SOFT8026 - Data-driven Microservices Assignment 1 Form R00090111 Simone Rodigari

Instructions

Please complete the following form and include in the zip file you submit. Include screenshots / images in the appendices below the form.

Brief discussion of your architecture – why the microservices you chose, what messages are you passing between them?	I have chosen to use a server to read the tweets csv and generate the gRPC stream which is then consumed by a client service which live-streams the tweets, process some analytics and stores tweets, analytics results in a redis service. To complete the project I have developed a frontend service with python Flask which reads from redis and displays tweets (http://localhost:8080). The server is streaming tweets with a 2 seconds delay in between, so if you refresh the frontend you can see new tweets coming in
Briefly discuss how far you got with the following functional requirements:	
1. Reading and streaming of the tweet data	Server reads and create gRPC stream which is consumed by client

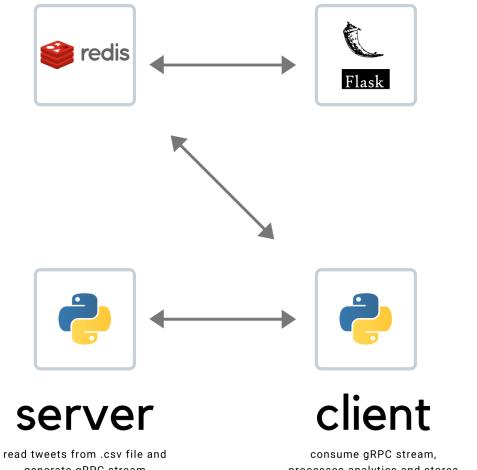
2. Data analysis; what analytics / metrics did you calculate?	1. Aggregate metric: total tweets been streamed since start of streaming 2. Rolling metric: sentiment within last 3 minutes and translation on current tweet in Italian, Spanish and Dutch (I have used TextBlob library to evaluate sentiment / translate each incoming tweet) 3. Single tweet: longest for the current stream
3. Web page with list or summary of analytics / metrics	The webpage displays the analytics mentioned in functional requirement 2
Checklist:	
I used gRPC	Y
I used streaming with gRPC	Y
I built docker images using Dockerfiles	Y
I orchestrated my application using Docker Compose and a YAML file	Y
Any other comments?	I have investigated gRPC-web and will definitely try implement that in my own time in the future. Unfortunately due to time-constraints I could not successfully complete that part.

Appendix A – Your Architecture Sketch / Diagram

database web-server

stores tweets and analysis data

reads from redis: http://localhost:8080



generate gRPC stream

processes analytics and stores to redis

Appendix B - Output from a sample run

Appendix C – Screenshot from web page

