WorkFlow Training II Dependencies and WorkFlow Jobs

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What are dependencies?

- Flow of data processing Raw data (AWS S3)
 - → conversion (AWS S3)
 - → Metric generation (AWS S3)
 - → Sync to local database

Dependency -- the logic behind data processing in workflow

- Set up fixed dependencies in WorkFlow based on logical orders to ensure data processing follow certain steps
- To calculate metrics, we need to manipulate the TAQ (time and sales) data we downloaded from TRTH.
- Some metrics use output from other metrics (e.g. daily_stats use results from daily_trade_summary_generate)

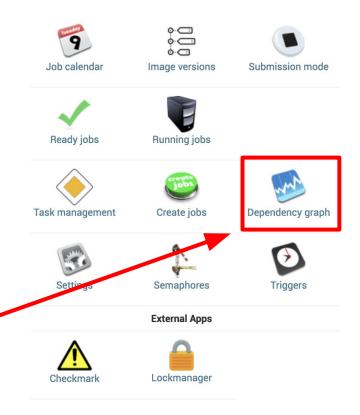
Dependency setup in WorkFlow

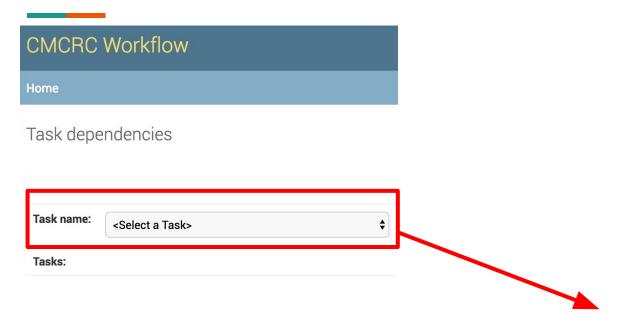
- These configure the sequencing between jobs of different tasks on the same date.
- For each dependency, the "parent" job must be SUCCESS (or PRETEND) before the "child" job can run.

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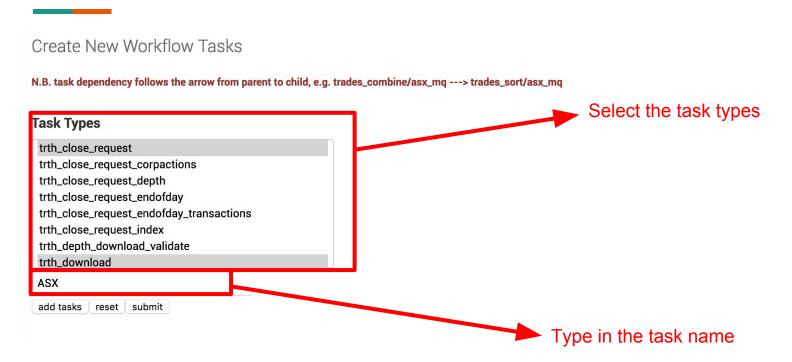
This is where you can see all the existing dependencies in the WorkFlow and create new ones





This is where you can choose a task and see the existing dependency graphs





More details

- Dependencies can be both vertical and horizontal
- Vertical dependency refers to the output of one task can be used as the input of another task
- Horizontal dependency refers to the results from previous trading days

Dependencies:

grandparents		parents		
trth_download/ASX trth_download_endofday/ASX trth_exchangebyday_download/exchbyday dss_venuebyday_download/venuebyday	→	convert_taq/asx_taq	→	daily_trade_summary_generate/asx^asx

Overtaking

This configures the sequencing between jobs in the same task. There are two settings:

ANY overtaking

In this mode, jobs can be run in any order; there is no sequencing requirement for the jobs.

READY overtaking

In this mode, a job cannot progress to READY until all earlier jobs (that is, jobs for earlier dates) in the same task have also progressed to READY (or beyond READY to RUNNING, SUCCESS/PRETEND, SLEEPING or FAIL).

TRTH data

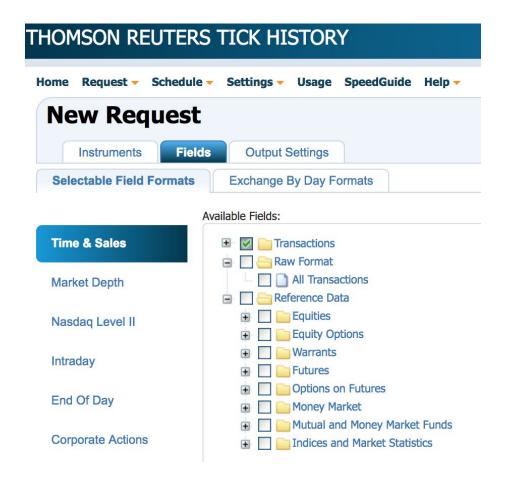
- TRTH publishes data in one of two ways; (a) in the "exchange by day" mode, or (b) via the REST API.
- Data from API requests will be be retained for up to 45 days, and data from exchange-by-day will typically expire within two weeks.

Exchange by day downloading

- For 110+ markets TRTH provides daily dumps of data, which can be accessed through the REST API These need to be requested following a three-stage process:
 - 1. List the venue files within a date range
 - 2. Download the files we need
 - 3. Repeat to collect any updated files that were added during the process
- Venue-by-day downloads are done by the workflow task
 trth_exchangebyday_download/exchbyday
- Since the data is only retained for 2 weeks, this is only suitable for ongoing downloads, not for historical markets. It also does not cover all markets or all data types

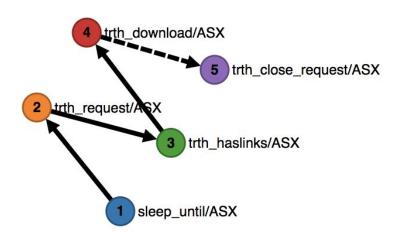
Types of data

- Time and sales (TAQ -- Trades and quotes)
- End of day (reference and transactions)
- Index
- Corpactions (dividend, shares)
- Depth (10 level)
- Info (global company news)



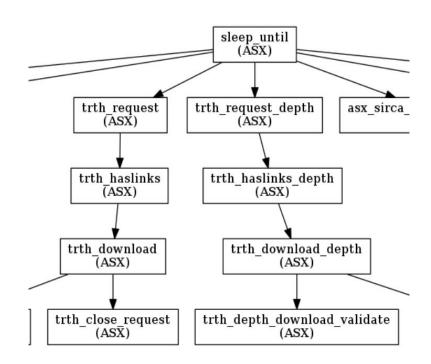
Data organisation

• Raw data is organised by stream (previously "feed"), as supplied by TRTH. These may or may not directly correspond to useful concepts of "market", so the converter needs to rearrange data into "tracks" (trading market + data type).



API downloading

- 4 stages involved
 - -- request
 - -- haslink
 - -- download
 - -- close_request



Request

- WorkFlow submits requests to TRTH using the credentials provided by TRTH for the cmcrc accounts and several student accounts.
- Successful requests will produce a "job ID" which is added to the output of the request job and read by the following workflow jobs.

Data Type	Task Type in Workflow
TAS	trth_request trth_request_by_chains trth_request_by_isin
Endofday	trth_request_endofday trth_request_endofday_by_chains
EndofDay Transactions	trth_request_endofday_transactions trth_request_endofday_transactions_by_ric_list
Depth	trth_request_depth trth_request_depth_by_isin
Index	trth_request_index
Corpactions	trth_request_corpactions

Haslink

Haslinks checks for the availability
 of the data for the submitted
 requests. Requests go into a queue
 and may take some time to be
 processed by TRTH, and large
 requests may take longer to process.

Data Type	Task Type in Workflow	
TAS	trth_haslinks	
Endofday	trth_haslinks_endofday	
EndofDay Transactions	trth_haslinks_endofday_transactions	
Depth	trth_haslinks_depth	
Index	trth_haslinks_index	
Corpactions	trth_haslinks_corpactions	

Download

 Once the haslinks job indicates that the data is ready to download, workflow downloads the data files and stores them in AWS S3. The report files are already generated by the previous haslinks job.

Data Type	Task Type in Workflow	
TAS	trth_download	
Endofday	trth_download_endofday	
EndofDay Transactions	trth_download_endofday_transactions	
Depth	trth_download_depth	
Index	trth_download_index	
Corpactions	trth_download_corpactions	

ETL stage II - Convert and data QA

- Validate report RICs

 This is literally a test run of the converter with one invented trade per security, to make sure all the configuration works before running the converter. This saves both our time and processor time, as conversion can take quite a while. (validate report rics/nyse tag)
- The converter

 It takes the raw data, as downloaded from TRTH and stored in S3 in stage I, and converts it to Blueshift file format, also stored in S3, ready for stage III (metric generation).

ETL stage II - Convert and data QA

- Track names consist of the "uptick name" of the trading market and a suffix indicating the data type; for instance, asx_taq is the "trades and quotes" data for the ASX.
- Task name varies based on data type

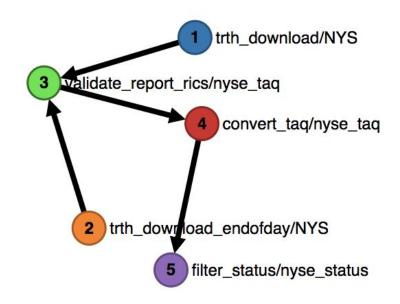
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-- convert_taq/asx_taq (TAQ)
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- -- refdata_eod_convert/ASX, import_reference_data/ASX (EOD reference)
- -- convert_index/asx_index (index)
- -- convert_info/asx_info (info)
- -- refdata_corpactions_convert/ASX (corpactions)
- -- convert_endofday_transactions/asx_taq (EODTX)

ETL stage II - Convert and data QA

Filter_status (asx_status)

• filter_status tasks produce a smaller feed for the metrics that don't need trades and quotes (typically because they're only based on the results of another metric). This should make these metrics run much faster. The filter_status tasks depend on the corresponding convert_taq.



- The third stage of our ETL process is metric generation. The final product of this stage is metric results in CSV in S3.
- Most metrics are generated for per listing market^trading market.

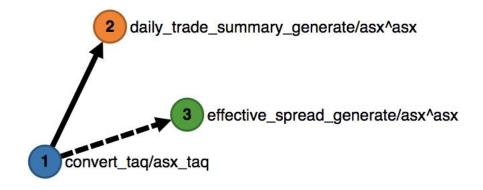
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(e.g. daily_stats_generate/lse^lse,
    daily_stats_generate/lse^chi_x,
    daily_stats_generate/xetra^chi_x)
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• We also have national metrics, which read convert data from multiple trading markets belong to one listing market.

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(e.g. nbbo_generate/lse^, nbbo_generate/xetra^)
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Input sources:

 The converted data in Blueshift. This is the "main" data source and triggers the callbacks in the metric.

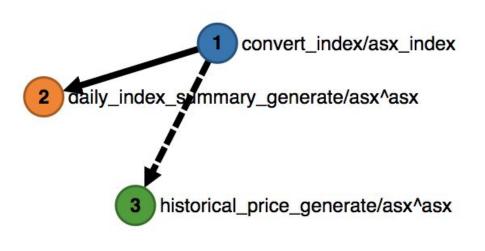


Input sources:

Refdata. For example,
 metrics dealing with
 derivatives will often access
 refdata in order to
 determine the underlying
 security.



Input sources:



Metrics can process data from the following sources (cont.):

The results of other metrics, on the same day or previous days.

Benchmark

These metrics are implemented in two stages (technically, as two metrics). In the first stage, they generate a measure for each day separately. In the second stage, which is a separate metric (and therefore a separate task in workflow), they compare the value for today with values for previous days and output a measure or alert based on the degree to which this day is unusual.

E.g

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eod_price_dislocation_generate/asx^asx 2018-01-04 job 28262829

Task: eod_price_dislocation_generate/asx^asx

Date: 2018-01-04 (Thursday)

Status: success

restart job

Parents: S eod_window_trade_value_generate/asx^asx, S historical_true_price_generate/asx^asx, S daily_trade_summary_generate/asx^asx, S historical_price_generate/asx^asx,

S daily_info_generate/asx^asx

Children: S eod_price_dislocation_sync/asx^asx

Metrics can process data from the following sources (cont.):

The results of other metrics, on the same day or previous days.

• Historical data
Some metrics need access to the previous days' data in order to
compute statistics across days; for these, we have "historical price"
pseudo-metrics which output prices and other summary statistics on
a per-minute basis. The metric itself can then access these prices.

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@requires_metric(name='daily_trade_summary', previous_trading_days=30)
@requires_metric(name='historical_price', previous_trading_days=1)
@requires_metric(name='historical_true_price', previous_trading_days=30)
@requires_metric(name='eod_window_trade_value', previous_trading_days=30)
@requires_metric(name='daily_info', previous_trading_days=2)
@class EodPriceDislocation(TSSingleMarketMixin, BaseMetric):
```

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lclass AmihudRatio(MaterialisedView, models.Model):
        market = models.ForeignKey(Market)
        date = models.DateField()
        tradable = models.ForeignKey(Tradable, db_constraint=False)
        security = models.CharField(max length=255)
        daily trade value in usd = models.DecimalField(max digits=30, decimal places=2, null=True, blank=True)
        volume = models.BigIntegerField(null=True, blank=True)
        abs daily return perc = models.DecimalField(max digits=30, decimal places=4, null=True, blank=True)
        amihud ratio = models.FloatField(null=True)
        amivest measure = models.FloatField(null=True)
        insert sql = """
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Metrics can process data from the following sources (cont.):

The results of other metrics, on the same day or previous days.

• Previous result

Some metrics do not use the converted data at all; they only read the results of a previous day. For instance, there is a metric which calculates the intra-day return based on the close price of today and yesterday; these close prices are retrieved from the result of the "daily trade summary" metric.

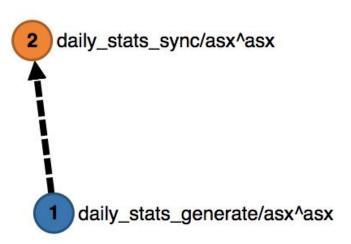
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@requires_metric(name='daily_trade_summary', previous_trading_days=1)
class DailyStats(TQSingleMarketMixin, SSingleMarketMixin, BaseMetric):
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ETL stage IV - Metric Sync

- The fourth stage of our ETL process is metric sync. The final product of this stage is instrument-level metric results in the MQDashboard QA database.
- Metrics in MQD can be viewed in on four major levels: instrument level, market (venue) level, group level and index level.
- In this stage, we update the instrument level only; the other levels are updated in ETL stage V Matview refresh.

ETL stage IV - Metric Sync

The task type will be
 the metric name
 followed by "_sync",
 e.g. daily_stats_sync.
 The task name will be
 the same as metric
 generate, e.g.
 daily_stats_sync/lse^
 lse, nbbo_sync/lse^



ETL stage V - Matview refresh

- The fifth stage of our ETL process is matview refresh. The final product of this stage is market- and index-level metric results in the MQDashboard QA database.
- The task type is refresh_materialised_views
- The task name is the trading market name, without any symbols (e.g. refresh_materialised_views/asx)
- The parent jobs are the metric sync jobs

ETL stage V - Matview refresh

refresh_materialised_views/asx 2018-01-04 job 28243695

Task: refresh_materialised_views/asx

Date: 2018-01-04 (Thursday)

Status: success

restart job

Parents: S autocorrelation_sync/asx^asx, S variance_ratio_sync/asx^asx, S daily_crash_risk_sync/asx^asx, S liquidity_group_dailystats_sync/asx^asx,

- S continuous_trading_manipulation_sync/asx^asx, S deciles_calculate/asx^asx, S effective_spread_sync/asx^asx, S common_liquidity_sync/asx^asx, S daily_stats_sync/asx^asx,
- S quote_to_trade_ratio_sync/asx^asx, S opening_price_dislocation_sync/asx^asx, S info_leakage_abnormal_volume_sync/asx^asx, S roll_spread_sync/asx^asx, S sqrt_trade_value_sync/asx^asx,
- S quoted_spread_sync/asx^asx, S quote_volatility_sync/asx^asx, S nbbo_sync/asx^, S corwin_schultz_spread_sync/asx^asx, S nbbo_effective_spread_sync/asx^,
- S nbbo_realised_spread_sync/asx^, S daily_adjusted_return_sync/asx^asx , S update_index_constituents/all , S realised_spread_multi_interval_sync/asx^asx ,
- S nbbo_implementation_shortfall_sync/asx^, S implementation_shortfall_sync/asx^asx, S auction_trade_stats_sync/asx^asx, S info_leakage_sync/asx^asx, S eod_price_dislocation_sync/asx^asx,
- S intraday_sync/asx^asx, S interday_sync/asx^asx

Children: