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Netstream launches «Kubernetes as a Service powered by VMware Tanzu»

Tuesday, November 11, 2021. Starting today, Netstream AG will offer the Kubernetes platform from VMware Tanzu under the name «Kubernetes as a Service powered by VMware Tanzu». Using VMware Tanzu, Netstream customers obtain a fully managed Kubernetes service that simplifies the deployment and management of containerized applications. This will make Netstream AG one of the first three providers in Europe to offer VMware Tanzu to customers.

VMware Tanzu offers the fundamentals for the modernization of infrastructures and applications using container management. Developers are provided with a modern application infrastructure so they can develop better software and bring innovative applications to market faster. Administrators benefit by having full control over security and policies and the ease of deploying new clusters - as simple as deploying new virtual machines. With the centralized management, application developers and operations teams collaborate to achieve the goal of shorter release cycles.

Netstream AG has already been using the container platform for several years to modernize and develop its own TV platform and apps. By offering Kubernetes as a Service, the company now wants to enable other companies to benefit from the advantages of the service - fully managed. The solution can be used diversely through seamless integration into existing architectures. Existing VMware Tanzu customers previously using VMware Tanzu on-prem also benefit from the Netstream solution due to its full compatibility. No prior investment in hardware or software is required here.

«With complete management by VMware Tanzu and native integration into our cloud, we are enabling companies and developers to benefit from the advantages of the fully managed Kubernetes service and thereby profit from the combined power of VMware and Netstream», Reto Kasser, CTO of Netstream AG, said happily. «From our own experience, we are aware of the difficulties in achieving convergence between virtual machines and orchestrated containers. Contrary to the already existing self-managed Kubernetes environments, we offer together with VMware a fully managed solution on enterprise level, which facilitates the described convergence. This means we can support the most diverse types of companies on the path to digital transformation.»

«We very much welcome Netstream AG launching a Kubernetes as a Service offering, based on VMware Tanzu. This gives our joint customer base the ability to run Virtual Machines and Kubernetes side by side, simplifying K8s operations, enable developer self-service, and to access the best of open source from a Swiss-based datacenter as a fully managed enterprise level service,» says Thomas Krieg, Senior Director Alps at VMware.

Netstream's Kubernetes as a Service (KaaS) powered by VMware Tanzu
The solution is now available. For further information, visit netstream.ch/kubernetes.

Netstream Cloud Services

Netstream has a wide range of experience in cloud solutions. Offerings include Virtual Data Center (vDC), Infra-structure as a Service, Backup & Recovery and Object Storage solutions.

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About Netstream

Netstream AG was founded in 1998 and consists of around 40 employees today. The company delivers customized IT solutions focused on cloud and streaming and scores with its in-house, highly secure data centers and high-availability signal processing in Switzerland. Netstream AG has been evolving into an agile learning company since 2019, where the vision: « Imagine people living together fulfilled in harmony with technology and nature.» is at the center of its actions.

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