



A view from the trenches

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**Moving from legacy monoliths
to modern microservices
platforms in the cloud**

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Introduction

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Agenda

- Trends in the market
- Intelligent Payments

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Move away from central IT

- Empower LoB and partners
- Acceptance that innovation happens at the edge
- Accept and enable a more controlled form of shadow IT
- Enable agile fail-fast approaches

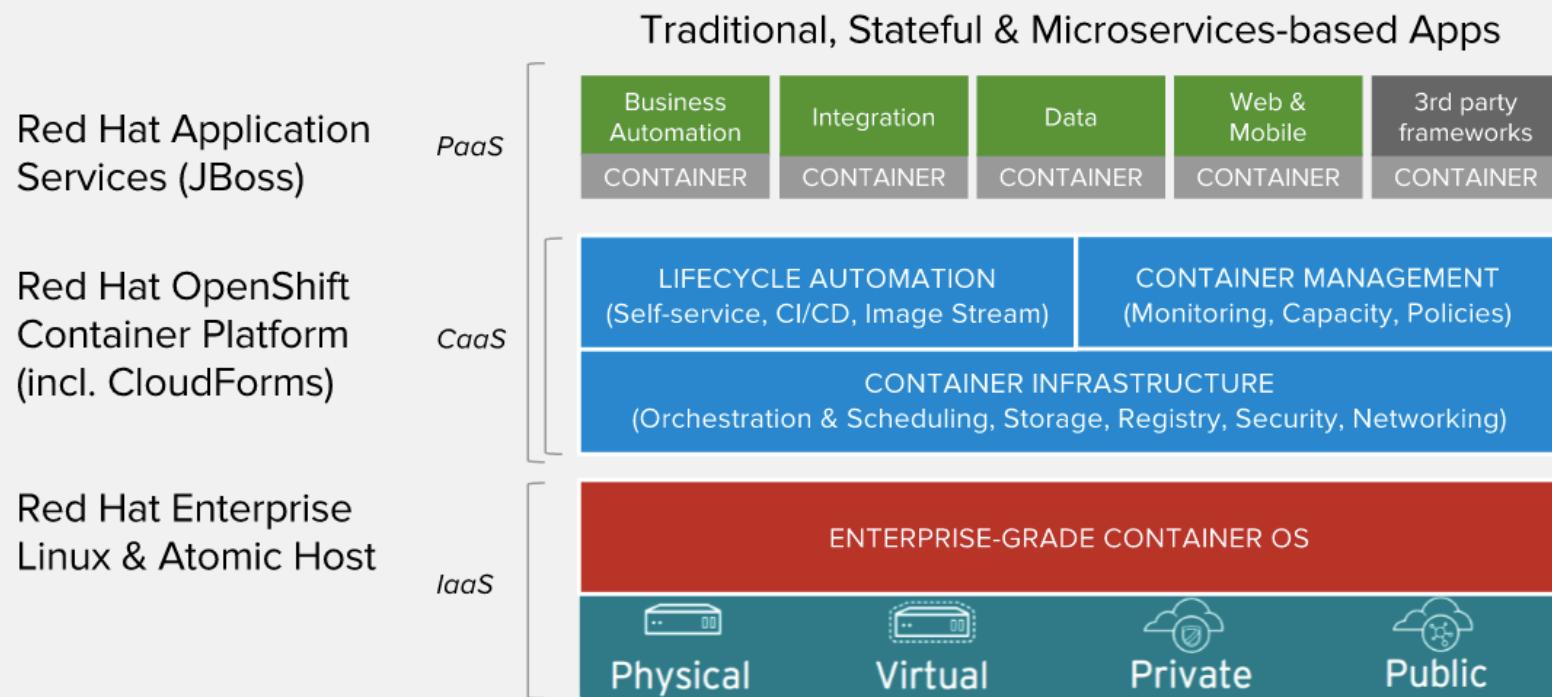
Microservices

- SOA is dead
- Teams want to make incremental changes and release quickly
- 2 Pizza Teams

Do it all for cheaper and on-demand

- Infrastructure Efficiency
- Staff Efficiency
- Operational Efficiency

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Intelligent Payments

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Overview

- Originally formed to provide gateway and risk services to large merchants in the gaming sector
- Providing gateway services to some of the largest corporate merchants in Europe
- Developed turnkey low cost payments solution for SME merchants
- Channel partnerships with major acquirers in Europe
- Management team - original founders and senior management at OmniPay together with payments and fraud execs from gaming sector

Selection of Intelligent Payments customers:



Business Case for OpenShift at IPG

- Challenge at IPG to refactor existing in-house application for multitenancy, scalability and high availability whilst providing business continuity to customer base.
- Business case to implement multitenancy driven by cost savings, and scalability for SME market.
- Solution needed to support security levels compliant with industry requirements, PCI-DSS.
- Solution can be deployed to a private hosted environment

Business And Functional Requirements

- How to refactor current application into smaller modules or libraries in a gradual timeline, while still managing customer base and new customers.
- Evaluating solutions, looking for ESB and application integration platform.
- Support existing Active-MQ product for inter-application messaging
- Preference to use Open source solutions, focused on Apache ServiceMix (Apache ActiveMQ, Apache Camel, Apache CXF, and Apache Karaf), with premium support backing.
- FUSE ESB (a recently acquired Red Hat product in 2013), fulfilled all the requirements.

Benefits of FUSE ESB (Apache ServiceMix) at IPG

- Using Apache Karaf that is powered by OSGi enables the ability to package applications in modular plug-ins that can be deployed independently and dynamically. This is essential for refactoring the existing applications into more maintainable components, without a very long development cycle. a.k.a. Microservices.
- Opens up the possibility of outsourcing development for specific functionality without disclosing the entire code source.
- Supports Enterprise Integration Patterns via Apache Camel that enable application routing and integration.
- A Web Services Framework via Apache CXF that Integrates applications with SOAP, XML/HTTP and RESTful HTTP. This facilitate the construction of an API foundation.

Challenges

- **Training and upskilling on the open source standards and frameworks used in the product, namely Apache ServiceMix (karaf, camel, CXF).**
- **Operations / Maintenance for production environment. How to setup a highly available setup, with rolling updates to minimize or eliminate downtime . IMPORTANT!**

Roadmap

- Deploy FUSE ESB as a highly available, scalable service. Reduce network complexity, and provide cluster session persistence.
- Next step Upgrade OpenShift Enterprise 3.x, and deploy FUSE as xPaaS.



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