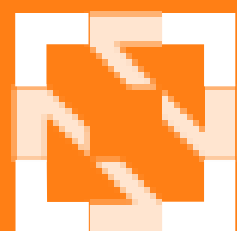




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Rabobank's Path to Secure, Fast Kubernetes Delivery

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A photograph of two people, a woman on the left and a man on the right, standing in front of a dense green living wall. Both are wearing blue hoodies. The woman's hoodie has a small 'Rabobank' logo on the left chest. The man's hoodie has 'aws certified' and 'Rabobank' logos on the left chest. A thin orange line curves across the image, passing behind the subjects. The ground in front of them is a paved area with a yellow curb.

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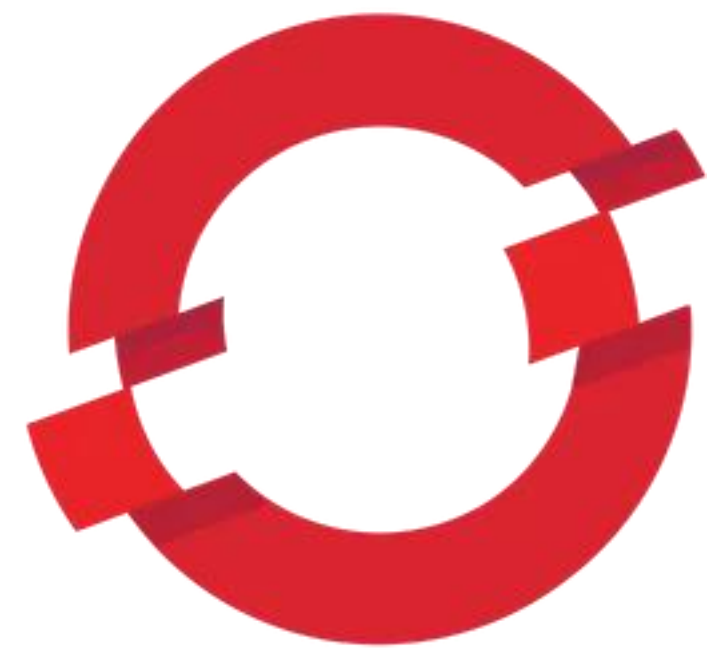
Rabobank loves Kubernetes!



147 AKS clusters
473 ACA



41 EKS clusters



12 OpenShift clusters

AKS: Azure Kubernetes Service
EKS: Elastic Kubernetes Service
ACA: Azure Container Apps

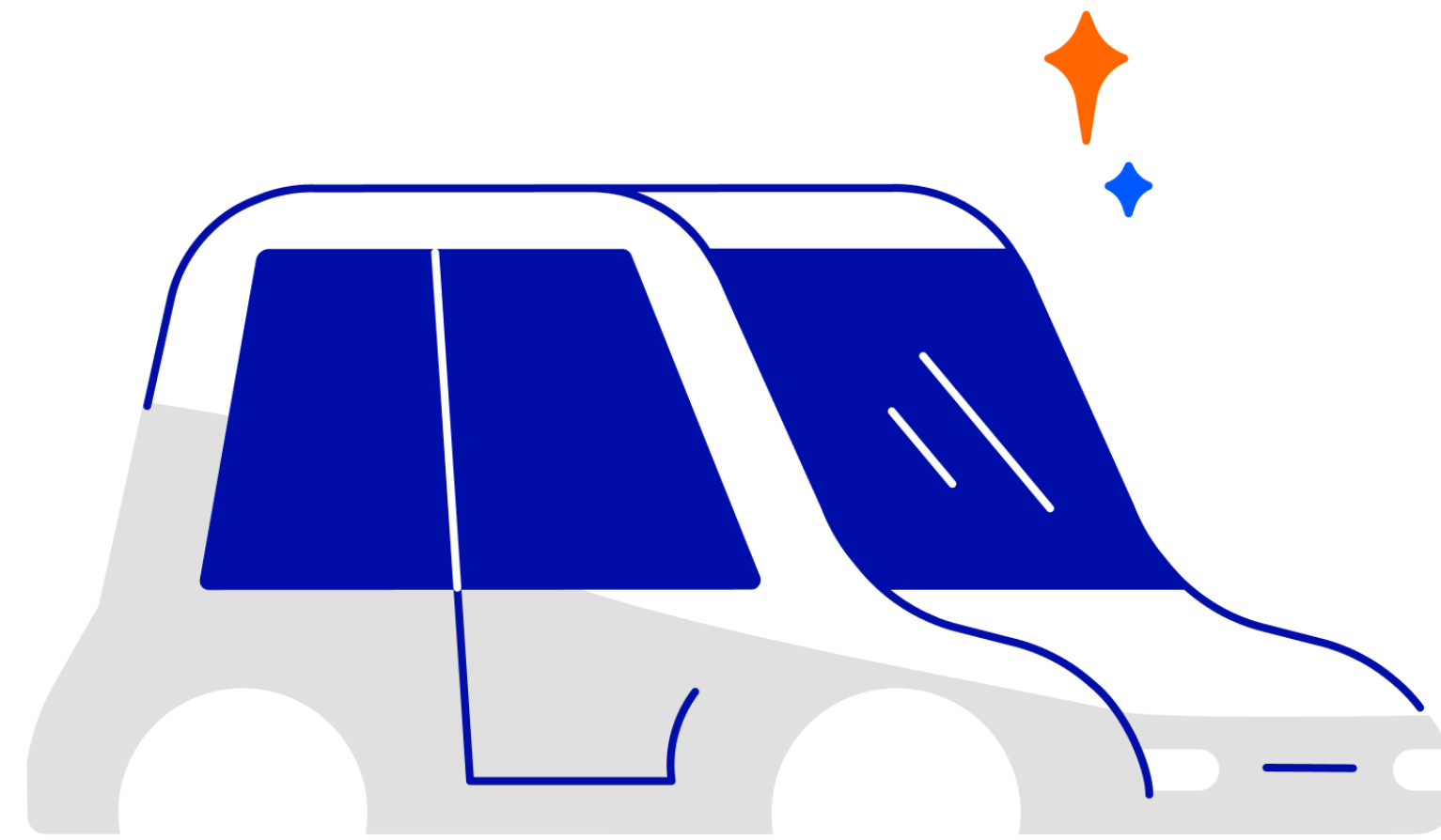
Why We Can't Just YOLO to Production



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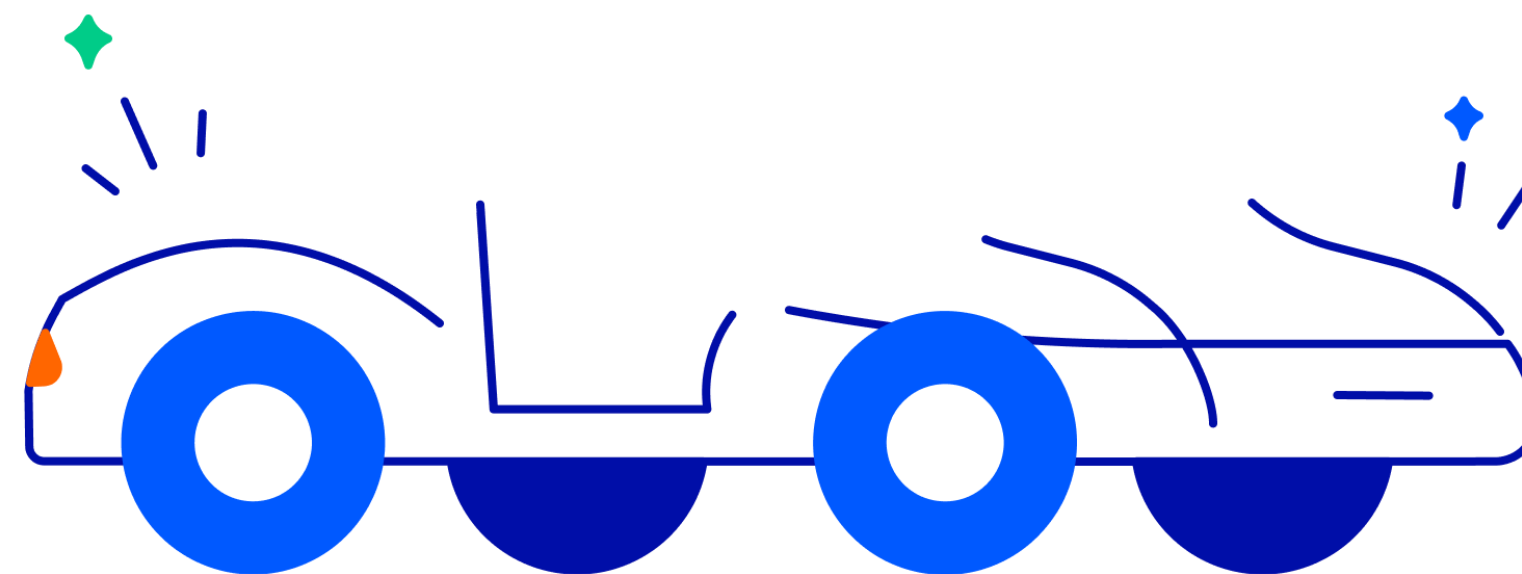
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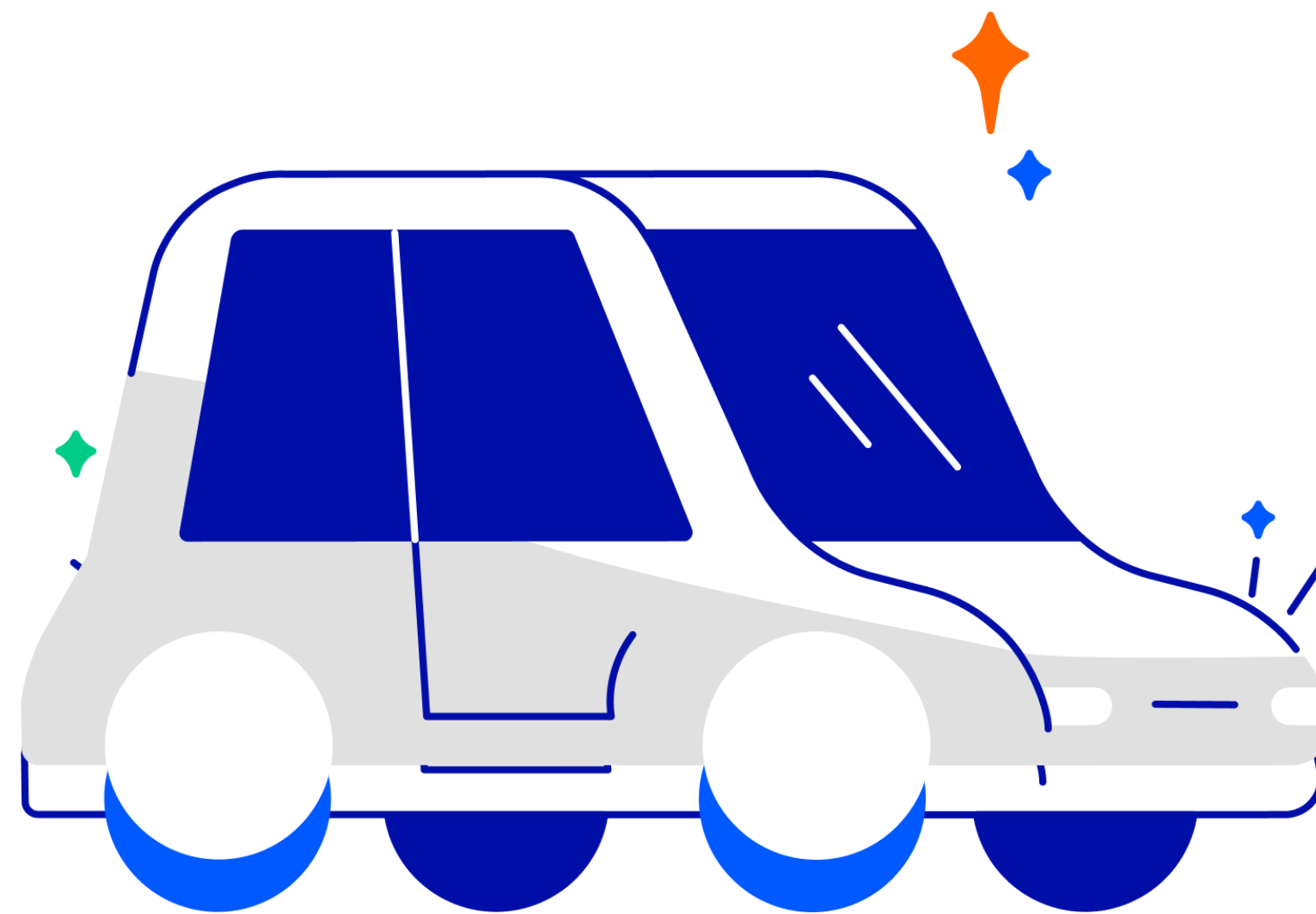
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Architecture



**Red Hat**
Advanced Cluster
Security
for Kubernetes

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Management
for Kubernetes


VMware
NSX®


splunk
OTEL agent


argo


Sealed Secrets


f5®




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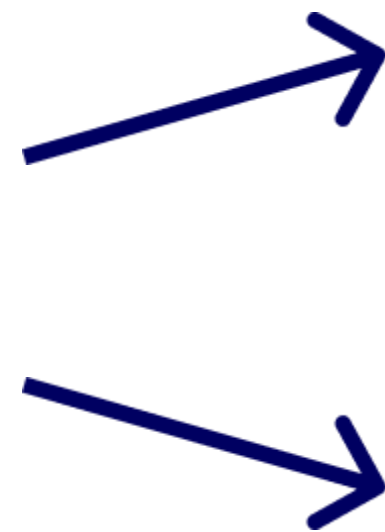

Amazon
Inspector


GuardDuty


Karpenter

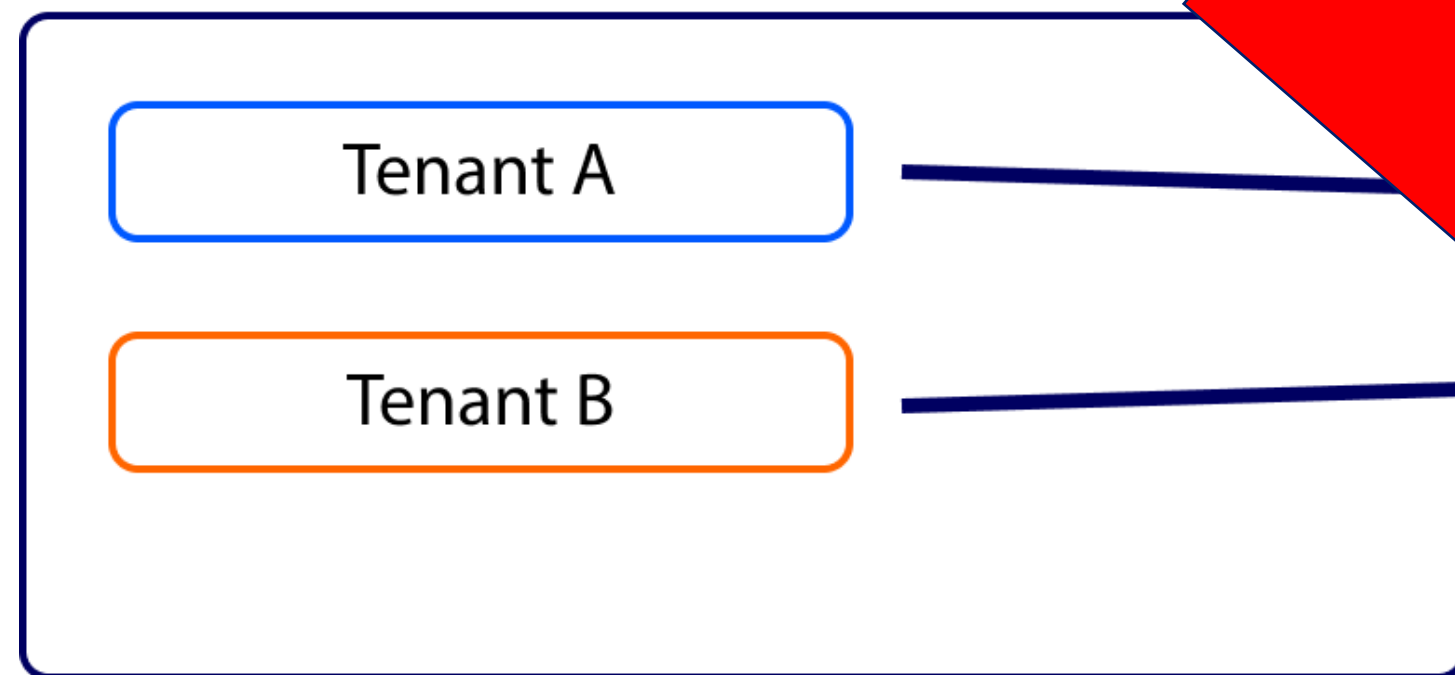

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Designing Our Kubernetes Adventure

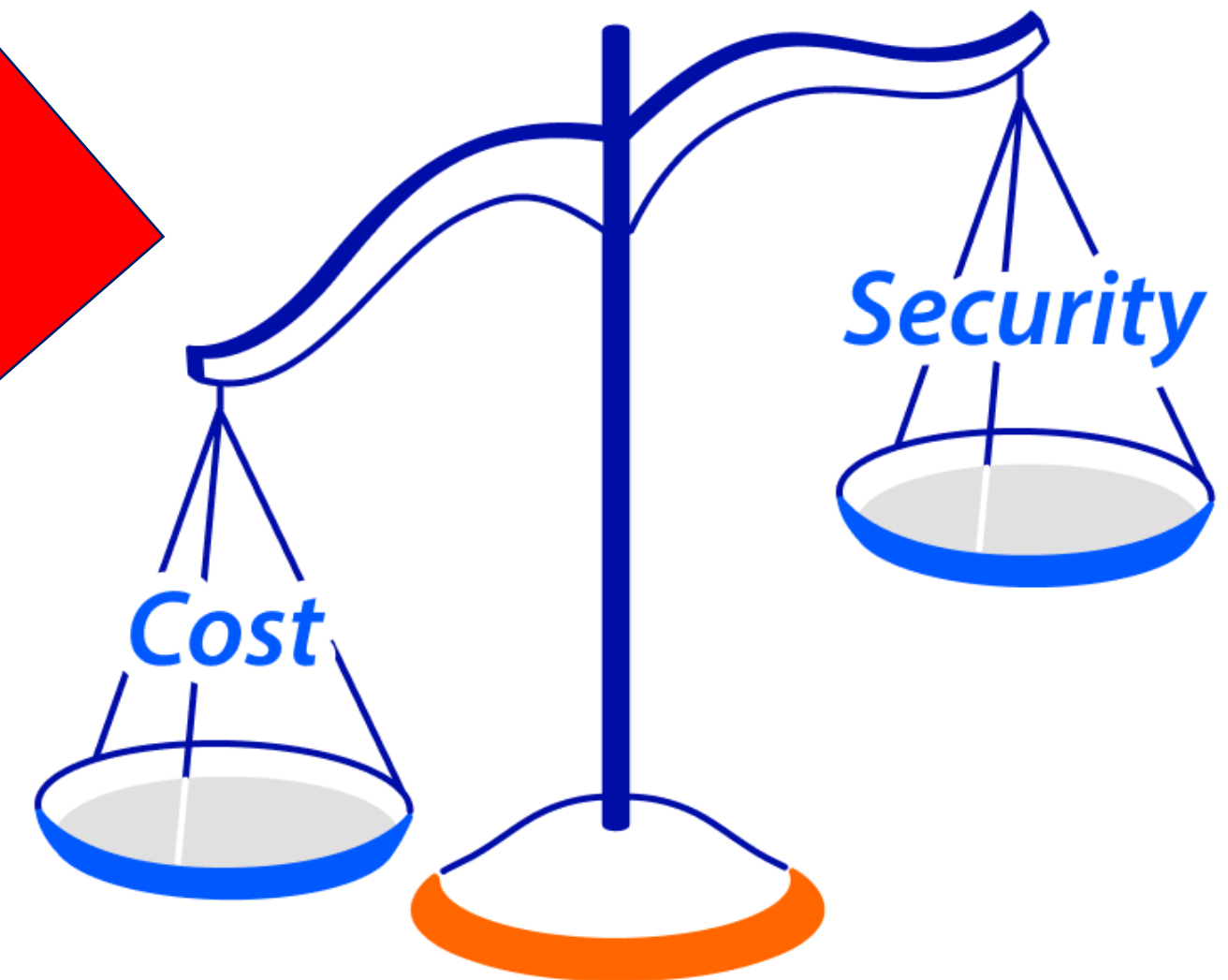


Namespace-as-a-service

Azure Kubernetes Cluster



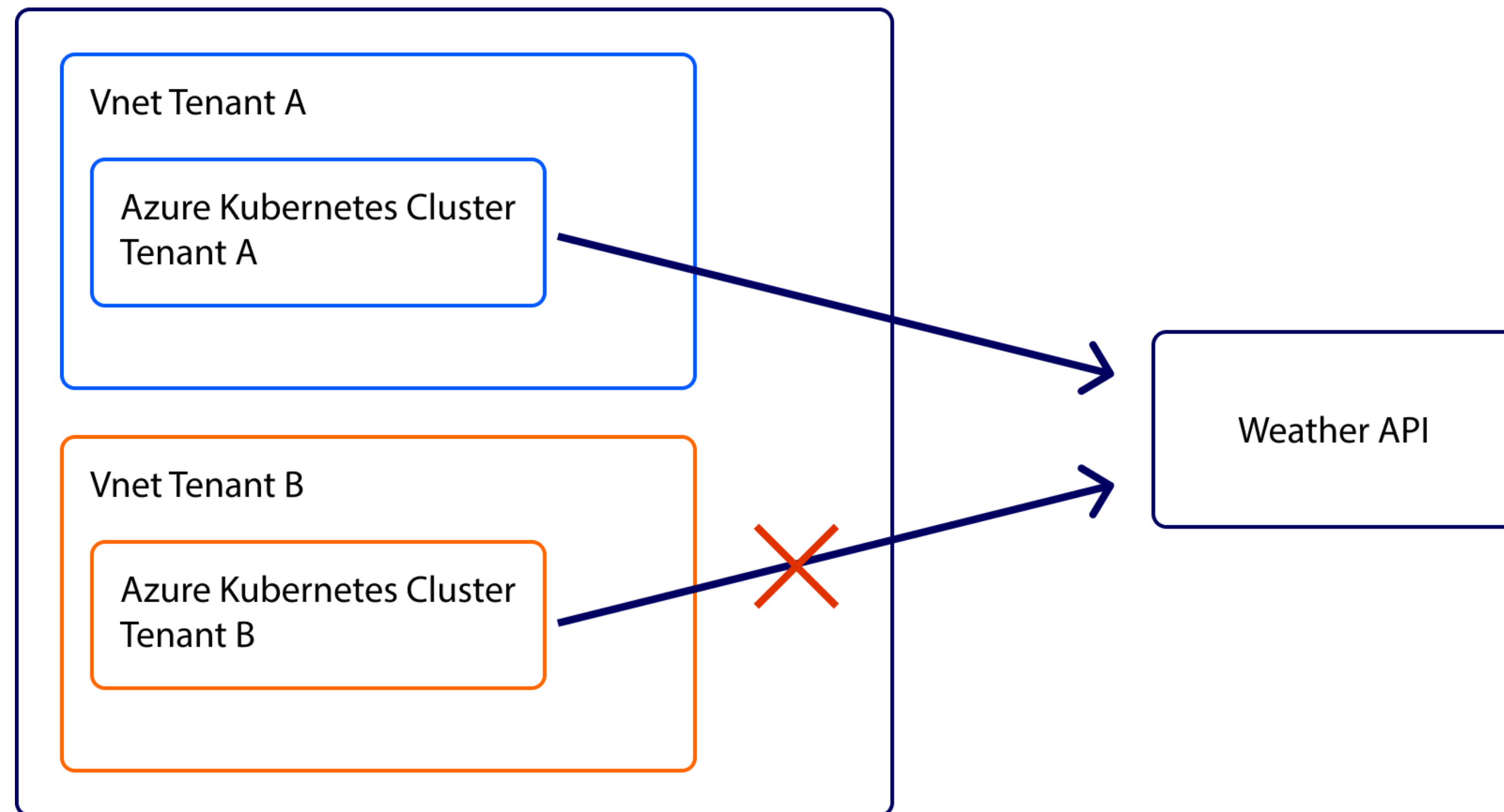
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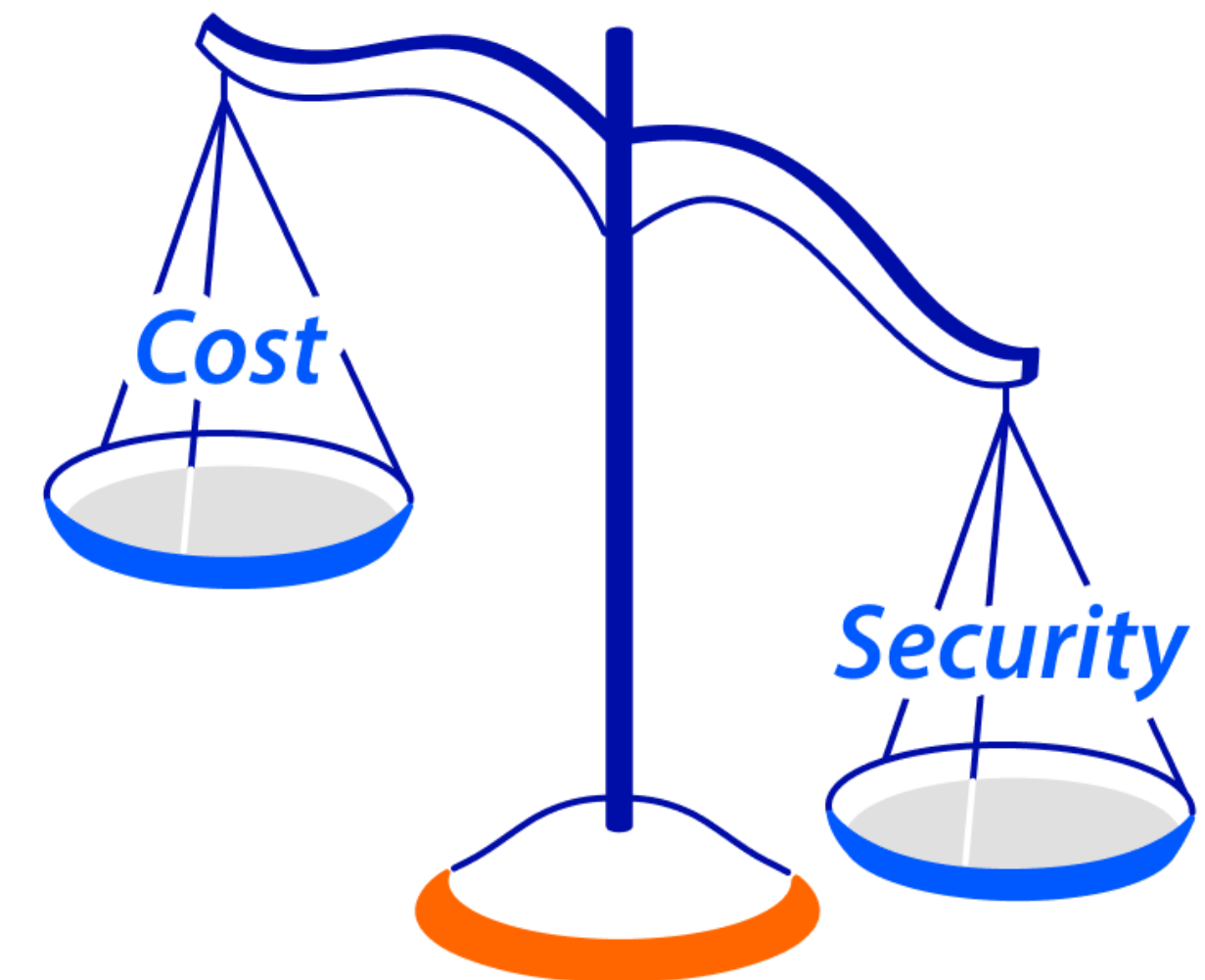
Cost > Security

Cluster-as-a-service AKS

Azure subscription KubeHub



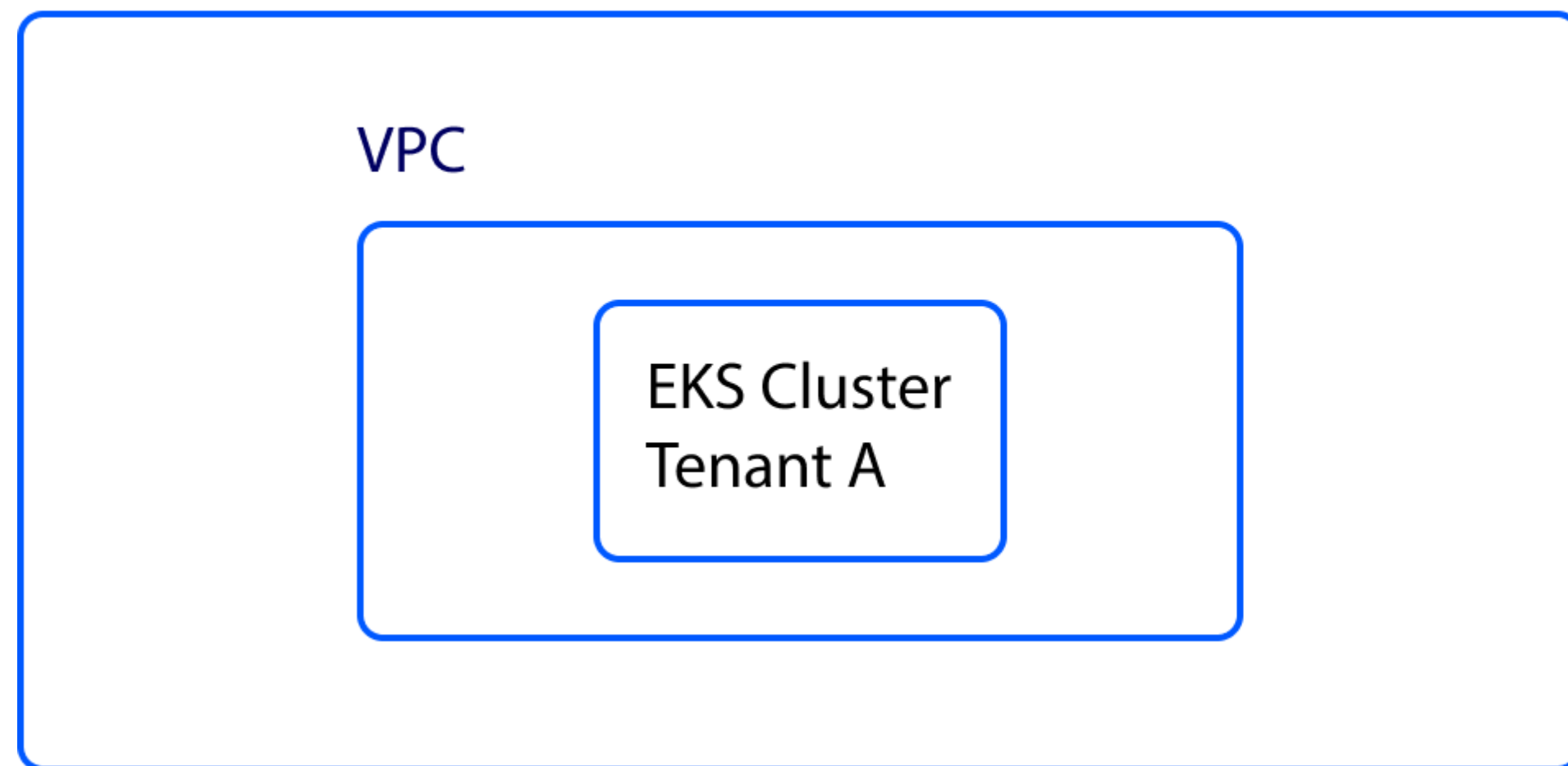
Isolation on
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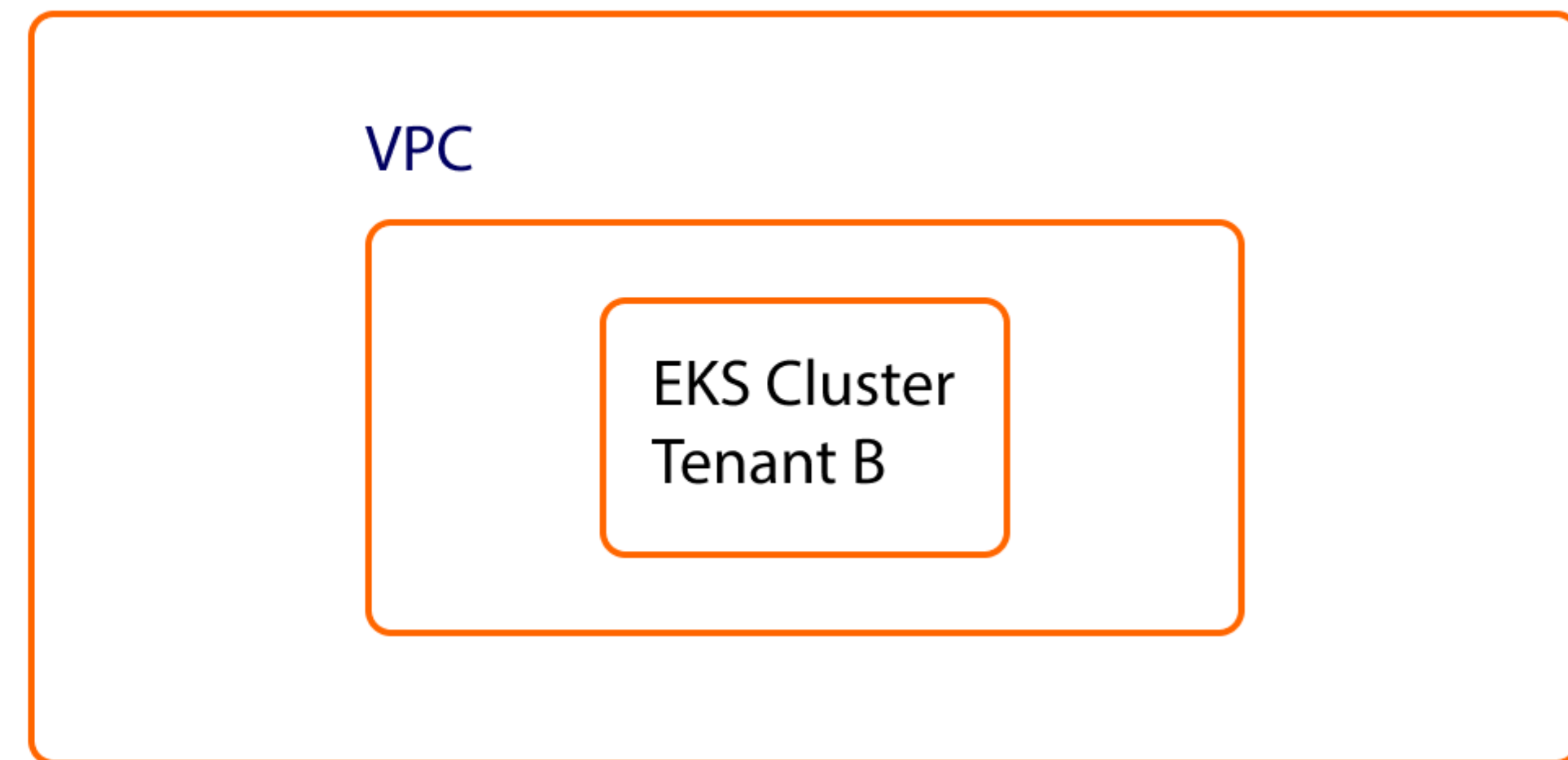
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Cluster-as-a-service EKS

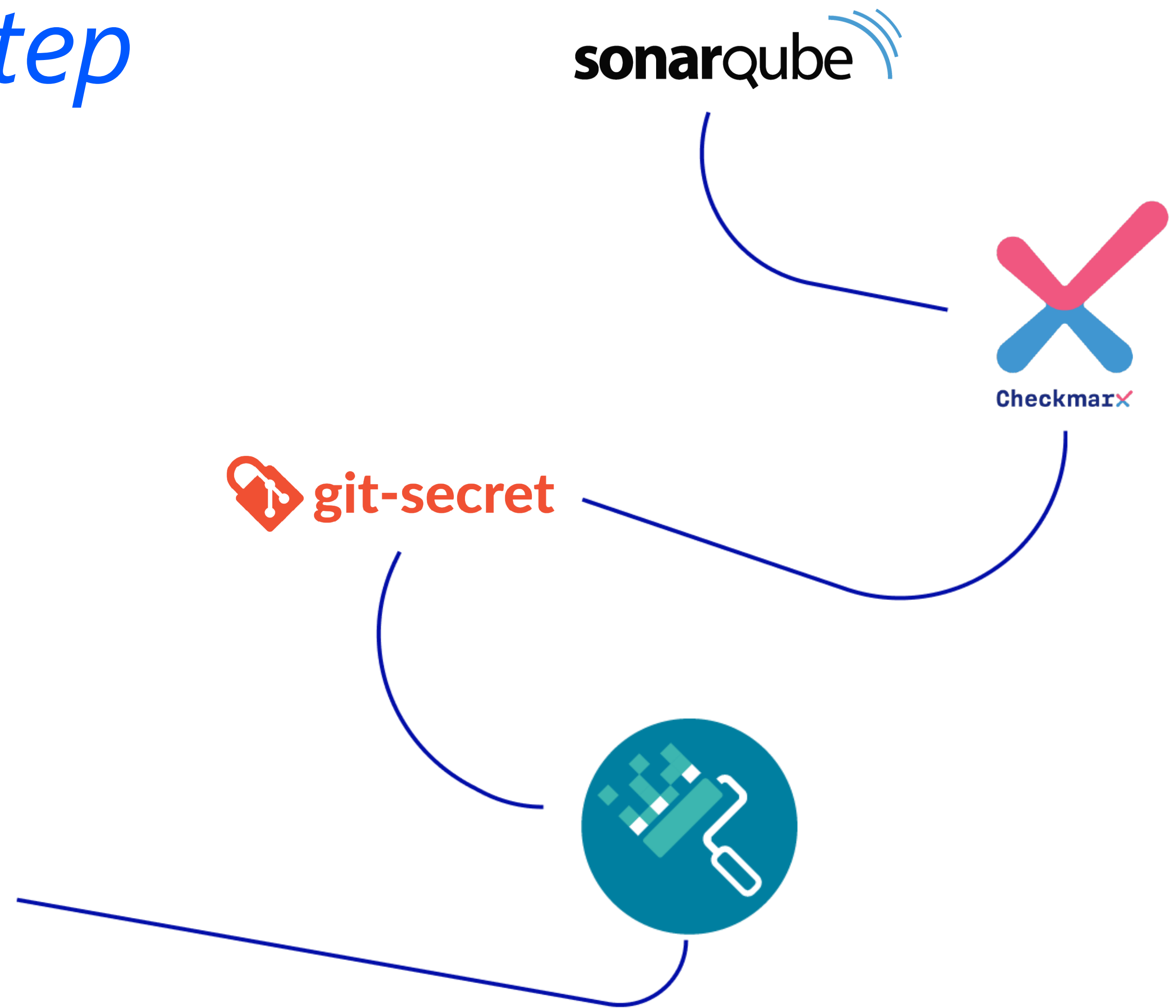
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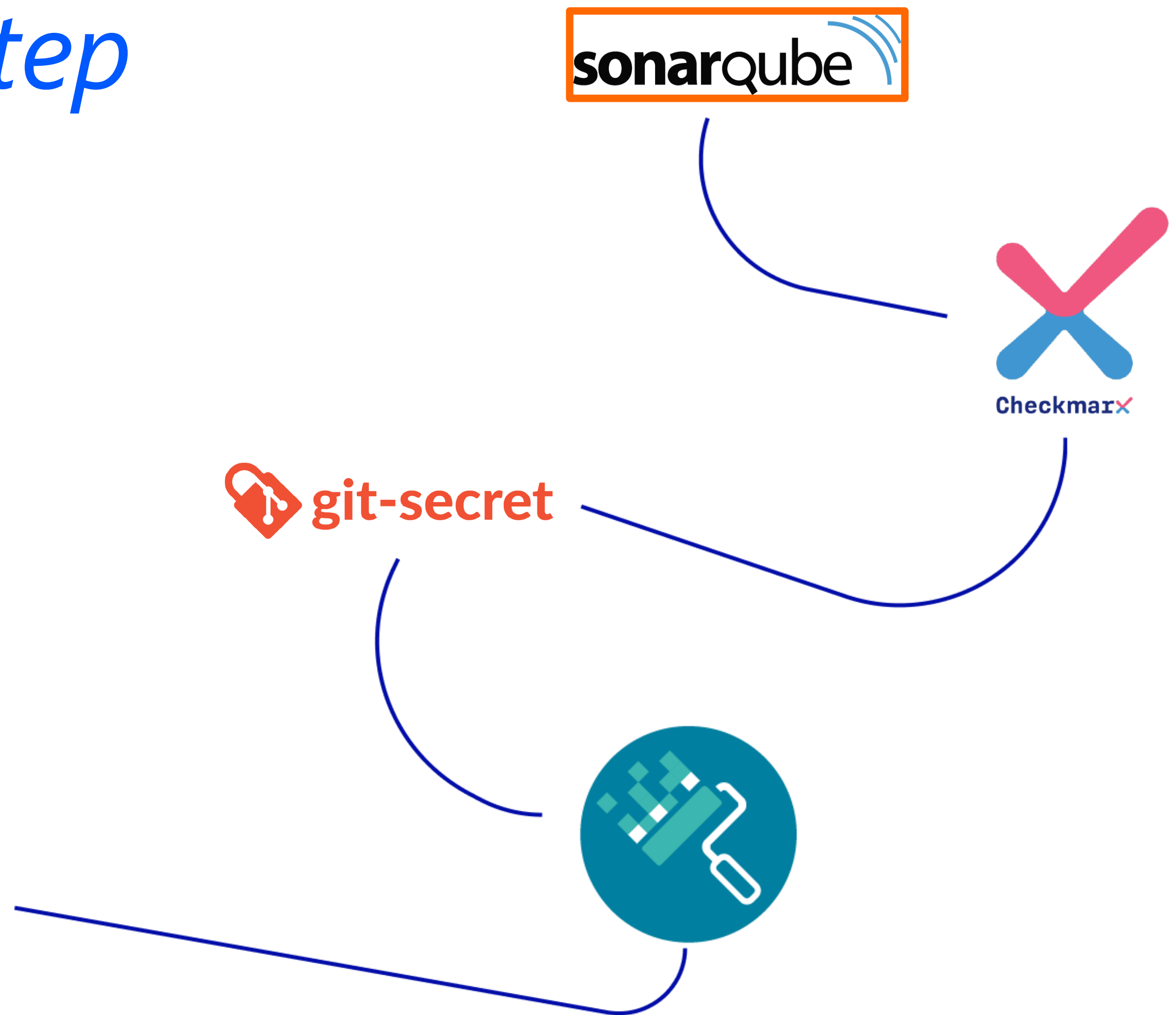
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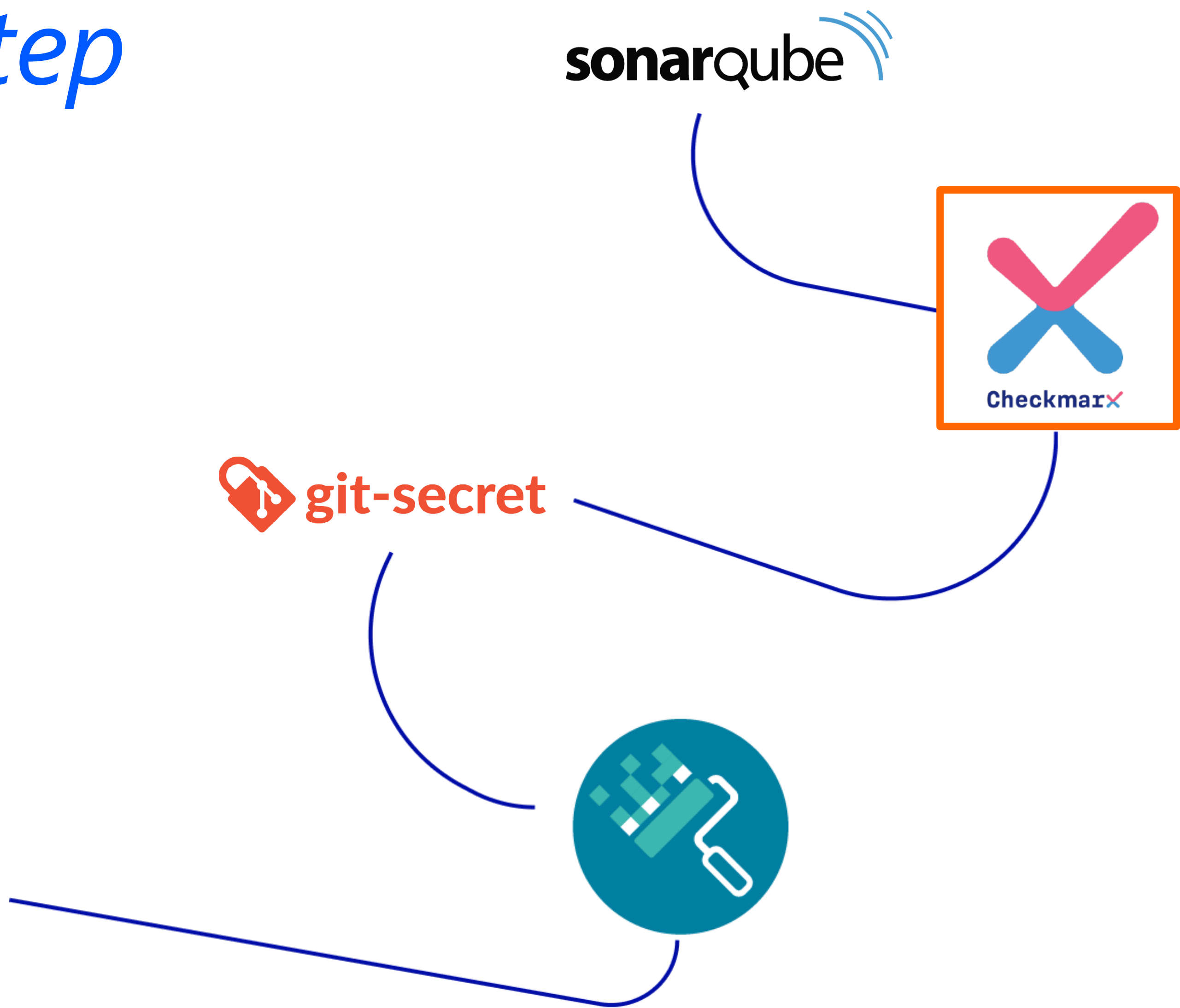
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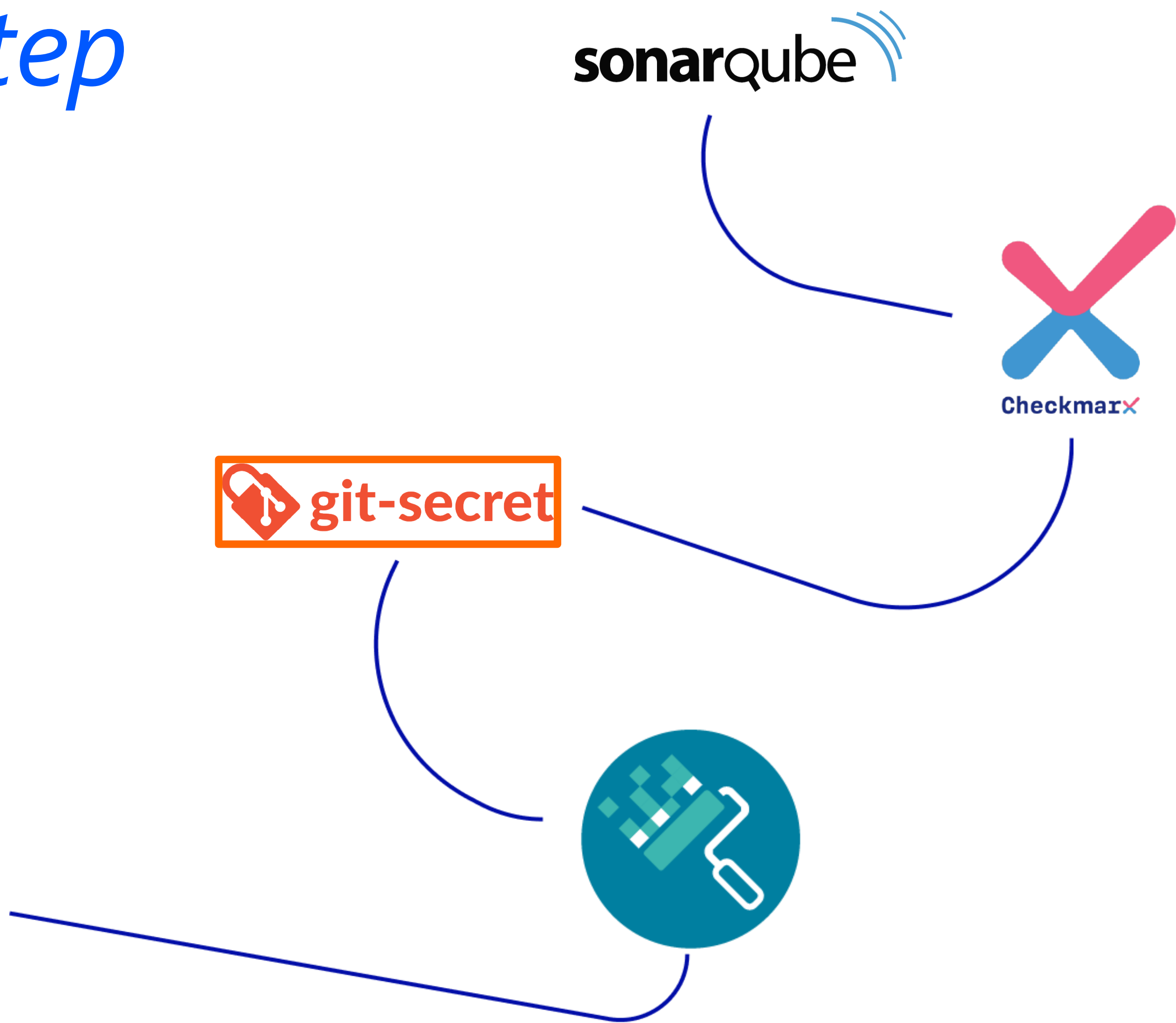
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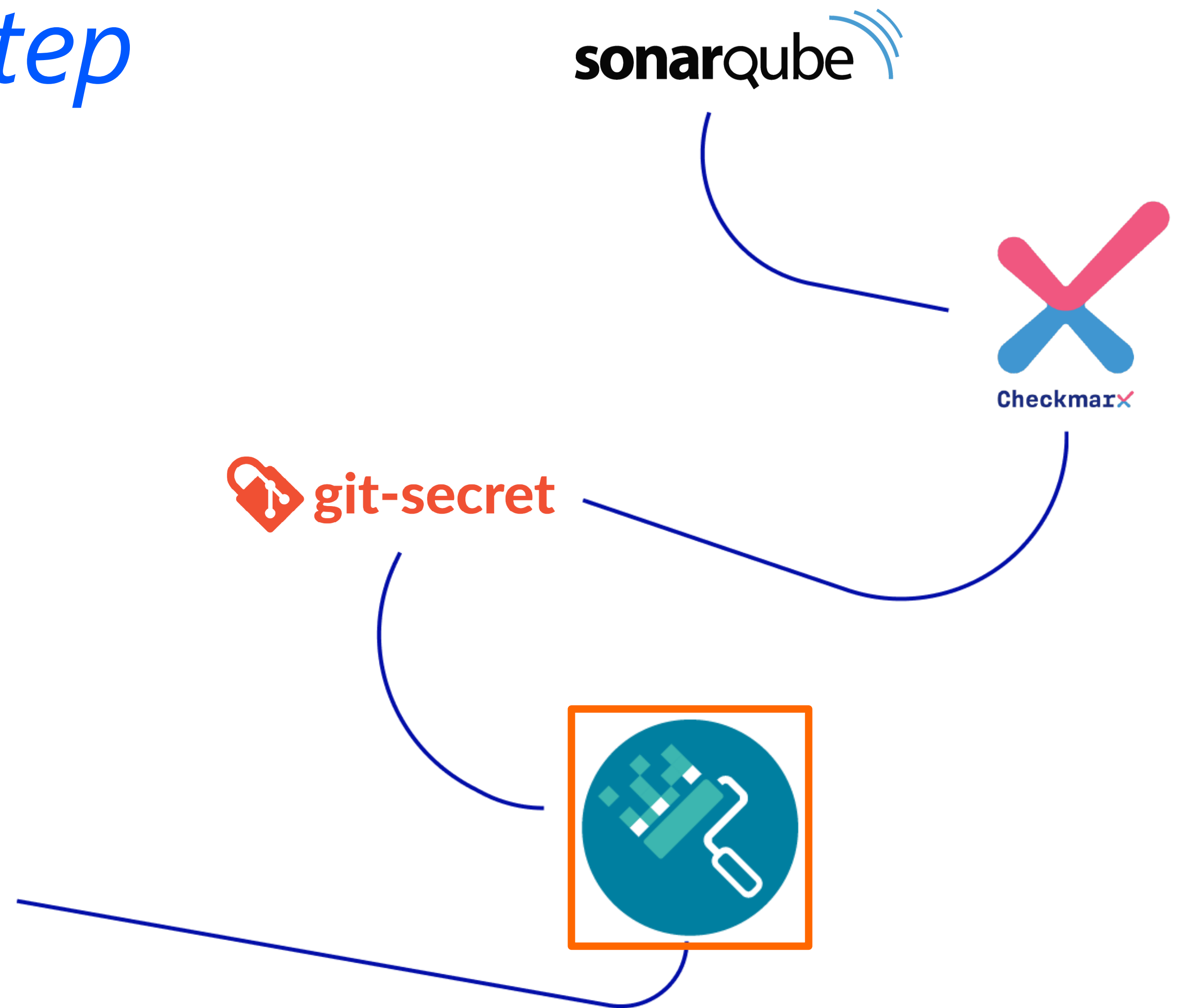
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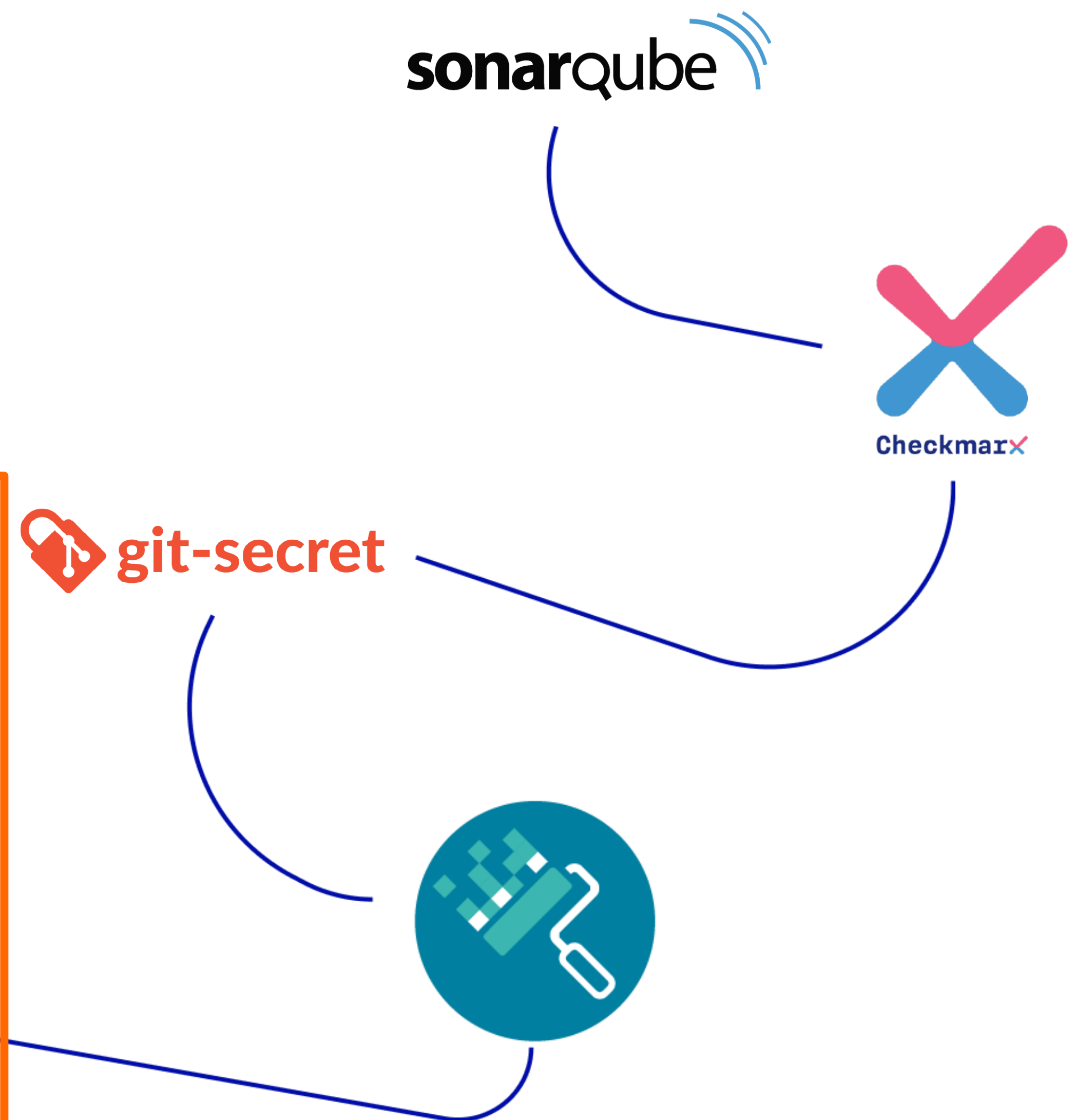
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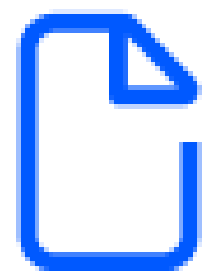
Freedom, Not Free-for-All



Governance



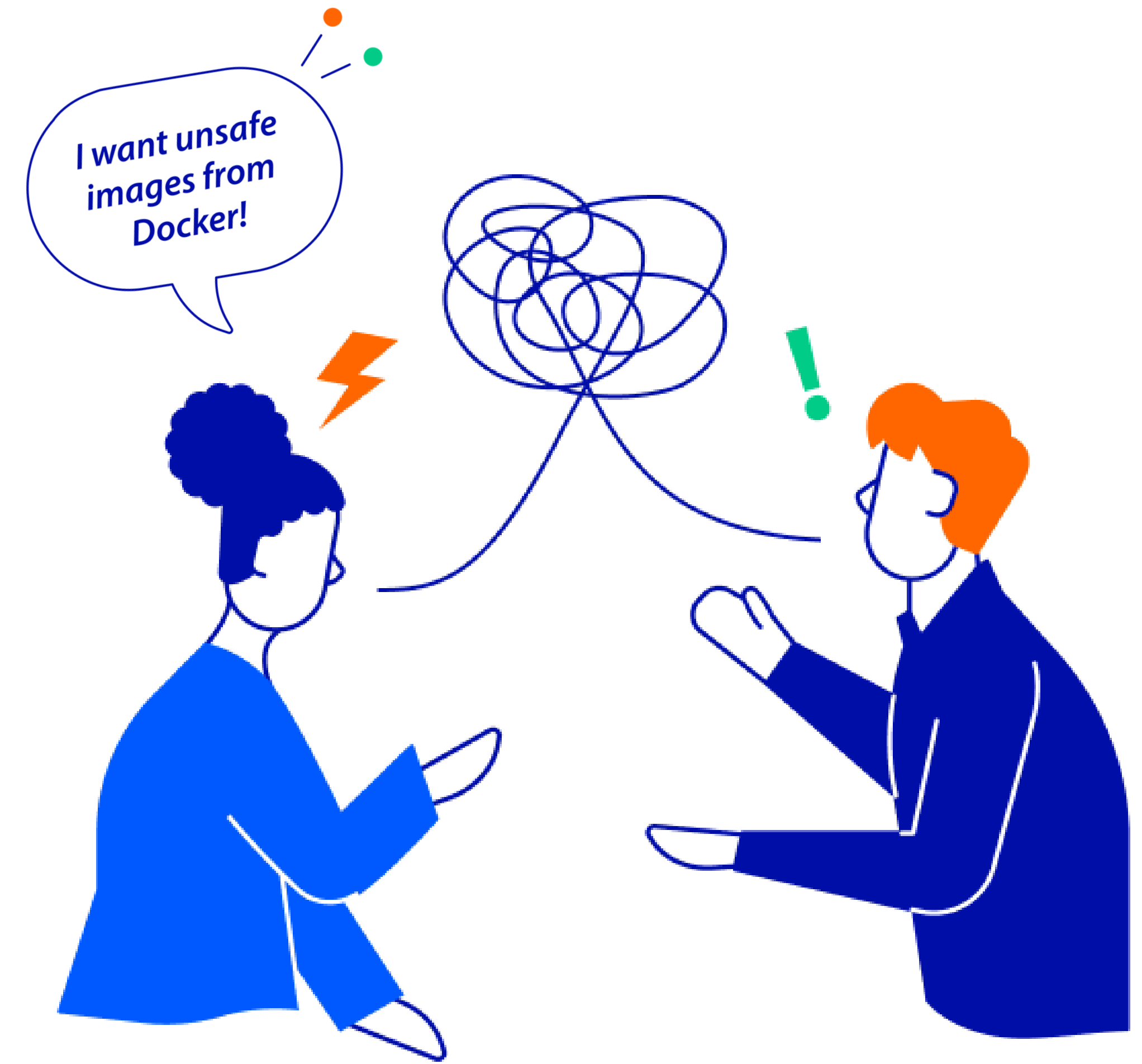
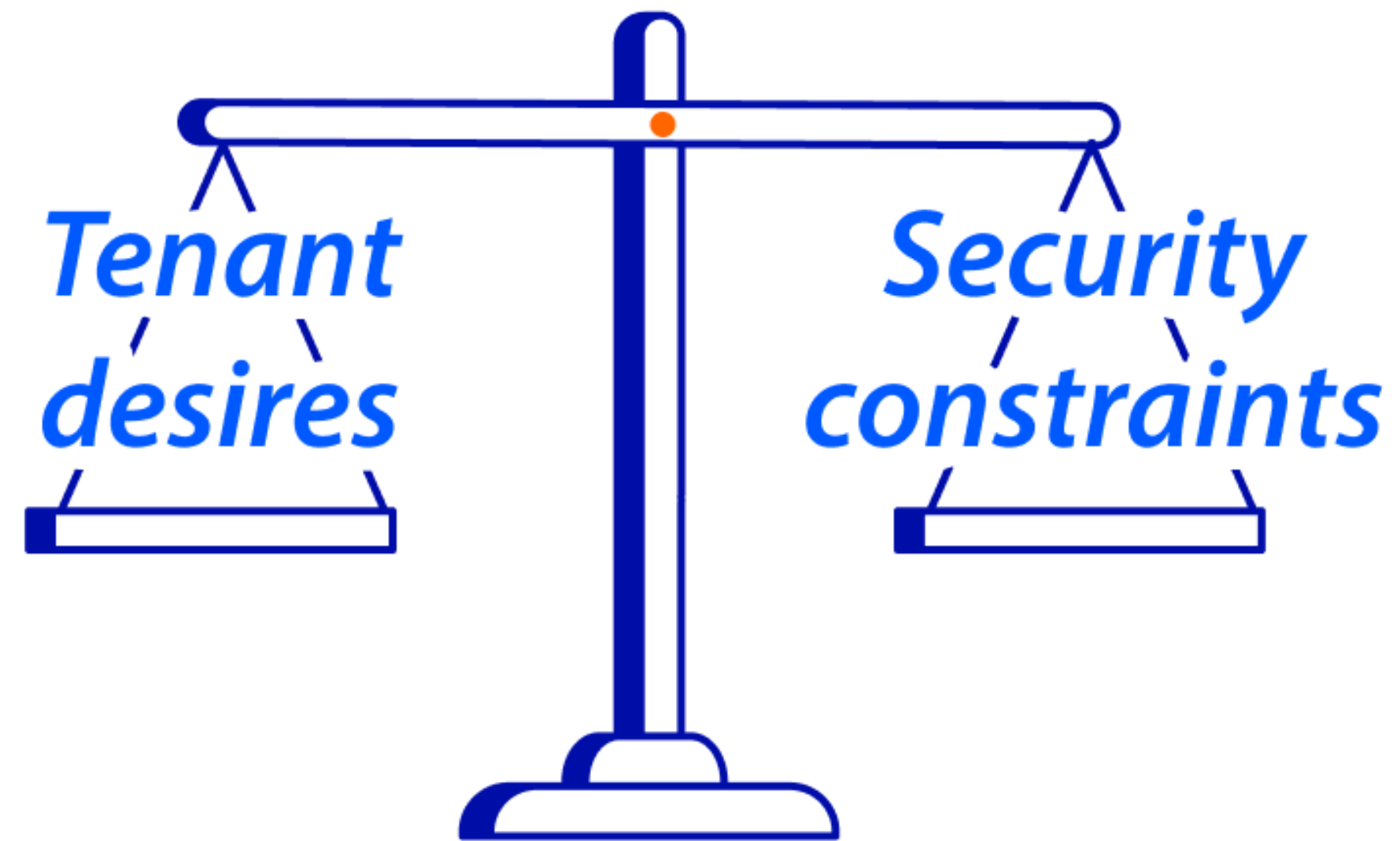
Admin within Boundaries



Reporting



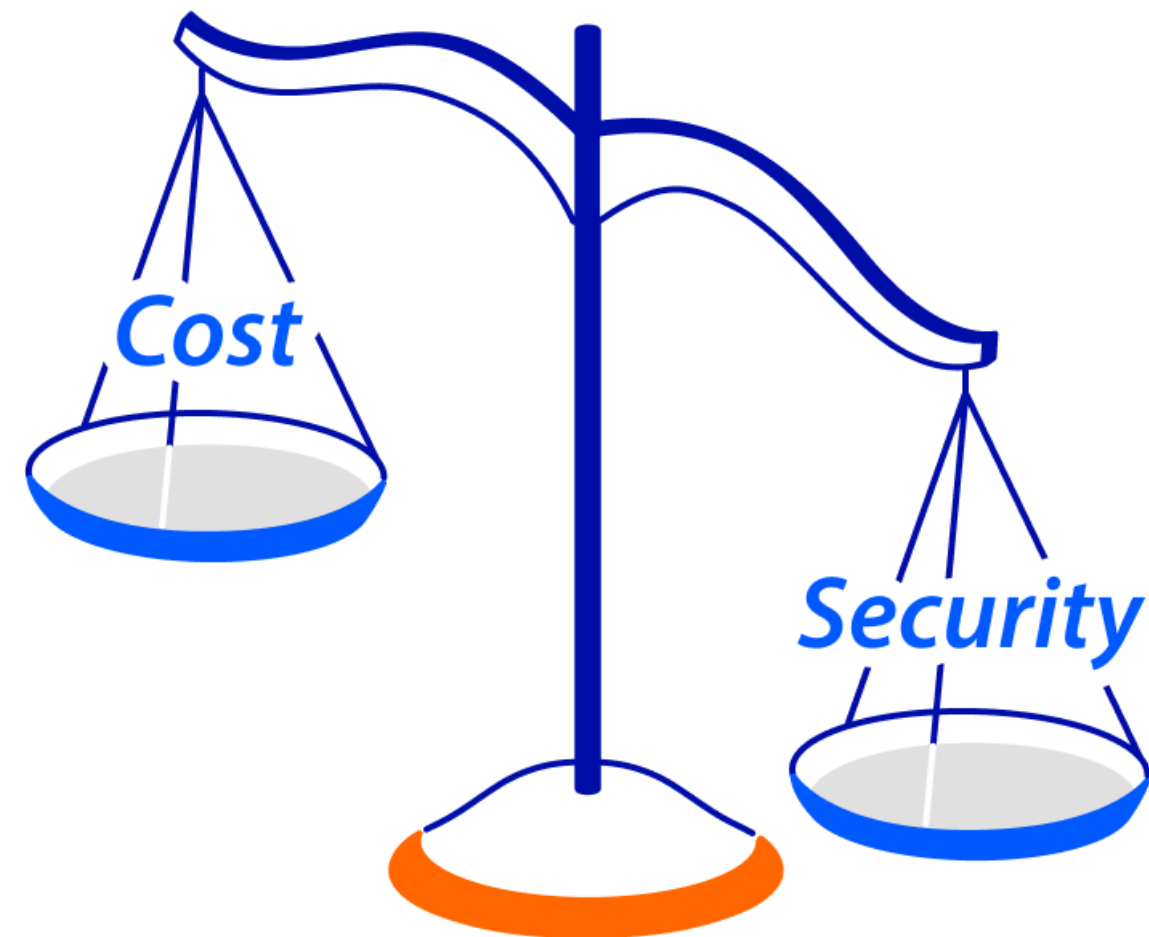
It Takes Two To Stay Secure



From 54 days to just 4 hours

Demo

Key Giveaways



Weighing Security vs Cost



Think of tooling



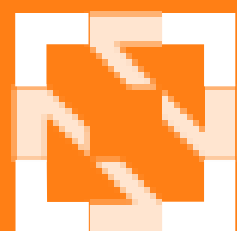
Constraints create dialogue

Shout out to the team!





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Thank you!

