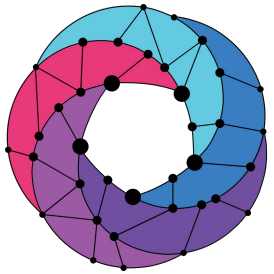

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Managing operations with Temporal in OSM

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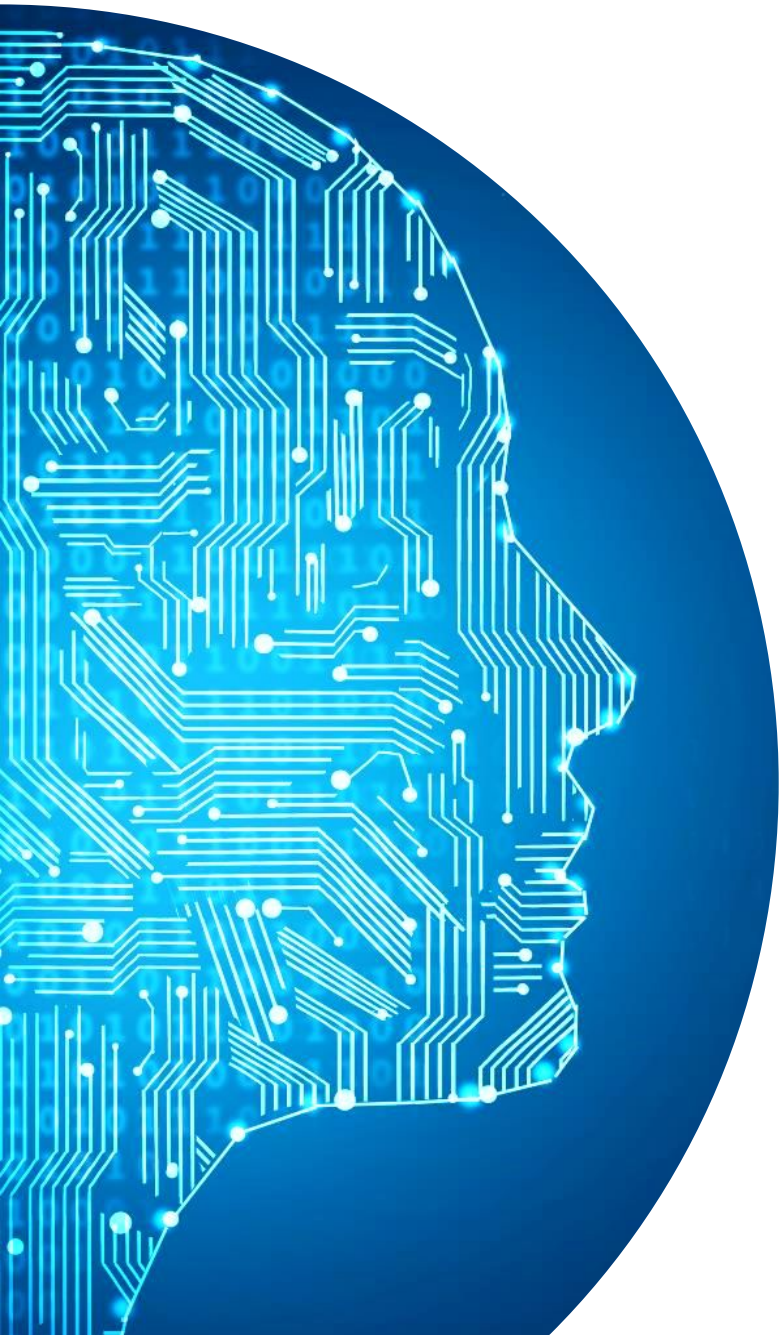
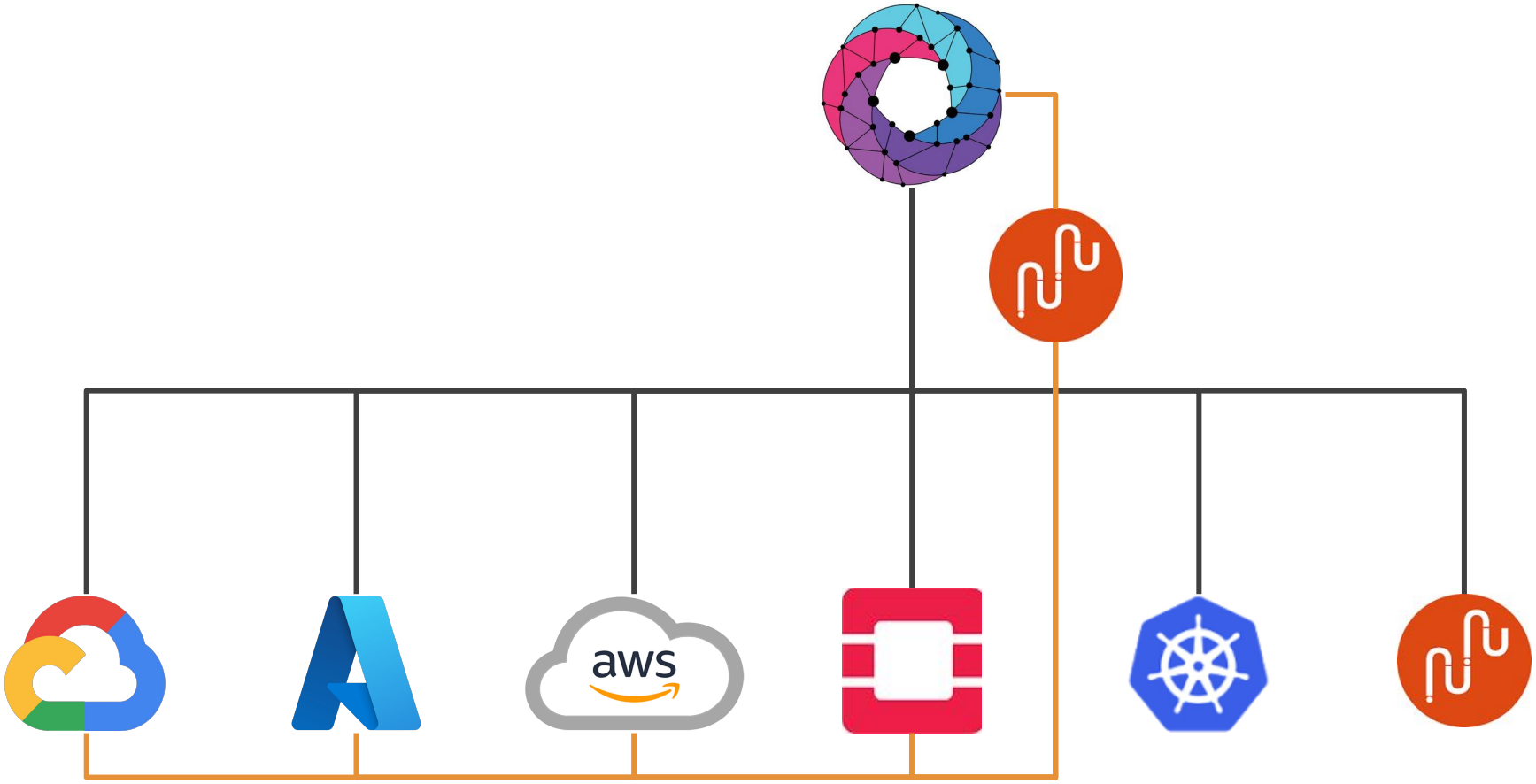


Agenda

- What is Temporal?
- Managing OSM Operations with Temporal
- Exploring Temporal Concept
- Demo

How Did This Start?



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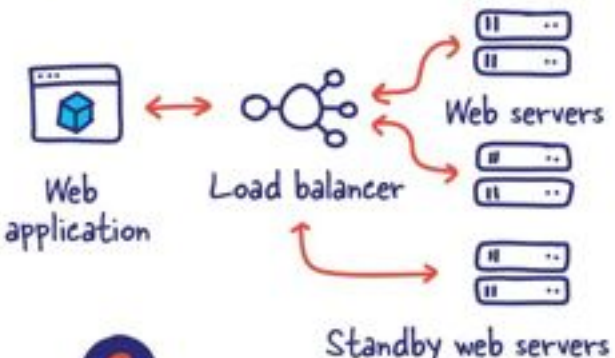
Temporal

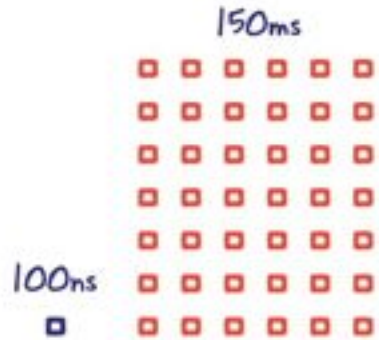
Why durable execution changes everything

8 Fallacies of Distributed Systems

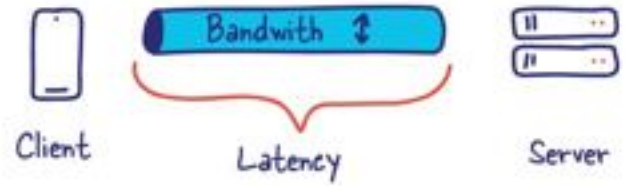
1. The network is reliable.



2. Latency is zero.



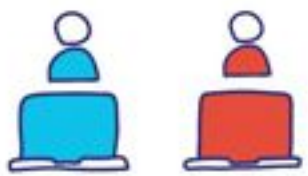
3. Bandwidth is infinite.



4. The network is secure.

5. Topology doesn't change.

6. There is one administrator.



7. Transport cost is zero.

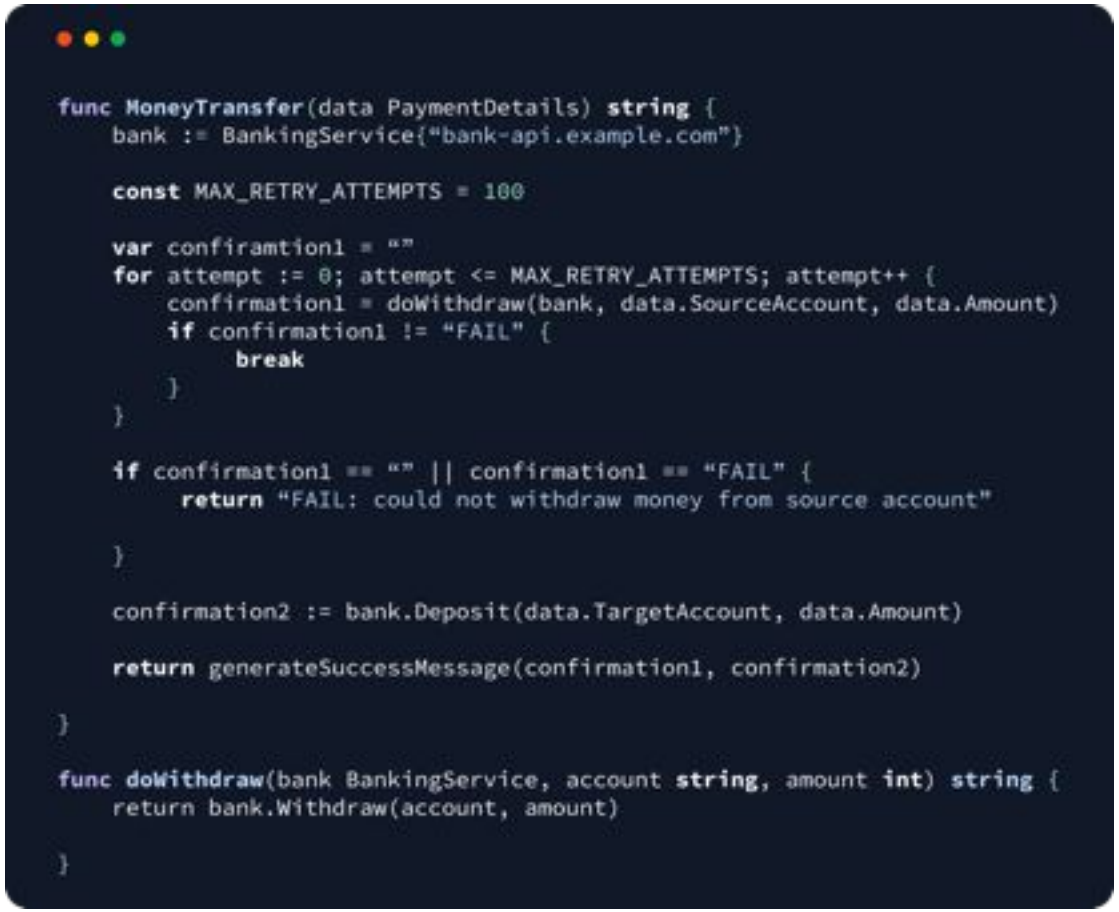
8. The network is homogeneous.

Engineers have paid the price

This is a distributed system

Engineers have paid the price again

The same code, after adding support for retries during withdrawal



```
func MoneyTransfer(data PaymentDetails) string {
    bank := BankingService{"bank-api.example.com"}

    const MAX_RETRY_ATTEMPTS = 100

    var confiramtion1 = ""
    for attempt := 0; attempt <= MAX_RETRY_ATTEMPTS; attempt++ {
        confirmation1 = doWithdraw(bank, data.SourceAccount, data.Amount)
        if confirmation1 != "FAIL" {
            break
        }
    }

    if confirmation1 == "" || confirmation1 == "FAIL" {
        return "FAIL: could not withdraw money from source account"

    }

    confirmation2 := bank.Deposit(data.TargetAccount, data.Amount)

    return generateSuccessMessage(confirmation1, confirmation2)

}

func doWithdraw(bank BankingService, account string, amount int) string {
    return bank.Withdraw(account, amount)

}
```

Engineers have paid
the price again and again and again

The same code, after adding support for retries during withdrawal and deposit, and performing a compensation if the withdrawal succeeds but the deposit fails

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        confirmation2 = doDeposit(bank, data.TargetAccount, data.Amount)
        if confirmation2 != "FAIL" {
            break
        }
    }

    if confirmation2 == "" || confirmation 2 == "FAIL" {
        log.Println("Deposit failed, attempting to re-deposit money into
        source account"
        var confirmation3 = ""
        for attempt := 0; attempt <= MAX_RETRY_ATTEMPTS; attempt++ {
            confirmation3 = doDeposit(bank, data.SourceAccount,
            data.Amount)
            if confirmation3 != "FAIL" {
                return "Deposit failed, but successfully re-deposited funds
                into source account"
            }
        }

        //TODO: still need to handle failure of re-deposit
    }

    return generateSuccessMessage(confirmation1, confirmation2)

}

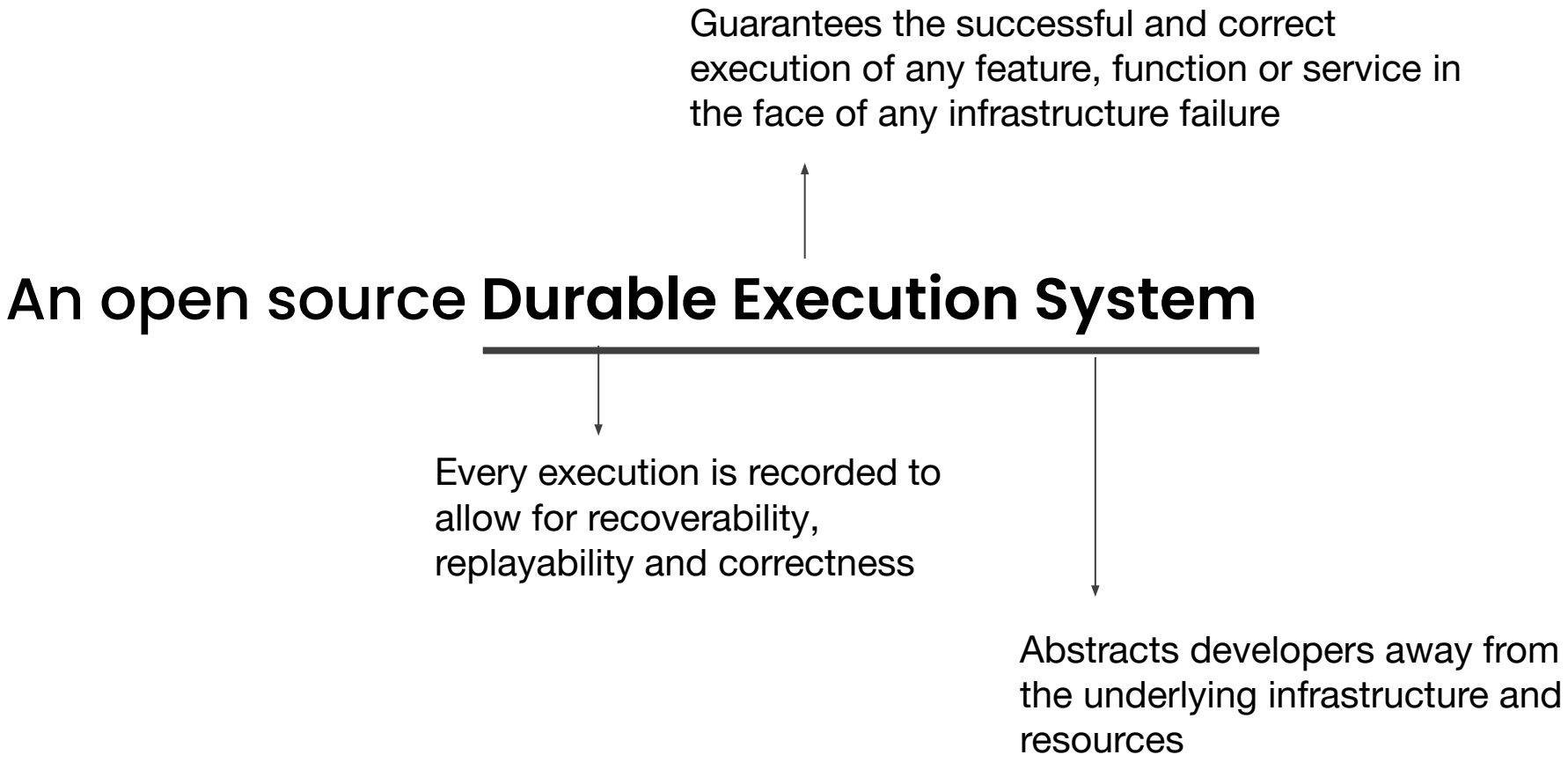
func doWithdraw(bank BankingService, account string, amount int) string {
    return bank.Withdraw(account, amount)

}

func doDeposit(bank BankingService, account string, amount int) string {
    return bank.Deposit(account, amount)

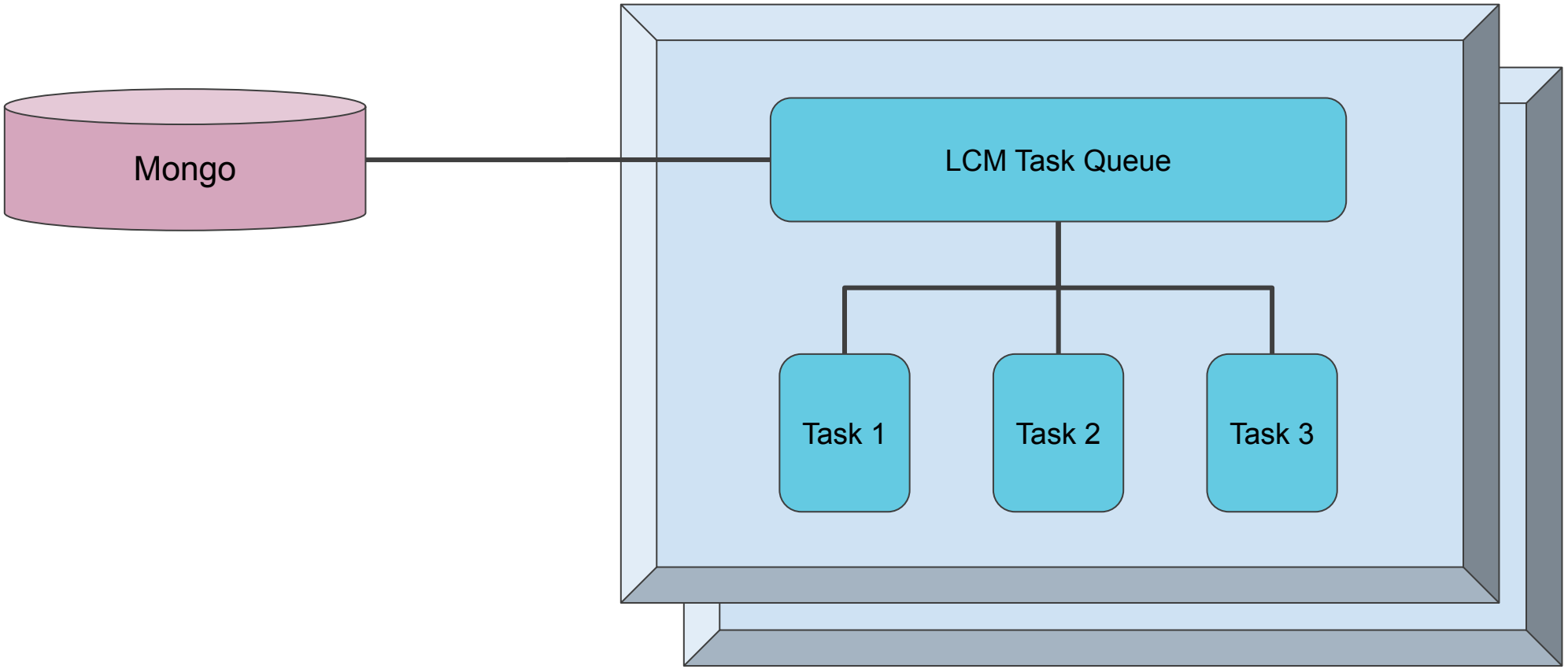
}
```

Temporal was created to solve these challenges

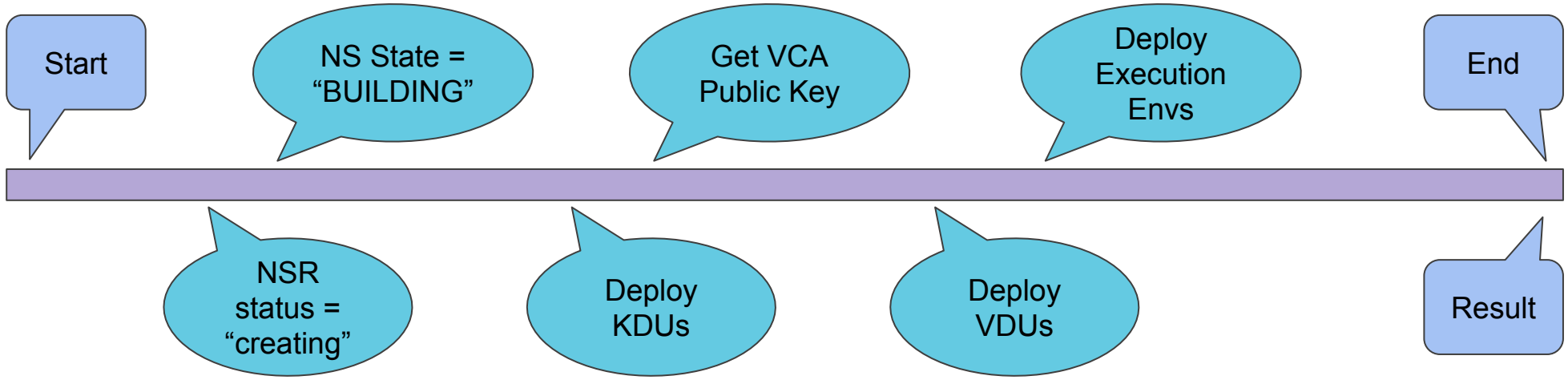


Managing Operations in OSM

The current state



So What Is a Workflow



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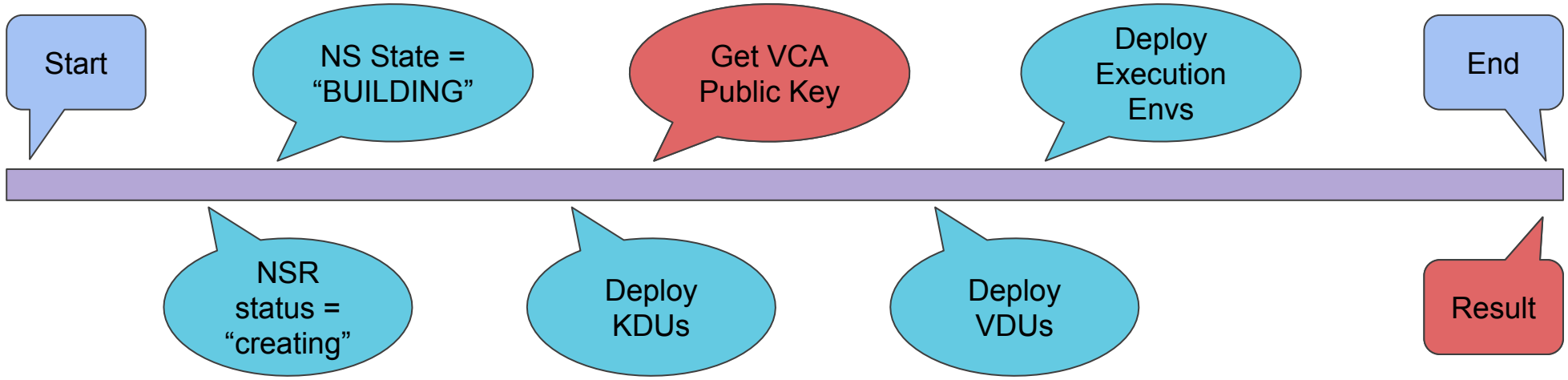

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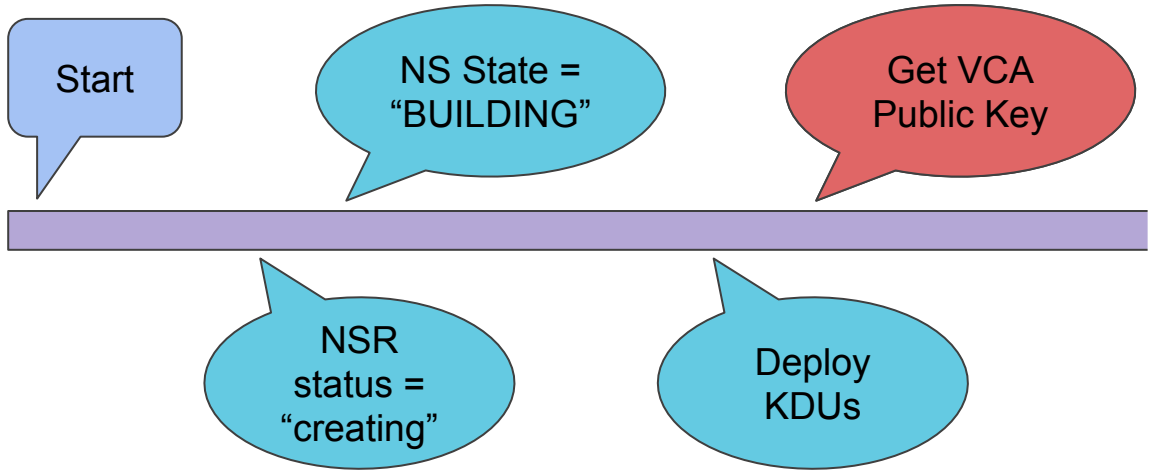


Exploration of a Concept

Are NS LCM Operations just Workflows?

Adopt incrementally

Learn

Intro to SDKs

Tutorials

- Hello World
- Money Transfer
- eCommerce

Samples

temporalio/samples-java

Refactor (or Write)

Client

Maven

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>io.temporal</groupId>
  <artifactId>temporal-sdk</artifactId>
  <version>1.5.0</version>
</dependency>
```

Gradle Groovy DSL

```
implementation 'io.temporal:temporal-sdk:1.5.0'
```

Server

docker compose Gitpod HELM DEPLOY TO RENDER

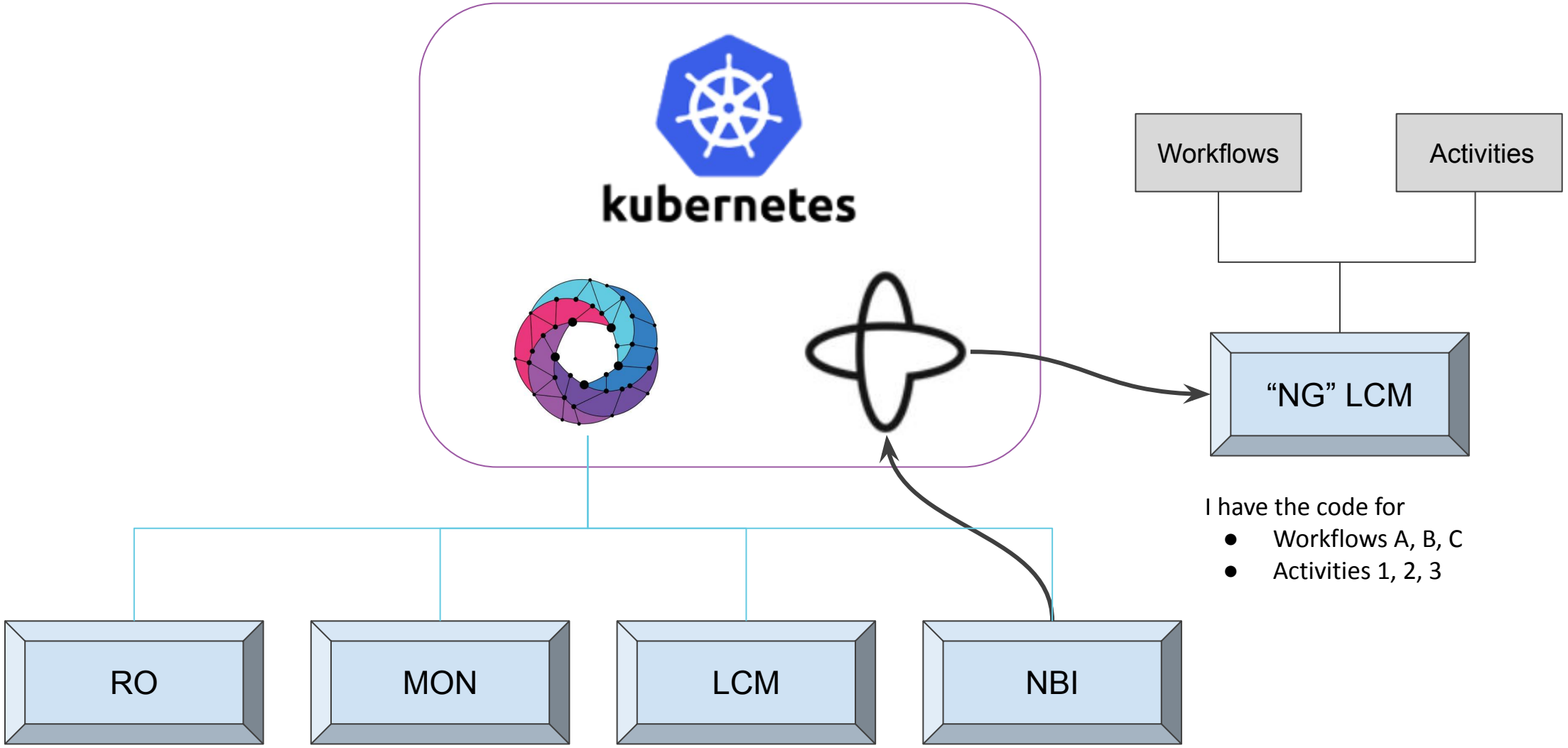
Learn

https://github.com/temporalio/samples-python

https://github.com/temporalio/sdk-python

- hello - All of the basic features.
  - hello_activity - Execute an activity from a workflow.
  - hello_activity_choice - Execute certain activities inside a workflow based on dynamic input.
  - hello_activity_multiprocess - Execute a synchronous activity on a process pool.
  - hello_activity_retry - Demonstrate activity retry by failing until a certain number of attempts.
  - hello_activity_threaded - Execute a synchronous activity on a thread pool.
  - hello_async_activity_completion - Complete an activity outside of the function that was called.
  - hello_cancellation - Manually react to cancellation inside workflows and activities.
  - hello_child_workflow - Execute a child workflow from a workflow.
  - hello_continue_as_new - Use continue as new to restart a workflow.
  - hello_cron - Execute a workflow once a minute.
  - hello_exception - Execute an activity that raises an error out of the workflow and out of the program.
  - hello_local_activity - Execute a local activity from a workflow.
  - hello_mtls - Accept URL, namespace, and certificate info as CLI args and use mTLS for connecting to server.
  - hello_parallel_activity - Execute multiple activities at once.
  - hello_query - Invoke queries on a workflow.
  - hello_search_attributes - Start workflow with search attributes then change while running.
  - hello_signal - Send signals to a workflow.
- activity_sticky_queue - Uses unique task queues to ensure activities run on specific workers.
- activity_worker - Use Python activities from a workflow in another language.
- custom_converter - Use a custom payload converter to handle custom types.
- custom_decorator - Custom decorator to auto-heartbeat a long-running activity.
- encryption - Apply end-to-end encryption for all input/output.
- open_telemetry - Trace workflows with OpenTelemetry.
- pydantic_converter - Data converter for using Pydantic models.
- sentry - Report errors to Sentry.

Write



I have the code for

- Workflows A, B, C
- Activities 1, 2, 3

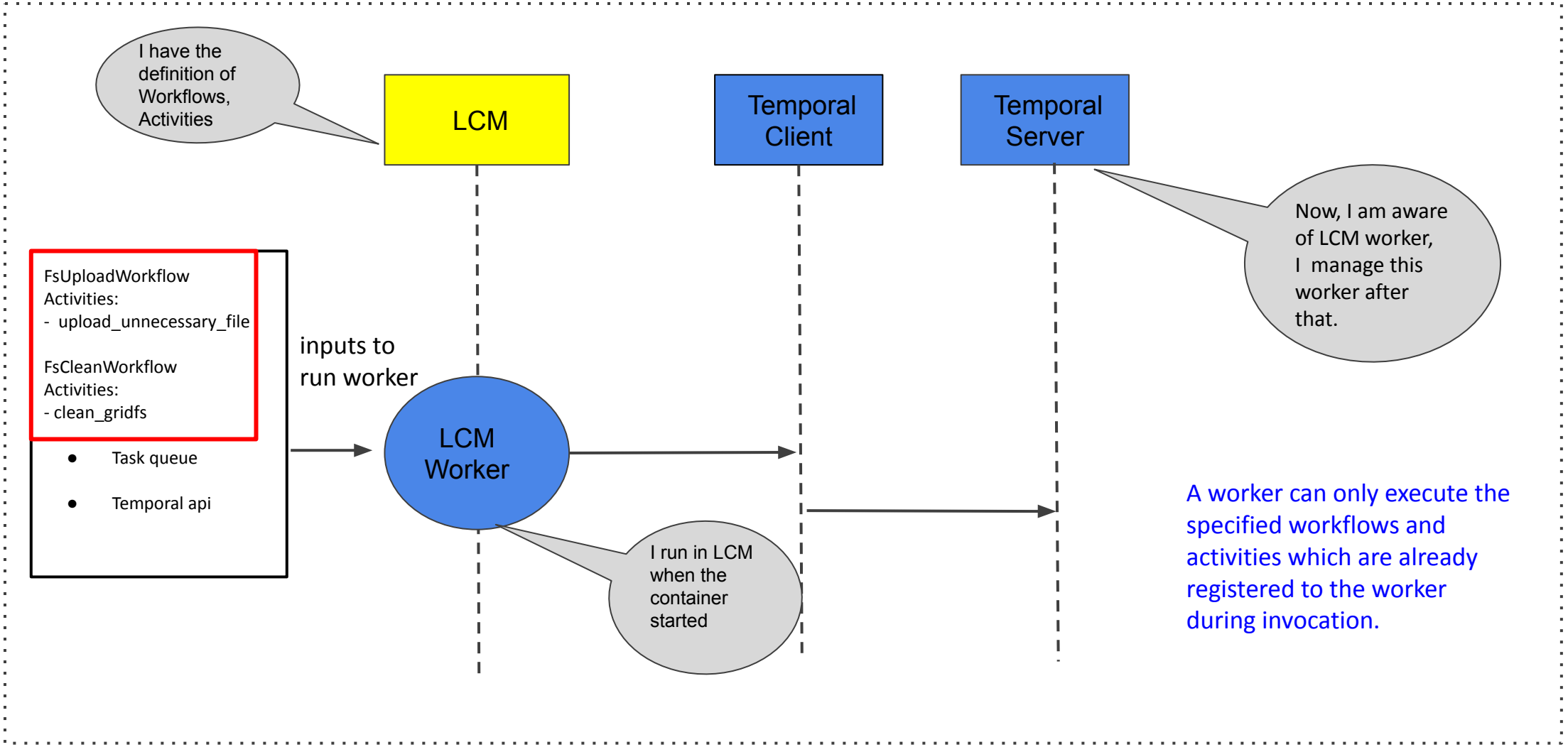
Demo

Periodic Gridfs Cleaning with Temporal Workflows

Why FsClean workflow is created?

- Existing production issue (https://osm.etsi.org/bugzilla/show_bug.cgi?id=2024)
- NSD/VNFD upload can abandon files (charts, bundles)
- Performance of file synchronization operations can be impacted
- A workflow is created to delete the unused Gridfs files in OSM MongoDB
- The workflow could be scheduled to run periodically so it always keeps the OSM filesystem clean

A Worker invocation Flow



A Worker invocation Flow

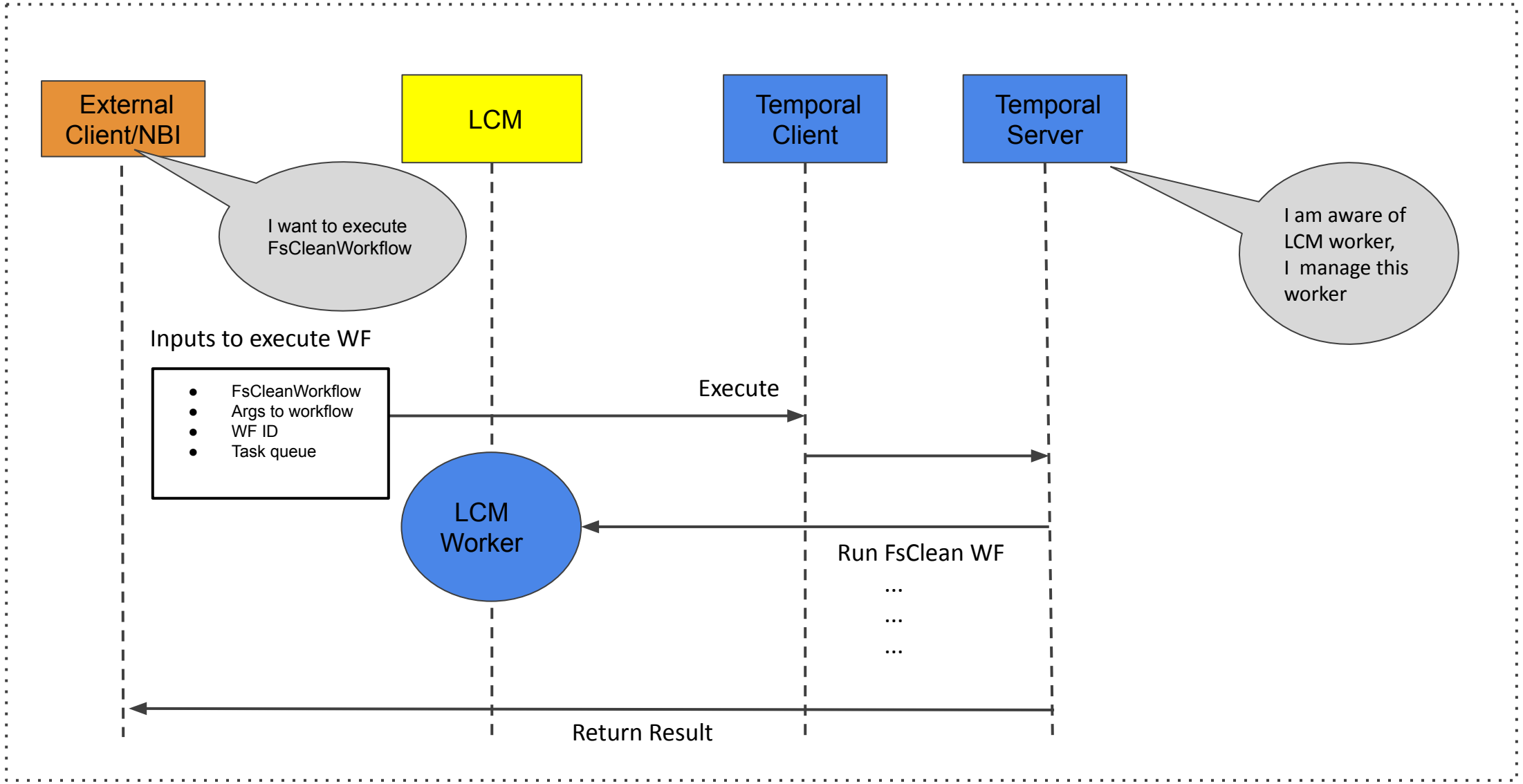
```python
def start(self):
    # Start LCM Temporal Worker
    temporal_api = get_temporal_api(self.main_config)
    workflows_data = get_workflows_data(self.fs, self.main_config.database.uri)
    lcm_worker = WKTemporal(workflows_data, temporal_api, "lcm.temporal")
    self.logger.info("Starting LCM temporal worker")
    try:
        asyncio.run(lcm_worker.run_worker())

    except Exception as err:
        self.logger.exception(
            "Exception '{}' at messaging read loop".format(err), exc_info=True
        )
```

```python
def get_workflows_data(fs, uri):
    data_upload = FsUploadActivities(fs)
    data_cleanup = FsCleanActivities(uri)
    workflows_data = {
        "task_queue": lcm_task_queue,
        "workflows": [FsUploadWorkflow, FsCleanWorkflow],
        "activities": [
            data_upload.upload_unnecessary_file,
            data_cleanup.clean_gridfs,
        ],
    }
    return workflows_data
```

```python
return asyncio.create_task(
    Worker(
        self.temporal_client,
        task_queue=self.workflows_data["task_queue"],
        workflows=self.workflows_data["workflows"],
        activities=self.workflows_data["activities"],
    ).run(),
)
```

Executing a Workflow using the Temporal client



Executing a Workflow using the Temporal client

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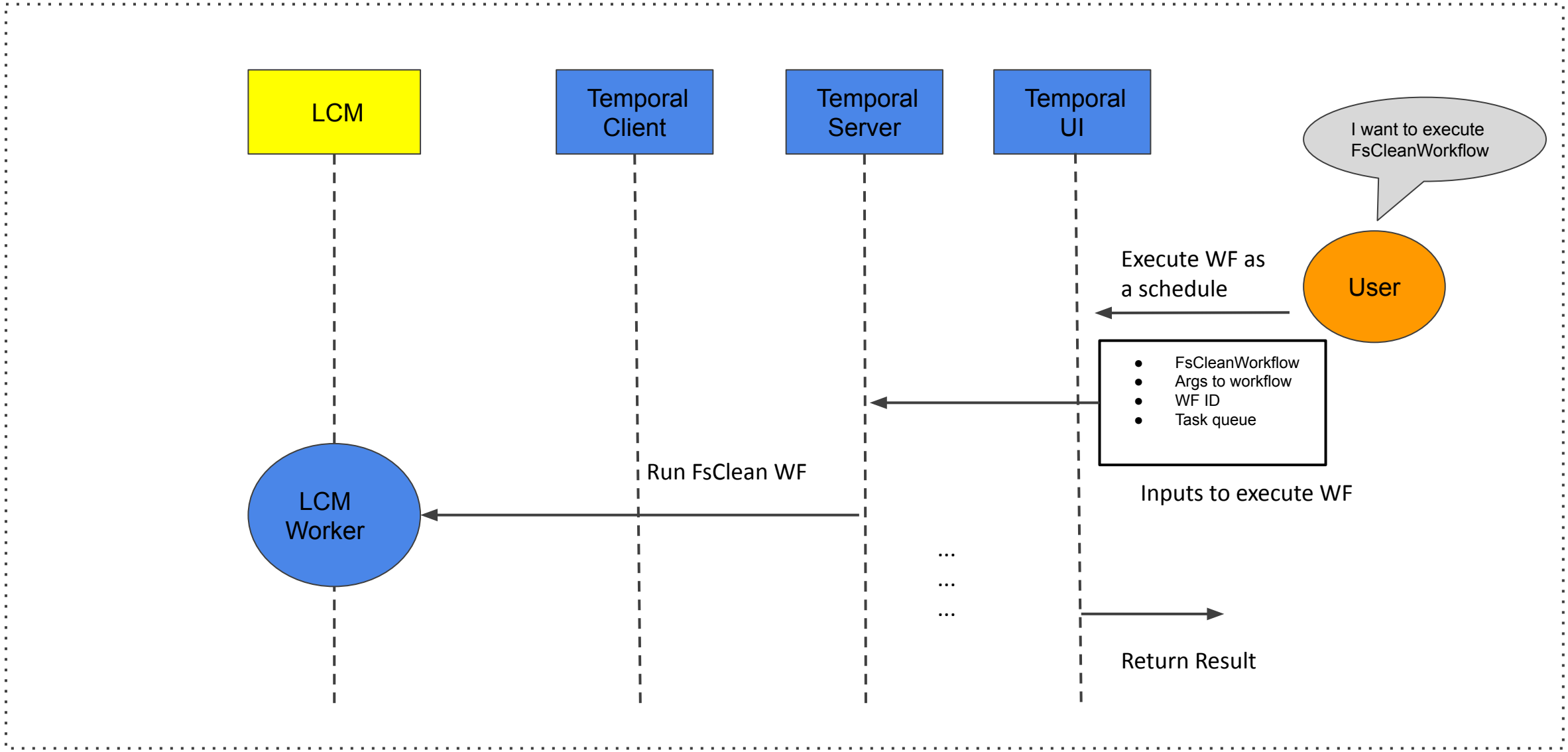
```python
temporal_api = "10.152.183.2"
workflow = WFTemporal(temporal_api=f"{temporal_api}:7233")
execute_upload_workflow(workflow)
```

```python
def execute_upload_workflow(wf_name):
    upload_workflow = get_upload_workflow()
    return asyncio.run(
        wf_name.execute_workflow(
            task_queue=lcm_task_queue,
            workflow_name=upload_workflow["workflow_name"],
            workflow_data=upload_workflow["data"],
            id=upload_workflow["workflow_id"],
        )
    )
```

```python
def get_upload_workflow():
    return {
        "workflow_name": "FsUploadWorkflow",
        "workflow_id": "FsUploadWF",
        "task_queue": lcm_task_queue,
        "data": {
            "path": str(uuid.uuid4()),
            "indata": {
                "some_key": "some_value",
                "other_key": "other_value",
            },
        },
    }
```

```python
async def execute_workflow(
    self, task_queue: str, workflow_name: str, workflow_data: any, id: str = None
):
    handle = await self.start_workflow(
        task_queue=task_queue,
        workflow_name=workflow_name,
        workflow_data=workflow_data,
        id=id,
    )
    result = await handle.result()
    self.logger.info(f"Completed workflow {workflow_name}, id {id}")
    return result
```

Executing a Scheduled Workflow by Temporal UI



Abstract overview of the workflow for the demo

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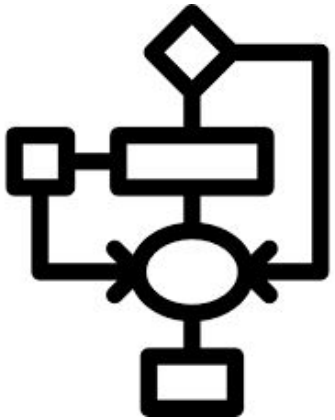


Workflows **Activities**

FsUploadWorkflow -> upload_unnecessary_file

FsCleanWorkflow -> clean_gridfs

Worker

gRPC

1. Run Worker

3. Execute FsCleanWorkflow as cron job

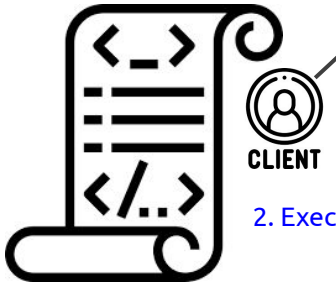
Temporal

Web UI

Services

MariaDB

gRPC

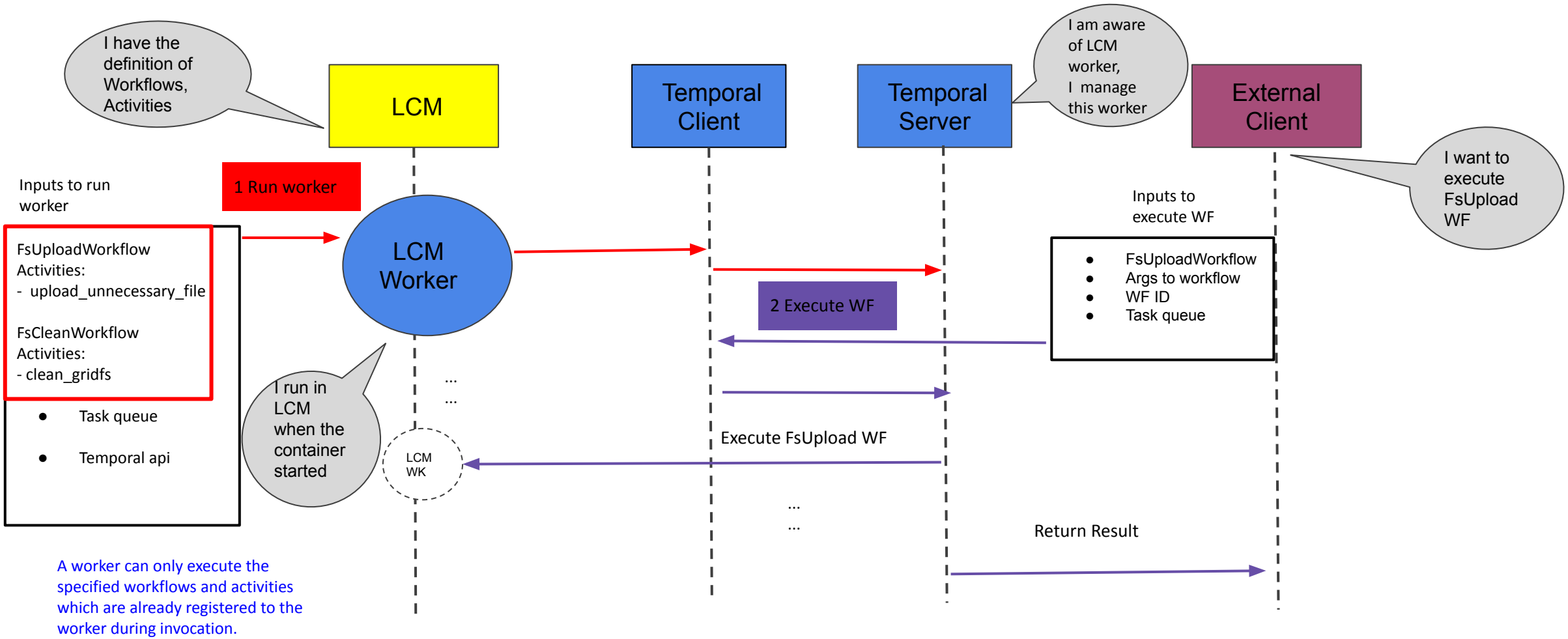


2. Execute FsUploadWorkflow

NG-LCM

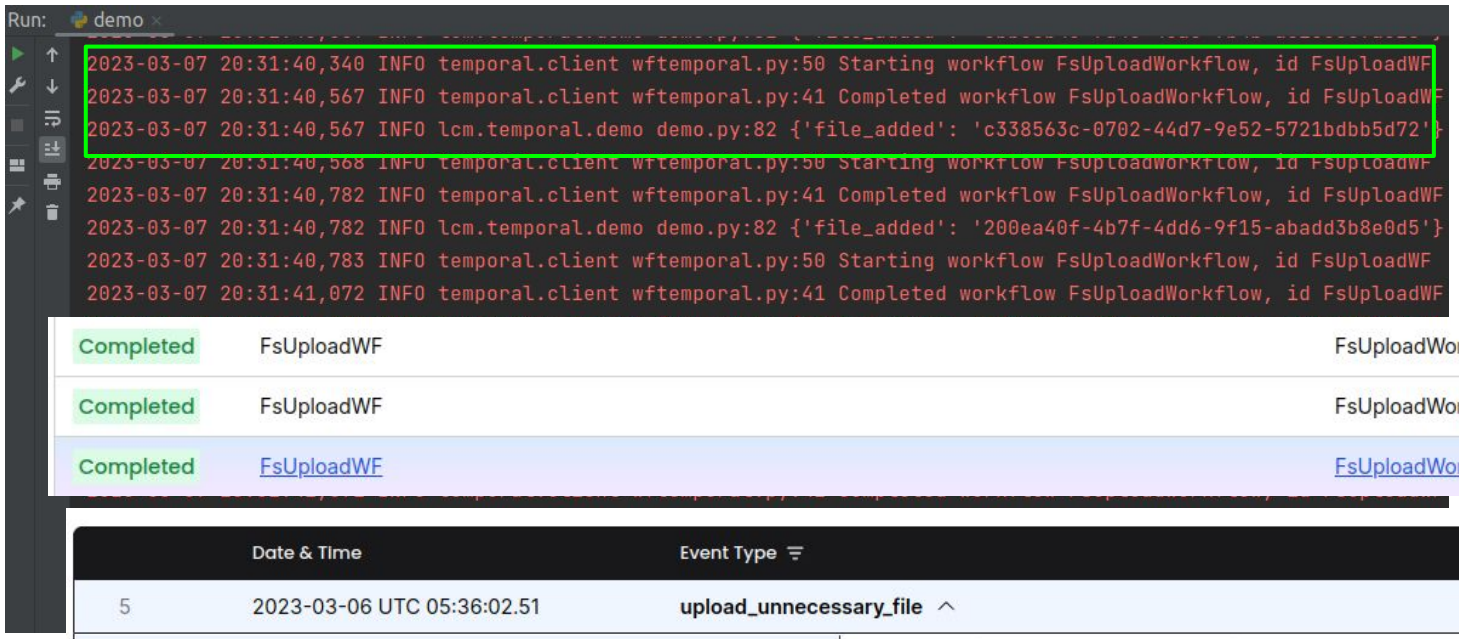
MongoDB Gridfs

Demo Flow



Execute FsUploadWorkflow

Execute FsUploadWorkflow in order to **upload unnecessary** files to Gridfs



Completed	FsUploadWF	FsUploadWorkflow	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.20	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.37
Completed	FsUploadWF	FsUploadWorkflow	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.03	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.18
Completed	FsUploadWF	FsUploadWorkflow	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:01.87	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.02

	Date & Time	Event Type	Expand All
5	2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.51	upload_unnecessary_file	
7	ActivityTaskCompleted		
6	ActivityTaskStarted		
5	ActivityTaskScheduled		

Event Time 2023-03-06 UTC 05:36:02.51

Result

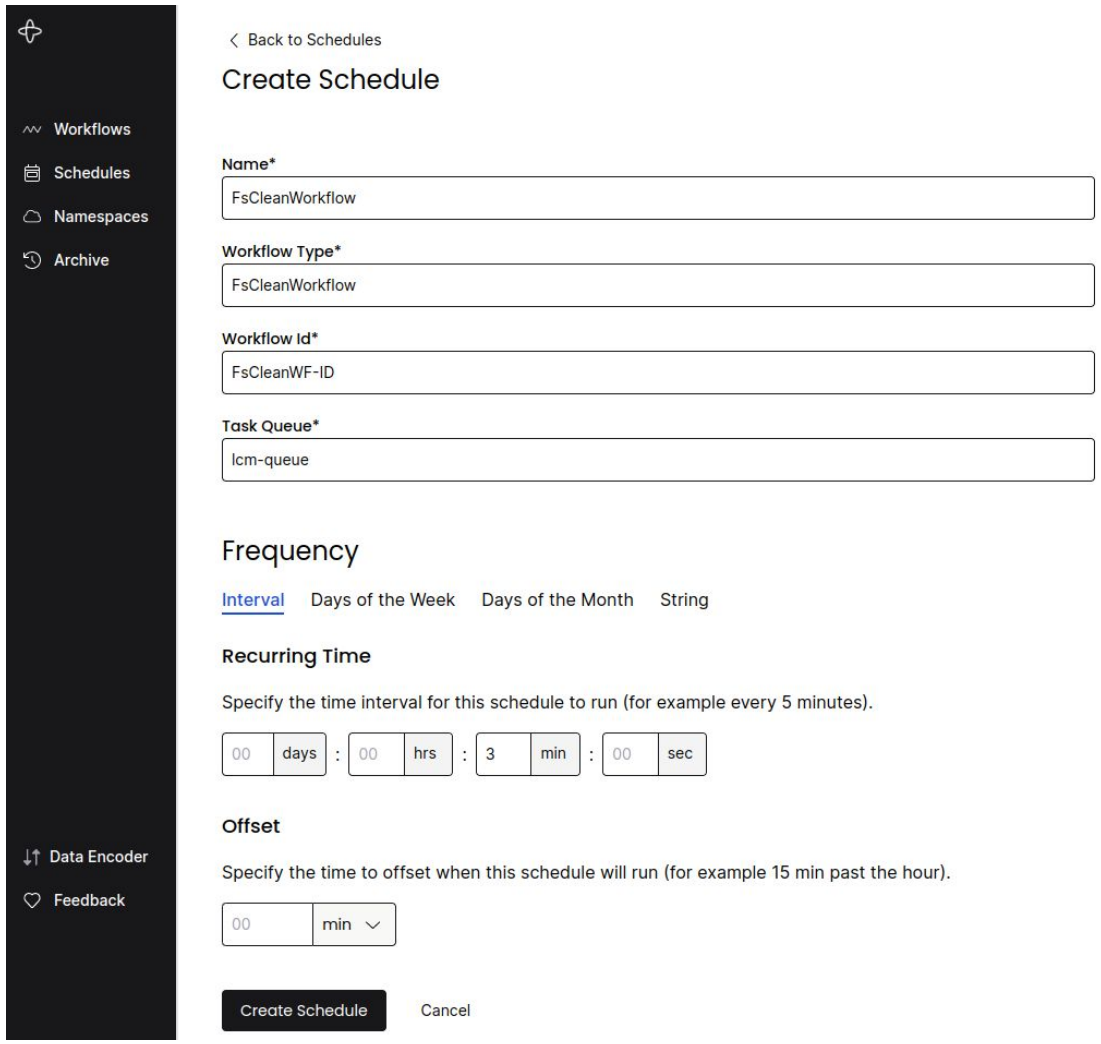
```
[
  {
    "file_added": "83353f15-836d-47bd-87e2-9e6bbc969579"
  }
]
```

Scheduled Event ID 5

Started Event ID 6

Identity 63311@nglcm-0

Create Schedule for FsCleanWorkflow



Scheduled FsCleanWorkflow cleans

Running **FsCleanWorkflow**

default • FsCleanWorkflow

Created: 2023-03-05 UTC 23:31:13.31

Frequency

Every 01min:00sec

Recent Runs

Completed	FsCleanWF-2023-03-06T07:01:00Z
Completed	FsCleanWF-2023-03-06T07:02:00Z
Completed	FsCleanWF-2023-03-06T07:03:00Z
Completed	FsCleanWF-2023-03-06T07:04:00Z
Completed	FsCleanWF-2023-03-06T07:05:00Z

	Date & Time	Event Type
5	2023-03-06 UTC 05:37:00.44	clean_gridfs
7	ActivityTaskCompleted	
6	ActivityTaskStarted	
5	ActivityTaskScheduled	

Event Time 2023-03-06 UTC 05:37:00.44

Result

```
[
  {
    "Deleted_files_count": 23
  }
]
```

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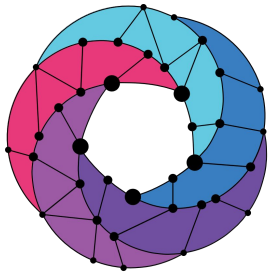

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