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Back from the Future: A Time Traveller's Take on Serverless

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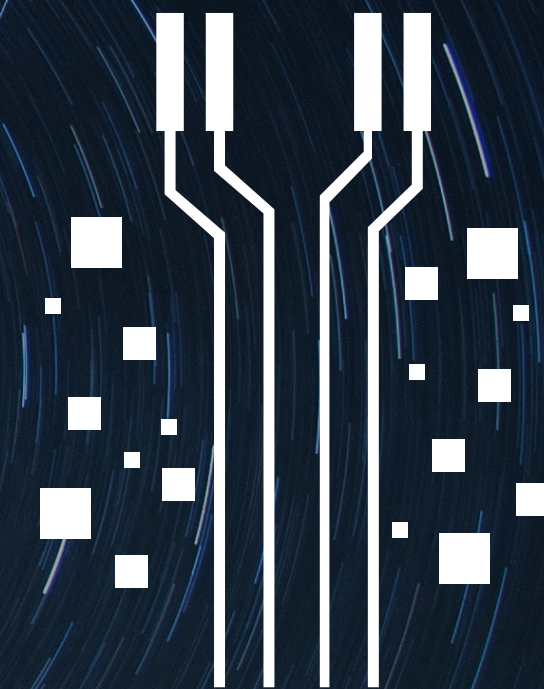
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Analytics



Image Processing



Event Processing

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**Suboptimal
performance**



**Lack of full serverless
ecosystem**



**Newer solutions still require
resource management**

Serverless: The Future



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Execution without resource management



Containers != Serverless



**Making the cloud
more accessible**



**Moving from operators
to developers**

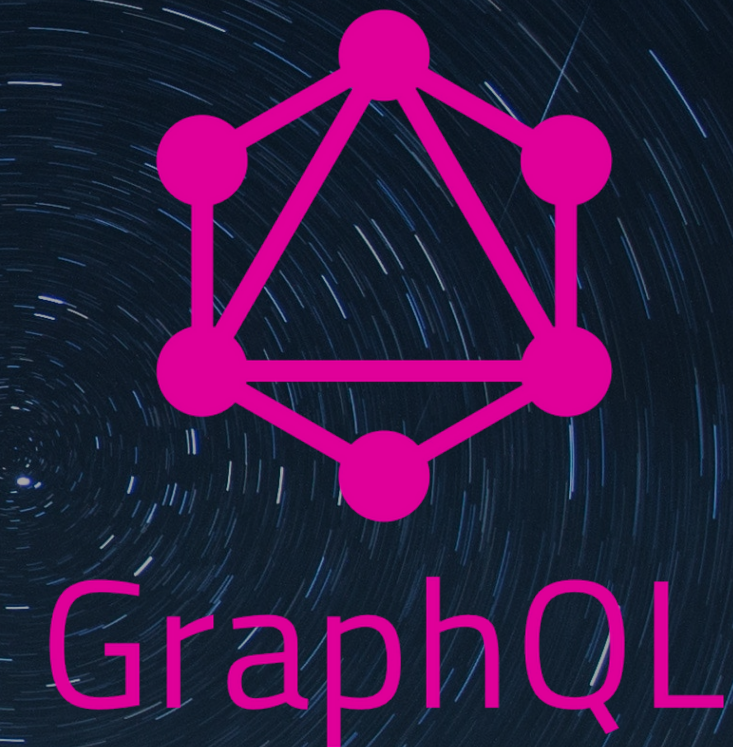
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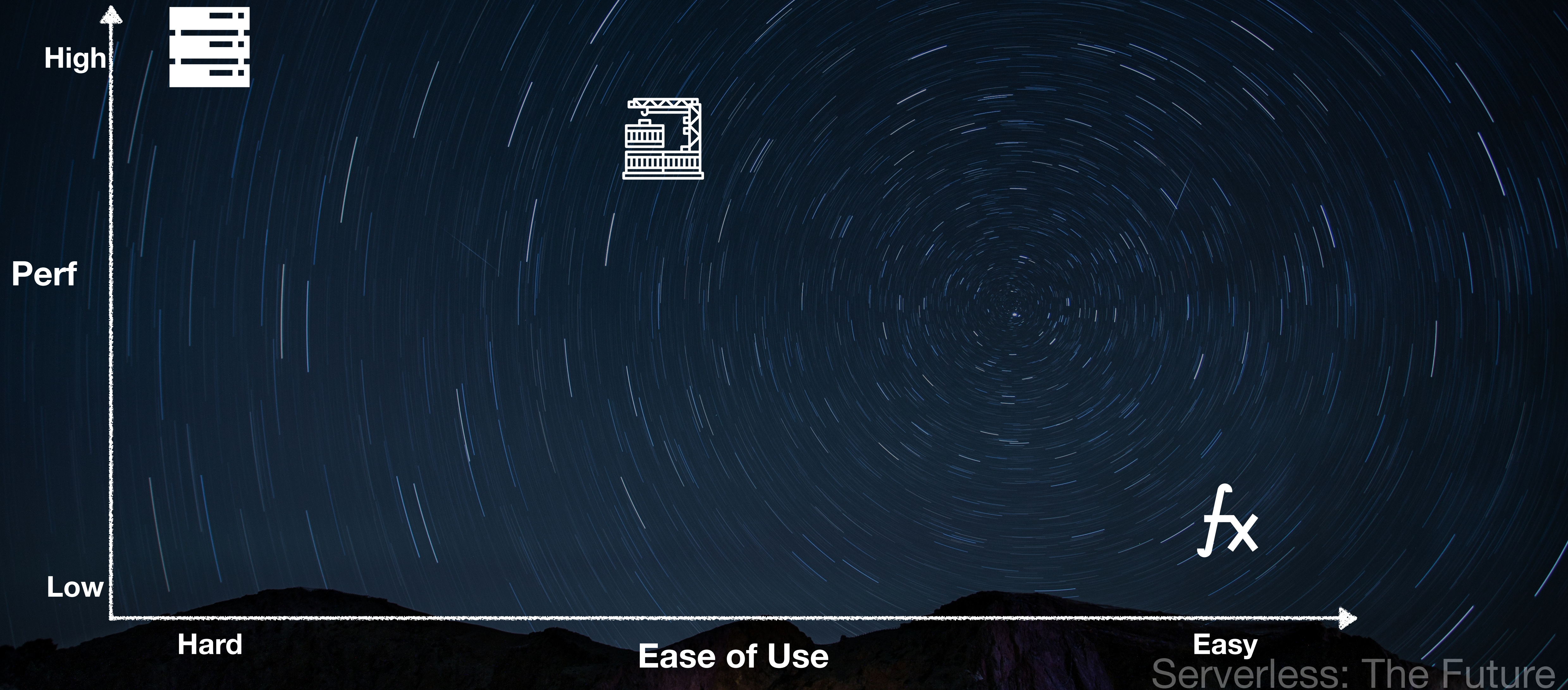


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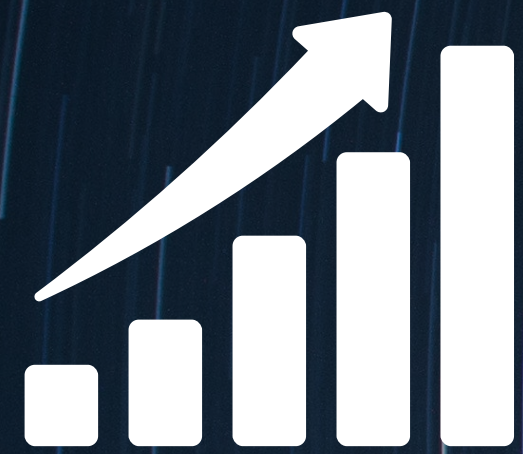


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**Advanced fine
grained autoscaling**



**New OS & Virtualization
Technologies**



Economies of scale

A glimpse into the future: WeChat + Tencent Cloud Serverless 2.0



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Tencent Serverless Cloud Function



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