

A dark, atmospheric landscape with a road leading into the distance under a cloudy sky. The road is paved and has a yellow dashed line down the center. The sky is filled with heavy, grey clouds, and the overall scene is dimly lit, suggesting dusk or dawn.

Why to Cloud Native

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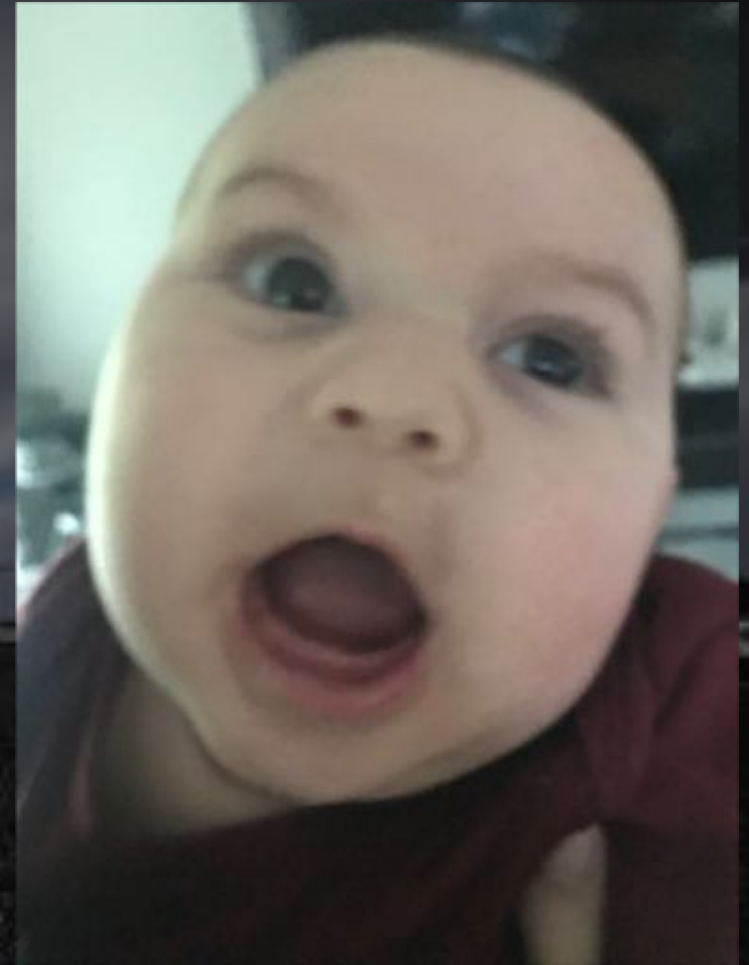
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Hello

- I'm Karthik Gaekwad
- NOT a DBA

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- Cloud Native evangelist at Oracle Cloud
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Hello



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- Been in Industry 15 years.
- In general, I like building stuff with friends.
 - A maintainer for Gauntlt- Open source security scanner.
- Love Teaching and building community.
 - Run Devopsdays Austin, Container Days, Cloud Austin.
 - Chair All Day Devops Cloud Native track.
 - LinkedIn Learning Author for Learning Kubernetes (and more).

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A black dog, possibly a Labrador Retriever, is sitting on a light-colored carpeted floor. The dog is looking directly at the camera with a curious and attentive expression. Its ears are slightly flopped, and its eyes are a warm, golden-brown color. The lighting is soft and even, highlighting the texture of the dog's fur and the carpet. In the background, there are some indistinct shapes that could be furniture or a doorway, but they are out of focus.

My questions for you..

Agenda

Two sharpened pencils are positioned diagonally on the left side of the slide, pointing towards the top right. The pencils are dark in color, possibly black or dark blue, and their tips are sharp and pointed.

- What is cloud native?
- Where are we today in the cloud native world?
- The Cloud Native ecosystem.
- Cloud Native adoption.
- Challenges.



What is Cloud Native?

What is Cloud Native?

“A new computing paradigm that is optimized for modern distributed systems environments capable of scaling to tens of thousands of self healing multi-tenant nodes”

-Cloud Native Computing Foundation

Pillars of Cloud Native

A photograph of a classical temple with four columns, used as a metaphor for the pillars of cloud native architecture. The temple is set against a dark, textured background. The text 'Pillars of Cloud Native' is overlaid at the top. The four pillars are labeled with the terms: 'Devops' (left), 'Continuous Delivery' (center), 'Microservices' (right), and 'Containers' (far right).

Devops

Continuous
Delivery

Microservices

Containers

Pillars of Cloud Native: Devops

“DevOps is the practice of operations and development engineers participating together in the entire service lifecycle, from design through the development process to production support.”

-The Agile Admin blog

<https://theagileadmin.com/what-is-devops/>

Pillars of Cloud Native: Devops



- Generally based on principles of CALMS
- Based on the ideas of Automation, Measurement, Sharing
- Emphasis on a Collaborative culture in organizations
- Shifting operations more to the left.
 - Operations teams does more than just “server management”
 - Uses same techniques as developers for systems work

Pillars of Cloud Native: CD

- Origins in the automation segment of Devops
- Similar to Continuous Integration
 - Frequent code commits into source control
 - Run automated builds against each code commit
 - Result= Detecting errors quicker
- Continuous Delivery
 - Step 1: Continuous Integration
 - Release code builds to end users
 - Result= ship software quicker to end users

Pillars of Cloud Native: Microservices




Microservices Design



- Start with Twelve-Factor App design
- <https://12factor.net>
- Based on the principals of software design and deployment at Heroku
- Development best practice that synergizes with devops engineers

Twelve Factor App



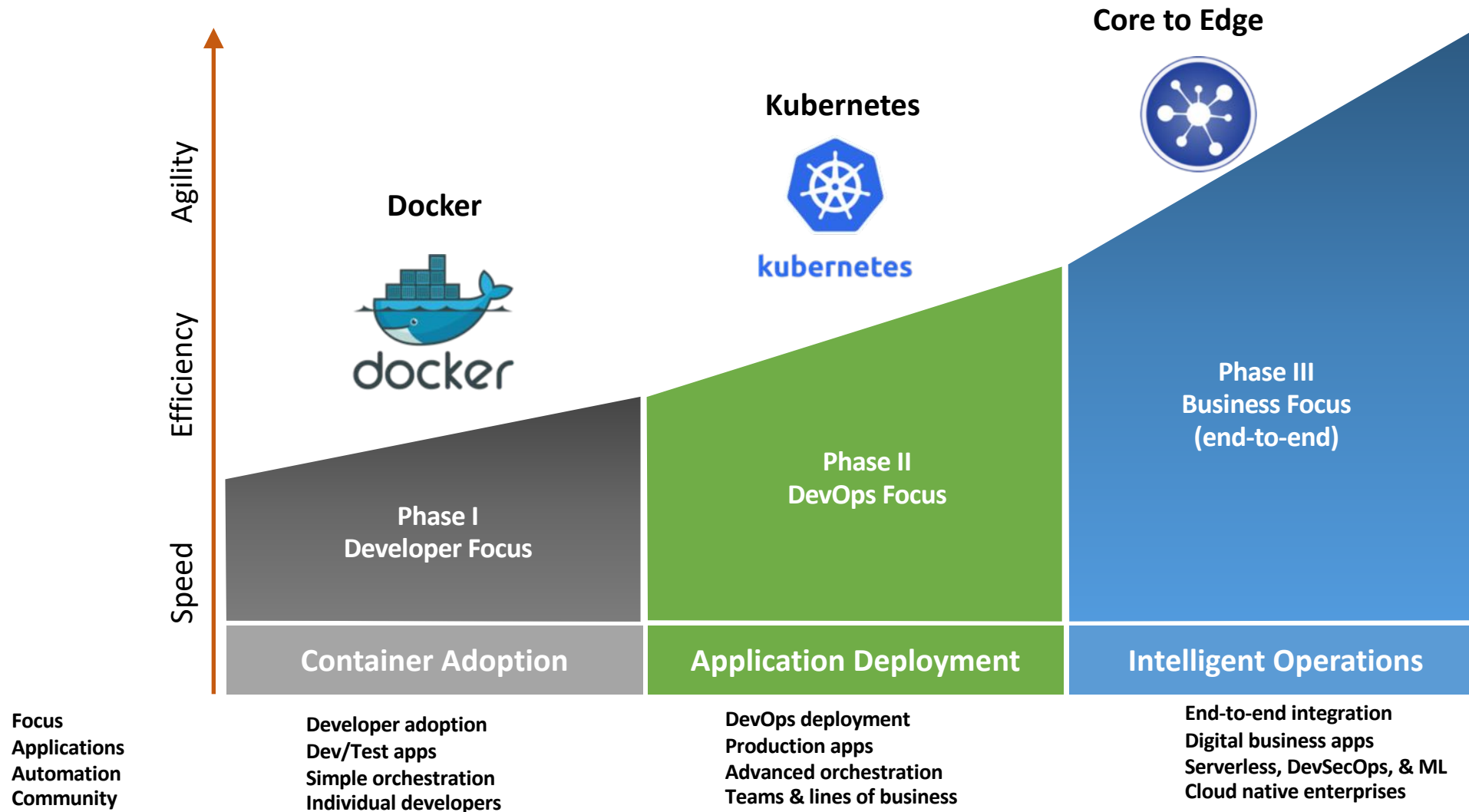
- Principles:
 - Declarative formats for Automation
 - Clean Contracts with underlying systems
 - Able to deploy to modern cloud platforms
 - Keep your prod and dev systems similar
 - Easily scale up without changes to architecture, tooling, development etc.
- 12 factor apps enable easy container integration

Pillars of Cloud Native: Containers

The background of the slide features a dark, atmospheric photograph of a classical building with four prominent columns. The building is partially obscured by shadows and appears to be situated in a rocky or excavated environment. The overall tone is dark and moody, with the white text providing a sharp contrast.

- Way to package applications
- Fits really well as a packaging strategy for microservices
- Not a new concept
- Popularized by the growth of Docker, and Kubernetes

Pillars of Cloud Native: Containers











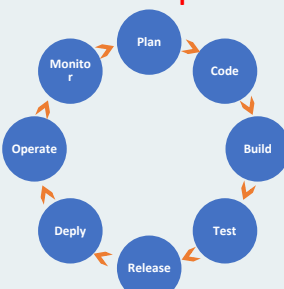
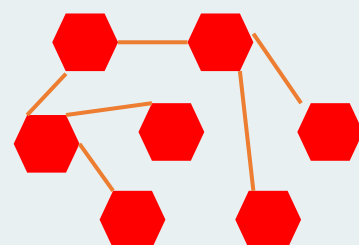
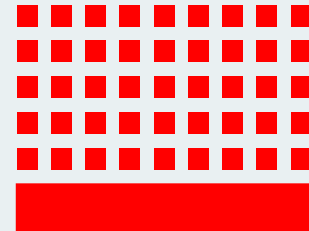

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2		Kubernetes 335
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4		Linux 240
5		Tensorflow 226
6		Vue.js 192
7		Laravel 170
8		Angular.js 123
9		Python 95
10	 	Ruby on Rails / Android 84 (tied)

Developer Trends in the Cloud: Open source Digital Ocean Survey, October 2018

Respondents=4300

<https://www.digitalocean.com/currents/october-2018/>

Evolution of Development and Deployment

	Development Process	Application Architecture	Deployment and Packaging	Application Infrastructure
~ 1980	<p>Waterfall</p> 	<p>Monolithic</p> 	<p>Physical Server</p> 	<p>Datacenter</p> 
~ 1990				
~ 2000	<p>Agile</p> 	<p>N-Tier</p> 	<p>Virtual Servers</p> 	<p>Hosted</p> 
~ 2010				
Now	<p>DevOps</p> 	<p>Microservices</p> 	<p>Containers</p> 	<p>Cloud</p> 

Cloud Native Usecases

Key Container Use Cases

	Share	Container Use Cases	Orchestration Use Cases
Development	65%	Developer productivity; Consistent appstacks in Dev, Test & Production	Automated deploys to accelerate application release cadence
CI/CD/DevOps	48%	Containerized dependencies; Container registries;	Rolling updates and reversals
Operations	41%	Standardized environments for dev, testing and operations	Resilient, self-healing systems; High Availability; Elastic Scalability
Refactor Legacy Apps	34%	Refactor from N-tier to portable containerized applications	Run distributed, stateful apps on scale-out infrastructure
Migrate to Cloud	33%	Move entire appstacks and see them run identically in the cloud	Cloud bursting; Reduce infrastructure costs by avoiding over-provisioning
New Microservice Apps	32%	Create small purpose-built services that can be assembled to scalable custom applications	Dynamically manage large-scale microservices infrastructure

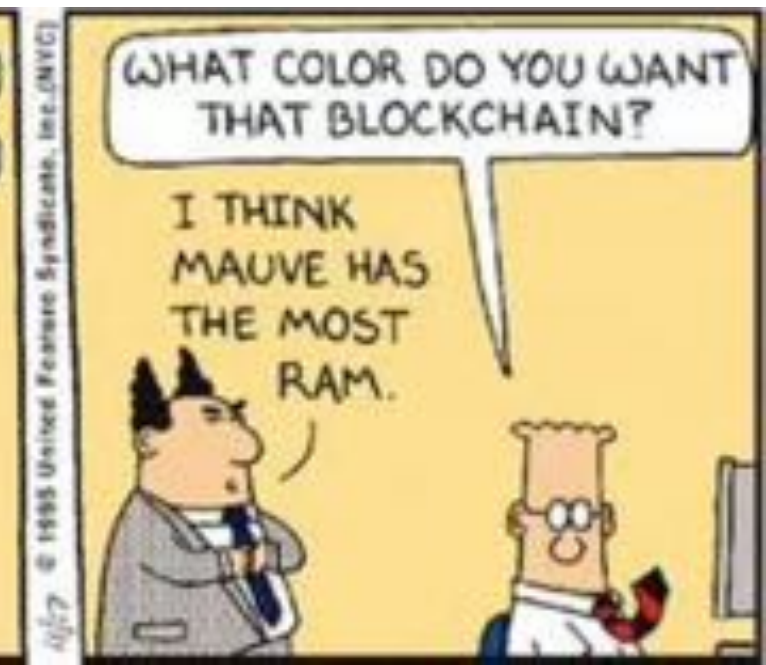


New Technology??

Must Adopt!!



Business and Engineering



The Business Case for Cloud Native

- Quicker Time to Deliver
- Modernizing present day applications
- Develop new applications quickly
- Improve speed of innovation



Quicker Time To Deliver

- Containers + Microservices allows for a common language between your development and operations teams
 - Shared Understanding...
 - Allows for IT in general to practice a devops culture
 - Less friction between various teams in the organization
- Practicing Continuous Delivery allows you to ship faster
 - Process of making changes becomes easily
 - Reduces perceived risk of making changes

Modernizing present day applications

- Shipping applications in containers reduces dependencies on underlying infrastructure
- As a result, previous on premise applications can be exported to the cloud.
- Kubernetes provides a single unified platform to deploy containers across all your infrastructure

Develop new applications quickly

- Rich technical ecosystem.
- Large community
 - Kubernetes and CNCF slack has over 35k people
 - Plenty of meetups in many different cities
- Based on opensource
 - Developers can read the source code of platforms they are using
- Easier to find developers who want to work on newer technologies

Improve speed of innovation

- Cloud Native brings a new culture, technology and processes to accelerate innovation in organizations.
- Devops, CI/CD, Containerization modernizes your existing development teams
- Allows them to go much faster than before.

CLOUD NATIVE TRAIL MAP

The Cloud Native Landscape (CNL) has a large number of options. This Cloud Native Trail Map is a recommended process for leveraging open source cloud native technologies. At each step, you can choose a vendor-supported offering or do it yourself and everything after step #3 is optional based on your circumstances.

HELP ALONG THE WAY

A. Training and Certification

Consider training offerings from CNCF and then take the exam to become a Certified Kubernetes Administrator or a Certified Kubernetes Application Developer.

B. Consulting Help

If you want assistance with Kubernetes and the surrounding ecosystem, consider leveraging a Kubernetes Certified Service Provider.

C. Join CNCF's End User Community

For companies that don't offer cloud native services externally.

WHAT IS CLOUD NATIVE?

Cloud native technologies empower organizations to build and run scalable applications in modern, dynamic environments such as public, private, and hybrid clouds. Containers, service meshes, microservices, immutable infrastructure, and declarative APIs exemplify this approach.

These techniques enable loosely coupled systems that are resilient, manageable, and observable. Combined with robust automation, they allow engineers to make high-impact changes frequently and predictably with minimal risk.

The Cloud Native Computing Foundation seeks to drive adoption of the paradigm by fostering and sustaining an ecosystem of open source, vendor-neutral projects. We democratize state-of-the-art patterns to make these innovations accessible for everyone.



1. CONTAINERIZATION

- Commonly done with Docker containers.
- Any size application and dependencies (even PHP-11 code running on an emulator) can be containerized.
- Over time, you should aspire towards splitting suitable applications and writing future functionality as microservices.



3. ORCHESTRATION & APPLICATION DEFINITION

- Kubernetes is the market-leading orchestration solution.
- You should select a Certified Kubernetes Distribution, Hosted Platform, or Installer.
- Helm Charts help you define, install, and upgrade even the most complex Kubernetes application.



5. SERVICE MESH AND DISCOVERY

- Consul is a fast and flexible tool that is useful for service discovery.
- Istio and Linkerd each enable service mesh architectures.
- They offer health checking, routing, and load balancing.



7. DISTRIBUTED DATABASE AND STORAGE

When you need more resiliency and scalability than you can get from a single database, Vitess is a good option for running MySQL at scale through sharding. Rocks is a storage orchestrator that integrates a diverse set of storage solutions into Kubernetes.



9. CONTAINER RUNTIME

You can use alternative container runtimes. The most common, all of which are OCI-compliant, are containerd, rkt, and CRI-O.



2. CI/CD

- Setup Continuous Integration/Continuous Delivery (CI/CD) so that changes to your source code automatically result in a new container being built, tested, and deployed to staging and eventually, perhaps, to production.
- Setup automated rollouts, roll backs and testing.



4. OBSERVABILITY & ANALYSIS

- Pick solutions for monitoring, logging and tracing.
- Consider CNCF projects Prometheus for monitoring, Fluentd for logging and Jaeger for tracing.
- For tracing, look for an OpenTracing-compatible implementation like Jaeger.



6. NETWORKING

To enable more flexible networking, use a CNF-compliant network project like Calico, Flannel, or Weave Net.



8. STREAMING AND MESSAGING

When you need higher performance than JSON-RPC, consider using gRPC. NATS is publish/subscribe message-oriented middleware.



10. SOFTWARE DISTRIBUTION

If you need to do secure software distribution, evaluate Notary, an implementation of The Update Framework.



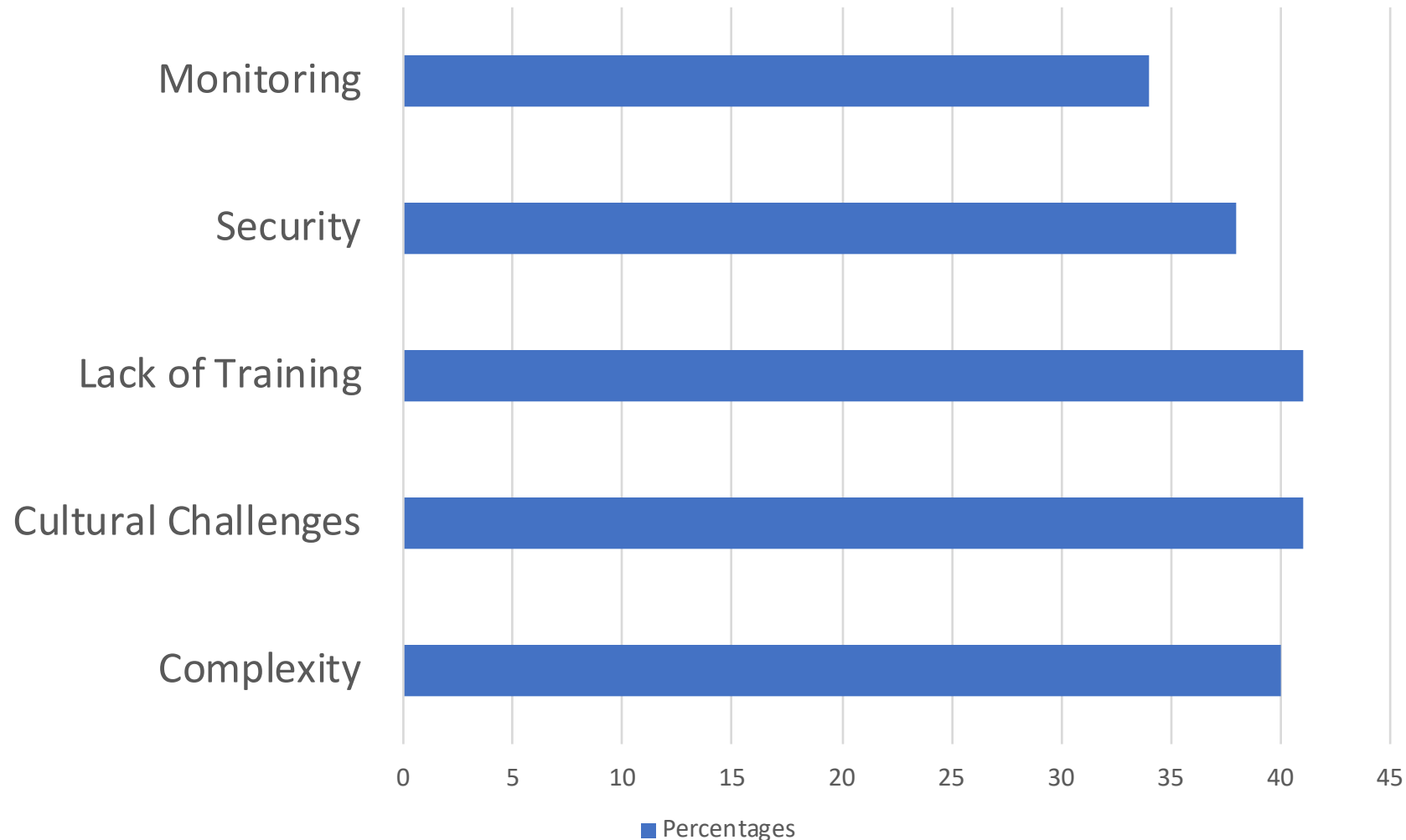
CNCF Trail Map

<https://landscape.cncf.io/images/landscape.pdf>

Challenges

A photograph of a person standing on a wide set of stone steps in front of a large stone wall. The person is wearing a hat and a backpack, looking down at the steps. The word "Challenges" is overlaid in white text in the center of the image.

Top 5 challenges to cloud native adoption...



Other Challenges

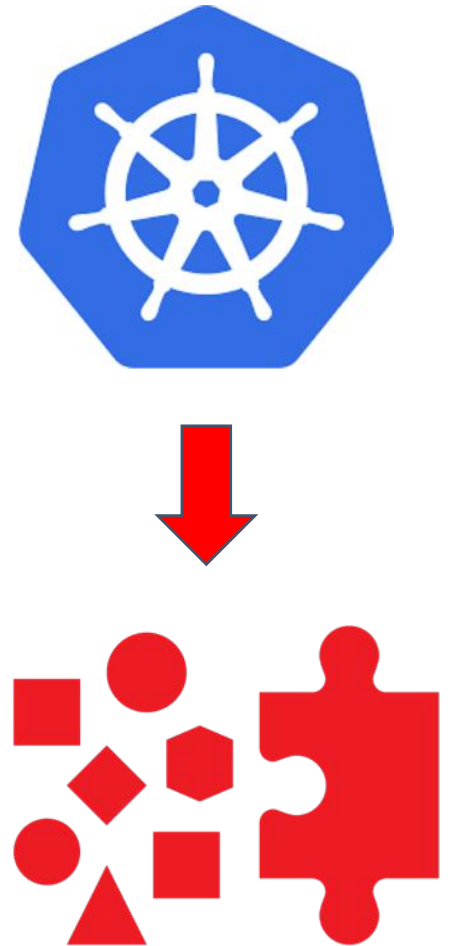
- Storage (30% down from 41%)
- Networking (30% down from 38%)
- Reliability (17% down from 20%)
- Logging (25% down from 32%)
- Scaling (20% down from 24%)



Kubernetes & Cloud Native Challenges

- Managing, maintaining, upgrading Kubernetes Control Plane
 - API Server, etcd, scheduler etc....
- Managing, maintaining, upgrading Kubernetes Data Plane
 - In place upgrades, deploy parallel cluster etc....
- Figuring out container networking & storage
 - Overlays, persistent storage etc... - it should just work
- Managing Teams
 - How do I manage & control team access to my clusters?
- Security, security, security

Source: Oracle Customer Survey 2018



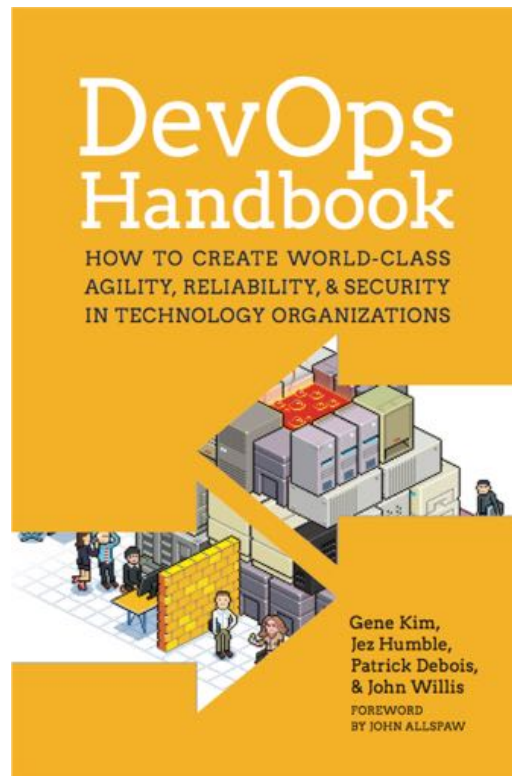
A photograph of a person standing on a long, wide set of stone steps in front of a large stone wall. The person is wearing a hat and a light-colored shirt. The steps are made of large, rectangular stone blocks and lead up to the wall. The wall is also made of large, rectangular stone blocks. The lighting is soft, and the overall tone is muted. The text "Where do I start?" is overlaid in white on the steps.

Where do I start?

Some strategies...

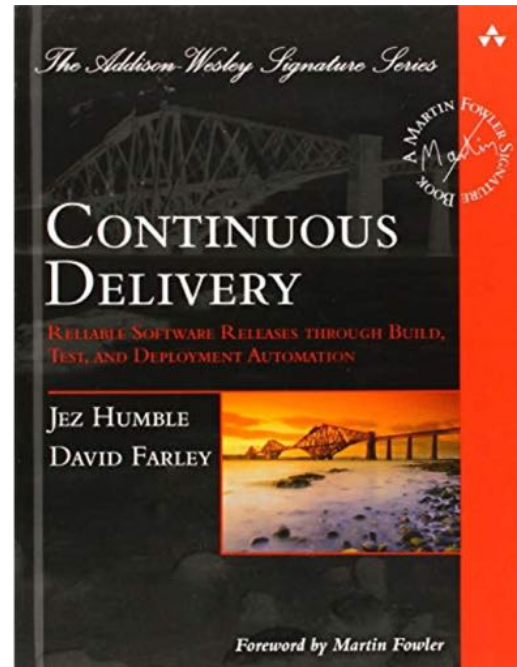
Silos

- Heavily siloed organizations can benefit from a devops mindset
- Use containers as a way to break down silos in your engineering orgs

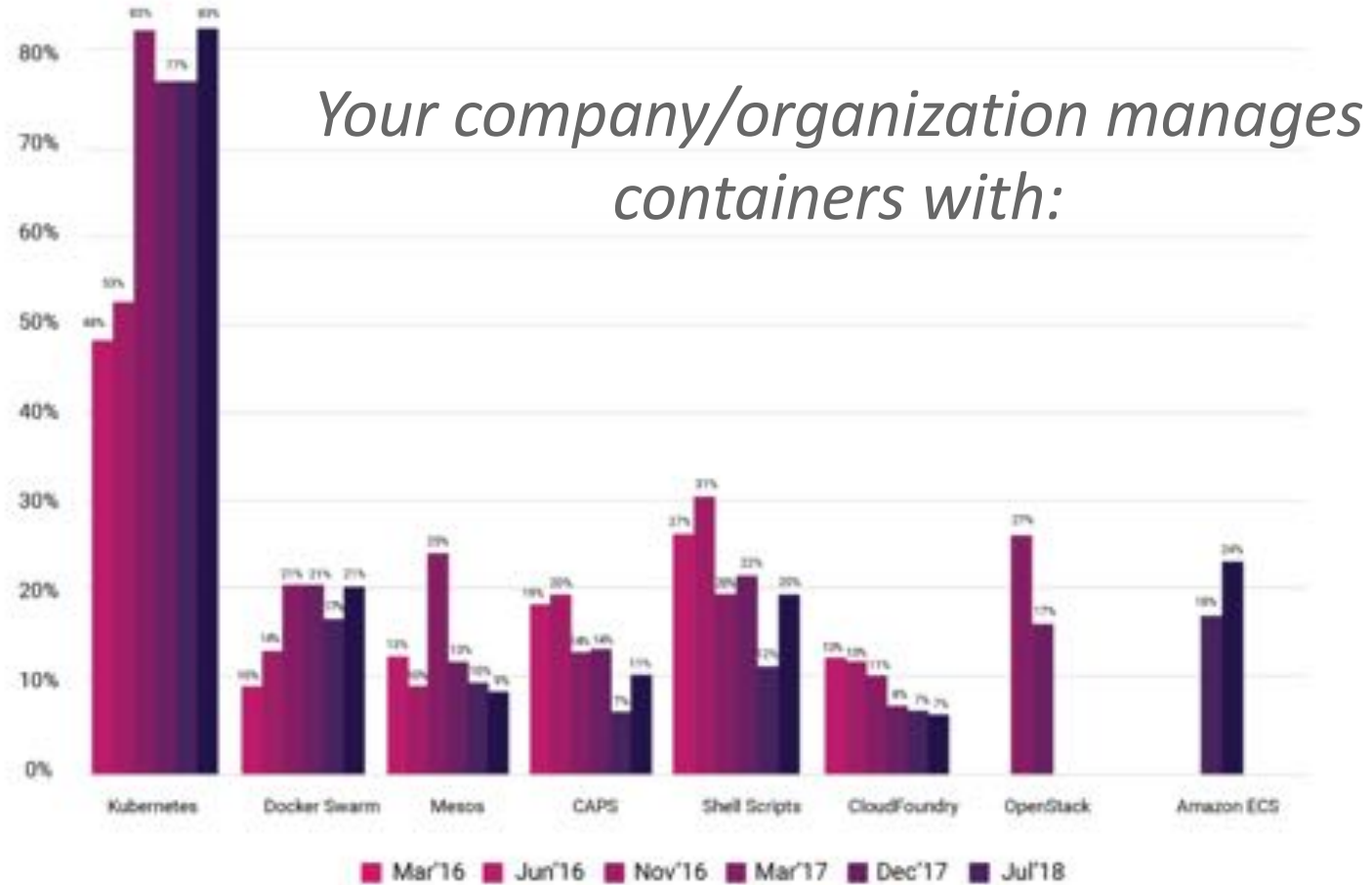


Releasing Code

- Step 1: Invest in Continuous Integration
- Step 2: Continuous Delivery



Orchestration?



A vintage IBM mainframe computer room. In the foreground, a man in a dark suit is seated at a console, looking at a document. To his right, a large, multi-layered magnetic tape reel is visible. In the background, a woman in a light-colored dress is standing near another console. The room is filled with various IBM hardware components, including control panels with numerous buttons and switches, and large cabinets. The overall color scheme is dominated by red, blue, and grey.

Nobody ever got
fired for buying IBM.

using Kubernetes.

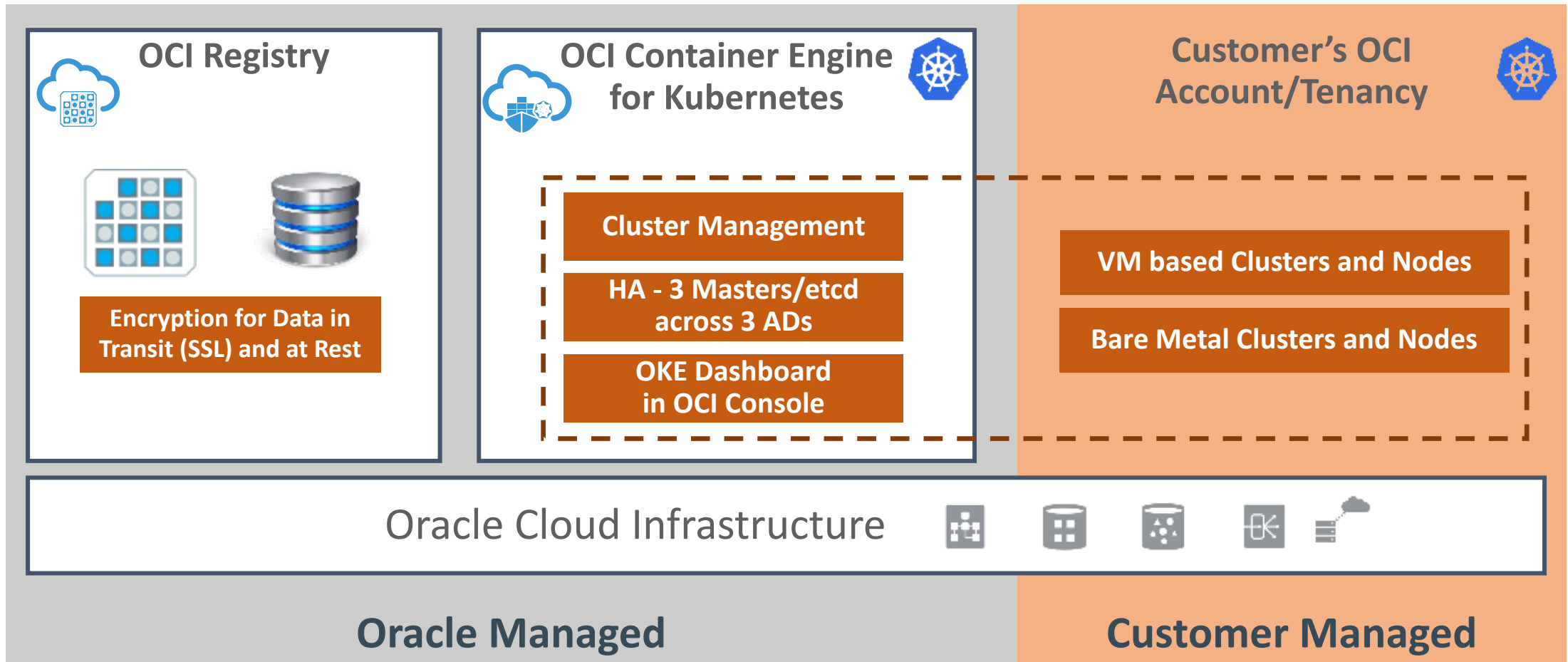
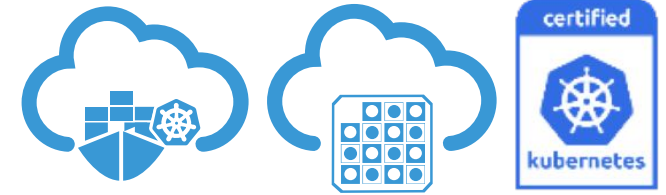
A man in a light-colored sweater and dark pants is sitting on the floor in a server room, looking down at a laptop. The room is filled with a dense, chaotic network of white and orange cables, creating a complex, maze-like environment. The lighting is dim, with some orange cables glowing. The text "Biggest Lie: 'Kubernetes is easy'" is overlaid in white on the image.

Biggest Lie: "Kubernetes is easy"

Kubernetes is complex

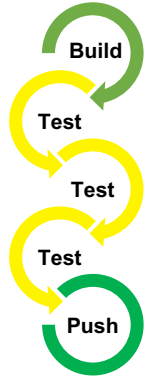
- Use a Kubernetes Managed Service
 - Like Oracle Container Engine for Kubernetes, Google Kubernetes Engine etc
- Benefits:
- Enables developers to get started and deploy containers quickly.
- Gives DevOps teams visibility and control for Kubernetes management.
- Combines production grade container orchestration of open Kubernetes, with control, security, IAM, and high predictable performance of cloud infrastructure
- Manage what you really need to manage

Kubernetes is Complex

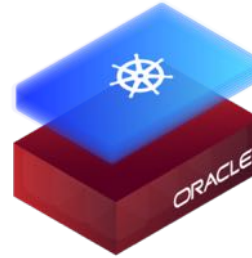


End to End Workflow...

Any CI/CD - ie Jenkins, Oracle Pipelines, etc.



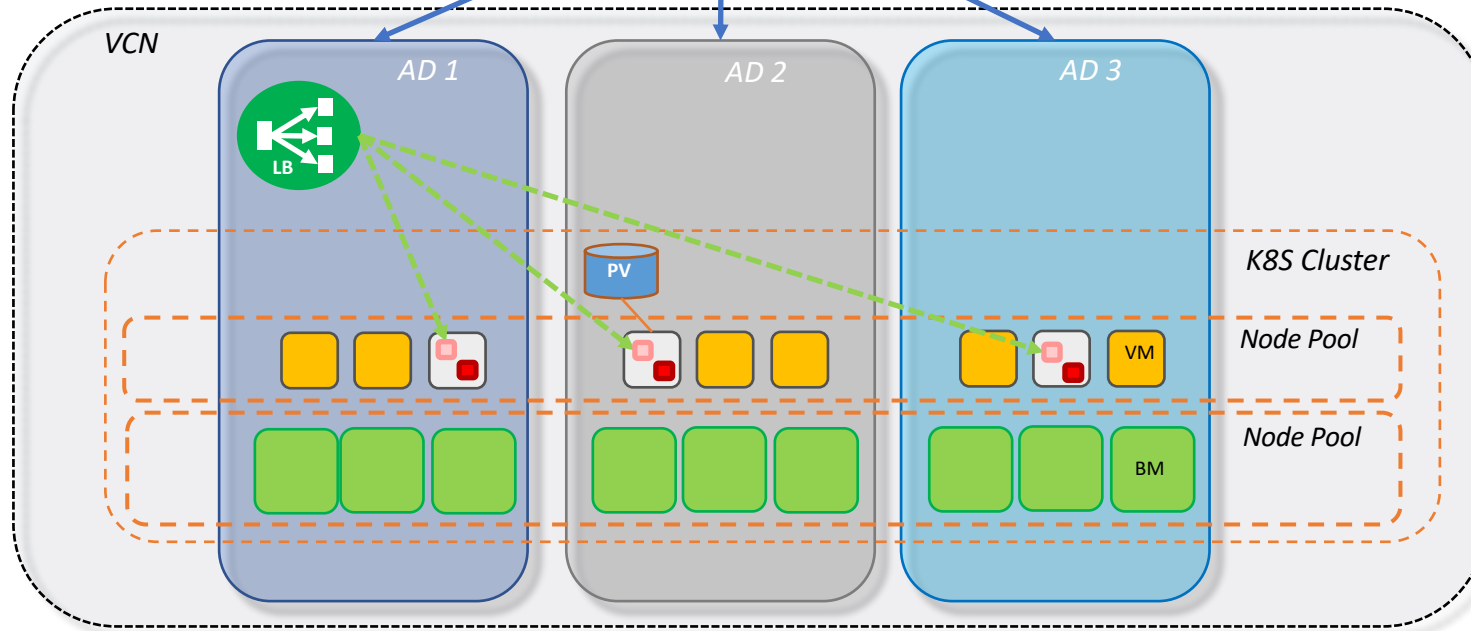
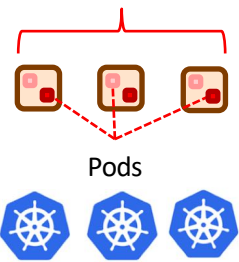
OCI Registry



OCI Container Engine
for Kubernetes

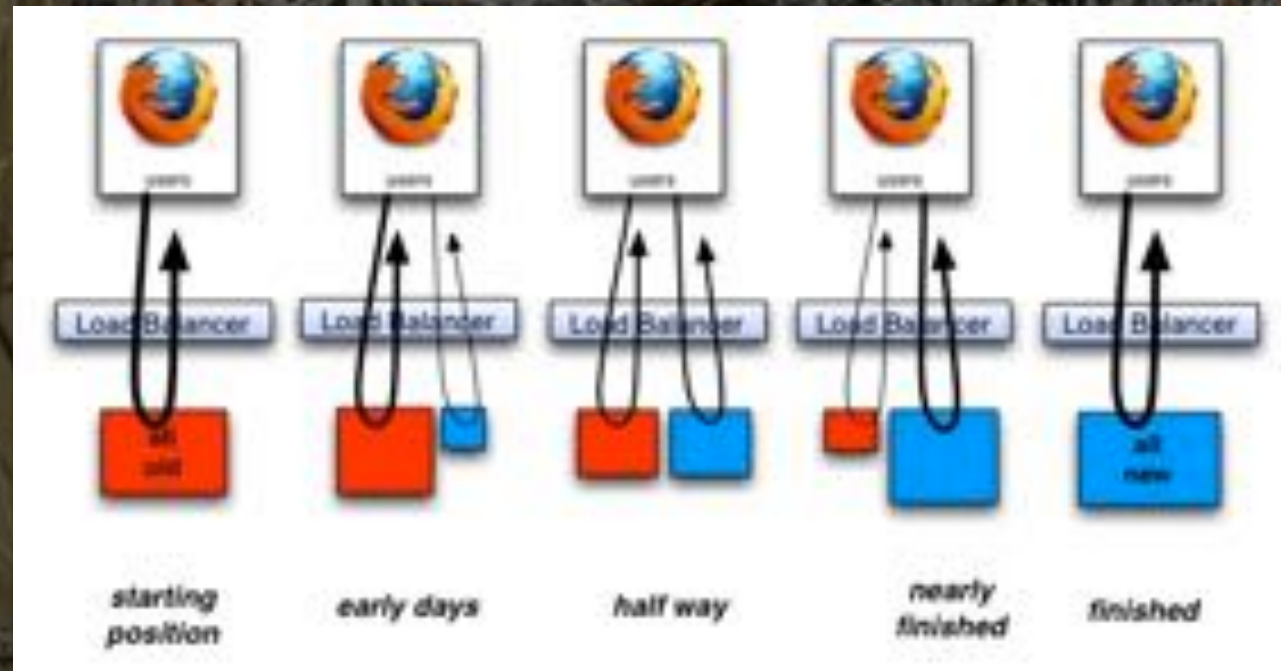
- **Container Native:** Standard Upstream Kubernetes; Fully Managed Lifecycle; Integrated Registry
- **Developer Friendly:** Simple, Streamlined User Interface; REST API; Helm, and DNS Built-in
- **Enterprise Ready:** Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Performance; Highly Available; Secure with OCI Access Controls

Exposed Kubernetes Service



Take It slow...

Greenfield OR Strangler application patterns



**KEEP CALM
AND
KUBE ON**
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