

ECE444: Software Engineering

Architecture4: Styles and Hypes

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Spike in Agile

- A special type of user story that is used to gain the knowledge necessary to reduce the risk of a technical approach, better understand a requirement, or increase the reliability of a story estimate
- Has a maximum time-box size
- For example:
 - The team may not have knowledge of a new technology, and spikes may be used for basic research to ensure the feasibility of the new technology (domain or new approach).
 - A story requires to be implemented using a 3rd party library with API that is poorly written and documented.
 - The story may contain significant technical risk, and the team may have to do some experiments or prototypes to gain confidence in a technological approach that may allow them to commit the user story to some future timebox.

Classification of patterns

- **Creational patterns**

- Singleton
- Factory Method

- **Structural patterns**

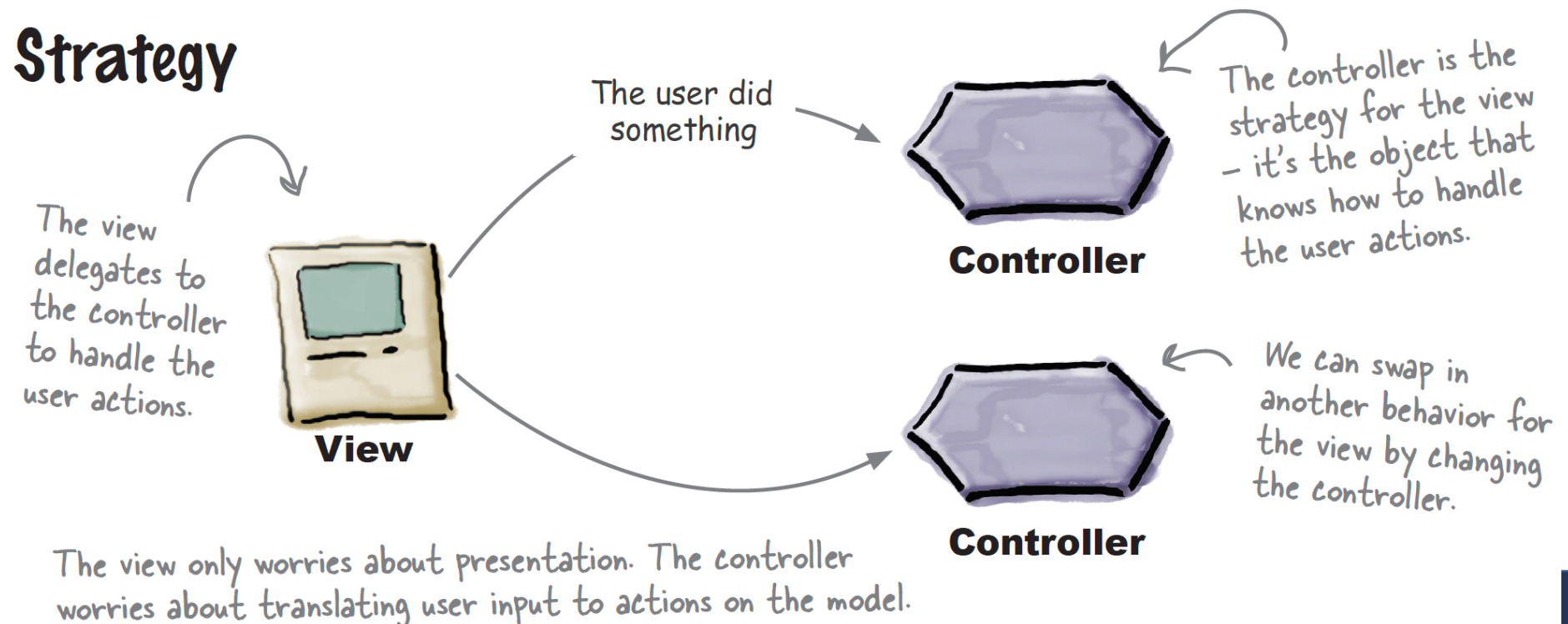
- Composite

- **Behavioral patterns**

- Strategy
- Observer

MVC Architecture

- Model – Observer Pattern
- View – Composite + Strategy
- Controller -- Strategy Pattern



Cargo cult programming



<https://blog.ndepend.com/are-solid-principles-cargo-cult/>

Are SOLID principles Cargo Cult?

It looks like a plane, but will it fly?

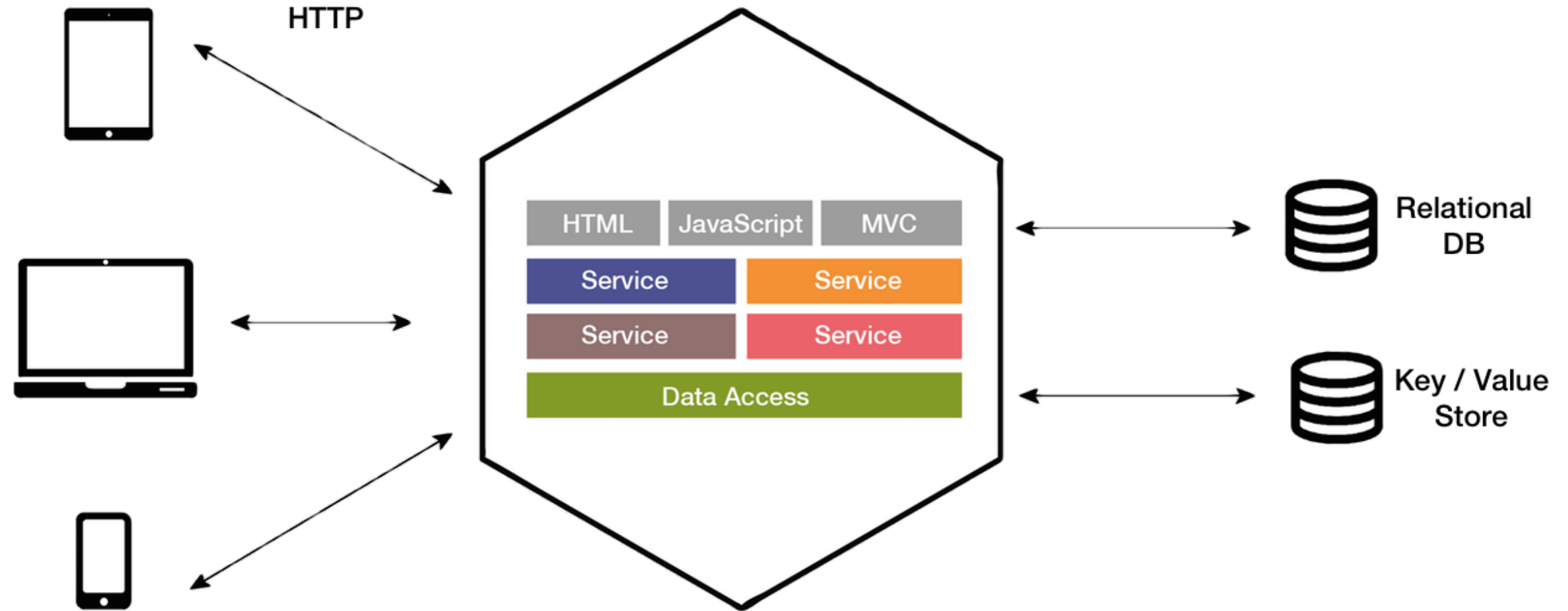
Learning Goals

- Understand history of Microservices
- Reason about tradeoffs of Microservices architectures.

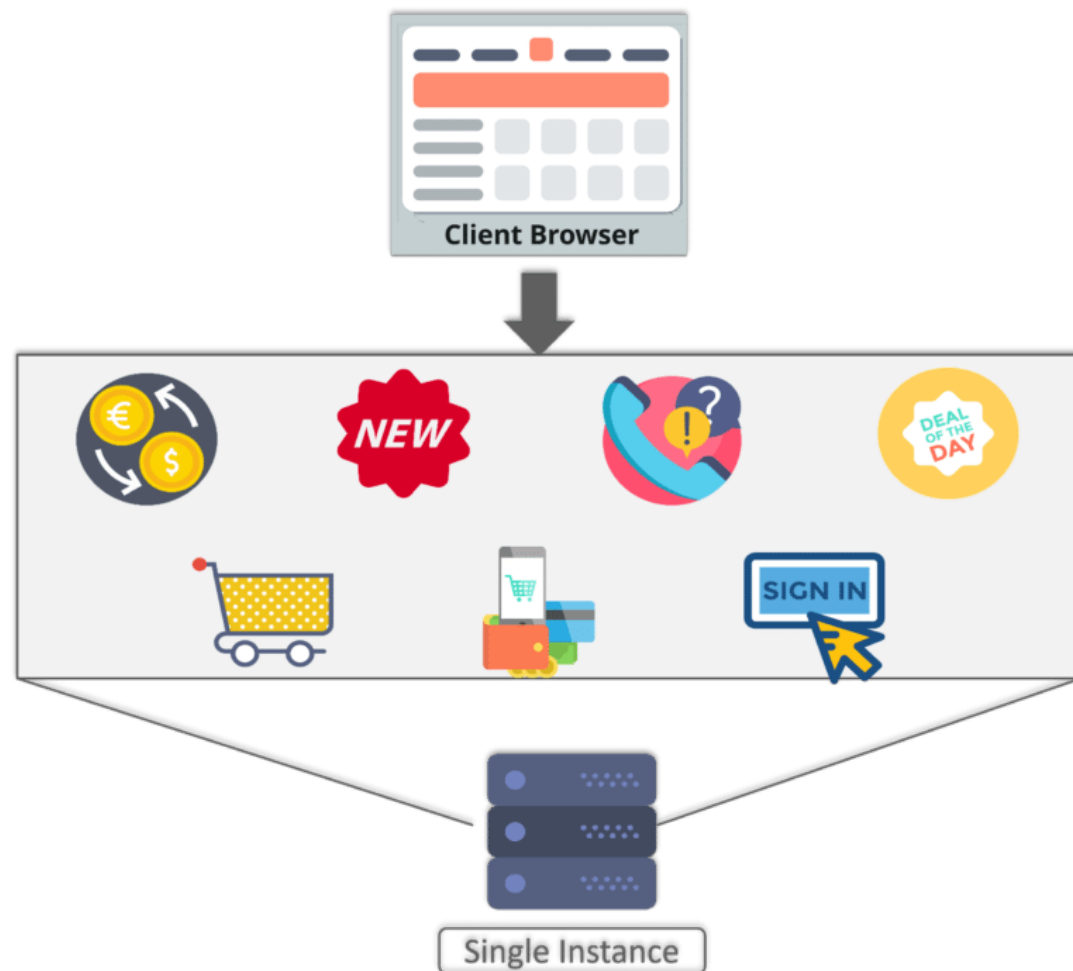


"After that experience, we determined we **needed to step back**. We then determined we needed to **re-architect** the site to support the continued growth of Twitter and to keep it running smoothly."

Monolithic Architecture

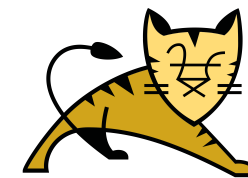


Example: a shopping cart app



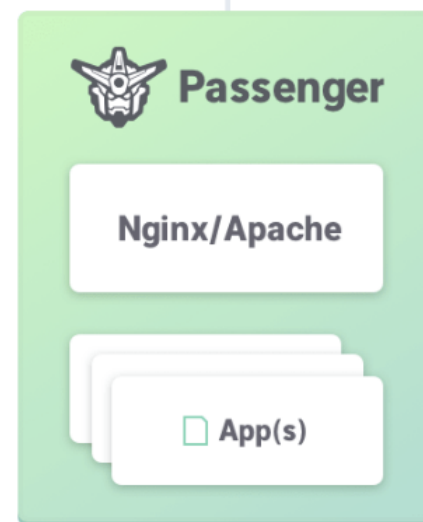
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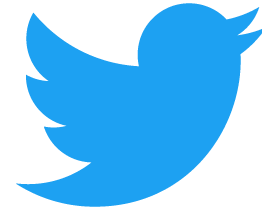
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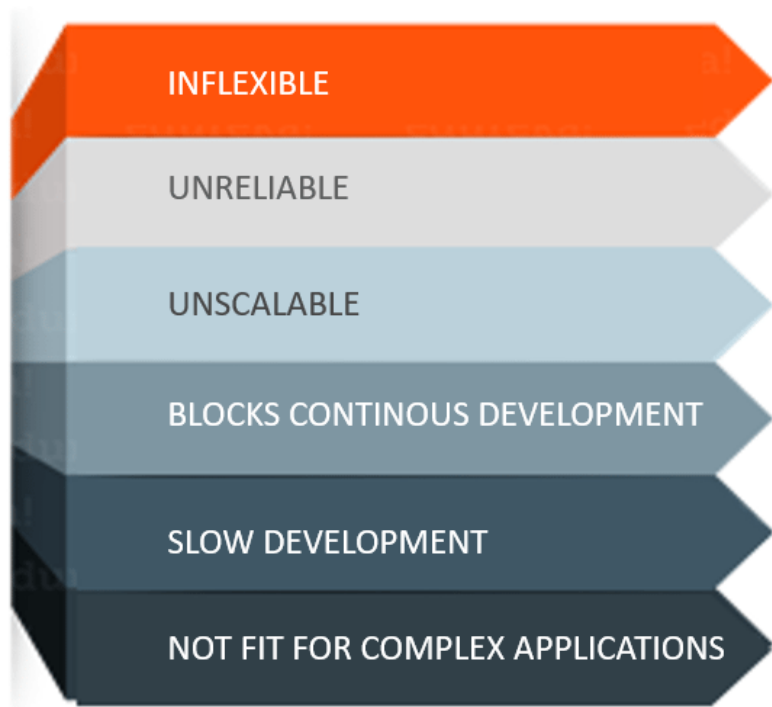
Monolithic Architecture Benefits

- Simple to develop
- Simple to deploy
- Simple to scale



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Challenges of Monolithic Architecture



- **Inflexible** — Monolithic applications cannot be built using different technologies
- **Unreliable** — Even if one feature of the system does not work, then the entire system does not work
- **Unscalable** — Applications cannot be scaled easily since each time the application needs to be updated, the complete system has to be rebuilt
- **Blocks Continuous Development** — Many features of the applications cannot be built and deployed at the same time
- **Slow Development** — Development in monolithic applications take lot of time to be built since each and every feature has to be built one after the other
- **Not Fit For Complex Applications** — Features of complex applications have tightly coupled dependencies

Microservices



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MICROSERVICES?**

OR ANTS???

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MICROSERVICES...

...SO HOT RIGHT NOW

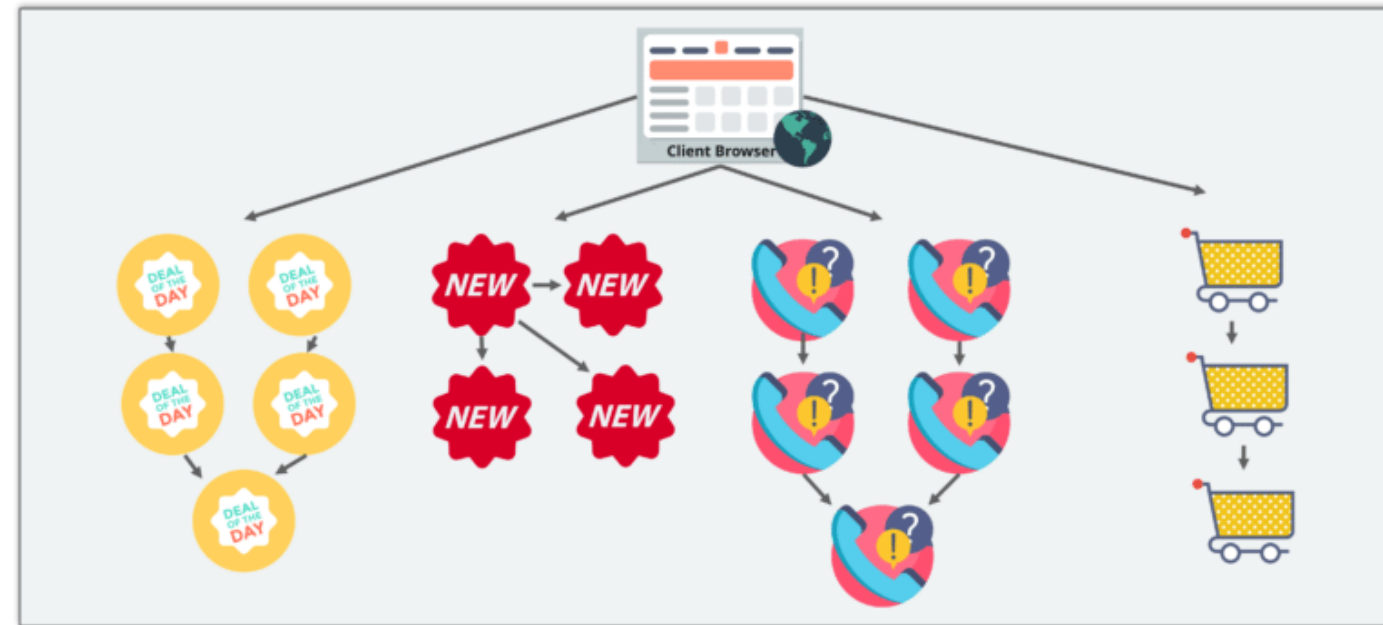
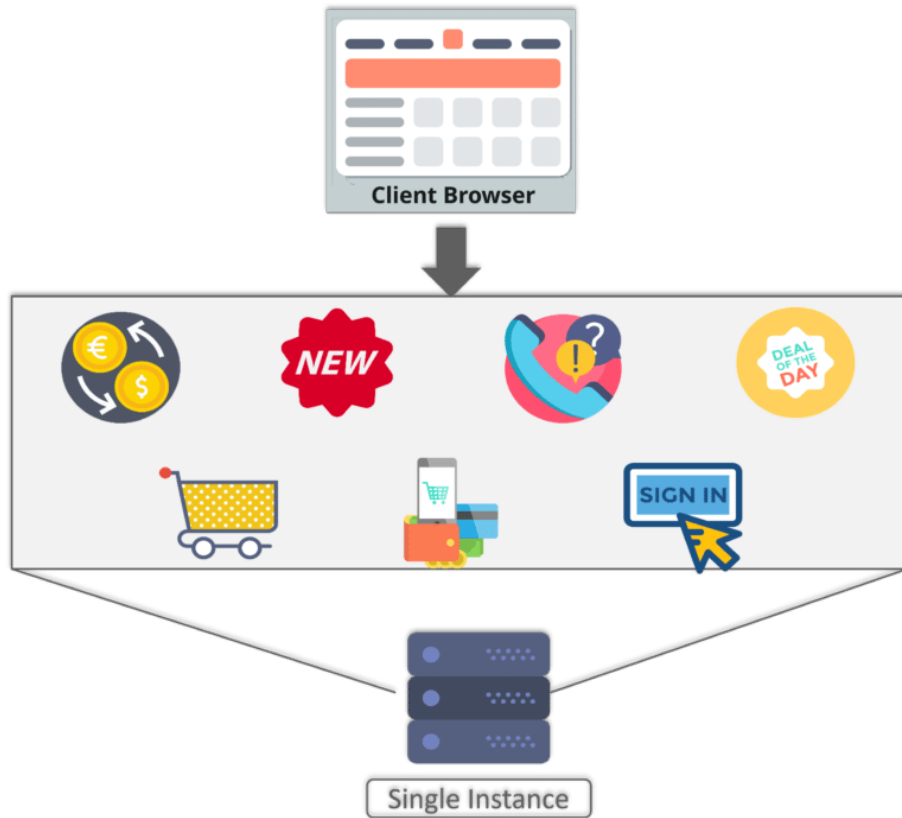
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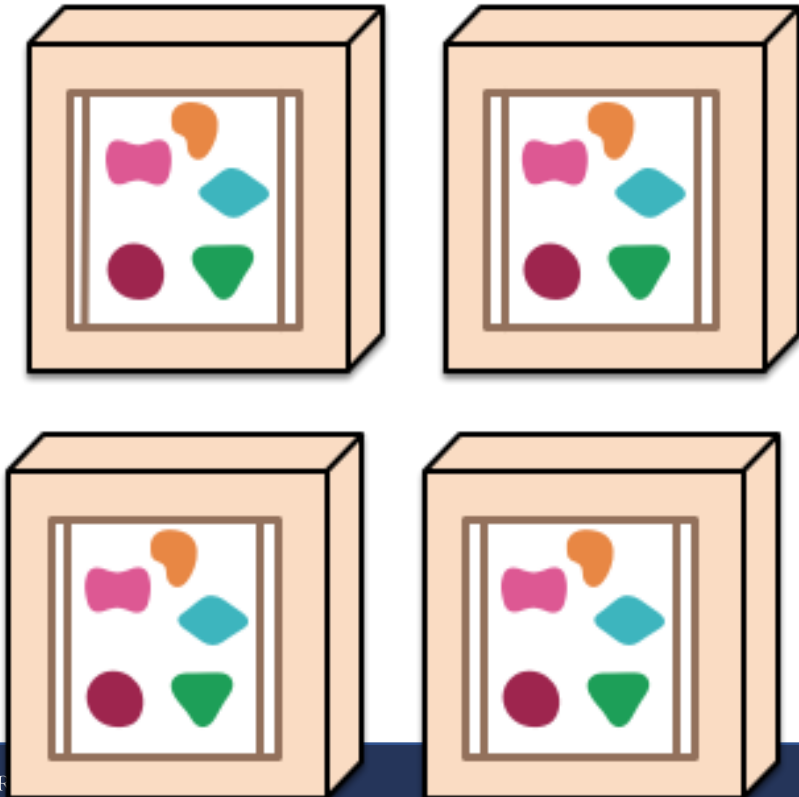
Use case: Shopping Cart Application



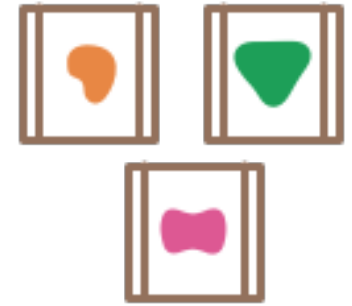
A monolithic application puts all its functionality into a single process...



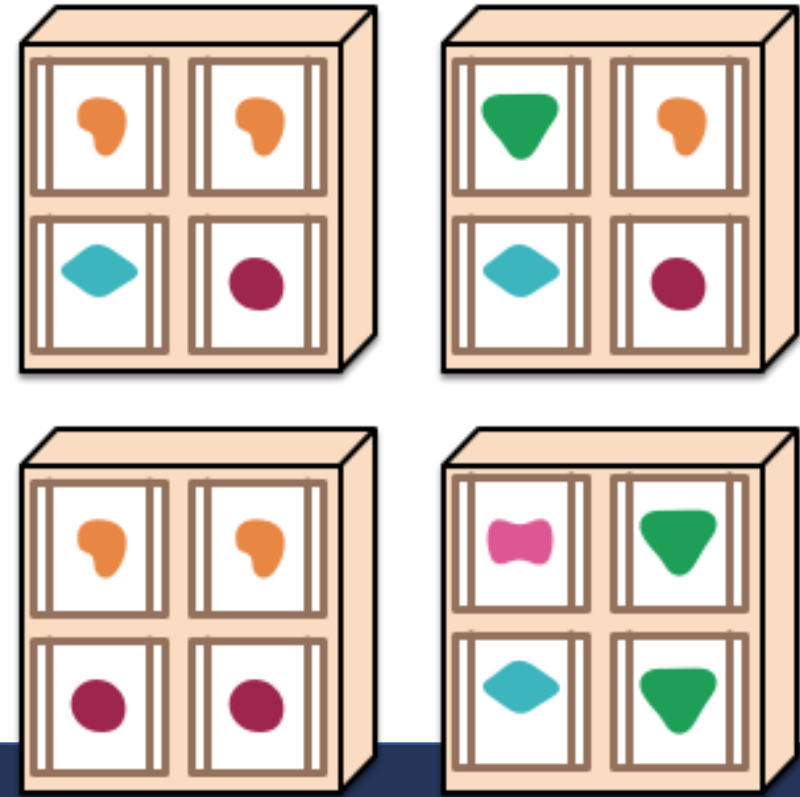
... and scales by replicating the monolith on multiple servers



A microservices architecture puts each element of functionality into a separate service...

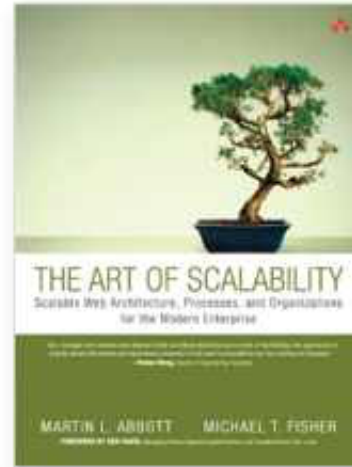
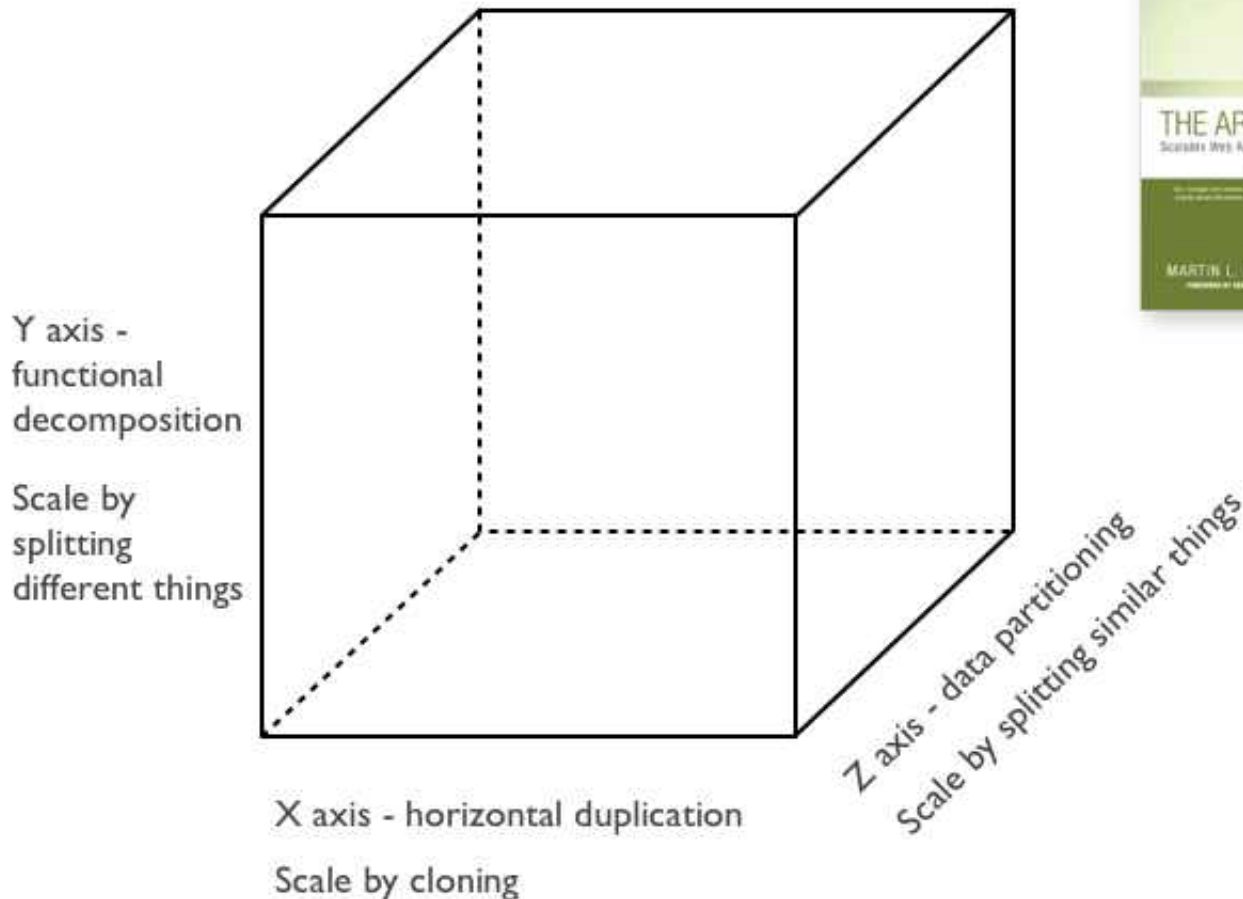


... and scales by distributing these services across servers, replicating as needed.

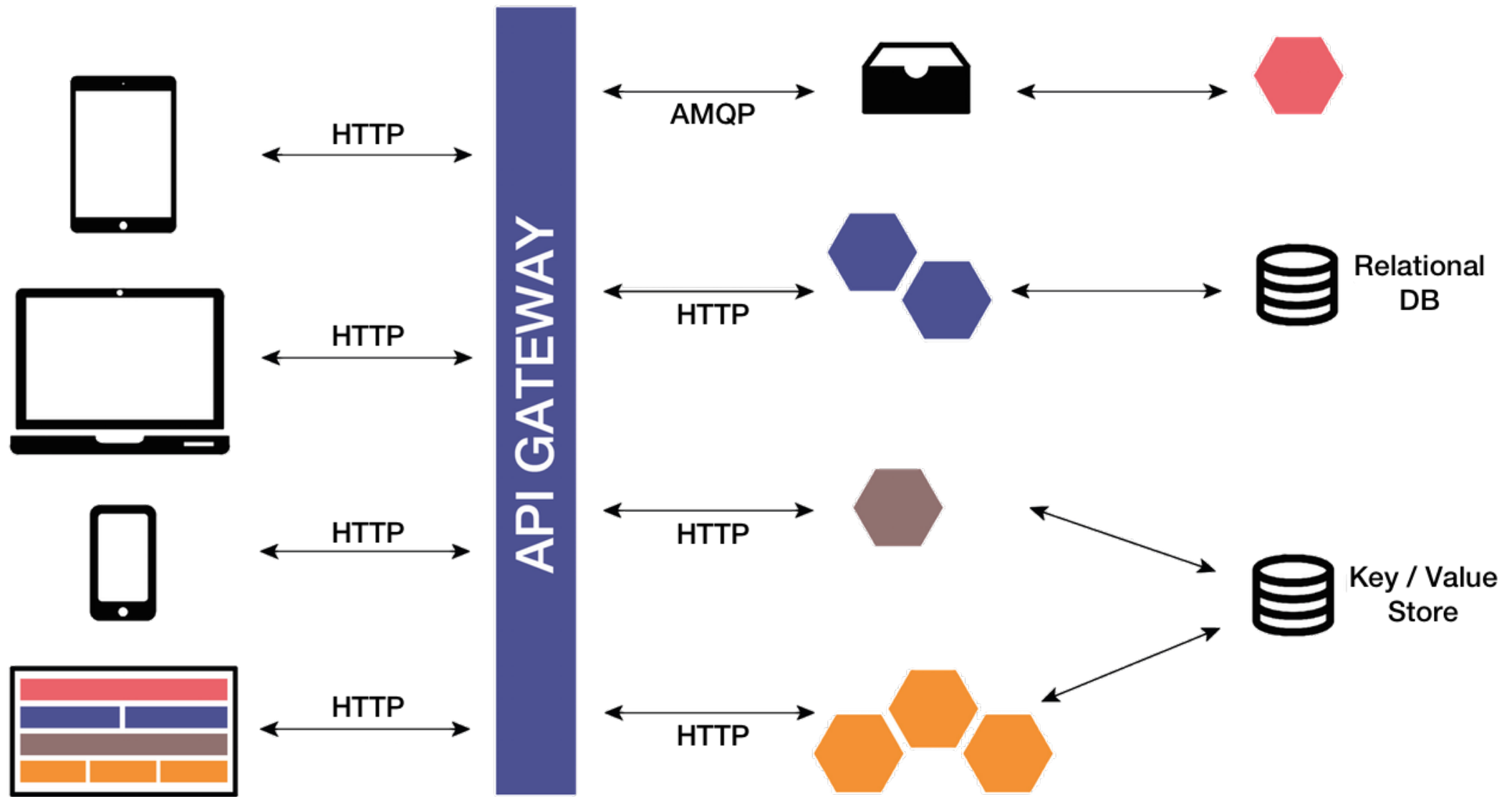


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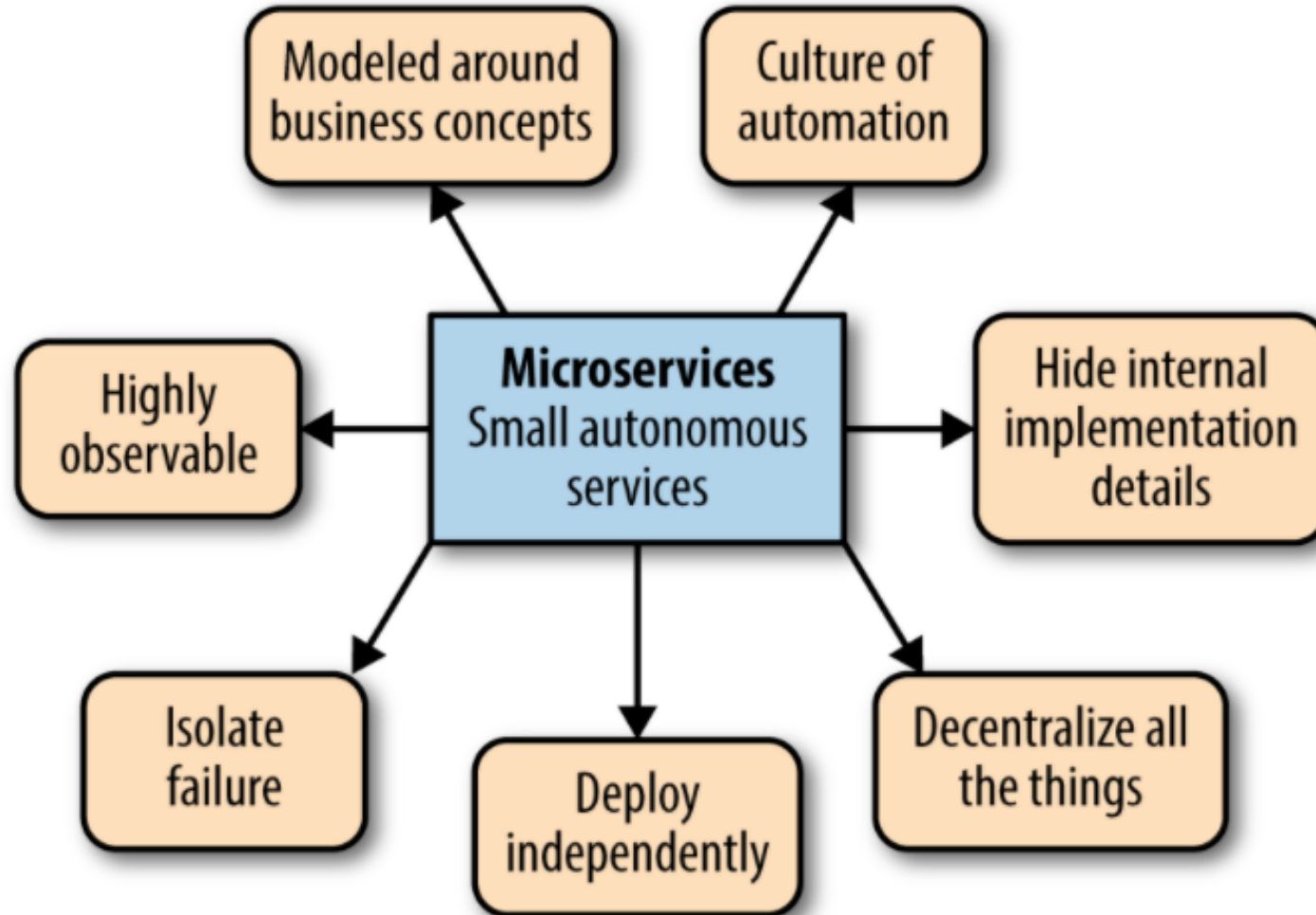
3 dimensions to scaling



- X-axis: running multiple copies of an application behind a load balancer.
- Y-axis: split the app into services
 - Verb-based
 - Noun-based
- Z-axis: each server is responsible for only a subset of the data.

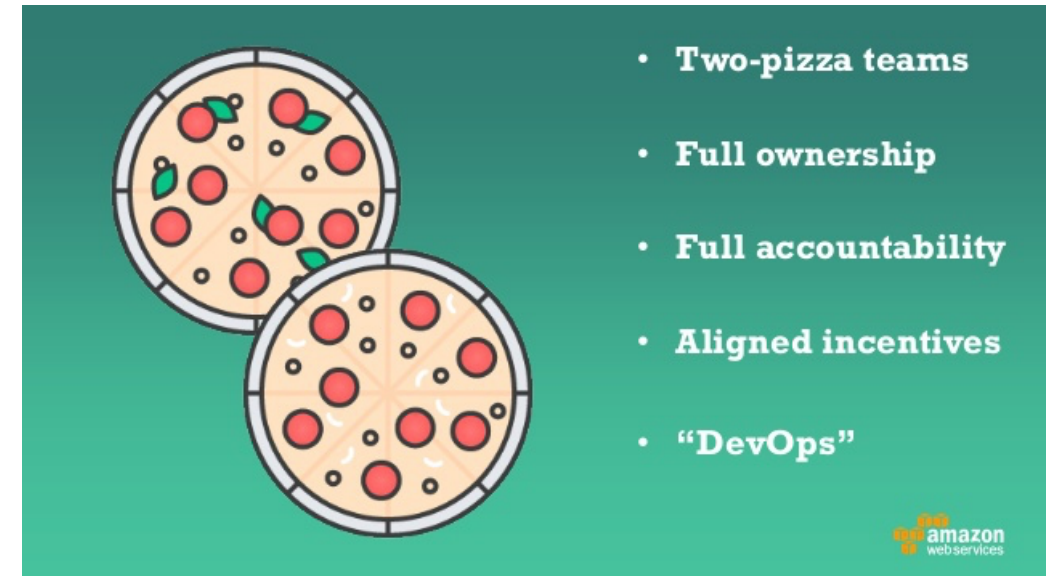


Principle of Microservices



Benefits of Microservices

- Faster and simpler deployments and rollbacks
- Elimination of long-term commitment to a single technology stack
- Improved fault isolation
- Independently scalable services
- Technology diversity
- Ability to write new features as plugins



Drawbacks of Microservices

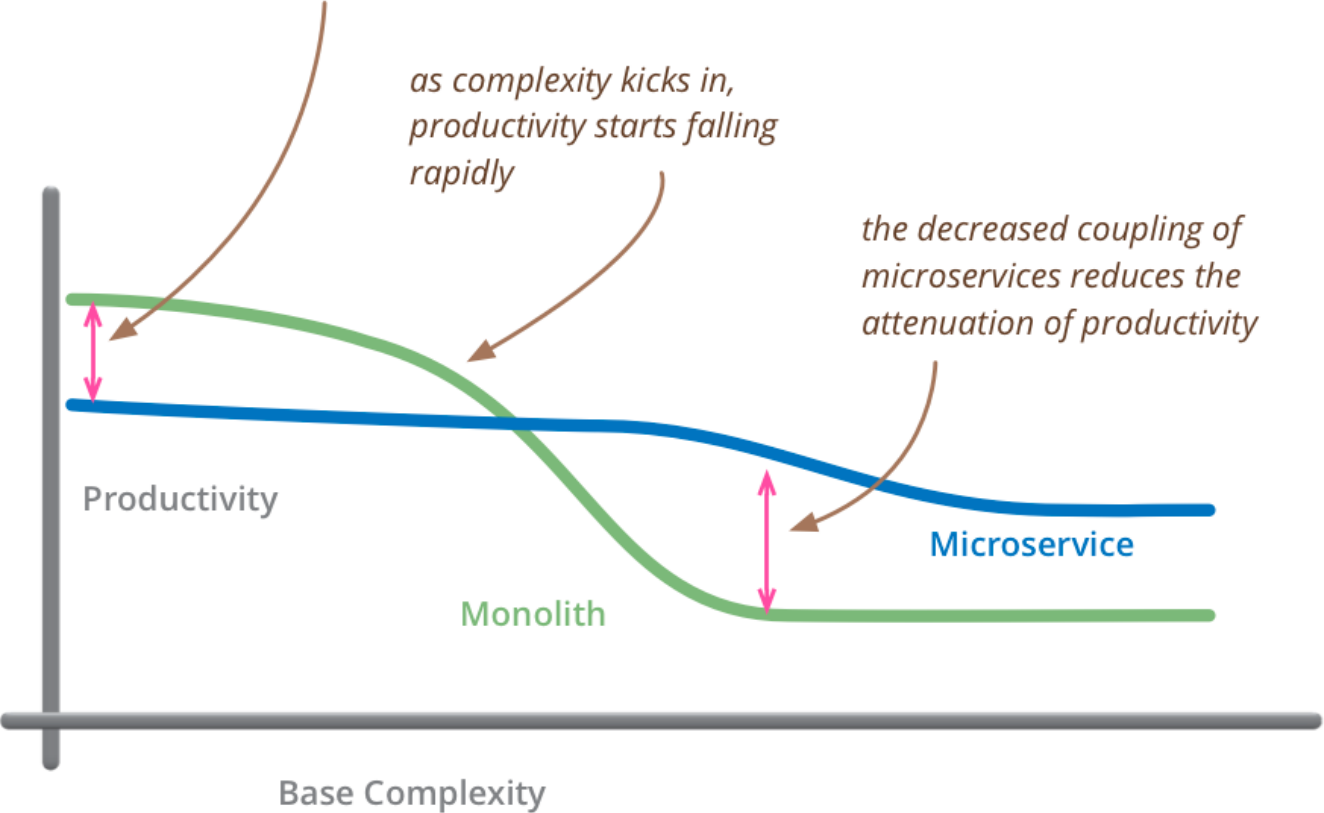
- Increased network communication
- Serialization between microservices
- Additional complexity in testing a distributed system
- Increased complexity in deployment

Microservices overhead

for less-complex systems, the extra baggage required to manage microservices reduces productivity

as complexity kicks in, productivity starts falling rapidly

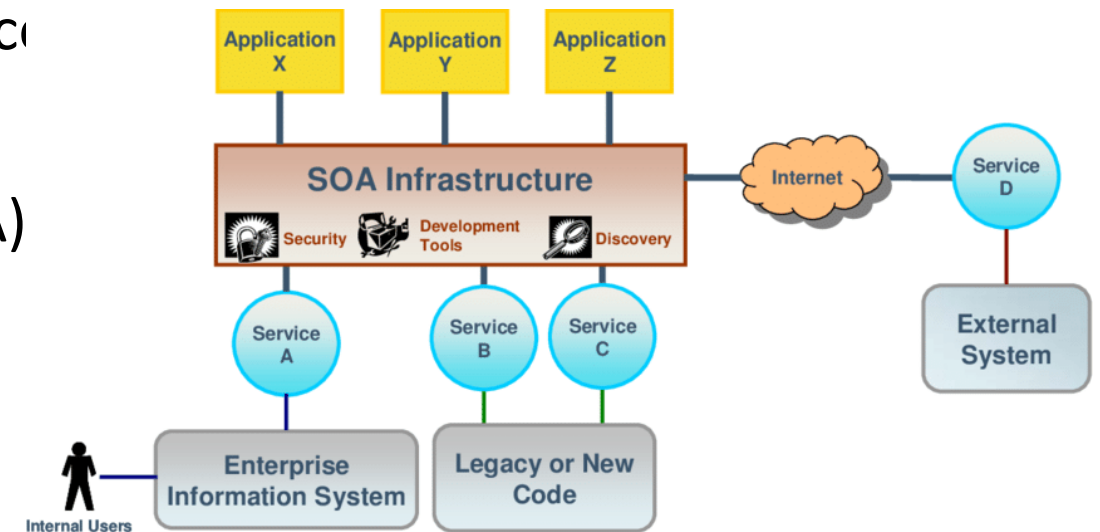
the decreased coupling of microservices reduces the attenuation of productivity



but remember the skill of the team will outweigh any monolith/microservice choice

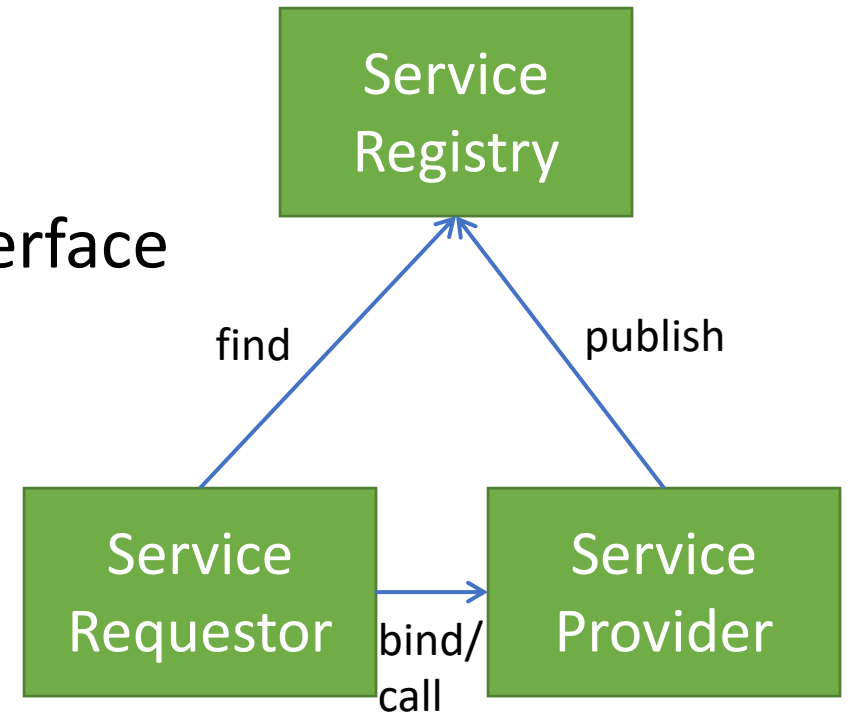
Broker Pattern

- A collection of services distributed across multiple servers
- Separates users of services (clients) from providers of services (servers) by inserting an intermediary, called a broker
- Benefit: modifiability, availability, performance
- Downside: add complexity, latency
- Example: Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA)



SOA

- Service: self-contained functionality
- Remote invocation, language-independent interface
- Dynamic lookup possible
- Often used to wrap legacy systems



How to decompose the application into services?

- Decompose by business capability
- Decompose by verb or use case
- Decompose by by nouns or resources

Business capabilities

Product
catalog
management

Inventory
management

Order
management

Delivery
management



Application architecture

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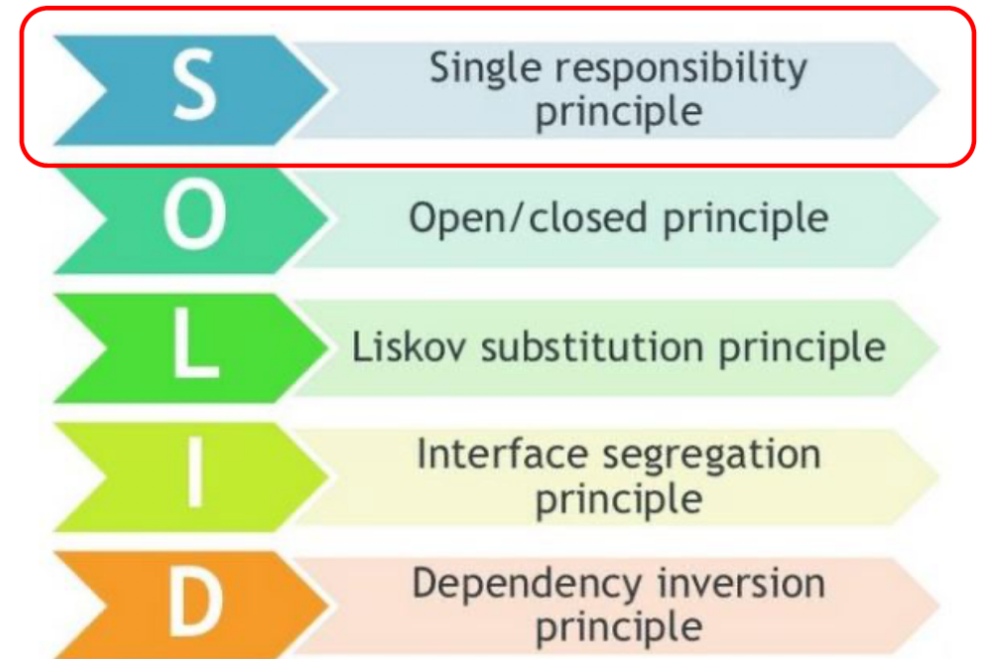
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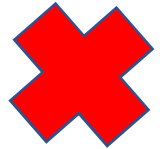
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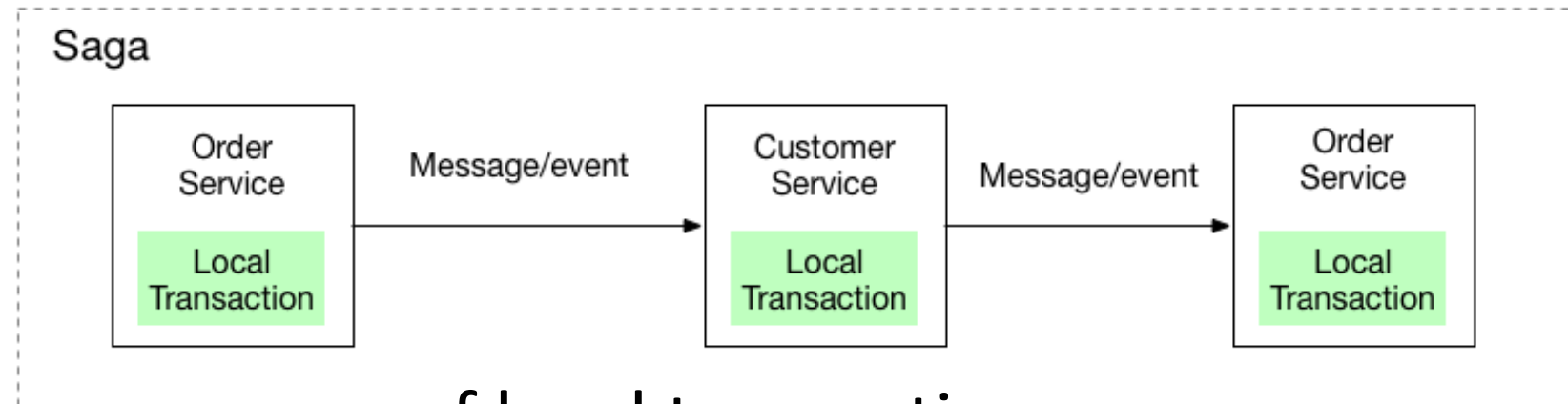
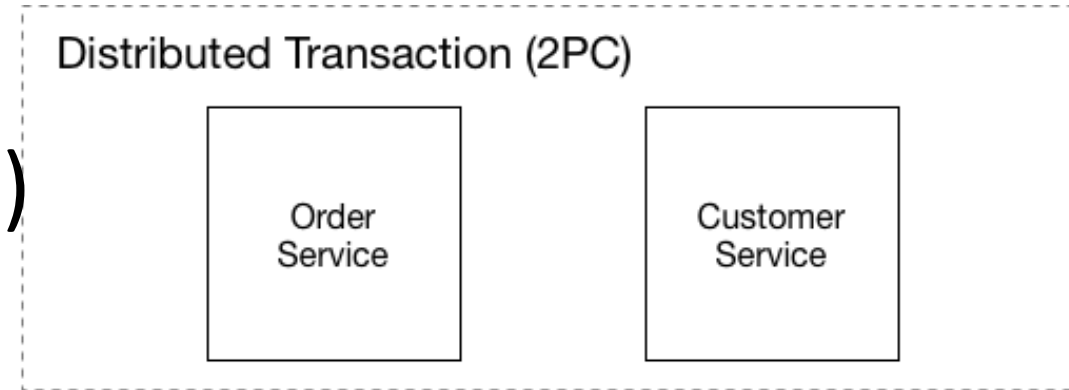
How to maintain data consistency?



2PC (Two-phase commit)



Saga Pattern



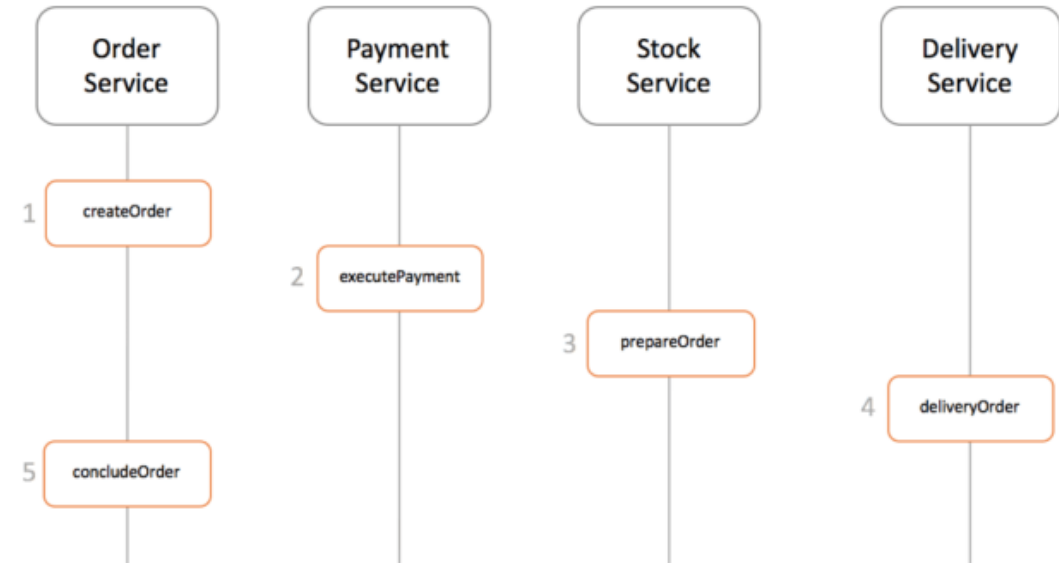
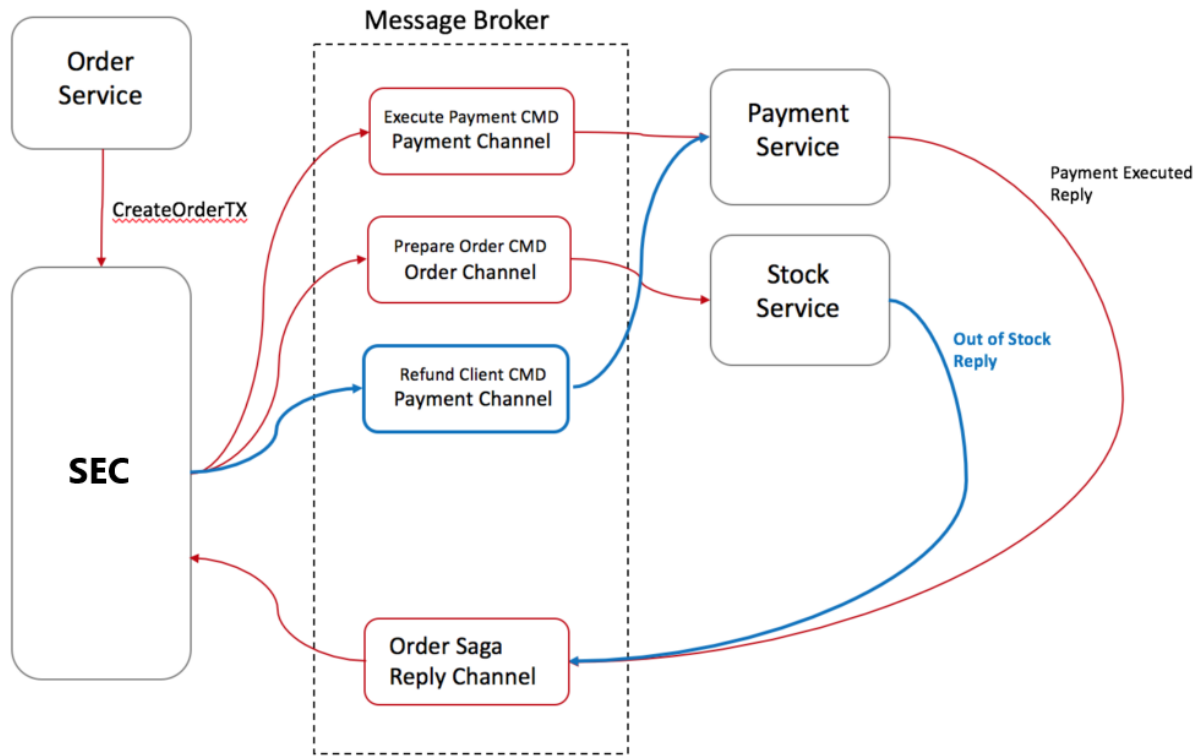
saga – a sequence of local transaction

Saga Pattern

The master process called “**Saga Execution Coordinator**” or SEC.

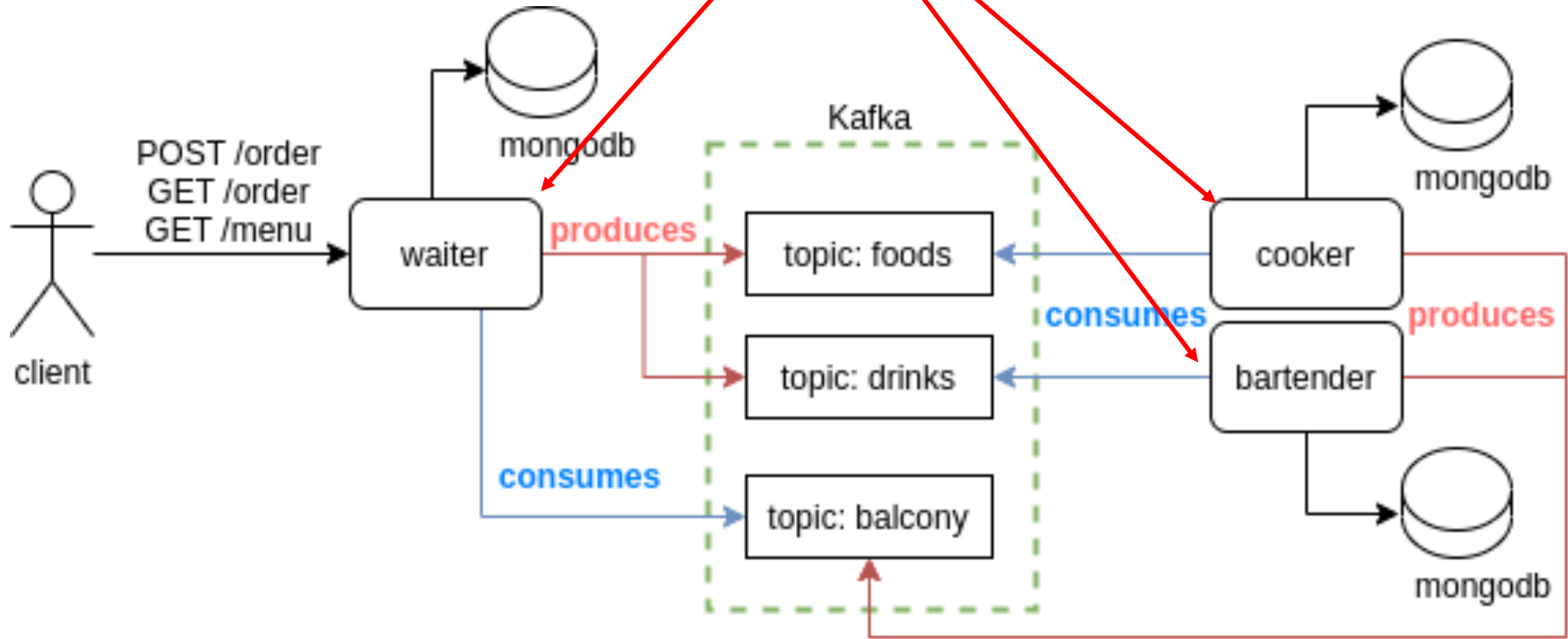
- two ways to achieve sagas
 - Choreography : each local transaction publishes domain events that trigger local transactions in other services.
 - Orchestration : an orchestrator (object) tells the participants what local transactions to execute.

Orchestration



Example

3 personas



<https://github.com/victoramsantos/saga-pattern-example>

Other examples and platforms



Eventuate example microservices applications

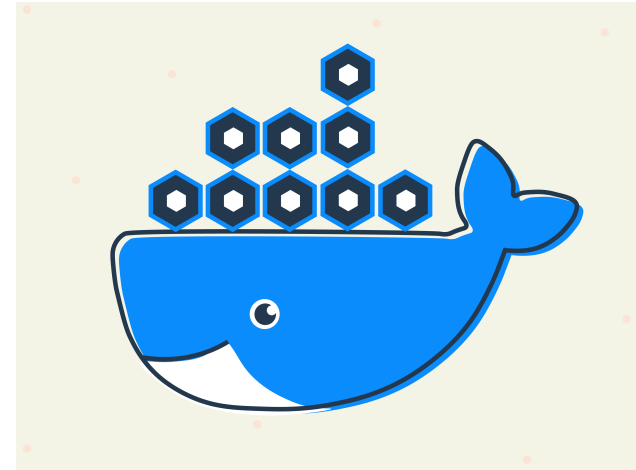
Eventuate™ is a platform that solves the distributed data management problems inherent in the microservice architecture.

Eventuate™ consists of two frameworks:

- [Eventuate Tram](#) for microservices that use traditional JDBC/JPA-based persistence.
- [Eventuate Local](#) for microservices that use [Event Sourcing](#).

How are services packaged and deployed?

- Container
- Serverless deployment
- Platform as a Service (PaaS)



kubernetes

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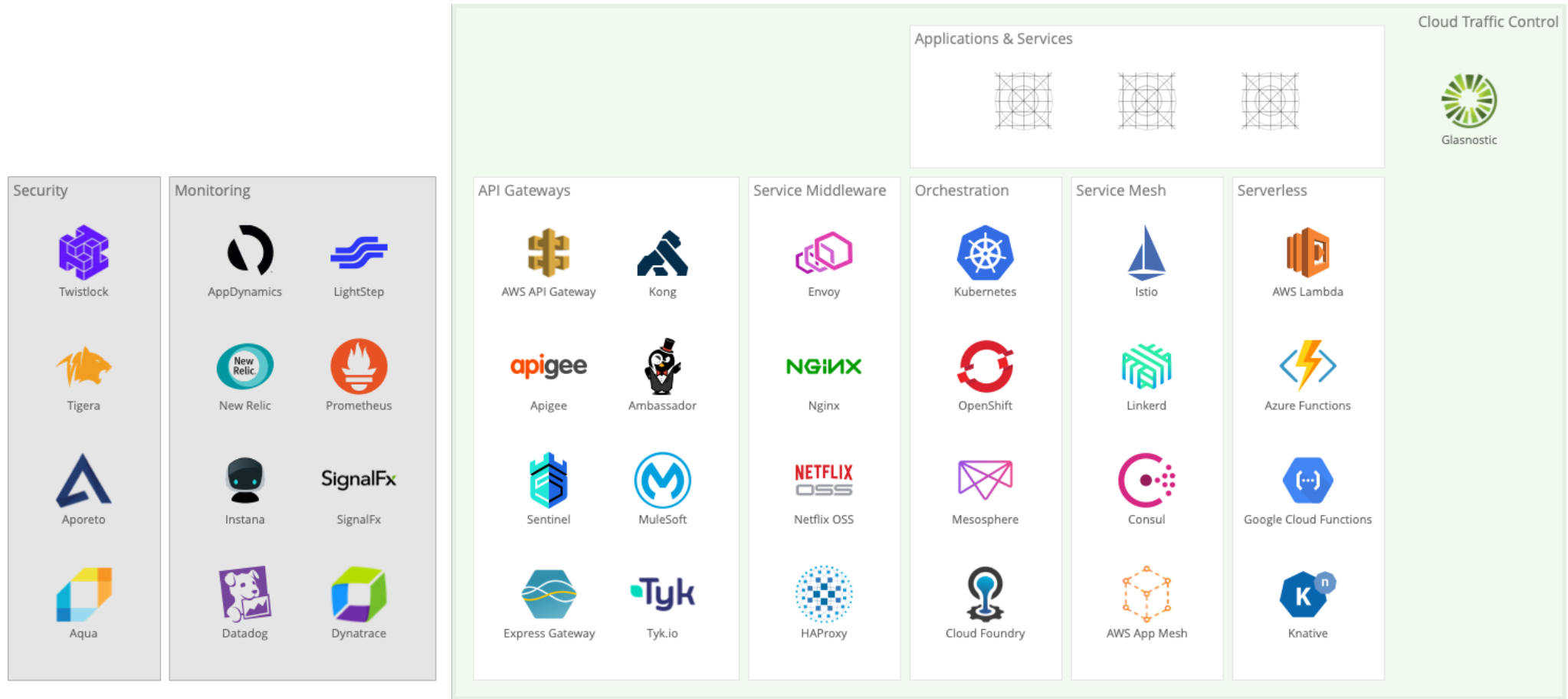
AWS Elastic Beanstalk

Easy to begin, Impossible to outgrow

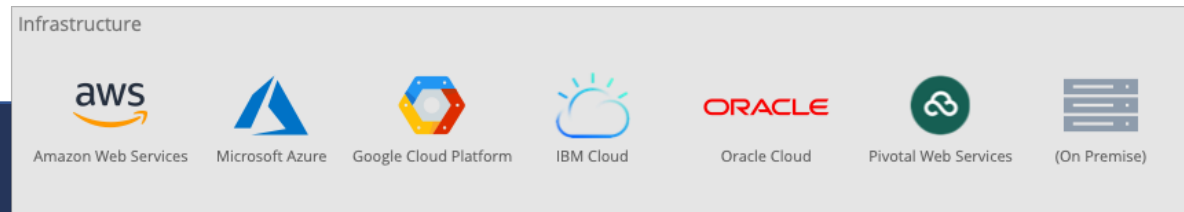


AWS Lambda

The 2019 Microservices Ecosystem



<https://glasnostic.com/blog/the-2019-microservices-ecosystem>



Technology Stacks

Awesome Microservices

A curated list of Microservice Architecture related principles and technologies.

<https://github.com/mfornos/awesome-microservices>

Discussion of Microservices

- Are they really “new”?
- Do microservices solve problems, or push them down the line?
- What are the impacts of the added flexibility?
- Beware “cargo cult”
- “If you can’t build a well-structured monolith, what makes you think microservices is the answer?” – Simon Brown
- Leads to more API design decisions

