



# *Faster, Cheaper, Safer*

*Secure Microservice Architectures using Docker*

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*Key Goals of the CIO?*  
*Align IT with the business*  
*Develop products faster*  
*Try not to get breached*

# Security Blanket Failure



*Insecure applications  
hidden behind firewalls  
make you feel safe until  
the breach happens...*

*What needs to  
change?*

*Developer responsibilities:  
Faster, cheaper, safer*

# *Faster - Agile*

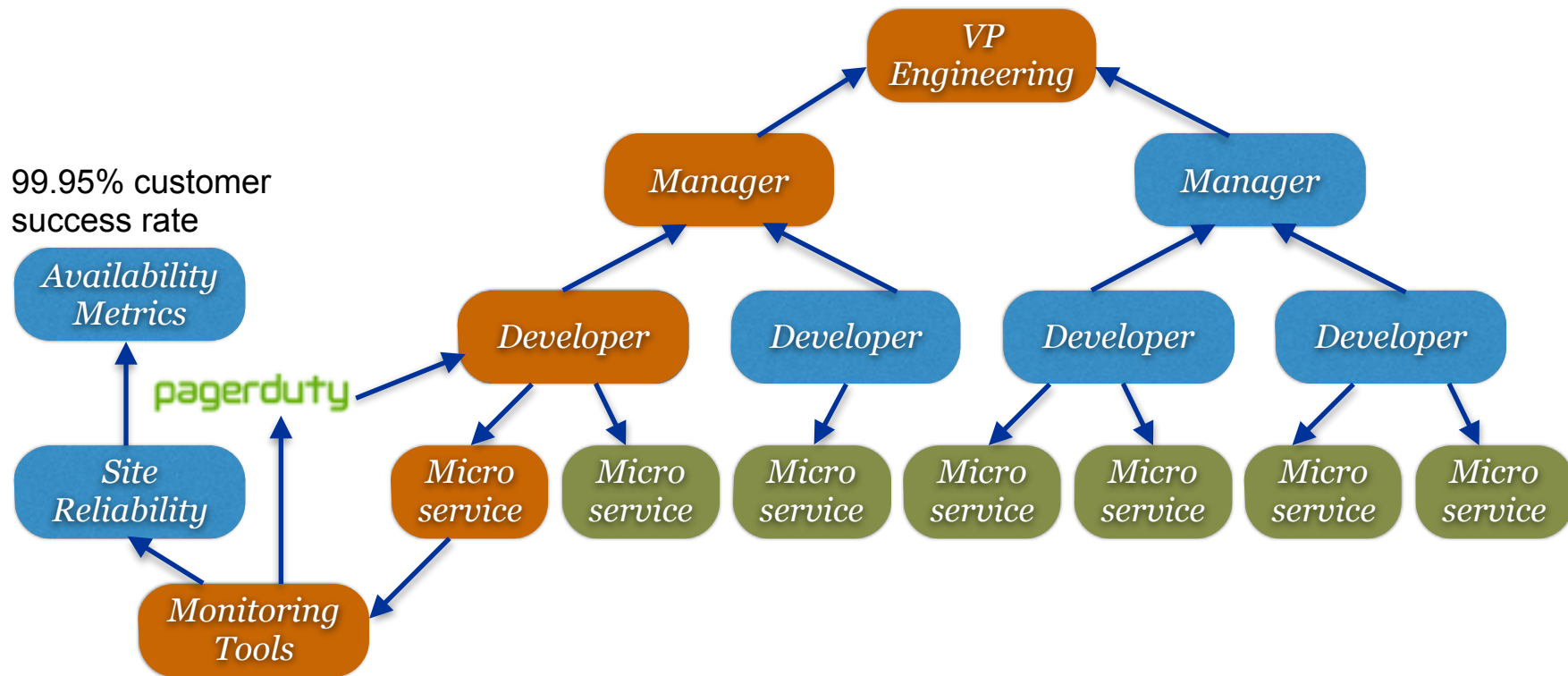
*“You build it, you  
run it.”*

*Werner Vogels 2006*

*DevOps*  
*Continuous Delivery*  
*No meetings, no tickets*  
*Self service tools and APIs*



# Run What You Wrote



# INNOVATION

Land grab opportunity

Competitive Move

Measure Customers

Customer Pain Point

Observe

Launch AB Test

Automatic Deploy

Incremental Features

Act

Continuous Delivery

Orient

Analysis

# BIG DATA

Model Hypotheses

Decide

Plan Response

Share Plans

JFDI

# CULTURE

# CLOUD

# Low Cost of Change Using Docker



## Developers

- Compile/Build
- Seconds



## Extend container

- Package dependencies
- Seconds



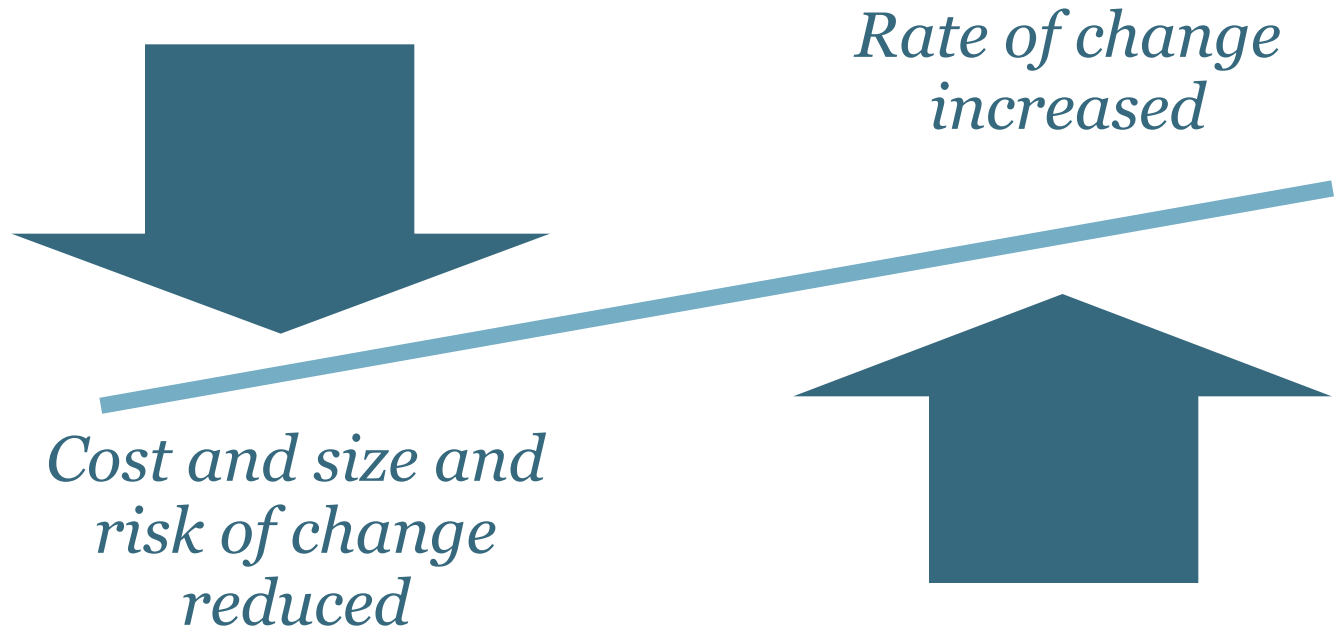
## PaaS deploy Container

- Docker startup
- Seconds

► *Fast tooling supports continuous delivery of many tiny changes*

*Change One  
Thing at a Time!*

# What Happened?



# *Cheaper - Lean*

*“Freedom and  
responsibility”*

*Reed Hastings 2009*

*Fail early and often*  
*Instrument everything*  
*Hypothesis driven development*  
*Efficient and autoscaled*



*Efficiency Gains:  
Virtualization consolidates CPUs  
Docker consolidates CPU and RAM*

*With Docker a test environment should only exist for the few seconds it takes to run a test*

*Autoscale production to consume  
just the resources you need,  
by the second*

# *Safer - Rugged*

# *“Developer Defined Infrastructure”*

*Jerry Chen 2015*

*What can developers do  
about the threats?*

# *External Threats*

*Build using penetration test tools*  
*Manage image supply chain*  
*Hardened immutable services*  
*Service roles and security groups*

# *Internal Threats*

*Assume employees are compromised*  
*User roles, minimum privilege*  
*Audit logs for everything*  
*Encrypt data at rest*



# *Patterns and practices*

# In Production



**GILT**



Spotify™

**GROUPON**



<https://www.docker.com/resources/usecases/>

*and many more....*

# *Patterns and practices*

# Best Practices



<https://blog.docker.com/2015/05/understanding-docker-security-and-best-practices/>

*Immutable deployments*  
*Automated penetration testing*  
*Role based identity and access*  
*Trusted container supply chain*  
*Continuous audit*

# *Workloads*

# Need for Speed



*CPU and IO Intensive workloads  
Hadoop, streaming, datastores  
Bare metal for efficiency  
Well isolated for security*

# Cutting the Cost



*Many similar containers per VM  
Saving on RAM, oversubscribe CPU  
Deploy with Swarm, Mesos, ECS, GKE  
VM based single tenant security*



# Playing it Safe



*One critical container per VM  
Extra security for exposed services  
Deploy as immutable VM image  
Docker adds to VM security*

# Tooling for Docker



Google Cloud Platform



APCERA



CLOUD  
FOUNDRY™



*and many more....*

# *Docker in Production*

*2014 - DIY frameworks*

*2015 - Hardening and best practices*

*2016 - Mature production tooling*

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