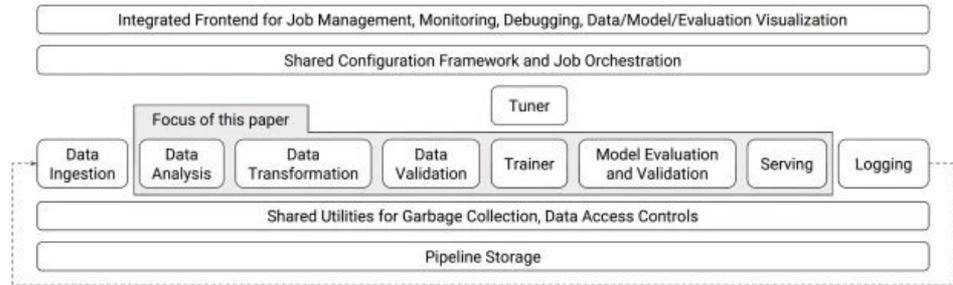
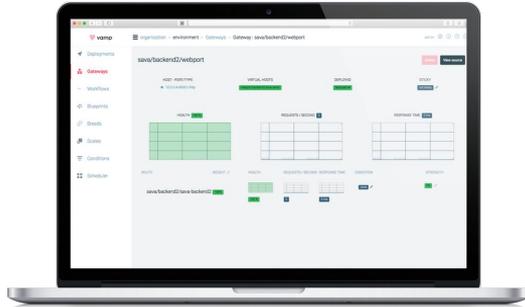


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A Tale of Two Worlds

Canary-Testing for Both ML Models and Microservices



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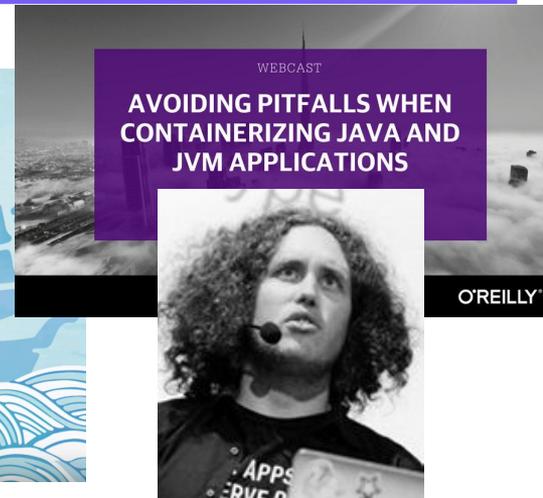
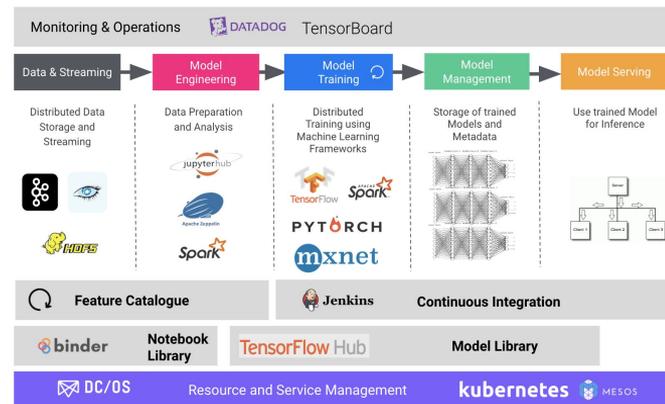
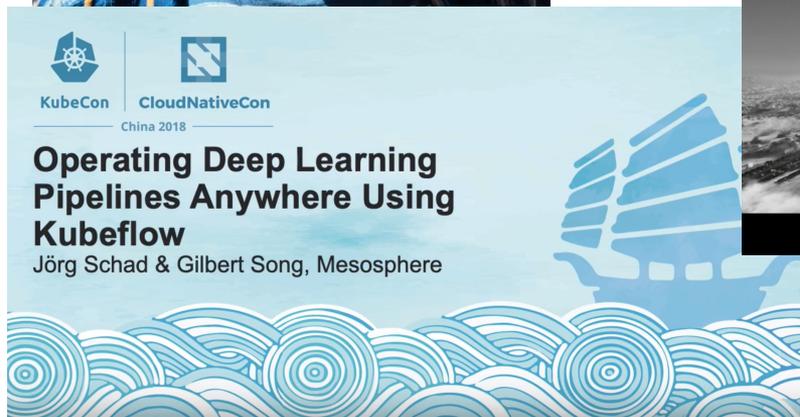
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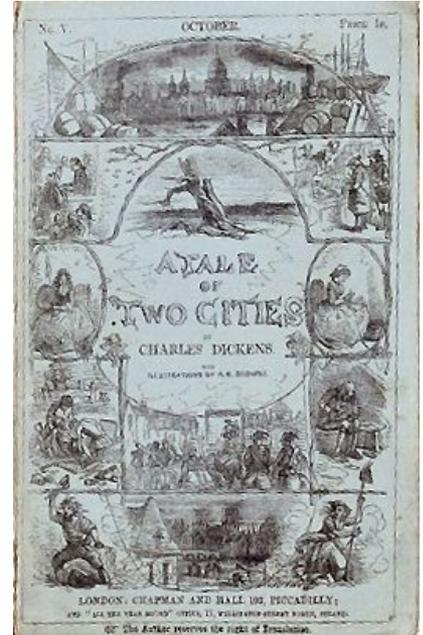
it was the worst of times -where we actually had to deploy all those pieces,

it was the age of wisdom - where Machine Learning allowed for cool Models,

it was the age of foolishness - where we suffered to productionize these models,

it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity,

it was the season of Light, it was the season of Darkness, it was the spring of hope, it was the winter of despair, we had everything before us, we had nothing before us, we were all going direct to Heaven, we were all going direct the other way—in short, the period was so far like the present period, that some of its noisiest authorities insisted on its being received, for good or for evil, in the superlative degree of comparison only. [\[2\]](#)



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Deployment of Microservices

TensorFlow
Extended

Deployment of Machine Learning Models

Microservice Deployments

Challenges

Blue/green....

Canary Releases

A/B Testing

Solutions

Service Meshes (Istio)

Vamp

Vamp's history

Our mission: Provide an easy-to-use and powerful solution to transform software from ideas into value as efficiently as possible, using cloud-native technologies.

Important: Releasing is (much) more than technical deployment. Continuous validation requires observability and “golden metrics”. Processes are crucial. Tools and technologies are means to an end.

2014: canary testing & releasing and SLA-based auto-scaling on top of Mesos+Marathon, using HAProxy for networking (service-discovery/load-balancing/mesh/ingress)

2016: added Kubernetes support

2019: added Istio support

Vamp



DC/OS



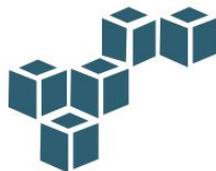
Kubernetes



HAProxy



Istio



Amazon Web Services



Microsoft Azure

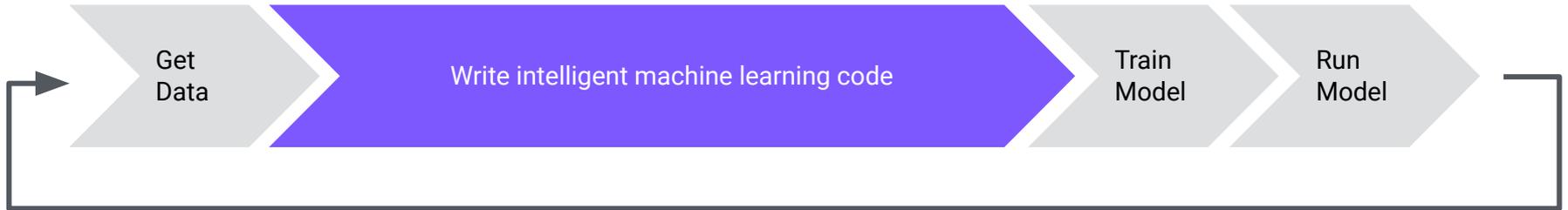


Google Cloud

Machine Learning....



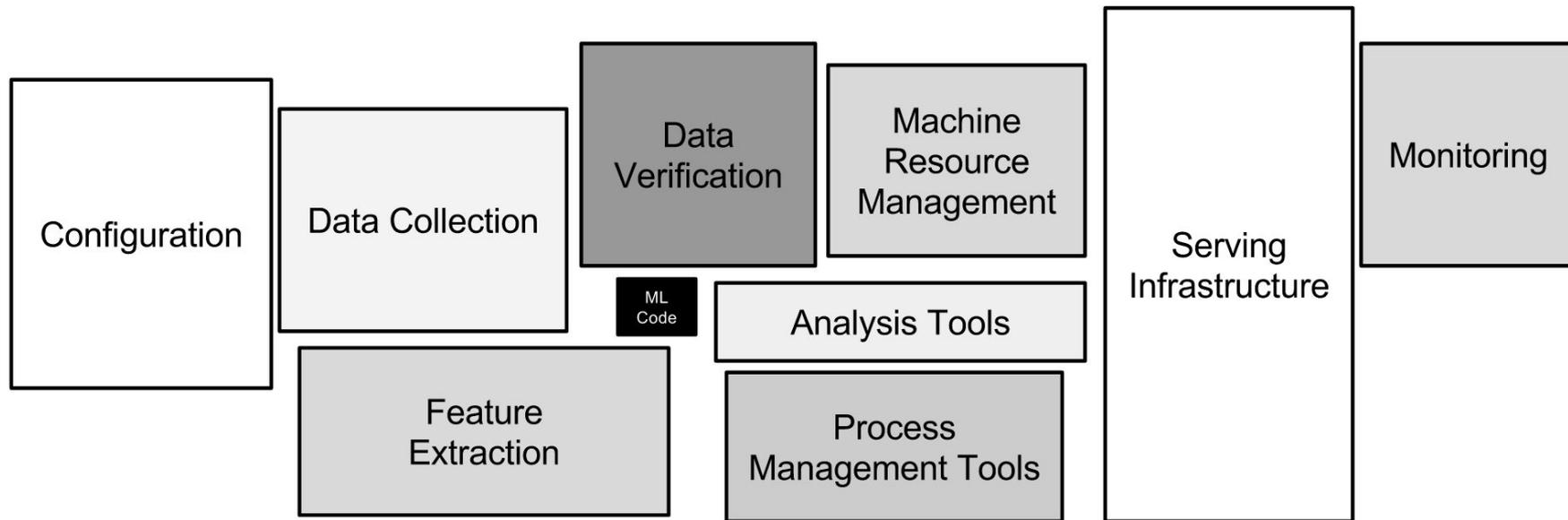
What you want to be doing



Repeat



What you're actually doing



Sculley, D., Holt, G., Golovin, D. et al. Hidden Technical Debt in Machine Learning Systems

Monitoring & Operations



DATADOG

TensorBoard

Data & Streaming

Model Engineering

Model Training

Model Management

Model Serving

Distributed Data Storage and Streaming

Data Preparation and Analysis

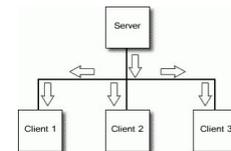
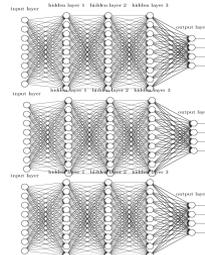
Distributed Training using Machine Learning Frameworks

Storage of trained Models and Metadata

Use trained Model for Inference



PYTORCH



Feature Catalogue



Jenkins

Continuous Integration



Notebook Library

TensorFlow Hub

Model Library



Resource and Service Management

kubernetes



Challenge: Persona(s)



The Rise of the *DataOps Engineer*

Combines two key skills:

- Data science
- Distributed systems engineering

The equivalent of *DevOps* for *Data Science*

- **Build** automation software to run machine learning systems
- **Operate** systems so they're available, scalable, and performant
- **Evangelize** tools and best practices among data scientists



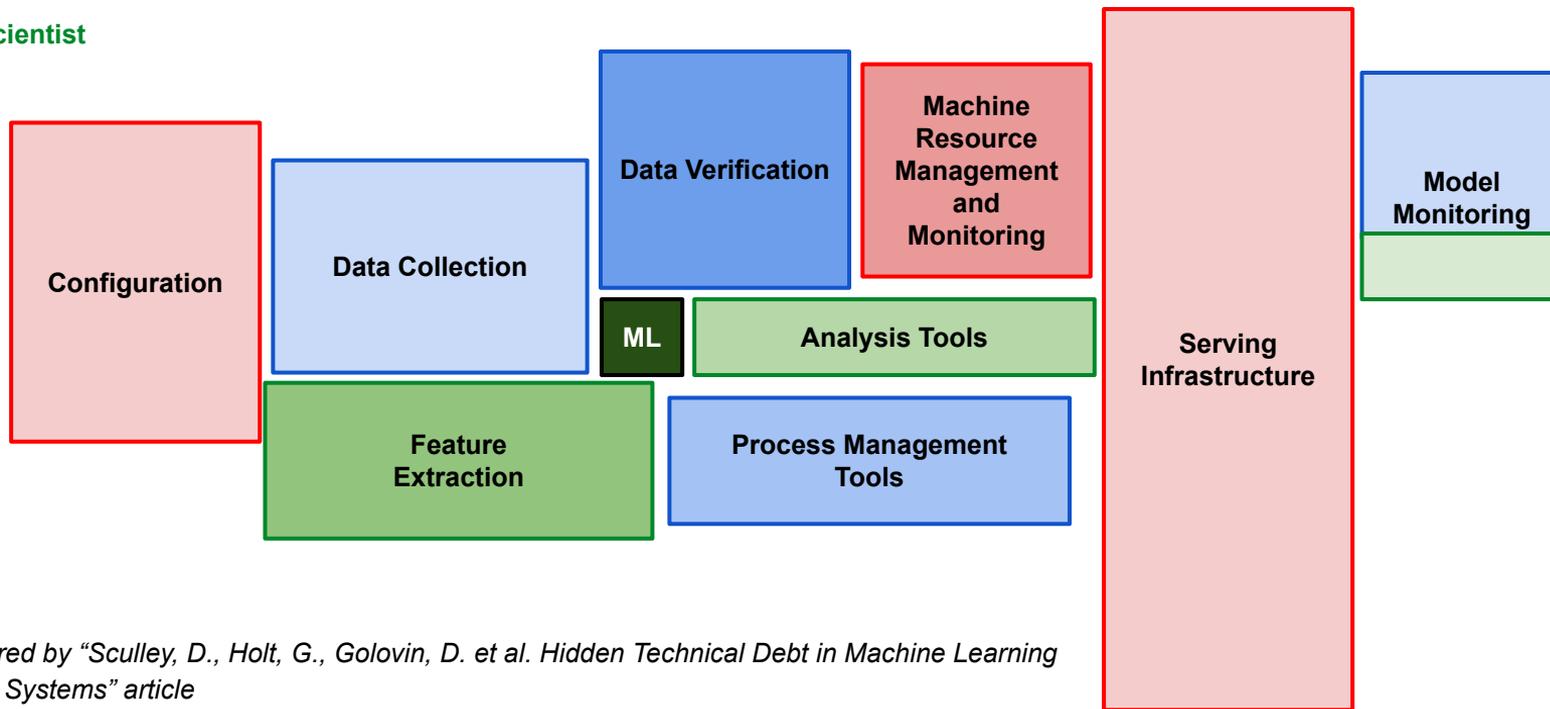
Division of Labor



System Admin/ DevOps

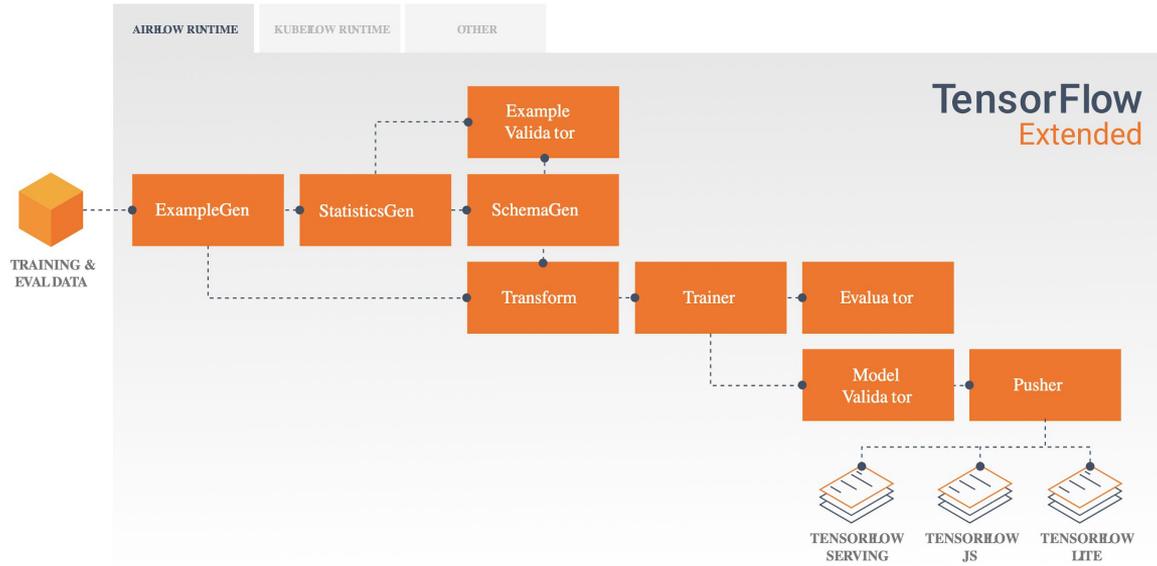
Data Engineer/DataOps

Data Scientist



Inspired by "Sculley, D., Holt, G., Golovin, D. et al. Hidden Technical Debt in Machine Learning Systems" article

TensorFlow Extended

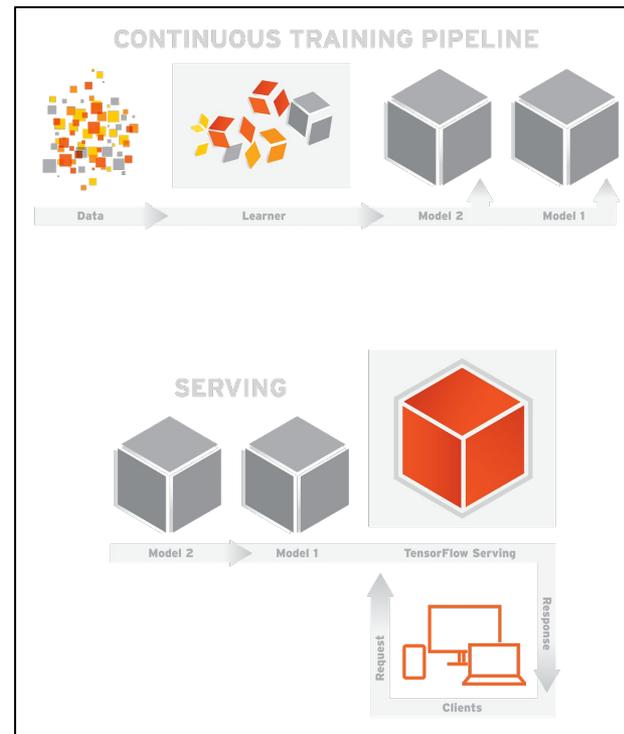


<http://www.kdd.org/kdd2017/papers/view/tfx-a-tensorflow-based-production-scale-machine-learning-platform>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fPTwLVCq00U>

Challenge: Serving Environment

- How to Deploy Models?
 - Zero Downtime
 - Canary
- Multiple Models?
 - Testing
 - Different Scenarios
 - Updating models
 - Shadow models
 - A/B Canary testing

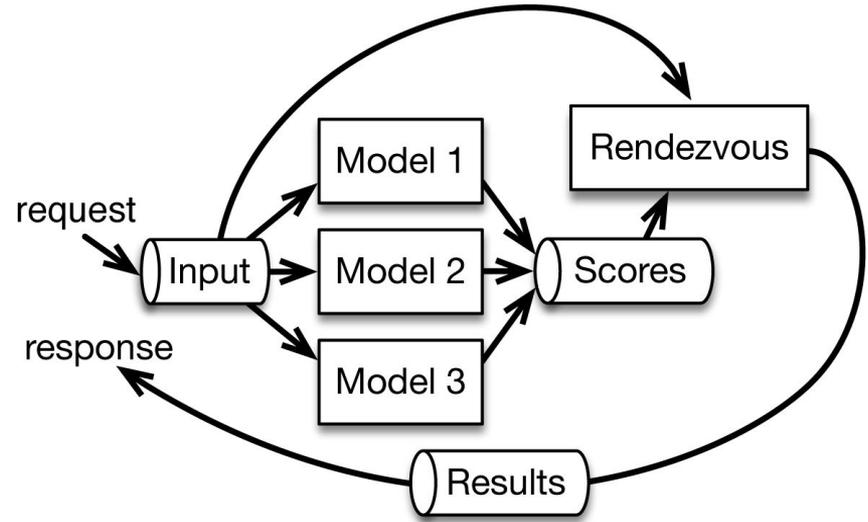


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• Common Metadata

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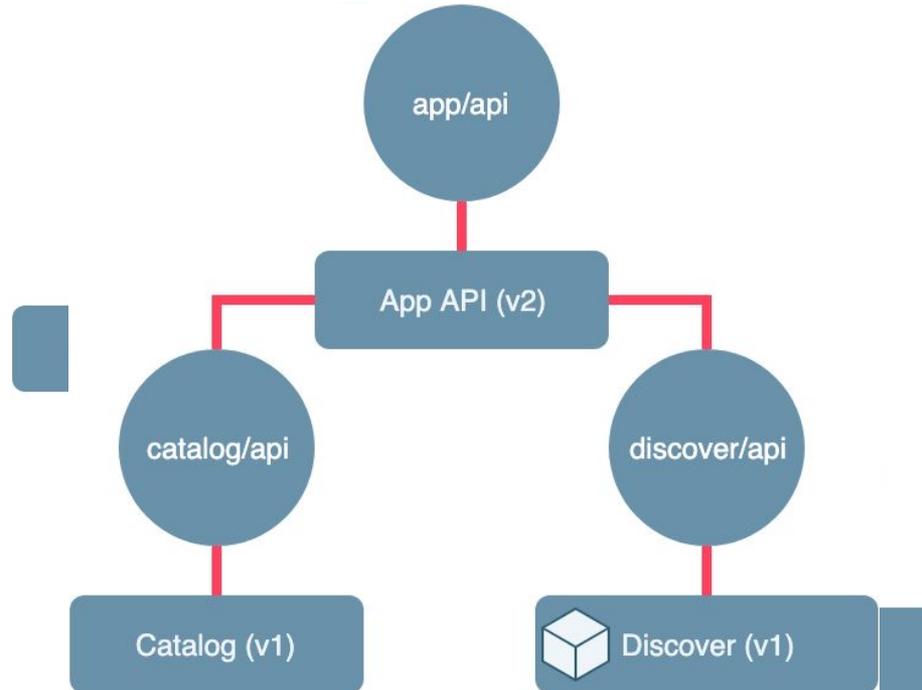
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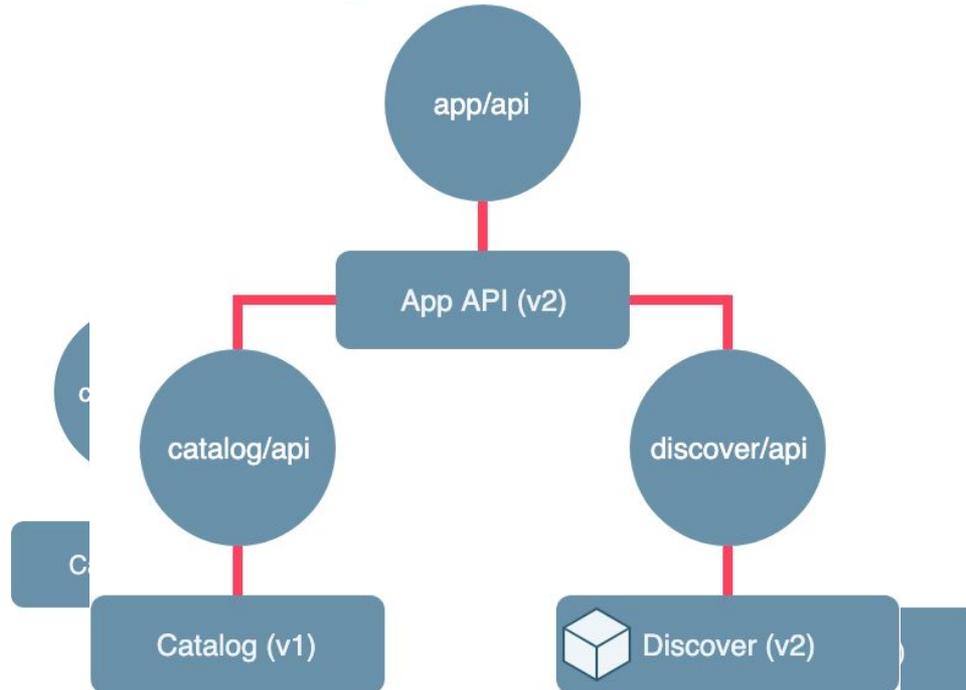
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Deployment of Services

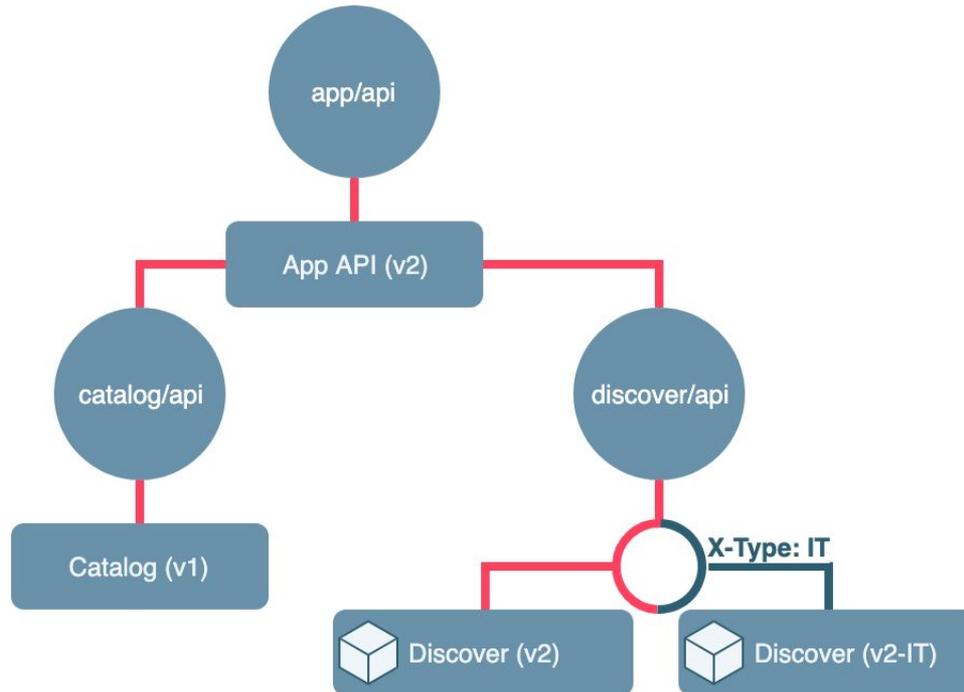
Demo: Canary Release Service



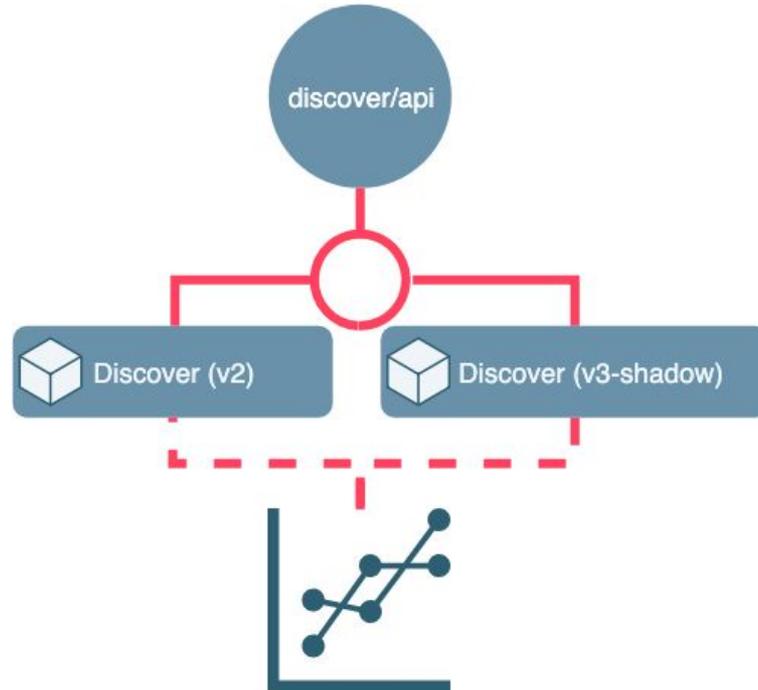
Demo: Canary Release ML Model



Scenario: Model Segmentation



Scenario: Shadow Traffic



Talk with us

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What's next for Vamp?

- Integrating Istio for smart networking
- AI/ML based workflows & policies for self-learning and optimisation
- More CI and APM integrations
- Additional release, validation, experimentation and optimisation workflows
- Hybrid containers & serverless support
- Cloud-based version with new & improved core “engine”