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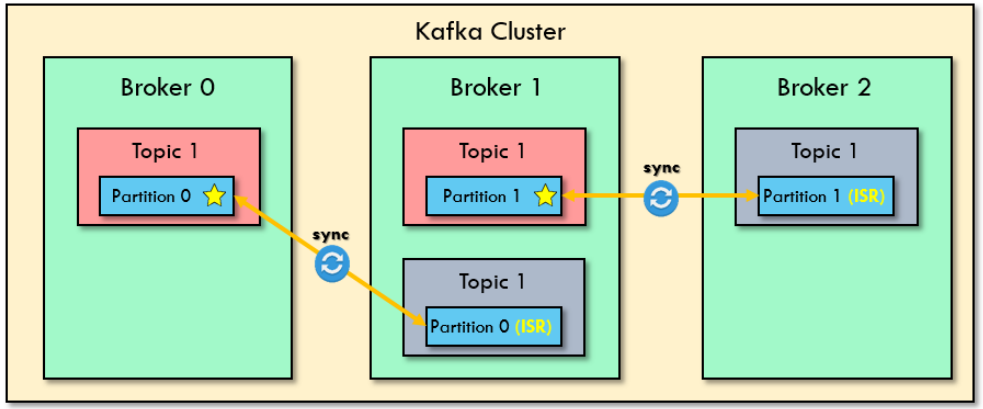
(Apache Kafka – 進階)

Critical Topic Configurations

Partitions Count, Replication Factor

- The two **most important** parameters when creating a topic.
- The impact performance and durability of the system overall



- It is best to get the parameters right the first time!
  - If the **Partitions Count** increases during a topic life-cycle, you will break your keys ordering guarantees
  - If the **Replication Factor** increases during a topic life-cycle, you put more pressure on your cluster, which can lead to unexpected performance decrease

Partitions Count

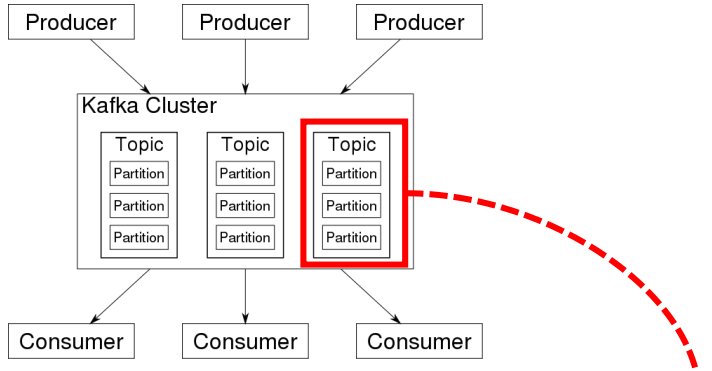
- Roughly, each partition can get a throughput of 10 MB / sec
- More partitions implies:
  - Better parallelism, better throughput
  - BUT more files opened on your system
  - BUT if a broker fails (unclean shutdown), lots of concurrent leader elections
  - BUT added latency to replicate (in the order of milliseconds)
- Guidelines:
  - Partitions per topic = (1 to 2) x (# of brokers), max 10 partitions
  - Example: in a 3 brokers setup, 3 or 6 partitions is a good number to start with

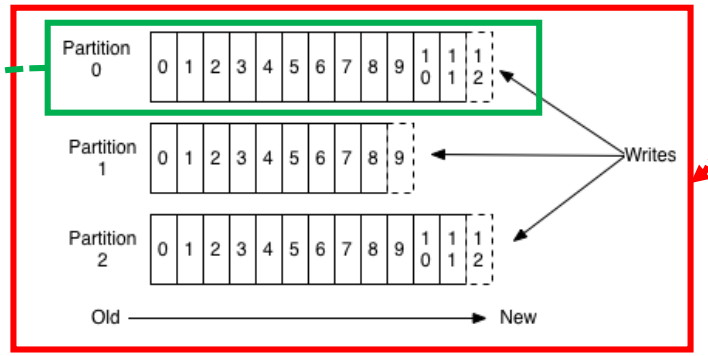
Replication Factor

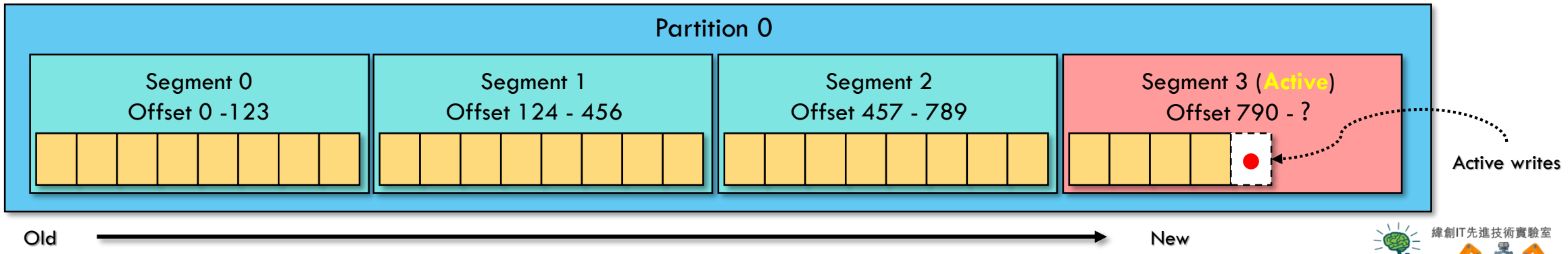
- Should be at least **2**, maximum of **3**
- The higher the replication factor:
  - Better resilience of your system (N-1 brokers can fail)
  - BUT longer replication (higher latency is acks=all)
  - BUT more disk space on your system (50% more if RF is 3 instead of 2)
- Guidelines:
  - **Set it to 2** (if you have 3 brokers)
  - **Set it to 3** (if you have greater than 5 brokers)
  - If replication performance is an issue, get a better broker instead of less replication factor

Partitions and Segments

- **Topics** are made of **partitions** (we already know that)
- **Partitions** are made of … **segments** (files)!
- Only one **segment** is ACTIVE (the one data is being written to)

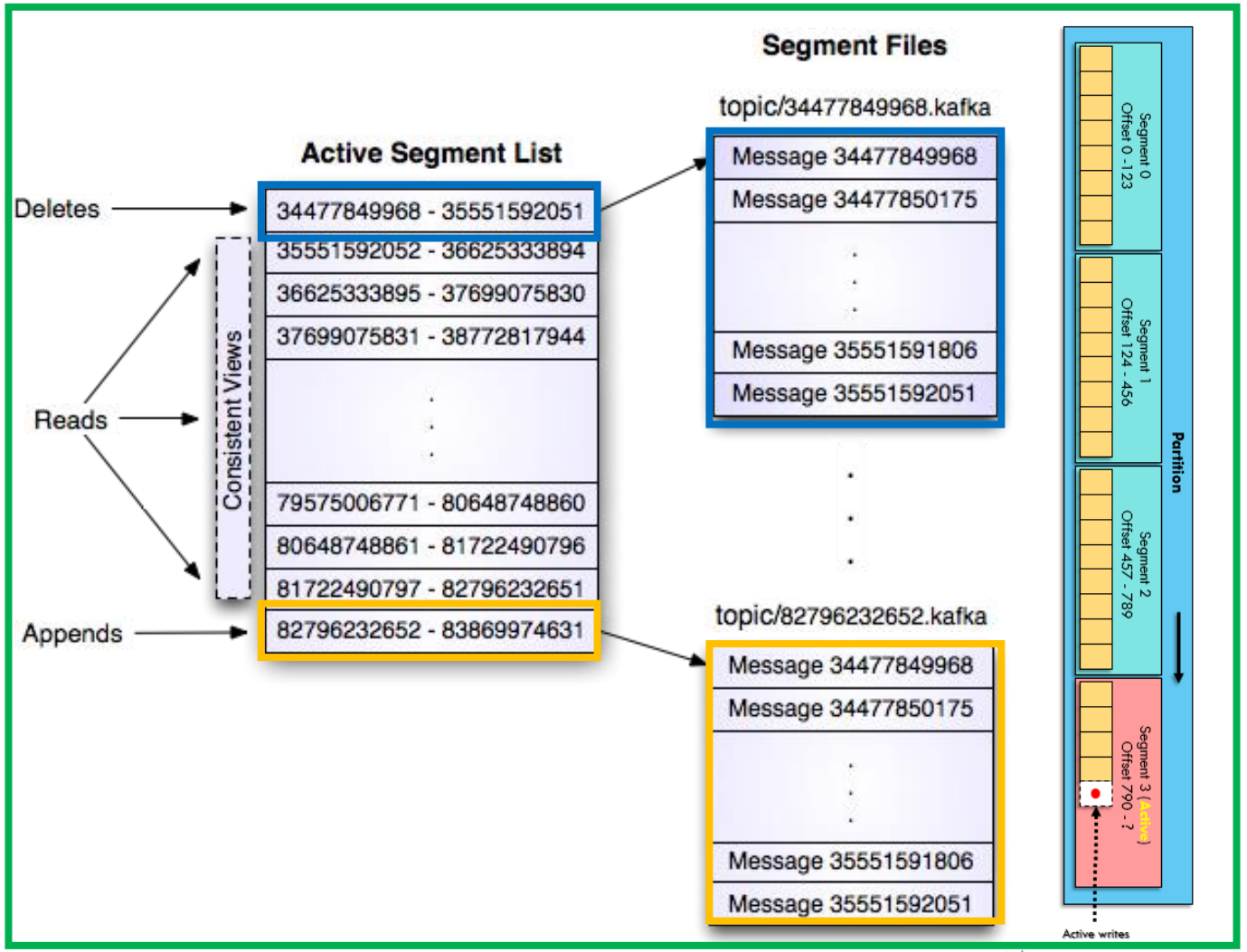




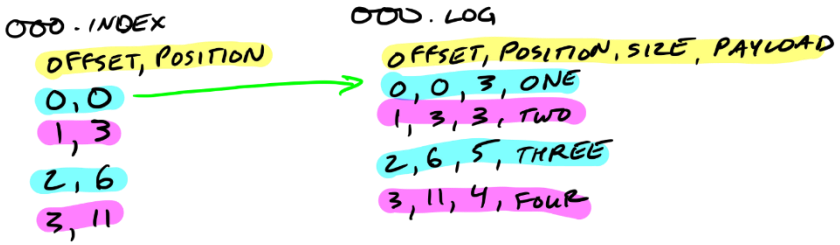


Partitions and Segments

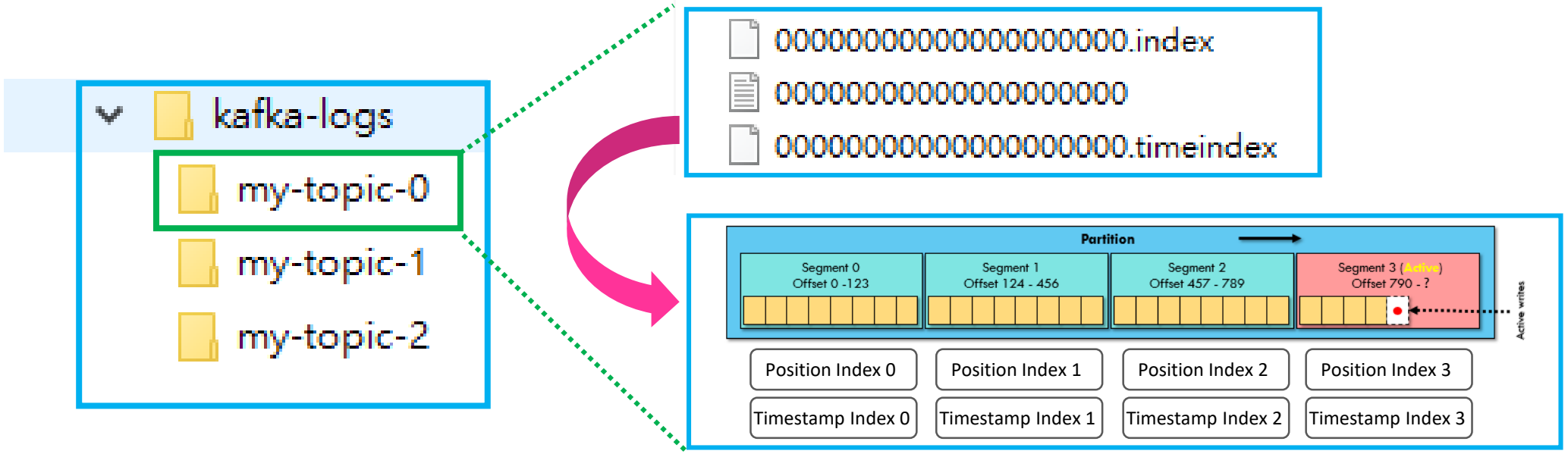
- Two segment settings:
  - **log.segment.bytes**: the max size of a single segment in bytes
  - **log.segment.ms**: the time kafka will wait before committing the segment if not full



Segments and Indexes



- Segments come with **two** indexes (files):
  - An offset to position index: allows Kafka where to read to find a message
  - A timestamp to offset index: allow Kafka to find messages with a timestamp
- Therefore, Kafka knows where to find data in a constant time!



Segments and Indexes
Create Topic (test4)

```
$ kafka-topics
    --create
    --zookeeper localhost:2181
    --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1
    --topic test4
```

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-topics --create --zookeeper zookeeper:2181 \
>    --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1 --topic test4
Created topic "test4".
```

請注意partitions的數量與topic名稱

在kafka的資料目錄下會找到對應的folder名稱

```
root@kafka:/# cd /var/lib/kafka/data
root@kafka:/var/lib/kafka/data#
root@kafka:/var/lib/kafka/data# ls -l test4-0
total 0
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 10485760 Sep  6 08:57 00000000000000000000.index
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root        0 Sep  6 08:57 00000000000000000000.log
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 10485756 Sep  6 08:57 00000000000000000000.timeindex
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root        0 Sep  6 08:57 leader-epoch-checkpoint
```

Segments: Why should I care?

- A small **log.segment.bytes** (size, default: 1GB) means:
  - More segments per partitions
  - Log Compaction happens more often
  - BUT Kafka has to keep more files opened (Error: Too many open files)
- Ask yourself: how fast will I have new segments based on throughput?
- A small **log.roll.hours** or **log.roll.ms**(time, default 1 week) means:
  - You set a max frequency for log compaction (more frequent triggers)
  - Maybe you want daily compaction instead of weekly?
- Ask yourself: how often do I need log compaction to happen?

Log Cleanup Policies

- Many Kafka clusters make data expire, according to a policy
- That concept is called "**log cleanup**".
  - Policy 1: **log.cleanup.policy**=**delete** (Kafka default for all user topics)
    - Delete based on age of data (default is a week)
    - Delete based on max size of log (default is -1 == infinite)
  - Policy 2: **log.cleanup.policy**=**compact** (Kafka default for topic **__consume_offsets**)
    - Delete based on keys of your messages
    - Will delete old duplicate keys **after** the active segment is committed
    - Infinite time and space retention

Log Cleanup: Why and When?

- Deleting data from Kafka allows you to:
  - Control the size of the data on the disk, delete obsolete data
  - Overall: Limit maintenance work on the Kafka Cluster

- How often does log cleanup happen?
  - Log cleanup happens on your **partition segments**!
  - Smaller / More segments means that log cleanup will happen more often!
  - Log cleanup shouldn’t happen too often => takes CPU and RAM resources
  - The cleaner checks for work every 15 seconds (**log.cleaner.backoff.ms**)

Log Cleanup Policy:

log.cleanup.policy=delete

- **log.retention.hours**:
  - Number of hours to keep data for (default is 168 – one week)
  - Higher number means more disk space
  - Lower number means that less data is retained (your consumers may need to replay more data than less)

- **log.retention.bytes**:
  - Max size in Bytes for each partition (default is -1 == infinite)
  - Useful to keep the size of a log under a threshold

Log Cleanup Policy: Delete

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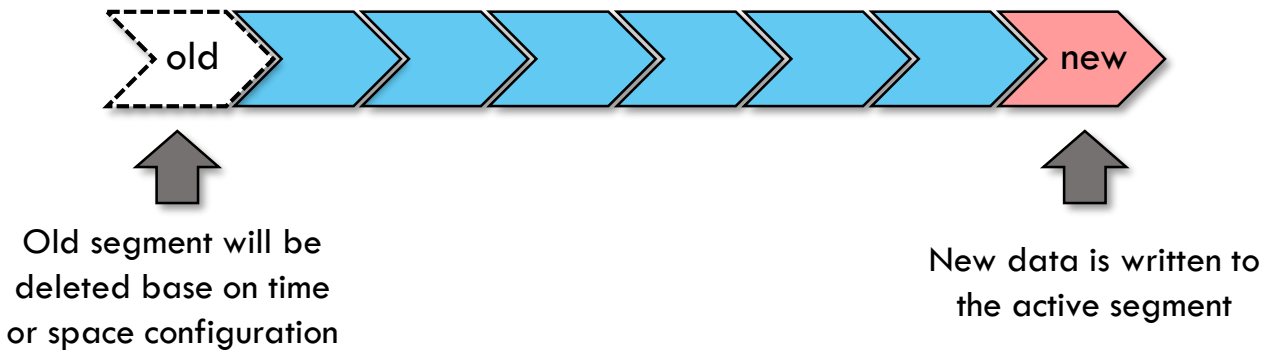


Use cases – two common pair of options:

- One week of retention:
  - **log.retention.hours = 168** and **log.retention.bytes = -1**
- Infinite time retention bounded by 500 MB:
  - **log.retention.hours = 17520** and **log.retention.bytes = 524288000**

Log Cleanup Policy: Compact

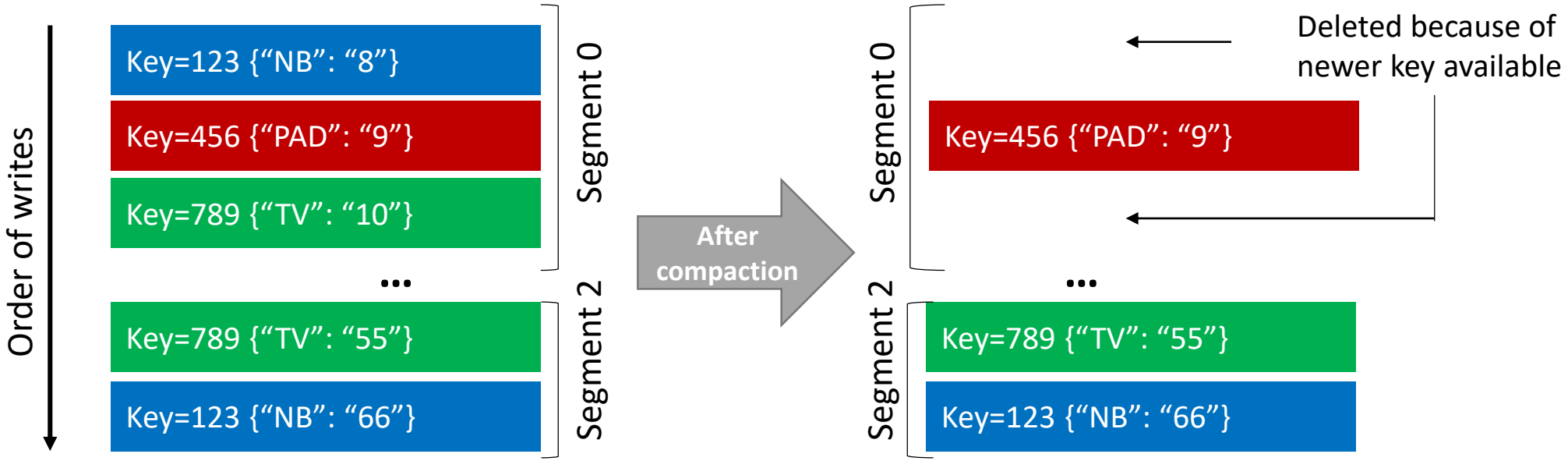
log.cleanup.policy=compact

- Log compaction ensures that your log contains *at least the last know value for a specific key within a partition*
- Very useful if we just require a SNAPSHOT instead of full history (such as for a data table in a database)
- The idea is that we only keep the latest “update” for a key in our log

Log Cleanup Policy: Example

log.cleanup.policy=compact

- Our topic is: **product-inventory**
- We want to keep the most recent inventory for our products



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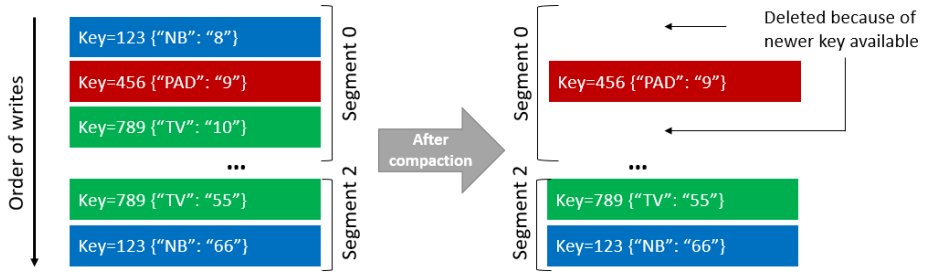

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```
root@kafka:/# kafka-topics --zookeeper zookeeper:2181 --create \
>    --topic product-inventory \
>    --partitions 1 --replication-factor 1 \
>    --config cleanup.policy=compact \
>    --config min.cleanable.dirty.ratio=0.00001 \
>    --config segment.ms=1000
Created topic "product-inventory".
```

特別去設定這個topic的一些參數來展現log-compaction的效果

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```
root@kafka:/# kafka-configs --zookeeper zookeeper:2181 \
>    --entity-type topics  \
>    --entity-name product-inventory \
>    --describe
Configs for topic 'product-inventory' are min.cleanable.dirty.ratio=0.00001,cleanup.policy=compact,segment.ms=1000
```

檢查topic的參數

Log Cleanup Policy: Example

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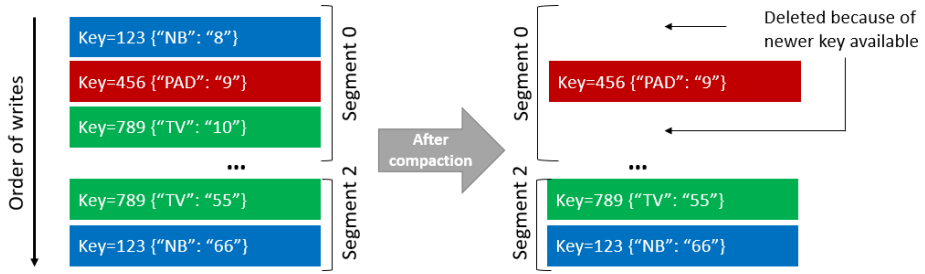

2 Producer#1

再開一個Console-producer來發佈資料

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-console-producer --broker-list kafka:9092 \
> --topic product-inventory \
> --property parse.key=true \
> --property key.separator=,
>123,{"NB":"8"}
456,{"PAD":"9"}
789,{"TV":"10"}
456,{"PAD":"7"}
789,{"TV":"11"}
456,{"PAD":"6"}
789,{"TV":"12"}
456,{"PAD":"5"}
789,{"TV":"13"}
```

3 貼上範例資料

1 Consumer#1

開一個Console-consumer訂閱這個"product-inventory"的topic

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-console-consumer \
>    --bootstrap-server kafka:9092 \
>    --topic product-inventory \
>    --from-beginning \
>    --property print.key=true \
>    --property key.separator=,
123,{"NB":"8"}
456,{"PAD":"9"}
789,{"TV":"10"}
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4 即時收到發佈的範例資料

Log Cleanup Policy: Example

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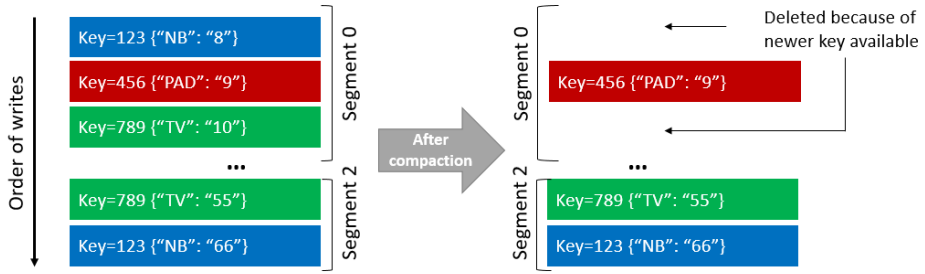

5 等待10秒後....

Producer#1

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-console-producer --broker-list kafka:9092 \
> --topic product-inventory \
> --property parse.key=true \
> --property key.separator=,
>789,{"TV":"55"}
123,{"NB":"66"}
```

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貼上最後2筆範例資料

Consumer#1

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-console-consumer \
>    --bootstrap-server kafka:9092 \
>    --topic product-inventory \
>    --from-beginning \
>    --property print.key=true \
>    --property key.separator=,
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456,{"PAD":"5"}
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789,{"TV":"55"}
123,{"NB":"66"}
```

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Console-consumer確實地收到了最後發佈的最後2筆範例資料

再開一個Console-consumer訂閱這個"product-inventory"的topic

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Consumer#2

```
root@kafka:/# kafka-console-consumer \
>    --bootstrap-server kafka:9092 \
>    --topic product-inventory \
>    --from-beginning \
>    --property print.key=true \
>    --property key.separator=,
123,{"NB":"8"}
456,{"PAD":"5"}
789,{"TV":"13"}
789,{"TV":"55"}
123,{"NB":"66"}
```

經過compact之後的結果！

Log Cleanup Policy: Example

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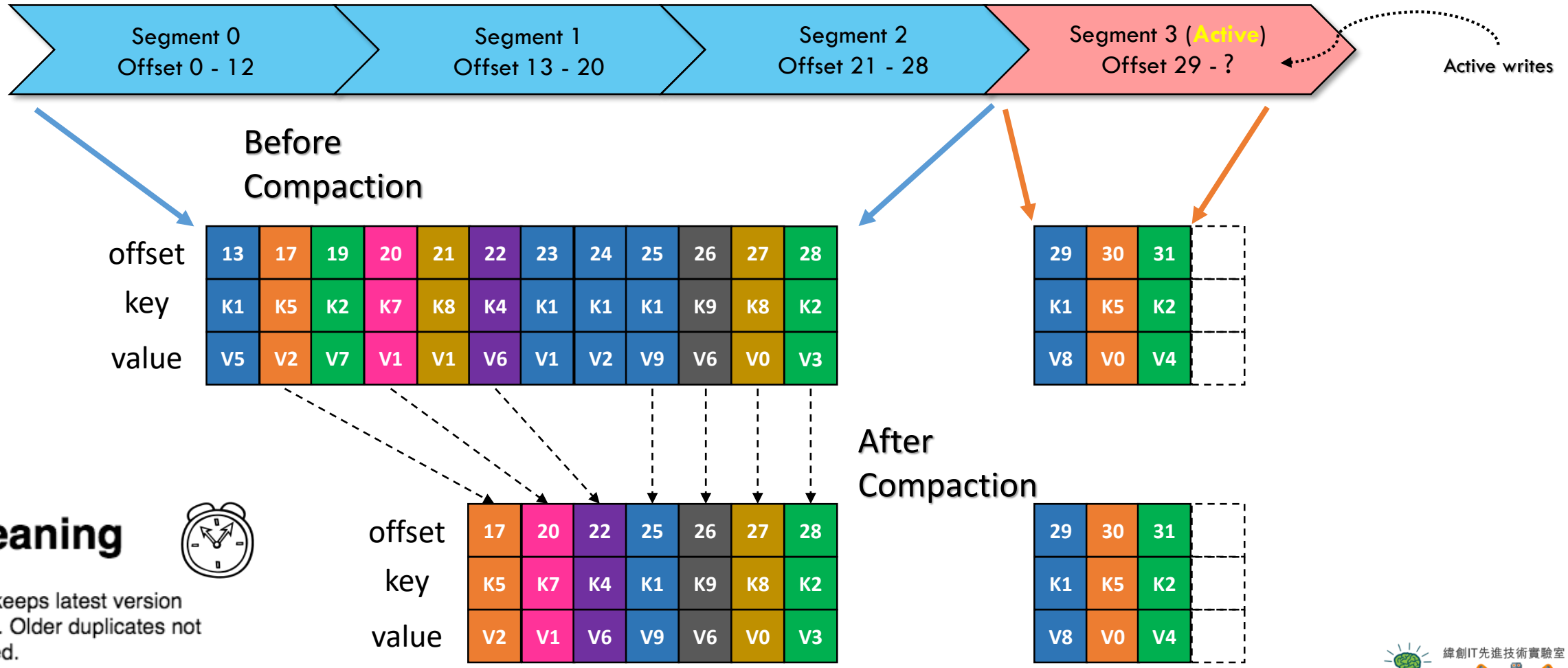


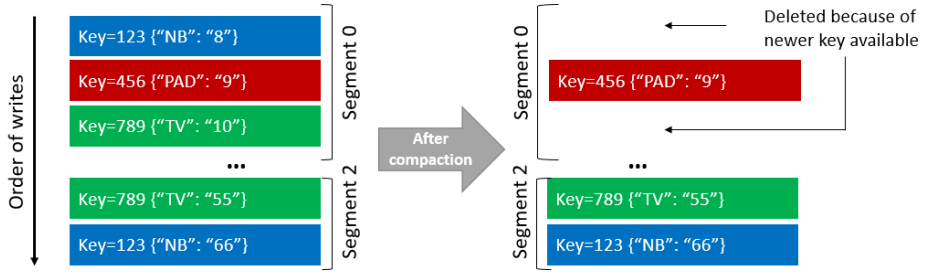
Cleaning

Only keeps latest version of key. Older duplicates not needed.

Log Compaction: Example

log.cleanup.policy=compact

- Any consumer that is reading *from the head of a log* will still see all the messages sent to the topic
- Ordering of message is kept, log compaction only removes some messages, but does not re-order them
- The offset of a message is immutable (it never changes). Offsets are just skipped if a message is missing



Log Compression

- Topics can be compressed using **compression.type** setting.
- Options are '**gzip**', '**snappy**', '**lz4**', '**uncompressed**', '**producer**'
- If you need compression, ideally you keep default as 'producer'.
  - The producer will perform the compression on its side
  - The broker will take the data as is => Saves CPU resources on the broker
- If compression is enabled, make sure you're sending batches of data
- Data will be uncompressed by the consumer!
- Compression only makes sense if you're sending non-binary data (json, xml, text…), don't enable compression for binary data (parquet, protobuf, avro..)

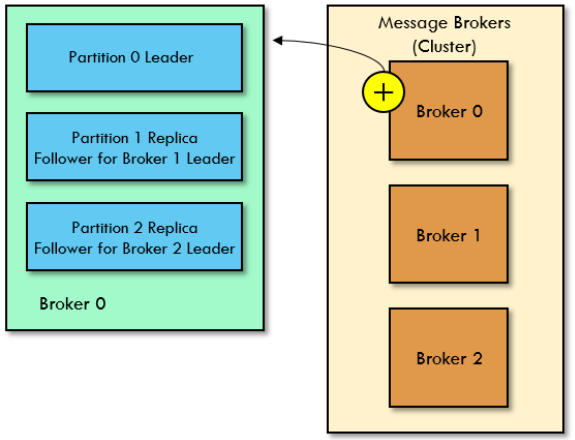
Other advanced configurations

- **max.messages.bytes** (default is **1MB**): if your messages get bigger than 1MB, increase this parameter on the topic and your consumers buffer
- **min.isync.replicas** (default is **1**): if using acks=all, specify how many brokers need to acknowledge the write
- **unclean.leader.election** (danger zone! – default **false**): if set to true, it will allow replicas which are not in sync to become leader as a last resort if all ISRs are offline. This can lead to data loss. If set to false, the topic will go offline until the ISRs come back up

Advanced: Topic Configuration

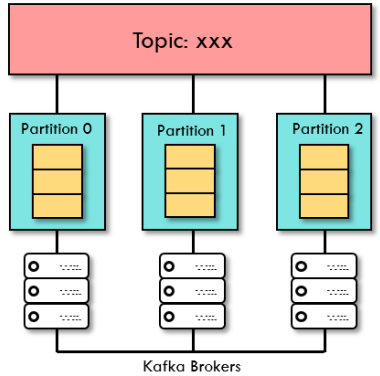
Why should I care about **topic** configuration?

- Brokers have defaults for all the topic configuration parameters
- These parameters impact **performance** and **topic behavior**
- Some topics may need different values than the defaults
  - Replication Factor
  - Number of Partitions
  - Message size
  - Compression level
  - Log Cleanup Policy
  - Other configurations
- A list of configuration can be found at:
  - https://kafka.apache.org/documentation/#topicconfigs



Topic configuration example:

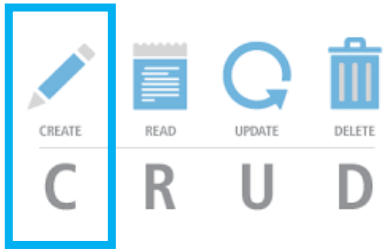
- Configurations pertinent to topics have both a **server default** as well an optional **per-topic override**.
- *If no **per-topic configuration** is given the **server default** is used.*
- The override can be set at topic creation time by giving one or more **--config** options.



Apache Kafka: Hands-on Practice

Change Topic Configurations

Topic configuration example: (Create)



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bin/**kafka-topics**

--zookeeper localhost:2181

--create

--topic my-topic

--partitions 3

--replication-factor 1

--config max.message.bytes=64000

--config flush.messages=1

Topic configuration example: (**Query**)

bin/**kafka-topic**
--zookeeper localhost:2181
--topic my-topic
--describe

```
streamgeeks.org - PuTTY
$ bin/kafka-topics --create \
>   --zookeeper localhost:2181 \
>   --topic my-topic \
>   --partitions 3 \
>   --replication-factor 1 \
>   --config max.message.bytes=64000 \
>   --config flush.messages=1
Created topic "my-topic".
$
```

```
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$ bin/kafka-topics --zookeeper localhost:2181 \
>   --topic my-topic \
>   --describe
Topic:my-topic  PartitionCount:3        ReplicationFactor:1     Configs:max.message.bytes=64000,flush.messages=1
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 0    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 1    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 2    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
$
```

Kafka會先載入預設的config, 然後再加上特別設定的config!

Topic configuration example: (**Update**)

bin/**kafka-topics**

--zookeeper localhost:2181

--topic my-topic

--alter

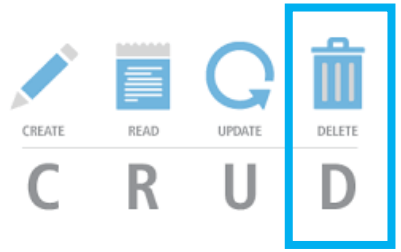
--config max.message.bytes=128000

為了讓修改Kafka的相關設定有一個共同的Utility工具,Kafka建議使用“bin/kafka-configs”來修改Topic設定

```
streamgeeks.org - PuTTY
$ bin/kafka-topics --zookeeper localhost:2181 \
>   --topic my-topic \
>   --alter \
>   --config max.message.bytes=128000
WARNING: Altering topic configuration from this script has been deprecated and may be removed in future releases.
         Going forward, please use kafka-configs.sh for this functionality
Updated config for topic "my-topic".
$ bin/kafka-topics --zookeeper localhost:2181 \
>   --topic my-topic \
>   --describe
Topic:my-topic  PartitionCount:3        ReplicationFactor:1     Configs:max.message.bytes=128000,flush.messages=1
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 0    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 1    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
        Topic: my-topic Partition: 2    Leader: 0       Replicas: 0     Isr: 0
$
```

修改的設定生效了!

Topic configuration example: (Remove)



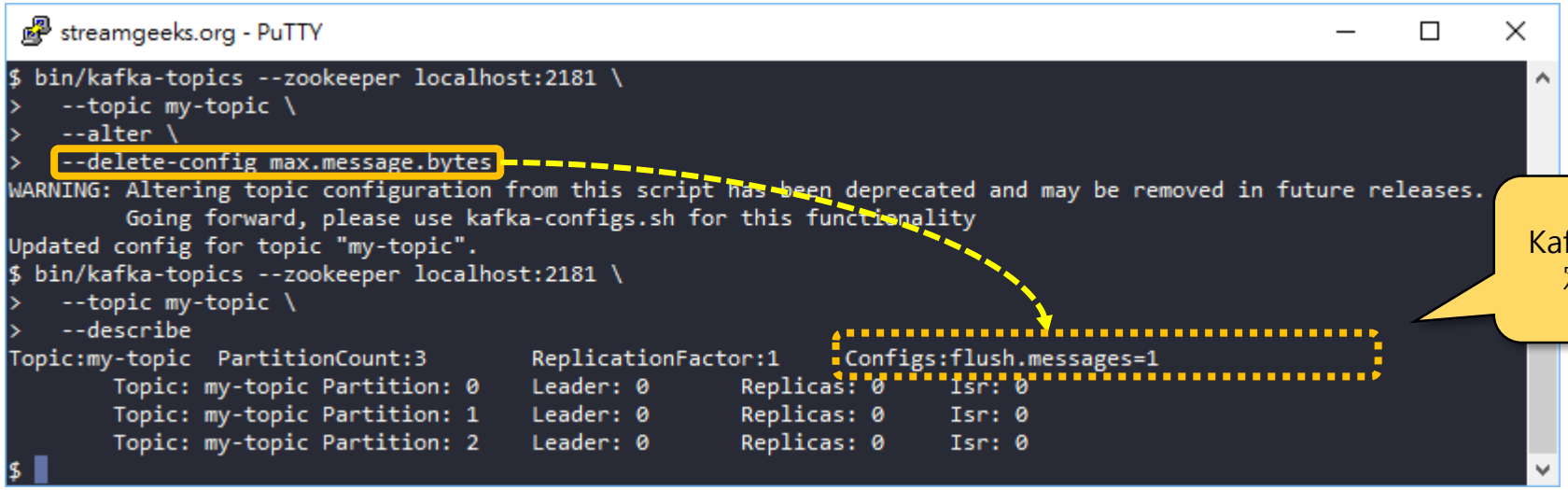
bin/**kafka-topics**

--zookeeper localhost:2181

--topic my-topic

--alter

--delete-config max.message.bytes



Topic configuration example: (Query)

** 2nd method - preferred**

bin/**kafka-configs**

--zookeeper localhost:2181

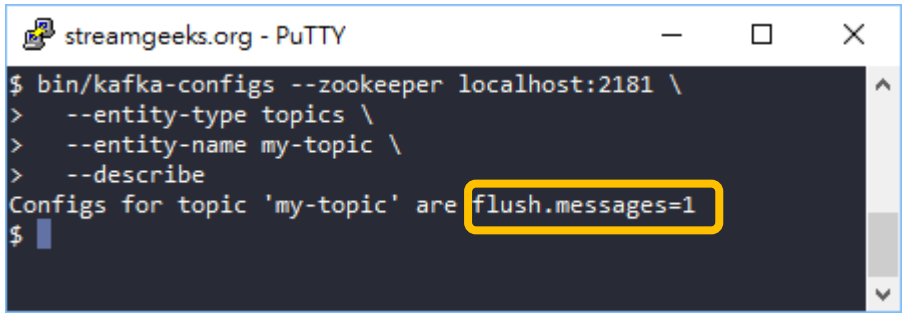
--entity-type topics

--entity-name my-topic

--describe

使用bin/kafka-configs的工具可以讓我們對Kafka的不同的entity-type來進行設定。包括:(topics/clients/users/brokers)

指定要修改的entity-name來進行設定。包括:(topic name/client id/user principal name/broker id)



Kafka configuration

bin/kafka-configs

entity-type: **topics**

- cleanup.policy
- compression.type
- delete.retention.ms
- file.delete.delay.ms
- flush.messages
- flush.ms
- follower.replication.throttled.replicas
- index.interval.bytes
- leader.replication.throttled.replicas
- max.message.bytes
- message.format.version
- message.timestamp.difference.max.ms
- message.timestamp.type
- min.cleanable.dirty.ratio
- min.compaction.lag.ms
- min.insync.replicas
- preallocate
- retention.bytes
- retention.ms
- segment.bytes
- segment.index.bytes
- segment.jitter.ms
- segment.ms
- unclean.leader.election.enable

Topic configuration example: (Update)

** 2nd method - preferred**

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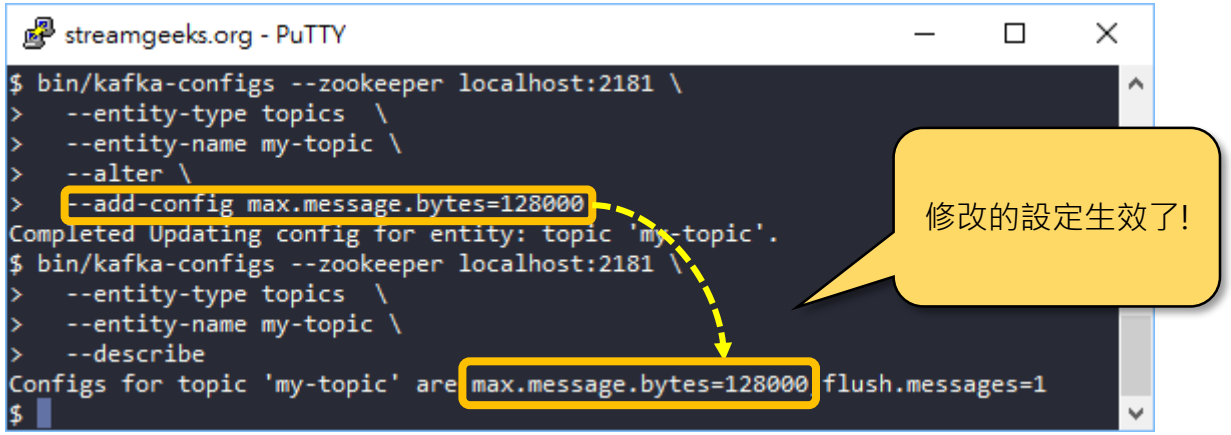
--zookeeper localhost:2181
--entity-type topics
--entity-name my-topic
--alter
--add-config max.message.bytes=128000



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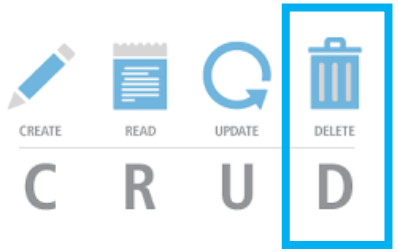


bin/**kafka-configs.sh**

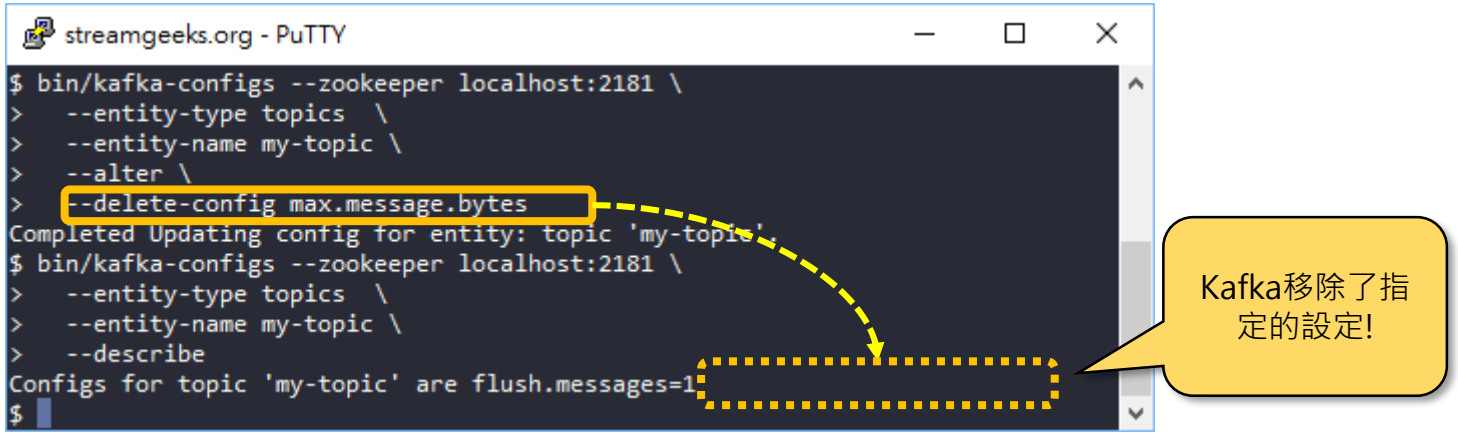
--zookeeper localhost:2181

--entity-type topics

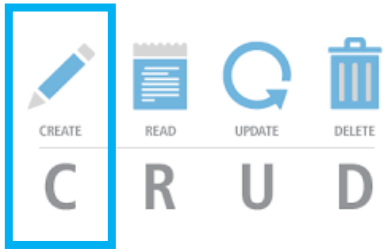
--entity-name my-topic

--alter

--delete-config max.message.bytes



Broker configuration



- From Kafka version **1.1** onwards, some of the broker configs can be updated *without* restarting the broker.
- See the *Dynamic Update Mode* column in Broker Configs for the update mode of each broker config.
  - read-only: Requires a broker restart for update
  - per-broker: May be updated dynamically for each broker
  - cluster-wide: May be update dynamically as a cluster-wide default

NAME	DESCRIPTION	TYPE	DEFAULT	VALID VALUES	IMPORTANCE	DYNAMIC UPDATE MODE
zookeeper.connect	Zookeeper host string	string			high	read-only
log.flush.interval.ms	The maximum time in ms that a message in any topic is kept in memory before flushed to disk. If not set, the value in log.flush.scheduler.interval.ms is used	long	null		high	cluster-wide

https://kafka.apache.org/documentation/#brokerconfigs

Kafka configuration

bin/kafka-configs

entity-type: **brokers**

- advertised.listeners
- background.threads
- compression.type
- follower.replication.throttled.rate
- leader.replication.throttled.rate
- listener.security.protocol.map
- listeners
- log.cleaner.backoff.ms
- log.cleaner.dedupe.buffer.size
- log.cleaner.delete.retention.ms
- log.cleaner.io.buffer.load.factor
- log.cleaner.io.buffer.size
- log.cleaner.io.max.bytes.per.second
- log.cleaner.min.cleanable.ratio
- log.cleaner.min.compaction.lag.ms
- log.cleaner.threads
- log.cleanup.policy
- log.flush.interval.messages
- log.flush.interval.ms
- log.index.interval.bytes
- log.index.size.max.bytes
- log.message.timestamp.difference.max.ms
- log.message.timestamp.type
- log.preallocate

Kafka configuration (Cont.)

bin/kafka-configs

entity-type: **brokers**

- log.retention.bytes
- log.retention.ms
- log.roll.jitter.ms
- log.roll.ms
- log.segment.bytes
- log.segment.delete.delay.ms
- message.max.bytes
- metric.reporters
- min.insync.replicas
- num.io.threads
- num.network.threads
- num.recovery.threads.per.data.dir
- num.replica.fetchers
- principal.builder.class
- replica.alter.log.dirs.io.max.bytes.per.second
- sasl.enabled.mechanisms
- sasl.jaas.config
- sasl.kerberos.kinit.cmd
- sasl.kerberos.min.time.before.relogin
- sasl.kerberos.principal.to.local.rules
- sasl.kerberos.service.name
- sasl.kerberos.ticket.renew.jitter
- sasl.kerberos.ticket.renew.window.factor
- sasl.mechanism.inter.broker.protocol

Kafka configuration (Cont.)

bin/kafka-configs

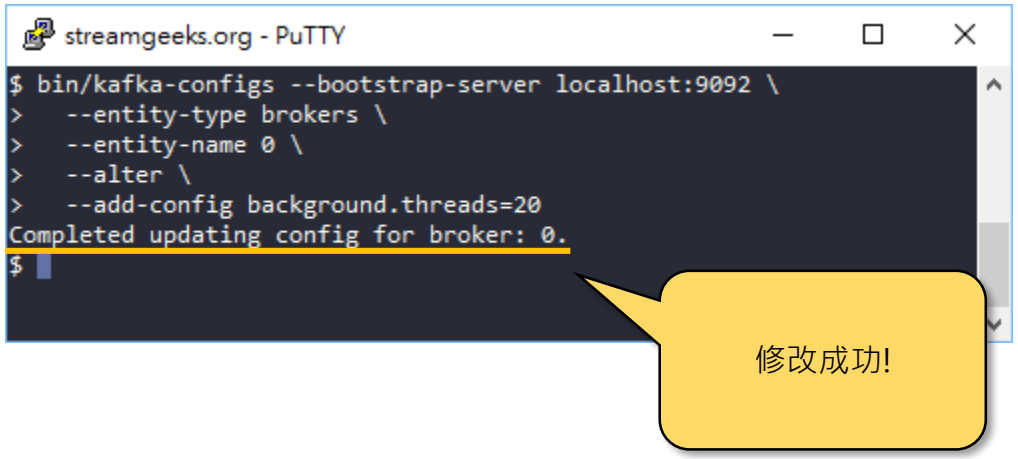
entity-type: **brokers**

- ssl.cipher.suites
- ssl.client.auth
- ssl.enabled.protocols
- ssl.endpoint.identification.algorithm
- ssl.key.password
- ssl.keymanager.algorithm
- ssl.keystore.location
- ssl.keystore.password
- ssl.keystore.type
- ssl.protocol
- ssl.provider
- ssl.secure.random.implementation
- ssl.trustmanager.algorithm
- ssl.truststore.location
- ssl.truststore.password
- ssl.truststore.type
- unclean.leader.election.enable

Broker configuration example: (Update)

- To alter the current broker configs for broker id 0 (for example, the number of log cleaner threads):

```
bin/kafka-configs.sh
  --bootstrap-server localhost:9092
  --entity-type brokers
  --entity-name 0
  --alter
  --add-config background.threads=20
```



Broker configuration example: (**Query**)

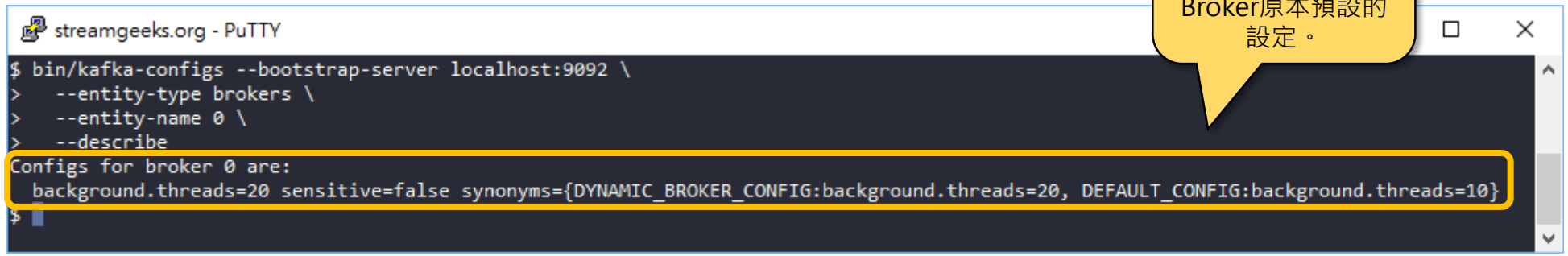
bin/**kafka-configs.sh**

--bootstrap-server localhost:9092

--entity-type brokers

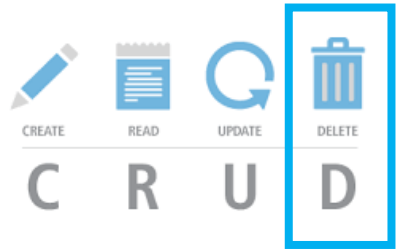
--entity-name 0

--describe



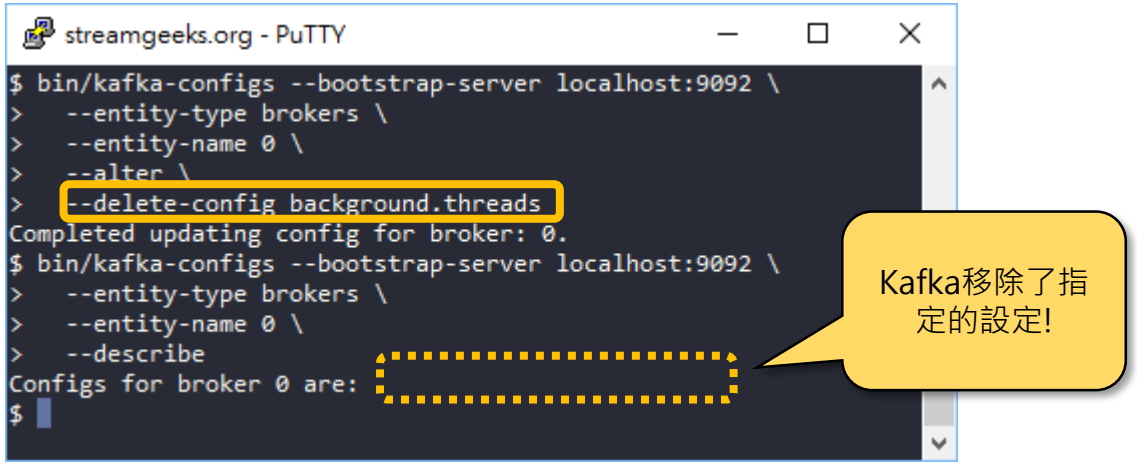
修改成功!
從UI上可以看到設定的結果以及Broker原本預設的設定。

Broker configuration example: (**Remove**)



- To delete a config override and revert to the statically configured or default value for broker id 0 (for example, the number of log cleaner threads):

bin/**kafka-configs.sh**
--bootstrap-server localhost:9092
--entity-type topics
--entity-name my-topic
--alter
--delete-config background.threads



Where are these configuration stored?

- Dynamic per-broker configurations stored in ZooKeeper
- Dynamic cluster-wide default configurations stored in ZooKeeper
- Static broker configurations from server.properties
- Kafka default, see broker configurations
  - https://kafka.apache.org/documentation/#brokerconfigs

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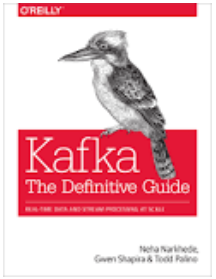

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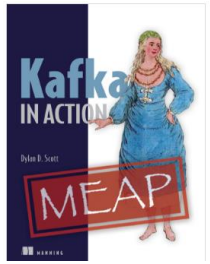

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