



# PASSENGER. | FEATURES

Launch, operate, optimize and protect web apps, microservices & APIs with a rock solid, feature rich web app server that just works.

*Over half a million sites prefer Passenger. These four values make the difference:*

## Rock solid

- Make your users happy by reducing downtime and avoiding security problems
- Keep your free time *free* with a more reliable service
- Help your team stay on track by operating a more robust service

## Versatile

- Focus on your business logic by implementing a single powerful tool
- Keep all options on the table with a polyglot application server

## Ease of use

- Avoid time consuming surprises when deploying your apps
- Don't spend hours digging through developer forums

## Performance

- Spend less on infrastructure
- Don't lose customers waiting for your application to respond

*“Phusion Passenger is a rock stable app server we use to run our Rails applications. It's easy to configure and deploy and the ops overhead is almost non-existent. The fact that it can also run node apps is icing on the cake.”*

- Jason Bosco, Dollar Shave Club

These qualities make operating applications with Passenger a no brainer for these companies:



PIXAR

The New York Times



salesforce.com

HITACHI

JUNIPER NETWORKS

coupa



FIKSU

Square



unbounce

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MORE CONTROL. LESS RISK.

# COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGES

	Passenger	Passenger Enterprise	Unicorn	Puma	
Multi-process	✓	✓	✓	✓	Performance
Multi-thread	✗	✓	✗	✓	
Turbocaching	✓	✓	✗	✗	
Process autoscaling	✓	✓	✗	✓	
Fast static file serving	✓	✓	✗	✗	
Copy-on-write preloading	✓	✓	✓	✓	
HTTP sanitization	✓	✓	✗	✗	Security
Privilege isolation	✓	✓	✓	✗	
Self-healing crashes	✓	✓	✓	✓	Robustness & Reliability
Error-resistant deploys	✗	✓	✗	✗	
Memory limiting	✗	✓	✗	✗	
Request time limiting	✗	✓	✓	✓	
Number of requests limiting	✓	✓	✗	✗	
Web server integration	✓	✓	✗	✗	Operators
Efficient rolling restarts	✗	✓	✗	✓	
Multi-tenancy	✓	✓	✗	✗	
Mass deployment	✗	✓	✗	✗	
Live activity monitoring	✓	✓	✗	✓	
Informative error pages	✓	✓	✗	✗	Troubleshooting
Backtrace dumps	✓	✓	✗	✓	
Live debugging	✗	✓	✗	✗	
MRI Ruby	✓	✓	✓	✓	Technology platforms
JRuby / Rubinius	✓	✓	✗	✓	
Python	✓	✓	✗	✗	
Node.JS / Meteor	✓	✓	✗	✗	

## Puma

All information on Puma is extracted from its website located at <https://puma.io>

## Unicorn

All information on Unicorn is extracted from its website located at <https://bogomips.org/unicorn>

