

# Modern Analytics Platform

## Lambda Architecture in Azure

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# Overview

Cloud BI

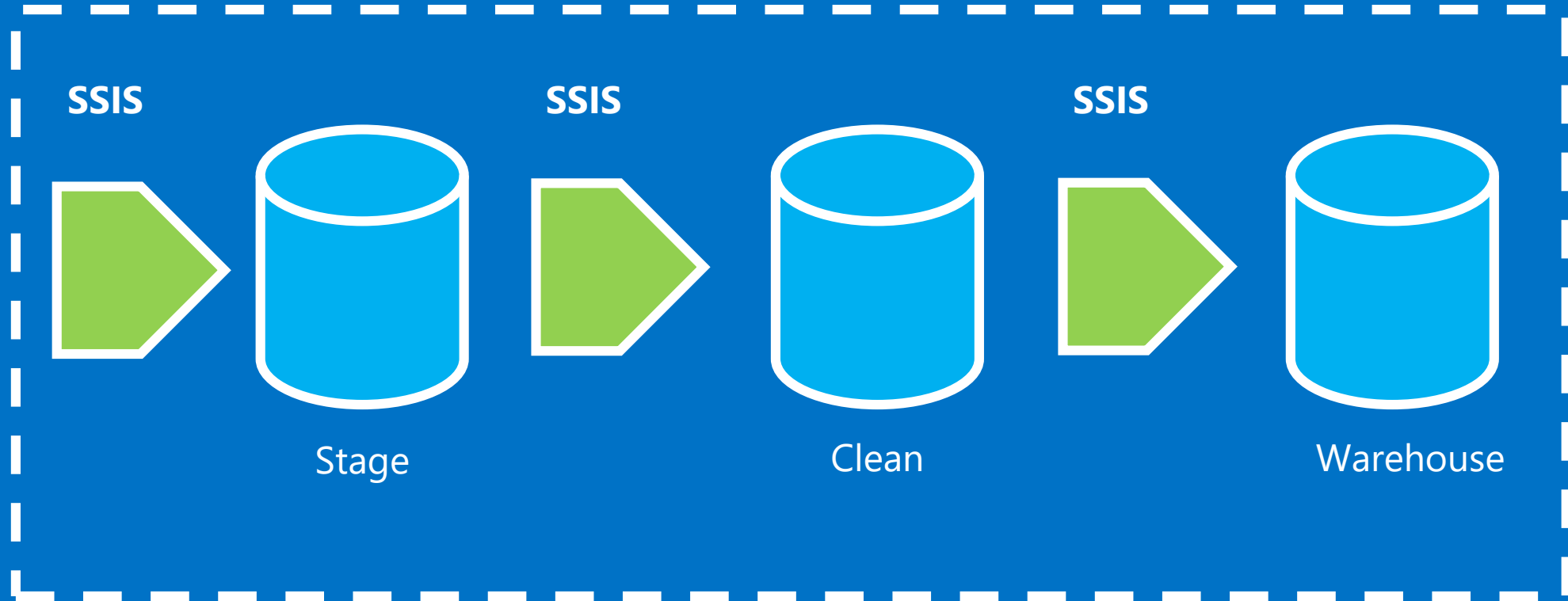
What is Lambda?

The Native Azure  
Approach

Alternative  
Models

# History

# One-Box SQL BI Architecture



On-Prem SQL Server



"Big Data" Solutions



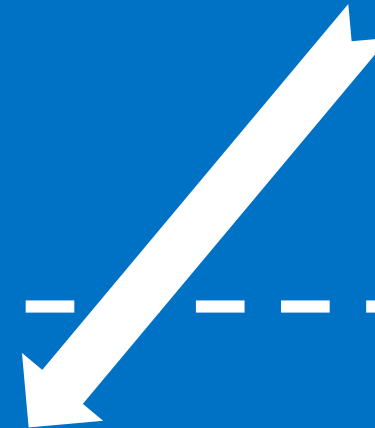
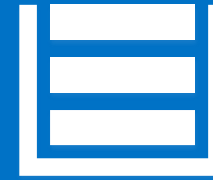
Technical Barriers



On-Prem SQL Server



"Big Data" Solutions



Modern Analytics Platform



My Life Goal:  
Never to manage another Server

# MAP Wish List

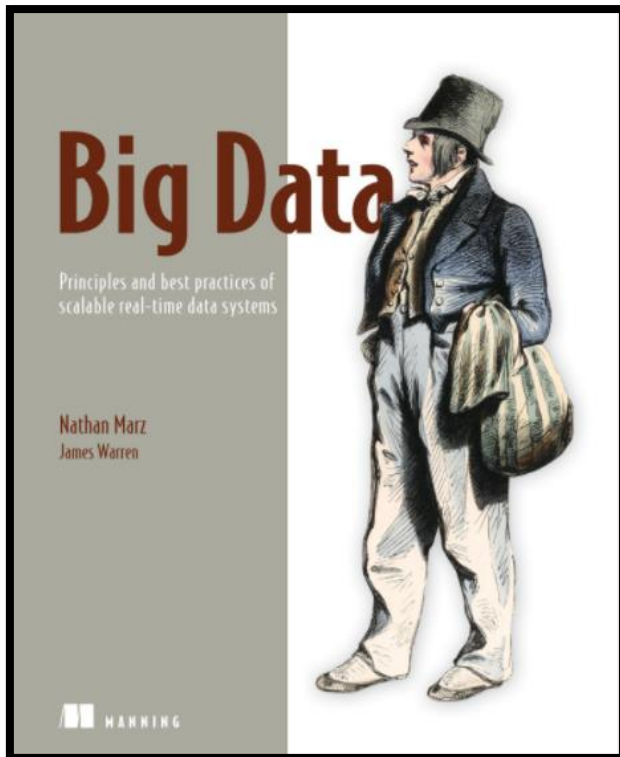
- Can Handle Massive Datasets
- Linearly Scalable
- Near Real-Time
- Fault Tolerant
- Low Tech Barrier for SQL Devs



LAMBDA

# Lambda Architecture

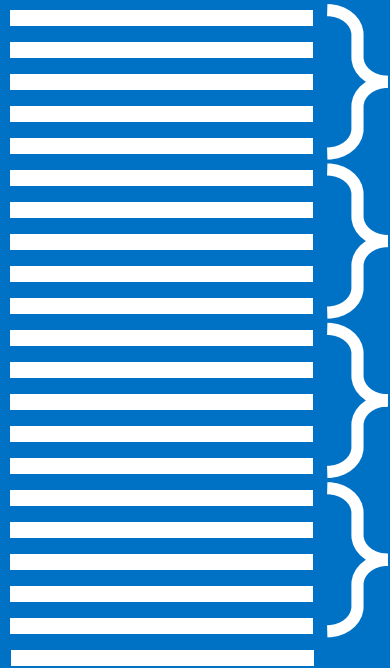
Use Batch and Stream technologies together to balance latency, throughput and fault-tolerance



Nathan Marz & James Warren



PROBLEM



Batch Processing



Batch Processing

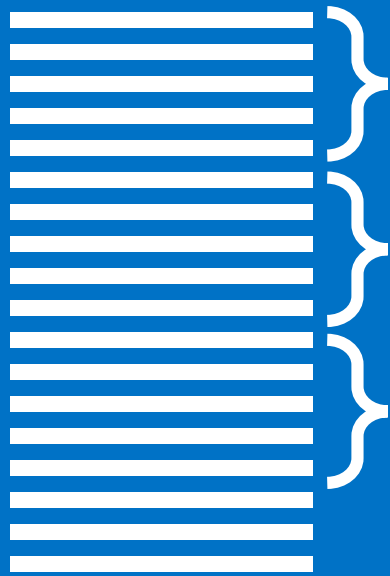


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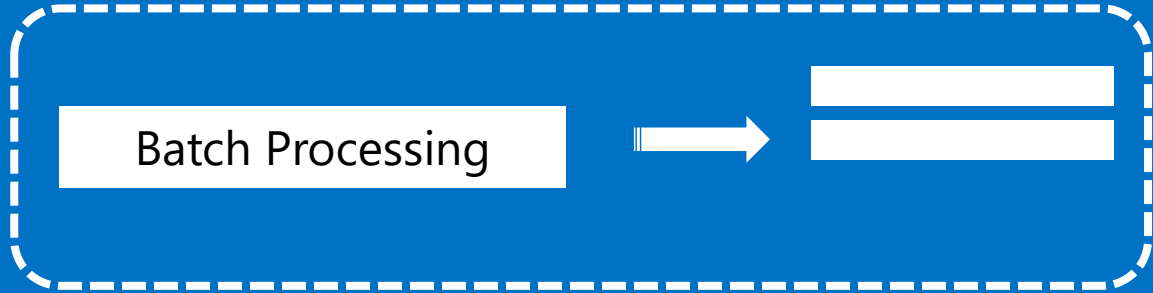
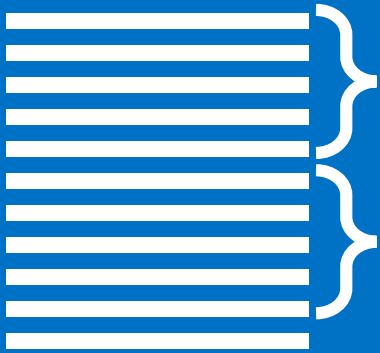
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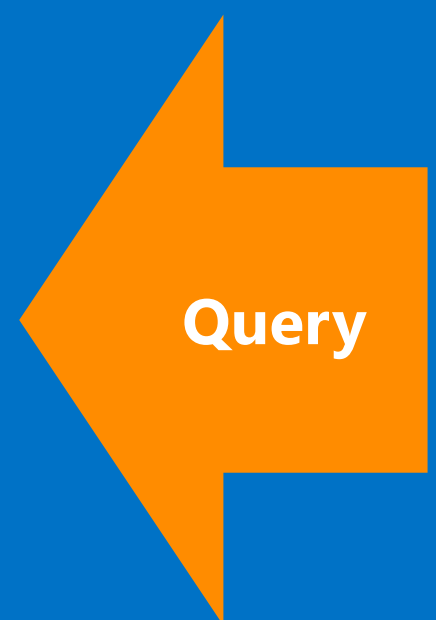
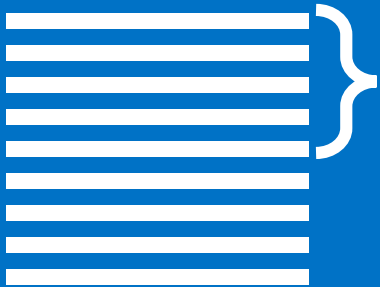
Batch Processing



Query

SOLUTION









**Data / Messages**



Batch

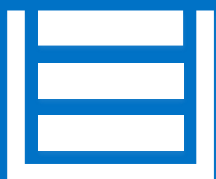
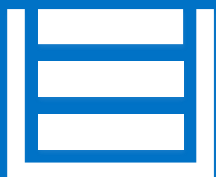
Speed

Serving

**Query**



# Batch Layer



Distributed Storage  
(HDFS)

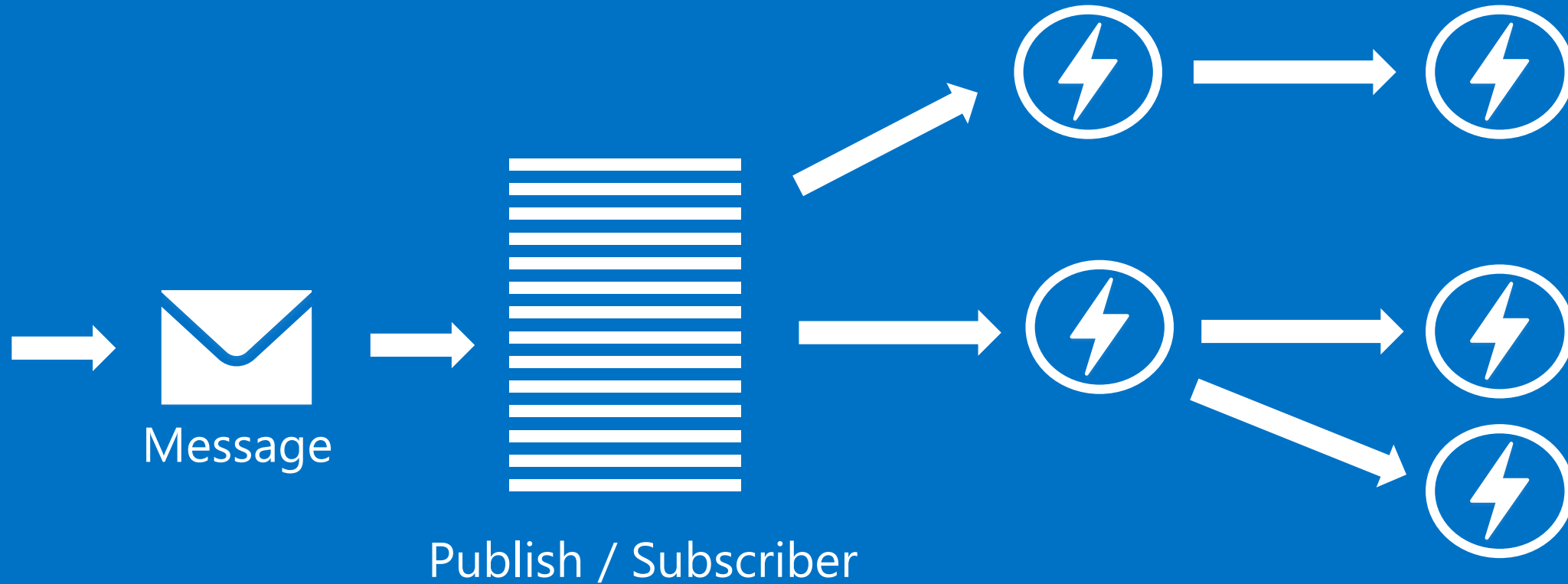


Parallel Processing  
(MapReduce)



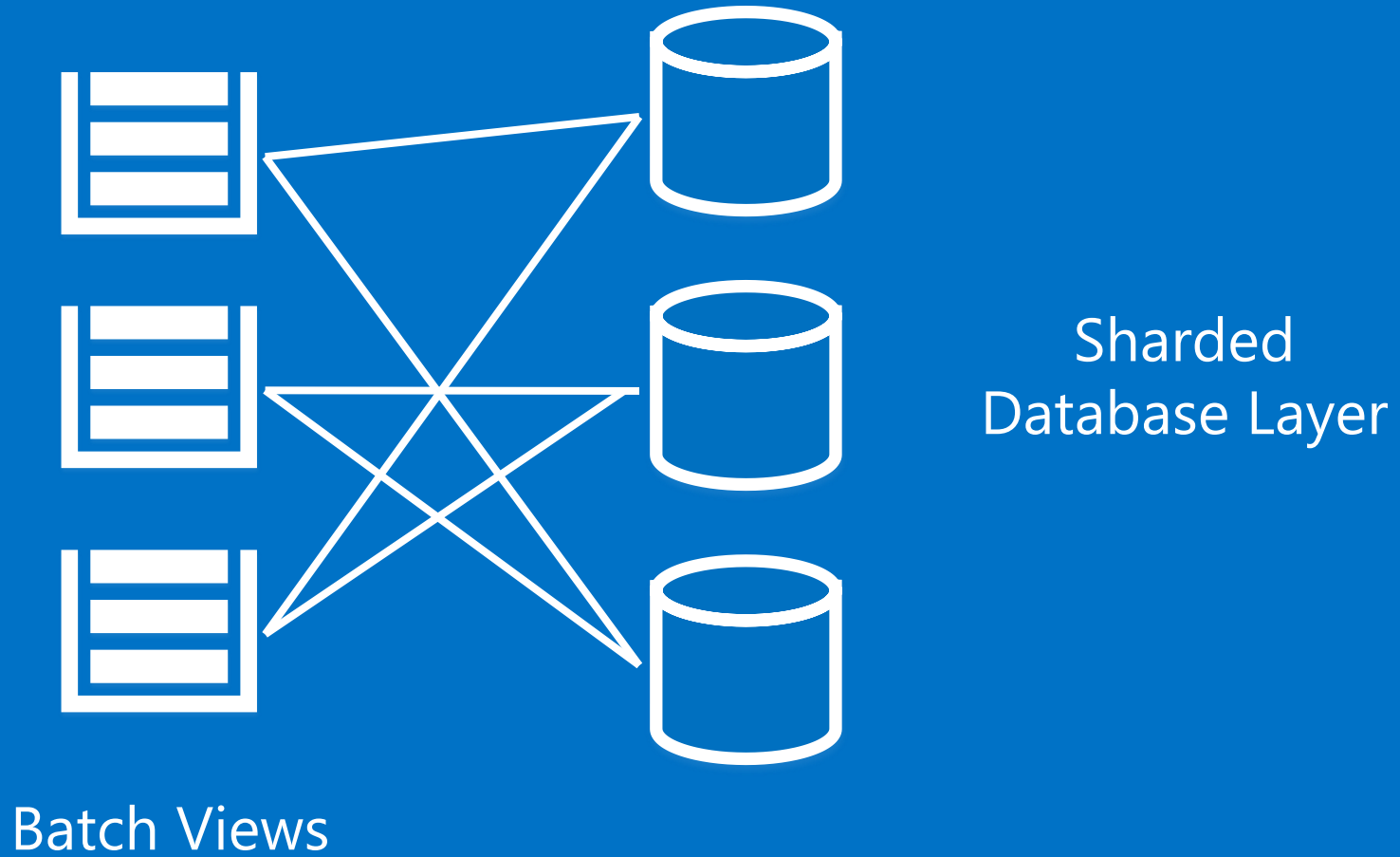
Batch Views

# Speed Layer

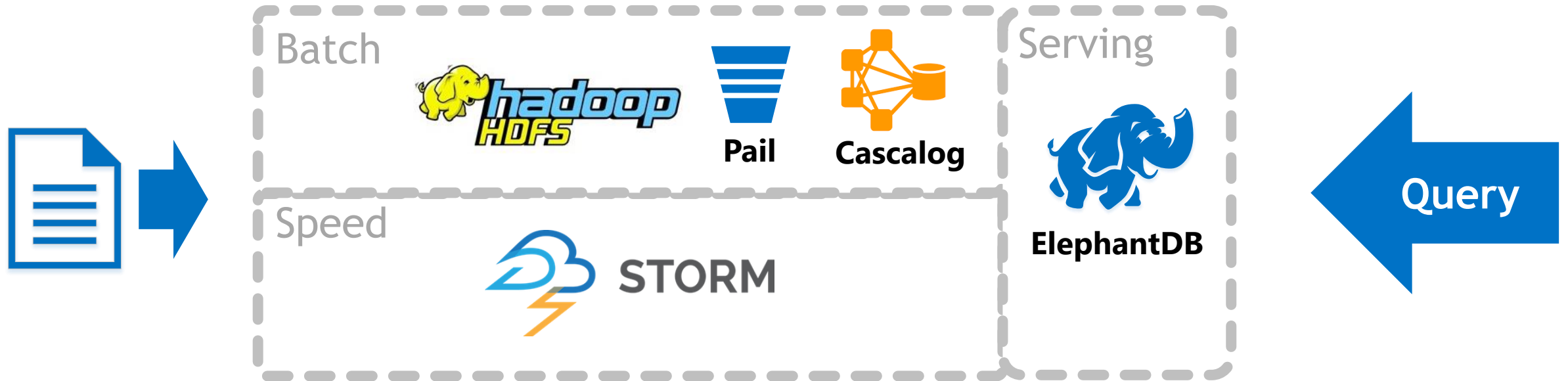


Spout / Bolt  
Storm Topology

# Serving Layer

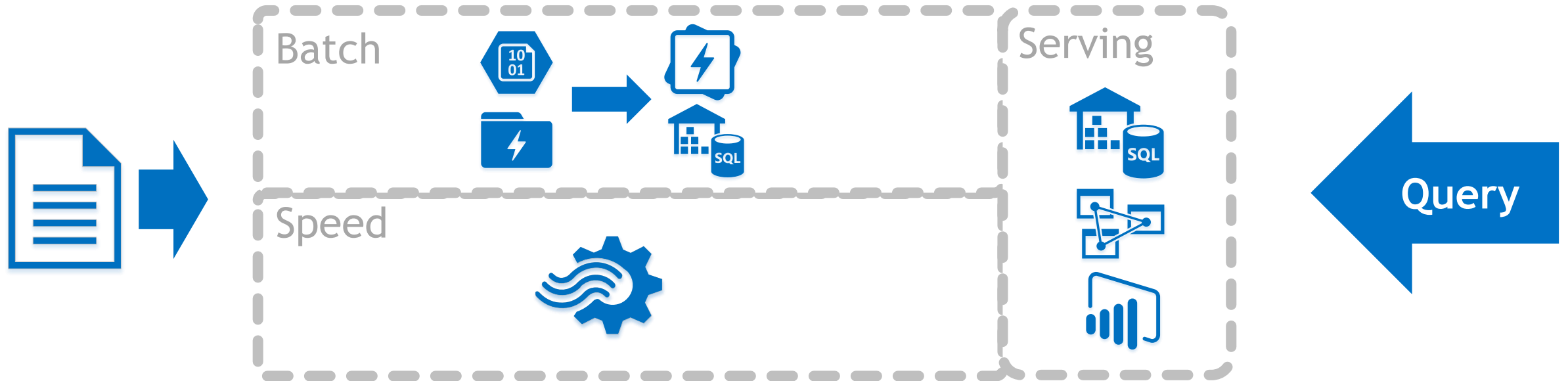


# The Marz Lambda Architecture



# The Azure Approach

# Applying Lambda to Azure

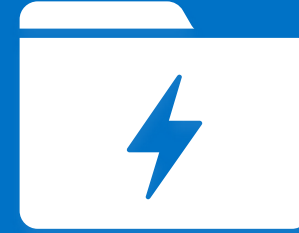


# Batch - Storage



## Blob Storage

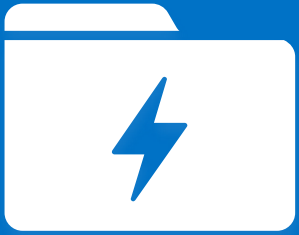
- HDFS
- Hot/Cold Storage Tiers
- Limited Security
- File Size Limitations
- Widely Compatible / Available



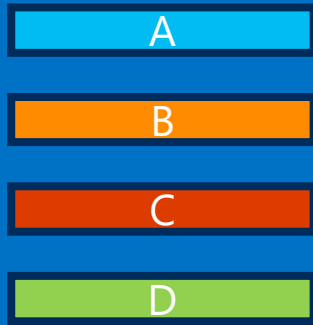
## Azure Data Lake Store

- WHDFS
- Single Pricing Model
- AAD-Integrated Security
- No Limitations
- Still Immature

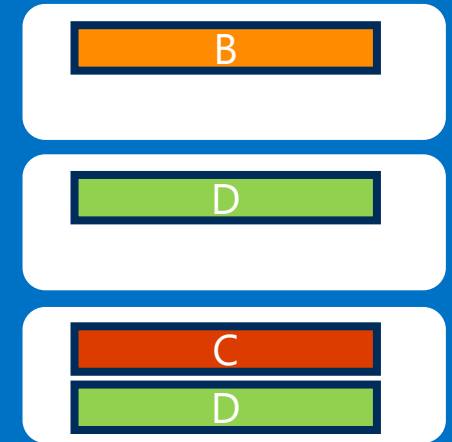
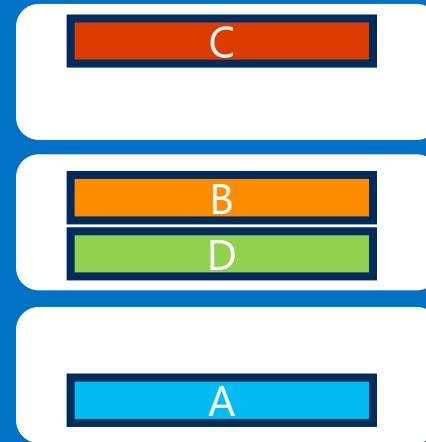
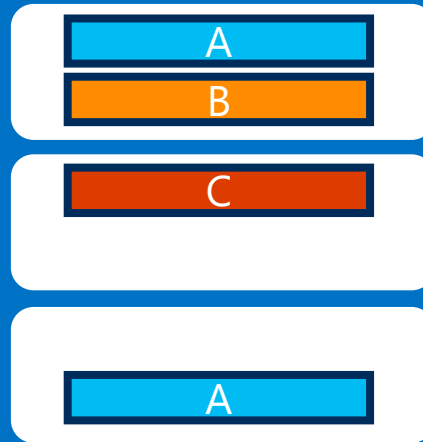




Data Lake Store



Parallelism



Fault Resilience

# Batch - Compute



## Azure Data Lake Analytics

- Pay Per Query / Unit
- U-SQL
- Outputs Structured/Unstructured
- Uses MapReduce-style processing
- Batch Mode



## Azure SQL DataWarehouse

- Pay Per Hour / Node
- T-SQL
- Fully Structured
- Can use MapReduce via Polybase
- Batch or Live Query



# Azure Data Lake Analytics





# Azure Data Lake Analytics





## Azure Streaming Analytics

- Only PaaS Native Offering
- Uses SQL Language
- Built-in Azure Integrations
- Can Vertically Partition Files
- Can Write to Multiple Outputs

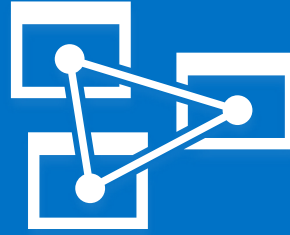


/Input/2017/06/19/0900.csv  
/Input/2017/06/19/1000.csv  
/Input/2017/06/19/1100.csv  
/Input/2017/06/19/1200.csv



## Azure SQL DataWarehouse

- Low Concurrency (32!)
- Direct Query via Polybase
- Huge data capacity



## Azure Analysis Services

- High Concurrency
- Scheduled Refresh / Direct over DBs
- Model Size Limits

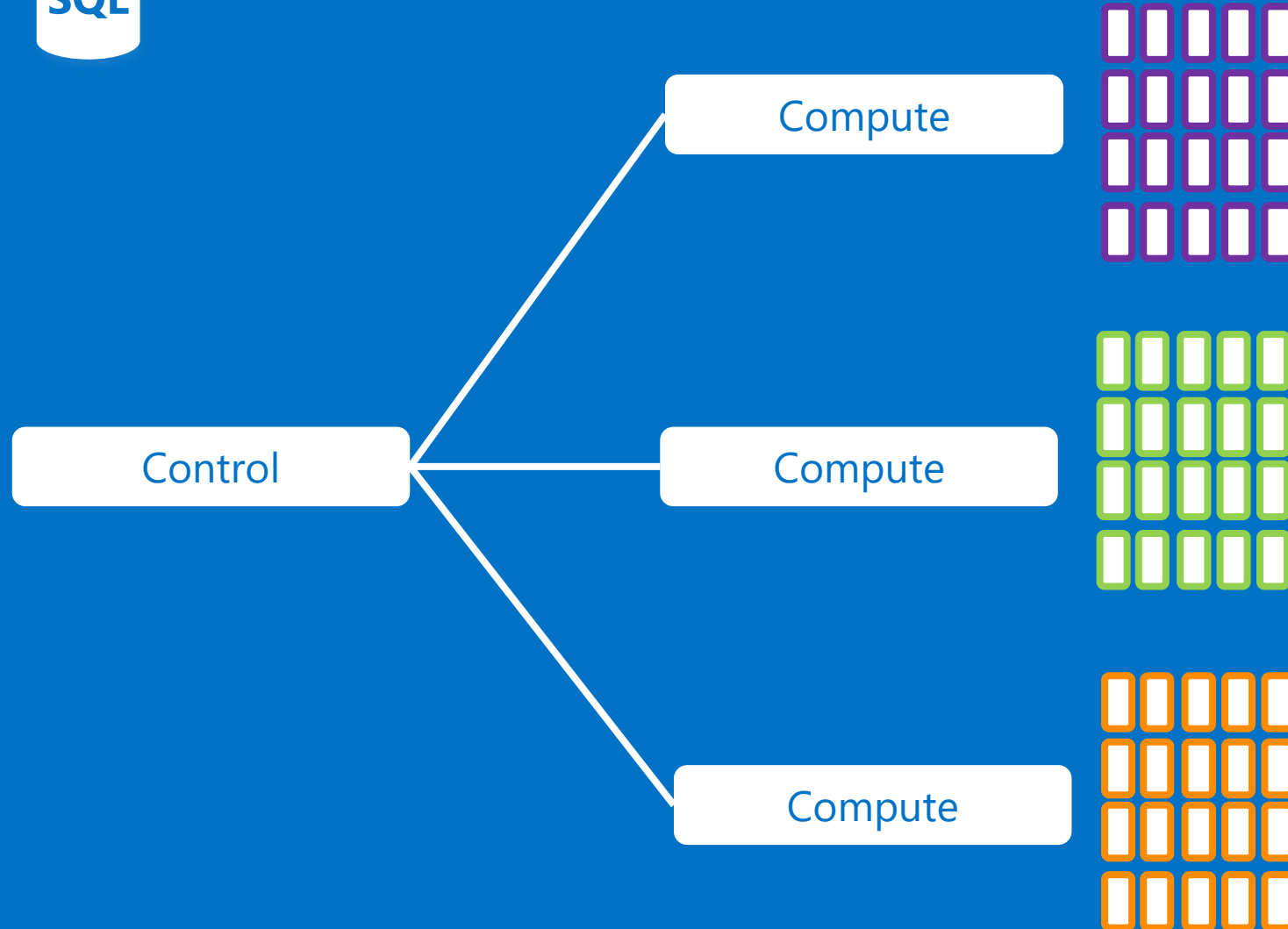


## PowerBI

- High Concurrency
- Scheduled Refresh / Direct over DBs
- Model Size Limits

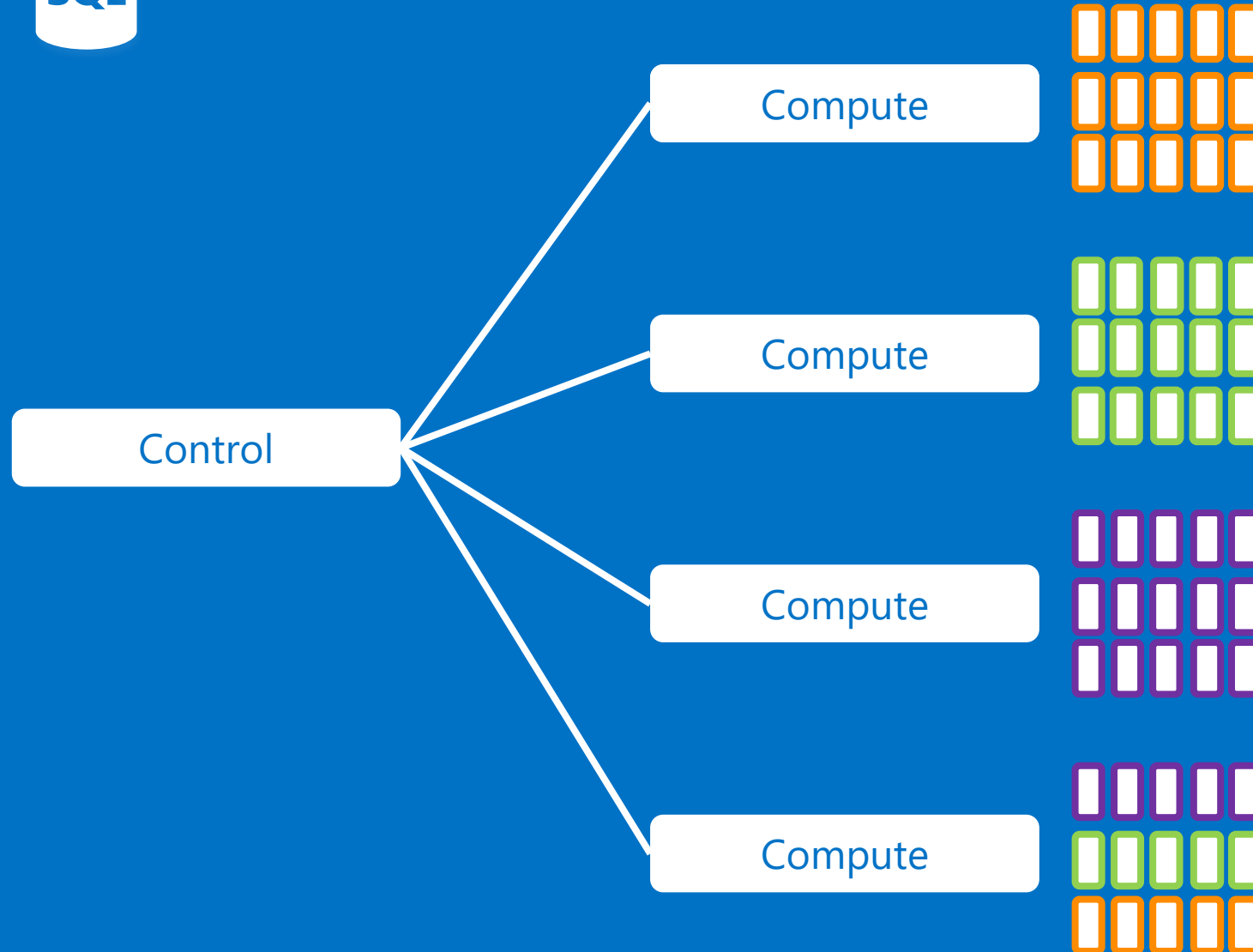


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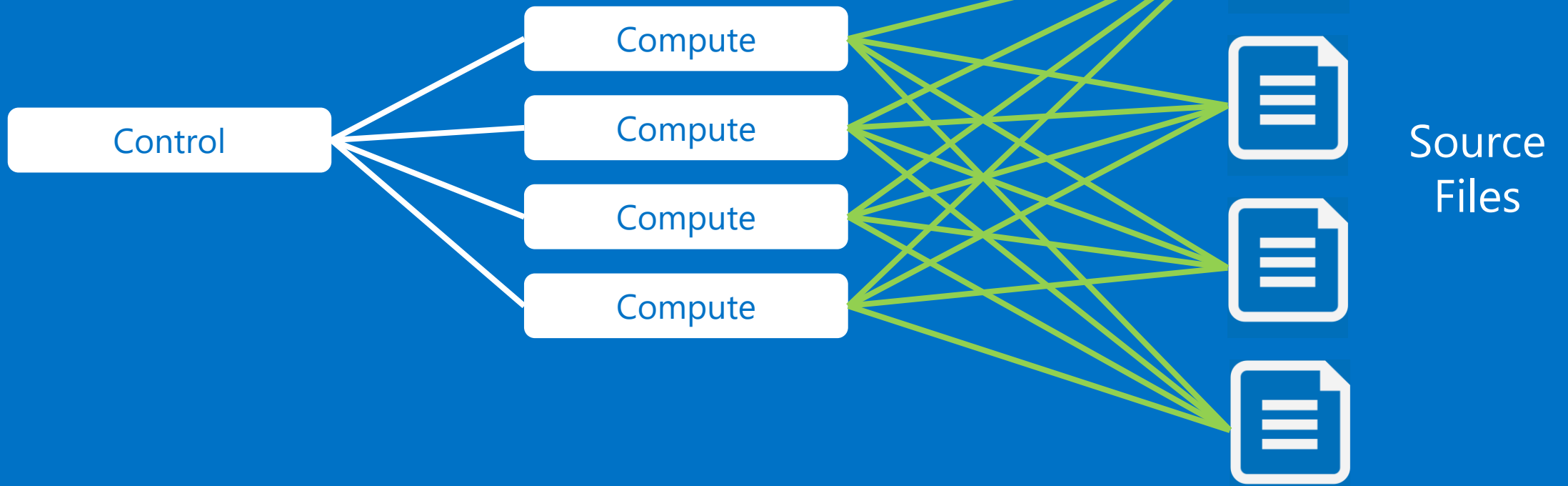
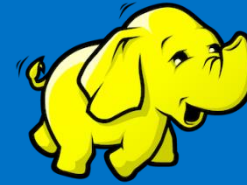




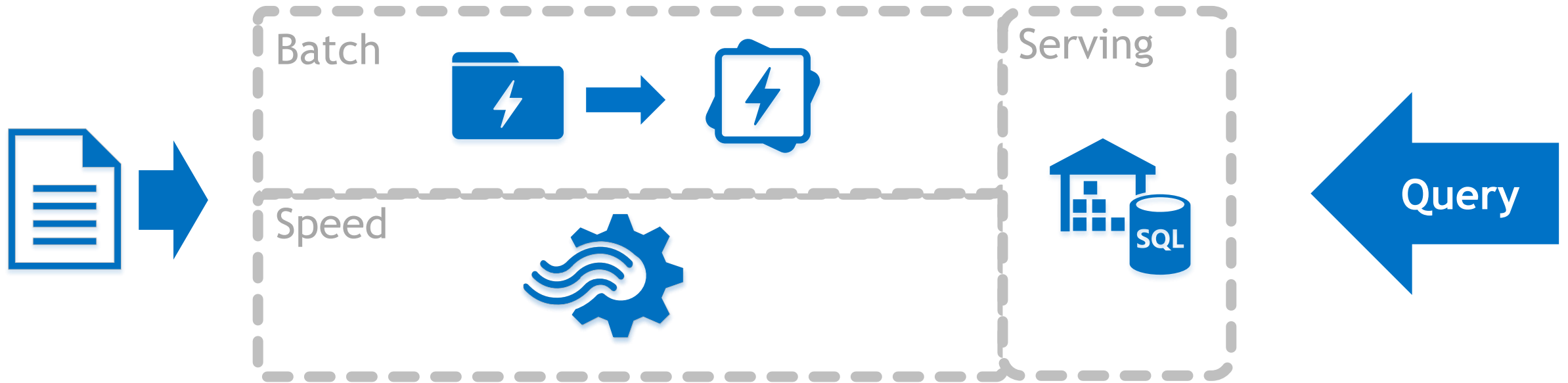


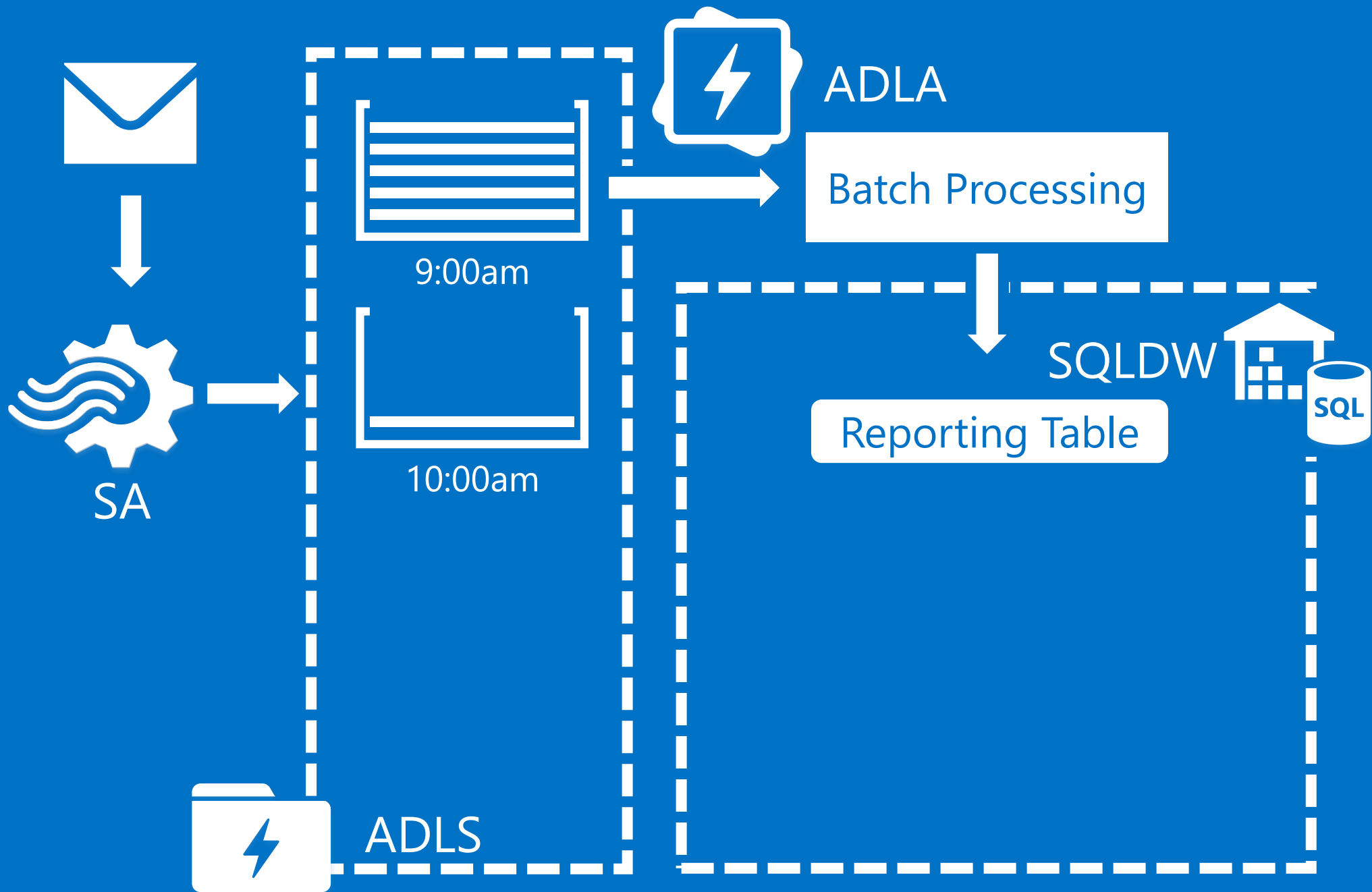
Azure SQL DataWarehouse

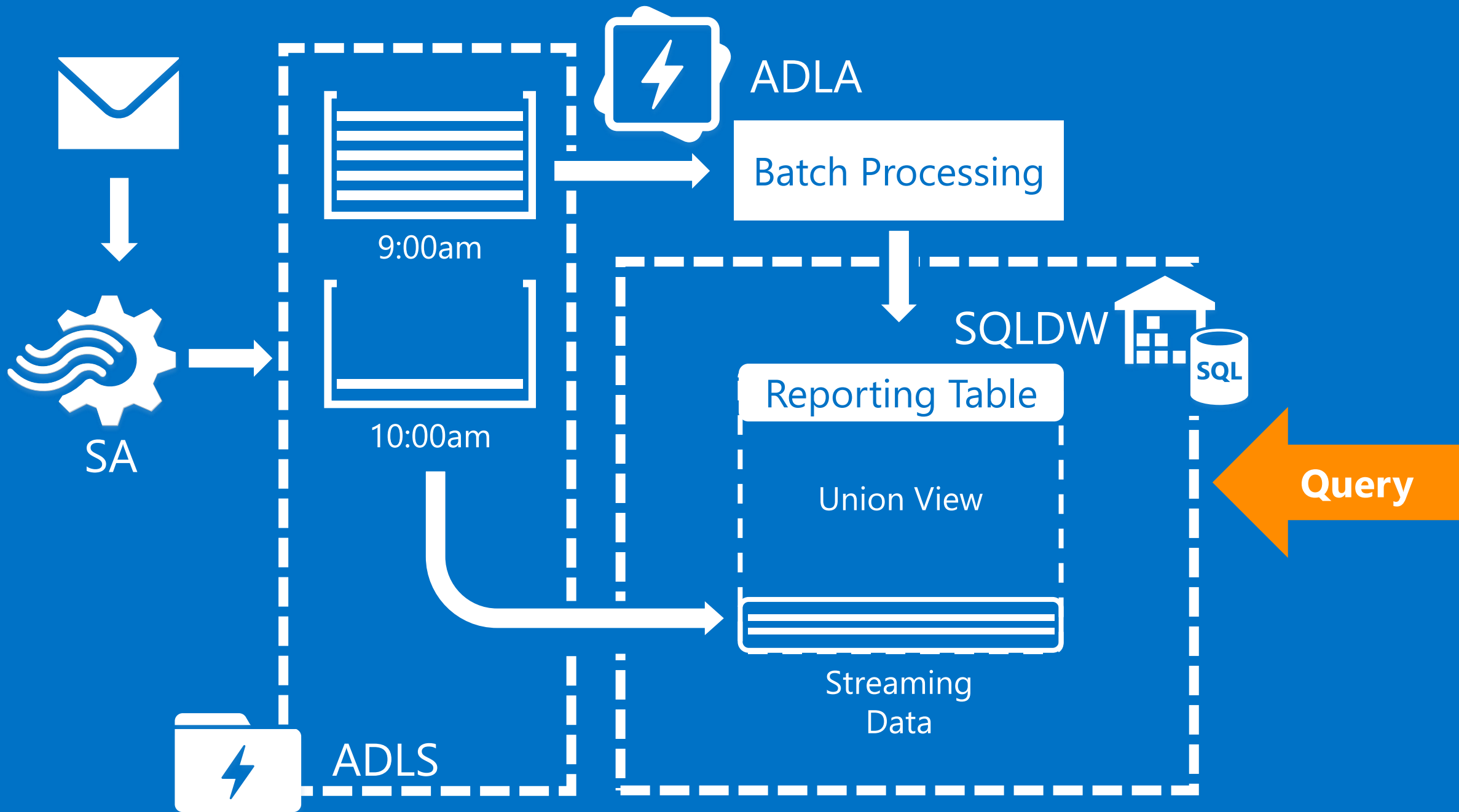
**PolyBase**

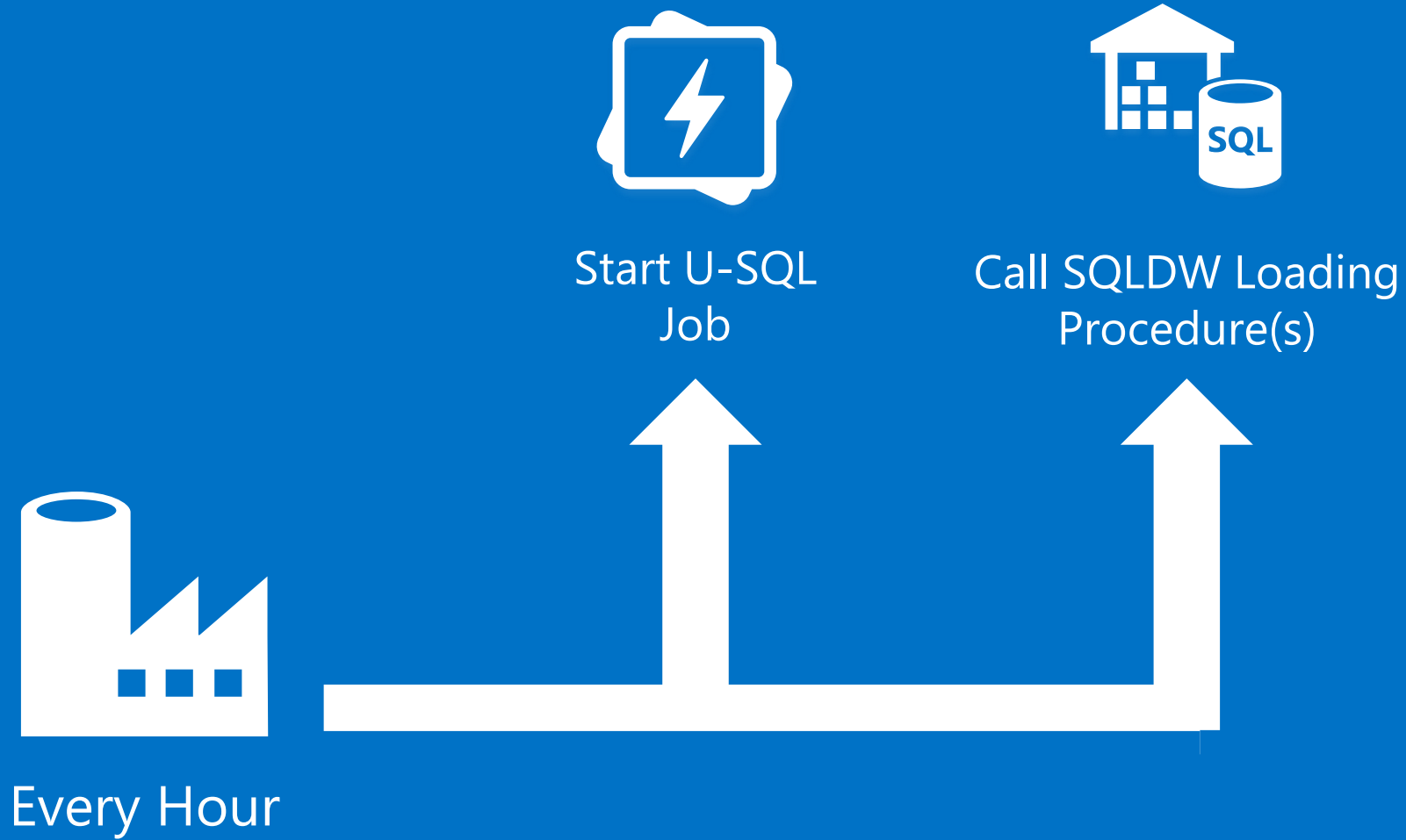


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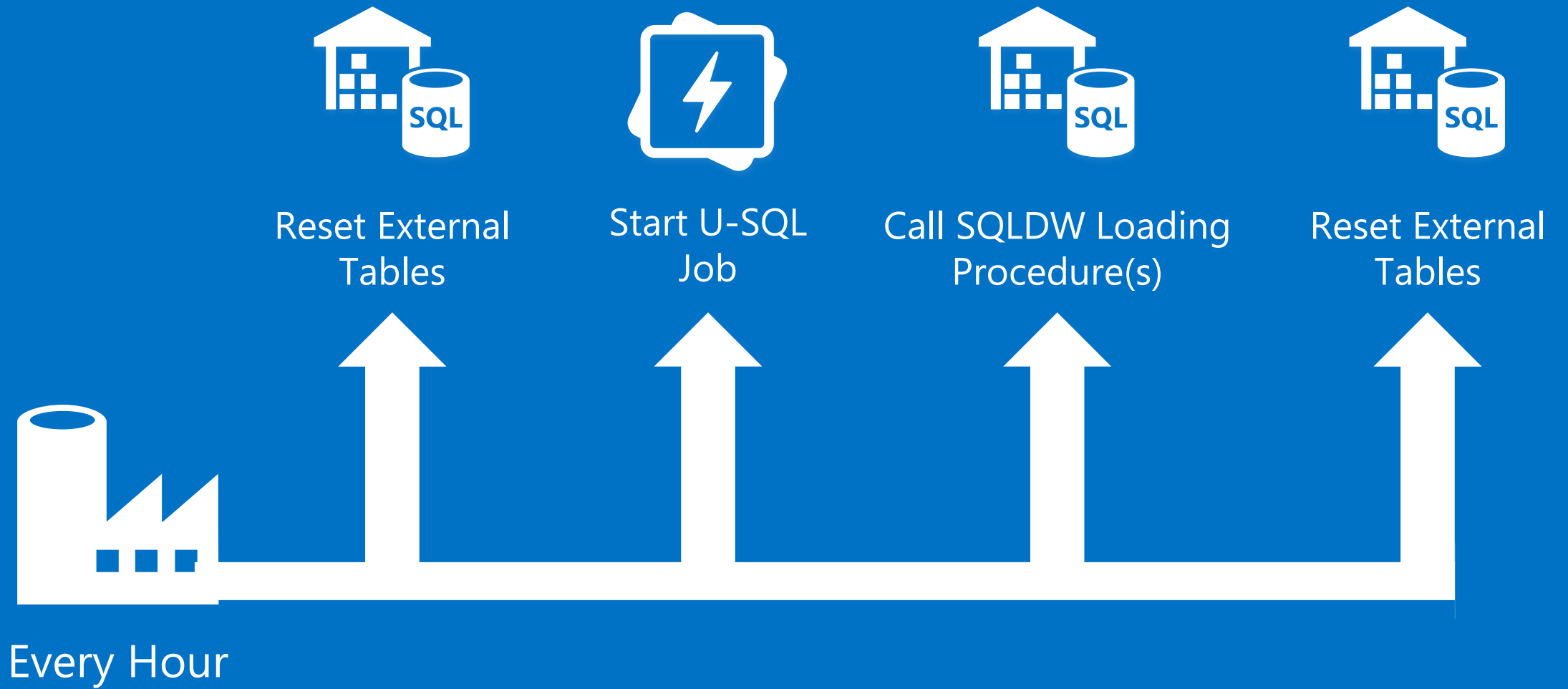






Azure Data Factory

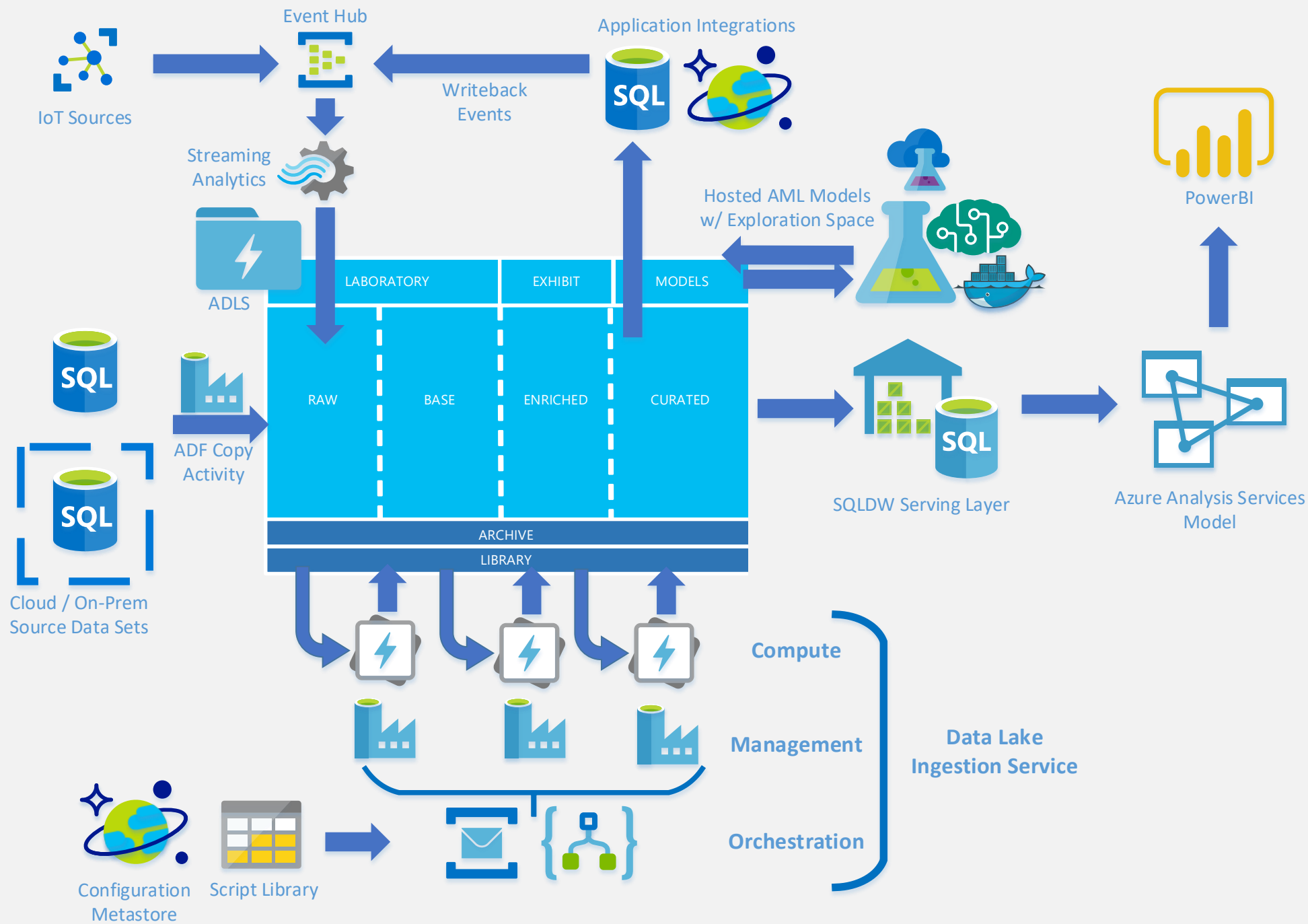
# Demo



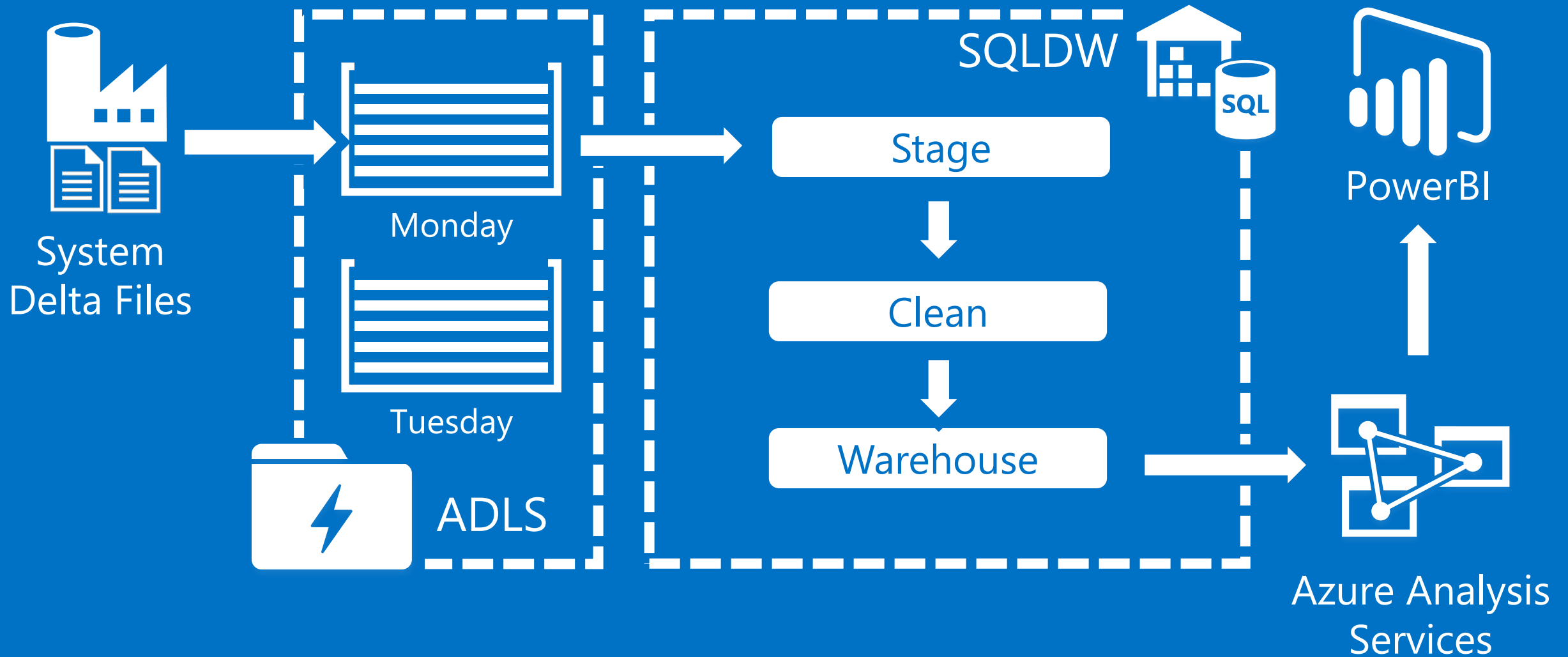
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# Conclusions & Variations

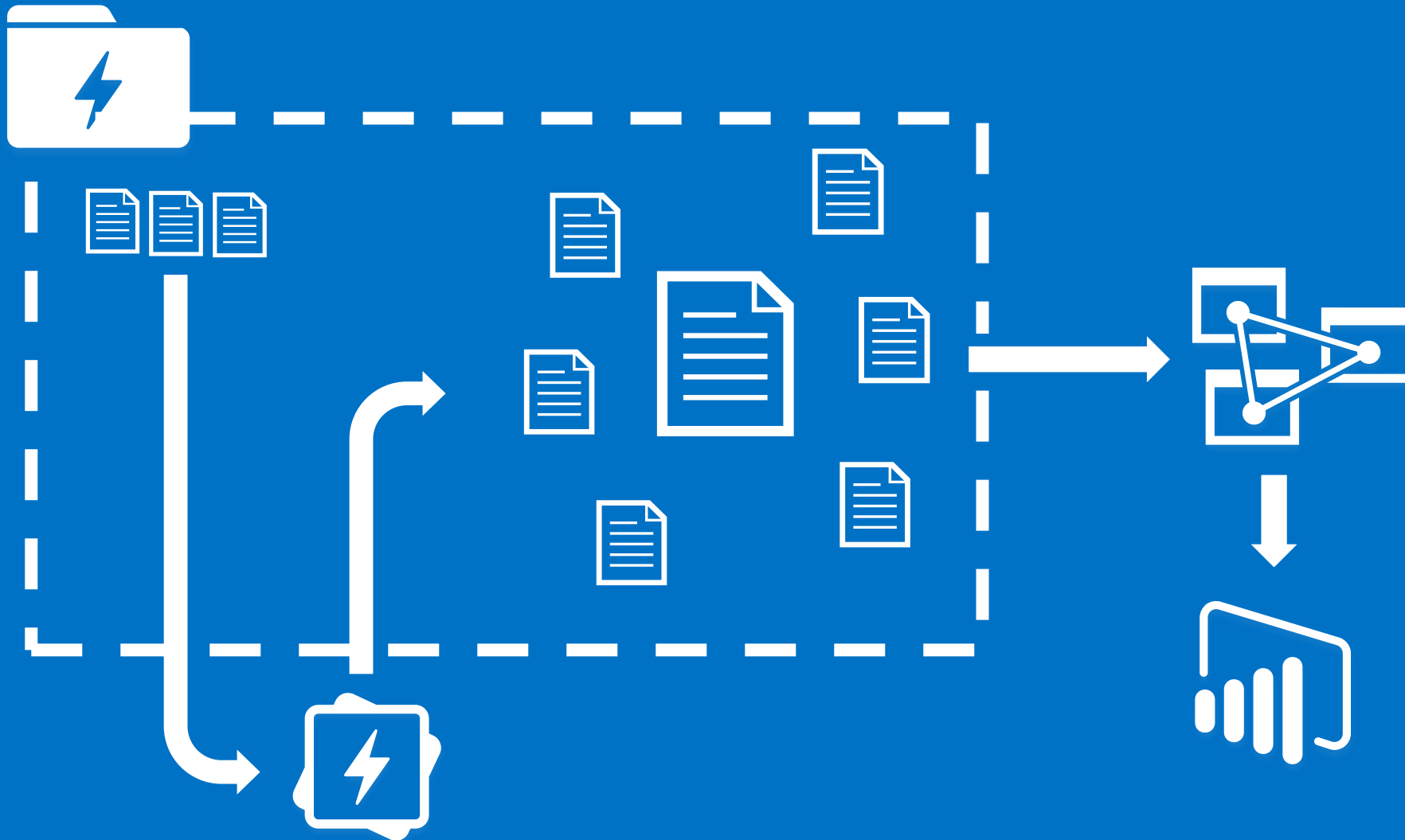




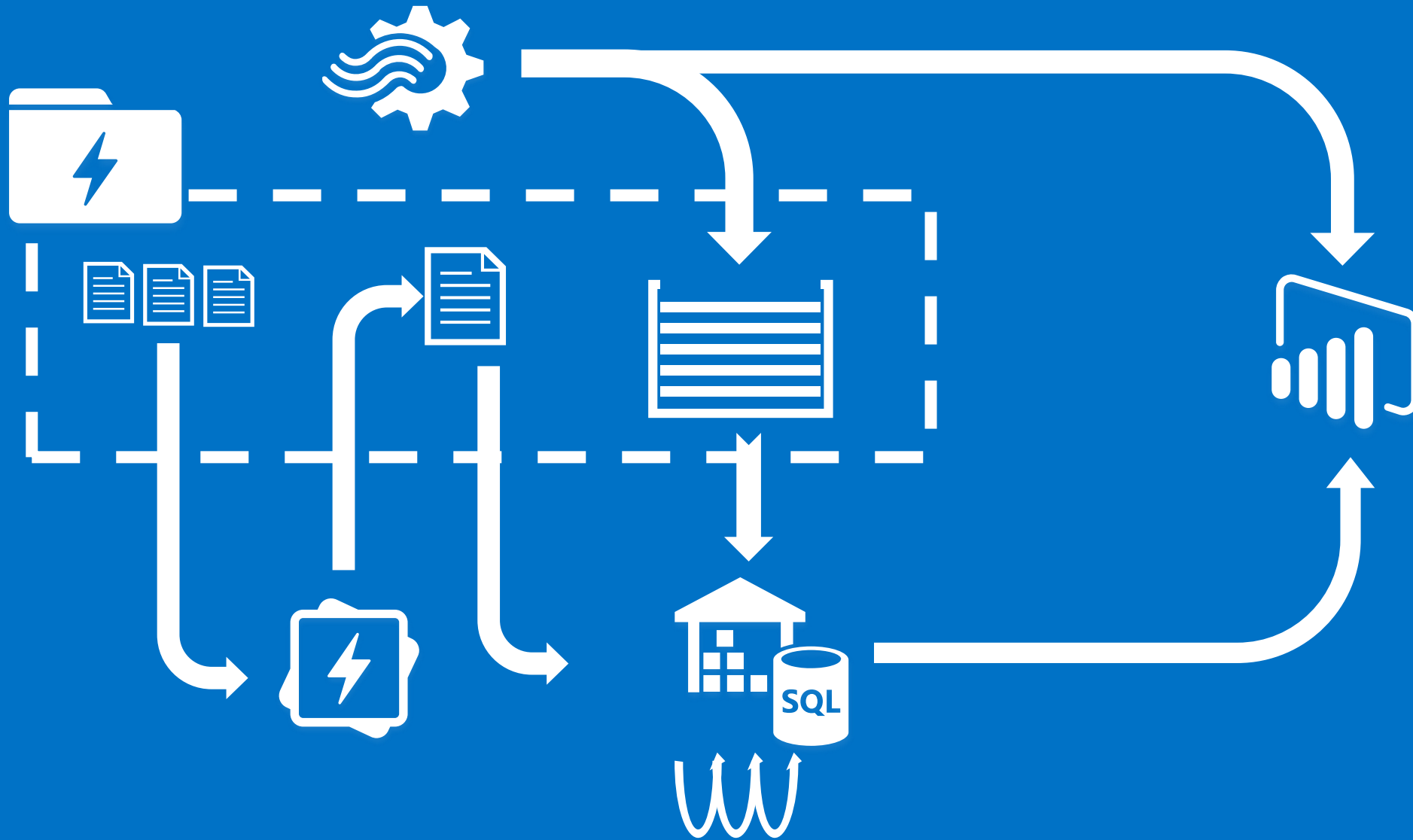
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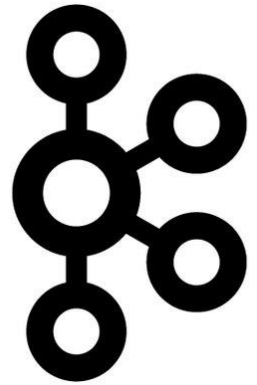


# Who Needs a Database?



# Parallel Streaming

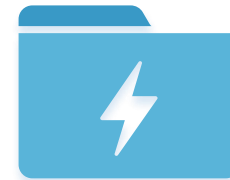
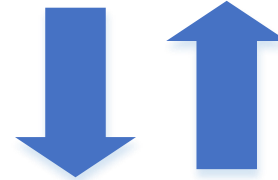




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DataBricks



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