Deploying Machine Learning Models to Serverless Cloud Environments



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Overview

All major cloud platforms offer serverless compute

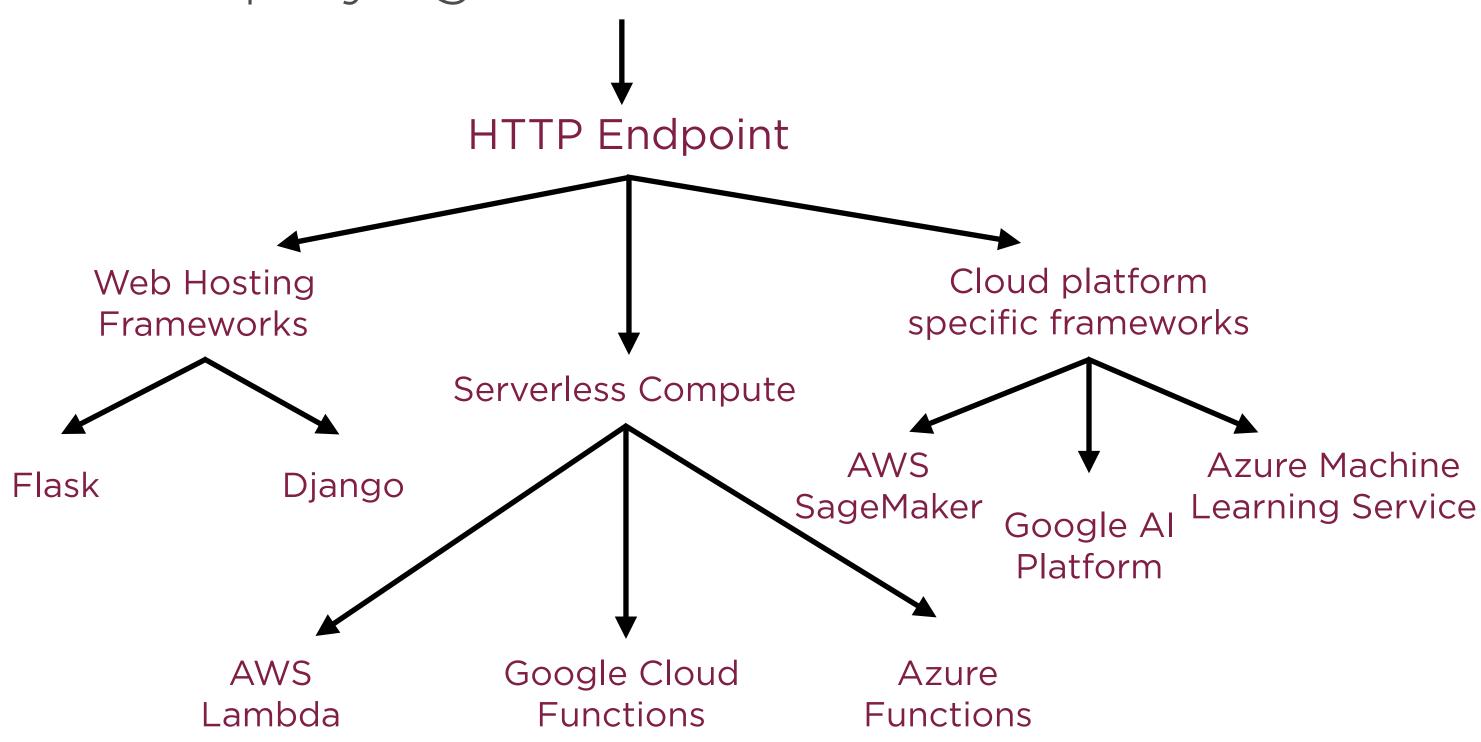
Compute and hosting services without instantiating servers

Pay-per-use, automatically scalable

AWS Lambda, Google Cloud Functions, Azure Functions

Emerging as preferred deployment option for ML models

Deploying Models for Prediction



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Serverless Cloud Environments

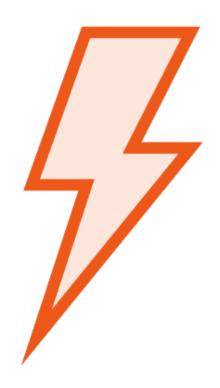
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Compute Choices



More control, low-level access

Serverless Computing



AWS Lambda

Azure Functions

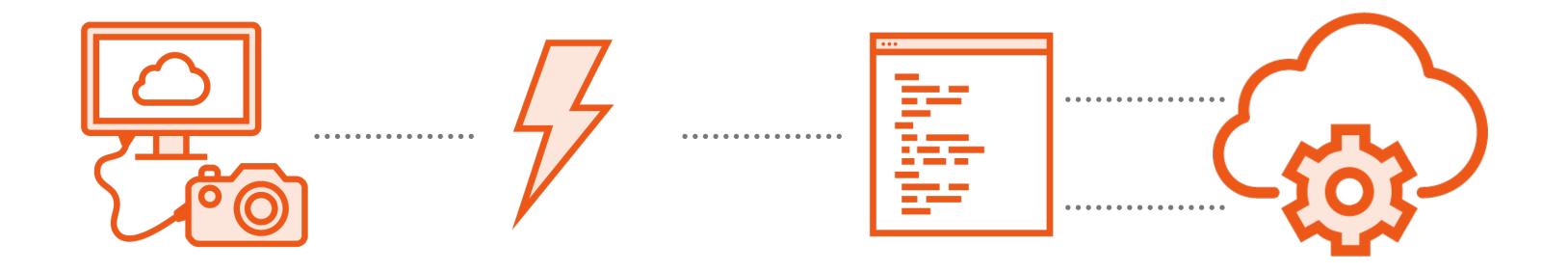
Google Cloud Functions



Serverless compute **abstracts away** provisioning,

managing servers and

configuring software



Event occurs

Platform triggers execution

Serverless function runs

Events



Occurs in the external environment

Functions can choose to respond to an event

Events are wired up to trigger functions

Types of Events



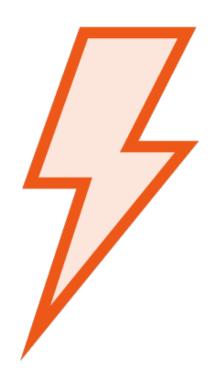
HTTP requests

Background events

- Storage access
- Incoming streaming data
- Logging/monitoring events
- Chatbot interactions

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Triggers



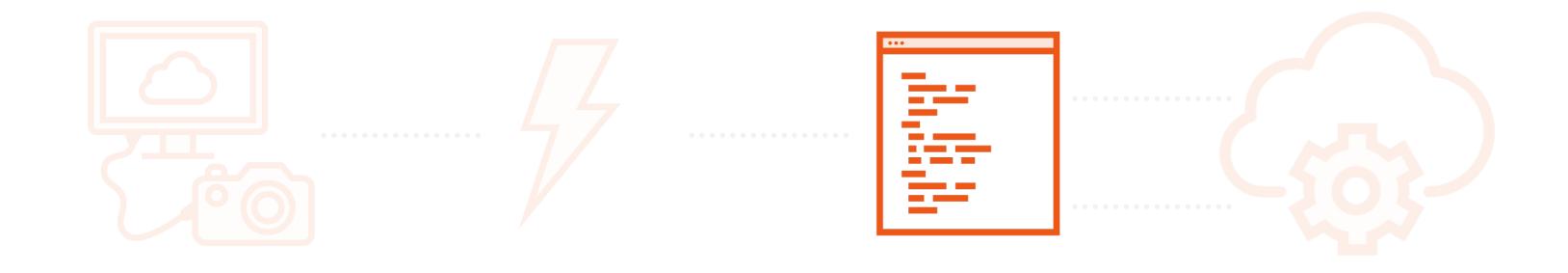
When event occurs, platform takes over

Ensures that event information is passed to serverless function

Function parameters nicely packaged up

Type of event determines parameters

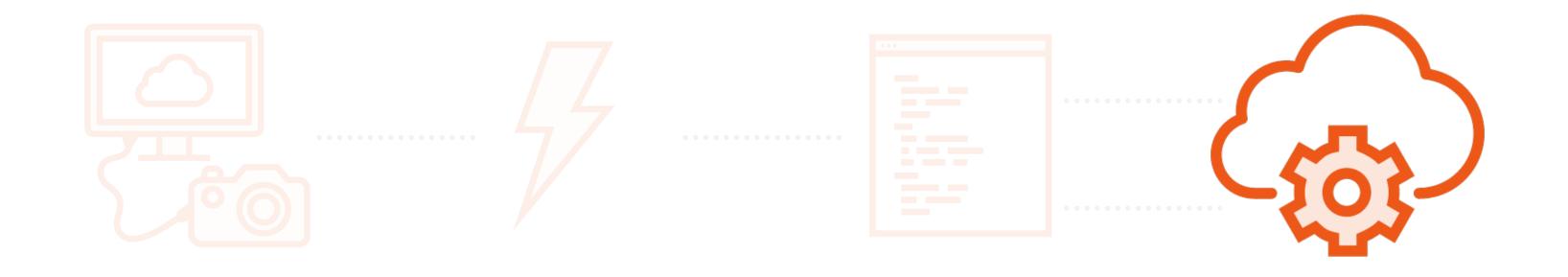
Additional context also included



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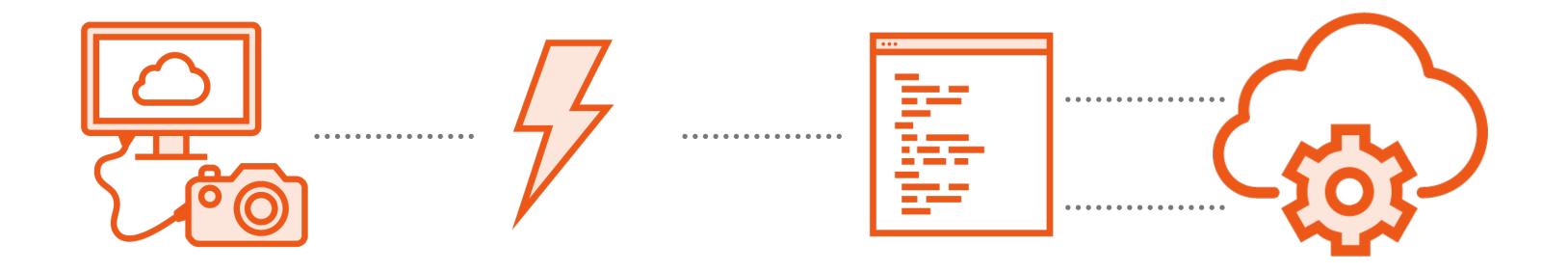
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Choices in (Any) Computing



Compute

Where and how does code run?



Storage

Where and how is the data stored?

Other choices - networking, logging etc. - are less important



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Demo

Building classification models to deploy on a serverless environment

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Uploading models to Google Cloud Storage buckets

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Deploying scikit-learn models to Google Cloud Functions

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