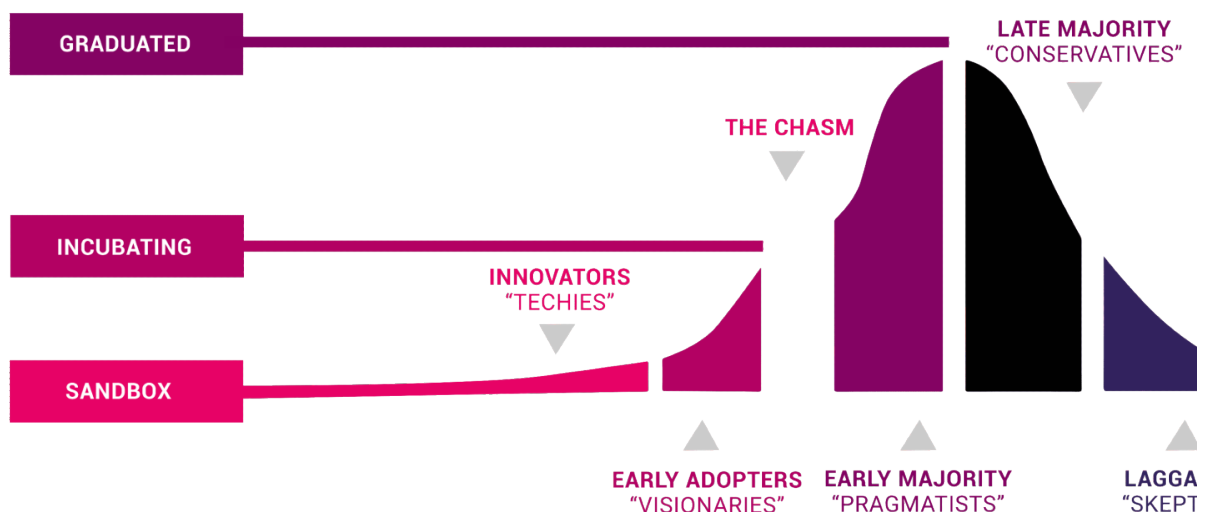


# Community and Governance

- **CNCF Mission:**
  - Promote cloud-native computing ubiquity.
  - Support open-source projects for scalable, resilient, and manageable applications.
- **Project Maturity Levels (CNCF):**
  - **Sandbox:** Experimentation and community support.
  - **Incubation:** Maturity, traction, and growing community.
  - **Graduated:** Stability, security, and widespread adoption.
- **Crossing the Chasm:**
  - Transition from **Incubated** to **Graduated**.
  - Indicates maturity, stability, and enterprise readiness.
- **Technical Oversight Committee (TOC):**
  - Evaluates and oversees CNCF project maturity.
- **Special Interest Group (SIG) / Technical Advisory Group (TAG):**
  - SIG (formerly TAG) represents community-driven initiatives.
  - TAG differentiates from Kubernetes SIGs.
- **Project Maturity Factors:**
  - Adoption, change rate, external committers, and adherence to the **CNCF Code of Conduct**.
- **Conflict Resolution:**
  - Open discussion, followed by voting and consensus.



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