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# Introduction



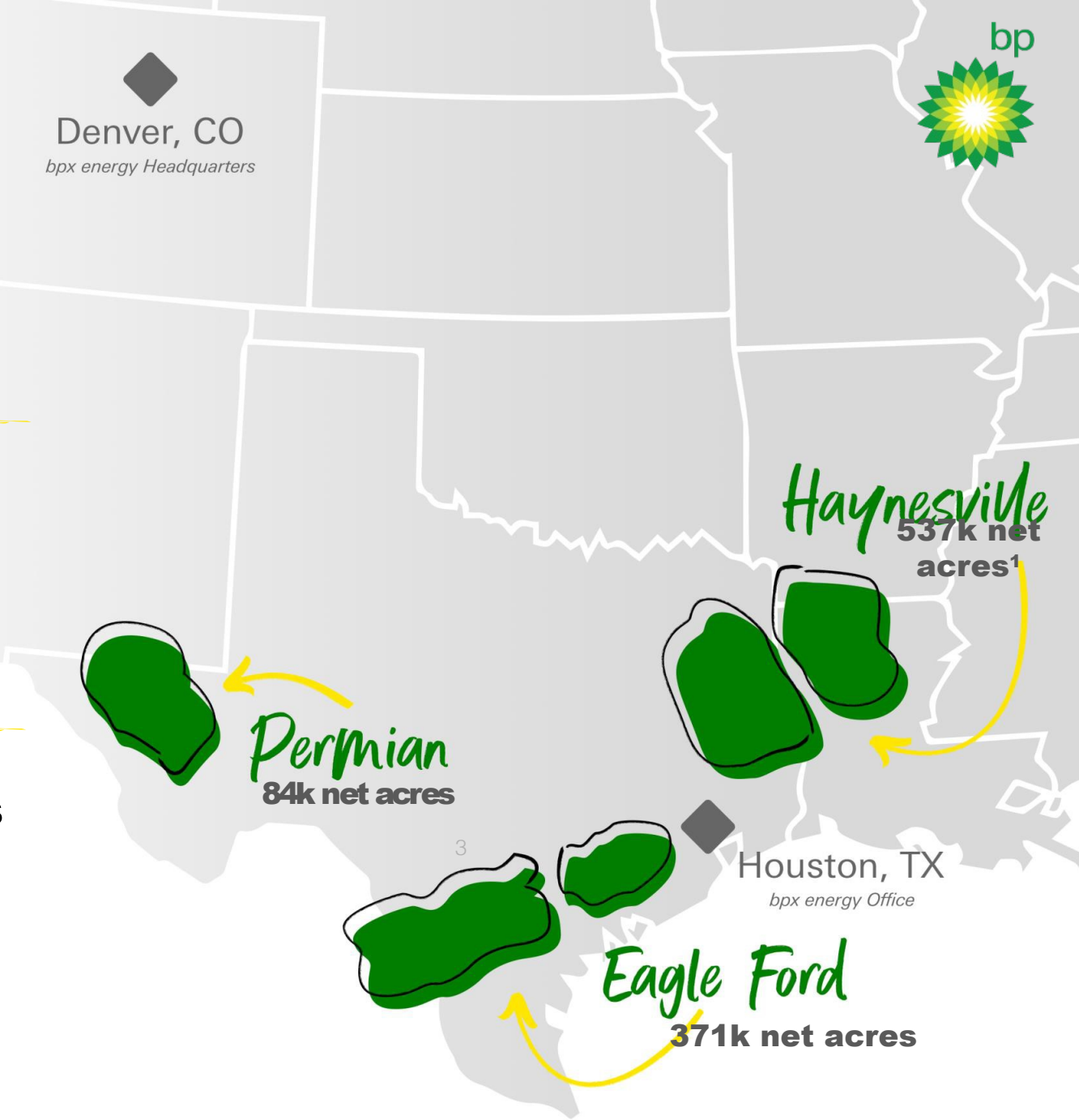
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Data Science and Digital Solutions Manager  
10 Years Industry Experience in Operations, Data Science,  
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5 Years United States Army  
BS Bioengineering, University of Pittsburgh  
MBA, Carnegie Mellon University  
MS Petroleum Engineering, Texas A&M  
MS Information and Data Science, UC Berkeley.



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University

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- High quality US onshore position
- Portfolio positioned in the core of the Permian, Eagle Ford and Haynesville shale plays
- Driving operational excellence through our focus on safety and environmental stewardship



Why do people tell stories? The stories that tend to stick to our bones are those that teach us something. This, I believe, is the primary reason we tell stories: To teach. – Brian McDonald, Invisible Ink

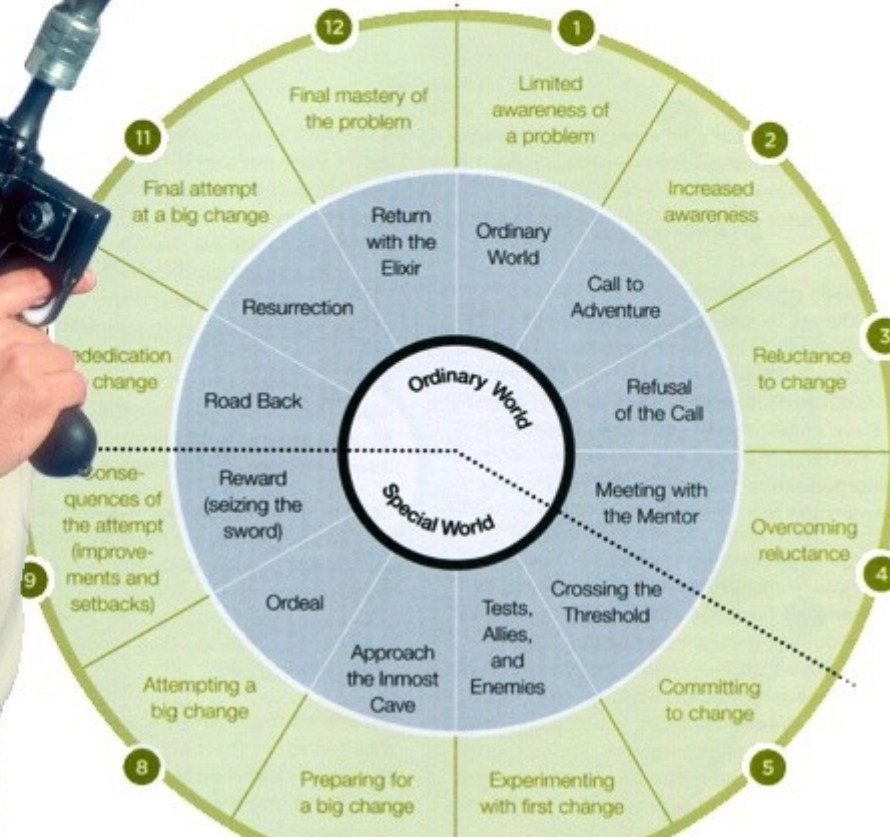
The Heroes Journey

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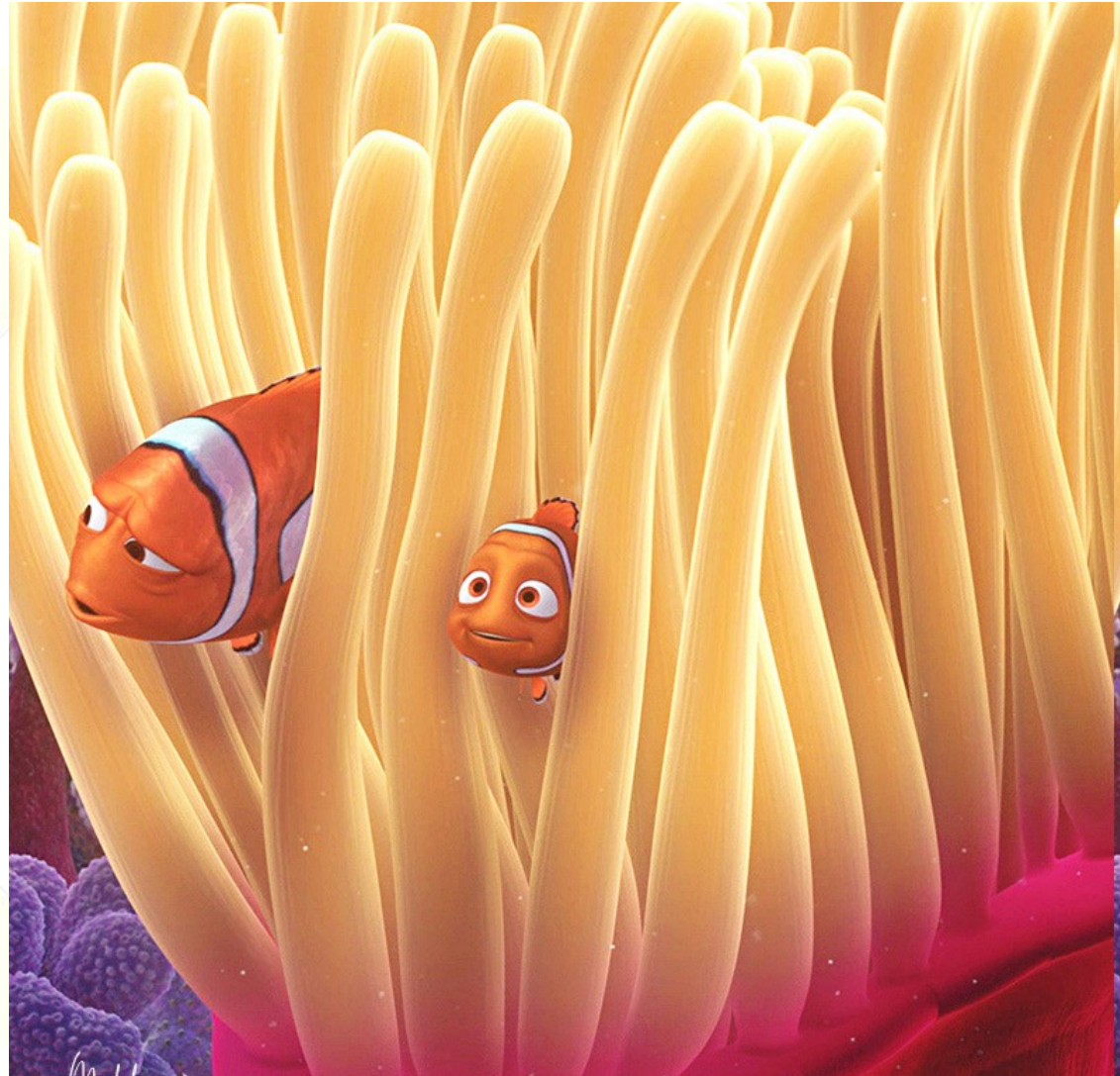
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# the HERO'S JOURNEY



# Ordinary World



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# Ordinary World



HOUSTON – BP has completed the \$10.5 billion acquisition of BHP’s U.S. unconventional assets in a landmark deal that will significantly upgrade BP’s U.S. onshore oil and gas portfolio and help drive long-term growth.

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The acquisition – which was announced in July and closed as scheduled on October 31 – adds oil and gas production of 190,000 barrels of oil equivalent per day (boe/d) and 4.6 billion oil equivalent barrels (boe) of discovered resources in the liquids-rich regions of the Permian and Eagle Ford basins in Texas and in the Haynesville natural gas basin in East Texas and Louisiana.

Following integration, the transaction will be accretive to earnings, is estimated to generate more than \$350 million of annual pre-tax synergies and is expected to boost Upstream pre-tax free cash flow by \$1 billion, to \$14-15 billion in 2021.

“By every measure, this is a transformational deal for our Lower 48 business. It is an important step in our strategy of growing value in Upstream and a world-class addition to BP’s global portfolio,” said Bernard Looney, BP’s Upstream chief executive. “We look forward now to safely integrating these great assets into our business and are excited about the potential they have for delivering growth well into the next decade.”

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# Call To Adventure





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Help!?



Chris Hines

To Matthew McElhane

Follow up. Start by Friday, February 22, 2019. Due by Friday, February 22, 2019.  
You forwarded this message on 2/22/2019 2:10 PM.

RE: MidCon CapEx Daily Flowback-Database name and location  
Outlook item



Fri 2/22/2019 8:43 AM

Howdy,

Got a question for you if you are not sure if you are the man that can help but.....

Challenge:

Flowback reports

We get one flowback report per well (excel version) every 6 hours with data from the previous 6 hours + previous hours and days of flowback operations.

When you have 6 wells in flowback that is 24 emails a day.

The information is in an excel spreadsheet that then needs to be pasted into a database of some sort for the RE's perform analysis.

Once the analysis is complete only that RE has access to their personal database and the data has a tendency to disappear

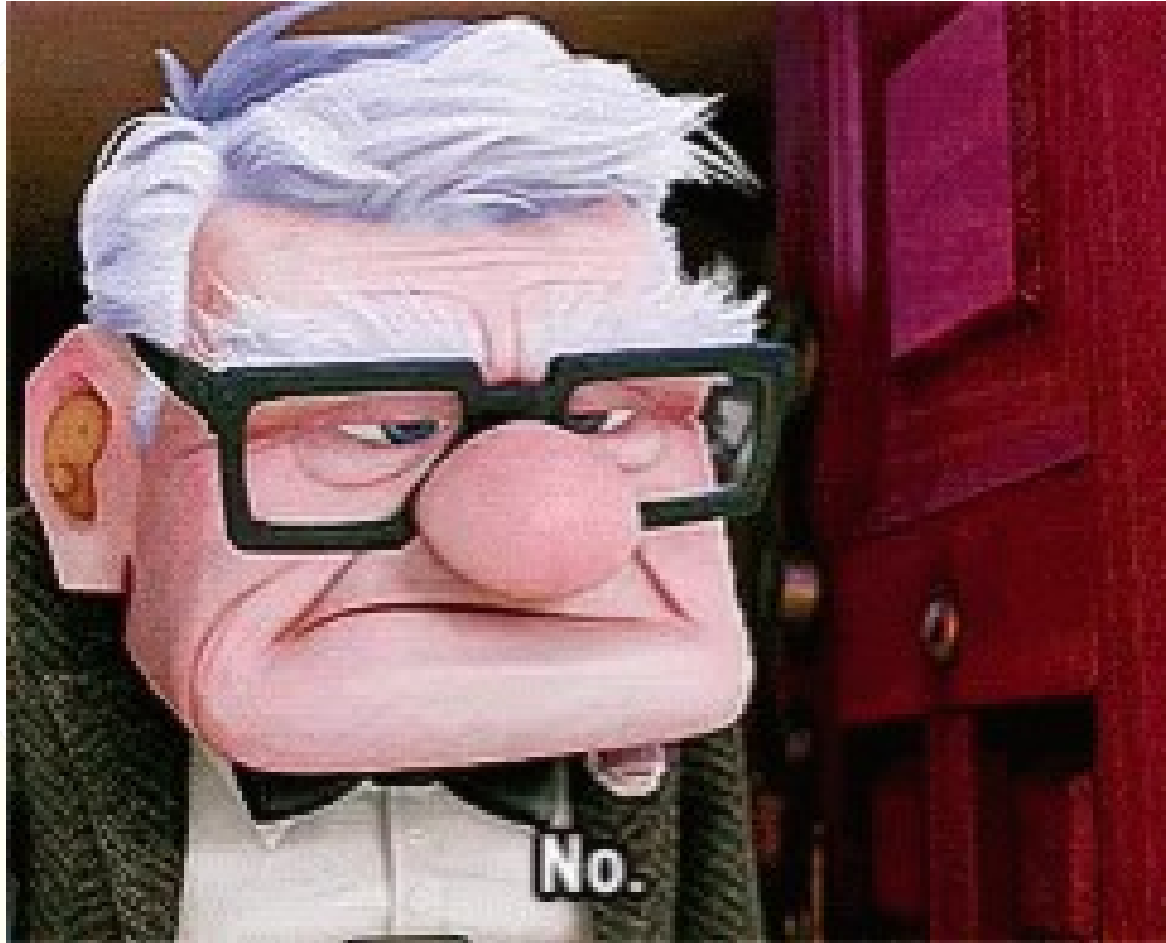
Solution:

A standard BP flowback report that can be sent via email to a central email address where a bot takes the info and places in a centralized database.

Create a PowerBI workflow that:

1. Can be accessed at anytime with all the data and viewed from a phone
2. We can create a report showing all the wells and their performance that is sent via email to a distribution list by BU every 12 hours. (Basically replacing the 24 emails a day with 2 but still has the same information)

# Refusal Of The Call



# Crossing The Threshold



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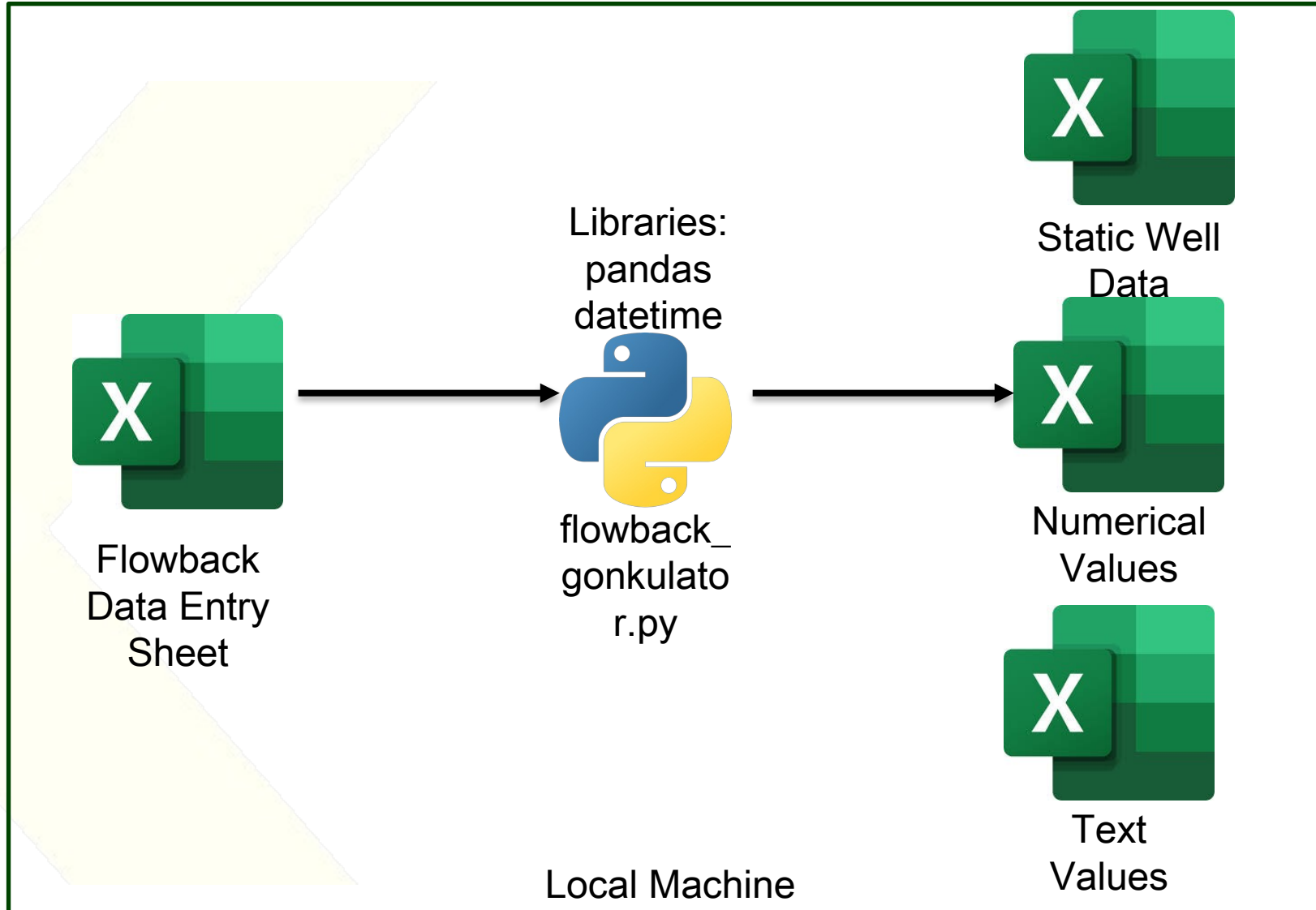


# Crossing The Threshold

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3:00 PM	6/8/2019	3050	1650			10/64	108	
4:00 PM	6/8/2019	3050	2400			10/64	109	
5:00 PM	6/8/2019	3050	2900			10/64	110	
6:00 PM	6/8/2019	3050	3200			10/64	110	
7:00 PM	6/8/2019	3850	3300			10/64	128	
8:00 PM	6/8/2019	3850	3350			10/64	121	
9:00 PM	6/8/2019	3900	3350			10/64	110	
10:00 PM	6/8/2019	3900	2600			10/64	93	
11:00 PM	6/8/2019	3900	2050			10/64	93	
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8:00 AM	6/9/2019	3900	900			10/64	81	
9:00 AM	6/9/2019	3900	800			10/64	85	
10:00 AM	6/9/2019	3900	800			10/64	87	
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3:00 PM	6/10/2019	3600				6/64	107	

Instructions   Static Data   **Hourly Data**   +   ⋮

# Crossing The Threshold





# Crossing The Threshold

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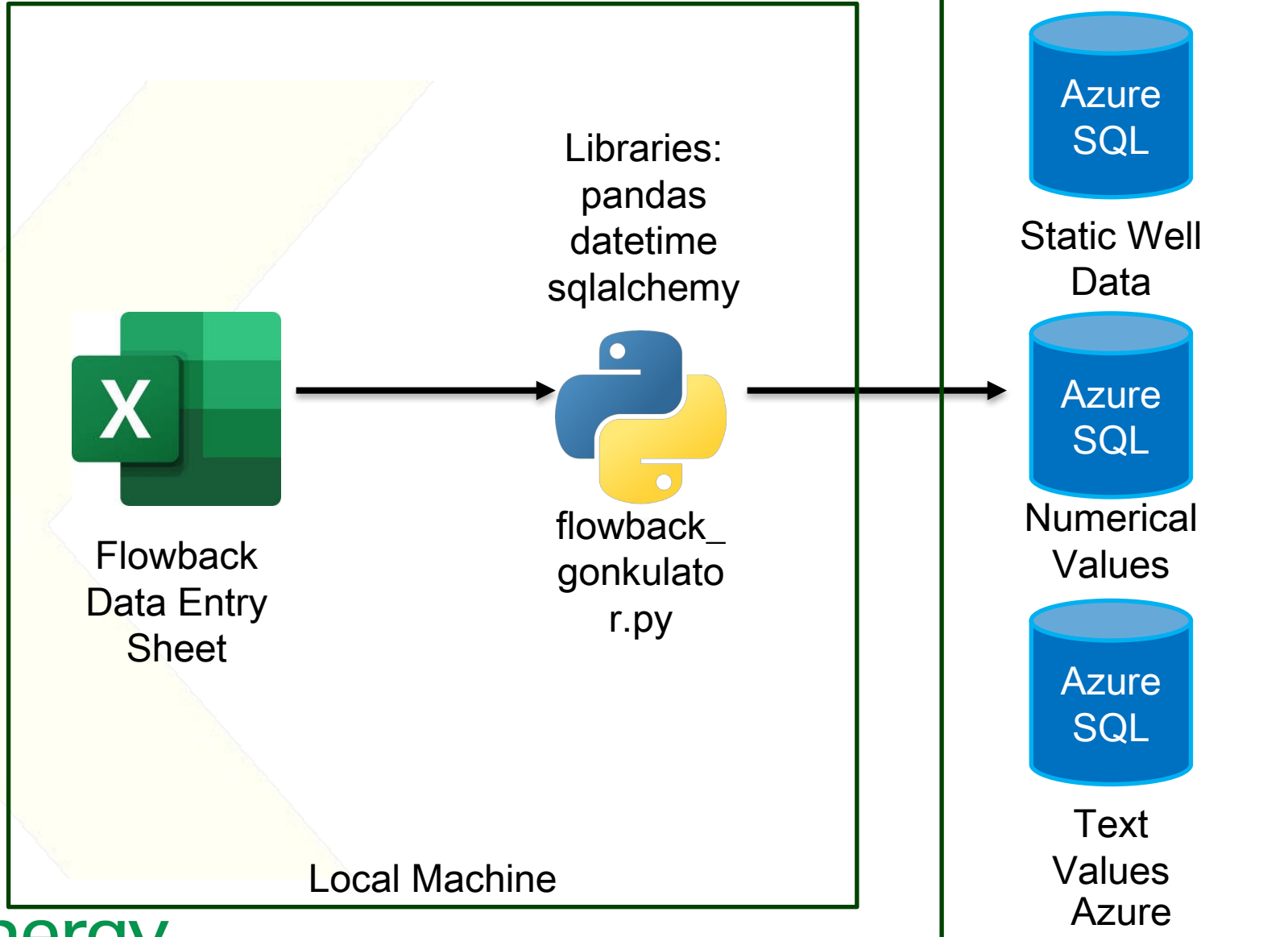
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/****** Script for SelectTopNRows command from SSMS *****/  
SELECT TOP (1000) [REC_SRC]  
    , [HASH_DIFF]  
    , [SRC_READ_DT]  
    , [WELL_UID]  
    , [Metric_Date]  
    , [Metric_Type]  
    , [Metric_Value]  
FROM [Flowback].[Well_Metric_Hourly]
```

100 %

Results Messages

	REC_SRC	HASH_DIFF	SRC_READ_DT	WELL_UID	Metric_Date	Metric_Type	Metric_Value
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55	FINAL Validated BP Flowback Report Rev CH 0328...	0	2019-04-08 10:35:12.000	12345678900	2019-04-08 05:00:00.000	Impurities, H2S (ppm)	6789

# Crossing The Threshold





# Test, Allies, Enemies: Architecture Review Board



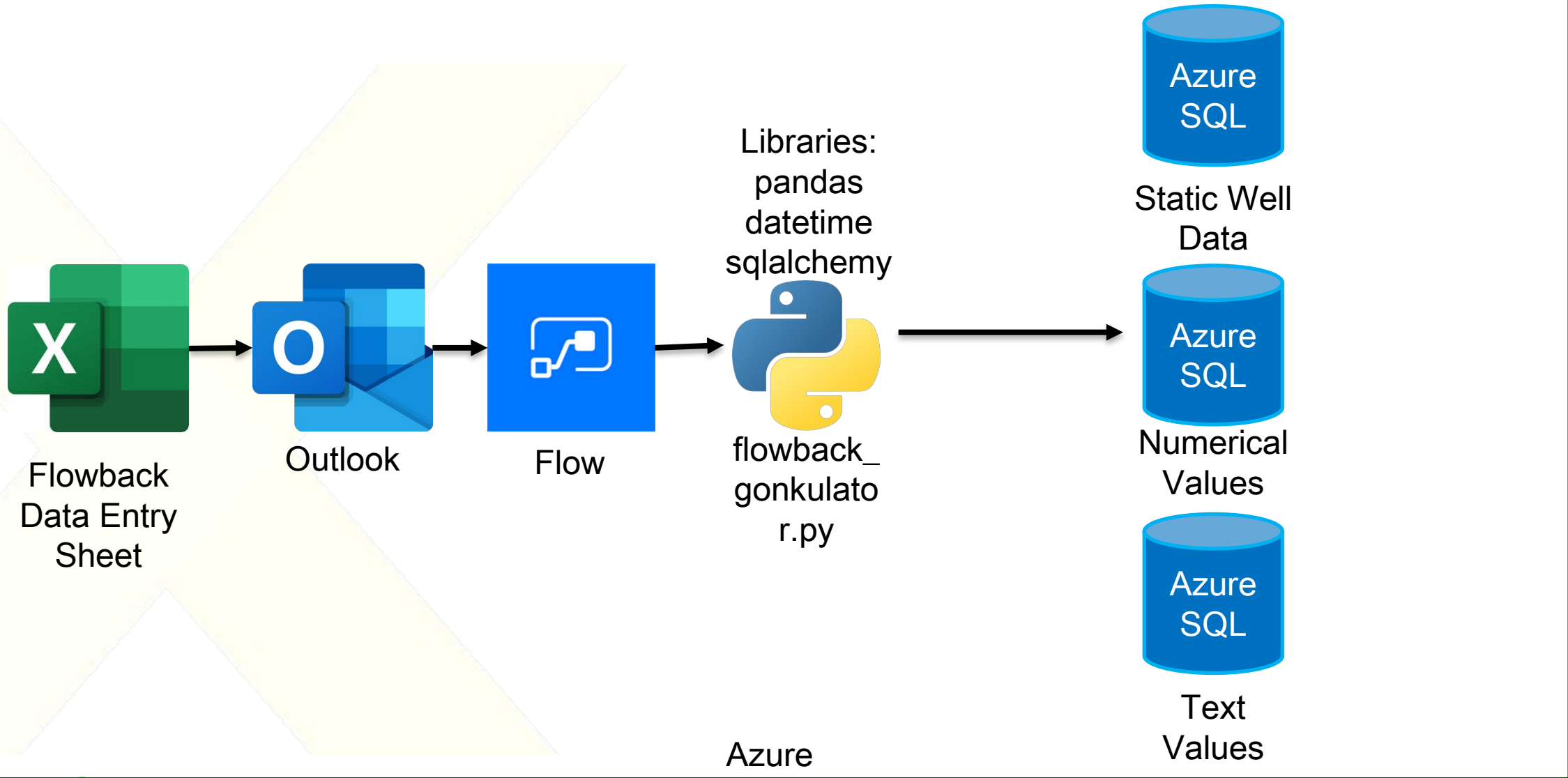
# Test, Allies, Enemies: Digital Security



# The Approach: Industrializing and Scaling



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## Wells Loaded



Matthew McElhaney

To  Mike Ward;  Chris Hines;  Matthew Blose

You replied to this message on 4/25/2019 3:35 PM.

Good afternoon,

Below is a screenshot of wells that have been loaded into the database-if this doesn't look right let me know. Thank you.

WELL_UID	Pad_Name	Well_Name
14380514000	STS C 3 PAD	STS NORTH 7H
14380515000	STS C 3 PAD	STS NORTH 8H
14380516000	STS C 3 PAD	STS NORTH 9H
14384047000	STS C 3 PAD	STS NORTH 10H
14401872000	HSS 113 10 Pad B	HSS-113 10 4H
14401870000	HSS 113 10 Pad B	HSS-113 10 2H
14401667000	State Blake	State Blake 57-T3-46 W103H
14401871000	HSS 113 10 Pad B	HSS-113 10 3H
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14401506000	State Blake	State Blake 57-T3-46 W104H





# The Ordeal: Pilot







# The Ordeal: Pilot

## Flowback Reports

 Matthew McElhaney  
 To  Chris Hines;  Matthew Blose (MATTHEW.BLOSE@BPX.COM);  Mike Ward

 2019-08-05 12-05-31State Roy Kimsey 56-T2-46 W103H\_07292019\_Flowback Report.xlsx  
 221 KB 

Good morning team,

A few errors on Flowback loading:

State Roy Kimsey-0s in Sales Rate with **no** dates (attached)

JC Martin- Times without dates (attached)

Edwards 5, 6, 9, 10: not opening in excel, giving an xml error. Were the sheets altered?

## RE: Power BI well performance report.

 Matthew McElhaney  
 To  Marshall Johnson  
 Cc  Mickey Moulton;  Timothy Credeur;  Michael Mulder

 2019-09-04 12-31-16Gentry32\_FB\_09419.xls.xlsx  
 221 KB

Good morning Marshall,

I went through a sample of the files and the **errors** are below in red. There are two primary issues:

1. There can only be a single value per day per time per well. If there are duplicates the load fails. If duplicate row.
2. Some of the files are corrupted and need to get recovered when I open them (example attached)

## RE: Flowback Errors - Future dates

 Matthew McElhaney  
 To  Matt O'Neal

We have Miss Cleo out on **flowback** sites.

**From:** Matt O'Neal <[Matthew.Oneal@bpx.com](mailto:Matthew.Oneal@bpx.com)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 17, 2019 9:21 AM

**To:** Matthew McElhaney <[MATTHEW.MCELHANEY@BPX.COM](mailto:MATTHEW.MCELHANEY@BPX.COM)>

**Subject:** **Flowback Errors** - Future dates

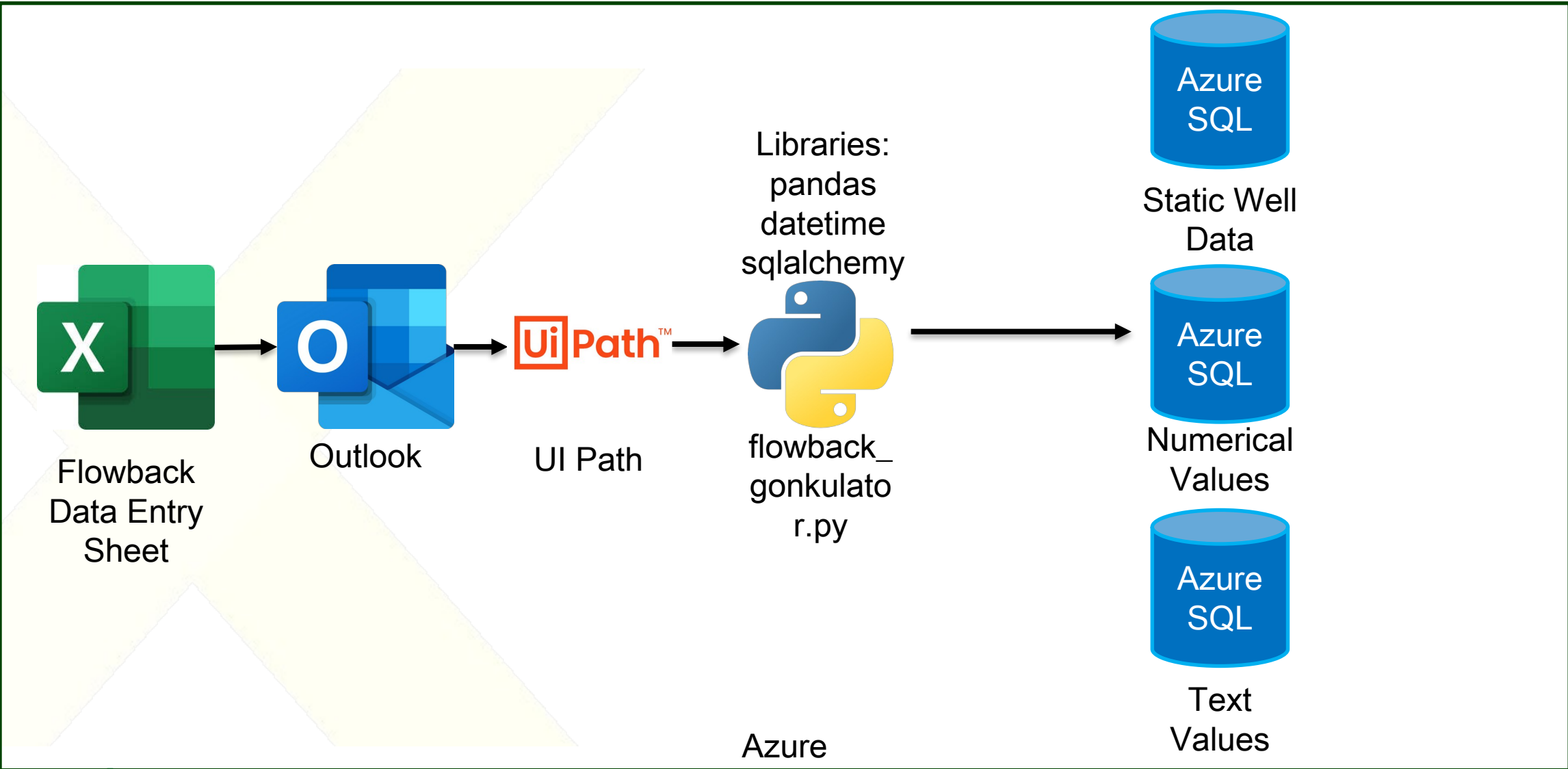
```
SELECT
  f.*
FROM
  [bpx_flowback].[Well_Metric_Hourly] f
WHERE
  f.Metric_Date > GETDATE()
ORDER BY
  WELL_UID, Metric_Date
```

Gives 657 rows with measurements in the future ...

I will hand correct the one in my sample data set but you may wanna add

-matto-

# The Ordeal: Pilot





# The Reward





# The Reward

## Re: Flowback Report Ingestion



Chris Hines

To  Matthew McElhaney;  Mike Ward;  Matthew Blose

Start your reply all with:

You're welcome.

You're very welcome.

Happy to help.

 Feedback

Thank you very much. Really appreciate your support throughout this process

Hines

# Resurrection – Design Improvements



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## Flowback Tracker Rollout

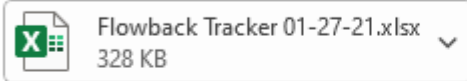


Cole Larrabee (Captech)

To Matthew Blose

Cc Matthew McElhaney; Carolyn Pescheret (Captech); Darin Thompson (BPX Energy)

General



Wed 1/27/2021 5:49 PM

Hey Matt,

As discussed, here's the flowback tracker we'd like you to roll out. It includes all the changes we have discussed throughout our conversations – OOOOa columns, enhanced data validation rules, report compliance section, etc.

I'll be waiting on your email to push the code changes into production so if you could CC me that'd be great. Thanks again for your help with this process.

Regards,  
Cole

**Cole Larrabee**  
Data Engineer | CapTech Consulting  
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# Resurrection – Design Improvements

<b>Report Compliance</b>		
<i>Please Verify All Tests Pass Before Saving and Emailing</i>		
<b>Measure</b> (see note for description)	<b>Status</b>	<b>Message</b>
Corporate ID	FAIL	Enter a value for the Corp ID
Flowback Start Time	FAIL	Please enter a value for Flowback Start Time
Time and Date Match	PASS	
First Gas Date and Time	PASS	
First Gas Separator Date and Time	PASS	
Comments Not Provided	PASS	

# Return With The Elixir





# Return With The Elixir

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```
1 select count(*) from edh.bv_edh_flowback_well_metric_hourlyasis
```

Output Execution Logs **Query Results**

RESULTS EXECUTION TRACE

1 rows 1 columns received select count(\*) from edh.bv\_edh\_flowback\_well\_metric\_hourlyasis

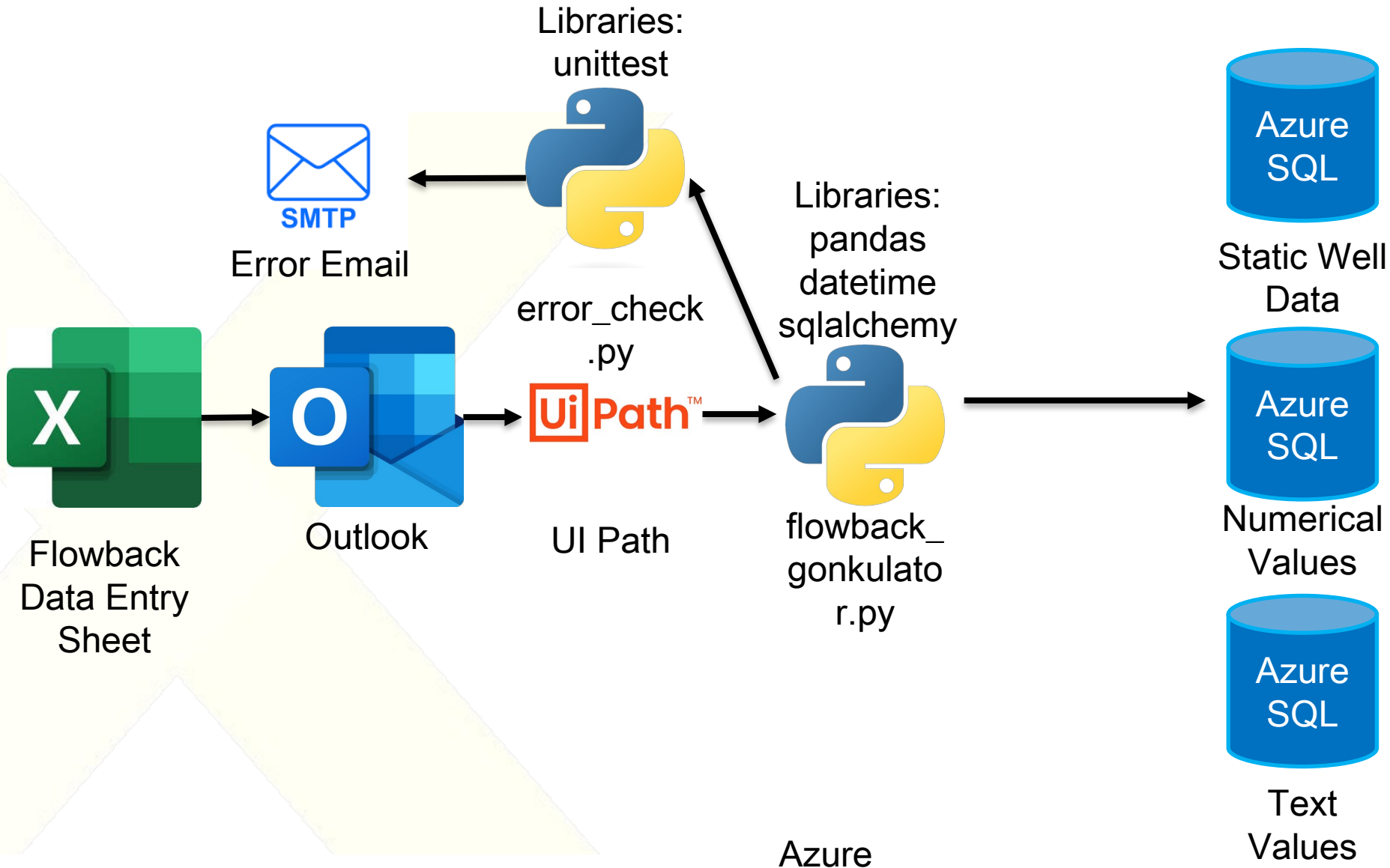
count
9025800

# The Sequel





# The Sequel



Architecture in Practice



# Software Architecture in Energy

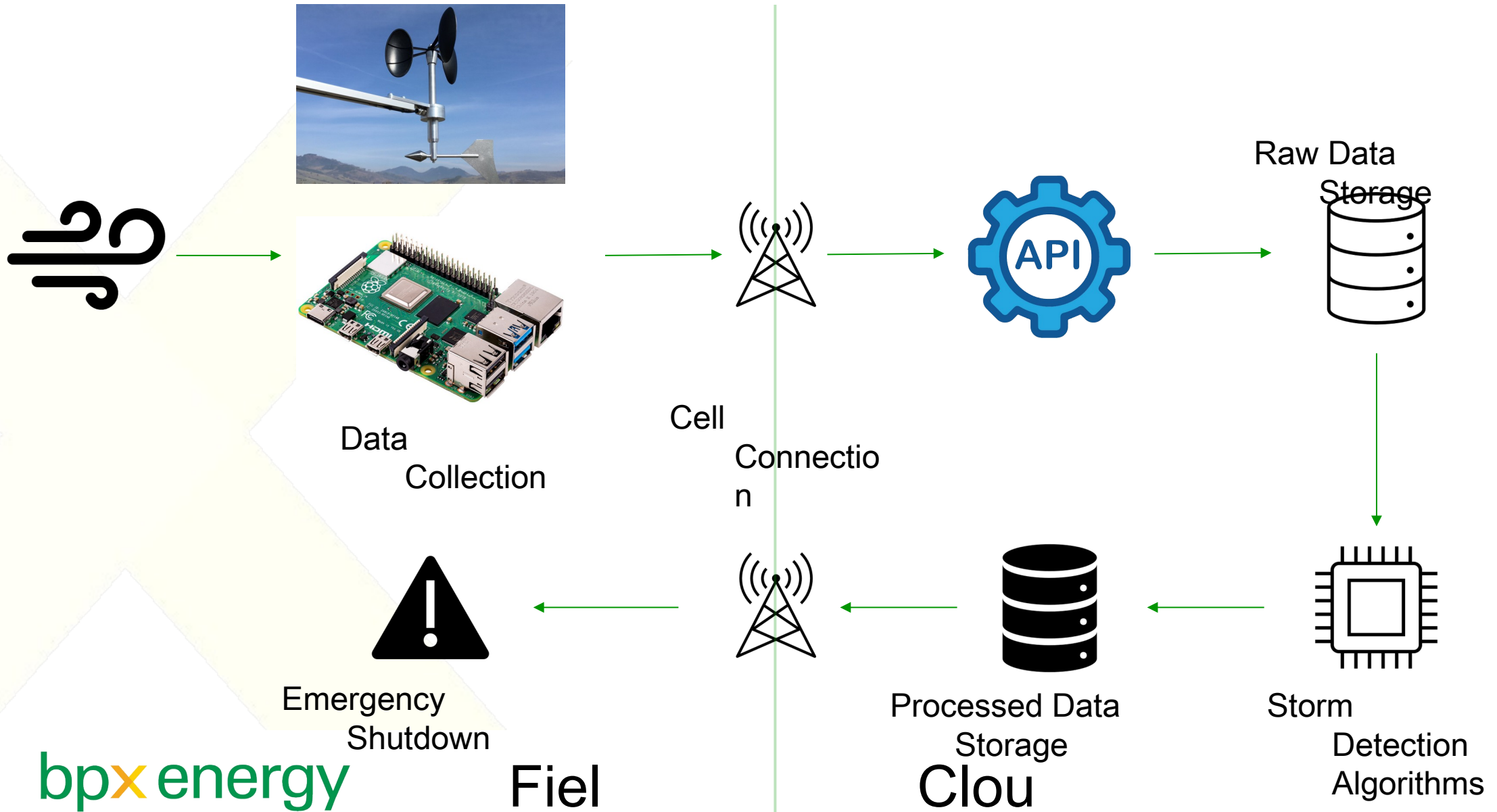
- Oil and natural gas exploration presents unique challenges
- Safety and reliability are paramount
- Downtime costs \$\$\$/hour
- Regulatory compliance
- Security against internal/external vectors
  
- How do we write software that avoids risk?

# Case Study: Mobile Data Collection & Processing



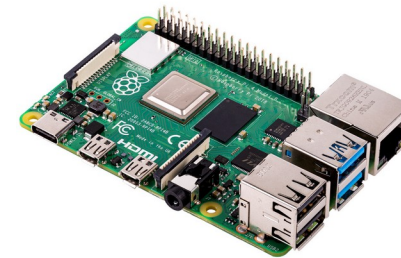
- Principle: Maintain safe operations
- Objective: Conduct safe shutdowns in the event of severe weather
- Proposal: Deploy an early warning system comprising peripheral sensors to capture wind speeds, humidity readings, and barometric pressure. Avoid unnecessary shutdowns at all cost.

# Proposed Data Flow – 30,000 Feet

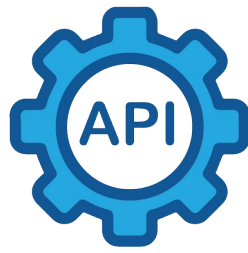


# Data Collection/Generation

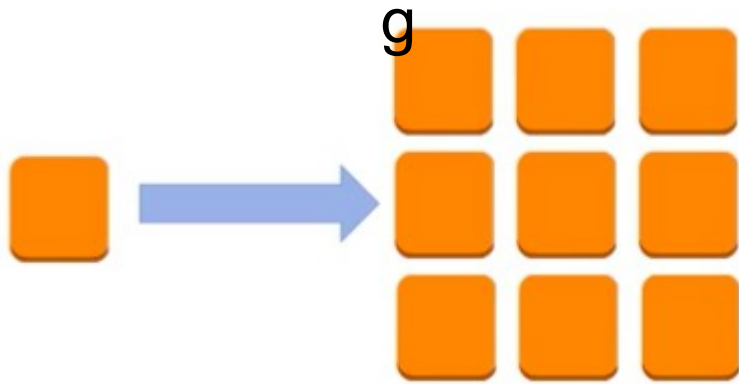
- Storage (space requirements/format)
- Consistency between device types
- Connection instability
  - Caching
  - Heartbeat
- Security (certificates, disk encryption, etc)
- Updates
  - Firmware vs Higher Level Language updates
  - OS Updates
- NaN != 0



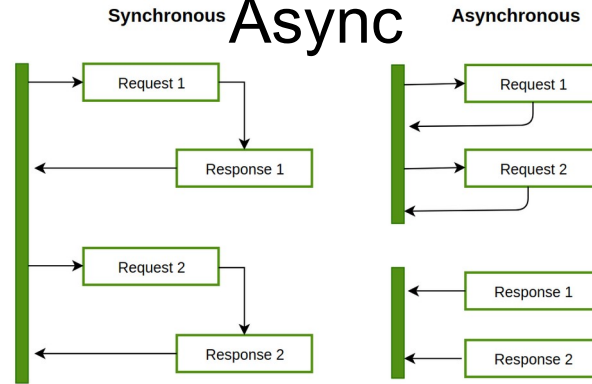
# Data Ingestion



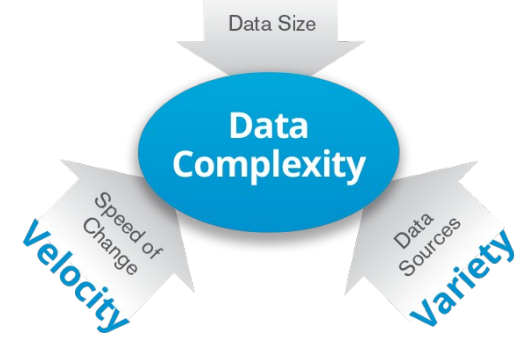
## Scaling



## Sync vs Async



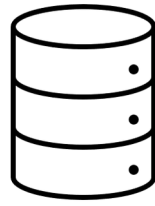
## Data Complexity



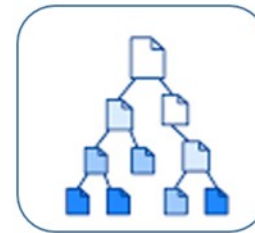
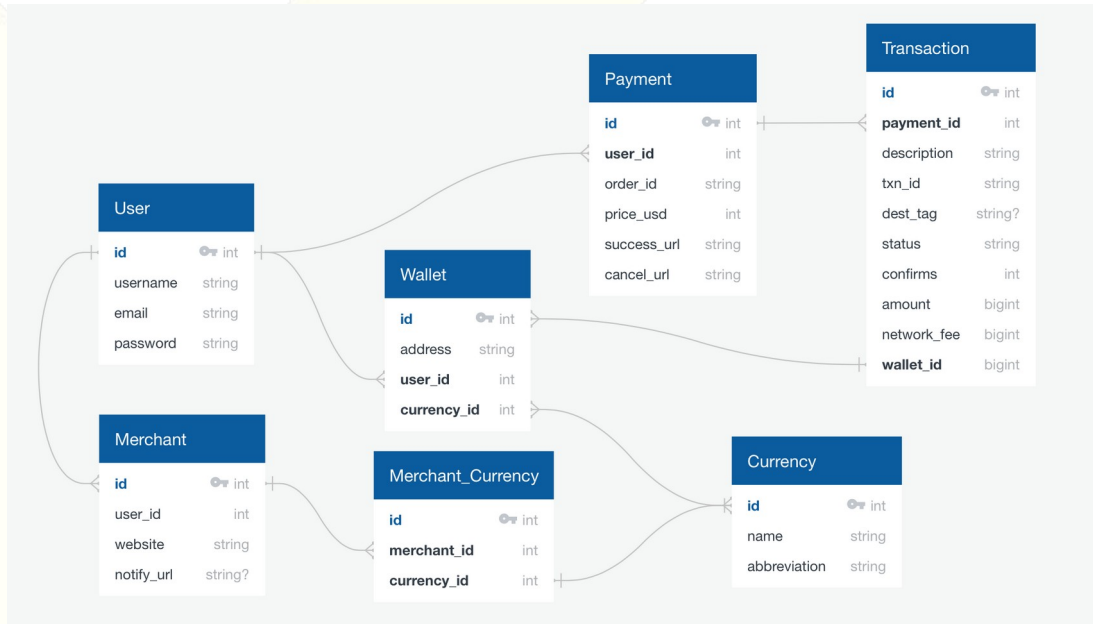
## Data Security



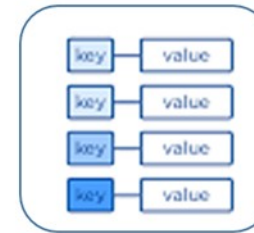
# Raw Data Storage



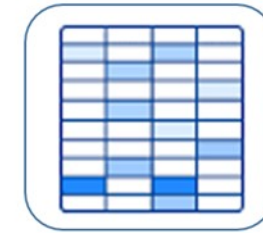
- Storing processed data vs “raw” data



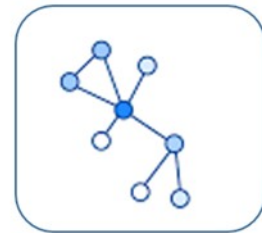
Document Store



Key-Value Store



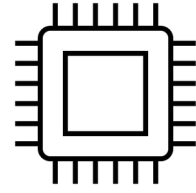
Wide-Column Store



Graph Store



# Storm Detection Algorithms

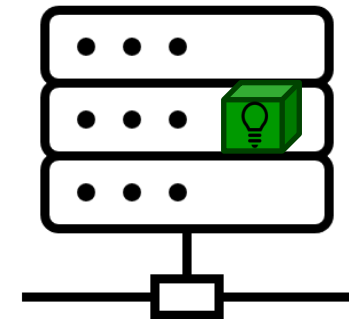
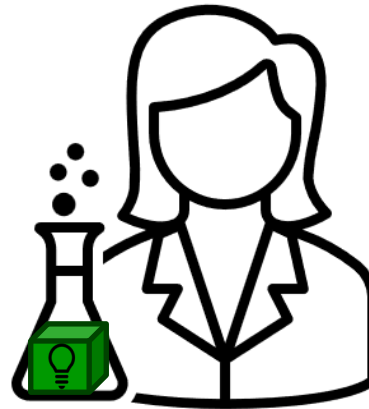
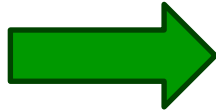
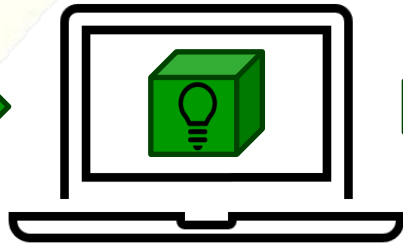
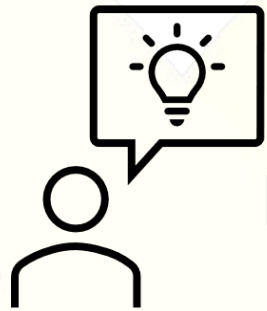


- Leverage 3<sup>rd</sup> party libraries where possible
- Python and PyPI
  - numpy, scipy, pandas, pydantic, sqlmodel, sketch
- Machine Learning
- Containers
- High availability

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THE WHEEL



# Containers



Idea developed in a container

Idea tested in the same container

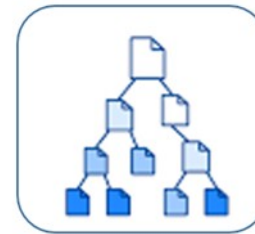
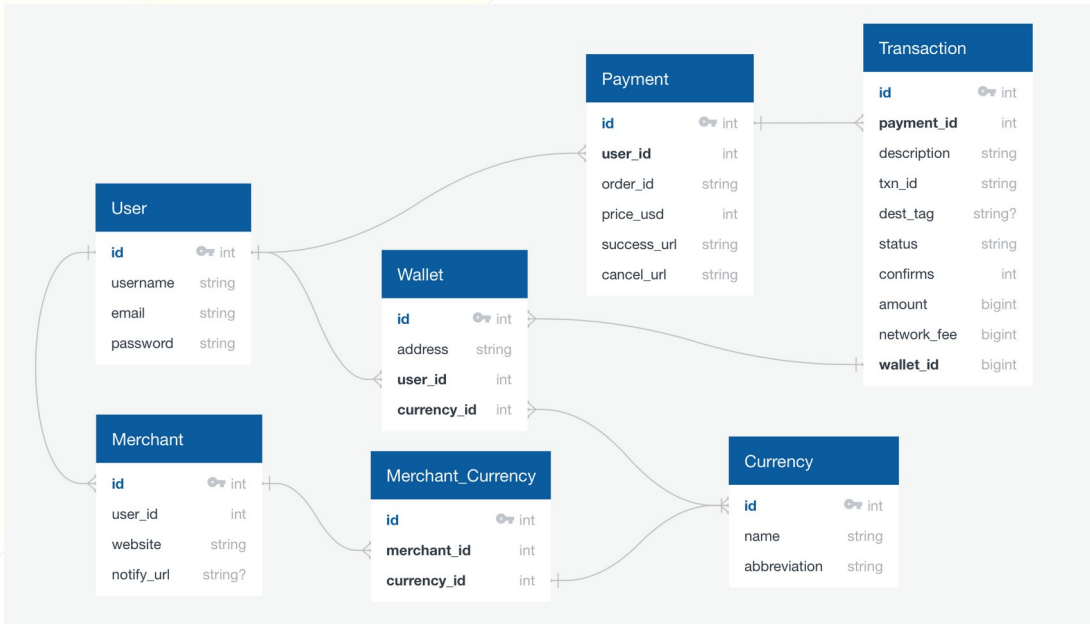
Idea deployed to production in the same container

**Consistent Environments Promote Consistent Behavior**

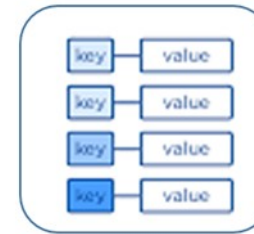
# Processed Data Storage



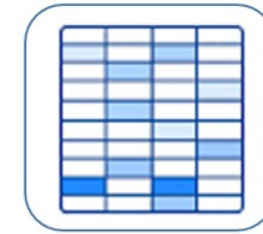
- What's different about storing processed data?
- High availability – What does that mean for data storage?



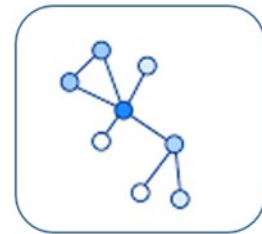
Document Store



Key-Value Store



Wide-Column Store



Graph Store

# Data Layer Abstraction

- Does this work?
  - ...sure. ChatGPT strikes again!
- What's wrong with this picture?
- How can we make this better?
- What's the best way to make this future-proof?
- How could we add support for new data stores?



```
test > bad > humidity.py > insert_humidity_reading
1 import psycopg2
2 from datetime import datetime
3 from math import isnan
4
5
6 def insert_humidity_reading(db_host, db_name, db_user, db_password, sensor_id, humidity_value):
7
8     try:
9         # Establish a database connection
10        connection = psycopg2.connect(
11            host=db_host,
12            database=db_name,
13            user=db_user,
14            password=db_password
15        )
16
17        # Create a cursor object
18        cursor = connection.cursor()
19
20        # Handle NaN humidity values
21        if isnan(humidity_value):
22            humidity_value = None
23
24        # Define the data you want to insert
25        data_to_insert = {
26            "sensor_id": sensor_id,
27            "timestamp": datetime.now(),
28            "humidity_value": humidity_value
29        }
30
31        # SQL query to insert data into the "humidity" table
32        insert_query = """
33        INSERT INTO humidity (sensor_id, timestamp, humidity_value)
34        VALUES %(sensor_id)s, %(timestamp)s, %(humidity_value)s
35        """
36
37        # Execute the INSERT query with the data
38        cursor.execute(insert_query, data_to_insert)
39
40        # Commit the changes to the database
41        connection.commit()
42
43        # Close the cursor and the database connection
44        cursor.close()
45        connection.close()
46
47        print("Record inserted successfully!")
48
49    except (Exception, psycopg2.Error) as error:
50        print("Error while inserting data into PostgreSQL:", error)
51
52    finally:
53        # Close the database connection (even in case of an exception)
54        if connection:
55            connection.close()
```



# Data Layer Abstraction – Business Logic Separation

```
test > better > main.py > ...
1  from datetime import datetime
2  from math import isnan
3  from dal import DataAccessLayer
4
5
6  def insert_humidity_reading(dal: DataAccessLayer, sensor_id, humidity_value):
7
8      # Handle NaN humidity values
9      if isnan(humidity_value):
10         humidity_value = None
11
12     # Define the data you want to insert
13     data_to_insert = {
14         "sensor_id": sensor_id,
15         "timestamp": datetime.now(),
16         "humidity_value": humidity_value
17     }
18
19     try:
20         dal.insert_humidity_reading(data_to_insert)
21
22         print("Record inserted successfully!")
23
24     except Exception as error:
25         print("Error while inserting data into data store:", error)
26
```

```
test > better > dal > _init_.py > DataAccessLayer
1  from abc import ABC, abstractmethod
2
3  class DataAccessLayer(ABC):
4      def __init__(self, *args):
5          ...
6
7      @abstractmethod
8      def get_connection(self):
9          ...
10
11     @abstractmethod
12     def insert_humidity_reading(self, data_to_insert: dict):
13         ...
14
```

- We don't have to know how the data access layer is going to work to use it.
- We can now test business logic separately from connection logic
- Support for multiple data backends

# Data Layer Abstraction

- The data access layer doesn't know anything about the business logic
- The implementation of `get_connection` and `insert_humidity_reading` can be completely different from other data backends.
- Changes here don't require re-testing the business logic



```
test > better > dal > postgresql.py > ...
1  import psycopg2
2  from dal import DataAccessLayer
3
4  class PostgresqlDataAccessLayer(DataAccessLayer):
5      def __init__(self, db_host: str, db_name: str, db_user: str, db_password: str):
6          self.db_host = db_host
7          self.db_name = db_name
8          self.db_user = db_user
9          self.db_password = db_password
10
11     def get_connection(self):
12         return psycopg2.connect(
13             host=self.db_host,
14             database=self.db_name,
15             user=self.db_user,
16             password=self.db_password
17         )
18
19     def insert_humidity_reading(self, data_to_insert: dict):
20         try:
21             # Create a cursor object
22             with self.get_connection() as connection:
23                 with connection.cursor() as cursor:
24
25                     # SQL query to insert data into the "humidity" table
26                     insert_query = """
27                     INSERT INTO humidity (sensor_id, timestamp, humidity_value)
28                     VALUES (%(sensor_id)s, %(timestamp)s, %(humidity_value)s)
29                     """
30
31                     # Execute the INSERT query with the data
32                     cursor.execute(insert_query, data_to_insert)
33
34                     # Commit the changes to the database
35                     connection.commit()
36
37         except (Exception, psycopg2.Error) as error:
38             print("Error while inserting data into PostgreSQL:", error)
39             raise
40
41
```



# Data Layer Abstraction – Future Proofing

- The data access layer still doesn't know anything about the business logic
- Changes here don't affect the business logic OR any other data access layers

```
test > better > dal > kafka.py > KafkaDataAccessLayer
1  from confluent_kafka import Producer
2  from dal import DataAccessLayer
3
4  class KafkaDataAccessLayer(DataAccessLayer):
5      def __init__(self, kafka_broker: str = "localhost:9092", kafka_topic: str = "humidity_readings"):
6          # Define Kafka broker(s) and topic
7          self.kafka_broker = kafka_broker
8          self.kafka_topic = kafka_topic
9
10     def get_connection(self):
11         # Kafka producer configuration
12         producer_config = {
13             'bootstrap.servers': self.kafka_broker
14         }
15
16         # Create a Kafka producer instance
17         return Producer(producer_config)
18
19     def insert_humidity_reading(self, data_to_insert: dict):
20         try:
21             # Produce the humidity reading as a message to the Kafka topic
22             with self.get_connection() as producer:
23                 producer.produce(self.kafka_topic, key=str(data_to_insert["sensor_id"]), value=str(data_to_insert))
24                 # Wait for any outstanding messages to be delivered and delivery reports to be received
25                 producer.flush()
26
27         except Exception as e:
28             print(f"Error pushing data to Kafka: {str(e)}")
29             raise
30
```

Safety



The value of what you do is larger than the code you write

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