



# Thinking Inside the Container: A Continuous Delivery Story



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# Who's This Guy?



gazillion

JPMorganChase

Sapient



OUR MISSION

**WE ASPIRE**

TO BE THE MOST

**PLAYER**

**FOCUSED**

GAME COMPANY IN THE

**WORLD**



# A Quick Note on Riot Games



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# The Scale of League

MORE THAN  
**67** MILLION

MONTHLY  
ACTIVE  
PLAYERS

MORE THAN  
**27** MILLION

DAILY ACTIVE  
PLAYERS

**7.5** MILLION

PEAK  
CONCURRENT  
PLAYERS



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# 1.25 Million Builds a Year



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# Thinking Inside the Container



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# 10,000 - 14,000 Containers A Week



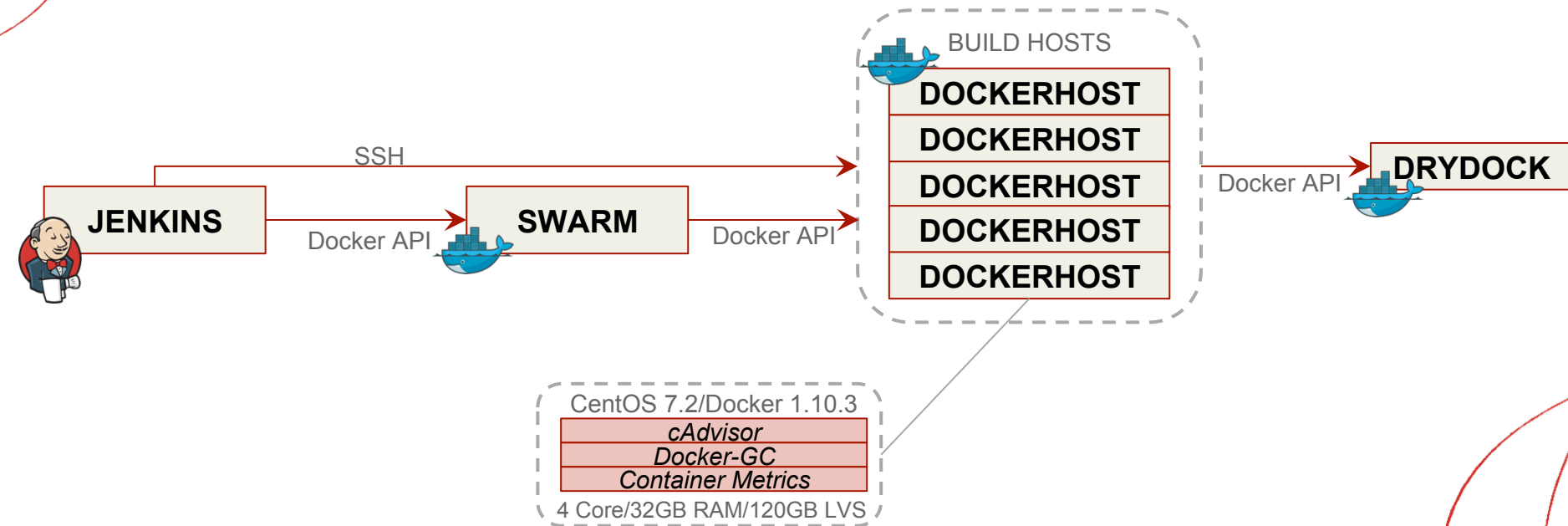
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# 120 Jobs An Hour



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# A Containerized Build Farm





# STORY TIME!

(aka. Presenting the Problem)





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# 3500+ Unique Build Jobs



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# 650+ Builds an Hour



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# 90+ Build Slaves



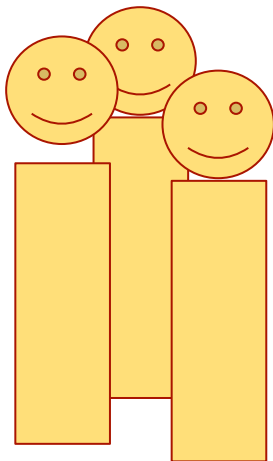
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# Expecting 100 More!

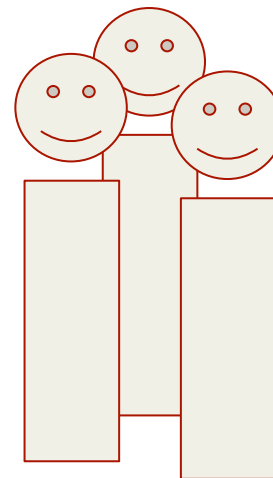
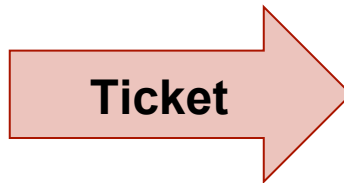
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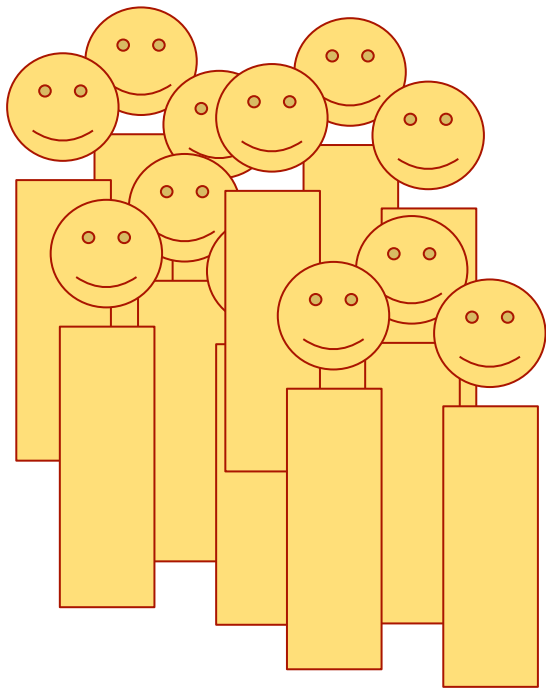


Build Team

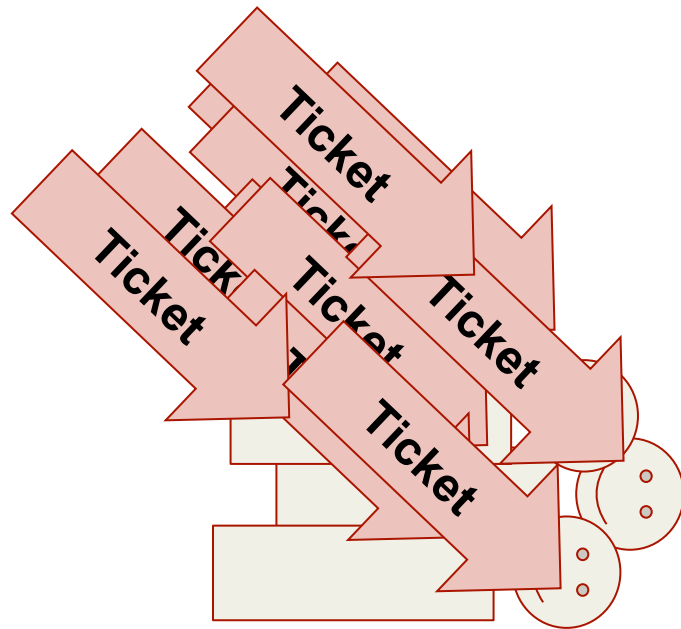
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Build Team



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# What Did We Want?

TEAMS  
NEEDED TO  
MOVE FAST

PRODUCTS  
HAD TO OWN  
THEIR STACK

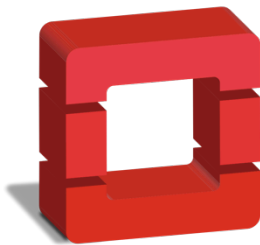
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CODE



# Maybe We Want...



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CLOUD SOFTWARE



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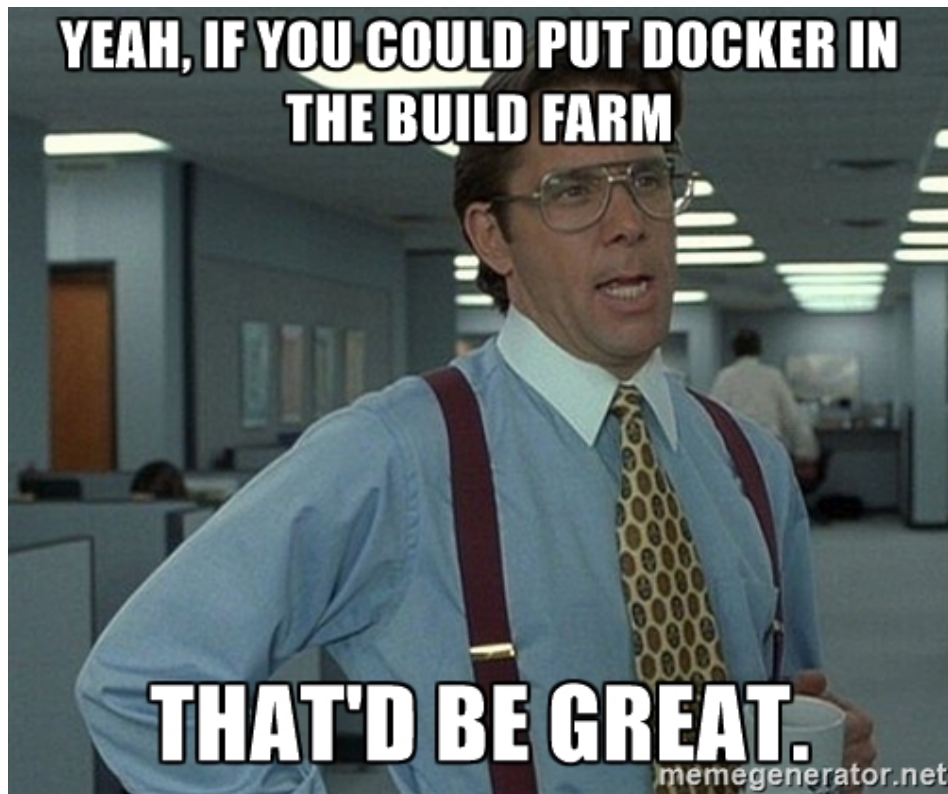
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Azure



# “Along Came a Whale”

(More Story Time!)





# Oh Look! Another Way to Deploy!

HOW STANDARDS PROLIFERATE:  
(SEE: A/C CHARGERS, CHARACTER ENCODINGS, INSTANT MESSAGING, ETC.)



# Docker For Newbz



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Today I **Learned**



# Jenkins Primer



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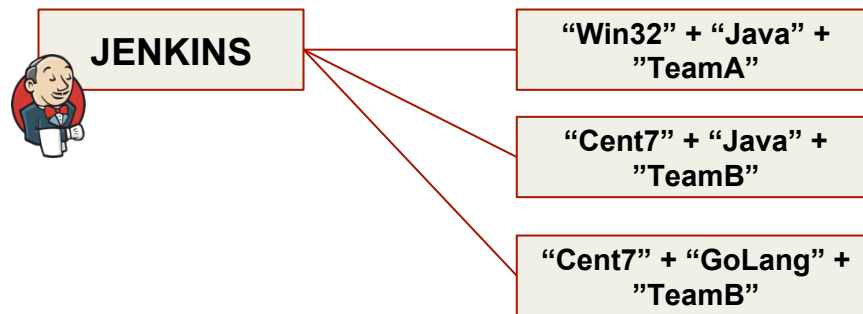
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Master

Slaves





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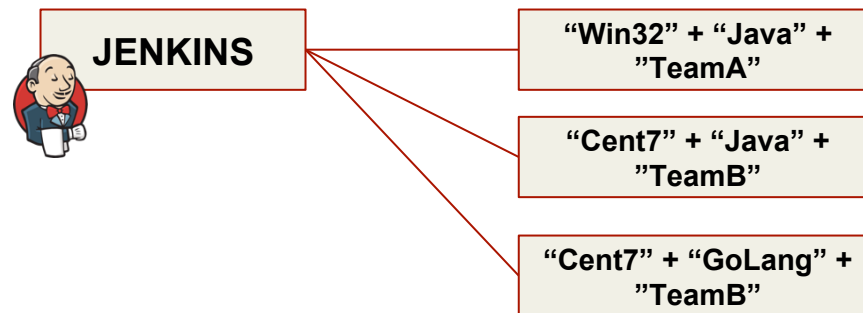
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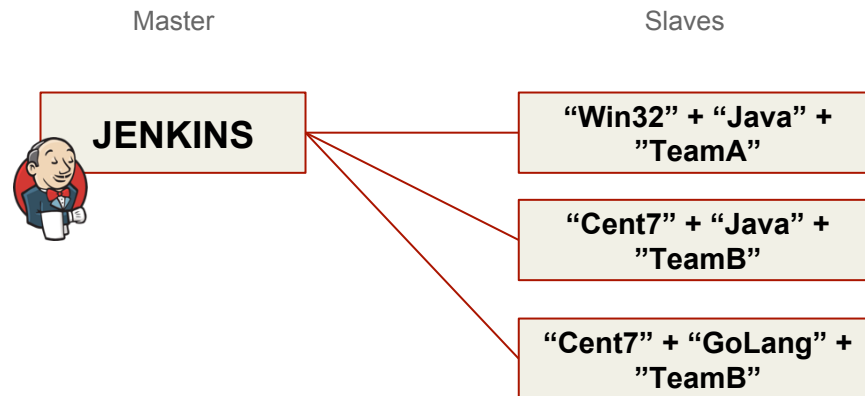
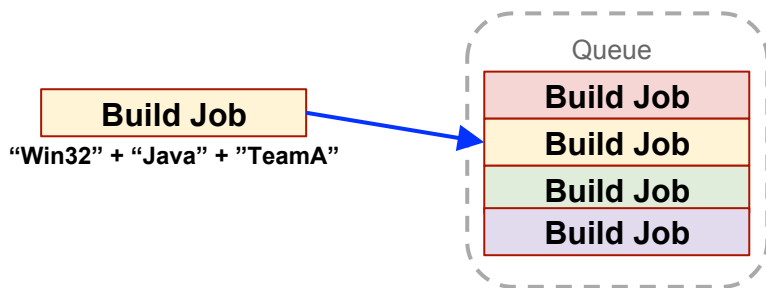
"Win32" + "Java" + "TeamA"





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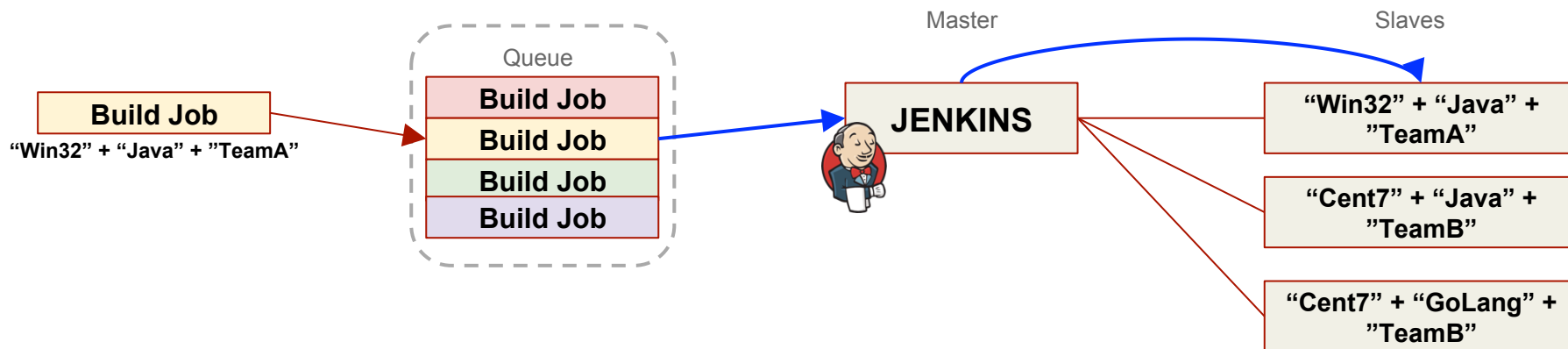
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# Jenkins Primer



# What Did We Need?



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CONTAINER RUNNING AS A BUILD SLAVE

WAY TO HAVE ENGINEERS PROVIDE DOCKERFILES

HOW TO SCALE IT



PROFIT?



# A Build Slave Container

```
1 FROM centos:7
2 MAINTAINER Maxfield Stewart
3
4 # Install Essentials
5 RUN yum update -y && \
6     yum clean all
7
8 # Install Packages
9 RUN yum install -y git && \
10     yum install -y wget && \
11     yum install -y openssh-server && \
12     yum install -y java-1.8.0-openjdk && \
13     yum install -y sudo && \
14     yum clean all
15
16 # gen dummy keys, centos doesn't autogen the
17 RUN /usr/bin/ssh-keygen -A
18
19 # Set SSH Configuration to allow remote logi
20 RUN sed -ri 's/^session\s+required\s+pam_log
21
```

```
22 # Create Jenkins User
23 RUN useradd jenkins -m -s /bin/bash
24
25 # Add public key for Jenkins login
26 RUN mkdir /home/jenkins/.ssh
27
28 COPY /files/authorized_keys /home/jenkins/.
29
30 RUN chown -R jenkins /home/jenkins
31 RUN chgrp -R jenkins /home/jenkins
32 RUN chmod 600 /home/jenkins/.ssh/authorized
33 RUN chmod 700 /home/jenkins/.ssh
34
35 # Add the jenkins user to sudoers
36 RUN echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    ALL" >> e
37
38 # Set Name Servers
39 COPY /files/resolv.conf /etc/resolv.conf
40
```

# Add a Bit of Secret Sauce...



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Base Slave Image

Universal Riot Tools

Product/App Specific Build Stuff



# A Real Example

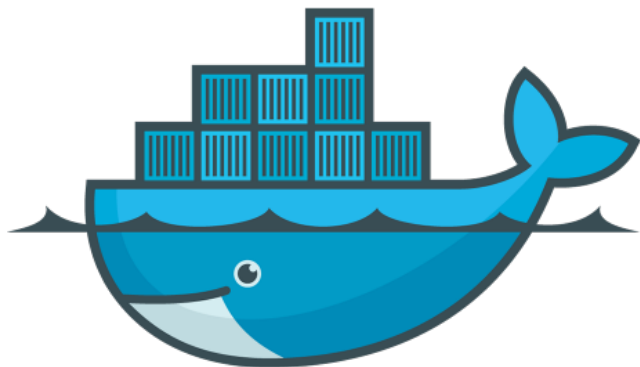


Dockerfile service

```
1 FROM registry.rclcluster.io/pipe/centosbuildslave:v4.0.2
2 MAINTAINER Competitive-Dev <competitive-dev@riotgames.com>
3
4 # #####
5 #
6 # Build Slave For Loot
7 #
8 # This Dockerfile defines the build environment for Loot-server. it contains a
9 #
10 # #####
11
12 # Install Yum stuff and Mysql Stuff
13 RUN yum makecache && \
14     yum install -y git && \
15     yum install -y unzip && \
16     yum install -y bzip2 && \
17     yum install -y http://www.percona.com/downloads/percona-release/redhat/0.1
18     yum install -y Percona-Server-client-55 && \
19     yum install -y Percona-Server-devel-55 && \
20     yum install -y Percona-Server-server-55 && \
21     yum install -y Percona-Server-shared-55 && \
22     yum clean all
23
24 # install the docker and setup sudo
25 RUN wget https://get.docker.com/builds/Linux/x86_64/docker-1.10.3 && \
26     mv docker-1.10.3 /usr/bin/docker && chmod +x /usr/bin/docker && \
27     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/docker" >> /etc/sudoers
28
29 # Install Java Oracle 8
30 ENV j8_download_URL http://download.oracle.com/otn-pub/java/jdk/8u73-b02/jdk-8
31 ENV j8_short 8u73
32 ENV j8_long 1.8.0_73
33 ENV JAVA_HOME /usr/lib/jvm/jdk-8
```

```
44 # Install Maven
45 RUN wget http://mirror.cogentco.com/pub/apache/maven/maven-3/3.1.1/binaries
46     tar xvf apache-maven-3.1.1-bin.tar.gz -C /usr/local && \
47     ln -s /usr/local/apache-maven-3.1.1 /usr/local/maven && \
48     rm apache-maven-3.1.1-bin.tar.gz && \
49     mv /usr/local/maven/conf/settings.xml /usr/local/maven/conf/settings_de
50 COPY config/settings.xml /usr/local/maven/conf/settings.xml
51
52 # Install Ant
53 RUN wget http://mirror.nexcess.net/apache/ant/binaries/apache-ant-1.9.6-bin
54     tar xvf apache-ant-1.9.6-bin.tar.gz -C /usr/local && \
55     ln -s /usr/local/apache-ant-1.9.6 /usr/local/ant && \
56     rm apache-ant-1.9.6-bin.tar.gz && \
57     chown -R jenkins:jenkins /usr/local/apache-ant-1.9.6
58
59 # Make sure the jenkins user as clear sudo rights to mysql
60 RUN sed -i 's/Defaults    requiretty/#Defaults    requiretty/g' /etc/sudoer
61     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/mysqld" >> etc/sudoer
62     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/mysqld_safe" >> etc/su
63     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/mysqladmin" >> etc/sud
64     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/mysql_install_db" >> e
65     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/cat" >> etc/sudoers &&
66     echo "jenkins    ALL=(ALL)    NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/kill" >> etc/sudoers
67
68 # Get the mysql start script in for easier use
69 COPY scripts/mysqlstart.sh /home/jenkins/mysqlstart.sh
70 RUN chmod +x /home/jenkins/mysqlstart.sh && \
71     chown jenkins:jenkins /home/jenkins/mysqlstart.sh
72
73 # Copy bash profile to get ENV settings correct
74 COPY config/.bash_profile /home/jenkins/.bash_profile
75 RUN chown jenkins:jenkins /home/jenkins/.bash_profile && \
76     chmod +x /home/jenkins/.bash_profile
77
```

# Provisioning and Plugins



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# Of Whales and Plugins

DOCKER PLUGIN



MESOS PLUGIN



MESOS

KUBERNETES PLUGIN



kubernetes

# Of Whales and Plugins



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DOCKER PLUGIN



MESOS PLUGIN



MESOS

KUBERNETES PLUGIN



kubernetes

KEEP  
CALM  
Keep It  
Simple  
Stupid



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# Quick Look

Cloud

## Docker

Name

Docker Swarm

Docker URL

http://las1swarm006.las1.tf.riotgames.com:4444

Credentials

- none -

Add

Connection Timeout

5

Read Timeout

35

Container Cap

100

Images

## Docker Template

Docker Image

dockers.tf.riotgames.com/chat/ejabberd-buildslave:lkg



Container settings...

Instance Capacity

Remote Filing System Root

/home/jenkins

Labels

social-infrastructure-buildslave

Usage

Only build jobs with label restrictions matching this node



Experimental Options...

Launch method

Docker SSH computer launcher

Credentials jenkins (Jenkins with a private key!)

Remote FS Root Mapping

Remove volumes



Pull strategy

Pull once and update latest

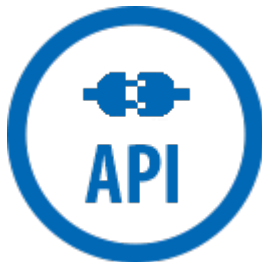
# Provisioning and Plugins



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Image Name





# Groovy To the Rescue

```
70  /*
71  =====
72  = ADDING NEW DOCKER HOST CODE =
73  =====
74  */
75  //injected variables from jenkins envinject:
76  //cloudName existing or current docker cloud name
77  //label      desired label for build node
78  //image      image location (eg. dockers.tf.riotgames...)
79  def dockerPlugin = Jenkins.instance.pluginManager.getPlugin("docker-plugin").getPlugin()
80  def dockerServers = dockerPlugin.getServers()
81  def cloudExists = false
82  def labelExists = labelInCloud(dockerServers)
83  if (label.equals("")) {
84      println("Label cannot be empty. Slave not added")
85  } else if (labelExists) {
86      println("Specified label already exists. Slave not added.")
87  } else {
88      dockerServers.each() { dockerServer ->
89          //label checking
90          ArrayList<DockerCloud> templates = dockerServer.templates
91          if (dockerServer.name.toLowerCase().equals(cloudName.toLowerCase())) {
92              cloudExists = true
93              println("Adding "+ label + " to cloud[" + cloudName + "]...")
94              def retentionStrategy = new DockerOnceRetentionStrategy(idleMinutes)
95              def sshConnector = new SSHConnector(22, credentialsId, jvmOptions, javaPath, prefixStartSlaveCmd,
96                  suffixStartSlaveCmd, launchTimeoutMinutes * 60)
97              def launcher = new DockerComputerSSHLauncher(sshConnector)
```

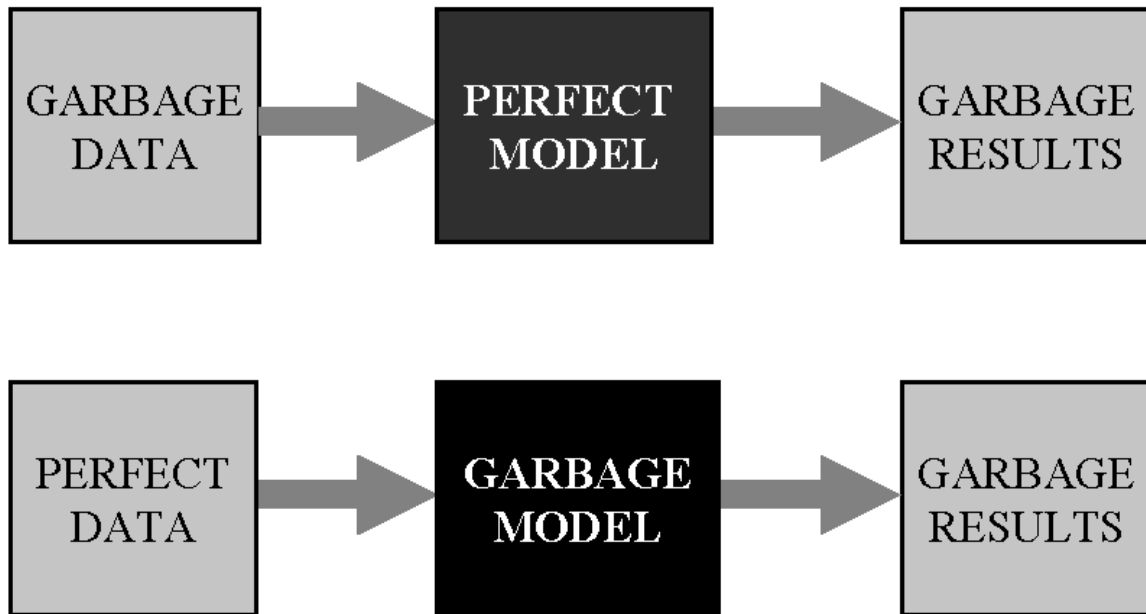


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# We Created A Monster

## MODEL CALCULATIONS

"Garbage In-garbage Out" Paradigm





# We Need to Inspect Our Containers



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# We Need to Inspect Our Containers



```
./harbormaster --registry_user "$REGISTRY_USER" --registry_token "$REGISTRY_TOKEN" --jenkins_user $USER --jenkins_pass $PASSWORD --jenkins --dockerhost $TEST_DOCKER_HOST "$IMAGENAME" "$CLOUDNAME" "$LABELNAME"
```

## Overall Results: 7 out of 7 Passed

### Container CMD: Passed

Verify that the container has `/usr/sbin/sshd` as its CMD

### Container Run: Passed

Verify that after the container starts, it stays running. If it doesn't, it can't work as a build slave.

### Java: Passed

Verify that Java 1.7 is the primary Java. Jenkins requires this minimum to control the node.

Your Version: 1.7.0\_101

Minimum Expected Version: 1.7

### SSH: Passed

Verifies that you can SSH in to your container as a Jenkins user. Jenkins needs this in order to talk to the slave. Jenkins will also create a workspace using the jenkins user.

### Write Permissions: Passed

Verify that the user Jenkins exists and has write permissions to `/home/jenkins`. This is where Jenkins creates a workspace and puts files it generates (`/home/jenkins/workspace/<job name>/`)

### SCM: Passed

Verify that a version of Git is installed. This is needed to use Jenkins Git features to sync with Git. Perforce is currently not supported.

Your Git Version: version 2.8.1

### Label: Passed

Verifies that your label is unique. We check to make sure your label doesn't already exist on the farm. You restrict your builds to this label.

Specified label and image already exists therefore slave not added. No configuration update needed.  
Latest will be pulled if all tests succeeded

# Are We Done?



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Donkey: Are we there yet?

Shrek: No

Donkey: Are we there yet?

Fiona: No not yet!

Donkey: Are we there, yet?

Shrek: Yes!

Donkey: Really?

Shrek: NO!!!

- Shrek 2

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# But It Needs to Scale!



# If Only...



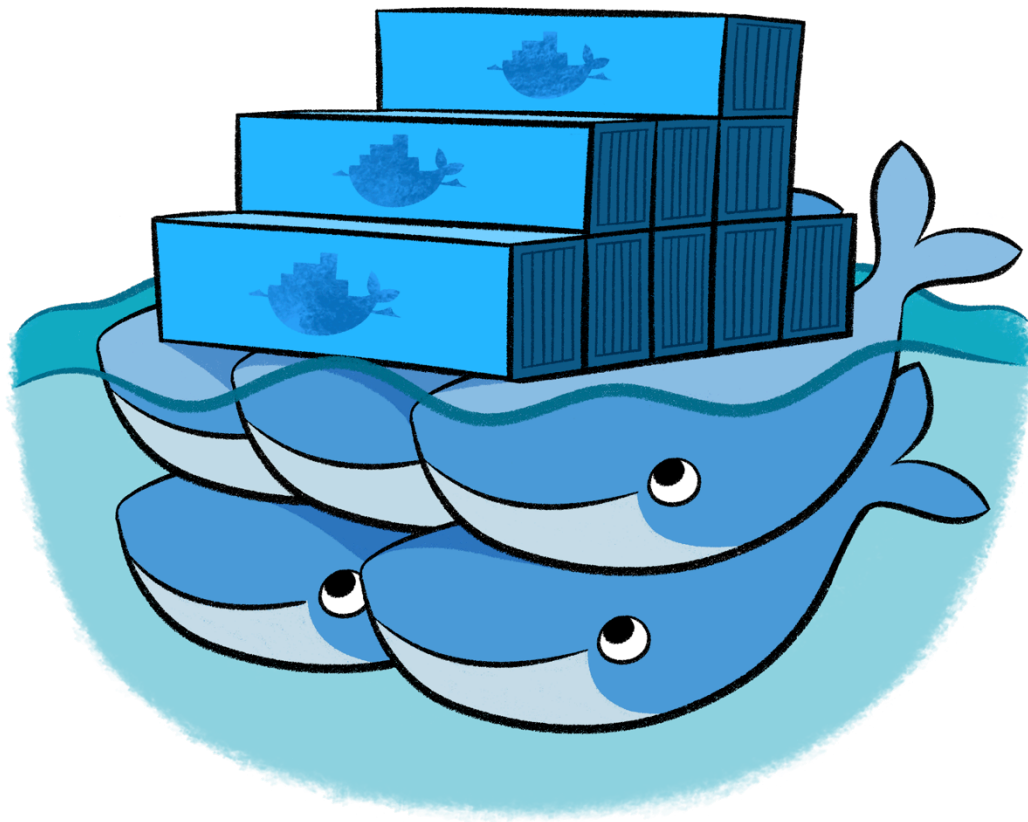
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# If Only...



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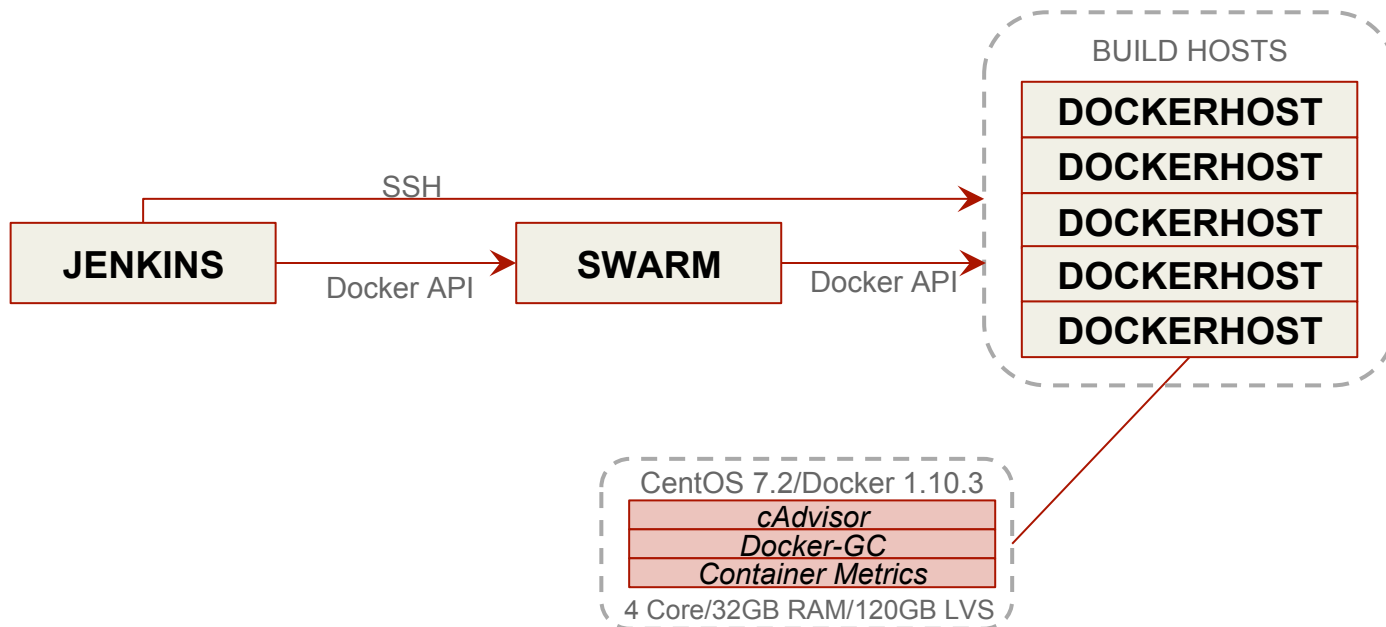




# But It Needs to Scale!



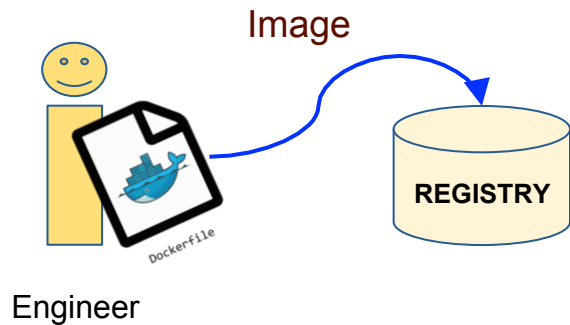
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# Putting It All Together



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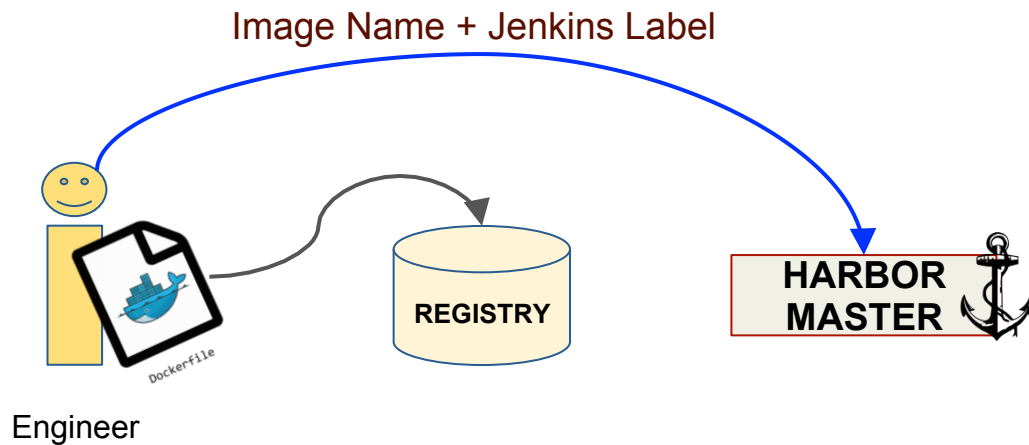




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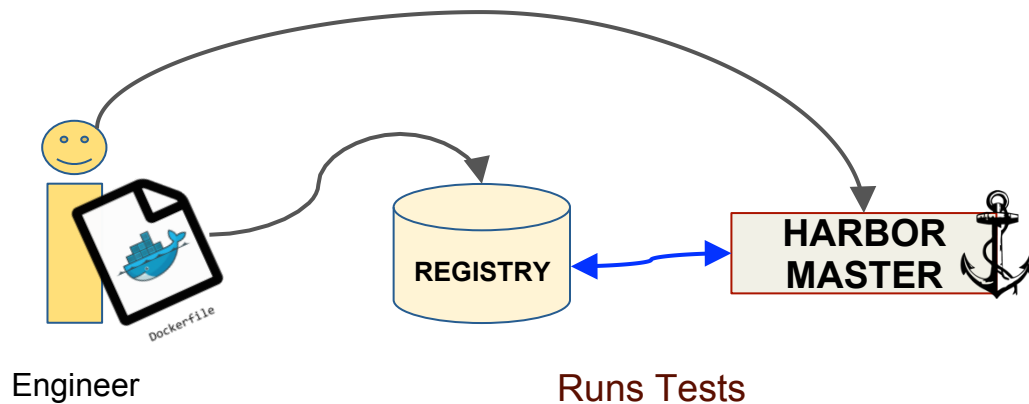
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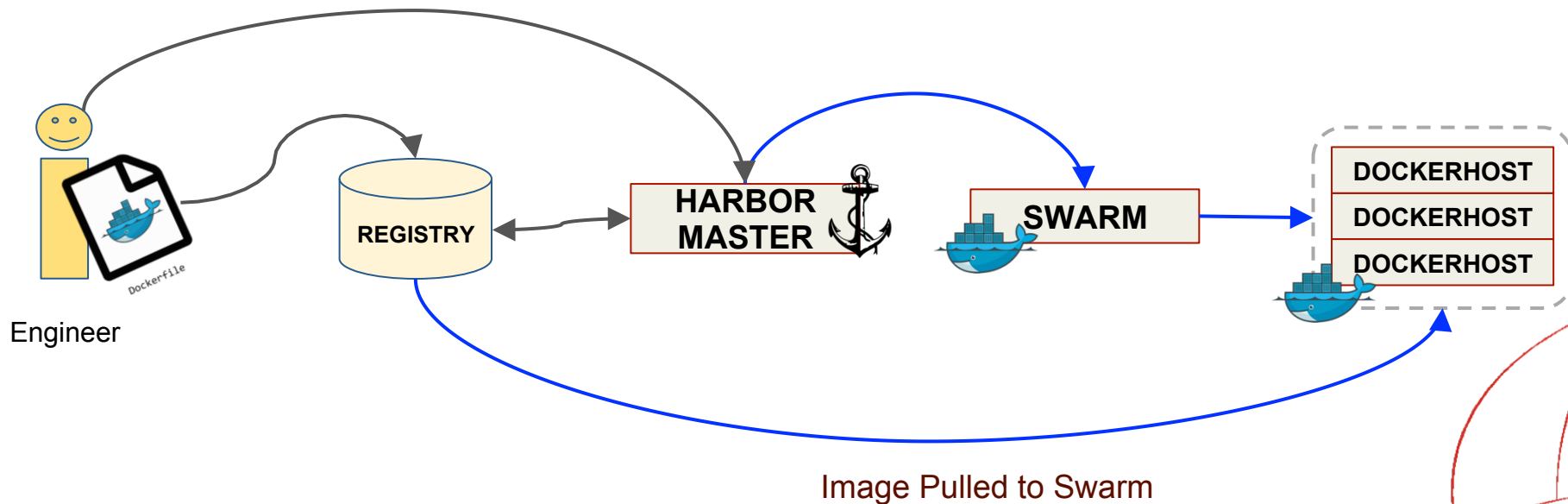
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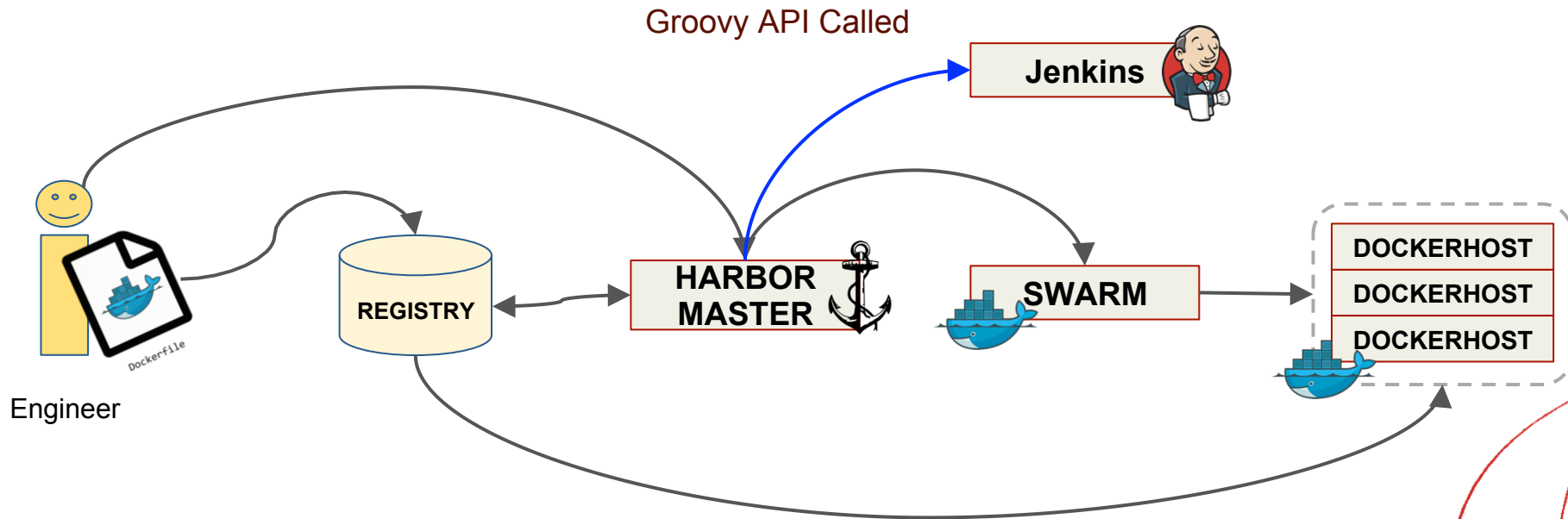
# Putting It All Together





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# Putting It All Together





# Build Job Quick Look

jenksfile.groovy gobuild



```
1  node ('Awesome-Build-Label') {  
2  
3      git branch: "master", url: "git@github.com:maxfields2000/awesome.git"  
4  
5      // This script could come from source control!  
6      sh './buildme.sh'  
7  
8  }
```

# Dockerception



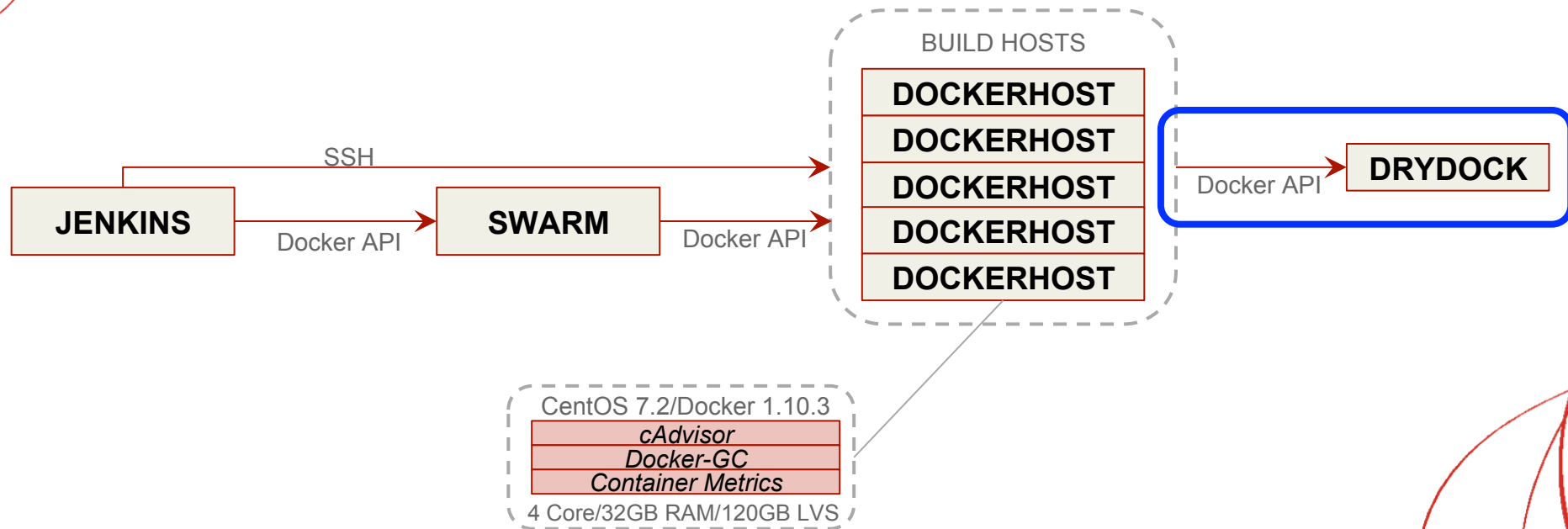
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# Where to Build Containers?



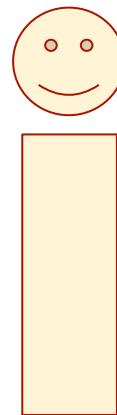
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# Mai Tai's On the Beach



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# How Do You Actually Build It?



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# How Do I Build It?



(engineering.riotgames.com)



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[https://github.com/maxfields2000/dockerjenkins\\_tutorial](https://github.com/maxfields2000/dockerjenkins_tutorial)

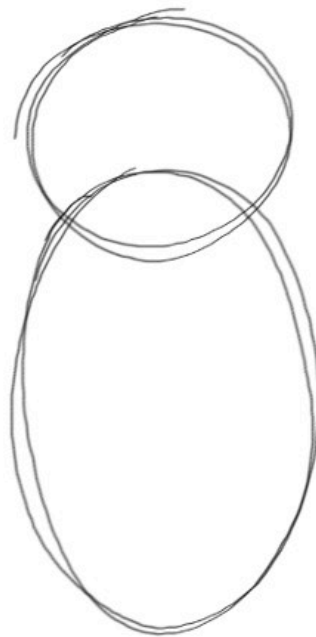


# GitHub

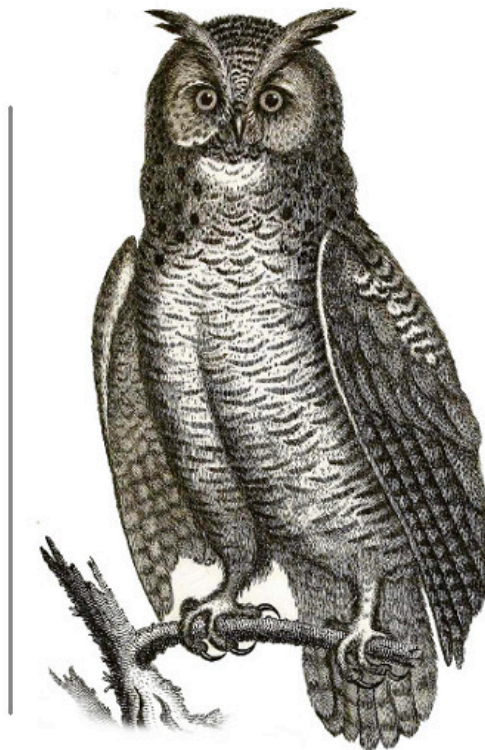
# You Make This Sound Simple.



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Step 1  
Draw two circles



Step 2  
Draw the rest of the owl

# Lesson 1 - Docker Isn't "Simple"



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DOCKERFILES REQUIRE DECENT SYSTEMS ADMIN  
KNOWLEDGE

DOCKER IMAGES THAT BUILD DOCKER IMAGES IS  
DOCKERCPTION

DOCKER "VOODOO AND BLACK MAGIC" QUESTIONS

# Lesson 2 - Containers != VM's



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CANNOT MOUNT REMOTE FILE SYSTEMS

EPHEMERAL CONTAINERS DON'T MAINTAIN STATE

HAVE RULES FOR DOCKERFILE VS RUN TIME

# Lesson 3 - Garbage Collection



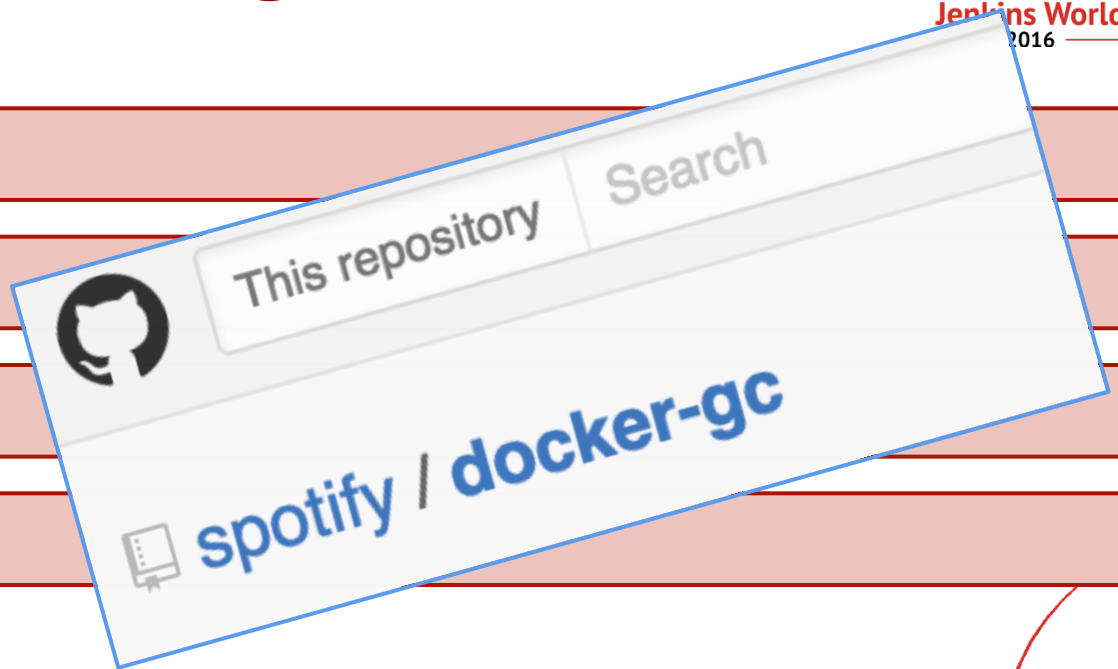
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DOCKER BUILD

DOCKER RUN

DOCKER PULL

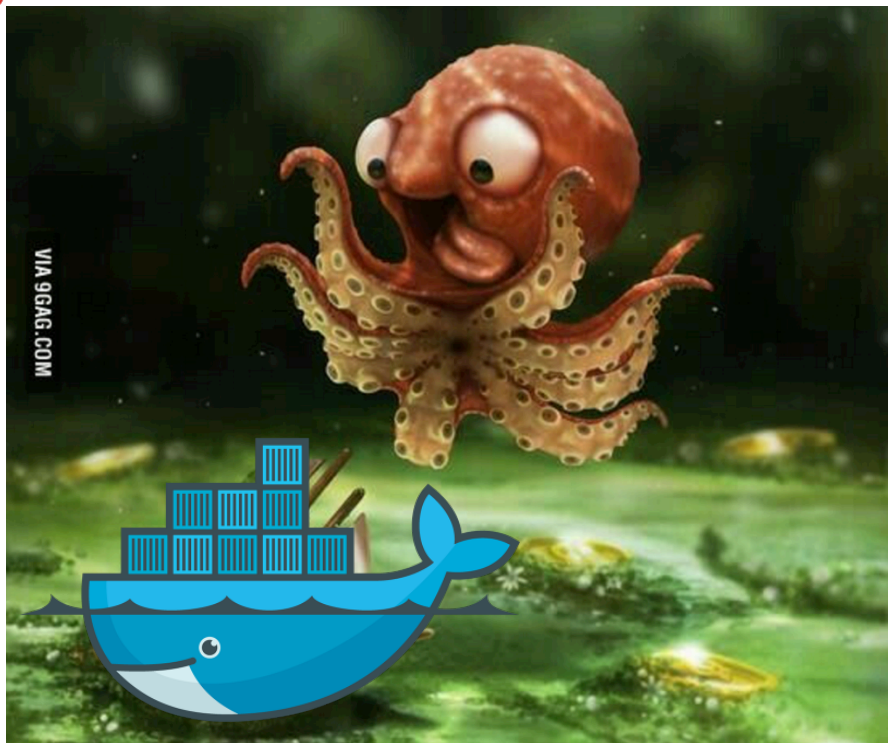
VOLUME



# Lesson 4 - Maintenance/Failure



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PULL HOSTS ON/OFFLINE

UPDATE ALL IMAGES

ROLLING RESTARTS





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# Lesson 5 - How Will You Upgrade?

**BRACE YOURSELVES**



**DEPLOYMENT TO PRODUCTION IS COMING**

# Lesson 6 - Credentials & Security



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WHAT SHOULD YOU PUT IN YOUR BASE IMAGE?

SSH KEYS IN YOUR REGISTRY?

PASSWORDS IN YOUR SOURCE CODE?

PASSING EVERYTHING IN AS A ENVIRONMENT  
VARIABLE?



“What if we don’t change at all ...  
and something magical just happens?”



# **Over 1200 New Build Jobs Created**



**30% of All Environments  
Are Containers**



# **Environment Change/Create/Fix Tickets Dissappeared**



# **We No Longer Have “Just” A Build Team**



# QUESTIONS?