Auditing through Event Sourcing

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Dealing With Request Failures

Logging

Distributed tracing

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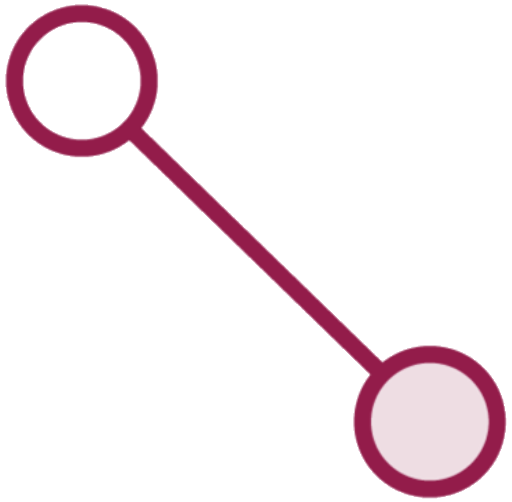
Show that the program is working as expected

Output relevant information for diagnosing problems

Distributed Tracing



Correlate logs about a single operation

Submit translation followed by locking a document

Succeeding operations inherit tracing context

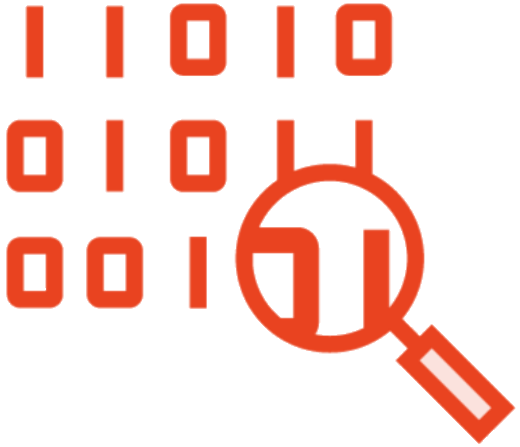
The process of systematically and independently examining source material to ascertain a true and fair view of a given concern.

Wikipedia

Auditing in Practice

Financial audit

Computing audit



On call operators audit failures and introduce preventative measures

Event Sourcing

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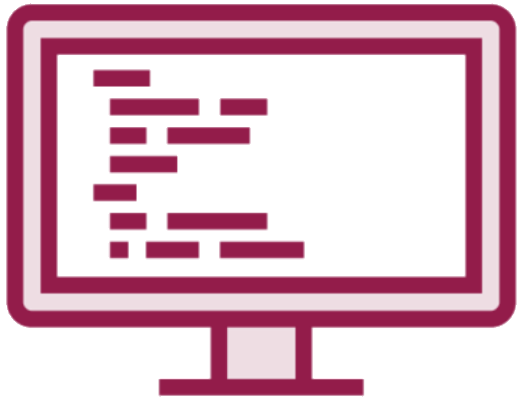
Git

Google Docs, Sheets, Slides, etc.



Text editor

Event Sourcing Gotchas

Auditing done to perfection

Potentially incur large storage costs

Capturing and maintaining state can be complex

Should be considered local to application

Bounded Contexts

Document service

Translation service

Service to Service Communication

- Global event store
- Maintain history of bounded context events
- Publishers and consumers
- Gives ability to replay events due to failure
- Promotes elasticity

Designing the Message Broker

Available Global Event Store Options

ActiveMQ

Amazon SQS

RabbitMQ

Many others

Global Event Store Components

Topics

Partitions

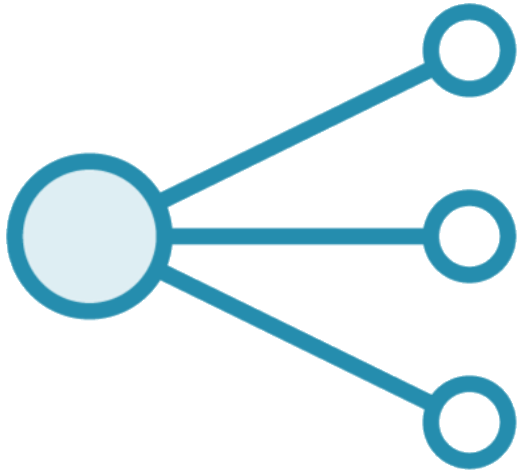
Apache ZooKeeper

Confluent Schema Registry

Apache Kafka Setup

Single Apache ZooKeeper server

Single Apache Kafka broker



Single Schema Registry node

Installing and Running Docker

Introduction to Docker

- Open platform
- Focused on containers
- Lighter than virtual machines
- Reduced performance overhead
- Orchestration through Docker Compose

Implementing Consumers and Publishers

High Level Customer Workflow

- Uploads document to be translated
- Submits document for translation
- Cancels the pending request
- Uploads and submits another revision
- Monitors translation status
- Translator accepts translation request

Global Events For Consideration

Document submitted for translation

Cancelling a translation request

Document locked

Document unlocked

Submission accepted

Demo: Message Driven Architecture

Summary

- Delivered more durable messaging
- Achieved a more meaningful stance on reactive principles
- Not yet addressed rolling back distributed transactions
- Address remaining scenario through SAGAs