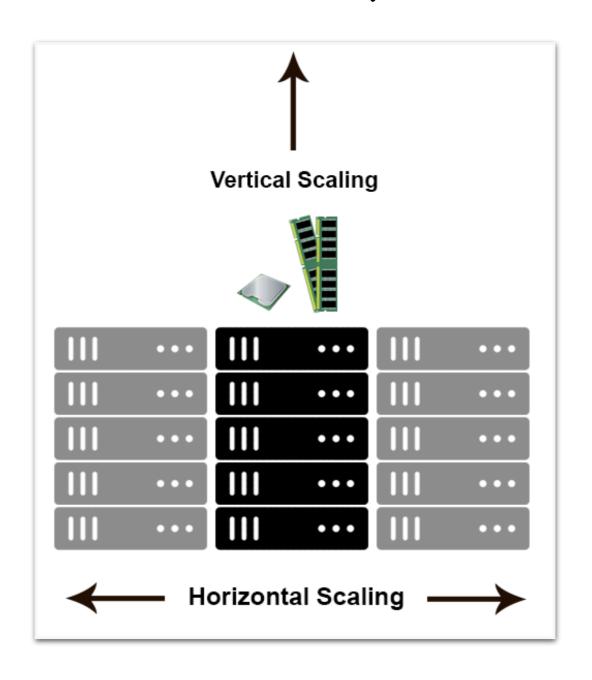


kubernetes

Kubernetes: Scale Pods

➤ You can scale the Pods **Vertically** or **Horizontally**.



- ➤ Stateless Applications can be Scaled up **Horizontally**.
- ➤ **Stateless**, no State of application. Doesn't have local files and local sessions.
- ➤ A **stateless** system can be seen as a Black box, where at any point in time the value of the output(s) depends only on the value of the input(s).
- ➤ A **stateful** system instead can be seen as a box where at any point in time the value of the output(s) depends on the value of the input(s) and of an internal state, so basically a stateful system is like a state machine with "*memory*" as the same set of input(s) value can generate different output(s) depending on the previous input(s) received by the system.

- ➤ All traditional database (MySQL, Postgres) are stateful services, they have file systems that can't be split over the multiple Instances.
- ➤ A **stateful** system will requires that multiple threads of execution access and update the internal state of the system in an exclusive way, hence there will be a need for a synchronization point.

- ➤ Modern Web-Applications are stateless.
- > Session Management needs to be put outside the container.
- ➤ Files can't be saved locally in **Containers**.
- ➤ Stateful applications can't be Horizontally Scale but user can Scale these Applications **Vertically**.

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- ➤ Replication Controller manage multiple Pods on Single Node or Multiple Pods on multiple Nodes.
- ➤ ReplicationController is often abbreviated to "rc" or "rcs" in discussion.

Will see you in Next Lecture...

