# **Experimental Setup**

- We have 2 candidate algorithms. The exhaustive search and the A\*-alike algorithm.
- In all experiments in the vertical axis we measure the execution time (in milliseconds) of the candidate algorithms (1 plot).
- In all experiments in the vertical axis we count the number of plans that reach the OR operator for each of the candidate algorithms (a separate plot).

# Experiments with Real Workflows (images of workflows per use case follow at the end of the document)

*Network topology:* any computer cluster/Big Data platform can communicate with others directly in 1 hop.

<u>Experiment 1:</u> Fixed 1 cluster with 3 Big Data platforms for all use cases. Assume 3 implementations exist for all operators of all workflows in all 3 Big Data platforms.

#### Result:

1 plot with execution time in vertical axis, 1 plot with number of plans reaching the OR operator in vertical axis

Horizontal axis → use case (Life Science, Financial, Maritime).

For each use case, each plot will have two bars (1 for exhaustive, 1 for A\*)

Experiment 2: 1 cluster with 3 Big Data platforms for the Life Sciences use case, 9 computer clusters with 1 Big Data platform each for the Financial use case, 100 clusters for the Maritime use case with 1 Big Data platform each. Horizontal axis — use case (Life Science, Financial, Maritime).

#### Result:

1 plot with execution time in vertical axis, 1 plot with number of plans reaching the OR operator in vertical axis

Horizontal axis → use case (Life Science, Financial, Maritime).

For each use case, each plot will have two bars (1 for exhaustive, 1 for A\*)

<u>Experiment 3:</u> Using the workflow of each use case. Run both algorithms varying the number of clusters between 2 and 10 (step 2). Each cluster hosts 2 Big Data platforms with implementations for all operators.

#### Result for each use case:

1 plot with execution time in vertical axis, 1 plot with number of plans reaching the OR operator in vertical axis

Horizontal axis  $\rightarrow$  Number of clusters (2,4,6,8,10)

For each use case, each plot will have two lines (1 for exhaustive, 1 for A\*)

6 plots in total for all use cases

<u>Experiment 4:</u> Using the workflow of each use case. Run both algorithms for fixed number of clusters=5. Each cluster hosts 1 to 5 (step 1) Big Data platforms with implementations for all operators.

### Result for each use case:

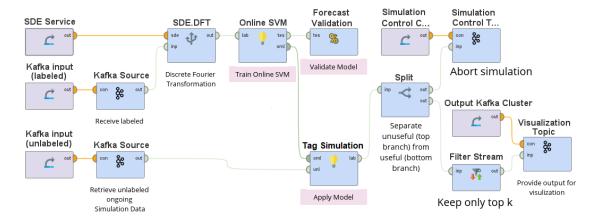
1 plot with execution time in vertical axis, 1 plot with number of plans reaching the OR operator in vertical axis

Horizontal axis → number of Big Data platforms (1,2,3,4,5)

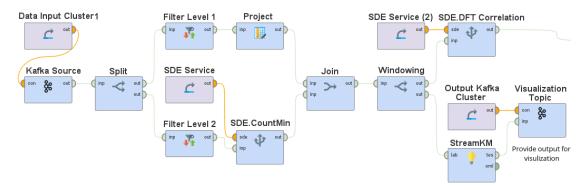
For each use case, plot will have two lines (1 for exhaustive, 1 for A\*)

6 plots in total for all use cases

#### Workflow for life science use case:



#### Workflow for Financial use case:



## Workflow for Maritime use case:

