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CHAPTER 1

Getting Started

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Download http://pypi.python.org/pypi/kombu/

Source https://github.com/celery/kombu/

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1.1 About

Kombu is a messaging library for Python.

The aim of *Kombu* is to make messaging in Python as easy as possible by providing an idiomatic high-level interface for the AMQ protocol, and also provide proven and tested solutions to common messaging problems.

AMQP is the Advanced Message Queuing Protocol, an open standard protocol for message orientation, queuing, routing, reliability and security, for which the RabbitMQ messaging server is the most popular implementation.

1.2 Features

- Allows application authors to support several message server solutions by using pluggable transports.
 - AMQP transport using the py-amqp, librabbitmq, or qpid-python libraries.
 - High performance AMQP transport written in C when using librabbitmq
 This is automatically enabled if librabbitmq is installed:

```
$ pip install librabbitmq
```

 Virtual transports makes it really easy to add support for non-AMQP transports. There is already built-in support for Redis, Amazon SQS, ZooKeeper, SoftLayer MQ and Pyro.

- In-memory transport for unit testing.
- Supports automatic encoding, serialization and compression of message payloads.
- Consistent exception handling across transports.
- The ability to ensure that an operation is performed by gracefully handling connection and channel errors.
- Several annoyances with amqplib has been fixed, like supporting timeouts and the ability to wait for events on more than one channel.
- Projects already using carrot can easily be ported by using a compatibility layer.

For an introduction to AMQP you should read the article Rabbits and warrens, and the Wikipedia article about AMQP.

1.3 Transport Comparison

Client	Type	Direct	Topic	Fanout	Priority	TTL
amqp	Native	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes ³	Yes ⁴
qpid	Native	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
redis	Virtual	Yes	Yes	Yes (PUB/SUB)	Yes	No
mongodb	Virtual	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
SQS	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	Yes ²	No	No
zookeeper	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	Yes	No
in-memory	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	No	No
SLMQ	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	No	No

1.3.1 Documentation

Kombu is using Sphinx, and the latest documentation can be found here:

https://kombu.readthedocs.io/

1.3.2 Quick overview

```
from kombu import Connection, Exchange, Queue

media_exchange = Exchange('media', 'direct', durable=True)
video_queue = Queue('video', exchange=media_exchange, routing_key='video')

def process_media(body, message):
    print body
    message.ack()

# connections
with Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost//') as conn:
# produce
```

³ AMOP Message priority support depends on broker implementation.

⁴ AMQP Message/Queue TTL support depends on broker implementation.

¹ Declarations only kept in memory, so exchanges/queues must be declared by all clients that needs them.

² Fanout supported via storing routing tables in SimpleDB. Disabled by default, but can be enabled by using the supports_fanout transport option.

```
producer = conn.Producer(serializer='json')
   producer.publish({'name': '/tmp/lolcat1.avi', 'size': 1301013},
                      exchange=media_exchange, routing_key='video',
                      declare=[video_queue])
    # the declare above, makes sure the video queue is declared
    # so that the messages can be delivered.
    # It's a best practice in Kombu to have both publishers and
    # consumers declare the queue. You can also declare the
    # queue manually using:
        video_queue(conn).declare()
    # consume
   with conn.Consumer(video_queue, callbacks=[process_media]) as consumer:
        # Process messages and handle events on all channels
       while True:
            conn.drain_events()
# Consume from several queues on the same channel:
video_queue = Queue('video', exchange=media_exchange, key='video')
image_queue = Queue('image', exchange=media_exchange, key='image')
with connection.Consumer([video_queue, image_queue],
                         callbacks=[process_media]) as consumer:
    while True:
       connection.drain_events()
```

Or handle channels manually:

```
with connection.channel() as channel:
    producer = Producer(channel, ...)
    consumer = Producer(channel)
```

All objects can be used outside of with statements too, just remember to close the objects after use:

```
from kombu import Connection, Consumer, Producer

connection = Connection()
    # ...
connection.release()

consumer = Consumer(channel_or_connection, ...)
consumer.register_callback(my_callback)
consumer.consume()
    # ....
consumer.cancel()
```

Exchange and Queue are simply declarations that can be pickled and used in configuration files etc.

They also support operations, but to do so they need to be bound to a channel.

Binding exchanges and queues to a connection will make it use that connections default channel.

```
>>> exchange = Exchange('tasks', 'direct')
>>> connection = Connection()
>>> bound_exchange = exchange(connection)
```

```
>>> bound_exchange.delete()

# the original exchange is not affected, and stays unbound.
>>> exchange.delete()
raise NotBoundError: Can't call delete on Exchange not bound to
    a channel.
```

1.4 Terminology

There are some concepts you should be familiar with before starting:

· Producers

Producers sends messages to an exchange.

· Exchanges

Messages are sent to exchanges. Exchanges are named and can be configured to use one of several routing algorithms. The exchange routes the messages to consumers by matching the routing key in the message with the routing key the consumer provides when binding to the exchange.

Consumers

Consumers declares a queue, binds it to a exchange and receives messages from it.

· Oueues

Queues receive messages sent to exchanges. The queues are declared by consumers.

· Routing keys

Every message has a routing key. The interpretation of the routing key depends on the exchange type. There are four default exchange types defined by the AMQP standard, and vendors can define custom types (so see your vendors manual for details).

These are the default exchange types defined by AMQP/0.8:

- Direct exchange

Matches if the routing key property of the message and the *routing_key* attribute of the consumer are identical.

- Fan-out exchange

Always matches, even if the binding does not have a routing key.

- Topic exchange

Matches the routing key property of the message by a primitive pattern matching scheme. The message routing key then consists of words separated by dots (".", like domain names), and two special characters are available; star ("*") and hash ("#"). The star matches any word, and the hash matches zero or more words. For example "*.stock.#" matches the routing keys "usd.stock" and "eur.stock.db" but not "stock.nasdaq".

1.5 Installation

You can install Kombu either via the Python Package Index (PyPI) or from source.

To install using pip,:

```
$ pip install kombu
```

To install using *easy_install*,:

```
$ easy_install kombu
```

If you have downloaded a source tarball you can install it by doing the following,:

```
$ python setup.py build
# python setup.py install # as root
```

1.6 Getting Help

1.6.1 Mailing list

Join the carrot-users mailing list.

1.7 Bug tracker

If you have any suggestions, bug reports or annoyances please report them to our issue tracker at http://github.com/celery/kombu/issues/

1.8 Contributing

Development of *Kombu* happens at Github: http://github.com/celery/kombu

You are highly encouraged to participate in the development. If you don't like Github (for some reason) you're welcome to send regular patches.

1.9 License

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CHAPTER 2

User Guide

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2.1 Introduction

2.1.1 What is messaging?

In times long ago people didn't have email. They had the postal service, which with great courage would deliver mail from hand to hand all over the globe. Soldiers deployed at wars far away could only communicate with their families through the postal service, and posting a letter would mean that the recipient wouldn't actually receive the letter until weeks or months, sometimes years later.

It's hard to imagine this today when people are expected to be available for phone calls every minute of the day.

So humans need to communicate with each other, this shouldn't be news to anyone, but why would applications?

One example is banks. When you transfer money from one bank to another, your bank sends a message to a central clearinghouse. The clearinghouse then records and coordinates the transaction. Banks need to send and receive millions and millions of messages every day, and losing a single message would mean either losing your money (bad) or the banks money (very bad)

Another example is the stock exchanges, which also have a need for very high message throughputs and have strict reliability requirements.

Email is a great way for people to communicate. It is much faster than using the postal service, but still using email as a means for programs to communicate would be like the soldier above, waiting for signs of life from his girlfriend back home.

2.1.2 Messaging Scenarios

• Request/Reply

The request/reply pattern works like the postal service example. A message is addressed to a single recipient, with a return address printed on the back. The recipient may or may not reply to the message by sending it back to the original sender.

Request-Reply is achieved using *direct* exchanges.

· Broadcast

In a broadcast scenario a message is sent to all parties. This could be none, one or many recipients.

Broadcast is achieved using *fanout* exchanges.

• Publish/Subscribe

In a publish/subscribe scenario producers publish messages to topics, and consumers subscribe to the topics they are interested in.

If no consumers subscribe to the topic, then the message will not be delivered to anyone. If several consumers subscribe to the topic, then the message will be delivered to all of them.

Pub-sub is achieved using topic exchanges.

2.1.3 Reliability

For some applications reliability is very important. Losing a message is a critical situation that must never happen. For other applications losing a message is fine, it can maybe recover in other ways, or the message is resent anyway as periodic updates.

AMQP defines two built-in delivery modes:

persistent

Messages are written to disk and survives a broker restart.

· transient

Messages may or may not be written to disk, as the broker sees fit to optimize memory contents. The messages won't survive a broker restart.

Transient messaging is by far the fastest way to send and receive messages, so having persistent messages comes with a price, but for some applications this is a necessary cost.

2.2 Connections and transports

2.2.1 Basics

To send and receive messages you need a transport and a connection. There are several transports to choose from (amqp, librabbitmq, redis, qpid, in-memory, etc.), and you can even create your own. The default transport is amqp.

Create a connection using the default transport:

```
>>> from kombu import Connection
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
```

The connection will not be established yet, as the connection is established when needed. If you want to explicitly establish the connection you have to call the connect () method:

```
>>> connection.connect()
```

You can also check whether the connection is connected:

```
>>> connection.connected
True
```

Connections must always be closed after use:

```
>>> connection.close()
```

But best practice is to release the connection instead, this will release the resource if the connection is associated with a connection pool, or close the connection if not, and makes it easier to do the transition to connection pools later:

```
>>> connection.release()
```

See also:

Connection and Producer Pools

Of course, the connection can be used as a context, and you are encouraged to do so as it makes it harder to forget releasing open resources:

```
with Connection() as connection:
    # work with connection
```

2.2.2 URLs

Connection parameters can be provided as a URL in the format:

```
transport://userid:password@hostname:port/virtual_host
```

All of these are valid URLs:

```
# Specifies using the amqp transport only, default values
# are taken from the keyword arguments.
amqp://

# Using Redis
redis://localhost:6379/

# Using Redis over a Unix socket
redis+socket:///tmp/redis.sock

# Using Qpid
qpid://localhost/

# Using virtual host '/foo'
amqp://localhost//foo

# Using virtual host 'foo'
amqp://localhost/foo
```

The query part of the URL can also be used to set options, e.g.:

```
amqp://localhost/myvhost?ssl=1
```

See *Keyword arguments* for a list of supported options.

A connection without options will use the default connection settings, which is using the localhost host, default port, user name *guest*, password *guest* and virtual host "f". A connection without arguments is the same as:

```
>>> Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
```

The default port is transport specific, for AMQP this is 5672.

Other fields may also have different meaning depending on the transport used. For example, the Redis transport uses the *virtual_host* argument as the redis database number.

2.2.3 Keyword arguments

The Connection class supports additional keyword arguments, these are:

hostname Default host name if not provided in the URL.

userid Default user name if not provided in the URL.

password Default password if not provided in the URL.

virtual_host Default virtual host if not provided in the URL.

port Default port if not provided in the URL.

transport Default transport if not provided in the URL. Can be a string specifying the path to the class. (e.g. kombu.transport.pyamqp:Transport), or one of the aliases: pyamqp, librabbitmq, redis, qpid, memory, and so on.

ssl Use SSL to connect to the server. Default is False. Only supported by the ampp and qpid transports.

insist Insist on connecting to a server. No longer supported, relic from AMQP 0.8

connect_timeout Timeout in seconds for connecting to the server. May not be supported by the specified transport.

transport_options A dict of additional connection arguments to pass to alternate kombu channel implementations. Consult the transport documentation for available options.

2.2.4 AMQP Transports

There are 4 transports available for AMQP use.

- 1. pyamqp uses the pure Python library amqp, automatically installed with Kombu.
- 2. librabbitmq uses the high performance transport written in C. This requires the librabbitmq Python package to be installed, which automatically compiles the C library.
- 3. amop tries to use librabbitmq but falls back to pyamqp.
- 4. qpid uses the pure Python library qpid.messaging, automatically installed with Kombu. The Qpid library uses AMQP, but uses custom extensions specifically supported by the Apache Qpid Broker.

For the highest performance, you should install the librabbitmq package. To ensure librabbitmq is used, you can explicitly specify it in the transport URL, or use amop to have the fallback.

2.2.5 Transport Comparison

Client	Type	Direct	Topic	Fanout	Priority
amqp	Native	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes ³
qpid	Native	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
redis	Virtual	Yes	Yes	Yes (PUB/SUB)	Yes
SQS	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	Yes ²	No
zookeeper	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	Yes
in-memory	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	No
SLMQ	Virtual	Yes	Yes ¹	No	No

2.3 Producers

2.3.1 Basics

You can create a producer using a Connection:

```
>>> producer = connection.Producer()
```

You can also instantiate Producer directly, it takes a channel or a connection as an argument:

```
>>> with Connection('amqp://') as conn:
... with conn.channel() as channel:
... producer = Producer(channel)
```

Having a producer instance you can publish messages:

Mostly you will be getting a connection from a connection pool, and this connection can be stale, or you could lose the connection in the middle of sending the message. Using retries is a good way to handle these intermittent failures:

```
>>> producer.publish({ 'hello': 'world', ..., retry=True})
```

In addition a retry policy can be specified, which is a dictionary of parameters supported by the retry_over_time() function

The declare argument lets you pass a list of entities that must be declared before sending the message. This is especially important when using the retry flag, since the broker may actually restart during a retry in which case non-durable entities are removed.

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³ AMQP Message priority support depends on broker implementation.

¹ Declarations only kept in memory, so exchanges/queues must be declared by all clients that needs them.

² Fanout supported via storing routing tables in SimpleDB. Disabled by default, but can be enabled by using the supports_fanout transport option.

Say you are writing a task queue, and the workers may have not started yet so the queues aren't declared. In this case you need to define both the exchange, and the declare the queue so that the message is delivered to the queue while the workers are offline:

```
>>> from kombu import Exchange, Queue
>>> task_queue = Queue('tasks', Exchange('tasks'), routing_key='tasks')

>>> producer.publish(
... {'hello': 'world'}, ...,
... retry=True,
... exchange=task_queue.exchange,
... routing_key=task_queue.routing_key,
... declare=[task_queue], # declares exchange, queue and binds.
...)
```

Bypassing routing by using the anon-exchange

You may deliver to a queue directly, bypassing the brokers routing mechanisms, by using the "anon-exchange": set the exchange parameter to the empty string, and set the routing key to be the name of the queue:

```
>>> producer.publish(
... {'hello': 'world'},
... exchange='',
... routing_key=task_queue.name,
...)
```

2.3.2 Serialization

Json is the default serializer when a non-string object is passed to publish, but you can also specify a different serializer:

```
>>> producer.publish({ 'hello': 'world'}, serializer='pickle')
```

See Serialization for more information.

2.3.3 Reference

Parameters

- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) Connection or channel.
- **exchange** (Exchange, str) Optional default exchange.
- routing_key (str) Optional default routing key.
- **serializer** (str) Default serializer. Default is "json".
- **compression** (str) Default compression method. Default is no compression.
- auto_declare (bool) Automatically declare the default exchange at instantiation. Default is True.

• on_return (Callable) - Callback to call for undeliverable messages, when the mandatory or immediate arguments to publish() is used. This callback needs the following signature: (exception, exchange, routing_key, message). Note that the producer needs to drain events to use this feature.

auto declare = True

By default, if a defualt exchange is set, that exchange will be declare when publishing a message.

compression = None

Default compression method. Disabled by default.

declare()

Declare the exchange.

Note: This happens automatically at instantiation when the auto_declare flag is enabled.

exchange = None

Default exchange

maybe_declare (entity, retry=False, **retry_policy)

Declare exchange if not already declared during this session.

on_return = None

Basic return callback.

publish (body, routing_key=None, delivery_mode=None, mandatory=False, immediate=False, priority=0, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, serializer=None, headers=None, compression=None, exchange=None, retry=False, retry_policy=None, declare=None, expiration=None, **properties)

Publish message to the specified exchange.

Parameters

- **body** (Any) Message body.
- routing_key (str) Message routing key.
- **delivery_mode** (enum) **See** delivery_mode.
- mandatory (bool) Currently not supported.
- **immediate** (bool) Currently not supported.
- **priority** (*int*) Message priority. A number between 0 and 9.
- content_type (str) Content type. Default is auto-detect.
- **content_encoding** (*str*) Content encoding. Default is auto-detect.
- **serializer** (*str*) Serializer to use. Default is auto-detect.
- **compression** (*str*) Compression method to use. Default is none.
- headers (Dict) Mapping of arbitrary headers to pass along with the message body.
- **exchange** (Exchange, str) Override the exchange. Note that this exchange must have been declared.
- **declare** (Sequence [EntityT]) Optional list of required entities that must have been declared before publishing the message. The entities will be declared using maybe_declare().
- retry (bool) Retry publishing, or declaring entities if the connection is lost.

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- retry_policy (Dict) Retry configuration, this is the keywords supported by ensure().
- **expiration** (*float*) A TTL in seconds can be specified per message. Default is no expiration.
- **properties (Any) Additional message properties, see AMQP spec.

```
{\tt revive}\ (channel)
```

Revive the producer after connection loss.

```
routing_key = u''
Default routing key.
serializer = None
```

Default serializer to use. Default is JSON.

2.4 Consumers

2.4.1 Basics

The Consumer takes a connection (or channel) and a list of queues to consume from. Several consumers can be mixed to consume from different channels, as they all bind to the same connection, and drain_events will drain events from all channels on that connection.

Note: Kombu since 3.0 will only accept json/binary or text messages by default, to allow deserialization of other formats you have to specify them in the accept argument (in addition to setting the right content type for your messages):

```
Consumer(conn, accept=['json', 'pickle', 'msgpack', 'yaml'])
```

Draining events from a single consumer:

```
with Consumer(connection, queues, accept=['json']):
    connection.drain_events(timeout=1)
```

Draining events from several consumers:

Or using ConsumerMixin:

```
from kombu.mixins import ConsumerMixin

class C(ConsumerMixin):

def __init__(self, connection):
    self.connection = connection
```

and with multiple channels again:

```
from kombu import Consumer
from kombu.mixins import ConsumerMixin
class C(ConsumerMixin):
   channel2 = None
   def __init__(self, connection):
        self.connection = connection
    def get_consumers(self, _, default_channel):
        self.channel2 = default_channel.connection.channel()
        return [Consumer(default_channel, queues1,
                         callbacks=[self.on_message],
                         accept=['json']),
                Consumer(self.channel2, queues2,
                         callbacks=[self.on_special_message],
                         accept=['json'])]
   def on_consumer_end(self, connection, default_channel):
        if self.channel2:
            self.channel2.close()
C(connection).run()
```

There's also a ConsumerProducerMixin for consumers that need to also publish messages on a separate connection (e.g. sending rpc replies, streaming results):

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```
def on_request(self, message):
    n = message.payload['n']
    print(' [.] fib({0})'.format(n))
    result = fib(n)

self.producer.publish(
        {'result': result},
        exchange='', routing_key=message.properties['reply_to'],
        correlation_id=message.properties['correlation_id'],
        serializer='json',
        retry=True,
    )
    message.ack()
```

See also:

examples/rpc-tut6/ in the Github repository.

2.4.2 Advanced Topics

RabbitMQ

Consumer Priorities

RabbitMQ defines a consumer priority extension to the amqp protocol, that can be enabled by setting the x-priority argument to basic.consume.

In kombu you can specify this argument on the Queue, like this:

Read more about consumer priorities here: https://www.rabbitmq.com/consumer-priority.html

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 ${\tt class \; kombu.Consumer} (channel, \; \; queues=None, \; \; no_ack=None, \; \; auto_declare=None, \; \; call-backs=None, \; on_decode_error=None, \; on_message=None, \; accept=None, \; prefetch_count=None, \; tag_prefix=None)$

Message consumer.

Parameters

- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) see channel.
- queues (Sequence [kombu.Queue]) see queues.
- no_ack (bool) see no_ack.
- auto_declare (bool) see auto_declare
- callbacks (Sequence [Callable]) see callbacks.
- on_message (Callable) See on_message

- on_decode_error (Callable) see on_decode_error.
- prefetch_count (int) see prefetch_count.

exception ContentDisallowed

Consumer does not allow this content-type.

accept = None

List of accepted content-types.

An exception will be raised if the consumer receives a message with an untrusted content type. By default all content-types are accepted, but not if kombu.disable_untrusted_serializers() was called, in which case only json is allowed.

add_queue (queue)

Add a queue to the list of queues to consume from.

Note: This will not start consuming from the queue, for that you will have to call consume () after.

auto declare = True

By default all entities will be declared at instantiation, if you want to handle this manually you can set this to False.

callbacks = None

List of callbacks called in order when a message is received.

The signature of the callbacks must take two arguments: (body, message), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

cancel()

End all active queue consumers.

Note: This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for this consumer.

cancel_by_queue (queue)

Cancel consumer by queue name.

channel = None

The connection/channel to use for this consumer.

close()

End all active queue consumers.

Note: This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for this consumer.

consume (no_ack=None)

Start consuming messages.

Can be called multiple times, but note that while it will consume from new queues added since the last call, it will not cancel consuming from removed queues (use <code>cancel_by_queue()</code>).

Parameters no_ack (bool) - See no_ack.

consuming from (queue)

Return True if currently consuming from queue'.

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declare()

Declare queues, exchanges and bindings.

Note: This is done automatically at instantiation when auto_declare is set.

flow (active)

Enable/disable flow from peer.

This is a simple flow-control mechanism that a peer can use to avoid overflowing its queues or otherwise finding itself receiving more messages than it can process.

The peer that receives a request to stop sending content will finish sending the current content (if any), and then wait until flow is reactivated.

no ack = None

Flag for automatic message acknowledgment. If enabled the messages are automatically acknowledged by the broker. This can increase performance but means that you have no control of when the message is removed.

Disabled by default.

on_decode_error = None

Callback called when a message can't be decoded.

The signature of the callback must take two arguments: (*message*, *exc*), which is the message that can't be decoded and the exception that occurred while trying to decode it.

on message = None

Optional function called whenever a message is received.

When defined this function will be called instead of the receive () method, and callbacks will be disabled.

So this can be used as an alternative to *callbacks* when you don't want the body to be automatically decoded. Note that the message will still be decompressed if the message has the compression header set.

The signature of the callback must take a single argument, which is the Message object.

Also note that the message.body attribute, which is the raw contents of the message body, may in some cases be a read-only buffer object.

prefetch_count = None

Initial prefetch count

If set, the consumer will set the prefetch count QoS value at startup. Can also be changed using gos ().

purge()

Purge messages from all queues.

Warning: This will *delete all ready messages*, there is no undo operation.

qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, apply_global=False) Specify quality of service.

The client can request that messages should be sent in advance so that when the client finishes processing a message, the following message is already held locally, rather than needing to be sent down the channel. Prefetching gives a performance improvement.

The prefetch window is Ignored if the no_ack option is set.

Parameters

- **prefetch_size** (*int*) Specify the prefetch window in octets. The server will send a message in advance if it is equal to or smaller in size than the available prefetch size (and also falls within other prefetch limits). May be set to zero, meaning "no specific limit", although other prefetch limits may still apply.
- **prefetch** count (int) Specify the prefetch window in terms of whole messages.
- apply_global (bool) Apply new settings globally on all channels.

queues

A single Queue, or a list of queues to consume from.

receive (body, message)

Method called when a message is received.

This dispatches to the registered callbacks.

Parameters

- **body** (Any) The decoded message body.
- message (Message) The message instance.

Raises NotImplementedError - If no consumer callbacks have been registered.

```
recover (requeue=False)
```

Redeliver unacknowledged messages.

Asks the broker to redeliver all unacknowledged messages on the specified channel.

Parameters requeue (bool) – By default the messages will be redelivered to the original recipient. With *requeue* set to true, the server will attempt to requeue the message, potentially then delivering it to an alternative subscriber.

register_callback (callback)

Register a new callback to be called when a message is received.

Note: The signature of the callback needs to accept two arguments: (*body*, *message*), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

```
revive (channel)
```

Revive consumer after connection loss.

2.5 Examples

2.5.1 Hello World Example

Below example uses *Simple Interface* to send helloworld message through message broker (rabbitmq) and print received message

hello_publisher.py:

```
from __future__ import absolute_import, unicode_literals
import datetime
```

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```
from kombu import Connection

with Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//') as conn:
    simple_queue = conn.SimpleQueue('simple_queue')
    message = 'helloworld, sent at {0}'.format(datetime.datetime.today())
    simple_queue.put(message)
    print('Sent: {0}'.format(message))
    simple_queue.close()
```

hello_consumer.py:

```
from __future__ import absolute_import, unicode_literals, print_function

from kombu import Connection # noqa

with Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//') as conn:
    simple_queue = conn.SimpleQueue('simple_queue')
    message = simple_queue.get(block=True, timeout=1)
    print('Received: {0}'.format(message.payload))
    message.ack()
    simple_queue.close()
```

2.5.2 Task Queue Example

Very simple task queue using pickle, with primitive support for priorities using different queues.

queues.py:

worker.py:

```
from __future__ import absolute_import, unicode_literals

from kombu.mixins import ConsumerMixin
from kombu.log import get_logger
from kombu.utils.functional import reprcall

from .queues import task_queues

logger = get_logger(__name__)

class Worker(ConsumerMixin):
    def __init__(self, connection):
```

```
self.connection = connection
   def get_consumers(self, Consumer, channel):
        return [Consumer(queues=task_queues,
                         accept=['pickle', 'json'],
                         callbacks=[self.process_task])]
   def process_task(self, body, message):
        fun = body['fun']
       args = body['args']
       kwargs = body['kwargs']
       logger.info('Got task: %s', reprcall(fun.__name__, args, kwargs))
            fun(*args, **kwargs)
        except Exception as exc:
            logger.error('task raised exception: %r', exc)
       message.ack()
if __name__ == '__main__':
    from kombu import Connection
    from kombu.utils.debug import setup_logging
    # setup root logger
   setup_logging(loglevel='INFO', loggers=[''])
   with Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//') as conn:
       try:
            worker = Worker(conn)
           worker.run()
        except KeyboardInterrupt:
           print('bye bye')
```

tasks.py:

```
from __future__ import absolute_import, unicode_literals

def hello_task(who='world'):
    print('Hello {0}'.format(who))
```

client.py:

```
from __future__ import absolute_import, unicode_literals

from kombu.pools import producers

from .queues import task_exchange

priority_to_routing_key = {
    'high': 'hipri',
    'mid': 'midpri',
    'low': 'lopri',
}

def send_as_task(connection, fun, args=(), kwargs={}, priority='mid'):
    payload = {'fun': fun, 'args': args, 'kwargs': kwargs}
    routing_key = priority_to_routing_key[priority]
```

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2.6 Simple Interface

Sending and receiving messages

kombu. simple is a simple interface to AMQP queueing. It is only slightly different from the Queue class in the Python Standard Library, which makes it excellent for users with basic messaging needs.

Instead of defining exchanges and queues, the simple classes only requires two arguments, a connection channel and a name. The name is used as the queue, exchange and routing key. If the need arises, you can specify a Queue as the name argument instead.

In addition, the Connection comes with shortcuts to create simple queues using the current connection:

```
>>> queue = connection.SimpleQueue('myqueue')
>>> # ... do something with queue
>>> queue.close()
```

This is equivalent to:

```
>>> from kombu.simple import SimpleQueue, SimpleBuffer

>>> channel = connection.channel()
>>> queue = SimpleBuffer(channel)
>>> # ... do something with queue
>>> channel.close()
>>> queue.close()
```

2.6.1 Sending and receiving messages

The simple interface defines two classes; SimpleQueue, and SimpleBuffer. The former is used for persistent messages, and the latter is used for transient, buffer-like queues. They both have the same interface, so you can use them interchangeably.

Here is an example using the SimpleQueue class to produce and consume logging messages:

```
import socket
import datetime
from time import time
from kombu import Connection
class Logger(object):
    def __init__(self, connection, queue_name='log_queue',
            serializer='json', compression=None):
        self.queue = connection.SimpleQueue(queue_name)
        self.serializer = serializer
        self.compression = compression
    def log(self, message, level='INFO', context={}):
        self.queue.put({ 'message': message,
                        'level': level,
                        'context': context,
                        'hostname': socket.gethostname(),
                        'timestamp': time() },
                        serializer=self.serializer,
                        compression=self.compression)
    def process(self, callback, n=1, timeout=1):
        for i in xrange(n):
            log_message = self.queue.get(block=True, timeout=1)
            entry = log_message.payload # deserialized data.
            callback (entry)
            log_message.ack() # remove message from queue
    def close(self):
        self.queue.close()
if __name__ == '__main__':
    from contextlib import closing
   with Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//') as conn:
        with closing(Logger(conn)) as logger:
            # Send message
            logger.log('Error happened while encoding video',
                        level= 'ERROR',
                        context={'filename': 'cutekitten.mpg'})
            # Consume and process message
            # This is the callback called when a log message is
            # received.
            def dump_entry(entry):
                date = datetime.datetime.fromtimestamp(entry['timestamp'])
                print('[%s %s %s] %s %r' % (date,
                                             entry['hostname'],
                                             entry['level'],
                                             entry['message'],
                                             entry['context']))
```

```
# Process a single message using the callback above.
logger.process(dump_entry, n=1)
```

2.7 Connection and Producer Pools

2.7.1 Default Pools

Kombu ships with two global pools: one connection pool, and one producer pool.

These are convenient and the fact that they are global may not be an issue as connections should often be limited at the process level, rather than per thread/application and so on, but if you need custom pools per thread see *Custom Pool Groups*.

The connection pool group

The connection pools are available as kombu.pools.connections. This is a pool group, which means you give it a connection instance, and you get a pool instance back. We have one pool per connection instance to support multiple connections in the same app. All connection instances with the same connection parameters will get the same pool:

Let's acquire and release a connection:

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```
from kombu import Connection
from kombu.pools import connections

connection = Connection('redis://localhost:6379')

with connections[connection].acquire(block=True) as conn:
    print('Got connection: {0!r}'.format(connection.as_uri()))
```

Note: The block=True here means that the acquire call will block until a connection is available in the pool. Note that this will block forever in case there is a deadlock in your code where a connection is not released. There is a timeout argument you can use to safeguard against this (see kombu.connection.Resource.acquire()).

If blocking is disabled and there aren't any connections left in the pool an kombu.exceptions. ConnectionLimitExceeded exception will be raised.

That's about it. If you need to connect to multiple brokers at once you can do that too:

```
from kombu import Connection
from kombu.pools import connections
```

```
c1 = Connection('amqp://')
c2 = Connection('redis://')
with connections[c1].acquire(block=True) as conn1:
    with connections[c2].acquire(block=True) as conn2:
    # ....
```

2.7.2 The producer pool group

This is a pool group just like the connections, except that it manages *Producer* instances used to publish messages. Here is an example using the producer pool to publish a message to the news exchange:

```
from kombu import Connection, Exchange
from kombu.pools import producers
# The exchange we send our news articles to.
news_exchange = Exchange('news')
# The article we want to send
article = { 'title': 'No cellular coverage on the tube for 2012',
           'ingress': 'yadda yadda yadda'}
# The broker where our exchange is.
connection = Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
with producers[connection].acquire(block=True) as producer:
   producer.publish(
        article,
        exchange=new_exchange,
        routing_key='domestic',
        declare=[news_exchange],
        serializer='json',
        compression='zlib')
```

Setting pool limits

By default every connection instance has a limit of 200 connections. You can change this limit using *kombu.pools*. set_limit(). You are able to grow the pool at runtime, but you can't shrink it, so it is best to set the limit as early as possible after your application starts:

```
>>> from kombu import pools
>>> pools.set_limit()
```

Resetting all pools

You can close all active connections and reset all pool groups by using the *kombu.pools.reset()* function. Note that this will not respect anything currently using these connections, so will just drag the connections away from under their feet: you should be very careful before you use this.

Kombu will reset the pools if the process is forked, so that forked processes start with clean pool groups.

2.7.3 Custom Pool Groups

To maintain your own pool groups you should create your own Connections and kombu.pools.Producers instances:

```
from kombu import pools
from kombu import Connection

connections = pools.Connections(limit=100)
producers = pools.Producers(limit=connections.limit)

connection = Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')

with connections[connection].acquire(block=True):
    # ...
```

If you want to use the global limit that can be set with $set_limit()$ you can use a special value as the limit argument:

```
from kombu import pools
connections = pools.Connections(limit=pools.use_default_limit)
```

2.8 Serialization

2.8.1 Serializers

By default every message is encoded using JSON, so sending Python data structures like dictionaries and lists works. YAML, msgpack and Python's built-in *pickle* module is also supported, and if needed you can register any custom serialization scheme you want to use.

By default Kombu will only load JSON messages, so if you want to use other serialization format you must explicitly enable them in your consumer by using the accept argument:

```
Consumer(conn, [queue], accept=['json', 'pickle', 'msgpack'])
```

The accept argument can also include MIME-types.

Each option has its advantages and disadvantages.

json – **JSON** is supported in many programming languages, is now a standard part of Python (since 2.6), and is fairly fast to decode using the modern Python libraries such as *cjson* or *simplejson*.

The primary disadvantage to *JSON* is that it limits you to the following data types: strings, Unicode, floats, boolean, dictionaries, and lists. Decimals and dates are notably missing.

Also, binary data will be transferred using Base64 encoding, which will cause the transferred data to be around 34% larger than an encoding which supports native binary types.

However, if your data fits inside the above constraints and you need cross-language support, the default setting of *JSON* is probably your best choice.

pickle – **If you have no desire to support any language other than** Python, then using the *pickle* encoding will gain you the support of all built-in Python data types (except class instances), smaller messages when sending binary files, and a slight speedup over *JSON* processing.

Pickle and Security

The pickle format is very convenient as it can serialize and deserialize almost any object, but this is also a concern for security.

Carefully crafted pickle payloads can do almost anything a regular Python program can do, so if you let your consumer automatically decode pickled objects you must make sure to limit access to the broker so that untrusted parties do not have the ability to send messages!

By default Kombu uses pickle protocol 2, but this can be changed using the PICKLE_PROTOCOL environment variable or by changing the global kombu.serialization.pickle_protocol flag.

yaml – YAML has many of the same characteristics as *json*, except that it natively supports more data types (including dates, recursive references, etc.)

However, the Python libraries for YAML are a good bit slower than the libraries for JSON.

If you need a more expressive set of data types and need to maintain cross-language compatibility, then YAML may be a better fit than the above.

To instruct *Kombu* to use an alternate serialization method, use one of the following options.

1. Set the serialization option on a per-producer basis:

```
>>> producer = Producer(channel,
... exchange=exchange,
... serializer='yaml')
```

2. Set the serialization option per message:

```
>>> producer.publish(message, routing_key=rkey,
... serializer='pickle')
```

Note that a *Consumer* do not need the serialization method specified. They can auto-detect the serialization method as the content-type is sent as a message header.

2.8.2 Sending raw data without Serialization

In some cases, you don't need your message data to be serialized. If you pass in a plain string or Unicode object as your message and a custom *content_type*, then *Kombu* will not waste cycles serializing/deserializing the data.

You can optionally specify a *content_encoding* for the raw data:

The Message object returned by the Consumer class will have a content_type and content_encoding attribute.

2.8.3 Creating extensions using Setuptools entry-points

A package can also register new serializers using Setuptools entry-points.

The entry-point must provide the name of the serializer along with the path to a tuple providing the rest of the args: encoder_function, decoder_function, content_type, content_encoding.

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An example entrypoint could be:

Then the module my_module.serializer would look like:

```
register_args = (my_encoder, my_decoder, 'application/x-mimetype', 'utf-8')
```

When this package is installed the new 'my_serializer' serializer will be supported by Kombu.

Buffer Objects

The decoder function of custom serializer must support both strings and Python's old-style buffer objects.

Python pickle and json modules usually don't do this via its loads function, but you can easily add support by making a wrapper around the load function that takes file objects instead of strings.

Here's an example wrapping pickle.loads() in such a way:

```
import pickle
from io import BytesIO
from kombu import serialization

def loads(s):
    return pickle.load(BytesIO(s))

serialization.register(
    'my_pickle', pickle.dumps, loads,
    content_type='application/x-pickle2',
    content_encoding='binary',
)
```

CHAPTER 3

Frequently Asked Questions

3.1 Questions

3.1.1 Q: Message.reject doesn't work?

Answer: Earlier versions of RabbitMQ did not implement basic.reject, so make sure your version is recent enough to support it.

3.1.2 Q: Message.requeue doesn't work?

Answer: See Message.reject doesn't work?

CHAPTER 4

API Reference

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4.1 Kombu - kombu

- Connection
- Exchange
- Queue
- Message Producer
- Message Consumer

Messaging library for Python.

kombu.enable_insecure_serializers (choices=[u'pickle', u'yaml', u'msgpack'])

Enable serializers that are considered to be unsafe.

Note: Will enable pickle, yaml and msgpack by default, but you can also specify a list of serializers (by name or content type) to enable.

kombu.disable_insecure_serializers(allowed=[u'json'])

Disable untrusted serializers.

Will disable all serializers except json or you can specify a list of deserializers to allow.

Note: Producers will still be able to serialize data in these formats, but consumers will not accept incoming data using the untrusted content types.

4.1.1 Connection

class kombu.Connection (hostname=u'localhost', userid=None, password=None, virtual_host=None, port=None, insist=False, ssl=False, transport=None, connect_timeout=5, transport_options=None, login_method=None, uri_prefix=None, heart-beat=0, failover_strategy=u'round-robin', alternates=None, **kwargs)

A connection to the broker.

Example

```
>>> Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
>>> Connection('amqp://foo;amqp://bar',
... failover_strategy='round-robin')
>>> Connection('redis://', transport_options={
... 'visibility_timeout': 3000,
... })
```

```
>>> import ssl
>>> Connection('amqp://', login_method='EXTERNAL', ssl={
... 'ca_certs': '/etc/pki/tls/certs/something.crt',
... 'keyfile': '/etc/something/system.key',
... 'certfile': '/etc/something/system.cert',
... 'cert_reqs': ssl.CERT_REQUIRED,
... })
```

Note: SSL currently only works with the py-amqp, and qpid transports. For other transports you can use stunnel.

Parameters URL (str, Sequence) - Broker URL, or a list of URLs.

Keyword Arguments

- **ssl** (bool) Use SSL to connect to the server. Default is False. May not be supported by the specified transport.
- transport (Transport) Default transport if not specified in the URL.
- **connect_timeout** (float) Timeout in seconds for connecting to the server. May not be supported by the specified transport.
- **transport_options** (Dict) A dict of additional connection arguments to pass to alternate kombu channel implementations. Consult the transport documentation for available options.
- heartbeat (float) Heartbeat interval in int/float seconds. Note that if heartbeats are enabled then the heartbeat_check() method must be called regularly, around once per second.

Note: The connection is established lazily when needed. If you need the connection to be established, then force it by calling *connect()*:

```
>>> conn = Connection('amqp://')
>>> conn.connect()
```

and always remember to close the connection:

```
>>> conn.release()
```

These options have been replaced by the URL argument, but are still supported for backwards compatibility:

Keyword Arguments

- hostname Host name/address. NOTE: You cannot specify both the URL argument and
 use the hostname keyword argument at the same time.
- userid Default user name if not provided in the URL.
- password Default password if not provided in the URL.
- virtual_host Default virtual host if not provided in the URL.
- port Default port if not provided in the URL.

Attributes

```
hostname = None
port = None
userid = None
password = None
virtual_host = u'/'
ssl = None
login_method = None
failover_strategy = u'round-robin'
```

Strategy used to select new hosts when reconnecting after connection failure. One of "round-robin", "shuffle" or any custom iterator constantly yielding new URLs to try.

```
connect_timeout = 5
```

Heartbeat value, currently only supported by the py-amqp transport.

default channel

heartbeat = None

Default channel.

Created upon access and closed when the connection is closed.

Note: Can be used for automatic channel handling when you only need one channel, and also it is the channel implicitly used if a connection is passed instead of a channel, to functions that require a channel.

connected

Return true if the connection has been established.

recoverable connection errors

Recoverable connection errors.

List of connection related exceptions that can be recovered from, but where the connection must be closed and re-established first.

recoverable channel errors

Recoverable channel errors.

List of channel related exceptions that can be automatically recovered from without re-establishing the connection.

connection_errors

List of exceptions that may be raised by the connection.

channel_errors

List of exceptions that may be raised by the channel.

transport

connection

The underlying connection object.

Warning: This instance is transport specific, so do not depend on the interface of this object.

uri_prefix = None

declared_entities = None

The cache of declared entities is per connection, in case the server loses data.

cycle = None

Iterator returning the next broker URL to try in the event of connection failure (initialized by failover_strategy).

host

The host as a host name/port pair separated by colon.

manager

AMQP Management API.

Experimental manager that can be used to manage/monitor the broker instance.

Not available for all transports.

supports_heartbeats

is_evented

Methods

as_uri (include_password=False, mask=u'**', getfields=<operator.itemgetter object>)

Convert connection parameters to URL form.

connect()

Establish connection to server immediately.

channel()

Create and return a new channel.

drain_events(**kwargs)

Wait for a single event from the server.

Parameters timeout (float) – Timeout in seconds before we give up.

Raises socket.timeout - if the timeout is exceeded.

release()

Close the connection (if open).

```
autoretry (fun, channel=None, **ensure_options)
```

Decorator for functions supporting a channel keyword argument.

The resulting callable will retry calling the function if it raises connection or channel related errors. The return value will be a tuple of (retval, last_created_channel).

If a channel is not provided, then one will be automatically acquired (remember to close it afterwards).

See also:

ensure () for the full list of supported keyword arguments.

Example

```
>>> channel = connection.channel()
>>> try:
...    ret, channel = connection.autoretry(
...         publish_messages, channel)
... finally:
...    channel.close()
```

ensure_connection (*errback=None*, *max_retries=None*, *interval_start=2*, *interval_step=2*, *interval_max=30*, *callback=None*, *reraise as library errors=True*)

Ensure we have a connection to the server.

If not retry establishing the connection with the settings specified.

Parameters

- errback (Callable) Optional callback called each time the connection can't be established. Arguments provided are the exception raised and the interval that will be slept (exc, interval).
- max_retries (int) Maximum number of times to retry. If this limit is exceeded the connection error will be re-raised.
- interval_start (float) The number of seconds we start sleeping for.
- **interval_step** (*float*) How many seconds added to the interval for each retry.
- interval_max (float) Maximum number of seconds to sleep between each retry.
- callback (Callable) Optional callback that is called for every internal iteration (1 s).

ensure(obj, fun, errback=None, max_retries=None, interval_start=1, interval_step=1, interval_max=1, on_revive=None)
Ensure operation completes.

Regardless of any channel/connection errors occurring.

Retries by establishing the connection, and reapplying the function.

Parameters

• **fun** (Callable) – Method to apply.

- **errback** (*Callable*) Optional callback called each time the connection can't be established. Arguments provided are the exception raised and the interval that will be slept (exc, interval).
- max_retries (int) Maximum number of times to retry. If this limit is exceeded the connection error will be re-raised.
- interval_start (float) The number of seconds we start sleeping for.
- **interval_step** (*float*) How many seconds added to the interval for each retry.
- interval_max (float) Maximum number of seconds to sleep between each retry.

Examples

```
>>> from kombu import Connection, Producer
>>> conn = Connection('amqp://')
>>> producer = Producer(conn)
```

```
>>> def errback(exc, interval):
... logger.error('Error: %r', exc, exc_info=1)
... logger.info('Retry in %s seconds.', interval)
```

```
>>> publish = conn.ensure(producer, producer.publish,
... errback=errback, max_retries=3)
>>> publish({ 'hello': 'world'}, routing_key='dest')
```

revive (new_channel)

Revive connection after connection re-established.

```
create_transport()
```

get_transport_cls()

Get the currently used transport class.

clone (**kwargs)

Create a copy of the connection with same settings.

info()

Get connection info.

switch (url)

Switch connection parameters to use a new URL.

Note: Does not reconnect!

maybe switch next()

Switch to next URL given by the current failover strategy.

heartbeat_check(rate=2)

Check heartbeats.

Allow the transport to perform any periodic tasks required to make heartbeats work. This should be called approximately every second.

If the current transport does not support heartbeats then this is a noop operation.

Parameters rate (*int*) – Rate is how often the tick is called compared to the actual heartbeat value. E.g. if the heartbeat is set to 3 seconds, and the tick is called every 3 / 2 seconds, then the rate is 2. This value is currently unused by any transports.

```
maybe_close_channel(channel)
     Close given channel, but ignore connection and channel errors.
register_with_event_loop(loop)
close()
    Close the connection (if open).
close()
     Really close connection, even if part of a connection pool.
completes_cycle (retries)
     Return true if the cycle is complete after number of retries.
get_manager (*args, **kwargs)
Producer (channel=None, *args, **kwargs)
     Create new kombu. Producer instance.
Consumer (queues=None, channel=None, *args, **kwargs)
     Create new kombu. Consumer instance.
Pool (limit=None, **kwargs)
     Pool of connections.
     See also:
```

Parameters limit (int) – Maximum number of active connections. Default is no limit.

Example

ConnectionPool.

```
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://')
>>> pool = connection.Pool(2)
>>> c1 = pool.acquire()
>>> c2 = pool.acquire()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
>>> c1.release()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
   File "kombu/connection.py", line 354, in acquire
   raise ConnectionLimitExceeded(self.limit)
   kombu.exceptions.ConnectionLimitExceeded: 2
```

ChannelPool (limit=None, **kwargs)

Pool of channels.

See also:

ChannelPool.

Parameters limit (int) – Maximum number of active channels. Default is no limit.

Example

```
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://')
>>> pool = connection.ChannelPool(2)
>>> c1 = pool.acquire()
>>> c2 = pool.acquire()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
>>> c1.release()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
   File "kombu/connection.py", line 354, in acquire
   raise ChannelLimitExceeded(self.limit)
   kombu.connection.ChannelLimitExceeded: 2
```

SimpleQueue (name, no_ack=None, queue_opts=None, exchange_opts=None, channel=None, **kwargs)

Simple persistent queue API.

Create new SimpleQueue, using a channel from this connection.

If name is a string, a queue and exchange will be automatically created using that name as the name of the queue and exchange, also it will be used as the default routing key.

Parameters

- name (str, kombu.Queue) Name of the queue/or a queue.
- no_ack (bool) Disable acknowledgments. Default is false.
- **queue_opts** (Dict) Additional keyword arguments passed to the constructor of the automatically created Queue.
- **exchange_opts** (*Dict*) Additional keyword arguments passed to the constructor of the automatically created *Exchange*.
- **channel** (ChannelT) Custom channel to use. If not specified the connection default channel is used.

SimpleBuffer (name, no_ack=None, queue_opts=None, exchange_opts=None, channel=None, **kwargs)

Simple ephemeral queue API.

Create new SimpleQueue using a channel from this connection.

See also:

Same as SimpleQueue(), but configured with buffering semantics. The resulting queue and exchange will not be durable, also auto delete is enabled. Messages will be transient (not persistent), and acknowledgments are disabled (no_ack).

4.1.2 Exchange

Example creating an exchange declaration:

```
>>> news_exchange = Exchange('news', type='topic')
```

For now *news_exchange* is just a declaration, you can't perform actions on it. It just describes the name and options for the exchange.

The exchange can be bound or unbound. Bound means the exchange is associated with a channel and operations can be performed on it. To bind the exchange you call the exchange with the channel as argument:

```
>>> bound_exchange = news_exchange(channel)
```

Now you can perform operations like declare() or delete():

class kombu. Exchange (name=u", type=u", channel=None, **kwargs)
An Exchange declaration.

Parameters

- name (str) See name.
- type (str) See type.
- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) See channel.
- durable (bool) See durable.
- auto delete (bool) See auto delete.
- **delivery_mode** (enum) See delivery_mode.
- arguments (Dict) See arguments.
- no_declare (bool) See no_declare

name

str – Name of the exchange. Default is no name (the default exchange).

type

str – This description of AMQP exchange types was shamelessly stolen from the blog post 'AMQP in 10 minutes: Part 4'_ by Rajith Attapattu. Reading this article is recommended if you're new to amqp.

"AMQP defines four default exchange types (routing algorithms) that covers most of the common messaging use cases. An AMQP broker can also define additional exchange types, so see your broker manual for more information about available exchange types.

• direct (default)

Direct match between the routing key in the message, and the routing criteria used when a queue is bound to this exchange.

• topic

Wildcard match between the routing key and the routing pattern specified in the exchange/queue binding. The routing key is treated as zero or more words delimited by "." and supports special wildcard characters. "*" matches a single word and "#" matches zero or more words.

• fanout

Queues are bound to this exchange with no arguments. Hence any message sent to this exchange will be forwarded to all queues bound to this exchange.

headers

Queues are bound to this exchange with a table of arguments containing headers and values (optional). A special argument named "x-match" determines the matching algorithm, where "all" implies an AND (all pairs must match) and "any" implies OR (at least one pair must match).

arguments is used to specify the arguments.

channel

ChannelT – The channel the exchange is bound to (if bound).

durable

bool – Durable exchanges remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable exchanges (transient exchanges) are purged when a server restarts. Default is True.

auto delete

bool - If set, the exchange is deleted when all queues have finished using it. Default is False.

delivery_mode

enum – The default delivery mode used for messages. The value is an integer, or alias string.

• 1 or "transient"

The message is transient. Which means it is stored in memory only, and is lost if the server dies or restarts.

• 2 or "persistent" (*default*) The message is persistent. Which means the message is stored both inmemory, and on disk, and therefore preserved if the server dies or restarts.

The default value is 2 (persistent).

arguments

Dict – Additional arguments to specify when the exchange is declared.

no declare

bool – Never declare this exchange (declare () does nothing).

maybe_bind(channel)

Bind instance to channel if not already bound.

Message (body, delivery_mode=None, properties=None, **kwargs)

Create message instance to be sent with publish ().

Parameters

- body (Any) Message body.
- **delivery_mode** (bool) Set custom delivery mode. Defaults to delivery_mode.
- priority (int) Message priority, 0 to broker configured max priority, where higher is better.
- **content_type** (str) The messages content_type. If content_type is set, no serialization occurs as it is assumed this is either a binary object, or you've done your own serialization. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content_type.
- **content_encoding** (str) The character set in which this object is encoded. Use "binary" if sending in raw binary objects. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content encoding.

```
• properties (Dict) - Message properties.
• headers (Dict) - Message headers.

PERSISTENT_DELIVERY_MODE = 2

TRANSIENT_DELIVERY_MODE = 1

attrs = ((u'name', None), (u'type', None), (u'arguments', None), (u'durable', <type 'b' auto_delete = False

bind_to (exchange=u", routing_key=u", arguments=None, nowait=False, channel=None, **kwargs)

Bind the exchange to another exchange.

Parameters nowait (bool) - If set the server will not respond, and the call will not block waiting for a response. Default is False.

binding (routing_key=u", arguments=None, unbind_arguments=None)

can_cache_declaration

declare (nowait=False, passive=None, channel=None)

Declare the exchange.

Creates the exchange on the broker, unless passive is set in which case it will only assert that the exchange</pre>
```

Argument:

exists.

nowait (bool): If set the server will not respond, and a response will not be waited for. Default is False.

delete (if_unused=False, nowait=False)

Delete the exchange declaration on server.

Parameters

delivery_mode = None

- **if_unused** (bool) Delete only if the exchange has no bindings. Default is False.
- nowait (bool) If set the server will not respond, and a response will not be waited for.
 Default is False.

unbind_from (source=u", routing_key=u", nowait=False, arguments=None, channel=None)
Delete previously created exchange binding from the server.

4.1.3 Queue

Example creating a queue using our exchange in the *Exchange* example:

```
>>> science_news = Queue('science_news',
... exchange=news_exchange,
... routing_key='news.science')
```

For now *science_news* is just a declaration, you can't perform actions on it. It just describes the name and options for the queue.

The queue can be bound or unbound. Bound means the queue is associated with a channel and operations can be performed on it. To bind the queue you call the queue instance with the channel as an argument:

```
>>> bound_science_news = science_news(channel)
```

Now you can perform operations like declare() or purge():

```
>>> bound_science_news.declare()
>>> bound_science_news.purge()
>>> bound_science_news.delete()
```

Parameters

- name (str) See name.
- exchange (Exchange, str) See exchange.
- routing_key(str) See routing_key.
- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) See channel.
- durable (bool) See durable.
- exclusive (bool) See exclusive.
- auto_delete(bool) See auto_delete.
- $queue_arguments(Dict) See queue_arguments$.
- binding_arguments (Dict) See binding_arguments.
- consumer_arguments (Dict) See consumer_arguments.
- no_declare (bool) See no_declare.
- on_declared(Callable) See on_declared.
- expires (float) See expires.
- message_ttl(float) See message_ttl.
- max_length (int) See max_length.
- max_length_bytes (int) See max_length_bytes.
- max_priority(int) See max_priority.

name

str – Name of the queue. Default is no name (default queue destination).

exchange

Exchange – The *Exchange* the queue binds to.

routing_key

str – The routing key (if any), also called binding key.

The interpretation of the routing key depends on the Exchange.type.

· direct exchange

Matches if the routing key property of the message and the routing_key attribute are identical.

· fanout exchange

Always matches, even if the binding does not have a key.

· topic exchange

Matches the routing key property of the message by a primitive pattern matching scheme. The message routing key then consists of words separated by dots (".", like domain names), and two special characters are available; star ("*") and hash ("#"). The star matches any word, and the hash matches zero or more words. For example "*.stock.#" matches the routing keys "usd.stock" and "eur.stock.db" but not "stock.nasdaq".

channel

ChannelT – The channel the Queue is bound to (if bound).

durable

bool – Durable queues remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable queues (transient queues) are purged if/when a server restarts. Note that durable queues do not necessarily hold persistent messages, although it does not make sense to send persistent messages to a transient queue.

Default is True.

exclusive

bool – Exclusive queues may only be consumed from by the current connection. Setting the 'exclusive' flag always implies 'auto-delete'.

Default is False.

auto_delete

bool – If set, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it. Last consumer can be canceled either explicitly or because its channel is closed. If there was no consumer ever on the queue, it won't be deleted.

expires

float – Set the expiry time (in seconds) for when this queue should expire.

The expiry time decides how long the queue can stay unused before it's automatically deleted. *Unused* means the queue has no consumers, the queue has not been redeclared, and Queue.get has not been invoked for a duration of at least the expiration period.

See https://www.rabbitmq.com/ttl.html#queue-ttl

RabbitMQ extension: Only available when using RabbitMQ.

message_ttl

float - Message time to live in seconds.

This setting controls how long messages can stay in the queue unconsumed. If the expiry time passes before a message consumer has received the message, the message is deleted and no consumer will see the message.

See https://www.rabbitmq.com/ttl.html#per-queue-message-ttl

RabbitMQ extension: Only available when using RabbitMQ.

max_length

int – Set the maximum number of messages that the queue can hold.

If the number of messages in the queue size exceeds this limit, new messages will be dropped (or deadlettered if a dead letter exchange is active).

See https://www.rabbitmq.com/maxlength.html

RabbitMQ extension: Only available when using RabbitMQ.

max_length_bytes

int – Set the max size (in bytes) for the total of messages in the queue.

If the total size of all the messages in the queue exceeds this limit, new messages will be dropped (or dead-lettered if a dead letter exchange is active).

RabbitMQ extension: Only available when using RabbitMQ.

max priority

int – Set the highest priority number for this queue.

For example if the value is 10, then messages can delivered to this queue can have a priority value between 0 and 10, where 10 is the highest priority.

RabbitMQ queues without a max priority set will ignore the priority field in the message, so if you want priorities you need to set the max priority field to declare the queue as a priority queue.

RabbitMQ extension: Only available when using RabbitMQ.

queue_arguments

Dict – Additional arguments used when declaring the queue. Can be used to set the arguments value for RabbitMQ/AMQP's queue.declare.

binding_arguments

Dict – Additional arguments used when binding the queue. Can be used to to set the arguments value for RabbitMQ/AMQP's queue.declare.

consumer_arguments

Dict – Additional arguments used when consuming from this queue. Can be used to set the arguments value for RabbitMQ/AMQP's basic.consume.

alias

str – Unused in Kombu, but applications can take advantage of this, for example to give alternate names to queues with utomatically generated queue names.

on declared

Callable – Optional callback to be applied when the queue has been declared (the queue_declare operation is complete). This must be a function with a signature that accepts at least 3 positional arguments: (name, messages, consumers).

no_declare

bool - Never declare this queue, nor related entities (declare () does nothing).

maybe_bind(channel)

Bind instance to channel if not already bound.

exception ContentDisallowed

Consumer does not allow this content-type.

Consumers last as long as the channel they were created on, or until the client cancels them.

Parameters

Start a queue consumer.

- **consumer_tag** (str) Unique identifier for the consumer. The consumer tag is local to a connection, so two clients can use the same consumer tags. If this field is empty the server will generate a unique tag.
- no_ack (bool) If enabled the broker will automatically ack messages.
- **nowait** (bool) Do not wait for a reply.
- callback (Callable) callback called for each delivered message.

```
declare (nowait=False, channel=None)
```

Declare queue and exchange then binds queue to exchange.

```
delete (if_unused=False, if_empty=False, nowait=False) Delete the queue.
```

Parameters

- **if_unused** (bool) If set, the server will only delete the queue if it has no consumers. A channel error will be raised if the queue has consumers.
- **if_empty** (bool) If set, the server will only delete the queue if it is empty. If it is not empty a channel error will be raised.
- **nowait** (bool) Do not wait for a reply.

```
durable = True
exchange = <unbound Exchange u''(direct)>
exclusive = False
classmethod from_dict(queue, **options)
get(no_ack=None, accept=None)
    Poll the server for a new message.
```

This method provides direct access to the messages in a queue using a synchronous dialogue, designed for specific types of applications where synchronous functionality is more important than performance.

Returns

if a message was available, or None otherwise.

Return type Message

Parameters

- no_ack (bool) If enabled the broker will automatically ack messages.
- accept (Set [str]) Custom list of accepted content types.

```
name = u''
no_ack = False
purge(nowait=False)
```

Remove all ready messages from the queue.

queue_bind (nowait=False, channel=None)

Create the queue binding on the server.

queue_declare (nowait=False, passive=False, channel=None)

Declare queue on the server.

Parameters

- **nowait** (bool) Do not wait for a reply.
- **passive** (bool) If set, the server will not create the queue. The client can use this to check whether a queue exists without modifying the server state.

4.1.4 Message Producer

Parameters

- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) Connection or channel.
- exchange (Exchange, str) Optional default exchange.
- routing_key (str) Optional default routing key.
- **serializer** (*str*) Default serializer. Default is "*json*".
- compression(str) Default compression method. Default is no compression.
- auto_declare (bool) Automatically declare the default exchange at instantiation. Default is True.
- on_return (Callable) Callback to call for undeliverable messages, when the *mandatory* or *immediate* arguments to *publish()* is used. This callback needs the following signature: (exception, exchange, routing_key, message). Note that the producer needs to drain events to use this feature.

channel

exchange = None

Default exchange

routing_key = u''

Default routing key.

serializer = None

Default serializer to use. Default is JSON.

compression = None

Default compression method. Disabled by default.

auto declare = True

By default, if a defualt exchange is set, that exchange will be declare when publishing a message.

on return = None

Basic return callback.

connection

declare()

Declare the exchange.

Note: This happens automatically at instantiation when the auto_declare flag is enabled.

maybe_declare (entity, retry=False, **retry_policy)

Declare exchange if not already declared during this session.

publish (body, routing_key=None, delivery_mode=None, mandatory=False, immediate=False, priority=0, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, serializer=None, headers=None, compression=None, exchange=None, retry=False, retry_policy=None, declare=None, expiration=None, **properties)

Publish message to the specified exchange.

Parameters

- body (Any) Message body.
- routing_key (str) Message routing key.
- **delivery_mode** (*enum*) **See** delivery_mode.
- mandatory (bool) Currently not supported.
- immediate (bool) Currently not supported.
- **priority** (*int*) Message priority. A number between 0 and 9.
- **content_type** (*str*) Content type. Default is auto-detect.
- **content_encoding** (*str*) Content encoding. Default is auto-detect.
- **serializer** (*str*) Serializer to use. Default is auto-detect.
- **compression** (str) Compression method to use. Default is none.
- headers (Dict) Mapping of arbitrary headers to pass along with the message body.
- exchange (Exchange, str) Override the exchange. Note that this exchange must have been declared.
- **declare** (Sequence[EntityT]) Optional list of required entities that must have been declared before publishing the message. The entities will be declared using maybe_declare().

- retry (bool) Retry publishing, or declaring entities if the connection is lost.
- retry_policy (Dict) Retry configuration, this is the keywords supported by ensure().
- **expiration** (*float*) A TTL in seconds can be specified per message. Default is no expiration.
- ****properties** (Any) Additional message properties, see AMQP spec.

revive (channel)

Revive the producer after connection loss.

4.1.5 Message Consumer

class kombu.Consumer (channel, queues=None, no_ack=None, auto_declare=None, call-backs=None, on_decode_error=None, on_message=None, accept=None, prefetch_count=None, tag_prefix=None)

Message consumer.

Parameters

- channel (kombu.Connection, ChannelT) see channel.
- queues (Sequence [kombu.Queue]) see queues.
- no_ack (bool) see no_ack.
- auto_declare (bool) see auto_declare
- callbacks (Sequence [Callable]) see callbacks.
- on_message (Callable) See on_message
- on_decode_error(Callable) see on_decode_error.
- prefetch_count (int) see prefetch_count.

channel = None

The connection/channel to use for this consumer.

queues

A single Queue, or a list of queues to consume from.

no ack = None

Flag for automatic message acknowledgment. If enabled the messages are automatically acknowledged by the broker. This can increase performance but means that you have no control of when the message is removed.

Disabled by default.

auto_declare = True

By default all entities will be declared at instantiation, if you want to handle this manually you can set this to False.

callbacks = None

List of callbacks called in order when a message is received.

The signature of the callbacks must take two arguments: (body, message), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

on_message = None

Optional function called whenever a message is received.

When defined this function will be called instead of the receive() method, and callbacks will be disabled.

So this can be used as an alternative to *callbacks* when you don't want the body to be automatically decoded. Note that the message will still be decompressed if the message has the compression header set.

The signature of the callback must take a single argument, which is the Message object.

Also note that the message.body attribute, which is the raw contents of the message body, may in some cases be a read-only buffer object.

on_decode_error = None

Callback called when a message can't be decoded.

The signature of the callback must take two arguments: (message, exc), which is the message that can't be decoded and the exception that occurred while trying to decode it.

connection

declare()

Declare queues, exchanges and bindings.

Note: This is done automatically at instantiation when <code>auto_declare</code> is set.

register_callback (callback)

Register a new callback to be called when a message is received.

Note: The signature of the callback needs to accept two arguments: (*body, message*), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

add_queue (queue)

Add a queue to the list of queues to consume from.

Note: This will not start consuming from the queue, for that you will have to call consume () after.

consume (no_ack=None)

Start consuming messages.

Can be called multiple times, but note that while it will consume from new queues added since the last call, it will not cancel consuming from removed queues (use cancel_by_queue()).

Parameters no_ack (bool) - See no_ack.

cancel()

End all active queue consumers.

Note: This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for this consumer.

cancel_by_queue (queue)

Cancel consumer by queue name.

consuming_from (queue)

Return True if currently consuming from queue'.

purge()

Purge messages from all queues.

Warning: This will *delete all ready messages*, there is no undo operation.

flow (active)

Enable/disable flow from peer.

This is a simple flow-control mechanism that a peer can use to avoid overflowing its queues or otherwise finding itself receiving more messages than it can process.

The peer that receives a request to stop sending content will finish sending the current content (if any), and then wait until flow is reactivated.

qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, apply_global=False) Specify quality of service.

The client can request that messages should be sent in advance so that when the client finishes processing a message, the following message is already held locally, rather than needing to be sent down the channel. Prefetching gives a performance improvement.

The prefetch window is Ignored if the no ack option is set.

Parameters

- **prefetch_size** (*int*) Specify the prefetch window in octets. The server will send a message in advance if it is equal to or smaller in size than the available prefetch size (and also falls within other prefetch limits). May be set to zero, meaning "no specific limit", although other prefetch limits may still apply.
- prefetch_count (int) Specify the prefetch window in terms of whole messages.
- apply_global (bool) Apply new settings globally on all channels.

recover (requeue=False)

Redeliver unacknowledged messages.

Asks the broker to redeliver all unacknowledged messages on the specified channel.

Parameters requeue (bool) – By default the messages will be redelivered to the original recipient. With *requeue* set to true, the server will attempt to requeue the message, potentially then delivering it to an alternative subscriber.

receive (body, message)

Method called when a message is received.

This dispatches to the registered callbacks.

Parameters

- **body** (Any) The decoded message body.
- message (Message) The message instance.

Raises NotImplementedError - If no consumer callbacks have been registered.

revive (channel)

Revive consumer after connection loss.

4.2 Common Utilities - kombu.common

Common Utilities.

Broadcast queue.

Convenience class used to define broadcast queues.

Every queue instance will have a unique name, and both the queue and exchange is configured with auto deletion.

Parameters

- name (str) This is used as the name of the exchange.
- **queue** (str) By default a unique id is used for the queue name for every consumer. You can specify a custom queue name here.
- **kwargs (Any) See Queue for a list of additional keyword arguments supported.

```
attrs = ((u'name', None), (u'exchange', None), (u'routing_key', None), (u'queue_argume
```

kombu.common.maybe_declare(entity, channel=None, retry=False, **retry_policy)

Declare entity(cached).

kombu.common.**uuid**(_uuid=<function uuid4>)

Generate unique id in UUID4 format.

See also:

For now this is provided by uuid.uuid4().

kombu.common.itermessages(conn, channel, queue, limit=1, timeout=None, callbacks=None, **kwargs)

Iterator over messages.

kombu.common.send_reply(exchange, req, msg, producer=None, retry=False, retry_policy=None, **props)

Send reply for request.

Parameters

- exchange (kombu.Exchange, str) Reply exchange
- req (Message) Original request, a message with a reply_to property.
- producer (kombu.Producer) Producer instance
- retry(bool) If true must retry according to the $reply_policy$ argument.
- retry_policy (Dict) Retry settings.
- ****props** (Any) Extra properties.

kombu.common.collect_replies(conn, channel, queue, *args, **kwargs)

Generator collecting replies from queue.

kombu.common.insured (pool, fun, args, kwargs, errback=None, on_revive=None, **opts) Function wrapper to handle connection errors.

Ensures function performing broker commands completes despite intermittent connection failures.

kombu.common.drain_consumer (consumer, limit=1, timeout=None, callbacks=None)
Drain messages from consumer instance.

kombu.common.eventloop(conn, limit=None, timeout=None, ignore_timeouts=False)

Best practice generator wrapper around Connection.drain_events.

Able to drain events forever, with a limit, and optionally ignoring timeout errors (a timeout of 1 is often used in environments where the socket can get "stuck", and is a best practice for Kombu consumers).

eventloop is a generator.

Examples

```
>>> from kombu.common import eventloop
```

```
>>> def run(conn):
...    it = eventloop(conn, timeout=1, ignore_timeouts=True)
...    next(it) # one event consumed, or timed out.
...
...    for _ in eventloop(conn, timeout=1, ignore_timeouts=True):
...    pass # loop forever.
```

It also takes an optional limit parameter, and timeout errors are propagated by default:

```
for _ in eventloop(connection, limit=1, timeout=1):
    pass
```

See also:

itermessages (), which is an event loop bound to one or more consumers, that yields any messages received.

4.3 Mixin Classes - kombu.mixins

Mixins.

class kombu.mixins.ConsumerMixin

Convenience mixin for implementing consumer programs.

It can be used outside of threads, with threads, or greenthreads (eventlet/gevent) too.

The basic class would need a connection attribute which must be a *Connection* instance, and define a *get_consumers()* method that returns a list of *kombu.Consumer* instances to use. Supporting multiple consumers is important so that multiple channels can be used for different QoS requirements.

Example

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```
def on_task(self, body, message):
    print('Got task: {0!r}'.format(body))
    message.ack()
```

* :meth: `extra_context`

Optional extra context manager that will be entered after the connection and consumers have been set up.

Takes arguments (connection, channel).

* :meth: `on_connection_error`

Handler called if the connection is lost/ or is unavailable.

Takes arguments (exc, interval), where interval is the time in seconds when the connection will be retried.

The default handler will log the exception.

* :meth: `on_connection_revived`

Handler called as soon as the connection is re-established after connection failure.

Takes no arguments.

* :meth: `on_consume_ready`

Handler called when the consumer is ready to accept messages.

Takes arguments (connection, channel, consumers). Also keyword arguments to consume are forwarded to this handler.

* :meth: `on consume end`

Handler called after the consumers are canceled. Takes arguments (connection, channel).

* :meth: `on iteration`

Handler called for every iteration while draining events.

Takes no arguments.

Consumer (**kwds)

* :meth: `on_decode_error`

Handler called if a consumer was unable to decode the body of a message.

Takes arguments (message, exc) where message is the original message object.

The default handler will log the error and acknowledge the message, so if you override make sure to call super, or perform these steps yourself.

```
channel_errors
connect_max_retries = None
    maximum number of retries trying to re-establish the connection, if the connection is lost/unavailable.
connection_errors
consume(limit=None, timeout=None, safety_interval=1, **kwargs)
consumer_context(**kwds)
create_connection()
establish connection(**kwds)
```

extra_context(**kwds)

get_consumers (Consumer, channel)

```
maybe_conn_error(fun)
     Use kombu.common.ignore_errors() instead.
on_connection_error(exc, interval)
on_connection_revived()
on_consume_end(connection, channel)
on_consume_ready(connection, channel, consumers, **kwargs)
on_decode_error(message, exc)
on_iteration()
restart_limit
run(_tokens=1, **kwargs)
should_stop = False
```

When this is set to true the consumer should stop consuming and return, so that it can be joined if it is the implementation of a thread.

```
class kombu.mixins.ConsumerProducerMixin
```

Consumer and Producer mixin.

Version of ConsumerMixin having separate connection for also publishing messages.

Example

```
class Worker(ConsumerProducerMixin):
   def __init__(self, connection):
       self.connection = connection
   def get_consumers(self, Consumer, channel):
       return [Consumer(queues=Queue('foo'),
                         on_message=self.handle_message,
                         accept='application/json',
                         prefetch_count=10) ]
   def handle_message(self, message):
       self.producer.publish(
            {'message': 'hello to you'},
            exchange='',
            routing_key=message.properties['reply_to'],
            correlation_id=message.properties['correlation_id'],
            retry=True,
       )
```

```
on_consume_end (connection, channel)
producer
producer_connection
```

4.4 Simple Messaging API - kombu.simple

Simple messaging interface.

- Persistent
- Buffer

4.4.1 Persistent

```
class kombu.simple.SimpleQueue(channel, name, no_ack=None,
                                                                          queue_opts=None,
                                        change_opts=None,
                                                            serializer=None,
                                                                              compression=None,
                                        **kwargs)
     Simple API for persistent queues.
     channel
          Current channel
     producer
          Producer used to publish messages.
     consumer
          Consumer used to receive messages.
     no_ack
          flag to enable/disable acknowledgments.
          Queue to consume from (if consuming).
     queue_opts
              Additional options for the queue declaration.
          exchange_opts
              Additional options for the exchange declaration.
     get (block=True, timeout=None)
     get_nowait()
     put (message, serializer=None, headers=None, compression=None, routing_key=None, **kwargs)
     clear()
     __len__()
          len(self) -> self.qsize().
     qsize()
     close()
```

4.4.2 Buffer

Simple API for ephemeral queues.

channel

Current channel

```
producer
     Producer used to publish messages.
consumer
     Consumer used to receive messages.
no ack
     flag to enable/disable acknowledgments.
     Queue to consume from (if consuming).
queue_opts
         Additional options for the queue declaration.
     exchange_opts
         Additional options for the exchange declaration.
get (block=True, timeout=None)
get_nowait()
put (message, serializer=None, headers=None, compression=None, routing_key=None, **kwargs)
clear()
__len__()
     len(self) \rightarrow self.qsize().
qsize()
close()
```

4.5 Logical Clocks and Synchronization - kombu.clocks

Logical Clocks and Synchronization.

class kombu.clocks.LamportClock (initial_value=0, Lock=<built-in function allocate_lock>)
Lamport's logical clock.

From Wikipedia:

A Lamport logical clock is a monotonically incrementing software counter maintained in each process. It follows some simple rules:

- A process increments its counter before each event in that process;
- When a process sends a message, it includes its counter value with the message;
- On receiving a message, the receiver process sets its counter to be greater than the maximum of its own value and the received value before it considers the message received.

Conceptually, this logical clock can be thought of as a clock that only has meaning in relation to messages moving between processes. When a process receives a message, it resynchronizes its logical clock with the sender.

See also:

- Lamport timestamps
- Lamports distributed mutex

Usage

When sending a message use forward() to increment the clock, when receiving a message use adjust() to sync with the time stamp of the incoming message.

adjust (other)

forward()

sort heap(h)

Sort heap of events.

List of tuples containing at least two elements, representing an event, where the first element is the event's scalar clock value, and the second element is the id of the process (usually "hostname:pid"): sh([(clock, processid, ...?), (...)])

The list must already be sorted, which is why we refer to it as a heap.

The tuple will not be unpacked, so more than two elements can be present.

Will return the latest event.

value = 0

The clocks current value.

class kombu.clocks.timetuple

Tuple of event clock information.

Can be used as part of a heap to keep events ordered.

Parameters

- clock (int) Event clock value.
- timestamp (float) Event UNIX timestamp value.
- id (str) Event host id (e.g. hostname:pid).
- **obj** (Any) Optional obj to associate with this event.

clock

itemgetter(item, ...) -> itemgetter object

Return a callable object that fetches the given item(s) from its operand. After f = itemgetter(2), the call f(r) returns r[2]. After g = itemgetter(2, 5, 3), the call g(r) returns g(r[2], r[3])

id

itemgetter(item, ...) -> itemgetter object

Return a callable object that fetches the given item(s) from its operand. After f = itemgetter(2), the call f(r) returns r[2]. After g = itemgetter(2, 5, 3), the call g(r) returns (r[2], r[5], r[3])

obj

itemgetter(item, ...) -> itemgetter object

Return a callable object that fetches the given item(s) from its operand. After f = itemgetter(2), the call f(r) returns r[2]. After g = itemgetter(2, 5, 3), the call g(r) returns (r[2], r[5], r[3])

timestamp

itemgetter(item, ...) -> itemgetter object

Return a callable object that fetches the given item(s) from its operand. After f = itemgetter(2), the call f(r) returns r[2]. After g = itemgetter(2, 5, 3), the call g(r) returns g(r[2], r[3])

4.6 Carrot Compatibility - kombu.compat

Carrot compatibility interface.

See https://pypi.python.org/pypi/carrot for documentation.

- Publisher
- Consumer
- ConsumerSet

4.6.1 Publisher

```
Replace with kombu. Producer.
class kombu.compat.Publisher(connection,
                                                exchange=None,
                                                                  routing_key=None,
                                                                                      ex-
                                  change_type=None, durable=None, auto_delete=None, chan-
                                  nel=None, **kwargs)
    Carrot compatible producer.
    auto declare = True
    auto_delete = False
    backend
    channel
    close()
    compression = None
    connection
    declare()
         Declare the exchange.
```

Note: This happens automatically at instantiation when the <code>auto_declare</code> flag is enabled.

```
durable = True
exchange = u''
exchange_type = u'direct'
maybe_declare(entity, retry=False, **retry_policy)
    Declare exchange if not already declared during this session.

on_return = None
publish(body, routing_key=None, delivery_mode=None, mandatory=False, immediate=False, prior-
    ity=0, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, serializer=None, headers=None, com-
    pression=None, exchange=None, retry=False, retry_policy=None, declare=None, expira-
    tion=None, **properties)
    Publish message to the specified exchange.
```

- **body** (Any) Message body.
- routing_key (str) Message routing key.
- **delivery_mode** (enum) **See** delivery_mode.
- mandatory (bool) Currently not supported.
- immediate (bool) Currently not supported.
- **priority** (int) Message priority. A number between 0 and 9.
- **content_type** (*str*) Content type. Default is auto-detect.
- **content_encoding** (str) Content encoding. Default is auto-detect.
- **serializer** (*str*) Serializer to use. Default is auto-detect.
- **compression** (str) Compression method to use. Default is none.
- headers (Dict) Mapping of arbitrary headers to pass along with the message body.
- **exchange** (Exchange, str) Override the exchange. Note that this exchange must have been declared.
- **declare** (Sequence[EntityT]) Optional list of required entities that must have been declared before publishing the message. The entities will be declared using maybe_declare().
- retry (bool) Retry publishing, or declaring entities if the connection is lost.
- retry_policy (Dict) Retry configuration, this is the keywords supported by ensure().
- **expiration** (float) A TTL in seconds can be specified per message. Default is no expiration.
- **properties (Any) Additional message properties, see AMQP spec.

```
release()
revive(channel)
    Revive the producer after connection loss.
routing_key = u''
send(*args, **kwargs)
serializer = None
```

4.6.2 Consumer

```
Replace with kombu. Consumer.
```

Carrot compatible consumer.

exception ContentDisallowed

Consumer does not allow this content-type.

args

message

```
accept = None
```

add_queue (queue)

Add a queue to the list of queues to consume from.

Note: This will not start consuming from the queue, for that you will have to call <code>consume()</code> after.

```
auto_declare = True
auto_delete = False
callbacks = None
cancel()
```

End all active queue consumers.

Note: This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for this consumer.

cancel_by_queue (queue)

Cancel consumer by queue name.

```
channel = None
```

close()

connection

consume (no_ack=None)

Start consuming messages.

Can be called multiple times, but note that while it will consume from new queues added since the last call, it will not cancel consuming from removed queues (use <code>cancel_by_queue()</code>).

```
Parameters no_ack (bool) - See no_ack.
```

consuming_from(queue)

Return True if currently consuming from queue'.

declare()

Declare queues, exchanges and bindings.

Note: This is done automatically at instantiation when *auto_declare* is set.

This is a simple flow-control mechanism that a peer can use to avoid overflowing its queues or otherwise finding itself receiving more messages than it can process.

The peer that receives a request to stop sending content will finish sending the current content (if any), and then wait until flow is reactivated.

```
iterconsume(limit=None, no ack=None)
iterqueue (limit=None, infinite=False)
no_ack = None
on_decode_error = None
on_message = None
prefetch_count = None
process_next()
purge()
    Purge messages from all queues.
```

Warning: This will *delete all ready messages*, there is no undo operation.

```
qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, apply_global=False)
     Specify quality of service.
```

The client can request that messages should be sent in advance so that when the client finishes processing a message, the following message is already held locally, rather than needing to be sent down the channel. Prefetching gives a performance improvement.

The prefetch window is Ignored if the no_ack option is set.

Parameters

- prefetch_size (int) Specify the prefetch window in octets. The server will send a message in advance if it is equal to or smaller in size than the available prefetch size (and also falls within other prefetch limits). May be set to zero, meaning "no specific limit", although other prefetch limits may still apply.
- **prefetch count** (*int*) Specify the prefetch window in terms of whole messages.
- apply_global (bool) Apply new settings globally on all channels.

```
queue = u''
queues
receive (body, message)
```

Method called when a message is received.

This dispatches to the registered callbacks.

Parameters

- **body** (*Any*) The decoded message body.
- message (Message) The message instance.

Raises NotImplementedError - If no consumer callbacks have been registered.

```
recover (requeue=False)
```

Redeliver unacknowledged messages.

Asks the broker to redeliver all unacknowledged messages on the specified channel.

Parameters requeue (bool) – By default the messages will be redelivered to the original recipient. With *requeue* set to true, the server will attempt to requeue the message, potentially then delivering it to an alternative subscriber.

```
register callback(callback)
```

Register a new callback to be called when a message is received.

Note: The signature of the callback needs to accept two arguments: (*body, message*), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

```
revive (channel)
routing_key = u''
wait (limit=None)
```

4.6.3 ConsumerSet

Replace with kombu. Consumer.

exception ContentDisallowed

Consumer does not allow this content-type.

```
args
  message
accept = None
add_consumer(consumer)
add_consumer_from_dict(queue, **options)
add_queue(queue)
  Add a queue to the list of queues to consume from.
```

Note: This will not start consuming from the queue, for that you will have to call <code>consume()</code> after.

```
auto_declare = True
callbacks = None
cancel()
```

End all active queue consumers.

Note: This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for this consumer.

cancel_by_queue (queue)

Cancel consumer by queue name.

```
channel = None
```

close()

connection

consume (no ack=None)

Start consuming messages.

Can be called multiple times, but note that while it will consume from new queues added since the last call, it will not cancel consuming from removed queues (use cancel_by_queue ()).

```
Parameters no_ack (bool) - See no_ack.
```

```
consuming_from(queue)
```

Return True if currently consuming from queue'.

declare()

Declare queues, exchanges and bindings.

Note: This is done automatically at instantiation when <code>auto_declare</code> is set.

discard_all()

flow (active)

Enable/disable flow from peer.

This is a simple flow-control mechanism that a peer can use to avoid overflowing its queues or otherwise finding itself receiving more messages than it can process.

The peer that receives a request to stop sending content will finish sending the current content (if any), and then wait until flow is reactivated.

```
\verb|iterconsume| (limit=None, no\_ack=False)|
```

```
no_ack = None
on_decode_error = None
on_message = None
prefetch_count = None
```

purge()

Purge messages from all queues.

Warning: This will *delete all ready messages*, there is no undo operation.

```
qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, apply_global=False) Specify quality of service.
```

The client can request that messages should be sent in advance so that when the client finishes processing a message, the following message is already held locally, rather than needing to be sent down the channel. Prefetching gives a performance improvement.

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- **prefetch_count** (*int*) Specify the prefetch window in terms of whole messages.
- apply_global (bool) Apply new settings globally on all channels.

queues

receive (body, message)

Method called when a message is received.

This dispatches to the registered *callbacks*.

Parameters

- **body** (Any) The decoded message body.
- message (Message) The message instance.

Raises NotImplementedError – If no consumer callbacks have been registered.

recover (requeue=False)

Redeliver unacknowledged messages.

Asks the broker to redeliver all unacknowledged messages on the specified channel.

Parameters requeue (bool) – By default the messages will be redelivered to the original recipient. With *requeue* set to true, the server will attempt to requeue the message, potentially then delivering it to an alternative subscriber.

register_callback (callback)

Register a new callback to be called when a message is received.

Note: The signature of the callback needs to accept two arguments: (*body, message*), which is the decoded message body and the Message instance.

revive (channel)

4.7 Pidbox - kombu.pidbox

Generic process mailbox.

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 - Example Client
- Mailbox
- Node

4.7.1 Introduction

Creating the applications Mailbox

```
>>> mailbox = pidbox.Mailbox('celerybeat', type='direct')
>>> @mailbox.handler
>>> def reload_schedule(state, **kwargs):
...     state['beat'].reload_schedule()

>>> @mailbox.handler
>>> def connection_info(state, **kwargs):
...     return {'connection': state['connection'].info()}
```

Example Node

Example Client

```
>>> mailbox.cast('reload_schedule')  # cast is async.
>>> info = celerybeat.call('connection_info', timeout=1)
```

4.7.2 Mailbox

```
connection=None,
                                                                                     clock=None,
class kombu.pidbox.Mailbox(namespace,
                                                type=u'direct',
                                                                            producer_pool=None,
                                   accept=None,
                                                      serializer=None,
                                   queue_ttl=None,
                                                     queue_expires=None,
                                                                            reply_queue_ttl=None,
                                   reply_queue_expires=10.0)
     Process Mailbox.
     namespace = None
          Name of application.
     connection = None
          Connection (if bound).
     type = u'direct'
          Exchange type (usually direct, or fanout for broadcast).
     exchange = None
          mailbox exchange (init by constructor).
     reply_exchange = None
          exchange to send replies to.
```

```
Node (hostname=None, state=None, channel=None, handlers=None)
     call (destination, command, kwargs={}, timeout=None, callback=None, channel=None)
     cast (destination, command, kwargs={})
     abcast (command, kwargs={})
     multi call (command, kwargs={}, timeout=1, limit=None, callback=None, channel=None)
     get_reply_queue()
     get_queue (hostname)
4.7.3 Node
class kombu.pidbox.Node (hostname, state=None, channel=None, handlers=None, mailbox=None)
     Mailbox node.
     hostname = None
         hostname of the node.
     mailbox = None
          the Mailbox this is a node for.
     handlers = None
         map of method name/handlers.
     state = None
         current context (passed on to handlers)
     channel = None
          current channel.
     Consumer (channel=None, no_ack=True, accept=None, **options)
     handler (fun)
     listen (channel=None, callback=None)
     dispatch (method, arguments=None, reply_to=None, ticket=None, **kwargs)
     dispatch_from_message(body, message=None)
     handle_call (method, arguments)
     handle_cast (method, arguments)
     handle (method, arguments={})
     handle message(body, message=None)
     reply (data, exchange, routing_key, ticket, **kwargs)
```

4.8 Exceptions - kombu.exceptions

```
Exceptions.
```

```
exception kombu.exceptions.NotBoundError
Trying to call channel dependent method on unbound entity.

exception kombu.exceptions.MessageStateError
The message has already been acknowledged.
```

```
kombu.exceptions.TimeoutError
alias of socket.timeout

exception kombu.exceptions.LimitExceeded
Limit exceeded.

exception kombu.exceptions.ConnectionLimitExceeded
Maximum number of simultaneous connections exceeded.

exception kombu.exceptions.ChannelLimitExceeded
Maximum number of simultaneous channels exceeded.
```

4.9 Logging - kombu.log

```
Logging Utilities.
```

```
class kombu.log.LogMixin
     Mixin that adds severity methods to any class.
     annotate (text)
     critical(*args, **kwargs)
     debug (*args, **kwargs)
     error (*args, **kwargs)
     get_logger()
     get_loglevel (level)
     info(*args, **kwargs)
     is_enabled_for(level)
     log (severity, *args, **kwargs)
     logger
     logger_name
     warn (*args, **kwargs)
kombu.log.get_loglevel(level)
     Get loglevel by name.
kombu.log.setup_logging(loglevel=None, logfile=None)
     Setup logging.
```

4.10 Connection - kombu.connection

Client (Connection).

- Connection
- Pools

4.10.1 Connection

A connection to the broker.

Example

```
>>> Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
>>> Connection('amqp://foo;amqp://bar',
... failover_strategy='round-robin')
>>> Connection('redis://', transport_options={
... 'visibility_timeout': 3000,
... })
```

```
>>> import ssl
>>> Connection('amqp://', login_method='EXTERNAL', ssl={
... 'ca_certs': '/etc/pki/tls/certs/something.crt',
... 'keyfile': '/etc/something/system.key',
... 'certfile': '/etc/something/system.cert',
... 'cert_reqs': ssl.CERT_REQUIRED,
... })
```

Note: SSL currently only works with the py-amqp, and qpid transports. For other transports you can use stunnel.

Parameters URL (str, Sequence) - Broker URL, or a list of URLs.

Keyword Arguments

- **ssl** (bool) Use SSL to connect to the server. Default is False. May not be supported by the specified transport.
- transport (Transport) Default transport if not specified in the URL.
- **connect_timeout** (float) Timeout in seconds for connecting to the server. May not be supported by the specified transport.
- **transport_options** (Dict) A dict of additional connection arguments to pass to alternate kombu channel implementations. Consult the transport documentation for available options.
- heartbeat (float) Heartbeat interval in int/float seconds. Note that if heartbeats are enabled then the heartbeat_check() method must be called regularly, around once per second.

Note: The connection is established lazily when needed. If you need the connection to be established, then force it by calling <code>connect()</code>:

```
>>> conn = Connection('amqp://')
>>> conn.connect()
```

and always remember to close the connection:

```
>>> conn.release()
```

These options have been replaced by the URL argument, but are still supported for backwards compatibility:

Keyword Arguments

- hostname Host name/address. NOTE: You cannot specify both the URL argument and use the hostname keyword argument at the same time.
- userid Default user name if not provided in the URL.
- password Default password if not provided in the URL.
- virtual_host Default virtual host if not provided in the URL.
- port Default port if not provided in the URL.

```
ChannelPool (limit=None, **kwargs)
```

Pool of channels.

See also:

ChannelPool.

Parameters limit (int) – Maximum number of active channels. Default is no limit.

Example

```
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://')
>>> pool = connection.ChannelPool(2)
>>> c1 = pool.acquire()
>>> c2 = pool.acquire()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
>>> c1.release()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
   File "kombu/connection.py", line 354, in acquire
   raise ChannelLimitExceeded(self.limit)
    kombu.connection.ChannelLimitExceeded: 2
```

Consumer (queues=None, channel=None, *args, **kwargs)

Create new kombu. Consumer instance.

Pool (limit=None, **kwargs)

Pool of connections.

See also:

ConnectionPool.

Parameters limit (int) – Maximum number of active connections. Default is no limit.

Example

```
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://')
>>> pool = connection.Pool(2)
>>> c1 = pool.acquire()
>>> c2 = pool.acquire()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
>>> c1.release()
>>> c3 = pool.acquire()
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
   File "kombu/connection.py", line 354, in acquire
   raise ConnectionLimitExceeded(self.limit)
   kombu.exceptions.ConnectionLimitExceeded: 2
```

Producer (channel=None, *args, **kwargs)

Create new kombu. Producer instance.

SimpleBuffer (name, no_ack=None, queue_opts=None, exchange_opts=None, channel=None, **kwargs)

Simple ephemeral queue API.

Create new SimpleQueue using a channel from this connection.

See also:

Same as SimpleQueue(), but configured with buffering semantics. The resulting queue and exchange will not be durable, also auto delete is enabled. Messages will be transient (not persistent), and acknowledgments are disabled (no_ack).

SimpleQueue (name, no_ack=None, queue_opts=None, exchange_opts=None, channel=None, **kwargs)

Simple persistent queue API.

Create new SimpleQueue, using a channel from this connection.

If name is a string, a queue and exchange will be automatically created using that name as the name of the queue and exchange, also it will be used as the default routing key.

Parameters

- name (str, kombu.Queue) Name of the queue/or a queue.
- no_ack (bool) Disable acknowledgments. Default is false.
- **queue_opts** (Dict) Additional keyword arguments passed to the constructor of the automatically created Queue.
- **exchange_opts** (*Dict*) Additional keyword arguments passed to the constructor of the automatically created *Exchange*.
- channel (ChannelT) Custom channel to use. If not specified the connection default channel is used.

as_uri (*include_password=False*, *mask=u'**'*, *getfields=<operator.itemgetter object>*)

Convert connection parameters to URL form.

```
autoretry (fun, channel=None, **ensure options)
```

Decorator for functions supporting a channel keyword argument.

The resulting callable will retry calling the function if it raises connection or channel related errors. The return value will be a tuple of (retval, last_created_channel).

If a channel is not provided, then one will be automatically acquired (remember to close it afterwards).

See also:

ensure () for the full list of supported keyword arguments.

Example

```
>>> channel = connection.channel()
>>> try:
...    ret, channel = connection.autoretry(
...         publish_messages, channel)
... finally:
...    channel.close()
```

channel()

Create and return a new channel.

channel_errors

List of exceptions that may be raised by the channel.

```
clone (**kwargs)
```

Create a copy of the connection with same settings.

close()

Close the connection (if open).

```
collect (socket_timeout=None)
```

completes_cycle (retries)

Return true if the cycle is complete after number of *retries*.

connect()

Establish connection to server immediately.

```
connect_timeout = 5
```

connected

Return true if the connection has been established.

connection

The underlying connection object.

Warning: This instance is transport specific, so do not depend on the interface of this object.

connection_errors

List of exceptions that may be raised by the connection.

```
create_transport()
```

cycle = None

Iterator returning the next broker URL to try in the event of connection failure (initialized by failover_strategy).

declared_entities = None

The cache of declared entities is per connection, in case the server loses data.

default channel

Default channel.

Created upon access and closed when the connection is closed.

Note: Can be used for automatic channel handling when you only need one channel, and also it is the channel implicitly used if a connection is passed instead of a channel, to functions that require a channel.

```
drain_events(**kwargs)
```

Wait for a single event from the server.

Parameters timeout (float) – Timeout in seconds before we give up.

Raises socket.timeout - if the timeout is exceeded.

ensure(obj, fun, errback=None, max_retries=None, interval_start=1, interval_step=1, interval_max=1, on_revive=None)
Ensure operation completes.

Regardless of any channel/connection errors occurring.

Retries by establishing the connection, and reapplying the function.

Parameters

- **fun** (Callable) Method to apply.
- **errback** (*Callable*) Optional callback called each time the connection can't be established. Arguments provided are the exception raised and the interval that will be slept (exc, interval).
- max_retries (int) Maximum number of times to retry. If this limit is exceeded the connection error will be re-raised.
- interval_start (float) The number of seconds we start sleeping for.
- **interval_step** (*float*) How many seconds added to the interval for each retry.
- interval_max (float) Maximum number of seconds to sleep between each retry.

Examples

```
>>> from kombu import Connection, Producer
>>> conn = Connection('amqp://')
>>> producer = Producer(conn)
```

```
>>> def errback(exc, interval):
... logger.error('Error: %r', exc, exc_info=1)
... logger.info('Retry in %s seconds.', interval)
```

```
>>> publish = conn.ensure(producer, producer.publish,
... errback=errback, max_retries=3)
>>> publish({'hello': 'world'}, routing_key='dest')
```

ensure_connection (errback=None, max_retries=None, interval_start=2, interval_step=2, interval_max=30, callback=None, reraise_as_library_errors=True)

Ensure we have a connection to the server.

If not retry establishing the connection with the settings specified.

Parameters

- **errback** (*Callable*) Optional callback called each time the connection can't be established. Arguments provided are the exception raised and the interval that will be slept (exc, interval).
- max_retries (int) Maximum number of times to retry. If this limit is exceeded the
 connection error will be re-raised.
- interval_start (float) The number of seconds we start sleeping for.
- **interval_step** (*float*) How many seconds added to the interval for each retry.
- interval_max (float) Maximum number of seconds to sleep between each retry.
- callback (Callable) Optional callback that is called for every internal iteration (1 s).

```
failover_strategies = {u'round-robin': <type 'itertools.cycle'>, u'shuffle': <functi
failover_strategy = u'round-robin'</pre>
```

Strategy used to select new hosts when reconnecting after connection failure. One of "round-robin", "shuffle" or any custom iterator constantly yielding new URLs to try.

```
get_heartbeat_interval()
get_manager(*args, **kwargs)
get_transport_cls()
    Get the currently used transport class.
```

heartbeat = None

Heartbeat value, currently only supported by the py-amqp transport.

```
heartbeat_check (rate=2)
```

Check heartbeats.

Allow the transport to perform any periodic tasks required to make heartbeats work. This should be called approximately every second.

If the current transport does not support heartbeats then this is a noop operation.

Parameters rate (int) – Rate is how often the tick is called compared to the actual heartbeat value. E.g. if the heartbeat is set to 3 seconds, and the tick is called every 3 / 2 seconds, then the rate is 2. This value is currently unused by any transports.

host

The host as a host name/port pair separated by colon.

```
hostname = None
info()
    Get connection info.
is_evented
login_method = None
manager
```

AMQP Management API.

Experimental manager that can be used to manage/monitor the broker instance.

Not available for all transports.

```
maybe_close_channel (channel)
```

Close given channel, but ignore connection and channel errors.

Recoverable channel errors.

List of channel related exceptions that can be automatically recovered from without re-establishing the connection.

recoverable_connection_errors

Recoverable connection errors.

List of connection related exceptions that can be recovered from, but where the connection must be closed and re-established first.

```
register_with_event_loop (loop)
release()
    Close the connection (if open).
resolve_aliases = {u'librabbitmq': u'amqp', u'pyamqp': u'amqp'}
revive (new_channel)
    Revive connection after connection re-established.
ssl = None
supports_exchange_type (exchange_type)
supports_heartbeats
switch (url)
    Switch connection parameters to use a new URL.
```

Note: Does not reconnect!

transport

transport_options = None

Additional transport specific options, passed on to the transport instance.

```
uri_prefix = None
userid = None
virtual_host = u'/'
```

4.10.2 Pools

See also:

The shortcut methods Connection. Pool () and Connection. Channel Pool () is the recommended way to instantiate these classes.

```
class kombu.connection.ConnectionPool(connection, limit=None, **kwargs)
    Pool of connections.
```

LimitExceeded = <class 'kombu.exceptions.ConnectionLimitExceeded'>

acquire (block=False, timeout=None)

Acquire resource.

Parameters

- block (bool) If the limit is exceeded, then block until there is an available item.
- timeout (float) Timeout to wait if block is true. Default is None (forever).

Raises LimitExceeded – if block is false and the limit has been exceeded.

release(resource)

force close all()

Close and remove all resources in the pool (also those in use).

Used to close resources from parent processes after fork (e.g. sockets/connections).

class kombu.connection.ChannelPool(connection, limit=None, **kwargs)
 Pool of channels.

LimitExceeded = <class 'kombu.exceptions.ChannelLimitExceeded'>

acquire (block=False, timeout=None)

Acquire resource.

Parameters

- block (bool) If the limit is exceeded, then block until there is an available item.
- timeout (float) Timeout to wait if block is true. Default is None (forever).

Raises LimitExceeded – if block is false and the limit has been exceeded.

release (resource)

force_close_all()

Close and remove all resources in the pool (also those in use).

Used to close resources from parent processes after fork (e.g. sockets/connections).

4.11 Message Objects - kombu.message

Message class.

Base class for received messages.

Keyword Arguments

- **channel** (*ChannelT*) If message was received, this should be the channel that the message was received on.
- **body** (str) Message body.
- **delivery_mode** (bool) Set custom delivery mode. Defaults to delivery_mode.
- **priority** (*int*) Message priority, 0 to broker configured max priority, where higher is better.

- **content_type** (str) The messages content_type. If content_type is set, no serialization occurs as it is assumed this is either a binary object, or you've done your own serialization. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content_type.
- **content_encoding** (str) The character set in which this object is encoded. Use "binary" if sending in raw binary objects. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content_encoding.
- properties (Dict) Message properties.
- headers (Dict) Message headers.

exception MessageStateError

The message has already been acknowledged.

accept

```
ack (multiple=False)
```

Acknowledge this message as being processed.

This will remove the message from the queue.

Raises MessageStateError – If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

ack_log_error (logger, errors, multiple=False)

acknowledged

Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.

body

channel

content_encoding

content_type

decode()

Deserialize the message body.

Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.

Note: The return value is memoized, use <u>_decode</u> to force re-evaluation.

```
delivery_info
delivery_tag
errors = None
headers
payload
```

The decoded message body.

properties

reject (requeue=False)

Reject this message.

The message will be discarded by the server.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

```
reject_log_error (logger, errors, requeue=False)
requeue()
```

Reject this message and put it back on the queue.

Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

4.12 Message Compression - kombu.compression

Compression utilities.

- Encoding/decoding
- Registry

4.12.1 Encoding/decoding

kombu.compression.compress(body, content_type) Compress text.

Parameters

- **body** (AnyStr) The text to compress.
- **content_type** (*str*) mime-type of compression method to use.

kombu.compression.decompress(body, content_type)

Decompress compressed text.

Parameters

- **body** (AnyStr) Previously compressed text to uncompress.
- **content_type** (*str*) mime-type of compression method used.

4.12.2 Registry

```
kombu.compression.encoders()
    Return a list of available compression methods.
kombu.compression.get_encoder(t)
```

Get encoder by alias name.

kombu.compression.get_decoder(t)

Get decoder by alias name.

kombu.compression.register(encoder, decoder, content_type, aliases=[]) Register new compression method.

Parameters

- encoder (Callable) Function used to compress text.
- decoder (Callable) Function used to decompress previously compressed text.
- **content_type** (str) The mime type this compression method identifies as.
- aliases (Sequence[str]) A list of names to associate with this compression method.

4.13 Connection/Producer Pools - kombu.pools

```
Public resource pools.
```

```
class kombu.pools.ProducerPool (connections, *args, **kwargs)
   Pool of kombu.Producer instances.

class Producer(channel, exchange=None, routing_key=None, auto_declare=None, compression=None, on_return=None)
   Message Producer.
```

Parameters

- channel (kombu.Connection, Channel T) Connection or channel.
- **exchange** (Exchange, str) Optional default exchange.
- routing_key (str) Optional default routing key.
- **serializer** (str) Default serializer. Default is "json".
- **compression** (str) Default compression method. Default is no compression.
- **auto_declare** (bool) Automatically declare the default exchange at instantiation. Default is True.
- on_return (Callable) Callback to call for undeliverable messages, when the mandatory or immediate arguments to publish() is used. This callback needs the following signature: (exception, exchange, routing_key, message). Note that the producer needs to drain events to use this feature.

```
auto_declare = True
channel
close()
compression = None
connection
declare()
    Declare the exchange.
```

Note: This happens automatically at instantiation when the auto_declare flag is enabled.

```
exchange = None
maybe_declare (entity, retry=False, **retry_policy)
    Declare exchange if not already declared during this session.
on return = None
```

```
publish (body, routing key=None, delivery mode=None, mandatory=False, immediate=False,
          priority=0, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, serializer=None, head-
          ers=None, compression=None, exchange=None, retry=False, retry policy=None, de-
          clare=None, expiration=None, **properties)
    Publish message to the specified exchange.
       Parameters
          • body (Any) – Message body.
          • routing_key (str) - Message routing key.
          • delivery mode (enum) – See delivery mode.
          • mandatory (bool) - Currently not supported.
          • immediate (bool) – Currently not supported.
          • priority (int) – Message priority. A number between 0 and 9.
          • content_type (str) – Content type. Default is auto-detect.
          • content_encoding (str) – Content encoding. Default is auto-detect.
          • serializer (str) – Serializer to use. Default is auto-detect.
          • compression (str) – Compression method to use. Default is none.
          • headers (Dict) – Mapping of arbitrary headers to pass along with the message body.
          • exchange (Exchange, str) - Override the exchange. Note that this exchange
            must have been declared.
          • declare (Sequence [EntityT]) - Optional list of required entities that must
            have been declared before publishing the message. The entities will be declared using
            maybe declare().
          • retry (bool) – Retry publishing, or declaring entities if the connection is lost.
          • retry policy (Dict) - Retry configuration, this is the keywords supported by
            ensure().
          • expiration (float) - A TTL in seconds can be specified per message. Default is
            no expiration.
          • **properties (Any) – Additional message properties, see AMQP spec.
release()
revive (channel)
```

```
Revive the producer after connection loss.
         routing key = u''
         serializer = None
     close_after_fork = True
     close resource(resource)
     create_producer()
     new()
     prepare (p)
     release(resource)
     setup()
class kombu.pools.PoolGroup(limit=None, close_after_fork=True)
     Collection of resource pools.
     create (resource, limit)
kombu.pools.register_group(group)
     Register group (can be used as decorator).
kombu.pools.get_limit()
     Get current connection pool limit.
```

```
kombu.pools.set_limit (limit, force=False, reset_after=False, ignore_errors=False)
    Set new connection pool limit.
kombu.pools.reset(*args, **kwargs)
```

Reset all pools by closing open resources.

4.14 Abstract Classes - kombu.abstract

```
Object utilities.
```

```
class kombu.abstract.MaybeChannelBound(*args, **kwargs)
Mixin for classes that can be bound to an AMQP channel.

bind(channel)
Create copy of the instance that is bound to a channel.

can_cache_declaration = False
Defines whether maybe_declare can skip declaring this entity twice.

channel
Current channel if the object is bound.

is_bound
Flag set if the channel is bound.

maybe_bind(channel)
Bind instance to channel if not already bound.
```

revive (channel)

Revive channel after the connection has been re-established.

Used by ensure ().

when bound()

Callback called when the class is bound.

4.15 Resource Management - kombu.resource

Generic resource pool implementation.

```
class kombu.resource.LifoQueue (maxsize=0)
```

Last in first out version of Queue.

class kombu.resource.Resource(limit=None, preload=None, close_after_fork=None)
 Pool of resources.

exception LimitExceeded

Limit exceeded.

acquire (block=False, timeout=None)

Acquire resource.

Parameters

- **block** (bool) If the limit is exceeded, then block until there is an available item.
- timeout (float) Timeout to wait if block is true. Default is None (forever).

Raises LimitExceeded – if block is false and the limit has been exceeded.

```
close after fork = False
     close resource(resource)
     collect_resource (resource)
     force_close_all()
          Close and remove all resources in the pool (also those in use).
          Used to close resources from parent processes after fork (e.g. sockets/connections).
     limit
     prepare (resource)
     release(resource)
     release_resource (resource)
     replace (resource)
          Replace existing resource with a new instance.
          This can be used in case of defective resources.
     resize (limit, force=False, ignore_errors=False, reset=False)
     setup()
4.16 Event Loop - kombu. asynchronous
Event loop.
class kombu.asynchronous.Hub (timer=None)
     Event loop object.
          Parameters timer (kombu.asynchronous.Timer) - Specify custom timer instance.
     ERR = 24
          Flag set on error, and the fd should be read from asap.
     READ = 1
          Flag set if reading from an fd will not block.
     WRITE = 4
          Flag set if writing to an fd will not block.
     add (fd, callback, flags, args=(), consolidate=False)
     add_reader (fds, callback, *args)
     add_writer (fds, callback, *args)
     call_at (when, callback, *args)
     call_later (delay, callback, *args)
     call_repeatedly (delay, callback, *args)
     call_soon (callback, *args)
     close (*args)
     create_loop (generator=<type 'generator'>, sleep=<built-in function sleep>, min=<built-in func-</pre>
                     tion min>, next=<built-in function next>, Empty=<class 'Queue.Empty'>, StopIt-
                     eration=<type 'exceptions.StopIteration'>, KeyError=<type 'exceptions.KeyError'>,
                     READ=1, WRITE=4, ERR=24)
```

```
fire_timers (min_delay=1, max_delay=10, max_timers=10, propagate=())
     loop
     on_callback_error(callback, exc)
     on_close = None
         List of callbacks to be called when the loop is exiting, applied with the hub instance as sole argument.
     remove(fd)
     remove_reader(fd)
     remove_writer(fd)
     repr_active()
     repr_events (events)
     reset()
     run_forever()
     run once()
     scheduler
     stop()
kombu.asynchronous.get_event_loop()
     Get current event loop object.
kombu.asynchronous.set_event_loop(loop)
     Set the current event loop object.
```

4.17 Event Loop Implementation - kombu.asynchronous.hub

```
Event loop implementation.
```

```
class kombu.asynchronous.hub.Hub(timer=None)
     Event loop object.
          Parameters timer (kombu.asynchronous.Timer) - Specify custom timer instance.
     ERR = 24
          Flag set on error, and the fd should be read from asap.
     READ = 1
          Flag set if reading from an fd will not block.
     WRITE = 4
          Flag set if writing to an fd will not block.
     add (fd, callback, flags, args=(), consolidate=False)
     add_reader (fds, callback, *args)
     add_writer (fds, callback, *args)
     call_at (when, callback, *args)
     call_later (delay, callback, *args)
     call_repeatedly (delay, callback, *args)
     call_soon (callback, *args)
```

```
close (*args)
     create_loop (generator=<type 'generator'>, sleep=<built-in function sleep>, min=<built-in func-</pre>
                    tion min>, next=<br/>built-in function next>, Empty=<class 'Queue.Empty'>, StopIt-
                    eration=<type 'exceptions.StopIteration'>, KeyError=<type 'exceptions.KeyError'>,
                    READ=1, WRITE=4, ERR=24)
     fire_timers (min_delay=1, max_delay=10, max_timers=10, propagate=())
     on_callback_error(callback, exc)
     on close = None
          List of callbacks to be called when the loop is exiting, applied with the hub instance as sole argument.
     remove(fd)
     remove_reader(fd)
     remove_writer(fd)
     repr_active()
     repr_events (events)
     reset()
     run_forever()
     run_once()
     scheduler
     stop()
kombu.asynchronous.hub.get_event_loop()
     Get current event loop object.
kombu.asynchronous.hub.set_event_loop(loop)
     Set the current event loop object.
```

4.18 Semaphores - kombu.asynchronous.semaphore

Semaphores and concurrency primitives.

```
\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{class} & \texttt{kombu.asynchronous.semaphore.DummyLock} \\ \textbf{Pretending to be a lock}. \\ \end{tabular}
```

```
class kombu.asynchronous.semaphore.LaxBoundedSemaphore(value)
Asynchronous Bounded Semaphore.
```

Lax means that the value will stay within the specified range even if released more times than it was acquired.

Example

```
>>> from future import print_statement as printf
# ^ ignore: just fooling stupid pyflakes
>>> x = LaxBoundedSemaphore(2)
```

```
>>> x.acquire(printf, 'HELLO 1')
HELLO 1
```

```
>>> x.acquire(printf, 'HELLO 2')
HELLO 2
```

```
>>> x.acquire(printf, 'HELLO 3')
>>> x._waiters  # private, do not access directly
[print, ('HELLO 3',)]
```

```
>>> x.release()
HELLO 3
```

```
acquire (callback, *partial_args, **partial_kwargs)
```

Acquire semaphore.

This will immediately apply callback if the resource is available, otherwise the callback is suspended until the semaphore is released.

Parameters

- callback (Callable) The callback to apply.
- *partial_args (Any) partial arguments to callback.

clear()

Reset the semaphore, which also wipes out any waiting callbacks.

```
qrow(n=1)
```

Change the size of the semaphore to accept more users.

release()

Release semaphore.

Note: If there are any waiters this will apply the first waiter that is waiting for the resource (FIFO order).

```
shrink(n=1)
```

Change the size of the semaphore to accept less users.

4.19 Timer - kombu.asynchronous.timer

Timer scheduling Python callbacks.

```
class kombu.asynchronous.timer.Entry(fun, args=None, kwargs=None)
    Schedule Entry.
    args
    cancel()
    canceled
    cancelled
    fun
    kwargs
```

```
tref
class kombu.asynchronous.timer.Timer (max_interval=None, on_error=None, **kwargs)
     Async timer implementation.
     class Entry (fun, args=None, kwargs=None)
          Schedule Entry.
          args
          cancel()
          canceled
          cancelled
          fun
          kwargs
          tref
     apply_entry(entry)
     call_after (secs, fun, args=(), kwargs={}, priority=0)
     call_at (eta, fun, args=(), kwargs={}, priority=0)
     call_repeatedly (secs, fun, args=(), kwargs={}, priority=0)
     cancel (tref)
     clear()
     enter_after (secs, entry, priority=0, time=<function _monotonic>)
     enter_at (entry, eta=None, priority=0, time=<function _monotonic>)
          Enter function into the scheduler.
              Parameters
                  • entry (Entry) - Item to enter.
                  • eta (datetime.datetime) - Scheduled time.
                  • priority (int) - Unused.
     handle_error(exc_info)
     on_error = None
     queue
          Snapshot of underlying datastructure.
     schedule
```

4.19. Timer - kombu.asynchronous.timer

kombu.asynchronous.timer.to_timestamp(d,

If d' is already a timestamp, then that will be used.

Convert datetime to timestamp.

stop()

default_timezone=<UTC>, time=<function

_monotonic>)

4.20 Event Loop Debugging Utils - kombu.asynchronous.debug

```
Event-loop debugging tools.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.callback_for (h, fd, flag, *default)
Return the callback used for hub+fd+flag.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.repr_active(h)
Return description of active readers and writers.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.repr_events(h, events)
Return description of events returned by poll.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.repr_flag(flag)
Return description of event loop flag.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.repr_readers(h)
Return description of pending readers.

kombu.asynchronous.debug.repr_writers(h)
```

4.21 Async HTTP Client - kombu.asynchronous.http

```
kombu.asynchronous.http.Client (hub=None, **kwargs)
Create new HTTP client.

class kombu.asynchronous.http.Headers
Represents a mapping of HTTP headers.

complete = False
Set when all of the headers have been read.
```

Return description of pending writers.

class kombu.asynchronous.http.Response(request, code, headers=None, buffer=None, effective_url=None, error=None, status=None)
HTTP Response.

•

Parameters

- request (Request) See request.
- code (int) See code.
- headers (Headers) See headers.
- **buffer** (bytes) See buffer
- effective_url (str) See effective_url.
- **status** (str) See status.

request

~kombu.asynchronous.http.Request – object used to get this response.

code

int – HTTP response code (e.g. 200, 404, or 500).

headers

~kombu.asynchronous.http.Headers – HTTP headers for this response.

buffer

bytes - Socket read buffer.

effective url

str – The destination url for this request after following redirects.

error

Exception – Error instance if the request resulted in a HTTP error code.

status

str – Human equivalent of code, e.g. OK, Not found, or 'Internal Server Error'.

body

The full contents of the response body.

Note: Accessing this properly will evaluate the buffer and subsequent accesses will be cached.

```
buffer
code
content
effective_url
error
headers
raise_for_error()
    Raise if the request resulted in an HTTP error code.
    Raises HttpError
request
status
status_code
```

A HTTP Request.

Parameters

- **url** (*str*) The URL to request.
- **method** (str) The HTTP method to use (defaults to GET).

Keyword Arguments

- headers (Dict, Headers) Optional headers for this request
- **body** (str) Optional body for this request.
- **connect_timeout** (*float*) Connection timeout in float seconds Default is 30.0.
- timeout (float) Time in float seconds before the request times out Default is 30.0.
- follow_redirects (bool) Specify if the client should follow redirects Enabled by default.
- max_redirects (int) Maximum number of redirects (default 6).
- $use_gzip(bool)$ Allow the server to use gzip compression. Enabled by default.

- **validate_cert** (bool) Set to true if the server certificate should be verified when performing https://requests. Enabled by default.
- **auth_username** (*str*) Username for HTTP authentication.
- auth_password (str) Password for HTTP authentication.
- auth_mode (str) Type of HTTP authentication (basic or digest).
- user_agent (str) Custom user agent for this request.
- **network_interace** (str) Network interface to use for this request.
- on_ready (Callable) Callback to be called when the response has been received. Must accept single response argument.
- on_stream (Callable) Optional callback to be called every time body content has been read from the socket. If specified then the response body and buffer attributes will not be available.
- on_timeout (callable) Optional callback to be called if the request times out.
- on_header (Callable) Optional callback to be called for every header line received from the server. The signature is (headers, line) and note that if you want response.headers to be populated then your callback needs to also call client. on_header(headers, line).
- on_prepare (Callable) Optional callback that is implementation specific (e.g. curl client will pass the curl instance to this callback).
- proxy_host (str) Optional proxy host. Note that a proxy_port must also be provided or a ValueError will be raised.
- **proxy_username** (str) Optional username to use when logging in to the proxy.
- proxy_password (str) Optional password to use when authenticating with the proxy server.
- ca_certs (str) Custom CA certificates file to use.
- client_key (str) Optional filename for client SSL key.
- **client_cert** (*str*) Optional filename for client SSL certificate.

```
auth_mode = None
auth_password = None
auth_username = None
body = None
ca_certs = None
client_cert = None
client_key = None
connect_timeout = 30.0
follow_redirects = True
headers
max_redirects = 6
method
```

```
network interface = None
on header
on_prepare
on_ready
on stream
on timeout
proxy_host = None
proxy_password = None
proxy_port = None
proxy_username = None
request_timeout = 30.0
then (callback, errback=None)
url
use_gzip = True
user_agent = None
validate cert = True
```

4.22 Async HTTP Client Interface - kombu.asynchronous.http. base

Base async HTTP client implementation.

```
class kombu.asynchronous.http.base.Headers
Represents a mapping of HTTP headers.
```

complete = False

Set when all of the headers have been read.

HTTP Response.

Parameters

- request (Request) See request.
- code (int) See code.
- headers (Headers) See headers.
- buffer (bytes) See buffer
- effective_url (str) See effective_url.
- **status** (*str*) See *status*.

request

~kombu.asynchronous.http.Request – object used to get this response.

```
code
          int – HTTP response code (e.g. 200, 404, or 500).
     headers
          ~kombu.asynchronous.http.Headers – HTTP headers for this response.
     buffer
          bytes - Socket read buffer.
     effective url
          str – The destination url for this request after following redirects.
     error
          Exception – Error instance if the request resulted in a HTTP error code.
     status
          str – Human equivalent of code, e.g. OK, Not found, or 'Internal Server Error'.
     body
          The full contents of the response body.
          Note: Accessing this properly will evaluate the buffer and subsequent accesses will be cached.
     buffer
     code
     content
     effective_url
     error
     headers
     raise_for_error()
          Raise if the request resulted in an HTTP error code.
              Raises HttpError
     request
     status
     status_code
                                                                 method=u'GET',
class kombu.asynchronous.http.base.Request(url,
                                                                                    on_ready=None,
                                                         on timeout=None,
                                                                                   on stream=None,
                                                         on_prepare=None, on_header=None, head-
                                                         ers=None, **kwargs)
     A HTTP Request.
          Parameters
                • url (str) – The URL to request.
                • method (str) – The HTTP method to use (defaults to GET).
          Keyword Arguments
                • headers (Dict, Headers) - Optional headers for this request
                • body (str) – Optional body for this request.
```

• connect_timeout (float) - Connection timeout in float seconds Default is 30.0.

- **timeout** (float) Time in float seconds before the request times out Default is 30.0.
- **follow_redirects** (bool) Specify if the client should follow redirects Enabled by default.
- max_redirects (int) Maximum number of redirects (default 6).
- use_gzip (bool) Allow the server to use gzip compression. Enabled by default.
- **validate_cert** (bool) Set to true if the server certificate should be verified when performing https://requests. Enabled by default.
- **auth_username** (*str*) Username for HTTP authentication.
- auth_password (str) Password for HTTP authentication.
- **auth_mode** (*str*) Type of HTTP authentication (basic or digest).
- user_agent (str) Custom user agent for this request.
- **network_interace** (str) Network interface to use for this request.
- on_ready (Callable) Callback to be called when the response has been received. Must accept single response argument.
- on_stream (Callable) Optional callback to be called every time body content has been read from the socket. If specified then the response body and buffer attributes will not be available.
- on_timeout (callable) Optional callback to be called if the request times out.
- on_header (Callable) Optional callback to be called for every header line received from the server. The signature is (headers, line) and note that if you want response.headers to be populated then your callback needs to also call client. on_header(headers, line).
- on_prepare (Callable) Optional callback that is implementation specific (e.g. curl client will pass the curl instance to this callback).
- proxy_host (str) Optional proxy host. Note that a proxy_port must also be provided or a ValueError will be raised.
- **proxy_username** (*str*) Optional username to use when logging in to the proxy.
- proxy_password (str) Optional password to use when authenticating with the proxy server.
- ca certs (str) Custom CA certificates file to use.
- client key (str) Optional filename for client SSL key.
- client_cert (str) Optional filename for client SSL certificate.

```
auth_mode = None
auth_password = None
auth_username = None
body = None
ca_certs = None
client_cert = None
client_key = None
connect timeout = 30.0
```

```
follow redirects = True
headers
max redirects = 6
method
network interface = None
on header
on_prepare
on_ready
on stream
on_timeout
proxy_host = None
proxy_password = None
proxy_port = None
proxy_username = None
request_timeout = 30.0
then (callback, errback=None)
url
use_gzip = True
user_agent = None
validate cert = True
```

4.23 Async pyCurl HTTP Client - kombu.asynchronous.http.curl

```
HTTP Client using pyCurl.
```

```
class kombu.asynchronous.http.curl.CurlClient (hub=None, max_clients=10)
    Curl HTTP Client.

Curl = None
    add_request (request)
    close()
    on_readable (fd, _pycurl=None)
    on_writable (fd, _pycurl=None)
```

4.24 Async Amazon AWS Client - kombu.asynchronous.aws

```
kombu.asynchronous.aws.connect_sqs (aws_access_key_id=None, aws_secret_access_key=None, **kwargs)

Return async connection to Amazon SQS.
```

4.25 Amazon AWS Connection - kombu.asynchronous.aws.

Amazon AWS Connection.

class kombu.asynchronous.aws.connection. AsyncHTTPSConnection (strict=None, timeout=20.0, $http_client=None$)

Async HTTP Connection.

Parameters

- url (str) The URL to request.
- **method** (*str*) The HTTP method to use (defaults to GET).

Keyword Arguments

- headers (Dict, Headers) Optional headers for this request
- **body** (*str*) Optional body for this request.
- connect_timeout (float) Connection timeout in float seconds Default is 30.0.
- timeout (float) Time in float seconds before the request times out Default is 30.0.
- **follow_redirects** (bool) Specify if the client should follow redirects Enabled by default.
- max_redirects (int) Maximum number of redirects (default 6).
- **use_gzip** (bool) Allow the server to use gzip compression. Enabled by default.
- **validate_cert** (bool) Set to true if the server certificate should be verified when performing https://requests. Enabled by default.
- **auth_username** (*str*) Username for HTTP authentication.
- auth_password (str) Password for HTTP authentication.
- auth_mode (str) Type of HTTP authentication (basic or digest).
- user_agent (str) Custom user agent for this request.
- **network_interace** (str) Network interface to use for this request.
- on_ready (Callable) Callback to be called when the response has been received. Must accept single response argument.
- on_stream (Callable) Optional callback to be called every time body content has been read from the socket. If specified then the response body and buffer attributes will not be available.
- on_timeout (callable) Optional callback to be called if the request times out.
- on_header (Callable) Optional callback to be called for every header line received from the server. The signature is (headers, line) and note that if you want response.headers to be populated then your callback needs to also call client. on_header (headers, line).

- on_prepare (Callable) Optional callback that is implementation specific (e.g. curl client will pass the curl instance to this callback).
- **proxy_host** (*str*) Optional proxy host. Note that a proxy_port must also be provided or a ValueError will be raised.
- **proxy_username** (str) Optional username to use when logging in to the proxy.
- **proxy_password** (str) Optional password to use when authenticating with the proxy server.
- ca_certs (str) Custom CA certificates file to use.
- client_key (str) Optional filename for client SSL key.
- client_cert (str) Optional filename for client SSL certificate.

```
auth mode = None
auth_password = None
auth_username = None
body = None
ca_certs = None
client cert = None
client key = None
connect_timeout = 30.0
follow_redirects = True
headers
max redirects = 6
method
network_interface = None
on_header
on_prepare
on_ready
on_stream
on_timeout
proxy_host = None
proxy_password = None
proxy_port = None
proxy_username = None
request_timeout = 30.0
then (callback, errback=None)
url
use_gzip = True
user_agent = None
```

```
validate cert = True
    Response
        alias of AsyncHTTPResponse
    body = None
    close()
    connect()
    default_ports = {u'http': 80, u'https':
    endheaders()
    getrequest()
    getresponse (callback=None)
    method = u'GET'
    path = u'/'
    putheader (header, value)
    putrequest (method, path)
    request (method, path, body=None, headers=None)
    send (data)
    set_debuglevel (level)
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.connection.AsyncConnection (sqs_connection,
                                                               http_client=None,
                                                               **kwargs)
    Async AWS Connection.
    get_http_connection()
4.26 Async Amazon SQS Client - kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs
4.27 SQS
                 Connection
                                            kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.
      connection
Amazon SQS Connection.
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.connection.AsyncSQSConnection(sqs_connection,
                                                                      debug=0,
                                                                       gion=None,
                                                                       **kwargs)
    Async SQS Connection.
    add_permission (queue, label, aws_account_id, action_name, callback=None)
    change_message_visibility (queue, receipt_handle, visibility_timeout, callback=None)
    change_message_visibility_batch (queue, messages, callback=None)
    create_queue (queue_name, visibility_timeout=None, callback=None)
    delete_message (queue, receipt_handle, callback=None)
```

```
delete_message_batch (queue, messages, callback=None)
     delete_message_from_handle (queue, receipt_handle, callback=None)
     delete_queue (queue, force_deletion=False, callback=None)
     get_all_queues (prefix=u", callback=None)
     get_dead_letter_source_queues (queue, callback=None)
     get_queue (queue_name, callback=None)
     get_queue_attributes (queue, attribute=u'All', callback=None)
     get_queue_url (queue)
     lookup (queue_name, callback=None)
     receive_message(queue, number_messages=1,
                                                     visibility_timeout=None,
                                                                             attributes=None,
                        wait_time_seconds=None, callback=None)
     \verb"remove_permission" (queue, label, callback=None)
     send_message (queue, message_content, delay_seconds=None, callback=None)
     send_message_batch (queue, messages, callback=None)
     set_queue_attribute (queue, attribute, value, callback=None)
4.28 SQS Messages - kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.message
Amazon SQS message implementation.
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.message.AsyncMessage(body=None,
                                                                                     deliv-
                                                                 ery_tag=None,
                                                                                      con-
                                                                 tent_type=None,
                                                                                      con-
                                                                 tent_encoding=None,
                                                                                    proper-
                                                                 delivery\_info={},
                                                                 ties=None, headers=None,
                                                                 postencode=None,
                                                                 cept=None, channel=None,
                                                                  **kwargs)
     Serialized message.
     encode (value)
```

Encode/decode the value using Base64 encoding.

```
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.message.AsyncRawMessage(body=None,
                                                                                       deliv-
                                                                       ery_tag=None,
                                                                                        con-
                                                                       tent_type=None,
                                                                                        con-
                                                                       tent encoding=None,
                                                                       delivery_info={},
                                                                       properties=None,
                                                                       headers=None,
                                                                                        pos-
                                                                       tencode=None,
                                                                                          ac-
                                                                       cept=None,
                                                                                       chan-
                                                                       nel=None, **kwargs)
```

Raw Message.

```
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.message.BaseAsyncMessage(body=None,
                                                                                       deliv-
                                                                        ery_tag=None,
                                                                                        con-
                                                                        tent type=None,
                                                                                        con-
                                                                        tent_encoding=None,
                                                                        delivery_info={},
                                                                        properties=None,
                                                                        headers=None.
                                                                                        pos-
                                                                        tencode=None,
                                                                                         ac-
                                                                        cept=None,
                                                                                       chan-
                                                                        nel=None, **kwargs)
```

Base class for messages received on async client.

4.29 SQS Queues - kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.queue

Amazon SQS queue implementation.

```
url=None,
class kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.queue.AsyncQueue(connection=None,
                                                              message\_class = < class
                                                               'kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.message.AsyncMessage'>)
     Async SQS Queue.
     add_permission (label, aws_account_id, action_name, callback=None)
     change_message_visibility_batch (messages, callback=None)
     clear (*args, **kwargs)
     count (page size=10, vtimeout=10, callback=None, attr=u'ApproximateNumberOfMessages')
     count_slow(*args, **kwargs)
     delete(callback=None)
     delete_message (message, callback=None)
     delete_message_batch (messages, callback=None)
     dump (*args, **kwargs)
     get_attributes (attributes=u'All', callback=None)
     get_messages (num_messages=1,
                                                                               attributes=None,
                                               visibility timeout=None,
                     wait time seconds=None, callback=None)
     get_timeout (callback=None, _attr=u'VisibilityTimeout')
     load(*args, **kwargs)
     load_from_file(*args, **kwargs)
     load_from_filename(*args, **kwargs)
     load from s3(*args, **kwargs)
     read (visibility_timeout=None, wait_time_seconds=None, callback=None)
     remove_permission(label, callback=None)
     save (*args, **kwargs)
     save_to_file (*args, **kwargs)
     save_to_filename (*args, **kwargs)
```

```
save_to_s3 (*args, **kwargs)
set_attribute (attribute, value, callback=None)
set_timeout (visibility_timeout, callback=None)
write (message, delay_seconds=None, callback=None)
write_batch (messages, callback=None)
kombu.asynchronous.aws.sqs.queue.list_first (rs)
Get the first item in a list, or None if list empty.
```

4.30 Built-in Transports - kombu.transport

Built-in transports.

- Data
- Functions

4.30.1 Data

```
kombu.transport.DEFAULT_TRANSPORT
Default transport used when no transport specified.
kombu.transport.TRANSPORT_ALIASES
Mapping of transport aliases/class names.
```

4.30.2 Functions

```
kombu.transport.get_transport_cls (transport=None) Get transport class by name.
```

The transport string is the full path to a transport class, e.g.:

```
"kombu.transport.pyamqp:Transport"
```

If the name does not include "." (is not fully qualified), the alias table will be consulted.

```
kombu.transport.resolve_transport(transport=None)

Get transport by name.
```

Parameters transport (Union[str, type]) – This can be either an actual transport class, or the fully qualified path to a transport class, or the alias of a transport.

4.31 Pure-python AMQP Transport - kombu.transport.pyamqp

Pure-Python ampp transport.

- Transport
- Connection
- Channel
- Message

4.31.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.pyamqp.Transport(client, default_port=None, default_ssl_port=None,
                                               **kwargs)
     AMQP Transport.
     class Connection (host=u'localhost:5672',
                                                 userid=u'guest',
                                                                   password=u'guest',
                         gin method=None,
                                             login response=None,
                                                                    authentication=(),
                                                                                        vir-
                         tual host=u'/',
                                        locale=u'en_US', client_properties=None,
                                                                                 ssl=False,
                                               channel_max=None, frame_max=None, heart-
                         connect_timeout=None,
                         beat=0,
                                                     on_blocked=None,
                                                                         on_unblocked=None,
                                    on_open=None,
                         confirm_publish=False,
                                                   on tune ok=None,
                                                                         read timeout=None,
                         write timeout=None,
                                               socket settings=None,
                                                                     frame handler=<function
                         frame_handler>, frame_writer=<function frame_writer>, **kwargs)
         AMOP Connection.
         class Channel (connection, channel_id=None, auto_decode=True, on_open=None)
             AMOP Channel.
             class Message (msg, channel=None, **kwargs)
                AMQP Message.
             message_to_python(raw_message)
                Convert encoded message body back to a Python value.
             prepare_message(body, priority=None, content_type=None, content_encoding=None,
                                headers=None,
                                                     properties=None,
                                                                             _Message=<class
                                 'amap.basic message.Message'>)
                Prepare message so that it can be sent using this transport.
             prepare_queue_arguments (arguments, **kwargs)
     channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>,)
     close connection (connection)
         Close the AMQP broker connection.
     connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, <class 'socket.error'>
     create_channel (connection)
     default_connection_params
     default_port = 5672
     default_ssl_port = 5671
     drain_events (connection, **kwargs)
     driver_name = u'py-amqp'
     driver_type = u'amqp'
     driver_version()
```

```
establish connection()
         Establish connection to the AMQP broker.
     get_heartbeat_interval(connection)
     get_manager (*args, **kwargs)
     heartbeat check (connection, rate=2)
     implements = {'asynchronous': True, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'topic', u'headers'
     qos_semantics_matches_spec (connection)
     recoverable_channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.RecoverableChannelError'>,)
     recoverable_connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.RecoverableConnectionError'>,
     register_with_event_loop(connection, loop)
     verify_connection (connection)
4.31.2 Connection
class kombu.transport.pyamqp.Connection (host=u'localhost:5672',
                                                                            userid=u'guest',
                                                                        login_method=None,
                                                password=u'guest',
                                                login_response=None,
                                                                          authentication=(),
                                                virtual_host=u'/',
                                                                           locale=u'en US',
                                                                         ssl=False,
                                                client_properties=None,
                                                                                      con-
                                                nect timeout=None,
                                                                        channel max=None,
                                                frame_max=None, heartbeat=0, on_open=None,
                                                on_blocked=None,
                                                                        on_unblocked=None,
                                                confirm_publish=False,
                                                                          on_tune_ok=None,
                                                read_timeout=None,
                                                                        write_timeout=None,
                                                socket_settings=None, frame_handler=<function
                                                frame_handler>,
                                                                     frame_writer=<function
                                                frame_writer>, **kwargs)
     AMOP Connection.
     class Channel (connection, channel_id=None, auto_decode=True, on_open=None)
         AMQP Channel.
         Consumer (*args, **kwargs)
         class Message (msg, channel=None, **kwargs)
             AMQP Message.
             exception MessageStateError
                The message has already been acknowledged.
                args
                message
             accept
             ack (multiple=False)
                Acknowledge this message as being processed.
                This will remove the message from the queue.
                  Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
                    edged/requeued/rejected.
             ack_log_error (logger, errors, multiple=False)
```

acknowledged

Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.

body

channel

content encoding

content_type

decode()

Deserialize the message body.

Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.

Note: The return value is memoized, use *_decode* to force re-evaluation.

```
delivery_info
```

delivery_tag

errors = None

headers

payload

The decoded message body.

properties

reject (requeue=False)

Reject this message.

The message will be discarded by the server.

Raises *MessageStateError* – If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

reject_log_error (logger, errors, requeue=False)

requeue()

Reject this message and put it back on the queue.

Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

Producer(*args, **kwargs)

after_reply_message_received(queue)

Callback called after RPC reply received.

Notes

Reply queue semantics: can be used to delete the queue after transient reply message received.

basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False, argsig=u'Lb')

Acknowledge one or more messages.

This method acknowledges one or more messages delivered via the Deliver or Get-Ok methods. The client can ask to confirm a single message or a set of messages up to and including a specific message.

Parameters

• delivery_tag - longlong

server-assigned delivery tag

The server-assigned and channel-specific delivery tag

RULE:

The delivery tag is valid only within the channel from which the message was received. I.e. a client MUST NOT receive a message on one channel and then acknowledge it on another.

RULE:

The server MUST NOT use a zero value for delivery tags. Zero is reserved for client use, meaning "all messages so far received".

• multiple - boolean

acknowledge multiple messages

If set to True, the delivery tag is treated as "up to and including", so that the client can acknowledge multiple messages with a single method. If set to False, the delivery tag refers to a single message. If the multiple field is True, and the delivery tag is zero, tells the server to acknowledge all outstanding messages.

RULE:

The server MUST validate that a non-zero delivery- tag refers to an delivered message, and raise a channel exception if this is not the case.

basic_cancel (consumer_tag, nowait=False, argsig=u'sb')

End a queue consumer.

This method cancels a consumer. This does not affect already delivered messages, but it does mean the server will not send any more messages for that consumer. The client may receive an abitrary number of messages in between sending the cancel method and receiving the cancel-ok reply.

RULE:

If the queue no longer exists when the client sends a cancel command, or the consumer has been cancelled for other reasons, this command has no effect.

Parameters

consumer_tag - shortstr

consumer tag

Identifier for the consumer, valid within the current connection.

RULE:

The consumer tag is valid only within the channel from which the consumer was created. I.e. a client MUST NOT create a consumer in one channel and then use it in another.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

basic_consume (queue=u", consumer_tag=u", no_local=False, no_ack=False, exclusive=False, nowait=False, callback=None, arguments=None, on_cancel=None, argsig=u'BssbbbbF')

Start a queue consumer.

This method asks the server to start a "consumer", which is a transient request for messages from a specific queue. Consumers last as long as the channel they were created on, or until the client cancels them.

RULE:

The server SHOULD support at least 16 consumers per queue, unless the queue was declared as private, and ideally, impose no limit except as defined by available resources.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to consume from. If the queue name is null, refers to the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

RULE:

If the client did not previously declare a queue, and the queue name in this method is empty, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

• consumer_tag - shortstr

Specifies the identifier for the consumer. The consumer tag is local to a connection, so two clients can use the same consumer tags. If this field is empty the server will generate a unique tag.

RULE:

The tag MUST NOT refer to an existing consumer. If the client attempts to create two consumers with the same non-empty tag the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

• no_local - boolean

do not deliver own messages

If the no-local field is set the server will not send messages to the client that published them.

• no_ack - boolean

no acknowledgment needed

If this field is set the server does not expect acknowledgments for messages. That is, when a message is delivered to the client the server automatically and silently acknowledges it on behalf of the client. This functionality increases performance but at the cost of reliability. Messages can get lost if a client dies before it can deliver them to the application.

• exclusive - boolean

request exclusive access

Request exclusive consumer access, meaning only this consumer can access the queue.

RULE:

If the server cannot grant exclusive access to the queue when asked, - because there are other consumers active - it MUST raise a channel exception with return code 403 (access refused).

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

• callback - Python callable

function/method called with each delivered message

For each message delivered by the broker, the callable will be called with a Message object as the single argument. If no callable is specified, messages are quietly discarded, no_ack should probably be set to True in that case.

basic_get (queue=u", no_ack=False, argsig=u'Bsb')

Direct access to a queue.

This method provides a direct access to the messages in a queue using a synchronous dialogue that is designed for specific types of application where synchronous functionality is more important than performance.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to consume from. If the queue name is null, refers to the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

RULE:

If the client did not previously declare a queue, and the queue name in this method is empty, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

• no_ack - boolean

no acknowledgment needed

If this field is set the server does not expect acknowledgments for messages. That is, when a message is delivered to the client the server automatically and silently acknowledges it on behalf of the client. This functionality increases performance but at the cost of reliability. Messages can get lost if a client dies before it can deliver them to the application.

Non-blocking, returns a message object, or None.

Publish a message.

This method publishes a message to a specific exchange. The message will be routed to queues as defined by the exchange configuration and distributed to any active consumers when the transaction, if any, is committed.

Parameters

• exchange - shortstr

Specifies the name of the exchange to publish to. The exchange name can be empty, meaning the default exchange. If the exchange name is specified, and that exchange does not exist, the server will raise a channel exception.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

RULE:

The exchange MAY refuse basic content in which case it MUST raise a channel exception with reply code 540 (not implemented).

• routing_key - shortstr

Message routing key

Specifies the routing key for the message. The routing key is used for routing messages depending on the exchange configuration.

• mandatory - boolean

indicate mandatory routing

This flag tells the server how to react if the message cannot be routed to a queue. If this flag is True, the server will return an unroutable message with a Return method. If this flag is False, the server silently drops the message.

RULE:

The server SHOULD implement the mandatory flag.

• immediate - boolean

request immediate delivery

This flag tells the server how to react if the message cannot be routed to a queue consumer immediately. If this flag is set, the server will return an undeliverable message with a Return method. If this flag is zero, the server will queue the message, but with no guarantee that it will ever be consumed.

RULE:

The server SHOULD implement the immediate flag.

basic publish confirm(*args, **kwargs)

basic_qos (*prefetch_size*, *prefetch_count*, *a_global*, *argsig=u'lBb'*) Specify quality of service.

This method requests a specific quality of service. The QoS can be specified for the current channel or for all channels on the connection. The particular properties and semantics of a qos method always depend on the content class semantics. Though the qos method could in principle apply to both peers, it is currently meaningful only for the server.

Parameters

• prefetch_size - long

prefetch window in octets

The client can request that messages be sent in advance so that when the client finishes processing a message, the following message is already held locally, rather than needing to be sent down the channel. Prefetching gives a performance improvement. This field specifies the prefetch window size in octets. The server will send a message in advance if it is equal to or smaller in size than the available prefetch size

(and also falls into other prefetch limits). May be set to zero, meaning "no specific limit", although other prefetch limits may still apply. The prefetch-size is ignored if the no-ack option is set.

RULE:

The server MUST ignore this setting when the client is not processing any messages - i.e. the prefetch size does not limit the transfer of single messages to a client, only the sending in advance of more messages while the client still has one or more unacknowledged messages.

• prefetch_count - short

prefetch window in messages

Specifies a prefetch window in terms of whole messages. This field may be used in combination with the prefetch-size field; a message will only be sent in advance if both prefetch windows (and those at the channel and connection level) allow it. The prefetch- count is ignored if the no-ack option is set.

RULE:

The server MAY send less data in advance than allowed by the client's specified prefetch windows but it MUST NOT send more.

• a_global - boolean

apply to entire connection

By default the QoS settings apply to the current channel only. If this field is set, they are applied to the entire connection.

basic_recover (requeue=False)

Redeliver unacknowledged messages.

This method asks the broker to redeliver all unacknowledged messages on a specified channel. Zero or more messages may be redelivered. This method is only allowed on non-transacted channels.

RULE:

The server MUST set the redelivered flag on all messages that are resent.

RULE:

The server MUST raise a channel exception if this is called on a transacted channel.

Parameters requeue - boolean

requeue the message

If this field is False, the message will be redelivered to the original recipient. If this field is True, the server will attempt to requeue the message, potentially then delivering it to an alternative subscriber.

basic_recover_async (requeue=False)

```
basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue, argsig=u'Lb')
```

Reject an incoming message.

This method allows a client to reject a message. It can be used to interrupt and cancel large incoming messages, or return untreatable messages to their original queue.

RULE:

The server SHOULD be capable of accepting and process the Reject method while sending message content with a Deliver or Get-Ok method. I.e. the server should read and process incoming methods while sending output frames. To cancel a partially-send content, the server sends a content body frame of size 1 (i.e. with no data except the frame-end octet).

RULE:

The server SHOULD interpret this method as meaning that the client is unable to process the message at this time.

RULE:

A client MUST NOT use this method as a means of selecting messages to process. A rejected message MAY be discarded or dead-lettered, not necessarily passed to another client.

Parameters

• delivery_tag - longlong

server-assigned delivery tag

The server-assigned and channel-specific delivery tag

RULE:

The delivery tag is valid only within the channel from which the message was received. I.e. a client MUST NOT receive a message on one channel and then acknowledge it on another.

RULE:

The server MUST NOT use a zero value for delivery tags. Zero is reserved for client use, meaning "all messages so far received".

• requeue - boolean

requeue the message

If this field is False, the message will be discarded. If this field is True, the server will attempt to requeue the message.

RULE:

The server MUST NOT deliver the message to the same client within the context of the current channel. The recommended strategy is to attempt to deliver the message to an alternative consumer, and if that is not possible, to move the message to a dead-letter queue. The server MAY use more sophisticated tracking to hold the message on the queue and redeliver it to the same client at a later stage.

close (reply_code=0, reply_text=u", method_sig=(0, 0), argsig=u'BsBB')
Request a channel close.

This method indicates that the sender wants to close the channel. This may be due to internal conditions (e.g. a forced shut-down) or due to an error handling a specific method, i.e. an exception. When a close is due to an exception, the sender provides the class and method id of the method which caused the exception.

RULE:

After sending this method any received method except Channel.Close-OK MUST be discarded.

RULE:

The peer sending this method MAY use a counter or timeout to detect failure of the other peer to respond correctly with Channel.Close-OK..

Parameters

• reply_code - short

The reply code. The AMQ reply codes are defined in AMQ RFC 011.

• reply_text - shortstr

The localised reply text. This text can be logged as an aid to resolving issues.

• class_id - short

failing method class

When the close is provoked by a method exception, this is the class of the method.

• method_id - short

failing method ID

When the close is provoked by a method exception, this is the ID of the method.

collect()

Tear down this object.

Best called after we've agreed to close with the server.

confirm_select (nowait=False)

Enable publisher confirms for this channel.

Note: This is an RabbitMQ extension.

Can now be used if the channel is in transactional mode.

Parameters nowait – If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

dispatch_method(method_sig, payload, content)

exchange_bind (destination, source=u", routing_key=u", nowait=False, arguments=None, argsig=u'BsssbF')

Bind an exchange to an exchange.

RULE:

A server MUST allow and ignore duplicate bindings - that is, two or more bind methods for a specific exchanges, with identical arguments - without treating these as an error.

RULE:

A server MUST allow cycles of exchange bindings to be created including allowing an exchange to be bound to itself.

RULE:

A server MUST not deliver the same message more than once to a destination exchange, even if the topology of exchanges and bindings results in multiple (even infinite) routes to that exchange.

Parameters

- reserved-1 short
- destination shortstr

Specifies the name of the destination exchange to bind.

RULE:

A client MUST NOT be allowed to bind a non-existent destination exchange.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

• source - shortstr

Specifies the name of the source exchange to bind.

RULE:

A client MUST NOT be allowed to bind a non-existent source exchange.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

• routing-key - shortstr

Specifies the routing key for the binding. The routing key is used for routing messages depending on the exchange configuration. Not all exchanges use a routing key - refer to the specific exchange documentation.

- no-wait bit
- arguments table

A set of arguments for the binding. The syntax and semantics of these arguments depends on the exchange class.

exchange_declare (exchange, type, passive=False, durable=False, auto_delete=True, nowait=False, arguments=None, argsig=u'BssbbbbbF')

Declare exchange, create if needed.

This method creates an exchange if it does not already exist, and if the exchange exists, verifies that it is of the correct and expected class.

RULE:

The server SHOULD support a minimum of 16 exchanges per virtual host and ideally, impose no limit except as defined by available resources.

Parameters

• exchange - shortstr

RULE:

Exchange names starting with "amq." are reserved for predeclared and standardised exchanges. If the client attempts to create an exchange starting with "amq.", the server MUST raise a channel exception with reply code 403 (access refused).

• type - shortstr

exchange type

Each exchange belongs to one of a set of exchange types implemented by the server. The exchange types define the functionality of the exchange - i.e. how messages are routed through it. It is not valid or meaningful to attempt to change the type of an existing exchange.

RULE:

If the exchange already exists with a different type, the server MUST raise a connection exception with a reply code 507 (not allowed).

RULE:

If the server does not support the requested exchange type it MUST raise a connection exception with a reply code 503 (command invalid).

• passive - boolean

do not create exchange

If set, the server will not create the exchange. The client can use this to check whether an exchange exists without modifying the server state.

RULE:

If set, and the exchange does not already exist, the server MUST raise a channel exception with reply code 404 (not found).

• durable - boolean

request a durable exchange

If set when creating a new exchange, the exchange will be marked as durable. Durable exchanges remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable exchanges (transient exchanges) are purged if/when a server restarts.

RULE:

The server MUST support both durable and transient exchanges.

RULE:

The server MUST ignore the durable field if the exchange already exists.

• auto_delete - boolean

auto-delete when unused

If set, the exchange is deleted when all queues have finished using it.

RULE:

The server SHOULD allow for a reasonable delay between the point when it determines that an exchange is not being used (or no longer used), and the point when it deletes the exchange. At the least it must allow a client to create an exchange and then bind a queue to it, with a small but non-zero delay between these two actions.

RULE:

The server MUST ignore the auto-delete field if the exchange already exists.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

• arguments - table

arguments for declaration

A set of arguments for the declaration. The syntax and semantics of these arguments depends on the server implementation. This field is ignored if passive is True.

 $\verb|exchange_delete| (exchange, if_unused = False, nowait = False, argsig = u'Bsbb')|$

Delete an exchange.

This method deletes an exchange. When an exchange is deleted all queue bindings on the exchange are cancelled.

Parameters

• exchange - shortstr

RULE:

The exchange MUST exist. Attempting to delete a non-existing exchange causes a channel exception.

• if_unused - boolean

delete only if unused

If set, the server will only delete the exchange if it has no queue bindings. If the exchange has queue bindings the server does not delete it but raises a channel exception instead.

RULE:

If set, the server SHOULD delete the exchange but only if it has no queue bindings.

RULE:

If set, the server SHOULD raise a channel exception if the exchange is in use.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

exchange_unbind (destination, source=u", routing_key=u", nowait=False, arguments=None, argsig=u'BsssbF')

Unbind an exchange from an exchange.

RULE:

If a unbind fails, the server MUST raise a connection exception.

Parameters

- reserved-1 short
- destination shortstr

Specifies the name of the destination exchange to unbind.

RULE:

The client MUST NOT attempt to unbind an exchange that does not exist from an exchange.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

• source - shortstr

Specifies the name of the source exchange to unbind.

RULE:

The client MUST NOT attempt to unbind an exchange from an exchange that does not exist.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

• routing-key - shortstr

Specifies the routing key of the binding to unbind.

- no-wait bit
- arguments table

Specifies the arguments of the binding to unbind.

flow (active)

Enable/disable flow from peer.

This method asks the peer to pause or restart the flow of content data. This is a simple flow-control mechanism that a peer can use to avoid oveflowing its queues or otherwise finding itself receiving more messages than it can process. Note that this method is not intended for window control. The peer that receives a request to stop sending content should finish sending the current content, if any, and then wait until it receives a Flow restart method.

RULE:

When a new channel is opened, it is active. Some applications assume that channels are inactive until started. To emulate this behaviour a client MAY open the channel, then pause it

RULE:

When sending content data in multiple frames, a peer SHOULD monitor the channel for incoming methods and respond to a Channel.Flow as rapidly as possible.

RULE:

A peer MAY use the Channel.Flow method to throttle incoming content data for internal reasons, for example, when exchangeing data over a slower connection.

RULE:

The peer that requests a Channel.Flow method MAY disconnect and/or ban a peer that does not respect the request.

Parameters active - boolean

start/stop content frames

If True, the peer starts sending content frames. If False, the peer stops sending content frames

get_bindings()

message_to_python(raw_message)

Convert encoded message body back to a Python value.

no ack consumers = None

open()

Open a channel for use.

This method opens a virtual connection (a channel).

RULE:

This method MUST NOT be called when the channel is already open.

Parameters out_of_band - shortstr (DEPRECATED)

out-of-band settings

Configures out-of-band transfers on this channel. The syntax and meaning of this field will be formally defined at a later date.

```
prepare_message (body, priority=None, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, headers=None, properties=None, __message=<class 'amap.basic_message.Message'>)
```

Prepare message so that it can be sent using this transport.

```
prepare_queue_arguments (arguments, **kwargs)
```

Bind queue to an exchange.

This method binds a queue to an exchange. Until a queue is bound it will not receive any messages. In a classic messaging model, store-and-forward queues are bound to a dest exchange and subscription queues are bound to a dest_wild exchange.

RULE:

A server MUST allow ignore duplicate bindings - that is, two or more bind methods for a specific queue, with identical arguments - without treating these as an error.

RULE:

If a bind fails, the server MUST raise a connection exception.

RULE:

The server MUST NOT allow a durable queue to bind to a transient exchange. If the client attempts this the server MUST raise a channel exception.

RULE:

Bindings for durable queues are automatically durable and the server SHOULD restore such bindings after a server restart.

RULE:

The server SHOULD support at least 4 bindings per queue, and ideally, impose no limit except as defined by available resources.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to bind. If the queue name is empty, refers to the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

RULE:

If the client did not previously declare a queue, and the queue name in this method is empty, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

RULE:

If the queue does not exist the server MUST raise a channel exception with reply code 404 (not found).

exchange – shortstr

The name of the exchange to bind to.

RULE:

If the exchange does not exist the server MUST raise a channel exception with reply code 404 (not found).

• routing_key - shortstr

message routing key

Specifies the routing key for the binding. The routing key is used for routing messages depending on the exchange configuration. Not all exchanges use a routing key - refer to the specific exchange documentation. If the routing key is empty and the queue name is empty, the routing key will be the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

• arguments - table

arguments for binding

A set of arguments for the binding. The syntax and semantics of these arguments depends on the exchange class.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \bf queue=u", passive=False, durable=False, exclusive=False, auto_delete=True,\\ now ait=False, arguments=None, arg sig=u'BsbbbbbF') \end{tabular}$

Declare queue, create if needed.

This method creates or checks a queue. When creating a new queue the client can specify various properties that control the durability of the queue and its contents, and the level of sharing for the queue.

RULE:

The server MUST create a default binding for a newly- created queue to the default exchange, which is an exchange of type 'direct'.

RULE:

The server SHOULD support a minimum of 256 queues per virtual host and ideally, impose no limit except as defined by available resources.

Parameters

• queue - shortstr

RULE:

The queue name MAY be empty, in which case the server MUST create a new queue with a unique generated name and return this to the client in the Declare-Ok method.

RULE:

Queue names starting with "amq." are reserved for predeclared and standardised server queues. If the queue name starts with "amq." and the passive option is False, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 403 (access refused).

• passive - boolean

do not create queue

If set, the server will not create the queue. The client can use this to check whether a queue exists without modifying the server state.

RULE:

If set, and the queue does not already exist, the server MUST respond with a reply code 404 (not found) and raise a channel exception.

• durable - boolean

request a durable queue

If set when creating a new queue, the queue will be marked as durable. Durable queues remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable queues (transient queues) are purged if/when a server restarts. Note that durable queues do not necessarily hold persistent messages, although it does not make sense to send persistent messages to a transient queue.

RULE:

The server MUST recreate the durable queue after a restart.

RULE:

The server MUST support both durable and transient queues.

RULE:

The server MUST ignore the durable field if the queue already exists.

• exclusive - boolean

request an exclusive queue

Exclusive queues may only be consumed from by the current connection. Setting the 'exclusive' flag always implies 'auto-delete'.

RULE:

The server MUST support both exclusive (private) and non-exclusive (shared) queues.

RULE:

The server MUST raise a channel exception if 'exclusive' is specified and the queue already exists and is owned by a different connection.

• auto_delete - boolean

auto-delete queue when unused

If set, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it. Last consumer can be cancelled either explicitly or because its channel is closed. If there was no consumer ever on the queue, it won't be deleted.

RULE:

The server SHOULD allow for a reasonable delay between the point when it determines that a queue is not being used (or no longer used), and the point when it deletes the queue. At the least it must allow a client to create a queue and then create a consumer to read from it, with a small but non-zero delay between these two actions. The server should equally allow for clients that may be disconnected prematurely, and wish to re- consume from the same queue without losing messages. We would recommend a configurable timeout, with a suitable default value being one minute.

RULE:

The server MUST ignore the auto-delete field if the queue already exists.

nowait – boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

arguments – table

arguments for declaration

A set of arguments for the declaration. The syntax and semantics of these arguments depends on the server implementation. This field is ignored if passive is True.

Returns a tuple containing 3 items: the name of the queue (essential for automatically-named queues) message count consumer count

queue_delete (queue=u", if_unused=False, if_empty=False, nowait=False, argsig=u'Bsbbb')

Delete a queue.

This method deletes a queue. When a queue is deleted any pending messages are sent to a dead-letter queue if this is defined in the server configuration, and all consumers on the queue are cancelled.

RULE:

The server SHOULD use a dead-letter queue to hold messages that were pending on a deleted queue, and MAY provide facilities for a system administrator to move these messages back to an active queue.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to delete. If the queue name is empty, refers to the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

RULE:

If the client did not previously declare a queue, and the queue name in this method is empty, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

RULE:

The queue must exist. Attempting to delete a non- existing queue causes a channel exception.

• if_unused - boolean

delete only if unused

If set, the server will only delete the queue if it has no consumers. If the queue has consumers the server does does not delete it but raises a channel exception instead.

RULE:

The server MUST respect the if-unused flag when deleting a queue.

• if_empty - boolean

delete only if empty

If set, the server will only delete the queue if it has no messages. If the queue is not empty the server raises a channel exception.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

queue_purge (queue=u", nowait=False, argsig=u'Bsb')

Purge a queue.

This method removes all messages from a queue. It does not cancel consumers. Purged messages are deleted without any formal "undo" mechanism.

RULE:

A call to purge MUST result in an empty queue.

RULE:

On transacted channels the server MUST not purge messages that have already been sent to a client but not yet acknowledged.

RULE:

The server MAY implement a purge queue or log that allows system administrators to recover accidentally-purged messages. The server SHOULD NOT keep purged messages in the same storage spaces as the live messages since the volumes of purged messages may get very large.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to purge. If the queue name is empty, refers to the current queue for the channel, which is the last declared queue.

RULE:

If the client did not previously declare a queue, and the queue name in this method is empty, the server MUST raise a connection exception with reply code 530 (not allowed).

RULE:

The queue must exist. Attempting to purge a non- existing queue causes a channel exception.

• nowait - boolean

do not send a reply method

If set, the server will not respond to the method. The client should not wait for a reply method. If the server could not complete the method it will raise a channel or connection exception.

if nowait is False, returns a message_count

```
queue_unbind (queue, exchange, routing_key=u", nowait=False, arguments=None, argsig=u'BsssF')
```

Unbind a queue from an exchange.

This method unbinds a queue from an exchange.

RULE:

If a unbind fails, the server MUST raise a connection exception.

Parameters

• queue – shortstr

Specifies the name of the queue to unbind.

RULE:

The client MUST either specify a queue name or have previously declared a queue on the same channel

RULE:

The client MUST NOT attempt to unbind a queue that does not exist.

• exchange - shortstr

The name of the exchange to unbind from.

RULE:

The client MUST NOT attempt to unbind a queue from an exchange that does not exist.

RULE:

The server MUST accept a blank exchange name to mean the default exchange.

• routing_key - shortstr

routing key of binding

Specifies the routing key of the binding to unbind.

• arguments - table

arguments of binding

Specifies the arguments of the binding to unbind.

```
send_method(sig, format=None, args=None, content=None, wait=None, callback=None, re-
turns_tuple=False)
```

then (on_success, on_error=None)

tx_commit()

Commit the current transaction.

This method commits all messages published and acknowledged in the current transaction. A new transaction starts immediately after a commit.

tx_rollback()

Abandon the current transaction.

This method abandons all messages published and acknowledged in the current transaction. A new transaction starts immediately after a rollback.

tx_select()

Select standard transaction mode.

This method sets the channel to use standard transactions. The client must use this method at least once on a channel before using the Commit or Rollback methods.

wait (method, callback=None, timeout=None, returns_tuple=False)

```
Transport (host, connect_timeout, ssl=False, read_timeout=None, write_timeout=None, socket settings=None, **kwargs)
```

blocking_read(timeout=None)

bytes recv = 0

bytes sent = 0

channel (channel_id=None, callback=None)

Create new channel.

Fetch a Channel object identified by the numeric channel_id, or create that object if it doesn't already exist.

```
channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>,)
```

client_heartbeat = None

close(reply_code=0, reply_text=u", method_sig=(0, 0), argsig=u'BsBB')

Request a connection close.

This method indicates that the sender wants to close the connection. This may be due to internal conditions (e.g. a forced shut-down) or due to an error handling a specific method, i.e. an exception. When a close is due to an exception, the sender provides the class and method id of the method which caused the exception.

RULE:

After sending this method any received method except the Close-OK method MUST be discarded.

RULE:

The peer sending this method MAY use a counter or timeout to detect failure of the other peer to respond correctly with the Close-OK method.

RULE:

When a server receives the Close method from a client it MUST delete all server-side resources associated with the client's context. A client CANNOT reconnect to a context after sending or receiving a Close method.

Parameters

• reply_code - short

The reply code. The AMQ reply codes are defined in AMQ RFC 011.

• reply_text - shortstr

The localised reply text. This text can be logged as an aid to resolving issues.

• class id - short

failing method class

When the close is provoked by a method exception, this is the class of the method.

• method_id - short

failing method ID

When the close is provoked by a method exception, this is the ID of the method.

```
collect()
connect(callback=None)
connected
```

connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, <class 'socket.error'>
dispatch_method(method_sig, payload, content)

drain_events(timeout=None)

frame writer

heartbeat = None

heartbeat_tick(rate=2)

Send heartbeat packets if necessary.

Raises ConnectionForvced - if none have been received recently.

Note: This should be called frequently, on the order of once per second.

Keyword Arguments rate (int) – Previously used, but ignored now.

```
is_alive()
last_heartbeat_received = 0
```

```
last heartbeat sent = 0
    library_properties = {u'product': u'py-amqp', u'product_version': u'2.3.2'}
    negotiate_capabilities = {u'authentication_failure_close': True, u'connection.blocked
    on_inbound_frame
    on inbound method (channel id, method sig, payload, content)
    prev_recv = None
    prev_sent = None
    recoverable_channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.RecoverableChannelError'>,)
    recoverable_connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.RecoverableConnectionError'>,
    send heartbeat()
    send_method(sig, format=None, args=None, content=None, wait=None, callback=None, re-
                  turns_tuple=False)
    server_capabilities
    server_heartbeat = None
    sock
    then (on_success, on_error=None)
    transport
    wait (method, callback=None, timeout=None, returns_tuple=False)
4.31.3 Channel
class kombu.transport.pyamqp.Channel(connection, channel_id=None, auto_decode=True,
                                          on_open=None)
    AMQP Channel.
    class Message(msg, channel=None, **kwargs)
         AMQP Message.
    message_to_python (raw_message)
         Convert encoded message body back to a Python value.
    prepare_message (body,
                              priority=None,
                                              content_type=None,
                                                                 content_encoding=None,
                       headers=None,
                                              properties=None,
                                                                       _Message=<class
                       'amap.basic message.Message'>)
         Prepare message so that it can be sent using this transport.
    prepare_queue_arguments (arguments, **kwargs)
4.31.4 Message
class kombu.transport.pyamqp.Message(msg, channel=None, **kwargs)
    AMQP Message.
```

4.32 librabbitmq AMQP transport - kombu.transport.

librabbitmq transport.

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4.32.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.librabbitmq.Transport (client, **kwargs)
     AMQP Transport (librabbitmq).
     class Connection(host='localhost',
                                          userid='guest',
                                                         password='guest',
                                                                            virtual_host='/',
                         port=5672,
                                     channel\_max=65535,
                                                          frame_max=131072,
                                                                               heartbeat=0,
                         lazy=False, **kwargs)
          AMQP Connection (librabbitmq).
          class Channel (connection, channel_id)
              AMQP Channel (librabbitmq).
              class Message (channel, props, info, body)
                  AMQP Message (librabbitmq).
              prepare_message (body, priority=None, content_type=None, content_encoding=None,
                                 headers=None, properties=None)
                  Encapsulate data into a AMQP message.
              prepare_queue_arguments (arguments, **kwargs)
          class Message (channel, props, info, body)
              AMQP Message (librabbitmq).
     channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>, <class '_librabbitmq.Channel</pre>
     close_connection (connection)
          Close the AMOP broker connection.
     connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, <class '_librabbitmq.C</pre>
     create_channel (connection)
     default_connection_params
     default port = 5672
     default_ssl_port = 5671
     drain_events (connection, **kwargs)
     driver_name = u'librabbitmq'
     driver_type = u'amqp'
```

driver_version()

```
Establish connection to the AMQP broker.
     get_manager (*args, **kwargs)
     implements = {'asynchronous': True, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'topic', u'headers'
     gos semantics matches spec (connection)
     register_with_event_loop(connection, loop)
     verify_connection(connection)
4.32.2 Connection
class kombu.transport.librabbitmq.Connection (host='localhost', userid='guest', pass-
                                                        word='guest', virtual_host='/', port=5672,
                                                        channel_max=65535, frame_max=131072,
                                                        heartbeat=0, lazy=False, **kwargs)
     AMQP Connection (librabbitmq).
     class Channel (connection, channel_id)
          AMQP Channel (librabbitmq).
          Consumer (*args, **kwargs)
          class Message (channel, props, info, body)
              AMQP Message (librabbitmq).
              exception MessageStateError
                  The message has already been acknowledged.
                  args
                  message
              accept
              ack (multiple=False)
                  Acknowledge this message as being processed.
                  This will remove the message from the queue.
                      Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
                        edged/requeued/rejected.
              ack_log_error (logger, errors, multiple=False)
              acknowledged
                  Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.
              body
              channel
              content_encoding
              content_type
              decode()
                  Deserialize the message body.
                  Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.
```

establish connection()

Note: The return value is memoized, use <u>_decode</u> to force re-evaluation.

```
delivery_info
delivery_tag
errors = None
headers
payload
    The decoded message body.
properties
reject (requeue=False)
    Reject this message.
    The message will be discarded by the server.
       Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
         edged/requeued/rejected.
reject_log_error (logger, errors, requeue=False)
requeue()
    Reject this message and put it back on the queue.
     Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.
```

Raises MessageStateError – If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

Notes

close()

Reply queue semantics: can be used to delete the queue after transient reply message received.

```
basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)
basic_cancel (consumer_tag, **kwargs)
basic_consume (queue=", consumer_tag=None, no_local=False, no_ack=False, exclusive=False, callback=None, arguments=None, nowait=False)
basic_get (queue=", no_ack=False)
basic_publish (body, exchange=", routing_key=", mandatory=False, immediate=False, **properties)
basic_qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, _global=False)
basic_recover (requeue=True)
basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue=True)
```

```
exchange_declare (exchange=",
                                           type='direct',
                                                           passive=False,
                                                                             durable=False,
                           auto_delete=False, arguments=None, nowait=False)
          Declare exchange.
              Keyword Arguments auto delete – Not recommended and so it is ignored.
     exchange_delete (exchange=", if_unused=False, nowait=False)
     flow (active)
     get_bindings()
     is_open = False
     no_ack_consumers = None
     prepare_message (body, priority=None, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, head-
                          ers=None, properties=None)
          Encapsulate data into a AMQP message.
     prepare_queue_arguments (arguments, **kwargs)
     queue_bind (queue=", exchange=", routing_key=", arguments=None, nowait=False)
     queue_declare (queue=", passive=False, durable=False, exclusive=False, auto_delete=False,
                       arguments=None, nowait=False)
     queue_delete (queue=", if_unused=False, if_empty=False, nowait=False)
          nowait argument is not supported.
     queue_purge (queue, nowait=False)
     queue_unbind (queue=", exchange=", routing_key=", arguments=None, nowait=False)
class Message (channel, props, info, body)
     AMQP Message (librabbitmq).
     exception MessageStateError
          The message has already been acknowledged.
          args
          message
     accept
     ack (multiple=False)
          Acknowledge this message as being processed.
          This will remove the message from the queue.
              Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
                 edged/requeued/rejected.
     ack_log_error (logger, errors, multiple=False)
     acknowledged
          Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.
     body
     channel
     content_encoding
     content_type
```

decode()

Deserialize the message body.

Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.

Note: The return value is memoized, use <u>_decode</u> to force re-evaluation.

```
delivery_info
delivery_tag
errors = None
headers
payload
   The decoded message body.
properties
reject (requeue=False)
   Reject this message.
   The message will be discarded by the server.
        Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.
reject_log_error (logger, errors, requeue=False)
requeue()
   Reject this message and put it back on the queue.
```

Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.

```
callbacks
channel (channel_id=None)
channel_max
close()
connect()
    Establish connection to the broker.
connected
drain_events (timeout=None)
fileno()
    File descriptor number.
frame_max
heartbeat
```

hostname

```
password
port
reconnect()
server_properties
userid
virtual host
```

4.32.3 Channel

4.32.4 Message

class kombu.transport.librabbitmq.**Message** (*channel*, *props*, *info*, *body*)

AMQP Message (librabbitmq).

4.33 Apache QPid Transport - kombu.transport.qpid

Qpid Transport.

Qpid transport using qpid-python as the client and qpid-tools for broker management.

The use this transport you must install the necessary dependencies. These dependencies are available via PyPI and can be installed using the pip command:

```
$ pip install kombu[qpid]
```

or to install the requirements manually:

```
$ pip install qpid-tools qpid-python
```

Python 3 and PyPy Limitations

The Qpid transport does not support Python 3 or PyPy environments due to underlying dependencies not being compatible. This version is tested and works with With Python 2.7.

4.33.1 Authentication

This transport supports SASL authentication with the Qpid broker. Normally, SASL mechanisms are negotiated from a client list and a server list of possible mechanisms, but in practice, different SASL client libraries give different behaviors. These different behaviors cause the expected SASL mechanism to not be selected in many cases. As such, this transport restricts the mechanism types based on Kombu's configuration according to the following table.

Broker String	SASL Mechanism
qpid://hostname/	ANONYMOUS
qpid://username:password@hostname/	PLAIN
see instructions below	EXTERNAL

The user can override the above SASL selection behaviors and specify the SASL string using the <code>login_method</code> argument to the <code>Connection</code> object. The string can be a single SASL mechanism or a space separated list of SASL mechanisms. If you are using Celery with Kombu, this can be accomplished by setting the <code>BRO-KER LOGIN METHOD</code> Celery option.

Note: While using SSL, Qpid users may want to override the SASL mechanism to use *EXTERNAL*. In that case, Qpid requires a username to be presented that matches the *CN* of the SSL client certificate. Ensure that the broker string contains the corresponding username. For example, if the client certificate has *CN*=*asdf* and the client connects to *example.com* on port 5671, the broker string should be:

qpid://asdf@example.com:5671/

4.33.2 Transport Options

The transport_options argument to the <code>Connection</code> object are passed directly to the <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Connection</code> as keyword arguments. These options override and replace any other default or specified values. If using Celery, this can be accomplished by setting the <code>BROKER_TRANSPORT_OPTIONS</code> Celery option.

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Transport

class kombu.transport.qpid.Transport(*args, **kwargs)

Kombu native transport for a Qpid broker.

Provide a native transport for Kombu that allows consumers and producers to read and write messages to/from a broker. This Transport is capable of supporting both synchronous and asynchronous reading. All writes are synchronous through the <code>Channel</code> objects that support this Transport.

Asynchronous reads are done using a call to <code>drain_events()</code>, which synchronously reads messages that were fetched asynchronously, and then handles them through calls to the callback handlers maintained on the <code>Connection</code> object.

The Transport also provides methods to establish and close a connection to the broker. This Transport establishes a factory-like pattern that allows for singleton pattern to consolidate all Connections into a single one.

The Transport can create Channel objects to communicate with the broker with using the create_channel() method.

The Transport identifies recoverable connection errors and recoverable channel errors according to the Kombu 3.0 interface. These exception are listed as tuples and store in the Transport class attribute *recoverable_connection_errors* and *recoverable_channel_errors* respectively. Any exception raised that is not a member of one of these tuples is considered non-recoverable. This allows Kombu support for automatic retry of certain operations to function correctly.

For backwards compatibility to the pre Kombu 3.0 exception interface, the recoverable errors are also listed as *connection_errors* and *channel_errors*.

class Connection(**connection_options)

Qpid Connection.

Encapsulate a connection object for the *Transport*.

Parameters

- host The host that connections should connect to.
- port The port that connection should connect to.
- **username** The username that connections should connect with. Optional.
- password The password that connections should connect with. Optional but requires a username.
- **transport** The transport type that connections should use. Either 'tcp', or 'ssl' are expected as values.
- timeout the timeout used when a Connection connects to the broker.
- **sasl_mechanisms** The sasl authentication mechanism type to use. refer to SASL documentation for an explanation of valid values.

Note: qpid.messaging has an AuthenticationFailure exception type, but instead raises a ConnectionError with a message that indicates an authentication failure occurred in those situations. ConnectionError is listed as a recoverable error type, so kombu will attempt to retry if a ConnectionError is raised. Retrying the operation without adjusting the credentials is not correct, so this method specifically checks for a ConnectionError that indicates an Authentication Failure occurred. In those situations, the error type is mutated while preserving the original message and raised so kombu will allow the exception to not be considered recoverable.

A connection object is created by a *Transport* during a call to *establish_connection()*. The *Transport* passes in connection options as keywords that should be used for any connections created. Each *Transport* creates exactly one Connection.

A Connection object maintains a reference to a Connection which can be accessed through a bound getter method named <code>get_qpid_connection()</code> method. Each Channel uses a the Connection for each <code>BrokerAgent</code>, and the Transport maintains a session for all senders and receivers.

The Connection object is also responsible for maintaining the dictionary of references to callbacks that should be called when messages are received. These callbacks are saved in _callbacks, and keyed on the queue name associated with the received message. The _callbacks are setup in <code>Channel.basic_consume()</code>, removed in <code>Channel.basic_cancel()</code>, and called in <code>Transport.drain_events()</code>.

The following keys are expected to be passed in as keyword arguments at a minimum:

All keyword arguments are collected into the connection_options dict and passed directly through to qpid.messaging.endpoints.Connection.establish().

class Channel (connection, transport)

Supports broker configuration and messaging send and receive.

Parameters

- connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) A Connection object that this Channel can reference. Currently only used to access callbacks.
- transport (kombu.transport.qpid.Transport) The Transport this Channel is associated with.

A channel object is designed to have method-parity with a Channel as defined in AMQP 0-10 and earlier, which allows for the following broker actions:

- exchange declare and delete
- · queue declare and delete
- queue bind and unbind operations
- queue length and purge operations
- · sending/receiving/rejecting messages
- structuring, encoding, and decoding messages
- supports synchronous and asynchronous reads
- reading state about the exchange, queues, and bindings

Channels are designed to all share a single TCP connection with a broker, but provide a level of isolated communication with the broker while benefiting from a shared TCP connection. The Channel is given its <code>Connection</code> object by the <code>Transport</code> that instantiates the channel.

This channel inherits from StdChannel, which makes this a 'native' channel versus a 'virtual' channel which would inherit from kombu.transports.virtual.

Messages sent using this channel are assigned a delivery_tag. The delivery_tag is generated for a message as they are prepared for sending by <code>basic_publish()</code>. The delivery_tag is unique per channel instance. The delivery_tag has no meaningful context in other objects, and is only maintained in the memory of this object, and the underlying <code>QOS</code> object that provides support.

Each channel object instantiates exactly one QoS object for prefetch limiting, and asynchronous ACKing. The QoS object is lazily instantiated through a property method qos(). The QoS object is a supporting object that should not be accessed directly except by the channel itself.

Synchronous reads on a queue are done using a call to <code>basic_get()</code> which uses <code>_get()</code> to perform the reading. These methods read immediately and do not accept any form of timeout. <code>basic_get()</code> reads synchronously and ACKs messages before returning them. ACKing is done in all cases, because an application that reads messages using qpid.messaging, but does not ACK them will experience a memory leak. The no_ack argument to <code>basic_get()</code> does not affect ACKing functionality.

Asynchronous reads on a queue are done by starting a consumer using <code>basic_consume()</code>. Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> will cause a <code>Receiver</code> to be created on the <code>Session</code> started by the :class: <code>Transport</code>. The receiver will asynchronously read using <code>qpid.messaging</code>, and prefetch messages before the call to <code>Transport.basic_drain()</code> occurs. The prefetch_count value of the <code>QoS</code> object is the capacity value of the new receiver. The new receiver capacity must always be

at least 1, otherwise none of the receivers will appear to be ready for reading, and will never be read from.

Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> creates a consumer, which is given a consumer tag that is identified by the caller of <code>basic_consume()</code>. Already started consumers can be cancelled using by their consumer_tag using <code>basic_cancel()</code>. Cancellation of a consumer causes the <code>Receiver</code> object to be closed.

Asynchronous message ACKing is supported through <code>basic_ack()</code>, and is referenced by delivery_tag. The Channel object uses its <code>QoS</code> object to perform the message ACKing.

class Message (payload, channel=None, **kwargs)

Message object.

serializable()

class QoS (session, prefetch_count=1)

A helper object for message prefetch and ACKing purposes.

Keyword Arguments prefetch_count – Initial prefetch count, hard set to 1.

NOTE: prefetch_count is currently hard set to 1, and needs to be improved

This object is instantiated 1-for-1 with a Channel instance. QoS allows prefetch_count to be set to the number of outstanding messages the corresponding Channel should be allowed to prefetch. Setting prefetch_count to 0 disables prefetch limits, and the object can hold an arbitrary number of messages.

Messages are added using <code>append()</code>, which are held until they are ACKed asynchronously through a call to <code>ack()</code>. Messages that are received, but not ACKed will not be delivered by the broker to another consumer until an ACK is received, or the session is closed. Messages are referred to using delivery_tag, which are unique per <code>Channel</code>. Delivery tags are managed outside of this object and are passed in with a message to <code>append()</code>. Un-ACKed messages can be looked up from QoS using <code>get()</code> and can be rejected and forgotten using <code>reject()</code>.

ack (delivery_tag)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Called asynchronously once the message has been handled and can be forgotten by the broker.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) – the delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.

append (message, delivery_tag)

Append message to the list of un-ACKed messages.

Add a message, referenced by the delivery_tag, for ACKing, rejecting, or getting later. Messages are saved into an collections.OrderedDict by delivery_tag.

Parameters

- message (qpid.messaging.Message) A received message that has not yet been ACKed.
- **delivery_tag** (*uuid.UUID*) A UUID to refer to this message by upon receipt.

can consume()

Return True if the Channel can consume more messages.

Used to ensure the client adheres to currently active prefetch limits.

Returns True, if this QoS object can accept more messages without violating the prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, can_consume will always return True.

Return type bool

can consume max estimate()

Return the remaining message capacity.

Returns an estimated number of outstanding messages that a *kombu.transport. qpid.Channel* can accept without exceeding prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, then this method returns 1.

Returns The number of estimated messages that can be fetched without violating the prefetch_count.

Return type int

get (delivery_tag)

Get an un-ACKed message by delivery_tag.

If called with an invalid delivery tag a KeyError is raised.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) – The delivery tag associated with the message to be returned.

Returns An un-ACKed message that is looked up by delivery_tag.

Return type qpid.messaging.Message

```
reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)
```

Reject a message by delivery_tag.

Explicitly notify the broker that the channel associated with this QoS object is rejecting the message that was previously delivered.

If requeue is False, then the message is not requeued for delivery to another consumer. If requeue is True, then the message is requeued for delivery to another consumer.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) - The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If True, the broker will be notified to requeue the message. If False, the broker will be told to drop the message entirely. In both cases, the message will be removed from this object.

basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Acknowledges a message referenced by delivery_tag. Messages can only be ACKed using <code>basic_ack()</code> if they were acquired using <code>basic_consume()</code>. This is the ACKing portion of the asynchronous read behavior.

Internally, this method uses the QOS object, which stores messages and is responsible for the ACKing.

Parameters

- **delivery_tag** (*uuid.UUID*) The delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.
- multiple (bool) not implemented. If set to True an AssertionError is raised.

basic_cancel (consumer_tag)

Cancel consumer by consumer tag.

Request the consumer stops reading messages from its queue. The consumer is a Receiver, and it is closed using close().

This method also cleans up all lingering references of the consumer.

Parameters consumer_tag (an immutable object)—The tag which refers to the consumer to be cancelled. Originally specified when the consumer was created as a parameter to basic consume ().

 $\verb|basic_consume| (queue, no_ack, callback, consumer_tag, **kwargs)|$

Start an asynchronous consumer that reads from a queue.

This method starts a consumer of type Receiver using the Session created and referenced by the *Transport* that reads messages from a queue specified by name until stopped by a call to <code>basic_cancel()</code>.

Messages are available later through a synchronous call to *Transport.drain_events()*, which will drain from the consumer started by this method. *Transport.drain_events()* is synchronous, but the receiving of messages over the network occurs asynchronously, so it should still perform well. *Transport.drain_events()* calls the callback provided here with the Message of type self.Message.

Each consumer is referenced by a consumer_tag, which is provided by the caller of this method.

This method sets up the callback onto the self.connection object in a dict keyed by queue name. $drain_events()$ is responsible for calling that callback upon message receipt.

All messages that are received are added to the QoS object to be saved for asynchronous ACKing later after the message has been handled by the caller of <code>drain_events()</code>. Messages can be ACKed after being received through a call to <code>basic_ack()</code>.

If no_ack is True, The no_ack flag indicates that the receiver of the message will not call <code>basic_ack()</code> later. Since the message will not be ACKed later, it is ACKed immediately.

basic_consume() transforms the message object type prior to calling the callback. Initially the message comes in as a qpid.messaging.Message. This method unpacks the payload of the qpid.messaging.Message and creates a new object of type self.Message.

This method wraps the user delivered callback in a runtime-built function which provides the type transformation from qpid.messaging.Message to Message, and adds the message to the associated QoS object for asynchronous ACKing if necessary.

Parameters

- queue (str) The name of the queue to consume messages from
- no_ack (bool) If True, then messages will not be saved for ACKing later, but will be ACKed immediately. If False, then messages will be saved for ACKing later with a call to basic_ack().
- callback (a callable object) a callable that will be called when messages arrive on the queue.
- **consumer_tag** (an immutable object) a tag to reference the created consumer by. This consumer tag is needed to cancel the consumer.

basic get (queue, no ack=False, **kwargs)

Non-blocking single message get and ACK from a queue by name.

Internally this method uses _get() to fetch the message. If an Empty exception is raised by _get(), this method silences it and returns None. If _get() does return a message, that message is ACKed. The no_ack parameter has no effect on ACKing behavior, and all messages are ACKed in all cases. This method never adds fetched Messages to the internal QoS object for asynchronous ACKing.

This method converts the object type of the method as it passes through. Fetching from the broker, _get() returns a qpid.messaging.Message, but this method takes the payload of the qpid.messaging.Message and instantiates a *Message* object with the payload based on the class setting of self.Message.

Parameters queue (str) – The queue name to fetch a message from.

Keyword Arguments no_ack - The no_ack parameter has no effect on the ACK behavior of this method. Un-ACKed messages create a memory leak in apid.messaging, and need to be ACKed in all cases.

Returns The received message.

Return type Message

basic_publish (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Publish message onto an exchange using a routing key.

Publish a message onto an exchange specified by name using a routing key specified by routing_key. Prepares the message in the following ways before sending:

- encodes the body using encode_body ()
- wraps the body as a buffer object, so that <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.</code> Sender uses a content type that can support arbitrarily large messages.
- · sets delivery_tag to a random uuid.UUID
- sets the exchange and routing_key info as delivery_info

Internally uses _put () to send the message synchronously. This message is typically called by kombu.messaging.Producer._publish as the final step in message publication.

Parameters

- message (dict) A dict containing key value pairs with the message data.
 A valid message dict can be generated using the prepare_message() method.
- **exchange** (str) The name of the exchange to submit this message onto.
- **routing_key** (*str*) The routing key to be used as the message is submitted onto the exchange.

basic_qos (prefetch_count, *args)

Change *QoS* settings for this Channel.

Set the number of un-acknowledged messages this Channel can fetch and hold. The prefetch_value is also used as the capacity for any new Receiver objects.

Currently, this value is hard coded to 1.

Parameters prefetch_count (int) - Not used. This method is hard-coded to 1.

basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)

Reject a message by delivery tag.

Rejects a message that has been received by the Channel, but not yet acknowledged. Messages are referenced by their delivery_tag.

If requeue is False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If requeue is True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) – The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

body_encoding = u'base64'

close()

Cancel all associated messages and close the Channel.

This cancels all consumers by calling <code>basic_cancel()</code> for each known consumer_tag. It also closes the self._broker sessions. Closing the sessions implicitly causes all outstanding, un-ACKed messages to be considered undelivered by the broker.

codecs = {u'base64': <kombu.transport.virtual.base.Base64 object at 0x7feedce:
decode_body(body, encoding=None)</pre>

Decode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) - The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, the decoded body is returned. If encoding is not specified, the body is returned unchanged.

Return type str

encode body (body, encoding=None)

Encode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) – The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, return a tuple with the first position being the encoded body, and the second position the encoding used. If encoding is not specified, the body is passed through unchanged.

Return type tuple

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exchange_declare (exchange=u", type=u'direct', durable=False, **kwargs)
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Create a new exchange.

Create an exchange of a specific type, and optionally have the exchange be durable. If an exchange of the requested name already exists, no action is taken and no exceptions are raised. Durable exchanges will survive a broker restart, non-durable exchanges will not.

Exchanges provide behaviors based on their type. The expected behaviors are those defined in the AMQP 0-10 and prior specifications including 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout' functionality.

Keyword Arguments

- type The exchange type. Valid values include 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout'.
- **exchange** The name of the exchange to be created. If no exchange is specified, then a blank string will be used as the name.
- **durable** True if the exchange should be durable, or False otherwise.

exchange delete(exchange name, **kwargs)

Delete an exchange specified by name.

Parameters exchange_name (str) - The name of the exchange to be deleted.

Prepare message data for sending.

This message is typically called by kombu.messaging.Producer._publish() as a preparation step in message publication.

Parameters body (str) – The body of the message

Keyword Arguments

- **priority** A number between 0 and 9 that sets the priority of the message.
- content_type The content_type the message body should be treated as. If this is unset, the <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Sender object tries</code> to autodetect the content_type from the body.
- content_encoding The content_encoding the message body is encoded
 as.
- headers Additional Message headers that should be set. Passed in as a key-value pair.
- **properties** Message properties to be set on the message.

Returns Returns a dict object that encapsulates message attributes. See parameters for more details on attributes that can be set.

Return type dict

qos

QoS manager for this channel.

Lazily instantiates an object of type *QoS* upon access to the self.qos attribute.

Returns An already existing, or newly created QoS object

Return type QoS

queue_bind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Bind a queue to an exchange with a bind key.

Bind a queue specified by name, to an exchange specified by name, with a specific bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker for the bind to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be bound.
- **exchange** (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be bound to.
- routing_key (str) The bind key that the specified queue should bind to the specified exchange with.

queue_declare (queue, passive=False, durable=False, exclusive=False, auto_delete=True, nowait=False, arguments=None)

Create a new queue specified by name.

If the queue already exists, no change is made to the queue, and the return value returns information about the existing queue.

The queue name is required and specified as the first argument.

If passive is True, the server will not create the queue. The client can use this to check whether a queue exists without modifying the server state. Default is False.

If durable is True, the queue will be durable. Durable queues remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable queues (transient queues) are purged if/when a server restarts. Note that durable queues do not necessarily hold persistent messages, although it does not make sense to send persistent messages to a transient queue. Default is False.

If exclusive is True, the queue will be exclusive. Exclusive queues may only be consumed by the current connection. Setting the 'exclusive' flag always implies 'auto-delete'. Default is False.

If auto_delete is True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it. The last consumer can be cancelled either explicitly or because its channel is closed. If there was no consumer ever on the queue, it won't be deleted. Default is True.

The nowait parameter is unused. It was part of the 0-9-1 protocol, but this AMQP client implements 0-10 which removed the nowait option.

The arguments parameter is a set of arguments for the declaration of the queue. Arguments are passed as a dict or None. This field is ignored if passive is True. Default is None.

This method returns a namedtuple with the name 'queue_declare_ok_t' and the queue name as 'queue', message count on the queue as 'message_count', and the number of active consumers as 'consumer_count'. The named tuple values are ordered as queue, message_count, and consumer_count respectively.

Due to Celery's non-ACKing of events, a ring policy is set on any queue that starts with the string 'celeryev' or ends with the string 'pidbox'. These are celery event queues, and Celery does not ack them, causing the messages to build-up. Eventually Qpid stops serving messages unless the 'ring' policy is set, at which point the buffer backing the queue becomes circular.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be created.
- **passive** (bool) If True, the sever will not create the queue.
- **durable** (bool) If True, the queue will be durable.
- **exclusive** (bool) If True, the queue will be exclusive.
- auto_delete (bool) If True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it.
- nowait (bool) This parameter is unused since the 0-10 specification does not include it.
- arguments (dict or None) A set of arguments for the declaration of the queue.

Returns A named tuple representing the declared queue as a named tuple. The tuple values are ordered as queue, message count, and the active consumer count.

Return type namedtuple

queue_delete (queue, if_unused=False, if_empty=False, **kwargs)

Delete a queue by name.

Delete a queue specified by name. Using the if_unused keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 consumers bound to it. Using the if_empty keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 messages in the queue.

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue to be deleted.

Keyword Arguments

- **if_unused** If True, delete only if the queue has 0 consumers. If False, delete a queue even with consumers bound to it.
- **if_empty** If True, only delete the queue if it is empty. If False, delete the queue if it is empty or not.

queue_purge (queue, **kwargs)

Remove all undelivered messages from queue.

Purge all undelivered messages from a queue specified by name. If the queue does not exist an exception is raised. The queue message depth is first checked, and then the broker is asked to purge that number of messages. The integer number of messages requested to be purged is returned. The actual number of messages purged may be different than the requested number of messages to purge.

Sometimes delivered messages are asked to be purged, but are not. This case fails silently, which is the correct behavior when a message that has been delivered to a different consumer, who has not ACKed the message, and still has an active session with the broker. Messages in that case are not safe for purging and will be retained by the broker. The client is unable to change this delivery behavior.

Internally, this method relies on purge().

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue which should have all messages removed.

Returns The number of messages requested to be purged.

Return type int

Raises qpid.messaging.exceptions.NotFound if the queue being purged cannot be found.

queue_unbind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Unbind a queue from an exchange with a given bind key.

Unbind a queue specified by name, from an exchange specified by name, that is already bound with a bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker, and bound with the bind key for the operation to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys, thus the bind key is a required field to unbind in an explicit way.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be unbound.
- exchange (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be unbound from.
- **routing_key** (*str*) The existing bind key between the specified queue and a specified exchange that should be unbound.

typeof (exchange, default=u'direct')

Get the exchange type.

Lookup and return the exchange type for an exchange specified by name. Exchange types are expected to be 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout', which correspond with exchange functionality as specified in AMQP 0-10 and earlier. If the exchange cannot be found, the default exchange type is returned.

Parameters exchange (str) – The exchange to have its type lookup up.

Keyword Arguments default – The type of exchange to assume if the exchange does not exist.

Returns The exchange type either 'direct', 'topic', or 'fanout'.

Return type str

close()

Close the connection.

Closing the connection will close all associated session, senders, or receivers used by the Connection.

close_channel (channel)

Close a Channel.

Close a channel specified by a reference to the Channel object.

Parameters channel (Channel.) – Channel that should be closed.

get qpid connection()

Return the existing connection (singleton).

Returns The existing qpid.messaging.Connection

Return type qpid.messaging.endpoints.Connection

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channel_errors = (None,)
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close_connection(connection)

Close the Connection object.

Parameters connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) - The Connection that should be closed.

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connection_errors = (None, <class 'select.error'>)
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create_channel (connection)

Create and return a Channel.

Creates a new channel, and appends the channel to the list of channels known by the Connection. Once the new channel is created, it is returned.

Parameters connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) – The connection that should support the new *Channel*.

Returns The new Channel that is made.

Return type kombu.transport.qpid.Channel.

default_connection_params

Return a dict with default connection parameters.

These connection parameters will be used whenever the creator of Transport does not specify a required parameter.

Returns A dict containing the default parameters.

Return type dict

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drain events (connection, timeout=0, **kwargs)
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Handle and call callbacks for all ready Transport messages.

Drains all events that are ready from all Receiver that are asynchronously fetching messages.

For each drained message, the message is called to the appropriate callback. Callbacks are organized by queue name.

Parameters connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) - The *Connection* that contains the callbacks, indexed by queue name, which will be called by this method.

Keyword Arguments timeout – The timeout that limits how long this method will run for. The timeout could interrupt a blocking read that is waiting for a new message, or cause this method to return before all messages are drained. Defaults to 0.

Determines the correct options to use when creating any connections needed by this Transport, and create a *Connection* object which saves those values for connections generated as they are needed. The options are a mixture of what is passed in through the creator of the Transport, and the defaults provided by <code>default_connection_params()</code>. Options cover broker network settings, timeout behaviors, authentication, and identity verification settings.

This method also creates and stores a Session using the Connection created by this method. The Session is stored on self.

Returns The created *Connection* object is returned.

Return type Connection

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on_readable (connection, loop)
```

Handle any messages associated with this Transport.

This method clears a single message from the externally monitored file descriptor by issuing a read call to the self.r file descriptor which removes a single '0' character that was placed into the pipe by the Qpid session message callback handler. Once a '0' is read, all available events are drained through a call to drain_events().

The file descriptor self.r is modified to be non-blocking, ensuring that an accidental call to this method when no more messages will not cause indefinite blocking.

Nothing is expected to be returned from <code>drain_events()</code> because <code>drain_events()</code> handles messages by calling callbacks that are maintained on the <code>Connection</code> object. When <code>drain_events()</code> returns, all associated messages have been handled.

This method calls drain_events() which reads as many messages as are available for this Transport, and then returns. It blocks in the sense that reading and handling a large number of messages may take time, but it does not block waiting for a new message to arrive. When <code>drain_events()</code> is called a timeout is not specified, which causes this behavior.

One interesting behavior of note is where multiple messages are ready, and this method removes a single '0' character from self.r, but <code>drain_events()</code> may handle an arbitrary amount of messages. In that case, extra '0' characters may be left on self.r to be read, where messages corresponding with those '0' characters have already been handled. The external epoll loop will incorrectly think additional data is ready for reading, and will call on_readable unnecessarily, once for each '0' to be read. Additional calls to <code>on_readable()</code> produce no negative side effects, and will eventually clear out the symbols from

the self.r file descriptor. If new messages show up during this draining period, they will also be properly handled.

Parameters

- connection (kombu.transport.gpid.Connection) The connection associated with the readable events, which contains the callbacks that need to be called for the readable objects.
- loop (kombu.asynchronous. Hub) The asynchronous loop object that contains epoll like functionality.

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polling_interval = None
recoverable channel errors = (None,)
recoverable_connection_errors = (None, <class 'select.error'>)
register_with_event_loop(connection, loop)
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Register a file descriptor and callback with the loop.

Register the callback self.on readable to be called when an external epoll loop sees that the file descriptor registered is ready for reading. The file descriptor is created by this Transport, and is written to when a message is available.

Because supports_ev == True, Celery expects to call this method to give the Transport an opportunity to register a read file descriptor for external monitoring by celery using an Event I/O notification mechanism such as epoll. A callback is also registered that is to be called once the external epoll loop is ready to handle the epoll event associated with messages that are ready to be handled for this Transport.

The registration call is made exactly once per Transport after the Transport is instantiated.

Parameters

- connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) A reference to the connection associated with this Transport.
- loop (kombu.asynchronous.hub.Hub) A reference to the external loop.

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supports_ev = True
verify_runtime_environment()
```

Verify that the runtime environment is acceptable.

This method is called as part of init and raises a RuntimeError in Python3 or PyPi environments. This module is not compatible with Python3 or PyPi. The RuntimeError identifies this to the user up front along with suggesting Python 2.6+ be used instead.

This method also checks that the dependencies apidtoollibs and apid.messaging are installed. If either one is not installed a RuntimeError is raised.

Raises RuntimeError if the runtime environment is not acceptable.

Connection

```
class kombu.transport.qpid.Connection(**connection_options)
    Qpid Connection.
```

Encapsulate a connection object for the *Transport*.

Parameters

- host The host that connections should connect to.
- port The port that connection should connect to.

- **username** The username that connections should connect with. Optional.
- password The password that connections should connect with. Optional but requires a username.
- **transport** The transport type that connections should use. Either 'tcp', or 'ssl' are expected as values.
- **timeout** the timeout used when a Connection connects to the broker.
- **sasl_mechanisms** The sasl authentication mechanism type to use. refer to SASL documentation for an explanation of valid values.

Note: qpid.messaging has an AuthenticationFailure exception type, but instead raises a ConnectionError with a message that indicates an authentication failure occurred in those situations. ConnectionError is listed as a recoverable error type, so kombu will attempt to retry if a ConnectionError is raised. Retrying the operation without adjusting the credentials is not correct, so this method specifically checks for a ConnectionError that indicates an Authentication Failure occurred. In those situations, the error type is mutated while preserving the original message and raised so kombu will allow the exception to not be considered recoverable.

A connection object is created by a *Transport* during a call to *establish_connection()*. The *Transport* passes in connection options as keywords that should be used for any connections created. Each *Transport* creates exactly one Connection.

A Connection object maintains a reference to a Connection which can be accessed through a bound getter method named <code>get_qpid_connection()</code> method. Each Channel uses a the Connection for each <code>BrokerAgent</code>, and the Transport maintains a session for all senders and receivers.

The Connection object is also responsible for maintaining the dictionary of references to callbacks that should be called when messages are received. These callbacks are saved in _callbacks, and keyed on the queue name associated with the received message. The _callbacks are setup in Channel.basic_consume(), removed in Channel.basic_cancel(), and called in Transport.drain_events().

The following keys are expected to be passed in as keyword arguments at a minimum:

All keyword arguments are collected into the connection_options dict and passed directly through to <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Connection.establish()</code>.

class Channel (connection, transport)

Supports broker configuration and messaging send and receive.

Parameters

- **connection** (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) A Connection object that this Channel can reference. Currently only used to access callbacks.
- transport (kombu.transport.qpid.Transport) The Transport this Channel is associated with.

A channel object is designed to have method-parity with a Channel as defined in AMQP 0-10 and earlier, which allows for the following broker actions:

- · exchange declare and delete
- · queue declare and delete
- queue bind and unbind operations
- queue length and purge operations
- sending/receiving/rejecting messages
- structuring, encoding, and decoding messages

- supports synchronous and asynchronous reads
- reading state about the exchange, queues, and bindings

Channels are designed to all share a single TCP connection with a broker, but provide a level of isolated communication with the broker while benefiting from a shared TCP connection. The Channel is given its Connection object by the Transport that instantiates the channel.

This channel inherits from StdChannel, which makes this a 'native' channel versus a 'virtual' channel which would inherit from kombu.transports.virtual.

Messages sent using this channel are assigned a delivery_tag. The delivery_tag is generated for a message as they are prepared for sending by <code>basic_publish()</code>. The delivery_tag is unique per channel instance. The delivery_tag has no meaningful context in other objects, and is only maintained in the memory of this object, and the underlying <code>QoS</code> object that provides support.

Each channel object instantiates exactly one QoS object for prefetch limiting, and asynchronous ACKing. The QoS object is lazily instantiated through a property method qos(). The QoS object is a supporting object that should not be accessed directly except by the channel itself.

Synchronous reads on a queue are done using a call to <code>basic_get()</code> which uses <code>_get()</code> to perform the reading. These methods read immediately and do not accept any form of timeout. <code>basic_get()</code> reads synchronously and ACKs messages before returning them. ACKing is done in all cases, because an application that reads messages using qpid.messaging, but does not ACK them will experience a memory leak. The no_ack argument to <code>basic_get()</code> does not affect ACKing functionality.

Asynchronous reads on a queue are done by starting a consumer using <code>basic_consume()</code>. Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> will cause a <code>Receiver</code> to be created on the <code>Session</code> started by the :class: <code>Transport</code>. The receiver will asynchronously read using <code>qpid.messaging</code>, and prefetch messages before the call to <code>Transport.basic_drain()</code> occurs. The prefetch_count value of the <code>Qos</code> object is the capacity value of the new receiver. The new receiver capacity must always be at least 1, otherwise none of the receivers will appear to be ready for reading, and will never be read from.

Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> creates a consumer, which is given a consumer tag that is identified by the caller of <code>basic_consume()</code>. Already started consumers can be cancelled using by their consumer_tag using <code>basic_cancel()</code>. Cancellation of a consumer causes the <code>Receiver</code> object to be closed.

Asynchronous message ACKing is supported through $basic_ack()$, and is referenced by delivery_tag. The Channel object uses its QoS object to perform the message ACKing.

A helper object for message prefetch and ACKing purposes.

Keyword Arguments prefetch_count – Initial prefetch count, hard set to 1.

NOTE: prefetch_count is currently hard set to 1, and needs to be improved

This object is instantiated 1-for-1 with a *Channel* instance. QoS allows prefetch_count to be set to the number of outstanding messages the corresponding *Channel* should be allowed to prefetch. Setting prefetch_count to 0 disables prefetch limits, and the object can hold an arbitrary number of messages.

Messages are added using <code>append()</code>, which are held until they are ACKed asynchronously through a call to <code>ack()</code>. Messages that are received, but not ACKed will not be delivered by the broker to another consumer until an ACK is received, or the session is closed. Messages are referred to using delivery_tag, which are unique per <code>Channel</code>. Delivery tags are managed outside

of this object and are passed in with a message to append(). Un-ACKed messages can be looked up from QoS using get() and can be rejected and forgotten using reject().

ack (delivery_tag)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Called asynchronously once the message has been handled and can be forgotten by the broker.

Parameters delivery_tag (*uuid.UUID*) – the delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.

append (message, delivery_tag)

Append message to the list of un-ACKed messages.

Add a message, referenced by the delivery_tag, for ACKing, rejecting, or getting later. Messages are saved into an collections.OrderedDict by delivery_tag.

Parameters

- **message** (*qpid.messaging.Message*) A received message that has not yet been ACKed.
- **delivery_tag** (*uuid.UUID*) A UUID to refer to this message by upon receipt.

can_consume()

Return True if the Channel can consume more messages.

Used to ensure the client adheres to currently active prefetch limits.

Returns True, if this QoS object can accept more messages without violating the prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, can_consume will always return True.

Return type bool

can_consume_max_estimate()

Return the remaining message capacity.

Returns an estimated number of outstanding messages that a *kombu.transport.qpid.*Channel can accept without exceeding prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, then this method returns 1.

Returns The number of estimated messages that can be fetched without violating the prefetch_count.

Return type int

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get (delivery_tag)
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Get an un-ACKed message by delivery tag.

If called with an invalid delivery_tag a KeyError is raised.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) - The delivery tag associated with the message to be returned.

Returns An un-ACKed message that is looked up by delivery_tag.

Return type qpid.messaging.Message

reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)

Reject a message by delivery_tag.

Explicitly notify the broker that the channel associated with this QoS object is rejecting the message that was previously delivered.

If requeue is False, then the message is not requeued for delivery to another consumer. If requeue is True, then the message is requeued for delivery to another consumer.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) – The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If True, the broker will be notified to requeue the message. If False, the broker will be told to drop the message entirely. In both cases, the message will be removed from this object.

basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Acknowledges a message referenced by delivery_tag. Messages can only be ACKed using <code>basic_ack()</code> if they were acquired using <code>basic_consume()</code>. This is the ACKing portion of the asynchronous read behavior.

Internally, this method uses the QoS object, which stores messages and is responsible for the ACKing.

Parameters

- **delivery_tag** (*uuid.UUID*) The delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.
- multiple (bool) not implemented. If set to True an AssertionError is raised.

basic cancel(consumer tag)

Cancel consumer by consumer tag.

Request the consumer stops reading messages from its queue. The consumer is a Receiver, and it is closed using close ().

This method also cleans up all lingering references of the consumer.

Parameters consumer_tag (an immutable object) – The tag which refers to the consumer to be cancelled. Originally specified when the consumer was created as a parameter to basic_consume().

basic_consume (queue, no_ack, callback, consumer_tag, **kwargs)

Start an asynchronous consumer that reads from a queue.

This method starts a consumer of type Receiver using the Session created and referenced by the *Transport* that reads messages from a queue specified by name until stopped by a call to basic cancel().

Messages are available later through a synchronous call to <code>Transport.drain_events()</code>, which will drain from the consumer started by this method. <code>Transport.drain_events()</code> is synchronous, but the receiving of messages over the network occurs asynchronously, so it should still perform well. <code>Transport.drain_events()</code> calls the callback provided here with the Message of type self.Message.

Each consumer is referenced by a consumer_tag, which is provided by the caller of this method.

This method sets up the callback onto the self.connection object in a dict keyed by queue name. $drain_events()$ is responsible for calling that callback upon message receipt.

All messages that are received are added to the QoS object to be saved for asynchronous ACKing later after the message has been handled by the caller of <code>drain_events()</code>. Messages can be ACKed after being received through a call to <code>basic_ack()</code>.

If no_ack is True, The no_ack flag indicates that the receiver of the message will not call <code>basic_ack()</code> later. Since the message will not be ACKed later, it is ACKed immediately.

basic_consume() transforms the message object type prior to calling the callback. Initially the message comes in as a qpid.messaging.Message. This method unpacks the payload of the qpid.messaging.Message and creates a new object of type self.Message.

This method wraps the user delivered callback in a runtime-built function which provides the type transformation from qpid.messaging.Message to Message, and adds the message to the associated QoS object for asynchronous ACKing if necessary.

Parameters

- queue (str) The name of the queue to consume messages from
- no_ack (bool) If True, then messages will not be saved for ACKing later, but will be ACKed immediately. If False, then messages will be saved for ACKing later with a call to basic_ack().
- **callback** (a callable object) a callable that will be called when messages arrive on the queue.
- **consumer_tag** (an immutable object) a tag to reference the created consumer by. This consumer_tag is needed to cancel the consumer.

basic_get (queue, no_ack=False, **kwargs)

Non-blocking single message get and ACK from a queue by name.

Internally this method uses <code>_get()</code> to fetch the message. If an <code>Empty</code> exception is raised by <code>_get()</code>, this method silences it and returns None. If <code>_get()</code> does return a message, that message is ACKed. The no_ack parameter has no effect on ACKing behavior, and all messages are ACKed in all cases. This method never adds fetched Messages to the internal QoS object for asynchronous ACKing.

This method converts the object type of the method as it passes through. Fetching from the broker, _get() returns a qpid.messaging.Message, but this method takes the payload of the qpid.messaging.Message and instantiates a Message object with the payload based on the class setting of self.Message.

Parameters queue (str) – The queue name to fetch a message from.

Keyword Arguments no_ack - The no_ack parameter has no effect on the ACK behavior of this method. Un-ACKed messages create a memory leak in qpid.messaging, and need to be ACKed in all cases.

Returns The received message.

Return type Message

basic_publish (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Publish message onto an exchange using a routing key.

Publish a message onto an exchange specified by name using a routing key specified by routing_key. Prepares the message in the following ways before sending:

- encodes the body using encode_body ()
- wraps the body as a buffer object, so that <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Sender</code> uses a content type that can support arbitrarily large messages.
- sets delivery_tag to a random uuid.UUID
- sets the exchange and routing key info as delivery info

Internally uses _put() to send the message synchronously. This message is typically called by kombu.messaging.Producer._publish as the final step in message publication.

Parameters

- message (dict) A dict containing key value pairs with the message data.

 A valid message dict can be generated using the prepare_message() method.
- **exchange** (str) The name of the exchange to submit this message onto.
- **routing_key** (*str*) The routing key to be used as the message is submitted onto the exchange.

basic_qos (prefetch_count, *args)

Change QoS settings for this Channel.

Set the number of un-acknowledged messages this Channel can fetch and hold. The prefetch_value is also used as the capacity for any new Receiver objects.

Currently, this value is hard coded to 1.

Parameters prefetch_count (int) – Not used. This method is hard-coded to 1.

```
basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)
```

Reject a message by delivery_tag.

Rejects a message that has been received by the Channel, but not yet acknowledged. Messages are referenced by their delivery_tag.

If requeue is False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If requeue is True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) - The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

body_encoding = u'base64'

close()

Cancel all associated messages and close the Channel.

This cancels all consumers by calling <code>basic_cancel()</code> for each known consumer_tag. It also closes the self._broker sessions. Closing the sessions implicitly causes all outstanding, un-ACKed messages to be considered undelivered by the broker.

codecs = {u'base64': <kombu.transport.virtual.base.Base64 object at 0x7feedce9db1
decode_body(body, encoding=None)</pre>

Decode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) – The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, the decoded body is returned. If encoding is not specified, the body is returned unchanged.

Return type str

```
encode_body (body, encoding=None)
```

Encode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) – The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, return a tuple with the first position being the encoded body, and the second position the encoding used. If encoding is not specified, the body is passed through unchanged.

Return type tuple

```
exchange_declare (exchange=u", type=u'direct', durable=False, **kwargs)

Create a new exchange.
```

Create an exchange of a specific type, and optionally have the exchange be durable. If an exchange of the requested name already exists, no action is taken and no exceptions are raised. Durable exchanges will survive a broker restart, non-durable exchanges will not.

Exchanges provide behaviors based on their type. The expected behaviors are those defined in the AMQP 0-10 and prior specifications including 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout' functionality.

Keyword Arguments

- type The exchange type. Valid values include 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout'.
- **exchange** The name of the exchange to be created. If no exchange is specified, then a blank string will be used as the name.
- **durable** True if the exchange should be durable, or False otherwise.

```
exchange_delete (exchange_name, **kwargs)
```

Delete an exchange specified by name.

Parameters exchange_name (str) - The name of the exchange to be deleted.

prepare_message (body, priority=None, content_type=None, content_encoding=None, headers=None, properties=None)

Prepare message data for sending.

This message is typically called by kombu.messaging.Producer._publish() as a preparation step in message publication.

Parameters body (str) – The body of the message

Keyword Arguments

- **priority** A number between 0 and 9 that sets the priority of the message.
- **content_type** The content_type the message body should be treated as. If this is unset, the <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Sender object tries</code> to autodetect the content_type from the body.
- content_encoding The content_encoding the message body is encoded as.

- headers Additional Message headers that should be set. Passed in as a key-value pair.
- properties Message properties to be set on the message.

Returns Returns a dict object that encapsulates message attributes. See parameters for more details on attributes that can be set.

Return type dict

qos

QoS manager for this channel.

Lazily instantiates an object of type QoS upon access to the self.qos attribute.

Returns An already existing, or newly created QoS object

Return type QoS

queue_bind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Bind a queue to an exchange with a bind key.

Bind a queue specified by name, to an exchange specified by name, with a specific bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker for the bind to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be bound.
- exchange (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be bound to.
- **routing_key** (str) The bind key that the specified queue should bind to the specified exchange with.

queue_declare (queue, passive=False, durable=False, exclusive=False, auto_delete=True, nowait=False, arguments=None)

Create a new queue specified by name.

If the queue already exists, no change is made to the queue, and the return value returns information about the existing queue.

The queue name is required and specified as the first argument.

If passive is True, the server will not create the queue. The client can use this to check whether a queue exists without modifying the server state. Default is False.

If durable is True, the queue will be durable. Durable queues remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable queues (transient queues) are purged if/when a server restarts. Note that durable queues do not necessarily hold persistent messages, although it does not make sense to send persistent messages to a transient queue. Default is False.

If exclusive is True, the queue will be exclusive. Exclusive queues may only be consumed by the current connection. Setting the 'exclusive' flag always implies 'auto-delete'. Default is False.

If auto_delete is True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it. The last consumer can be cancelled either explicitly or because its channel is closed. If there was no consumer ever on the queue, it won't be deleted. Default is True.

The nowait parameter is unused. It was part of the 0-9-1 protocol, but this AMQP client implements 0-10 which removed the nowait option.

The arguments parameter is a set of arguments for the declaration of the queue. Arguments are passed as a dict or None. This field is ignored if passive is True. Default is None.

This method returns a namedtuple with the name 'queue_declare_ok_t' and the queue name as 'queue', message count on the queue as 'message_count', and the number of active consumers as 'consumer_count'. The named tuple values are ordered as queue, message_count, and consumer_count respectively.

Due to Celery's non-ACKing of events, a ring policy is set on any queue that starts with the string 'celeryev' or ends with the string 'pidbox'. These are celery event queues, and Celery does not ack them, causing the messages to build-up. Eventually Qpid stops serving messages unless the 'ring' policy is set, at which point the buffer backing the queue becomes circular.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be created.
- **passive** (bool) If True, the sever will not create the queue.
- **durable** (bool) If True, the queue will be durable.
- **exclusive** (bool) If True, the queue will be exclusive.
- auto_delete (bool) If True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it.
- nowait (bool) This parameter is unused since the 0-10 specification does not include it.
- arguments (dict or None) A set of arguments for the declaration of the queue.

Returns A named tuple representing the declared queue as a named tuple. The tuple values are ordered as queue, message count, and the active consumer count.

Return type namedtuple

queue_delete (queue, if_unused=False, if_empty=False, **kwargs)

Delete a queue by name.

Delete a queue specified by name. Using the if_unused keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 consumers bound to it. Using the if_empty keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 messages in the queue.

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue to be deleted.

Keyword Arguments

- **if_unused** If True, delete only if the queue has 0 consumers. If False, delete a queue even with consumers bound to it.
- **if_empty** If True, only delete the queue if it is empty. If False, delete the queue if it is empty or not.

queue_purge (queue, **kwargs)

Remove all undelivered messages from queue.

Purge all undelivered messages from a queue specified by name. If the queue does not exist an exception is raised. The queue message depth is first checked, and then the broker is asked to purge that number of messages. The integer number of messages requested to be purged is returned. The actual number of messages purged may be different than the requested number of messages to purge.

Sometimes delivered messages are asked to be purged, but are not. This case fails silently, which is the correct behavior when a message that has been delivered to a different consumer, who has not ACKed the message, and still has an active session with the broker. Messages in that case are

not safe for purging and will be retained by the broker. The client is unable to change this delivery behavior.

Internally, this method relies on _purge().

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue which should have all messages removed.

Returns The number of messages requested to be purged.

Return type int

Raises qpid.messaging.exceptions.NotFound if the queue being purged cannot be found.

```
queue_unbind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)
```

Unbind a queue from an exchange with a given bind key.

Unbind a queue specified by name, from an exchange specified by name, that is already bound with a bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker, and bound with the bind key for the operation to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys, thus the bind key is a required field to unbind in an explicit way.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be unbound.
- exchange (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be unbound from.
- **routing_key** (*str*) The existing bind key between the specified queue and a specified exchange that should be unbound.

```
typeof (exchange, default=u'direct')
```

Get the exchange type.

Lookup and return the exchange type for an exchange specified by name. Exchange types are expected to be 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout', which correspond with exchange functionality as specified in AMQP 0-10 and earlier. If the exchange cannot be found, the default exchange type is returned.

Parameters exchange (str) – The exchange to have its type lookup up.

Keyword Arguments default – The type of exchange to assume if the exchange does not exist.

Returns The exchange type either 'direct', 'topic', or 'fanout'.

Return type str

close()

Close the connection.

Closing the connection will close all associated session, senders, or receivers used by the Connection.

close_channel (channel)

Close a Channel.

Close a channel specified by a reference to the Channel object.

Parameters channel (Channel.) - Channel that should be closed.

get_qpid_connection()

Return the existing connection (singleton).

Returns The existing qpid.messaging.Connection

Return type qpid.messaging.endpoints.Connection

Channel

class kombu.transport.qpid.**Channel** (*connection*, *transport*)

Supports broker configuration and messaging send and receive.

Parameters

- connection (kombu.transport.qpid.Connection) A Connection object that this Channel can reference. Currently only used to access callbacks.
- transport (kombu.transport.qpid.Transport) The Transport this Channel is associated with.

A channel object is designed to have method-parity with a Channel as defined in AMQP 0-10 and earlier, which allows for the following broker actions:

- exchange declare and delete
- queue declare and delete
- queue bind and unbind operations
- queue length and purge operations
- sending/receiving/rejecting messages
- structuring, encoding, and decoding messages
- supports synchronous and asynchronous reads
- reading state about the exchange, queues, and bindings

Channels are designed to all share a single TCP connection with a broker, but provide a level of isolated communication with the broker while benefiting from a shared TCP connection. The Channel is given its Connection object by the Transport that instantiates the channel.

This channel inherits from StdChannel, which makes this a 'native' channel versus a 'virtual' channel which would inherit from kombu.transports.virtual.

Messages sent using this channel are assigned a delivery_tag. The delivery_tag is generated for a message as they are prepared for sending by basic_publish(). The delivery_tag is unique per channel instance. The delivery_tag has no meaningful context in other objects, and is only maintained in the memory of this object, and the underlying QoS object that provides support.

Each channel object instantiates exactly one $Q \circ S$ object for prefetch limiting, and asynchronous ACKing. The $Q \circ S$ object is lazily instantiated through a property method $Q \circ S$ (). The $Q \circ S$ object is a supporting object that should not be accessed directly except by the channel itself.

Synchronous reads on a queue are done using a call to <code>basic_get()</code> which uses <code>_get()</code> to perform the reading. These methods read immediately and do not accept any form of timeout. <code>basic_get()</code> reads synchronously and ACKs messages before returning them. ACKing is done in all cases, because an application that reads messages using <code>qpid.messaging</code>, but does not ACK them will experience a memory leak. The no_ack argument to <code>basic_get()</code> does not affect ACKing functionality.

Asynchronous reads on a queue are done by starting a consumer using <code>basic_consume()</code>. Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> will cause a <code>Receiver</code> to be created on the <code>Session</code> started by the :class: <code>Transport</code>. The receiver will asynchronously read using <code>qpid.messaging</code>, and prefetch messages before the call to <code>Transport.basic_drain()</code> occurs. The prefetch_count value of the <code>QOS</code> object is the capacity value of the new receiver. The new receiver capacity must always be at least 1, otherwise none of the receivers will appear to be ready for reading, and will never be read from.

Each call to <code>basic_consume()</code> creates a consumer, which is given a consumer tag that is identified by the caller of <code>basic_consume()</code>. Already started consumers can be cancelled using by their consumer_tag using <code>basic_cancel()</code>. Cancellation of a consumer causes the <code>Receiver</code> object to be closed.

Asynchronous message ACKing is supported through <code>basic_ack()</code>, and is referenced by delivery_tag. The Channel object uses its <code>QoS</code> object to perform the message ACKing.

class Message (payload, channel=None, **kwargs)

message class used.

serializable()

class QoS (session, prefetch_count=1)

A class reference that will be instantiated using the qos property.

ack (delivery_tag)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Called asynchronously once the message has been handled and can be forgotten by the broker.

Parameters delivery_tag (*uuid.UUID*) – the delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.

append (message, delivery_tag)

Append message to the list of un-ACKed messages.

Add a message, referenced by the delivery_tag, for ACKing, rejecting, or getting later. Messages are saved into an collections.OrderedDict by delivery_tag.

Parameters

- message (qpid.messaging.Message) A received message that has not yet been ACKed.
- **delivery_tag** (uuid.UUID) A UUID to refer to this message by upon receipt.

can consume()

Return True if the Channel can consume more messages.

Used to ensure the client adheres to currently active prefetch limits.

Returns True, if this QoS object can accept more messages without violating the prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, can_consume will always return True.

Return type bool

can_consume_max_estimate()

Return the remaining message capacity.

Returns an estimated number of outstanding messages that a kombu.transport.qpid. Channel can accept without exceeding prefetch_count. If prefetch_count is 0, then this method returns 1.

Returns The number of estimated messages that can be fetched without violating the prefetch_count.

Return type int

get (delivery_tag)

Get an un-ACKed message by delivery_tag.

If called with an invalid delivery_tag a KeyError is raised.

Parameters delivery_tag (*uuid.UUID*) – The delivery tag associated with the message to be returned.

Returns An un-ACKed message that is looked up by delivery_tag.

Return type qpid.messaging.Message

reject (delivery tag, requeue=False)

Reject a message by delivery_tag.

Explicitly notify the broker that the channel associated with this QoS object is rejecting the message that was previously delivered.

If requeue is False, then the message is not requeued for delivery to another consumer. If requeue is True, then the message is requeued for delivery to another consumer.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) - The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If True, the broker will be notified to requeue the message. If False, the broker will be told to drop the message entirely. In both cases, the message will be removed from this object.

basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)

Acknowledge a message by delivery_tag.

Acknowledges a message referenced by delivery_tag. Messages can only be ACKed using <code>basic_ack()</code> if they were acquired using <code>basic_consume()</code>. This is the ACKing portion of the asynchronous read behavior.

Internally, this method uses the $Q \circ S$ object, which stores messages and is responsible for the ACKing.

Parameters

- **delivery_tag** (*uuid.UUID*) The delivery tag associated with the message to be acknowledged.
- multiple (bool) not implemented. If set to True an AssertionError is raised.

basic_cancel (consumer_tag)

Cancel consumer by consumer tag.

Request the consumer stops reading messages from its queue. The consumer is a Receiver, and it is closed using close().

This method also cleans up all lingering references of the consumer.

Parameters consumer_tag (an immutable object) – The tag which refers to the consumer to be cancelled. Originally specified when the consumer was created as a parameter to <code>basic_consume()</code>.

basic_consume (queue, no_ack, callback, consumer_tag, **kwargs)

Start an asynchronous consumer that reads from a queue.

This method starts a consumer of type Receiver using the Session created and referenced by the *Transport* that reads messages from a queue specified by name until stopped by a call to basic cancel().

Messages are available later through a synchronous call to <code>Transport.drain_events()</code>, which will drain from the consumer started by this method. <code>Transport.drain_events()</code> is synchronous, but the receiving of messages over the network occurs asynchronously, so it should still perform well. <code>Transport.drain_events()</code> calls the callback provided here with the Message of type self.Message.

Each consumer is referenced by a consumer_tag, which is provided by the caller of this method.

This method sets up the callback onto the self.connection object in a dict keyed by queue name. drain_events() is responsible for calling that callback upon message receipt.

All messages that are received are added to the QoS object to be saved for asynchronous ACKing later after the message has been handled by the caller of <code>drain_events()</code>. Messages can be ACKed after being received through a call to <code>basic_ack()</code>.

If no_ack is True, The no_ack flag indicates that the receiver of the message will not call <code>basic_ack()</code> later. Since the message will not be ACKed later, it is ACKed immediately.

basic_consume() transforms the message object type prior to calling the callback. Initially the message comes in as a qpid.messaging.Message. This method unpacks the payload of the qpid.messaging.Message and creates a new object of type self.Message.

This method wraps the user delivered callback in a runtime-built function which provides the type transformation from <code>qpid.messaging.Message</code> to <code>Message</code>, and adds the message to the associated <code>QoS</code> object for asynchronous ACKing if necessary.

Parameters

- queue (str) The name of the queue to consume messages from
- no_ack (bool) If True, then messages will not be saved for ACKing later, but will be ACKed immediately. If False, then messages will be saved for ACKing later with a call to basic_ack().
- callback (a callable object) a callable that will be called when messages arrive on the queue.
- **consumer_tag** (an immutable object) a tag to reference the created consumer by. This consumer_tag is needed to cancel the consumer.

basic get (queue, no ack=False, **kwargs)

Non-blocking single message get and ACK from a queue by name.

Internally this method uses <code>_get()</code> to fetch the message. If an <code>Empty</code> exception is raised by <code>_get()</code>, this method silences it and returns None. If <code>_get()</code> does return a message, that message is ACKed. The no_ack parameter has no effect on ACKing behavior, and all messages are ACKed in all cases. This method never adds fetched Messages to the internal QoS object for asynchronous ACKing.

This method converts the object type of the method as it passes through. Fetching from the broker, _get() returns a <code>qpid.messaging.Message</code>, but this method takes the payload of the <code>qpid.messaging.Message</code> and instantiates a <code>Message</code> object with the payload based on the class setting of self.Message.

Parameters queue (str) – The queue name to fetch a message from.

Keyword Arguments no_ack - The no_ack parameter has no effect on the ACK behavior of this method. Un-ACKed messages create a memory leak in qpid.messaging, and need to be ACKed in all cases.

Returns The received message.

Return type Message

basic_publish (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Publish message onto an exchange using a routing key.

Publish a message onto an exchange specified by name using a routing key specified by routing_key. Prepares the message in the following ways before sending:

- encodes the body using encode_body ()
- wraps the body as a buffer object, so that <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Sender uses</code> a content type that can support arbitrarily large messages.
- sets delivery tag to a random uuid.UUID

• sets the exchange and routing_key info as delivery_info

Internally uses _put () to send the message synchronously. This message is typically called by kombu. messaging.Producer._publish as the final step in message publication.

Parameters

- message (dict) A dict containing key value pairs with the message data. A
 valid message dict can be generated using the prepare_message () method.
- exchange (str) The name of the exchange to submit this message onto.
- routing_key (str) The routing key to be used as the message is submitted onto the exchange.

basic_qos (prefetch_count, *args)

Change *QoS* settings for this Channel.

Set the number of un-acknowledged messages this Channel can fetch and hold. The prefetch_value is also used as the capacity for any new Receiver objects.

Currently, this value is hard coded to 1.

Parameters prefetch_count (int) – Not used. This method is hard-coded to 1.

basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)

Reject a message by delivery tag.

Rejects a message that has been received by the Channel, but not yet acknowledged. Messages are referenced by their delivery_tag.

If requeue is False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If requeue is True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

Parameters delivery_tag (uuid.UUID) – The delivery tag associated with the message to be rejected.

Keyword Arguments requeue – If False, the rejected message will be dropped by the broker and not delivered to any other consumers. If True, then the rejected message will be requeued for delivery to another consumer, potentially to the same consumer who rejected the message previously.

body_encoding = u'base64'

Default body encoding. NOTE: transport_options['body_encoding'] will override this value.

close()

Cancel all associated messages and close the Channel.

This cancels all consumers by calling <code>basic_cancel()</code> for each known consumer_tag. It also closes the self._broker sessions. Closing the sessions implicitly causes all outstanding, un-ACKed messages to be considered undelivered by the broker.

codecs = {u'base64': <kombu.transport.virtual.base.Base64 object at 0x7feedce9db10>}
Binary <-> ASCII codecs.

decode_body (body, encoding=None)

Decode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) – The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, the decoded body is returned. If encoding is not specified, the body is returned unchanged.

Return type str

```
encode_body (body, encoding=None)
```

Encode a body using an optionally specified encoding.

The encoding can be specified by name, and is looked up in self.codecs. self.codecs uses strings as its keys which specify the name of the encoding, and then the value is an instantiated object that can provide encoding/decoding of that type through encode and decode methods.

Parameters body (str) – The body to be encoded.

Keyword Arguments encoding – The encoding type to be used. Must be a supported codec listed in self.codecs.

Returns If encoding is specified, return a tuple with the first position being the encoded body, and the second position the encoding used. If encoding is not specified, the body is passed through unchanged.

Return type tuple

```
exchange_declare (exchange=u", type=u'direct', durable=False, **kwargs)
```

Create a new exchange.

Create an exchange of a specific type, and optionally have the exchange be durable. If an exchange of the requested name already exists, no action is taken and no exceptions are raised. Durable exchanges will survive a broker restart, non-durable exchanges will not.

Exchanges provide behaviors based on their type. The expected behaviors are those defined in the AMQP 0-10 and prior specifications including 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout' functionality.

Keyword Arguments

- type The exchange type. Valid values include 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout'.
- **exchange** The name of the exchange to be created. If no exchange is specified, then a blank string will be used as the name.
- durable True if the exchange should be durable, or False otherwise.

exchange_delete (exchange_name, **kwargs)

Delete an exchange specified by name.

Parameters exchange_name (str) - The name of the exchange to be deleted.

 $\label{eq:prepare_message} \begin{array}{ll} \textit{prepare_message} (\textit{body}, \textit{priority=None}, \textit{content_type=None}, \textit{content_encoding=None}, \textit{head-ers=None}, \textit{properties=None}) \end{array}$

Prepare message data for sending.

This message is typically called by kombu.messaging.Producer._publish() as a preparation step in message publication.

Parameters body (str) – The body of the message

Keyword Arguments

• **priority** – A number between 0 and 9 that sets the priority of the message.

- **content_type** The content_type the message body should be treated as. If this is unset, the <code>qpid.messaging.endpoints.Sender</code> object tries to autodetect the content type from the body.
- **content_encoding** The content_encoding the message body is encoded as.
- headers Additional Message headers that should be set. Passed in as a key-value pair.
- **properties** Message properties to be set on the message.

Returns Returns a dict object that encapsulates message attributes. See parameters for more details on attributes that can be set.

Return type dict

qos

QoS manager for this channel.

Lazily instantiates an object of type QoS upon access to the self.qos attribute.

Returns An already existing, or newly created QoS object

Return type QoS

queue_bind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Bind a queue to an exchange with a bind key.

Bind a queue specified by name, to an exchange specified by name, with a specific bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker for the bind to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be bound.
- **exchange** (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be bound to.
- routing_key (str) The bind key that the specified queue should bind to the specified exchange with.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \bf queue_declare~(\it queue, passive=False, durable=False, exclusive=False, auto_delete=True, \\ nowait=False, arguments=None) \end{tabular}$

Create a new queue specified by name.

If the queue already exists, no change is made to the queue, and the return value returns information about the existing queue.

The queue name is required and specified as the first argument.

If passive is True, the server will not create the queue. The client can use this to check whether a queue exists without modifying the server state. Default is False.

If durable is True, the queue will be durable. Durable queues remain active when a server restarts. Non-durable queues (transient queues) are purged if/when a server restarts. Note that durable queues do not necessarily hold persistent messages, although it does not make sense to send persistent messages to a transient queue. Default is False.

If exclusive is True, the queue will be exclusive. Exclusive queues may only be consumed by the current connection. Setting the 'exclusive' flag always implies 'auto-delete'. Default is False.

If auto_delete is True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it. The last consumer can be cancelled either explicitly or because its channel is closed. If there was no consumer ever on the queue, it won't be deleted. Default is True.

The nowait parameter is unused. It was part of the 0-9-1 protocol, but this AMQP client implements 0-10 which removed the nowait option.

The arguments parameter is a set of arguments for the declaration of the queue. Arguments are passed as a dict or None. This field is ignored if passive is True. Default is None.

This method returns a namedtuple with the name 'queue_declare_ok_t' and the queue name as 'queue', message count on the queue as 'message_count', and the number of active consumers as 'consumer_count'. The named tuple values are ordered as queue, message_count, and consumer_count respectively.

Due to Celery's non-ACKing of events, a ring policy is set on any queue that starts with the string 'celeryev' or ends with the string 'pidbox'. These are celery event queues, and Celery does not ack them, causing the messages to build-up. Eventually Qpid stops serving messages unless the 'ring' policy is set, at which point the buffer backing the queue becomes circular.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be created.
- **passive** (bool) If True, the sever will not create the queue.
- **durable** (bool) If True, the queue will be durable.
- **exclusive** (bool) If True, the queue will be exclusive.
- **auto_delete** (bool) If True, the queue is deleted when all consumers have finished using it.
- nowait (bool) This parameter is unused since the 0-10 specification does not include it.
- arguments (dict or None) A set of arguments for the declaration of the queue.

Returns A named tuple representing the declared queue as a named tuple. The tuple values are ordered as queue, message count, and the active consumer count.

Return type namedtuple

```
queue_delete (queue, if_unused=False, if_empty=False, **kwargs)

Delete a queue by name.
```

Delete a queue specified by name. Using the if_unused keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 consumers bound to it. Using the if_empty keyword argument, the delete can only occur if there are 0 messages in the queue.

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue to be deleted.

Keyword Arguments

- **if_unused** If True, delete only if the queue has 0 consumers. If False, delete a queue even with consumers bound to it.
- **if_empty** If True, only delete the queue if it is empty. If False, delete the queue if it is empty or not.

```
queue_purge (queue, **kwargs)
```

Remove all undelivered messages from queue.

Purge all undelivered messages from a queue specified by name. If the queue does not exist an exception is raised. The queue message depth is first checked, and then the broker is asked to purge that number of messages. The integer number of messages requested to be purged is returned. The actual number of messages purged may be different than the requested number of messages to purge.

Sometimes delivered messages are asked to be purged, but are not. This case fails silently, which is the correct behavior when a message that has been delivered to a different consumer, who has not ACKed the message, and still has an active session with the broker. Messages in that case are not safe for purging and will be retained by the broker. The client is unable to change this delivery behavior.

Internally, this method relies on _purge().

Parameters queue (str) – The name of the queue which should have all messages removed.

Returns The number of messages requested to be purged.

Return type int

Raises qpid.messaging.exceptions.NotFound if the queue being purged cannot be found.

queue_unbind (queue, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Unbind a queue from an exchange with a given bind key.

Unbind a queue specified by name, from an exchange specified by name, that is already bound with a bind key. The queue and exchange must already exist on the broker, and bound with the bind key for the operation to complete successfully. Queues may be bound to exchanges multiple times with different keys, thus the bind key is a required field to unbind in an explicit way.

Parameters

- **queue** (str) The name of the queue to be unbound.
- **exchange** (str) The name of the exchange that the queue should be unbound from.
- routing_key (str) The existing bind key between the specified queue and a specified exchange that should be unbound.

typeof (exchange, default=u'direct')

Get the exchange type.

Lookup and return the exchange type for an exchange specified by name. Exchange types are expected to be 'direct', 'topic', and 'fanout', which correspond with exchange functionality as specified in AMQP 0-10 and earlier. If the exchange cannot be found, the default exchange type is returned.

Parameters exchange (str) – The exchange to have its type lookup up.

Keyword Arguments default – The type of exchange to assume if the exchange does not exist.

Returns The exchange type either 'direct', 'topic', or 'fanout'.

Return type str

Message

```
class kombu.transport.qpid.Message(payload, channel=None, **kwargs)
    Message object.
    serializable()
```

4.34 In-memory Transport - kombu.transport.memory

In-memory transport.

- Transport
- Channel

4.34.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.memory.Transport(client, **kwargs)
    In-memory Transport.

class Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    In-memory Channel.

    after_reply_message_received(queue)

    close()

    do_restore = False
    queues = {}

    supports_fanout = True

    driver_name = u'memory'

    driver_type = u'memory'

    driver_version()

    implements = {'asynchronous': False, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'topic', u'headers state = <kombu.transport.virtual.base.BrokerState object>
        memory backend state is global.
```

4.34.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.memory.Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    In-memory Channel.
    after_reply_message_received(queue)
    close()
    do_restore = False
    queues = {}
    supports_fanout = True
```

4.35 Redis Transport - kombu.transport.redis

Redis transport.

- Transport
- Channel

4.35.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.redis.Transport(*args, **kwargs)
    Redis Transport.
    class Channel(*args, **kwargs)
         Redis Channel.
         class QoS(*args, **kwargs)
              Redis Ack Emulation.
              ack (delivery_tag)
              append (message, delivery_tag)
              pipe_or_acquire (**kwds)
              reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)
              restore_at_shutdown = True
              restore_by_tag (tag, client=None, leftmost=False)
              restore unacked(client=None)
              restore_visible (start=0, num=10, interval=10)
              unacked_index_key
              unacked_key
              unacked_mutex_expire
              unacked_mutex_key
              visibility_timeout
         ack_emulation = True
         active_queues
              Set of queues being consumed from (excluding fanout queues).
         async_pool
         basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
         basic_consume (queue, *args, **kwargs)
         client
              Client used to publish messages, BRPOP etc.
         close()
         conn_or_acquire(**kwds)
         connection_class = None
         fanout_patterns = True
         fanout_prefix = True
         from_transport_options = (u'body_encoding', u'deadletter_queue', u'ack_emulation',
         get_table (exchange)
         keyprefix fanout = u'/{db}.'
         keyprefix_queue = u'_kombu.binding.%s'
```

```
pool
         priority(n)
         priority\_steps = [0, 3, 6, 9]
         queue_order_strategy = u'round_robin'
         sep = u' \times 06 \times 16'
         socket_connect_timeout = None
         socket_keepalive = None
         socket_keepalive_options = None
         socket timeout = None
         subclient
             Pub/Sub connection used to consume fanout queues.
         supports fanout = True
         unacked_index_key = u'unacked_index'
         unacked_key = u'unacked'
         unacked_mutex_expire = 300
         unacked_mutex_key = u'unacked_mutex'
         unacked_restore_limit = None
         visibility_timeout = 3600
    default_port = 6379
    driver_name = u'redis'
    driver_type = u'redis'
    driver_version()
    implements = {'asynchronous': True, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'topic', u'fanout',
    on readable (fileno)
         Handle AIO event for one of our file descriptors.
    polling_interval = None
    register_with_event_loop (connection, loop)
4.35.2 Channel
class kombu.transport.redis.Channel(*args, **kwargs)
    Redis Channel.
    class QoS(*args, **kwargs)
         Redis Ack Emulation.
         ack (delivery_tag)
         append (message, delivery_tag)
         pipe_or_acquire(**kwds)
```

max connections = 10

```
reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)
     restore_at_shutdown = True
     restore_by_tag(tag, client=None, leftmost=False)
     restore_unacked(client=None)
     restore visible (start=0, num=10, interval=10)
     unacked index key
     unacked_key
     unacked_mutex_expire
     unacked_mutex_key
     visibility_timeout
ack_emulation = True
active_queues
     Set of queues being consumed from (excluding fanout queues).
async_pool
basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
basic_consume (queue, *args, **kwargs)
client
     Client used to publish messages, BRPOP etc.
close()
conn_or_acquire(**kwds)
connection_class = None
fanout_patterns = True
     If enabled the fanout exchange will support patterns in routing and binding keys (like a topic exchange
     but using PUB/SUB).
     Enabled by default since Kombu 4.x. Disable for backwards compatibility with Kombu 3.x.
fanout prefix = True
     Transport option to disable fanout keyprefix. Can also be string, in which case it changes the default prefix
     ('/{db}.') into to something else. The prefix must include a leading slash and a trailing dot.
     Enabled by default since Kombu 4.x. Disable for backwards compatibility with Kombu 3.x.
from_transport_options = (u'body_encoding', u'deadletter_queue', u'ack_emulation', u'u
get_table (exchange)
keyprefix_fanout = u'/{db}.'
keyprefix_queue = u'_kombu.binding.%s'
max_connections = 10
pool
priority(n)
priority_steps = [0, 3, 6, 9]
```

queue_order_strategy = u'round_robin'

Order in which we consume from queues.

Can be either string alias, or a cycle strategy class

• round_robin(round_robin_cycle).

Make sure each queue has an equal opportunity to be consumed from.

• sorted(sorted_cycle).

Consume from queues in alphabetical order. If the first queue in the sorted list always contains messages, then the rest of the queues will never be consumed from.

• priority (priority_cycle).

Consume from queues in original order, so that if the first queue always contains messages, the rest of the queues in the list will never be consumed from.

The default is to consume from queues in round robin.

```
sep = u'\x06\x16'
socket_connect_timeout = None
socket_keepalive = None
socket_keepalive_options = None
socket_timeout = None
socket_timeout = None
subclient
    Pub/Sub connection used to consume fanout queues.
supports_fanout = True
unacked_index_key = u'unacked_index'
unacked_key = u'unacked'
unacked_mutex_expire = 300
unacked_mutex_expire = 300
unacked_mutex_key = u'unacked_mutex'
unacked_restore_limit = None
visibility_timeout = 3600
```

4.36 MongoDB Transport - kombu.transport.mongodb

MongoDB transport.

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- Transport
- Channel

4.36.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.mongodb.Transport(client, **kwargs)
    MongoDB Transport.
    class Channel(*vargs, **kwargs)
        MongoDB Channel.
        broadcast
        broadcast_collection = u'messages.broadcast'
        calc_queue_size = True
        capped_queue_size = 100000
        client
        connect_timeout = None
        default database = u'kombu default'
        default_hostname = u'127.0.0.1'
        default_port = 27017
        from_transport_options = (u'body_encoding', u'deadletter_queue', u'connect_timeout
        get_now()
             Return current time in UTC.
        get_table (exchange)
        messages
        messages_collection = u'messages'
        queue_delete (queue, **kwargs)
        queues
        queues_collection = u'messages.queues'
        routing_collection = u'messages.routing'
        ssl = False
        supports_fanout = True
        ttl = False
    can_parse_url = True
    channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>, <class 'pymongo.errors.Conne</pre>
    connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, <class 'pymongo.errors</pre>
    default port = 27017
    driver_name = u'pymongo'
    driver_type = u'mongodb'
    driver_version()
    implements = {'asynchronous': False, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'topic', u'fanout'
    polling_interval = 1
```

4.36.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.mongodb.Channel(*vargs, **kwargs)
    MongoDB Channel.
    broadcast
    broadcast_collection = u'messages.broadcast'
    calc_queue_size = True
    capped_queue_size = 100000
    client
    connect_timeout = None
    default_database = u'kombu_default'
    default hostname = u'127.0.0.1'
    default_port = 27017
    from_transport_options = (u'body_encoding', u'deadletter_queue', u'connect_timeout', u
    get_now()
        Return current time in UTC.
    get_table (exchange)
    messages
    messages_collection = u'messages'
    queue_delete (queue, **kwargs)
    queues
    queues_collection = u'messages.queues'
    routing
    routing_collection = u'messages.routing'
    ssl = False
    supports_fanout = True
    ttl = False
```

4.37 Consul Transport - kombu.transport.consul

Consul Transport.

It uses Consul.io's Key/Value store to transport messages in Queues

It uses python-consul for talking to Consul's HTTP API

- Transport
- Channel

4.37.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.consul.Transport(*args, **kwargs)
    Consul K/V storage Transport for Kombu.

class Channel(*args, **kwargs)
    Consul Channel class which talks to the Consul Key/Value store.
    index = None
    lock_name
    prefix = u'kombu'
    session_ttl = 30
    timeout = u'10s'
    default_port = 8500
    driver_name = u'consul'
    driver_type = u'consul'
    driver_version()
    verify_connection(connection)
```

4.37.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.consul.Channel (*args, **kwargs)
    Consul Channel class which talks to the Consul Key/Value store.
    index = None
    lock_name
    prefix = u'kombu'
    session_ttl = 30
    timeout = u'10s'
```

4.38 Etcd Transport - kombu.transport.etcd

Etcd Transport.

It uses Etcd as a store to transport messages in Queues

It uses python-etcd for talking to Etcd's HTTP API

- Transport
- Channel

4.38.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.etcd.Transport(*args, **kwargs)
    Etcd storage Transport for Kombu.
    class Channel(*args, **kwargs)
         Etcd Channel class which talks to the Etcd.
         index = None
         lock_ttl = 10
         lock_value
         prefix = u'kombu'
         session ttl = 30
         timeout = 10
    default port = 2379
    driver_name = u'python-etcd'
    driver_type = u'etcd'
    driver_version()
         Return the version of the etcd library.
         Note: python-etcd has no __version__. This is a workaround.
    implements = {'asynchronous': False, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'direct']), 'heart
    polling_interval = 3
    verify_connection (connection)
         Verify the connection works.
4.38.2 Channel
class kombu.transport.etcd.Channel(*args, **kwargs)
    Etcd Channel class which talks to the Etcd.
    index = None
    lock_ttl = 10
    lock_value
    prefix = u'kombu'
    session_ttl = 30
    timeout = 10
```

4.39 Zookeeper Transport - kombu.transport.zookeeper

Zookeeper transport.

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Synopsis

Connects to a zookeeper node as <server>:<port>/<vhost> The <vhost> becomes the base for all the other znodes. So we can use it like a vhost.

This uses the built-in kazoo recipe for queues

References

- https://zookeeper.apache.org/doc/trunk/recipes.html#sc_recipes_Queues
- https://kazoo.readthedocs.io/en/latest/api/recipe/queue.html

Limitations This queue does not offer reliable consumption. An entry is removed from the queue prior to being processed. So if an error occurs, the consumer has to re-queue the item or it will be lost.

- Transport
- Channel

4.39.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.zookeeper.Transport(*args, **kwargs)
    Zookeeper Transport.

class Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    Zookeeper Channel.
    client

channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>,)

connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>,)

default_port = 2181

driver_name = u'kazoo'

driver_type = u'zookeeper'

driver_version()

polling_interval = 1
```

4.39.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.zookeeper.Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    Zookeeper Channel.
    client
```

4.40 File-system Transport - kombu.transport.filesystem

File-system Transport.

Transport using the file-system as the message store.

- Transport
- Channel

4.40.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.filesystem.Transport(client, **kwargs)
    Filesystem Transport.

class Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    Filesystem Channel.

    data_folder_in
    data_folder_out
    processed_folder
    store_processed
    transport_options

default_port = 0

driver_name = u'filesystem'
driver_type = u'filesystem'
driver_version()
```

4.40.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.filesystem.Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    Filesystem Channel.
    data_folder_in
    data_folder_out
    processed_folder
    store_processed
    transport_options
```

4.41 SQLAlchemy Transport Model - kombu.transport.sqlalchemy

4.42 SQLAlchemy Transport Model - kombu.transport. sqlalchemy.models

4.43 Amazon SQS Transport - kombu.transport.SQS

Amazon SQS Transport.

Amazon SQS transport module for Kombu. This package implements an AMQP-like interface on top of Amazons SQS service, with the goal of being optimized for high performance and reliability.

The default settings for this module are focused now on high performance in task queue situations where tasks are small, idempotent and run very fast.

SQS Features supported by this transport:

Long Polling:

https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSSimpleQueueService/latest/SQSDeveloperGuide/ sqs-long-polling.html

Long polling is enabled by setting the *wait_time_seconds* transport option to a number > 1. Amazon supports up to 20 seconds. This is enabled with 10 seconds by default.

Batch API Actions:

https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSSimpleQueueService/latest/SQSDeveloperGuide/

sqs-batch-api.html

The default behavior of the SQS Channel.drain_events() method is to request up to the 'prefetch_count' messages on every request to SQS. These messages are stored locally in a deque object and passed back to the Transport until the deque is empty, before triggering a new API call to Amazon.

This behavior dramatically speeds up the rate that you can pull tasks from SQS when you have short-running tasks (or a large number of workers).

When a Celery worker has multiple queues to monitor, it will pull down up to 'prefetch_count' messages from queueA and work on them all before moving on to queueB. If queueB is empty, it will wait up until 'polling_interval' expires before moving back and checking on queueA.

- Transport
- Channel

4.43.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.SQS.Transport(client, **kwargs)
    SQS Transport.

class Channel(*args, **kwargs)
    SQS Channel.
    asynsqs
```

```
basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)
    basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
    basic_consume (queue, no_ack, *args, **kwargs)
    canonical_queue_name (queue_name)
    close()
    conninfo
    default_region = u'us-east-1'
    default_visibility_timeout = 1800
    default_wait_time_seconds = 10
    domain_format = u'kombu%(vhost)s'
    drain_events (timeout=None, callback=None, **kwargs)
         Return a single payload message from one of our queues.
              Raises Queue. Empty – if no messages available.
    endpoint_url
    entity_name (name, table={33: 95, 34: 95, 35: 95, 36: 95, 37: 95, 38: 95, 39: 95, 40: 95, 41:
                   95, 42: 95, 43: 95, 44: 95, 46: 45, 47: 95, 58: 95, 59: 95, 60: 95, 61: 95, 62:
                   95, 63: 95, 64: 95, 91: 95, 92: 95, 93: 95, 94: 95, 96: 95, 123: 95, 124: 95,
                   125: 95. 126: 951)
         Format AMQP queue name into a legal SQS queue name.
    is_secure
    port
    queue_name_prefix
    region
    regioninfo
    sqs
    supports_fanout
    transport_options
    visibility_timeout
    wait_time_seconds
channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>, <class 'kombu.asynchronous.a</pre>
connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, <class 'kombu.asynchro
default_connection_params
default_port = None
driver_name = u'sqs'
driver_type = u'sqs'
implements = {'asynchronous': True, 'exchange_type': frozenset([u'direct']), 'heartb
polling_interval = 1
wait_time_seconds = 0
```

4.43.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.SQS.Channel(*args, **kwargs)
     SQS Channel.
     asynsqs
     basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)
     basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
     basic_consume (queue, no_ack, *args, **kwargs)
     canonical_queue_name (queue_name)
     close()
     conninfo
     default_region = u'us-east-1'
     default_visibility_timeout = 1800
     default_wait_time_seconds = 10
     domain_format = u'kombu%(vhost)s'
     drain_events (timeout=None, callback=None, **kwargs)
          Return a single payload message from one of our queues.
               Raises Queue. Empty – if no messages available.
     endpoint_url
     entity_name (name, table={33: 95, 34: 95, 35: 95, 36: 95, 37: 95, 38: 95, 39: 95, 40: 95, 41: 95,
                   42: 95, 43: 95, 44: 95, 46: 45, 47: 95, 58: 95, 59: 95, 60: 95, 61: 95, 62: 95, 63: 95,
                    64: 95, 91: 95, 92: 95, 93: 95, 94: 95, 96: 95, 123: 95, 124: 95, 125: 95, 126: 95})
          Format AMQP queue name into a legal SQS queue name.
     is_secure
     port
     queue_name_prefix
     region
     regioninfo
     sqs
     supports_fanout
     transport_options
     visibility_timeout
     wait_time_seconds
```

4.44 SLMQ Transport - kombu.transport.SLMQ

SoftLayer Message Queue transport.

- Transport
- Channel

4.44.1 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.SLMQ.Transport(client, **kwargs)
     SLMQ Transport.
     class Channel(*args, **kwargs)
          SLMO Channel.
         basic_ack (delivery_tag)
         basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
         basic_consume (queue, no_ack, *args, **kwargs)
          conninfo
          default visibility timeout = 1800
          delete message (queue, message id)
          domain_format = u'kombu%(vhost)s'
          entity_name (name, table={33: 95, 34: 95, 35: 95, 36: 95, 37: 95, 38: 95, 39: 95, 40: 95, 41:
                        95, 42: 95, 43: 95, 44: 95, 45: 95, 46: 95, 47: 95, 58: 95, 59: 95, 60: 95, 61:
                        95, 62: 95, 63: 95, 64: 95, 91: 95, 92: 95, 93: 95, 94: 95, 96: 95, 123: 95, 124:
                        95, 125: 95, 126: 951)
               Format AMQP queue name into a valid SLQS queue name.
          queue_name_prefix
          slmq
         transport_options
         visibility timeout
     connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>, None, <class 'socket.e</pre>
     default_port = None
     polling_interval = 1
4.44.2 Channel
class kombu.transport.SLMQ.Channel(*args, **kwargs)
     SLMQ Channel.
     basic_ack (delivery_tag)
    basic_cancel (consumer_tag)
     basic_consume (queue, no_ack, *args, **kwargs)
     conninfo
     default_visibility_timeout = 1800
```

delete_message (queue, message_id)

4.45 Pyro Transport - kombu.transport.pyro

Pyro transport.

Requires the Pyro4 library to be installed.

- Transport
- Channel

4.45.1 Transport

4.45.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.pyro.Channel(connection, **kwargs)
    Pyro Channel.
```

```
after_reply_message_received(queue)
queues()
shared_queues
```

4.46 Transport Base Class - kombu.transport.base

Base transport interface.

- Message
- Transport

4.46.1 Message

Base class for received messages.

Keyword Arguments

- **channel** (*ChannelT*) If message was received, this should be the channel that the message was received on.
- body (str) Message body.
- **delivery_mode** (bool) Set custom delivery mode. Defaults to delivery_mode.
- **priority** (*int*) Message priority, 0 to broker configured max priority, where higher is better.
- **content_type** (str) The messages content_type. If content_type is set, no serialization occurs as it is assumed this is either a binary object, or you've done your own serialization. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content_type.
- **content_encoding** (str) The character set in which this object is encoded. Use "binary" if sending in raw binary objects. Leave blank if using built-in serialization as our library properly sets content_encoding.
- properties (Dict) Message properties.
- headers (Dict) Message headers.

payload

The decoded message body.

channel
delivery_tag

. . .

content_type

content_encoding

delivery_info

headers

properties

body

acknowledged

Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.

ack (multiple=False)

Acknowledge this message as being processed.

This will remove the message from the queue.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

reject (requeue=False)

Reject this message.

The message will be discarded by the server.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

requeue()

Reject this message and put it back on the queue.

Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.

Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowledged/requeued/rejected.

decode()

Deserialize the message body.

Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.

Note: The return value is memoized, use _decode to force re-evaluation.

4.46.2 Transport

```
class kombu.transport.base.Transport(client, **kwargs)
```

Base class for transports.

client = None

The Connection owning this instance.

default_port = None

Default port used when no port has been specified.

recoverable_connection_errors

Optional list of connection related exceptions that can be recovered from, but where the connection must be closed and re-established first.

If not defined then all <code>connection_errors</code> and <code>channel_errors</code> will be regarded as recoverable, but needing to close the connection first.

recoverable channel errors

Optional list of channel related exceptions that can be automatically recovered from without reestablishing the connection.

```
connection_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ConnectionError'>,)
    Tuple of errors that can happen due to connection failure.

channel_errors = (<class 'amqp.exceptions.ChannelError'>,)
    Tuple of errors that can happen due to channel/method failure.

establish_connection()

close_connection(connection)

create_channel(connection)

close_channel(connection)

drain_events(connection, **kwargs)
```

4.47 Virtual Transport Base Class - kombu.transport.virtual

- Transports
- Channel
- Message
- Quality Of Service
- In-memory State

4.47.1 Transports

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.Transport(client, **kwargs)
    Virtual transport.
          Parameters client (kombu.Connection) - The client this is a transport for.
    Channel = <class 'kombu.transport.virtual.base.Channel'>
    Cycle = <class 'kombu.utils.scheduling.FairCycle'>
    polling_interval = 1.0
         Time to sleep between unsuccessful polls.
    default_port = None
         port number used when no port is specified.
    state = <kombu.transport.virtual.base.BrokerState object>
          Global BrokerState containing declared exchanges and bindings.
    cycle = None
          FairCycle instance used to fairly drain events from channels (set by constructor).
    establish_connection()
    close_connection (connection)
    create_channel (connection)
```

```
close_channel (channel)
drain_events (connection, timeout=None)
```

4.47.2 Channel

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.AbstractChannel
```

Abstract channel interface.

This is an abstract class defining the channel methods you'd usually want to implement in a virtual channel.

Note: Do not subclass directly, but rather inherit from *Channel*.

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.Channel (connection, **kwargs)
    Virtual channel.
        Parameters connection (ConnectionT) - The transport instance this channel is part of.

Message = <class 'kombu.transport.virtual.base.Message'>
        message class used.

state
        Broker state containing exchanges and bindings.

qos
        QoS manager for this channel.

do_restore = True
        flag to restore unacked messages when channel goes out of scope.

exchange_types = {u'direct': <class 'kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.DirectExchange'
        mapping of exchange types and corresponding classes.</pre>
```

exchange_declare (exchange=None, type=u'direct', durable=False, auto_delete=False, arguments=None, nowait=False, passive=False)

Declare exchange.

exchange_delete (exchange, if_unused=False, nowait=False)

Delete exchange and all its bindings.

queue_declare (queue=None, passive=False, **kwargs)

Declare queue.

queue_delete (queue, if_unused=False, if_empty=False, **kwargs)

Delete queue.

queue_bind (queue, exchange=None, routing_key=u", arguments=None, **kwargs)

Bind queue to exchange with routing key.

queue_purge (queue, **kwargs)

Remove all ready messages from queue.

basic_publish (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)

Publish message.

basic_consume (queue, no_ack, callback, consumer_tag, **kwargs)

Consume from queue.

basic_cancel (consumer_tag)

Cancel consumer by consumer tag.

```
basic_get (queue, no_ack=False, **kwargs)
           Get message by direct access (synchronous).
     basic_ack (delivery_tag, multiple=False)
           Acknowledge message.
     basic_recover (requeue=False)
          Recover unacked messages.
     basic_reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)
          Reject message.
     basic_qos (prefetch_size=0, prefetch_count=0, apply_global=False)
          Change QoS settings for this channel.
          Note: Only prefetch_count is supported.
     get_table (exchange)
           Get table of bindings for exchange.
     typeof (exchange, default=u'direct')
          Get the exchange type instance for exchange.
     drain_events (timeout=None, callback=None)
     prepare message (body, priority=None, content type=None, content encoding=None, head-
                          ers=None, properties=None)
          Prepare message data.
     message_to_python (raw_message)
          Convert raw message to Message instance.
     flow (active=True)
          Enable/disable message flow.
                Raises NotImplementedError – as flow is not implemented by the base virtual imple-
                     mentation.
     close()
          Close channel.
           Cancel all consumers, and requeue unacked messages.
4.47.3 Message
class kombu.transport.virtual.Message(payload, channel=None, **kwargs)
     Message object.
     exception MessageStateError
          The message has already been acknowledged.
          args
          message
     accept
     ack (multiple=False)
          Acknowledge this message as being processed.
```

This will remove the message from the queue.

```
Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
               edged/requeued/rejected.
\verb"ack_log_error" (logger, errors, multiple=False)
acknowledged
     Set to true if the message has been acknowledged.
body
channel
content_encoding
content_type
decode()
     Deserialize the message body.
     Returning the original python structure sent by the publisher.
     Note: The return value is memoized, use <u>_decode</u> to force re-evaluation.
delivery_info
delivery_tag
errors = None
headers
payload
     The decoded message body.
properties
reject (requeue=False)
     Reject this message.
     The message will be discarded by the server.
          Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
               edged/requeued/rejected.
reject_log_error (logger, errors, requeue=False)
requeue()
     Reject this message and put it back on the queue.
       Warning: You must not use this method as a means of selecting messages to process.
          Raises MessageStateError - If the message has already been acknowl-
               edged/requeued/rejected.
```

serializable()

4.47.4 Quality Of Service

class kombu.transport.virtual.QoS(channel, prefetch_count=0)

Quality of Service guarantees.

Only supports *prefetch_count* at this point.

Parameters

- **channel** (ChannelT) Connection channel.
- **prefetch_count** (*int*) Initial prefetch count (defaults to 0).

ack (delivery_tag)

Acknowledge message and remove from transactional state.

append (message, delivery_tag)

Append message to transactional state.

can consume()

Return true if the channel can be consumed from.

Used to ensure the client adhers to currently active prefetch limits.

can consume max estimate()

Return the maximum number of messages allowed to be returned.

Returns an estimated number of messages that a consumer may be allowed to consume at once from the broker. This is used for services where bulk 'get message' calls are preferred to many individual 'get message' calls - like SQS.

Returns greater than zero.

Return type int

get (delivery_tag)

prefetch_count = 0

current prefetch count value

reject (delivery_tag, requeue=False)

Remove from transactional state and requeue message.

restore at shutdown = True

If disabled, unacked messages won't be restored at shutdown.

restore_unacked()

Restore all unacknowledged messages.

restore_unacked_once (stderr=None)

Restore all unacknowledged messages at shutdown/gc collect.

Note: Can only be called once for each instance, subsequent calls will be ignored.

restore visible(*args, **kwargs)

Restore any pending unackwnowledged messages.

To be filled in for visibility_timeout style implementations.

Note: This is implementation optional, and currently only used by the Redis transport.

4.47.5 In-memory State

class kombu.transport.virtual.BrokerState(exchanges=None)

Broker state holds exchanges, queues and bindings.

binding_declare (queue, exchange, routing_key, arguments)

binding_delete (queue, exchange, routing_key)

bindings = None

This is the actual bindings registry, used to store bindings and to test 'in' relationships in constant time. It has the following structure:

```
{
    (queue, exchange, routing_key): arguments,
    # ...,
}
```

clear()

exchanges = None

Mapping of exchange name to kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.ExchangeType

has_binding(queue, exchange, routing_key)

queue_bindings(queue)

queue_bindings_delete(queue)

queue index = None

The queue index is used to access directly (constant time) all the bindings of a certain queue. It has the following structure:

```
{
    queue: {
        (queue, exchange, routing_key),
        # ...,
    },
    # ...,
}
```

4.48 Virtual AMQ Exchange Implementation - kombu.transport. virtual.exchange

Virtual AMQ Exchange.

Implementations of the standard exchanges defined by the AMQ protocol (excluding the headers exchange).

- Direct
- Topic
- Fanout
- Interface

4.48.1 Direct

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.DirectExchange (channel)
    Direct exchange.

The direct exchange routes based on exact routing keys.

deliver (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)
    lookup (table, exchange, routing_key, default)

type = u'direct'
```

4.48.2 Topic

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.TopicExchange(channel)

Topic exchange.
```

The *topic* exchange routes messages based on words separated by dots, using wildcard characters \star (any single word), and # (one or more words).

```
deliver (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)
key_to_pattern (rkey)
    Get the corresponding regex for any routing key.
lookup (table, exchange, routing_key, default)
prepare_bind (queue, exchange, routing_key, arguments)
type = u'topic'
wildcards = {u'#': u'.*?', u'*': u'.*?[^\\.]'}
    map of wildcard to regex conversions
```

4.48.3 Fanout

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.FanoutExchange(channel)
    Fanout exchange.
```

The *fanout* exchange implements broadcast messaging by delivering copies of all messages to all queues bound to the exchange.

To support fanout the virtual channel needs to store the table as shared state. This requires that the *Channel.supports_fanout* attribute is set to true, and the *Channel.queue_bind* and *Channel.get_table* methods are implemented.

See also:

the redis backend for an example implementation of these methods.

```
deliver (message, exchange, routing_key, **kwargs)
lookup (table, exchange, routing_key, default)
type = u'fanout'
```

4.48.4 Interface

```
class kombu.transport.virtual.exchange.ExchangeType(channel)
     Base class for exchanges.
     Implements the specifics for an exchange type.
           Parameters channel (Channel T) – AMQ Channel.
     equivalent (prev, exchange, type, durable, auto_delete, arguments)
           Return true if prev and exchange is equivalent.
     lookup (table, exchange, routing_key, default)
           Lookup all queues matching routing_key in exchange.
                 Returns queue name, or 'default' if no queues matched.
                 Return type str
     prepare_bind (queue, exchange, routing_key, arguments)
           Prepare queue-binding.
                 Returns
                      of (routing_key, regex, queue) to be stored for bindings to this exchange.
                 Return type Tuple[str, Pattern, str]
     type = None
```

4.49 Message Serialization - kombu

Serialization utilities.

- Overview
- Exceptions
- Serialization
- Registry

4.49.1 Overview

Centralized support for encoding/decoding of data structures. Contains json, pickle, msgpack, and yaml serializers.

Optionally installs support for YAML if the PyYAML package is installed.

Optionally installs support for msgpack if the msgpack-python package is installed.

4.49.2 Exceptions

```
exception kombu.serialization.SerializerNotInstalled
Support for the requested serialization type is not installed.
```

4.49.3 Serialization

kombu.serialization.raw_encode(data)
Special case serializer.

4.49.4 Registry

kombu.serialization.register(name, encoder, decoder, content_type, content_encoding=u'utf-8')
Register a new encoder/decoder.

Parameters

- name (str) A convenience name for the serialization method.
- **encoder** (*callable*) A method that will be passed a python data structure and should return a string representing the serialized data. If None, then only a decoder will be registered. Encoding will not be possible.
- **decoder** (*Callable*) A method that will be passed a string representing serialized data and should return a python data structure. If None, then only an encoder will be registered. Decoding will not be possible.
- **content_type** (*str*) The mime-type describing the serialized structure.
- **content_encoding** (str) The content encoding (character set) that the *decoder* method will be returning. Will usually be *utf-8*, *us-ascii*, or *binary*.

kombu.serialization.registry = <kombu.serialization.SerializerRegistry object>
Global registry of serializers/deserializers.

4.50 Generic RabbitMQ manager - kombu.utils.amq_manager

AMQP Management API utilities.

kombu.utils.amq_manager.get_manager(client, hostname=None, port=None, userid=None, pass-word=None)

Get pyrabbit manager.

4.51 Custom Collections - kombu.utils.collections

Custom maps, sequences, etc.

```
class kombu.utils.collections.EqualityDict
    Dict using the eq operator for keying.
```

```
class kombu.utils.collections.HashedSeq(*seq)
    Hashed Sequence.
```

Type used for hash() to make sure the hash is not generated multiple times.

hashvalue

```
kombu.utils.collections.eqhash(o) Call obj.__eqhash__.
```

Python Compatibility Utilities.

4.52 Python Compatibility - kombu.utils.compat

```
kombu.utils.compat.coro(gen)
Decorator to mark generator as co-routine.

kombu.utils.compat.detect_environment()
Detect the current environment: default, eventlet, or gevent.

kombu.utils.compat.entrypoints(namespace)
Return setuptools entrypoints for namespace.

kombu.utils.compat.fileno(f)
Get fileno from file-like object.

kombu.utils.compat.maybe_fileno(f)
Get object fileno, or None if not defined.

kombu.utils.compat.nested(*args, **kwds)
Nest context managers.
```

4.53 Debugging Utilities - kombu.utils.debug

Debugging support.

```
kombu.utils.debug.setup_logging(loglevel=10, loggers=[u'kombu.connection', u'kombu.channel'])

Setup logging to stdout.

class kombu.utils.debug.Logwrapped(instance, logger=None, ident=None)

Wrap all object methods, to log on call.
```

4.54 Div Utilities - kombu.utils.div

Div. Utilities.

```
kombu.utils.div.emergency_dump_state(state, open_file=<built-in function open>, dump=None, stderr=None)

Dump message state to stdout or file.
```

4.55 String Encoding Utilities - kombu.utils.encoding

Text encoding utilities.

Utilities to encode text, and to safely emit text from running applications without crashing from the infamous UnicodeDecodeError exception.

```
kombu.utils.encoding.bytes_to_str(s)
    Convert bytes to str.
kombu.utils.encoding.default_encode(obj, file=None)
    Get default encoding.
```

```
kombu.utils.encoding.default_encoding(file=None)
    Get default encoding.
kombu.utils.encoding.default_encoding_file = None
    safe_str takes encoding from this file by default. set_default_encoding_file() can used to set the
    default output file.
kombu.utils.encoding.ensure_bytes(s)
    Convert str to bytes.
kombu.utils.encoding.from_utf8(s, *args, **kwargs)
    Convert utf-8 to ASCII.
kombu.utils.encoding.get_default_encoding_file()
    Get file used to get codec information.
kombu.utils.encoding.safe_repr(o, errors=u'replace')
    Safe form of repr, void of Unicode errors.
kombu.utils.encoding.safe_str(s, errors=u'replace')
    Safe form of str(), void of unicode errors.
kombu.utils.encoding.set_default_encoding_file(file)
    Set file used to get codec information.
kombu.utils.encoding.str_to_bytes(s)
    Convert str to bytes.
4.56 Async I/O Selectors - kombu.utils.eventio
```

```
Selector Utilities.
```

```
kombu.utils.eventio.poll(*args, **kwargs)
Create new poller instance.
```

4.57 Functional-style Utilities - kombu.utils.functional

```
Functional Utilities.

class kombu.utils.functional.LRUCache (limit=None)

LRU Cache implementation using a doubly linked list to track access.

Parameters limit (int) - The maximum number of keys to keep in the cache. When a new key is inserted and the limit has been exceeded, the Least Recently Used key will be discarded from the cache.

incr (key, delta=1)

items ()

iteritems ()

iterkeys ()

itervalues ()

keys ()

popitem (last=True)

update (*args, **kwargs)
```

```
values()
                                                                                   Cache=<class
kombu.utils.functional.memoize(maxsize=None,
                                                              keyfun=None,
                                        kombu.utils.functional.LRUCache>)
     Decorator to cache function return value.
class kombu.utils.functional.lazy(fun, *args, **kwargs)
     Holds lazy evaluation.
     Evaluated when called or if the evaluate () method is called. The function is re-evaluated on every call.
     Overloaded operations that will evaluate the promise: __str__(), __repr__().
     evaluate()
kombu.utils.functional.maybe_evaluate(value)
     Evaluate value only if value is a lazy instance.
kombu.utils.functional.is_list(l, scalars=(<class '_abcoll.Mapping'>, <type 'basestring'>),
                                        iters=(<class '_abcoll.Iterable'>, ))
     Return true if the object is iterable.
     Note: Returns false if object is a mapping or string.
kombu.utils.functional.maybe_list(l, scalars=(<class '_abcoll.Mapping'>, <type 'bases-
                                            tring'>))
     Return list of one element if 1 is a scalar.
kombu.utils.functional.dictfilter(d=None, **kw)
     Remove all keys from dict d whose value is None.
```

4.58 Module Importing Utilities - kombu.utils.imports

Import related utilities.

```
kombu.utils.imports.symbol_by_name (name, aliases={}, imp=None, package=None, sep=u'.', default=None, **kwargs)
```

Get symbol by qualified name.

The name should be the full dot-separated path to the class:

```
modulename.ClassName
```

Example:

or using ':' to separate module and symbol:

```
celery.concurrency.processes:TaskPool
```

If *aliases* is provided, a dict containing short name/long name mappings, the name is looked up in the aliases first.

Examples

```
>>> symbol_by_name('celery.concurrency.processes.TaskPool')
<class 'celery.concurrency.processes.TaskPool'>
```

```
>>> symbol_by_name('default', {
... 'default': 'celery.concurrency.processes.TaskPool'})
<class 'celery.concurrency.processes.TaskPool'>
```

Does not try to look up non-string names. >>> from celery.concurrency.processes import TaskPool >>> symbol_by_name(TaskPool) is TaskPool True

4.59 JSON Utilities - kombu.utils.json

JSON Serialization Utilities.

```
class kombu.utils.json.DjangoPromise
    Dummy object.
```

Kombu custom json encoder.

default (o, dates=(<type 'datetime.datetime'>, <type 'datetime.date'>), times=(<type 'datetime.time'>,), textual=(<class 'decimal.Decimal'>, <class 'uuid.UUID'>, <class
'kombu.utils.json.DjangoPromise'>), isinstance=<built-in function isinstance>, datetime=<type 'datetime.datetime'>, text_t=<type 'unicode'>)

Implement this method in a subclass such that it returns a serializable object for o, or calls the base implementation (to raise a TypeError).

For example, to support arbitrary iterators, you could implement default like this:

```
def default(self, o):
    try:
        iterable = iter(o)
    except TypeError:
        pass
    else:
        return list(iterable)
    # Let the base class default method raise the TypeError
    return JSONEncoder.default(self, o)
```

kombu.utils.json.**dumps**(*s*, _dumps=<function dumps>, cls=None, default_kwargs={}, **kwargs)
Serialize object to json string.

kombu.utils.json.loads(*s*,_loads=<function loads>, decode_bytes=False)
Deserialize json from string.

4.60 Rate limiting - kombu.utils.limits

Token bucket implementation for rate limiting.

```
class kombu.utils.limits.TokenBucket (fill_rate, capacity=1)
    Token Bucket Algorithm.
```

See also:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Token_Bucket

Most of this code was stolen from an entry in the ASPN Python Cookbook: https://code.activestate.com/recipes/511490/

Warning: Thread Safety: This implementation is not thread safe. Access to a *TokenBucket* instance should occur within the critical section of any multithreaded code.

```
add (item)
can consume (tokens=1)
```

Check if one or more tokens can be consumed.

Returns

true if the number of tokens can be consumed from the bucket. If they can be consumed, a call will also consume the requested number of tokens from the bucket. Calls will only consume *tokens* (the number requested) or zero tokens – it will never consume a partial number of tokens.

Return type bool

```
capacity = 1
```

Maximum number of tokens in the bucket.

```
clear_pending()
```

```
expected_time (tokens=1)
```

Return estimated time of token availability.

Returns the time in seconds.

Return type float

```
fill rate = None
```

The rate in tokens/second that the bucket will be refilled.

pop()

```
timestamp = None
```

Timestamp of the last time a token was taken out of the bucket.

4.61 Object/Property Utilities - kombu.utils.objects

Object Utilities.

```
class kombu.utils.objects.cached_property(fget=None, fset=None, fdel=None, doc=None) Cached property descriptor.
```

Caches the return value of the get method on first call.

Examples

```
@cached_property
def connection(self):
    return Connection()

@connection.setter # Prepares stored value
def connection(self, value):
    if value is None:
        raise TypeError('Connection must be a connection')
    return value

@connection.deleter
def connection(self, value):
    # Additional action to do at del(self.attr)
    if value is not None:
        print('Connection {0!r} deleted'.format(value)
```

```
deleter (fdel)
setter (fset)
```

4.62 Consumer Scheduling - kombu.utils.scheduling

```
Scheduling Utilities.
```

Consume from a set of resources, where each resource gets an equal chance to be consumed from.

Parameters

```
• fun (Callable) - Callback to call.
```

• resources (Sequence [Any]) – List of resources.

• **predicate** (*type*) – Exception predicate.

```
close()
```

Close cycle.

```
get (callback, **kwargs)
```

Get from next resource.

```
class kombu.utils.scheduling.priority_cycle(it=None)
```

Cycle that repeats items in order.

```
rotate(last_used)
```

Unused in this implementation.

```
class kombu.utils.scheduling.round_robin_cycle(it=None)
```

Iterator that cycles between items in round-robin.

consume(n)

Consume n items.

```
rotate(last_used)
```

Move most recently used item to end of list.

4.63 Text utilitites - kombu.utils.text

```
Text Utilities.
```

```
kombu.utils.text.escape_regex(p, white=u")
Escape string for use within a regular expression.

kombu.utils.text.fmatch_best(needle, haystack, min_ratio=0.6)
Fuzzy match - Find best match (scalar).

kombu.utils.text.fmatch_iter(needle, haystack, min_ratio=0.6)
Fuzzy match: iteratively.
Yields Tuple - of ratio and key.

kombu.utils.text.version_string_as_tuple(s)
Convert version string to version info tuple.
```

4.64 Time Utilities - kombu.utils.time

```
Time Utilities.
```

```
kombu.utils.time.maybe_s_to_ms(v)

Convert seconds to milliseconds, but return None for None.
```

4.65 URL Utilities - kombu.utils.url

```
URL Utilities.
```

```
kombu.utils.url.as_url(scheme, host=None, port=None, user=None, password=None, path=None, query=None, sanitize=False, mask=u'**')

Generate URL from component parts.

kombu.utils.url.maybe_sanitize_url(url, mask=u'**')

Sanitize url, or do nothing if url undefined.

kombu.utils.url.parse_url(url)

Parse URL into mapping of components.

kombu.utils.url.sanitize_url(url, mask=u'**')

Return copy of URL with password removed.

kombu.utils.url.url_to_parts(url)

Parse URL into urlparts tuple of components.

class kombu.utils.url.urlparts(scheme, hostname, port, username, password, path, query)
```

hostname

Alias for field number 1

password

Alias for field number 4

path

Alias for field number 5

port

Alias for field number 2

query

Alias for field number 6

scheme

Alias for field number 0

username

Alias for field number 3

4.66 UUID Utilities - kombu.utils.uuid

UUID utilities.

```
kombu.utils.uuid.uuid(_uuid=<function uuid4>)
Generate unique id in UUID4 format.
```

See also:

For now this is provided by uuid.uuid4().

4.67 Python 2 to Python 3 utilities - kombu.five

Python 2/3 compatibility.

Compatibility implementations of features only available in newer Python versions.

```
class kombu.five.Counter(**kwds)
```

Dict subclass for counting hashable items. Sometimes called a bag or multiset. Elements are stored as dictionary keys and their counts are stored as dictionary values.

```
>>> c = Counter('abcdeabcdabcaba') # count elements from a string
```

```
>>> c.most_common(3)  # three most common elements
[('a', 5), ('b', 4), ('c', 3)]
>>> sorted(c)  # list all unique elements
['a', 'b', 'c', 'd', 'e']
>>> ''.join(sorted(c.elements()))  # list elements with repetitions
'aaaaabbbbcccdde'
>>> sum(c.values())  # total of all counts
15
```

```
>>> c['a']  # count of letter 'a'

5
>>> for elem in 'shazam':  # update counts from an iterable
```

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```
>>> d = Counter('simsalabim')  # make another counter
>>> c.update(d)  # add in the second counter
>>> c['a']  # now there are nine 'a'

9
```

```
>>> c.clear() # empty the counter
>>> c
Counter()
```

Note: If a count is set to zero or reduced to zero, it will remain in the counter until the entry is deleted or the counter is cleared:

copy()

Return a shallow copy.

elements()

Iterator over elements repeating each as many times as its count.

```
>>> c = Counter('ABCABC')
>>> sorted(c.elements())
['A', 'A', 'B', 'B', 'C', 'C']
```

Knuth's example for prime factors of 1836: 2**2 * 3**3 * 17**1 >>> prime_factors = Counter({2: 2, 3: 3, 17: 1}) >>> product = 1 >>> for factor in prime_factors.elements(): # loop over factors ... product *= factor # and multiply them >>> product 1836

Note, if an element's count has been set to zero or is a negative number, elements() will ignore it.

classmethod fromkeys $(S[, v]) \rightarrow \text{New dict with keys from S and values equal to v. v defaults to None.$

${\tt most_common}\;(n{=}None)$

List the n most common elements and their counts from the most common to the least. If n is None, then list all element counts.

```
>>> Counter('abcdeabcdabcaba').most_common(3)
[('a', 5), ('b', 4), ('c', 3)]
```

subtract (**kwds)

Like dict.update() but subtracts counts instead of replacing them. Counts can be reduced below zero. Both the inputs and outputs are allowed to contain zero and negative counts.

Source can be an iterable, a dictionary, or another Counter instance.

update(**kwds)

Like dict.update() but add counts instead of replacing them.

Source can be an iterable, a dictionary, or another Counter instance.

```
>>> c = Counter('which')
>>> c.update('witch')  # add elements from another iterable
>>> d = Counter('watch')
>>> c.update(d)  # add elements from another counter
>>> c['h']  # four 'h' in which, witch, and watch
```

```
kombu.five.reload(module) \rightarrow module
```

Reload the module. The module must have been successfully imported before.

```
class kombu.five.UserList(initlist=None)
      append(item)
            S.append(object) – append object to the end of the sequence
      count (value) \rightarrow integer – return number of occurrences of value
      extend(other)
            S.extend(iterable) – extend sequence by appending elements from the iterable
      index (value) \rightarrow integer – return first index of value.
            Raises ValueError if the value is not present.
      insert (i, item)
            S.insert(index, object) – insert object before index
      pop (|index|) \rightarrow item – remove and return item at index (default last).
            Raise IndexError if list is empty or index is out of range.
      remove (item)
            S.remove(value) – remove first occurrence of value. Raise ValueError if the value is not present.
      reverse()
            S.reverse() – reverse IN PLACE
      sort (*args, **kwds)
class kombu.five.UserDict(**kwargs)
      clear()
      copy()
      classmethod fromkeys (iterable, value=None)
```

get (key, failobj=None)

```
has_key(key)
     items()
     iteritems()
     iterkeys()
     itervalues()
     keys()
     pop (key, *args)
     popitem()
     setdefault (key, failobj=None)
     update(**kwargs)
     values()
class kombu.five.Queue (maxsize=0)
     Create a queue object with a given maximum size.
     If maxsize is <= 0, the queue size is infinite.
     empty()
           Return True if the queue is empty, False otherwise (not reliable!).
     full()
           Return True if the queue is full, False otherwise (not reliable!).
     get (block=True, timeout=None)
```

Remove and return an item from the queue.

If optional args 'block' is true and 'timeout' is None (the default), block if necessary until an item is available. If 'timeout' is a non-negative number, it blocks at most 'timeout' seconds and raises the Empty exception if no item was available within that time. Otherwise ('block' is false), return an item if one is immediately available, else raise the Empty exception ('timeout' is ignored in that case).

```
get_nowait()
```

Remove and return an item from the queue without blocking.

Only get an item if one is immediately available. Otherwise raise the Empty exception.

```
join()
```

Blocks until all items in the Queue have been gotten and processed.

The count of unfinished tasks goes up whenever an item is added to the queue. The count goes down whenever a consumer thread calls task done() to indicate the item was retrieved and all work on it is complete.

When the count of unfinished tasks drops to zero, join() unblocks.

```
put (item, block=True, timeout=None)
```

Put an item into the queue.

If optional args 'block' is true and 'timeout' is None (the default), block if necessary until a free slot is available. If 'timeout' is a non-negative number, it blocks at most 'timeout' seconds and raises the Full exception if no free slot was available within that time. Otherwise ('block' is false), put an item on the queue if a free slot is immediately available, else raise the Full exception ('timeout' is ignored in that case).

```
put_nowait (item)
```

Put an item into the queue without blocking.

Only enqueue the item if a free slot is immediately available. Otherwise raise the Full exception.

qsize()

Return the approximate size of the queue (not reliable!).

task done()

Indicate that a formerly enqueued task is complete.

Used by Queue consumer threads. For each get() used to fetch a task, a subsequent call to task_done() tells the queue that the processing on the task is complete.

If a join() is currently blocking, it will resume when all items have been processed (meaning that a task_done() call was received for every item that had been put() into the queue).

Raises a ValueError if called more times than there were items placed in the queue.

```
exception kombu.five.Empty
```

Exception raised by Queue.get(block=0)/get_nowait().

```
exception kombu.five.Full
```

Exception raised by Queue.put(block=0)/put_nowait().

```
class kombu.five.LifoQueue(maxsize=0)
```

Variant of Queue that retrieves most recently added entries first.

```
kombu.five.array(typecode, *args, **kwargs)
```

Create array.

kombu.five.zip_longest

alias of itertools.izip_longest

kombu.five.map

alias of itertools.imap

$\verb|kombu.five.zip||$

alias of itertools.izip

kombu.five.string

alias of __builtin__.unicode

kombu.five.string_t

alias of __builtin__.basestring

kombu.five.bytes_t

alias of __builtin__.str

kombu.five.bytes_if_py2(s)

Convert str to bytes if running under Python 2.

kombu.five.long_t

alias of __builtin__.long

kombu.five.text_t

alias of __builtin__.unicode

kombu.five.module_name_t

alias of __builtin__.str

kombu.five.range

alias of $_$ builtin $_$.xrange

```
kombu.five.items(d)
     Return dict items iterator.
kombu.five.keys(d)
     Return dict key iterator.
kombu.five.values(d)
     Return dict values iterator.
kombu.five.nextfun(it)
     Return iterator next method.
kombu.five.reraise(tp, value, tb=None)
class kombu.five.WhateverIO(v=None, *a, **kw)
     StringIO that takes bytes or str.
     write(data)
           Write string to file.
           Returns the number of characters written, which is always equal to the length of the string.
kombu.five.with_metaclass(Type, skip_attrs=None)
     Class decorator to set metaclass.
     Works with both Python 2 and Python 3 and it does not add an extra class in the lookup order like six.
     with_metaclass does (that is - it copies the original class instead of using inheritance).
class kombu.five.StringIO
     Text I/O implementation using an in-memory buffer.
     The initial_value argument sets the value of object. The newline argument is like the one of TextIOWrapper's
     constructor.
     close()
           Close the IO object. Attempting any further operation after the object is closed will raise a ValueError.
           This method has no effect if the file is already closed.
     closed
     getvalue()
           Retrieve the entire contents of the object.
     line_buffering
     newlines
           Line endings translated so far.
           Only line endings translated during reading are considered.
           Subclasses should override.
     next
     read()
           Read at most n characters, returned as a string.
           If the argument is negative or omitted, read until EOF is reached. Return an empty string at EOF.
     readable () \rightarrow bool. Returns True if the IO object can be read.
     readline()
           Read until newline or EOF.
           Returns an empty string if EOF is hit immediately.
```

```
seek()
           Change stream position.
           Seek to character offset pos relative to position indicated by whence: 0 Start of stream (the default).
                 pos should be \geq 0; 1 Current position - pos must be 0; 2 End of stream - pos must be 0.
           Returns the new absolute position.
     seekable () \rightarrow bool. Returns True if the IO object can be seeked.
     tell()
           Tell the current file position.
     truncate()
           Truncate size to pos.
           The pos argument defaults to the current file position, as returned by tell(). The current file position is
           unchanged. Returns the new absolute position.
     writable() \rightarrow bool. Returns True if the IO object can be written.
     write()
           Write string to file.
           Returns the number of characters written, which is always equal to the length of the string.
kombu.five.getfullargspec(fun,_fill=(None, None, None))
     For compatibility with Python 3.
kombu.five.format_d(i)
     Format number.
kombu.five.monotonic()
kombu.five.buffer_t
     alias of __builtin__.buffer
kombu.five.python_2_unicode_compatible(cls)
```

Class decorator to ensure class is compatible with Python 2.

CHAPTER 5

Change history

5.1 4.2.1

release-date 2018-05-21 09:00 A.M IST

release-by Omer Katz

• Handle librabbitmq fileno raising a ValueError when socket is not connected.

Contributed by Bryan Shelton

5.2 4.2.0

release-date 2018-05-21 09:00 A.M IST

release-by Omer Katz

• Now passing max_retries, interval_start, interval_step, interval_max parameters from broker transport_options to ensure_connection() when returning default_connection() (Issue #765).

Contributed by Anthony Lukach.

• Qpid: messages are now durable by default

Contributed by **David Davis**

• Kombu now requires version 2.10.4 or greater of the redis library, in line with Celery

Contributed by Colin Jeanne

• Fixed ImportError in some environments with outdated simplejson

Contributed by Aaron Morris

• MongoDB: fixed failure on MongoDB versions with an "-rc" tag

Contributed by dust8

• Ensure periodic polling frequency does not exceed timeout in virtual transport

Contributed by Arcadiy Ivanov

• Fixed string handling when using python-future module

Contributed by **John Koehl"

• Replaced "async" with "asynchronous" in preparation for Python 3.7

Contributed by Thomas Achtemichuk

• Allow removing pool size limit when in use

Contributed by Alex Hill

- Codebase improvements and fixes by:
 - j2gg0s
 - Jon Dufresne
 - Jonas Lergell
 - Mads Jensen
 - Nicolas Delaby
 - Omer Katz
- Documentation improvements by:
 - Felix Yan
 - Harry Moreno
 - Mads Jensen
 - Omer Katz
 - Radha Krishna. S.
 - Wojciech Matyśkiewicz

5.3 4.1.0

release-date 2017-07-17 04:45 P.M MST

release-by Anthony Lukach

• SQS: Added support for long-polling on all supported queries. Fixed bug causing error on parsing responses with no retrieved messages from SQS.

Contributed by Anthony Lukach.

- Async hub: Fixed potential infinite loop while performing todo tasks (Issue celery/celery#3712).
- Qpid: Fixed bug where messages could have duplicate delivery_tag (Issue #563).

Contributed by bmbouter.

• MongoDB: Fixed problem with using readPreference option at pymongo 3.x.

Contributed by Mikhail Elovskikh.

• Re-added support for :pypi:SQLAlchemy

Contributed by Amin Ghadersohi.

SQS: Fixed bug where hostname would default to localhost if not specified in settings.

Contributed by **Anthony Lukach**.

• Redis: Added support for reading password from transport URL (Issue #677).

Contributed by George Psarakis.

• RabbitMQ: Ensured safer encoding of queue arguments.

Contributed by **Robert Kopaczewski**.

• Added fallback to :func:uuid.uuid5 in :func:generate_oid if :func:uuid.uuid3 fails.

Contributed by Bill Nottingham.

• Fixed race condition and innacurrate timeouts for :class:kombu.simple.SimpleBase (Issue #720).

Contributed by **c-nichols**.

• Zookeeper: Fixed last chroot character trimming

Contributed by **Dima Kurguzov**.

• RabbitMQ: Fixed bug causing an exception when attempting to close an already-closed connection (Issue #690).

Contributed by eavictor.

Removed deprecated use of StopIteration in generators and invalid regex escape sequence.

Contributed by Jon Dufresne.

• Added Python 3.6 to CI testing.

Contributed by **Jon Dufresne**.

• SQS: Allowed endpoint URL to be specified in the boto3 connection.

Contributed by **georgepsarakis**.

• SQS: Added support for Python 3.4.

Contributed by Anthony Lukach.

- SQS: kombu[sqs] now depends on boto3 (no longer using boto).
 - Adds support for Python 3.4+
 - Adds support for FIFO queues (Issue #678) and (Issue celery/celery#3690)
 - Avoids issues around a broken endpoints file (Issue celery/celery#3672)

Contributed by Mischa Spiegelmock and Jerry Seutter.

• Zookeeper: Added support for delaying task with Python 3.

Contributed by **Dima Kurguzov**.

• SQS: Fixed bug where kombu.transport.SQS.drain_events() did not support callback argument (Issue #694).

Contributed by Michael Montgomery.

• Fixed bug around modifying dictionary size while iterating over it (Issue #675).

Contributed by Felix Yan.

• etcd: Added handling for EtcdException exception rather than EtcdError.

Contributed by Stephen Milner.

5.3. 4.1.0

- Documentation improvements by:
 - Mads Jensen
 - Matias Insaurralde
 - Omer Katz
 - Dmitry Dygalo
 - Christopher Hoskin

5.4 4.0.2

release-date 2016-12-15 03:31 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on amap 2.1.4

This new version takes advantage of TCP Keepalive settings on Linux, making it better at detecting closed connections, also in failover conditions.

• Redis: Priority was reversed so, e.g. priority 0 became priority 9.

5.5 4.0.1

release-date 2016-12-07 06:00 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on amop 2.1.3

This new version takes advantage of the new TCP_USER_TIMEOUT socket option on Linux.

- Producer: Fixed performance degradation when default exchange specified (Issue #651).
- QPid: Switch to using getattr in qpid.Transport.__del__ (Issue #658)

Contributed by Patrick Creech.

- QPid: Now uses monotonic time for timeouts.
- MongoDB: Fixed compatibility with Python 3 (Issue #661).
- Consumer: __exit__ now skips cancelling consumer if connection-related error raised (Issue #670).
- MongoDB: Removes use of natural sort (Issue #638).

Contributed by Anton Chaporgin.

• Fixed wrong keyword argument channel error (Issue #652).

Contributed by Toomore Chiang.

- Safe argument to urllib.quote must be bytes on Python 2.x (Issue #645).
- Documentation improvments by:
 - Carlos Edo
 - Cemre Mengu

5.6 4.0

release-date 2016-10-28 16:45 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on amap 2.0.

The new py-amqp version have been refactored for better performance, using modern Python socket conventions, and API consistency.

• No longer depends on any json.

Kombu will now only choose between simple json and the built-in json.

Using the latest version of simplejson is recommended:

```
$ pip install -U simplejson
```

- Removed transports that are no longer supported in this version:
 - Django ORM transport
 - SQLAlchemy ORM transport
 - Beanstalk transport
 - ZeroMQ transport
 - amqplib transport (use pyamqp).
- · API Changes
 - Signature of kombu. Message now takes body as first argment.

```
It used to be Message(channel, body=body, **kw), but now it's Message(body, channel=channel, **kw).
```

This is unlikey to affect you, as the Kombu API does not have users instantiate messages manually.

• New SQS transport

Donated by NextDoor, with additional contributions from mdk.

Note: kombu[sqs] now depends on pycurl.

• New Consul transport.

Contributed by Wido den Hollander.

• New etcd transport.

Contributed by Stephen Milner.

• New Qpid transport.

It was introduced as an experimental transport in Kombu 3.0, but is now mature enough to be fully supported.

Created and maintained by Brian Bouterse.

• Redis: Priority 0 is now lowest, 9 is highest. (backward incompatible)

5.6. 4.0

This to match how priorities in AMQP works.

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• Redis: Support for Sentinel

You can point the connection to a list of sentinel URLs like:

```
sentinel://0.0.0.0:26379;sentinel://0.0.0:26380/...
```

where each sentinel is separated by a ;. Multiple sentinels are handled by *kombu*. *Connection* constructor, and placed in the alternative list of servers to connect to in case of connection failure.

Contributed by Sergey Azovskov, and Lorenzo Mancini

• RabbitMQ Queue Extensions

New arguments have been added to *kombu.Queue* that lets you directly and conveniently configure the RabbitMQ queue extensions.

- Queue (expires=20.0)

Set queue expiry time in float seconds.

See kombu. Queue. expires.

- Queue (message_ttl=30.0)

Set queue message time-to-live float seconds.

See kombu. Queue.message_ttl.

- Queue (max_length=1000)

Set queue max length (number of messages) as int.

See kombu.Queue.max_length.

- Queue (max_length_bytes=1000)

Set queue max length (message size total in bytes) as int.

See kombu.Queue.max_length_bytes.

- Queue (max_priority=10)

Declare queue to be a priority queue that routes messages based on the priority field of the message.

See kombu. Queue.max_priority.

• RabbitMQ: Message.ack now supports the multiple argument.

If multiple is set to True, then all messages received before the message being acked will also be acknowledged.

- amqps:// can now be specified to require SSL (Issue #610).
- Consumer.cancel_by_queue is now constant time.
- Connection.ensure* now raises kombu.exceptions.OperationalError.

Things that can be retried are now reraised as kombu.exceptions.OperationalError.

• Redis: Fixed SSL support.

Contributed by Robert Kolba.

• New Queue.consumer_arguments can be used for the ability to set consumer priority via x-priority. See https://www.rabbitmg.com/consumer-priority.html

Example:

```
Queue(
    'qname',
    exchange=Exchange('exchange'),
    routing_key='qname',
    consumer_arguments={'x-priority': 3},
)
```

- Queue/Exchange: no_declare option added (also enabled for internal amq. exchanges) (Issue #565).
- JSON serializer now calls obj.__json__ for unsupported types.

This means you can now define a ___json__ method for custom types that can be reduced down to a built-in json type.

Example:

```
class Person:
    first_name = None
    last_name = None
    address = None

def __json__(self):
    return {
        'first_name': self.first_name,
        'last_name': self.last_name,
        'address': self.address,
    }
}
```

- JSON serializer now handles datetimes, Django promise, UUID and Decimal.
- Beanstalk: Priority 0 is now lowest, 9 is highest. (backward incompatible)

This to match how priorities in AMQP works.

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

- Redis: now supports SSL using the ssl argument to Connection.
- Redis: Fanout exchanges are no longer visible between vhosts, and fanout messages can be filtered by patterns. (backward incompatible)

It was possible to enable this mode previously using the fanout_prefix, and fanout_patterns transport options, but now these are enabled by default.

If you want to mix and match producers/consumers running different versions you need to configure your kombu 3.x clients to also enable these options:

```
>>> Connection(transport_options={
    'fanout_prefix': True,
    'fanout_patterns': True,
})
```

Pidbox: Mailbox new arguments: TTL and expiry.

Mailbox now supports new arguments for controlling message TTLs and queue expiry, both for the mailbox queue and for reply queues.

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- queue_expires (float/int seconds).
- queue_ttl (float/int seconds).
- reply_queue_expires (float/int seconds).
- reply_queue_ttl (float/int seconds).

All take seconds in int/float.

Contributed by Alan Justino.

- Exchange.delivery_mode now defaults to None, and the default is instead set by Producer.publish.
- Consumer now supports a new prefetch_count argument, which if provided will force the consumer to set an initial prefetch count just before starting.
- Virtual transports now stores priority as a property, not in delivery_info, to be compatible with AMQP.
- reply_to argument to Producer.publish can now be Queue instance.
- Connection: There's now a new method Connection.supports_exchange_type (type) that can be used to check if the current transport supports a specific exchange type.
- SQS: Consumers can now read json messages not sent by Kombu.

Contributed by Juan Carlos Ferrer.

• SQS: Will now log the access key used when authentication fails.

Contributed by Hank John.

- Added new *kombu.mixins.ConsumerProducerMixin* for consumers that will also publish messages on a separate connection.
- Messages: Now have a more descriptive repr.

Contributed by Joshua Harlow.

- Async: HTTP client based on curl.
- Async: Now uses *poll* instead of *select* where available.
- MongoDB: Now supports priorities

Contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• Virtual transports now supports multiple queue bindings.

Contributed by Federico Ficarelli.

• Virtual transports now supports the anon exchange.

If when publishing a message, the exchange argument is set to '' (empty string), the routing_key will be regarded as the destination queue.

This will bypass the routing table compeltely, and just deliver the message to the queue name specified in the routing key.

• Zookeeper: Transport now uses the built-in suport in kazoo to handle failover when using a list of server names.

Contributed by **Joshua Harlow**.

• ConsumerMixin.run now passes keyword arguments to .consume.

5.6.1 Deprecations and removals

• The deprecated method Consumer.add_queue_from_dict has been removed.

Use instead:

```
consumer.add_queue(Queue.from_dict(queue_name, **options))
```

• The deprecated function kombu.serialization.encode has been removed.

Use kombu.serialization.dumps() instead.

• The deprecated function kombu.serialization.decode has been removed.

Use kombu.serialization.loads() instead.

• Removed module kombu.syn

detect_environment has been moved to kombu.utils.compat

5.7 3.0.37

release-date 2016-10-06 05:00 P.M PDT

release-by Ask Solem

• Connection: Return value of .info() was no longer JSON serializable, leading to "itertools.cycle object not JSON serializable" errors (Issue #635).

5.8 3.0.36

release-date 2016-09-30 03:06 P.M PDT

release-by Ask Solem

• Connection: Fixed bug when cloning connection with alternate urls.

Fix contributed by Emmanuel Cazenave.

• Redis: Fixed problem with unix socket connections.

https://github.com/celery/celery/issues/2903

Fix contributed by Raphael Michel.

- Redis: Fixed compatibility with older redis-py versions (Issue #576).
- Broadcast now retains queue name when being copied/pickled (Issue #578).

5.9 3.0.35

release-date 2016-03-22 11:22 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

- msgpack: msgpack support now requires msgpack-python > 0.4.7.
- Redis: TimeoutError was no longer handled as a recoverable error.

5.7. 3.0.37

- Redis: Adds the ability to set more Redis connection options using Connection(transport_options={...}).
 - socket_connect_timeout
 - socket_keepalive (requires redis-py > 2.10)
 - socket_keepalive_options (requires redis-py > 2.10)
- · msgpack: Fixes support for binary/unicode data

5.10 3.0.34

release-date 2016-03-03 05:30 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

• Qpid: Adds async error handling.

Contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• Qpid: Delivery tag is now a UUID4 (Issue #563).

Fix contributed by Brian Bouterse.

- Redis: Connection.as_uri() returned malformed URLs when the redis+socket scheme was ised (Issue celery/celery#2995).
- msgpack: Use binary encoding instead of utf-8 (Issue #570).

5.11 3.0.33

release-date 2016-01-08 06:36 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.9.
- Redis: Fixed problem with auxilliary connections causing the main consumer connection to be closed (Issue #550).
- Qpid: No longer uses threads to operate, to ensure compatibility with all environments (Issue #531).

5.12 3.0.32

release-date 2015-12-16 02:29 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Fixed bug introduced in 3.0.31 where the redis transport always connects to localhost, regardless of host setting.

5.13 3.0.31

release-date 2015-12-16 12:00 P.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

- Redis: Fixed bug introduced in 3.0.30 where socket was prematurely disconnected.
- Hub: Removed debug logging message: "Deregistered fd..." (Issue #549).

5.14 3.0.30

release-date 2015-12-07 12:28 A.M PST

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixes compatiblity with uuid in Python 2.7.11 and 3.5.1.

Fix contributed by Kai Groner.

- Redis transport: Attempt at fixing problem with hanging consumer after disconnected from server.
- Event loop: Attempt at fixing issue with 100% CPU when using the Redis transport,
- Database transport: Fixed oracle compatiblity.

An "ORA-00907: missing right parenthesis" error could manifest when using an Oracle database with the database transport.

Fix contributed by Deepak N.

· Documentation fixes

Contributed by Tommaso Barbugli.

5.15 3.0.29

release-date 2015-10-26 11:10 A.M PDT

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixed serialization issue for bindings.as_dict() (Issue #453).

Fix contributed by Sergey Tikhonov.

- Json serializer wrongly treated bytes as ascii, not utf-8 (Issue #532).
- MongoDB: Now supports pymongo 3.x.

Contributed by Len Buckens.

• SQS: Tests passing on Python 3.

Fix contributed by Felix Yan

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5.16 3.0.28

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```

Django transport migrations.

If you're using Django 1.8 and have already created the kombu_transport_django tables, you have to run a fake initial migration:

```
$ python manage.py migrate kombu_transport_django --fake-initial
```

• No longer compatible with South by default.

To keep using kombu.transport.django with South migrations you now need to configure a new location for the kombu migrations:

```
SOUTH_MIGRATION_MODULES = {
    'kombu_transport_django':
        'kombu.transport.django.south_migrations',
}
```

- Keep old South migrations in kombu.transport.django.south_migrations.
- Now works with Redis < 2.10 again.

5.17 3.0.27

release-date 2015-10-09 3:10 PM PDT

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.7.
- Fixed libSystem import error on some macOS 10.11 (El Capitan) installations.

Fix contributed by Eric Wang.

- Now compatible with Django 1.9.
- Django: Adds migrations for the database transport.
- Redis: Now depends on py-redis 2.10.0 or later (Issue #468).
- QPid: Can now connect as localhost (Issue #519).

Fix contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• QPid: Adds support for login_method (Issue #502, Issue #499).

Contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• QPid: Now reads SASL mechanism from broker string (Issue #498).

Fix contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• QPid: Monitor thread now properly terminated on session close (Issue #485).

Fix contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• QPid: Fixed file descriptor leak (Issue #476).

Fix contributed by Jeff Ortel

- Docs: Fixed wrong order for entrypoint arguments (Issue #473).
- ConsumerMixin: Connection error logs now include traceback (Issue #480).
- BaseTransport now raises RecoverableConnectionError when disconnected (Issue #507).
- Consumer: Adds tag_prefix option to modify how consumer tags are generated (Issue #509).

5.18 3.0.26

release-date 2015-04-22 06:00 P.M UTC

• Fixed compatibility with py-redis versions before 2.10.3 (Issue #470).

5.19 3.0.25

release-date 2015-04-21 02:00 P.M UTC

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- pyamqp/librabbitmq now uses 5671 as default port when SSL is enabled (Issue #459).
- Redis: Now supports passwords in redis+socket://:pass@host:port URLs (Issue #460).
- Producer.publish now defines the expiration property in support of the RabbitMQ per-message TTL extension.

Contributed by Anastasis Andronidis.

• Connection transport attribute now set correctly for all transports.

Contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• qpid: Fixed bug where the connectionw as not being closed properly.

Contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• bindings is now JSON serializable (Issue #453).

Contributed by Sergey Tikhonov.

• Fixed typo in error when yaml is not installed (said msgpack).

Contributed by Joshua Harlow.

• Redis: Now properly handles redis.exceptions.TimeoutError raised by redis.

Contributed by markow.

• qpid: Adds additional string to check for when connecting to qpid.

When we connect to qpid, we need to ensure that we skip to the next SASL mechanism if the current mechanism fails. Otherwise, we will keep retrying the connection with a non-working mech.

Contributed by Chris Duryee.

• qpid: Handle NotFound exceptions.

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Contributed by Brian Bouterse.

- Queue.__repr__ now makes sure return value is not unicode (Issue #440).
- qpid: Queue.purge incorrectly raised AttributeErrror if the does not exist (Issue #439).

Contributed by Brian Bouterse.

• Linux: Now ignores permission errors on epoll unregister.

5.20 3.0.24

release-date 2014-11-17 11:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• The Qpid broker is supported for Python 2.x environments. The Qpid transport includes full SSL support within Kombu. See the *kombu.transport.qpid* docs for more info.

Contributed by Brian Bouterse and Chris Duryee through support from Red Hat.

- Dependencies: extra[librabbitmq] now requires librabbitmq 1.6.0
- Docstrings for TokenBucket did not match implementation.

Fix contributed by Jesse Dhillon.

• oid_from() accidentally called uuid.getnode() but did not use the return value.

Fix contributed by Alexander Todorov.

- Redis: Now ignores errors when cosing the underlying connection.
- Redis: Restoring messages will now use a single connection.
- kombu.five.monotonic: Can now be imported even if ctypes is not available for some reason (e.g. App Engine)
- Documentation: Improved example to use the declare argument to Producer (Issue #423).
- Django: Fixed app_label for older Django versions (< 1.7). (Issue #414).

5.21 3.0.23

release-date 2014-09-14 10:45 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Django: Fixed bug in the Django 1.7 compatibility improvements related to autocommit handling.

Contributed by Radek Czajka.

• Django: The Django transport models would not be created on syncdb after app label rename (Issue #406).

5.22 3.0.22

release-date 2014-09-04 03:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- kombu.async: Min. delay between waiting for timer was always increased to one second.
- Fixed bug in itermessages where message is received after the with statement exits the block.

Fixed by Rumyana Neykova

Connection.autoretry: Now works with functions missing wrapped attributes (__module__, __name__, __doc__). Fixes #392.
 Contributed by johtso.

- Django: Now sets custom app label for kombu.transport.django to work with recent changes in Django 1.7.
- SimpleQueue removed messages from the wrong end of buffer (Issue #380).
- Tests: Now using unittest.mock if available (Issue #381).

5.23 3.0.21

release-date 2014-07-07 02:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixed remaining bug in maybe_declare for auto_delete exchanges.

Fix contributed by Roger Hu.

• MongoDB: Creating a channel now properly evaluates a connection (Issue #363).

Fix contributed by Len Buckens.

5.24 3.0.20

release-date 2014-06-24 02:30 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Reverts change in 3.0.17 where maybe_declare caches the declaration of auto_delete queues and exchanges.

Fix contributed by Roger Hu.

• Redis: Fixed race condition when using gevent and the channel is closed.

Fix contributed by Andrew Rodionoff.

5.25 3.0.19

release-date 2014-06-09 03:10 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- The wheel distribution did not support Python 2.6 by failing to list the extra dependencies required.
- $\bullet \ \ Durable \ and \ auto_delete \ queues/exchanges \ can \ be \ be \ cached \ using \ \verb|maybe|=declare|.$

5.23. 3.0.21

5.26 3.0.18

release-date 2014-06-02 06:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• A typo introduced in 3.0.17 caused kombu.async.hub to crash (Issue #360).

5.27 3.0.17

release-date 2014-06-02 05:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- kombu[librabbitmq] now depends on librabbitmq 1.5.2.
- Async: Event loop now selectively removes file descriptors for the mode it failed in, and keeps others (e.g read vs write).

Fix contributed by Roger Hu.

· CouchDB: Now works without userid set.

Fix contributed by Latitia M. Haskins.

• SQLAlchemy: Now supports recovery from connection errors.

Contributed by Felix Schwarz.

- Redis: Restore at shutdown now works when ack emulation is disabled.
- kombu.common.eventloop() accidentally swallowed socket errors.
- Adds kombu.utils.url.sanitize_url()

5.28 3.0.16

release-date 2014-05-06 01:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- kombu[librabbitmq] now depends on librabbitmq 1.5.1.
- Redis: Fixes TypeError problem in unregister (Issue #342).

Fix contributed by Tobias Schottdorf.

• Tests: Some unit tests accidentally required the *redis-py* library.

Fix contributed by Randy Barlow.

• librabbitmq: Would crash when using an older version of librabbitmq, now emits warning instead.

5.29 3.0.15

release-date 2014-04-15 09:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.5.
- RabbitMQ 3.3 changes QoS semantics (Issue #339).

See the RabbitMQ release notes here: http://www.rabbitmq.com/blog/2014/04/02/breaking-things-with-rabbitmq-3-3/

A new connection property has been added that can be used to detect whether the remote server is using this new QoS behavior:

```
>>> Connection('amqp://').qos_behavior_matches_spec False
```

so if your application depends on the old semantics you can use this to set the apply_global flag appropriately:

```
def update_prefetch_count(channel, new_value):
    channel.basic_qos(
        0, new_value,
        not channel.connection.client.qos_behavior_matches_spec,
    )
```

• Users of librabbitmq is encouraged to upgrade to librabbitmq 1.5.0.

The kombu[librabbitmq] extra has been updated to depend on this version.

- Pools: Now takes transport options into account when comparing connections (Issue #333).
- MongoDB: Fixes Python 3 compatibility.
- Async: select: Ignore socket errors when attempting to unregister handles from the loop.
- Pidbox: Can now be configured to use a serializer other than json, but specifying a serializer argument to Mailbox.

Contributed by Dmitry Malinovsky.

• Message decompression now works with Python 3.

Fix contributed by Adam Gaca.

5.30 3.0.14

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```

release-by Ask Solem

• MongoDB: Now endures a connection failover (Issue #123).

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• MongoDB: Fixed KeyError when a replica set member is removed.

Also fixes celery#971 and celery/#898.

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• MongoDB: Fixed MongoDB broadcast cursor re-initialization bug.

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• **Async**: Fixed bug in lax semaphore implementation where in some usage patterns the limit was not honored correctly.

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Fix contributed by Ionel Cristian Mărieș.

- **Redis**: Fixed problem with fanout when using Python 3 (Issue #324).
- Redis: Fixed AttributeError from attempting to close a non-existing connection (Issue #320).

5.31 3.0.13

release-date 2014-03-03 04:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

Redis: Fixed serious race condition that could lead to data loss.

The delivery tags were accidentally set to be an incremental number local to the channel, but the delivery tags need to be globally unique so that a message can not overwrite an older message in the backup store.

This change is not backwards incompatible and you are encouraged to update all your system using a previous version as soon as possible.

- Now depends on amop 1.4.4.
- Pidbox: Now makes sure message encoding errors are handled by default, so that a custom error handler does not need to be specified.
- Redis: The fanout exchange can now use AMQP patterns to route and filter messages.

This change is backwards incompatible and must be enabled with the fanout_patterns transport option:

```
>>> conn = kombu.Connection('redis://', transport_options={
...     'fanout_patterns': True,
... })
```

When enabled the exchange will work like an amop topic exchange if the binding key is a pattern.

This is planned to be default behavior in the future.

• Redis: Fixed cycle no such attribute error.

5.32 3.0.12

release-date 2014-02-09 03:50 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.3.
- Fixes Python 3.4 logging incompatibility (Issue #311).
- Redis: Now properly handles unknown pub/sub messages.

Fix contributed by Sam Stavinoha.

• amqplib: Fixed bug where more bytes were requested from the socket than necessary.

Fix contributed by Ionel Cristian Mărieș.

5.33 3.0.11

release-date 2014-02-03 05:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.2.
- Now always trusts messages of type *application/data* and *application/text* or which have an unspecified content type (Issue #306).
- Compression errors are now handled as decode errors and will trigger the Consumer.on_decode_error callback if specified.
- New kombu.Connection.get_heartbeat_interval() method that can be used to access the negotiated heartbeat value.
- *kombu.common.oid_for* **no longer uses the MAC address of the host, but** instead uses a process-wide UUID4 as a node id.

This avoids a call to uuid.getnode() at module scope.

• Hub.add: Now normalizes registered fileno.

Contributed by Ionel Cristian Mărieș.

• SQS: Fixed bug where the prefetch count limit was not respected.

5.34 3.0.10

release-date 2014-01-17 05:40 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amop 1.4.1.
- maybe_declare now raises a "recoverable connection error" if the channel is disconnected instead of a ChannelError so that the operation can be retried.
- Redis: Consumer.cancel() is now thread safe.

This fixes an issue when using gevent/eventlet and a message is handled after the consumer is canceled resulting in a "message for queue without consumers" error.

• Retry operations would not always respect the interval_start value when calculating the time to sleep for (Issue #303).

Fix contributed by Antoine Legrand.

- Timer: Fixed "unhashable type" error on Python 3.
- Hub: Do not attempt to unregister operations on an already closed poller instance.

5.35 3.0.9

release-date 2014-01-13 05:30 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on amap 1.4.0.

5.33. 3.0.11

• Redis: Basic cancel for fanout based queues now sends a corresponding UNSUBSCRIBE command to the server.

This fixes an issue with pidbox where reply messages could be received after the consumer was canceled, giving the "message to queue without consumers" error.

• MongoDB: Improved connection string and options handling (Issue #266 + Issue #120).

Contributed by Alex Koshelev.

• SQS: Limit the number of messages when receiving in batch to 10.

This is a hard limit enforced by Amazon so the sqs transport must not exceeed this value.

Fix contributed by Eric Reynolds.

• ConsumerMixin: consume now checks heartbeat every time the socket times out.

Contributed by Dustin J. Mitchell.

• Retry Policy: A max retries of 0 did not retry forever.

Fix contributed by Antoine Legrand.

• Simple: If passing a Queue object the simple utils will now take default routing key from that queue.

Contributed by Fernando Jorge Mota.

- repr (producer) no longer evaluates the underlying channnel.
- Redis: The map of Redis error classes are now exposed at the module level using the kombu.transport. redis.get_redis_error_classes() function.
- Async: Hub.close now sets .poller to None.

5.36 3.0.8

release-date 2013-12-16 05:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Serializer: loads and dumps now wraps exceptions raised into DecodeError and kombu.exceptions. EncodeError respectively.

Contributed by Ionel Cristian Maries

• Redis: Would attempt to read from the wrong connection if a select/epoll/kqueue exception event happened.

Fix contributed by Michael Nelson.

• Redis: Disabling ack emulation now works properly.

Fix contributed by Michael Nelson.

- Redis: IOError and OSError are now treated as recoverable connection errors.
- SQS: Improved performance by reading messages in bulk.

Contributed by Matt Wise.

• Connection Pool: Attempting to acquire from a closed pool will now raise RuntimeError.

5.37 3.0.7

release-date 2013-12-02 04:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Fixes Python 2.6 compatibility.
- Redis: Fixes 'bad file descriptor' issue.

5.38 3.0.6

release-date 2013-11-21 04:50 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Timer: No longer attempts to hash keyword arguments (Issue #275).
- Async: Did not account for the long type for file descriptors.

Fix contributed by Fabrice Rabaute.

- PyPy: kqueue support was broken.
- Redis: Bad pub/sub payloads no longer crashes the consumer.
- Redis: Unix socket URLs can now specify a virtual host by including it as a query parameter.

Example URL specifying a virtual host using database number 3:

```
redis+socket:///tmp/redis.sock?virtual_host=3
```

• kombu. VERSION is now a named tuple.

5.39 3.0.5

release-date 2013-11-15 11:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amqp 1.3.3.
- Redis: Fixed Python 3 compatibility problem (Issue #270).
- MongoDB: Fixed problem with URL parsing when authentication used.

Fix contributed by dongweiming.

• pyamqp: Fixed small issue when publishing the message and the property dictionary was set to None.

Fix contributed by Victor Garcia.

• Fixed problem in repr (LaxBoundedSemaphore).

Fix contributed by Antoine Legrand.

• Tests now passing on Python 3.3.

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5.40 3.0.4

release-date 2013-11-08 01:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• common.QoS: decrement_eventually now makes sure the value does not go below 1 if a prefetch count is enabled.

5.41 3.0.3

release-date 2013-11-04 03:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• SQS: Properly reverted patch that caused delays between messages.

Contributed by James Saryerwinnie

- select: Clear all registerd fds on poller.cloe
- Eventloop: unregister if EBADF raised.

5.42 3.0.2

release-date 2013-10-29 02:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amp version 1.3.2.
- select: Fixed problem where unregister did not properly remove the fd.

5.43 3.0.1

release-date 2013-10-24 04:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amp version 1.3.1.
- Redis: New option fanout_keyprefix

This transport option is recommended for all users as it ensures that broadcast (fanout) messages sent is only seen by the current virtual host:

```
Connection('redis://', transport_options={'fanout_keyprefix': True})
```

However, enabling this means that you cannot send or receive messages from older Kombu versions so make sure all of your participants are upgraded and have the transport option enabled.

This will be the default behavior in Kombu 4.0.

- Distribution: Removed file requirements/py25.txt.
- MongoDB: Now disables auto_start_request.
- MongoDB: Enables use_greenlets if eventlet/gevent used.

- Pidbox: Fixes problem where expires header was None, which is a value not supported by the amq protocol.
- ConsumerMixin: New consumer_context method for starting the consumer without draining events.

5.44 3.0.0

release-date 2013-10-14 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amp version 1.3.
- No longer supports Python 2.5

The minimum Python version supported is now Python 2.6.0 for Python 2, and Python 3.3 for Python 3.

• Dual codebase supporting both Python 2 and 3.

No longer using 2to3, making it easier to maintain support for both versions.

• pickle, yaml and msgpack deserialization is now disabled by default.

This means that Kombu will by default refuse to handle any content type other than json.

Pickle is known to be a security concern as it will happily load any object that is embedded in a pickle payload, and payloads can be crafted to do almost anything you want. The default serializer in Kombu is json but it also supports a number of other serialization formats that it will evaluate if received: including pickle.

It was always assumed that users were educated about the security implications of pickle, but in hindsight we don't think users should be expected to secure their services if we have the ability to be secure by default.

By disabling any content type that the user did not explicitly want enabled we ensure that the user must be conscious when they add pickle as a serialization format to support.

The other built-in serializers (yaml and msgpack) are also disabled even though they aren't considered insecure¹ at this point. Instead they're disabled so that if a security flaw is found in one of these libraries in the future, you will only be affected if you have explicitly enabled them.

To have your consumer accept formats other than json you have to explicitly add the wanted formats to a white-list of accepted content types:

```
>>> c = Consumer(conn, accept=['json', 'pickle', 'msgpack'])
```

or when using synchronous access:

```
>>> msg = queue.get(accept=['json', 'pickle', 'msgpack'])
```

The accept argument was first supported for consumers in version 2.5.10, and first supported by Queue.get in version 2.5.15 so to stay compatible with previous versions you can enable the previous behavior:

```
>>> from kombu import enable_insecure_serializers
>>> enable_insecure_serializers()
```

But note that this has global effect, so be very careful should you use it.

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¹ The PyYAML library has a yaml.load() function with some of the same security implications as pickle, but Kombu uses the yaml.safe_load() function which is not known to be affected.

• kombu.async: Experimental event loop implementation.

This code was previously in Celery but was moved here to make it easier for async transport implementations.

The API is meant to match the Tulip API which will be included in Python 3.4 as the asyncio module. It's not a complete implementation obviously, but the goal is that it will be easy to change to it once that is possible.

• Utility function kombu.common.ipublish has been removed.

```
Use Producer(..., retry=True) instead.
```

• Utility function kombu.common.isend_reply has been removed

```
Use send_reply(..., retry=True) instead.
```

• kombu.common.entry_to_queue and kombu.messaging.entry_to_queue has been removed.

```
Use Queue.from_dict(name, **options) instead.
```

• Redis: Messages are now restored at the end of the list.

Contributed by Mark Lavin.

- StdConnectionError and StdChannelError is removed and amqp.ConnectionError and amqp.ChannelError is used instead.
- Message object implementation has moved to kombu.message.Message.
- Serailization: Renamed functions encode/decode to dumps () and loads ().

For backward compatibility the old names are still available as aliases.

• The kombu.log.anon_logger function has been removed.

```
Use get_logger() instead.
```

- queue_declare now returns named tuple with queue, message_count, and consumer_count fields.
- LamportClock: Can now set lock class
- kombu.utils.clock: Utilities for ordering events added.
- SimpleQueue now allows you to override the exchange type used.

Contributed by Vince Gonzales.

• Zookeeper transport updated to support new changes in the kazoo library.

Contributed by Mahendra M.

- pyamqp/librabbitmq: Transport options are now forwarded as keyword arguments to the underlying connection (Issue #214).
- Transports may now distinguish between recoverable and irrecoverable connection and channel errors.
- kombu.utils.Finalize has been removed: Use multiprocessing.util.Finalize instead.
- Memory transport now supports the fanout exchange type.

Contributed by Davanum Srinivas.

• Experimental new Pyro transport (kombu.transport.pyro).

Contributed by Tommie McAfee.

• Experimental new SoftLayer MQ transport (kombu.transport.SLMQ).

Contributed by Kevin McDonald

- Eventio: Kqueue breaks in subtle ways so select is now used instead.
- SQLAlchemy transport: Can now specify table names using the queue_tablename and message_tablename transport options.

Contributed by Ryan Petrello.

Redis transport: Now supports using local UNIX sockets to communicate with the Redis server (Issue #1283)

To connect using a UNIX socket you have to use the redis+socket URL-prefix: redis+socket://tmp/redis.sock.

This functionality was merged from the celery-redis-unixsocket project. Contributed by Maxime Rouyrre.

ZeroMQ transport: drain_events now supports timeout.

Contributed by Jesper Thomschütz.

5.45 2.5.16

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release-by Ask Solem

• Python 3: Fixed problem with dependencies not being installed.

5.46 2.5.15

release-date 2013-10-04 03:30 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Declaration cache: Now only keeps hash of declaration so that it does not keep a reference to the channel.
- Declaration cache: Now respects entity.can_cache_declaration attribute.
- Fixes Python 2.5 compatibility.
- Fixes tests after python-msgpack changes.
- Queue.get: Now supports accept argument.

5.47 2.5.14

release-date 2013-08-23 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• safe_str did not work properly resulting in UnicodeDecodeError (Issue #248).

5.48 2.5.13

release-date 2013-08-16 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

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- Now depends on amop 1.0.13
- Fixed typo in Django functional tests.
- safe_str now returns Unicode in Python 2.x

Fix contributed by Germán M. Bravo.

- amqp: Transport options are now merged with arguments supplied to the connection.
- Tests no longer depends on distribute, which was deprecated and merged back into setuptools.

Fix contributed by Sascha Peilicke.

• ConsumerMixin now also restarts on channel related errors.

Fix contributed by Corentin Ardeois.

5.49 2.5.12

release-date 2013-06-28 03:30 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Redis: Ignore errors about keys missing in the round-robin cycle.
- Fixed test suite errors on Python 3.
- Fixed msgpack test failures.

5.50 2.5.11

release-date 2013-06-25 02:30 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amqp 1.0.12 (Py3 compatibility issues).
- MongoDB: Removed cause of a "database name in URI is being ignored" warning.

Fix by Flavio Percoco Premoli

Adds passive option to Exchange.

Setting this flag means that the exchange will not be declared by kombu, but that it must exist already (or an exception will be raised).

Contributed by Rafal Malinowski

• Connection.info() now gives the current hostname and not the list of available hostnames.

Fix contributed by John Shuping.

- pyamqp: Transport options are now forwarded as kwargs to amqp. Connection.
- librabbitmq: Transport options are now forwarded as kwargs to librabbitmq. Connection.
- librabbitmq: Now raises NotImplementedError if SSL is enabled.

The librabbitmq library does not support ssl, but you can use stunnel or change to the pyamqp://transport instead.

Fix contributed by Dan LaMotte.

- librabbitmq: Fixed a cyclic reference at connection close.
- eventio: select implementation now removes bad file descriptors.
- eventio: Fixed Py3 compatibility problems.
- Functional tests added for py-amqp and librabbitmq transports.
- Resource.force close all no longer uses a mutex.
- Pidbox: Now ignores *IconsistencyError* when sending replies, as this error simply means that the client may no longer be alive.
- Adds new Connection.collect method, that can be used to clean up after connections without I/O.
- queue_bind is no longer called for queues bound to the "default exchange" (Issue #209).

Contributed by Jonathan Halcrow.

• The max_retries setting for retries was not respected correctly (off by one).

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5.51.1 Note about upcoming changes for Kombu 3.0

Kombu 3 consumers will no longer accept pickle/yaml or msgpack by default, and you will have to explicitly enable untrusted describilizers either globally using kombu.enable_insecure_serializers(), or using the accept argument to Consumer.

5.51.2 Changes

- New utility function to disable/enable untrusted serializers.
 - kombu.disable_insecure_serializers()
 - kombu.enable insecure serializers().
- Consumer: accept can now be used to specify a whitelist of content types to accept.

If the accept whitelist is set and a message is received with a content type that is not in the whitelist then a ContentDisallowed exception is raised. Note that this error can be handled by the already existing <code>on_decode_error</code> callback

Examples:

```
Consumer(accept=['application/json'])
Consumer(accept=['pickle', 'json'])
```

- Now depends on amap 1.0.11
- pidbox: Mailbox now supports the accept argument.
- Redis: More friendly error for when keys are missing.
- Connection URLs: The parser did not work well when there were multiple '+' tokens.

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5.52 2.5.9

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- Pidbox: Now warns if there are multiple nodes consuming from the same pidbox.
- Adds Queue.on declared

A callback to be called when the queue is declared, with signature (name, messages, consumers).

- Now uses fuzzy matching to suggest alternatives to typos in transport names.
- SQS: Adds new transport option queue_prefix.

Contributed by j0hnsmith.

- pyamqp: No longer overrides verify_connection.
- SQS: Now specifies the driver_type and driver_name attributes.

Fix contributed by Mher Movsisyan.

• Fixed bug with kombu.utils.retry_over_time when no errback specified.

5.53 2.5.8

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- Now depends on ampp 1.0.10 which fixes a Python 3 compatibility error.
- Redis: Fixed a possible race condition (Issue #171).
- Redis: Ack emulation/visibility timeout can now be disabled using a transport option.

Ack emulation adds quite a lot of overhead to ensure data is safe even in the event of an unclean shutdown. If data loss do not worry you there is now an *ack_emulation* transport option you can use to disable it:

```
Connection('redis://', transport_options={'ack_emulation': False})
```

- SQS: Fixed boto v2.7 compatibility (Issue #207).
- Exchange: Should not try to re-declare default exchange ("") (Issue #209).
- SQS: Long polling is now disabled by default as it was not implemented correctly, resulting in long delays between receiving messages (Issue #202).
- Fixed Python 2.6 incompatibility depending on exc.errno being available.

Fix contributed by Ephemera.

5.54 2.5.7

release-date 2013-03-08 01:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on ampp 1.0.9
- Redis: A regression in 2.5.6 caused the redis transport to ignore options set in transport_options.
- Redis: New socket_timeout transport option.
- Redis: InconsistencyError is now regarded as a recoverable error.
- Resource pools: Will no longer attempt to release resource that was never acquired.
- MongoDB: Now supports the ssl option.

Contributed by Sebastian Pawlus.

5.55 2.5.6

release-date 2013-02-08 01:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on amqp 1.0.8 which works around a bug found on some Python 2.5 installations where 2**32 overflows to 0.

5.56 2.5.5

release-date 2013-02-07 05:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

SQS: Now supports long polling (Issue #176).

The polling interval default has been changed to 0 and a new transport option (wait_time_seconds) has been added. This parameter specifies how long to wait for a message from SQS, and defaults to 20 seconds, which is the maximum value currently allowed by Amazon SQS.

Contributed by James Saryerwinnie.

- SQS: Now removes unpickleable fields before restoring messages.
- Consumer. exit now ignores exceptions occurring while canceling the consumer.
- Virtual: Routing keys can now consist of characters also used in regular expressions (e.g. parens) (Issue #194).
- Virtual: Fixed compression header when restoring messages.

Fix contributed by Alex Koshelev.

- Virtual: ack/reject/requeue now works while using basic_get.
- Virtual: Message reject is now supported by virtual transports (requeue depends on individual transport support).
- Fixed typo in hack used for static analyzers.

Fix contributed by Basil Mironenko.

5.57 2.5.4

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release-by Ask Solem

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• Fixed problem with connection clone and multiple URLs (Issue #182).

Fix contributed by Dane Guempel.

• zeromq: Now compatible with libzmq 3.2.x.

Fix contributed by Andrey Antukh.

• Fixed Python 3 installation problem (Issue #187).

5.58 2.5.3

release-date 2012-11-29 12:35 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Pidbox: Fixed compatibility with Python 2.6

5.59 2.5.2

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release-by Ask Solem

• [Redis] Fixed connection leak and added a new 'max_connections' transport option.

5.61 2.5.1

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release-date 2012-11-28 12:45 P.M UTC
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release-by Ask Solem

• Fixed bug where return value of Queue.as_dict could not be serialized with JSON (Issue #177).

5.62 2.5.0

release-date 2012-11-27 04:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• py-amqp is now the new default transport, replacing amqplib.

The new py-amqp library is a fork of amqplib started with the following goals:

- Uses AMQP 0.9.1 instead of 0.8
- Support for heartbeats (Issue #79 + Issue #131)

- Automatically revives channels on channel errors.
- Support for all RabbitMQ extensions
 - * Consumer Cancel Notifications (Issue #131)
 - * Publisher Confirms (Issue #131).
 - * Exchange-to-exchange bindings: exchange_bind/exchange_unbind.
- API compatible with librabbitmq so that it can be used as a pure-python replacement in
 environments where rabbitmq-c cannot be compiled. librabbitmq will be updated to support
 all the same features as py-amqp.
- Support for using multiple connection URL's for failover.

The first argument to Connection can now be a list of connection URLs:

```
Connection(['amqp://foo', 'amqp://bar'])
```

or it can be a single string argument with several URLs separated by semicolon:

```
Connection('amqp://foo;amqp://bar')
```

There is also a new keyword argument failover_strategy that defines how ensure_connection()/ ensure()/kombu.Connection.autoretry() will reconnect in the event of connection failures.

The default reconnection strategy is round-robin, which will simply cycle through the list forever, and there's also a shuffle strategy that will select random hosts from the list. Custom strategies can also be used, in that case the argument must be a generator yielding the URL to connect to.

Example:

```
Connection( 'amqp://foo; amqp://bar')
```

- Now supports PyDev, PyCharm, pylint and other static code analysis tools.
- Queue now supports multiple bindings.

You can now have multiple bindings in the same queue by having the second argument be a list:

```
from kombu import binding, Queue

Queue('name', [
    binding(Exchange('E1'), routing_key='foo'),
    binding(Exchange('E1'), routing_key='bar'),
    binding(Exchange('E2'), routing_key='baz'),
])
```

To enable this, helper methods have been added:

- bind_to()
 unbind_from()
- Contributed by Rumyana Neykova.
- Custom serializers can now be registered using Setuptools entry-points.

See Creating extensions using Setuptools entry-points.

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• New kombu.common.QoS class used as a thread-safe way to manage changes to a consumer or channels prefetch_count.

This was previously an internal class used in Celery now moved to the kombu.common module.

• Consumer now supports a on_message callback that can be used to process raw messages (not decoded).

Other callbacks specified using the callbacks argument, and the receive method will be not be called when a on message callback is present.

• New utility kombu.common.ignore_errors() ignores connection and channel errors.

Must only be used for cleanup actions at shutdown or on connection loss.

• Support for exchange-to-exchange bindings.

The Exchange entity gained bind_to and unbind_from methods:

```
e1 = Exchange('A') (connection)
e2 = Exchange('B') (connection)

e2.bind_to(e1, routing_key='rkey', arguments=None)
e2.unbind_from(e1, routing_key='rkey', arguments=None)
```

This is currently only supported by the pyamqp transport.

Contributed by Rumyana Neykova.

5.63 2.4.10

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• The previous versions connection pool changes broke Redis support so that it would always connect to localhost (default setting) no matter what connection parameters were provided (Issue #176).

5.64 2.4.9

release-date 2012-11-21 03:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Fixed race condition that could occur while trying to restore messages (Issue #171).

Fix contributed by Ollie Walsh.

- Redis: Each channel is now using a specific connection pool instance, which is disconnected on connection failure
- ProducerPool: Fixed possible dead-lock in the acquire method.
- ProducerPool: force_close_all no longer tries to call the non-existent Producer._close.
- librabbitmq: Now implements transport.verify_connection so that connection pools will not give back connections that are no longer working.
- New and better repr () for Queue and Exchange objects.
- Python 3: Fixed problem with running the unit test suite.

• Python 3: Fixed problem with JSON codec.

5.65 2.4.8

release-date 2012-11-02 05:00 P.M UTC

release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Improved fair queue cycle implementation (Issue #166).

Contributed by Kevin McCarthy.

• Redis: Unacked message restore limit is now unlimited by default.

Also, the limit can now be configured using the unacked_restore_limit transport option:

```
Connection('redis://', transport_options={
    'unacked_restore_limit': 100,
})

A limit of 100 means that the consumer will restore at most 100
messages at each pass.
```

• Redis: Now uses a mutex to ensure only one consumer restores messages at a time.

The mutex expires after 5 minutes by default, but can be configured using the unacked_mutex_expire transport option.

- LamportClock.adjust now returns the new clock value.
- · Heartbeats can now be specified in URLs.

Fix contributed by Mher Movsisyan.

- Kombu can now be used with PyDev, PyCharm and other static analysis tools.
- Fixes problem with msgpack on Python 3 (Issue #162).

Fix contributed by Jasper Bryant-Greene

• amqplib: Fixed bug with timeouts when SSL is used in non-blocking mode.

Fix contributed by Mher Movsisyan

5.66 2.4.7

release-date 2012-09-18 03:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Virtual: Unknown exchanges now default to 'direct' when sending a message.
- MongoDB: Fixed memory leak when merging keys stored in the db (Issue #159)

Fix contributed by Michael Korbakov.

• MongoDB: Better index for MongoDB transport (Issue #158).

This improvement will create a new compund index for queue and _id in order to be able to use both indexed fields for getting a new message (using queue field) and sorting by _id. It'll be necessary to manually delete the old index from the collection.

5.65. 2.4.8

Improvement contributed by rmihael

5.67 2.4.6

release-date 2012-09-12 03:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Adds additional compatibility dependencies:
 - Python <= 2.6:
 - * importlib
 - * ordereddict
 - Python ≤ 2.5
 - * simplejson

5.68 2.4.5

release-date 2012-08-30 03:36 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Last version broke installtion on PyPy and Jython due to test requirements clean-up.

5.69 2.4.4

release-date 2012-08-29 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- amqplib: Fixed a bug with asynchronously reading large messages.
- pyamqp: Now requires amqp 0.9.3
- Cleaned up test requirements.

5.70 2.4.3

release-date 2012-08-25 10:30 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixed problem with ampp transport alias (Issue #154).

5.71 2.4.2

release-date 2012-08-24 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Having an empty transport name broke in 2.4.1.

5.72 2.4.1

release-date 2012-08-24 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Fixed race condition that could cause the consumer to crash (Issue #151)

Often leading to the error message "could not convert string to float"

- Connection retry could cause an inifite loop (Issue #145).
- The ampp alias is now resolved at runtime, so that eventlet detection works even if patching was done later.

5.73 2.4.0

release-date 2012-08-17 08:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• New experimental ZeroMQ < kombu.transport.zmq transport.

Contributed by John Watson.

- Redis: Ack timed-out messages were not restored when using the eventloop.
- Now uses pickle protocol 2 by default to be cross-compatible with Python 3.

The protocol can also now be changed using the PICKLE_PROTOCOL environment variable.

- Adds Transport.supports_ev attribute.
- Pika: Queue purge was not working properly.

Fix contributed by Steeve Morin.

• Pika backend was no longer working since Kombu 2.3

Fix contributed by Steeve Morin.

5.74 2.3.2

release-date 2012-08-01 06:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixes problem with descrialization in Python 3.

5.75 2.3.1

release-date 2012-08-01 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• librabbitmq: Can now handle messages that does not have a content_encoding/content_type set (Issue #149).

5.72. 2.4.1

Fix contributed by C Anthony Risinger.

• Beanstalk: Now uses localhost by default if the URL does not contain a host.

5.76 2.3.0

release-date 2012-07-24 03:50 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• New pyamqp://transport!

The new py-amqp library is a fork of amqplib started with the following goals:

- Uses AMQP 0.9.1 instead of 0.8
- Should support all RabbitMQ extensions
- API compatible with librabbitmq so that it can be used as a pure-python replacement in environments where rabbitmq-c cannot be compiled.

If you start using use py-amqp instead of amqplib you can enjoy many advantages including:

- Heartbeat support (Issue #79 + Issue #131)
- Consumer Cancel Notifications (Issue #131)
- Publisher Confirms

amqplib has not been updated in a long while, so maintaining our own fork ensures that we can quickly roll out new features and fixes without resorting to monkey patching.

To use the py-amqp transport you must install the amqp library:

```
$ pip install amqp
```

and change the connection URL to use the correct transport:

```
>>> conn = Connection('pyamqp://guest:guest@localhost//')
```

The pyamqp:// transport will be the default fallback transport in Kombu version 3.0, when librabbitmq is not installed, and librabbitmq will also be updated to support the same features.

• Connection now supports heartbeat argument.

If enabled you must make sure to manually maintain heartbeats by calling the Connection. heartbeat_check at twice the rate of the specified heartbeat interval.

E.g. if you have Connection(heartbeat=10), then you must call Connection. heartbeat_check() every 5 seconds.

if the server has not sent heartbeats at a suitable rate then the heartbeat check method must raise an error that is listed in Connection.connection errors.

The attribute Connection.supports_heartbeats has been added for the ability to inspect if a transport supports heartbeats or not.

Calling heartbeat_check on a transport that does not support heartbeats results in a noop operation.

• SQS: Fixed bug with invalid characters in queue names.

Fix contributed by Zach Smith.

• utils.reprcall: Fixed typo where kwargs argument was an empty tuple by default, and not an empty dict.

5.77 2.2.6

release-date 2012-07-10 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Adds kombu.messaging.entry_to_queue for compat with previous versions.

5.78 2.2.5

release-date 2012-07-10 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Pidbox: Now sets queue expire at 10 seconds for reply queues.
- EventIO: Now ignores ValueError raised by epoll unregister.
- MongoDB: Fixes Issue #142

Fix by Flavio Percoco Premoli

5.79 2.2.4

release-date 2012-07-05 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Support for msgpack-python 0.2.0 (Issue #143)

The latest msgpack version no longer supports Python 2.5, so if you're still using that you need to depend on an earlier msgpack-python version.

Fix contributed by Sebastian Insua

- maybe_declare() no longer caches entities with the auto_delete flag set.
- · New experimental filesystem transport.

Contributed by Bobby Beever.

• Virtual Transports: Now support anonymous queues and exchanges.

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release-date 2012-06-24 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• BrokerConnection now renamed to Connection.

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The name Connection has been an alias for a very long time, but now the rename is official in the documentation as well.

The Connection alias has been available since version 1.1.3, and BrokerConnection will still work and is not deprecated.

- Connection.clone() now works for the sqlalchemy transport.
- kombu.common.eventloop(), kombu.utils.uuid(), and kombu.utils.url.parse_url() can now be imported from the kombu module directly.
- Pidbox transport callback after_reply_message_received now happens in a finally block.
- Trying to use the librabbitmq:// transport will now show the right name in the ImportError if librabbitmq is not installed.

The librabbitmq falls back to the older pylibrabbitmq name for compatibility reasons and would therefore show No module named pylibrabbitmq instead of librabbitmq.

5.81 2.2.2

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release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on any json 0.3.3
- Json serializer: Now passes buffer objects directly, since this is supported in the latest any json version.
- Fixes blocking epoll call if timeout was set to 0.

Fix contributed by John Watson.

- setup.py now takes requirements from the requirements / directory.
- The distribution directory contrib/ is now renamed to extra/

5.82 2.2.1

release-date 2012-06-21 01:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• SQS: Default visibility timeout is now 30 minutes.

Since we have ack emulation the visibility timeout is only in effect if the consumer is abrubtly terminated.

- retry argument to Producer. publish now works properly, when the declare argument is specified.
- Json serializer: didn't handle buffer objects (Issue #135).

Fix contributed by Jens Hoffrichter.

- Virtual: Now supports passive argument to exchange_declare.
- Exchange & Queue can now be bound to connections (which will use the default channel):

```
>>> exchange = Exchange('name')
>>> bound_exchange = exchange(connection)
>>> bound_exchange.declare()
```

- SimpleQueue & SimpleBuffer can now be bound to connections (which will use the default channel).
- Connection.manager.get_bindings now works for librabbitmq and pika.
- Adds new transport info attributes:

```
- Transport.driver_type
```

Type of underlying driver, e.g. "amqp", "redis", "sql".

- Transport.driver_name

Name of library used e.g. "amqplib", "redis", "pymongo".

- Transport.driver_version()

Version of underlying library.

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```

5.83.1 Important Notes

• The canonical source code repository has been moved to

http://github.com/celery/kombu

• Pidbox: Exchanges used by pidbox are no longer auto_delete.

Auto delete has been described as a misfeature, and therefore we have disabled it.

For RabbitMQ users old exchanges used by pidbox must be removed, these are named mailbox_name.pidbox, and reply.mailbox_name.pidbox.

The following command can be used to clean up these exchanges:

```
$ VHOST=/ URL=amqp:// python -c'import sys,kombu;[kombu.Connection(
    sys.argv[-1]).channel().exchange_delete(x)
        for x in sys.argv[1:-1]]' \
    $(sudo rabbitmqctl -q list_exchanges -p "$VHOST" \
    | grep \.pidbox | awk '{print $1}') "$URL"
```

The VHOST variable must be set to the target RabbitMQ virtual host, and the URL must be the AMQP URL to the server.

• The amgp transport alias will now use librabbitmg if installed.

py-librabbitmq is a fast AMQP client for Python using the librabbitmq C library.

It can be installed by:

```
$ pip install librabbitmq
```

It will not be used if the process is monkey patched by eventlet/gevent.

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5.83.2 News

• Redis: Ack emulation improvements.

Reducing the possibility of data loss.

Acks are now implemented by storing a copy of the message when the message is consumed. The copy is not removed until the consumer acknowledges or rejects it.

This means that unacknowledged messages will be redelivered either when the connection is closed, or when the visibility timeout is exceeded.

- Visibility timeout

This is a timeout for acks, so that if the consumer does not ack the message within this time limit, the message is redelivered to another consumer.

The timeout is set to one hour by default, but can be changed by configuring a transport option:

```
>>> Connection('redis://', transport_options={
...      'visibility_timeout': 1800, # 30 minutes
... })
```

NOTE: Messages that have not been acked will be redelivered if the visibility timeout is exceeded, for Celery users this means that ETA/countdown tasks that are scheduled to execute with a time that exceeds the visibility timeout will be executed twice (or more). If you plan on using long ETA/countdowns you should tweak the visibility timeout accordingly:

```
BROKER_TRANSPORT_OPTIONS = { visibility_timeout': 18000} # 5 hours
```

Setting a long timeout means that it will take a long time for messages to be redelivered in the event of a power failure, but if so happens you could temporarily set the visibility timeout lower to flush out messages when you start up the systems again.

• Experimental Apache ZooKeeper transport

More information is in the module reference: kombu.transport.zookeeper.

Contributed by Mahendra M.

• Redis: Priority support.

The message's priority field is now respected by the Redis transport by having multiple lists for each named queue. The queues are then consumed by in order of priority.

The priority field is a number in the range of 0 - 9, where 0 is the default and highest priority.

The priority range is collapsed into four steps by default, since it is unlikely that nine steps will yield more benefit than using four steps. The number of steps can be configured by setting the priority_steps transport option, which must be a list of numbers in **sorted order**:

```
>>> x = Connection('redis://', transport_options={
...     'priority_steps': [0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 9],
... })
```

Priorities implemented in this way is not as reliable as priorities on the server side, which is why nickname the feature "quasi-priorities"; **Using routing is still the suggested way of ensuring quality of service**, as client implemented priorities fall short in a number of ways, e.g. if the worker is busy with long running tasks, has prefetched many messages, or the queues are congested.

Still, it is possible that using priorities in combination with routing can be more beneficial than using routing or priorities alone. Experimentation and monitoring should be used to prove this.

Contributed by Germán M. Bravo.

• Redis: Now cycles queues so that consuming is fair.

This ensures that a very busy queue won't block messages from other queues, and ensures that all queues have an equal chance of being consumed from.

This used to be the case before, but the behavior was accidentally changed while switching to using blocking pop.

- Redis: Auto delete queues that are bound to fanout exchanges is now deleted at channel.close.
- amqplib: Refactored the drain_events implementation.
- Pidbox: Now uses connection.default_channel.
- Pickle serialization: Can now decode buffer objects.
- Exchange/Queue declarations can now be cached even if the entity is non-durable.

This is possible because the list of cached declarations are now kept with the connection, so that the entities will be redeclared if the connection is lost.

• Kombu source code now only uses one-level of explicit relative imports.

5.83.3 Fixes

- eventio: Now ignores ENOENT raised by epoll.register, and EEXIST from epoll.unregister.
- eventio: kqueue now ignores KeyError on unregister.
- Redis: Message.reject now supports the requeue argument.
- Redis: Remove superfluous pipeline call.

Fix contributed by Thomas Johansson.

- Redis: Now sets redelivered header for redelivered messages.
- Now always makes sure references to sys.exc_info() is removed.
- Virtual: The compression header is now removed before restoring messages.
- More tests for the SQLAlchemy backend.

Contributed by Franck Cuny.

• Url parsing did not handle MongoDB URLs properly.

Fix contributed by Flavio Percoco Premoli.

· Beanstalk: Ignore default tube when reserving.

Fix contributed by Zhao Xiaohong.

5.83.4 Nonblocking consume support

librabbitmq, amqplib and redis transports can now be used non-blocking.

The interface is very manual, and only consuming messages is non-blocking so far.

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The API should not be regarded as stable or final in any way. It is used by Celery which has very limited needs at this point. Hopefully we can introduce a proper callback-based API later.

• Transport.eventmap

Is a map of fd -> callback (fileno, event) to register in an eventloop.

• Transport.on_poll_start()

Is called before every call to poll. The poller must support register (fd, callback) and unregister (fd) methods.

• Transport.on_poll_start(poller)

Called when the hub is initialized. The poller argument must support the same interface as *kombu*. *utils*.eventio.poll.

- Connection.ensure_connection now takes a callback argument which is called for every loop while the connection is down.
- Adds connection.drain_nowait

This is a non-blocking alternative to drain events, but only supported by amqplib/librabbitmq.

• drain_events now sets connection.more_to_read if there is more data to read.

This is to support eventloops where other things must be handled between draining events.

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- Bound Exchange/Queue's are now pickleable.
- Consumer/Producer can now be instantiated without a channel, and only later bound using . revive(channel).
- ProducerPool now takes Producer argument.
- fxrange () now counts forever if the stop argument is set to None. (fxrange is like xrange but for decimals).
- · Auto delete support for virtual transports were incomplete and could lead to problems so it was removed.
- Cached declarations (maybe_declare()) are now bound to the underlying connection, so that entities are redeclared if the connection is lost.

This also means that previously uncacheable entities (e.g. non-durable) can now be cached.

• compat ConsumerSet: can now specify channel.

5.85 2.1.7

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release-by Ask Solem

• compat consumerset now accepts optional channel argument.

5.86 2.1.6

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release-by Ask Solem

- SQLAlchemy transport was not working correctly after URL parser change.
- maybe_declare now stores cached declarations per underlying connection instead of globally, in the rare case that data disappears from the broker after connection loss.
- Django: Added South migrations.

Contributed by Joseph Crosland.

5.87 2.1.5

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- The url parser removed more than the first leading slash (Issue #121).
- SQLAlchemy: Can now specify url using + separator

Example:

```
Connection('sqla+mysql://localhost/db')
```

• Better support for anonymous queues (Issue #116).

Contributed by Michael Barrett.

- Connection.as_uri now quotes url parts (Issue #117).
- Beanstalk: Can now set message TTR as a message property.

Contributed by Andrii Kostenko

5.88 2.1.4

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• MongoDB: URL parsing are now delegated to the pymongo library (Fixes Issue #103 and Issue #87).

Fix contributed by Flavio Percoco Premoli and James Sullivan

• SQS: A bug caused SimpleDB to be used even if sdb persistence was not enabled (Issue #108).

Fix contributed by Anand Kumria.

• Django: Transaction was committed in the wrong place, causing data cleanup to fail (Issue #115).

Fix contributed by Daisuke Fujiwara.

• MongoDB: Now supports replica set URLs.

Contributed by Flavio Percoco Premoli.

• Redis: Now raises a channel error if a queue key that is currently being consumed from disappears.

5.86. 2.1.6

Fix contributed by Stephan Jaekel.

- All transport 'channel_errors' lists now includes kombu.exception.StdChannelError.
- All kombu exceptions now inherit from a common KombuError.

5.89 2.1.3

release-date 2012-03-20 03:00 P.M GMT release-by Ask Solem

- Fixes Jython compatibility issues.
- Fixes Python 2.5 compatibility issues.

5.90 2.1.2

release-date 2012-03-01 01:00 P.M GMT release-by Ask Solem

• amqplib: Last version broke SSL support.

5.91 2.1.1

release-date 2012-02-24 02:00 P.M GMT release-by Ask Solem

- Connection URLs now supports encoded characters.
- Fixed a case where connection pool could not recover from connection loss.

Fix contributed by Florian Munz.

- We now patch amqplib's __del__ method to skip trying to close the socket if it is not connected, as this resulted in an annoying warning.
- Compression can now be used with binary message payloads.

Fix contributed by Steeve Morin.

5.92 2.1.0

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release-by Ask Solem

• MongoDB: Now supports fanout (broadcast) (Issue #98).

Contributed by Scott Lyons.

- amqplib: Now detects broken connections by using MSG_PEEK.
- pylibrabbitmq: Now supports basic_get (Issue #97).

- gevent: Now always uses the select polling backend.
- pika transport: Now works with pika 0.9.5 and 0.9.6dev.

The old pika transport (supporting 0.5.x) is now available as alias oldpika.

(Note terribly latency has been experienced with the new pika versions, so this is still an experimental transport).

• Virtual transports: can now set polling interval via the transport options (Issue #96).

Example:

```
>>> Connection('sqs://', transport_options={
... 'polling_interval': 5.0})
```

The default interval is transport specific, but usually 1.0s (or 5.0s for the Django database transport, which can also be set using the KOMBU POLLING INTERVAL setting).

• Adds convenience function: kombu.common.eventloop().

5.93 2.0.0

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```

5.93.1 Important Notes

Python Compatibility

• No longer supports Python 2.4.

Users of Python 2.4 can still use the 1.x series.

The 1.x series has entered bugfix-only maintenance mode, and will stay that way as long as there is demand, and a willingness to maintain it.

New Transports

• django-kombu is now part of Kombu core.

The Django message transport uses the Django ORM to store messages.

It uses polling, with a default polling interval of 5 seconds. The polling interval can be increased or decreased by configuring the KOMBU_POLLING_INTERVAL Django setting, which is the polling interval in seconds as an int or a float. Note that shorter polling intervals can cause extreme strain on the database: if responsiveness is needed you shall consider switching to a non-polling transport.

To use it you must use transport alias "django", or as a URL:

```
django://
```

and then add kombu.transport.django to INSTALLED_APPS, and run manage.py syncdb to create the necessary database tables.

Upgrading

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If you have previously used django-kombu, then the entry in INSTALLED_APPS must be changed from djkombu to kombu.transport.django:

```
INSTALLED_APPS = (
    # ...,
    'kombu.transport.django',
)
```

If you have previously used django-kombu, then there is no need to recreate the tables, as the old tables will be fully compatible with the new version.

• kombu-sqlalchemy is now part of Kombu core.

This change requires no code changes given that the sqlalchemy transport alias is used.

5.93.2 News

• kombu.mixins.ConsumerMixin is a mixin class that lets you easily write consumer programs and threads.

See Examples and Consumers.

• SQS Transport: Added support for SQS queue prefixes (Issue #84).

The queue prefix can be set using the transport option queue_name_prefix:

```
BrokerTransport('SQS://', transport_options={
    'queue_name_prefix': 'myapp'})
```

Contributed by Nitzan Miron.

• Producer.publish now supports automatic retry.

Retry is enabled by the reply argument, and retry options set by the retry_policy argument:

See ensure () for a list of supported retry policy options.

• Producer.publish now supports a declare keyword argument.

This is a list of entities (Exchange, or Queue) that should be declared before the message is published.

5.93.3 Fixes

• Redis transport: Timeout was multiplied by 1000 seconds when using select for event I/O (Issue #86).

5.94 1.5.1

```
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```

- Fixes issue with kombu.compat introduced in 1.5.0 (Issue #83).
- Adds the ability to disable content_types in the serializer registry.

Any message with a content type that is disabled will be refused. One example would be to disable the Pickle serializer:

```
>>> from kombu.serialization import registry
# by name
>>> registry.disable('pickle')
# or by mime-type.
>>> registry.disable('application/x-python-serialize')
```

5.95 1.5.0

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• kombu.pools: Fixed a bug resulting in resources not being properly released.

This was caused by the use of __hash__ to distinguish them.

• Virtual transports: Dead-letter queue is now disabled by default.

The dead-letter queue was enabled by default to help application authors, but now that Kombu is stable it should be removed. There are after all many cases where messages should just be dropped when there are no queues to buffer them, and keeping them without supporting automatic cleanup is rather considered a resource leak than a feature.

If wanted the dead-letter queue can still be enabled, by using the deadletter_queue transport option:

```
>>> x = Connection('redis://',
... transport_options={'deadletter_queue': 'ae.undeliver'})
```

In addition, an UndeliverableWarning is now emitted when the dead-letter queue is enabled and a message ends up there.

Contributed by Ionel Maries Cristian.

• MongoDB transport now supports Replicasets (Issue #81).

Contributed by Ivan Metzlar.

• The Connection.ensure methods now accepts a max_retries value of 0.

A value of 0 now means do not retry, which is distinct from None which means retry indefinitely.

Contributed by Dan McGee.

• SQS Transport: Now has a lowercase sqs alias, so that it can be used with broker URLs (Issue #82).

Fix contributed by Hong Minhee

• SQS Transport: Fixes KeyError on message acknowledgments (Issue #73).

The SQS transport now uses UUID's for delivery tags, rather than a counter.

Fix contributed by Brian Bernstein.

• SQS Transport: Unicode related fixes (Issue #82).

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Fix contributed by Hong Minhee.

- Redis version check could crash because of improper handling of types (Issue #63).
- Fixed error with Resource.force_close_all when resources were not yet properly initialized (Issue #78).

5.96 1.4.3

release-date 2011-10-27 10:00 P.M BST release-by Ask Solem

• Fixes bug in ProducerPool where too many resources would be acquired.

5.97 1.4.2

release-date 2011-10-26 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Eventio: Polling should ignore errno.EINTR
- SQS: str.encode did only start accepting kwargs after Py2.7.
- simple_task_queue example didn't run correctly (Issue #72).

Fix contributed by Stefan Eletzhofer.

 \bullet Empty messages would not raise an exception not able to be handled by on_decode_error (Issue #72)

Fix contributed by Christophe Chauvet.

• CouchDB: Properly authenticate if user/password set (Issue #70)

Fix contributed by Rafael Duran Castaneda

• Connection.Consumer had the wrong signature.

Fix contributed by Pavel Skvazh

5.98 1.4.1

release-date 2011-09-26 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• 1.4.0 broke the producer pool, resulting in new connections being established for every acquire.

5.99 1.4.0

release-date 2011-09-22 05:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Adds module kombu.mixins.

This module contains a <code>ConsumerMixin</code> class that can be used to easily implement a message consumer thread that consumes messages from one or more <code>kombu.Consumer</code> instances.

• New example: Task Queue Example

Using the ConsumerMixin, default channels and the global connection pool to demonstrate new Kombu features.

• MongoDB transport did not work with MongoDB >= 2.0 (Issue #66)

Fix contributed by James Turk.

• Redis-py version check did not account for beta identifiers in version string.

Fix contributed by David Ziegler.

• Producer and Consumer now accepts a connection instance as the first argument.

The connections default channel will then be used.

In addition shortcut methods has been added to Connection:

```
>>> connection.Producer(exchange)
>>> connection.Consumer(queues=..., callbacks=...)
```

- Connection has aquired a connected attribute that can be used to check if the connection instance has established a connection.
- ConnectionPool.acquire_channel now returns the connections default channel rather than establising a new channel that must be manually handled.
- Added kombu.common.maybe_declare

maybe_declare (entity) declares an entity if it has not previously been declared in the same process.

- kombu.compat.entry to queue() has been moved to kombu.common
- New module *kombu.clocks* now contains an implementation of Lamports logical clock.

5.100 1.3.5

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```

• Python 3: AMQP_PROTOCOL_HEADER must be bytes, not str.

5.101 1.3.4

```
release-date 2011-09-16 06:00 P.M BST release-by Ask Solem
```

• Fixes syntax error in pools.reset

5.100. 1.3.5

5.102 1.3.3

release-date 2011-09-15 02:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• pools.reset did not support after forker arguments.

5.103 1.3.2

release-date 2011-09-10 01:00 P.M BST

release-by Mher Movsisyan

- Broke Python 2.5 compatibility by importing parse_qsl from urlparse
- Connection.default_channel is now closed when connection is revived after connection failures.
- Pika: Channel now supports the connection.client attribute as required by the simple interface.
- pools.set_limit now raises an exception if the limit is lower than the previous limit.
- pools.set_limit no longer resets the pools.

5.104 1.3.1

release-date 2011-10-07 03:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Last release broke after fork for pool reinitialization.
- Producer/Consumer now has a connection attribute, giving access to the Connection of the instance.
- Pika: Channels now have access to the underlying Connection instance using channel.connection. client.

This was previously required by the Simple classes and is now also required by Consumer and Producer.

- Connection.default_channel is now closed at object revival.
- Adds kombu.clocks.LamportClock.
- compat.entry_to_queue has been moved to new module kombu.common.

5.105 1.3.0

release-date 2011-10-05 01:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Broker connection info can be now be specified using URLs

The broker hostname can now be given as a URL instead, of the format:

transport://user:password@hostname:port/virtual_host

for example the default broker is expressed as:

```
>>> Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//')
```

Transport defaults to amqp, and is not required. user, password, port and virtual_host is also not mandatory and will default to the corresponding transports default.

Note: Note that the path component (virtual_host) always starts with a forward-slash. This is necessary to distinguish between the virtual host '' (empty) and '/', which are both acceptable virtual host names.

A virtual host of '/' becomes:

```
.. code-block:: text
```

amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672//

and a virtual host of " (empty) becomes:

```
amqp://guest:guest@localhost:5672/
```

So the leading slash in the path component is **always required**.

• Now comes with default global connection and producer pools.

The acquire a connection using the connection parameters from a Connection:

```
>>> from kombu import Connection, connections
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost//')
>>> with connections[connection].acquire(block=True):
... # do something with connection
```

To acquire a producer using the connection parameters from a Connection:

```
>>> from kombu import Connection, producers
>>> connection = Connection('amqp://guest:guest@localhost//')
>>> with producers[connection].acquire(block=True):
... producer.publish({'hello': 'world'}, exchange='hello')
```

Acquiring a producer will in turn also acquire a connection from the associated pool in connections, so you the number of producers is bound the same limit as number of connections

The default limit of 100 connections per connection instance can be changed by doing:

```
>>> from kombu import pools
>>> pools.set_limit(10)
```

The pool can also be forcefully closed by doing:

```
>>> from kombu import pools
>>> pool.reset()
```

- SQS Transport: Persistence using SimpleDB is now disabled by default, after reports of unstable SimpleDB connections leading to errors.
- Producer can now be used as a context manager.
- Producer.__exit__ now properly calls release instead of close.

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The previous behavior would lead to a memory leak when using the kombu.pools. ProducerPool

- Now silences all exceptions from *import ctypes* to match behaviour of the standard Python uuid module, and avoid passing on MemoryError exceptions on SELinux-enabled systems (Issue #52 + Issue #53)
- amop is now an alias to the amoplib transport.
- kombu.syn.detect_environment now returns 'default', 'eventlet', or 'gevent' depending on what monkey patches have been installed.
- Serialization registry has new attribute type_to_name so it is possible to lookup serializater name by content type.
- Exchange argument to Producer.publish can now be an Exchange instance.
- compat. Publisher now supports the channel keyword argument.
- Acking a message on some transports could lead to KeyError being raised (Issue #57).
- Connection pool: Connections are no long instantiated when the pool is created, but instantiated as needed instead.
- Tests now pass on PyPy.
- Connection.as_uri now includes the password if the keyword argument include_password is set.
- Virtual transports now comes with a default default_connection_params attribute.

5.106 1.2.1

release-date 2011-07-29 12:52 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Now depends on amplib >= 1.0.0.
- Redis: Now automatically deletes auto_delete queues at basic_cancel.
- serialization.unregister added so it is possible to remove unwanted seralizers.
- Fixes MemoryError while importing ctypes on SELinux (Issue #52).
- Connection.autoretry is a version of ensure that works with arbitrary functions (i.e. it does not need an associated object that implements the revive method.

Example usage:

```
channel = connection.channel()
try:
    ret, channel = connection.autoretry(send_messages, channel=channel)
finally:
    channel.close()
```

• ConnectionPool.acquire no longer force establishes the connection.

The connection will be established as needed.

- Connection.ensure now supports an on_revive callback that is applied whenever the connection is re-established.
- Consumer.consuming_from(queue) returns True if the Consumer is consuming from queue.
- Consumer.cancel_by_queue did not remove the queue from queues.

• compat.ConsumerSet.add_queue_from_dict now automatically declared the queue if auto_declare set.

5.107 1.2.0

release-date 2011-07-15 12:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Virtual: Fixes cyclic reference in Channel.close (Issue #49).
- Producer.publish: Can now set additional properties using keyword arguments (Issue #48).
- Adds Queue.no_ack option to control the no_ack option for individual queues.
- Recent versions broke pylibrabbitmq support.
- SimpleQueue and SimpleBuffer can now be used as contexts.
- Test requirements specifies PyYAML==3.09 as 3.10 dropped Python 2.4 support
- Now properly reports default values in Connection.info/.as_uri

5.108 1.1.6

release-date 2011-06-13 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Redis: Fixes issue introduced in 1.1.4, where a redis connection failure could leave consumer hanging forever.
- SQS: Now supports fanout messaging by using SimpleDB to store routing tables.

This can be disabled by setting the *supports_fanout* transport option:

```
>>> Connection(transport='SQS',
... transport_options={'supports_fanout': False})
```

- SQS: Now properly deletes a message when a message is acked.
- SQS: Can now set the Amazon AWS region, by using the region transport option.
- amqplib: Now uses *localhost* as default hostname instead of raising an error.

5.109 1.1.5

release-date 2011-06-07 06:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

• Fixes compatibility with redis-py 2.4.4.

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5.110 1.1.4

release-date 2011-06-07 04:00 P.M BST

release-by Ask Solem

- Redis transport: Now requires redis-py version 2.4.4 or later.
- New Amazon SQS transport added.

Usage:

```
>>> conn = Connection(transport='SQS',
... userid=aws_access_key_id,
... password=aws_secret_access_key)
```

The environment variables AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID and AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY are also supported.

- librabbitmq transport: Fixes default credentials support.
- amqplib transport: Now supports login_method for SSL auth.

Connection now supports the login_method keyword argument.

Default *login_method* is AMQPLAIN.

5.111 1.1.3

release-date 2011-04-21 04:00 P.M CEST

release-by Ask Solem

- Redis: Consuming from multiple connections now works with Eventlet.
- Redis: Can now perform channel operations while the channel is in BRPOP/LISTEN mode (Issue #35).

Also the async BRPOP now times out after 1 second, this means that canceling consuming from a queue/starting consuming from additional queues has a latency of up to one second (BRPOP does not support subsecond timeouts).

- Virtual: Allow channel objects to be closed multiple times without error.
- amqplib: AttributeError has been added to the list of known connection related errors (Connection. connection_errors).
- ampplib: Now converts SSLError timeout errors to socket.timeout (http://bugs.python.org/issue10272)
- Ensures cyclic references are destroyed when the connection is closed.

5.112 1.1.2

release-date 2011-04-06 04:00 P.M CEST

release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Fixes serious issue where messages could be lost.

The issue could happen if the message exceeded a certain number of kilobytes in size.

It is recommended that all users of the Redis transport should upgrade to this version, even if not currently experiencing any issues.

5.113 1.1.1

release-date 2011-04-05 03:51 P.M CEST release-by Ask Solem

• 1.1.0 started using Queue. LifoQueue which is only available in Python 2.6+ (Issue #33). We now ship with our own LifoQueue.

5.114 1.1.0

```
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```

5.114.1 Important Notes

• Virtual transports: Message body is now base64 encoded by default (Issue #27).

This should solve problems sending binary data with virtual transports.

Message compatibility is handled by adding a body_encoding property, so messages sent by older versions is compatible with this release. However – If you are accessing the messages directly not using Kombu, then you have to respect the body_encoding property.

If you need to disable base64 encoding then you can do so via the transport options:

For transport authors:

You don't have to change anything in your custom transports, as this is handled automatically by the base class.

If you want to use a different encoder you can do so by adding a key to Channel. codecs. Default encoding is specified by the Channel.body_encoding attribute.

A new codec must provide two methods: encode (data) and decode (data).

- ConnectionPool/ChannelPool/Resource: Setting limit=None (or 0) now disables pool semantics, and will establish and close the resource whenever acquired or released.
- ConnectionPool/ChannelPool/Resource: Is now using a LIFO queue instead of the previous FIFO behavior.

This means that the last resource released will be the one acquired next. I.e. if only a single thread is using the pool this means only a single connection will ever be used.

- Connection: Cloned connections did not inherit transport_options (__copy__).
- contrib/requirements is now located in the top directory of the distribution.

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- MongoDB: Now supports authentication using the userid and password arguments to Connection (Issue #30).
- Connection: Default autentication credentials are now delegated to the individual transports.

This means that the userid and password arguments to Connection is no longer *guest/guest* by default.

The amplib and pika transports will still have the default credentials.

- Consumer. __exit___() did not have the correct signature (Issue #32).
- Channel objects now have a channel_id attribute.
- MongoDB: Version sniffing broke with development versions of mongod (Issue #29).
- New environment variable KOMBU_LOG_CONNECTION will now emit debug log messages for connection related actions.

KOMBU_LOG_DEBUG will also enable KOMBU_LOG_CONNECTION.

5.115 1.0.7

release-date 2011-03-28 05:45 P.M CEST

release-by Ask Solem

• Now depends on any json 0.3.1

cjson is no longer a recommended json implementation, and anyjson will now emit a deprecation warning if used.

• Please note that the Pika backend only works with version 0.5.2.

The latest version (0.9.x) drastically changed API, and it is not compatible yet.

- on_decode_error is now called for exceptions in message_to_python (Issue #24).
- Redis: did not respect QoS settings.
- Redis: Creating a connection now ensures the connection is established.

This means Connection.ensure_connection works properly with Redis.

• consumer_tag argument to Queue.consume can't be None (Issue #21).

A None value is now automatically converted to empty string. An empty string will make the server generate a unique tag.

• Connection now supports a transport_options argument.

This can be used to pass additional arguments to transports.

• Pika: drain_events raised socket.timeout even if no timeout set (Issue #8).

5.116 1.0.6

release-date 2011-03-22 04:00 P.M CET

release-by Ask Solem

• The delivery_mode aliases (persistent/transient) were not automatically converted to integer, and would cause a crash if using the ampplib transport.

- Redis: The redis-py InvalidData exception suddenly changed name to DataError.
- The KOMBU_LOG_DEBUG environment variable can now be set to log all channel method calls.

Support for the following environment variables have been added:

- KOMBU_LOG_CHANNEL will wrap channels in an object that logs every method call.
- KOMBU_LOG_DEBUG both enables channel logging and configures the root logger to emit messages to standard error.

Example Usage:

5.117 1.0.5

release-date 2011-03-17 04:00 P.M CET

release-by Ask Solem

- Fixed memory leak when creating virtual channels. All virtual transports affected (redis, mongodb, memory, django, sqlalchemy, couchdb, beanstalk).
- Virtual Transports: Fixed potential race condition when acking messages.

If you have been affected by this, the error would show itself as an exception raised by the Ordered-Dict implementation. (object no longer exists).

- MongoDB transport requires the findandmodify command only available in MongoDB 1.3+, so now raises an exception if connected to an incompatible server version.
- Virtual Transports: basic.cancel should not try to remove unknown consumer tag.

5.118 1.0.4

release-date 2011-02-28 04:00 P.M CET

release-by Ask Solem

• Added Transport.polling_interval

Used by django-kombu to increase the time to sleep between SELECTs when there are no messages in the queue.

Users of django-kombu should upgrade to django-kombu v0.9.2.

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5.119 1.0.3

release-date 2011-02-12 04:00 P.M CET release-by Ask Solem

- ConnectionPool: Re-connect if amqplib connection closed
- Adds Queue.as_dict + Exchange.as_dict.
- Copyright headers updated to include 2011.

5.120 1.0.2

release-date 2011-01-31 10:45 P.M CET release-by Ask Solem

- amqplib: Message properties were not set properly.
- Ghettoq backend names are now automatically translated to the new names.

5.121 1.0.1

release-date 2011-01-28 12:00 P.M CET release-by Ask Solem

• Redis: Now works with Linux (epoll)

5.122 1.0.0

release-date 2011-01-27 12:00 P.M CET **release-by** Ask Solem

· Initial release

5.123 0.1.0

release-date 2010-07-22 04:20 P.M CET release-by Ask Solem

· Initial fork of carrot

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