

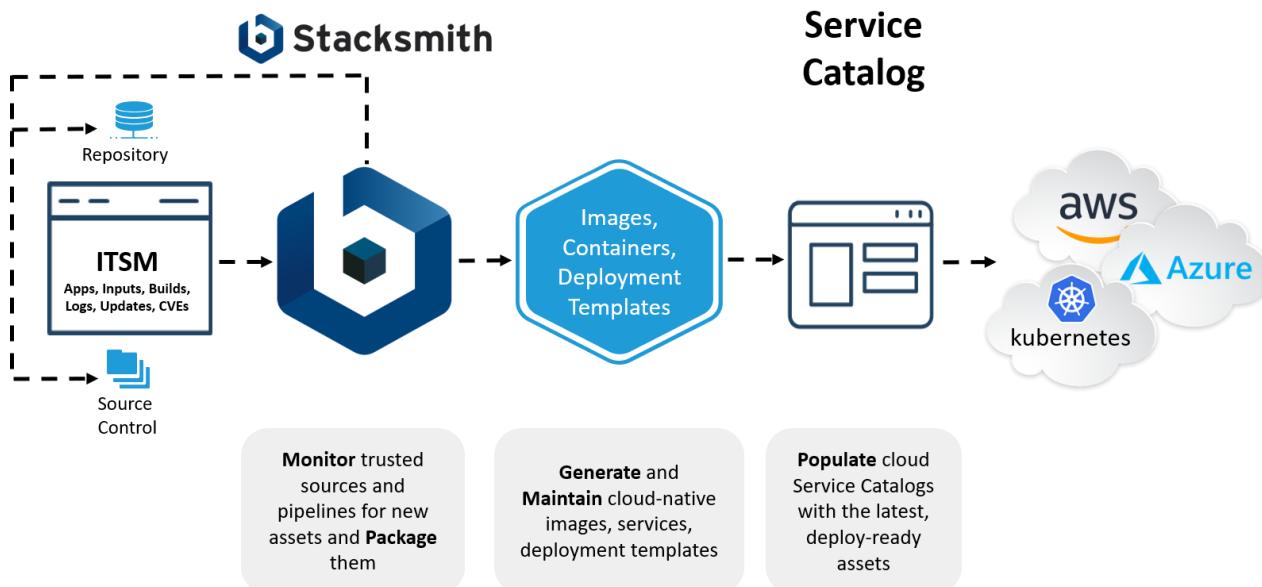
# Integrating Bitnami Stacksmith with your Cloud Service Catalog

**Ensuring the creation and delivery of trusted, up-to-date assets to your service catalog**

Companies with large IT infrastructures need a way to distribute and manage services and applications across their organization in accordance with their corporate best practices and security policies. To accomplish this, many companies implement a service catalog, which provides a single, central location for IT to post and distribute content, and users across the organization to access it.

But a **service catalog is only as relevant and secure as the assets that go into it**. One of the best things IT can provide the organization is a service catalog that contains approved and secure services and applications. One of the worst is a catalog with stale, outdated and vulnerable artifacts.

How do you ensure that the contents of your catalog are trusted, meet your security and operations requirements, and remain up to date over time? By pairing your service catalog with a policy- and automation-driven application packaging solution like Stacksmith. Doing so ensures the creation of trusted artifacts, keeps your service catalog up to date, improves the security of your applications, and increases the speed at which artifacts are delivered-to and consumed by your organization.



Integrating Stacksmith with your service catalog to create a secure end-to-end solution.

## Policy-driven application packaging

With Stacksmith, the security requirements and best practices defined by your SecOps team get built right into the templates used when packaging. This programmatically ensures the output will include these requirements. Easily integrated, Stacksmith can then publish the artifacts it creates directly into your service catalog.

Stacksmith also provides ongoing lifecycle management by continuously monitoring your artifacts, delivering notifications when updates or security vulnerabilities arise, automatically re-packaging them, and delivering the updated outputs directly to your service catalog. These updated versions are then tracked within the service catalog, ensuring that IT and end users know exactly what they are deploying.

This integrated solution closes the loop between application creation, publishing, updating, distribution and management. It delivers an end-to-end solution that ensures that the contents of your service catalog are trusted, secure, and compliant.

### Benefits



### Service Catalog

#### To the Enterprise

- Always current assets
- Confidence that Sec & Ops policies gets implemented
- Consistency
- Curation & control of corporate assets
- Frictionless governance
- Standardization across the org

#### To Users

- Faster build times
- Shorter maintenance cycles
- Policy compliance
- Agility & flexibility
- Self-service empowerment
- Shorter time-to-market

### Learn more

Download the Cloud Service Catalog Use Case White Paper from our [website](#), or [contact us](#) for a personalized discussion and demonstration.

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