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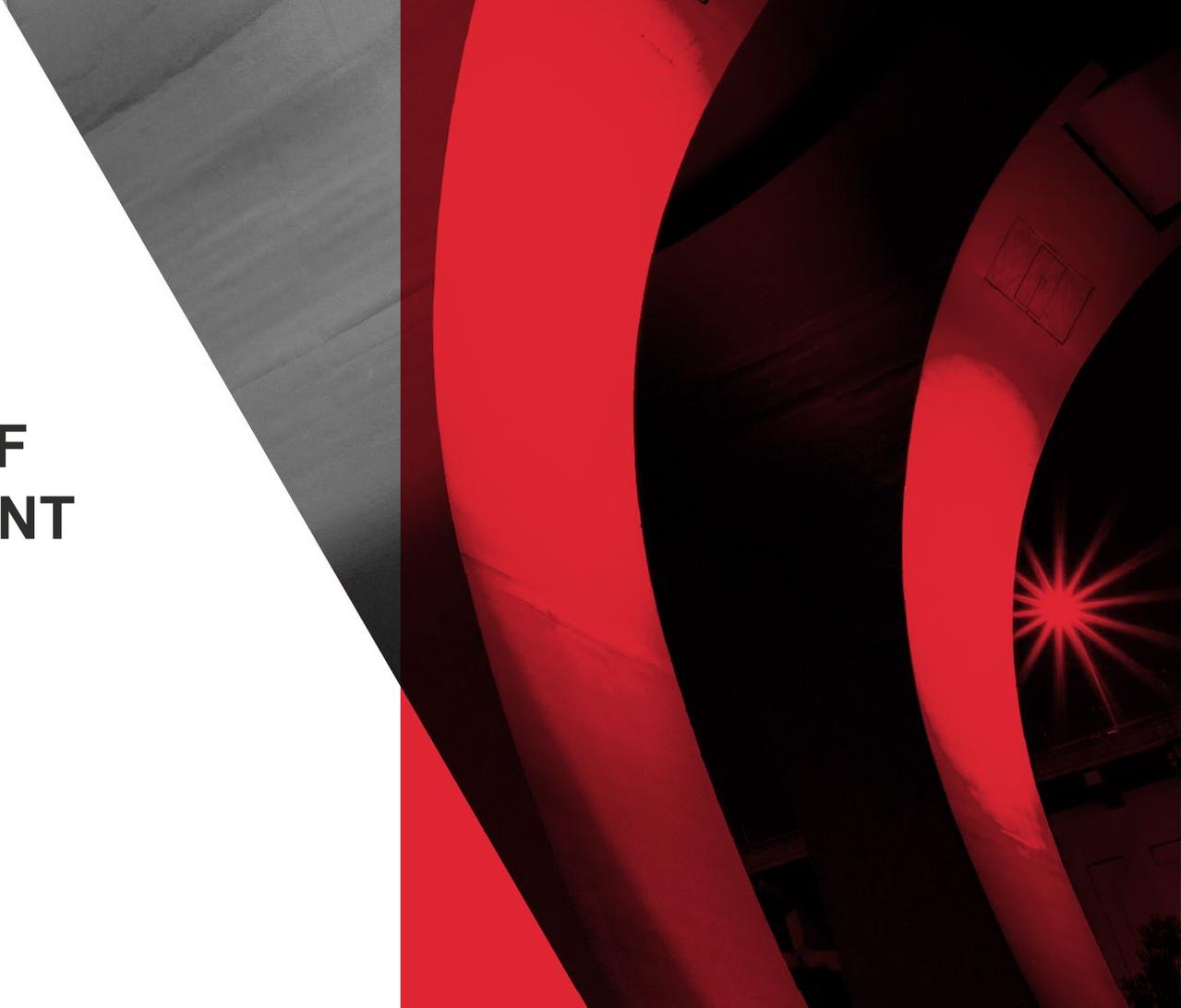
PRESENTATION TITLE:
Modernizing Legacy Architecture

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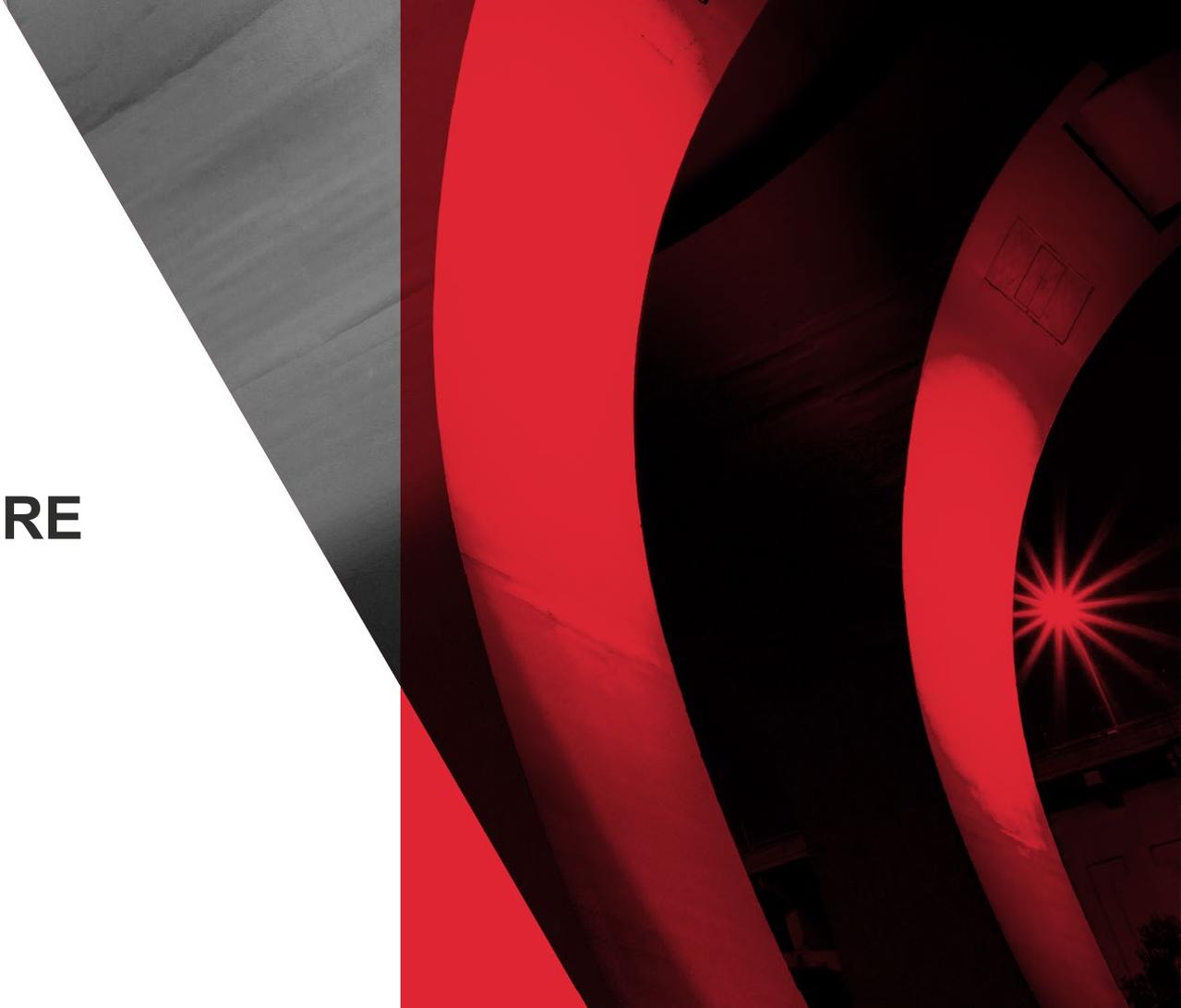
HISTORY OF DEVELOPMENT



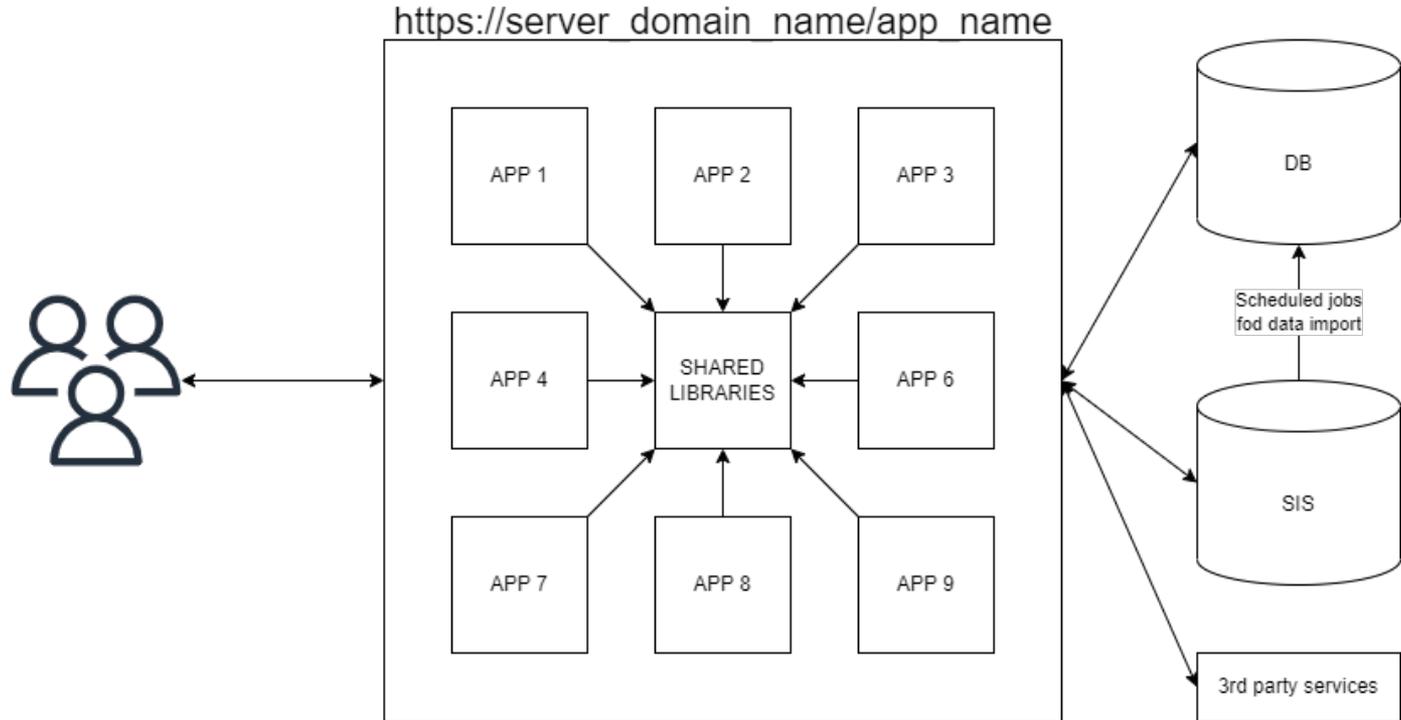
History of development

- 29 separate applications
- Shared code
- PHP and MySQL
- Single server

**OLD
ARCHITECTURE**



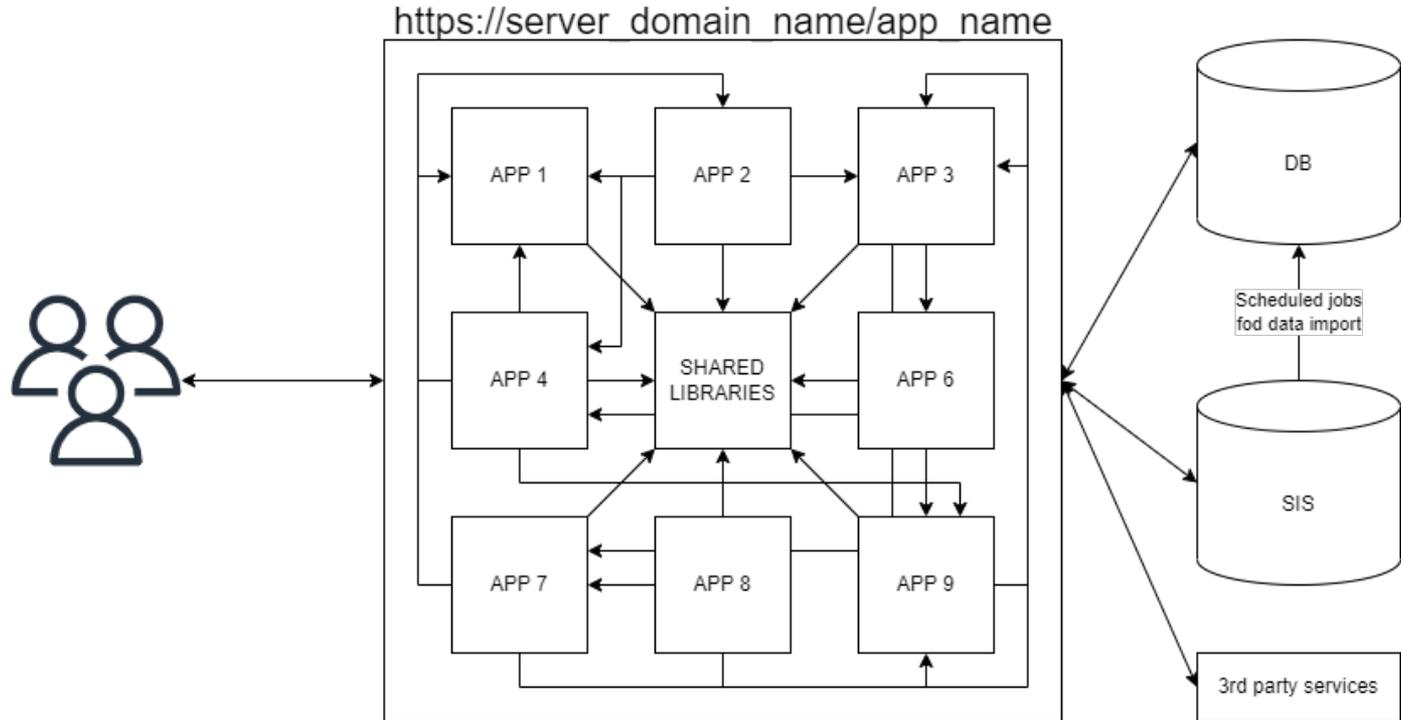
Old architecture - Idea



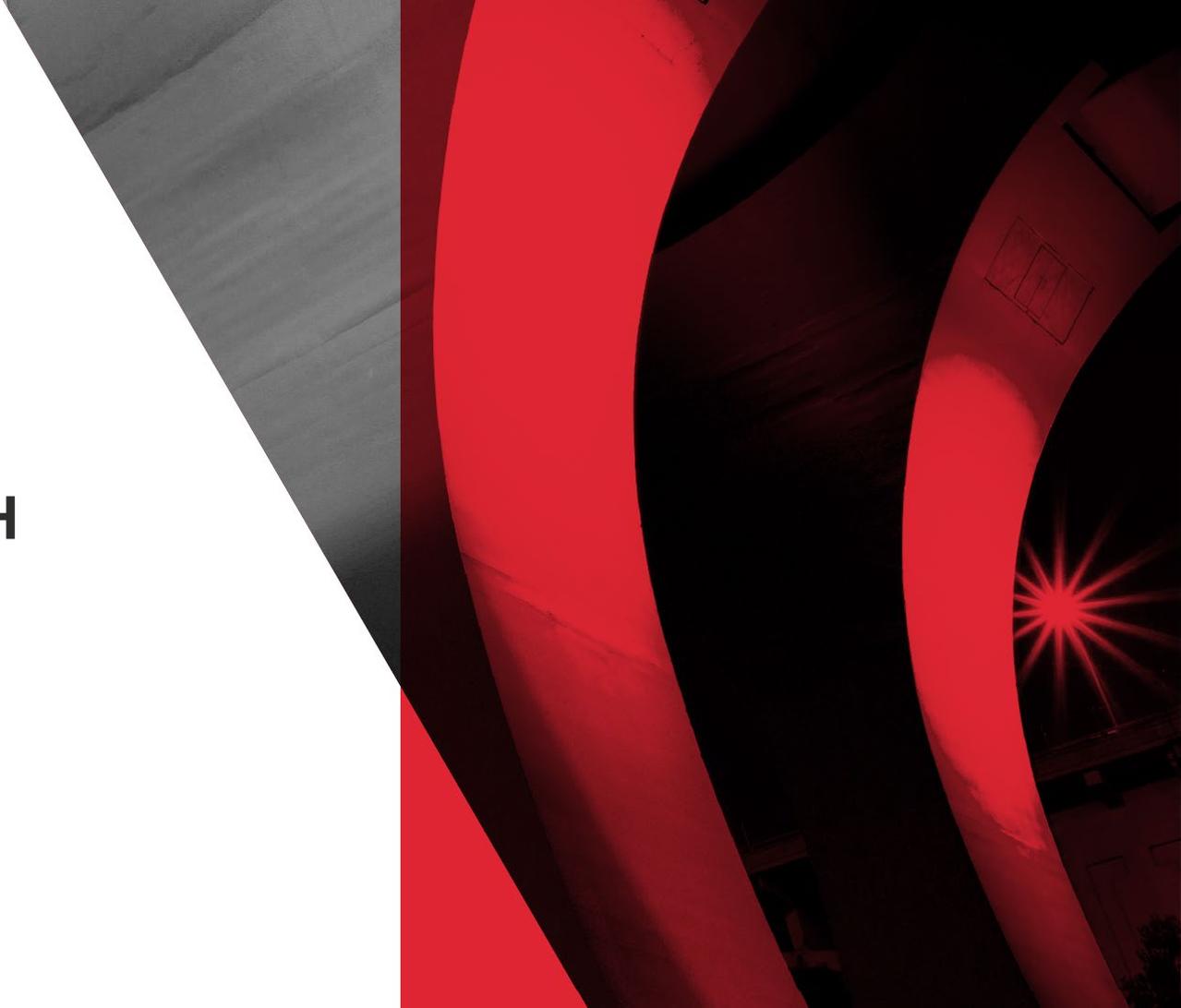
Old architecture – new requirements

- InfoSec vulnerability concerns
- Data becomes outdated often
- New features/Edit existing ones
- Bug fixes

Old architecture – reality (problems)



MODERN APPROACH



Modern approach

- Needed something anyone on the team can support
- Separation of concerns
- Improve security
- Improve resilience
- Improve data consistency
- Become proactive to problems

Modern approach – development choice

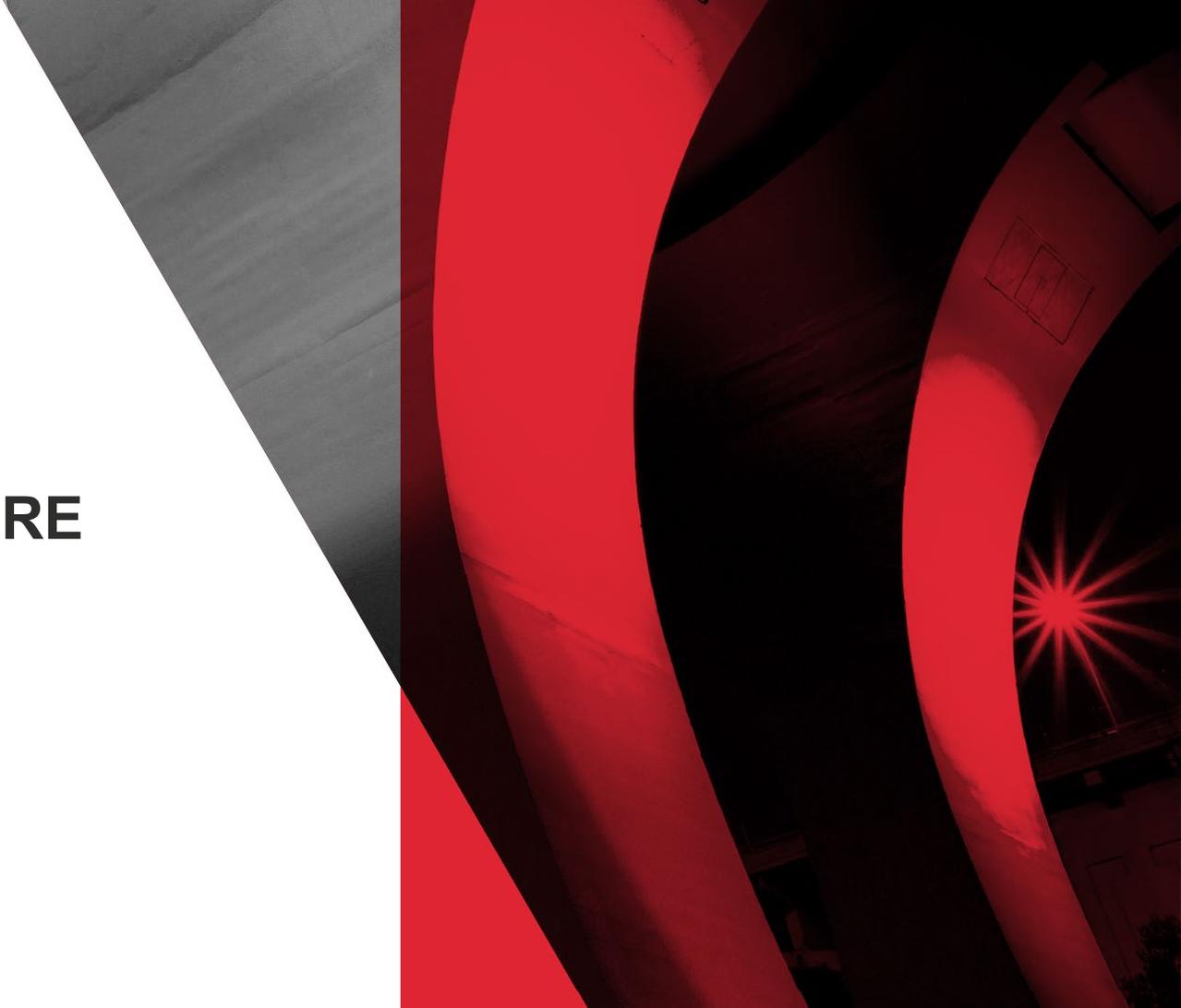
- Change programming language (moved to C#)
- Change database solution (moved to MSSQL)
- Use code-first approach with DB

Modern approach – managed services choice

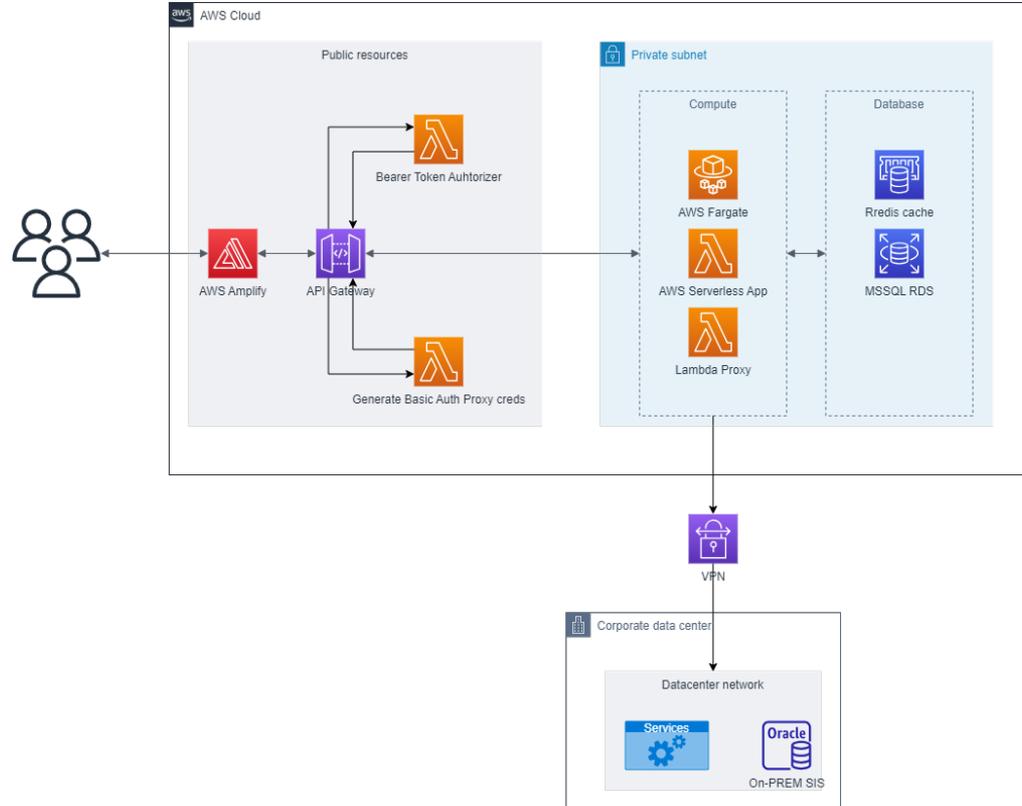
Use as many managed services as possible:

- Databases -> AWS RDS, AWS ElastiCache
- Servers -> AWS Fargate or AWS Lambda
- Security -> Secrets manager, scanning of containers, API Gateway
- Logging -> AWS CloudWatch

**NEW
ARCHITECTURE**



New architecture



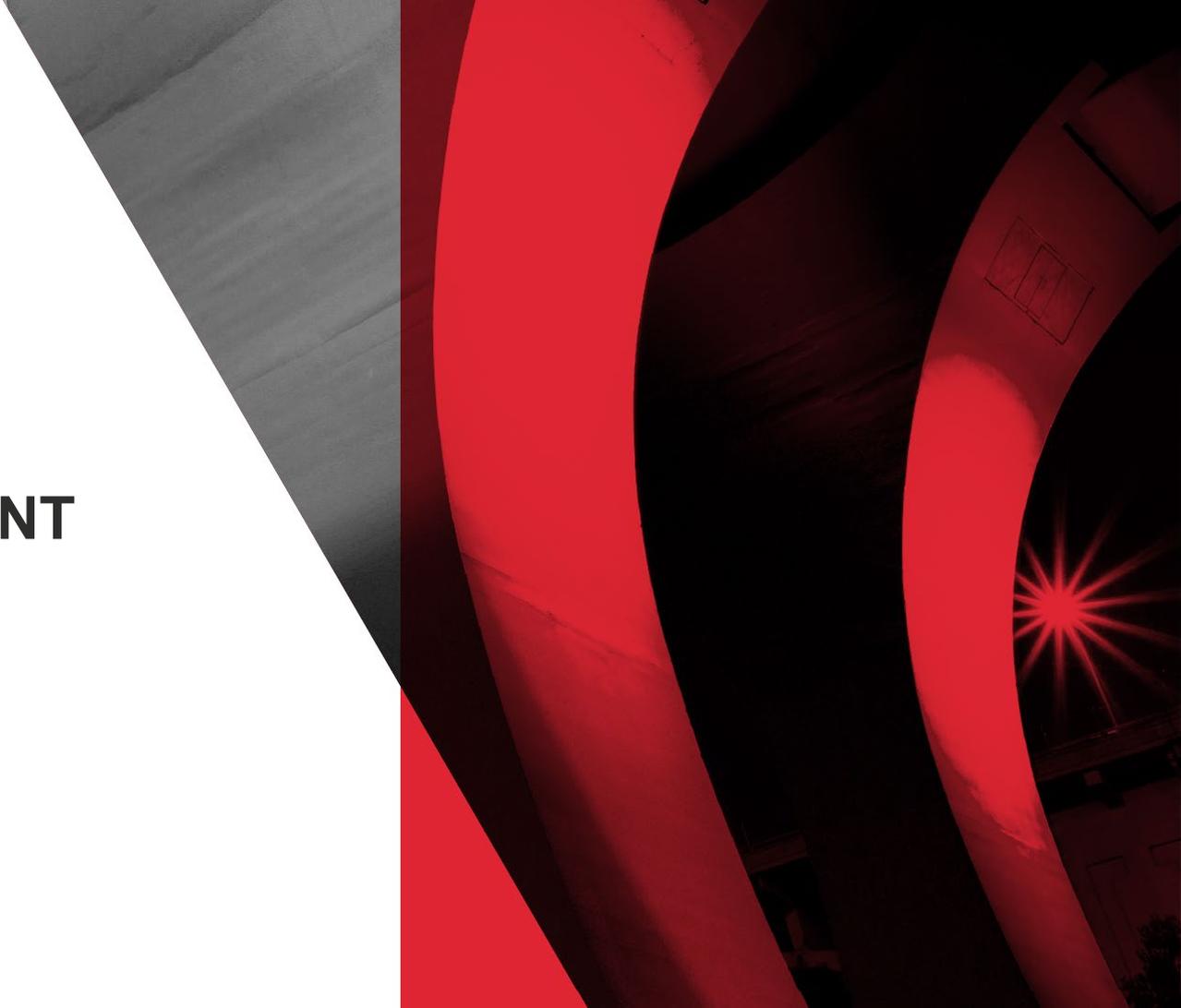
CHALLENGES

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Challenges

- Learning curve
- Performance
- No disruption to users

**FUTURE
DEVELOPMENT**



Future development

- Automate the entire deployment with CI/CD
- Move rest of the apps
- Re-evaluate our infrastructure after 12 months (performance, price, etc.)

QUESTIONS?

