Reactive Architecture Patterns Using Java and Messaging



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reactive architecture overview channel monitor pattern consumer supervisor pattern producer control flow pattern thread delegate pattern workflow event pattern combining patterns

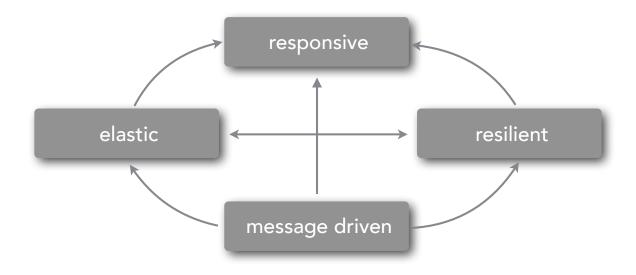
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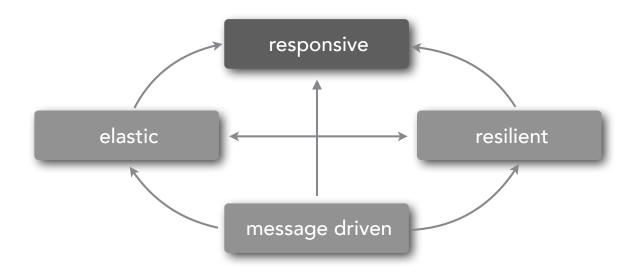
https://github.com/wmr513/reactive



Reactive Architecture Overview

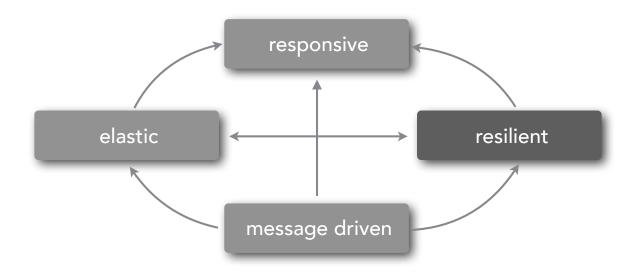






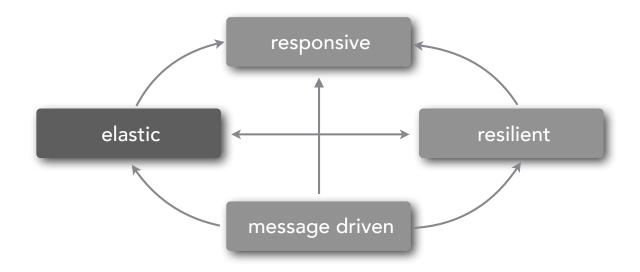
the system responds in a consistent, rapid, and timely manner whenever possible

how the system reacts to users



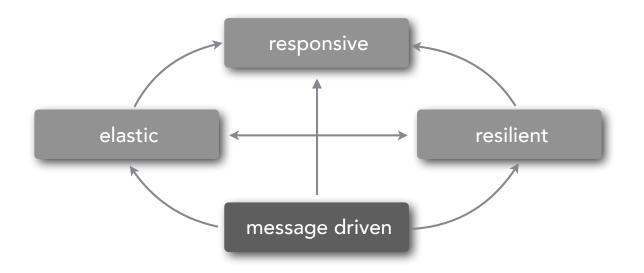
the system stays responsive after a failure through replication, containment, isolation, and delegation

how the system reacts to failures



the system stays responsive under varying workload

how the system reacts to load



the system relies on asynchronous messaging to ensure loose coupling, isolation, location transparency, and error delegation

how the system reacts to events

reactive architecture

reactive architecture vs.

reactive programming





advanced message queuing protocol

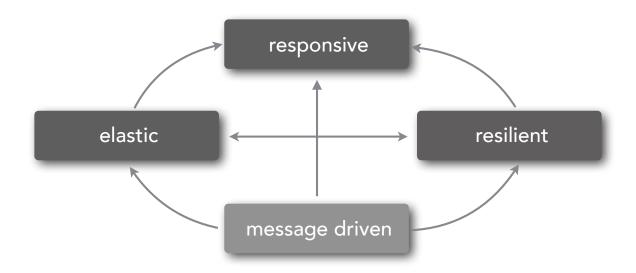
open specification that defines an industry standard wire-level messaging protocol used to send and receive messages across all platforms.



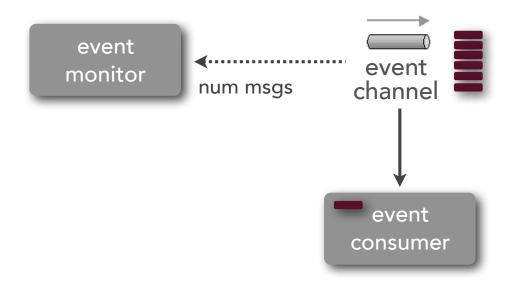


Channel Monitor Pattern

how can you determine the current load on an event channel without consuming events?



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let's see the basic setup and issue...

Monitor.java

```
Channel = AMQPCommon.connect();
long consumers = channel.consumerCount("trade.eq.q");
long queueDepth = channel.messageCount("trade.eq.q");
DeclareOk queue = channel.queueDeclare("trade.eq.q",...);
long consumers = queue.getConsumerCount();
long queueDepth = queue.getMessageCount();
```

Consumer.java

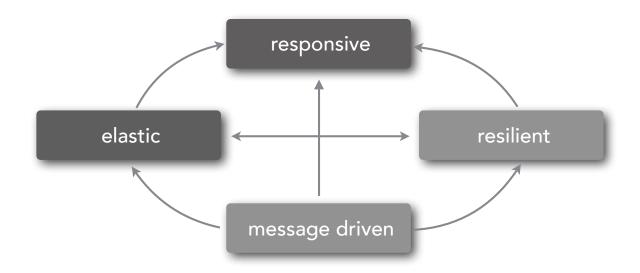
```
Channel = AMQPCommon.connect();
channel.basicQos(1);
channel.basicConsume("trade.eq.q", false, consumer);
QueueingConsumer.Delivery msg = consumer.nextDelivery();
channel.basicAck(msg.getEnvelope().getDeliveryTag(), false);
```



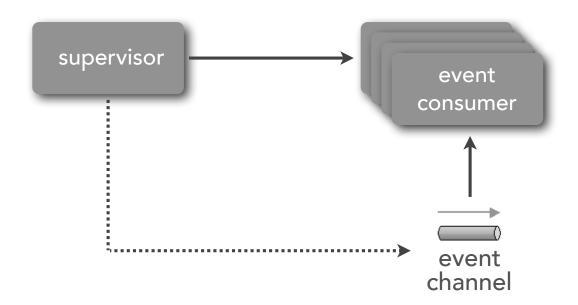
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Consumer Supervisor Pattern

how can you react to varying changes in load to event consumers to ensure consistent response time?



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let's see the issue....

Supervisor.java

```
private List<AMQPConsumer> consumers =
   new ArrayList<AMQPConsumer>();
Connection connection;
private void startConsumer() {
   AMQPConsumer consumer = new AMQPConsumer();
   consumers.add(consumer);
   new Thread() {
      public void run() {
        consumer.startup(connection);
  }}.start();
```

Supervisor.java

```
private void stopConsumer() {
 if (consumers.size() > 1) {
   AMQPConsumer consumer = consumers.get(0);
   consumer.shutdown();
   consumers.remove(consumer);
```

Supervisor.java

```
public void execute() throws Exception {
   Channel = AMQPCommon.connect();
   connection = channel.getConnection();
   startConsumer();
   while (true) {
      long queueDepth = channel.messageCount("trade.eq.q");
      long consumersNeeded = queueDepth/2;
      long diff = Math.abs(consumersNeeded - consumers.size());
      for (int i=0;i<diff;i++) {</pre>
         if (consumersNeeded > consumers.size())
            startConsumer();
         else
            stopConsumer();
      Thread.sleep(1000);
```

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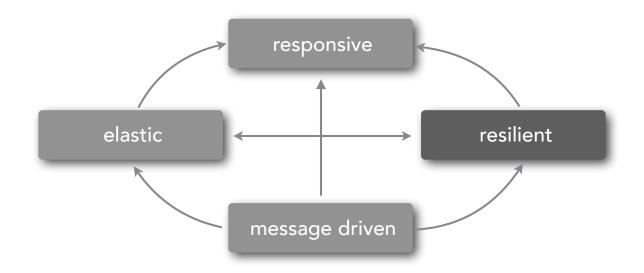
```
private Boolean active = true;
public void startup(Connection connection) {
 Channel = connection.createChannel();
  QueueingConsumer consumer = new QueueingConsumer(channel);
  while (active) {
     QueueingConsumer.Delivery msg = consumer.nextDelivery();
  channel.close();
public void shutdown() {
  synchronized(active) { active = false; }
```



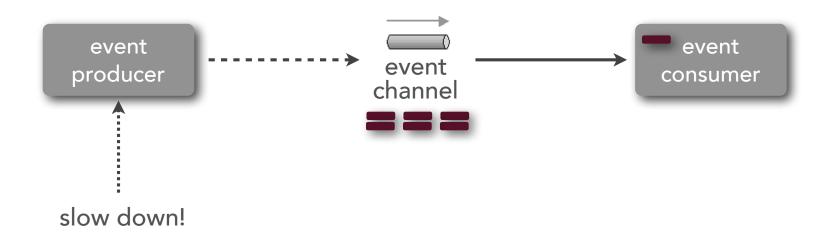
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Producer Control Flow Pattern

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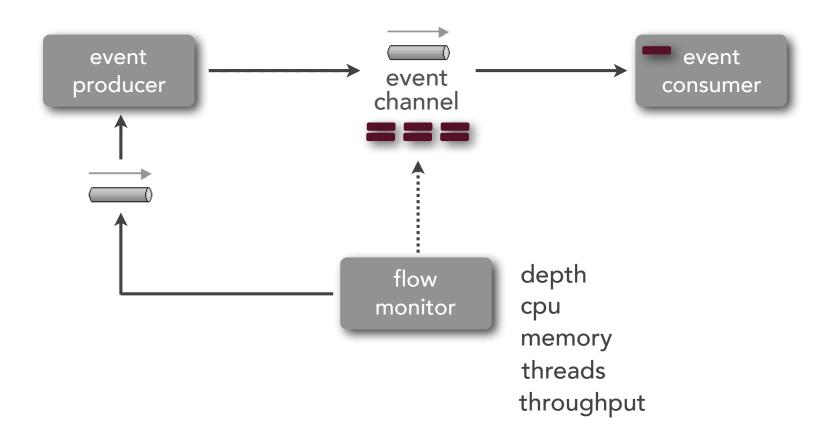




shutdown (broker) vs. slowdown (pattern)



let's see the issue....



FlowMonitor.java

```
public void execute() throws Exception {
  Channel = AMQPCommon.connect();
   long threshold = 10;
  boolean controlFlow = false;
  while (true) {
      long queueDepth = channel.messageCount("trade.eq.q");
      if (queueDepth > threshold && !controlFlow) {
         controlFlow = enableControlFlow(channel);
     } else if (queueDepth <= (threshold/2) && controlFlow) {</pre>
         controlFlow = disableControlFlow(channel);
     Thread.sleep(3000);
```

FlowMonitor.java

```
private boolean enableControlFlow(Channel channel) {
  byte[] msg = String.valueOf(true).getBytes();
  channel.basicPublish("flow.fx", "", null, msg);
  return true;
private boolean disableControlFlow(Channel channel) {
  byte[] msg = String.valueOf(false).getBytes();
   channel.basicPublish("flow.fx", "", null, msg);
  return false;
```

producer control flow pattern

Producer.java

```
public void startListener() {
  new Thread() {
     public void run() {
     //basic rabbitmq consumer setup...
     while (true) {
       QueueingConsumer.Delivery msg = consumer.nextDelivery();
       boolean controlFlow =
         new Boolean(new String(msg.getBody())).booleanValue();
        synchronized(delay) { delay = controlFlow ? 3000 : 0; }
  }}.start();
private void produceMessages() {
  //send trade to queue...
  Thread.sleep(delay);
```

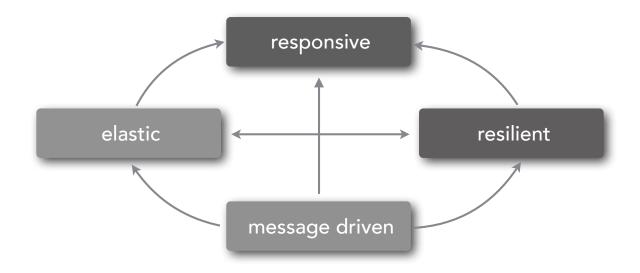
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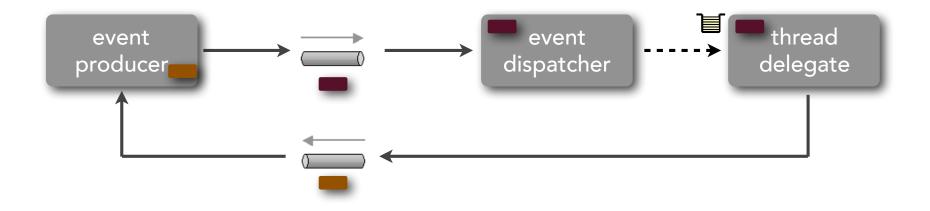
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Thread Delegate Pattern

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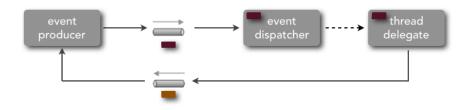
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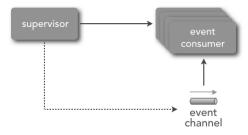


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thread delegate vs. consumer supervisor

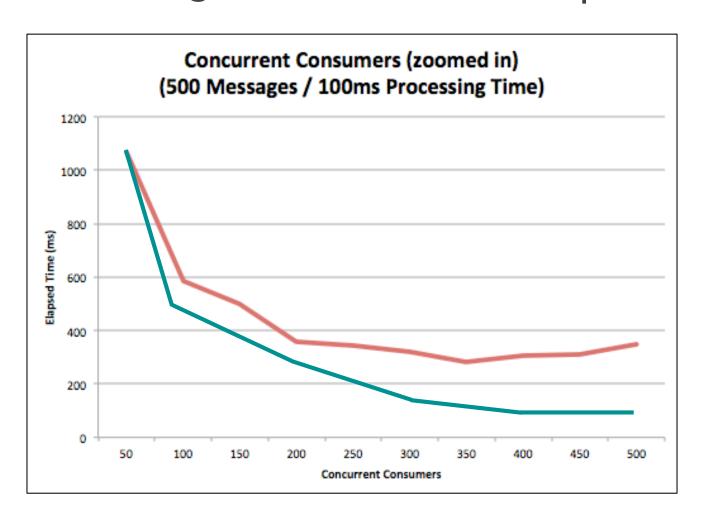


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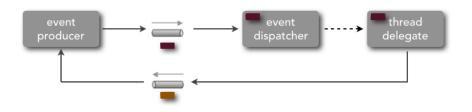


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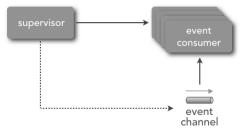
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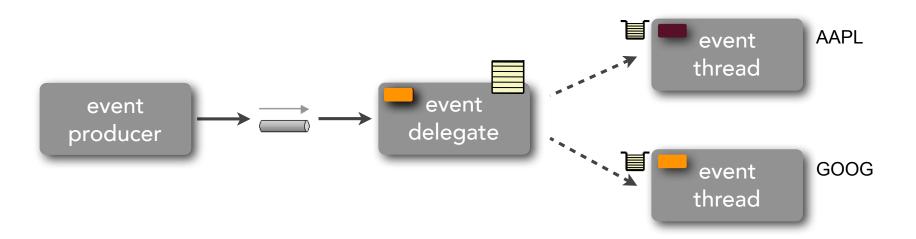
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diminishing performance
message order not preserved

preserving message order

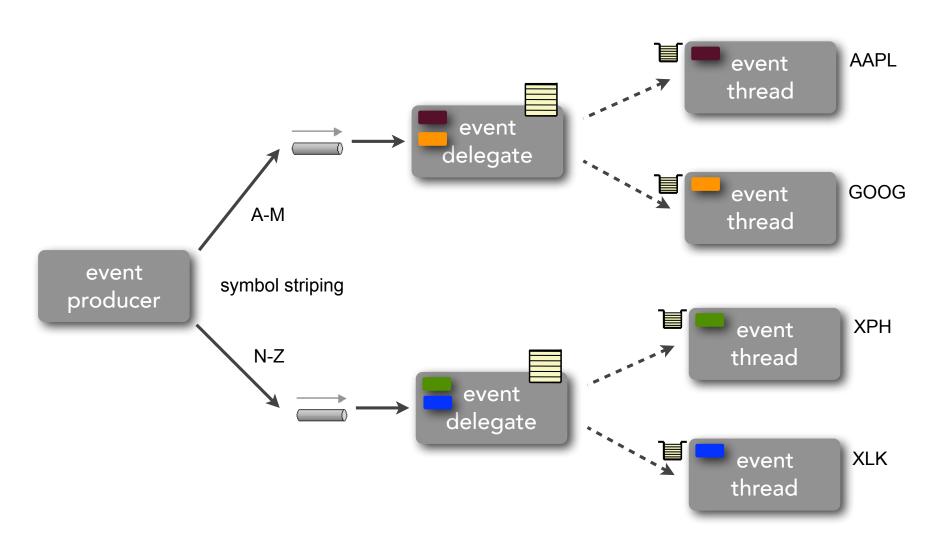
premise: not every message must be ordered, but rather messages within a context must be ordered

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- 2. CANCEL AAPL A-136 2,000,000.00
- 3. REBOOK AAPL A-136 1,800,000.00
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preserving message order



preserving message order



Dispatcher.java

```
Channel = AMQPCommon.connect();
QueueingConsumer consumer = new QueueingConsumer(channel);
channel.basicConsume("trade.eq.q", true, consumer);
while (true) {
   QueueingConsumer.Delivery msg = consumer.nextDelivery();
   new Thread(new POJOThreadProcessor(
     new String(msg.getBody())).start();
```

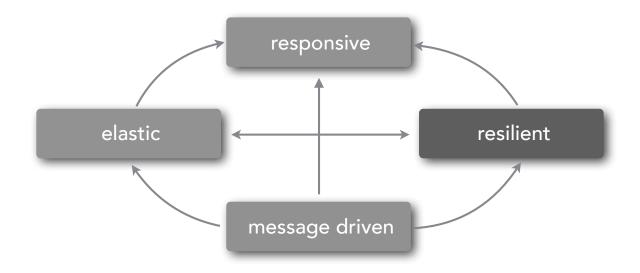


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Workflow Event Pattern

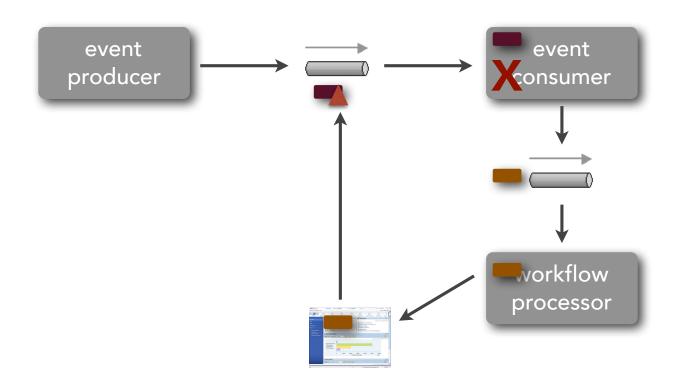
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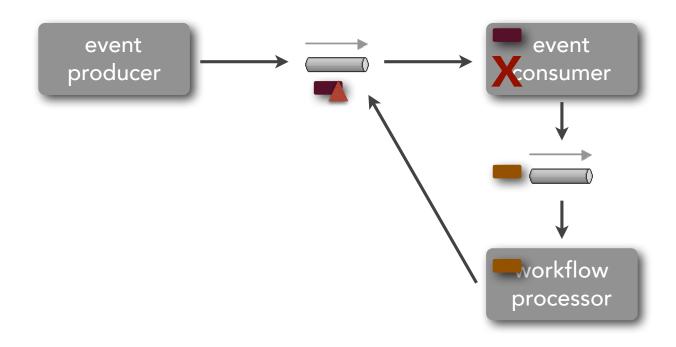
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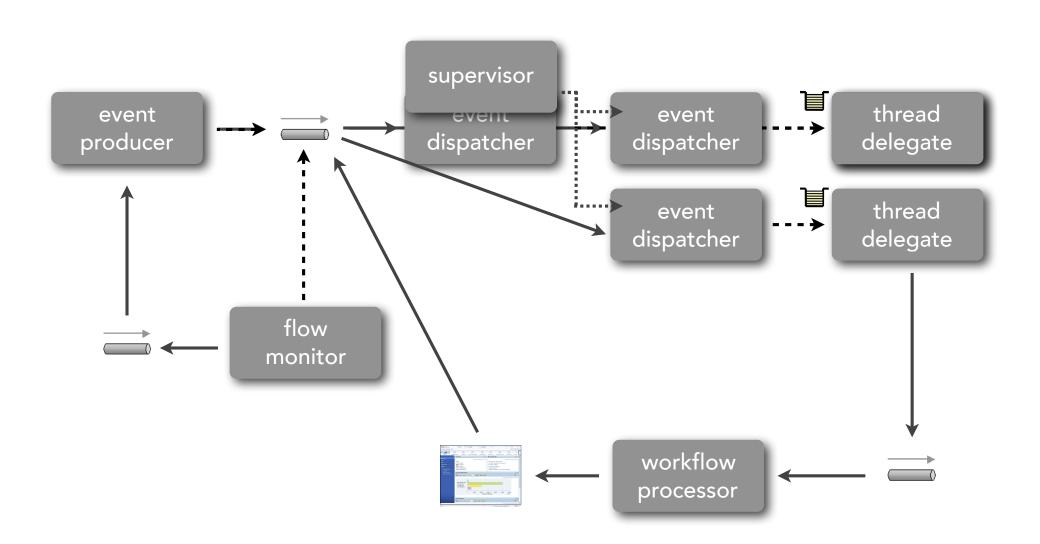


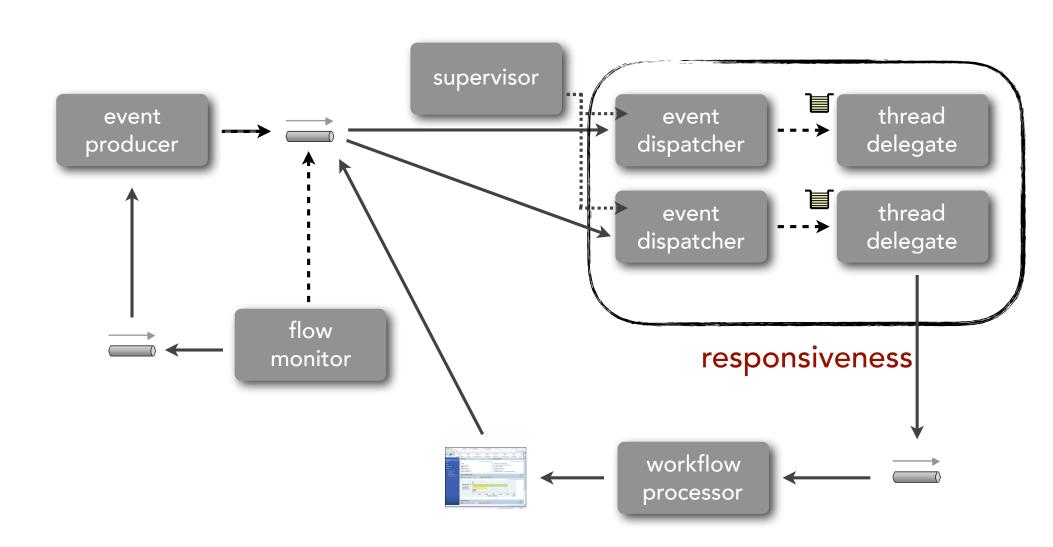
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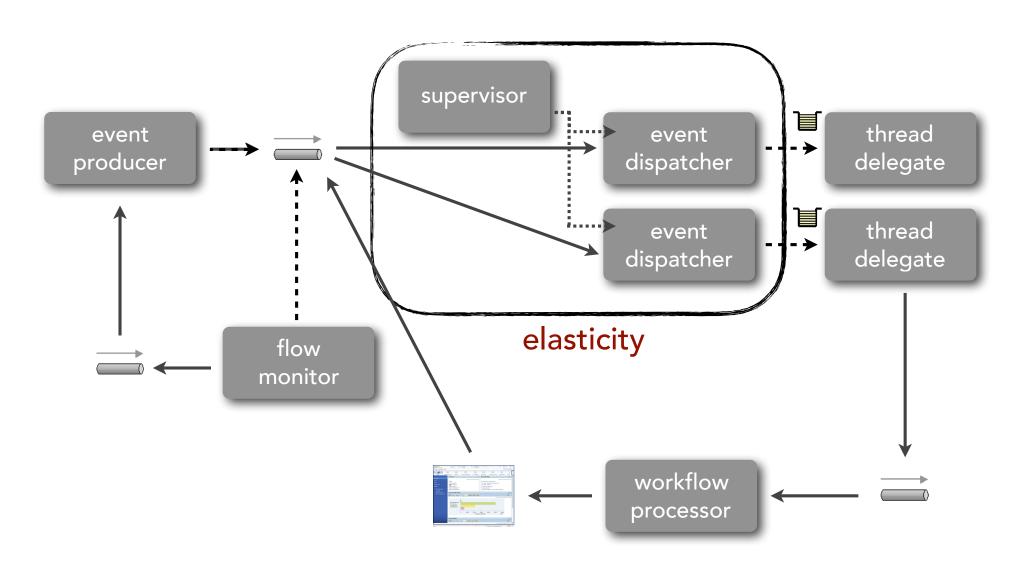
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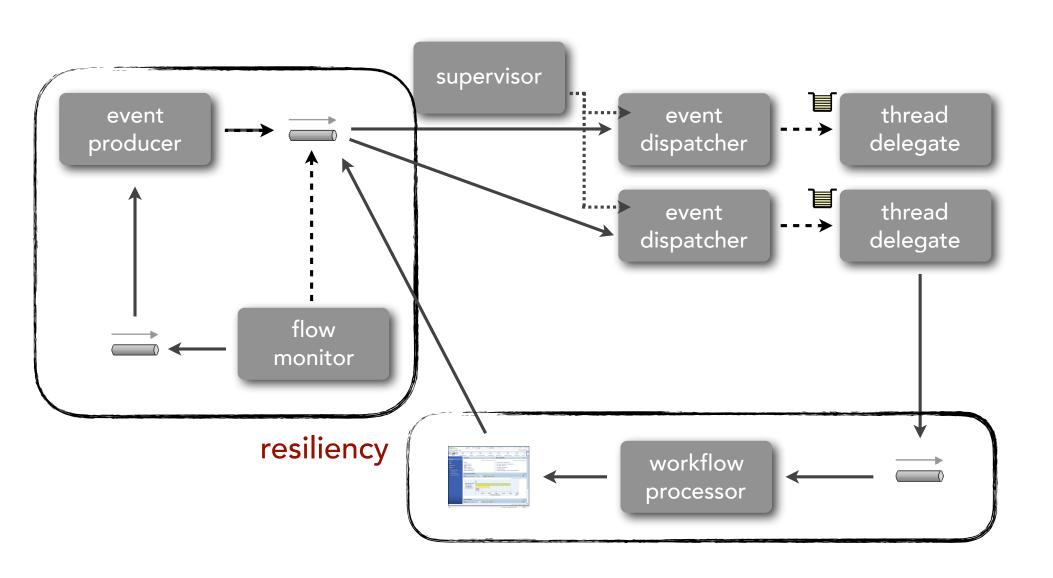


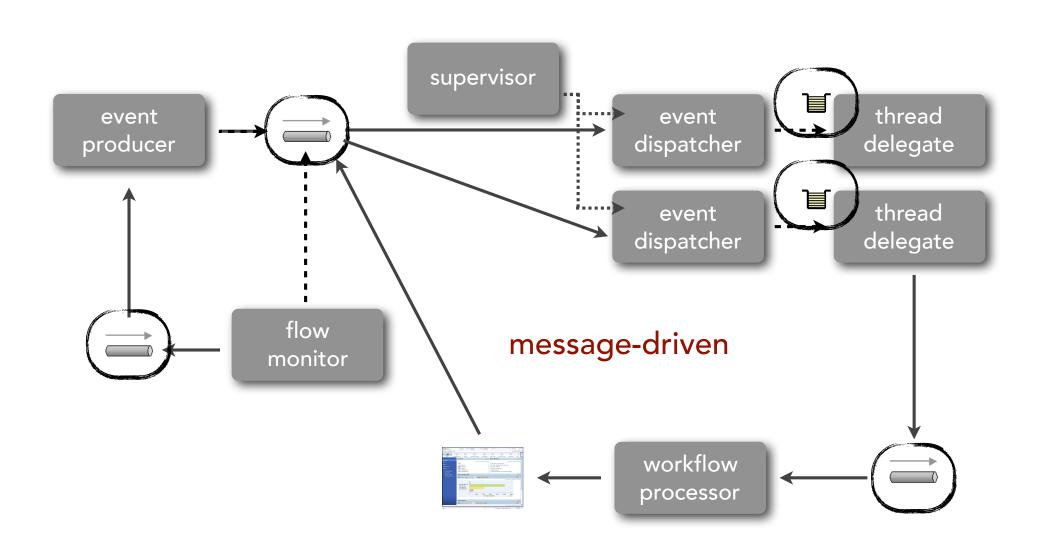
Combining Patterns

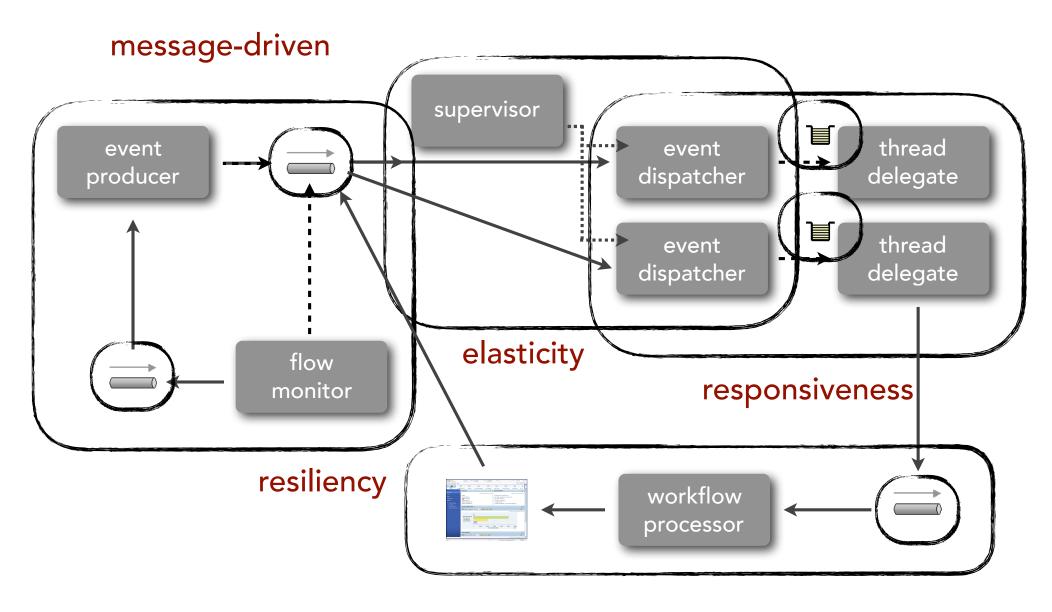


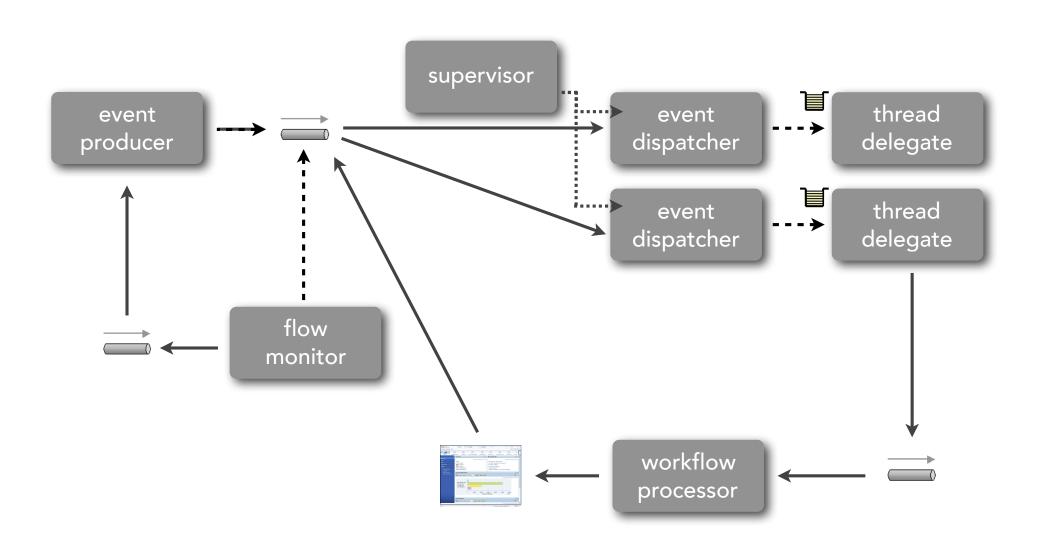












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