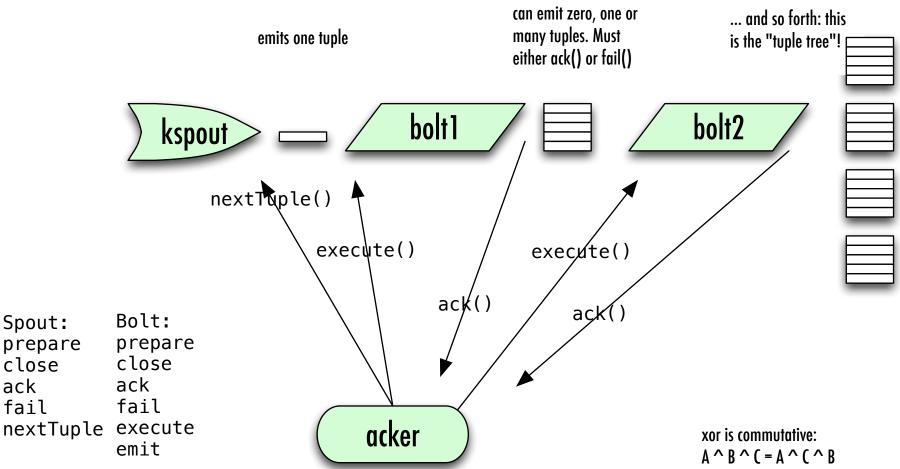
## Storm



Every tuple tree is as good as (and processed independently and concurrently) with every other tuple tree.

No ordering, no blocking, no awareness of other tuples, and a tuple might be processed many times

acker tracks acks. Each [bolt,tuple] pair has a unique-enough 64-bit global ID, which is XOR'ed when tuple is dispensed, and XOR'ed when it is acked.

bolts' execute method

https://github.com/nathanmarz/ storm/wiki/Guaranteeing-messageprocessing

and is its own inverse:

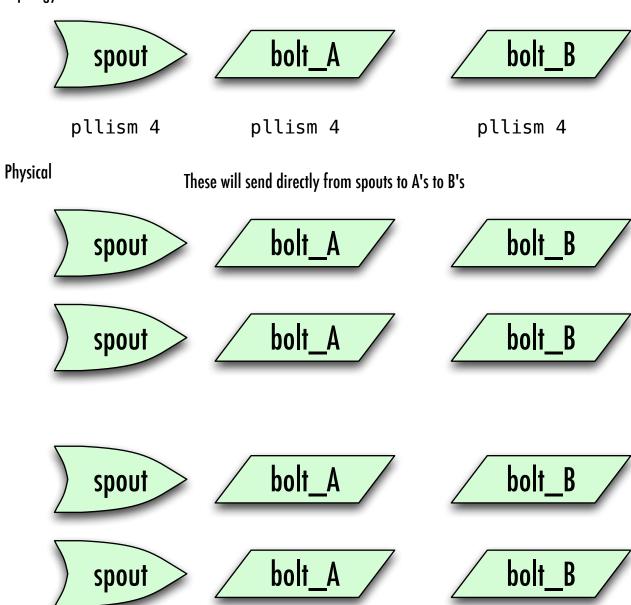
 $\Delta \wedge \Delta = 0$ 

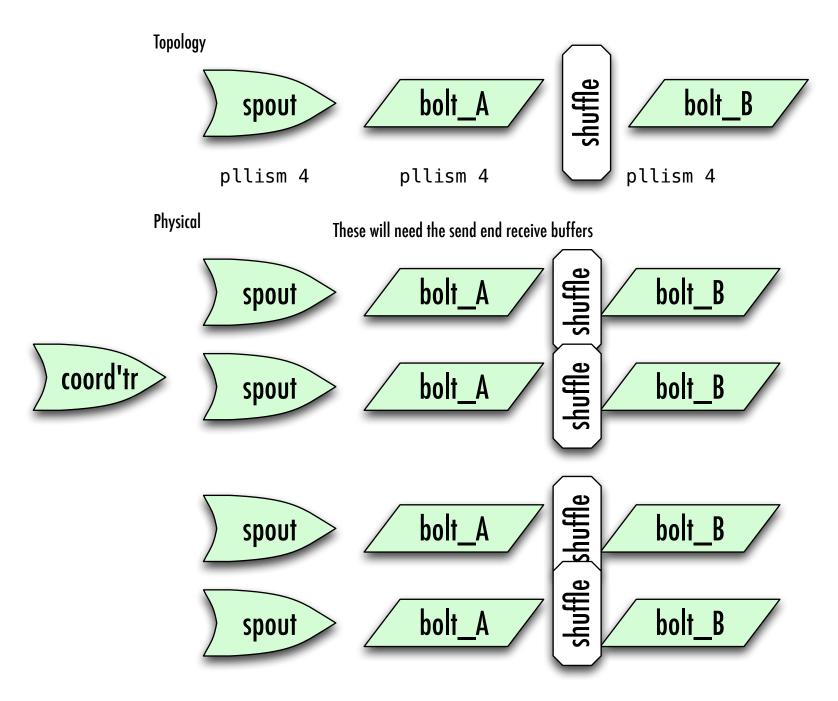
So if every execute has an ack, the combined XORs will be zero, always.

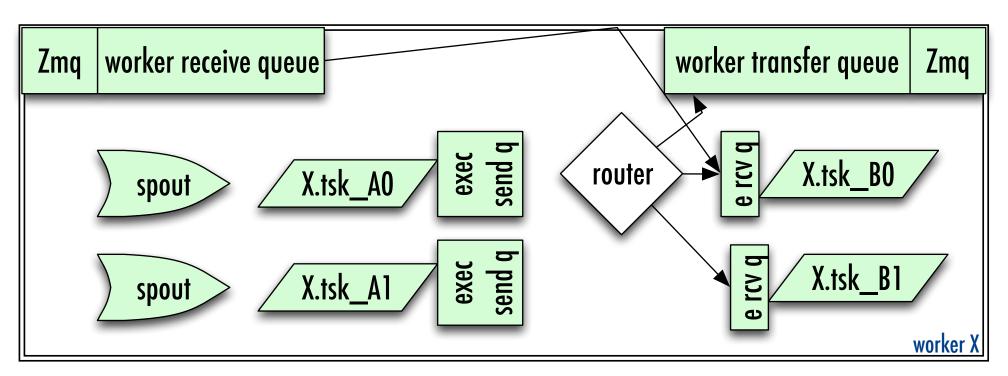
In principle, you can XOR a bunch of numbers to be zero as well, but it is exceptionally unlikely.

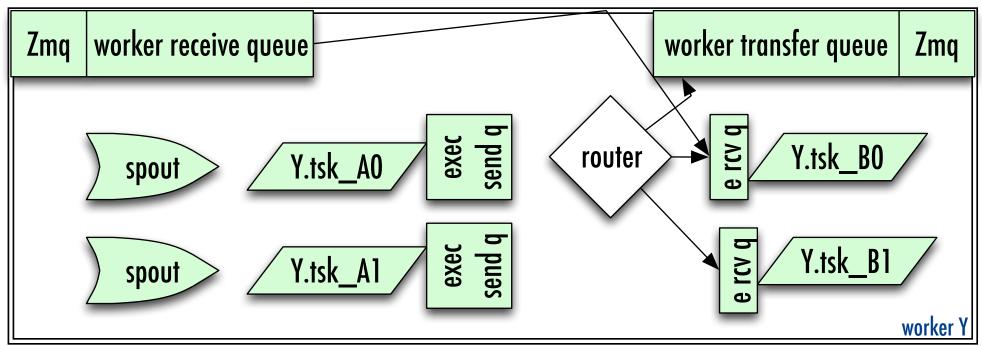
QUESTION: does also check count?

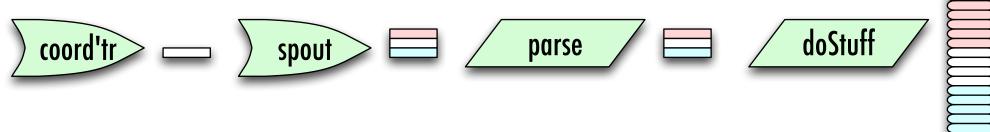
## Topology











coordinator is secretly the spout at trident batch delay period, will emit a transaction tuple it has a serially incrementing transaction ID, kept forever even across restarts.

(We're only going to talk about Opaque Transactional topologies btw)

spout emits batches; these succeed or fail as a whole. (That's because they're part of the Storm tuple tree of the coordinator's seed tuple).

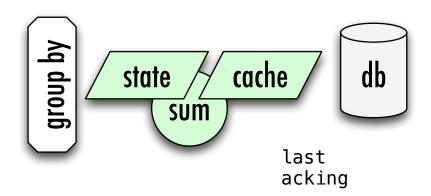
tuples in batches are freely processed in parallel and asynchronously unless there are barriers (eg the state after the group by)

TODO: where is the blocking behavior for state code

## Trident:

- $^{\star}$  exactly once processing
- $^{\star}$  transactional db support
- \* layer on the flow DSL
- \* some primitive aggregators

non-transactional: batching behavior only transactional: exactly once; batches are always processed in whole opaque transactional: all records are processed, but might not be in same batches



the state doesn't ask the cache to fetch until it has a whole batches' worth of records to hand over. This is trident logic, not storm.

Those "aggregables" are reduced into rolled-up aggregates. So you might have 2500 inbound records that result in 900 distinct aggregates. (If you had eight aggregables [A, A, C, A, B, D, B, A] you would get four partial aggregates {A: 4, B: 2, C: 1, D: 1}.

It's clever about doing partial aggregates ("algebraic" reducers). It looks in the cache for the old total count. Anything that isn't there it fetches from the database. This lets you do efficient batch requests, a huge scalability boon.

Once the cache is fresh, it determines the next aggregated value and writes it to the cache and to the DB, then ack()s the batch (all the tuples in the batch, really).

If a batch had 900 aggregates, and it had prior counts for 250 of them, then it will read 650 records and write 900. It always does a put for every new observed count.

iNote!: The database writes do \*not\* have to be transaction This means another attempt has been here: maybe it succeeded have transactional integrity, not just the DB code.

Let's say for transaction ID 69 the old aggregated values were { aggregated values were {A: 24, B: 12, C: 2, D: 1}.

It stores

{A: [24, 20, 69], B: [12, 10, 69], C: [2, 1, 69], D: [1, 0, 69]}

TODO: verify order of that list

If I am processing batch

Since this is a \_\_State\_\_, you have contractual obligation from Tri be processed until and unless batch 68 has succeeded.

So when I go to read from the DB, I will usually see something I

{A: [20, ??, 68], B: [10, ??, 68], C: [1, ??, 68]}

I might instead however see

{A: [??, 20, 69], B: [??, 10, 69], C: [??, 1, 69], D: [??, 0, 69]}

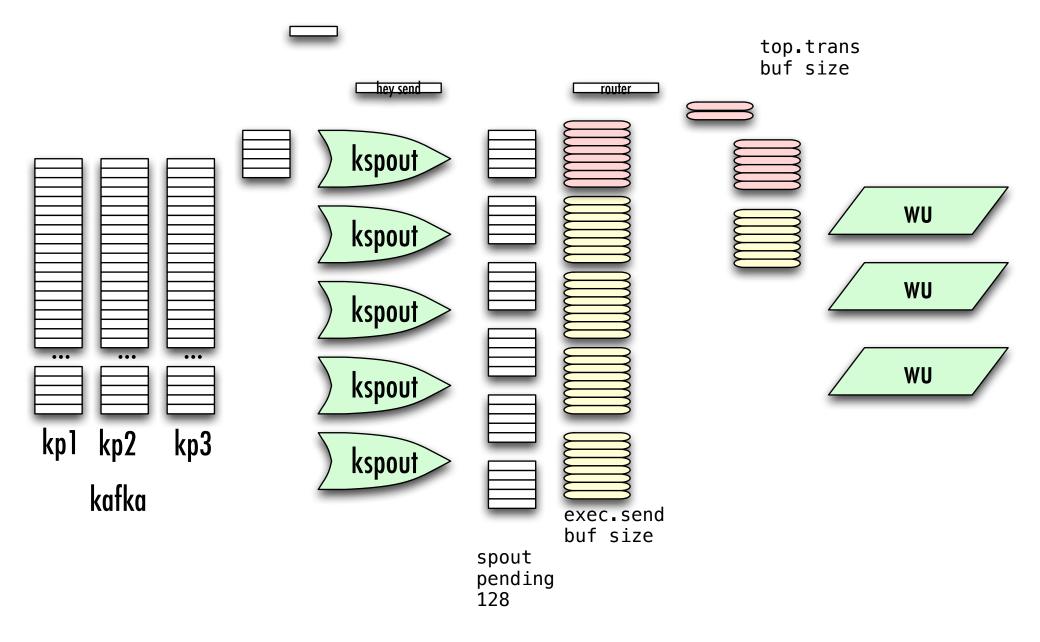
It's the whole thing – the whole batch, end-to-end – that has maybe \_I\_ am the one who is succeeding but slow. In any case the new (first slot) values for this state, but I do know that I values saved from batch 68. I just use those, and clobber the ex correct counts.

A:20, B: 10, C: 1, D: 0}, and new

ident that batch 69 will \*not\*

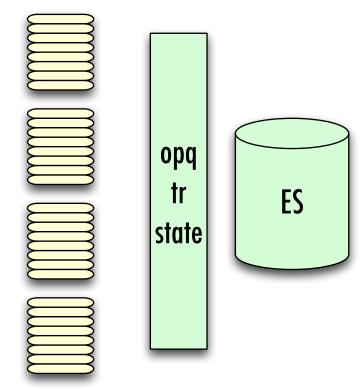
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but was slow; maybe it failed; , I don't know whether to trust can trust the prior (second slot) isting values with my new,



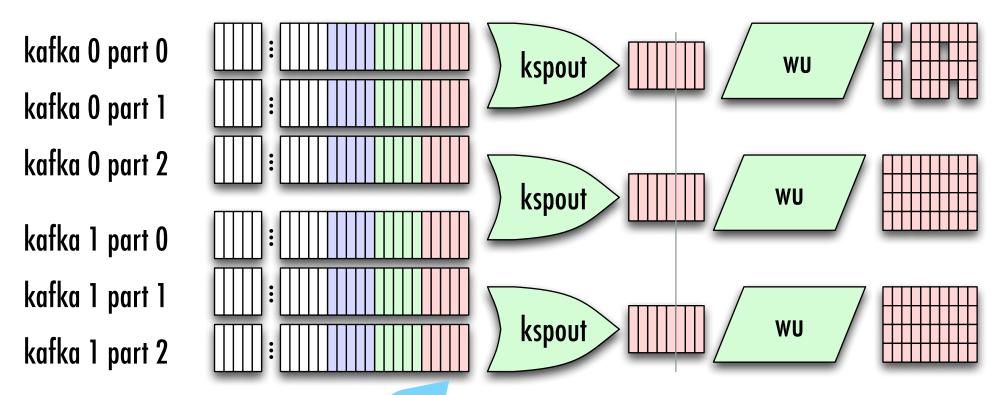
max\_fetch\_size\_bytes: 125k
(about 100 records)

set spout||ism = kafka partitions



exec.send buf size top.trans buf size

## Kafka batch 1:0



must have more spouts than downstream execs if no shuffle

fetch bytes

<sup>\*</sup> must have as many kfk partitions as spouts to keep them all fed

<sup>\*</sup> tasks an even multiple of executors; executors an even multiple of workers; partitions an even multiple of spouts; workers an even multiple of machines