

Kata Containers

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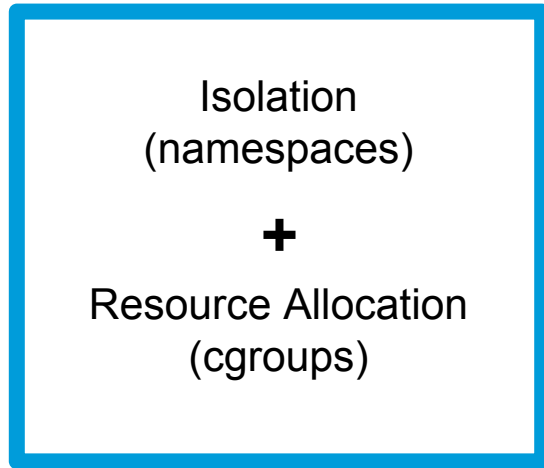
Agenda

- **What are Kata Containers?**
- **What is it for?**
- **Who is running the project?**

What is it?

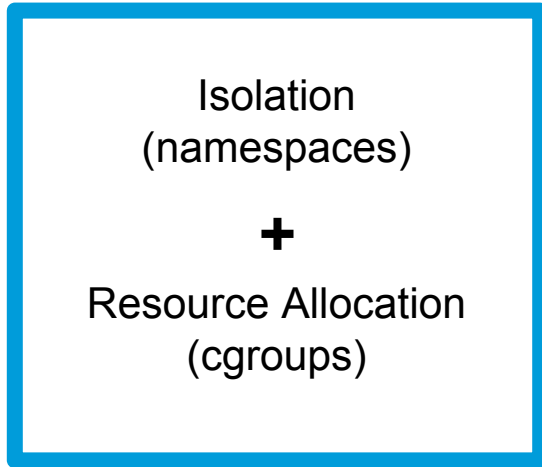
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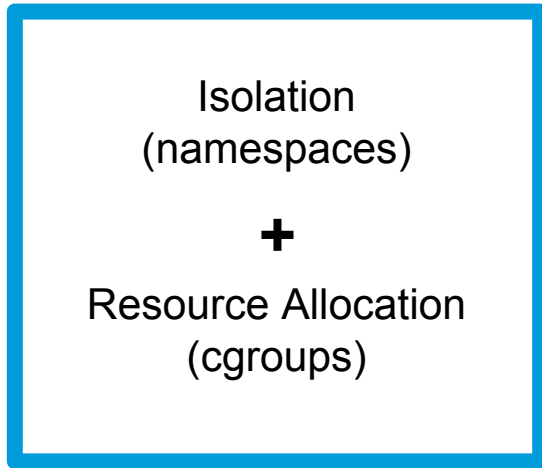


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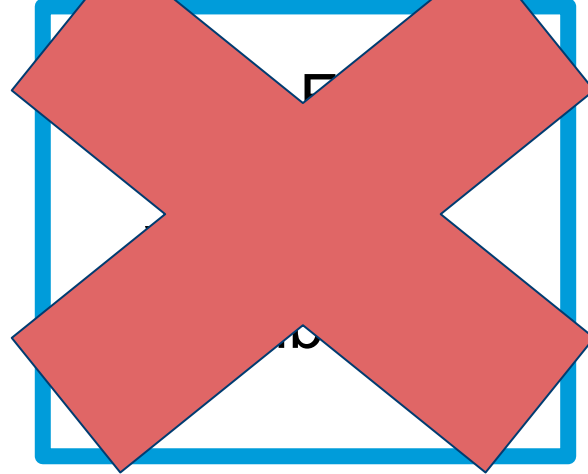
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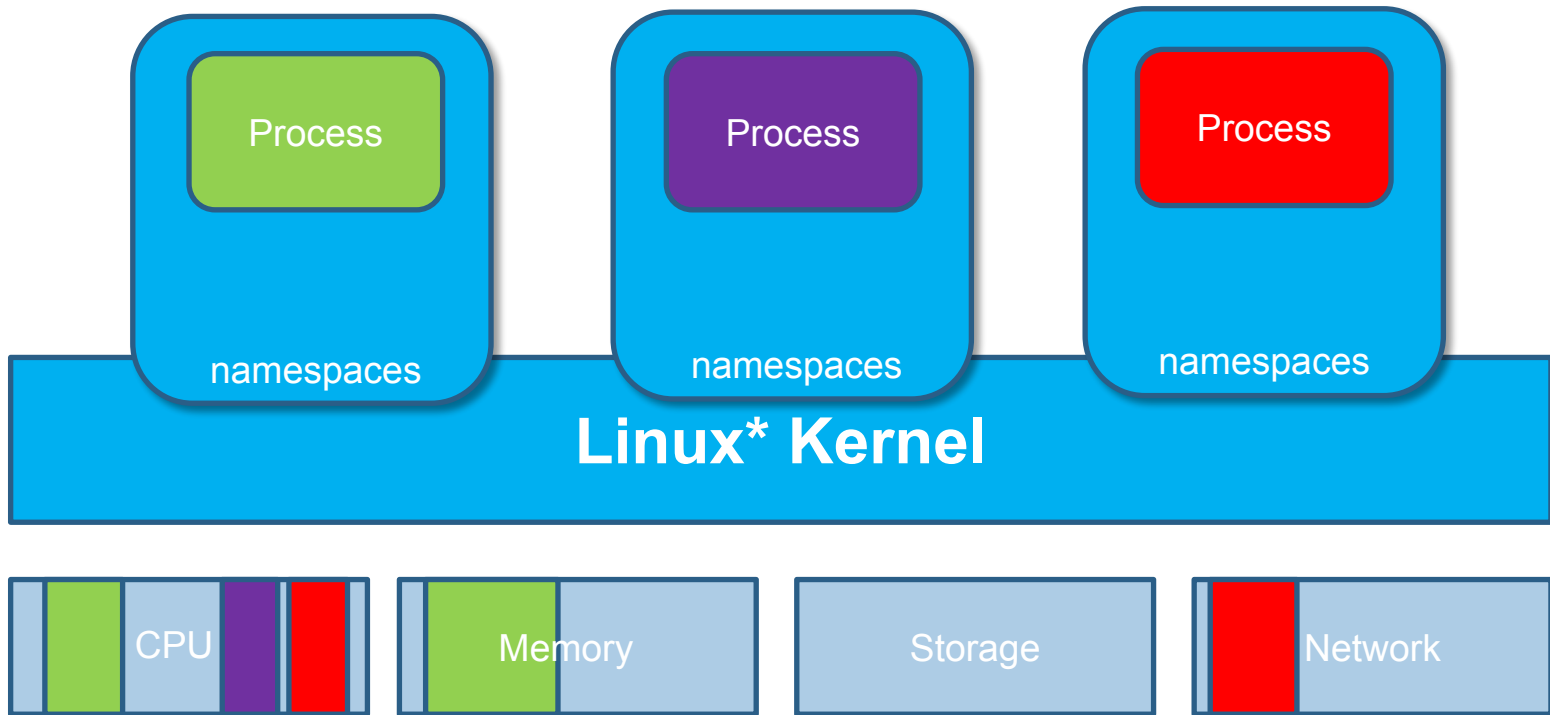
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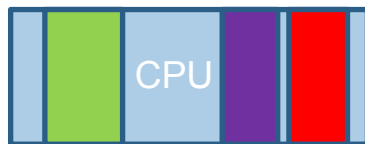
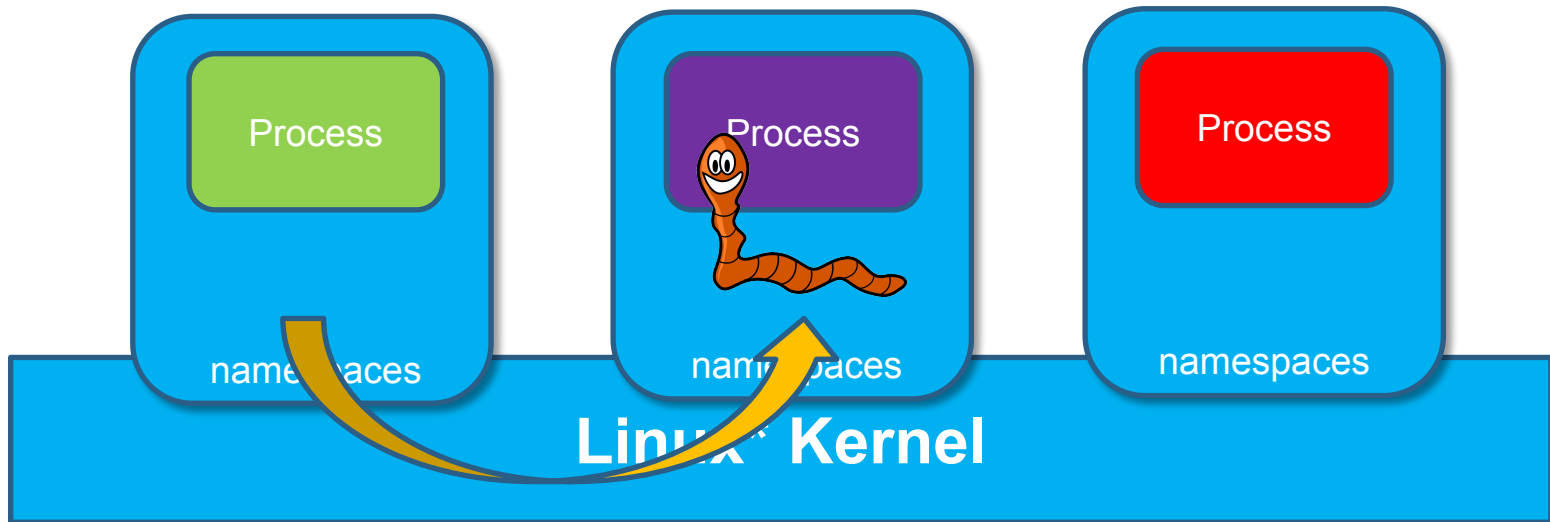


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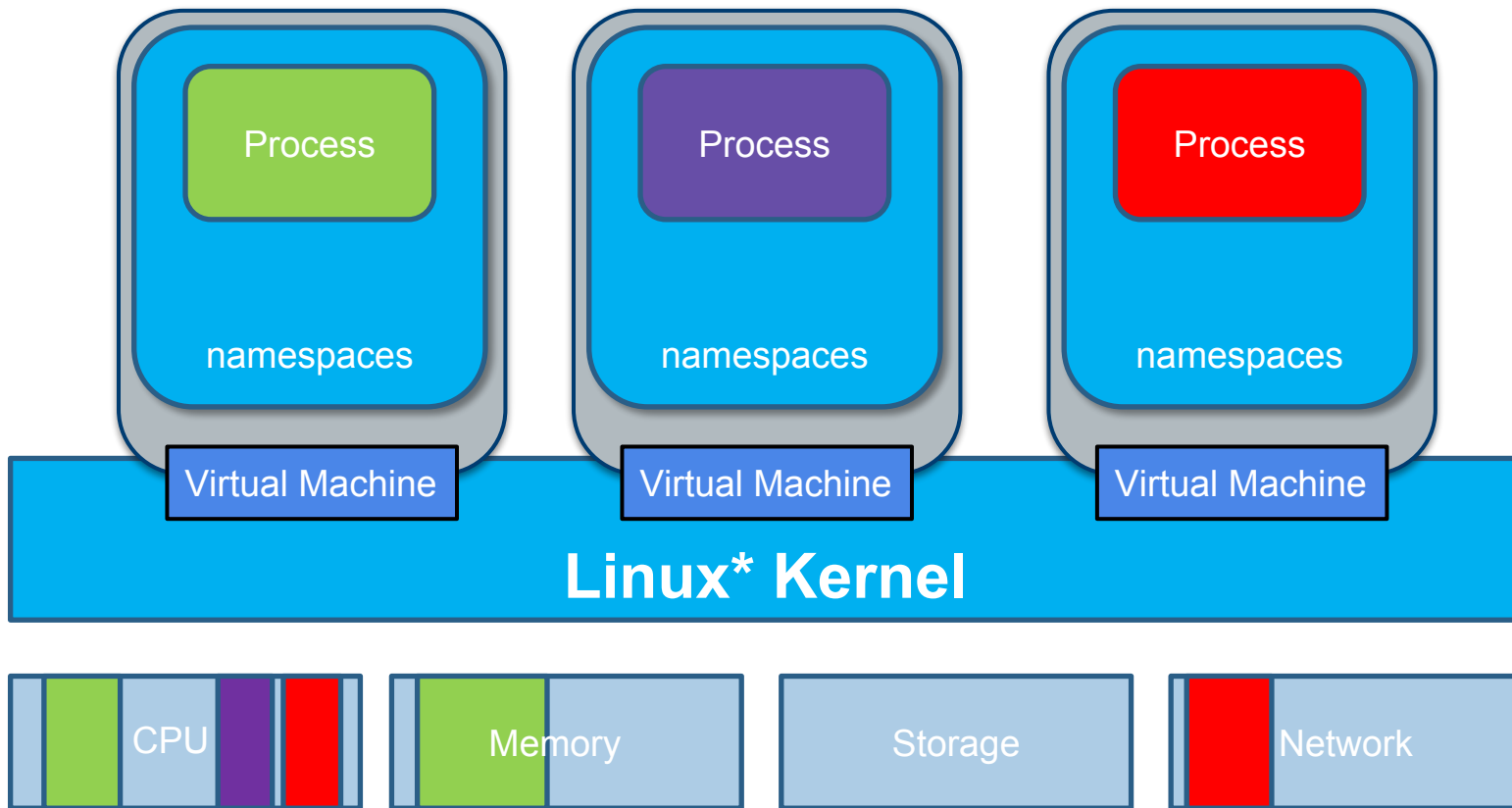




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GLaDOS

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- * Press CTRL+ALT+DEL again to restart your computer. You will lose any unsaved information in all applications.

Press any key to continue _

PIONEER AWARD

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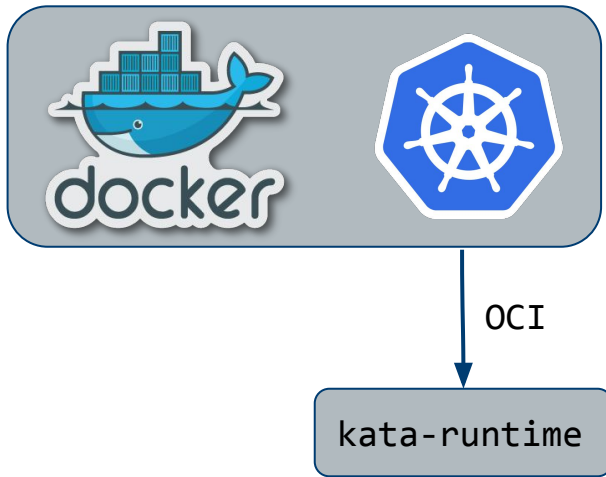
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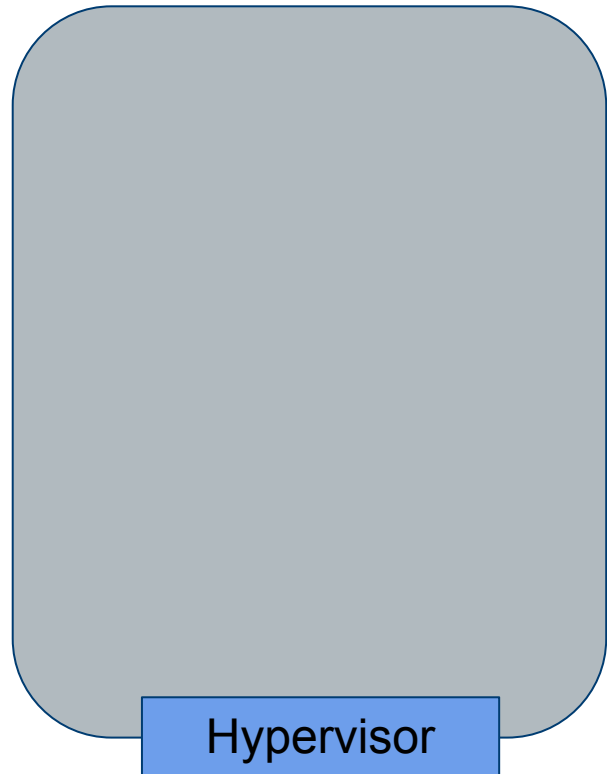
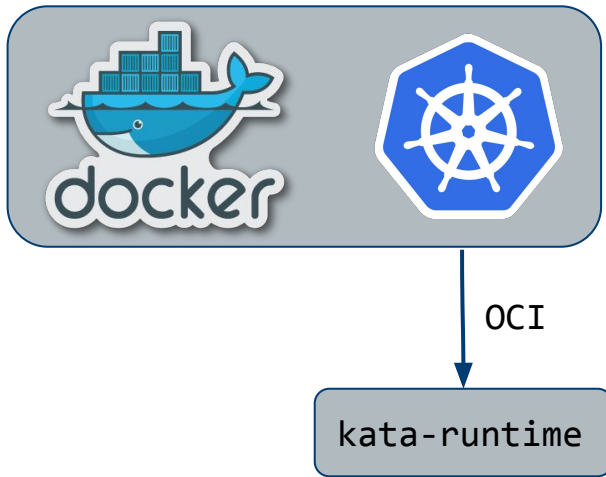
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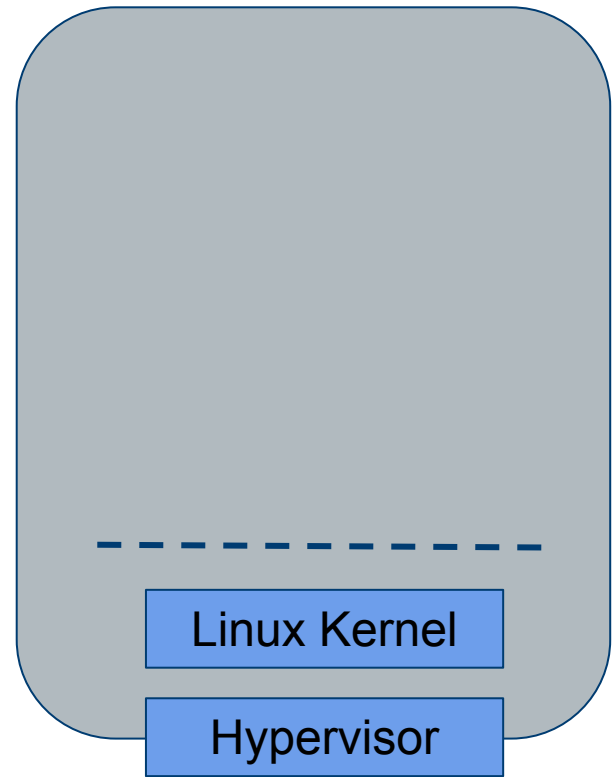
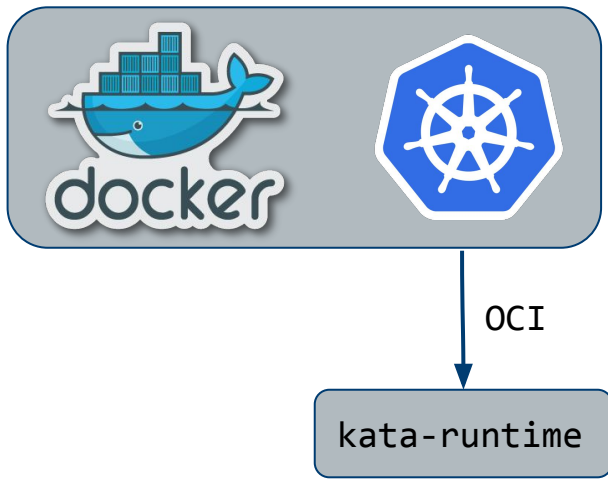
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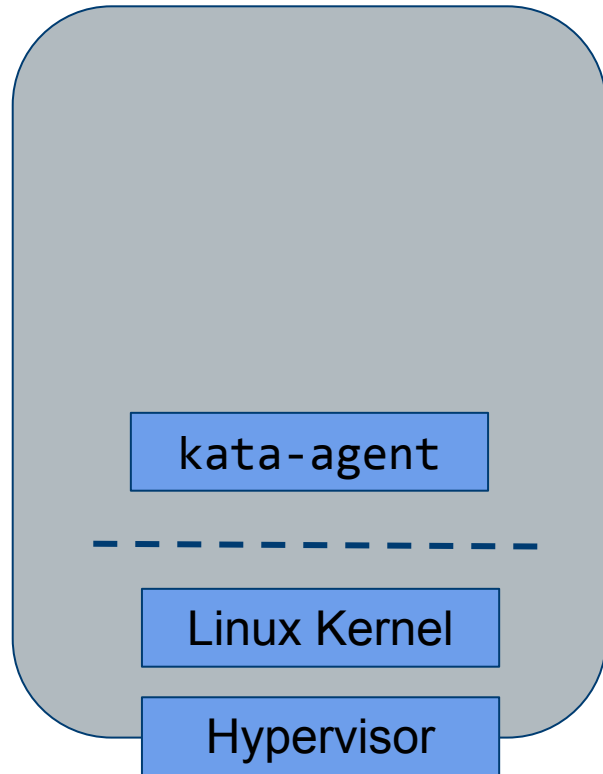
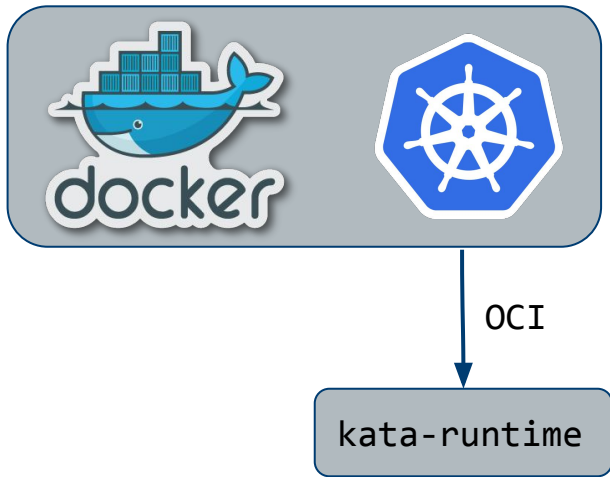
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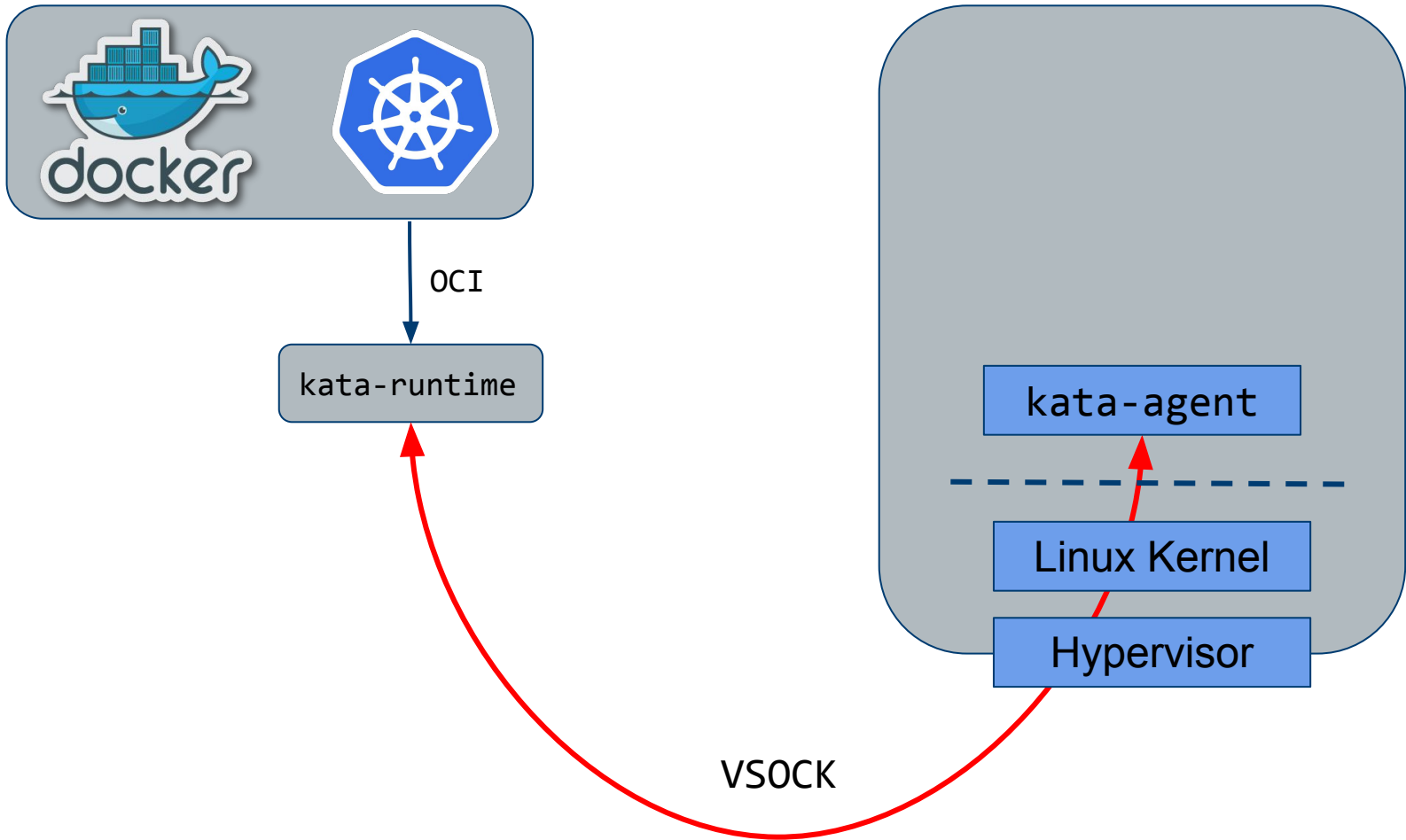
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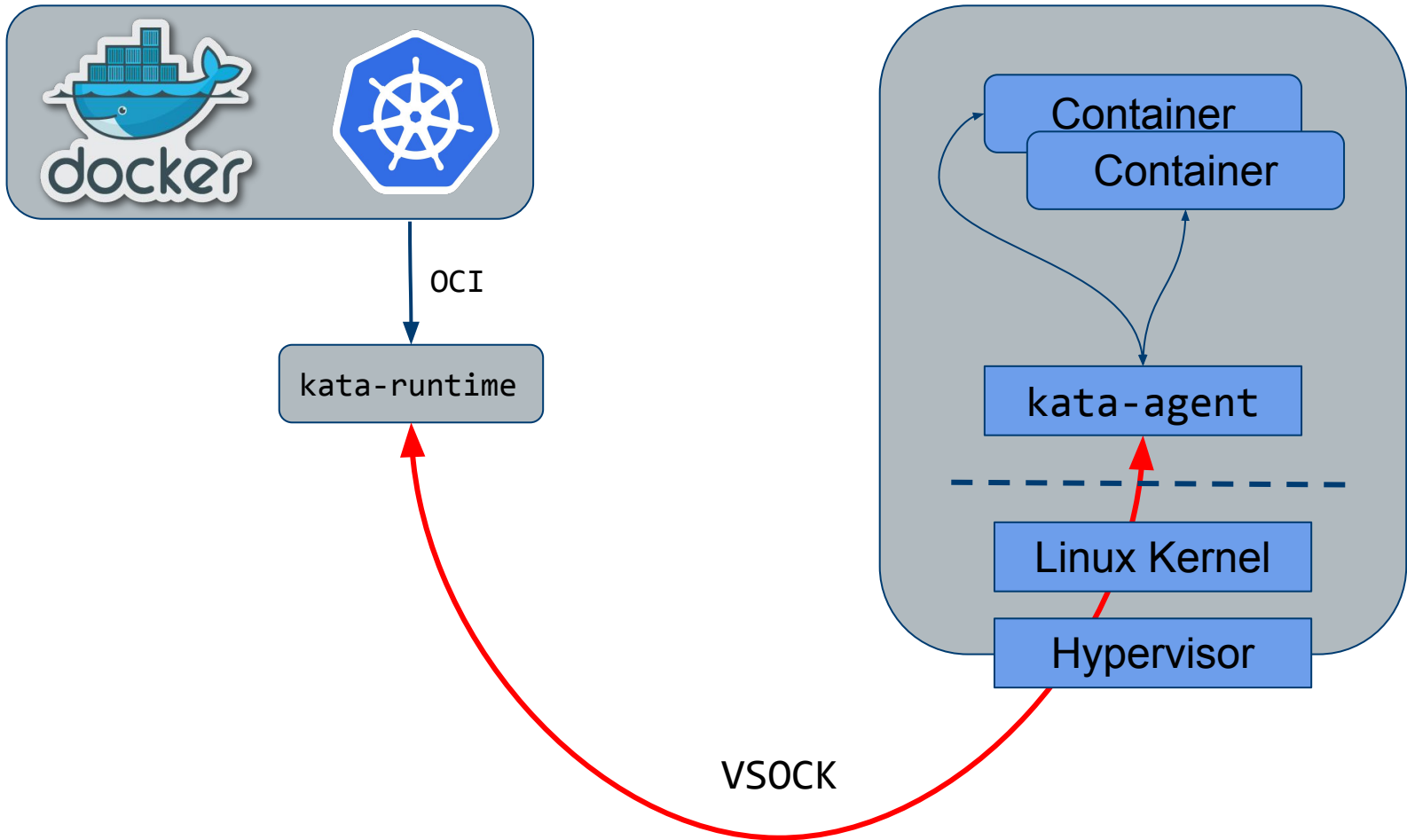


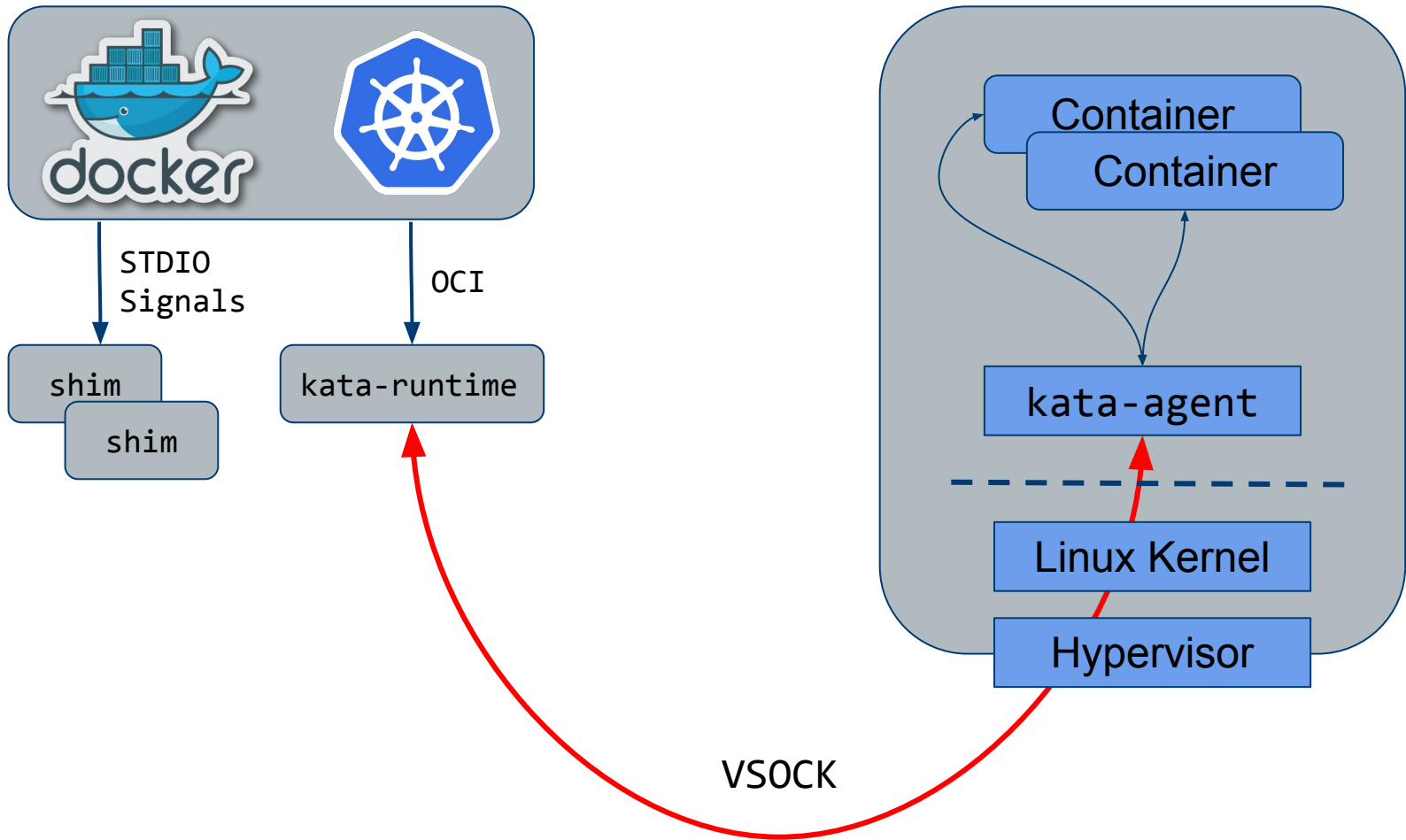


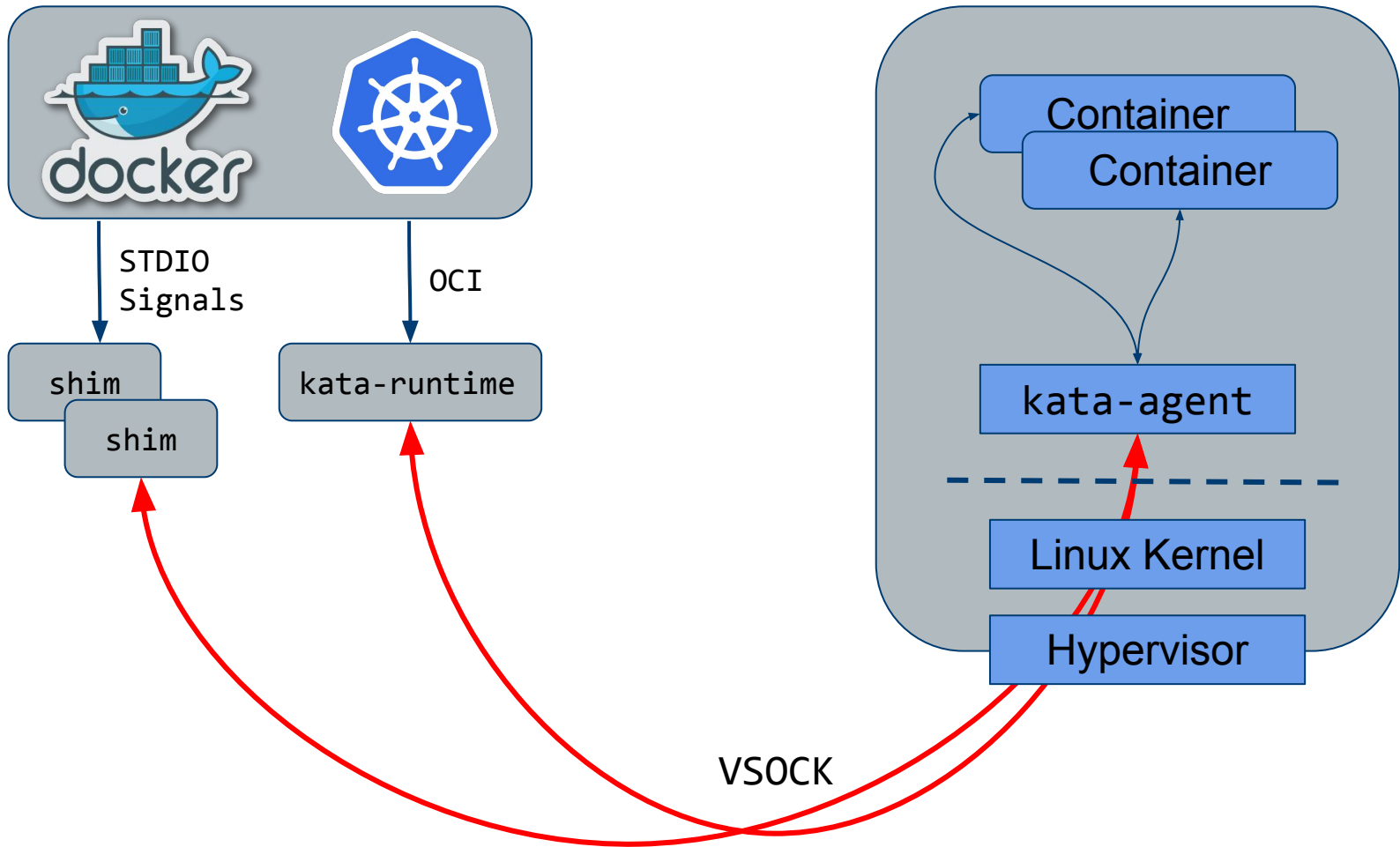






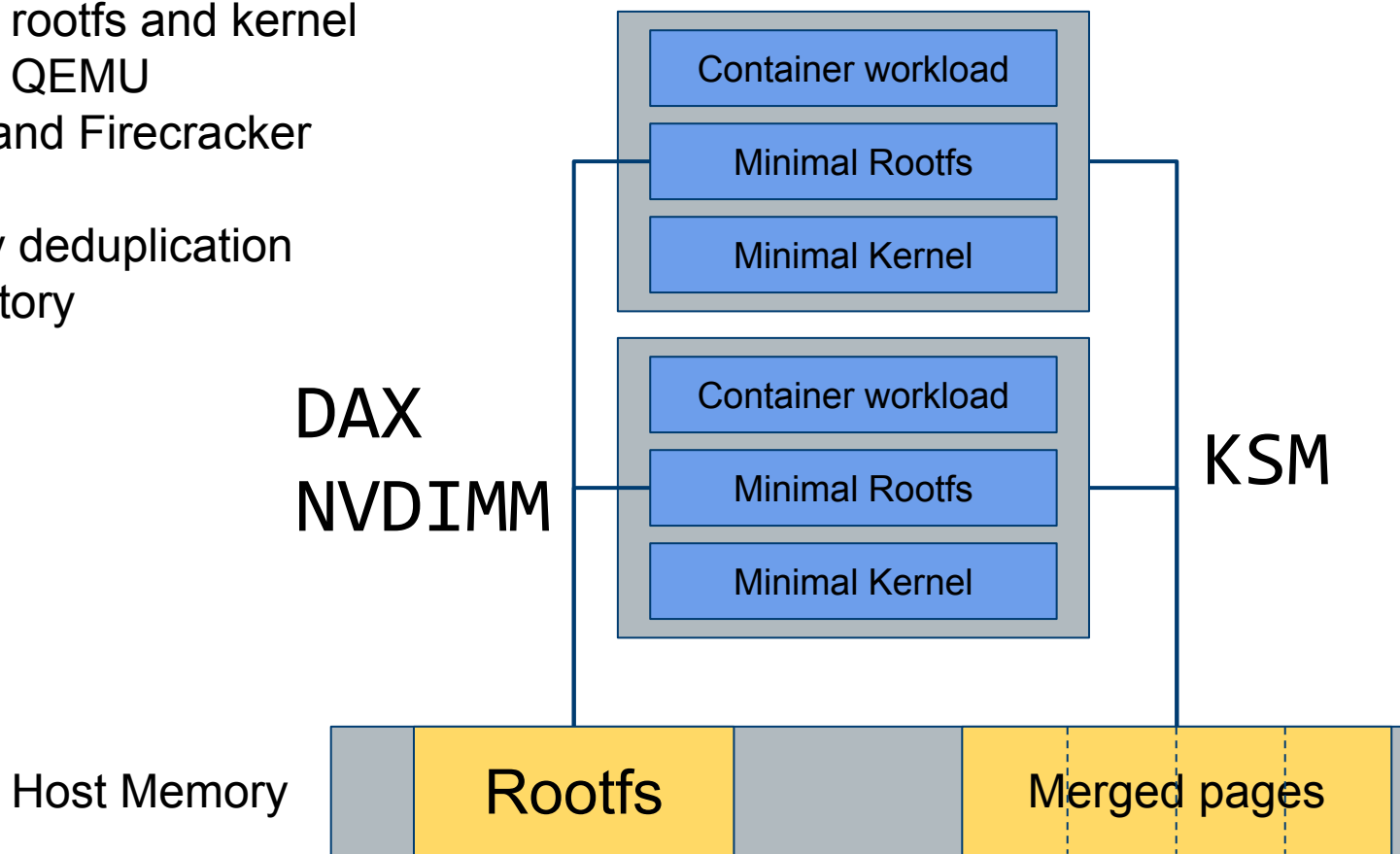






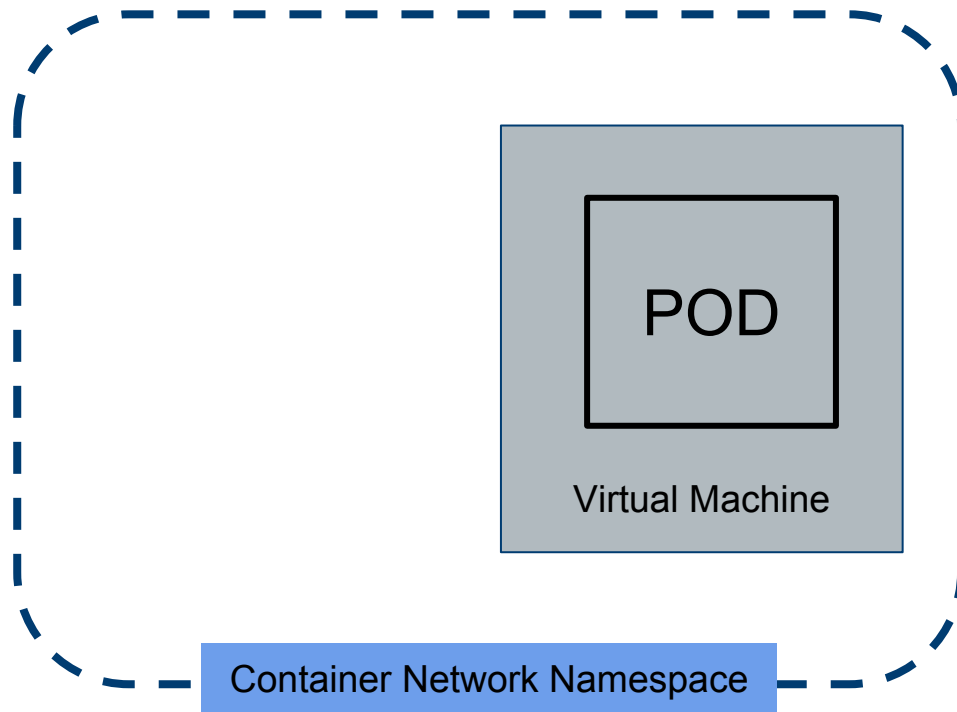
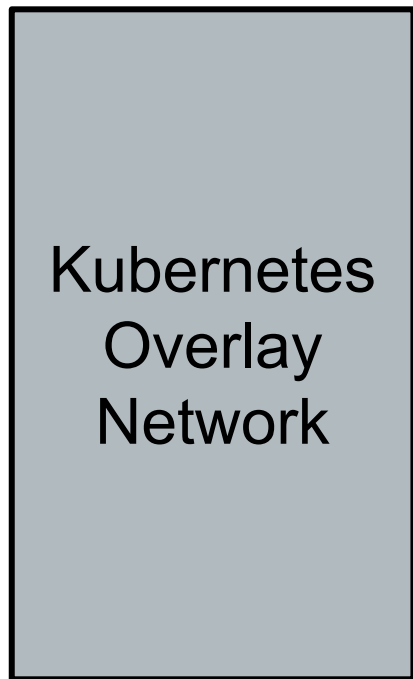
Small and fast like a container

- Minimal roots and kernel
- Minimal QEMU
- NEMU and Firecracker
- DAX
- Memory deduplication
- VM Factory

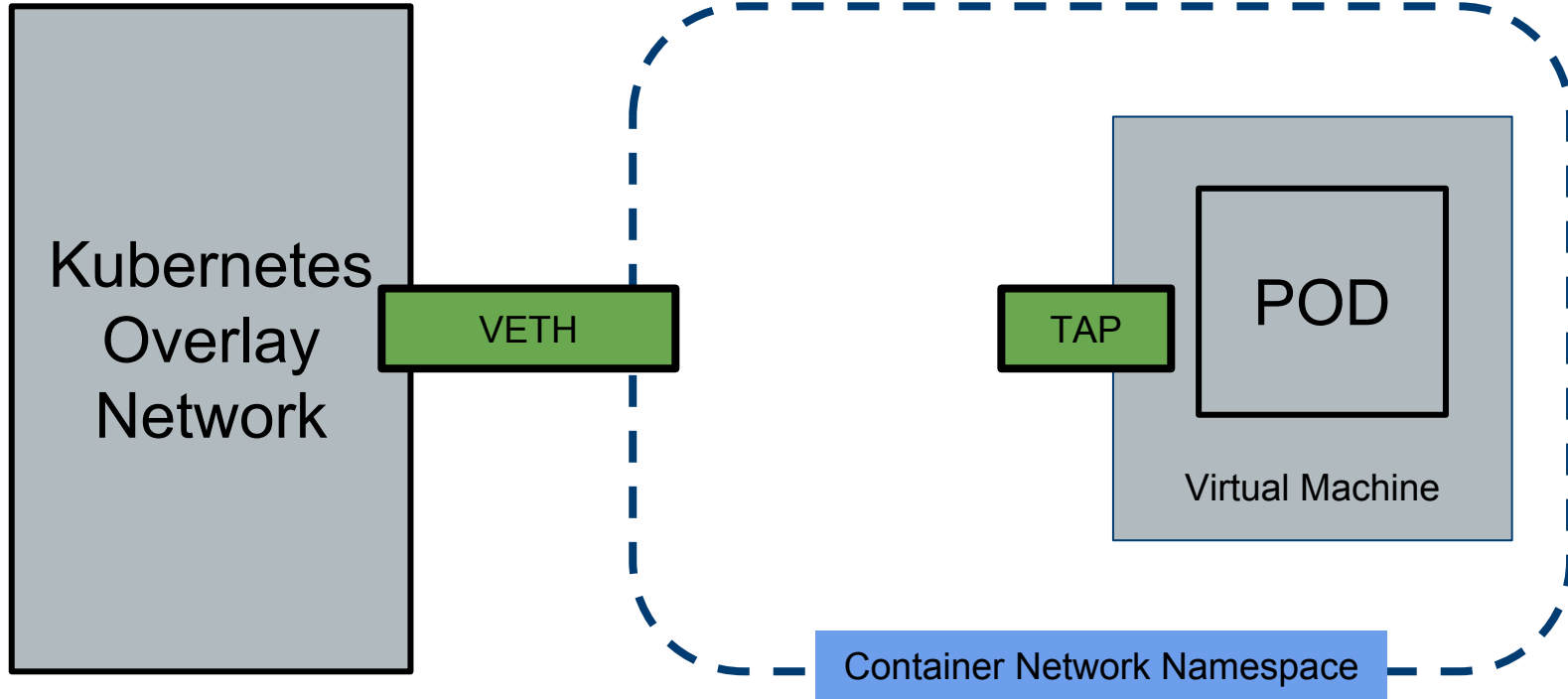


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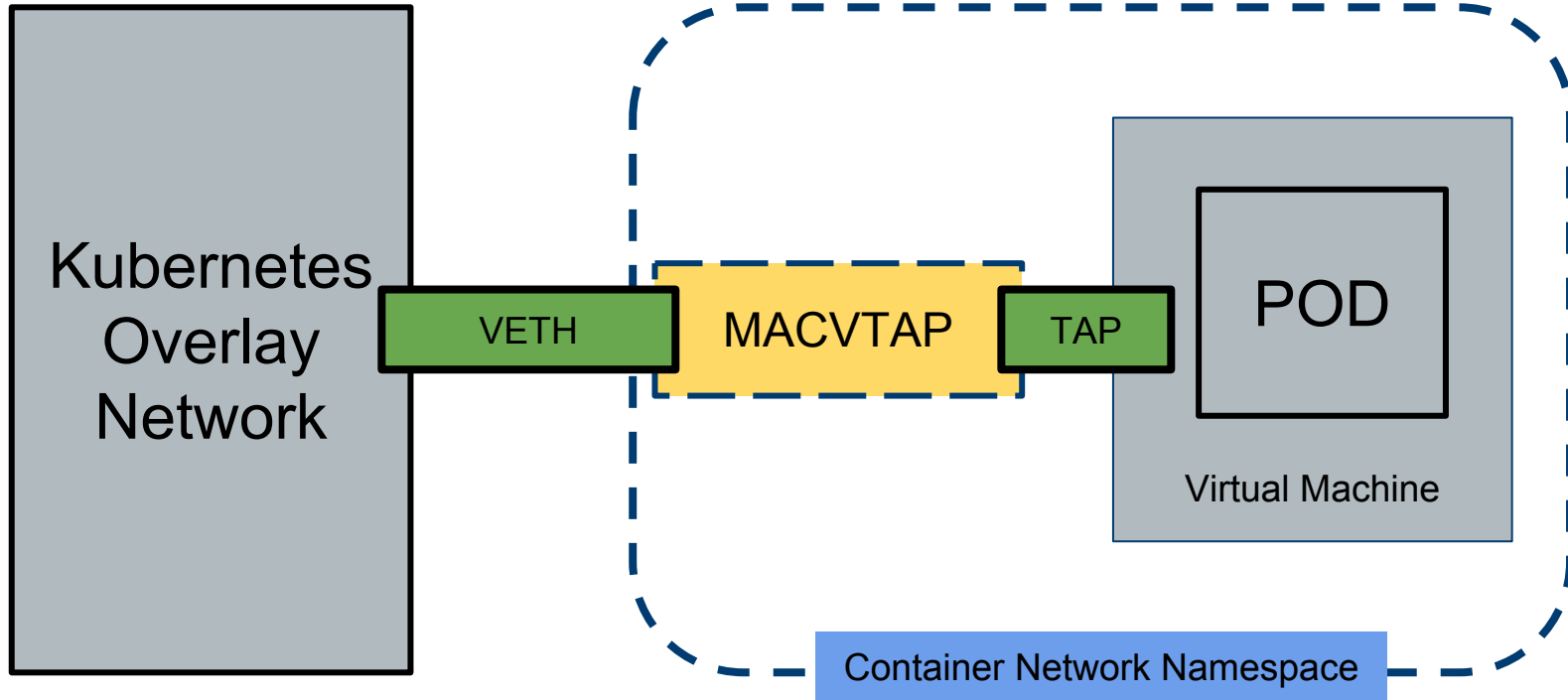
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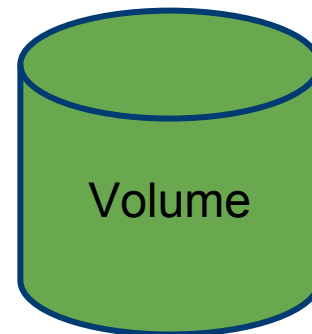
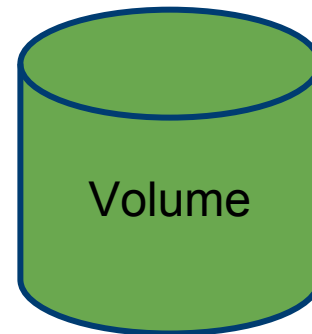
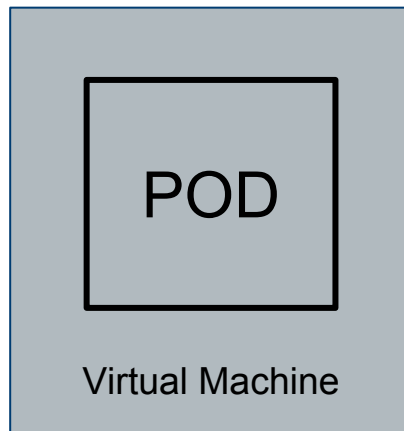
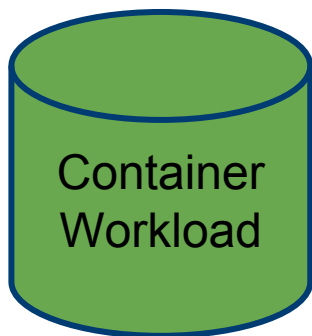
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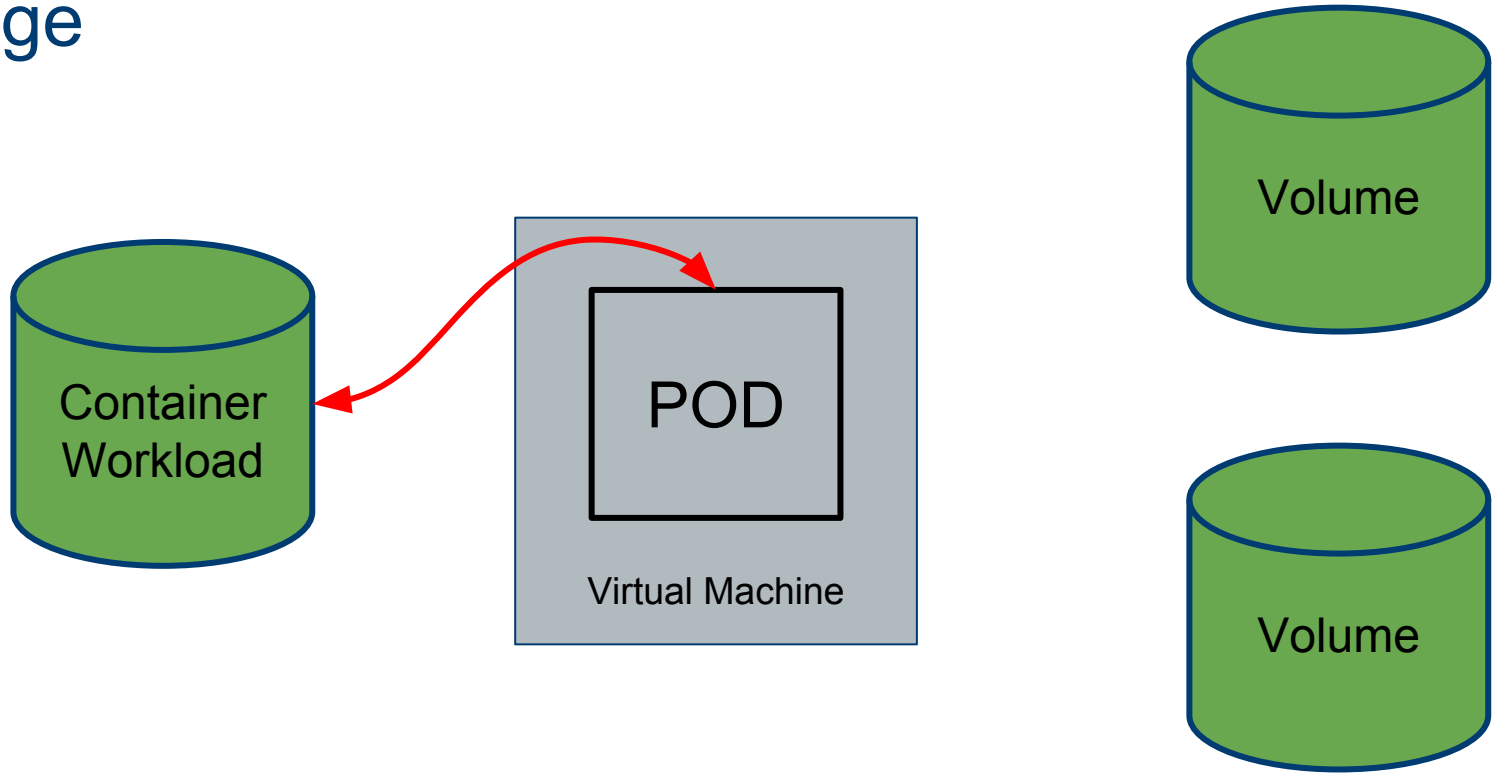
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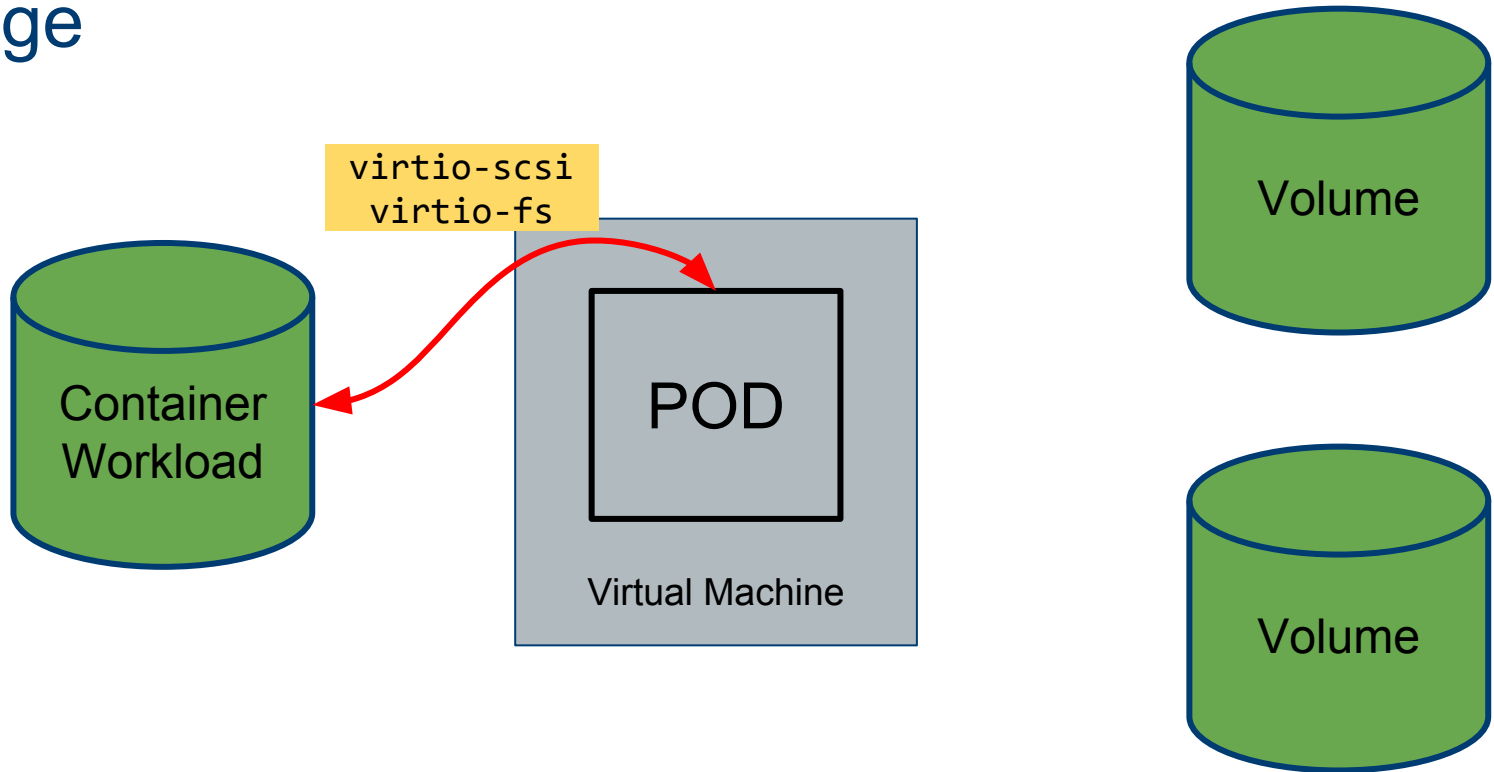
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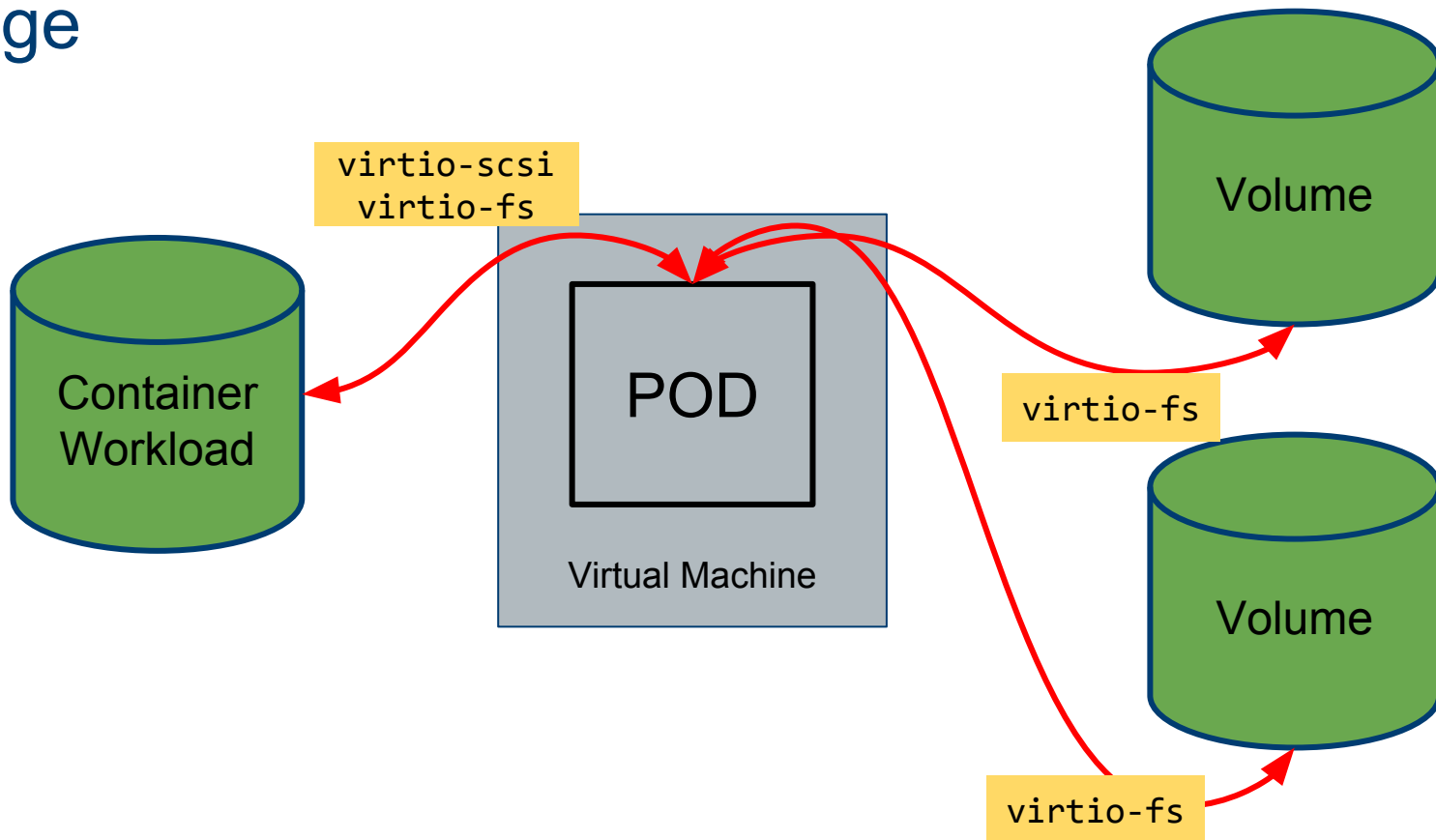
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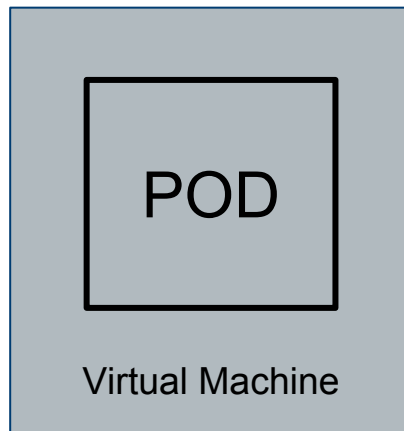
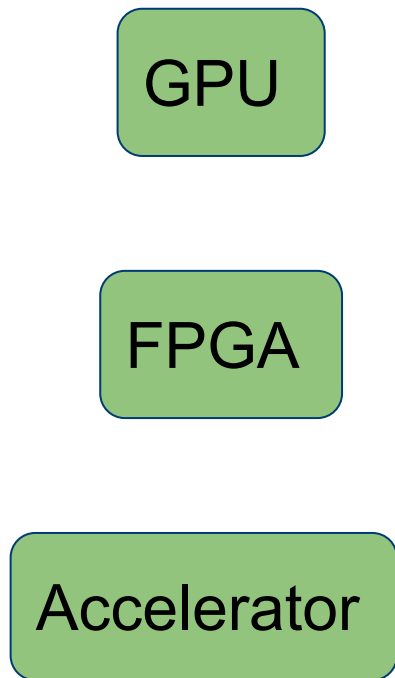
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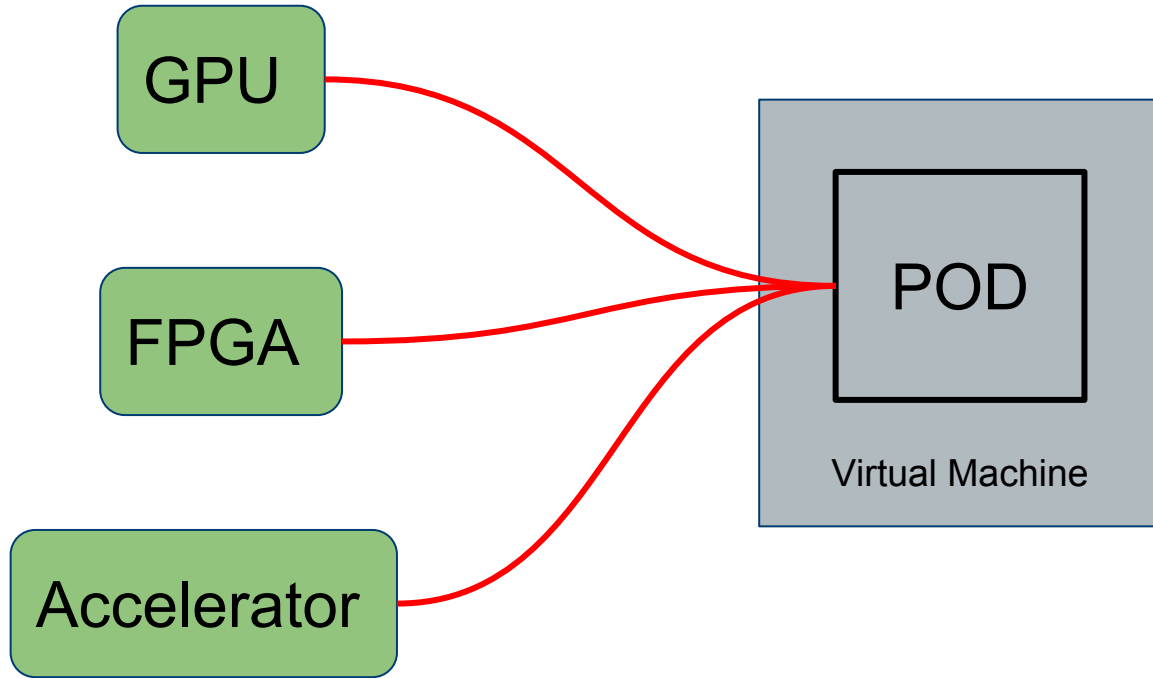
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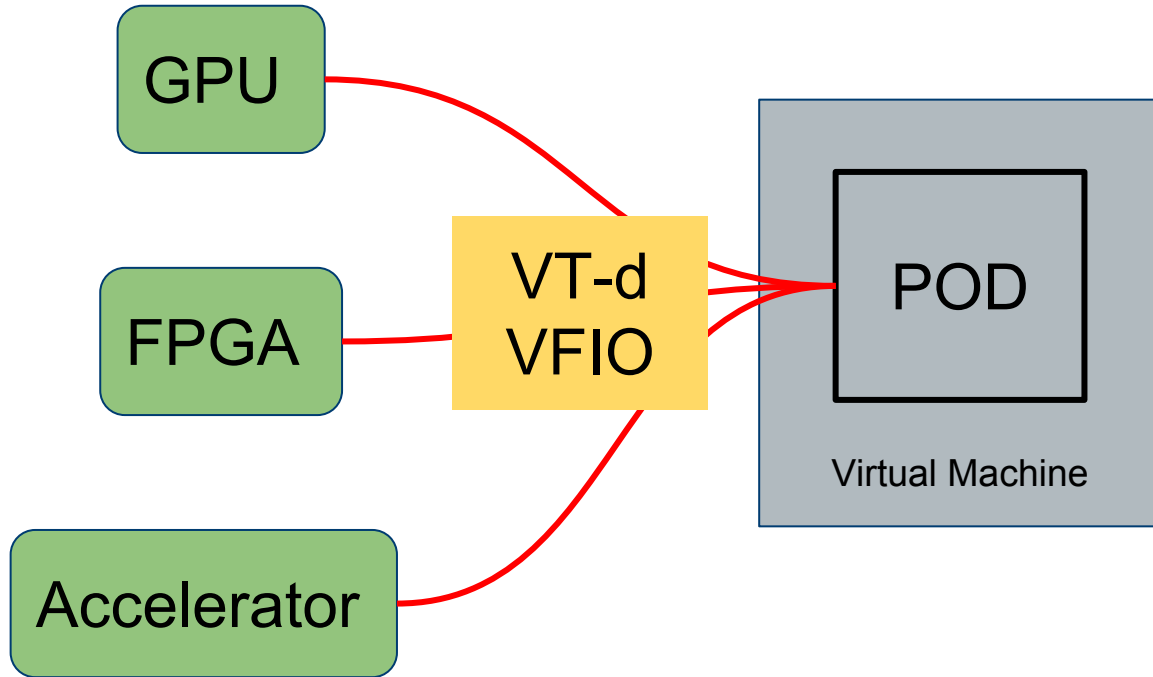
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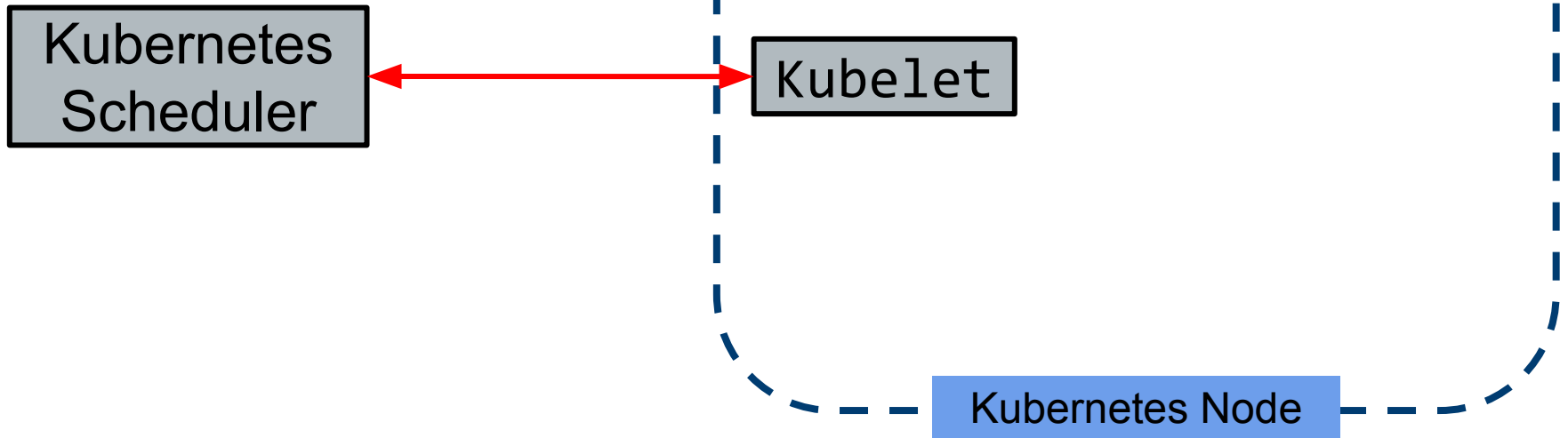
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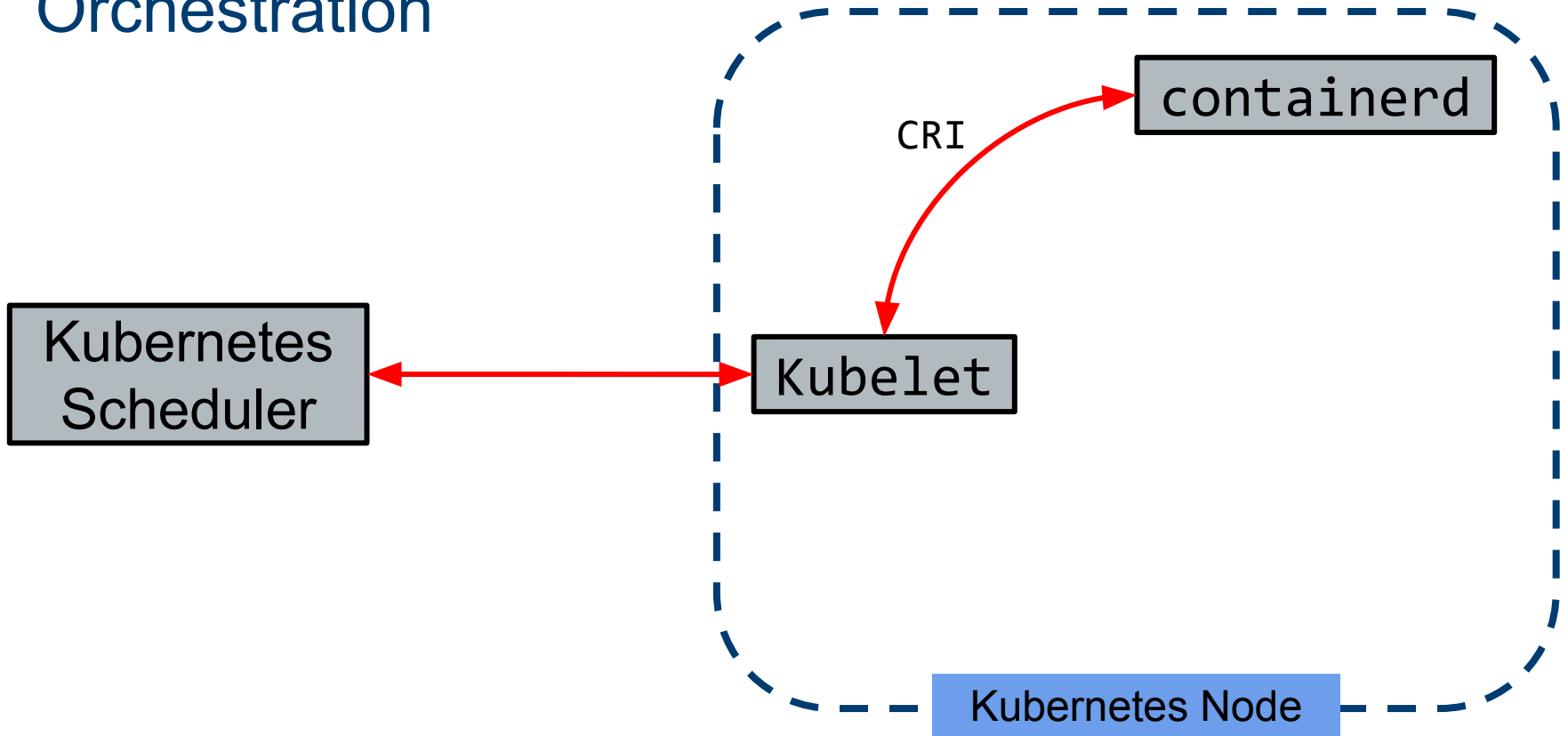
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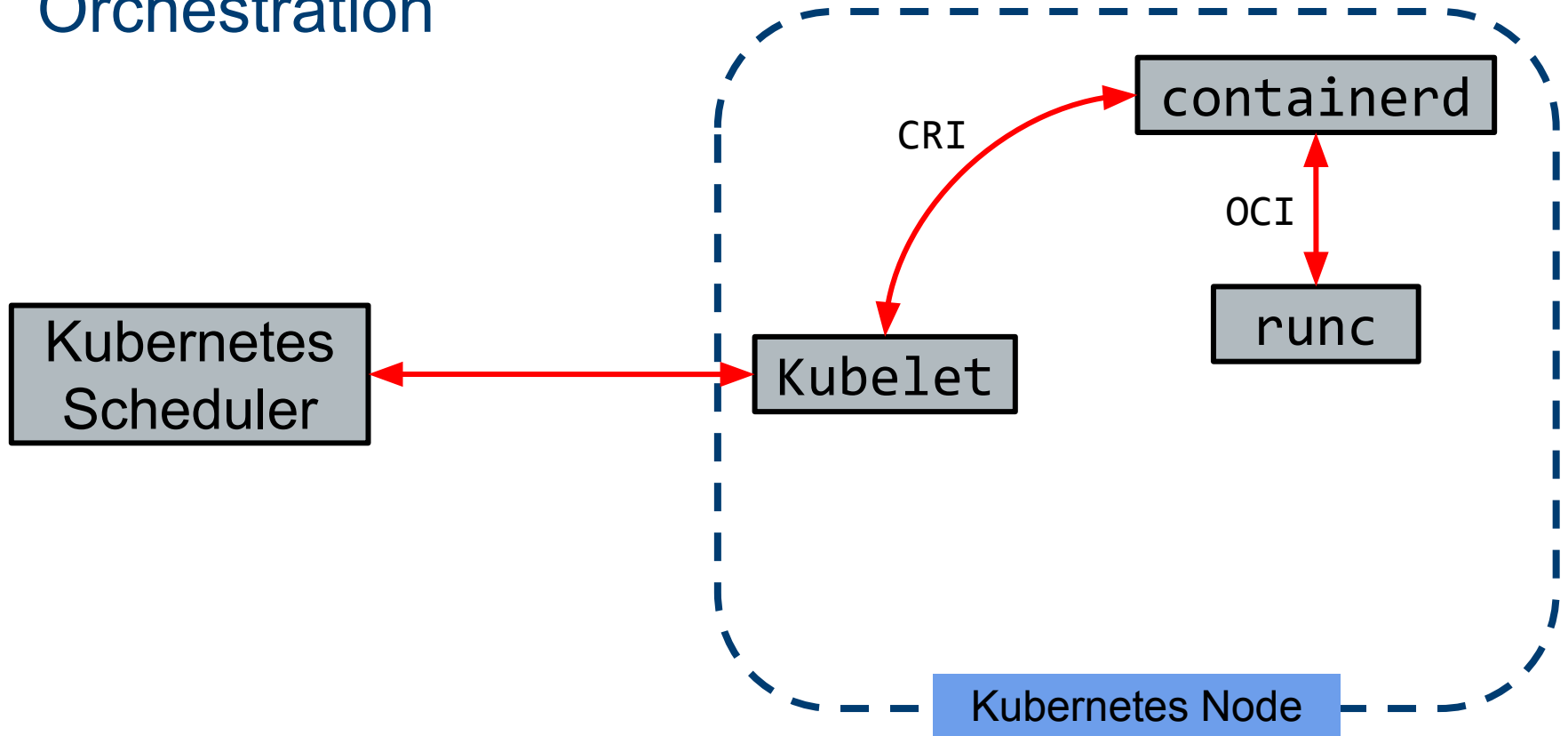
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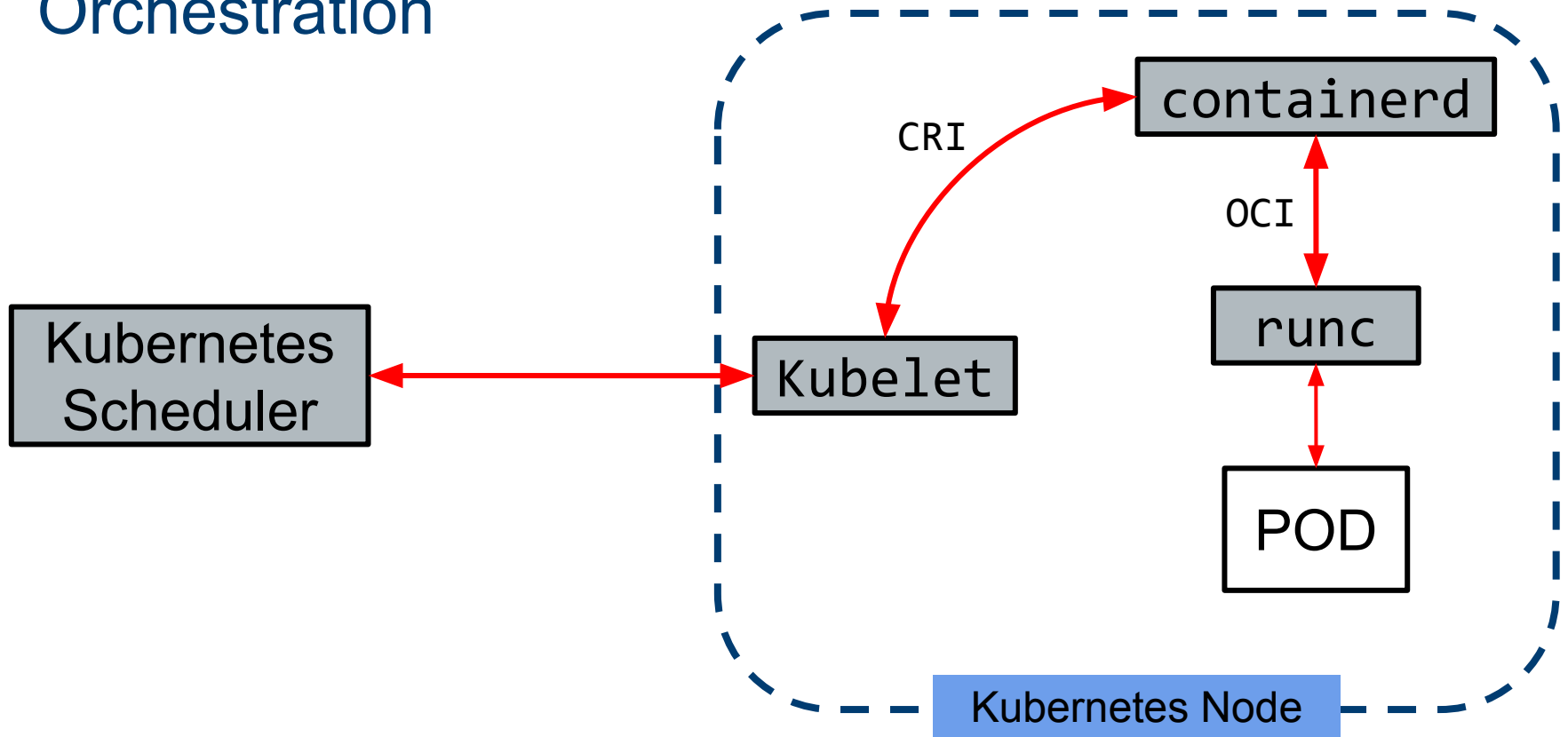
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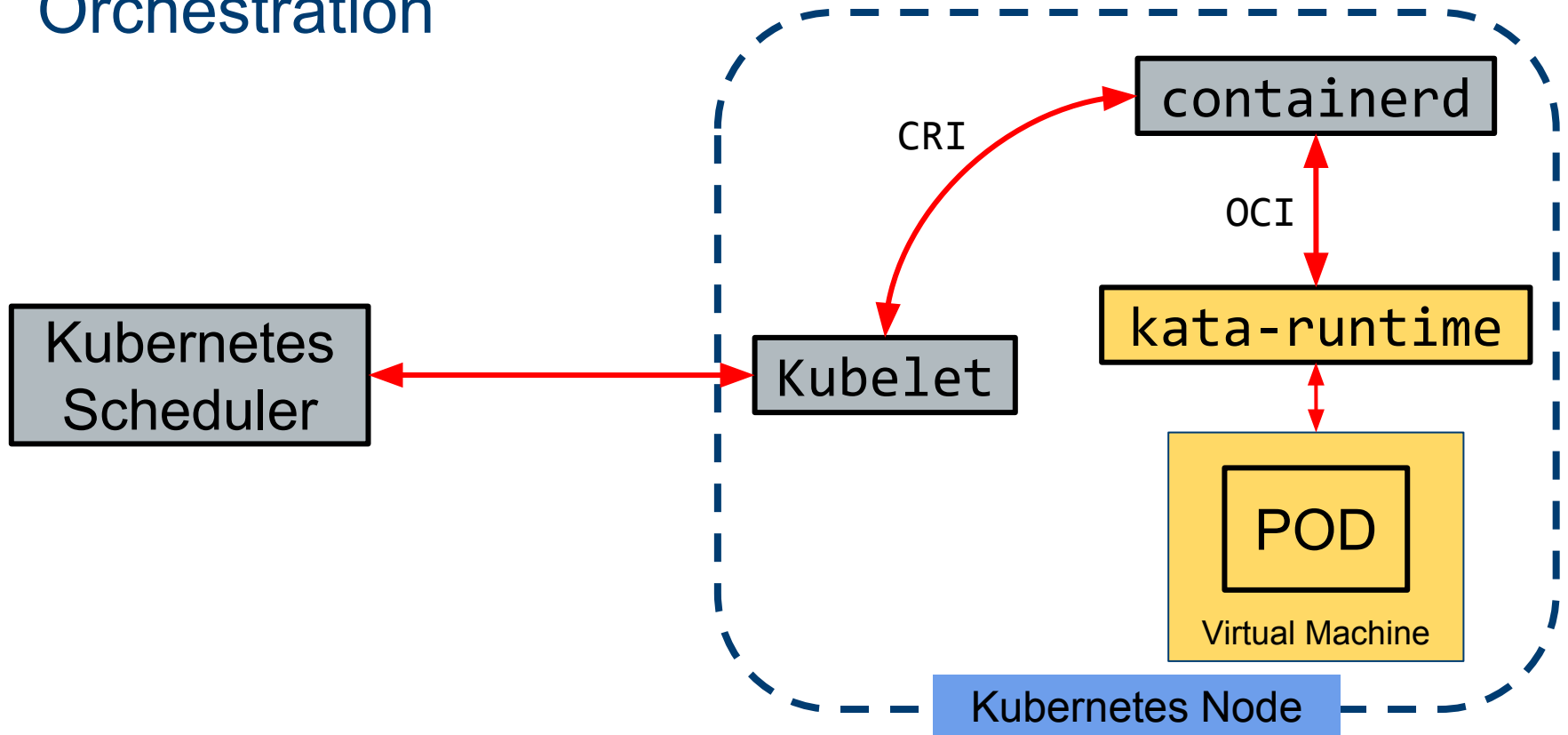
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What is it for?

Where does Kata make sense?

Regulated and sensitive production environments

Bare metal infrastructure

Mixed level of trusts

Specific kernel/OS dependencies

OS dependencies

Always run on top of a specified kernel

Always run on top of a specified rootfs

Complete decoupling from host specifications

Container as a Service (CaaS)

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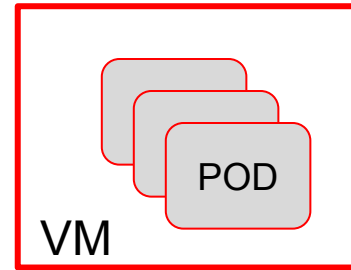
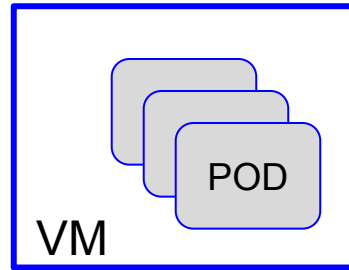
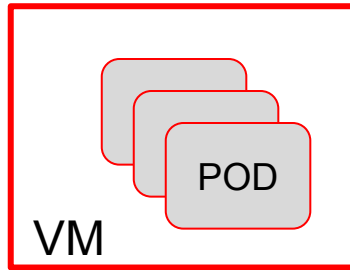
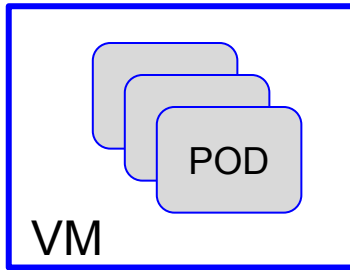
Multi-tenant

Untrusted workloads

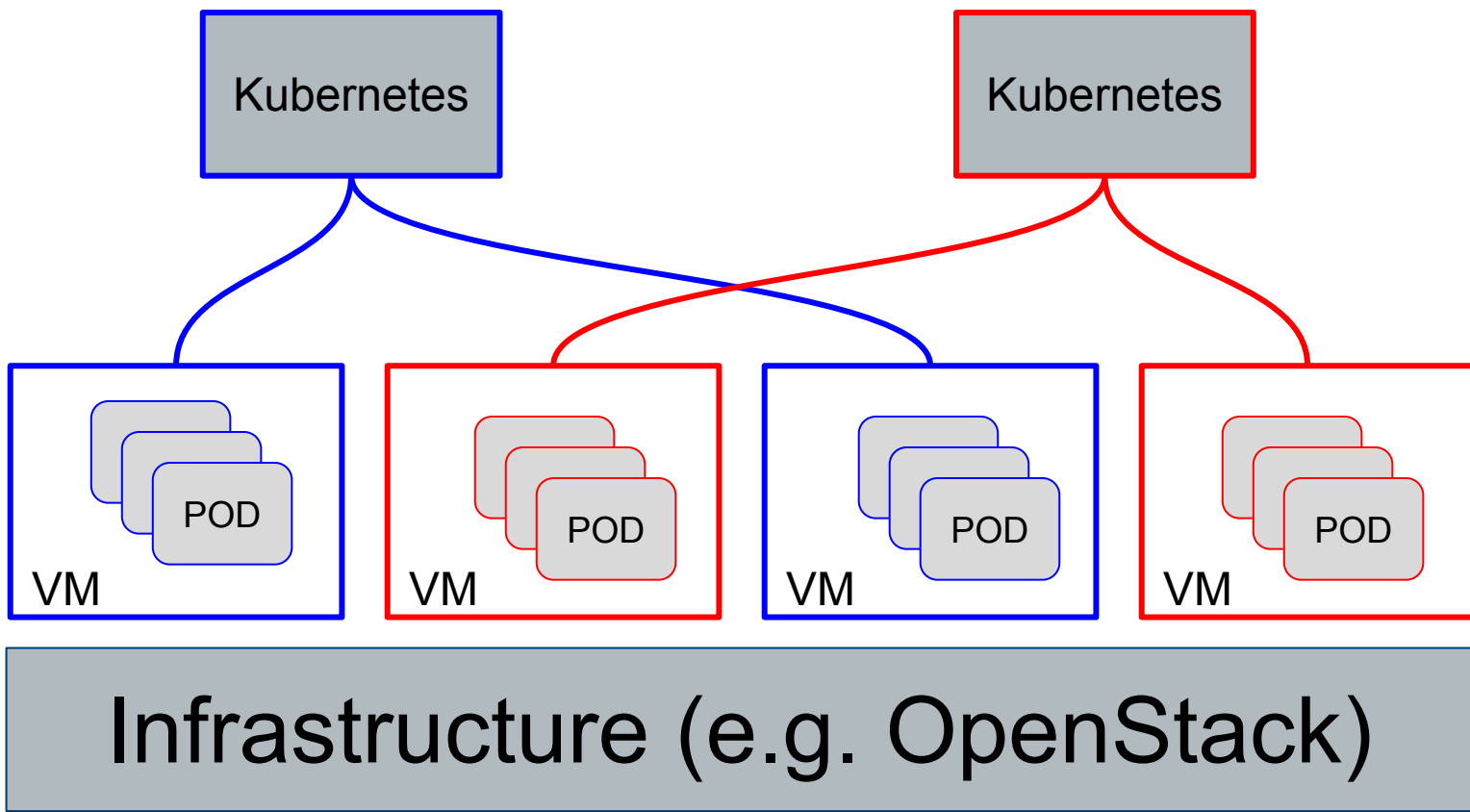
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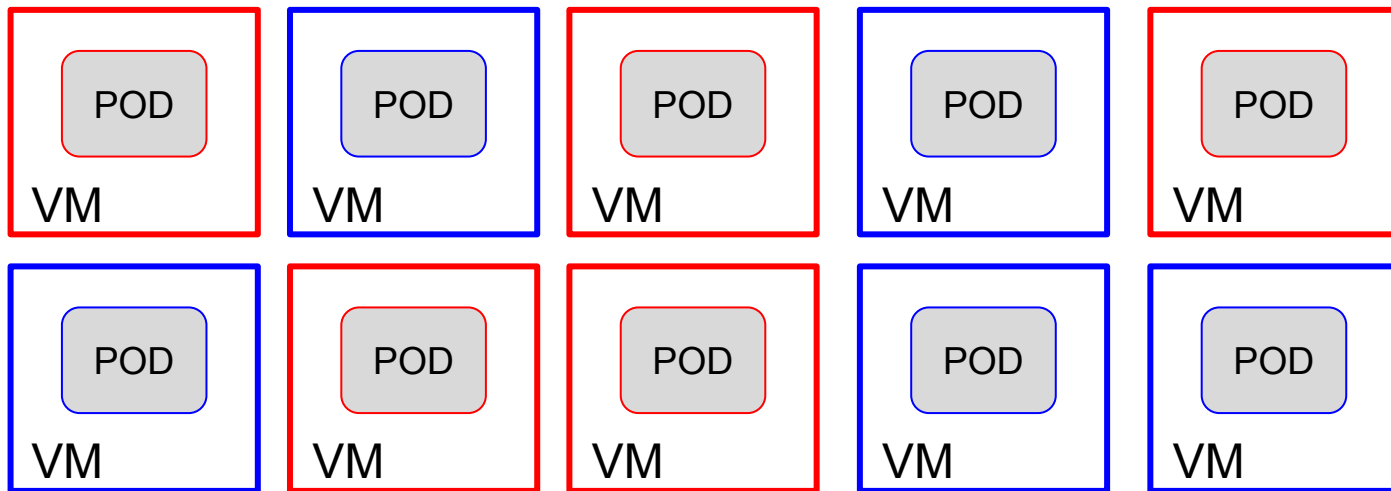
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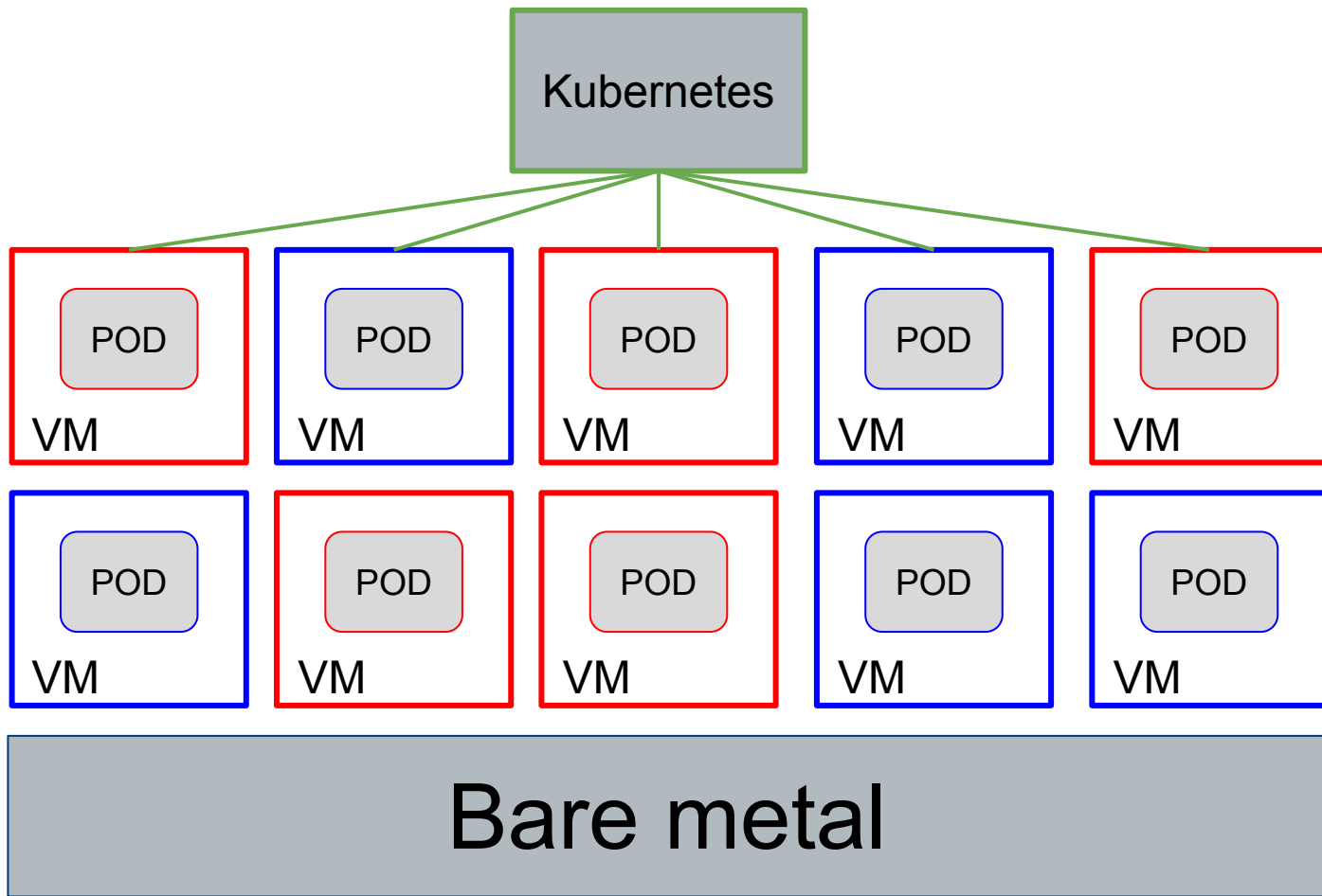
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Who is running it?

Open Source

Open Governance

OpenStack Foundation Umbrella

Committee: Google, Huawei, Hyper, Intel,
Microsoft

Contributors: AMD, ARM, IBM, Nvidia,
RedHat, Suse, etc

Latest: Kata 1.5

Periodic Releases (1.6-rc1)

Kata 2.0

<https://katacontainers.io>

<https://github.com/kata-containers>

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