# The Art Of The Possible With z/TPF

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# Background

Kavita Sehgal:

IBM Integrated Supply Chain to IBM CHQ Assignment to work with IBM Corporate Technology Team Offering Manager, IBM Cloud Private on z → OpenShift and Cloud Native on Linux on Z Program Director, Hybrid Cloud on IBM Z & LinuxONE Lead

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# IBM Hybrid multicloud Strategy





# Hybrid Multicloud with IBM Z

# THE VISION

For IBM Z to be a widely available and vibrant choice of platform in your hybrid multicloud world

# THE MISSION

To provide a cloud native developer experience for IBM Z that is consistent and familiar to all developers

### **THE Motivation**

Optimize investment and create repeatable, streamlined processes leveraging hybrid cloud on IBM Z PaaS cloud native experience via Red Hat OpenShift

Enterprise DevOps

Shift-left operations

Containerization



# Evolution of containers -> k8s -> OpenShift

- Containers have been around for 20+ years the Linux/BSD kernel
- Docker popularized containers in 2013
- Google deploys 2B containers per week across its work wide data centers
- Google used Borg (2003) -> Omega (2013) -> introduced Kubernetes (2014)
- OpenShift (2011) -> OpenShift + Docker (2013) -> OpenShift v3 +k8s (2014) -> OCP v4 (2019)
- OpenShift on IBM Z (2020)

OpenShift 4.5 now available on IBM Z

pen hif Multi-Cluster, Full Stack, Autonomous, Secure



#### Red Hat is supporting OpenShift 4.5 on Z



#### Cloud.redhat.com

- Install new clusters
- View capacity

#### **OpenShift (k8s)**

- Full-stack auto install (Master & Nodes)
- Zero-downtime full-stack updates
- Full-stack configure K8S and CoreOS
- Auto-scale cluster nodes

#### **Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS**

- Secure, immutable container OS
- RHEL 8 kernel and core libraries
- Autonomous updates & config

#### Bare Metal, VW, Private, Public Cloud

#### Our vision for enterprise wide move to production



#### What's changing:

- On-demand test systems using OpenShift + ZD&T
- Automation of ZD&T/VPARS via cloud native tooling

# Ansible

- Part of OpenShift
- Configuration management tool
- Agentless  $\rightarrow$  SSH + Python
- Customize using "playbooks"
- De facto standard for software deployment automation on Linux
- Re-use z/TPF REST APIs for automation to load applications



# z/OS Cloud Broker Self Service Catalog



z/OS Cloud Broker provides a self-service catalog for developers and sysprogs based on OpenShift

**DevOps** Providing access to IBM Z resources to all flavors of application developers leveraging open standards and tools. i.e. common cloud marketplace.

**Service Provider** Centralization and automation of IBM Z operations to provide Z resources to agencies or clients in a self-service model.

**Multi-Cloud Service Integration** Providing a unified experience for IBM Z cloud services across private cloud and public cloud.

# Hybrid Multicloud with OpenShift and Cloud Pack for MCM

**Open Shift master + Cloud Pak for Multicloud Management** 



# Demo:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8uZZz8686Kg

Self service provisioning of a unit test environment

# Vision : z/TPF environment for dev/test

### ZD&T based

Pros:

• Flexibility (runs on commodity h/w)

Cons:

- Performance
- Scale

### **VPARS** based

Pros:

- Performance
- Clustered Testing

Cons:

• Requires native Z H/W

Use case "As a developer, how can I allocate and bring up a test system and build, load, and run automated tests for my project"



# Vision : z/TPF Automation

- Deploys applications over existing environment (C++/Java/HLASM)
- Allows automation of common tasks/services
- Provisioning/de-provisioning business logic and data schema
- Integrates with security model
- Open Standards Compliant (Open Service Broker Specification)
- REST/JSON communication model
- Implementation:
  - z/TPF specific Ansible Playbook
  - Kubernetes Operator for controlling the playbook

e.g. bring z/TPF to a specific state. Load and activate Aug  $14^{th}$  loadsets.



Enterprise wide system monitoring

# **Vision : Cloud Native Monitoring**

Use case "As a Sys Prog, how do I integrate management of my z/TPF system into my cloud management system."

Use case "As a coverage programmer/help desk, how do I get end to end latency metrics"



- Logging → ELK/Splunk
- Monitoring → Grafana
- Metering → integrate with OCP
- Push based mechanism



# Vision : z/TPF Unit Testing in the public cloud

z/TPF unit testing in the public cloud via ZD&T on OpenShift



Option to run on Hyper Protect Services\* for sensitive workloads Out of box compliance with PCI-DSS, SOC2, HIPAA etc.



What's so special with Hyper Protect Services?





IBM Cloud Hyper Protect Services

### "We will not access your data"

"We cannot access your data"



#### IBM And Bank Of America Are Developing A Financial Services-Ready Public Cloud



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Putting it all together..



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### **Call for Sponsor Users**

- Will be looking for Sponsor Users to assist in detailing use cases around the developer experience as well as operations for z/TPF
- For more information or to get involved as a sponsor user, contact
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# Thank You

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