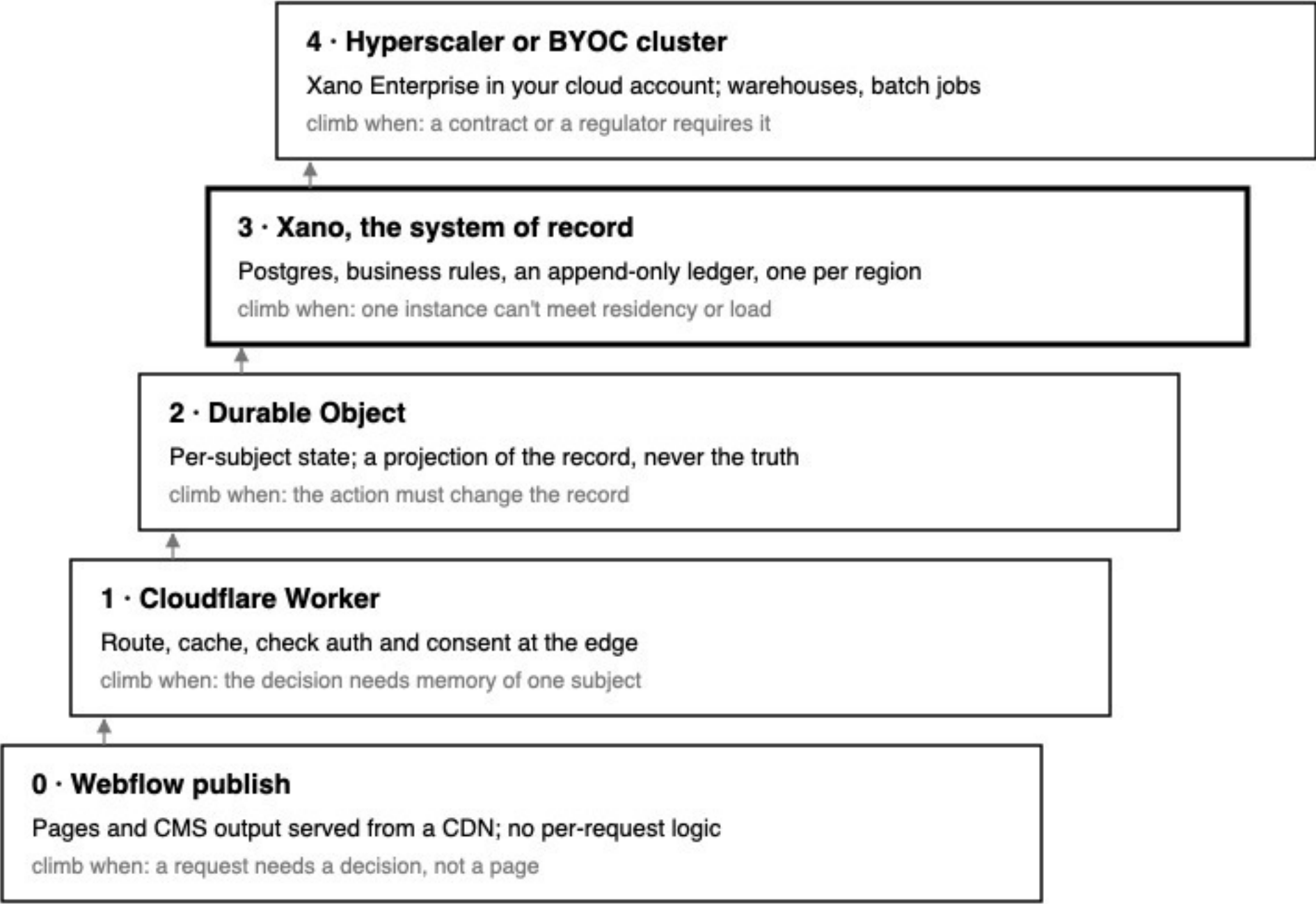


TWO DECISION LADDERS — START AT THE BOTTOM, CLIMB ONLY WHEN THE CONDITION IS TRUE

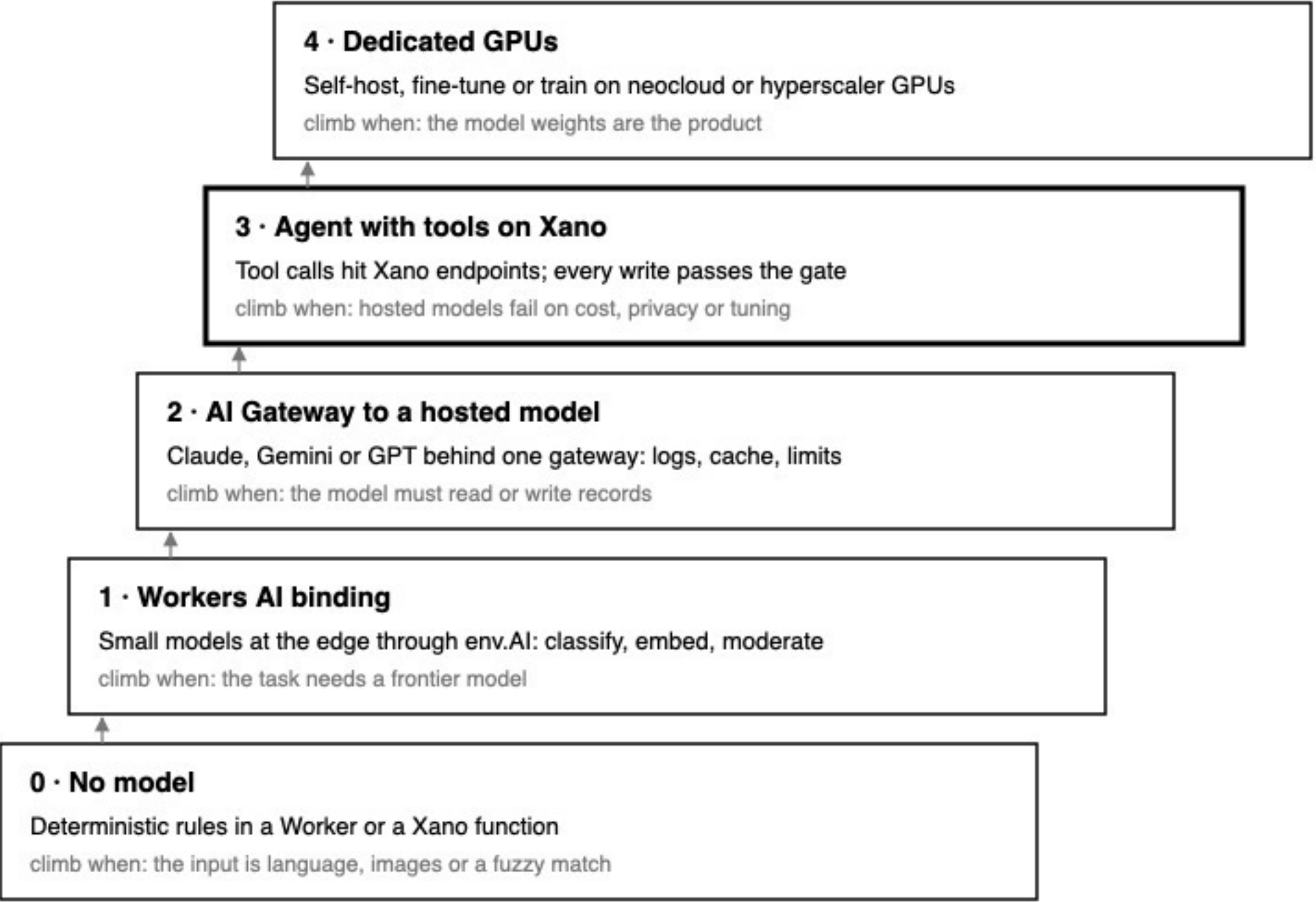
each rung up adds cost, latency or audit scope; the grey line on each rung is the condition that earns the next one

Heavy box = where the record of truth lives.

ORCHESTRATION · WHERE THE LOGIC RUNS



AI BINDING · WHERE THE MODEL RUNS, WHAT IT MAY TOUCH



RULES THAT HOLD ON EVERY RUNG

Xano wins any disagreement · fail closed when the projection is stale · personal data stays in its home instance · data leaves only through the signed gate