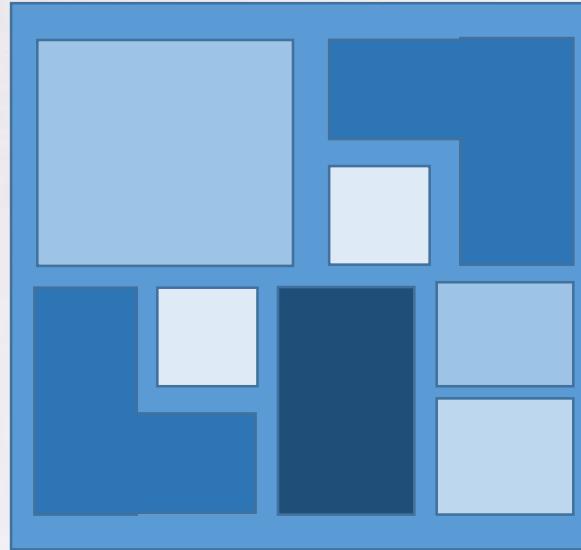
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Microservices are Easy?

Item	Microservice	Monolith
Lines of Code	500	1,000,000
Easier to understand		
Easier to enhance		
Easier to test		
Easier to deploy		

Focus on Architecture

Microservices are Easy?



This is not easy

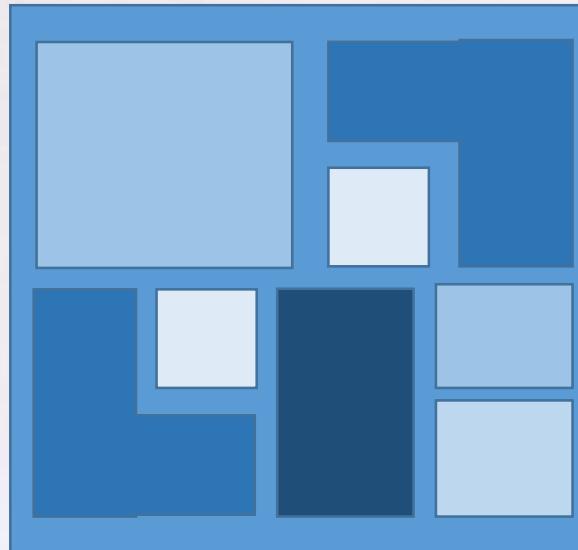
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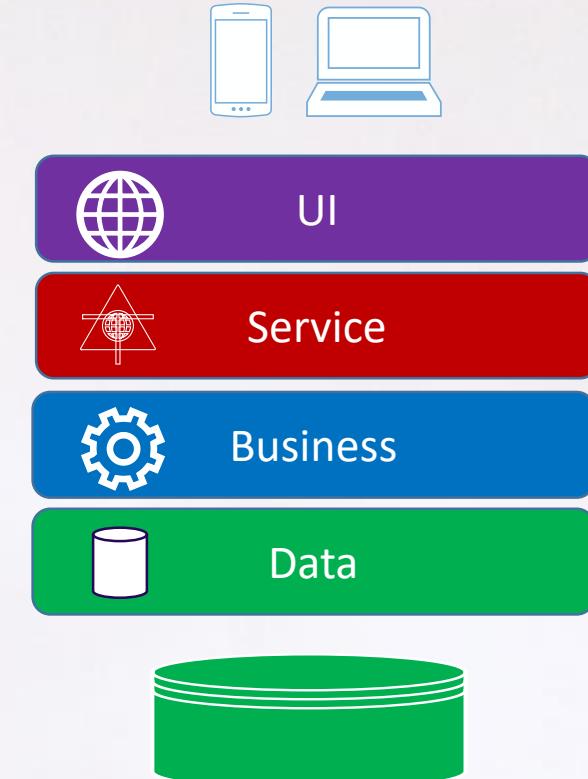
Inner
Complexity

Outer
Complexity

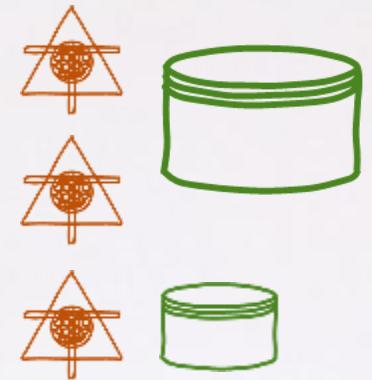
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Monolithic Architecture

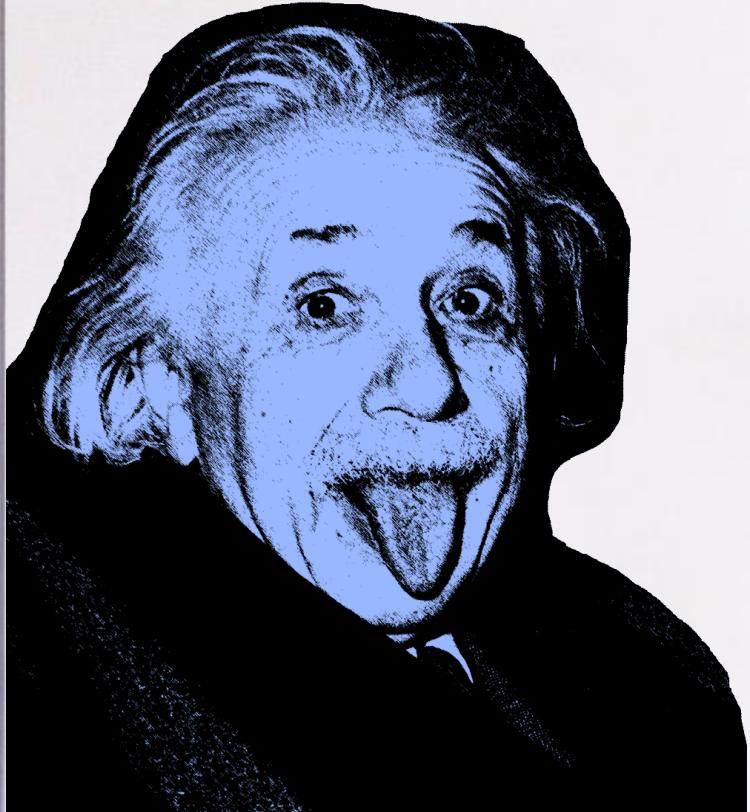


SOA



Microservice
Architecture

Focus on Architecture
Plagiarism



Energy cannot be created or destroyed, it can only be changed from one form to another.

– Albert Einstein

Focus on Architecture Plagiarism



Complexity cannot be destroyed, it can only be changed from one form to another.

– Gregory A. Beamer

Why would you prefer outer complexity over inner complexity?

Because you can commoditize it!!!

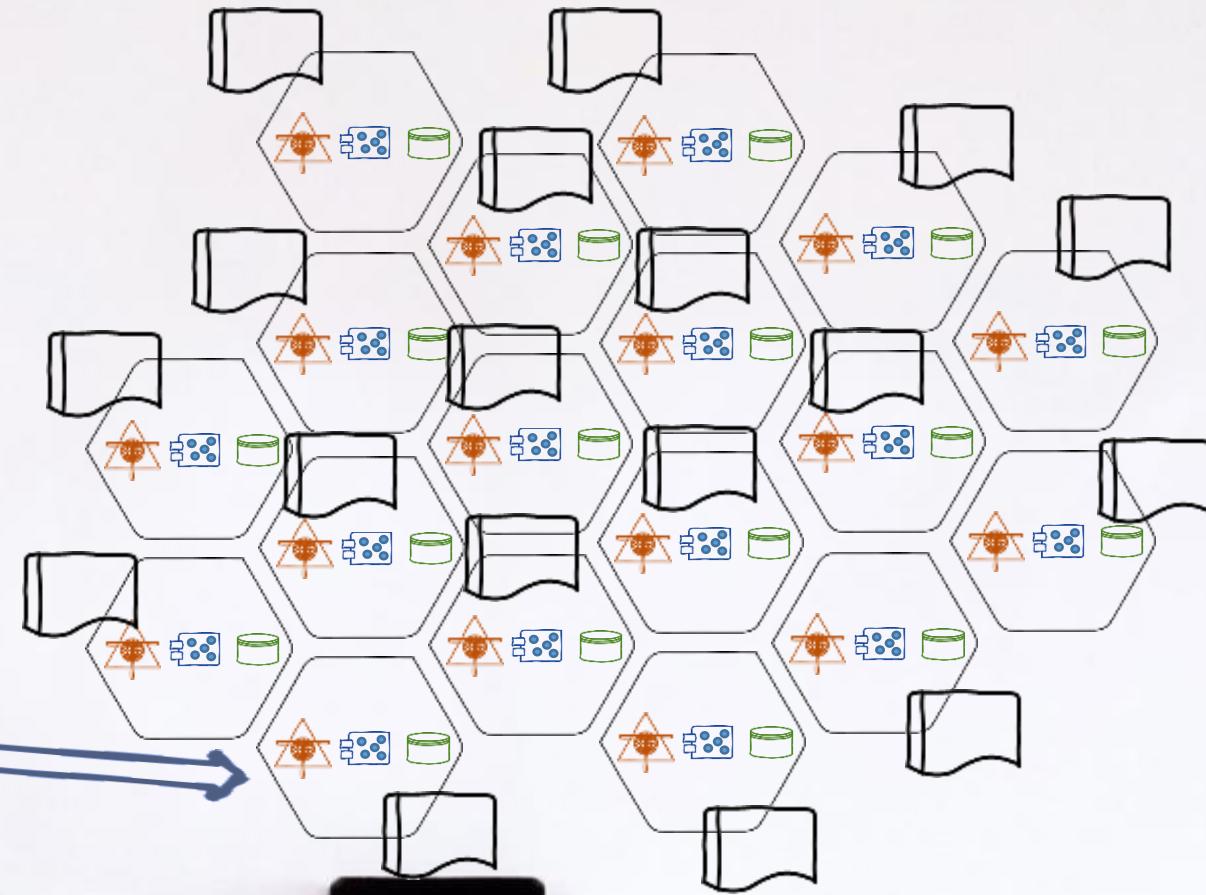
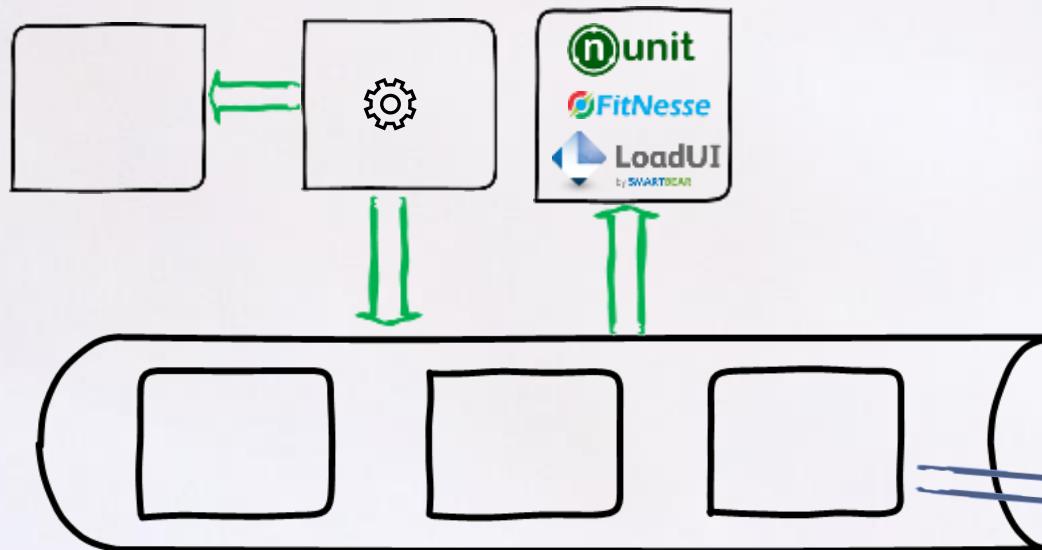


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Focus on Architecture

Microservices are Easy to Deploy?



Why spend all that time automating?

Because your ops people
have better things to do

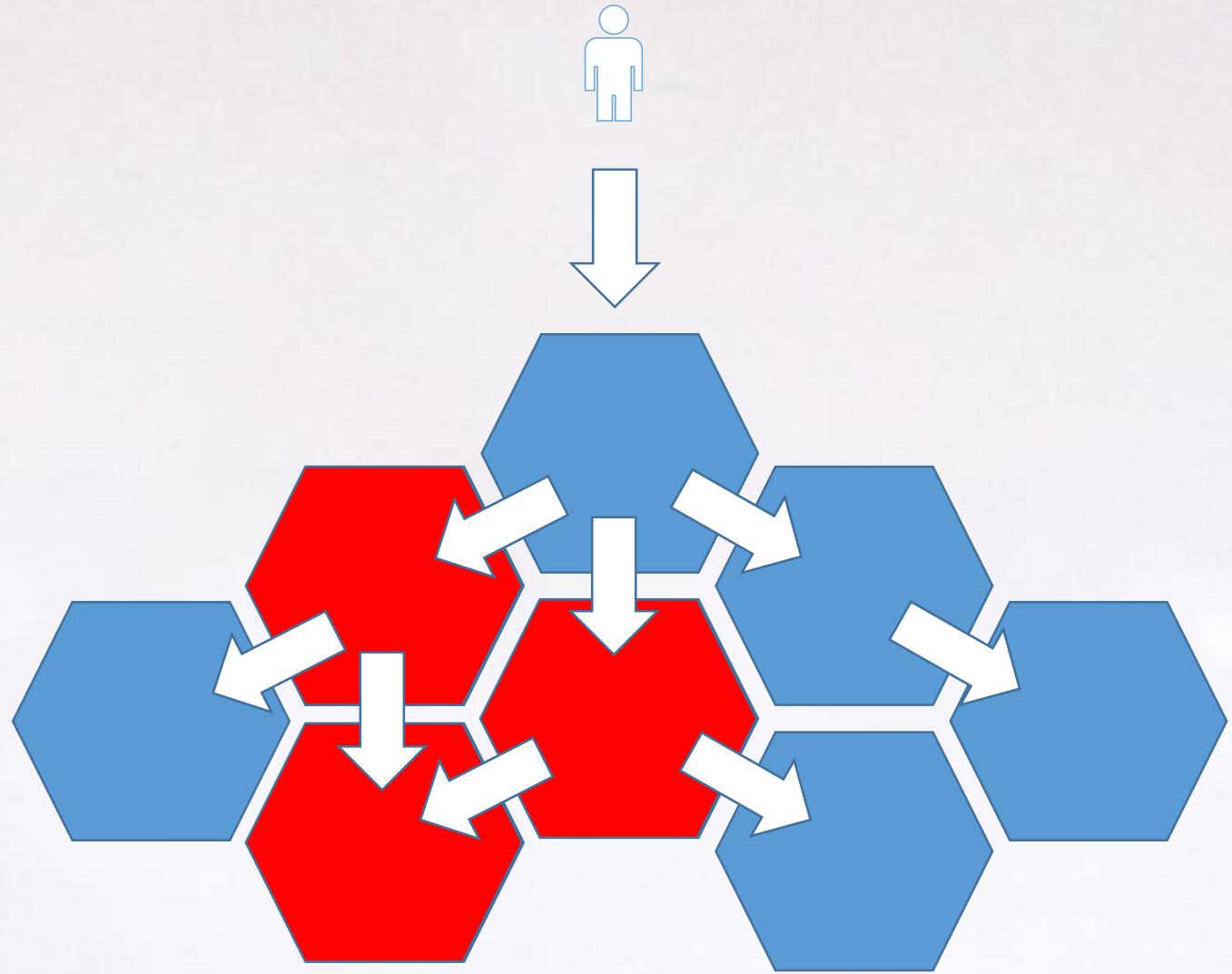
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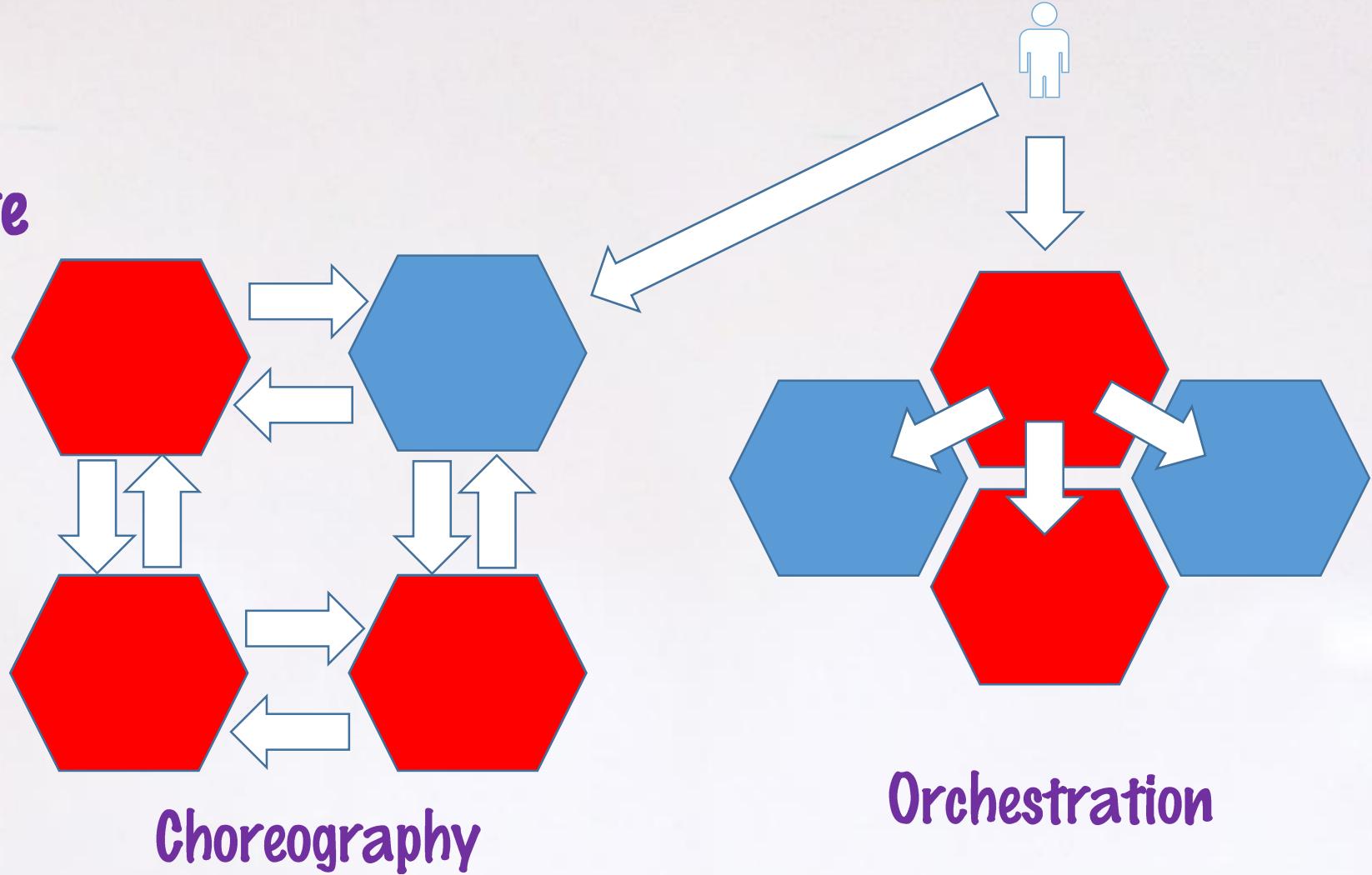
Microservices are Reslient?

Low Impact on Other Services



Focus on Architecture

Microservices are
Resilient?



How do you insure low impact on other services?

Commoditize ...

... and WORLD PEACE!



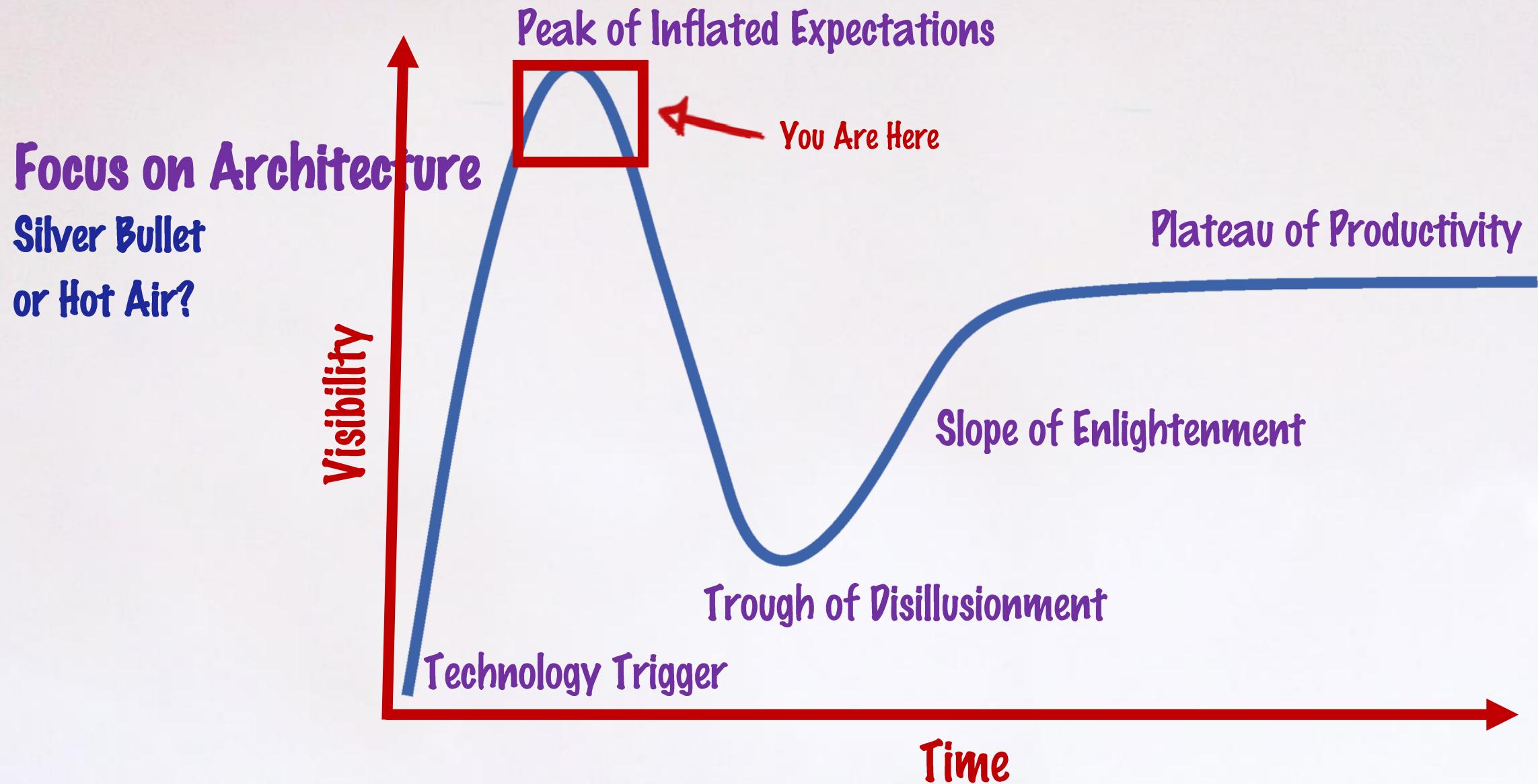
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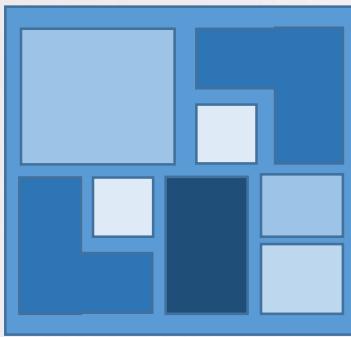
Focus on Architecture Silver Bullet or Hot Air?



Microservices & the Real World

Implementing Microservices

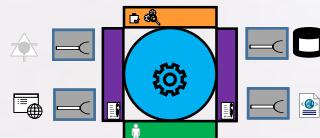
Microservices & the Real World Architecture



Current
State

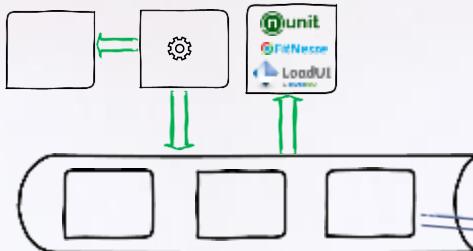
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Business
Focused?

Do You Have
Clear
Boundaries?

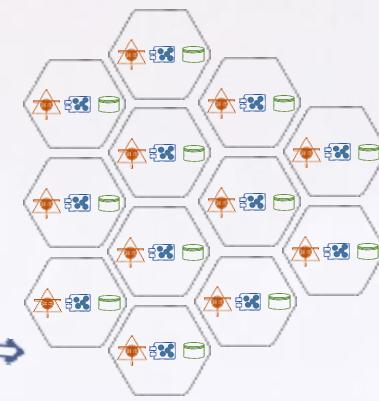


Is the Code
Organized?

Can You
Validate?



Are you
Automated?

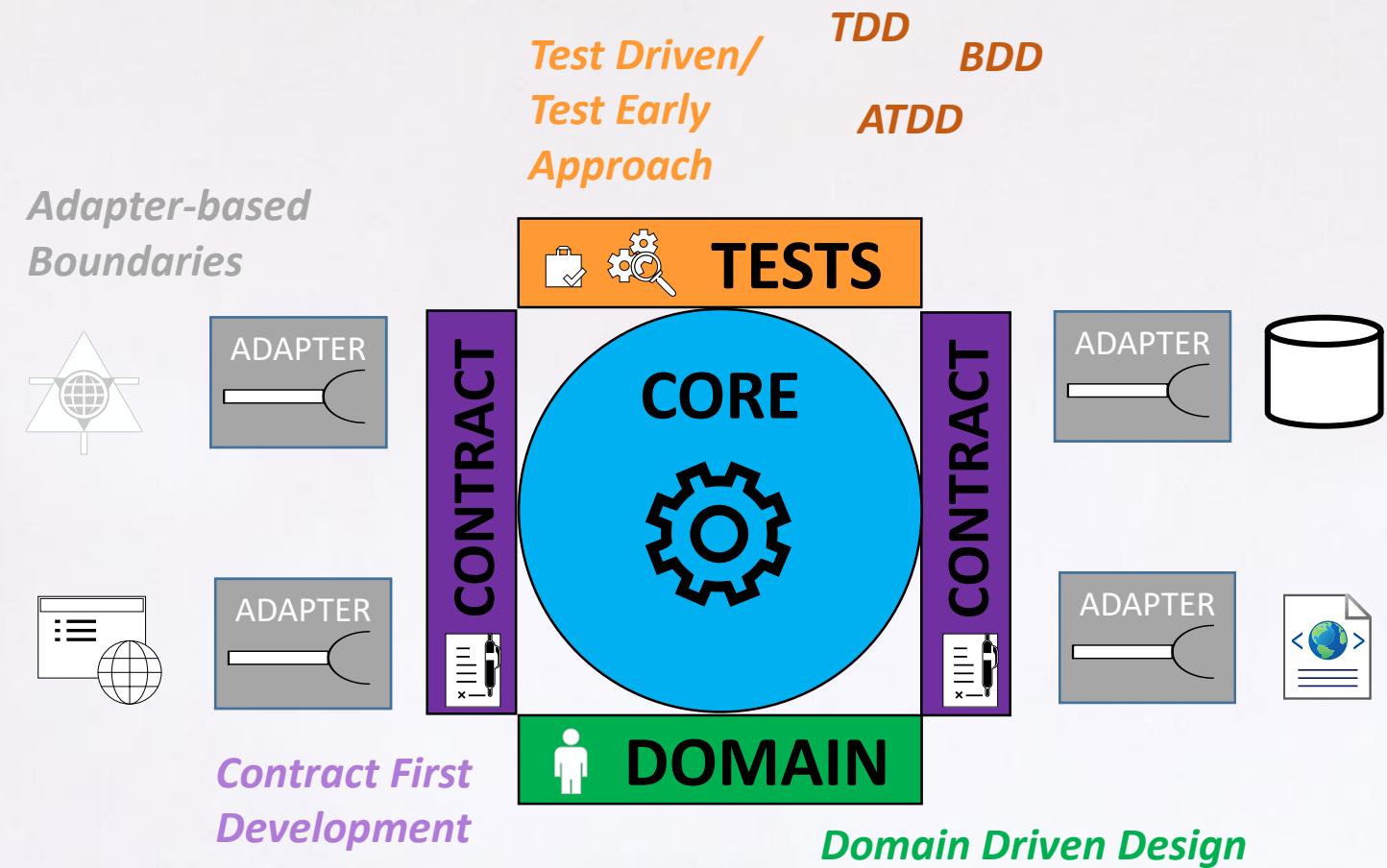


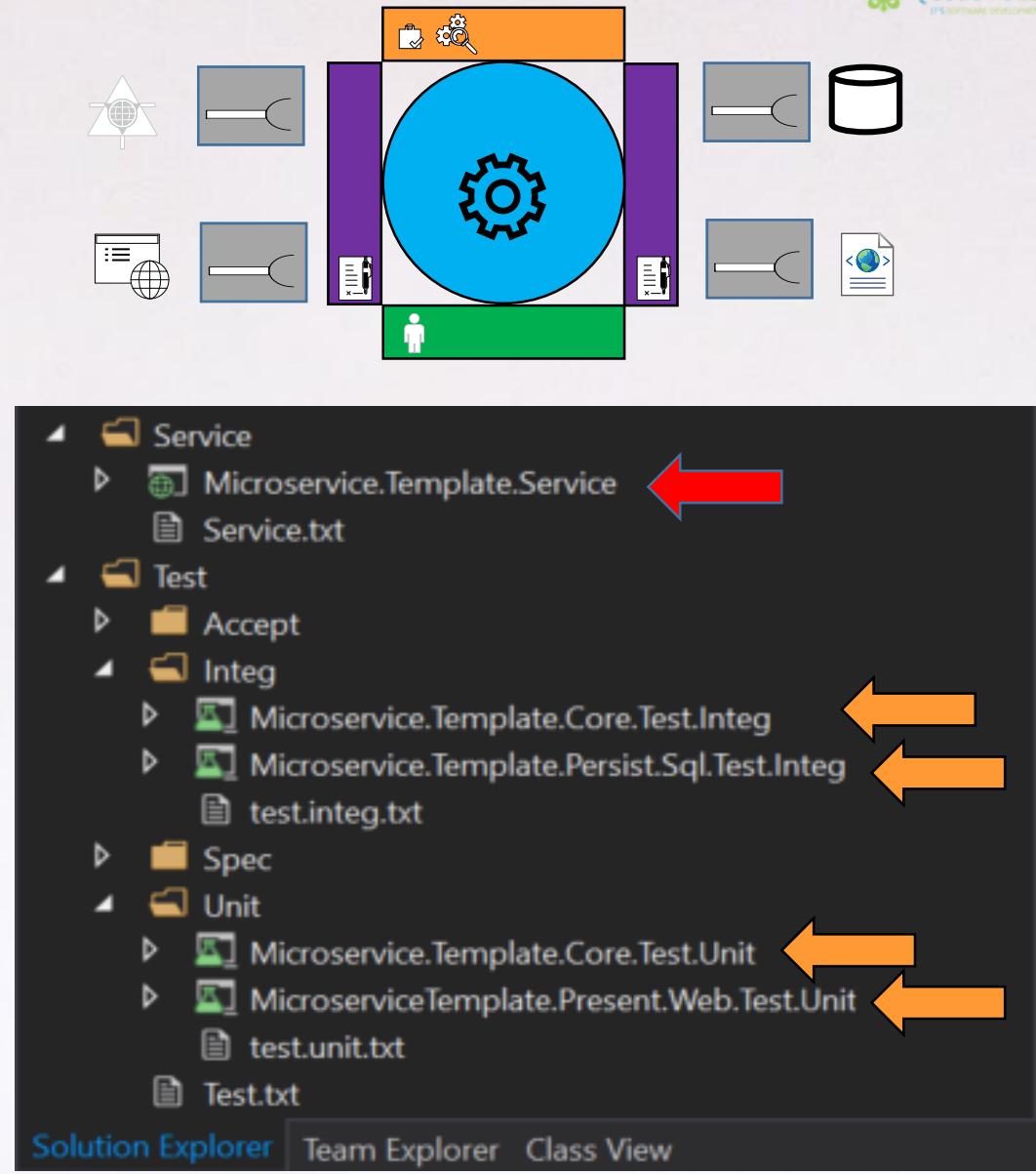
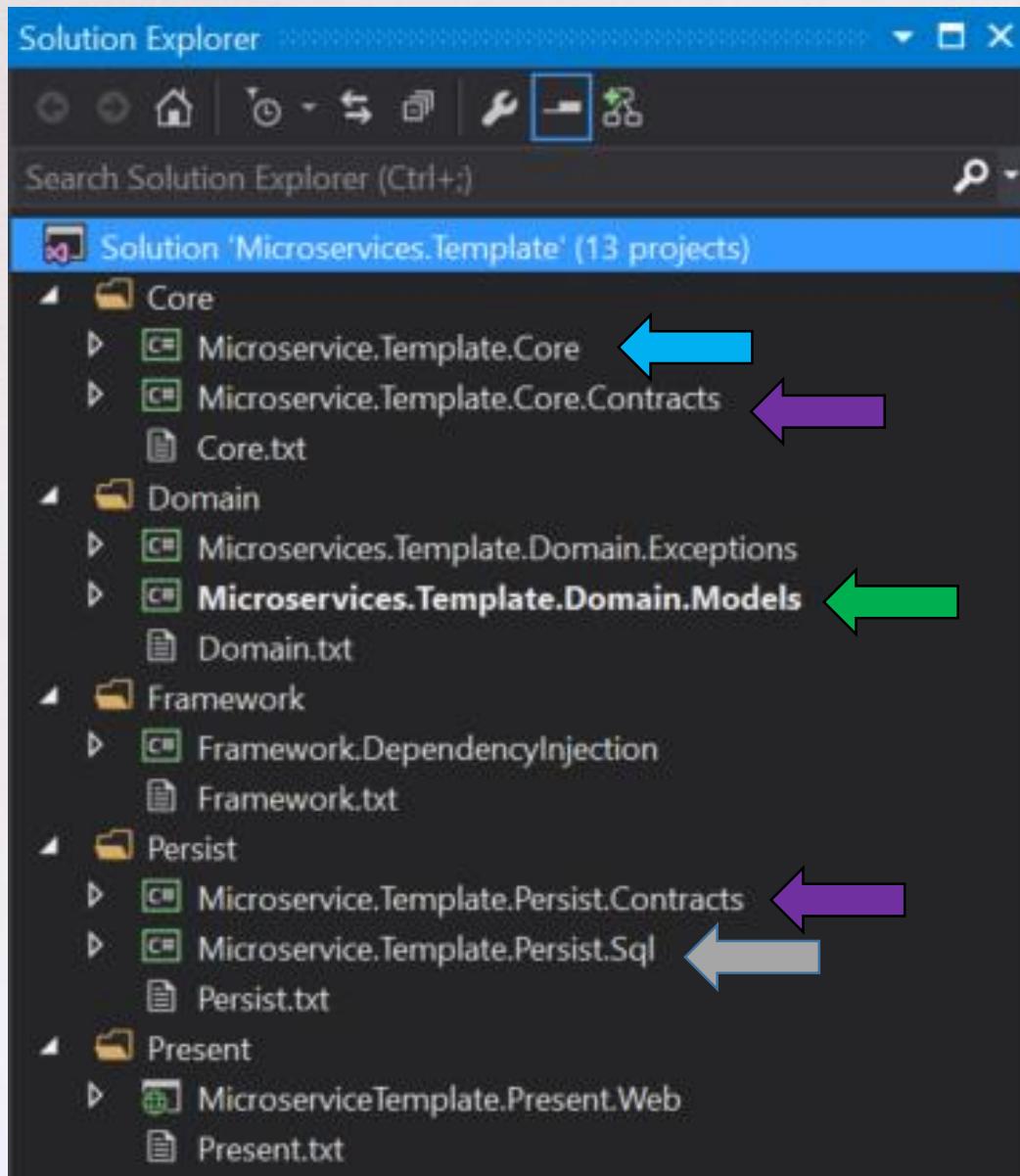
Desired
State

CASA Development Model

Microservices & the
Real World
Organize

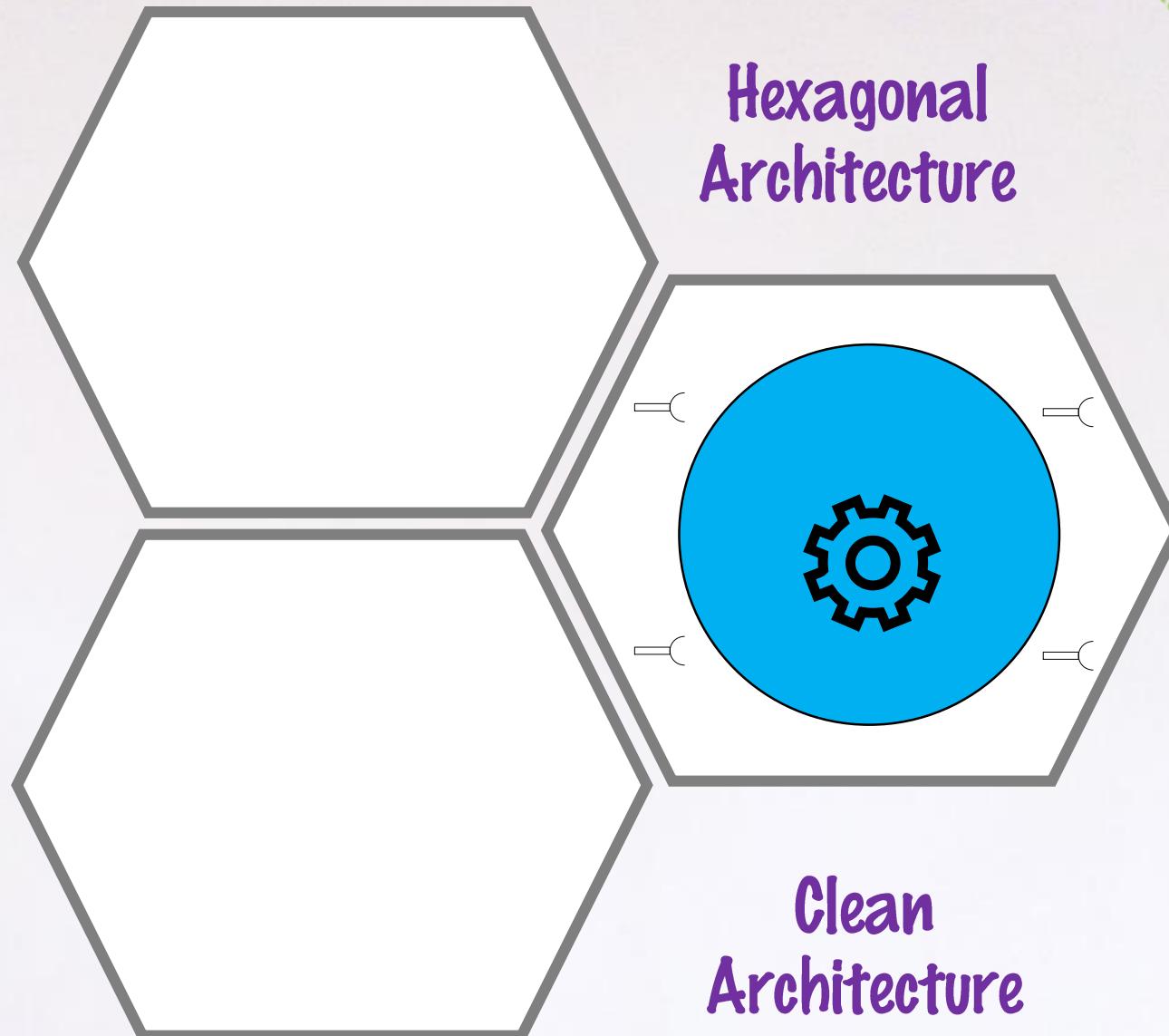
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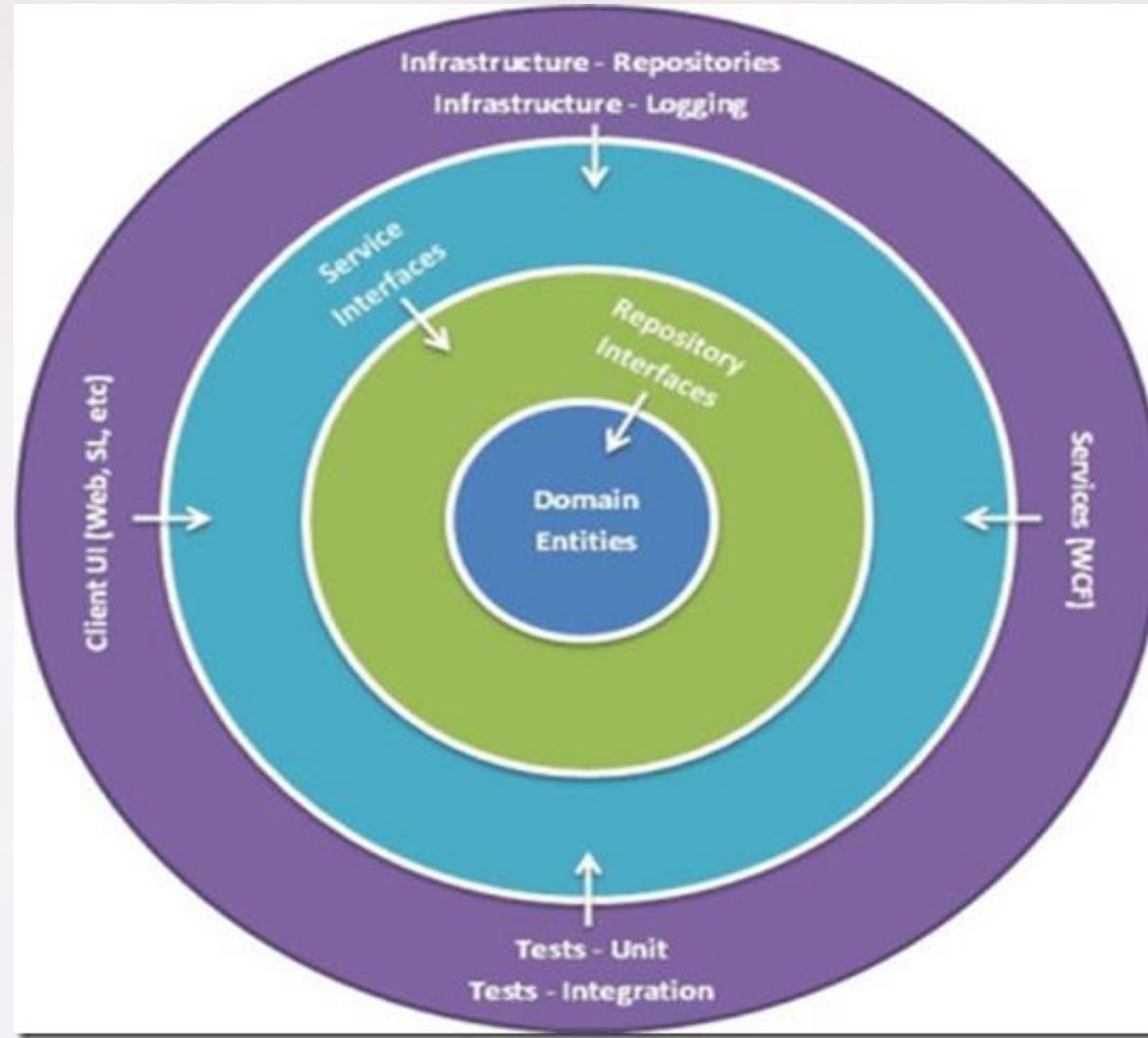
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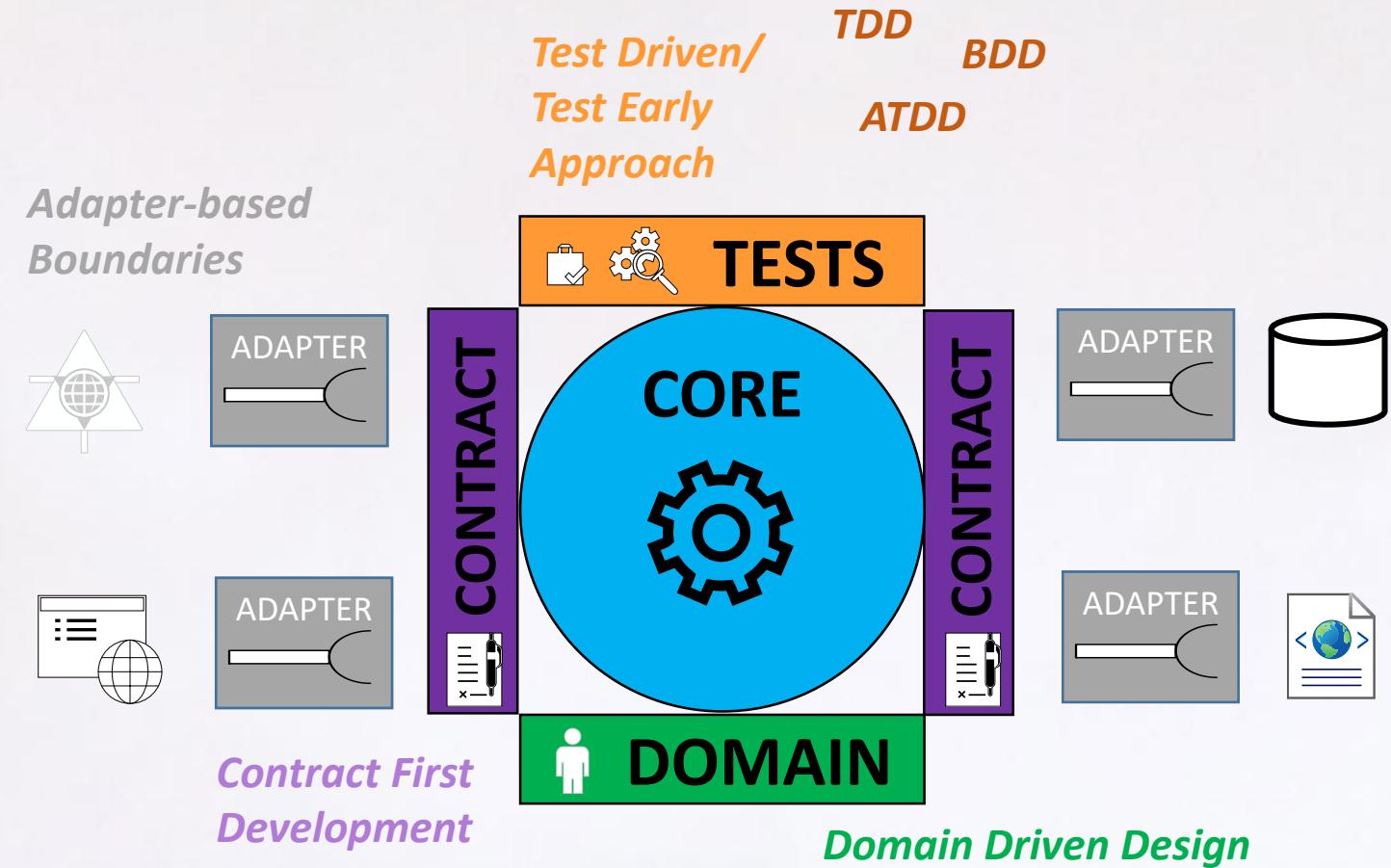
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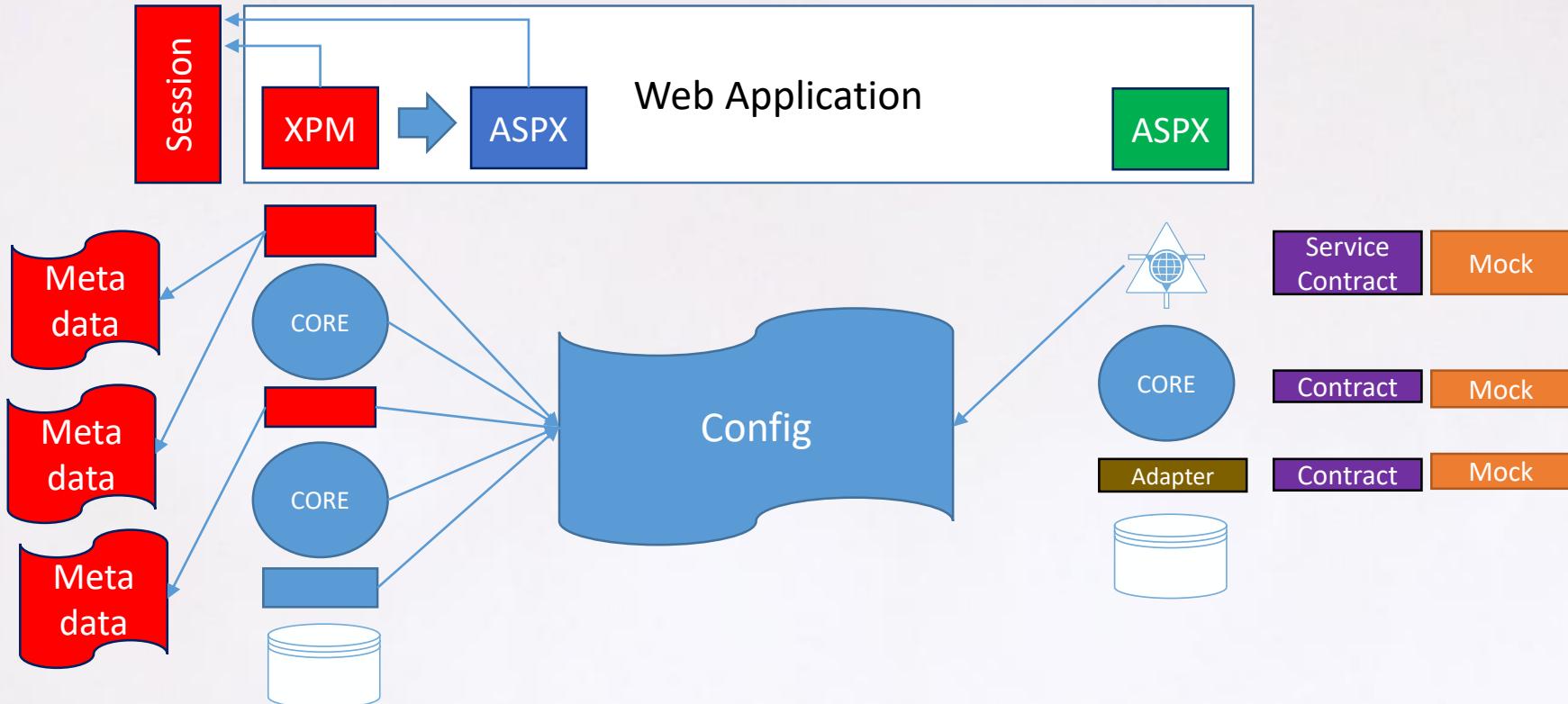
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Microservices & the Real World Organization

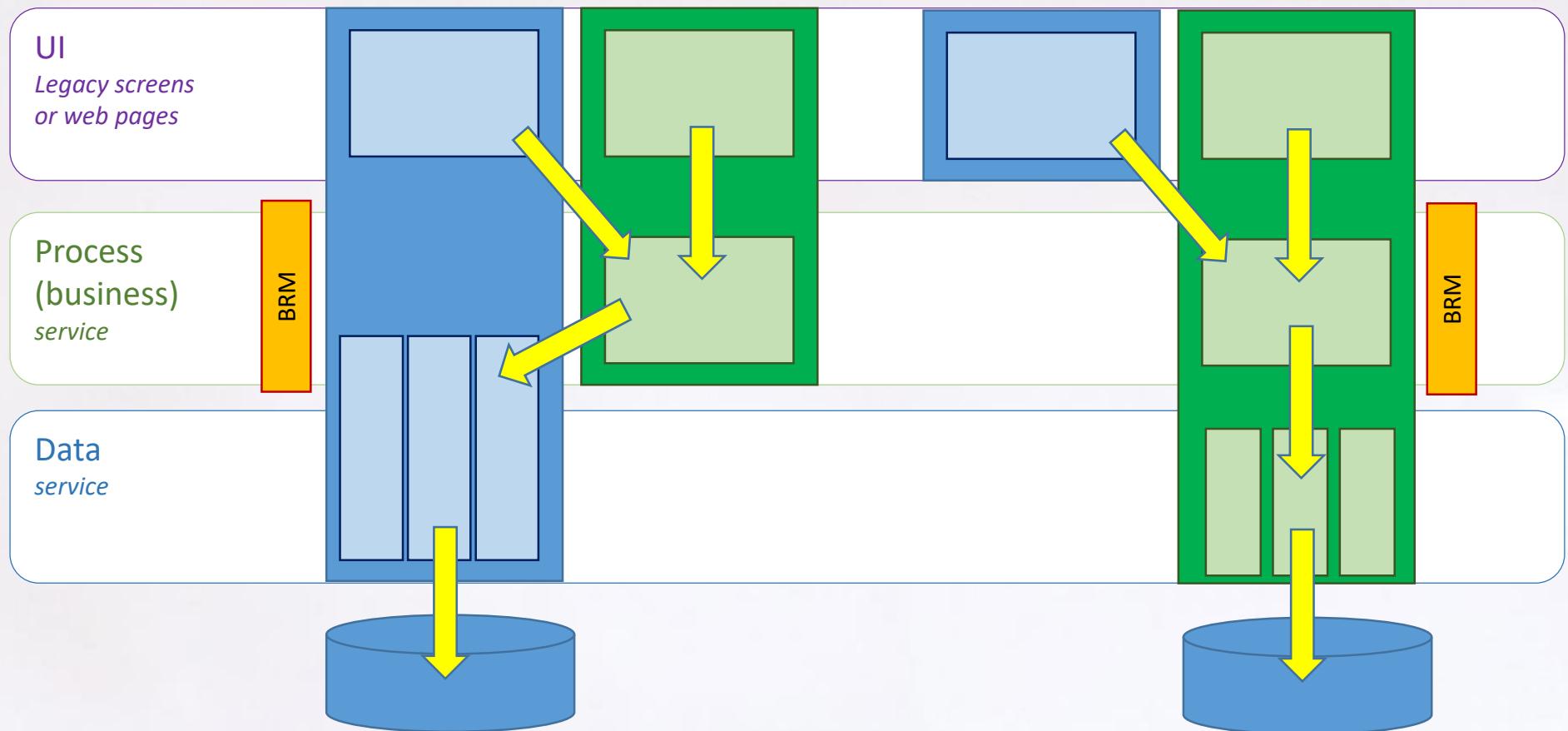
EXAMPLE:
Strangulation
Improper Patterns



Microservices & the Real World Organization

EXAMPLE: Legacy Modernization

- 01 **Legacy Refactor**
Risk averse modernization
- 02 **Legacy Façade**
Add functionality to workflow



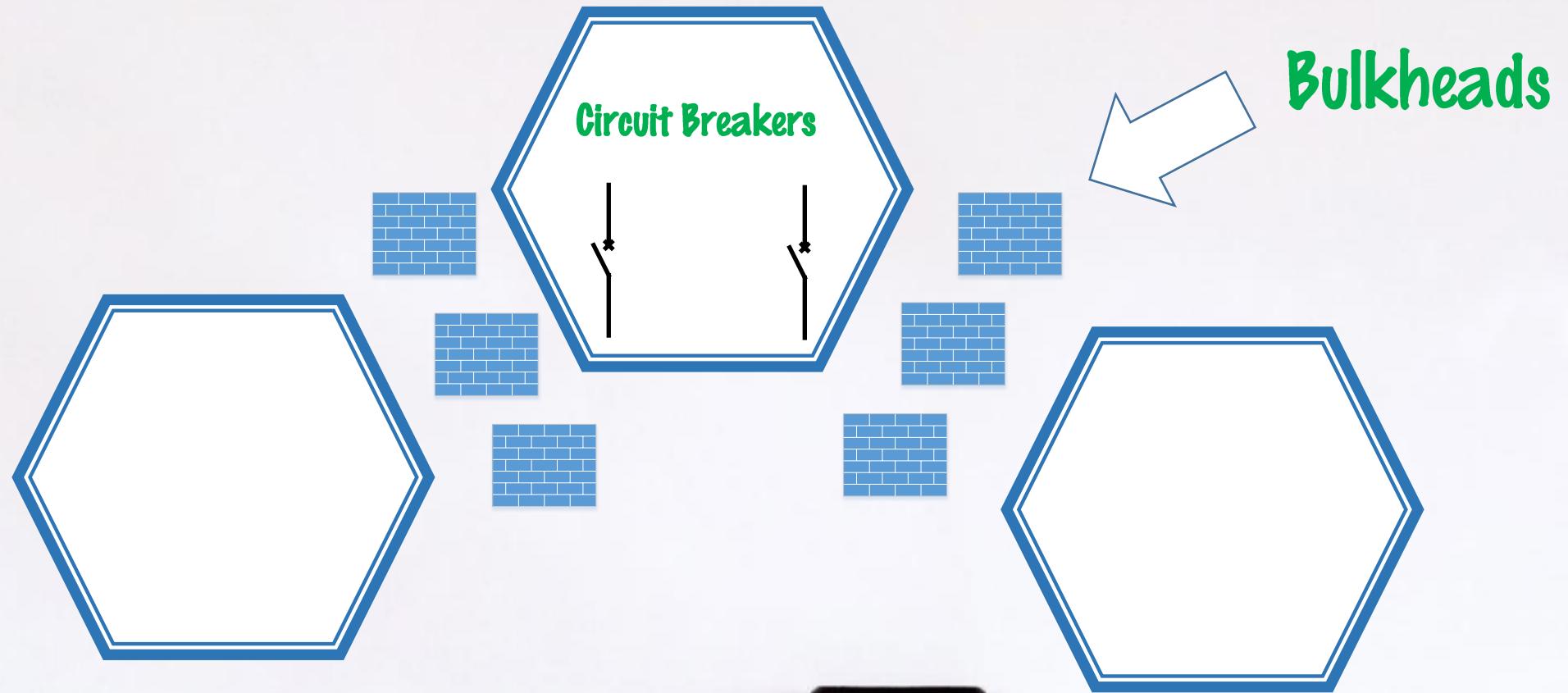
Microservices & the Real World Best Practices

- SOLID Design Principles
 - You know these right?
- Domain Driven Design
 - State Objects
 - Core Business Logic
 - Other Concerns
- Contract First Development
 - Customer Driven Contracts

Microservices & the Real World

Safety First

- Circuit Breakers
- Bulkheads

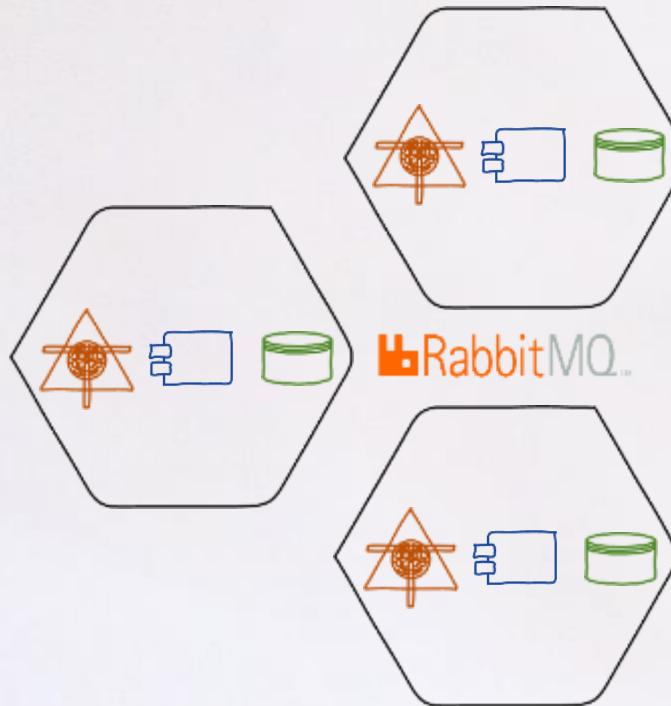




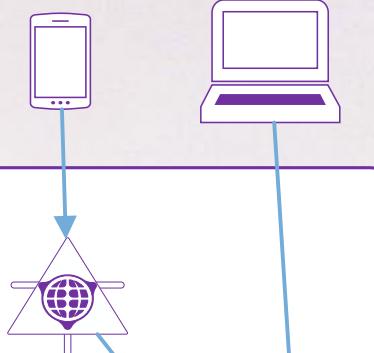
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Microservices & the Real World

Clear Boundaries



Experience APIs (UI Enablement)



Process APIs (Business Focused Microservices)



System APIs (Data Services)



SYSTEM

APPLICATION

DATABASE

FOLDER

FILE

Microservices & the Real World

Organize Around Capabilities

- What is a Capability?

Any business function that can be coded as a stand alone

Any business function that can easily be handed off to another team

Any business function that can be handled by another company

Microservices & the Real World

Organize Around Capabilities

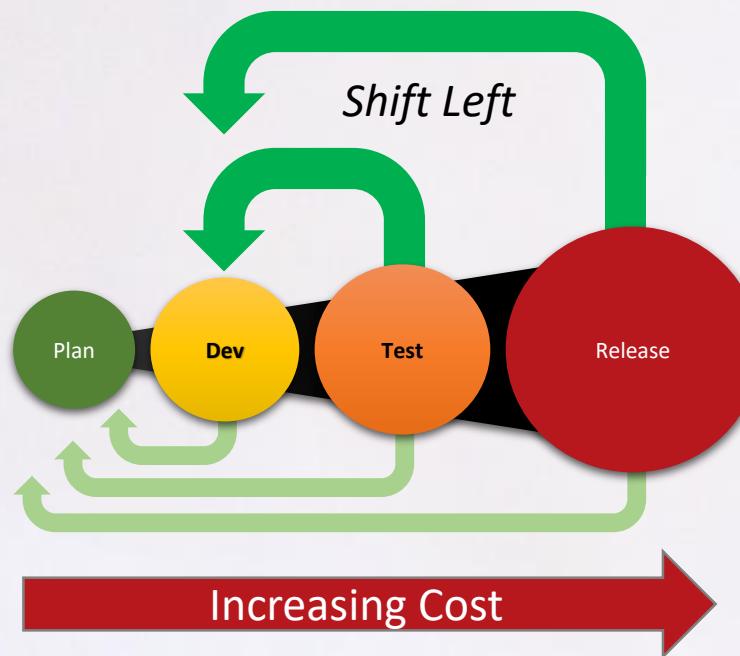
- Which of these are capabilities?

Shopping Cart?
Purchase Path?
Company Catalog?
User Access?



Database Access?

Microservices & the Real World Testability



- **Developer Tests**
 - Unit Tests
 - Integration Tests (basic regression)
 - Acceptance Tests
- **Frameworks**
 - {x}Unit - MSTest, nUnit, xUnit, Jasmine, Karma
 - Behavior - SpecFlow
 - Acceptance - Fitnesse

Microservices & the Real World Testability

Computer Artist →

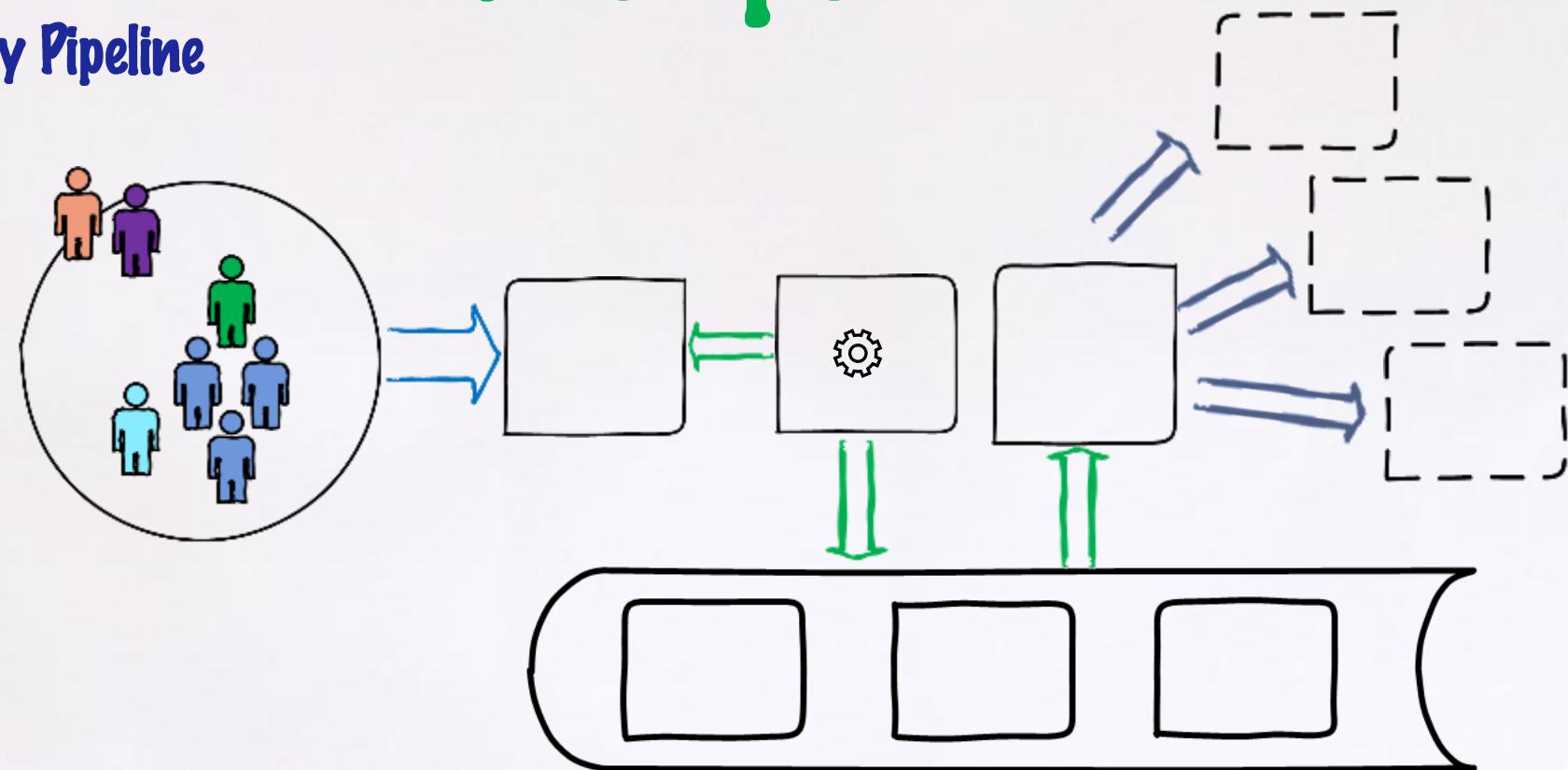
Do you want fries
with that?



Microservices & the Real World

Automate the Delivery Pipeline

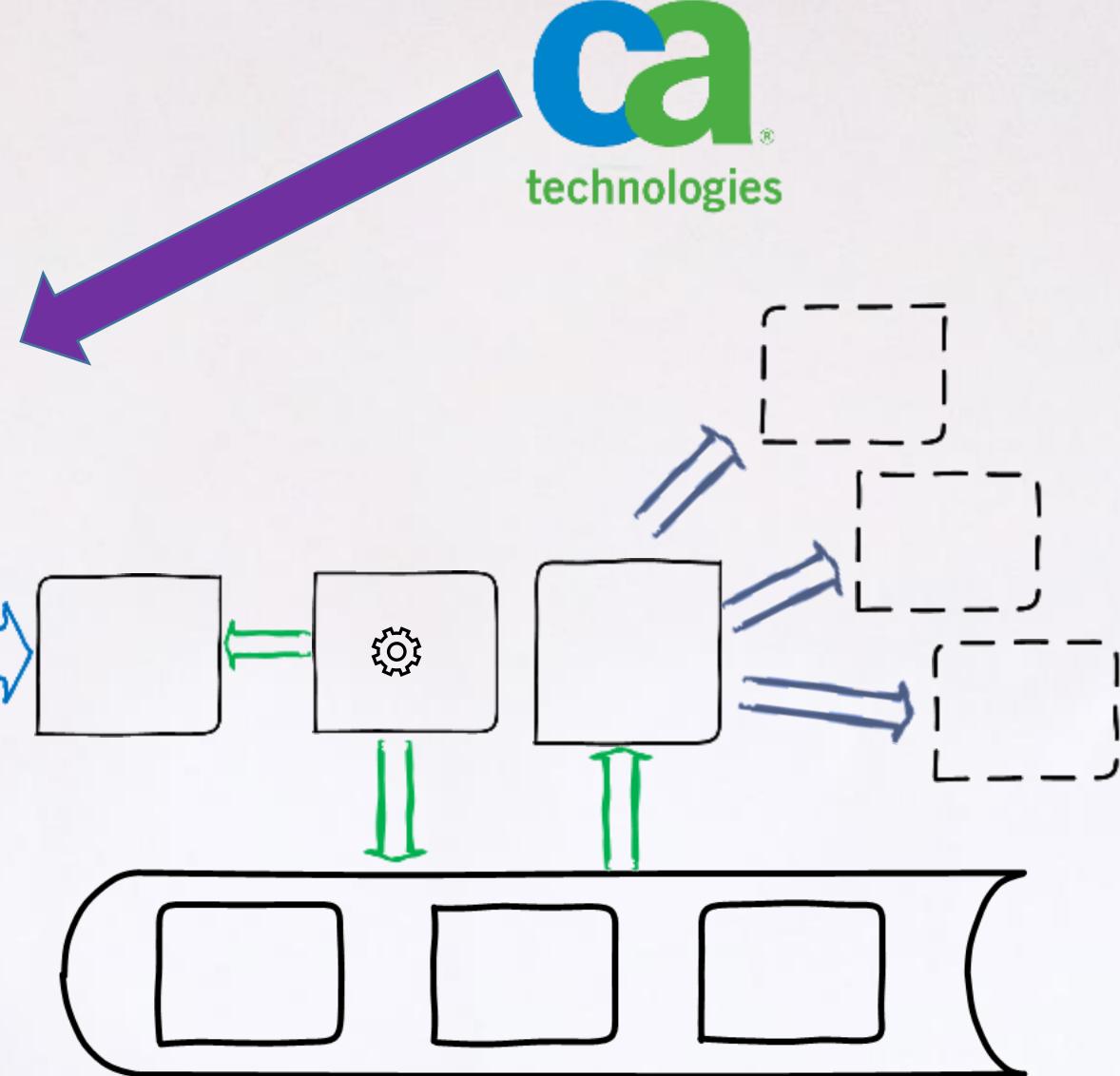
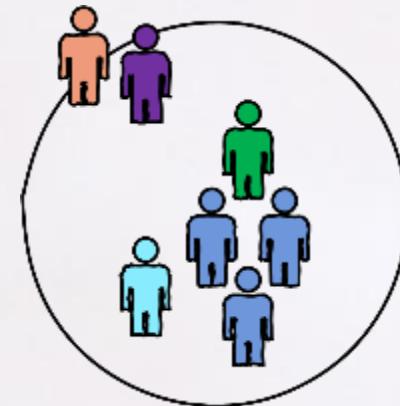
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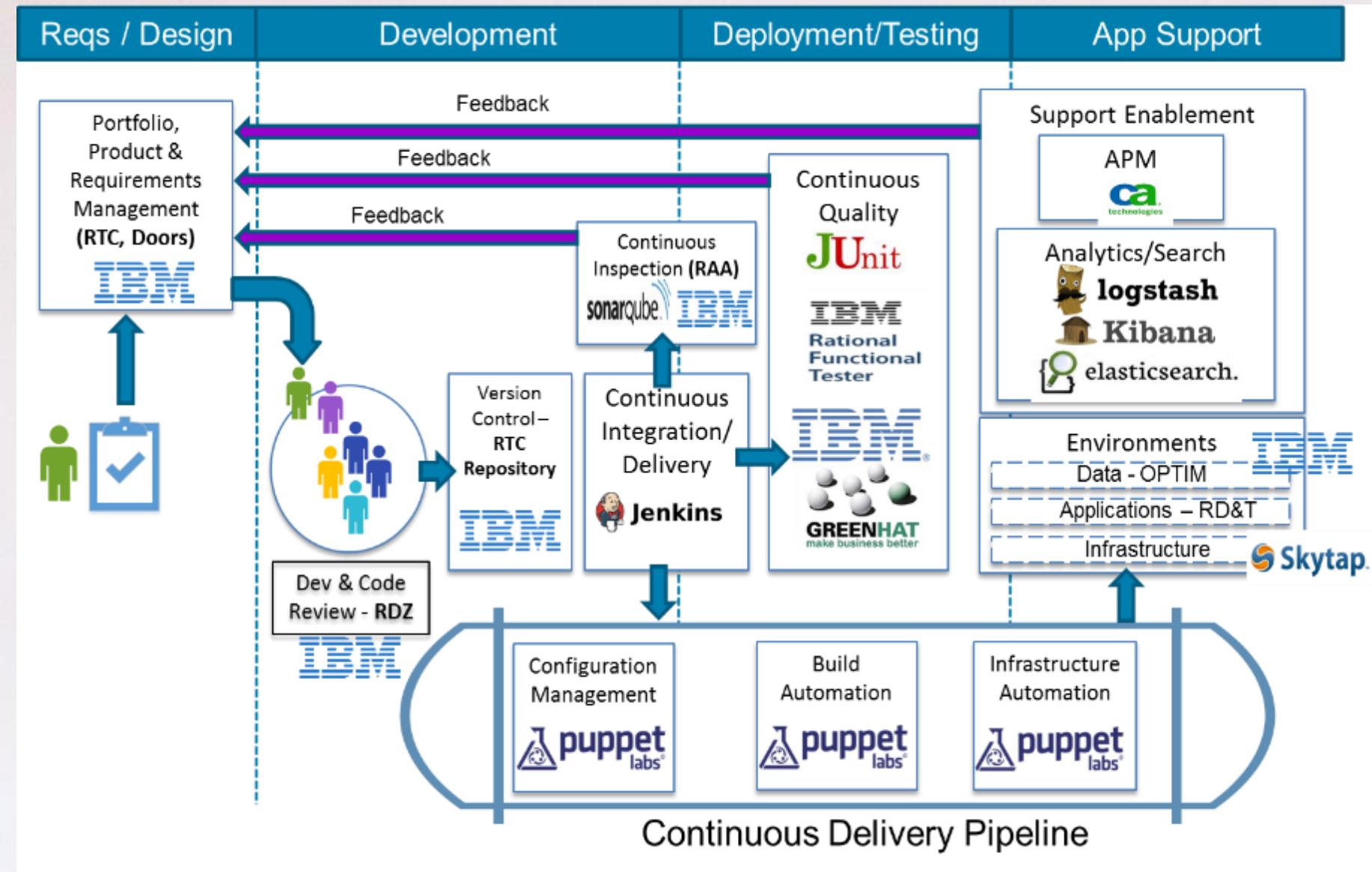
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Feedback loops



Questions and Random BS

If you don't ask anything, I will continue talking!!!

Code Mash Edition



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Here in the Real World

Inspired by Real Events

Real World Determining Services: Decomposition

Let's Make Asssumptions

- We are a board game company
- We recently completed a kickstarter
- The game is selling
- We need to go beyond the kickstarter and sell on our own

Shopping Cart

Real World
Determining Services:
Decomposition



Shopping
Cart

Item Lookup
Wish Lists



Security



User

Payment

Real World Determining Services: Decomposition

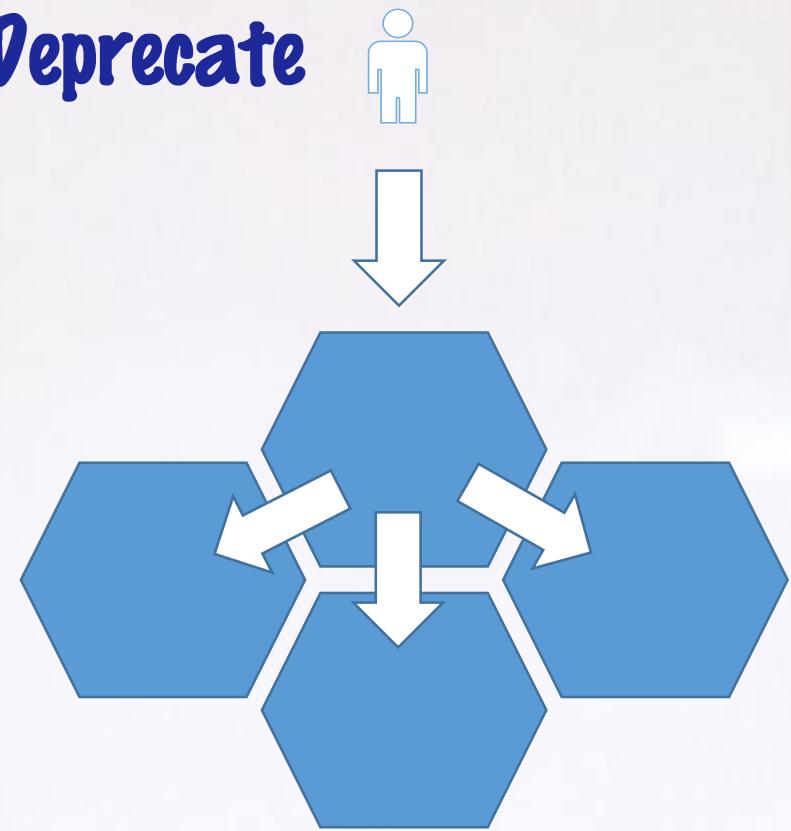
What if we are green field?

- Same Process
 - Gather Requirements (stories?)
 - Find business capabilities

Real World Determining Services: Decomposition

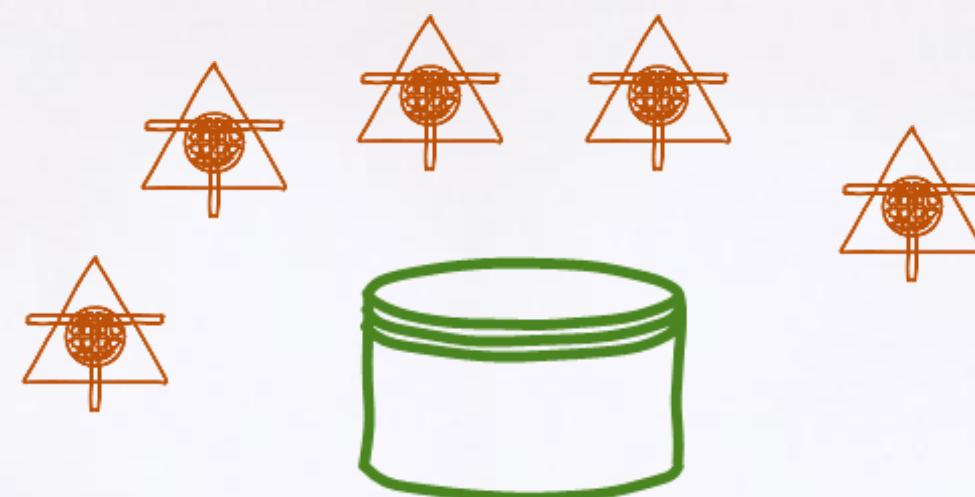
What if I have larger services?

- Orchestrate and Deprecate



- Don't do this!!!

Real World Data Focused Microservices



Real World Data Focused Microservices



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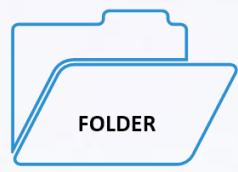
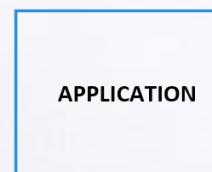
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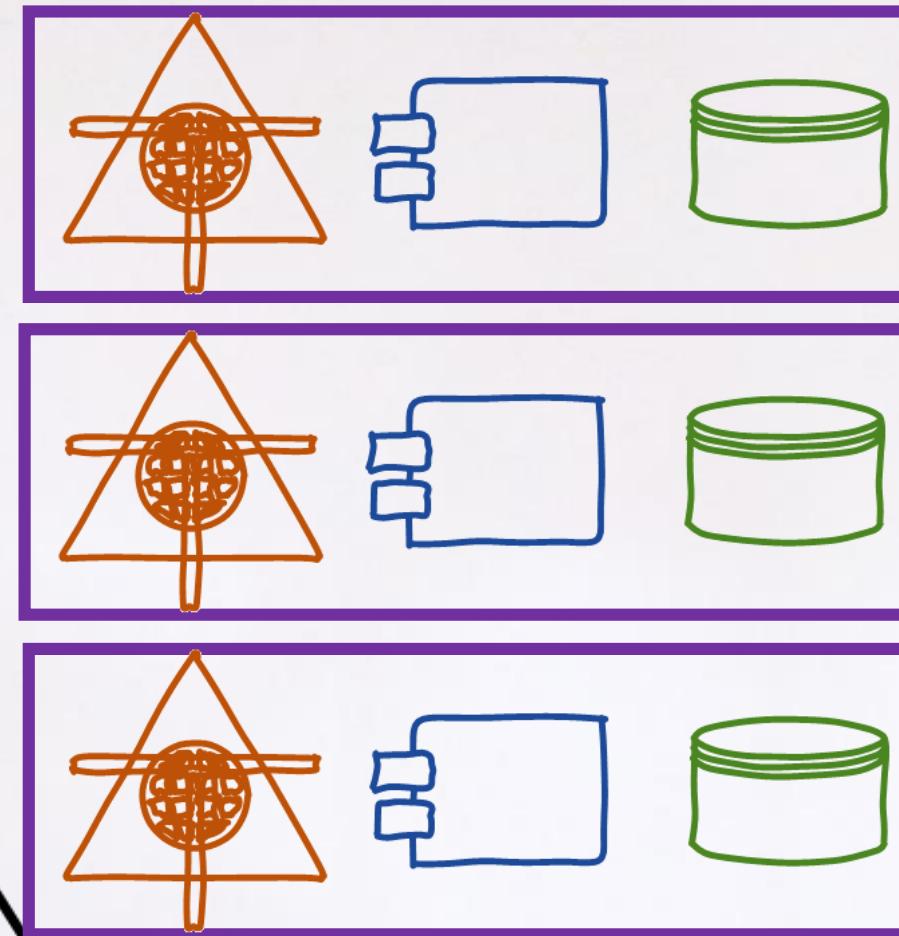
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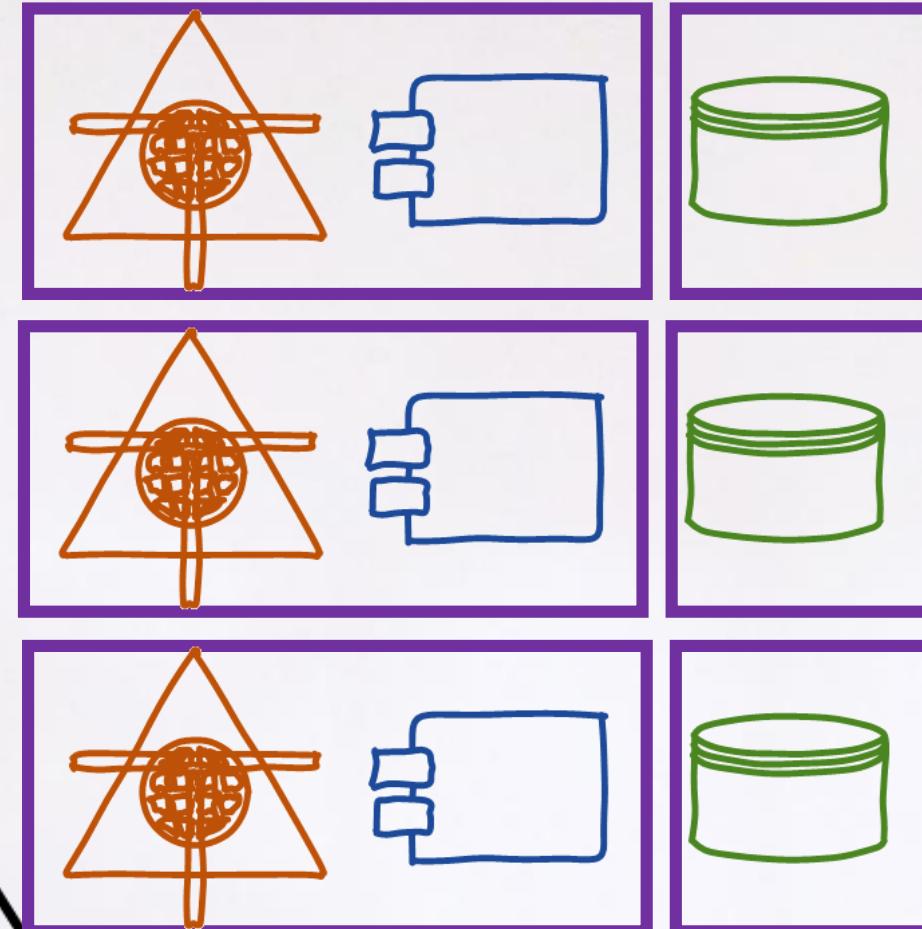
System APIs (Data Services)



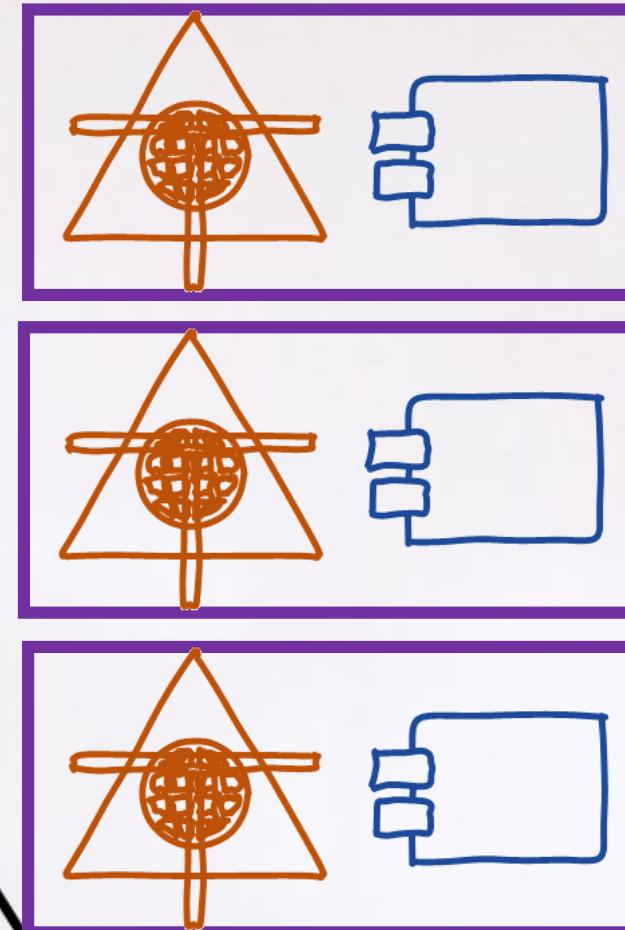
Real World Scaling



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Real World Central Database



Real World Central Database

Best Practices

- A single microservice owner for each table – if possible
- All access through the microservice

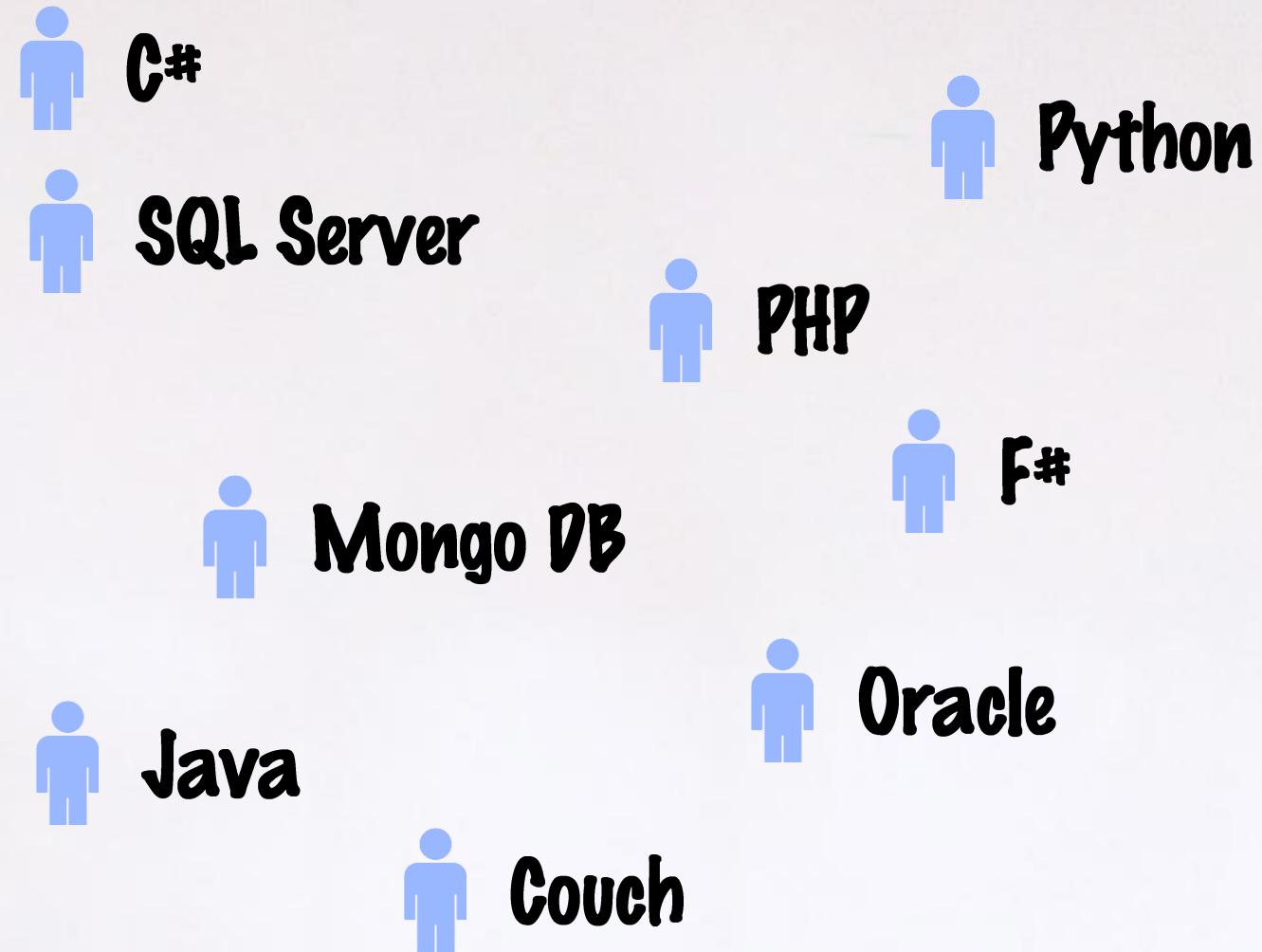
Real World Other Notes

- In a purist environment, you will have to consolidate the data at some point
- Be prepared to introduce Master Data concepts
- How do you eat an elephant?
 - One bite at a time

Appendix

Slides that did not make the Code PaLOUsa cut

Architecture Autonomy of Teams?



What do you call an organization
with hundreds of microservices &
every new technology known to
man?

Bankrupt!