

# KIP-165: Extend Interactive Queries for return latest update timestamp per key

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## Status

**Current state:** *Discarded* (covered via [KIP-258](#))

**Discussion thread:** [here](#)

**JIRA:** [KAFKA-4304](#)

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## Motivation

Taken from related issue:

Currently, when querying state store, it is not clear when the key was updated last. The ides of this JIRA is to make the latest update timestamp for each key-value-pair of the state store accessible.

For example, this might be useful to

- check if a value was update but did not changed (just compare the update TS)
- if you want to consider only recently updated keys

## Public Interfaces

### ▪ `ReadOnlyKeyValueStoreWithKeyContext`

```
public interface ReadOnlyKeyValueStoreWithKeyContext<K, V> extends ReadOnlyKeyValueStore<K, V> {  
    KeyContext<K, V> getWithKeyContext(K key);  
    KeyValueIterator<KeyContext<K, V>, V> rangeWithKeyContext(K from, K to);  
    KeyValueIterator<KeyContext<K, V>, V> allWithKeyContext();  
}
```

## Proposed Changes

We propose add a new interface `KeyContext` which will keep info about key. We can include more methods inside this context as well.

```
public interface KeyContext<K, V> { // more key/value context can be added here as well.  
    K key();  
    V value();  
    long lastUpdated();  
}
```

## Compatibility, Deprecation, and Migration Plan

Not yet

## Rejected Alternatives

Not yet