

Concourse:

CI that scales with your project



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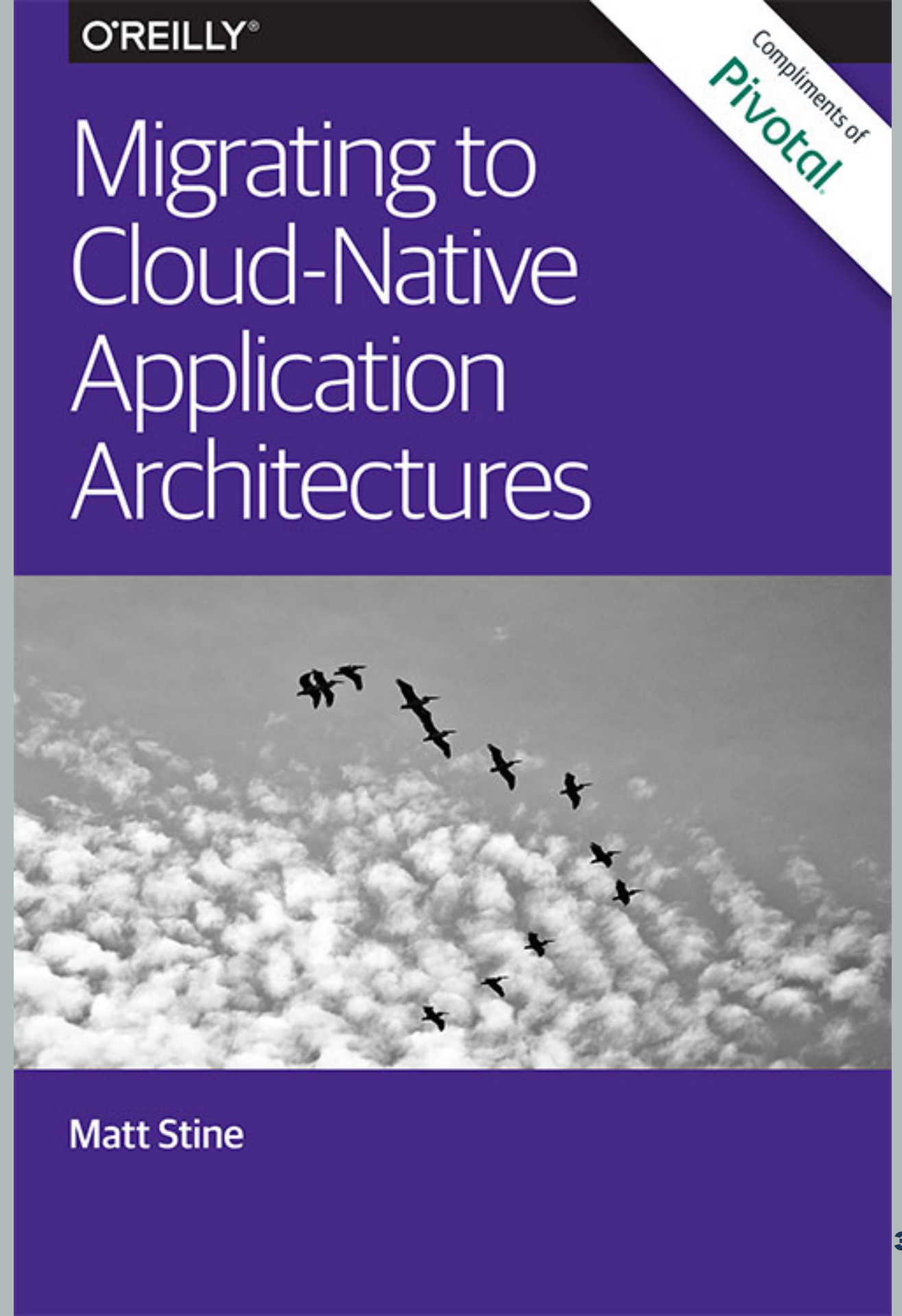
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I wrote a little cloud book...

FREE - Compliments of Pivotal

<http://bit.ly/cloud-native-book>



What is Concourse?

- Open Source CI Pipeline system
- Developed by Pivotal
- <http://concourse.ci>

**Because the world
needed another CI
system...**

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Why?

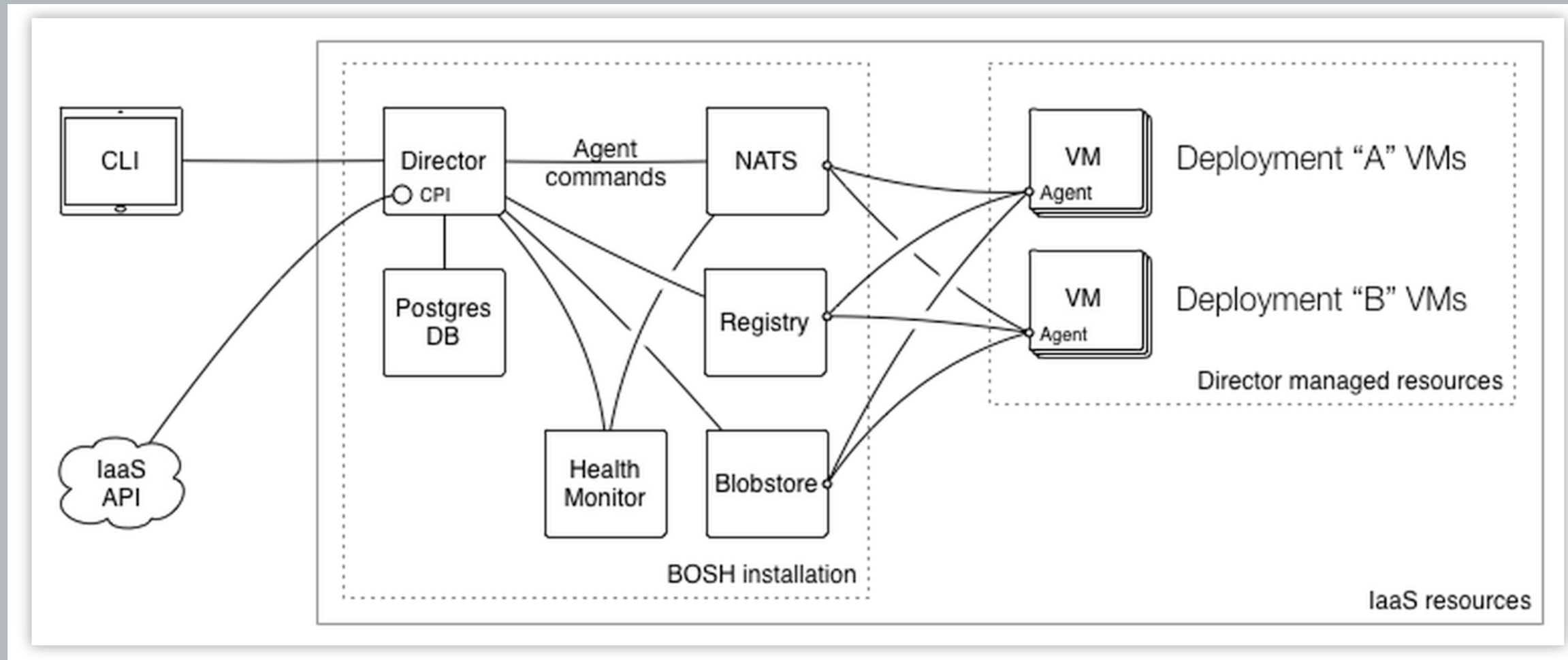
Simplicity

Usability

A stylized illustration of a whale in shades of blue, swimming in the water. On its back is a multi-story building with several windows, each containing vertical lines. To the right of the whale's head is a light blue flower with five petals. The title "Build Isolation" is written in a large, bold, dark blue font across the middle of the image.

Build Isolation

Scalable/Reproducible deployment



<http://bosh.io>

Flexibility

Local

Iteration

Concepts

Running Example:

- Consumer-Driven Contract Testing (<http://martinfowler.com/articles/consumerDrivenContracts.html>)
- Using Pact-JVM (<https://github.com/DiUS/pact-jvm>)
- Example Project (<https://github.com/mstine/microservices-pact>)

Tasks

execution of a script in an isolated environment with dependent resources made available to it

```
---
platform: linux
image: docker:///java#8
inputs:
- name: microservices-pact
- name: foo-consumer-version
outputs:
- name: pacts
- name: libs
params:
  TERM: dumb
  VERSION_FILE_PATH: foo-consumer-version
run:
  path: microservices-pact/gradlew
  args:
  - -b
  - microservices-pact/build.gradle
  - :microservices-pact-consumer:test
  - :microservices-pact-consumer:assemble
```

```
platform: linux
image: docker:///java#8
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- name: microservices-pact
- name: pact
- name: foo-provider-version
outputs:
- name: provider-libs
params:
  TERM: dumb
  PACT_FILE: ../pact/Foo_Consumer-Foo_Provider.json
  VERSION_FILE_PATH: foo-provider-version
run:
  path: microservices-pact/gradlew
  args:
  - -b
  - microservices-pact/build.gradle
  - :microservices-pact-provider:assemble
  - :microservices-pact-provider:pactVerify
```

Resources

data: inputs/outputs

Can be...

- Checked
- Fetched
- Pushed

Git

- name: microservices-pact
type: git
source:
 - uri: <https://github.com/mstine/microservices-pact.git>
branch: master

S3 Bucket

```
– name: foo-consumer
  type: s3
  source:
    access_key_id: {{access_key_id}}
    secret_access_key: {{secret_access_key}}
    bucket: concourse-pact
    regexp: microservices-pact-consumer-(.*).jar$
```

Semantic Versioning

```
– name: foo-consumer-version
  type: semver
  source:
    bucket: concourse-pact
    key: foo-consumer-version
    access_key_id: {{access_key_id}}
    secret_access_key: {{secret_access_key}}
    initial_version: 0.1.0
```

Cloud Foundry!

```
– name: pws-deploy
  type: cf
  source:
    api: https://api.run.pivotal.io
    username: {{pws_username}}
    password: {{pws_password}}
    organization: platform-eng
    space: concourse-demo
    skip_cert_check: false
```

Built-In Resources

<http://concourse.ci/resource-types.html>

- The git resource can pull and push to git repositories.
- The time resource can start jobs on a schedule or timestamp outputs.
- The s3 resource can fetch from and upload to S3 buckets.
- The archive resource can fetch and extract .tar.gz archives.
- The semver resource can set or bump version numbers.
- The github-release resource can fetch and publish versioned GitHub resources.
- The docker-image resource can fetch, build, and push Docker images
- The tracker resource can deliver stories and bugs on Pivotal Tracker
- The pool resource allows you to configure how to serialize use of an external system. This lets you prevent test interference or overwork on shared systems.
- The cf resource can deploy an application to Cloud Foundry.
- The bosh-io-release resource can track and fetch new BOSH releases from bosh.io.
- The bosh-io-stemcell resource can track and fetch new BOSH stemcells from bosh.io.
- The bosh-deployment resource can deploy BOSH stemcells and releases.
- The vagrant-cloud resource can fetch and publish Vagrant boxes to Atlas.

Growing List of Community Resources, including:

<http://concourse.ci/resource-types.html>

- Slack
- Pull Requests
- Email
- Bintray
- Perforce
- FTP
- Twitter
- HipChat
- Bitbucket
- Terraform
- Rsync
- JIRA
- Google Drive

Implement Your Own

- Docker Image w/ 3 Scripts
- /opt/resource/check
- /opt/resource/in
- /opt/resource/out
- Add to your Concourse deploy via resource_types section in pipeline config:

```
resource_types:  
- name: pivnet  
  type: docker-image  
  source:  
    repository: pivotalcf/pivnet-resource  
    tag: latest-final
```

- <http://concourse.ci/implementing-resources.html>

Jobs

functions composed of behavior (tasks) and inputs/outputs (resources/other jobs)

Jobs Have Builds

- Success (all tasks succeed)
- Failure (any task fails)
- Can be accessed while running/shortly after finish (intercept/hijack)

Jobs Have Plans

- Sequence of steps to execute:
- *get* resources
- run things (*task*)
- *put* resources
- parallel or serial

Verify Pact (inputs)

- `get: microservices-pact`
`passed: [generate-pact]`
`trigger: true`
- `get: foo-provider-version`
`params: {bump: minor, pre: alpha}`
- `get: pact`
`passed: [generate-pact]`
`trigger: true`

Verify Pact (function)

- task: verify-pact
file: microservices-pact/microservices-pact-provider/task.yml

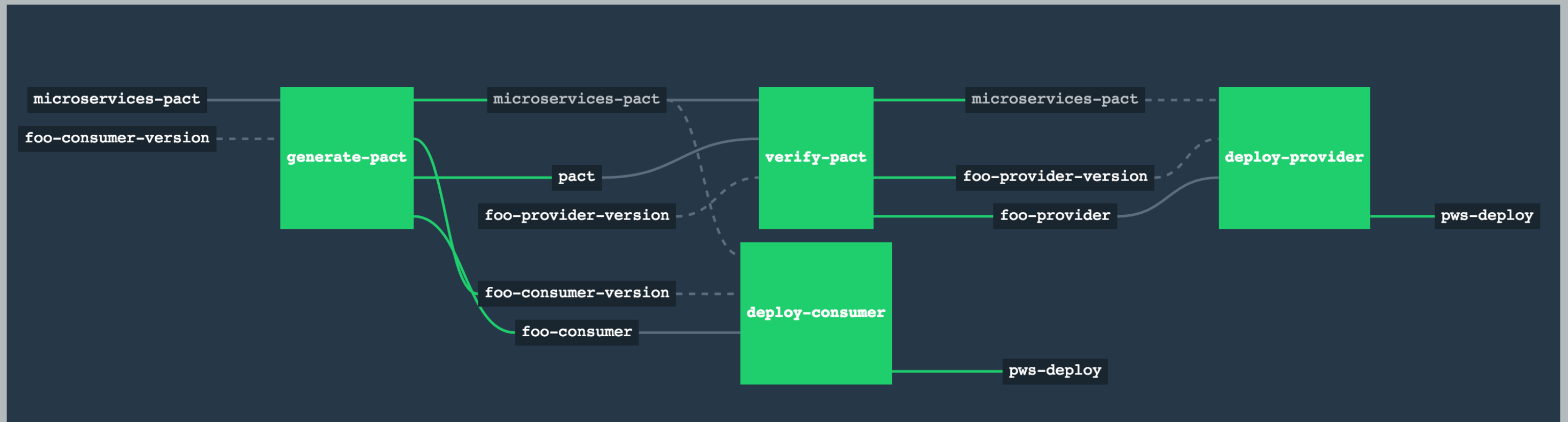
Verify Pact (task)

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Verify Pact (outputs)

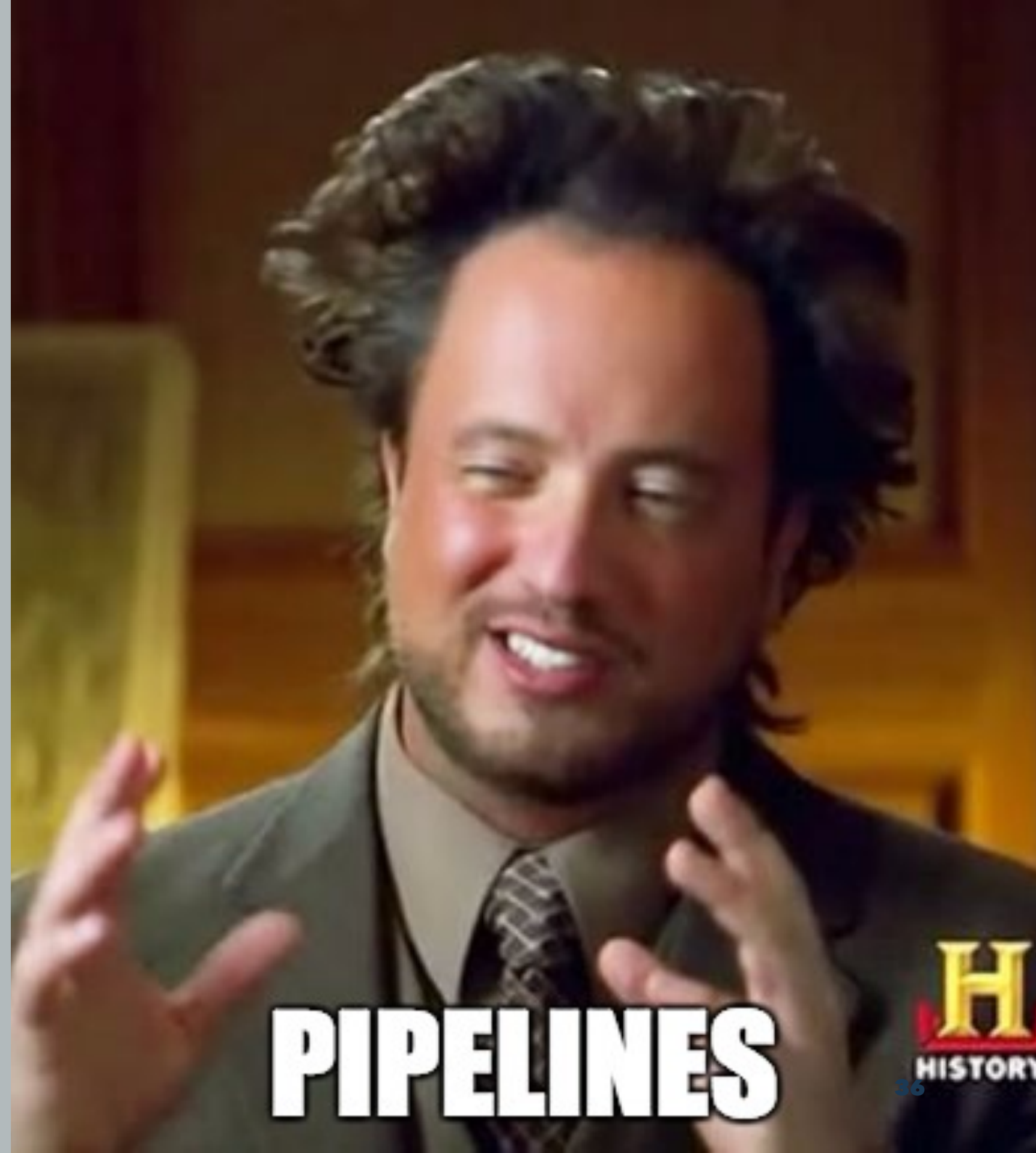
- put: foo-provider
params: {file: provider-libs/microservices-pact-provider-*.jar}
- put: foo-provider-version
params: {file: foo-provider-version/number}

Pipelines



That's It

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Learning to Fly

Getting Started

```
$ vagrant init concourse/lite  
$ vagrant up
```

http://192.168.100.4:8080

no pipelines configured

first, download the CLI tools:





then, use ``fly set-pipeline`` to set up your new pipeline


Let's do this...

```
jobs:
- name: hello-world
  plan:
  - task: say-hello
    config:
      platform: linux
      image_resource:
        type: docker-image
        source:
          repository: busybox
    run:
      path: echo
      args: ["Hello, World!"]
```



Ship It!


```
$ fly set-pipeline -p hello-world -c hello-world-pipeline.yml
```





 main ▾


hello-world


 pending


 started




 succeeded

 failed

 errored

 aborted

 paused

cli:   
version: v2.1.0

main ▾

hello-world #1

started 14s ago

finished 13s ago

duration 1s

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1

>_ say-hello

✓

Let's Play

Intercepting with Fly

Intercepting a Job Step

```
fly -t <target> intercept -j <pipeline>/<job> -b <build #> -  
s <step>
```

Intercepting a Resource

```
fly -t <target> intercept --check <pipeline>/<resource> /  
bin/sh
```

Thanks!

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- *This Presentation: https://github.com/mstine/nfjs_2015/tree/master/Concourse*
- *Example Project: <https://github.com/mstine/microservices-pact>*
- *Concourse Website: <http://concourse.ci>*
- *Concourse Slack Team: <https://concourseci.slack.com>*