

FROM MONOLITH TO CONTAINERS

Verizon's Journey To Modernize Legacy Apps on OpenShift

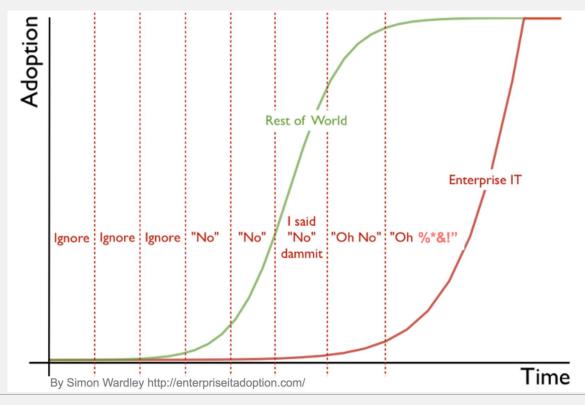


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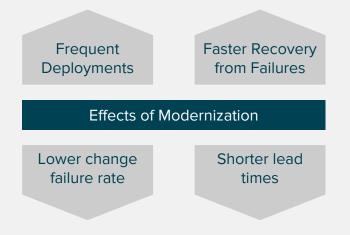
A LOOK AT CLOUD ADOPTION





WHY MODERNIZE?

- Enable experimental approach to product development.
- Optimize for Speed vs Cost
- Catalyst for Organizational transformation



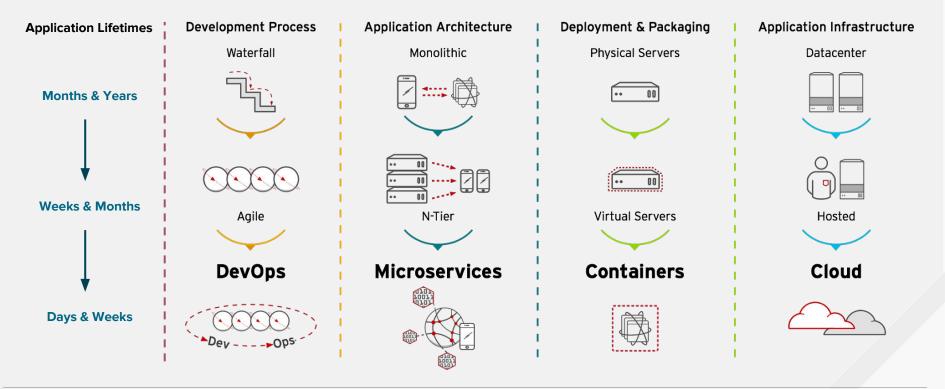


BUT CHANGING SYSTEMS AT SCALE IS HARD!

- Organizational Inertia: Skills, Processes and Mindset
- Sizable Investments in IT existing assets
- Often times it is unchartered territory
- Business Perception: Modernization efforts are IT project with large amounts of risks and little perceived value



IT MUST EVOLVE TO STAY AHEAD OF DEMANDS





IS THERE A STRUCTURED WAY TO MODERNIZE?



PATTERNS FOR WORKLOAD MODERNIZATION

LIFT AND SHIFT

AUGMENT / REFACTOR

COMPLETE REWRITE

- Containerize existing components
- Deploy them on a PaaS
- Keep external integrations and data on legacy
- Legacy applications have to be well written and suited

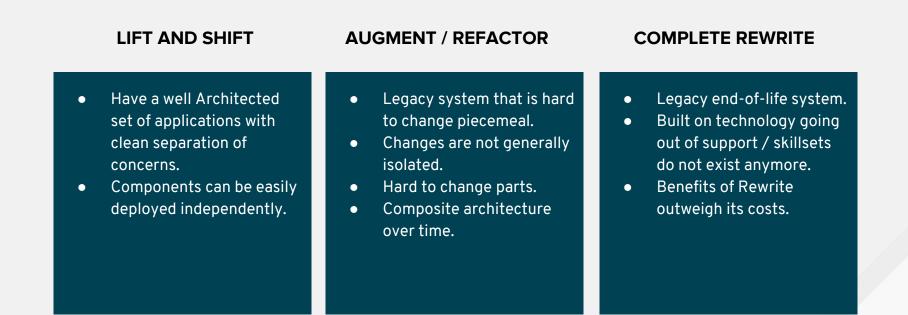
- Legacy remains intact
- New layer enables new capabilities
- Deploy on PaaS
- New integration points between legacy and new layers

- Legacy is totally replaced
- New interfaces and data
- Use PaaS to run
- Some data and features can be re-wrapped, but mostly are retired.



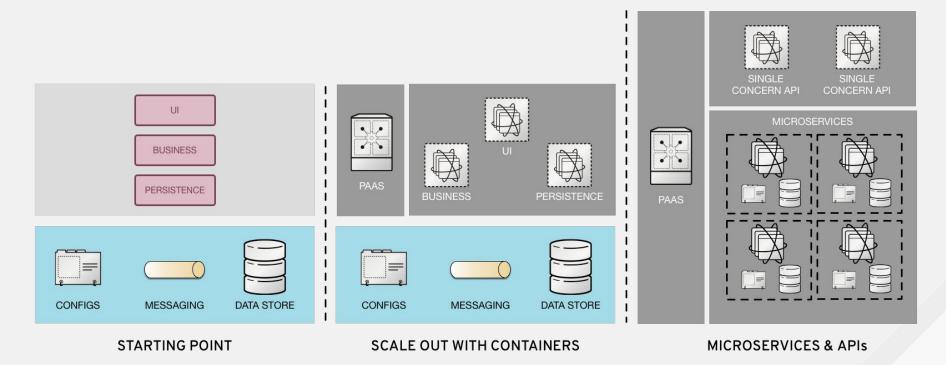
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Starting Points



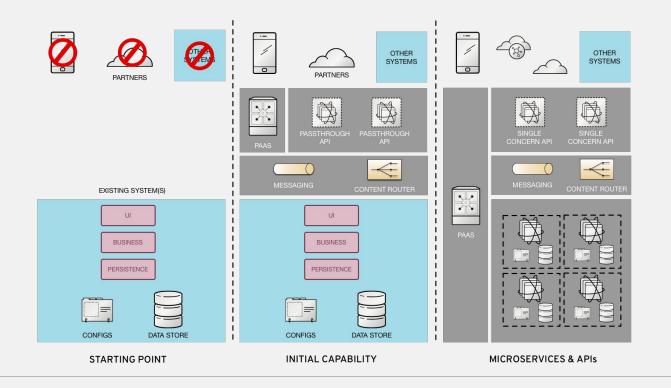


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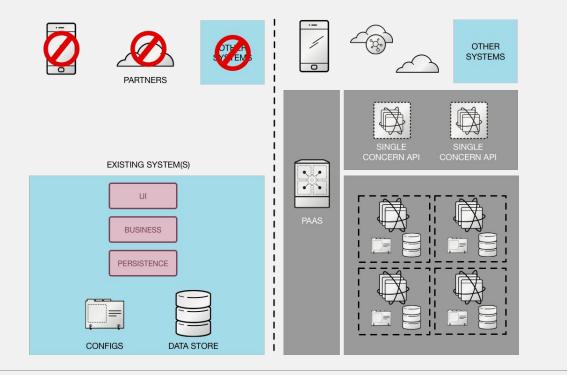


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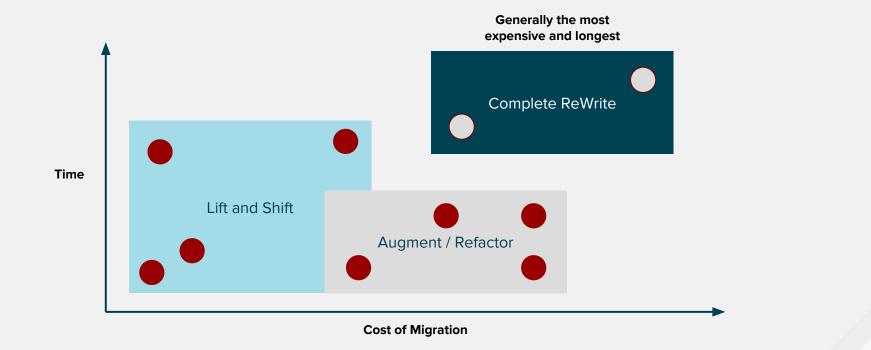
COMPLETE REWRITE





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COMPARING THE APPROACHES





VERIZON'S JOURNEY

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- Tier-1 Verizon Application
- Built on Monolithic COTS platform

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- Challenges: Environments lockdown (Dev, QA), Scaling, Proprietary, Large Releases, Application Quality etc.
- Little automation for development and deployments.

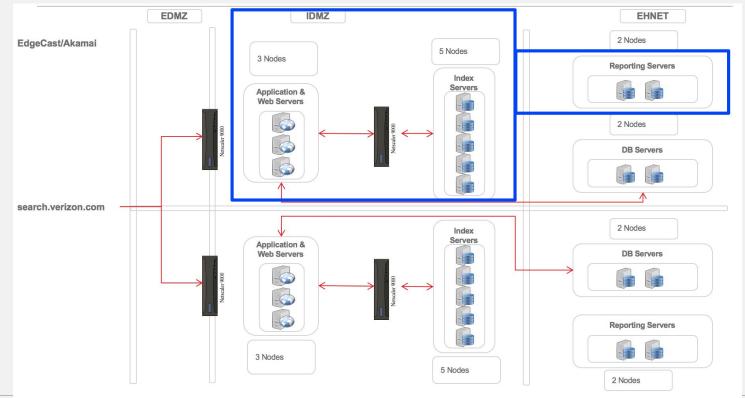


VZSEARCH MODERNIZATION OBJECTIVES

- Can we isolate pieces in separate containers without massive rewrite?
- How fast can we get to:
 - Disposable non-Prod environments
 - Auto scaling
 - Self service to eliminate wait times
 - Integrated CI & CD
- Can we do this with Open Source technology to avoid vendor lock-in?
- Wishlist: Can we make it portable across Public and Private cloud?

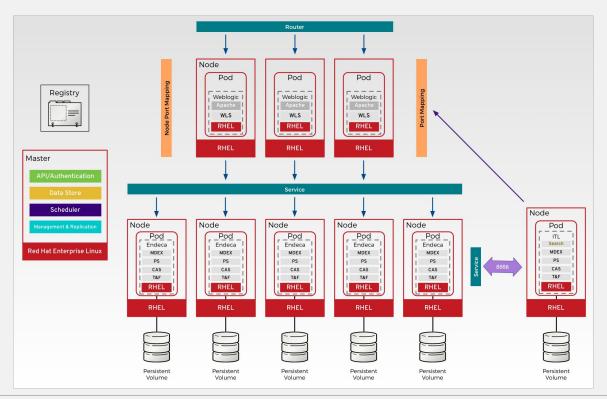


ARCHITECTURE - BEFORE

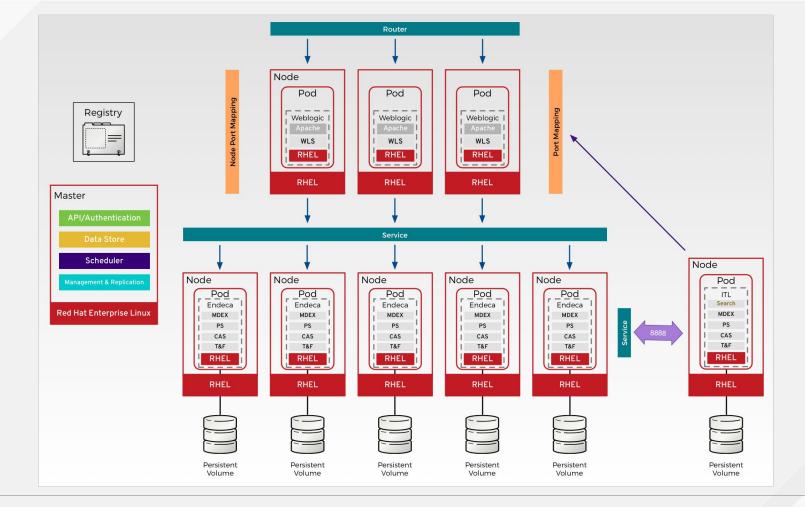




TARGET ARCHITECTURE - OPENSHIFT





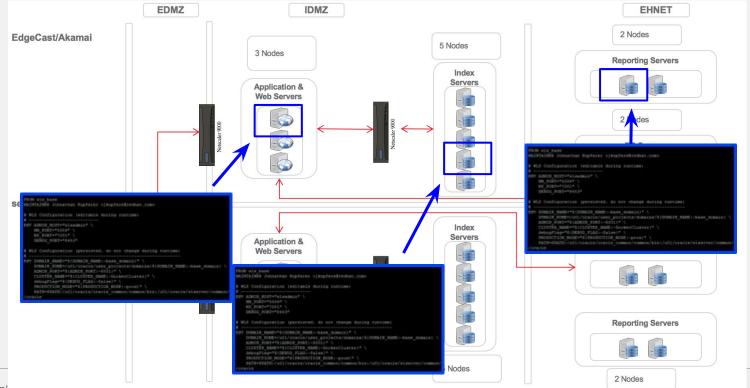




VZSEARCH STEP BY STEP TO OPENSHIFT

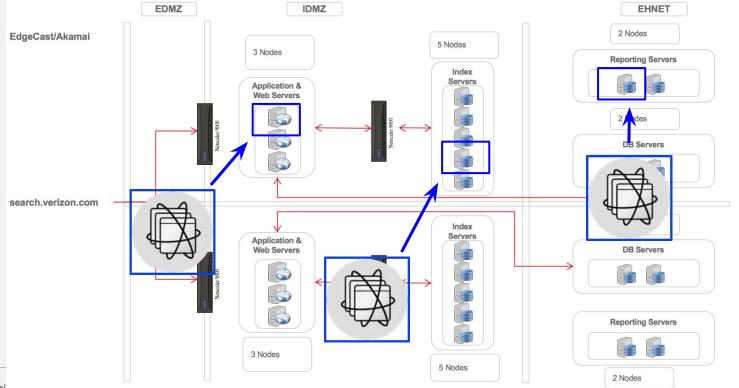


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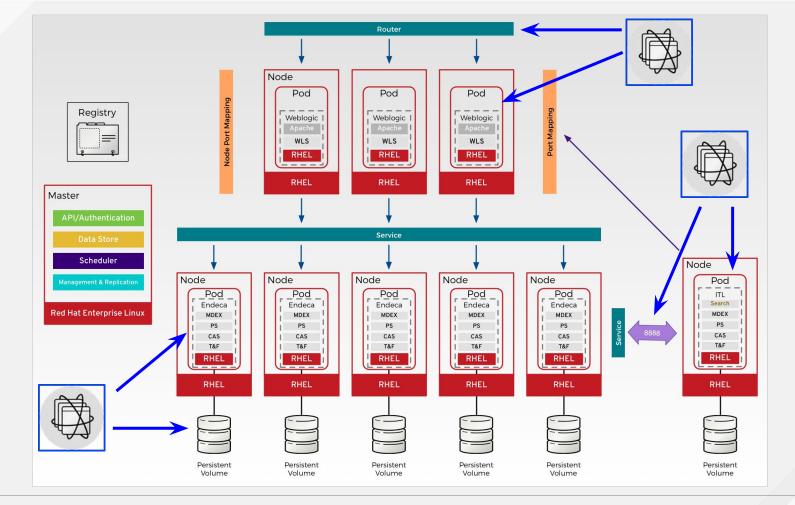


#2 - OPENSHIFT POD TEMPLATES



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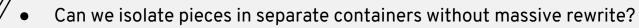
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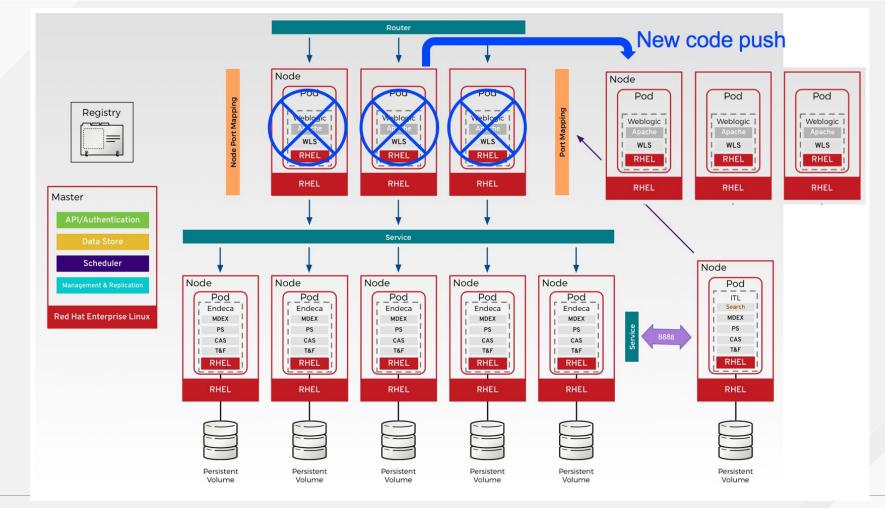
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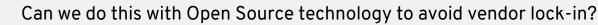
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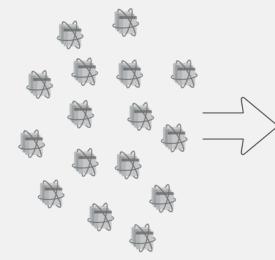
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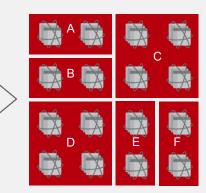
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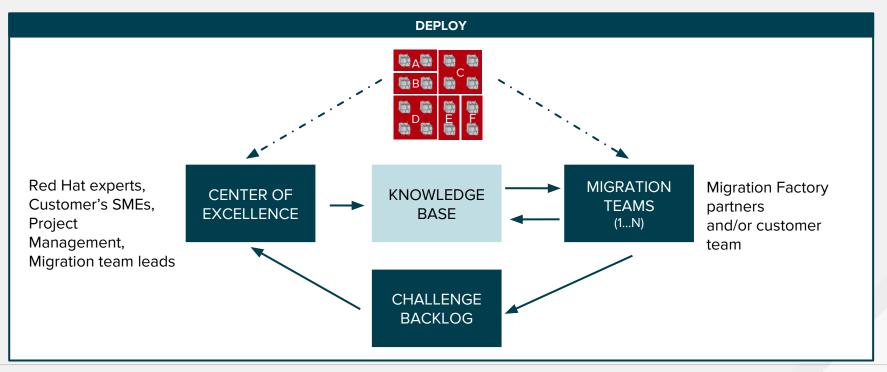
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METHODOLOGY & PROCESS DEPLOY PHASE: ITERATIVELY DIVIDE, SCALE & DELIVER





Application Modernization Pathways

Enabling Modernization from Legacy Applications

	Starting Point	Open Source & Enablement	Cloud Enablement	Desired State
Lift and Shift Modernization	Non Open Source Middleware Applications	Migrate to Red Hat JBoss Open Source stack	Enable on Red Hat Container platform	Modernize applications to API and Microservices cloud architecture on containers
Augment with new functionality	Monolithic / Mainframe applications that are hard to change without breaking functionality	Enable integrations to expose data and functionality using Red Hat Open Source stack	Enable on Red Hat Container platform	Modernize applications to API and Microservices cloud architecture on containers
Complete Re-write	Monolithic or applications on non Open Source middleware about to be retired	Architecture and Design mapping old system capabilities to new architecture.	Setup, train on and get hands-on experience with modern container platform from Red Hat	Create new set of applications on modern cloud-native architectures





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