

Pokemon Tracking Network with Distributed Capture Task Dispatch

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Overview

This project simulates Pokemon Tracking Network (PTN) with capture dispatch using a queue-based pipeline using Go and RabbitMQ. It demonstrates event-based ingestion, processing, and error routing, that includes sighting pokemon, generate capture task, distribute capture task to agents, and simulate agent capture with failing handling.

Architecture

`pokemon_exchange` RabbitMQ Exchange

Exchange routes the pokemon sighting message to pokemon sighting team

Queue-based Pokemon Sighting

Each sighting team gets a queue that is register to `pokemon_exchange` exchange with certain topics binding

Queue-based Pokemon Dispatcher

Pokemon dispatcher (Roket Headquater) will listen to all sighting message at `pokemon_exchange` exchange and generate tasks and send captures to shared-queue `pokemon_tasks` queue directly (default RabbitMQ exchange)

Share-queue Pokemon Capture Task Distribution & Fail Task Handling

Rocket agent(s) consume a shared queue `pokemon_tasks` with manual acknowledgement. If successful, agent will mark the task done. Otherwise, task will requeue.

Time-To-Live (TTL) Pokemon Capture Tasks Design with `dead_letter_logger` Error Handling

Each capture task is designed to live certain time, after which task will expired and send to `dead_letter_logger` queue for error handling.

API Reference

See full OpenAPI spec: openapi.yaml

Common Endpoints

Method	Path	Description
POST	<code>/sighting</code>	Submit a new Pokémon sighting
POST	<code>/spawn/agent</code>	Start a new Rocket agent
GET	<code>/state/queues</code>	Get queue depth and consumer count
GET	<code>/state/logs</code>	Get recent log events
GET (WS)	<code>/state/events</code>	Stream live system events

Observability

- `/state/queues` : JSON queue stats (messages, consumers, unacked)
 - `state/logs` : rolling log of task flow
 - `state/events` : WebSocket for real-time updates
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Features

- Message routing via topic exchange
 - Durable queues + TTL + DLQ
 - Manual acknowledgement with retry
 - Competing consumers for task distribution
 - Real-time backend event visualizer
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Tech Stack

- Go 1.24.4
 - RabbitMQ 3.9
 - React + Tailwind (dashboard)
 - Docker Compose
 - OpenAPI 3.0 spec
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Deployment

- Backend hosted on TBD
- Frontend dashboard deployed via TBD