# Unity Catalog

## Learning Objectives

- What is Unity Catalog
- ▶ 3-level namespace
- Security model for governing data objects

## Unity Catalog

Centralized governance solution across all your workspaces on any cloud.

- ▶ Unify governance for all data and AI assets
  - ▶ files, tables, machine learning models and dashboards
  - based on SQL

#### Architecture

#### **Before Unity Catalog**

Workspace 1

User/group management

Hive Metastore

Access Controls

Compute resources

Workspace 2

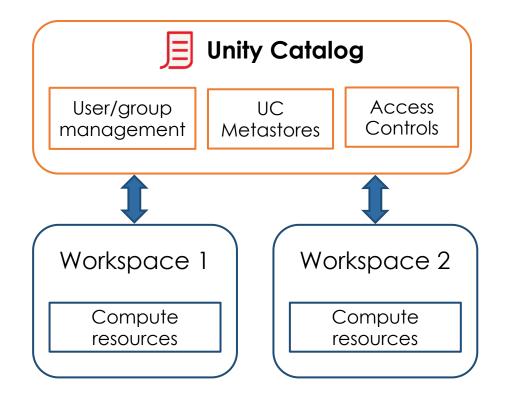
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#### With Unity Catalog



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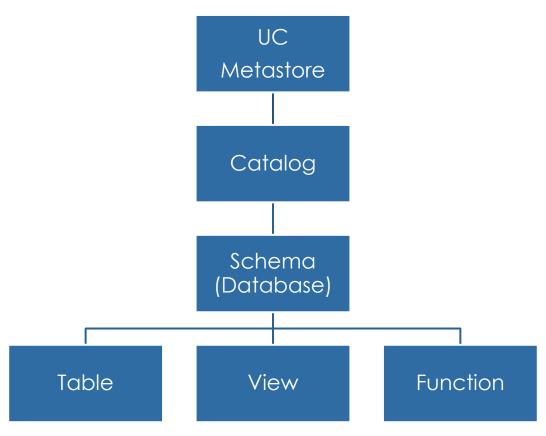
#### UC 3-level namespace

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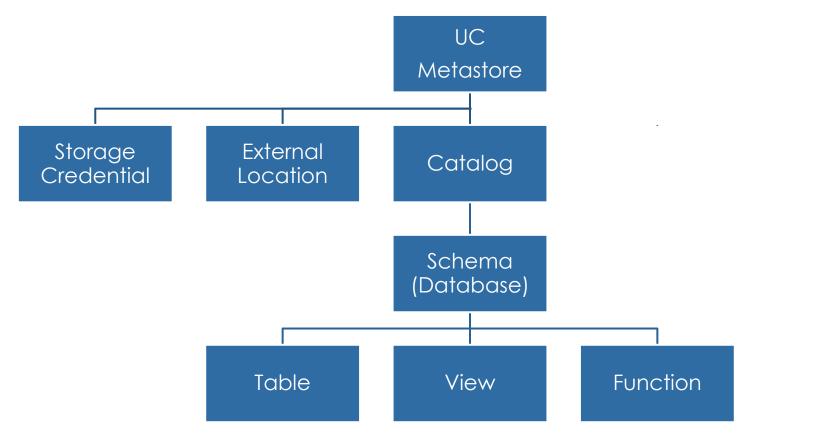


SELECT \* FROM catalog.schema.table

# UC hierarchy

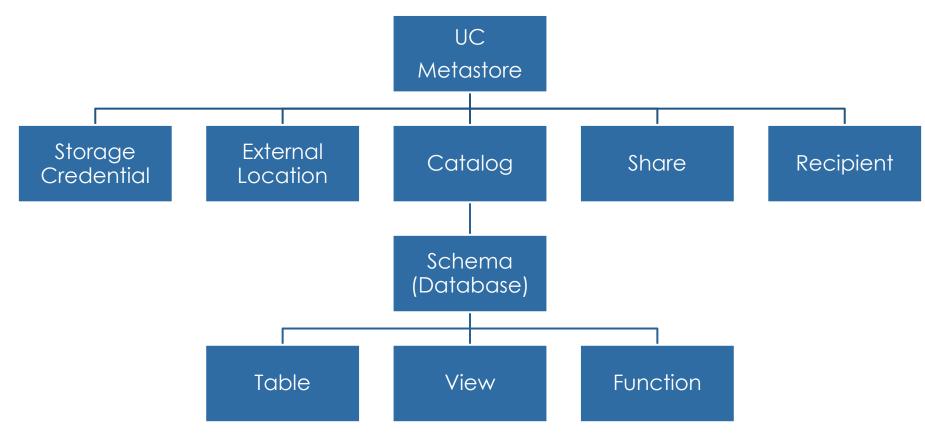


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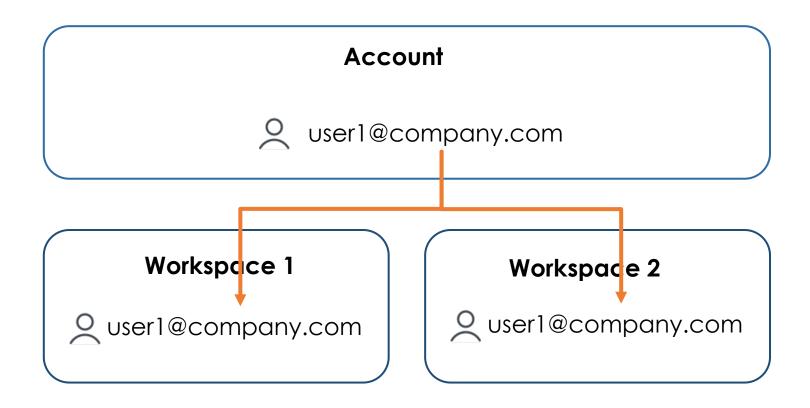
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#### Identities

- ▶ **Users**: identified by e-mail addresses
  - Account administrator
- ▶ Service Principles: identified by Application IDs
  - Service Principles with administrative privilege
- ► **Groups**: grouping Users and Service Principles
  - Nested groups

## Identity Federation

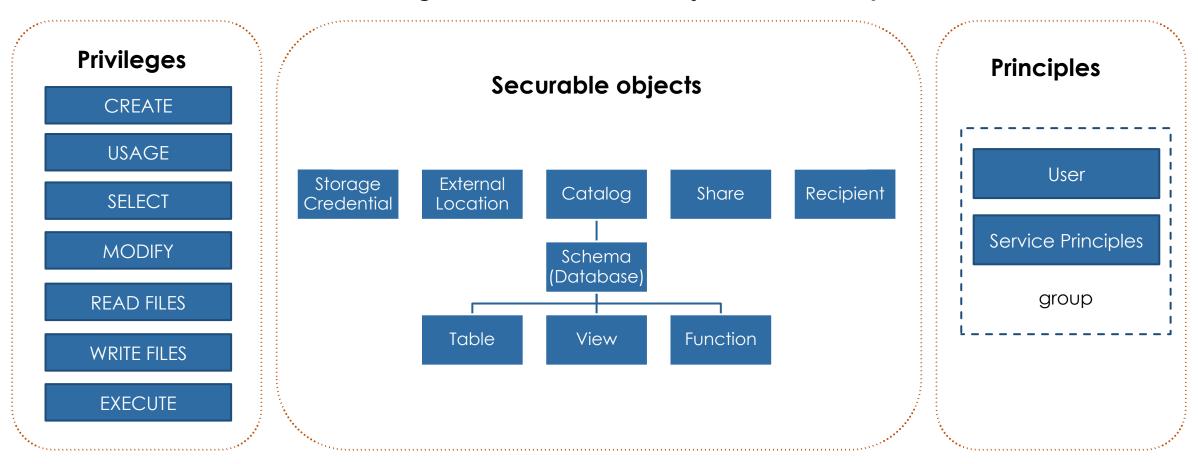


# Privileges

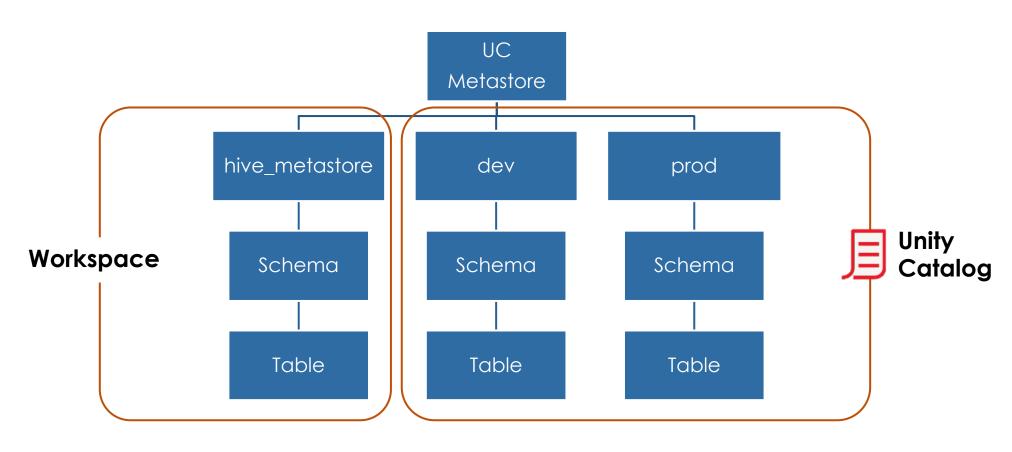
- ▶ CREATE
- USAGE
- ► SELECT
- MODIFY
- ► READ FILES
- ► WRITE FILES
- ► EXECUTE

#### Security model

#### GRANT Privilege ON Securable\_Object TO Principal



#### Accessing legacy Hive metastore



#### Features

- Centralized governance for data and Al
- ▶ Built-in data search and discovery
- Automated lineage
- No hard migration required

#### Account Console

- ▶ Log in as account administrator
- ► <a href="https://accounts.cloud.databricks.com">https://accounts.cloud.databricks.com</a>