

Operating Spinnaker



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Overview

How to

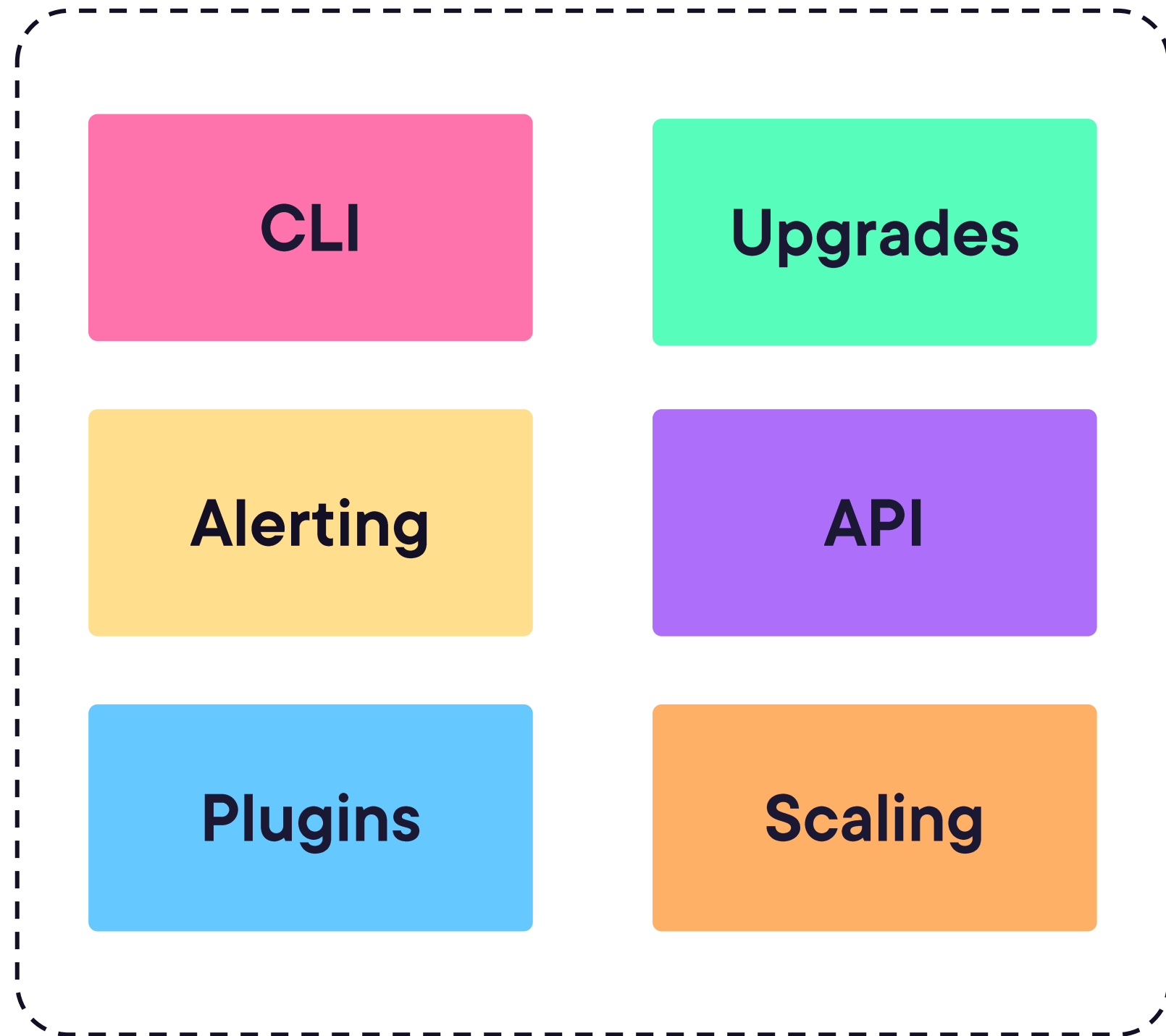
- Setup notification
- Take backup
- Scale and cache

Upgrade Spinnaker & install plugins

Automate Spinnaker's day-to-day tasks



Operating Spinnaker





Alerting



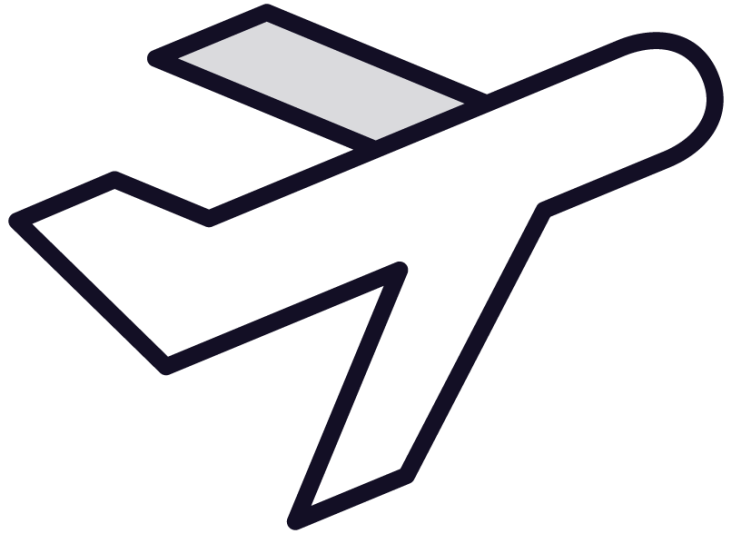
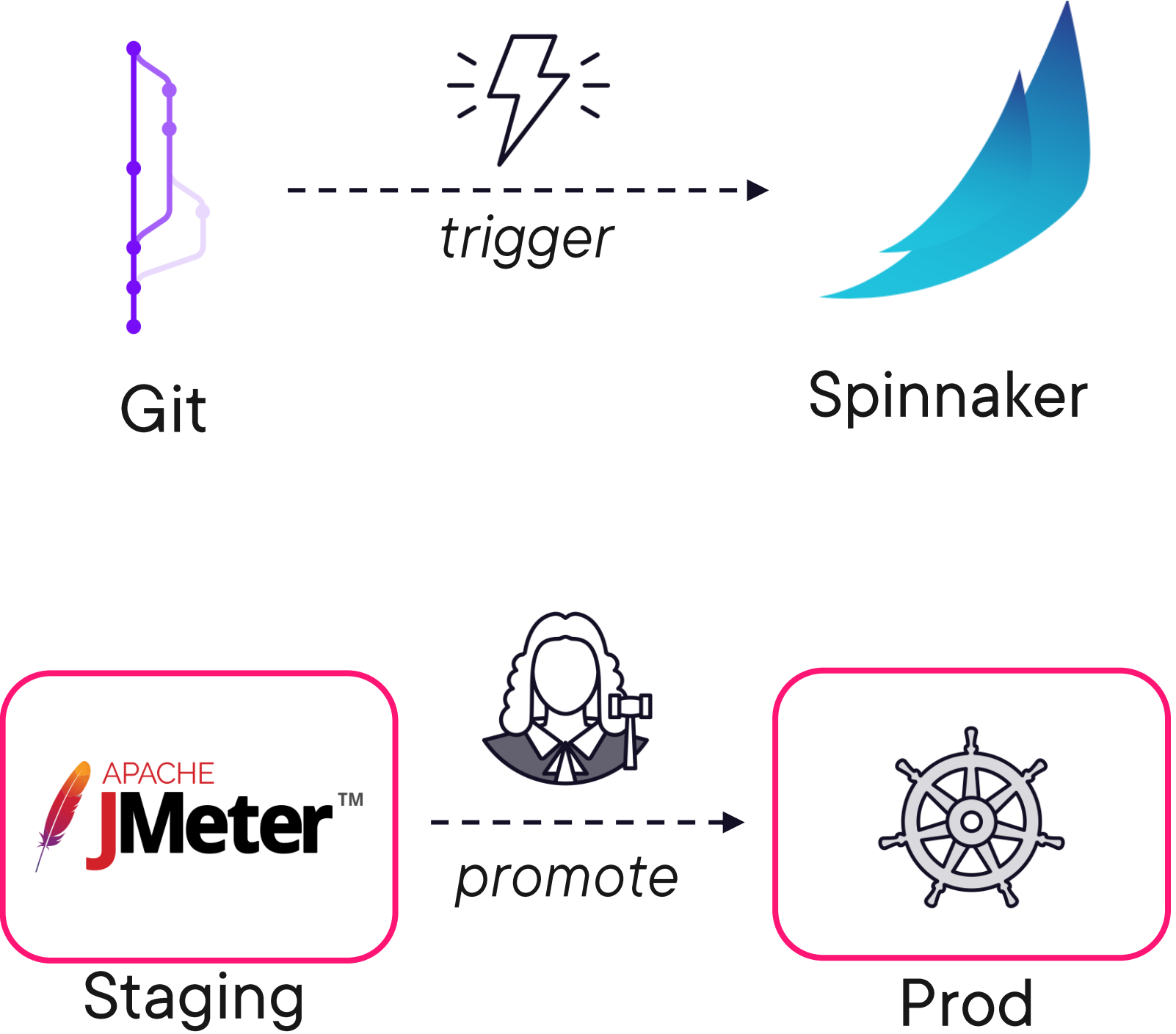
Alerting



Fundamental step of SRE practices
Know what's happening without logging



Spinnaker Pipelines



Auto-pilot



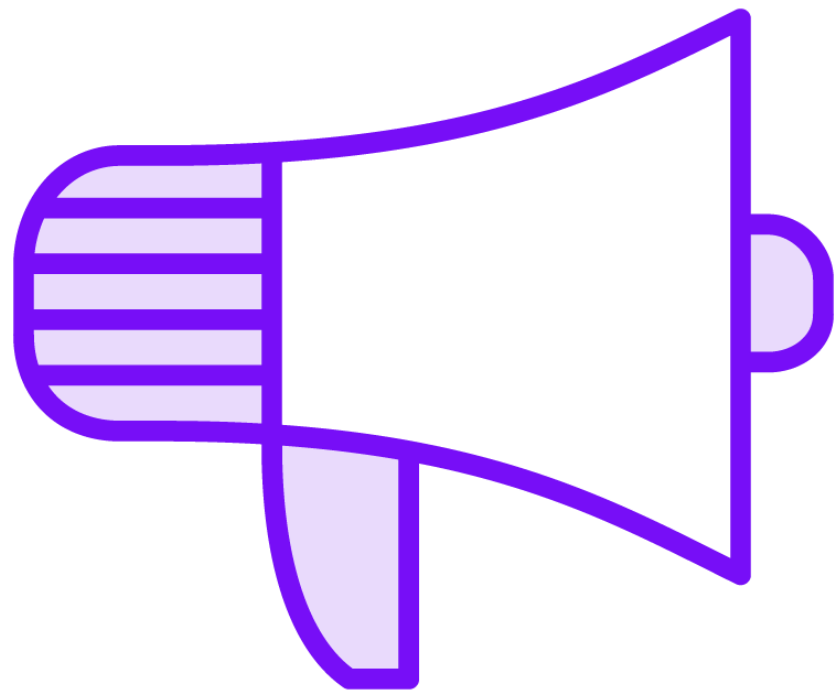


Challenging to know:

- Which pipeline has started
- Which stage is executing
- Which stage has failed
- Which manual approval is pending



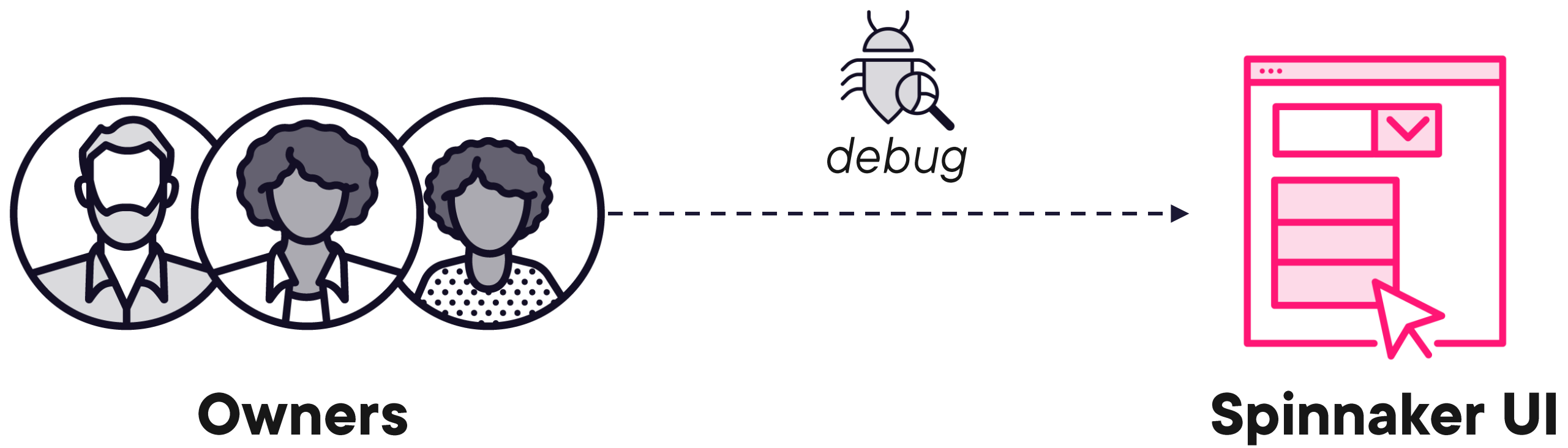
Notify



Whenever:

- A pipeline starts, passes, or fails
- A stage starts, passes, or fails
- A manual judgement stage starts





Spinnaker notification

Echo

“echo-local.yaml” → “~/.hal/default/profile”

Spinnaker supports:

- Email
- Microsoft teams
- Slack
- SMS



Demo

Enable slack notification





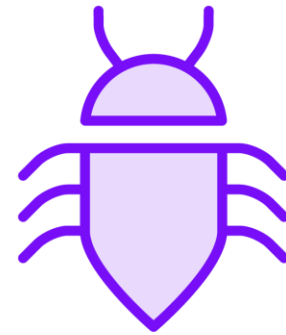
Back-ups & Upgrades



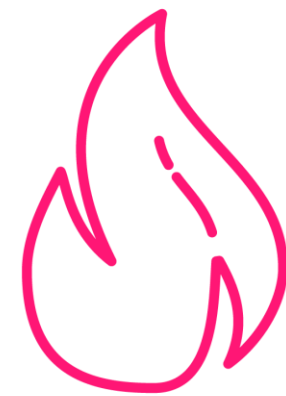


Sinnaker

face



Bugs



Disaster

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Backup



Backups



Common practice among IT engineers

Helps in

- Recovery
- Data replication
- Disaster recovery
- Migration



Demo

Backup Spinnaker



Backup



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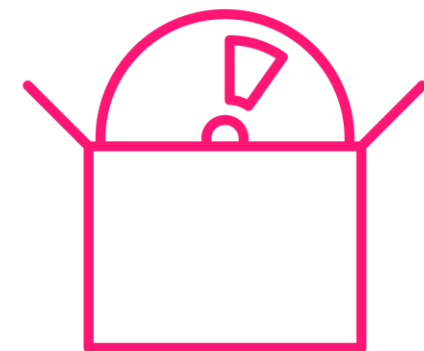
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Spinnaker Updates

Application



has a

Lifecycle



Community



Update



Spinnaker Updates



Are secure & faster

Have newer feature & fewer bugs



Demo

Upgrade the Spinnaker

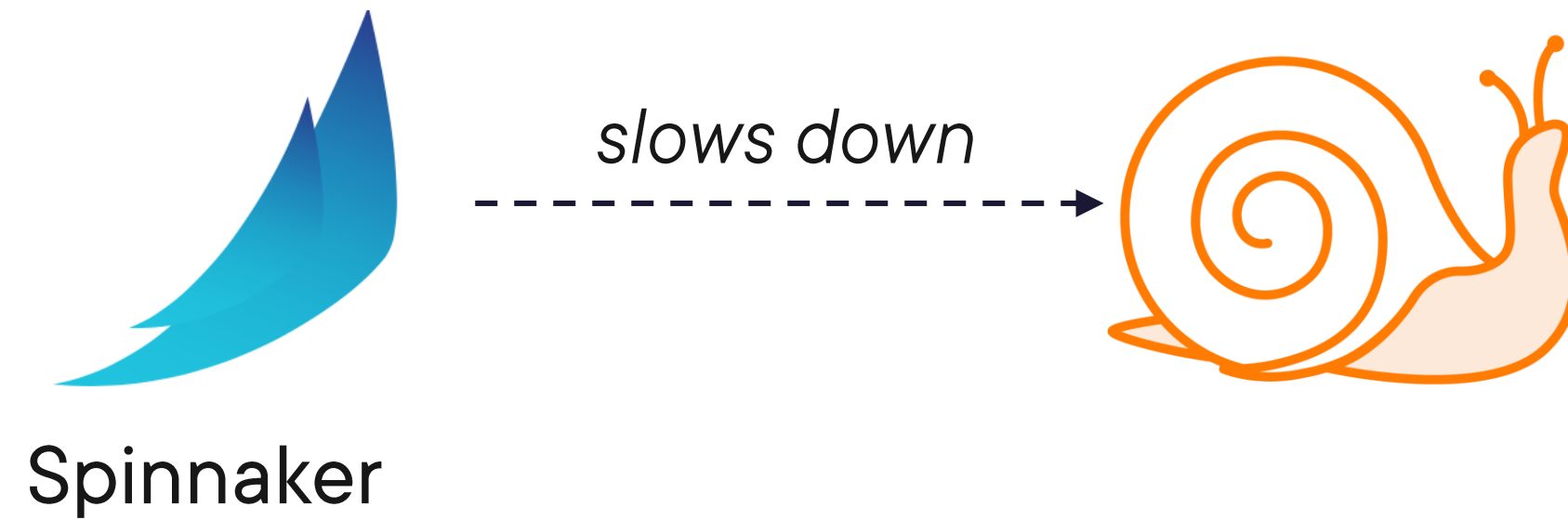




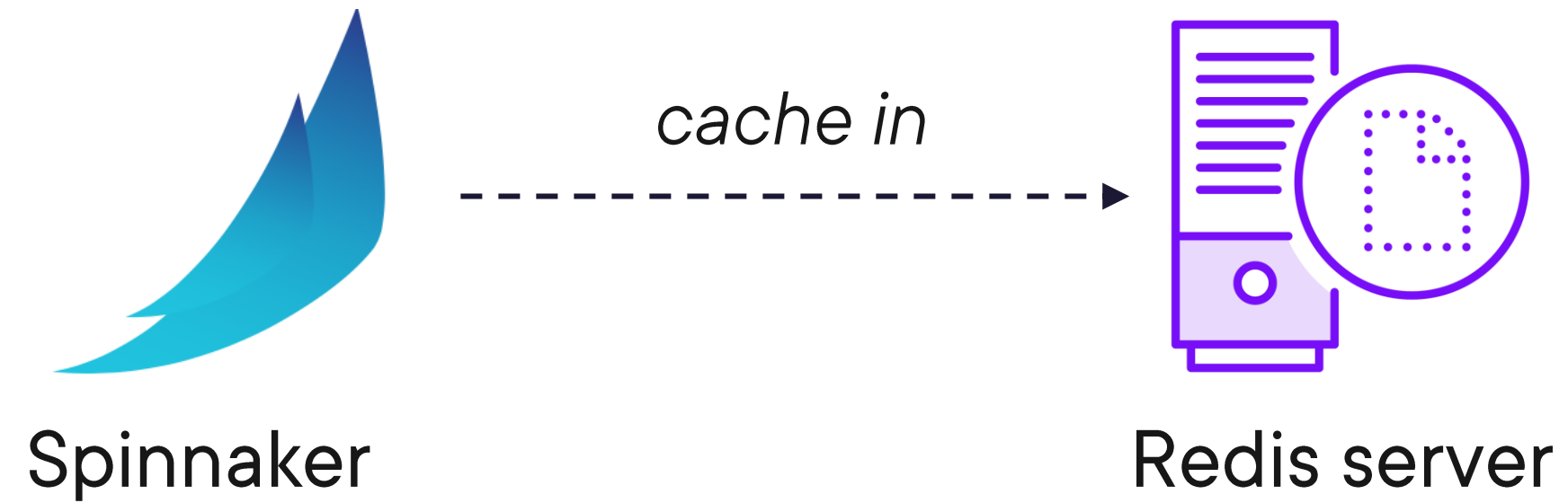
Scaling & Caching



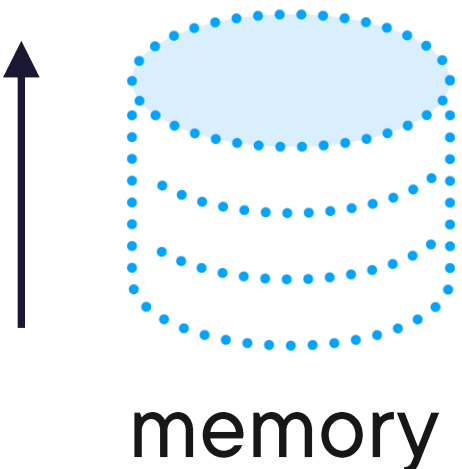
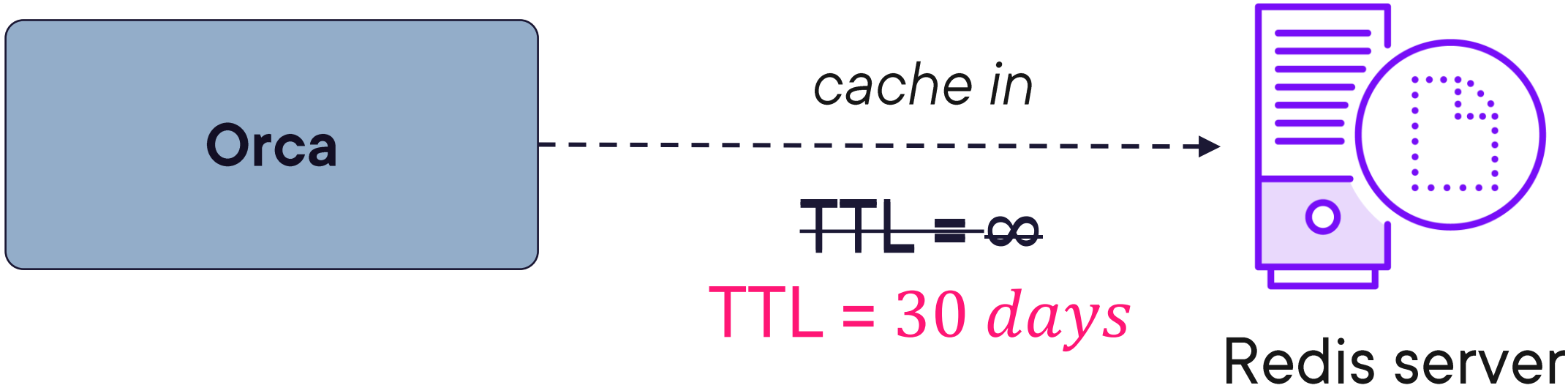
Scaling & Caching Issue



Spinnaker Caching



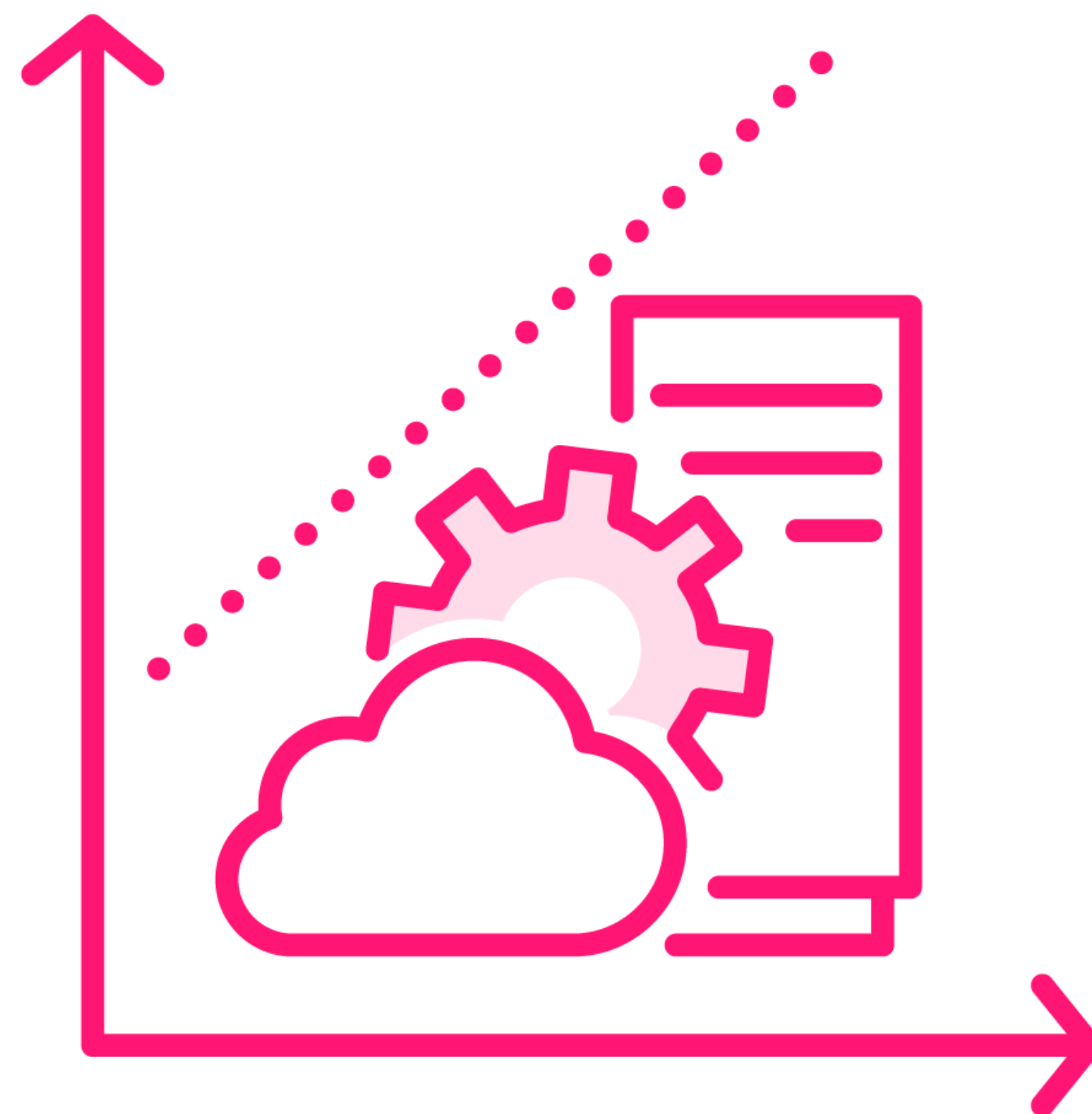
Orca Caching Behavior



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Scaling



Scale..

Cloud driver

When issue in:

- Loading cloud infra
- Performing cache update
- Searching for resources



Scale..



Orca

When slowness in:

- Creating applications
- Running pipelines
- Submitting ad-hoc operations



Spinnaker Microservices

Deck

Gate

Orca

**Cloud
driver**

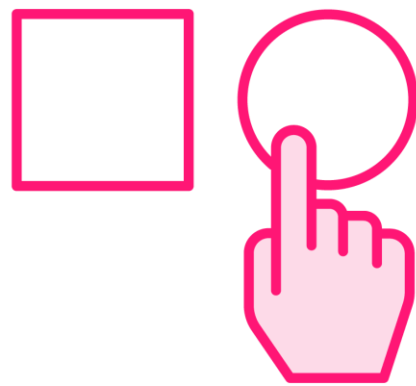
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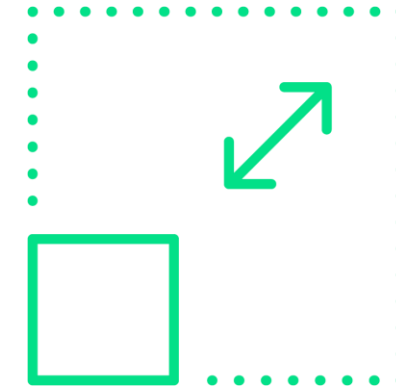
Echo

Spinnaker is a
combination of
microservices working
together.





Pin-point



Scale



Plugins





Plugins

A software add-on that enhances the application's capabilities



Demo

Install “random-wait” plugin

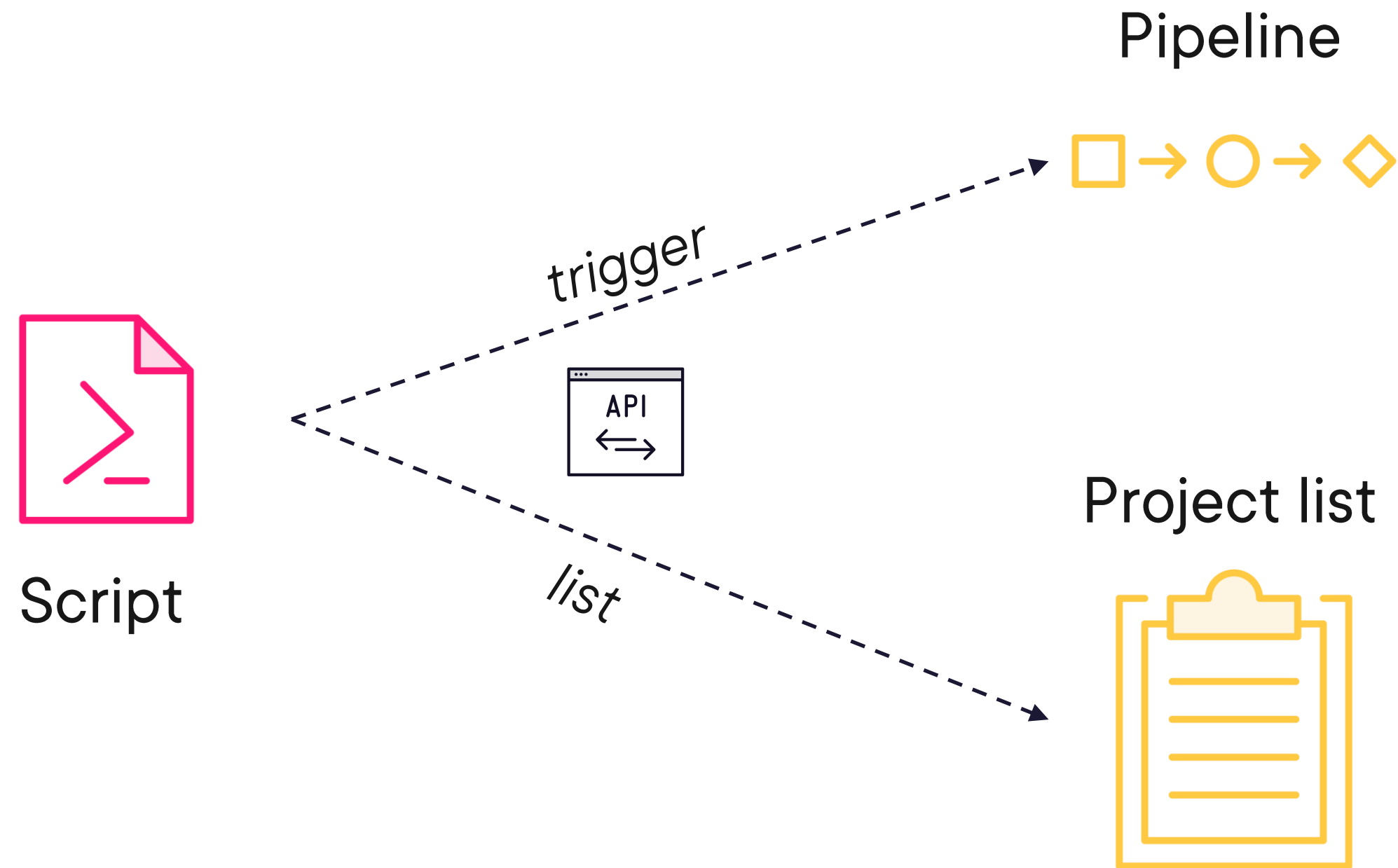




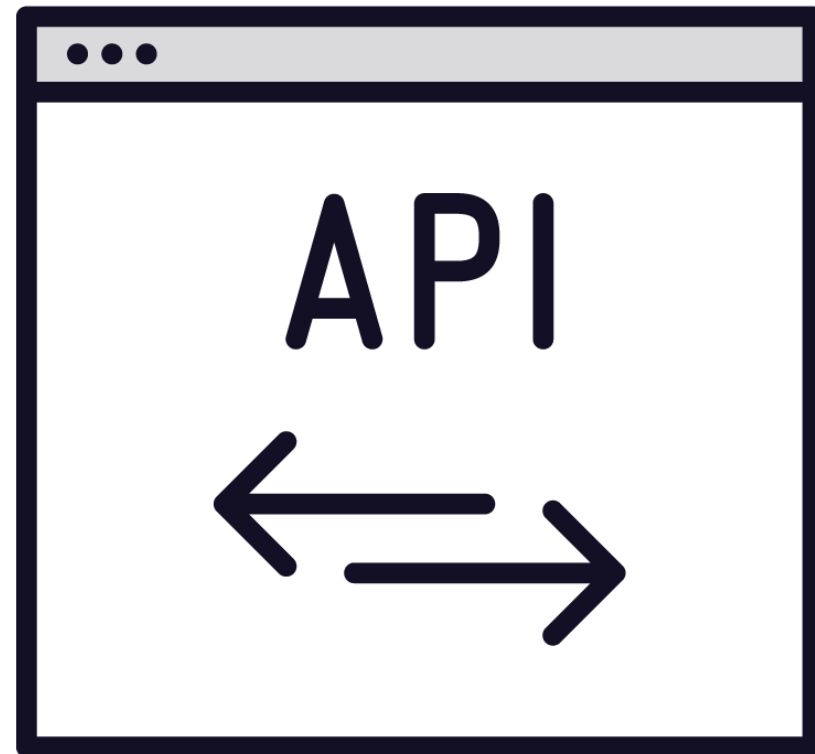
APIs



API (Application Programming Interface)



Spinnaker's API



Gateway to the backend services

Gate microservice is responsible for API



Demo

Interact with the Spinnaker's API

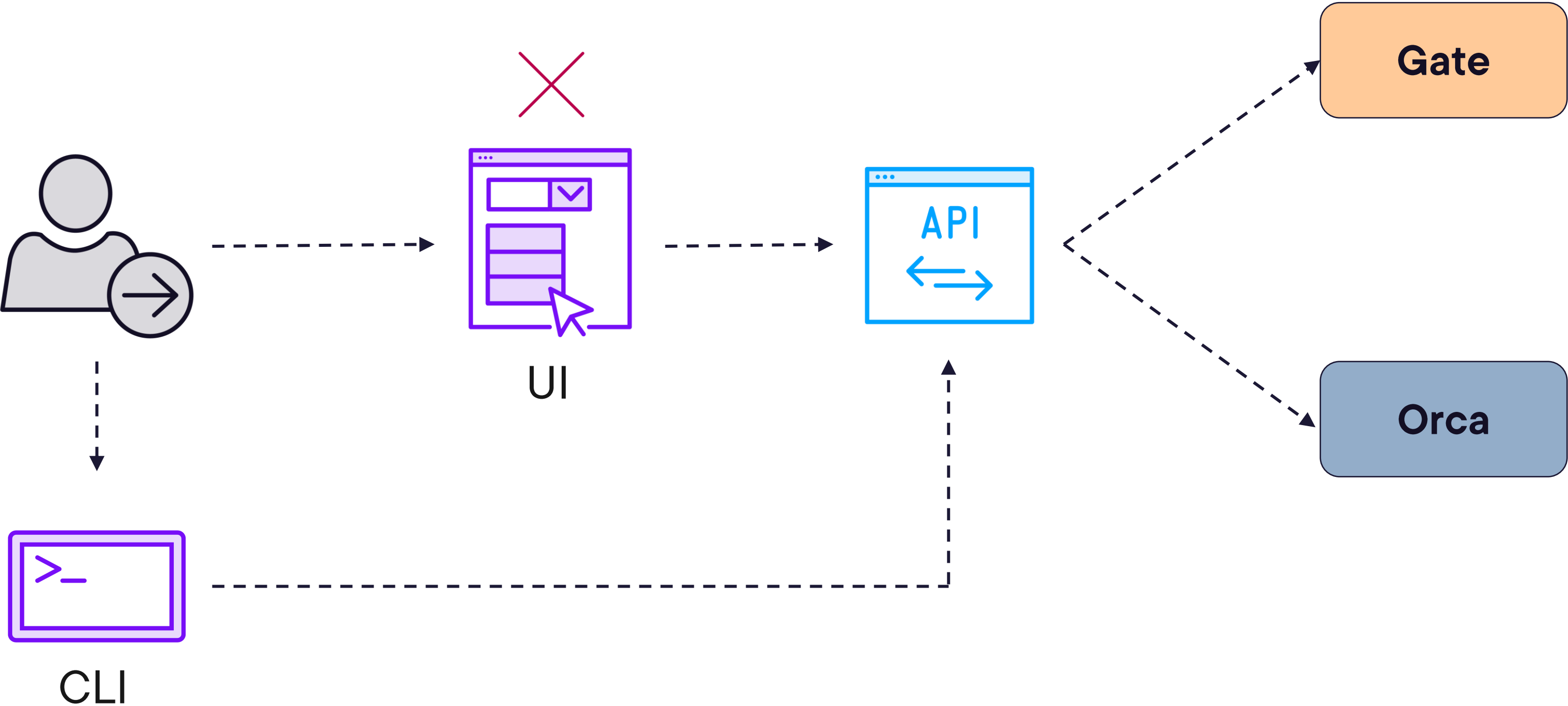




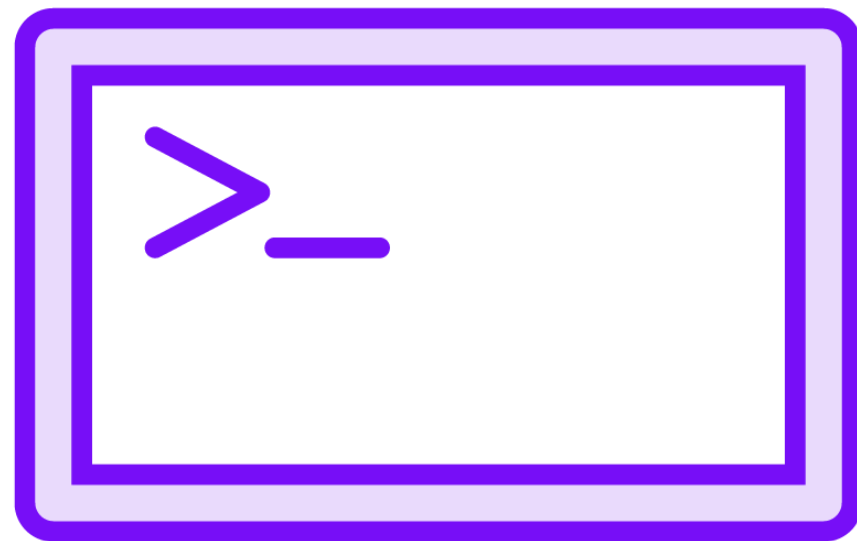
CLI



CLI (Command Line Interface)



Spinnaker CLI



Used for configuration management

Is faster than the GUI

Used for automation scripts

Maintain scripts in a git repo



Demo

Setup Spinnaker CLI

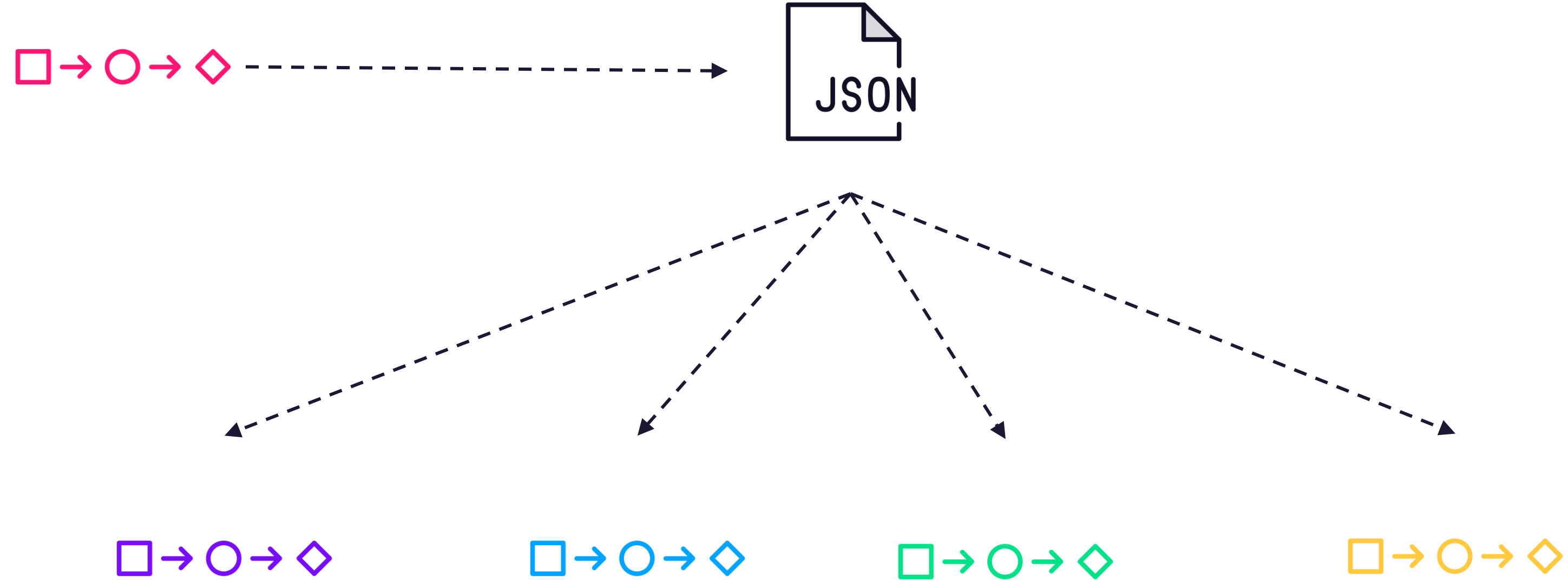




Pipeline Templates



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Summary

Set notifications & backup

Upgrade or install a plugin

Automation & configuration management

