









Deployment Strategies with Kubernetes

What will you learn today? 📖

You'll be able to understand the **different choices** we have when it comes to **operate** our applications *deployments*.

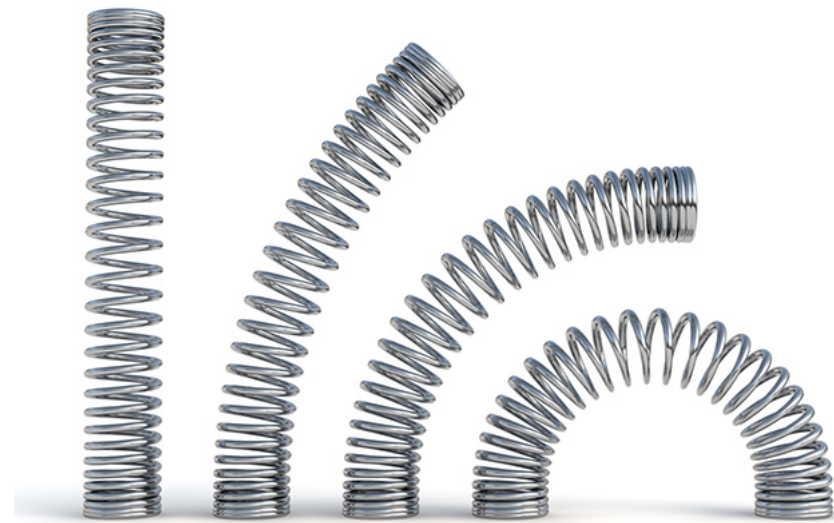
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 -  **Resiliency & Reliability**
 -  Liveness & Readiness
 -  Deploy != Release
-  Deployment strategies
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Resiliency



The ability of an app to recover from certain types of failure and yet remain functional from the customer perspective.



What does it means that an
application is **reliable**?

It *operates perfectly* all the time 🙌









but ... how?





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What is *liveness* & *readiness* about?



Exposure  and probe 

Be able to know what the state of
an *application* is, so that the
ecosystem where **it lives** and which
manages it can be able to do it's job
better.

Example¹

```
// Our app is not happy if we've got more than 100 goroutines running.
health.AddLivenessCheck("goroutine-threshold",
    healthcheck.GoroutineCountCheck(100))

// Our app is not ready if we can't resolve our upstream dependency in DNS.
health.AddReadinessCheck("upstream-dep-dns",
    healthcheck.DNSResolveCheck("upstream.example.com", 50*time.Millisecond))

// Our app is not ready if we can't connect to our database (`var db *sql.DB`) in <1s.
health.AddReadinessCheck("database",
    healthcheck.DatabasePingCheck(db, 1*time.Second))
```

¹ <https://github.com/heptiolabs/healthcheck>

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Deployment is what happens when you install some version of your software into a particular environment

Release is when you make a system or some part of it (for example, a feature) available to users







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Deployment strategies 🐙

- Recreate
- Ramped
- Blue/Green
- Canary
- A/B testing
- Shadow

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All these *strategies*, will help us to
ensure *reliability* in our systems...

When *deploying* first and *releasing* later, we can verify our application from a perspective that otherwise we wouldn't be able to...

Links

- **Traffic Shadowing and Dark Launching** by *Daniel Byrant*
 - <http://bit.ly/2UOATS0>
- **Four Principles of Low-Risk Software Releases** by *Jez Humble*
 - <http://bit.ly/2W9wdX6>
- **Testing in Production, the safe way** by *Cindy Sridharan*
 - <http://bit.ly/2HJJYrJ>



Questions?

We can follow up on the subject any Thursday on the *Kubernetes Working Session*

Thank you 🙌



<https://github.com/zot24/talks>