

Workflow System

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① Gather Requirements

② Estimate Scale

③ Schema + APIs

④ Design Goals

⑤ Remove bottlenecks and scale according to the requirement

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Video ingestion System

① Requirements.

- Any signed in user can upload a video
- filter by language, category
- generate thumbnail, preview.
- The video must adhere to copyright claims.
- support geo-restrictions
- supported formats: mp4, mov
- size: 100 MB
- verify video quality (720p)
- scale down the video to 320p, 480p

② Scale

- 2 Billion users
- 1% users uploads video every day

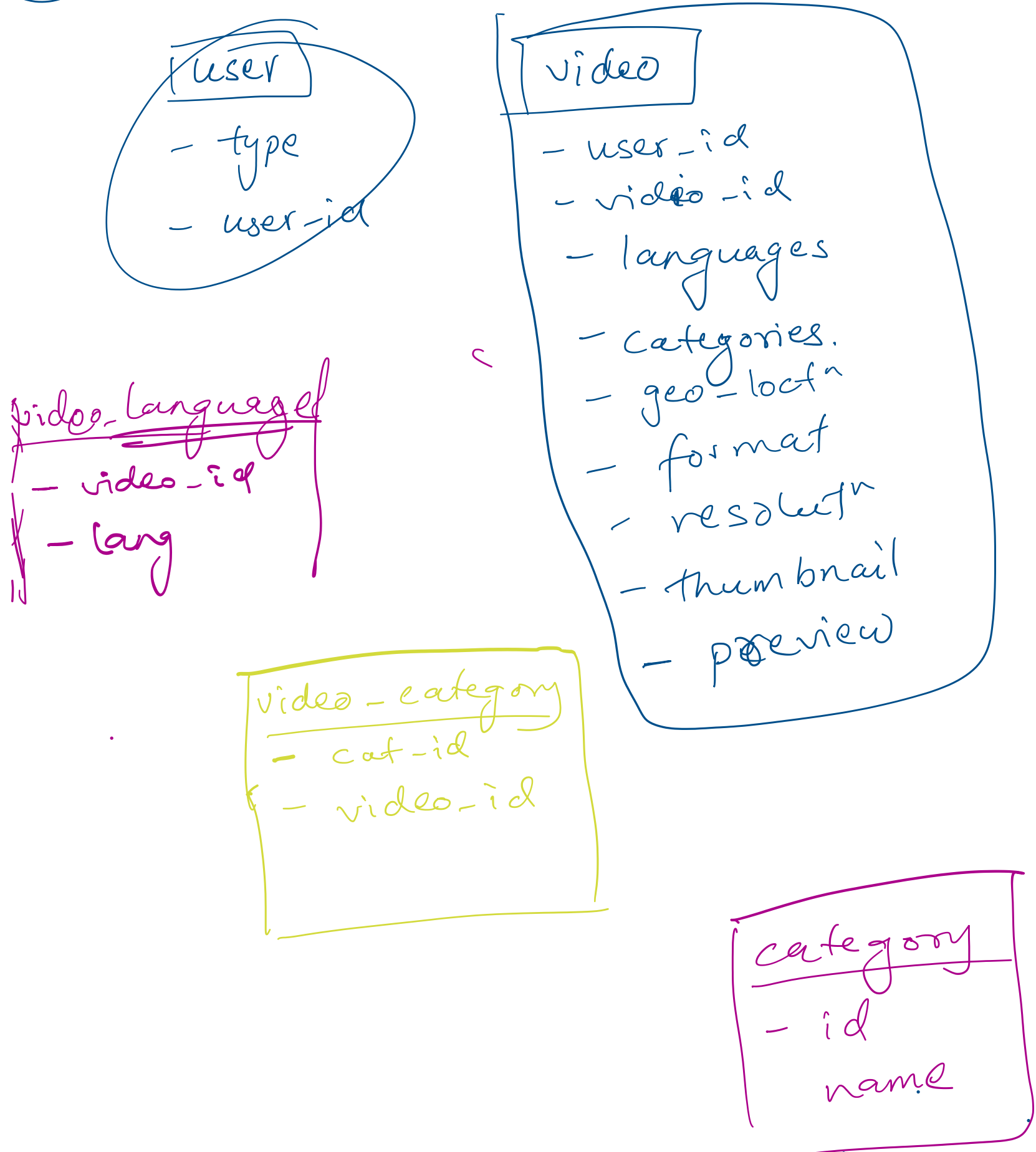
$$\text{TPS} = \frac{2 \times 10^9}{100} = 20M \text{ video/day} = \frac{2 \times 10^7}{24 \times 3600} \sim 250 / \text{sec}$$

- 50% users consume a video

TPS

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Storage: } & 200M \text{ uploads} \\ & \times 100 \text{ MB/upload} \\ & = 2 \times 10^{10} \text{ MB} \\ & = 20 \text{ PB} \end{aligned}$$

③ Schema



④ Design Goals

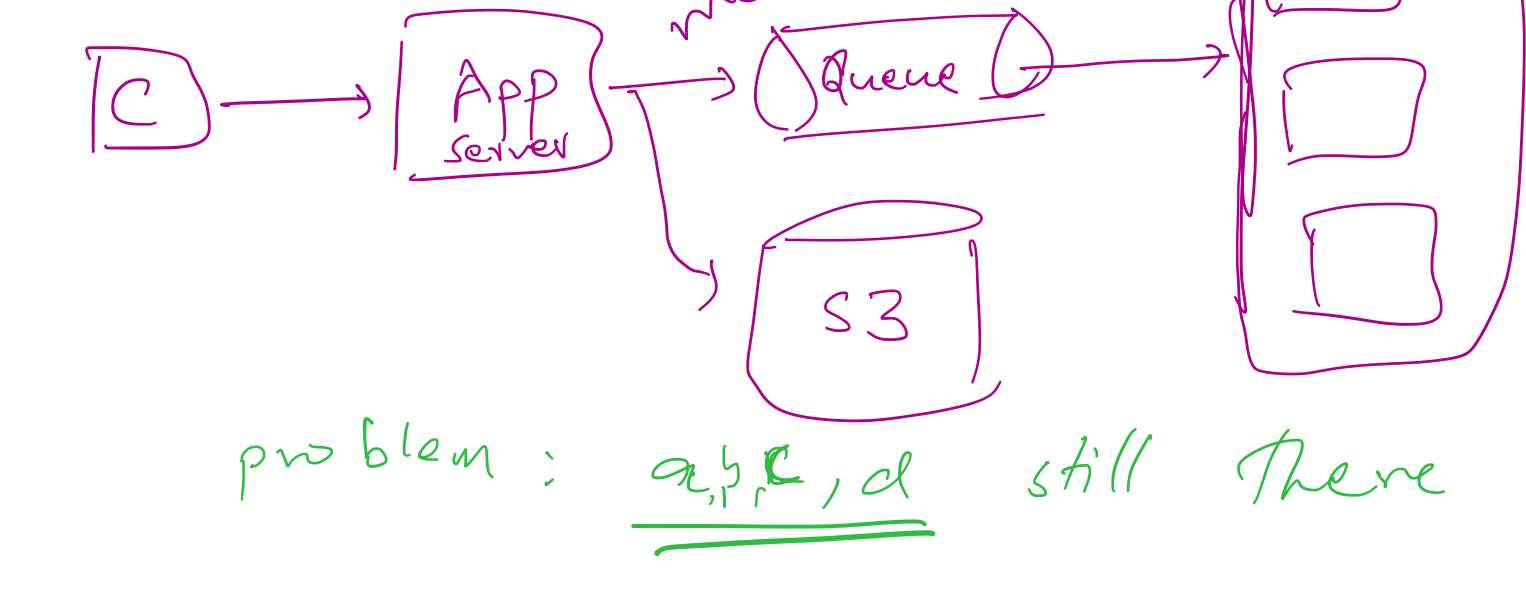
- Partition ✓
- Consistent = ? Yes
- Availability = ? Yes
- latency: can be high
- scale: horizontally.

⑤ Initial Design

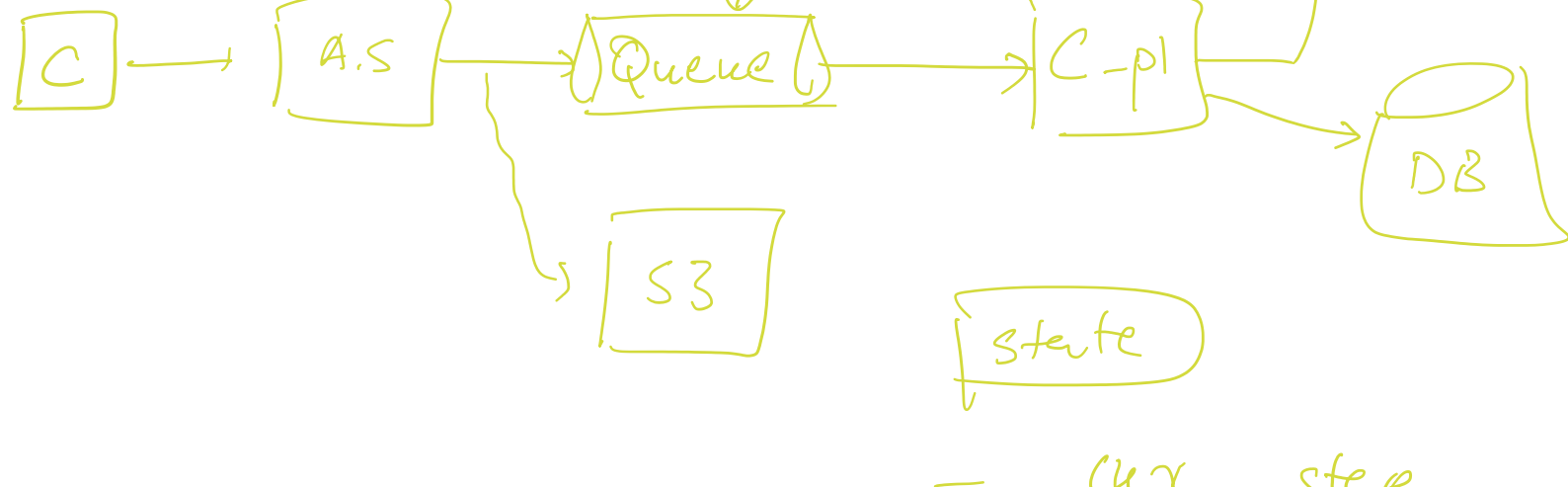


- copyright check (hash)
- apply country laws (separate system)
- format check (metadata)
- check all video frames (sep sys)
- convert in multiple formats (sep sys)
- generate thumbnails (s)
- generate preview (ss)
- convert to lower res (ss)
- save

- bulky code
- each step can take different time.
- can fail without alerting
- start the pipeline again.
- traffic will be uneven (Queue)
- don't need to respond immediately



problem: a, b, c still there



- state
- cur - step
- prev - step
- next - step
- request
- response