Finding the Sin Chaos Engineering

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Fun facts about us and our work at Target & Gremlin...



Chaos Engineering is thoughtful, planned experiments designed to reveal weakness in your systems.

Chaos Engineering Experiments

Using the Scientific Method:

- Form a Hypothesis
- Experiment and Test It
- Analyze Results
- Expand Scope
- Share Results

GameDays are dedicated time to come together to gain insights, an opportunity to execute one or more experiments

The Cost of Downtime for the Top US Ecommerce Sites

Downtime is expensive, but for ecommerce companies an outage brings business to a standstill. To illustrate the impact of downtime, Gremiin used online revenue metrics¹ to calculate just how much each second of downtime costs the largest and most well-known ecommerce retailers.

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COMPANY	BETTMATED AMMUNU BOOMWERCE REVENUE	REVENUE LOSS POR HOUR	REVENUE LOSS PER MINUTE	REVENUE LOSS THIS SESSION
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🔆 WallMart.com	821,443,900,000	62,448,272.00	840,771.20	80.00
HomeDepot.com	\$7,813,000,000.00	5858,454.00	\$14,474.40	93.00
Exclusion	86,126,000,000.00	8696,832.00	811,647.20	90.00

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Where we started

"Don't wait for your ticket to the dance, just show up!"

Josh Hardin

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100K+

Mobile Devices

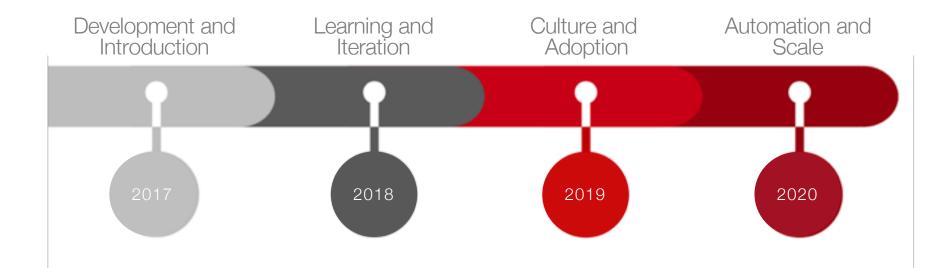
40 Distribution Centers

Enterprise Data Centers

5K+ Applications

It's not going to work

Let's Team Up & Introduce Chaos Engineering





In the Beginning...

Engineer Led Service Focused Manual Execution Fire Drills



Safety

Expertise

Speed to value

Success!



So now we're experts



Target Resiliency Automation Platform



TAKE-OUT, EAT IN Restaurant

Watch our Master of Disaster prepare Chaos Specials for your Applications



Fast, Resilient Services

To place your orders, please Slack us @ #chaos

Learn @ go/chaos

Chaos Specials

Served daily, when you least expect it

Resource

- Impact cores, workers, and memory
- CPU (Consumes CPU resources) C1 CPU attack with rice, spicy API sauce
- and a full heap! Disk (Consumes disk space)
- C2 Disk attack with orange chicken
- C3 IO (Consumes targeted file system devices resources) IO attack with veggies and fried rice
- C4 Memory(Consumes memory) Memory attack with lobster sauce

State

Process killer, shutdown, and time travel

- C5 Process killer (An attack which kills the specified process) Process killer with beef and broccoli and your choice of rice
- C6 Shutdown (Reboots or shuts down the targeted host OS)

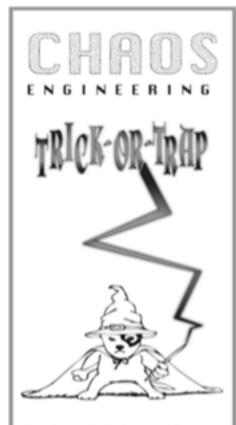
Extra spicy Shutdown attack with hot and sour fish soup and bad guest experience.

Time travel (Changes the system C7 time)

Time Travel attack with shrimp and vegetables and black bean sauce

Network Blackhole, latency, packet loss and DNS

- C8 Blackhole (Drops all matching network traffic)
 - Blackhole attack with spicy Kung Pao Shrimp and extra paging at 3:00 am!
- C9 DNS (Blocks access to DNS servers) DNS attack with shredded pork with garlic sauce
- C10 Latency (Adds latency to all matching egress network traffic) 11 Latency attack with Mongolian beef, mixed vegetables, and extra MSG
- C11 Packet Loss (Introduces packet loss to all matching egress network traffic) Packet Loss attack with Chicken Chow mein



Watch our Spell-Caster of Disaster curse your application with chaos

cast your own spells @ go/trap/sandbox

Chaos Spellbook

curses, benes, and charms meant to invite chaos

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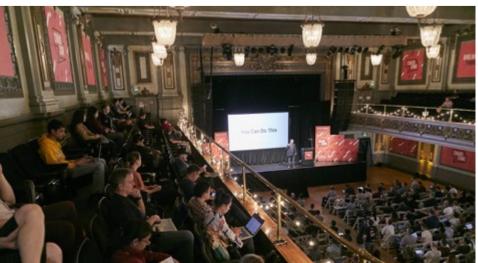
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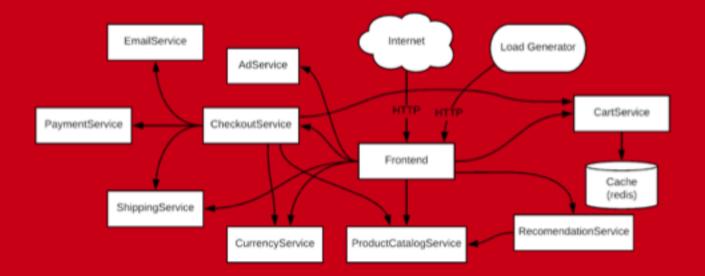


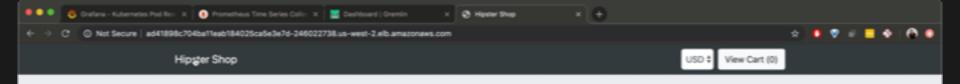






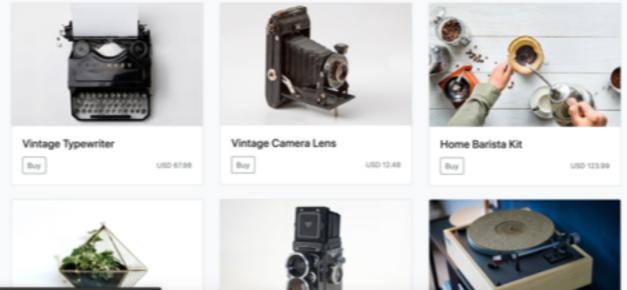
Google Cloud Platform's Microservices Demo





One-stop for Hipster Fashion & Style Online

Tired of mainstream fashion ideas, popular trends and societal norms? This line of lifestyle products will help you catch up with the hipster trend and express your personal style. Start shopping hip and vintage items now!



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Recommended Chaos Engineering Experiments on Kubernetes **Resource Attacks** (CPU) to test Auto-Scaling Policies on the Nodes, Pods or Containers

Network Attacks (Latency, Packet Loss, Blackhole) to test dependencies



The Road Ahead:

Increased OKRs around chaos experimentation

Continuous experimentation in production

Increased scope and scale

Machine Learning



"There will be many failures sprinkled among the successes you enjoy."



Join over 3000+ Engineers in the Chaos Engineering Community Slack

tinyurl.com/chaoseng

Ian Stockdale 6:26 PM Hi all. I'm coming up to speed on chaos engineering, and looking forward to learning more here!

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