IMPLEMENTING AN AZURE DATA SOLUTION

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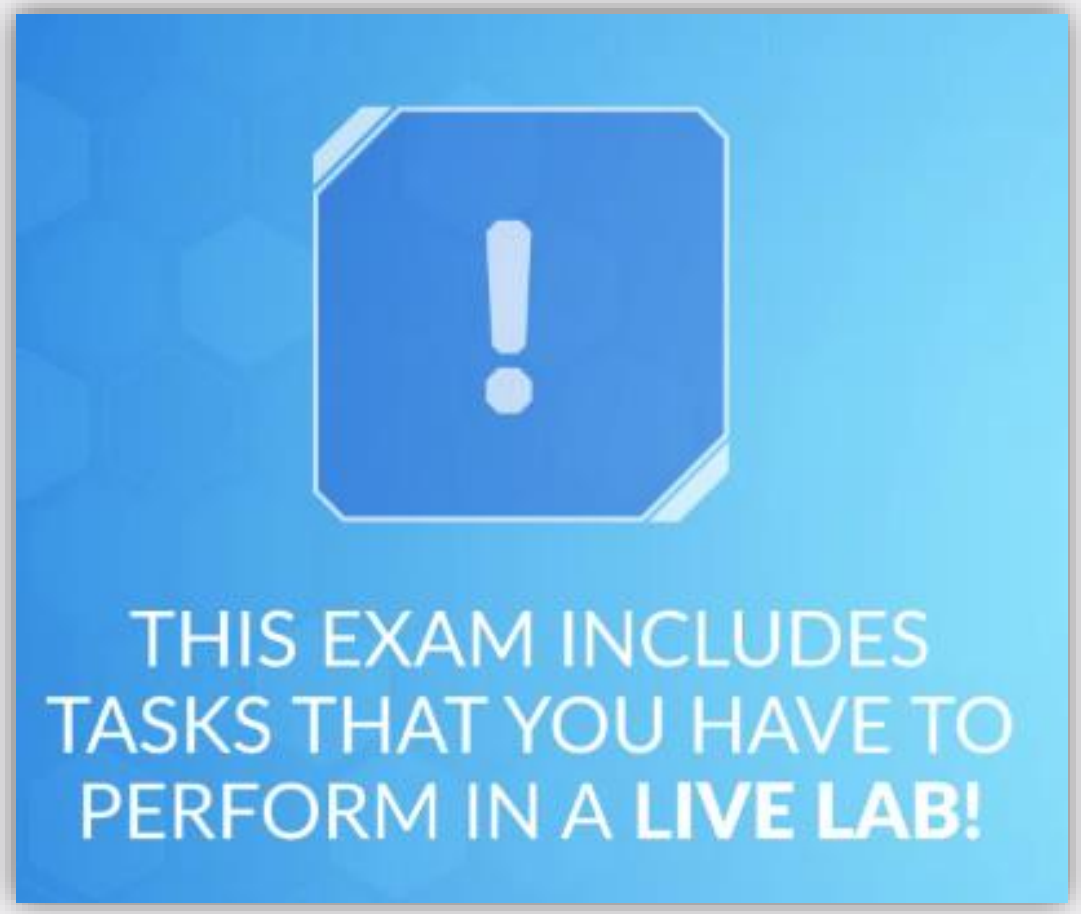
THE DP-200 EXAM

Implementing data storage solutions

Managing and developing data processing

Monitoring and optimizing data solutions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TASKS THAT YOU HAVE TO
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Implementing an Azure Data Solution

Non-relational data stores

Relational data stores

Relational data stores

For many years, Microsoft's primary relational data solution was **SQL Server**

Azure SQL Database is usually the best option when migrating from an on-premises SQL Server to Azure

Relational data stores

Since **Azure SQL Database** is a managed service, it's easy to scale and provide high availability, disaster recovery, and global distribution

You will need to know how to configure all those features

If you really need full SQL Server compatibility, then you can use SQL Database Managed Instance

Relational data stores

Azure Synapse Analytics (formerly known as Azure SQL Data Warehouse)

It allows you to store and analyze huge amounts of data

Polybase is the fastest way to get data into Synapse Analytics

You need to partition the data store into multiple shards and use the right distribution method

Security is important for both **SQL Database** and **Synapse Analytics**, not just for restricting access to data but also for things like applying data masking to credit card numbers or encrypting an entire database

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Non-relational data stores

These are services that can store unstructured data, such as documents or videos

Non-relational data stores

The most mature Azure service in this category is **Blob storage**

Unlike a filesystem, Blob storage has a flat structure

Non-relational data stores

For a true hierarchical structure, you can use **Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2**

It's especially useful for big data processing systems like **Azure Databricks**

Non-relational data stores

Cosmos DB can scale globally without sacrificing performance or flexibility

It supports multiple types of data models, including document, key-value, graph, and wide column

It supports five different consistency levels

As with **SQL Database** and **Synapse Analytics**, you need to know how to configure partitioning, security, high availability, disaster recovery, and global distribution for **Cosmos DB**

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Managing and developing data processing solutions

Batch processing

Stream processing

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Azure Data Factory

Azure Databricks

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Batch Processing

Data Factory makes it easy to copy data from one data store to another

It also makes it easy to transform data via services like Databricks

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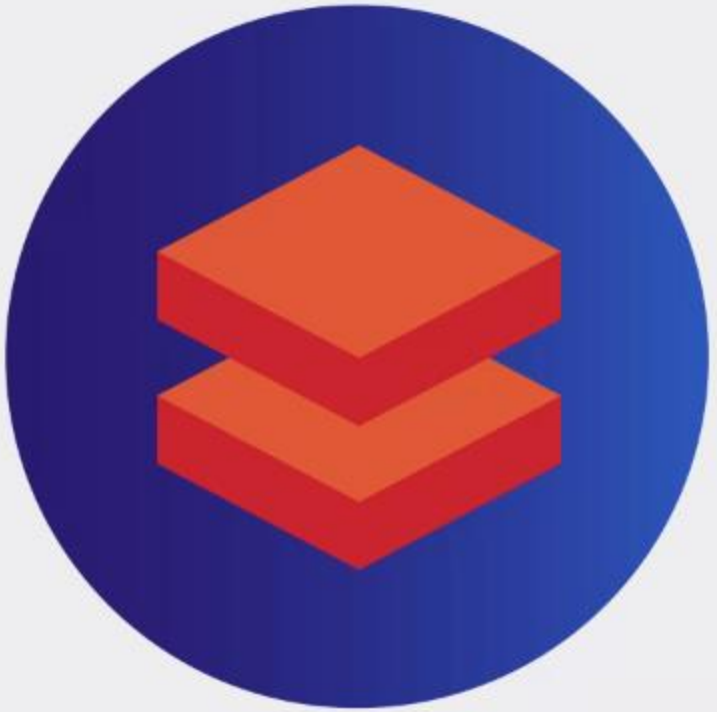
Batch Processing

Azure Databricks is a managed data analytics service based on Apache Spark

You can run Spark jobs on Azure HDInsight, but Databricks is the preferred solution

Some of the Databricks topics covered are data ingestion, clusters, notebooks, jobs, and autoscaling



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Batch Processing

Azure Stream Analytics

You need to know how to:

- Get data into it from other services
- Process data streams using different windowing functions
- Output the results to another service

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Monitoring and optimizing data solutions

Azure Monitor can be used to monitor and configure alerts for almost every other Azure service

One of the key components of Azure Monitor is **Log Analytics**, which you can use to implement auditing

Implementing an Azure Data Solution

The optimization subsection

You need to know how to optimize the performance of services like:

- Stream Analytics
- SQL Database
- Synapse Analytics

Using the right partitioning method is one of the most important optimization techniques


Azure
This learning path assumes that you already have some basic experience using Microsoft Azure

Working with Data Storage

Azure Storage

Azure Storage

Durable and highly available

Secure

Scalable

Managed service

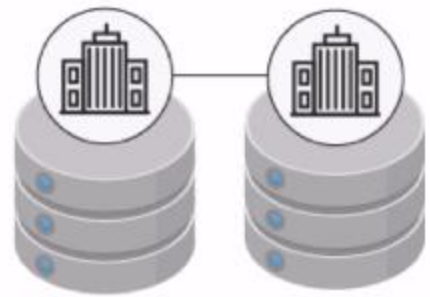
Redundancy Options

Locally-redundant storage (LRS)

Replicated across racks in the same data center

Zone-redundant storage (ZRS)

Replicated across three zones within one region



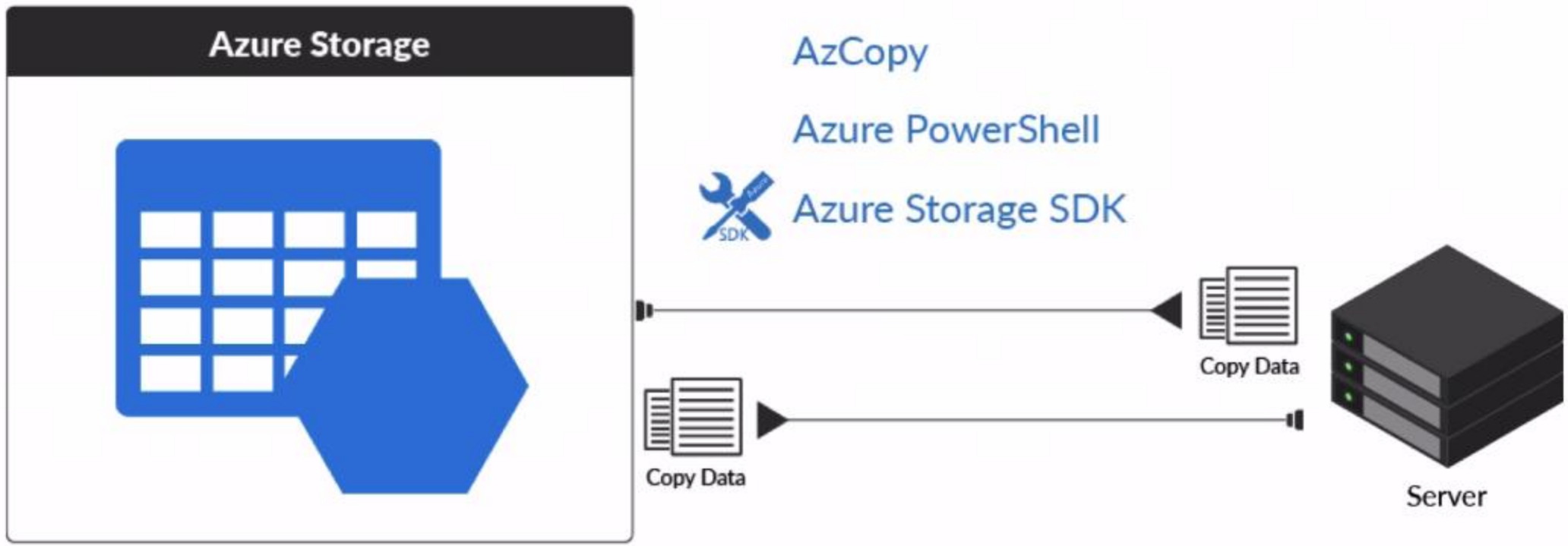
Geo-redundant storage (GRS)

Replicated across two regions

Read-access geo-redundant storage (RA-GRS)

Active read replica in secondary region

Tools for Copying Data



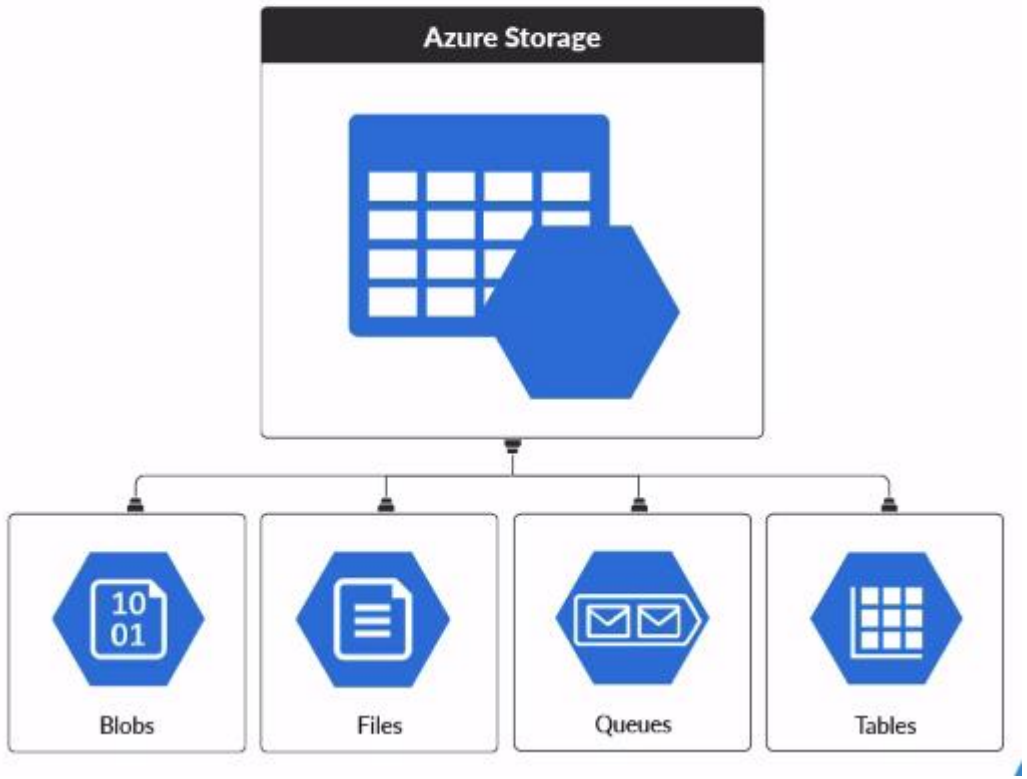
Data Types

Blobs

- Binary large object
- No organizational structure

Files

- Filesystem structure
- SMB-compliant
- Move on-premises file share to Azure
- Accessible over the web - need a shared access signature token
- Significantly more expensive than Blob storage



Blob Storage Tiers

Hot

- For data that gets accessed frequently

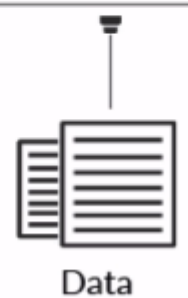
Cool

- For data that doesn't get accessed frequently
- Data gets retrieved immediately
- Lower storage cost, higher cost for reads and writes
- 30-day minimum

Blob Storage Tiers

Hot	Cool	Archive
• For data that gets accessed frequently	• For data that doesn't get accessed frequently • Data gets retrieved immediately • Lower storage cost, higher cost for reads and writes • 30-day minimum	• Takes up to 15 hours to access when requested • 5 times cheaper than cool tier, but far more expensive for reads • 180-day minimum

Moving data from cool or archive tiers before minimum duration incurs an early deletion fee



Data Types

Queues

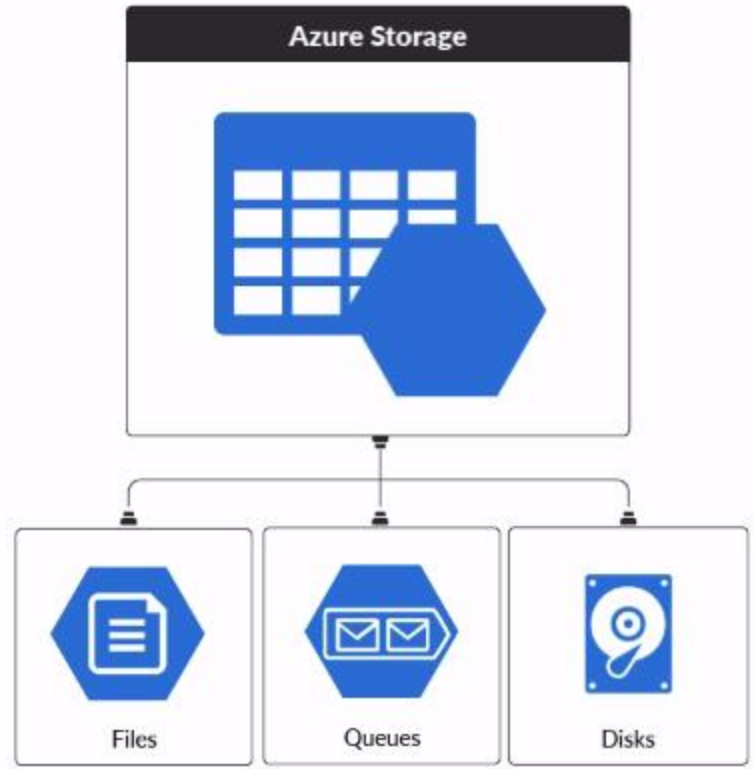
- For passing messages
- One application pushes messages onto queue, another retrieves them

Tables

- NoSQL datastore
- Storage costs about the same as File storage, but much lower transaction costs
- Premium version is part of CosmosDB service

Disks

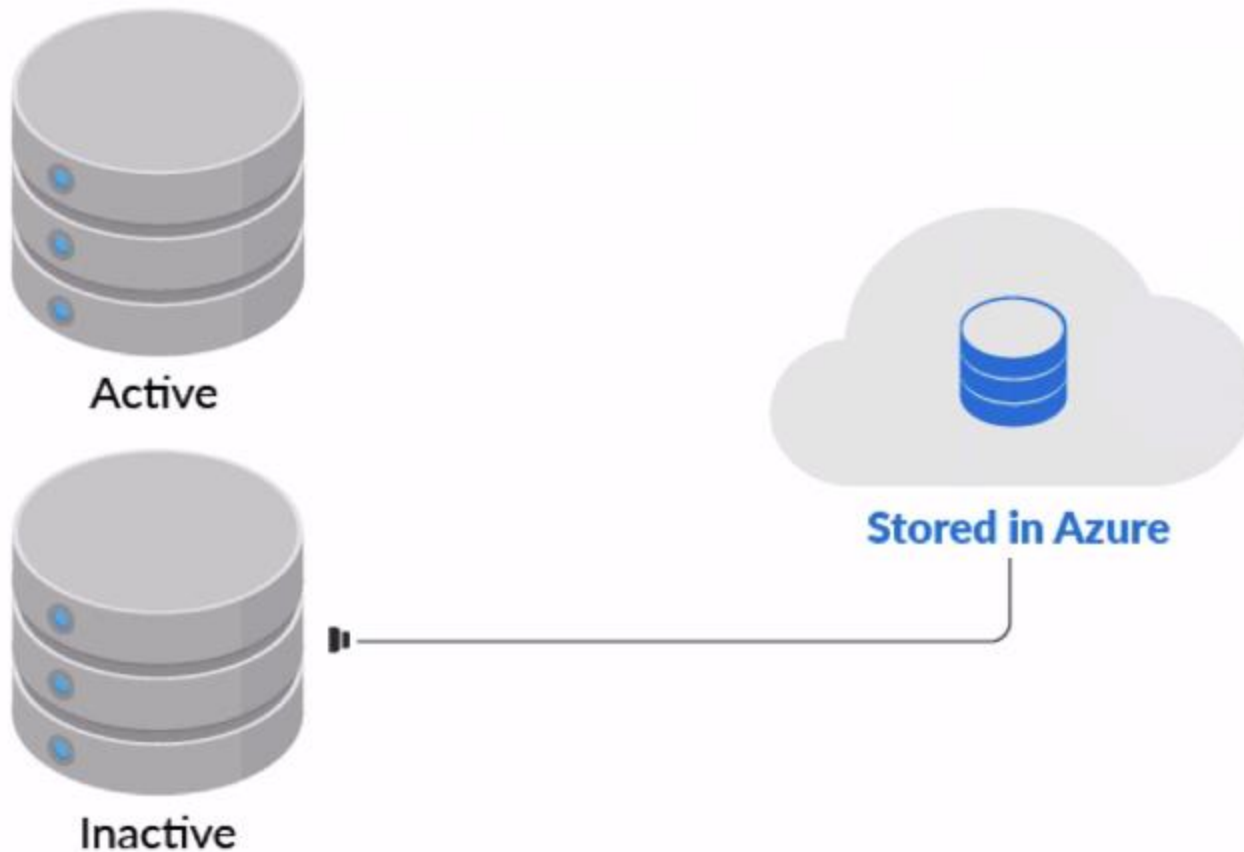
- Attached to virtual machines



StorSimple

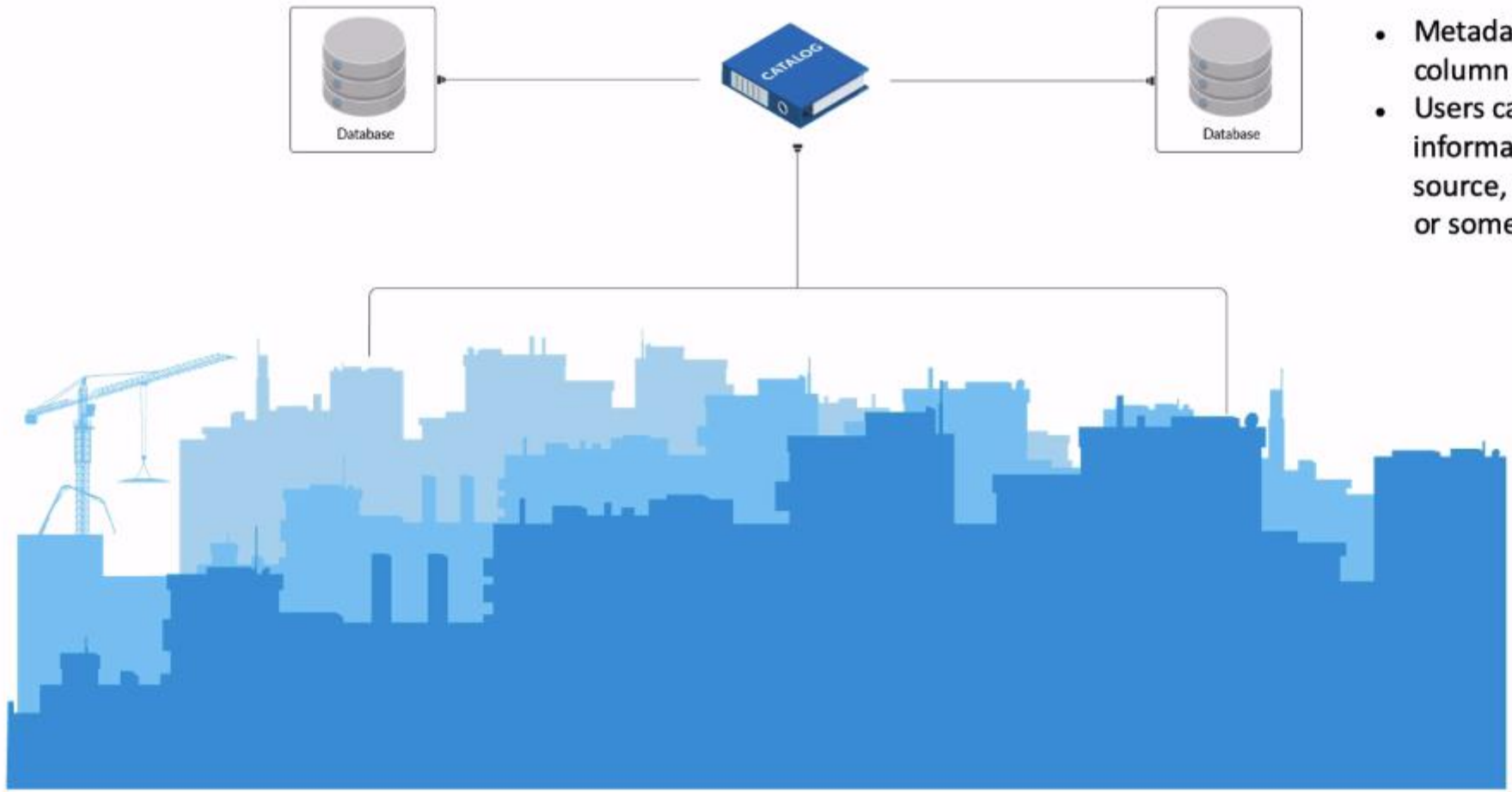
- Virtual array installed on-premises
- Backup
- Recovery
- Storage tiering

StorSimple



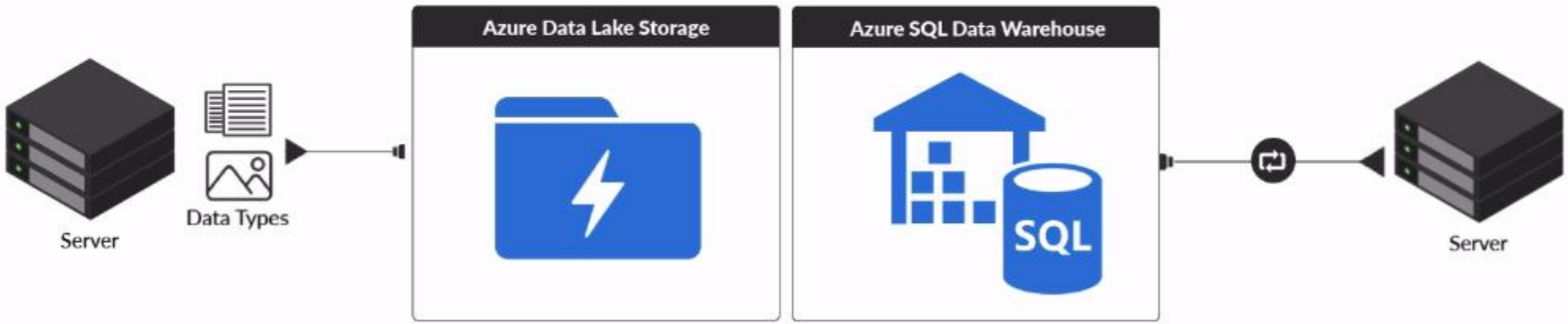
Azure Data Services

Azure Data Catalog



- Metadata includes things like column names and data types
- Users can also add additional information about a data source, such as a description or some tags

Azure Data Lake and Data Warehouse



If you have raw data that's not in a nicely structured format, then you'll probably need to process it before you store it.

Azure Data Lake and Data Warehouse

Azure Data Lake Storage

Built to work with Hadoop
No regulatory compliance
Write queries using U-SQL

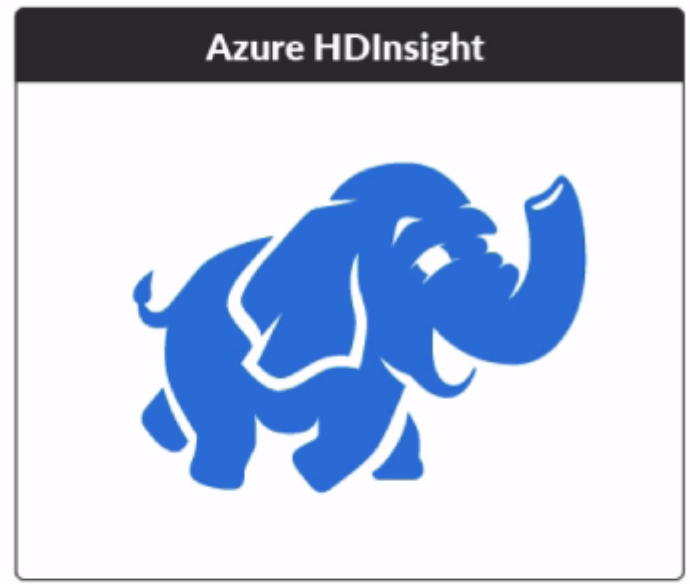
Azure SQL Data Warehouse

Built on SQL Server
Certified for compliance
Write queries using T-SQL

Azure HDInsight

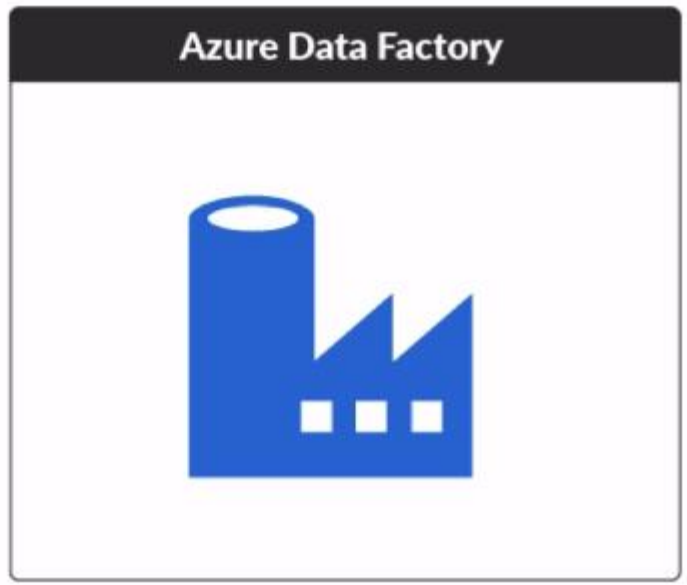
Supports a wide variety of open-source big data frameworks, including:

- Hadoop
- Spark
- Hive
- Storm
- Many others



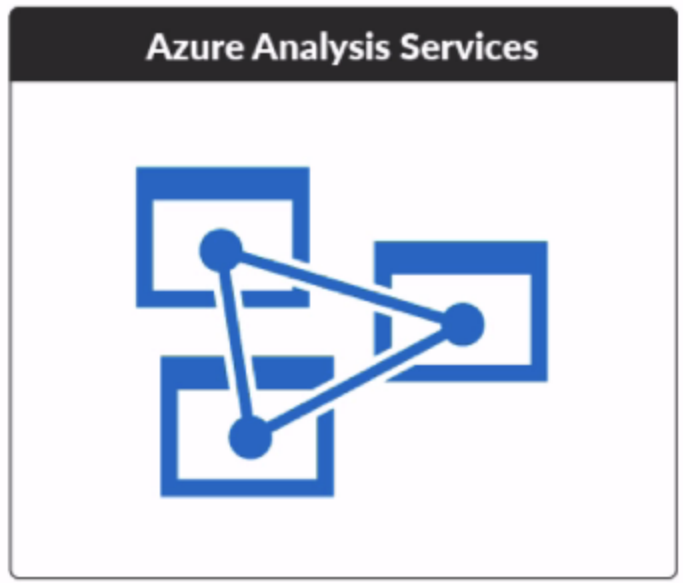
Azure Data Factory

- Automates data movement and data transformation
- Spins up and down HDInsight clusters as needed
- Creates data processing pipelines
- Automates Data Lake Analytics queries and machine learning



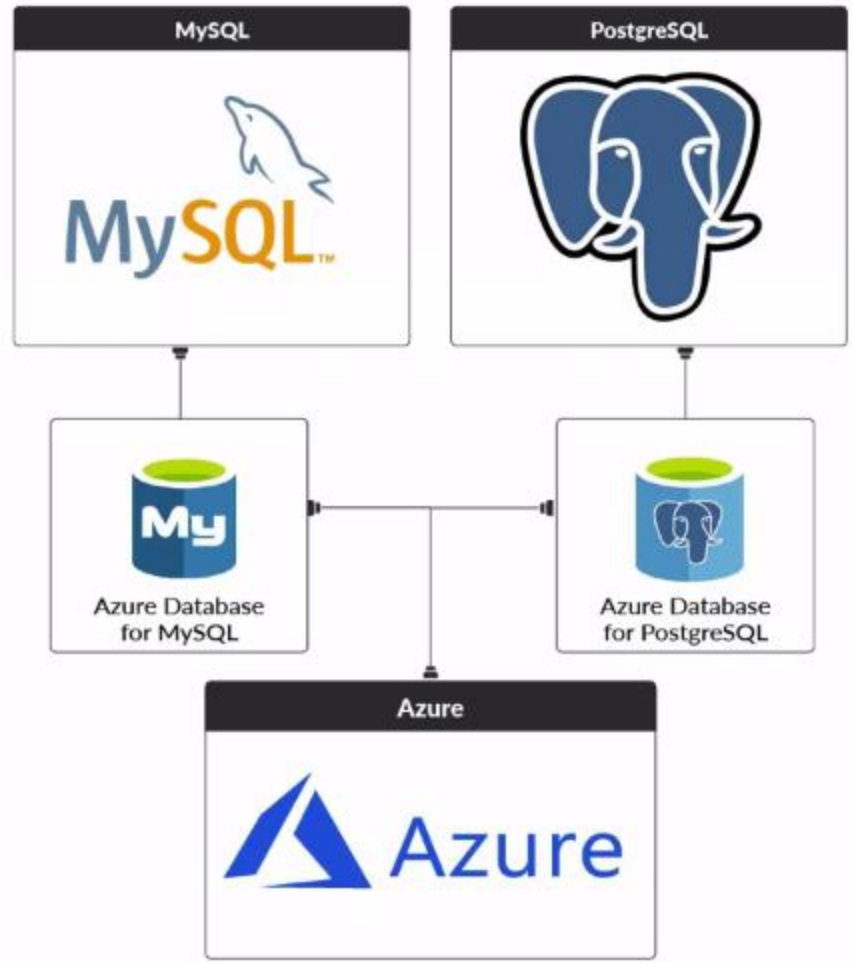
Azure Analysis Services

- Lets you create data models of existing data
- Uses in-memory caching
- Accessed through supported client tools such as Power BI, Tableau or Excel



Relational Database Storage

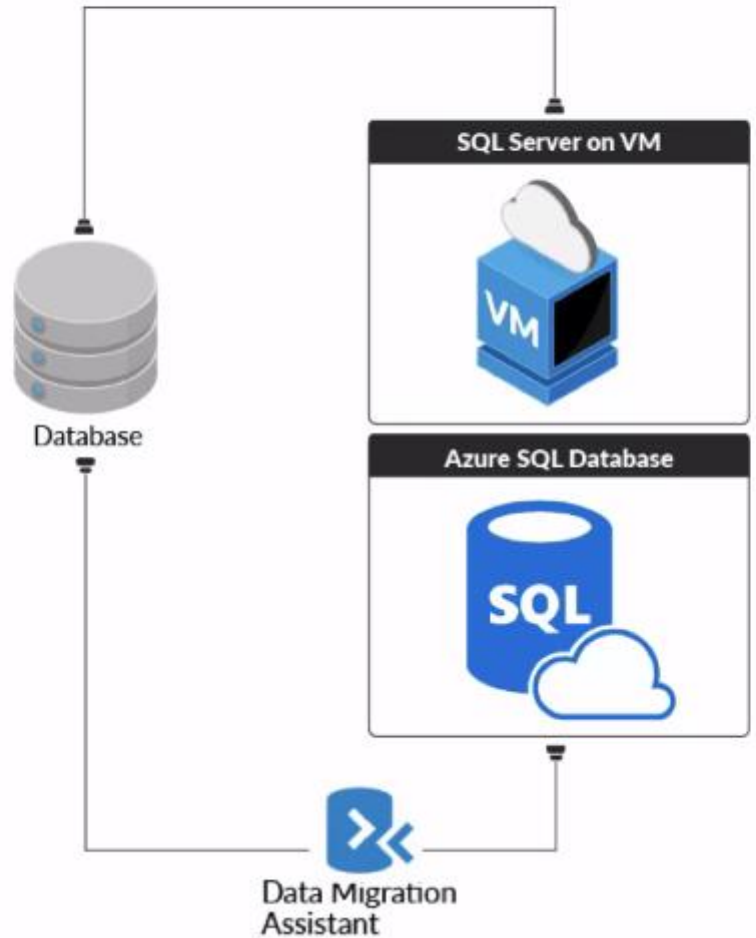
Relational Databases



SQL Server Stretch Database

- Migrates cold table rows to Azure
- You can still query migrated data
- Avoid buying more storage
- Shorten backup times
- More expensive than storing data offline
- Data Migration Assistant
  - Tells you which tables would be good candidates for Stretch Database
  - Indicates potential blocking issues

Moving the Entire Database to Azure



SQL Database Managed Instance

Nearly **100%** compatible with SQL Server

Azure SQL Database Service Tiers

General Purpose

Hyperscale

Business Critical

Azure SQL Database Service Tiers

General Purpose

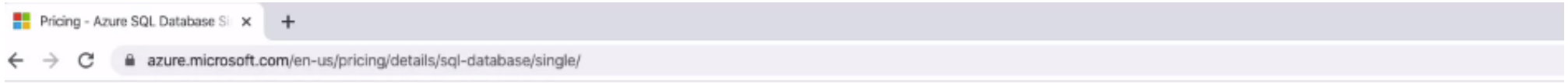
- Least expensive
- Latency: 5 - 10 milliseconds
- Availability: 99.99%
- Max size: 4TB (8TB for Managed Instance)

Hyperscale

- Max size: 100TB
- Scales compute resources up and down very quickly
- Instant backups and fast database restores

Business Critical

- Latency: 1 - 2 milliseconds
- Local SSDs on 4-node cluster
- Most expensive
- Availability: 99.995% (with zone-redundant option)
- Max size: 4TB



Explore all SQL Database pricing options

Find the performance and pricing that fit your workload.

Managed instance | Elastic pool | **Single database**

Single Database offers provisioned compute and serverless compute tier choices.

Purchase Model: vCore

Service Tier: All

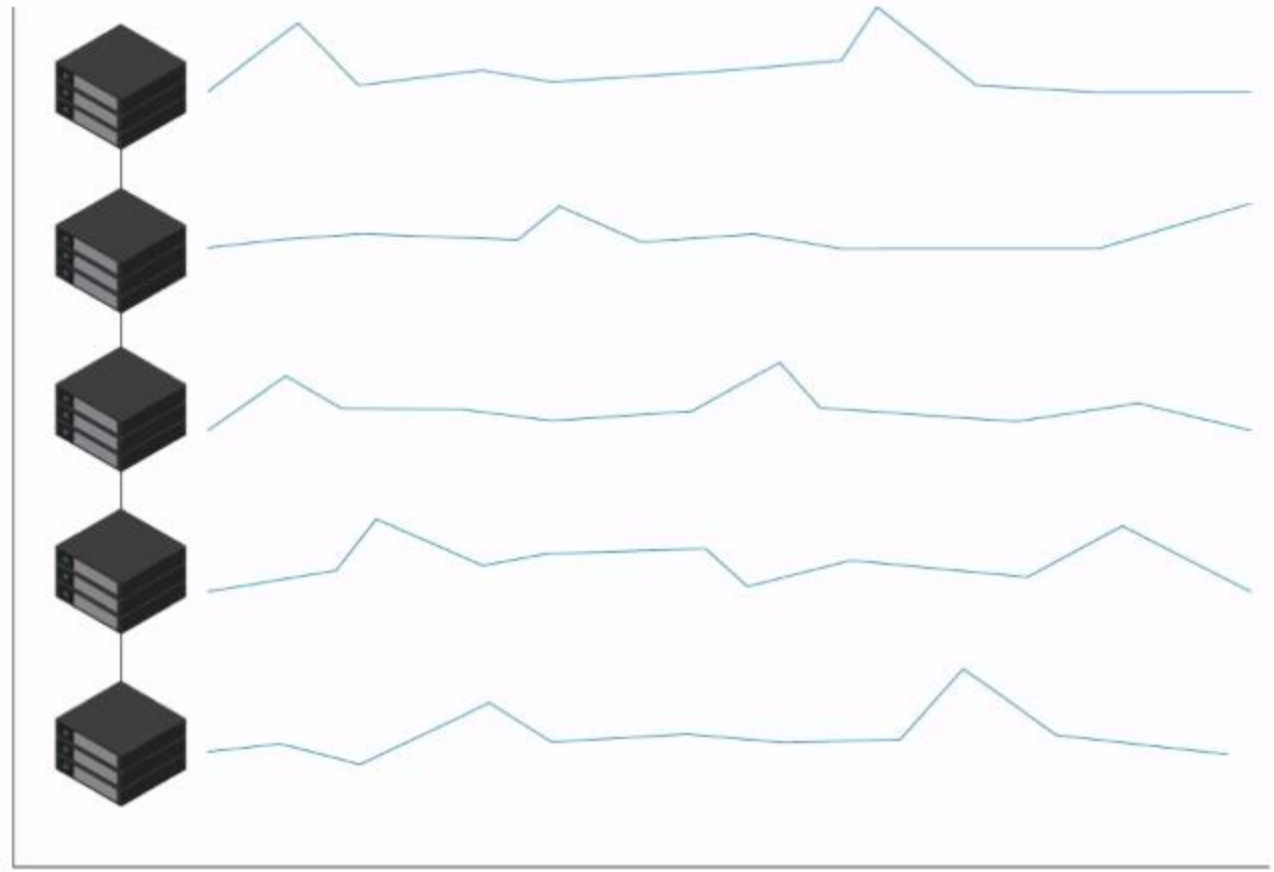
Compute Tier: All

Region: West US 2

Currency: US Dollar ($)

Display pricing by: Hour

Elastic Pool Model



SQL Database Managed Instance

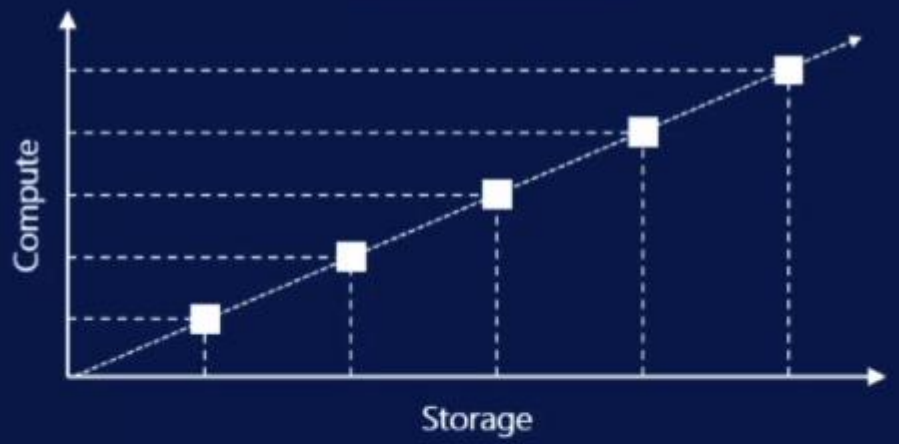
Nearly 100% compatible with SQL Server

Doesn't work with the Hyperscale tier

(Elastic pools don't work with the Hyperscale tier either)

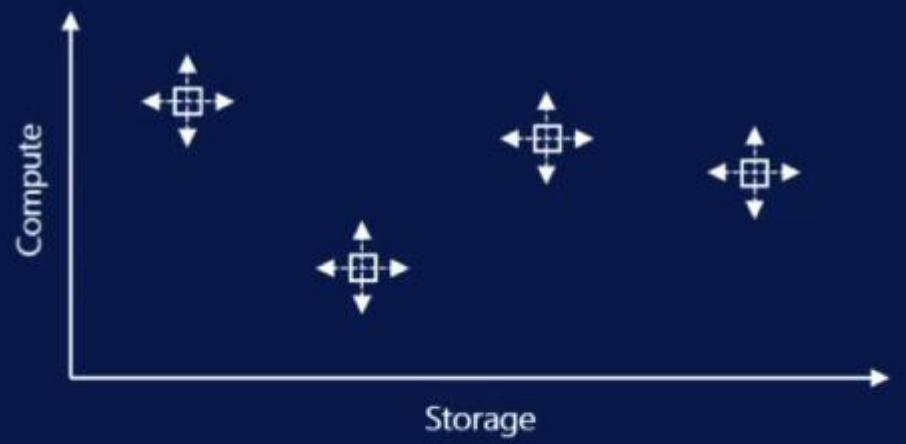
Purchasing Models

DTU model
Simple,
Preconfigured



OR

vCore model
Independent scalability



Database Transaction Unit (DTU)-based model

- Bundled measure of compute, storage and IO resources
- Best for customers who want simple, pre-configured resource options.

vCore-based model

- Independent scaling of compute, storage and IO resources
- Best for customers who value flexibility, control and transparency
- Use with Azure Hybrid Benefit for SQL Server to gain cost savings

vCore Compute Tiers

Provisioned

- Provisioned with exact resources requested
- You get charged for the database as long it's running
- To scale manually, change the number of vCores—there will be a brief loss of connectivity (<4 sec.)

Serverless

- Minimum and maximum vCores
- Autoscales based on workload demand
- If no activity, it pauses database and halts compute charges
- Cost per vCore is higher

High Availability within a Region

- SQL Database uses Always ON Availability Groups technology from SQL Server to provide HA
- Failover is automatic
- It may take up to **30 seconds** to recover

Active Geo-Replication

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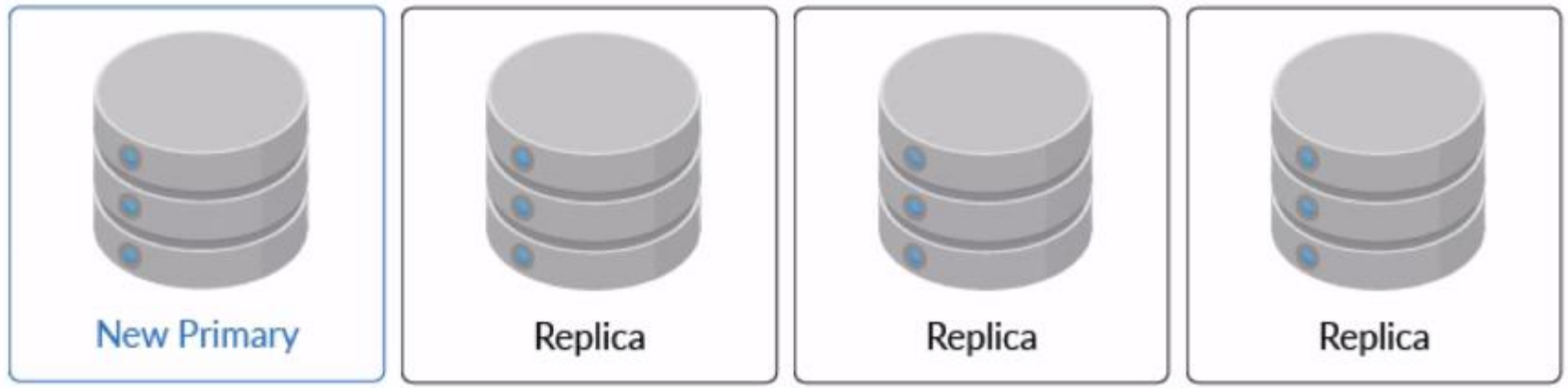
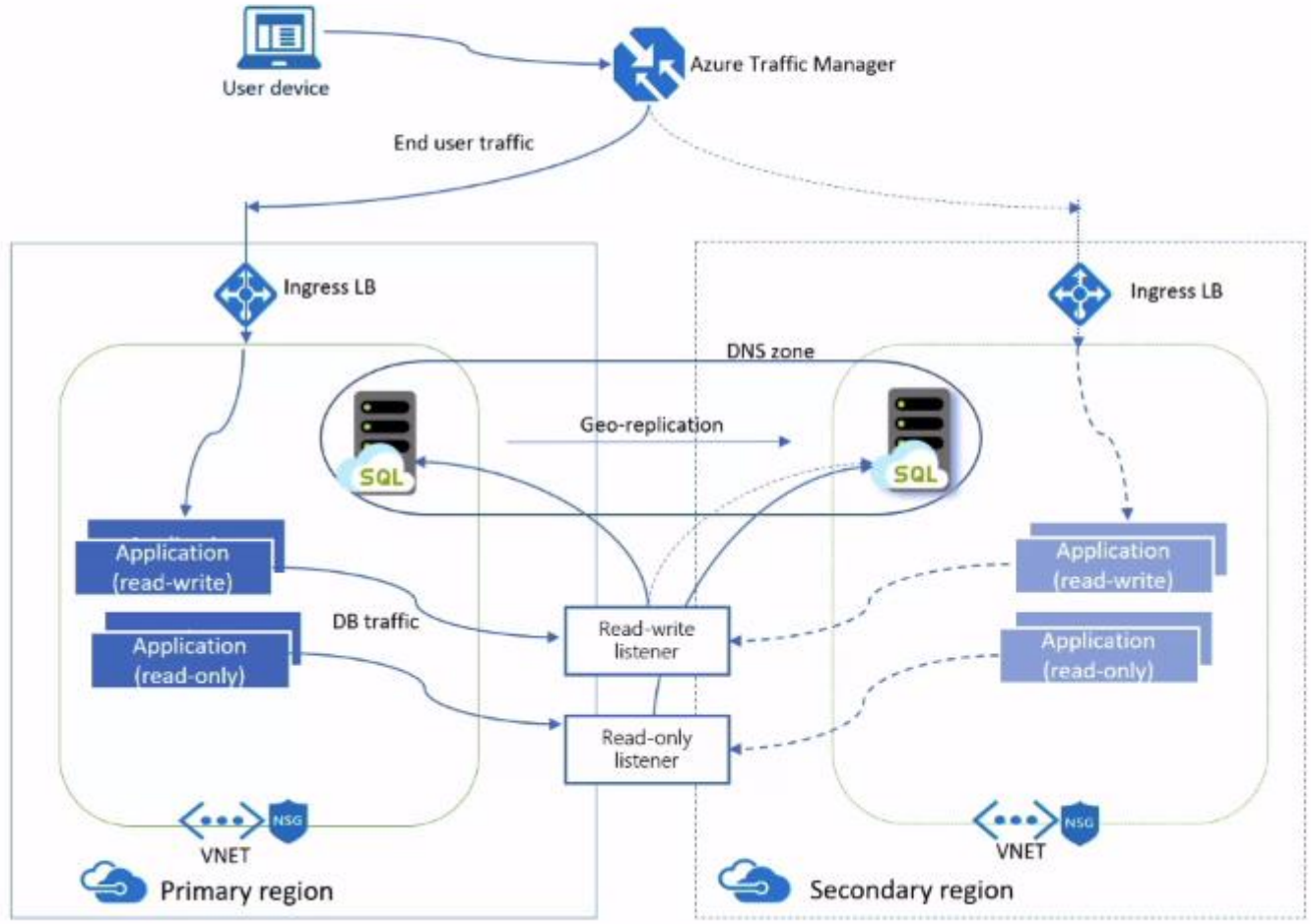


- Ensure secondaries have the same user authentication configuration as the primary
- You should use the same firewall rules for secondaries as you do for the primary
- Active geo-replication allows you to use the secondary databases to make queries faster for users in other regions

Best practices of using failover groups with managed instances

The auto-failover group must be configured on the primary instance and will connect it to the secondary instance in a different Azure region. All databases in the instance will be replicated to the secondary instance.

The following diagram illustrates a typical configuration of a geo-redundant cloud application using managed instance and auto-failover group.



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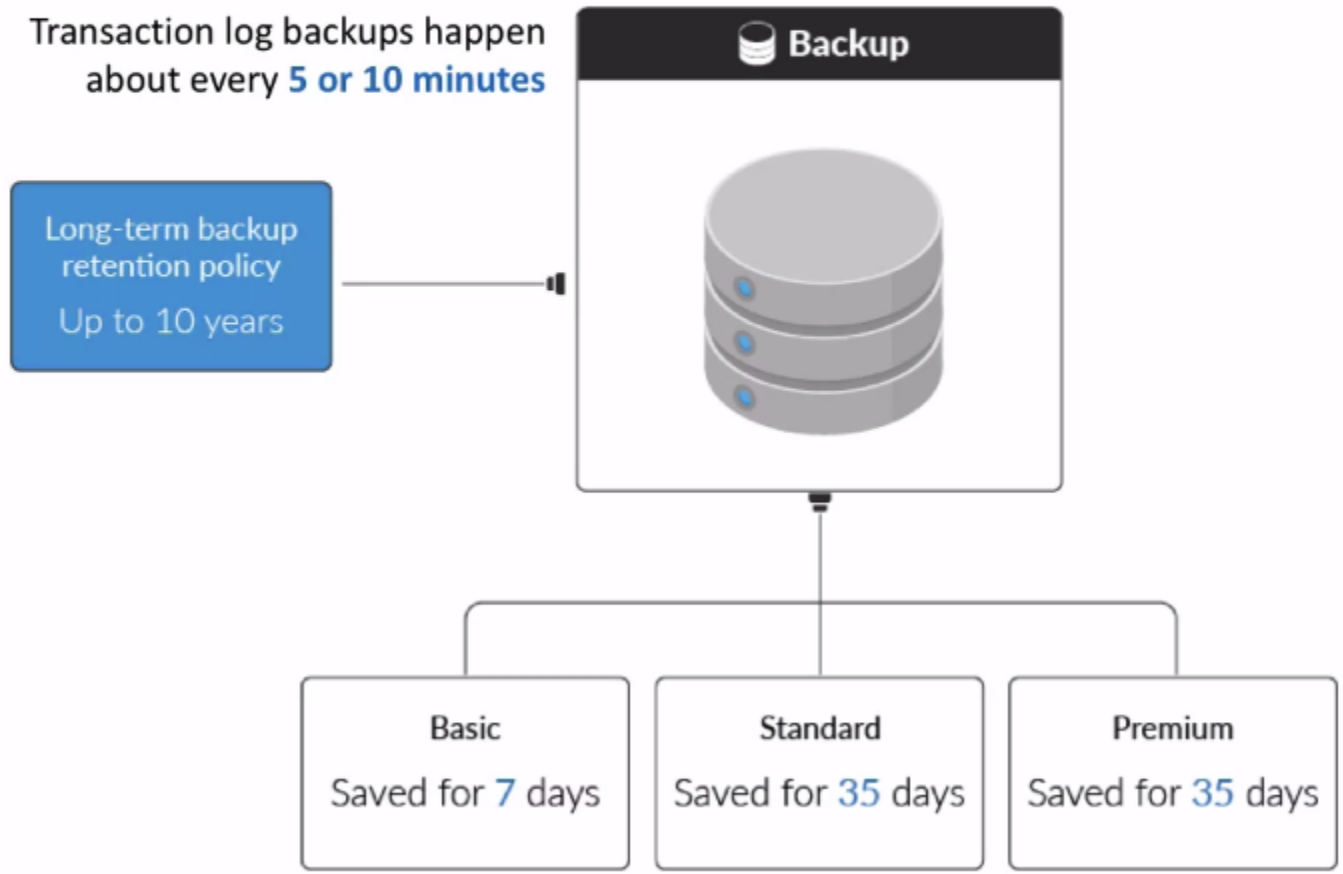

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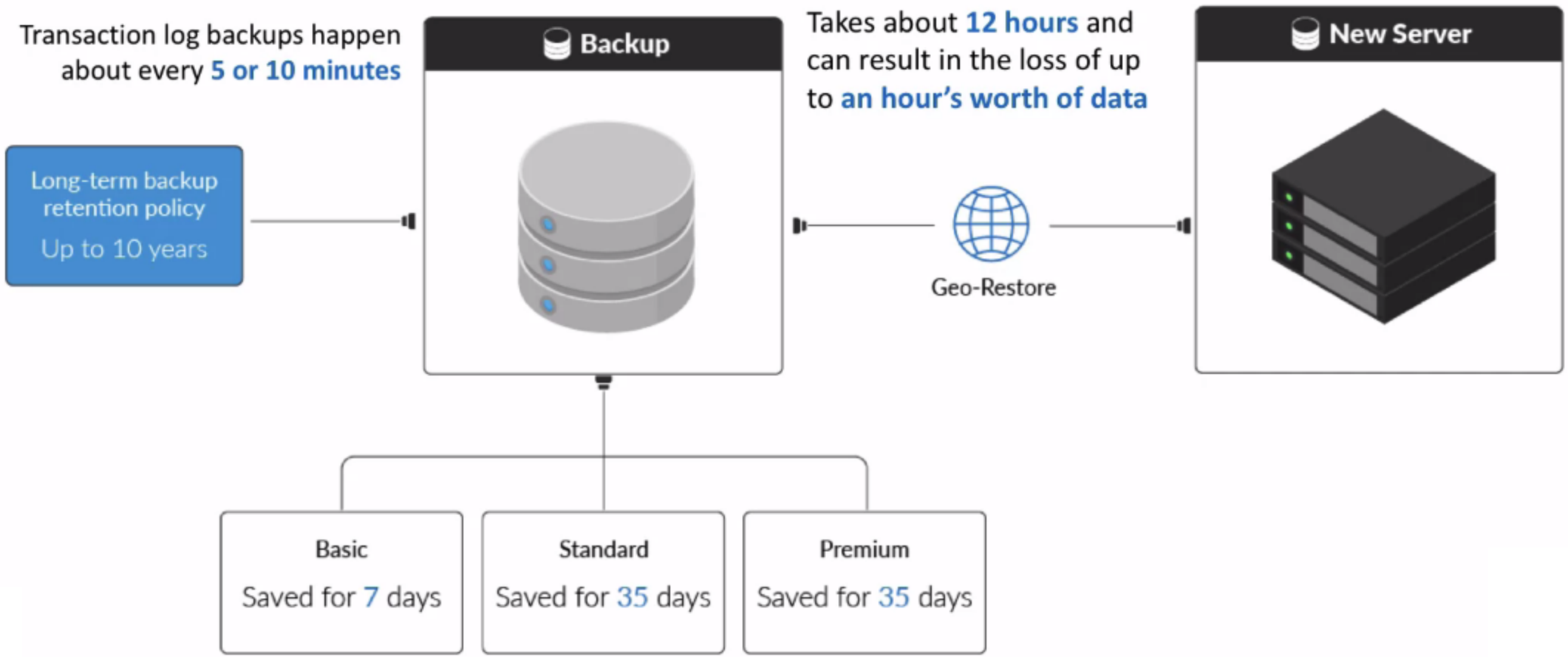


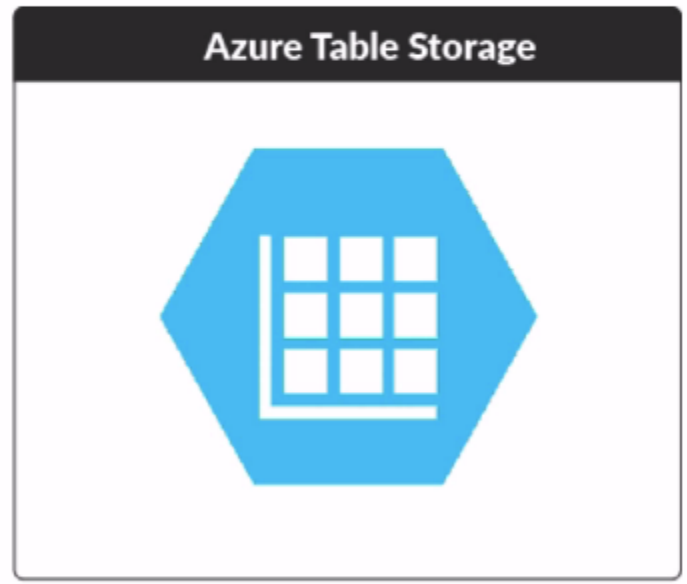
NoSQL Storage

NoSQL Datastores

- Scale better
- Satisfy fewer requirements than relational databases

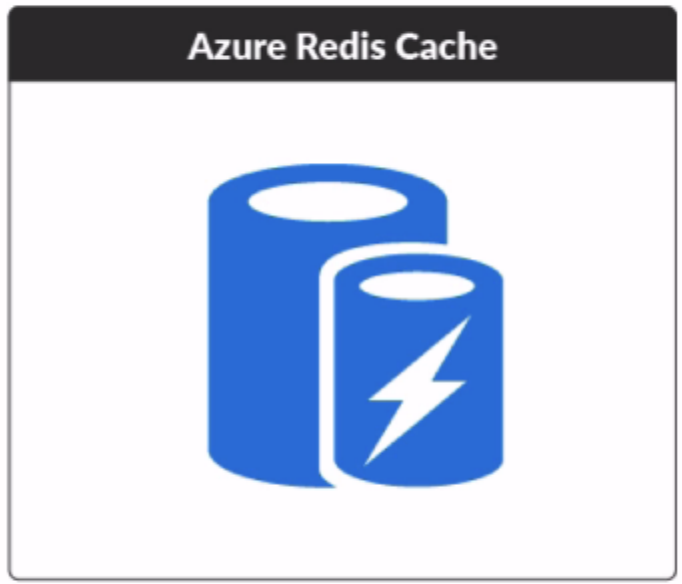
Azure Table Storage

- Intended for simple structured data
- E.g. address books and user profiles
- Schemaless design
- Indexes records
- For secondary indexes or global distribution, use Cosmos DB version instead
- For complex joins, foreign keys, or stored procedures, use relational database instead



Azure Redis Cache

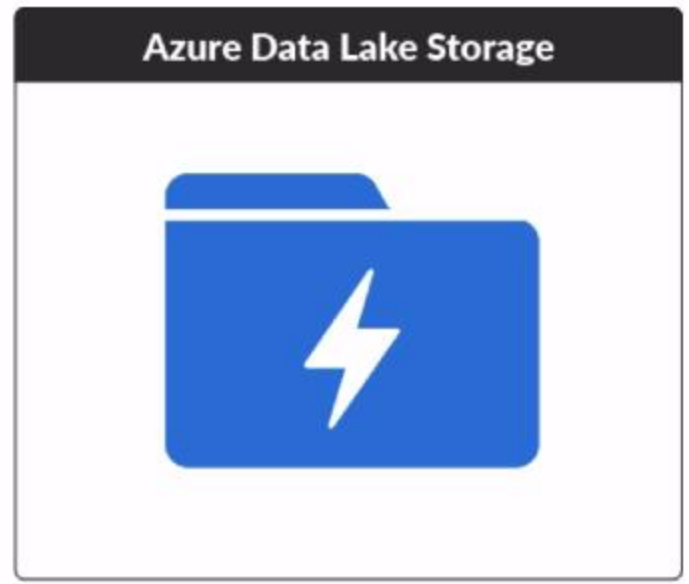
- Intended to speed up data retrieval in applications
- Managed service for Redis
- Data resides in memory
- It stores key/value pairs



Basic: Should only be used for testing and development	**Standard:** Provides a replicated, high availability cache	**Premium:** Better performance and can handle bigger workloads, disaster recovery, and more

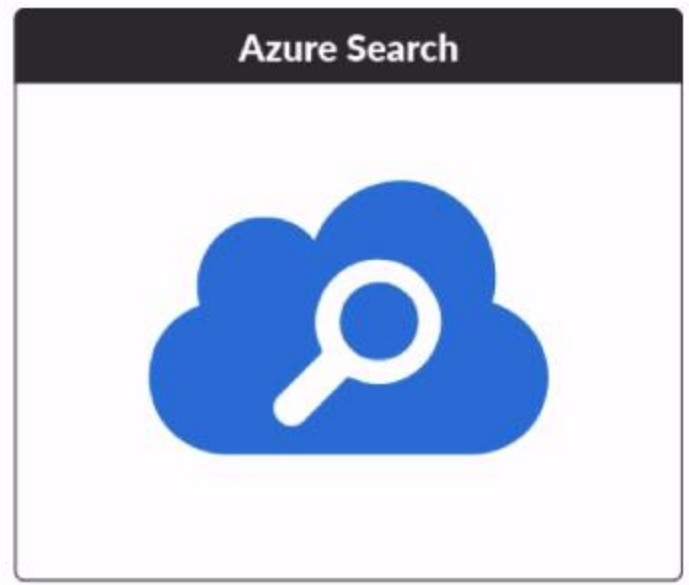
Azure Data Lake Storage

- Intended to hold large quantities of any kind of data
- Data warehouse for unstructured data
- Main purpose is data analytics



Azure Search

- Creates an index of text data
- You can embed search functionality into web, mobile, and enterprise applications
- Offers features such as:
  - Search suggestions
  - Language analyzers
  - Fuzzy searches



Time Series Insights (TSI)

- Collects time-stamped data
- Integrates with Azure IoT Hub and Azure Events Hubs
- Run queries on billions of events and get a response in seconds
- See visualizations of the data with TSI Explorer

Cosmos DB

Introduction to Cosmos DB

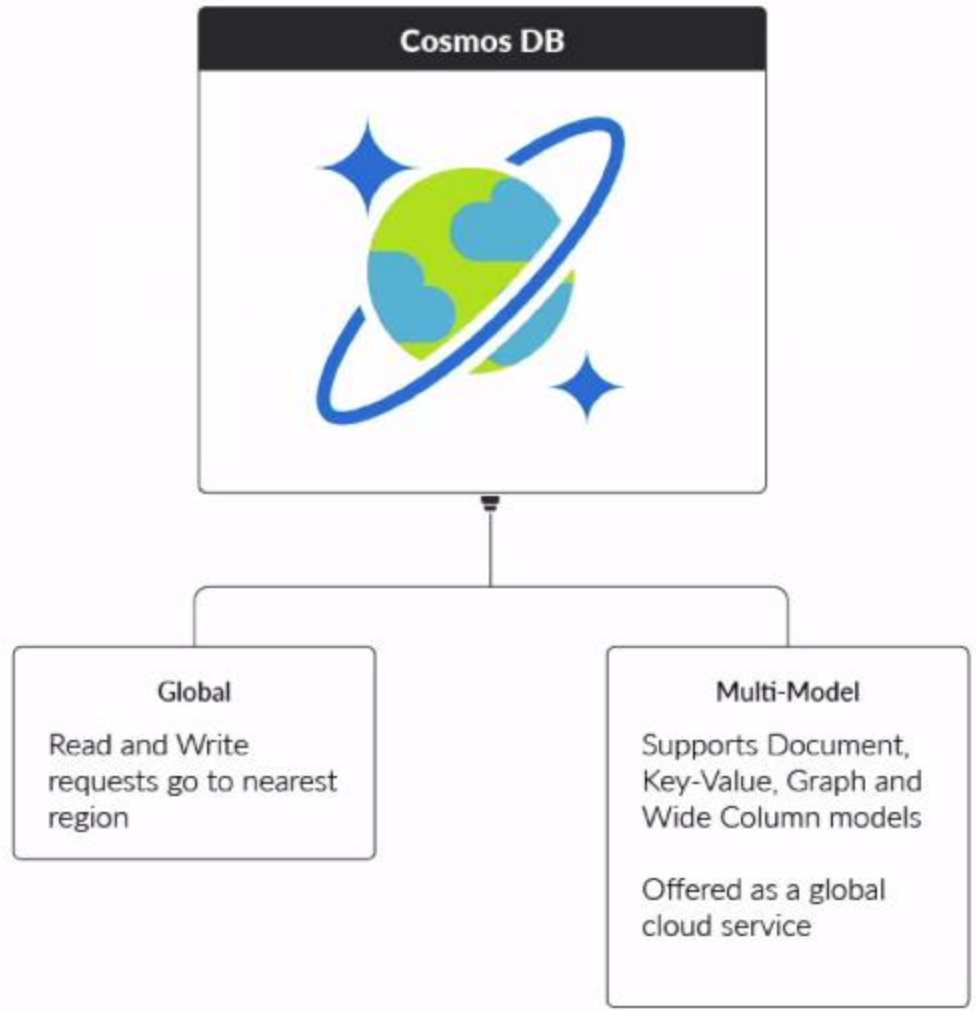
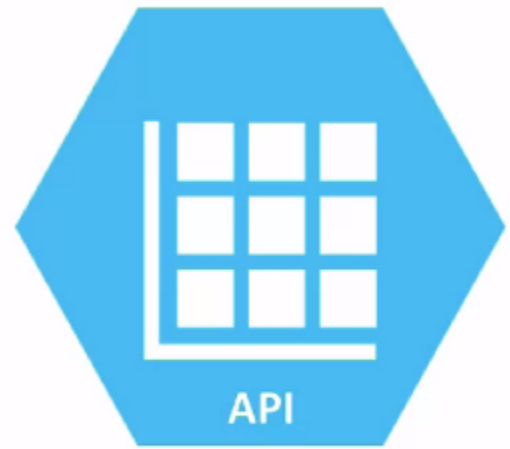


Table API

Cosmos DB's Table API is built on Table storage, but offers these additional features:

- Global distribution
- Dedicated throughput worldwide
- Single-digit millisecond latencies at the 99th percentile
- Guaranteed high availability
- Automatic secondary indexing



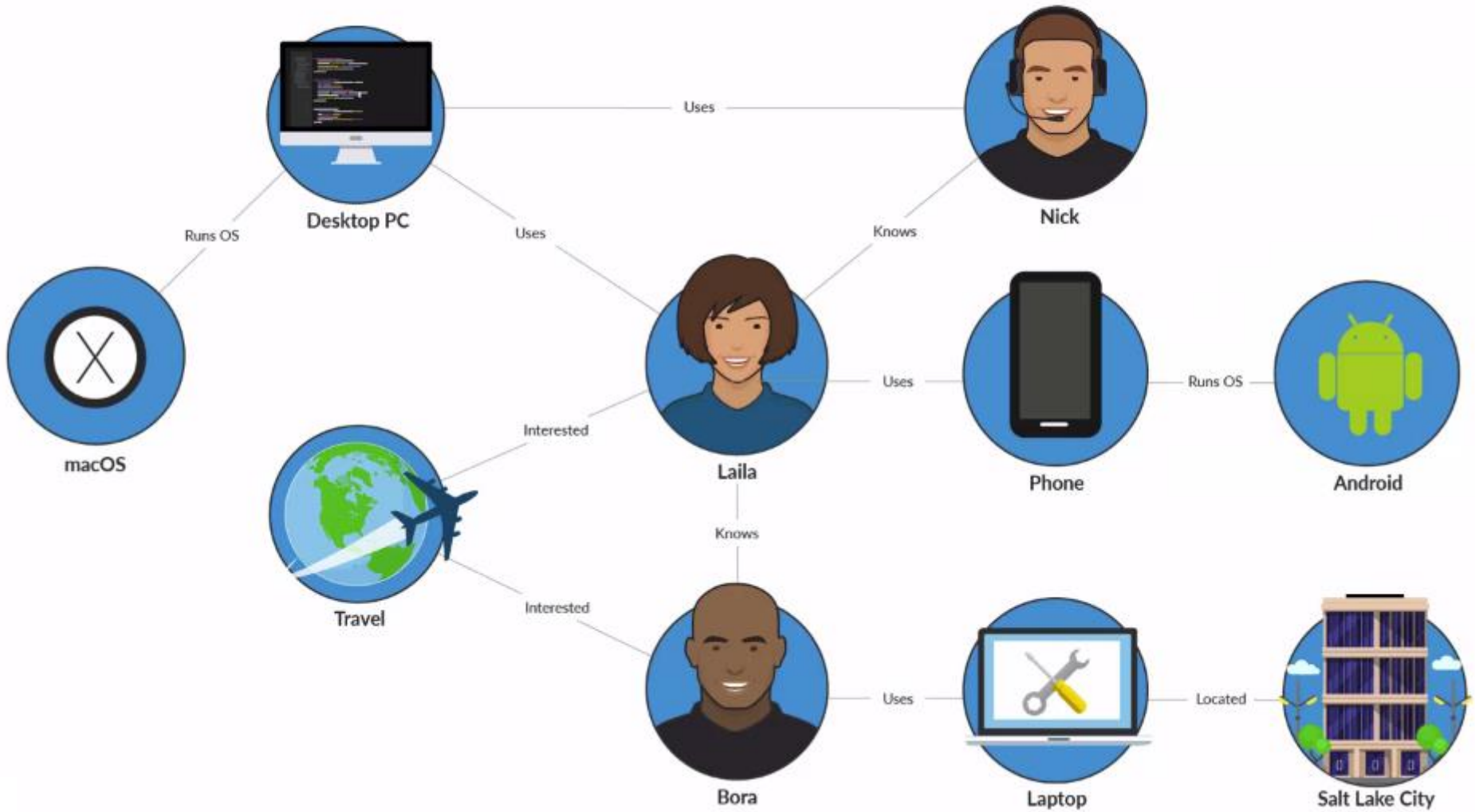
SQL API

SQL API

Lets you use a SQL-like language to query JSON documents
(which is how Cosmos DB stores the data)

Easier for SQL users than the MongoDB API

Graph Databases



Wide Column Model

- Used by Apache Cassandra
- Cosmos DB provides the Cassandra API for applications that are written to use a Cassandra database

Data Lake Storage Gen2

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Get data into Azure Data Lake Storage (ADLS)

Use six layers of security to protect data in ADLS

Use Azure Databricks to process data in ADLS

Monitor and optimize the performance of your data lakes

Data Repositories

Data Warehouse

Structured data

Relational tables

Business reporting

Data Lake

Structured and raw data

Documents, images, social media, etc.

Data analytics and exploration

Unstructured Azure Data Services

Blob Storage

High availability

Lifecycle management

Low cost

Data Lake Storage Gen2

Blob Storage features plus:

Hierarchical

Fine-grained security

Hadoop compatibility

Azure Data Lake Storage (ADLS)

True hierarchical filesystem

- In Blob Storage, folders are just naming conventions
- ADLS is designed to perform operations on folders quickly

Fine-grained security

- Set permissions at individual file level

Can replace Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS)

Use Spark on Azure Databricks to process data on ADLS

Security

Security layers

- Authentication
- Access control
- Network isolation
- Data protection
- Advanced threat protection
- Auditing

Security Layers

Authentication methods

Azure Active Directory (AAD) verifies a user's identity

- Users must be in AAD to access Azure Data Lake Store

Shared Access Signature

- Only has access to specific data and has an expiry date and time

Shared Key

- Not recommended

Access control

- Roles
- Access Control Lists (ACLs)

Roles

Owner

Read, write, and delete data

Set permissions of other users

Contributor

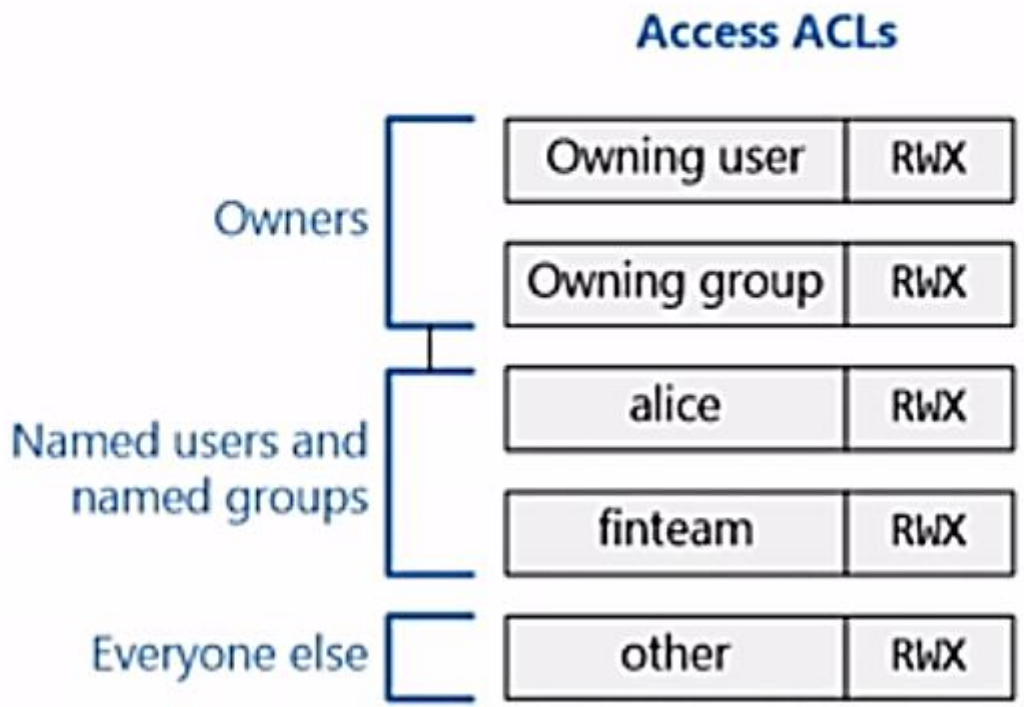
Read, write, and delete data

Reader

Read data


Role-based access control only works at the storage account or filesystem level, so you can't use it for fine-grained permissions

Access Control Lists



Access Control Lists

	File	Folder
Read (R)	Can read the contents of a file	Requires **Read** and **Execute** to list the contents of the folder
Write (W)	Can write or append to a file	Requires **Write** and **Execute** to create child items in a folder
Execute (X)	Does not mean anything in the context of Data Lake Storage	

Security Layers

Network isolation

- Use firewall to restrict access to virtual networks or IP addresses

Data protection

- Data in transit is always encrypted using HTTPS
- Encrypt data at rest with your choice of key management

Advanced Threat Protection

- Monitor attempts to access or exploit your storage accounts

Auditing

- ADLS logs all account management activities

Ingesting Data

Ways to upload data from your desktop to ADLS

- AzCopy
- Azure Storage Explorer
- PowerShell
- Azure CLI

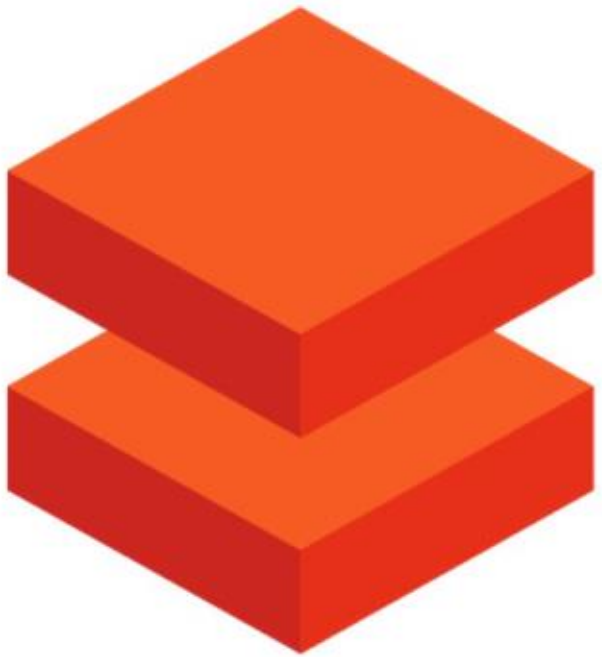
I'll use AzCopy from Cloud Shell

Need to assign Storage Blob Data Contributor role first

Accessing ADLS from Azure Databricks

Overview

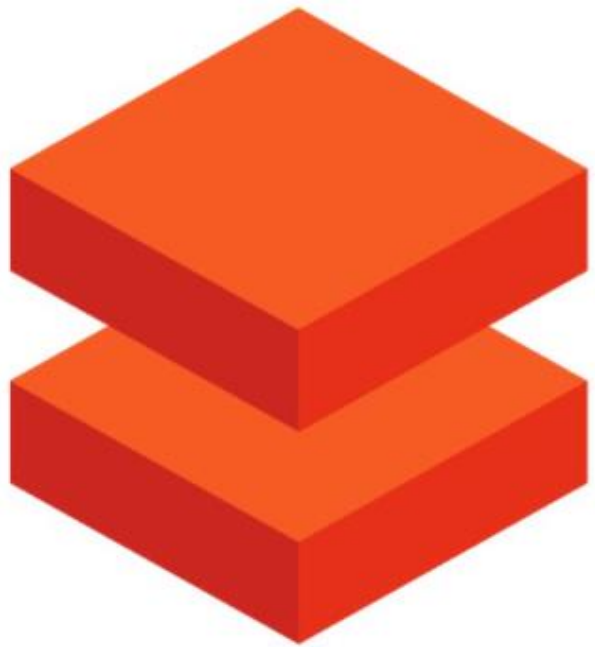
- In 2013, the creators of Spark started a company called Databricks
- The name of their product is also Databricks
- It's a managed implementation of Spark in the cloud
- It also has a user-friendly interface for running code on clusters interactively



Databricks

Overview

Azure Machine Learning Services

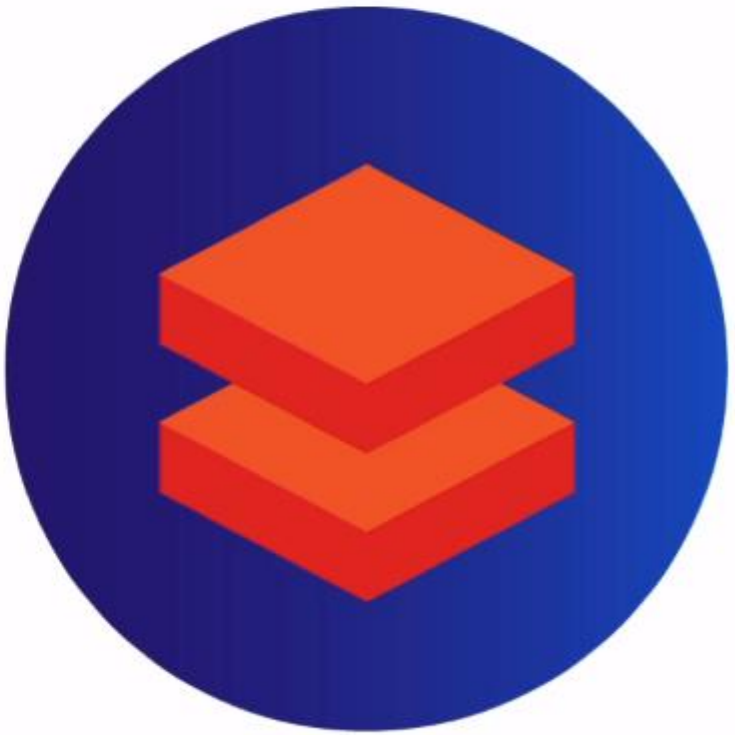


Databricks

Accessing ADLS from Azure Databricks

Ways to authenticate Databricks to ADLS

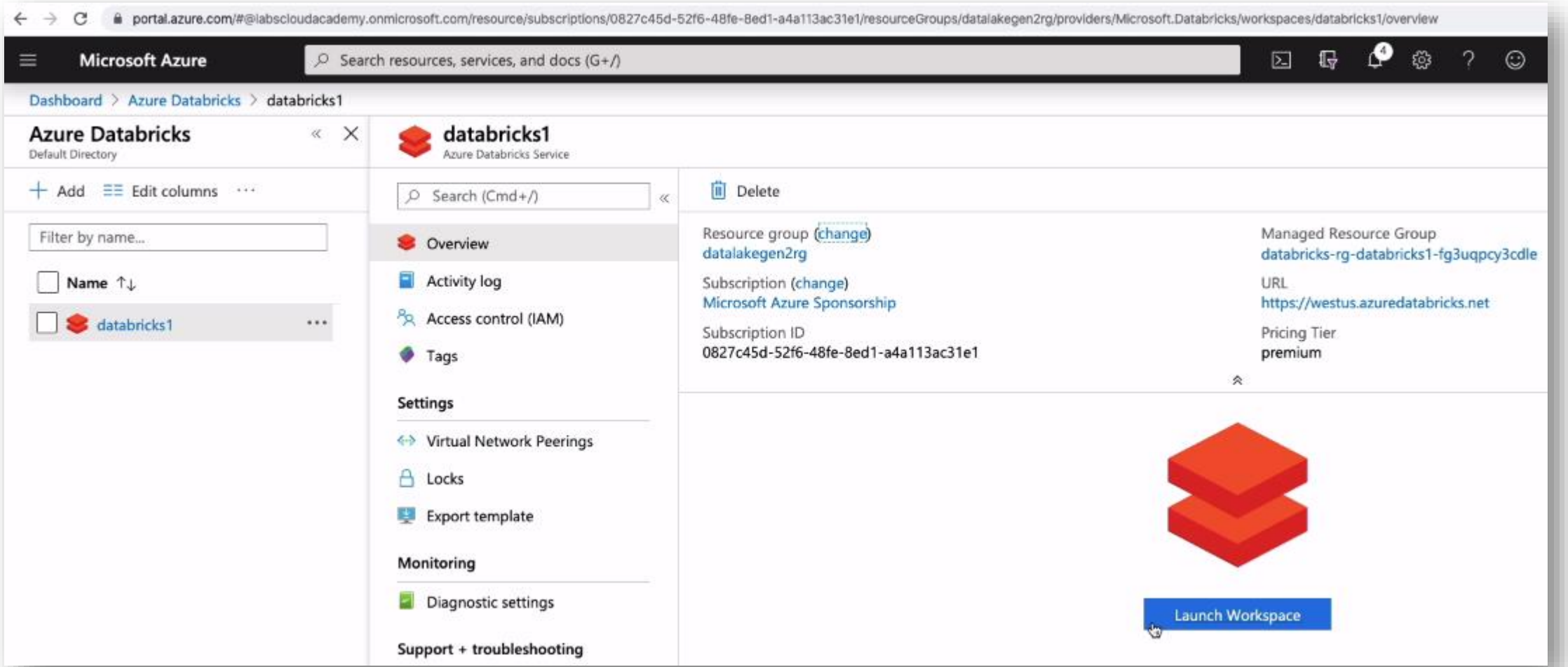
- Credential passthrough - uses Azure AD credentials
- Service principal - identity you assign to a service
- Embed storage account access key in code on Databricks – not recommended



Credential passthrough only works on Premium Databricks workspace

Demo

1. Create an Azure Databricks workspace
2. Spin up a Spark cluster and create a notebook
3. Access ADLS filesystem from Databricks notebook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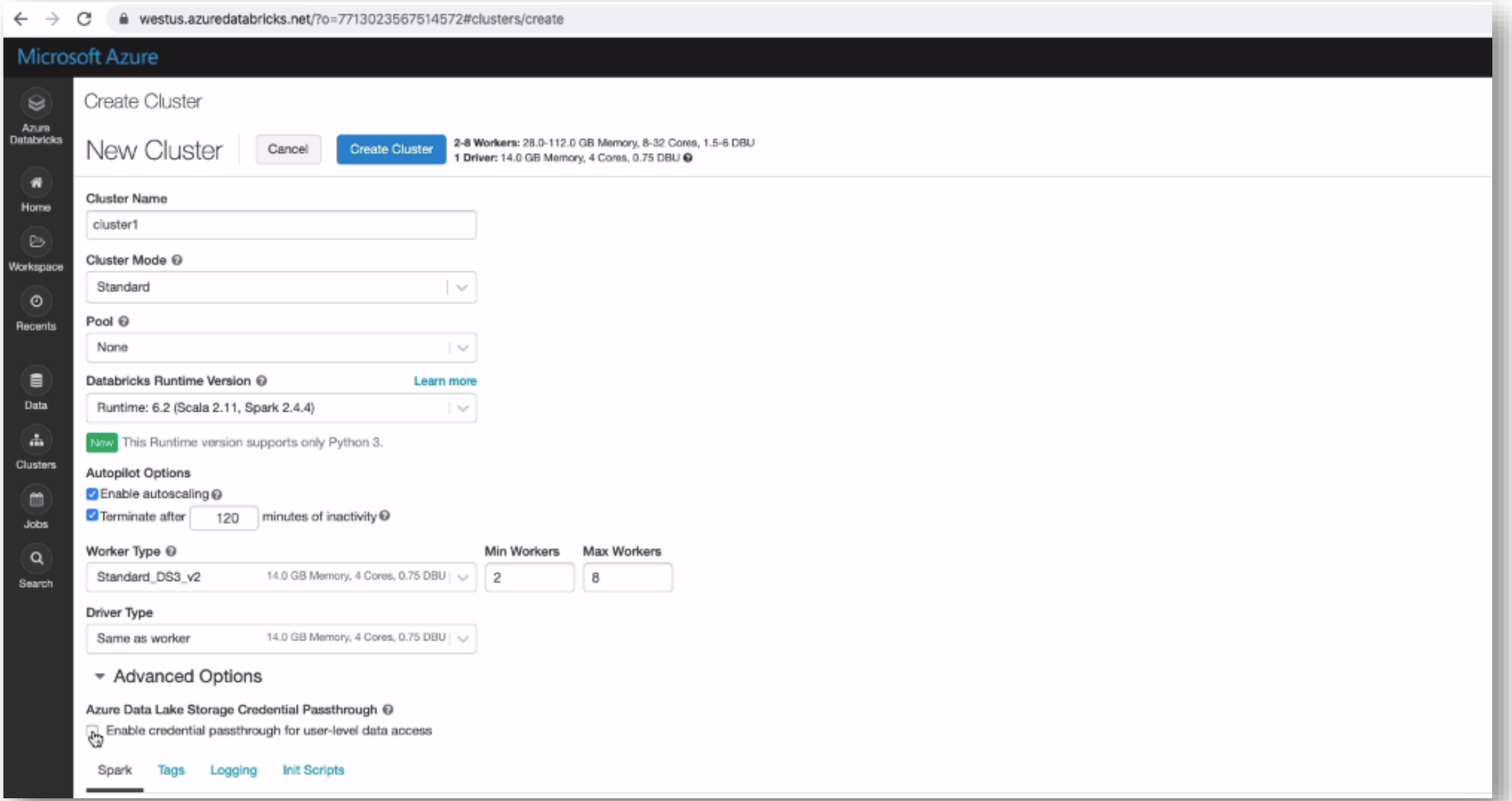
Launch Workspace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Create Cluster
2-8 Workers: 28.0-112.0 GB Memory, 8-32 Cores, 1.5-6 DBU
1 Driver: 14.0 GB Memory, 4 Cores, 0.75 DBU
Cluster Name
cluster1
Cluster Mode
Standard
Pool
None
Databricks Runtime Version
Learn more
Runtime: 6.2 (Scala 2.11, Spark 2.4.4)
New
This Runtime version supports only Python 3.
Autopilot Options
Enable autoscaling
Terminate after
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minutes of inactivity
Worker Type
Min Workers
Max Workers
Standard_DS3_v2
14.0 GB Memory, 4 Cores, 0.75 DBU
2
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Driver Type
Same as worker
14.0 GB Memory, 4 Cores, 0.75 DBU
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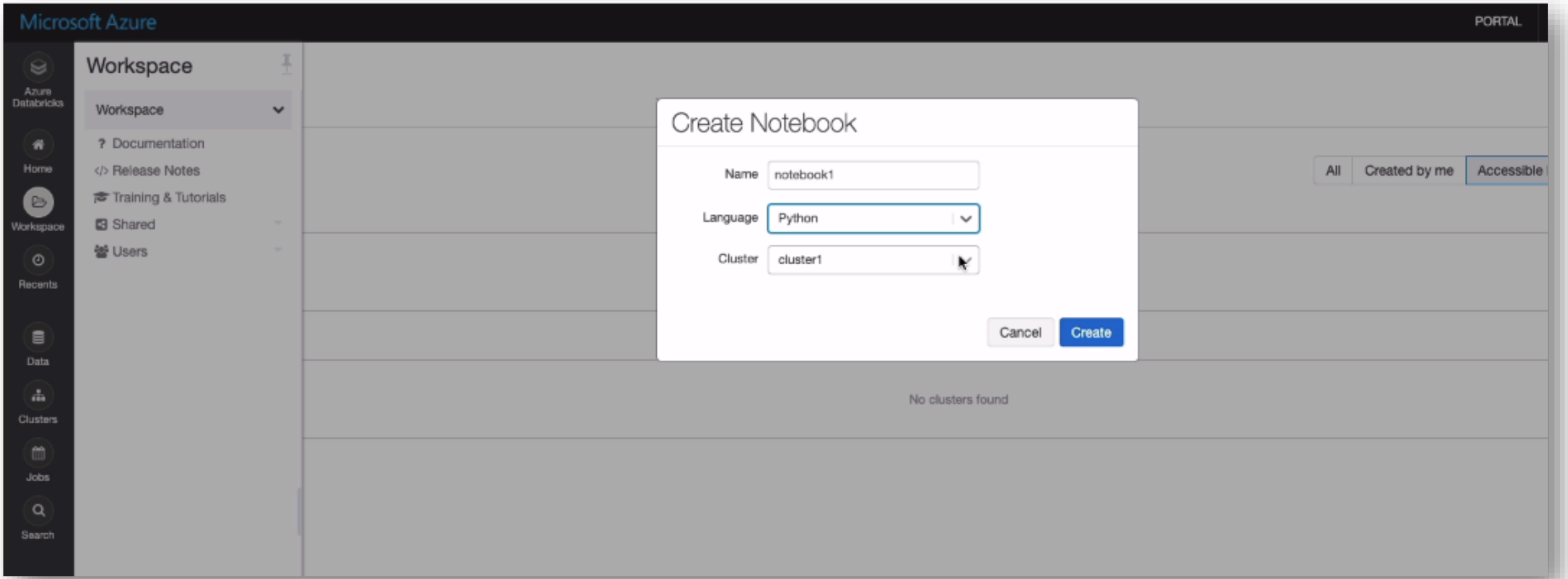
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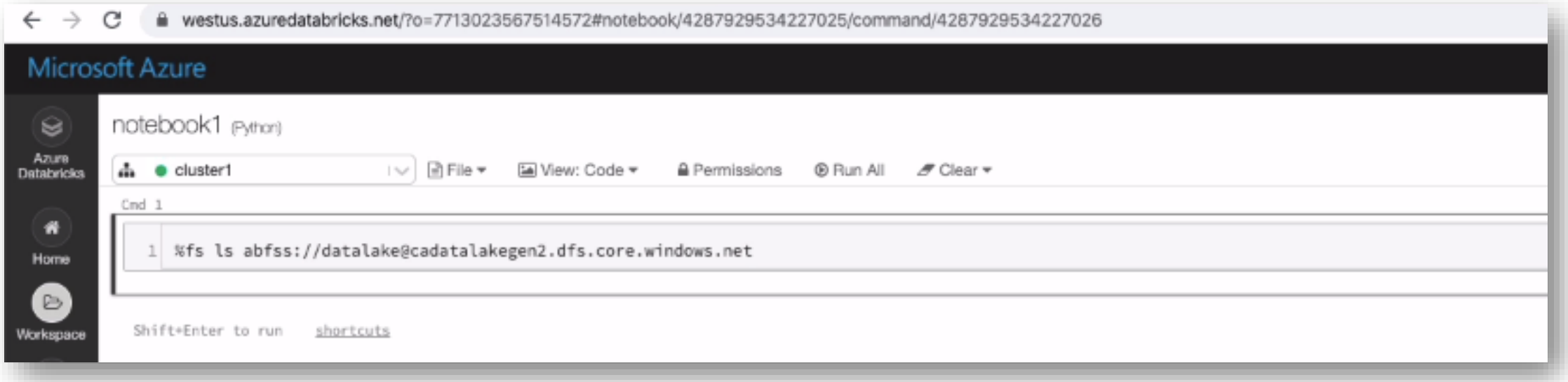
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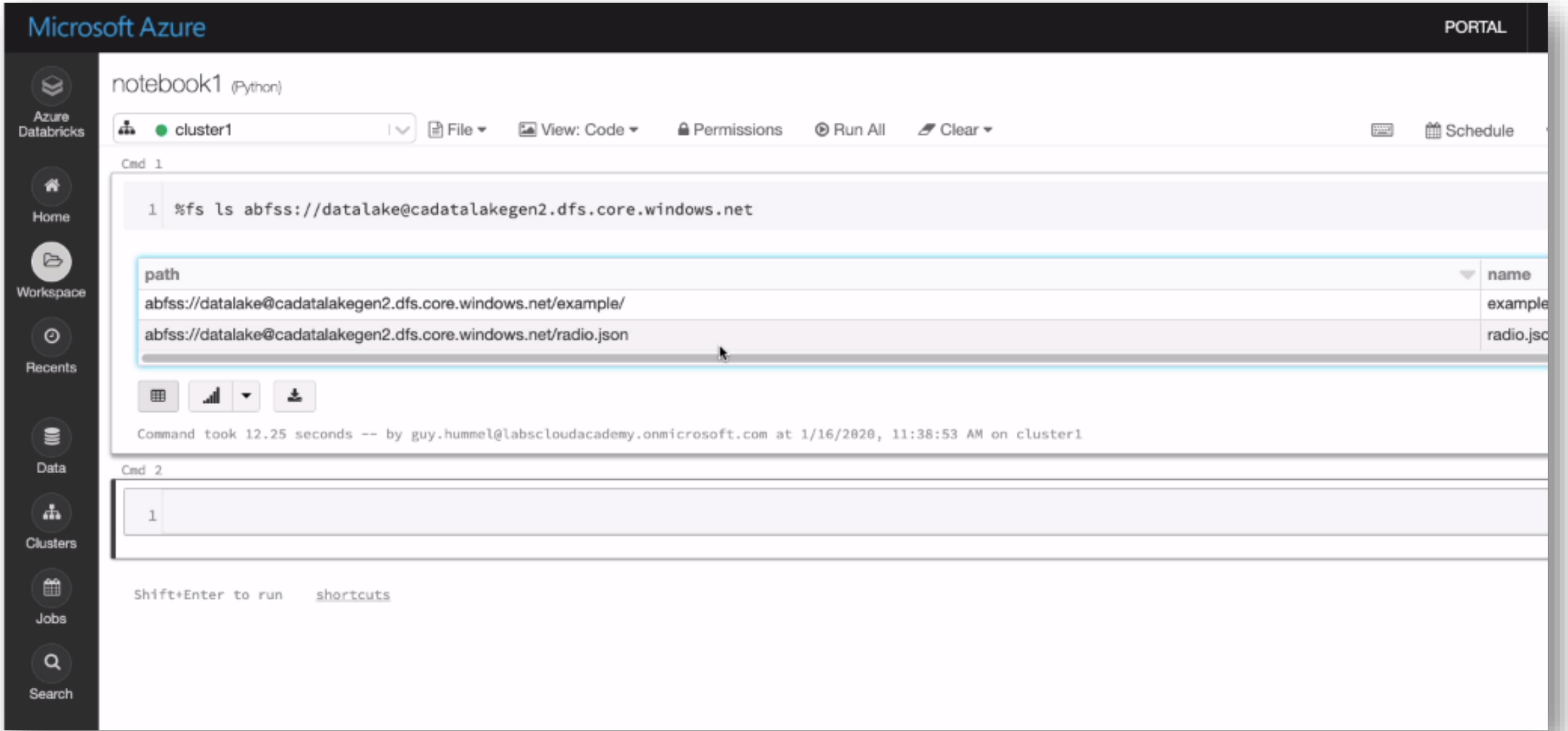
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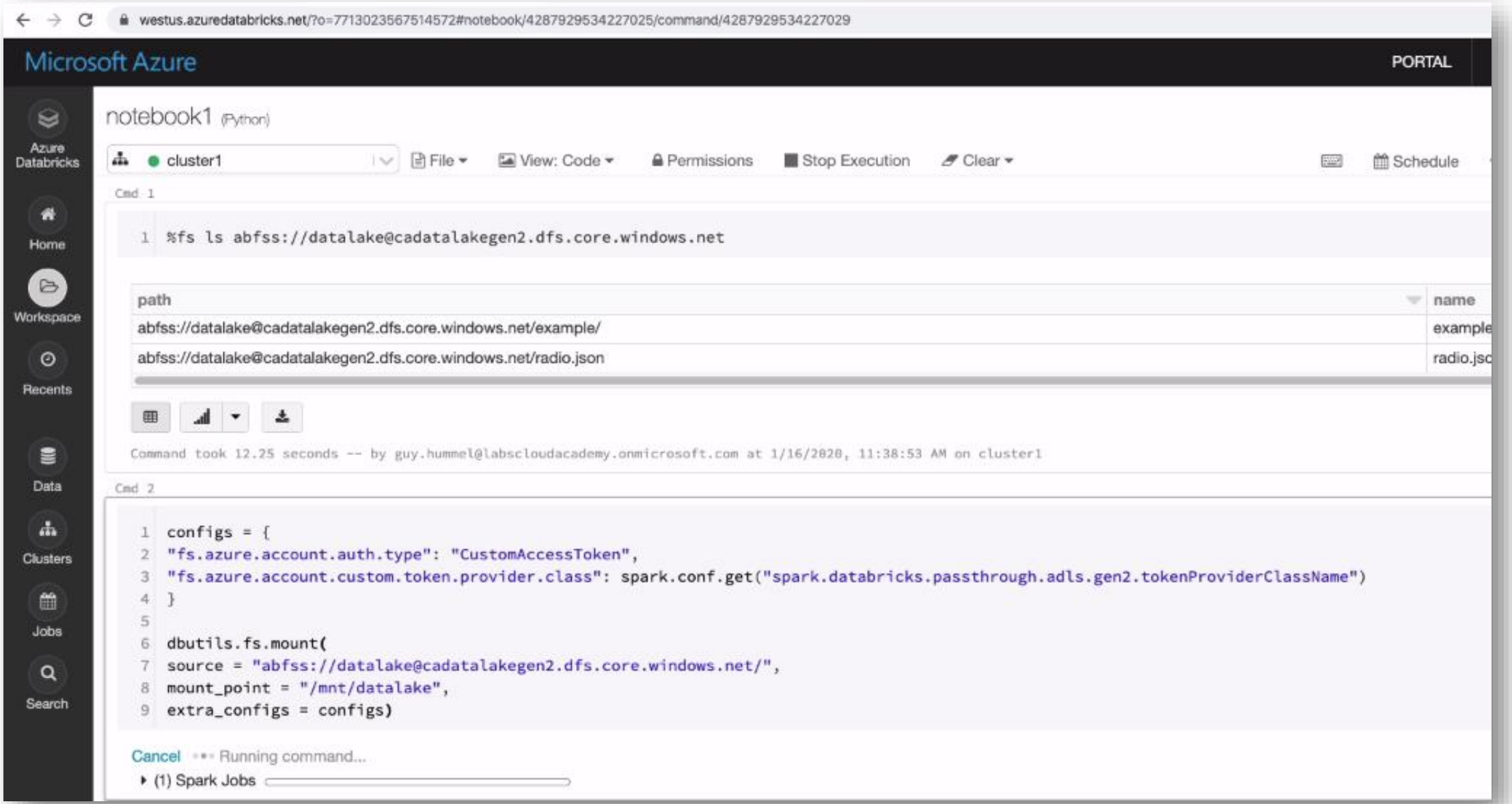
name
abfss://datalake@cadatalakegen2.dfs.core.windows.net/example/
example
abfss://datalake@cadatalakegen2.dfs.core.windows.net/radio.json
radio.jsc
Command took 12.25 seconds -- by guy.hummel@labscloudacademy.onmicrosoft.com at 1/16/2020, 11:38:53 AM on cluster1
Cmd 2
1
Shift+Enter to run
shortcuts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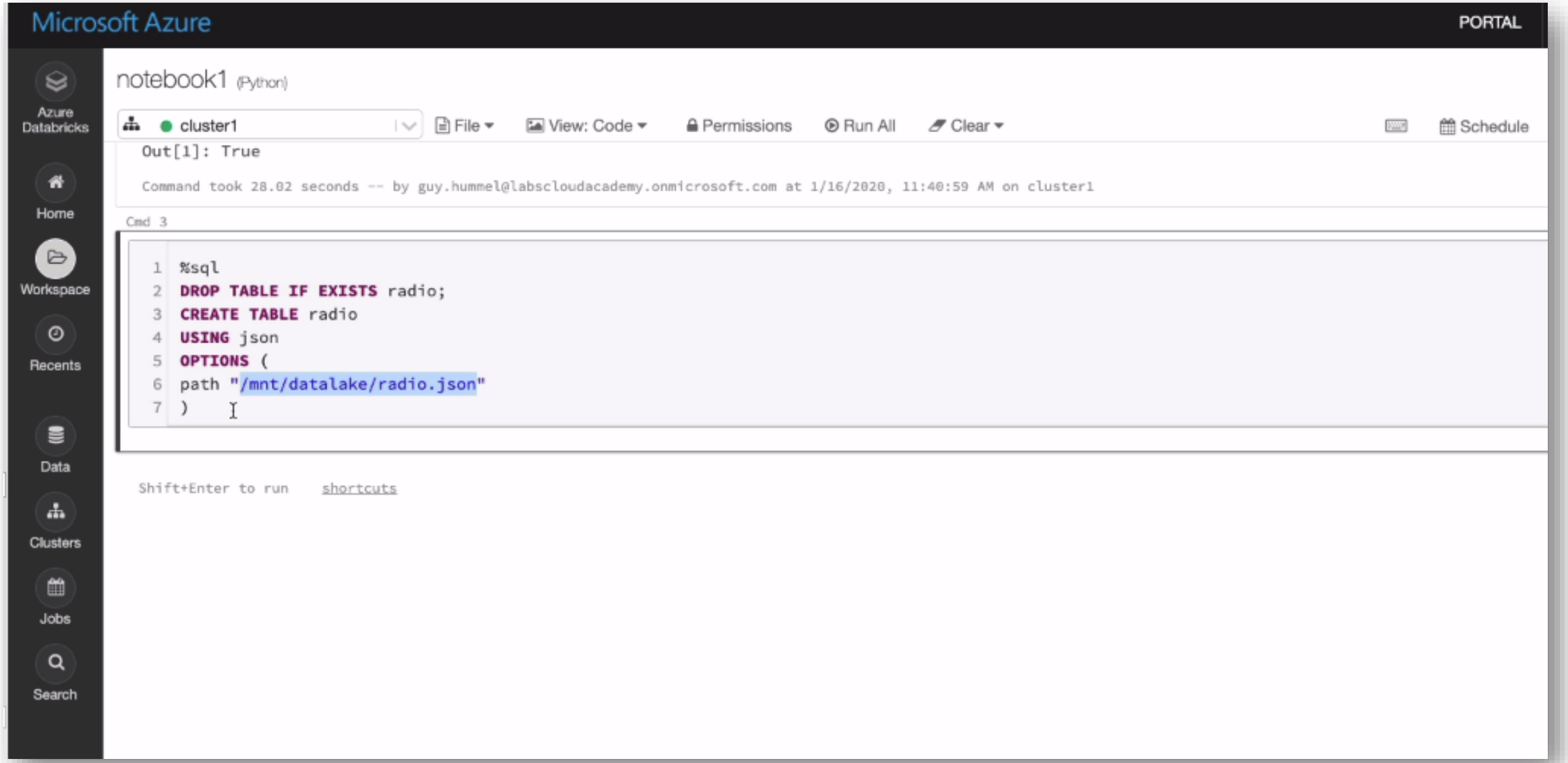
Cmd 2
1 configs = {
2 "fs.azure.account.auth.type": "CustomAccessToken",
3 "fs.azure.account.custom.token.provider.class": spark.conf.get("spark.databricks.passthrough.adls.gen2.tokenProviderClassName")
4 }
5
6 dbutils.fs.mount(
7 source = "abfss://datalake@cadatalakegen2.dfs.core.windows.net/",
8 mount_point = "/mnt/datalake",
9 extra_configs = configs)
Cancel
Running command...
(1) Spark Jobs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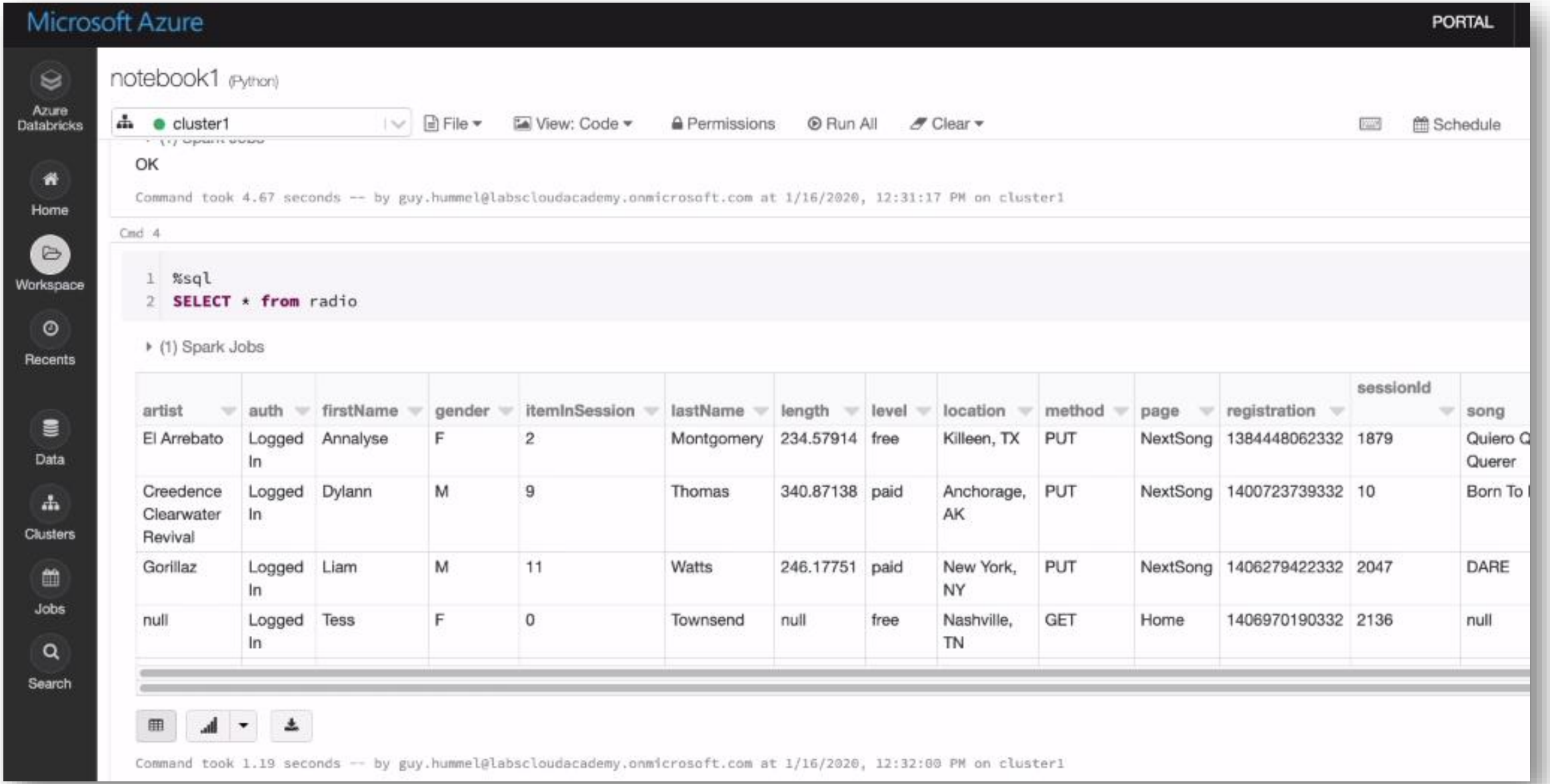
Cmd 3
1 %sql
2 DROP TABLE IF EXISTS radio;
3 CREATE TABLE radio
4 USING json
5 OPTIONS (
6 path "/mnt/datalake/radio.json"
7)
Shift+Enter to run
shortcuts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Cmd 4
1 %sql
2 SELECT * from radio
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Creedence Clearwater Revival | Logged In | Dylann | M | 9 | Thomas | 340.87138 | paid | Anchorage, AK | PUT | NextSong | 1400723739332 | 10 | Born To
Gorillaz | Logged In | Liam | M | 11 | Watts | 246.17751 | paid | New York, NY | PUT | NextSong | 1406279422332 | 2047 | DARE
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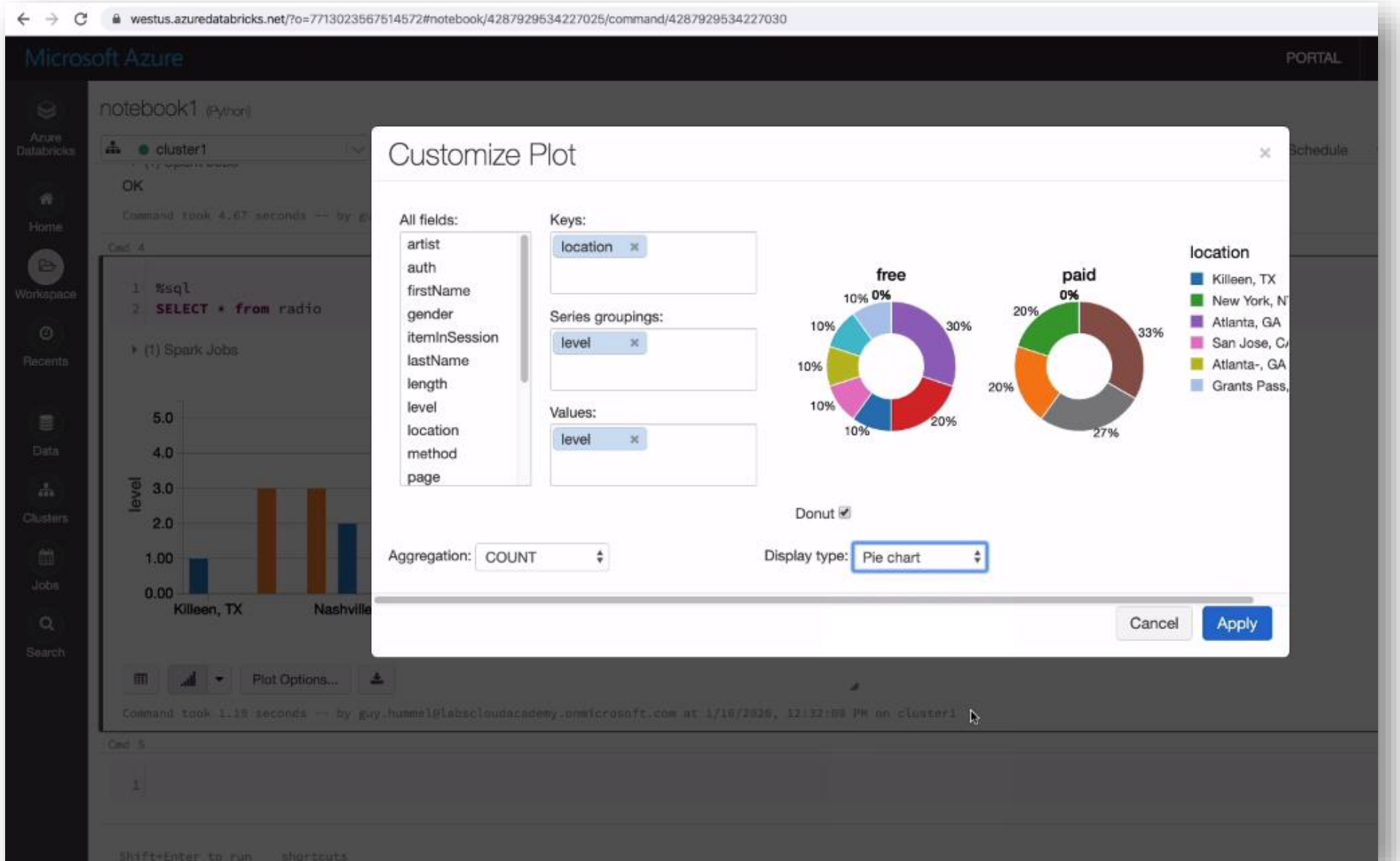
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Accessing ADLS from Azure Databricks

Authenticate using a service principal

1. Create a service principal by registering an app (Azure Databricks instance) in Azure Active Directory
2. Assign Storage Blob Data Contributor role to the service principal
3. Create a secret in an Azure Key Vault that the service principal can use to authenticate
4. In Databricks workspace, create an Azure Key Vault-backed secret scope
5. Run mount code, including the service principal ID, the names of the secret scope and secret, and the Azure AD tenant ID

Register an application

If you are building an application for external users that will be distributed by Microsoft, you must register as a first party application to meet all security, privacy, and compliance policies. Read our decision guide

* Name

The user-facing display name for this application (this can be changed later).

DLAccess

Supported account types

Who can use this application or access this API?

- (•) Accounts in this organizational directory only (Microsoft only - Single tenant)
- ( ) Accounts in any organizational directory (Any Azure AD directory - Multitenant)
- ( ) Accounts in any organizational directory (Any Azure AD directory - Multitenant) and personal Microsoft accounts (e.g. Skype, Xbox)

Help me choose...

Redirect URI (optional)

We'll return the authentication response to this URI after successfully authenticating the user. Providing this now is optional and it can be changed later, but a value is required for most authentication scenarios.

Web | https://adventure-works.com/exampleapp

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Display name
DLAccess

Application (client) ID
933dec15-ab18-4cc3-bfe8-bfb8e20d7df2

Directory (tenant) ID
9abad051-7ce5-4108-8b5c-5f7e198781c6

Object ID
853e65f1-ed77-47ce-9a4d-0fac0fbea248

Supported account types
My organization only

Redirect URIs
1 web, 0 spa, 0 public client

Application ID URI
Add an Application ID URI

Managed application in local directory
DLAccess

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Build more powerful apps with rich user and business data from Microsoft services and your own company's data sources.

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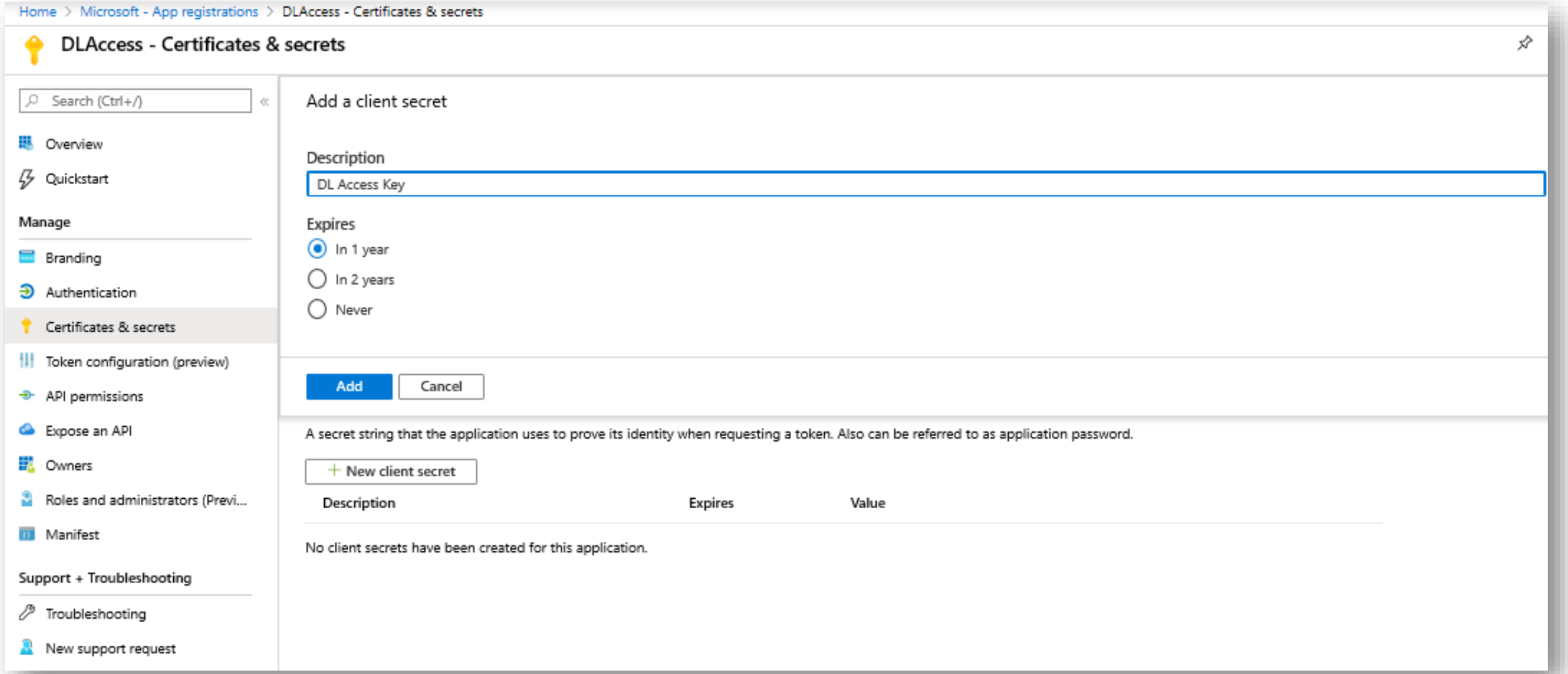
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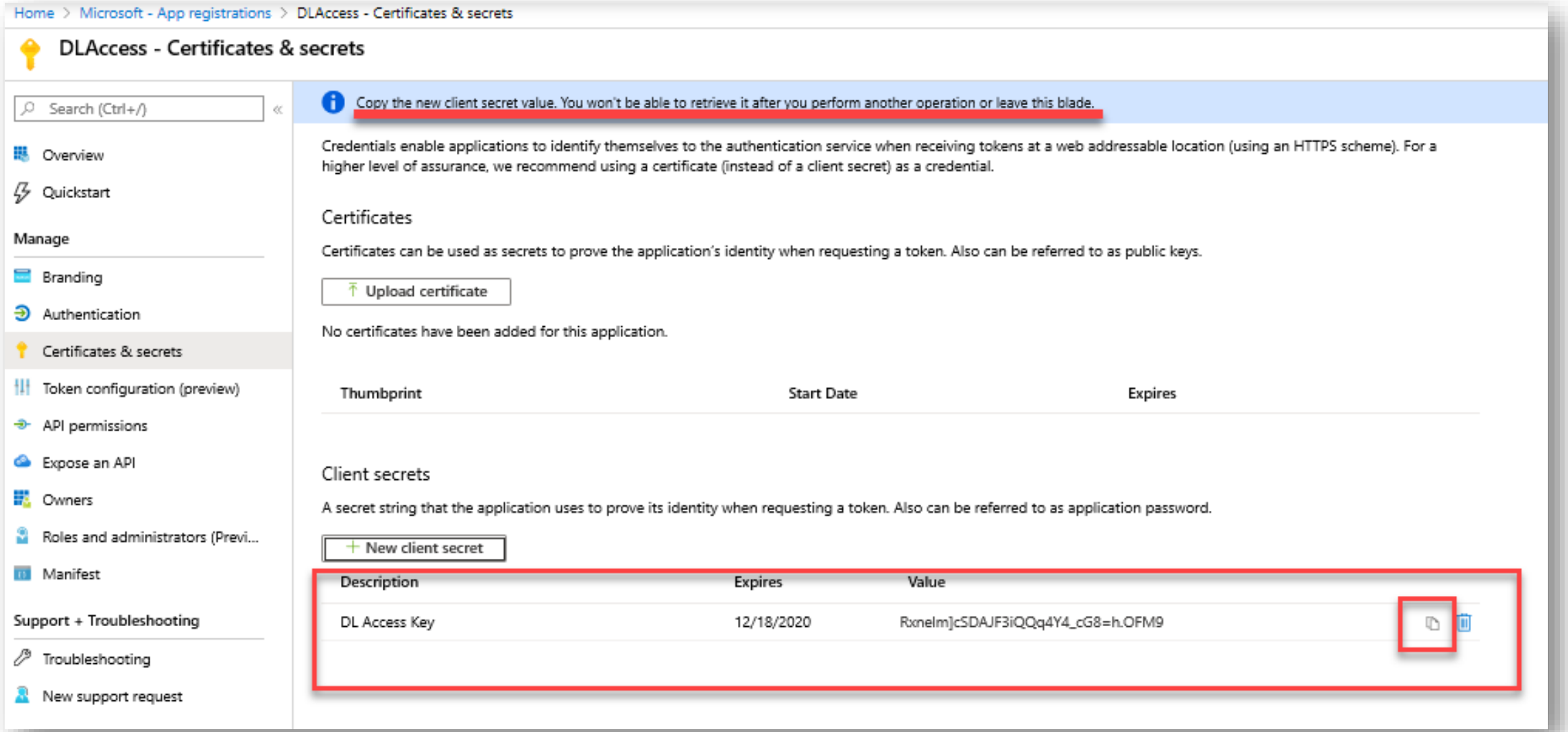
Add a client secret
Description
DL Access Key
Expires
In 1 year
In 2 years
Never
Add
Cancel
A secret string that the application uses to prove its identity when requesting a token. Also can be referred to as application password.
New client secret
Description
Expires
Value
No client secrets have been created for this application.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Copy the new client secret value. You won't be able to retrieve it after you perform another operation or leave this blade.
Credentials enable applications to identify themselves to the authentication service when receiving tokens at a web addressable location (using an HTTPS scheme). For a higher level of assurance, we recommend using a certificate (instead of a client secret) as a credential.
Certificates
Certificates can be used as secrets to prove the application's identity when requesting a token. Also can be referred to as public keys.
Upload certificate
No certificates have been added for this application.
Thumbprint
Start Date
Expires
Client secrets
A secret string that the application uses to prove its identity when requesting a token. Also can be referred to as application password.
New client secret
Description
Expires
Value
DL Access Key
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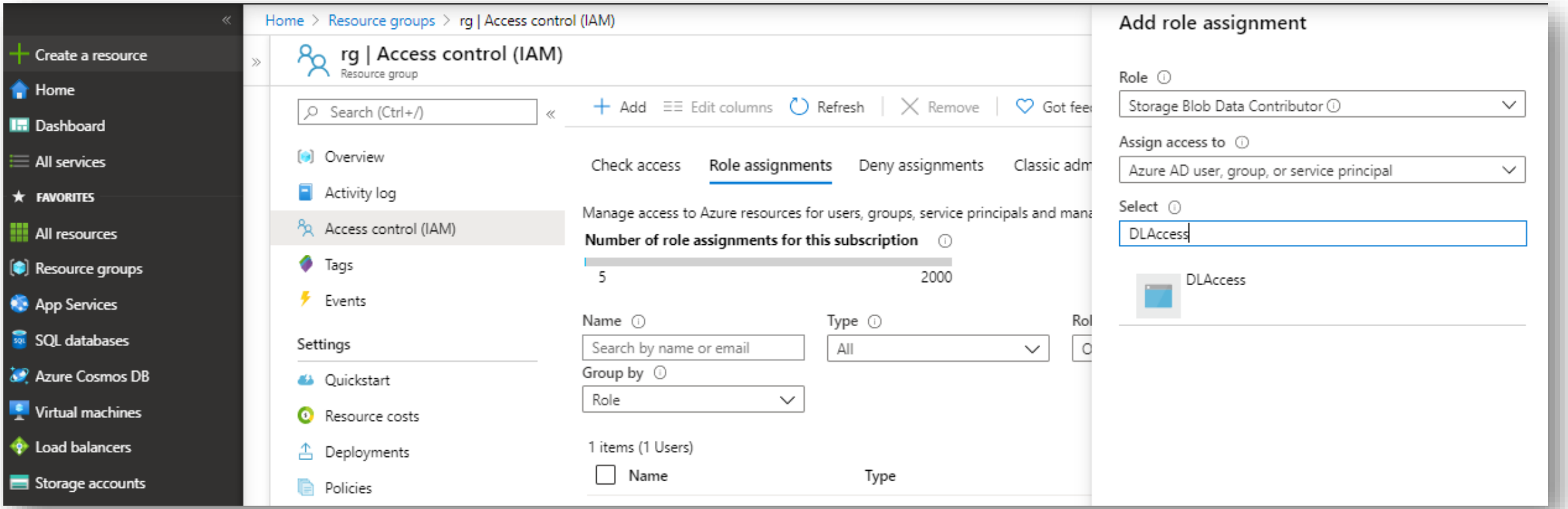
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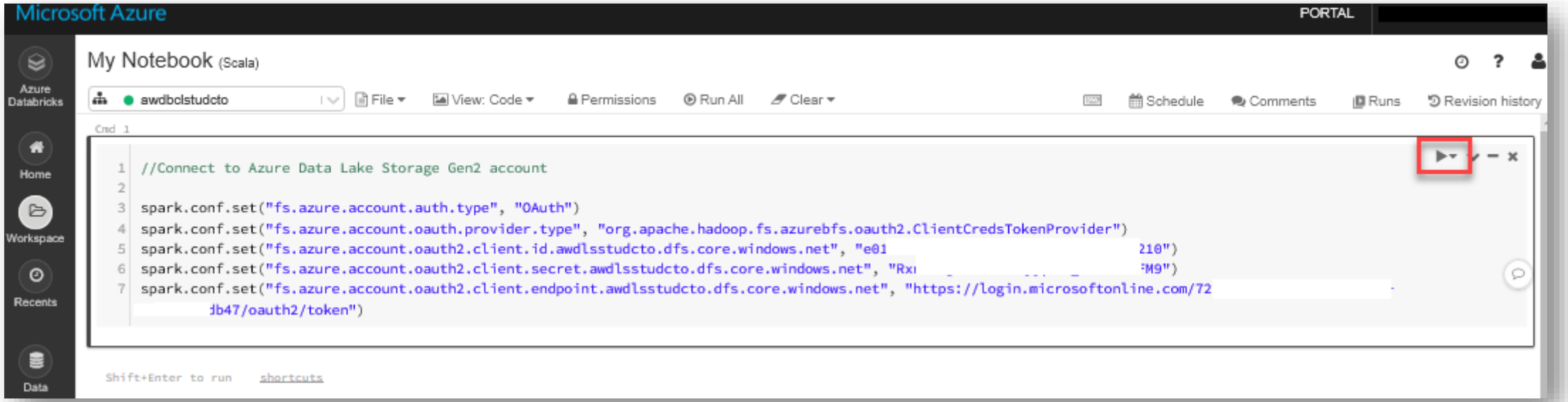


```
//Connect to Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account


spark.conf.set("fs.azure.account.auth.type", "OAuth")
spark.conf.set("fs.azure.account.oauth.provider.type", "org.apache.hadoop.fs.azurebfs.oauth2.ClientCredsTokenProvider")
spark.conf.set("fs.azure.account.oauth2.client.id.<storage-account-name>.dfs.core.windows.net", "<application-id>")
spark.conf.set("fs.azure.account.oauth2.client.secret.<storage-account-name>.dfs.core.windows.net", "<authentication-key>")
spark.conf.set("fs.azure.account.oauth2.client.endpoint.<storage-account-name>.dfs.core.windows.net",
"https://login.microsoftonline.com/<tenant-id>/oauth2/token")
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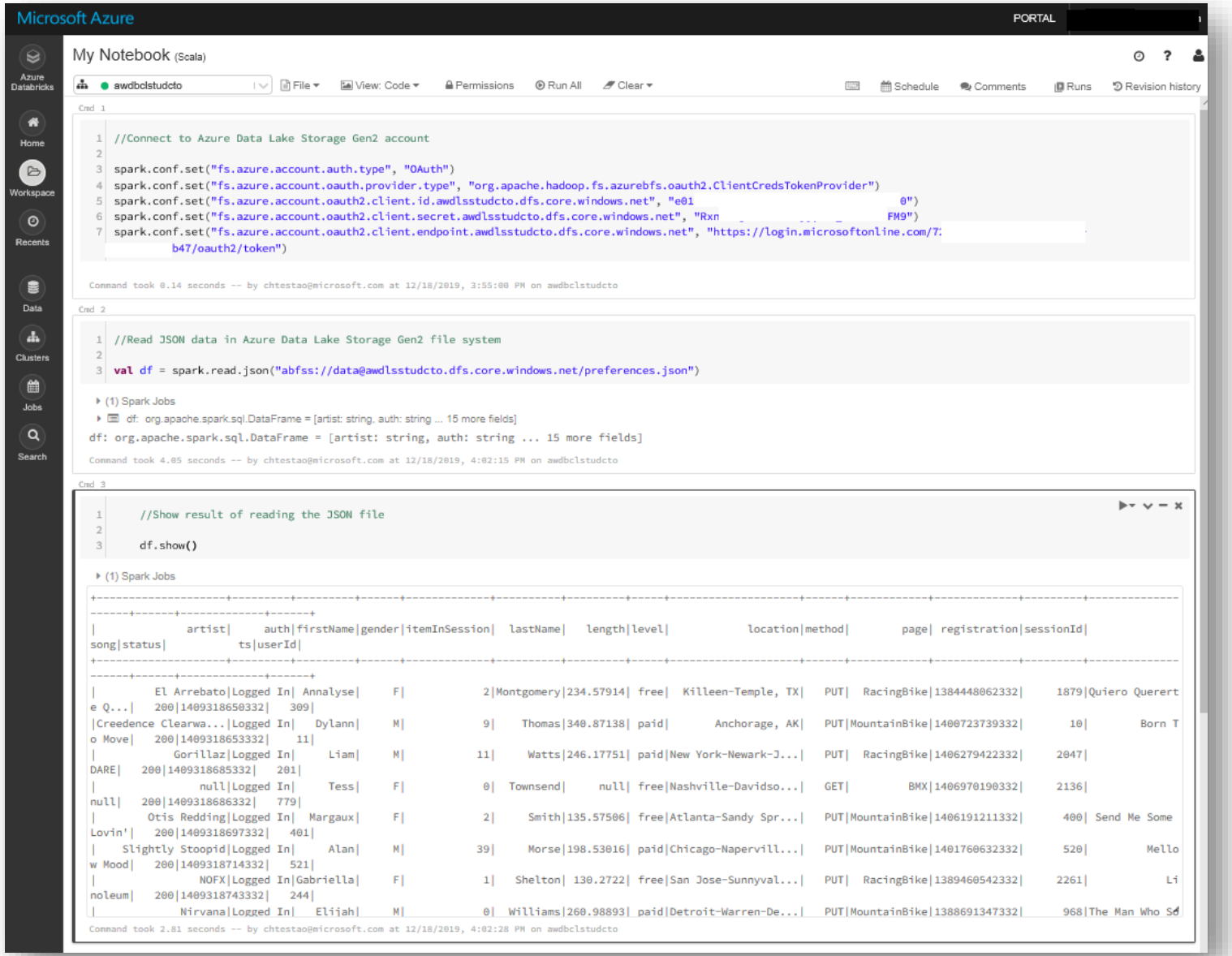


```
// Read JSON data in Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 file system

val df = spark.read.json("abfss://<file-system-name>@<storage-account-name>.dfs.core.windows.net/preferences.json")

//Show result of reading the JSON file

df.show()
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Monitoring and Optimization

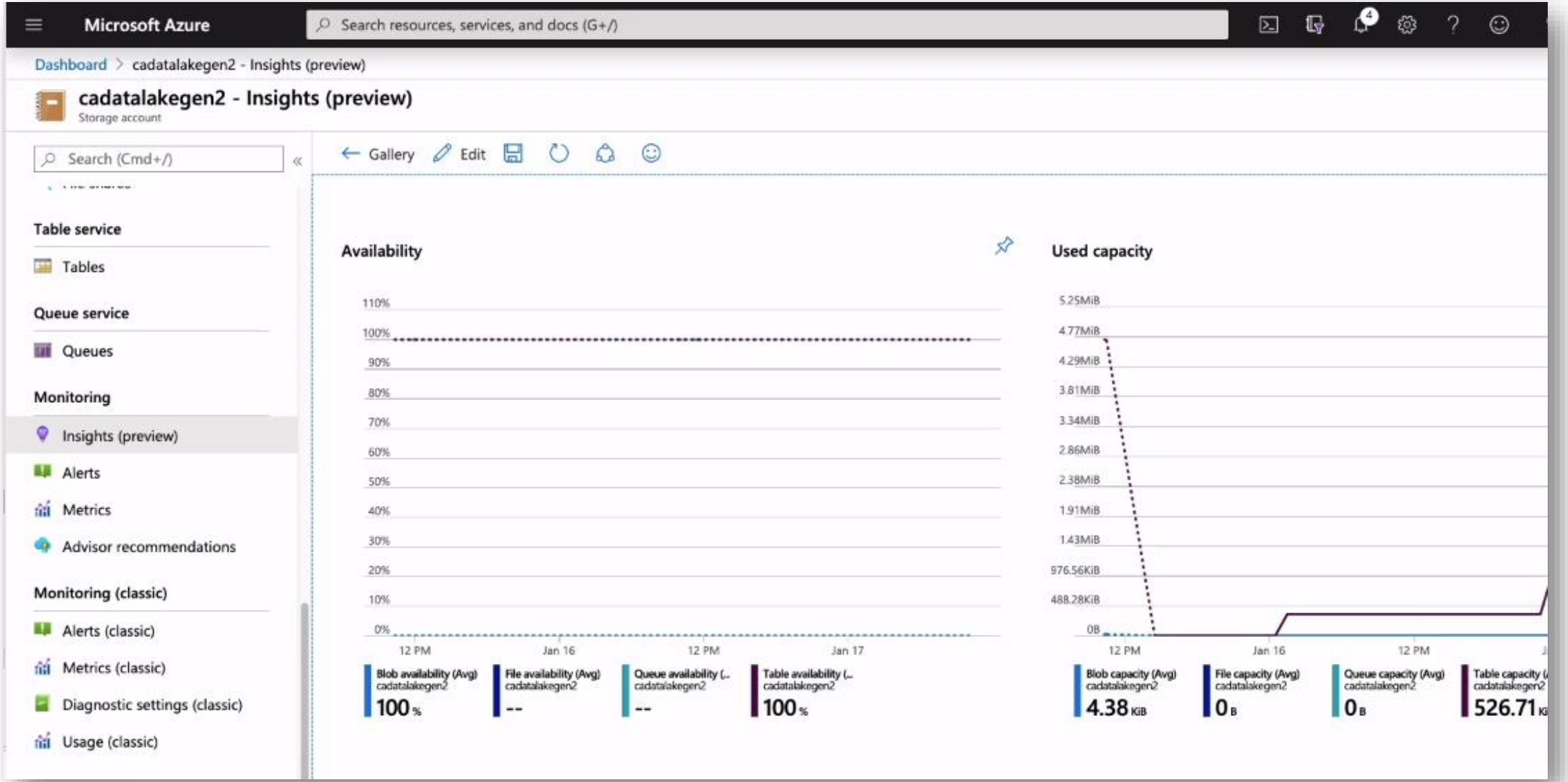
Monitoring and Optimization

Monitoring

- **Azure Monitor** provides tools for keeping track of metrics and sending alerts

Optimization

- Use high-speed storage and networking for data ingestion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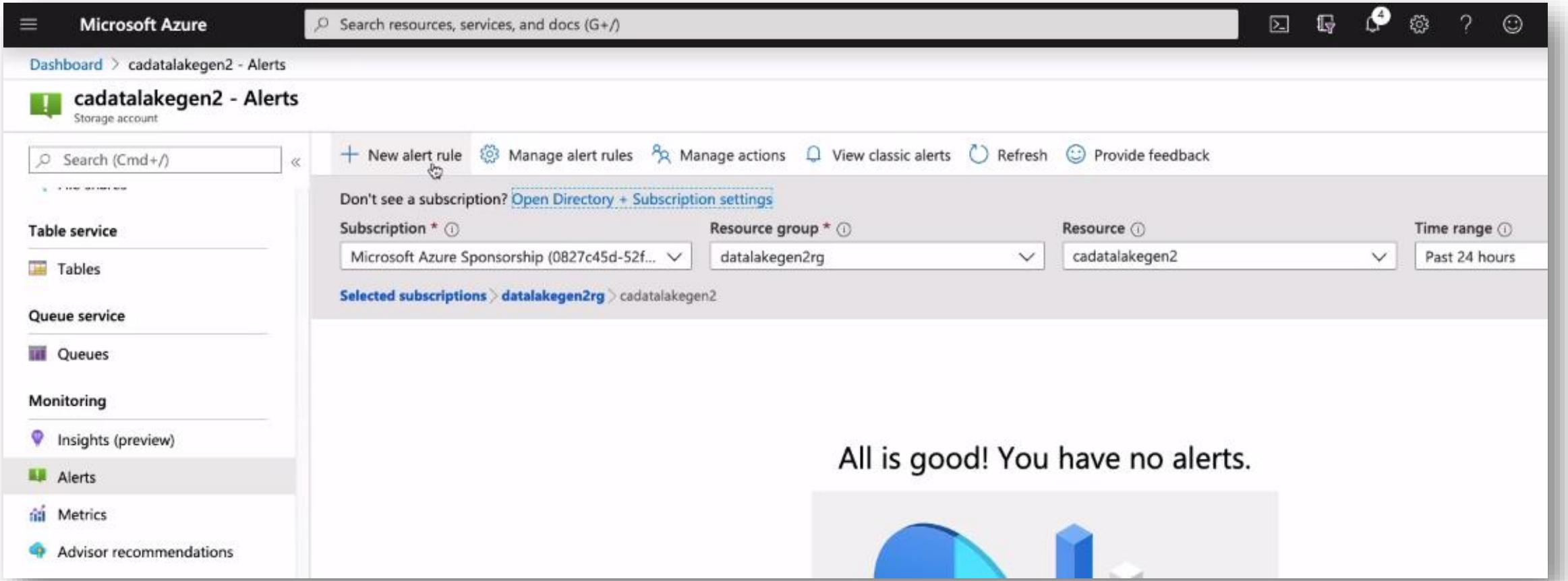
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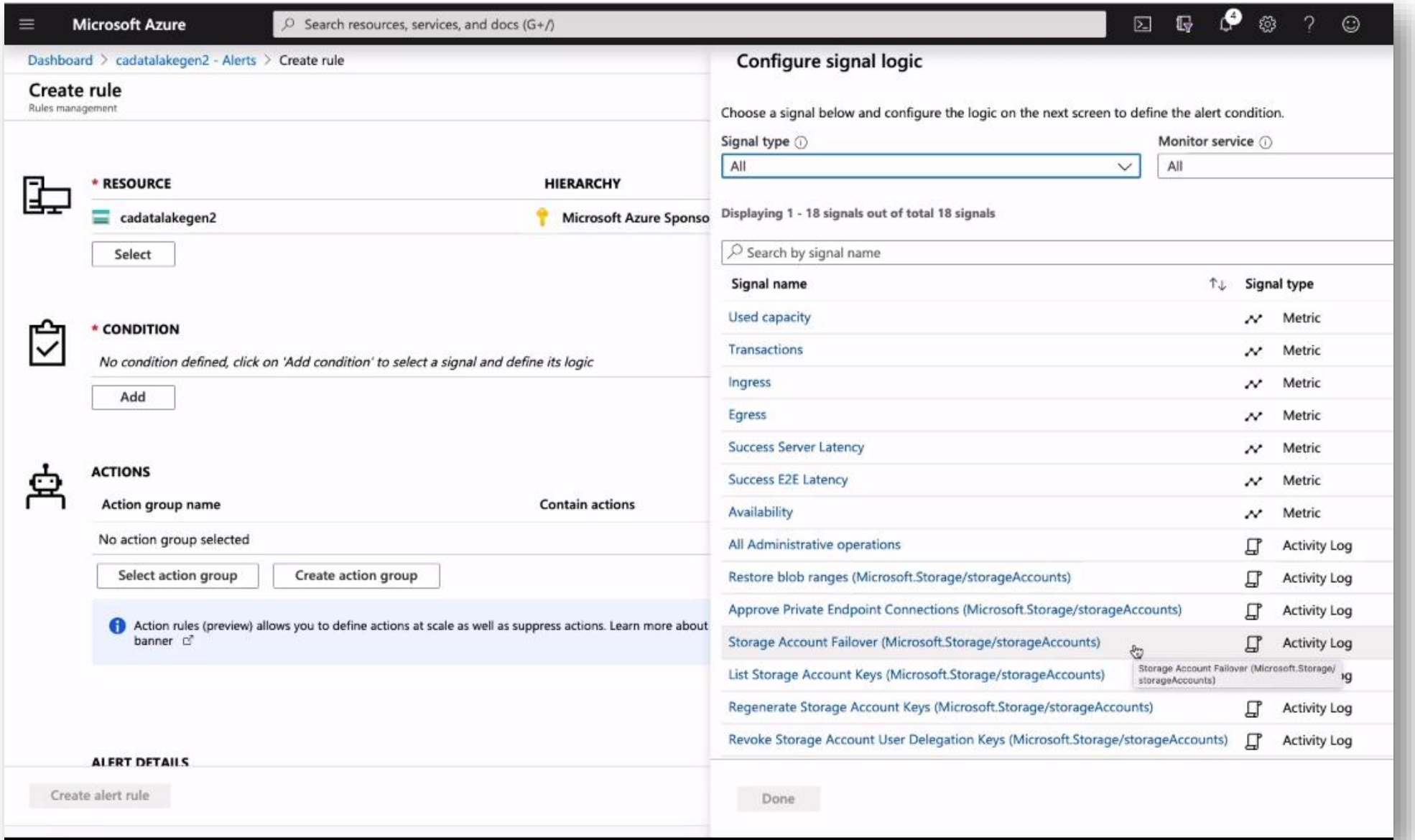
All is good! You have no alerts.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* CONDITION
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Action group name
Contain actions
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Create action group
Action rules (preview) allows you to define actions at scale as well as suppress actions. Learn more about banner
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Create alert rule
Configure signal logic
Choose a signal below and configure the logic on the next screen to define the alert condition.
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All
Displaying 1 - 18 signals out of total 18 signals
Search by signal name
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Signal type
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Metric
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Egress
Metric
Success Server Latency
Metric
Success E2E Latency
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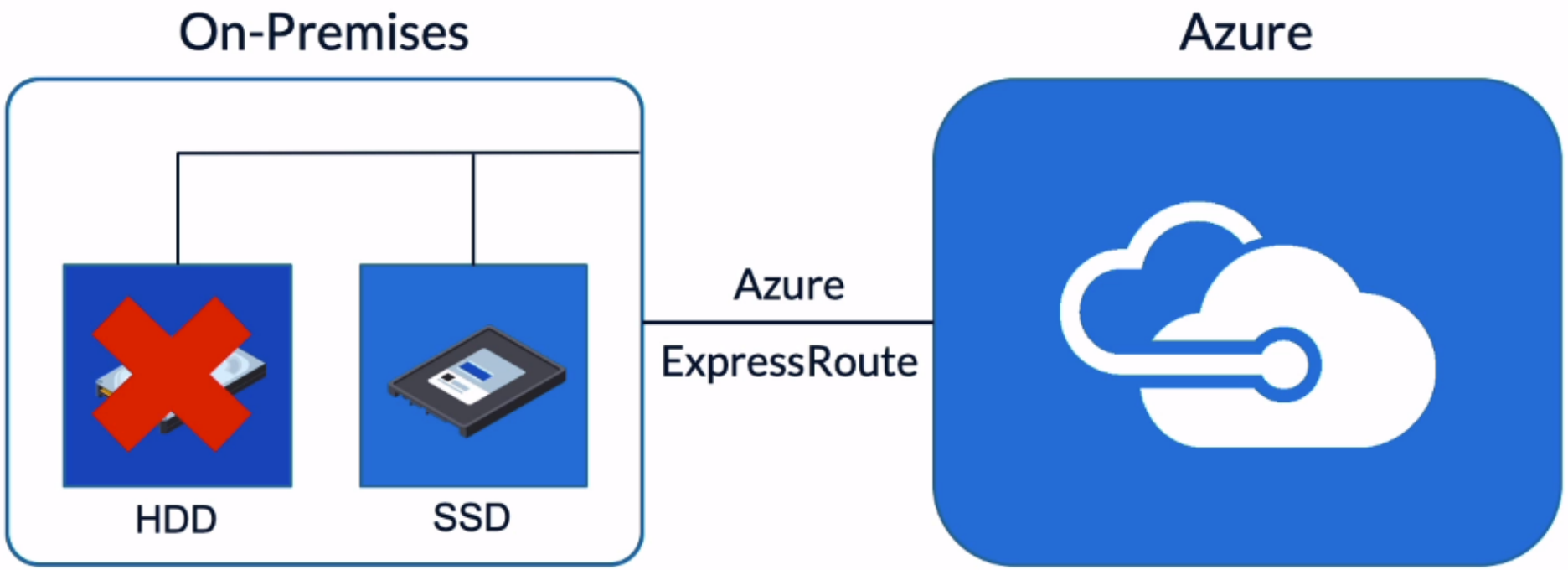


Configure data ingestion tools for maximum parallelization

When you are transferring large amounts of data from your local infrastructure to the Azure cloud, there are three potential bottlenecks.

First is the speed of your storage. Ideally, your local data should be on SSDs rather than spinning disks, and on storage arrays rather than individual disks.

Second, you should have a high-speed internal network. In particular, the network interface cards on your local machines should be as fast as possible.

Third, the network connection between your local infrastructure and the Azure cloud should be fast. If it’ s a major bottleneck, then consider using a dedicated link with Azure ExpressRoute.

Structure Your Datasets

There is a per-file overhead

Files should be at least 256MB, if possible

Partition time series data so you can process subsets

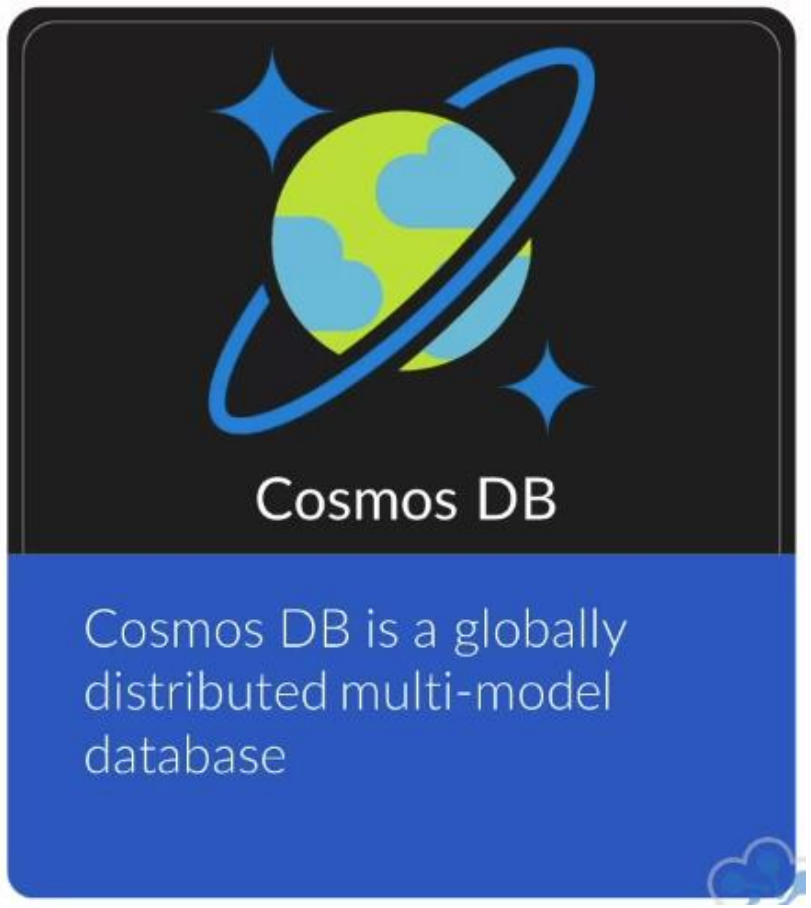
\DataSet\YYYY\MM\DD\datafile_YYYY_MM_DD.tsv

Cosmos DB

Introduction to Cosmos DB

Cosmos DB

- An extension of Microsoft's DocumentDB
- Availability is one of the chief guarantees
  - Achieving reliable database performance across multiple geographic regions is very difficult



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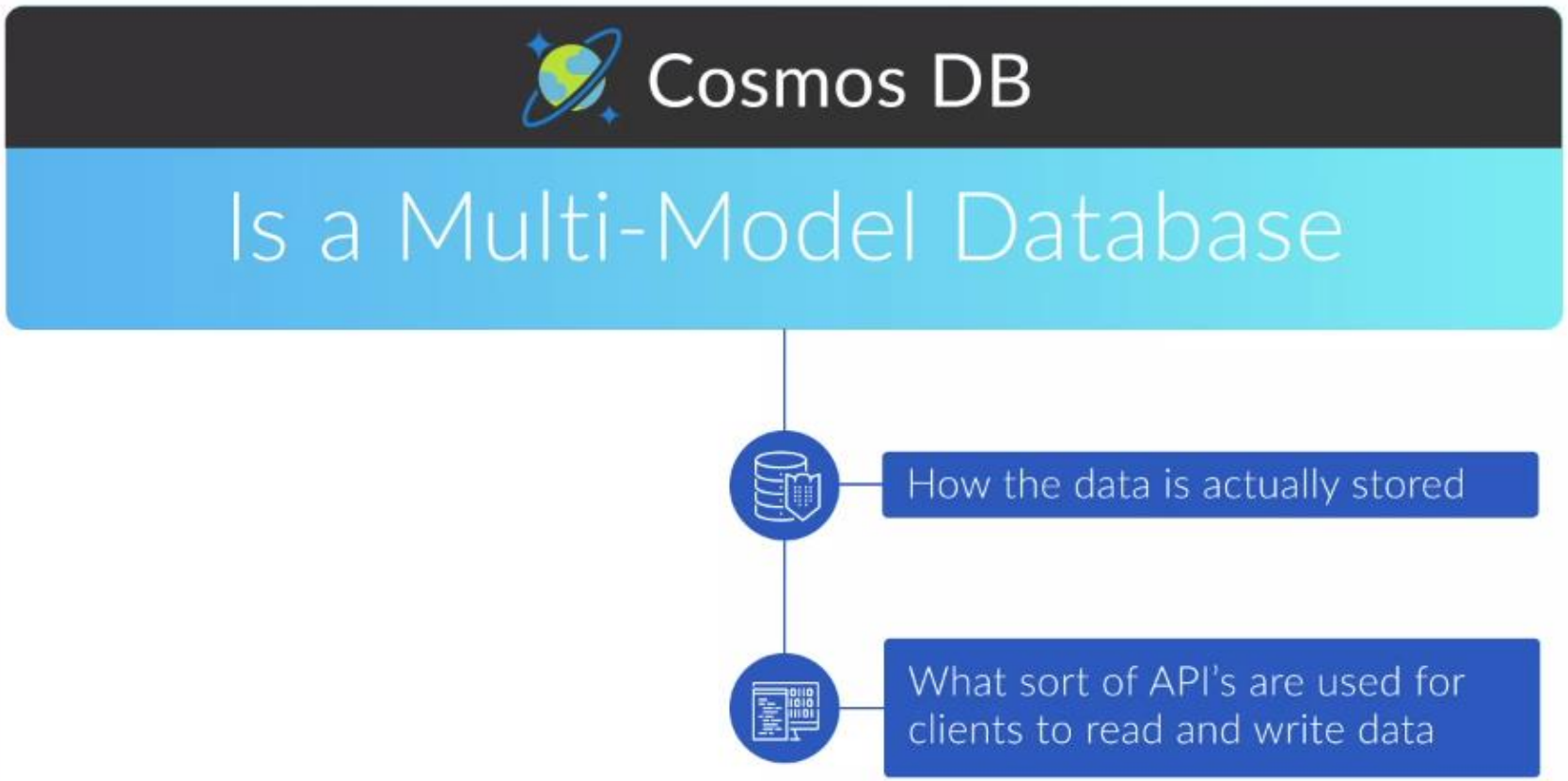

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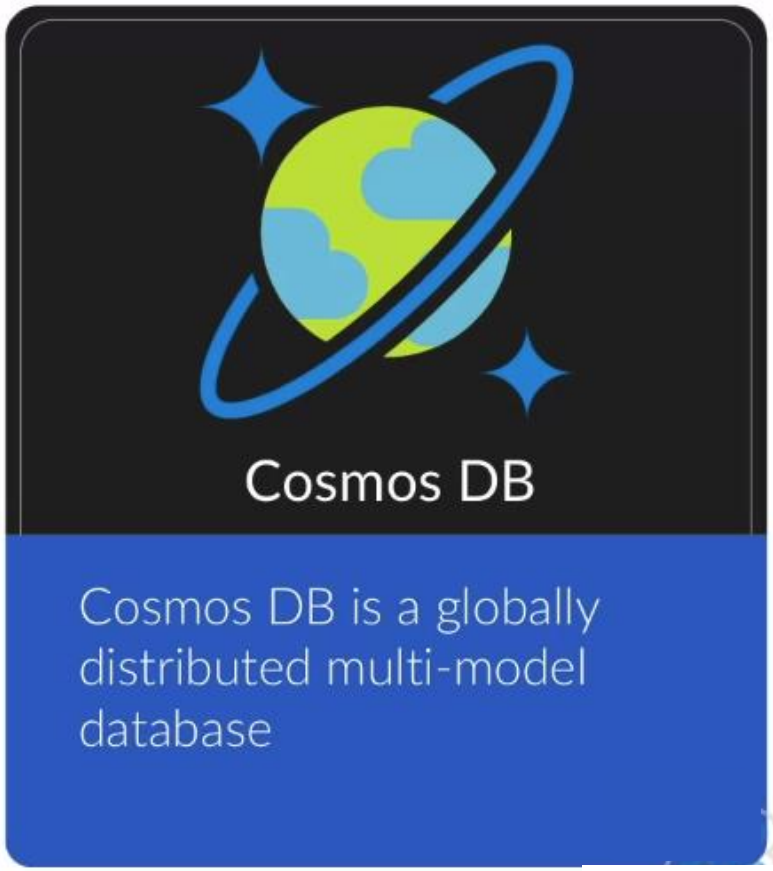
- It's a database as a service.
- Sign up for access through Azure and behind the scenes Microsoft handles the scaling.
- Microsoft Azure offers a **99.999% uptime** SLA to ease concerns about entrusting your data to them.

Keep in mind the relative lack of control you have if you rely on Cosmos DB. It isn't like a typical database system where you can SSH to the server and tune things the way you want.



That's it in a nutshell

Cosmos DB is a powerful database as a service system designed to support a variety of data models and work across multiple geographic regions.

Cosmos DB Features and Capabilities

We're going to focus on the **six most important and compelling capabilities.**

The 6 Features Are:


Global Distribution of Data


Serverless Architecture


Multi-Model Support


Throughput + Consistency Guarantees


Partitioning and Indexing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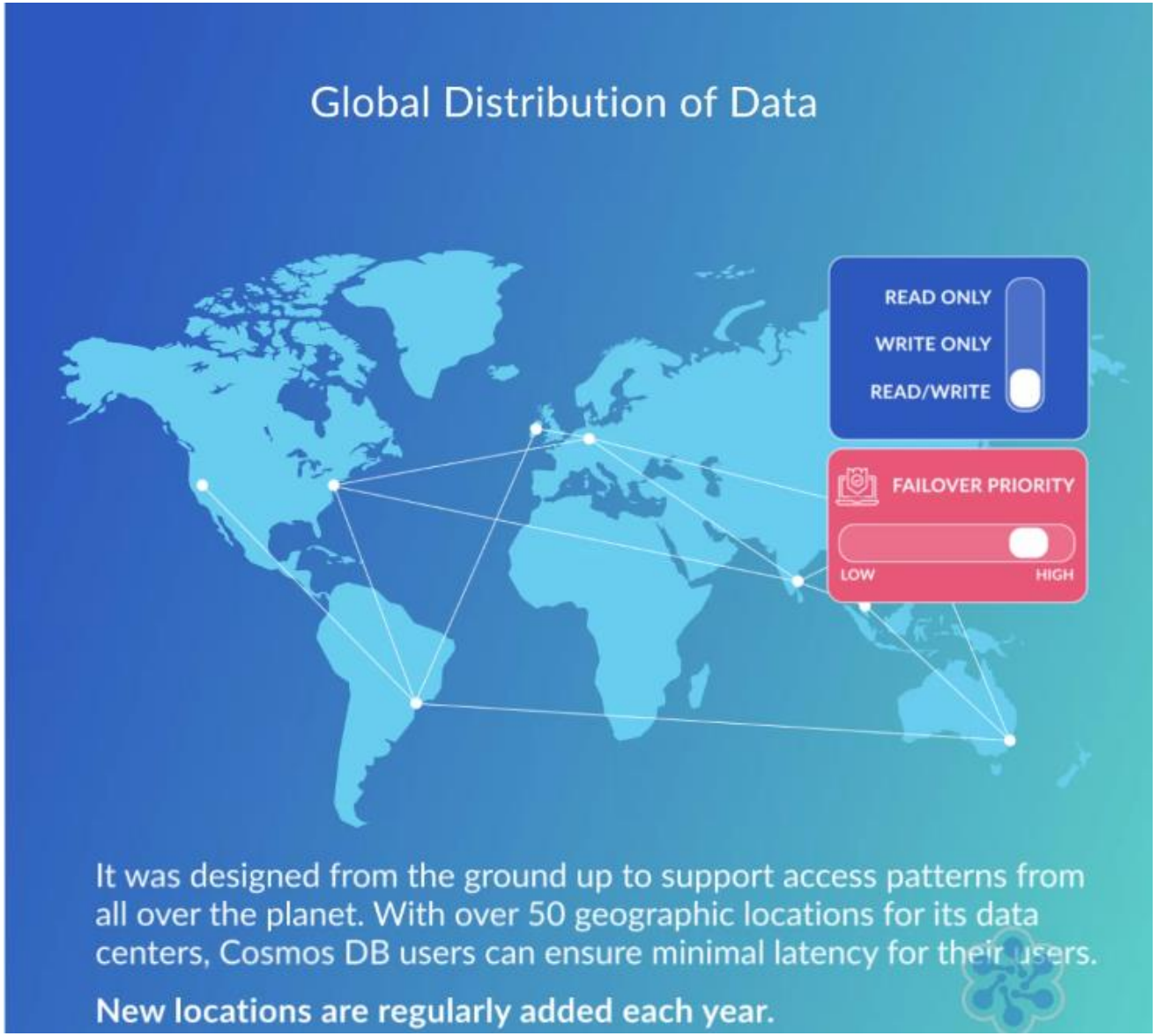

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Serverless Architecture

This system greatly simplifies your data layer.

You don't need to think about memory, CPU, hardware provisioning, OS optimization, updates, patches, SSL certs, etc. All of the operational overhead of managing a database is gone. The time saved can translate into more than enough cost-savings to offset the cost of the needed request units.

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Serverless Architecture

Cosmos DB's serverless architecture also ensures strong SLA's. You get a guarantee of **99.999%** uptime. You also get first order integration with other Azure services.

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Multi-Model Support

Gremlin

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Table Key-Value API

Cosmos DB offers **API's** for **Cassandra, Gremlin, MongoDB, SQL**, and **Table key-value API.** This means that with a single Cosmos DB account, you can run multiple database engines.

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Cosmos DB features five different consistency settings:

- **Strong**
- **Bounded Staleness**
- **Session**
- **Consistent Prefix**
- **Eventual**

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Strong

Ensures that no reads are processed until writes are completed durably by a quorum of replicas

Bounded Staleness

You get a configurable level of consistency. Reads will lag behind writes by either an adjustable time interval or a number of item revisions.

Session

Gives you a "read your own writes" guarantee suitable for scenarios where you need guarantees at the level of individual clients.

Consistent Prefix

Guarantees that your data will eventually converge to the most recently written. You get a guarantee that data will never be out of order.

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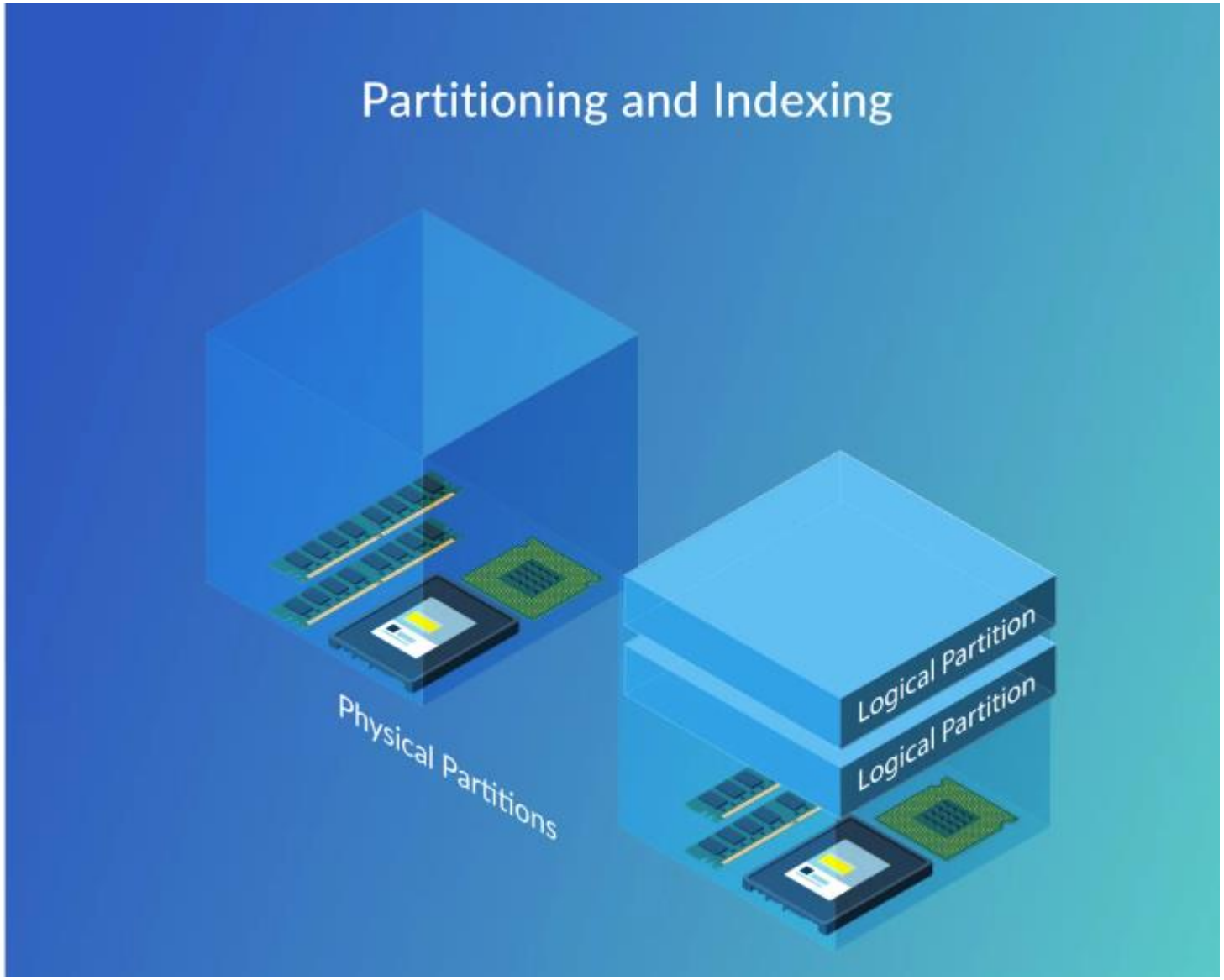

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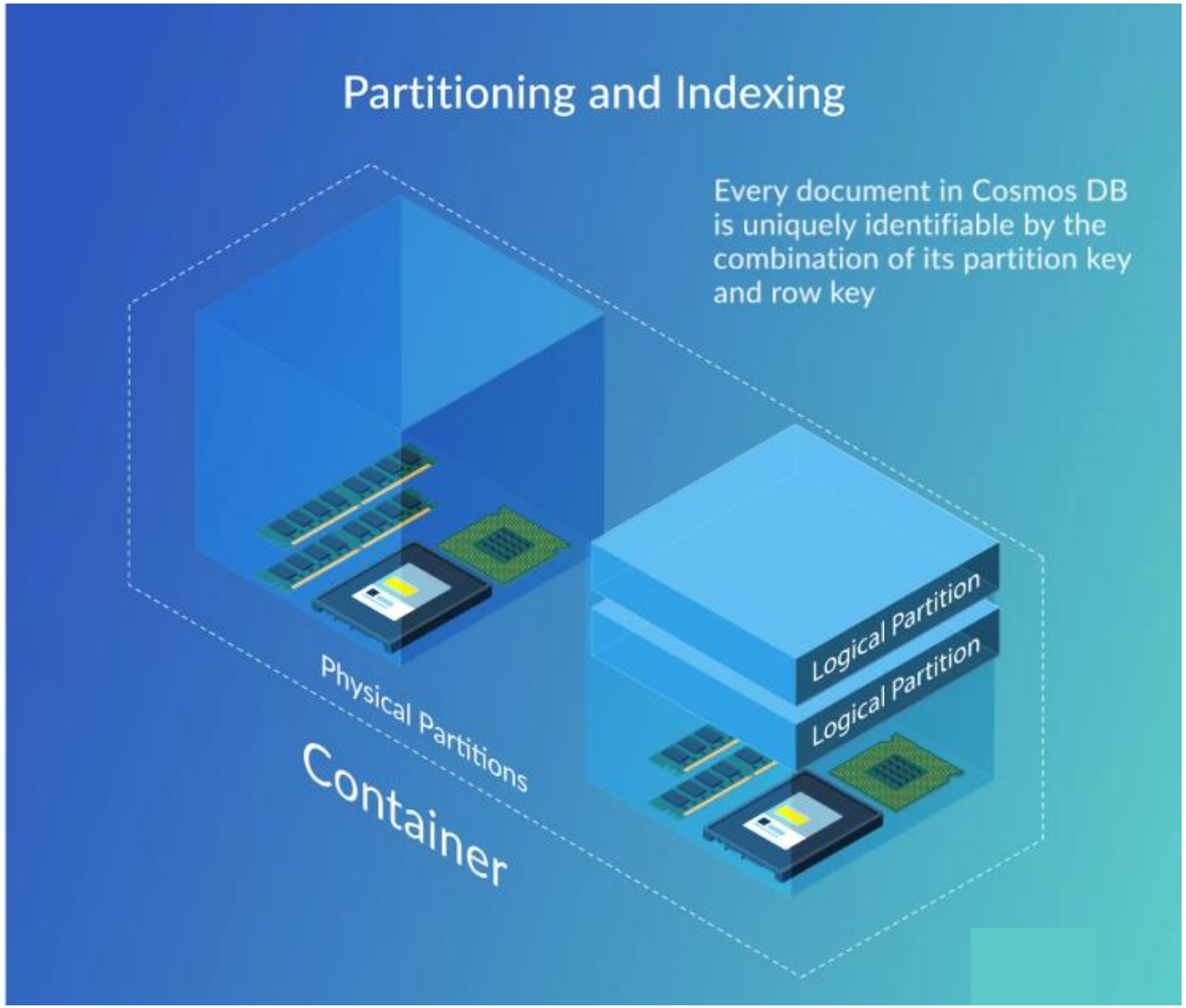

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Partitioning and Indexing

When designing collections of data, two critical things to think about are partition key and indexing.

- Cosmos DB automatically indexes all of your data
- It is possible to create custom indexing policies that let you tune tradeoffs between query throughput and consistency
- The main thing you want is a column with high cardinality and a large variety of values to help distribute your workload evenly

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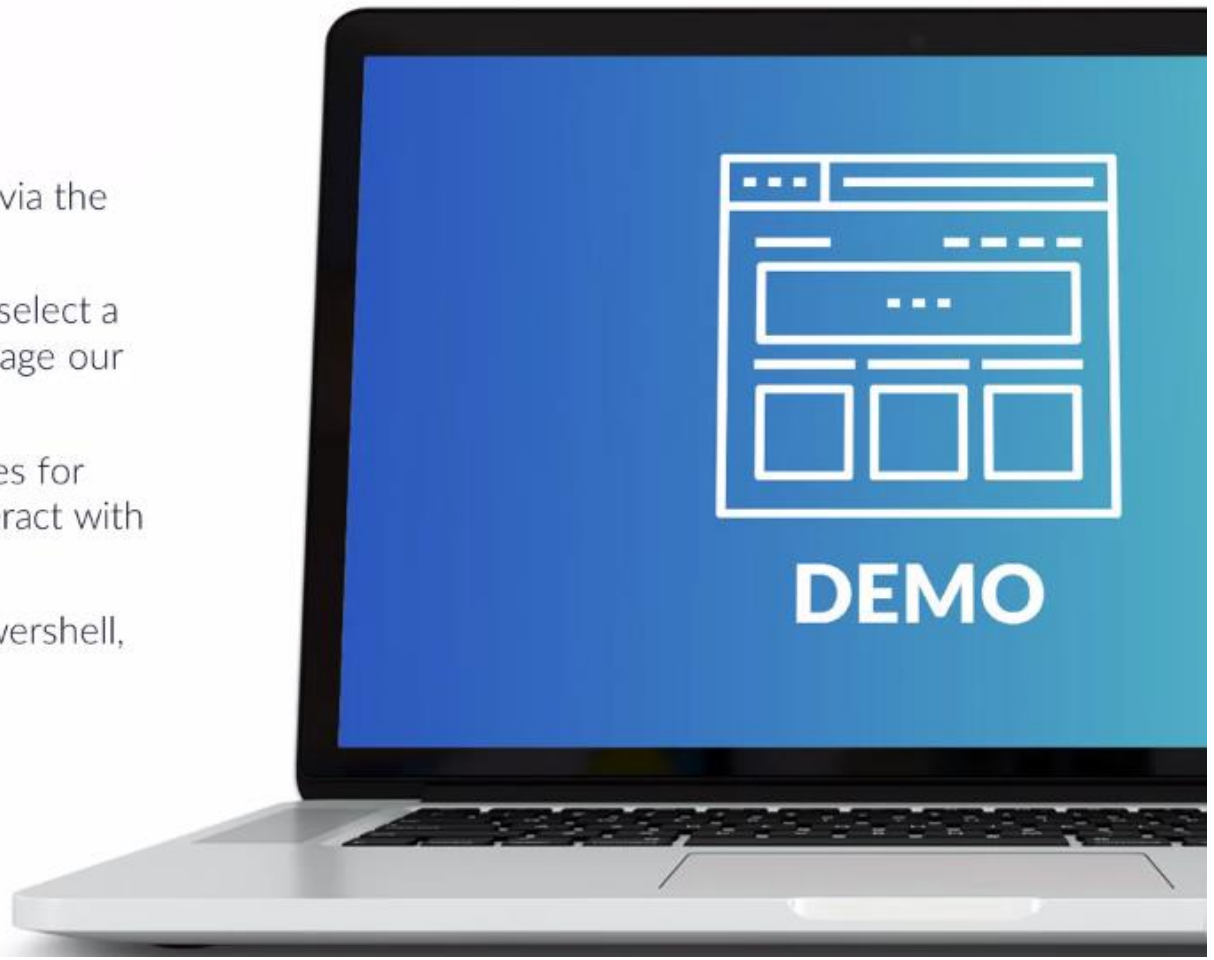
Security

Cosmos DB has many of the same security considerations as any other provider. You need to control:

Who has access to your Azure account
Who has credentials to use the API
Ensure that sensitive data is properly isolated

Introduction to Using Cosmos DB

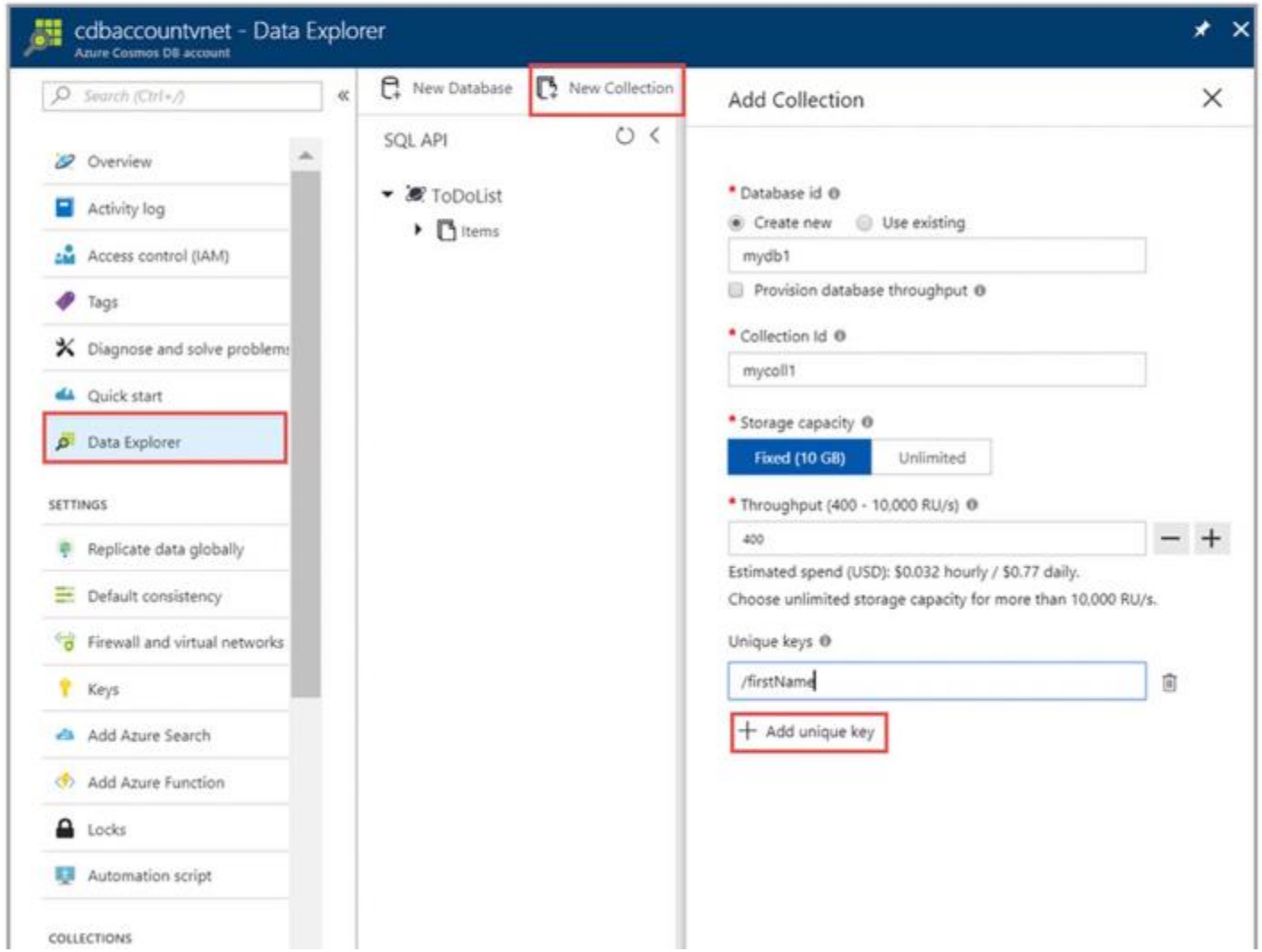
- We will start with just the initial setup via the web console.
- We will create a Cosmos DB account, select a data model API, and show how to manage our data via the browser.
- Next we will explain how to use libraries for languages like Python and .NET to interact with our Cosmos DB storage.
- We will also cover using CLI tools, Powershell, and REST API for Cosmos DB.



Configure unique keys by using Azure Portal

In the sections above you'll find code samples that will show how you can define unique key constraints when a collection is created using the SQL API or MongoDB API. But it's also possible to define unique keys when you create a collection via the web UI in the Azure portal.

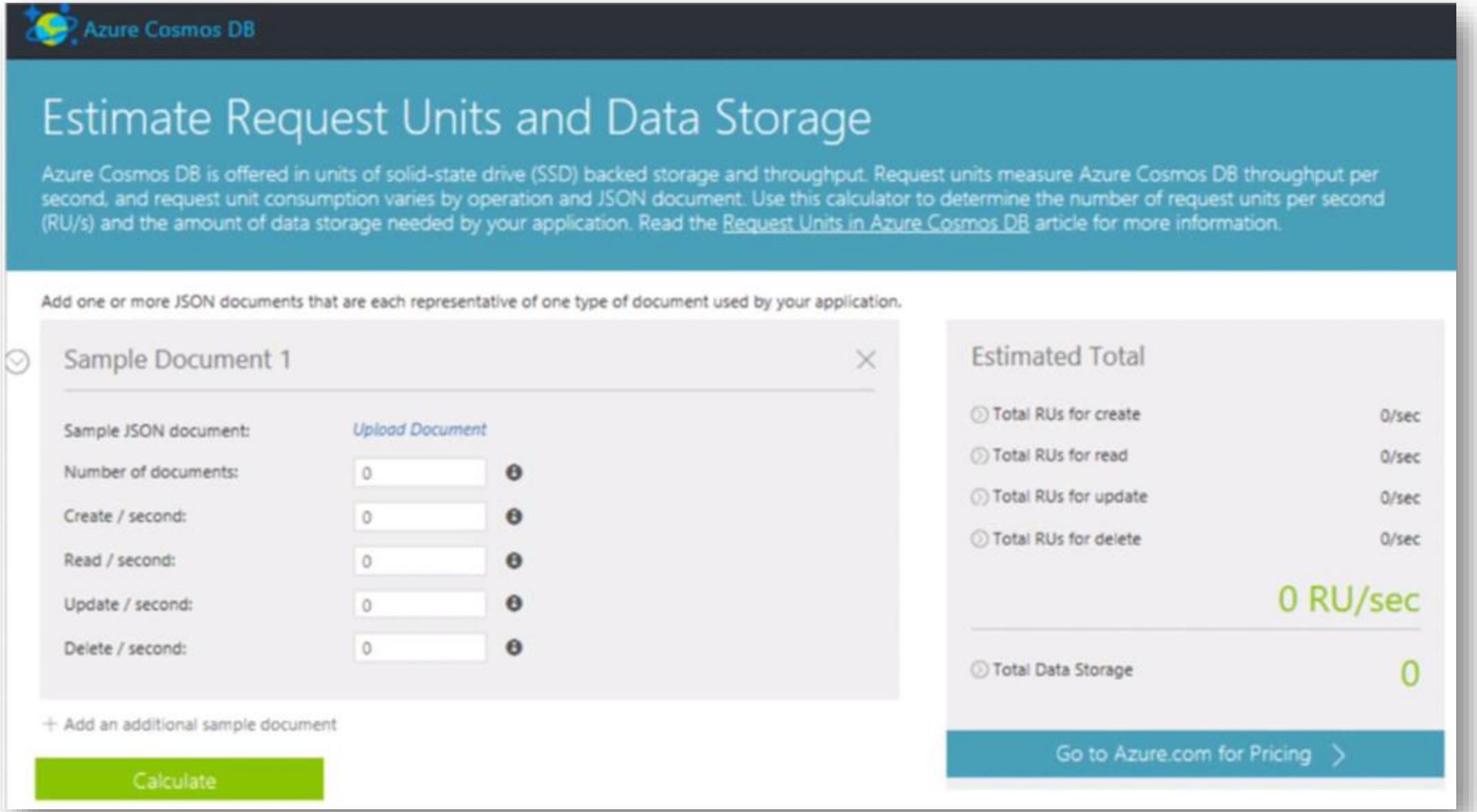
- Navigate to the **Data Explorer** in your Cosmos DB account
- Click **New Collection**
- In the section Unique keys,** you can add the desired unique key constraints by clicking **Add unique key**



How Request Units Work

How many should we set for our account?

What is the formula?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Estimate Request Units and Data Storage
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JSON

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  ]
}
```

Estimating throughput needs

A request unit is a normalized measure of request processing cost. A single request unit represents the processing capacity that's required to read (via self link or ID) a single 1-KB item that consists of 10 unique property values (excluding system properties). A request to create (insert), replace, or delete the same item consumes more processing from the service and thereby requires more request units.

> **Note**
>
> The baseline of 1 request unit for a 1-KB item corresponds to a simple GET by self link or ID of the item.

For example, here's a table that shows how many request units to provision for items with three different sizes (1 KB, 4 KB, and 64 KB) and at two different performance levels (500 reads/second + 100 writes/second and 500 reads/second + 500 writes/second). In this example, the data consistency is set to **Session**, and the indexing policy is set to **None**.

Item size	Reads/second	Writes/second	Request units
1 KB	500	100	(500 * 1) + (100 * 5) = 1,000 RU/s
1 KB	500	500	(500 * 1) + (500 * 5) = 3,000 RU/s
4 KB	500	100	(500 * 1.3) + (100 * 7) = 1,350 RU/s
4 KB	500	500	(500 * 1.3) + (500 * 7) = 4,150 RU/s
64 KB	500	100	(500 * 10) + (100 * 48) = 9,800 RU/s
64 KB	500	500	(500 * 10) + (500 * 48) = 29,000 RU/s

If your item size is **2 KB** on average and you need **300 reads per second** and **500 writes per second**, you would get **600** and **1000**. Therefore in this scenario you should opt for roughly **1600 RU's.**

Other Important Variables to Consider

Document indexing

Complexity of query patterns

Desired consistency level


Strong


Bounded Staleness

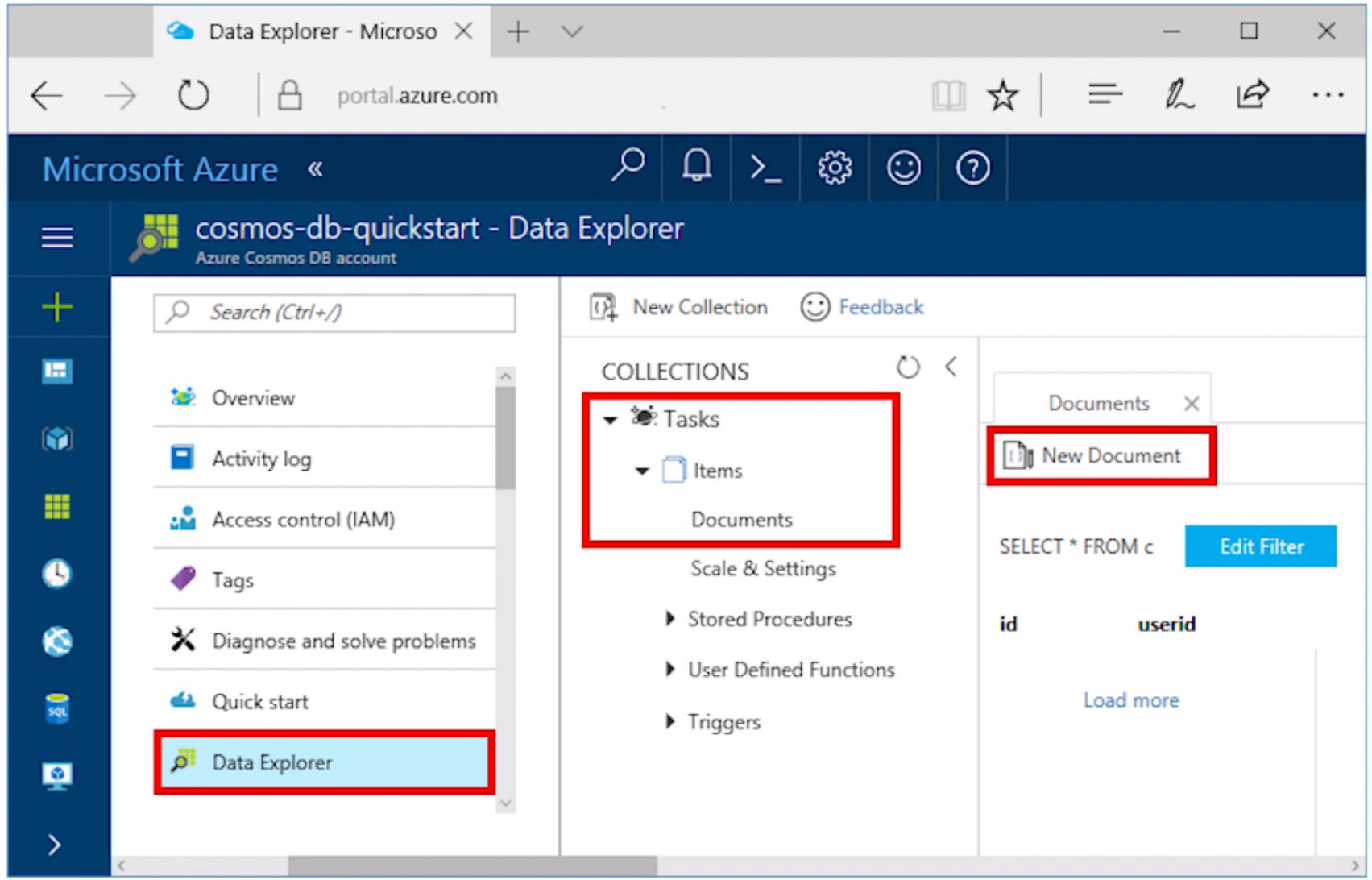

Session


Consistent Prefix


Eventual

Backups

- Cosmos DB takes snapshots every **four hours** and stores them in geo-redundant Blob storage
- Only the last two snapshots are retained
- Snapshot of deleted databases or containers will be retained for **30 days**
- You can schedule additional backups using the Cosmos DB Data Migration tool
- Submit a ticket with Azure Support to restore accidentally deleted databases and containers
- If you have a data corruption issue, delete the corrupted container as soon as possible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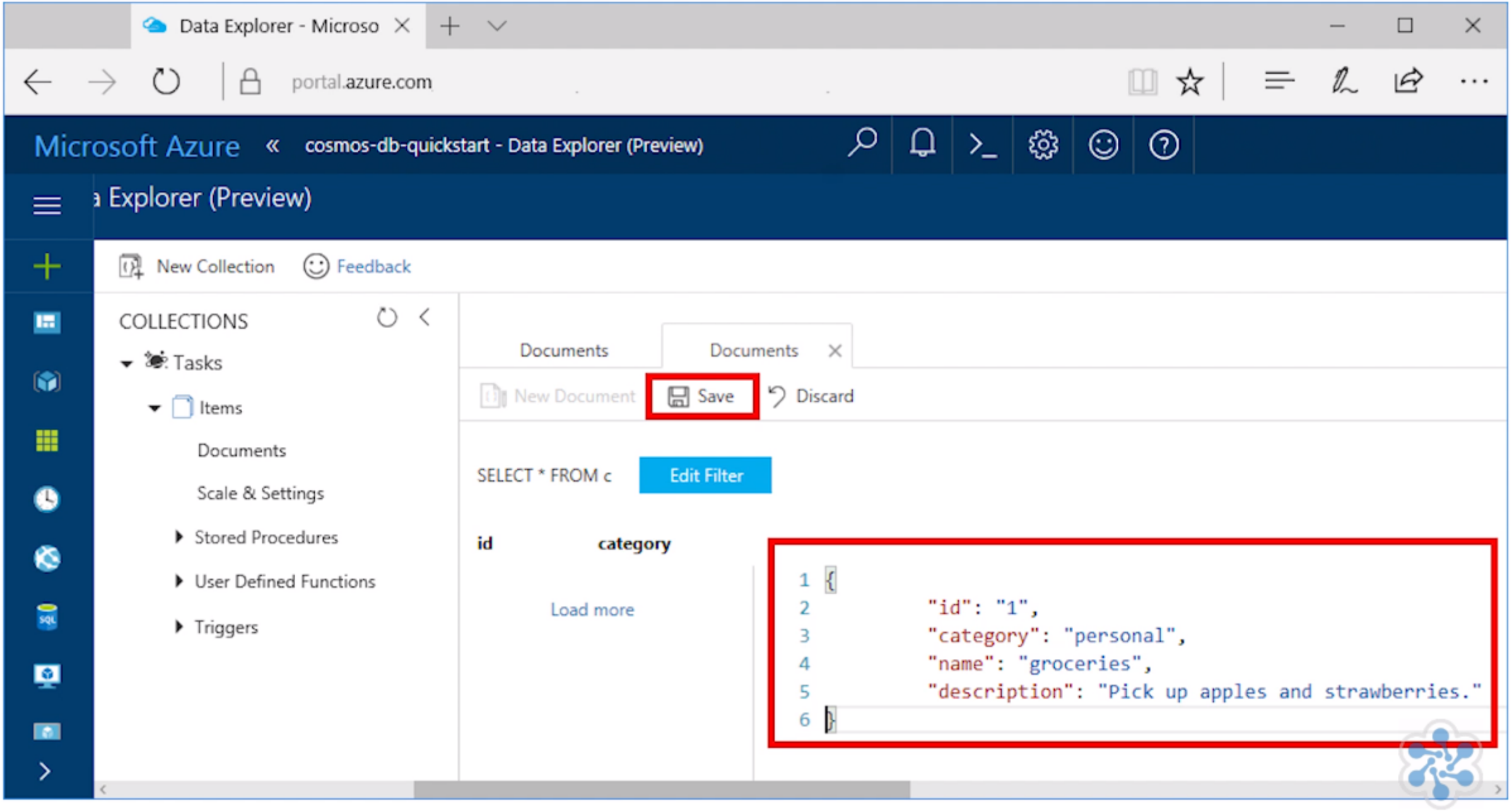
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}

Cosmos DB API

We've got our Cosmos DB account set up

- We can select a desired data API
- Create databases
- Write arbitrary data
- Execute queries all from the browser

We're ready to administer our data intelligently.

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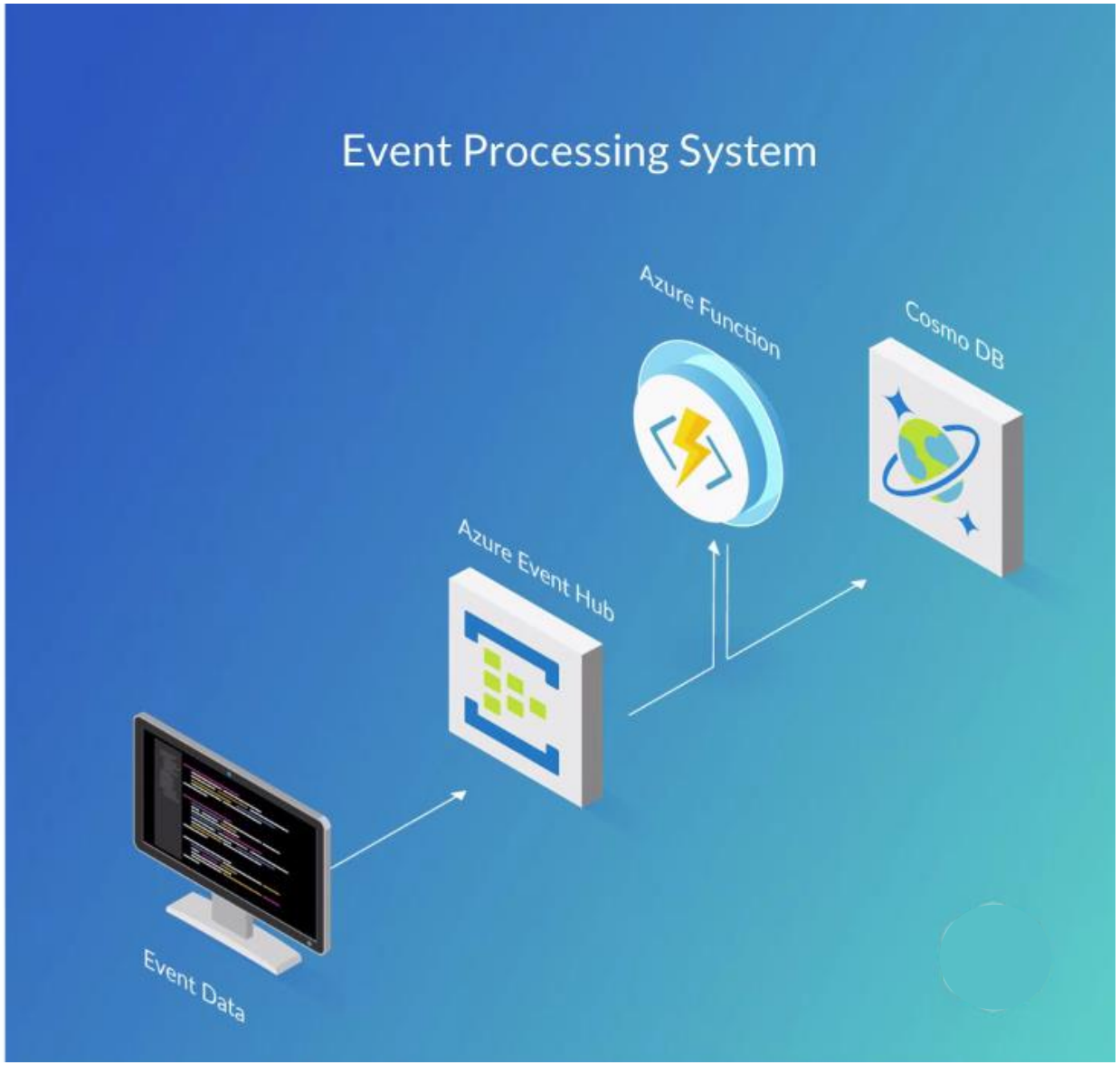
Introduction to Creating an App with Cosmos DB

By now you should have a pretty strong theoretical understanding of Cosmos DB

- We walked through its feature set
- Explained its API
- Demonstrated its tooling
- Covered how the technology can serve as a backend for a variety of use cases

Event Processing System

To keep things simple, we are not going to create a frontend. The app we create will be a simple event processing system. It will take in event data using Azure Event Hub, transmit the events to an Azure Function where we can perform transformations, and then finally save everything to Cosmos DB.



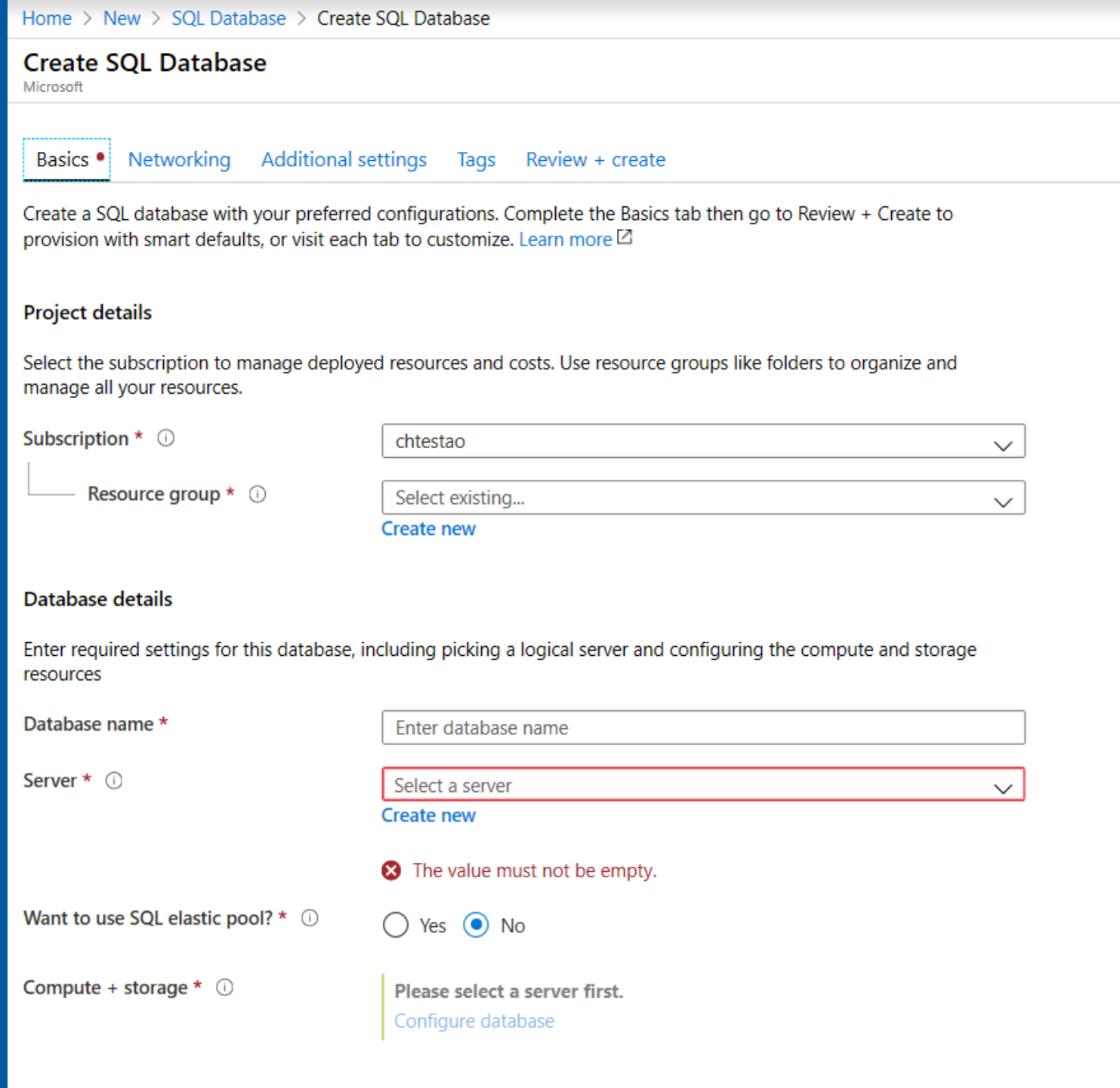
SQL Database

Azure SQL Database configuration options

When you create your first Azure SQL database, you also create an *_Azure SQL logical server_*. Think of a logical server as an administrative container for your databases.

DTUs	vCores	SQL elastic pools	SQL Managed Instances
DTU stands for Database Transaction Unit and is a combined measure of compute, storage, and IO resources. Think of the DTU model as a simple, preconfigured purchase option	vCore gives you greater control over what compute and storage resources you create and pay for. vCore model enables you to configure resources independently	SQL elastic pools relate to eDTUs. They enable you to buy a set of compute and storage resources that are shared among all the databases in the pool. Each database can use the resources they need	The SQL managed instance creates a database with near 100% compatibility with the latest SQL Server on-premises Enterprise Edition database engine, useful for SQL Server customers who would like to migrate on-premises servers instance in a "lift and shift" manner

Create an Azure SQL Database.



Use Azure Cloud Shell to connect to your Azure SQL database

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sqlcmd -S tcp:contoso-1.database.windows.net,1433 -d
Logistics -U martina -P "password1234$" -N -l 30
```

```
CREATE TABLE Drivers (DriverID int, LastName
varchar(255), FirstName varchar(255), OriginCity
varchar(255)); GO
```

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SELECT name FROM sys.tables; GO
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INSERT INTO Drivers (DriverID, LastName,
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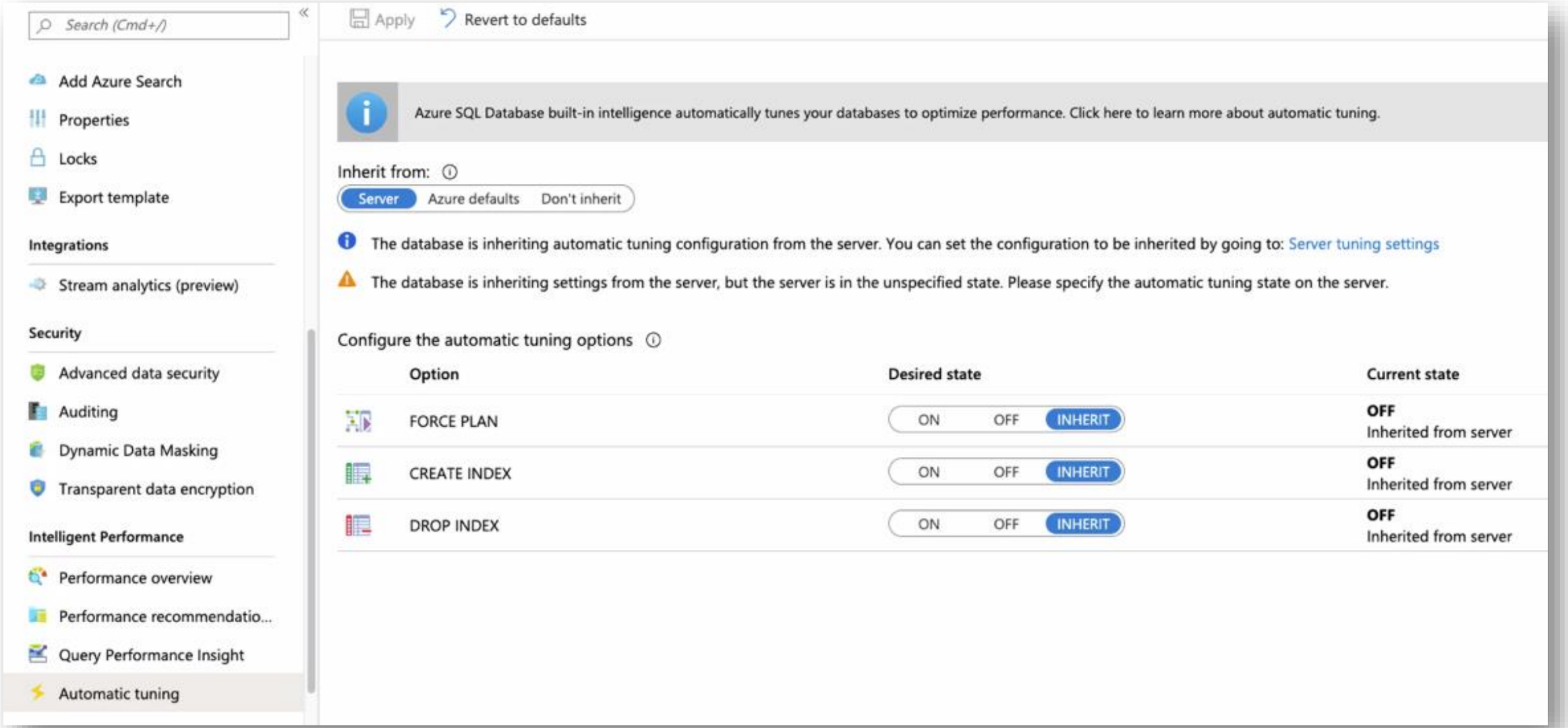
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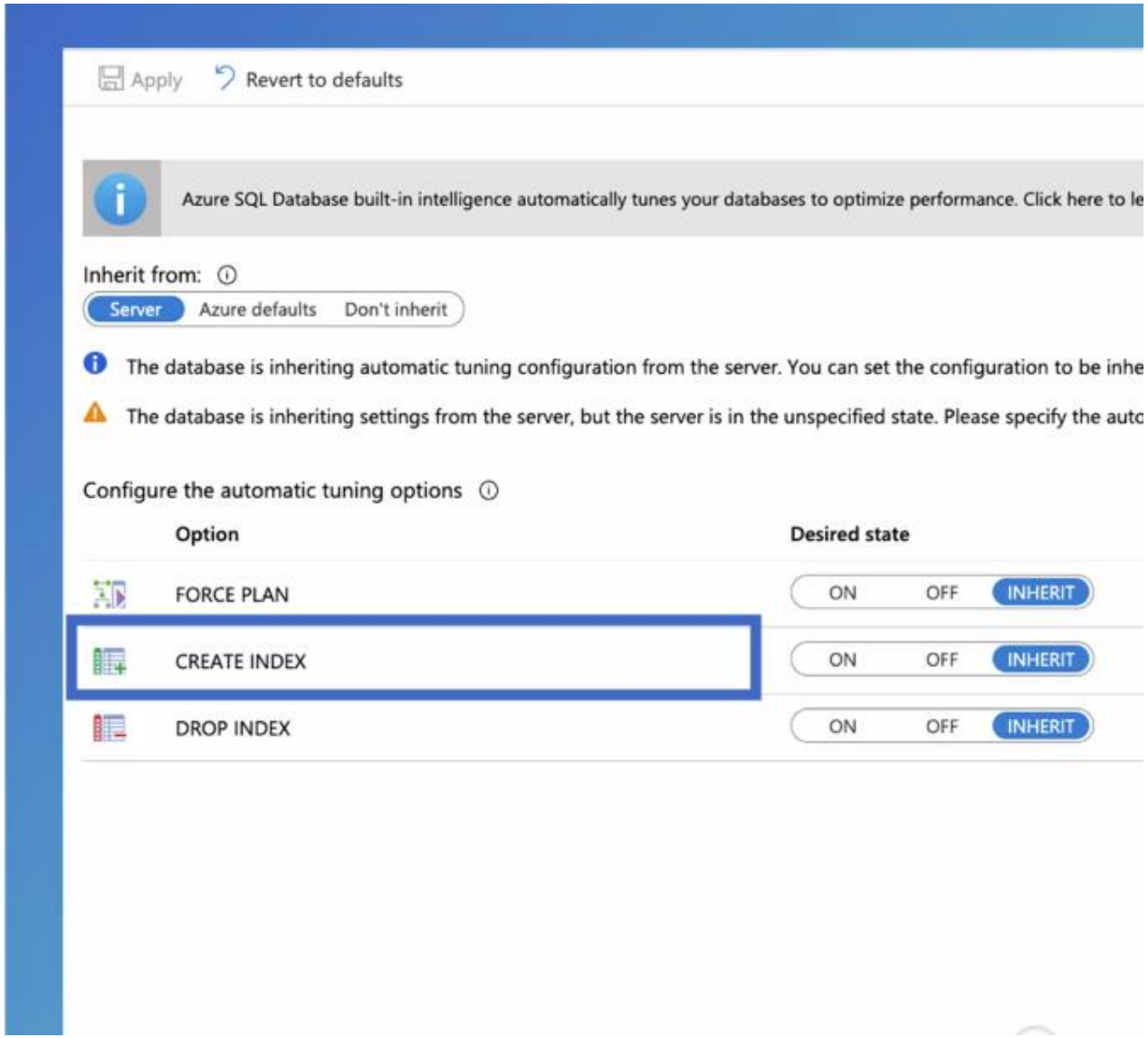
CREATE INDEX

This option will determine whether queries would perform better if particular indexes were created

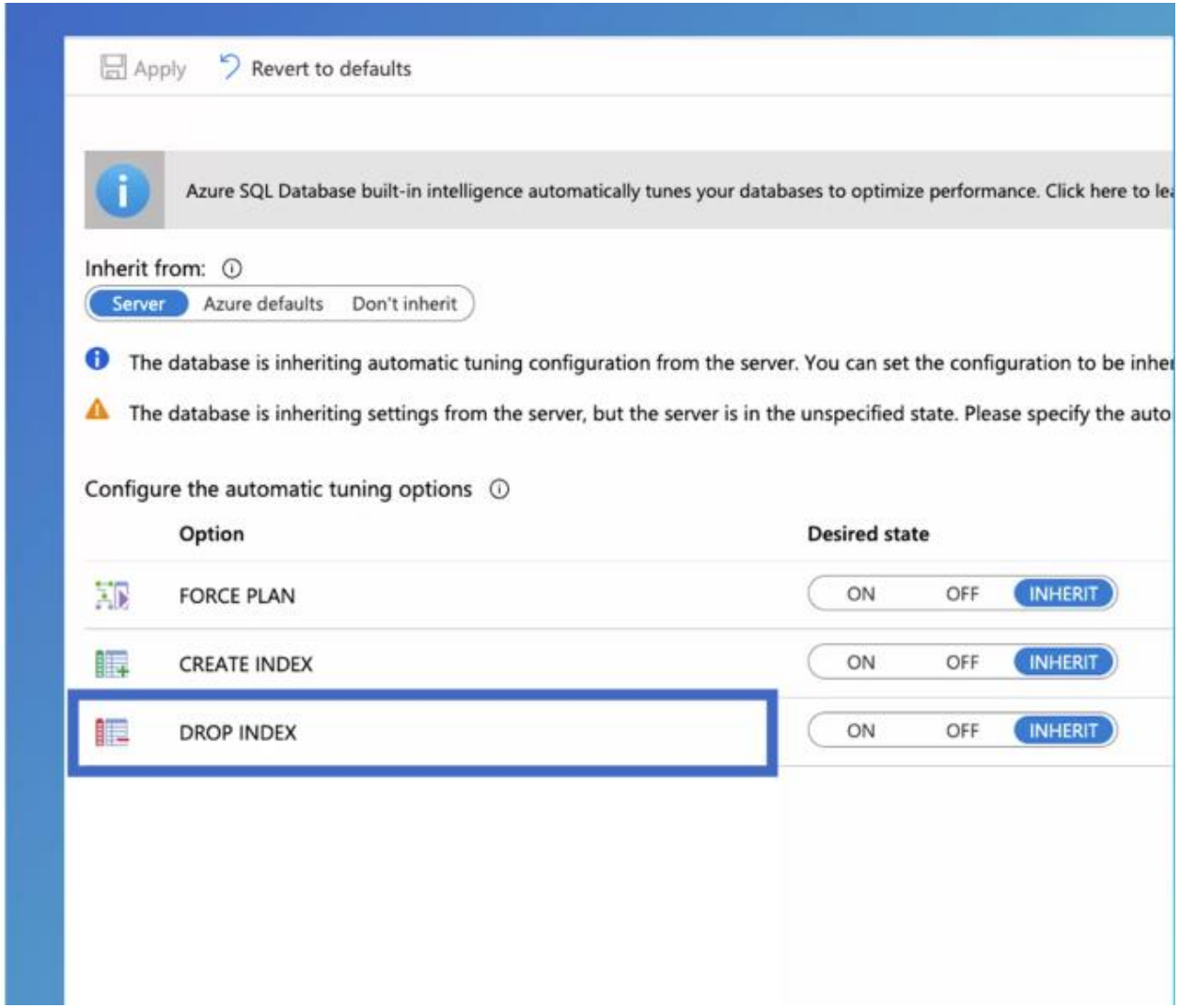
Then it actually creates those indexes automatically!

It even monitors the performance of queries afterward to make sure that the new indexes really have improved performance



DROP INDEX

Find indexes that can be safely removed without impacting performance

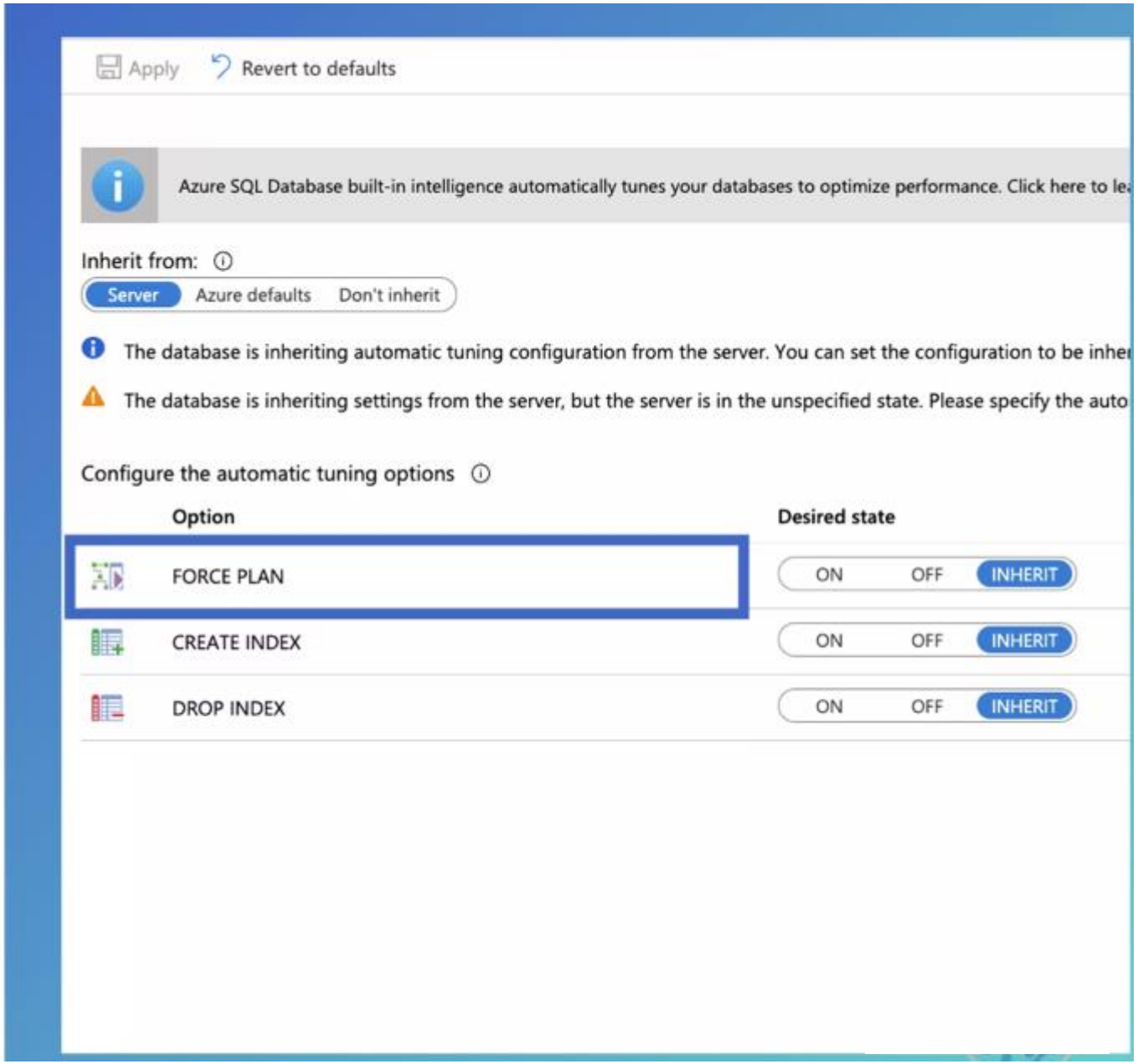


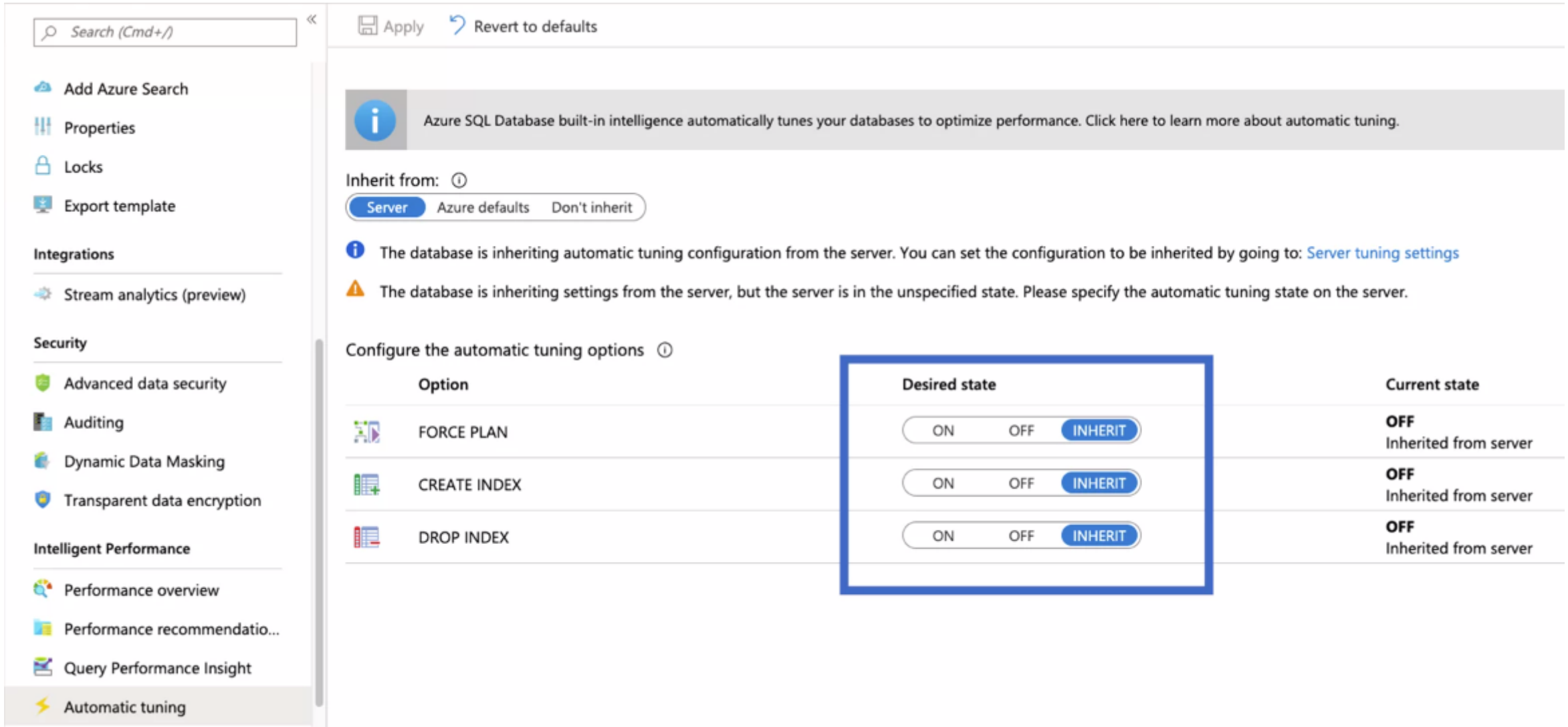
FORCE PLAN

When you run a query, the database engine can execute that query in a variety of different ways, so it has to decide which specific sequence of steps to use

This sequence of steps is called an execution plan

If you enable FORCE PLAN, then it will monitor workloads to see which plan has the best performance for a particular query, and it will force that plan to be used

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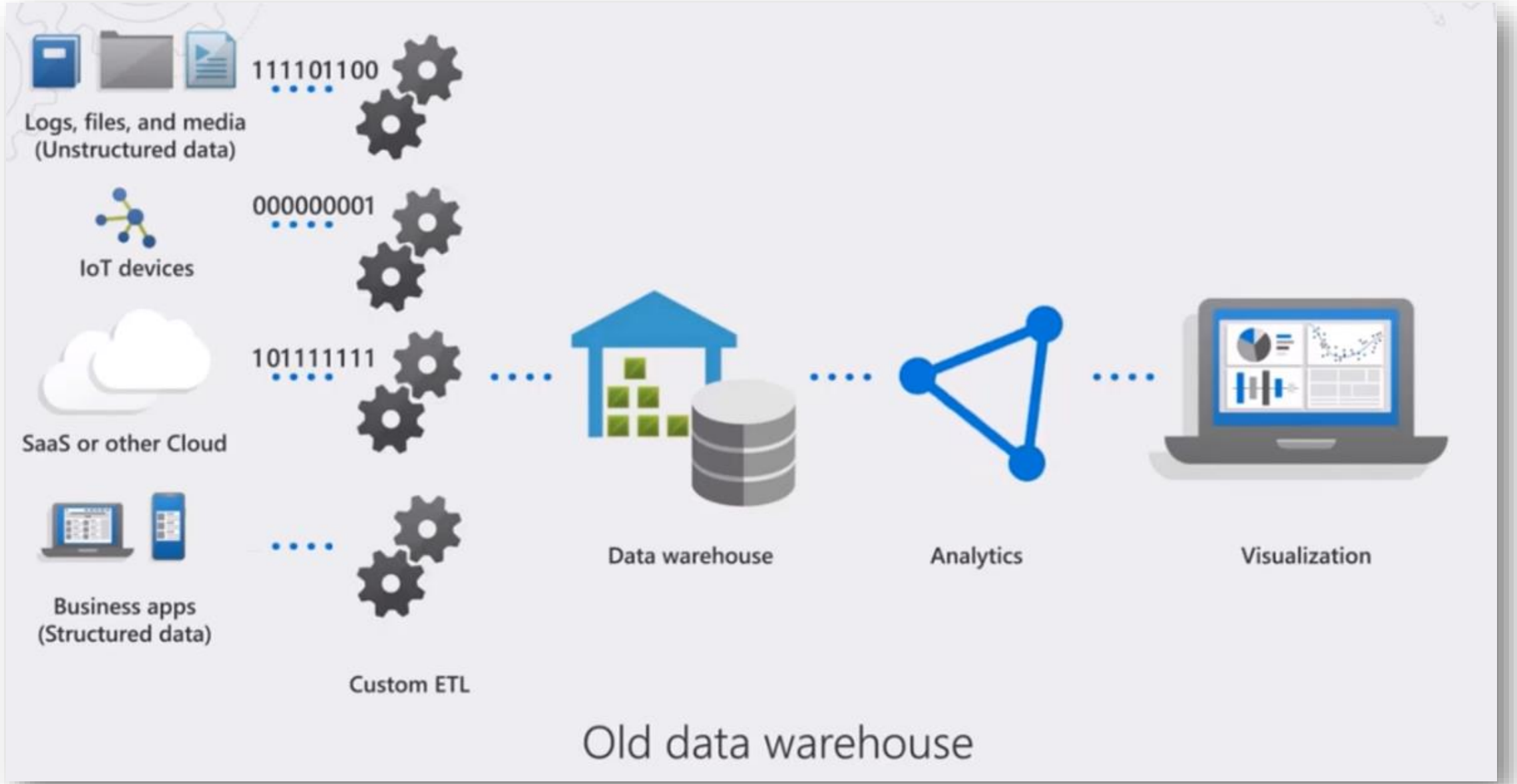
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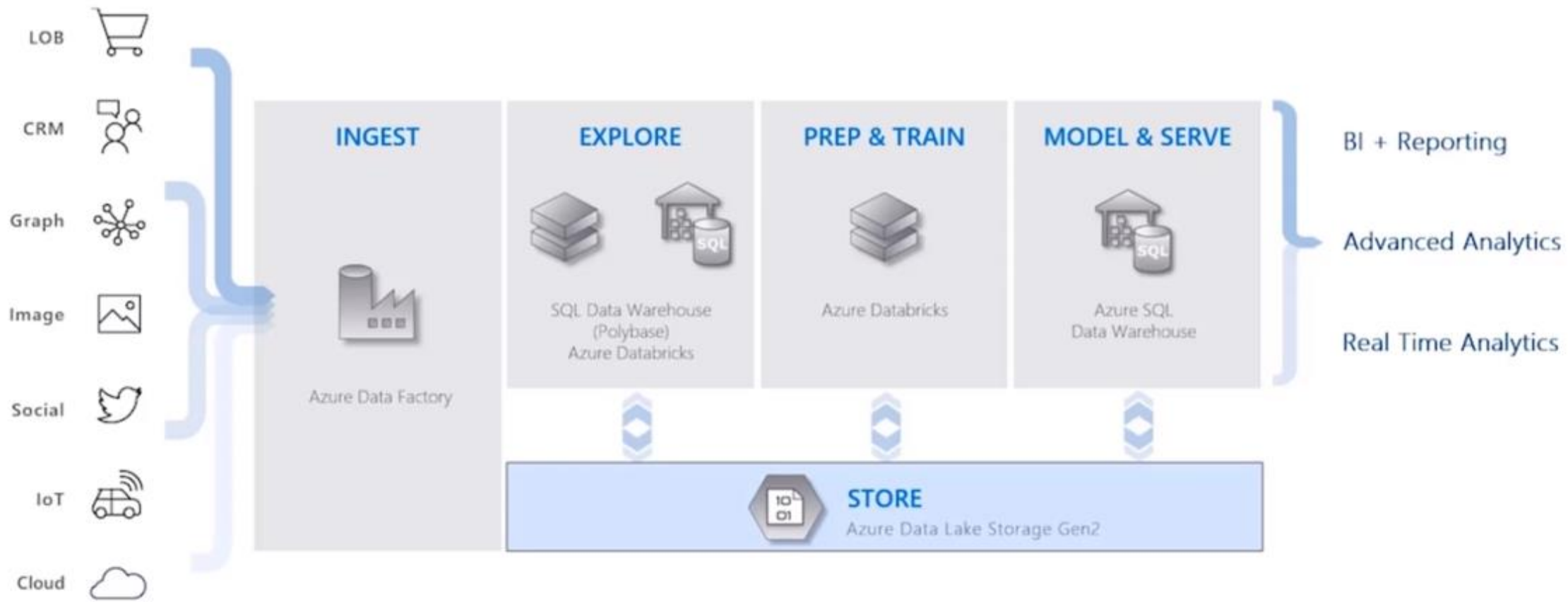

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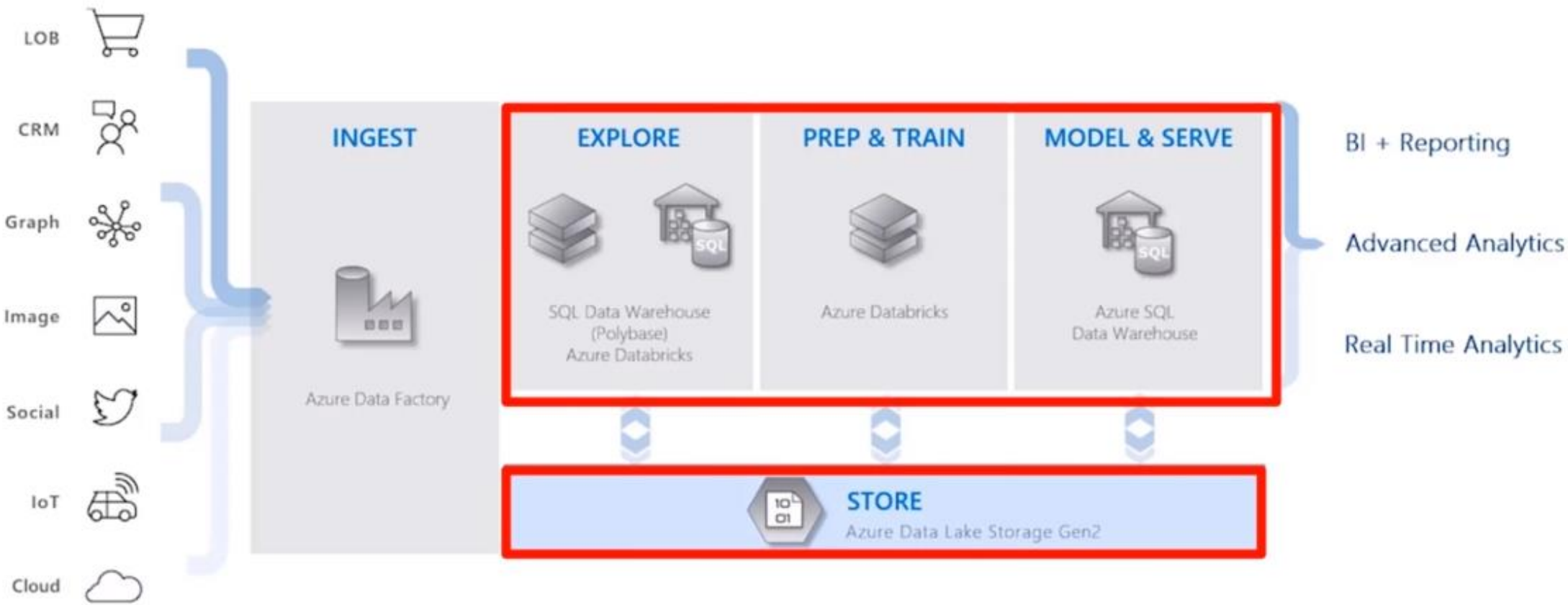

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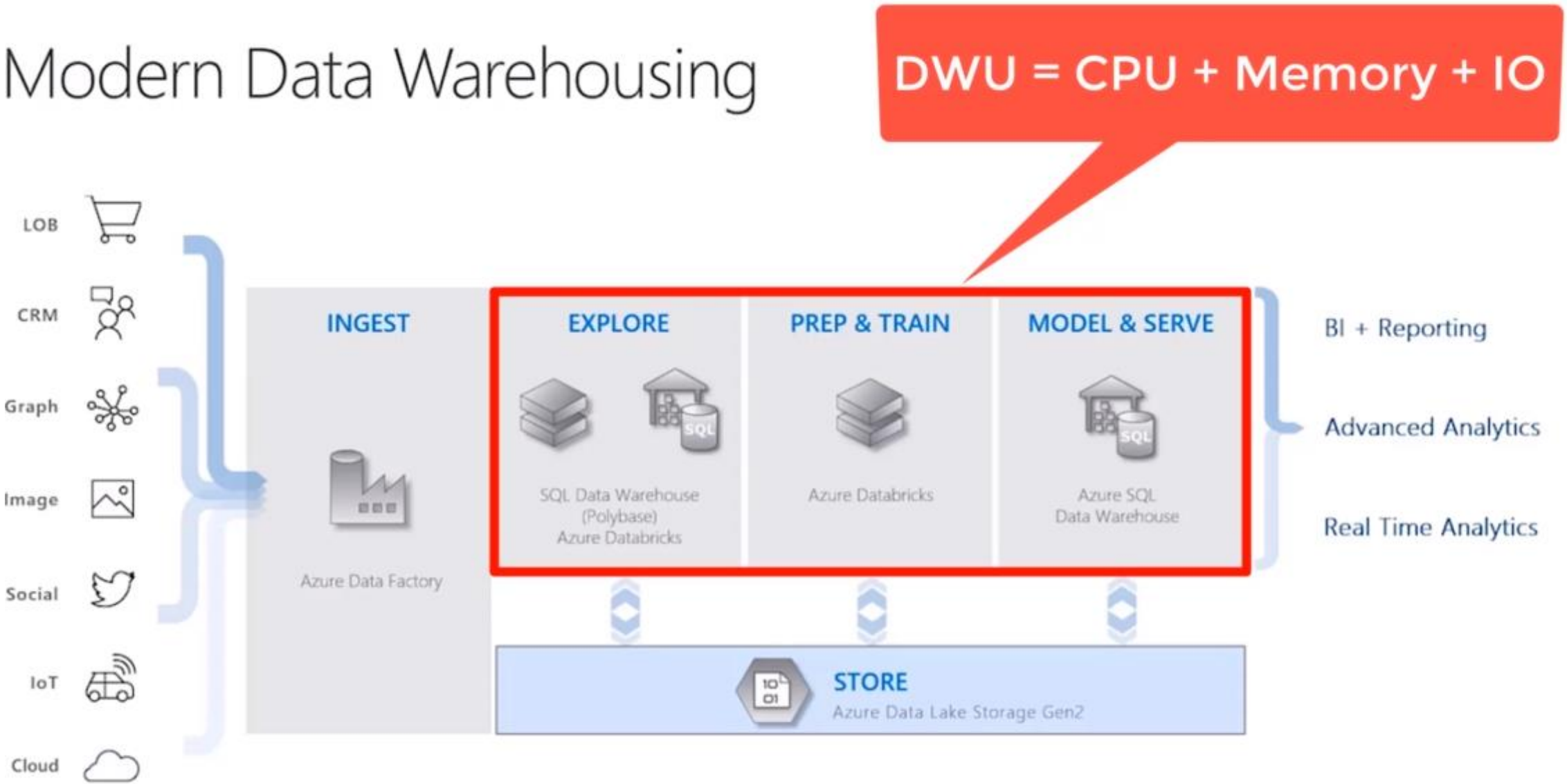

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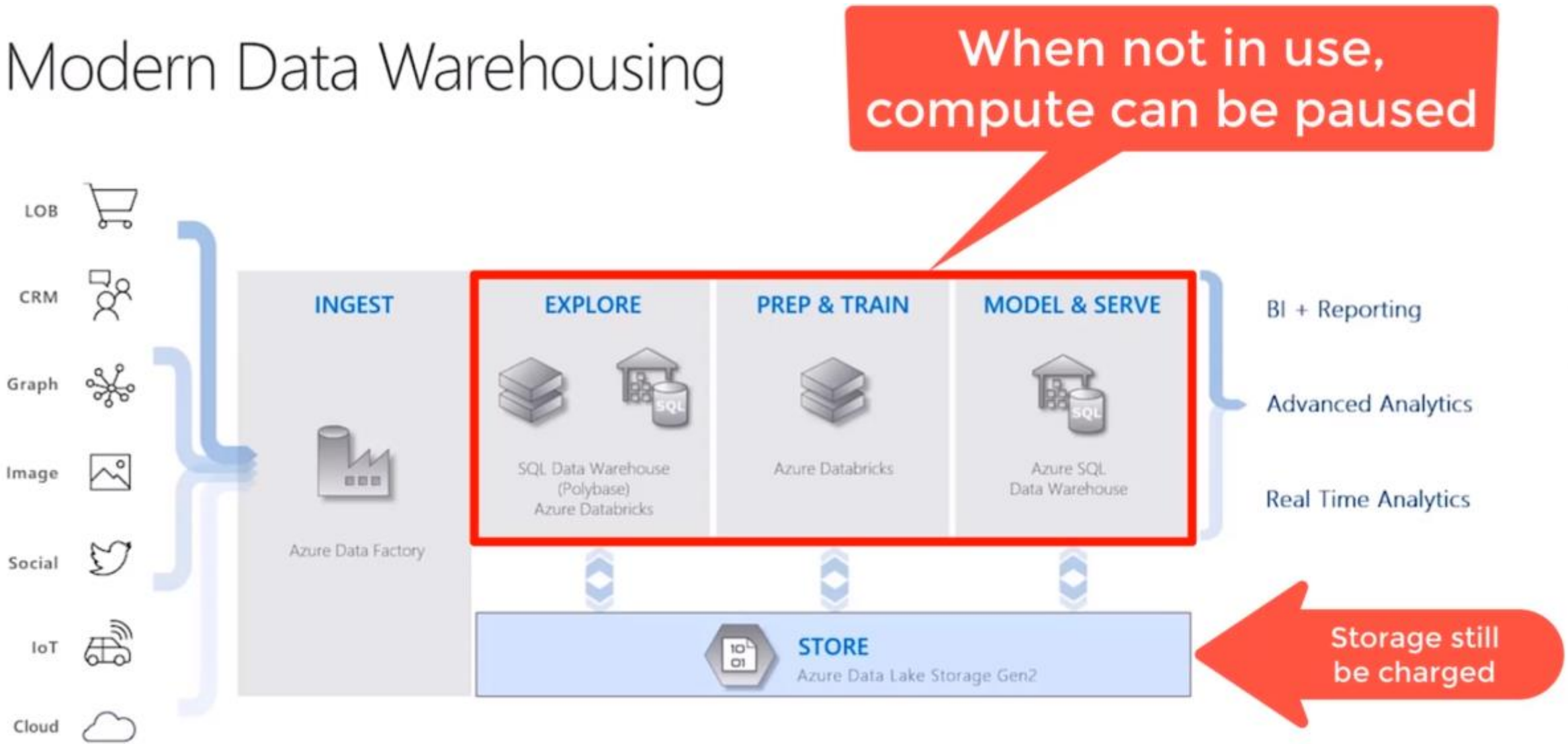

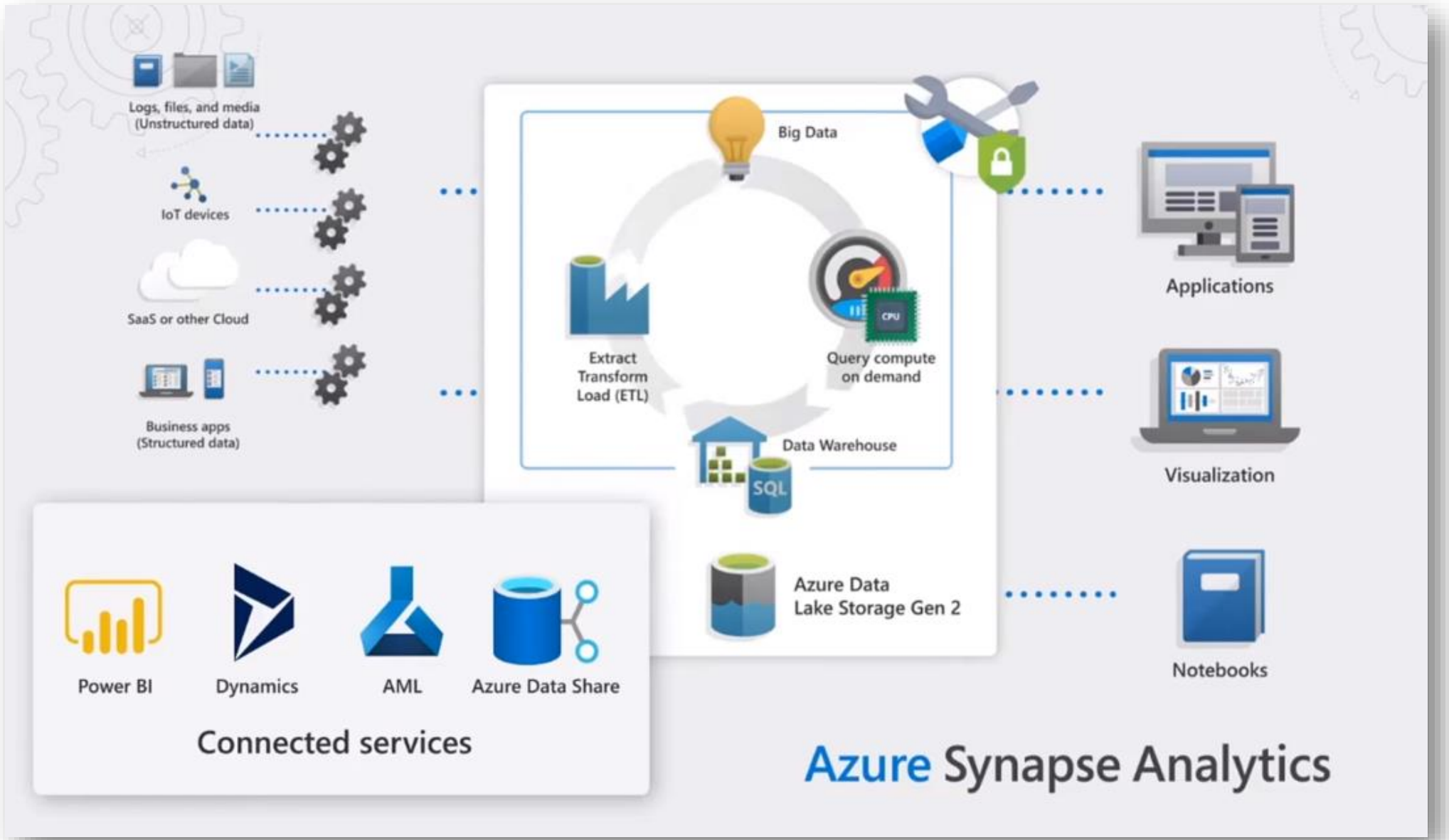
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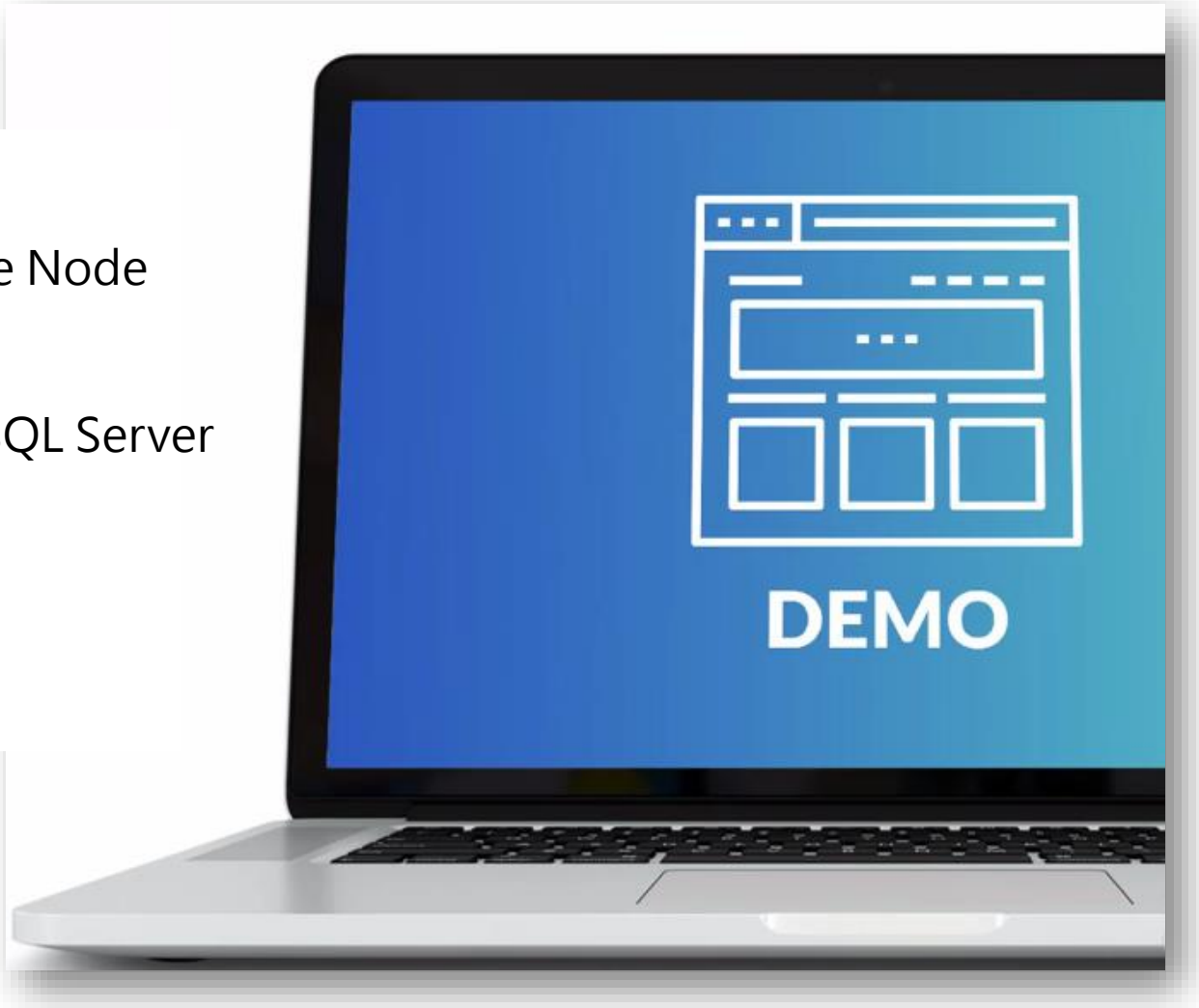
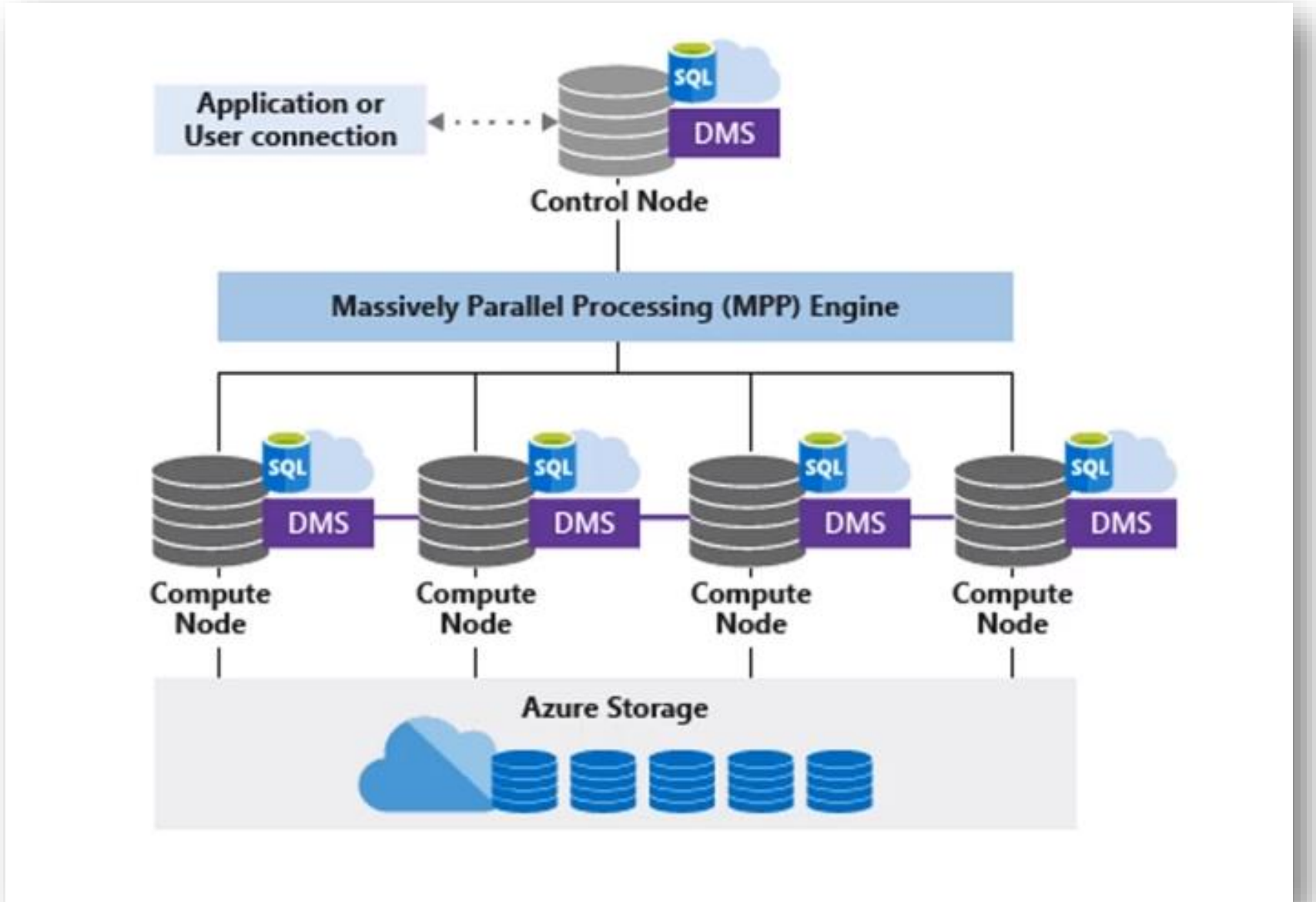
Azure Synapse Analytics

- Create Synapse SQL Pool
- Pause / Resume Compute Node
- Create Firewall Rules
- Connect with Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio

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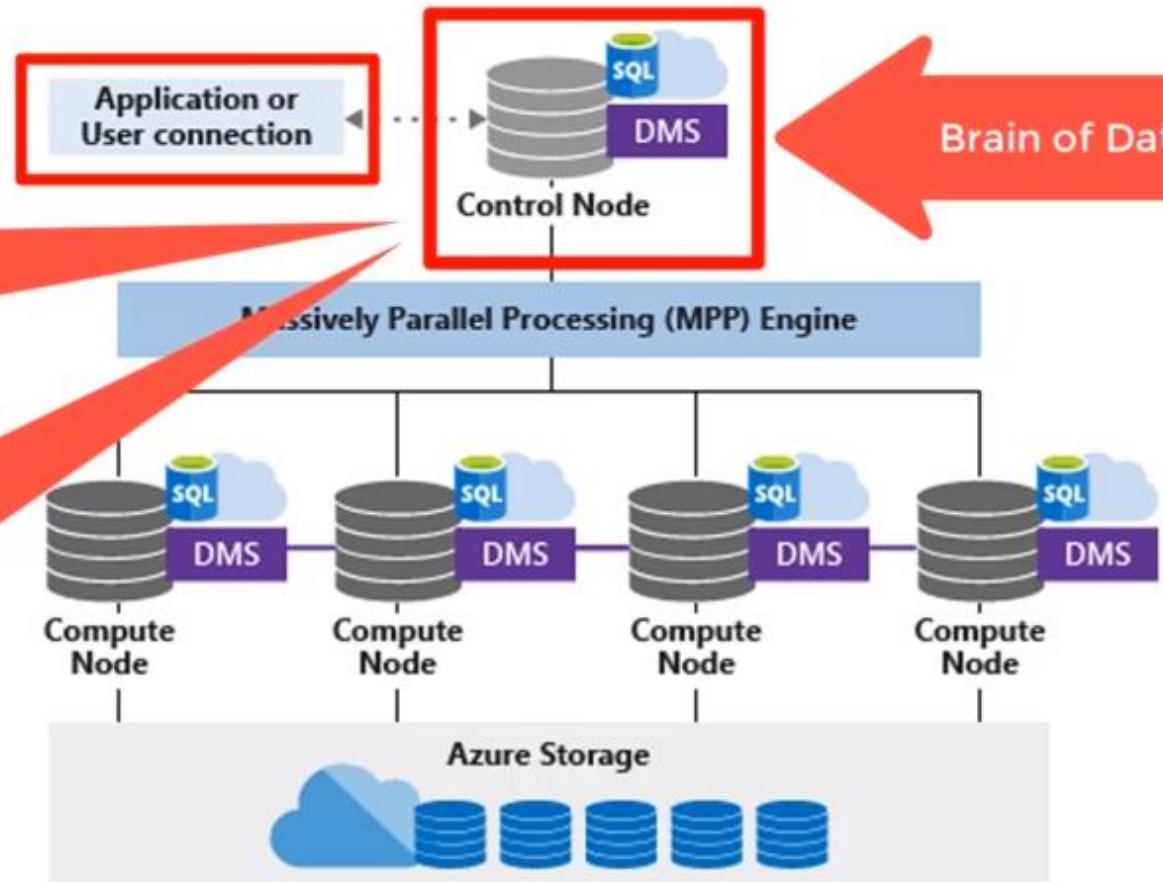
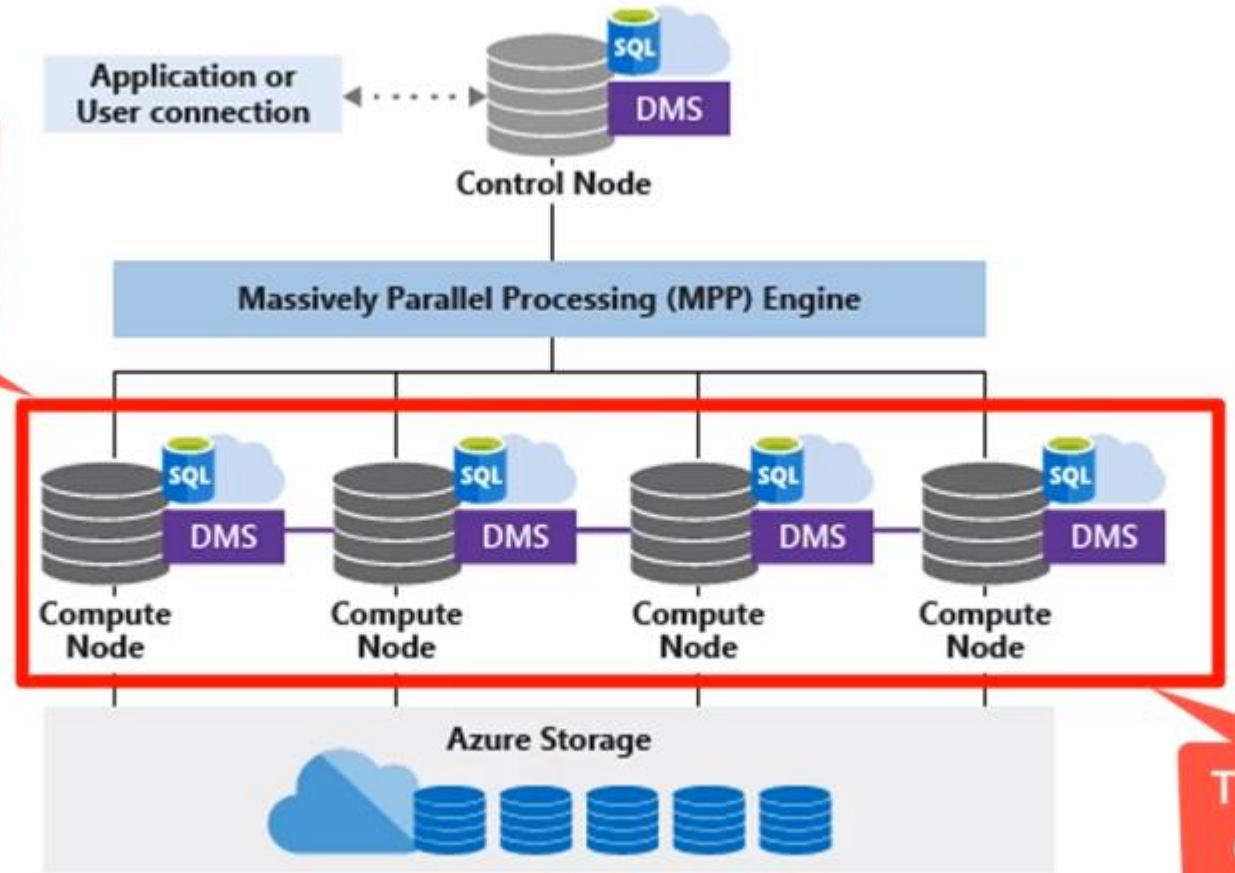
The front end that interacts with all applicaitons and connections.

MPP engine runs on the control node to optimize and coordinate parallel queries



Provide the computational power for analytics.

Distribution map to compute nodes for processing.



These are scaled using data warehouse unit (DWU)

DWU	Loading 3 Tables	Ran Report
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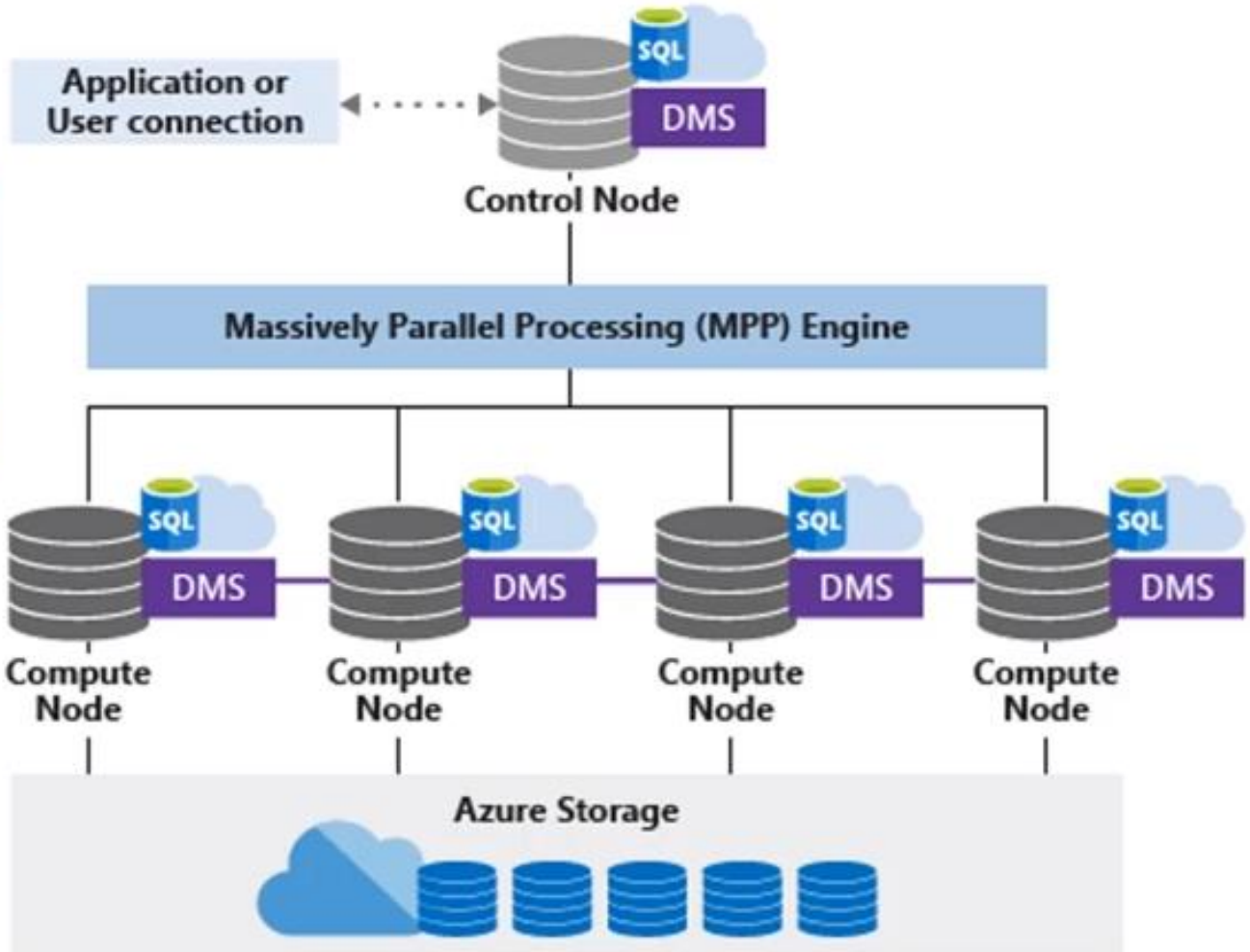
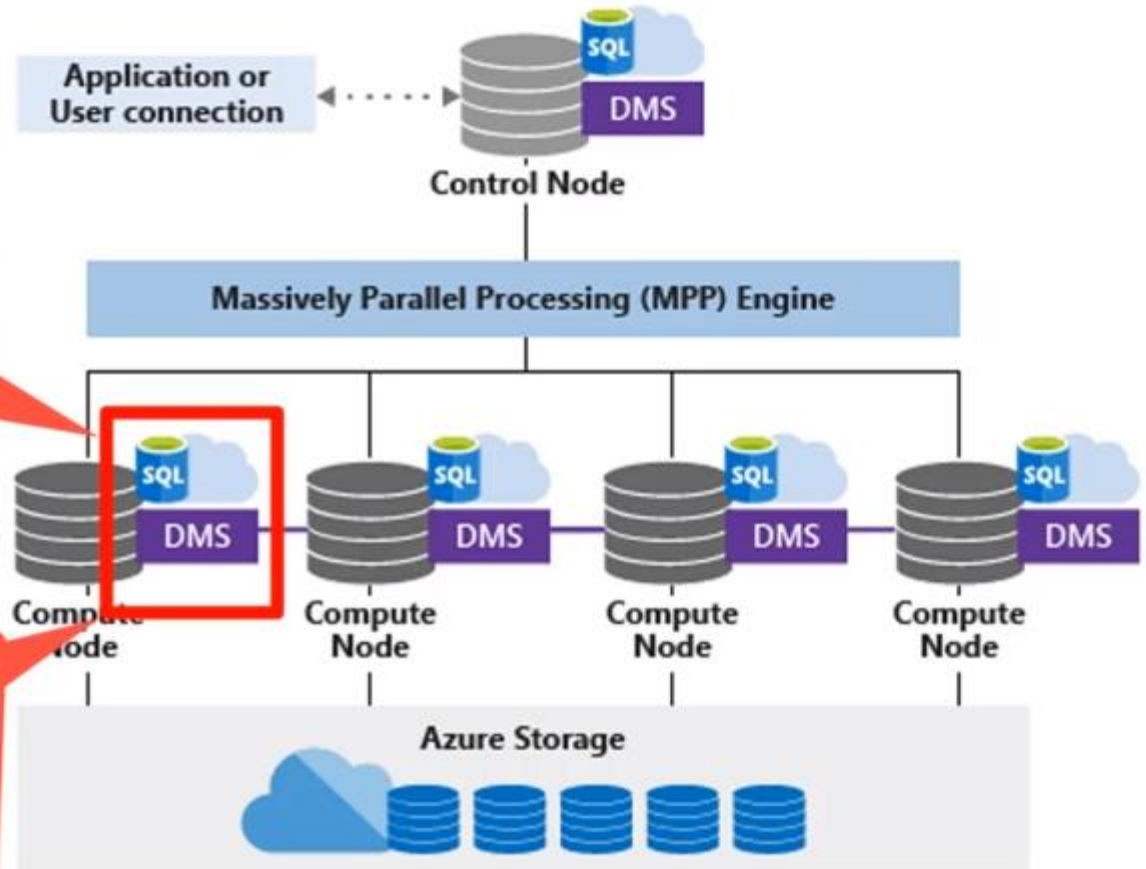
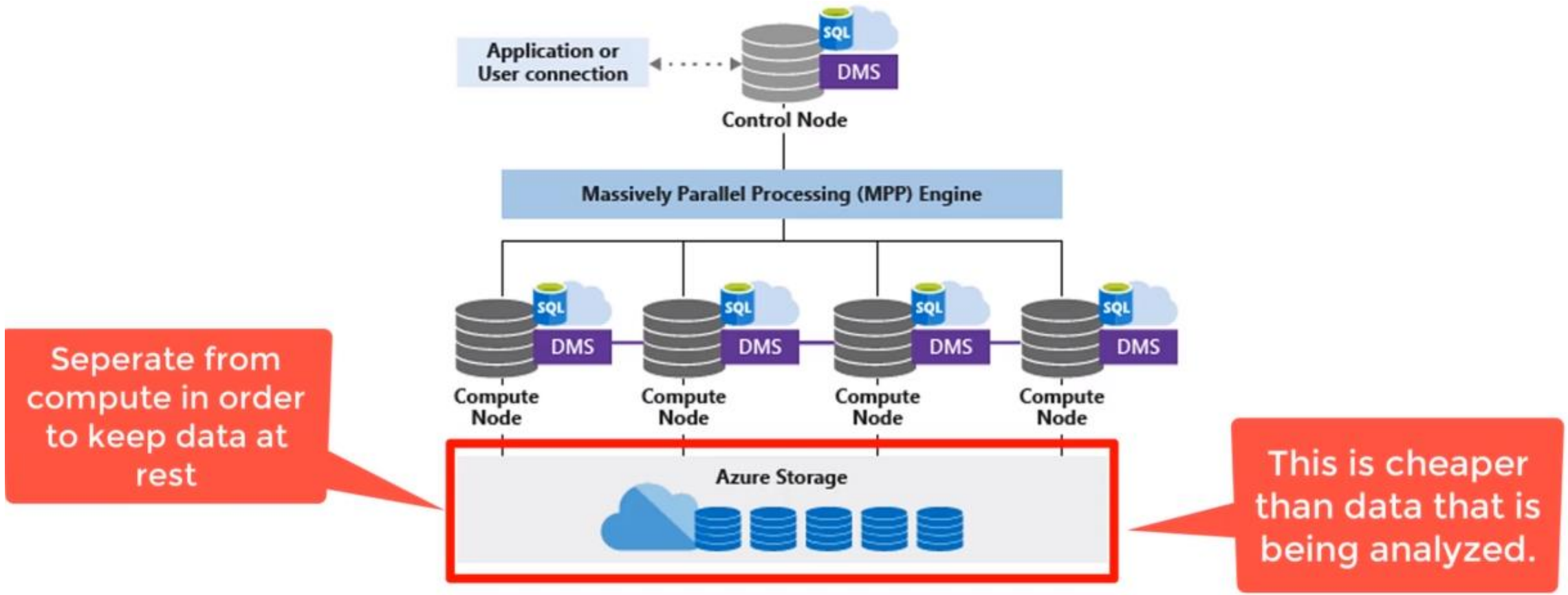


DMS is Data transport technology that coordinates data movement between compute nodes.

When SQL Data Warehouse runs a query, the work is divided into 60 smaller queries that run in parallel

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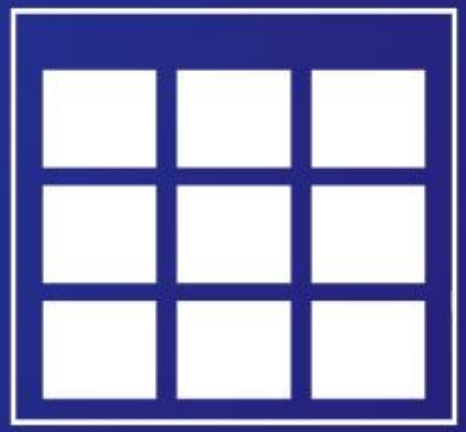
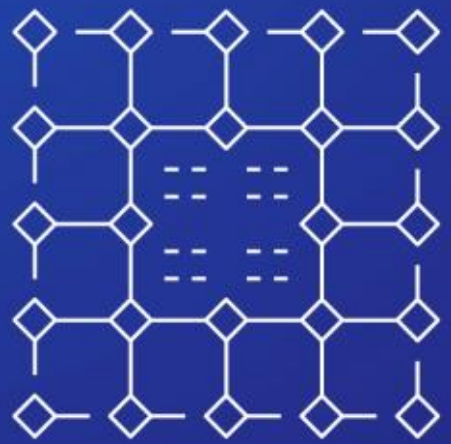
Seperate from compute in order to keep data at rest
This is cheaper than data that is being analyzed.



When you're loading data into staging tables, you should use a round-robin distribution method

Tables in Synapse Analytics are actually spread out across **60 data distributions**

Synapse Analytics offers three distribution choices



Round-robin

Hash-distributed

Replicated

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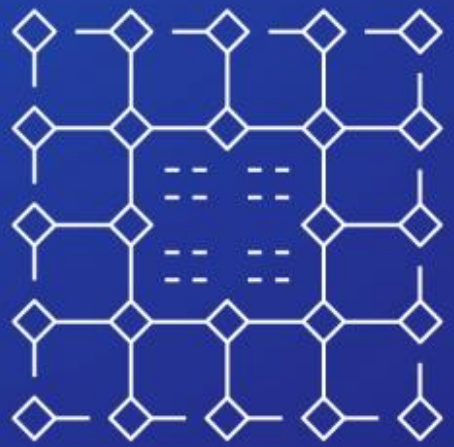


Round-robin

Rows are distributed evenly across the data distributions

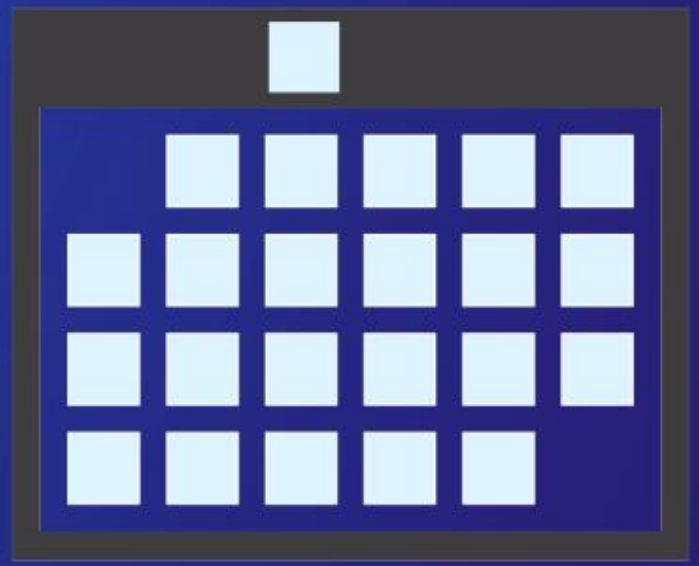
It's the fastest distribution type for loading data into a staging table

Synapse Analytics offers three distribution choices

Hash-distributed

You designate one of the columns as the hash key

The hash function uses the value in this column to determine which data distribution to store a particular row on



If you were to choose a date column for the hash key, then all of the rows for a particular date would end up on the same distribution

A query on that date would only run on that one distribution

Some characteristics of a good distribution column:

1. It has many unique values so the rows will be spread out over the 60 distributions

2. It's frequently used in JOINs

3. It's not used in WHERE clauses, as this would limit query matches to only a few distributions

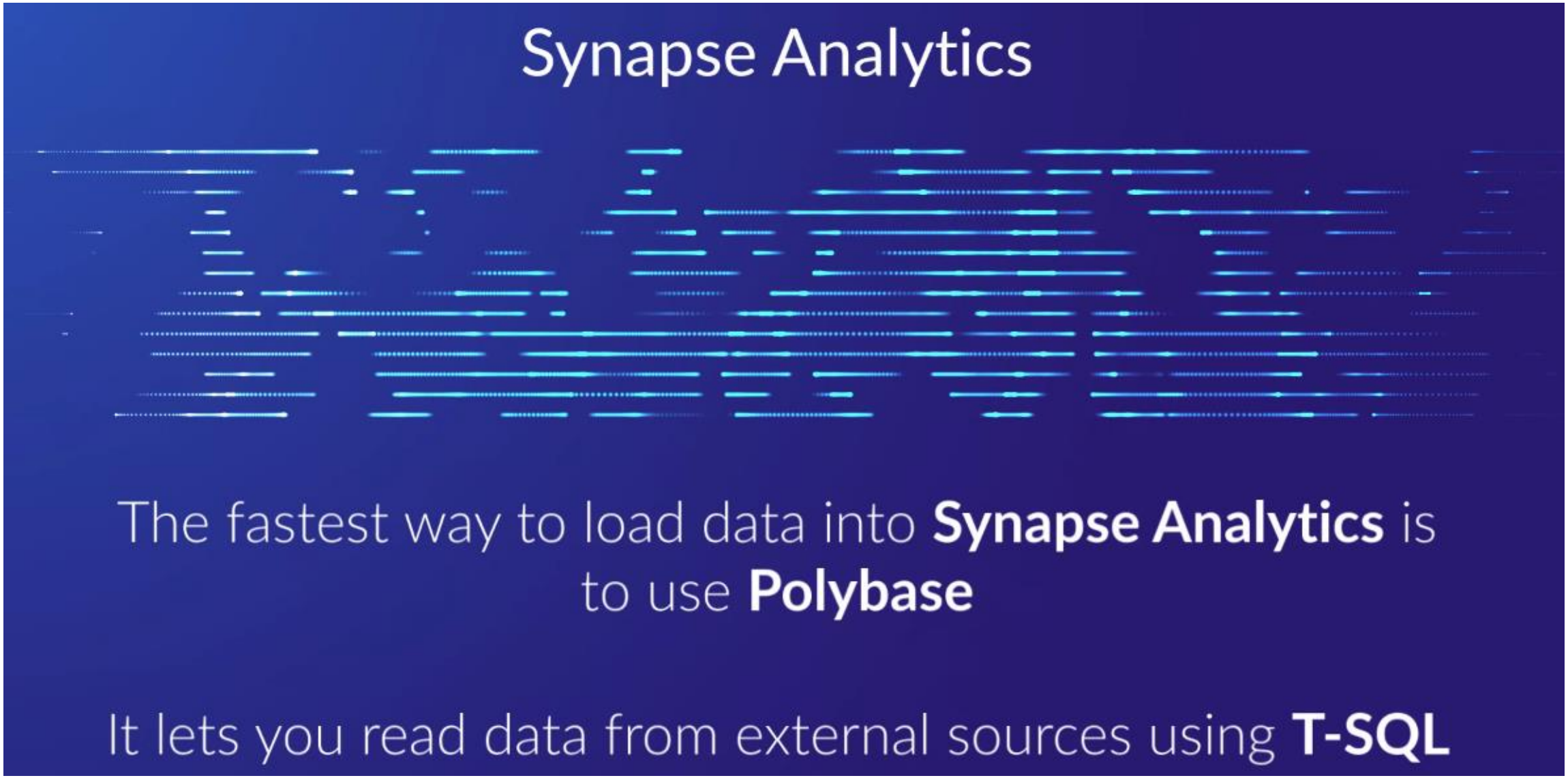
Synapse Analytics offers three distribution choices

Replicated

The entire table gets stored on each of the 60 data distributions

If a relatively small dimension table is frequently used in joins and aggregations, then it will be much more efficient to have it on every distribution

Synapse Analytics



The fastest way to load data into **Synapse Analytics** is to use **Polybase**

It lets you read data from external sources using **T-SQL**

STEP 1

Convert your data into structured text files, such as CSV or Parquet, and put the files in either Blob Storage or Data Lake Storage

STEP 2

Create external tables by using these three T-SQL commands in this order:

CREATE EXTERNAL DATA SOURCE
CREATE EXTERNAL FILE FORMAT
CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE

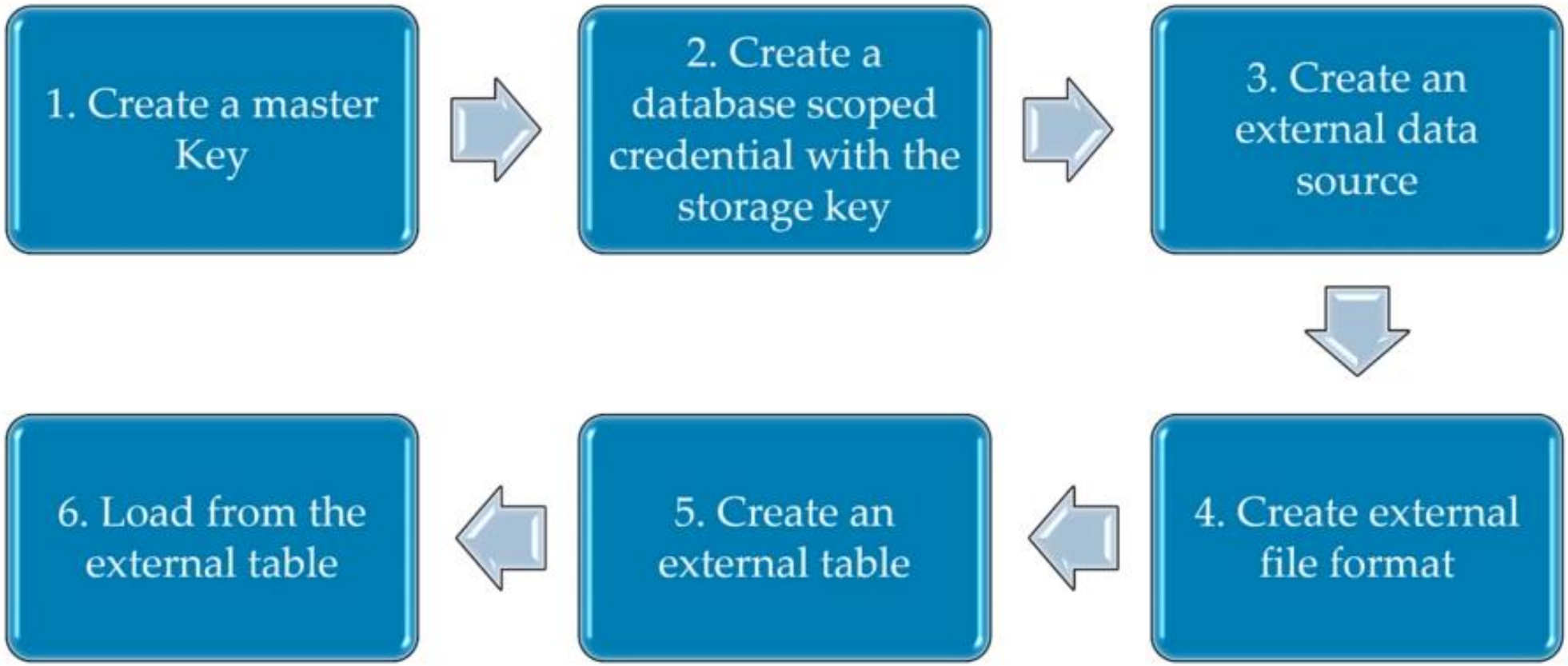
STEP 3

Load the data into a staging table in Synapse Analytics

STEP 4

Insert the data into production tables

PolyBase Setup



Stream Analytics

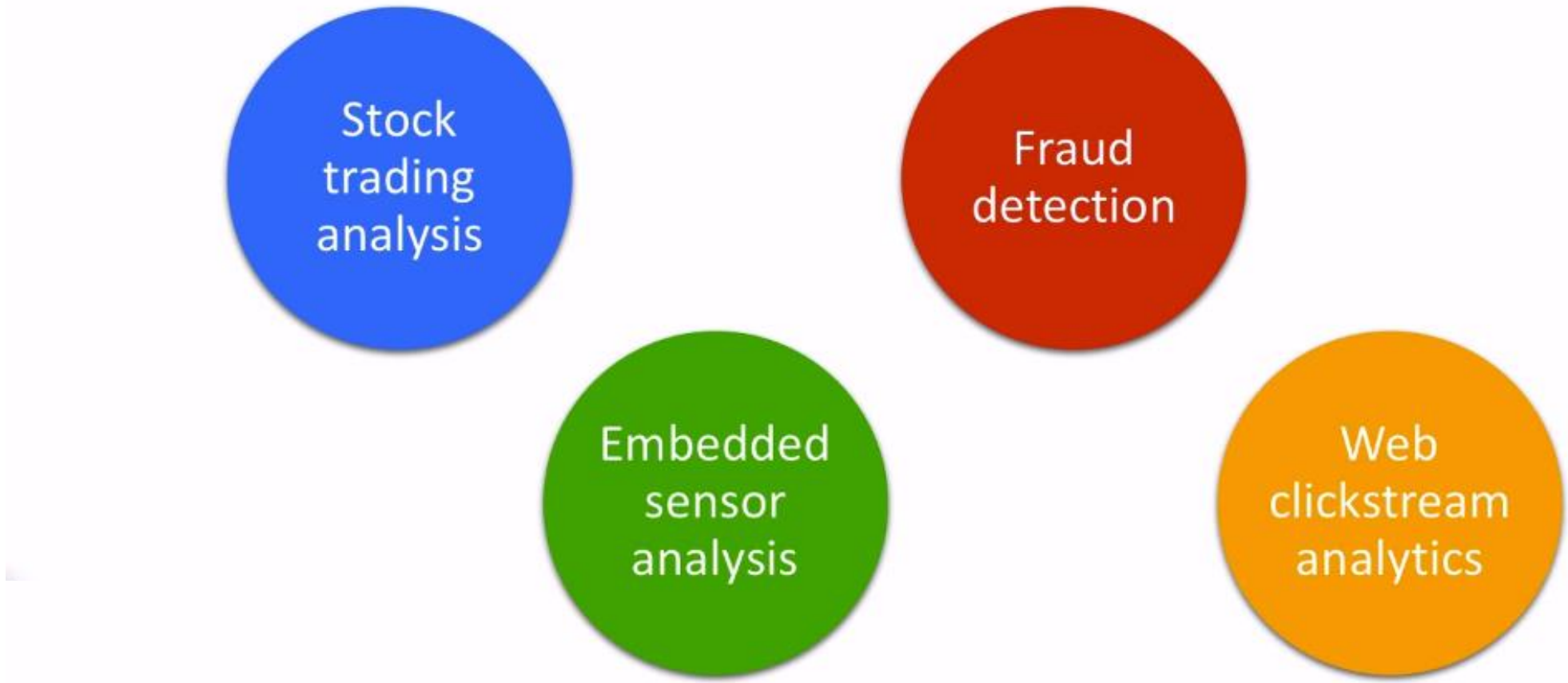
The Rise of Streaming Analytics

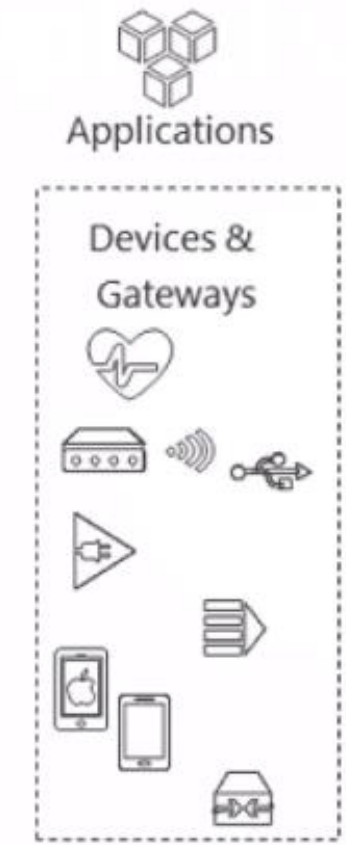
Batch processing stopped working because:

Batch jobs were taking longer and needed more processing power

Companies had applications that needed data to be processed in real time

Typical Uses





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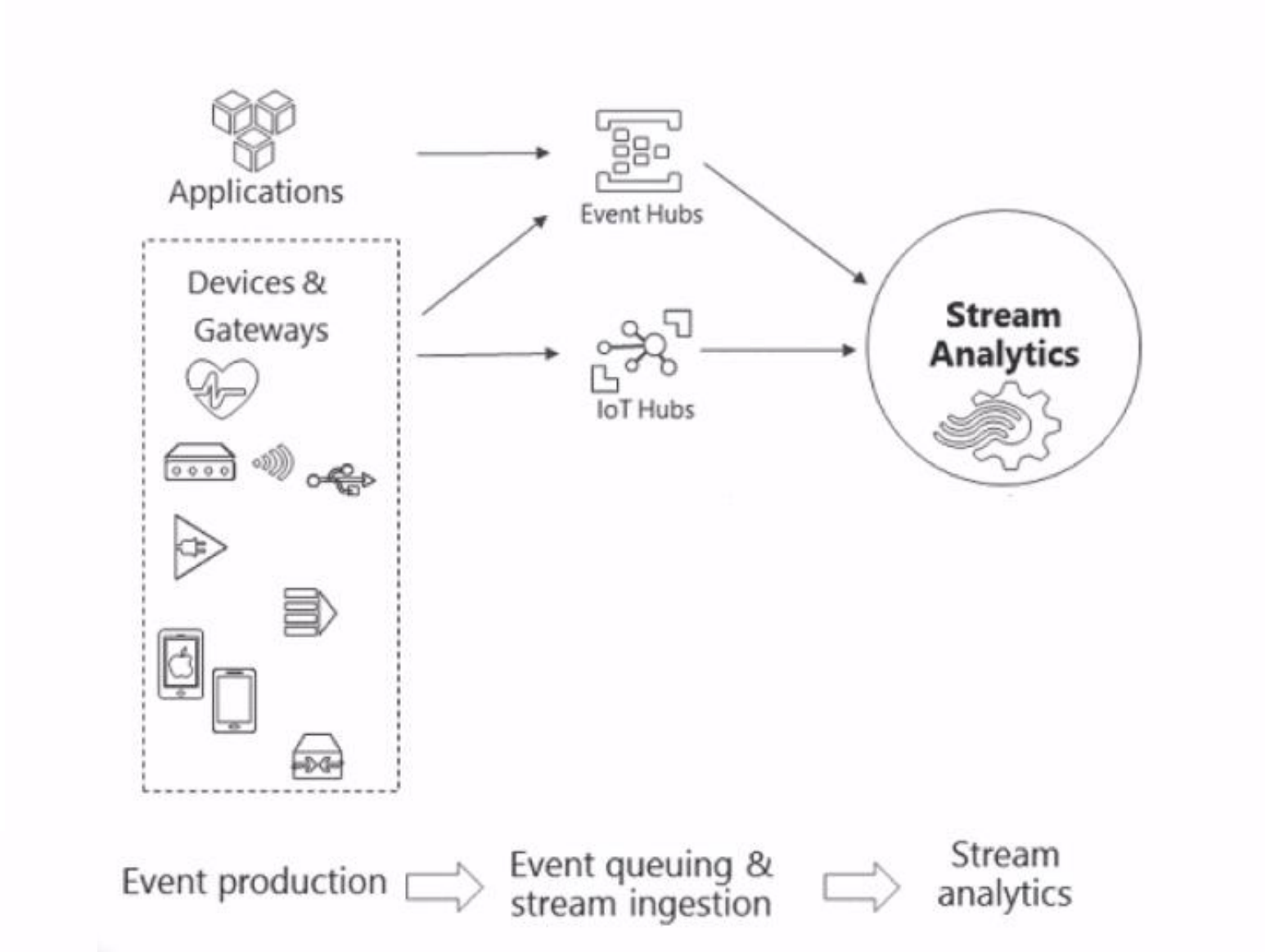
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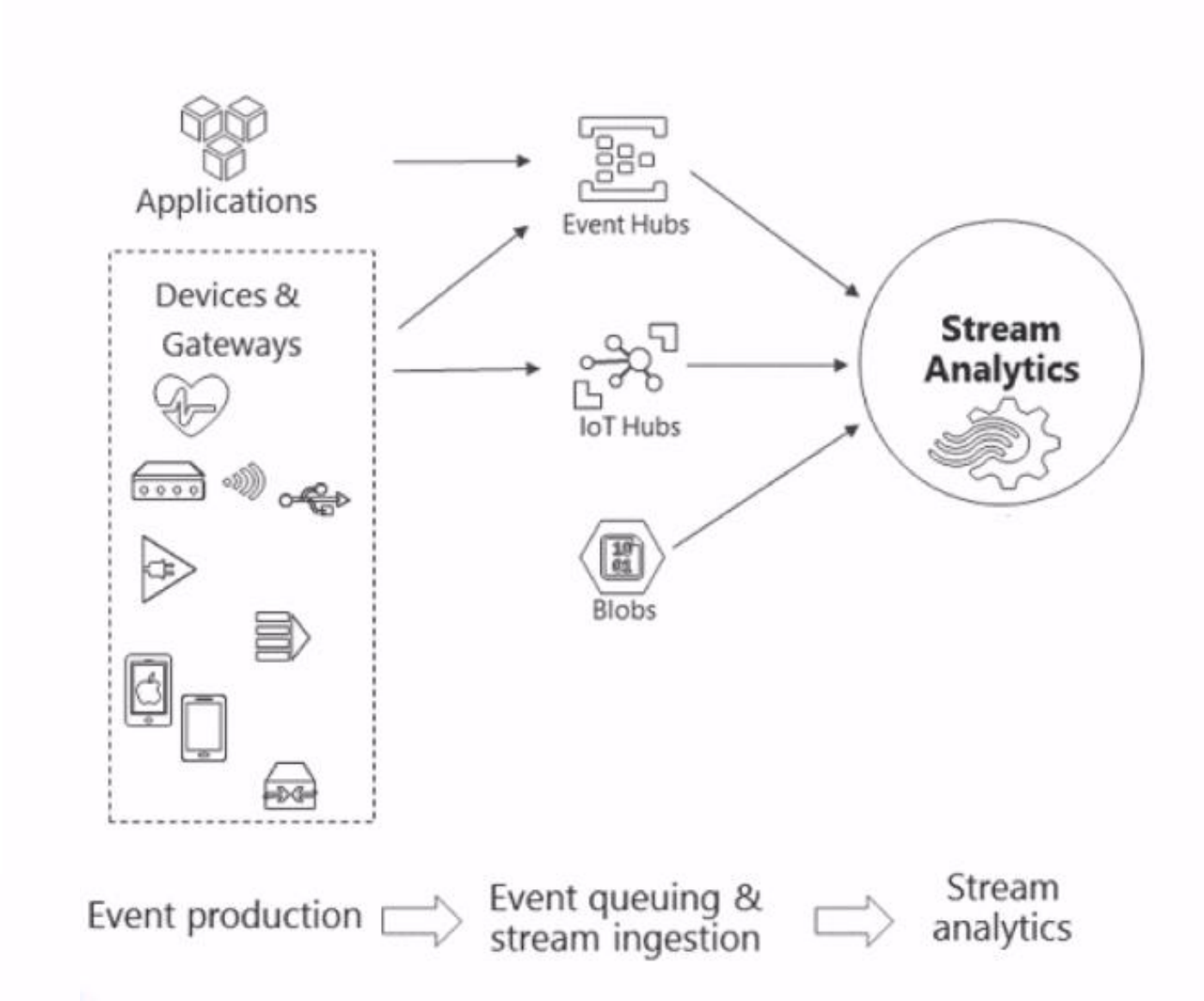
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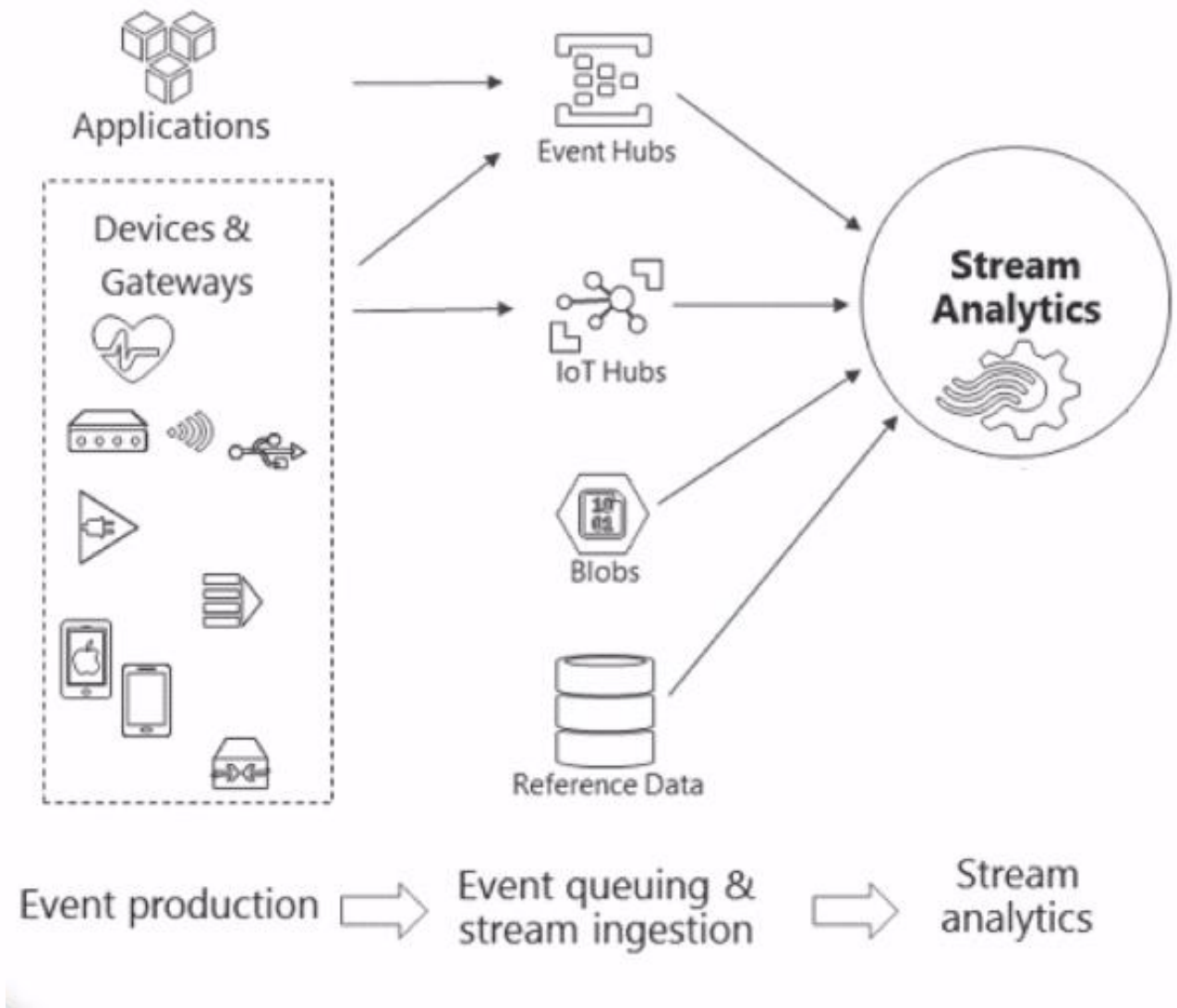
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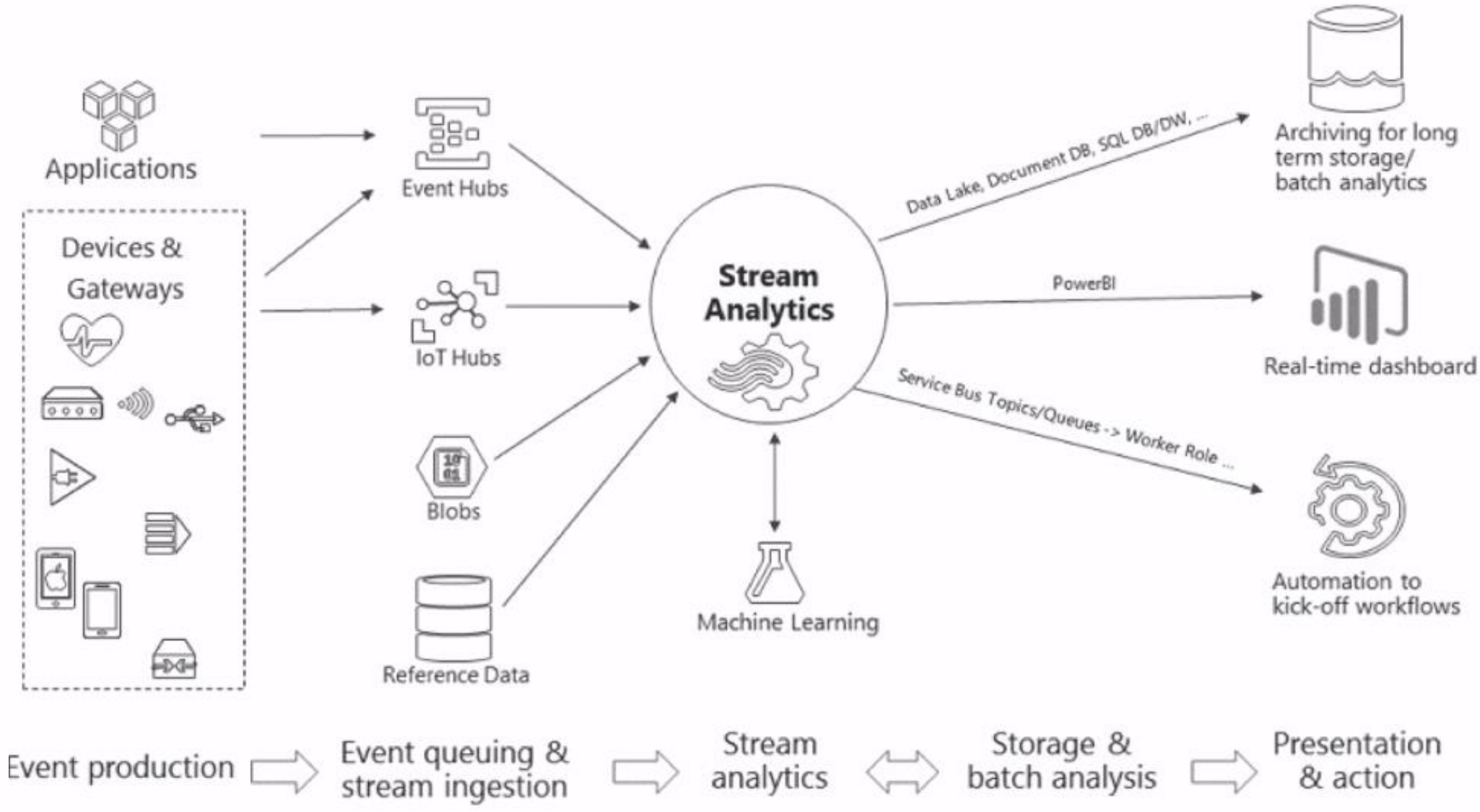
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Stream analytics
Storage & batch analysis
Presentation & action

Processing events with Azure Stream Analytics

Microsoft Azure Stream Analytics is an event processing engine. It enables the consumption and analysis of high volumes of streaming data in real time.

Source	Ingestion	Analytical Engine	Destination
• Sensors • Systems • Applications	• Event Hubs • IoT Hubs • Azure Blob Store	• Stream Analytics Query Language • .NET SDK	• Azure Data Lake • Cosmos DB • SQL Database • Blob Store • Power BI

Alternatives

Spark or Storm on HDInsight

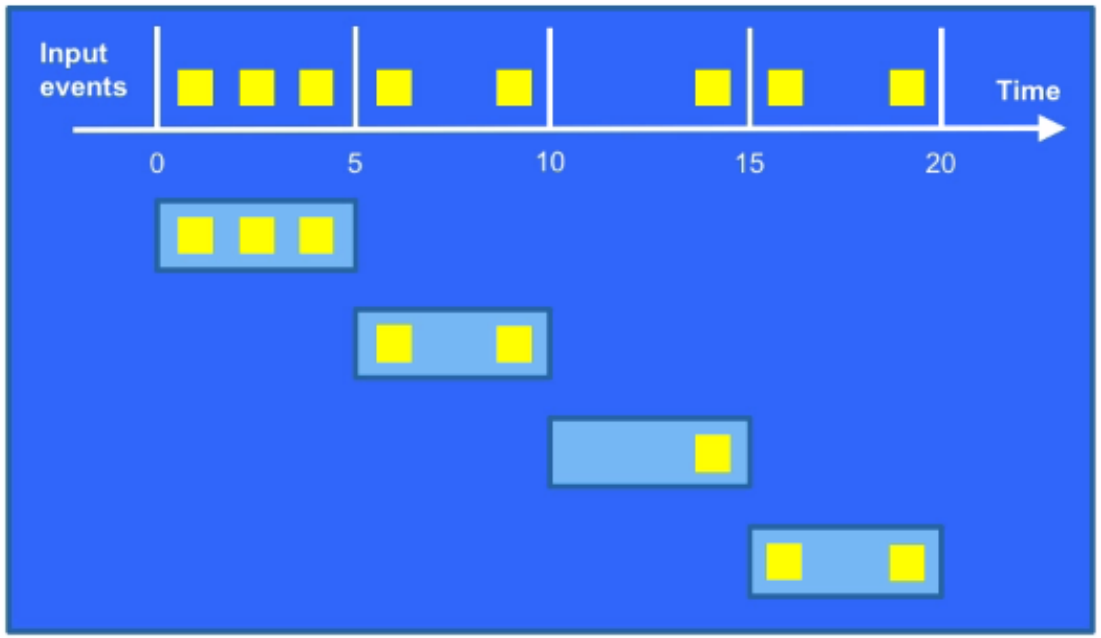
- Cluster
- Hadoop ecosystem
- Scala, Java, or Python

Azure Streaming Analytics

- Job
- Microsoft ecosystem
- Stream Analytics Query Language (variant of T-SQL)

Time Windows

Temporal Windows



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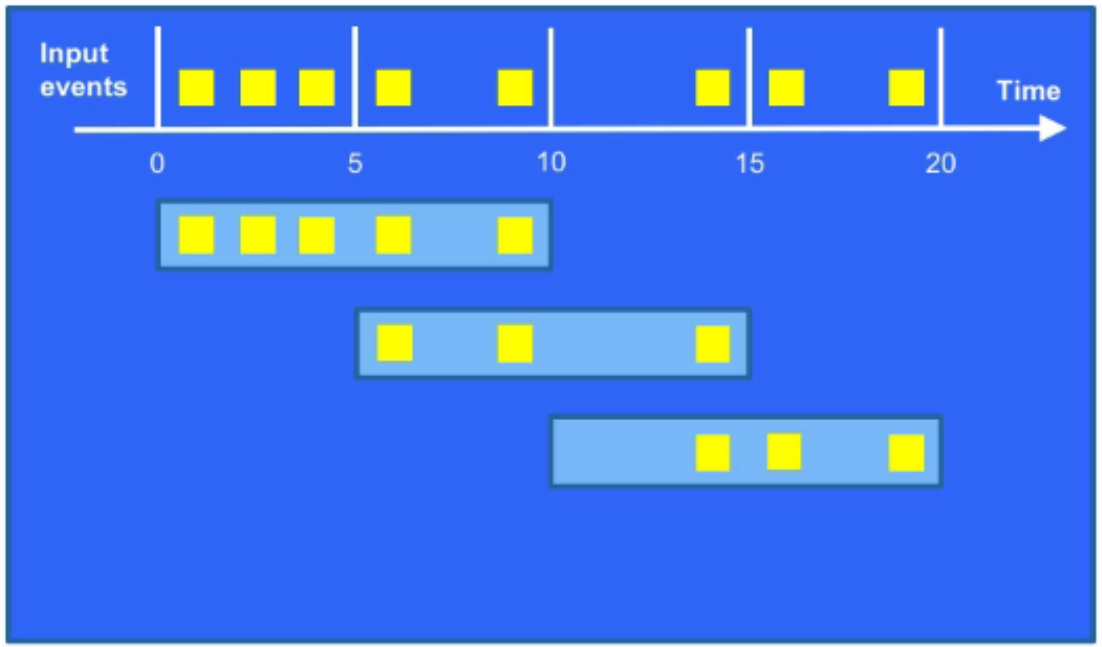

Hopping Windows

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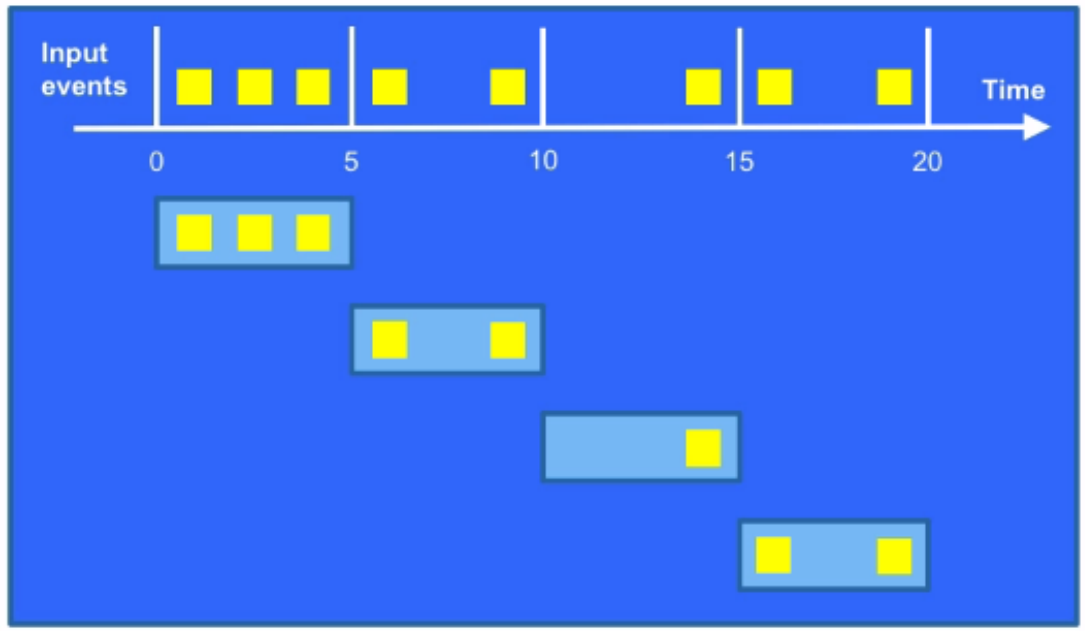

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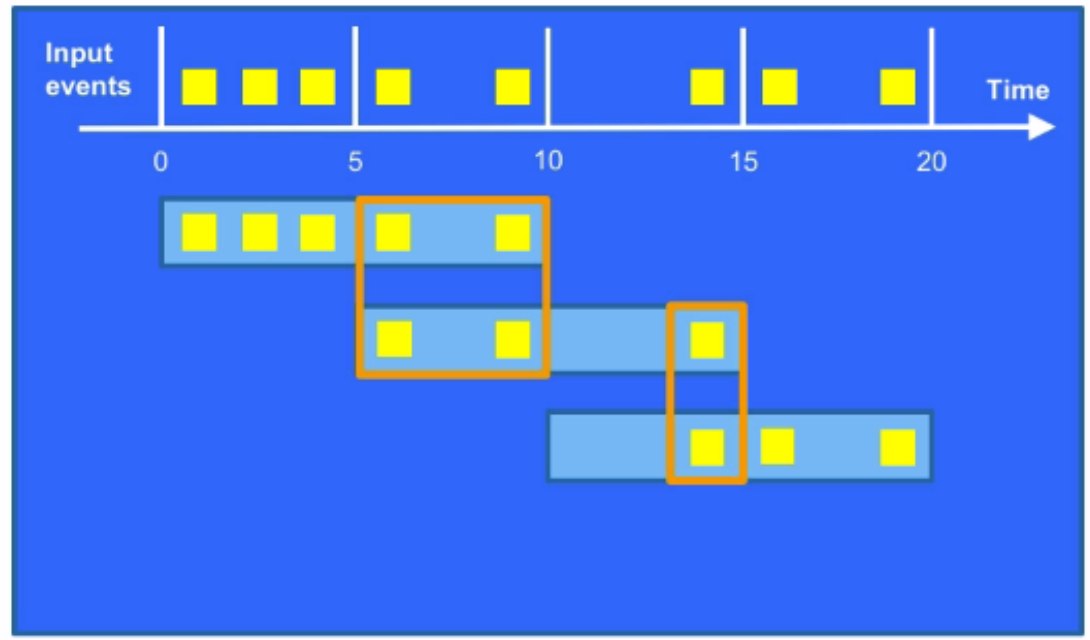

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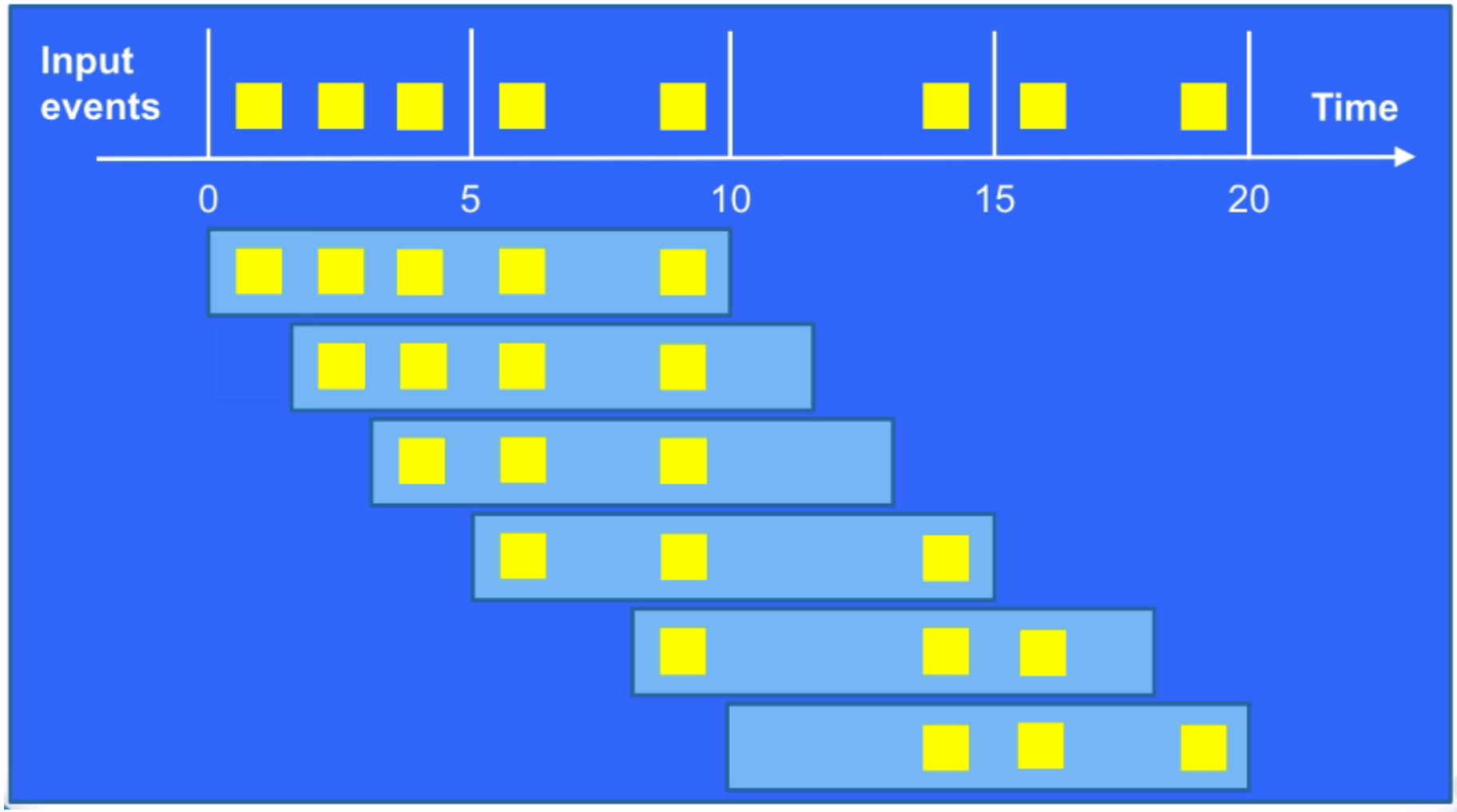

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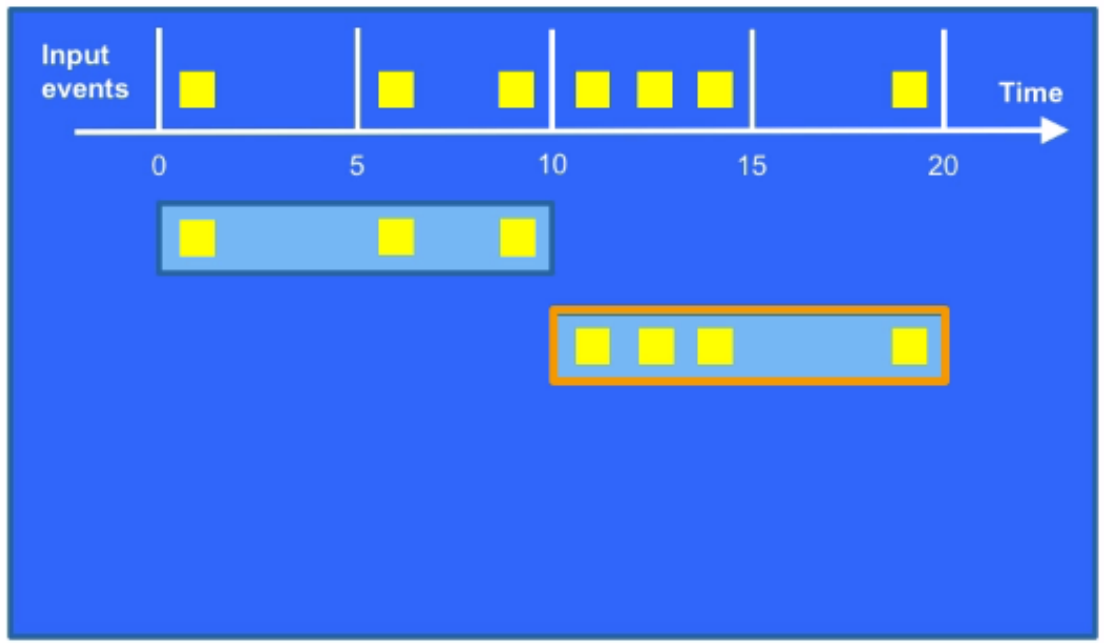

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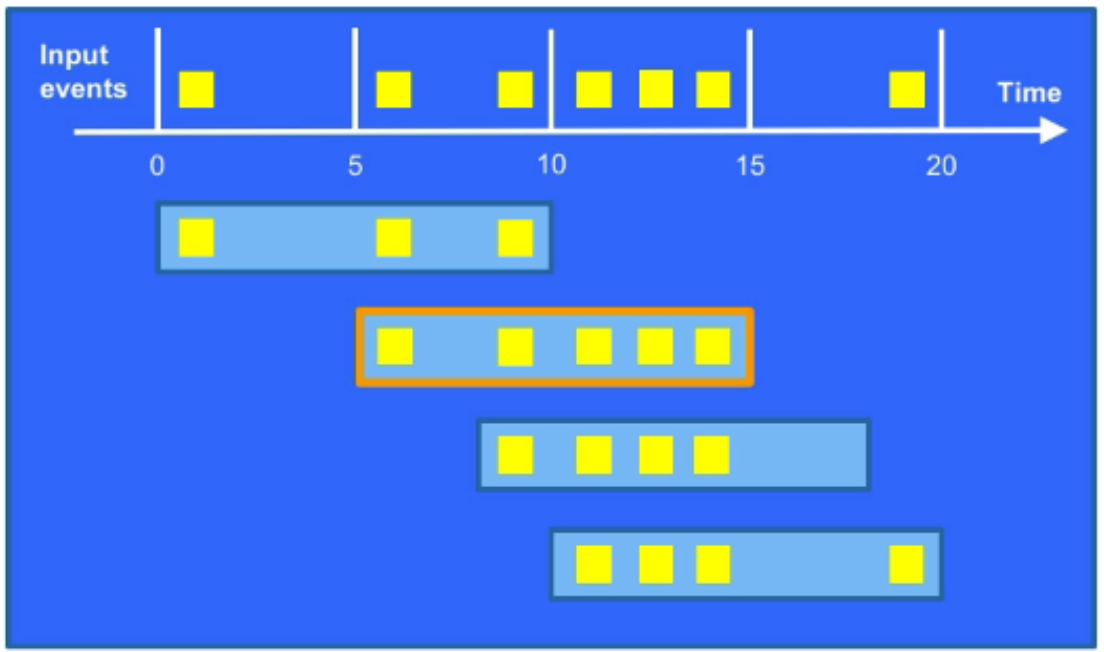
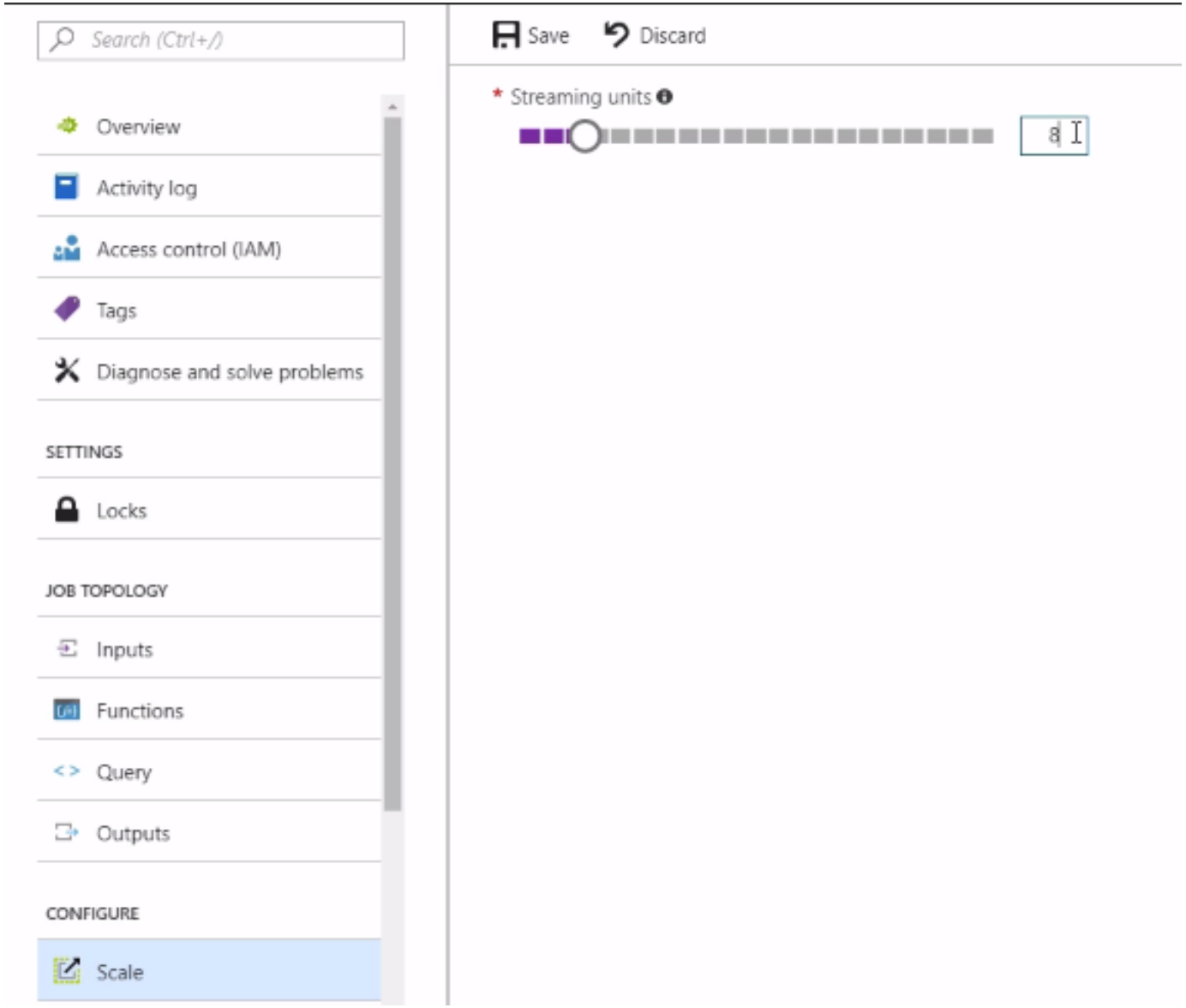


Sliding Windows

Scaling

Streaming Units (SUs)

- An SU represents a certain capacity of CPU, memory, and I/O
- Stream Analytics does all of its processing in memory
- If your job runs out of memory, it will fail
- Create an alert that says if the SU utilization goes above 80%
- You can’t increase the number of SUs while a job is running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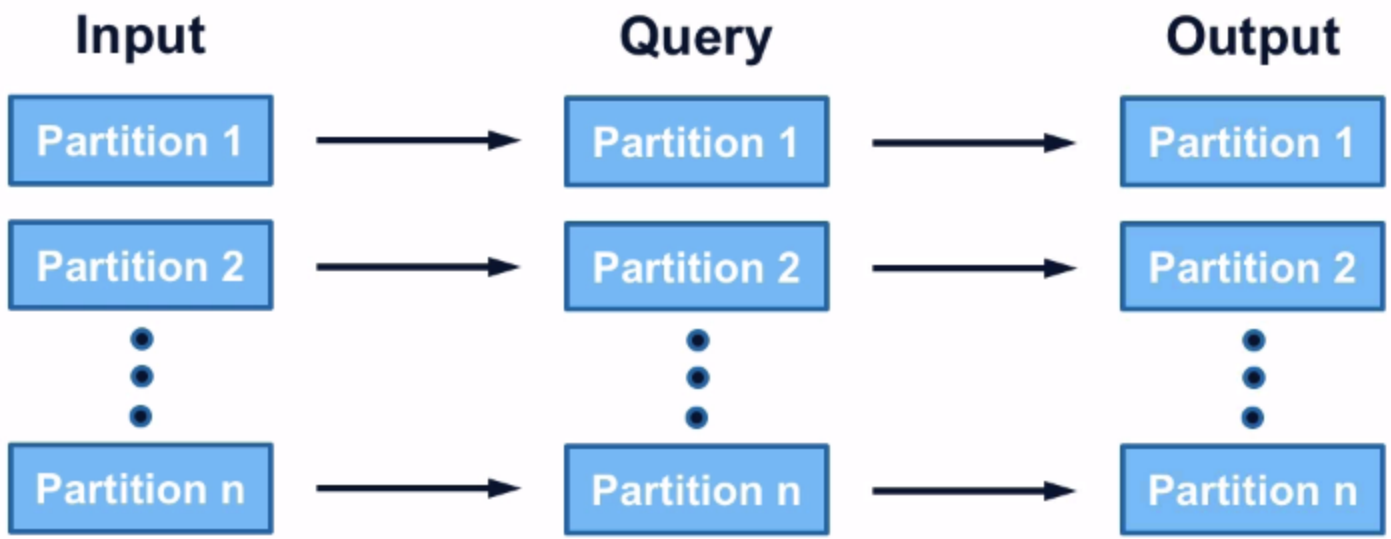
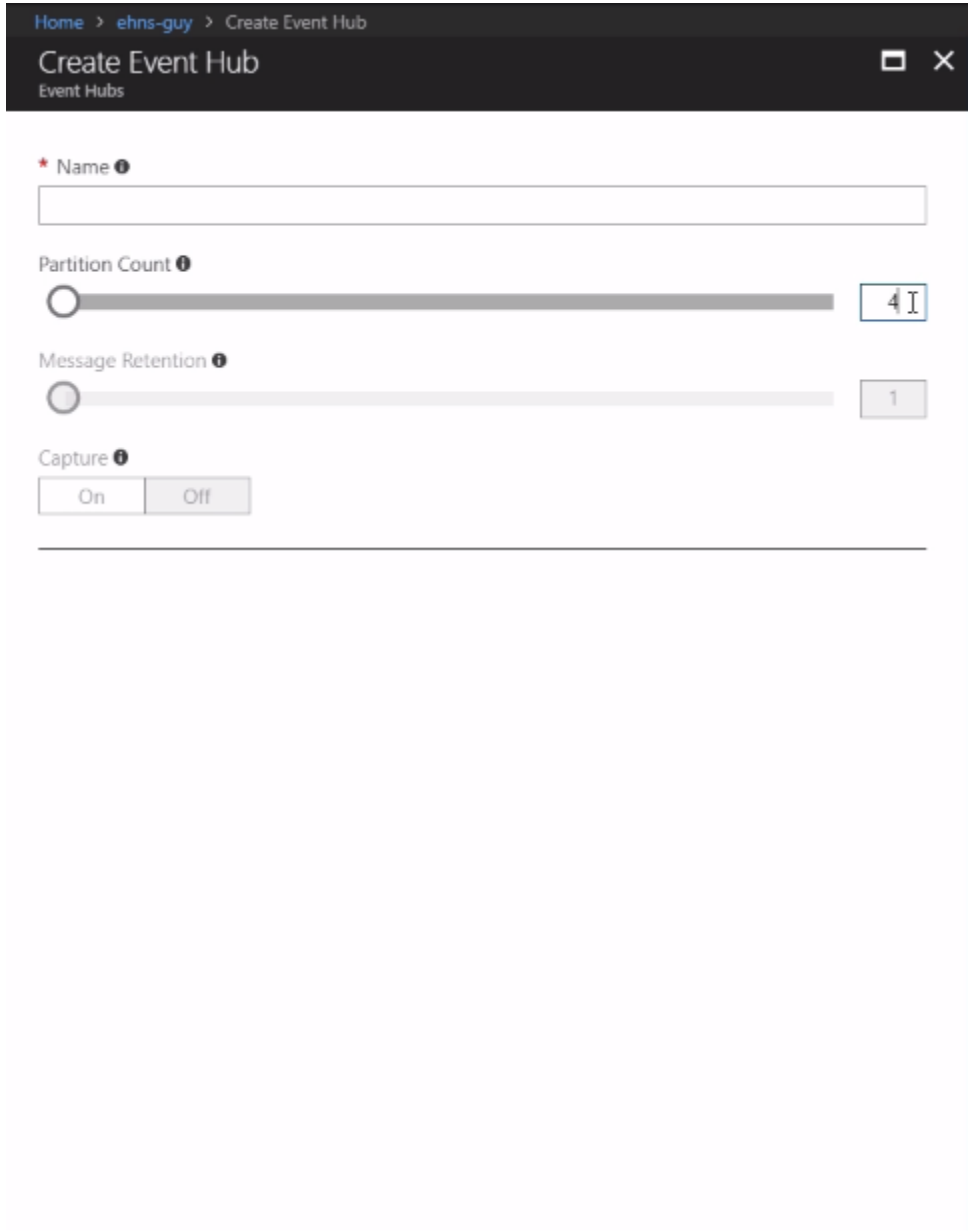
Parallelizing a Job

- Embarrassingly parallel
  - The whole job can be split into parallel tasks for multiple workers

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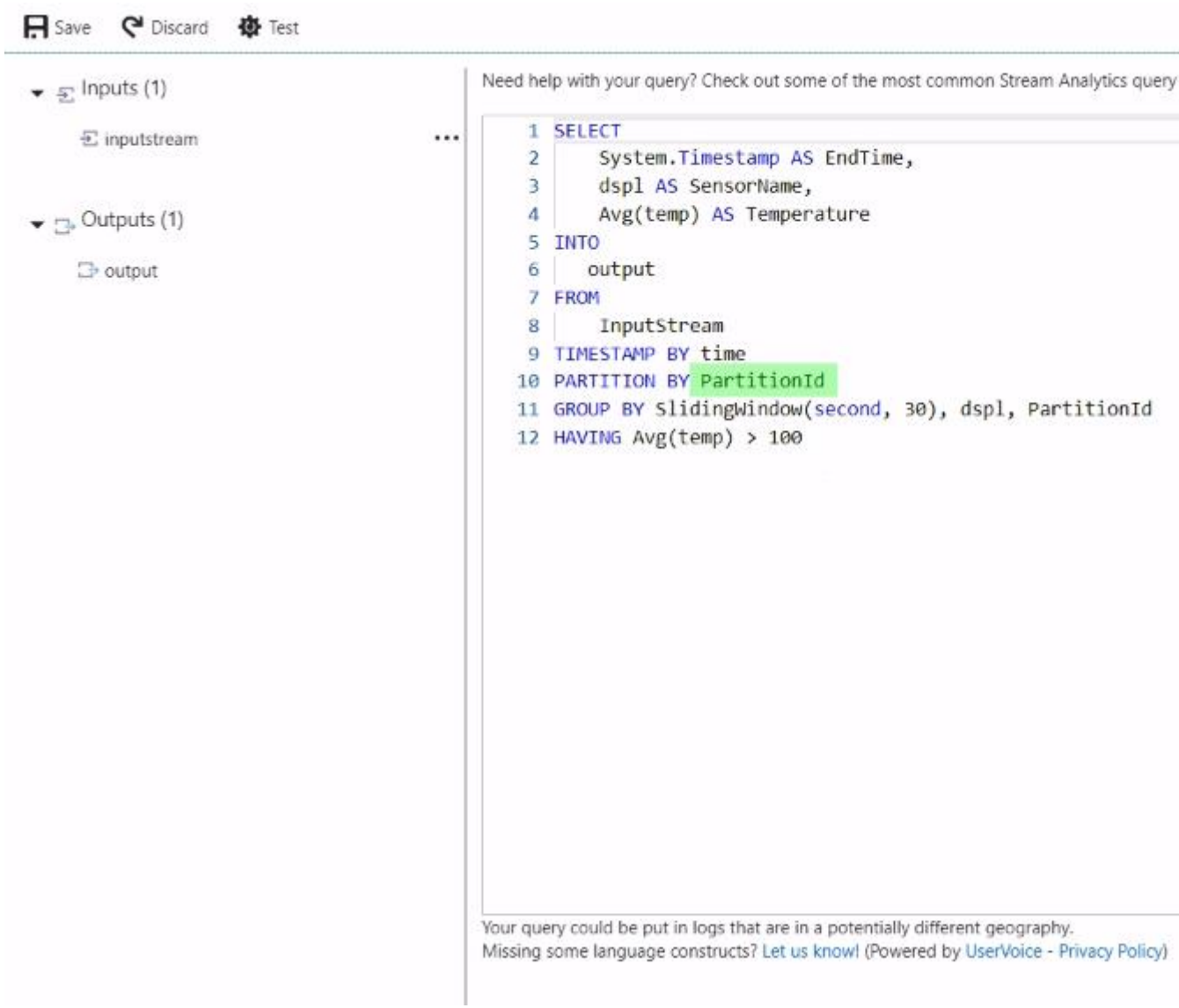
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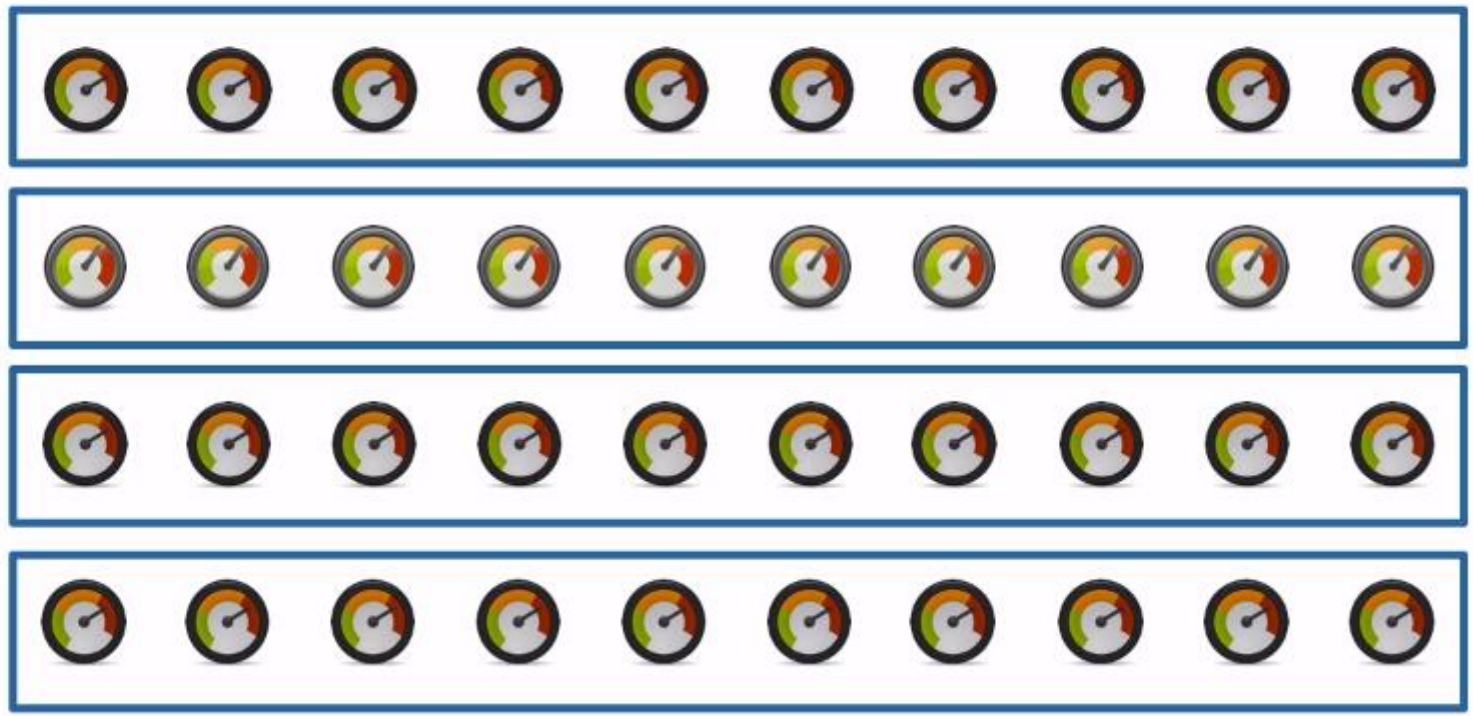
Need help with your query? Check out some of the most common Stream Analytics query
1 SELECT
2 System.Timestamp AS EndTime,
3 dspl AS SensorName,
4 Avg(temp) AS Temperature
5 INTO
6 output
7 FROM
8 InputStream
9 TIMESTAMP BY time
10 PARTITION BY PartitionId
11 GROUP BY SlidingWindow(second, 30), dspl, PartitionId
12 HAVING Avg(temp) > 100
Your query could be put in logs that are in a potentially different geography.
Missing some language constructs? Let us know! (Powered by UserVoice - Privacy Policy)

Partitioning Input

Partitioning Input



Output Destinations

Power BI, SQL Database, SQL Data Warehouse
- Don't support partitioning

Event Hub, IoT Hub, Cosmos DB
- Need to set the partition key

Data Lake Store, Functions, Table or Blob Storage, Service Bus

How Many SUs to Allocate

- 6 SU represents the full capacity of a single computing node
- If job isn't parallelizable, 6 SU gives maximum performance
- If you break query into multiple steps, Stream Analytics will put each step on its own 6 SU node
- If job isn't parallelizable, try running it with

  6 SU x number of steps in query

How Many SUs to Allocate

- If the job is parallelizable and it's too big to run on 6 SUs
  - Partition the input and output
  - Use PARTITION BY in your query
  - Try 6 SU x number of partitions
- # of partitions should be evenly divisible by # of nodes
  - For 4 partitions, choose either 2 or 4 nodes, but not 3

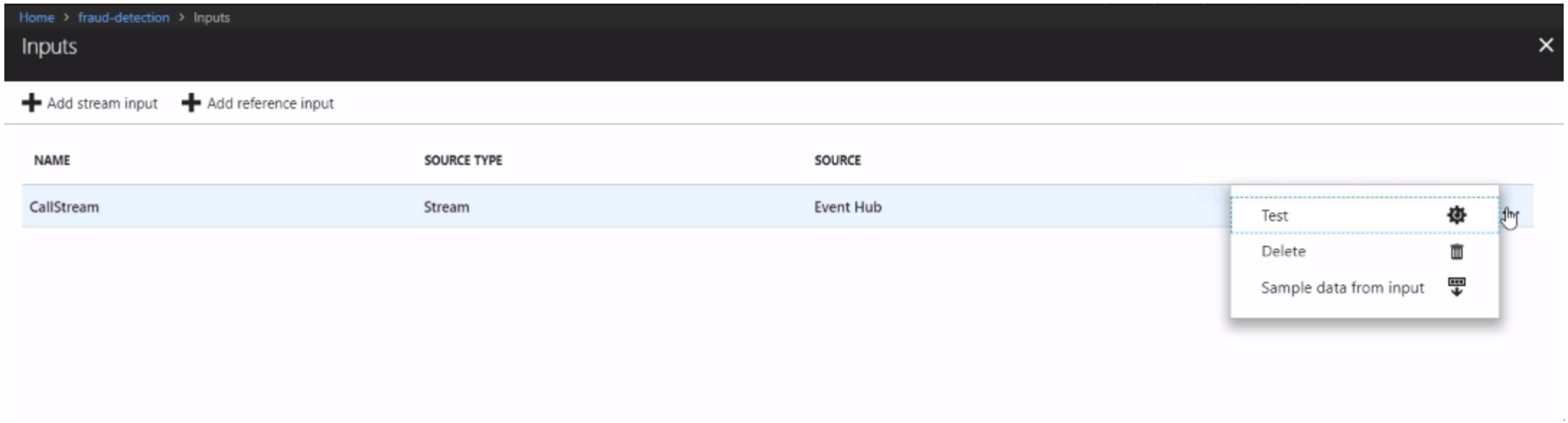
Troubleshooting

Most Common Errors

- Connectivity issues with inputs or outputs
- Issues with input data
- Issues with your query

Most Common Errors

- Connectivity issues with inputs or outputs
  - Use the Test feature

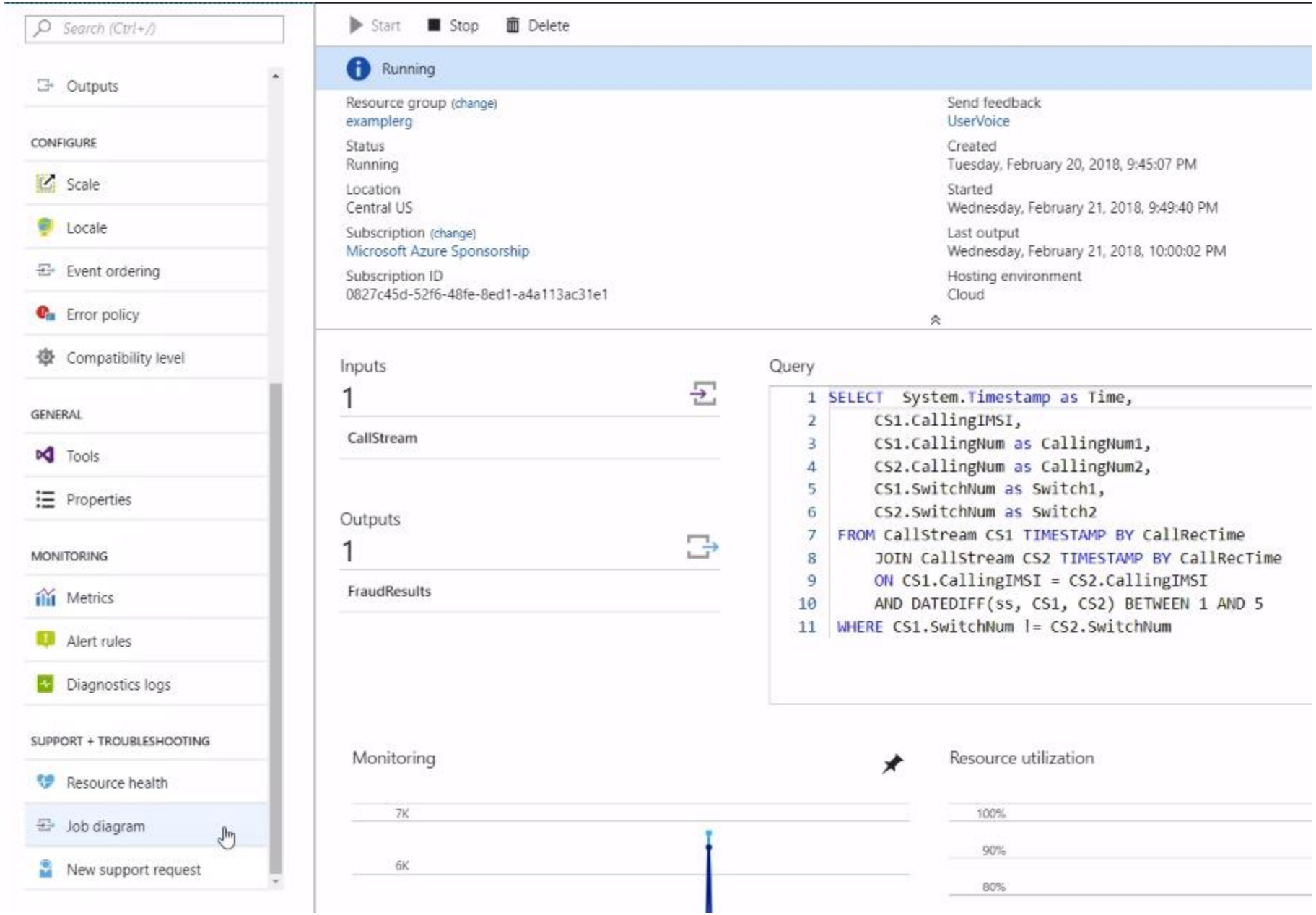


Most Common Errors

- Issues with input data
  - Stop the job
  - Change the query to “SELECT * FROM InputStream
  - Then run a test by sampling the data

Most Common Errors

- Issues with your query
  - Reduce it to a simpler query, test it, and then build it back up, testing at every step
  - Common problem #1: Having a WHERE clause that filters out every input record, so there are no outputs
  - Common problem #2: Timestamps are earlier than the job start time, so all of the input records are dropped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1 SELECT System.Timestamp as Time,
2 CS1.CallingIMSI,
3 CS1.CallingNum as CallingNum1,
4 CS2.CallingNum as CallingNum2,
5 CS1.SwitchNum as Switch1,
6 CS2.SwitchNum as Switch2
7 FROM CallStream CS1 TIMESTAMP BY CallRecTime
8 JOIN CallStream CS2 TIMESTAMP BY CallRecTime
9 ON CS1.CallingIMSI = CS2.CallingIMSI
10 AND DATEDIFF(ss, CS1, CS2) BETWEEN 1 AND 5
11 WHERE CS1.SwitchNum != CS2.SwitchNum
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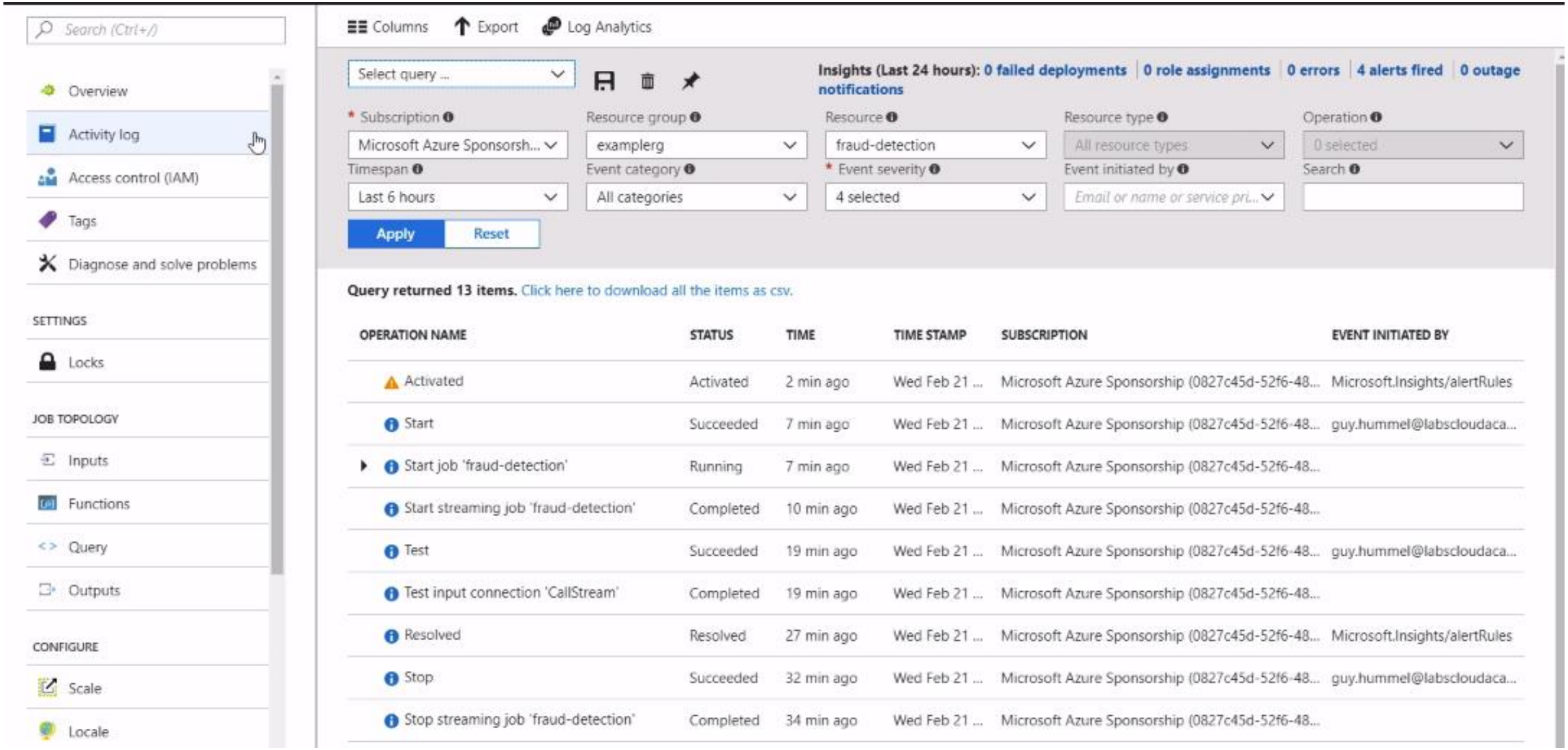
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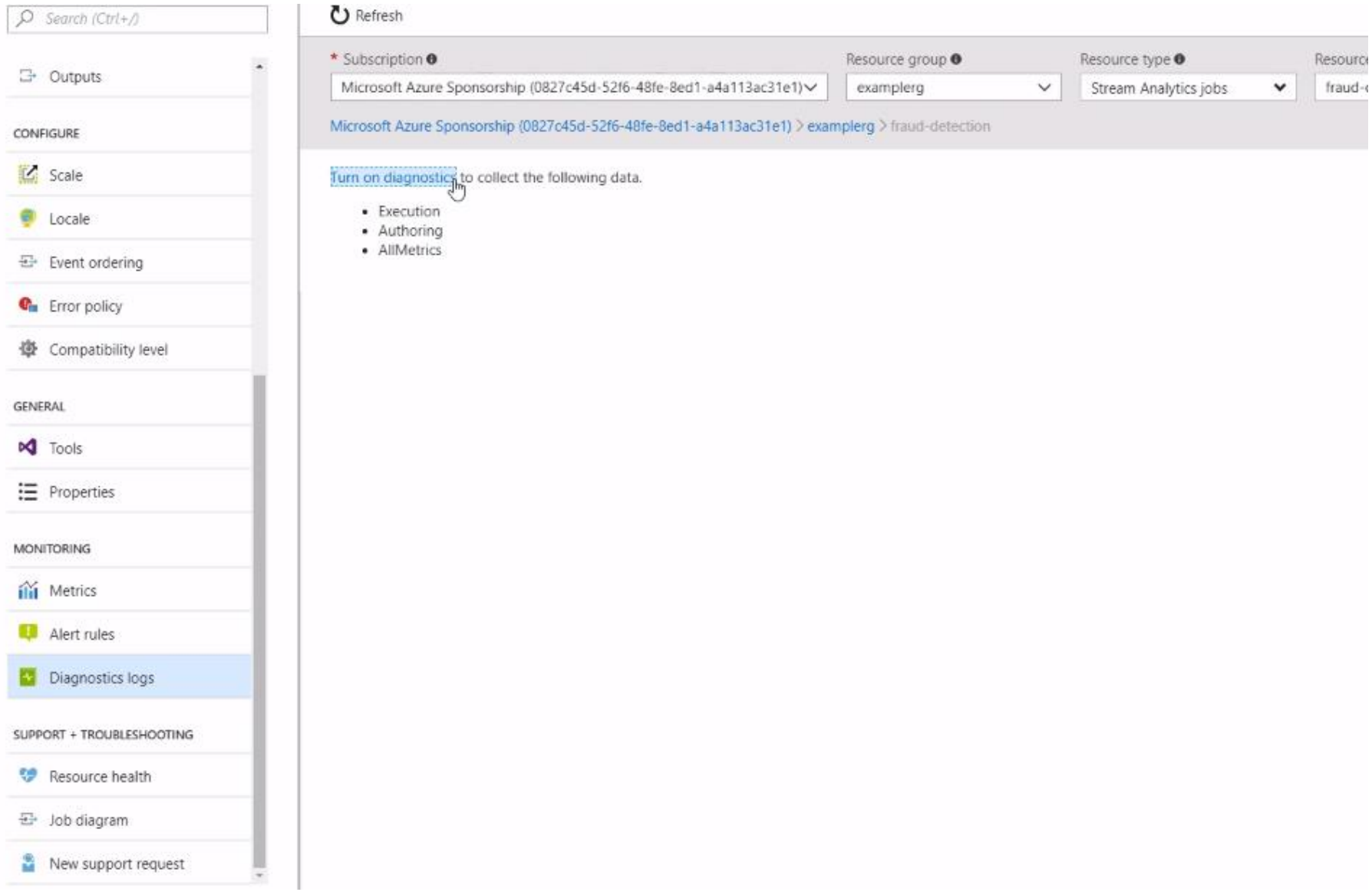
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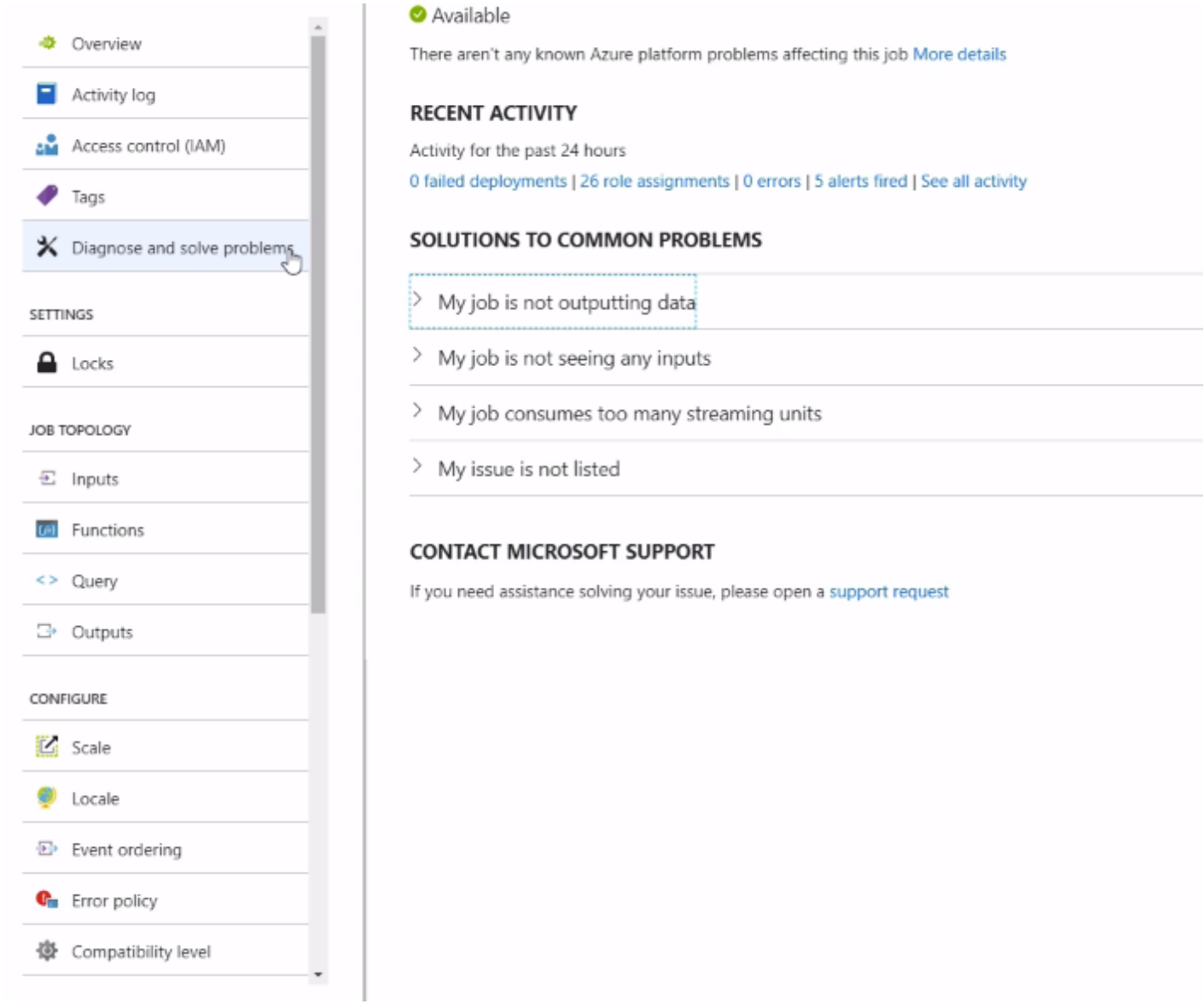
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JOB TOPOLOGY
Inputs
Functions
Query
Outputs
CONFIGURE
Scale
Locale
Event ordering
Error policy
Compatibility level
Available
There aren't any known Azure platform problems affecting this job More details
RECENT ACTIVITY
Activity for the past 24 hours
0 failed deployments | 26 role assignments | 0 errors | 5 alerts fired | See all activity
SOLUTIONS TO COMMON PROBLEMS
My job is not outputting data
My job is not seeing any inputs
My job consumes too many streaming units
My issue is not listed
CONTACT MICROSOFT SUPPORT
If you need assistance solving your issue, please open a support request