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Integration Layer

A Linked Data Infrastructure for Sustainable Data Services

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The Rijksmuseum

National museum of the Netherlands

Collection

- ~ 1.000.000 objects
- ~ 450.000 books
- ~ 800 meters of documentation
- ~ 17 terabytes of research data

Research Services responsible for all data about collection and organisation



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Collection Data Architecture

Design by consultancy company

Integration Layer to address

- Siloed data
- Make-do connections

Durable design decisions



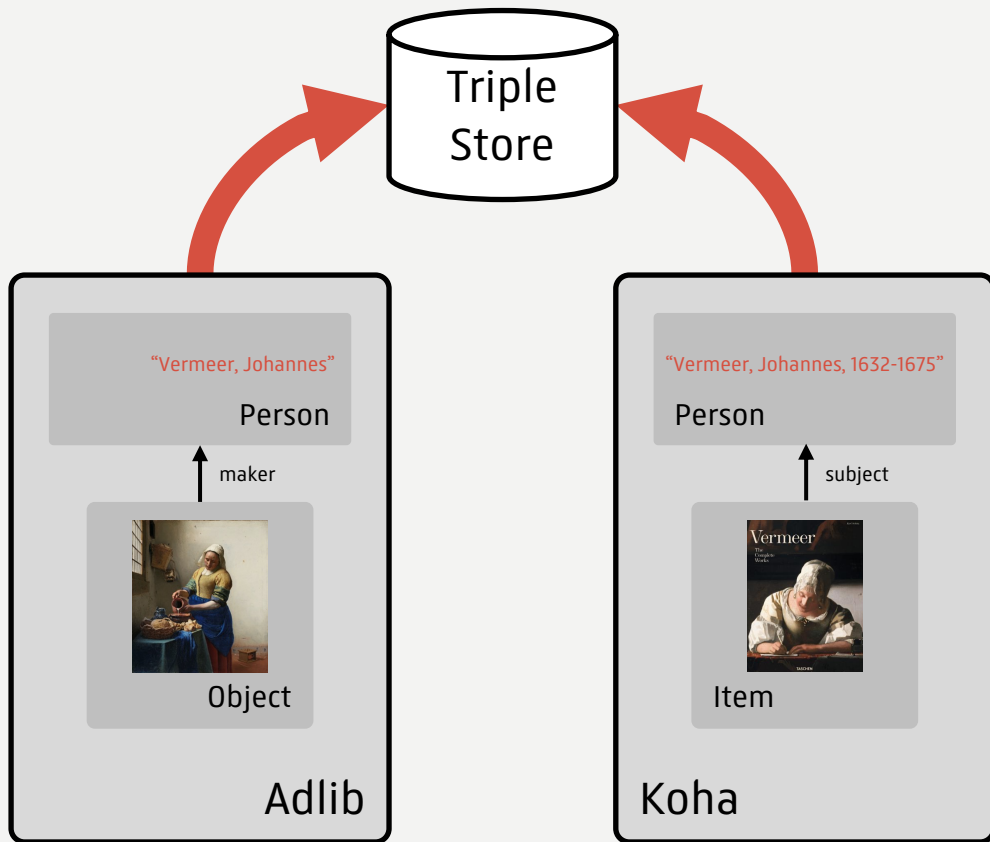
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Linked Data

Institutional multi-domain integration

Domain-specific data models

Source systems remain authoritative



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Persistent Identifiers

PIDs stored in source systems

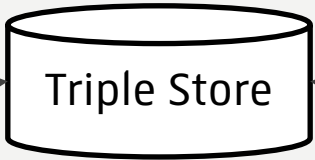
URI strategy

`https://{type}.rijksmuseum.nl/{hidden semantics}{reference}`

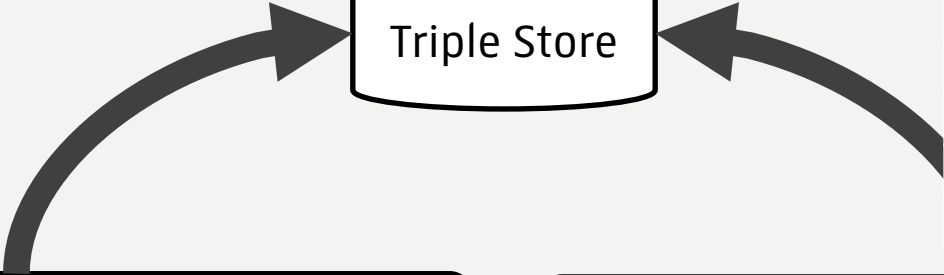
PID Vermeer in Library domain

`https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/310117784`

| Domain | Concept | Integer |
|-------------|---------|---------|
| rijksmuseum | actor | 110 |
| collection | object | 200 |
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<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2102529>

label ↓

“Vermeer, Johannes”

Person

↑ maker

<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2006417>



Object

Adlib

<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/31011784>

label ↓

“Vermeer, Johannes, 1632-1675”

Person

↑ subject

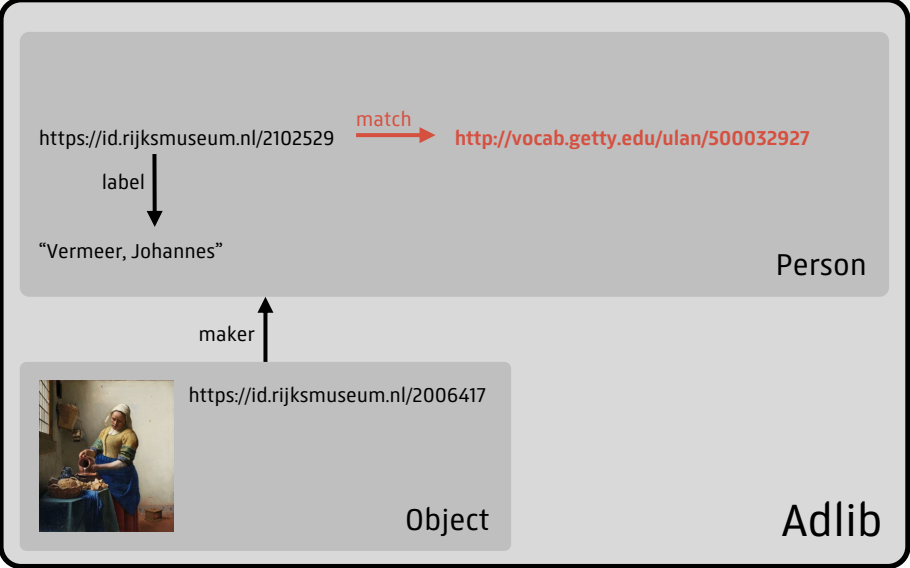
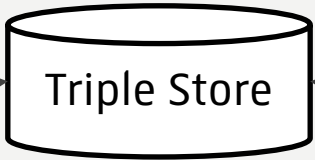
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Item

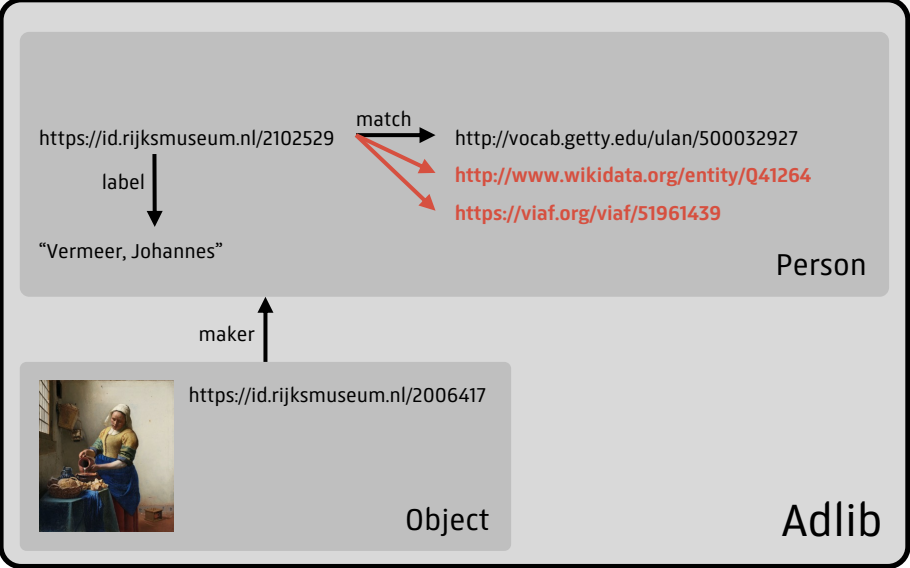
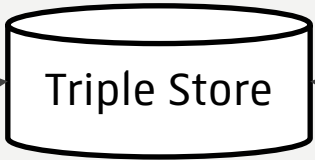
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Match with external sources

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Automatically extend matches

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Reconciliation Daemon
Two identifiers concern same resource:
<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/31011784>
<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2102529>

Triple Store

Reconciliation Daemon

<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2102529>
label ↓
"Vermeer, Johannes"
Person

match →
<http://vocab.getty.edu/ulan/500032927>
<http://www.wikidata.org/entity/Q41264>
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<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2006417>
Object

maker ↑

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Reconcile based on alignments

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Mint new institutional pid:
<https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/1101>

Save to source system.

Triple Store

Reconciliation Daemon

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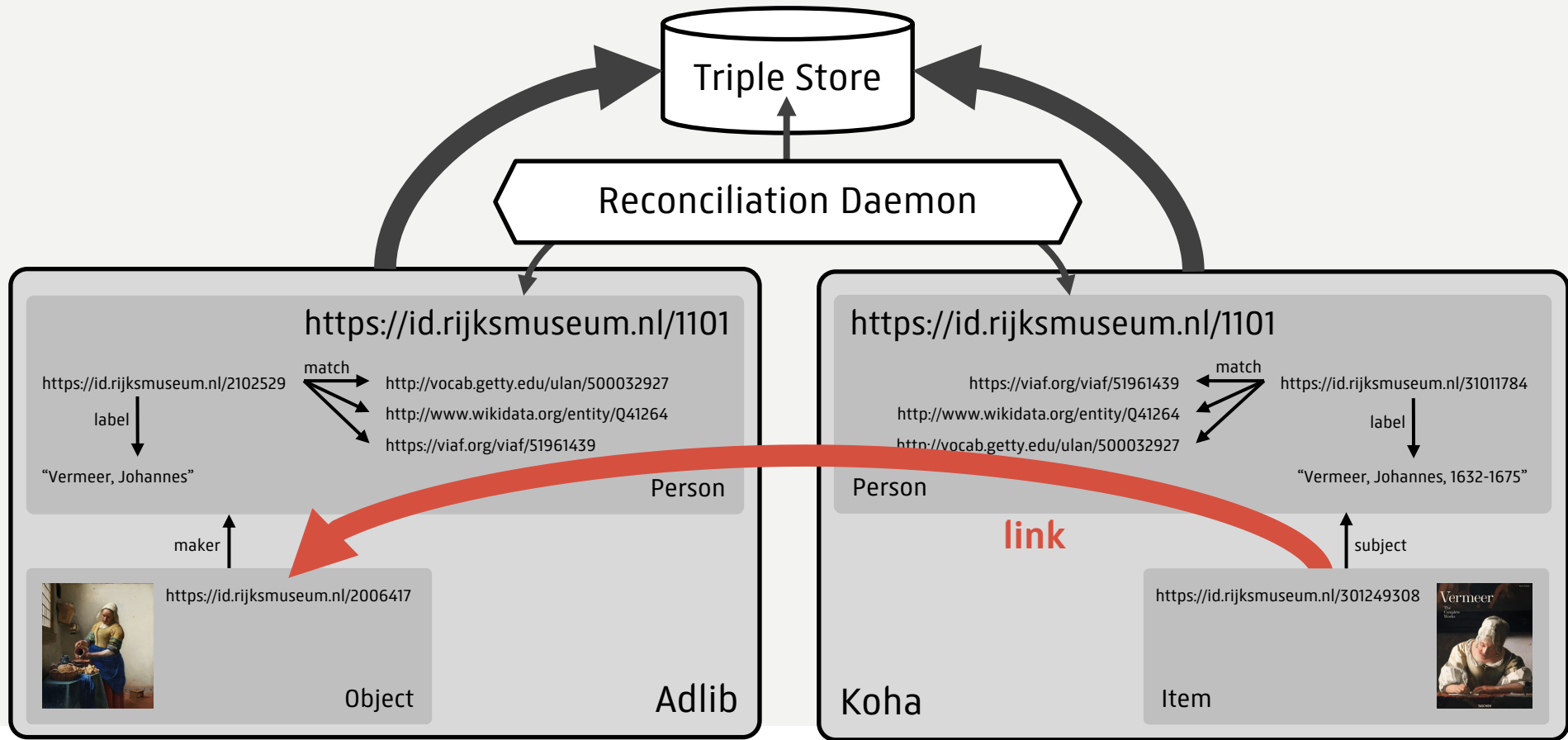
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Save institutional identifier to source systems

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Create direct links between objects

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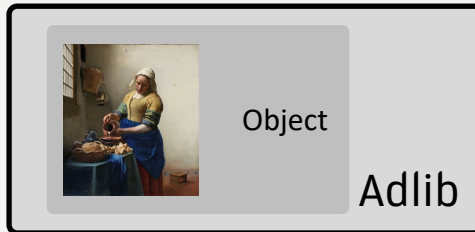
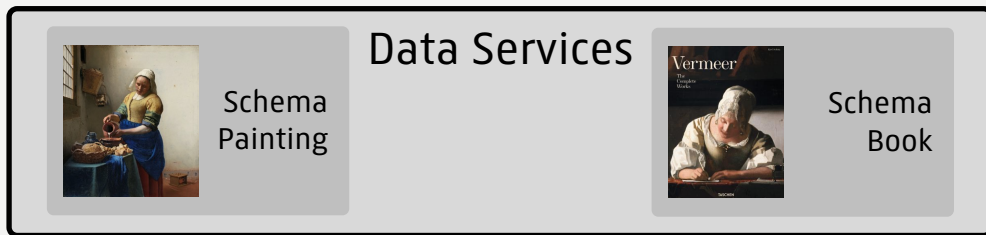
Data models

Domain models in Triple Store

- collection: CIDOC Conceptual Reference Model
- archive: Records in Context
- library: RDA/RDF

Multiple target models for Data Services

- Schema.org
- Dublin Core
- Europeana Data Model
- Linked Art



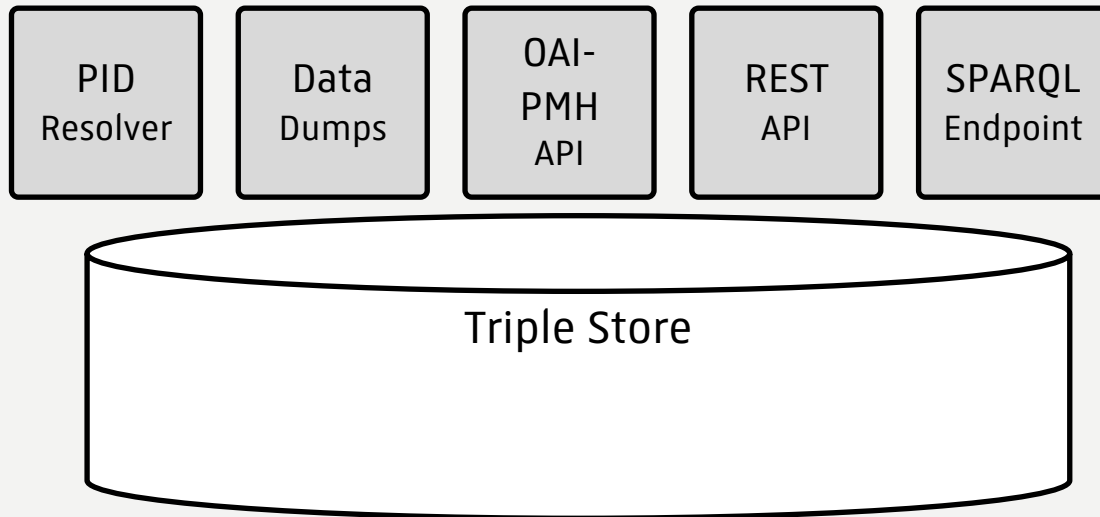
Data Services

Range of services, different

- query expressivity to define subsets
- richness results

Essential initial user:
website developers

Microservices architecture




Implementing an Integration Layer

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 What did we want?

 What did we build?

 What did we learn?

```
graph BT; ID[Integrated Data] --> DS[Data Services];
```

Data Services

Integrated Data



Schema.org

Dublin Core

Linked Art

EDM

Integrated Data

CIDOC-CRM

RDA

RiC



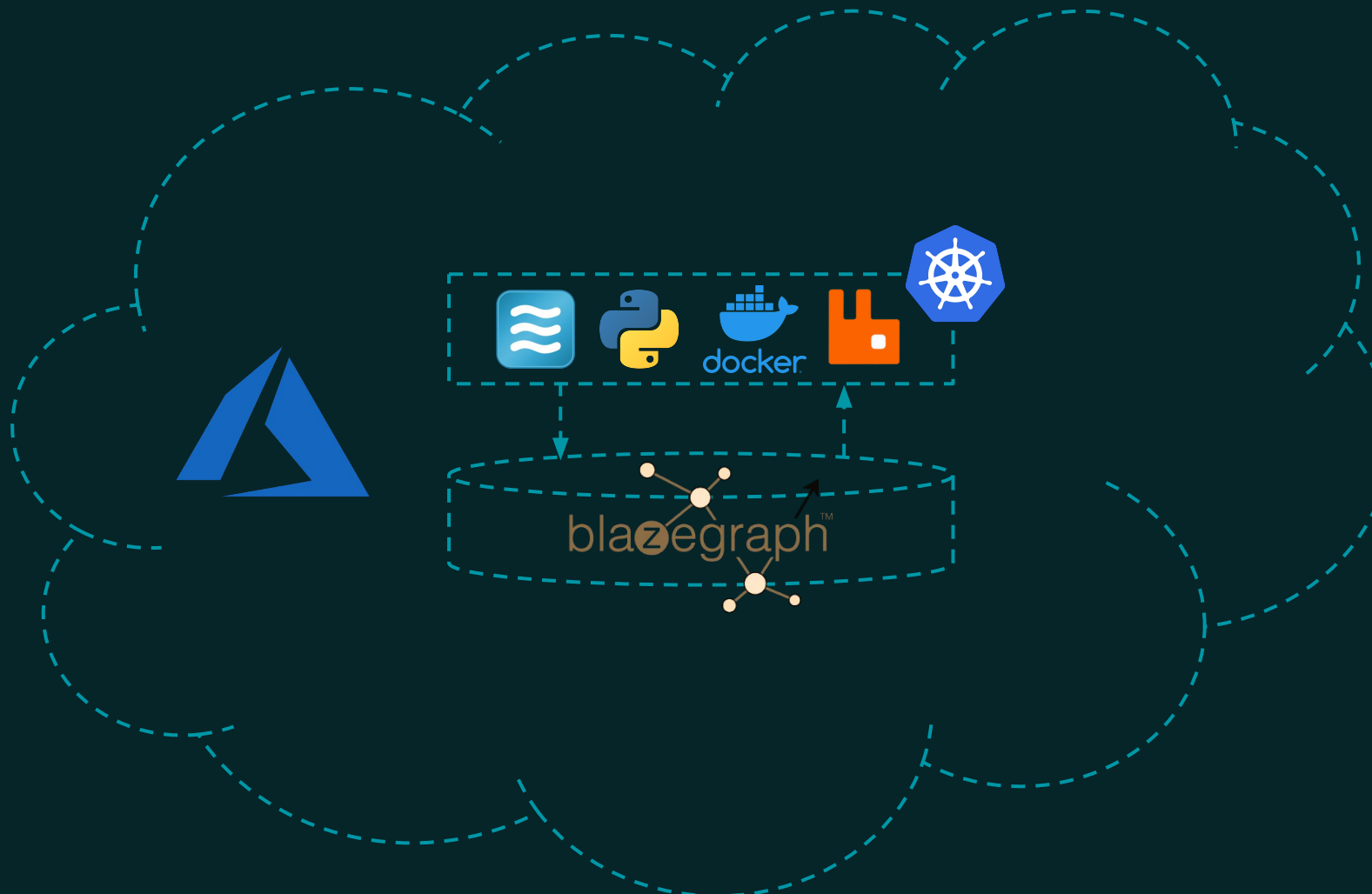
What did we build?

The diagram features a large, light blue dashed cloud shape. Inside the cloud, there are two main components: a rectangular box at the top labeled "Microservices" and a rounded rectangular box at the bottom labeled "Triple Store". Both boxes have a dashed light blue border. Two vertical arrows connect them: one pointing from the "Microservices" box down to the "Triple Store" box, and another pointing from the "Triple Store" box up to the "Microservices" box, indicating a bidirectional relationship.

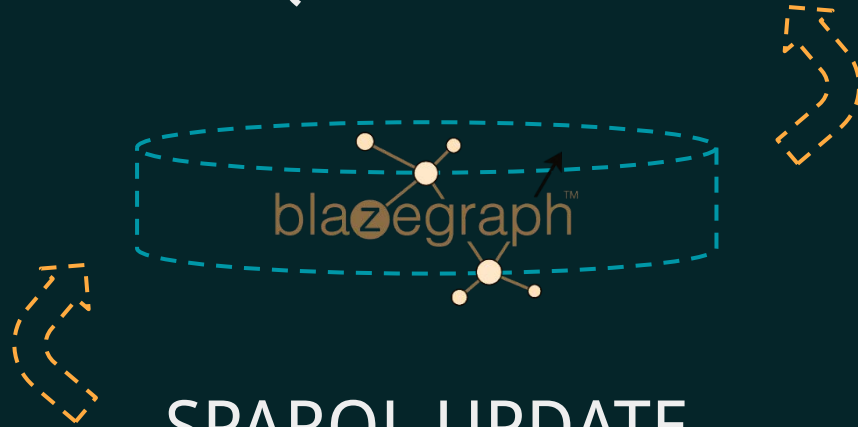
Microservices

Triple Store





SPARQL CONSTRUCT



SPARQL UPDATE



\$ component



```
$ pip install component
```



```
$ component --help
```

```
$ component --version
```



Activity Streams



\$ component



Activity Streams



```
$ echo '{"type": "Update"}' | component -  
{  
  "type": "Create"  
}
```



```
$ component /path/to/message.json
{
  "type": "Update"
}
```

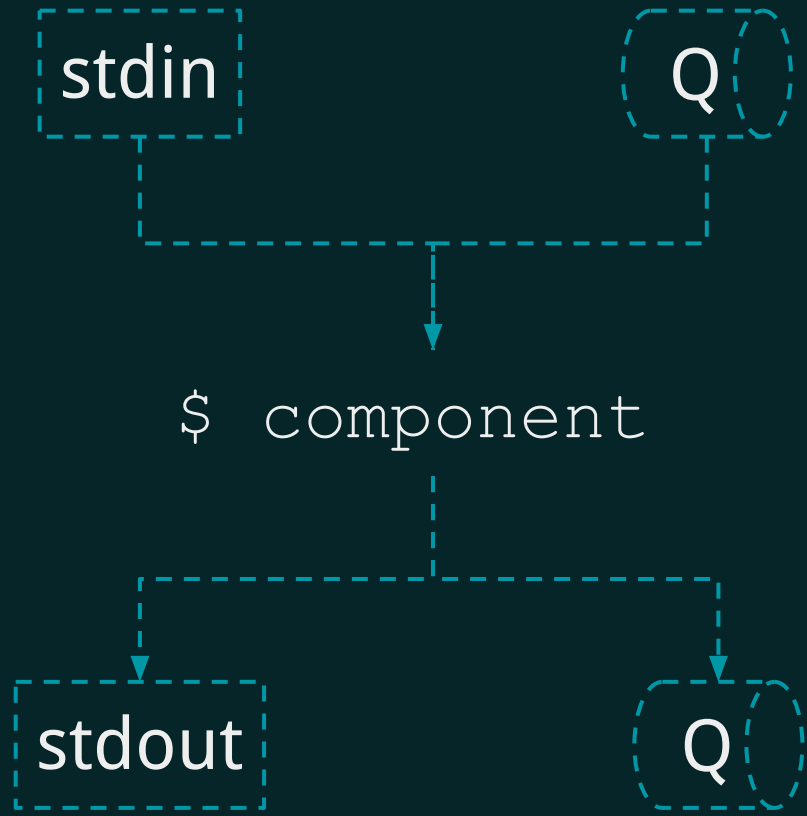


```
$ component *.json
{
  "type": "Update"
}
{
  "type": "Delete"
}
```



```
$ component-a *.json | component-b -  
{  
  "type": "Create"  
}
```





stdin



```
$ component /path/to/message.json \  
  --publish amqp://<host>
```



Q



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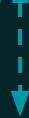


```
$ component --subscribe amqp://<host>  
{  
  "type": "Announce"  
}
```



stdout





```
$ component --subscribe amqp://<host> \  
--publish amqp://<host>
```



Inherit from the `Component` base class to create a new Integration Layer application.

```
from argparse import ArgumentParser
from component_framework import (
    ActivityStreamMessage,
    Component,
    Configuration,
    MessageStatus
)

class Application(Component):

    def on_configure(self, config: Configuration) -> None:
        ...

    def on_setup_arguments(self, parser: ArgumentParser) -> None:
        ...

    def on_start(self) -> None:
        ...

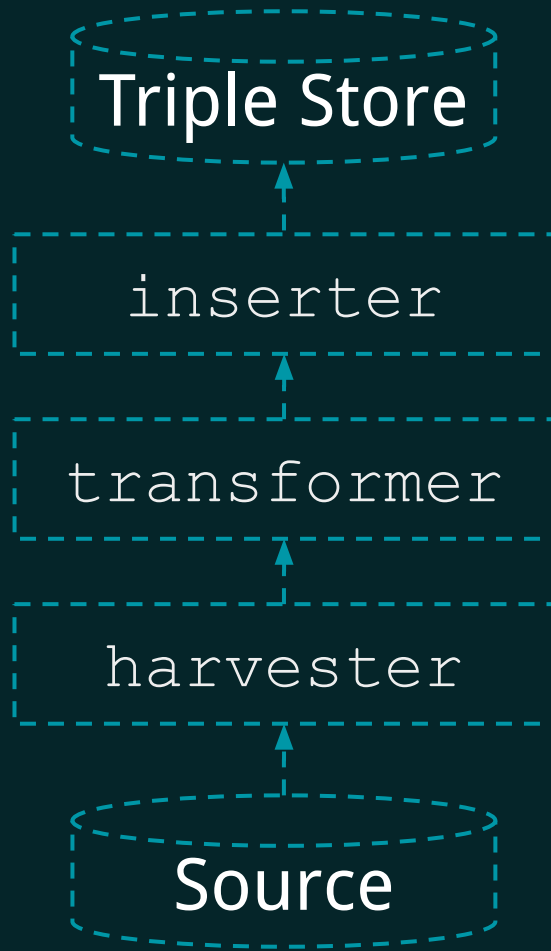
    def on_receive_message(self, message: ActivityStreamMessage) -> MessageStatus:
        ...

    def on_stop(self) -> None:
        ...

if __name__ == '__main__':
    app = Application()
    app.run()
```

Demos





transformer

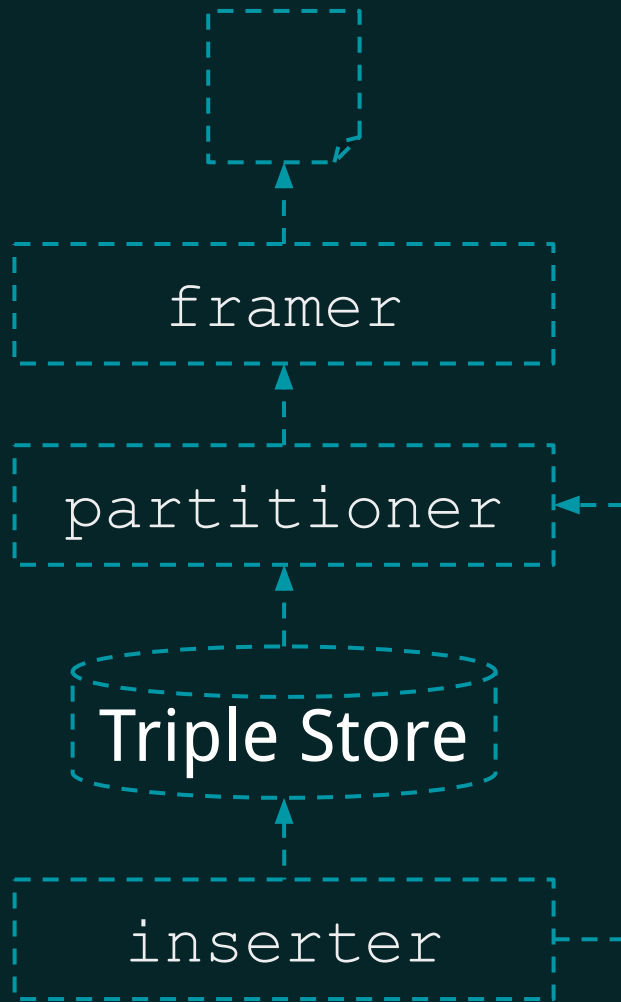


```
from xml_transformations.adlib.cidoc_crm import HumanMadeObject

record = '''
<record>
  <PersistentIdentifier>https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2005216</PersistentIdentifier>
  <title>
    <title.gb>Officers and other civic guardsmen of District II in Amsterdam, under the command
  </title>
</record>
'''

template = HumanMadeObject()
graph = template.transform(record)
print(graph)
```

```
<rdf:RDF xmlns:rdf="http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#" xmlns:crm="http://www.cidoc-crm.org/2003/05/2003-05-20-crm/">
  <rdf:Description rdf:about="https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2005216">
    <crm:P1_is_identified_by>
      <crm:E33_E41_Linguistic_Appellation>
        <crm:P190_has_symbolic_content>Officers and other civic guardsmen of District II in Amsterdam, under the command
        <crm:P72_has_language rdf:resource="http://vocab.getty.edu/aat/300388277"/>
      </crm:E33_E41_Linguistic_Appellation>
    </crm:P1_is_identified_by>
  </rdf:Description>
</rdf:RDF>
```





16 lines (14 sloc) | 343 Bytes

```
1 PREFIX crm: <http://www.cidoc-crm.org/cidoc-crm/>
2 PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
3 PREFIX rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#>
4
5 CONSTRUCT
6 {
7     ?PhysicalObject dc:publisher "Rijksmuseum" .
8 }
9 WHERE
10 {
11     BIND ( ?Subject as ?PhysicalObject )
12
13     {
14         ?PhysicalObject rdf:type crm:E22_Human-Made_Object .
15     }
16 }
```

17 lines (15 sloc) | 464 Bytes

```
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2 PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
3 PREFIX rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#>
4
5 CONSTRUCT
6 {
7     ?Subject dc:title ?Text .
8 }
9 WHERE
10 {
11     ?Subject crm:P1_is_identified_by ?Name .
12
13     ?Name rdf:type crm:E33_E41_Linguistic_Appellation ;
14         # Getty AAT: "preferred terms".
15         # crm:P2_has_type <http://vocab.getty.edu/aat/300404670> ;
16         crm:P190_has_symbolic_content ?Text .
17 }
```

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```
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2 PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
3 PREFIX rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#>
4
5 CONSTRUCT
6 {
7     ?Subject dc:identifier ?Handle .
8     ?Subject dc:identifier ?ObjectNumber .
9 }
10 WHERE
11 {
12
13     ?Subject crm:P1_is_identified_by ?Identifier .
14     ?Identifier rdf:type crm:E42_Identifier
15
16     {
17         ?Identifier crm:P190_has_symbolic_content ?Handle ;
18         # Getty AAT: "persistent identifiers".
19         crm:P2_has_type <http://vocab.getty.edu/aat/300387580> .
20     }
21 UNION
22 {
23     ?Identifier crm:P190_has_symbolic_content ?ObjectNumber ;
24     # Getty AAT: "accession numbers".
25     crm:P2_has_type <http://vocab.getty.edu/aat/300312355> .
26 }
27 }
```



```
from rdf_transformations import BaseComposition
from rdf_transformations.dublin_core.parts import Date, PhysicalObject, Identifier, Title
from sparql_constructor import TemplateContext

class Example(BaseComposition):

    def __init__(self, pid):
        with TemplateContext() as context:
            physical_object = context.create(PhysicalObject)
            physical_object.union(
                context.create(Date, source='PhysicalObject', target='?Subject'),
                context.create(Identifier, source='?PhysicalObject', target='?Subject'),
                context.create(Title, source='?PhysicalObject', target='?Subject')
            )
            physical_object.set_variable('?Subject', f'<{pid}>')

        super().__init__('Dublin Core', physical_object)

example = Example('https://id.rijksmuseum.nl/2005216')
print(example.sparql)
```

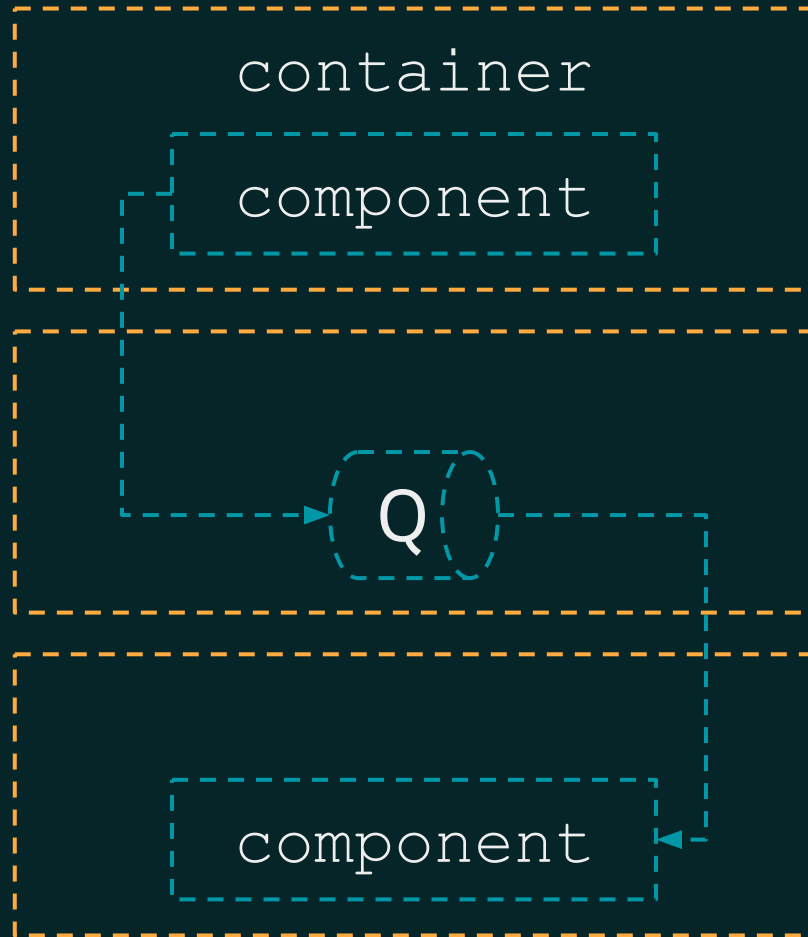
Scaling



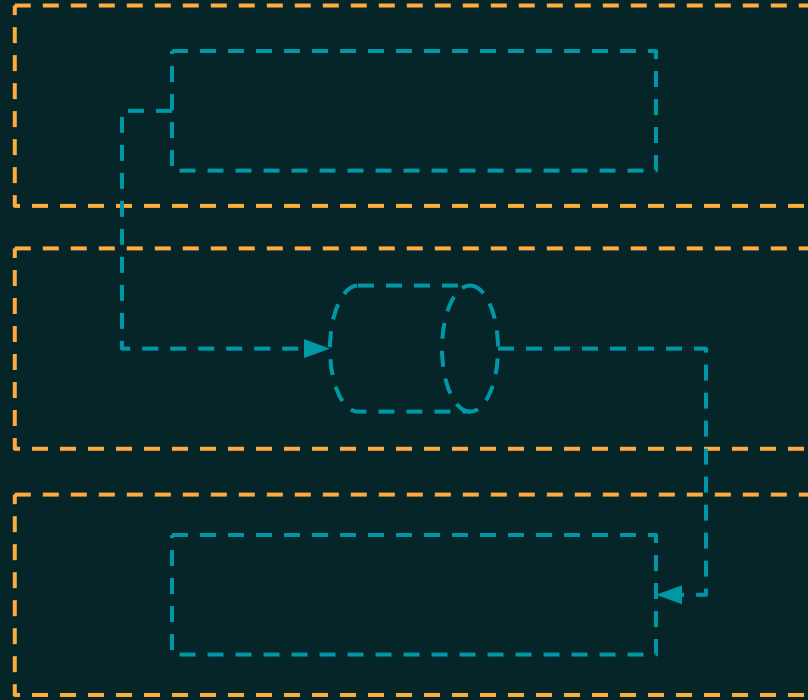
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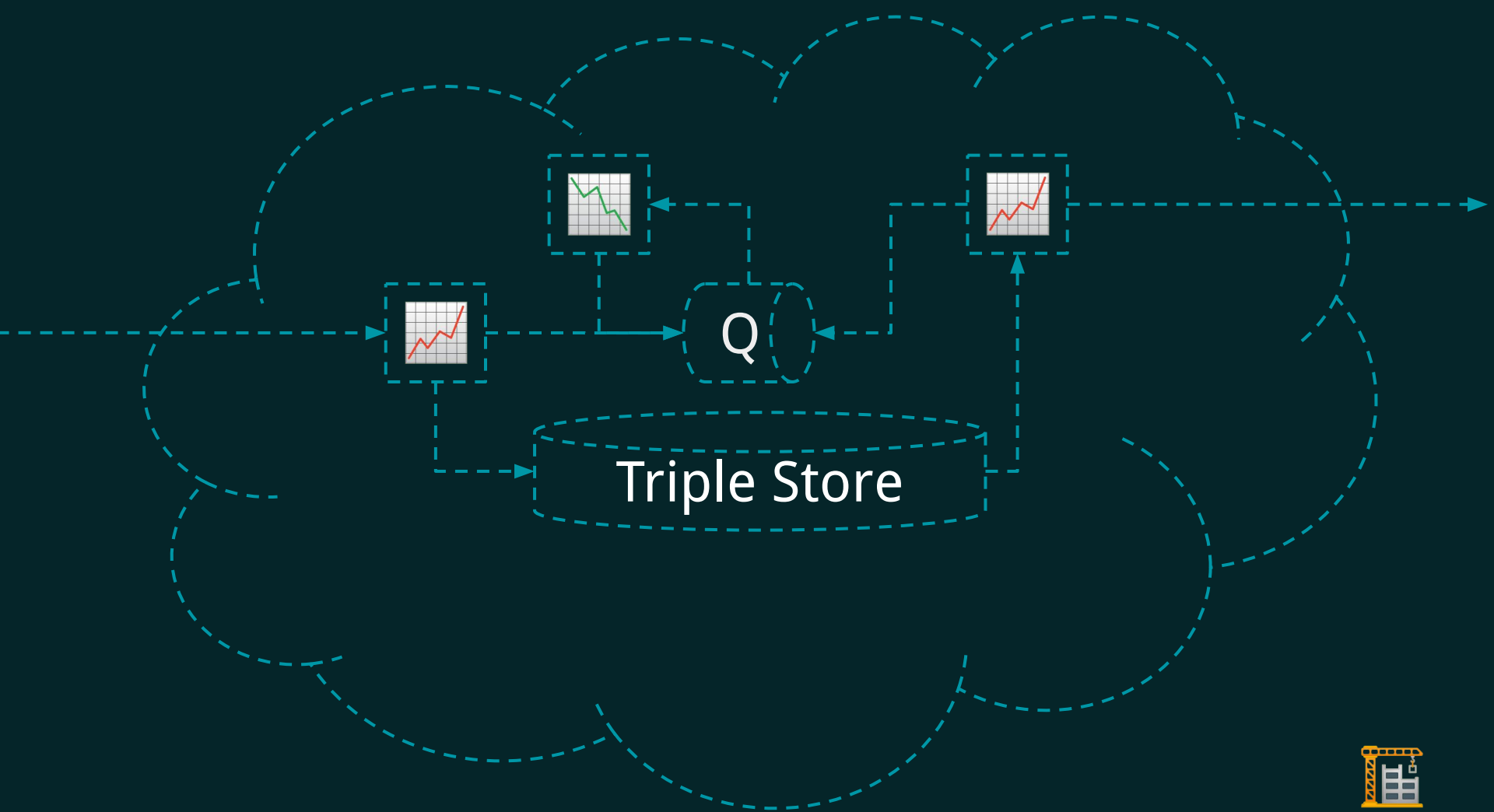
component






cluster





What did we learn?



 We love standards

 Tiny apps are great

 More models, more flexibility

 Optimise later



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