The dark art of container monitoring

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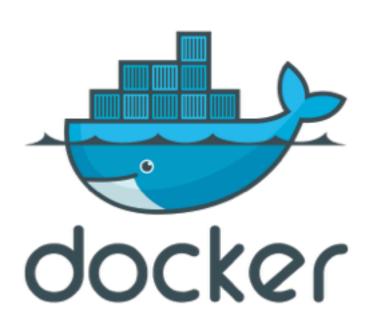
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Containers

- Easy to bundle apps
- Easy to replicate environments
- Bridge from app developers to ops engineers

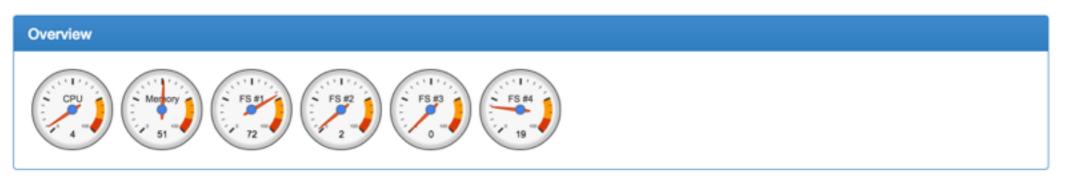


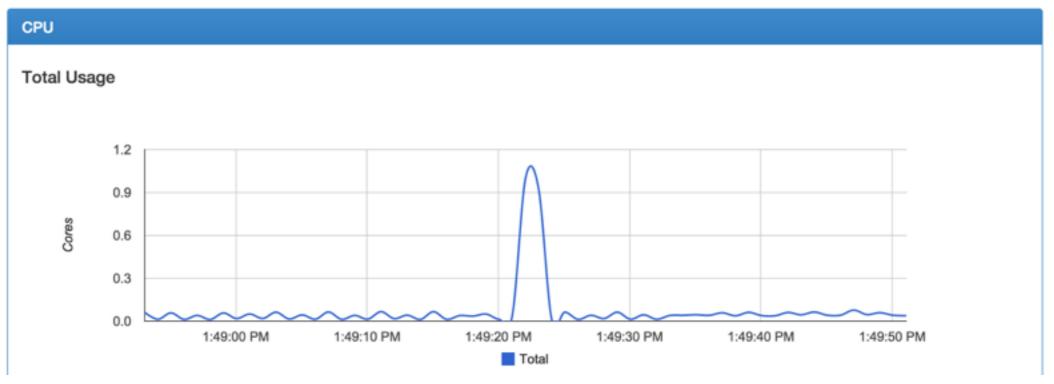
Monitoring

- CPU
- Memory
- Network
- Files

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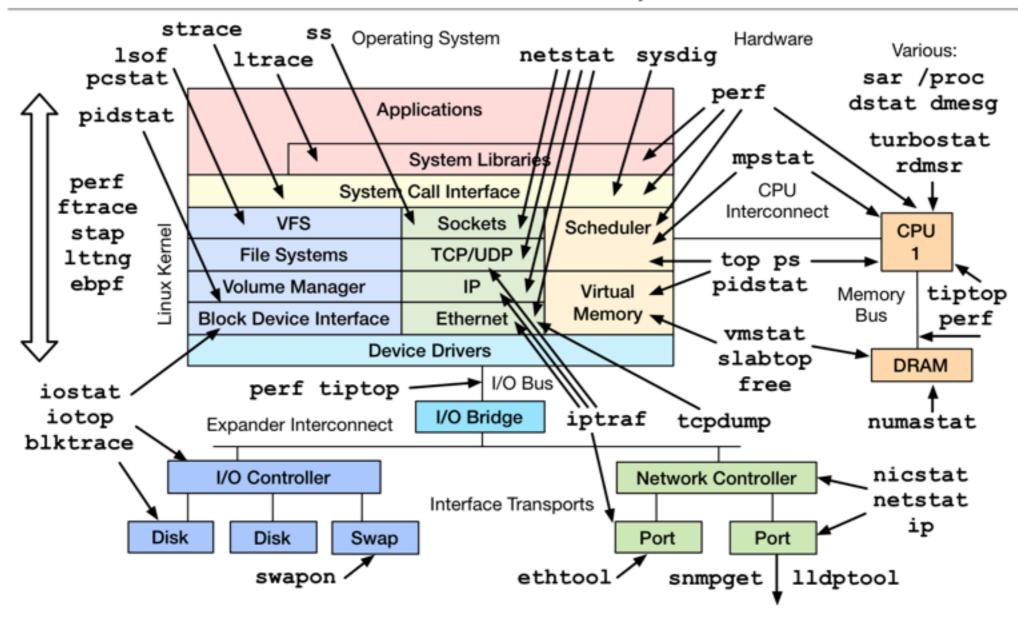
Usage





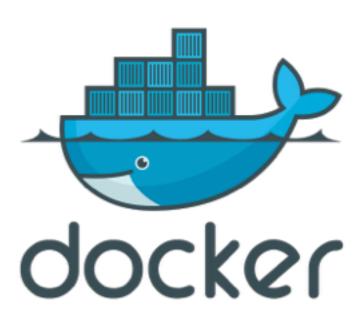
Bit level visibility

Linux Performance Observability Tools



Troubleshooting

- top
- netstat
- tcpdump
- lsof



How they play with containers?

Troubleshooting

Seeing Inside Containers Is Not Easy!

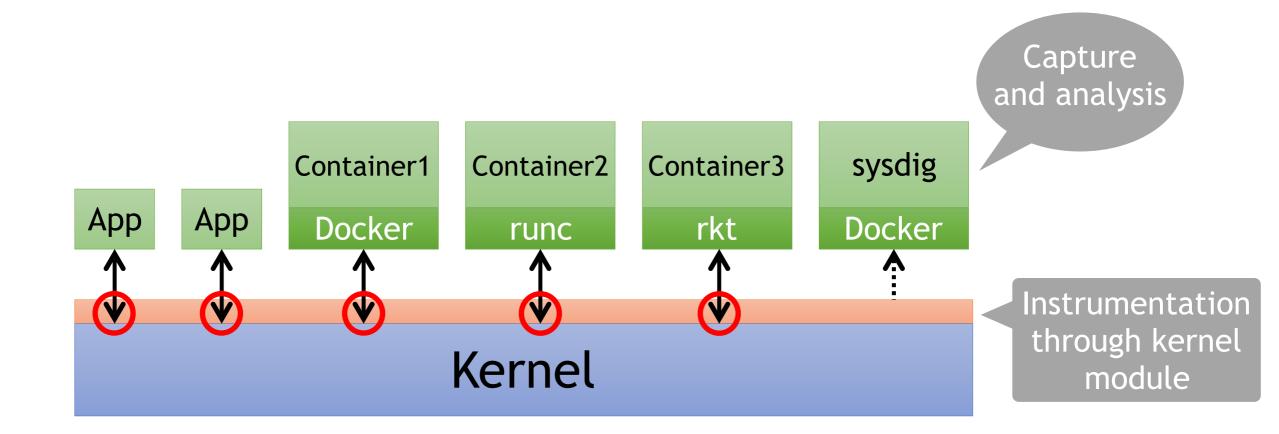
Containers are:

Isolated
Self-Contained
Simple
Lightweight

Can monitoring and troubleshooting play nice with these properties?



sysdig Architecture



sysdig

- Capture system events, filter them, run useful scripts
- strace + tcpdump + lsof + htop + Lua
- Open Source
- Container native

csysdig

- Nice curses interface for sysdig
- A full featured control panel
- Click and explore your system

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Sysdig Cloud

Wrap up

Sysdig fills the gap between traditional monitoring tools and the container ecosystem

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