

Delivering TV Everywhere

- With Cloud Native Solutions



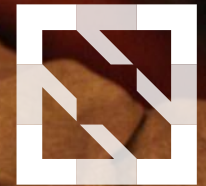
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• Jerome Champetier



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Sit back and relax

MediaKind
everyone. everywhere.



Mediakind? We do TV!



Cloud Native... Media ?!!



Cloud Native... Challenges



Wants to see 360° in the Cloud?



Who are we?



▶ Arnaud Caron

- ▶ Joined Techicolor in 2003
 - ▶ Software Engineer, Software architect, Innovation
 - ▶ IPTV, OTT...
- ▶ Joined NSN / Accenture in 2010
 - ▶ Via acquisition
 - ▶ Solution Architect
 - ▶ Large customer solution for Broadcast, IPTV, OTT
- ▶ And Mediakind!
 - ▶ Joined Envivio in 2013 acquired by Ericsson and divested to Mediakind
- ▶ **Now: Head of Management, Orchestration & Cloud (Product Management)**



▶ Jerome Champetier

- ▶ Joined TANDBERG Television in 2004
 - ▶ Software Engineer
 - ▶ Working on the first IPTV systems in the world
- ▶ Joined Ericsson in 2007
 - ▶ Via acquisition
 - ▶ Ported Linux 2.6.23 on custom appliances
 - ▶ Then wrote Linux drivers & apps for these appliances
- ▶ Joined MediaKind in 2019
 - ▶ Via divestment
- ▶ **Now: Senior Technology Architect at MediaKind**



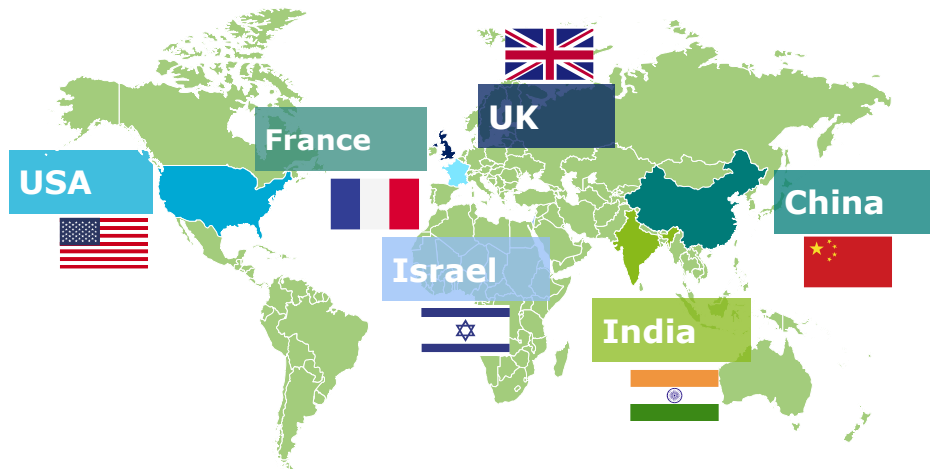
MediaKind Overview

A Global Leader in Media Technology

- ▶ Providing media processing, delivery, and TV service platforms for Broadcasters and Cable, Satellite, Telco, and OTT TV operators

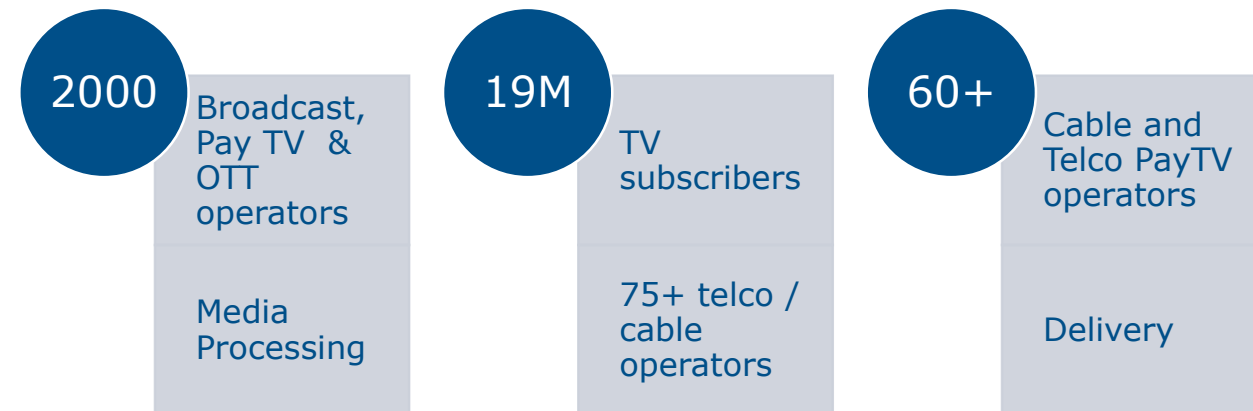
Key R+D Locations

Approximately 1,000 HC in R&D



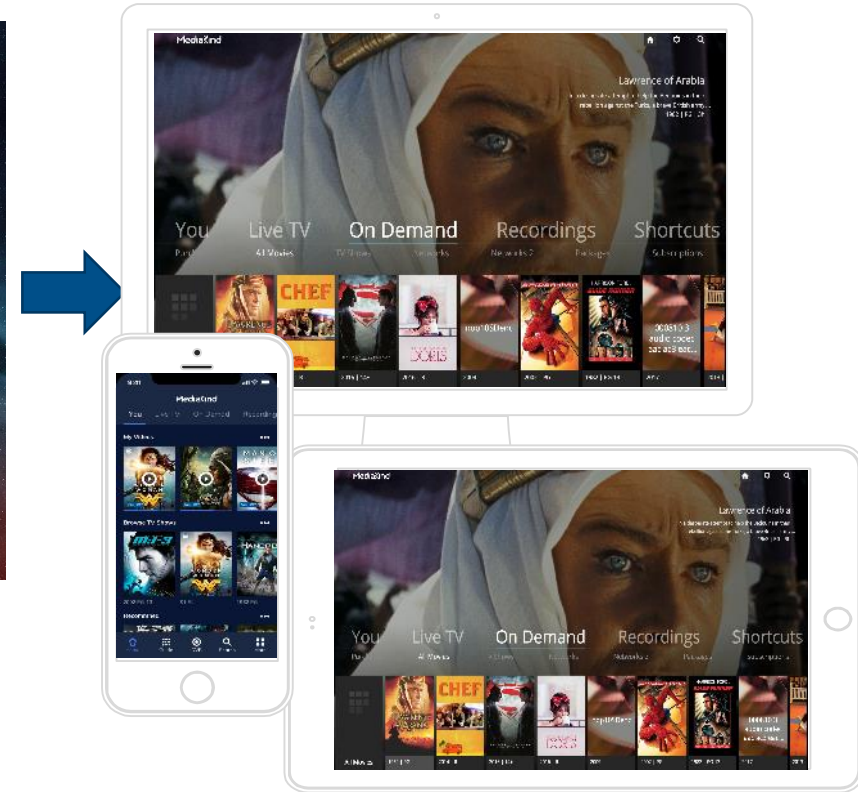
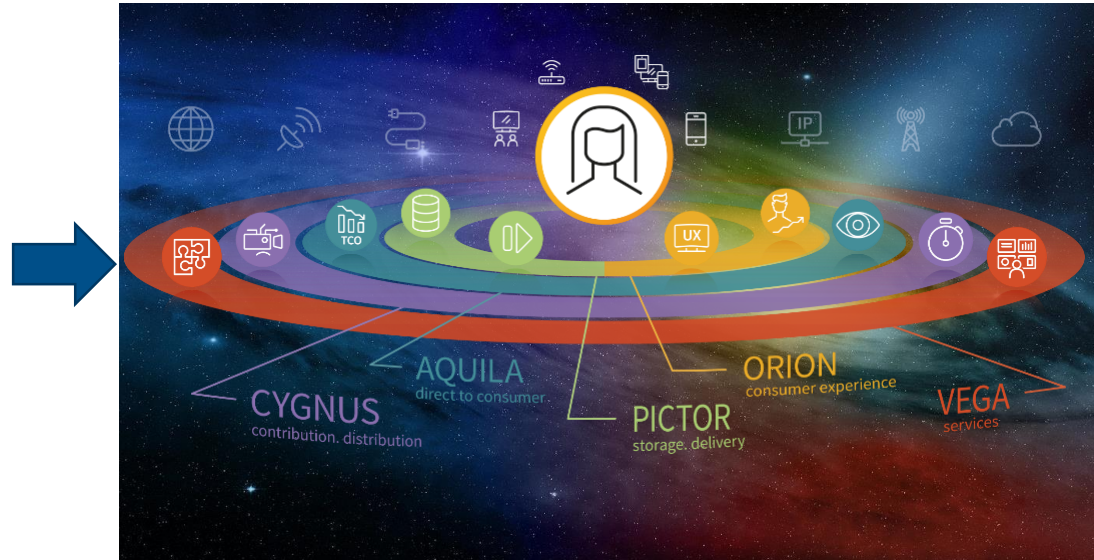
Global customers

Global footprint, with diverse customer base



What we do? Media & Entertainment 😊

- ▶ **Processing, Delivery and Platforms Technology & Services for enabling high quality media!**

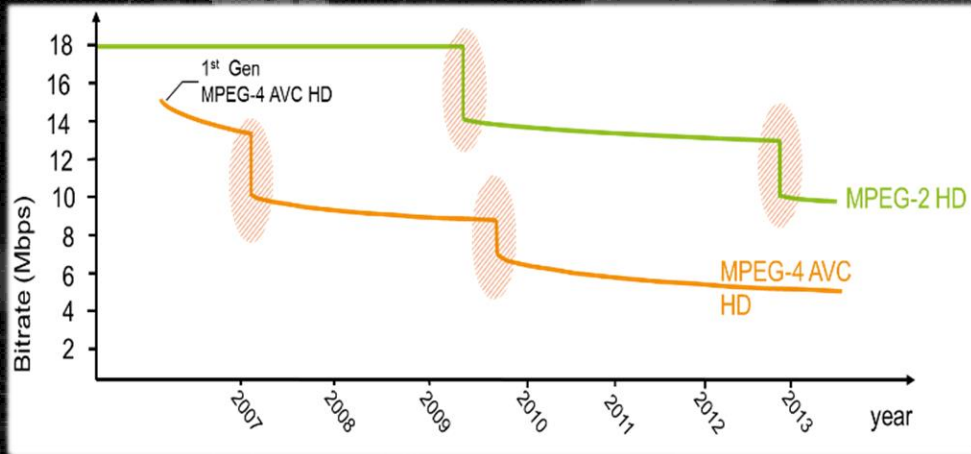


- ▶ Live TV / Streaming solutions
- ▶ Replay TV & Network DVR solutions
- ▶ Video On Demand solutions
- ▶ Advertising & advanced experience solutions...

Where the Media industry is coming from...

Performance vs Flexibility

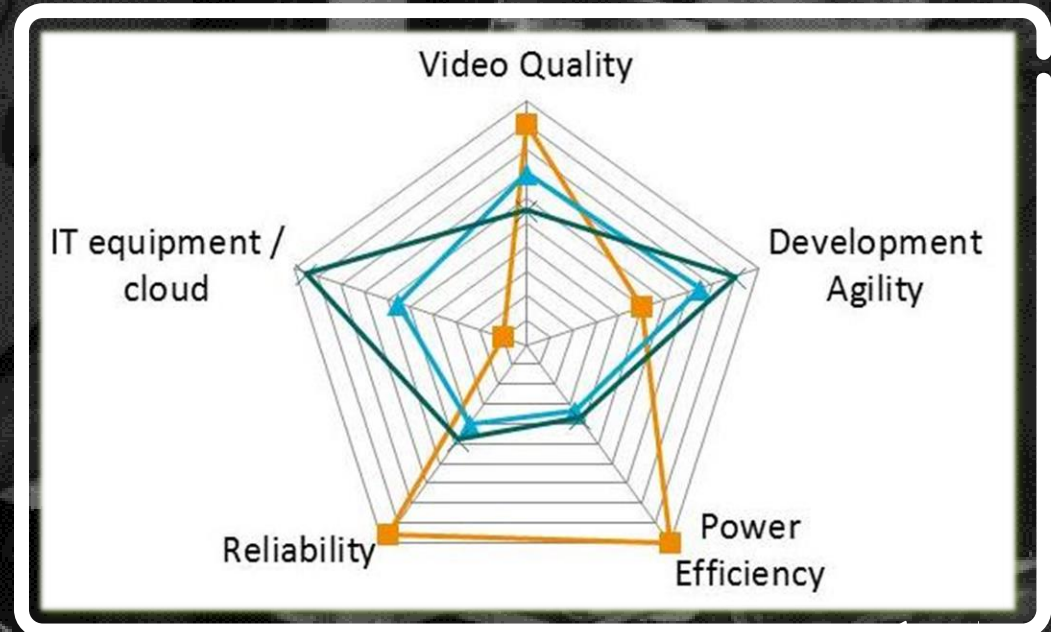
Performance



Processing Performance was judged by individual codec bandwidth savings

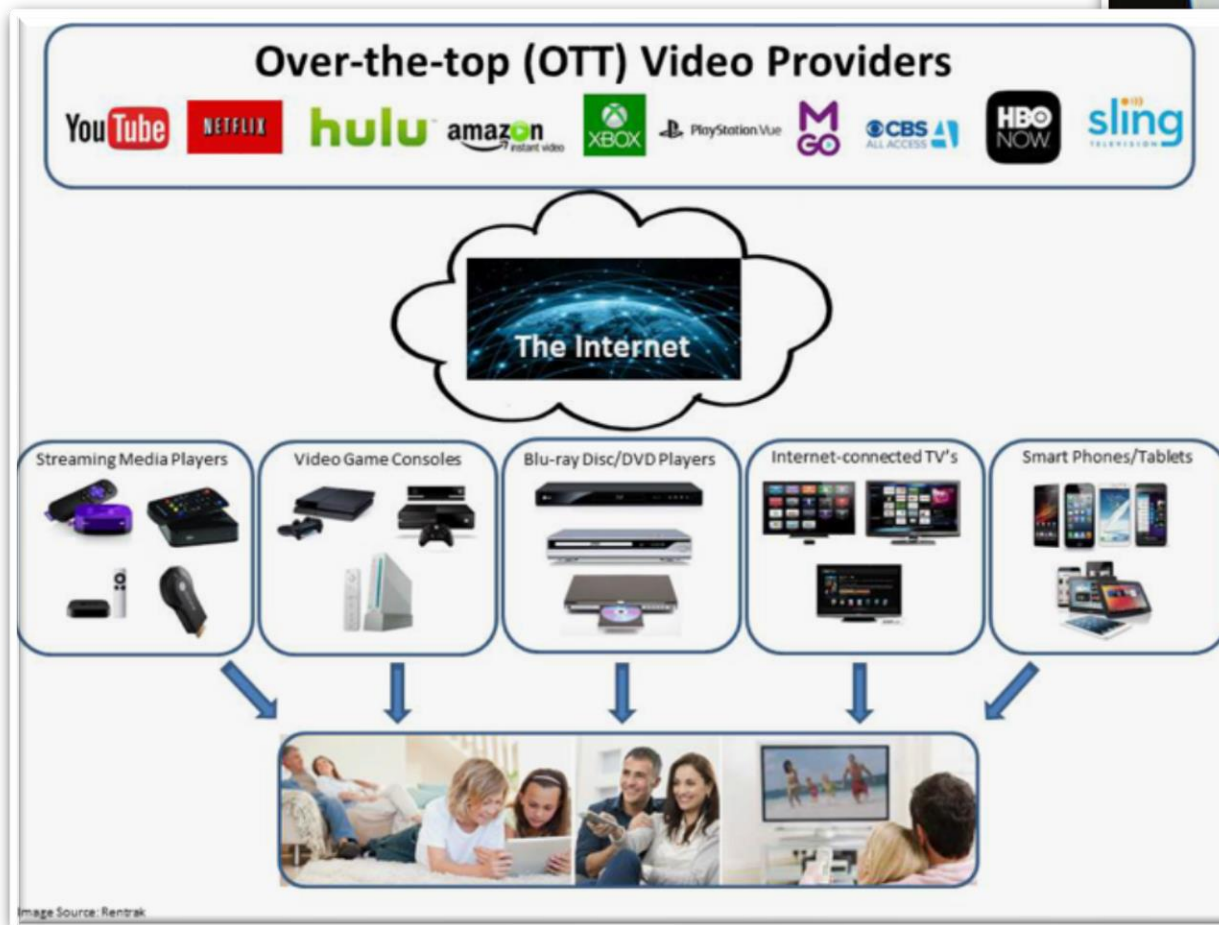
- More channels on same network (e.g. satellite...)
- Better quality of services

Flexibility was a trade-off against performance



Network & PayTV operators are under pressure

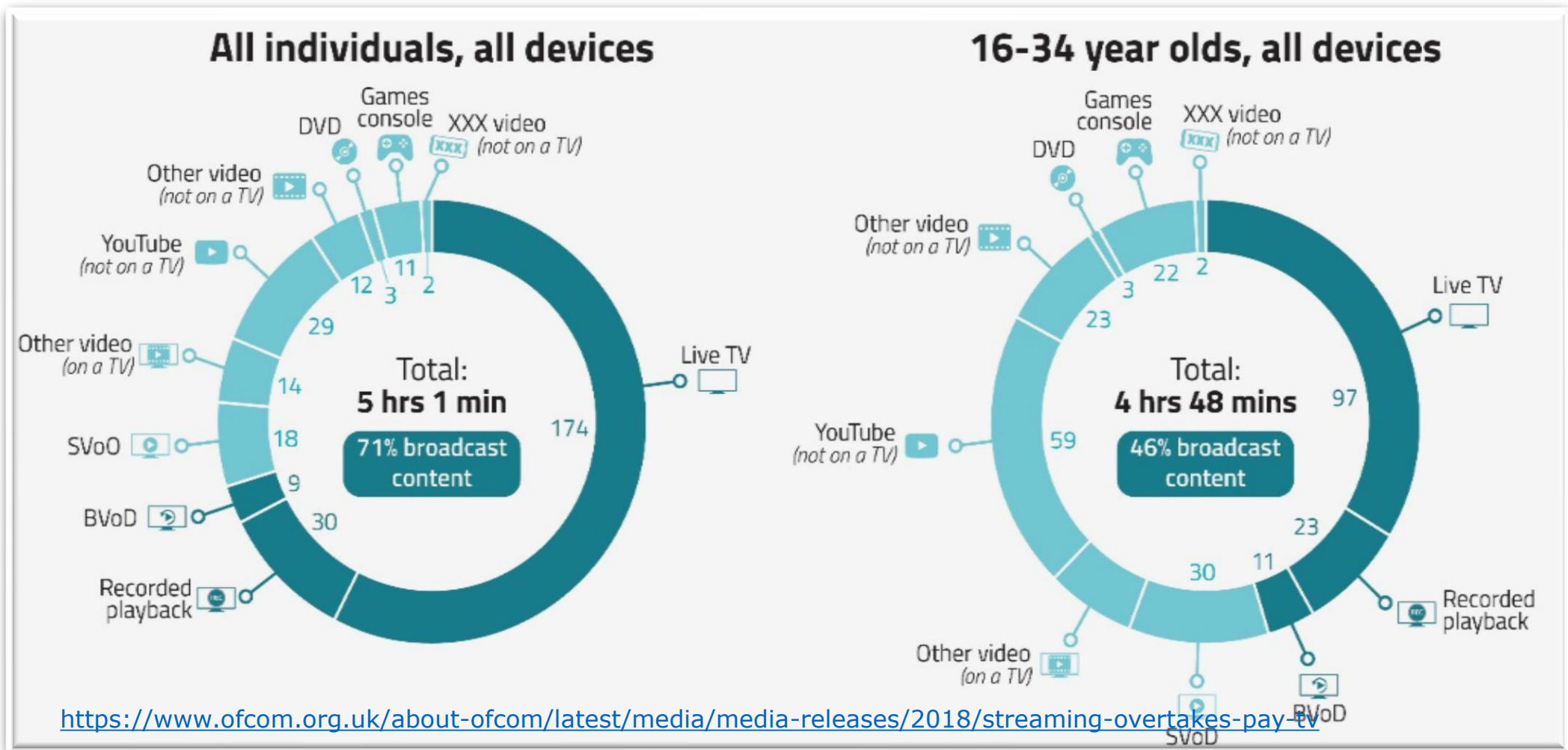
- ▶ OTT (Over-The-Top) remove the physical link (cable, DSL...) between Pay TV / network operators & access to TV services!



<https://blog.technavio.com/blog/top-13-companies-in-the-over-the-top-ott-market>

Network & PayTV operators are under pressure

- ▶ New ways of doing & consuming TV: THERE and NOW with awesome personal EXPERIENCE!



The answer: Media moving Cloud Native?



Infrastructure



Operations



Finance

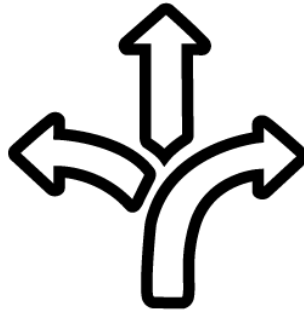
What is so specific for Media?

▶ Transactional



- ▶ All **TV** and **mobile User Interfaces** available in the public cloud
- ▶ **Content** and **Subscriber** management
- ▶ **Personalized** experience

▶ Flow-oriented



- ▶ **12GBps / live stream** with **few ms latency**
- ▶ “five nines”: **5.26min downtime per year!**
- ▶ Peak traffic: **72 Tbps** (~10 million DVDs per hour) – Akamai 2018

▶ Storage-based



- ▶ **100s of PBs** of storage for **TV show private copy**
- ▶ Stored “**in the Cloud**” & accessible from **anywhere** at **anytime**

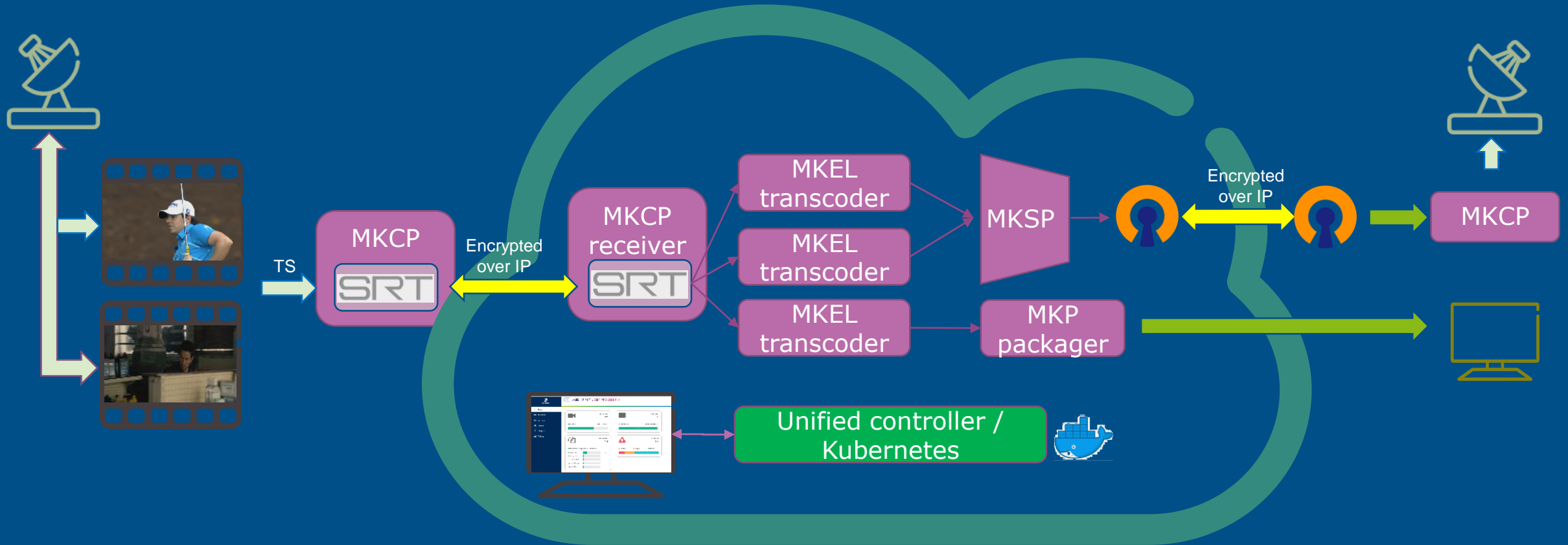
All these workloads have to work together!

Live TV Evolution 2018 - 2020

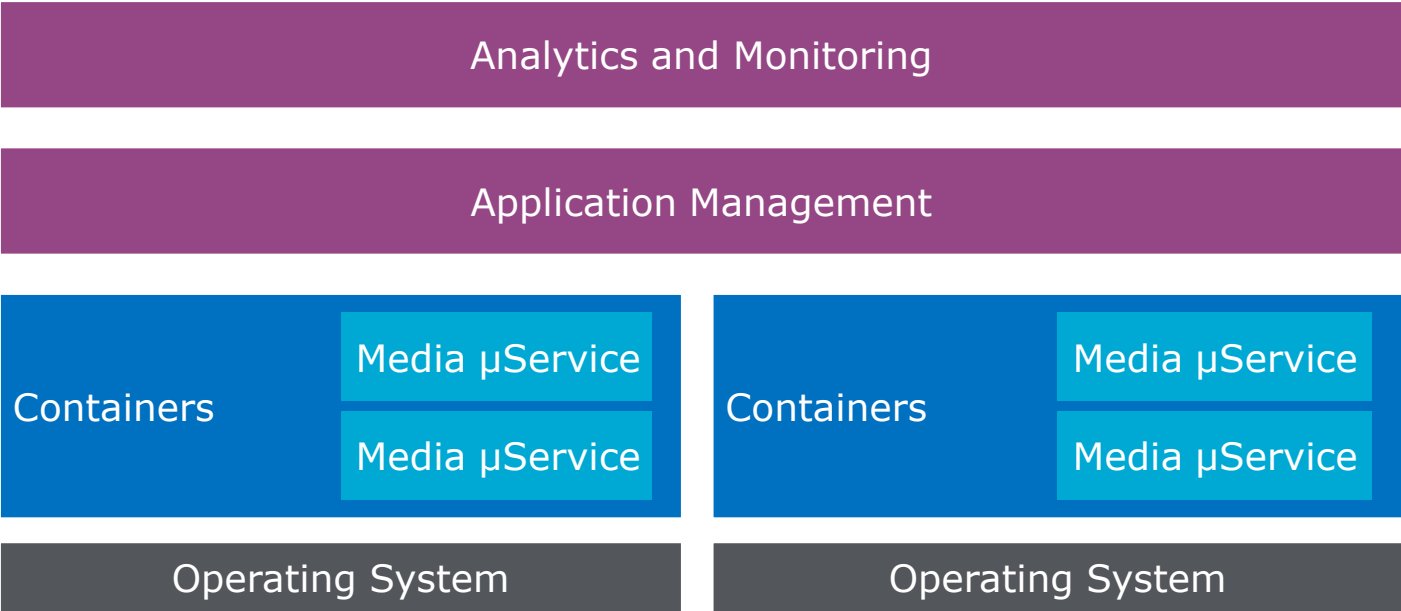
Cloud Uplink

Public cloud

Cloud Downlink



Architecture Evolution



High-Level Management

Micro-services, Containers and Networking



Application Management & Monitoring



Infrastructure

Seamless interface to private and public cloud



What about infrastructure?



Dedicated Appliances

Connected via Ethernet



Integrated into servers

E.g: PCIe option card



Deployed into Clouds

E.g: AWS, Google Cloud

What about networking?

▶ TV is migrating from ASI/SDI



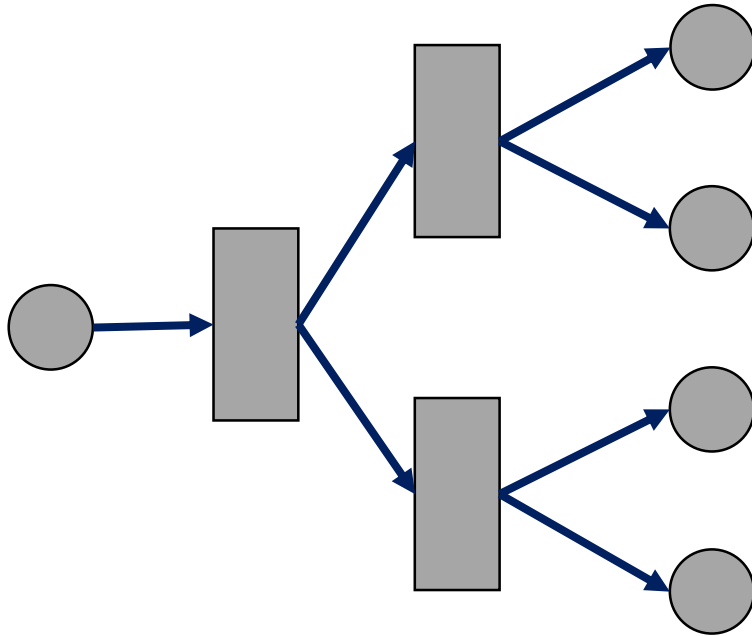
▶ ... To IP



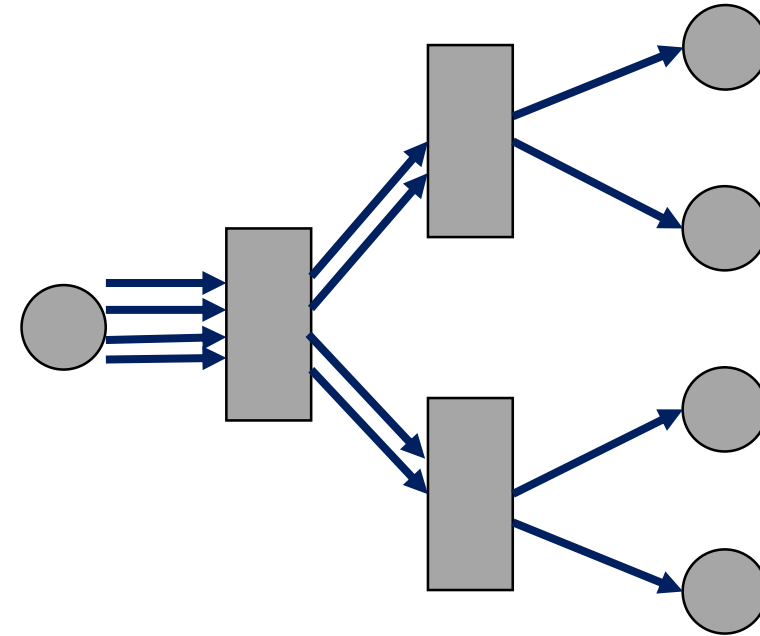
But progressively

Live TV and Container Networking

▶ Live TV is often Multicast



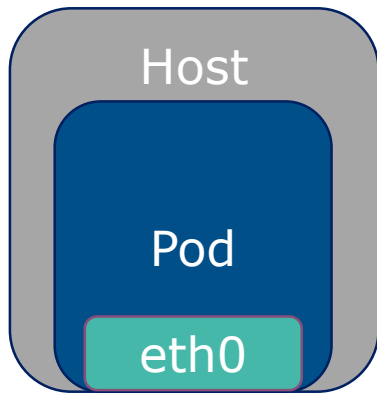
▶ Container Networks are Unicast



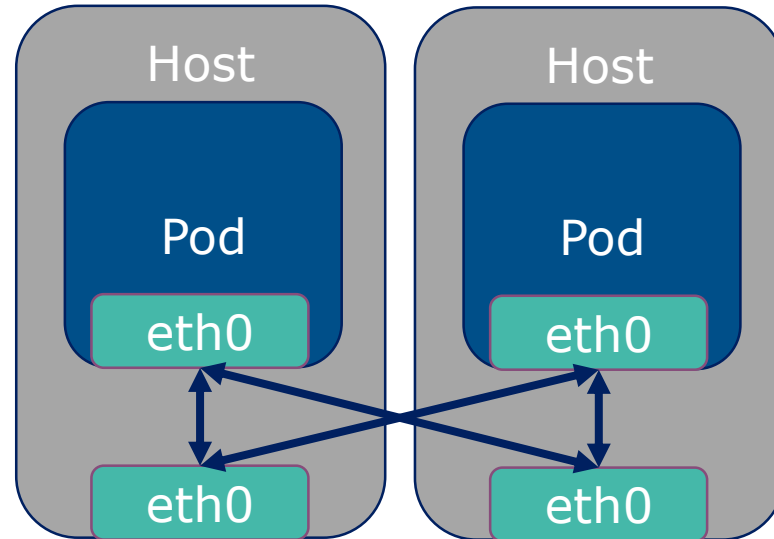
So we have to convert flows!

Container Networking: What a journey!

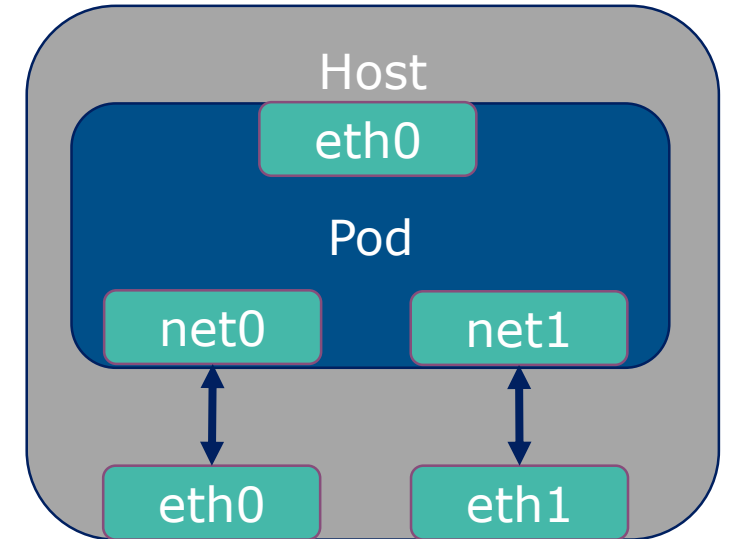
► Host networking



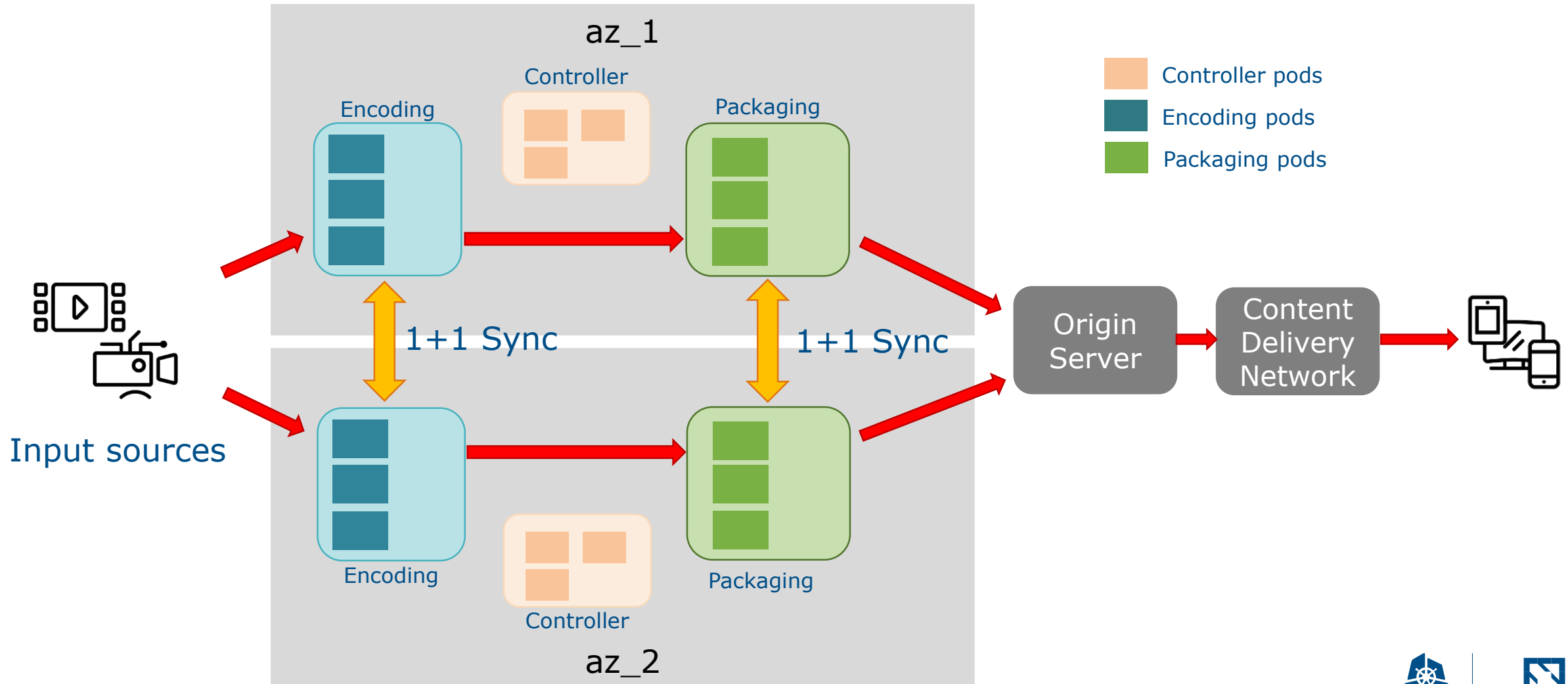
► NodePort Services



► Multiple NICs



Example of Live TV on Kubernetes



Application deployment

From Containers to Solutions

Collection of containerized micro-services



Versioned **Charts** with documented parameters



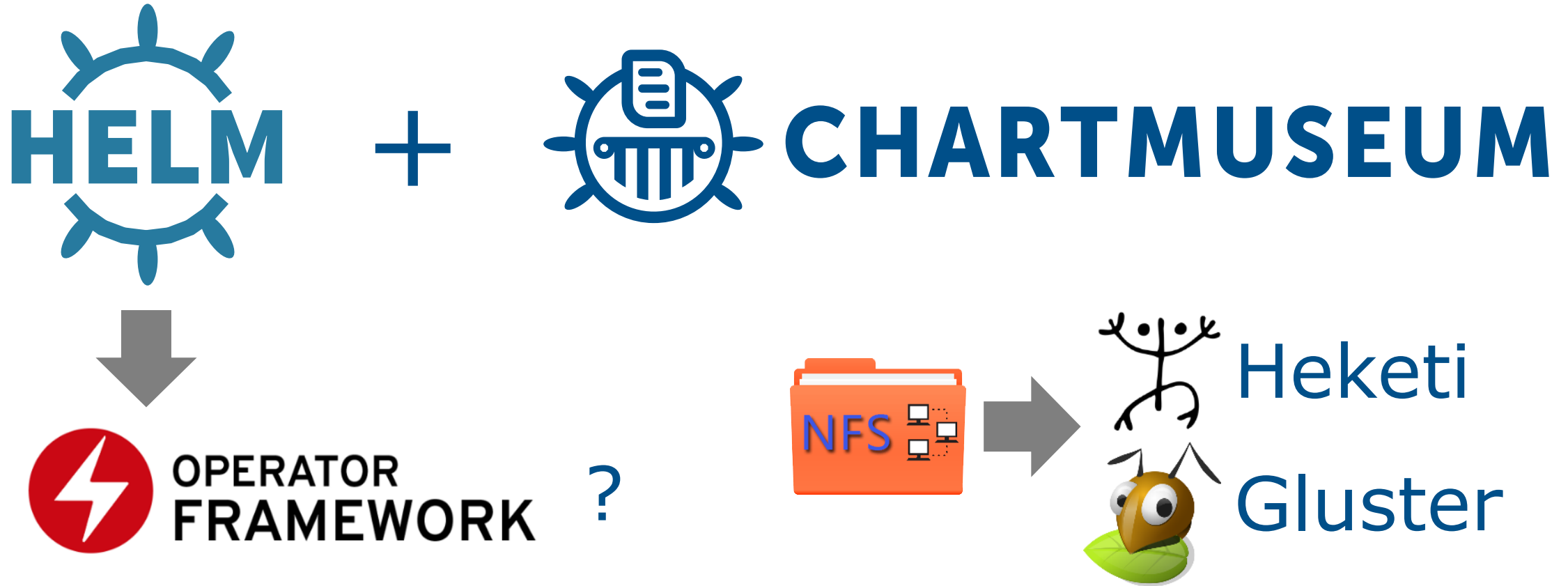
Common solution blueprints



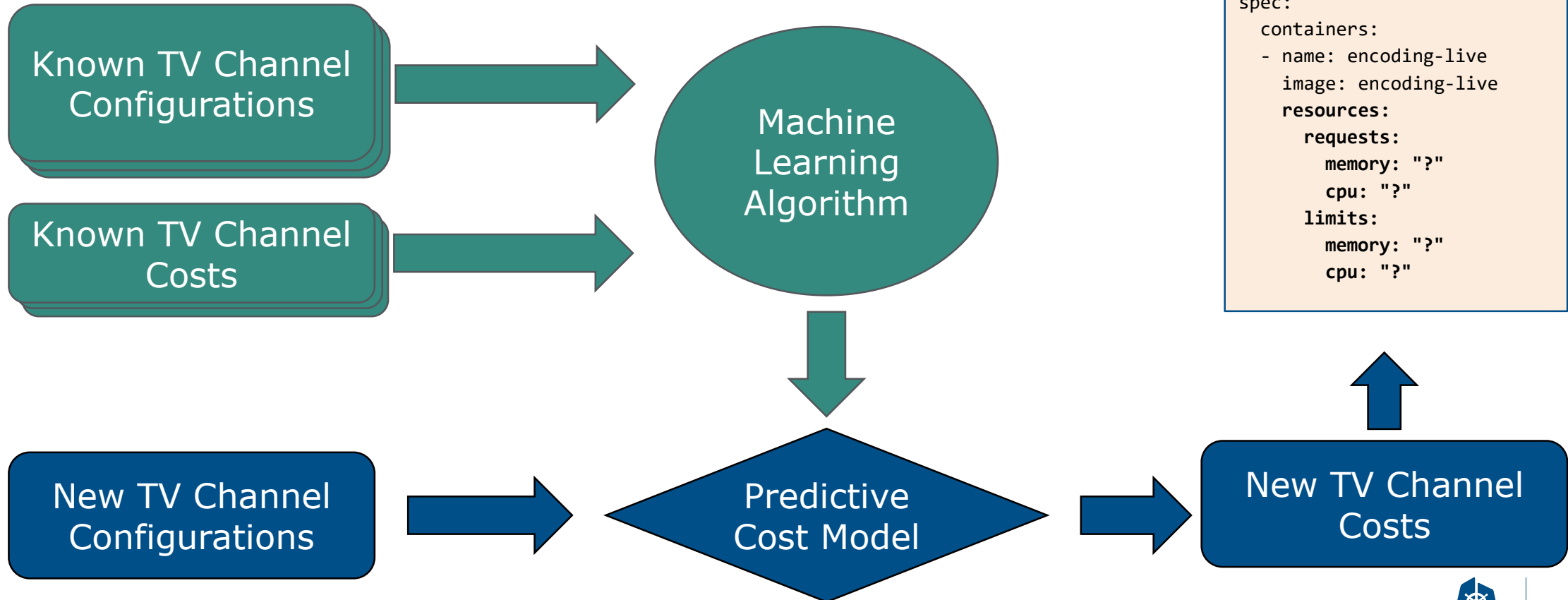
Multiple deployment patterns!!!



Evolution of application deployment



What about resource requests?

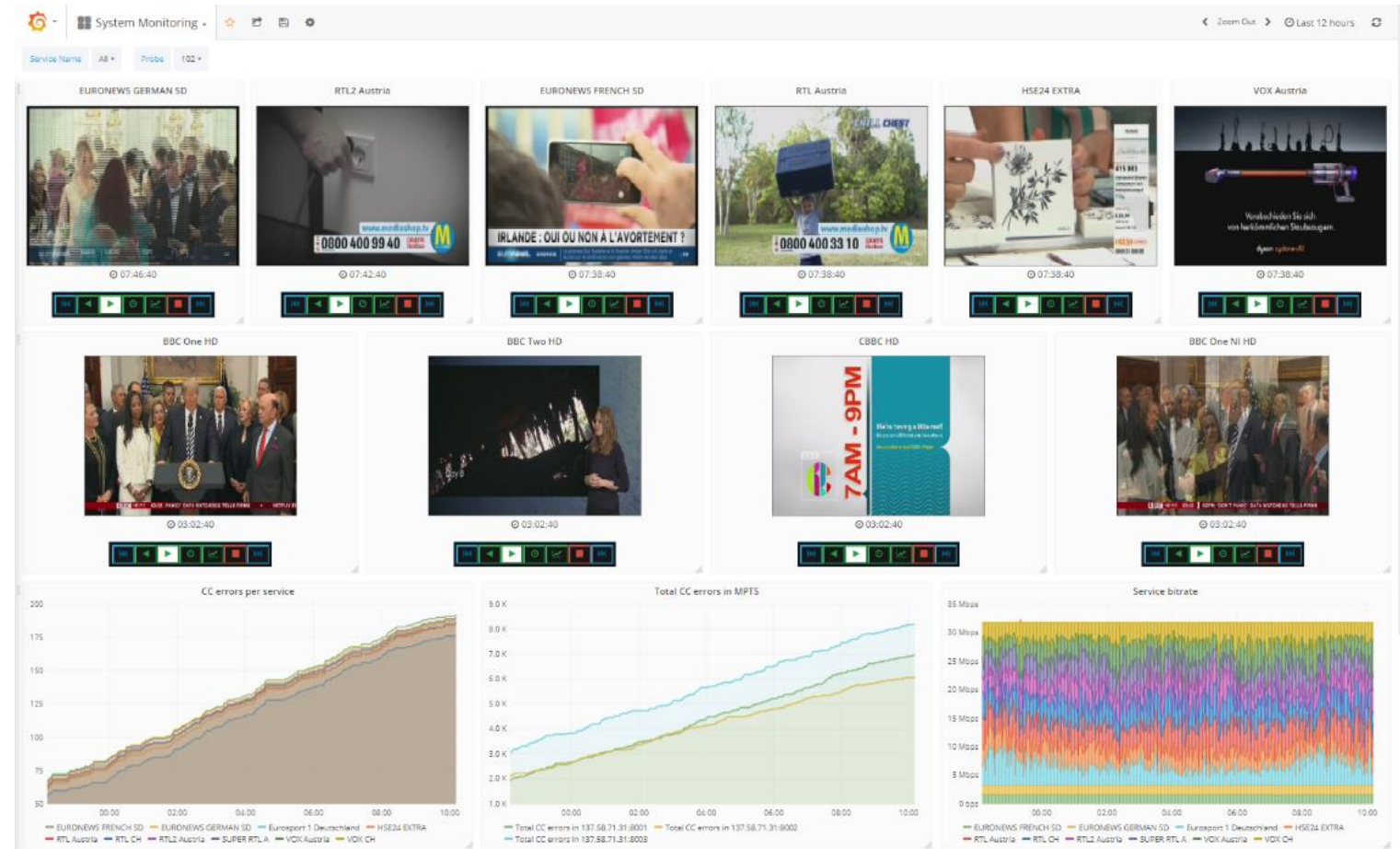


Monitoring TV Operations

- Monitoring and Analytics frameworks are the same as general IT
 - TV-aware service monitoring is needed
 - TV control applications are simplified
- TV and IT operations converge



Grafana



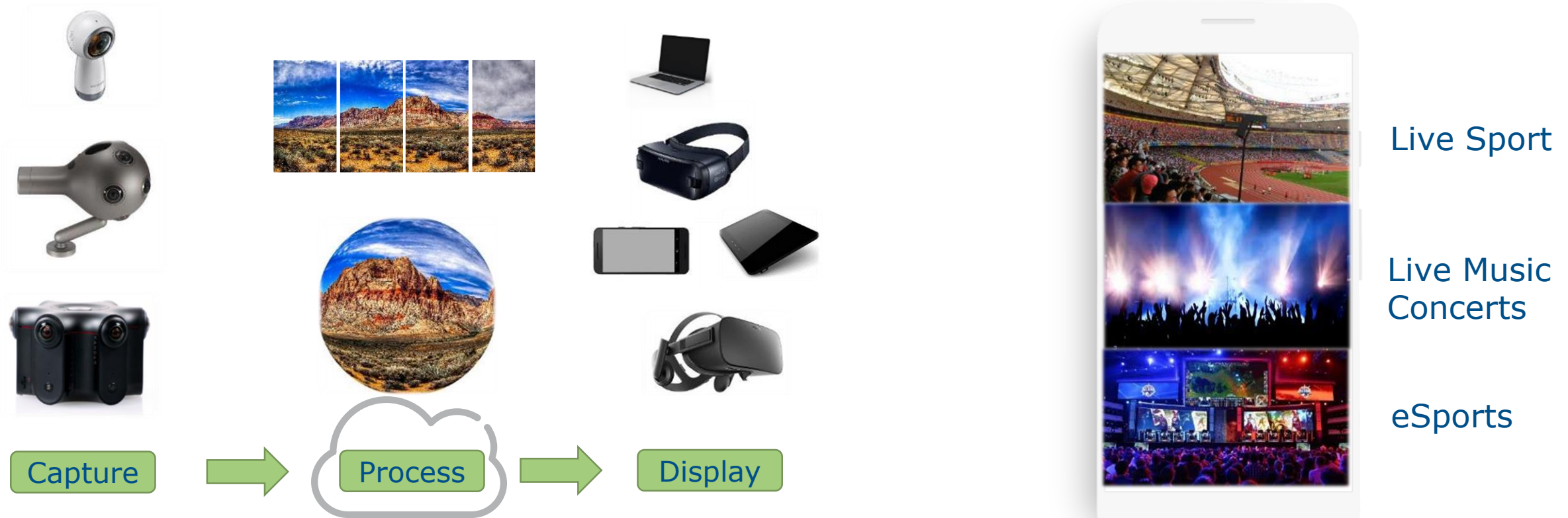
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360° augmented **viewing experience**



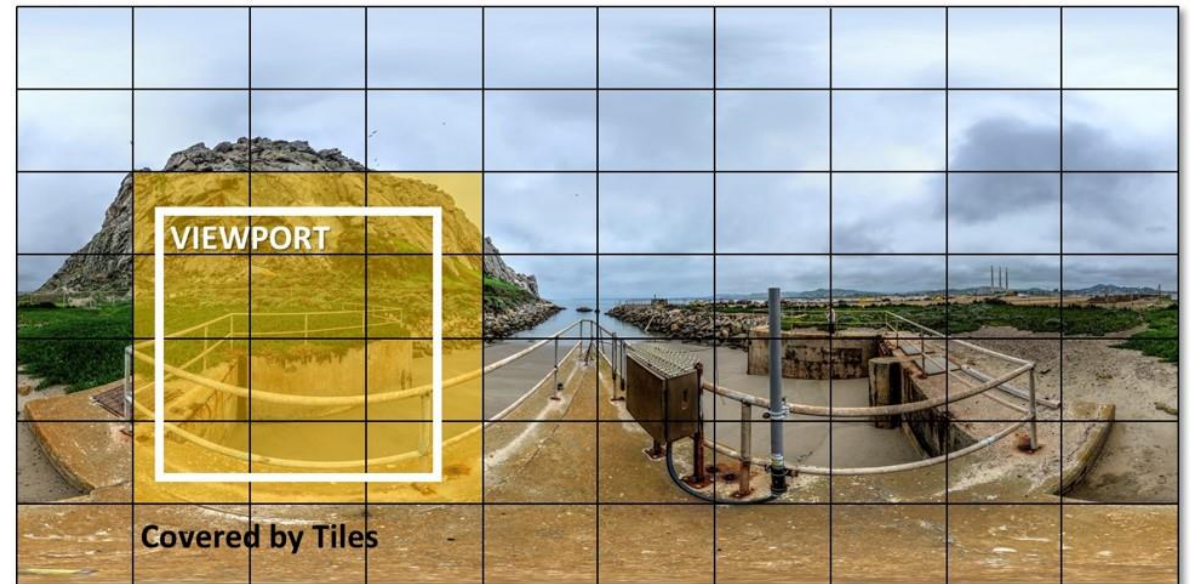
- Transport the viewer immediately into the live action
- Deliver a perspective that would not be possible, even from the most expensive seat in the house
- VR experience but also social and personalized on handset devices

Autoscaling: More metrics please!

► From stateful encoders



► To stateless encoding jobs



What about H/V Pod Scalers?

Yes, but with custom metrics?

Will you watch TV differently?

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