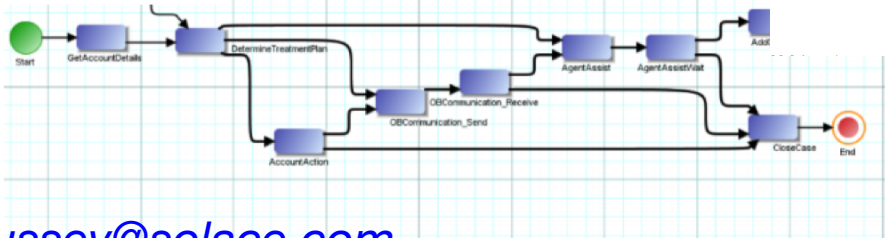
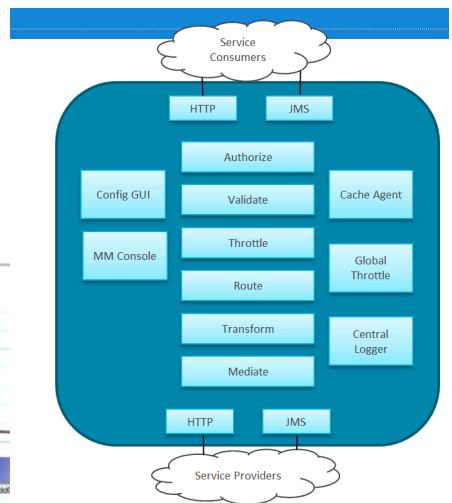
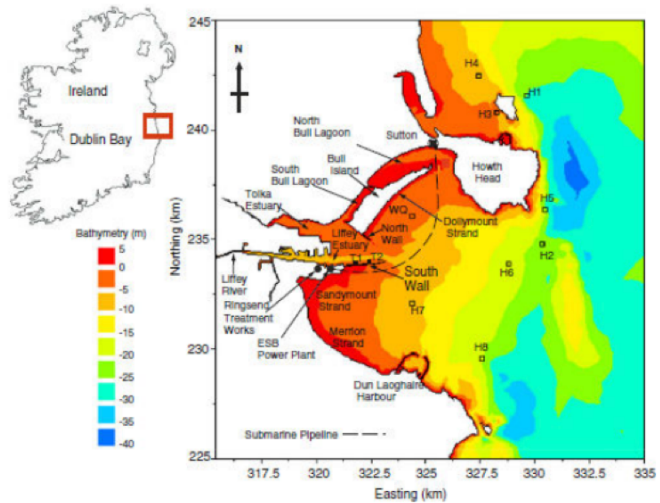




# Tasty Topics!

Novel approaches using  
Topic Filtering





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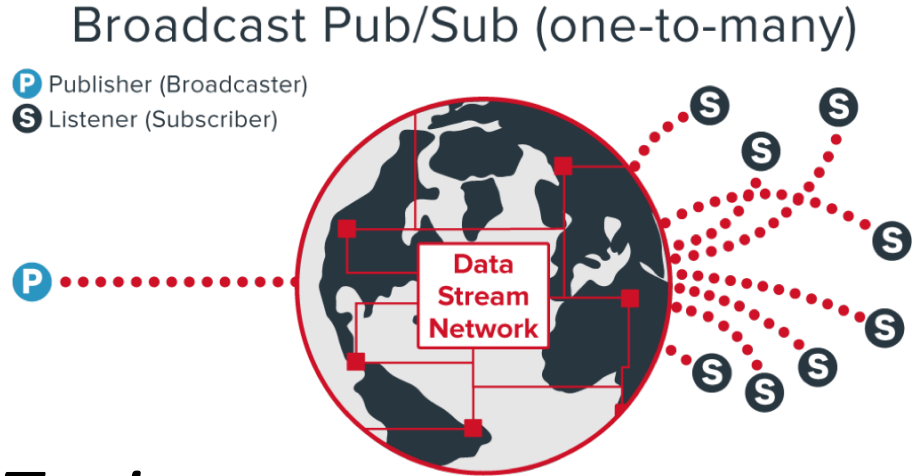
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# Pub/Sub revision

- Distributed
- Decoupled
- Fan-in/Fan-out
- Persistence
- Register interest in *Topic*



# Topics



Topic  $\neq$  *Tag!*



food/apple/slices

food\_apple\_slices

\*/\*/slices

List {food\_apple\_slices, food\_ham\_slices}

=>

String search?

food/apple/slices

food/ham/slices

# Who Cares?

- Simpler
- Consistent
- Reduces unnecessary data copies
  - E.g. In IoT reduces unnecessary sensor reads

# Use Case 1

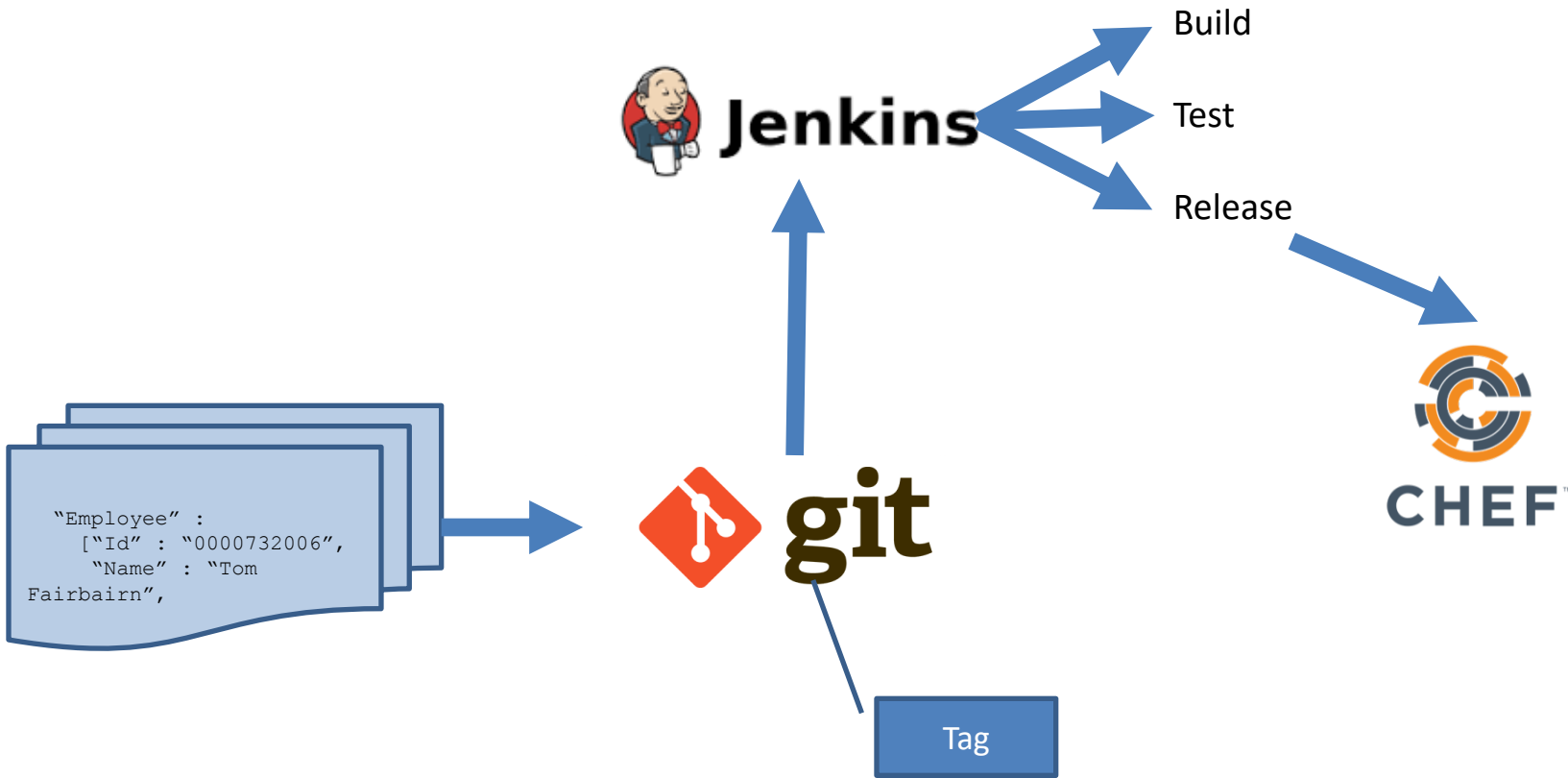
Migrating Your Data Format

# Case 1: Migrating Your Data Format

```
{  
  "Person" : "Tom",  
  "Team" : "Magicians",  
  "Mobile" : "07746 244422",  
  "EmployeeId" : 6  
}
```

```
{  
  "Employee" :  
    [ "Id" : "0000732006",  
      "Name" : "Tom Fairbairn",  
      "PhoneNum" : "+44(0)7746244422",  
      "DirectReports": [],  
      "ReportsTo": "Ben Taieb"  
    ]  
}
```

# CI/CD





# Data Format – read/write

```
Gson gson = new Gson();  
empolyeeData = gson.fromJson(data, employee.class);
```

```
public class employee {  
    private String Person;  
    private String Team;  
    private String Mobile;  
    public int EmployeeId;  
    ...  
}
```

Tag: v1.0

```
public class employee {  
    private class employeeData {  
        private String Id;  
        private String Name;  
        private String PhoneNum;  
        private String[] DirectReports;  
        private String ReportsTo;  
    }  
    ...  
}
```

Tag: v2.0

# Data Format topic

```
private String versionedTopic =  
    "london/employee/json/$GIT_TAG_NAME/[...]";  
  
session.subscribe(versionedTopic);  
  
producer.send(message, versionedTopic);
```

# Use Case 2

Monitoring

# Monitoring



# A quick diversion

{ REST }

<https://ip/endpoint>



Websockets

# A quick diversion -again



**V 1**

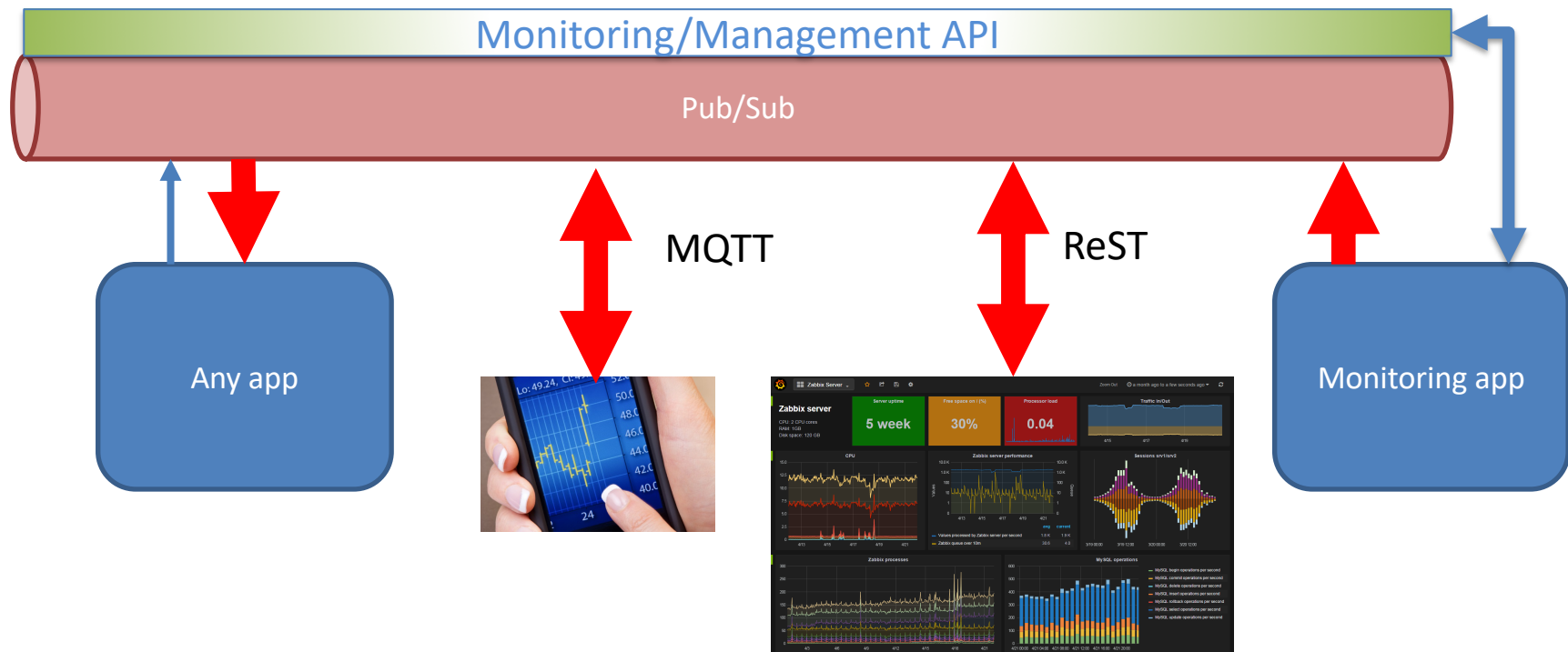


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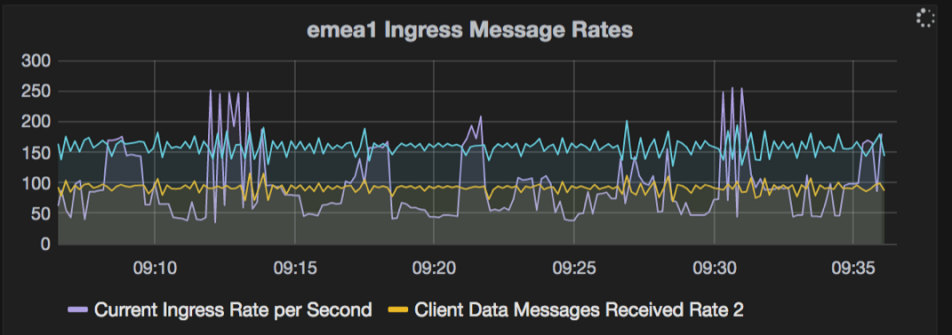
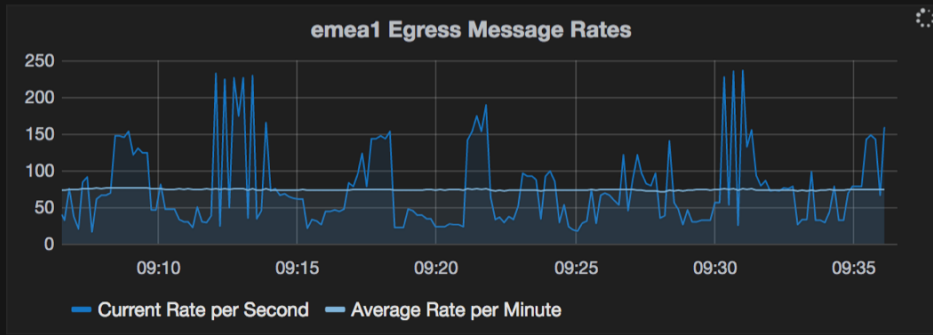
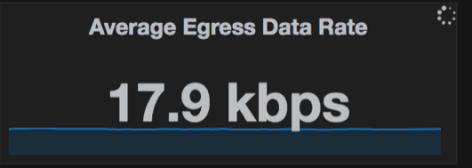
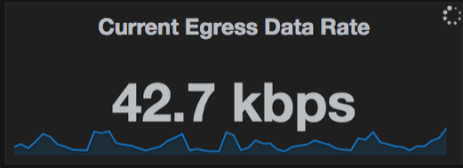
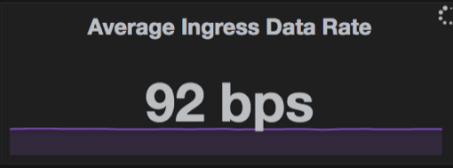
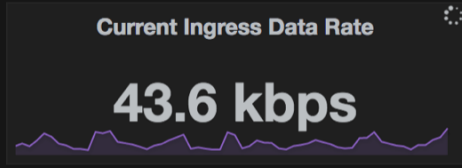
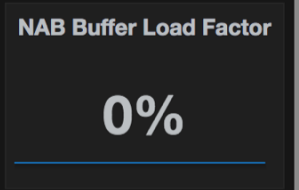
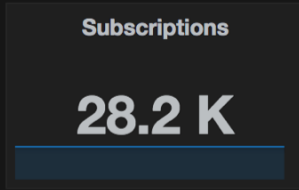
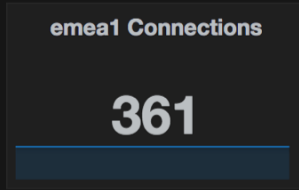


**V 3**

# Pub/Sub Monitoring over Pub/Sub!



Time Reso: auto





# Use Case 3

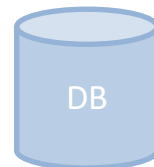
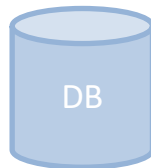
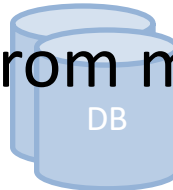
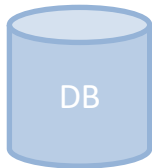
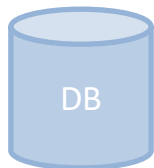
Replay

# Case 3: Replay/Event-streaming



Dealing with shared state

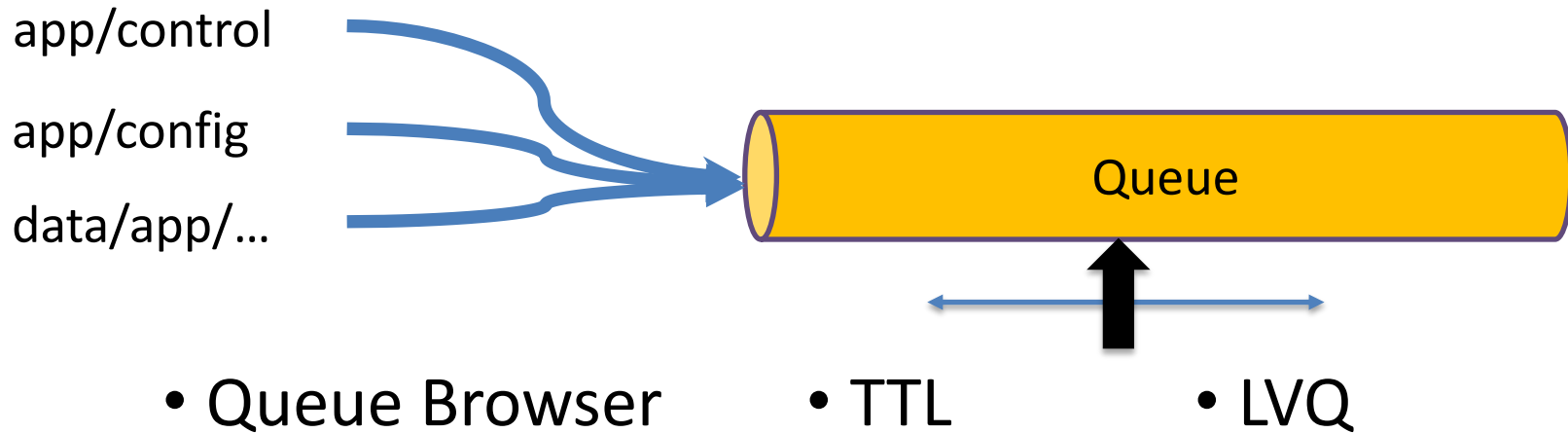
- Ployglot persistence?
- Replay “state of the world” from message stream



# Replay – queues that can subscribe



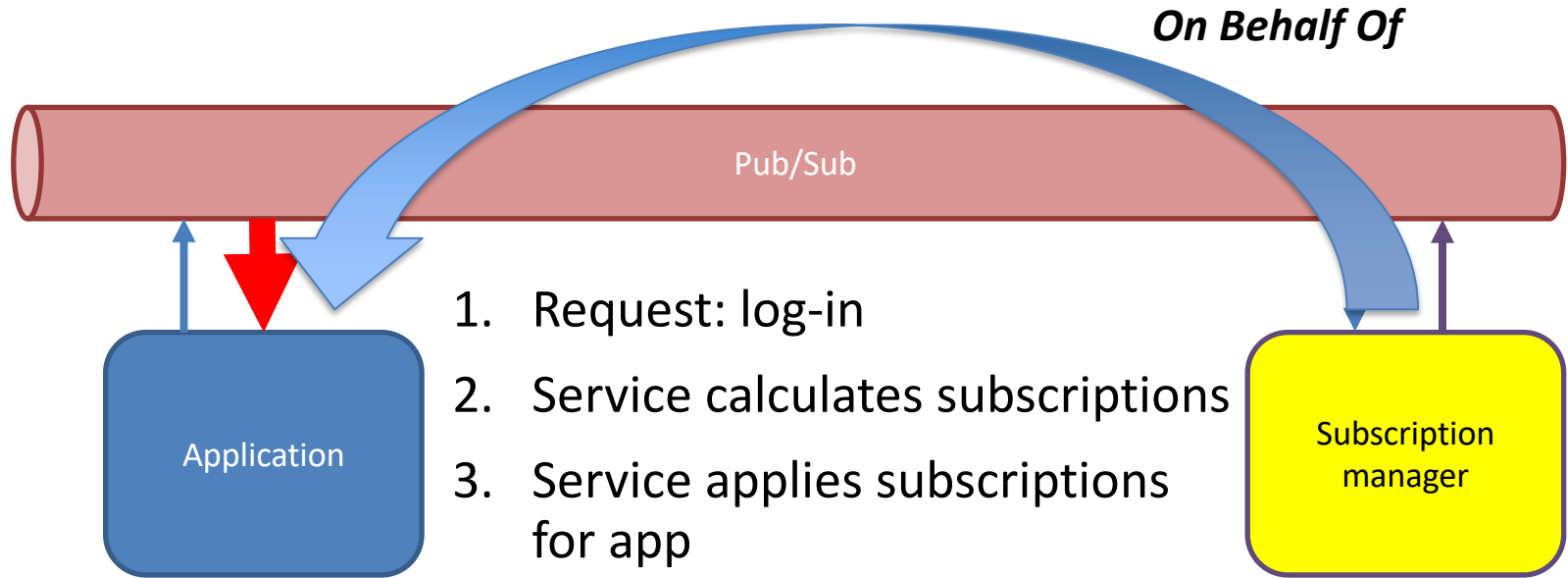
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# Use Case 4

Authorisation

# Case 4: Authorisation

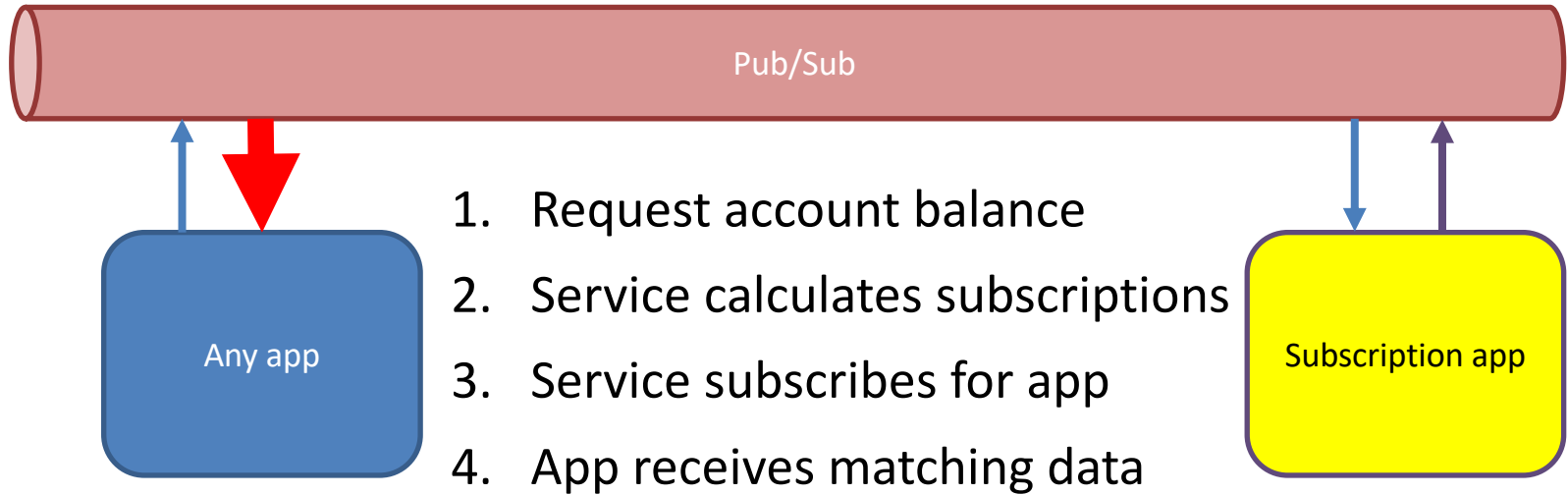


1. Request: log-in
2. Service calculates subscriptions
3. Service applies subscriptions for app
4. Reply with OK
5. App receives matching data

# On Behalf Of

- Client has no awareness of topics/services
  - No chance to guess other services
  - No work/exposure at client
- Fully pluggable architecture

# Authorisation



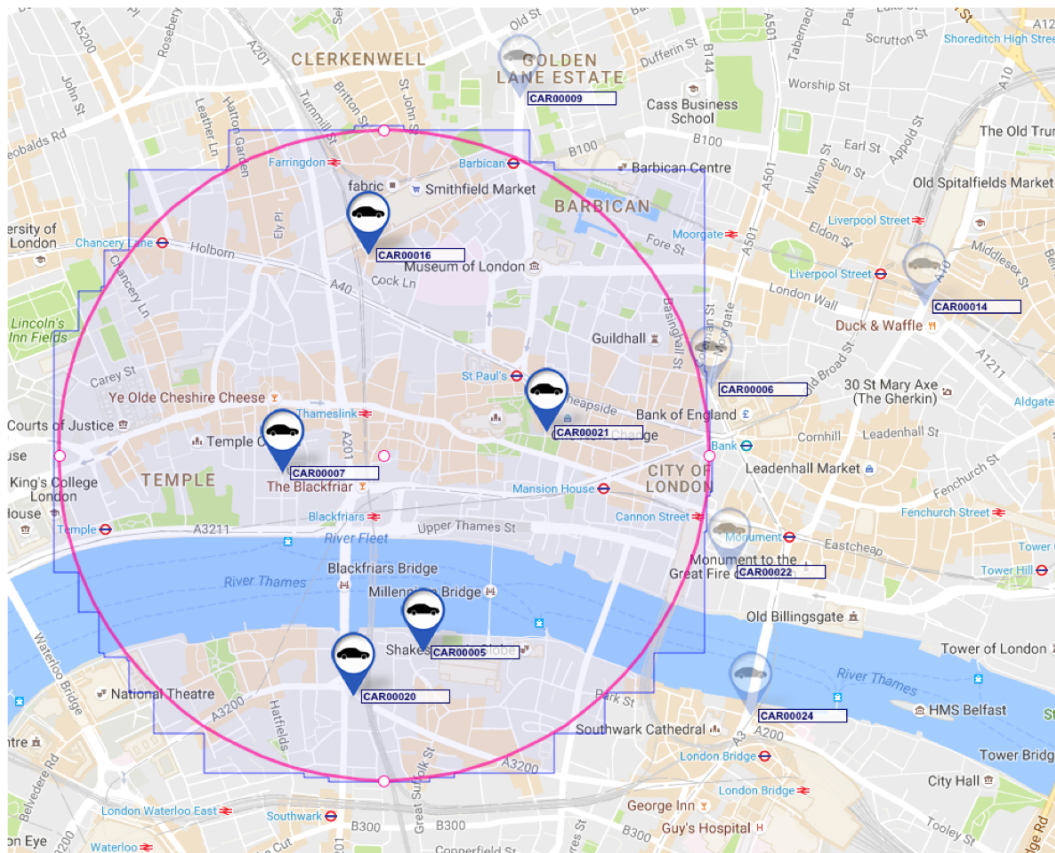
# Use Case 5

Find the nearest...

Geo-location using topics



# Case 2: Find The Nearest... In Real Time



Source: ICOMP 2016, A.L. Lee, Ranged Filtering of Streaming Numeric Data... using Topic-Based Pub/Sub Messaging

# Geo-filtering topic

Publish to topic with location:

```
<app>/<type>/<lat>/<long>/<vehicle>/<id>  
geo/sim/51.520150/-00.097330/CAR/00021
```

Where is CAR00021?

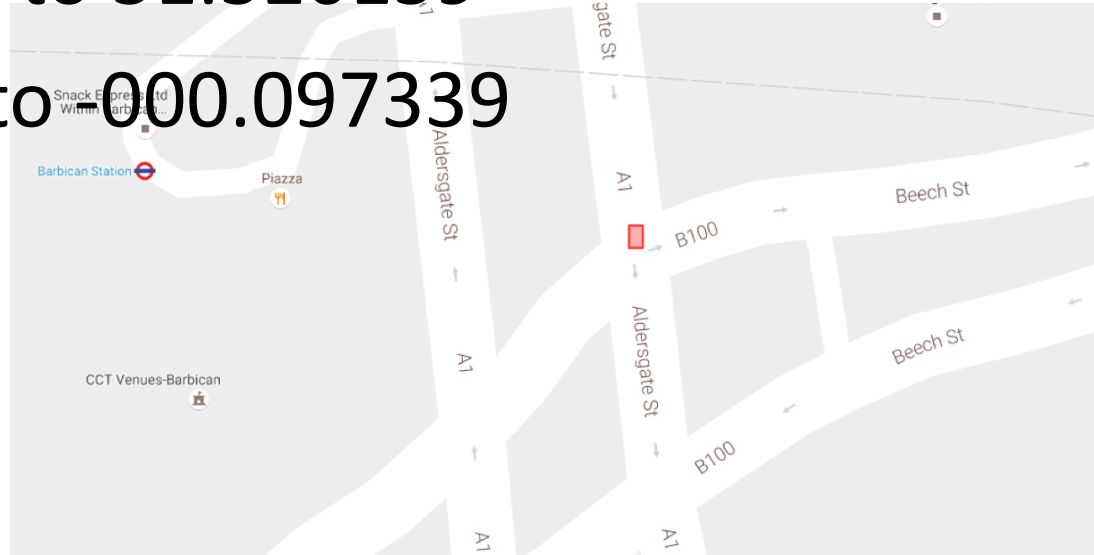
```
subscribe("geo/sim/*/*/*CAR/00021");
```

# Geo-filtering location

```
subscribe ("geo/sim/51.52015*/-00.09733*/>");
```

Match: lat 51.520150 to 51.520159

long -000.097330 to -000.097339

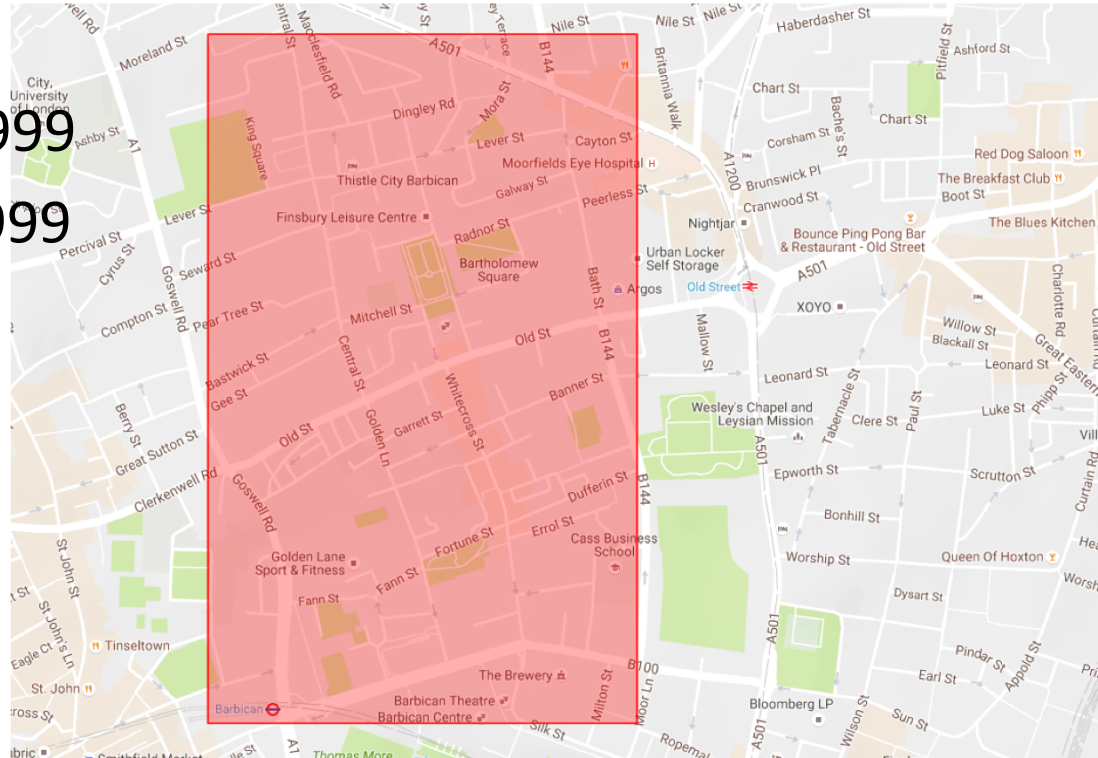


# Geo-filtering location

```
subscribe ("geo/sim/51.52*/-00.09*/>");
```

Match: lat 51.520 to 51.529999

long -0.090 to -0.099999



# Geo-filtering location

```
subscribe ("geo/sim/51.52*/-00.09*/>",
```

```
"geo/sim/51.516*/-00.092*/>",
```

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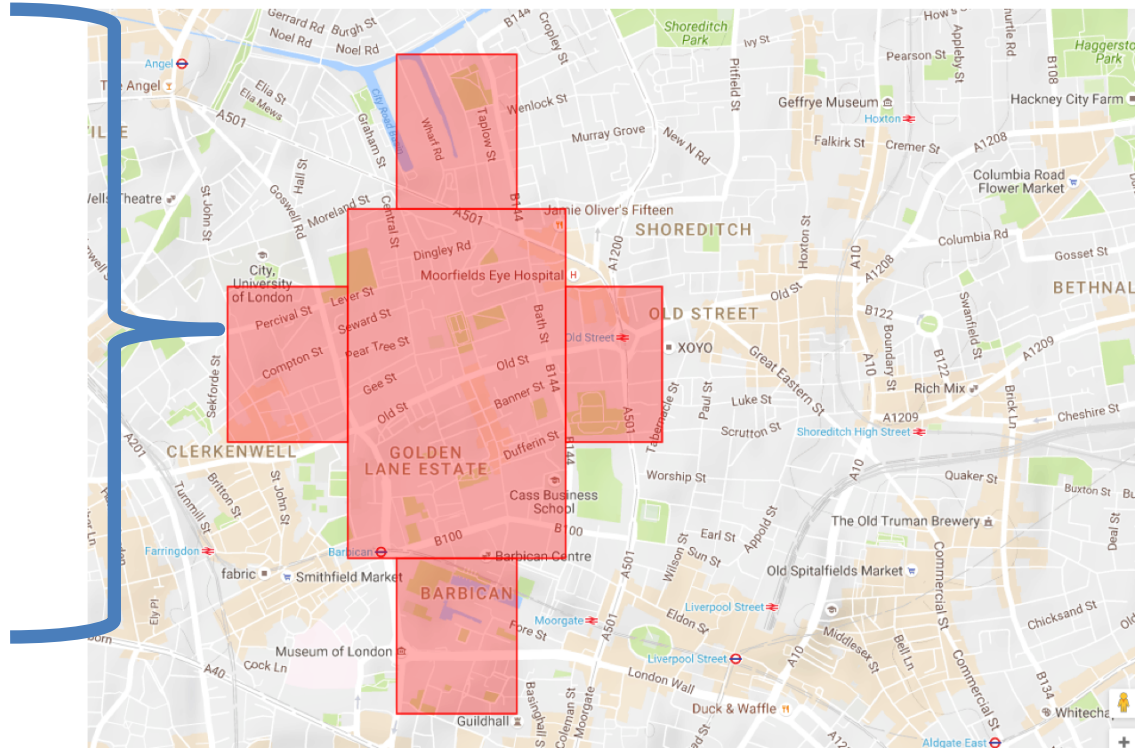
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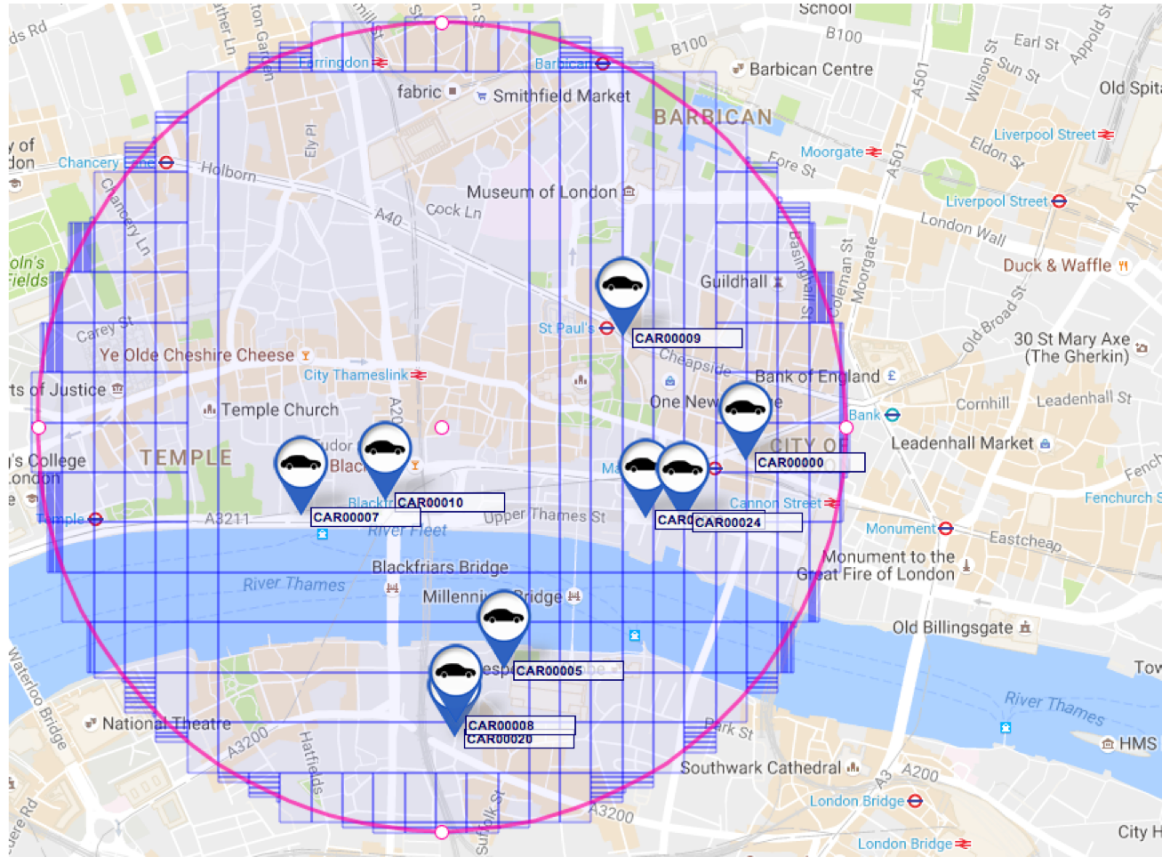
```
// repeat for 51.518 and .519
```

```
);
```



# Geo-filtering location

- Create any polygon
  - Accuracy at metre level
  - Circles, arcs...
- Subscriptions generated *once*
- Matches then stream in with no extra computation



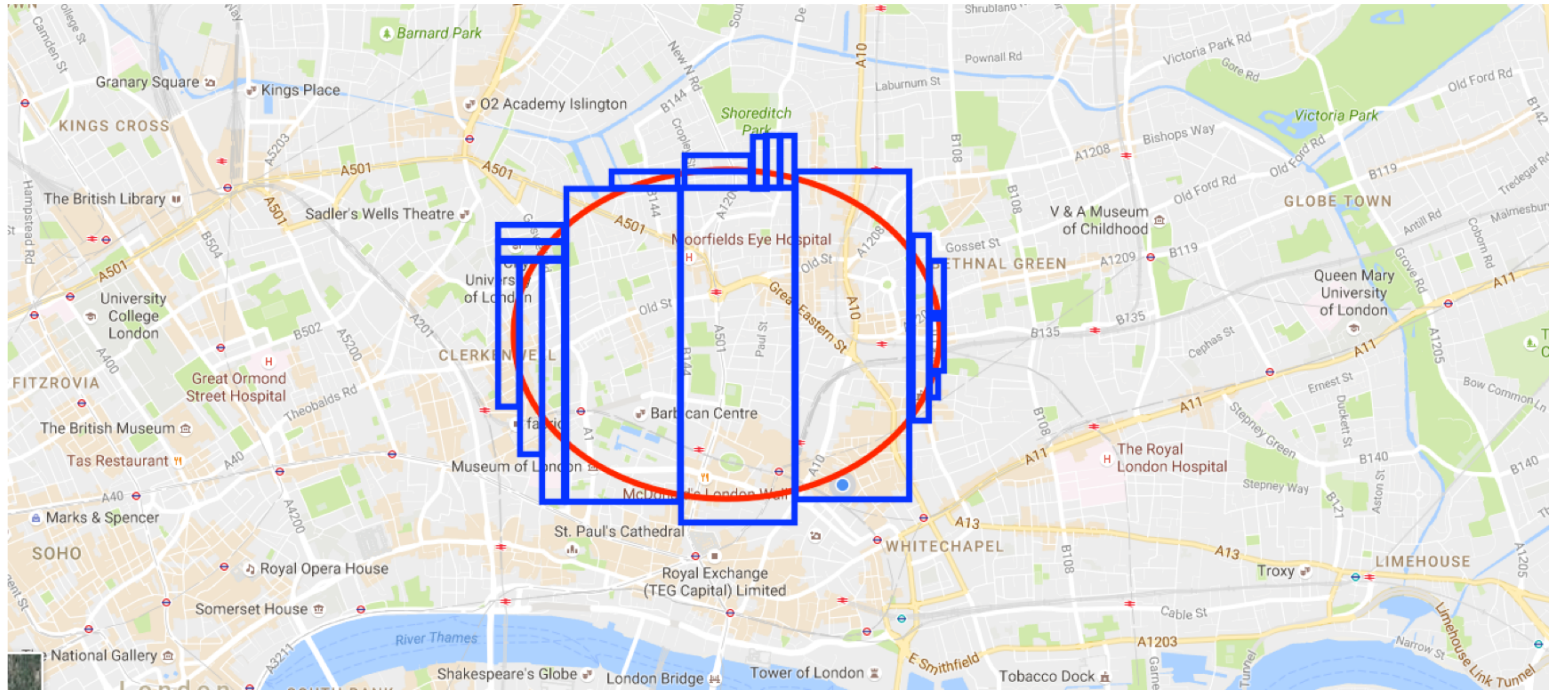
# Geo-filtering location algorithm

- Divide space into rectangles aligned to subscriptions
- Throw away rectangles with no match



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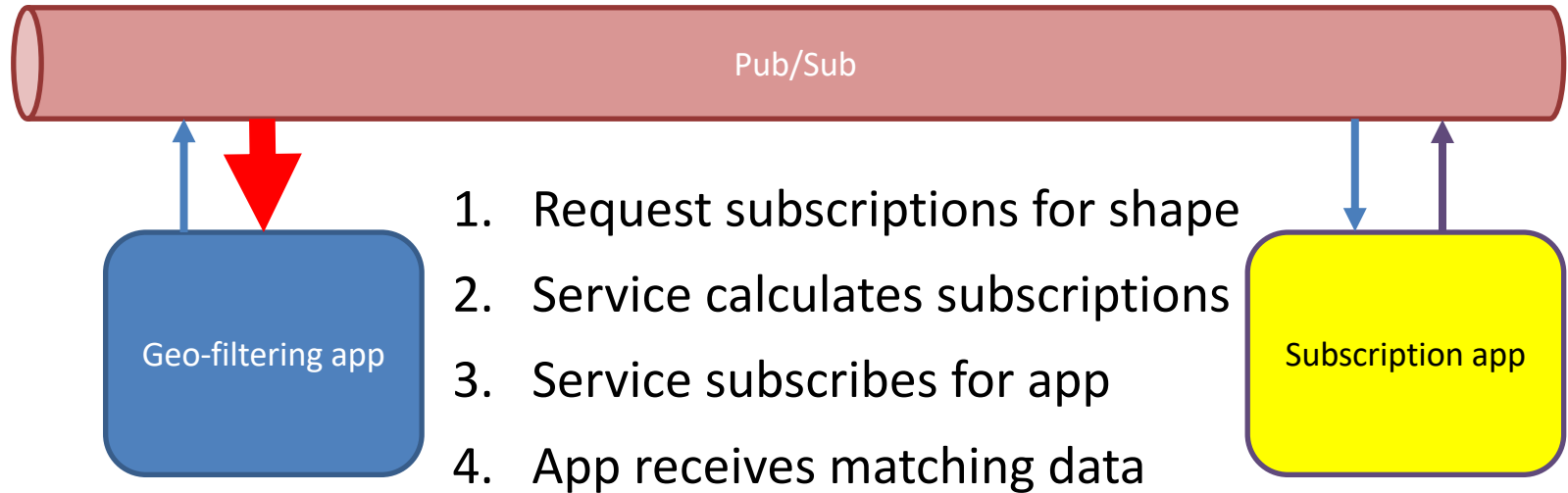
- Repeat: divide remaining rectangles by 10
- Throw away rectangles with no match





# Geo-filtering location algorithm deployment

- Library?

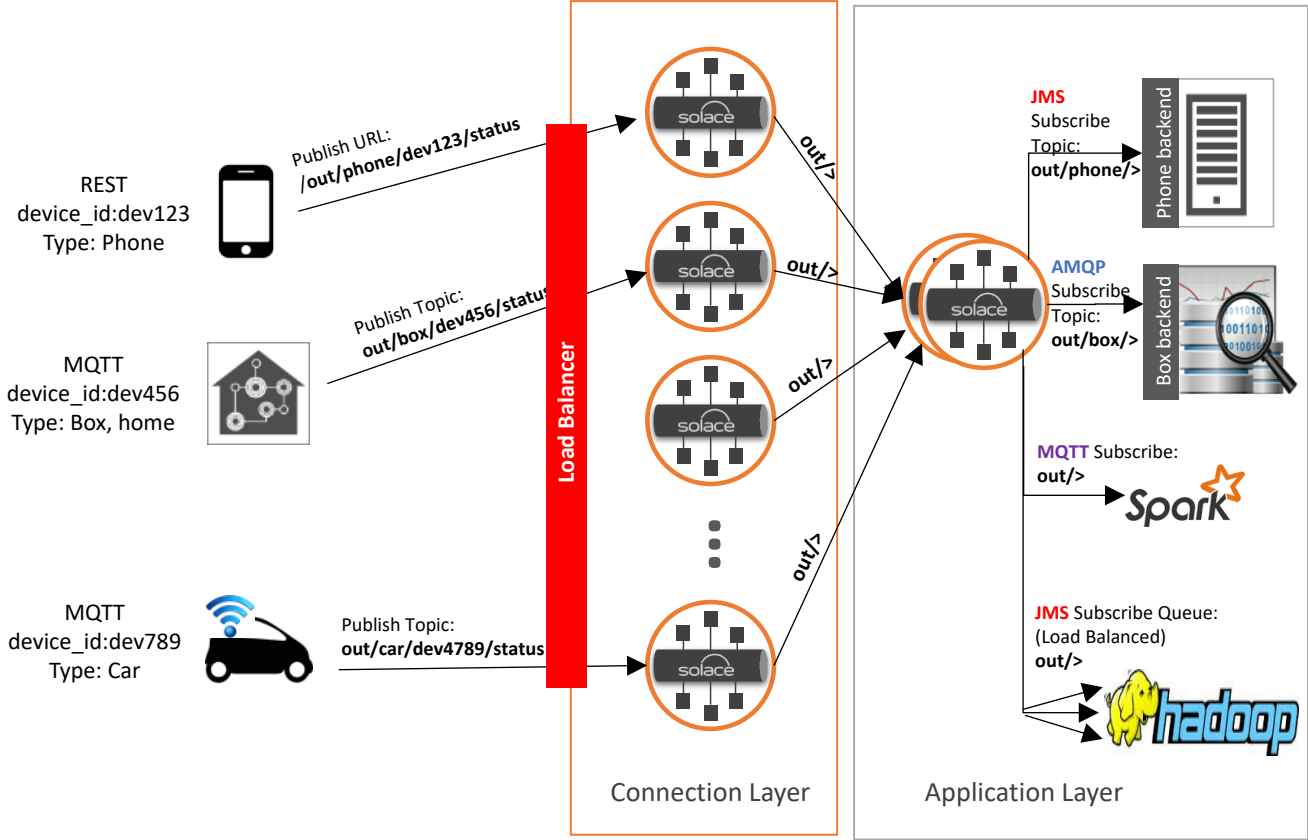


# Use Case 6

Addressing millions of things...

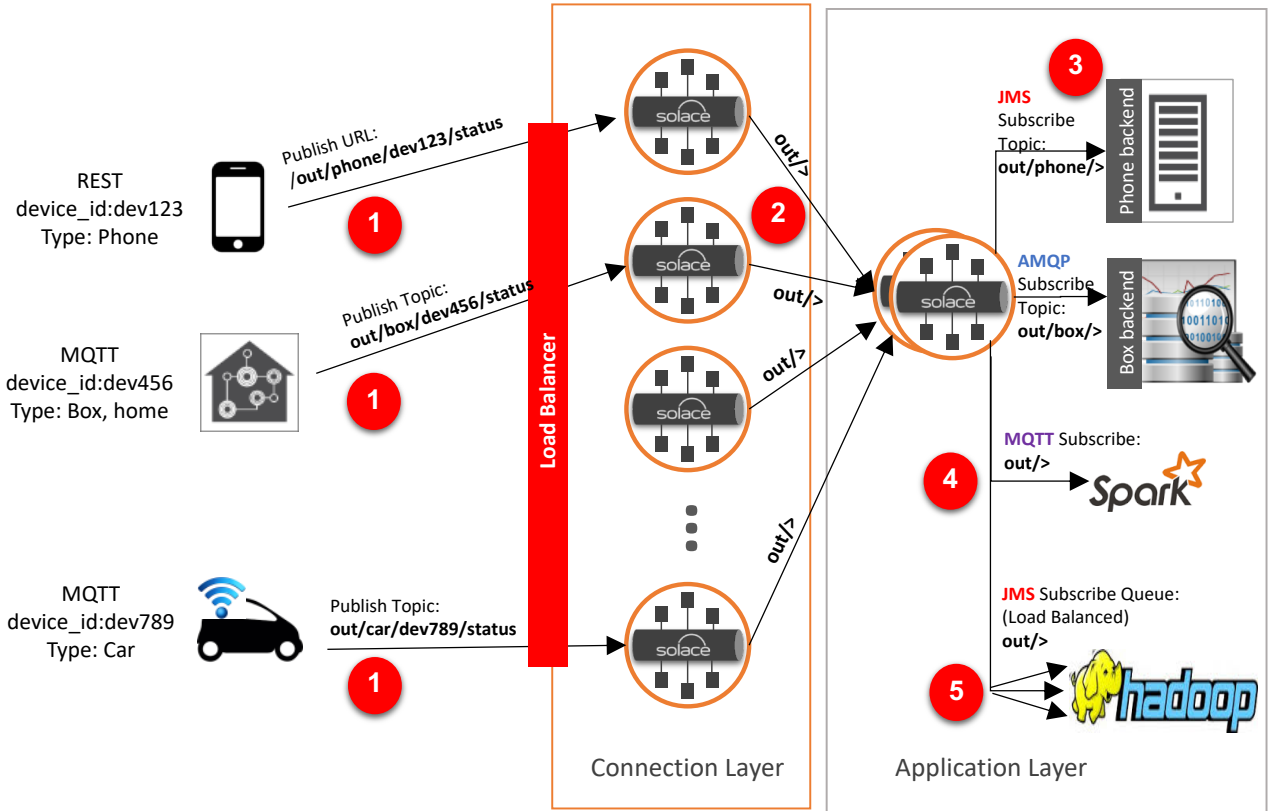
IOT at scale using topics

# IOT Edge to Core connectivity



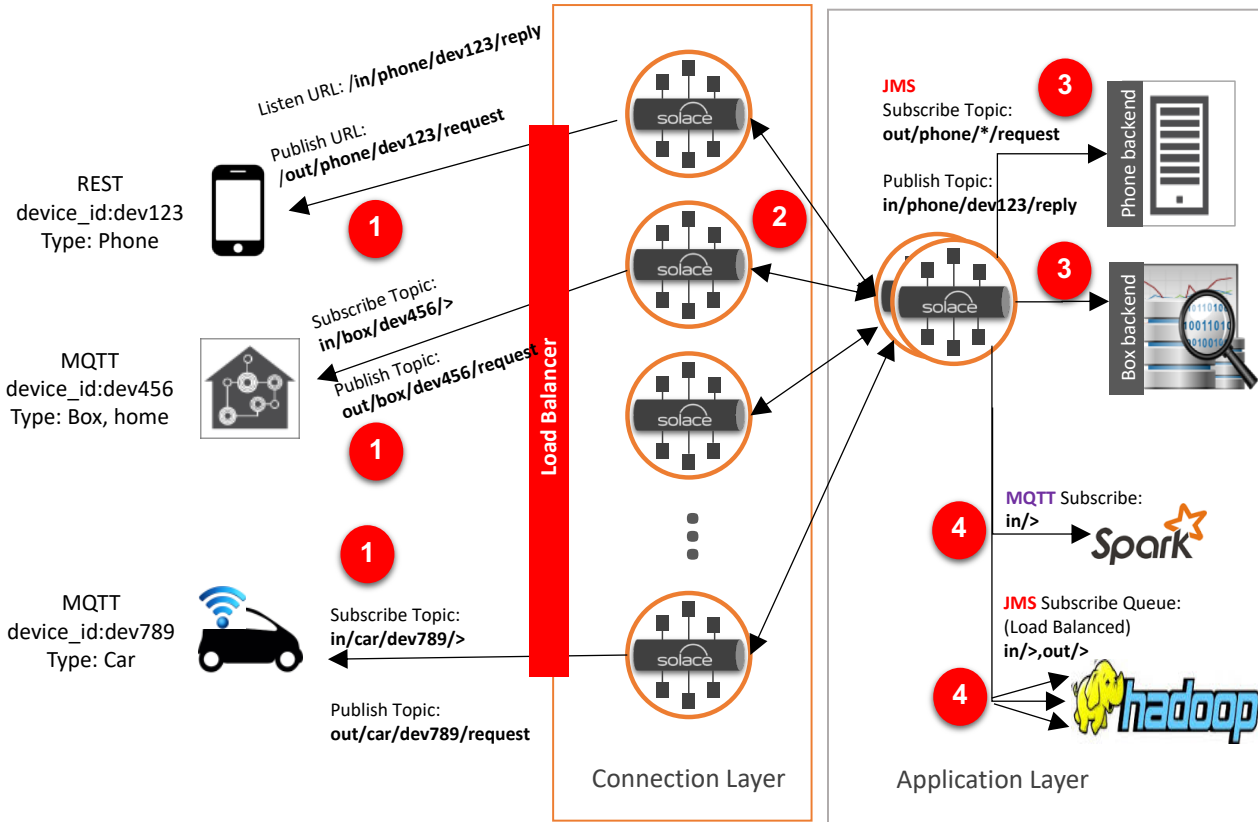
- For IoT at scale, a 2 tier architecture is applied
- The connection layer terminates device connections and is “wide and shallow”
- The core application layer aggregates and queues data and is “narrow and deep”, and communicates with business logic and analytics applications

# MEP: Device to Cloud, In Only



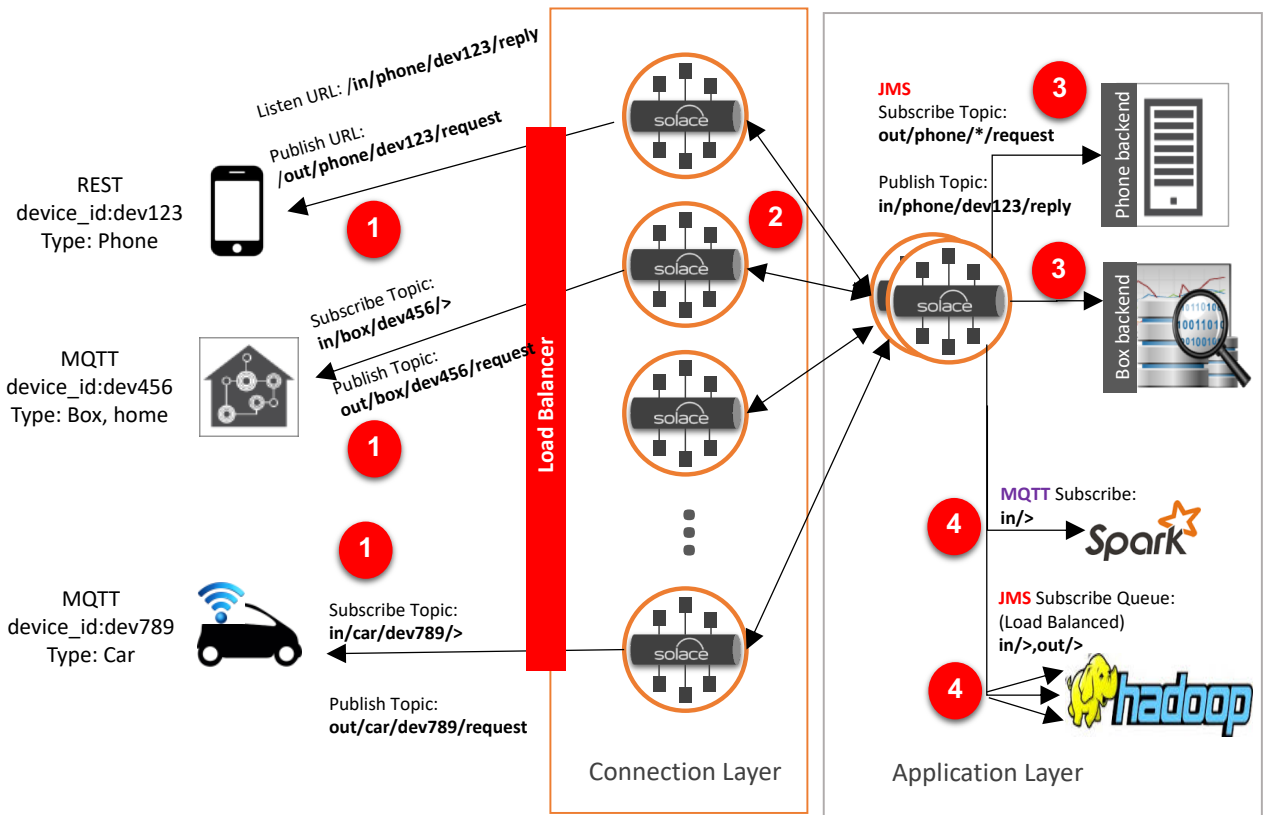
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- 2 The connection layer message broker is bridged to the application layer broker
  - "out/>" or any other relevant topics are mapped to bridges for the data to flow from connection tier to application tier. Any other verbs/with more levels, wildcards, static subscriptions can be used for more sophisticated routing/filtering
- 3 The Core Application message brokers deliver messages to backend systems based on their subscriptions (note the phone and box wildcards).
- 4
- 5

# MEP: Device to Cloud request reply



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