# Accelerating Development and Better Monitoring



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#### Overview











#### Particular Platform



#### ServiceControl

Gathers information about messages and endpoints

Can also do custom checks

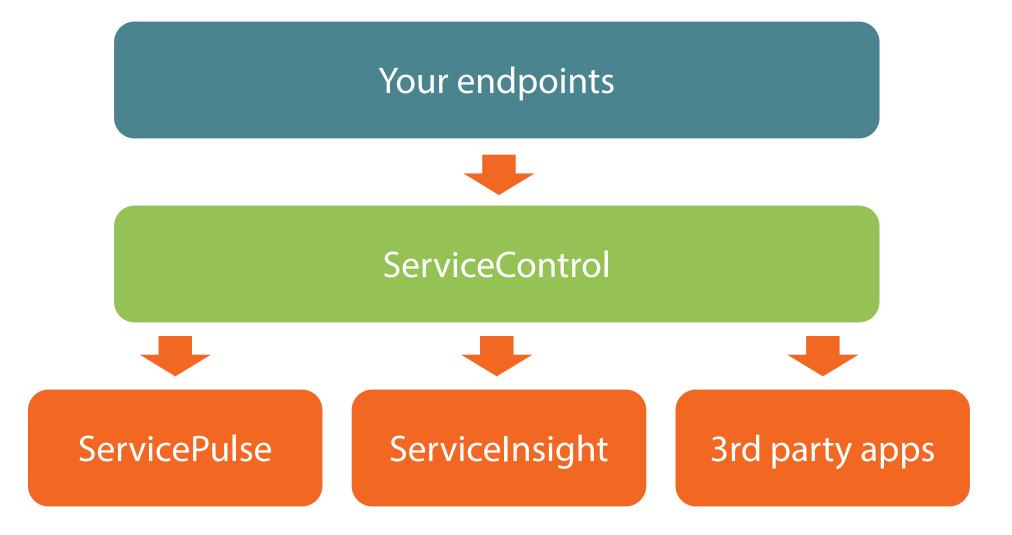
Embedded RavenDB

Exposes data via REST API

Endpoint



### The Role of ServiceControl



## http://localhost:33333/api

```
{
  "endpoints_error_url":"http://localhost:33333/api
  /endpoints/{name}/errors/{?page,per_page,direction,sort}"
}
```

#### ServiceControl

Audit and error queues

Data is retained for 30 days (default)

Configuration file

Default transport is MSMQ



## Demo: Responding to ServiceControl Events



Notification if a message goes to the error queue

#### ServicePulse

Web application intended for live monitoring

Intended for non-techies

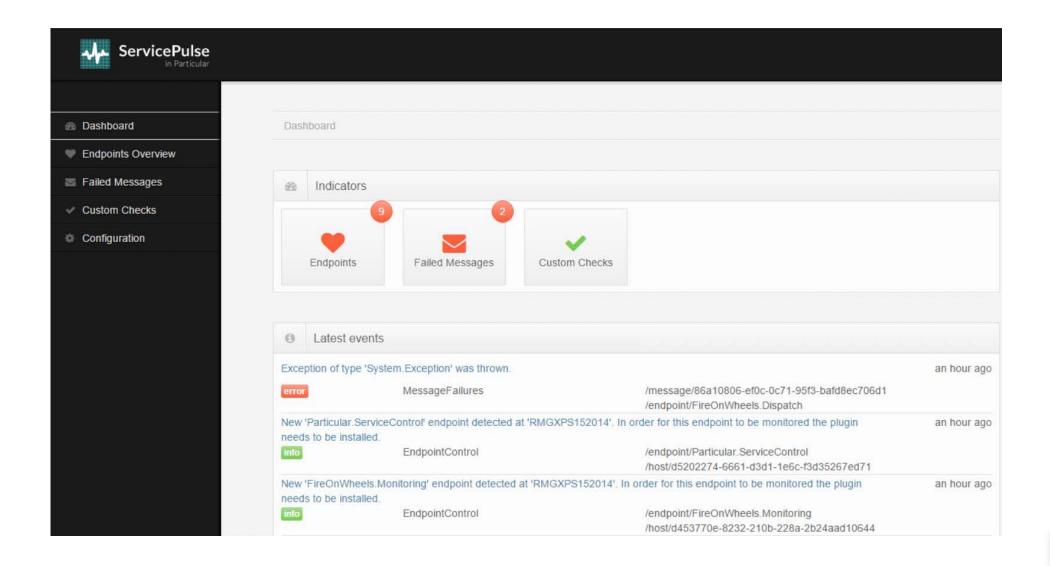
Messages in error queue

Heartbeat

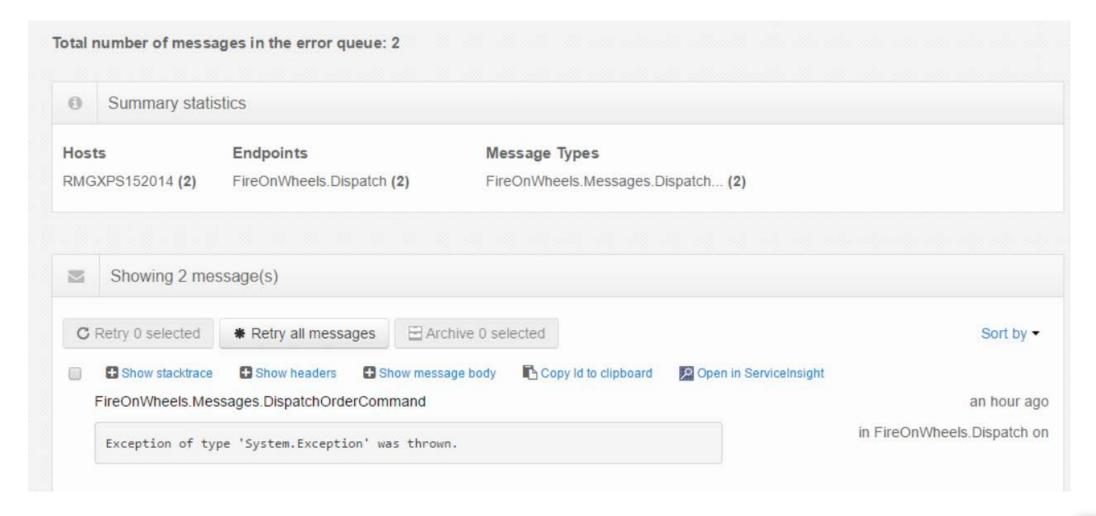
**Custom checks** 



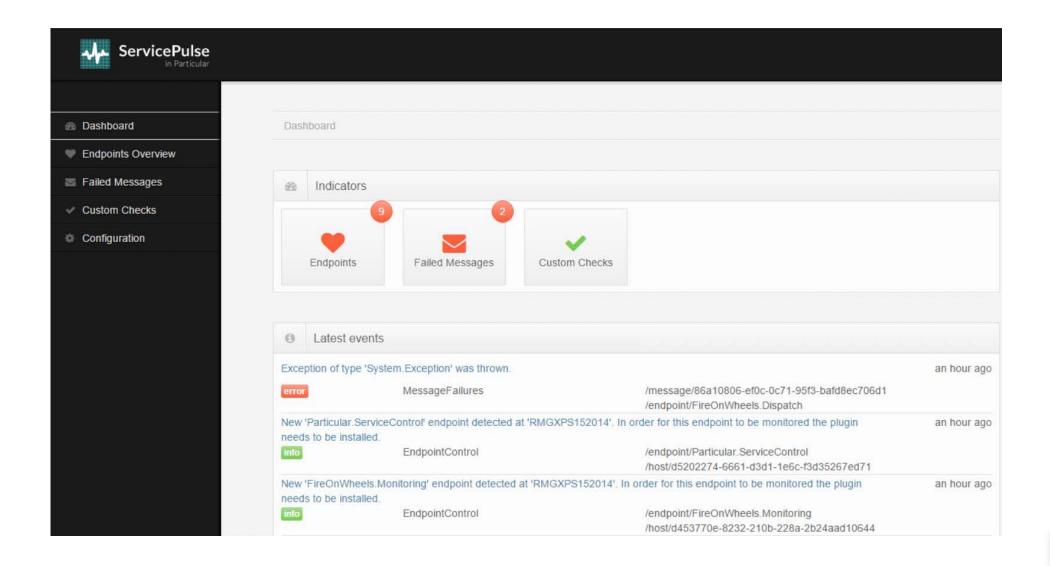
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# Failed Messages



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#### **Custom Checks**

- Add class to service
- Add NuGet package
- Derive from CustomCheck or PeriodicCheck
- 4. Implement actual check in PerformCheck



## Implementing a Custom Check

```
public class RestServiceHealthCustomCheck: PeriodicCheck
   public RestServiceHealthCustomCheck():
     base("RestServiceHealth", "RestService",
        TimeSpan.FromMinutes(5)) {}
   public override CheckResult PerformCheck()
     //Ping service
     return CheckResult.Failed("REST service not reachable");
```

#### Custom Check in ServicePulse



# ServiceInsight

Desktop application to visualize message flows

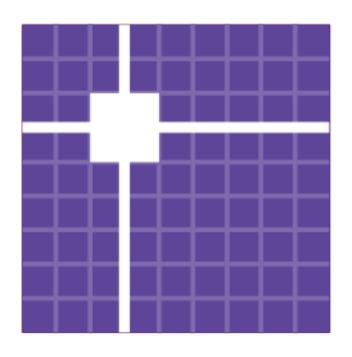
Intended for developers and architects



#### ServiceMatrix

Visual Studio plugin

Design your systems in a graphical way on conceptual level of endpoints and services



# Summary



ServiceControl gathers messages and exposes data with an API

ServicePulse is a dashboard to do monitoring

ServiceInsight shows you messages and their relationships

ServiceMatrix lets you create a (micro)service architecture visually