

Kamailio World 2014

Kamailio and OpenStack
Together to build a truly scalable solution



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ITCenter quick facts

- Founded in 2003
- Located in Portugal, working with African and European markets
- Open source mentality
- Expertise and development of VoIP and Virtualization solutions
- Experienced staff with various training and certifications:
 - Digium Asterisk training / dCAP
 - Kamailio Advanced Training
 - SIP Master Class
 - Citrix Xen certification
 - Openstack training



Digium Innovation Award | 2010 - EUA



voip2day - Best Case Study | 2010 - Spain

"The distinction was awarded for VoIP solution present in Portuguese universities"



Kamailio Awards | 2011 - Germany

"VoIP Services - Portugal Academic Network"



Exame Magazine | 2012/2013/2014 - Portugal

Best Companies to Work in Portugal

Full featured VoIP solution

Open standards

Low bandwidth consumption

Scalable

Resilient

Distributed

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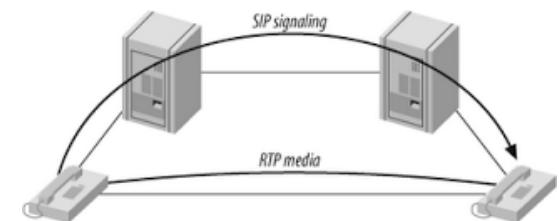
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Solution



FreeSWITCH



Peer to Peer Media

Full featured VoIP solution

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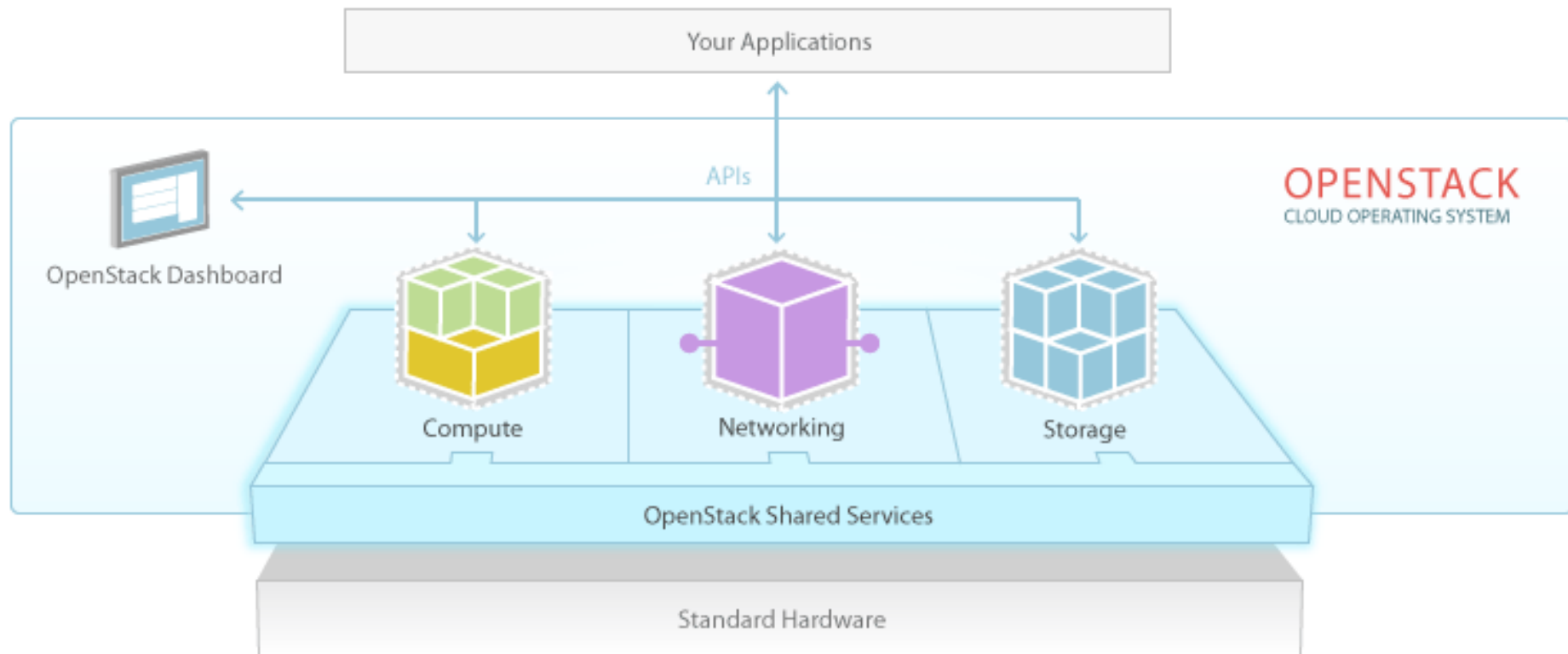


Our Solution



Cloud deployment + orchestration

OpenStack: The Open Source Cloud Operating System



OpenStack is a cloud operating system that controls large pools of compute, storage, and networking resources throughout a datacenter.

Web / SaaS/ eCommerce

- PayPal
- Wikimedia
- Cisco WebEx

Academic / Research / Government

- CERN
- Harvard University
- MIT
- NSA

Film / Media / Gaming

- Comcast
- Sony Network Entertainment

Information Technology

- Intel
- IBM
- SUSE
- HP
- Dell

Cloud Hosting / MSP / Telco

- Rackspace
- CloudUP

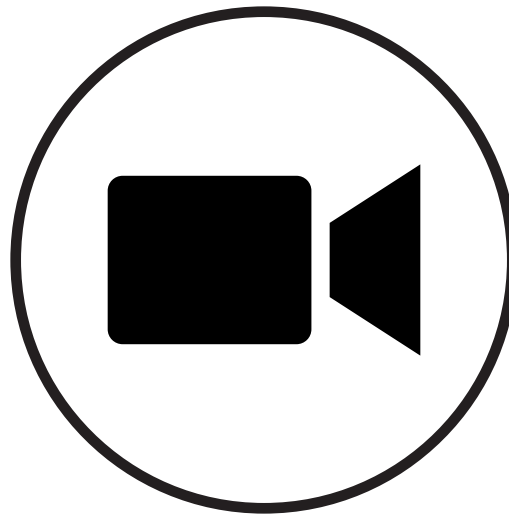
OpenStack is on a mission:

To **provide scalable, elastic cloud computing**
for both public and private clouds, large and small.


At the heart of our mission is a pair of basic requirements:
clouds must be simple to implement and massively scalable.

Source:

<http://docs.openstack.org/grizzly/openstack-compute/admin/content/what-is-openstack.html>



The **OpenStack** dashboard provides administrators and users a graphical interface to access, provision and automate cloud-based resources



openstack
DASHBOARD

Project Admin

CURRENT PROJECT
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Manage Compute

Overview

Instances

Volumes

Images & Snapshots

Access & Security

Manage Network

Network Topology

Networks

Routers


Orchestration

Stacks


Overview

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Limit Summary




Instances
Used 22 of 40




VCPUs
Used 25 of 90



RAM
Used 50.0 GB of 62.5 GB



Floating IPs
Used 13 of Inf



Security Groups
Used 8 of Inf

Select a period of time to query its usage:

From: 2014-03-01 To: 2014-03-31 Submit The date should be in YYYY-mm-dd format.

Active Instances: 22 Active RAM: 50GB This Period's VCPU-Hours: 390.37 This Period's GB-Hours: 8872.03

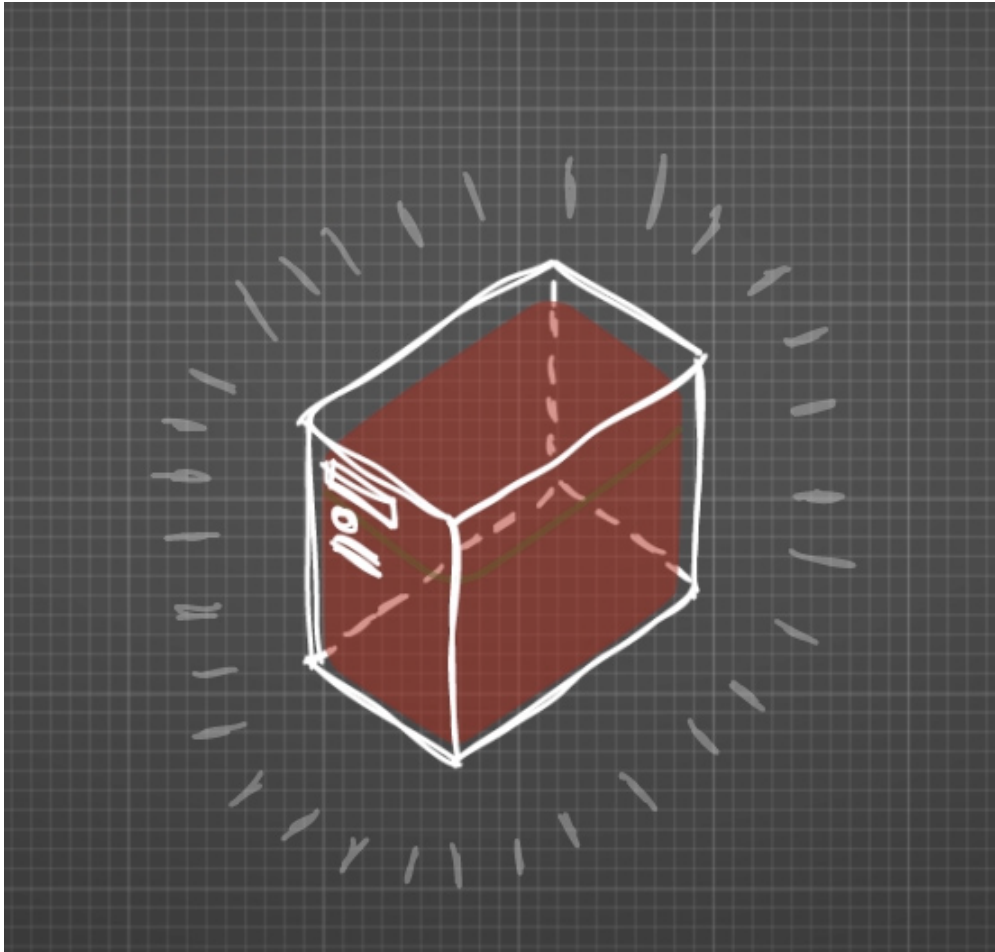
Usage Summary

[Download CSV Summary](#)

Instance Name	VCPUs	Disk	RAM	Uptime
vx00-adb3	4	20	8GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-lss02	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-kml02	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-kml01	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-aplul	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-amg2	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-amg1	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-mds02	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
webdevvol	1	20	2GB	4 months, 3 weeks
vx00-mds01	1	20	2GB	4 months, 2 weeks
vx00-2600hz	1	20	2GB	4 months, 2 weeks
vx00-adb4	1	20	2GB	4 months, 2 weeks
dnsnxbind	1	20	2GB	4 months, 2 weeks

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HEAT



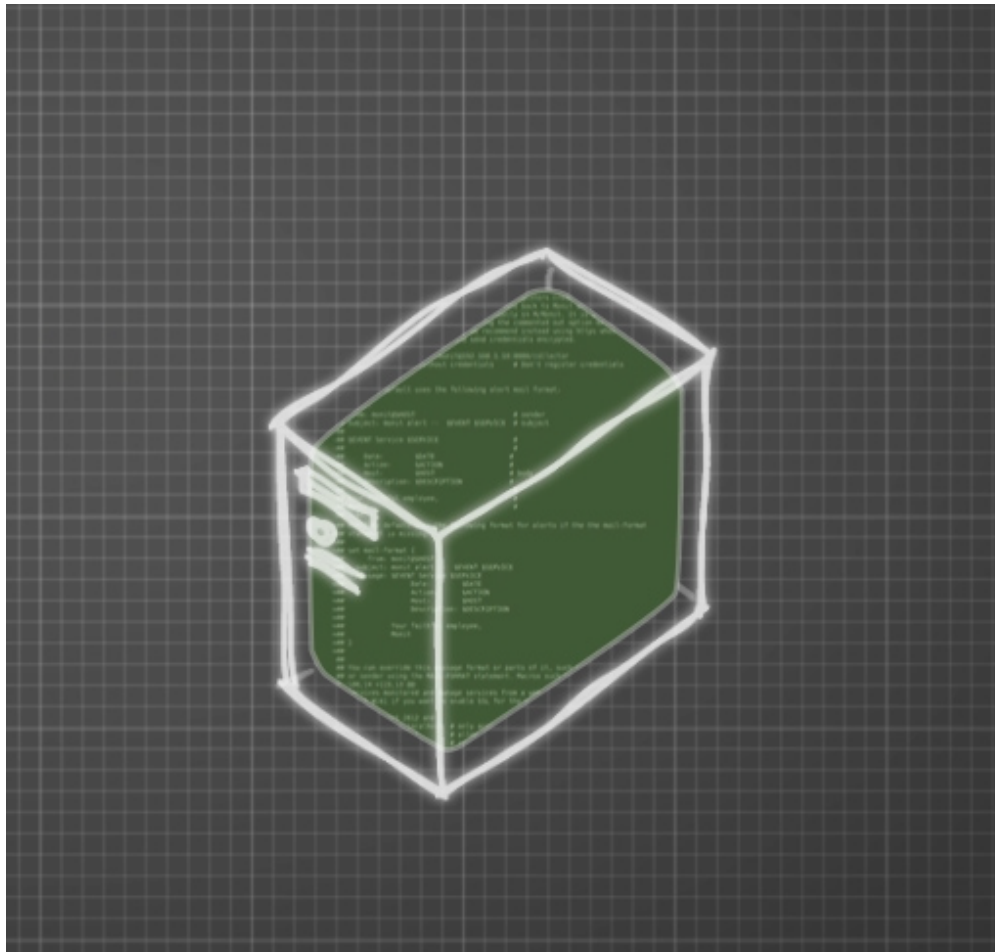
HEAT overview

- Orchestration service for OpenStack
- Template mechanism - integration with Puppet and Chef
- Creates and deletes infrastructure resources
- Heat provides an autoscaling service that integrates with Ceilometer

Ceilometer overview

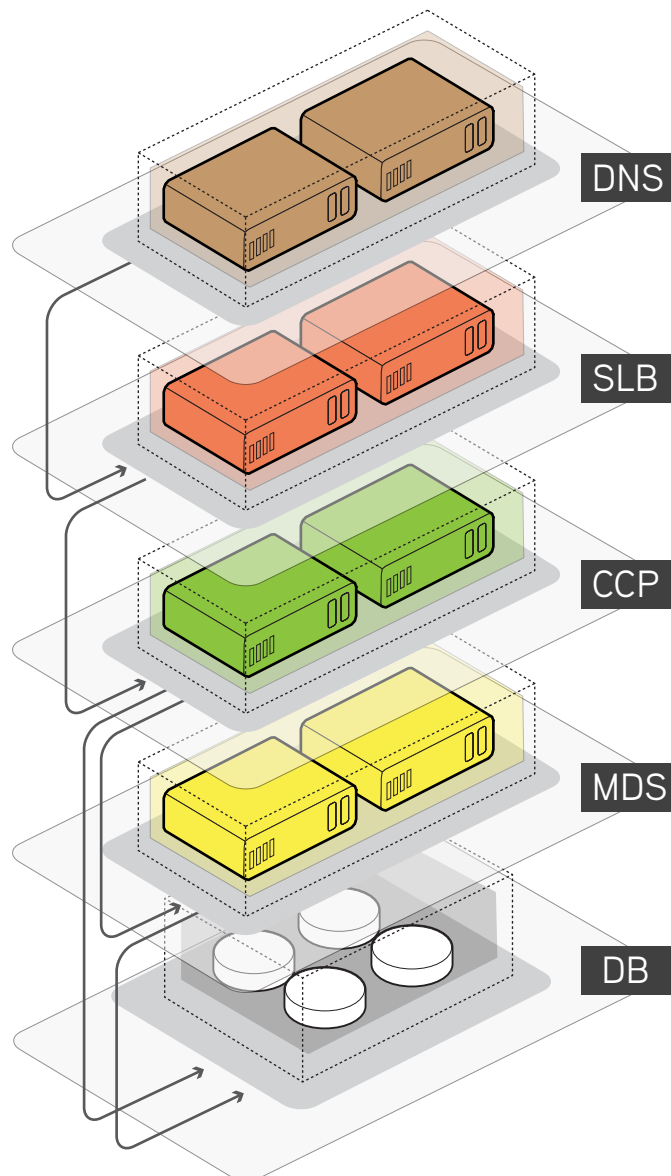
- Collection of metering data, in terms of resources usage;
- Ceilometer triggers Heat to create new instances based on defined alarms / thresholds;
example: CPU; MEM; Network load > 50%

PUPPET



PUPPET overview

- Configuration deployment
- Patching / Management
- Integrate new resources on existing infrastructure configuration:
 - DNS records
 - DB records
 - SIP Load Balancers



DNS Server

- SRV
- NAPTR

Kamailio (SIP Load Balancer)

- Load Balance all SIP traffic to and from internal system
- Security
- Far-end NAT traversal
- Dispatcher server to CCP (Core Call Process)

Kamailio - CCP (Core Call Process)

- SIP core proxy
- Authenticates the endpoints
- Handles SIP registrations
- Call routing
- Presence server
- Dispatcher server to Freeswitch

Media Server/Application Server (MDS)

- Transcoding
- SIP Back-to-Back User-Agent
- Voicemail
- Conference queues
- Call queues
- IVR

MySQL Cluster

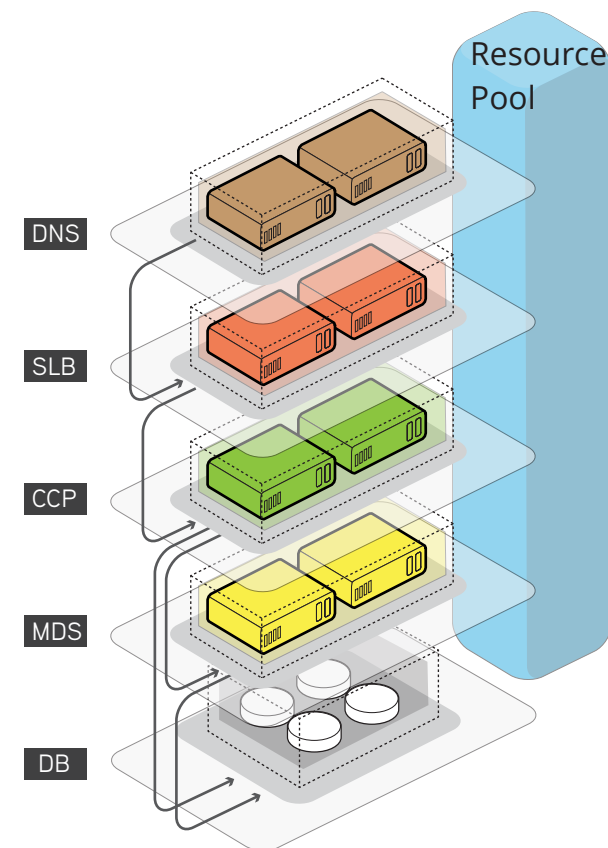
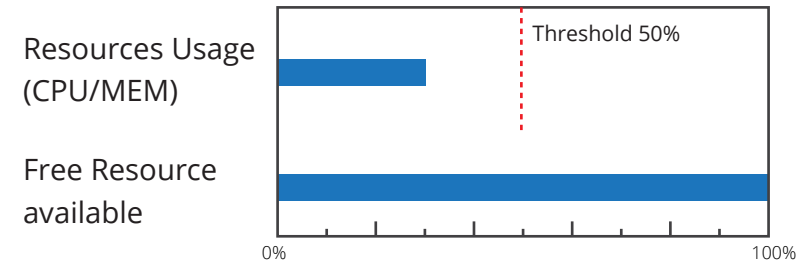
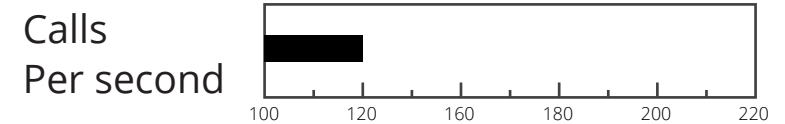
- Architecture distributed DB
- HAProxy to load balance DB requests

Autoscaling by Stack

Autoscaling by Stack (Machine or Group of machines by type)

Possible scenario:

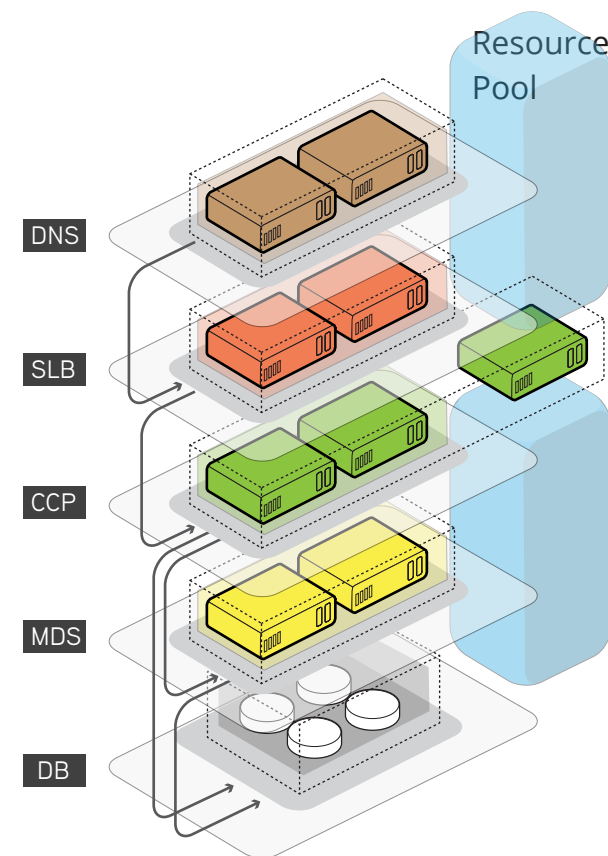
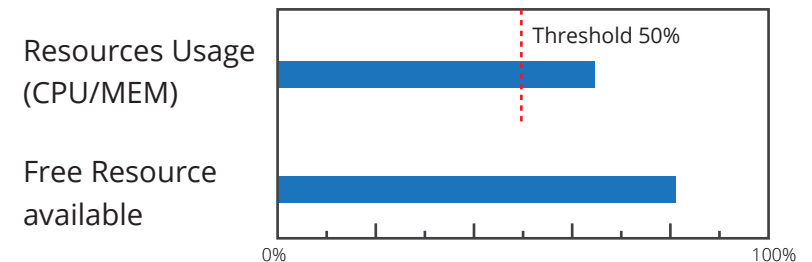
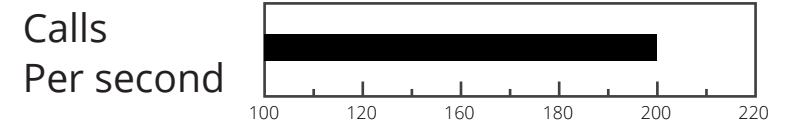
- Your BIGGEST customer network goes down!
(natural disasters, UFOs, NSA, how knows?...)
- When the network comes back again, you get flooded by SIP requests:
 - Registrations
 - Call routing
 - Presence / BLFs
 - and more...
- Kamailio (CCP) is struggling to process all the requests
- Load / Resources usage starts to rise beyond...
50%...70%...90%..



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Autoscaling actions:

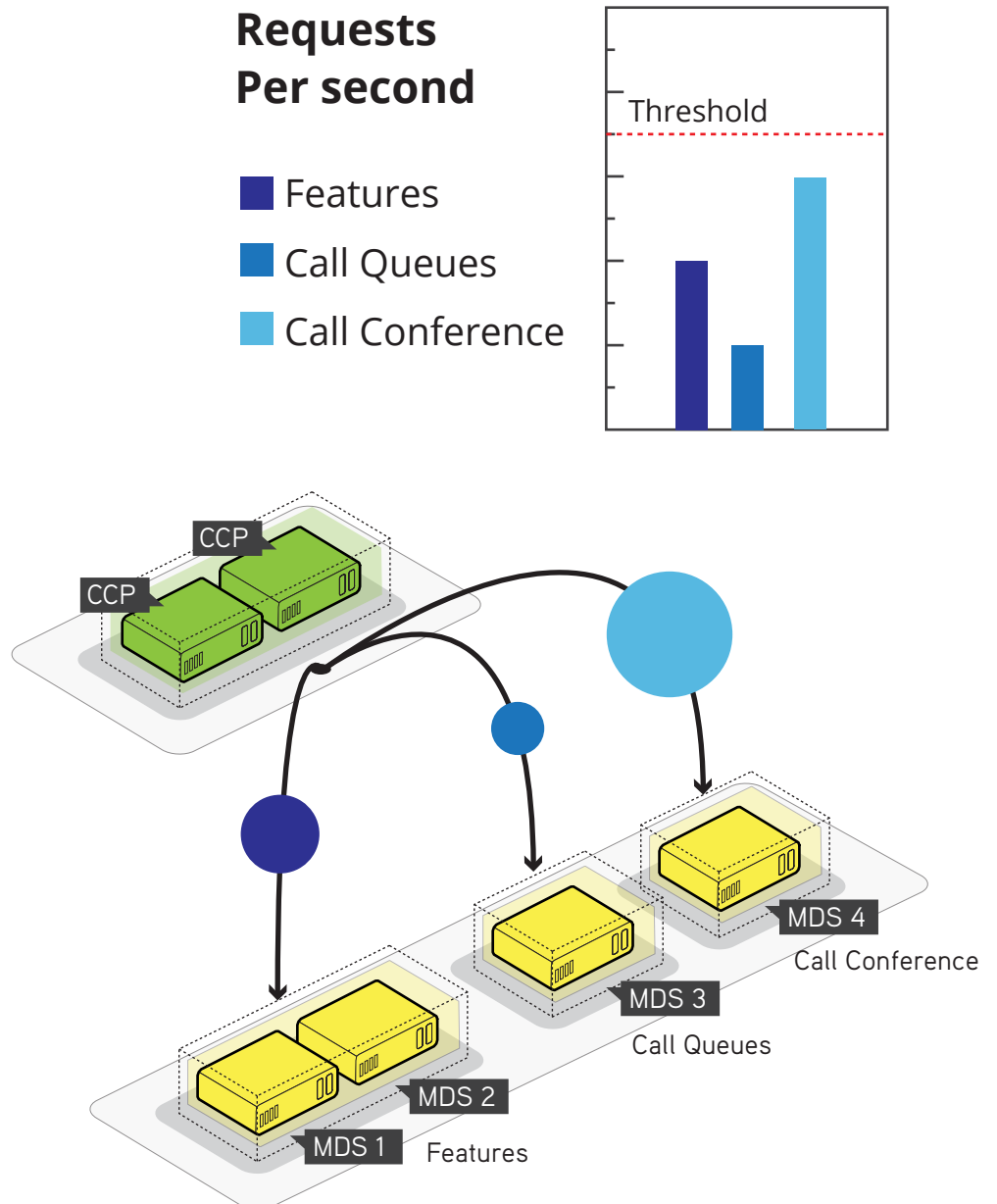
- Ceilometer monitorization system checks that your system usage is over 50% in CCP stack (CCP1 & CCP2) – alarm!
- Heat gets triggered to create a new CCP stack - “CCP3”
- Puppet applies CCP template configuration to “CCP3”
- Puppet adds the new “CCP3” configuration to existing infrastructure
- When Ceilometer checks that the usage is below 50% triggers Heat to delete “CCP3”
- Puppet removes the new “CCP3” from the existing infrastructure



Autoscaling by Feature Demand

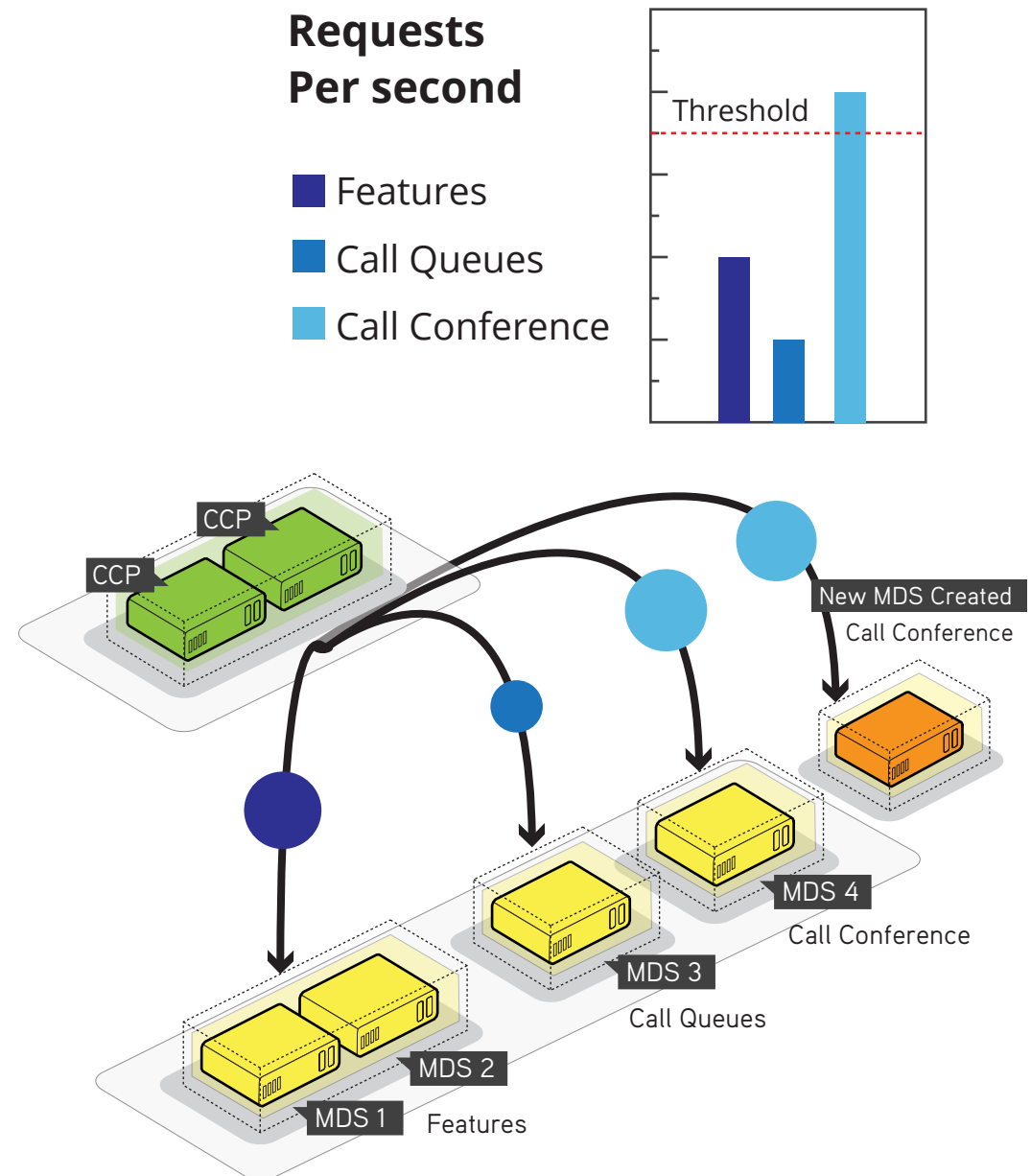
Possible scenario:

- For some (strange) reason all your customers book conference calls to the same day and hour – “Conference call day”;
- In this scenario, we have Kamailio (CCP) dividing the features by type, sending Call Queues and Call Conference to a dedicated pool.
- The load / resources usage of the Call Conference pool starts to rise... 50%...70%...90%..

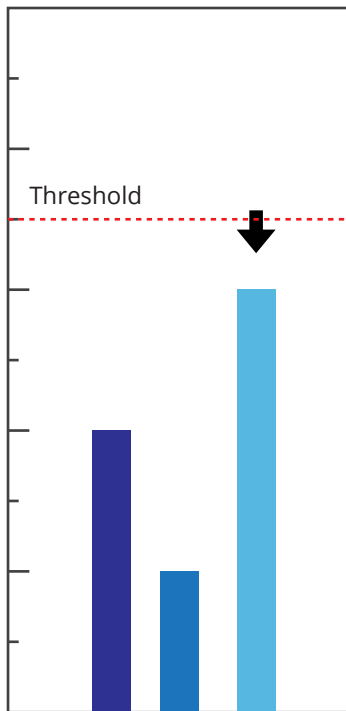


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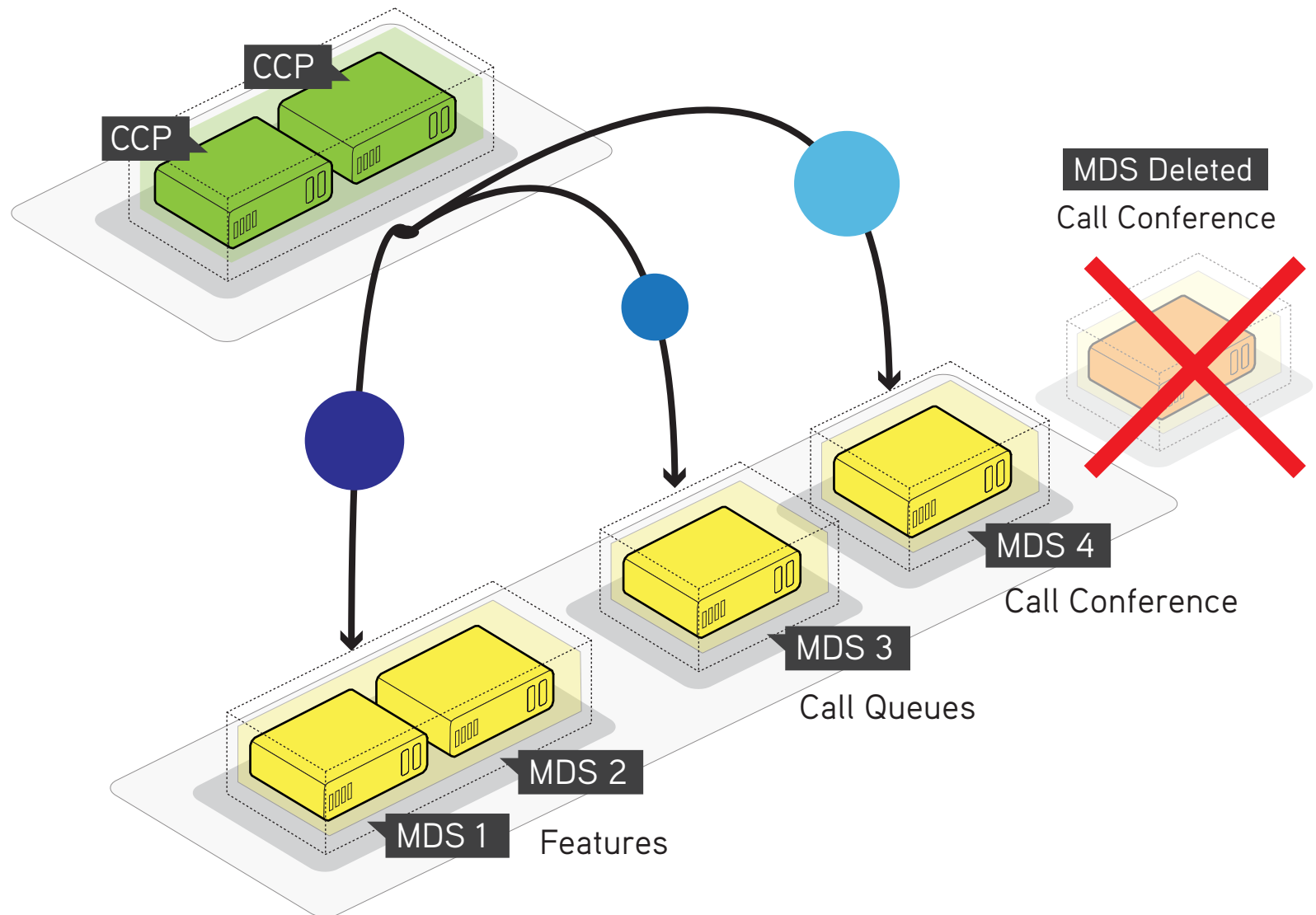
- Ceilometer monitorization system checks that your Call Conference server is getting a load over 70% – alarm!
- Heat gets triggered to create a new Call Conference stack - “CC2”
- Puppet applies Call Conference template configuration to “CC2”
- Puppet adds the new “CC2” configuration to existing infrastructure, specifically:
Adds CC2 IP/Hostname to Kamailio CCP Call Conference Feature Pool servers
- When Ceilometer checks that the usage is below 50% triggers Heat to delete “CC2”
- Puppet removes the “CC2” from the Kamailio configuration



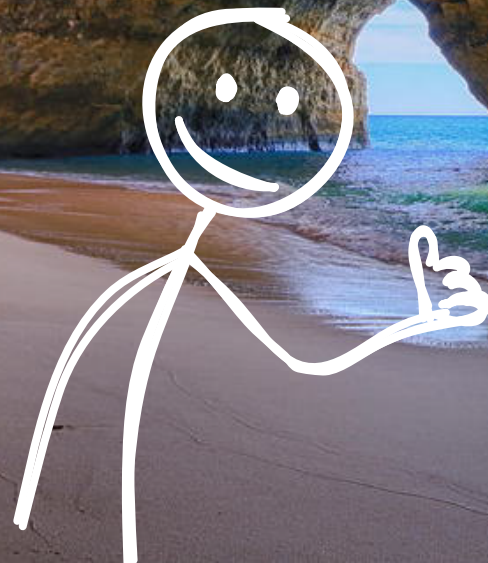
Requests Per second



- Features
- Call Queues
- Call Conference



Autoscaling without human intervention:
Mission accomplished!





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