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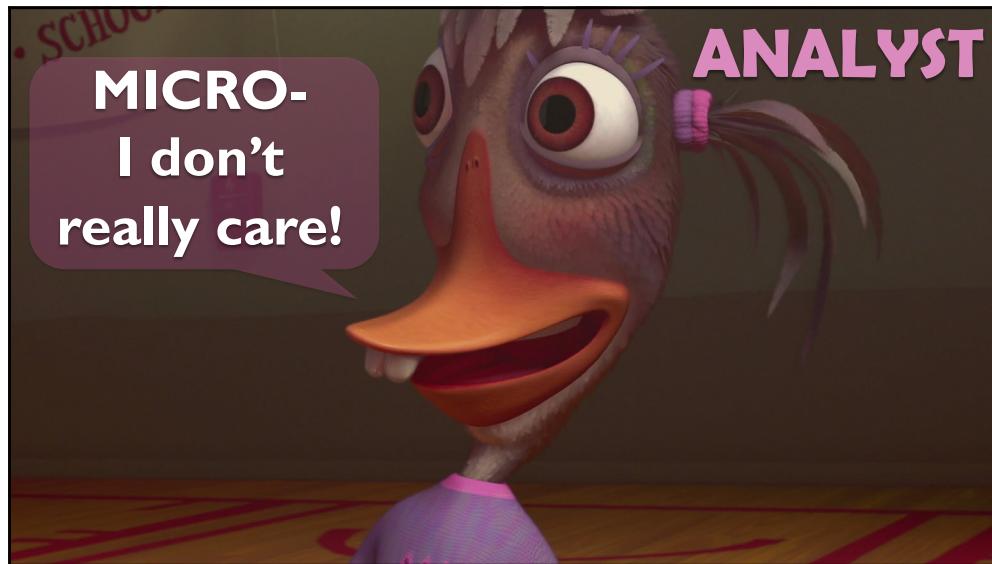
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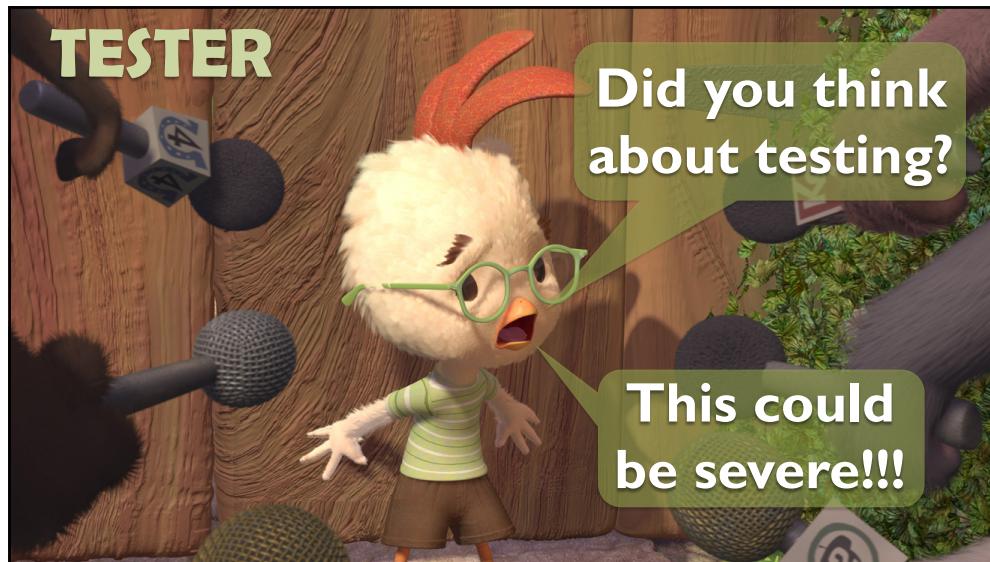
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## AGENDA

- **INTRODUCTION TO MICROSERVICES**
  - DEFINITION, CHARACTERISTICS, MOTIVATION
  - STRUCTURE, BEHAVIOR
  - CONTAINERIZATION, PROJECT: FIRST LOOK
- **AGILE-NOT-FRAGILE MICROSERVICES DEVELOPMENT**
  - COMMUNICATION STYLES AND PATTERNS
  - MICROSERVICE DESIGN AND TESTABILITY
  - FULL-STACK TEST AUTOMATION
  - CHALLENGES, PITFALLS AND ANTI-PATTERNS
  - RESILIENCY THROUGH CHAOS ENGINEERING
- **WRAP UP**
  - QUESTIONS, DISCUSSION, FEEDBACK

```
graph TD; A([Show Up]) --> B([Learn]); B --> C([Leave]);
```

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# INTRODUCTION TO MICROSERVICES

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## MICROSERVICES?



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# DEFINITION

Functional decomposition of system into small, independently deployable services.

Functional decomposition means vertical slicing  
as opposed to horizontal slicing into layers.

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VS.



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'Micro' refers to small size but there is no universal definition of small.

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As small as possible but as big as necessary to represent domain.

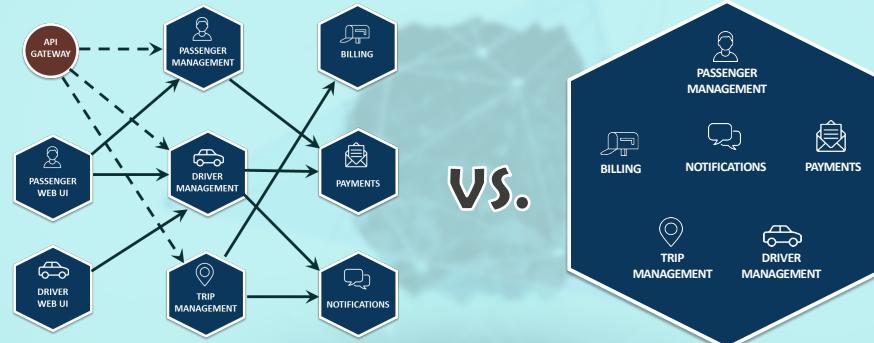


Manageable by a team of five to six persons.

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# DEFINITION

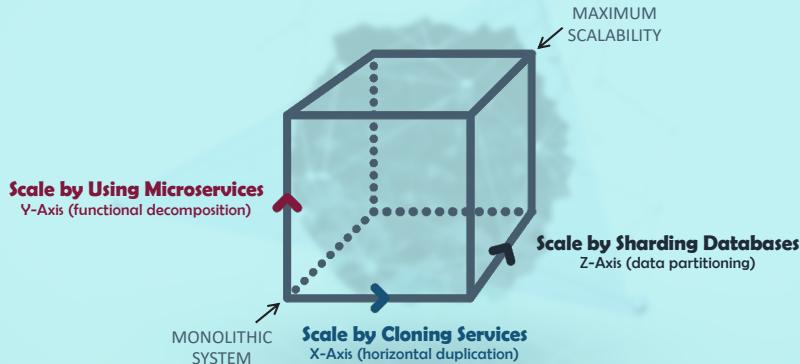
Functional decomposition of system into small, independently deployable services.

Independently deployable also implies that each microservice is independently scalable.

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# CHARACTERISTICS

Apply SOLID and Design for Testability Principles at the Service Level



Single  
Responsibility



Encapsulation  
(Private)



Monitored  
(Observable)



Clustered  
(Instanced)



Technology  
Agnostic

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## MOTIVATION

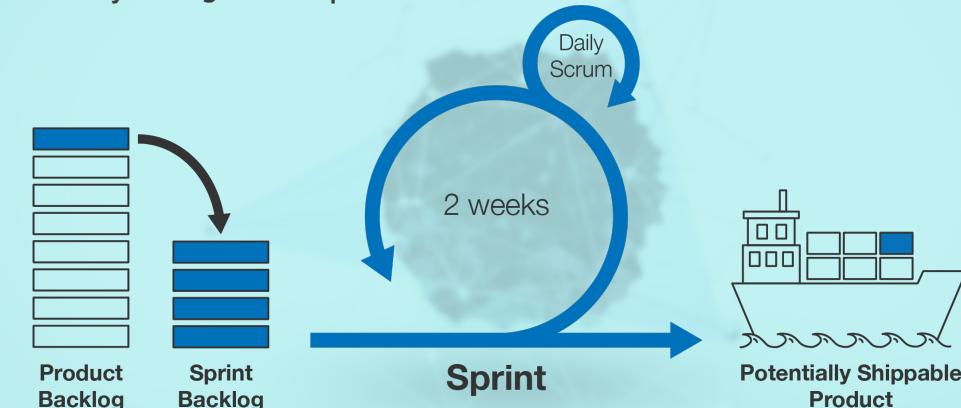
Aligns Well with DevOps Practices



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## MOTIVATION

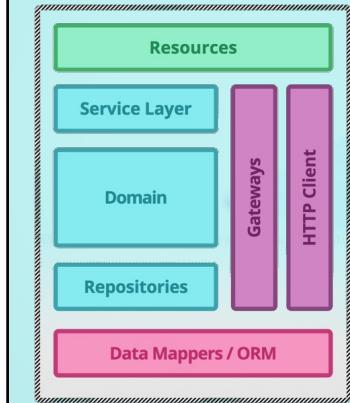
Fits Easily into Agile Development Processes



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# STRUCTURE

## Resources



# {RESTful API}

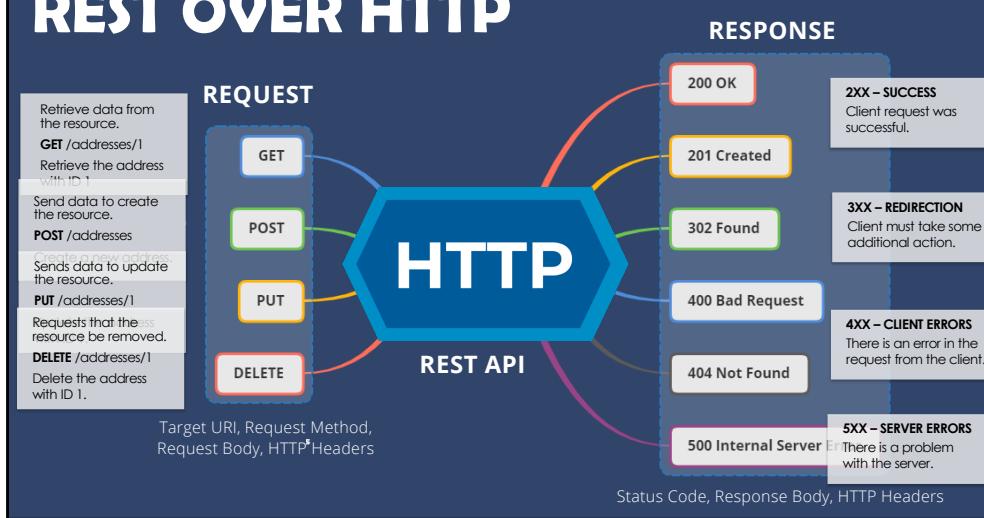
**Resources** are a fundamental concept in any Representational State Transfer (**REST**) APIs.

- Expose easily understood, directory structured, Uniform Resource Identifiers (**URIs**).
- URLs enable interaction with a resource over a network using specific protocols, e.g., Hypertext Transfer Protocol (**HTTP**)
- Similar to an object instance in OOP with the difference that only a few standard **Create, Read, Update, Delete** operations are defined for the resource.

e.g., **POST, GET, PUT, DELETE**

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# REST OVER HTTP



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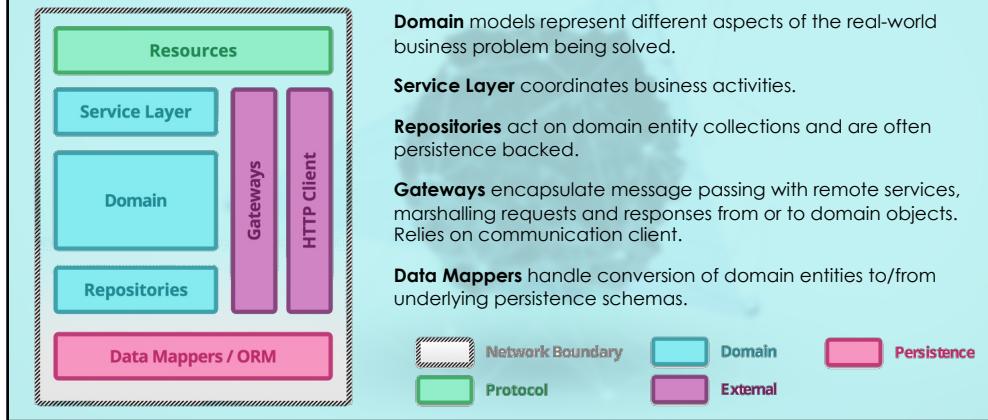
# REST API TESTING



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## STRUCTURE

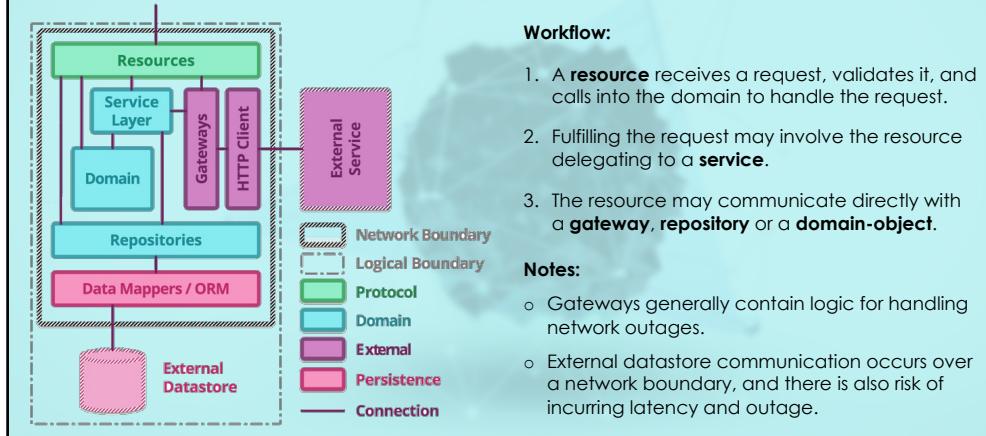
Domain, Services, Repositories, Gateways, Data Mappers.



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# BEHAVIOR

Domain, Services, Repositories, Gateways, Data Mappers.



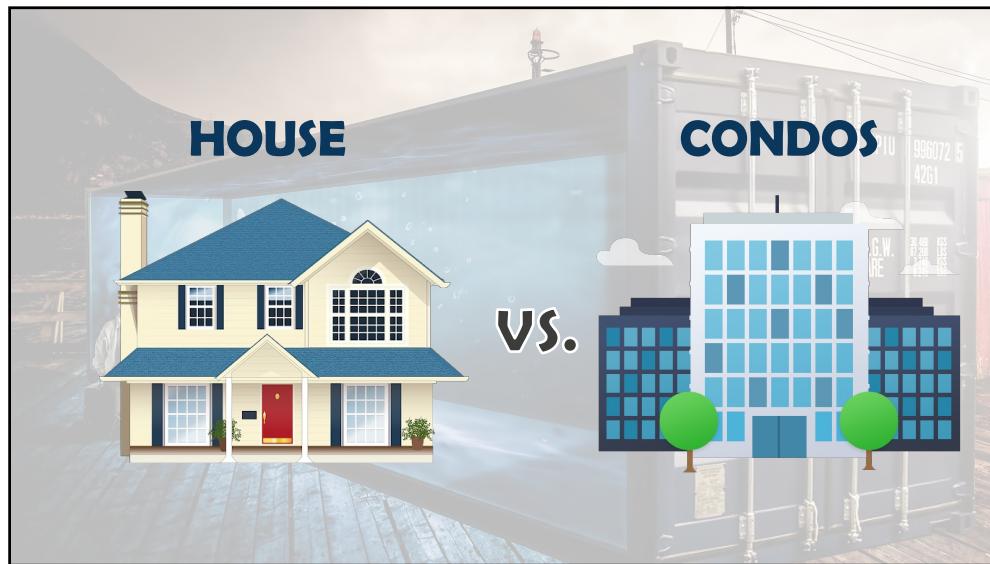
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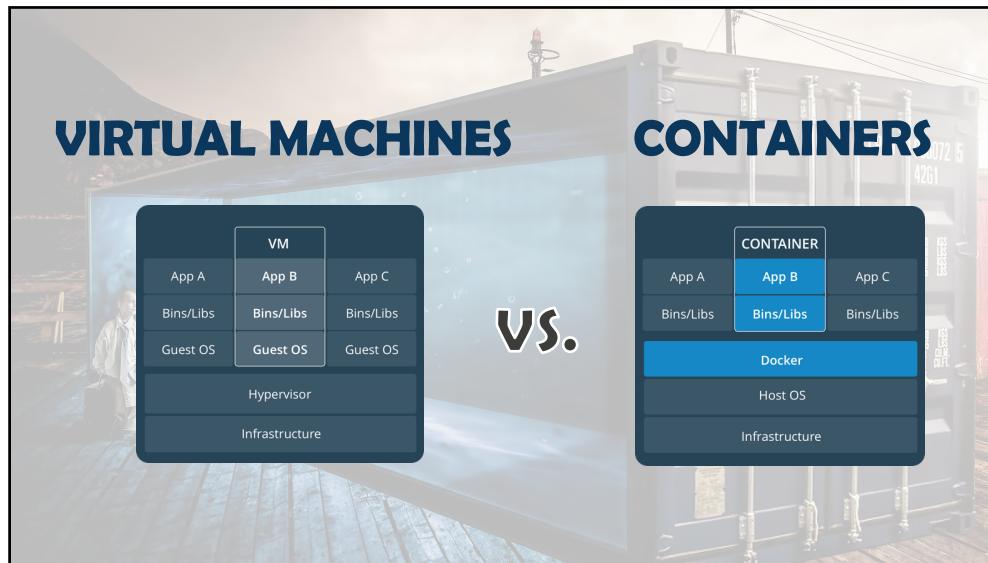
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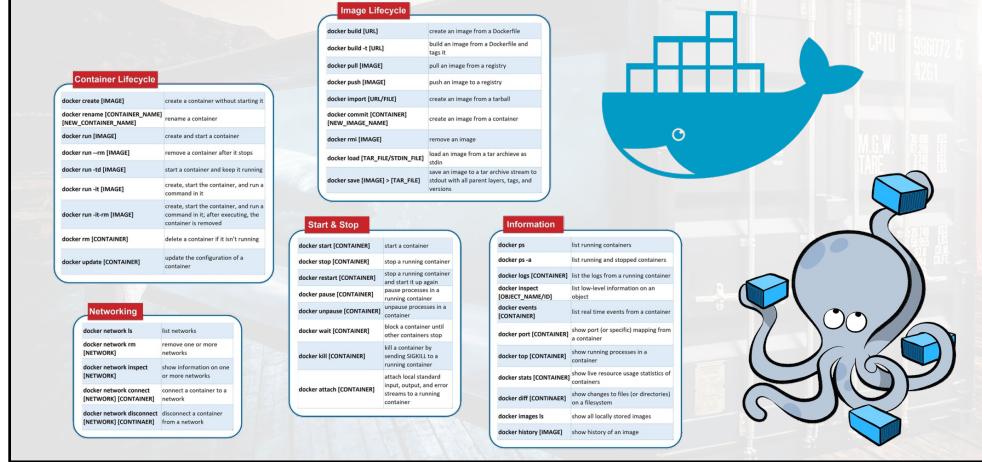


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# DOCKER CHEATSHEET



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# SPINNING UP MICROSERVICES

Using Containers and Service Discovery to Manage Microservices

**BUILD PROJECT**  
./gradlew assemble

**SPIN UP**  
docker-compose up

**LIST RUNNING CONTAINERS**  
docker ps

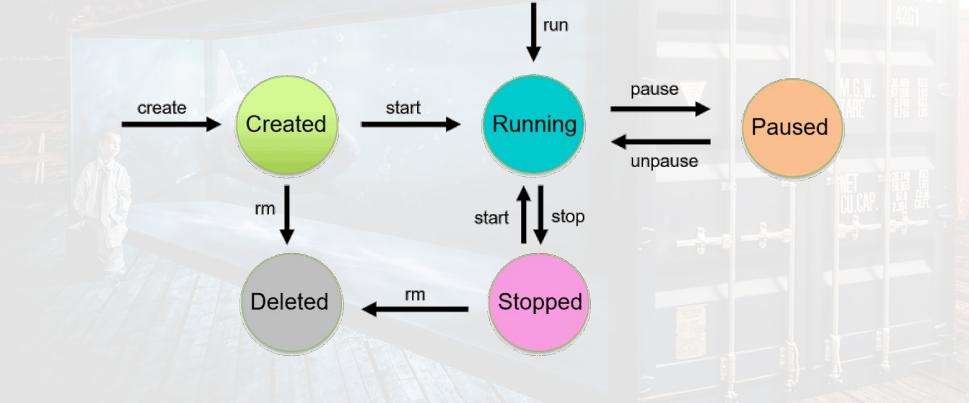
**SUSPEND AND RESUME**  
docker pause/unpause

**SPIN DOWN**  
docker stop \$(docker ps -aq)

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# SPINNING UP MICROSERVICES

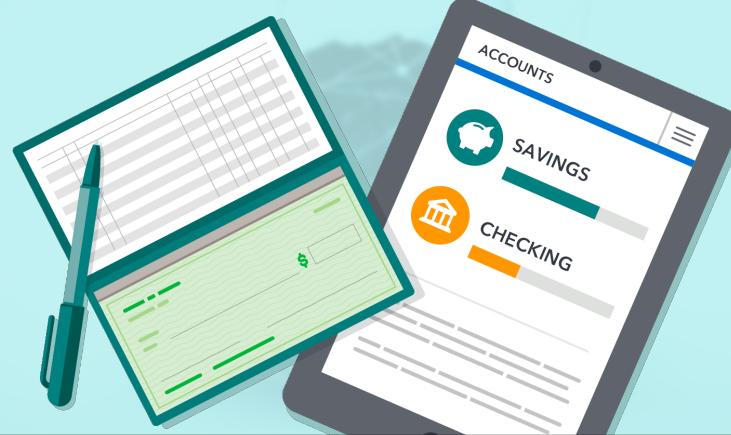
Docker Container Lifecycle Management



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# PROJECT: FIRST LOOK

Banking Application



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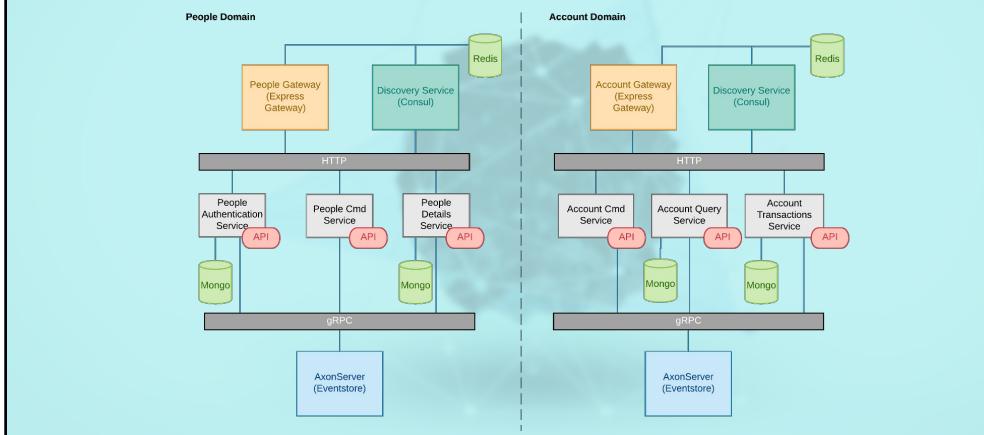
Open-Source and Available on GitHub

<http://github.com/tariqking/testing-microservices-introduction>

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# PROJECT: FIRST LOOK

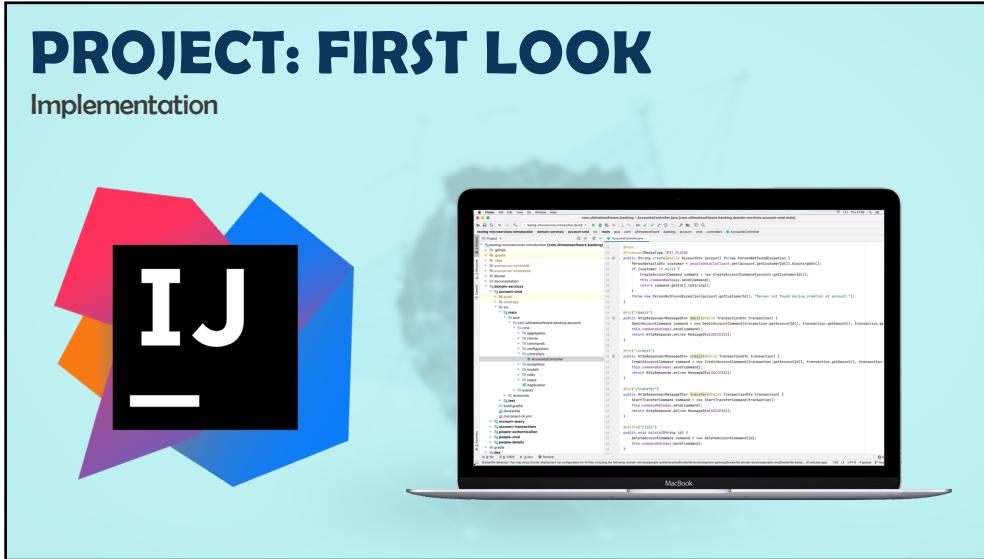
## Architecture



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# PROJECT: FIRST LOOK

## Implementation



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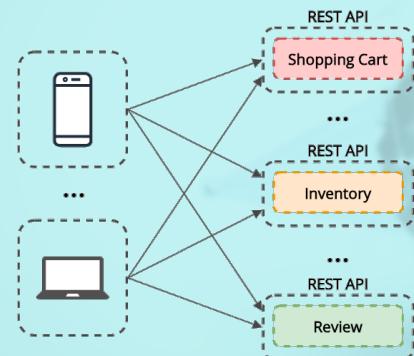
AGILE-NOT-FRAGILE MICROSERVICES DEVELOPMENT

# COMMUNICATION STYLES AND PATTERNS

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## COMMUNICATION STYLES

Direct Client to Microservice Communication



In a microservices architecture, each microservice typically exposes a set of fine-grained end-points.

A possible communication style is using **direct client-to-microservice communication**.

- Endpoints are made public
- Clients make direct calls

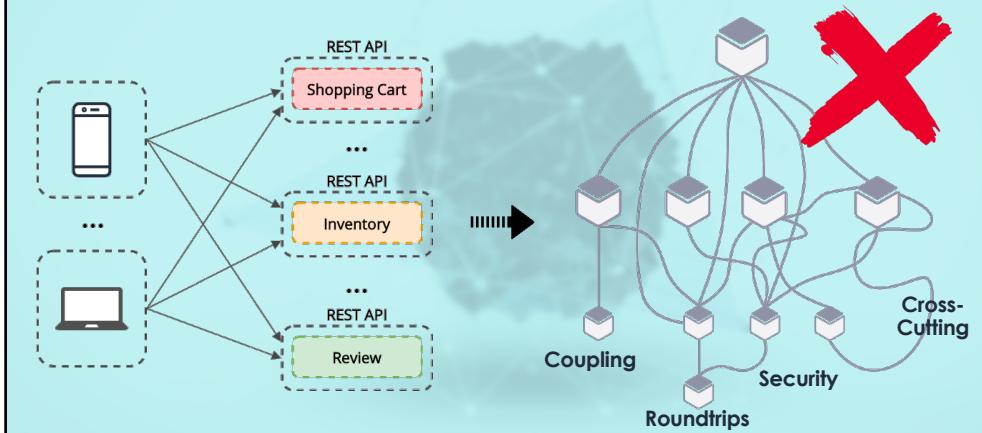
**Any benefits to this approach?**

**How about foreseeable issues?**

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# COMMUNICATION STYLES

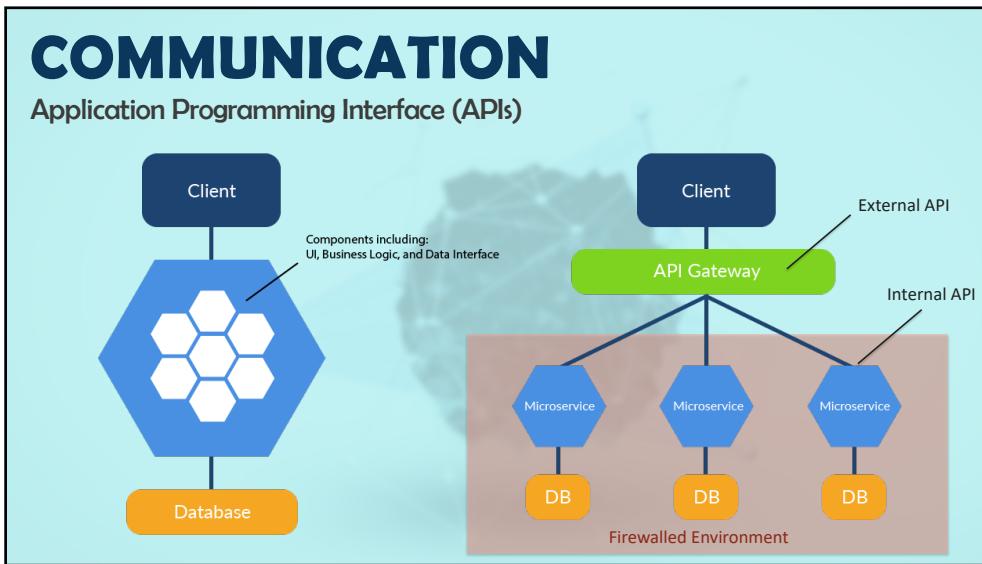
Direct Client to Microservice Communication



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# COMMUNICATION

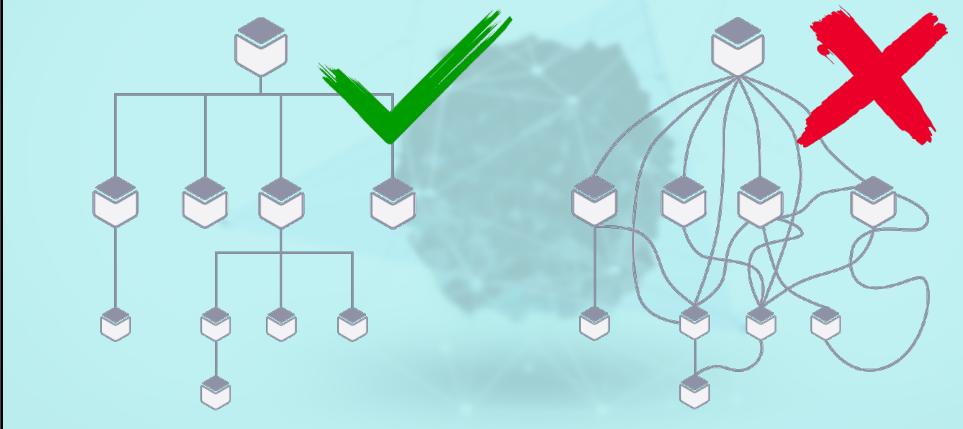
Application Programming Interface (APIs)



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# COMMUNICATION STYLES

## API Gateway Pattern



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# API GATEWAY PATTERN

## Overview



API gateway sits between the client applications and the microservices.

Acts as a reverse proxy, routing requests from clients to services.

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# API GATEWAY PATTERN

Design Features



GATEWAY ROUTING



REQUEST AGGREGATION

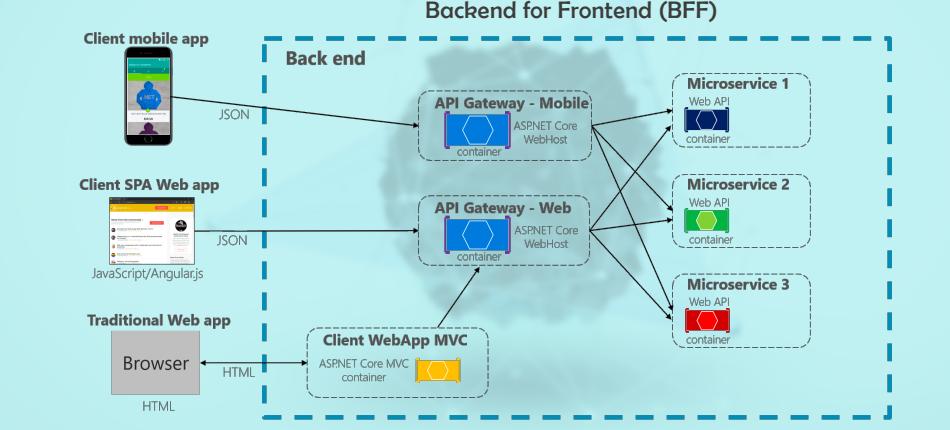


GATEWAY OFFLOADING

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# API GATEWAY PATTERN

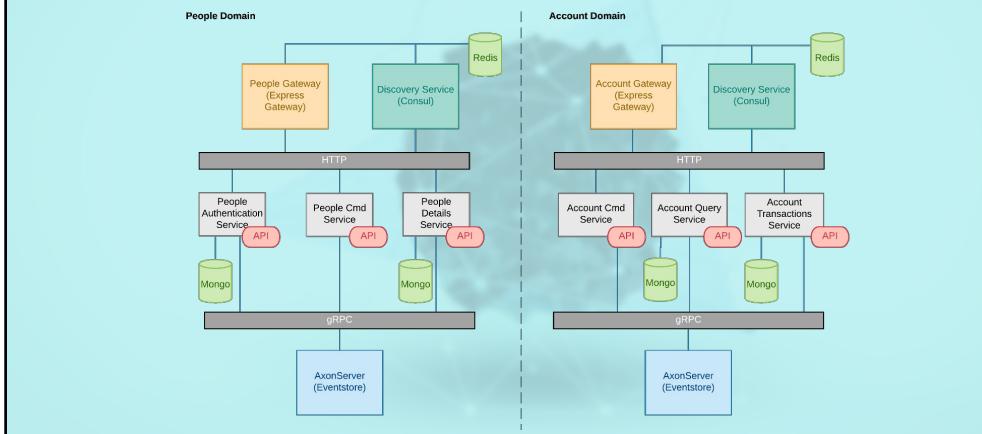
By Client Application



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# API GATEWAY PATTERN

By Application Domain



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# COMMUNICATION

Drawbacks of the API Gateway Pattern



SINGLE POINT  
OF FAILURE



PERFORMANCE  
IMPACTS

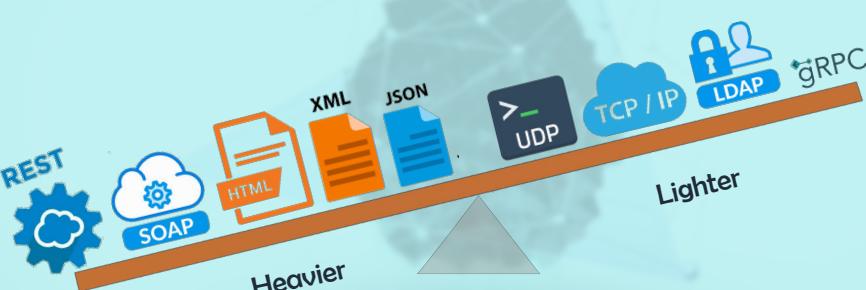


DEVELOPMENT  
COSTS

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# COMMUNICATION

Communication is important but it must be cheap!



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# EVENT SOURCING

Domain Events:



Something that happened.



A withdrawal was performed.



Immutable and Immortal.

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# EVENT SOURCING

Commands vs. Events



Enter Card



Verify PIN



Withdraw Cash



Print Receipt

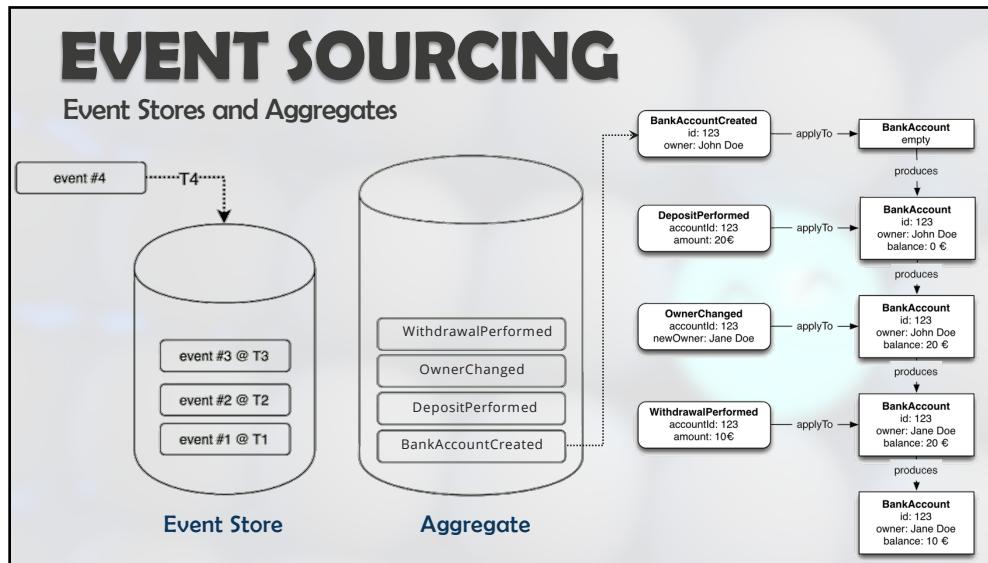
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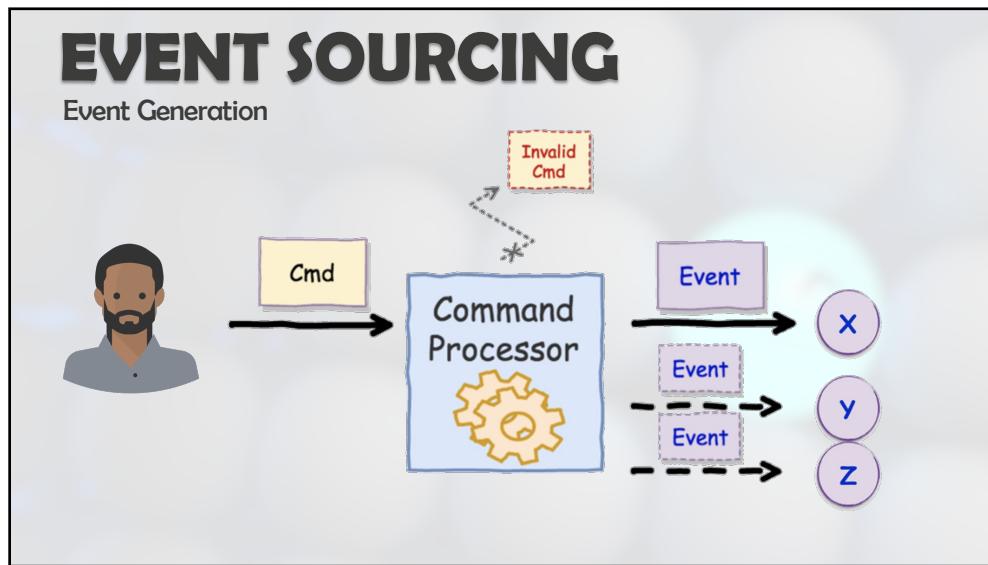
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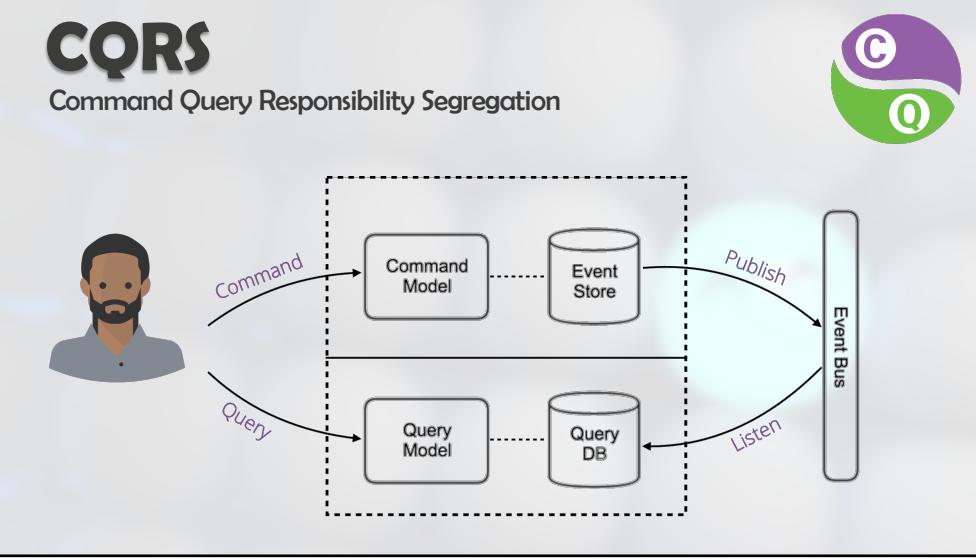
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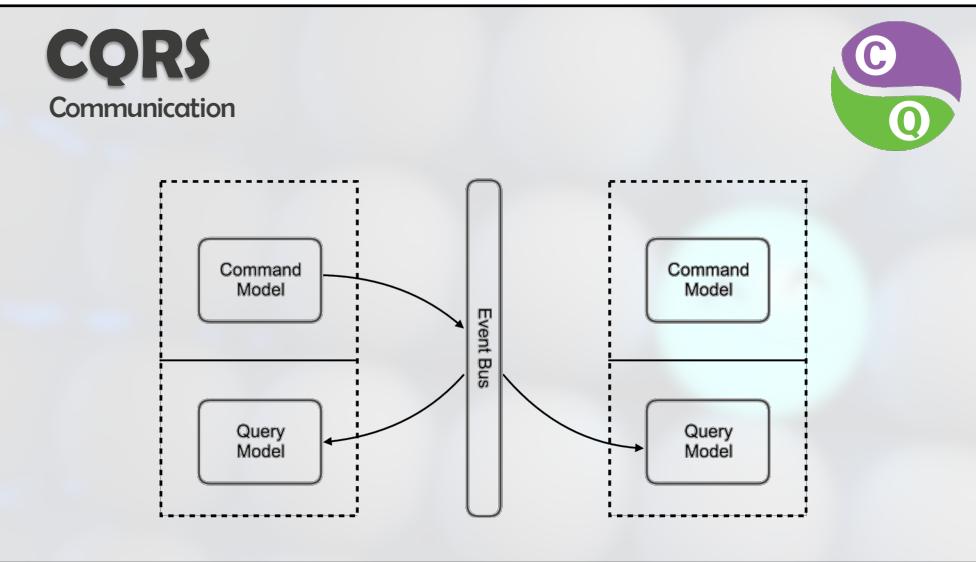
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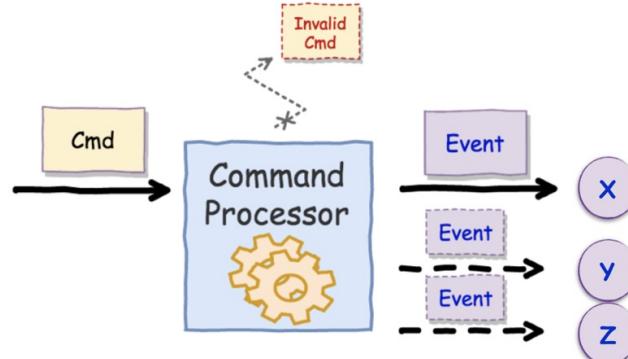


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## COMMANDS TO EVENTS



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AGILE-NOT-FRAGILE MICROSERVICES DEVELOPMENT

## MICROSERVICE DESIGN AND TESTABILITY

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**CONTRACT**  
MUTUAL AGREEMENT

**BENEFITS & OBLIGATIONS**

Benefit for **consumer** is an obligation for the provider, and vice-versa.

Full contract (obligation) for provider is the sum of all consumer contracts (benefits).

$$\text{obligation}(p) = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{benefit}(c_i)$$

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# PROJECT: PACT CONTRACTS

Let's Make a PACT and Run with it

SPIN UP ENVIRONMENT

START PACT BROKER

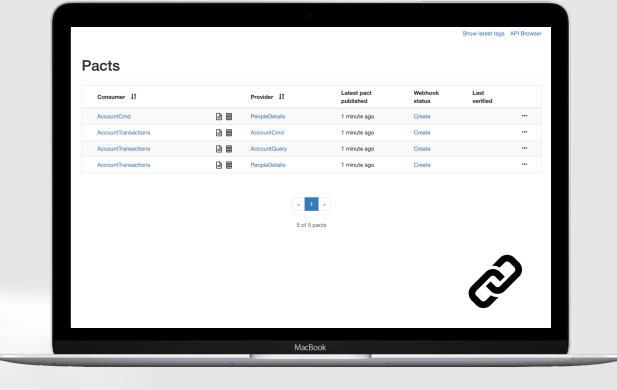
localhost:8089

GENERATE THE PACTS

RUN PACTS

VIEW THE RESULTS

SPIN DOWN EVERYTHING!



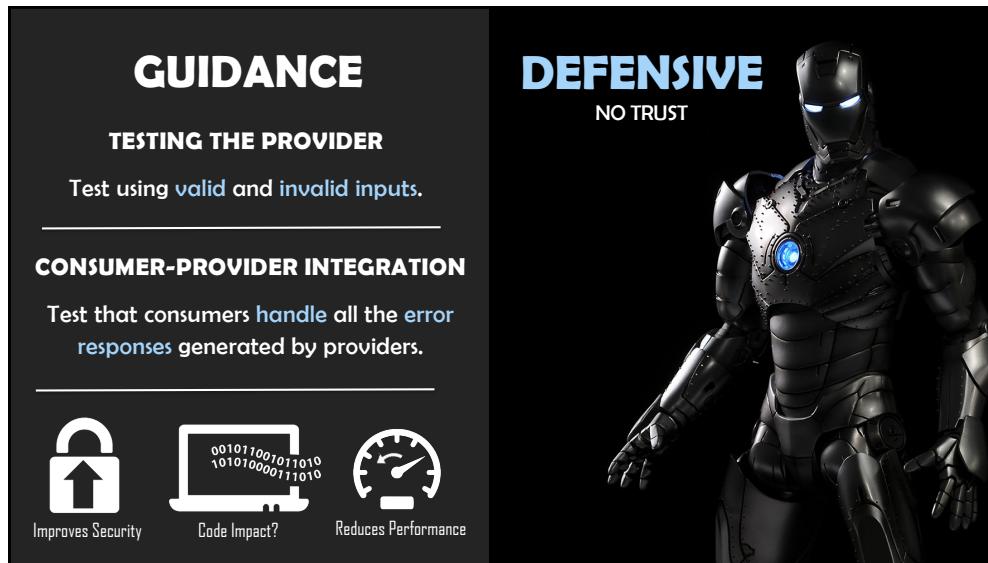
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## GUIDANCE

- Consumers define their own contracts.
- Provider facilitates resolution to any contradictions among consumer contracts.
- As service is updated, provider executes contract tests from all of its consumers.
- If behavior changes in a way that violates contract, provider must issue a new version of the service with a new contract.

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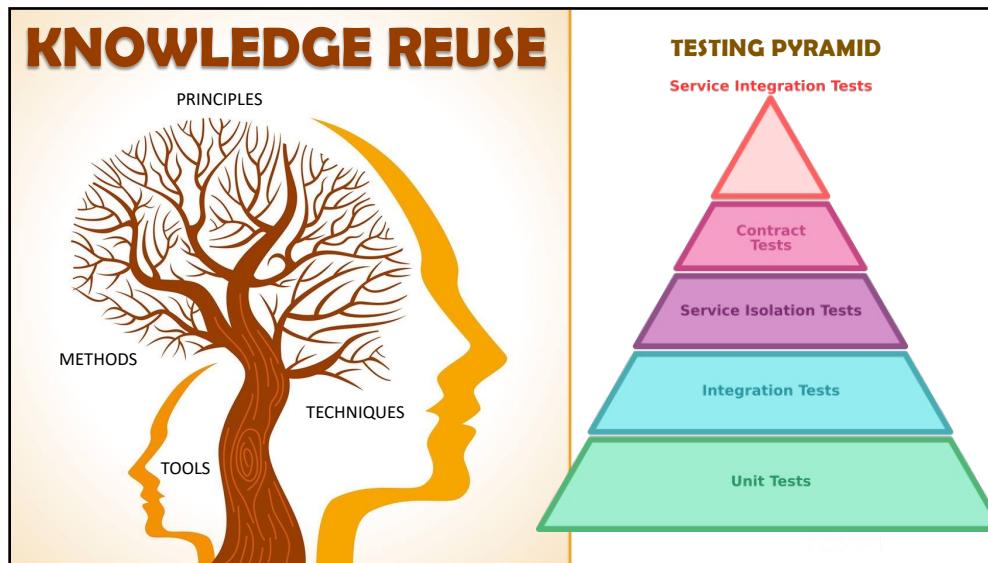
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# FULL-STACK TEST AUTOMATION

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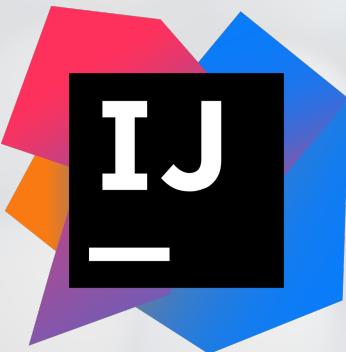
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## PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

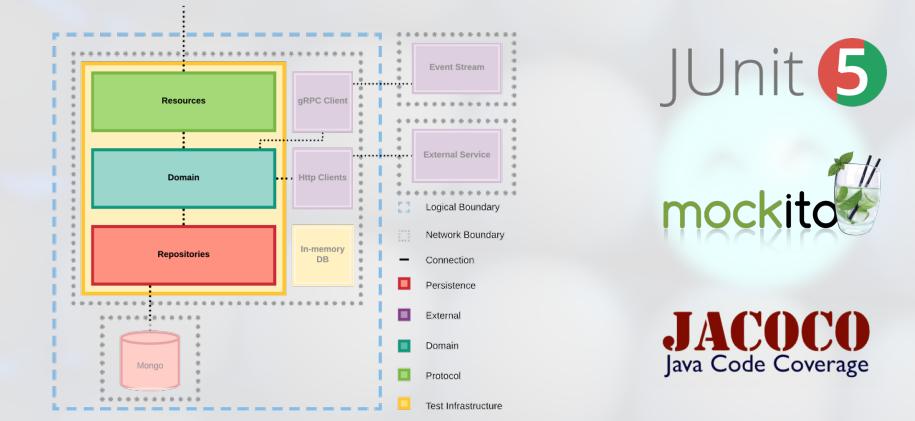
IntelliJ IDE



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# PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

Class as the Unit: Testing Resources, Domain and Repository Classes in Isolation



JUnit 5

mockito

JACOCO  
Java Code Coverage

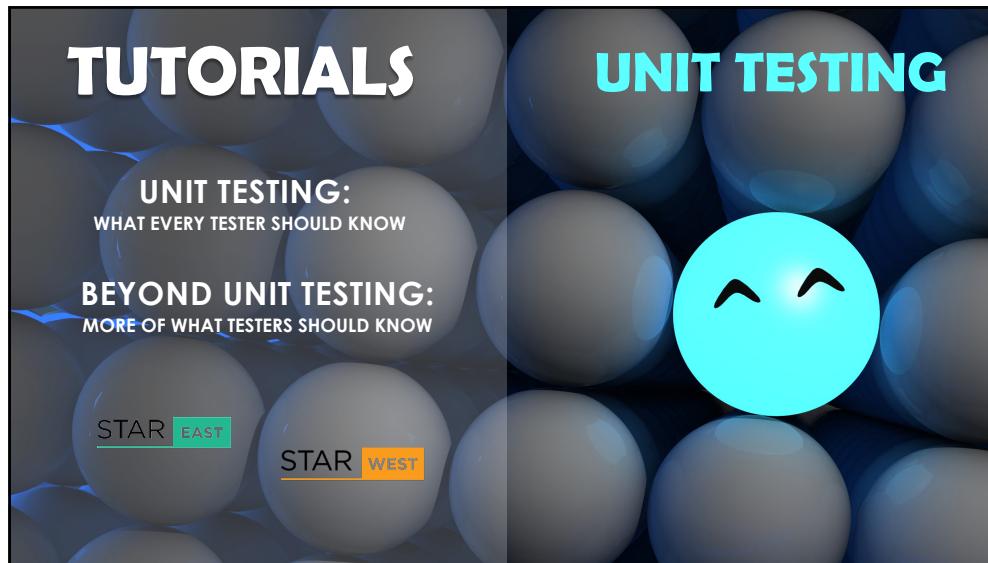
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## GUIDELINES

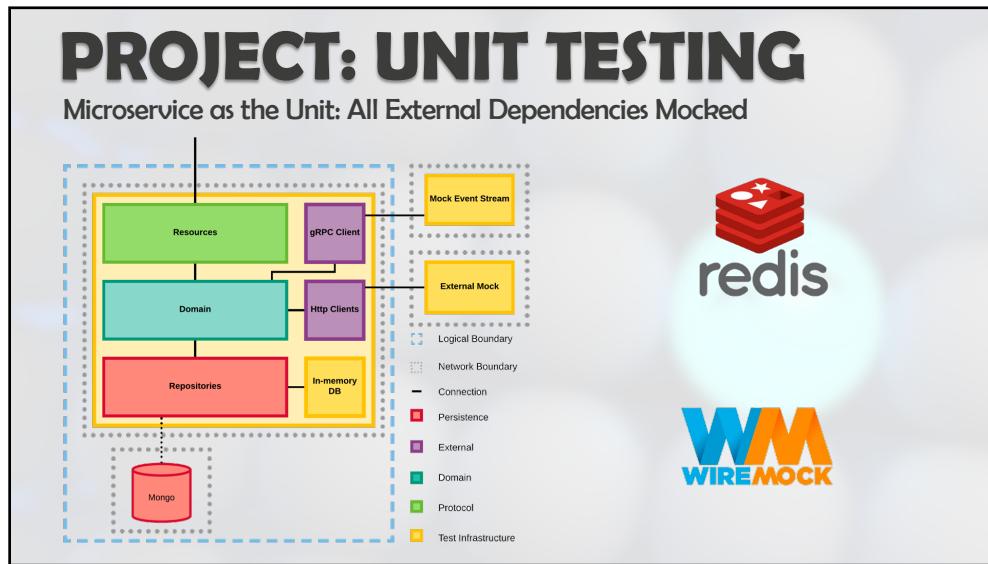
1. Know what you are testing.
2. Test results not implementation.
3. Test one thing at a time.
4. Make tests readable and understandable.
5. Make tests independent and self-sufficient.
6. Make tests deterministic.
7. Repeat yourself when necessary.
8. Measure code coverage but focus on test coverage.

## UNIT TESTING

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# PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

Class-Level Solitary Unit Test for Account Transactions Service

TransactionsController.java

```
TransactionsController.java
1 package com.ultimatesoftware.banking.account.transactions.controllers;
2
3 import ...
4
5 @Controller("AccountV1/transactions")
6 public class TransactionController {
7     private final TransactionService transactionService;
8
9     public TransactionController(TransactionService transactionService) {
10         this.transactionService = transactionService;
11     }
12
13     @Post("/withdraw")
14     public HttpResponseMessage withdraw(@Valid @Body TransactionDto transactionDto) {
15         try {
16             return HttpResponseMessage.create(transactionService.withdraw(transactionDto));
17         } catch (NotEnoughFundsException | InsufficientBalanceException | CustomerDoesNot
18             existException | AccountDoesNotExistException | CustomerDoesNotExistException | ErrorValidating
19             RequestException | AccountDoesNotExistsException) {
20             return HttpResponseMessage.create(errorMessage());
21         } catch (CustomerDoesNotExistException e) {
22             return HttpResponseMessage.serverError();
23         }
24     }
25
26     @Post("/deposit")
27     public HttpResponseMessage deposit(@Valid @Body TransactionDto transactionDto) {
28         try {
29             return HttpResponseMessage.create(transactionService.deposit(transactionDto));
30         } catch (NotEnoughFundsException | InsufficientBalanceException | CustomerDoesNot
31             existException | AccountDoesNotExistException | CustomerDoesNotExistException | ErrorValidating
32             RequestException | AccountDoesNotExistsException) {
33             return HttpResponseMessage.create(errorMessage());
34         } catch (CustomerDoesNotExistException e) {
35             return HttpResponseMessage.serverError();
36         }
37     }
38 }
```

Class Under Test

ActionsControllerUnitTests.java

```
ActionsControllerUnitTests.java
1 package com.ultimatesoftware.banking.account.transactions.tests.unit;
2
3 import ...
4
5 @ExtendWith(MockitoExtension.class)
6 public class ActionsControllerUnitTests {
7
8     @Mock
9     TransactionService transactionService;
10
11     @BeforeEach
12     void setup() {
13         TransactionController actionsController;
14
15         @Test
16         public void whenWithdrawIsCalled_thenServiceCalledWithParams() throws Exception {
17             // Arrange
18             TransactionDto transactionDto = new TransactionDto(CUSTOMER_ID.toHexString(), ACCOUNT_
19                 .when(transactionService.withdraw(any())));
20             when(transactionService.withdraw(any())).thenReturn(TRANSACTION_ID.toHexString());
21
22             // Act
23             actionsController.withdraw(transactionDto);
24
25             // Assert
26             verify(transactionService, times(wantNumberOfInvocations(1))).withdraw(transactionDto);
27         }
28
29         @Test
30         public void whenWithdrawIsCalled_thenReturnTransactionIdAndStatusOk() throws Exception {
31             // Arrange
32             TransactionDto transactionDto = new TransactionDto(CUSTOMER_ID.toHexString(), ACCOUNT_
33                 .when(transactionService.withdraw(any())));
34             when(transactionService.withdraw(any())).thenReturn(TRANSACTION_ID.toHexString());
35         }
36     }
37 }
```

Test Driver Class

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# PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

Microservice as the Unit

AccountCmdTests.java

```
AccountCmdTests.java
1 package com.ultimatesoftware.banking.account.cmd.tests.service.isolation;
2
3 import ...
4
5 @MicronautTest
6 public class AccountCmdTests extends MockedHttpDependencies {
7     private static final ObjectId customerId = CUSTOMER_ID;
8     private static final ObjectId accountId = ACCOUNT_ID;
9     private static final ObjectId noCustomerId = NO_CUSTOMER_ID;
10    private static final ObjectId noAccountId = NO_ACCOUNT_ID;
11
12    private static HttpClient client;
13
14    public AccountCmdTests() {
15        super(enablePessionLock: true, enableAccountQueryMode: false, enableAccountCmdMode: false);
16    }
17
18    @BeforeAll
19    public static void beforeAll() {
20        client = HttpClientBuilder.create()
21            .setContext("localhost")
22            .setPort(8082)
23            .setPath("/api/v1/accounts")
24            .build();
25    }
26
27    @Test
28    public void givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenRequestRespondsWithCreated()
29        throws Exception {
30        AccountDto accountDto = new AccountDto(CUSTOMER_ID.toHexString());
31
32        // Act
33        ResponseEntity<ResponseDto> response = client.post(accountDto, null);
34
35        // Assert
36        assertEquals(HttpStatus.CREATED.value(), response.getStatusCode());
37        assertEquals("application/json", response.getContentType());
38        assertEquals("application/json", response.getBody().getMimeType());
39    }
40 }
```

WithdrawTests

all -> com.ultimatesoftware.banking.account.transactions.tests.service.isolation > WithdrawTests

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	100% successful				
Test					Result
givenAccountDoesNotExist_whenWithdraw_thenBadRequest()				0.101s	passed
givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenAccountsValidated()				1.379s	passed
givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenAmountWithdrawnFromAccount()				0.046s	passed
givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenCustomerValidated()				0.056s	passed
givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenRequestRespondsWithCreated()				0.046s	passed
givenAccountWithBalance_whenWithdraw_thenBalanceIsReducedByRequestedAmount()				0.068s	passed
givenCustomerDoesNotExist_whenWithdraw_thenBadRequest()				0.026s	passed

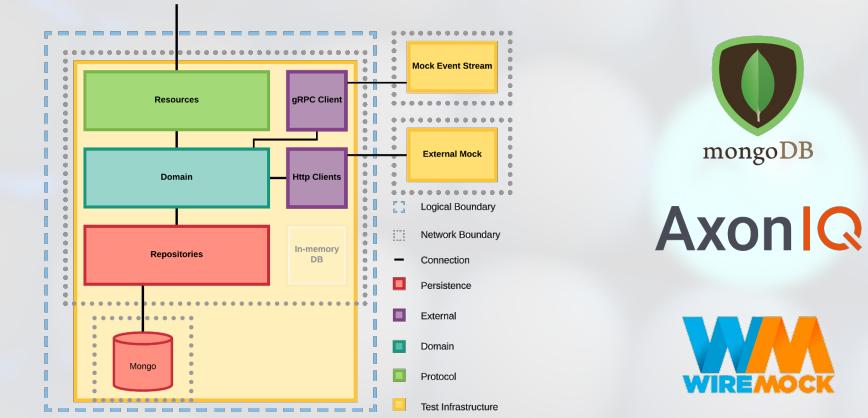
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... /reports/tests/test/ ...

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# PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

Microservice as the Unit: Same Kind of Tests, Different Configuration



AxonIQ



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# PROJECT: UNIT TESTING

Microservice as the Unit: Testing Event-Driven Services

```
@Test  
public void onAccountDelete_WhenPositiveBalance_NoEventsSent() {  
  
    CreateAccountCommand createCommand = new CreateAccountCommand(customerId);  
    CreditAccountCommand creditCommand = new CreditAccountCommand(createCommand.getId(), 100.0, transactionId);  
    DeleteAccountCommand command = new DeleteAccountCommand(createCommand.getId());  
    fixture.givenCommands(createCommand, creditCommand)  
        .when(command)  
        .expectNoEvents();  
}
```

JUnit 5

AxonFramework

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## CONTRACT TESTING

### TESTING THE PROVIDER IN ISOLATION

Focus on checking that valid inputs produce correct responses.

No need to test invalid inputs.

Garbage In = Garbage Out

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## CONTRACT TESTING

### TESTING THE CONSUMER IN ISOLATION

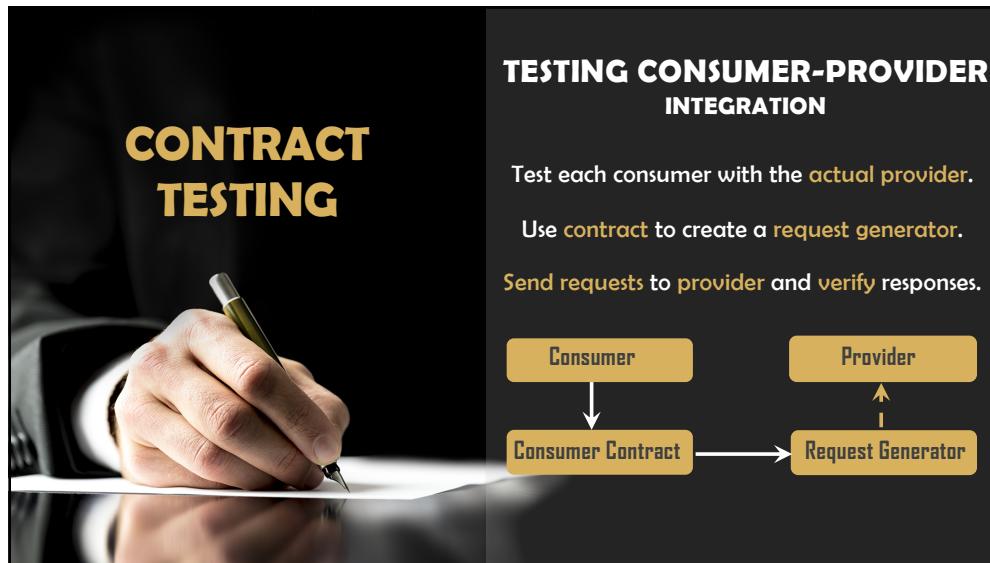
Test that each consumer respects its contract.

Use contract to create a stub of the provider.

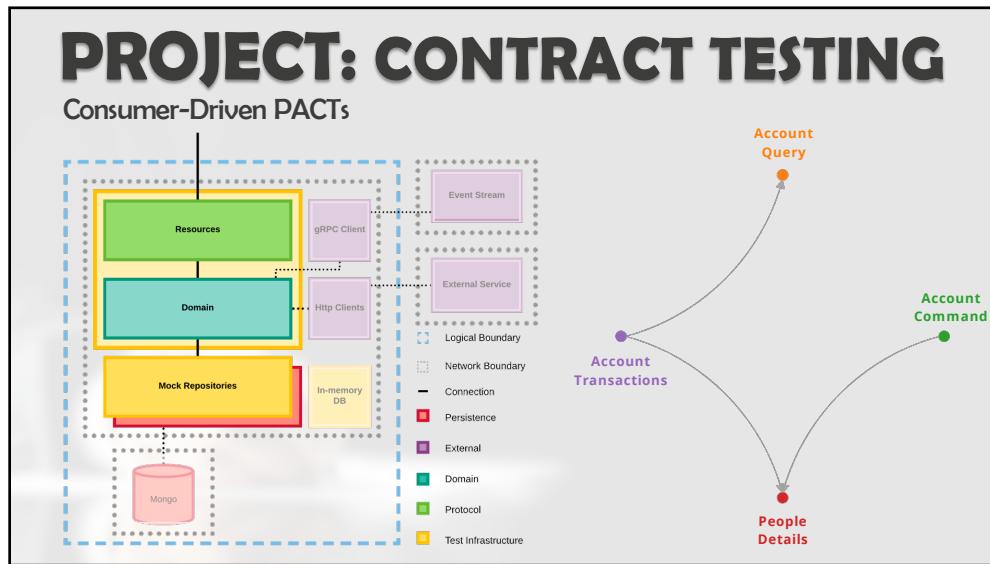
Invoke consumer behavior that calls the stub.

```
graph TD; Consumer[Consumer] -.-> ProviderStub[Provider Stub]; Consumer --> ConsumerContract[Consumer Contract]; ConsumerContract --> ProviderStub
```

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# PROJECT: CONTRACT TESTING

Let's Take a Look at How it Works

## Environment Configuration

```
version: '2.1'
services:
  peopleauthentication:
    build: domain-services/people-authentication/
    ports:
      - "8088:8088"
    restart: on-failure
    environment:
      - MICRONAUT_ENVIRONMENTS=test,internalMocks
      - HOST_PORT=8088
      - ES_JAVA_OPTS="-Xms4Gm -Xmx4Gm"
  peoplecd:
    build: domain-services/people-cd/
    mem_limit: 4GB
    ports:
      - "8087:8087"
    restart: on-failure
    environment:
      - MICRONAUT_ENVIRONMENTS=test,internalMocks
      - HOST_PORT=8087
      - ES_JAVA_OPTS="-Xms4Gm -Xmx4Gm"
  peoplesdetails:
    build: domain-services/people-details/
    mem_limit: 4GB
    ports:
      - "8085:8085"
    restart: on-failure
    environment:
      - MICRONAUT_ENVIRONMENTS=test,internalMocks
      - HOST_PORT=8085
      - ES_JAVA_OPTS="-Xms4Gm -Xmx4Gm"
```

## Mock Repositories

```
public void createPersonDetails() {
    entities = new ArrayList();
    entities.add(new PersonDetails(new ObjectId("5c8d04877978c1fd879a36b"), "Jack", "lastname", "email"));
    entities.add(new PersonDetails(new ObjectId("5c8920de7f2465ad7e70de42"), "Samanta", "lastname", "Carter"));
    entities.add(new PersonDetails(new ObjectId("5c89342e7f2465c981bd1fc"), "Daniel", "Jackson"));
}
```

MICRONAUT

## PACT Generation and Behavioral Verification

```
@RunWith(PactJUnitRunner.class)
@PactTestFor(providerName = "PeopleDetails", port = "8085")
public class ConservingPersonDetails {
    @Pact
    public RequestResponsePact createPactWithProviderBuilder() {
        return builder(
            .given("no person exist")
                .uponReceiving("a request to create a new person")
                .withPath("/api/v1/people/{id?#(0|7f2465ad7e70de42)}")
                .method("POST")
                .headers("Content-Type", "application/json")
                .body("{\"id\": \"5c8920de7f2465ad7e70de42\", \"firstname\": \"Samanta\", \"lastname\": \"Carter\"}")
                .willRespondWith()
                    .status(200)
                    .body("{\"id\": \"5c8920de7f2465ad7e70de42\", \"firstname\": \"Samanta\", \"lastname\": \"Carter\"}")
                    .headers("Content-Type", "application/json")
            )
    }
}

@PactTest
void testGetOne(MockServer mockServer) throws IOException {
    given()
        .headers(getHeaders())
        .when()
        .get(mockServer.getUrl() + "/api/v1/people/5c8920de7f2465ad7e70de42")
        .then()
        .statusCode(200);
}
```

PACT



REST-assured

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# PROJECT: CONTRACT TESTING

Try it out for yourself!

## Contract Testing with PACT

Given all the moving parts and communication between these parts in microservices, contract tests provide valuable, fast feedback. Ideally, not only an all API methods covered, but also different rejection cases, such as bad requests or server errors. For this project, **PACT** is used as the contract testing framework. **PACT** is one of the most popular and mature contract testing frameworks which provides plug-ins and libraries for a range of languages.

## Consumers Create Contracts

Each consumer creates a contract with a provider. In this example, we are going to develop a contract for the deposit action between the Account Transactions consumer and the Account Command. The contract are stored as JSON files like the one below:

### Example of a PACT Contract

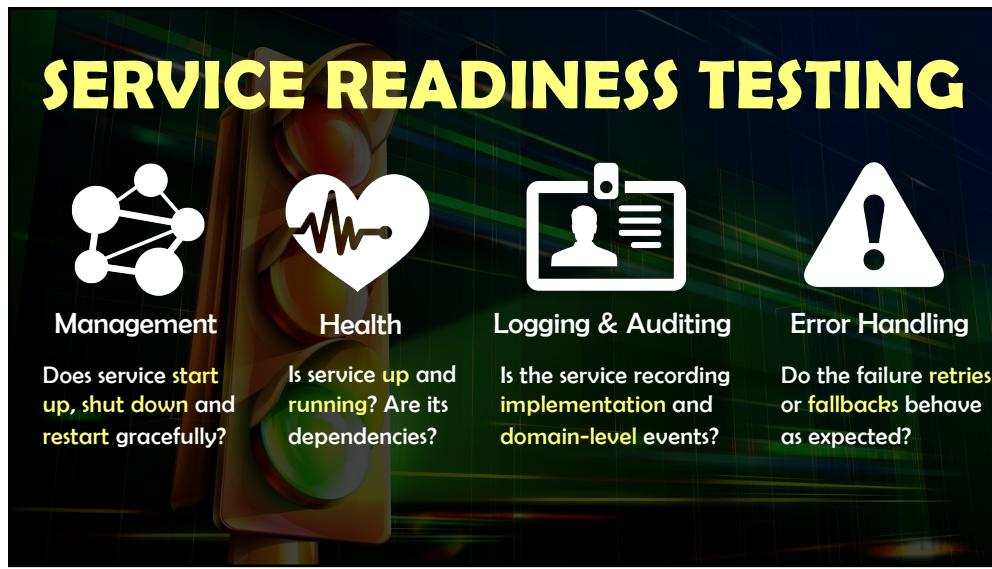
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{
  "state": "I have a picture that can be downloaded",
  "uponReceiving": "a request to download some-file",
  "withRequest": {
    "method": "GET",
    "path": "/download/somefile"
  },
  "willRespondWith": {
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    "headers": {
      "Content-disposition": "attachment; filename=some-file.jpg"
    }
  }
}
```

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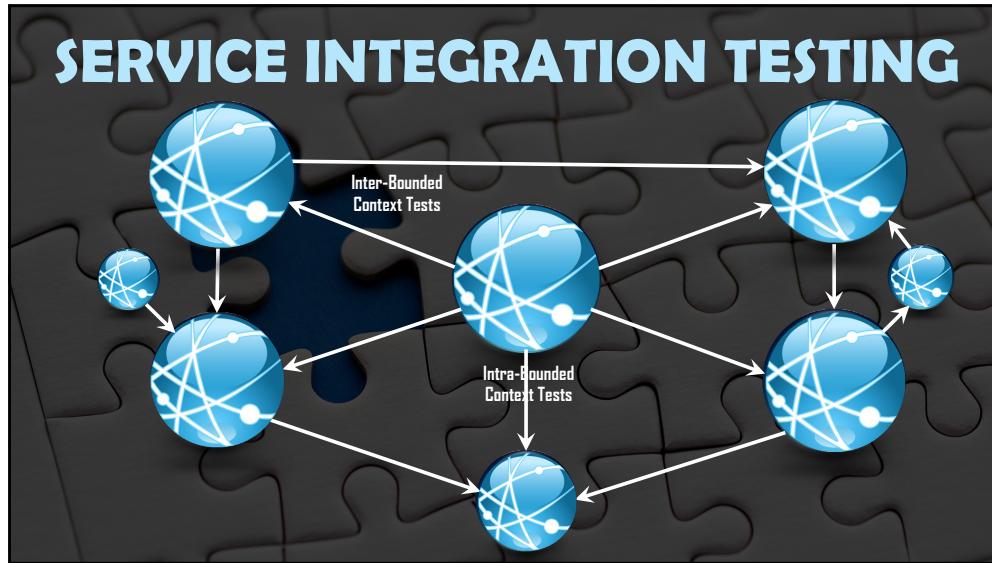


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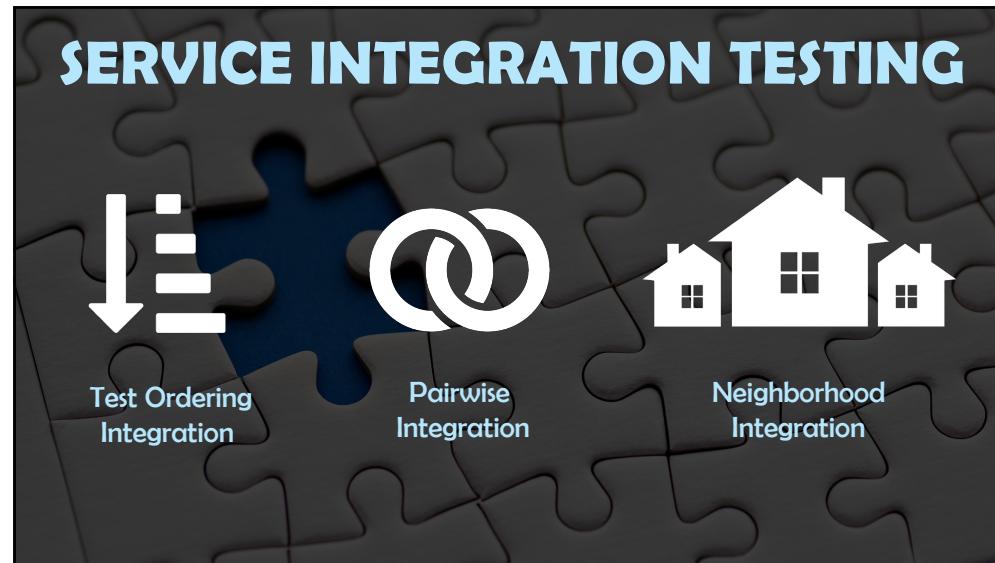
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# INTEGRATION TEST ORDERING

Seeks to find the “optimal” order for integration testing that reduces the cost of creating stubs.

Assumption:

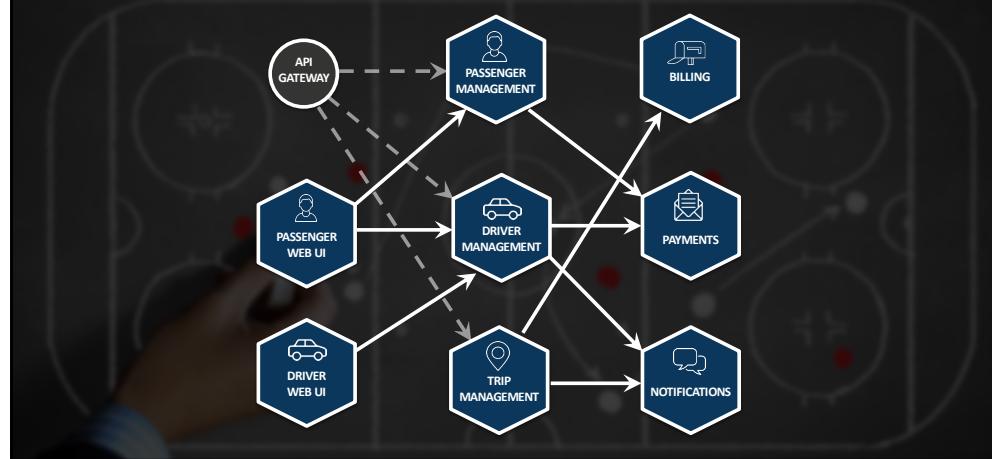
- Developing stubs is time-consuming and error prone.

Techniques:

- Minimize the number of stubs
- Minimize the overall stub complexity.

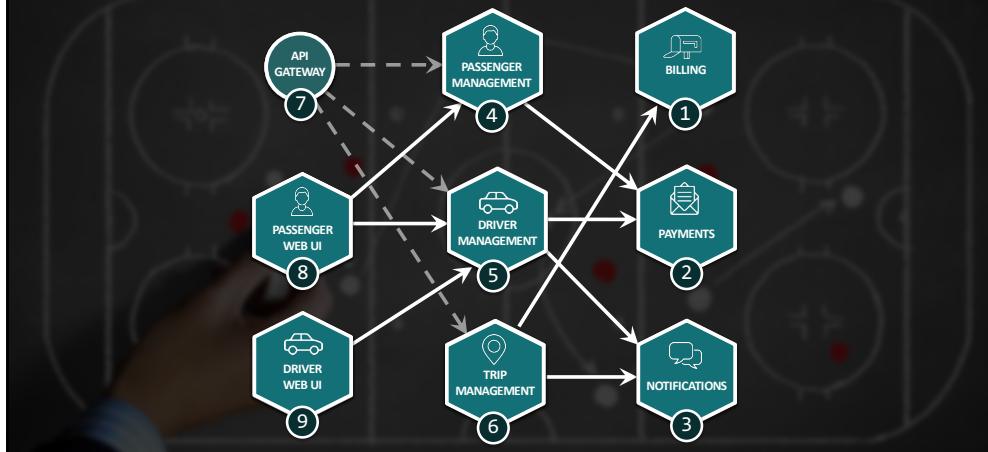
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## Order for Minimizing # Stubs?



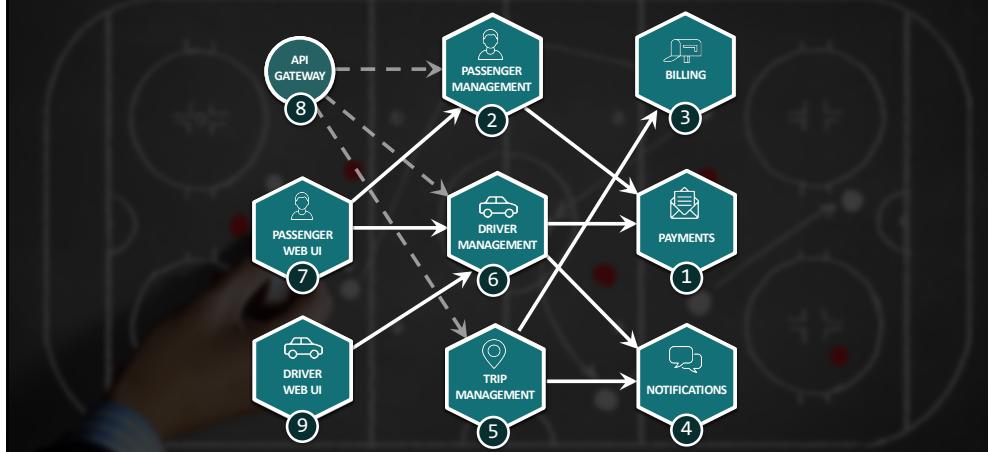
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## Order for Minimizing # Stubs?



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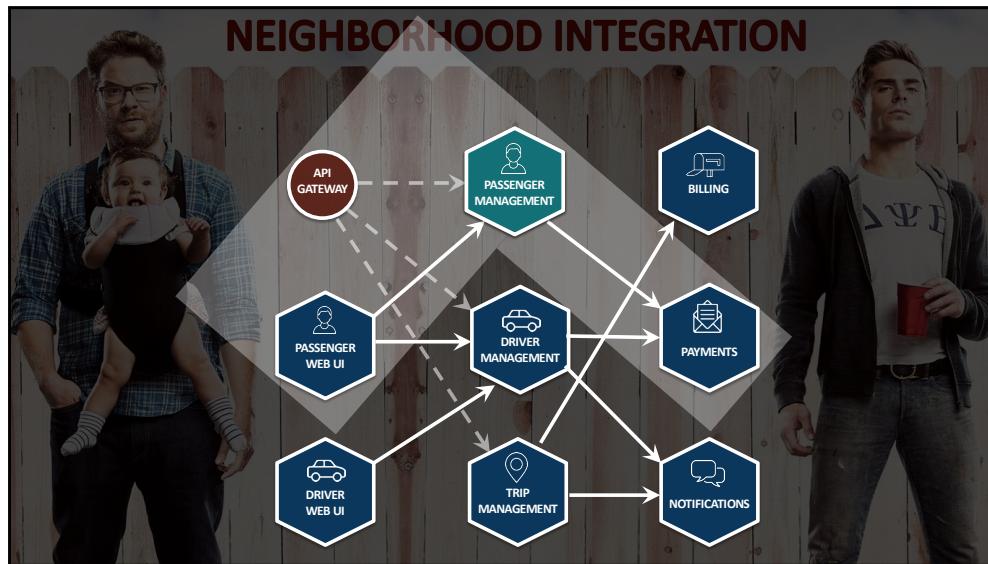
## Alternative Solution



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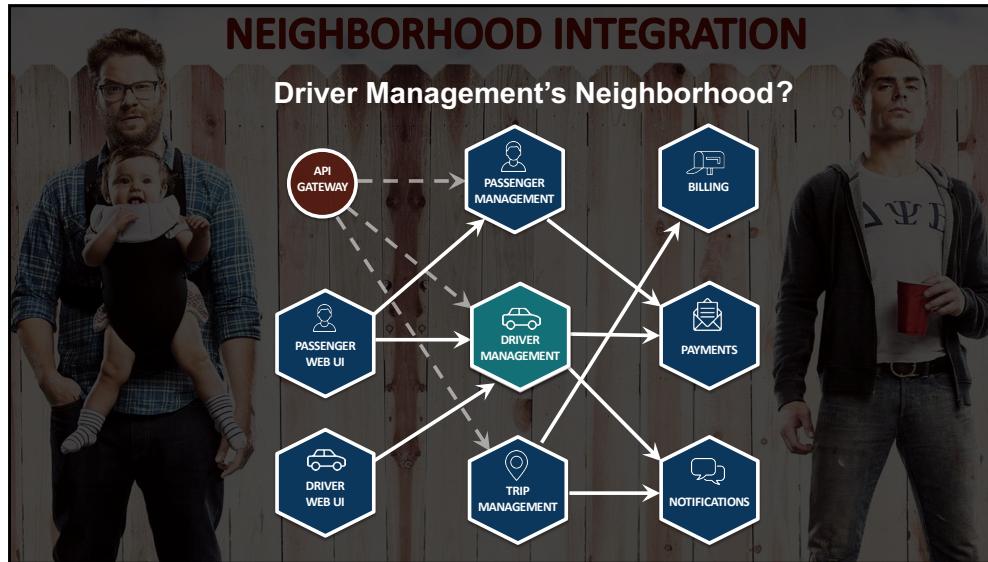
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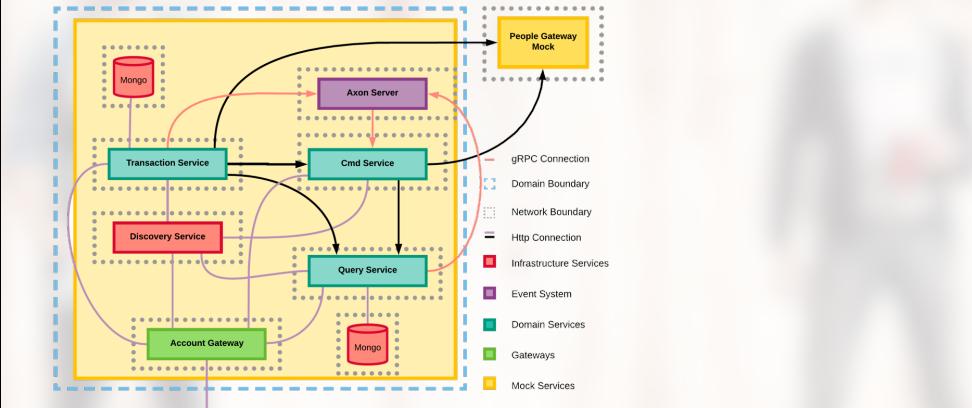
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# PROJECT: SERVICE INTEGRATION

Sub-Domain as a Neighborhood



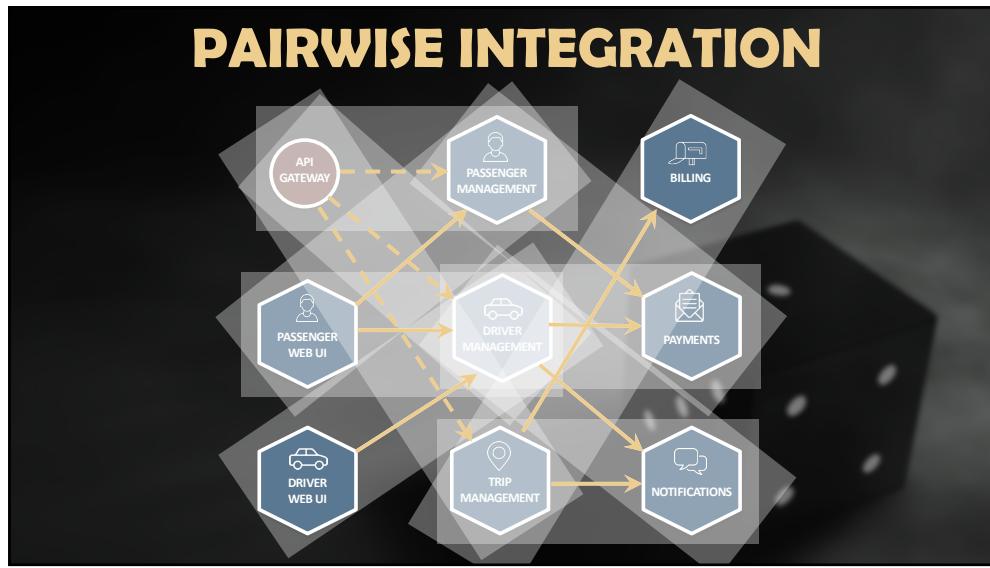
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## PAIRWISE INTEGRATION

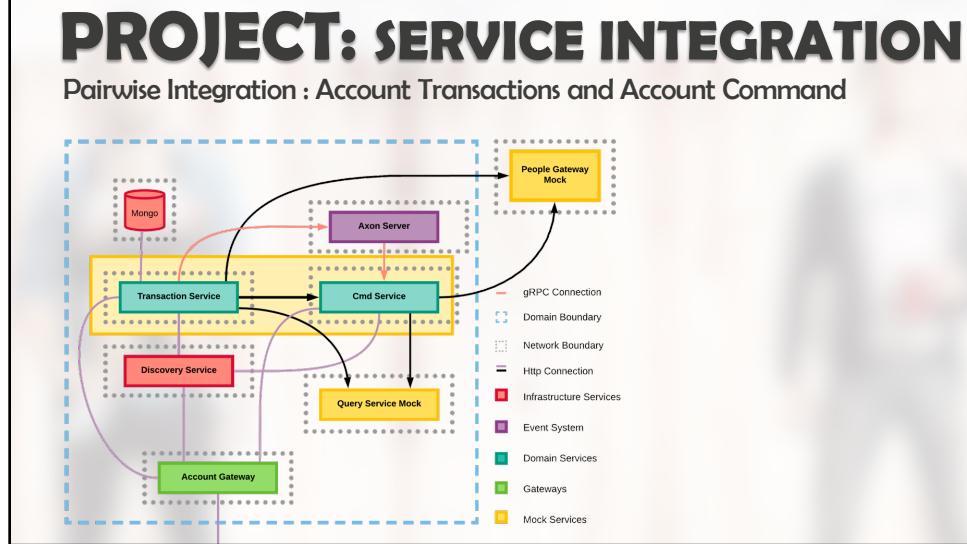
- **Limit testing to each pair of services.**
- **Results in one integration test for each edge in call graph.**
- **You may eliminate the need for stubs and drivers by using the actual code instead.**



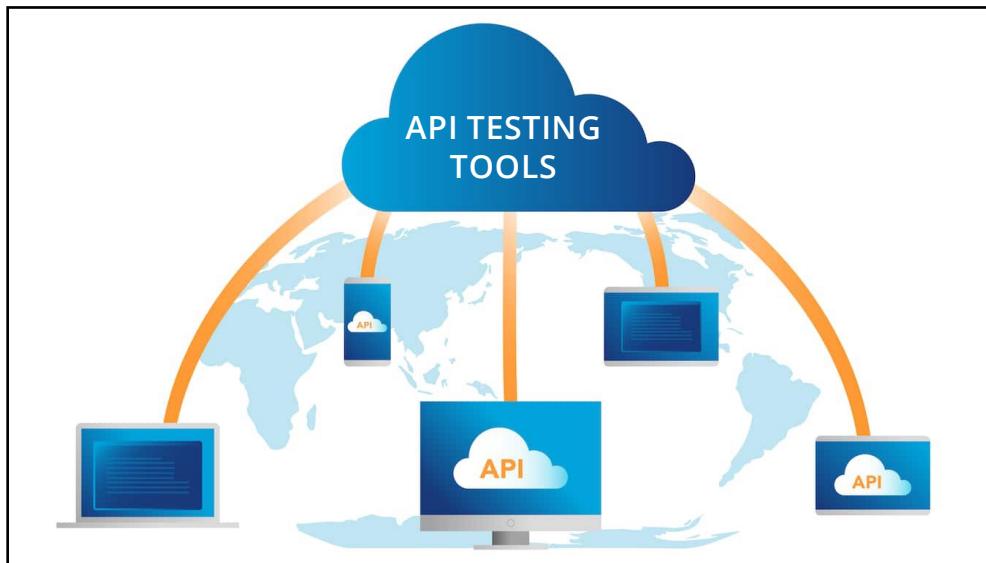
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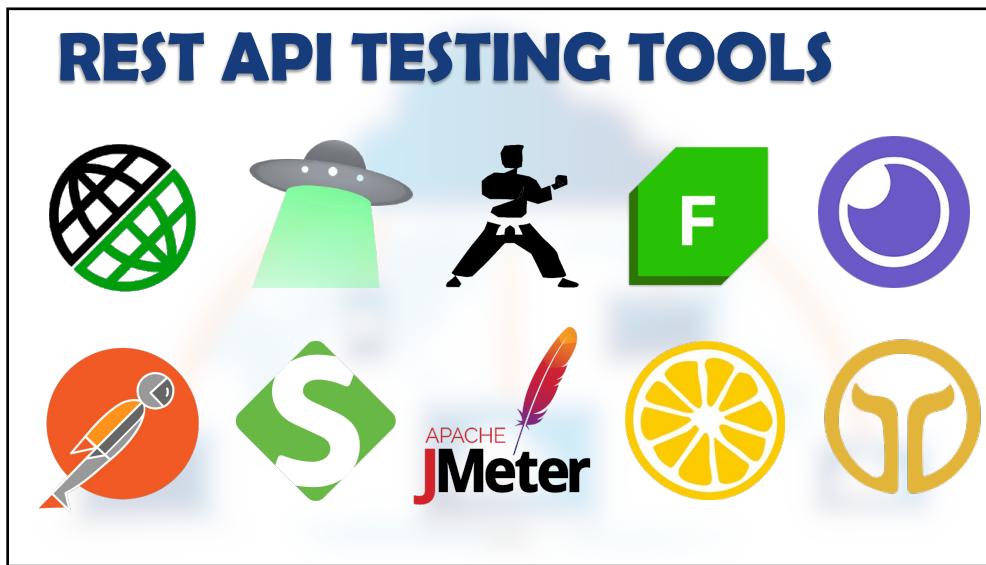
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## REST API TESTING TOOLS



**SWAGGER  
UI**

### API Documentation

Each service publishes a Swagger YAML configuration, if you are familiar with Swagger UI you can consume the following configurations:

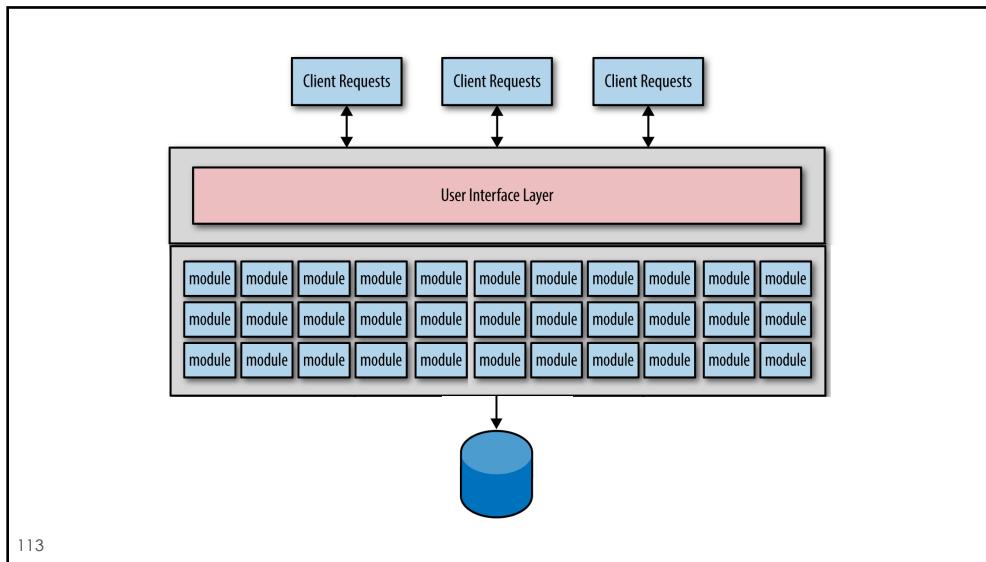
- <http://localhost:8082/swagger/Account-Cmd-0.1.yml>
- <http://localhost:8084/swagger/Account-Query-0.1.yml>
- <http://localhost:8086/swagger/Account-Transactions-0.1.yml>
- <http://localhost:8088/swagger/People-Authentication-0.1.yml>
- <http://localhost:8087/swagger/People-Cmd-0.1.yml>
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It is in the roadmap to expose a Swagger UI endpoint on each service in the future.

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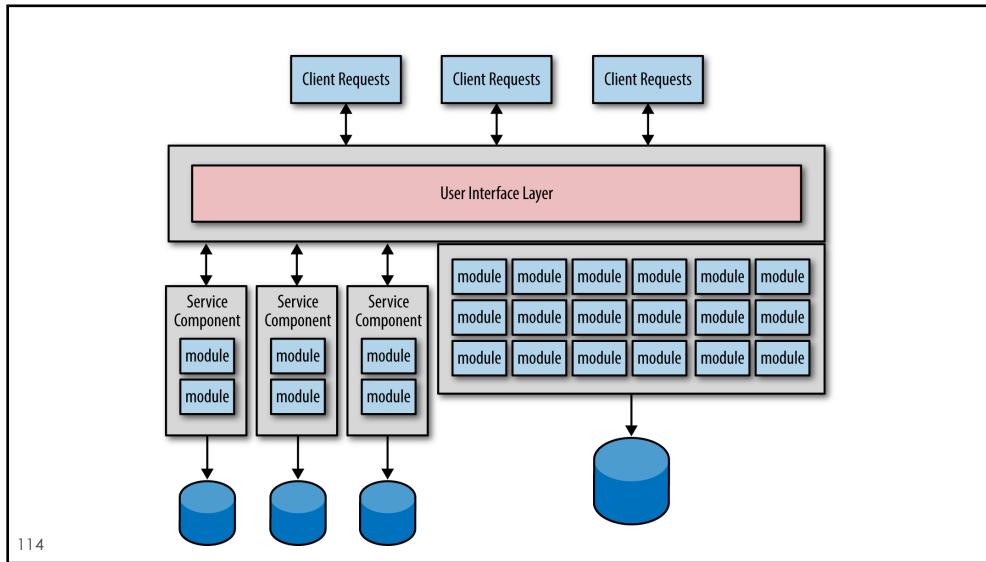
**CHALLENGES, PITFALLS &  
ANTIPATTERNS**

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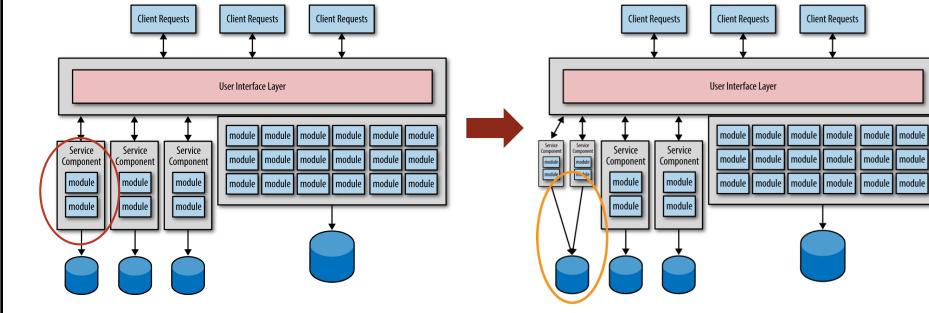


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# CHALLENGE #1: SIZING

First attempt at service decomposition may be too coarse grained...

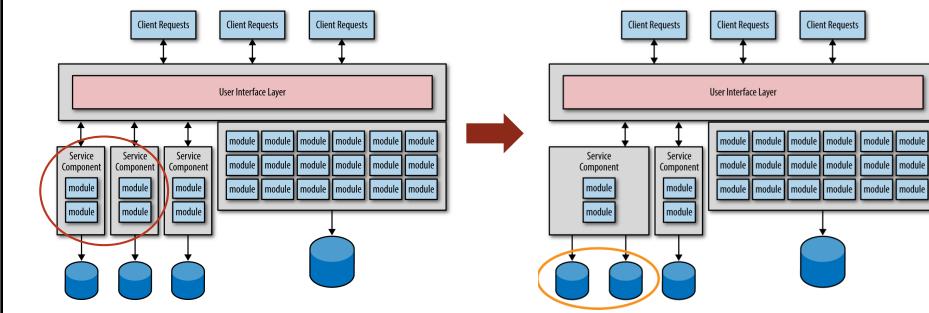


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# CHALLENGE #1: SIZING

Or services may be too fine-grained...

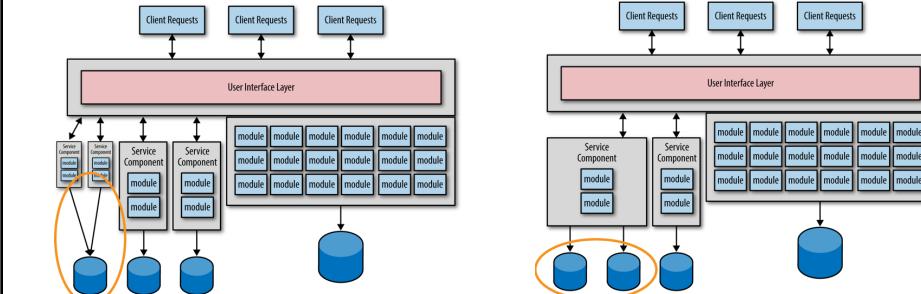


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# PITFALL #1:

Data Migration Anti-Pattern: Too Many Data Migrations

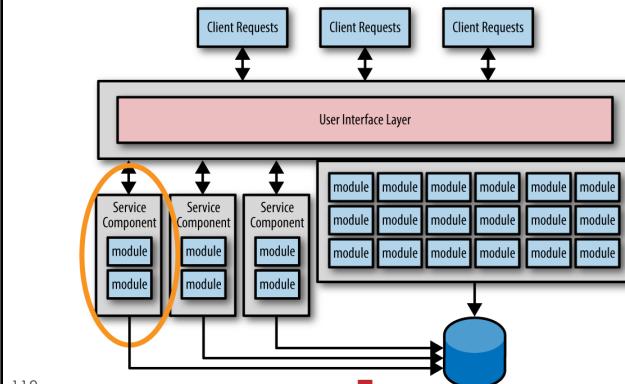


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# AVOIDING PITFALL #1

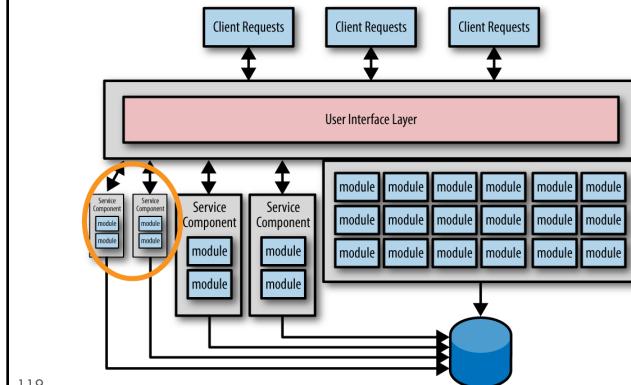
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Migrate Functionality First, Data Last

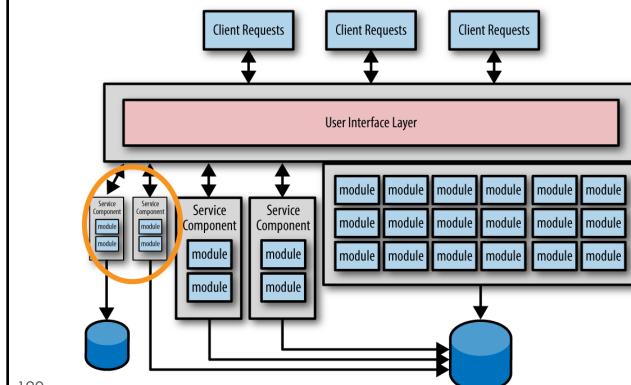


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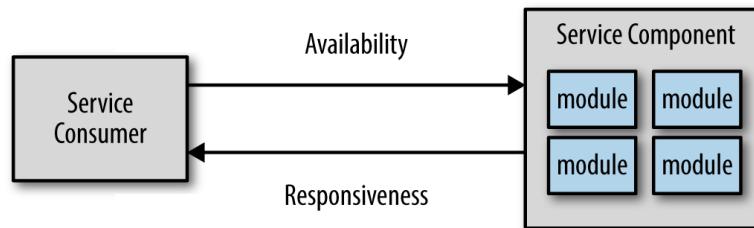
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## CHALLENGE #2

Managing Service Availability and Responsiveness

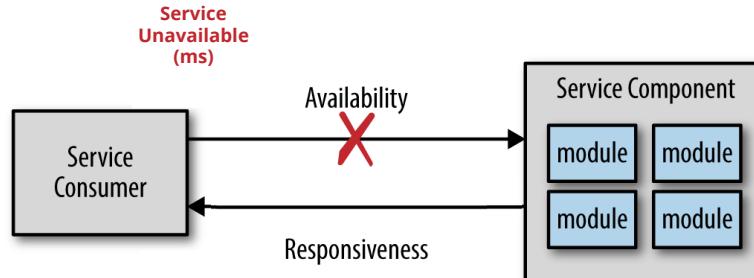


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## CHALLENGE #2

Consumer is unable to connect with service

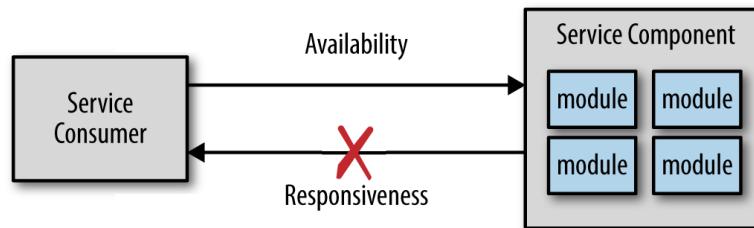


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## CHALLENGE #2

Consumer can connect, but service doesn't respond

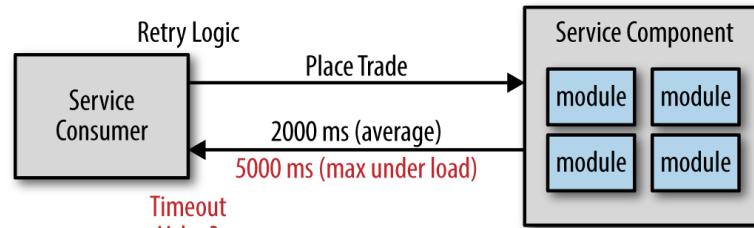
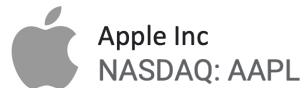


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## PITFALL #2

Timeout Anti-Pattern

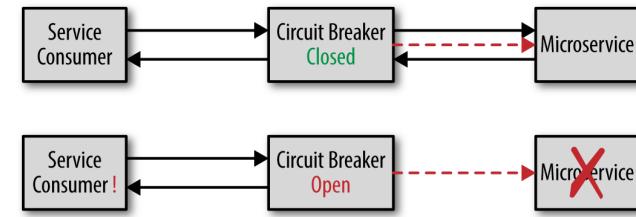


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# AVOIDING PITFALL #2

Circuit Breaker Pattern



HYSTRIX



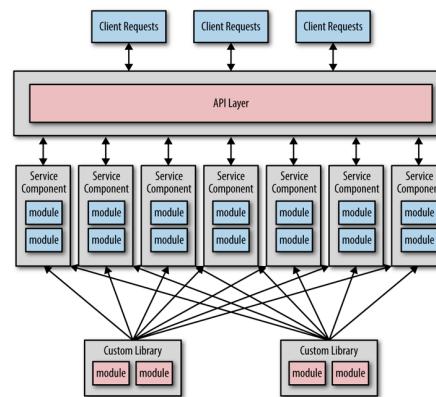
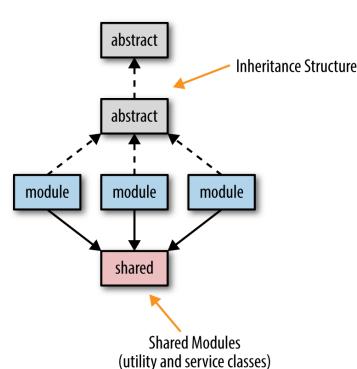
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# CHALLENGE #3

Sharing and Managing Shared Dependencies

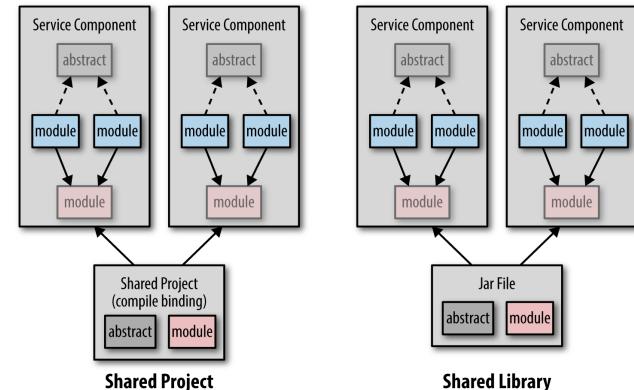


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# AVOIDING PITFALL #3

Techniques for Sharing

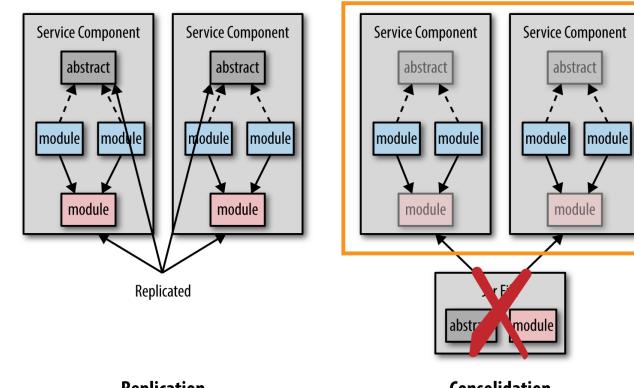


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# AVOIDING PITFALL #3

Techniques for Sharing (cont'd)



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AGILE-NOT-FRAGILE MICROSERVICES DEVELOPMENT

# RESILIENCY THROUGH CHAOS ENGINEERING

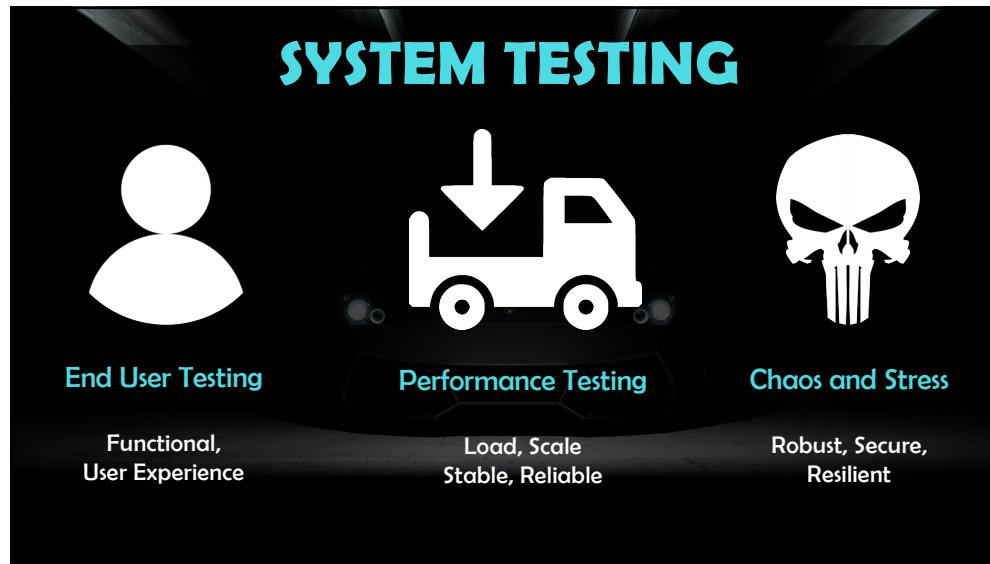
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## PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER



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**THE TWELVE-FACTOR APP**

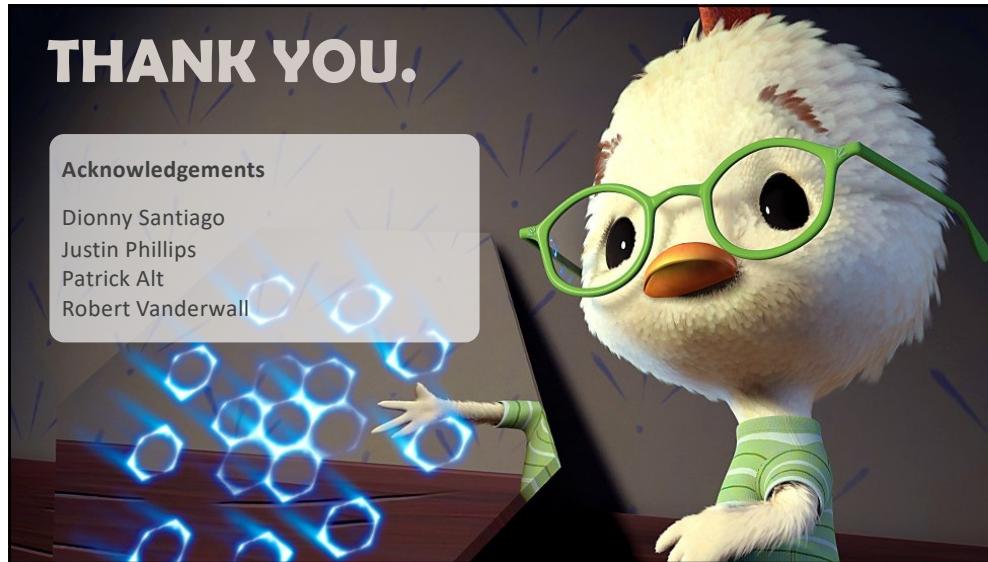
[<https://12factor.net/>]

<b>I. Codebase</b> One codebase tracked in revision control, many deploys
<b>II. Dependencies</b> Explicitly declare and isolate dependencies
<b>III. Config</b> Store config in the environment
<b>IV. Backing services</b> Treat backing services as attached resources
<b>V. Build, release, run</b> Strictly separate build and run stages
<b>VI. Processes</b> Execute the app as one or more stateless processes
<b>VII. Port binding</b> Export services via port binding
<b>VIII. Concurrency</b> Scale out via the process model
<b>IX. Disposability</b> Maximize robustness with fast startup and graceful shutdown
<b>X. Dev/prod parity</b> Keep development, staging, and production as similar as possible
<b>XI. Logs</b> Treat logs as event streams
<b>XII. Admin processes</b> Run admin/management tasks as one-off processes

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