

# Kafka Internals

This page is meant to give a high-level introduction to the Kafka code base and the major subsystems. It is meant to help you learn the code base.

Here is an overview of a few of the subsystems:

- [Kafka API layer](#)
- LogManager and Log
- ReplicaManager
- ZookeeperConsumerConnector

Here is a basic diagram of how these systems fit together:

