

# DEPLOYMENTS!

WHAT COULD POSSIBLY GO WRONG?

A LOT!

DUH.



When I \_\_\_\_\_ ... I do it in production.





When I **deploy to prod**... I do it in production.



# CANARY DEPLOYS

WITH KUBERNETES AND ISTIO







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"ISTIO IS A VERY EARLY PROJECT.  
DON'T RUN OUT OF HERE AND  
DEPLOY IT IN PRODUCTION; YOU'LL BE  
ON THE NEWS."

- KELSEY HIGHTOWER (FEB 22, 2018)



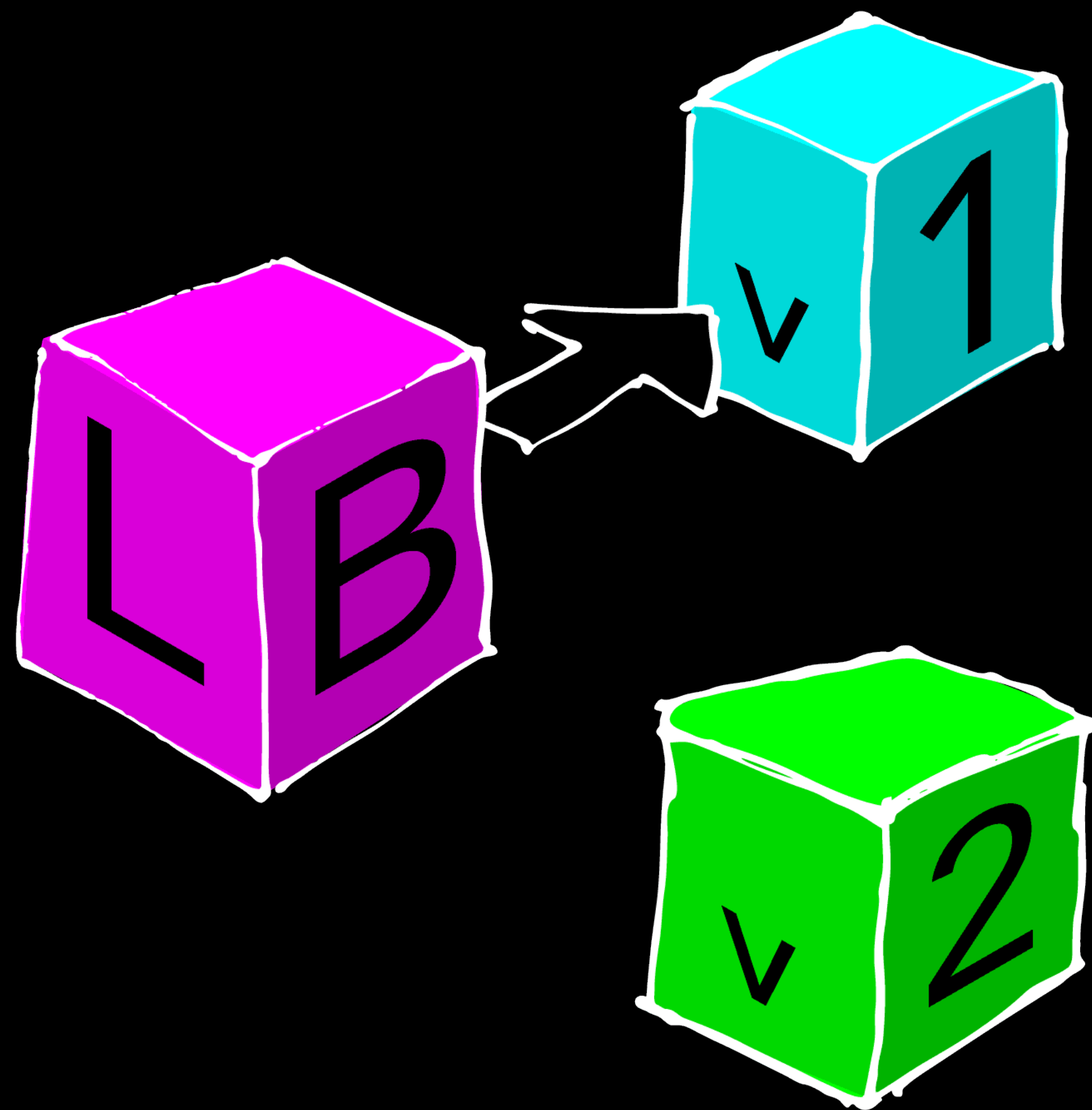
"ISTIO IS 1.0 AND APIS ARE STABLE.<sup>-ish</sup>  
GO TRY IT OUT!"

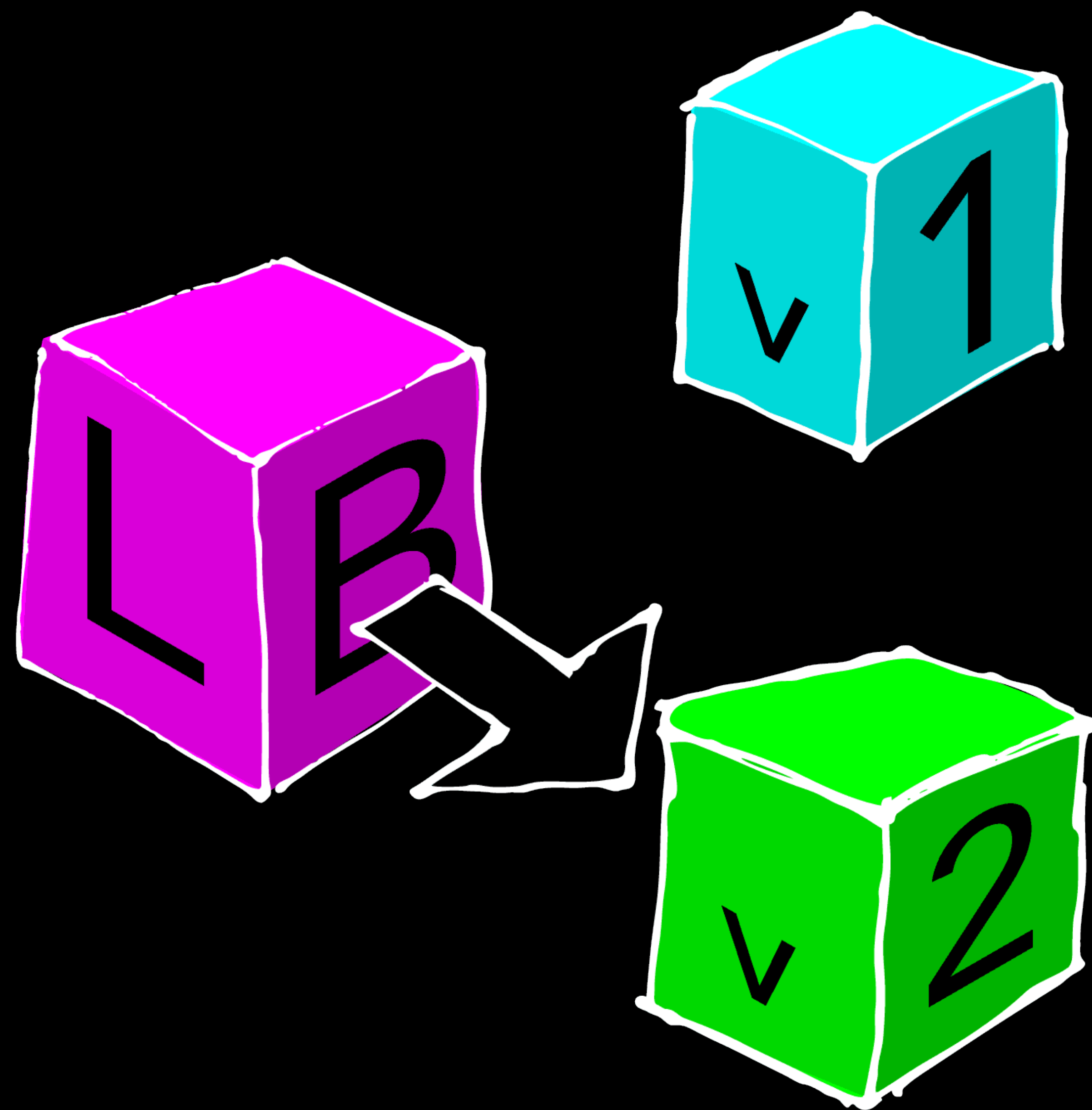
- **NOT** KELSEY HIGHTOWER (OCT 3, 2018)



# BLUE-GREEN DEPLOYMENTS







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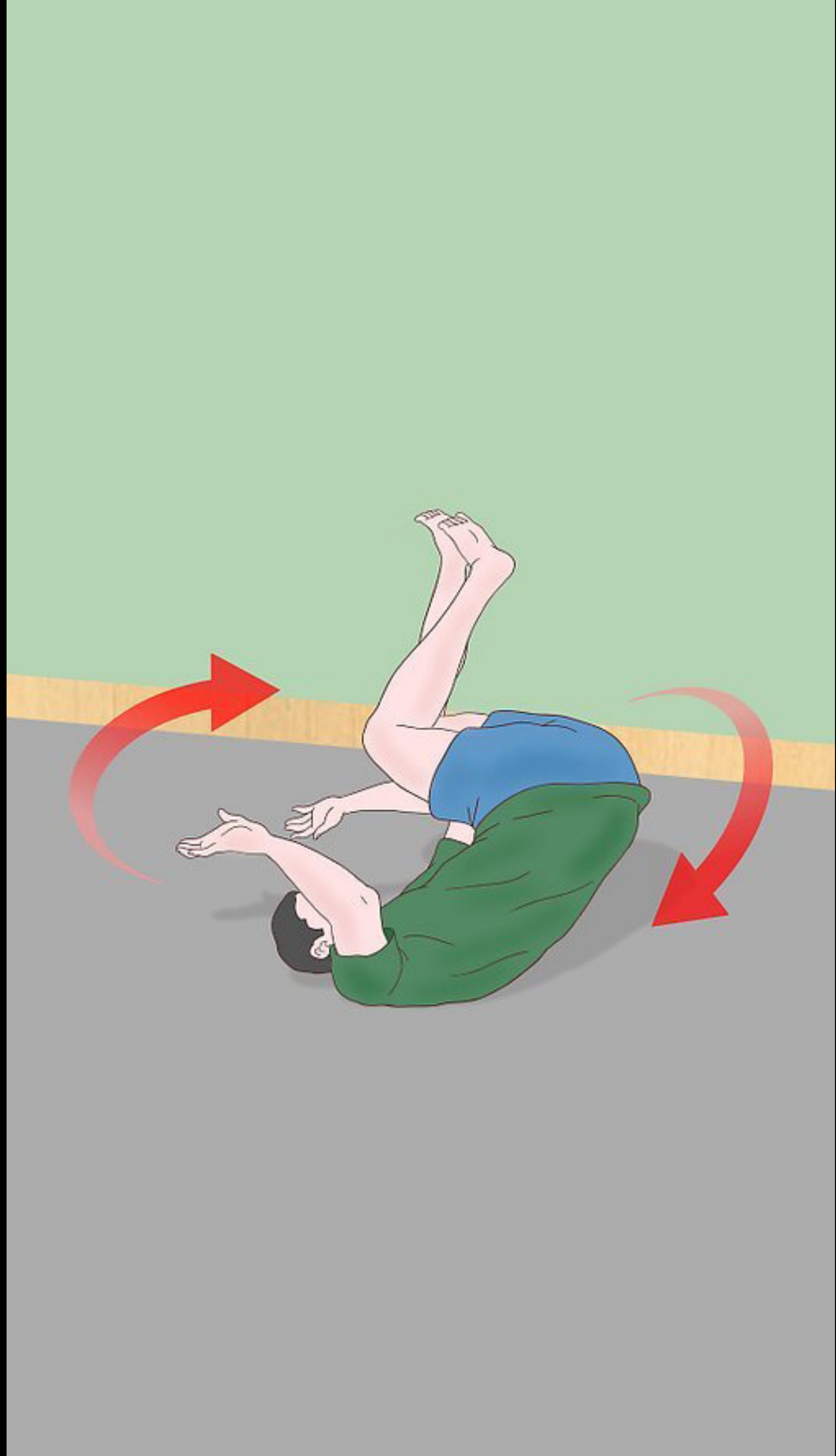
- Pros:
  - Zero-downtime deploys
  - Easy rollbacks



CTRL+Z

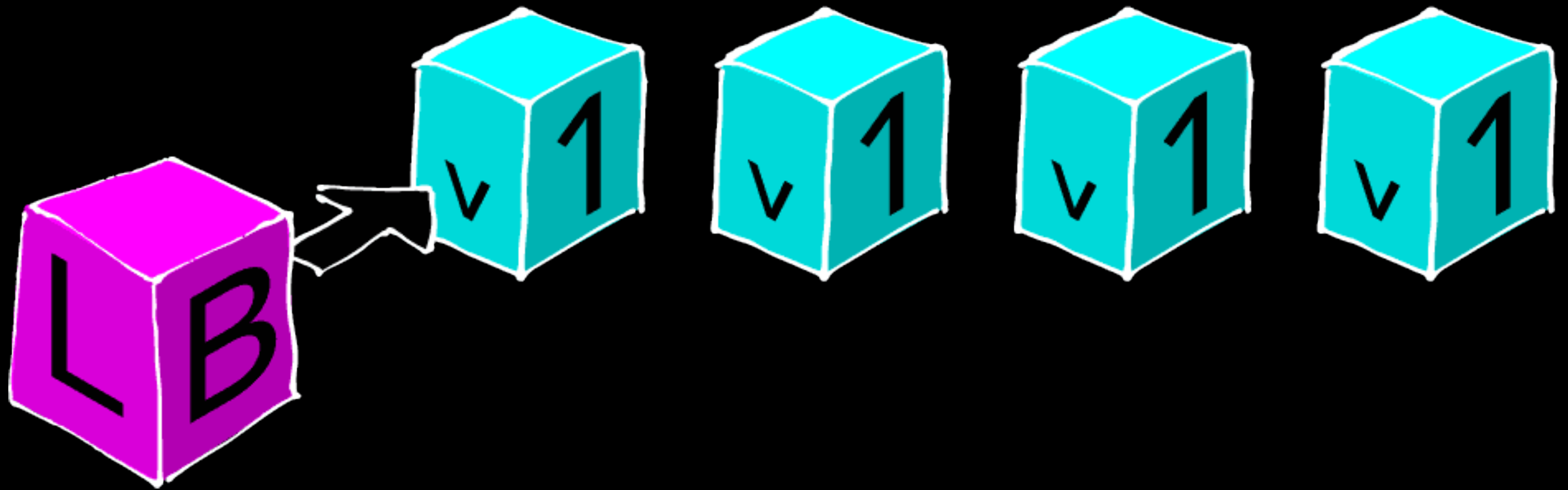
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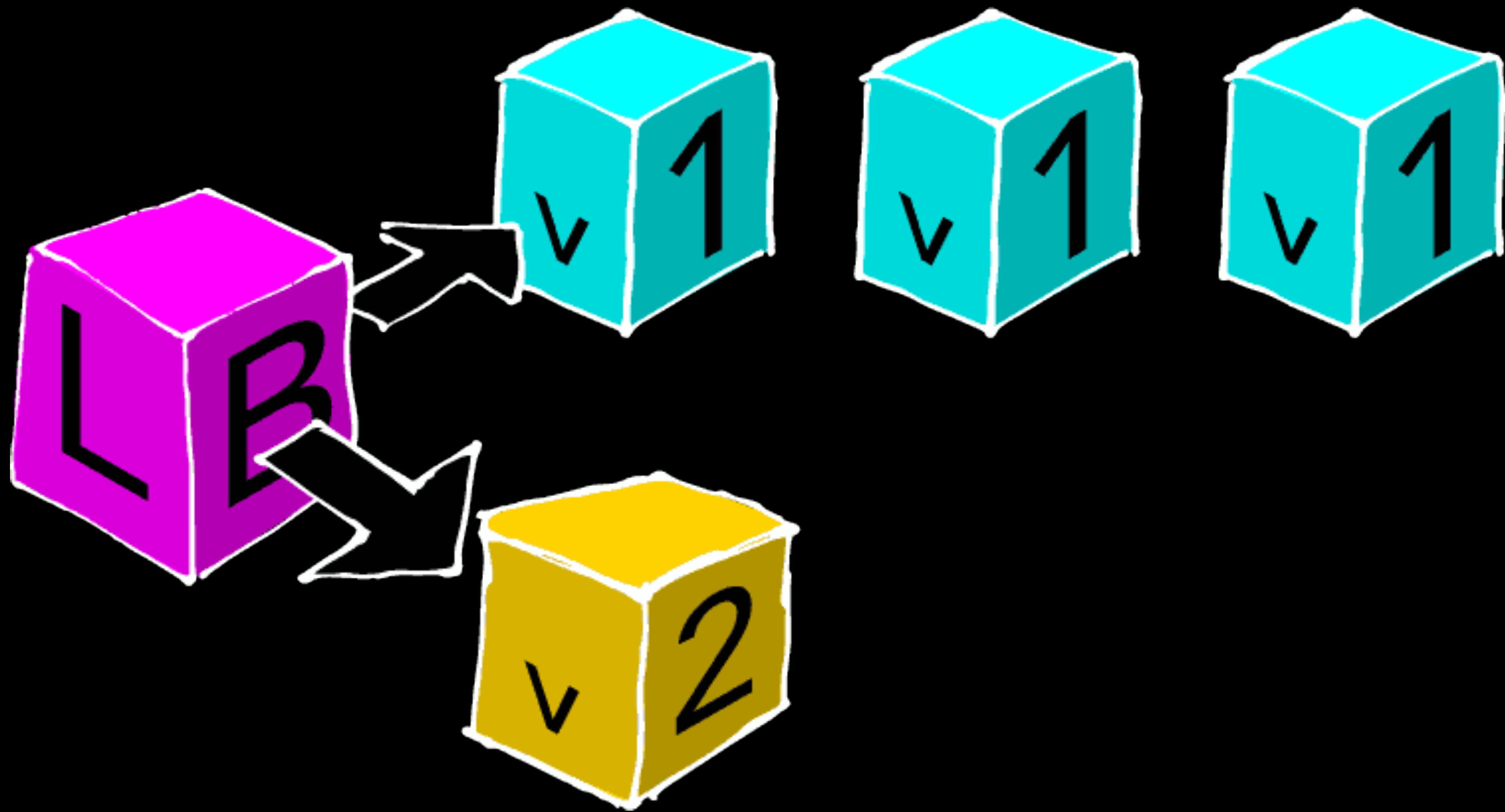
- Cons:
  - 🙌 Easy 🙌 rollbacks... 🙌 😬

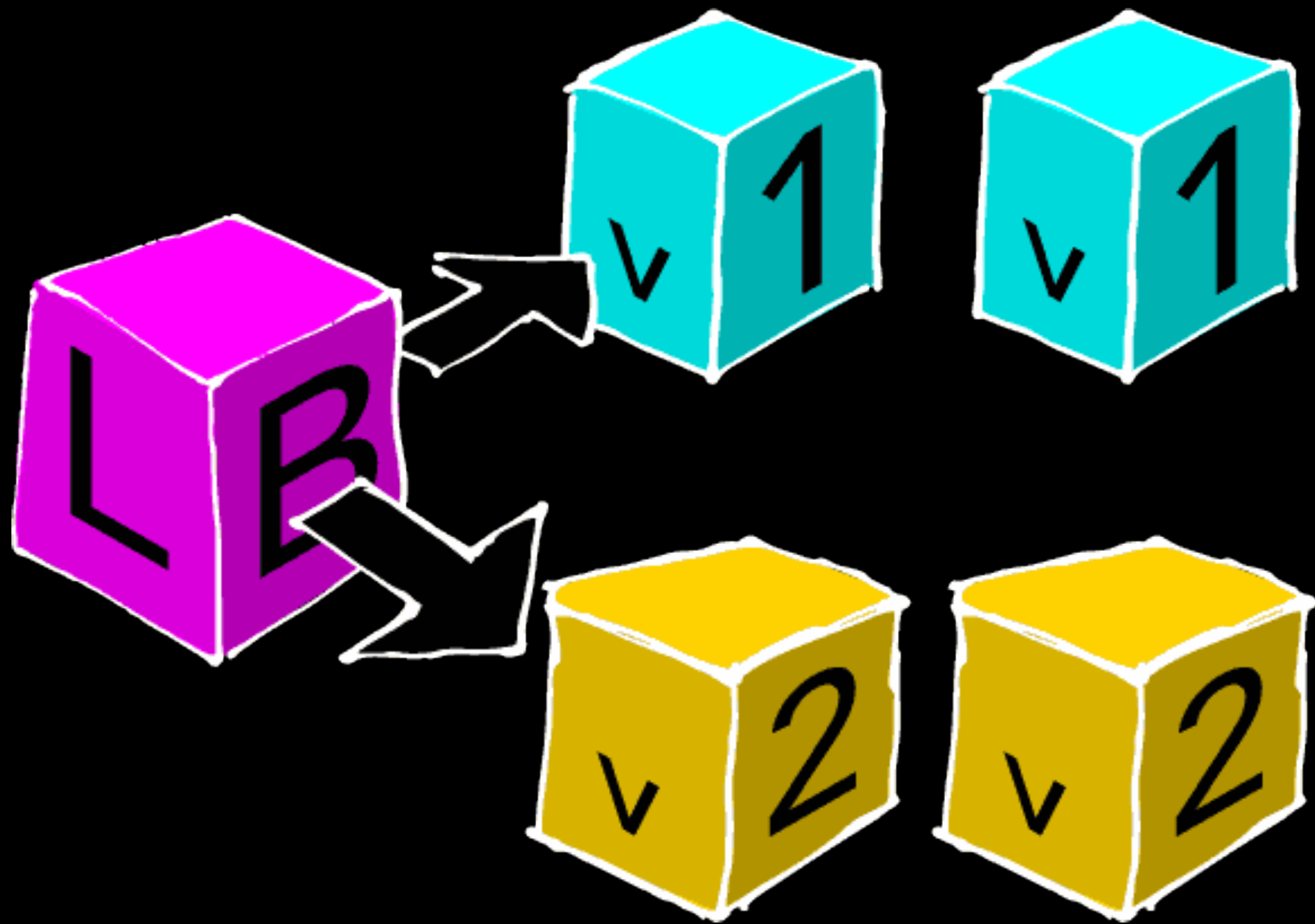


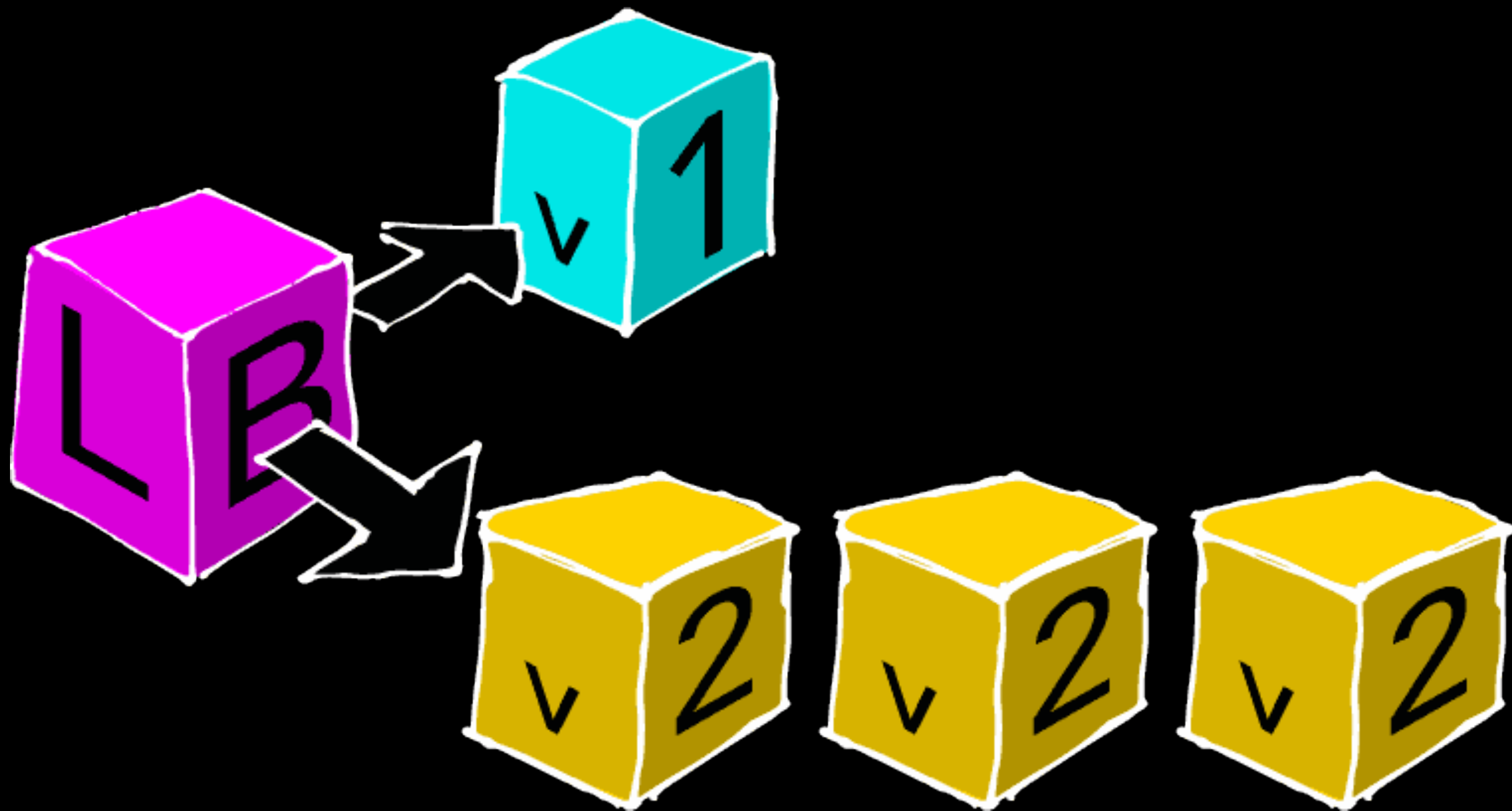
# ROLLING DEPLOYMENTS

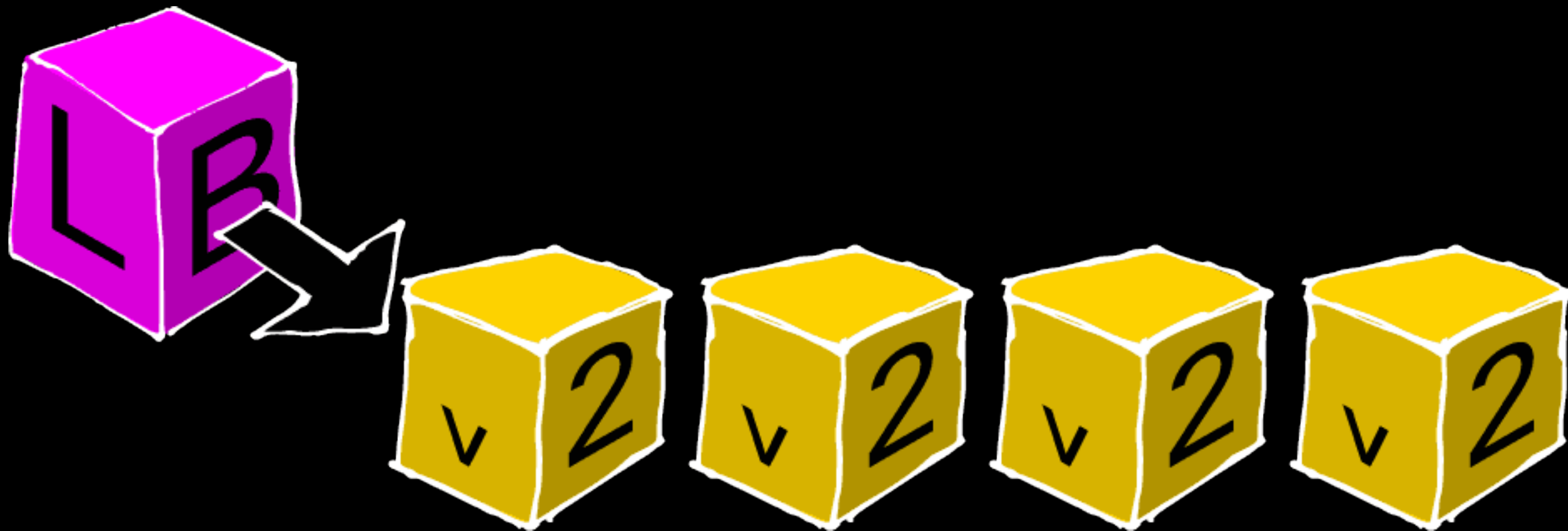




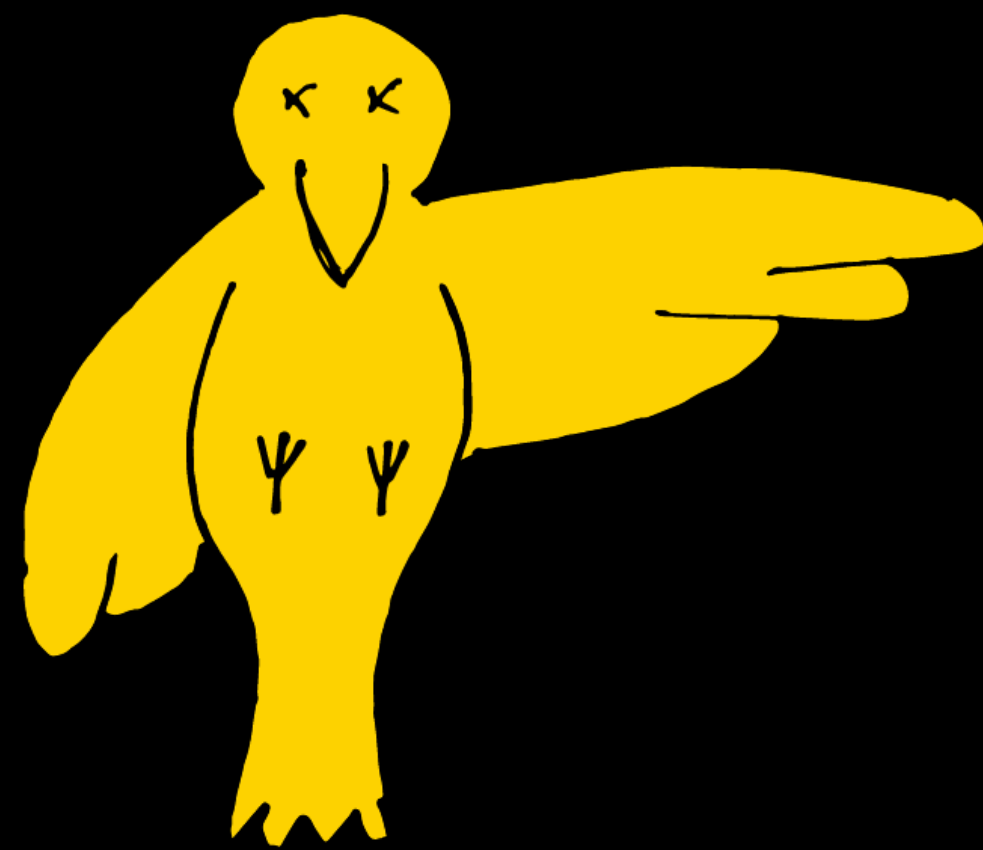












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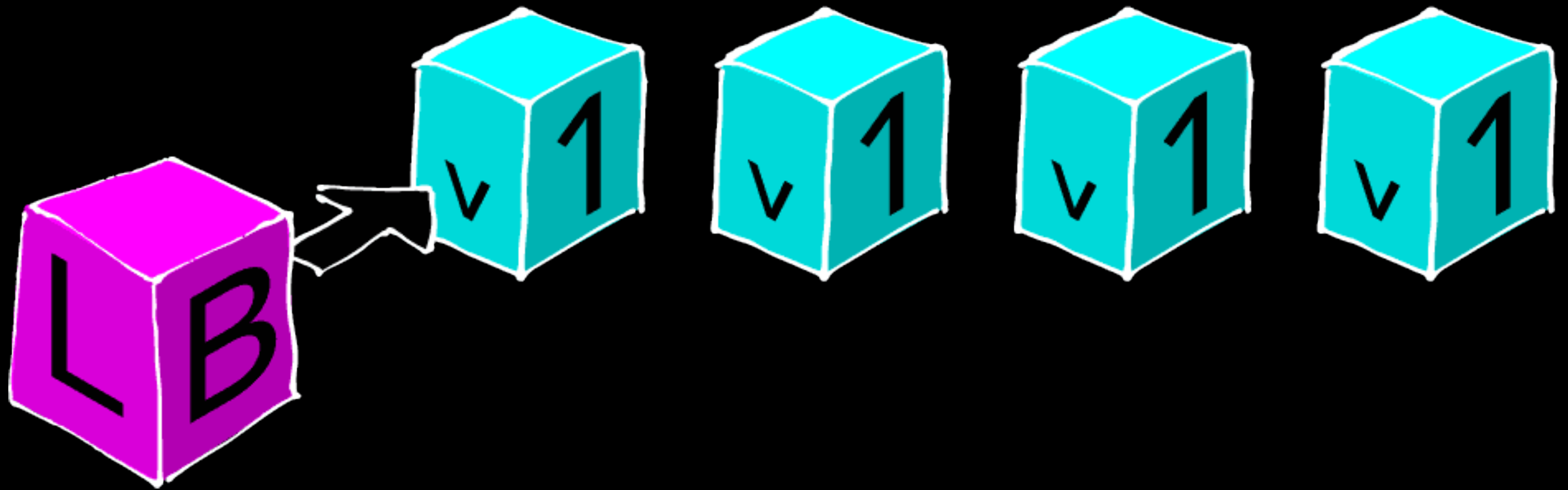


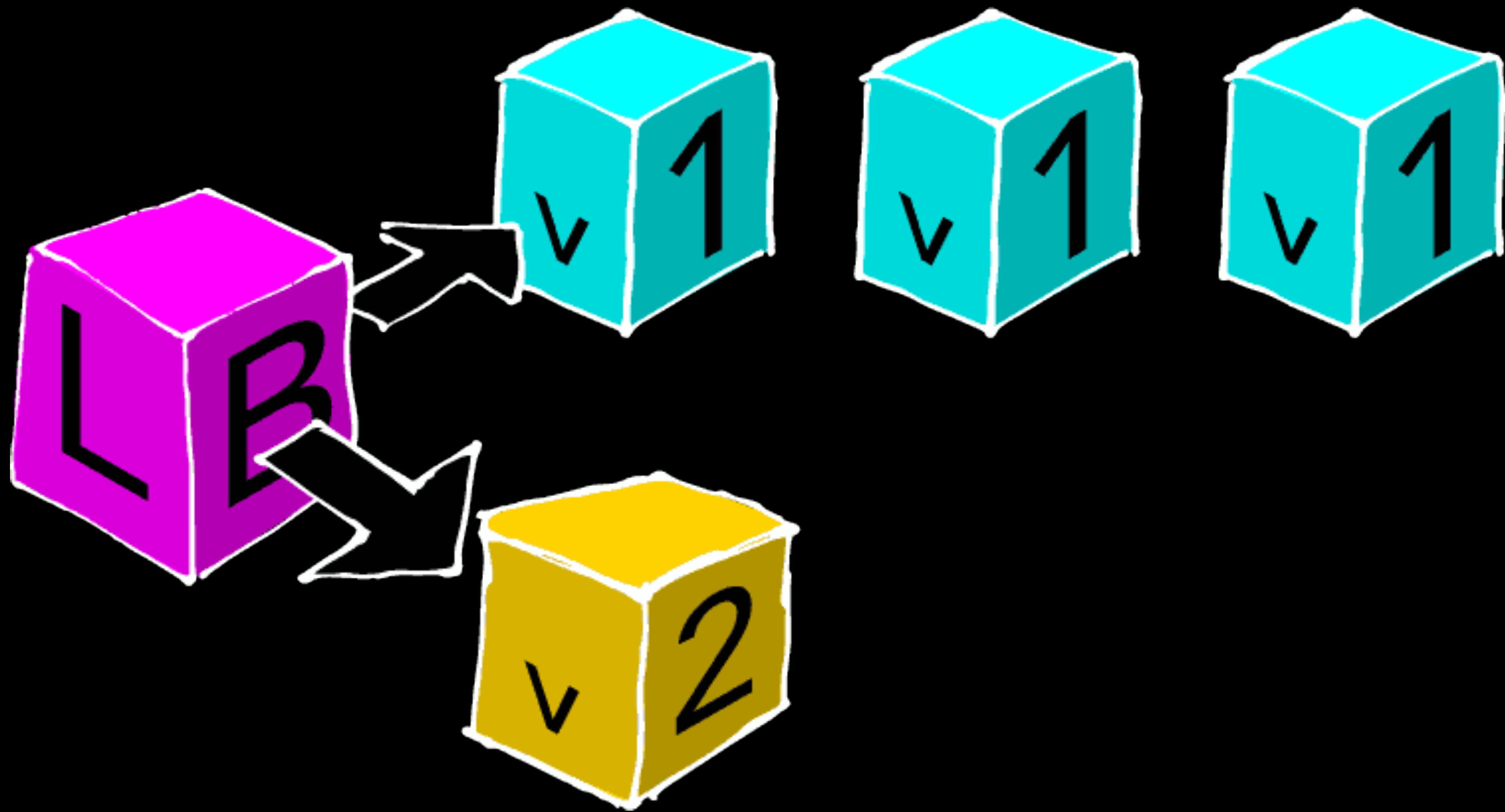


or



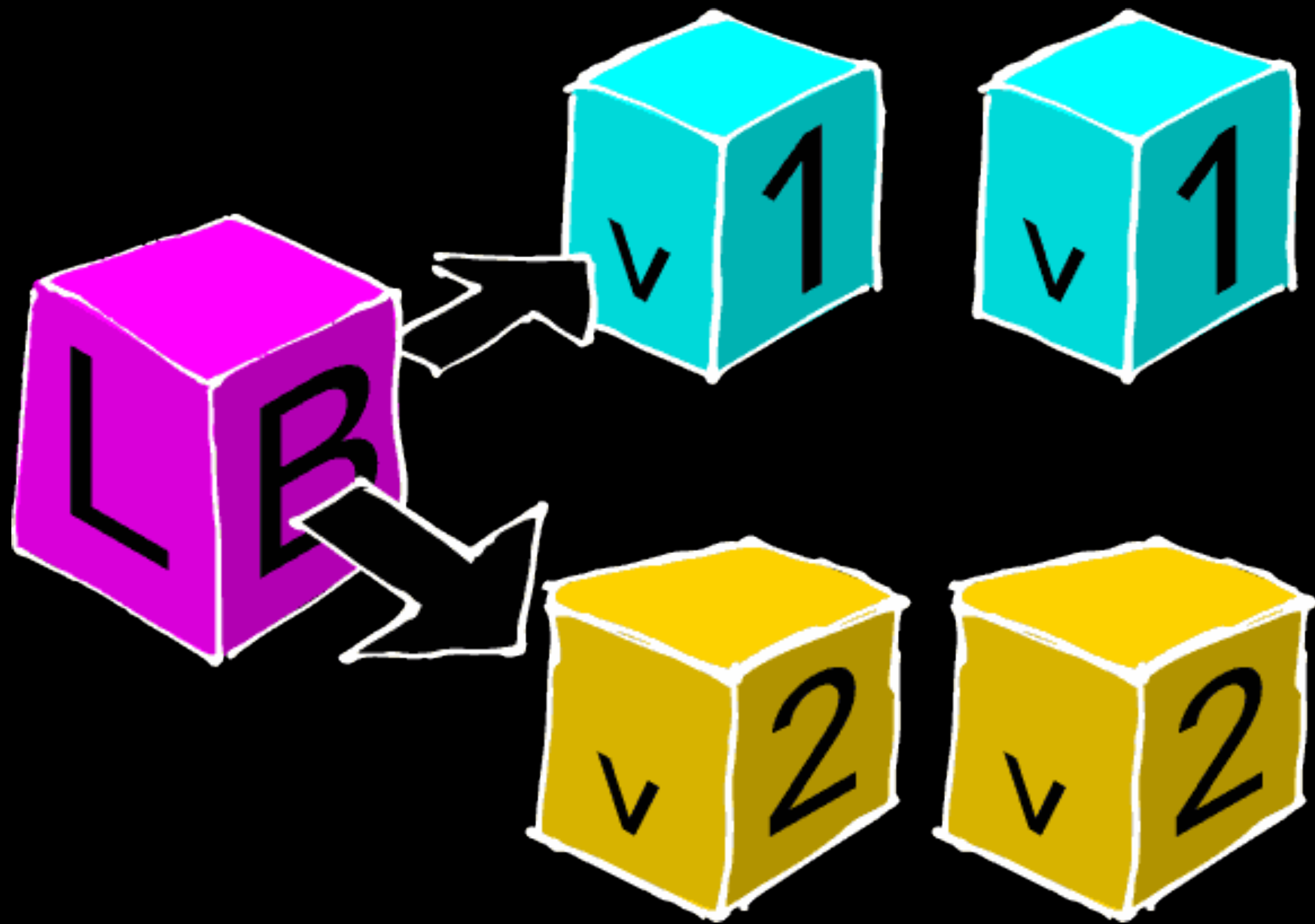




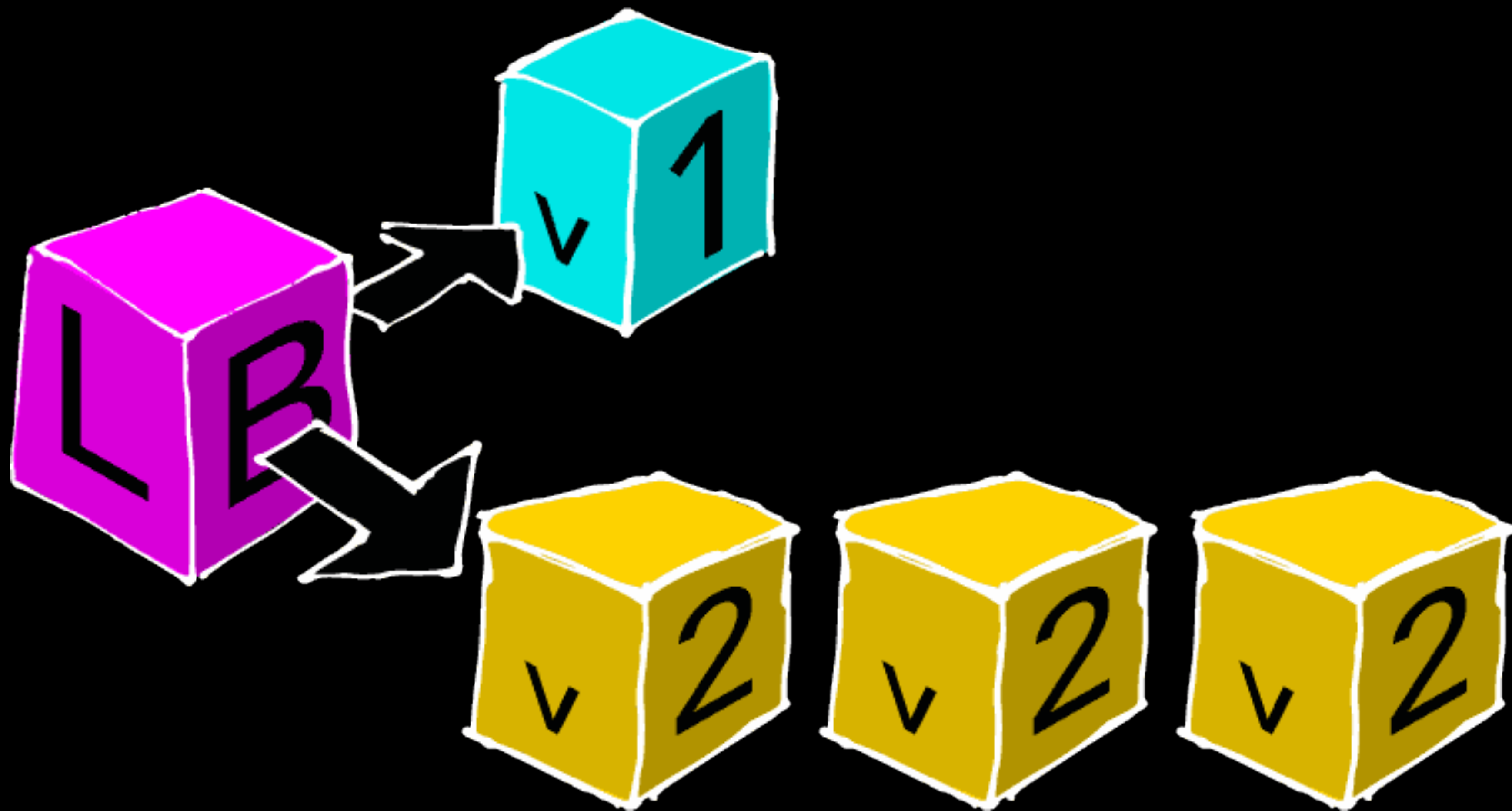


PAUSE. MONITOR.



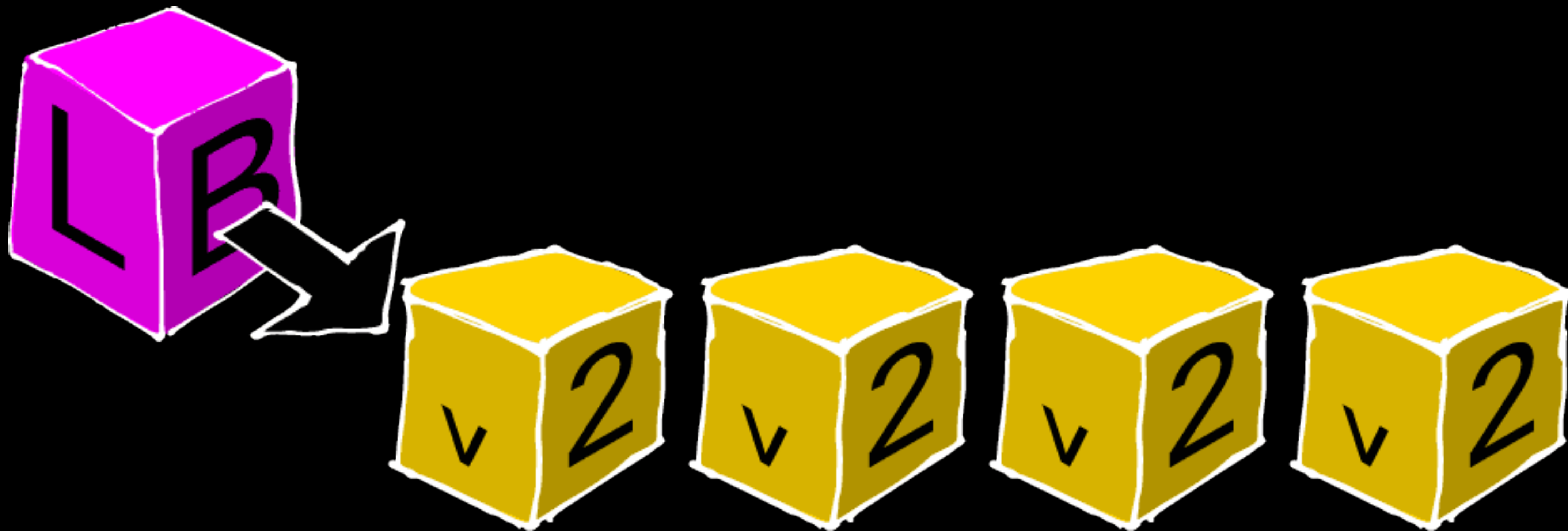


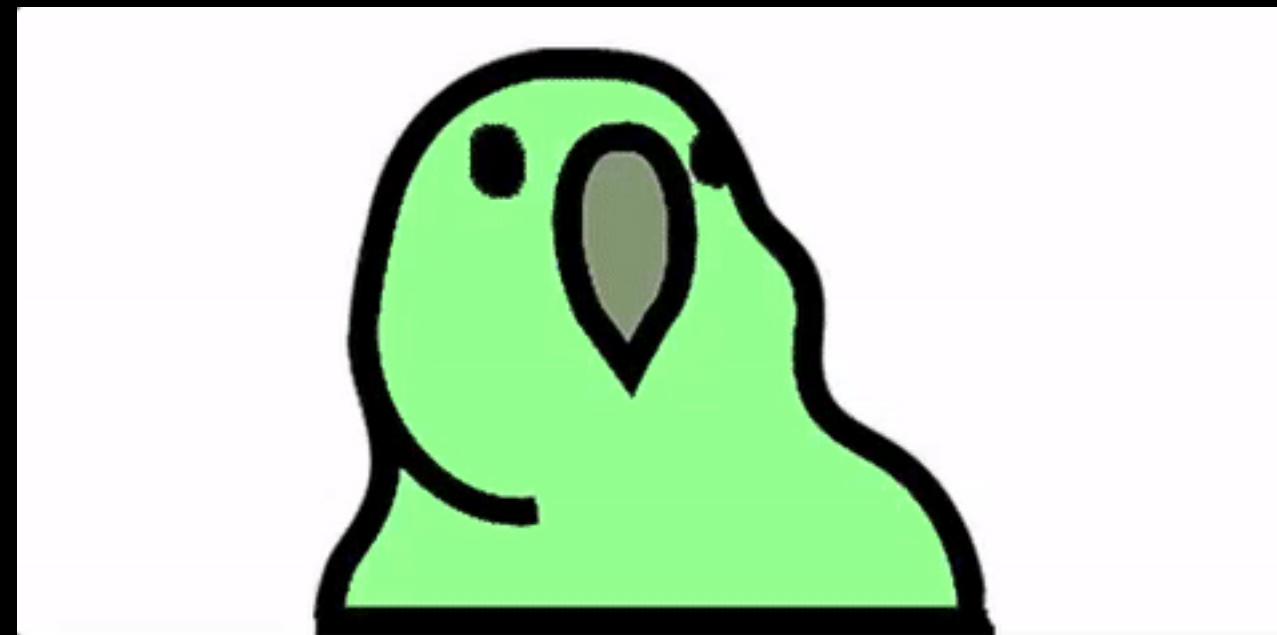
DOUBLE CHECK.



MAYBE ONE MORE TIME,  
JUST TO BE CERTAIN.







PARTY!

# CANARY DEPLOYMENTS

- **Small scope**



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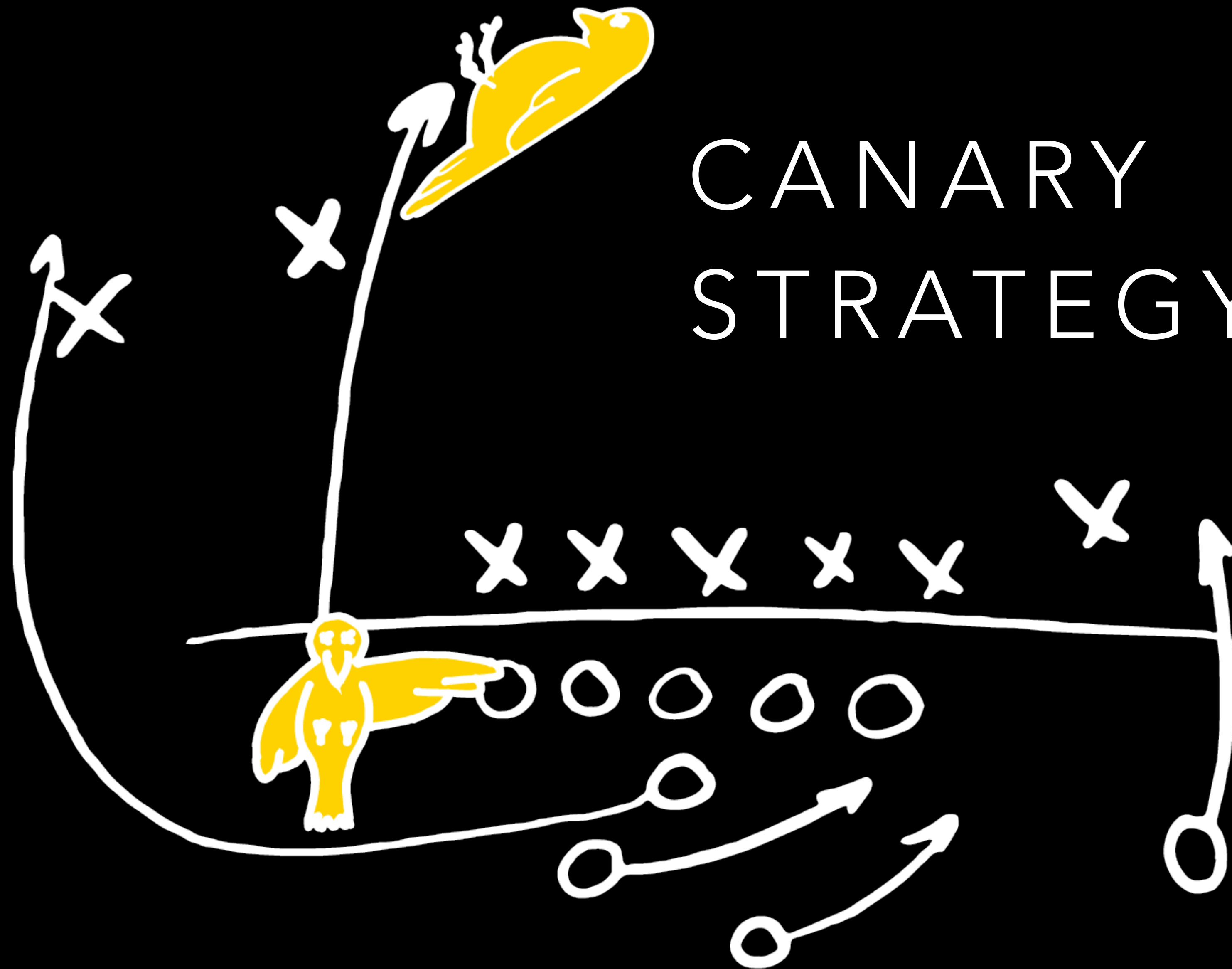
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# CANARY DEPLOYMENTS

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- Load tolerant
- **Concurrency**



# CANARY STRATEGY



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How do you choose your sample set?

- **Random**

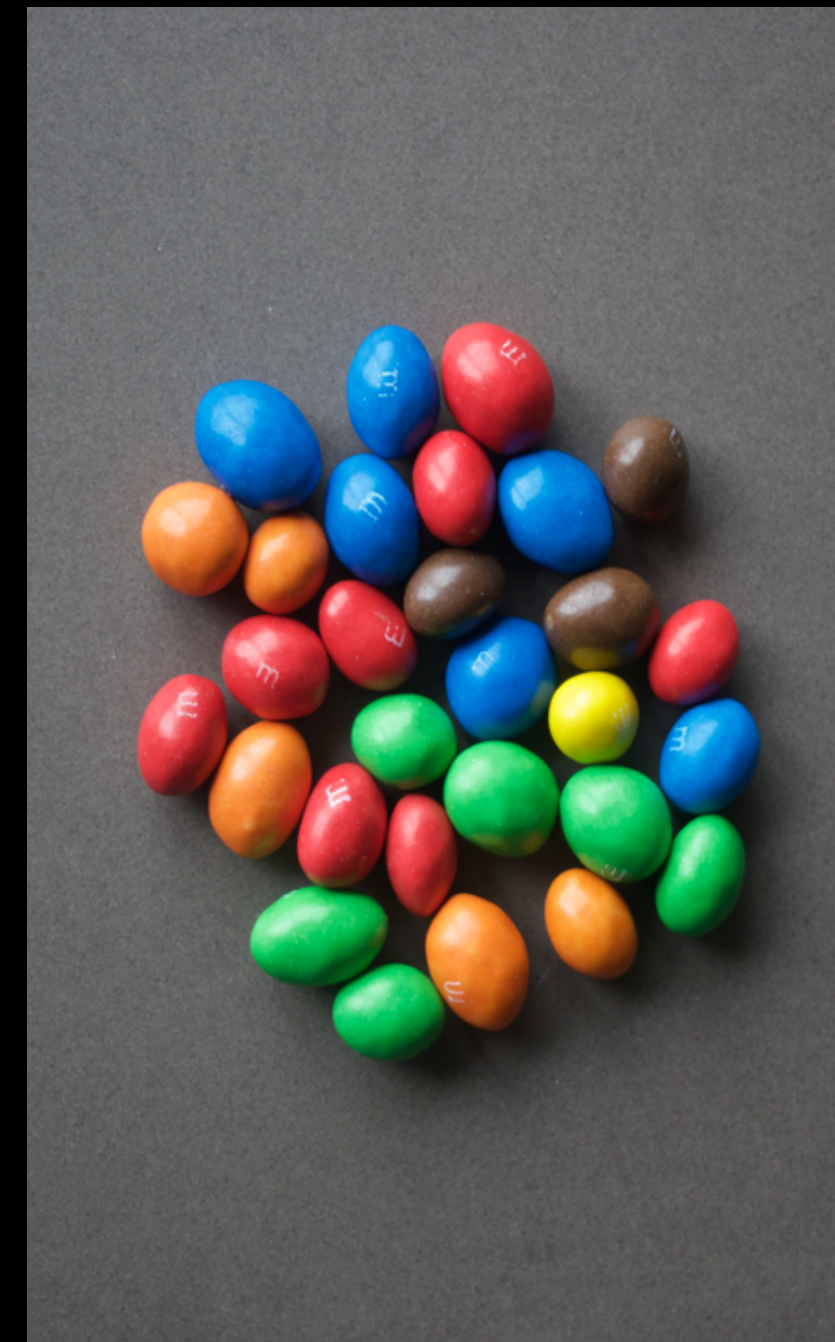




# CANARY STRATEGY

How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- **Representative**





# CANARY STRATEGY

How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- Representative
  - **Geography**

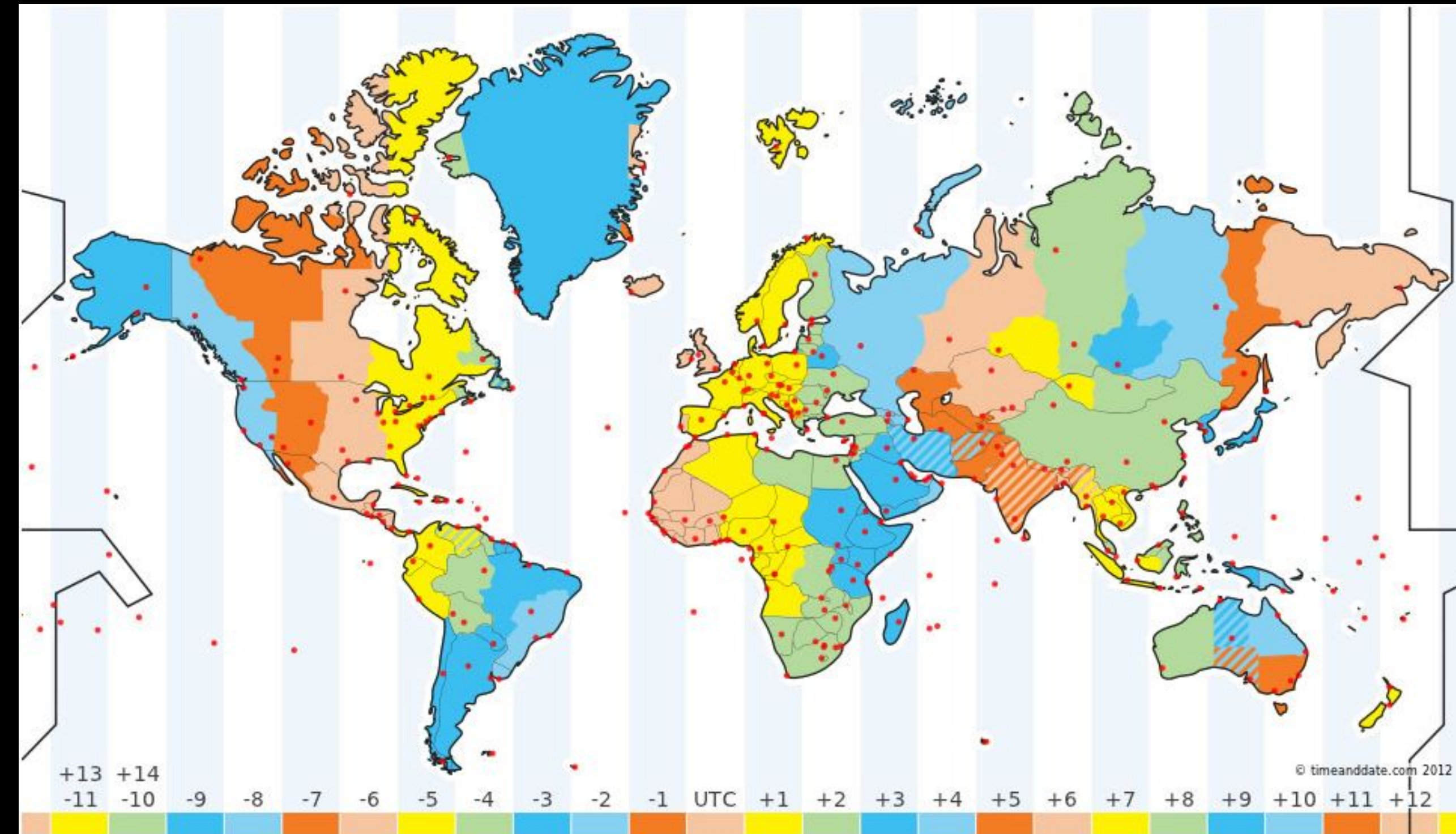




# CANARY STRATEGY

How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- Representative
  - Geography
  - **Time**



# CANARY STRATEGY

How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- Representative
  - Geography
  - Time
  - **Use patterns**





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How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- Representative
  - Geography
  - Time
  - Use patterns
- **Granularity**

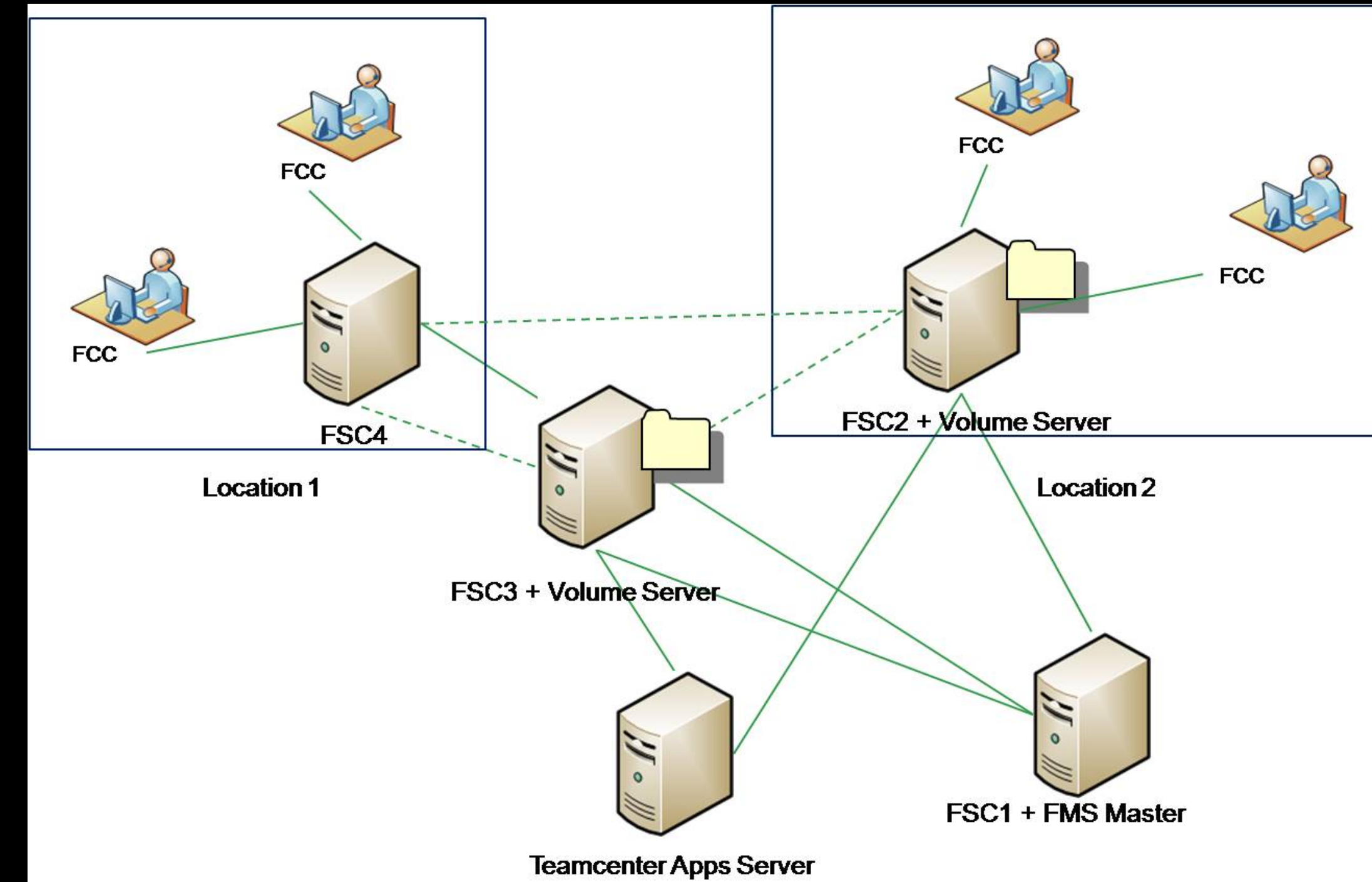




# CANARY STRATEGY

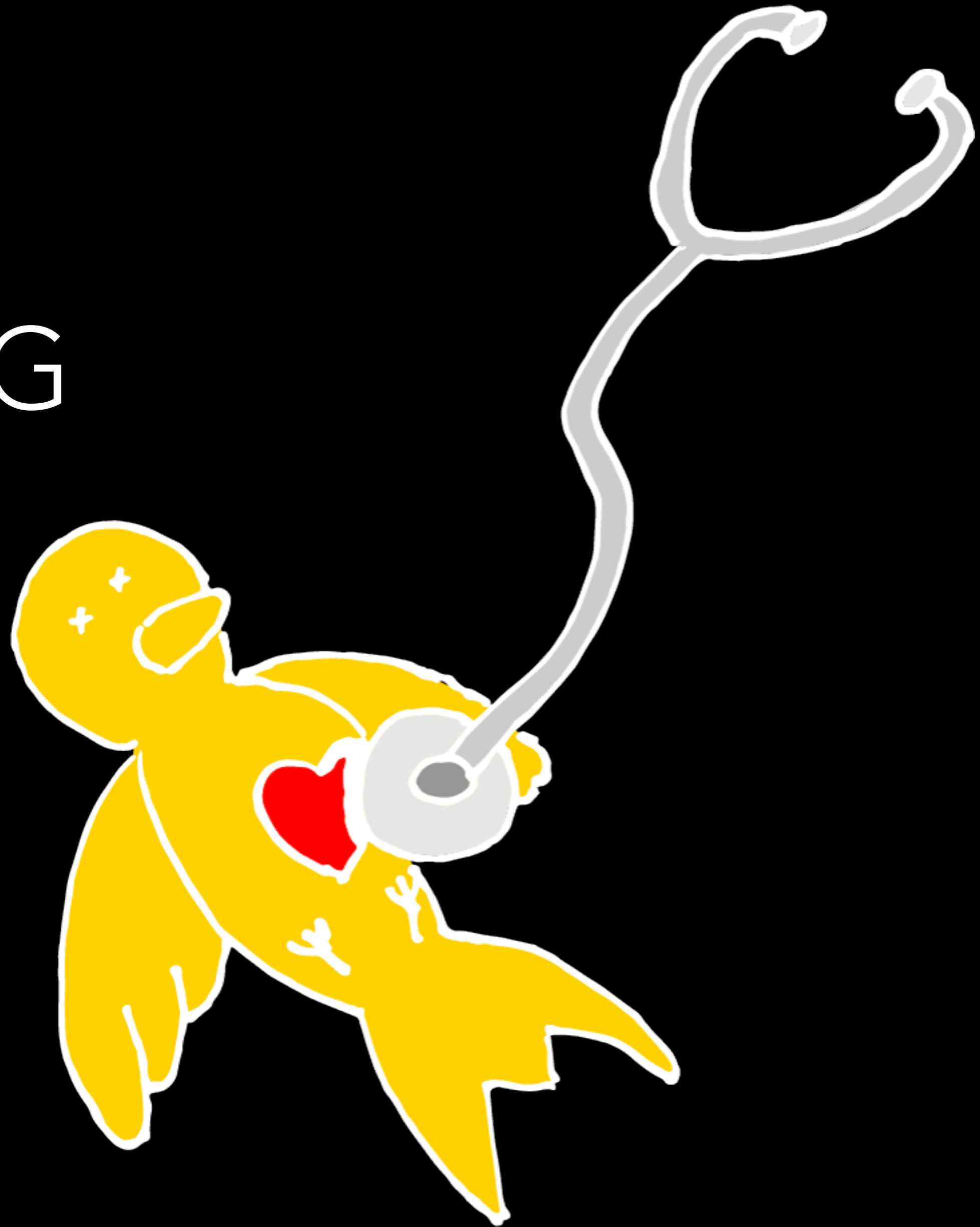
How do you choose your sample set?

- Random
- Representative
  - Geography
  - Time
  - Use patterns
- Granularity
- **Resource mapping**





# MONITORING STRATEGY



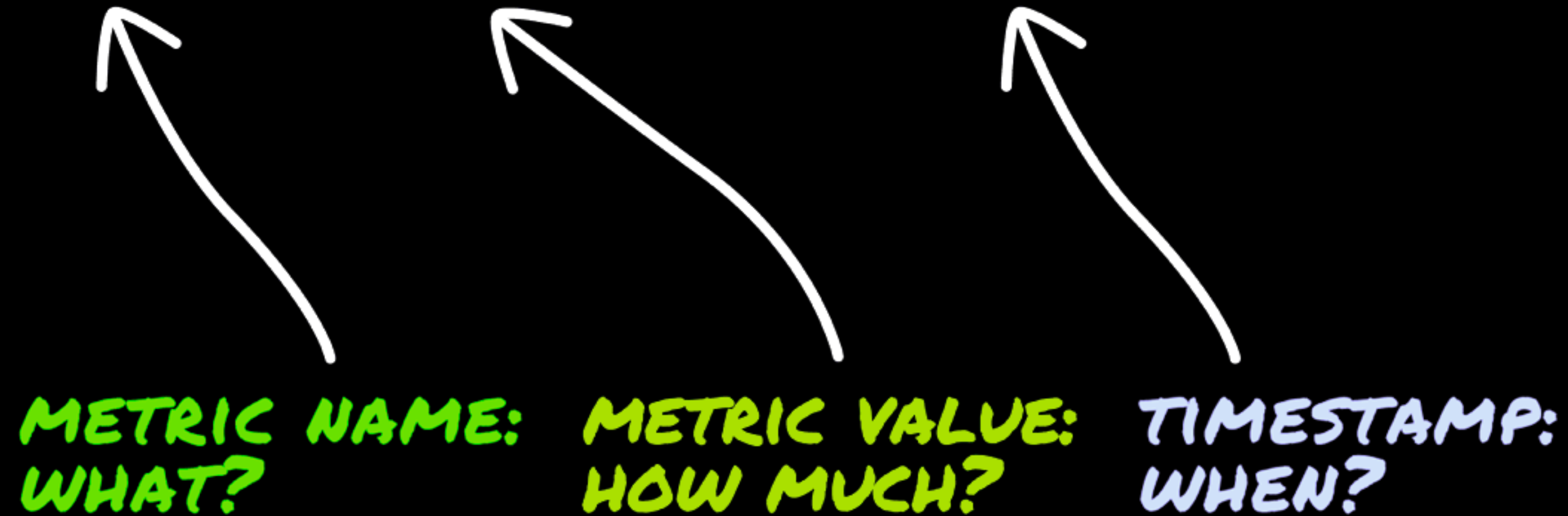
# MONITORING STRATEGY

How do you evaluate your deployment?

- **Tags! Tags! Tags! Tags! Tags!**

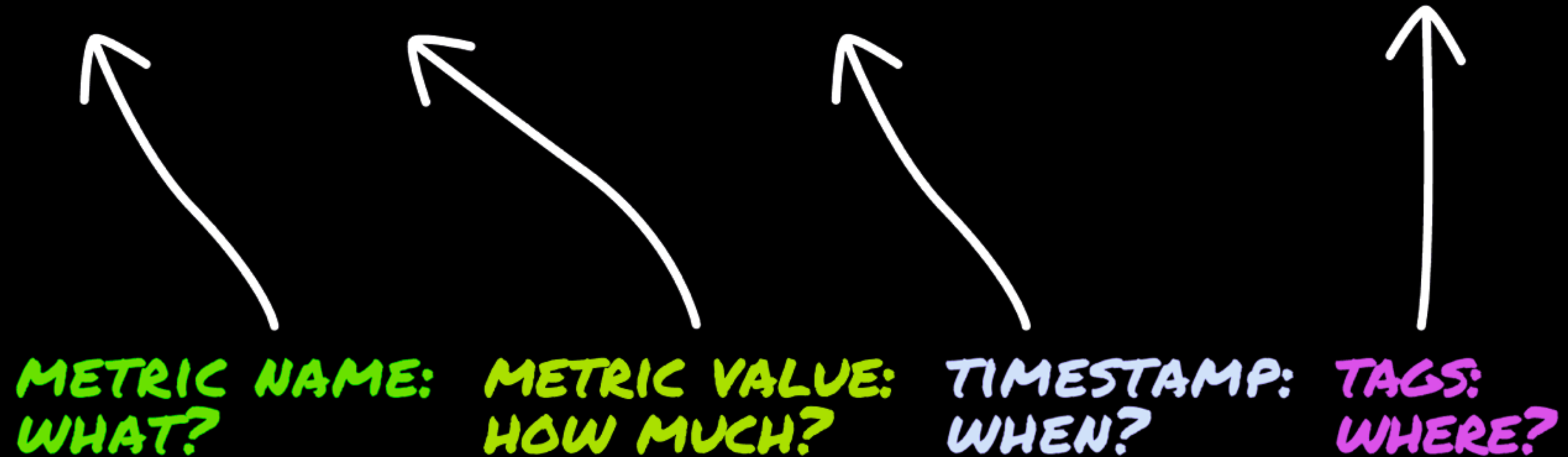
DATAPOINT

SYSTEM.NET.BYTES\_RCVD 4 2016-03-02 15:00:00



DATAPoint

SYSTEM.NET.BYTES\_RCVD 4 2016-03-02 15:00:00 [DEPLOYMENT]





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How do you evaluate your deployment?

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- **p90, p95, p99**

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- **Outliers**

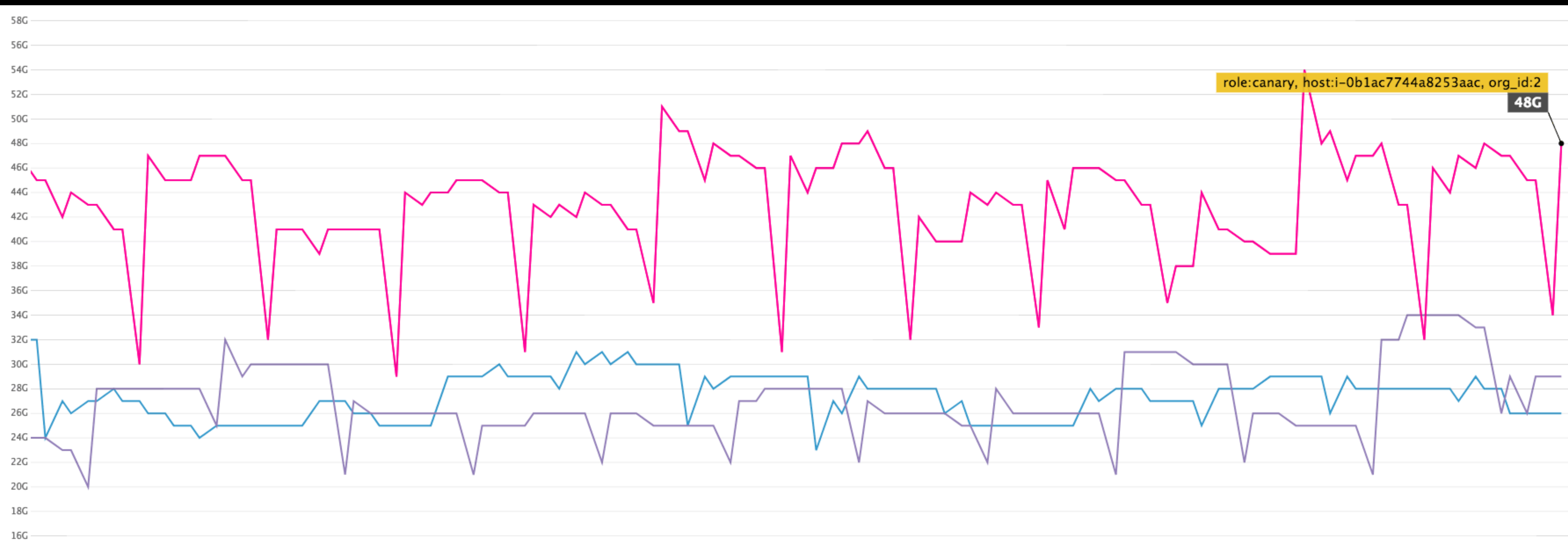
**DAY 14**



**THEY STILL SUSPECT NOTHING**



# Outliers: one of these things is not like the others



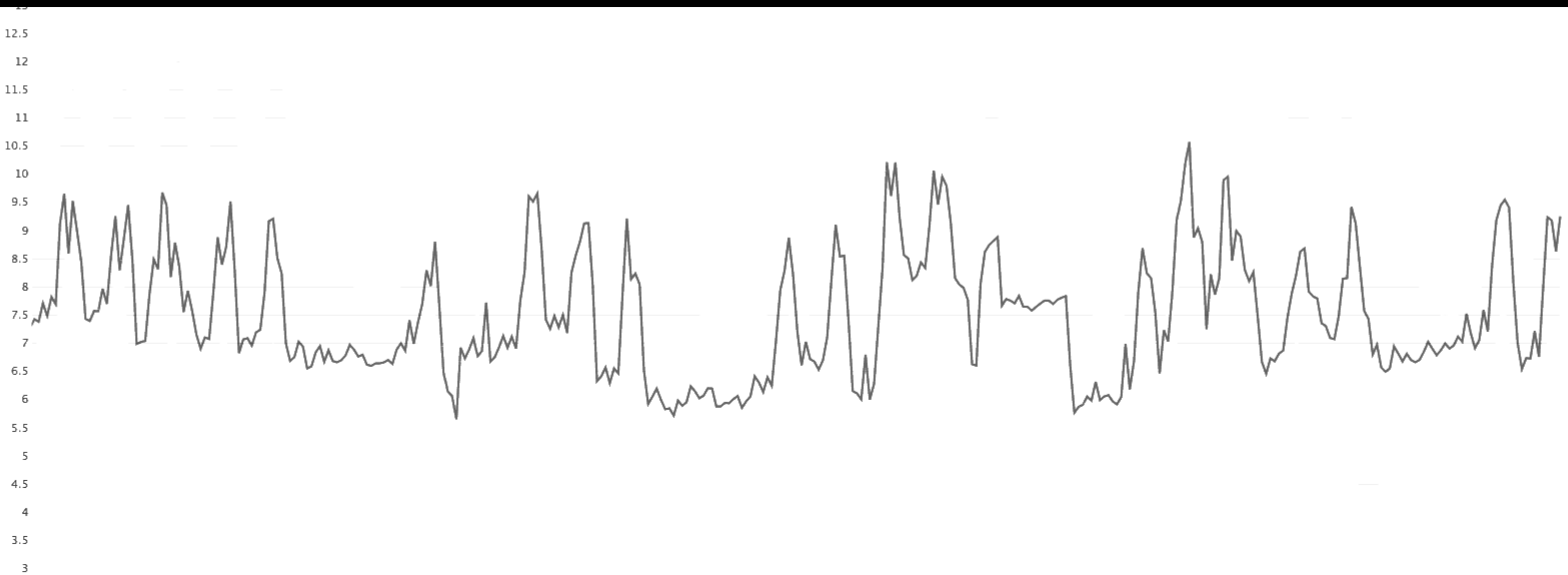


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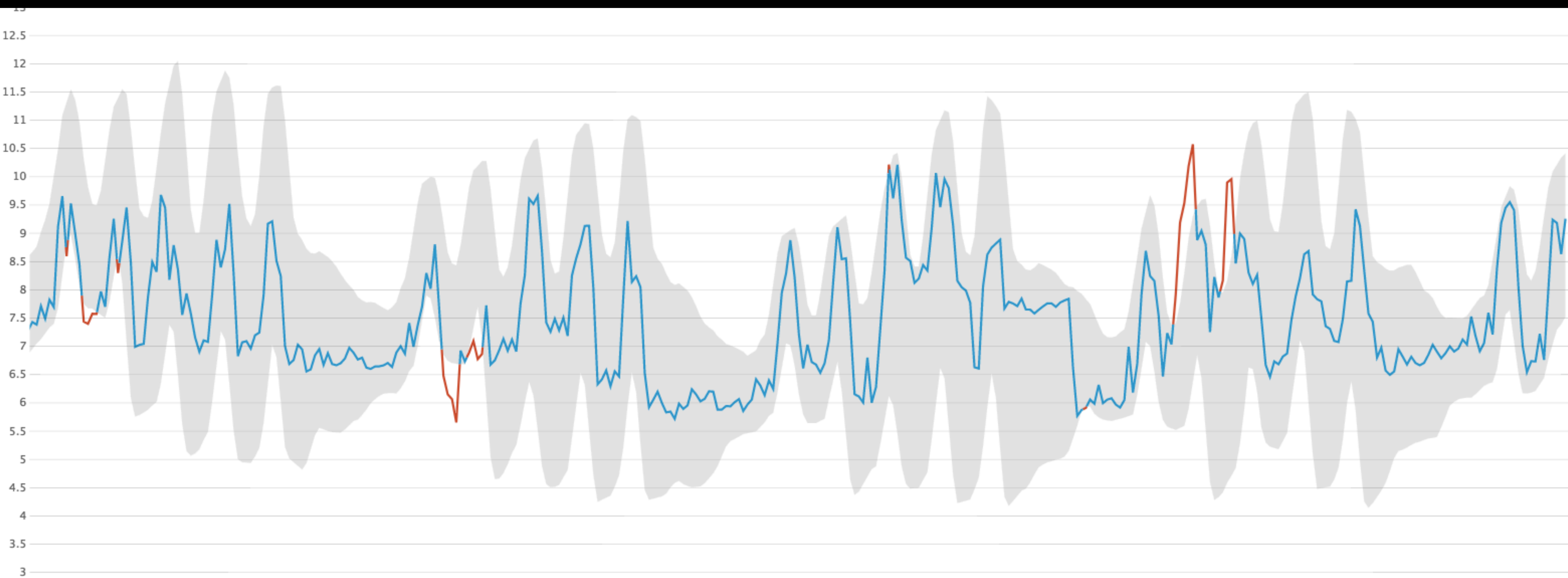
How do you evaluate your deployment?

- Tags!
- p90, p95, p99
- Outliers
- **Anomalies**

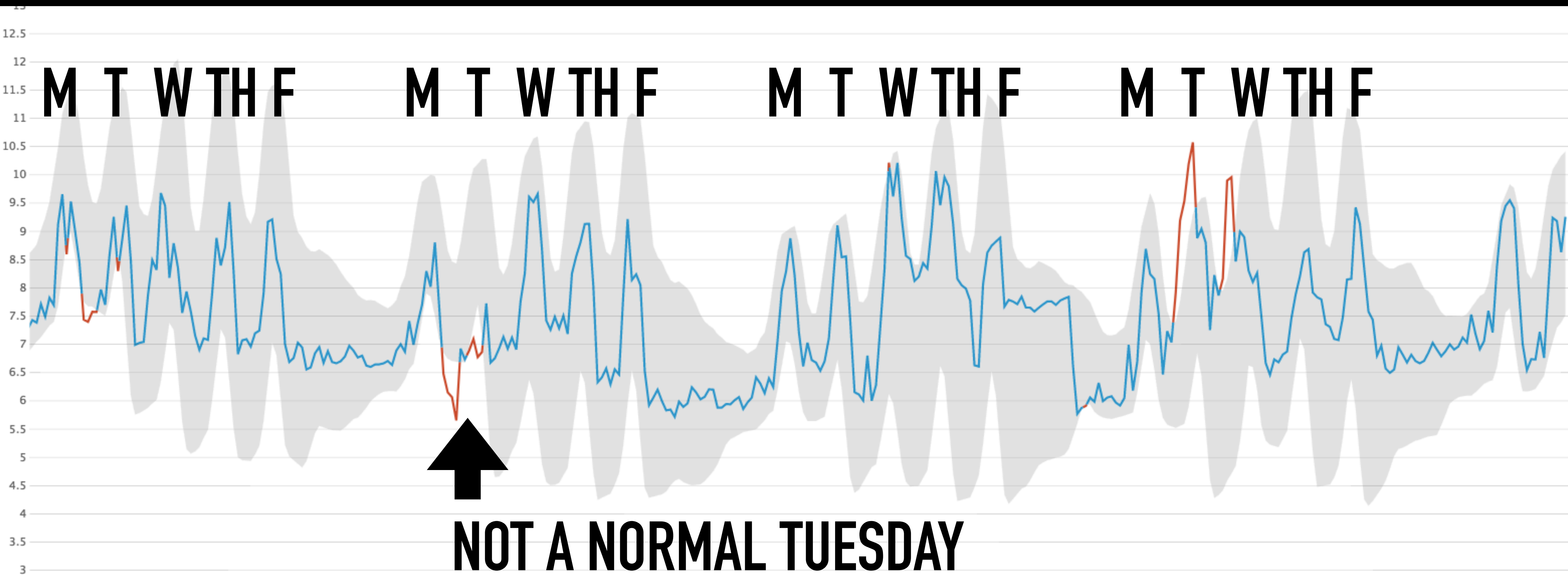
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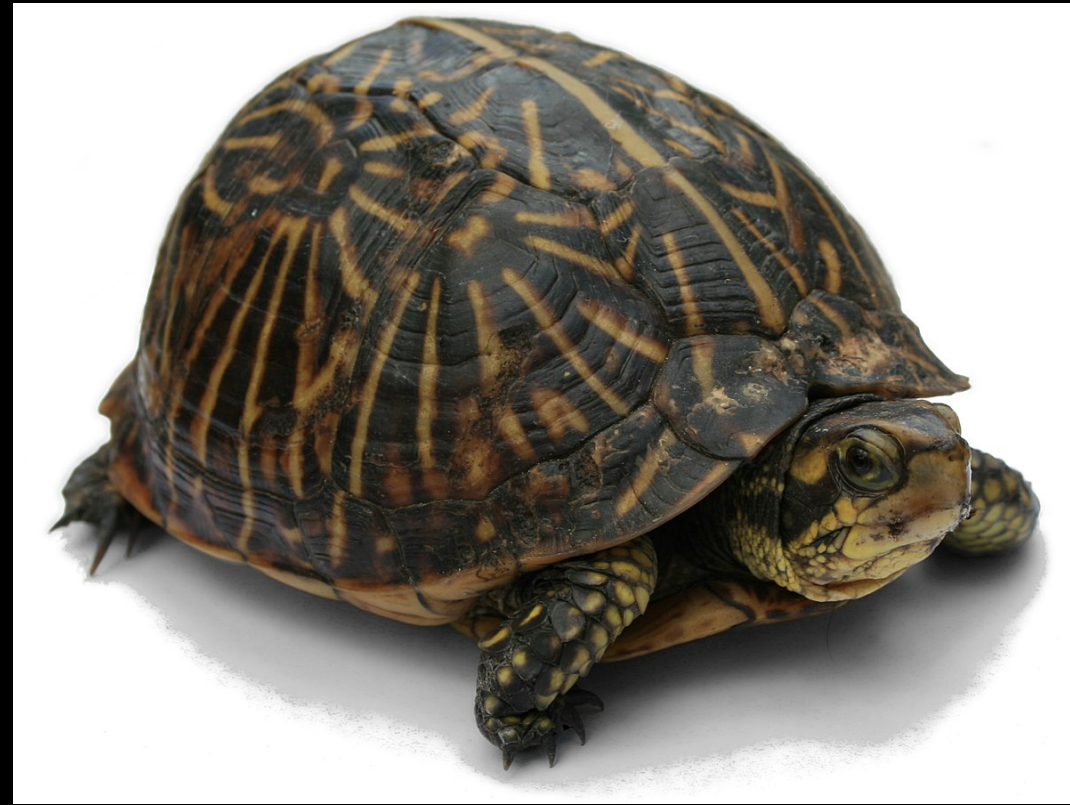


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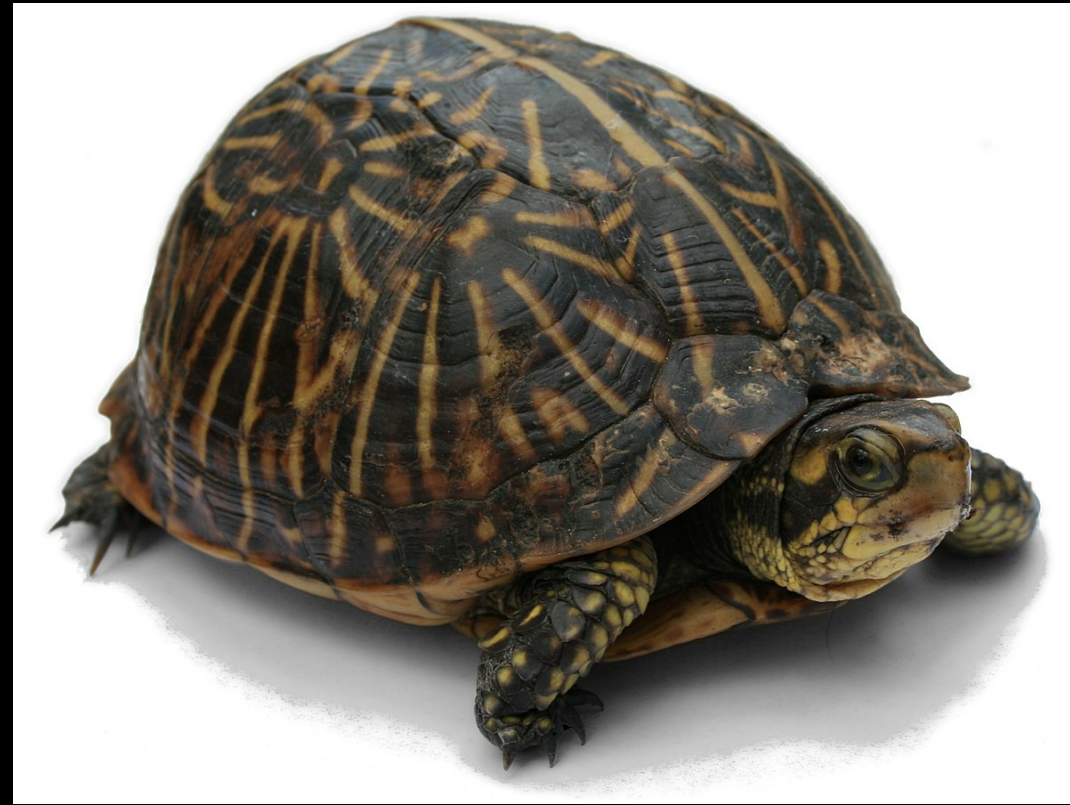


# SIGNALS TO WATCH



Latency

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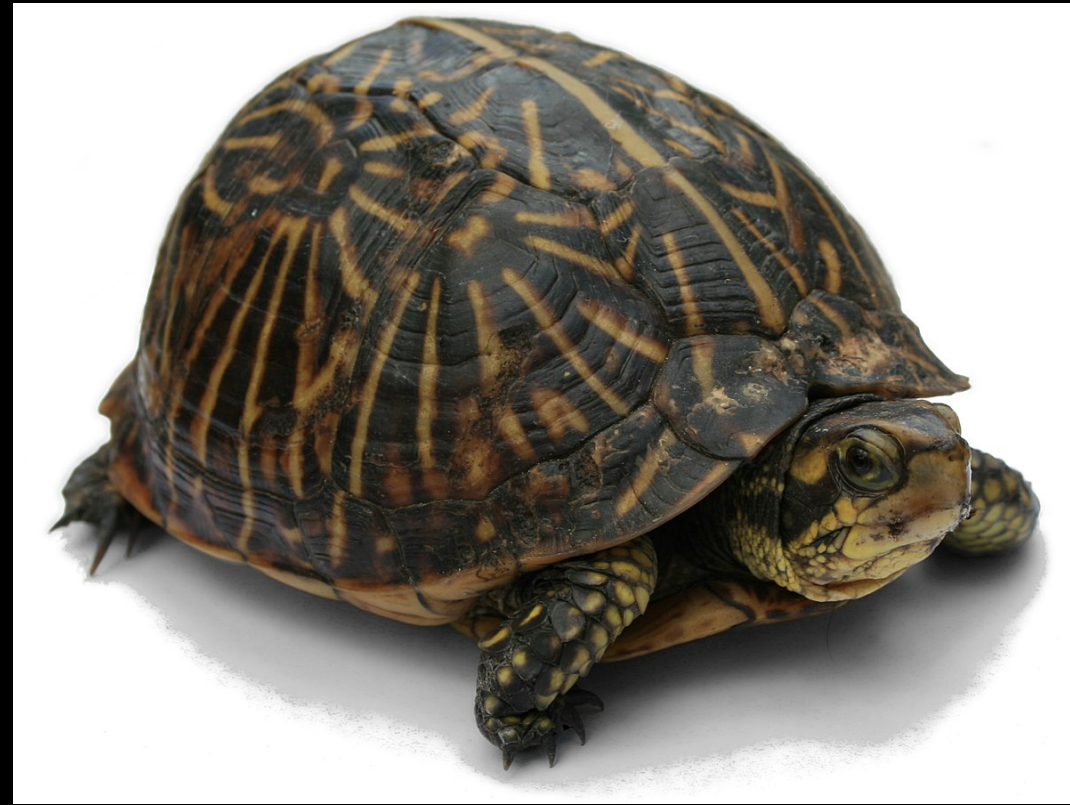
Latency



Errors



# SIGNALS TO WATCH



Latency



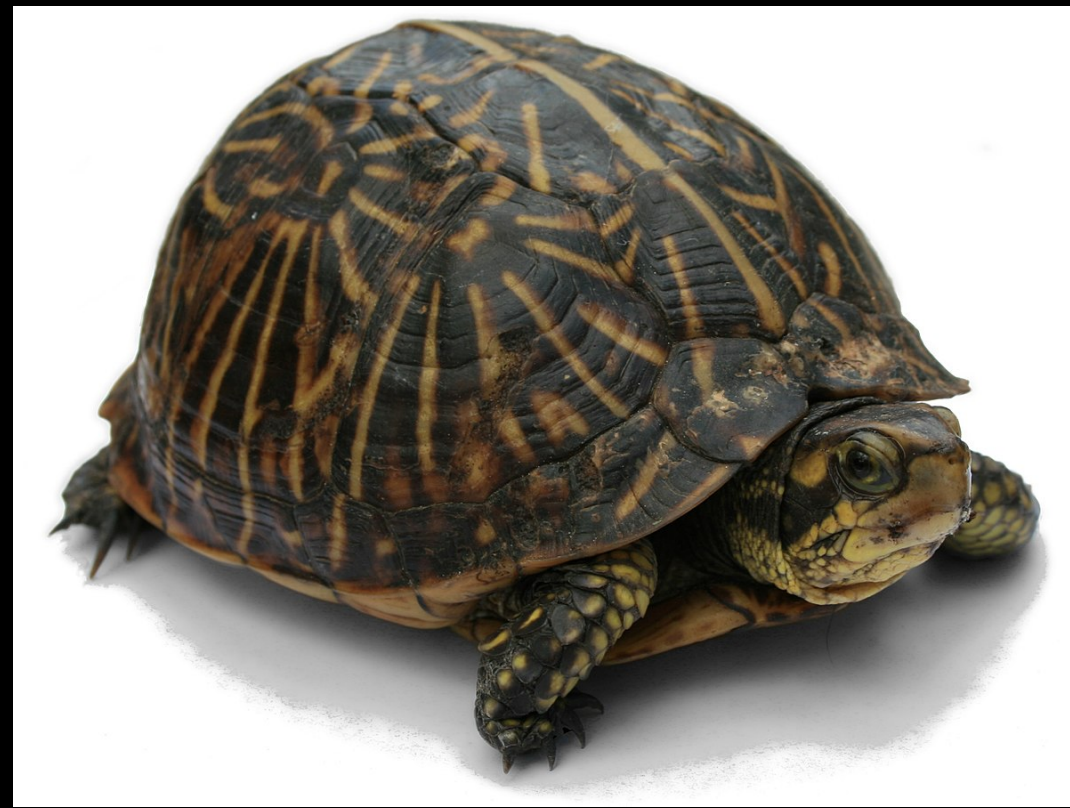
Errors



Traffic



# SIGNALS TO WATCH



Latency



Errors



Traffic



Saturation





WHAT DOES KUBERNETES HAVE  
TO DO WITH ANY OF THIS?



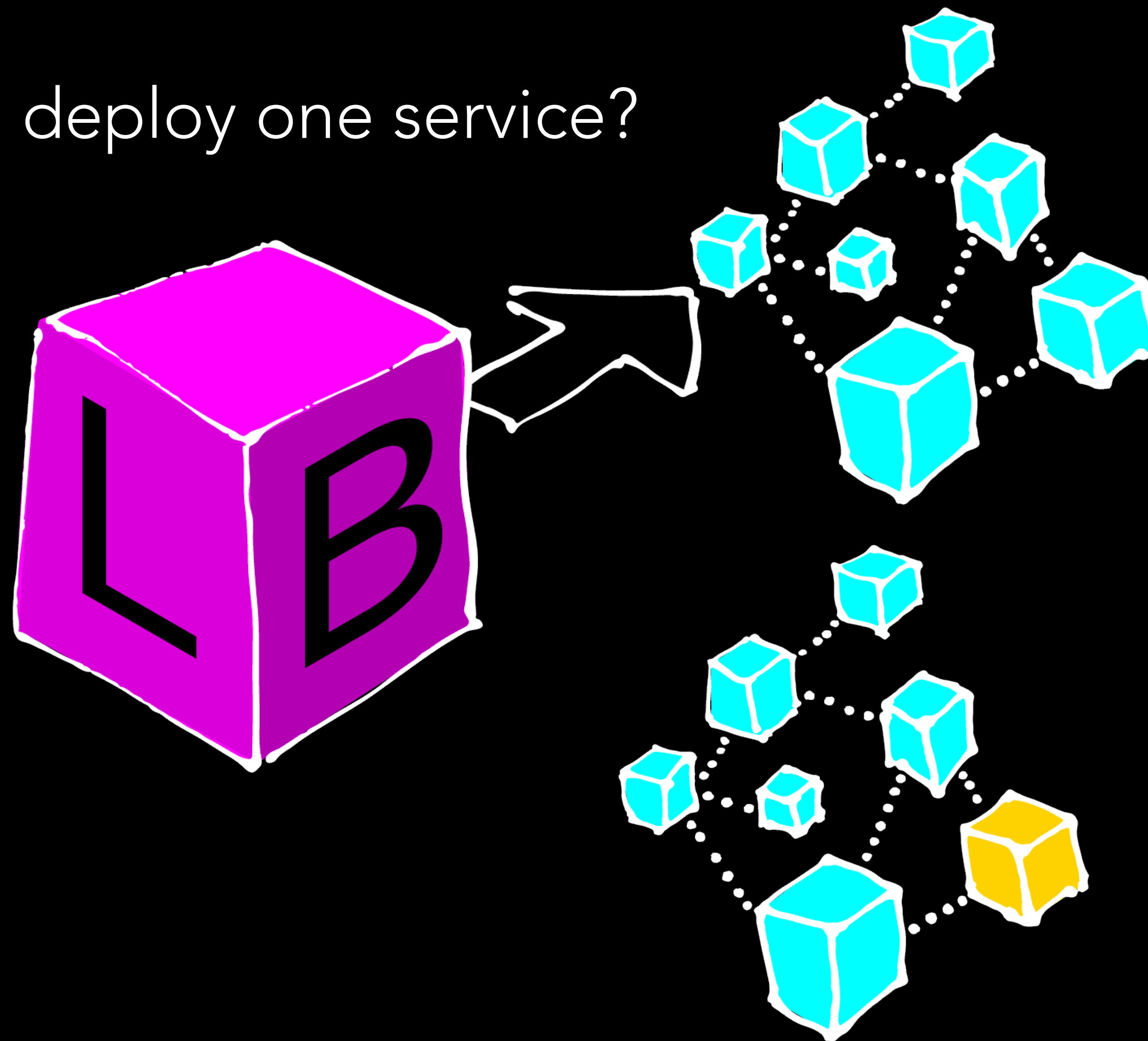
CONTAINER  
ORCHESTRATOR



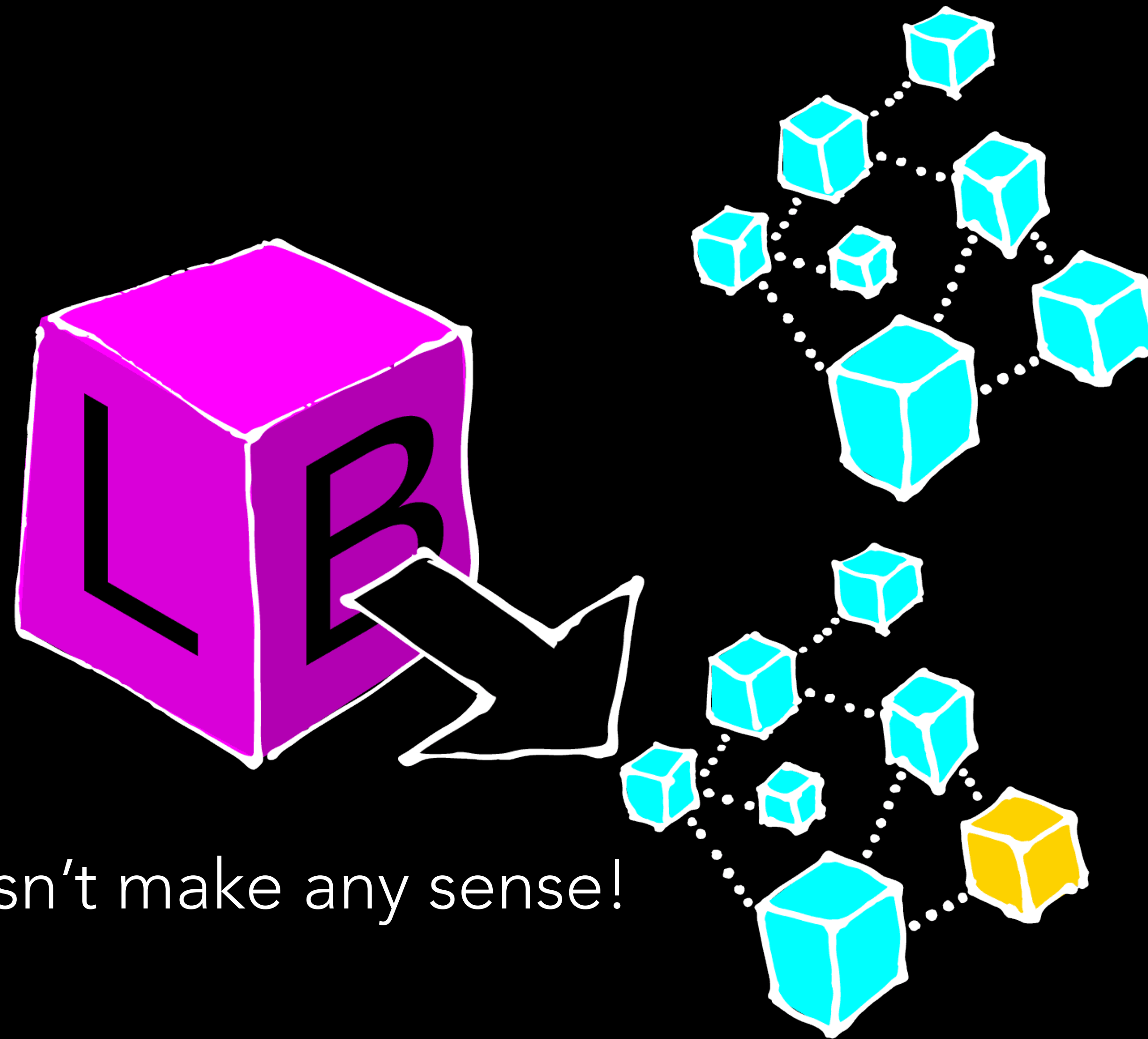
# ~~CONTAINER~~ SERVICE ORCHESTRATOR

p.s. - Maybe a Squirtle orchestrator? Talk to me later if you want a sticker.

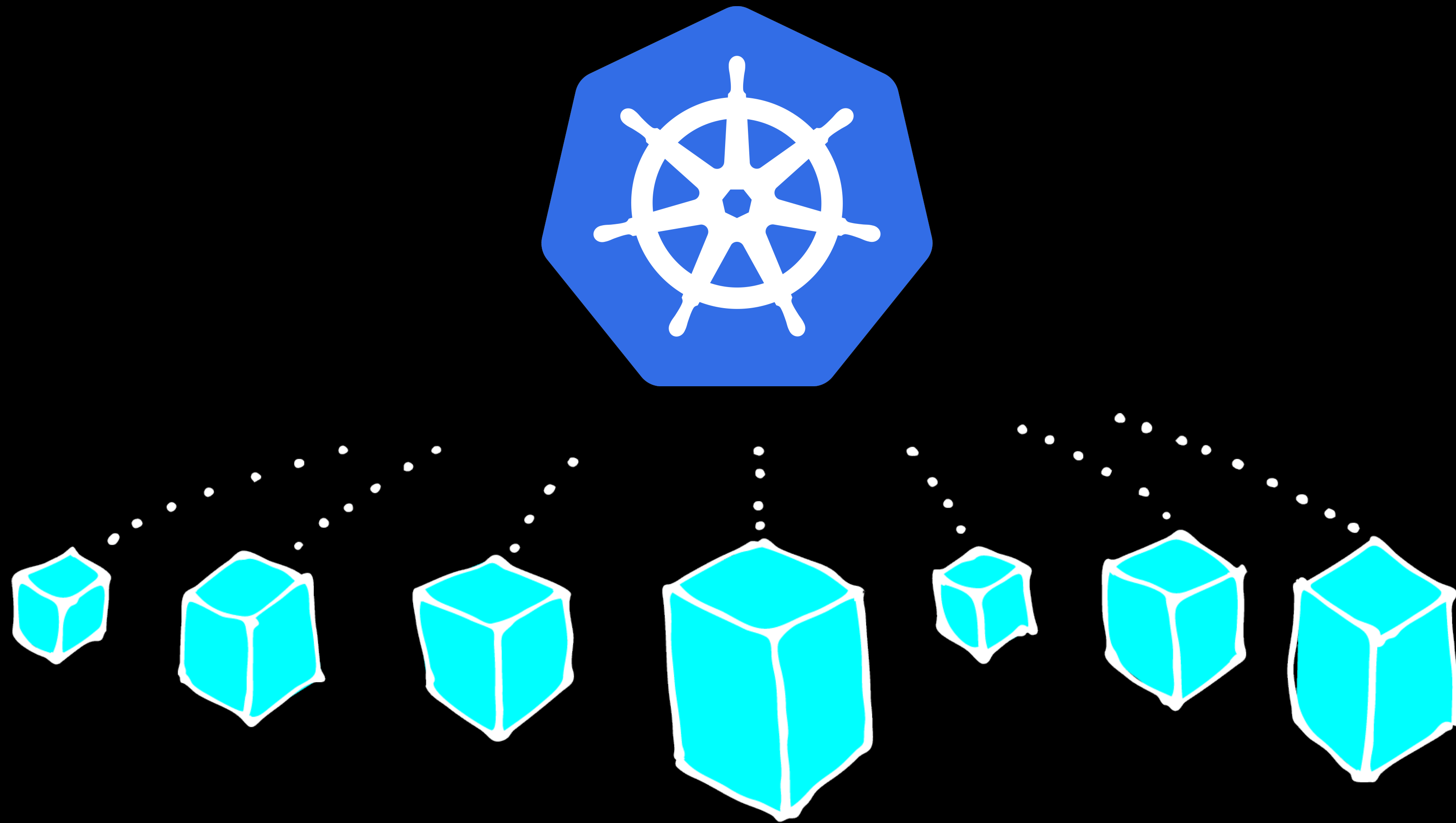
So what if we want to deploy one service?



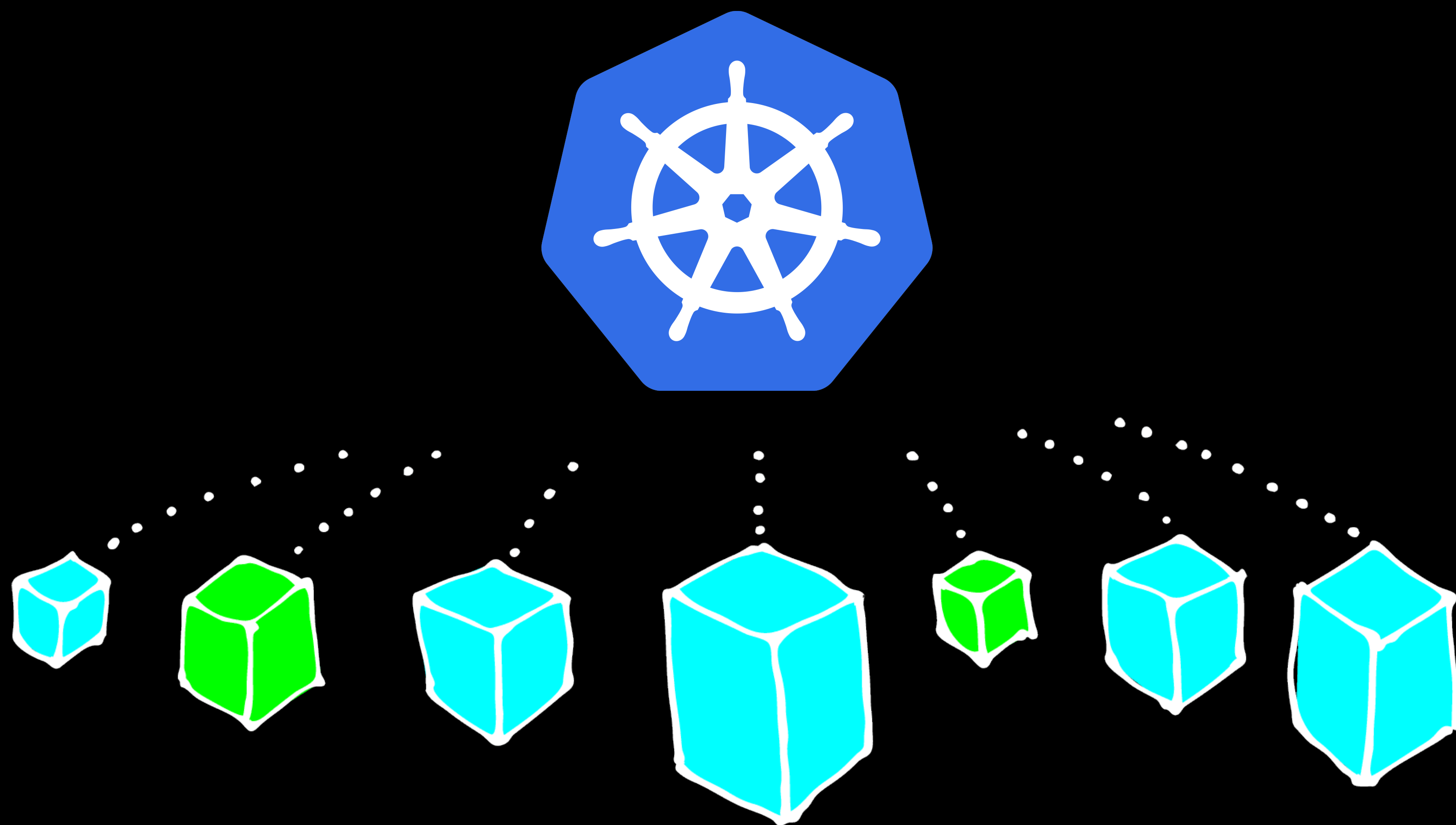




Blue-green doesn't make any sense!

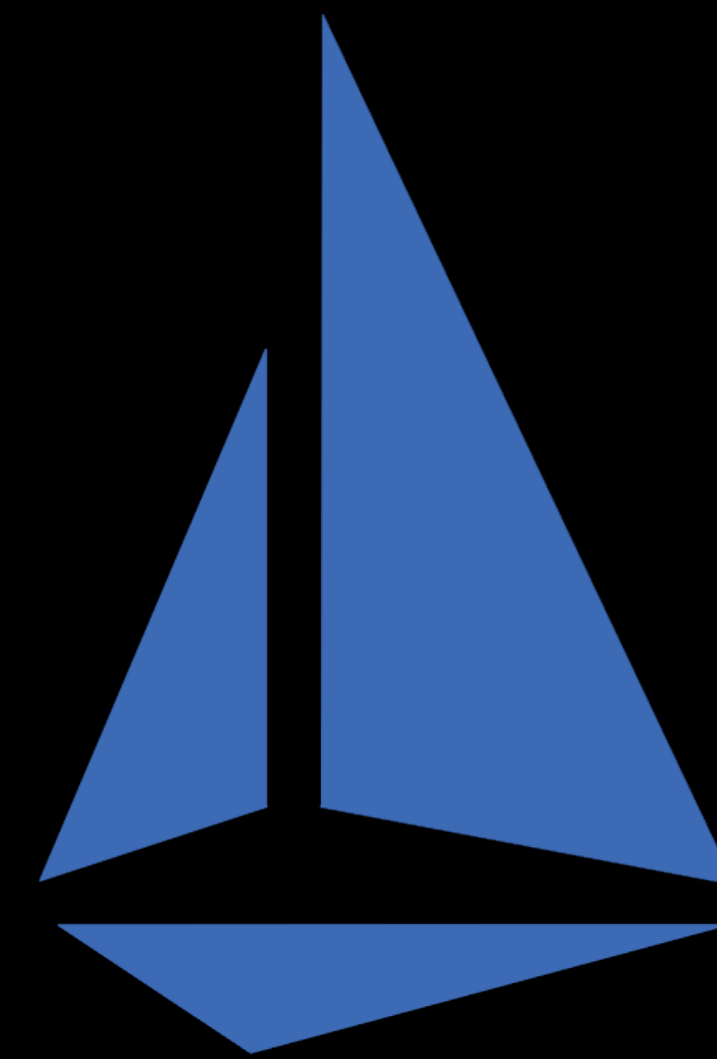


Kubernetes handles service deployments

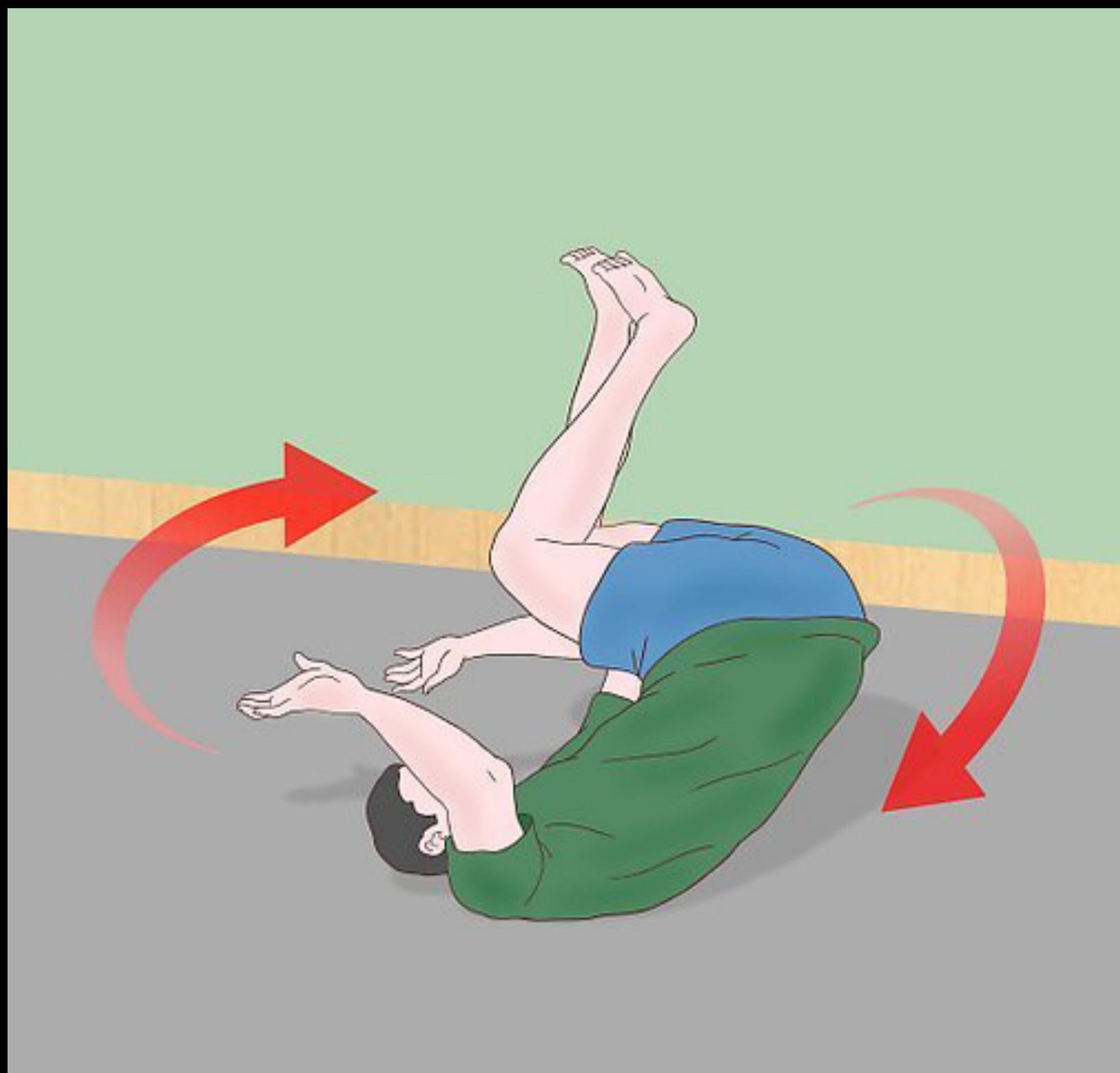


Kubernetes handles service deployments. YAY!

WHY DO I NEED A  
SERVICE MESH?







Kubernetes does  
rolling deploys  
really well!



Canary deploys,  
not so much.

# CANARY DEPLOYING WITH KUBERNETES

# SERVICE

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: my-app
  labels:
    app: my-app
spec:
  ports:
    - port: 80
      name: http
  selector:
    app: my-app
```



# DEPLOYMENT

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```

# CANARY?

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 9
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 1
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

# CANARY?

```
apiVersion: apps/v1  
kind: Deployment  
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 8
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1  
kind: Deployment  
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 2
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

# CANARY?

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 7
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
    spec:
```

```
      containers:
```

```
        - name: my-app
```

```
          image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```



# CANARY?

```
apiVersion: apps/v1  
kind: Deployment  
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 99
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1  
kind: Deployment  
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 1
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```



WHAT DOES A SERVICE MESH GET YOU?

# SERVICE MESHES

- **Routing & load balancing**

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- Routing & load balancing
- **Service discovery**



# SERVICE MESHES

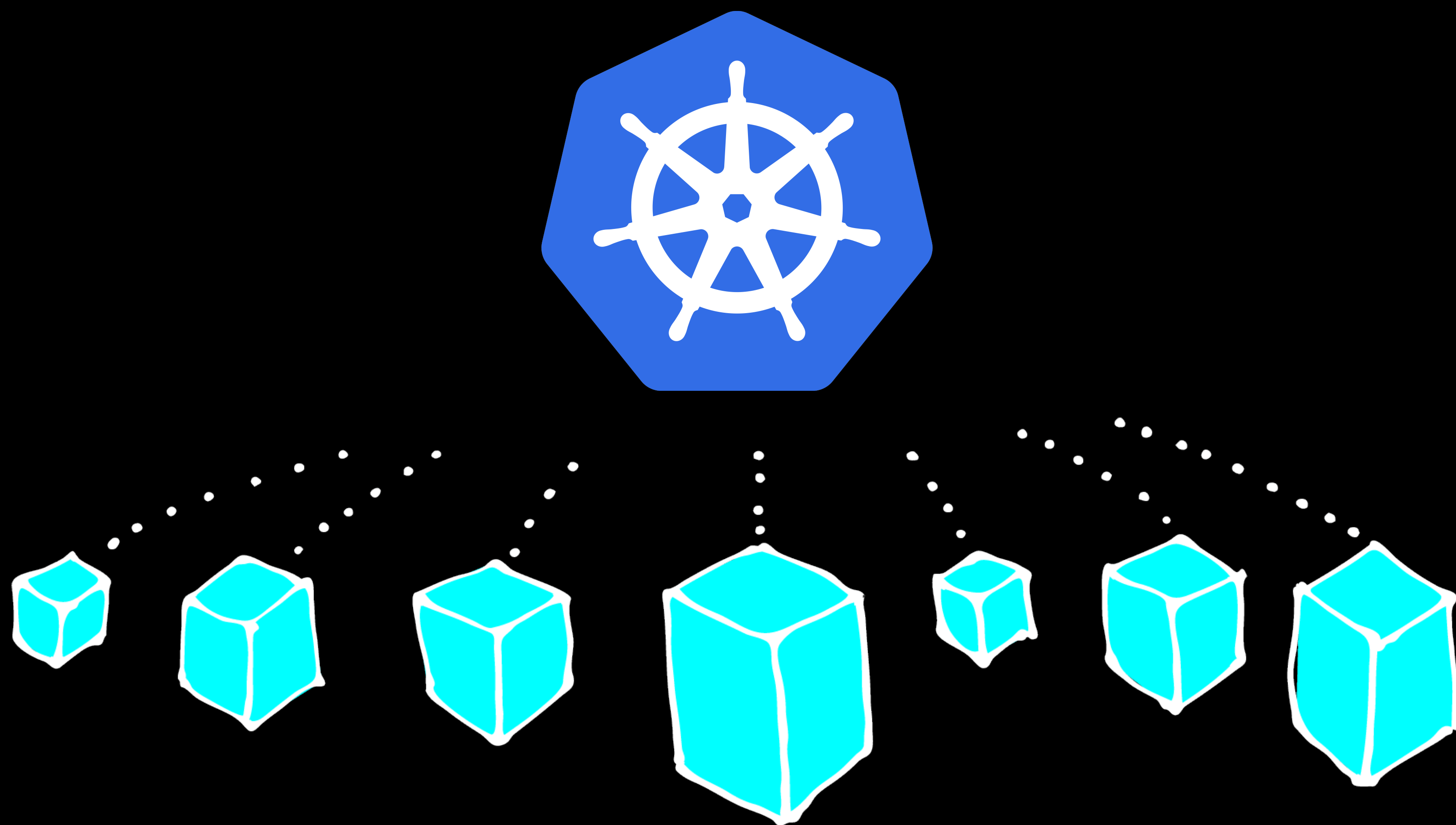
- Routing & load balancing
- Service discovery
- **Timeouts & retries**

# SERVICE MESHES

- Routing & load balancing
- Service discovery
- Timeouts & retries
- **Policy enforcement**

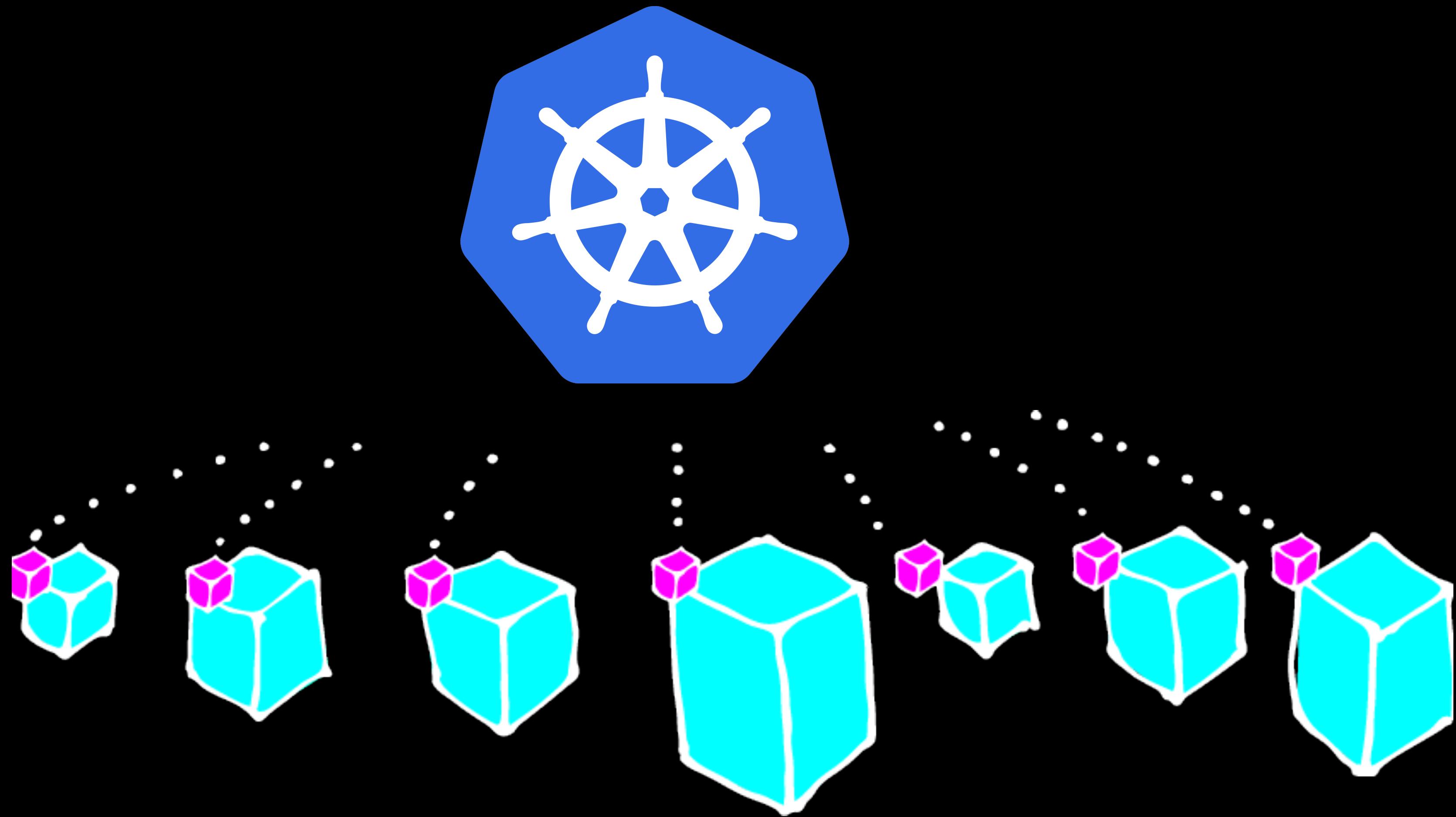
# SERVICE MESHES

- Routing & load balancing
- Service discovery
- Timeouts & retries
- Policy enforcement
- **Monitoring & tracing**

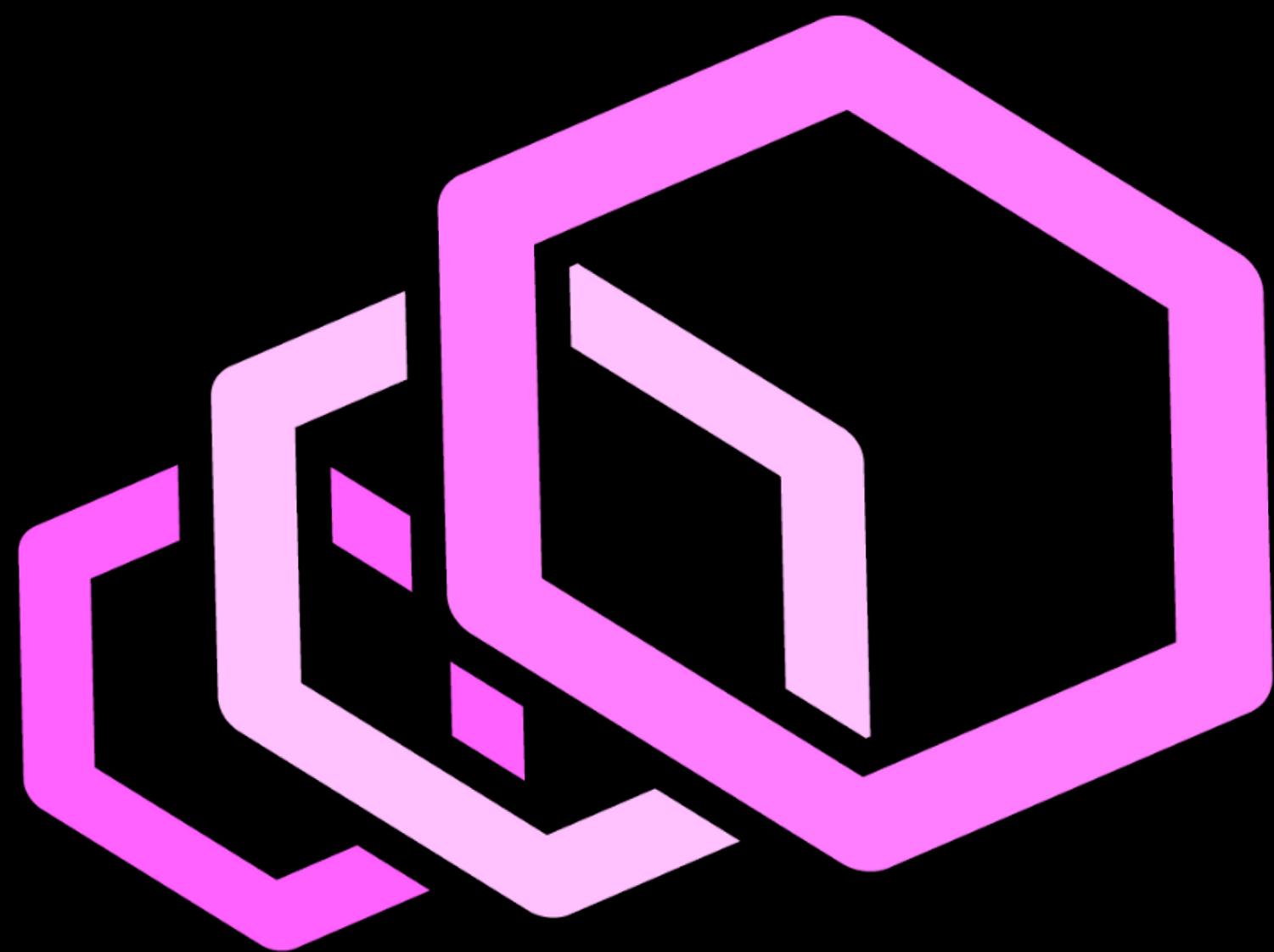


How does it work?

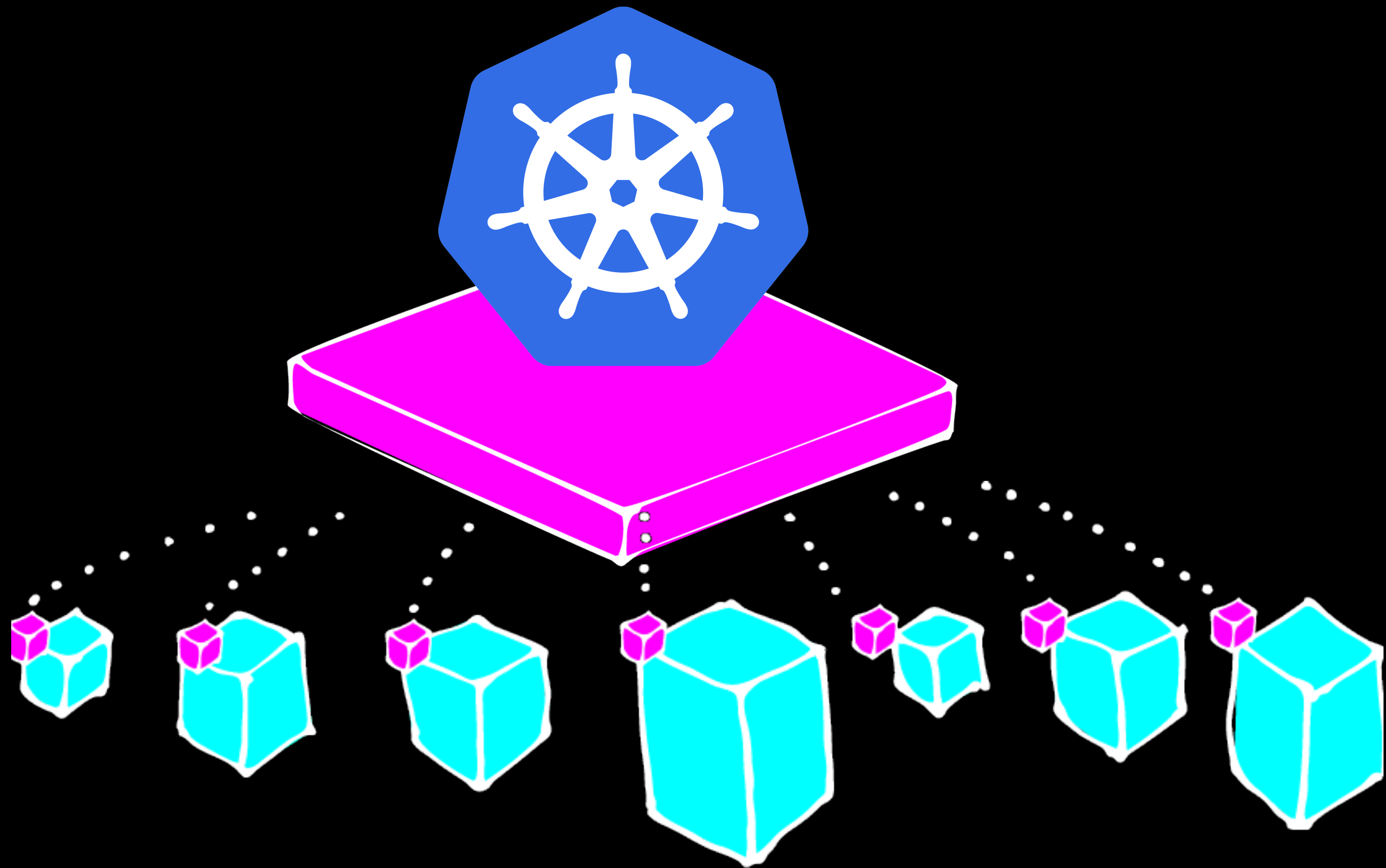




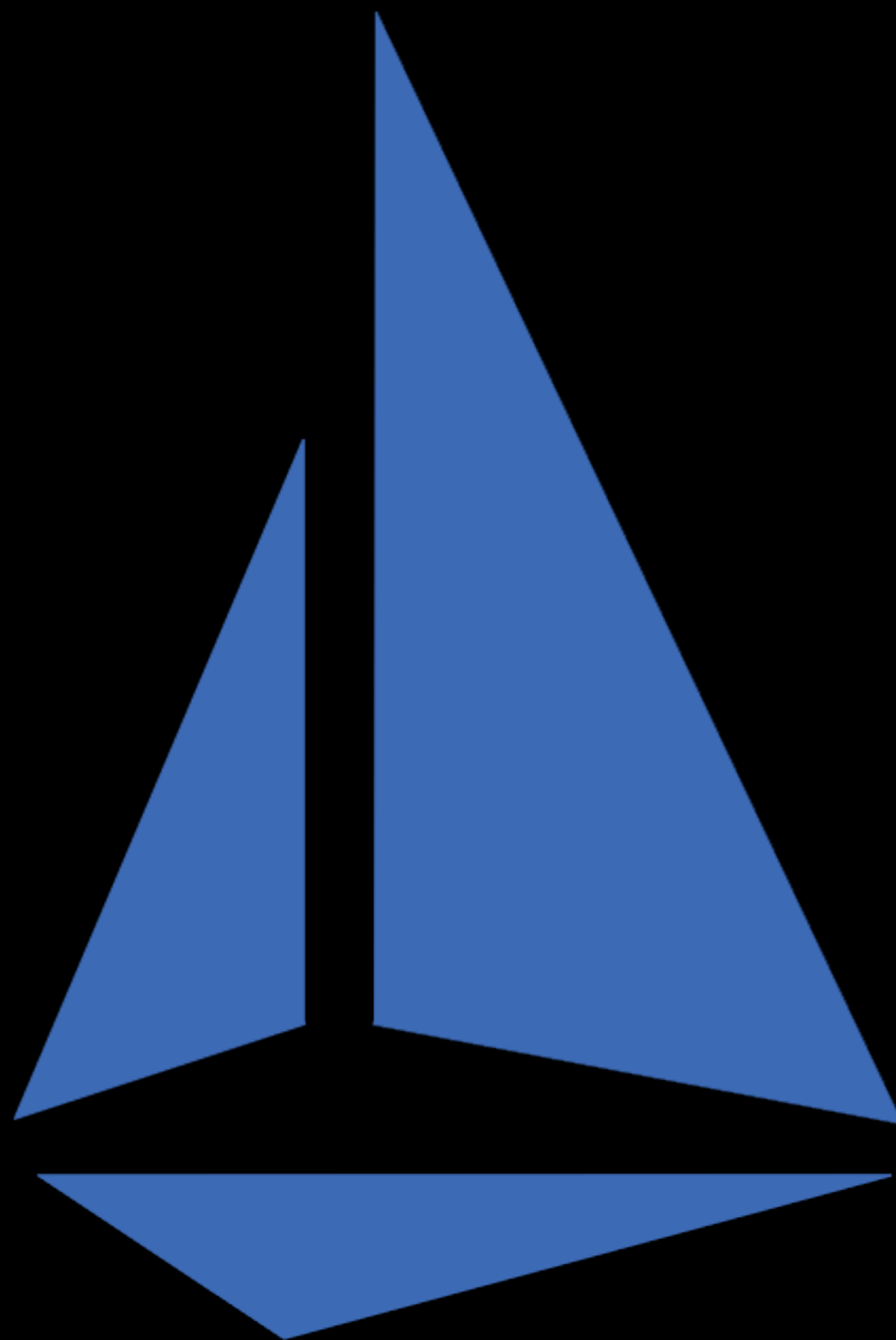
1. Add a data plane



envoy



2. Add a control plane





CANARY DEPLOYING WITH ISTIO

# SERVICE

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Service
metadata:
  name: my-app
  labels:
    app: my-app
spec:
  ports:
    - port: 80
      name: http
  selector:
    app: my-app
```

# SERVICE

apiVersion: v1

kind: Service

metadata:

name: my-app

labels:

app: my-app

spec:

ports:

- port: 80

name: http

selector:

app: my-app

**SAME!**

# DEPLOYMENT

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
  replicas: 3
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: my-app
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: my-app
        version: v1
    spec:
      containers:
      - name: my-app
        image: jye/my-app:v1
        imagePullPolicy: Always
```

# DEPLOYMENT

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
spec:
  replicas: 3
  selector:
    matchLabels:
      app: my-app
  template:
    metadata:
      labels:
        app: my-app
    spec:
      containers:
        - name: my-app
          image: jye/my-app:v1
          imagePullPolicy: Always
```

**SAME!**  
(sort of)



```
istioctl kube-inject -f my.yaml > mod.yaml  
kubectl apply -f mod.yaml
```

# TEENAGE MUTATING WEBHOOK ADMISSION CONTROLLERS!

AKA AUTO-SIDECAR INJECTION



# ISTIO VIRTUALSERVICES

```
apiVersion: networking.istio.io/v1alpha3
kind: VirtualService
metadata:
  name: my-app-routing
spec:
  hosts:
    - my-app
  http:
    - route:
        - destination:
            host: my-app
            subset: v1
```

# ISTIO DESTINATIONRULES

```
apiVersion: networking.istio.io/v1alpha3
kind: DestinationRule
metadata:
  name: my-app-destination
spec:
  host: my-app
  subsets:
    - name: v1
      labels:
        version: v1
```

# ISTIO

```
kind: VirtualService
```

```
...
```

```
spec:
```

```
  hosts:
```

```
    - my-app
```

```
  http:
```

```
    - route:
```

```
      - destination:
```

```
        host: my-app
```

```
        subset: v1
```

# ISTIO

```
kind: DestinationRule
```

```
...
```

```
spec:
```

```
  host: my-app
```

```
  subsets:
```

```
    - name: v1
```

```
    labels:
```

```
      version: v1
```

# K8S

```
kind: Deployment
```

```
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    ...
```



# DEPLOYMENT

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
```

```
kind: Deployment
```

```
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v1
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v1
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```

```
apiVersion: apps/v1
```

```
kind: Deployment
```

```
spec:
```

```
  replicas: 3
```

```
  selector:
```

```
    matchLabels:
```

```
      app: my-app
```

```
  template:
```

```
    metadata:
```

```
      labels:
```

```
        app: my-app
```

```
        version: v2
```

```
  spec:
```

```
    containers:
```

```
    - name: my-app
```

```
      image: jye/my-app:v2
```

```
      imagePullPolicy: Always
```

# ISTIO DESTINATIONRULES

`apiVersion:` networking.istio.io/v1alpha3

`kind:` DestinationRule

`metadata:`

`name:` my-app-destination

`spec:`

`host:` my-app

`subsets:`

- `name:` v1

`labels:`

`version:` v1

- `name:` v2

`labels:`

`version:` v2

# ISTIO VIRTUALSERVICES

`apiVersion:` networking.istio.io/v1alpha3

`kind:` VirtualService

`metadata:`

`name:` my-app-routing

`spec:`

`hosts:`

`- my-app`

`http:`

`- route:`

`- destination:`

`host:` my-app

`subset:` v1

`weight:` 80

`- route:`

`- destination:`

`host:` my-app

`subset:` v2

`weight:` 20

# ISTIO VIRTUALSERVICES

`apiVersion:` networking.istio.io/v1alpha3

`kind:` VirtualService

`...`

`http:`

- `- match:`

- `- headers:`

- `cookie:`

- `user:` my-logged-in-user

`route:`

- `- destination:`

- `host:` my-app

- `subset:` v2

- `weight:` 20

WHAT ELSE CAN IT DO?

LOTS!

<https://istio.io/docs/reference/config/>



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