

Architecture Spotlight:

Vertical Markets | The Consumer Web

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Static Model

- Batch updates
- Standardized reports
- Real-time analytics

Dynamic Model

- Huge transaction volumes
- Data science and complex analytics produced in real time
- User-driven, on-demand reporting
- Network effects

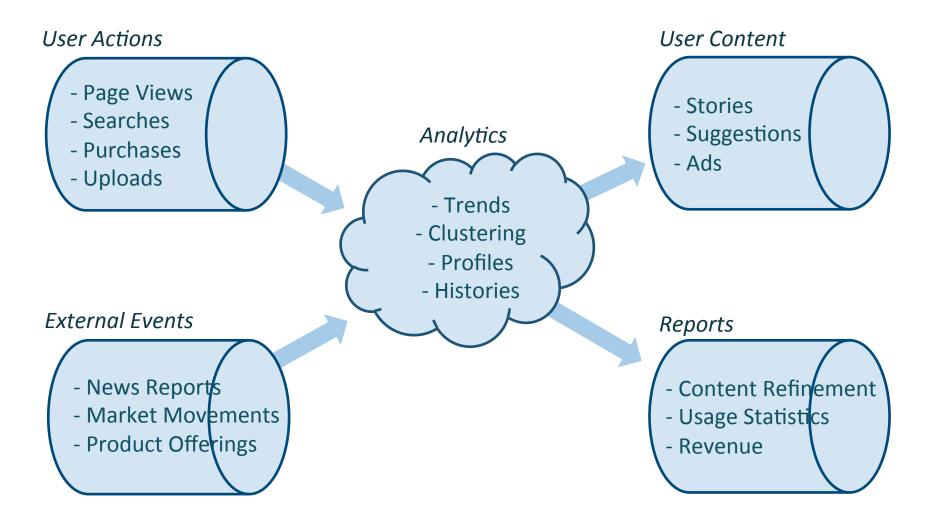
Pioneers

- Google
- Facebook
- Netflix
- Amazon

New Technologies

- NoSQL and graph databases
- Cloud computing
- Small, scalable servers
- Fault tolerance

Data Flow – Consumer Site



Data Flow - Finance

Live and Static Trade Data

	ID	Book	Security	NbShares	1
		18579	ORCL	220	
	1	2142039	COST	8423	
	2	12145	ALTR	3520	
	3	21121	AKAM	10020	
\	4	2036915	AAPL	3383	
\	5	2055103	VMED	4954	
	6	15316	CMCSA	8461	1

Streaming Market Data

ID	Security	Bid	Ask	
	ATVI	63.90	64.05	
1	ADBE	14.55	16.52	
2	AKAM	340.20	341.49	
3	ALXN	5.37	6.86	
4	ALTR	443.04	444.54	
5	AMZN	59.82	60.94	
6	AMGN	60.29	60.82	

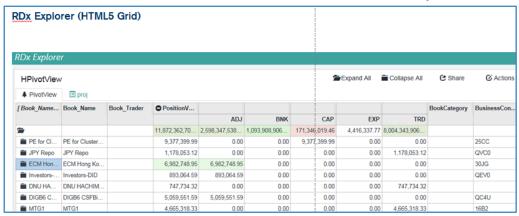
Static Reference Data

Big data sets, Live data, Complex logic



Huge user base, diverse needs

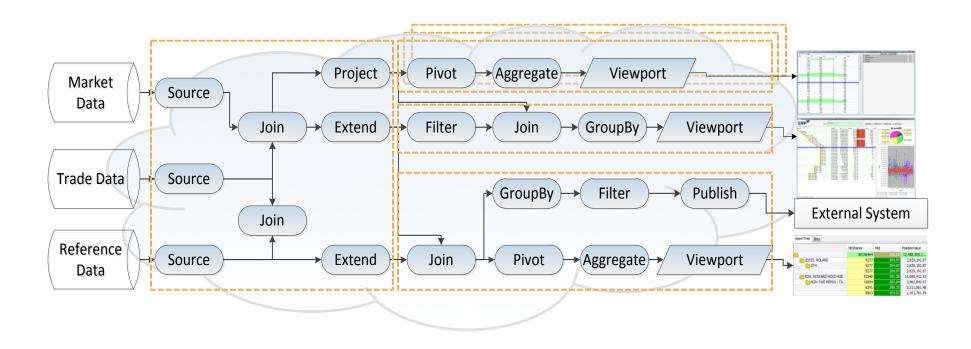
Live, rich, big interactive reports



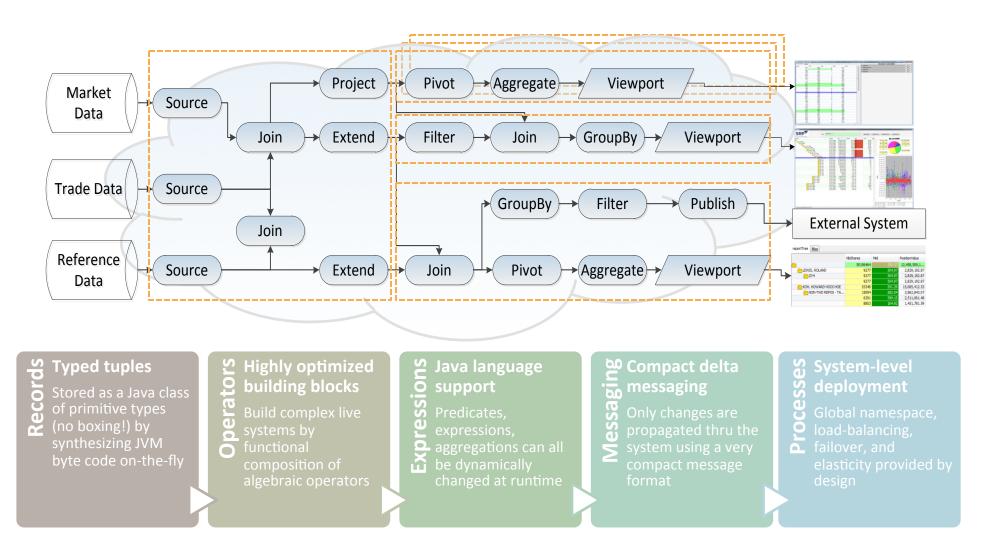
Platform Elements

- Data capture and audit
- Grid calculation
- Real-time data flow
- Visualization

Real-Time Data Algebra



Distributed Runtime



Benefits of Common Platform

- Rapid development
- Handles infrastructure complexities
- Ensures consistency

Commonalities with massively scaled Web sites

- Volume & Velocity
- Real-time decision-making
- Dynamic, flexible views
- Graph-like data model
- Use of open-source tools
- Synthesis of real-time data from many sources
- Failover, load balancing, fault tolerance

Advantages over consumer sites

- Well-defined problem space
- Steady feedback leads to tailored refinement
- Demanding, insightful users
- Techniques translate directly to large set of applications across industries



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