

## **SUSE CaaS Platform**

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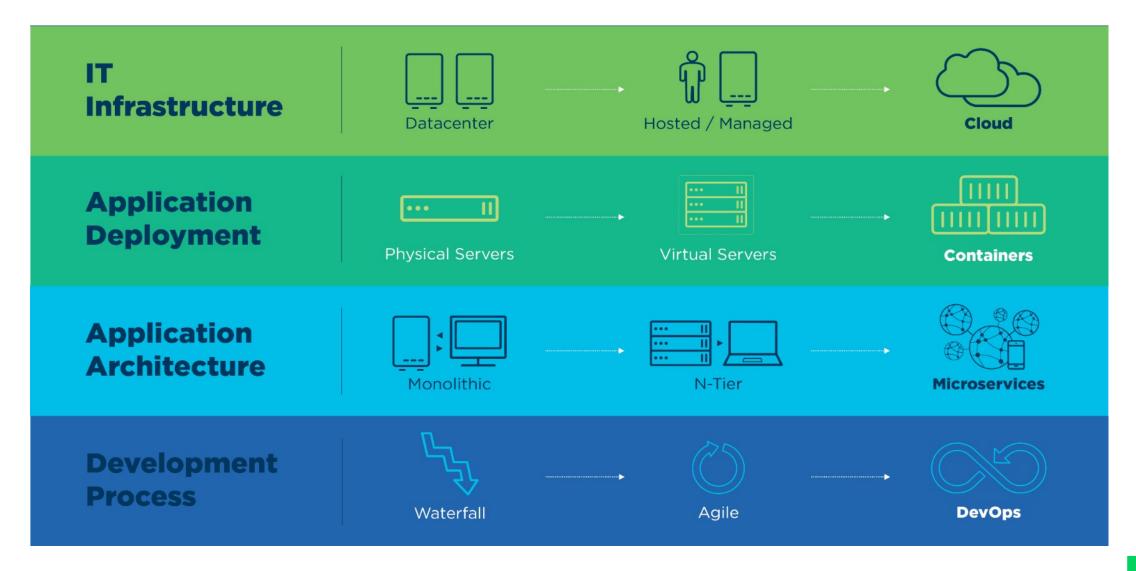
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## **Enterprises Want Container Workloads in Production**



Cloud Adoption Trends Driving IT Transformation Research Report, Insight Avenue, 2017 1412 IT decision makers in companies with 250+ employees, across all sectors, interviewed in 2017 (55% VP / C-level / Director level, 45% Senior Manager level)

## **Changing Business Demands are Transforming IT**



## **Deploying at Scale Requires Automation**

#### Orchestration

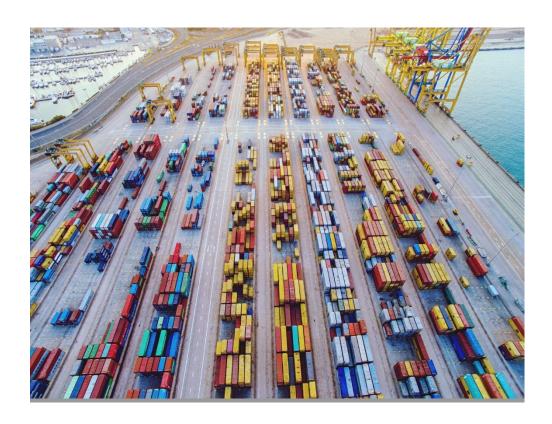
- Scheduling
- Service discovery

#### Performance and availability

- Scaling
- Load balancing
- Self-healing
- Monitoring

#### Maintenance

- Rollout
- Rollback



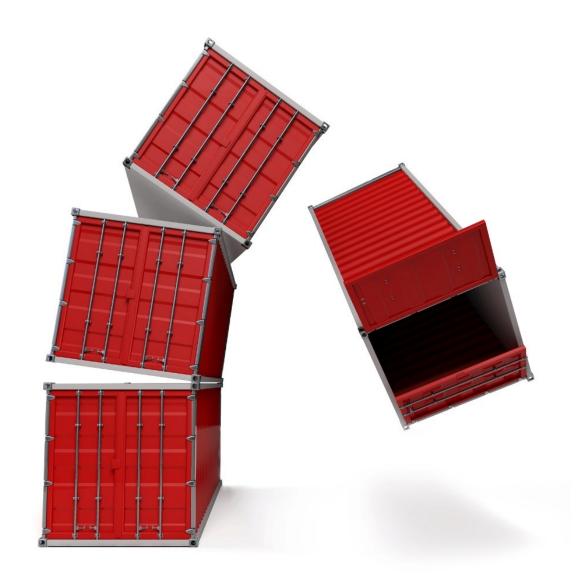
## **Management Platforms Exist, but are Complex**



Container management platforms must also be

- Composed
- Secured
- Hardened
- Supported

- Installed
- Operated
- Scaled
- Maintained

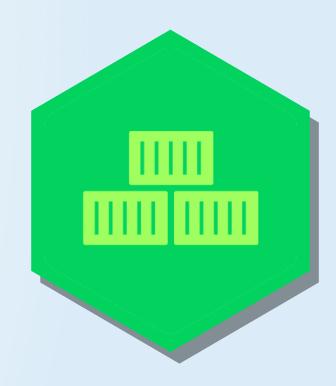


"Building a container stack from the ground up is not for everyone."

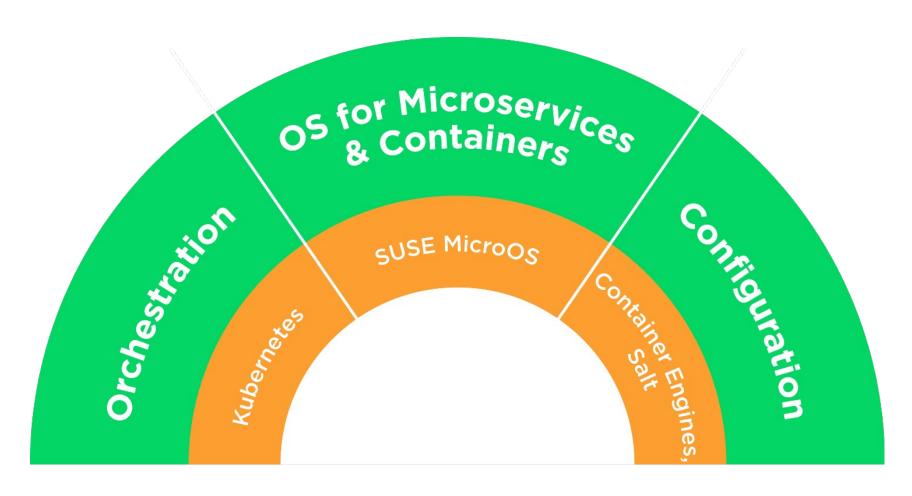
### **SUSE CaaS Platform**

Speed application delivery to improve business agility

SUSE CaaS Platform is a
Kubernetes-based container
management solution used by
application development and DevOps
teams to deploy, manage, and scale
container-based applications and
services.



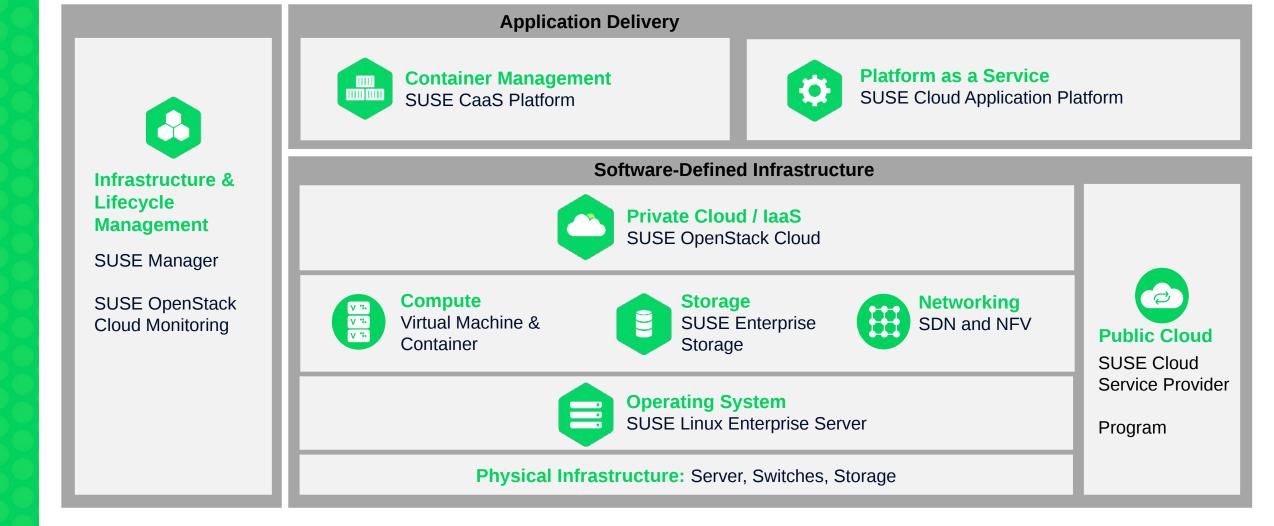
## 3 Key Technology Components



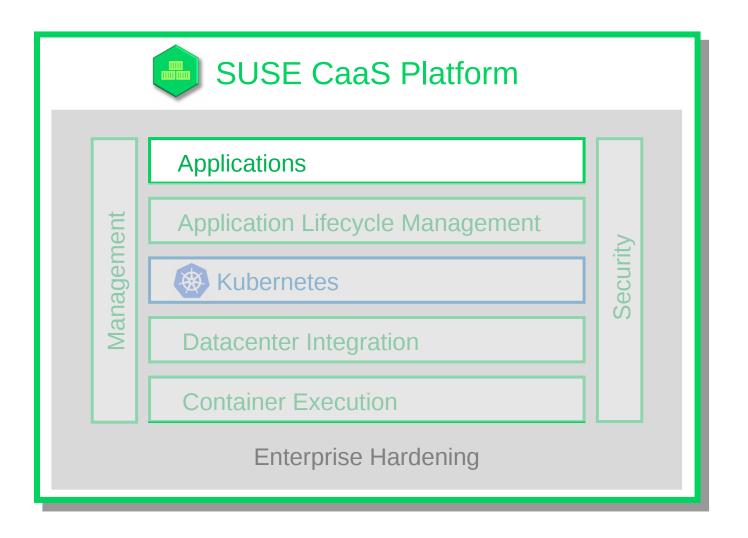
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### A Key Component of the SUSE Approach to IT Transformation

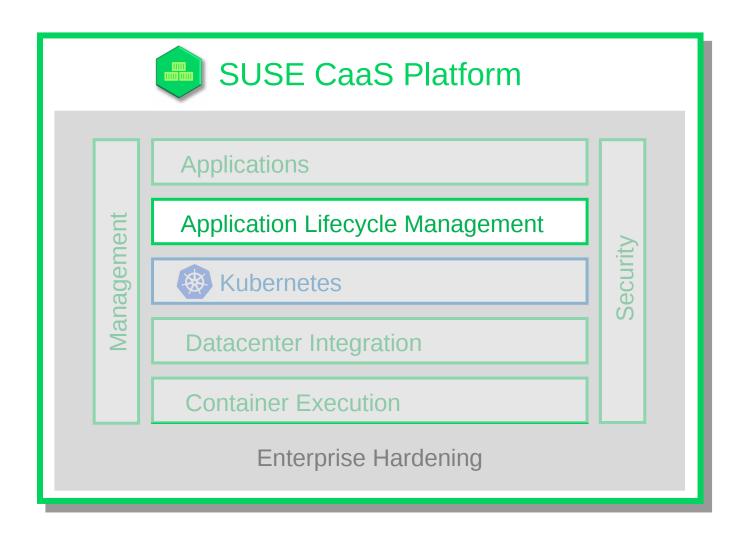


## SUSE CaaS Platform Key Features



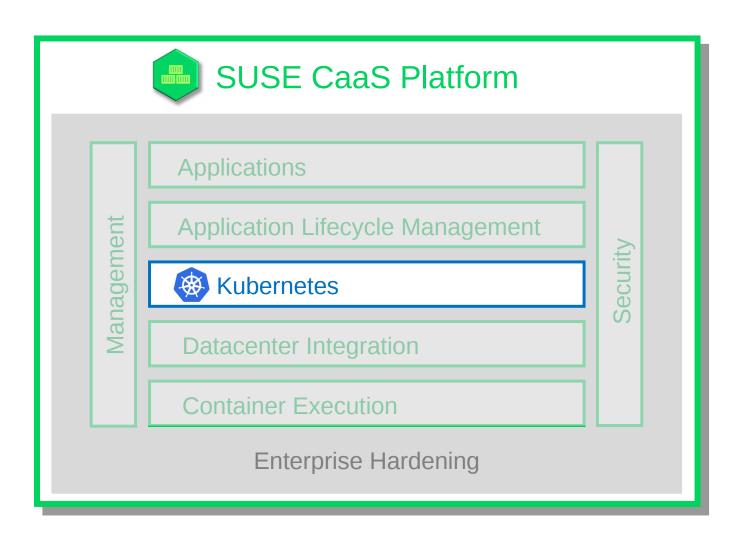
### **Applications**

 SUSE Linux container base images



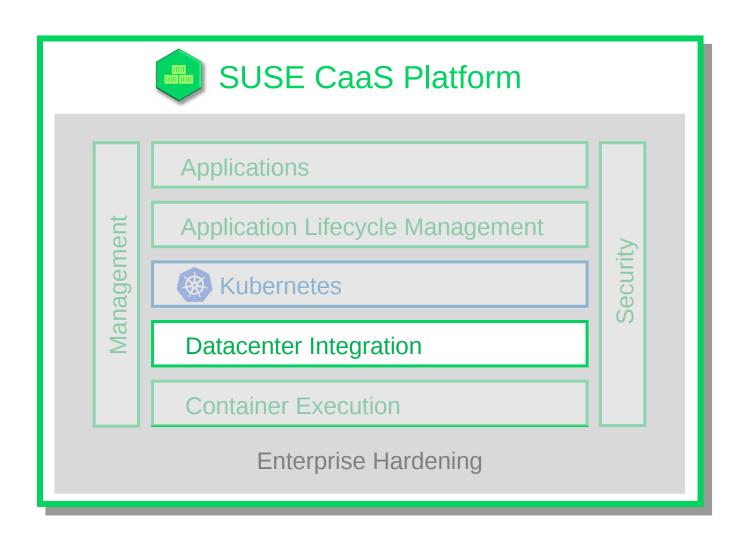
# Application Lifecycle Management

- packaging & deployment (Helm)
- Monitoring & mgt (kube dashboard, kubectl)
- Development tools pipeline integrations, SUSE Cloud Application Platform(CAP)
- CNCF community project integrations



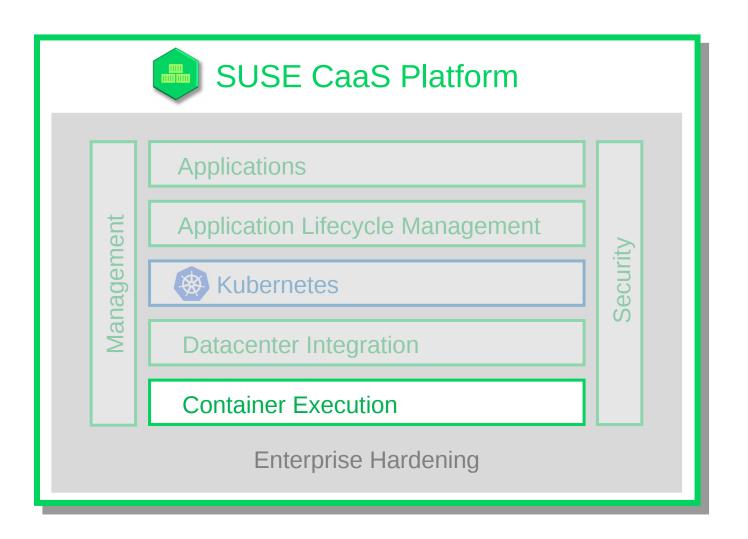
#### Kubernetes

CNCF certified distribution



# Datacenter Integration

- Networking
- Storage classes
- Load balancer
- Devices (e.g. GPU)
- Cloud providers
- Identity provider

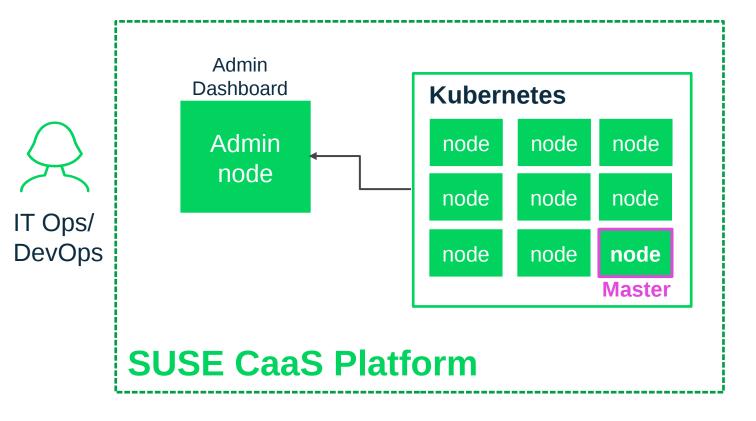


#### **Container Execution**

- Container runtime
- Image registries
- Container OS

# SUSE CaaS Platform Technology Overview

### **SUSE CaaS Platform Deployment - Setup Infrastructure**



- Install Admin node
  MicroOS one step installation
  Create AutoYaST profile
  Set up Admin Dashboard
- 2 Connect to Admin Dashboard
- 3 Deploy Nodes
  Uses AutoYaST profile

PXE / DHCP / SMT
Portus
External Logging System

SUSE Registry SCC

Configure Cluster
Set up kubernetes, etcd, flannel,...



<u>H</u>elp

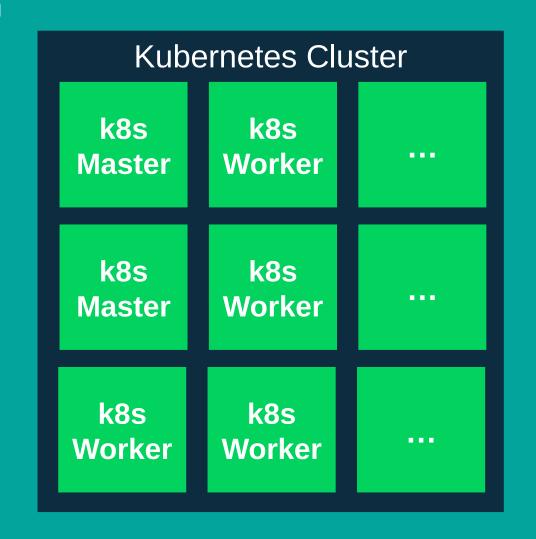
#### Installation Overview

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English (UK)				* Standard
Keyboard Layout				Booting
English (UK)				* Boot Loader Type: GRUB2
Password for root User		Con <u>f</u> irm Password		* Enable Trusted Boot: no
•••••		*********		* Status Location: /dev/sda2 ("/
Registration Code or SMT Server URL				
ABC123MYREGCODE				
System Role				Network Configuration
Administration Node (Dashboard)				* DHCP / eth0
NTP Servers				Kdump
10.0.0.13				* Kdump status: enabled
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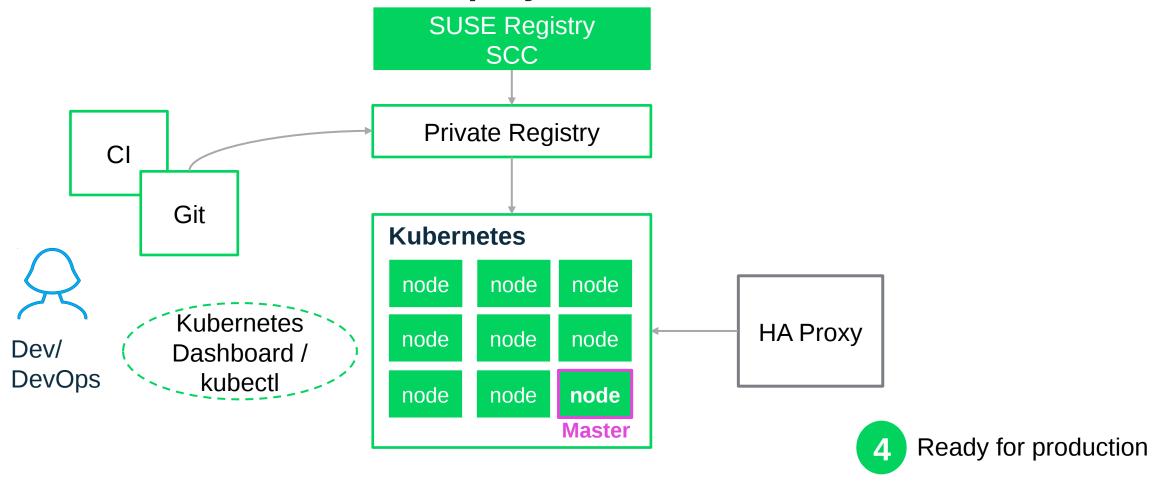
Install

### **SUSE CaaS Platform**

Dashboar Admin Node



### **SUSE CaaS Platform Deployment – Run Containers**

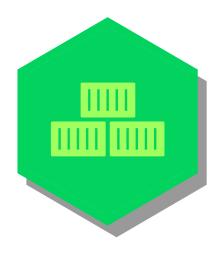


- 1 Push code to git
- 2 Build container image(s)
- 3 Run app on kubernetes cluster

### CaaS Platform Deployment Scenario – End User view

End user accesses application via Ingress Loan App Controller Load balancer **Kubernetes HA Proxy** node node node nginx node node node node node node **Master** 

## **SUSE CaaS Platform Transactional Updates**



### **Automatic**

Keep Kubernetes up-to-date without manual intervention

### **Transparent**

Continue to run workloads while updating Kubernetes

### **Atomic**

Eliminate failures due to partial updates

#### Recoverable

Roll back easily to any previous release



# SUSE CaaS Platform Setup

#### SUSE. CaaS Platform

## SUSE CaaS Platform

SUSE CaaS Platform allows you to provision, manage, and scale container-based applications.

It automates your tedious management tasks allowing you to focus on development and writing apps to meet business goals.

Don't have an account?

Create an account

#### Log In

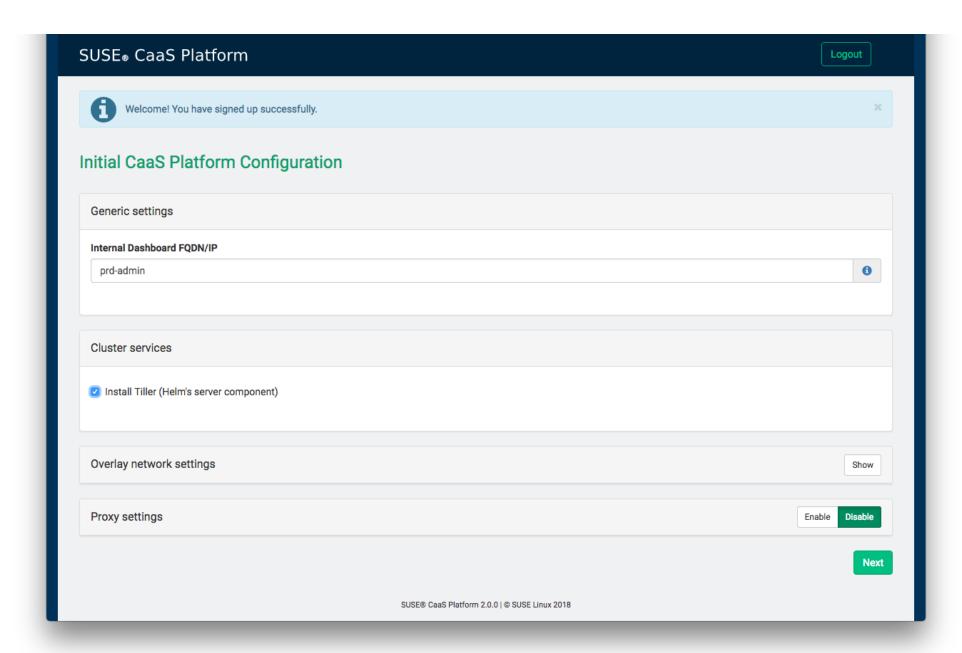
Enter your email address

Enter your password

Log in

Remember me





#### SUSE<sub>®</sub> CaaS Platform

Logout

#### **Bootstrap your CaaS Platform**

In order to complete the installation, it is necessary to bootstrap a few additional nodes, those will be the Kubernetes Master and Workers. This process leverages AutoYaST and is (almost) fully automated. In case you are not familiar with it, you can find more information about AutoYaST in the official documentation. The automatic installation gets invoked by adding autoyast=http://prd-admin/autoyast to the kernel parameter list. If you aren't under a PXE environment you can also use netsetup=dhcp kernel parameter for the network to be automatically configured using a reachable DHCP server. As installation media, you can use the very same image you bootstrapped the admin node with. A ready to use AutoYaST profile has already been generated for you during the bootstrap of the admin node. Bootstrap all the nodes you want to make part of this platform by adding the following boot parameter autoyast=http://prd-admin/autoyast

#### Tips

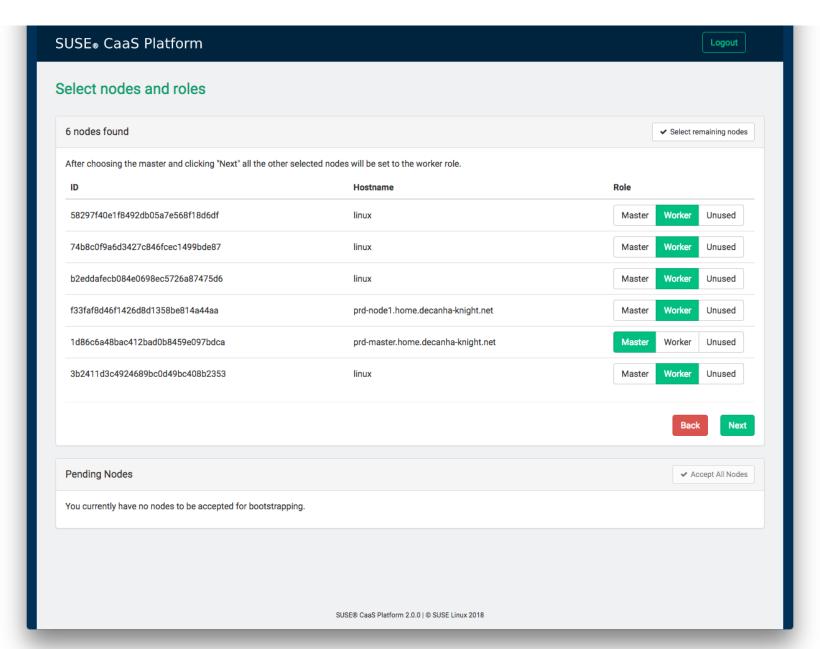
You don't need to boot each node by hand. More information on how to embed an AutoYaST profile in your PXE environment is available here. Where http://prd-admin/autoyast is the real, generated path to the AutoYaST profile served by the dashboard.

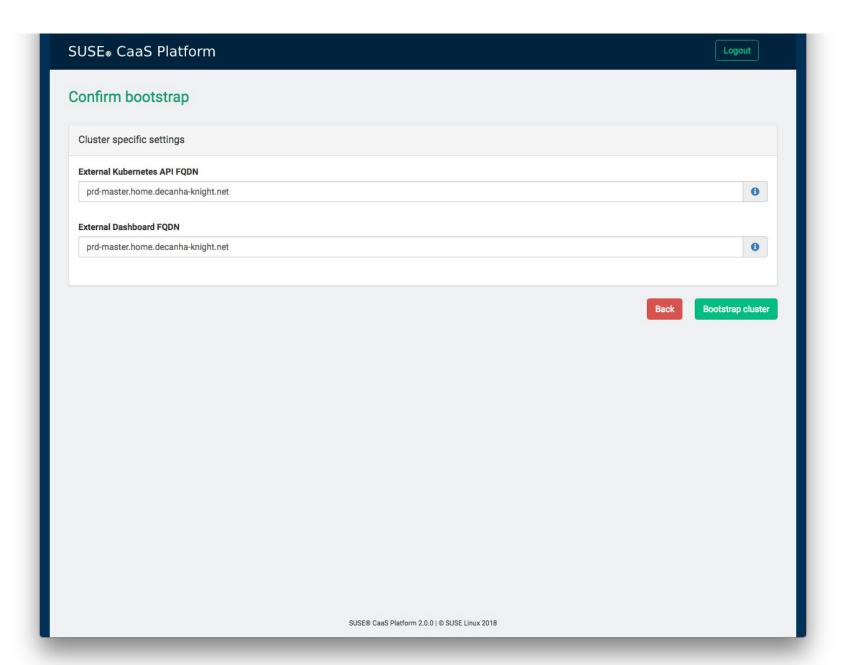


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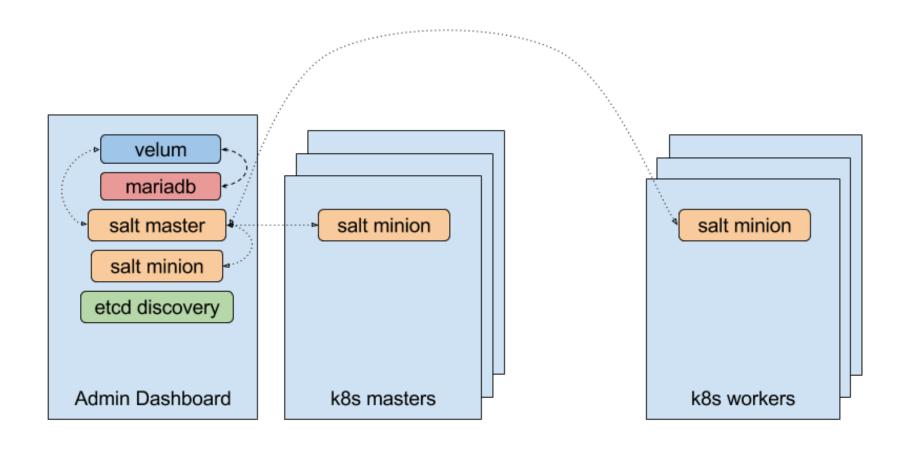
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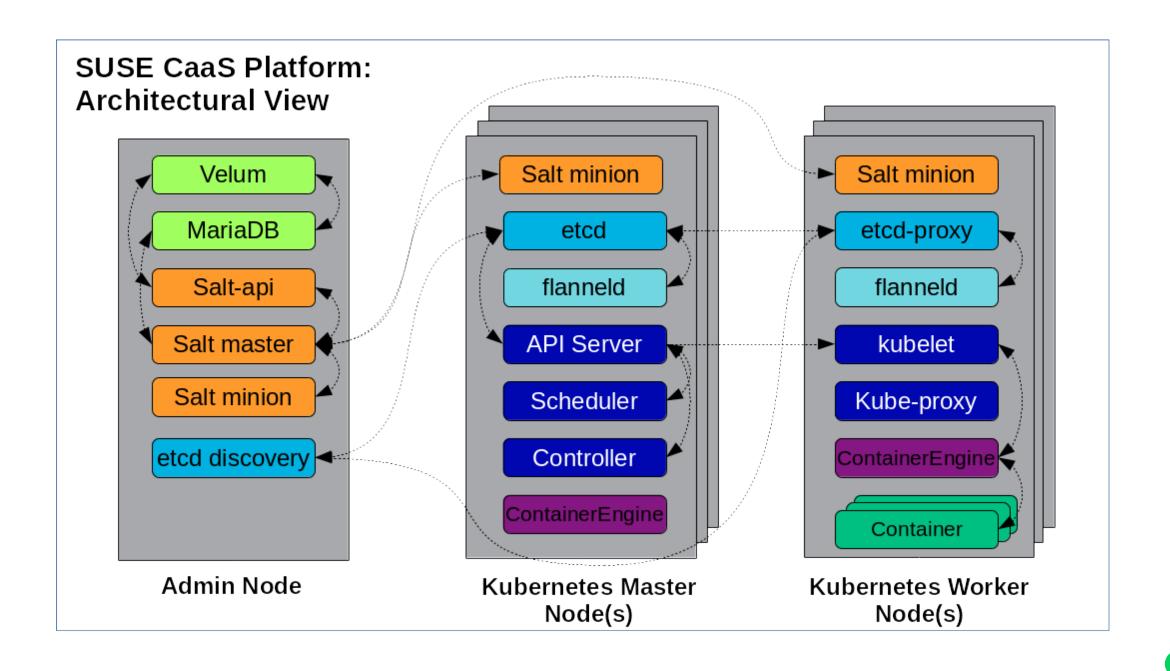
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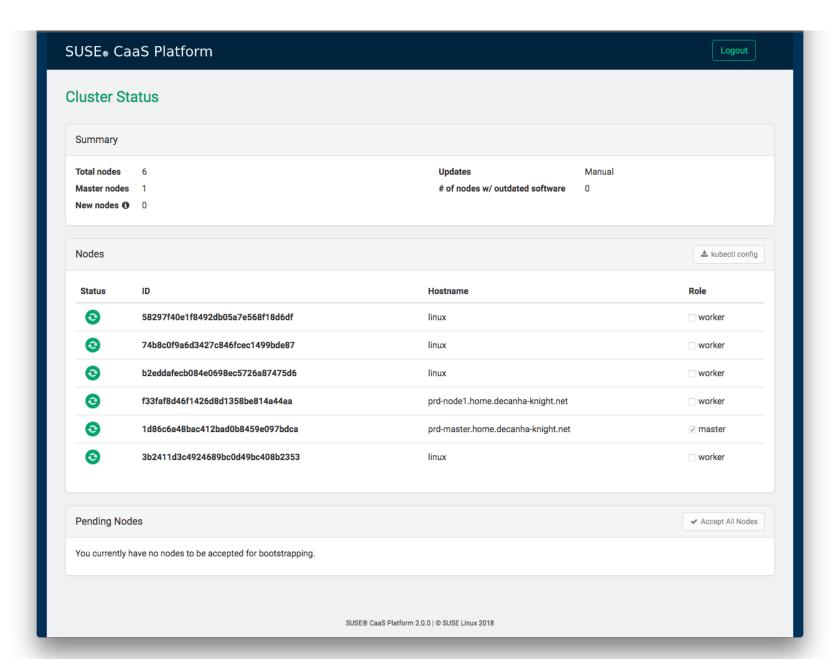


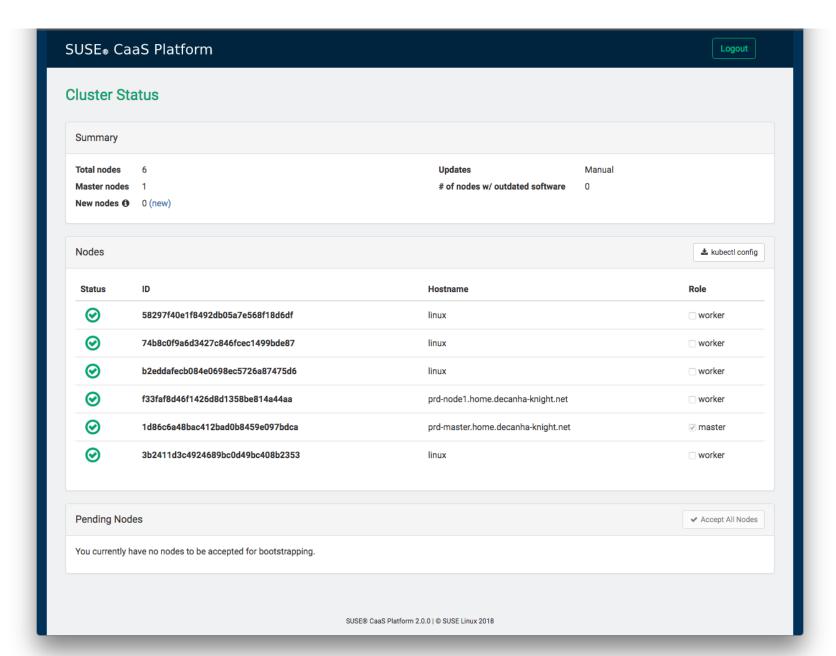


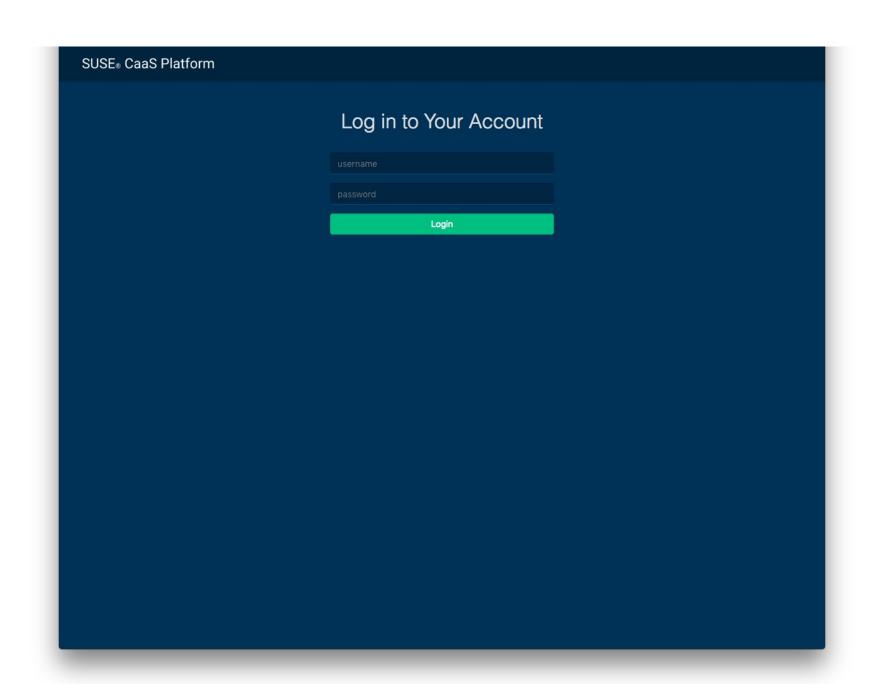
### **Before Salt Orchestration**











#### SUSE. CaaS Platform

Logout

#### Download your kubeconfig file

You will see a download dialog that will allow you to download your kubeconfig file. Please, accept it and save it in a known location.

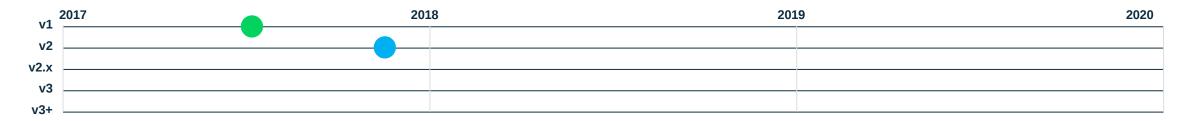
You can refer to it using kubectl by setting the KUBECONFIG environment variable, like KUBECONFIG=~/Downloads/kubeconfig kubectl get nodes.

You can also save it to your home in `~/.kube/config`, `kubectl` will automatically read this file without the need to specify the KUBECONFIG environment variable.

You can navigate to the dashboard now, once you have downloaded your kubeconfig file

## **SUSE CaaS Platform Futures**

### **SUSE CaaS Platform Release History**



Container Host OS

v1

Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 12 SP2

- Designed for containers and optimized for large deployments
- Transactional updates
- Cluster dashboard for deployment and update

#### **Orchestration**

(MicroOS)

- Kubernetes v1.5: Complete solution for container-based workloads: deploy, scale, manage
- Cmdline capabilities
- Docker open source project version 1.12.6

#### **Ecosystem**

- Private registry
- Persistent storage: local, NFS, SUSE Enterprise Storage

#### **Container Host OS (MicroOS)**

Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 12 SP3

v2

- Tested with 50 nodes
- Multi-master cluster set up, tested with 100 nodes
- Integration with public cloud (Amazon, Azure, Google)\*\*\*
- Enhance administration dashboard

#### Orchestration

- Kubernetes 1.7
- Add Kubernetes DNS module (kube-dns)
- Docker open source project version 1.12.6

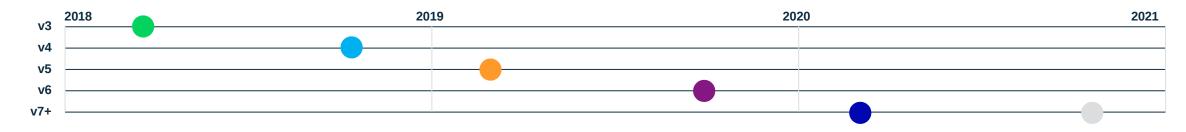
#### **Ecosystem**

- Helm for installing containerized applications
- Enable SUSE CAP on top of SUSE CaaS Platform

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Item delivered post-GA

<sup>\*</sup> Information is forward looking and subject to change at any time.

### **SUSE CaaS Platform Roadmap**



**Container Host OS** 

 Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 12 SP3

Tested with 200 nodes

 Enhance administration dashboard

 Container engine alternative (crio) (tech preview)

**v**3

Toolchain module

**Orchestration** 

• Kubernetes 1.9; Docker 17.03

 Loadbalancer integration (software)

Network options (CNI using flannel)

 Cloud integration for Storage and network (CPI)

**Ecosystem** 

 Private registry in offline mode

Trusted container images

Documentation rework, best practices

 SUSE Container Certification Program **Container Host OS** 

Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 15

v4

 Codebase and packaging further optimized as container host OS

Improve isolation options

Container engine alternative (cri-o)

Disaster recovery

Containerized control pane

Support customer certificate authority

Orchestration

Kubernetes version update

Network options (CNI and Cilium as first plugin)

• Kubernetes dashboard (kube-dash)

· Federation of Kubernetes cluster

**Ecosystem** 

 Enable SUSE Enterprise Storage on top of SUSE CaaS Platform

• Smaller base container images

 Additional container images for workloads

Overlap support

Container Host OS

 Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 15

More flexible set up

 Enhance administration dashboard

Further scalability

Fold dedicate admin node into master cluster

CLI for administration dashboard

Orchestration

Kubernetes version update

Network options (further CNI plugins like Kuryr or Calico)

Monitoring (Prometheus)

**Ecosystem** 

 Additional container images for workloads

Improved processes for maintenance

v6

**Container Host OS** 

• Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 15 SP1

 Container isolated via virtualization

Additional HW architectures

Orchestration

Kubernetes version update

IPv6

**Ecosystem** 

 Full Management of CaaS Platform within SUSE Manager

**Themes** 

 Continue to make K8s easy to install, update, and operate

Multi-cloud, multi-cluster

Integration into customer environments (storage, networking)

v7+

• Codebase: SUSE Linux Enterprise 15 SP1+

**Container Host OS** 

Orchestration

Kubernetes version update

**Themes** 

 Tools for containerized work loads

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## What's New in SUSE CaaS Platform 3?

#### What's new?

#### Optimize your cluster configuration

- Improved integration of private and public cloud storage
- Automatic deployment of Kubernetes software load balancer
- Toolchain module for MicroOS customization
- Cluster re-configuration (single/multi-master)



#### More efficient and secure container image management

- Local registries improve security and performance
- System-wide certificates
- Lightweight Cri-O container runtime (Tech Preview)



#### Kubernetes version update (1.9)

Apps Workloads API facilitates orchestration of common workloads



### **Kubernetes CPI**



- Take advantage of the IaaS where Kubernetes is running
- Leverage storage, Load Balancer as a Service ...
- Works with OpenStack, Azure, AWS, GCE
- CaaS Platform v3 can be used to replace Magnum on OpenStack

### **SUSE MicroOS Toolchain module**



- Include tools to debug a system and build drivers
- Module not enabled by default

#### Use case 1:

- Vendor provides kernel driver only via DKMS
- Toolchain module can be used to build the driver on CaaS Platform
- Example: build NVIDIA GPU drivers

#### Use case 2:

Troubleshooting system

## **Cluster Reconfiguration**

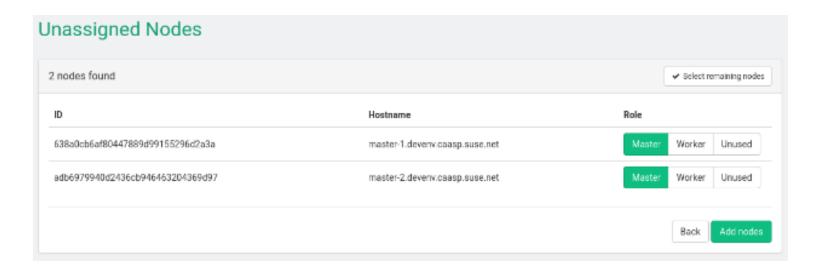


- Prior to v3:
  - Cluster topology fixed in time
  - Customer could add only worker nodes
  - No node could be removed from the cluster
- Starting with v3:
  - Master nodes can be added
  - Node removal is supported

## Cluster Reconfiguration: Growing a cluster



- Both master and worker nodes can now be added to a running cluster
- The topology of the cluster can change: from single master to multi master



## **Cluster Reconfiguration: Node removal**



- It's possible to remove both master and worker nodes
- Velum prevents the cluster from being unusable:
  - It must have at least one master
  - It must have at least one worker
- Velum warns the user about having unsupported cluster topologies, eg: when going from 3 master down to 1 master
- The cluster can be brought back to a supported topology by adding new master or worker nodes



## **Container Image Management**

### **Groups of registries**

- public registry.suse.com
- public ISV registry @suse.com
- ISV registry for running at ISV side
- public registry for openSUSE and PackageHub
- internal registry for maintenance and development
- public cloud proxy registries
- customer local registries for own purposes
- customer local proxy registries

## Public registry.suse.com

#### Purpose:

- Distribute container images:
  - as needed for SUSE products like SUSE CaaS Platform, SUSE Cloud Application Platform etc
  - for ISVs and developer to get base images to use for building their own container images
- Container images will be pushed at product release time and as maintenance updates.
- Updating container images:
  - Images will be updated by develoment team when fixing bugs or adding features
  - Images will be updated by maintenance team if one of the used packages gets an update
  - Image updates will be done from build service

## Handling insecure registries



- Prior to v2:
  - Only registries using a trusted CA could be used
  - Handling other registries required manual work and hacks
- Starting from v3:
  - Easy management of registries not using a certificate at all
  - Easy management of registries using self-signed certificates





SUSE <sub>®</sub> CaaS Pla	tform Home Settings Logout
REGISTRIES	New Mirror
Remote Registries	Mirror of registry.suse.com
Mirrors	
System wide certificates	Name suse-mirror
KUBERNETES	URL
Compute Resources	http://suse-mirror.local
Reservations	Security warning: You are using an insecure mirror address for a secure remote
Auditing	Save Cancel

## System wide certificates

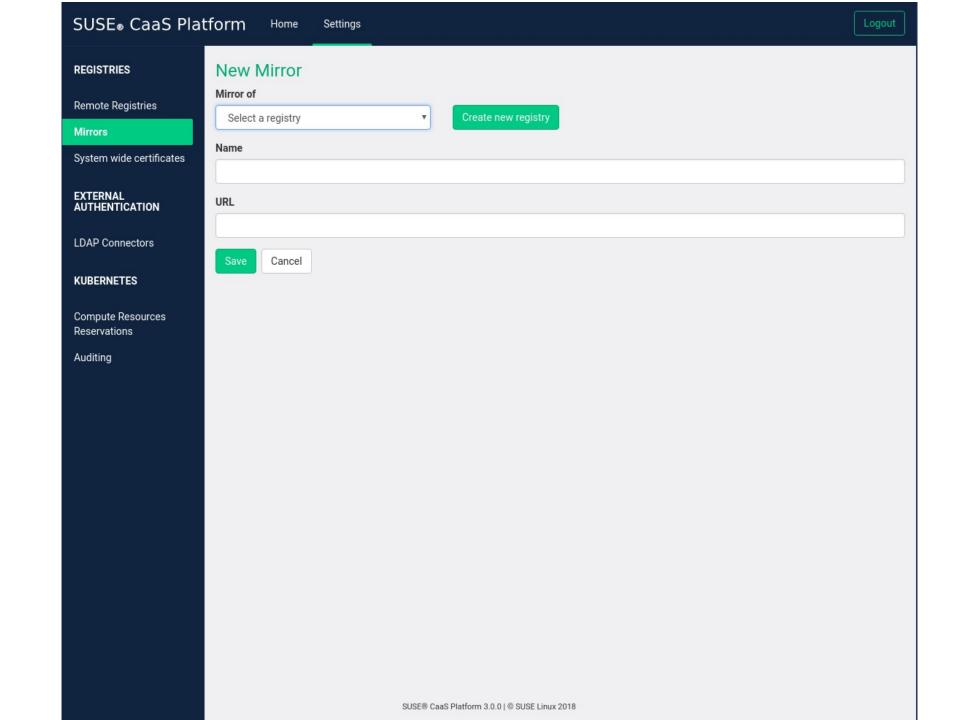


- Propagate customer certificates to all the nodes of the cluster
- Allows access to internal resources like:
  - Ceph storage
  - OpenStack endpoints
  - **–** ...
- UI available both at deployment time and afterwards

## **System wide certificates**



System wide certificate	Hide
When you require a self-signed certificate, you can add it here, so it will be distributed to your cluster.  Name	
Certificate	
Paste the self-signed certificate to be added to the system certificate store here.	

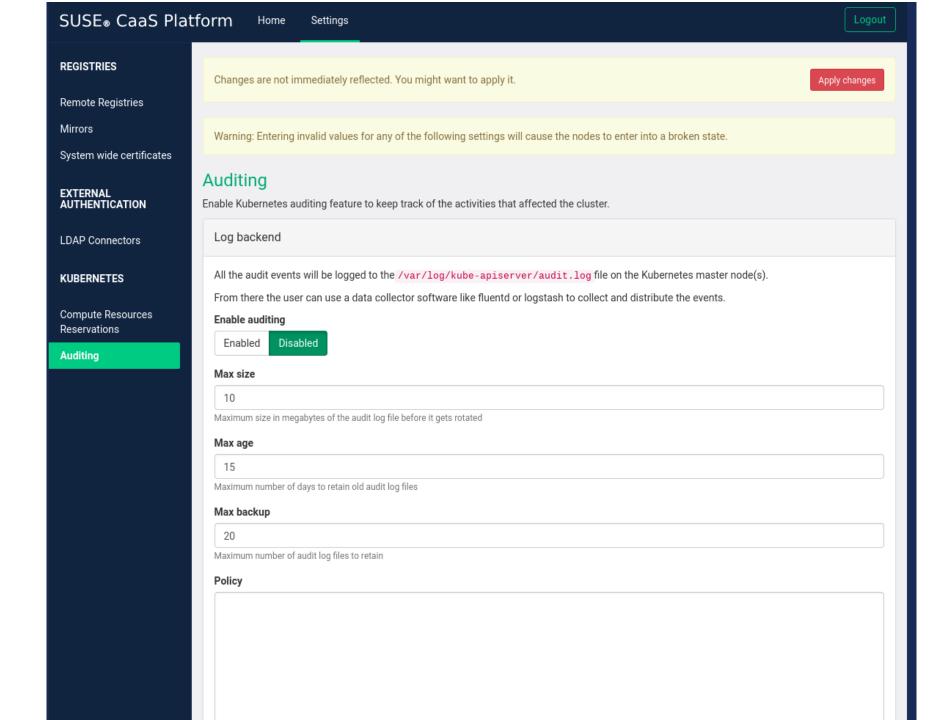


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REGISTRIES	New LDAP Connector	
Remote Registries	Name	
Mirrors	Name shown to user when selecting a connector	
System wide certificates		
EXTERNAL AUTHENTICATION	Server Host	
LDAP Connectors	Host name of LDAP server reachable from the cluster	
KUBERNETES	Port	
Compute Resources Reservations	The port on which to connect to the host (e.g. StartTLS On: 389 , StartTLS Off: 636 )  StartTLS	
Auditing	On Off When enabled use StartTLS otherwise TLS will be used	
	Certificate  Upload the certificate of the root CA that issued the LDAP server certificate	
	Choose File No file chosen	
	Authentication	
	Anonymous  True False  Use anonymous authentication to do initial user search	
	DN	

SUSE <sub>®</sub> CaaS Pla	tform Home Settings	Logout
REGISTRIES	DN	
Remote Registries	Bind DN of user that can do user searches	
Mirrors	Password	
System wide certificates		
EXTERNAL AUTHENTICATION	Password of the user  User Search	
LDAP Connectors	Identifying User Attribute	
KUBERNETES	Label of LDAP attribute users will enter to identify themselves (e.g. username )	
Compute Resources Reservations	Base DN	
Auditing	BaseDN where users are located (e.g. cn=users, dc=example, dc=com )	
	Filter	
	Filter to specify type of user objects (e.g. "(objectclass=person)")	
	User Attribute Map	
	Username	
	Attribute users will enter to identify themselves	
	ID	
	Attribute used to identify user within the system (e.g. uid )	
	Email	
	Attribute containing email of users	
	Name	

Host system services

Apply changes



## Don't panic!





- New container engine available: CRI-O
- Docker open-source engine is still part of v3. It's the default choice
- It's tech preview, but we want to make it fully supported with v4
- We don't know yet when we will replace docker with CRI-O

## Why CRI-O?



- Deliver a component that just does the job and nothing more
- Docker open-source engine is not optimized for Kubernetes:
   kubelet → docker-shim → dockerd → containerd → runC
- Designed with Kubernetes in mind:
   kubelet → crio → runC
- Lightweight: offers better performance
- Easier to maintain and to debug
- OCI compliant: uses runC

## **Impact on customers**



- No need to change container images
- **No** need to change the way to distribute images (pull from docker registries)
- No need to change Kubernetes manifest files
- The Container Runtime Interface is completely transparent to end-user
- However, debugging on a node is a bit different

## Kubernetes version upgrade



- Ships with Kubernetes 1.9.8
- Work already in the progress to update to latest 1.10 release
- One of the significant changes: DaemonSet, Deployment, ReplicaSet and StatefulSet have been promoted to the apps group, they are considered stable.

## **Notary**

- Signing and verifying content on the SUSE Docker Registry
- By default, your docker client is very trusting
- Content Trust check whether or not an image has been signed by a trusted authority each time you run docker pull
- DOCKER\_CONTENT\_TRUST : hardened mode
- DOCKER\_CONTENT\_TRUST\_SERVER source of truth
- DOCKER\_CONTENT\_TRUST\_SERVER="https://notary.docker.io" docker pull nginx:latest



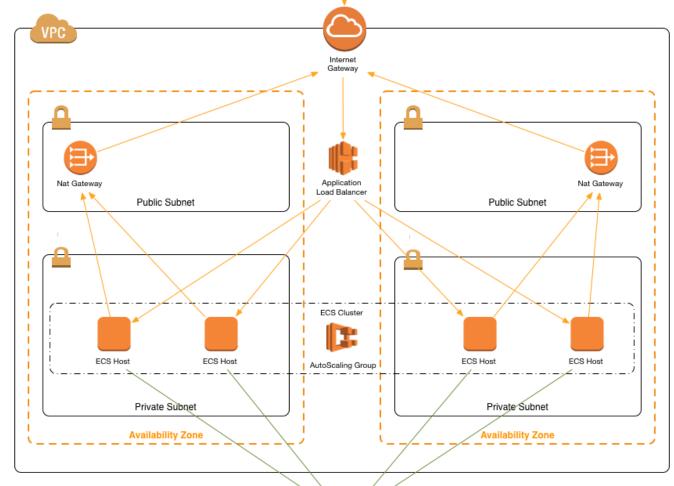
Inbound traffic is routed through an Application Load Balancer exposed to the internet.

Using the Application Load Balancer's path based routing, the relevant paths are forwarded to their ECS service and containers.

e.g. https://<load-balancer/ -> 'website' ECS service https://<load-balancer/products -> 'products' ECS service

As the ECS hosts are located in private subnets, we use a pair of NAT Gateways to route outbound traffic out to the internet for:

- Fetching containers
   Contacting the ECS service



Each ECS Host gets assigned to run the Docker Distribution service



## Access registry.suse.com

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zypper ar https://download.opensuse.org/repositories/systemsmanagement:/SCC/openSUSE_Leap_42.2/systemsmanagement:SCC.repo
zypper in docker-ls
docker-ls repositories --registry https://registry.suse.com
requesting list . done
repositories:
- cap-beta/scf-acceptance-tests
- cap-beta/scf-acceptance-tests-brain
- cap-beta/scf-api
[...]
- pause
- pv-recycler-node
- scc/busybox
- scc/redis
- sles12-mariadb
- sles12-salt-api
- sles12-salt-master
- sles12-salt-minion
- sles12-velum
- sles12sp2
- sles12sp3
```

Public Cloud

Images available in Market Place

Ready to run images for Amazon AWS, Azure and Google Cloud

Bring your own subscription

**On-demand** 

Discussion started with Google Cloud and Azure

Not available yet.

Timeline: 3-6 months

**Federation** 

In discussion for upcoming releases

Role Base Access Control (RBAC)



- In enterprise settings, access might be based on job function or role of the user
- Users authenticate themselves to the system
- (Some) Users can activate one or more roles for themselves

RBAC Examples

Sys Admin

Operate the infrastructure

Block access to the infrastructure level

Allow developers to interact with

Kubernetes

Developer

Full access for my team to manage the

application

No access to other teams work

No access from other team to our work

Manager

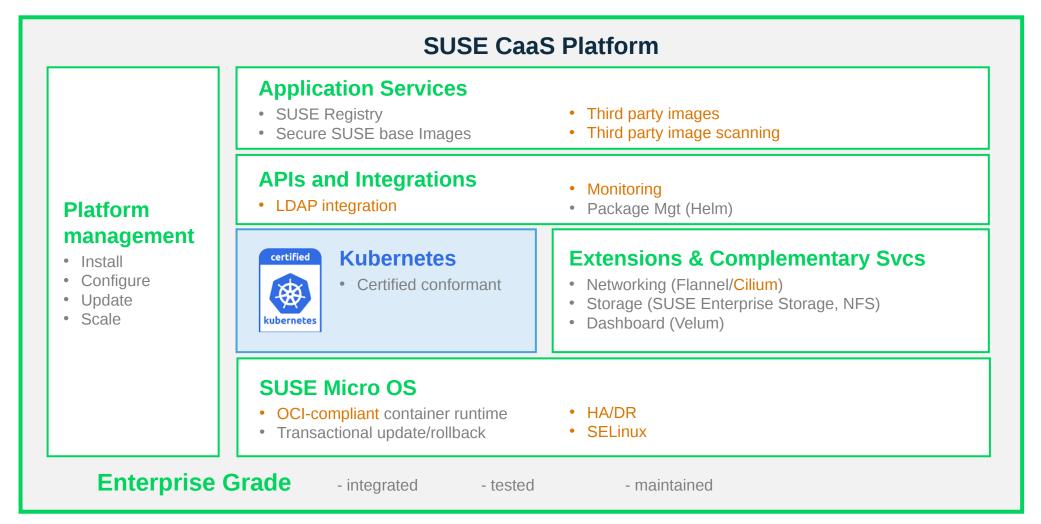
Check the usage
Have an overview of resources

### What is SUSE MicroOS?

- OS focused only on containers
  - Minimal image designed for one special Use Case
- Focused on large deployments
  - Reduced end-user interactions
- An always up-to-date Operating System
  - Safe way to update the system
  - Read-only root filesystem
    - Btrfs with snapshots and rollback for transactional updates
- https://en.opensuse.org/Kubic:MicroOS

## **Consolidated Benefits - One Slide**

# SUSE CaaS Platform simplifies and extends Kubernetes Container management for the enterprise



## Container Management for the Enterprise

#### Choose SUSE CaaS Platform to...



#### **Achieve faster time to value**

- Enterprise-ready
- Industry leading technologies
- Complete package



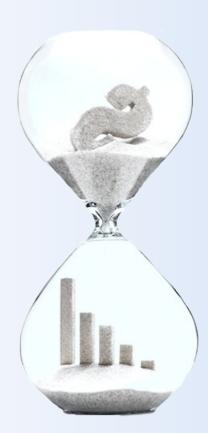
#### **Simplify management and control**

- Efficient installation
- Easy scaling
- Update automation



#### **Maximize return on your investment**

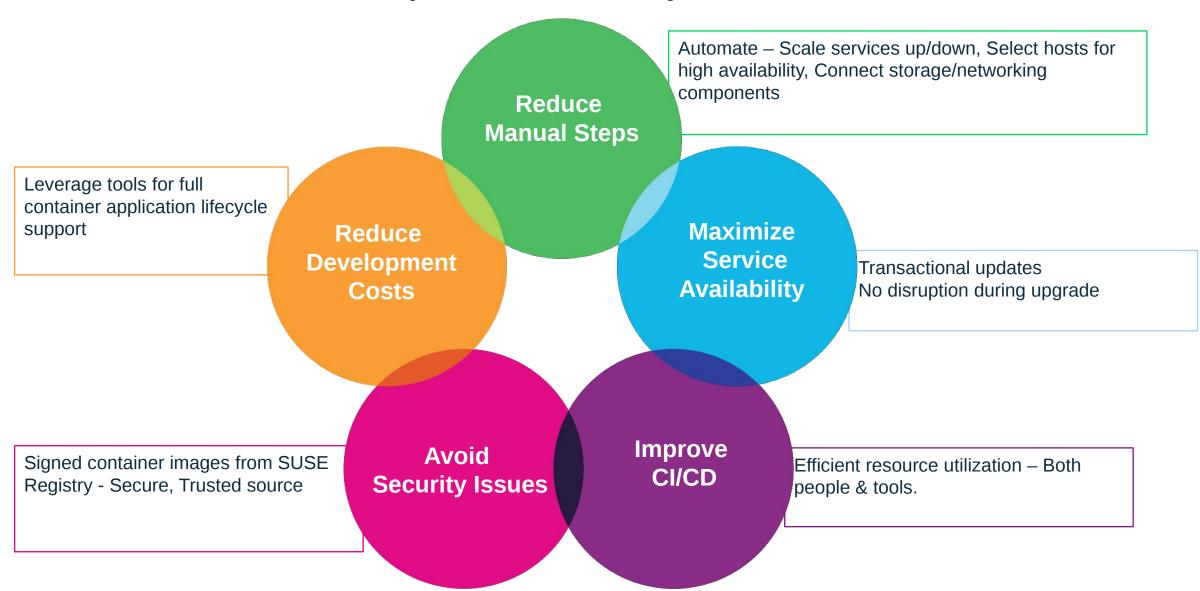
- Flexible solution
- Designed for today and tomorrow
- Cloud service economics



#### **How does it "Reduce Time to Market"**



#### **How does it "Increase Operational Efficiency"**



## **Partners and Ecosystem**

**SUSE CaaS Platform** 

## Ready TODAY!

### **SUSE CaaS Platform Partners**





























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