Raphtory: Streaming Analysis Of Distributed Temporal Graphs

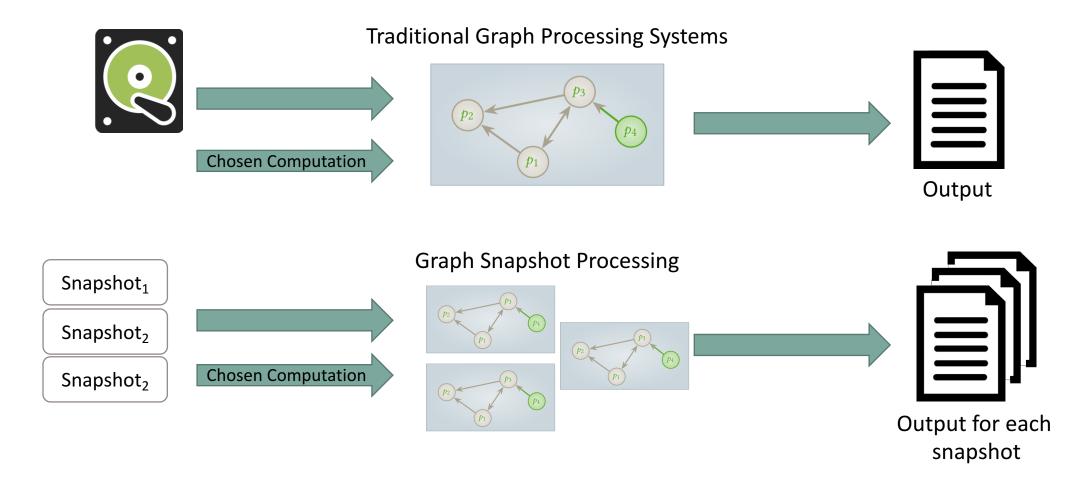
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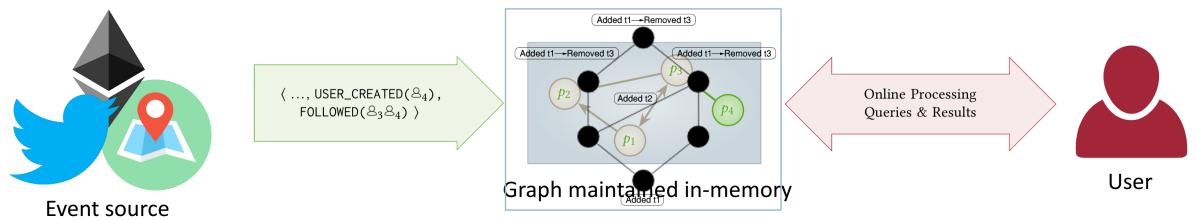


Motivation



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Stream-Based Graph Processing Platform



- Analysis on the most recent Graph
- Near real-time updates to metrics
- Compare new updates to previous state
- Temporal graph analysis

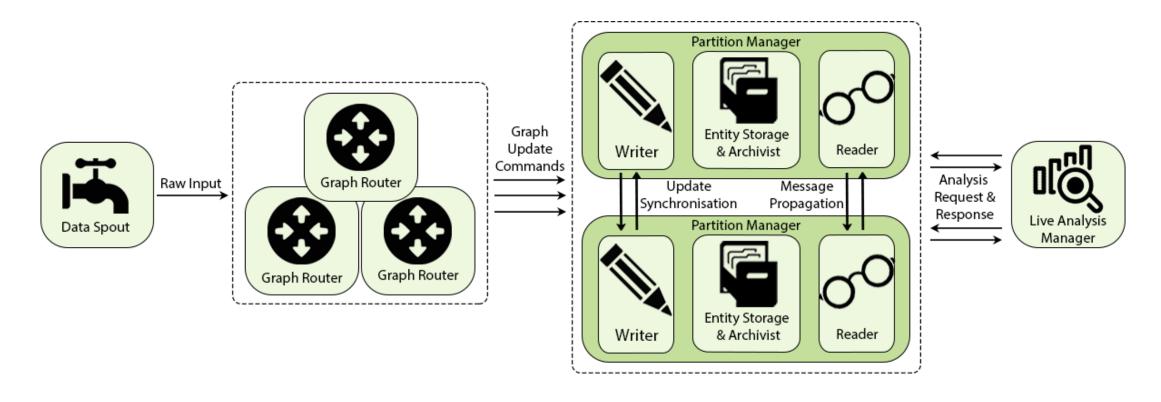
Raphtory features

- Temporal Graph Model
 - Formalisation of model and update semantics

- Distributed graph management
 - Stream Ingestion and near real-time maintenance

- Pregel-like temporal Graph Analysis
 - Live, view and temporal range analysis

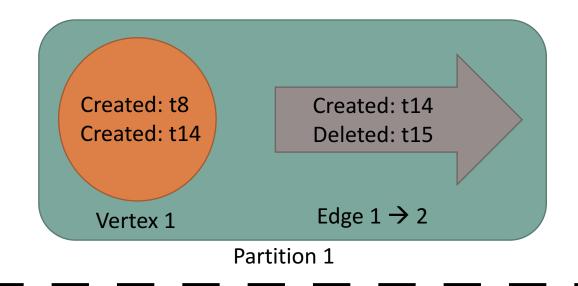
Raphtory Design

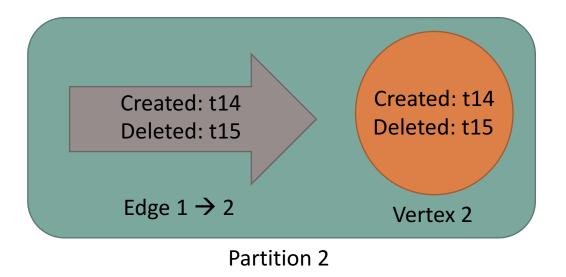


Implemented in Scala using the Akka actor model

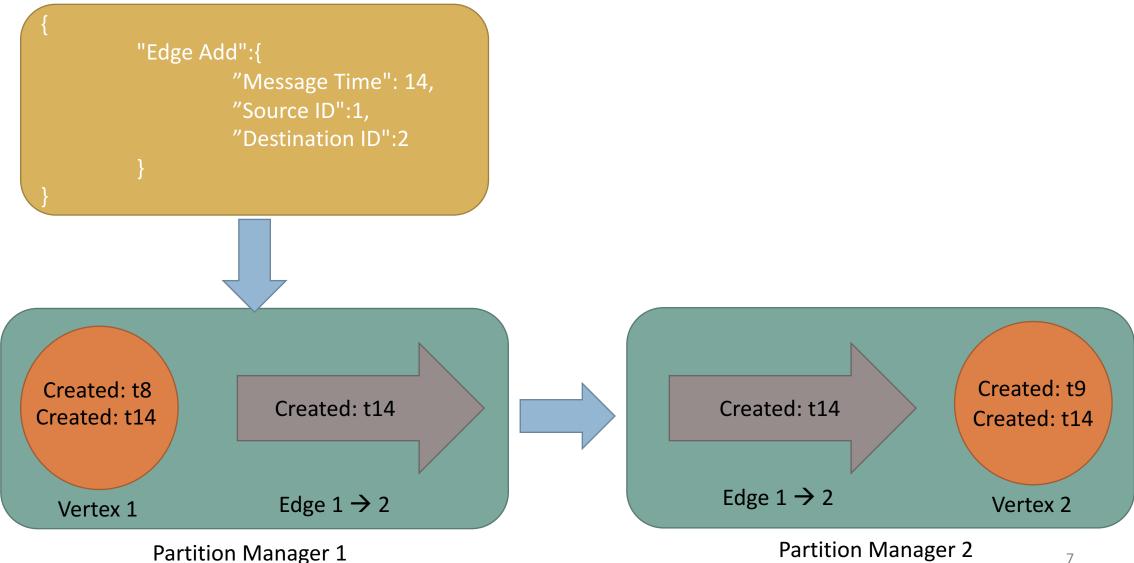
[Raphtory: Streaming analysis of distributed temporal graphs, Future Generation Computer Systems 2020, Vol 102, pp 453-464]

Partition Manger Ingestion

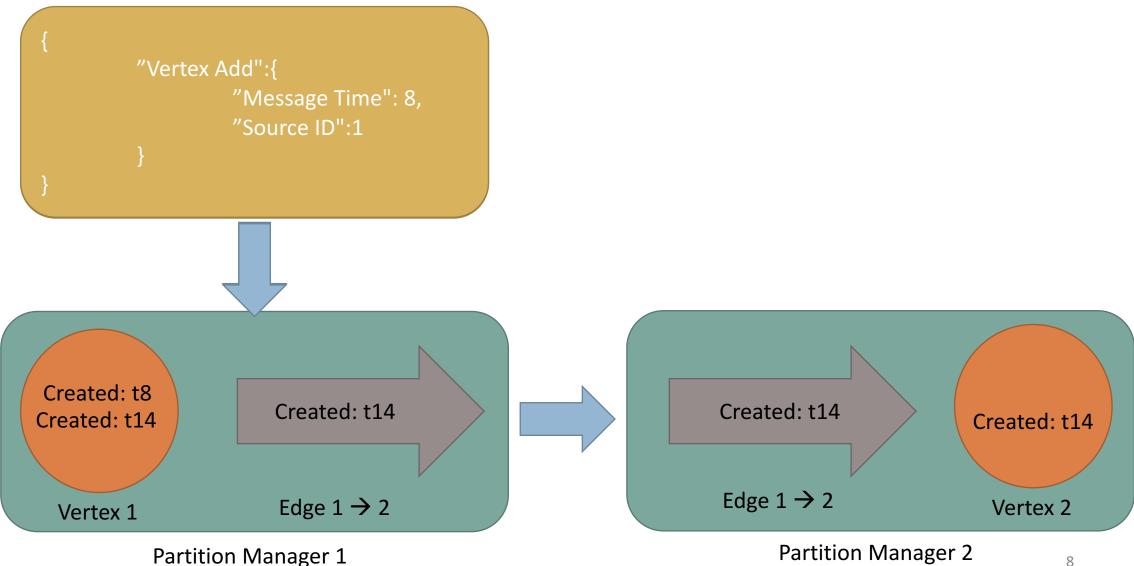




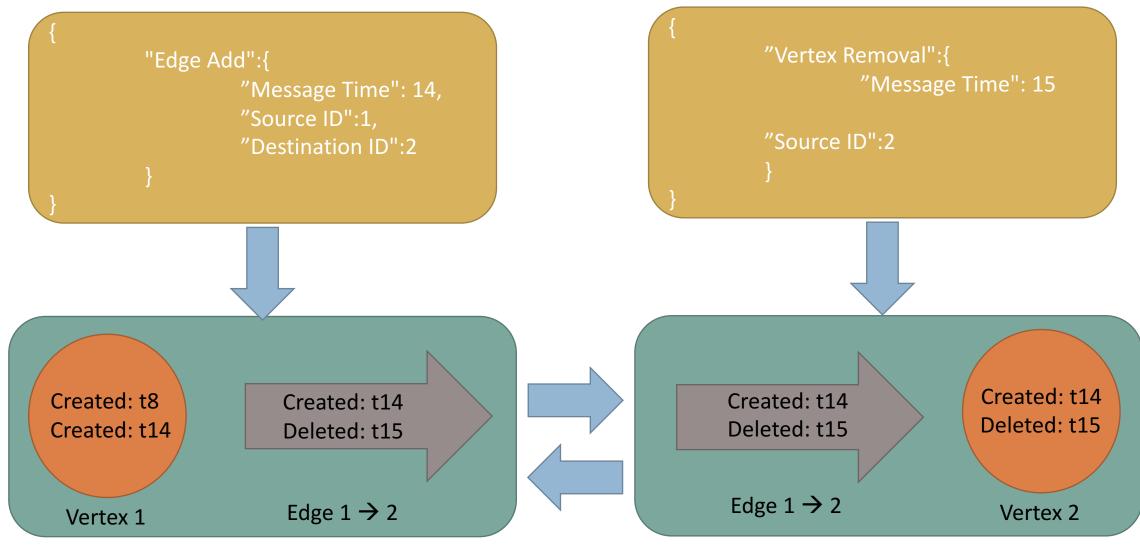
Correct update order



Edge Added Before Vertex

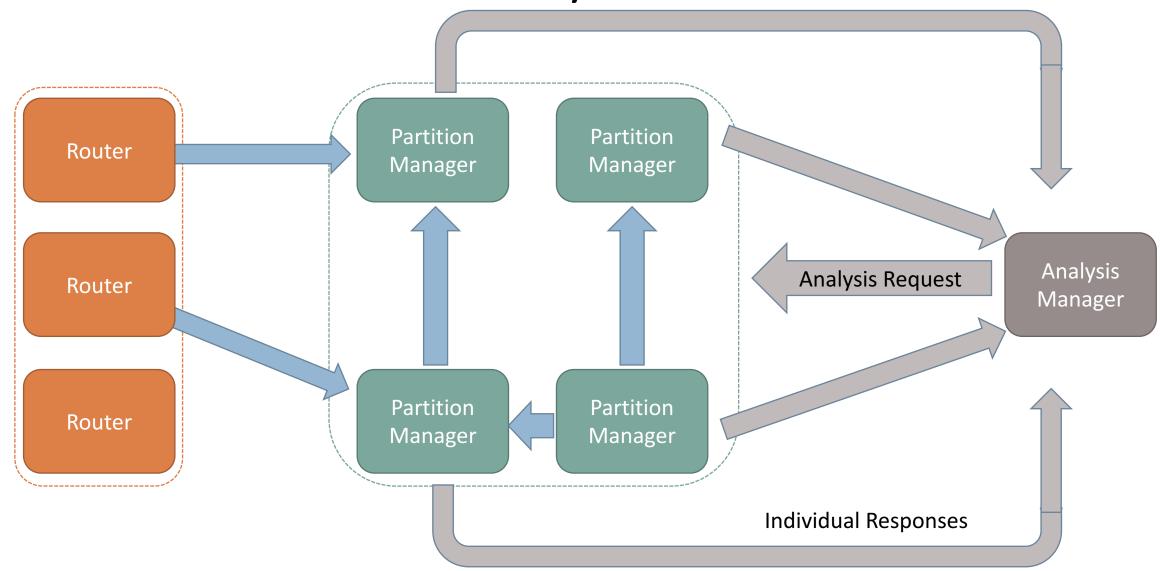


Vertex Deletion Before Edge Addition

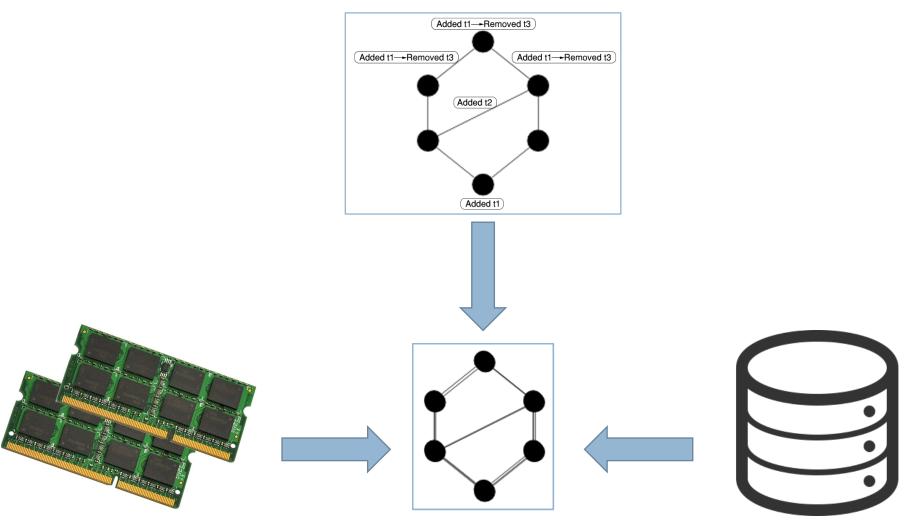


Partition Manager 1

Analysis



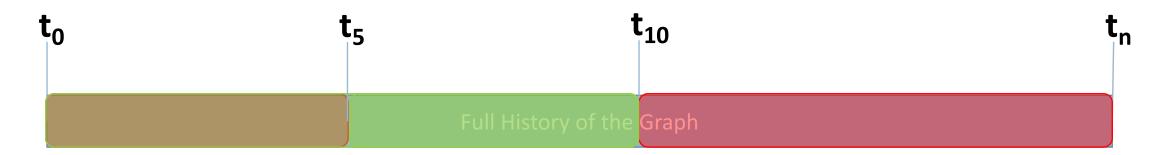
Live Graph, Views & Snapshots



Views & Windowing

Window (Left Hand Filter)

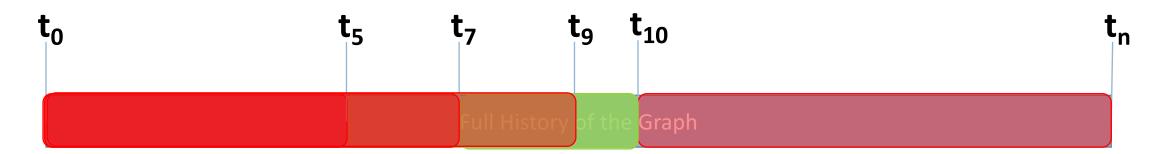
View (Right Hand Filter)



Window Size = 5

Windowing Batches

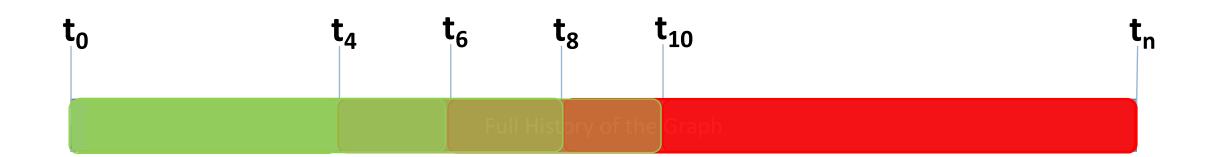
Batch of Windows (Decreasing in size)



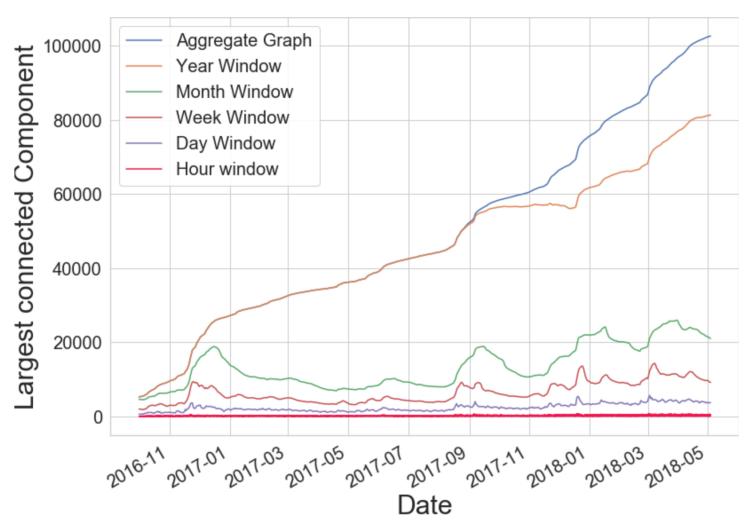
Window Sizes = [5,3,1]

Temporal Range Analysis

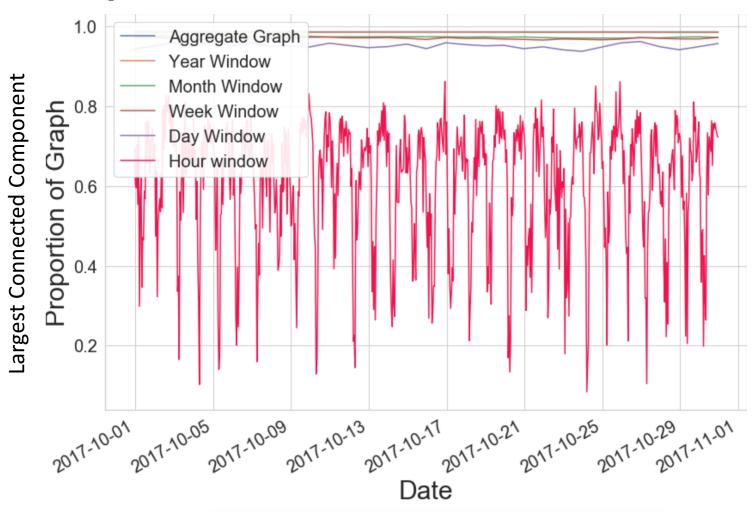
Range of Interest = $t_4 \rightarrow t_{10}$ Interval = 2



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Using Raphtory

- Available at github: https://github.com/miratepuffin/raphtory
- Includes starting documentation and tutorials
 - Readme goes through a single machine dockerised version that runs connected components over Gab graph.
- Multiple spouts (parsing data from Gab, Twitter, Bitcoin, Ethereum)
- Multiple analysis functions implemented (on views, ranges, window)
 - Connected Components
 - Information Diffusion
 - Top Degree vertex rankings

Future Roadmap and Getting Involved

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Raise PR's/Queries on Git

https://github.com/miratepuffin/raphtory