



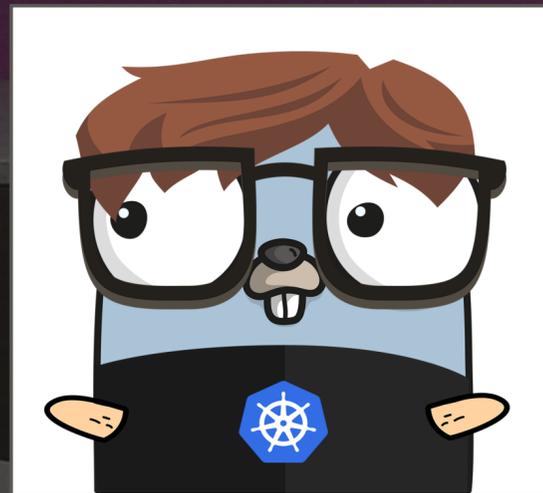
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# **HYBRID-CLOUD, HIPPA COMPLIANT ENTERPRISE WITH KUBERNETES**

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ABOUT ME

**SOFTWARE ARCHITECT**

GOLANG / OPENSOURCE / KUBERNETES / CONTAINERS

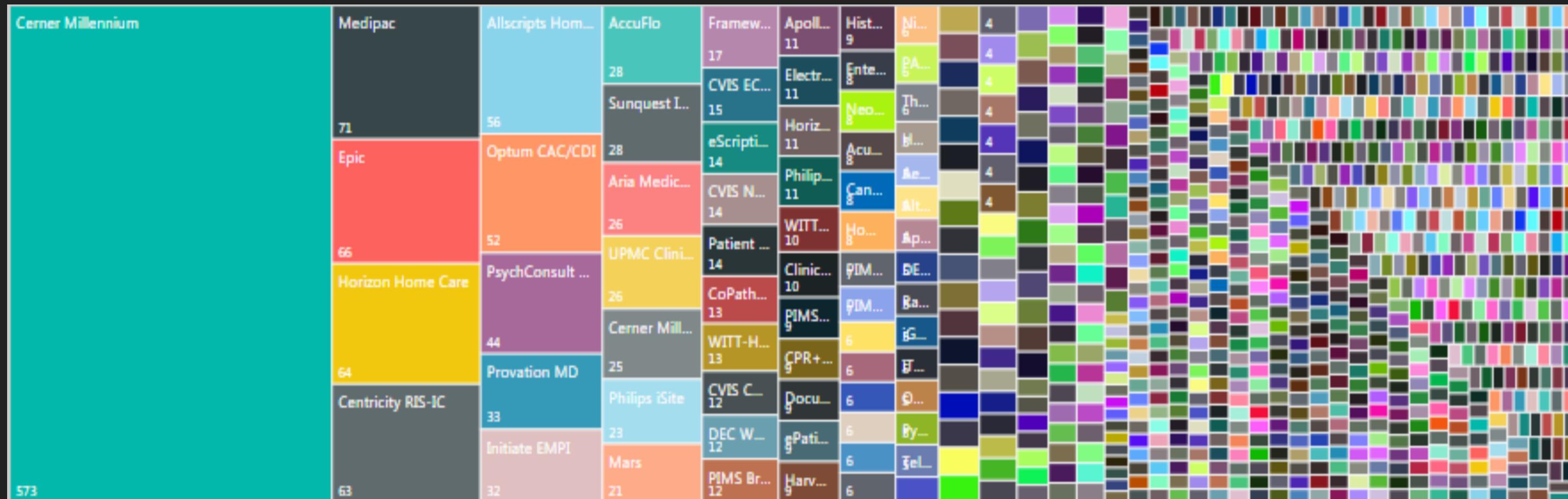
# UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH MEDICAL CENTER

- ▶ \$16 billion integrated global nonprofit health enterprise
- ▶ 80k employees
- ▶ > 30 hospitals
- ▶ 3.2 Million member health insurance division
- ▶ “Other Stuff”



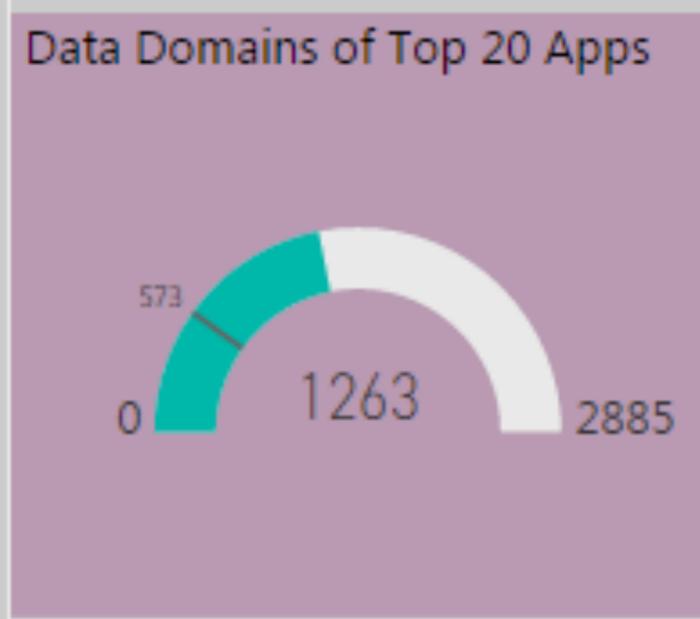
**CLINICAL DATA @ UPMC**

# UPMC (CLINICAL) DATA SOURCE INVENTORY



Total Number of Apps

1102



Application Name	Count of Application Name
Cerner Millennium	573
Medipac	71
Epic	66
Horizon Home Care	64
Centricity RIS-IC	63
Allscripts Homecare	56
<b>Total</b>	<b>1263</b>

# WHAT IS HIPAA?

- ▶ HIPAA = **H**ealth **I**nsurance **P**ortability and **A**ccountability **A**ct
- ▶ Prohibit the disclosure or misuse of information about private individuals
- ▶ **Types of Data?**
  - ▶ Social Security Numbers
  - ▶ Medical Record Numbers (MRN)
  - ▶ Patient Name
  - ▶ (Anything that can describe a patient specifically)

**WHY CREATE HIPAA?**

**‘STANDARDS’**



# HIPAA RULES

- ▶ Encryption at REST
- ▶ Encryption in TRANSIT
- ▶ Auditing to the user
- ▶ BAA (Business Associate Agreement)

**ON-PREMISES**

# ON-PREMISES

- ▶ **Kubernetes Infrastructure**

- ▶ Red Hat Atomic

- ▶ CoreOS Tectonic

- ▶ **Storage**

- ▶ NFS

- ▶ Local Storage

- ▶ **Load Balancers**

- ▶ F5 → NodePorts && Ingress

# ON-PREMISES

- ▶ Workloads
  - ▶ CI/CD (Gitlab Runners / Jenkins Workers)
  - ▶ Local "agents"
    - ▶ Data Collection
    - ▶ Data Proxies

**ON-PREMISES IS HARD(ER)**

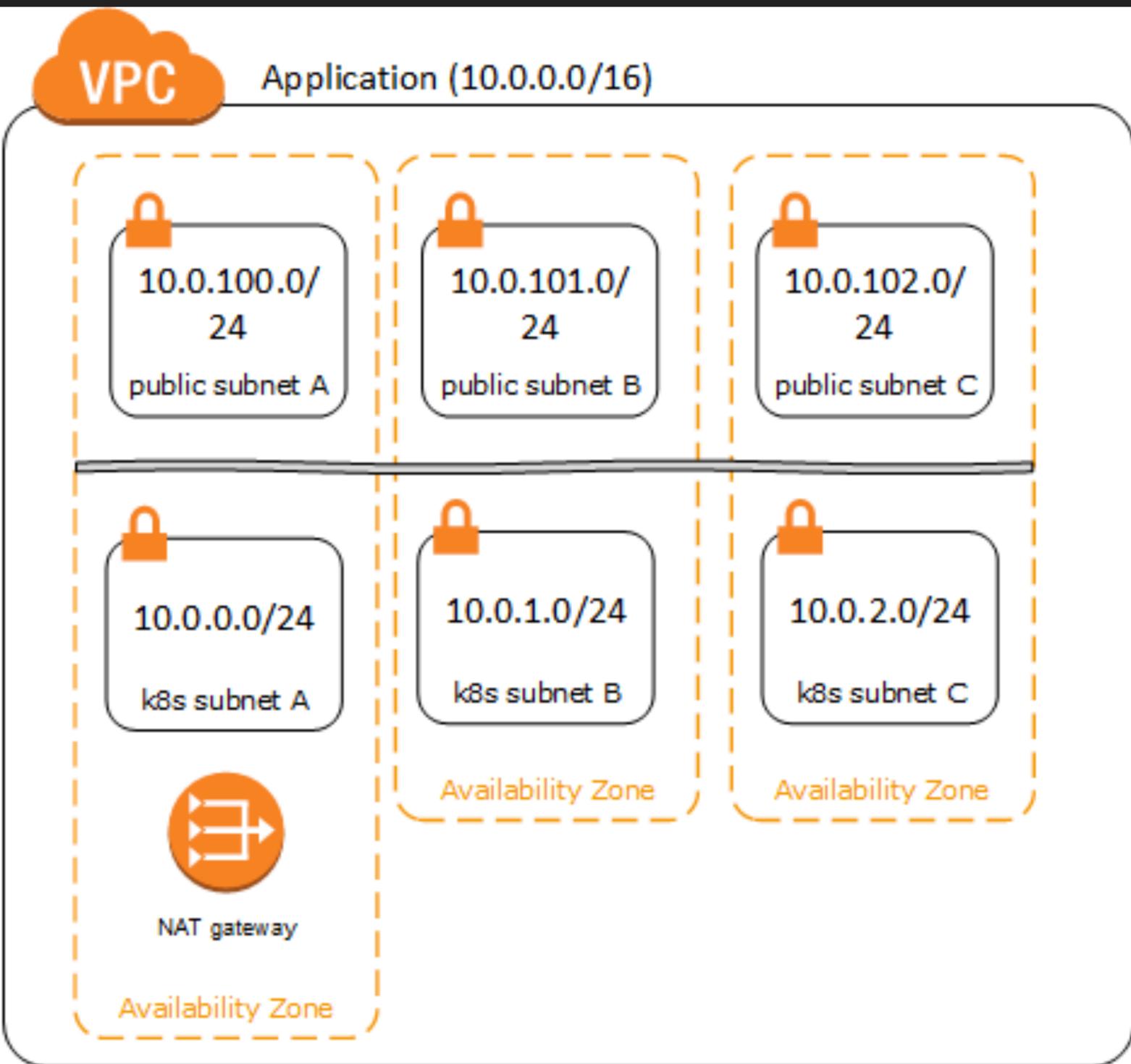




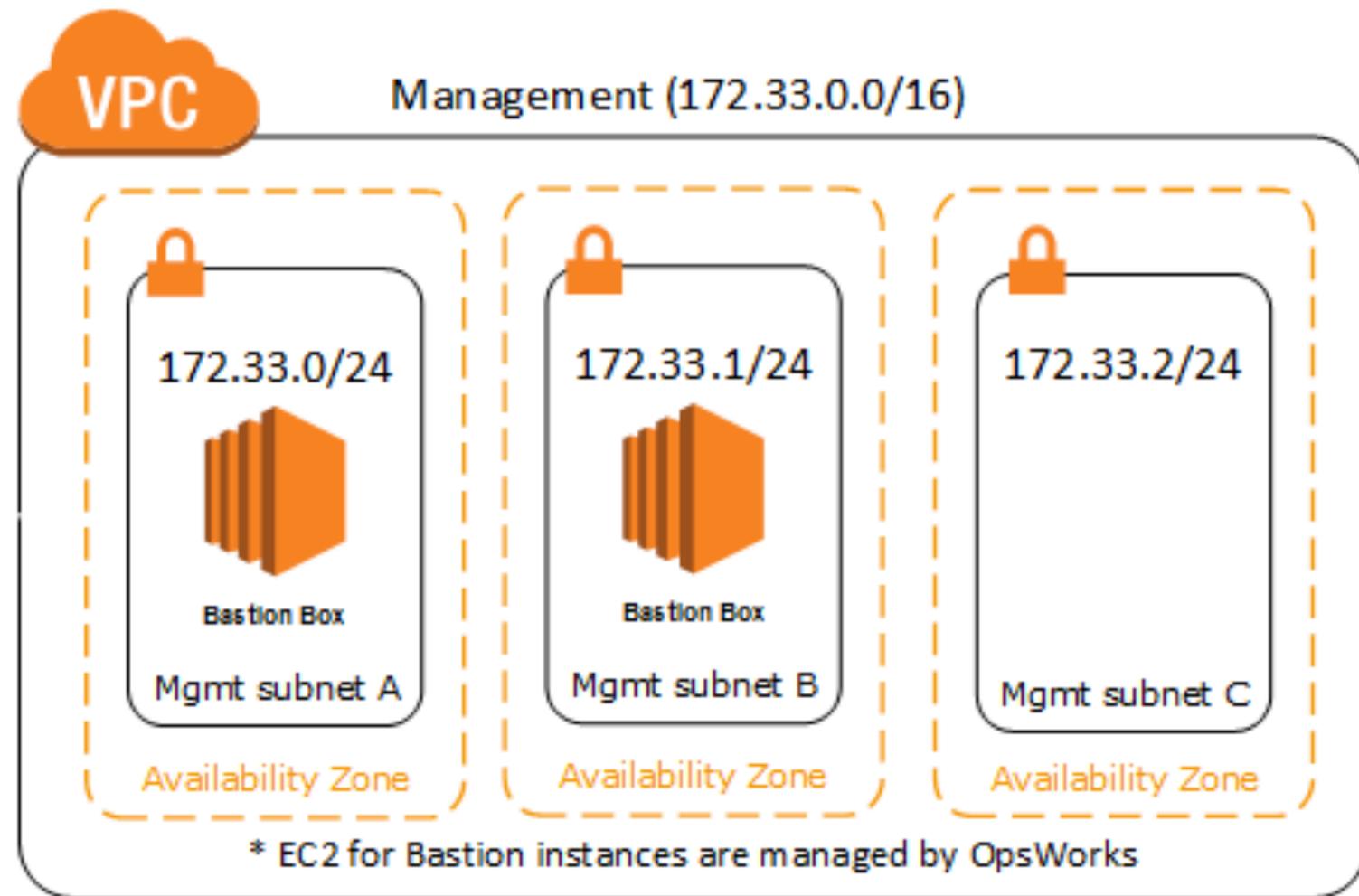
**PUBLIC CLOUD**

# CLOUD INFRASTRUCTURE

- ▶ Amazon Web Services (AWS)
- ▶ Single Region / Multi-AZ
- ▶ Multiple worker Auto-scaling Groups (ASG)
- ▶ CloudFormation + CoreOS (Container Linux)
- ▶ ECR Docker Registry
- ▶ Classic ELB
- ▶ VPN to OnPrem



VPC peering

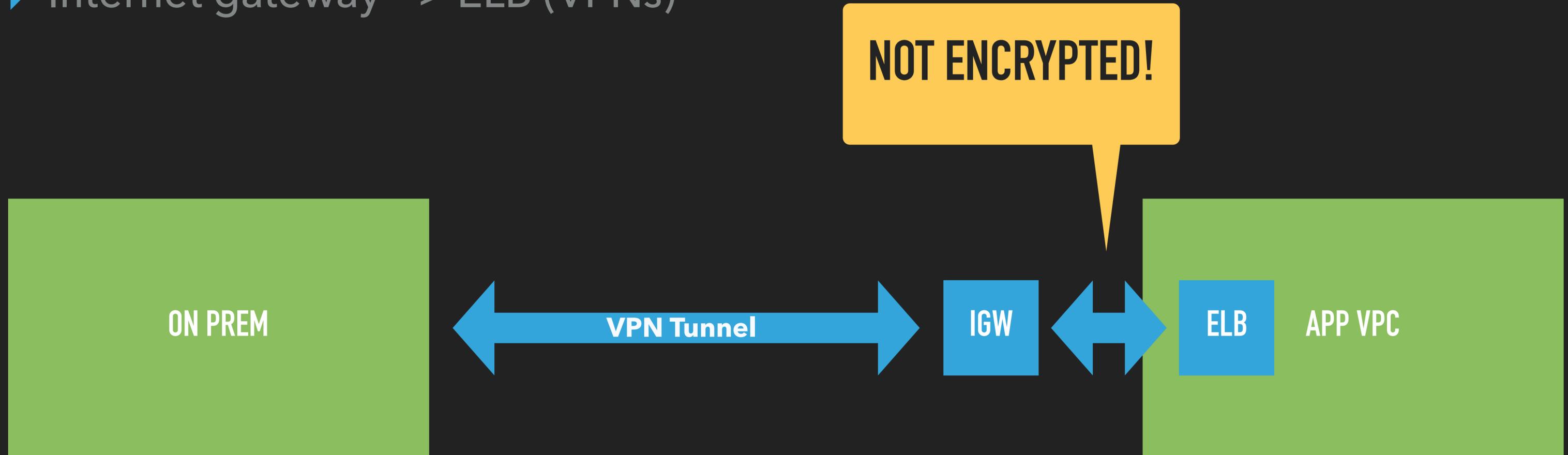


# AWS HIPAA COMPLIANT OFFERINGS

- ▶ Amazon API Gateway excluding the use of Amazon API Gateway caching
- ▶ Amazon Aurora [MySQL, PostgreSQL]
- ▶ AWS Batch
- ▶ Amazon CloudFront [including Lambda@Edge]
- ▶ AWS CloudHSM
- ▶ Amazon CloudWatch Logs
- ▶ Amazon Cognito
- ▶ Amazon Connect
- ▶ AWS Database Migration Service
- ▶ AWS Direct Connect
- ▶ AWS Directory Services excluding Simple AD and AD Connector
- ▶ Amazon DynamoDB
- ▶ Amazon EC2 Container Service (ECS)
- ▶ Amazon EC2 Systems Manager
- ▶ Amazon ElastiCache
- ▶ Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS)
- ▶ Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2)
- ▶ Elastic Load Balancing
- ▶ Amazon Elastic MapReduce (Amazon EMR)
- ▶ Amazon Glacier
- ▶ Amazon Inspector
- ▶ AWS Key Management Service
- ▶ Amazon Kinesis Streams
- ▶ AWS Lambda
- ▶ Amazon Redshift
- ▶ Amazon Relational Database Service (Amazon RDS) [SQL Server, MySQL, Oracle, PostgreSQL, and MariaDB engines only]
- ▶ Amazon Route 53
- ▶ AWS Shield [Standard and Advanced]
- ▶ Amazon Simple Notification Service (SNS)
- ▶ Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS)
- ▶ Amazon Simple Storage Service (Amazon S3) [including S3 Transfer Acceleration]
- ▶ AWS Snowball
- ▶ AWS Snowball Edge
- ▶ AWS Snowmobile
- ▶ AWS Storage Gateway
- ▶ Amazon Virtual Private Cloud (VPC)
- ▶ AWS Web Application Firewall (WAF)
- ▶ Amazon WorkDocs
- ▶ Amazon WorkSpaces

# NOT EVERYTHING IS COMPLIANT!

- ▶ New Services
- ▶ Internet gateway → ELB (VPNs)



## AWS TO THE RESCUE!

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# K8S WORKLOADS

# STATELESS APPLICATIONS

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- ▶ Easy-Peesy-Lemon-Squeezy
  - ▶ Self-contained
  - ▶ No storage
  - ▶ Dependencies are outside scope of `this application`
  - ▶ Easily scheduled / scaled
- ▶ Implemented via Kubernetes Deployments
- ▶ `kubectrl scale deployment elastic --replicas=5`

# STATEFUL APPLICATIONS

# STATEFUL APPLICATIONS STRUGGLES

- ▶ How manage persistent storage?
- ▶ Resize/Upgrade
- ▶ Reconfigure - templating
- ▶ Backup - handle automatically

# STATEFUL APPLICATIONS IMPLEMENTATION

- ▶ Statefulsets
  - ▶ Allow for persistent storage replicas to have an identity
  - ▶ One Persistent Volume per Claim



### THAT'S ME RIGHT?

An Operator is an application-specific controller that extends the Kubernetes API to create, configure and manage instances of complex stateful applications on behalf of a Kubernetes user.

CoreOS

THAT'S ME RIGHT?

Make it work like a cloud  
provided offering.

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# ELASTIC-OPERATOR

<https://github.com/upmc-enterprises/elasticsearch-operator>

# ELASTICSEARCH OPERATOR

- ▶ Mimic Cloud Offerings
- ▶ Full TLS
  - ▶ Automatic certificate generation
  - ▶ Encrypted EBS Volumes
  - ▶ Communication TLS (SearchGuard\*)
- ▶ Span availability zones in AWS (Creation & Scaling)
- ▶ Snapshots to S3
- ▶ Deploy Add-ons Automatically
  - ▶ Kibana / Cerebro

\* <http://floragunn.com/searchguard>

## THERE'S SOME WORK TO DO

- ▶ Shard / Zone Allocation
- ▶ Elastic cluster status
- ▶ Rolling restarts
- ▶ Upgrades

# KONG-OPERATOR

<https://github.com/upmc-enterprises/kong-operator>

## KONG API GATEWAY

- ▶ Open source API Gateway
- ▶ Isolate traffic into our applications
- ▶ Handles Authentication (HMAC) for clients

CLIENT/SERVICES

API/RPC

Authentication

Rate-Limiting

PRIVATE

API/RPC

Authentication

Rate-Limiting

Logging

Caching

Serverless

PUBLIC

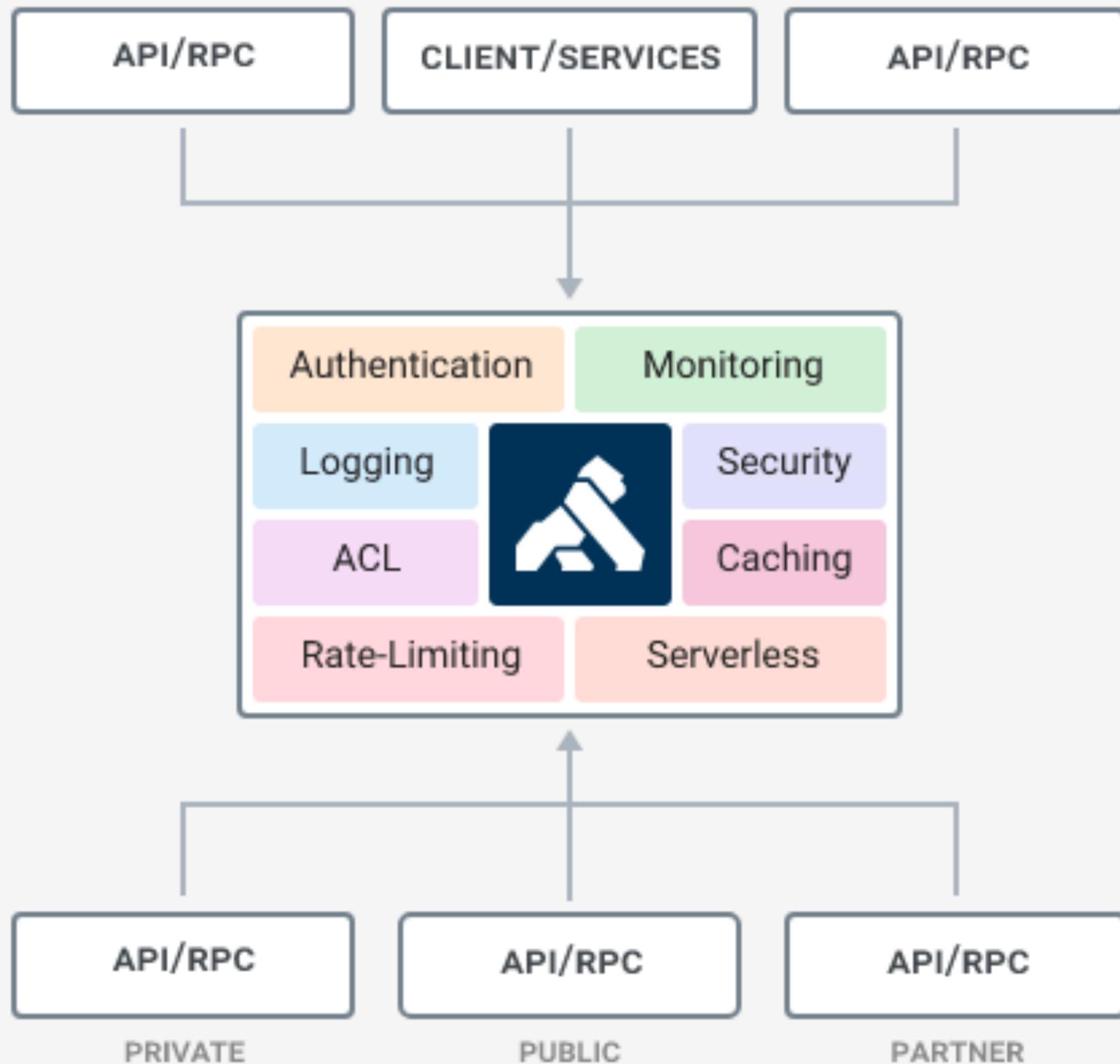
API/RPC

Authentication

Rate-Limiting

Monitoring

PARTNER

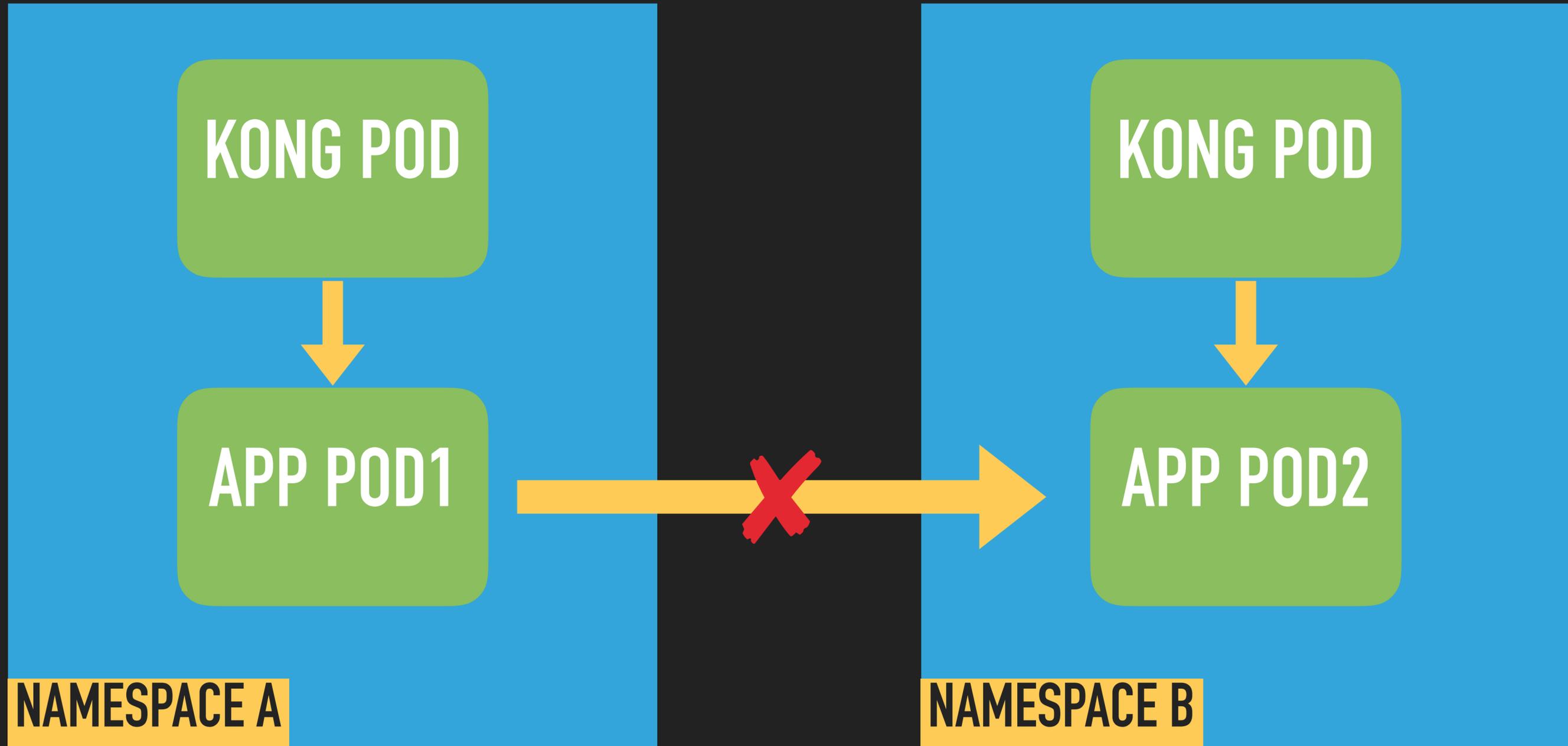


## KONG OPERATOR

- ▶ Configuration for applications stored as files (TPRs)
  - ▶ Checked into source
  - ▶ Code reviewed
  - ▶ HTTP is not easily reproducible

# NETWORK POLICIES

- ▶ Limit access to API



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