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Introduction to Juju Relations

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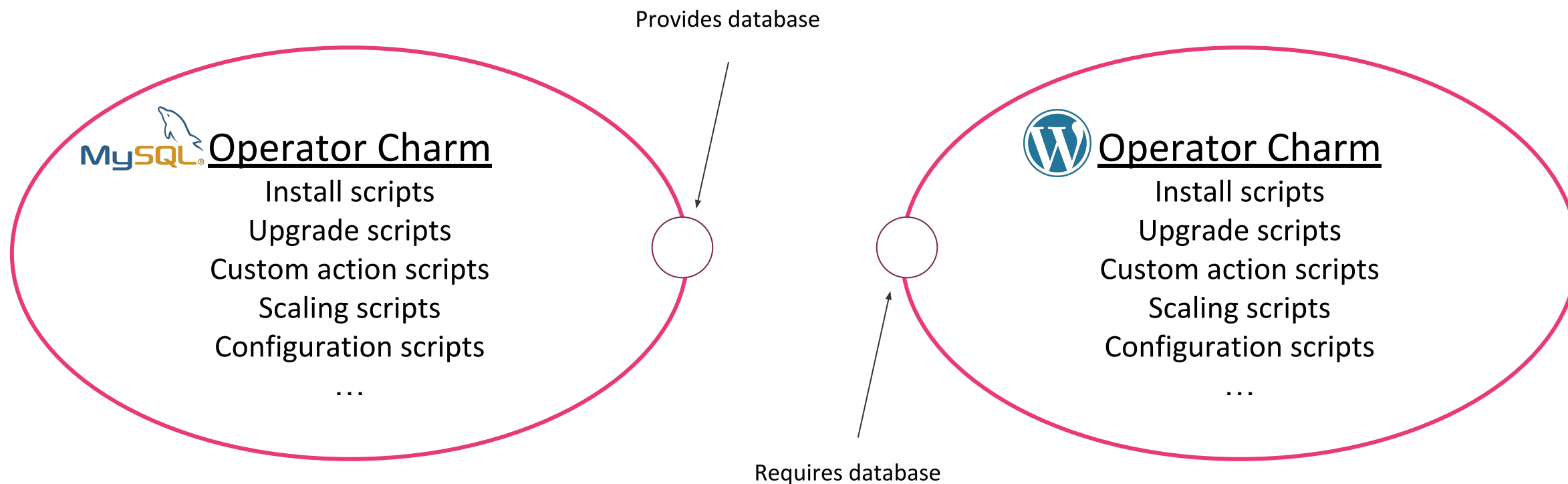
OSM orchestrates Network Functions

Physical Virtual Container

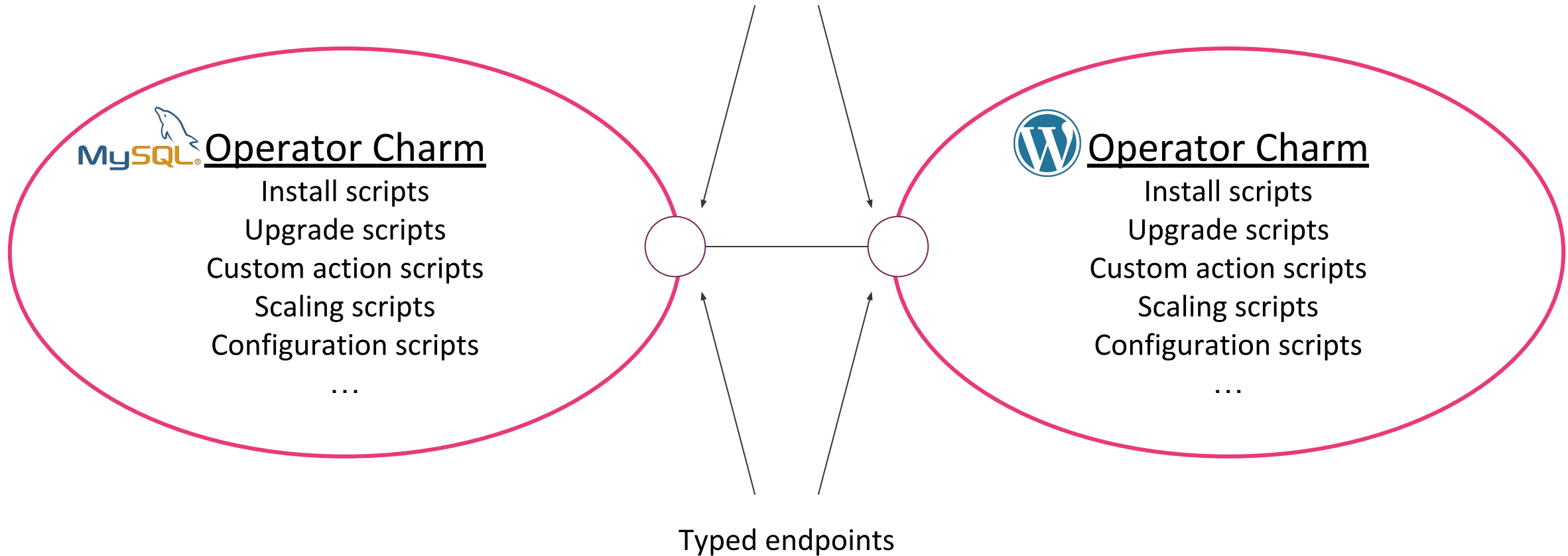
Understand the **challenge** of integration

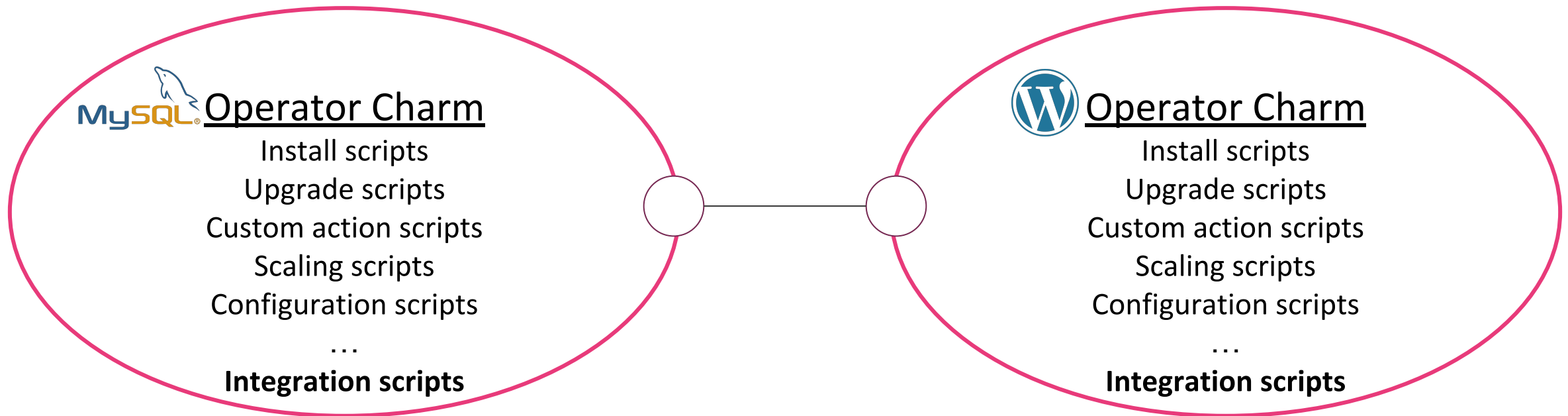
The integrations is done at the operator level

Relations are **integration between operators**



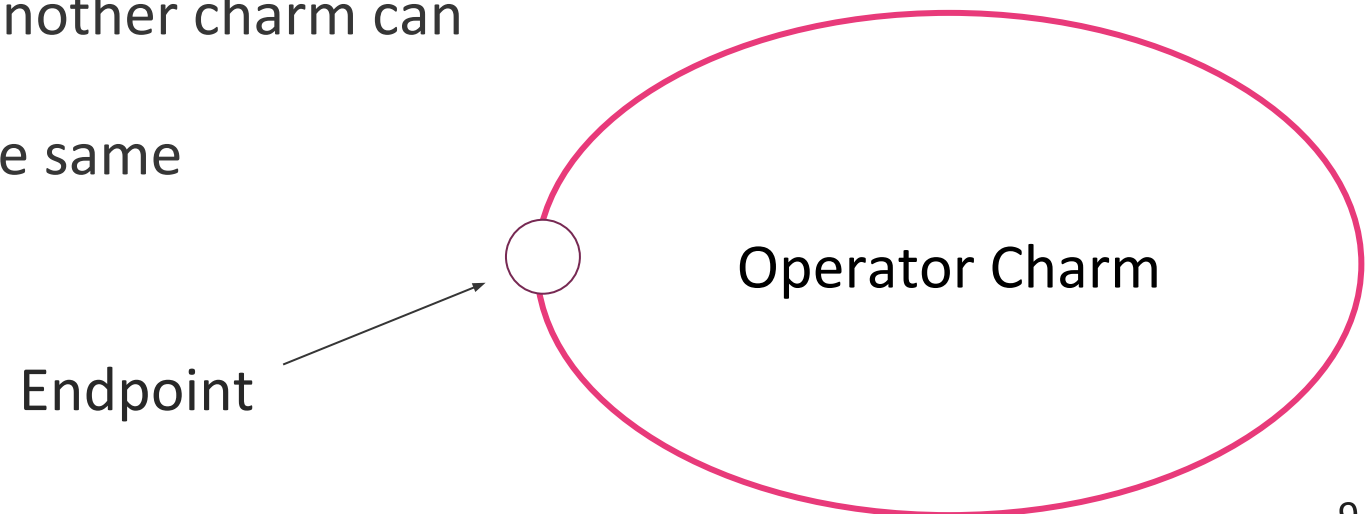
Matching endpoints can be related



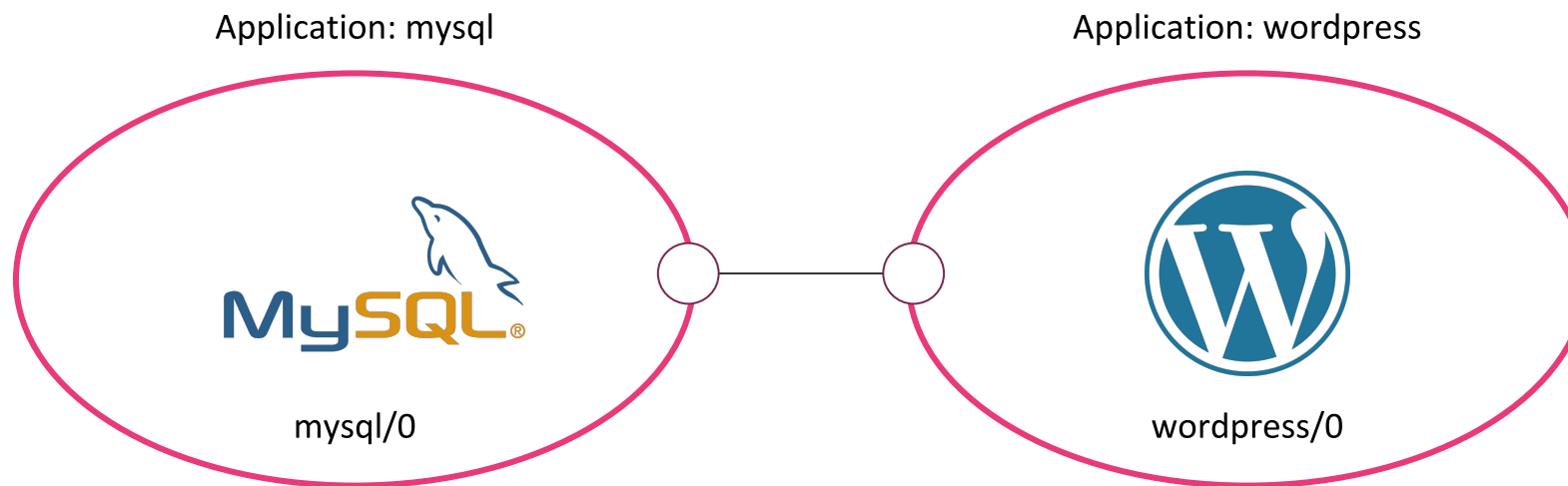


An endpoint is used to connect to another application's endpoint in order to form a relation.

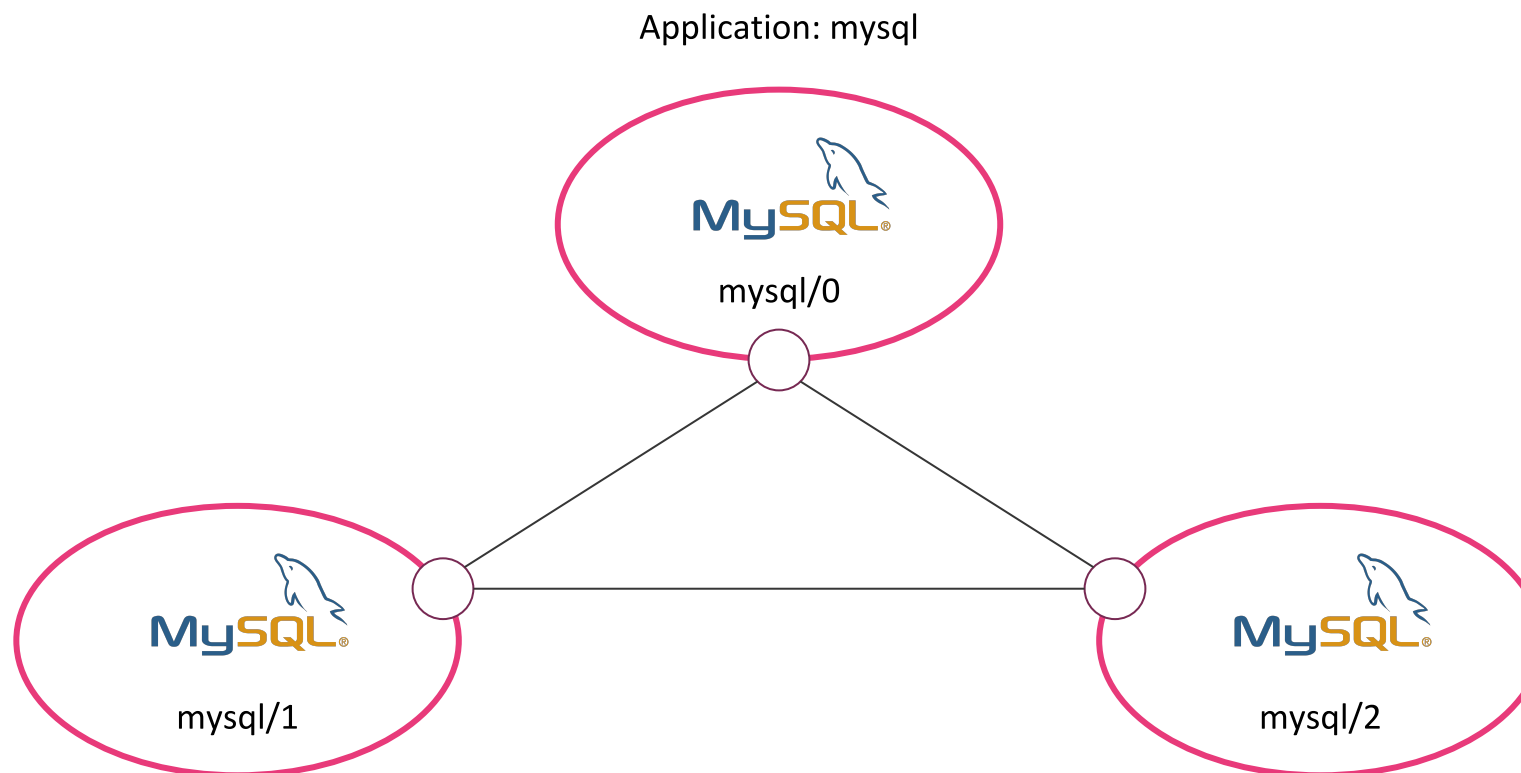
- Requires: The endpoint can make use of services represented by another charm's endpoint. These can be optional.
- Provides: Represents a service that another charm can make use of over a given interface
- Peers: only used between units of the same application



Relation: Provides-requires

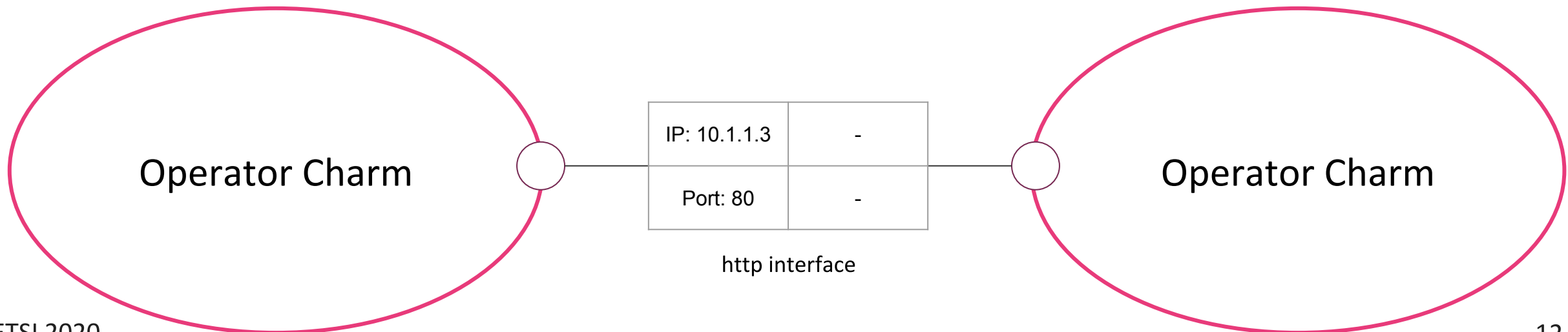


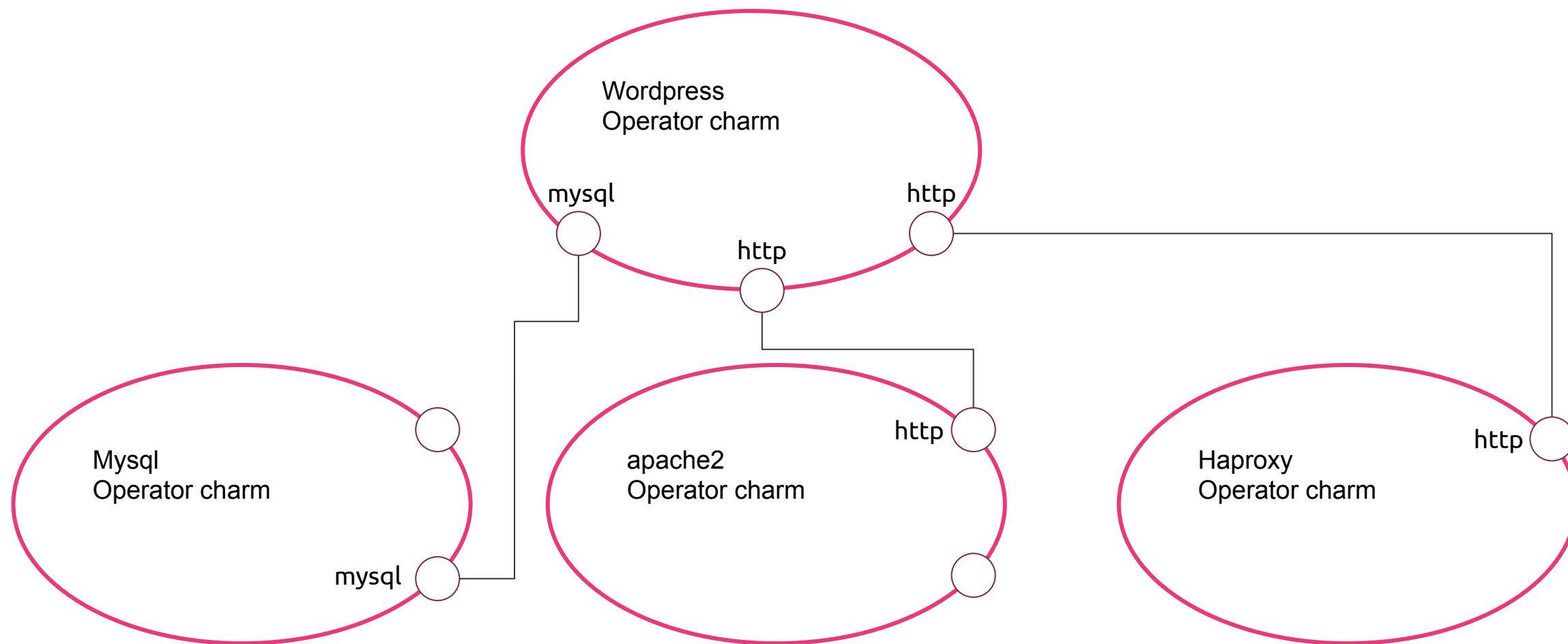
Relation: Peer

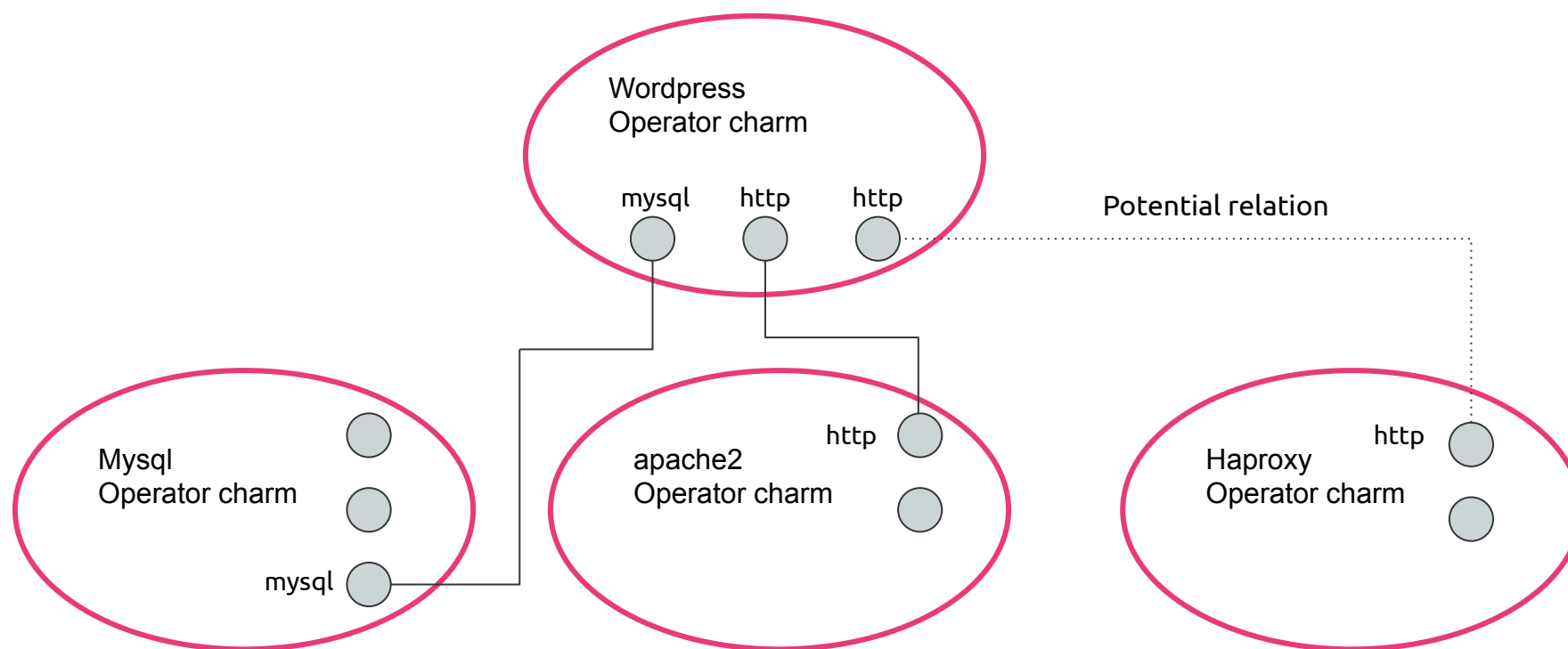


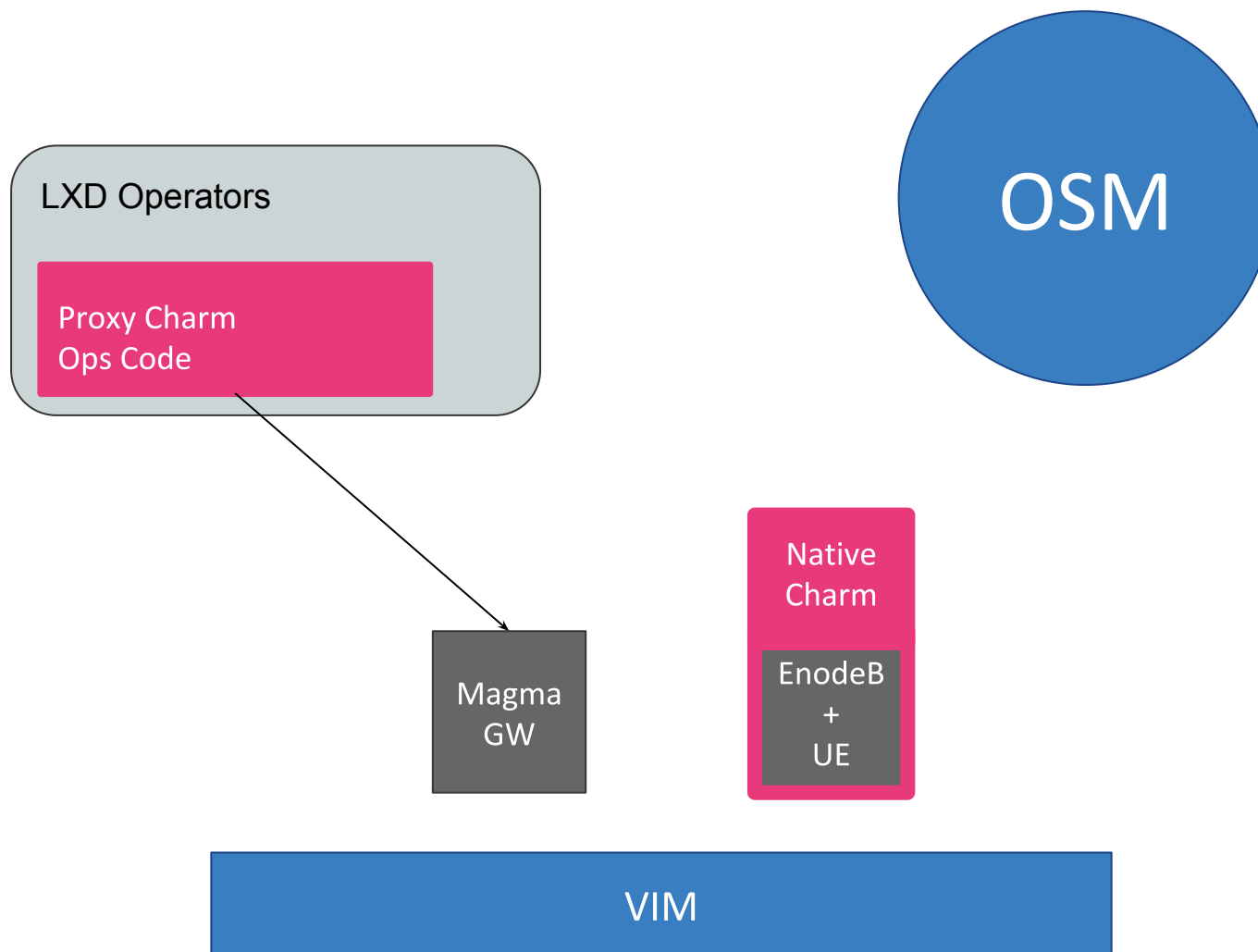
Is the communication protocol used over a relation between applications (i.e. http)

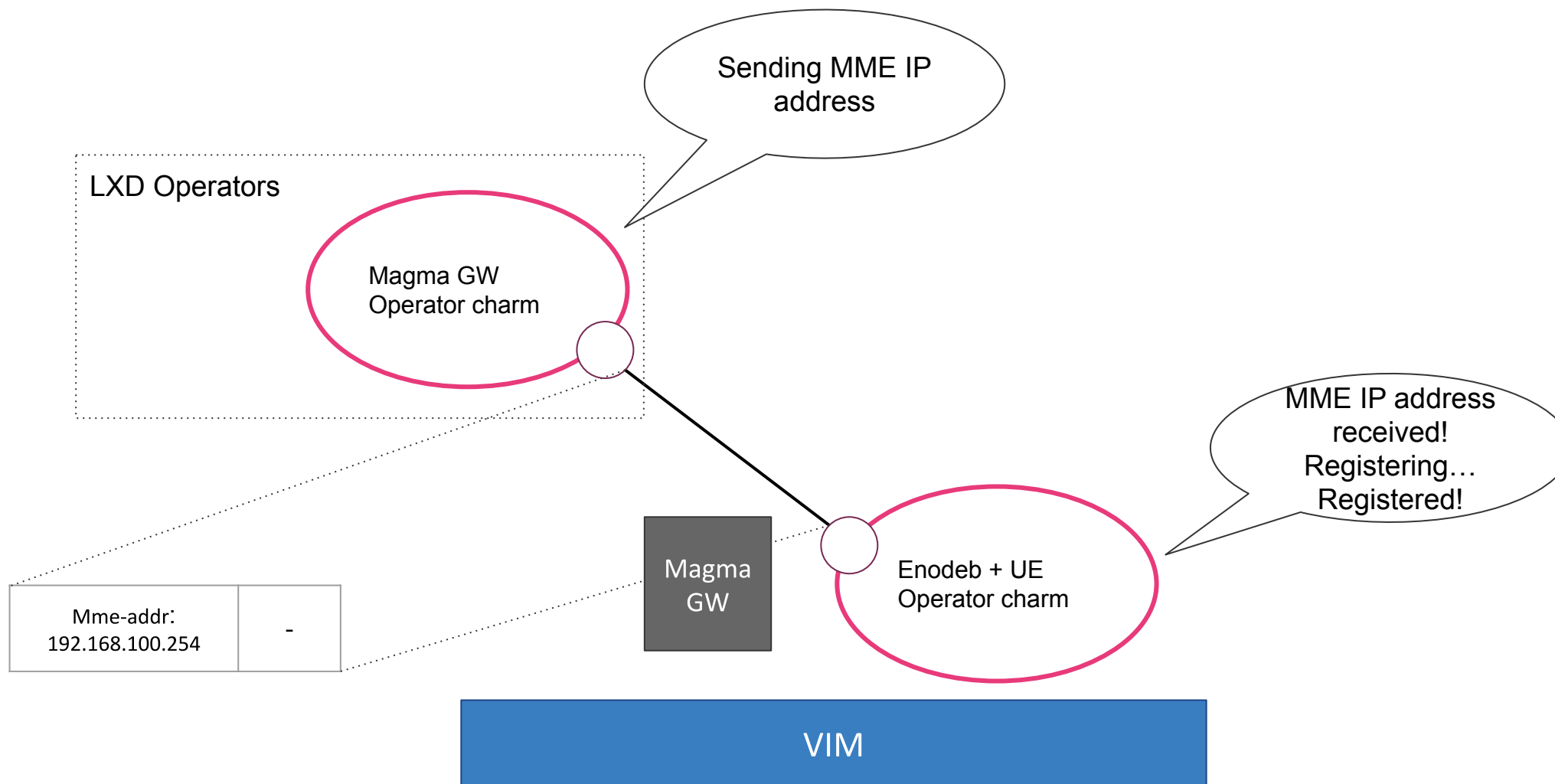
- Interfaces express which data must be exchanged in the relation
- Only endpoints with the same interface can be related

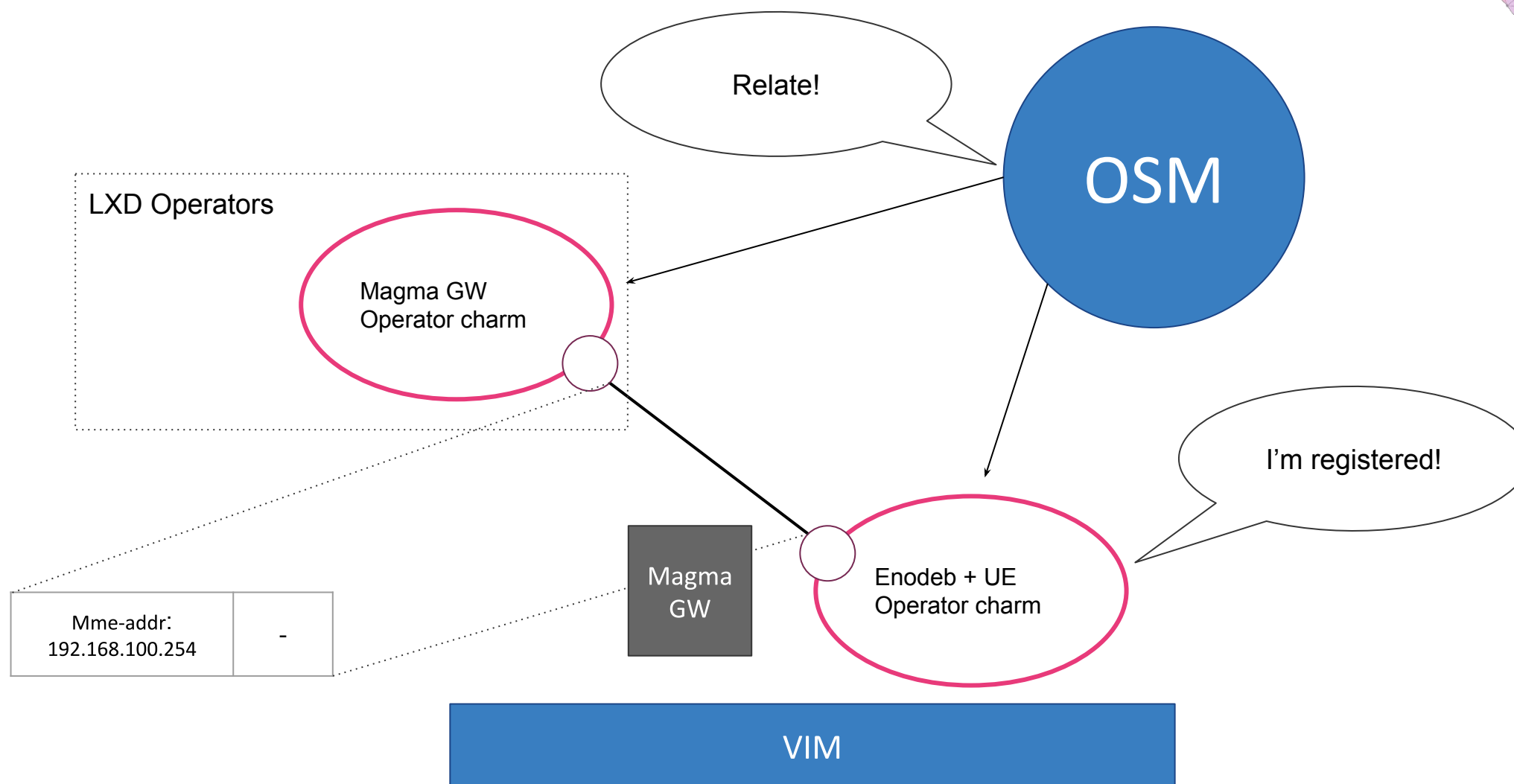




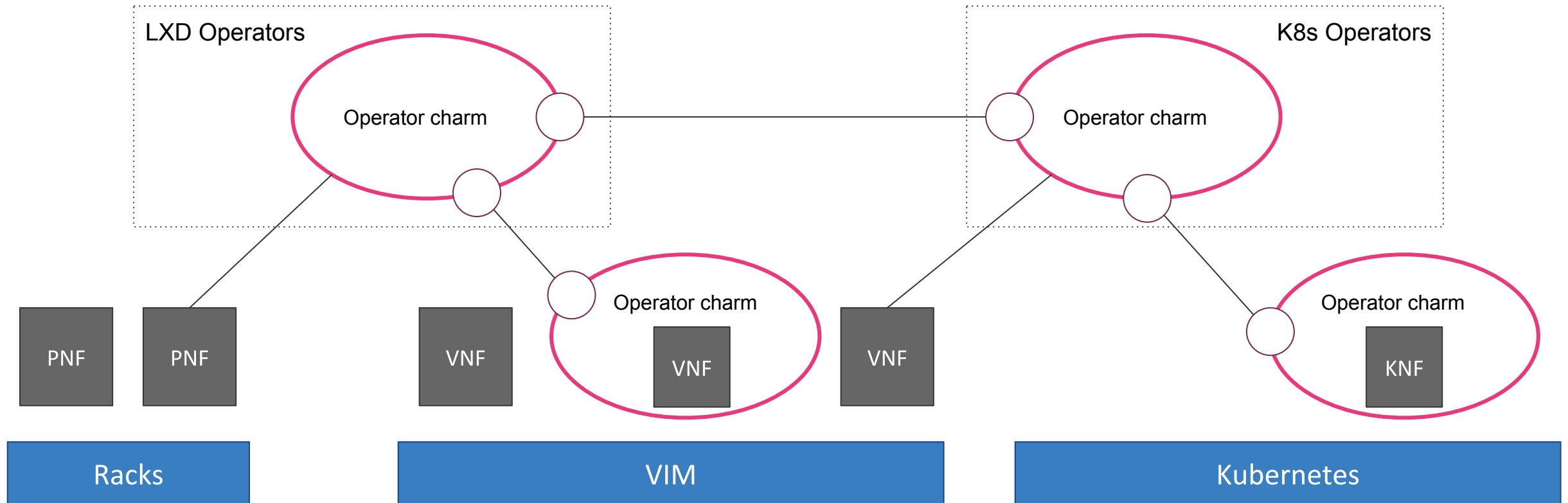






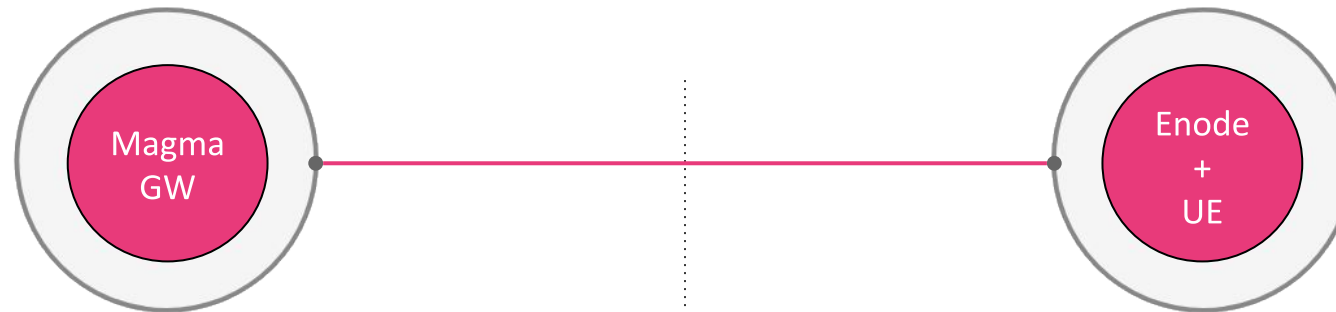


Reality is messy and mixed



Charms are universal operators

- When a relation is established, relation_joined event is triggered in both charms
- After relation_joined, relation_changed will be trigger
- Any time a charm writes into the relation_data, relation_changed event will be triggered in the other side of the relation



```
def on_relation_joined(self, event):
    rel = self.model.get_relation("agw")
    if rel is None:
        event.defer()
        return
    if not self.state.ready:
        return
    rel.data[self.unit]["mme-addr"] = get_ip()
```

```
def on_relation_changed(self, event):
    rel = self.model.get_relation("agw")
    if rel is None:
        event.defer()
        return
    mme_addr = rel.data[event.unit].get("mme-addr")
    if mme_addr:
        ...
```

VNFD: Relation

- In the vnf configuration we need to specify the relations we want to add.
- The entities key is a two-element array that includes both endpoints of the relation.
- The id of the entity is the VDU id, and the endpoint is the name of the interface/endpoint provided by the charm

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vnf-configuration:
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  relation:
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    - name: agw
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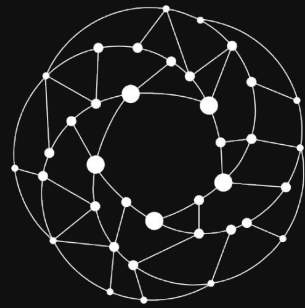
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      entities:
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        - id: srsLTE-vdu
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          endpoint: mme
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```
        - id: magma-agw-vdu
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```
          endpoint: agw
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Any questions?