

Domain Driven Design in Action

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Definition

Monolithic

A monolithic application is self-contained, and independent from other computing applications. The design philosophy is that the application is responsible not just for a particular task, but can perform every step needed to complete a particular function.

Microservices

Microservices is a software development technique that arranges an application as a collection of loosely coupled services.

Domain-Driven Design(DDD) is a collection of principles and patterns that help developers craft elegant object systems.

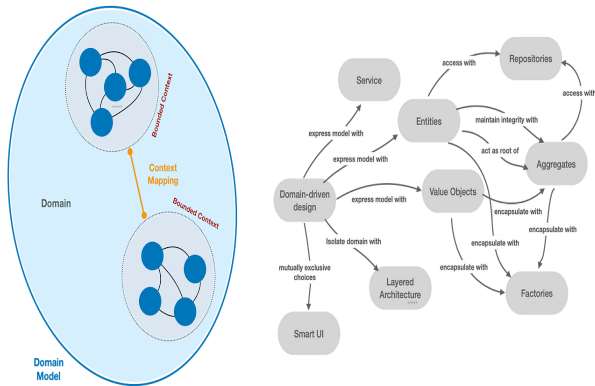


Figure: DDD Map

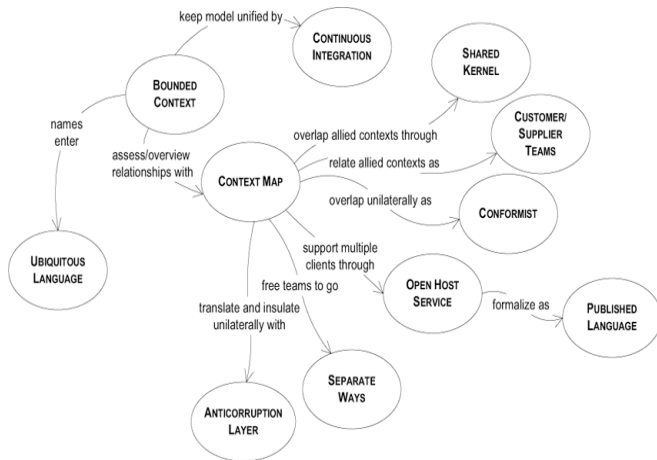


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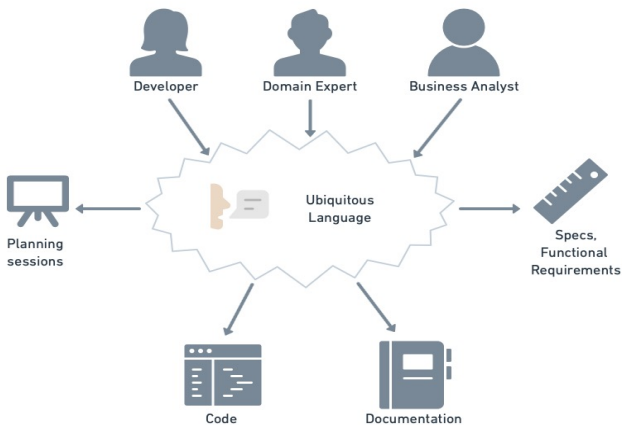


Figure: All Speak The Same Language "Ubiquitous Language"

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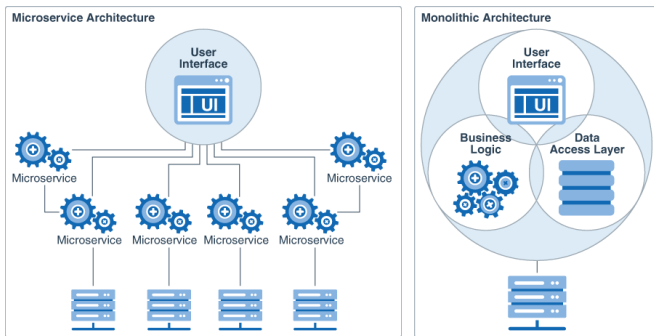


Figure: microservices vs monolithic

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Closer Look

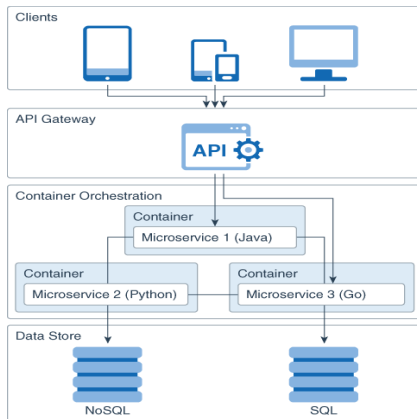


Figure: Microservices In Depth

Microservices Architecture

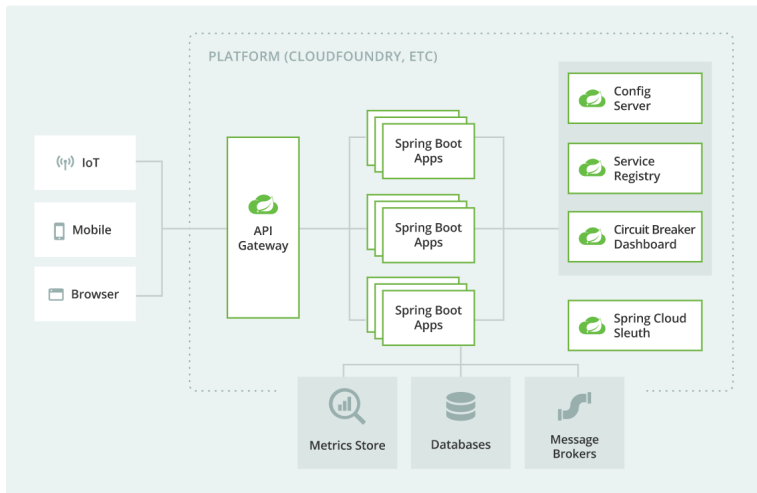
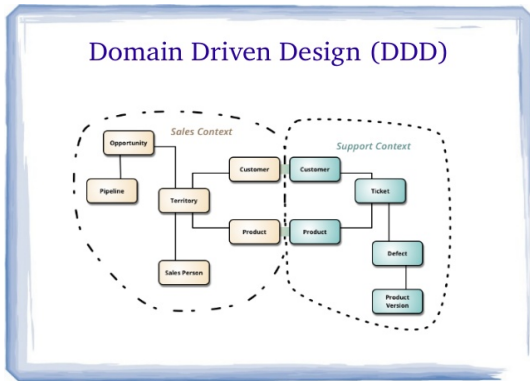


Figure: Microservices with Spring Cloud

Microservice characteristics

Single Responsibility

- Business Boundary
- Function Boundary



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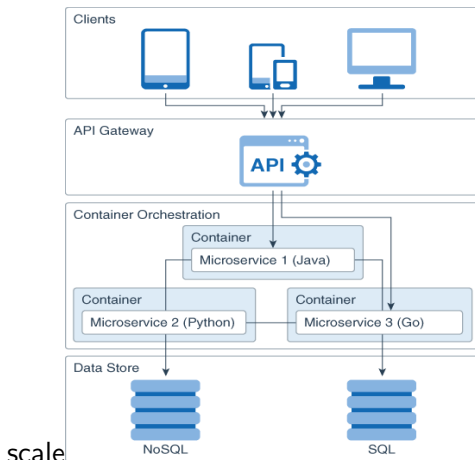
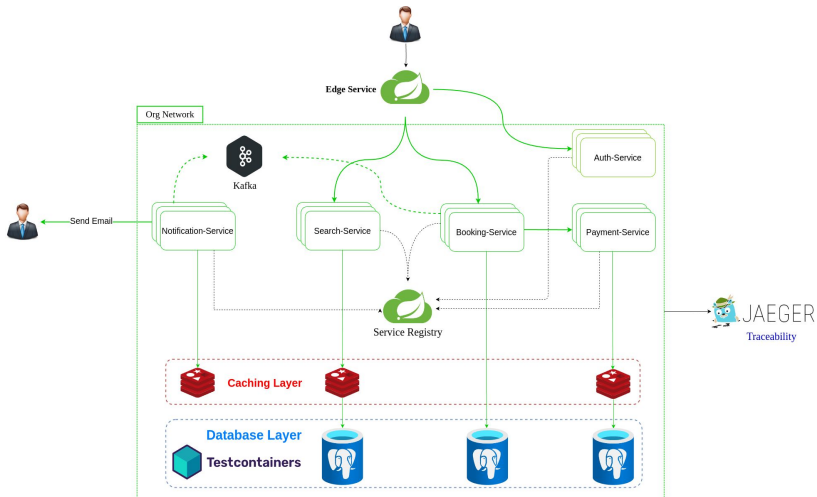


Figure: Service to Service Calls

Welcome to Flight System



Event-driven communication

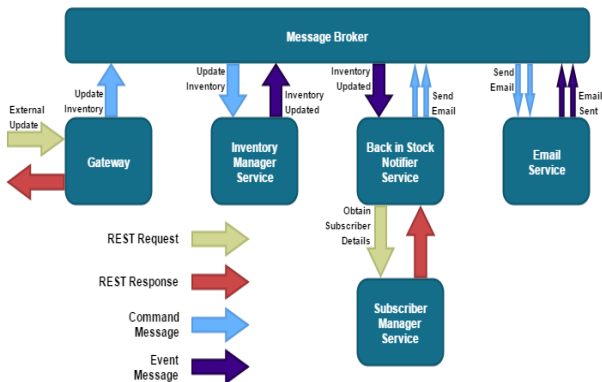


Figure: Asynchronous calls

Why not SOAP?

It is possible to build a microservices-based architecture using SOAP which uses HTTP. But:

- it only uses POST messages to transfer data to a server.
- SOAP lacks concepts such as HATEOAS that enable relationships between microservices to be handled flexibly.
- The interfaces have to be completely defined by the server and known on the client.

API Gateway

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API Gateway is a tool that makes it easy for developers to create(1), publish(2), maintain(3), monitor(4), and secure(5) APIs at any scale. APIs act as the "front door" for applications to access data, business logic, or functionality from your backend services.

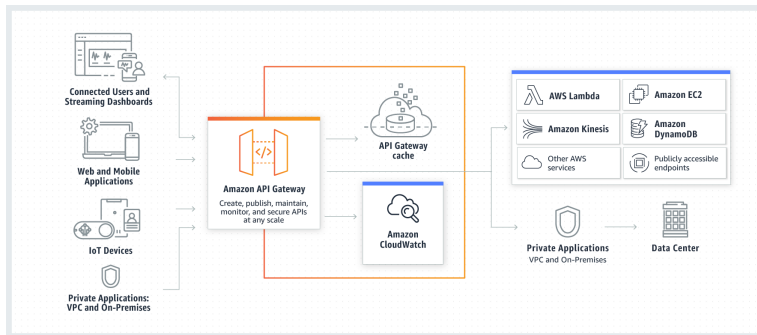


Figure: Amazon Gateway

Orchestration and API Gateway cont...

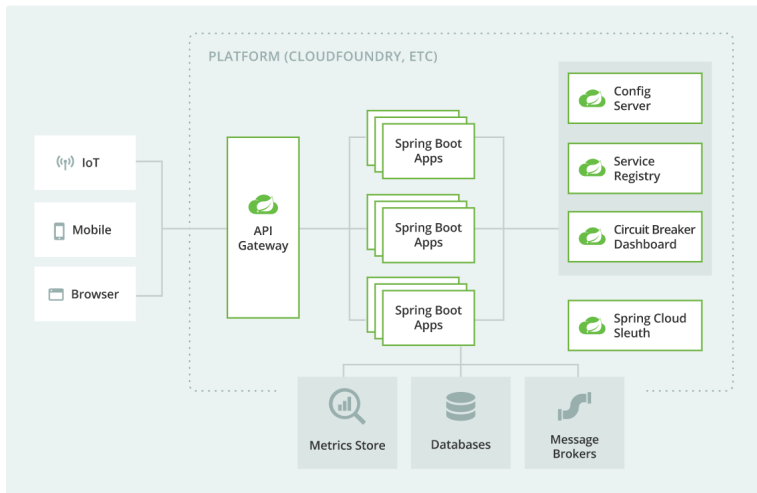


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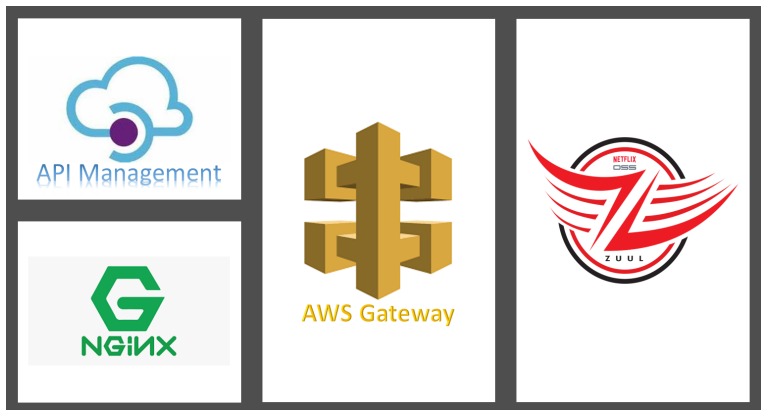


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 - detect when a service instance isn't healthy and remove the instance from the list of available services.

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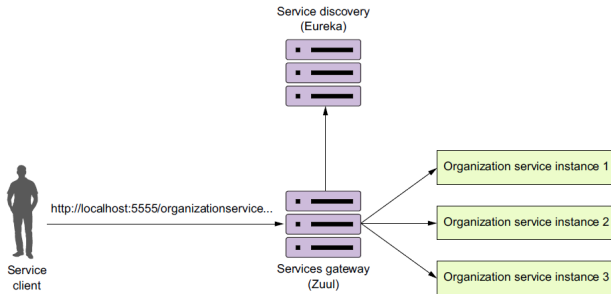


Figure: Service Registry and Gateway

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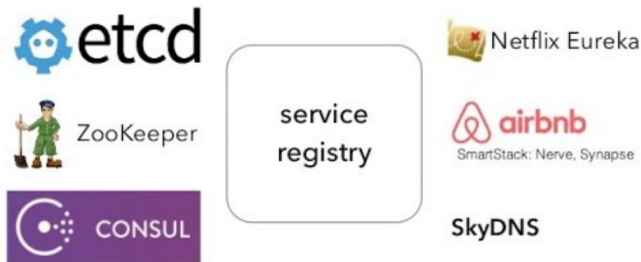


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Externalized and Dynamic Configurations

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Configurations will vary from environment to another, How to manage them?

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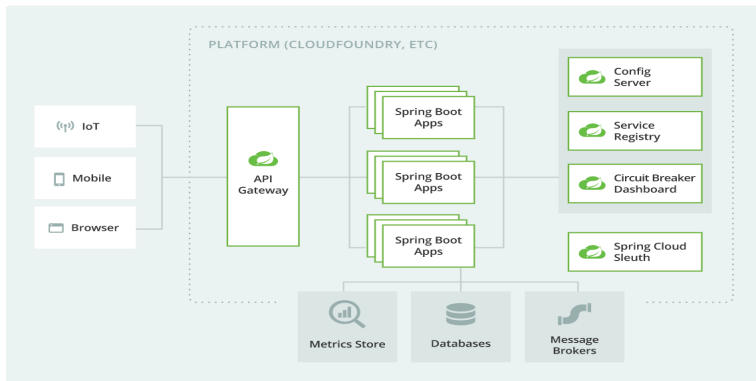


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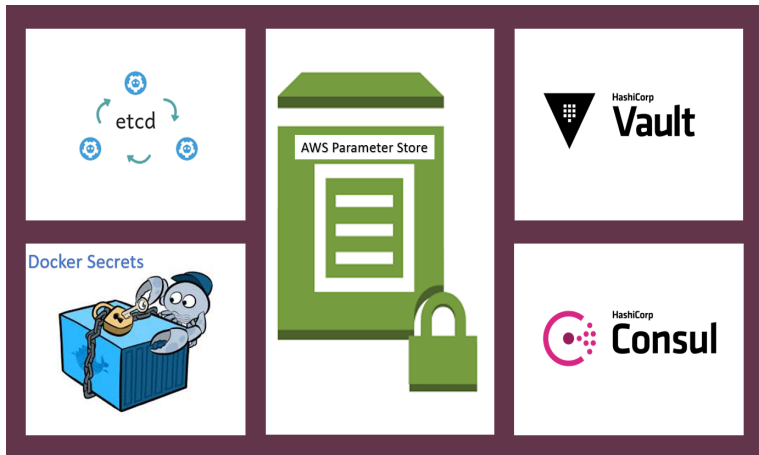


Figure: Popular Config Stores

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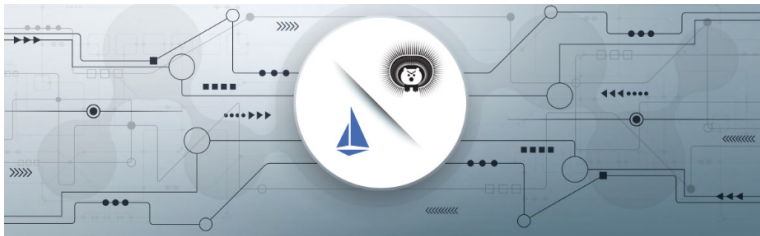


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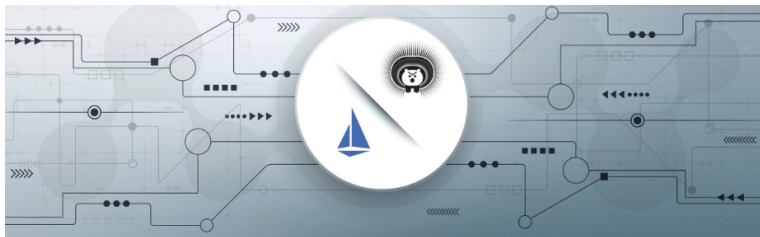


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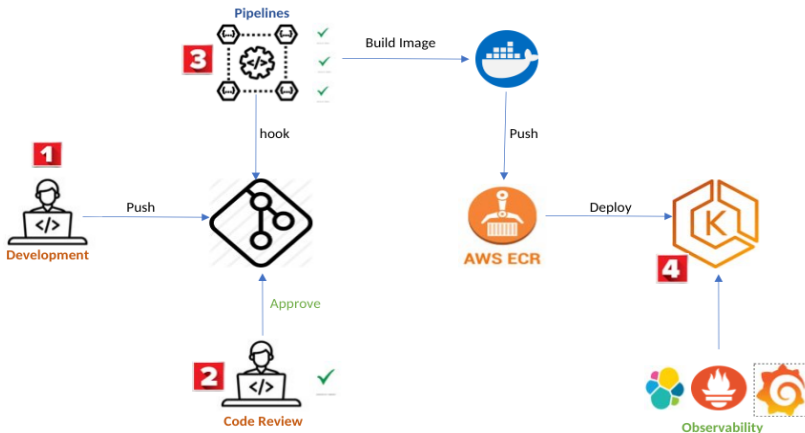
Popular Orchestrators

- Docker Swarm
- Kubernetes
- AWS ECS
- Service Fabric
- Openshift



Real Example

Continuous Integration, and Deployment are your friends



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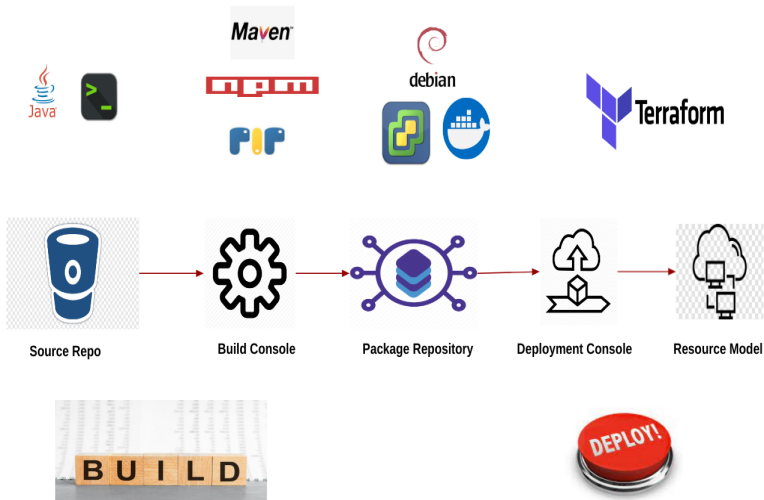
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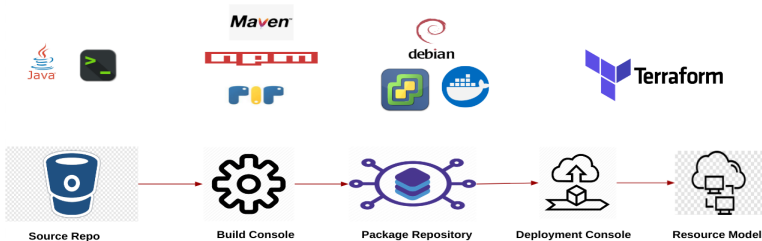
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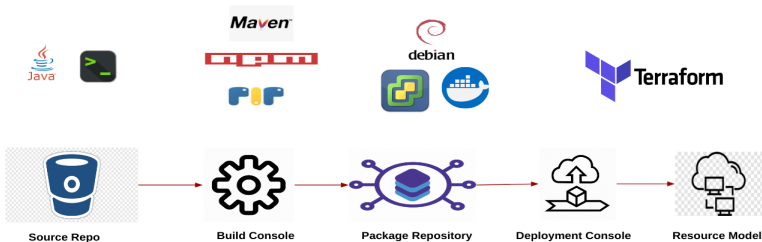
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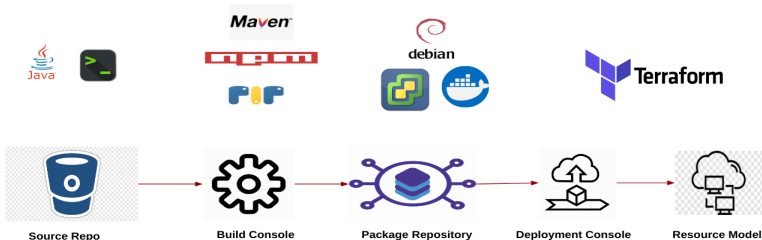
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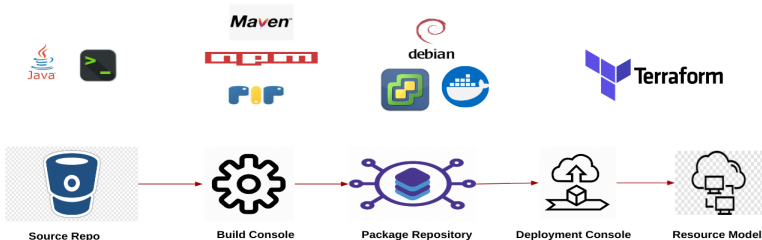
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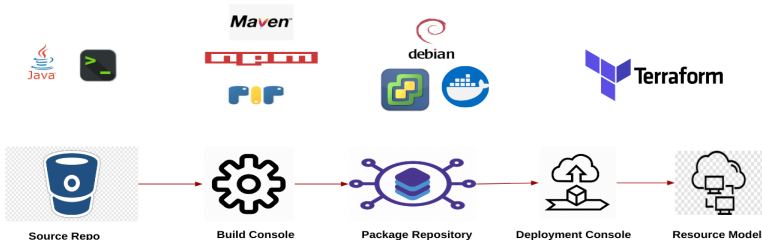
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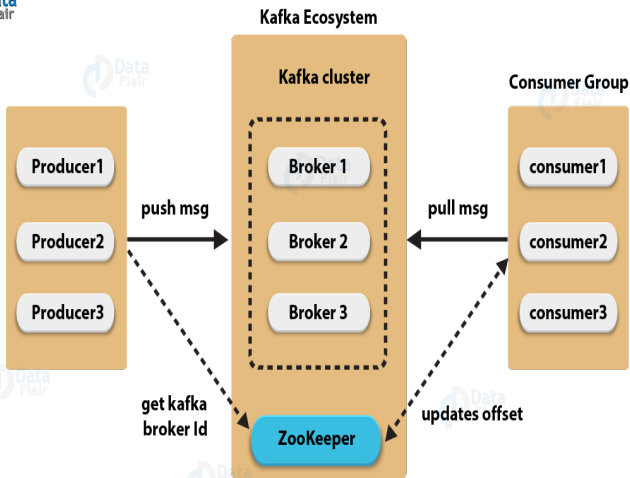
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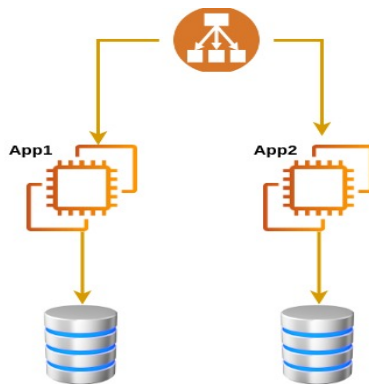
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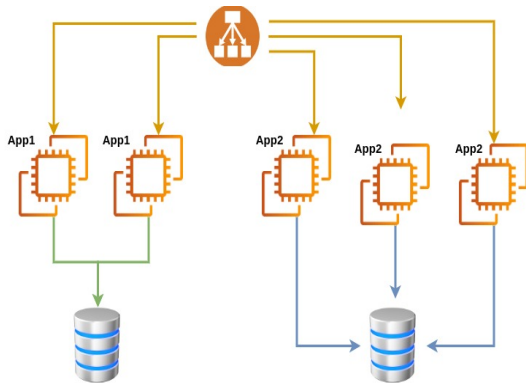
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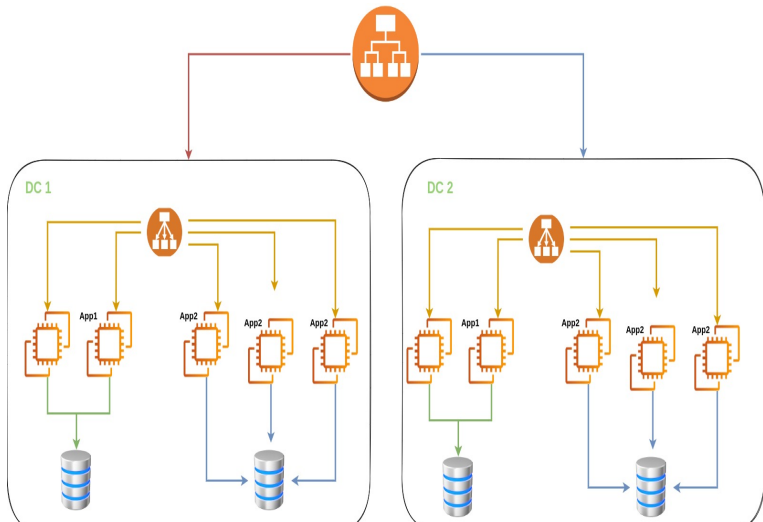
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