Creating and Using PCollections and Side Inputs



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Overview

Pipeline as directed acyclic graphs (DAGs)

PCollections as edges, transformations as nodes

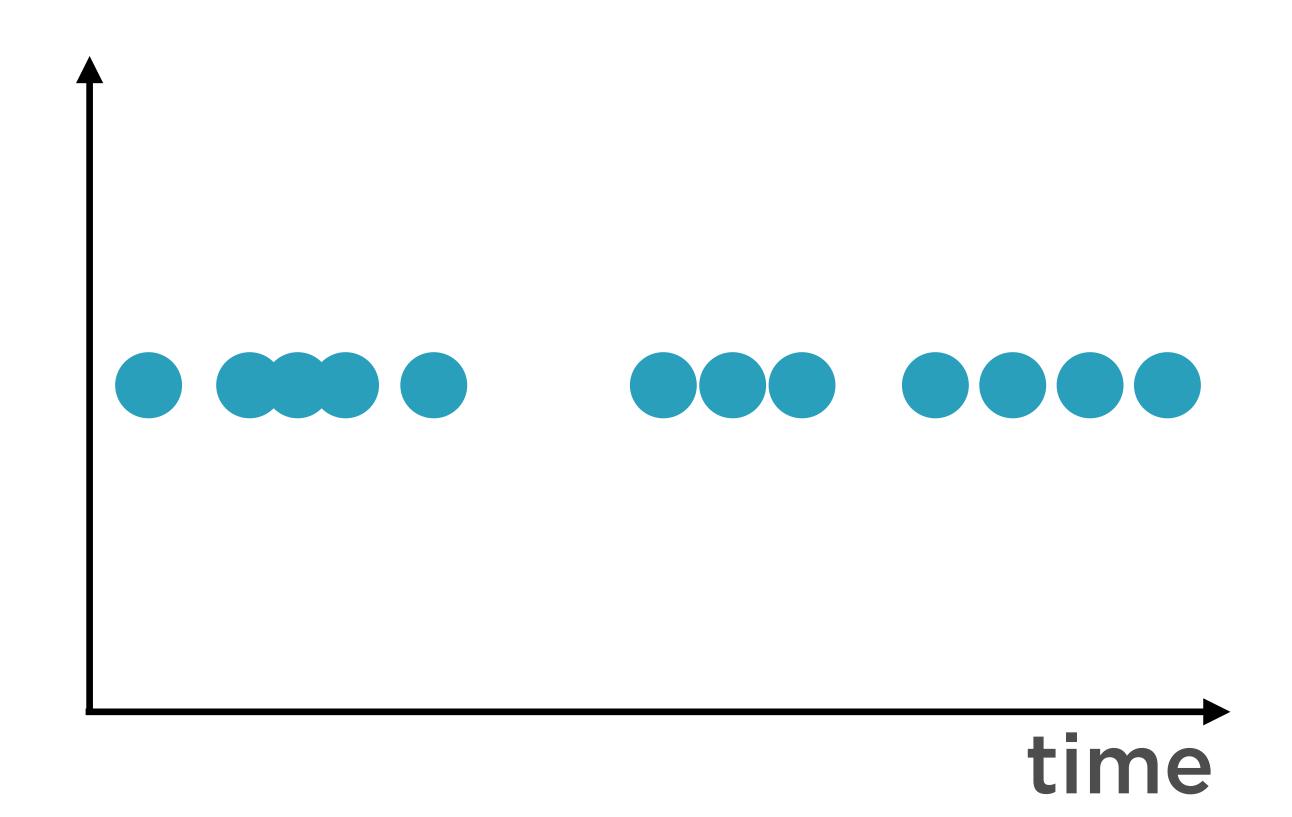
Windowing operations

Branching operations

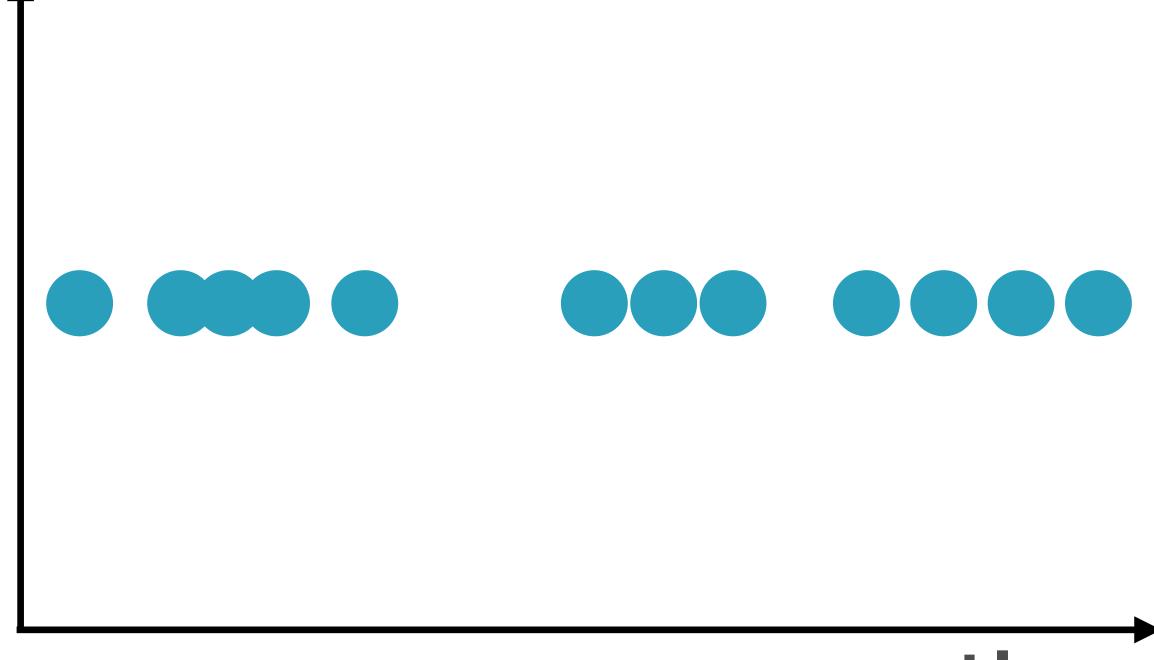
Side inputs into pipelines

Working with Subsets of Data

Data Associated with Time



Streaming or Batch Data with Timestamp



time

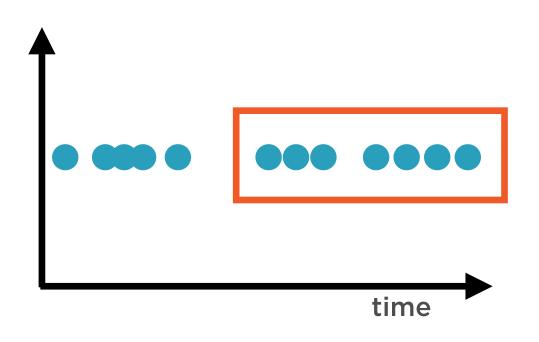
time

Window Transformations

A window is a subset of a stream based on

- Time interval
- Count of entities
- Interval between entities

Window Transformations



Transformations can be applied on all entities within a window

- sum, min, max, average

Types of Windows

Tumbling Window

Sliding Window

Count Window

Session Window

Global Window

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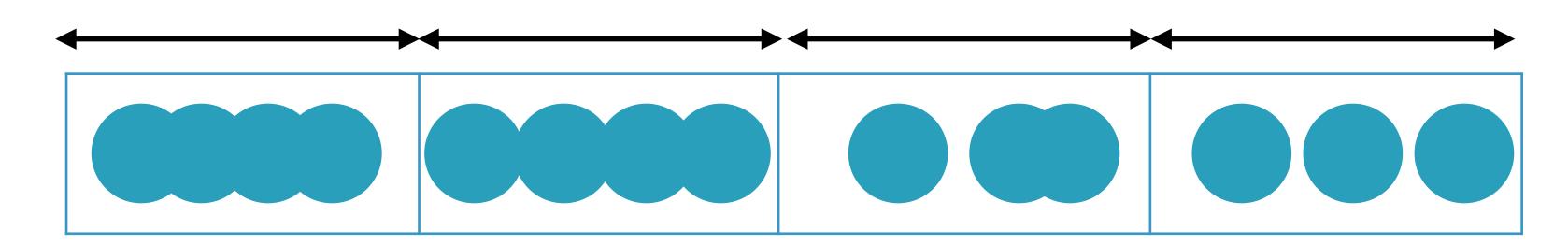
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A stream of data or batch data with timestamps

Tumbling Window

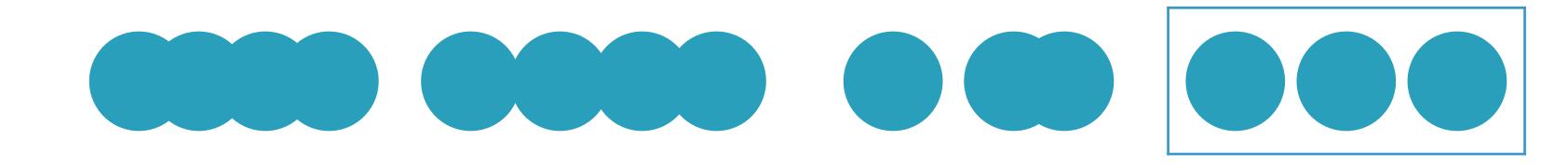


Fixed window size

Non-overlapping time

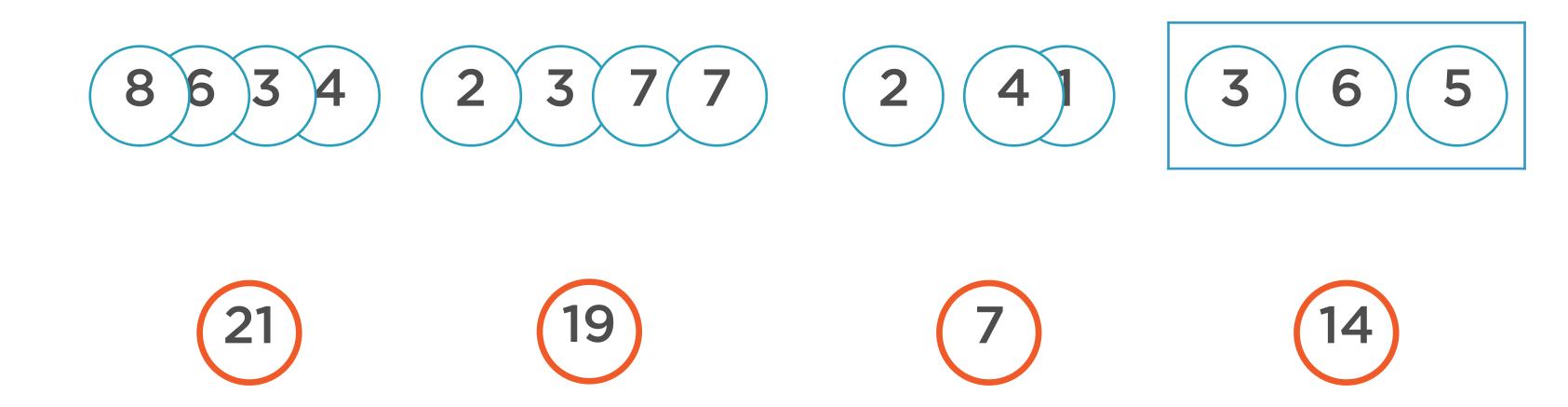
Number of entities differ within a window

Tumbling Window



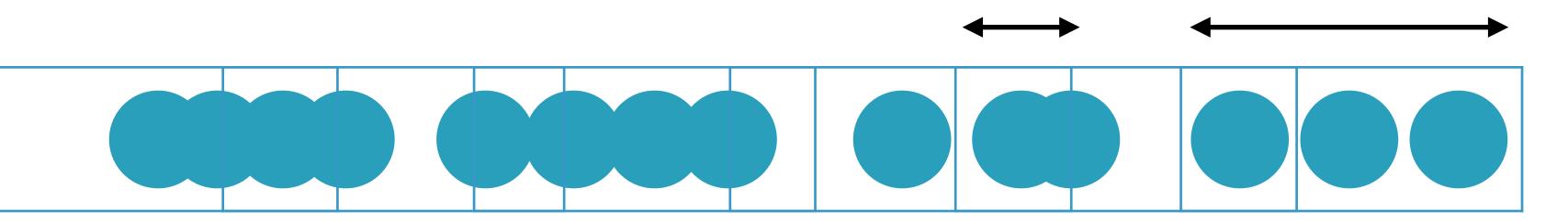
The window tumbles over the data, in a nonoverlapping manner

Tumbling Window



Apply the sum() operation on each window

Sliding Window

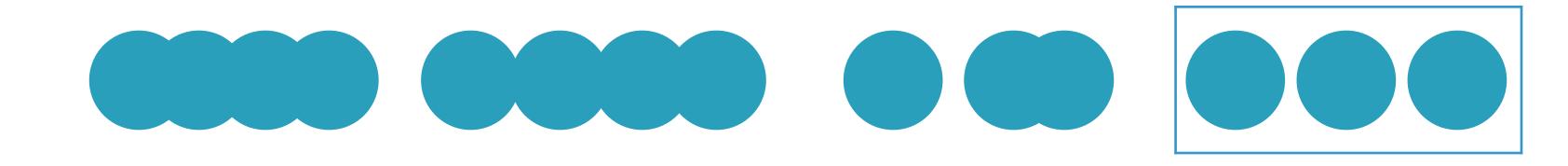


Fixed window size

Overlapping time - sliding interval

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Sliding Window

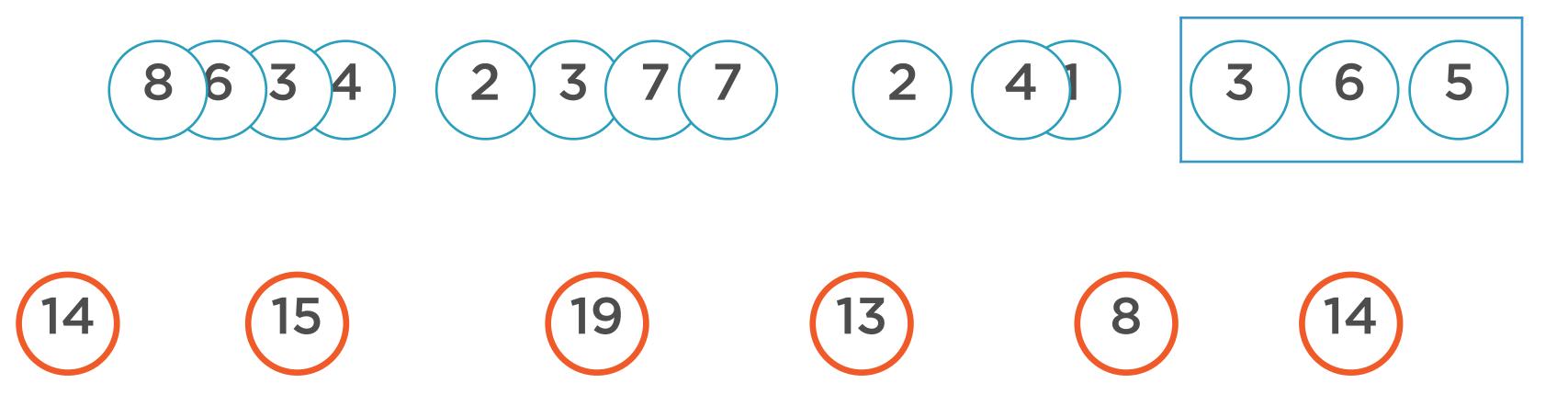


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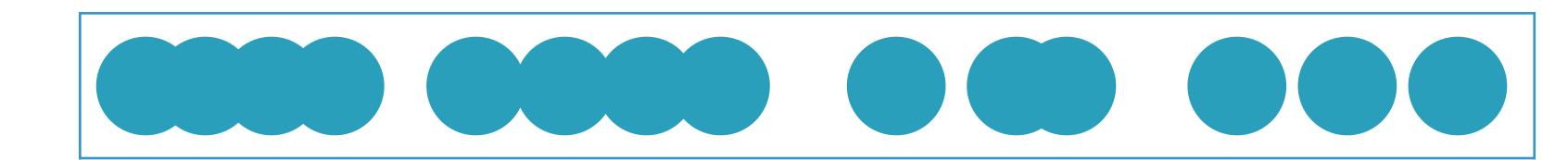
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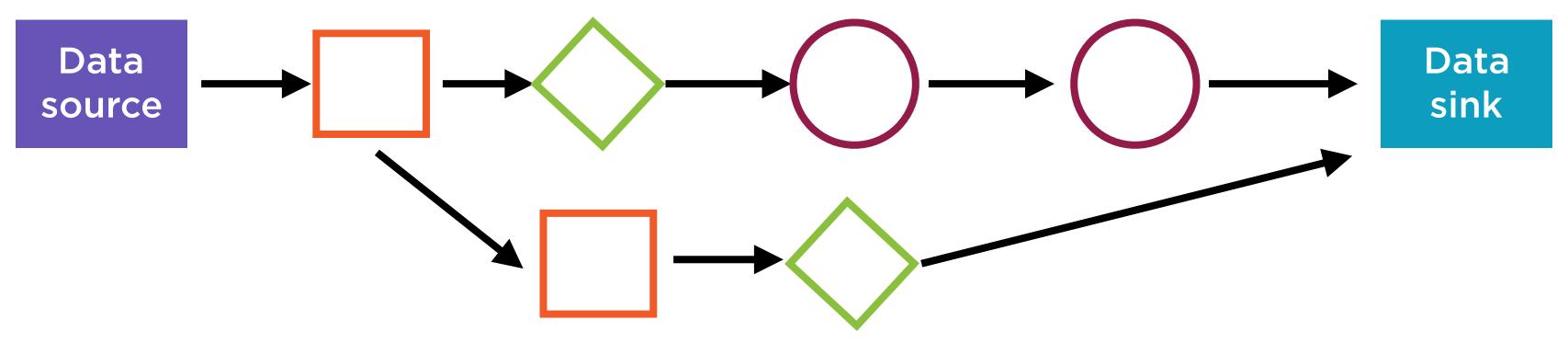
All data in the stream in one window

Demo

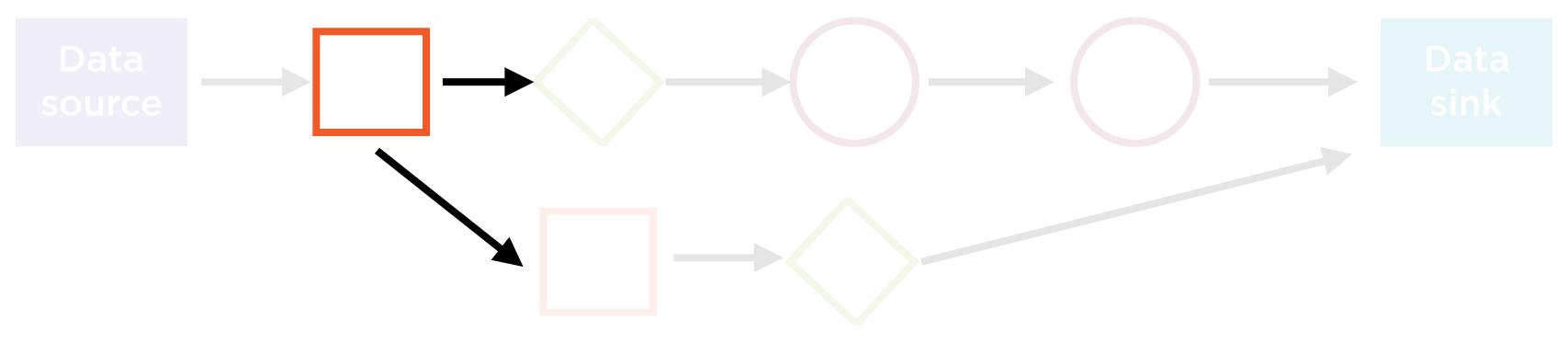
Performing transformations and aggregations using window operations

Branching Operatons

Apache Beam Pipeline

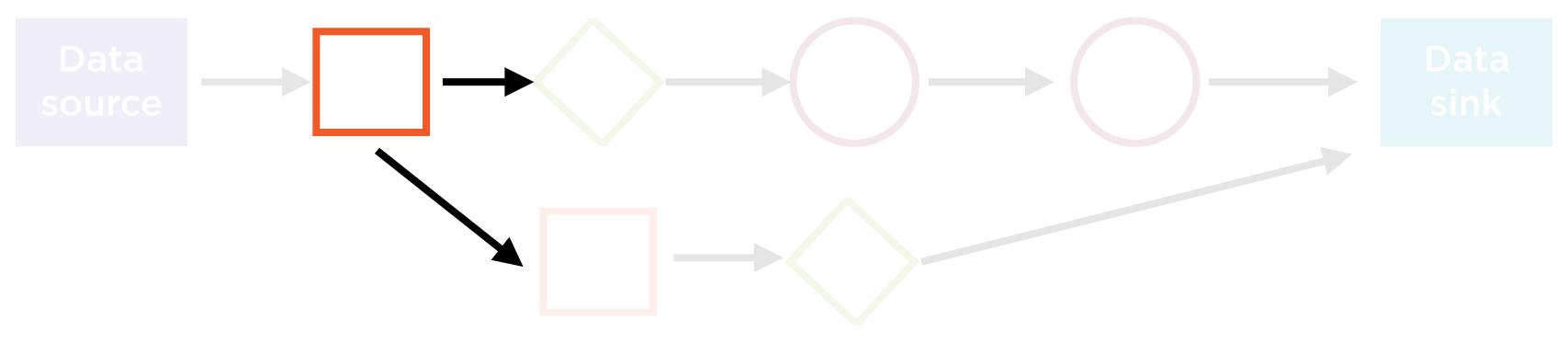


Branching Operations



A single transformation can have multiple outputs

Branching Operations



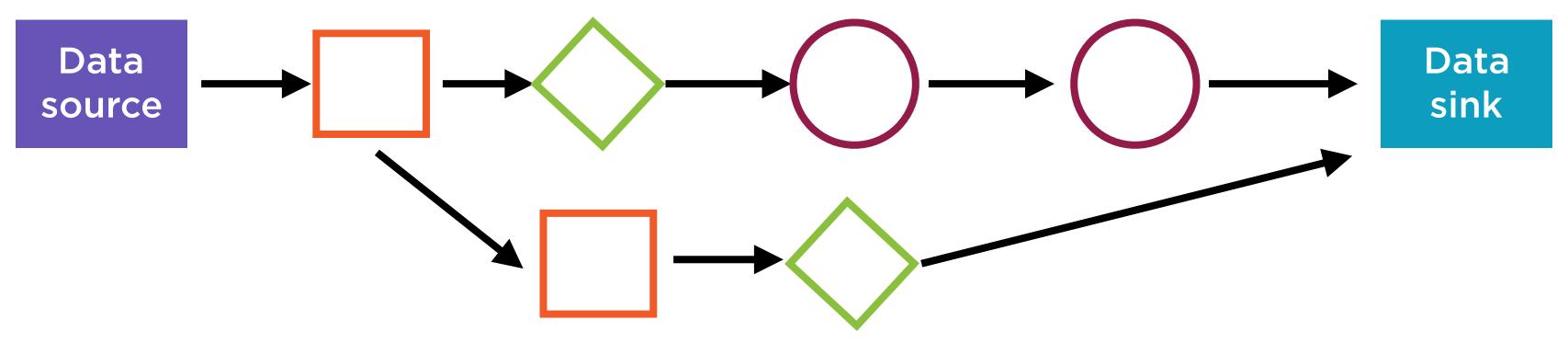
Different transformations applied after data has been split

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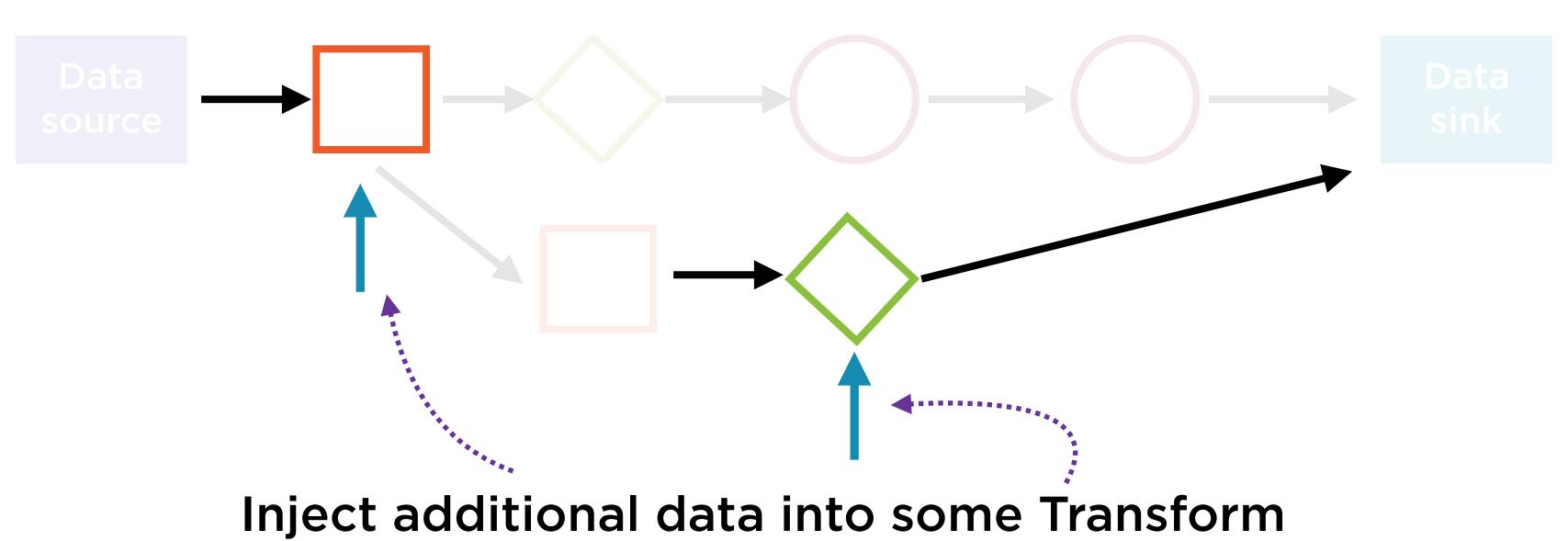
Performing branching operations to split data

Side Inputs

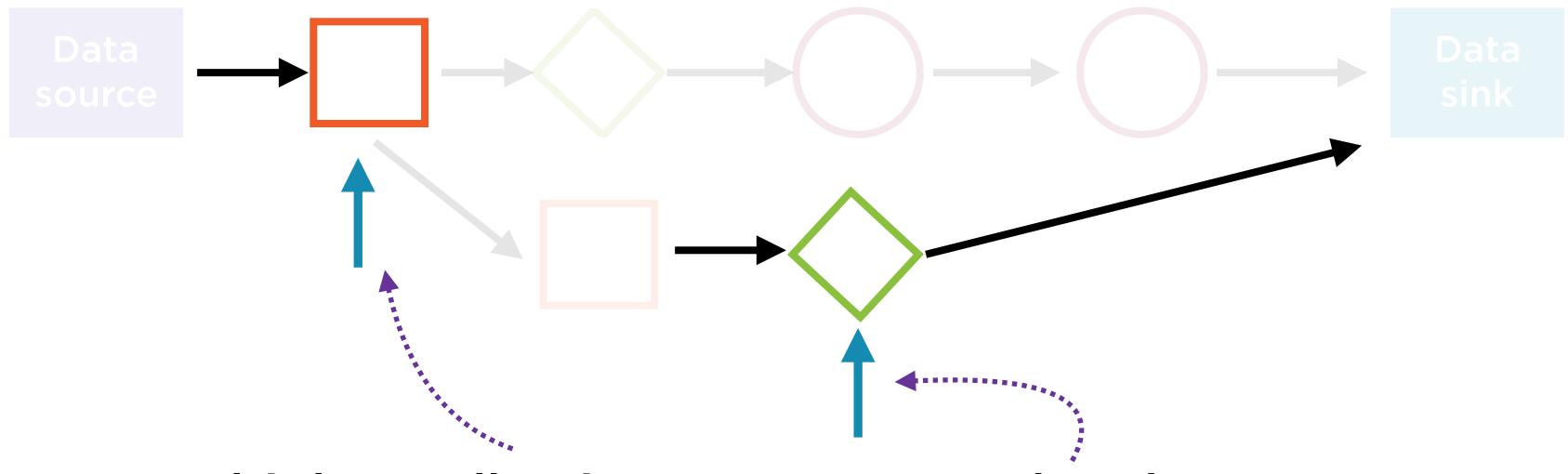
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Multiple PCollections are processed at that stage

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Build and execute a pipeline using side inputs

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