

## Unlocking Your Data's Potential with Python

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Introduction

Overview

Superfriends

Where, What, Why

# Unlocking Data Requires a Team





Structured, Semistructured, Unstructured Data







## **Semi-Structured Data**



https://docs.snowflake.com/en/sql-reference/data-types-semistructured

- Open Data like Open AQ Air Quality Data
- Location, Time, Sensors
- Apache Avro, Parquet, Orc
- JSON and XML
- Hierarchical Data
- Logs
- Key-Value

## **Unstructured Data**





- Lots of formats
- Text, Documents, PDF
- Images, Videos, Audio
- Email
- Variants







- Snowflake Tables
- Snowflake Hybrid Tables
- Apache Iceberg Tables
- Relational Tables
- Postgresql Tables
- CSV, TSV



# Python and Apache Iceberg™





# Apache Iceberg™ - Overview

"Apache Iceberg is a high performance open-source format for large analytic tables." - Wiki

- Strong SQL Support
- Support for many engines (Snowflake, Trino, Flink, Presto, Hive)
- Support for many data catalogs like Polaris & Nessie
- Full Schema Evolution, Time Travel, Hidden Partitioning
- Rollback, Data compaction

# Apache Iceberg™ - Append



- NiFi PutIcebergTable
- Snowpark df.write.mode("append").
   save\_as\_table("atable\_iceberg")



https://quickstarts.snowflake.com/guide/getting\_started\_iceberg\_tables/



# Snowpark







### Snowpark

#### **LIBRARIES**

Data Engineering, Machine Learning, Streamlit

#### **FAST DATA ACCESS**

Secure data sessions, Dataframes, pandas

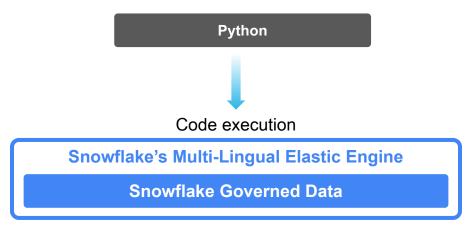
#### **WHY USE IT**

Build scalable data pipelines, ML models, apps, and other data processing tasks using any language in Snowflake without any governance or security trade-offs

### **HOW TO USE IT**

Write custom code from any notebook or IDE and automatically push down processing into Snowflake's elastic compute engine

### Programming code from any notebook / IDE



## Snowpark with Python

Libraries & code execution environments

# CODE DEVELOPMENT & DEPLOYMENT IN CLIENT-SIDE LIBRARIES

Use libraries with popular **Python** frameworks pre-installed in Snowflake Notebooks or downloaded into your IDE of choice and push down processing to Snowflake

## CODE EXECUTION ENVIRONMENTS IN SNOWFLAKE'S ENGINE

Run **Python** and other programming code next to your data in Snowflake. Automatically push down processing in multi-lingual runtimes built right into Snowflake's elastic compute engine

### From Snowflake Notebooks or any IDE



Virtual Warehouse thon | Java | Scal

Python | Java | Scala
CPU

Snowpark
Container Services

Any language CPU & GPU





# **Storing Data**



# **Ingest into Tables**



- RedisVL
- Milvus
- Snowflake
- Apache Pinot
- PgVector





























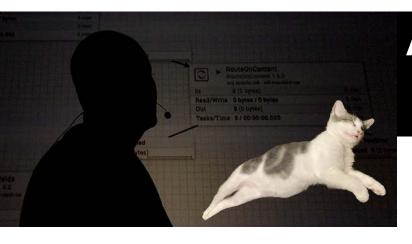






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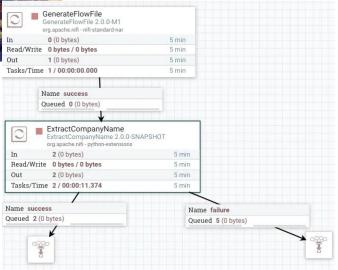
# **Apache NiFi - Python**





# **Extract Company Names**

- Python 3.10+
- Hugging Face, NLP, SpaCY, PyTorch



#### **Attribute Values**

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companylist
["Amazon", "Microsoft", "Cloudera", "DataSQLR", "Google", "IBM"]
filename
36fb4ae6-701a-4e1d-b890-c93b44f2200b

parsedcompany
Amazon
path
./
uuid
6366a2c9-3dd4-4e8f-8825-83189d403b92
```





# **CaptionImage**

- Python 3.10+
- Hugging Face
- Salesforce/blip-image-captioning-large
- Generate Captions for Images
- Adds captions to FlowFile Attributes
- Does not require download or copies of your images





# RESNetImageClassification

- Python 3.10+
- Hugging Face
- Transformers
- Pytorch
- Datasets
- microsoft/resnet-50
- Adds classification label to FlowFile Attributes
- Does not require download or copies of your images





# **NSFWI**mageDetection

- Python 3.10+
- Hugging Face
- Transformers
- Falconsai/nsfw\_image\_detection
- Adds normal and nsfw to FlowFile Attributes
- Gives score on safety of image
- Does not require download or copies of your images



# **FacialEmotionsImageDetection**

- Python 3.10+
- Hugging Face
- Transformers
- facial\_emotions\_image\_detection
- Image Classification
- Adds labels/scores to FlowFile Attributes
- Does not require download or copies of your images



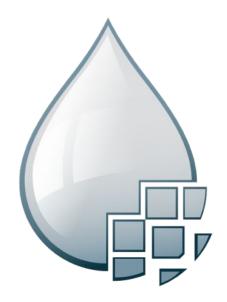


# Address To Lat/Long

- Python 3.10+
- geopy Library
- Nominatim
- OpenStreetMaps (OSM)
- openstreetmap.org/copyright
- Returns as attributes and JSON file
- Works with partial addresses
- Categorizes location
- Bounding Box



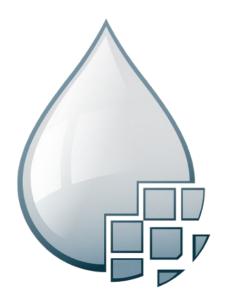
## Apache NiFi for Data Ingest, Movement and Routing



- Guaranteed delivery
- Data buffering
  - Backpressure
  - Pressure release
- Prioritized queuing
- Flow specific QoS
  - Latency vs. throughput
  - Loss tolerance
- Data provenance
- Supports push and pull models

- Hundreds of processors
- Visual command and control
- Hundreds of sources
- Flow templates
- Pluggable/multi-role security
- Designed for extension
- Clustering
- Version Control

## The Power of Apache NiFi



- Moving Binary, Unstructured, Image and Tabular Data
- Enrichment
- Universal Visual Processor
- Simple Event Processor
- Routing
- Feeding data to Central Messaging
- Support for modern protocols
- Kafka Protocol Source/Sink
- Pulsar Protocol Source/Sink

### **APACHE NIFI 2.0 FEATURES**

DataFlow is built for Real-Time Integration and Al

### Major Updates:

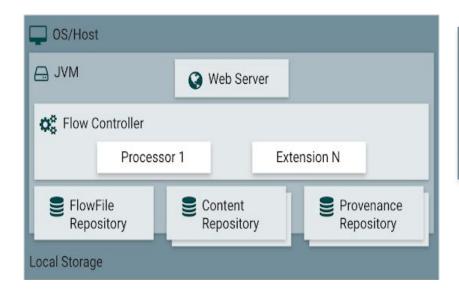
- Python Integration
- ParameterIZATION
- JDK 21+
- Provenance / Data Lineage
- Rules Engine for Development Assistance
- Additional Azure Processors
- Integration with Zendesk, Slack,
- Database Tables as Schemas
- Amazon Glue Schema Registry
- OpenTelemetry Support

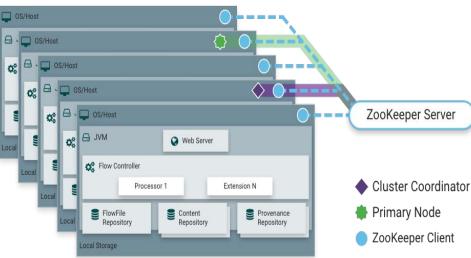




### Architecture







https://nifi.apache.org/docs/nifi-docs/html/overview.html

# DEMO





RESOURCES AND WRAP-UP

IMPORTATION THE CAT

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This week in Apache NiFi, Apache Polaris, Apache Flink, Apache Kafka, ML, Al, Streamlit, Jupyter, Apache Iceberg, Python, Java, LLM, GenAl, Snowflake, Unstructured Data and Open Source friends.

