



# Azure Design Advanced Application

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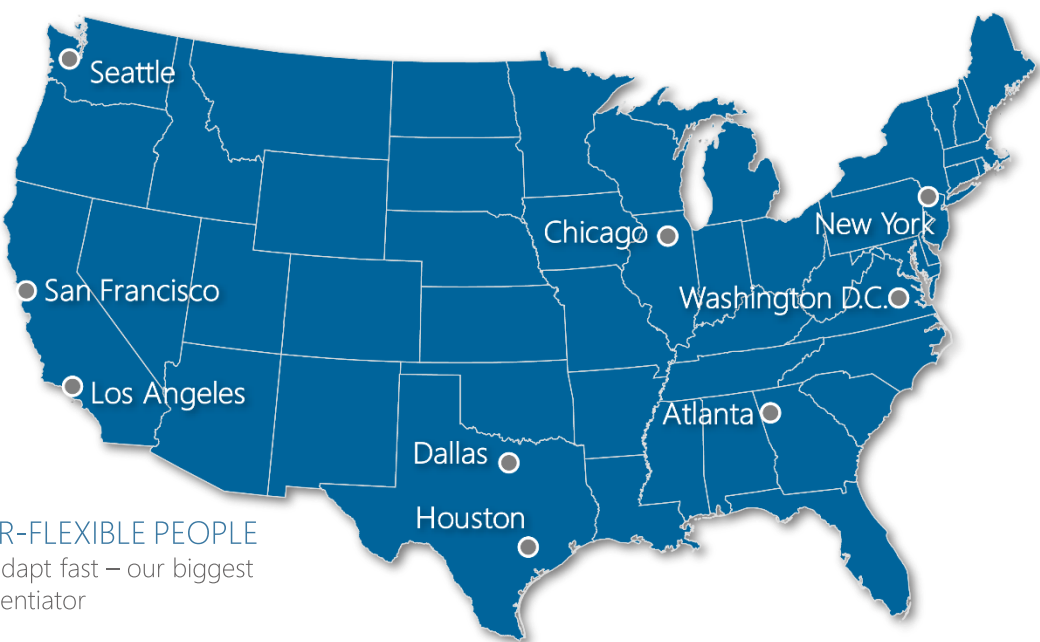


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## Our Solutions



Strategy



Mobility



Cloud



Data



Portals & Collaboration



CRM



Custom Software



Enterprise Integration



User Experience

# Design Advanced Applications

70-534 Architecting Azure Solutions (20-25%)

## Design Connectivity for Hybrid Apps

Service Bus Relay, Hybrid Connections, Azure Web App VPN

## Applications for Background Processing

Azure Batch, Azure Web Jobs, Azure Functions, Azure Scheduler

## Implement Messaging Applications

Queue-centric pattern, Azure Storage Queues, Azure Service Bus Queues

## Compute-intensive Applications

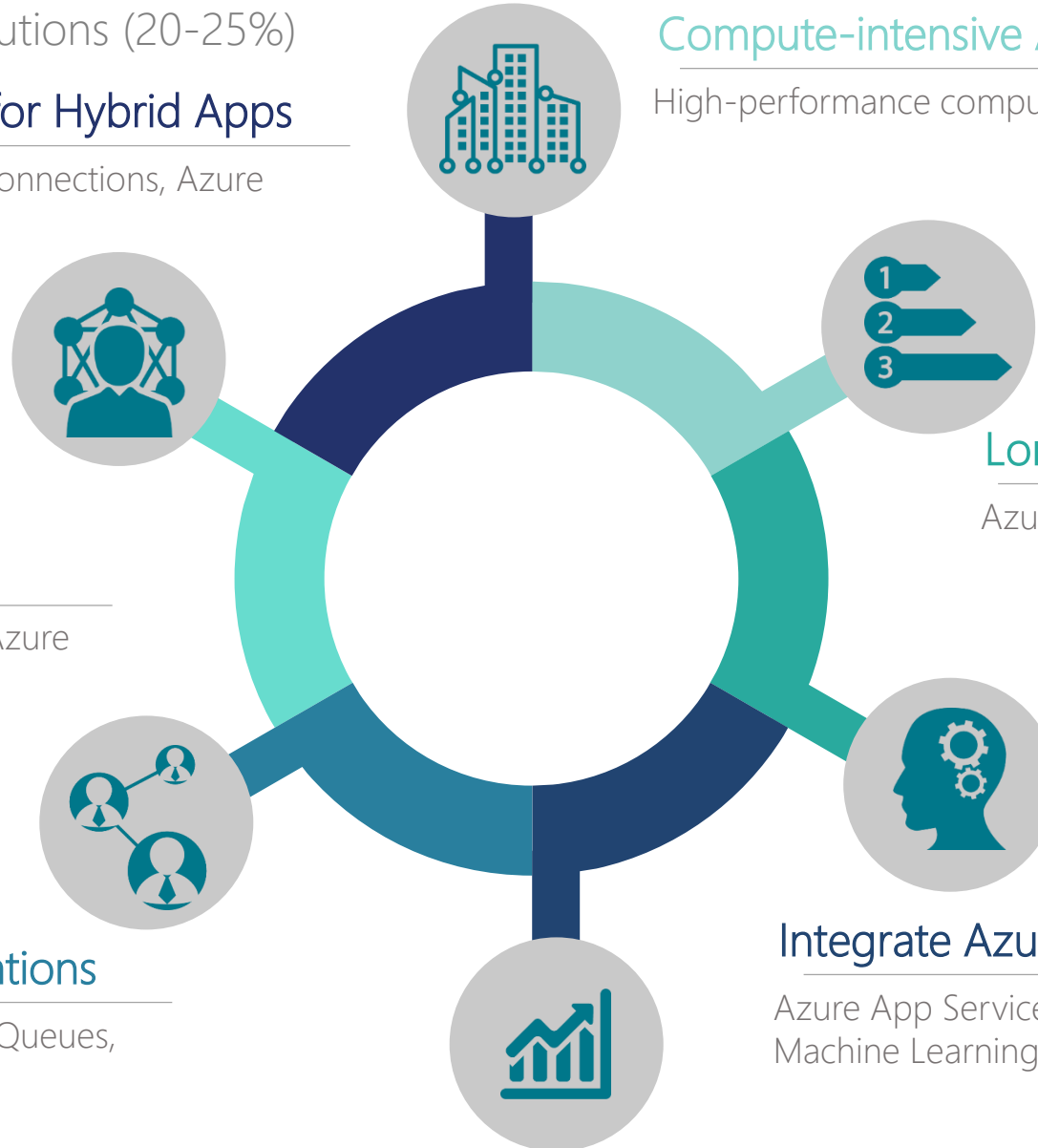
High-performance computing (HPC)

## Long-running Applications

Azure Batch, Azure Scheduler

## Integrate Azure Services in a Solution

Azure App Service, API Management, Service Bus, Machine Learning, Big Data, Azure Media/Search Services



# Real-world Applications

Our experience



## Solution A

- Build Big Data Platform
- Leverage Machine Learning
- Predictive Analytics
  - Customer Segmentation
  - Customer Churn Prediction
  - Forecast Energy & Power Demand
- Mobile App, API Management & Power BI
- Remote Battery Control

## Solution B

- Build Web API
- Create multi-tenant, multi-client application
  - Web App
  - Azure Mobile Services - Xamarin
- Integrate CI/CD DevOps

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# Hybrid Applications

# Why would you want external applications to connect to a server inside your network?



## Small External Use Case

The external application might be a small use case when compared to the on premise use case

## Security

You may have security requirements that prevent you from deploying certain application to a public cloud.

## Part of a Large Network

It may not make sense to migrate a single application when it is part of a large on premise network

# How You Can Connect

## Three Options



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### Service Bus Relay

- Runs in the cloud
- Accepts the request (WCF service call) and passes the request to the WCF service running inside your network
- Very selective on what traffic that you allow onto your network



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### BizTalk API (Deprecated)

- Your application is written in any language that Azure supports
- Applications moved from a local network to the cloud without changing a connection string
- Much easier to move these API and services into the cloud because no connection string changes are required

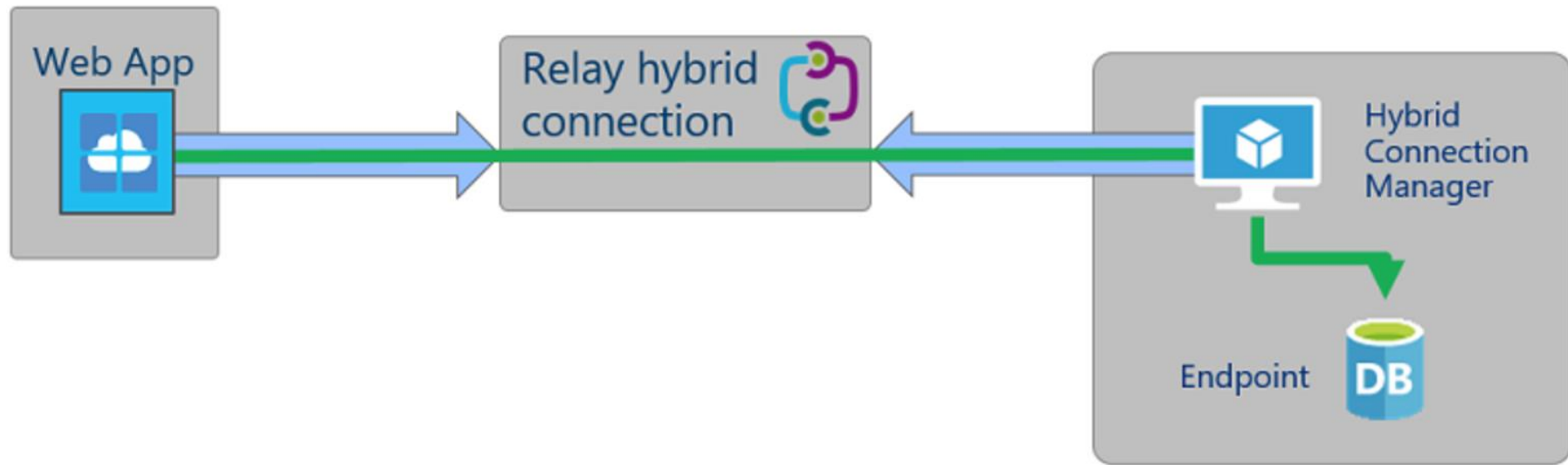


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### Azure App Service Hybrid Connection

- Apps can securely access on premises systems and services securely
- the feature does not require an internet accessible endpoint
- it is quick and easy to set up
- each hybrid connection matches to a single host:port combination which is an excellent security aspect
- it normally does not require firewall holes as the connections are all outbound over standard web ports
- because the feature is network level that also means that it is agnostic to the language used by your app and the technology used by the endpoint





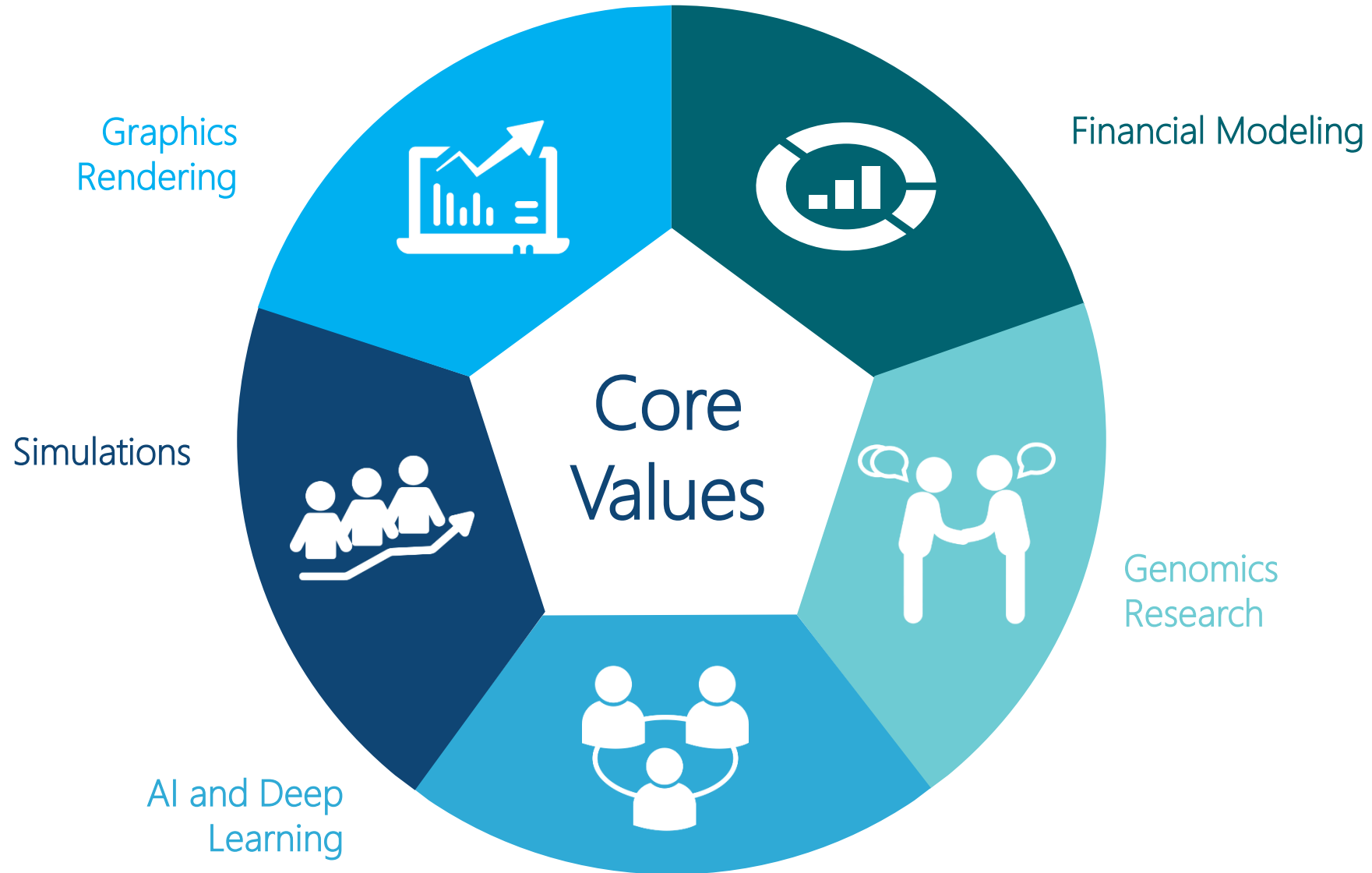
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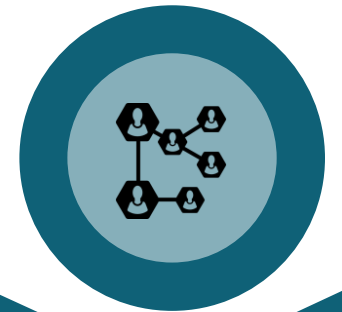
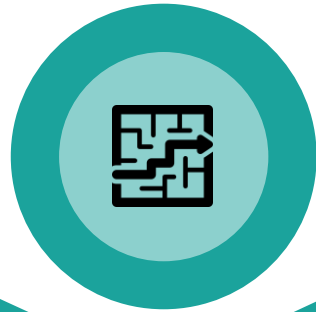


# Compute Intensive Applications

# Compute Intensive Use Cases



# Changing Big Compute Environment



## HPC Pack On-premise

- On-premises Windows clusters
- Easy scaling to reduce runtimes
- Job scheduling and management
- Compute node provisioning

## HPC Pack Hybrid

- On-premises Windows clusters
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## HPC Pack IaaS

- Deploy cluster all in cloud
- Move existing applications
- Support projects and testing
- Gallery images and scripts to deploy
- Flexible VM configuration

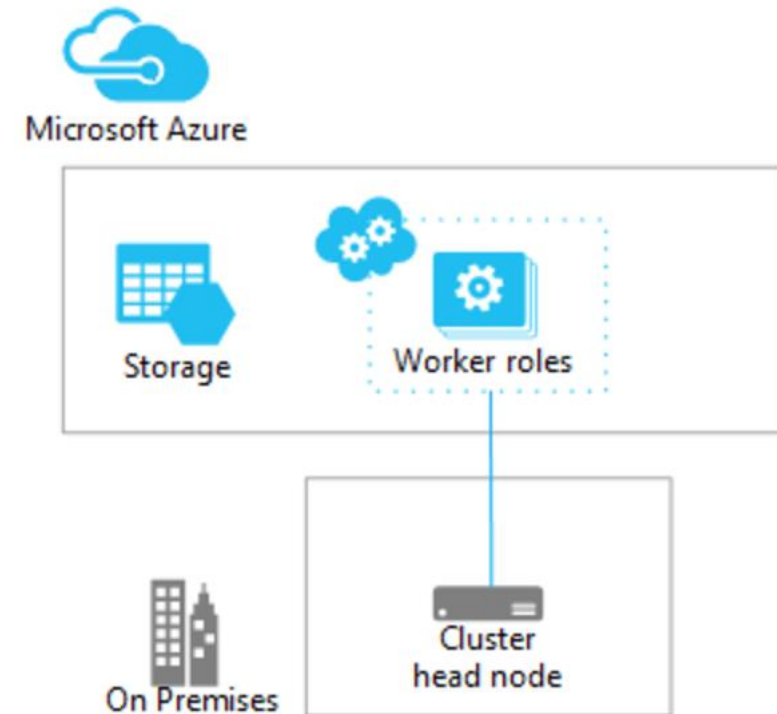
## Azure Batch PaaS

- Native cloud scheduler
- Devops, not infrastructure management
- Small to very large deployments
- Elasticity with auto-scale
- Use within a service or to offer SaaS

# High Performance Computing (HPC) Cluster

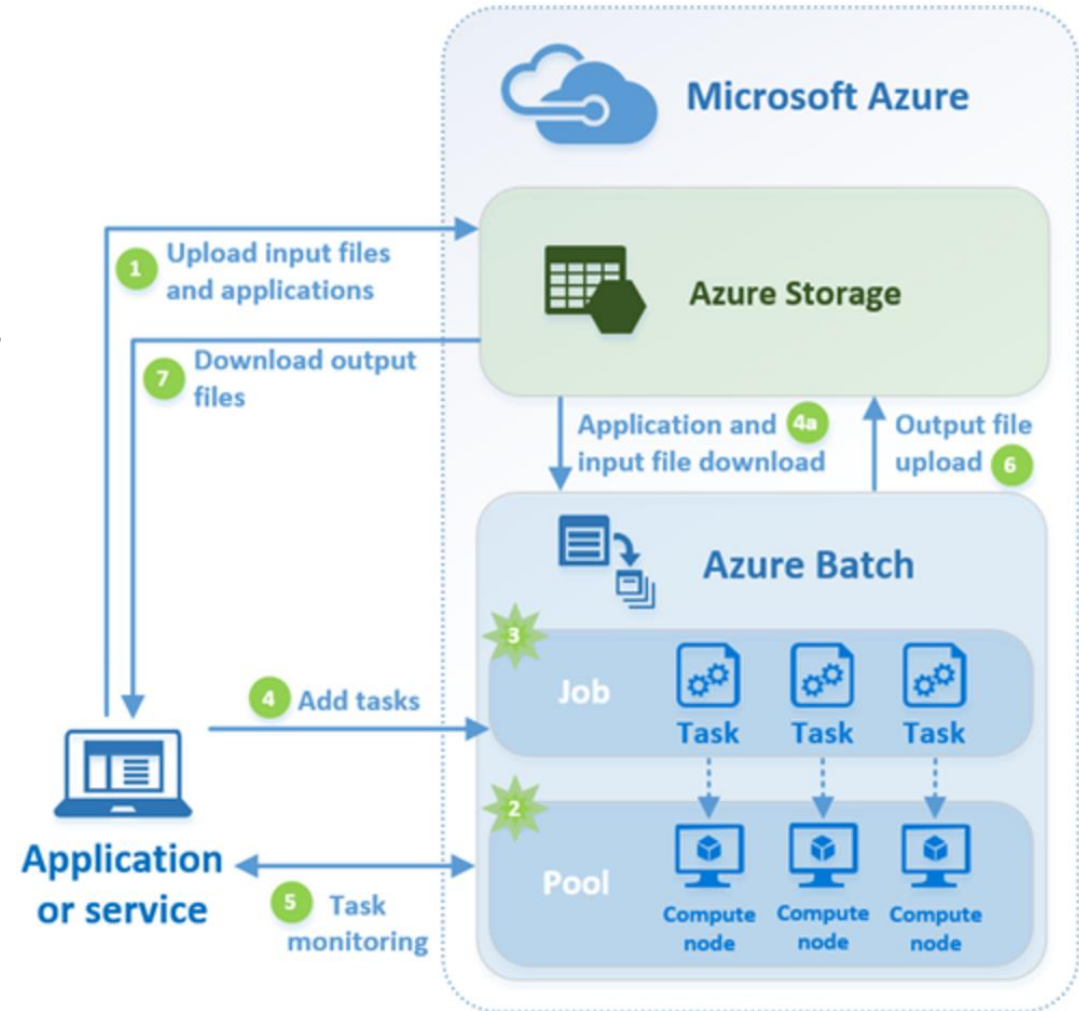
## Head Node

- Central place that accepts work
- Controls the distribution of jobs
- Tasks happen on clusters
- Head node can be hosted on-premise or in the cloud
- Must install HPC pack on head node



# Azure Batch

1. Upload input files
2. Create a Batch pool of compute nodes
3. Create a Batch Job
4. Add Tasks to the job
5. Monitor the job
6. Output file upload to Azure Storage
7. Download output files





# Implementing Messaging Applications



# Why Use Messaging Applications

## Background



## Solution & Benefits

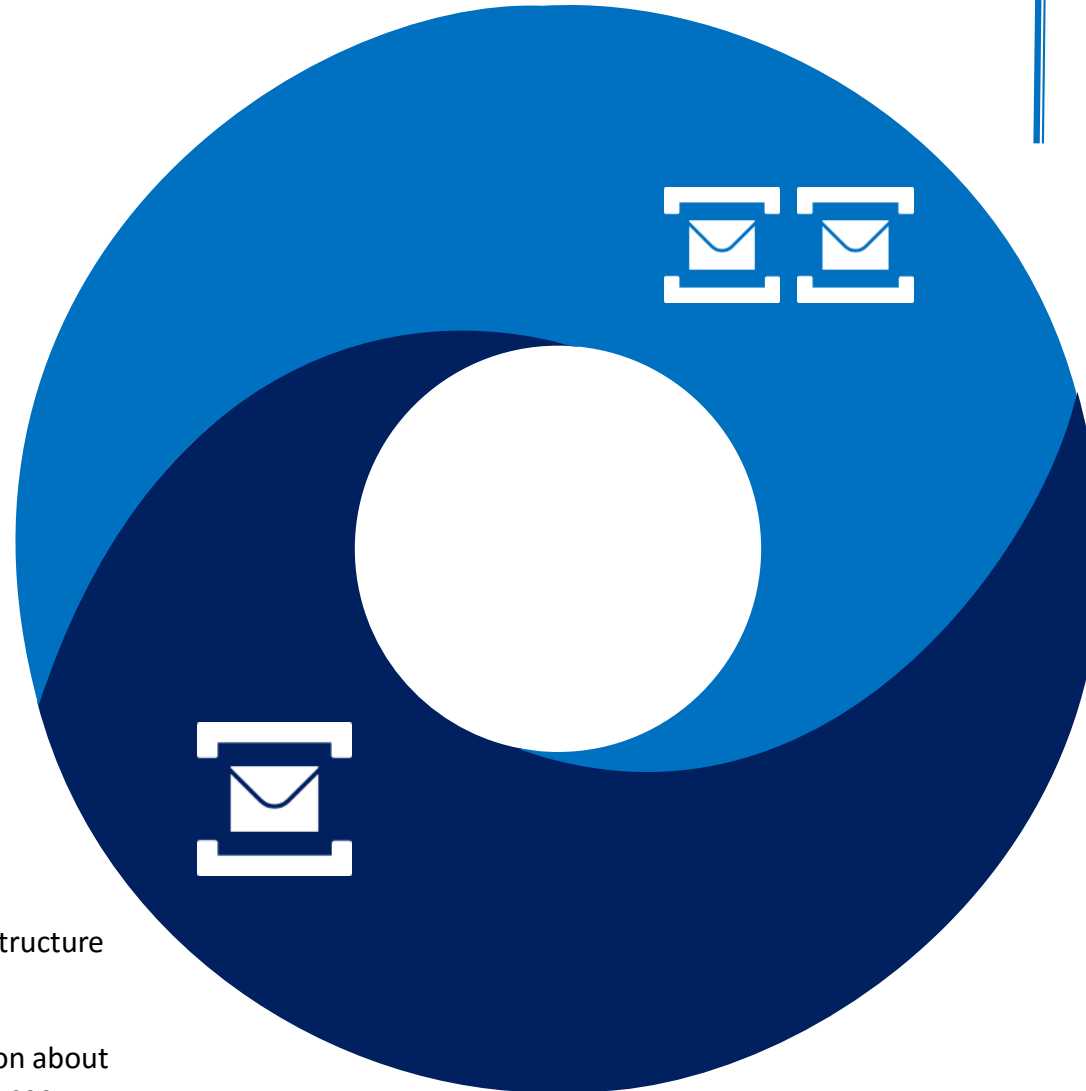
Designing “Cloud Native” applications is different from your traditional monolith application. In order to take advantage of the cloud you need to design in scalability. Messaging application play a key role in enabling scale ability



# Two main options for messaging applications

## Azure Storage Queue

are part of the Azure storage infrastructure, feature a simple REST-based GET/PUT/PEEK interface, providing reliable, persistent messaging within and between services



## Service Bus

part of a broader Azure messaging infrastructure that supports queuing as well as publish/subscribe, and more advanced integration patterns. For more information about Service Bus queues/topics/subscriptions, see the overview of Service Bus.

# Azure Storage Queue Service Concepts

**URL format:** Queues are addressable using the following URL format:

`http://<storage account>.queue.core.windows.net/<queue>`

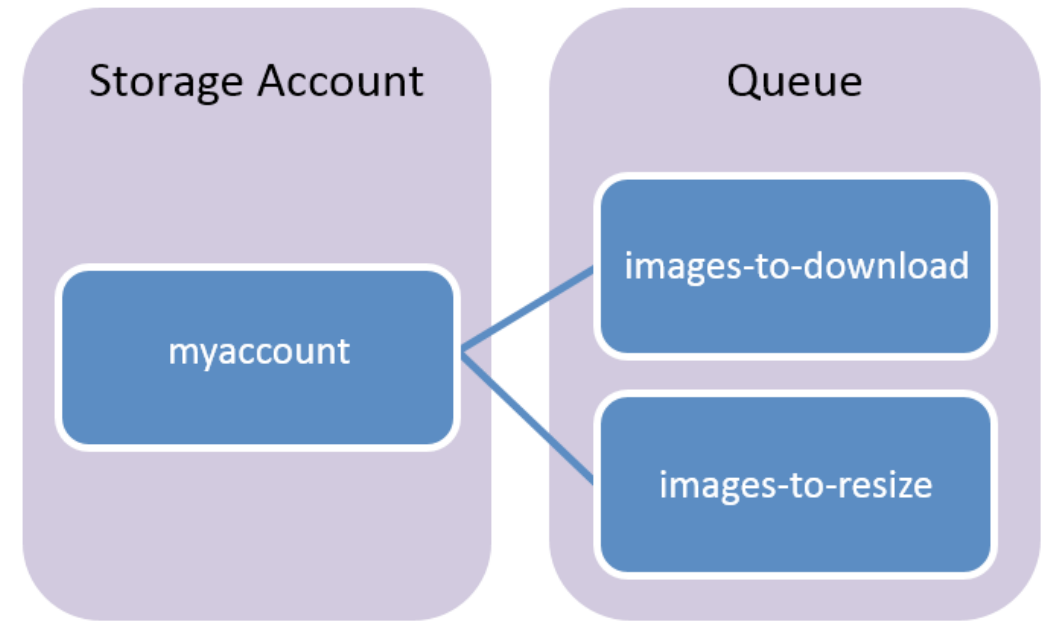
The following URL addresses a queue in the diagram:

`http://myaccount.queue.core.windows.net/images-to-download`

**Storage Account:** All access to Azure Storage is done through a storage account.

**Queue:** A queue contains a set of messages. All messages must be in a queue. Note that the queue name must be all lowercase.

**Message:** A message, in any format, of up to 64 KB. The maximum time that a message can remain in the queue is 7 days



# Azure Service Bus Key Concepts

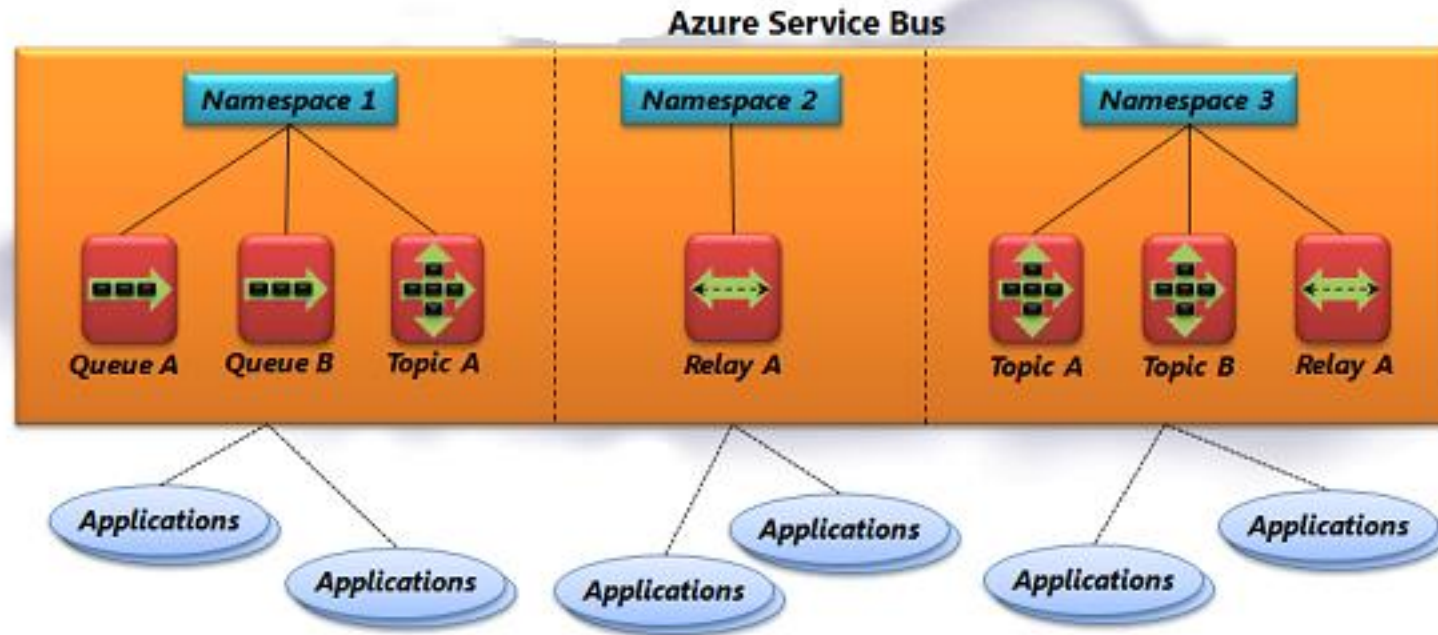
**Namespace:** An identifier for a grouping of communication mechanisms

Communication Mechanism:

- **Queues**, allow one-direction communication. Each queue acts as an intermediary (sometimes called a broker) that stores sent messages until they are received, Each message is received by a single recipient
- **Topics**, provide one-directional communication using subscriptions - a single topic can have multiple subscriptions. (pub sub). Like a queue, a topic acts as a broker, but each subscription can optionally use a filter to receive only messages that match specific criteria
- **Relays**, provide bi-directional communication. Unlike queues and topics, a relay doesn't store in-flight messages; it's not a broker. Instead it just passes them on to the destination application

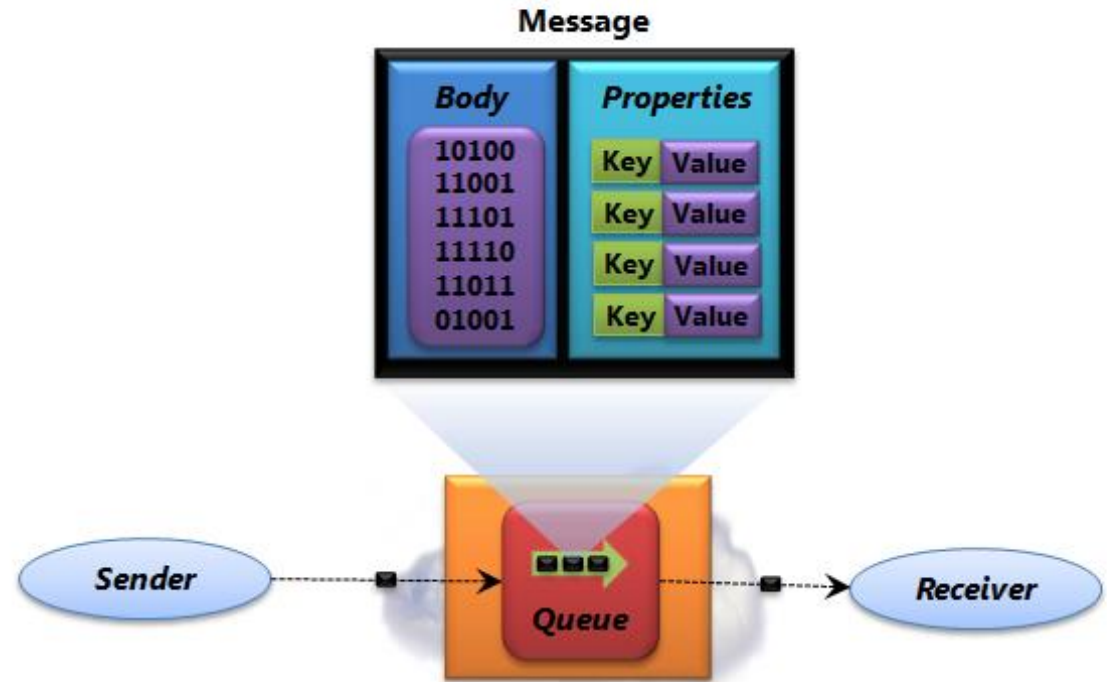
The combination of a namespace and a communication mechanism creates a unique identifier that can be used by an application

# Azure Service Bus Example



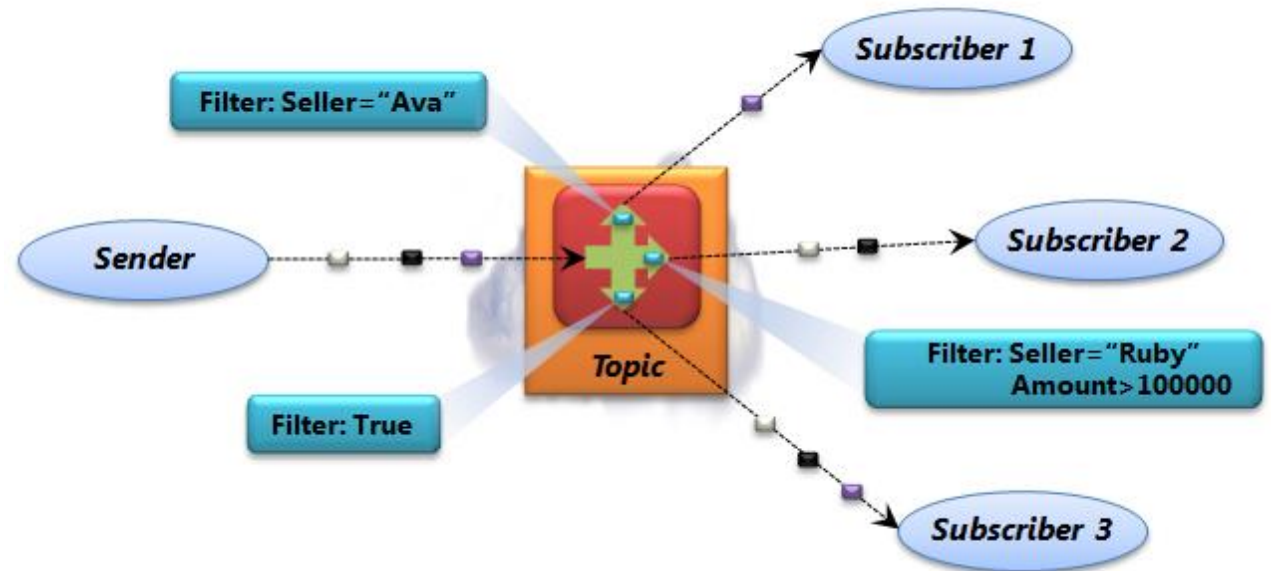
# Service Bus Queues

- Allow one-direction communication.
- Each queue acts as an intermediary (sometimes called a broker) that stores sent messages until they are received
- FIFO order guarantee
- Each message is received by a single recipient



# Service Bus Topics

- Similar to Pub/Sub
- One direction brokered communication
- Can filter messages that you want to receive



# Service Bus Relays

- Bi-directional communication
- Not brokered – no storage of in-flight messages
- Messages passed directly to application







# Long-running **Applications**

# Long-running Applications Considerations



## Availability

- Need to be aware of SLA's.
- Availability sets
- Avoid single points of failure
- **Stateless vs Stateful processes**

## Reliability

- Fault and Update domains if using IaaS
- Error handling
- Retry logic

## Scaling

- Up – beefier hardware
- Out – more instances of the hardware
- Design – “Cloud Native”

## Monitoring

- Logs
- Current state
- Application health

# Azure Scheduler

Scheduler creates, maintains, and invokes scheduled work. Scheduler does not host any workloads or run any code. It only ***invokes*** code hosted elsewhere—in Azure, on-premises, or with another provider. It invokes via HTTP, HTTPS, a storage queue, a service bus queue, or a service bus topic.



# Azure Functions vs. Azure Web Jobs – Code First Integrations



## Functions



## Web Jobs

Scaling	Configurationless scaling	Scale with App Service plan
Triggers	Timer, Cosmos DB, Event Hubs, Http/WebHook, Mobile Apps Notification Hubs, Azure Service Bus, Azure Storage	Azure Storage, Azure Service Bus
In-browser development	Supported	Not supported
Languages	C#, F#, PHP, Python, JavaScript	C#, Bash, PHP, Python, JavaScript



# Integrating Azure Services

# Integrate Azure Services – Services Overview

## Azure Active Directory



Synchronize on-premises directories and enable single sign-on

## App Service



Quickly create powerful cloud apps for web and mobile

## API Management



Publish APIs to developers, partners, and employees securely and at scale

Azure Active Directory provides identity management and access control for your cloud applications. To simply user access to cloud applications, you can synchronize on-premises identities, and enable single sign-on. Azure Active Directory comes in 3 editions: Free, Basic, and Premium.

Azure Service Bus is a messaging infrastructure that sits between applications allowing them to exchange messages for improved scale and resiliency.

Azure Event Hubs enables elastic-scale telemetry and event ingestion with durable buffering and sub-second end-to-end latency for millions of devices and events.

Azure Stream Analytics is an event-processing engine that helps you gain insights from devices, sensors, cloud infrastructure, and existing data properties in real-time. It's integrated out of the box with Event Hubs, and the combined solution can both ingest millions of events and do analytics to help you better understand patterns, power a dashboard, detect anomalies, or kick off an action while data is being streamed in real time.

Jumpstart your Internet of Things project with Microsoft IoT Hub. Connect, monitor, and control billions of IoT assets running on a broad set of operating systems and protocols. Establish reliable, bi-directional communication with these assets, even if they're intermittently connected, and analyze—and act on—incoming telemetry data. Enhance the security of your IoT solutions by using per-device authentication to communicate with devices that have the appropriate credentials. Revoke access rights to specific devices to maintain the integrity of your system.

## Redis Cache



Power applications with high-throughput, low-latency data access

## Azure Search



Fully-managed search-as-a-service

## Service Bus



Connect across private and public cloud environments

Azure App Service lets you create apps faster with a one-of-a kind cloud service to quickly and easily create enterprise-ready web and mobile apps for any platform or device and deploy them on a scalable and reliable cloud infrastructure.

Azure API Management lets you publish APIs to developers, partners, and employees securely and at scale.

Azure Redis Cache—based on the popular open source Redis cache—gives you access to a secure, dedicated cache for your Azure applications.

Azure Search is a fully-managed service for adding sophisticated search capabilities to web and mobile applications without the typical complexities of full-text search.

## Event Hubs



Receive telemetry from millions of devices

## Stream Analytics



Real-time data stream processing from millions of IoT devices

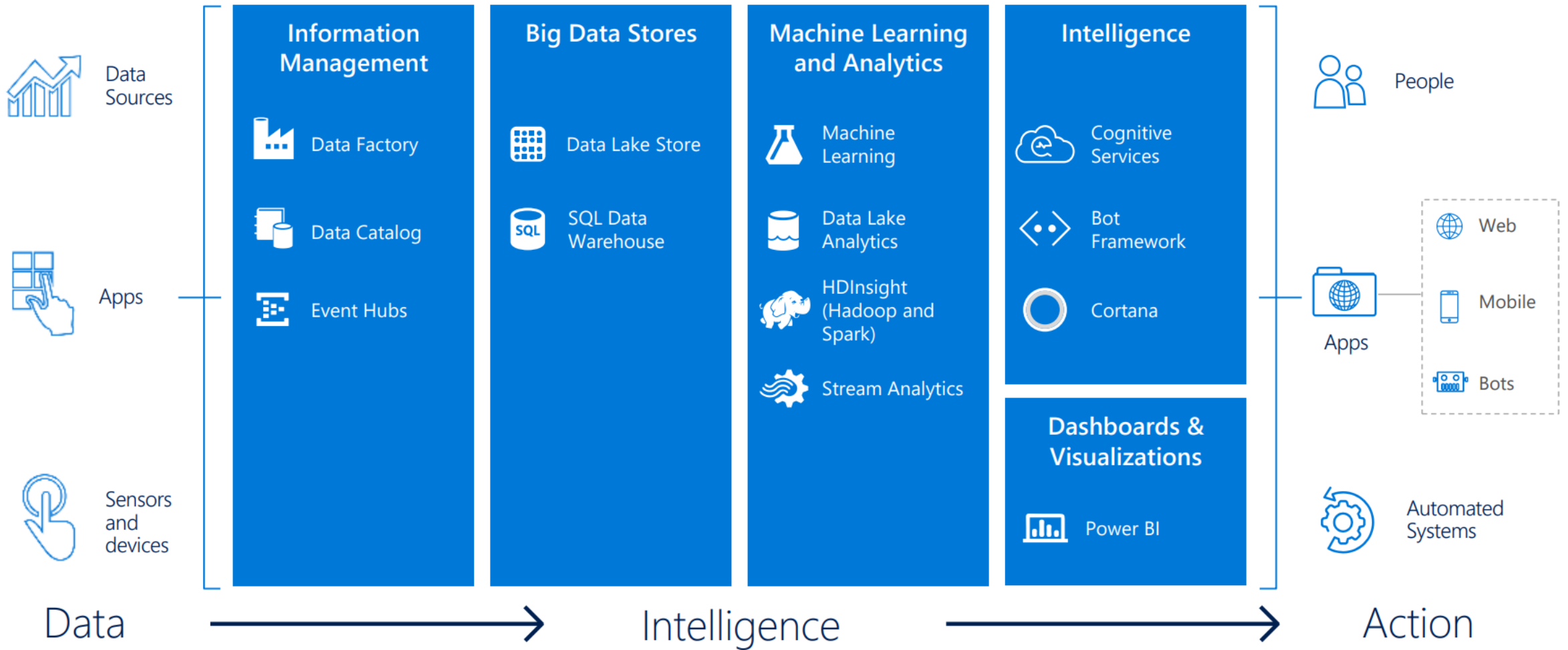
## IoT Hub



Connect, monitor, and control billions of IoT assets

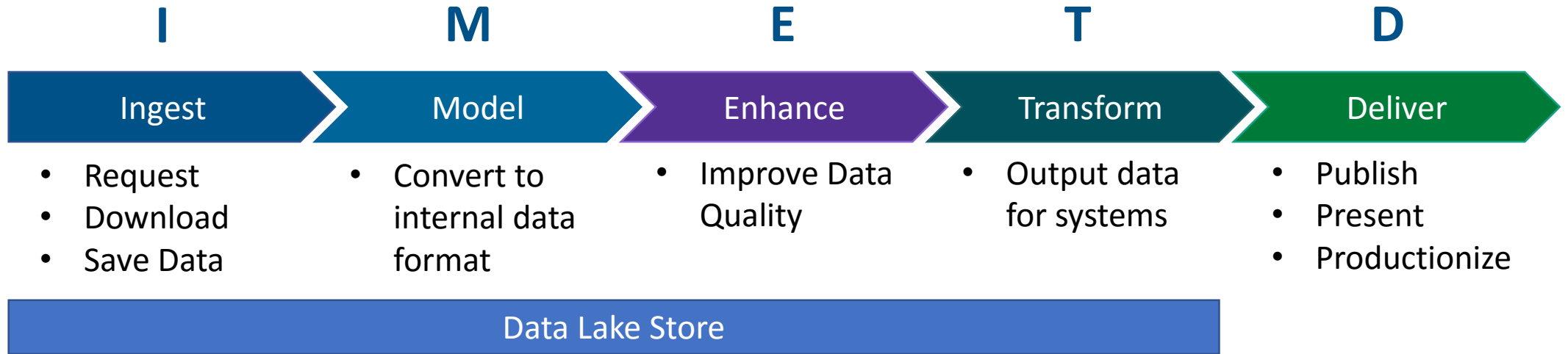


# Standard Azure Big Data Analytics Process



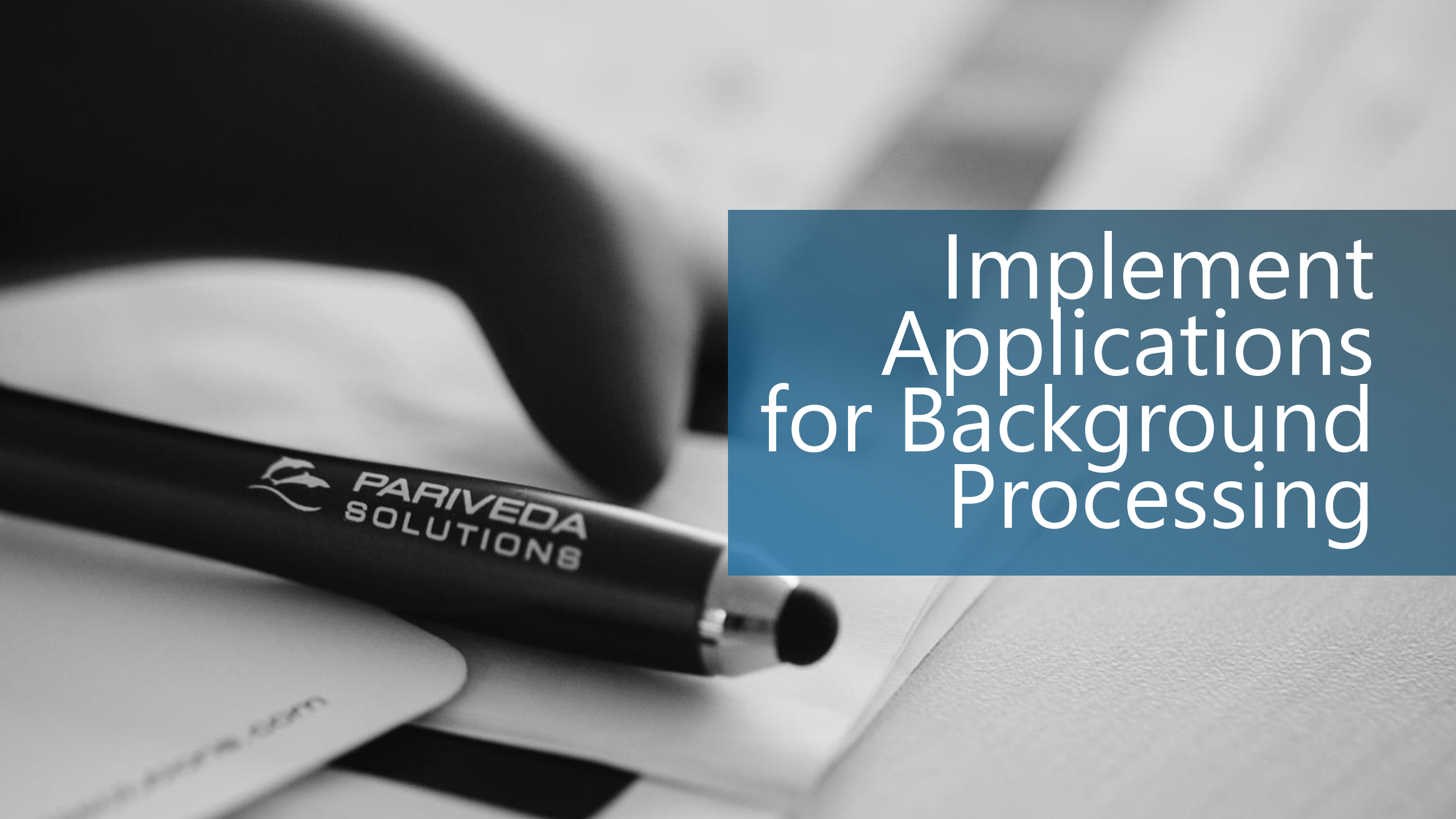


# Pariveda's IMET-D Framework



## Examples

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Download from FTP</li><li>• Request from API</li><li>• Save to Data Lake</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organize &amp; categorize data</li><li>• Convert like-data from various sources to standard format</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Apply business logic</li><li>• Convert to UTC time</li><li>• Fill in gaps</li><li>• Assign data grade</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create output JSON, CSV, etc.</li><li>• Save to application database</li><li>• "Structure" the data</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Power BI</li><li>• Mobile App</li><li>• Publish via API</li><li>• Machine Learning</li><li>• Feedback loop</li></ul> |
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# Implement Applications for Background Processing

# Applications for Background Processing– Services Overview

## Batch



Cloud-scale job scheduling and  
compute management

## App Service



Quickly create powerful cloud apps  
for web and mobile

Azure Batch makes it easy to run large-scale parallel and high-performance computing (HPC) workloads in Azure. Use Batch to scale out parallel workloads, manage the execution of tasks in a queue, and cloud-enable applications to offload compute jobs to the cloud.

Azure App Service lets you create apps faster with a one-of-a kind cloud service to quickly and easily create enterprise-ready web and mobile apps for any platform or device and deploy them on a scalable and reliable cloud infrastructure.

## Functions



Process events with serverless code

Azure Functions is an event driven, compute-on-demand experience. You can leverage Azure Functions to build HTTP endpoints accessible by mobile and IoT devices.

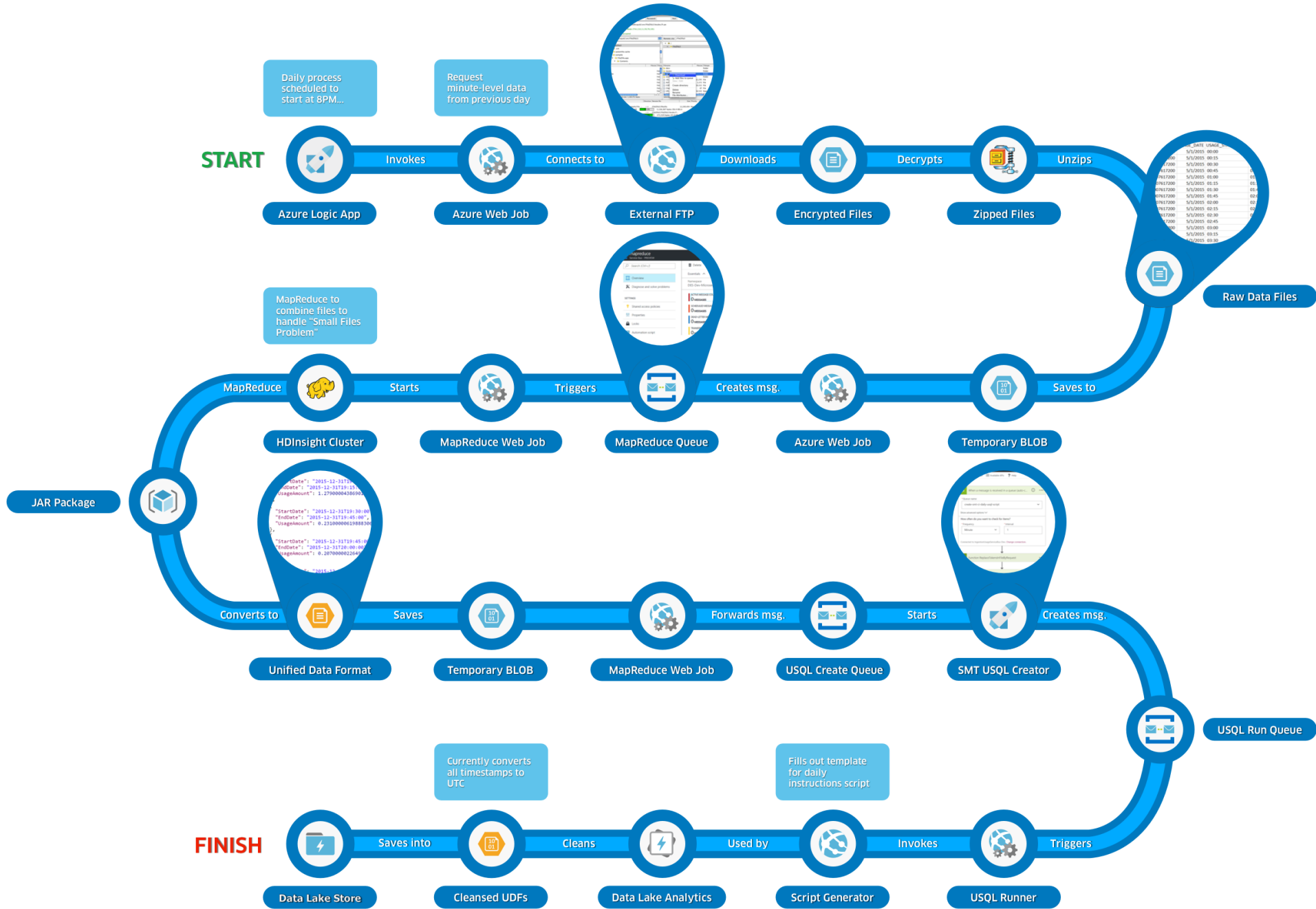
Azure Scheduler lets you invoke actions that call HTTP/S endpoints or post messages to a storage queue on any schedule. Create jobs that reliably call services either inside or outside of Azure and run those jobs right away, on a regular or irregular schedule, or at a future date.

## Scheduler



Run your jobs on simple or complex  
recurring schedules

# Example



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