

Real-Time Streaming with Python ML Inference

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About Us

Hazelcast started in 2008 as a distributed cache

Today: main focus on real-time distributed stream processing

Our claim to fame is best-in-class latency

I co-authored the execution engine



Data Science: The Hype





Data Science: The Truth



Example: Salary Prediction Python, SciKit Learn, Random Forest



Training Data

```
"age": 25,
"workclass": "Self-emp",
"fnlwgt": 176756,
"education": "HS-grad",
"education-num": 9,
"marital-status": "Never-married",
"occupation": "Farming-fishing",
"relationship": "Own-child",
"capital-gain": 0,
"capital-loss": 0,
"hours-per-week": 35,
"native-country": "United-States"
"income": "<=50K" -- train ML to predict this!
```

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Sample Input and Output

```
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```

```
Output: {
  "probability": 0.85
  "income": "<=50K"
}</pre>
```



(Showing Project Directory)



We have a Web Service Doing ML!







Parallelism?





Load-Balancing?





Batching?



Effect of Batching on Throughput









Replace REST with Distributed Streaming



Hazelcast Pipeline Code

```
Pipeline p = Pipeline.create();
p.readFrom(Kafka.source())
.apply(mapUsingPython(new PythonServiceConfig()
        .setBaseDir("/Users/mtopol/dev/python/sklearn")
        .setHandlerModule("example_1_inference_jet")))
.writeTo(Kafka.sink());
```

```
hz.newJob(p);
```

\$ mvn package \$ hz submit target/my-job.jar



Pipeline Execution Plan



Traditional Engine: Thread per Task









Hazelcast's Engine: Thread per CPU Core





Let's Start a Jet Cluster!



Cluster Elasticity and Resilience

- processing jobs are fault-tolerant
- nodes can join and leave the cluster, jobs go on
- automatically rescale to available hardware



Cluster Self-Formation

Hazelcast natively supports:

- Amazon AWS
- Google GCP
- Kubernetes

With simple configuration, the nodes self-discover in these environments



Source and Sink Connectors

- Kafka
- Change Data Capture: MySQL, PostgreSQL, ...
- HTTP: WebSocket, Server-Sent Events
- Hadoop HDFS
- S3 bucket
- JDBC
- JMS queue and topic



Stream Operators

- windowed aggregation using Event Time
 - \circ $\,$ sliding, session window
 - count, sum, average, linear regression, ...
 - custom aggregate function
- rolling aggregation
- streaming join (co-grouping)
- hash join (enrichment)
- contact arbitrary external services
 - mapUsingPython uses this



Thanks for attending!



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