Continuous integration pipeline implementation for Tech11 software

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Overview

(Common) Scenario

- **Developers working on a project.**
  - They each implement a few class.
    - Code them.
    - Ensure well tested.
  - When they're done,They *integrate* them.
    - Every thing breaks.

Integration Hell

That awkward moment near the end of the project when everyone realizes that none of their classes interoperate correctly.

Integration Hell (cont..)

Integration hell is extremely risk for a project.

- **Difficult to determine how long it will take to resolve the integration process.**
  - May (vastly) exceed our budget.
  - May (vastly)exceed our schedule.

Continues Integration

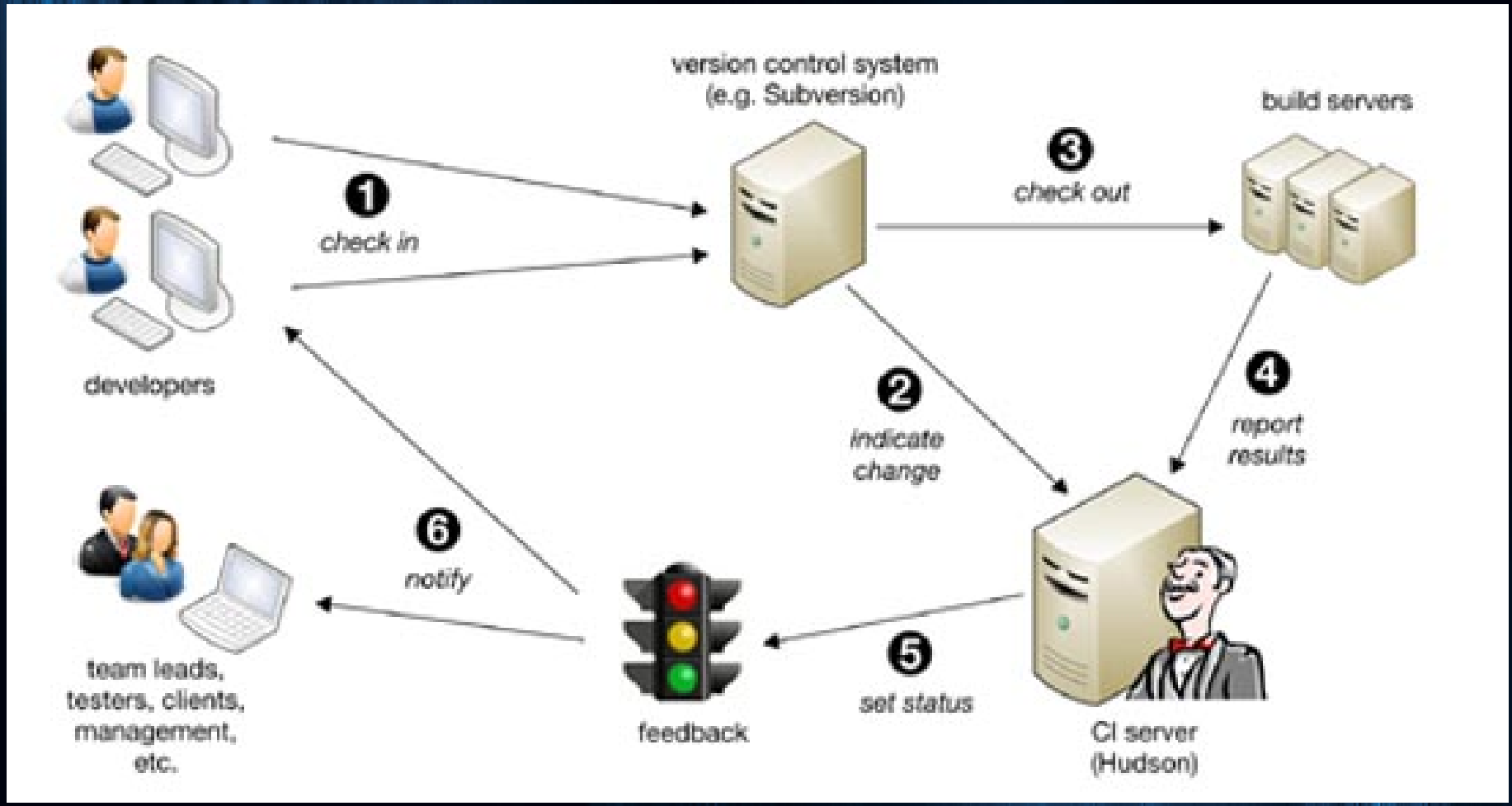
- **Originated from eXtreme Programing (XP).**
- **Mitigates risk associated with integrating Software.**
- **Avoids integration hell.**
- **Integrate early and integrate often.**
  - *ie*, on every change.

Evolution of software delivery

- Waterfall
- Agile
- Continuous Delivery
  - Another subset of agile which in which the team keeps its software ready for release at all times during development. It is different from traditional agile in that it does not involve stopping and making a special effort to create a releasable build.

Continues Integration

Automates the process of building,testing,reporting.



Benefits of CI server

- **Developer might forget to run the test.**
  - *Don't break the build.*
- **It may take too long to run the tests.**
- **We might need to test the code in various environments.**
  - Different architectures (32-bit,64-bit,ARM,PowerPC).
  - Different platforms (Windows,Linux,Mac,Solaris).

Benefits of CI server (cont..)

- **Reports provide useful insights to team.**
  - Can track metrics like line coverage.
    - Percentage of line executed by a program's test.
  - Can run all sorts of utilities on our code.
    - *CheckStyle, Findbugs, ..*
- **Can deploy automatically.**
  - Deploy a web project to a stagging server.
  - Deploy latest stable build of a desktop application to our website for download.

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Version Control

- This practice advocates the use of a revision control system for the projects source code.
- In this practice and in the revision control community, the convention is that the system should be buildable from a fresh checkout and not require additional dependencies.

Version Control

- Here we use Git-Hub for version controlling.
- GitHub is a web-based Git or version control repository and Internet hosting service. It offers all of the distributed version control and source code management functionality of Git as well as adding its own features.

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Artifact Manager

- An artifact repository is akin to what Subversion is to source code, i.e. it is a way of versioning code binary artifacts. In the Java world these artifacts could be jars, wars, ears, fully fledged applications, libraries or a collections of libraries that are packaged.
- Jenkins stores the artifacts as plain files without versioning while artifacts in an artifact repository can be version controlled.
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Continuous Integration Handler

- It integrates with popular build tools (ant, maven, make) so that it can run the appropriate build scripts to compile, test and package within an environment that closely matches what will be the production environment
- It integrates with version control tools, including Subversion, so that different projects can be set up depending on projection location within the trunk.
- It can be configured to trigger builds automatically by time and/or changeset. (i.e., if a new changeset is detected in the Subversion repository for the project, a new build is triggered.)
- It reports on build status. If the build is broken, it can be configured to alert individuals by email.

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Test Automator

- In software testing, test automation is the use of special software (separate from the software being tested) to control the execution of tests and the comparison of actual outcomes with predicted outcomes
- Test automation is critical for continuous delivery and continuous testing.
  - Graphical user interface testing.
  - API driven testing.

Operating Environment

- The system is expected to be operated in Linux as well as in windows with the support of respective JRE (Java Runtime Environment). This system based project is completely platform independent. The most important requirement is the internet connection.

Gantt Chart

Name	Work
Documentation	173d
Requirement & Assessment	**24d**
Current System Study	7d
Requirement Gathering	7d
Requirement Assessment	10d
Project Setup	**37d**
GitHub Setup	12d
Mail Group Setup	10d
Mingle Setup	15d
Base Application Setup	**60d**
Add Module	10d
Subtract Module	10d
Multiply Module	10d
Divide Module	10d
Calculator App	20d
Setup Continuous Pipeline(Local)	**70d**
Mavenise Base Application	10d
Setup Artifact Management(SCM)	20d
Setup Build Job(Jenkins)	5d
Setup Unit Test Runner	10d
Setup Staging Application	5d
Setup Functional Test Runner	10d
Setup Production Deployer	10d
Setup Continuous Pipeline(Amazone IAAS)	**55d**
Setup Amazone Cloud Virtual Server (EC2)	5d
Setup Code Commit for Version Control	5d
Setup Artifact managment	20d
Setup Build,Staging,Testing Servers	20d
Setup Production Server and deployment configuration	5d
Setup Continuous Pipeline(Azure IAAS)	**55d**
Setup Cloud Virtual Server in Azure	5d
Setup Code Commit for Version Control	5d
Setup Artifact managment	15d
Setup Build,Staging,Testing Servers	20d
Setup Production Server and deployment configuration	10d
Setup Continuous Pipeline(Heroku PAAS)	**55d**
Configure to Heroku PAAS	5d
Configure Version Control with Heroku Service	20d
Configure the build,test,deploy services	20d
Configure the Pipeline service	10d
Implementation of Different Solutions	**80d**
Case Study Analysis	16d
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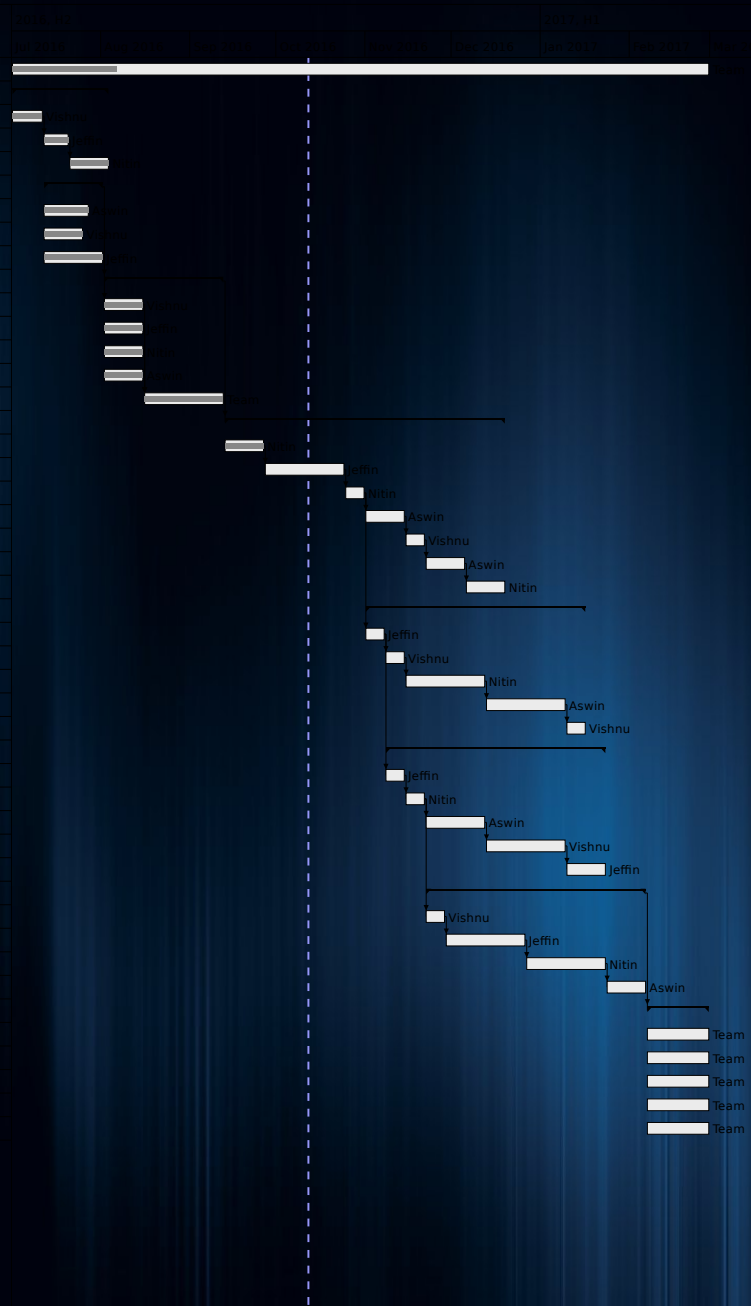

Data Flow Diagram

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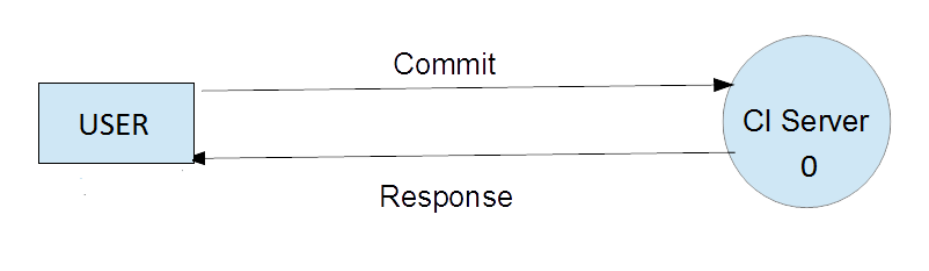

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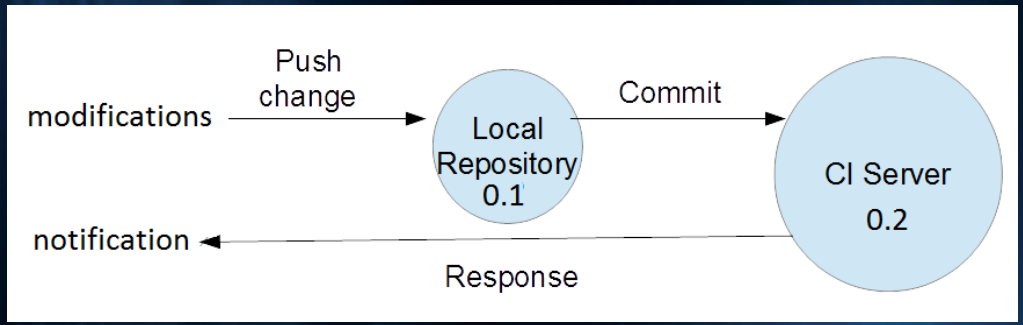
Data Flow Diagram

- level 1



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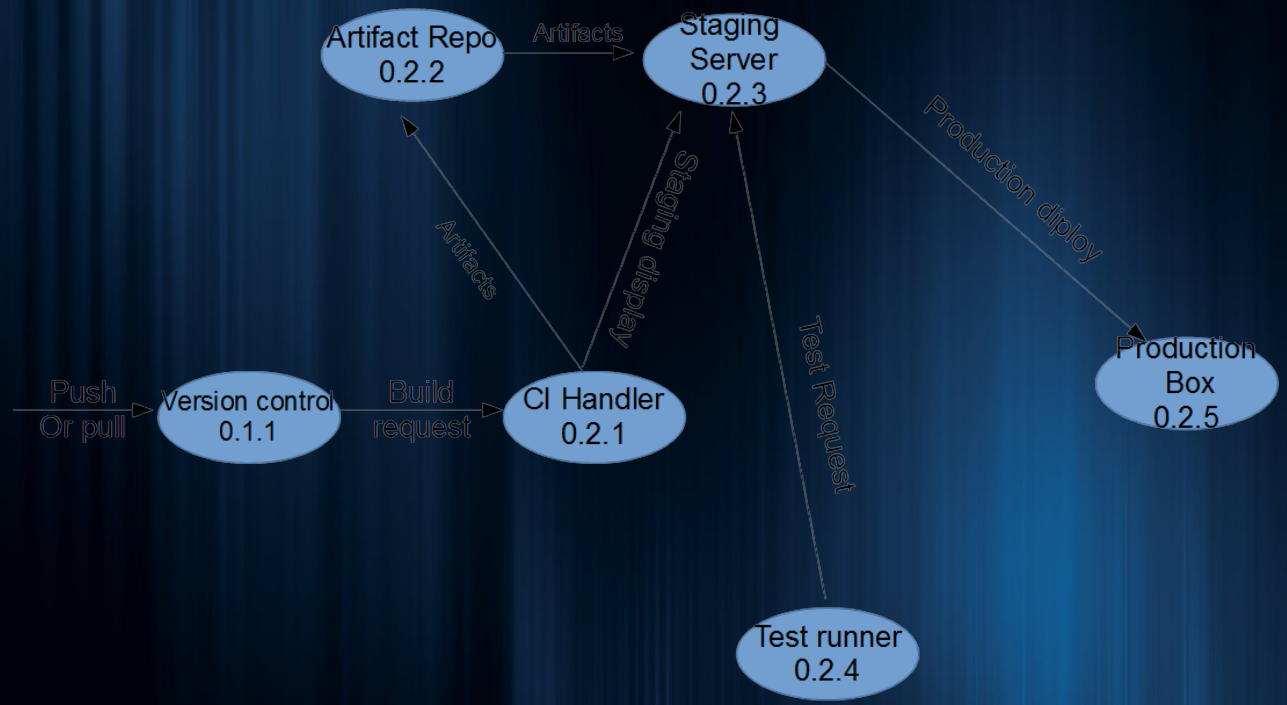
Data Flow Diagram

- level 2



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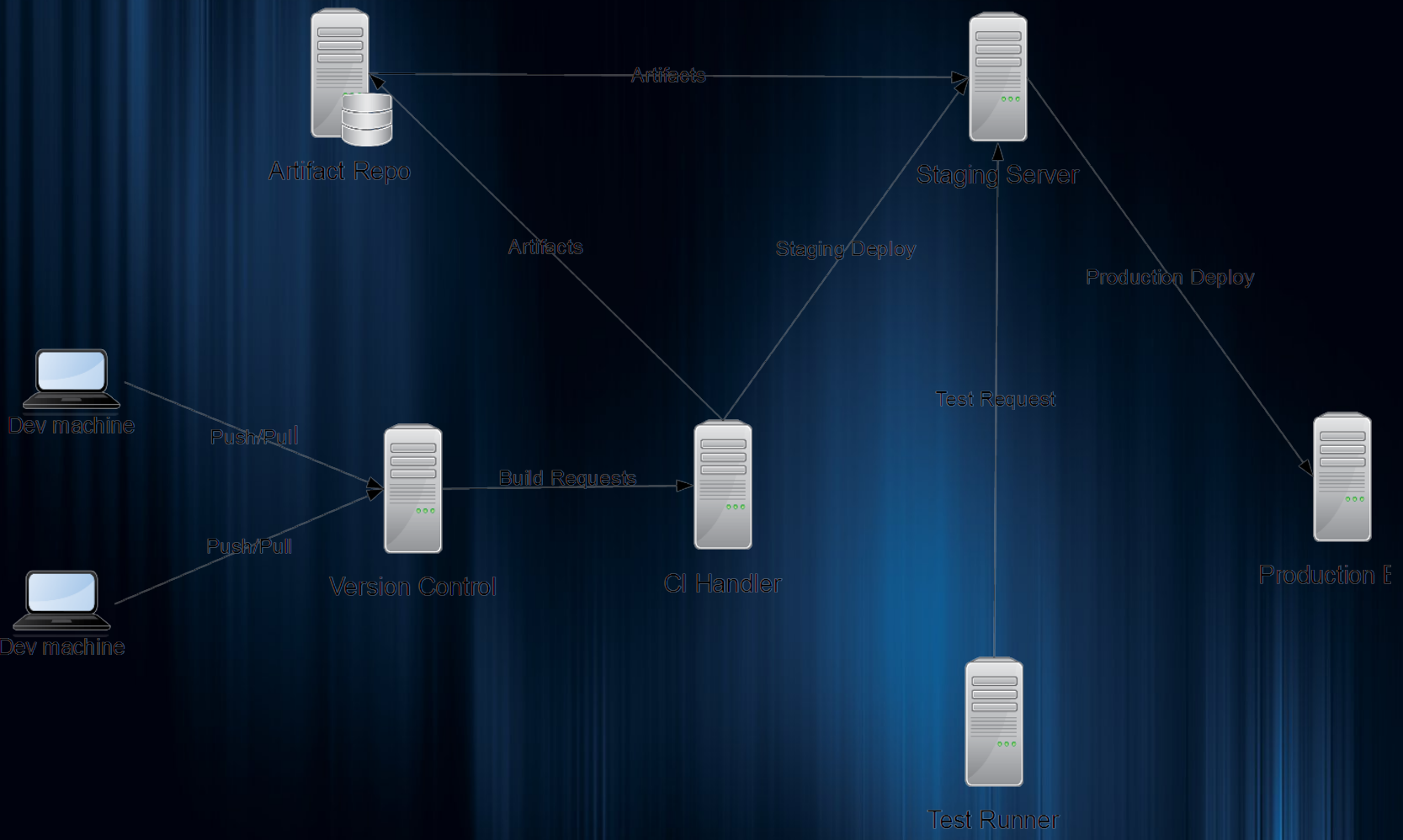
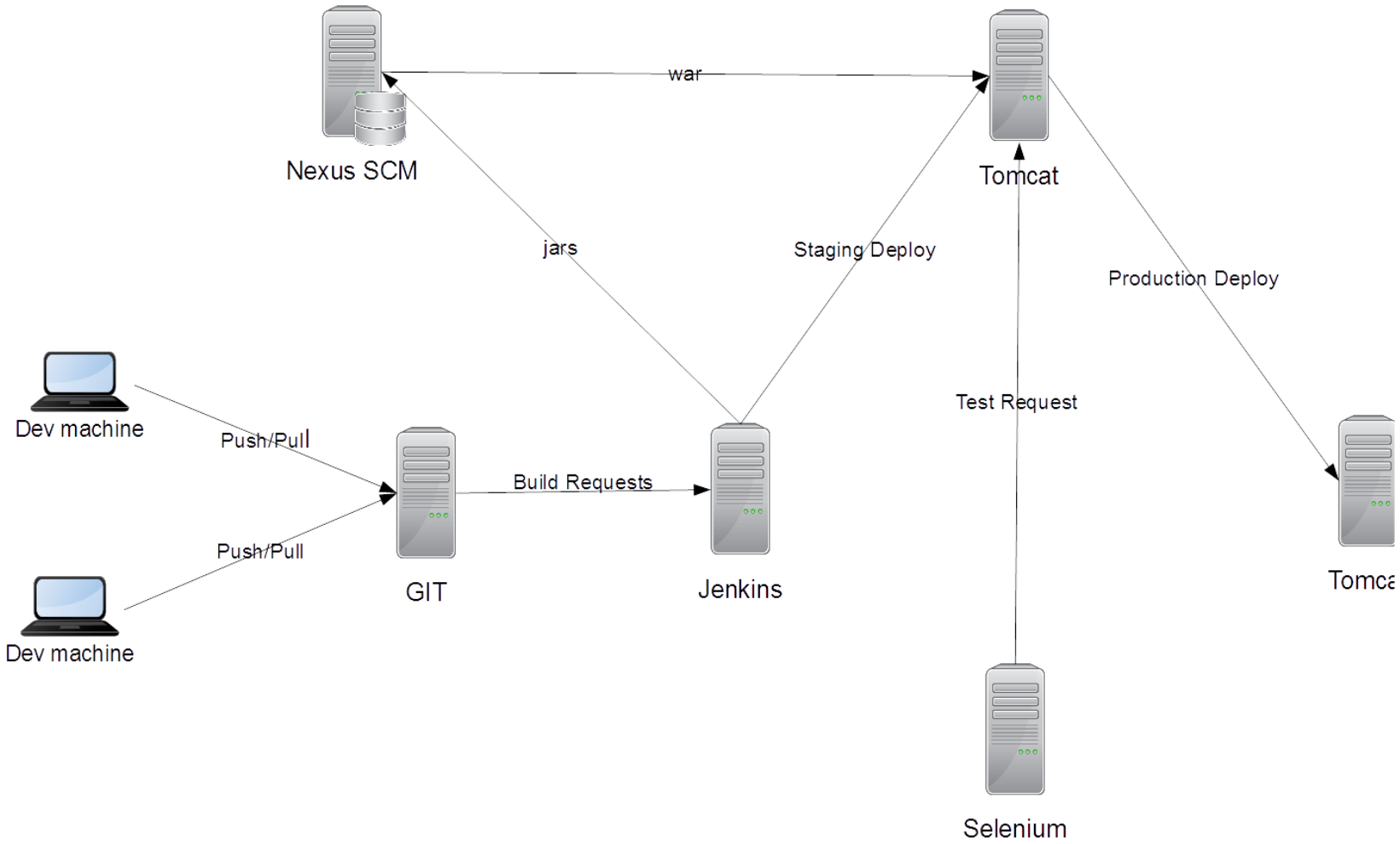
Flow Diagram



CI Pipeline Diagram



Sequence Diagram

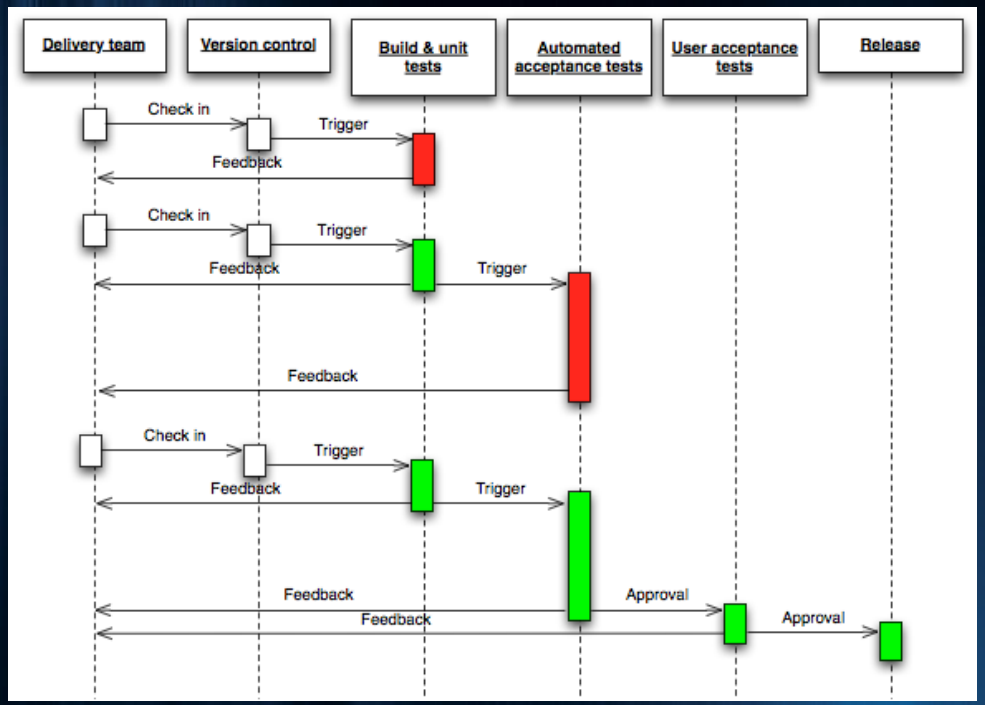


Figure : Sequence Diagram

Implementation

- For demonstration to the Tech 11 Software Team, We decided to implement a Calculator application (using Java, javaScript, NodeJs, Angular...)
- We divide the work
  - Addition Module - Vishnu Bose
  - Subtraction Module - Nitin Suresh
  - Multiplication Module - Aswin G Sugu
  - Division Module - Jeffin Jacob
  - Operation Module - All

Implementation

For Version Control

- Created a Repository naming LogicBaker in Git-Hub and cloned to individual system.
- Create each members given modules in local system in Java.
- After Coding the individual modules the team members commit to Git-Hub.
- Irrespective on the platform which each one has build.

CONCLUSION

- **Continually integrate and test to reduce risk.**
- **Detect problems early.**
- **Always have a deployable build.**
- **Generate metrics to guide project management.**
- **Continuous Integration is:**
  - *A good practice in any software development method.*
  - *Vital for agile development.*

thank you!