

# Introduction to BigData – Spark – Processing

## Concrete Examples Experience at SG

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# Objectives

4 x 2 hours of lessons  
4 x 2 hours of Hands-On

## Objective Lesson 1 : Overview

What is BigData ?

What is Spark ?

What is Data processing ?

... concrete examples from experience in a company

## Objective Lesson 2,3,4 : Deep Dive in Spark

# Outline

- What is BigData ?
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  - Content, data feeding
  - How it is organized
  - Who uses it
- Example of Data-Processing
  - RAW to LAKE, Reports
- Change Storage-Compute, Evolution to Cloud

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I do not know everything. I am biaised with what I know.  
My opinions do not represent any company

# About You ... Quick Survey ?

Raise your Hands...

You are developer ?

In Java ? SQL ?

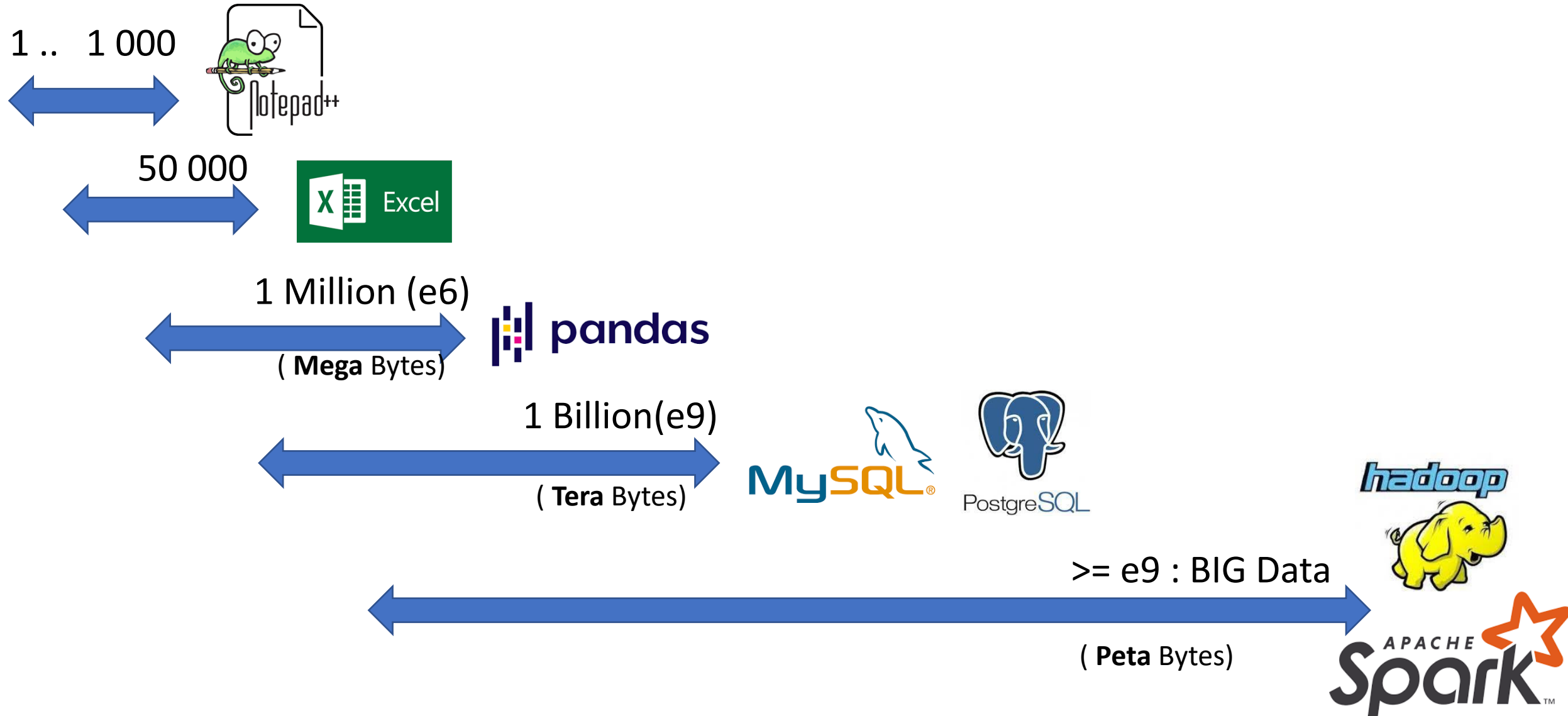
You know Hadoop / Hdfs / Spark ?

You want to be Data Engineer / Data Scientist ?

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# How Big ? => Then Which Tool





# Compute Resources

## Vertical Scaling

Historically:

have Bigger needs => buy BIGGER Server

Very Frequent in Bank OLTP Databases

128 cores x 500Go RAM + SAN Bay of Disks

= Millions of Euros

.. BUT price is exponential to performance, and limited

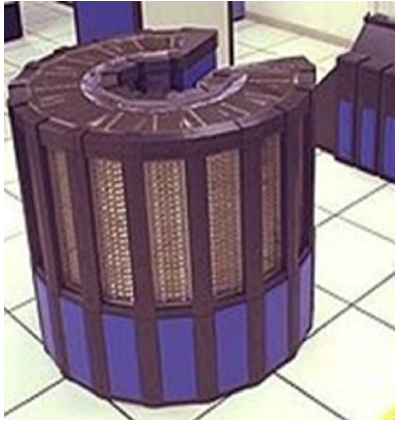
# BigData definition

Data does not fit on 1 server ... even Huge, because of

3 V = Volume / Velocity / Variety

# Bigger Hardware, different Software

## Vertical Scaling -> Horizontal



1 OS, 1 process, N Threads



Distributed computing  
... Softwares need  
Network, Fault Tolerant

# BigData At Scale

## Google Datacenter



# Not Only Gafas

Example of Smaller Companies, obviously doing BigData

Criteo (internet advertisement)

Cern (particle accelerators)

Gouvernement

Social Networks

Auchan, Carrefour, .. (E-Commerce)

MeteoFrance ( Computing, Satellite Images)

Uber, Taxis, Cars ( IOT )

Medical, Pharmaceutic, Genetics

Industries

Banks

..

# BigData In Banks ?



Corporate Investment Bank  
(for private / owned trading )



Example of Société Générale:  
At La Defense

Data for

- Historical Market datas
- Risk / Var management
- Aggregation of all Trading departments
- Regulatory Reporting
- Business analysis
- ..



Network Bank (for everybody customers)

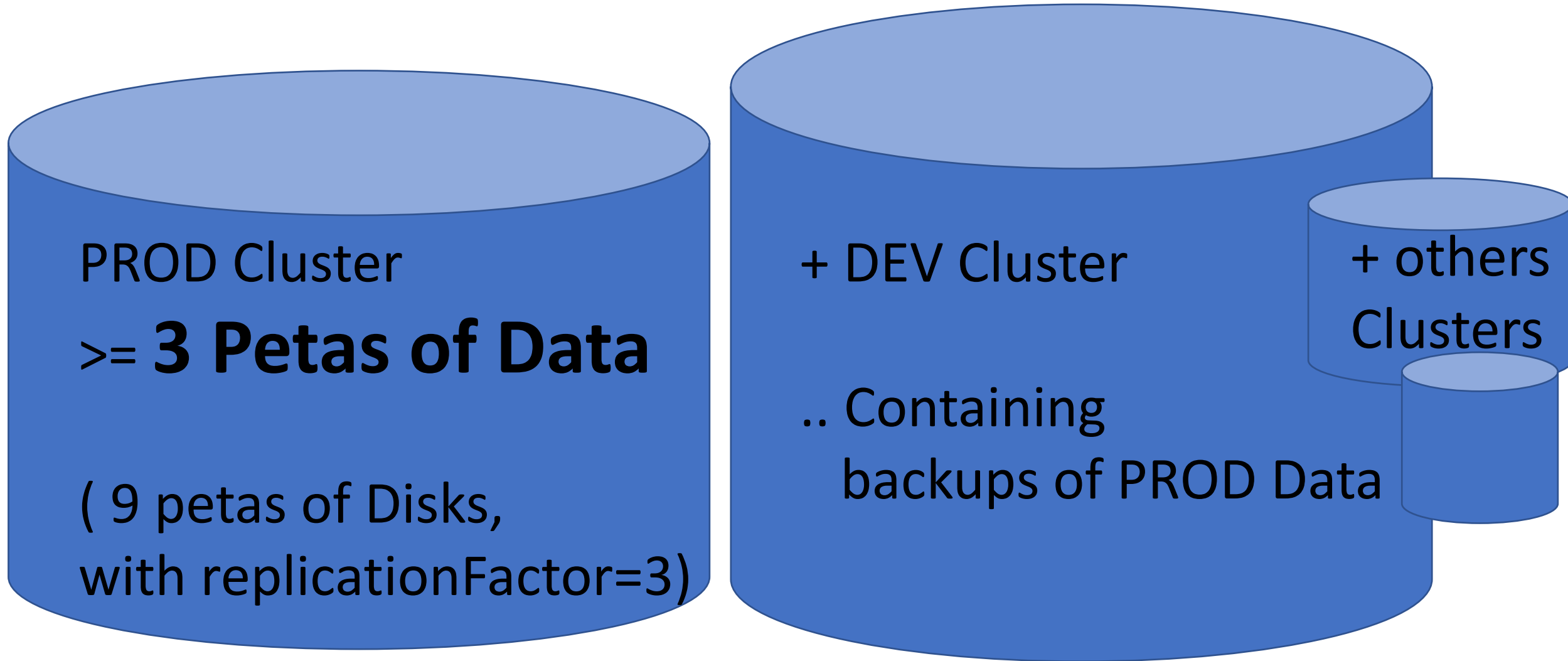


Example of Société Générale:  
At Val de Fontenay

Data for

- RGPD... warn personal data!
- Anti Fraud detection,
- customers-oriented
- Business analysis
- ..

# BigData at SG (Investment Bank)



Typical Datacenter Hardware  
= N Racks x 10 blades (1U / 2U)





# Example of a Server for Datalake

1 server = 42 cores + 256 Go RAM + 8 disks + network 1Gb/s

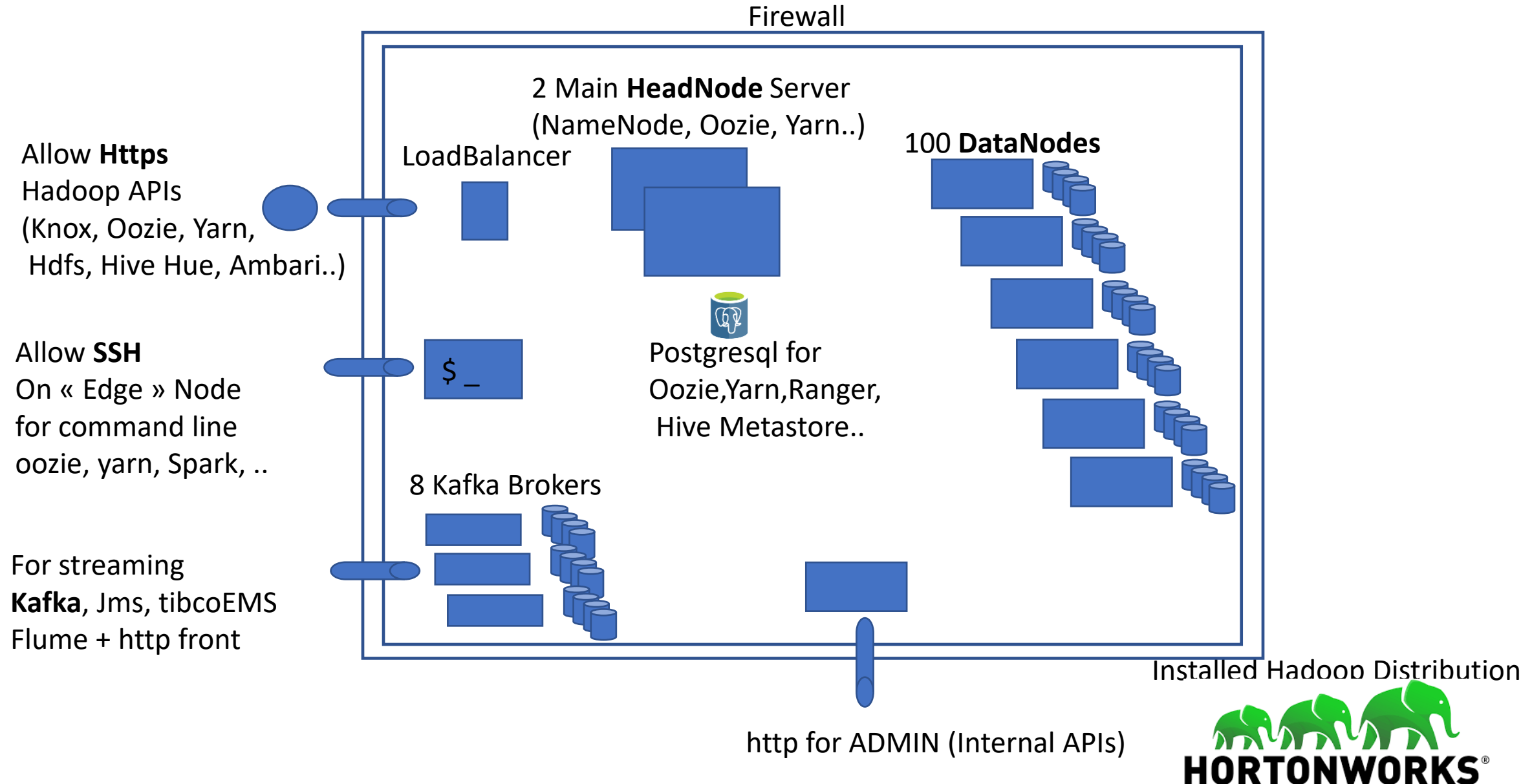
# « Small » Datalake ?

100 servers for PROD  
( + 120 servers for DEV )

= 4200 cores  
+ 25600 Go RAM : 25 Tera of RAMS  
+ 800 disks : 2 Petas of Data ( 6 peta of Disks )

... now 3 Petas on Azure

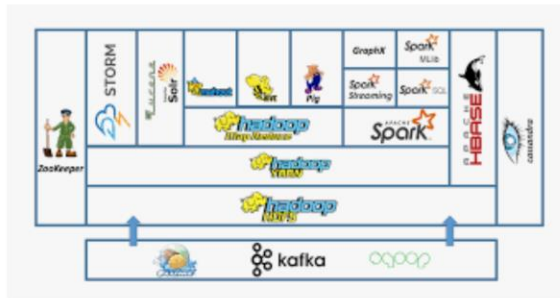
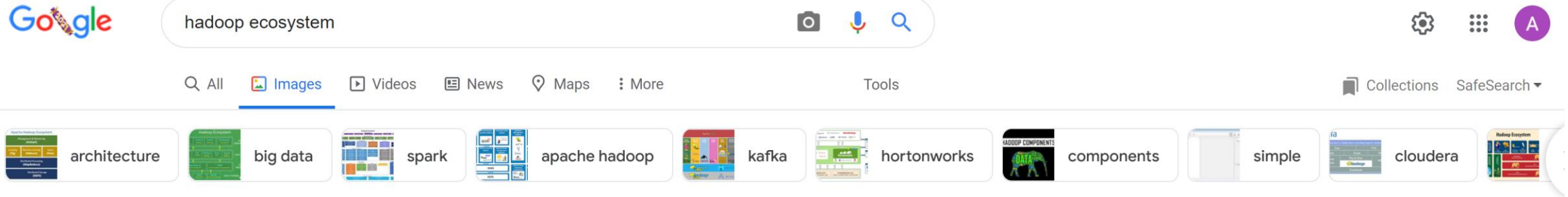
# Hadoop Cluster Architecture



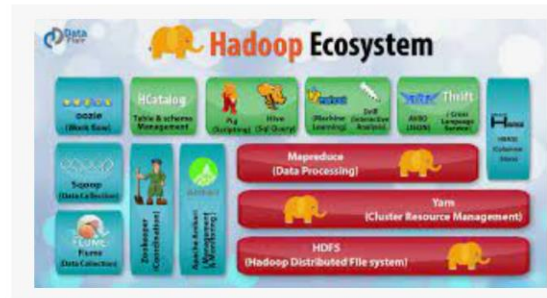
How Softwares evolve to handle all this ?

Which ones to use today?

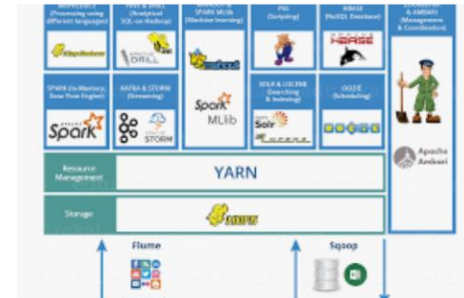
# Hadoop Ecosystem « Explosion »



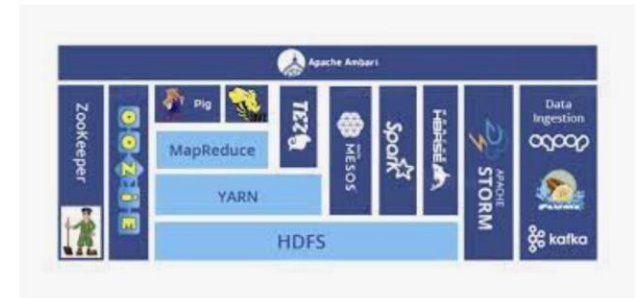
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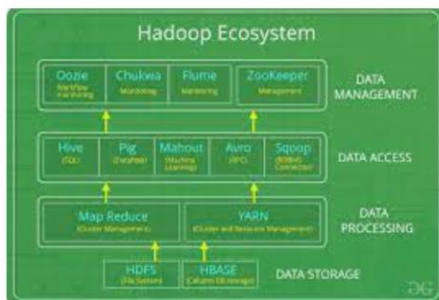
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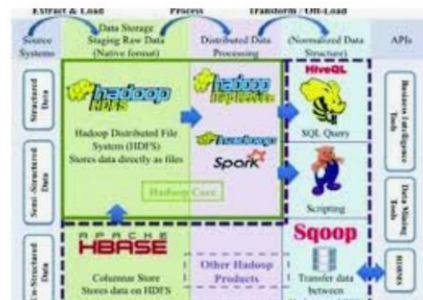
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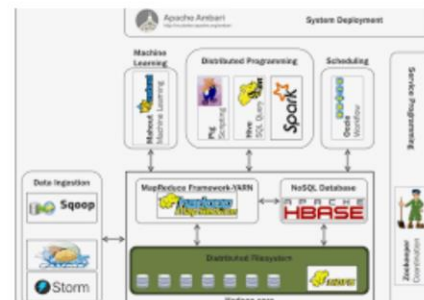
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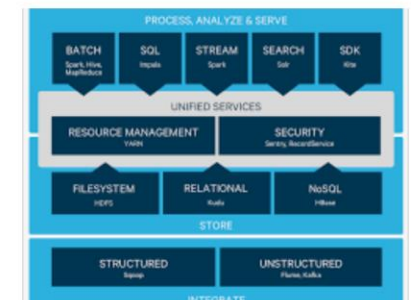
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Overview of the Hadoop ecosystem ...  
oreilly.com



Apache Hadoop open source ecosystem ...  
cloudera.com



# Spark (Recent) History & Ancestors

MapReduce @Google

2002  
@Google

2004 Google  
Paper published

2014 Google  
No more used of MapReduce



2006 @Yahoo  
Hadoop implementation

2012 Yarn (v2)

2008 Apache Open-Source

2021 MapReduce bashing  
... HDFS & Hadoop also  
HortonWork bought by Cloudera  
HDInsight @Azure...very bad choice  
.. To be abandoned

 **MPI**  
1995 Message Passing Interface



2010 Spark paper

2013 Apache top-level

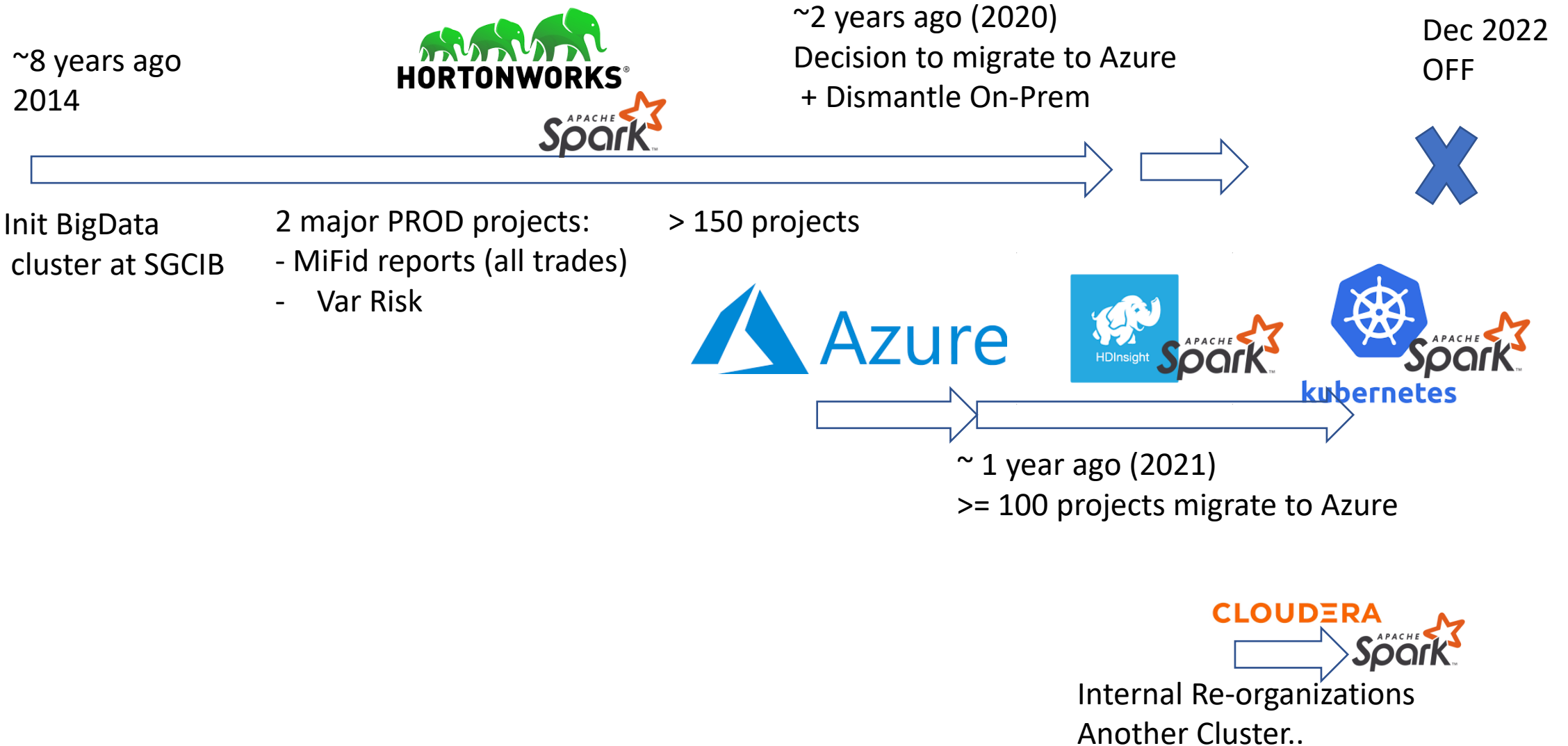


2015  
Kubernetes



2020  
Spark on K8s

# Datalake History At SG



Point in common  
Despite all changes





# MapReduce @Yahoo = Hadoop .. 2006

Constraint

=>

Architecture

Choice

Commodity Hardwares (datacenters):

Only HDD + RAM

**Data Locality** : co-host    Storage near Compute

use RAM to cache

avoid network



Think different?



2006



2020

# MapReduce -> Spark + other changes

Constraint

=>

Architecture  
Choice

Faster Disk (SSD)  
Faster Network  
Compute != Storage  
Cloud



kubernetes



Google Cloud

Think different?



2006



2022

# Simple => Many Specific Systems => Unified



« **Simple** » ecosystem  
( verbose inefficient &  
complex java code)

« **Bazard** » ecosystem  
(**Too MANY TOO** **S P E C I F I C**  
redundant, complexes)

“Unified” ecosystem  
**Simple**  
+ **extensible modules**

At The end, Only 1 will remain  
( French TV Game: Koh-Lanta)





# Spark = « Unified Engine »

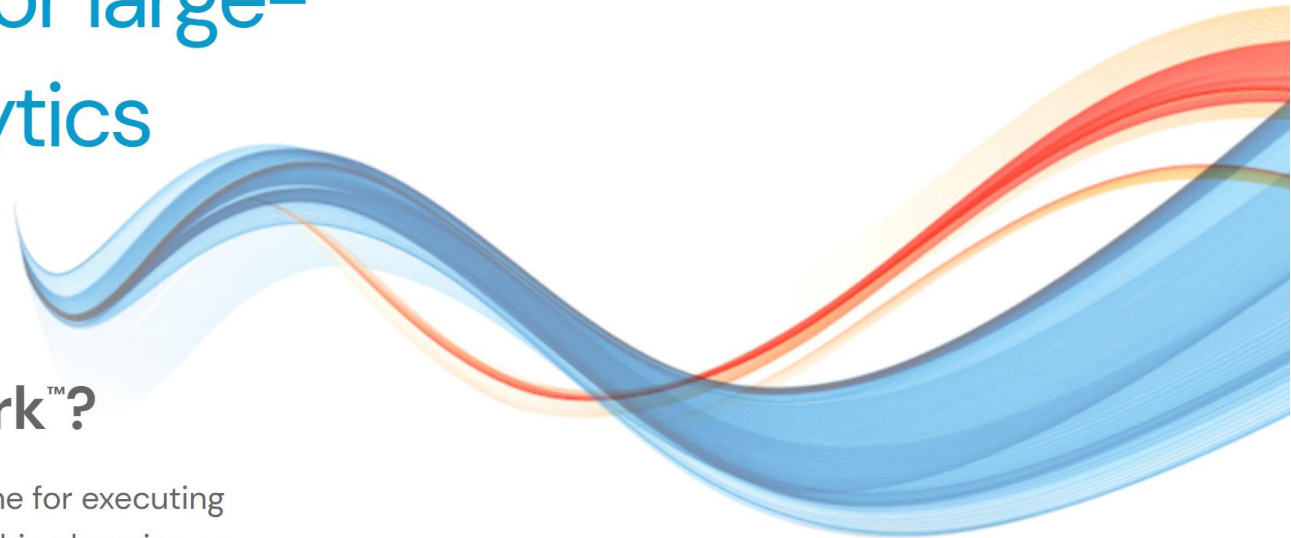
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## Unified engine for large-scale data analytics

[GET STARTED](#)

### What is Apache Spark™?


Apache Spark™ is a multi-language engine for executing data engineering, data science, and machine learning on single-node machines or clusters.



# Multi Purposes – Multi Languages


**Simple.**  
**Fast.**  
**Scalable.**  
**Unified.**

## Key features




### Batch/streaming data

Unify the processing of your data in batches and real-time streaming, using your preferred language: Python, SQL, Scala, Java or R.




### SQL analytics

Execute fast, distributed ANSI SQL queries for dashboarding and ad-hoc reporting. Runs faster than most data warehouses.



### Data science at scale

Perform Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) on petabyte-scale data without having to resort to downsampling



### Machine learning

Train machine learning algorithms on a laptop and use the same code to scale to fault-tolerant clusters of thousands of machines.

Python

SQL

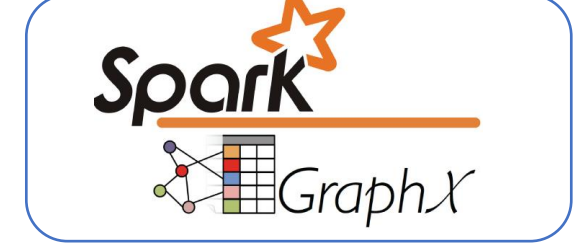
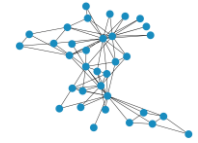
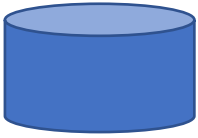
Scala

Java

R

# Spark-Core + ...

Structured  
Data



Modules



Amazon S3



Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2

DataSource Connectors  
(Hadoop API)



Cluster Manager



Langages Support





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# Not Only Machines

## Tower of Babel

מגדל בבל



*The Tower of Babel* by Pieter Bruegel the Elder (1563)

### General information

Type	<a href="#">Tower</a>
Location	<a href="#">Babylon</a>
Height	<a href="#">See § Height</a>

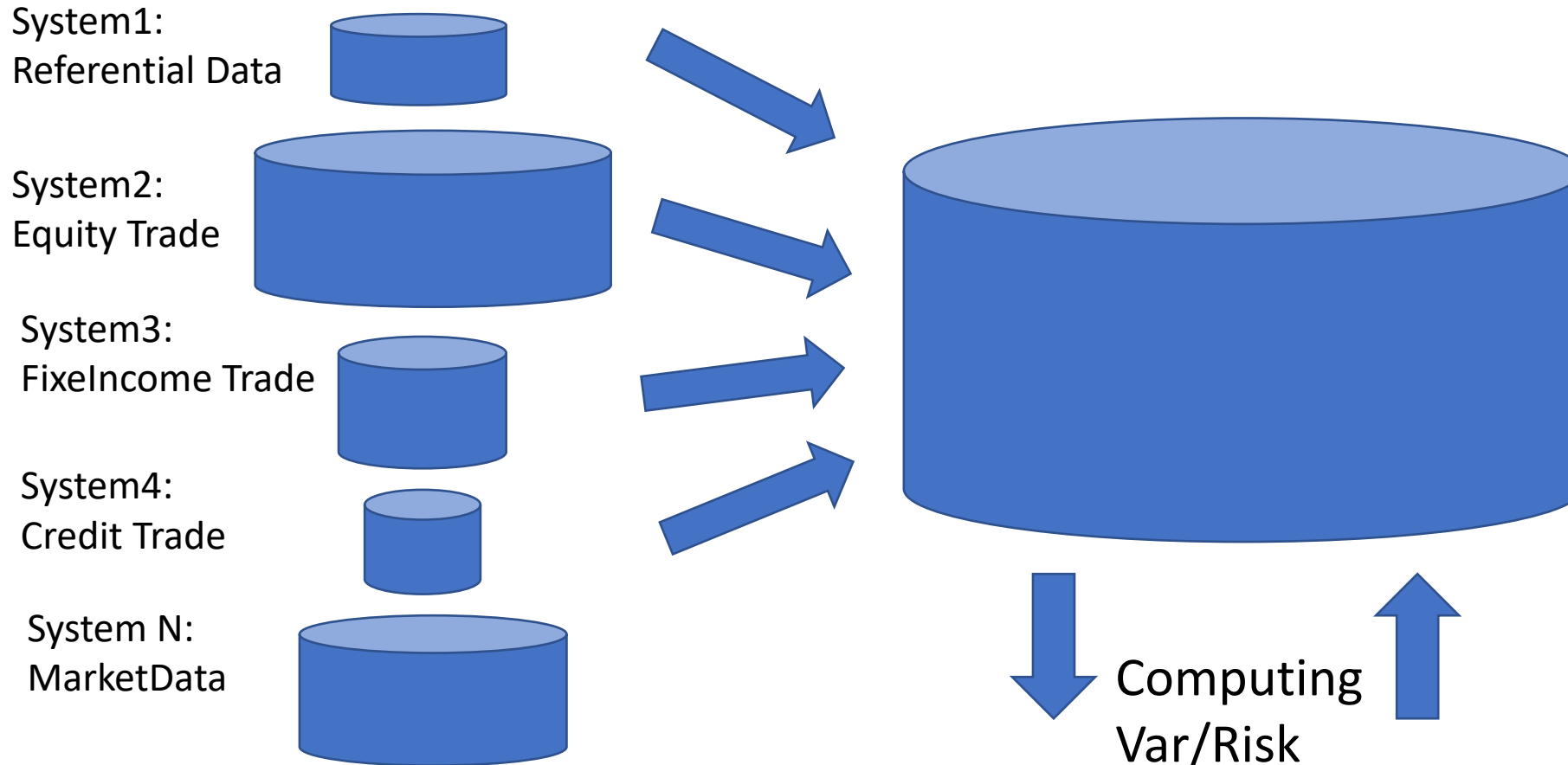
~ 200 different Teams / 10 departments  
... for 1000 developers / data engineers / users

In Paris.. But not Only (Bangalore, Montreal, London, New-York, ..)

On ~6000 tables,  
described in 1500 DataSets

Lot of Financial / Functional aspects

# Feeding Data Inputs to Datalake: aggregating $\geq 150$ Systems



# Feeding Data / Streaming

BigData at SG is mostly « uploading daily files »  
then launching « daily batches »

Many Trade extractions are Real-Time Streaming  
... but aggregated in Files per Hours / per Day

Var Computing during night ... Huge streaming of events  
from dedicated pricing cluster (GPUs)

# Feeding Types & Volumetry

Daily batches: upload Files

Streaming then converted to Files

Streaming to Key-Values Databases

**Teras/day**  
**( millions of files)**

**Billions events/day**

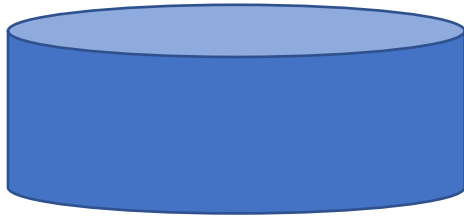
Peeks to 4000 events/seconds  
on each 100 x servers  
During 4hours nightly Var batches

# Content of a Datalake



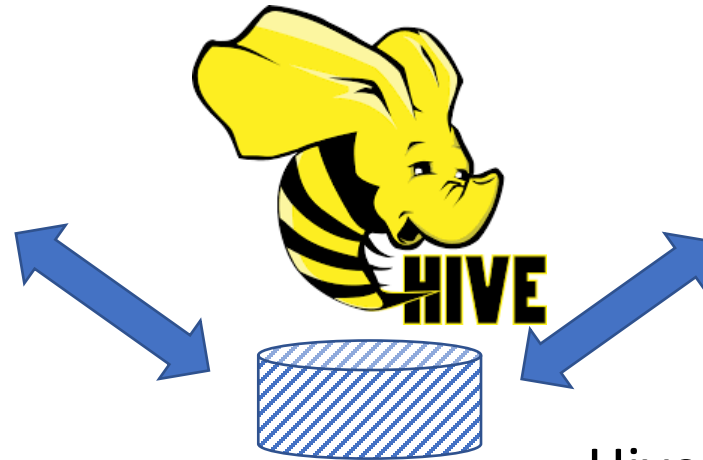
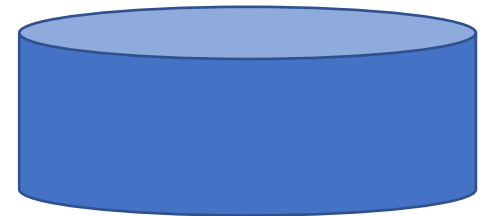
FileSystem  
= Directories + Files

For batches



Key-Value database

FAST get/put access by single key



Hive Metastore = SQL View  
« Table » abstraction for HDFS / Hbase

# Storage = Files and Directories

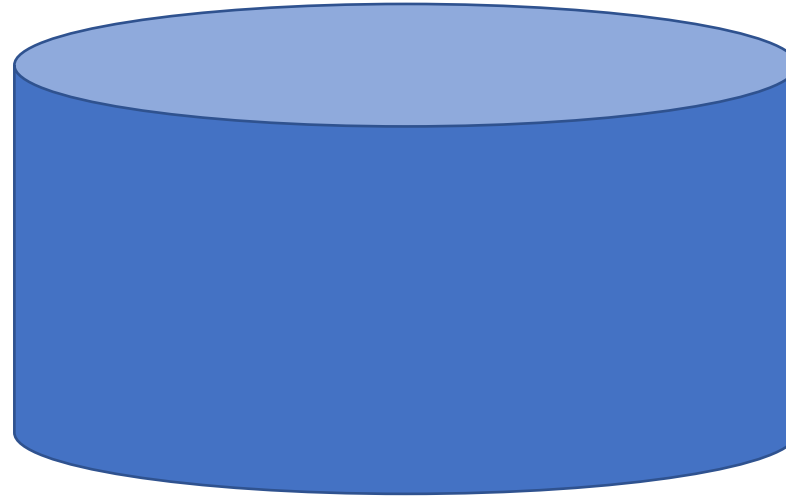
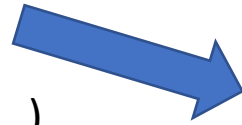
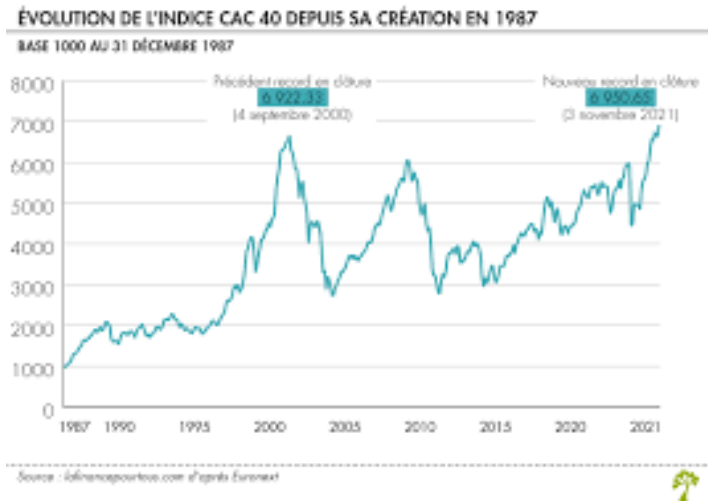
How would you organize  
**1 Billions Files**  
**in 50 Millions Directories ?**

How do you ensure data respect directories organization ?

Try Scanning Directories ?

# A Very « Simple » Specific Sub-System

« Tick » per seconds  
From Market Exchange Places  
(Bourse Paris, London Stock Exchange, ...)



1 binary file per Day/Place/Instrument

... 2M files per day

... 40 Giga per day

... since 22 years ... 25 Billions Files / Petas

Volume, Velocity ... but not Variety  
( NO spark, No Hadoop )

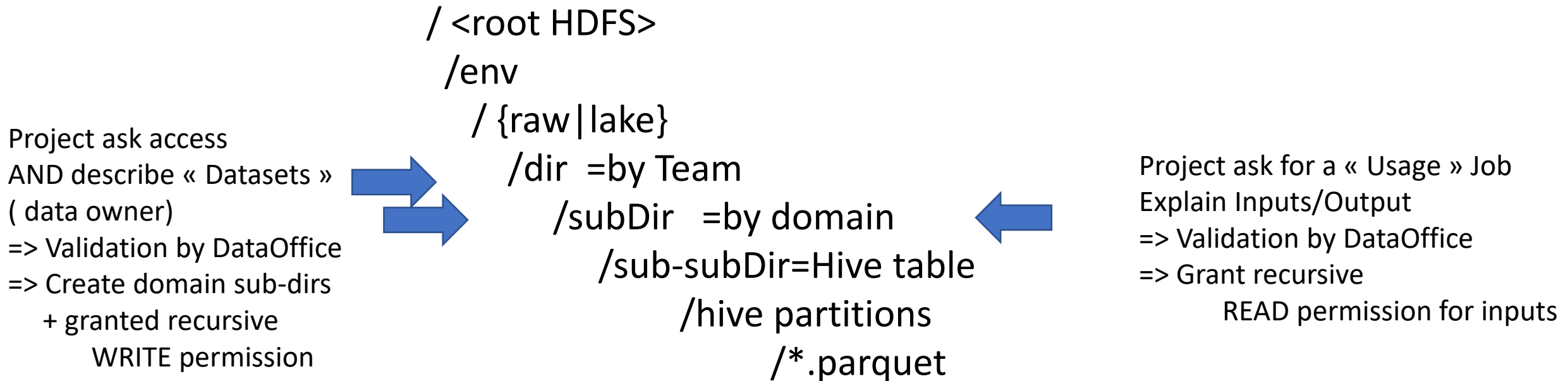


# Governance

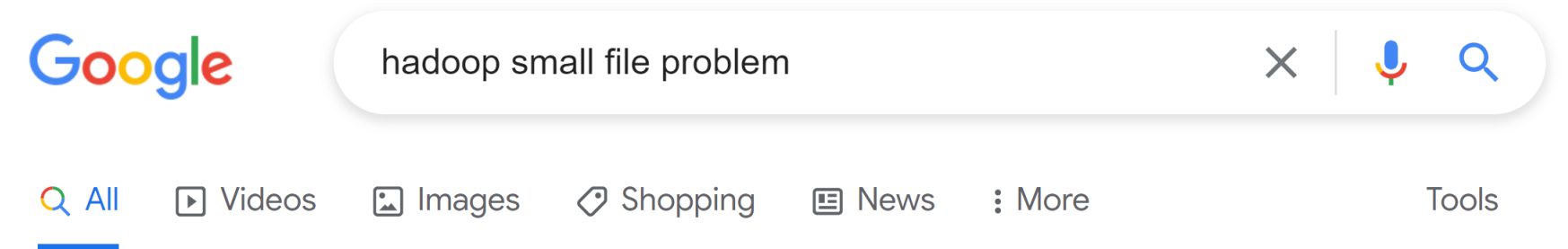
## Data Directories Organization

### Read-Write Permissions, Quota, RDPG ...

How would you organize Read-Write Permissions on  
6000 tables x 1000 jobs ?



# Hadoop hates too many Small Files



About 726,000 results (0.55 seconds)

## Problems with small files and HDFS

A small file is one which is significantly smaller than the HDFS block size (default 64MB). If you're storing small files, then you probably have lots of them (otherwise you wouldn't turn to Hadoop), and the problem is that **HDFS can't handle lots of files**.

# BIG Files ? More than Giga ? YES ... BUT PARQUET Partitioned

Doing BigData = using



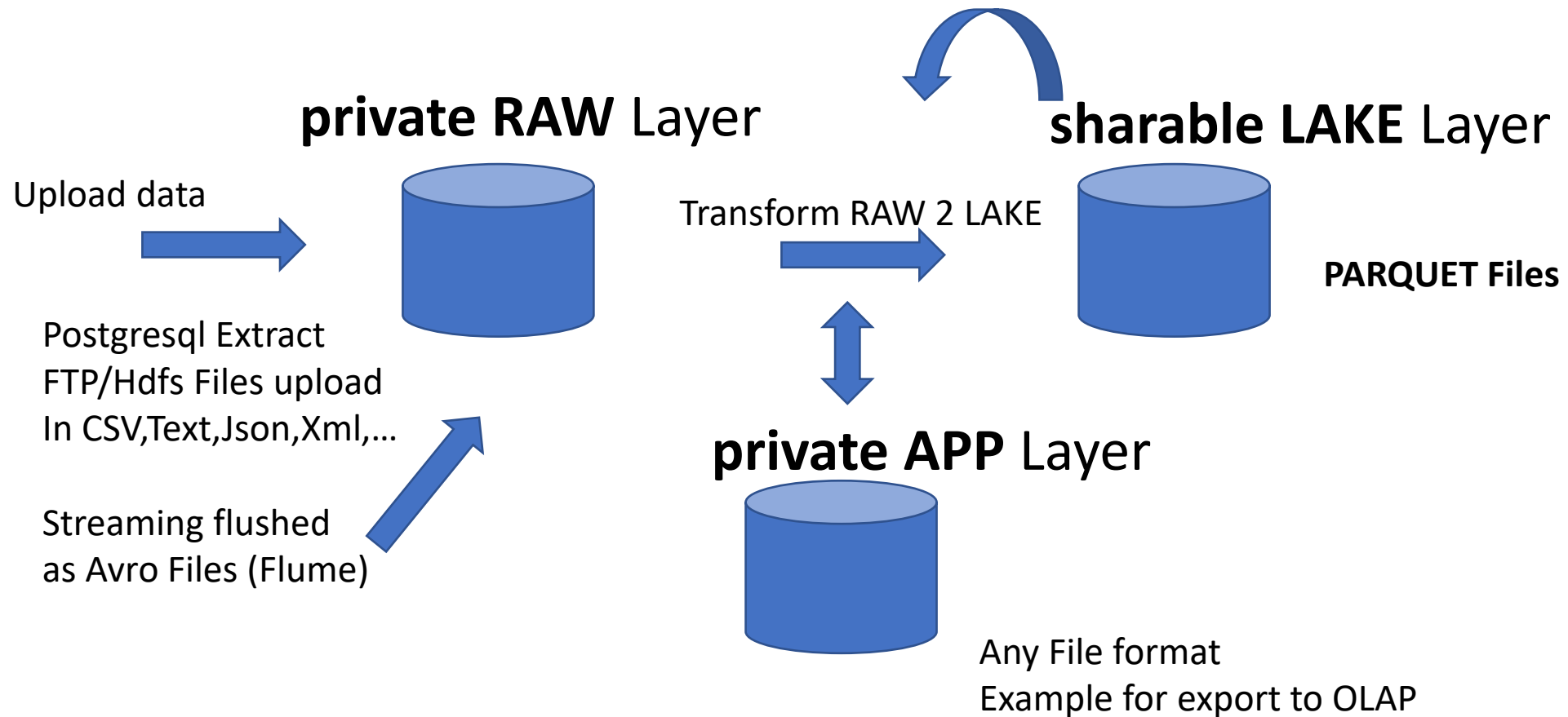
Files (correctly with



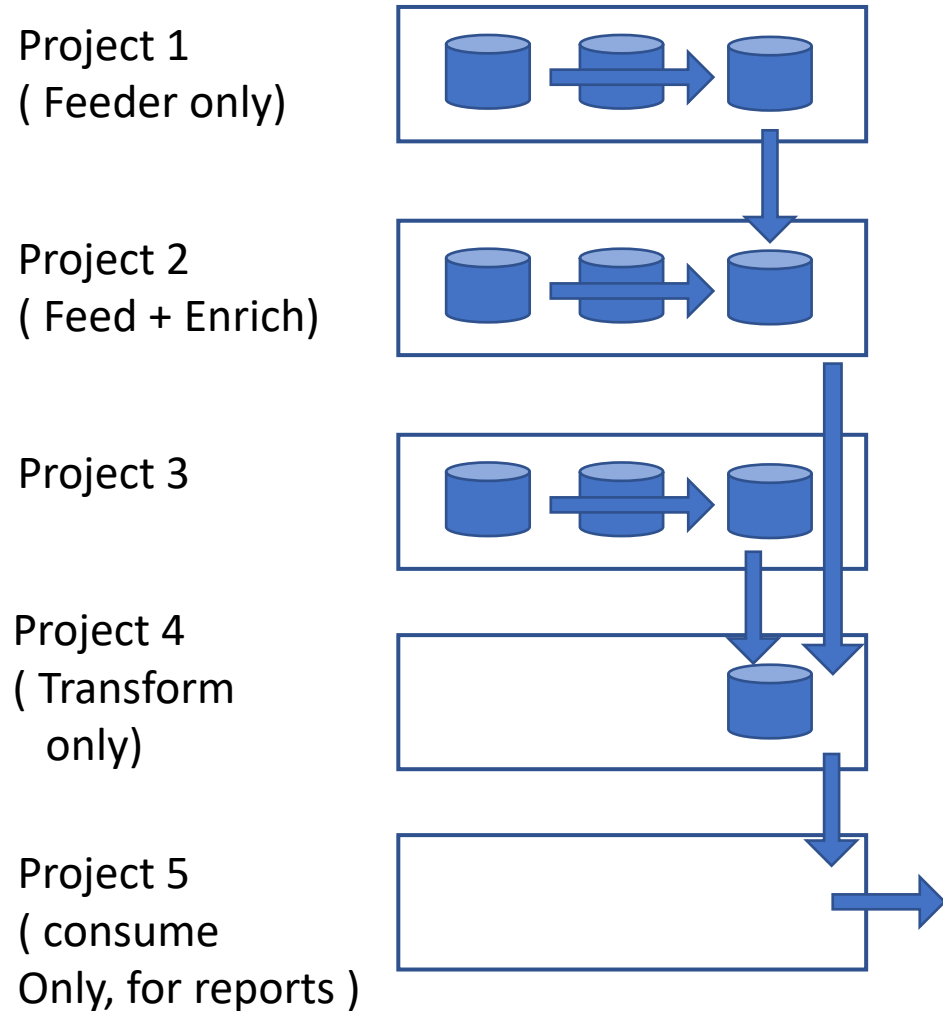
End Of Story.

# LAKE = Parquet

## Starting from RAW: Postgresql or {CSV|Json|Avro..} STAGING Dirs



# Feeding – Transforming – Consuming Data



Every project is granted  
3 Read-Write Databases: RAW, APP, LAKE

LAKE are sharable  
... designed to be efficiently RE-read after (for analytical)

Every project can request Read access on others LAKE  
( after validation by Data-Office )

A Dataset is writable by only 1 Project (the owner )

# Big Processing

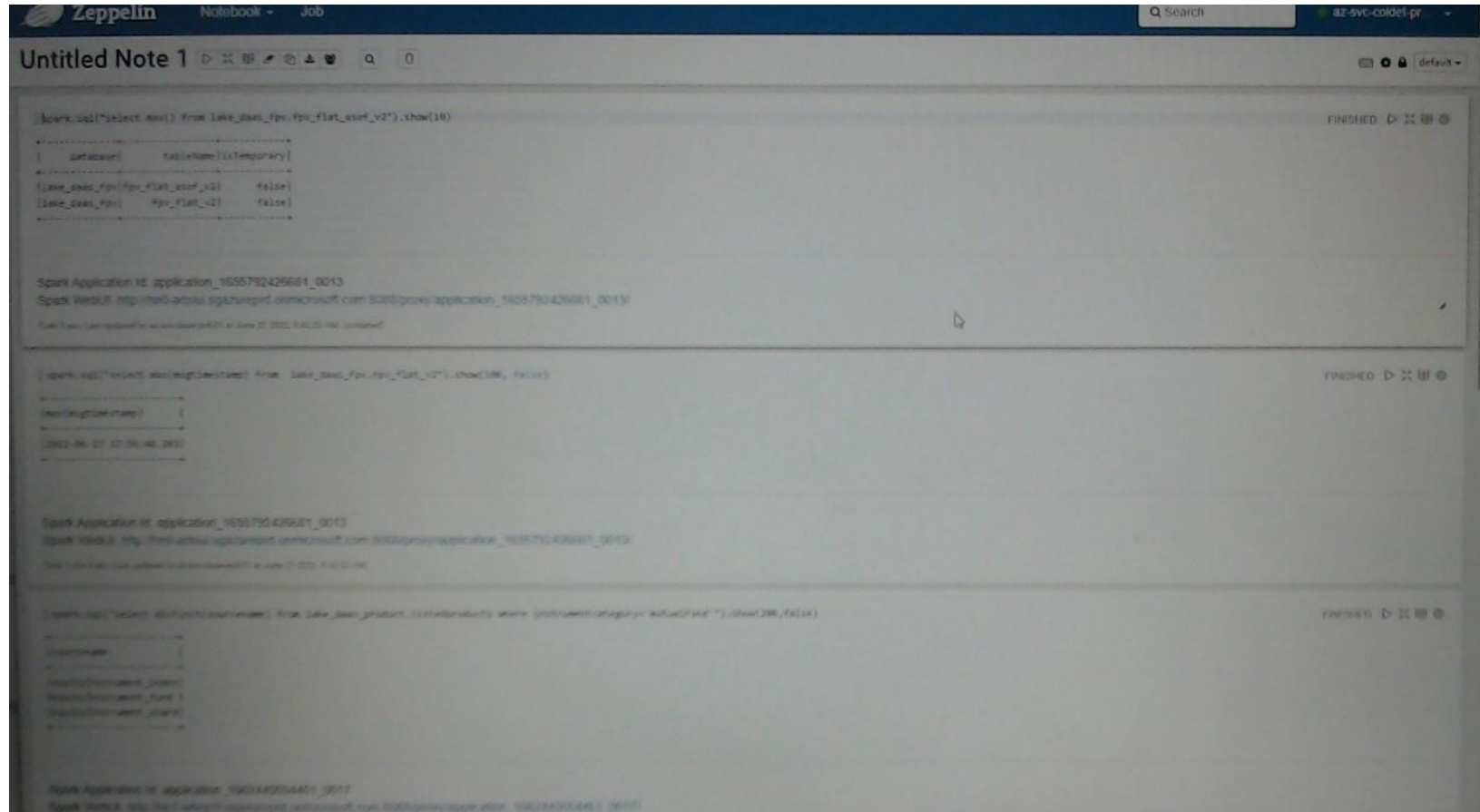
$\geq 1000$  periodic jobs running daily / or every hours

Some processing take  $\geq 15$  Hours

Some processing are distributed on more than 200 yarn containers

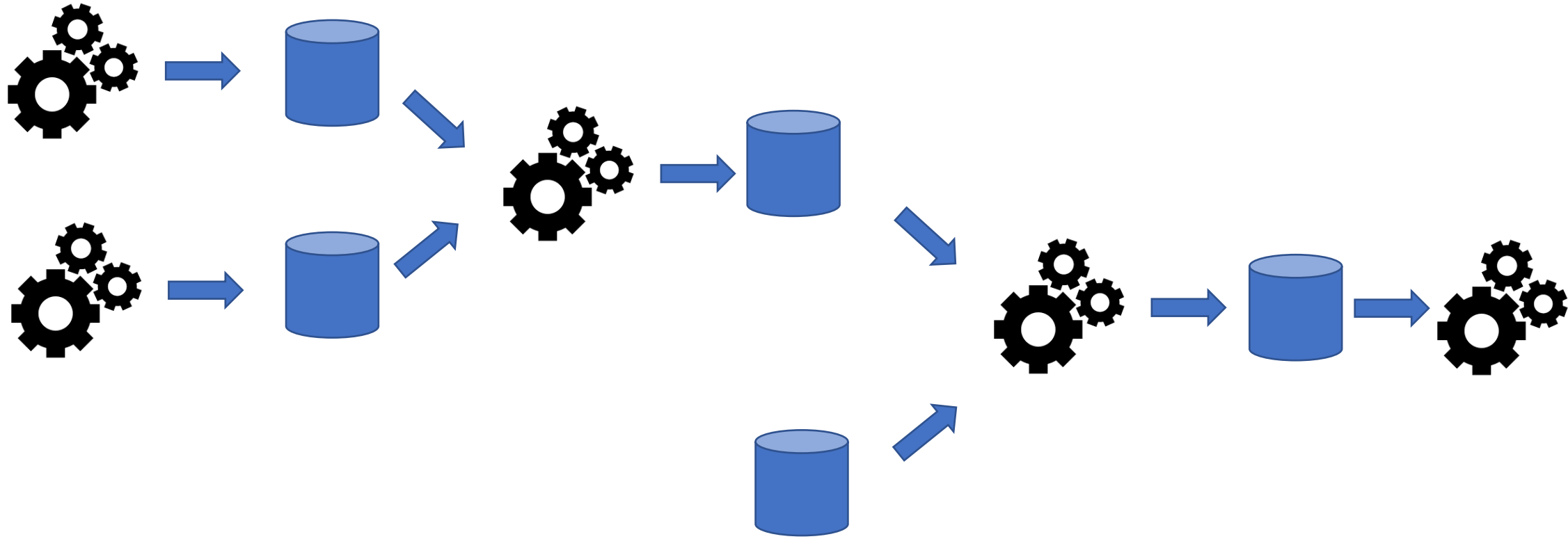
Some take more than 1000 Go of RAM

# Few Interactive Queries Processing screenshot Zeppelin



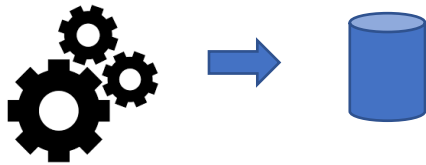
# Orchestration / DataLineage

Data and Workflows are linked





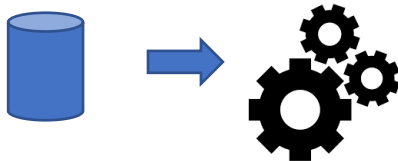
# Read-Write Permissions from DataOffice



Dataset « Feeding » declaration:

= exclusive Write Permission : Project -> canWrite -> DB

For validation by DataOffice, DataSet must be described :  
confidentiality, source, business owner, quality, RDPG legal



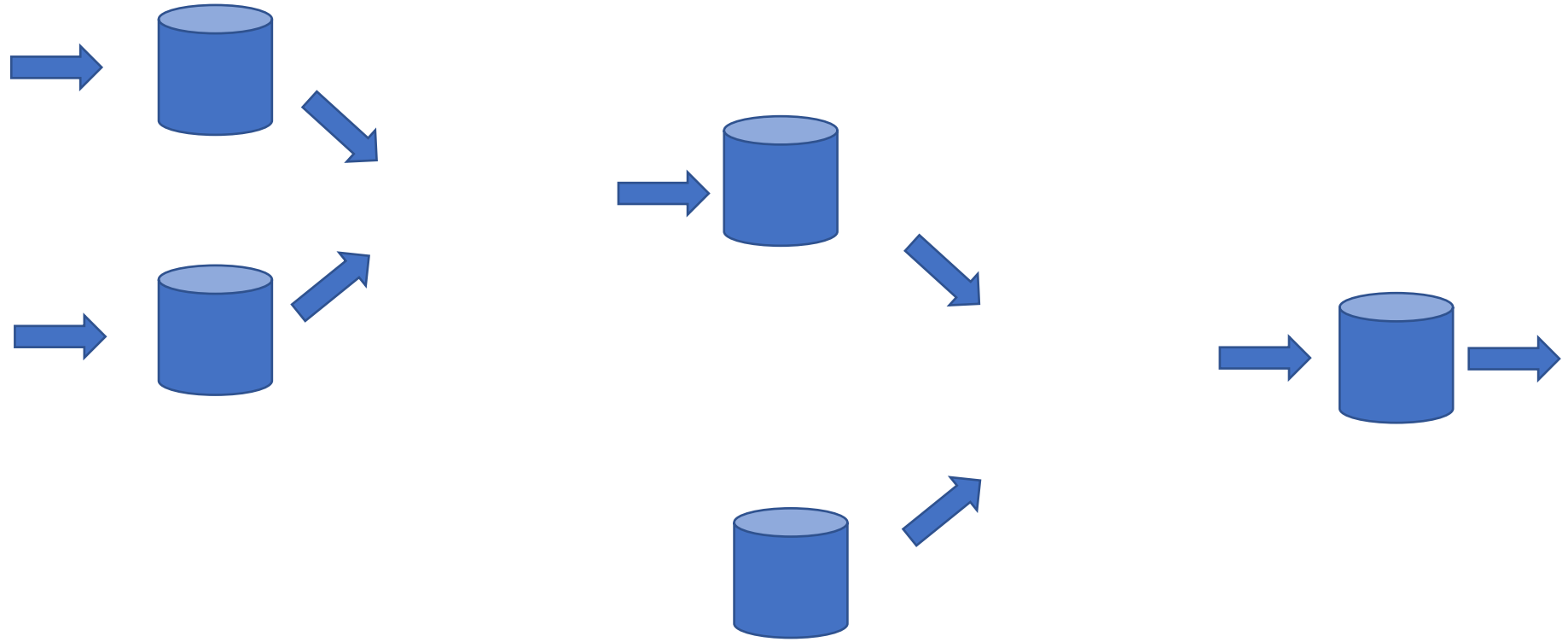
Consumer declaration:

= authorization to read : Project -> canRead -> DB  
... for a specific Usage

For validation by DataOffice, use-case must be described,  
usage must be « legitimate » , RDI legal

# DataLineage

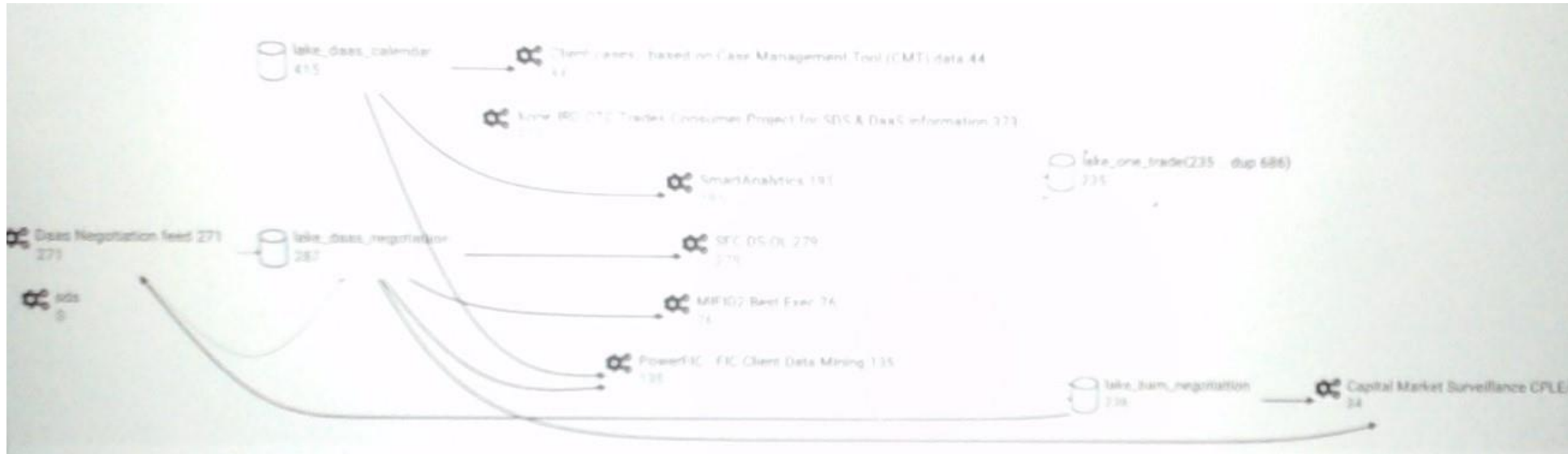
## Data depends on other Sources Data



# Screenshots (Fuzzy.. On purpose)

## Read/Write Dependencies Hive Database / Job...

Zooming on 4 out of 250 Hive databases



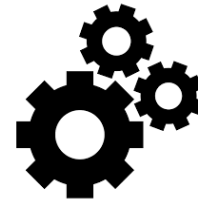
# Orchestration

## Start process2 after process1 finished

Start condition=  
CRON 1 \* \* \* \* \*



Start condition=  
Wait for data...

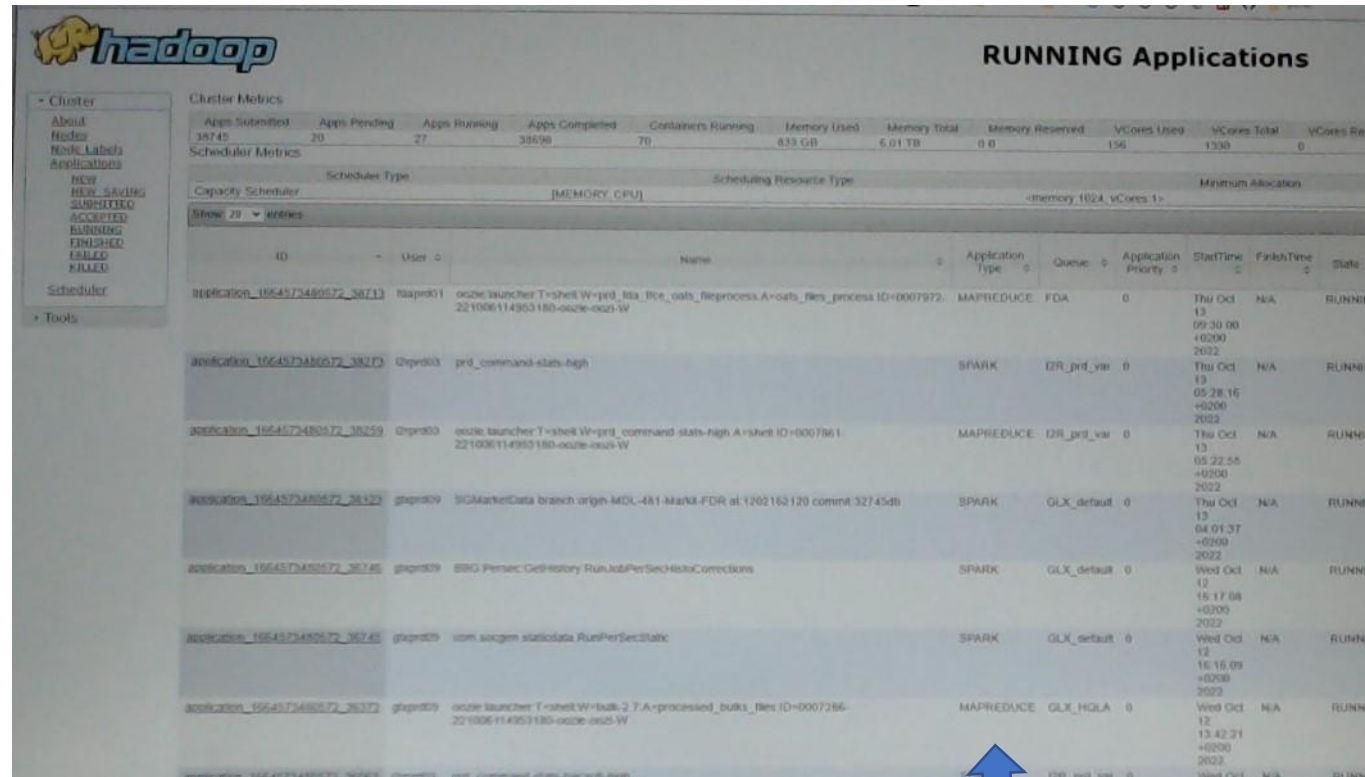


Start condition=  
CRON 10 \* \* \* \* \*



# Prod Screenshot (Fuzzy.. on purpose)

## Running Yarn Applications

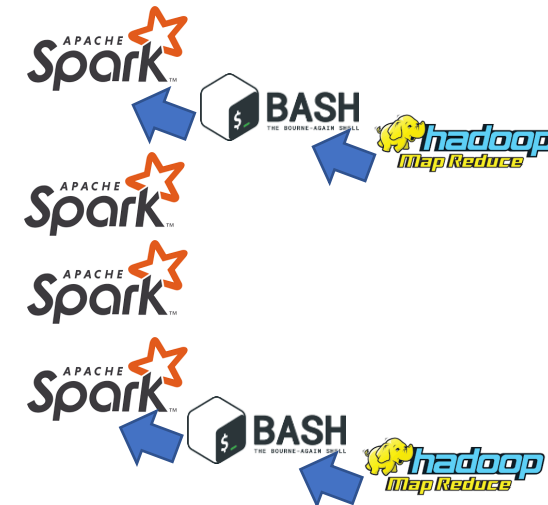


The screenshot shows the Hadoop YARN web interface. The top section displays cluster metrics: Apps Submitted (38745), Apps Pending (20), Apps Running (27), Apps Completed (38598), Containers Running (70), Memory Used (833 GB), Memory Total (6.01 TB), Memory Reserved (0 B), V-Cores Used (136), V-Cores Total (1330), and V-Cores Reserved (0). Below this, scheduler metrics are shown for the Capacity Scheduler, including Scheduling Resource Type (MEMORY, CPU) and Minimum Allocation (memory 1624, vCores 1). A table of running applications follows, with columns for ID, User, Name, Application Type, Queue, Application Priority, Start Time, Finish Time, and State. The table lists several applications, including those launched by 'ozzie' and 'glprtd9', with various names and application types like MAPREDUCE and SPARK. A blue arrow points to the application with ID 'application\_1664573486572\_36246' which is a SPARK application.

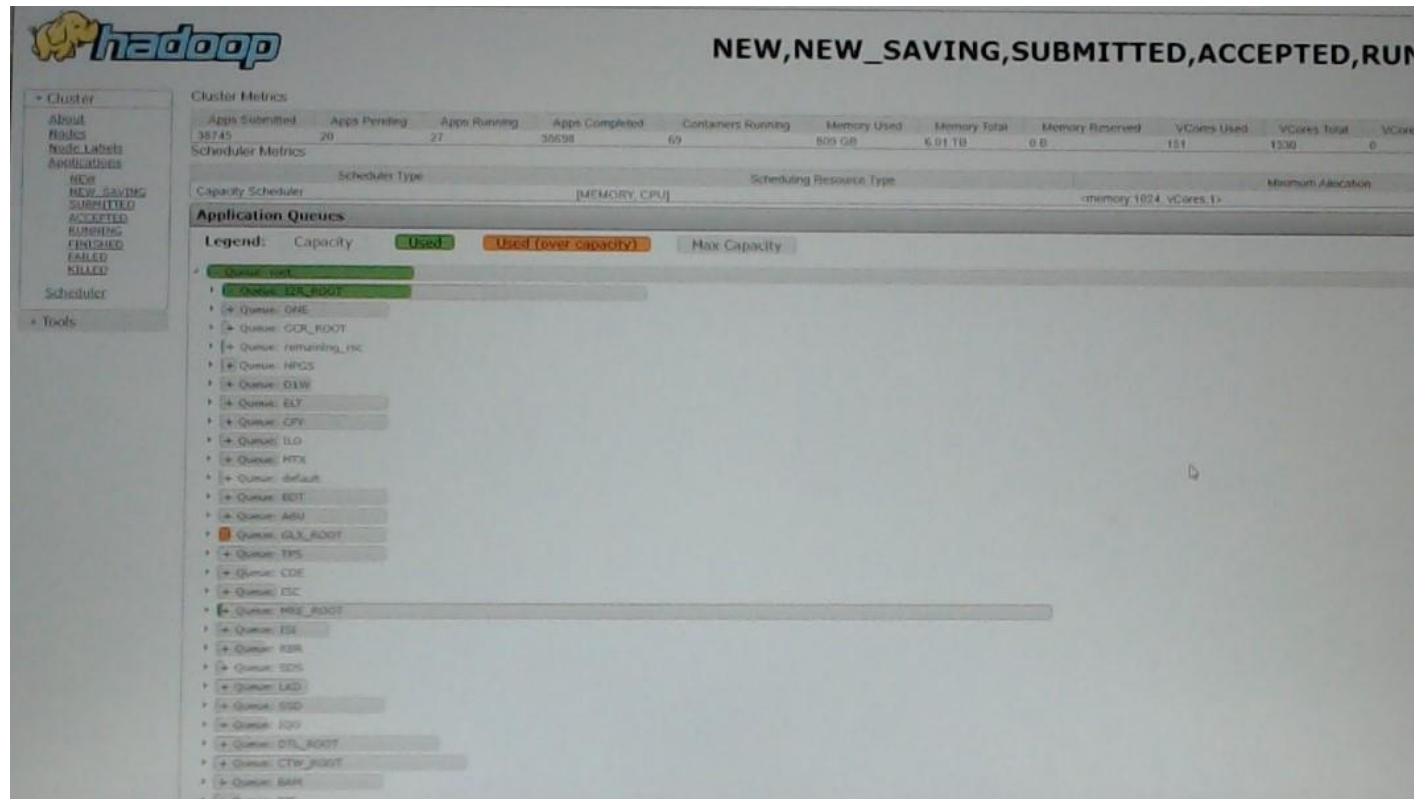
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application_1664573486572_36259	ozzie	launcher T=shell V=prdt_command-stats-high A=shell ID=0007961-221006114953180-ozzie-ozz-W	MAPREDUCE	QZR_jvrd_var	0	Thu Oct 13 05:22:55 +0200 2022	N/A	RUNNING
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application_1664573486572_36240	glprtd9	com.sogem.staticdata.RunPerSecStatic	SPARK	GLX_default	0	Wed Oct 12 16:16:09 +0200 2022	N/A	RUNNING
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MAPREDUCE ?

... only internally to launch shell commands.. To spark ALL others = SPARK



# Prod Screenshot : Yarn Queues (Scheduler, CPU+Mem usages)



You see scrollbar?...  
Hundreds or Yarn Queues  
+ dozen of sub-queues

# Screenshot Oozie (Coordinators / Workflows)

[illegible]

You see pagination?...

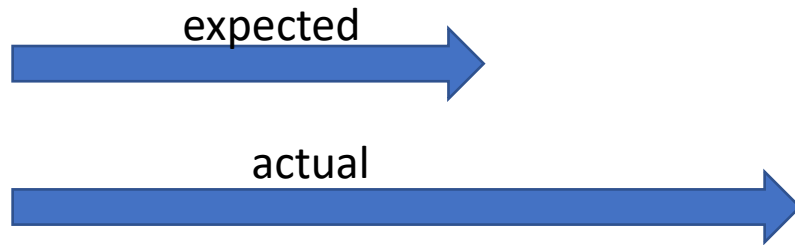
Thousands of CRON jobs

Oozie display only last 50 000 workflows  
... so only 2 days of history

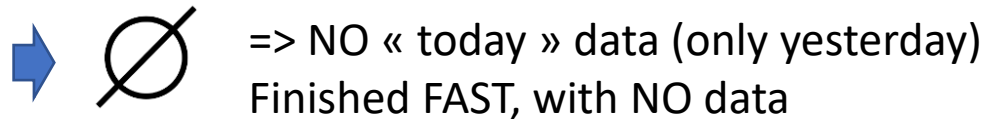
# Orchestration « By CRON: 10 \* \* \* \* \* »

## Example of Possible Failures

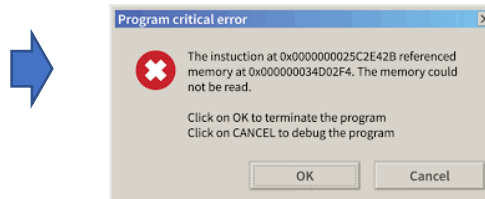
batch1 started at 1 \*\*\* ... but takes today (anormally) 15h instead of 10h



batch2 started at 12 \*\*\* .... data not yet present



batch2 started, during critical section of batch1 ... table dropped/recreated after





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# Typical Example of adding 1 daily partition

```
$ hdfs dfs -mkdir hdfs://raw/team/domain/table/date=2022-10-12
```

```
$ hdfs dfs -put localFile hdfs://raw/team/domain/table/date=2022-10-12/
```

```
$ spark-sql --master local[1] \  
    -e « ALTER TABLE raw_lake_domain.table  
        ADD PARTITION ( date='2022-10-12' ) »
```

# Typical RAW to LAKE processing with Spark as Java code

read	{	<pre>spark.read     .format(« csv »)     .option(« schema », « col1 type1, ... colN typeN »)     .load(« hdfs://raw/team/domain/table/date=2022-10-12 »)</pre>
transform	{	<pre>.map(row -&gt; transformData(row) )</pre>
write	{	<pre>.repartition(3, « col1 ») .sortWithinPartition(« col1, col2, col3 ») .write .format(« parquet ») .save(« hdfs://lake/team/domain/table/date=2022-10-22 ») ;</pre>

# Typical RAW to LAKE processing with Spark as SQL code

write	{	INSERT OVERWRITE
		lake_team_domain.table
		SELECT /* +REPARTITION(col1, 3) */
		col1, col2,
transform	{	udf_func1(col3, col4) as col3,
		udf_func2(col4, col5) as col4,
		..
read	{	FROM
		raw_team_domain.table
transform	{	JOIN
		lake_anotherTeam_domain.anotherTable x ON x.ID=id
read	{	WHERE date='2022-10-22' AND ..
write	{	SORT BY col1, col2, col3 -- idem sortWithinPartition

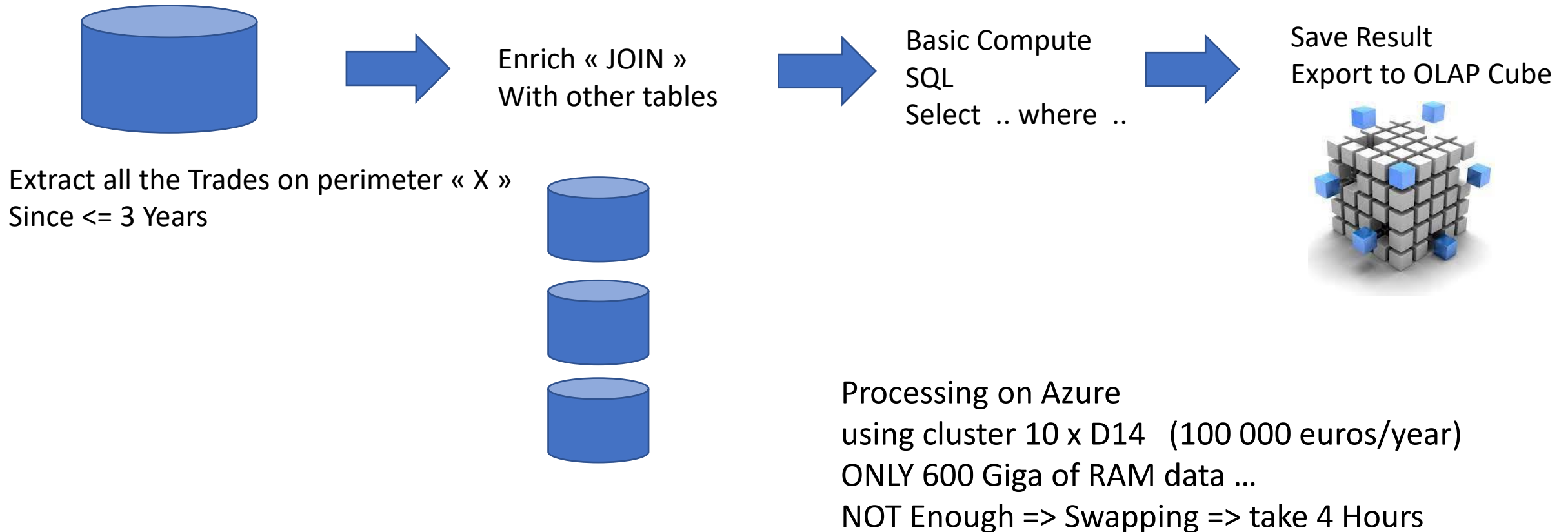
# Example of LAKE Aggregation

```
INSERT OVERWRITE
    lake_team_domain.table
SELECT * FROM (
    SELECT * FROM table1 WHERE ..
    UNION
    SELECT * FROM table2 WHERE ..
    UNION
    SELECT * FROM table3 WHERE ..
    UNION
    SELECT * FROM table4 WHERE ..
)
SORT BY col1, col2, col3    -- idem sortWithinPartition
```

# Example of « latest value » cristalisation analytical query « over(partition by) »

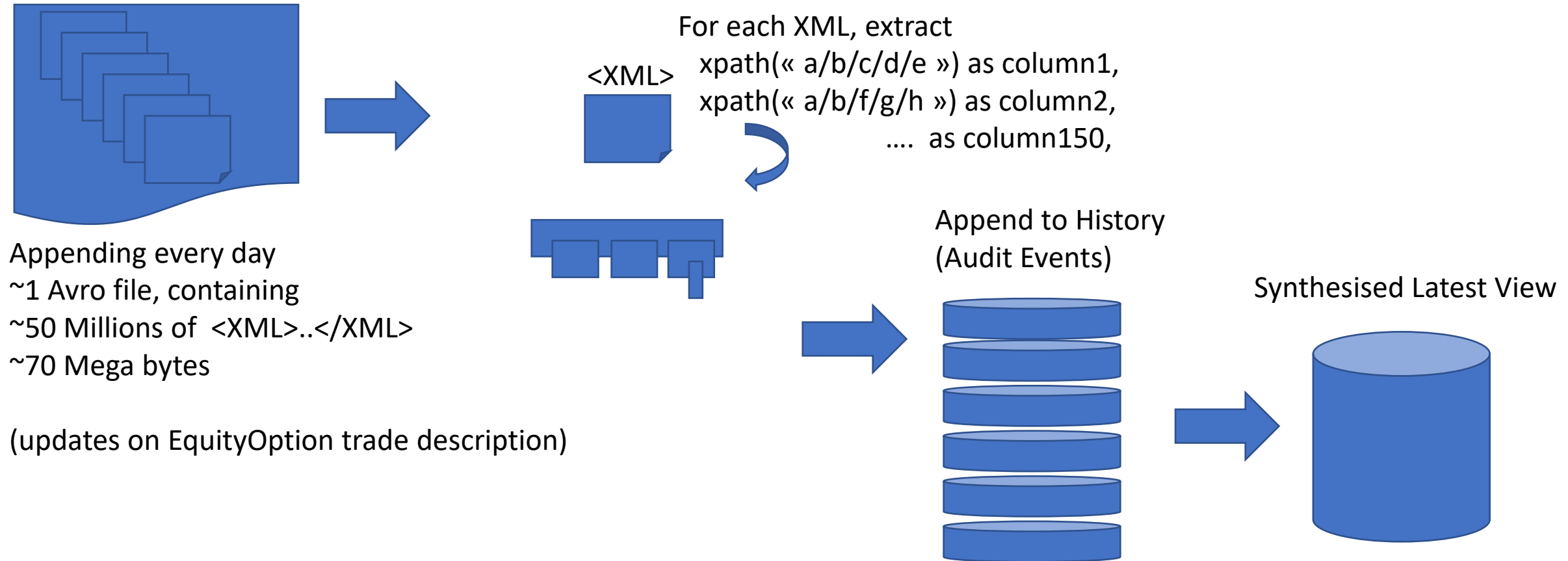
```
INSERT OVERWRITE
  lake_team_domain.table
SELECT
  col1,col2,.... colN  -- idem * EXCEPT rank  (cf issue SPARK-33164)
FROM (
  SELECT *,
    RANK() OVER (PARTITION BY id ORDER BY update_time DESC) as rank
  FROM lake_team_domain.event_table
)
WHERE rank=1
SORT BY col1, col2, col3  -- idem sortWithinPartition
```

# Example of a « Small » Data Processing resource needed = RAM



# Example of a Slow « Un-parallelized » Processing

resource needed = CPU x Time x ..



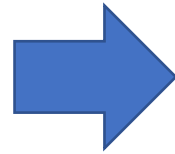


# A Slow Processing ?

Legacy « On-Prem »

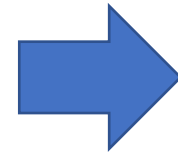
Daily Batch takes  $\geq 15$  Hours  
But is mostly SINGLE-THREADED !!!

Some Parallelized intermediate parts take  
 $\geq 200$  yarn containers ... 10% of Cluster  
... Result = ULTRA FAST !!



Backported code « as-is » to Azure HDInsight  
Used Cluster of 10 x D14 cluster (40 000 euros/month)

Run NEVER Finished  
... stopped in « echo count lines before insert  $\$(...)$  »



Fully re-implemented in Spark + Java  
instead of Hive SQL + UDF xpath  
+ Optimized ...

Now run in 40 minutes on 2 x D13 cluster

# Outline

- What is BigData ?
  - Order of Magnitudes for « Big »
  - History
  - Evolution of Softwares, Spark
- Description of a Datalake
  - Content, data feeding
  - How it is organized
  - Who uses it
- Example of Data-Processing
  - RAW to LAKE, Reports
- Change Storage-Compute, Evolution to Cloud



... More Detailed on

« From OnPrem to Azure Cloud »

see Document « -cloud.pdf »

Appendix:  
Cloud

# Fundamental Resources

## TradeOffs

Network (Bandwidth, Latency)



Horizontal Scale



CPU (HOT, Watts)



Development price / Run cost

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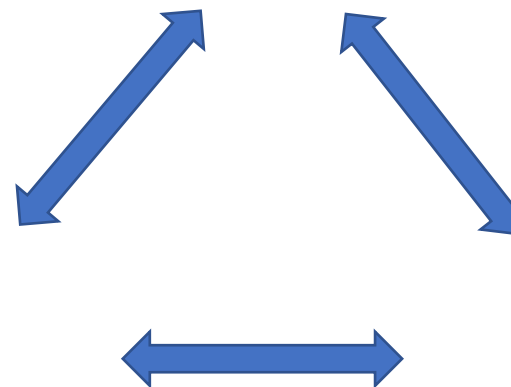
Cold Storage  
(SLOW)



Storage (~Small)



RAM (FAST .. Expensive)



# Performance Changes -> Architecture Changes

**Storage and Compute can be SPLIT ... OK !**

Higher Density for Huge Storage, lower prices

**Historically:**

SLOW Disks

Disk Collocated with RAM+CPU

MapReduce « send program » collocated to data



48 \* disks in 2U blade



1 Peta SSD ... 200 000 €

**Now:**

FAST(ER) SSD Disks + Networks

Can « send » data to distributed programs

Cloud Provider : AWS, Azure, Google  
offer Storage solutions (S3, Azure Storage, ..)

- + Managed Services
- + Serverless
- + Kubernetes



# Migration to Cloud

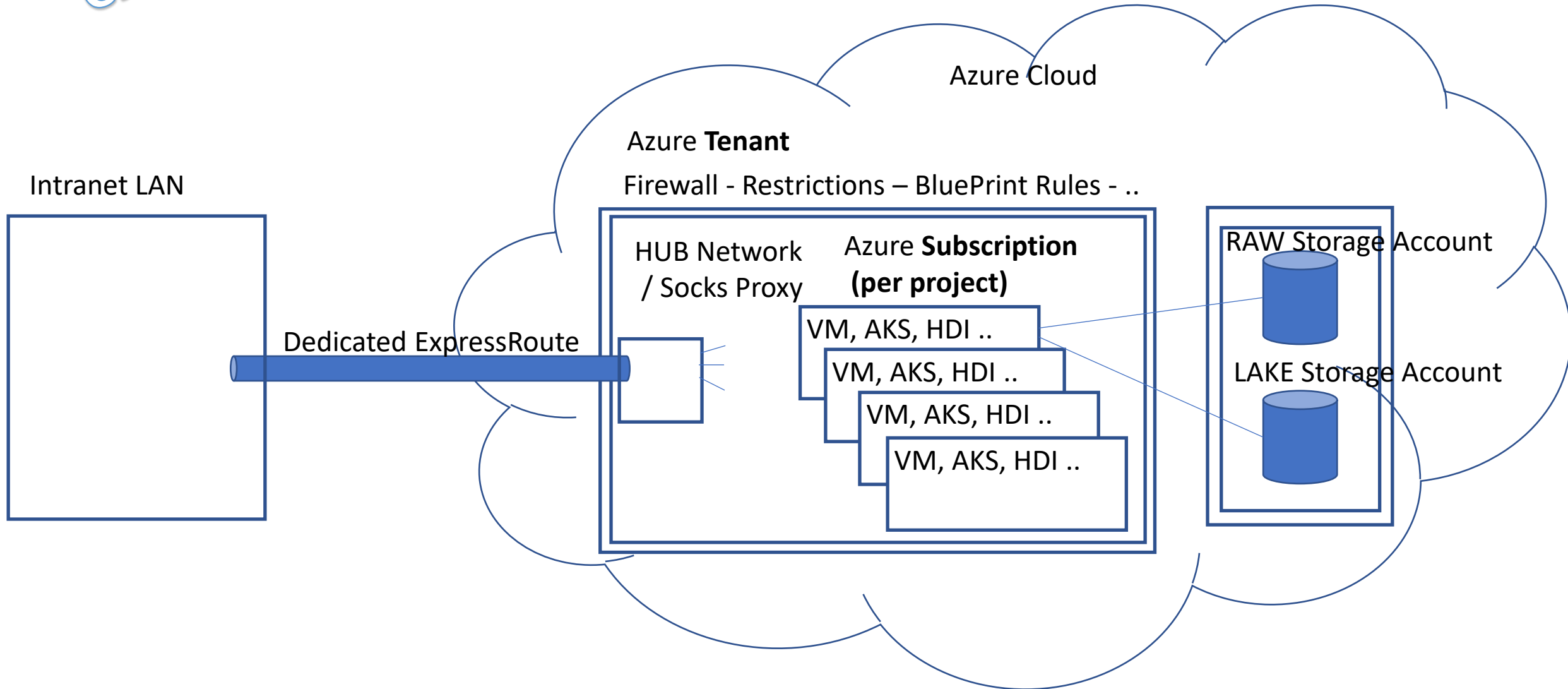
## Azure - AWS - Google

### Goals:

- Elasticity of Storage  
(No more fear of HDFS FileSystem Full)
- Elasticity of Compute  
(adapt CPU to workload... Pay only what you use)
- Clear visibility of cost per Projects / internal refacturation
- By-Pass internal IT department
- Easier (?) Self-Service API for Provisionning
- No More Multi-tenant (no risk of 1 project crashing/consuming whole cluster)

Since 2020 SGCIB is moving its Datalake to Azure

# Architecture of Datalake on Clouds



# BigData Engineering from OnPrem to Azure



Development of custom Yarn/Oozie/Ranger tools

1 Huge cluster, used as Multi-tenant (several users)

Used at 100%

Almost Disk-Full

Many report on disk usage / data purges

Clear view of all Running workloads  
(1 Ambari screen)

Lot of Network & Security

Development of Provisionning « sudo » tools

NO more multi-tenant system... but LOT of small clusters

Hundred of clusters, each used at 5% !!!

COST COST COST

Necessity to Optimize Performance

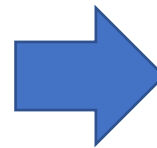
( batches too long... 100x slower / too expensive)

No more Disk worry

... data is growing (no more purges?)

NO admin central view

NO Orchestration of workloads





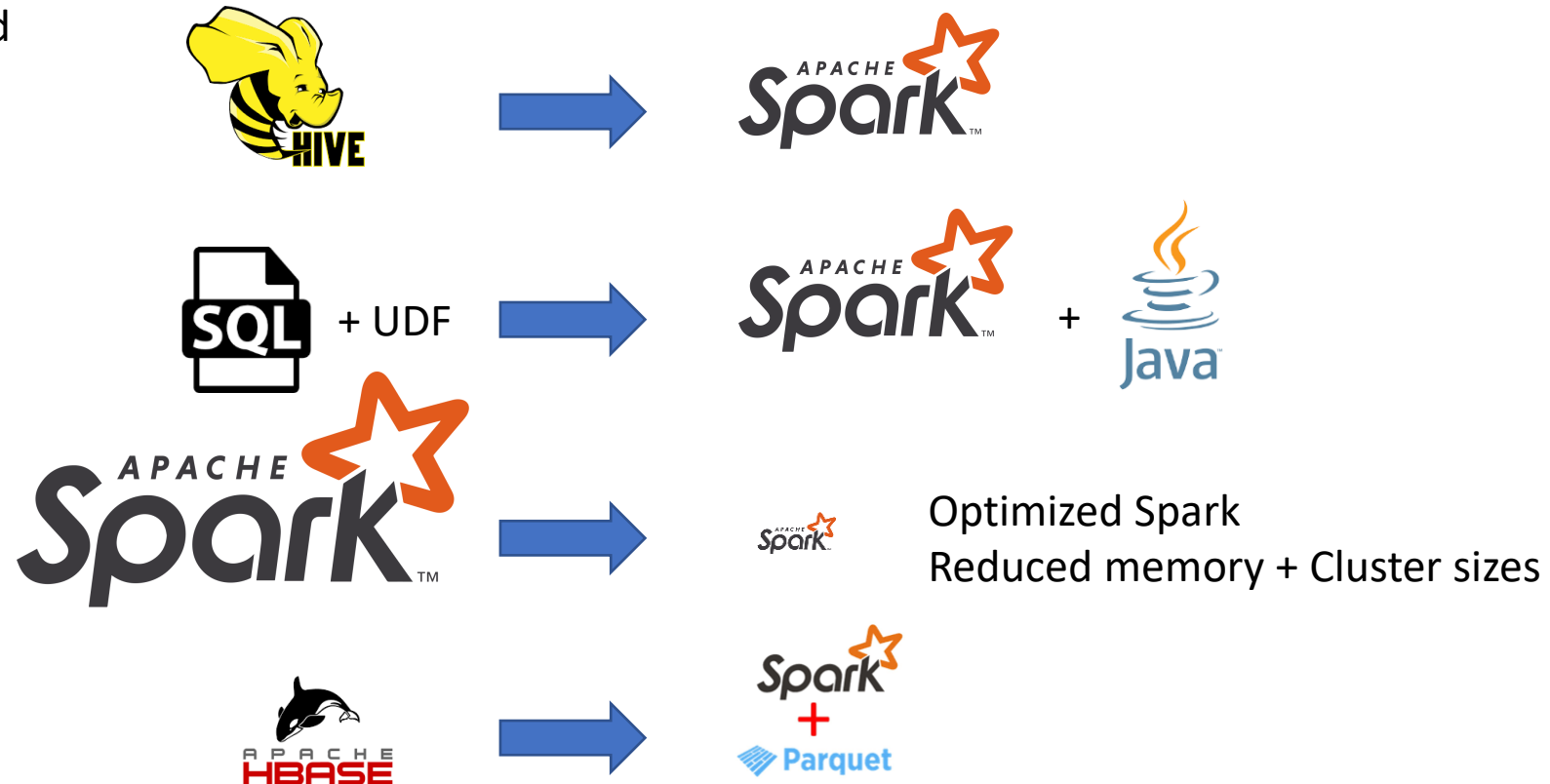
# What About Spark in Azure Migration?

COST COST COST

## Necessity to Optimize Performance

( batches too long... 100x slower / too expensive)

=> Many projects have  
migrated + optimized



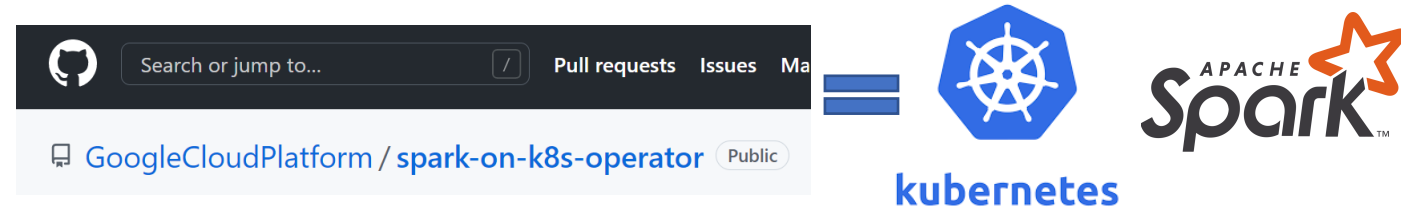
# Managed Spark ?

## Goals: Autoscaling / « serverless »

Managed by Azure :



Managed via Kubernetes



databricks



AWS : EMR

GCP : BigQuery

Questions?

# Take Away

What is BigData ?   Horizontal Scaling

compute: cluster with Tera of RAM used by Spark apps

storage: Petas of Files, in parquet

What is Spark ?

Simple unified Sql/Java engine

for distributed compute (Yarn/Kube)

distributed storage (HDFS/cloud)

What is Processing ?

mostly spark batches

Feeding RAW

Transforming RAW to LAKE

Consuming SQL analytics

Hadoop ecosystem is complex, Spark brings simplicity

Ecosystem is evolving (Cloud, Kubernetes)