



The Story of DevOps

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Outline

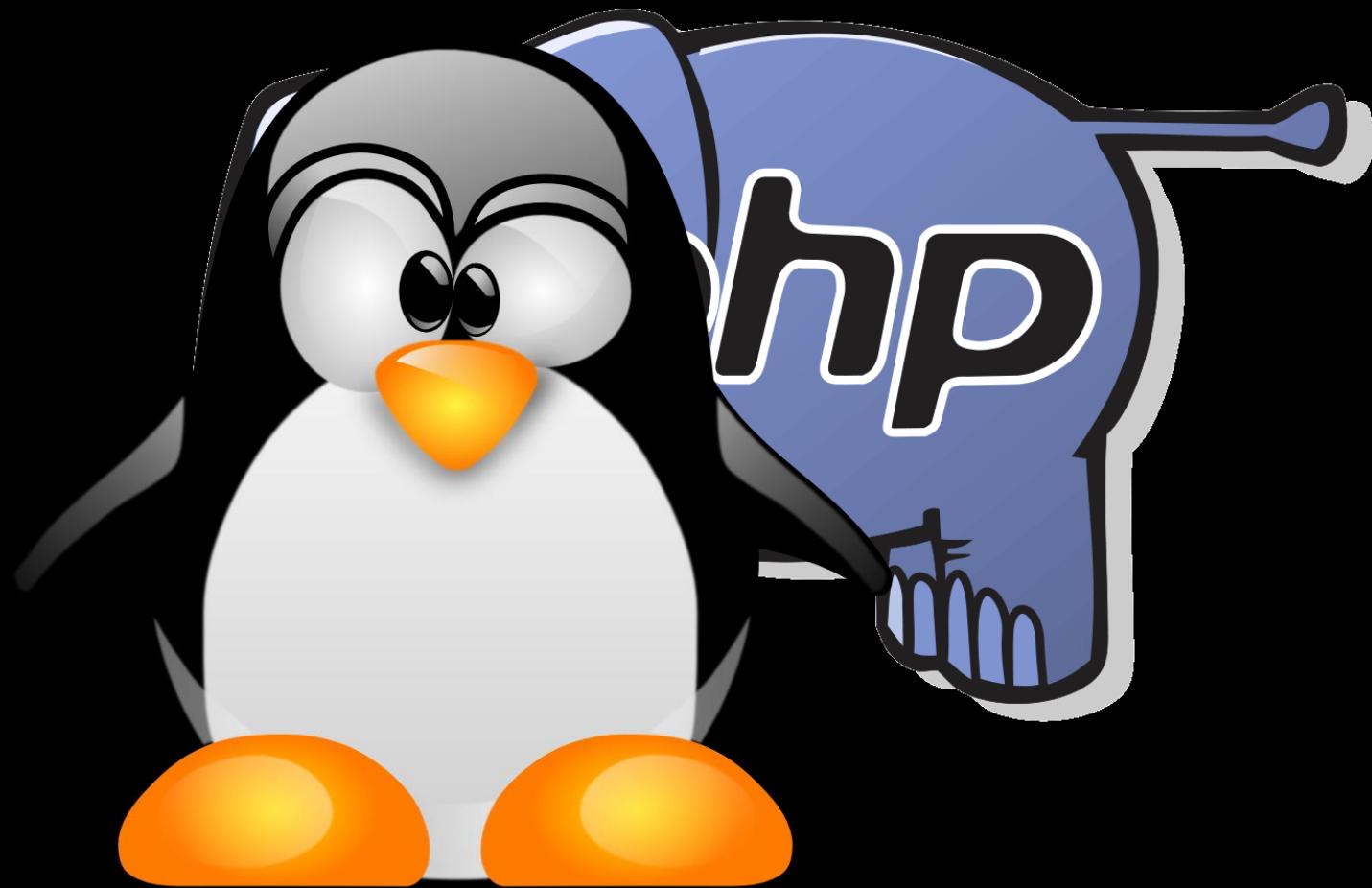
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- Story of DevOps
- Your Story



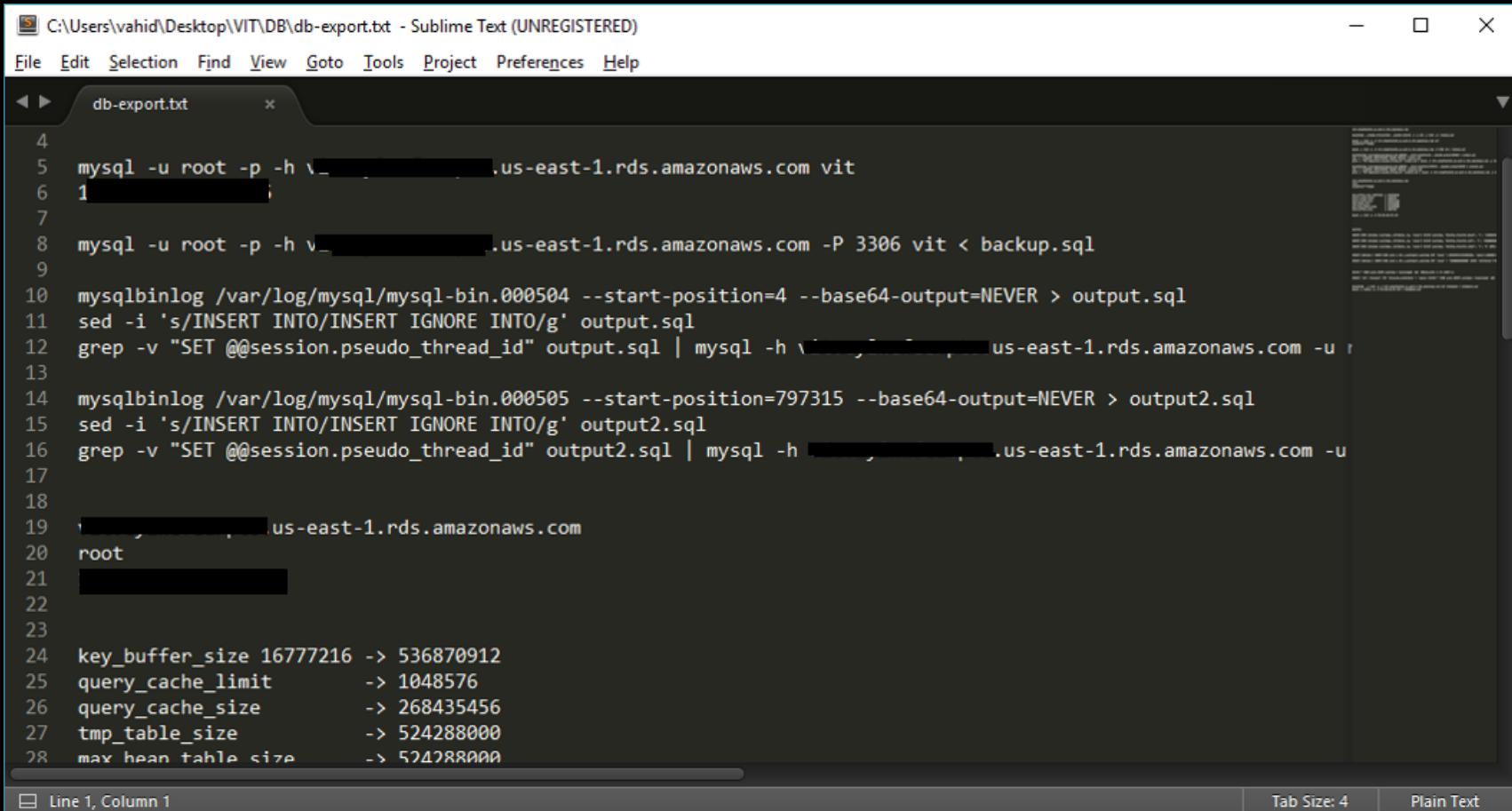
Story of Pichak

Story of Pichak

- Story of Pichak toward making software, faster, cheaper and good!
 - Technical
 - Culture



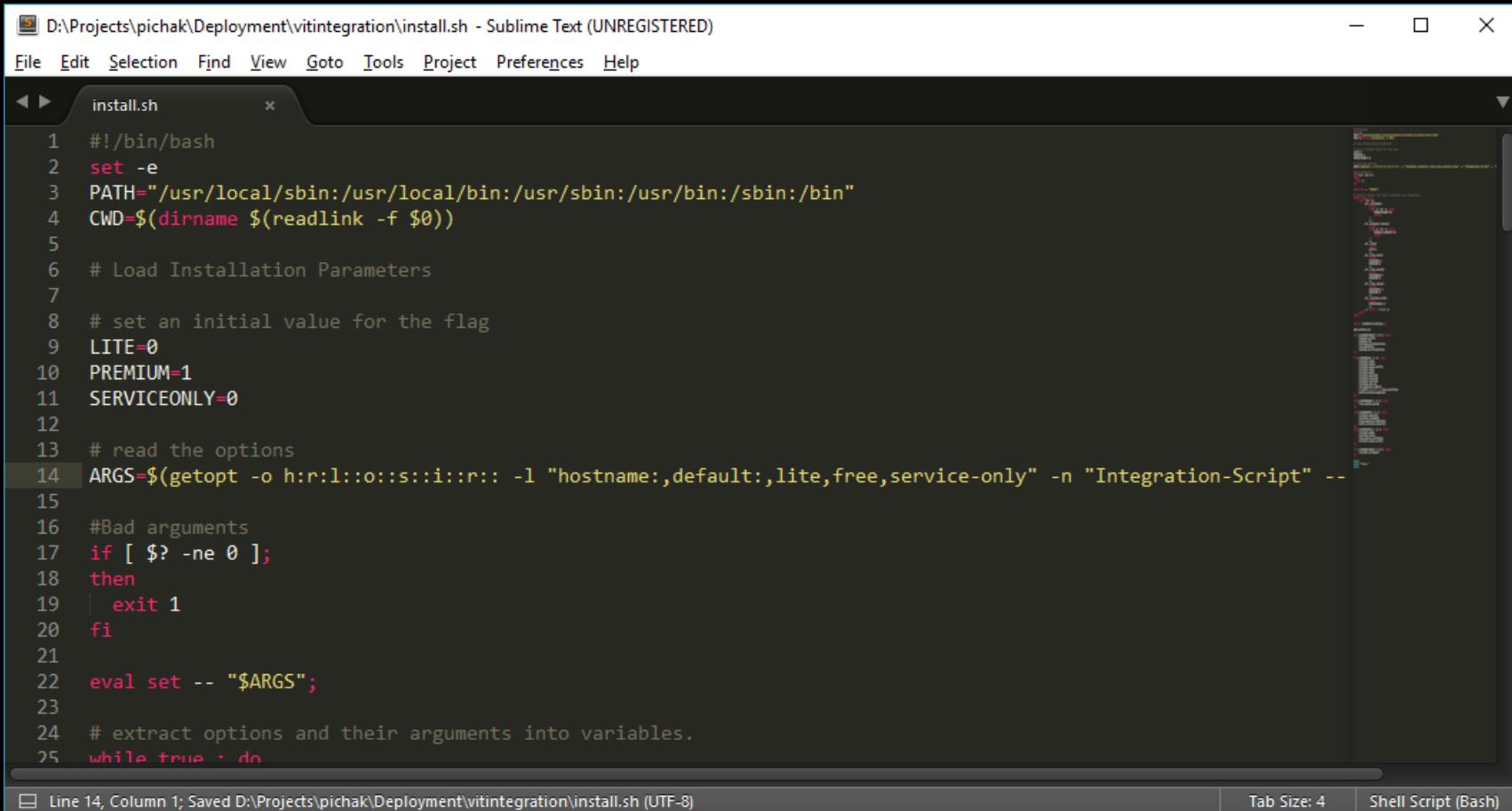
Manuals



The screenshot shows a Sublime Text window titled "db-export.txt" containing a shell script for MySQL database export. The script uses MySQL commands to connect to a remote RDS instance, extract binary logs, and then import them into a local MySQL instance. It also includes commands to dump the database and handle session variables.

```
4
5 mysql -u root -p -h [REDACTED] .us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com vit
6 [REDACTED]
7
8 mysql -u root -p -h [REDACTED] .us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com -P 3306 vit < backup.sql
9
10 mysqlbinlog /var/log/mysql/mysql-bin.000504 --start-position=4 --base64-output=NEVER > output.sql
11 sed -i 's/INSERT INTO/INSERT IGNORE INTO/g' output.sql
12 grep -v "SET @@session.pseudo_thread_id" output.sql | mysql -h [REDACTED] .us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com -u r
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14 mysqlbinlog /var/log/mysql/mysql-bin.000505 --start-position=797315 --base64-output=NEVER > output2.sql
15 sed -i 's/INSERT INTO/INSERT IGNORE INTO/g' output2.sql
16 grep -v "SET @@session.pseudo_thread_id" output2.sql | mysql -h [REDACTED] .us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com -u r
17
18
19 [REDACTED] .us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com
20 root
21 [REDACTED]
22
23
24 key_buffer_size 16777216 -> 536870912
25 query_cache_limit -> 1048576
26 query_cache_size -> 268435456
27 tmp_table_size -> 524288000
28 max_heap_table_size -> 524288000
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Bash Scripts



The screenshot shows a Sublime Text window with the title bar "D:\Projects\pichak\Deployment\vitintegration\install.sh - Sublime Text (UNREGISTERED)". The menu bar includes File, Edit, Selection, Find, View, Goto, Tools, Project, Preferences, and Help. The main editor area displays a Bash script named "install.sh". The code is as follows:

```
1 #!/bin/bash
2 set -e
3 PATH="/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/bin:/sbin:/bin"
4 CWD=$(dirname $(readlink -f $0))
5
6 # Load Installation Parameters
7
8 # set an initial value for the flag
9 LITE=0
10 PREMIUM=1
11 SERVICEONLY=0
12
13 # read the options
14 ARGS=$(getopt -o h:r:l::o::s::i::r:: -l "hostname:,default:,lite,free,service-only" -n "Integration-Script" --
15
16 #Bad arguments
17 if [ $? -ne 0 ];
18 then
19     exit 1
20 fi
21
22 eval set -- "$ARGS";
23
24 # extract options and their arguments into variables.
25 while true ; do
```

The status bar at the bottom indicates "Line 14, Column 1; Saved D:\Projects\pichak\Deployment\vitintegration\install.sh (UTF-8)" and "Tab Size: 4 Shell Script (Bash)".

Bash Scripts (Pro's)

- Easy to use
- Easy to learn
- Easy to change
- We can use source control (Git)

Bash Scripts (Con's)

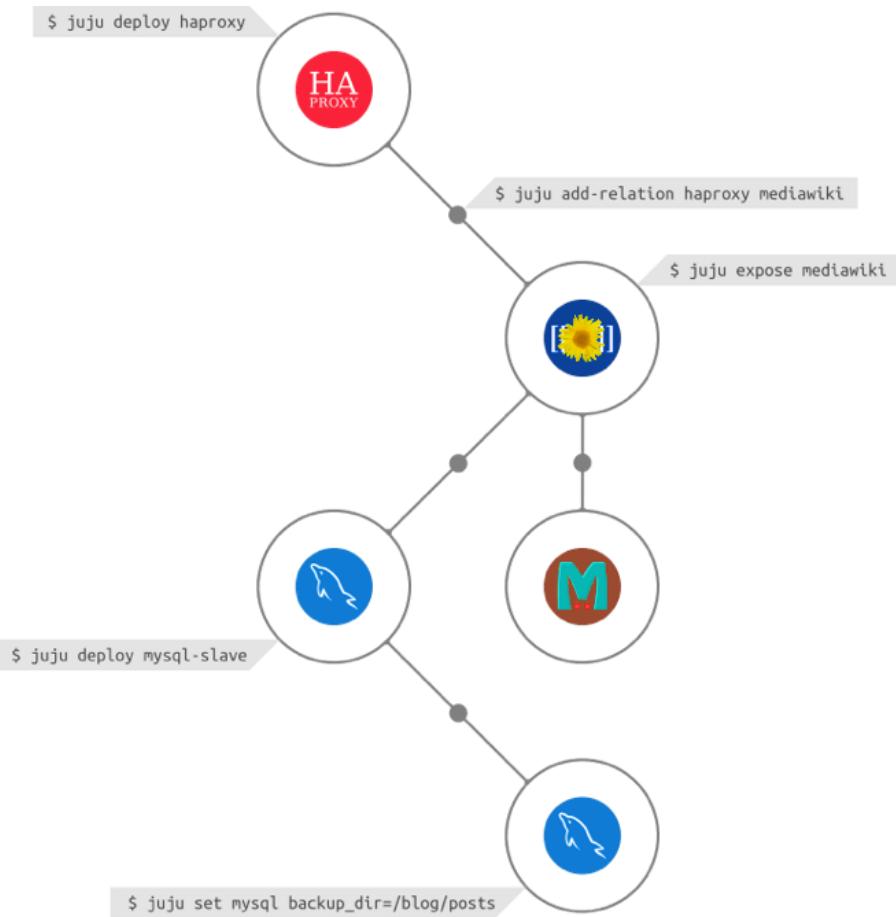
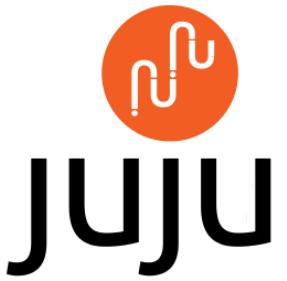
- Low Speed
- Unorganized

Juju?





- Provides a modeling language for users that abstracts the specifics of operating complex big software topologies





juju

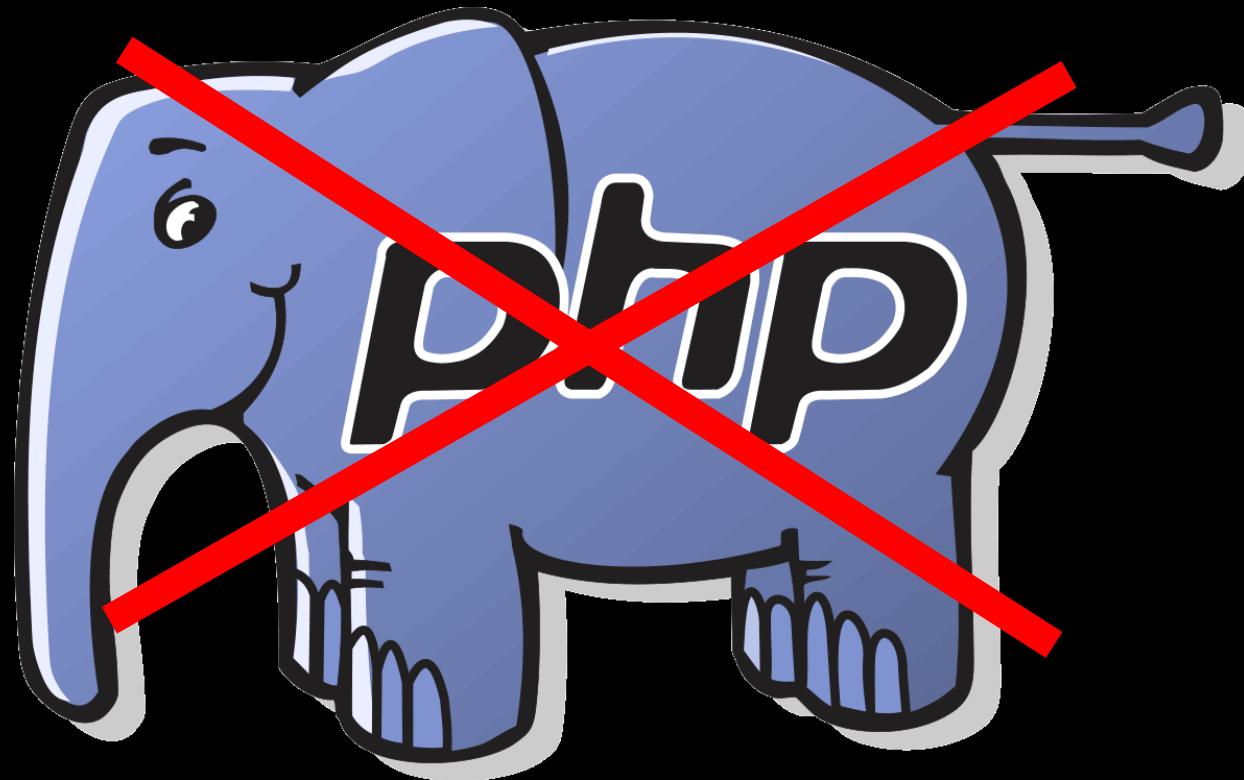


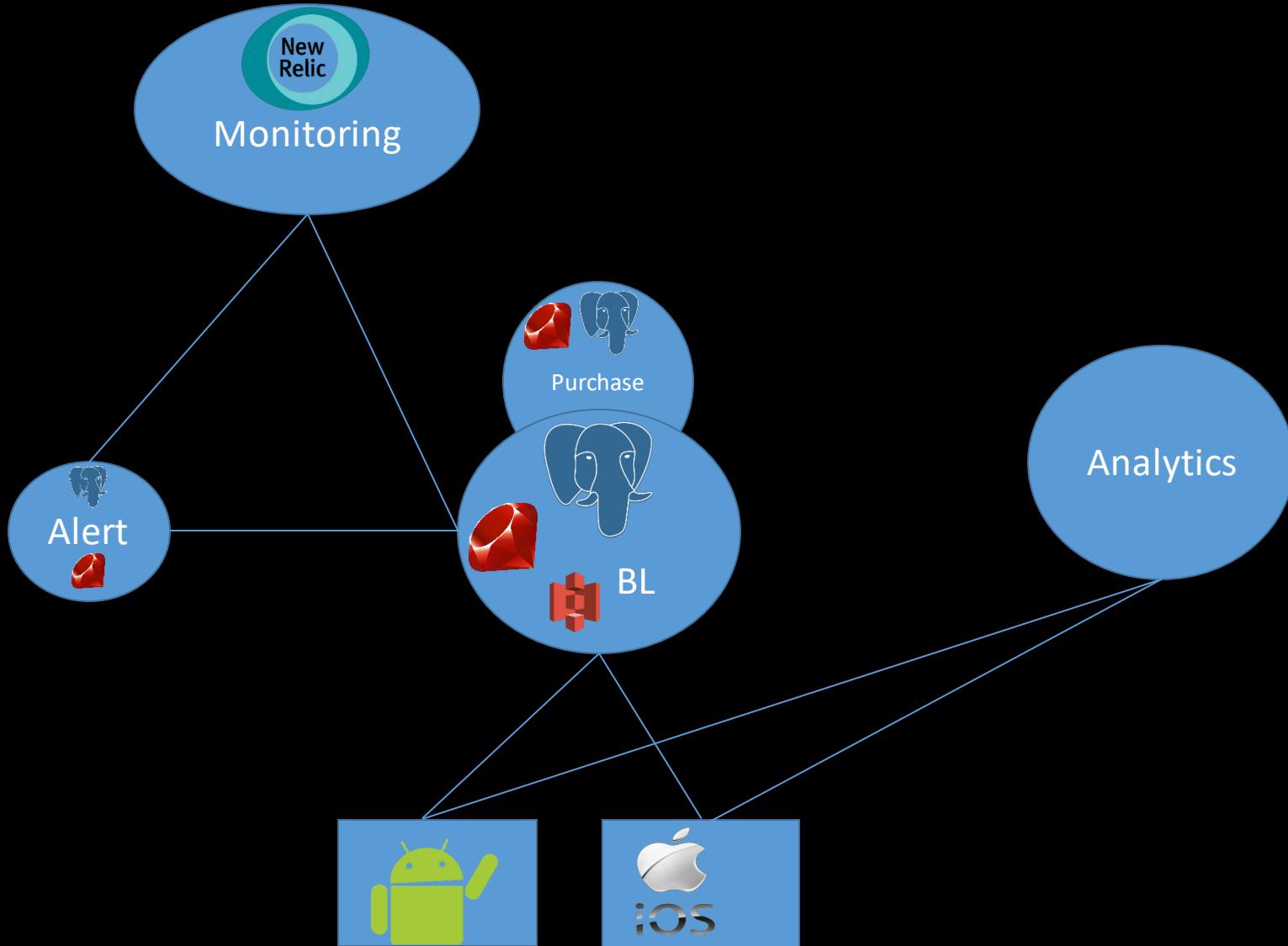
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$ juju add-unit mysql --to 0/lxc/1
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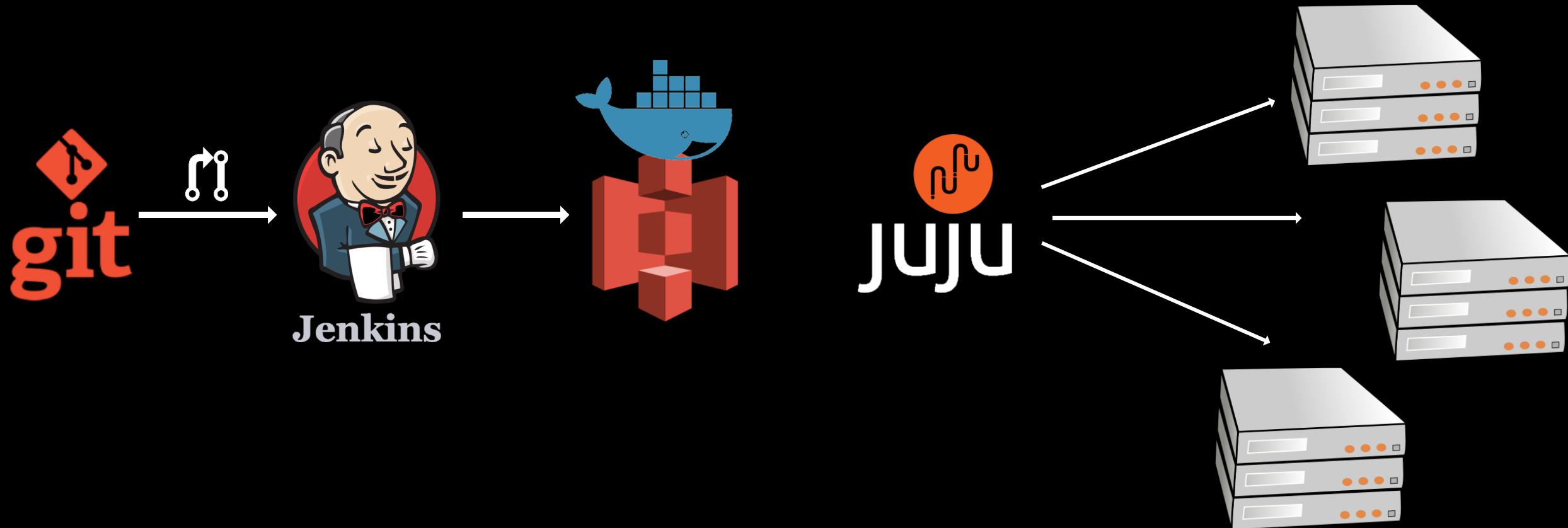
Containers



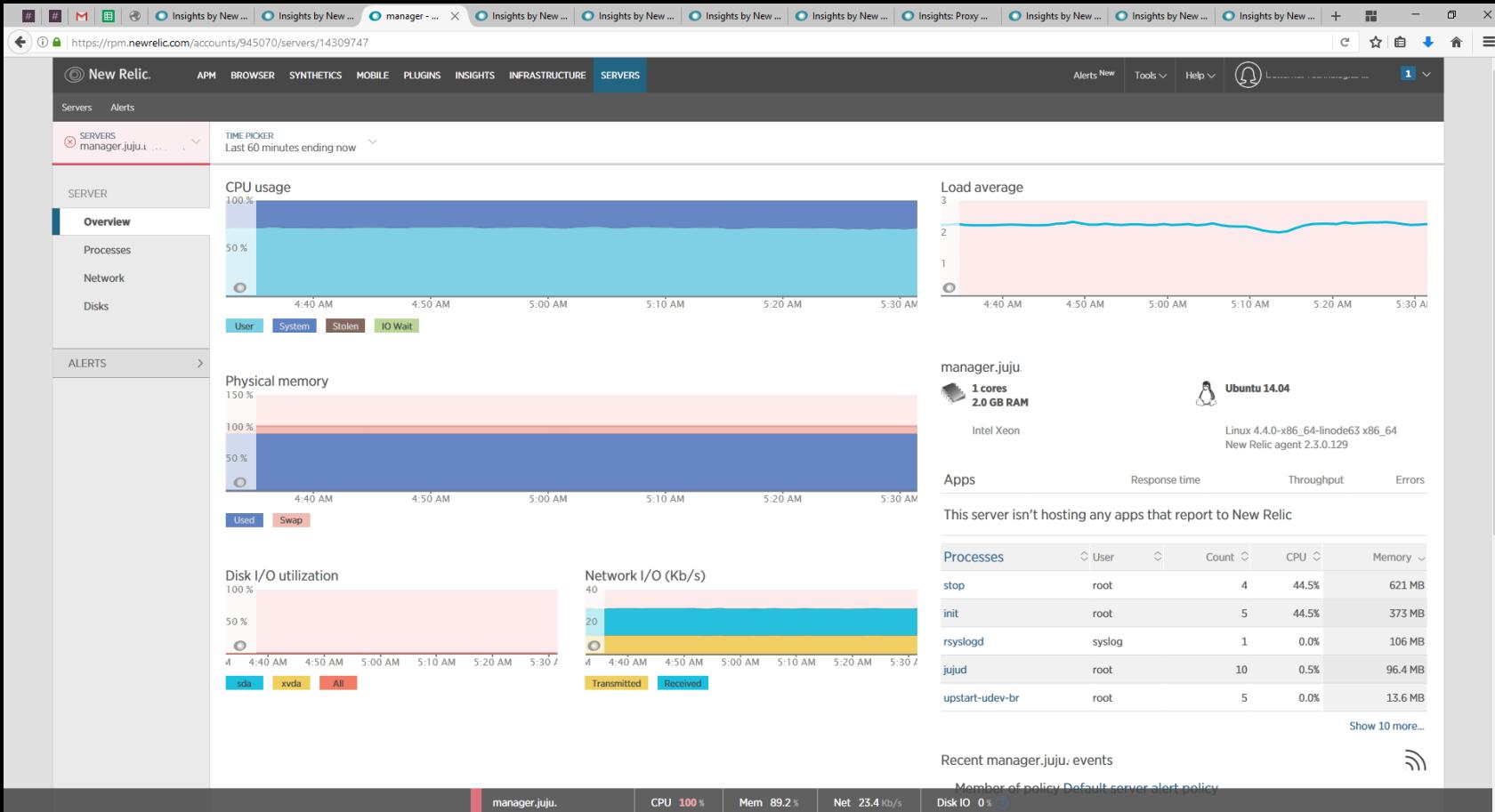




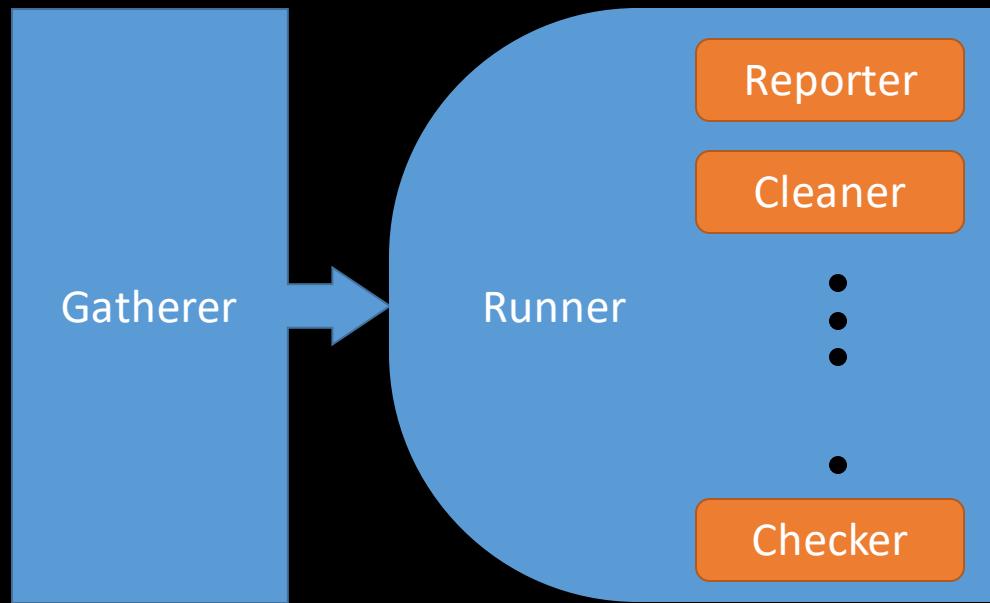
Continues Delivery & Deployment



New Relic Servers



Griffin



New Relic Insights



From Dev to Ops

Amirs

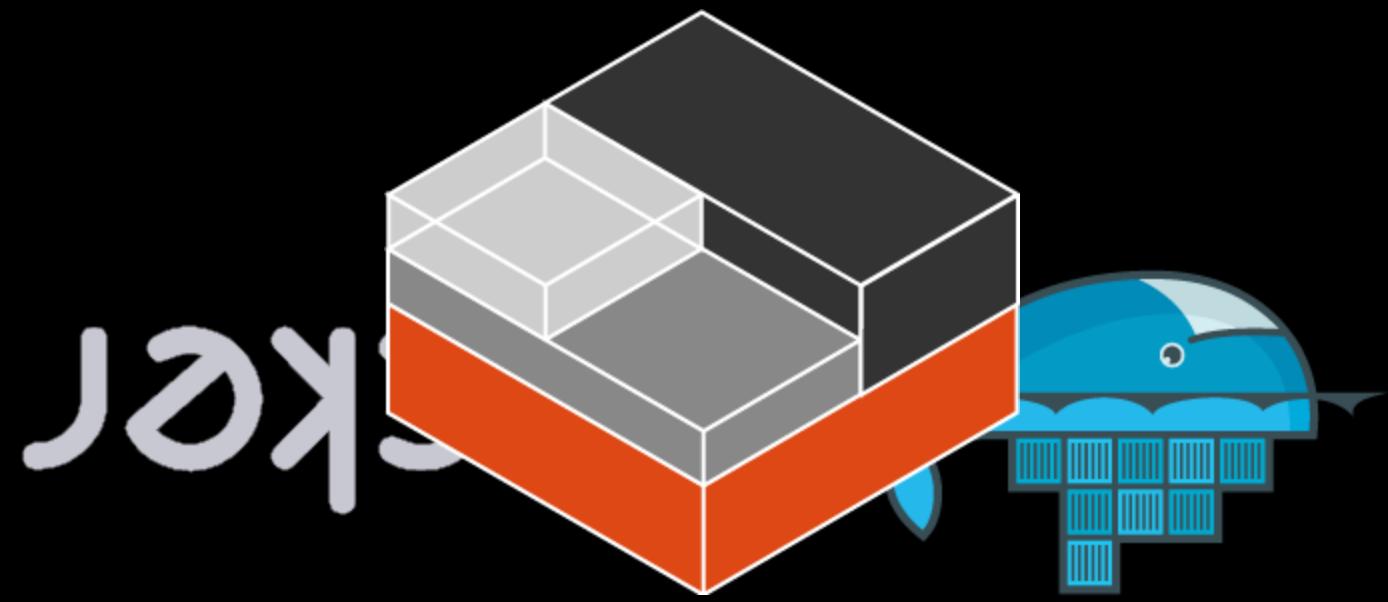
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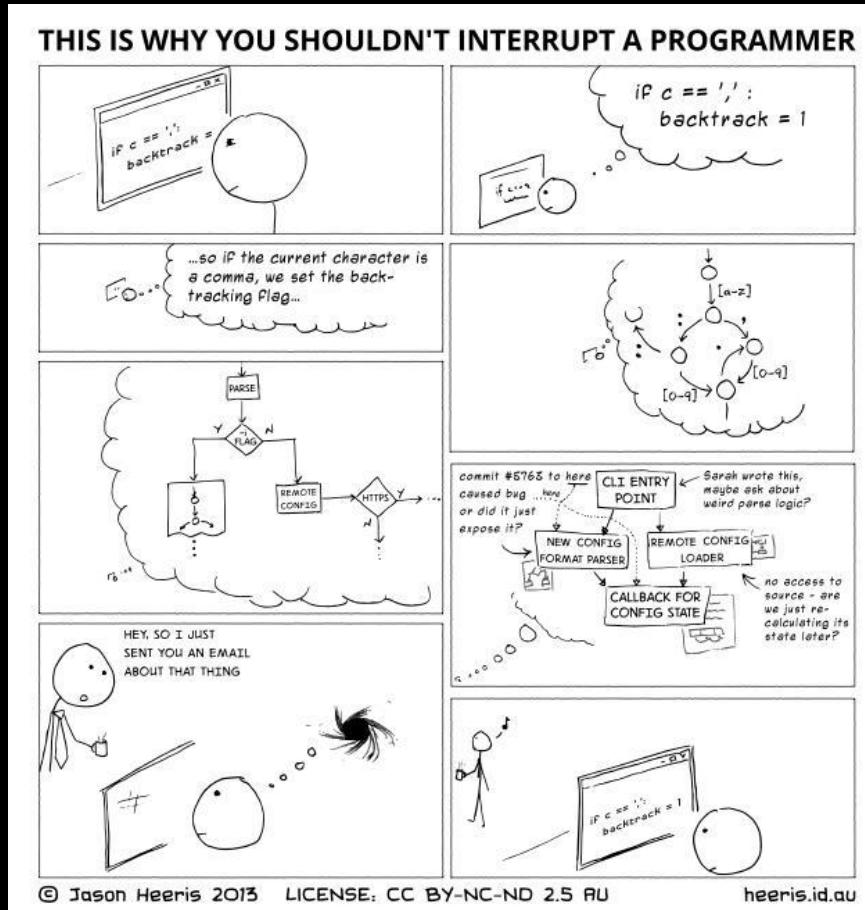
AND THEY
Lived Happily
EVER AFTER







Interrupts!



We Need to Change

The screenshot shows a LinkedIn Pulse article. The title is "How we get things done at Pichak Operations and DevOps Team using Kanban". It was published on November 26, 2016, by Mojtaba Khodabandeh, Chief Operating Officer (COO) at Pichak. The article discusses the challenges of implementing Scrum for an operations/DevOps team and how Kanban was adopted instead. Key points include limiting work in progress and prioritizing completion over new work. The article has received 13 likes, 1 comment, and 1 share.

A few years ago, I had a failure in implementing Scrum for our operations/DevOps team. As a Chief Operating Officer at [Pichak](#), this was my role to find a way to create an agile operations/DevOps team but I learnt that Scrum was not the answer. Actually, heaps of urgent jobs from other departments and dealing with interruptive issues while managing a planned work stream was not that easy! The easy job was to give a higher priority to interruptive works over ongoing projects. However, this leads to long delay in achieving new projects and wasting a lot of efforts due to the impact of switching between tasks and projects.

So we started using Kanban as our agile method. Kanban itself comes from Toyota's manufacturing system with these critical ideas:

- **Limit work in progress:** Only a set number of things can be in progress at any one time for the whole team.
- **Prioritize completion of work in progress over new work:** Anything already in progress should be completed before new work is taken into the system. Getting completed work approved should come before taking new work into the system.

Spotify Culture



How we get things done at Pichak DevOps Team

- Basic Ideas of Kanban
 - Limit work in progress
 - Prioritize completion of work in progress over new work
 - Manage the flow of work through the system
 - Visualize the workflow

Request Channels

- Internal
- External

Request Channels

- Incidents
- Tasks
- Stories

Request Channels

- Incidents →
- Tasks ↓
- Stories →

T	Key	Status	Summary
INCIDENT-19	INCIDENT-19	WAITING FOR SUPPORT users complains
INCIDENT-7	INCIDENT-7	OPEN	us7..... running out IP range
INCIDENT-9	INCIDENT-9	OPEN	Bad instance: uk1 ,
INCIDENT-23	INCIDENT-23	OPEN	Log-manager Retry
INCIDENT-26	INCIDENT-26	OPEN for Free users

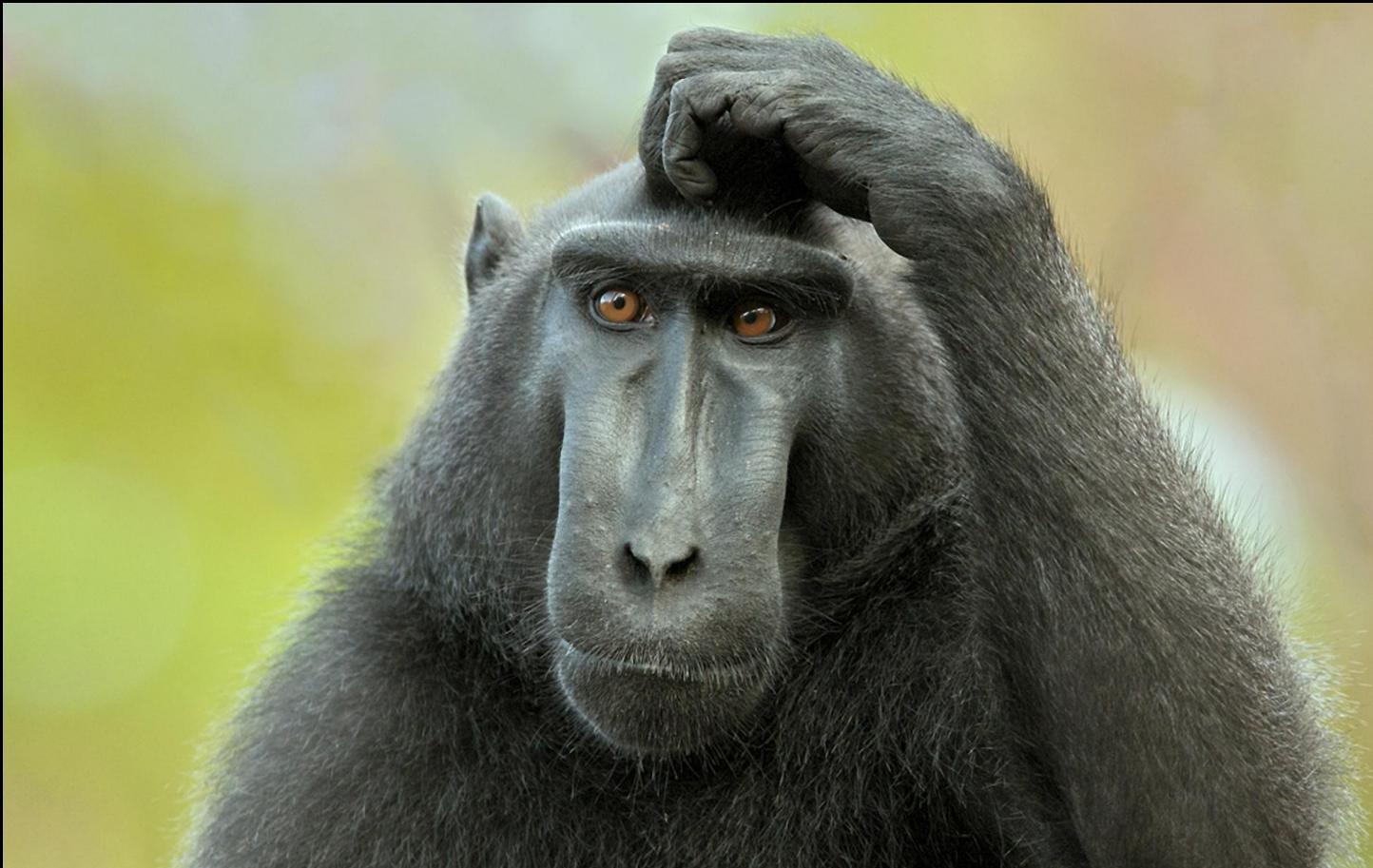
IK-34 ↑ Become resistance toward	IK-40 ↑ Charm
IK-2 ↑ TCP	IK-41 ↑ iOS code
IK-45 ↑ Domain Rotation	IK-42 ↑ Android Code
IK-8 ↑ Deploy new system to staging	IK-1 ↑ Real issue of in UAE

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Story of DevOps

So I wrote the code, now what?



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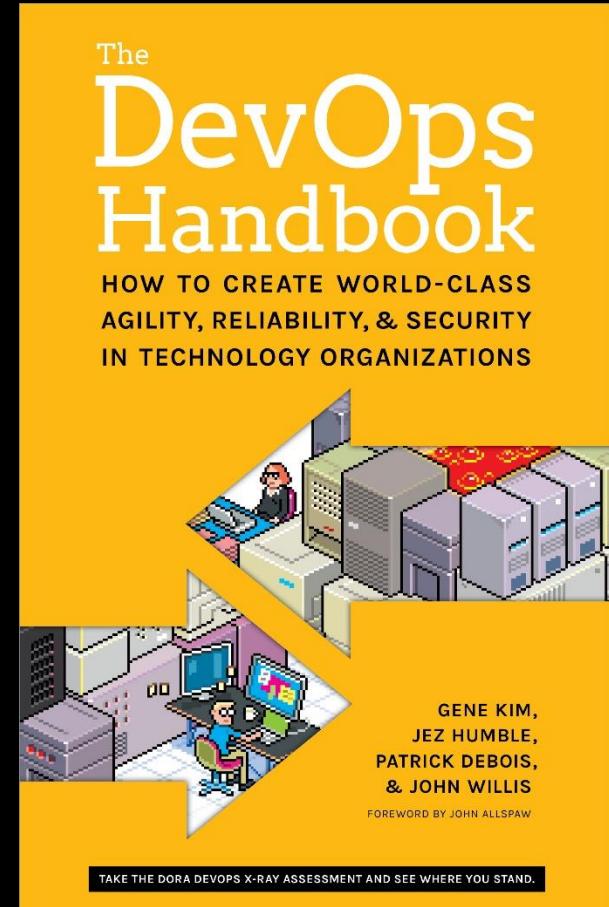
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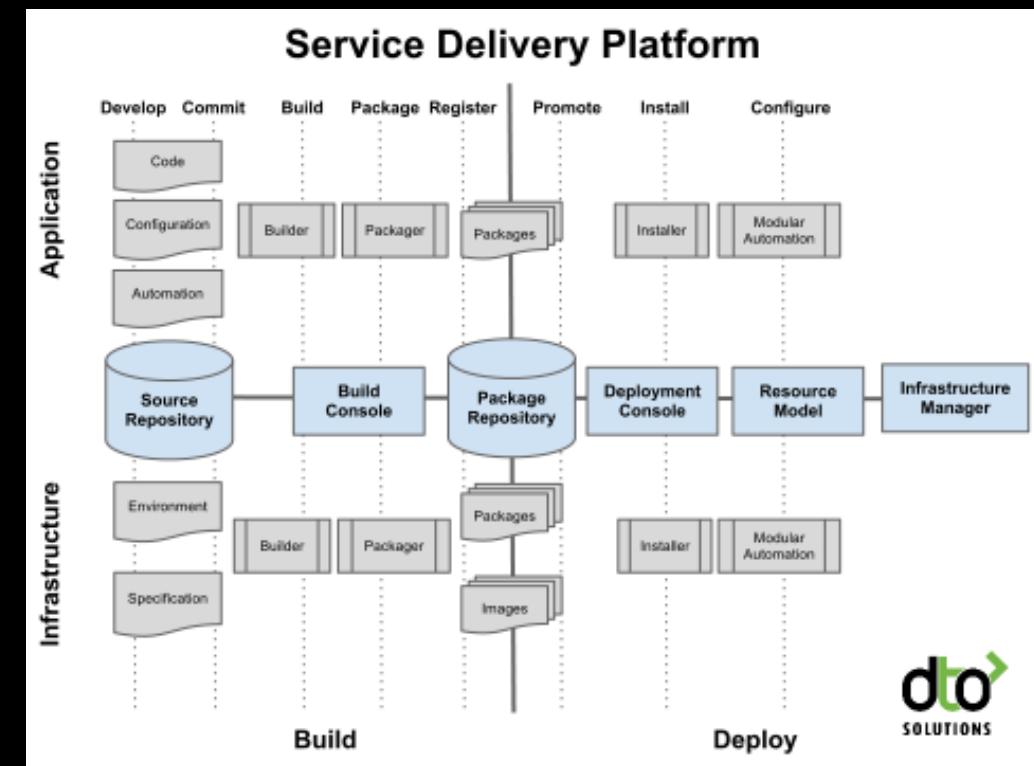
Three Ways of DevOps

- The First Way: Accelerate Flow
- The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops
- The Third Way: Accelerate Learning



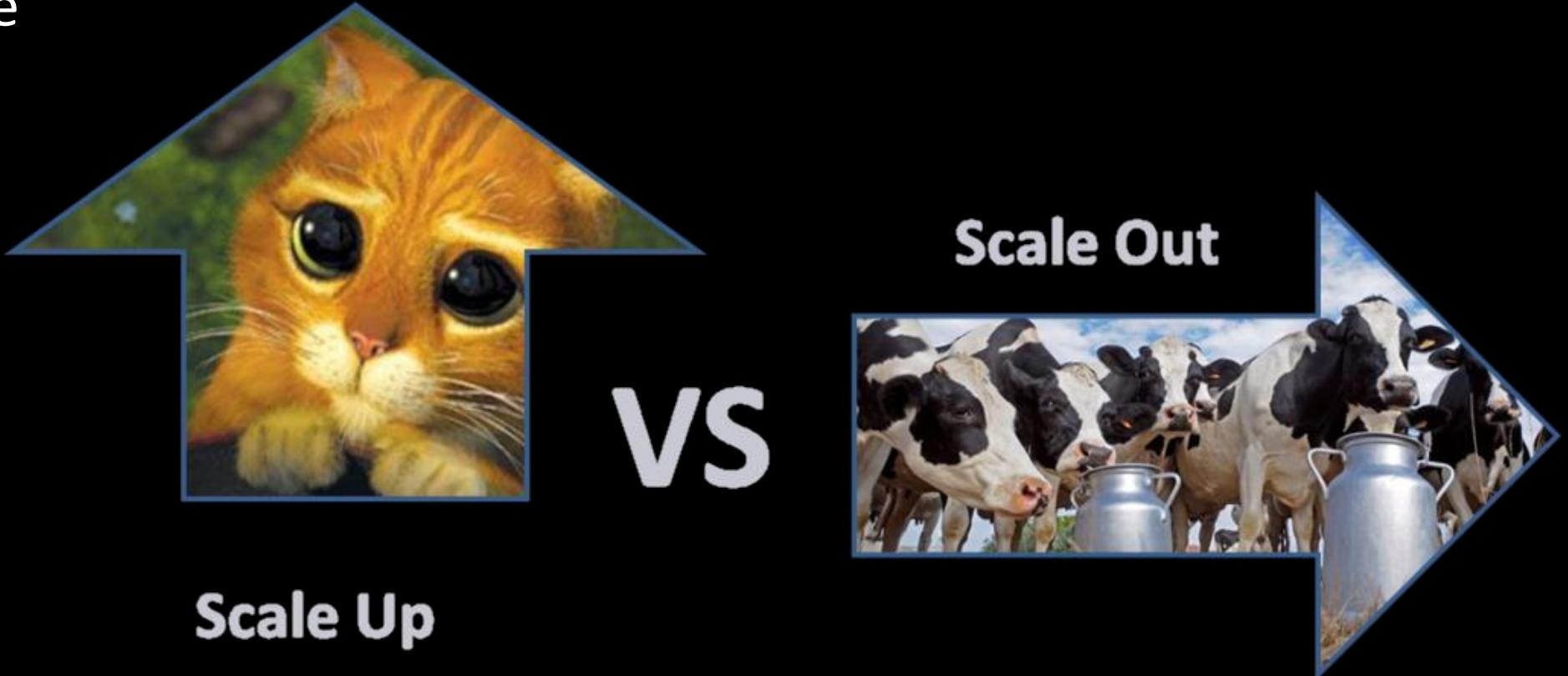
The First Way: Accelerate Flow

- Continues Delivery & Deployment
 - Small and Frequent Changes
 - Fast and Frequent Deployment

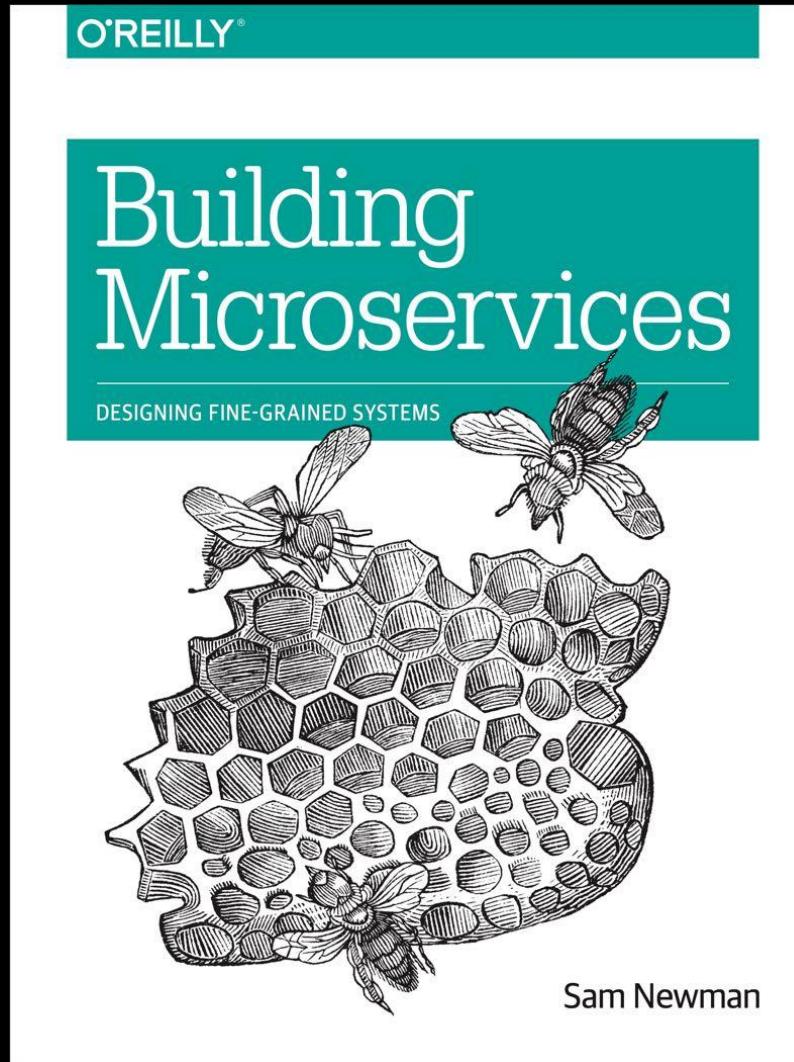


The First Way: Accelerate Flow

- Pets vs Cattle



Microservices



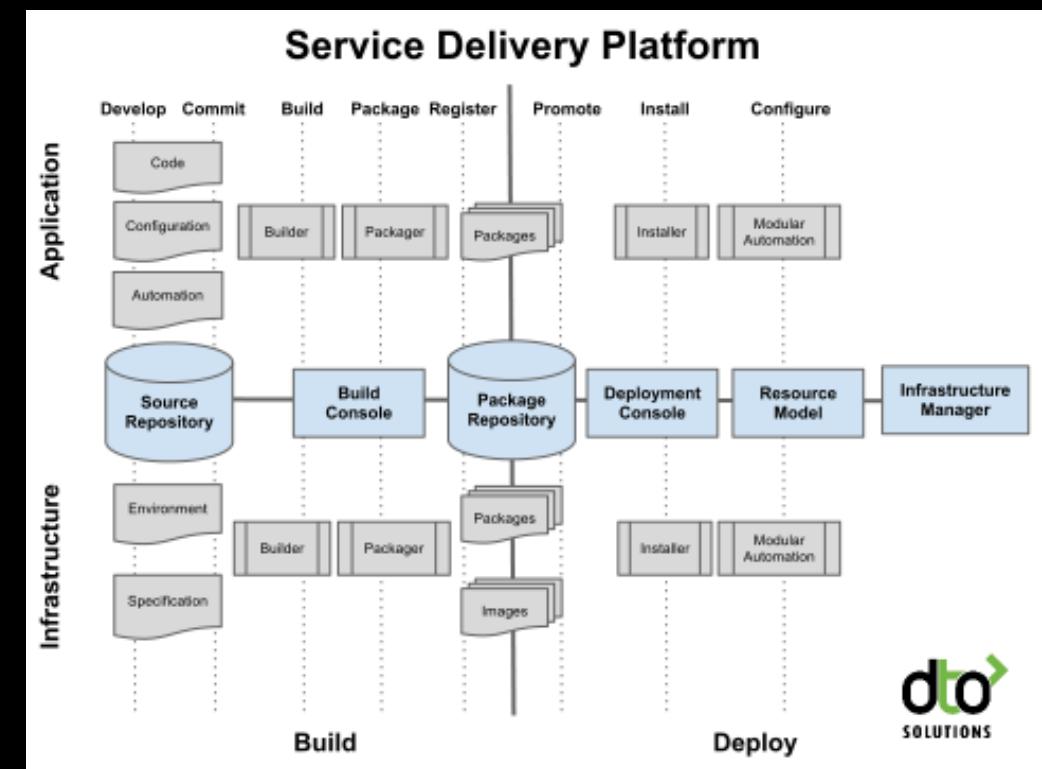
The First Way: Accelerate Flow

- Two-Pizza Team
 - From Idea to Release



The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Goals:
 - Right to Left
 - Find and Fix Fast
 - Shorten and Amplify Feedback



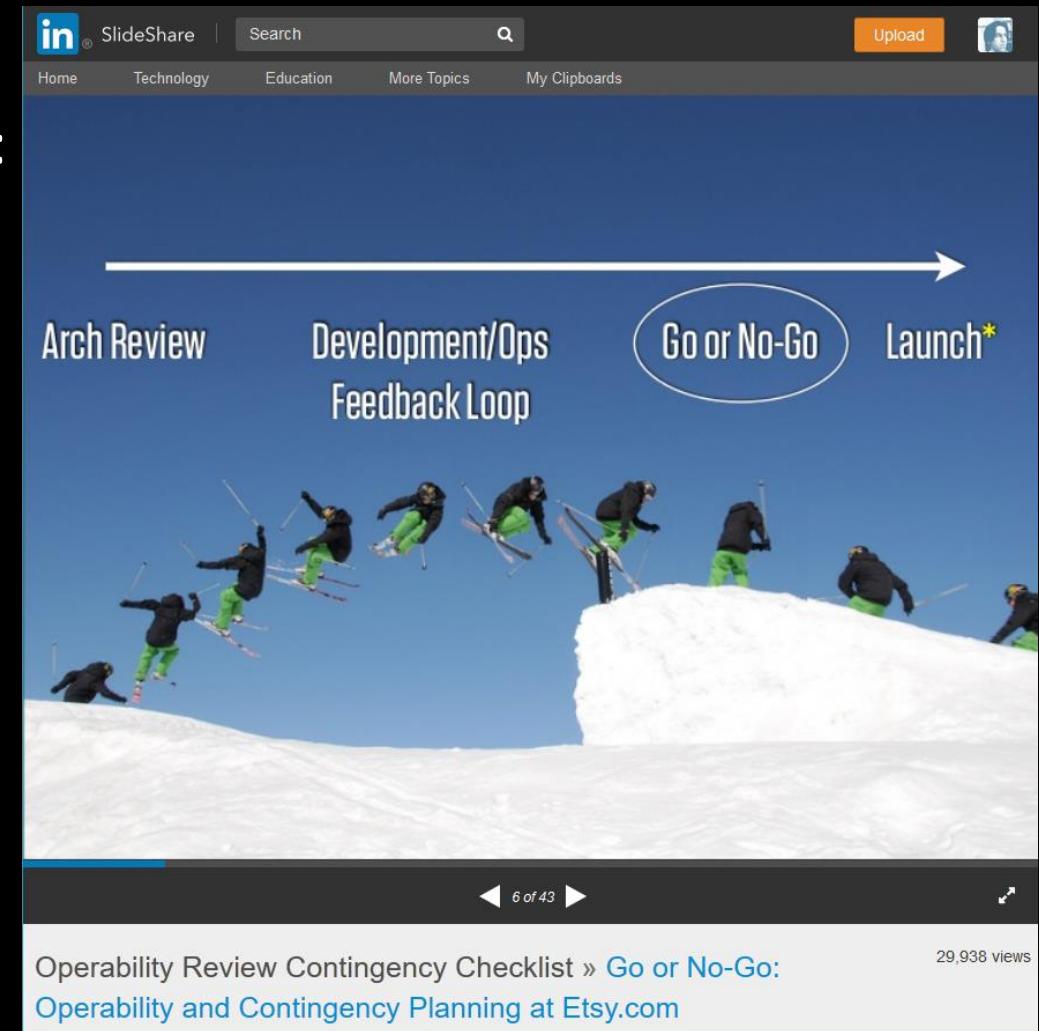
The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Fast Feedback
 - Peer review and pairing
 - Contingency
 - Design for failure
 - Feedback loops
 - Developer managed service



The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Etsy Operability Review Contingency Checklist:
 - When will it be launched
 - Who is launching it
 - Has it been in production yet
 - Can it be dark, feature or percentage launched
 - Is it new infrastructure
 - Has an on off switch
 - All parties available at launch time



The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Deploys – Upgrading Live Services
 - Canary
 - Rolling upgrades
 - Blue green deploy
 - Dark deploys
 - Toggling feature
 - A/B testing



The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Monitoring : Looking at Service Stack
 - Business indicators
 - Application indicators
 - Infrastructure indicators
 - User based indicators
 - Deployment indicators

The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Monitoring : Google's Four Golden Signals
 - Latency
 - Traffic
 - Errors
 - Saturation

The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

YouTube

Search

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N0lZrJVdI9A

Alarming on packet loss (4)

- Build packet-loss time-series
- Track **percentiles**
- Alarm on rising threshold
- Clear on falling threshold

Alarm

90th pctile

Cluster X DC data

Clear Alarm

Move Fast, Unbreak Things!

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The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Design for failure



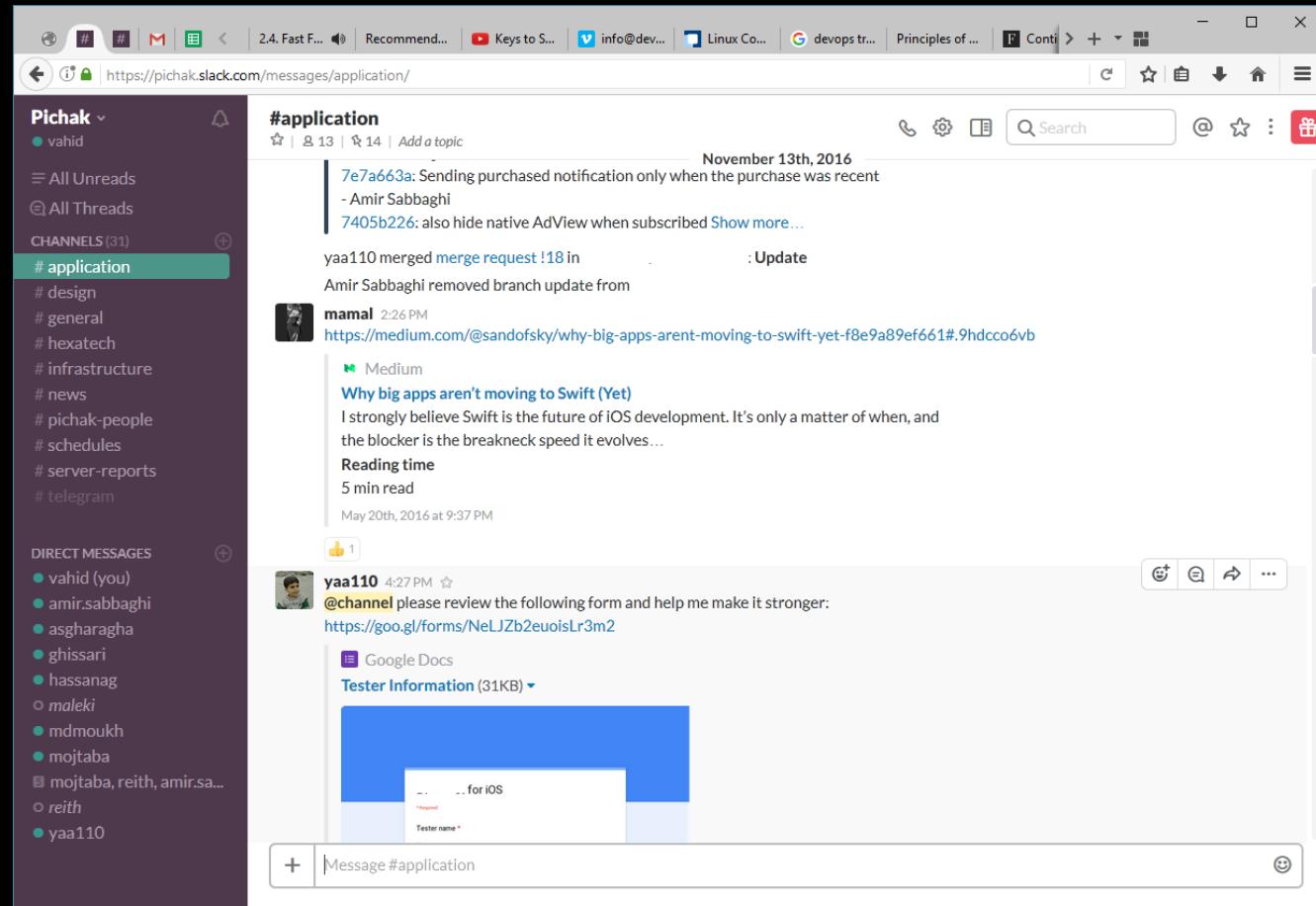
The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- Design for failure
 - The Netflix Simian Army
 - Chaos Monkey
 - Latency Monkey
 - Conformity Monkey
 - Doctor Monkey
 - Janitor Monkey
 - Security Monkey
 - 10-18 Monkey
 - Chaos Gorilla



The Second Way: Amplify Feedback Loops

- ChatOps



The Third Way: Accelerate Learning

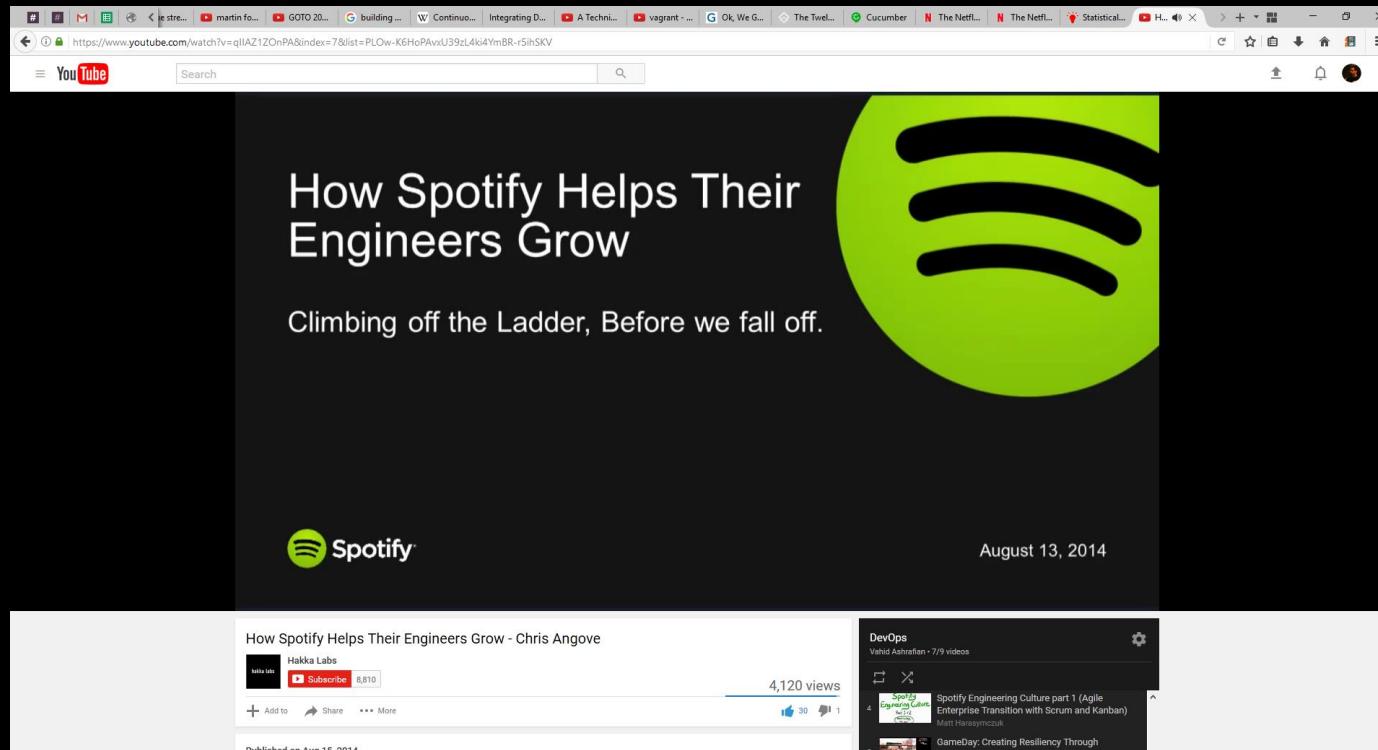
- Learning Organizations
- Communication
- Blameless Culture

The Third Way: Accelerate Learning

- Learning Organizations
 - Psychological safety
 - Appreciation of difference
 - Openness to new ideas
 - Time for reflection
 - Systematic knowledge sharing
 - Education and experiment
 - Reinforced learning

The Third Way: Accelerate Learning

- Learning Organizations
- Communication



The Third Way: Accelerate Learning

- Blameless Culture
 - A blameless culture believes that systems are NOT inherently safe and humans do the best they can to keep them running.

High-performing organizations



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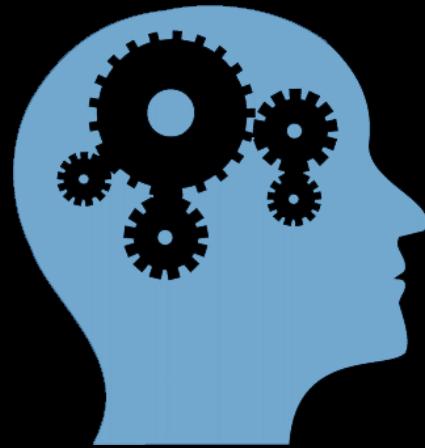
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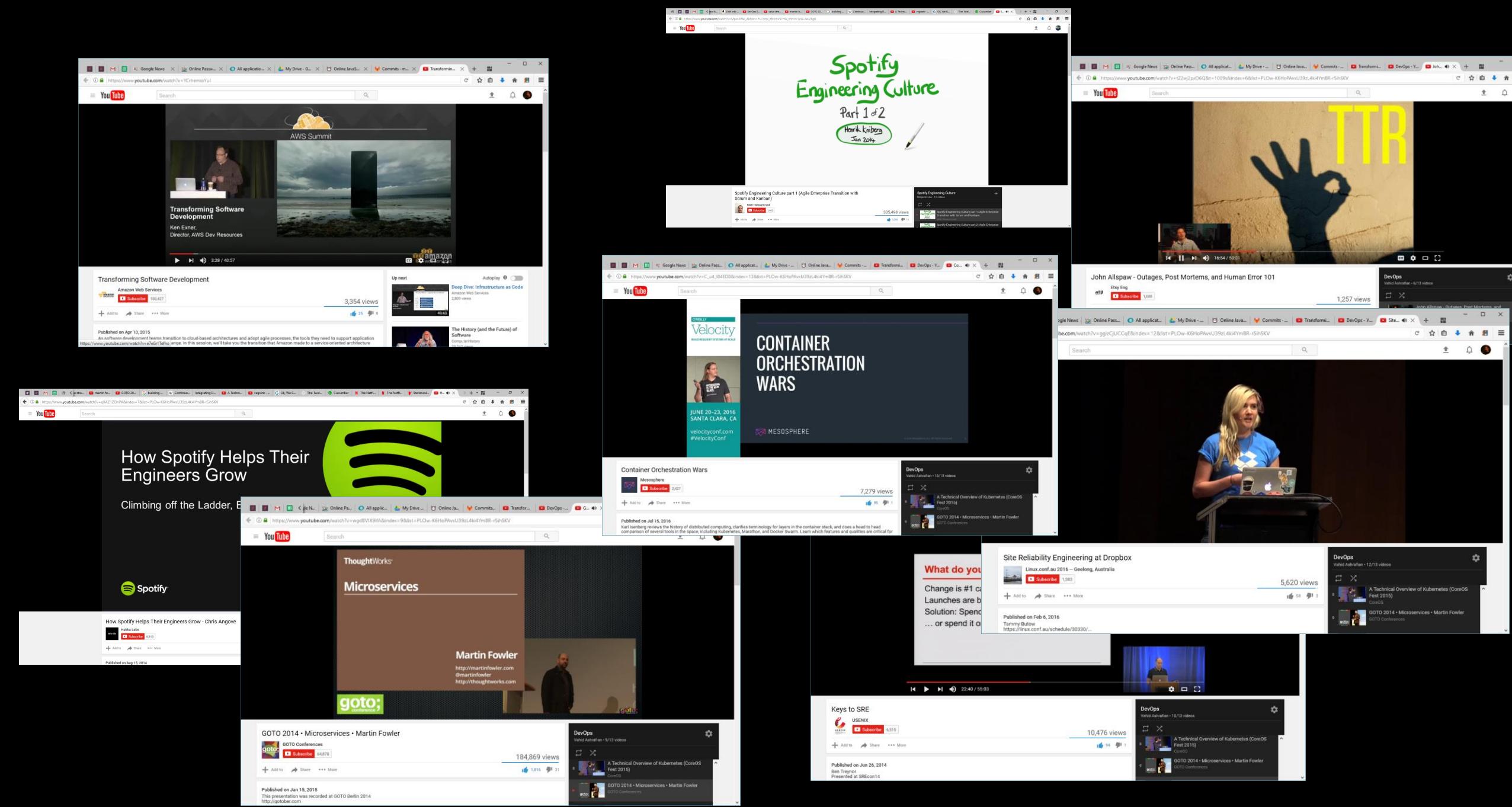
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High-performing organizations

- Deploy 200 times
- 2,555 times faster lead times
- recover 24 times faster
- three times lower change failure rates



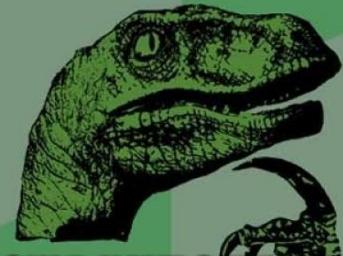
Your Story



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CLOUD PROVIDER IN IRAN?

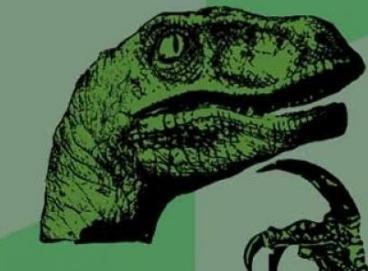


IF I WATCHED THIS
VIDEO TWO YEARS AGO



I COULD HAVE SAVED TWO
YEARS OF EXPERIMENTING

DID EVERYONE HAVE SAME PROBLEMS
WITH DOCKER AS WE HAD?



WHY I DIDN'T WATCH THIS
VIDEO TWO YEARS AGO?



WHY I DIDN'T HEARD OF
ANYONE ELSE ABOUT DEVOPS

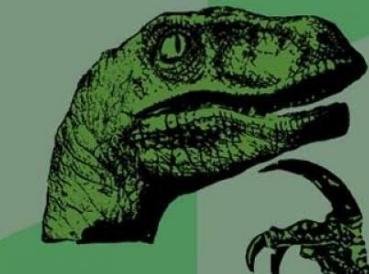


IF I HAVE A EXPERIENCED
IN DEVOPS IN TWO YEARS



THERE SHOULD BE LOTS OF OTHERS
WITH THEIR OWN EXPERIENCE

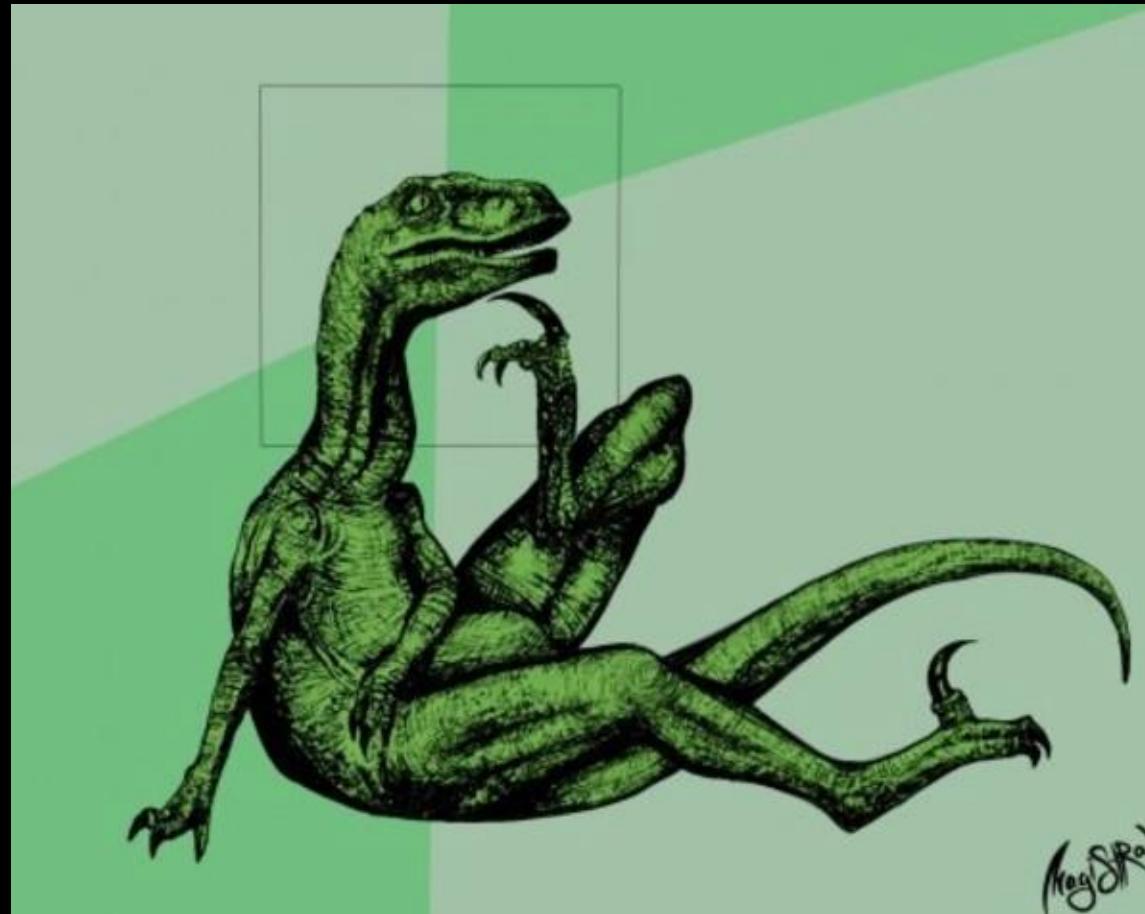
WHY THERE I COULDN'T FIND
MORE WHYS TO FILL THIS SLIDE?



WAS IT A GOOD IDEA TO WROTE
SENSIBLE AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR JUJU?



We Need More Stories!



Thank You!



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Recommended Resources

- Introduction to DevOps: Transforming and Improving Operations – edx.org – The Linux Foundation
- Spotify Engineering Culture
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mpsn3Wal_4k&list=PLC3mk_XNmVS7HG_nhNr3I1VQ-2eL2XgB
- Transforming Software Development – Amazon Web Services
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YCrhemssYul>
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