

### **Social Media Apps Programming**

### **Google App Engine**

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### Course Schedule (1/2)



#### Week Date Subject/Topics

- 1 2017/09/22 Course Orientation and Introduction to Social Media and Mobile Apps Programming
- 2 2017/09/29 Introduction to Android / iOS Apps Programming
- 3 2017/10/06 Developing Android Native Apps with Java (Android Studio)
- 4 2017/10/13 Developing iPhone / iPad Native Apps with Swift (XCode)
- 5 2017/10/20 Mobile Apps using HTML5/CSS3/JavaScript
- 6 2017/10/27 jQuery Mobile
- 7 2017/11/03 Create Hybrid Apps with Phonegap
- 8 2017/11/10 jQuery Mobile/Phonegap
- 9 2017/11/17 jQuery Mobile/Phonegap



### Course Schedule (2/2)

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#### **Outline**

Google App Engine



Google Cloud Platform



Google Cloud Datastore



Google Firebase





# App Frontend

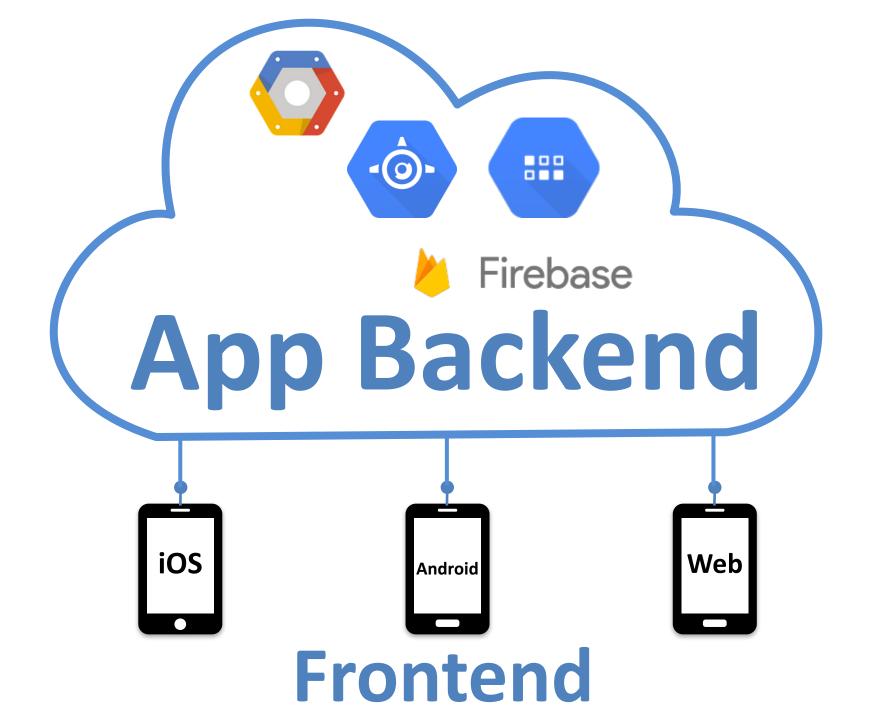






Android







### **Google Cloud Platform**

**Hosting + Services Big Data Storage Compute** 

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### **Google Cloud Platform**

#### Compute



**App Engine** 



**Compute Engine** 



**Container Engine** 

#### **Storage**



**Cloud Datastore** 



Cloud SQL



**Cloud Storage** 

**Big Data** 



**Services** 

**Cloud Endpoints** 



Big Query

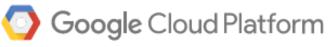


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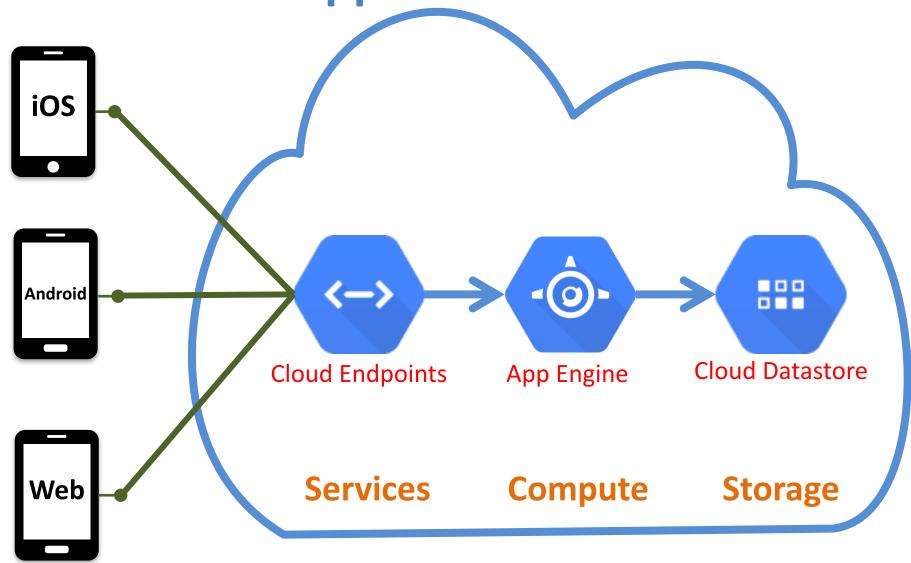


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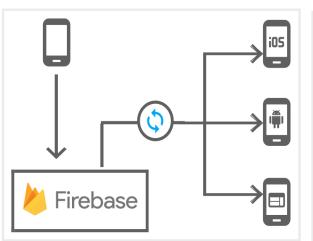
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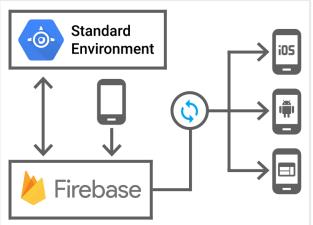


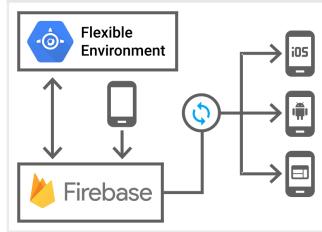
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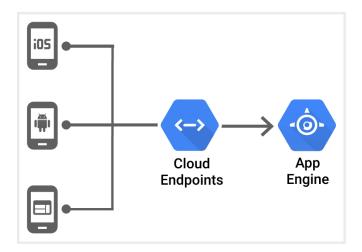


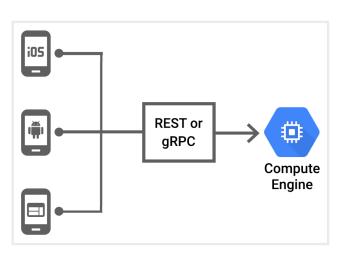
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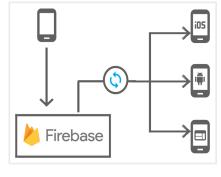


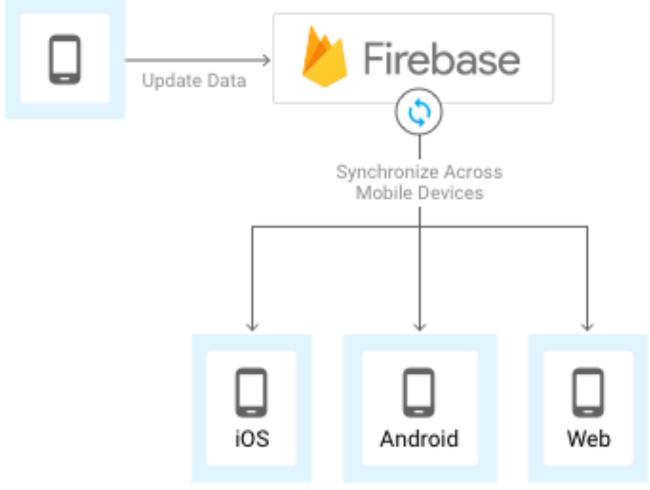






#### **Firebase**

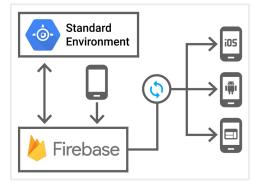


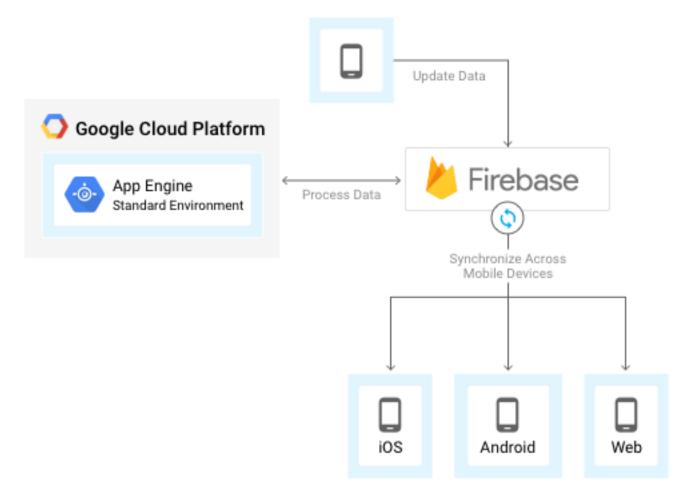




# Firebase and Google App Engine

standard environment

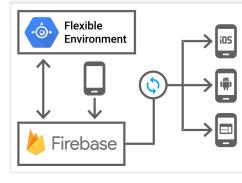


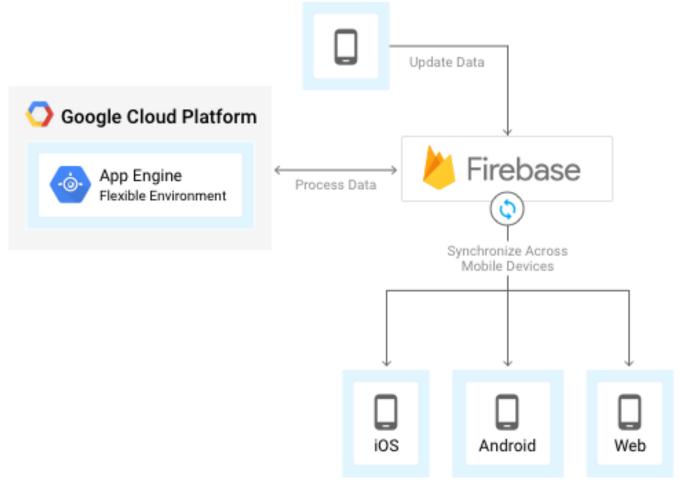




# Firebase and App Engine

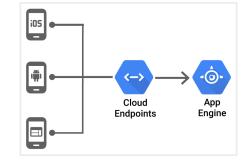
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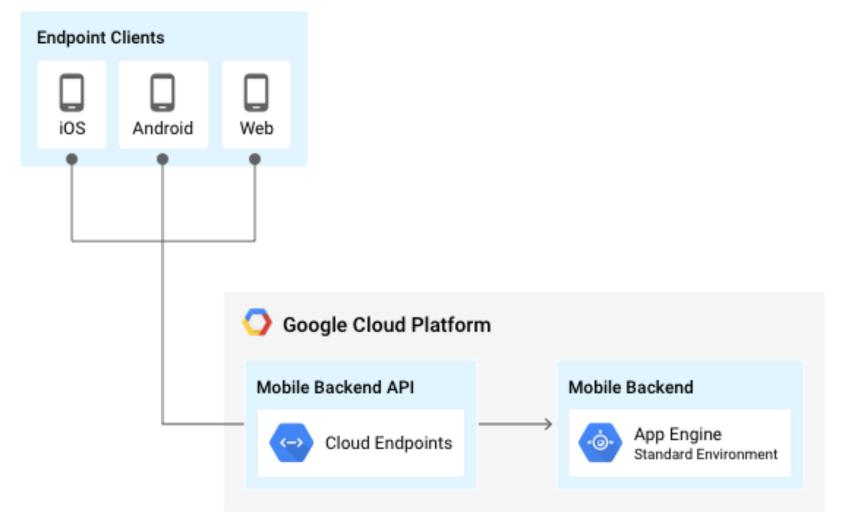






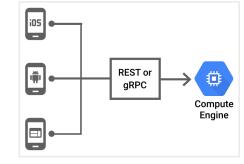
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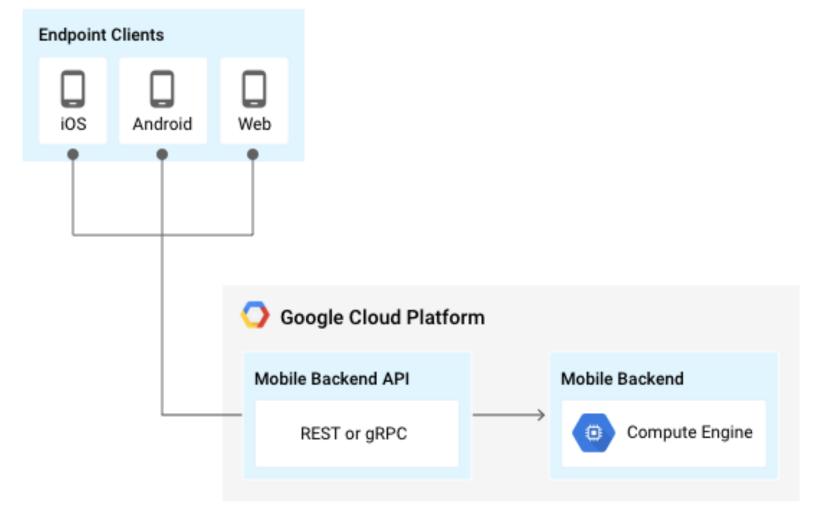






## Compute Engine and REST or gRPC





# Storing data and Exchanging data

## **JSON**

- JSON
  - –JavaScript Object Notation.
- JSON is a syntax for storing and exchanging data.
- JSON is an easier-to-use alternative to XML.

## **JSON**

```
{"employees":[
     {"firstName":"John", "lastName":"Doe"},
     {"firstName":"Anna", "lastName":"Smith"},
     {"firstName":"Peter", "lastName":"Jones"}
]}
```

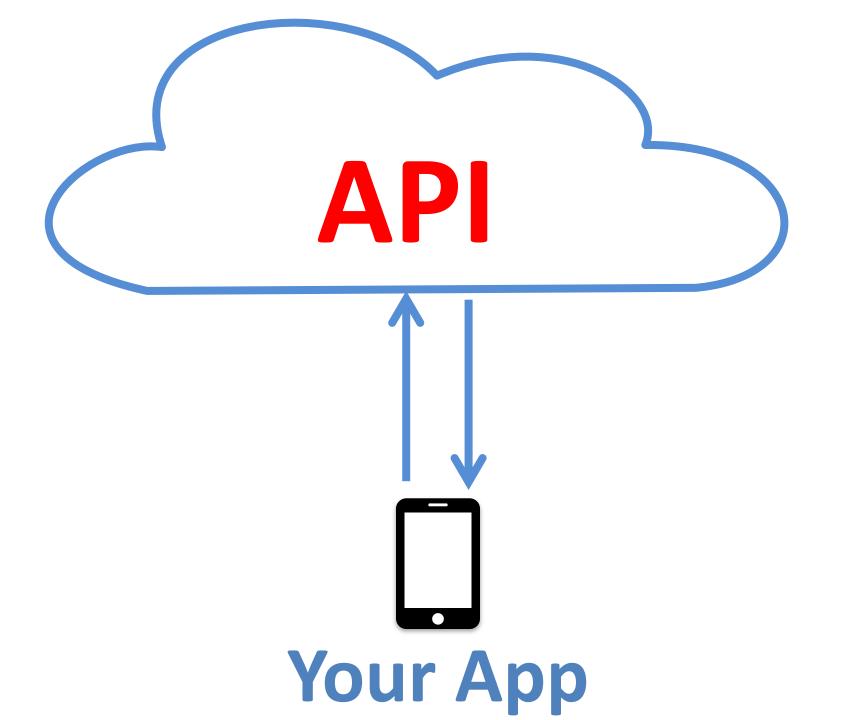
## **XML**

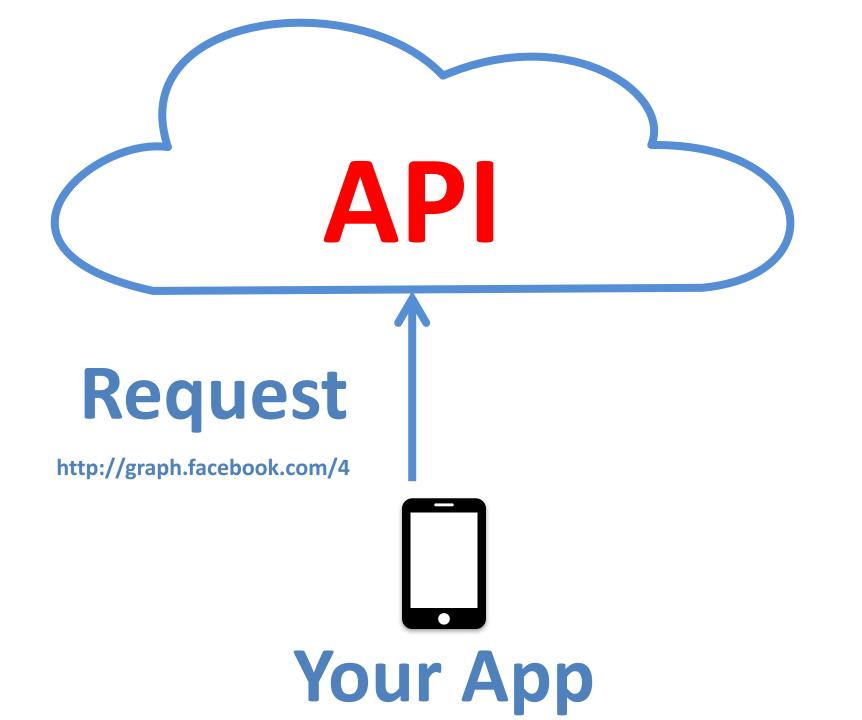
```
<employees>
 <employee>
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 </employee>
 <employee>
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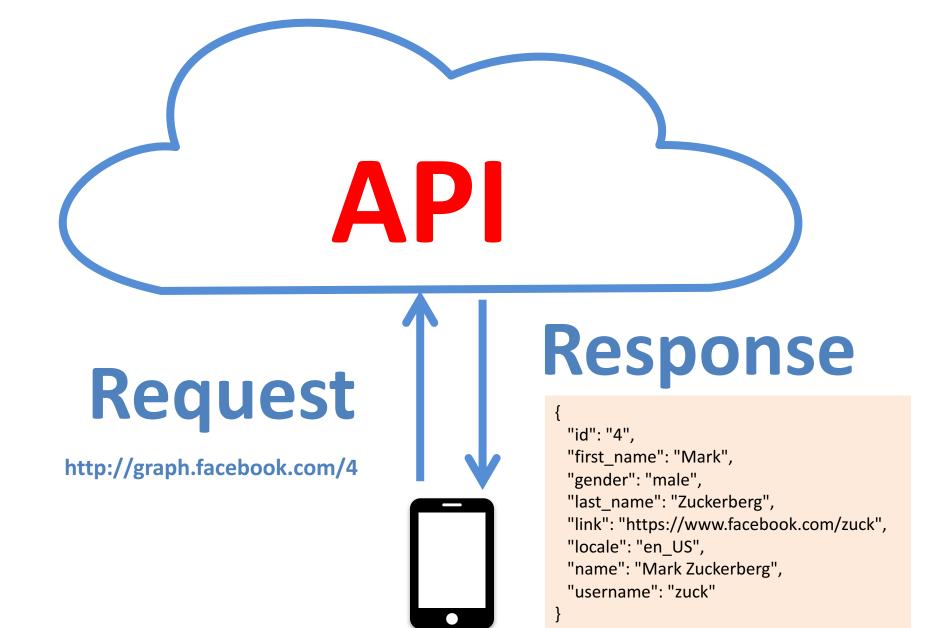
## JSON vs. XML

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</employees>
```

# Application Programming nterface







### Your App

### http://graph.facebook.com/4

```
graph.facebook.com/4
← → C graph.facebook.com/4
   "id": "4",
   "name": "Mark Zuckerberg",
   "first name": "Mark",
   "last name": "Zuckerberg",
   "link": "http://www.facebook.com/zuck",
   "username": "zuck",
   "gender": "male",
   "locale": "en US"
```

### Facebook API (JSON)

http://graph.facebook.com/4

```
"id": "4",
"first name": "Mark",
"gender": "male",
"last name": "Zuckerberg",
"link": "https://www.facebook.com/zuck",
"locale": "en US",
"name": "Mark Zuckerberg",
"username": "zuck"
```

### http://graph.facebook.com/minyuhday

```
graph.facebook.com/miny ×
       graph.facebook.com/minyuhday
 "id": "684393172",
 "name": "Min-Yuh Day",
 "first name": "Min-Yuh",
 "last name": "Day",
 "link": "http://www.facebook.com/minyuhday",
 "username": "minyuhday",
 "gender": "male",
 "locale": "en US"
```

## JavaScript vs. JSON

- JSON
  - –JavaScript Object Notation
    - Format for sharing data
    - Derived from JavaScript
    - Language independent
    - An alternative to XML

### **JSON**

- Advantages
  - Easy to read
  - Easy to write
  - Easy to Parse

```
Var info = JSON.parse(data);
info.name
info.position
info.courses[i]
```

- Learner than XML
- Growing support in APIs (i.e., Facebook, Twitter)
- Natural format for JavaScript
- Implementation in many languages

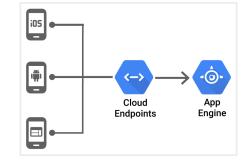
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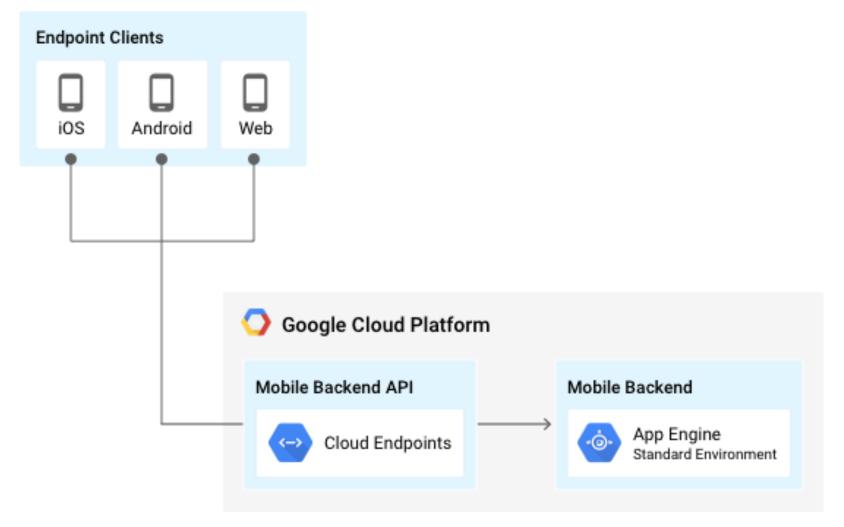
```
"name" : "Min-Yuh Day"
"position": "Assistant Professor"
"courses" : [
   "Social Media Apps Programming"
   "Social Media Marketing"
   "Data Mining"
```

```
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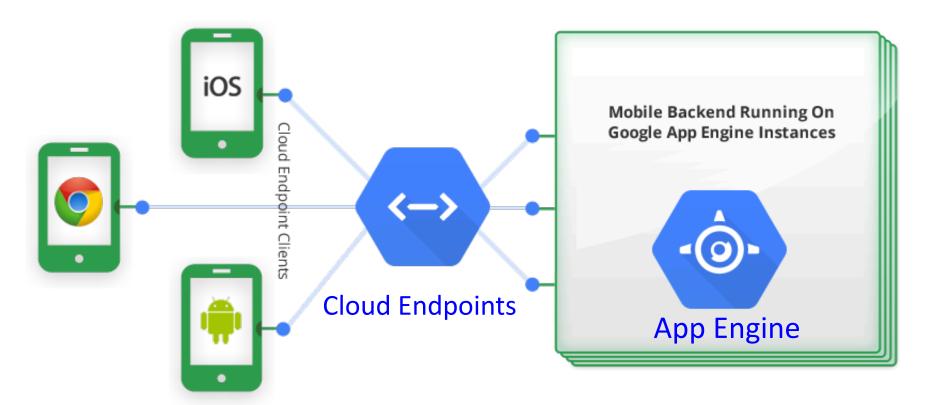
## App Engine and Cloud Endpoints







## Mobile Apps Backend on Google App Engine



### **Google Cloud Endpoints Architecture**

### Google App Engine, Google Cloud Datastore

Datasotre is a database (persistent storage) for App Engine

Web application framework (AP)

Persistent storage (Database)

Google App Engine

Google App Engine (Java, Python, Go)

Datastore

Traditional Web applications

PerI/CGI
PHP
Ruby on Rails
ASP/JSP

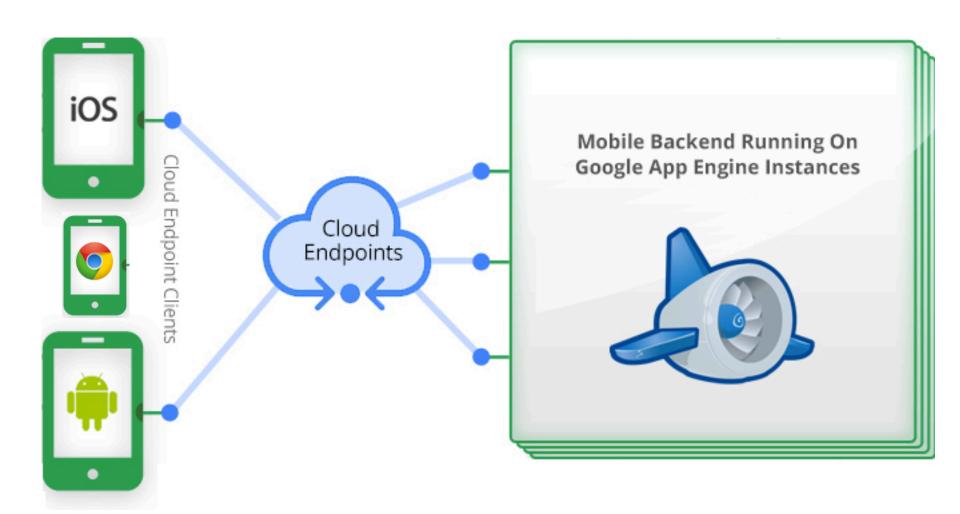
#### **RDBMS**

- MySQL
- PostgreSQL
- SQL Server
- Oracle

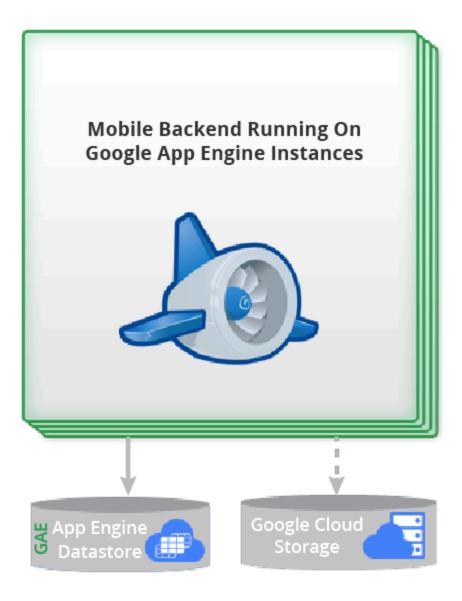
#### Mobile Solutions on the Google Cloud Platform Your Application Code running on Google App Engine (GAE), Google Compute Engine (GCE), and Client Devices Google Cloud Platform Services Optional components Capabilities Included Google Infrastructure Apple Push Notification Service Auto Scaling DoS protection Monitoring and Sockets API Load balancing Static content across GAE serving and Management Google Cloud, Instances caching Messaging Task Queues C **Batch Processing** iOS Running On Google Mobile Backend Running On **Compute Engine** Scheduled **Google App Engine Instances** Instances Tasks Cloud 통 Search API **Endpoints BigQuery Analytics** Solution Logs API adMob 생 Memcache i **Images** O Service Google

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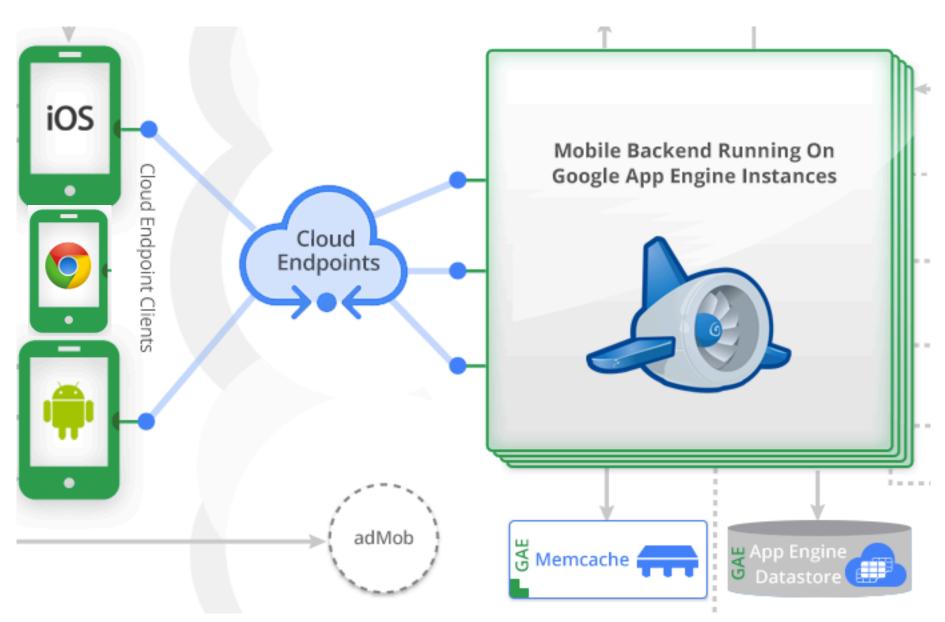
# **Mobile App Solutions Architecture**



# **Storing data**



# Optimizing data access with Memcache





# Google App Engine Platform as a Service (PaaS)

build and run applications on Google's infrastructure



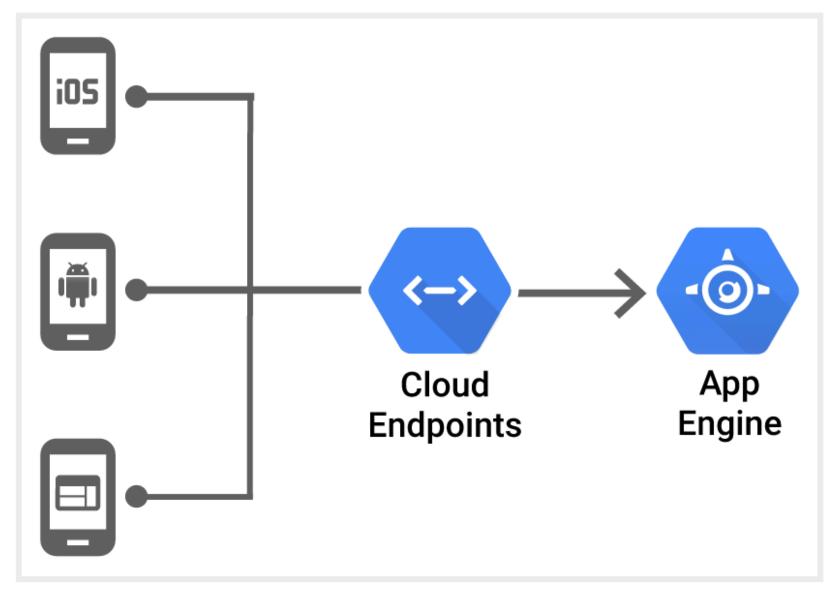
# Google App Engine Platform as a Service (PaaS)



Google Compute Engine Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS)

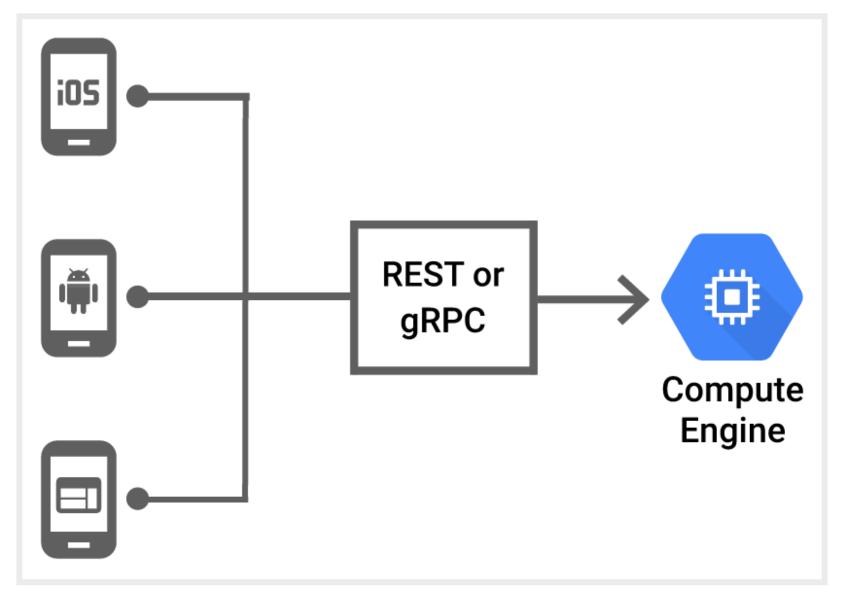


# **Mobile App Backend Services**





# **Mobile App Backend Services**



 1 GB of data storage and traffic for free

can be increased
 by enabling paid applications

Google App Engine supports apps written in a variety of programming languages: Python, Java, PHP, Go





**Python** 

Java

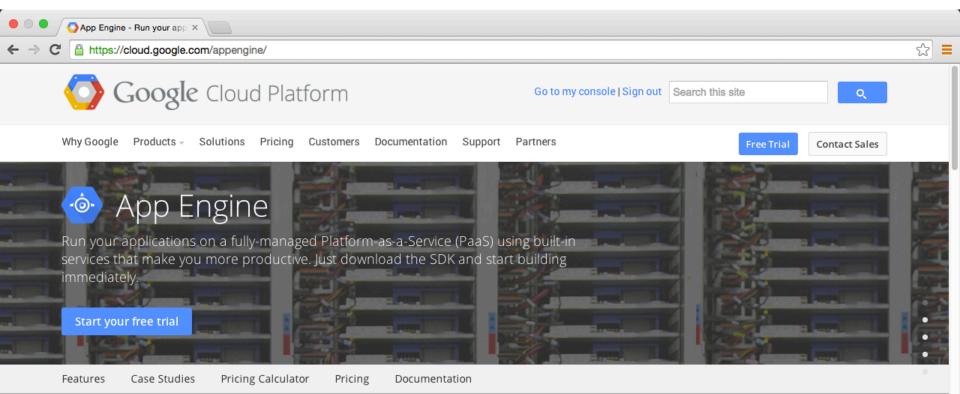




 $\mathsf{PHP}$ 

Go





### **Features**



# Popular languages and frameworks

Write applications in some of the most popular programming languages: Python, Java, PHP and Go. Use existing frameworks such as Django, Flask, Spring and webapp2. Develop locally with



#### Focus on your code

Let Google worry about database administration, server configuration, sharding and load balancing. With Traffic Splitting, you can A/B test different live versions of your app. Multitenancy support lets you compartmentalize your application data.



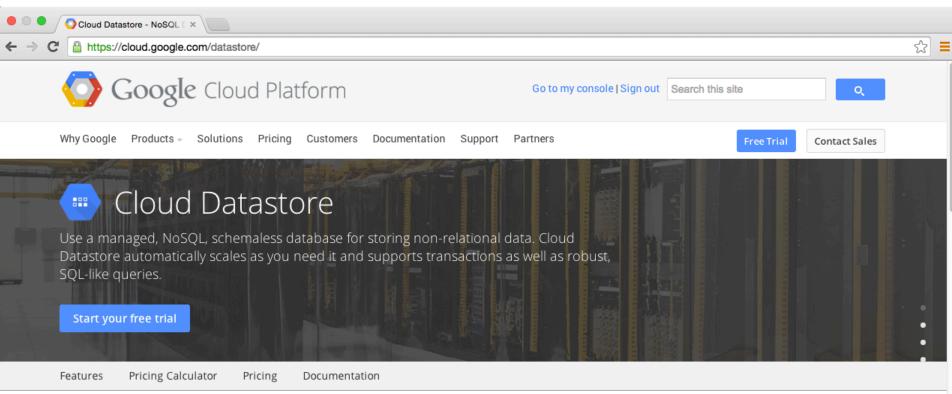
# Multiple storage options

Choose the storage option you need: a traditional MySQL database using Cloud SQL, a schemaless NoSQL datastore, or object storage using Cloud Storage.

https://cloud.google.com/appengine/



# **Google Cloud Datastore**



# **Features**



Schemaless access, with SQL-like querying

No need to worry about data models and migration. Cloud Datastore is a schemaless storage service that allows you to be agile by removing the



Managed database

Cloud Datastore is fully managed. Google automatically handles sharding and replication in order to provide you with a highly available and consistent database.



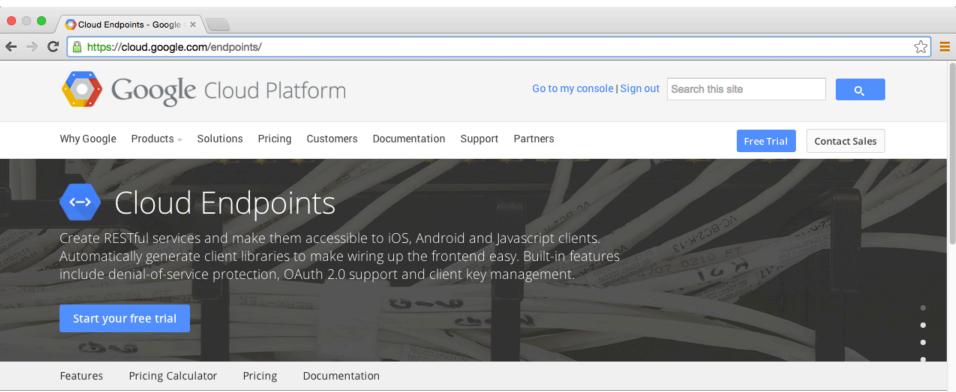
Autoscale with your users

Cloud Datastore automatically scales depending on your needs. This allows you to focus on building your application and not on worrying about provisioning and load anticipation.

need to think about the underlying structure of the <a href="https://cloud.google.com/datastore/">https://cloud.google.com/datastore/</a>



# **Google Cloud Endpoints**



# **Features**



# One tool, multiple clients

Build client libraries for Android, iOS and webbased clients from one source. Cloud Endpoints wraps your code to build an API server in just a few steps. Cloud Endpoint API libraries are available in Java, Python, Go and PHP. Learn more



All of the tools and libraries made available in App Engine are now available to your mobile devices. Access Datastore, Cloud Storage and Task Queues using your App Engine backend with no extra



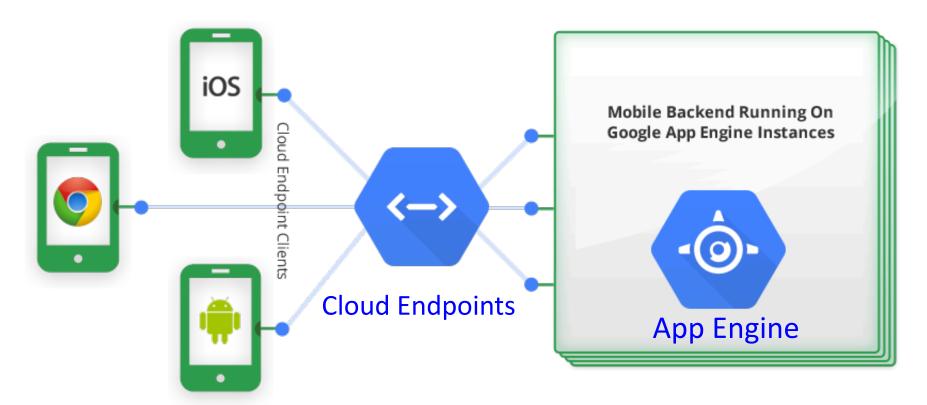
#### Low maintenance client-server

Because Cloud Endpoints is backed by App Engine, you have no servers to maintain, no load balancing to worry about and the same quick and painless scaling. Like App Engine and our other Cloud services, you only pay for what you use.

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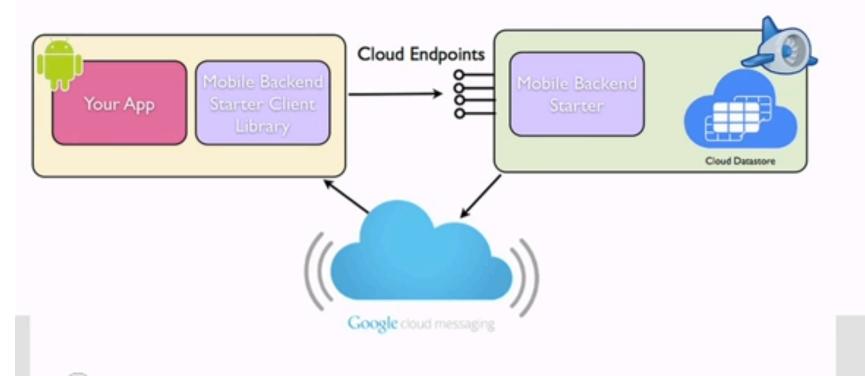
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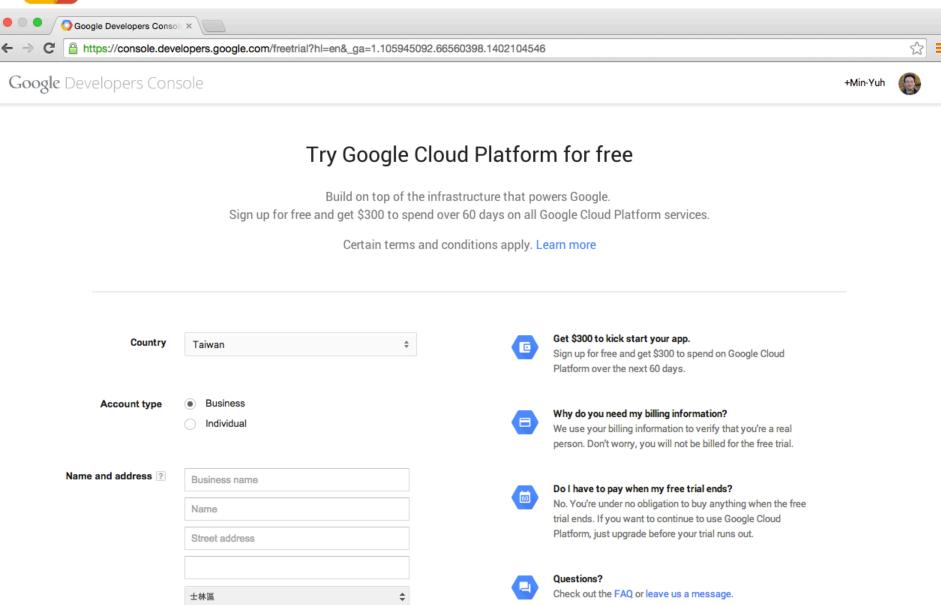
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# Mobile Backend Starter



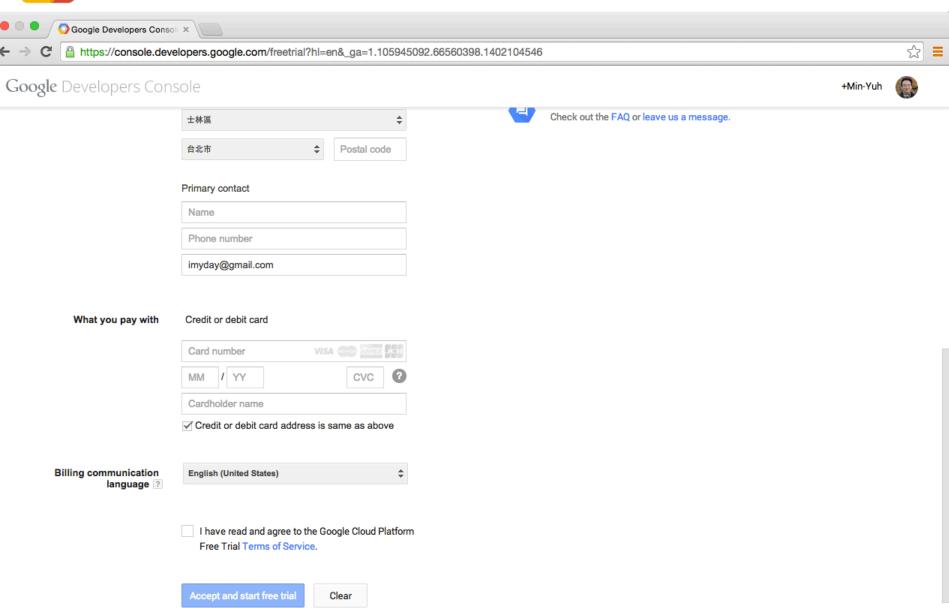


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# **Google Cloud Platform**

https://cloud.google.com/docs/





#### Google Cloud Platform - Dc X







#### Balancing Beta

Network Load Balancing

#### → Big Data

BigQuery Hadoop on Google Cloud Platform

#### → Services

Cloud Endpoints Cloud Pub/Sub Cloud Monitoring Prediction API Translate API

#### ▼ Management

Overview

Deployment Manager

#### ▼ Tools

Cloud SDK Android Studio Eclipse Plugin

Cloud Repositories Source Code Tools Release Pipelines Cloud Debugger Cloud Trace

Cloud Playground

Cloud Logging

→ Click-to-Deploy

# Get started quickly

If you're ready to get started, try these solutions for getting software up and running on our platform!



## LAMP development stack

LAMP (an acronym for Linux, Apache, MySQL, and PHP) is the archetypal open-source web development stack for many developers, and it runs great on Compute Engine!



# **Quickstart for Wordpress**

Set up a project, download a zip, change your config file, and deploy--and you'll have a working WordPress project running on Google Cloud Platform, with App Engine as your hosting environment.



## Ruby development stack

Ruby on Rails is one of the most popular frameworks for developing web applications, powering sites like Github, Basecamp and Shopify. Rapidly create new features, easily maintain code, and take advantage of the many open source contributions to Ruby on Rails, running on Compute Engine.



# App Engine "Hello World" starter

Start editing a working "Hello World" app right now, in the browser. This gives you a good starting point and a feel for what it's like editing a working App Engine application.

## Documentation

Use the following section or the left-hand navigation to access the various sets of documentation that cover Google Cloud Platform. Choose from computing and hosting, storage, big data, management, services, and developer tools.

# Computing and hosting



App Engine



Compute Engine

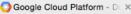


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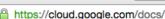
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Cloud Trace

Cloud Playground

Cloud Logging

#### → Click-to-Deploy

Cassandra

GitLab

LAMP Stack

MEAN Stack

MongoDB

RabbitMQ

Redis

Ruby on Rails

Architecture Diagrams

#### **▼** Solutions

Mobile

Hadoop

Gaming

MongoDB

RabbitMQ

Redis

Cassandra

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# Computing and hosting



## App Engine

App Engine is Google's Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS). Develop your application easily using built-in services that make you more productive. Deploy to a fully-managed platform and let Google carry the pager. Just download the SDK and start building immediately for free with no credit card required.

Overview

**Get Started** 

Tutorials: Java, PHP, Python, Go

Documentation

#### Compute Engine

Compute Engine is Google's Infrastructure-as-a-Service (IaaS). Run large-scale workloads on virtual machines hosted on Google's infrastructure. Choose a VM that fits your needs and gain the performance and consistency of Google's worldwide fiber network. With per-minute billing, you pay only for what you use.

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# Storage



### Cloud SQL

Store and manage data using a relational MySQL database. Google handles replication, patch management and database management to ensure availability and performance, and you can even have your instance automatically co-locate with your deployed applications.

Overview Tutorial



### **Cloud Storage**

Use a durable and highly available object storage service. With global edge-caching, your users have fast access to your app's data from any location. Google manages versioning, guarantees a strong SLA and provides a simple API that allows you to manage your data programmatically.

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#### Cloud Datastore

Cloud Datastore provides a managed, NoSQL, schemaless database for storing nonrelational data. Cloud Datastore automatically scales as you need it and supports transactions as well as robust, SQLlike gueries.

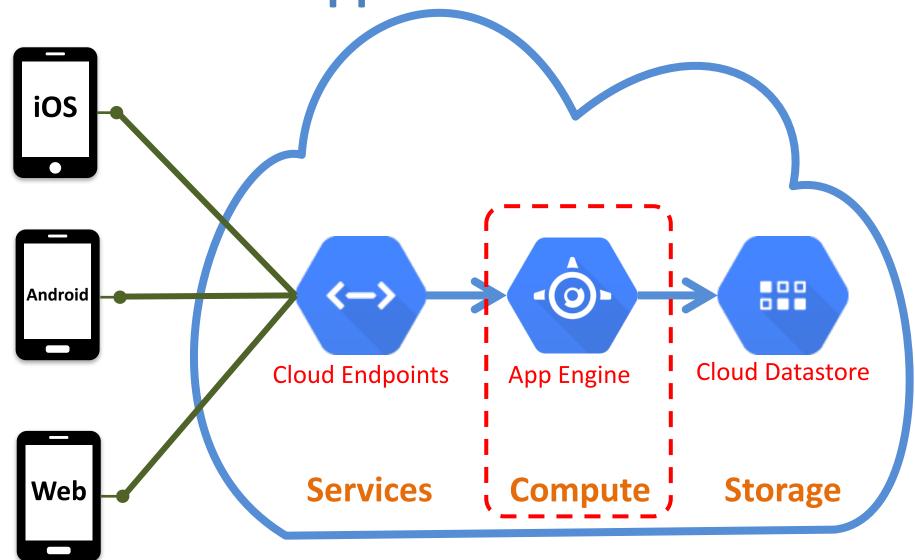
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**Mobile App Backend Services** 





# App Engine "Hello World" starter

https://console.developers.google.com/start/appengine

# Deploy your first app in five minutes

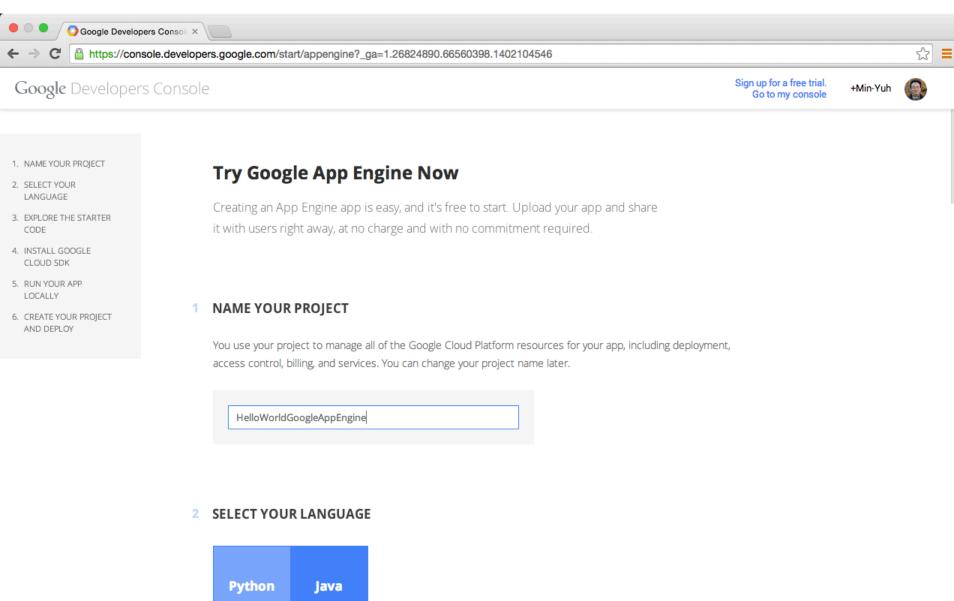
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# **Try Google App Engine Now**

- 1. NAME YOUR PROJECT
- 2. SELECT YOUR LANGUAGE
- 3. EXPLORE THE STARTER CODE
- 4. INSTALL GOOGLE CLOUD SDK
- 5. RUN YOUR APP LOCALLY
- 6. CREATE YOUR PROJECT AND DEPLOY











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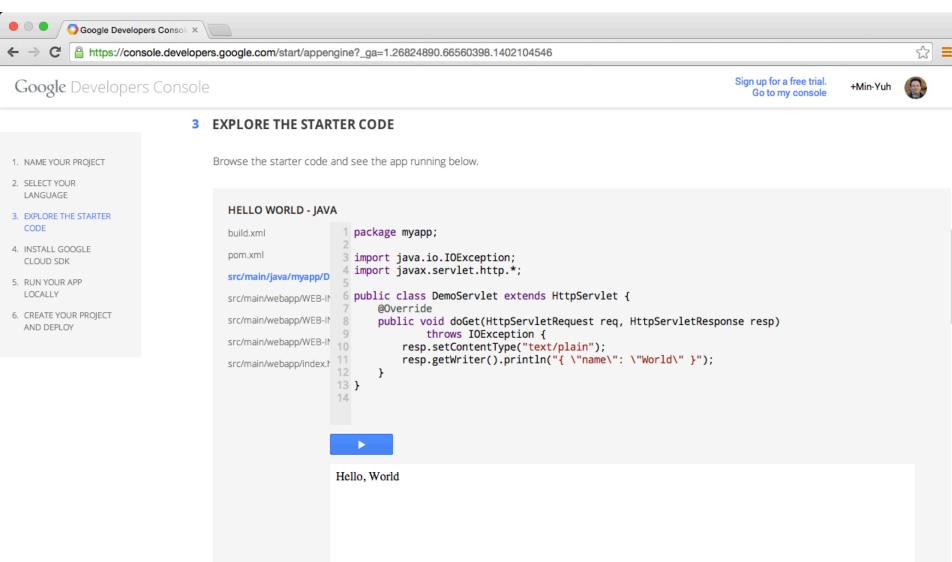


#### **EXPLORE THE STARTER CODE**

Browse the starter code and see the app running below.

```
HELLO WORLD - JAVA
build.xml
                      package myapp;
pom.xml
                      import java.io.IOException;
                     4 import javax.servlet.http.*;
src/main/java/myapp/D
                      public class DemoServlet extends HttpServlet {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           @Override
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp)
                                   throws IOException {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                               resp.setContentType("text/plain");
```

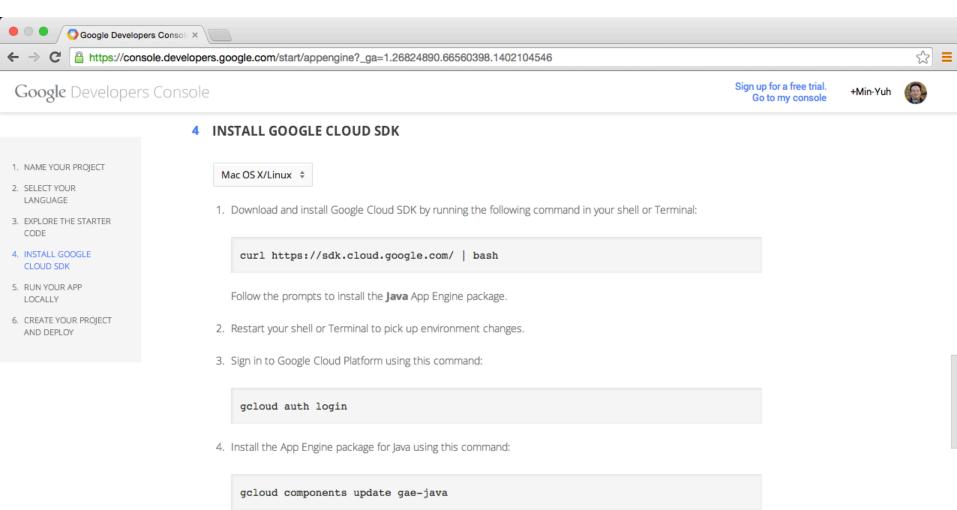






```
HELLO WORLD - JAVA
                      package myapp;
build.xml
pom.xml
                     3 import java.io.IOException;
                     4 import javax.servlet.http.*;
src/main/java/myapp/D
                     6 public class DemoServlet extends HttpServlet {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           @Override
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp)
                                    throws IOException {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                               resp.setContentType("text/plain");
                               resp.getWriter().println("{ \"name\": \"World\" }");
src/main/webapp/index.l
                           }
                    13 }
                   Hello, World
                    Download this code
```





5 RUN YOUR APP LOCALLY







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#### RUN YOUR APP LOCALLY

Note: App Engine supports Java 7. Make sure you have the Java 7 JDK installed.

- 1. Download appengine-try-java.zip and unpack it. This creates your project directory, including src/ and war/ subdirectories.
- 2. Download and install Apache Maven version 3.0 or later. The starter app includes an Apache Maven build file.
- 3. Build and run the sample locally using the following commands:

```
cd appengine-try-java
mvn package
dev appserver.sh target/appengine-try-java-1.0
```

You can stop the server by pressing Ctrl-C in the command window.

4. Visit the locally running app in your browser: http://localhost:8080

#### CREATE YOUR PROJECT AND DEPLOY

Now that you've seen your app running on your local machine, you're ready to create and deploy your project, HelloWorldGoogleAppEngine.







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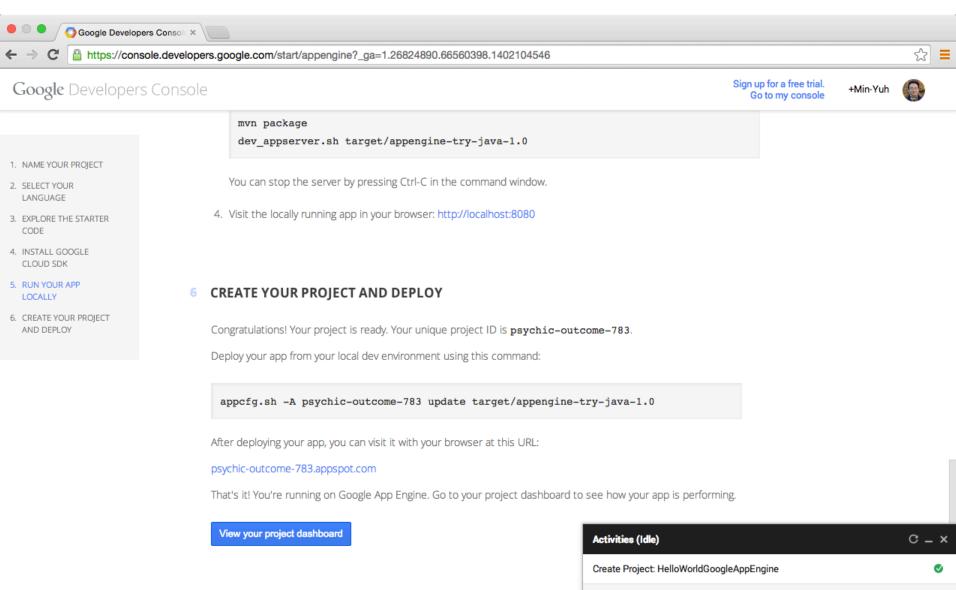
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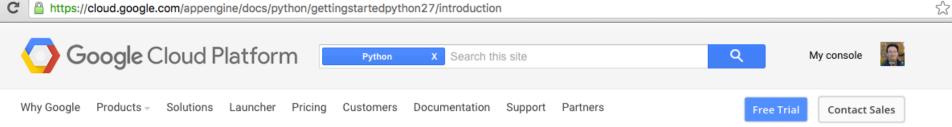
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# Explaining the webapp2 Framework

The Web Server Gateway Interface (WSGI) standard is simple, but it would be cumbersome to write all of the code that uses it by hand. Web application frameworks handle these details for you, so you can focus your development efforts on your application's features. Google App Engine supports any framework written in pure Python that speaks WSGI, including Diango, CherryPy, Pylons, web.py, and web2py. You can bundle a framework of your choosing with your application code by copying its code into your application directory.

App Engine includes a simple web application framework, called webapp2. The webapp2 framework is already installed in the App Engine environment and in the App Engine Python SDK, so you do not need to bundle it with your application code to use it. We will use webapp2 for the rest of this tutorial.

# Hello, webapp2!

A webapp2 application has two parts:

- one or more RequestHandler classes that process requests and build responses
- a WSGIApplication instance that routes incoming requests to handlers based on the URL

Let's take a look at Hello World!:

```
helloworld.py
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import webapp2
class MainPage(webapp2.RequestHandler):
    def get(self):
        self.response.headers['Content-Type'] = 'text/plain'
        self.response.write('Hello, World!')
app = webapp2.WSGIApplication([
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# Using the Users Service

Google App Engine provides several useful services based on Google infrastructure, accessible by applications using libraries included with the App Engine Python SDK. One such service is the Users service, which lets your application integrate with Google user accounts. With the Users service, your users can use the Google accounts they already have to sign in to your application.

Let's use the Users service to personalize this application's greeting..

# **Using Users**

We're going to build on the Hello, World! application. You can clone the code for this step from this branch on GitHub, or if you already have the original Hello, World! app, replace its contents with the following:

```
helloworld.py

from google.appengine.api import users

import webapp2

class MainPage(webapp2.RequestHandler):

def get(self):
    # Checks for active Google account session
    user = users.get_current_user()

if user:
    self.response.headers['Content-Type'] = 'text/html; charset=utf-8'
    self.response.write('Hello, ' + user.nickname())
```







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# Handling Forms with webapp2

If we want users to be able to post their own greetings, we need a way to process information submitted by the user with a web form. The webapp2 framework makes processing form data easy.

# From Hello World to Guestbook

In order to prepare the Hello World app we've created thus far, please make the following changes:

- Rename the top level helloworld directory to guestbook
- Rename helloworld.py to guestbook.py
- Replace the handlers section of app.yaml with:

#### app.yaml

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handlers:

- url: /.\*

script: guestbook.app

Restart the development server using the new guestbook directory.

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Declare that you are using webapp2 by adding this libraries section to your app.yaml:

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# Using the Datastore

Storing data in a scalable web application can be tricky. A user could be interacting with any of dozens of web servers at a given time, and the user's next request could go to a different web server than the previous request. All web servers need to be interacting with data that is also spread out across dozens of machines, possibly in different locations around the world.

With Google App Engine, you don't have to worry about any of that. App Engine's infrastructure takes care of all of the distribution, replication, and load balancing of data behind a simple API—and you get a powerful query engine and transactions as well.

App Engine's data repository, the *High Replication Datastore (HRD)*, uses the Paxos algorithm to replicate data across multiple datacenters. Data is written to the Datastore in objects known as *entities*. Each entity has a *key* that uniquely identifies it. An entity can optionally designate another entity as its *parent*; the first entity is a *child* of the parent entity. The entities in the Datastore thus form a hierarchically-structured space similar to the directory structure of a file system. An entity's parent, parent's parent, and so on recursively, are its *ancestors*; its children, children's children, and so on, are its *descendants*. An entity without a parent is a *root entity*.

The Datastore is extremely resilient in the face of catastrophic failure, but its consistency guarantees may differ from what you're familiar with. Entities descended from a common ancestor are said to belong to the same *entity group*; the common ancestor's key is the group's *parent key*, which serves to identify the entire group. Queries over a single entity group, called *ancestor queries*, refer to the parent key instead of a specific entity's key. Entity groups are a unit of both consistency and transactionality: whereas queries over multiple entity groups may return stale, eventually consistent results, those limited to a single entity group always return up-to-date, strongly consistent results.

The sample application in this guide organizes related entities into entity groups, and uses ancestor queries on those entity groups to return strongly consistent results. In the example code comments, we highlight some ways this approach might affect the design of your application. For more detailed information, see Structuring Data for Strong Consistency.

# A Complete Example Using the Datastore

Here is a new version of guestbook/guestbook.py that creates a page footer that stores greetings in the Datastore. The rest of this page discusses excerpts from this larger example, organized under the topics of storing the greetings and retrieving them.

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### Using Templates

HTML embedded in code is messy and difficult to maintain. It's better to use a templating system, where the HTML is kept in a separate file with special syntax to indicate where the data from the application appears. There are many templating systems for Python: EZT, Cheetah, ClearSilver, Quixote, Django, and Jinja2 are just a few. You can use your template engine of choice by bundling it with your application code.

For your convenience, App Engine includes the Django and Jinja2 templating engines.

### Using Jinja2 Templates

First modify the libraries section at the bottom of guestbook/app.yaml:

# app.yaml libraries: - name: webapp2 version: latest - name: jinja2 version: latest

This configuration makes the newest supported version of Jinja2 available to your application. To avoid possible compatibility issues, serious applications should use an actual version number rather than latest.

Now modify the statements at the top of guestbook/guestbook.py:

guestbook.py

import os

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### Using Static Files

Unlike a traditional web hosting environment, Google App Engine does not serve files directly out of your application's source directory unless configured to do so. We named our template file index.html, but this does not automatically make the file available at the URL /index.html.

But there are many cases where you want to serve static files directly to the web browser. Images, CSS stylesheets, JavaScript code, movies and Flash animations are all typically stored with a web application and served directly to the browser. App Engine can serve specific files directly without you having to code your own handler.

### Using Static Files

Edit guestbook/app.yaml and replace its contents with the following:

```
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version: 1
runtime: python27
api version: 1
threadsafe: true
# Handlers match in order, put above the default handler.
handlers:
- url: /stylesheets
  static dir: stylesheets
- url: /.*
  script: guestbook.app
```







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### Uploading Your Application

To upload your application:

- Sign in to App Engine using your Google account. If you do not have a Google account, you can create a Google account with an email address and password.
- 2. If you haven't already done so, create a project for your App Engine app as follows:
  - Visit the Google Cloud Platform Console and click Create Project.
  - b. Supply the desired project name in the New Project form. It doesn't have to match your app name, but using the same name as your app might make administration easier.
  - c. Accept the generated project ID or supply your own ID. This project ID is used as the App Engine application ID. Note that this ID can only be used once: if you subsequently delete your project, you won't be able to re-use the ID in a new project.

**Note:** You can specify that your new application should reside in the European Union, rather than the United States. Hosting applications in the European Union is especially useful if your application's users are closer to Europe than to the United States. There is less network latency and the End User Content will be stored at rest in the European Union. You must specify this location when you register the application; you cannot change it later. Click **Show Advanced Options** in the Create Project section to select a location option, either United States or European Union.

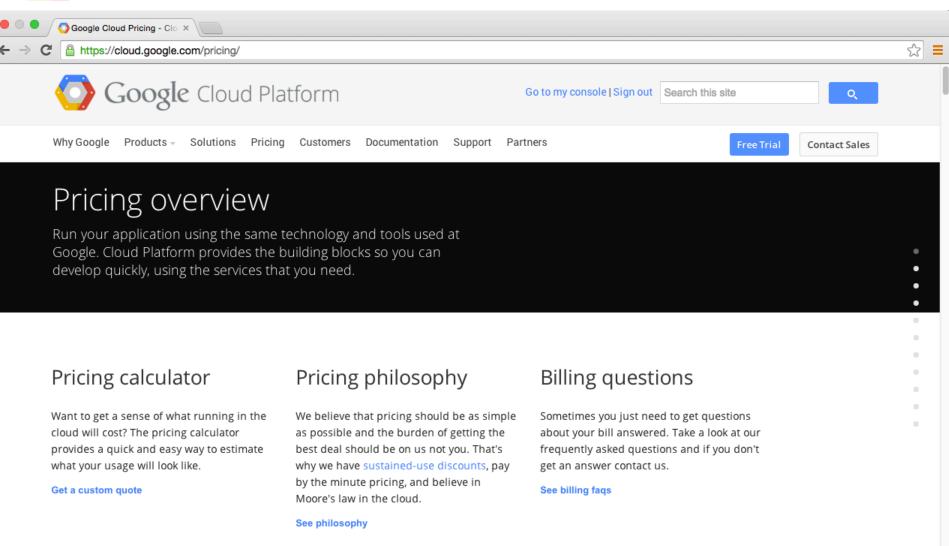
- 3. Note the application ID (project ID) you created above.
- 4. Upload your finished application to Google App Engine by invoking the following command. This opens a browser window for you to sign in using your Google account. You'll be providing the project ID as the argument for -A.

appcfg.py -A <YOUR\_PROJECT\_ID\_> update guestbook/

- 5. The Datastore Indexes may take some time to generate before your application is available. You will receive a NeedIndexError when accessing your app if the indexes are still in the process of being generated. This is a transient error for the example, so try a little later if at first you receive this exception.
- 6. Your app is now deployed and ready for users!



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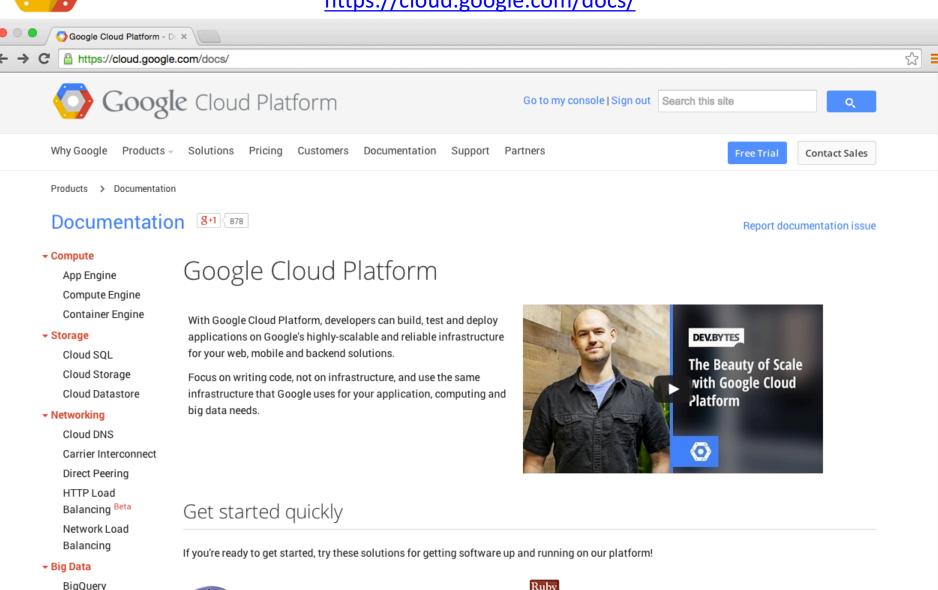




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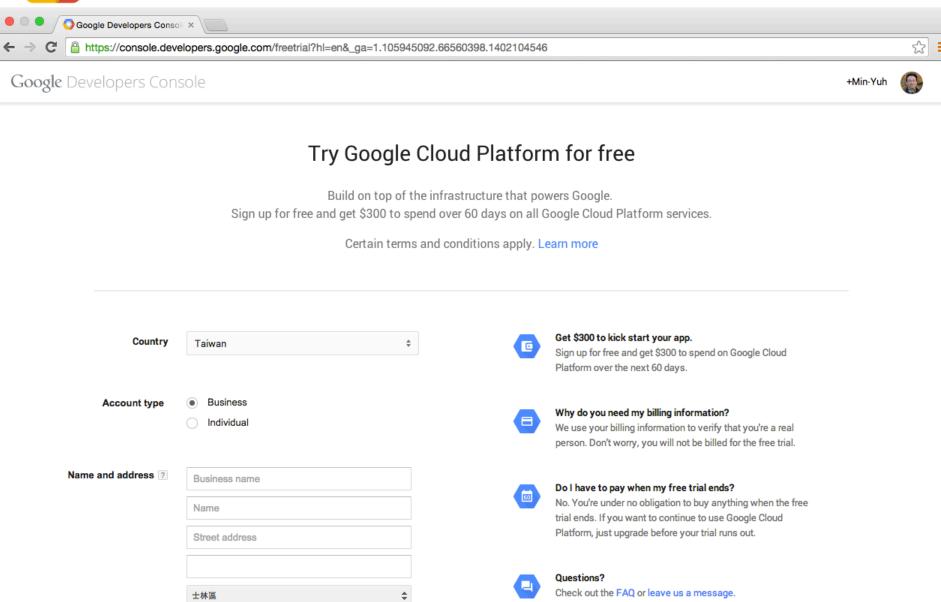


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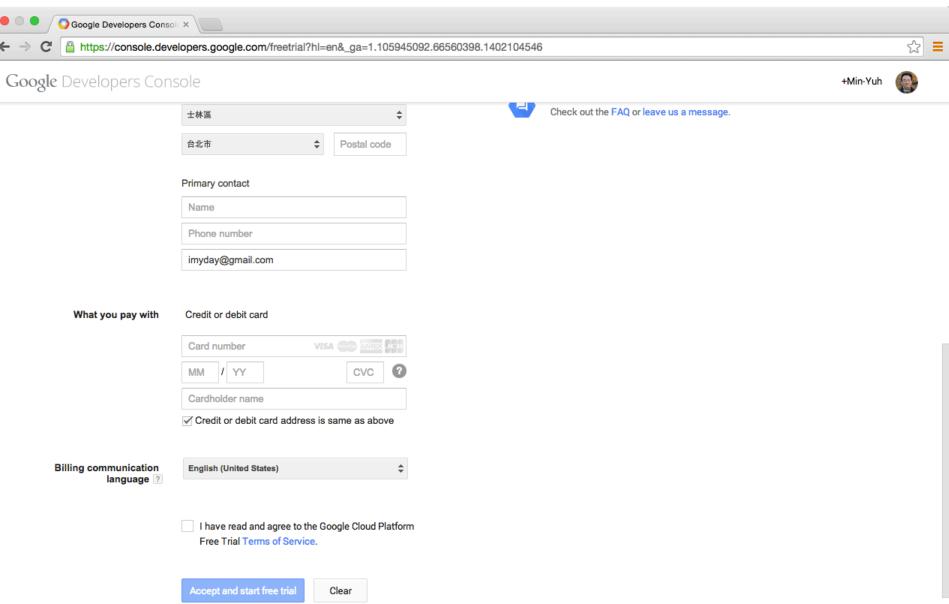


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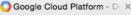


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### LAMP development stack

LAMP (an acronym for Linux, Apache, MySQL, and PHP) is the archetypal open-source web development stack for many developers, and it runs great on Compute Engine!



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Start editing a working "Hello World" app right now, in the browser. This gives you a good starting point and a feel for what it's like editing a working App Engine application.

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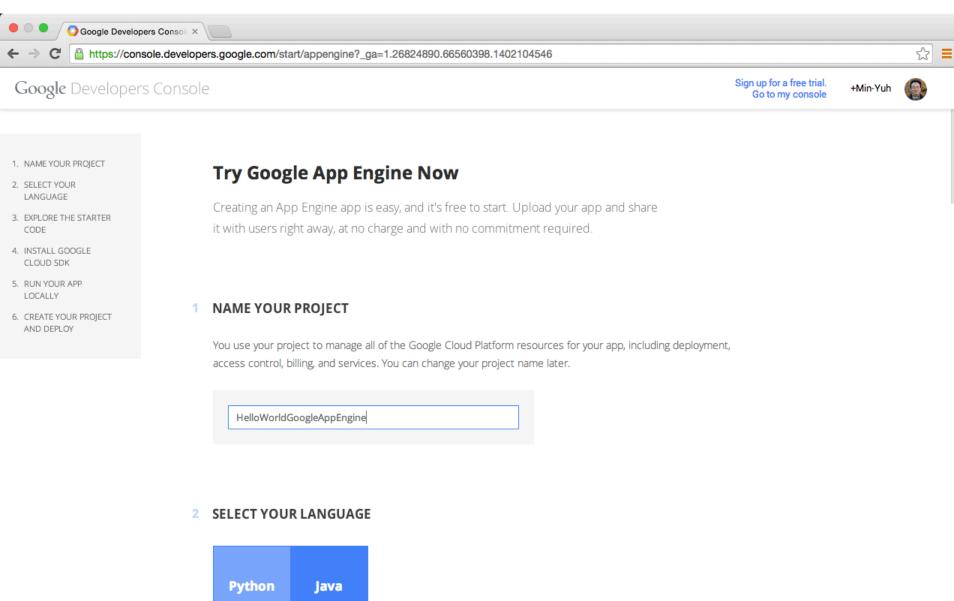
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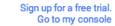
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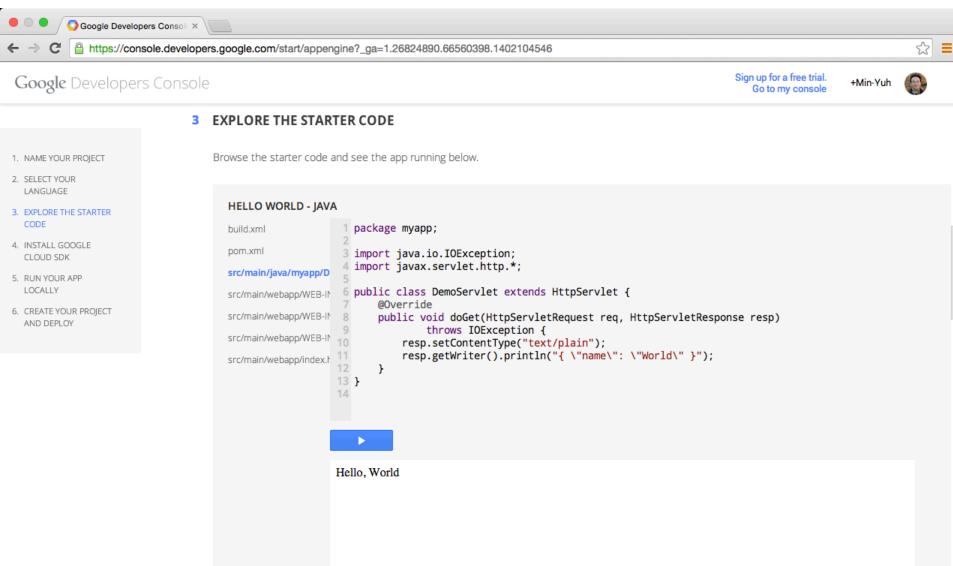
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Browse the starter code and see the app running below.

```
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build.xml
                      package myapp;
pom.xml
                      import java.io.IOException;
                     4 import javax.servlet.http.*;
src/main/java/myapp/D
                      public class DemoServlet extends HttpServlet {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           @Override
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp)
                                   throws IOException {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
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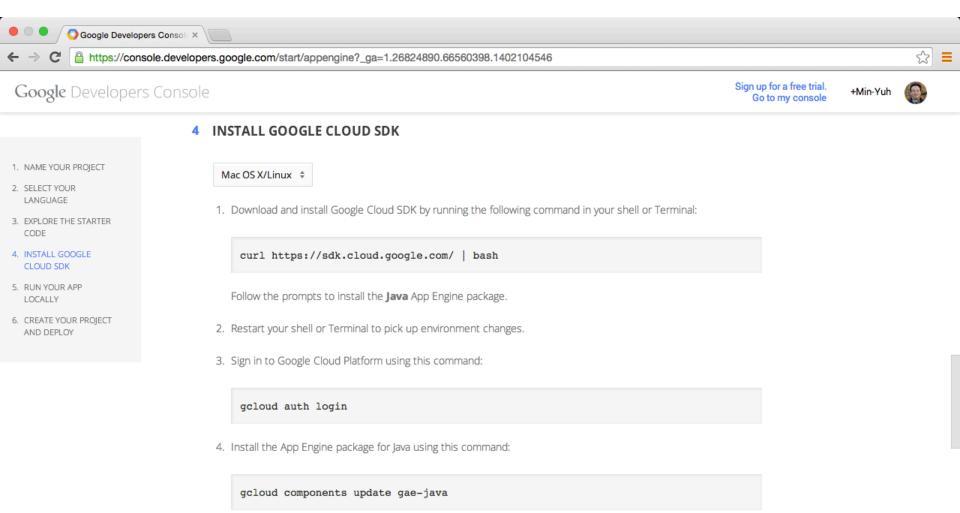






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                     4 import javax.servlet.http.*;
src/main/java/myapp/D
                     6 public class DemoServlet extends HttpServlet {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           @Override
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                           public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp)
                                    throws IOException {
src/main/webapp/WEB-IN
                               resp.setContentType("text/plain");
                               resp.getWriter().println("{ \"name\": \"World\" }");
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                           }
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                   Hello, World
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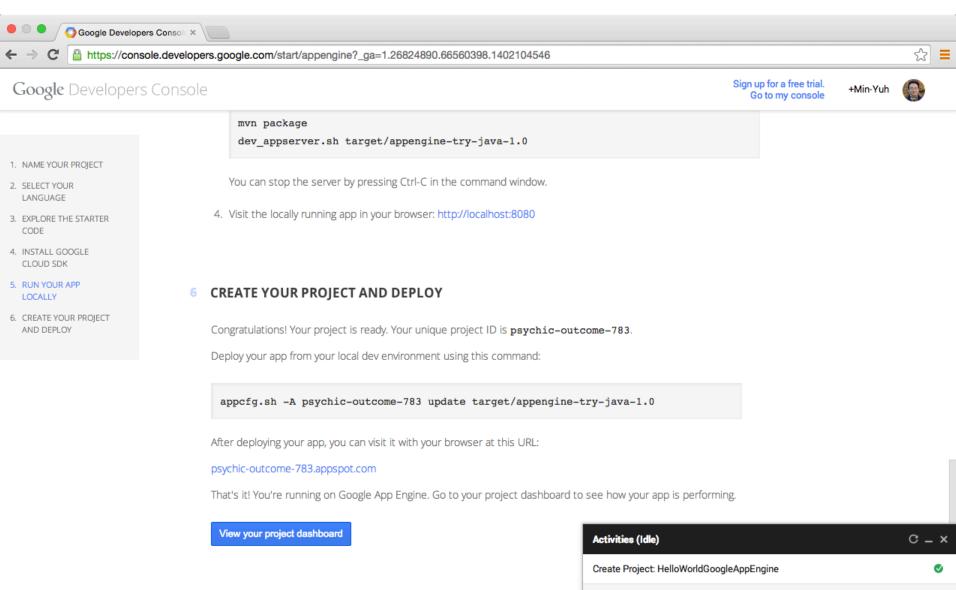
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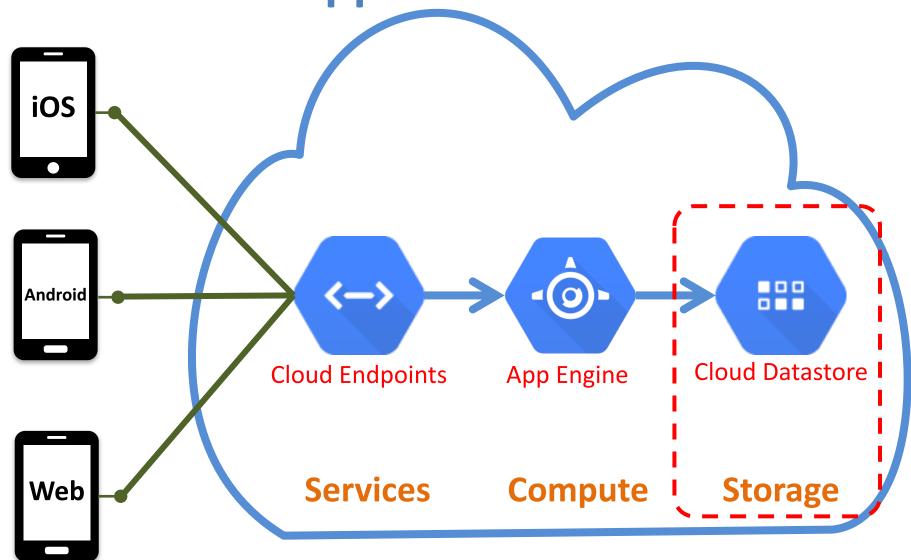
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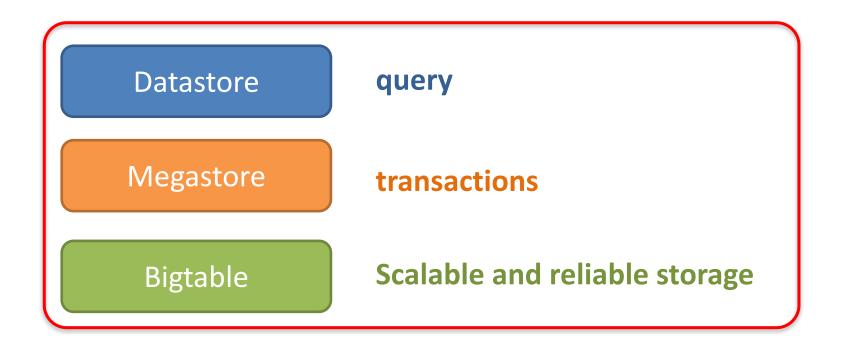


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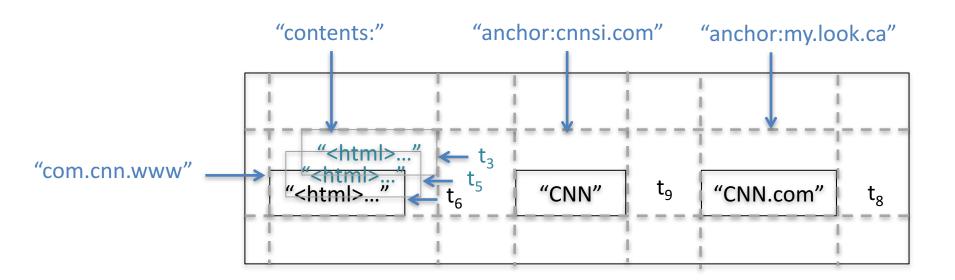
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  - Bigtable is not database by itself (it doesn't support query)
- Google usage
  - In production since April 2005
  - Web Search, YouTube, Earth, Analytics

**Bigtable** 

Scalable and reliable storage

# **Bigtable Data Model**

- A row has a Key and Columns
- Sorted by Key
  - In lexical order
  - Enables range query by application

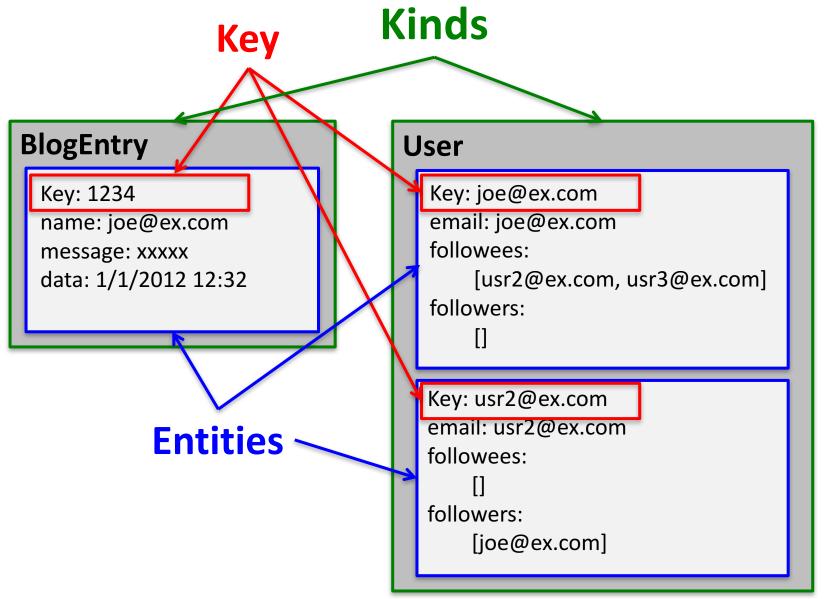


# **Google Datastore Basic Operation**

### Different terms for corresponding concepts

	Google Datastore	Relational Database Management System (RDBMS)
Category of object	Kind	Table
One entry/object	Entity	Row
Unique identifier of data entry	Key	Primary Key (PK)
Individual data	Property	Field

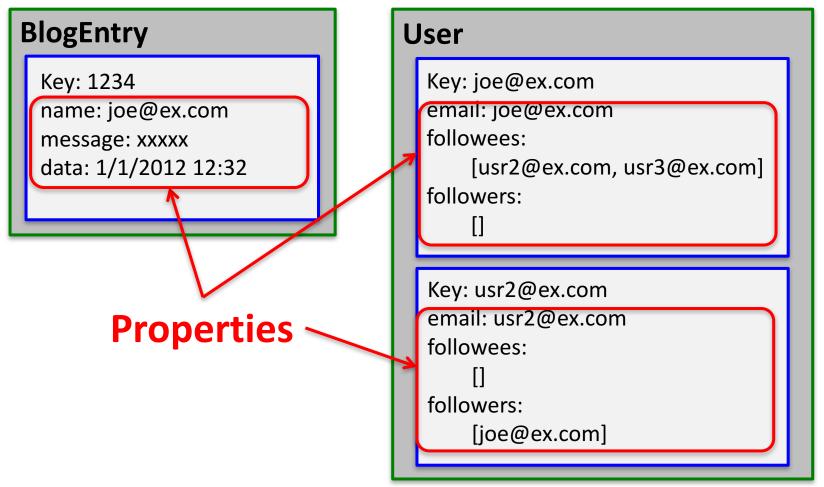
# Kind, Entity and Key



# **Properties and Data Types**

# Each entity has one or more named properties

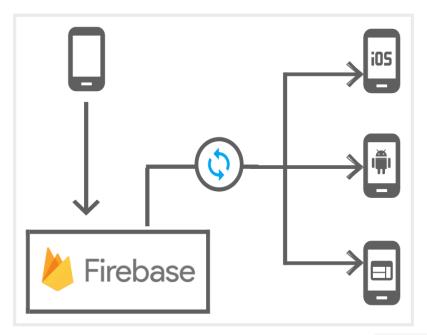
- Variety of datatypes (int, float, boolean, Sring, Date,...)
- Can be multi-valued

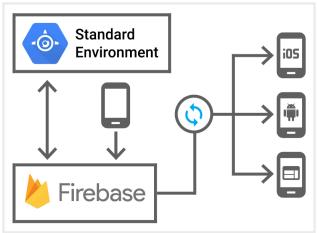


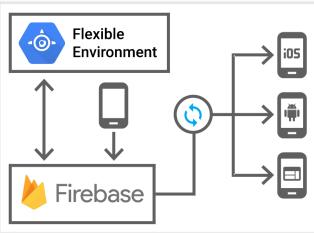
# Creating an Entity with Java Low-level API

```
DatastoreService datastore =
DatastoreServiceFactory.getDatastoreService();
Entity employee = new Entity("Employee");
employee.setProperty("name", "Antonio Saliery");
employee.setProperty("hireDate", new Date());
employee.setProperty("attendedHrTraining", true);
datastore.put(emploee);
```

# **Mobile App Backend Services**





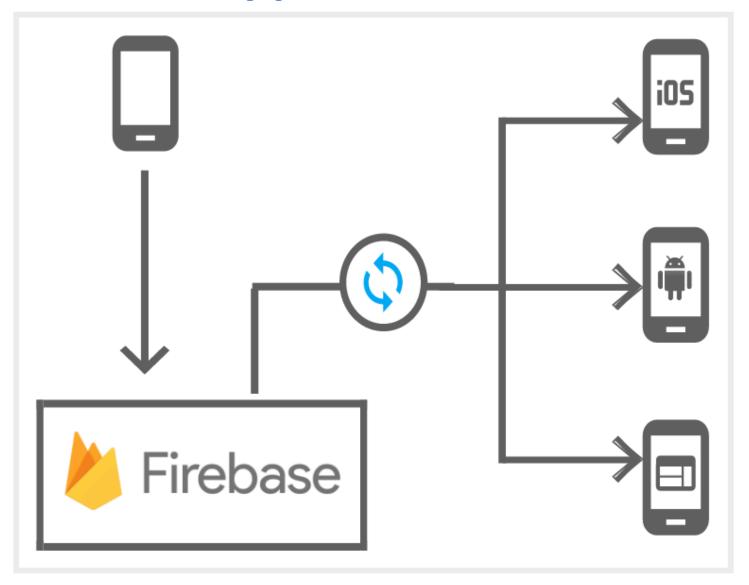




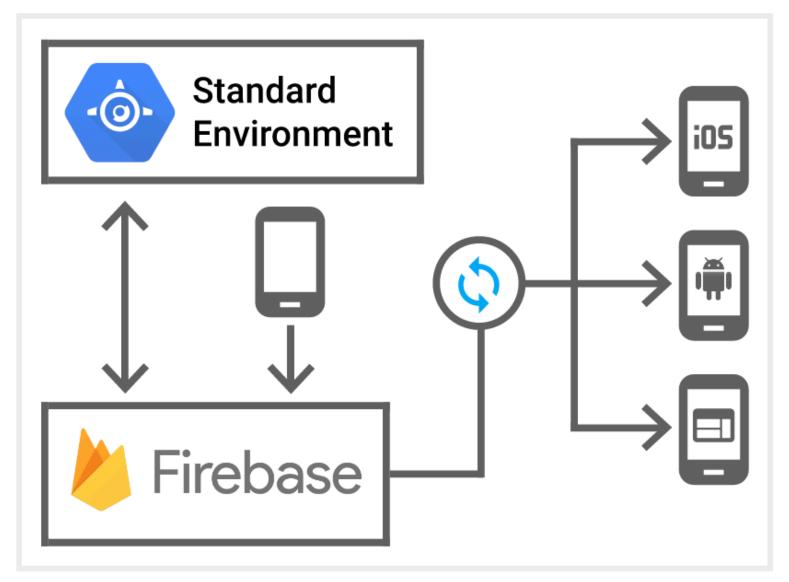


# Firebase: Backend as a Service (BaaS)

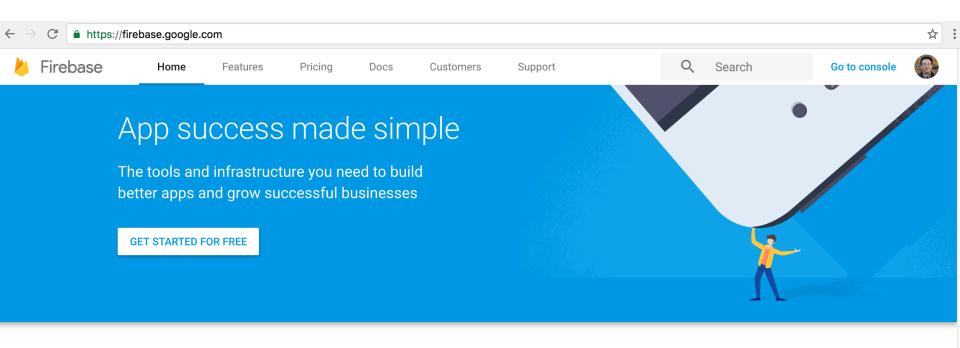
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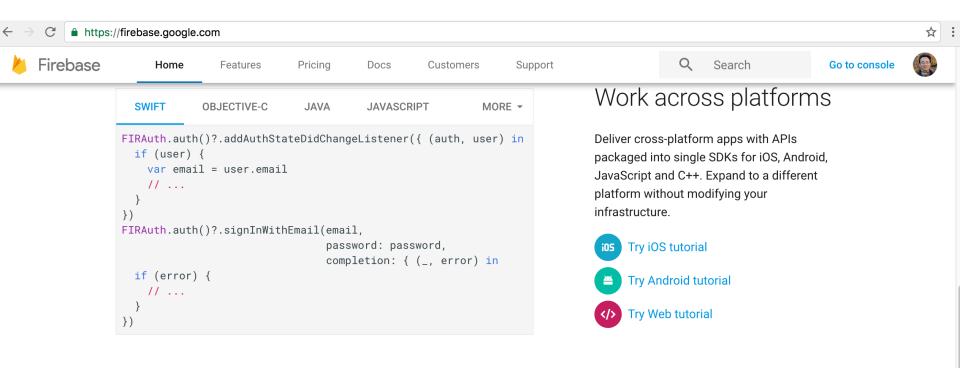
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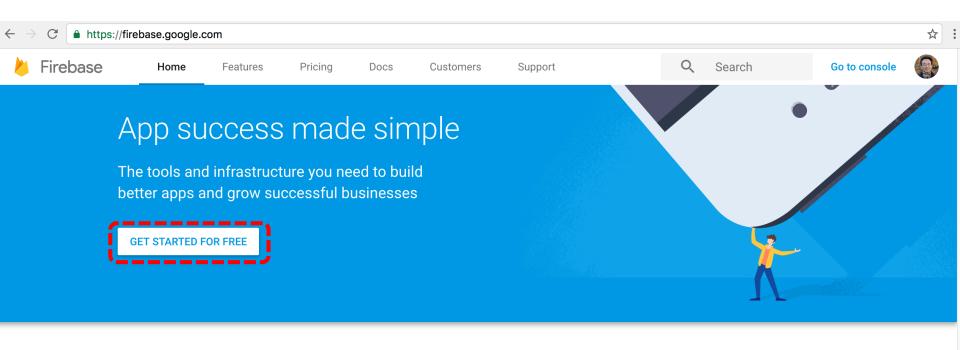


# Free to start, scale with ease

Most Firebase features are free forever, for any scale. Our four paid features have a generous free tier and two paid plans once you begin to grow.





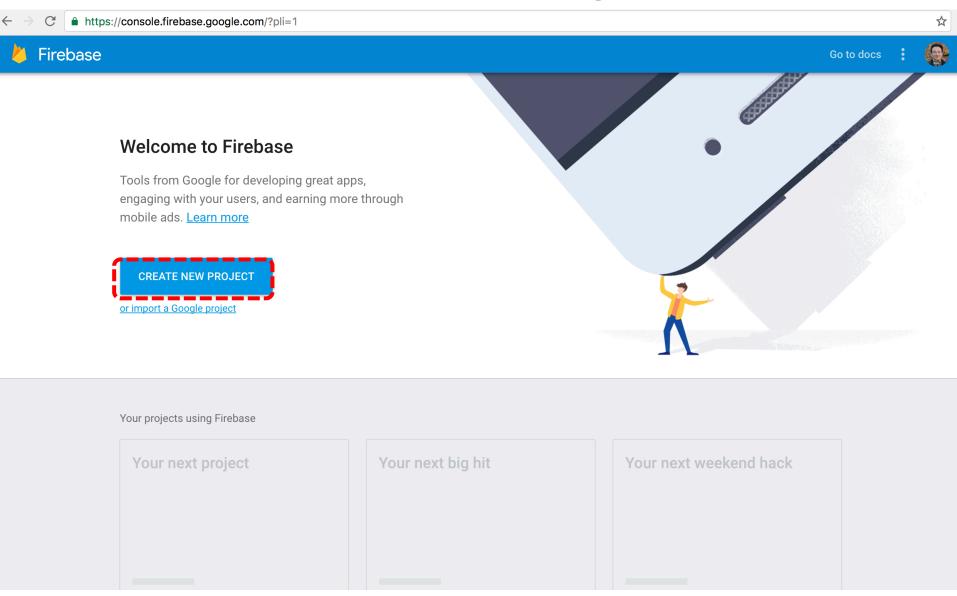


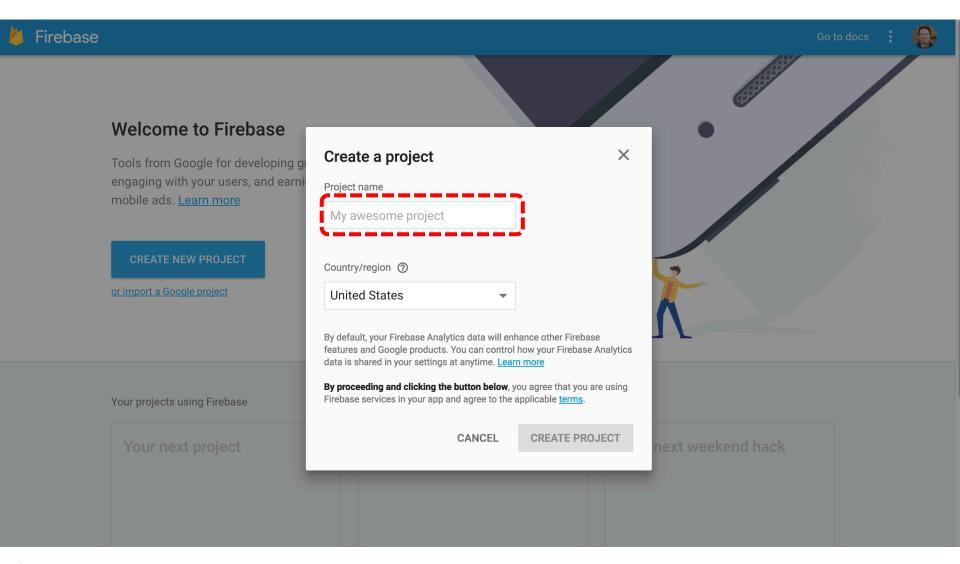
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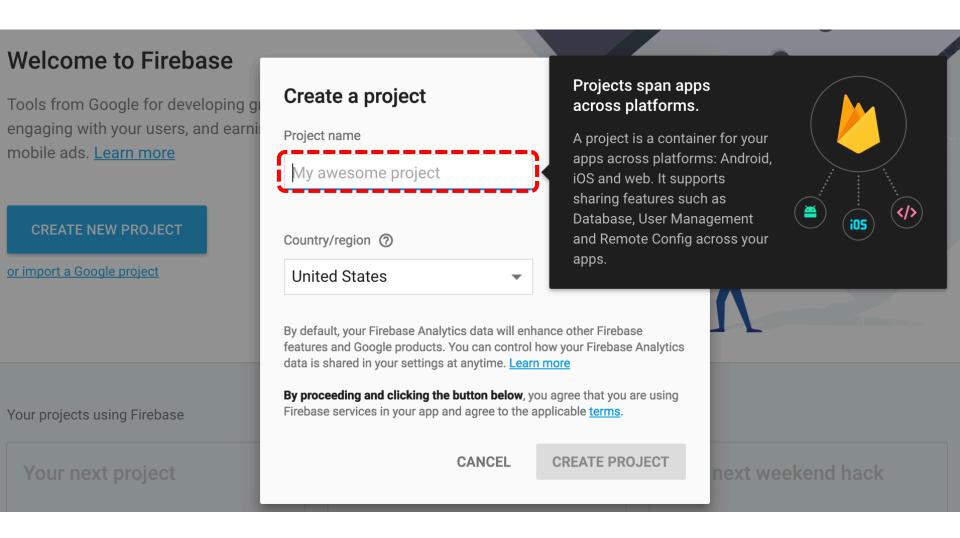
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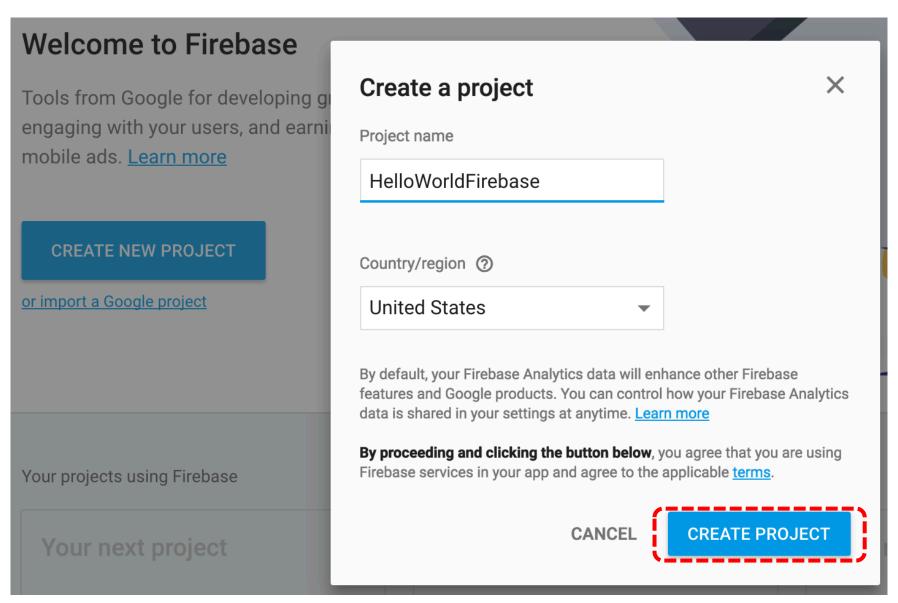




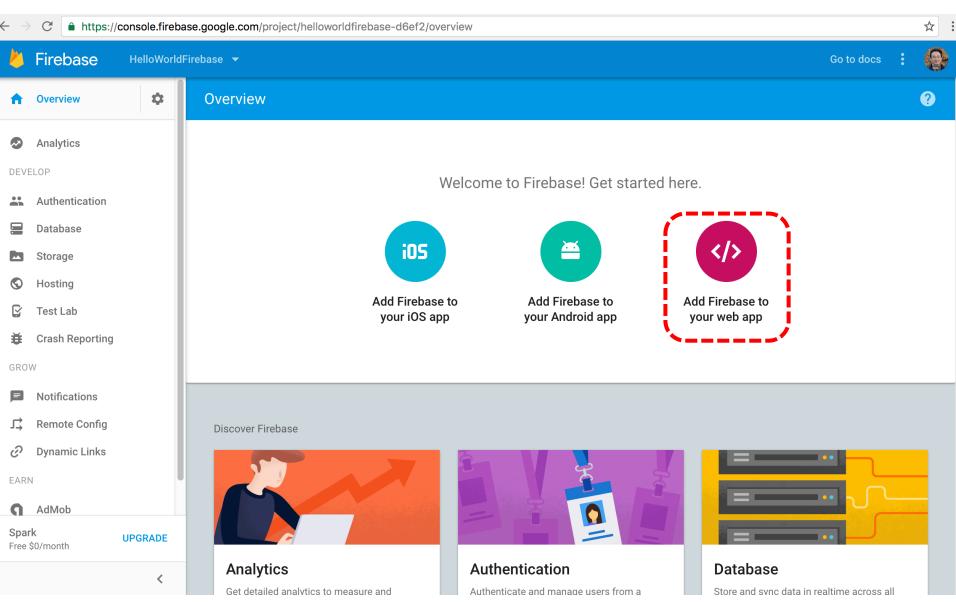


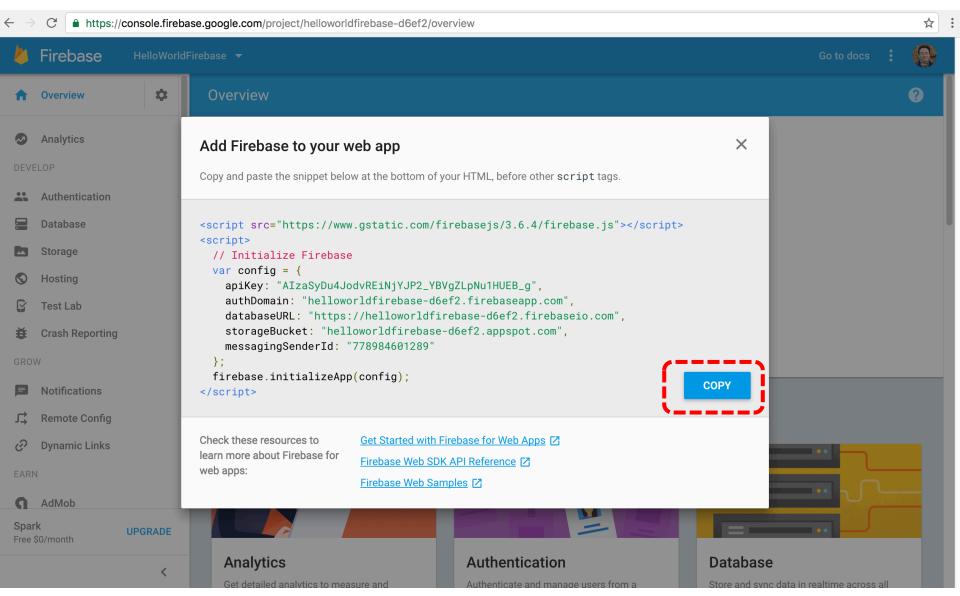
















```
<script src="https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/3.6.1/firebase.js"></script>
<script>
  // Initialize Firebase
  // TODO: Replace with your project's customized code snippet
  var config = {
    apiKey: "<API_KEY>",
    authDomain: "<PROJECT_ID>.firebaseapp.com",
    databaseURL: "https://<DATABASE_NAME>.firebaseio.com",
    storageBucket: "<BUCKET>.appspot.com",
    messagingSenderId: "<SENDER_ID>",
  firebase.initializeApp(config);
</script>
```

firebase-app - The core firebase client (required). firebase-auth - Firebase Authentication (optional). firebase-database - The Firebase Realtime Database (optional).



```
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<script src="https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/3.6.1/firebase-database.js"></script>
<script src="https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/3.6.1/firebase-messaging.js"></script>
<!-- Leave out Storage -->
<!-- <script src="https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/3.6.1/firebase-storage.js"></script> -->
<script>
    var config = {
        // ...
    };
    firebase.initializeApp(config);
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```
var firebase = require("firebase/app");
require("firebase/auth");
require("firebase/database");
// Leave out Storage
//require("firebase/storage");
var config = {
 // ...
firebase.initializeApp(config);
```



- firebase.auth() Authentication
- firebase.storage() Storage
- firebase.database() Realtime Database



#### Firebase Database Web Start

```
// Set the configuration for your app
// TODO: Replace with your project's config object
var config = {
  apiKey: "apiKey",
  authDomain: "projectId.firebaseapp.com",
  databaseURL: "https://databaseName.firebaseio.com",
  storageBucket: "bucket.appspot.com"
firebase.initializeApp(config);
// Get a reference to the database service
var database = firebase.database();
```



#### Firebase Database Structure Data

```
// Chats contains only meta info about each conversation
// stored under the chats's unique ID
"chats": {
  "one": {
    "title": "Historical Tech Pioneers",
    "lastMessage": "ghopper: Relay malfunction found. Cause: moth.",
    "timestamp": 1459361875666
 },
  "two": { ... }.
  "three": { ... }
},
// Conversation members are easily accessible
// and stored by chat conversation ID
"members": {
  // we'll talk about indices like this below
  "one": {
    "ghopper": true,
    "alovelace": true,
    "eclarke": true
  "two": { ... },
  "three": { ... }
},
```



#### Firebase Database Structure Data

```
// Messages are separate from data we may want to iterate quickly
// but still easily paginated and queried, and organized by chat
// conversation ID
"messages": {
  "one": {
    "m1": {
      "name": "eclarke",
      "message": "The relay seems to be malfunctioning.",
      "timestamp": 1459361875337
   "m2": { ... },
    "m3": { ... }
  },
  "two": { ... },
  "three": { ... }
```



#### Firebase Database Write Data

```
// Get a reference to the database service
var database = firebase.database();
```

```
function writeUserData(userId, name, email, imageUrl) {
  firebase.database().ref('users/' + userId).set({
    username: name,
    email: email,
    profile_picture : imageUrl
  });
}
```

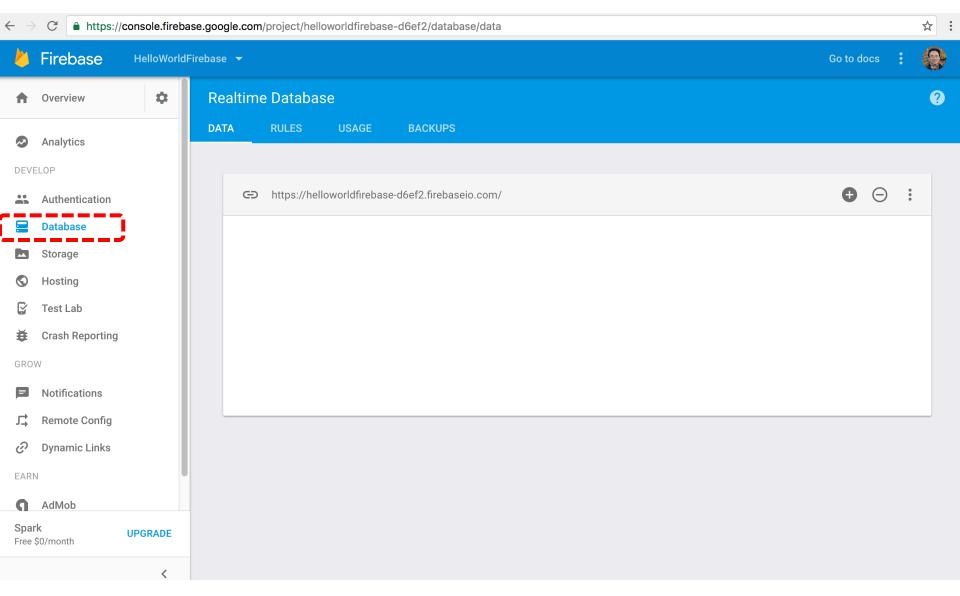


#### Firebase Database Read Data

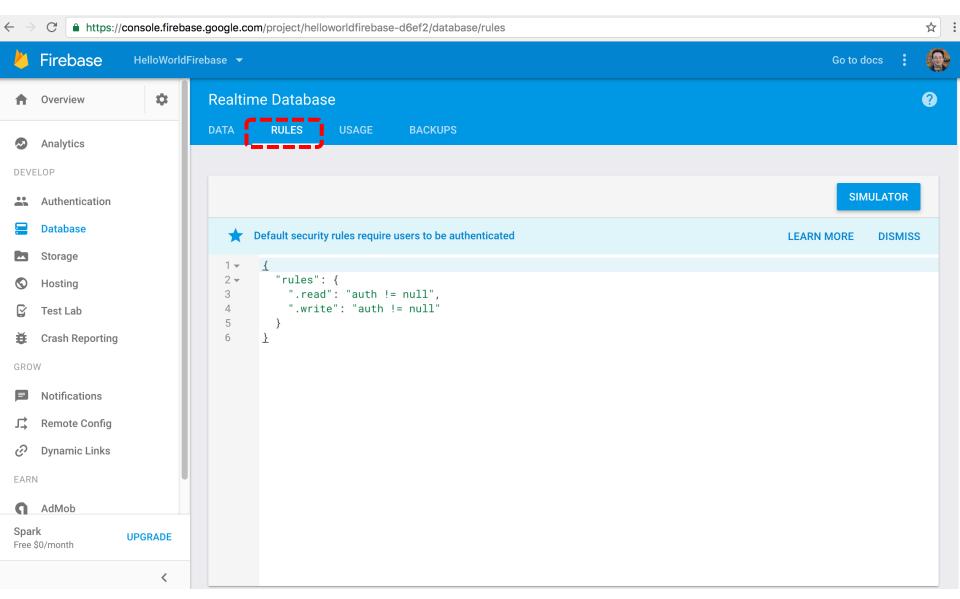
```
// Get a reference to the database service
var database = firebase.database();
```

```
var userId = firebase.auth().currentUser.uid;
return firebase.database().ref('/users/' + userId).once('value').then(function(snapshot) {
   var username = snapshot.val().username;
   // ...
});
```

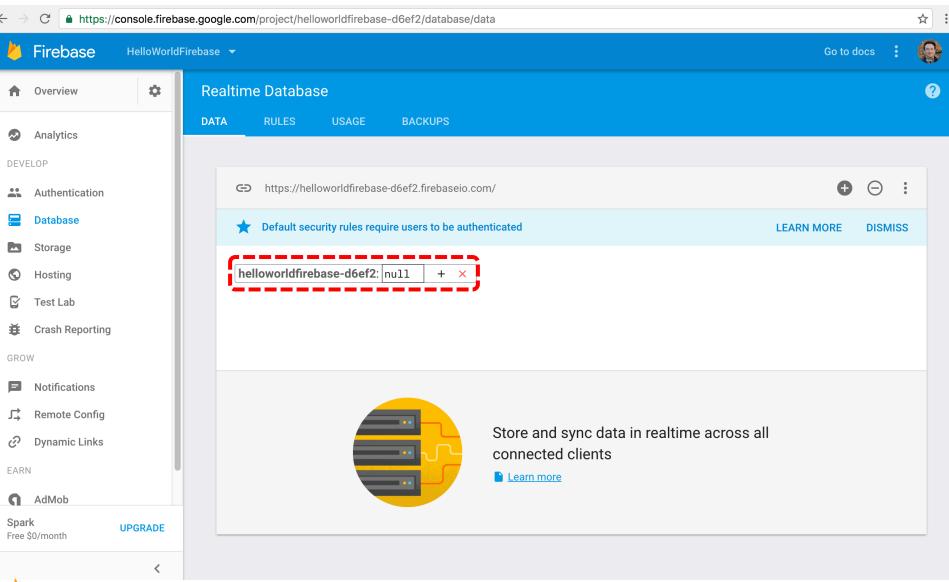


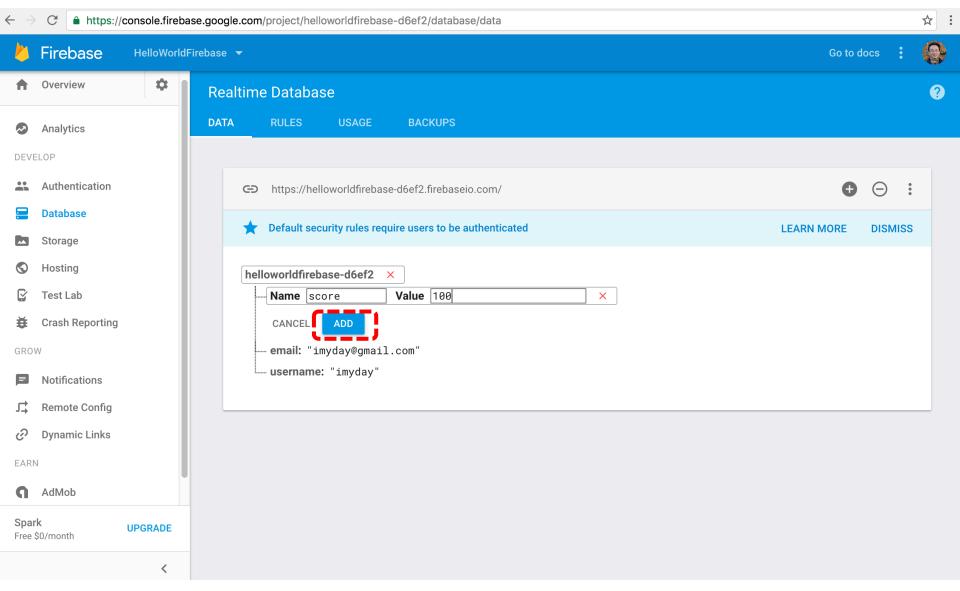


#### **Firebase Database Rules**

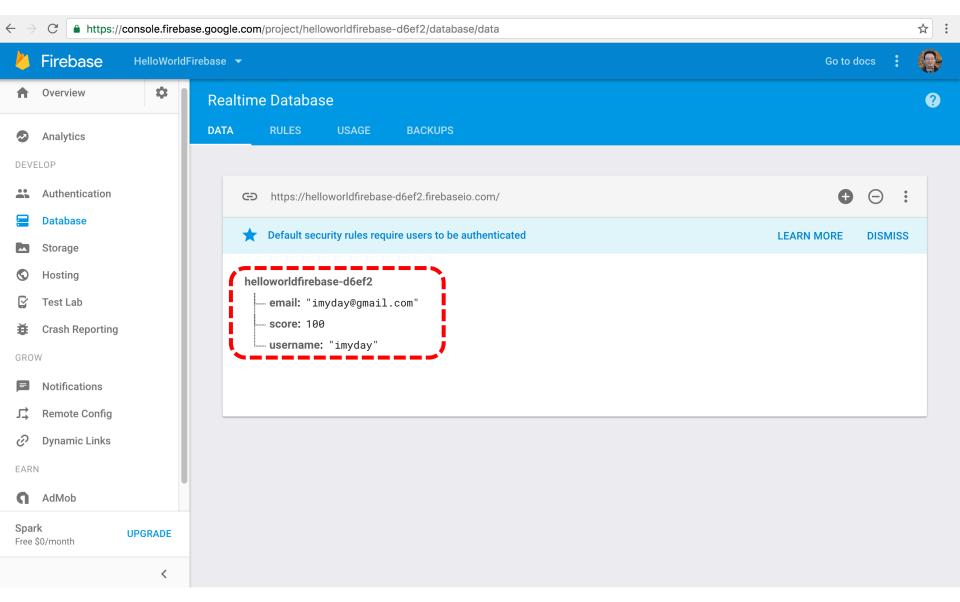














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Google Cloud Datastore



Google Firebase



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