# Nextcloud

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# Agenda

- Nextcloud in 2020
- Architecture update
- Questions



# Positioning







#### Nextcloud Hub



# Alternative to Microsoft and Google



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Collaborative tags





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# Sharing

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Carl Green :D



Christine Schott







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Here's also a train ticket example - I went to Stuttgart, and back to Nuremberg.

Buchungsbestätigung (Auftrag BPM83K)	
Sehr geehrter Herr Poortvliet,	
vielen Dank für Ihren Fahrkartenkauf.	

Ihre Buchungsdaten:

Falls Sie die App "DB Navigator" auf Ihrem Android Smartphone oder iPhone installiert haben, können Sie Ihr Handy-Ticket über folgenden Link herunterladen: Auftrag laden für iOS DB Navigator Auftrag laden für Android DB Navigator

Die App erhalten Sie über www.bahn.de/apps oder suchen Sie in den App-Stores nach "DB Navigator".

#### Das sollten Sie wissen:

Das Ticket gilt nur für Johannes Poortvliet persönlich (ggf. auch für Mitfahrer) in Verbindung mit einem amtlichen Lichtbildausweis (z.B. Personalausweis oder Reisepass) oder einer gültigen BahnCard.



#### Personal info

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- 4 Activity
- Mobile & desktop
- ★ Accessibility
- **<** Sharing
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#### **PDF** conversion

Convert documents into the PDF format on upload and write.

Add new flow

#### Write to conversation

Writes event information into a conversation of your choice

Add new flow

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More flows

Browse the app store

customer-upload

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#### Write to conversation

Writes event information into a conversation of your choice

project discussion

Mention room

Delete

convert-to-pdf

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#### **Two-Factor Authentication** i

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Use a second factor besides your password to increase security for your account.

🔒 Backup code

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Backup codes have been generated. 0 of 10 codes have been used.

Regenerate backup codes

If you regenerate backup codes, you automatically invalidate old codes.

Nextcloud Notification

✓ Use two-factor authentication via Nextcloud notifications

- TOTP (Authenticator app)
  - Enable TOTP
- 🖋 U2F device

No U2F devices configured. You are not using U2F as second factor at the moment.

Add U2F device

#### **Passwordless Authentication**

Set up your account for passwordless authentication following the FIDO2 standard.

No devices configured.

O Please authorize your WebAuthn device.

#### **Devices & sessions**

Web, desktop and mobile clients currently logged in to your account.

Last activity













You created untitled folder



You created app password "curl"



You successfully logged in using two-factor authentication (...



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Jos Poortvliet changed Marketing/Graphics/Video...



Jos Poortvliet created Marketing/Graphics/Videos...



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#### Nextcloud end-to-end encryption

#### Create and sync identity







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What to eat for lunch

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3 (43%): Simple design makes filling forms a breeze

3 (43%): Nextcloud integration

1 (14%): No response





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#### No unread mentions



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Discuss project Butterscotch Nextcloud Hub Linkedin backgrou...



🐝 Weekly hangout 😍 You left the call



Nina Cercy Are you available tomorrow?

#### **Good evening**

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#### Search conversations or users



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[mattermost] <neiluj> It is now possible to bridge messaging systems like Slack, Mattermost, Matrix

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John No way!

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#### bridge-bot

[matrix] <eneiluj> How is that even possible?



Jenny

Is it using a third party bridging service?



bridge-bot

[mattermost] <neiluj> Nextcloud Talk now integra interface to configure bridges



#### John

Wow, cool, how do I use it?

You updated the Matterbridge configuration.

You updated the Matterbridge configuration.



bridge-bot

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#### John

Ah ok I can configure it directly in the Talk room se





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- External storages
- Mobile & desktop
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- Overview
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- External sites
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#### Notifications

Choose for which activities you want to get an email or push notification.

#### Files

Mail	Push	
	✓	A favorite file or folder has been <b>changed</b>
		A file or folder has been <b>changed</b>
		A file has been added to or removed from your <b>favorites</b>
		A file or folder has been <b>shared</b>
		A file or folder was shared from <b>another server</b>
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		A calendar <b>todo</b> was modified
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	Your <b>password</b> or <b>email</b> was modified
~	A local shared file or folder was downloaded

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System tags for a file have been modified 

Comments for files

- You were invited to a **conversation** or had a **call**  $\checkmark$ 
  - Changes in the **Deck app** 
    - A card description inside the Deck app has been changed

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~ A comment was created on a card

Send notification emails: Hourly

#### Activity

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Send daily activity summary in the morning

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# Architecture update







# Global Scale

- Cluster of Clusters
- Scalability > 500k users
- Global distribution
- Cost efficiency
- Independent nodes
- Federated sharing between nodes
- Federated activities
- Federated Office editing
- Lookup Server
- Global Site Selector
- Balancer
- In production since 2018 for example at América Móvil (20M users)





Architecture evolution

# Architecture goals:

- Stability
- Performance
- Competitive functionality
- Never feature regressions
- Access to big technology ecosystem
- Easy to deploy and run and scale

# Access to big developer community

# Nextcloud architecture strategy

- We don't do a complete rewrite.
- Never compromise the user experience or flexibility or security
- Listen to customer feedback. Evolve together



• We do incremental improvements in all areas. (Vue.js, Go Push Proxy, S3, ...)

### Best of breed technologies

### JS / Vue.js Modern responsive Web UIs

-> Nextcloud WebUI / Apps

#### C++ / Qt

Cross platform desktop development

-> Nextcloud Desktop client

#### PHP

High level backend feature development Fast development speed Big technology ecosystem Big developer ecosystem Easy horizontal scaling

-> Nextcloud collaboration features-> App ecosystem

**Python / Django** Interactive web applications -> Nextcloud App Store



#### Rust / Go

Compute tasks Lot's of open connections

- -> Talk High Performance Backend
- -> Push Proxy
- -> more

#### C / C++

Low level backend integration

-> Nextcloud Talk SIP Gateway

#### Java / Kotlin

Native mobile apps -> Nextcloud Android Apps Swift / Objective-C Native mobile apps -> Nextcloud iOS Apps





### Product Feature Momentum



Features

#### Time

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Fast iterations

# Nextcloud Hub 21













Written in Rust



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• Works in addition to the current code



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- Optional

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• Up to 10x - 15x performance improvements



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• Works with and without Global Scale



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- Open Source

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- Written in Rust
- Works in addition to the current code
- Optional
- Up to 10x 15x performance improvements
- NO feature regressions
- Works with and without Global Scale
- Open Source
- Production ready with Nextcloud Hub 21 in 3 weeks

# Summary



# Nextcloud

#### Alternative to

- Dropbox
- Google Workspace
- Office 365

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- On Prem
- 100% open source
- Distributed / Federated



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# Questions?

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