

# Customizing Storm Components for Better Reliability

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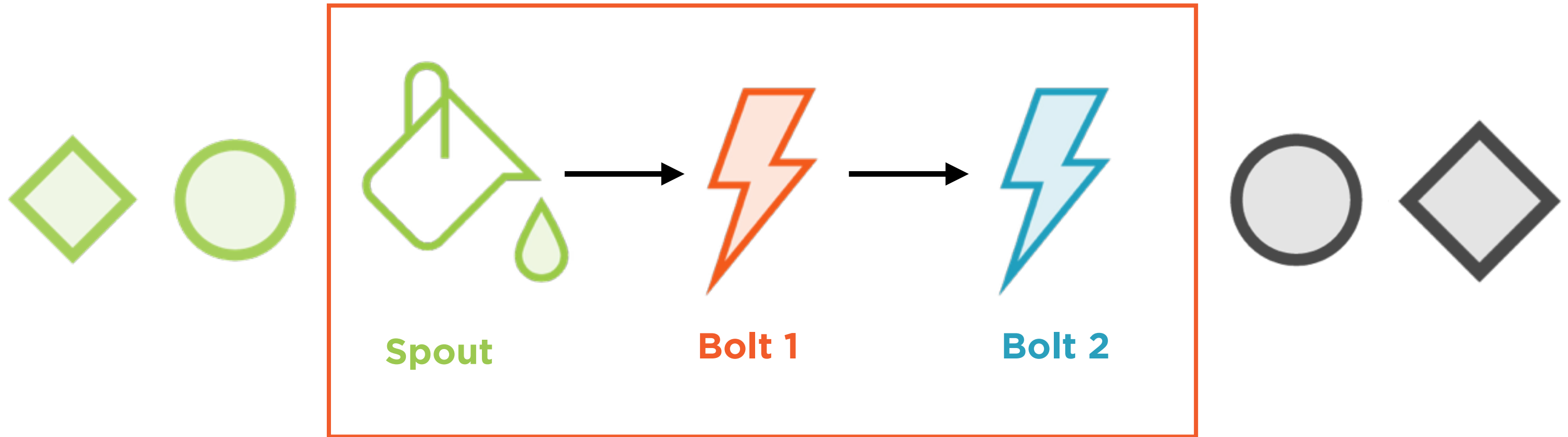
# Overview

**Understand how Storm guarantees message processing**

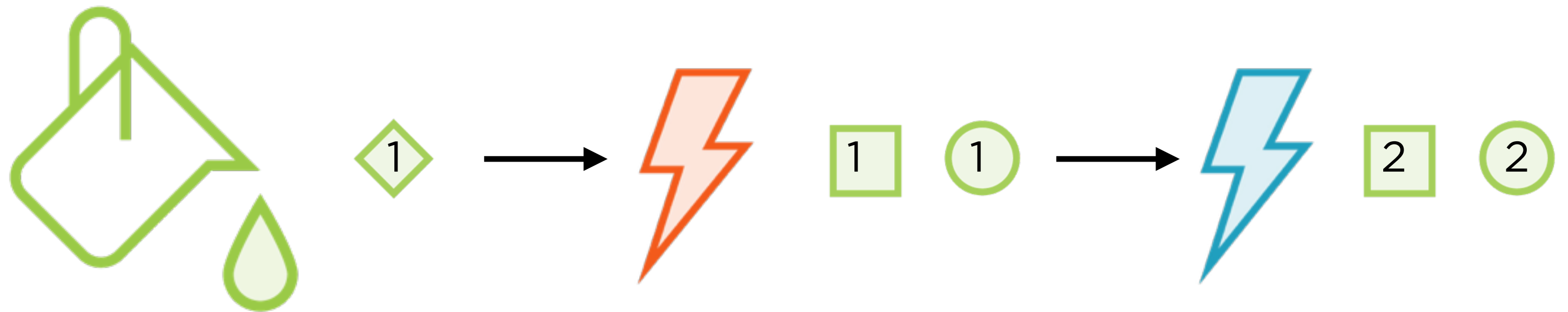
**Manage reliability within a spout**

**Manage reliability within a bolt**

# Storm Topology



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Spout

Bolt 1

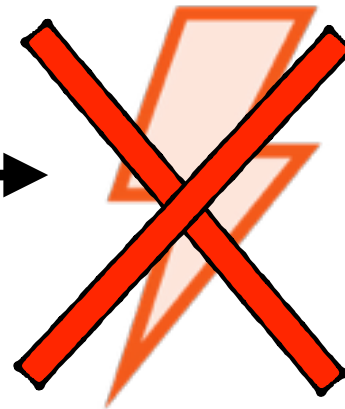
Bolt 2

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Spout

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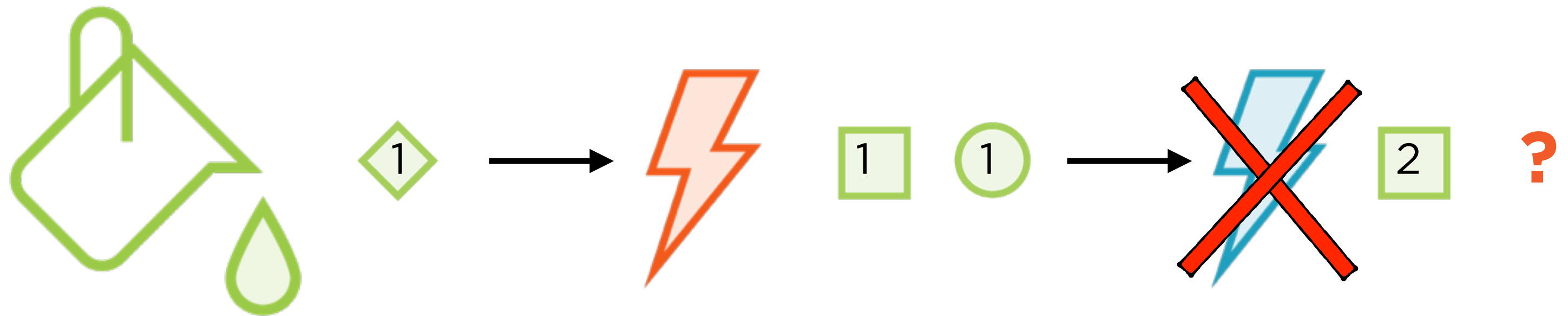
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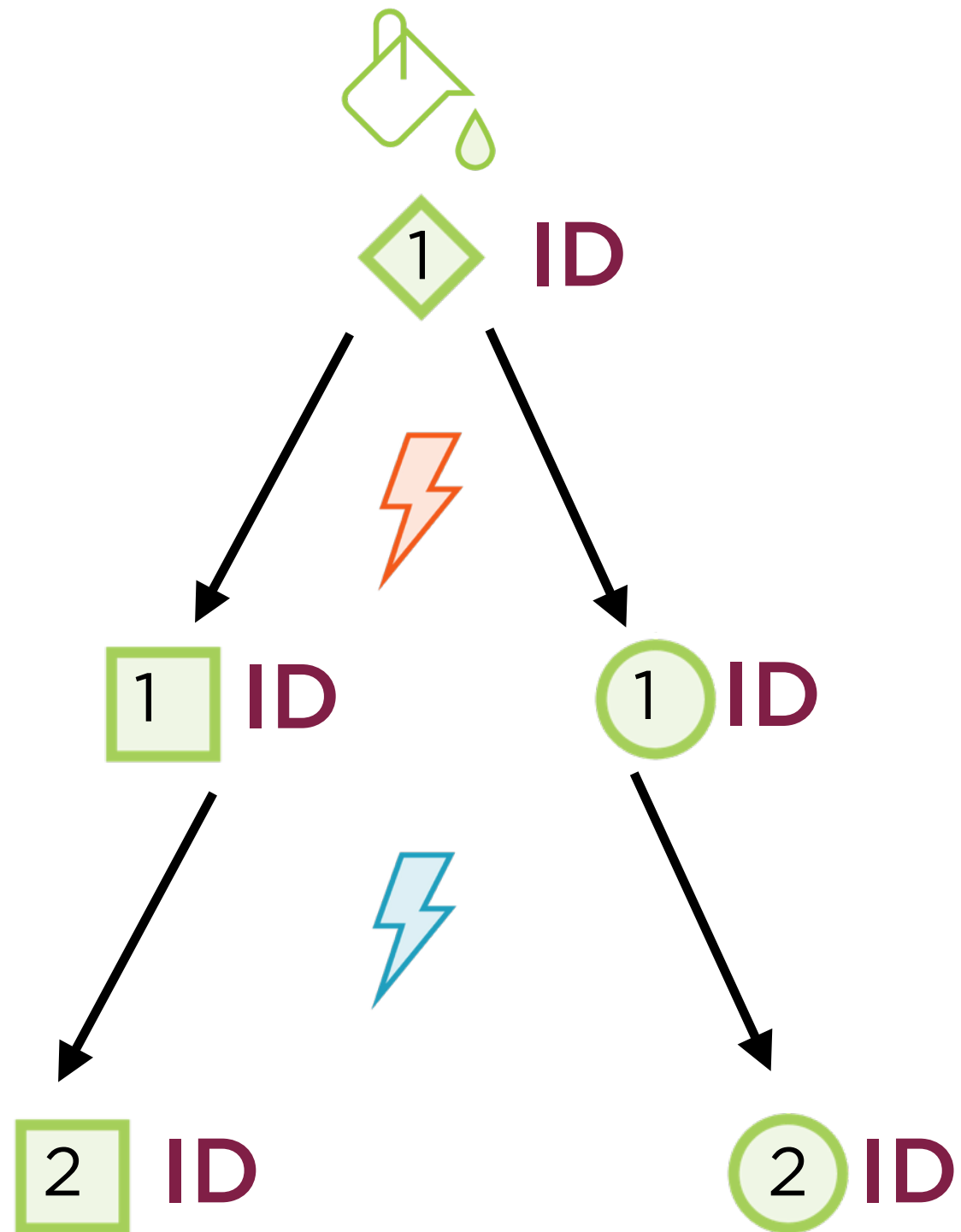
# Storm Topology



**Spout**

**Bolt 1**

**Bolt 2**



# Tuple Tree

Spout assigns a tuple id

Id is carried over to all child tuples

```
collector.emit(new Values("MSFT"), msgId)
```

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Emit Tuple ID in Spout





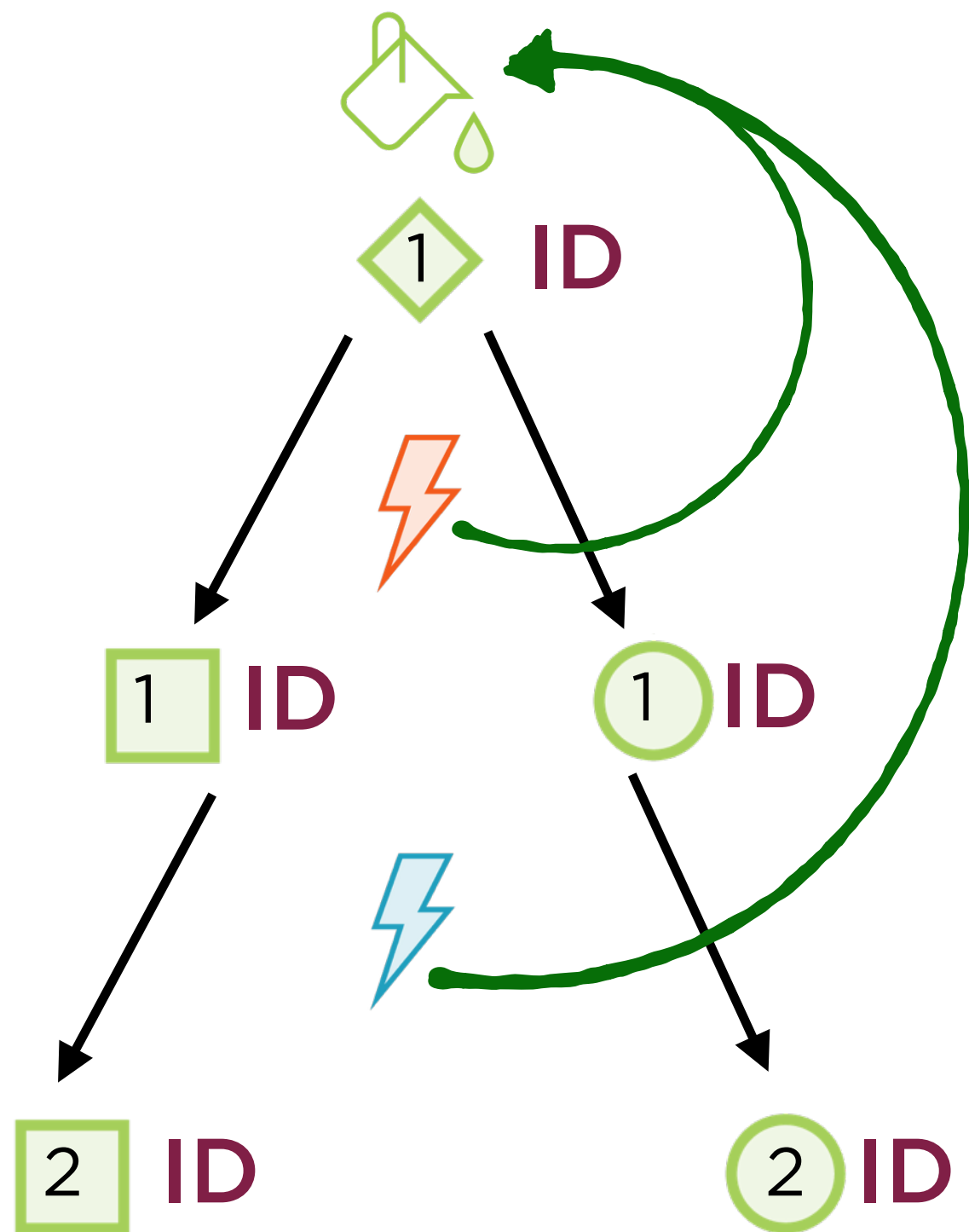
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collector.emit(input, new Values("MSFT"))
```

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Link to Parent Tuple in Bolt



# Anchoring



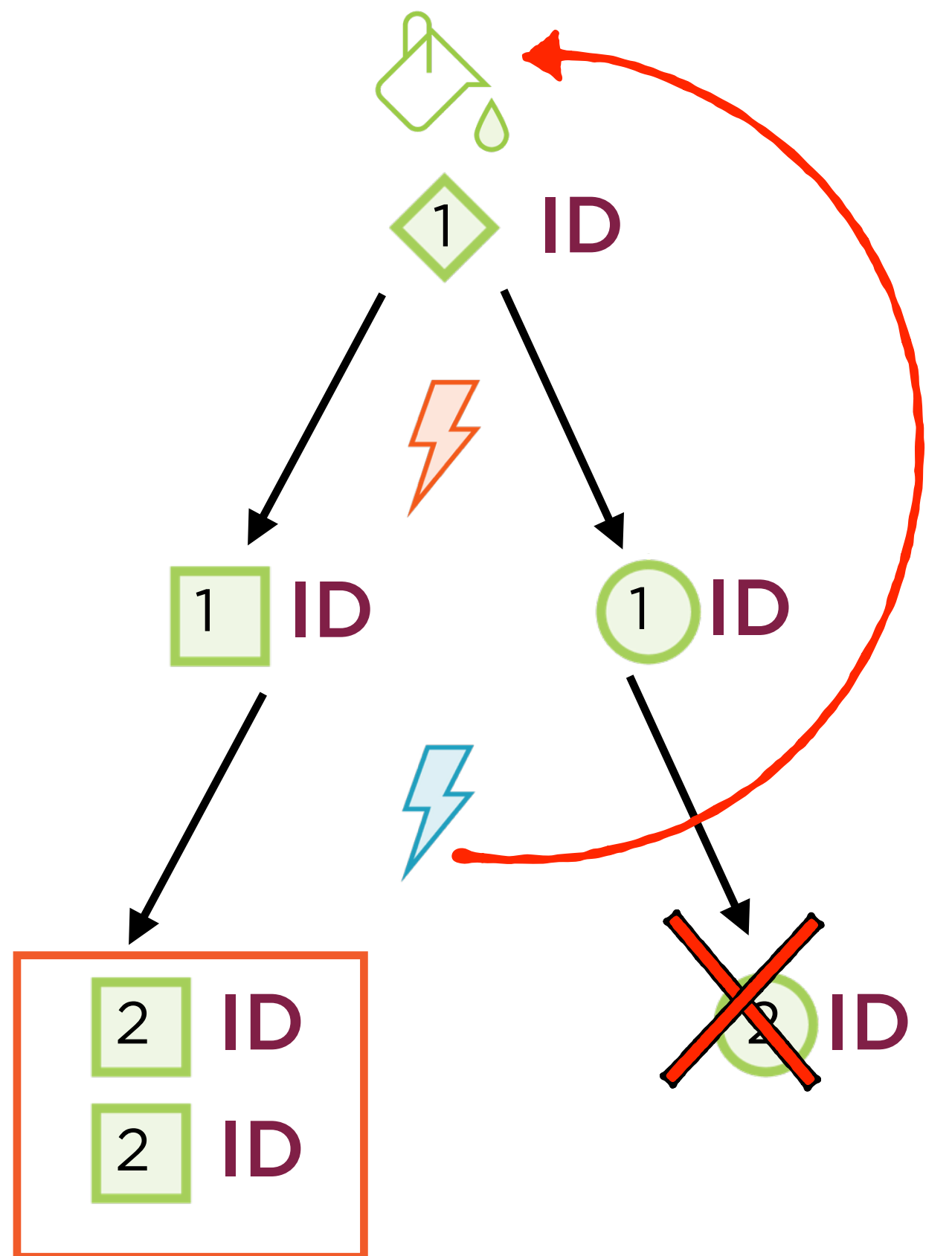
# Managing Reliability

**Acknowledge successful processing**

**Spout waits until all child tuples are successfully processed**

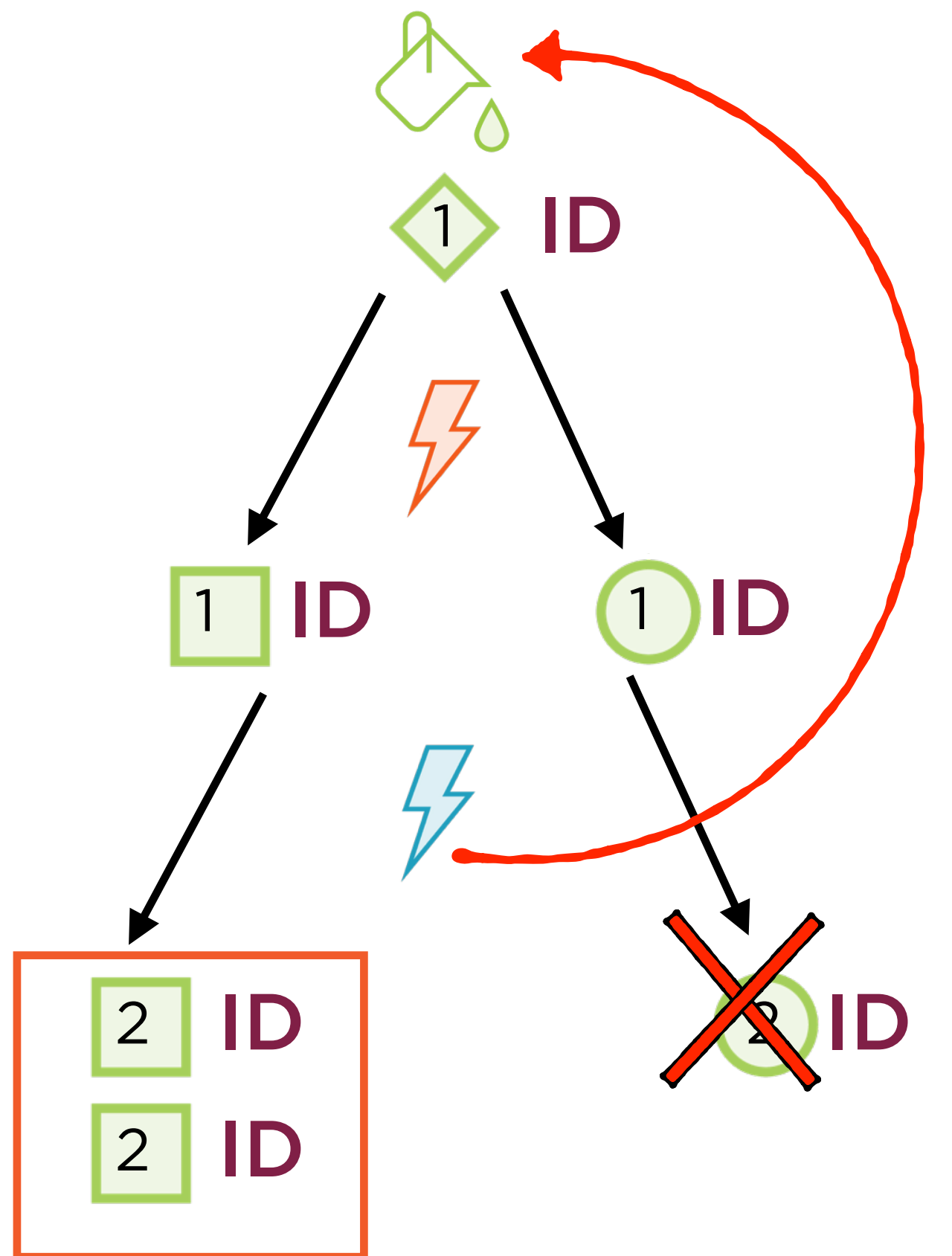
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# Managing Spout Reliability

**Extend the BaseRichSpout class**

**Emit tuple with ID**

**Implement `ack()`, `fail()`**

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public void open(Map conf, TopologyContext context,  
                SpoutOutputCollector collector) {}  
  
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Manage Spout Reliability

**Called when a tuple is fully processed**



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Manage Spout Reliability

**Called when any tuple in the tree fails**



# Managing Bolt Reliability

**Extend the BaseRichBolt class  
(instead of BaseBasicBolt)**

**Send acknowledgement/  
failure messages**

```
public void prepare(Map stormConf, TopologyContext context) {}  
public void execute(Tuple input, BasicOutputCollector collector) {}
```

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## Extending BaseBasicBolt

```
public void prepare(Map stormConf, TopologyContext context,  
OutputCollector collector) {}
```

```
public void execute(Tuple input){}
```

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## Extending BaseRichBolt

# Random Failure Topology



**Spout**

**Reads words  
from a file**

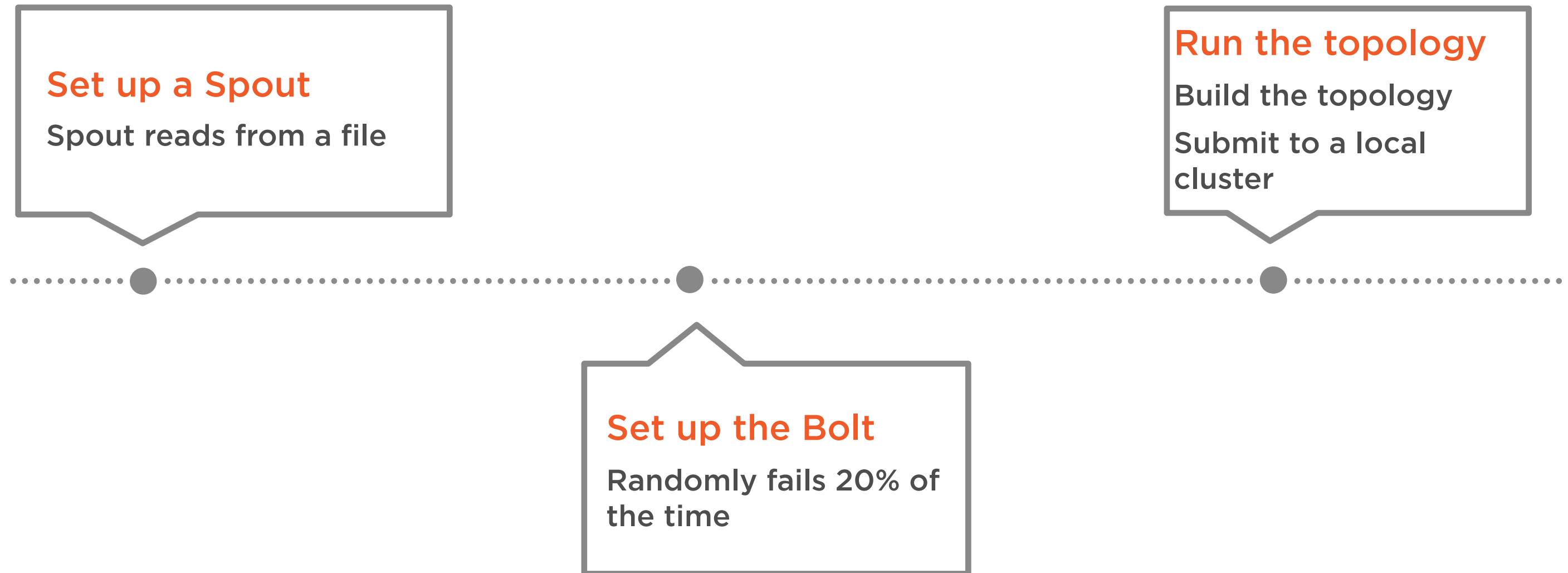


**Bolt**

**Converts to  
lowercase**

**Randomly fails  
20% of the time**

# Random Failure Topology



Demo

**Implementing the spout**

Demo

**Implementing the bolt**

**Running the topology**



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