

Apache Toree

A Jupyter Kernel for Scala and Apache Spark

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Jupyter Notebooks

Jupyter Notebooks

Notebooks are interactive computational environments, in which you can combine code execution, rich text, mathematics, plots and rich media.

The top screenshot shows a Jupyter Notebook interface for a transit analysis project. It includes:

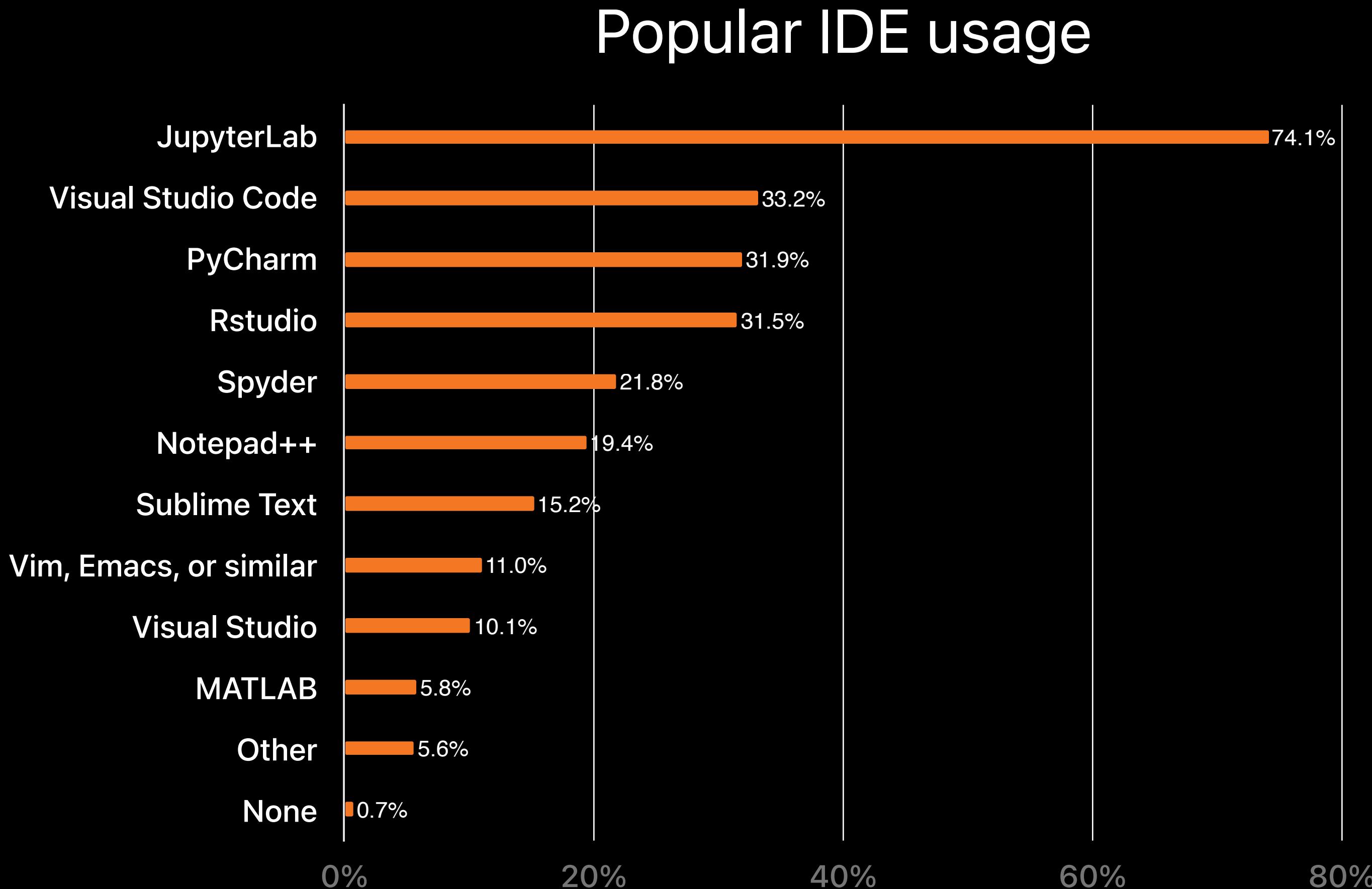
- A file browser showing files: transit.ipynb (running), passenger.csv, routes.json, and stops.json.
- An IPython code cell (In [93]) plotting the number of passengers at the Rosengartenstrasse stop using Seaborn's distplot.
- An IPython code cell (In [94]) comparing the median load at the stop with the medians of all stops.
- A map of Zurich showing bus routes and stops.
- A JSON snippet of the stops.json file.
- A CSV snippet of the passenger.csv file.

The bottom screenshot shows a Jupyter Notebook for simple spectral analysis:

- A title "Simple spectral analysis".
- A mathematical formula for the Discrete Fourier Transform: $X_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x_n e^{-\frac{2\pi i}{N} kn}$ for $k = 0, \dots, N-1$.
- A note about windowing for sound signals.
- An IPython code cell (In [1]) for loading a WAV file using SciPy.
- An IPython code cell (In [2]) for creating a spectrogram using matplotlib's specgram routine.
- Two plots: "Raw audio signal" (a waveform) and "Spectrogram" (a heatmap).

Jupyter Notebooks

Jupyter Ecosystem is
the de-facto standard tool in data
science and AI community



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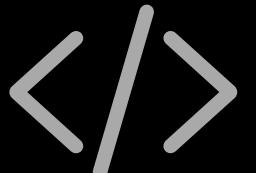
Simple, but Powerful

As simple as opening a web page, with the capabilities of a powerful, multilingual, development environment.



Interactive widgets

Code can produce rich outputs such as images, videos, markdown, LaTeX and JavaScript. Interactive widgets can be used to manipulate and visualize data in real-time.



Language of choice

Jupyter Notebooks have support for over 50 programming languages, including those popular in Data Science, Data Engineer, and AI such as Python, R, Julia and Scala.



Big Data Integration

Leverage Big Data platforms such as Apache Spark from Python, R and Scala. Explore the same data with pandas, scikit-learn, ggplot2, dplyr, etc.



Share Notebooks

Notebooks can be shared with others using e-mail, Dropbox, Google Drive, GitHub, etc

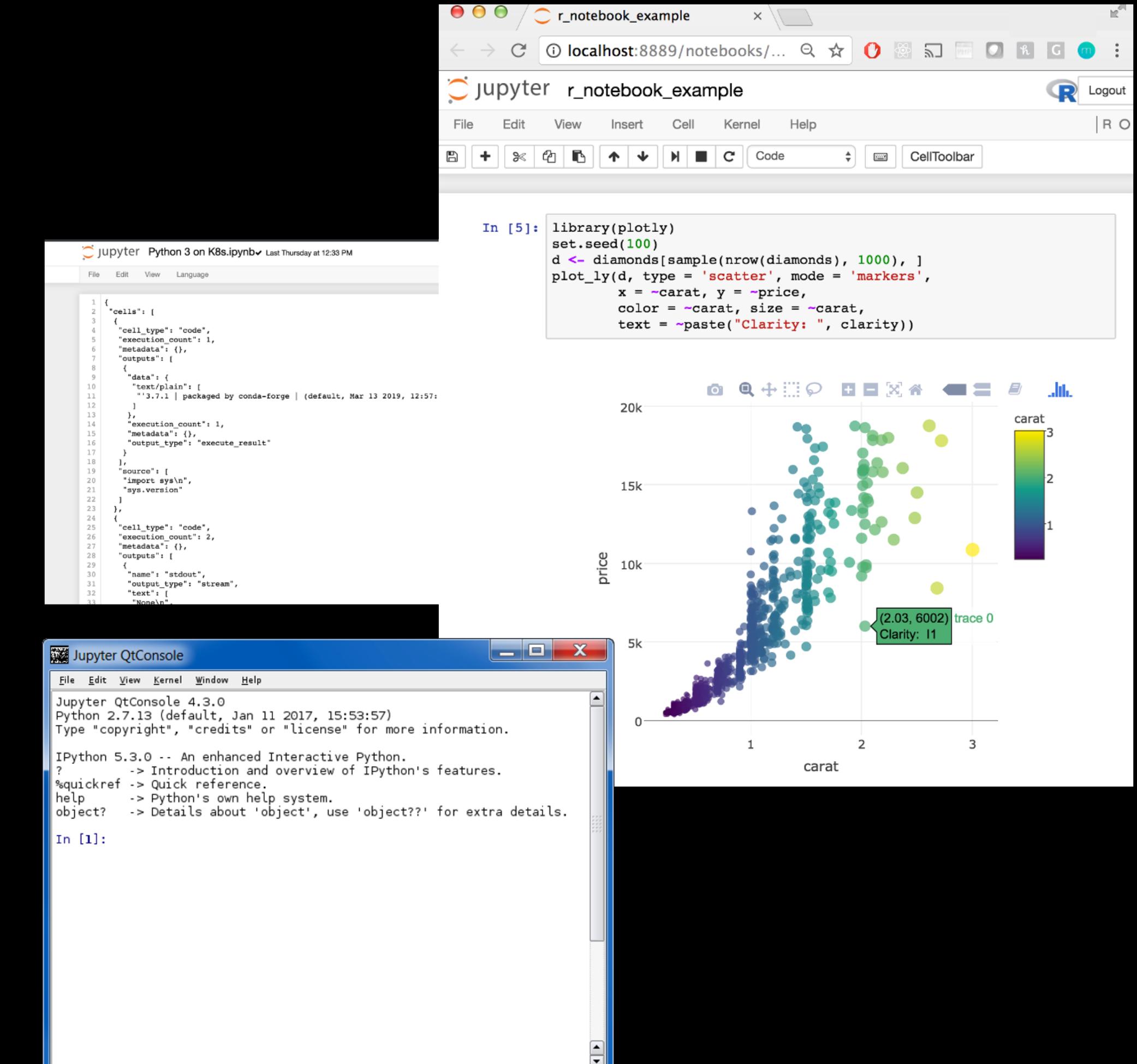
Jupyter Notebooks

Single page web interface

- File Browser
- Code Console (QT Console)
- Text Editor

Current Release

- Jupyter Notebook 6.4.12
- Available in Anaconda
- pip install --upgrade notebook



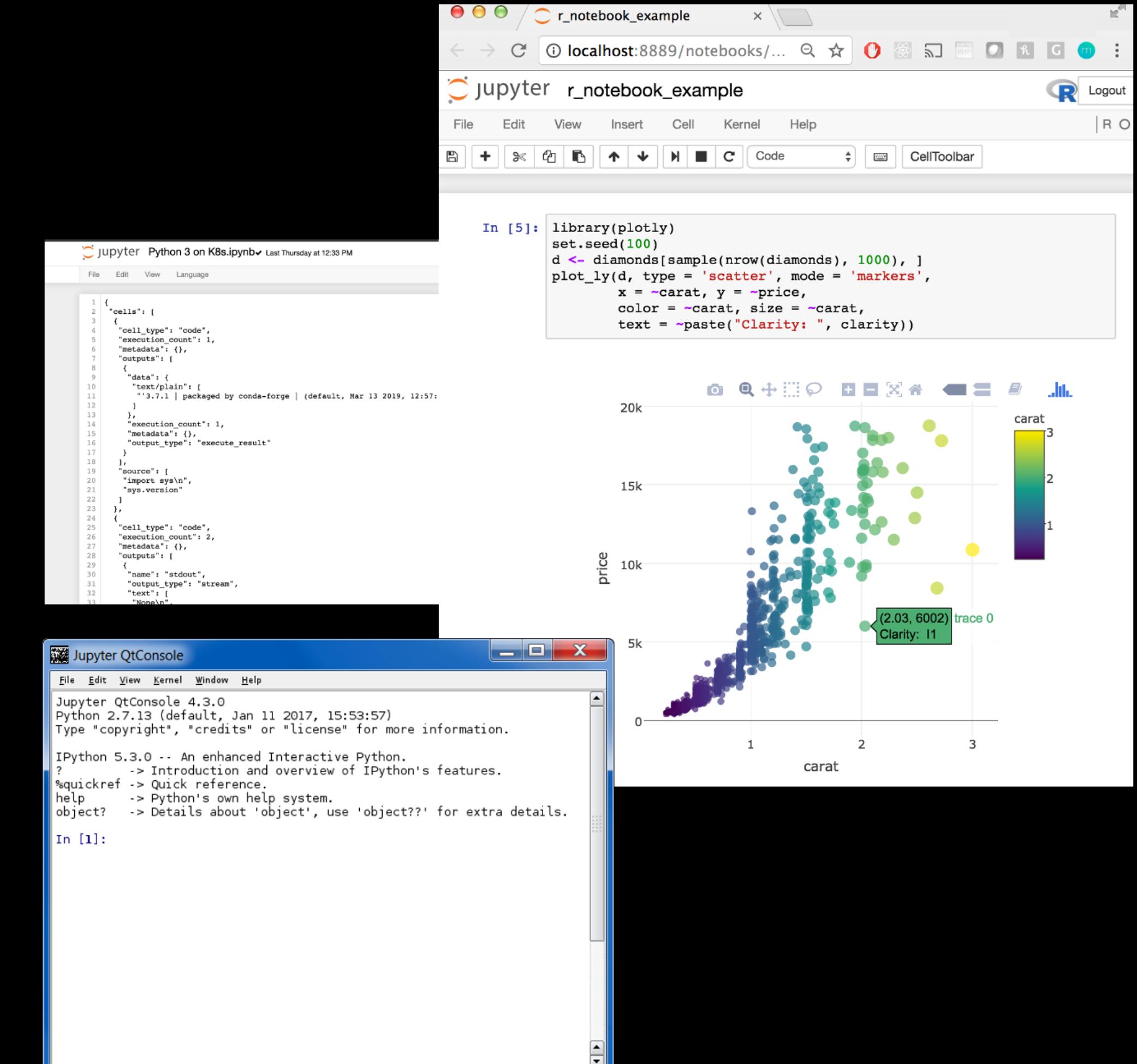
Jupyter Notebooks

The Classic Notebook is starting to move towards maintenance mode

- Community efforts being concentrated in the new JupyterLab UI.
- Community continue to deliver bug-fixes and security updates frequently

Jupyter 7.0 (based on JupyterLab) discussion:

- <https://jupyter.org/enhancement-proposals/79-notebook-v7/notebook-v7.html>



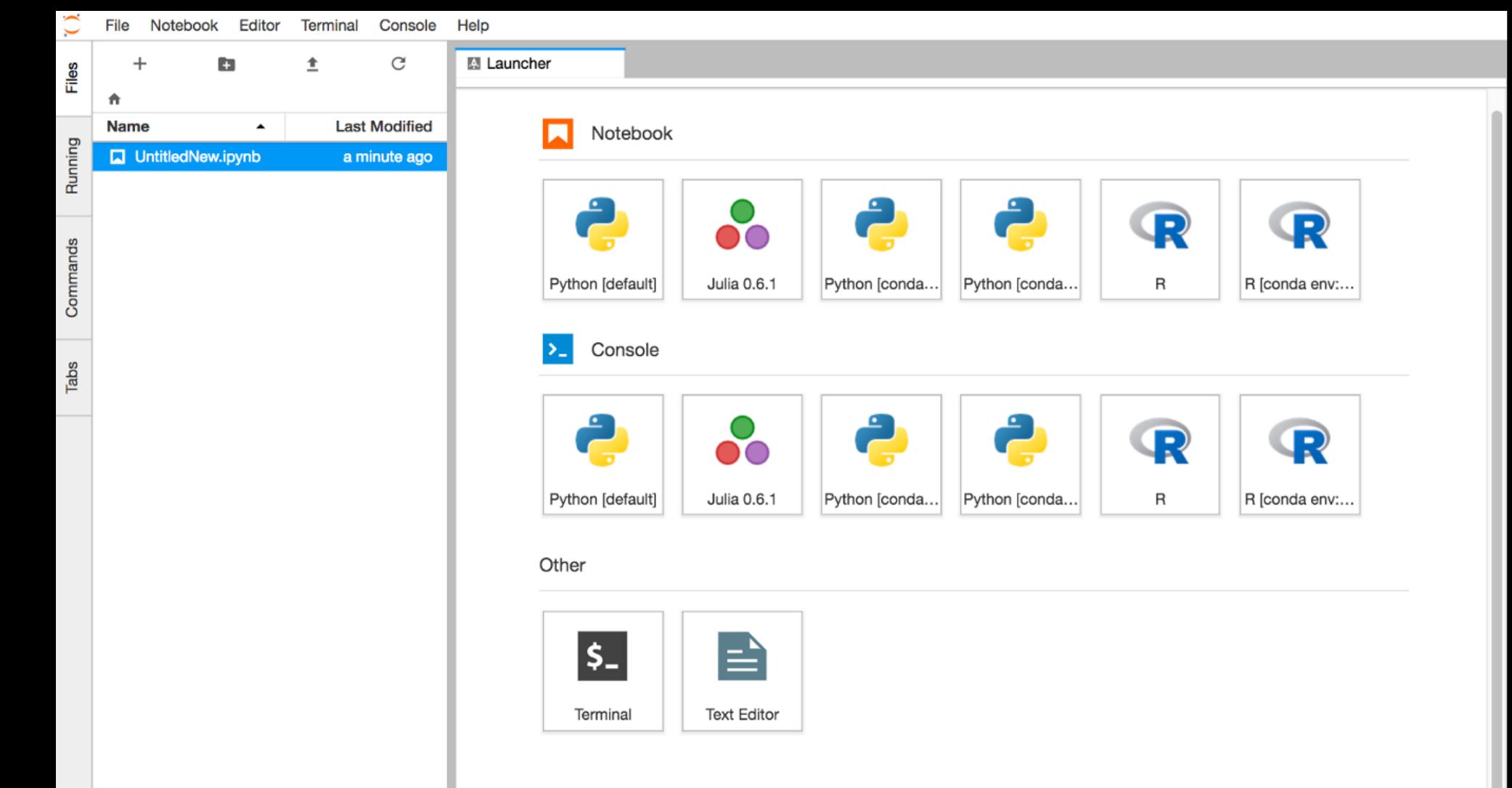
JupyterLab

JupyterLab is the next generation UI
for the Jupyter Ecosystem.

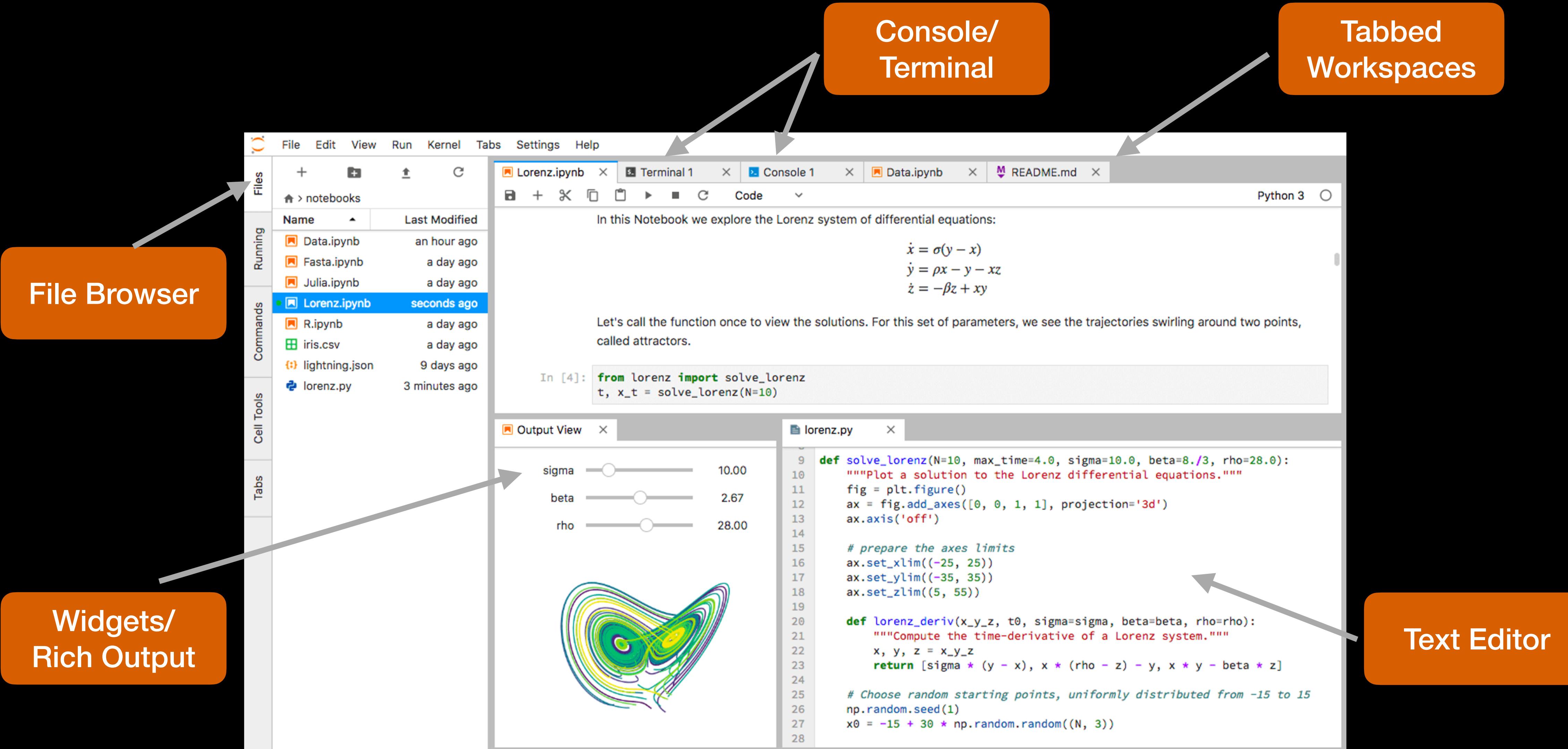
Brings all the previous improvements
into a single unified platform plus
more!

Provides a modular, extensible
architecture

Retains backward compatibility with
the old notebook we know and love



JupyterLab



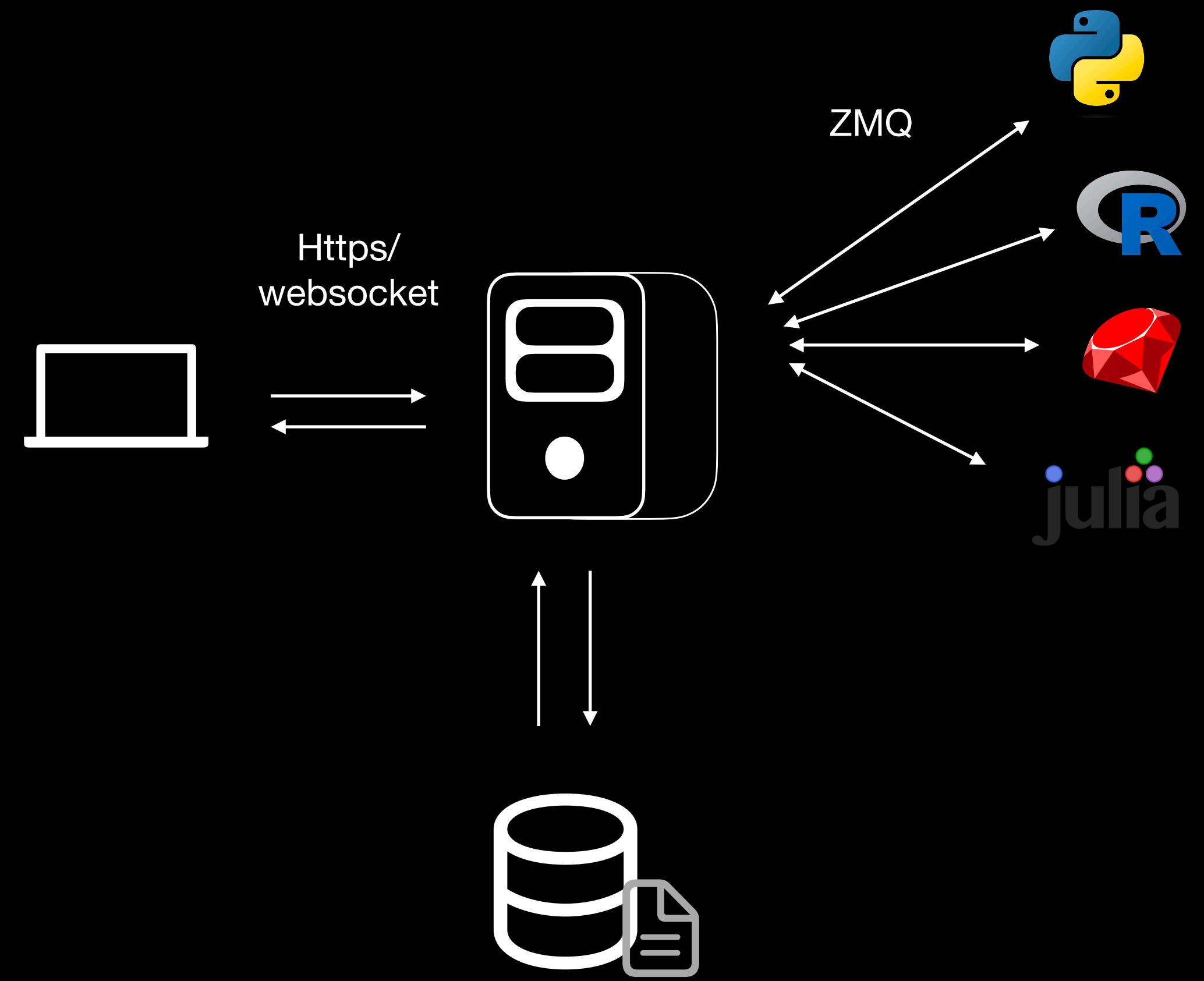
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Notebook UI runs on the browser

The Notebook Server serves the
'Notebooks'

Kernels interpret/execute cell contents

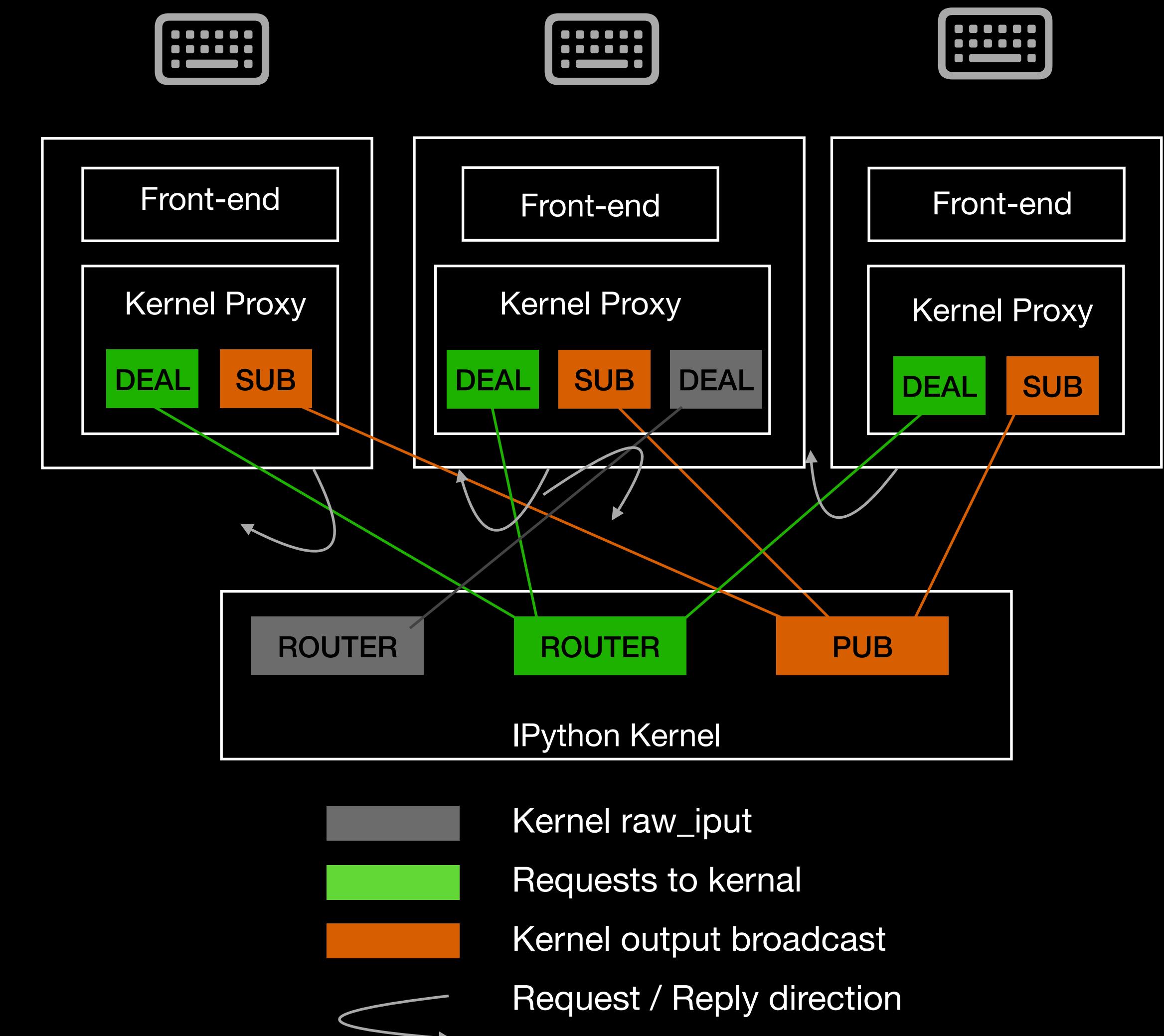
- Are responsible for code execution
- Abstracts different languages
- 1:1 relationship with Notebook
- Runs and consume resources as long as notebook is running



Jupyter Notebooks

Available Sockets:

- Shell (requests, history, info)
- IOPub (status, display, results)
- Stdin (input requests from kernel)
- Control (shutdown, interrupt)
- Heartbeat (poll)



Jupyter Notebooks

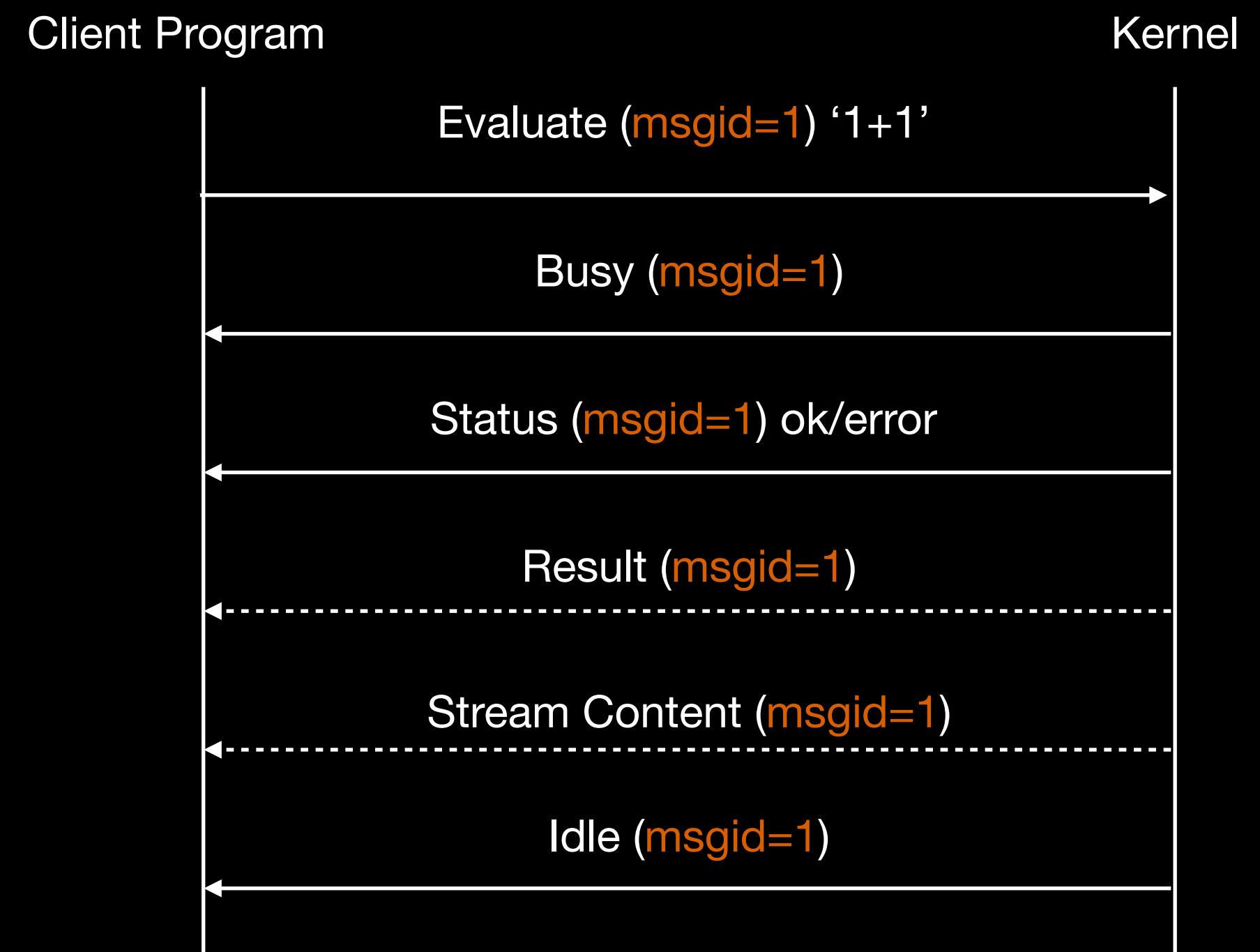
Two types of responses

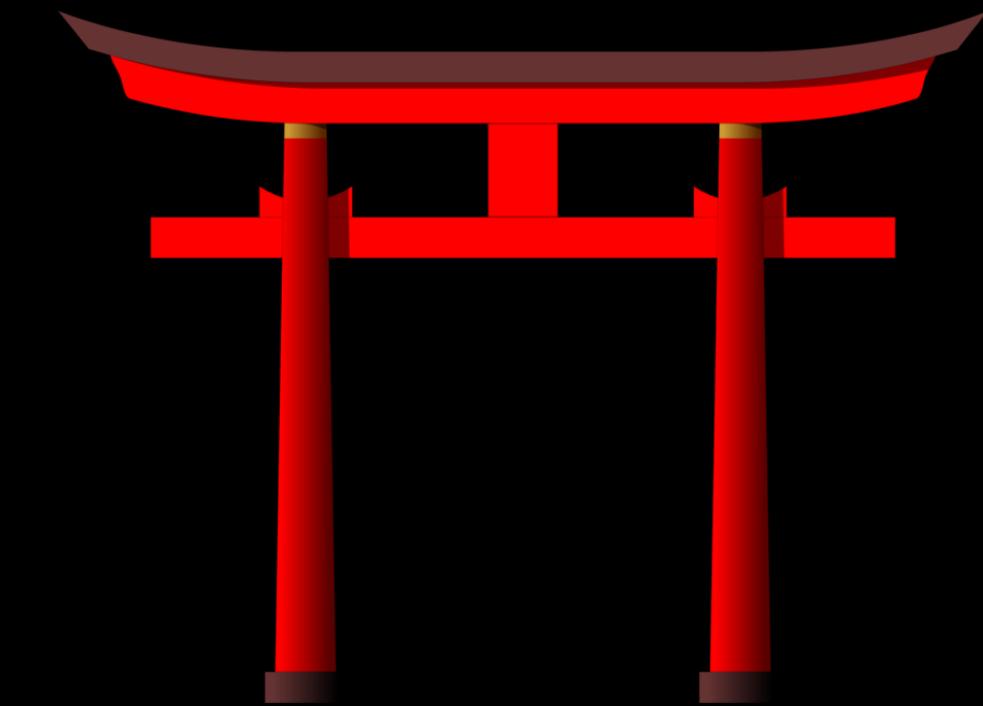
Results

- Computations that return a result
- $1+1$
- `val a = 2 + 5`

Stream Content

- Values that are written to output stream
- `df.show(10)`





Apache Toree

Apache Toree

A Scala based Jupyter Kernel that **enables** Jupyter Notebooks to execute **Scala code** and **connect to Apache Spark** to build interactive applications.

Apache Toree History

- December 2014 - Open Sourced Spark Kernel to GitHub
- July 2015 - Joined developerWorks Open
- <https://developer.ibm.com/open/spark-kernel/>
- December 2015 - Accepted as an Apache Incubator Project
- <https://toree.apache.org>

Apache Toree Releases

Release	Scala Version	Spark Version
Toree 0.1.x	Scala 2.11	Spark 1.6
Toree 0.2.x - 0.4.x	Scala 2.11	Spark 2.x
Toree 0.5.x	Scala 2.12	Spark 3.x

Apache Toree

Installing the Toree Kernel

- `pip install --upgrade toree`

Configuring the Toree Kernel

- `jupyter toree install --spark_home=/usr/local/bin/apache-spark/`

Apache Toree

```
{  
  "argv": [  
    "/usr/local/share/jupyter/kernels/apache_toree_scala/bin/run.sh",  
    "--profile",  
    "{connection_file}"  
  ],  
  "env": {  
    "DEFAULT_INTERPRETER": "Scala",  
    "__TOREE_SPARK_OPTS__": "",  
    "__TOREE_OPTS__": "",  
    "SPARK_HOME": "/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-hadoop2.7/",  
    "PYTHONPATH": "/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-hadoop2.7//python:/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-  
hadoop2.7/python/lib/py4j-0.10.9.5-src.zip",  
    "PYTHON_EXEC": "python"  
  },  
  "display_name": "Apache Toree - Scala",  
  "language": "scala",  
  "interrupt_mode": "signal",  
  "metadata": {}  
}
```

Apache Toree

```
{  
  "argv": [  
    "/usr/local/share/jupyter/kernels/apache_toree_scala/bin/run.sh",  
    "--spark-context-initialization-mode",  
    "none",  
    "--profile",  
    "{connection_file}"  
  ],  
  "env": {  
    "DEFAULT_INTERPRETER": "Scala",  
    "__TOREE_SPARK_OPTS__": "",  
    "__TOREE_OPTS__": "",  
    "SPARK_HOME": "/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-hadoop2.7/",  
    "PYTHONPATH": "/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-hadoop2.7//python:/Users/lresende/opt/spark-3.2.2-bin-hadoop2.7/  
    python/lib/py4j-0.10.9.5-src.zip",  
    "PYTHON_EXEC": "python"  
  },  
  "display_name": "Apache Toree - Scala",  
  "language": "scala",  
  "interrupt_mode": "signal",  
  "metadata": {}  
}
```

Apache Toree

```
{  
  "language": "scala",  
  "display_name": "Spark - Scala (YARN Cluster Mode)",  
  "metadata": { "process_proxy": { "class_name":  
    "enterprise_gateway.services.processproxies.yarn.YarnClusterProcessProxy" } },  
  "env": {  
    "SPARK_HOME": "/usr/hdp/current/spark2-client",  
    "__TOREE_SPARK_OPTS__": "--master yarn --deploy-mode cluster --name ${KERNEL_ID:-ERROR_NO_KERNEL_ID} --conf  
spark.yarn.submit.waitAppCompletion=false --conf spark.yarn.am.waitTime=1d ${KERNEL_EXTRA_SPARK_OPTS}",  
    "__TOREE_OPTS__": "--alternate-sigint USR2",  
    "DEFAULT_INTERPRETER": "Scala"  
  },  
  "argv": [  
    "/usr/local/share/jupyter/kernels/spark_scala_yarn_cluster/bin/run.sh",  
    "--RemoteProcessProxy.kernel-id",  
    "{kernel_id}",  
    "--RemoteProcessProxy.response-address",  
    "{response_address}",  
    "--RemoteProcessProxy.spark-context-initialization-mode",  
    "lazy"  
  ]  
}
```

Apache Toree

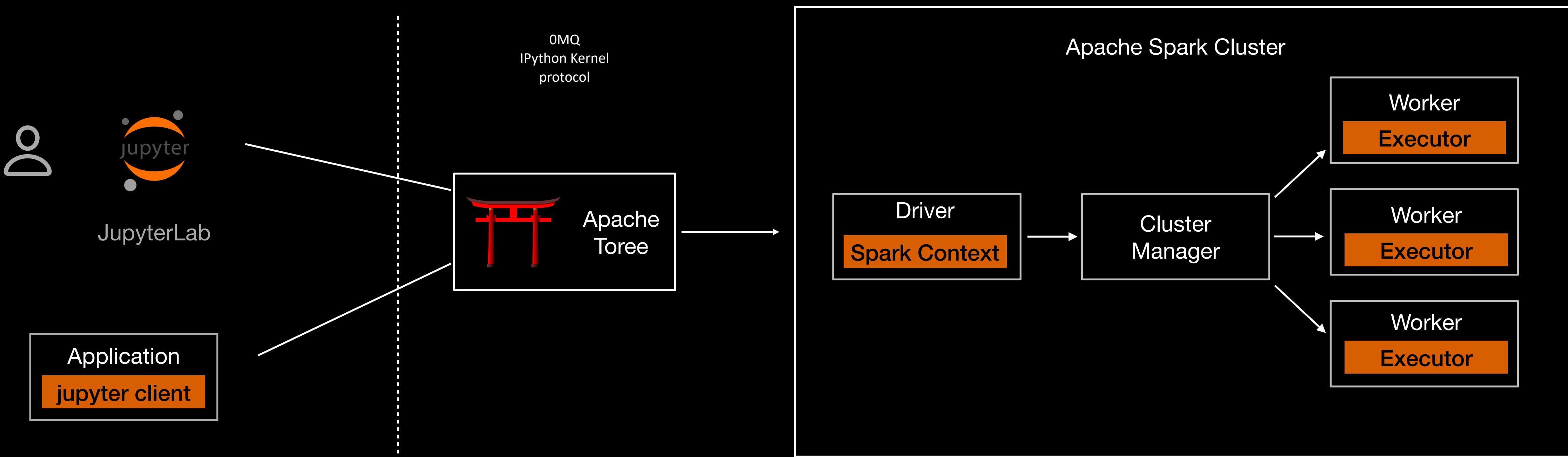
```
PROG_HOME=$(cd `dirname "$0"`/..; pwd)
if [ -z "$SPARK_HOME" ]; then
  echo "SPARK_HOME must be set to the location of a Spark distribution!"
  exit 1
fi
echo "Starting Spark Kernel with SPARK_HOME=$SPARK_HOME"
KERNEL_ASSEMBLY=`(cd ${PROG_HOME}/lib; ls -1 toree-assembly-*jar;)`  

# disable randomized hash for string in Python 3.3+
TOREE_ASSEMBLY=${PROG_HOME}/lib/${KERNEL_ASSEMBLY}
eval exec \
  "${SPARK_HOME}/bin/spark-submit" \
  --name "'Apache Toree'" \
  "${SPARK_OPTS}" \
  --class org.apache.toree.Main \
  "${TOREE_ASSEMBLY}" \
  "${TOREE_OPTS}" \
  "$@"

```

Apache Toree Architectural Diagram

Apache Toree running as an Apache Spark application in client mode



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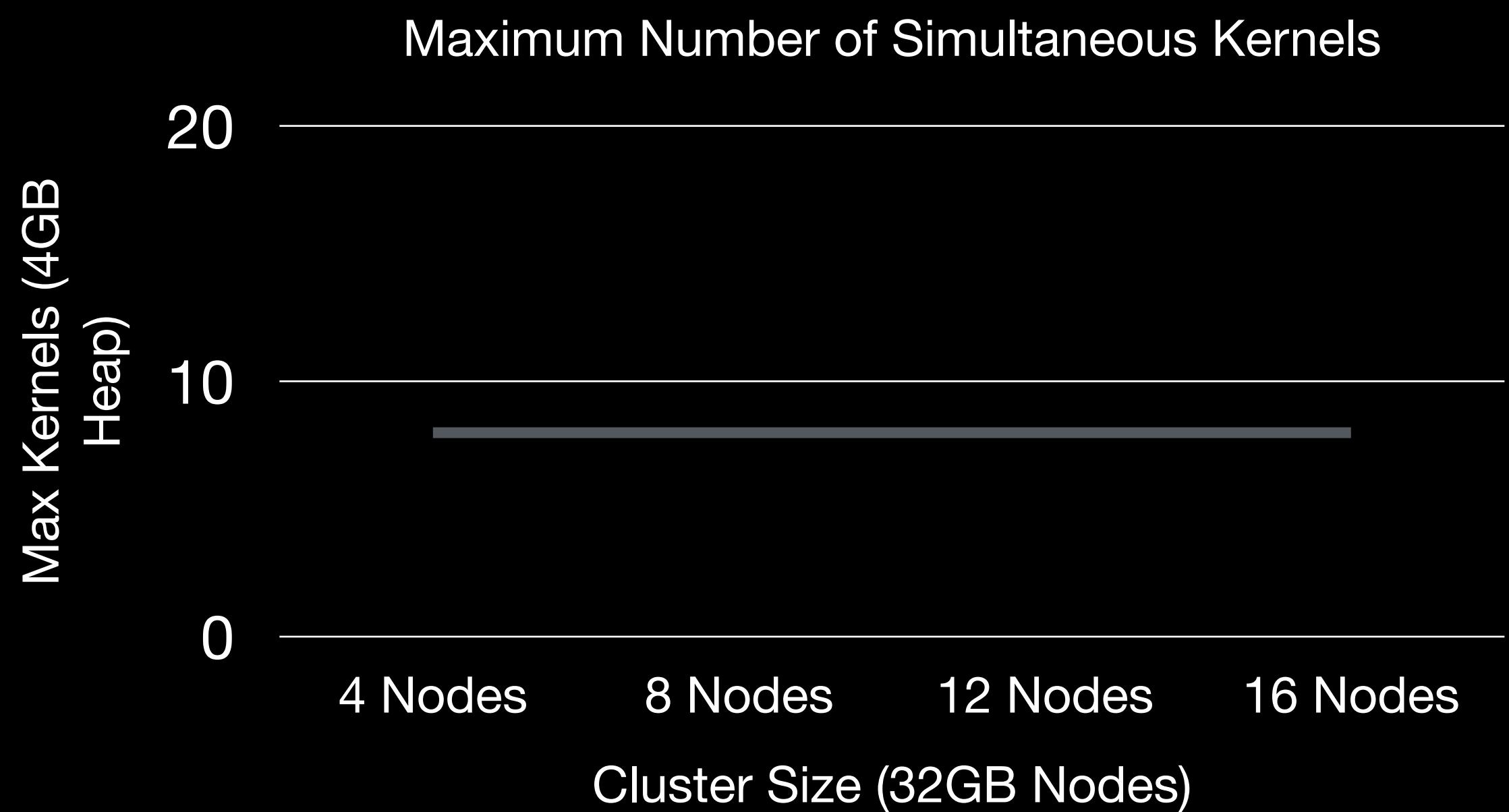
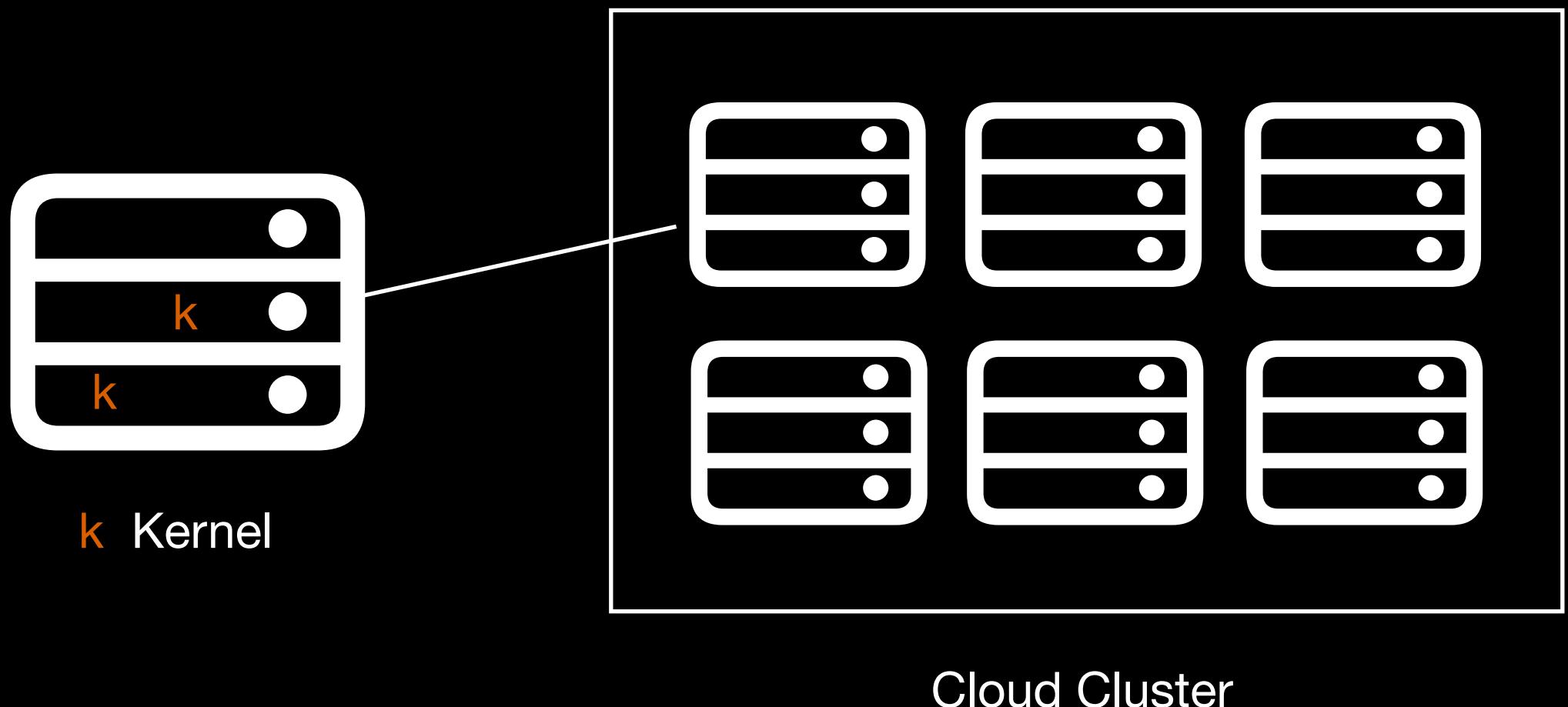
Stack Limitation

Scalability

- Jupyter Kernels running as local process
- Resources are **limited** by what is available on the one **single node** that runs **all Kernels** and associated Spark drivers

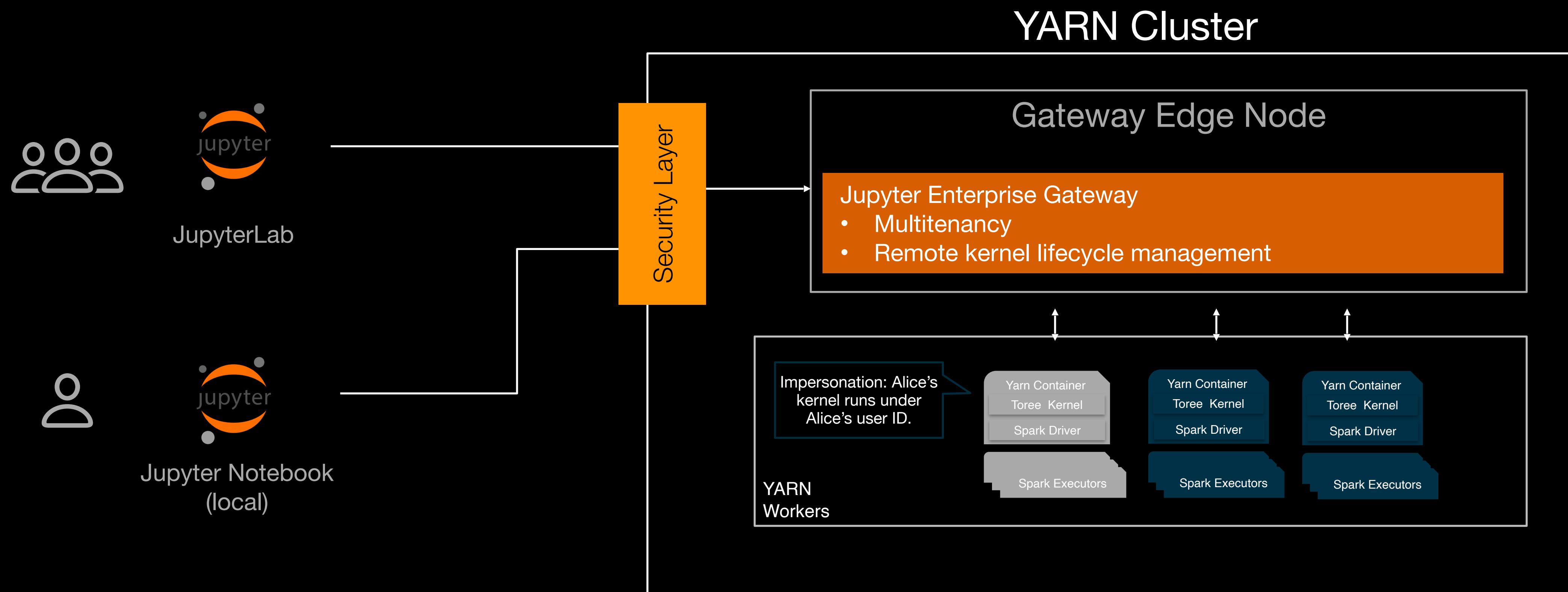
Security

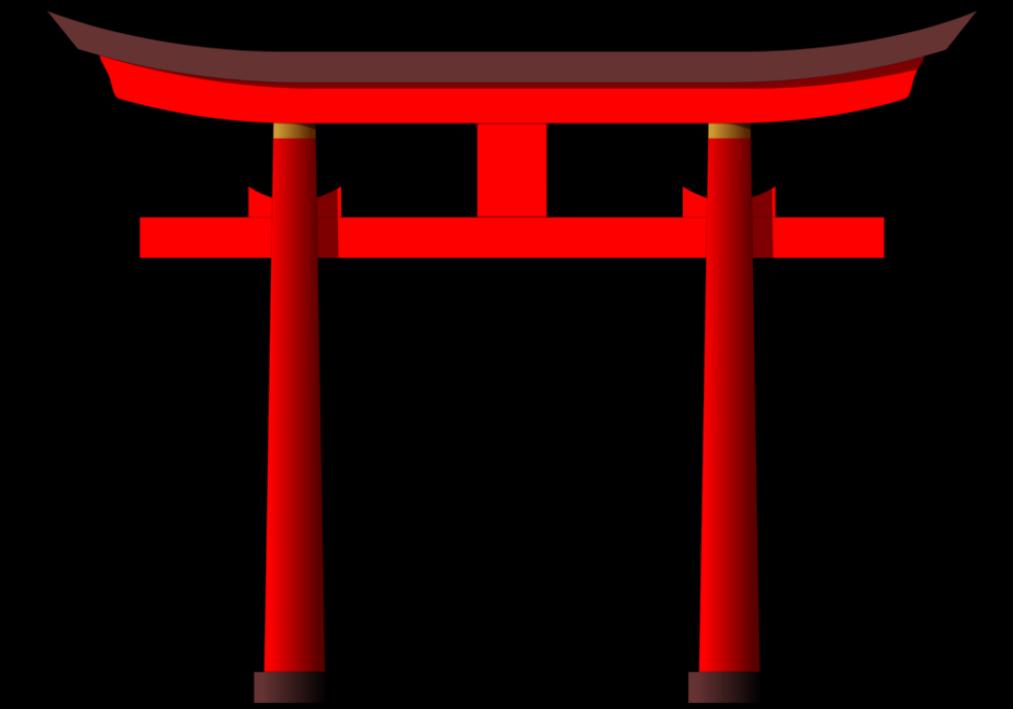
- **Single user** sharing the same privileges
- Users can see and control each other process using Jupyter administrative utilities



Apache Toree Architectural Diagram

Apache Toree running as an Apache Spark application in cluster mode





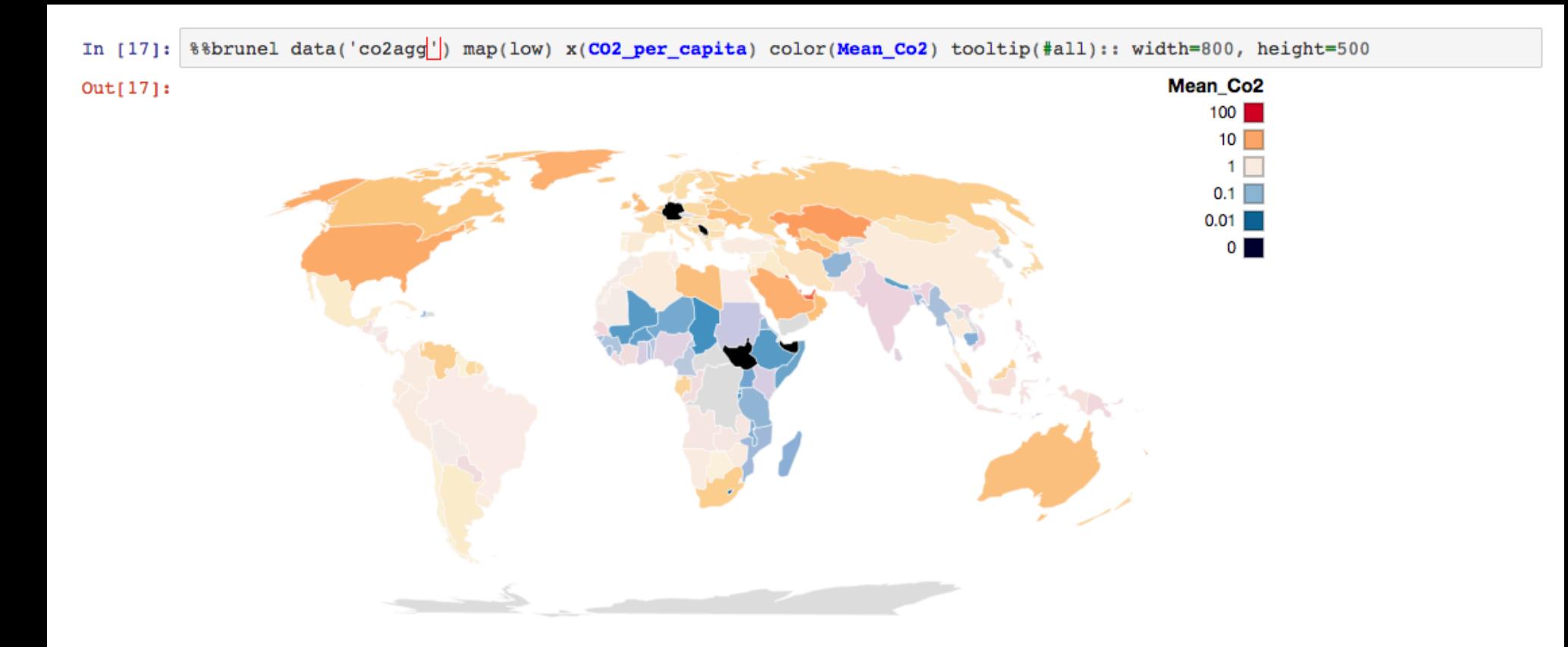
Apache Toree Add-ons

Apache Toree Visualizations

Apache Toree, via extensions like Brunel for Apache Toree or Plotly for Scala, supports rich visualizations that integrates directly with Spark Data Frame APIs

Notes:

Brunel seems to be broken with Spark 3.2.2 (from previous 2.x/3.0.x)



Plotly seems to have a dependency issue (<https://github.com/alexarchambault/plotly-scala/issues/14>)

Apache Toree Visualizations

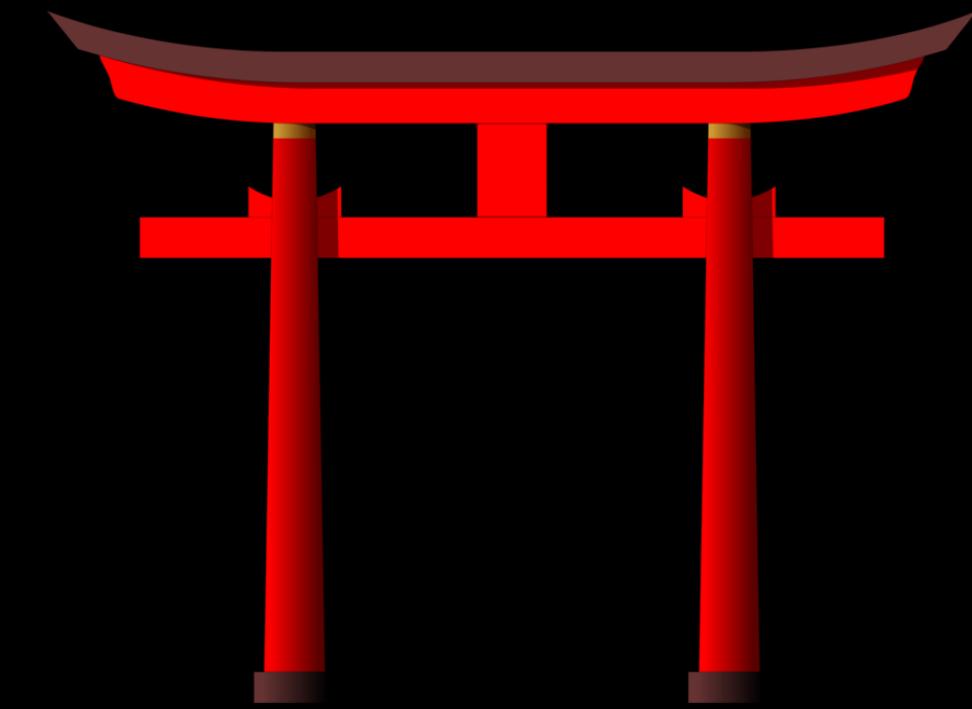
Apache Toree provides a set of magics that enhances the user experience manipulating data coming from Spark tables or data

```
In [6]: %%sql  
select * from customers
```

```
Out[6]: +---+-----+-----+-----+  
| age | job | marital | education | balance |  
+---+-----+-----+-----+  
| 30 | unemployed | married | primary | 1787 |  
| 33 | services | married | secondary | 4789 |  
| 35 | management | single | tertiary | 1350 |  
| 30 | management | married | tertiary | 1476 |  
| 59 | blue-collar | married | secondary | 0 |  
| 35 | management | single | tertiary | 747 |  
| 36 | self-employed | married | tertiary | 307 |  
| 39 | technician | married | secondary | 147 |  
| 41 | entrepreneur | married | tertiary | 221 |  
| 43 | services | married | primary | -88 |  
+---+-----+-----+-----+  
only showing top 10 rows
```

```
In [10]: %%dataframe  
customers
```

```
Out[10]: #  
age job marital education balance  
30 unemployed married primary 1787  
33 services married secondary 4789  
35 management single tertiary 1350  
30 management married tertiary 1476  
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```



Apache Toree APIs

Apache Toree

Accessing Toree programmatically
using Scala

Toree Client APIs

<https://github.com/lresende/toree-gateway/blob/v1.0/src/main/scala/org/apache/toree/gateway/ToreeGateway.scala>

```
object ToreeGatewayClient extends App {  
    // Parse our configuration and create a client connecting  
    to our kernel  
    val configFileContent =  
        scala.io.Source.fromFile("config.json").mkString  
    val config: Config =  
        ConfigFactory.parseString(configFileContent)  
  
    val client = (new ClientBootstrap(config)  
        with StandardSystemInitialization  
        with StandardHandlerInitialization).createClient()  
    ...  
    val promise = Promise[String]  
    try {  
        val exRes: DeferredExecution = client.execute("1+1")  
            .onResult(executeResult => {  
                handleResult(promise, executeResult)  
            }).onError(executeReplyError => {  
                handleError(promise, executeReplyError)  
            }).onSuccess(executeReplyOk => {  
                handleSuccess(promise, executeReplyOk)  
            }).onStream(streamResult => {  
                handleStream(promise, streamResult)  
            })  
    } catch {  
        case t : Throwable => {  
            log.info("Error submitting request: " + t.getMessage,  
                    t)  
            promise.success("Error submitting request: " +  
                t.getMessage)  
        }  
    }  
    Await.result(promise.future, Duration.Inf)  
}
```

Apache Toree

Accessing Toree programmatically
using Python

Jupyter Client package

https://github.com/lresende/toree-gateway/blob/master/python/toree_client.py

```
self.client =
BlockingKernelClient(connection_file=connectionFileLocation)
self.client.load_connection_file(connection_file=connectionFileLocation)
...
msg_id = self.client.execute(code='1+1', allow_stdin=False)

reply = self.client.get_shell_msg(block=True, timeout=timeout)

results = []
while True:
    try:
        msg = self.client.get_iopub_msg(timeout=timeout)
    except:
        raise Exception("Error: Timeout executing
request")

        # Stream results are being returned, accumulate them to
results
        if msg['msg_type'] == 'stream':
            type = 'stream'
            results.append(msg['content']['text'])
            continue
        elif msg['msg_type'] == 'execute_result':
            if 'text/plain' in msg['content']['data']:
                type = 'text'
                results.append(msg['content']['data']['text/
plain'])
                elif 'text/html' in msg['content']['data']:
# When idle, responses have all been processed/returned
            elif msg['msg_type'] == 'status':
                if msg['content']['execution_state'] == 'idle':
                    break
if reply['content']['status'] == 'ok':
    return ''.join(results)
```

Apache Toree

Accessing Toree programmatically
using Jupyter Enterprise Gateway

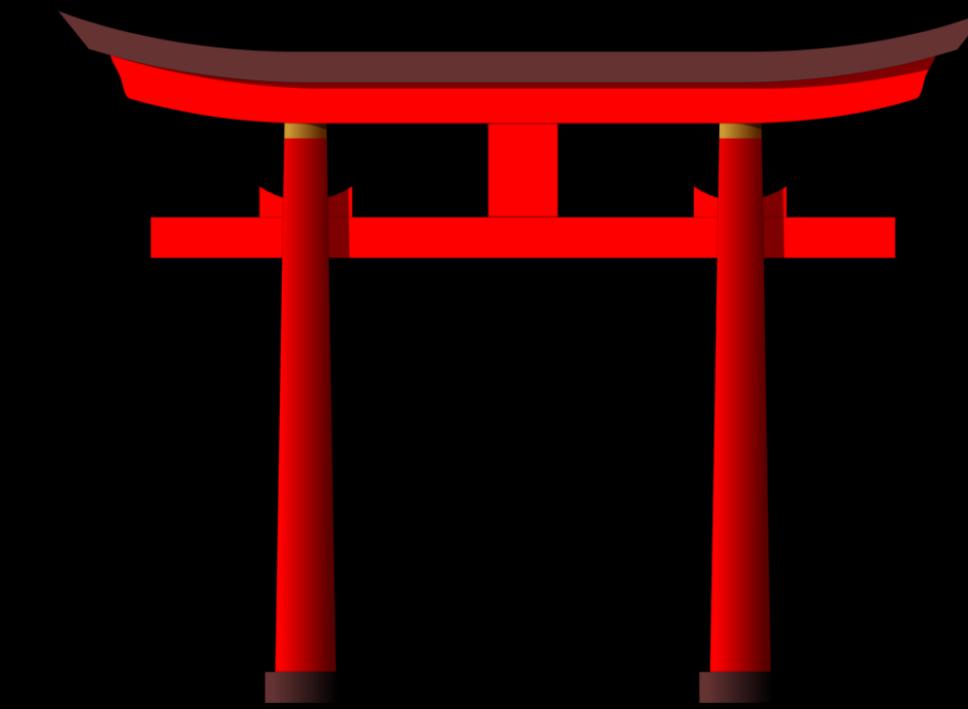
GatewayClient

https://github.com/jupyter-server/enterprise_gateway/tree/master/enterprise_gateway/client

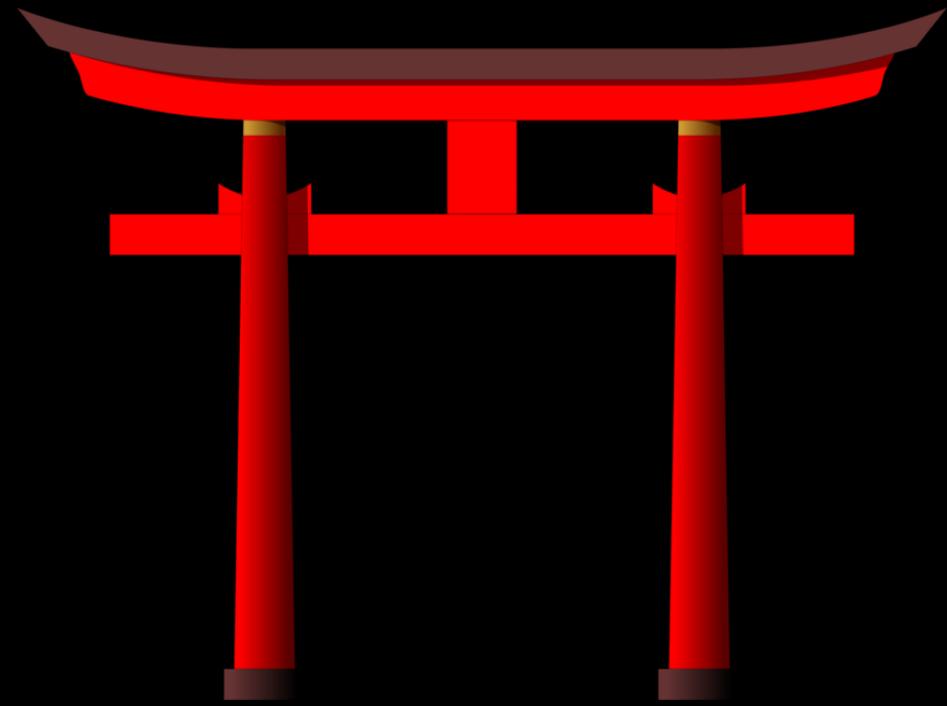
```
# initialize environment
gatewayClient = GatewayClient()
kernel = gatewayClient.start_kernel('toree-
kernelspec')

...
result = self.kernel.execute("1+1")

...
# shutdown environment
gatewayClient.shutdown_kernel(cls.kernel)
```



Demo



Apache Toree: Join the Community

Contribute to Apache Toree

Roadmap suggestions for contributors

- Decouple plain Scala kernel from Spark
- Enhance startup performance
- Evaluate/Implement better async/parallelism framework
- Progress bar for Spark Jobs
- Spark 3.x and Scala 2.13
- Help with documentation and website enhancements

Apache Toree Resources

Apache Toree

<https://toree.apache.org>

Apache Toree Mailing List

dev@toree.incubator.apache.org

Apache Toree source code at GitHub

<https://github.com/apache/incubator-toree>

★ Star and fork the project on Github

Apache Toree
0.5.0 - incubating

`pip install -upgrade toree`

Questions



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