



**Stream
Native**

Build ML Enhanced
Event Streaming
Apps with Java



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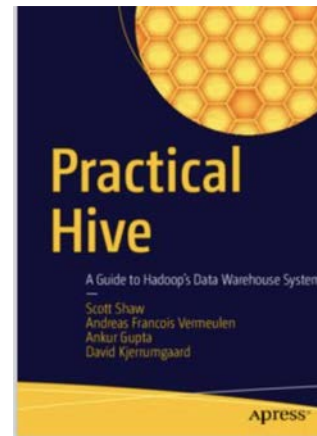
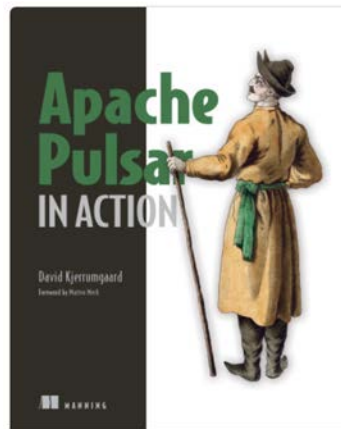
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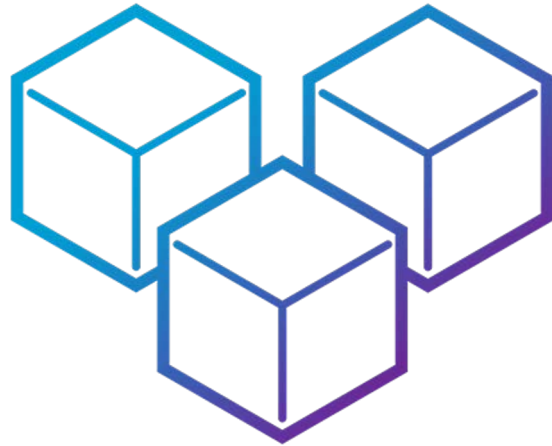


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Agenda

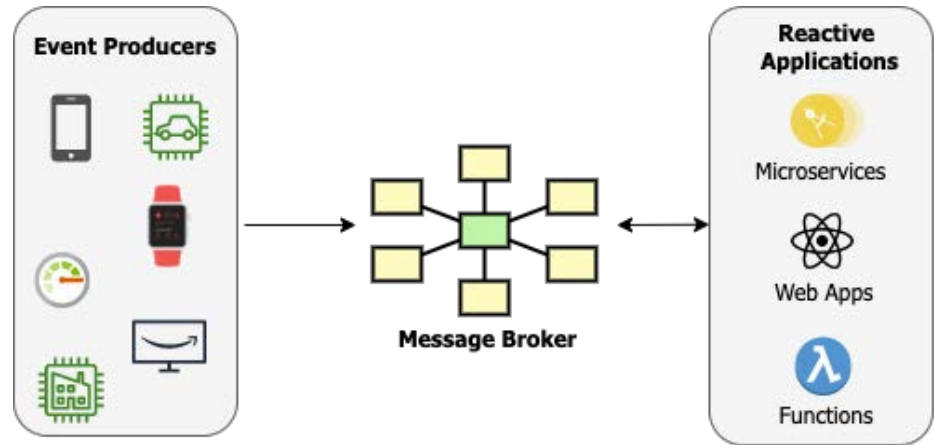
- Why Apache Pulsar for EDA Microservices?
- Building Event-Driven Microservices with Pulsar Functions
- Enhancing Event-Driven Microservice with ML

Event-Driven Microservices



What is an Event-Driven Architecture?

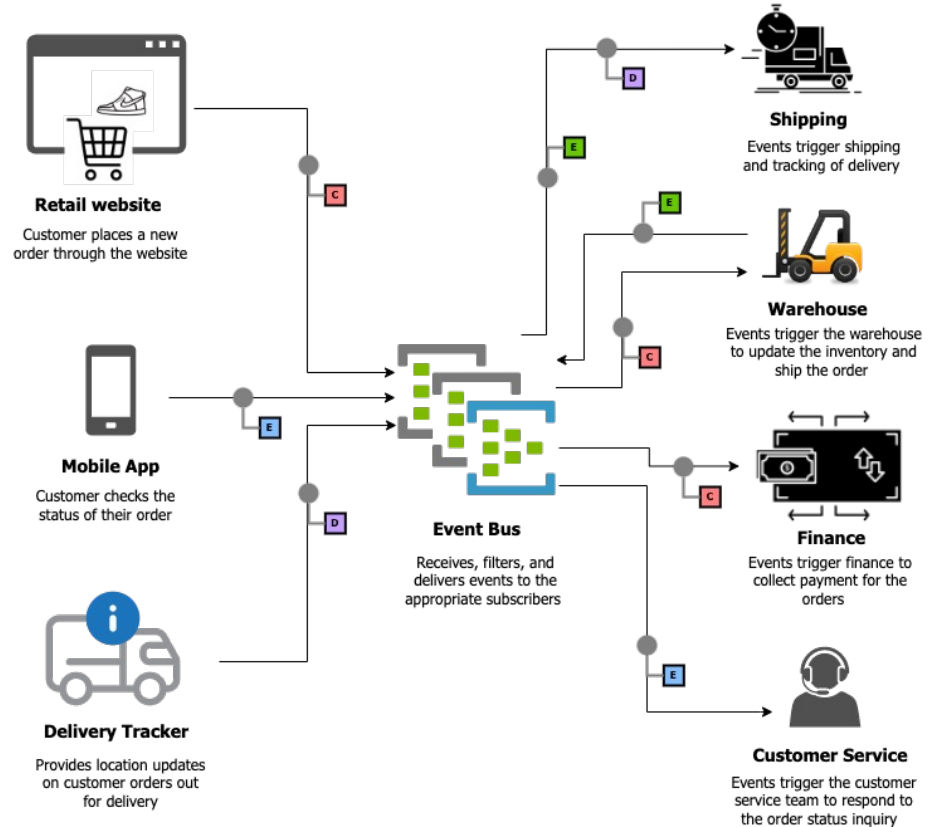
- An event-driven architecture (EDA) uses events to communicate between decoupled services.
- An event is a change in state, or an update, like an item being placed in a shopping cart on an e-commerce website.
- In an EDA services are loosely coupled and communicate asynchronously, typically via pub/sub.



Event-Driven Microservices

- Microservices that are designed to communicate with one another over a message bus are considered event-driven.

Event-Driven
Microservices *NEED*
an Event Bus



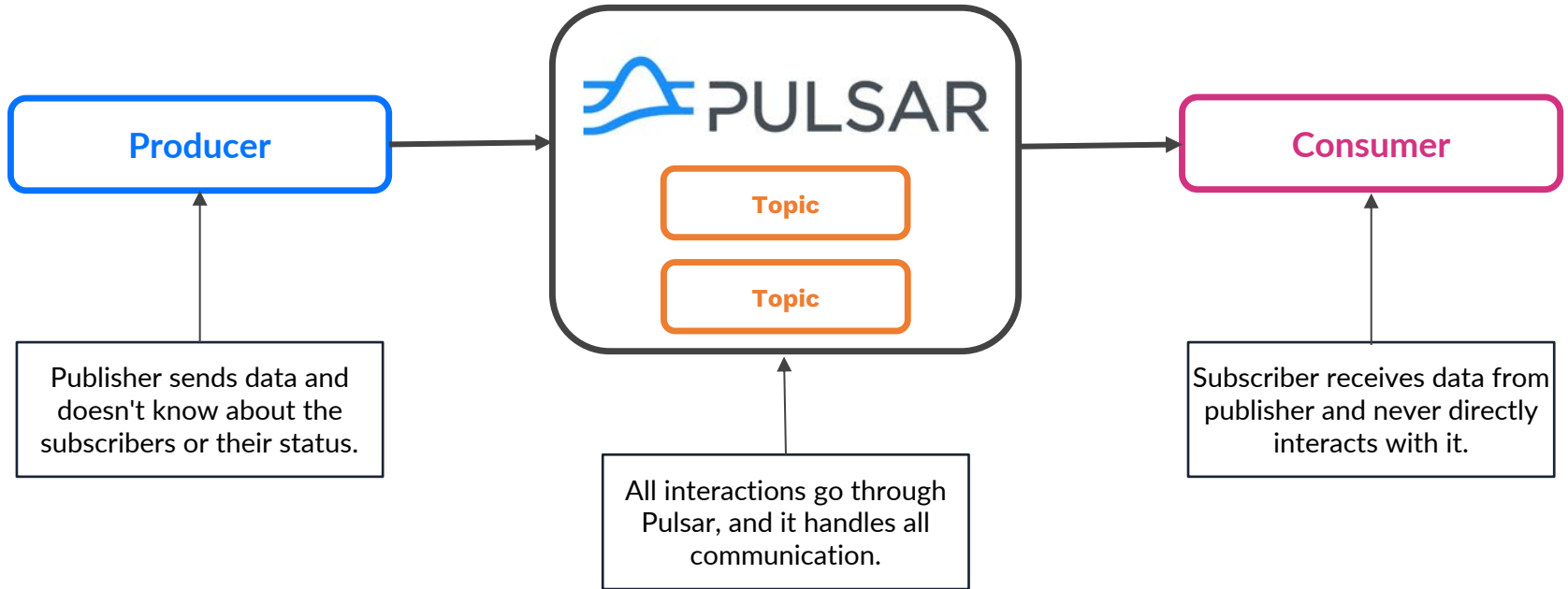
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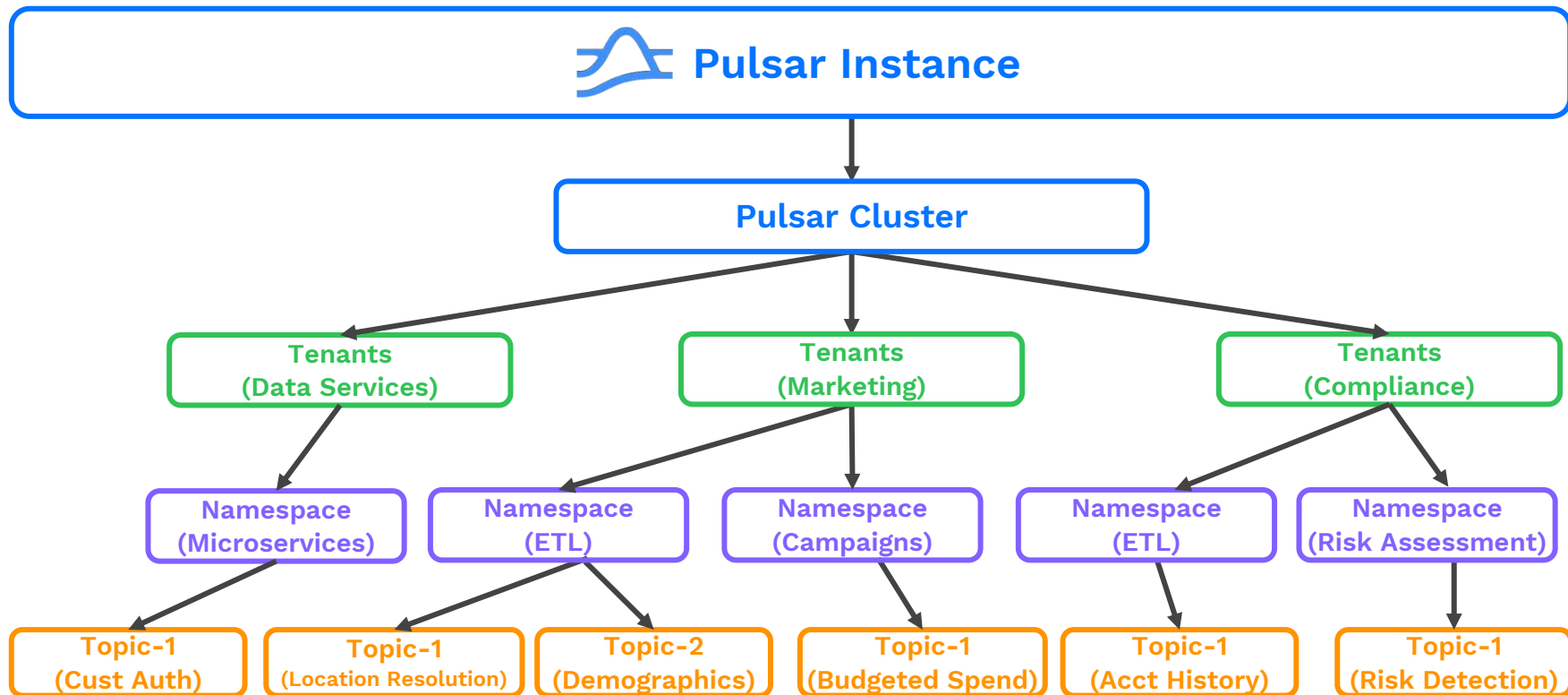


Cloud-Native Messaging and Event-Streaming Platform

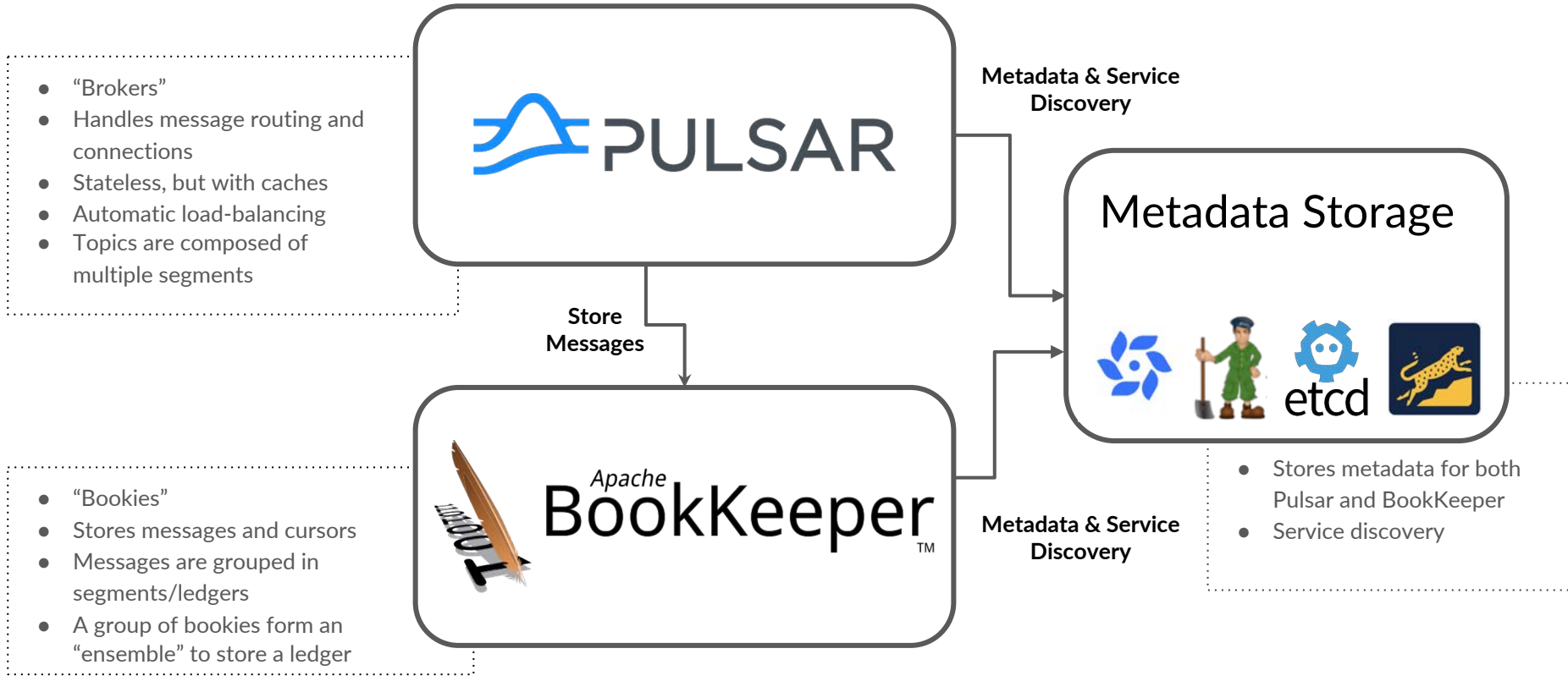
Pulsar Pub/Sub Model



Topics



Physical Architecture of a Pulsar Cluster



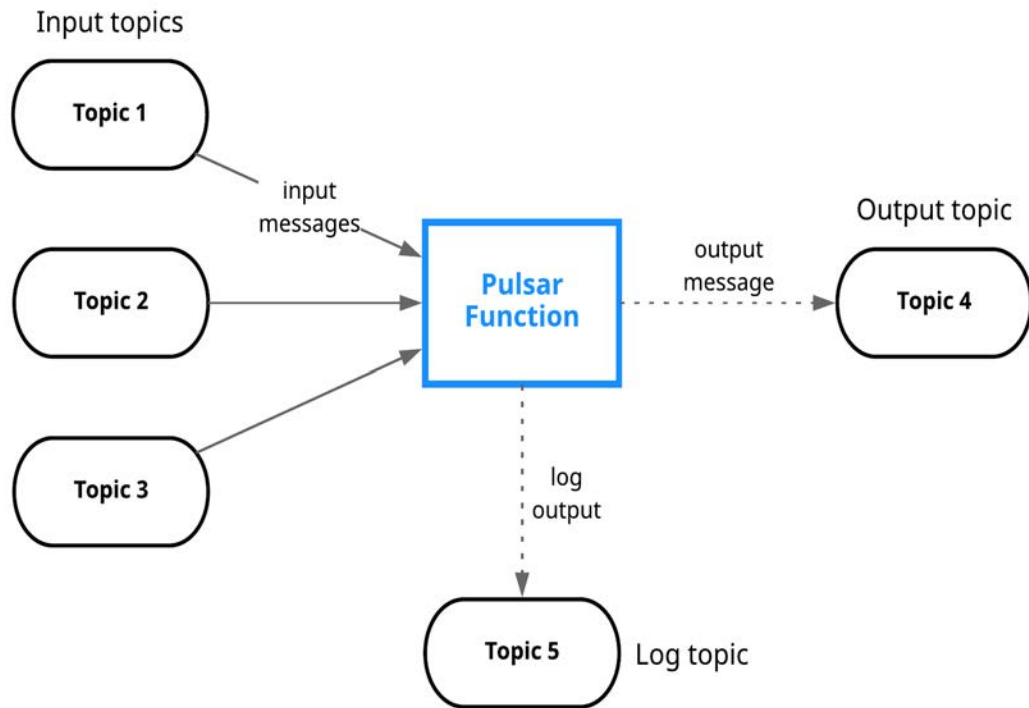
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What are Pulsar Functions?

- Pulsar Functions are a serverless computing framework that runs on top of Pulsar. You can think of them as like FaaS (Functions as a Service) offerings on cloud providers, e.g., AWS Lambdas.
- Pulsar functions take care of the boilerplate code, so you don't have to create producers and consumers. You can focus on the business problem instead of the code.
- Pulsar Functions provide a way to run individual units of code that respond to the publication of messages on one or more topics.

Pulsar Functions Programming Model



- Consume messages from one or more Pulsar topics.
- Apply user-supplied processing logic to each message.
- Publish the results of the computation to another topic.
- Support multiple programming languages (Java, Python, Go)
- Can leverage 3rd-party libraries to support the *execution of ML models*.

Why Pulsar Functions?

Functions are the computing infrastructure of the Pulsar messaging system and can help ease stream processing complexity by providing:

- Simplified deployment and operations - you can create a data pipeline without deploying a separate Stream Processing Engine (SPE), such as Apache Storm, Apache Heron, or Apache Flink.
- Serverless computing (when you use Kubernetes runtime)
- Maximized developer productivity (both language-native interfaces and SDKs for **Java/Python/Go**).

When to Use Pulsar Functions

Pulsar Functions are designed to perform “lightweight” stream processing. They excel at **basic** use cases that do not require the complexity of a full stream processing engine.

- *Event Driven Microservices*
- Simple per-message transformations for normalization, cleanup, or enrichment.
- “Chained” sequences of transformations on data in a single Topic.

Developing Pulsar Functions



Pulsar Functions SDK

Apache Pulsar also provides a software development kit (SDK) that you can use to write Pulsar Functions.

- The Pulsar Functions SDK supports Java, Python, and Go.
- The Pulsar Functions SDK provides a richer API for more complex use cases:
 - One to many output
 - Stateful functions
 - Producing to many different topics

Packaging Functions

In order to run a Pulsar Function, you must first bundle up the function code along with all the necessary third-party dependencies into a single deployable artifact.

- For Java-based functions, this is either a JAR or NAR file
- For Python-based functions, you can use a single Python file (.py), a ZIP file, or PIP install (Kubernetes runtime **only**).
- For Go-based functions, a compiled and packaged **.go** file

Demo

Sentiment Analysis

`git@github.com:david-streamlio/sentiment-analysis.git`

Summary

- Event-driven microservices use a message bus to communicate among loosely-coupled, collaborating services.
- Pulsar is a cloud-native, distributed messaging and event-streaming platform that provides pub/sub semantics required by EDA
- Pulsar includes native, lightweight compute capabilities known as Pulsar Functions that allow you to build microservices with a few lines of code.
- You can add third-party ML to your Functions to enhance your microservices with machine learning capabilities.

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