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# ROSA - Red Hat OpenShift on AWS Technical Overview

# Who?

Managed OpenShift Black Belts (MOBB) Mission

*To remove customers' organizational, competitive, and technical blockers to enterprise-wide adoption of Managed OpenShift (ROSA, ARO, OSD)*



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# Agenda

- Review of Red Hat OpenShift Service on AWS (ROSA)
- ROSA Architecture Models
- ROSA Classic VS Rosa Hosted Control Plane (ROSA HCP)
- ROSA integration with AWS services
- Cloud Native Development with ROSA

# Review of Red Hat OpenShift Service on AWS (ROSA)

OpenShift cloud services are 1st party, cloud native solutions.



Red Hat OpenShift  
Service on AWS



Azure Red Hat  
OpenShift



Red Hat OpenShift on  
IBM Cloud



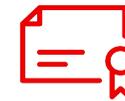
Integrated  
Dev tools and cloud  
native services



Joint  
Support & Engineering



Automation and Day 2  
Operations



Security and  
compliance



Single invoicing,  
utilize cloud  
committed spend

# Red Hat OpenShift Service on AWS

A turnkey application platform native to AWS



## Focus on innovation

Simplify operations so your teams can refocus on innovation, not managing infrastructure.

## Accelerate time to value

Quickly build, deploy, and manage applications that scale as needed.

## Hybrid cloud flexibility

Deliver a consistent experience on premises and in the cloud.

# Modern Application Computing Services Landscape

## Application Platform

Accelerate and standardize application Management

### Build your Own Application Platform



AWS Proton



AWS App Runner



EKS Blueprints



AWS X-Ray



Cloud Watch



Amazon Managed Prometheus

### Turn-key Application Platform

## ROSA



Red Hat OpenShift Service on AWS

## Containers Orchestration

Deployment, scheduling, and scaling, containerized applications



Amazon Elastic Container Service (Amazon ECS)



Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS)

## Containers Infrastructure

Registry, Networking, CI/CD



Amazon Elastic Container Registry (Amazon ECR)



AWS Cloud Map



AWS App Mesh



AWS CodePipeline

## Compute



Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2)

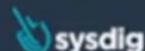


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## Third-party tooling



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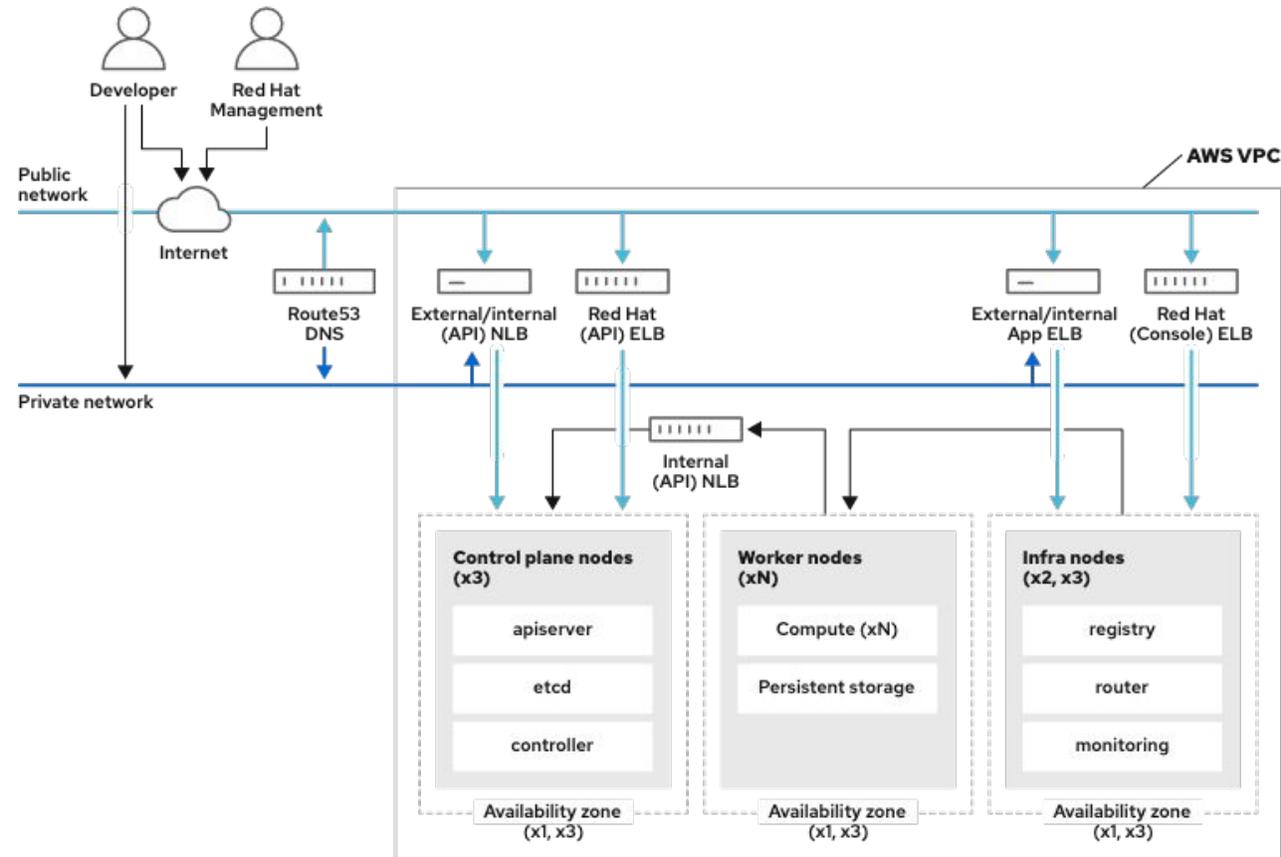
Prometheus

Grafana



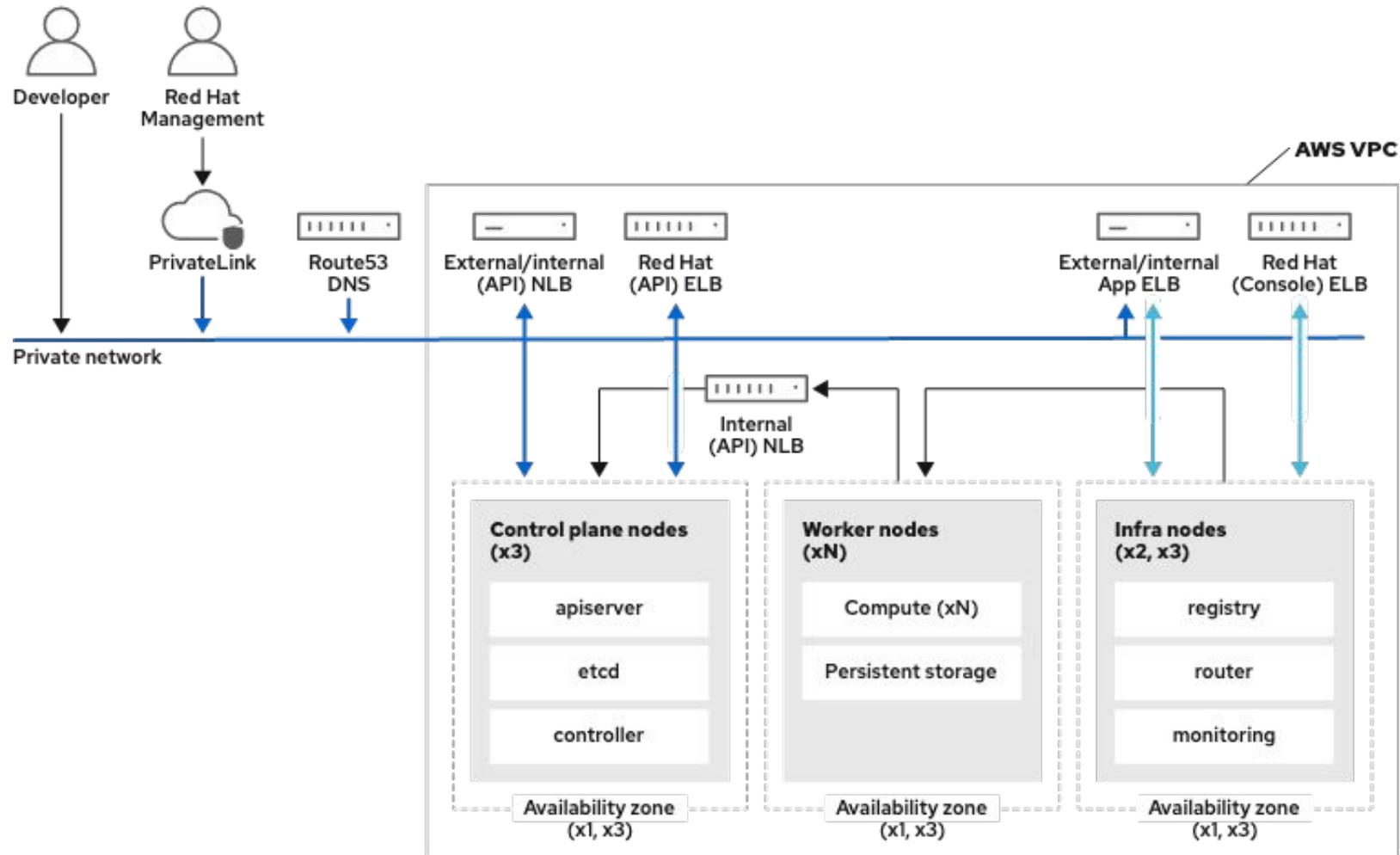
# ROSA Architecture Models (ROSA Classic)

# Public / Private Networking (ROSA Classic)

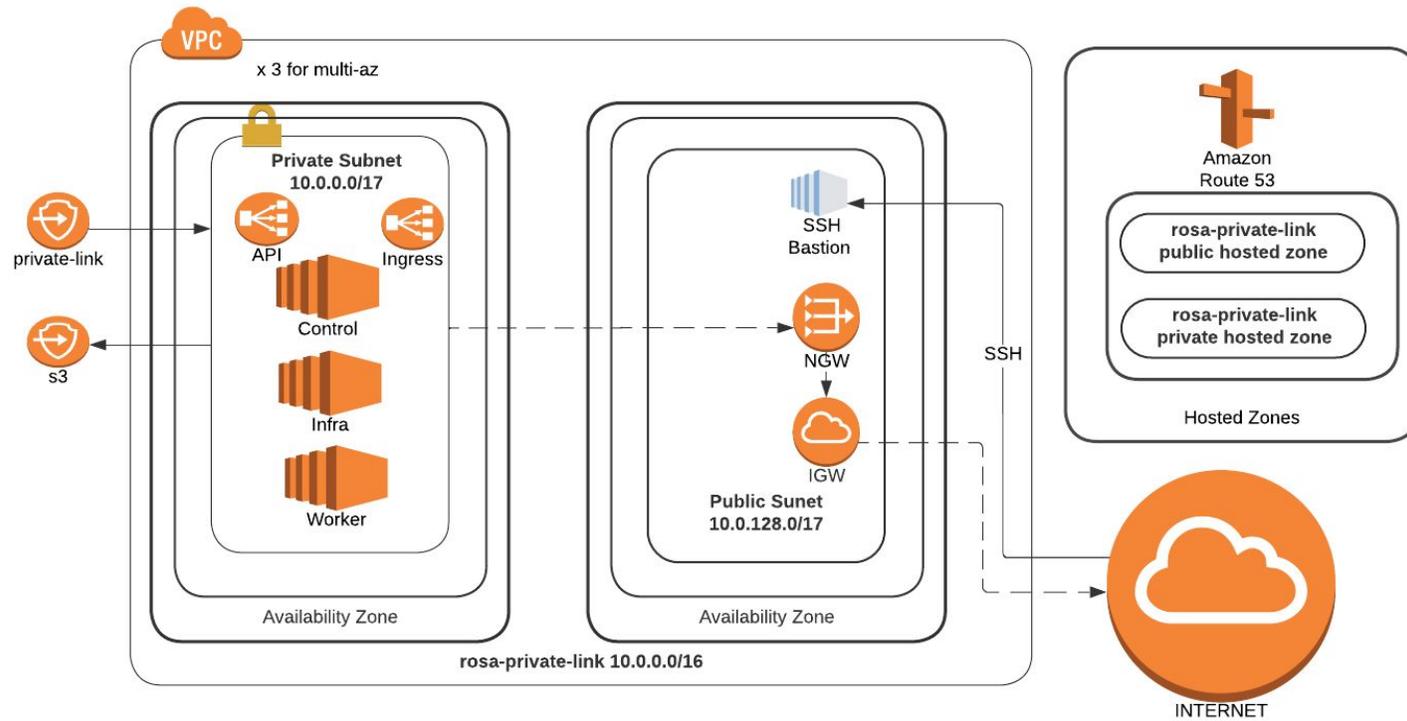


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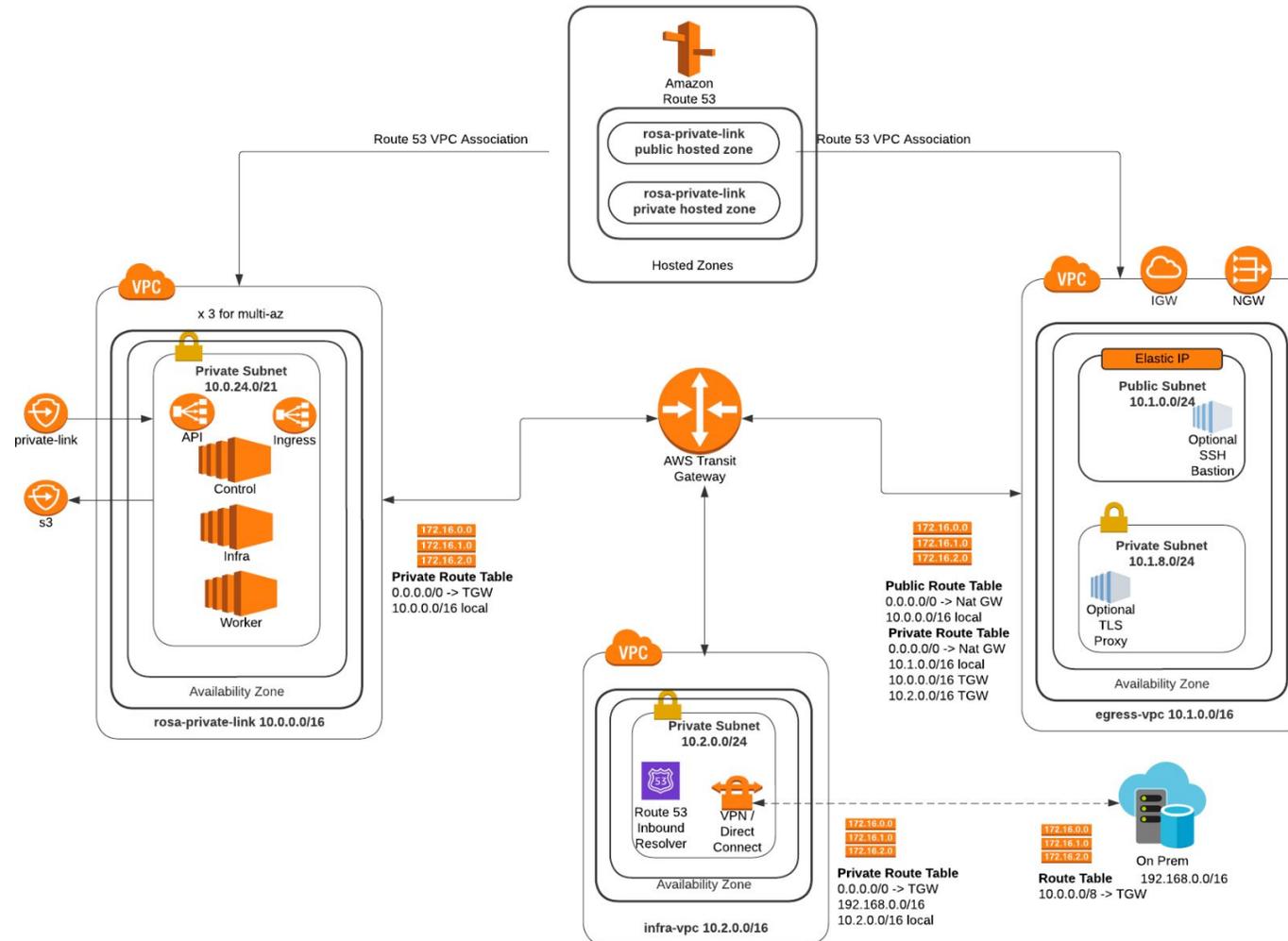
# PrivateLink Diagram (ROSA Classic)



# Private Link Networking



# Private Link Networking (Transit Gateway)

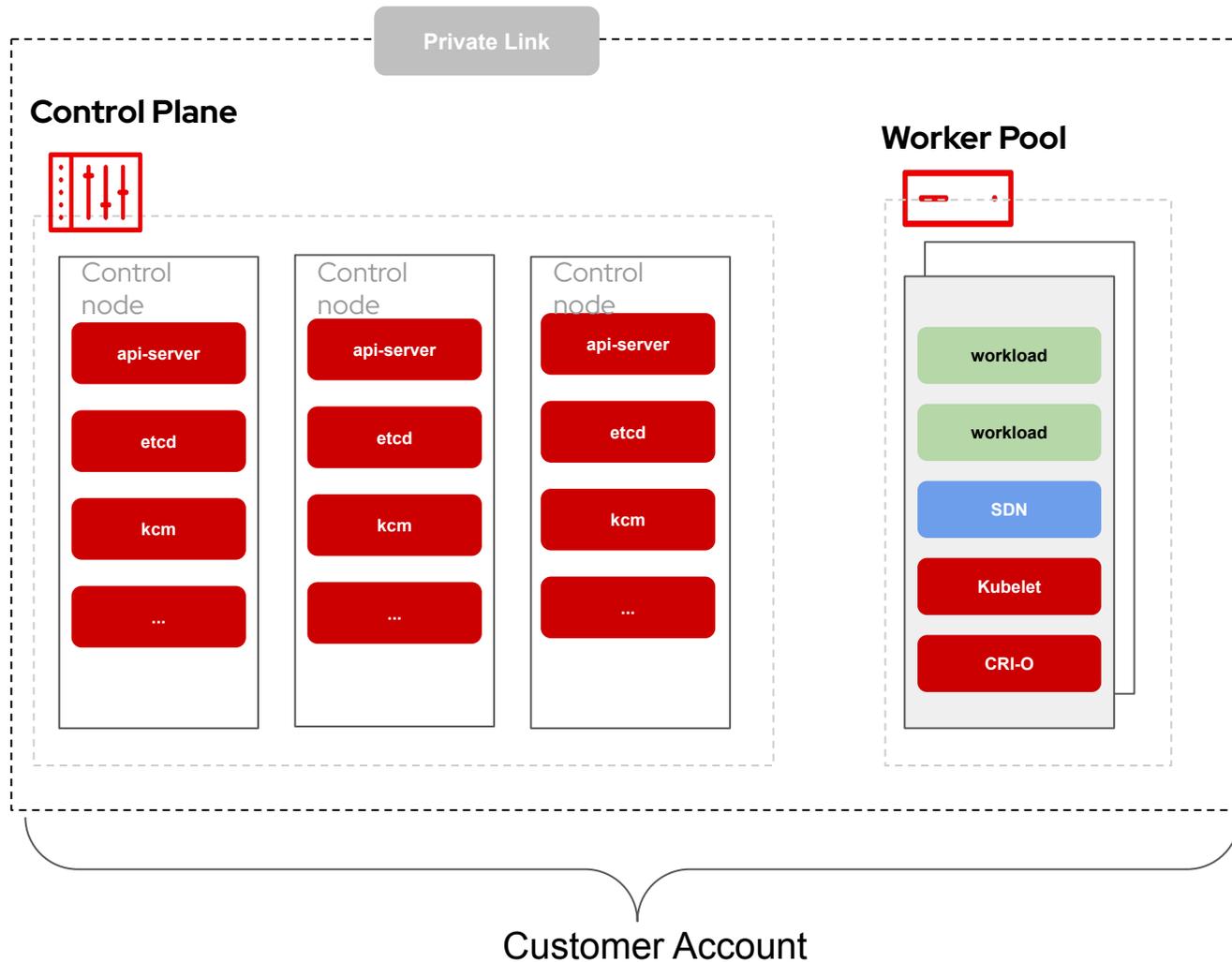


ROSA Classic  
VS  
Rosa Hosted Control Plane  
(ROSA HCP)

# ROSA with hosted control planes Benefits

- **Cost Savings**
  - Customers reduce costs by 5x on average vs hosting the control plane in their own account
    - Significantly reduced AWS infrastructure costs (typically \$8k / cluster / year)
  - Quickly and easily spin up or tear down clusters when needed for efficiency and cost savings
  - More flexibility and portability for annual billing allowing customers to easily change between node types
  - Smaller overall footprint (2 nodes vs 7)
  - Scale worker nodes to 0 (post GA)
- **Operational efficiency**
  - Provisioning time ~ 10 minutes for a new cluster – get started and build/deploy apps faster
  - Seamless autoscaling of control plane at no additional cost
  - Installer runs in ROSA Service account reducing required permissions
  - Designed to be managed; taking what we learned from operating OpenShift at scale, making improvements and putting it into the core product out of the box for a better experience
- **Increased reliability**
  - Control plane is always HA over multiple availability zones
  - Selectively upgrade control plane and worker nodes separately, giving increased control and flexibility for customers
  - Increased resiliency from offloading control plane infra management, reducing the chance of accidental misconfiguration or deletion of resources

# Classic OpenShift Architecture



Private Link

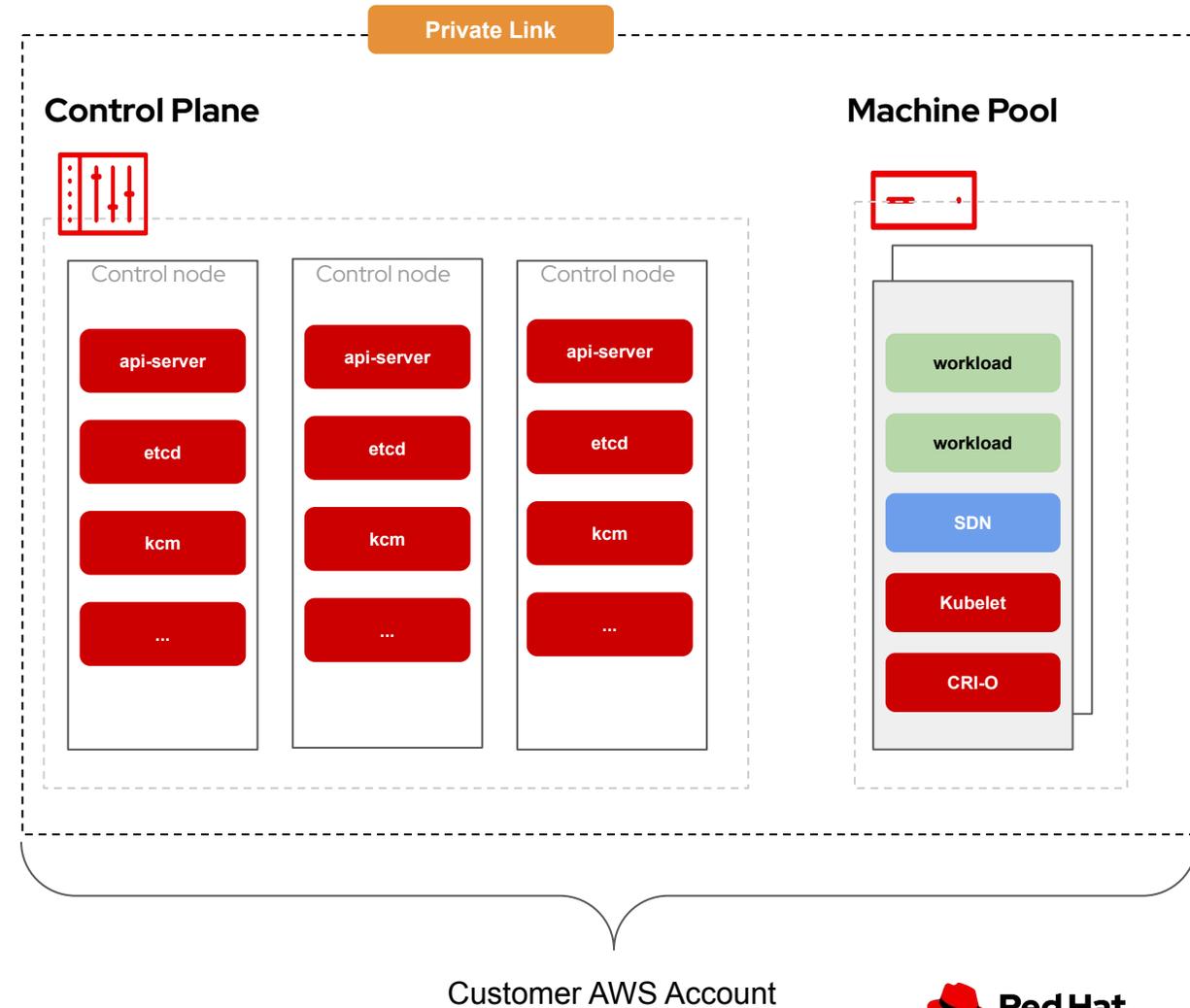
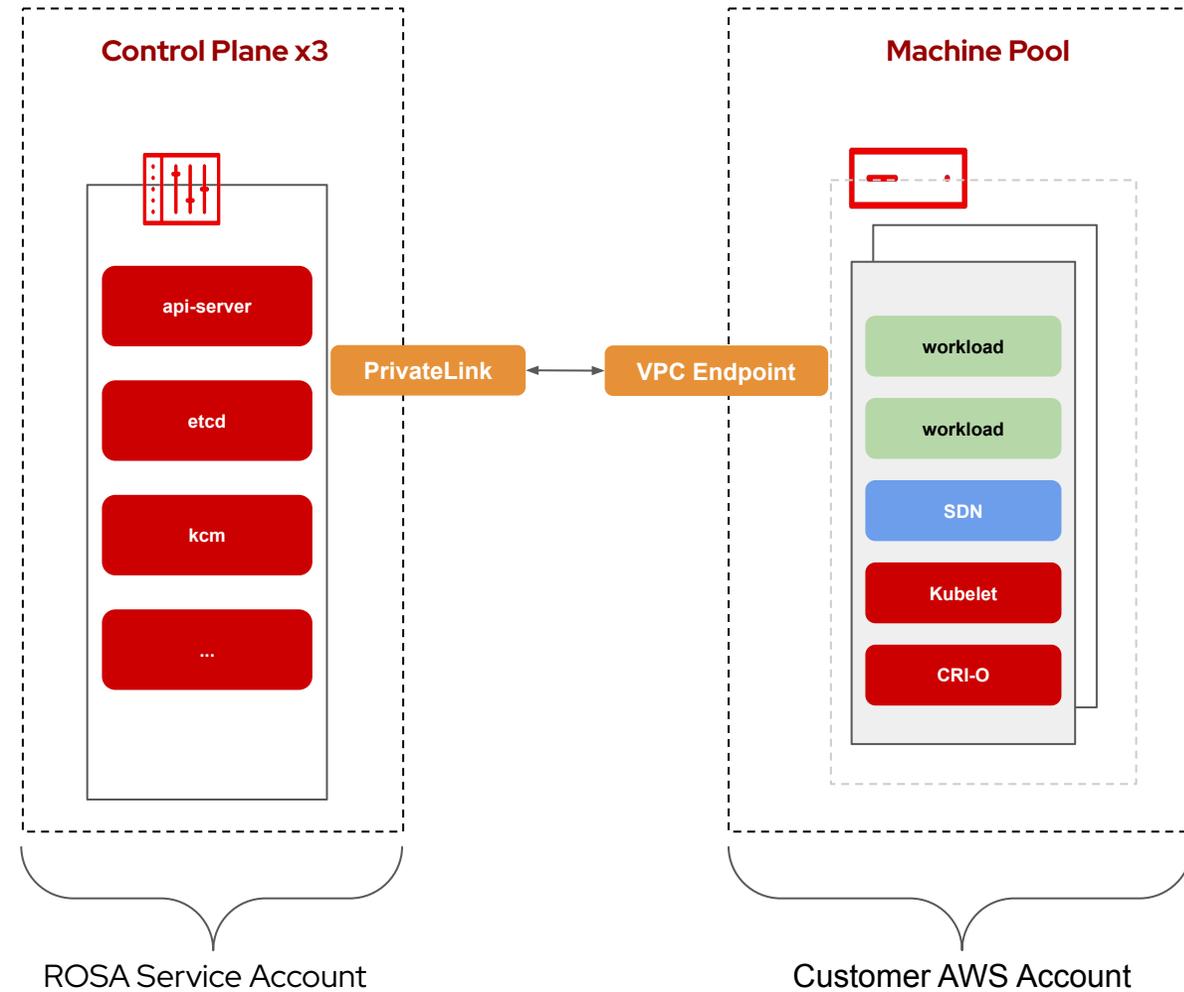
- ▶ Cluster API Server published using AWS Private Link
- ▶ API Server is accessed by Red Hat management system (HIVE) to allow programmatic access to API server
- ▶ Private traffic passes through private network not through the Internet

# What is Hosted Control Plane (HCP) for ROSA

ROSA with HCP  
(Hosted Control Plane)

VS

ROSA Classic



# ROSA with HCP

- ▶ Control plane components run in Red Hat's AWS account
- ▶ Control plane components are exposed to worker nodes through AWS PrivateLink
- ▶ Worker nodes communicate with control plane over PrivateLink connection
- ▶ Red Hat SRE management traffic takes place within Red Hat's AWS account
- ▶ Red Hat network access to customer VPC is minimized

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# ROSA Classic

- ▶ Control plane components run in customer's AWS account
- ▶ Control plane components are exposed to Red Hat management traffic through AWS PrivateLink
- ▶ Worker nodes communicate directly with control plane nodes within same VPC

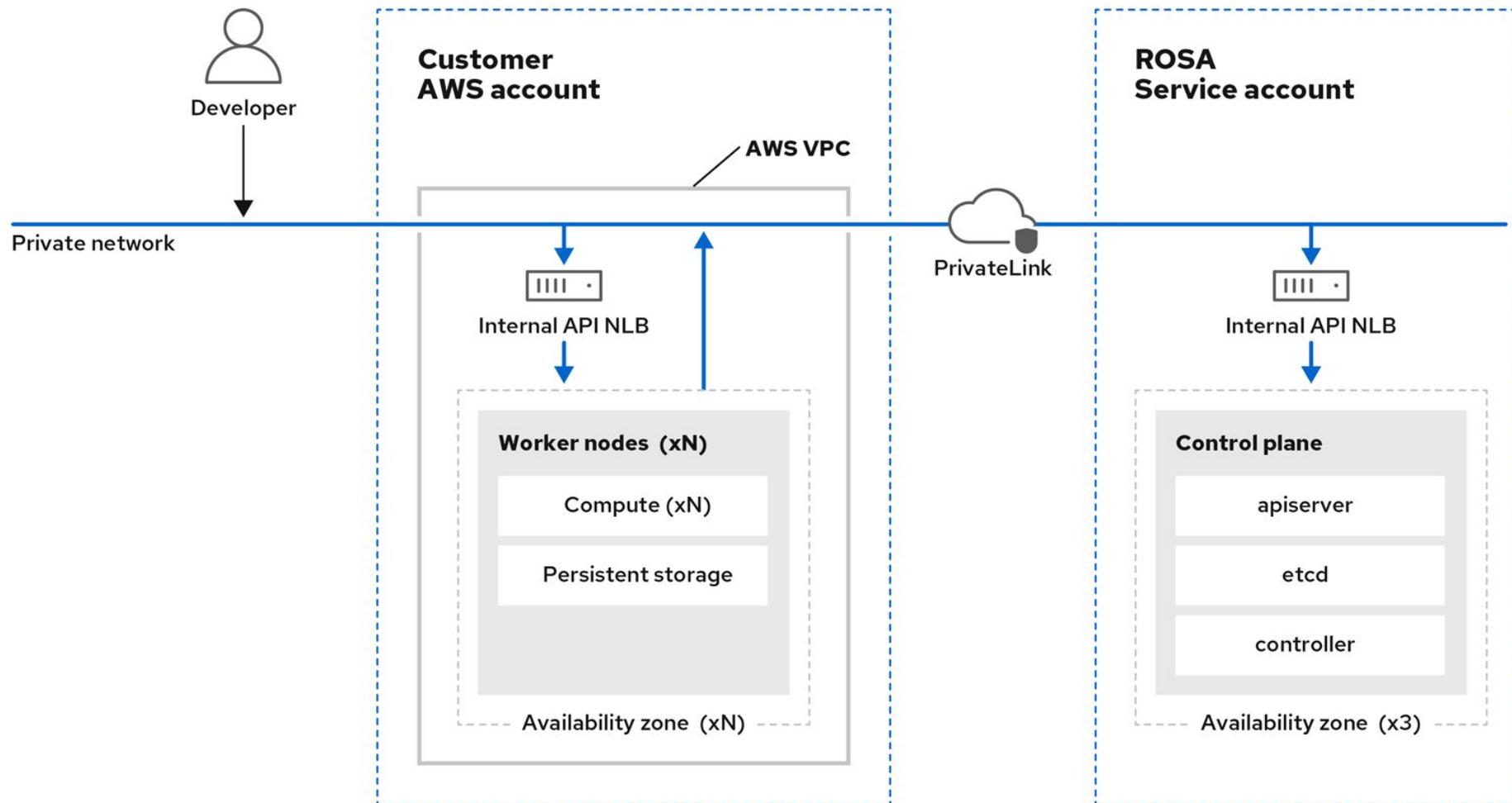
# ROSA with hosted control planes vs ROSA "Classic"

	<b>Hosted Control Plane</b>	<b>Classic</b>
<b>What is it?</b>	Control plane components (e.g., etcd, API server, oauth) are hosted on AWS in a Red Hat owned and managed OpenShift cluster	Control plane, infra & worker nodes all live in customer's AWS account
<b>Provisioning Time</b>	~10 minutes	~40 minutes
<b>Architecture</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Underlying control plane infrastructure is fully managed and directly unavailable to end customers except through dedicated and explicitly exposed endpoints</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Customers are responsible for control plane, infra and networking</li><li>All-in-one OpenShift on AWS infrastructure architecture</li></ul>
<b>Footprint</b>	1 cluster = minimum 2 worker nodes	1 cluster = minimum 7 nodes (3 control plane, 2 infra, 2 worker nodes)
<b>Upgrades</b>	Selectively upgrade control plane and worker nodes separately	Entire cluster is upgraded at one time

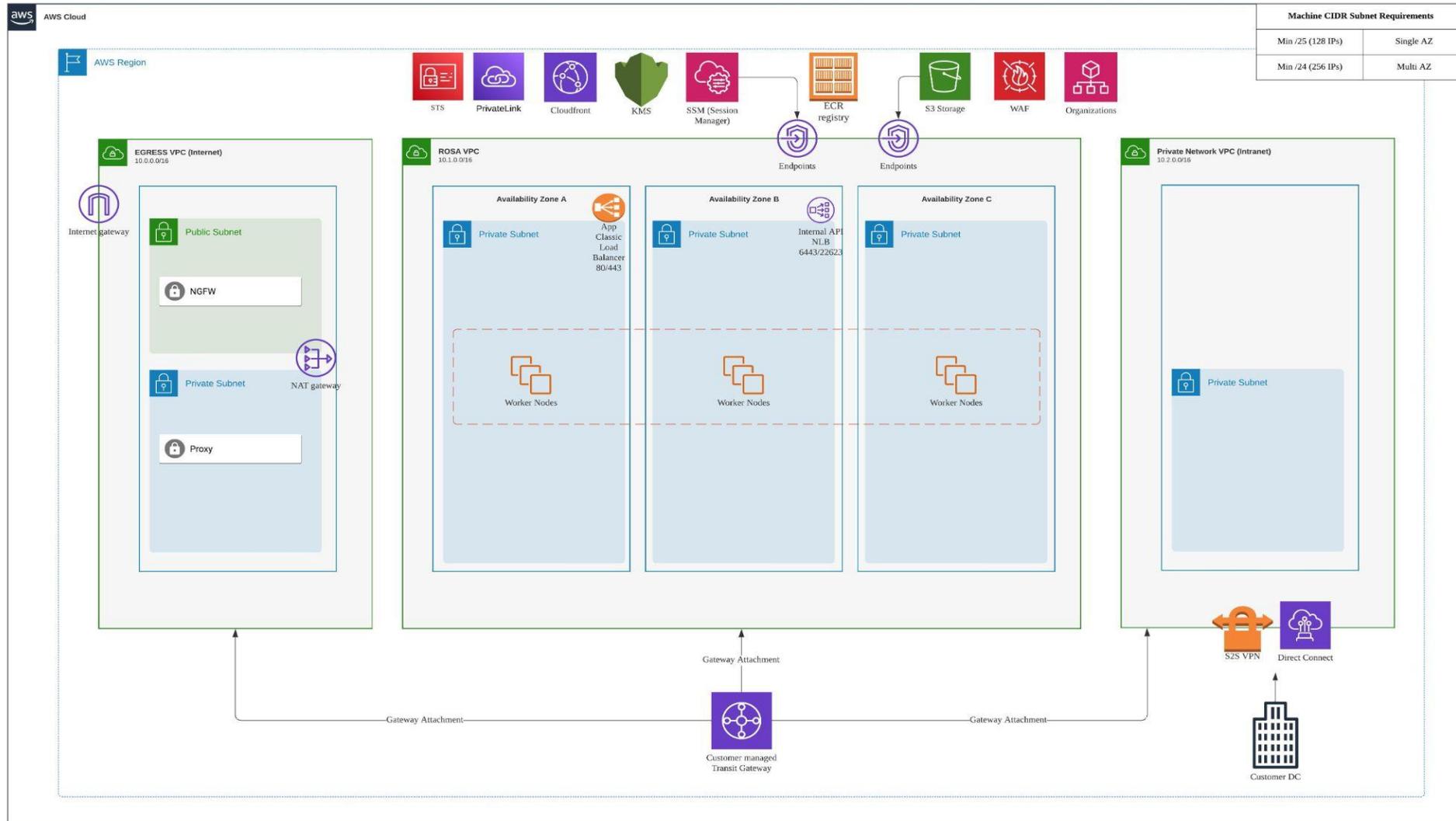
# ROSA with hosted control planes vs ROSA "Classic"

	Hosted Control Plane	Classic
<b>Deployment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Deploy using ROSA CLI (web UI coming soon)</li><li>• Customers provision "Hosted Clusters" that deploy the control plane components into Red Hat's Management clusters</li><li>• Customers request "Machine Pools" that deploy worker nodes into the customer's AWS account</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Deploy using ROSA CLI or web UI</li><li>• Full cluster provisioning occurs in customer's AWS account</li></ul>
<b>Regional Availability</b>	Initially 6 regions available us-east-1, us-east-2, us-west-2, eu-west-1, eu-central-1, ap-southeast-3	Available for purchase in <a href="#">all countries</a> where AWS is commercially available
<b>Compliance</b>	No compliance certifications or FIPS at GA	ISO 27001, 17, 18; SOC 2 Type 2, SOC 3, PCI-DSS, HIPAA
<b>Add-ons</b>	No add-ons support at GA	RHOAM, RHODS

# Public Diagram (ROSA HCP) [Tech Preview]



# ROSA reference architecture (hosted control plane)

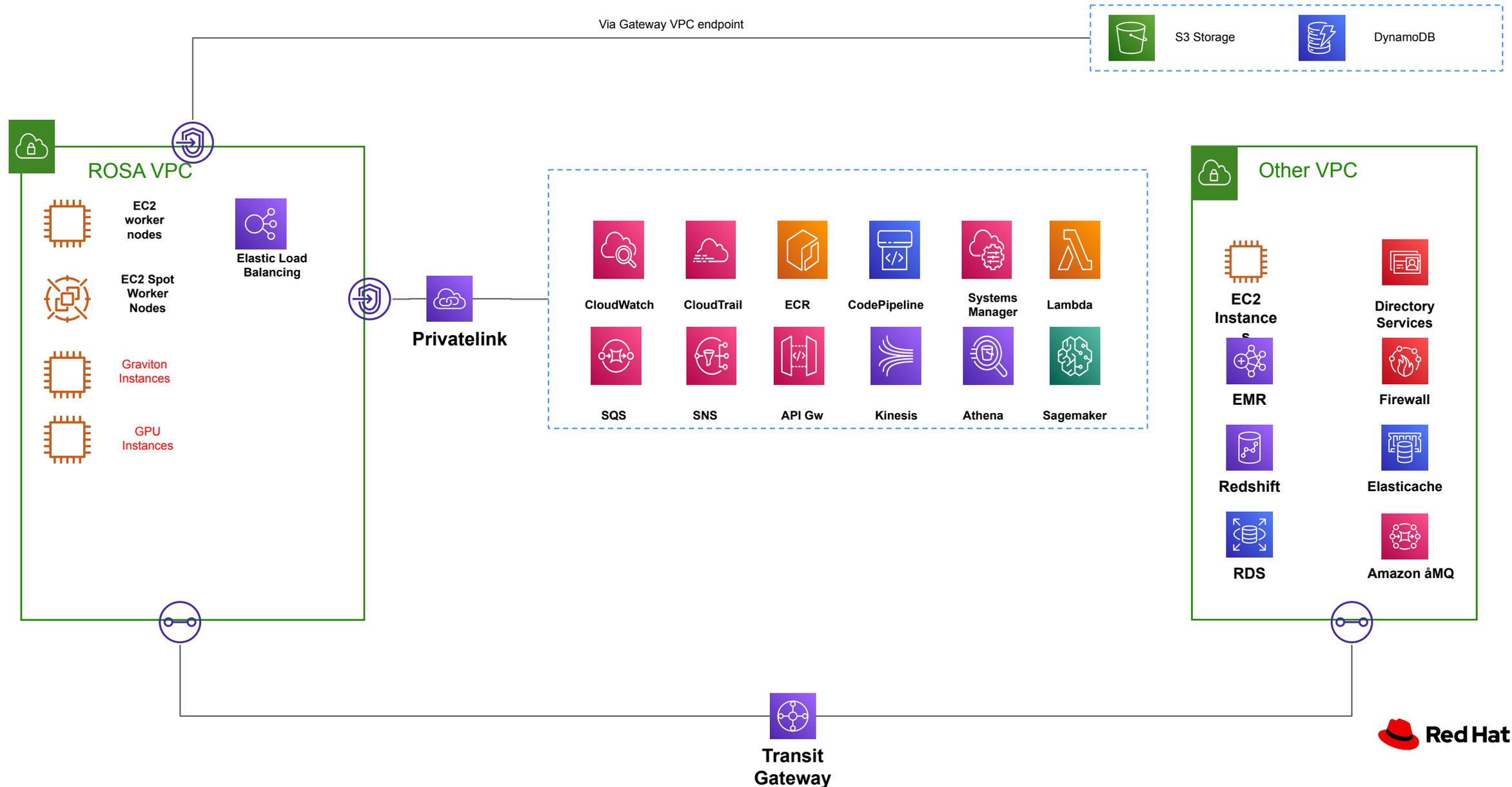


# ROSA integration with AWS services

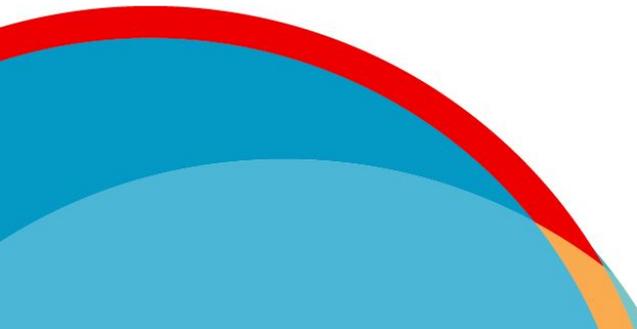
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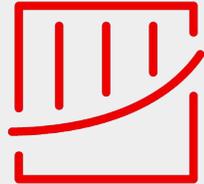
# Securely connect to other AWS services



# Cloud Native Development with ROSA

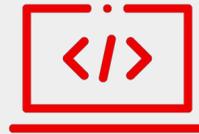


# Why cloud-native development?



**Revitalize business for the digital economy**

The ability to adapt is as important as the ability to plan



**Software as a competitive edge**

Companies must have core competency in software development to compete



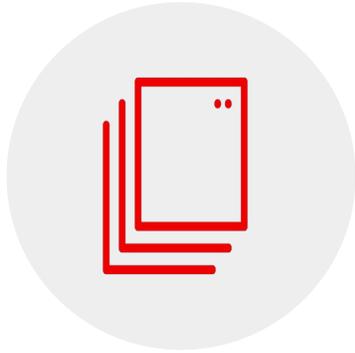
**Modern customer experience**

Customers expect your business to provide personalized, secure services anytime, anywhere

Creating value depends on your ability to develop and deliver high-quality applications faster on any cloud

# Adopting a Cloud Native Approach

## Top Considerations



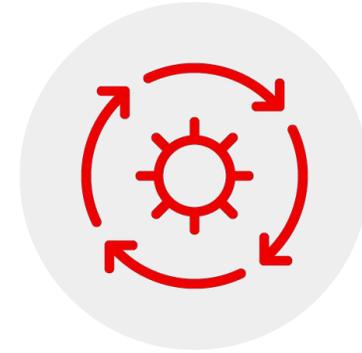
### Speed

Increase developer productivity and ship quality applications faster



### Security

Application and supply chain security from start to production



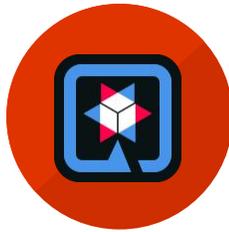
### Scale

Automate and scale application delivery on hybrid cloud infrastructure

Innovate your new future and optimize what you have

# Cloud-native delivered with Red Hat

Red Hat Container and Operator Catalog  
Database | Message Broker | Integration | Business Process | More



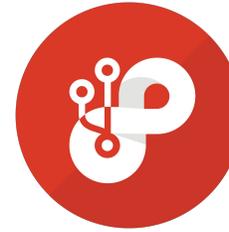
Red Hat build  
of **Quarkus**



OpenShift  
**Serverless**



OpenShift  
**Pipelines**



OpenShift  
**GitOps**



OpenShift  
**Service Mesh**



## Enterprise Kubernetes Platform

Networking | Automated Operations | Ingress | Storage | Monitoring | Logging | Registry



Physical



Virtual



Private cloud



Public cloud



Edge

# A Comprehensive DevOps Platform for Hybrid Cloud

Automate building container images using Kubernetes tools



**OpenShift Builds**

Kubernetes-native on-demand delivery pipelines



**OpenShift Pipelines**

Declarative GitOps for multi-cluster continuous delivery



**OpenShift GitOps**

**OpenShift**



# Continuous Integration & Continuous Delivery



## OpenShift Build

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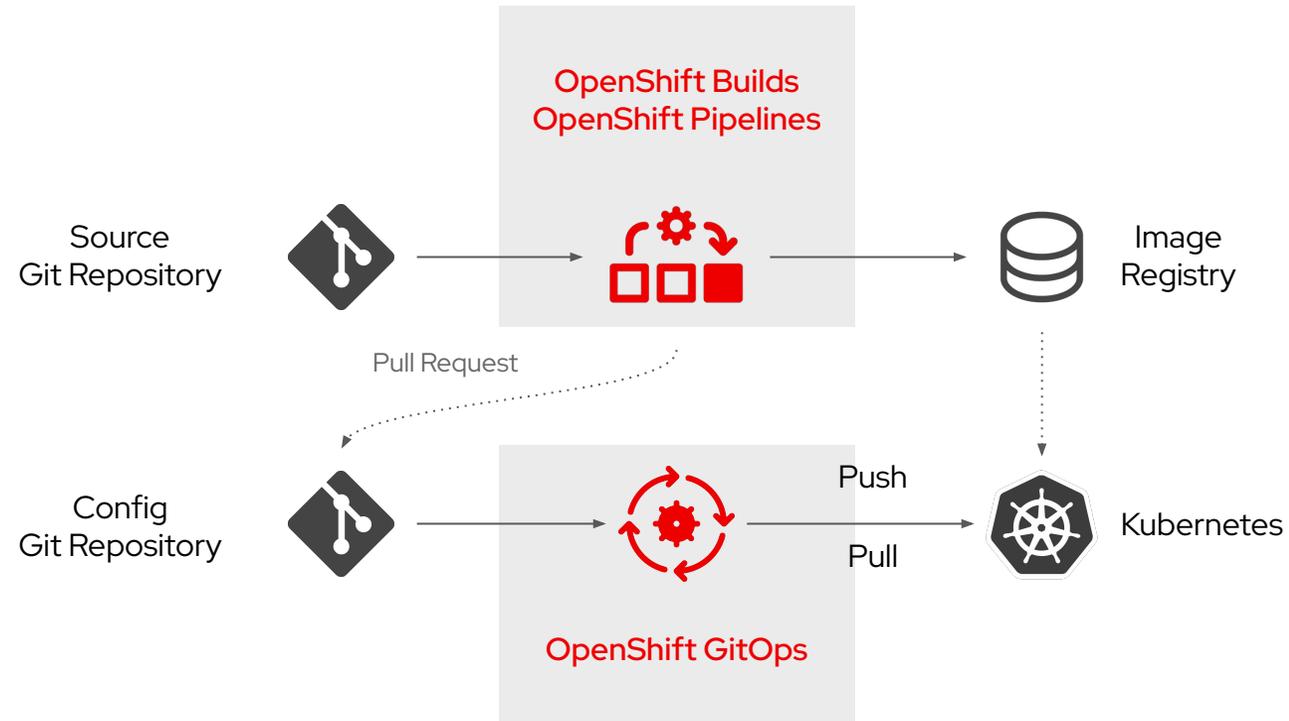
## OpenShift Pipelines

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Declarative GitOps for multi-cluster continuous delivery

# The GitOps Application Delivery Model on ROSA



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