Camunda Case Management System using Microapp Architecture



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Agenda

- Microapp Architecture
- **Process Orchestration**
- Hybrid Approach
- Live Demo 🤞



What is Microapp Architecture?

Independent, small applications serving specific functions

Definitions:

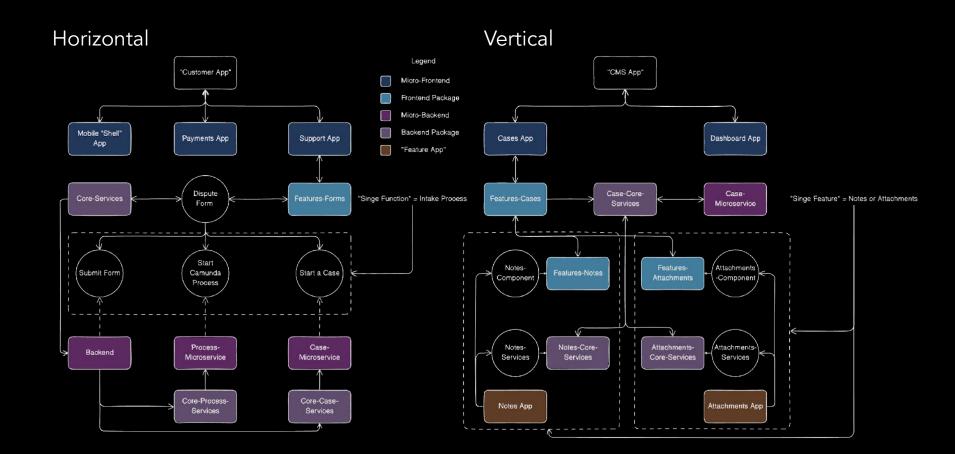
- Micro-Frontend = Frontend for specific use
- Micro-Backend/Service = Backend for specific use
- Microapp Architecture = Connect multiple Micro-Frontends and Micro-Services

Implementations:

- Horizontal Microarchitecture =
 multiple microapps connected to a
 "single function"
- Vertical Microarchitecture = multiple microapps connected to a "single feature"

Horizontal vs Vertical Implementations C





Camunda with Microapps: Orchestration [

Orchestration can be handled by Camunda or your Microapps

Camunda Orchestration:

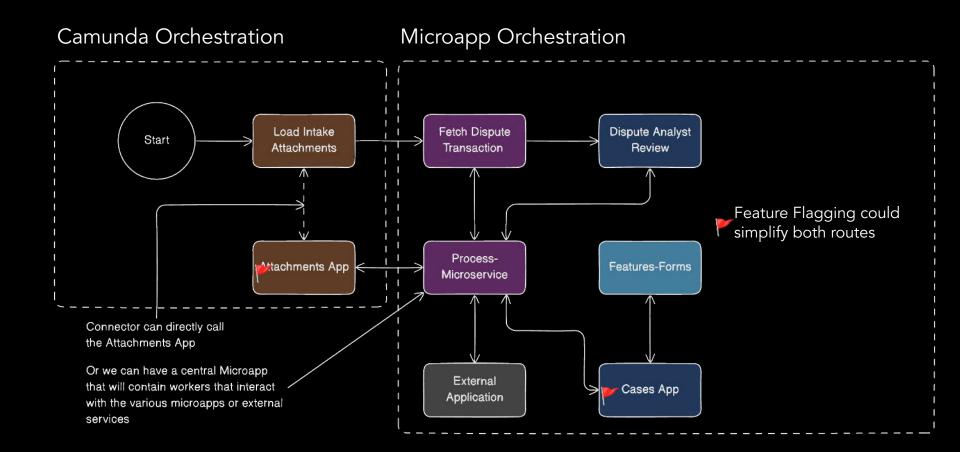
- Pros:
- Simplifies Orchestration
- Real-time Process Management
- Cons:
- Tighter Coupling
- Scalability Challenges
- Complexity in Workflow

Microapp Orchestration:

- Pros:
- Resilient Architecture
- Scalable Design
- Cons:
- Potential Latency
- Maintenance Overhead
- Complexity in Microapps

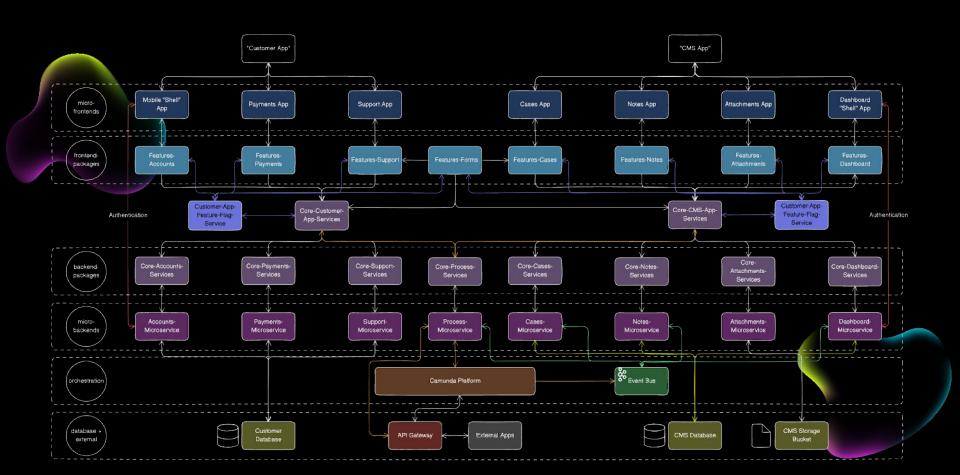
Camunda & Microapps Implementations C





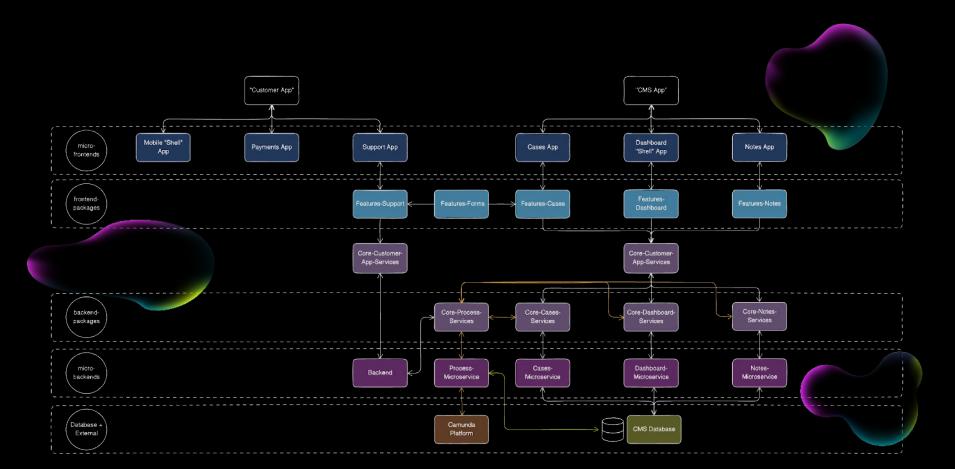
Demo Architecture: "Ideal"





Demo Architecture: "Demo Setup"





Live Demo



Challenges and Microapps

Independent, small applications serving specific functions

Challenges:

- Data Consistency across Microapps
- Managing API Contracts between
 Camunda and Microapps
- Complex CI/CD
- Managing dependencies acrossRepos

Best Practices:

- Centralize Core-Services
- Data Charts in each microservice interacting with DB
- Centralized Process Orchestrator and/or Centralized Microapp
 Service
- Feature flagging for flexibility

Thank You

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