

App Testing at Scale: How Bitnami Tests Thousands of Releases Per Month

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Bitnami, Now part of VMware

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Bitnami is a Catalog of Free Open Source Software

10+ years building and maintaining software packages

Over 180 applications, components, frameworks, templates, and more, including...



Any Environment



Local



Cloud



Data Center

Any Format



Virtual
Machines



Containers



Deployment
Templates

Any Platform

vmware®



ORACLE®



Google

IBM Cloud

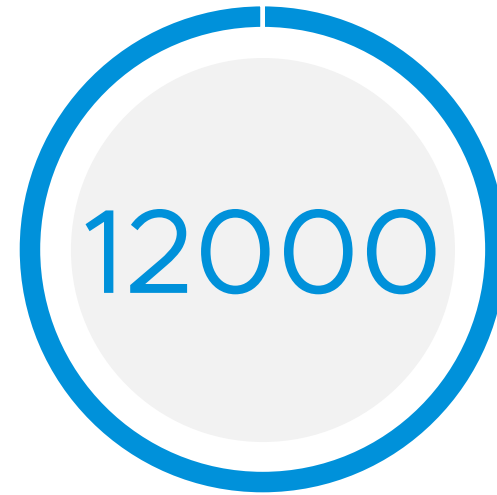
Testing and publishing the catalog is hard...



Components
we track



Tests we use



Containers we
release every
month



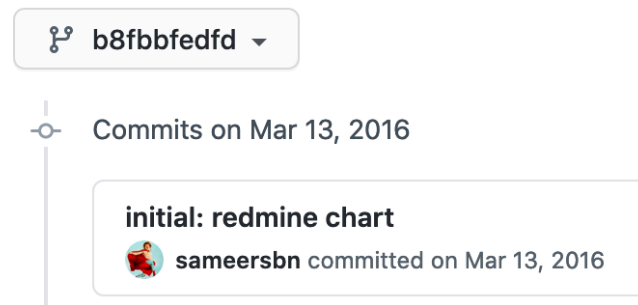
Charts we
maintain

...and requires experience

Community offering: More than 10 years of backlog publishing the solutions in the major cloud providers



And more than 4 years generating Charts for the users



Enterprise offering (VMware Tanzu)

- Open source and commercial applications
- Customized to their specific requirements
- Multiple platforms



Our pillars



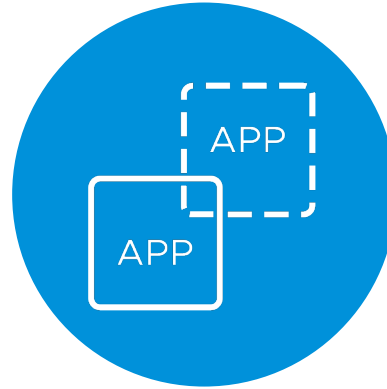
Up-to-date

Always using the latest versions



Security

Taking the best security practices in mind



Unified configuration

To simplify the development on top of our solutions



Useful documentation

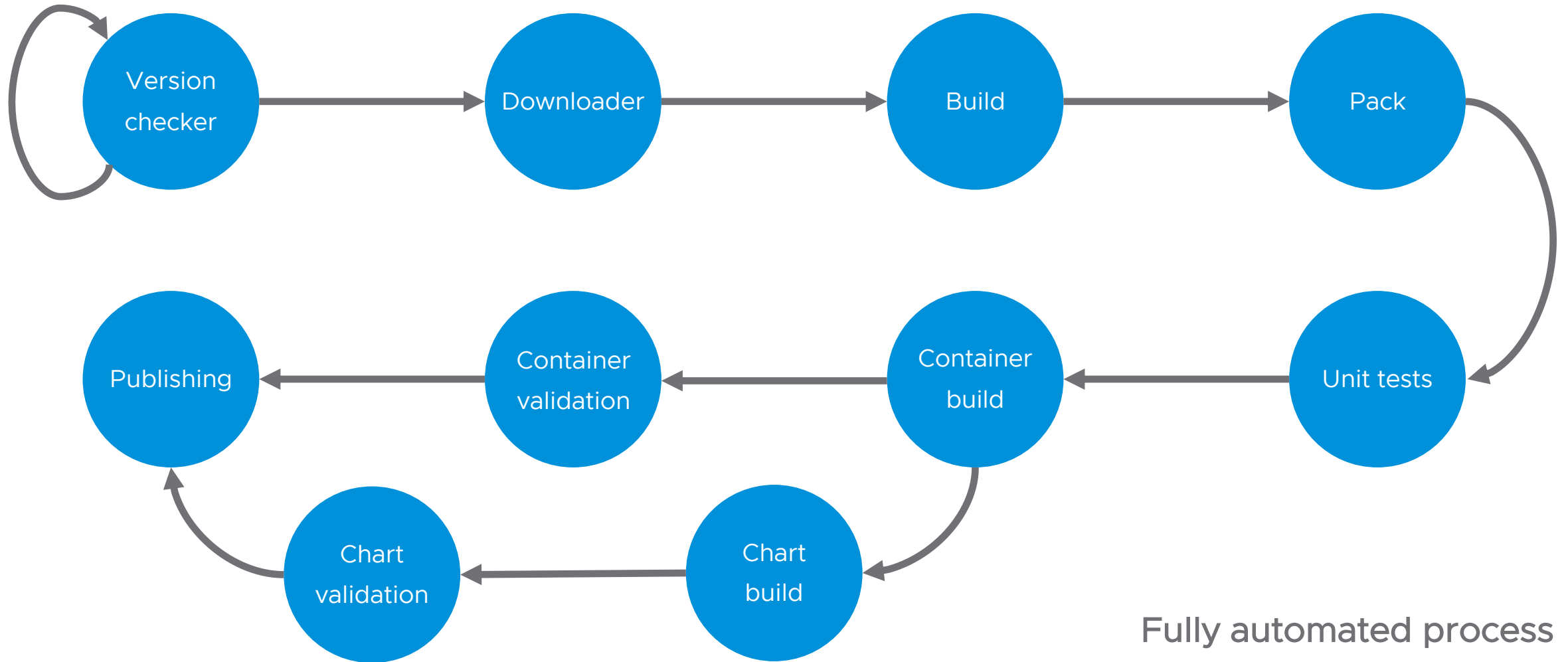
To help our users to perform common actions



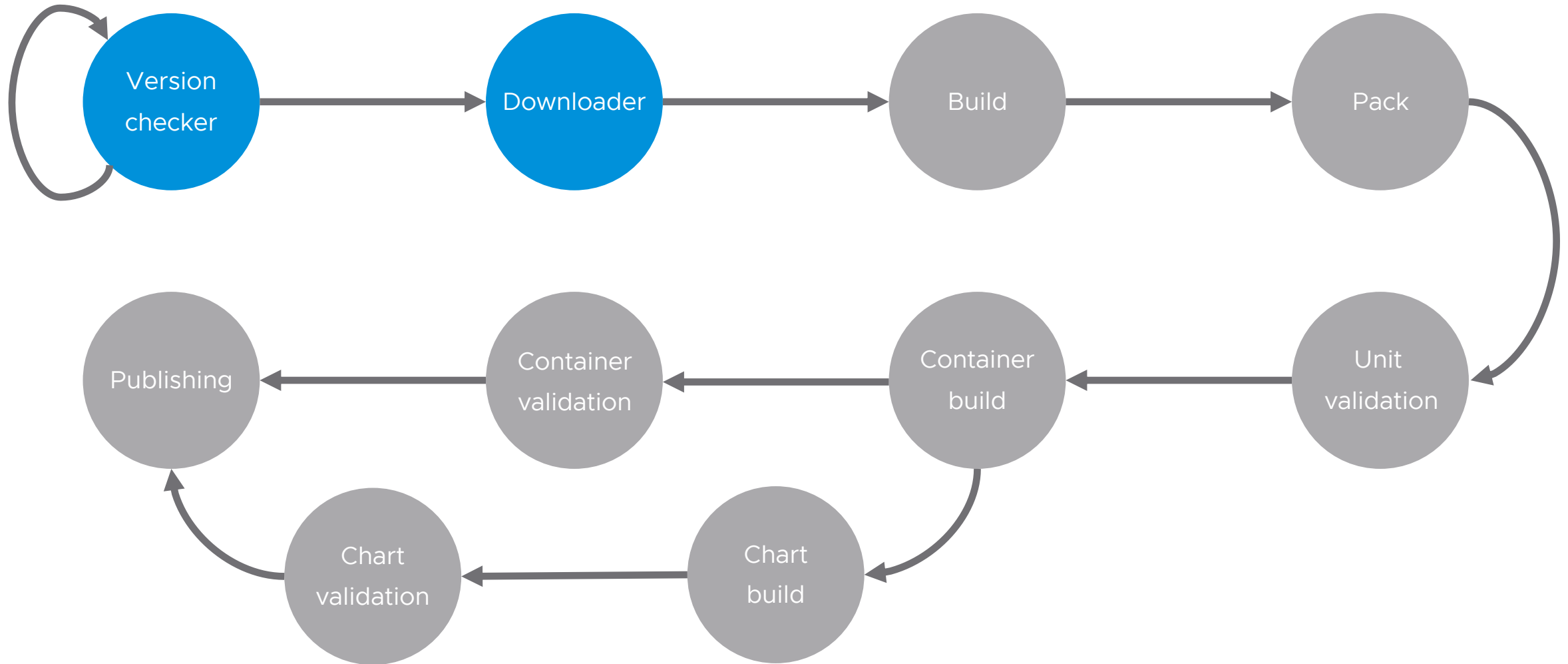
High quality support

To answer any questions the users have

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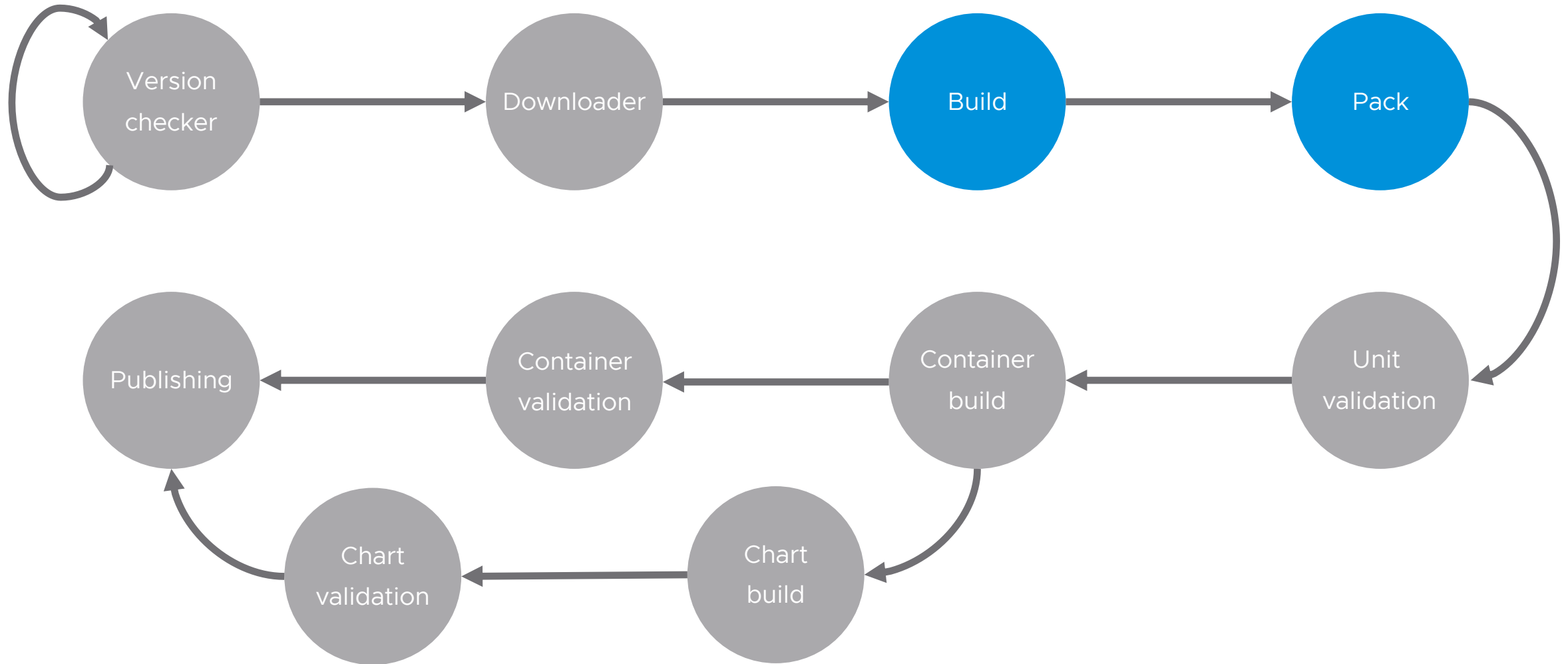


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Build process



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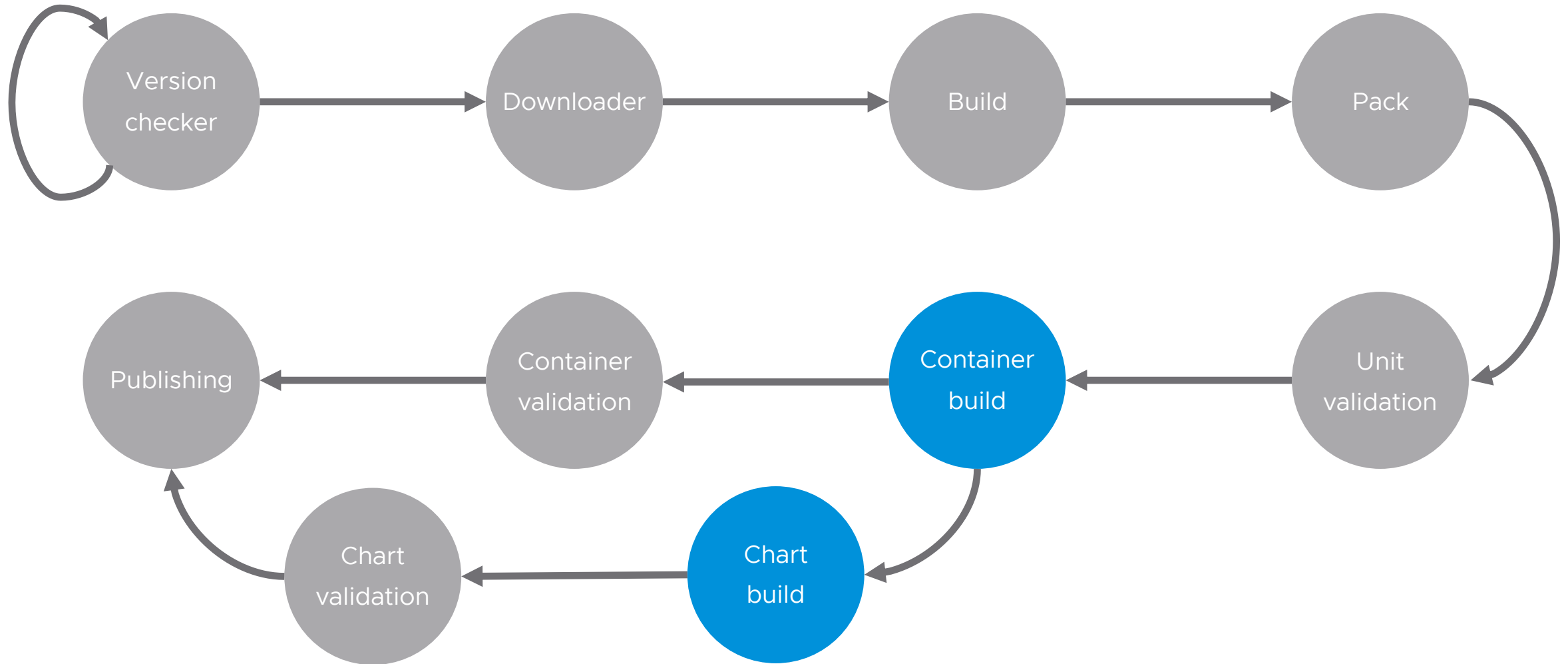
Build process

Prepare the package for a later usage

```
install() {  
  super.install();  
  
  const composerPath = $file.join(this.be.prefixDir, 'php/bin/composer');  
  const mainComposerFile = $file.join(this.prefix, 'composer.json');  
  const coreComposerFile = $file.join(this.prefix, 'core', 'composer.json');  
  $file.substitute(mainComposerFile, 'self.version', `~${this.version}`);  
  $file.substitute(coreComposerFile, 'self.version', `~${this.version}`);  
  
  this.composerPkgs.forEach((pkg) => {  
    this.logger.info(`==> Requiring ${pkg.name} '${pkg.component.version}' for Drupal...`);  
    $os.runProgram(  
      composerPath,  
      `require ${pkg.name}:${pkg.component.version}`,  
      {cwd: this.prefix, env: {COMPOSER_MEMORY_LIMIT: '2G'}, logger: this.logger}  
    );  
  });  
}
```

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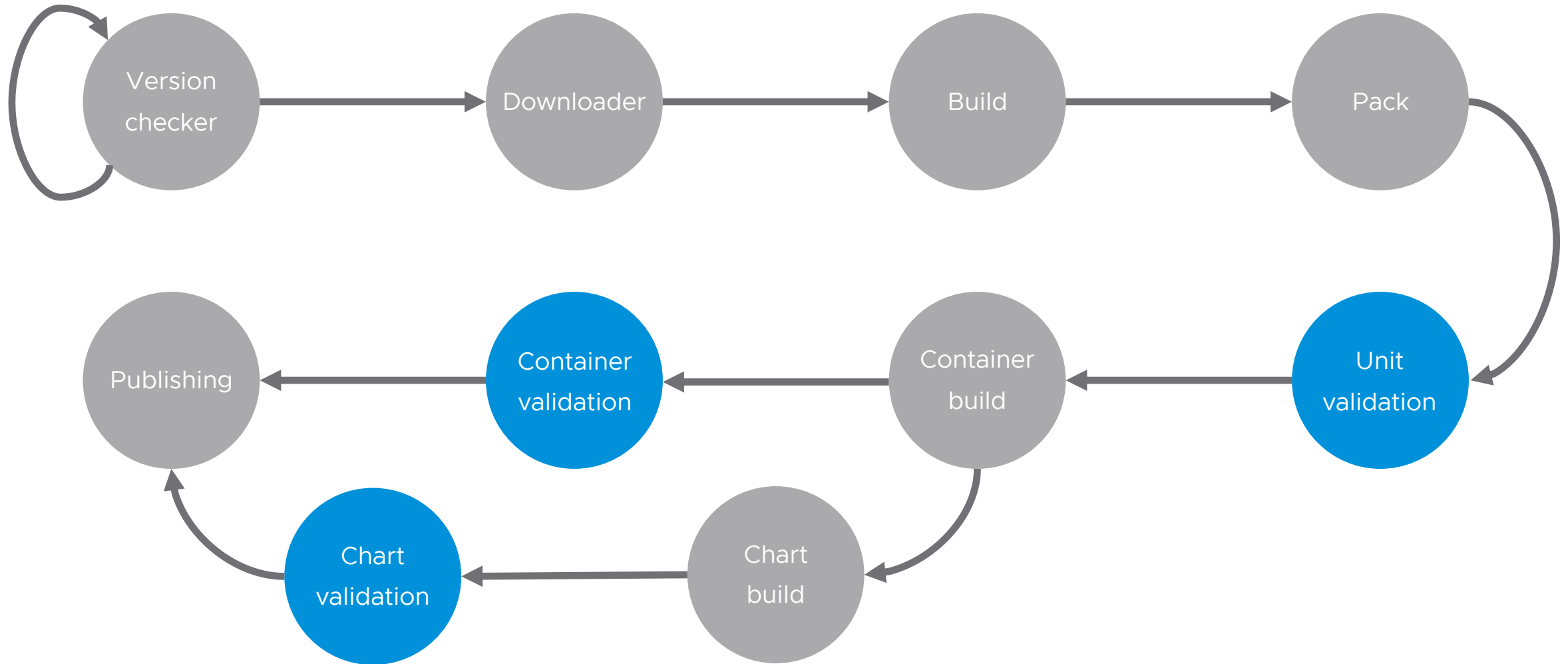
Build process

- Updates Dockerfile to use the latest versions of Bitnami packages as well as updating the system's packages
- Updates the Chart's files to use the new testing containers

```
Step 13/25 : RUN apt-get update && apt-get upgrade -y &&      rm -r /var/lib/apt/lists /var/cache/apt/archives
---> Running in 60a0049794f2
Get:1 http://deb.debian.org/debian buster InRelease [121 kB]
Get:2 http://security.debian.org buster/updates InRelease [65.4 kB]
Get:3 http://security.debian.org buster/updates/main amd64 Packages [295 kB]
Get:4 http://deb.debian.org/debian buster/main amd64 Packages [10.7 MB]
Fetched 11.2 MB in 1s (12.4 MB/s)
Reading package lists...
Reading package lists...
Building dependency tree...
Reading state information...
Calculating upgrade...
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.
Removing intermediate container 60a0049794f2
---> 9084ab17fdc4
Step 14/25 : RUN chmod g+rwX /opt/bitnami
---> Running in 0de5699e8a39
```

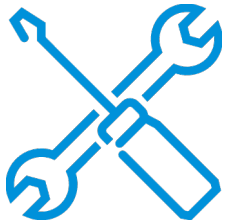

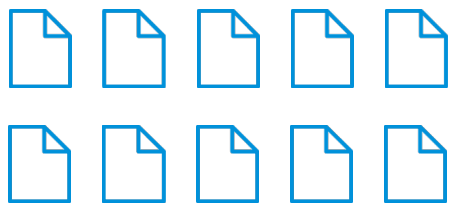





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The Bitnami Validation System is a set of tools, scripts and files	that defines the actions to perform	when validating the different applications	in all the supported platforms
  	<p>Common actions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Confirm that there are no CVEs affecting the solution• Deploy the solution and confirm that it is deployed correctly• Perform the upgrade process• Log in to the application with the random password we generated• Create a new site/job/report/etc. or install a plugin/theme• Run one command and ensure it shows the correct output• Check that the permissions of this file are correct• etc.	    	<p>Charts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TKG, GKE, AKS, IKS <p>Containers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dockerhub, AWS <p>Virtual Machines</p> <p>SingleVMs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• VMware, AWS, Google, Azure, IBM <p>MultiTier</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AWS, Google, Azure, VMware <p>Native Installers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Windows, Linux and OS X

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```
Charts charts = new Charts()
// Merge information for the main image in the chart and the secondary images
Map chartInfo = charts.extendChartInfoWithDockerRegistry(
    parseDockerRegistry(clusterInfo.dockerRegistry), opts.chartInfo
)
pushTestingImages(chartInfo, cloud, clusterInfo.dockerconfig, requiresPushToRegistry)

clusterCtx.kubeconfigFile = "${pwd()}/kubeconfig-${cloud}"
writeFile file: clusterCtx.kubeconfigFile, text: clusterInfo.kubeconfig
withEnv(["KUBECONFIG=${clusterCtx.kubeconfigFile}"]) {
    if (shouldExecuteDefaultParametersInstallation) {
        try {
            checkDeploymentWithDefaults(asset, clusterCtx, opts.name, chartPath, chartInfo)
        } catch (e) {
            if (shouldTestBlock(asset, cloud, 'default-parameters')) {
                throw(e)
            } else {
                echo "Installing the chart with default parameters failed. Not blocking releases because of this.\n${e}"
            }
        }
    } else {
        echo "Skipping chart installation with default parameters for '${opts.name}'"
    }
    test(asset, opts.name, clusterCtx, chartPath, chartInfo)
    upgradeTest(asset, opts.name, clusterCtx, chartPath, chartInfo)
}
```

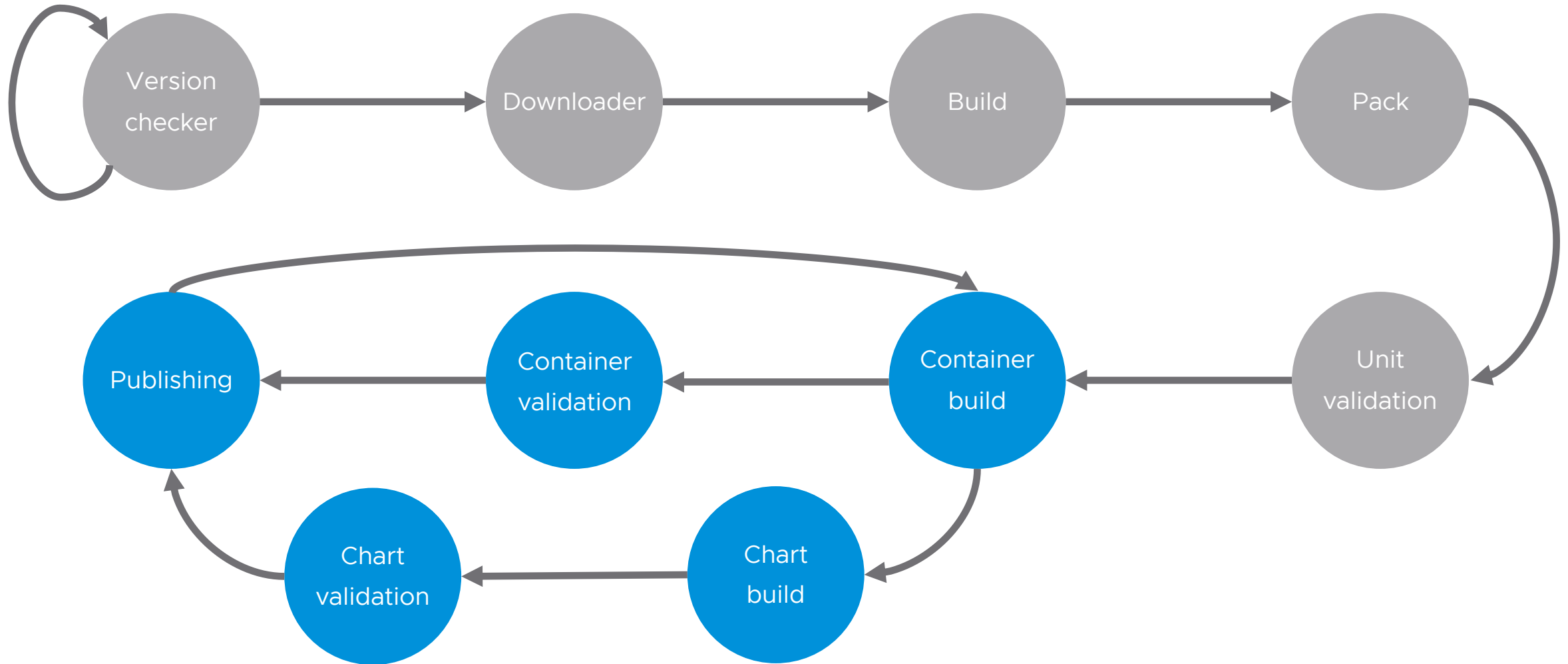
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DEMO TIME

Simplify to go faster

Daily releases

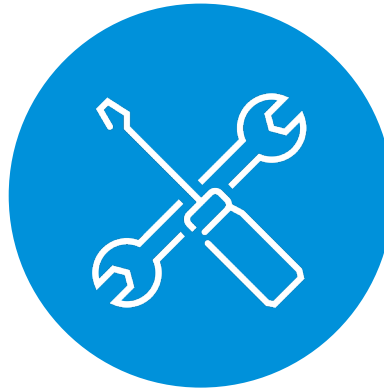


Lessons learned



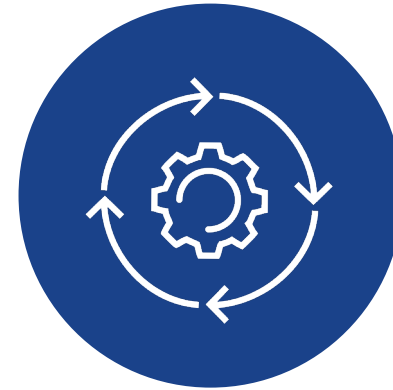
Security

Update the affected catalog as soon as possible



Code quality

Set up a process to find and fix code issues



Automation

Automate the process as much as you can to have a robust system

Lessons learned



Review your library of tests

Evaluate regularly the tests you perform and balance quality and quantity



Documentation

Generate content for your users and team to follow and keep it up to date



Support

Listen to your users, help them and provide support to all their questions

What's next?

If you have not tried our Charts yet

Go and get them from
<https://github.com/bitnami/charts>

```
$ helm repo add bitnami https://charts.bitnami.com/bitnami  
$ helm install wordpress bitnami/wordpress
```

Check out our tutorials at
<https://docs.bitnami.com/tutorials>

Or visit bitnami.com to deploy any other solution

If you want more from our catalog

[VMware Tanzu Application Catalog](#) is a service that combines content and tools to allow IT organizations to consume open source and commercial application customized to their specific requirements, across multiple platforms.





Thank You