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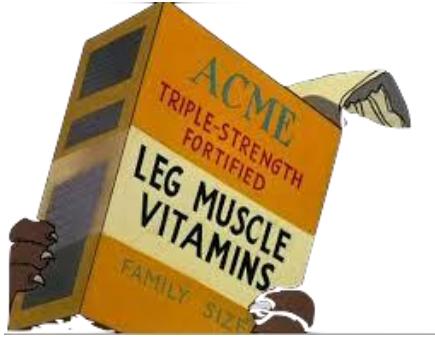


**ACME**  
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Storytelling

# ACME

*Poco tempo fa,  
in un paese vicino  
vicino,  
c'era una Corporate...*

# ACME: la storia



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# ACME – L'incubo

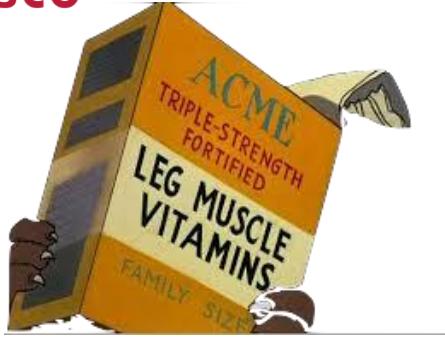


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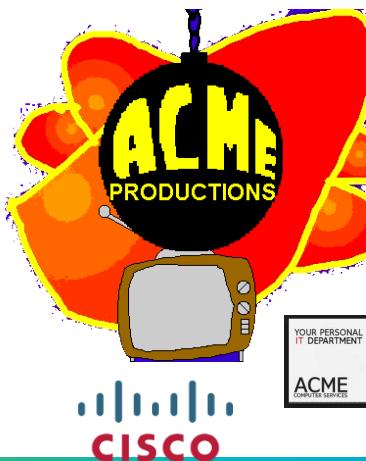


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# ACME – L'incubo IP&NET



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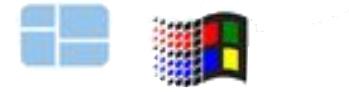
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NETWORKS



# ACME – L'incubo software



mongoDB



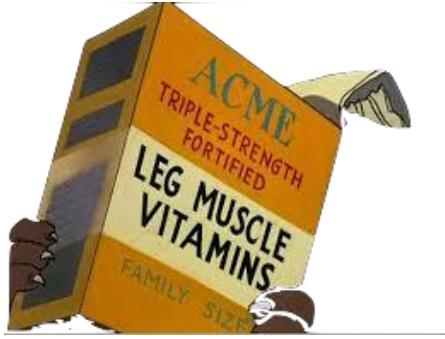
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# ACME – L'incubo cloud



Google Cloud



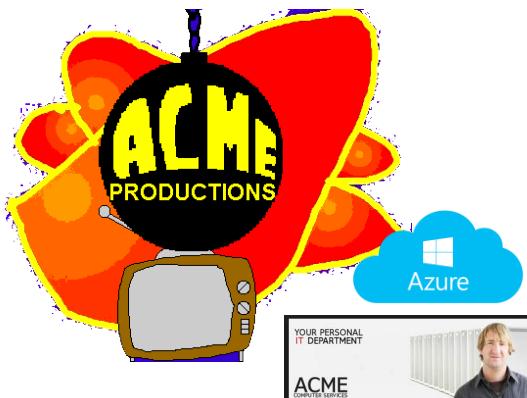
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Alibaba Cloud

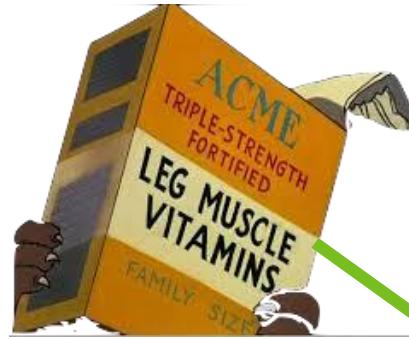
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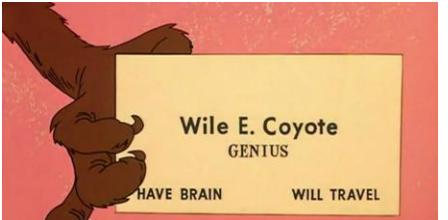
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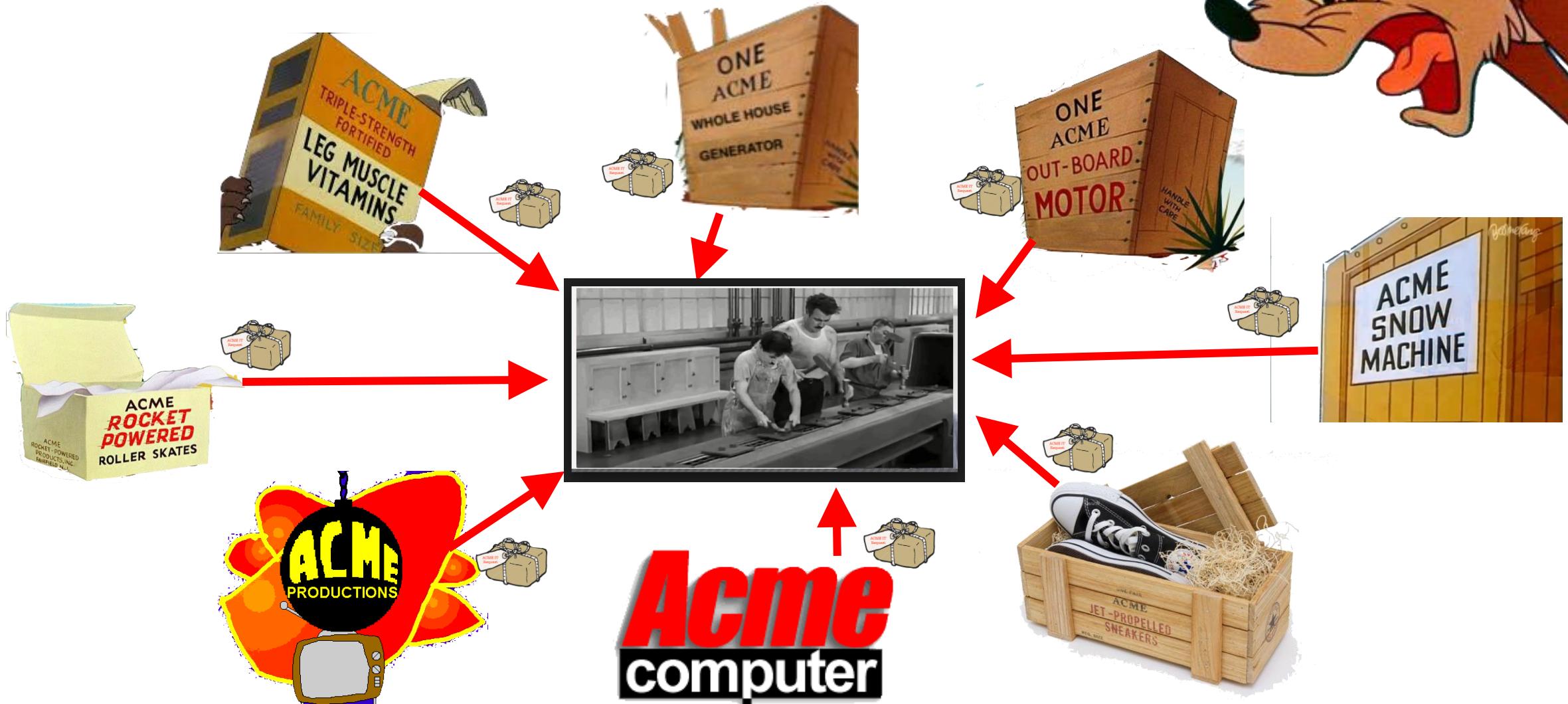
# ACME – IT Department (To Be on Cloud Nine...)



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# ACME – L'incubo ritorna?









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# ACME Pains & Dreams



# ACME Pains & Dreams



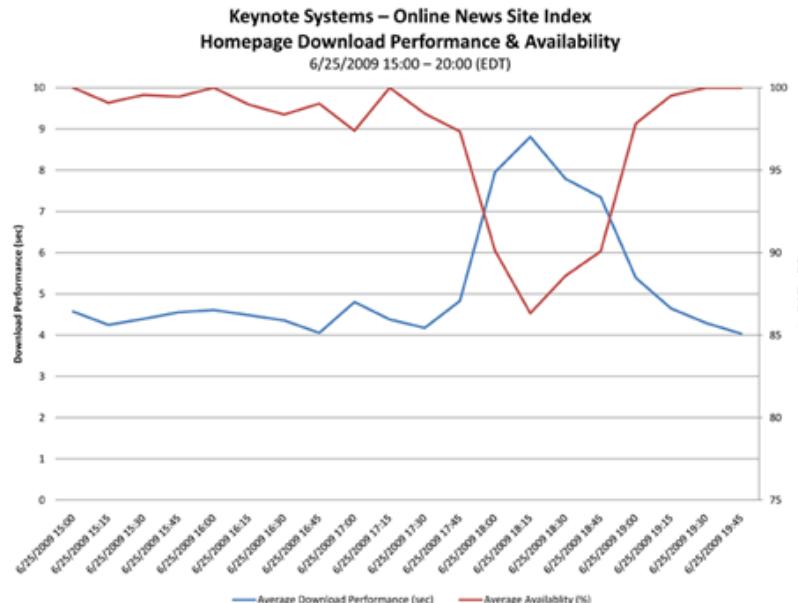
# ACME Pains: Effetto “MJ”



How did Michael Jackson's death affect the internet's performance?

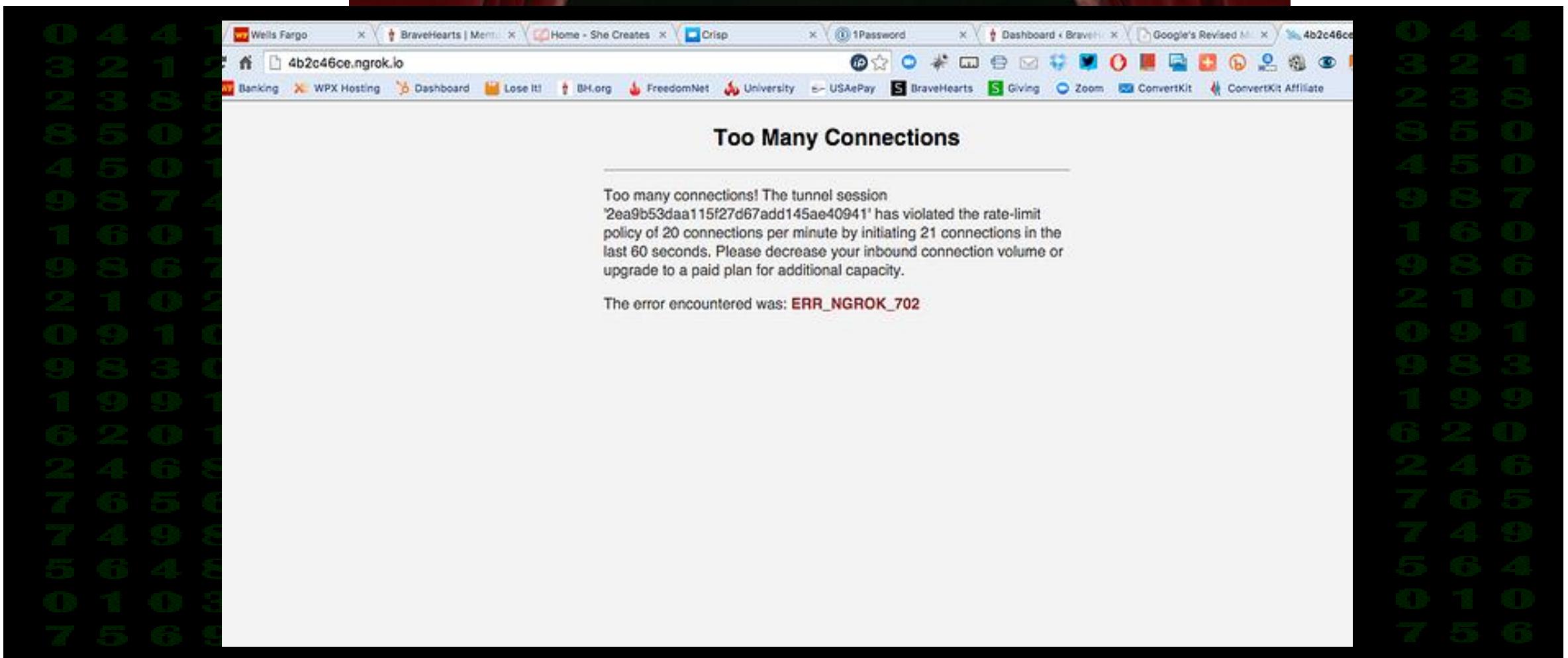
**Jackson dies, almost takes Internet with him**

June 26, 2009 -- Updated 1902 GMT (0302 HKT)

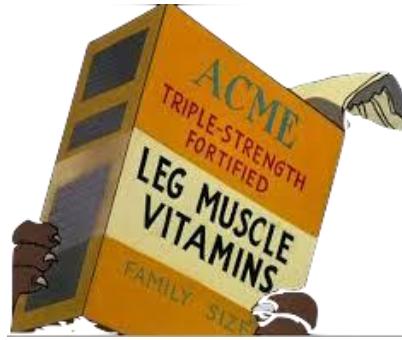
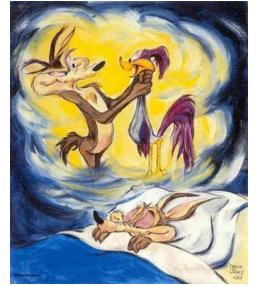


**The Web Collapses Under The Weight Of Michael Jackson's Death**

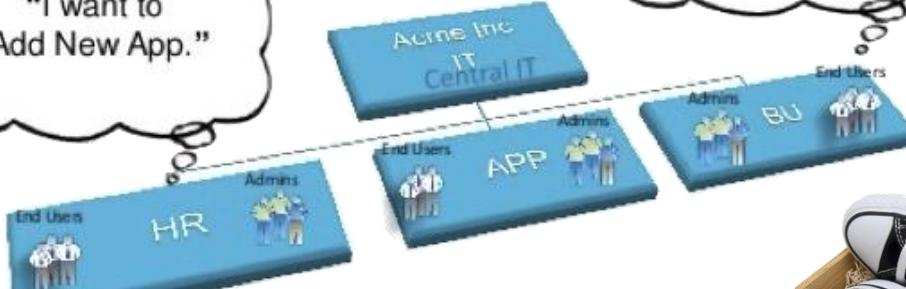
# ACME Pains: “OnlyTwo”



# ACME – I Have A Dream!



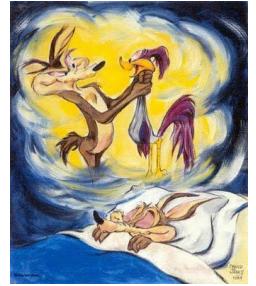
"I want to Add New App."



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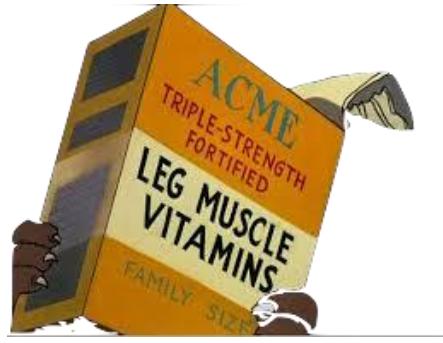
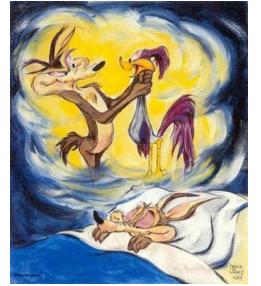
# Downtime

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costs built  
idle produced labor goods  
average due business  
non-functional cannot work  
ability equipment factory  
parts materials time  
failure functional waiting machine  
recovery maintenance  
failure downtime



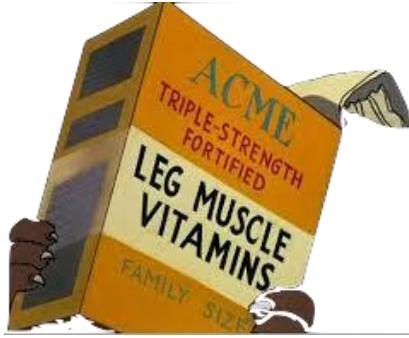
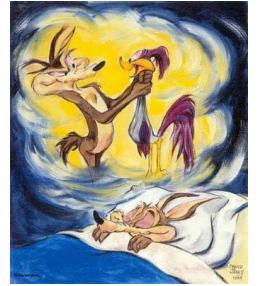
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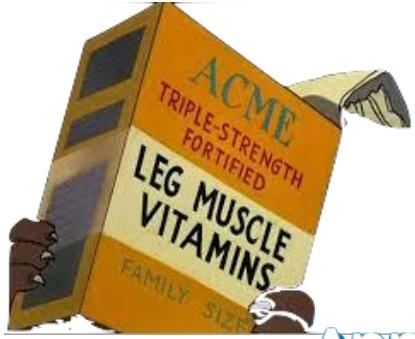
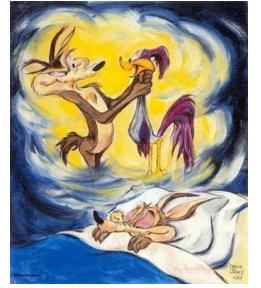
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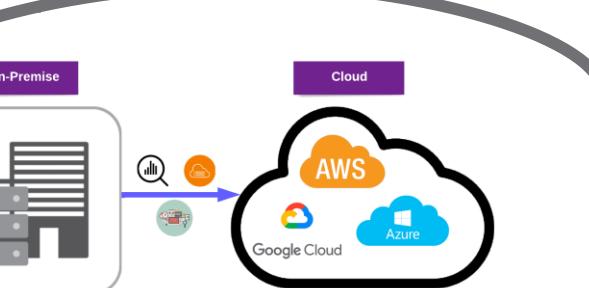
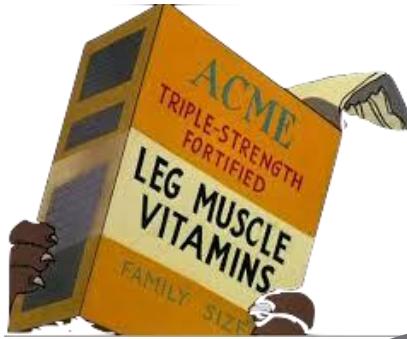
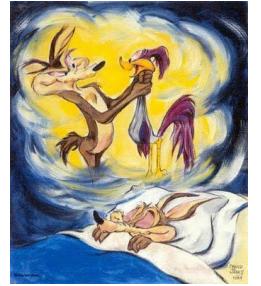


## Application Discovery and Dependency Mapping

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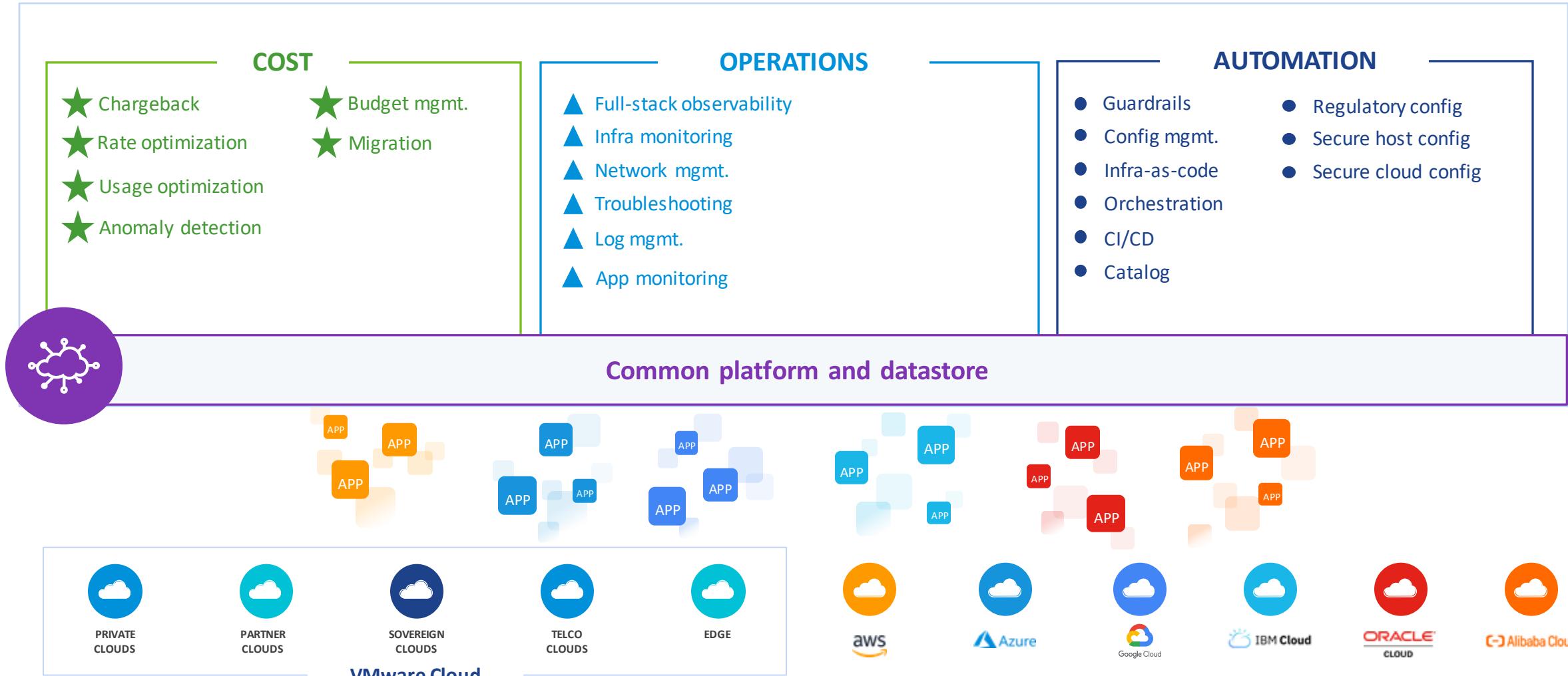
# The next chapter in our **multi-cloud** **management story**

A new perspective on managing  
cloud native apps and public  
cloud environments

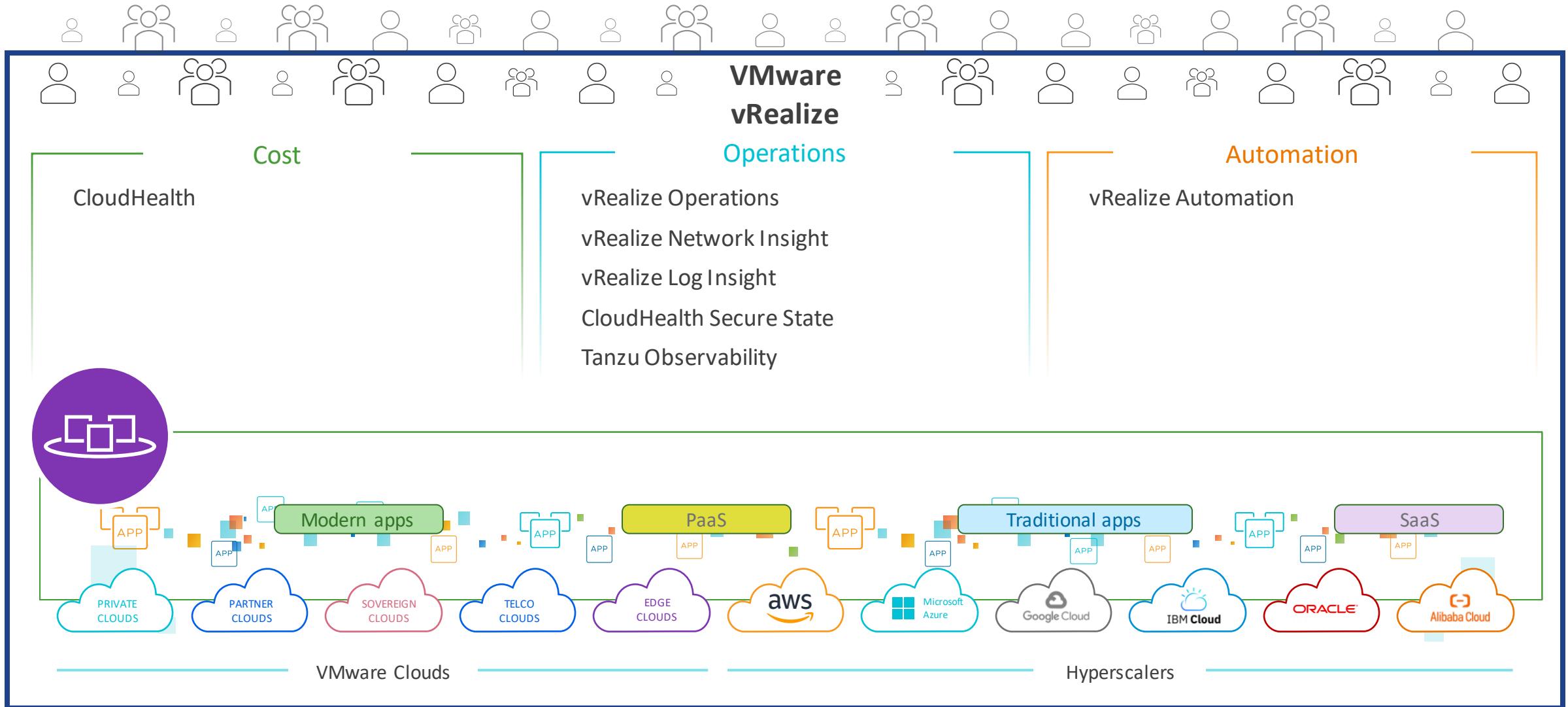


VMware Aria™

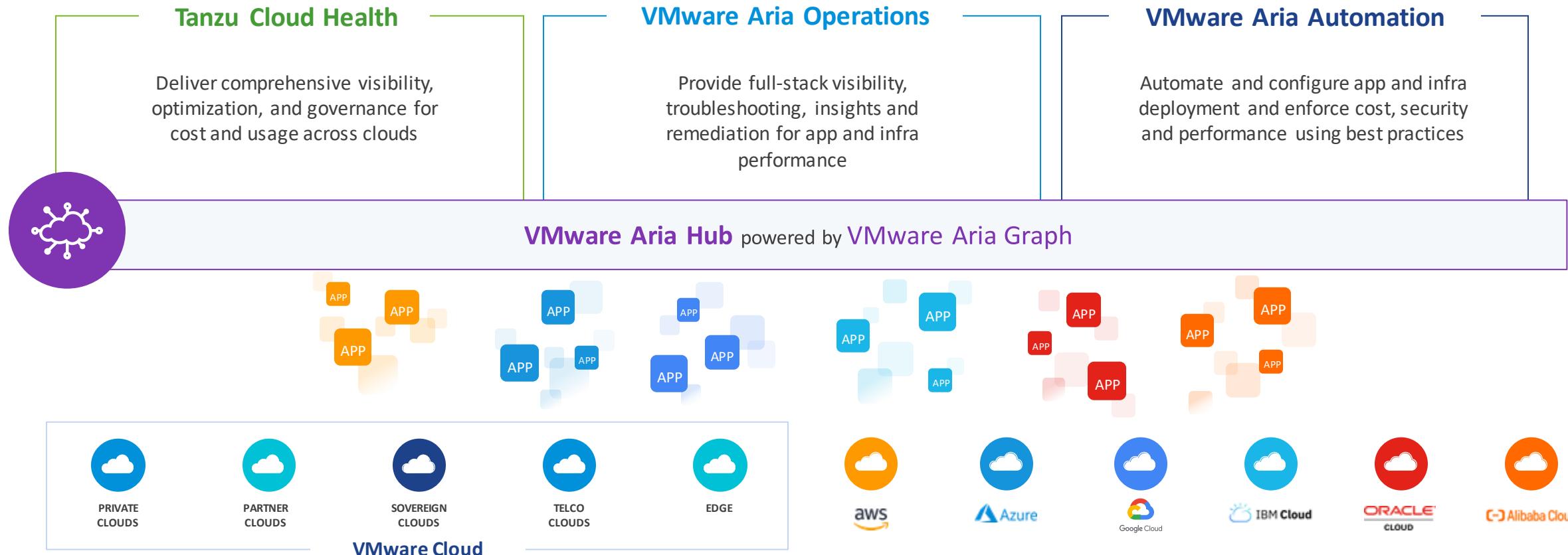
# Tre Pilastri Fondamentali



# Tanto tempo fa era... VMware vRealize



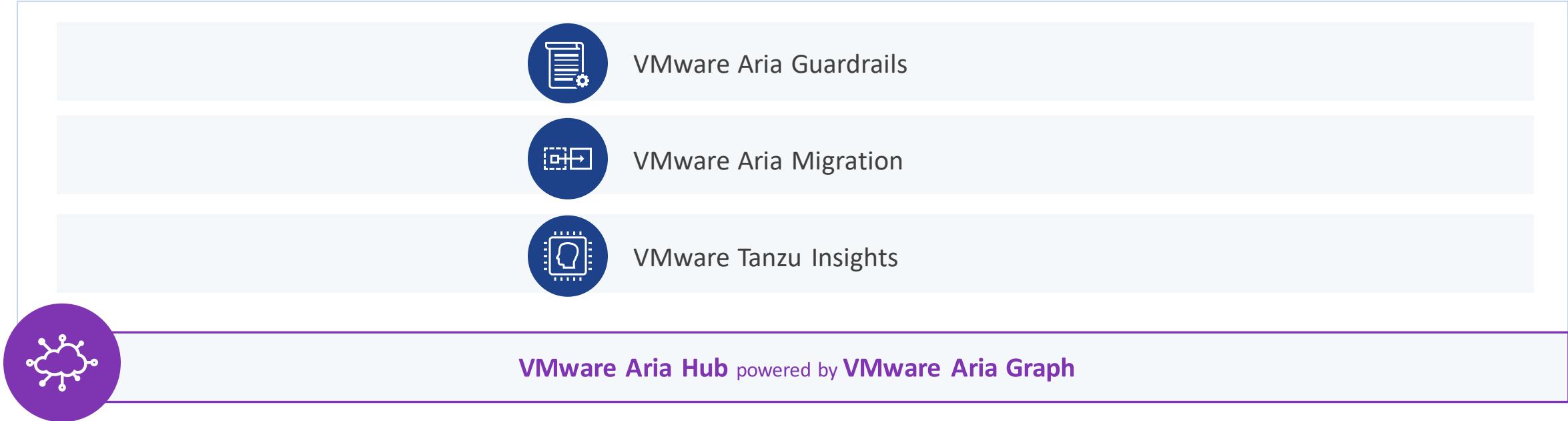
# ... adesso è VMware Aria!





“... ma VMware Aria è  
solo un rebranding  
di vRealize Suite!”

# VMware Aria Graph & VMware Aria Hub



# Capabilities to Support You at Every Level

## VMware Aria Cloud Management

### Aria Automation

**Deploy** with VMware Cloud templates. Consistently provision and orchestrate infrastructure and apps through UI, API, and as code

### Aria Operations

**Monitor**, manage, and optimize health, cost, and capacity of infra and apps (rightsizing, reclamations)

### Aria Operations for Logs

**View and manage** logs. Rapidly troubleshoot and perform root-cause analysis for apps

### Aria Operations for Networks

**Manage** network flows. Discover, optimize, and troubleshoot app security and network connectivity



### Tanzu CloudHealth

**Simplify** cloud financial management and streamline operations

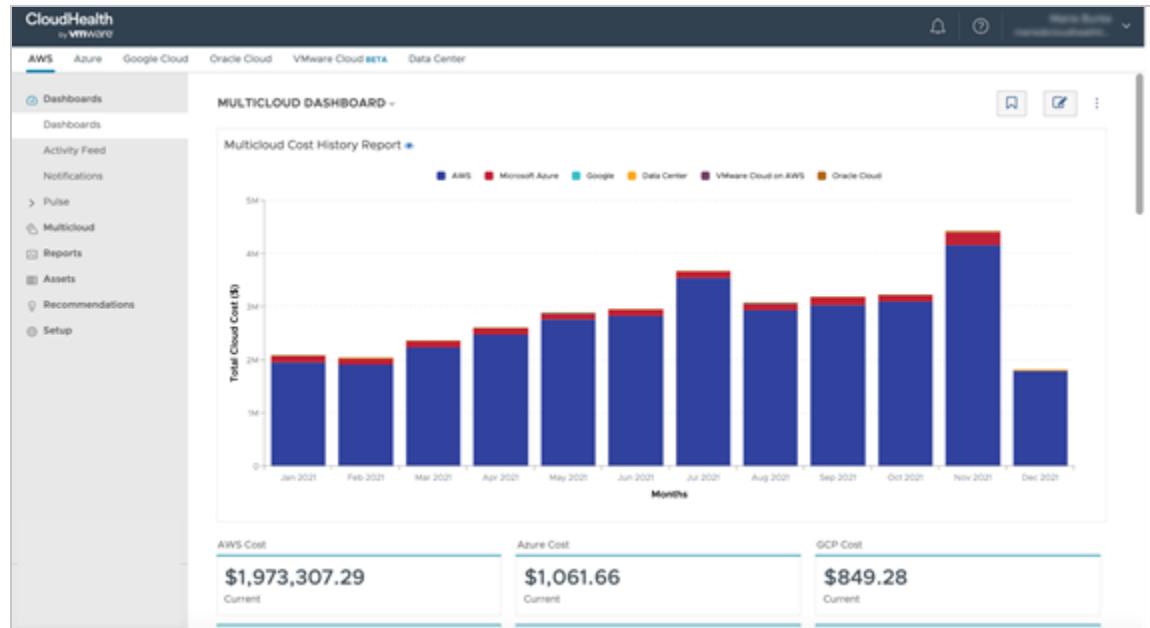
### Aria Automation for Secure Clouds

**Mitigate** security and compliance risk through intelligent, real-time security insight

### VMware Skyline

**Prevent** issues. Proactively identify and resolve potential issues before they occur.

# Tanzu CloudHealth



VMware Cloud™  
on AWS

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## Cost and Usage Visibility

Gain visibility into cloud spend and report by cost center. Drive accountability with accurate chargeback and budgeting.

## Cost and Resource Optimization

Rightsize cloud infrastructure to eliminate wasted spending and get sophisticated recommendations for purchasing and managing commitment-based discounts.

## Governance and Automation

Create custom policies and receive alerts or set automated actions when policy conditions are met to ensure continuous governance.

**\$20B+**

Cloud spend under  
management

**150K+**

Custom policies  
enabled

&lt;&lt;

Dashboard / Dashboards / AWS Dashboard

## Dashboards

Dashboards

Activity Feed

Notifications

## &gt; Pulse

## Multicloud

## Reports

## Assets

## Recommendations

## Governance

## Setup

## AWS Dashboard

SWITCH DASHBOARD ▾

AWS Cost Summary

\$3,875,235.38

Current

\$4,042,190.57

Last Month

\$4,672,045.57

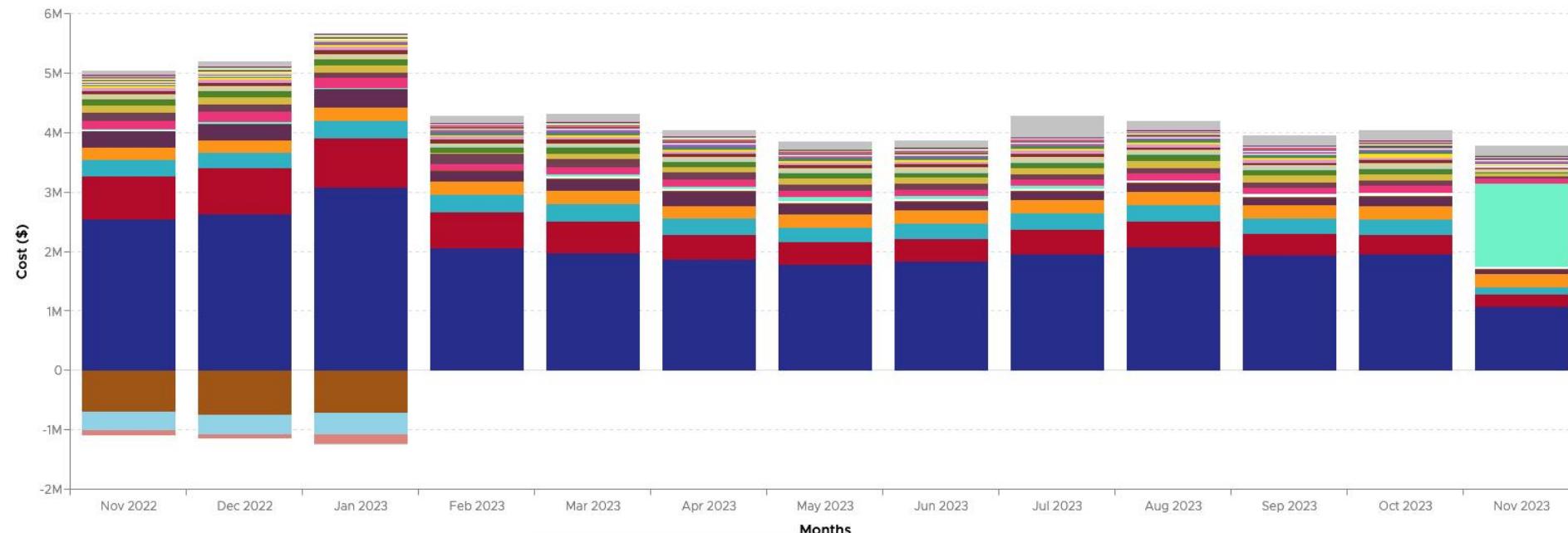
Projected for Month

99%

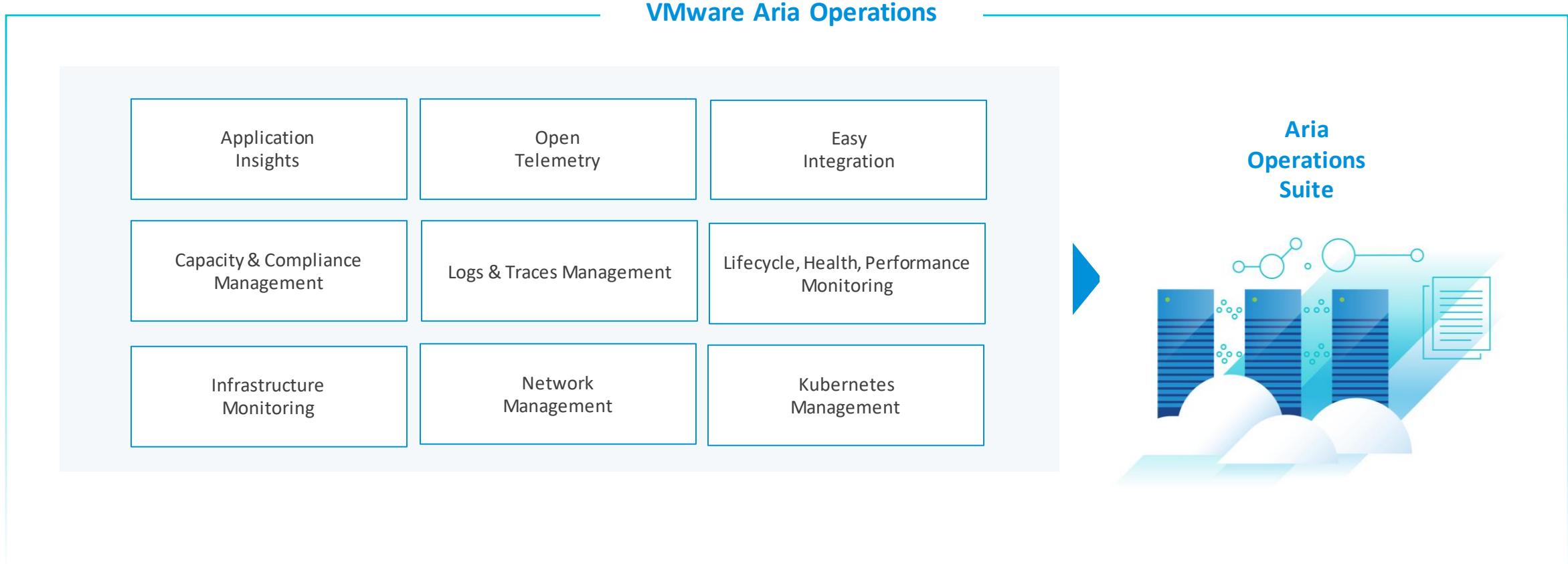
Current Month's EC2 Coverage ⓘ

## Cost History by Service Category ⓘ

EC2 - Compute S3 - Storage Amazon Elastic MapReduce Custom Line Item in AWS (Monthly Recurring - Flat Amount) S3 - API Savings Plan - EDP Credits Savings Plan - Unused EC2 - NAT Gateway Transfer  
EBS - Storage EC2 - Transfer AWS Premium Support AWS S3 RDS - Compute CloudWatch Log Groups OpenSearch - Compute ElastiCache - Compute RDS - I/O AWS Config S3 - Glacier  
EC2 Usage CloudWatch - Other Demo Example (AWS) - Custom Line Item (Flat/Debit/Recurring) RDS - Other Neptune - Instance Hour Virtual Private Cloud - VPC Endpoint Usage 186 More



# VMware Aria Operations Multi-Cloud Operations





## Effetto “Febbre da Cavallo”





# Cluster Applicativo Java – Cliente Mercato Enelia ☺

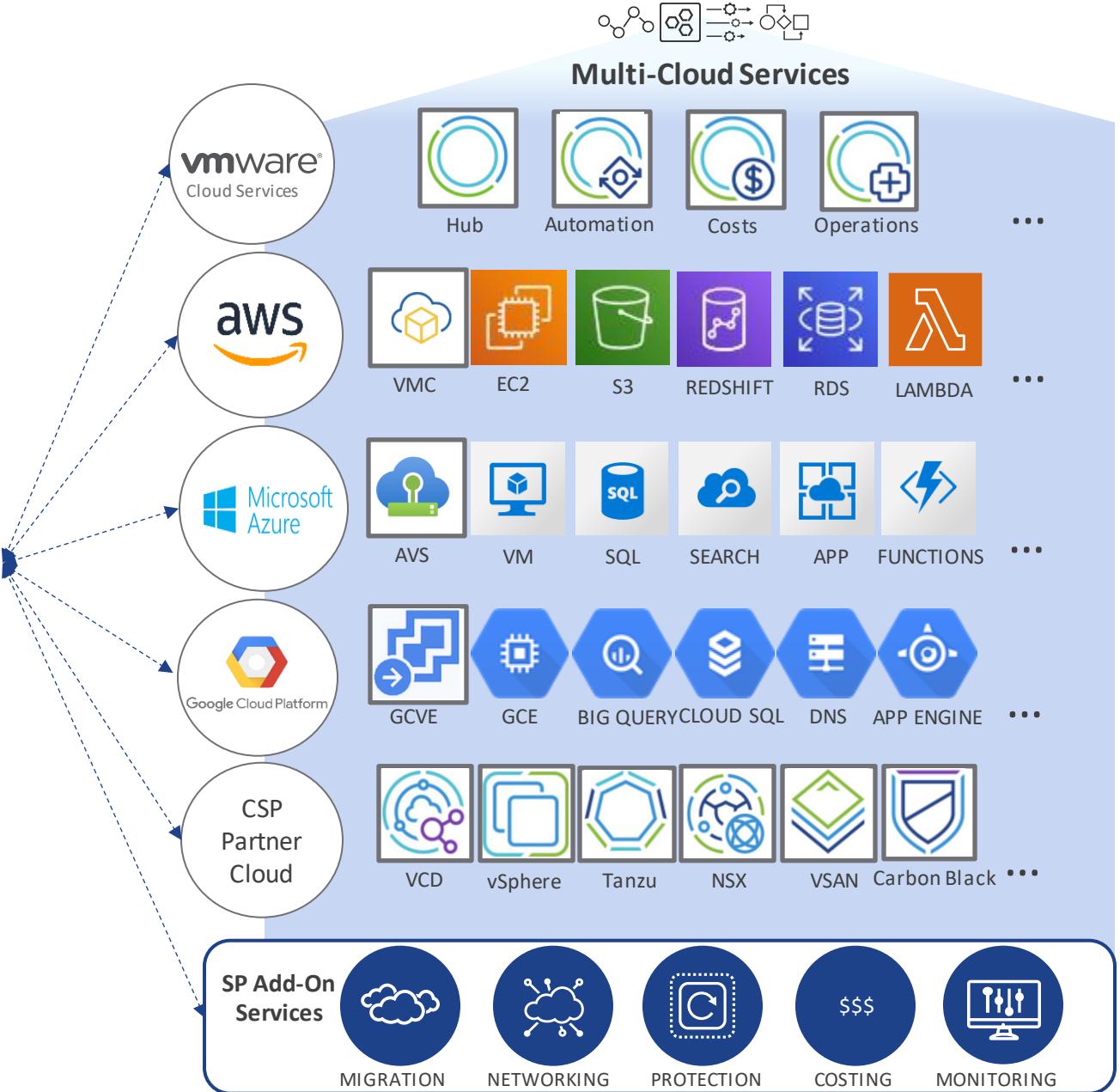
## 1.1.1 Cluster/Host Utilization and Risk Summary

Cluster: EV088WMJ

	Details
No. of Virtual Machines	215
VM:Host Ratio	27
Capacity(Memory)	2.2 TB
HA/Buffer(Memory)	- / +-%
Usable Capacity(Memory)	2.2 TB
Capacity Remaining(Memory)	31% / 88 VMs
Time Remaining(Memory)	> 1 year
Capacity(CPU)	224 GHz / 112 Cores
HA/Buffer(CPU)	- / +-%
Usable Capacity(CPU)	224 GHz / 112 Cores
Capacity Remaining(CPU)	0% / Over by 1 VMs
Time Remaining(CPU)	0 days
Memory Stress(%)	0%
CPU Stress(%)	0%



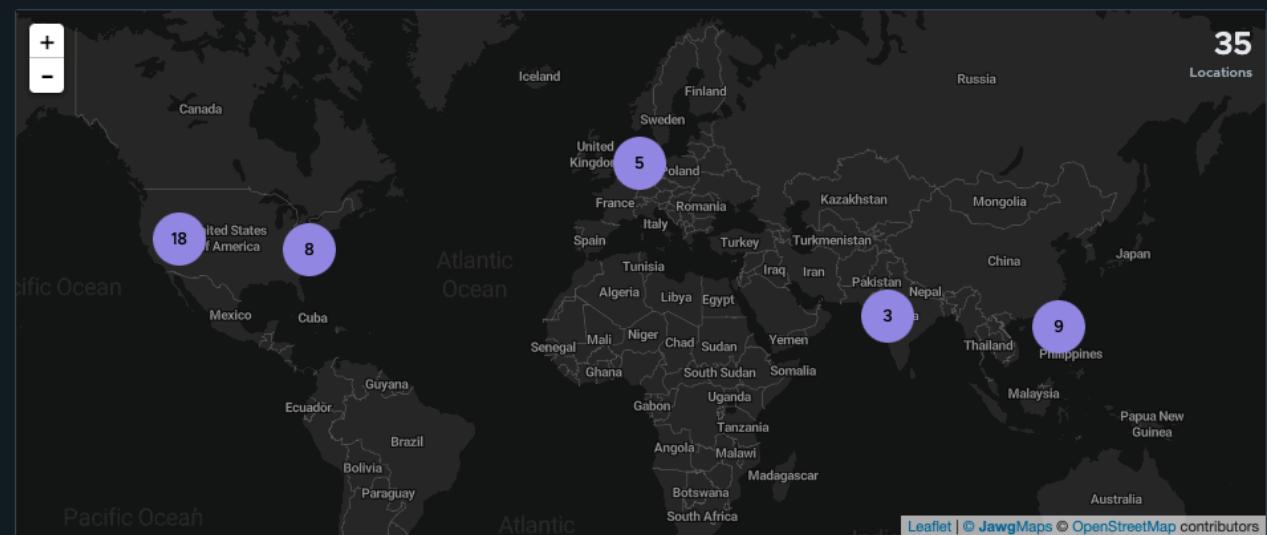
Customers consume managed service or application across different clouds



Search for an object, metric, dashboard and more...



## Home

Launchpad New Multi-Cloud Overview NewAll Clouds  
Accounts: 25vCenter  
Accounts: 12VMware Cloud Foundation  
Accounts: 1VMware Cloud on AWS  
Accounts: 1Azure VMware Solution  
Accounts: 1Google Cloud VMwa  
Accounts: 1

## Inventory

vCenter  
12AWS  
3Azure  
3GCP  
2VMC on AWS  
1VCF  
1AVS  
1OCVS  
1GCVE  
1Compute  
2987Applications  
190Storage  
1538017

## VMware Cloud

## Capacity Remaining

8 / 43 Clusters running out of capacity

CPU 90% (18945.12 GHz)

Memory 92% (177.02 TB)

Disk Space 93% (4033.77 TB)

Used Remaining

## Time Remaining

27 Normal8 Critical0 Immediate0 Warning

▲ 1/2 ▼

## Cost

Total Cost of Ownership**US\$ 616962.73**Potential Savings**US\$ 37345.43**Realized Savings**US\$ 2373.94**

# La Rivelazione

(AKA “*La Sindrome del ristoratore*”)

Se prenotate un tavolo per quattro ad un ristorante...

... e poi, seduti al tavolo, solo voi pranzate...

... mentre gli altri tre che sono seduti stanno a guardare...

... il ristoratore, come minimo,  
vi farà pagare i coperti “non utilizzati”!





# Noi siamo infinito

(AKA “La Sindrome di Mario Brega”)

“Devo configurare il server per il blog aziendale interno...”

“Quante vCPU vuoi?”

“Quattro!”

“Mi sono venute un po’ di più... sono otto, lascio?”

“Lascia!”

“E per quanto riguarda la memoria RAM?”

“Facciamo 64GB?”

“C’è l’offerta speciale 3x2, facciamo 128GB?”

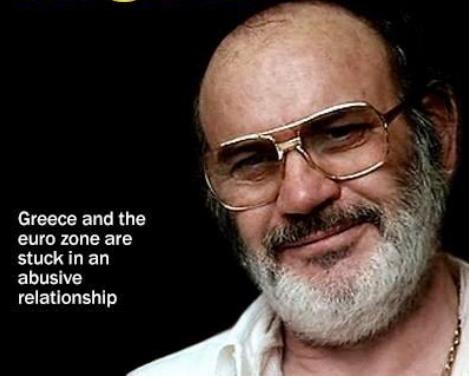
“Ok!”



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**Feel these olives,  
are greek**



... COME SO’ STE VCPU? SO’ GRECHE...



# Melius Abundare Quam Deficere

(AKA “Sindrome della corazzata Potemkin”)

“Uhm... questa applicazione sta andando malissimo... chiamo l’help-desk”

*“Help Desk vSphere, cosa posso fare per lei?”*

“Senta.. La mia applicazione sul server VirtApp01  
sta andando lentissima, le chiederei di raddoppiarmi le CPU”

*“Guardi che aumentando le vCPU potrebbe andare più lenta...”*

“Ma cosa sta dicendo? Se aumenta le CPU andrà  
sicuramente più forte!!!”

*“....le posso far dare una risposta dal nostro esperto  
in merito al raddoppio delle vCPU?”*

“Certo!”



Search for an object, metric, dashboard and more...



## Rightsize

Q Search

?

Home

Data Sources

Environment

Visualize

Troubleshoot

Optimize

Capacity

## All Datacenters

0 Days Remaining

US\$18,063  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

## EMEA Datacenter

0 Days Remaining

US\$624  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

## Hillsboro

0 Days Remaining

US\$195  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

## PKS-DC-SOUTH

0 Days Remaining

US\$556  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

## Production

0 Days Remaining

US\$211  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

## sc2dc01

0 Days Remaining

US\$1,252  
Cost Savings

Not Optimized

ALL DATACENTERS

VM Name	Allocated CPU	Recommended CPU Reduction	Allocated Memory	Recommended Memory Reduction
vrops-fd-wdc3	16 vCPUs	8 vCPUs	48 GB	10 GB
FieldDemo0122	4 vCPUs	2 vCPUs	8 GB	4 GB
vrops80-weekly	4 vCPUs	2 vCPUs	16 GB	0 KB
frontend-mcm685005-113148357707	2 vCPUs	0 vCPUs	4 GB	2 GB
frontend-mcm729834-114810843866	2 vCPUs	0 vCPUs	4 GB	2 GB

Search for an object, metric, dashboard and more...

## Migration Planning: Public Cloud

[Home](#) / Capacity Plan / What-if Analysis / Migrate Workload

Results:

Migrate to NPC

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## Private Cloud

US\$1,272



as-win-vm02

2 vCPU

4 GB

84.8 GB

Windows

1 virtual machine

## Amazon Web Services

Select region:

eu-central-1 - EU (Frankfurt)



US\$3,720

t3a.medium

2 vCPU

4 GB

20.72 GB ⓘ

Windows

Total Cost: US\$48

## IBM Cloud

Select region:

FRA02 - Frankfurt



US\$4,011

U1.2x4x25

2 vCPU

4 GB

25 GB ⓘ

Windows

Total Cost: US\$94

## Microsoft Azure

Select region:

germany-central - Frankfurt



US\$3,773

B2S

2 vCPU

4 GB

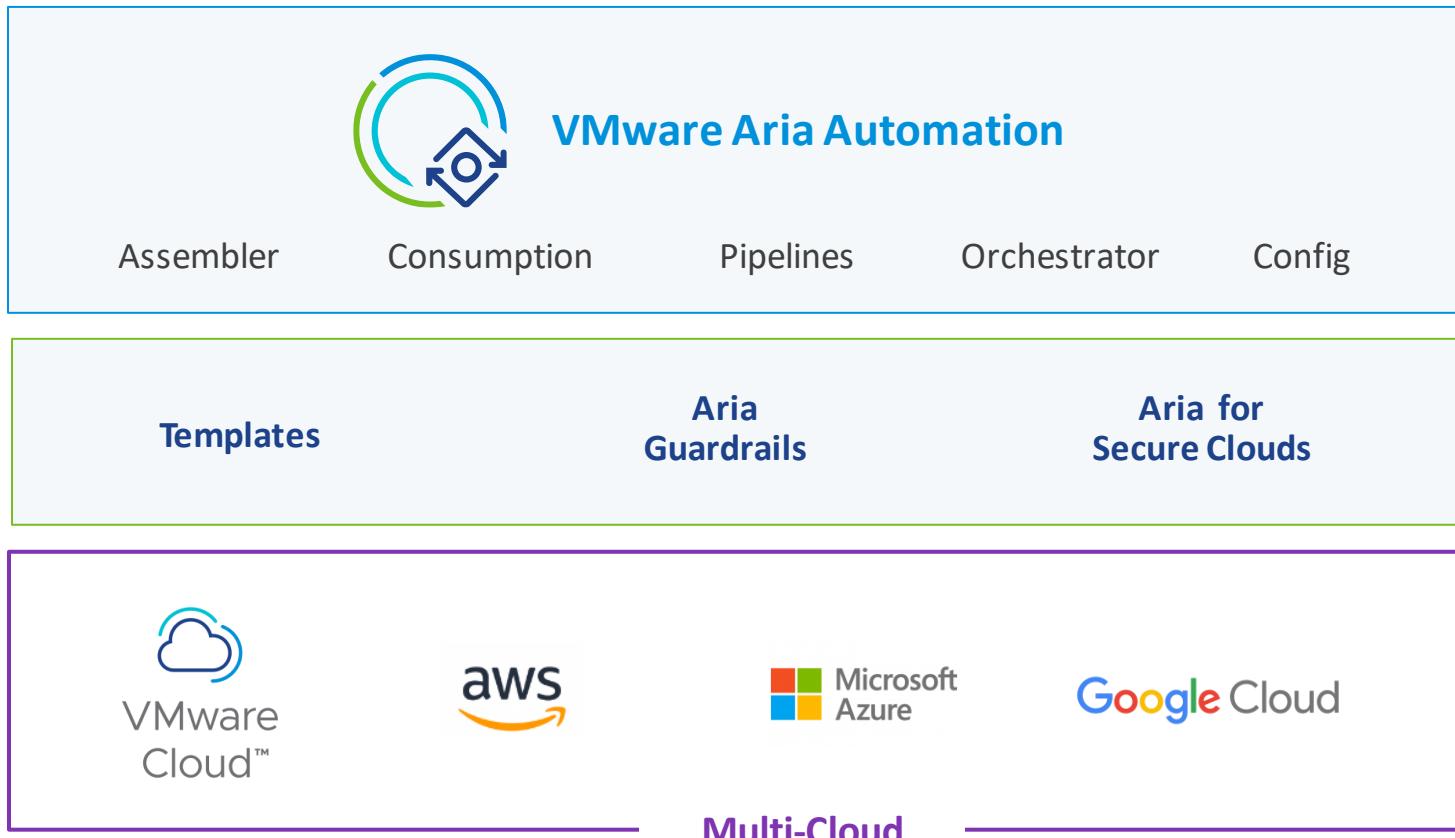
136 GB ⓘ

Windows

Total Cost: US\$38

# VMware Aria Automation – Multi-Cloud Infrastructure Automation Platform

Formerly vRealize Automation



- VMware Aria Automation Assembler
- VMware Aria Automation Consumption
- VMware Aria Automation Pipelines
- VMware Aria Automation Orchestrator
- VMware Aria Automation Config
- VMware Aria Automation Templates
- VMware Aria Guardrails
- VMware Aria Automation for Secure Clouds

# MOAD Shopping Cart Application - VMC

SETTINGS VERSION HISTORY ACTIONS ▾

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Search Resource Types

▼ Cloud Agnostic

- Machine
- Load Balancer
- Network
- Security Group
- Volume

▼ Allocation Helpers

- Compute Helper
- Custom Naming Helper
- Flavor Helper
- Image Helper
- Network Helper
- Security Group Helper
- Storage Helper

▼ Kubernetes

- TKGi Cluster
- K8S Namespace
- Supervisor Namespace
- K8S Cluster

SUPPORT

```

graph TD
    Cloud_Networking[Cloud_Networking  
$(input.environment...)] --- Cloud_NSX_LoadBalancer[Cloud_NSX_LoadBalancer]
    Cloud_NSX_LoadBalancer --- loadGen[loadGen  
$(input.environment...)]
    Cloud_NSX_LoadBalancer --- frontend[frontend  
$(input.environment...)]
    Cloud_NSX_LoadBalancer --- mysql[mysql  
$(input.environment...)]
  
```

SUPPORT

» ↗
Code
Properties
Inputs

```

1 formatVersion: 1
2 name: MOAD-Retail-NO-LB
3 version: 1
4 inputs:
5   frontendcount:
6     type: integer
7   environment:
8     type: string
9   enum:
10    - vSphere
11    - AWS
12    - VMC
13   description: Target Environment
14   default: vSphere
15   title: Select Environment for Deployment
16   username:
17     type: string
18     description: The username you would like
19     to have for the installation.
20   default: demouser
21   title: System Admin Account Username
22   password:
23     type: string
24     description: The password you would like
25     to use for the user account.
26     default: vRealiz3!
27   title: OpenCart Admin Account Password
28   pattern: '[a-zA-Z0-9@#$]+'
29   encrypted: true
30   stressThreads:
31     type: string
32     description: Number of user threads
33     generated to simulate traffic load on
34     the shopping cart website.
35     default: '25'
36   title: Workload Threads
37   minLength: 1
38   maxLength: 3
39   format: ''
40   pattern: '[0-9]{1,3}'
41   resources:
42   frontend:
43     type: Cloud.Machine
44   dependsOn:
45     - mysql
  
```

# Catalog

64 items



My resource usage

0 VMs

0 CPUs

0 Storage (GB)

0 Memory (GB)

Search

Sort: Name (ascending)



### ACME LZ (AWS)

VMware Aria Automation Templates  
Deploy EC2 instances, subnets and VPC for ACME Fitness Kubernetes platform

Projects	ACME Fitness
REQUEST	



### Aria Config Ansible

VMware Aria Automation Templates  
Aria Config using Ansible playbooks to build a LAMP host

Projects	SLIM
REQUEST	



### Aria Config Ansible

VMware Aria Automation 8.x Template  
Template for Salt + Ansible

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Aria Config PhotonOS De...

VMware Aria Automation Templates  
Aria Config Environment built on the PhotonOS release that is deployed by Aria Lifecycle

Projects	SLIM
REQUEST	



### Aria Demo 1

VMware Aria Automation 8.x Template

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Autoscale OpenCart

VMware Aria Automation Templates  
For use with autoscale with vROps.

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Azure Native Service

VMware Aria Automation 8.x Template

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Deployment Approval Exa...

Extensibility actions

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Deployment Limit Template

VMware Aria Automation Templates

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Deploy Terraform

Extensibility actions

Projects	TMM Auto
REQUEST	



### Deploy Via Terraform

Extensibility actions

REQUEST	
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### Docker-Builder-Do-Not-M...

VMware Aria Automation 8.x Template

REQUEST	
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### Events - Shopping Cart Ap...

VMware Aria Automation Templates

REQUEST	
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### Events Shopping Cart App...

VMware Aria Automation Templates

REQUEST	
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### GCP-GCP-VM-1

VMware Aria Automation Templates

REQUEST	
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[Overview](#) [What's New](#) [Metric](#) [Flows](#) [Microsegmentation](#) [Intents](#)[Application Summary](#) Last updated at Nov 14, 20:30Alerts  
No open alerts

Incoming Traffic

52.3 KB

No changes

Outgoing Traffic

62.8 KB

No changes

Flows

50

41 Unprotected/Den...

Intents

2

Countries

1

No changes

VMs

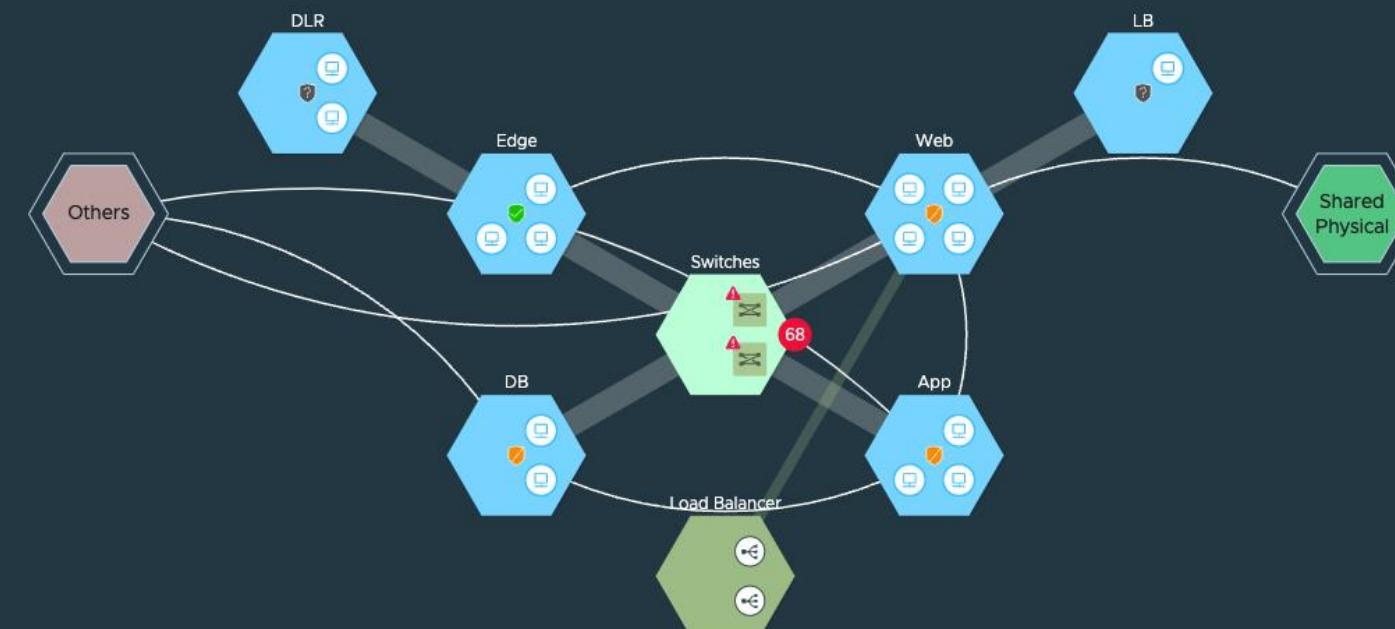
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Physical IPs

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Kubernetes Services

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[Application Topology](#)

## Application Summary Last updated at Nov 15, 18:30

**2**

Alerts

Critical

2

Incoming Traffic

**80.7 GB**

▲ 3189.1% in last 24 ...

Outgoing Traffic

**76.9 GB**

▲ 2162.5% in last 24 ...

Flows

**33.5 K**

9 K Unprotected/D...

Intents

**2**

Countries

**108**

▼ 3 in last 24 hours

VMs

**40**

1 Down

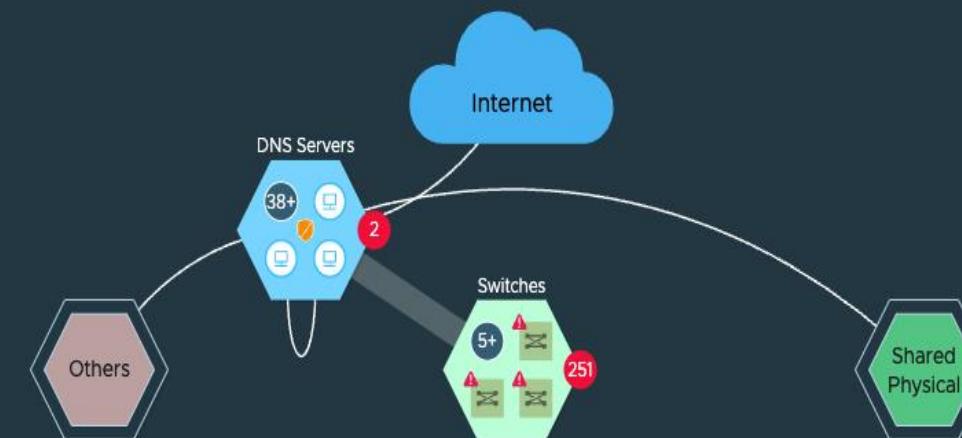
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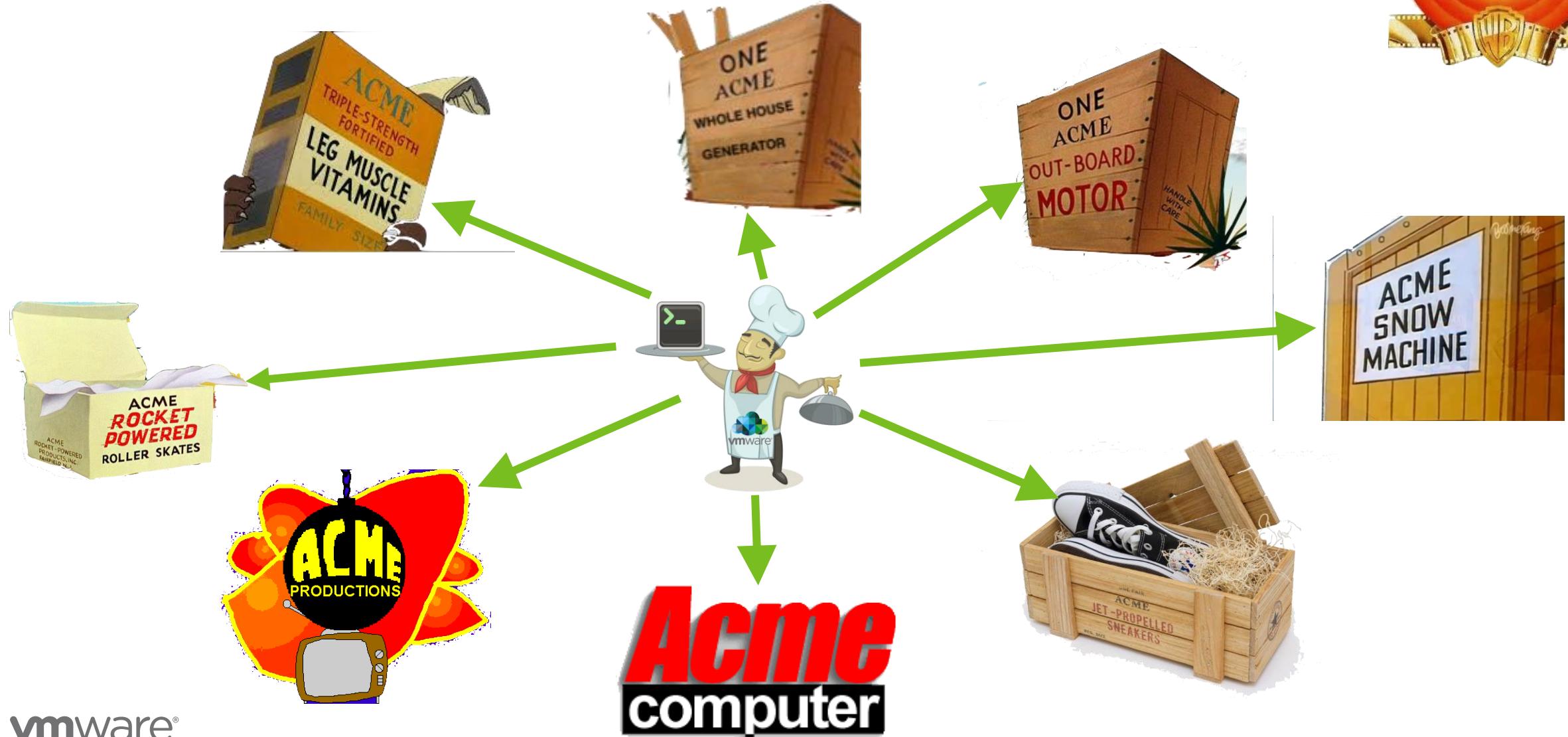
Kubernetes Services



## Application Topology

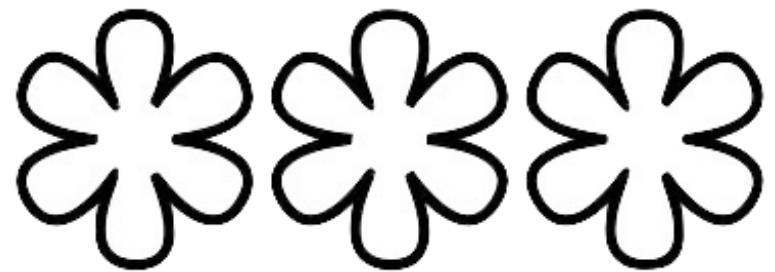


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