Towards Writing Scalable Spark Applications

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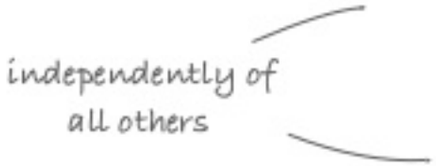
#AmazingSpark

Data decomposition

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map(k1, v1) -> list(k2, v2)

reduce(k2, iterator(v2))
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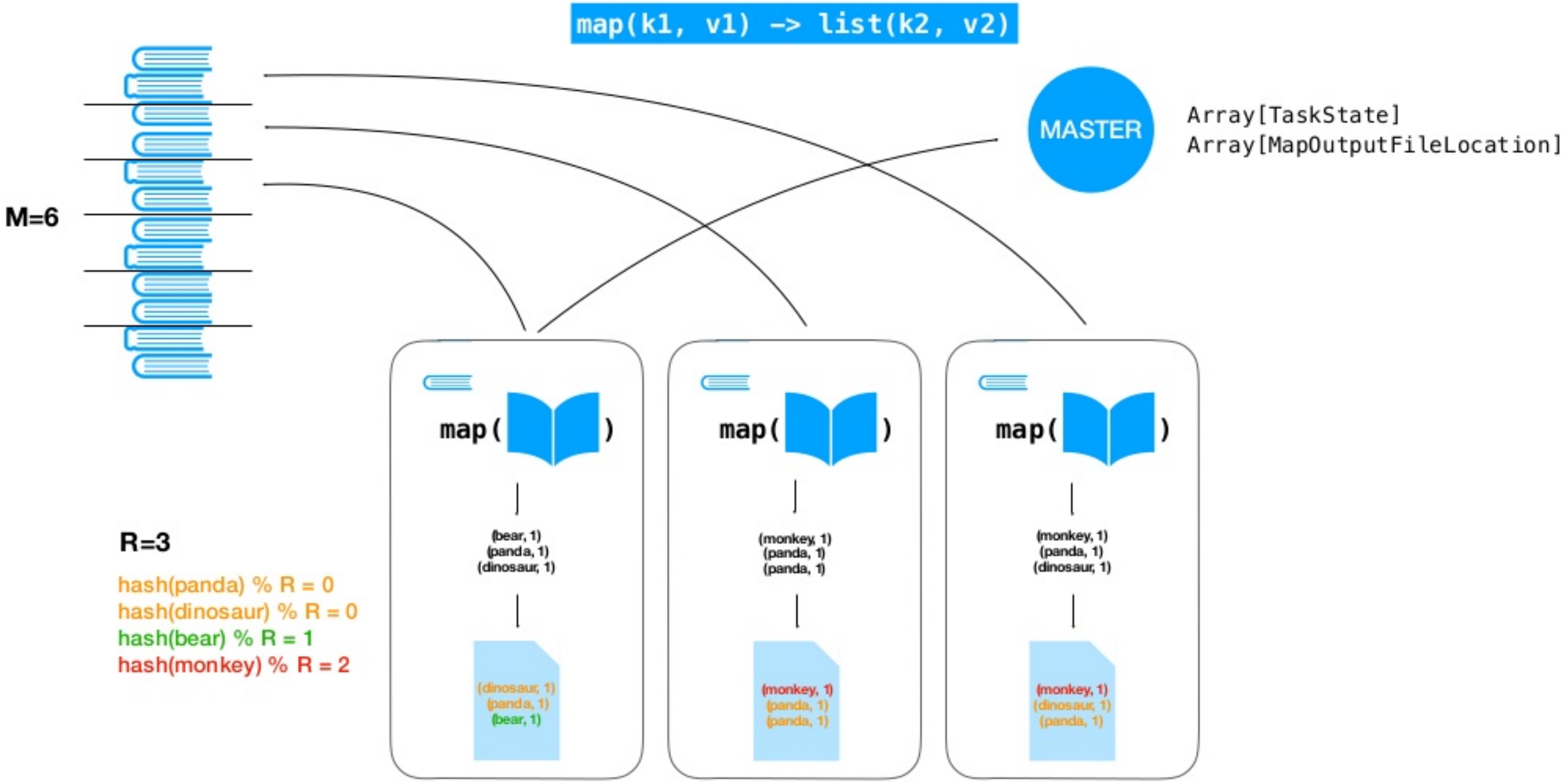
map(k1, v1) -> list(k2, v2)
M=6
MASTER
Array[TaskState]
Array[MapOutputFileLocation]
map( )
map( )
map( )
(bear, 1)
(panda, 1)
(dinosaur, 1)
(monkey, 1)
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R=3
hash(panda) % R = 0
hash(dinosaur) % R = 0
hash(bear) % R = 1
hash(monkey) % R = 2

`reduce(k2, iterator(v2))`

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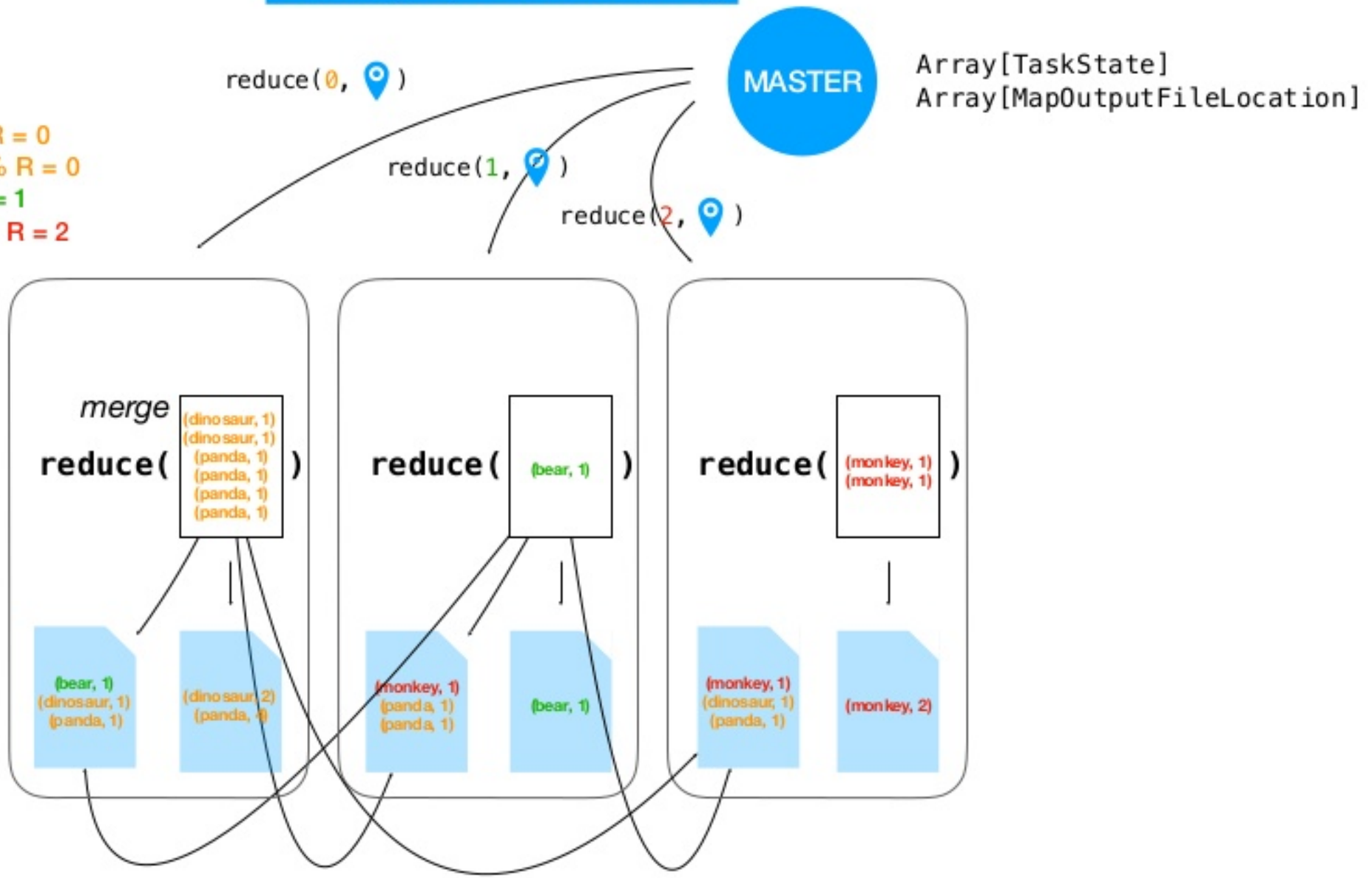

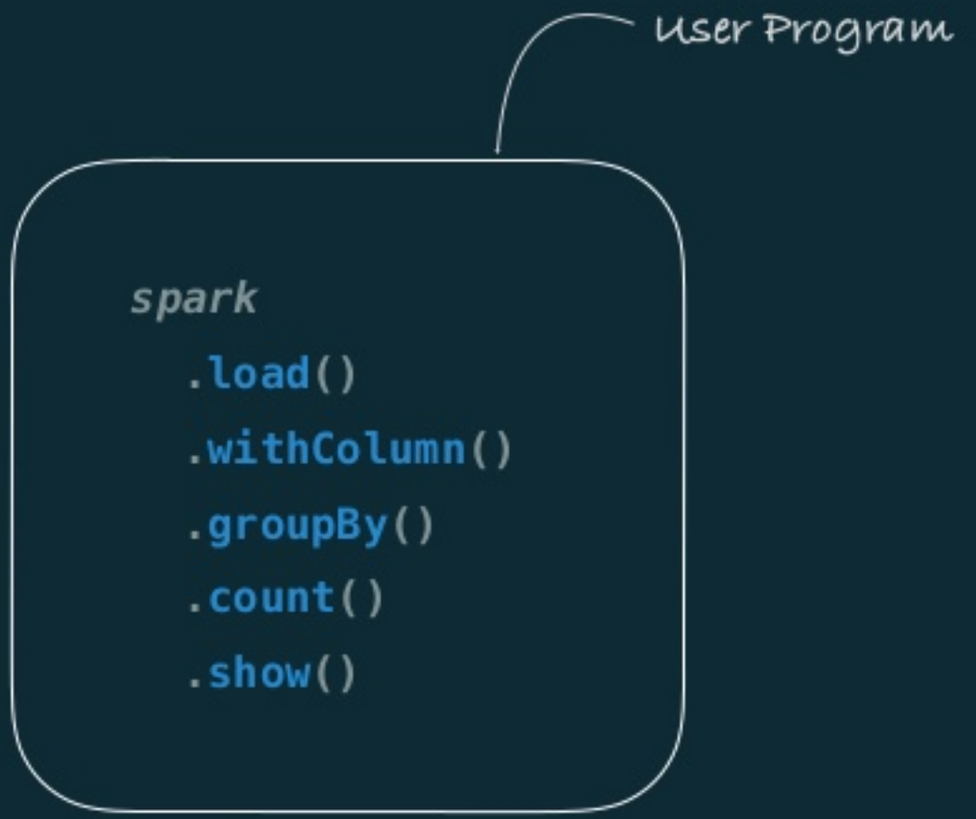
User Program
spark
.load()
.withColumn()
.groupBy()
.count()
.show()

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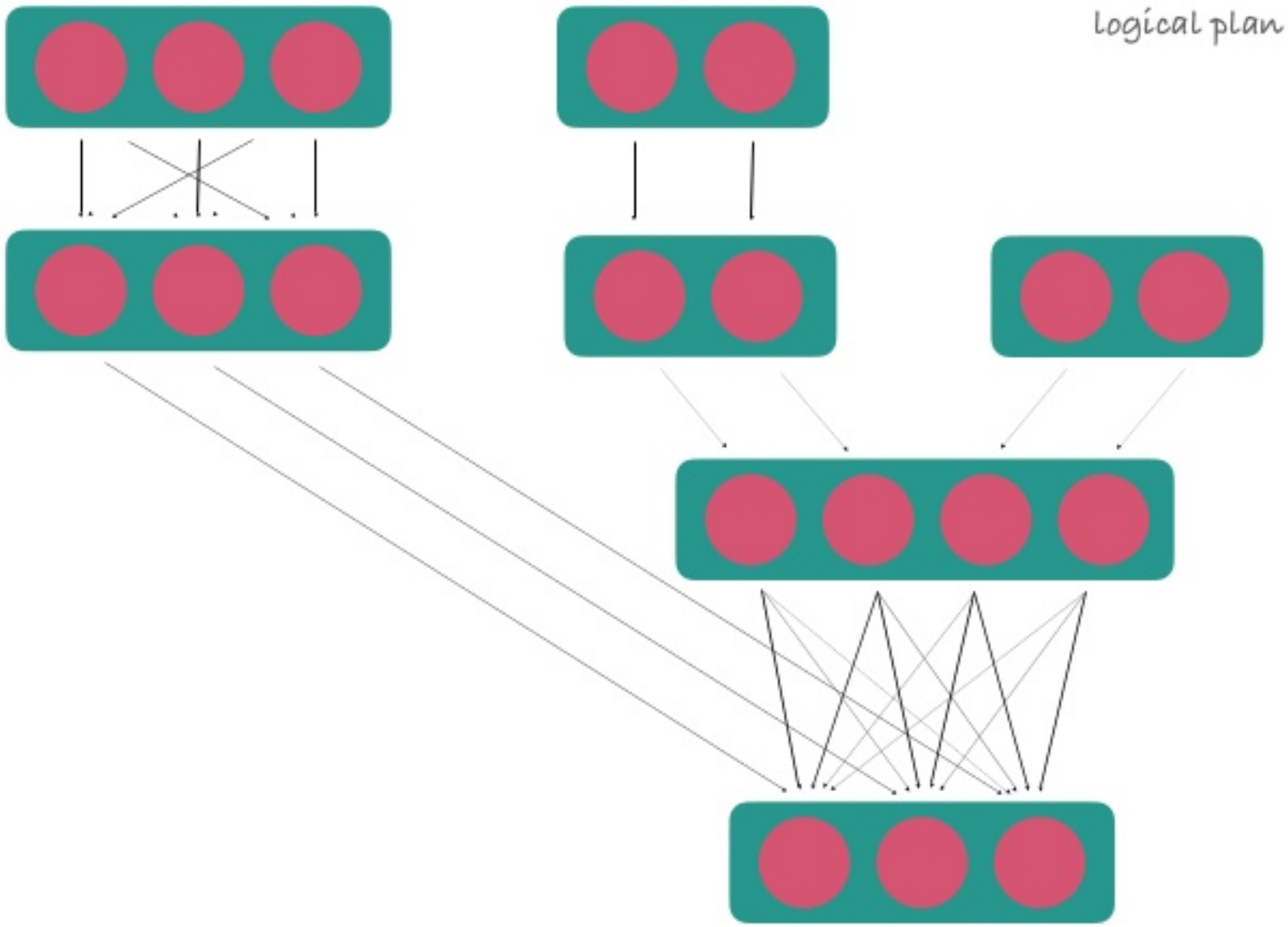
rdd1 = sparkContext
      .parallelize(…)
      .repartition(3)
rdd2 = sparkContext
      .parallelize(…)
      .map(…)
rdd3 = sparkContext
      .parallelize(…)
rdd2.union(rdd2)
      .union(rdd)
      .join(rdd1)
      .count()
```



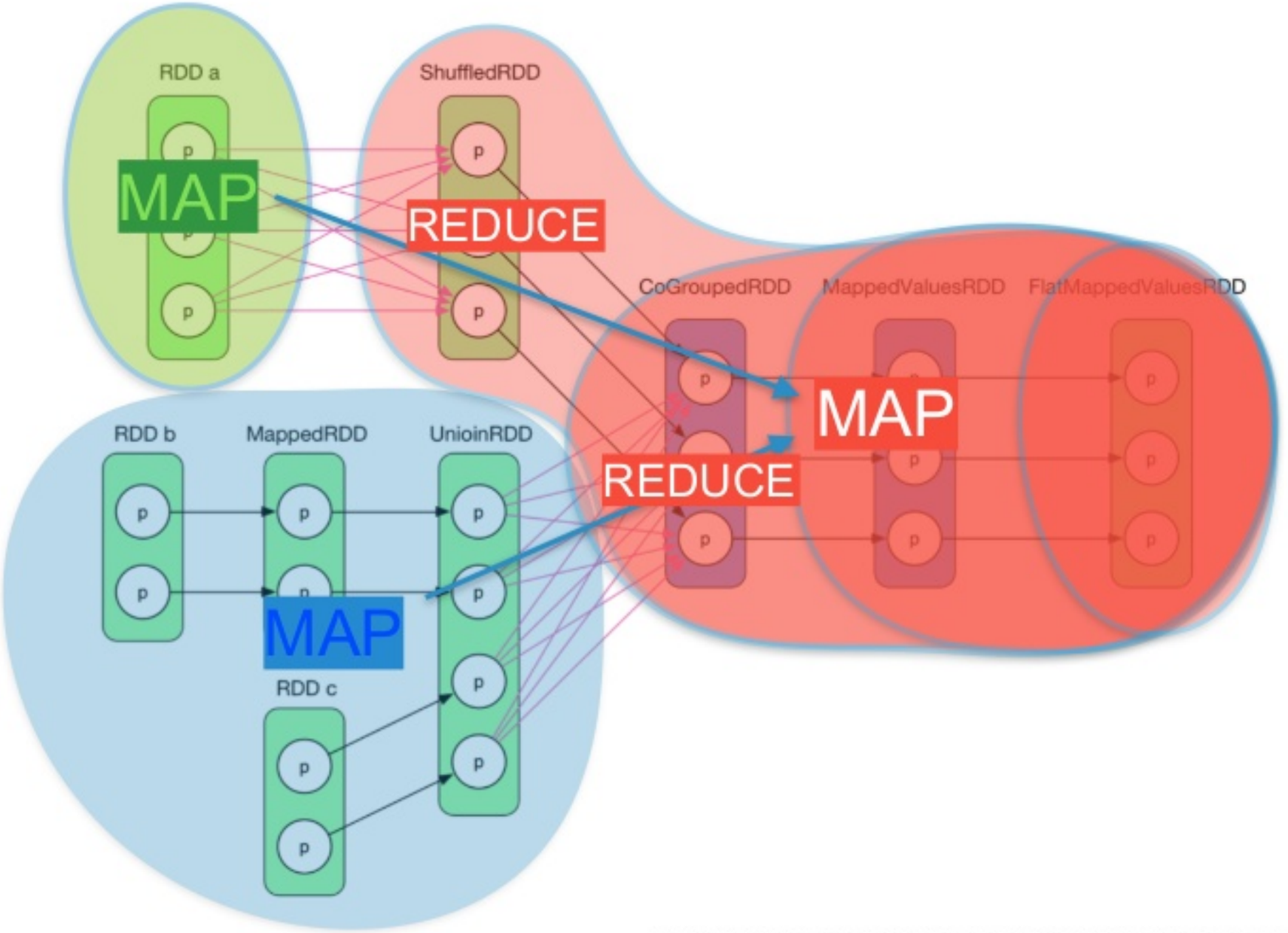
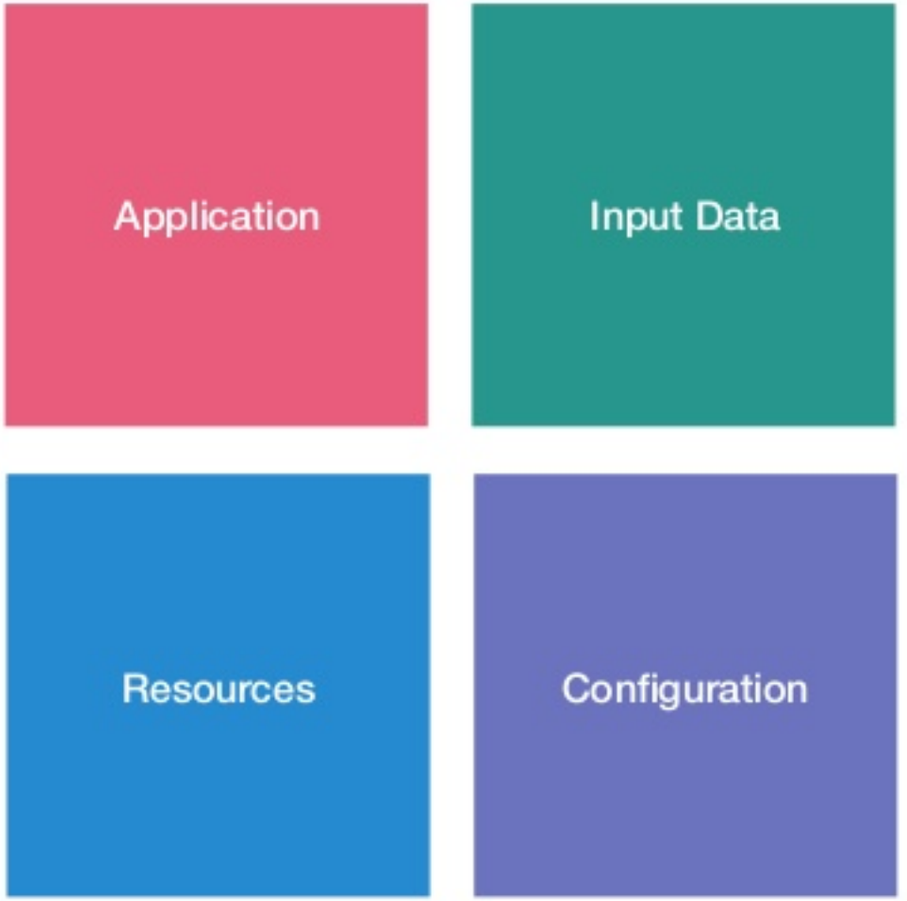
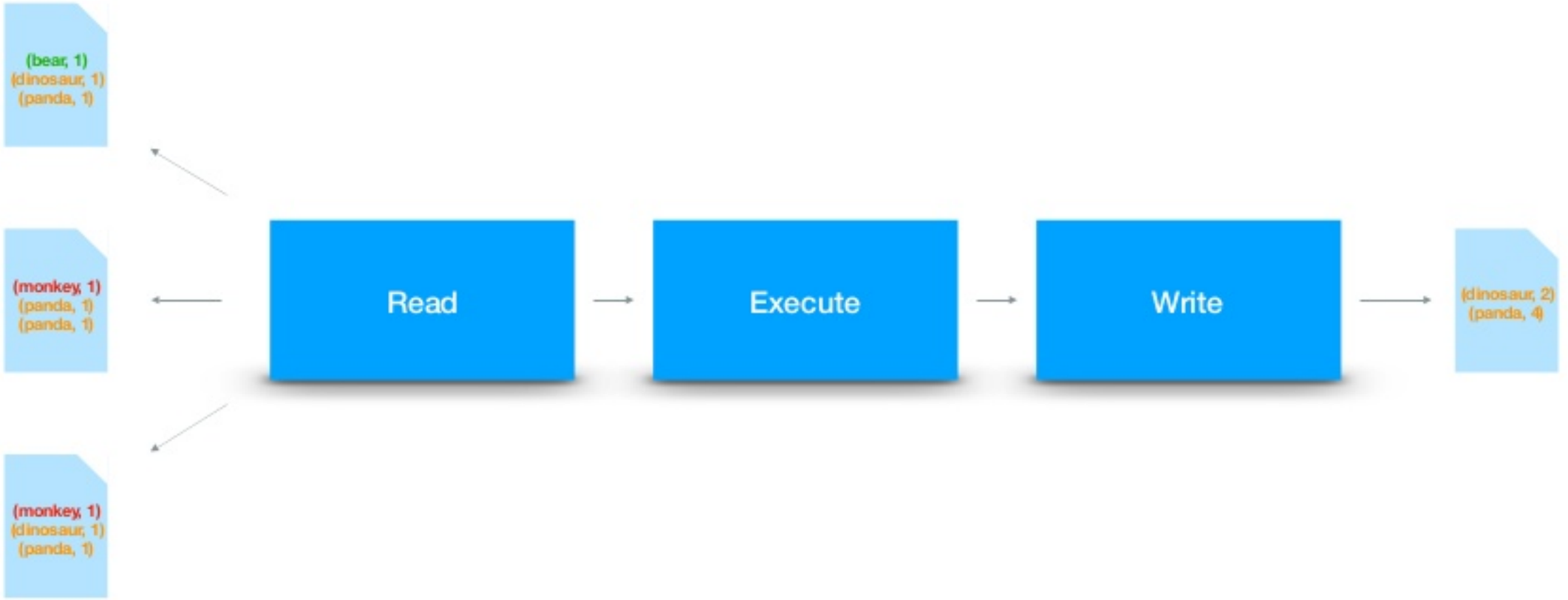


Image from: https://github.com/JerryLead/SparkInternals/blob/master/PNGfigures/ComplexJob.png

Performance Bottlenecks

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(panda, 1)
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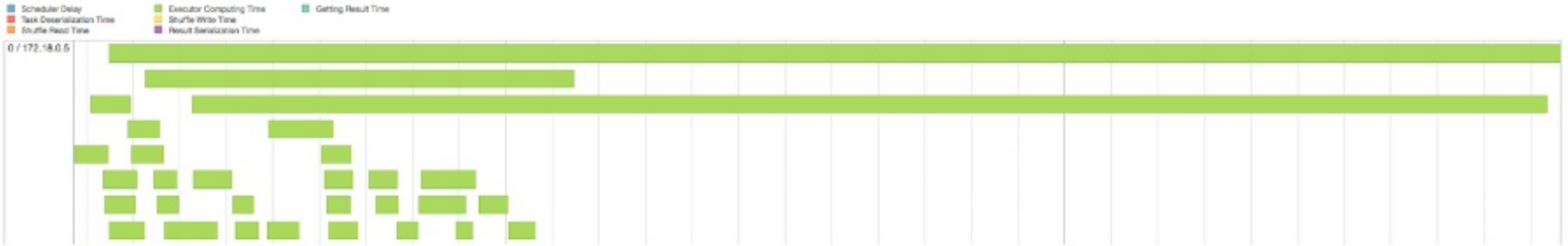
(panda, 1)
Read
Execute
Write
(dinosaur, 2)
(panda, 4)

Stragglers



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31	5256	0	SUCCESS	NODE_LOCAL	0 / 172.18.0.5 stdout stderr	2018/03/23 13:56:26	2.4 min	4 ms	52.6 MB / 530658	0.0 B	9 ms	2.5 MB / 257064
120	5345	0	SUCCESS	NODE_LOCAL	0 / 172.18.0.5 stdout stderr	2018/03/23 13:57:12	2.4 min	3 ms	39.9 MB / 535418	0.0 B	9 ms	2.5 MB / 259946
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115	5340	0	SUCCESS	NODE_LOCAL	0 / 172.18.0.5 stdout stderr	2018/03/23 13:57:10	8 s	4 ms	160.1 MB / 26788	0.0 B	50 ms	234.9 KB / 5554
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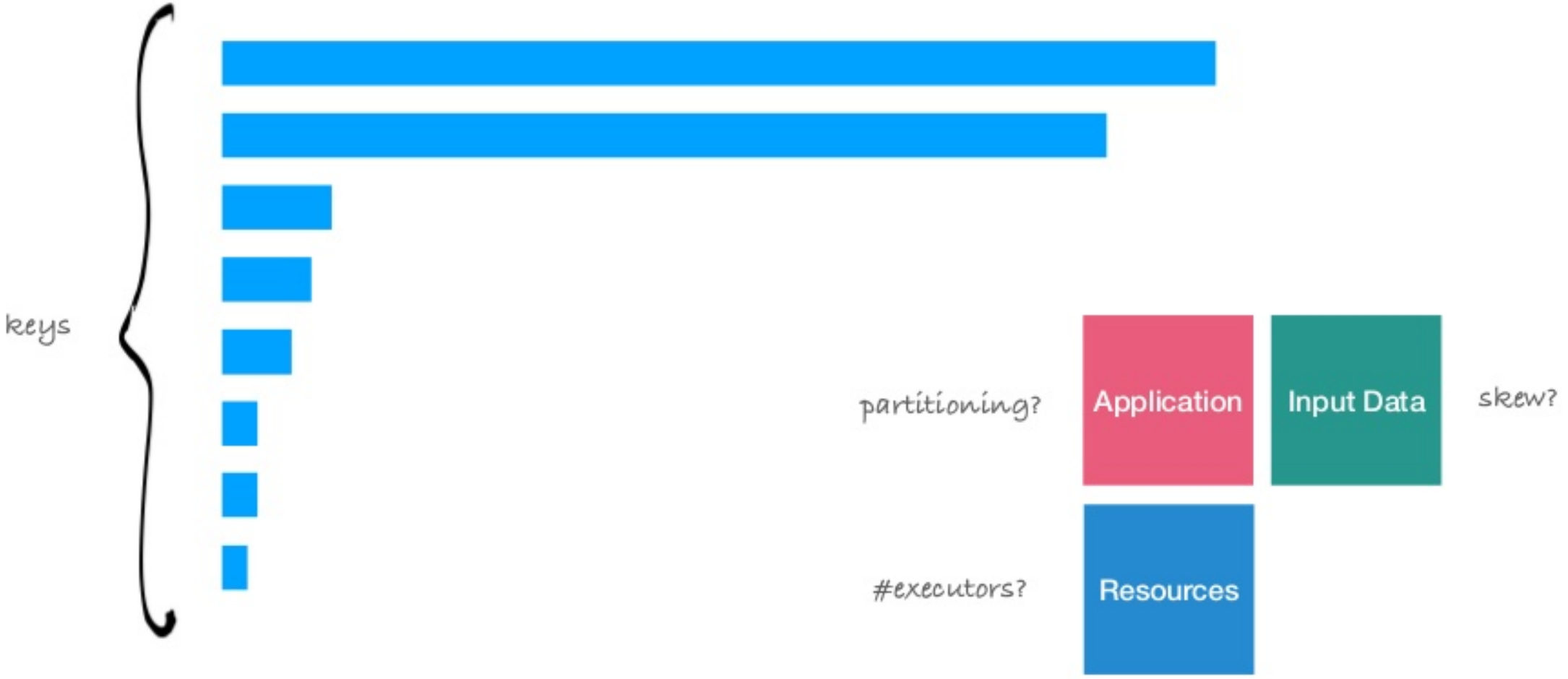
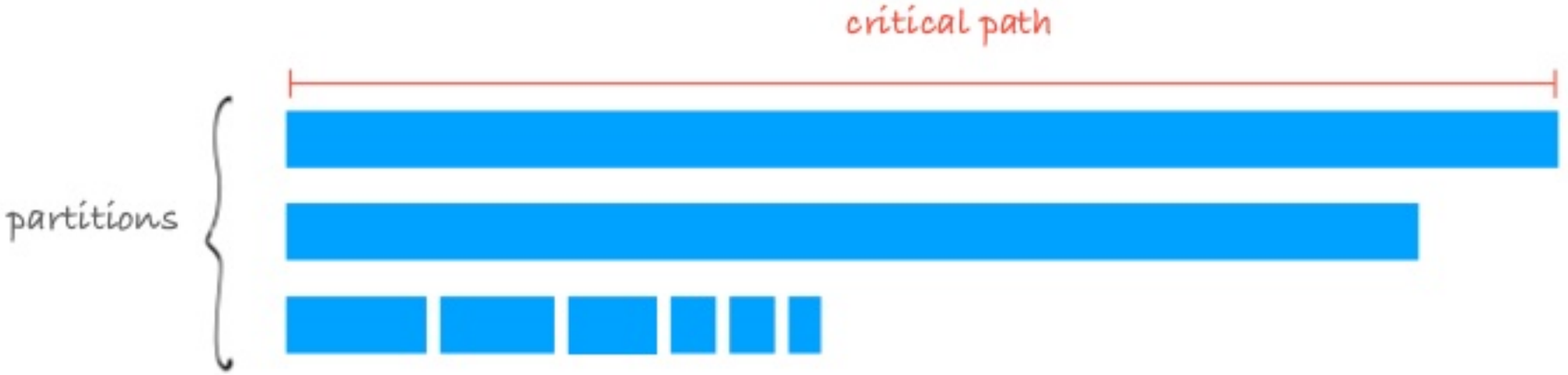

keys
partitioning?
Application
Input Data
skew?
#executors?
Resources

Stragglers

Partitioning - worst case

Stragglers

Partitioning - optimal case



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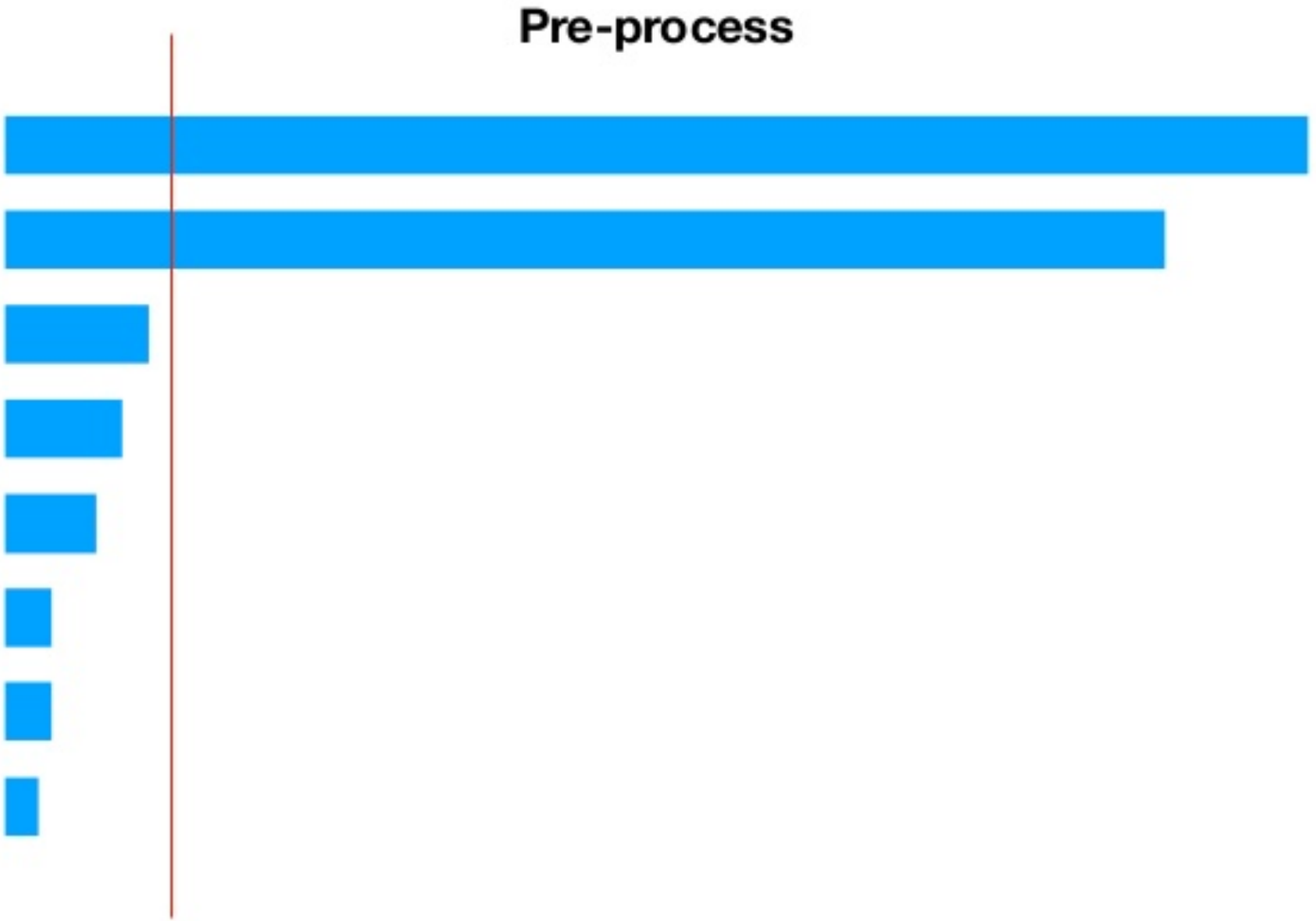

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Salting

no idea how large this will become

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case class DuplicateClass(id: Long, docs: List[Document])
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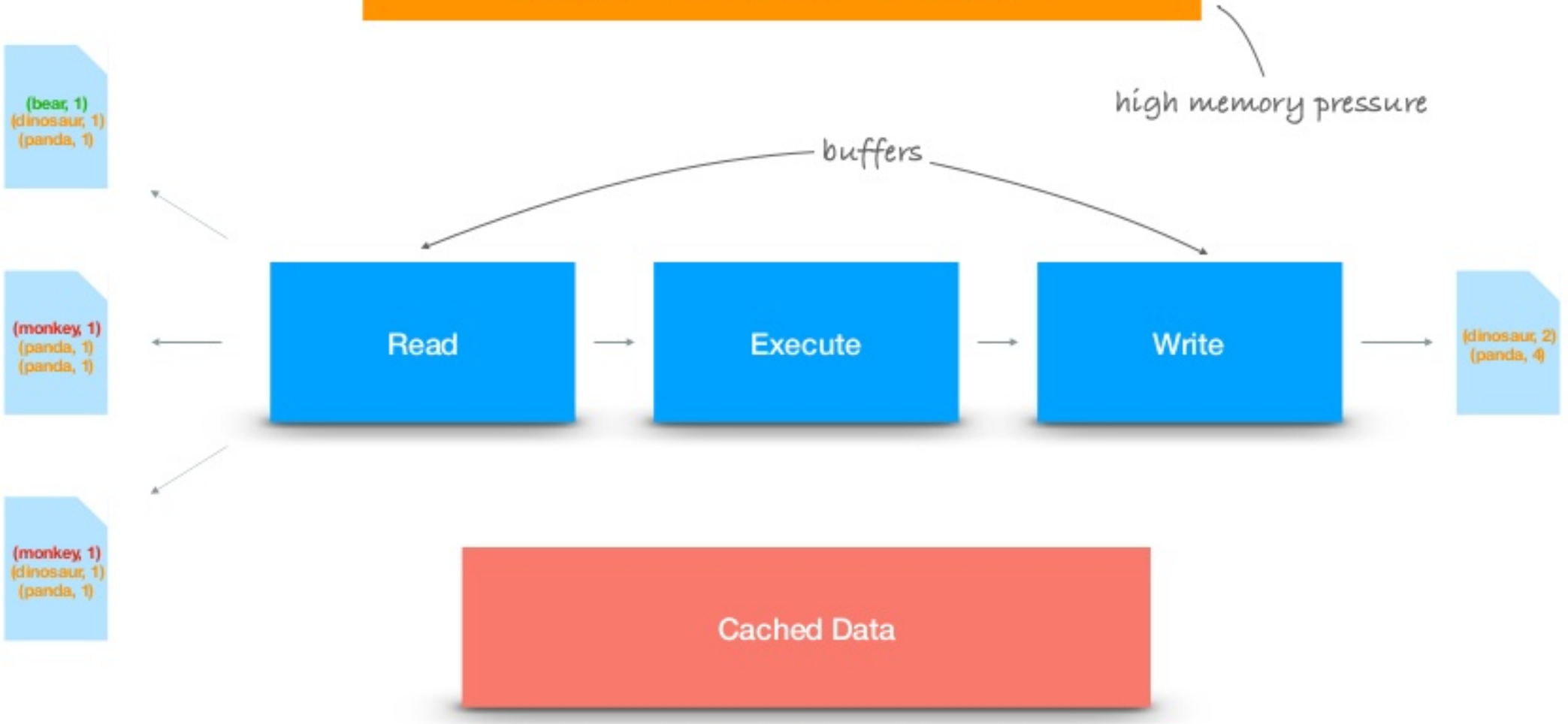
GC Overhead


high memory pressure
buffers
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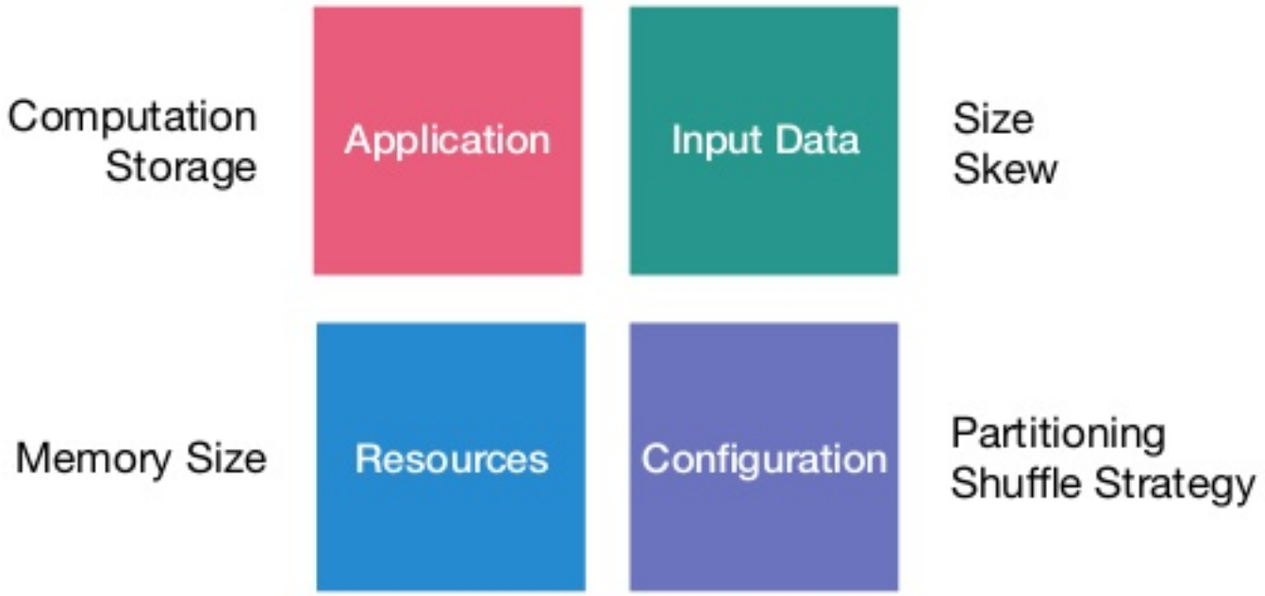
Cached Data

GC Overhead

high memory pressure



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