

puppet



IN THE
TRENCHES

GUERRILLA DEVOPS @ Braintree™

TODAY

WHO'S BRAINTREE?

WHY PUPPET?

TODAY

SUPPLY_DROP

LESSONS LEARNED





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DEAD SIMPLE

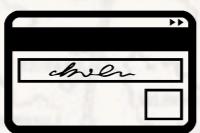




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KILLER SUPPORT

ROCK-SOLID PLATFORM

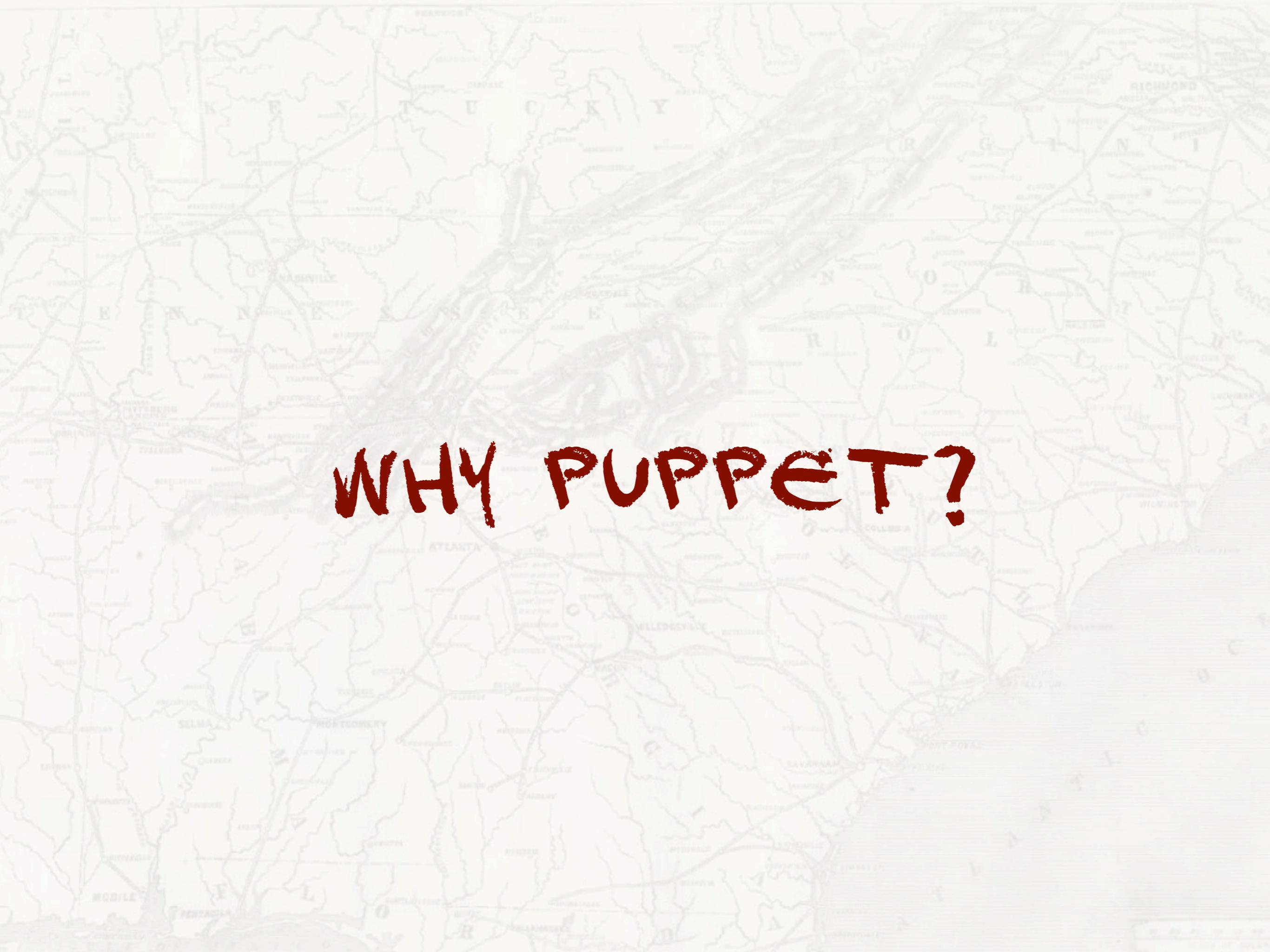
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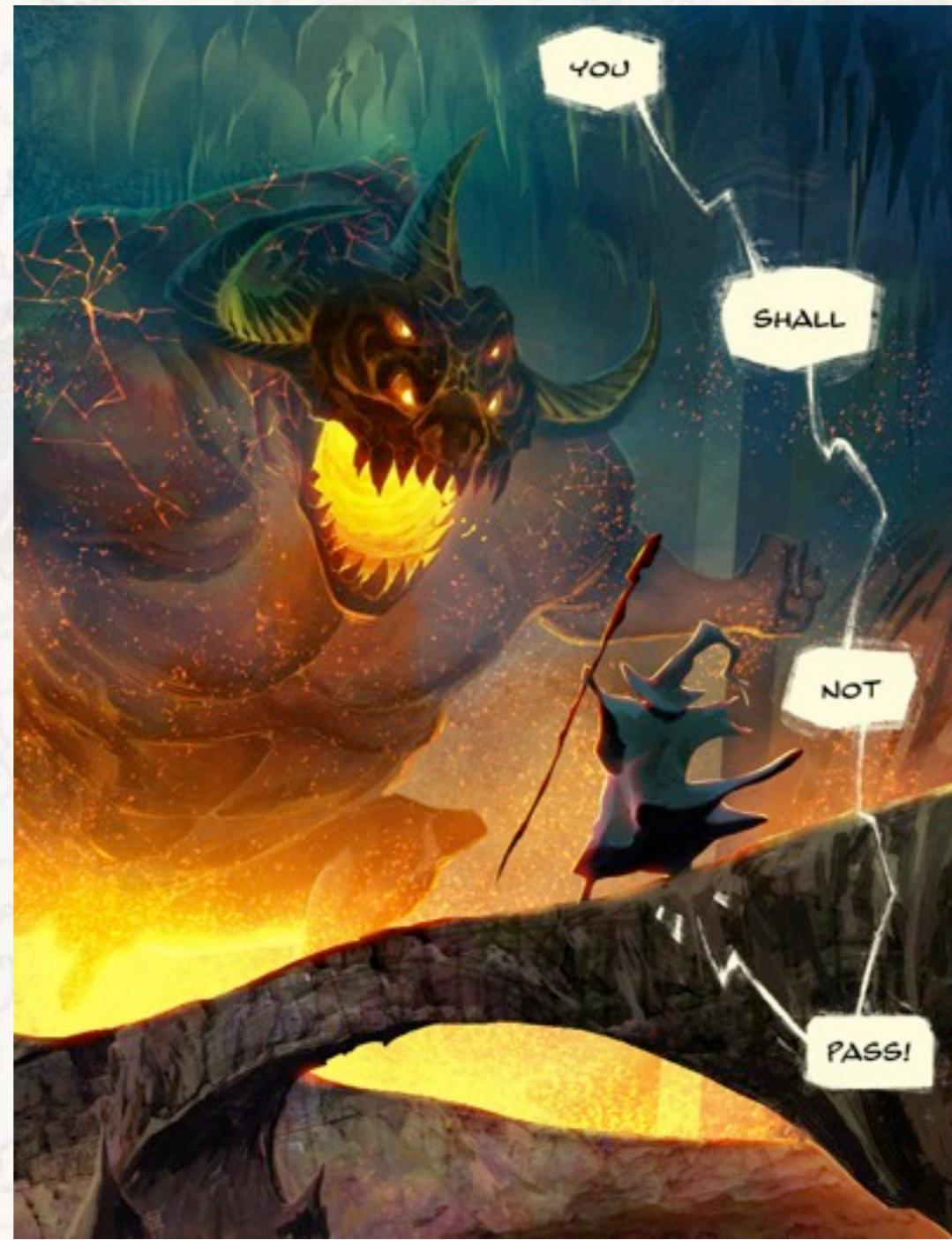


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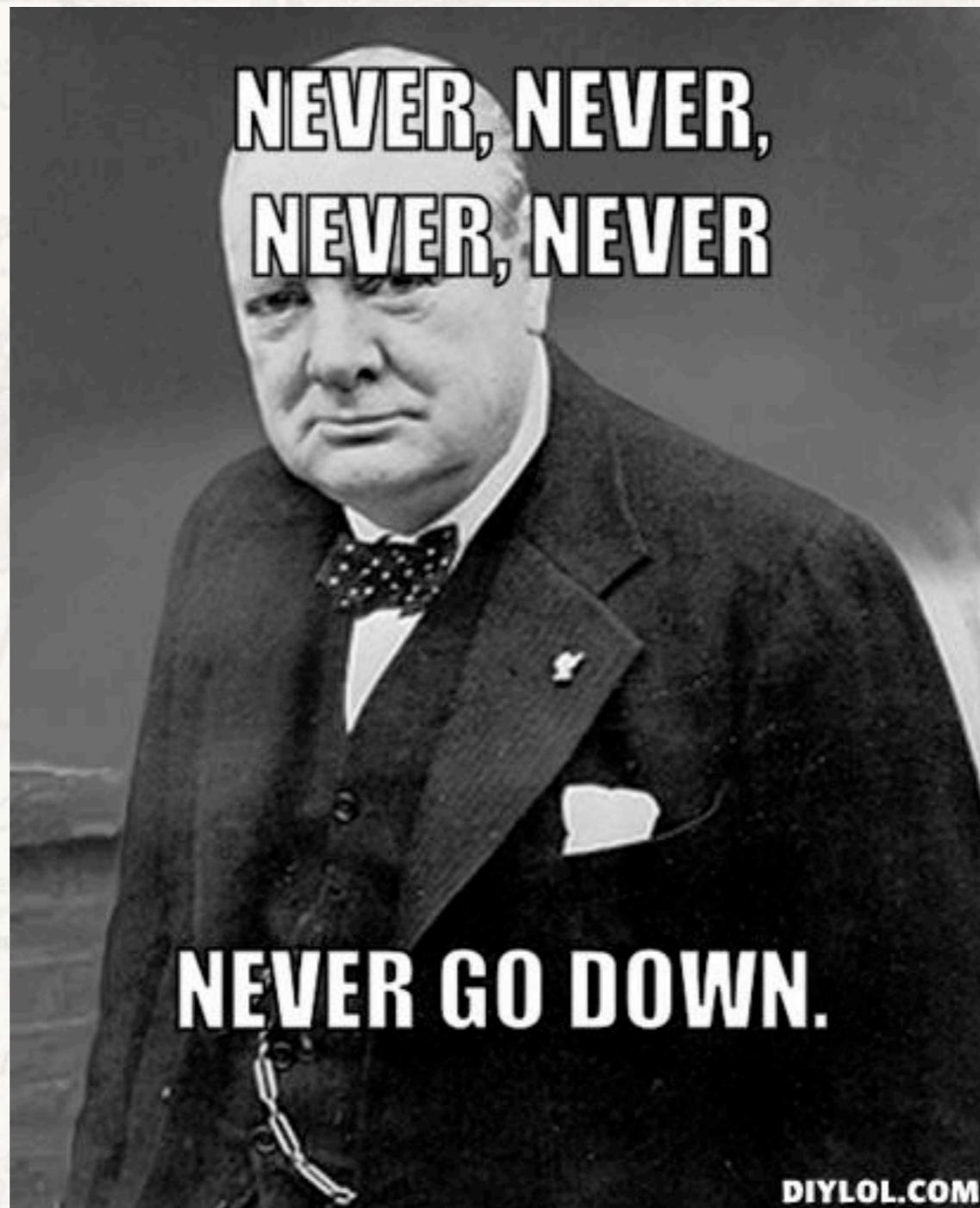
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...WITH A BIG JOB



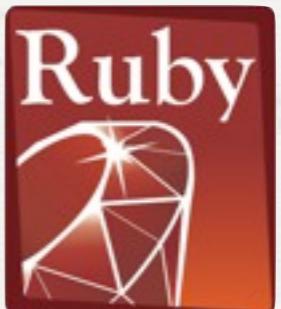
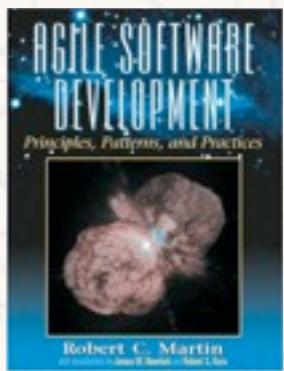
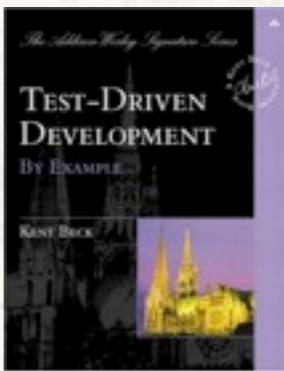
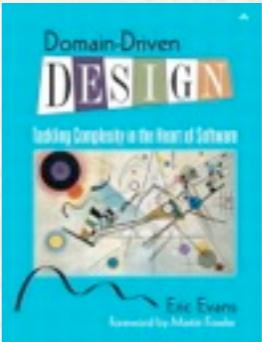
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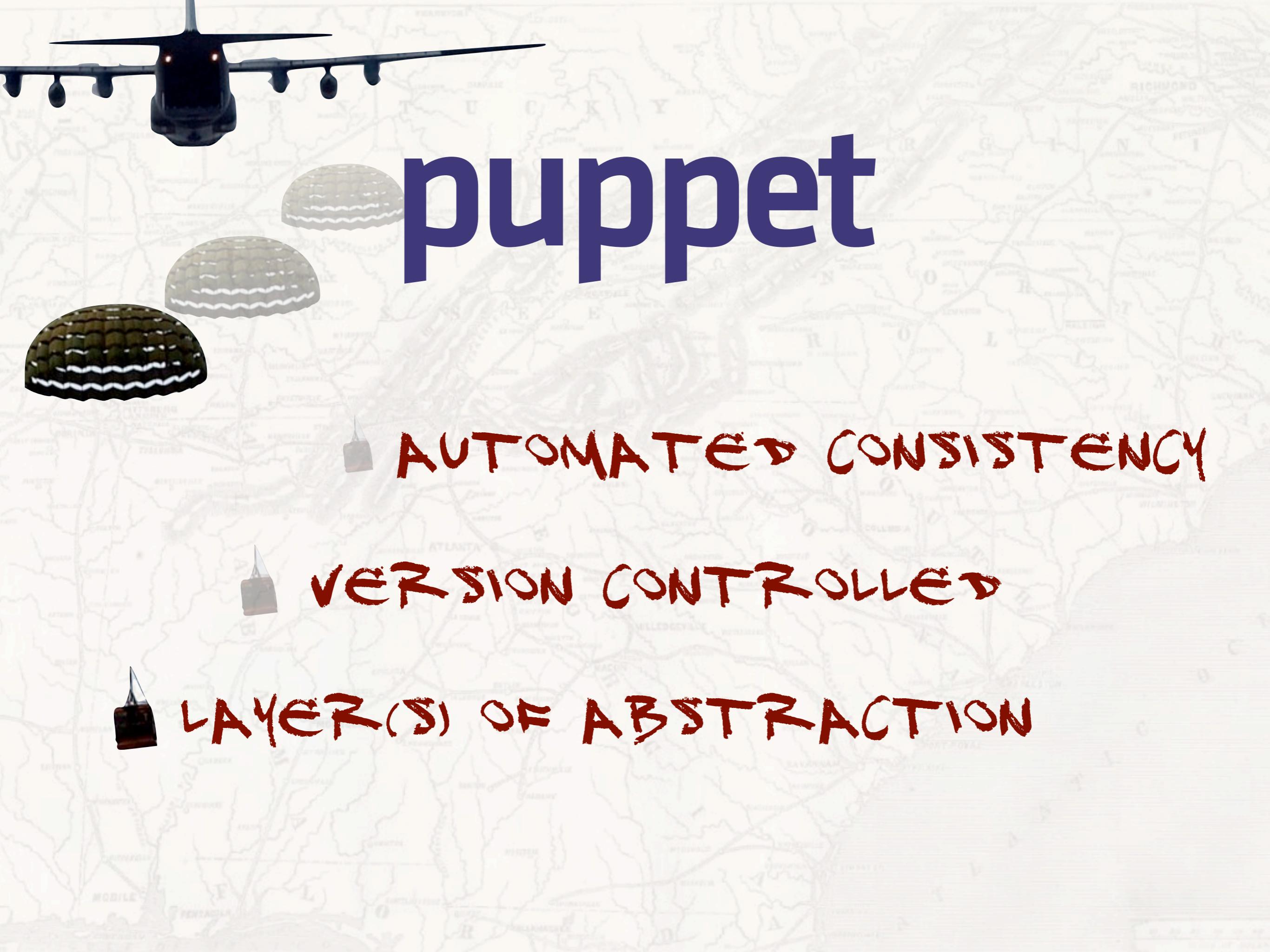


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- ▀ AUTOMATED CONSISTENCY

- ▀ VERSION CONTROLLED

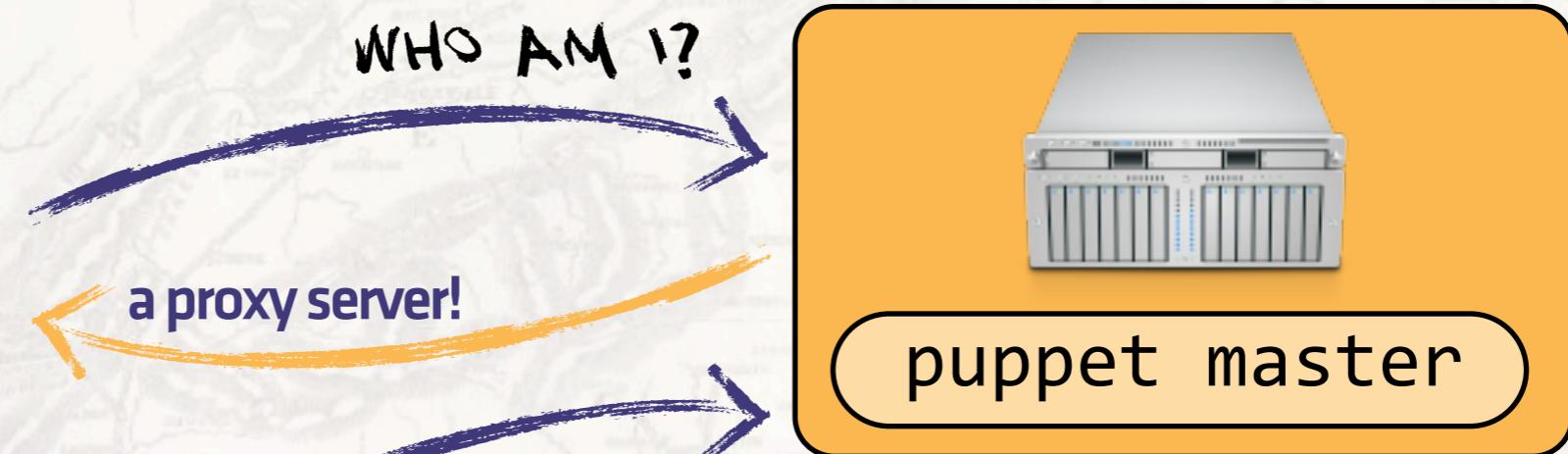
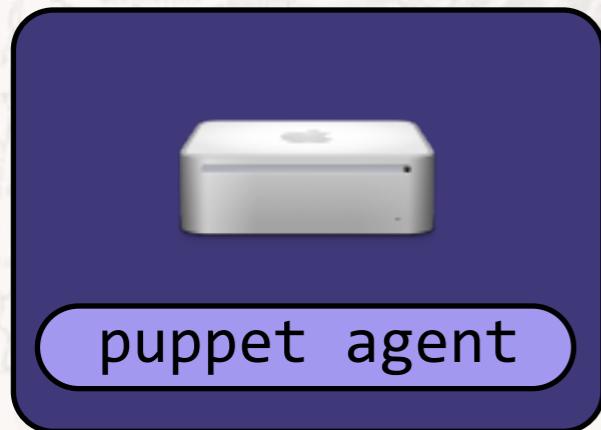
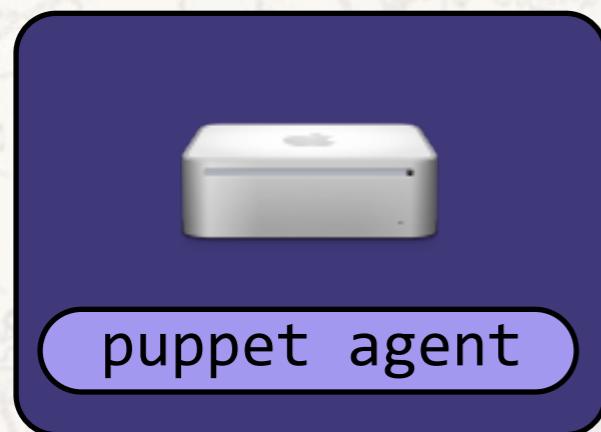
- ▀ LAYER(S) OF ABSTRACTION

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**MASTERLESS
WHY, PUPPET?**

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MASTERLESS puppet



YOU TWO:

MONGODB
CLUSTER!



APP NODE ASAP!



MASTERLESS puppet

FINE-GRAINED CONTROL

PARALLELIZATION

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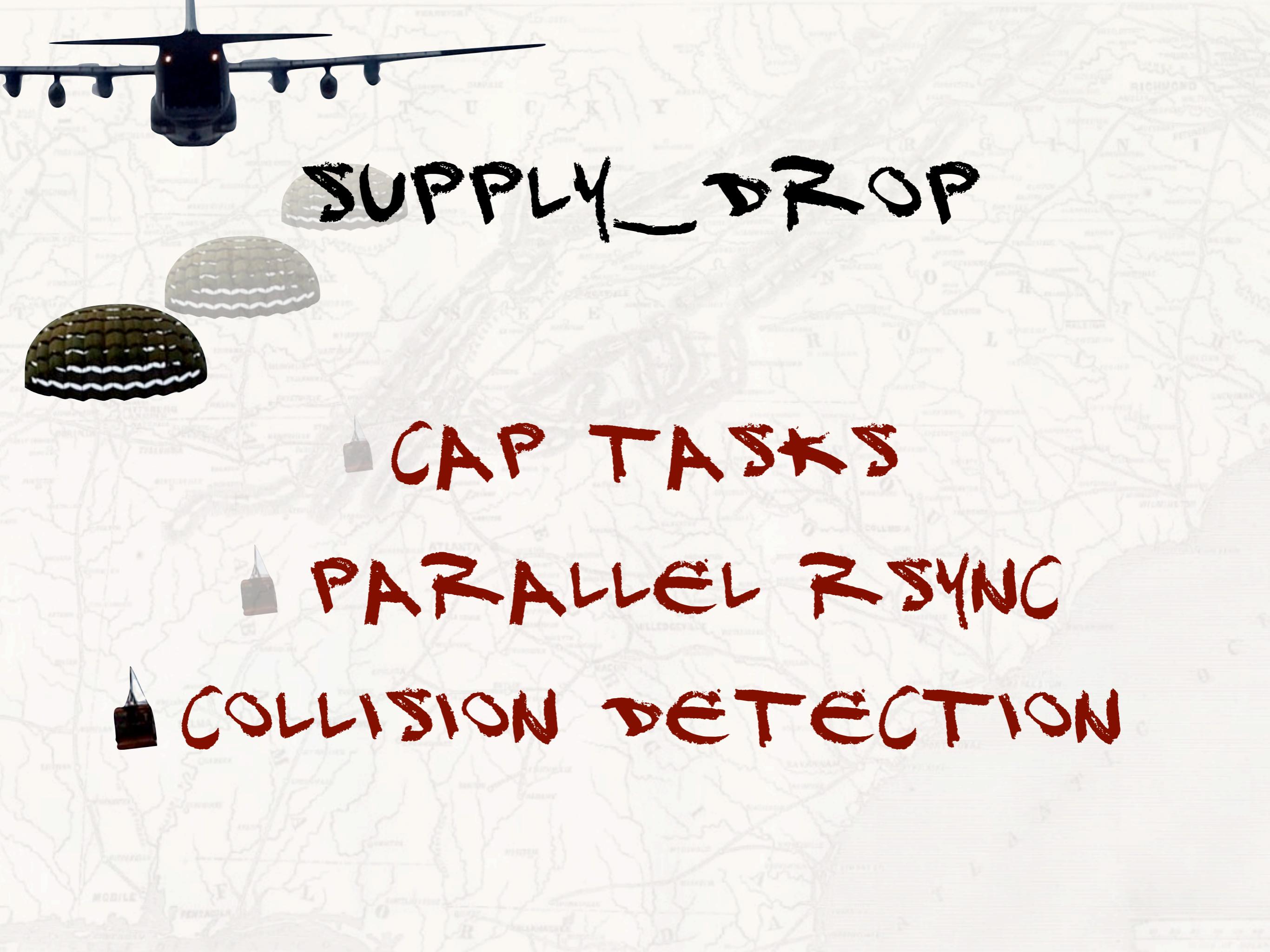
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SUPPLY DROP



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CAP TASKS



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COLLISION DETECTION

LET'S GET SUPPLY_DROP

```
# console
$ mkdir infrastructure
$ cd infrastructure
$ cat <<GEMFILE > Gemfile
source :rubygems

gem 'capistrano'
gem 'supply_drop'
GEMFILE
$ bundle install
...
Your bundle is complete!
$ vim config/deploy.rb
```

LET'S USE SUPPLY_DROP

```
# config/deploy.rb...
def tasks_for_datacenter(datacenter, servers)
task datacenter do
  role :server, *servers
end

servers.each do |server|
  task server do
    role :server, server
  end
end
end

tasks_for_datacenter :qa, %w(app1.qa db.qa)
tasks_for_datacenter :production, %w(app1.prod db.prod)
```

LET'S USE SUPPLY_DROP

```
# ...config/deploy.rb
require 'rubygems'
require 'supply_drop'
```

```
# puppet.pp
node 'app01.qa' {
  package { 'python': ensure => installed }
}
```

```
# console
$ cap app01.qa puppet noop
notice: /Stage[main]/Package[python]/ensure:
current_value absent, should be present (noop)
$ cap app01.qa puppet apply
```

FINE GRAINED CONTROL

```
$ cap db01.qa puppet:noop          # single boxes  
$ cap app{01..05}.qa puppet:noop  # classes of boxes  
$ cap qa puppet:noop             # entire environment
```



WE ALWAYS READ THE DIFF

```
$ git branch --list  
* master      # maps to QA environments  
* staging     # maps to pre-prod environments  
* production  # maps to production environments
```

PARALLELIZATION

ANYBODY
USING QA?
WORKING ON
A NAGIOS
CHECK

I'M TWEAKING
THE POSTGRES
CONFIGS, BUT WE
SHOULD BE FINE



```
$ cap monitor01.qa puppet noop  
$ cap monitor01.qa puppet apply  
$ git pull --rebase  
$ git commit
```

```
$ cap db01.qa puppet noop  
$ cap db01.qa puppet apply  
$ git pull --rebase  
$ git commit
```

PARALLELIZATION

```
$ git co master && git pull  
$ git co staging && git pull  
$ git merge master  
$ git log origin/staging..HEAD  
$ git diff origin/staging..HEAD  
# review git log and diff  
$ cap staging puppet noop  
# review puppet noop output  
$ cap db01.stg puppet:apply  
# selectively apply high-risk changes  
$ cap staging puppet:apply  
# flush out environment  
$ cap staging puppet noop  
# double check "clean noop"  
$ git push
```

SQUAD!
PREPPING A
MERGE TO
STAGING!



DISTRIBUTED

WELL...
THANKS GIT!



```
.  
├── config  
├── datacenters  
|   ├── qa.pp  
|   ├── staging.pp  
|   └── production.pp  
├── manifests          # legacy manifests; here be dragons  
├── modules            # new-style modules  
├── nodes              # node definitions  
|   ├── qa  
|   |   ├── app.pp      # divided into per-class files  
|   |   ├── db.pp  
|   |   └── proxy.pp  
|   ├── staging  
|   └── production  
├── puppet.pp          # top-level puppet file  
├── templates          # legacy templates; here too be dragons  
└── vendor              # vendored puppet pushed to machines  
    ├── facter-1.6.4  
    ├── puppet-2.6.13  
    └── supply_drop-0.10.2
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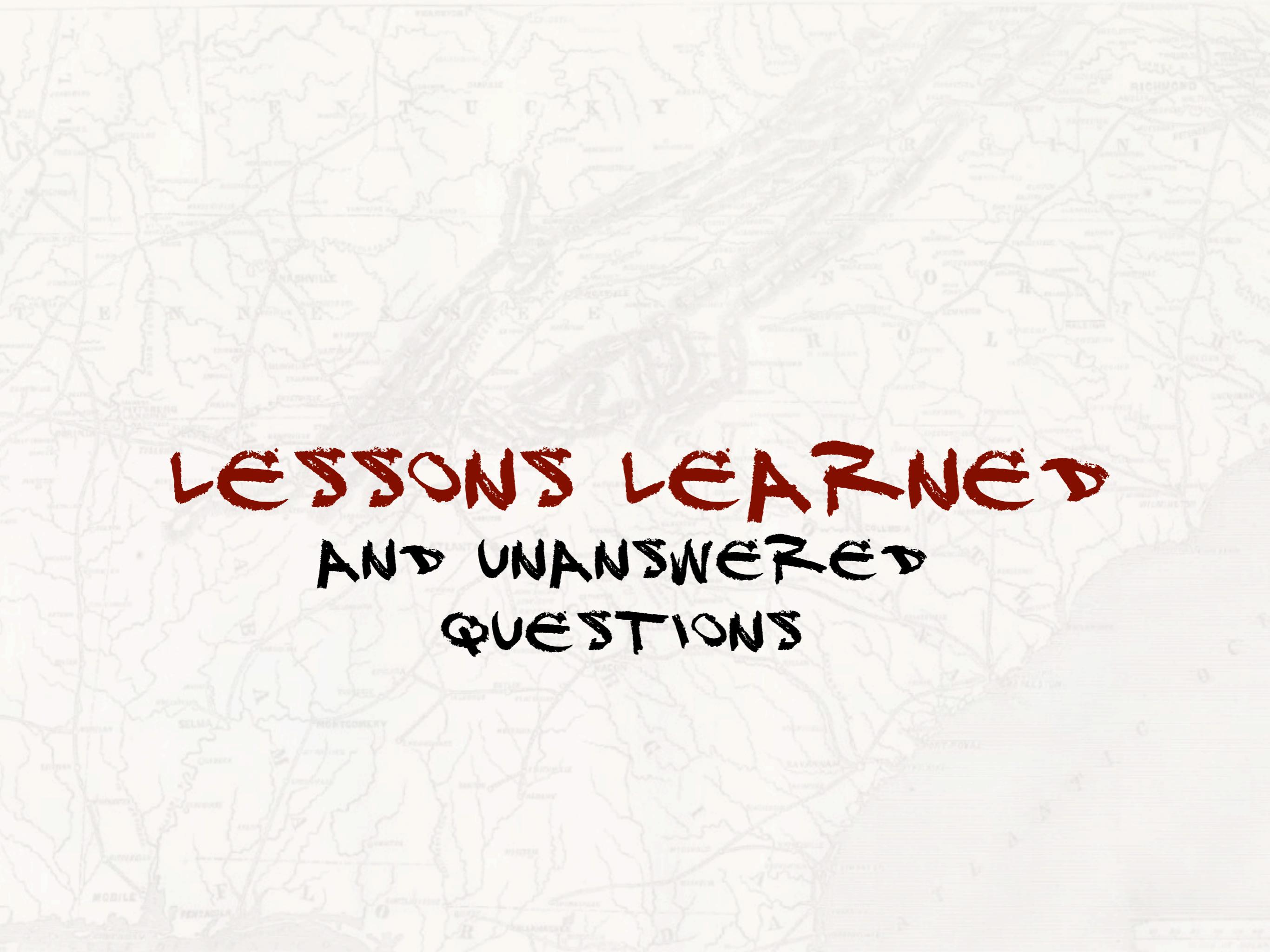
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LESSONS LEARNED AND UNANSWERED QUESTIONS

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IS A

DANGEROUS
WEAPON

DECEPTIVELY SIMPLE

```
node "app1.qa" {  
  $rails_env = "qa"  
  include users  
  include apache  
  include rails  
}
```

```
node "app1.prod" {  
  $rails_env = "prod"  
  include users  
  include apache  
  include rails  
}
```

```
<VirtualHost *:443>  
<% if rails_env == 'prod' -%>  
  HostName www.example.com  
<% else -%>  
  Hostname qa.example.com  
<% end -%>  
</VirtualHost>
```

apache2.conf.erb

MIND YOUR ABSTRACTIONS

```
node "app1.qa" {  
  include apache  
  apache::site { 'example':  
    hostname => 'qa.example.com'  
  }  
}  
}
```

```
node "app1.prod" {  
  include apache  
  apache::site { 'example':  
    hostname => 'www.example.com'  
  }  
}
```

MIND YOUR ABSTRACTIONS



0..1 OR 0..N?



GENERIC OR UNIQUE?



WHAT CHANGES?



REQUIRED VARIABLES



OPTIONAL VARIABLES



DEFAULTS

MIND YOUR ABSTRACTIONS



MODULES. USE THEM.

MIND YOUR SCOPE

location

node

class/type

template/file

WATCH YOUR
SIX!



WORKING THESIS

puppet **DOES NOT**
MANAGE TRUTH

puppet **MAPS TRUTH**
TO COMPLEXITY

HOW SHOULD WE
MANAGE TRUTH?



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