



# Running Experiments Online with JATOS

# Before we start: Who are we?



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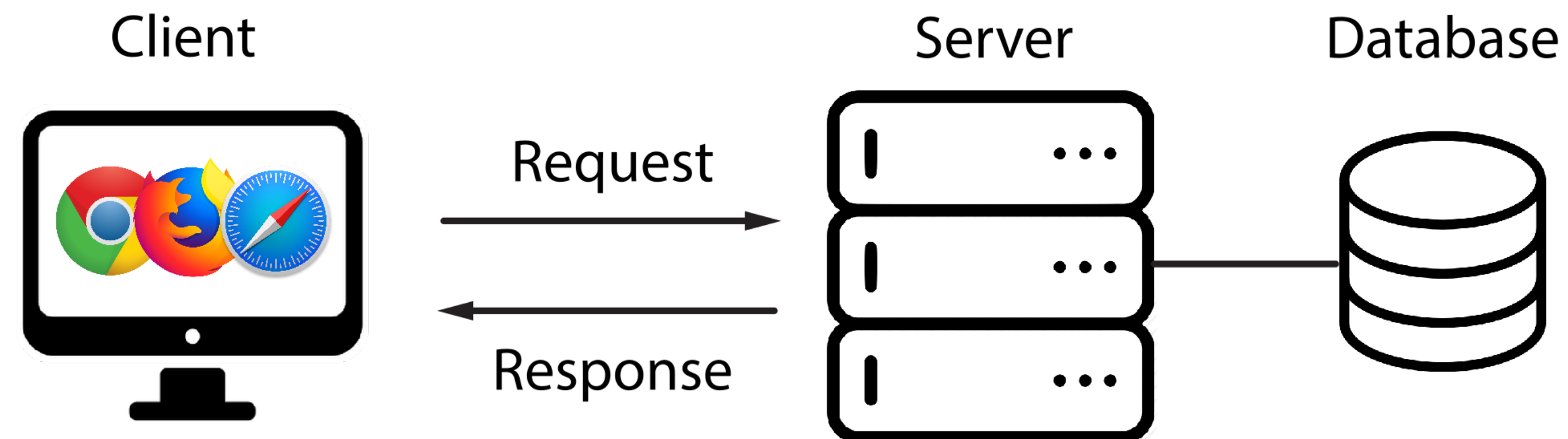
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JATOS

# The Internet



# To run a study online you'll need:

Participants



Client



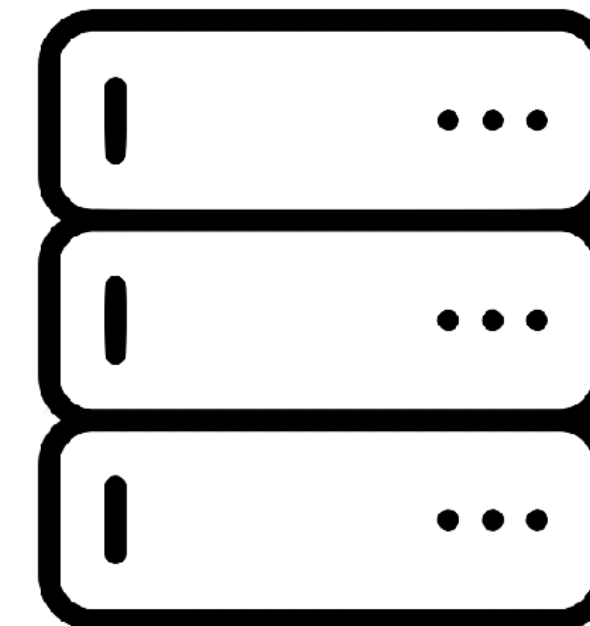
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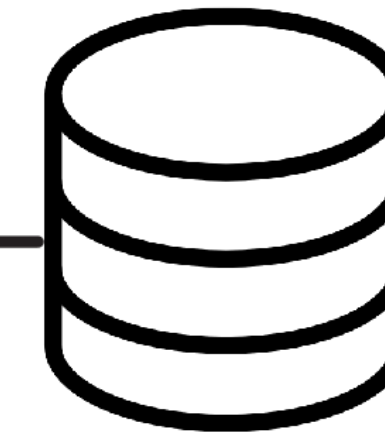
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# Different tools solve different problems

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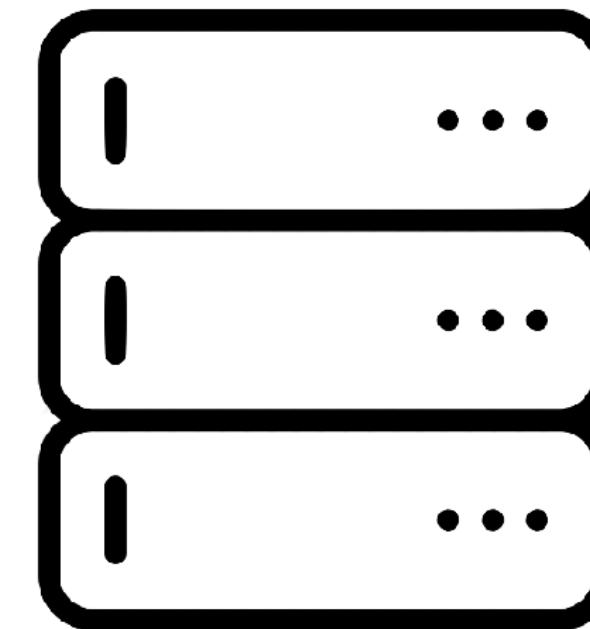
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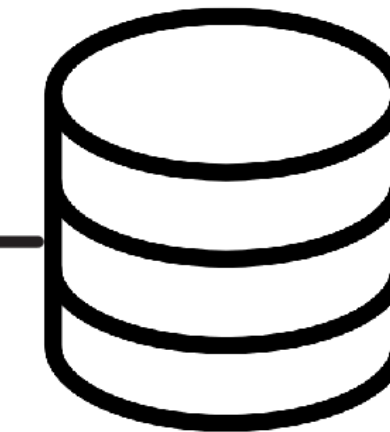
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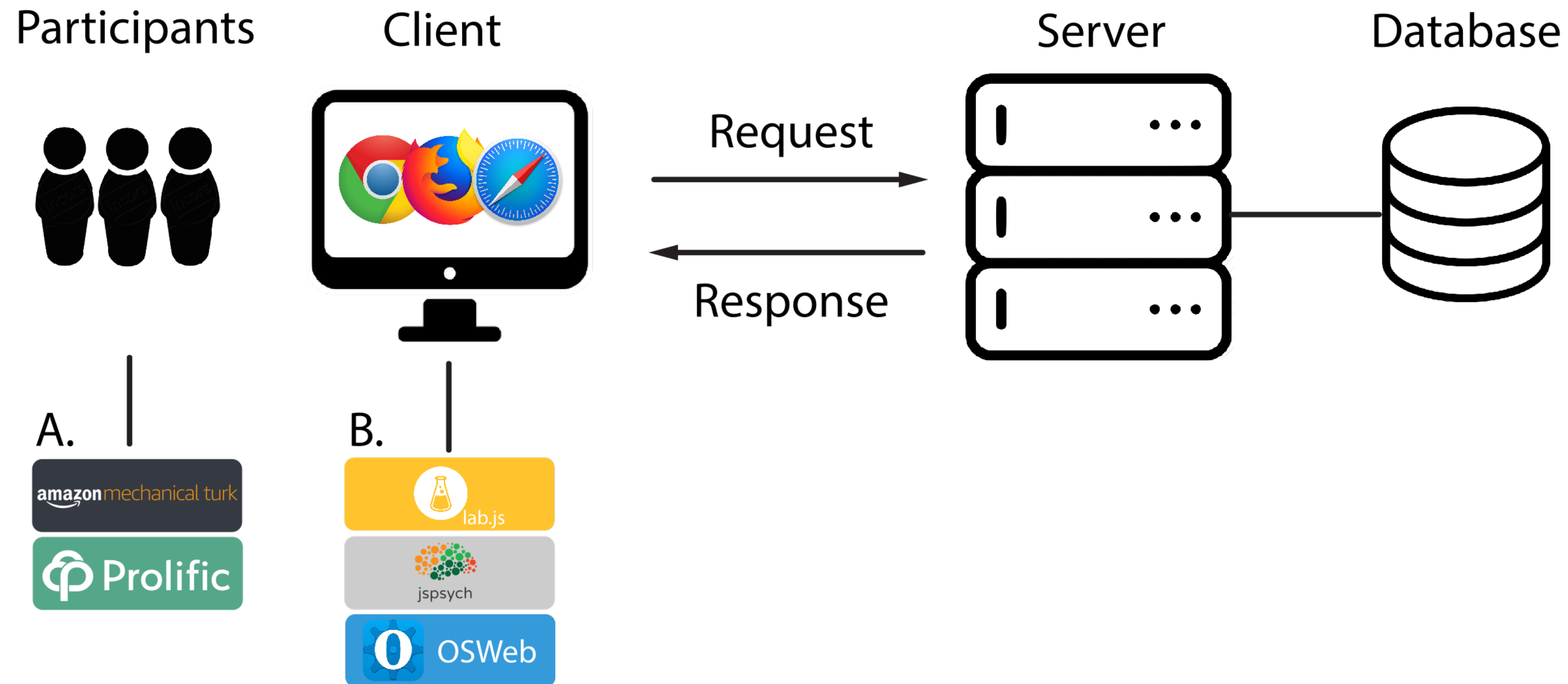
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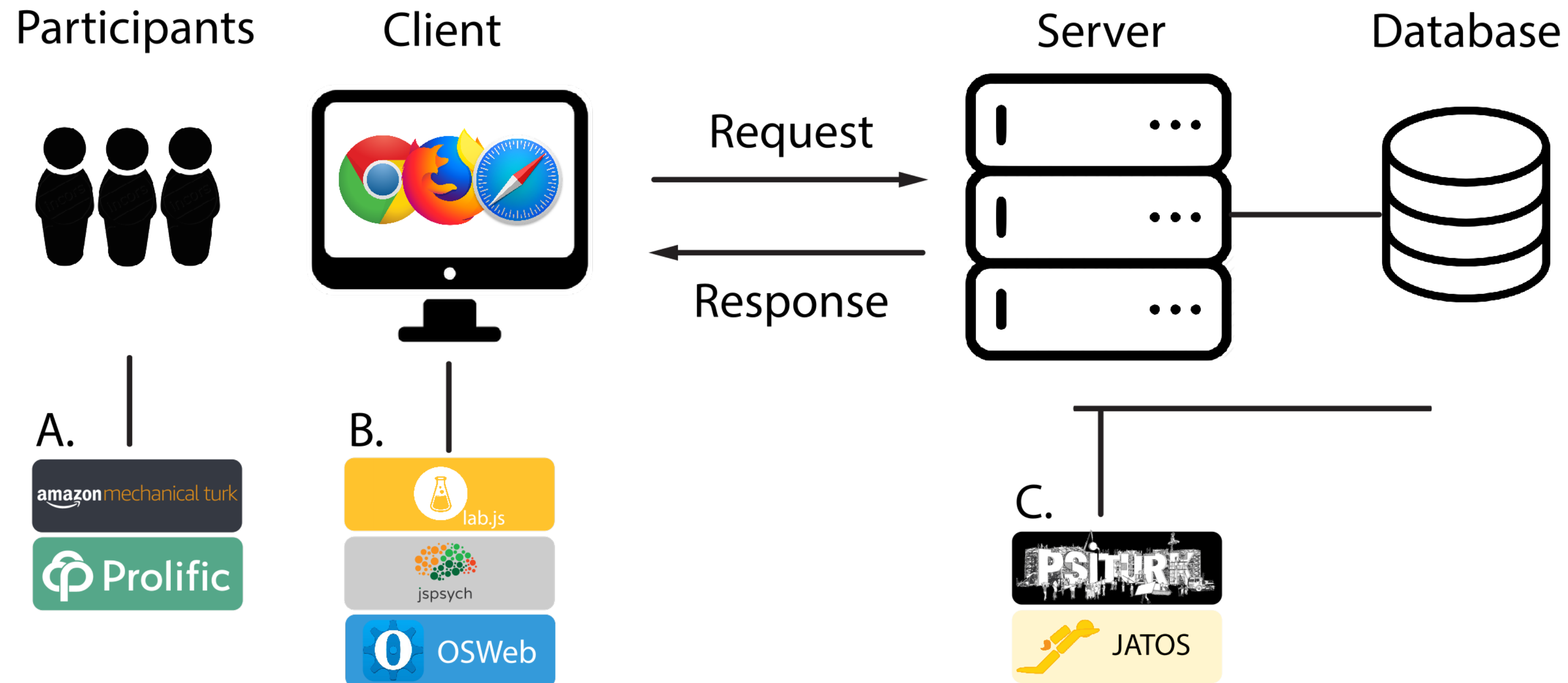
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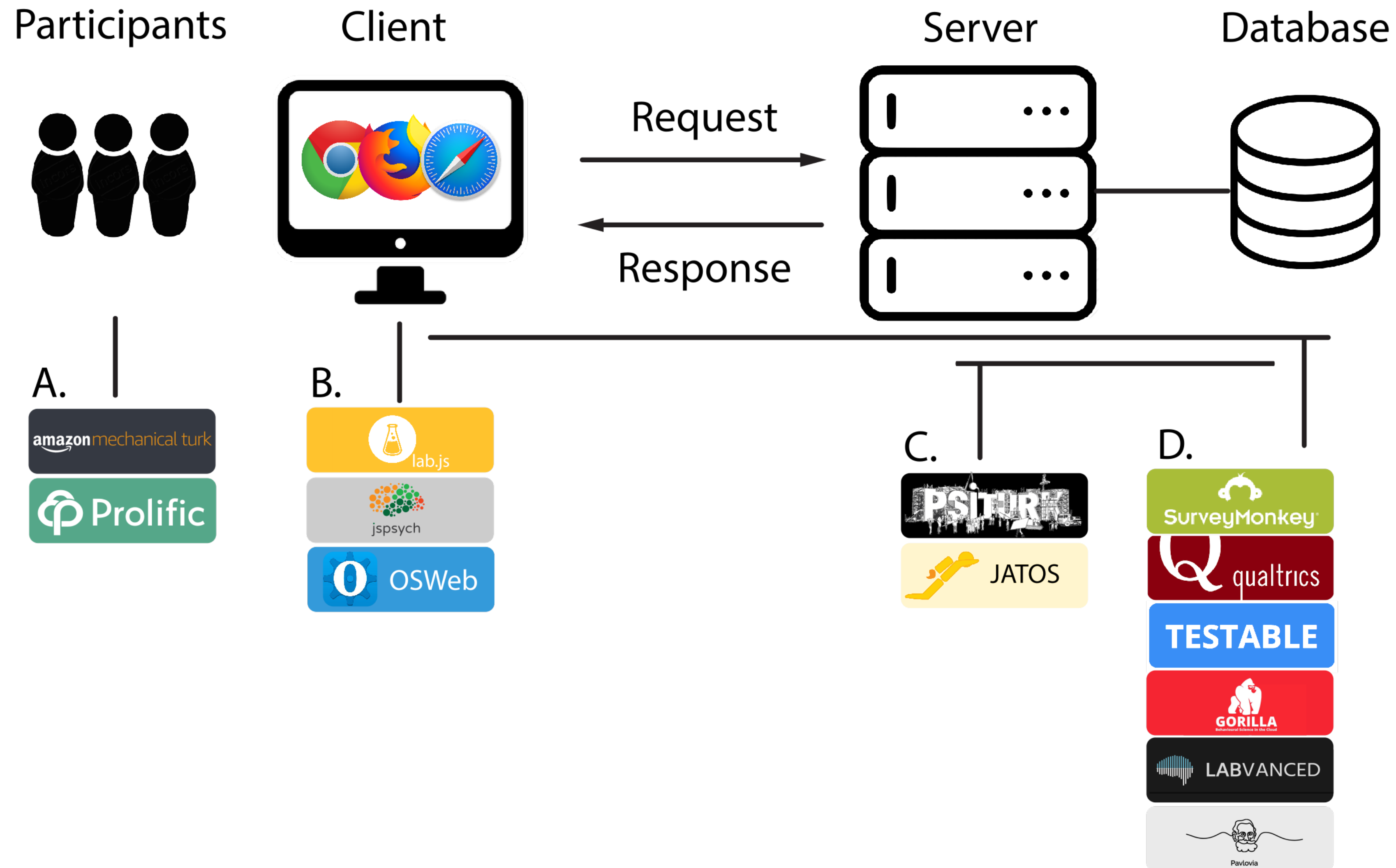


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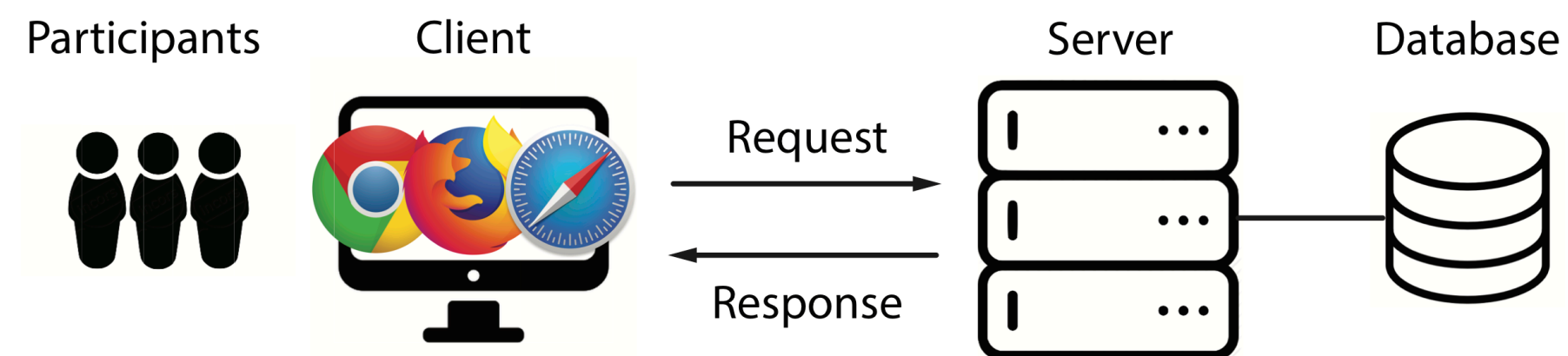
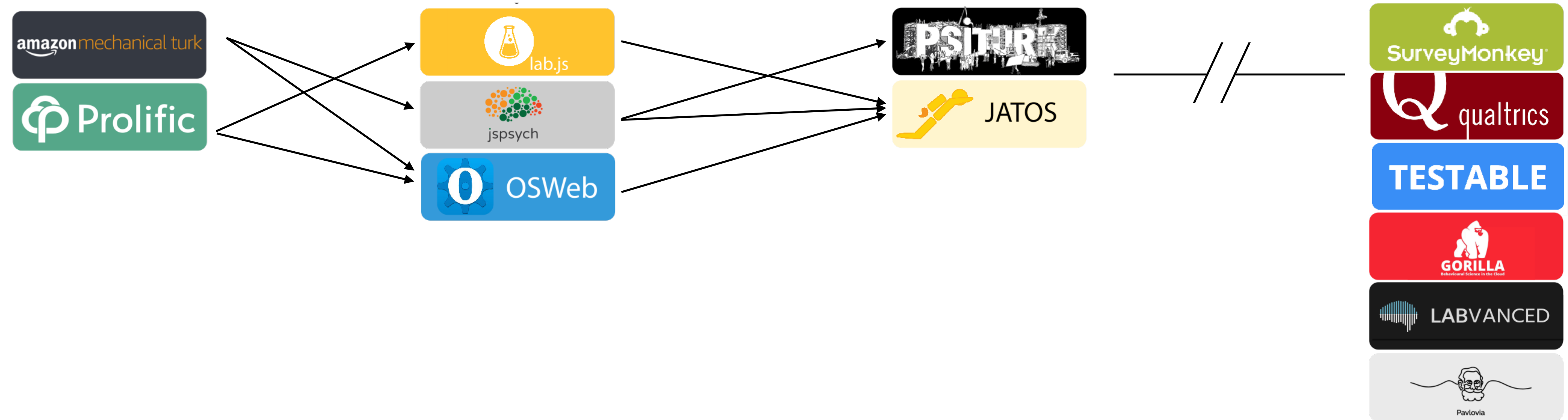


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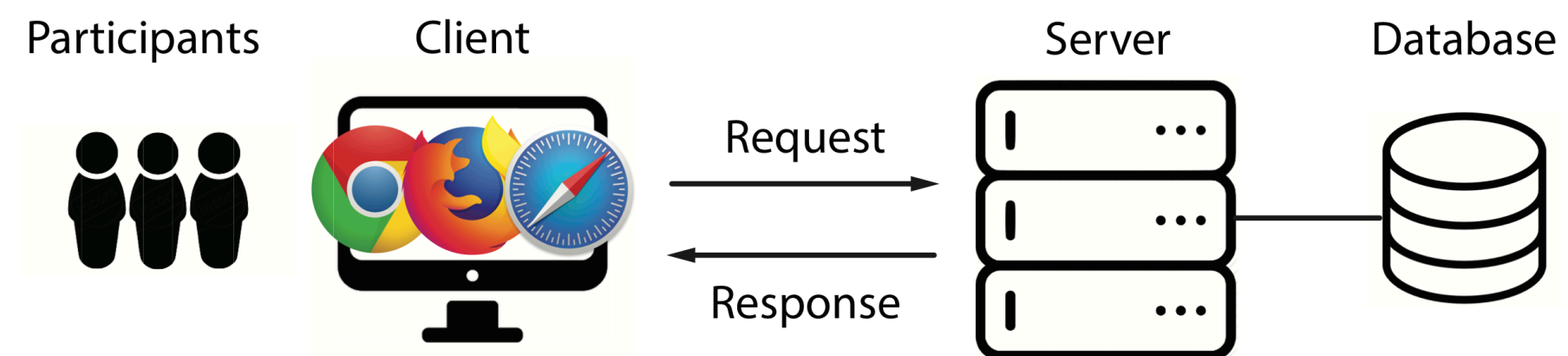
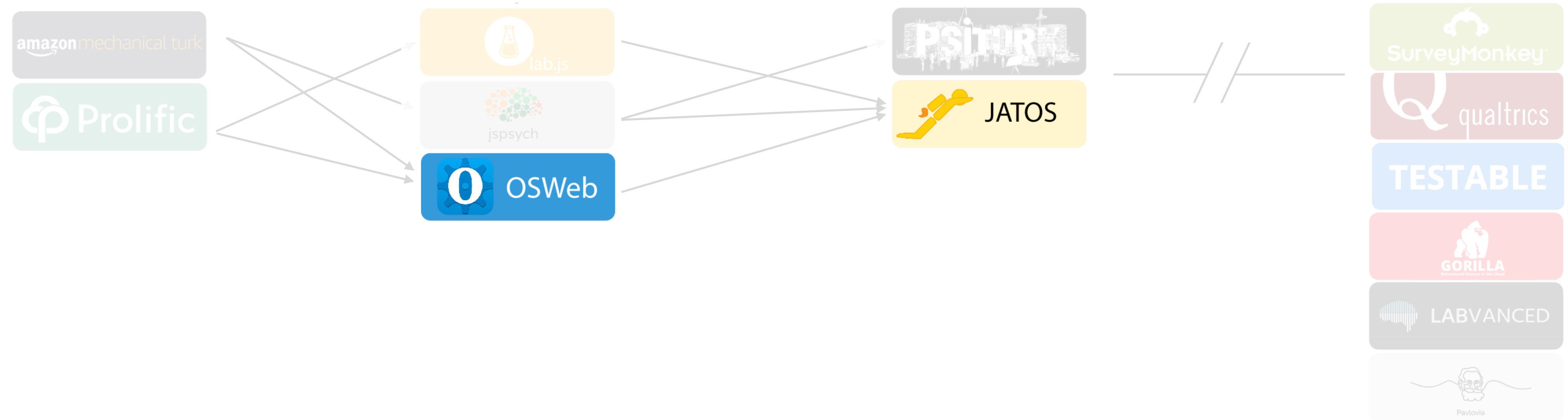




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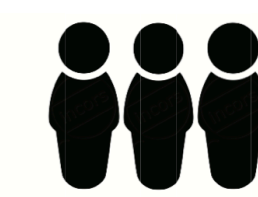
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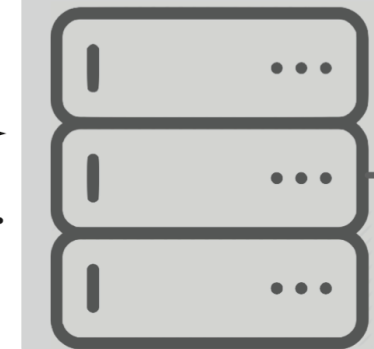
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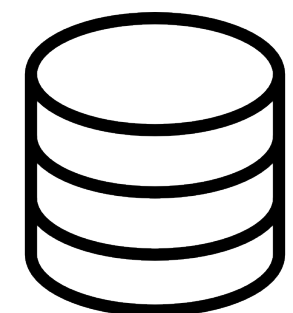
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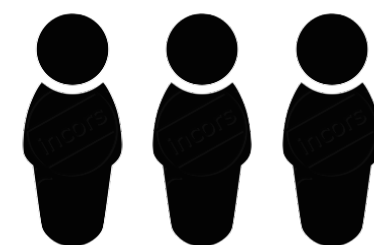
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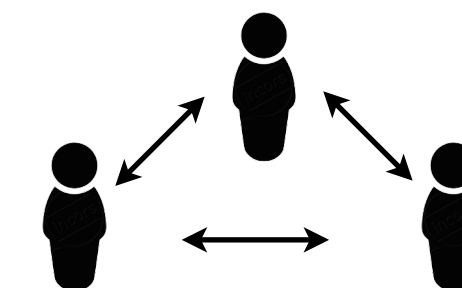
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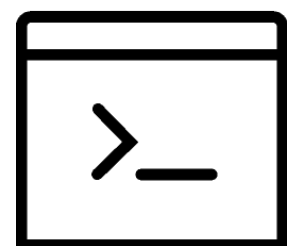
Store data safely



Manage participants



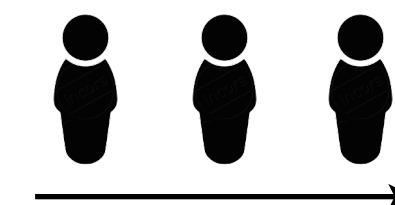
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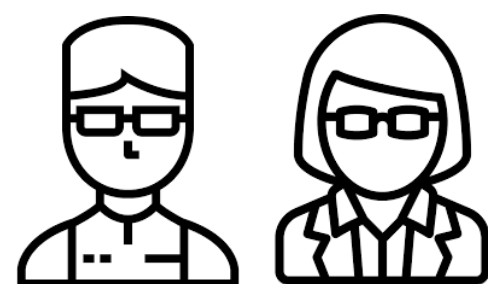
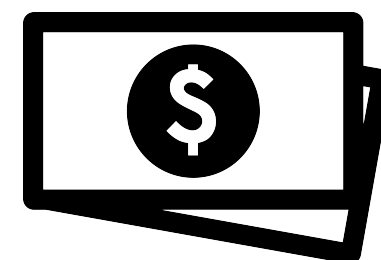
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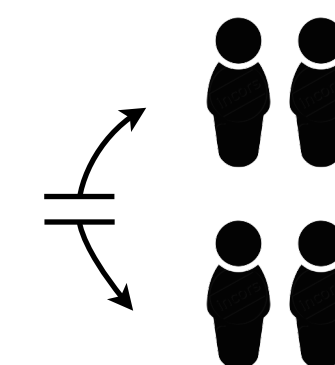
Store data responsibly



Longitudinal designs

Access **your** data

Identify to pay participants

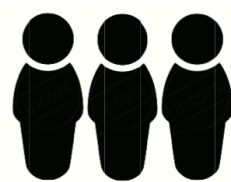


Between-subjects designs

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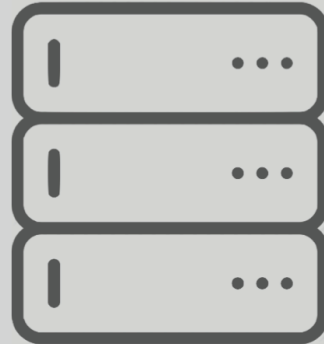
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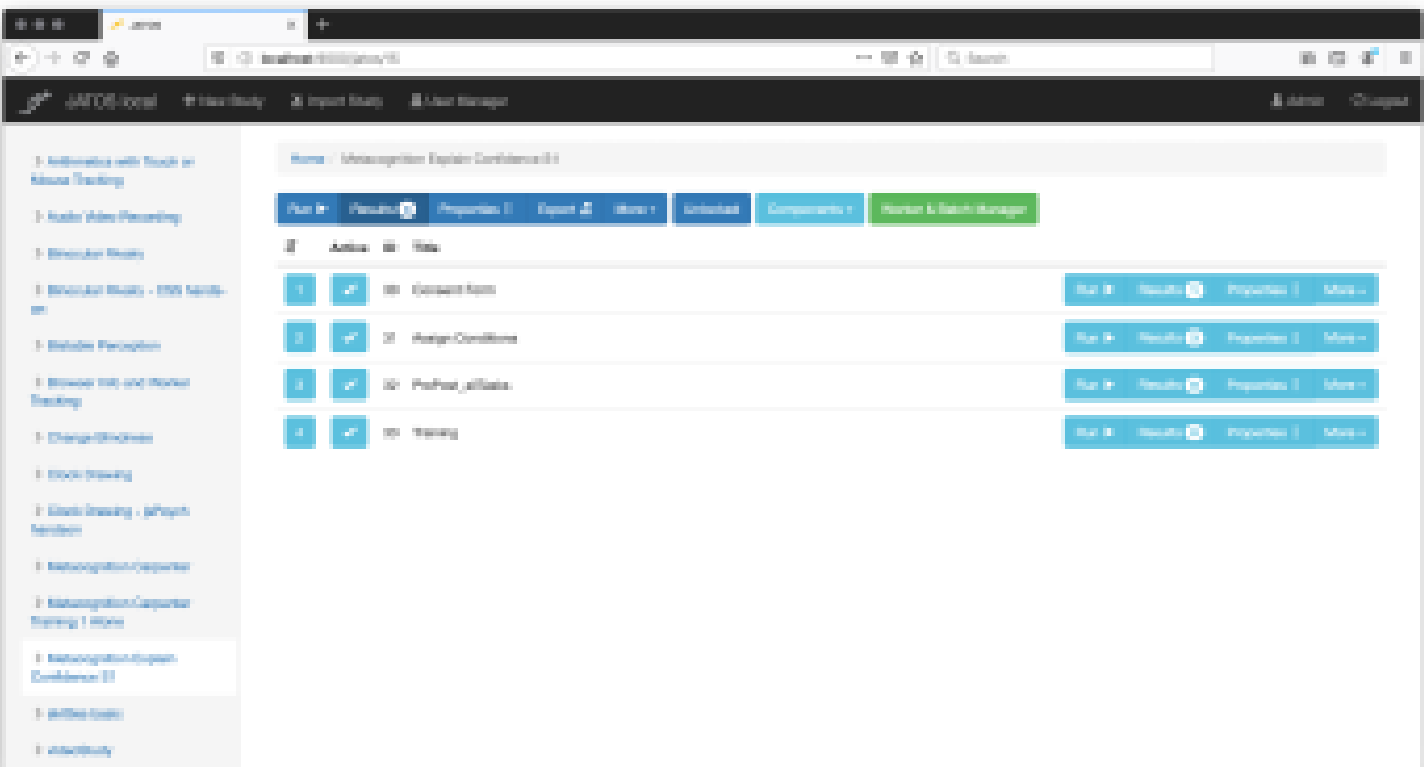
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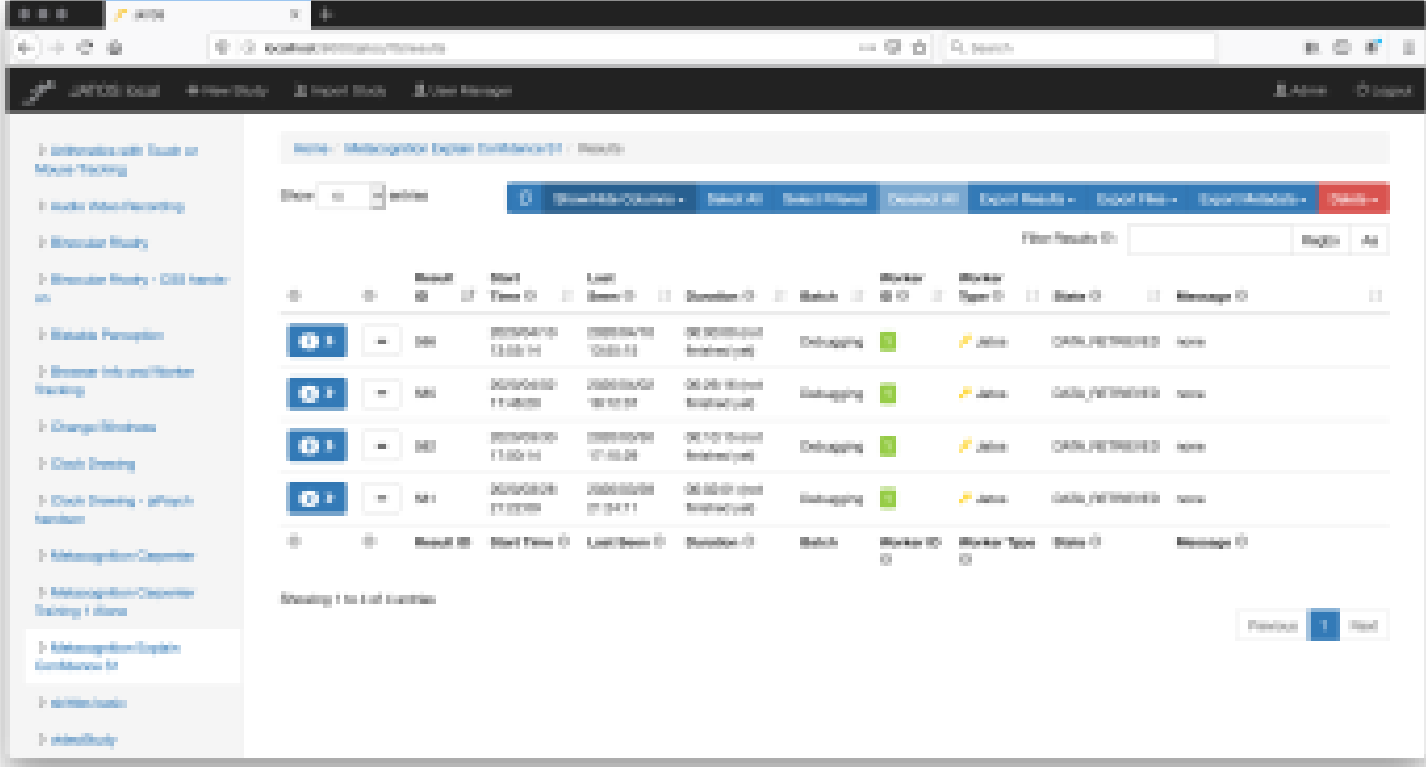
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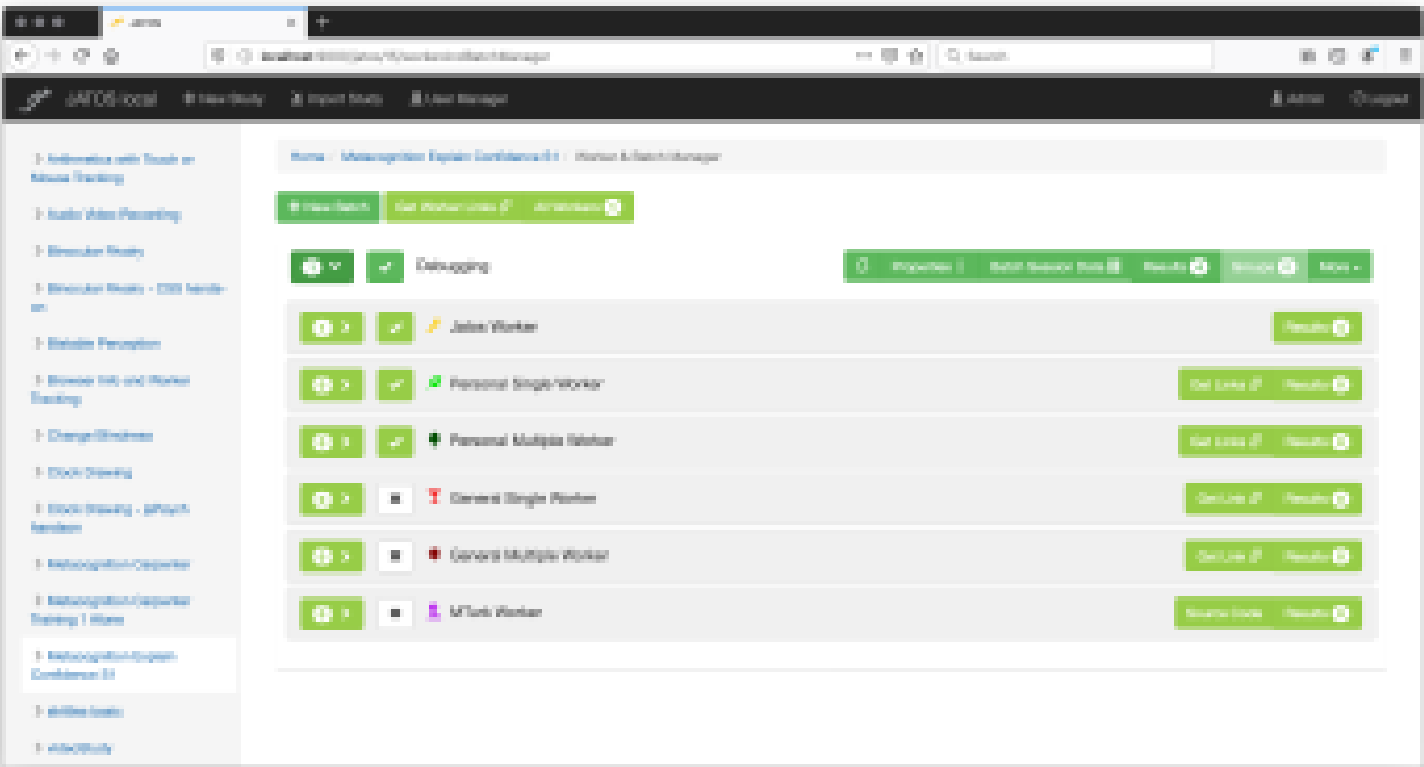
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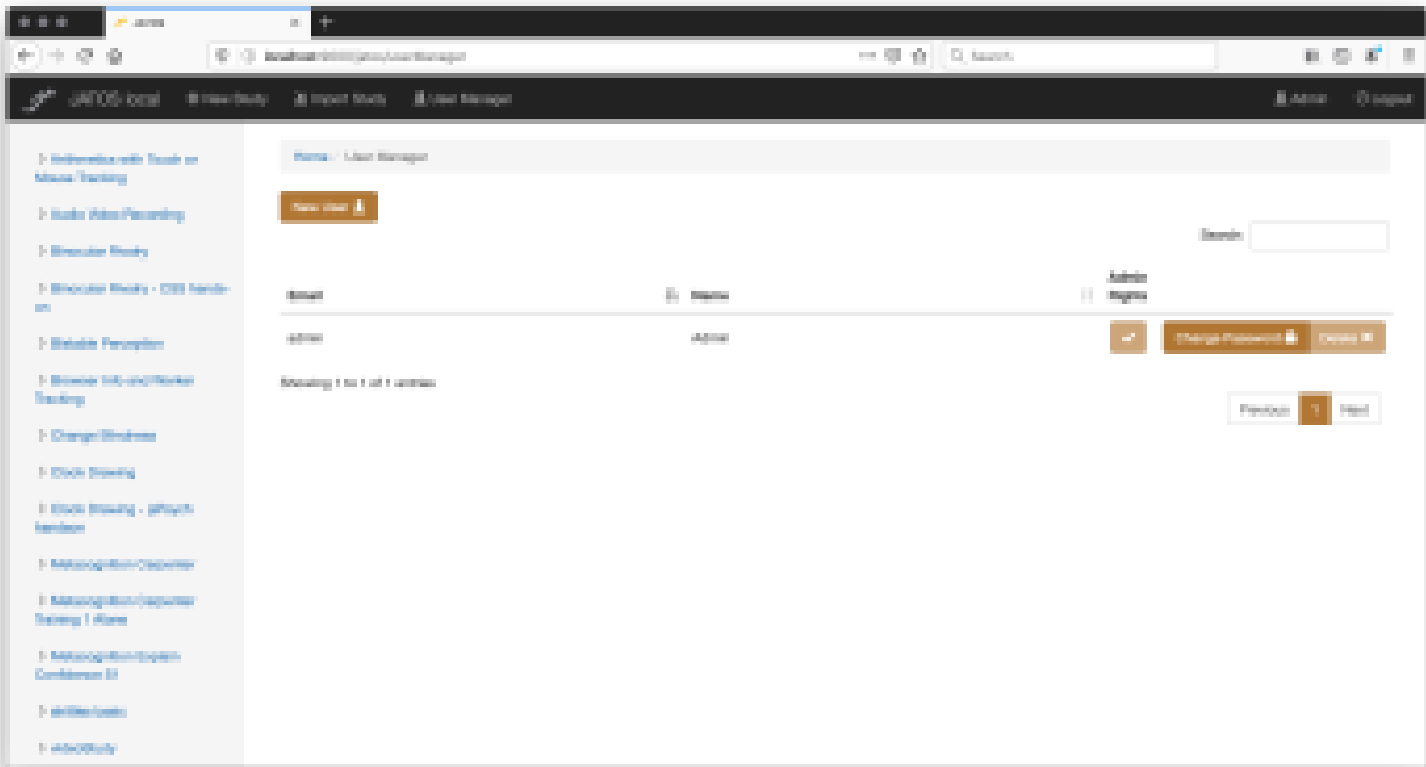
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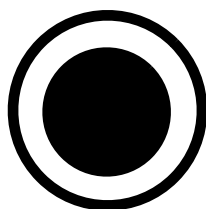
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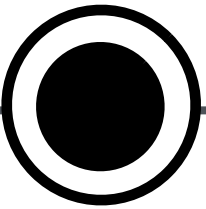


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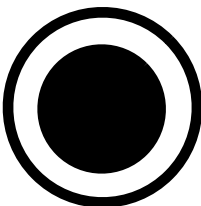


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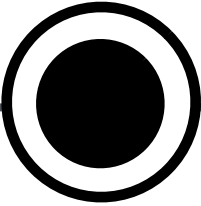
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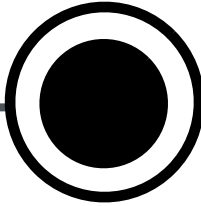


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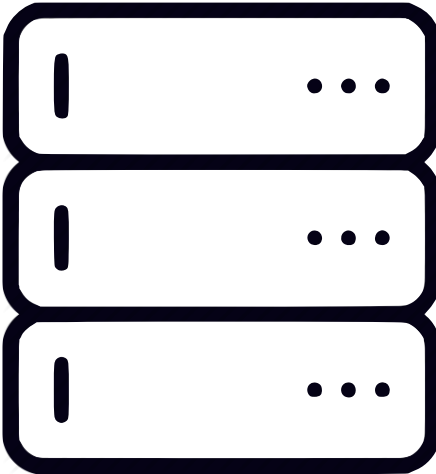
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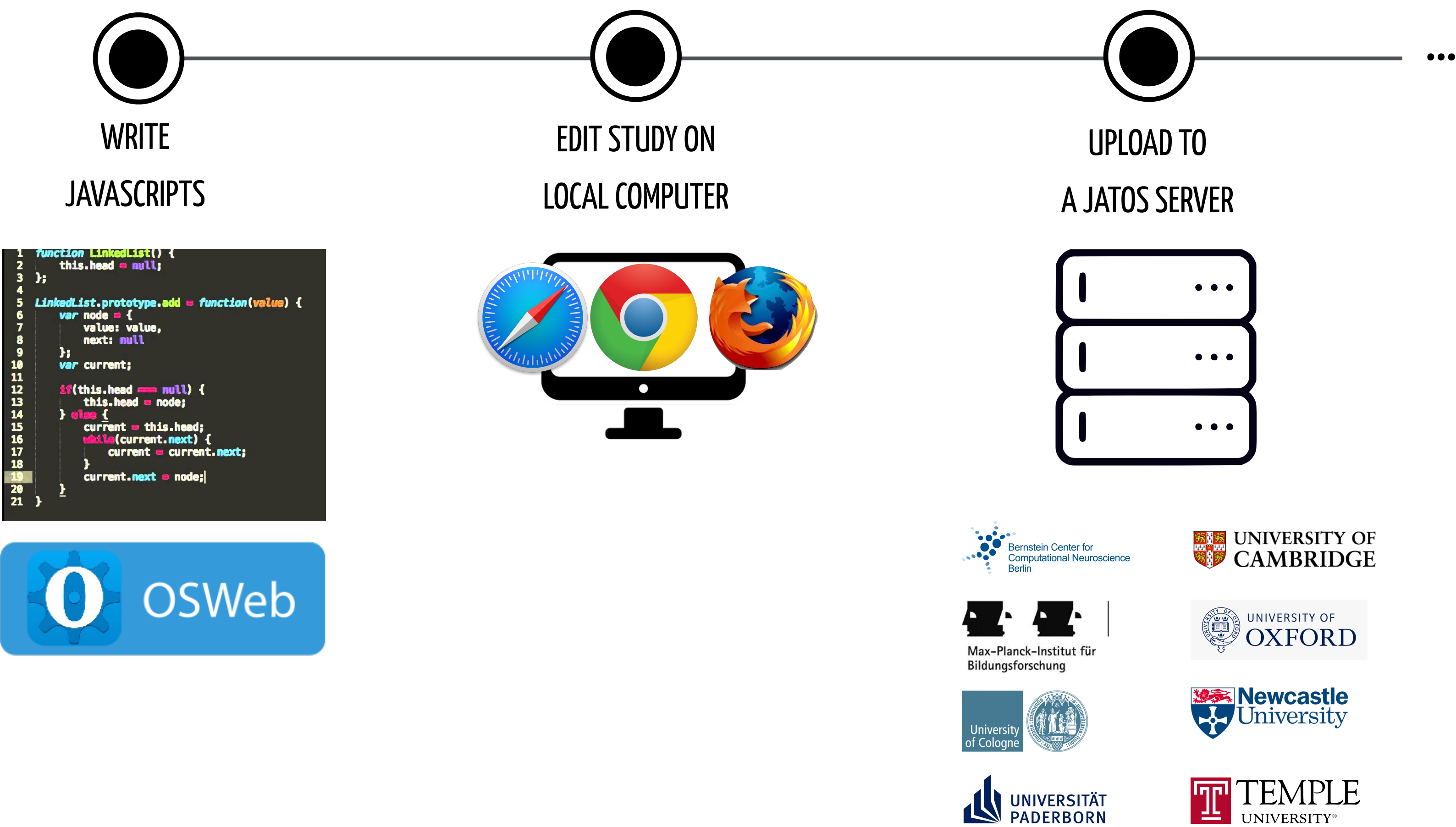
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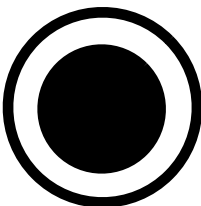


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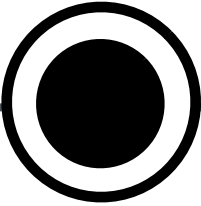


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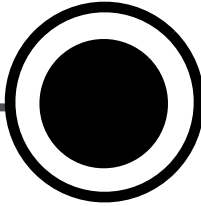


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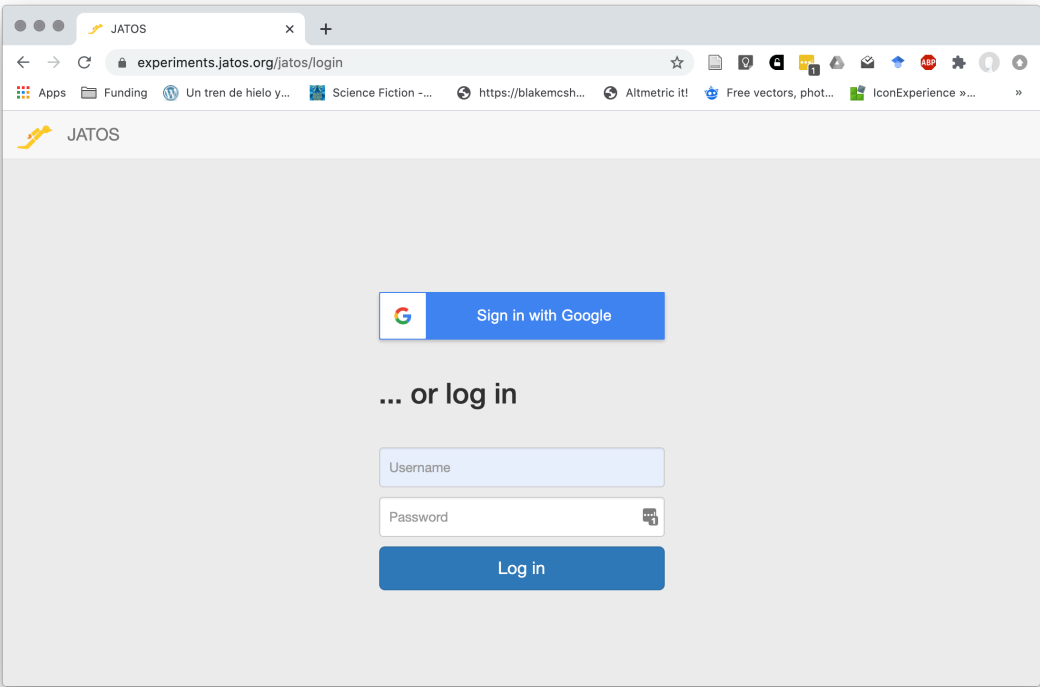
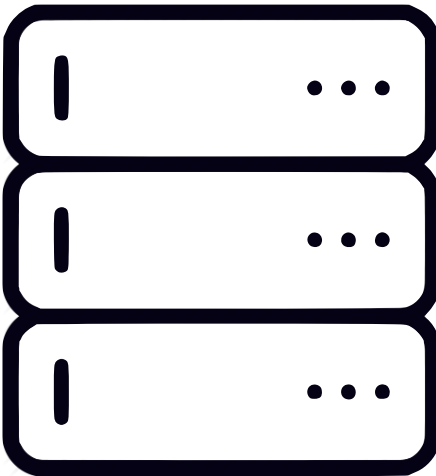
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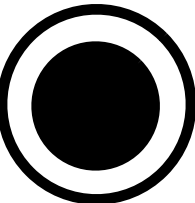
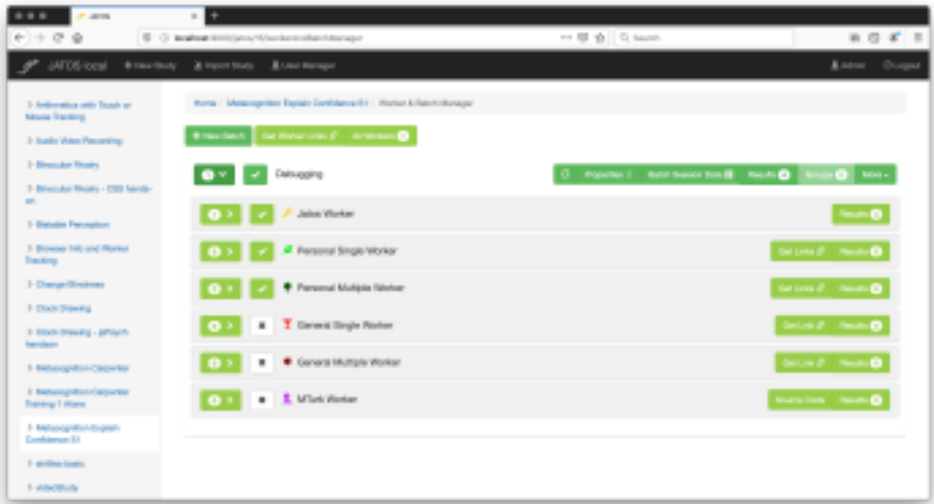
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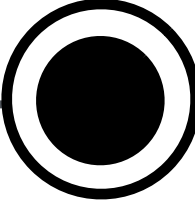


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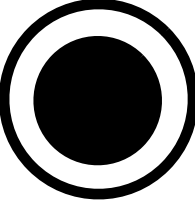


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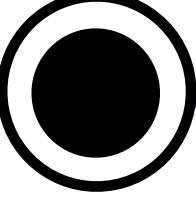
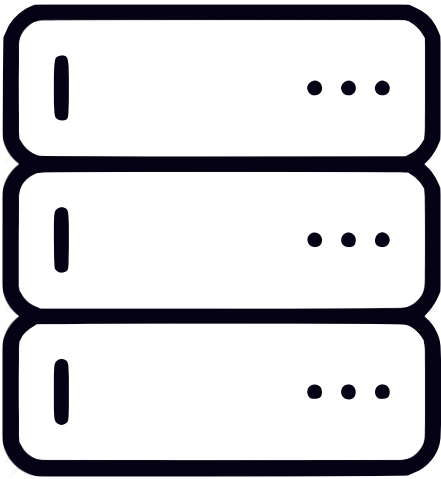
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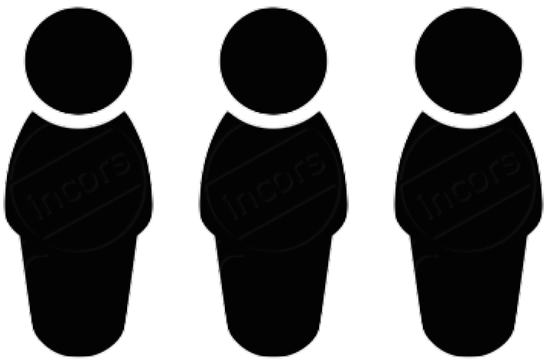
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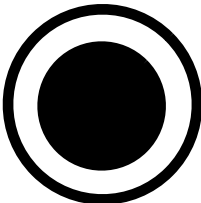
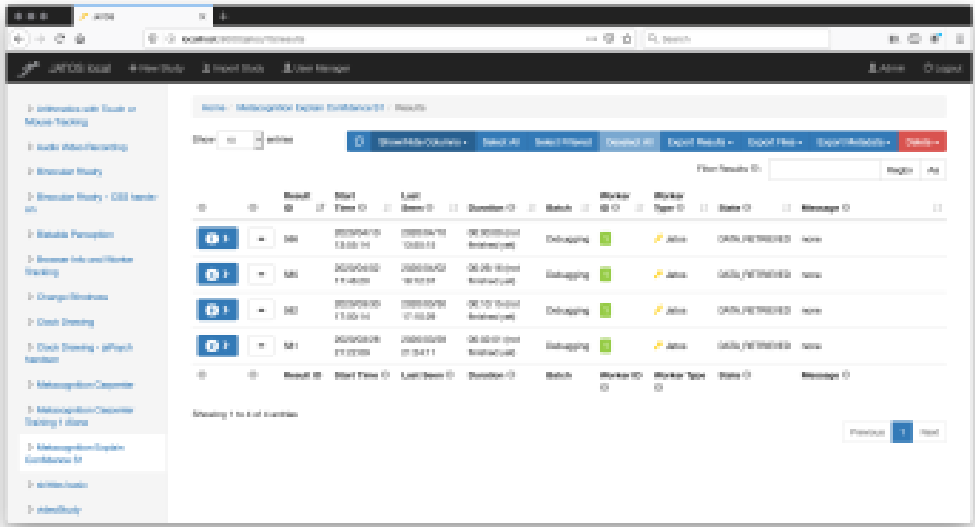
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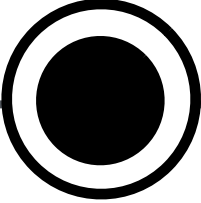


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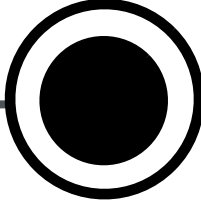


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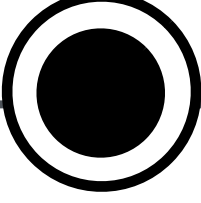
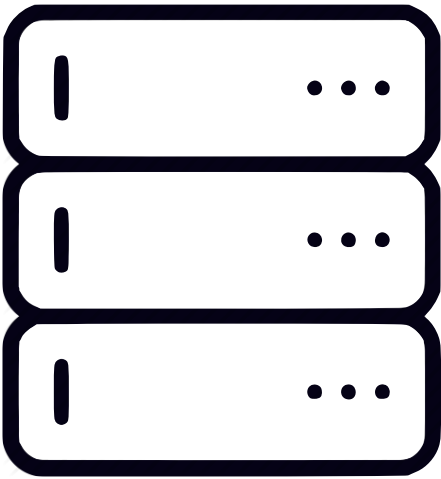
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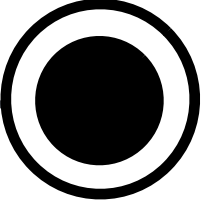
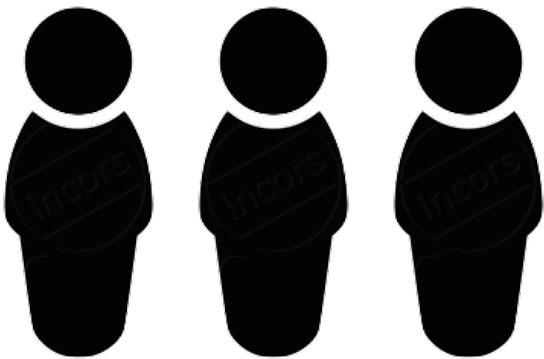
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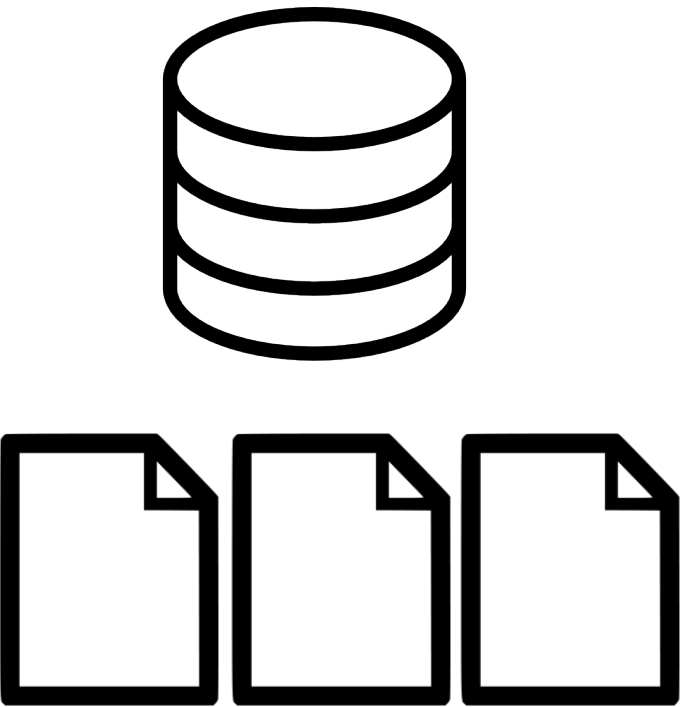
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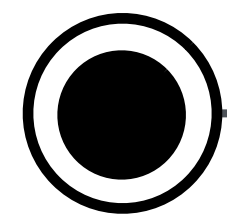
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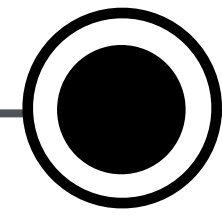


# Thanks! Any questions? (GUI follows)

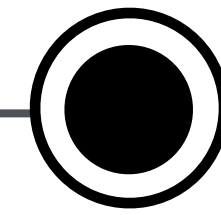


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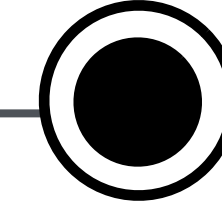
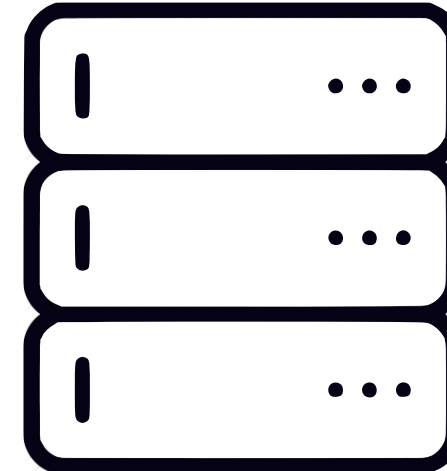
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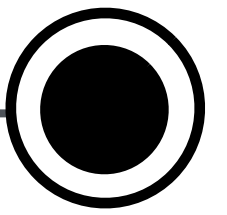
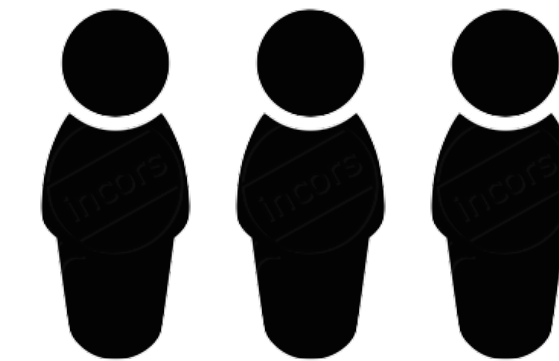
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