



Cloud Dataflow

A Google Service and SDK





The Presenter

Alex Van Boxel, Software Architect, software engineer, devops, tester,...

at **Vente-Exclusive.com**

Twitter @alexvb

Plus +AlexVanBoxel

E-mail alex@vanboxel.be

Web http://alex.vanboxel.be





Dataflow

what, how, where?





Dataflow is...

A set of SDK that define the programming model that you use to **build** your **streaming** and **batch** processing pipeline (*)

Google Cloud Dataflow is a fully managed service that will **run and optimize** your pipeline





Dataflow where...

ETL

- Move
- Filter
- Enrich

Analytics

- Streaming Compu
- Batch Compu
- Machine Learning

Composition

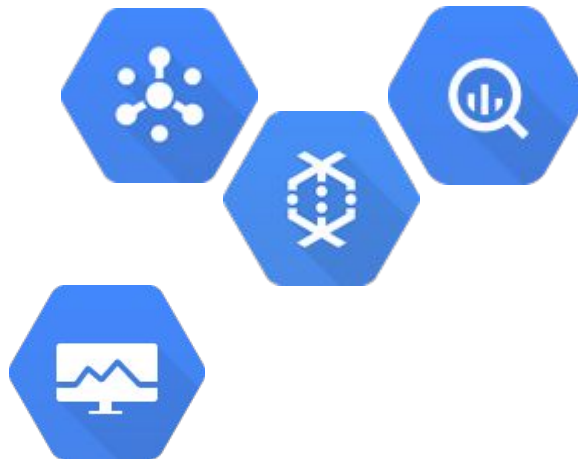
- Connecting in Pub/Sub
 - Could be other dataflows
 - Could be something else





NoOps Model

- Resources allocated on demand
- Lifecycle managed by the service
- Optimization
- Rebalancing





Unified Programming Model

Unified: Streaming and Batch

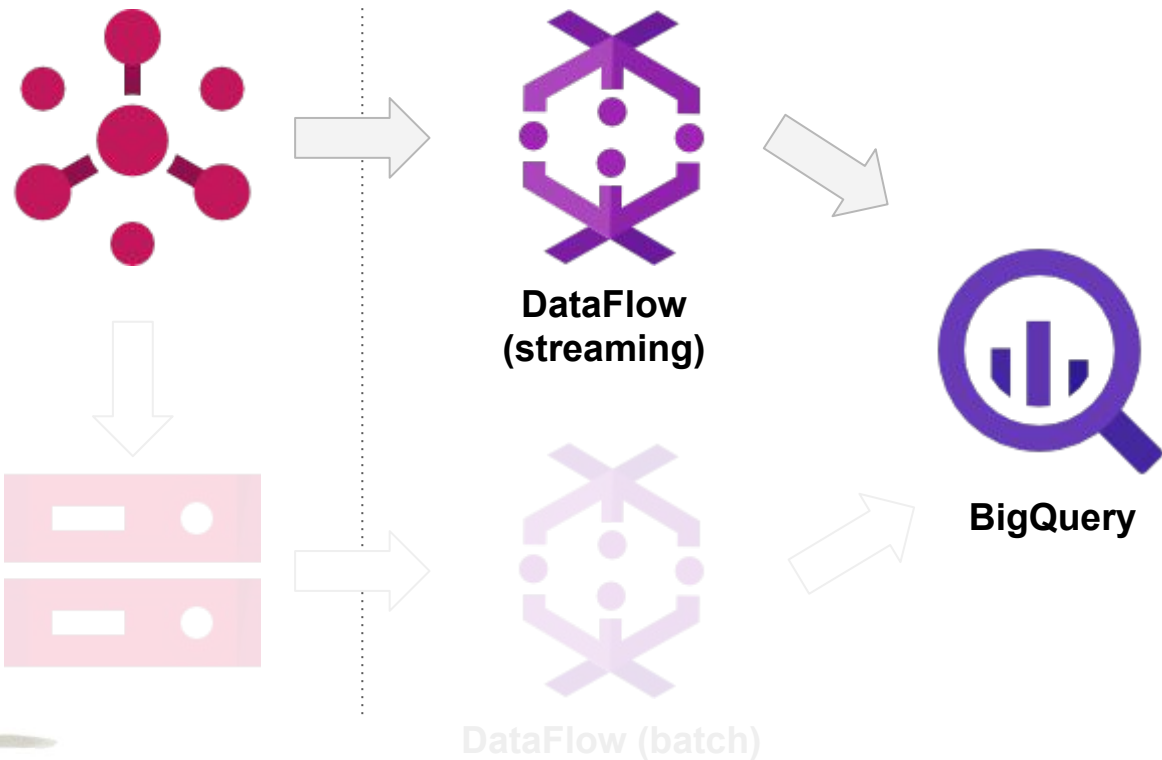
Open Sourced

- Java 8 implementation
- Python in the works



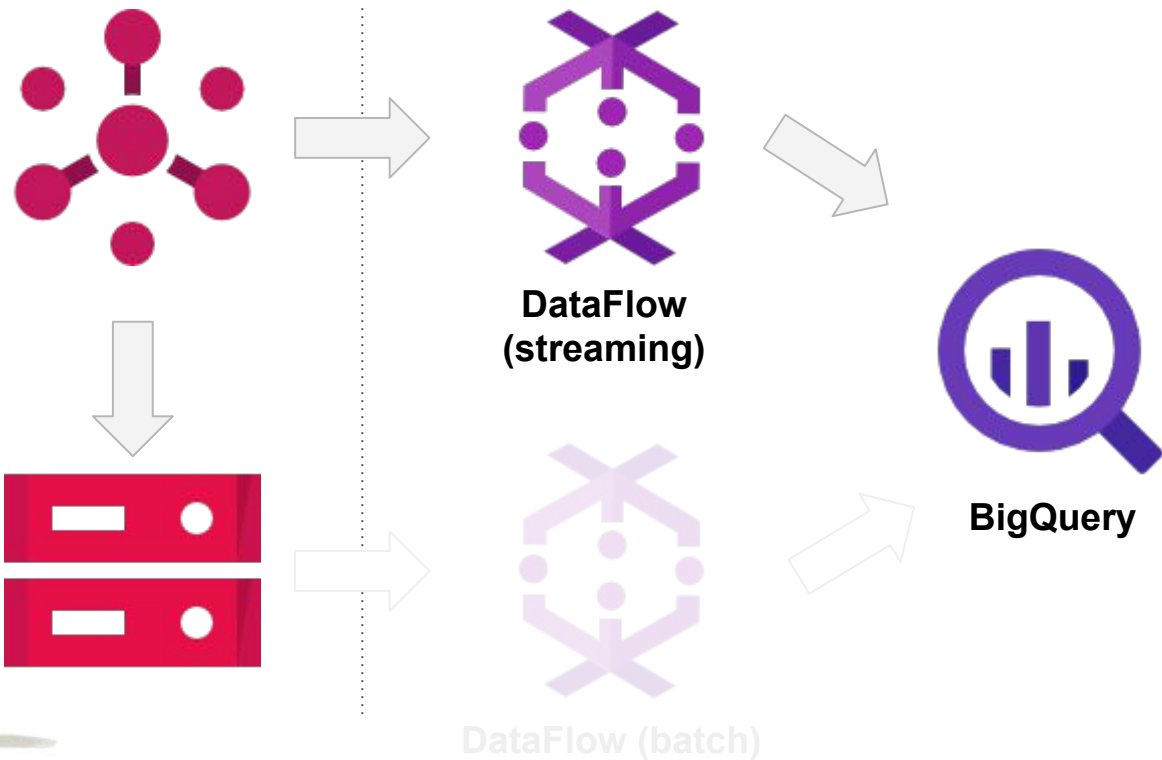


Unified Programming Model (streaming)



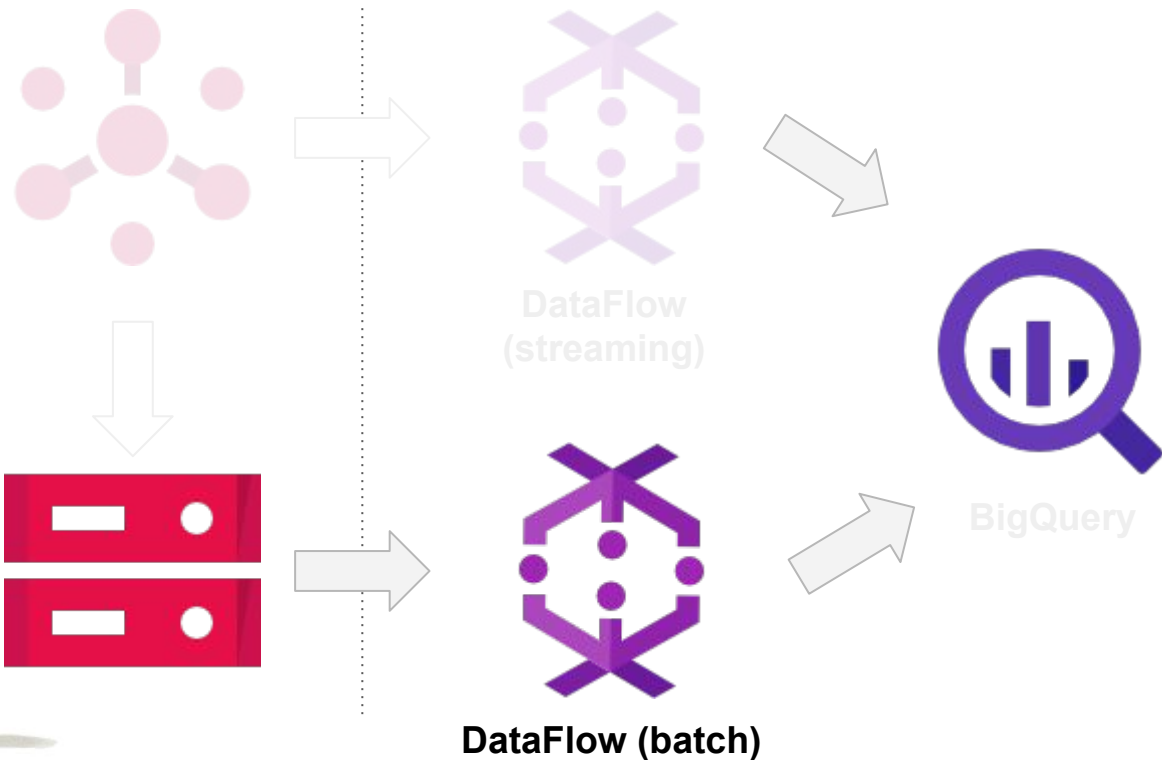


Unified Programming Model (stream and batch)





Unified Programming Model (batch)



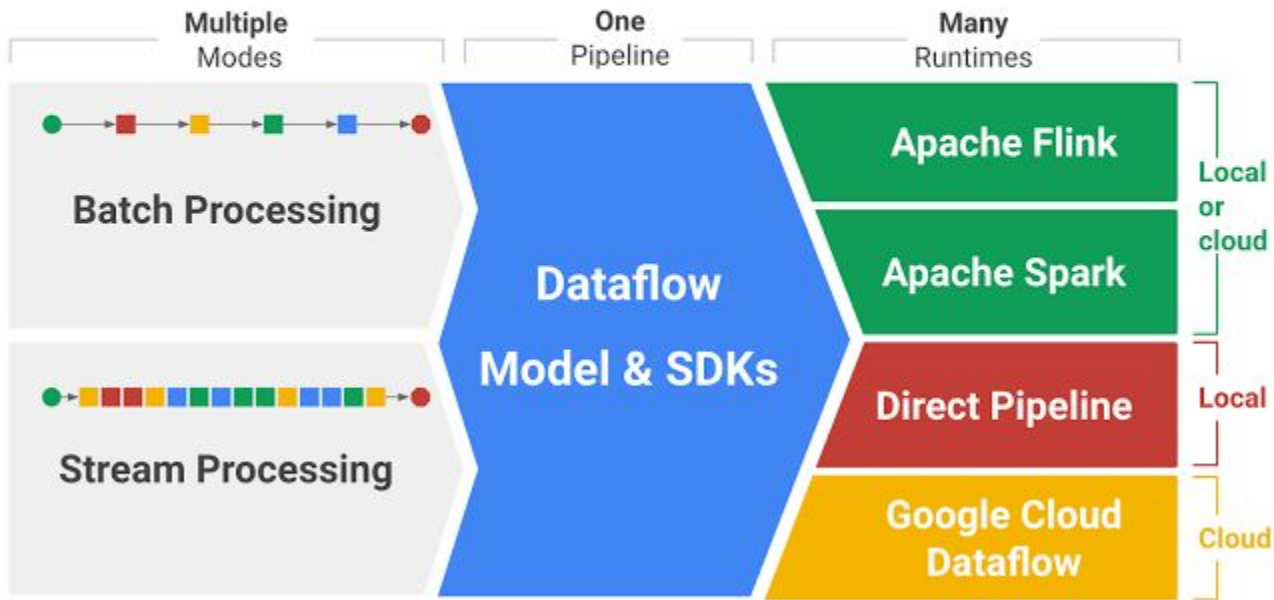


Beam

Apache Incubation



DataFlow SDK becomes Apache Beam





DataFlow SDK becomes Apache Beam

- **Pipeline first, runtime second**
 - focus your data pipelines, not the characteristics runner
- **Portability**
 - portable across a number of runtime engines
 - runtime based on any number of considerations
 - performance
 - cost
 - scalability





DataFlow SDK becomes Apache Beam

- **Unified model**

- Batch and streaming are integrated into a unified model
- Powerful semantics, such as windowing, ordering and triggering

- **Development tooling**

- tools you need to create portable data pipelines quickly and easily using open-source languages, libraries and tools.





DataFlow SDK becomes Apache Beam

- **Scala** Implementation
- Alternative Runners
 - **Spark** Runner from Cloudera Labs
 - **Flink** Runner from data Artisans





DataFlow SDK becomes Apache Beam

- Cloudera
- data Artisans
- Talend
- Cask
- PayPal





SDK Primitives

Autopsy of a dataflow pipeline





Pipeline

- **Inputs:** Pub/Sub, BigQuery, GCS, XML, JSON, ...
- **Transforms:** Filter, Join, Aggregate, ...
- **Windows:** Sliding, Sessions, Fixed, ...
- **Triggers:** Correctness....
- **Outputs:** Pub/Sub, BigQuery, GCS, XML, JSON, ...





PCollection<T>

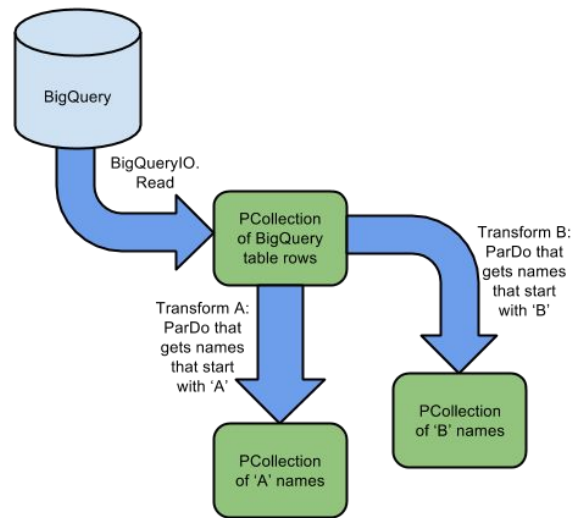
- Immutable collection
- Could be bound or unbound
- Created by
 - a backing data store
 - a transformation from other PCollection
 - generated
- PCollection<KV<K,V>>





ParDo<I,O>

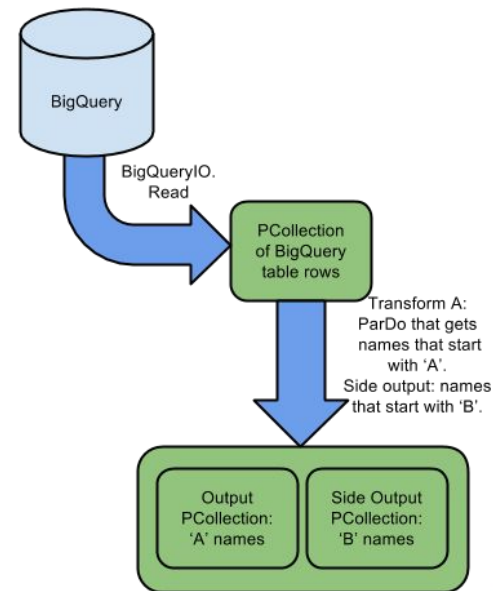
- Parallel Processing of each element in the PCollection
- Developer provide DoFn<I,O>
- Shards processed independent of each other



ParDo<I,O>



Interesting concept of side outputs: allows for data sharing





PTransform

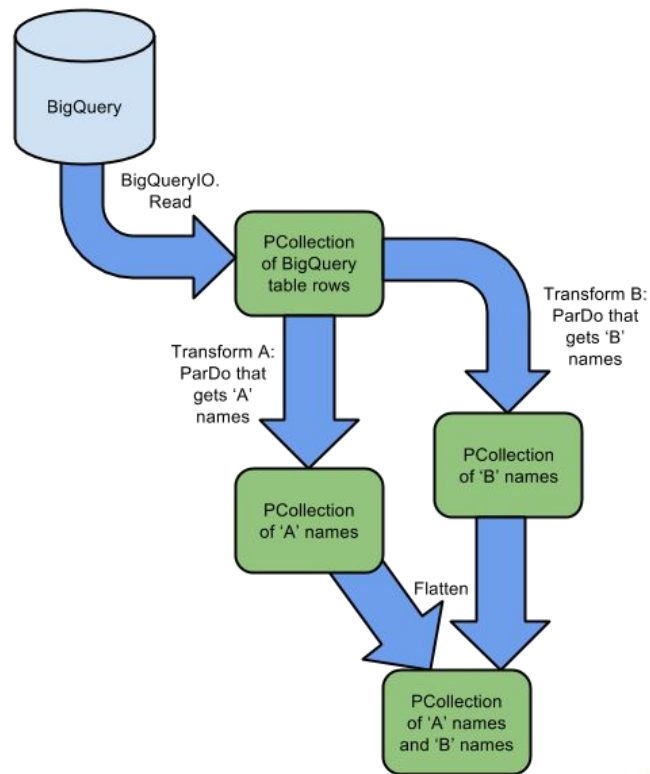
- Combine small operations into bigger transforms
- Standard transform (COUNT, SUM,...)
- Reuse and Monitoring

```
public class BlockTransform extends PTransform<PCollection<Legacy>, PCollection<Event>> {  
  
    @Override  
    public PCollection<Event> apply(PCollection<Legacy> input) {  
        return input.apply(ParDo.of(new TimestampEvent1Fn()))  
            .apply(ParDo.of(new FromLegacy2EventFn()).setCoder(AvroCoder.of(Event.class)))  
            .apply(Window.<Event>into(Sessions.withGapDuration(Duration.standardMinutes(20))))  
            .apply(ParDo.of(new ExtractChannelUserFn()))  
    }  
}
```



Merging

- **GroupByKey**
 - Takes a PCollection of $KV\langle K, V \rangle$ and groups them
 - Must be keyed
- **Flatten**
 - Join with same type

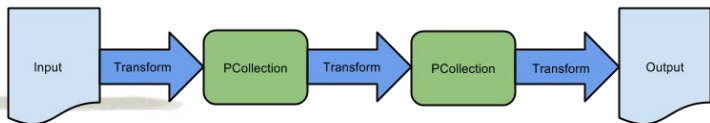




Input/Output

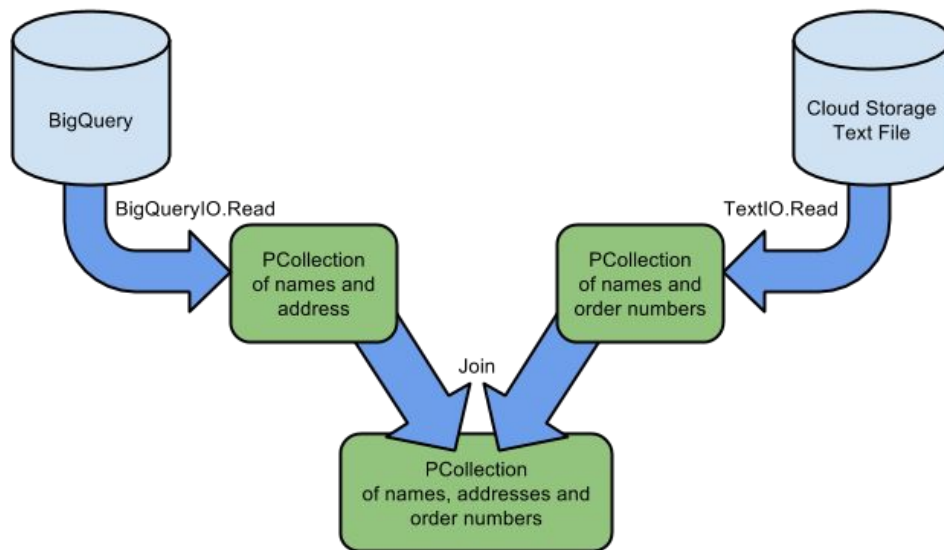
```
PipelineOptions options = PipelineOptionsFactory.create();  
Pipeline p = Pipeline.create(options);  
PCollection<TableRow> weatherData = p  
    .apply(BigQueryIO.Read.named("ReadWeatherStations")  
    .from("clouddataflow-readonly:samples.weather_stations"));
```

```
PipelineOptions options = PipelineOptionsFactory.create();  
Pipeline p = Pipeline.create(options);  
  
// streamData is Unbounded; apply windowing afterward.  
PCollection<String> streamData =  
    p.apply(PubsubIO.Read.named("ReadFromPubsub")  
        .topic("/topics/my-topic"));
```



Input/Output

- Multiple Inputs + Outputs





Primitives on steroids

Autopsy of a dataflow pipeline





Windows

- Split unbounded collections (ex. Pub/Sub)
- Works on bounded collection as well

```
.apply(Window.<Event>into(Sessions.withGapDuration(Duration.standardMinutes(20))))
```

```
Window.<CAL>into(SlidingWindows.of(Duration.standardMinutes(5)));
```





Triggers

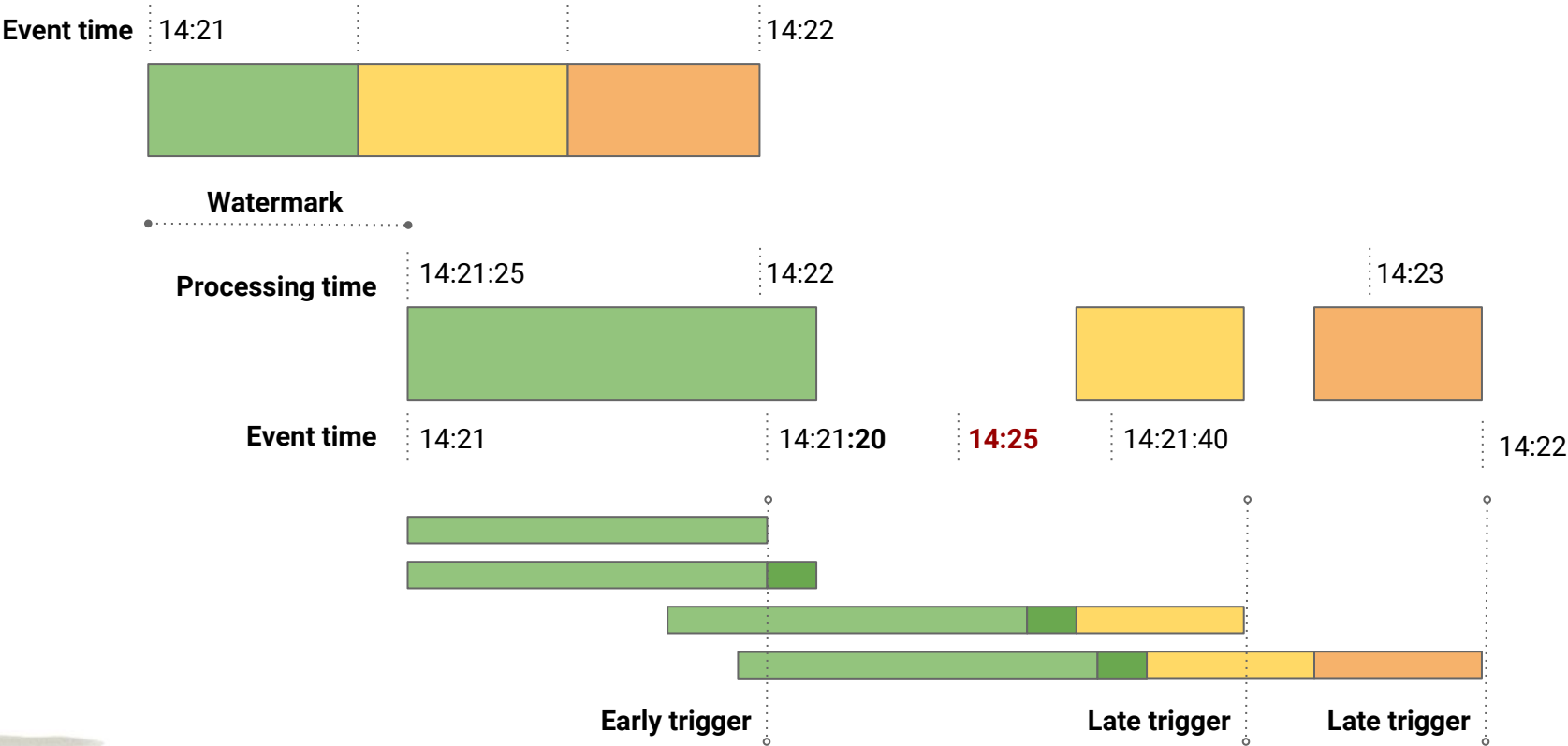
- Time-based
- Data-based
- Composite

```
AfterEach.inOrder(  
    AfterWatermark.pastEndOfWindow(),  
    Repeatedly.forever(AfterProcessingTime  
        .pastFirstElementInPane()  
        .plusDelayOf(Duration.standardMinutes(10)))  
        .orFinally(AfterWatermark  
            .pastEndOfWindow()  
            .plusDelayOf(Duration.standardDays(2)))));
```



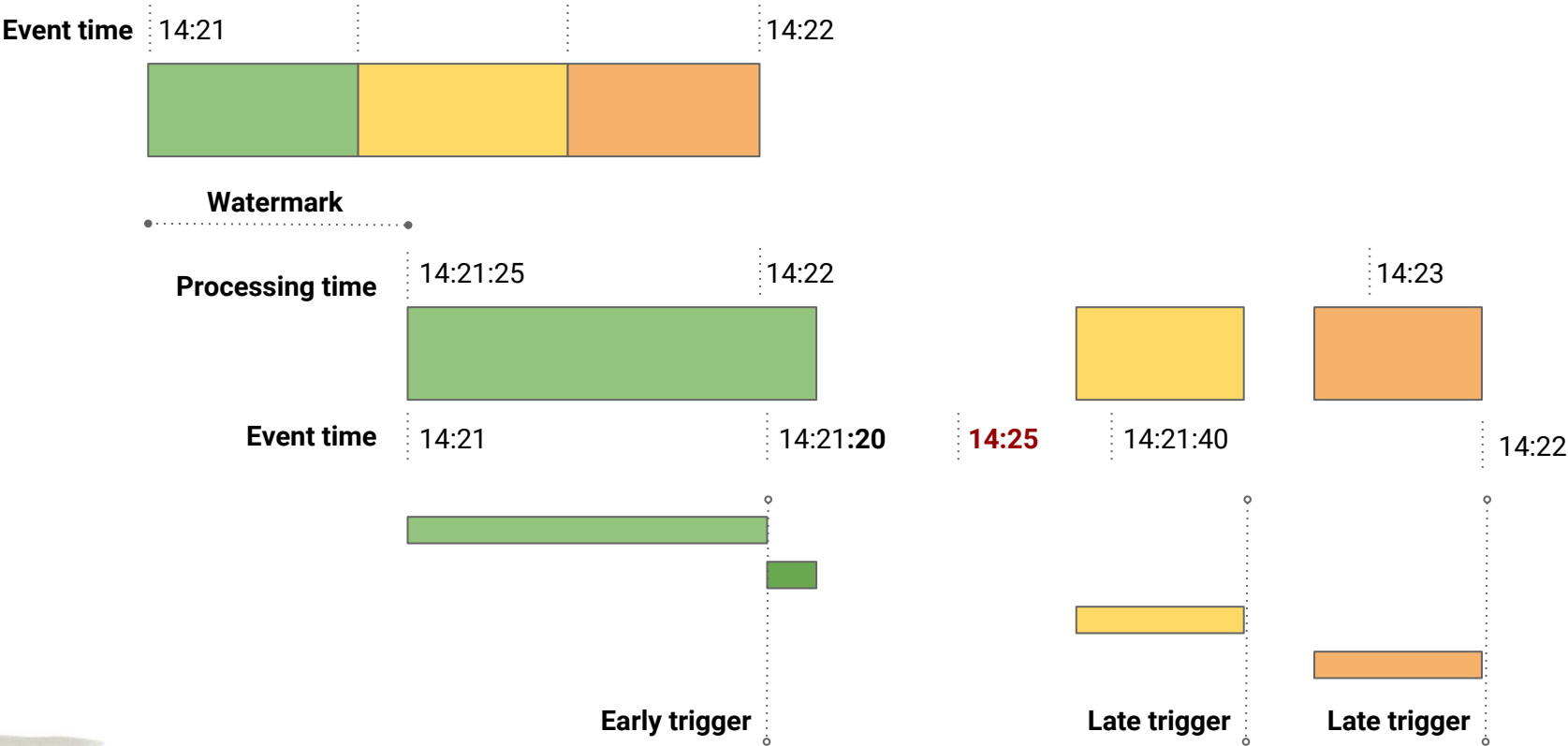


Input/Output





Input/Output





Google Cloud Dataflow

The service





What you need

- Google Cloud SDK
 - utilities to authenticate and manage project
- Java IDE
 - Eclipse
 - **IntelliJ**
- Standard Build System
 - Maven
 - **Gradle**





What you need

```
subprojects {
    apply plugin: 'java'

    repositories {
        maven {
            url "http://jcenter.bintray.com"
        }
        mavenLocal()
    }

    dependencies {
        compile 'com.google.cloud.dataflow:google-cloud-dataflow-java-sdk-all:1.3.0'
        testCompile 'org.hamcrest:hamcrest-all:1.3'
        testCompile 'org.assertj:assertj-core:3.0.0'
        testCompile 'junit:junit:4.12'
    }
}
```





How it work

```
Pipeline p = Pipeline.create(options);

p.apply(TextIO.Read.from("gs://dataflow-samples/shakespeare/*"))

    .apply(FlatMapElements.via((String word) -> Arrays.asList(word.split("[^a-zA-Z']+"))
        .withOutputType(new TypeDescriptor<String>() {})))
    .apply(Filter.byPredicate((String word) -> !word.isEmpty()))
    .apply(Count.<String>perElement())
    .apply(MapElements
        .via((KV<String, Long> wordCount) -> wordCount.getKey() + ": " + wordCount.getValue())
        .withOutputType(new TypeDescriptor<String>() {}))

    .apply(TextIO.Write.to("gs://YOUR_OUTPUT_BUCKET/AND_OUTPUT_PREFIX"));
```

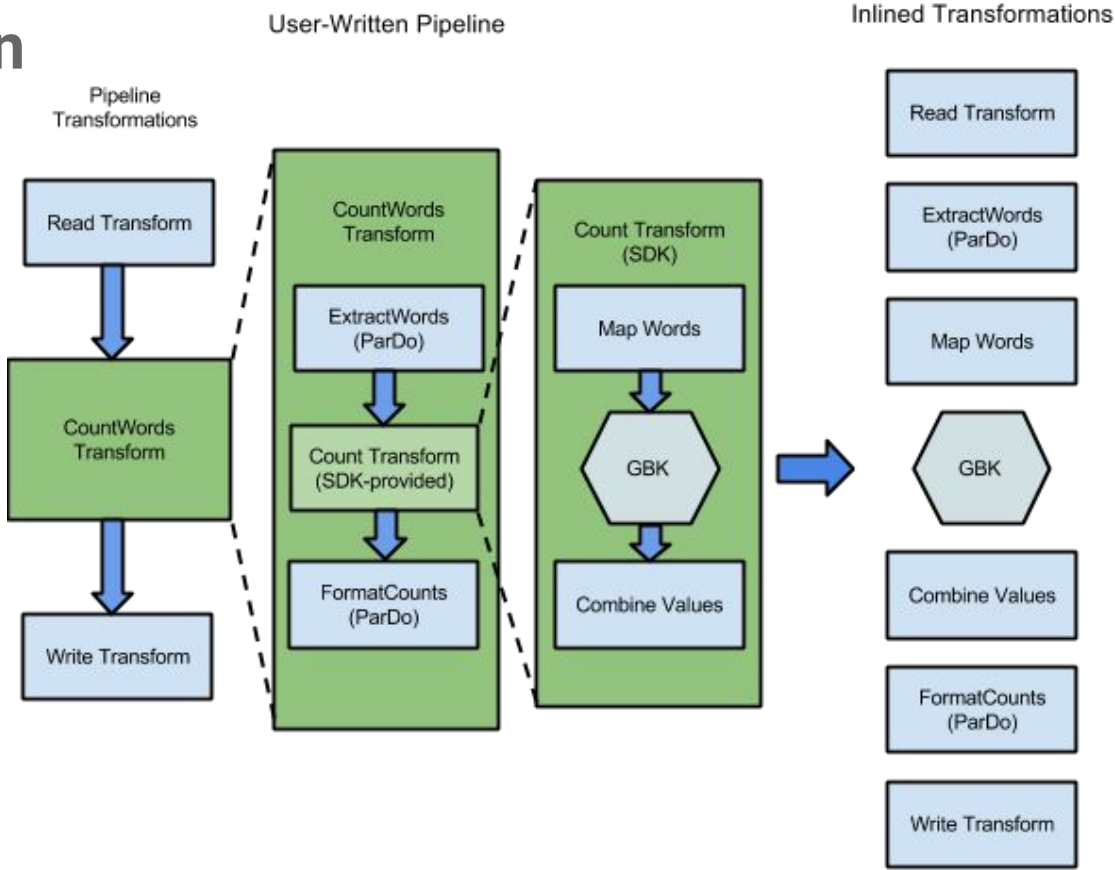


Service

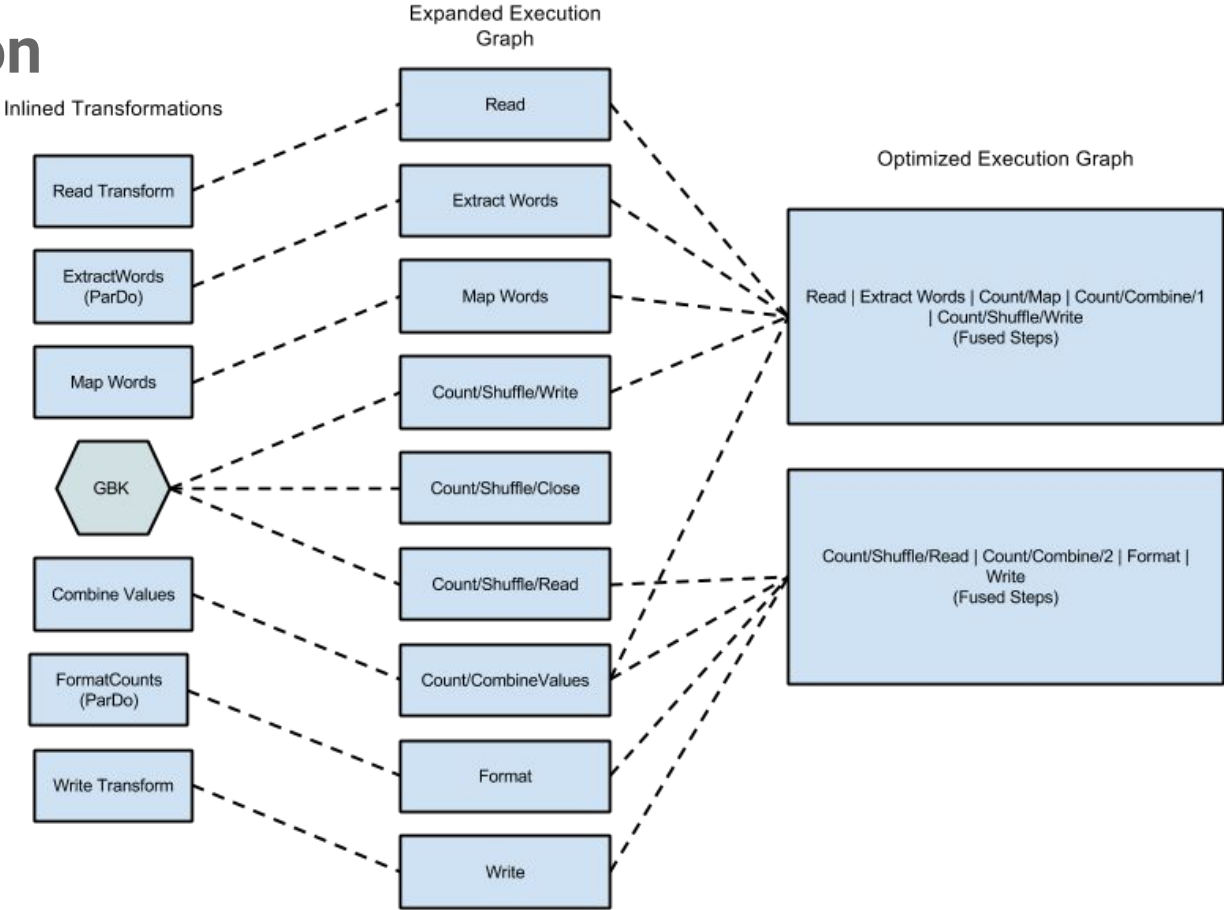
- Stage
- Optimize (Flume)
- Execute



Optimization



Optimization





Cloud Dataflow

wordcount-alexvanboxel-0217213120

✔

TextIO.Read

Succeeded

✔

FlatMapElements

Succeeded

▼

✔

Filter

Succeeded

▼

✔

Count.PerElement

Succeeded

▼

✔

MapElements

Succeeded

▼

✔

TextIO.Write

Succeeded

SummaryLogsStep

Job Name

wordcount-alexvanboxel-0217213120

Job ID

2016-02-17_13_32_12-305324836162507232

Job Status

✔ Succeeded

Cancel job

Job Type

Batch

Start Time

Feb 17, 2016, 10:32:12 PM

Elapsed Time

2 min 23 sec

Errors

0

Warnings

0

Reserved CPU Time

6 min 54 sec



Lifecycle

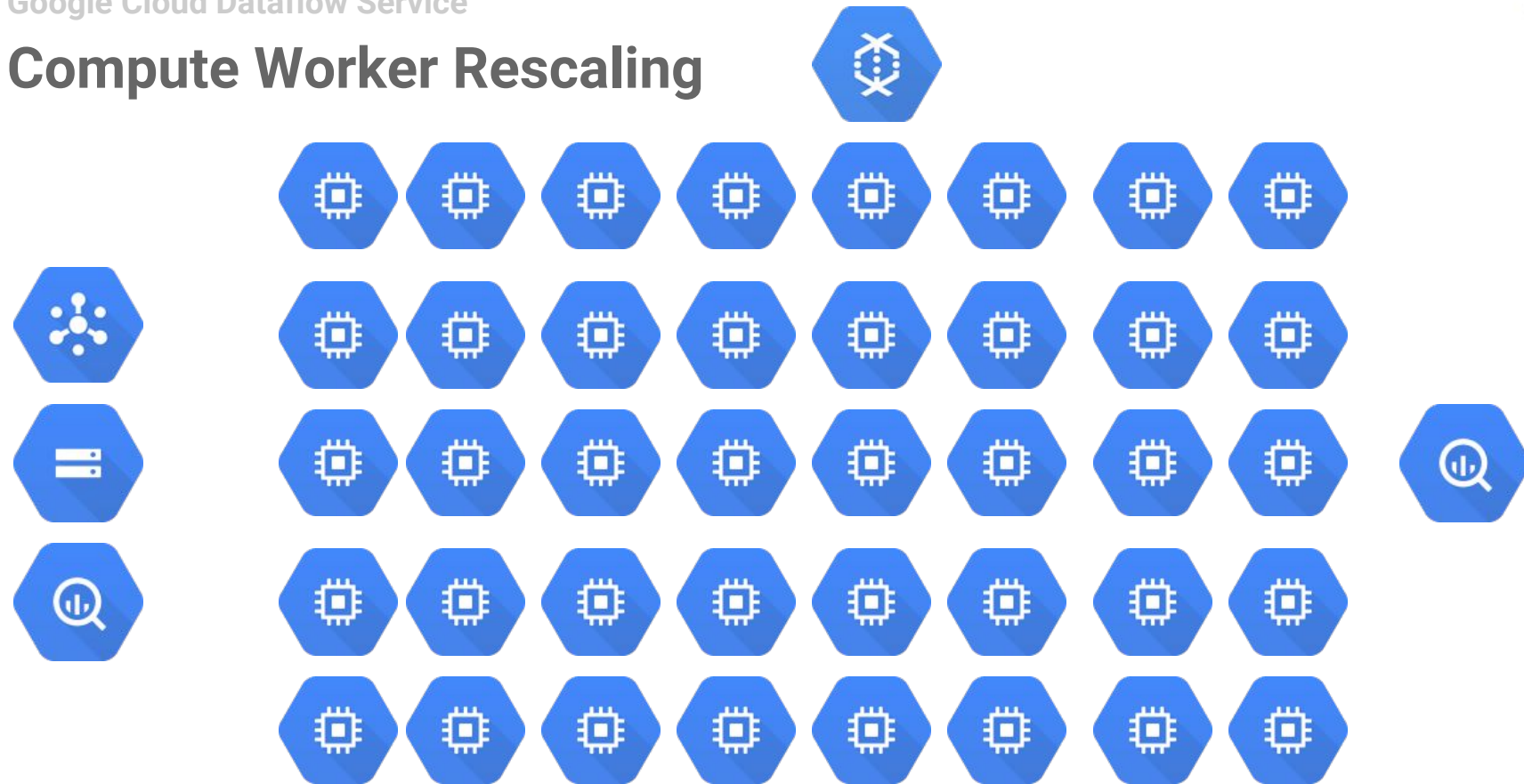


Compute Worker Scaling



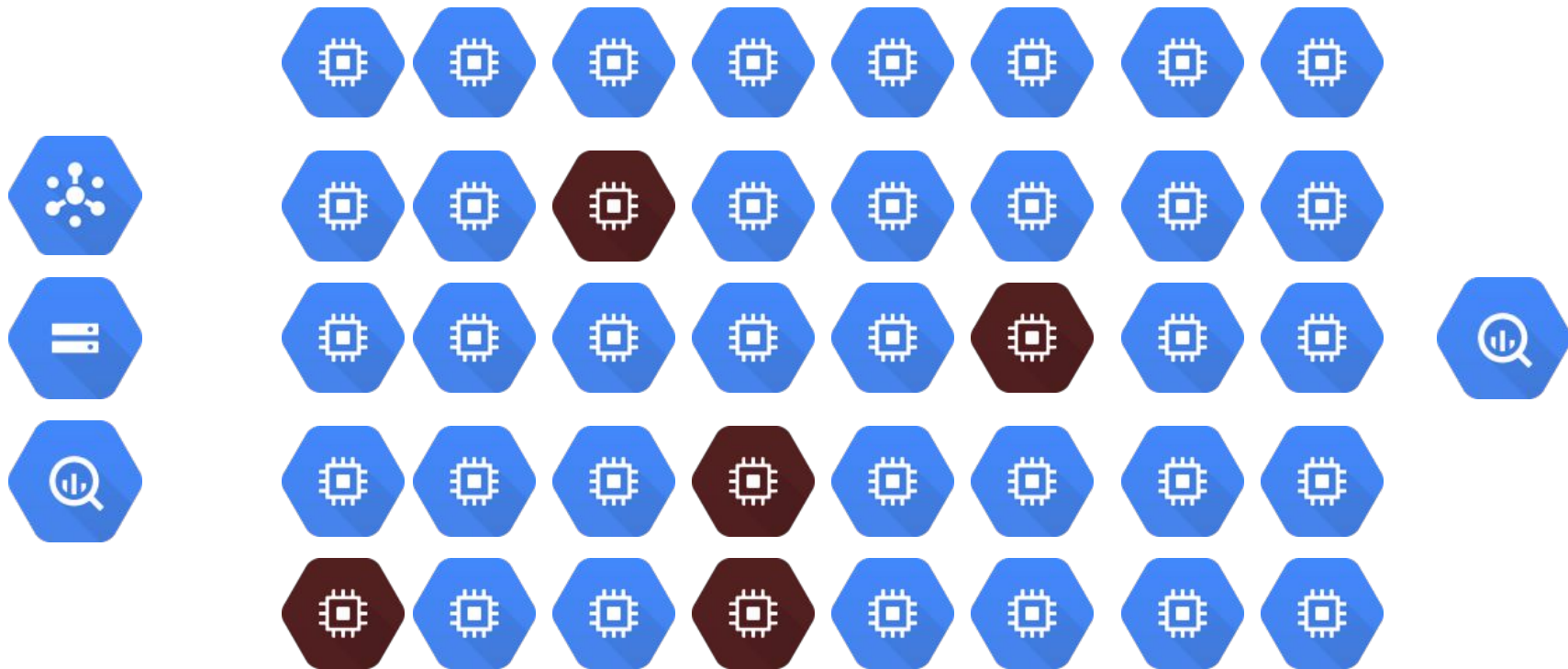


Compute Worker Rescaling





Compute Worker Rebalancing



Compute Worker Rescaling



Lifecycle



BigQuery



COMPOSE QUERY

Query History

Job History

VEX Cloud

All

backup

cal

raw_201308

raw_201310

raw_201311

raw_201312

raw_201401

raw_201402

raw_201403

raw_201404

raw_201405

raw_201406

raw_201407

raw_201408

raw_201409

raw_201410

raw_201411

raw_201412

New Query

1 SELECT * FROM [cal.raw_201310] LIMIT 1000

RUN QUERY

Save Query

Save View

Show Options

Query complete (1.1s elapsed, 6.14 GB processed)

Query Results 2:08pm, 27 May 2015

Download as CSV

Save as Table

Row	event_datetime	event_scope	event_type	event_code	channel	device	session
1	2013-10-25 16:32:11 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
2	2013-10-25 16:32:04 UTC	OVERVIEW	VIEW	OVERVIEW	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
3	2013-10-25 16:32:02 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
4	2013-10-25 16:31:24 UTC	OVERVIEW	VIEW	OVERVIEW	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
5	2013-10-25 16:31:22 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
6	2013-10-25 16:31:05 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
7	2013-10-25 16:31:00 UTC	OVERVIEW	VIEW	OVERVIEW	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
8	2013-10-25 16:30:58 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
9	2013-10-25 16:30:51 UTC	FRAME	VIEW	FRAME	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce
10	2013-10-25 16:29:21 UTC	OVERVIEW	VIEW	OVERVIEW	APP	61603ba6-615b-359f-bda9-fb364c211646	54d83d79-aad5-3a5a-8c64-8f11565bc9ce

First < Prev

Rows 1-10 of 1000

Next > Last





Testability

Test Driven Development Build-In





Testability - Built in

```
KV<String, List<CalEvent>> input = KV.of("", new ArrayList<>());
input.getValue().add(CalEvent.event("SESSION", "REFERRAL")
    .build());
input.getValue().add(CalEvent.event("SESSION", "START")
    .data("{\"referral\":{\"Source...\"}).build());
```

```
DoFnTester<KV<?, List<CalEvent>>, CalEvent> fnTester = DoFnTester.of(new
SessionRepairFn());
fnTester.processElement(input);
List<CalEvent> calEvents = fnTester.peekOutputElements();
assertThat(calEvents).hasSize(2);

CalEvent referral = CalUtil.findEvent(calEvents, "REFERRAL");
assertNotNull("REFERRAL should still exist", referral);

CalEvent start = CalUtil.findEvent(calEvents, "START");
assertNotNull("START should still exist", start);
assertNull("START should have referral removed.",
```





Appendix

Follow the yellow brick road





Paper - Flume Java

FlumeJava: Easy, Efficient Data-Parallel Pipelines

<http://pages.cs.wisc.edu/~akella/CS838/F12/838-CloudPapers/FlumeJava.pdf>





DataFlow/Bean vs Spark

Dataflow/Beam & Spark: A Programming Model
Comparison

<https://cloud.google.com/dataflow/blog/dataflow-beam-and-spark-comparison>





Github - Integrate Dataflow with Luigi

Google Cloud integration for Luigi

<https://github.com/alexvanboxel/luigiext-gcloud>



The last slide

Questions and Answers



Twitter	@alexvb
Plus	+AlexVanBoxel
E-mail	alex@vanboxel.be
Web	http://alex.vanboxel.be

