

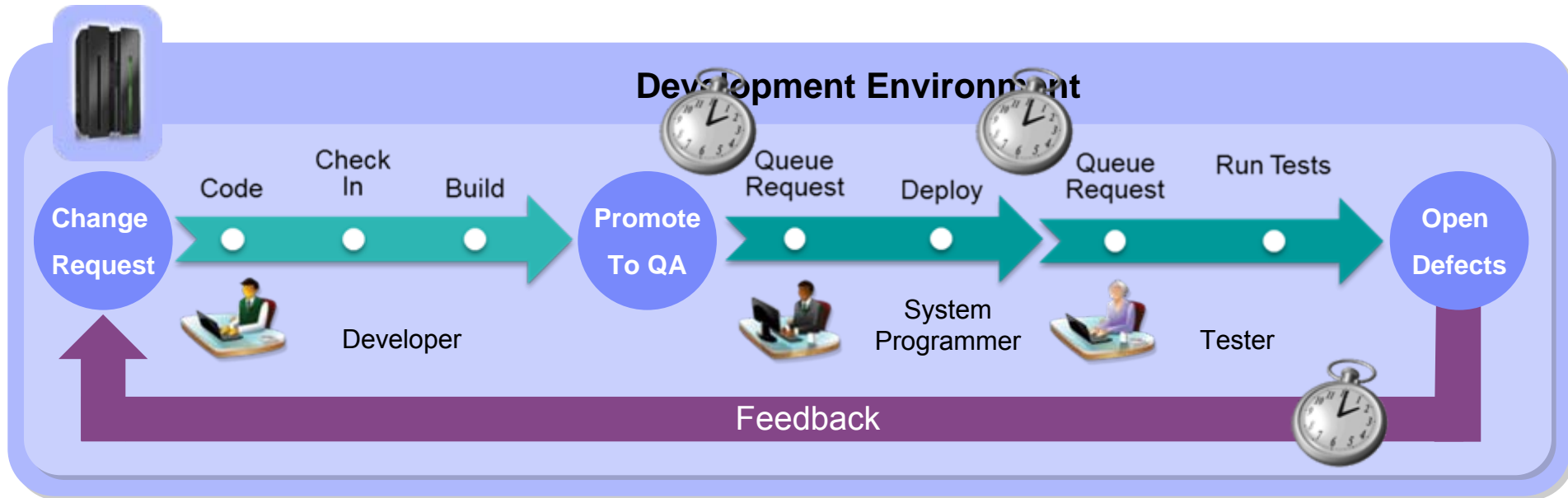


IBM zEnterprise Technology Summit

Increasing Agility with Clz and DevOps



Enterprises want to... *deliver end-to-end application enhancements quickly to stay competitive, trust that complex enterprise systems can be broadly integrated, and bolster confidence in application quality*



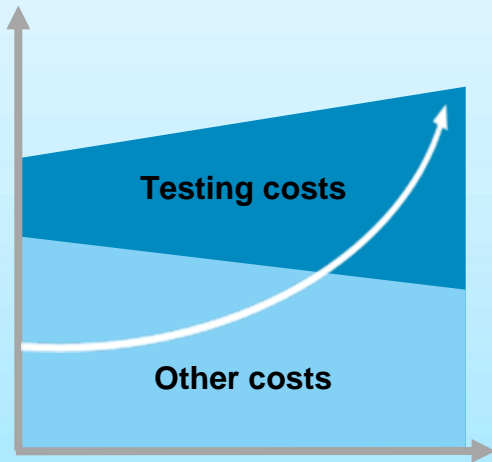
But...

It takes weeks or even months to test and fix changes due to reliance on manual processes and limited access to test resources

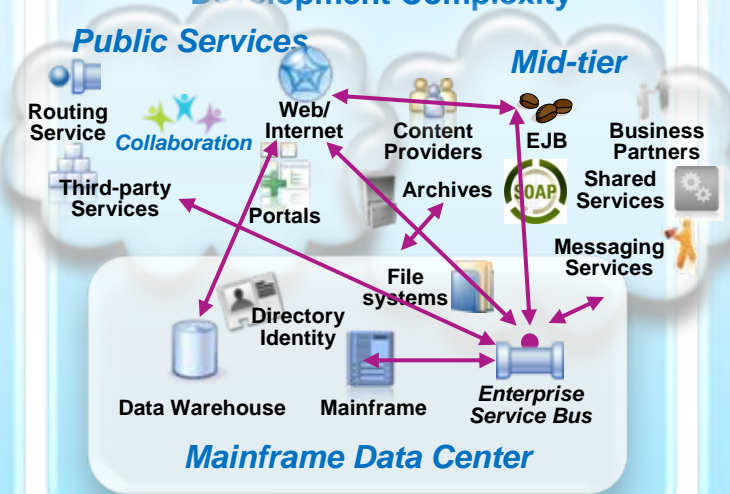
Cost, complexity and velocity make today's quality paradigm impractical

An estimated 60 - 80 percent of the cost of software development is in rework*

Increasing
Cost of Quality



Increasing
Development Complexity



Balancing
Quality and Speed



Outsourcing **labor** is no longer a sustainable model as global wages are increasing

13%

The forecasted increase in wages for India IT workforce in 2011^a

Product and application **complexity** and size are increasing

\$5-30 million

The typical investment to build a single test lab for a Fortune 500 company. Most have dozens^b...

Productivity is inhibited as test teams can no longer keep up with development output

30-50%

The average amount of time testing teams spend on setting up test environments, instead of testing^c

* Source: <http://www.sei.cmu.edu/about/message/>

Challenges meeting business time pressures with quality software

34% of all new IT Projects deploy late*

41%

51%

45%

experience delays in integration, configuration and testing of applications

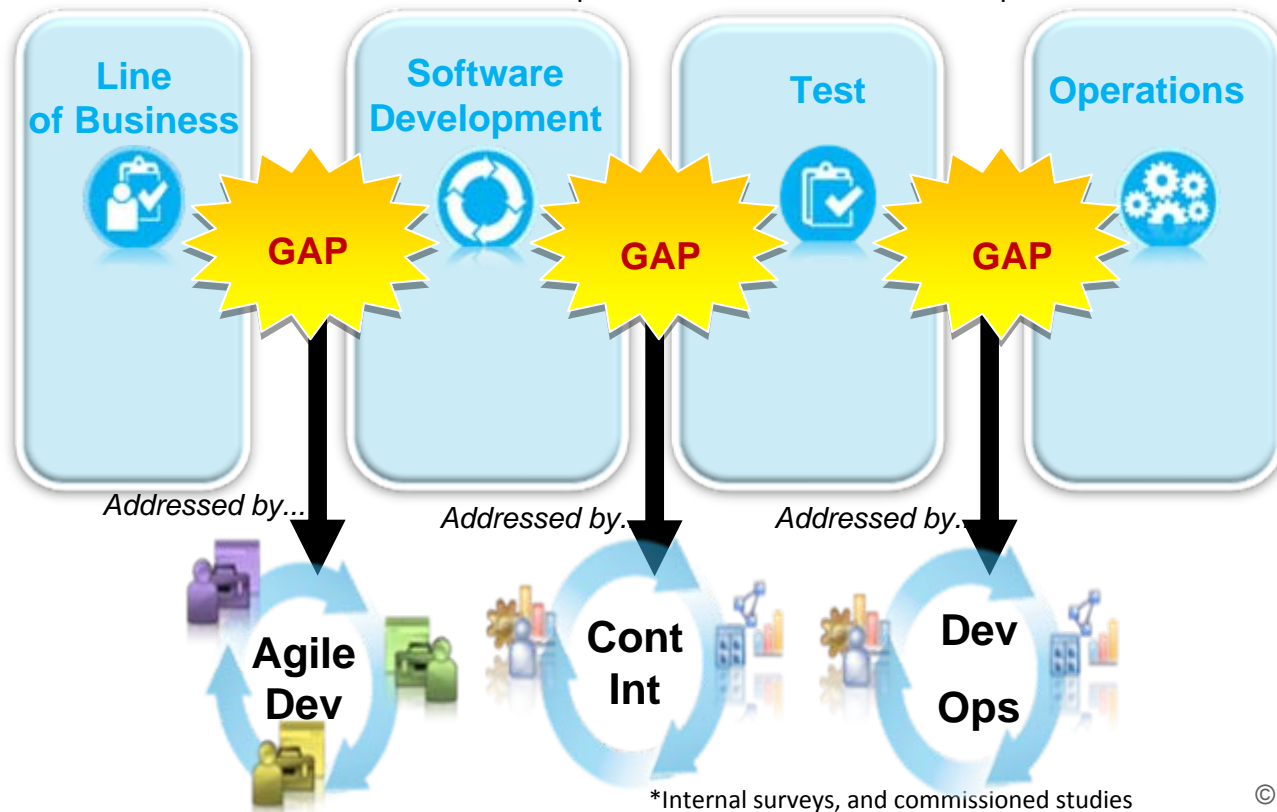
applications rolled back due to quality issues escaping into production

experience delays due to troubleshooting and fine-tuning issues in production

Up to

4-6 Weeks

to deliver a simple change



3-4 Weeks

average time to isolate a defect



Success Stories

ISDz

Software Development

25%

Reduced Development Cost by **25%** with much improve quality

Accelerated product development with 100s of deployments enabling delivery of stable deliverables for early customer feedback

Clz

Software Testing

99%

Reduction in Testing time from **2 Weeks to 3 hours** accelerating product delivery with much improved quality.

DevOps

Software Deployment

90%

Reduction in test deployment by **90%** and expected to save over **\$2.3M / year** and accelerating product delivery



Capability Drilldown

- **Continuous Integration for System z**
 - Rational Development and Test Environment
 - Rational Test Workbench (GreenHat)
- **DevOps**
 - SmartCloud Continuous Delivery

Testing constraints with mainframe development today

Limits the velocity of System z application delivery



“Operations tell me it will take two months to get my test system allocated.”



“My development capacity charge-back is consuming my entire budget. I can’t afford tools.”



“I can only test my batch applications in offline hours. Online apps consume the 9-5 cycles.”



“We don’t have the capital budget to obtain more mainframe test resources for my developers.”



“It is difficult for my developers to learn the mainframe. Operations controls can prevent experimentation by developers..”



“I can’t even work on Mondays! Production workload kicks me off.”



“I want to try out creating Event Processing and ATOM apps, but my system isn’t scheduled for a CICS/IMS update till 2012.”

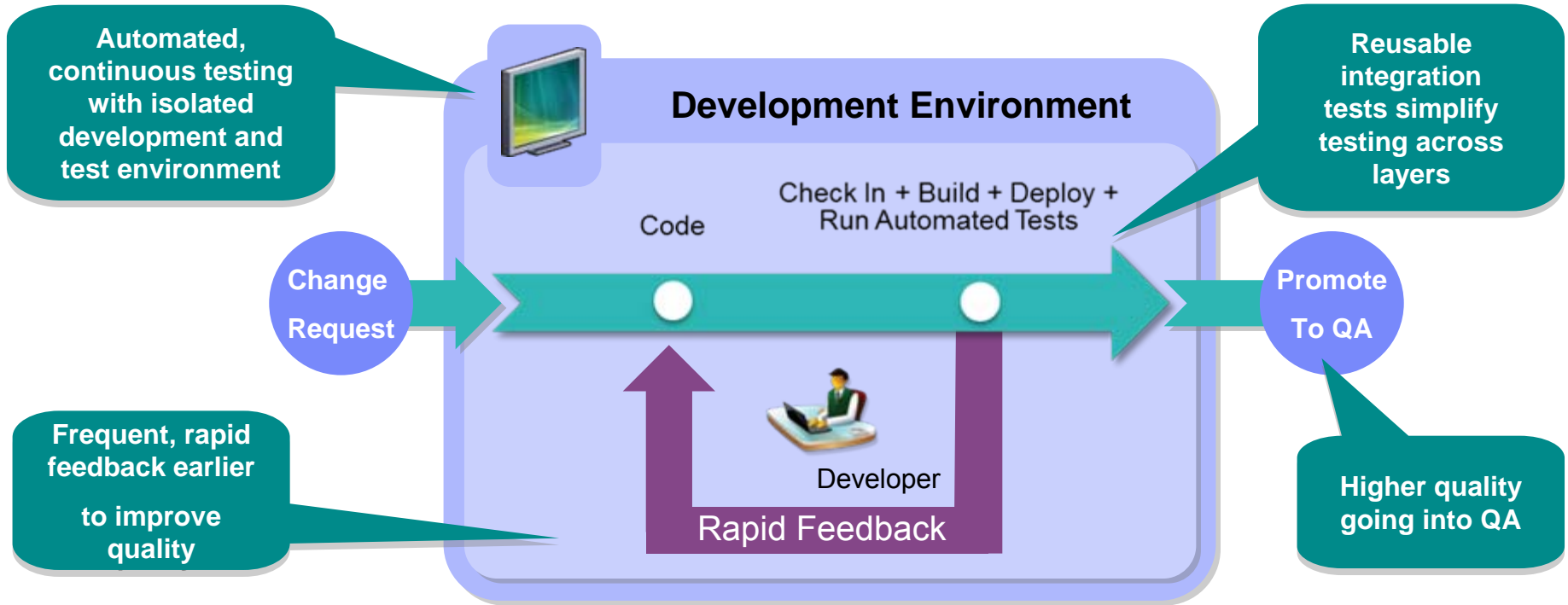


“The Mainframe isn’t cool anymore.”



Continuous Integration

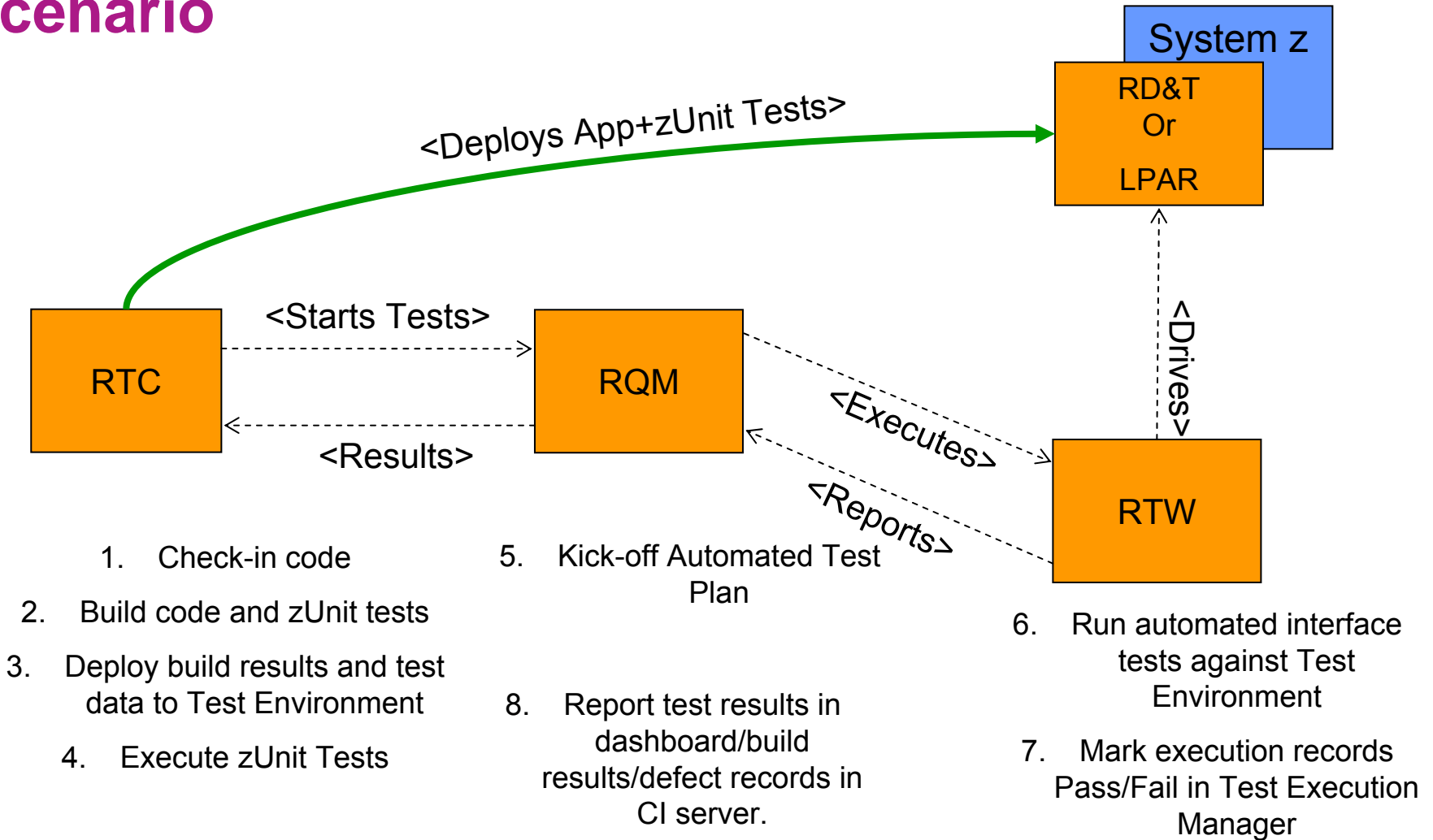
Reduced delivery time, end-to-end visibility of test activities, safer and faster upgrades (V2V)



- Fast, dependable, automatic feedback speeds time to market
- Lower cost of application testing using off-mainframe z/OS test environment
- Enables confidence by automatically tracking and promoting code health

- Rational Rational Development and Test Environment for System z 8.5
- Rational Quality Manager (Rational Test Workbench) powered by Green Hat Technology

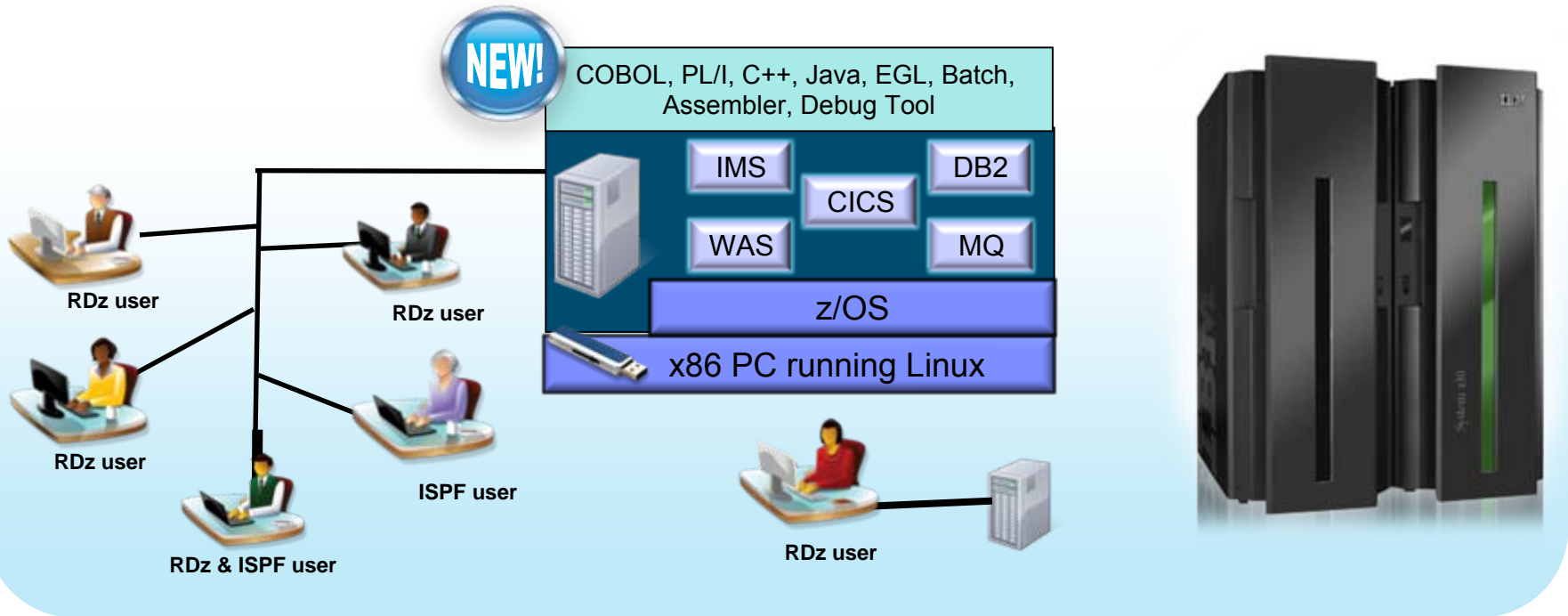
Detailed Continuous Integration for System z Scenario



Rational Development and Test Environment for System z

Lower the cost of application development and testing for System z

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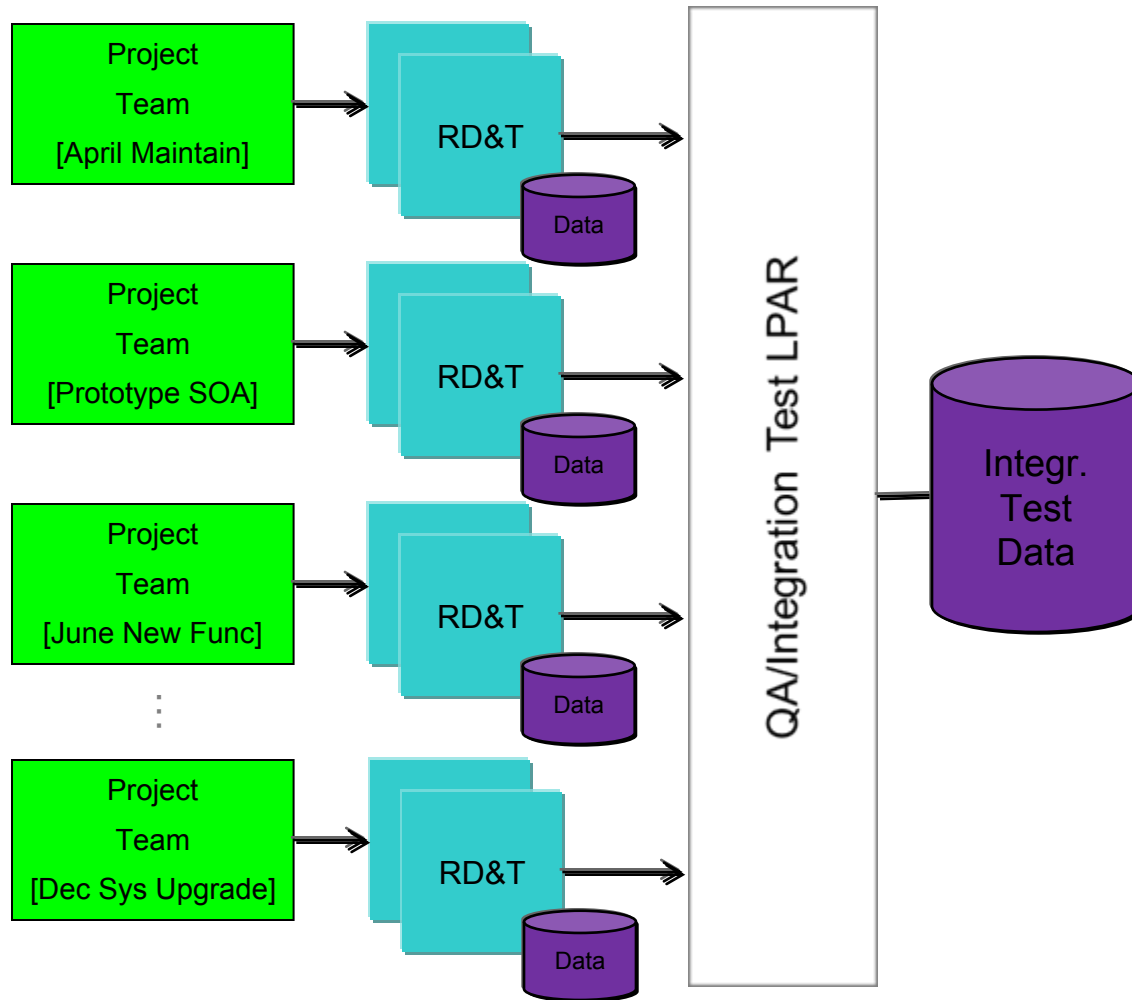


- Liberate developers to rapidly prototype new applications
- Develop and test System z applications anywhere, anytime!
- Free up mainframe development MIPS for production capacity
- Eliminate costly delays by reducing dependencies on operations staff

Note: This Program is licensed only for development and test of applications that run on IBM z/OS. The Program may not be used to run production workloads of any kind, nor more robust development workloads including without limitation production module builds, pre-production testing, stress testing, or performance testing.

Testing Organized for Flexibility and Quick Delivery

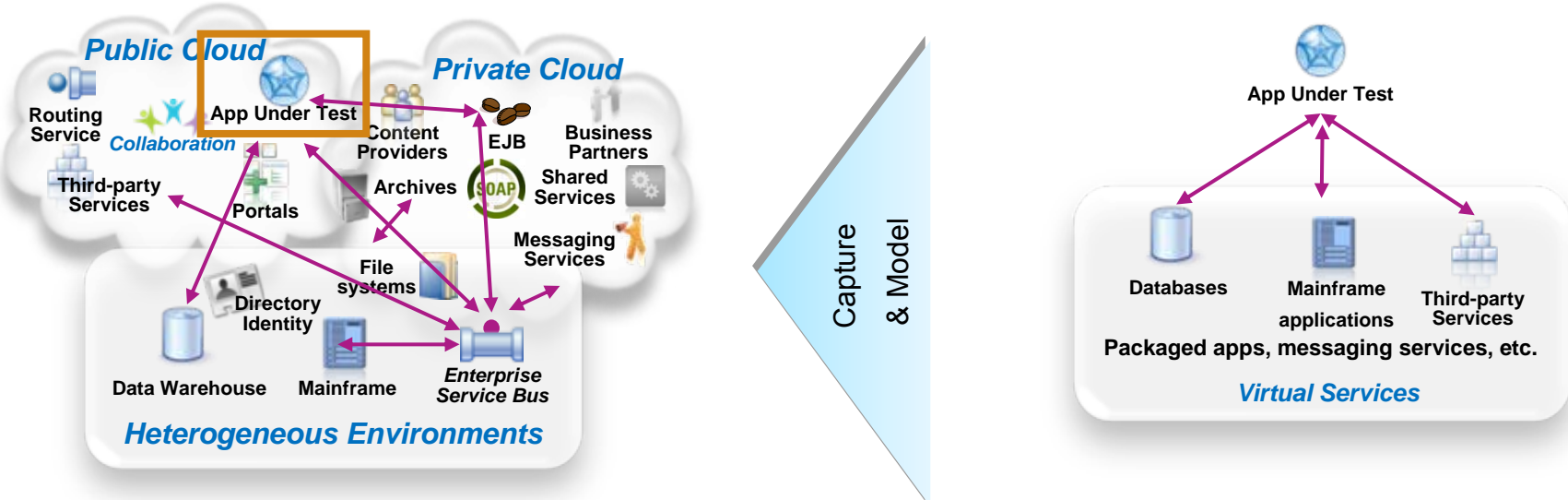
Organized by application team, horizontally sliced, dedicated resources, highly automated
z/OS



Problems Encountered

1. Shared test data combined with overlapping modules can create conflicts, impede innovation and slow the development process
2. Frequent environmental changes and releases cause bottlenecks, delays and additional overhead
3. Shared test data is difficult to manage and prone to overloading or incorrect test results
4. Provisioning, debugging and synchronizing test environments and test data

What is Test Virtualization?



System *dependencies* are a key challenge in setting up test environments:

- ▶ **Unavailable/inaccessible:** Testing is constrained due to production schedules, security restrictions, contention between teams, or because they are still under development
- ▶ **Costly 3rd party access fees:** Developing or testing against Cloud-based or other shared services can result in costly usage fees
- ▶ **Impractical hardware-based virtualization:** Systems are either too difficult (mainframes) or remote (third-party services) to replicate via traditional hardware-based virtualization approaches

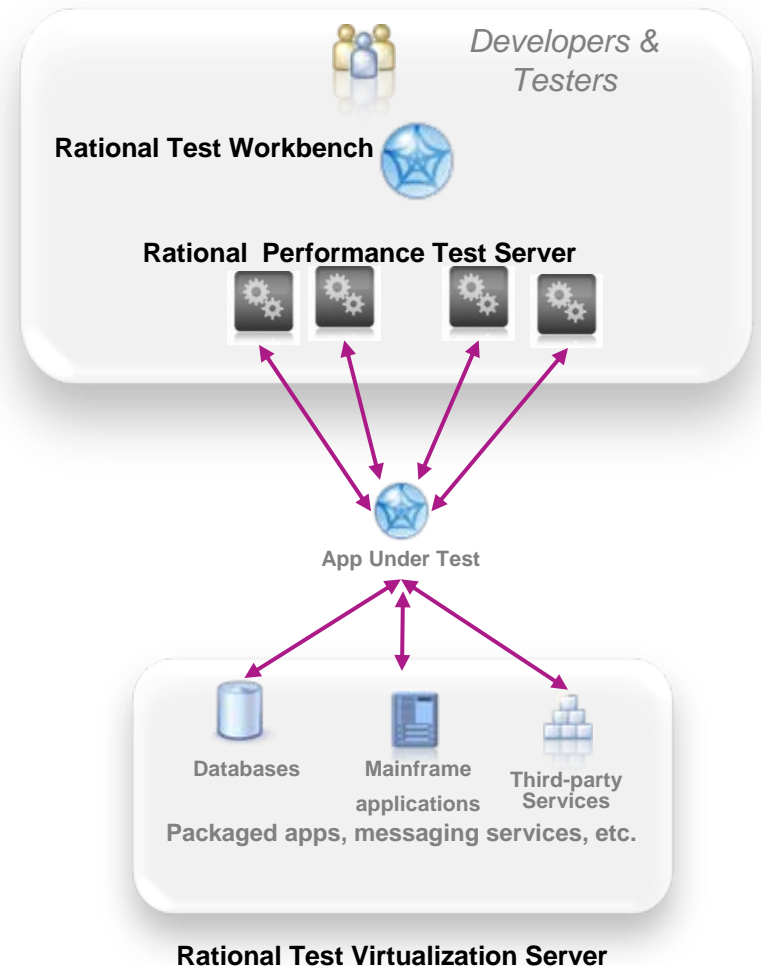
Test Virtualization enables to create “*virtual services*”:

- *Virtual Services simulate the behavior of an entire application or system during testing*
- *Virtual Services can run on commodity hardware, private cloud, public cloud*
- *Each developer, tester can easily have their own test environment*
- *Developer and testers continue to use their testing tools (Manual, Web performance, UI test automation)*

Rational Test Virtualization Solution

A smarter solution to better quality

- **Rational Test Workbench is a desktop solution that enables testers/developers to:**
 - Capture and model virtual services
 - Test services and applications long before their user interfaces becomes available and do integration testing (SOA, BPM)
- **Rational Test Virtualization Server is a server solution that:**
 - Provides a central environment to virtualize heterogeneous hardware, software and services to provide 24x7 testing capabilities
 - Reduces infrastructure costs of traditional testing environments
 - Virtual Services can be built from the interface definition of the system for a wide variety of protocols, including HTTP, web services, SOA, JMS, TIBCO, IBM WebSphere MQ, Oracle, etc.
- **Rational Performance Test Server enables Rational Test Workbench users to reuse test scripts to drive performance testing**
 - Can be used in combination with Virtual Services
 - Probe for identification of system bottlenecks



Rational Test Virtualization Solution z (Green Hat)

A Smarter Solution for Better Quality

Significantly Lesser Test Lab costs

- Test lab infrastructure **costs can be reduced by up to 90%**
- **Labor involved** in setting up test environments can be **reduced by 80%+**
- **Reduced or eliminated the cost of invoking 3rd party systems** for non-production use, fee-based web services

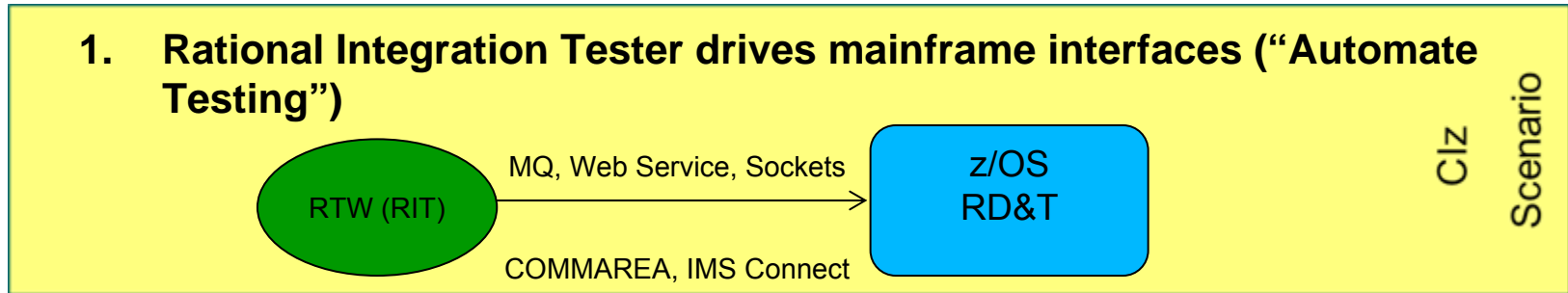
Reduced Cycle Time

- Test environments can be **configured in minutes vs weeks**
- More testers can be focused on testing, rather than configuring test environments
- **More regression testing can be done** independently from the User Interface, during development

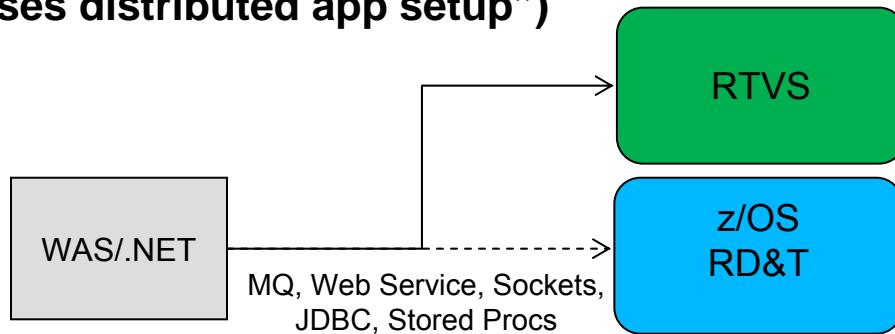
Lower Risk

- Developers have the means to **test software earlier** at the Service/API level
- Large teams working on different parts of an application or system can effectively **do parallel development by virtualizing** different parts of the system

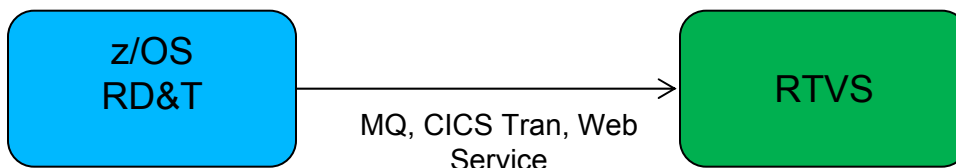
Green Hat Technology for System z



2. Rational Test Virtualization Server simulates mainframe services (“eases distributed app setup”)

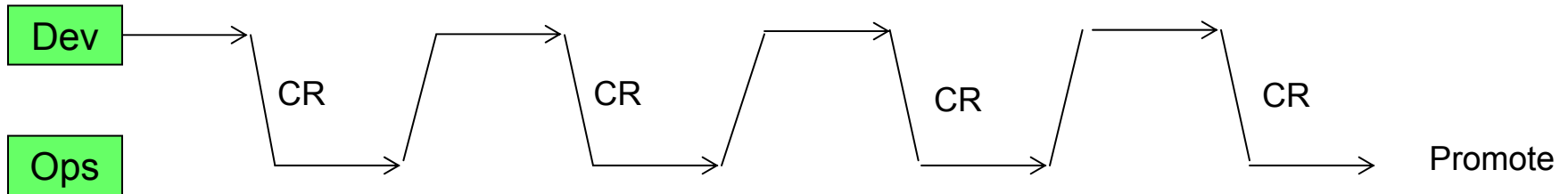


3. Rational Test Virtualization Server simulates external services (“eases z/OS app setup”)

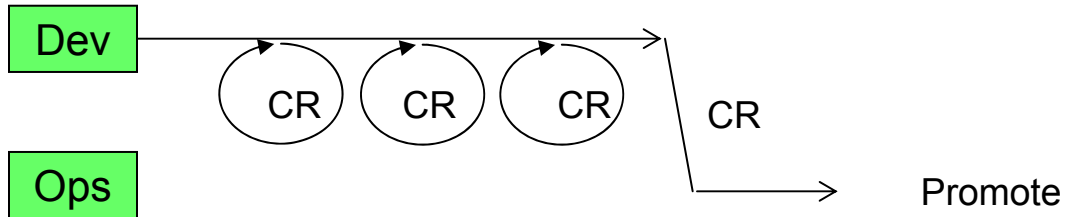


Customer story

Mainframe process today (2 months)



Clz process using RD&T (5 days)



“Normally it can take up to 5 days for the mainframe staff to process an request to make a change to CICS. If a project is trying to get something to work, it may take many change requests and several weeks to resolve a problem. However with CICS on RD&T, the project architects or developers can try the changes themselves in real-time until they get the configuration correct. Then an change request can be submitted with correct configuration parameters to the systems people to implement on the mainframe. This saved the development team weeks of delivery time!”



What was announced in 4Q?

Green Hat/RTW

▪ New testing capabilities for the mainframe

- MQ on System z
- CICS Transaction Gateway
- DB2z JDBC connections
- IMS Connect

Continuous Integration for System z

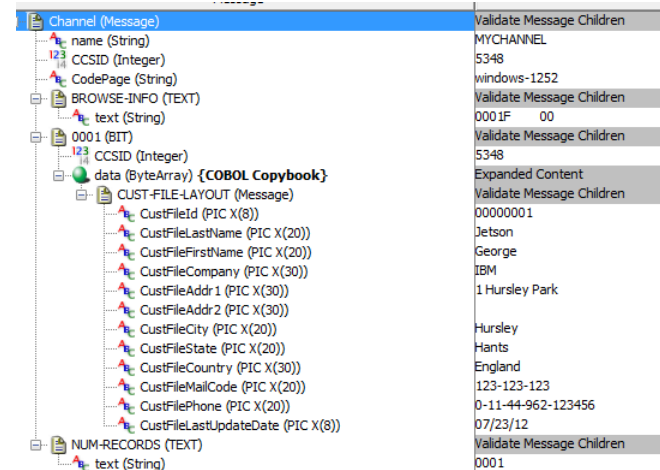
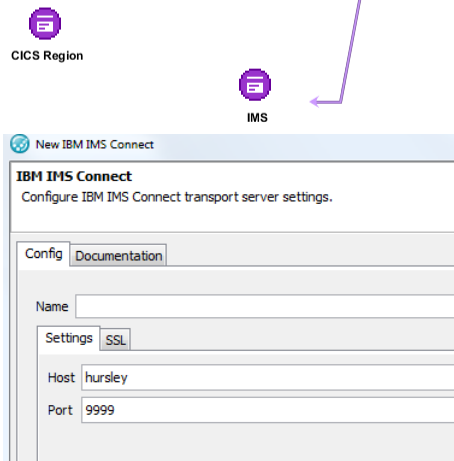
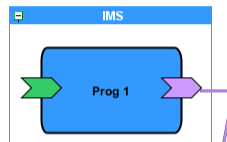
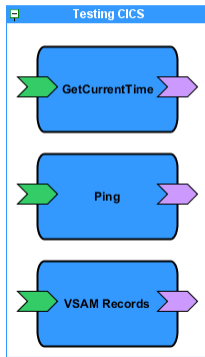
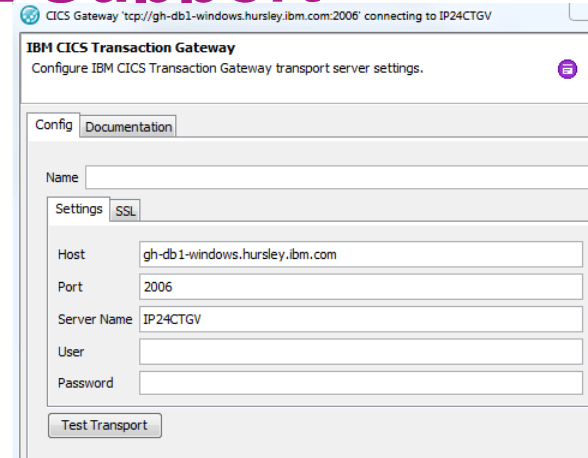
▪ New demos, scripts, and POTs

- Using **Optim** TDM and RTC to secure and provision test data
- **Automatically configuring CICS** using RTC build and JCL/REXX to prepare for region for test
- Executing and reporting results from **zUnit** using RTC build

▪ Testing practices library in RMC

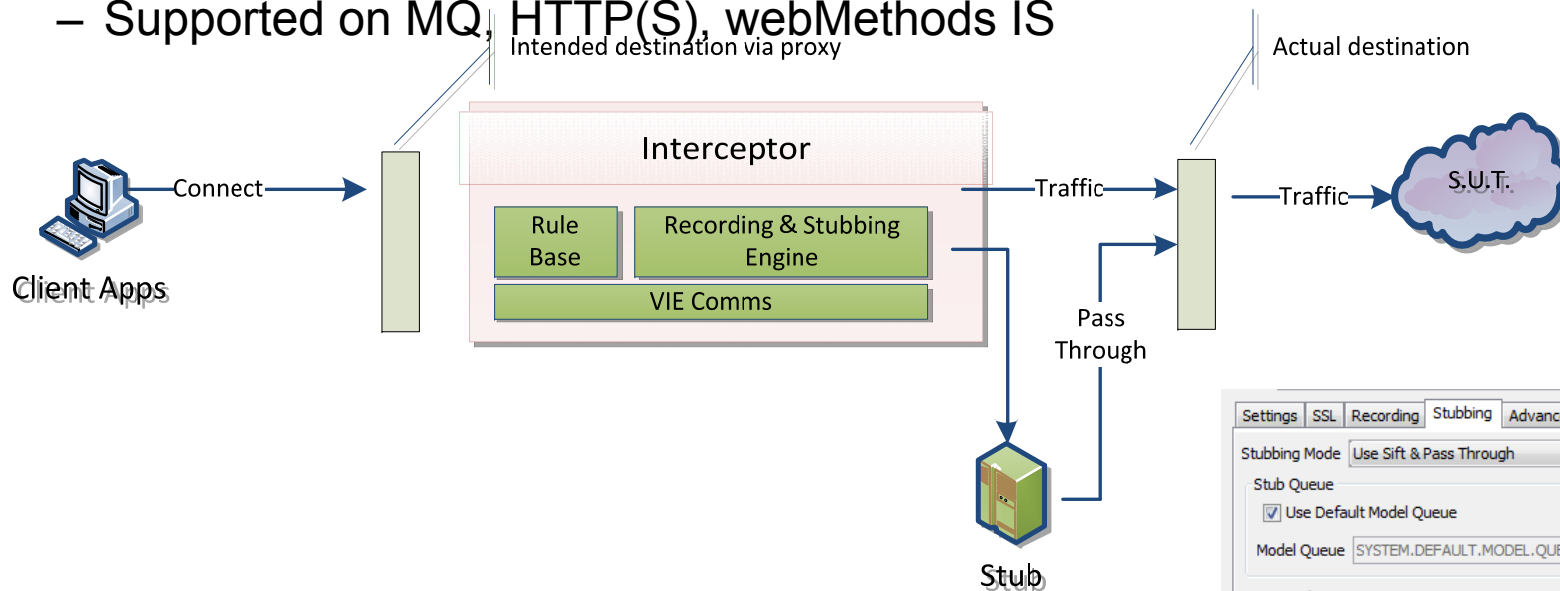
RTW: Improvements in System z Support

- Test and Record CICS & IMS Transactions via CTG and IMS Connect
- Ability for distributed clients to access a virtualized DB2 on z
- Copybook improvements
- MQ API Exits for MQ 7.1
- MQ on Z : Interceptor based recording of WebSphere MQ on Z (zero-client configuration)



RTVS: Virtualization Support – Sift & Pass Through

- Real and Virtual blending
- Reduce stub complexity
- Easy error simulation or delays
- Supported on MQ, HTTP(S), webMethods IS



Pass Through	
Event	Configuration
CreditCheck	Discard -
AddressLookupByZipCode	Pass Through - delay of 0 ms

Settings | SSL | Recording | Stubbing | Advanced

Stubbing Mode: Use Sift & Pass Through

Stub Queue

- Use Default Model Queue
- Model Queue: SYSTEM.DEFAULT.MODEL.QUEUE

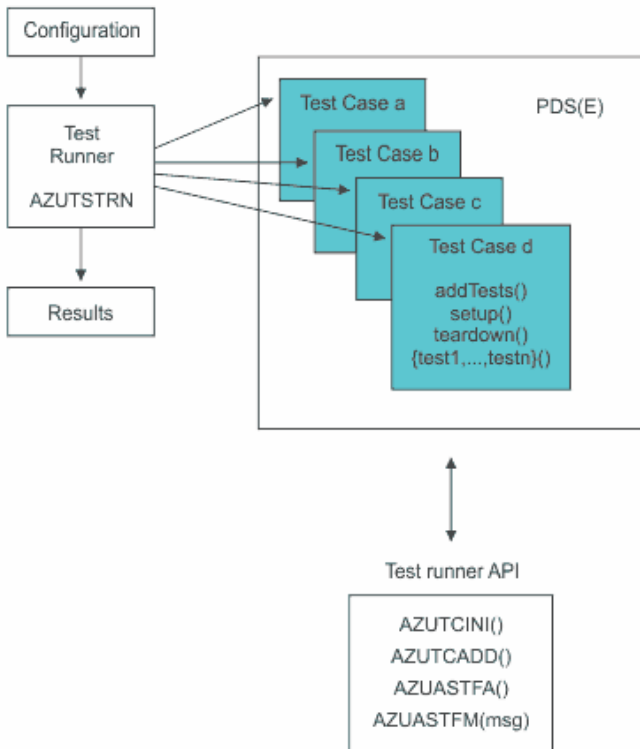
Diverted Queue

- Use Default Model Queue
- Model Queue: SYSTEM.DURABLE.MODEL.QUEUE

Pass through unhandled messages on stub completion

RDz: (zUnit) as part of the build

zUnit is an adaptation of the xUnit framework for writing code to run repeatable, self-checking unit tests. The ideas and framework developed in xUnit for unit testing object-oriented code are adapted by zUnit for testing Enterprise COBOL and PL/I code.

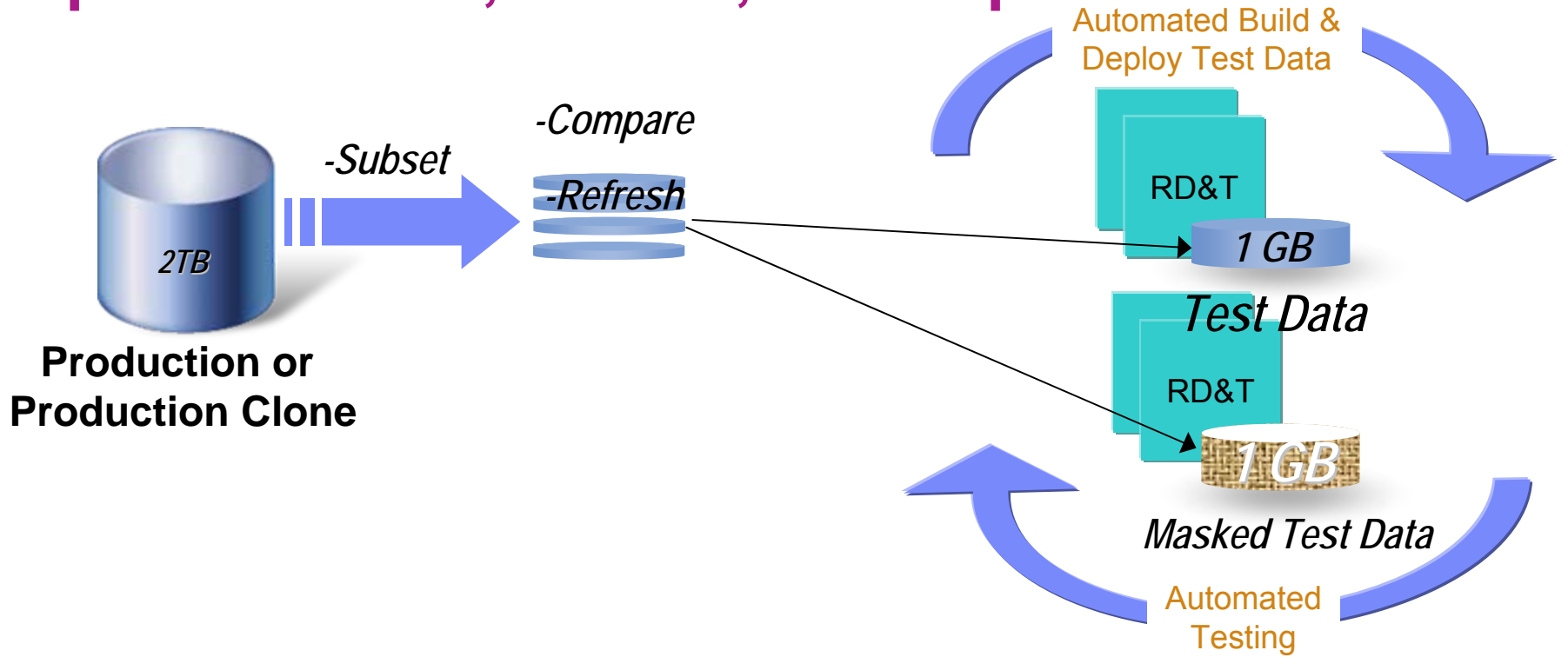


Name	Tests	Failures	Errors	Time Taken	Run Order
Mortgage	10	5	0	0 ms	
zunit tests	10	5	0	0 ms	
JKEUT001	1	0	0	0 ms	1
MPMT01	1	0	0	0 ms	1
JKEUT002	9	5	0	0 ms	2
CSMRT001	1	1	0	0 ms	1
CSMRT002	1	1	0	0 ms	2
CSMRT003	1	0	0	0 ms	3

Details
 Test suite: [JKEUT002](#)
 Test case: [CSMRT001](#)
 Time taken: 0 seconds
 Failure detail:
 exception
 : AZU1002S The test "CSMRT001" failed due to an assertion. The test is a member of test case module "JKEUT002", which set a test case name of "JKEUT002".
 AZU1002SExceptionCondition(int idvector,td: EPCDC; LES; OSEsubrc; string charcd

Running zUnit as part of the build

Optim: Create, Secure, and Deploy test data



Create "right-size" production-like environments for application testing

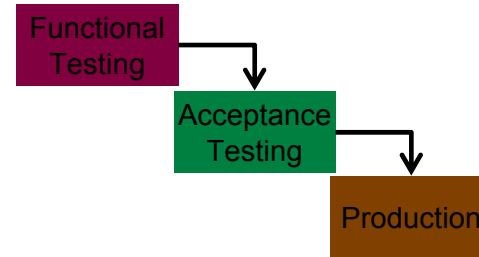
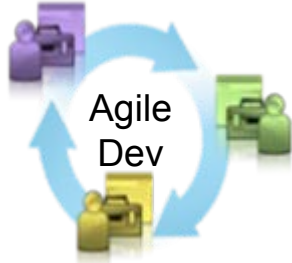
De-identify sensitive information with realistic *but fictional* data for testing & development purposes

Automated test data deployment for each build and test

Optim

RTC

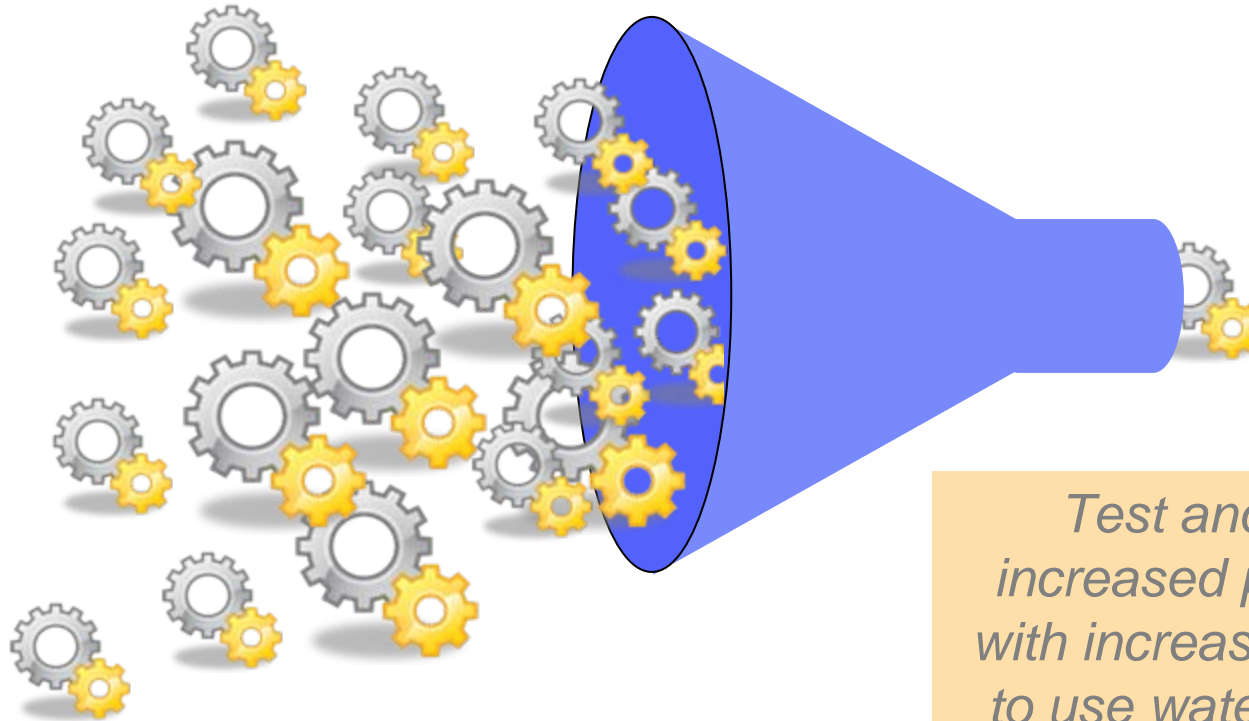
Agile: Addressing the first gap



Setup
(weeks)



Install

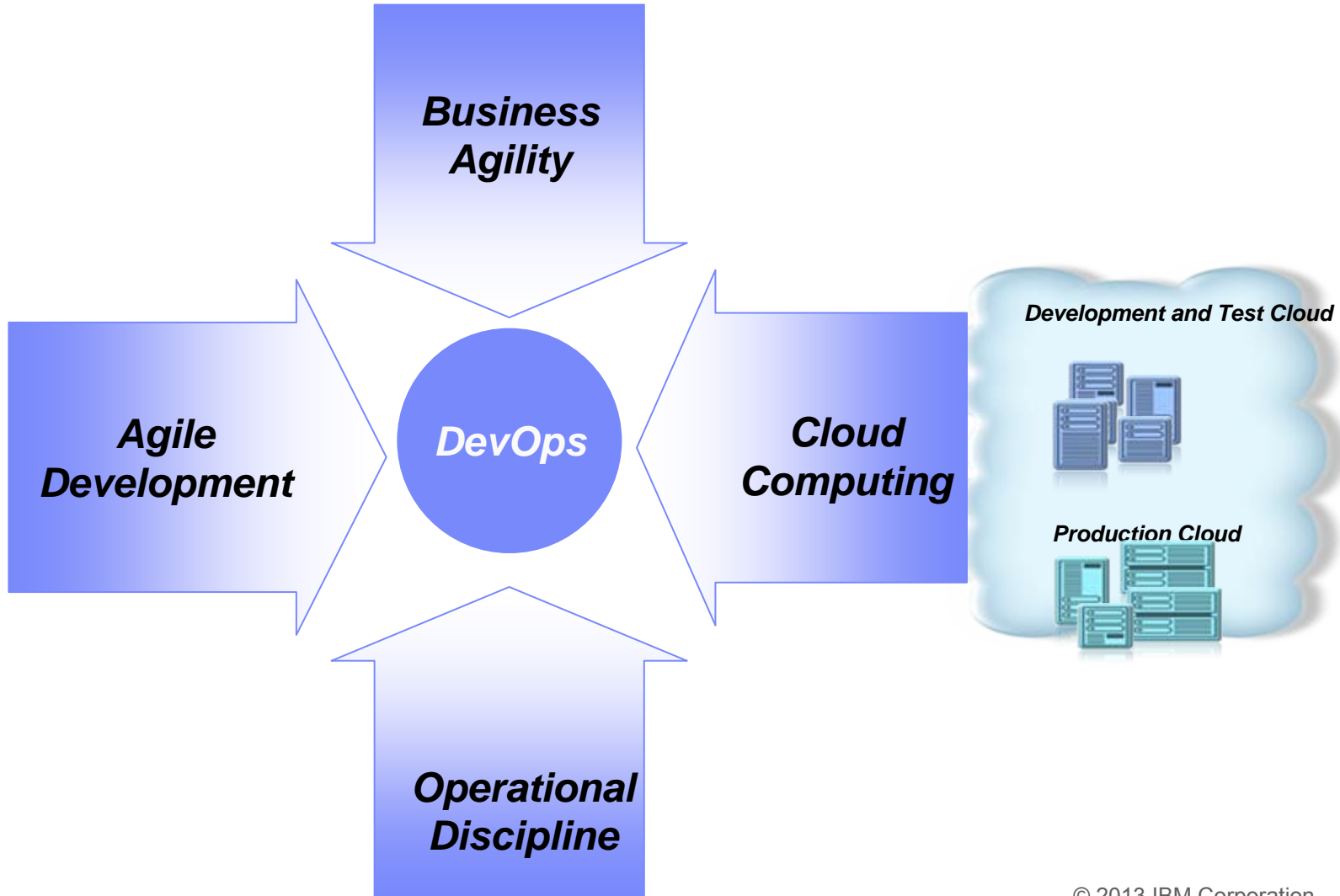


CI builds are piling up

Test and Ops teams have increased pressures to keep up with increased loads but continue to use waterfall approaches and traditional tools.

Time is now for DevOps

Trends accelerating the need for Continuous Delivery



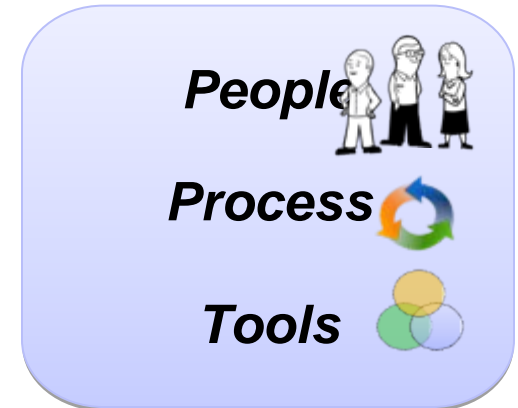
DevOps is...

A set of principles and values that facilitate collaboration across disciplines to...

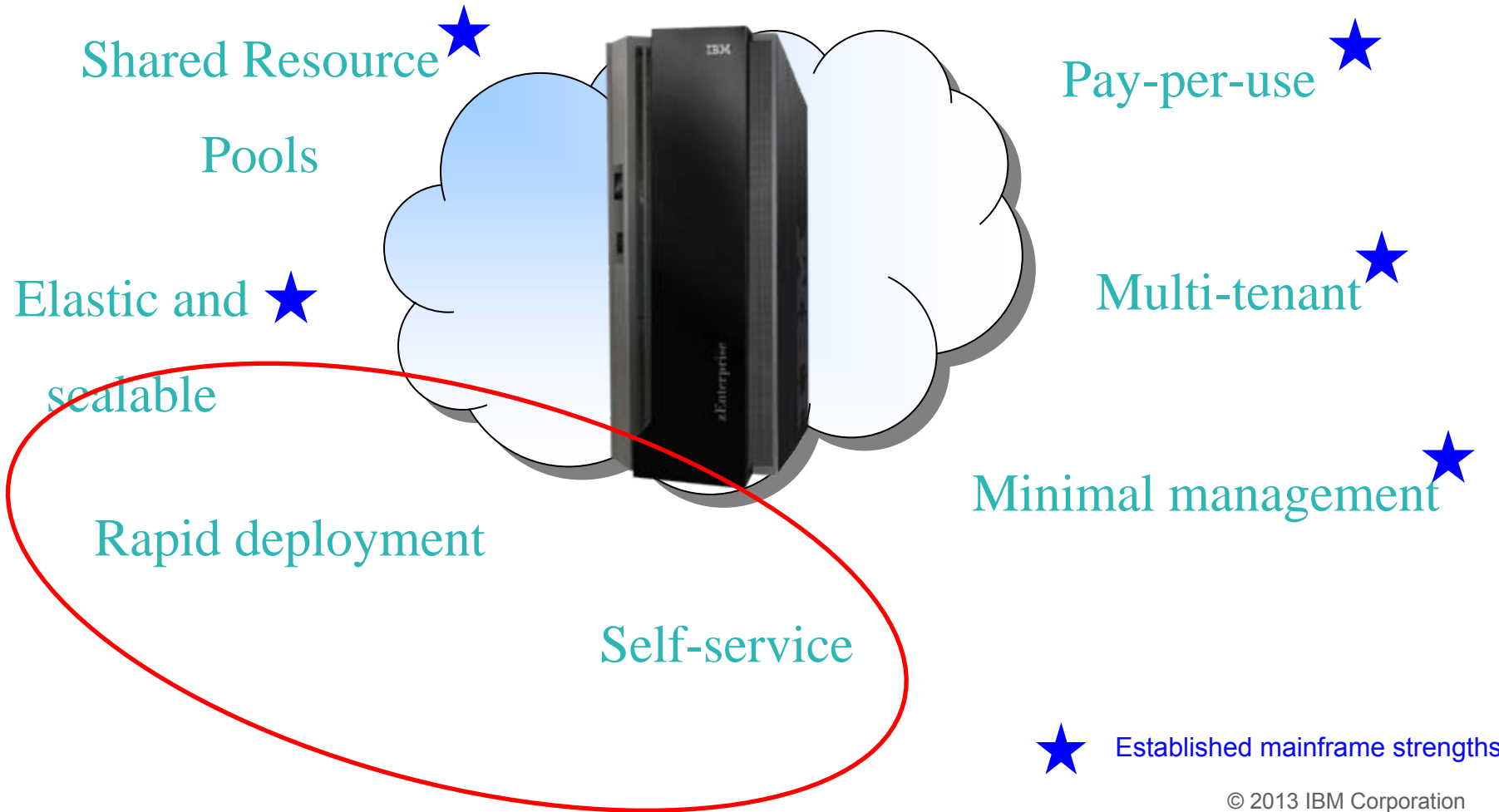
1. Enable rapid evolution of deployed business services
2. Reduce risk, decrease cost, and improve quality across the portfolio

DevOps Principles

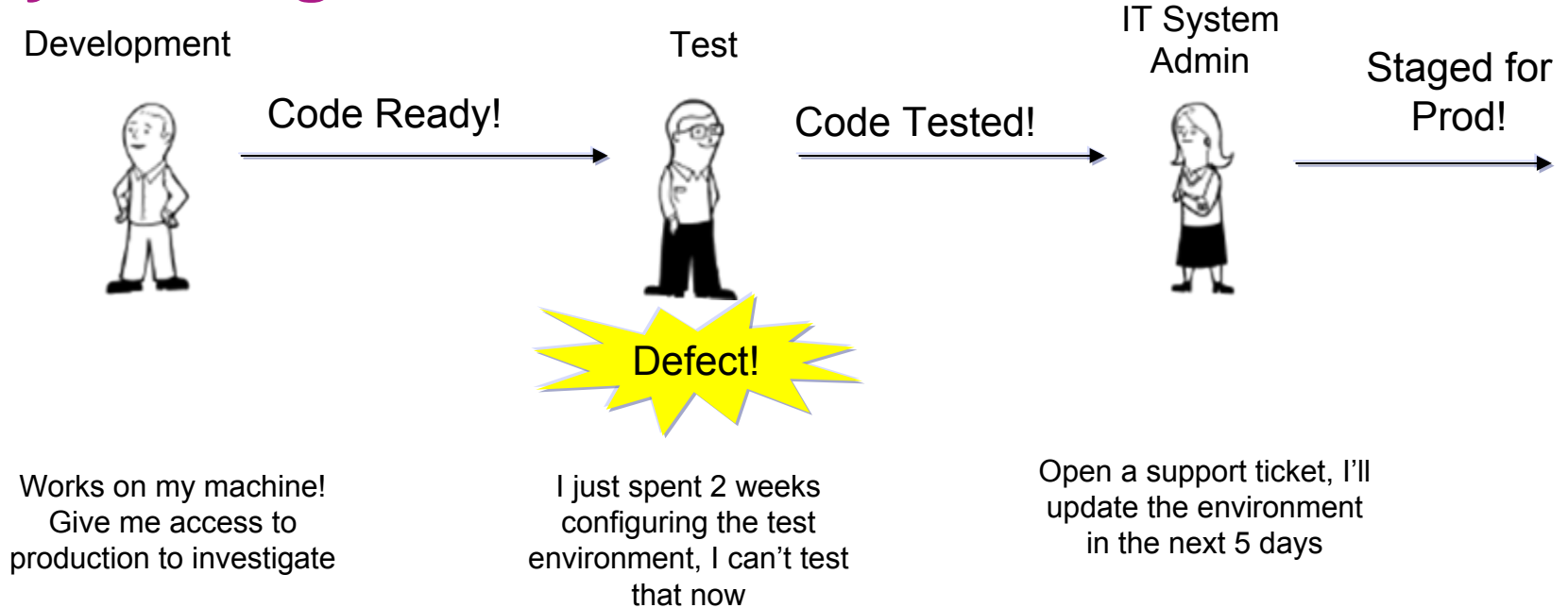
- Collaborate across disciplines
- Develop and test against a production-like system
- Deploy frequently using repeatable and reliable processes
- Continuously monitor and validate operational quality characteristics



Characteristics of Cloud



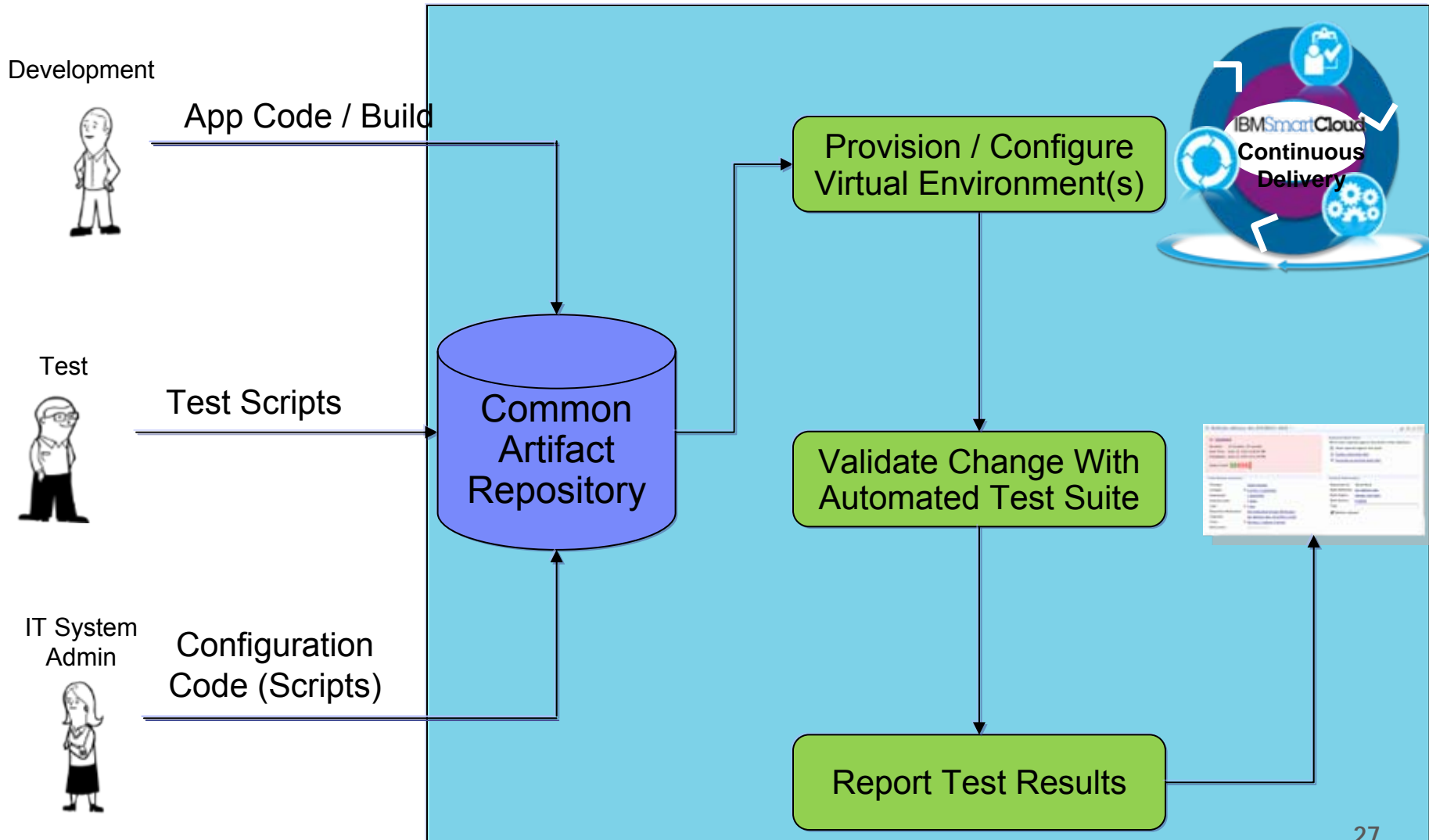
Why so long to isolate and recreate defects?



Difficult to maintain consistent, "Production-Like" environments

- Manual environment maintenance and configuration delay testing
 - Test environments stale compared to current CI build
- Environment differences lead to inconsistent test results and rework

IBM SmartCloud Continuous Delivery



Spend less time provisioning and comparing environments!

Development



On-demand access to production-like test environments
... less time comparing configurations and recreating defects due to configuration shift

Test



On demand access to current development build and configuration
... able to test current function instead of function from 2 weeks ago

IT System Admin

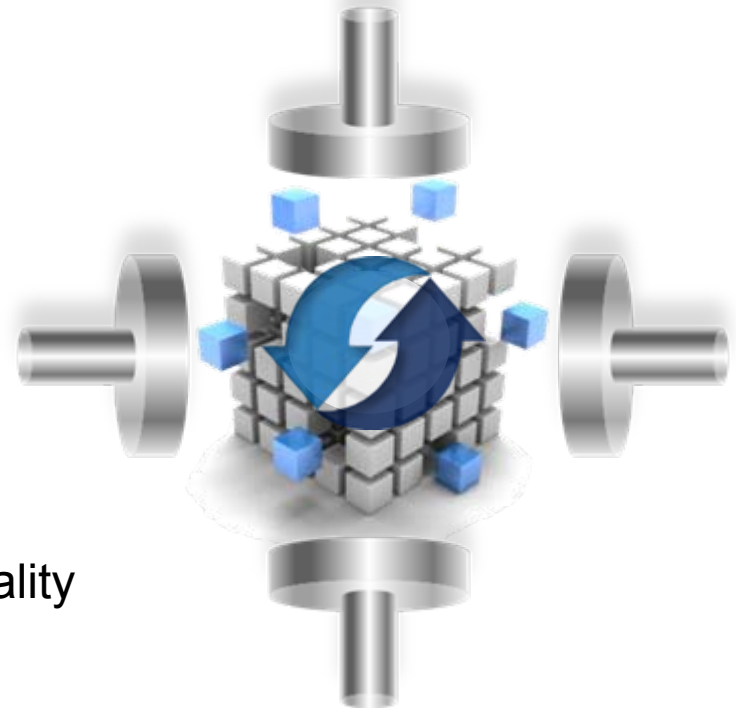


Less time spent manually configuring test environments
... improved response time to delivery demands and configuration stabilization

The need for continuous delivery

Significant pressure on business to:

- Integrate with transactional systems
- *Systems of Record*
- Innovate to create new business value by employing cloud, mobile and social channels and leveraging big data
- *Systems of Engagement*
- Balance speed with risk, compliance and quality



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