

HSM, Data Movement, Tiering and more

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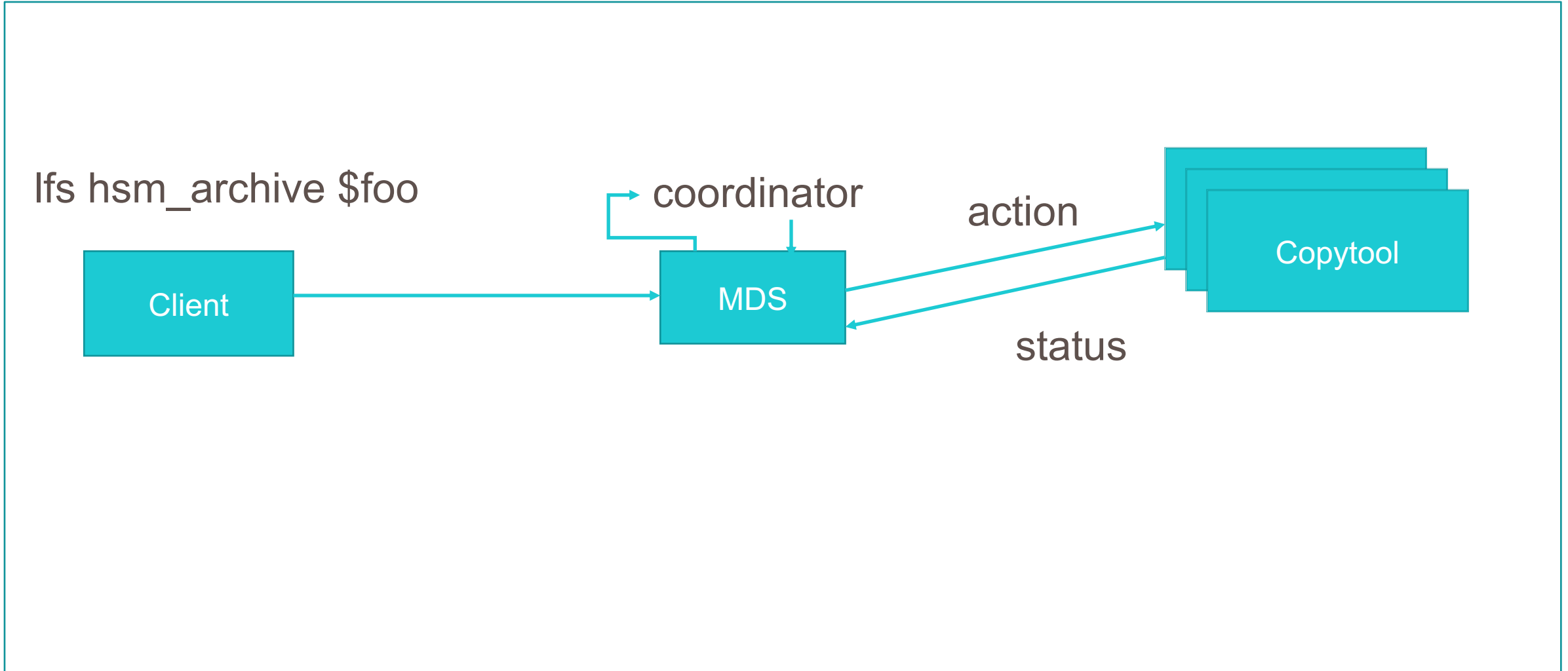
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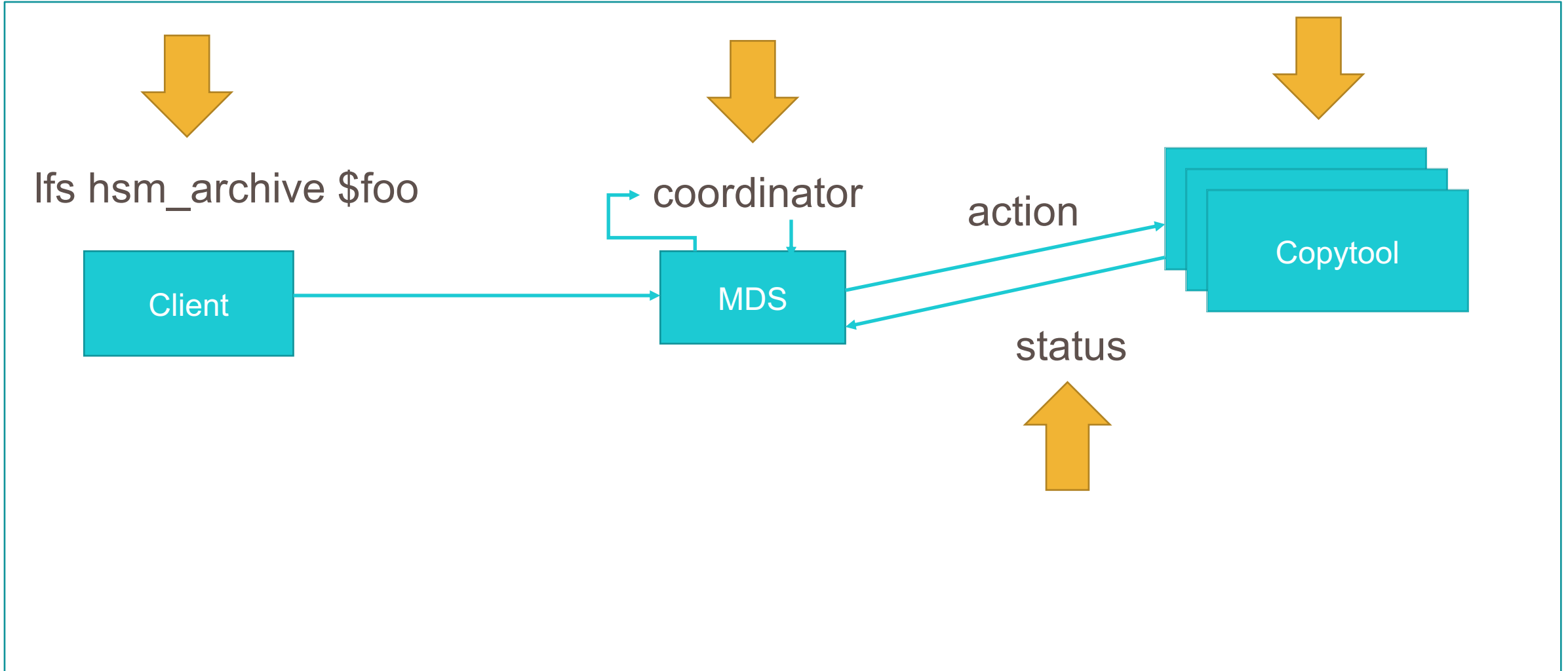
Active Development



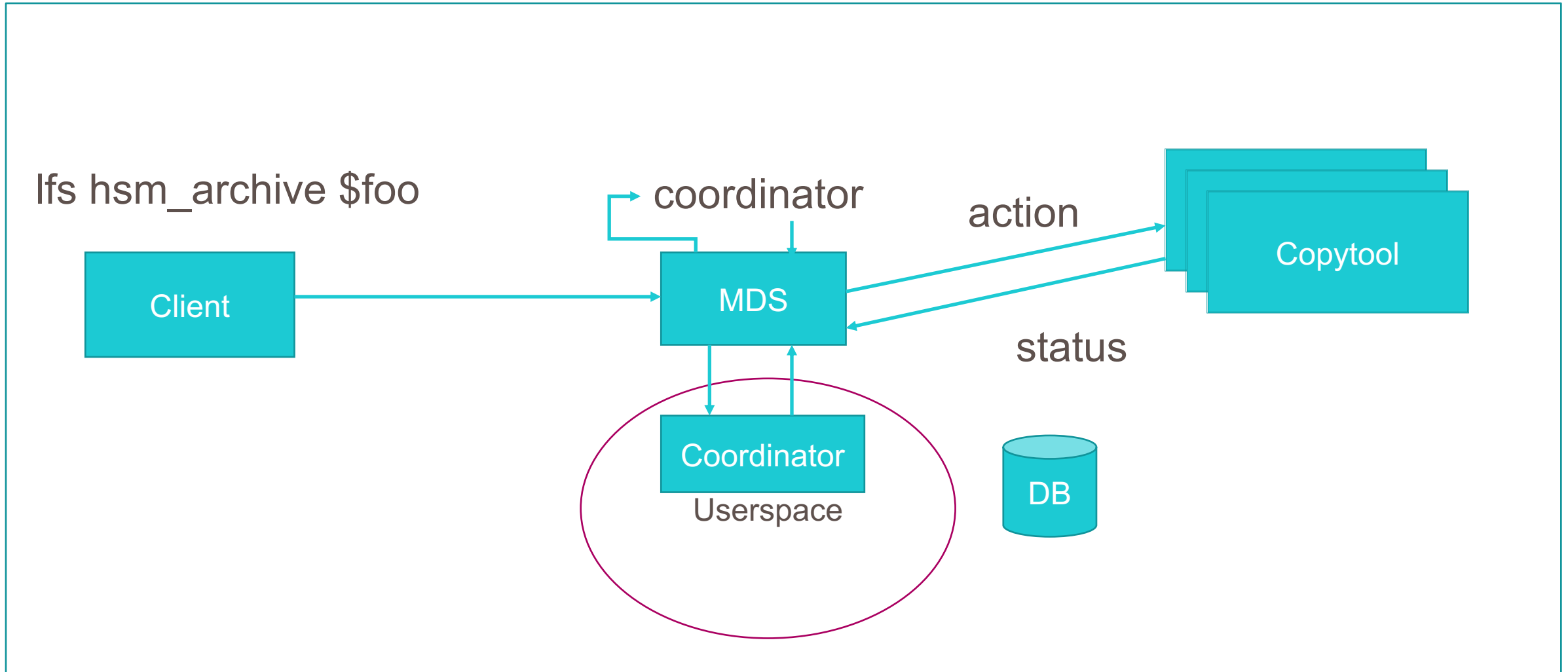
HSM – Current Status



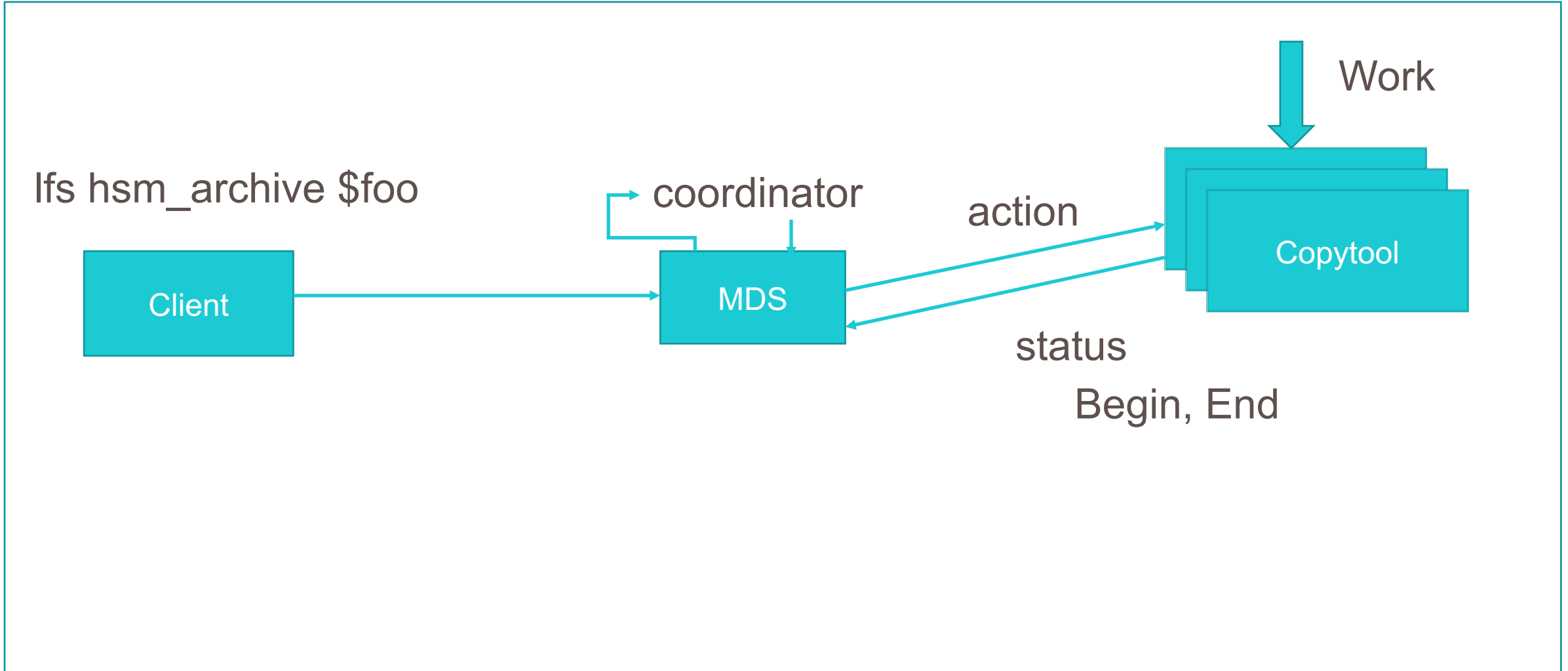
What's Wrong with this Picture



#2 and 3 Coordinator (LU-10986)



#4 Copytool Interfaces



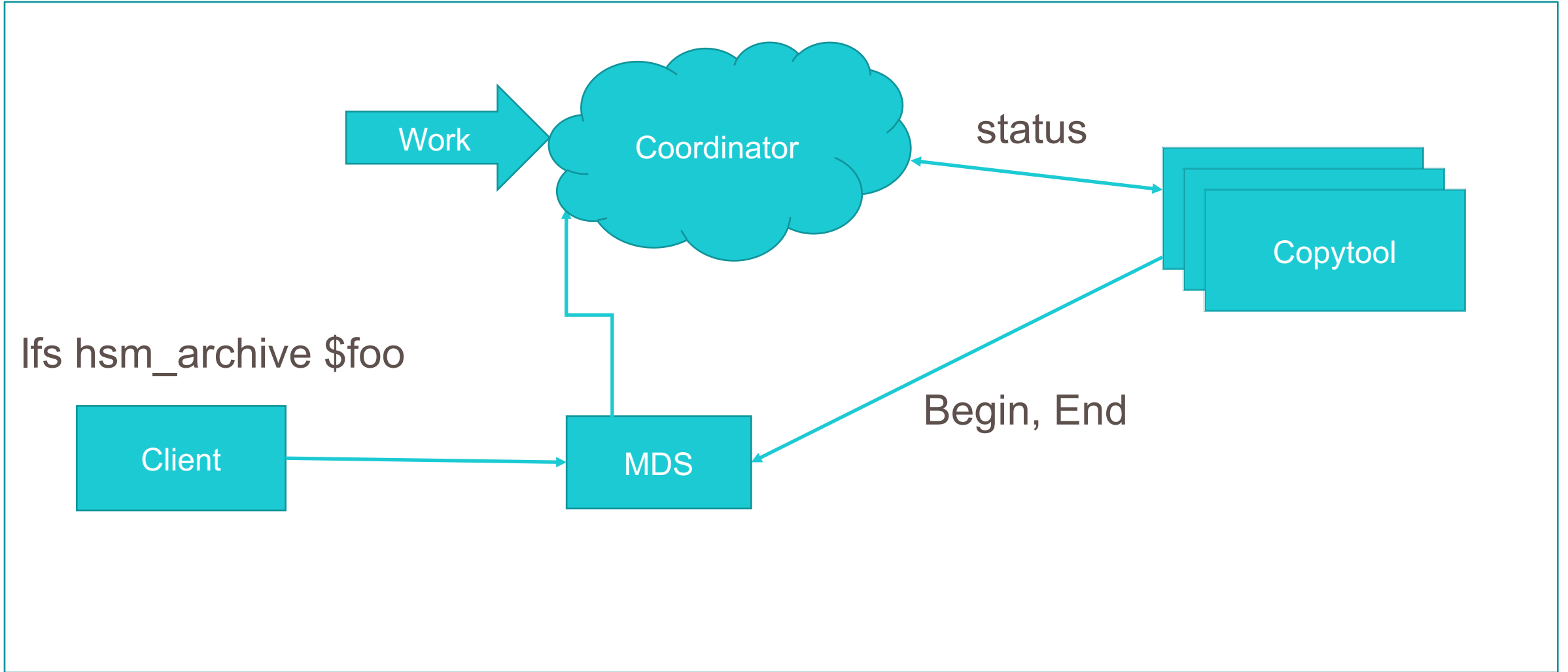
Archive (New Interface)

- Can all be handled by the new data mover
 - Only HSM xattr info needs to be set (ARCHIVED, etc.)
 - Need to check data versions to make sure nothing changed
 - Failovers? Not a problem
 - Locks? Not a problem
 - Multiple backups? All userspace
 - But wait, there's more!

Restore (New Interface)

- Can all be handled by the new data mover
 - Need to check that it can be restored (basically the ARCHIVED flag)
 - Restore data to a temp file, then do a layout swap
 - Remove RELEASED flag
 - Failovers? Not a problem
 - Locks? Not a problem (kind of)

New Picture



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- Use current lfs migrate to create a temp file with new striping info
 - Add it to the HSM queue
 - Copytool copies data from the file to the temp file
 - Layout swap
 - Delete the old temp file
- No real coordinator changes needed (internal or external)

Future Work



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- Leverage stripes
 - Create an HSM mirror sync operation
- Migrate
 - Create a new stripe
 - Migrate data
 - Delete old stripes

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- Leave old stripes in place
 - At the end, delete all data in the old stripe and mark it as inactive
- Migrate
 - Create or Reactivate stripe
 - Mirror sync
 - Truncate old stripe
 - Deactivate old stripe

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- Name the stripes
 - “SSD” or ”HDD”
- Migrate
 - Activate “HDD” stripe
 - Mirror sync
 - Truncate “SDD” stripe
 - Deactivate “SSD” stripe

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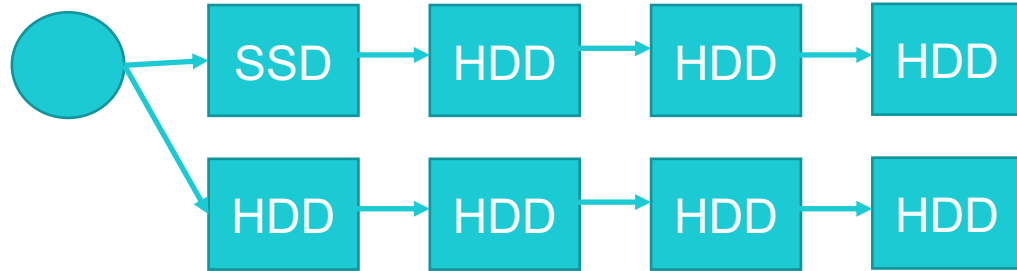
- PFL and stripes



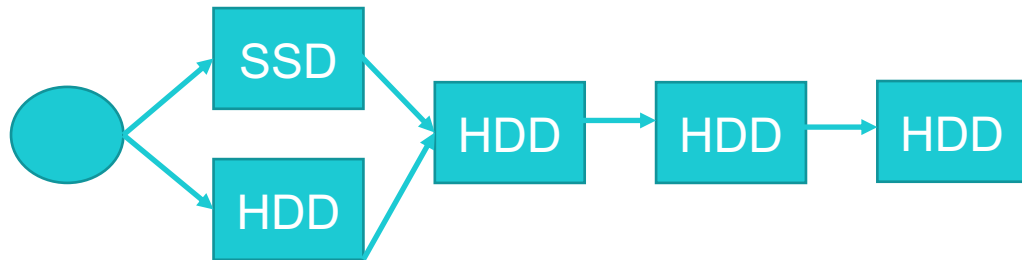
- Migrate off of SSD
 - Copy the file?
 - Mirror sync?
 - Something else?

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- Current view of mirrored stripes



- Or could we do this?



QUESTIONS?



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