



CONTINUOUS ARCHITECTURE VALIDATION

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Compuware APM



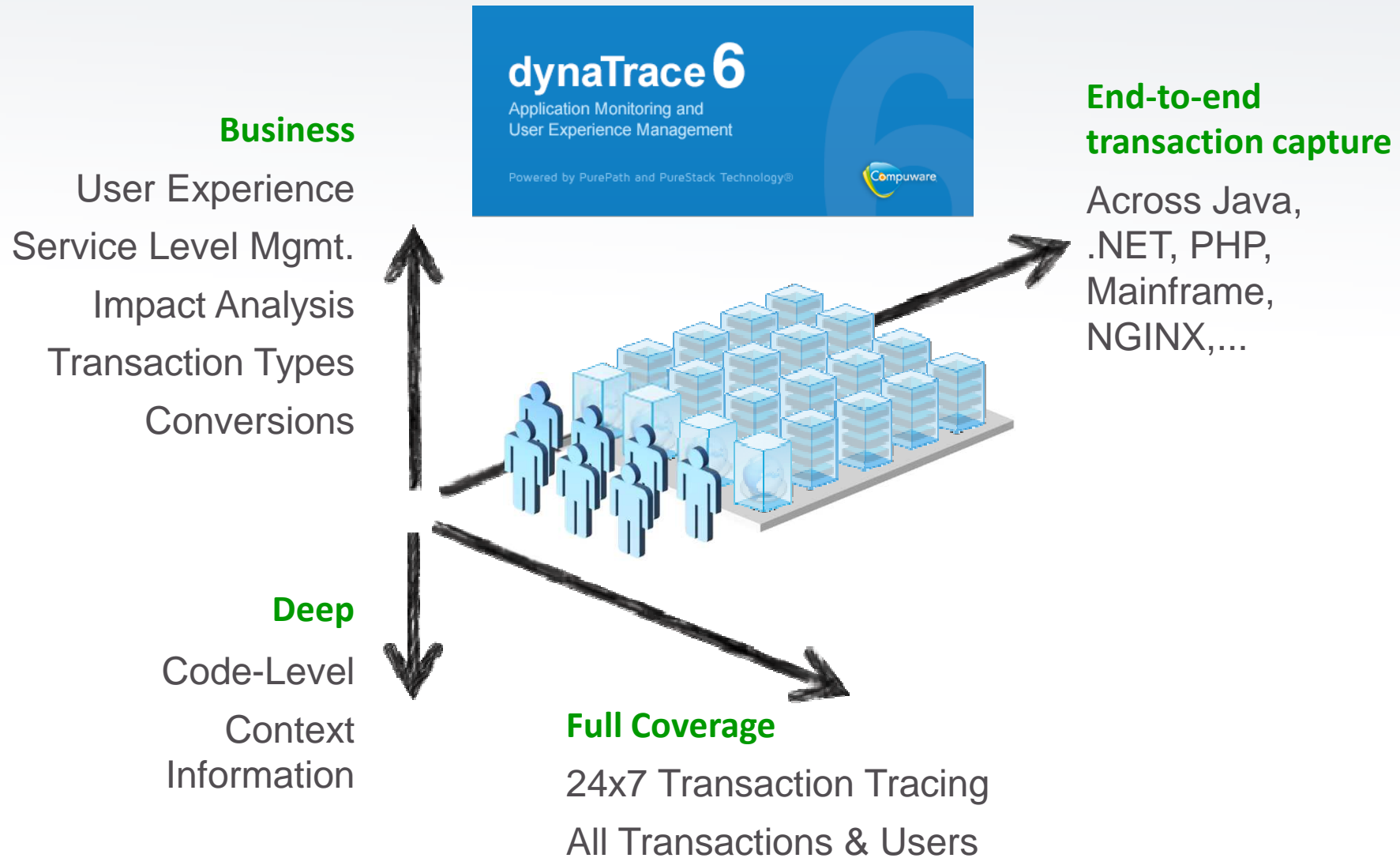
Compuware?



+ **dynaTrace**
software

=  Compuware
APM

What We Do



Why do we care about architectures?



Runtime Application Architecture

...from a performance angle

- » Understand relations and dependencies at runtime
- » Raise awareness for performance impact of architectural problems among developers, testers, operators
- » Help with the identification and resolution of architectural problems
- » How does architecture relate to performance issues?

The Problems We Solve

* I would like to comment about: 

Comments:

I'm looking to drop some serious cash on cookware, but I can't add items to my cart!



Lili Mush @Lili_Mush

@AussieFarmersD do you have an **app**? Using your site on my mobile is ridiculous, **slow** and extremely unresponsive. Very **frustrating!**

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Paulo Portillo @chikkopao

I couldnt get through my instagram account. :(tried to reset the password but the **link** that was sent to my email **doesnt** seem to **work**.

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What We Often See



"I couldn't help but notice your pain."

"My pain?"

"It runs deep. Share it with me!"

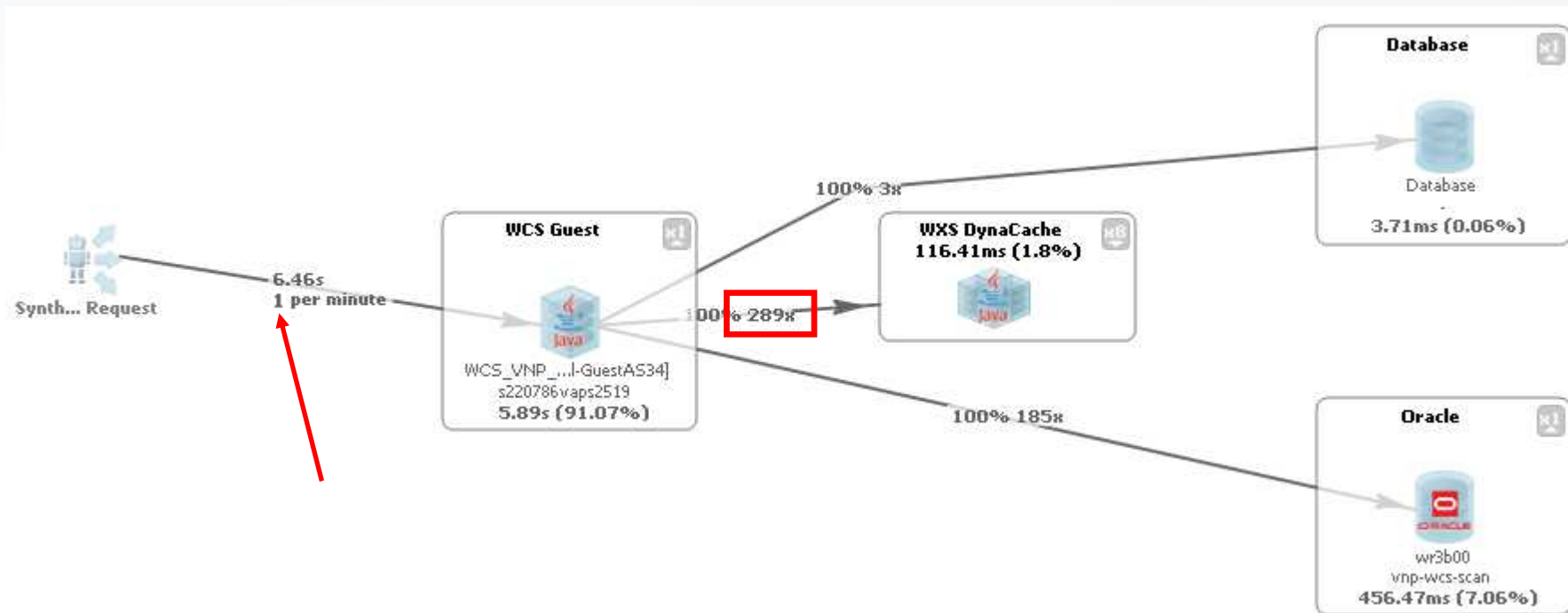
(Star Trek V)

- » Performance is not a band aid you can stick on your application
- » Architecture has enormous influence on performance
- You have to make sure your architecture supports your performance requirements!

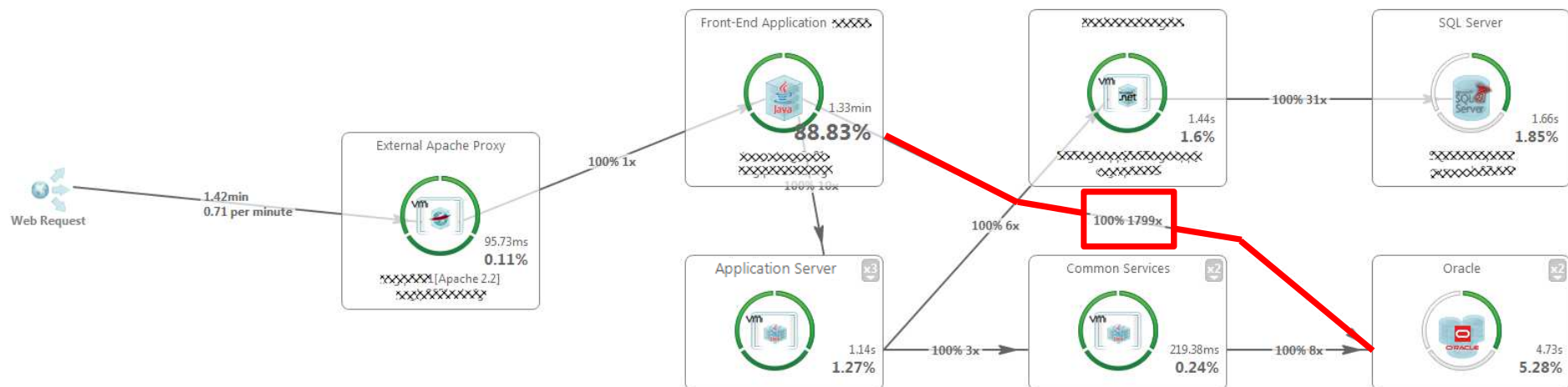
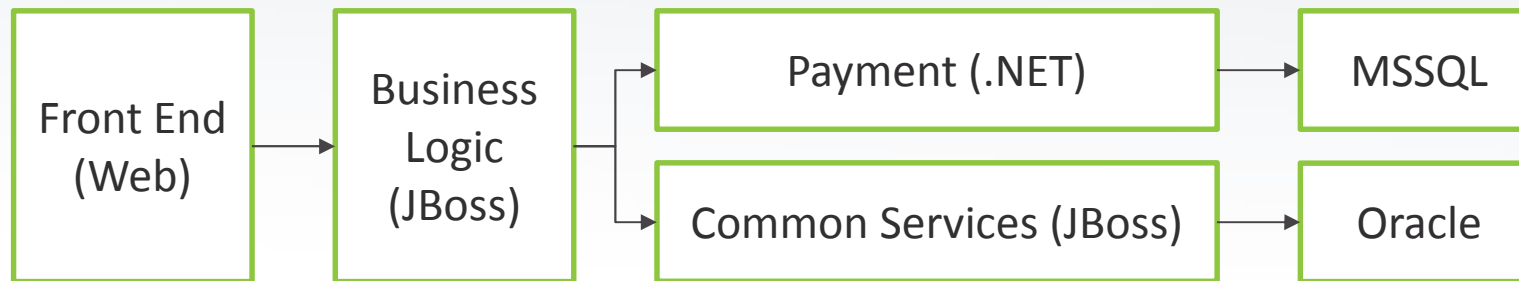


**How does your architecture
become a problem for
performance?**

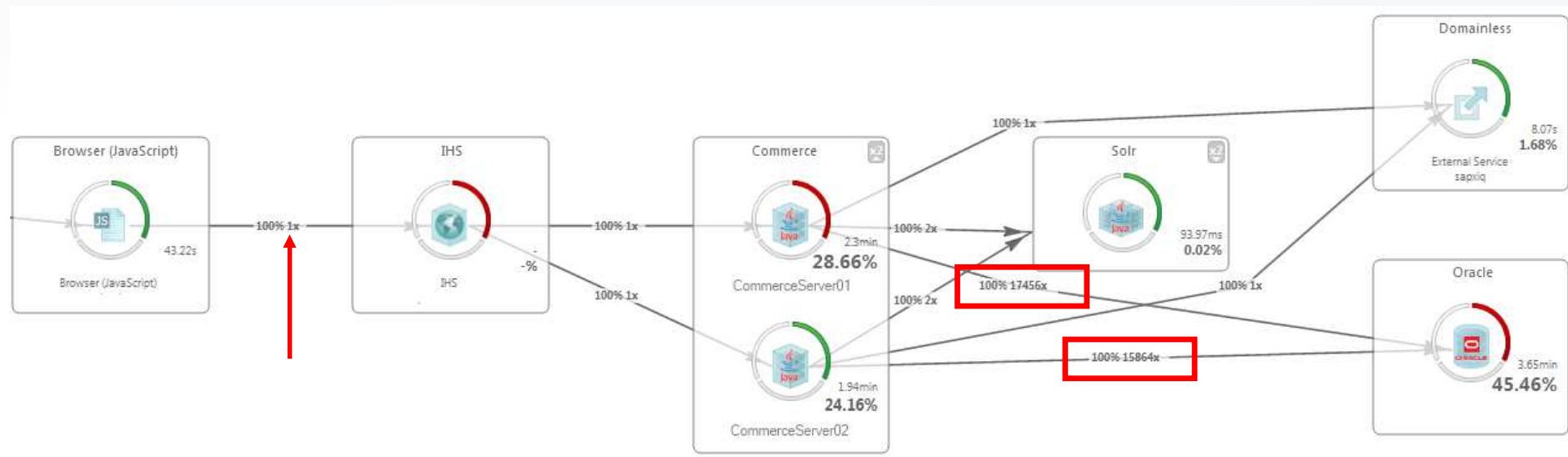
#1: Chatty Components



#2: Implementation Flaws



#3: Too Many Database Calls



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execute()	SELECT v.name AS name, v.value AS value FROM variable v WHERE (name IN (:db_condition_placeholder_0, :db_co...	1.06	io (93.0%)	PDOStatement	Database
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SQL

Execs/calling Tran...

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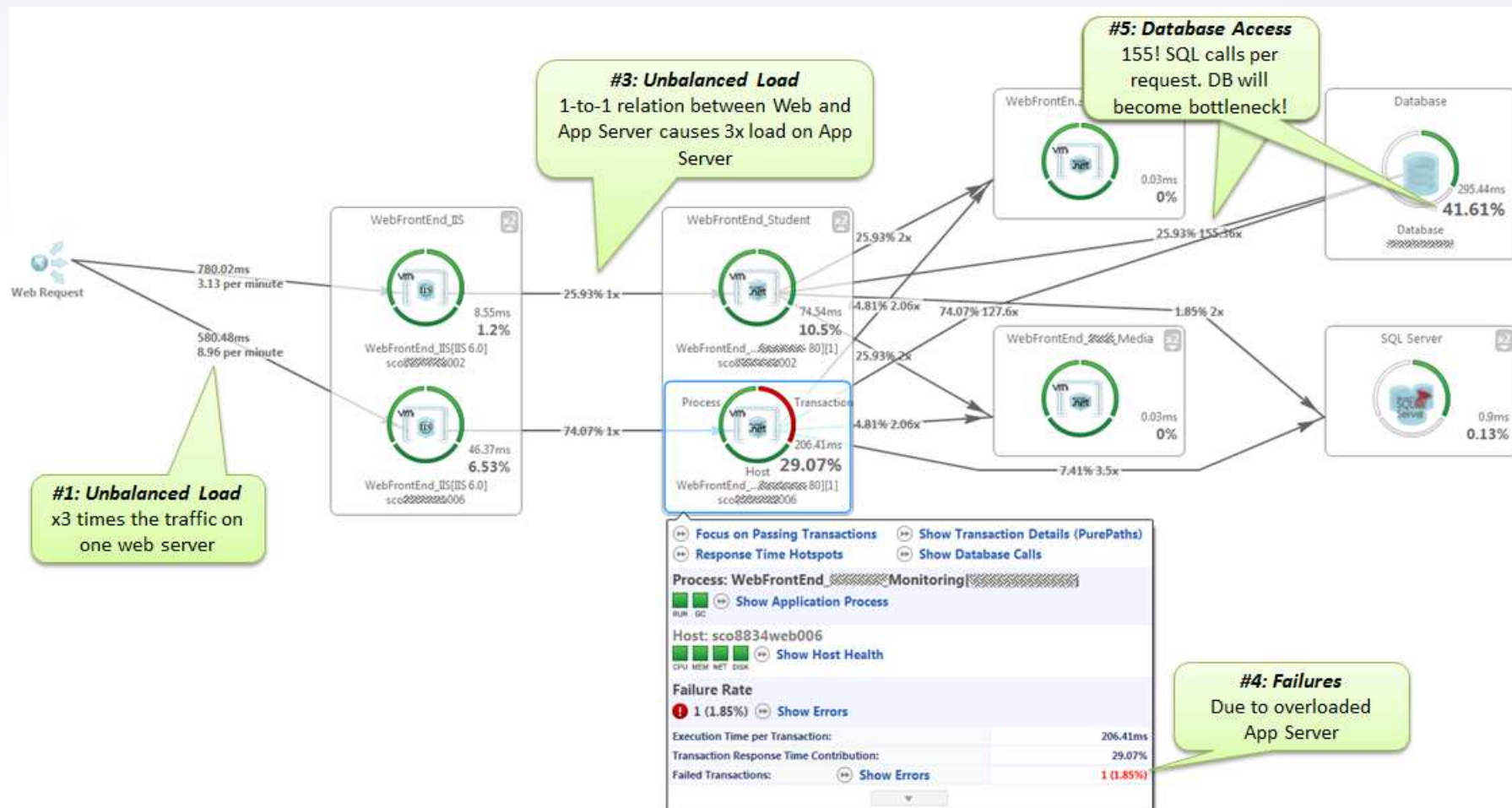
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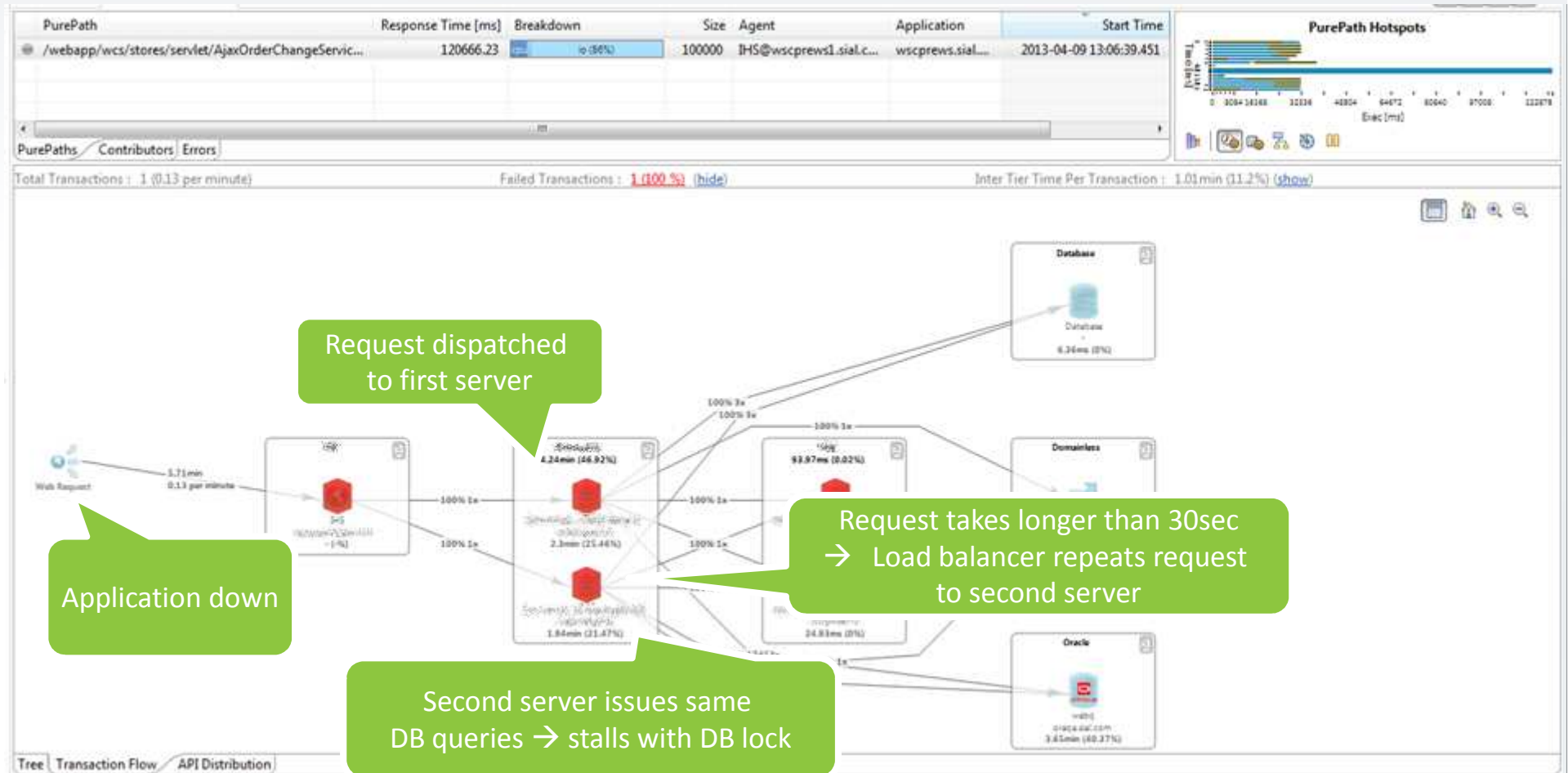
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#4: Architecture affected by Deployment

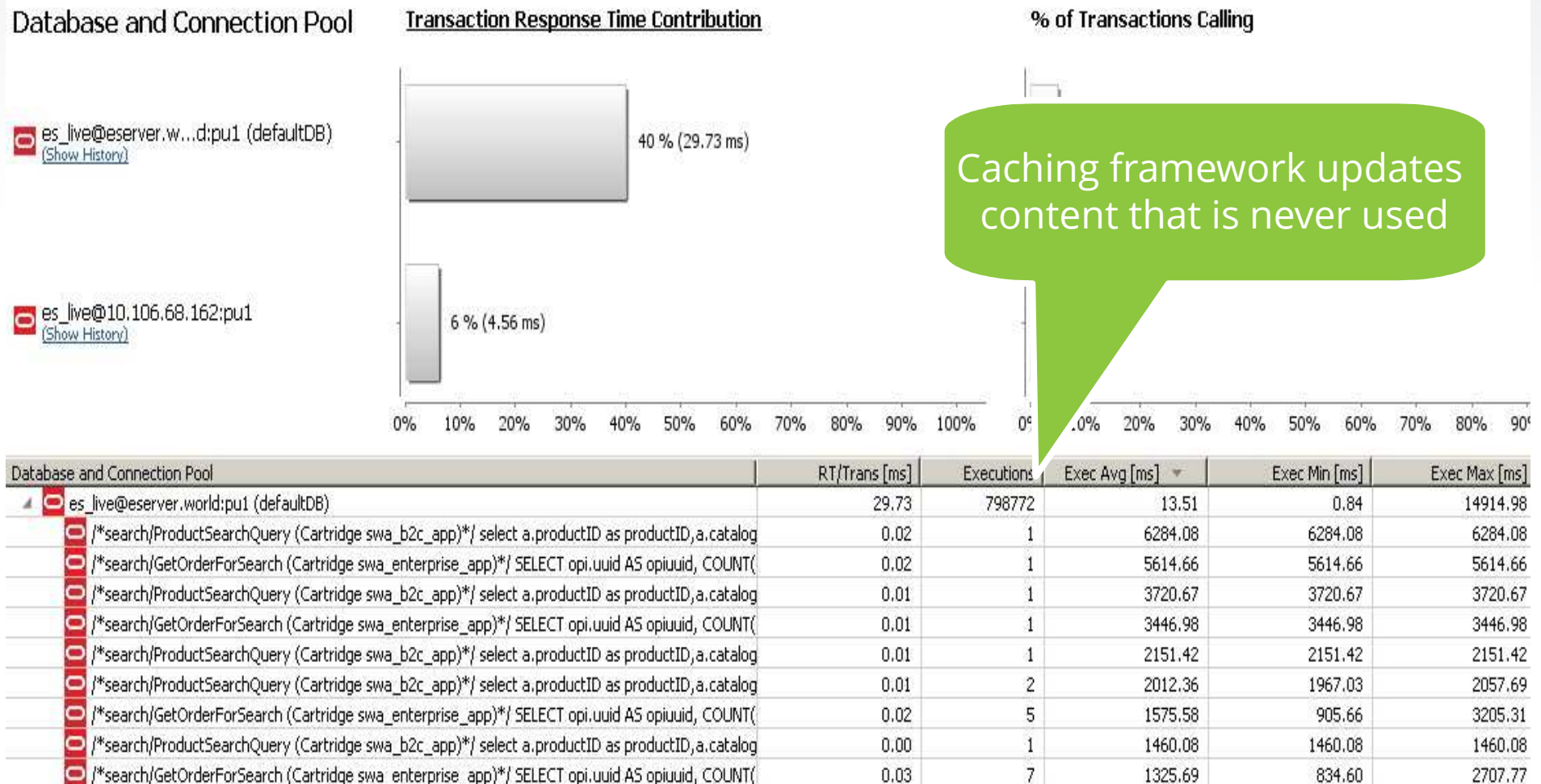


#5: "Falling Dominoes"



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#6: Unnecessary work



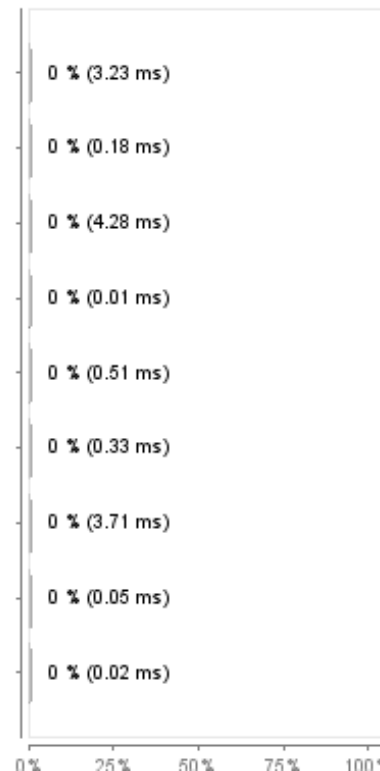
#7: "More is Less"

Too many worker threads for available DB connections

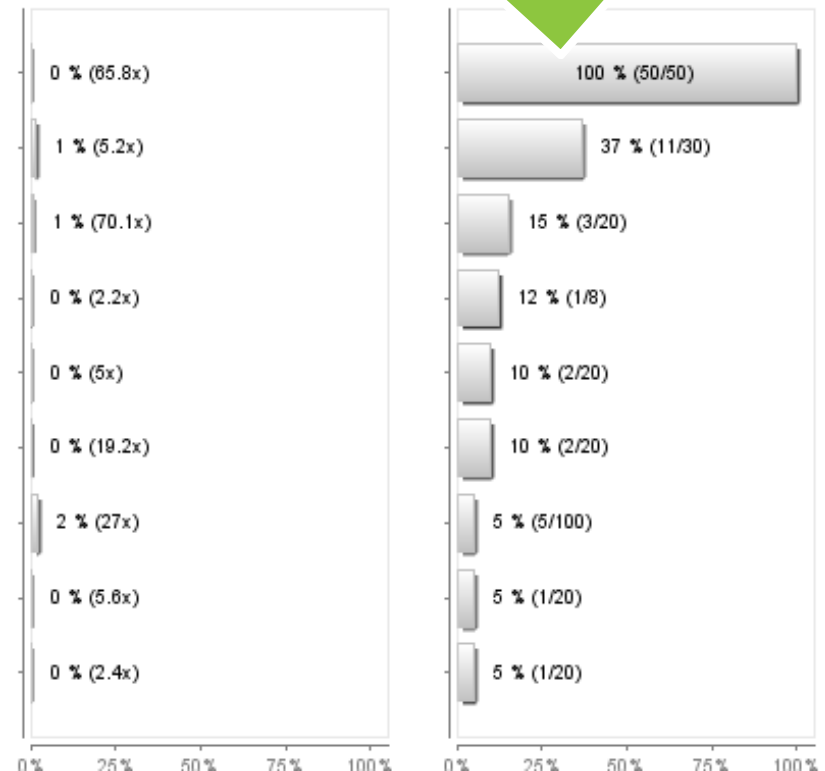
Database and Connection Pool

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Transaction Response Time Contribution



Calling



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What can we do?

Who Cares About Performance?

Developers?

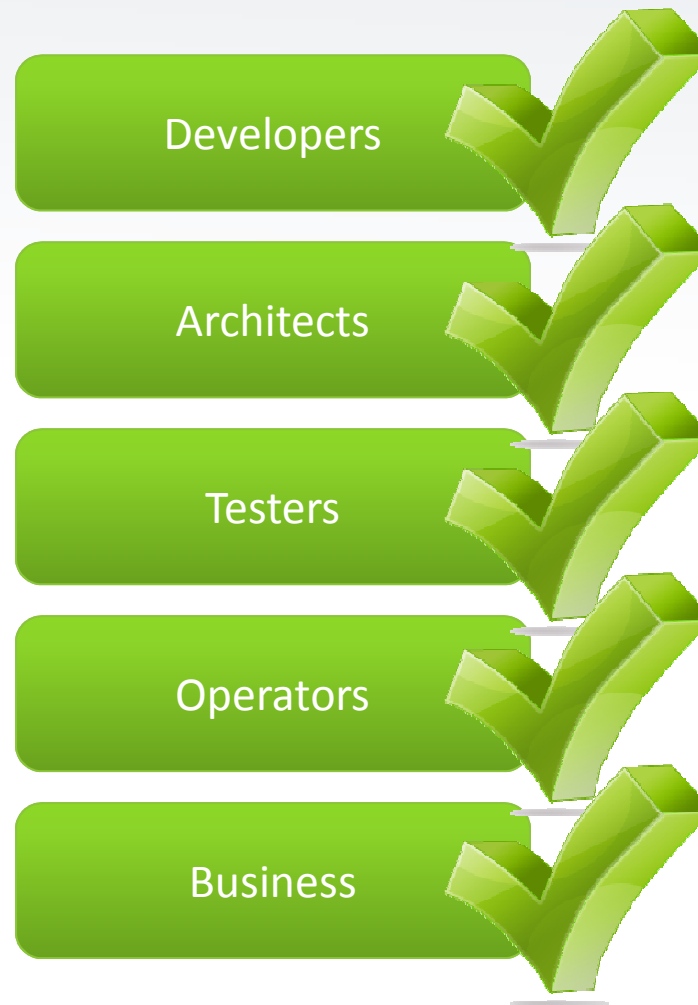
Architects?

Testers?

Operators?

Business?

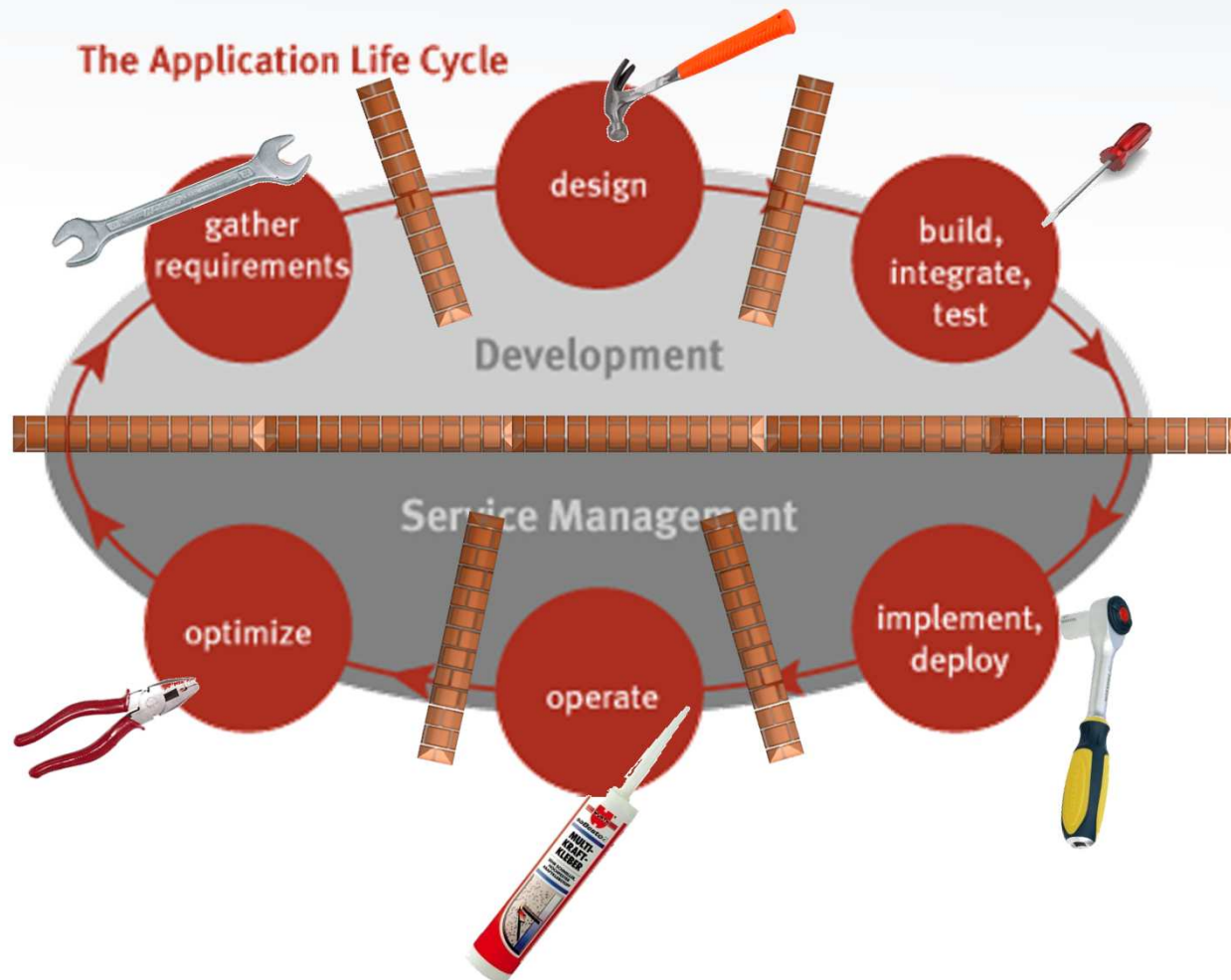
Everone!

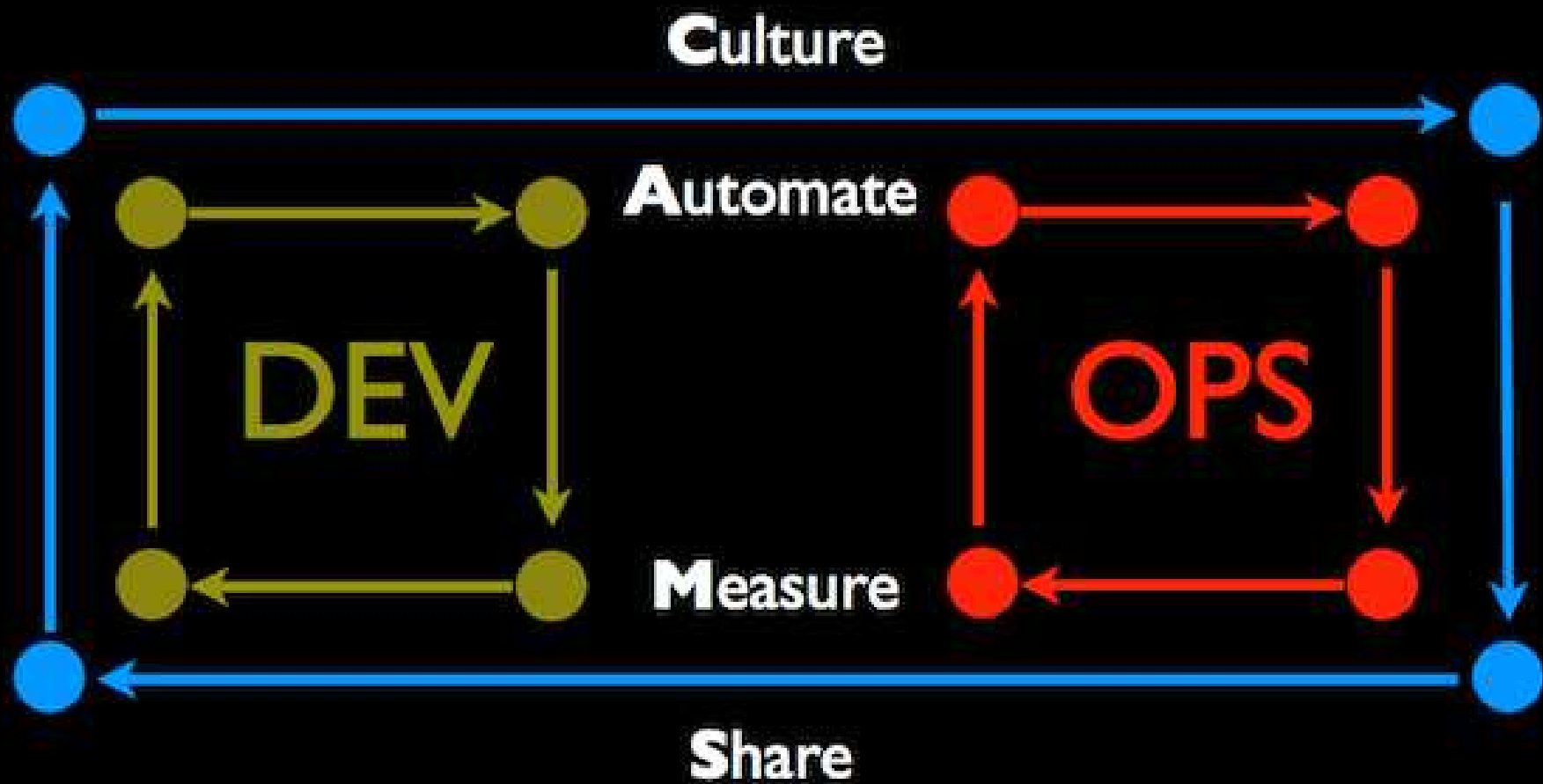


But remember:



Monitor Architecture Across the Lifecycle





Define Architectural KPIs accepted by all teams

of Web Service Calls

Response Times

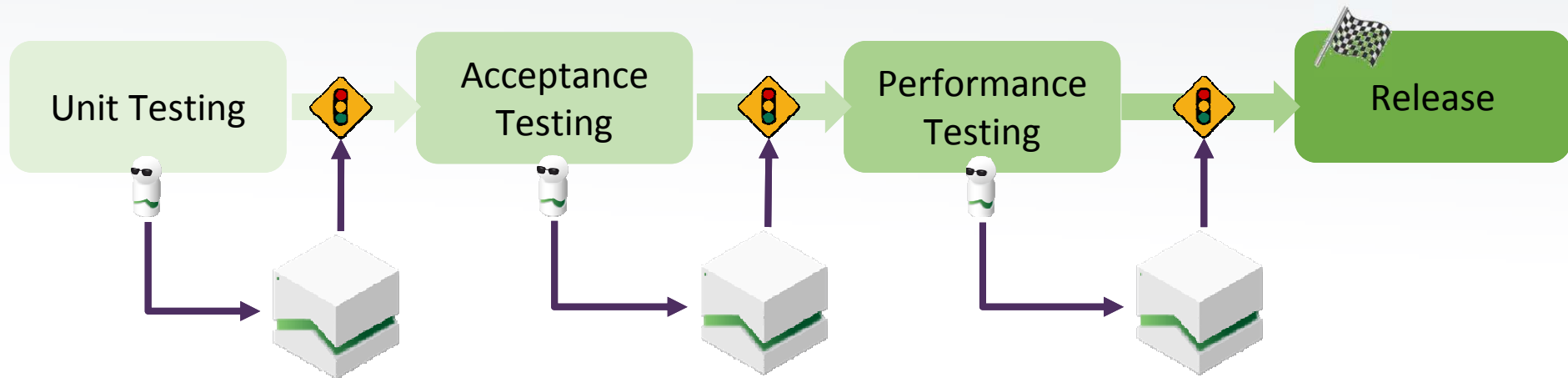
MBs / Uses

of SQL Executions

of Log Lines



How?



Monitor Tests

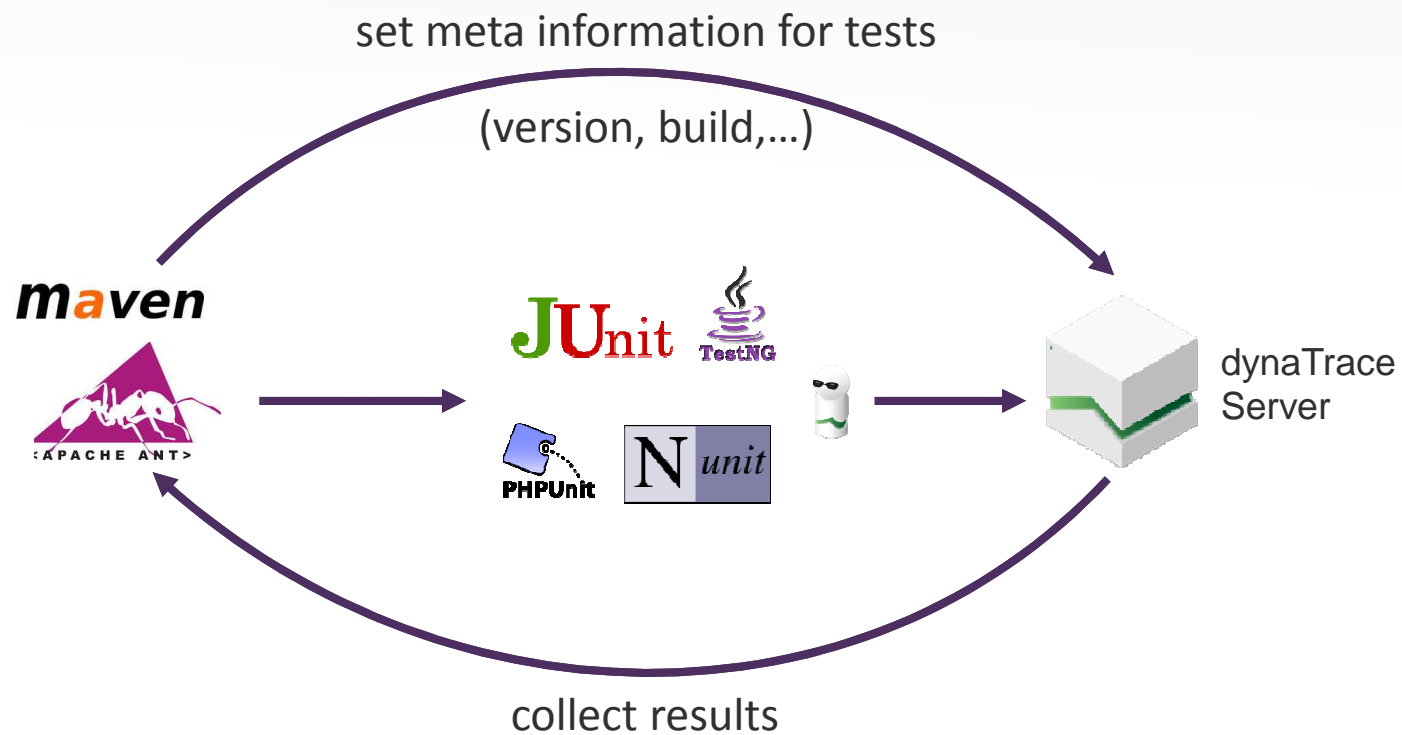


Analyze Results

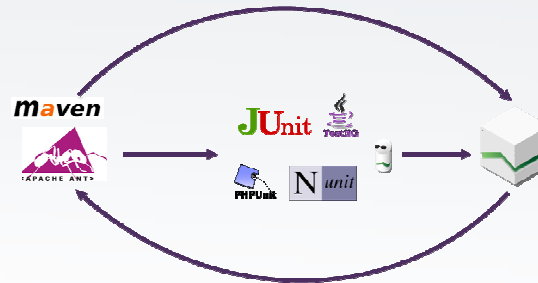


Integrate with Build Infrastructure

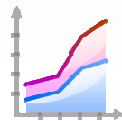
Monitor Automated Tests



Analyze Results



- Architectural validation
 - # of DB calls
 - # Exceptions
- Response time of tests
- Method hotspots



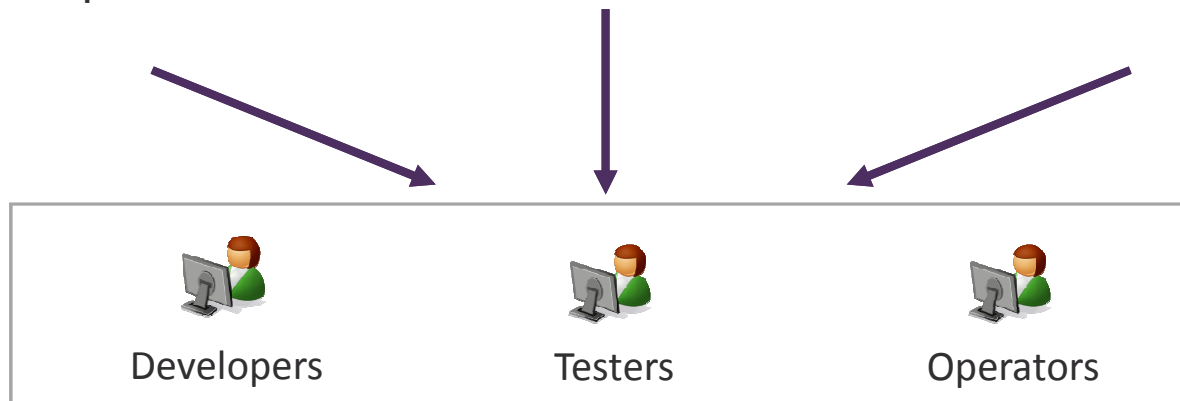
Automatic Baseline

- No need to define thresholds manually
- Identify tests that are not normal



Test Automation Dashlet

- Analyze tests
- Compare tests
- Configure alerting



Continuous Performance Validation

Lets look behind the scenes

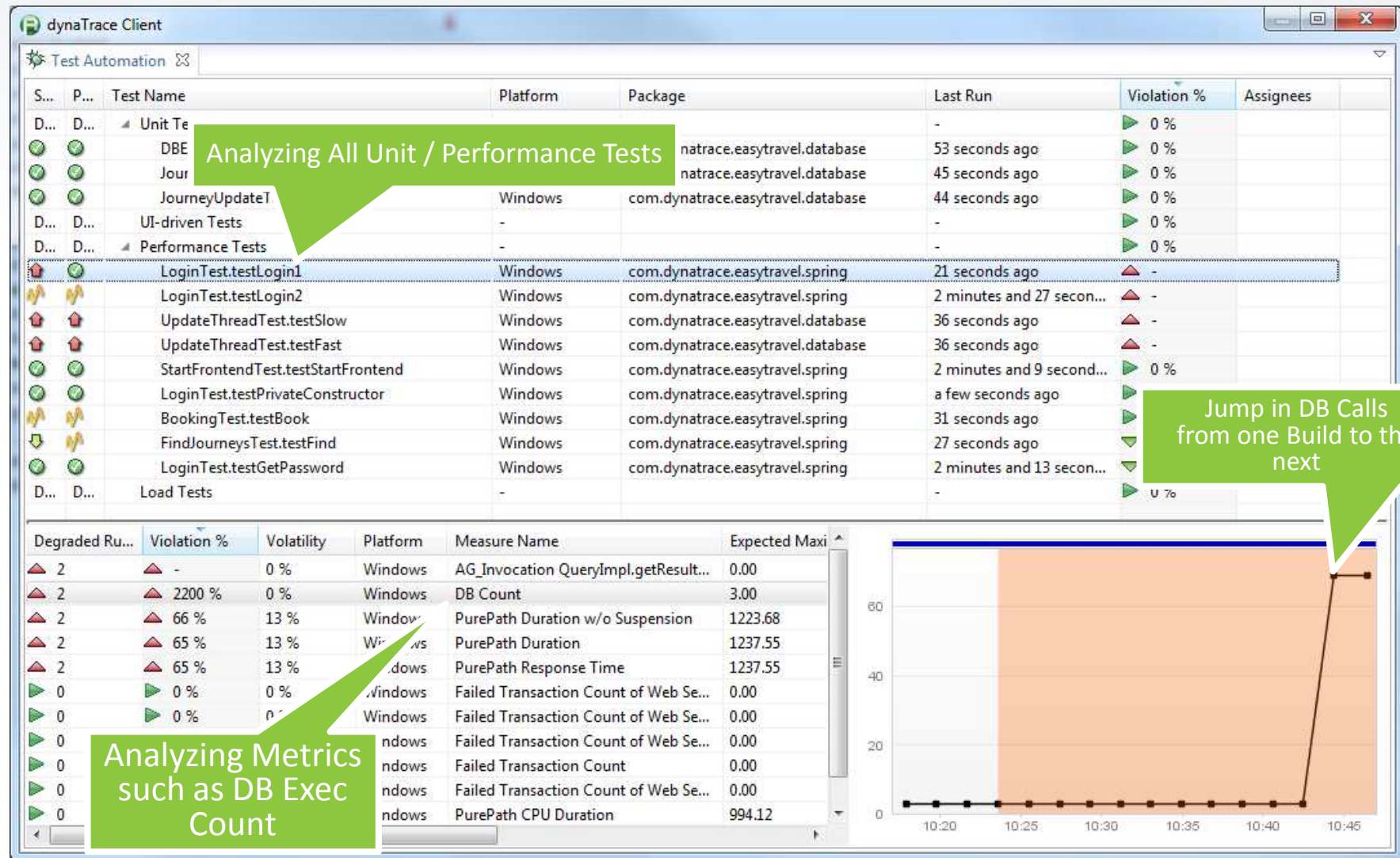
Test Framework Results			Architectural Data	
Build #	Test Case	Status	# SQL	# Excep
Build 17	testPurchase	OK	12	0
	testSearch	OK	3	1
Build 18	testPurchase	FAILED	12	5
	testSearch	OK	3	1
Build 19	testPurchase	OK	75	0
	testSearch	OK		1
Build 20	testPurchase	OK		0

We identified a regression

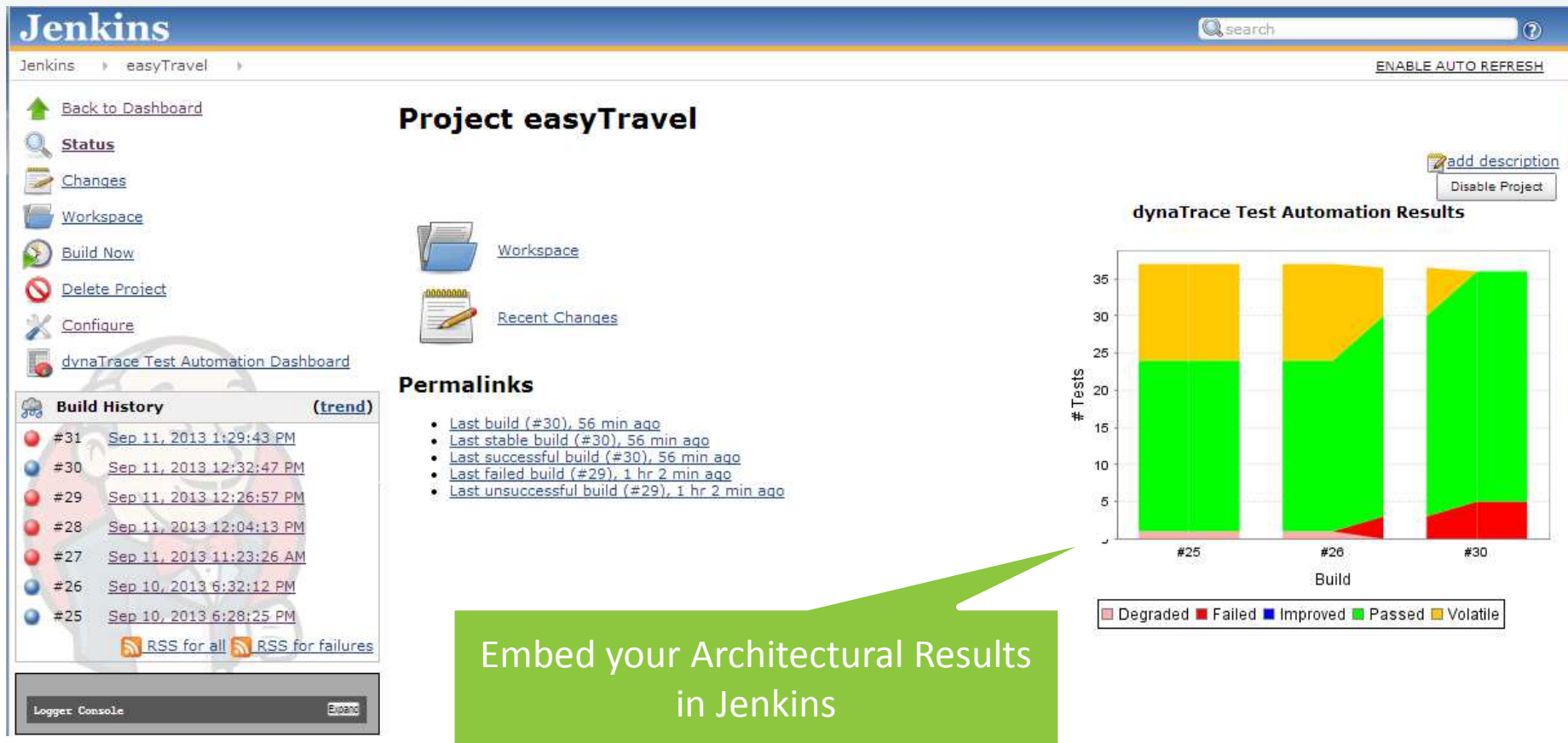
Problems probably reason
Problem fixed but now we have an
architectural regression

Now we have the functional and
architectural confidence

Performance Focus in Test Automation



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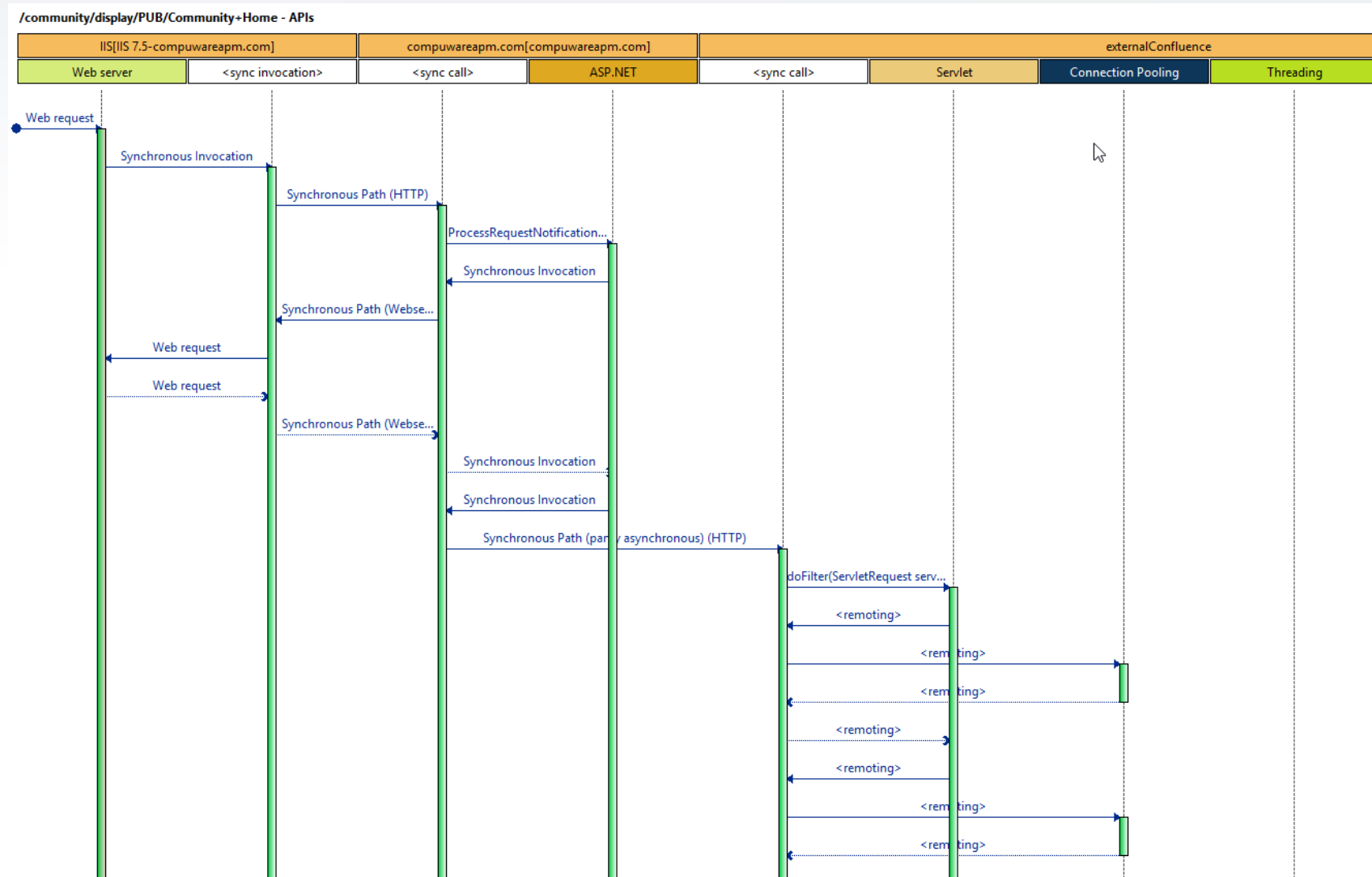
Performance Focus in Test Automation

Compare Build that shows **BAD** Behavior!

With Build that shows **GOOD** Behavior!



Sequence Diagram Generation



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