



Bring Elastic and Resilient Multi-Tenancy to TiKV

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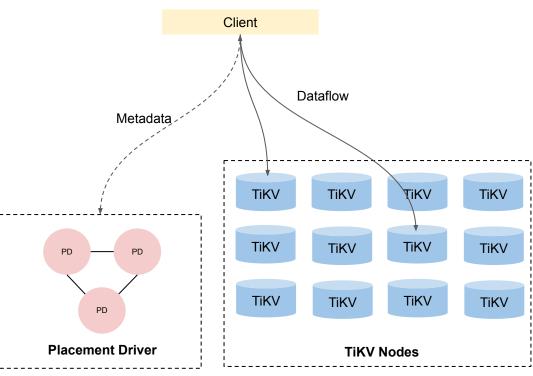
What is TiKV



TiKV



- The storage layer for TiDB
- Distributed Key-Value store
 - Support **ACID Transactions**
 - Replicate logs by Raft
 - **Range** partitioning
 - Split / merge dynamically
 - Support coprocessor for SQL operator pushdown
- Visit https://tikv.org/





Requirements & Challenges of Multi-Tenancy



Requirements for Multi-Tenancy



- Isolation & Quality of Service (QoS) for different groups of services
- Share some infrastructure to reduce costs.
- Simplify cluster maintenance
- Use Transactional KV & RawKV in the same cluster



Challenges of Multi-Tenancy



- Elastic
 - Support data volume from TBs to PBs in single cluster
 - Millions of tenants
- Resilient
 - Isolate & reduce blast radius
 - Recover from fatal errors or disasters



Solution for Elastic and Resilient Multi-Tenancy





Isolating Different Tenants with Keyspace



Data Isolation with Keyspace - Key Modes



Modes

TiDB Mode (internal encoding)

```
m<<xxx>> // TiDB metadata

t<<tableID>>_r<<rowID>> => [col1, col2, col3, col4] // table row

t<<tableID>>_i<<iindexID>>_indexedColumnsValue_rowID => nil // index row
```

TiKV Mode (internal encoding)

```
x<<xxx>> // TxnKV Keys
r<<xxx>> // RawKV Keys
```

Data Isolation with Keyspace - Key Encoding



Before:

<<mode-prefix>></user-key>><<timestamp>>

After:

<<mode-prefix>><<keyspace>> <<user-key>><<timestamp>>



Data Isolation with Keyspace



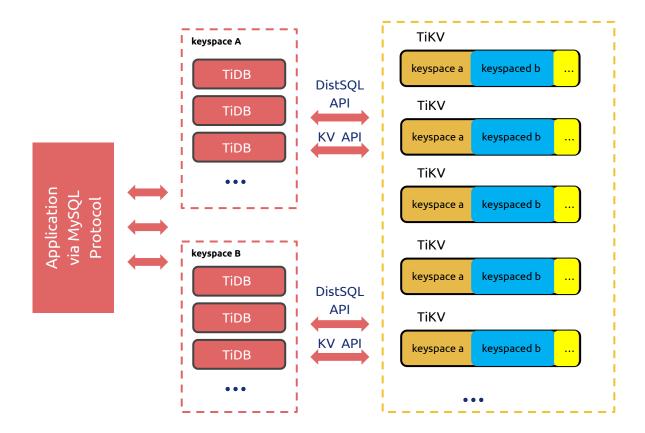
Keyspace management capability in PD:

- 1. Allocation of keyspace ID by keyspace name
- 2. Creation of a new keyspace by keyspace meta
- 3. Updating of keyspace meta and configuration
- 4. Management of keyspace lifecycle
- 5. Retrieval of keyspace metadata



Data Isolation with Keyspace - Overview









MicroServices in Placement Driver (PD)



MicroServices in PD



"TiKV can be scaled by scaling the TiKV node, but placement driver is not scalable. :("

"PD is responsible for managing the cluster metadata, data access routing, TSO allocation, ID allocation, and scheduling of TiKV resources. It has too many responsibilities to handle :("

"I am concerned about the stability and high availability of PD. It is a crucial component of TiKV, and if it cannot function properly, TiKV will also be affected: ("

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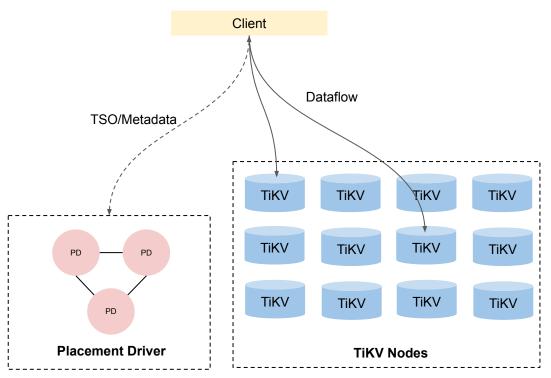


MicroServices in PD



Placement Driver Provides:

- API(Metadata) service
- TSO Service
- Scheduling Service
- Allocate Service
- ...





MicroServices in PD



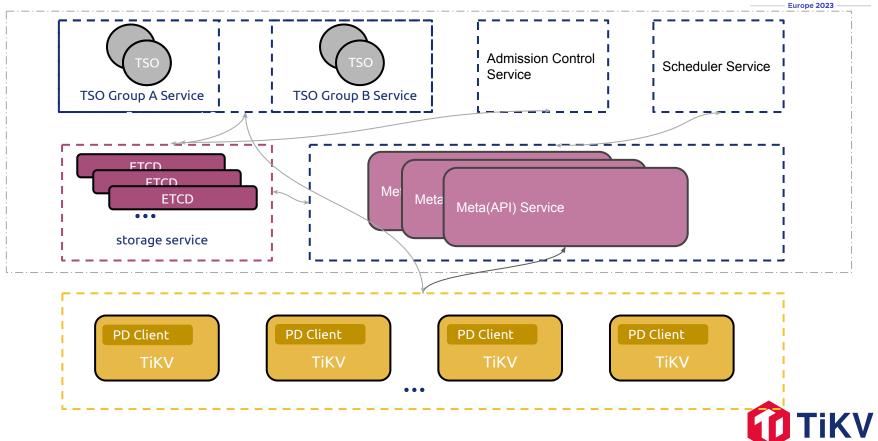
	Level	Resource Required (Data Size)
TSO Service	Critical	High
Metadata Service	Critical	High
Allocate Service	Critical	Low
Scheduler Service	Middle	Middle
Others	Low	Low



MicroServices in PD - Overview

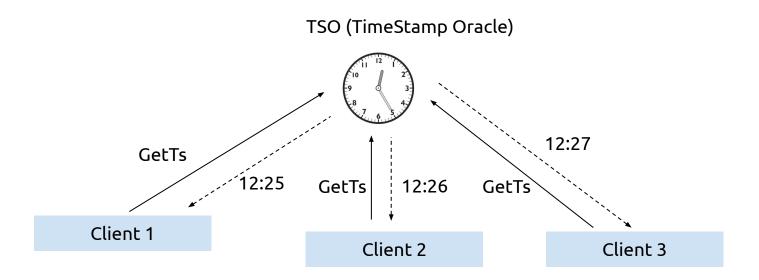






MicroServices in PD - TSO Service



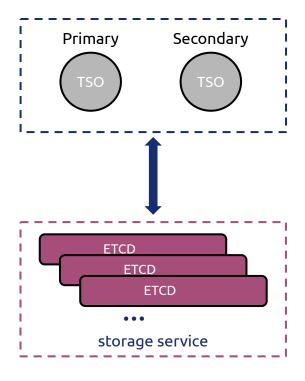


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MicroServices in PD - Overview

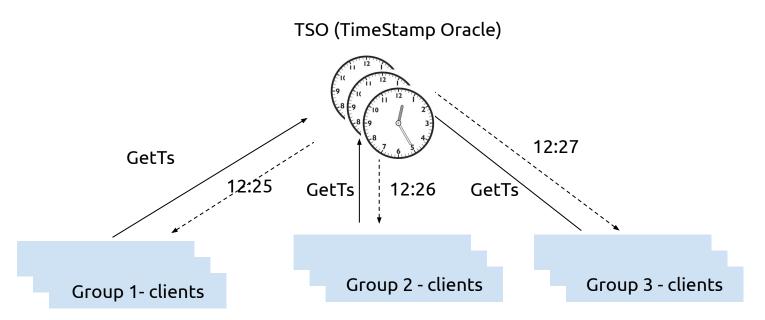






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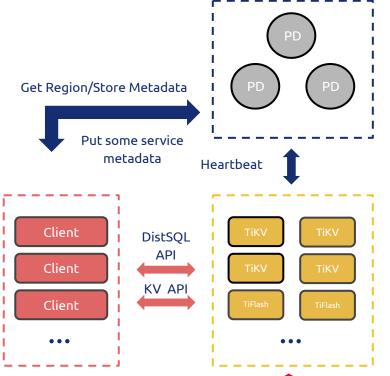
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MicroServices in PD - Metadata(API) Service



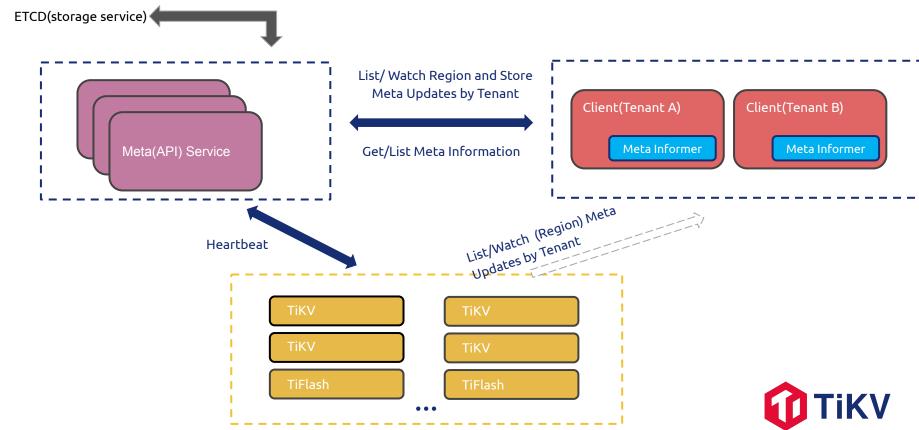
- PD Collects Metadata Information from TiKV through Heartbeat
- Client can store some metadata to PD (e.g. elections)
- Client get important information about the TiKV cluster (e.g. routes to TiKV nodes)





MicroServices in PD - Metadata(API) Service





Future Outlook



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- Provide fine-grained control of resource for tenants
 - CPU, memory, disks capacity and throughput
- Serverless based on Multi-Tenancy
 - Provide virtual cluster for every tenant
 - Start or stop a cluster in seconds
 - Scale in and out automatically







Thanks.



