Lack of idempotency

- Hides the real changes in a cloud of doubt

- Testing becomes increasingly difficult

- Reduction in agility if changes aren't reconciled

Ansible modules

- Ansible comes with hundreds of modules for tasks.

- Examples: copy, template, get_url, uri, reboot

- Modules are scripts in Python/ Powershell

- Modules do stuff, and deal with the corner cases.

- Modules return JSON data that you can use.