



# (More!) Tools and Algorithms for Genomic Analysis on Spark

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# Previously, at Spark Summit East...

- [Guacamole](#): somatic variant caller on Spark
- [magic-rdds](#): collections algorithms on RDDs
- [slides](#), [video](#)

# This episode

- [coverage-depth](#) analysis tool
- cluster bake-off: in-house hadoop vs. gcloud
- [hadoop-bam](#): parable of a legacy genomics file format in a distributed world
- bonus: [suffix-arrays](#)

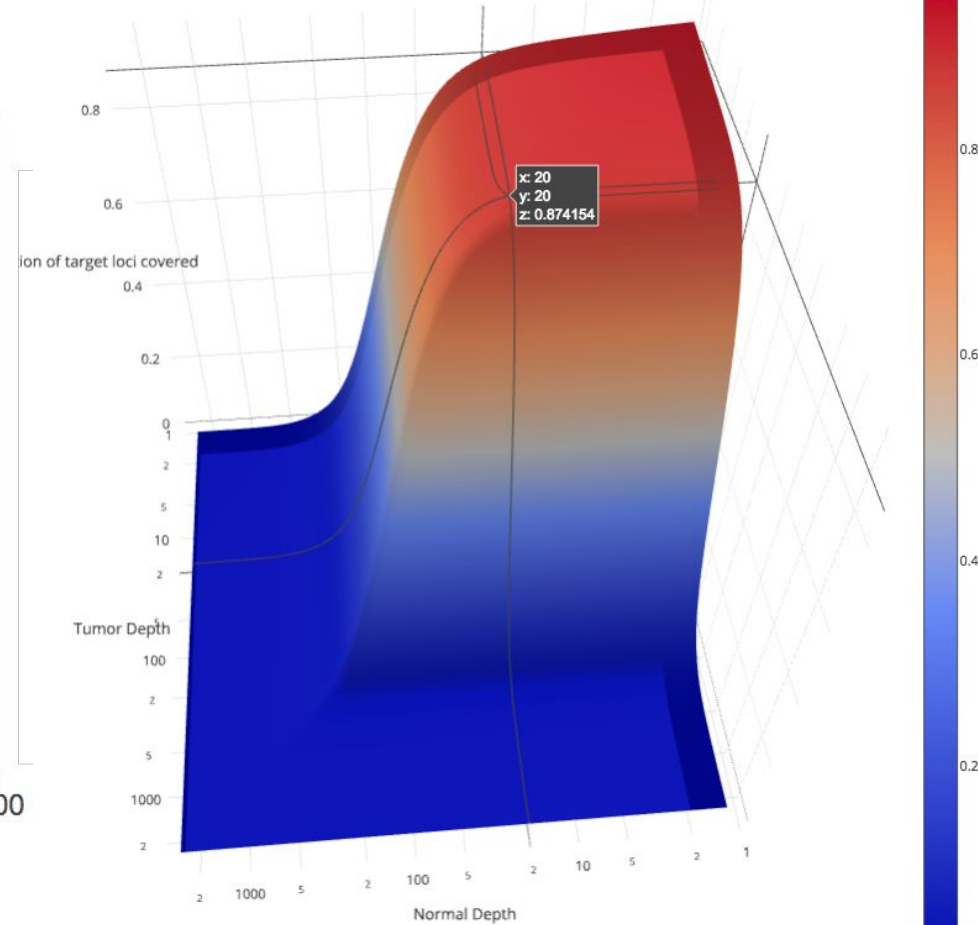
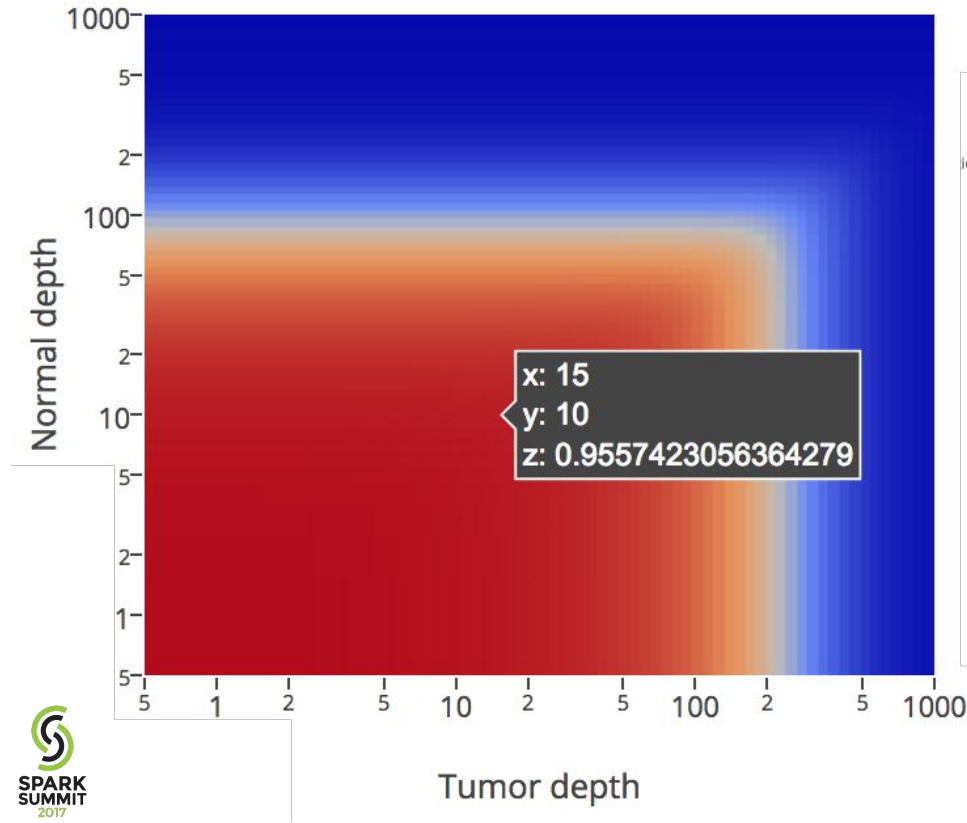
# Hammer Lab

- Mt. Sinai School of Medicine, Parker Institute for Cancer Immunotherapy
- 12 people, mostly computational + \_\_\_\_\_
- personal genome vaccine trial(s) underway
- misc clinical data analysis
- long-running background thread porting biofx tools to Spark

# Spark-based Genomic Analysis tools/platforms

- Broad Institute
  - [GATK4](#) - next generation of GATK suite of tools
  - [Hail](#) - variant analysis at scale
- AMP Lab: [bigdatagenomics](#)
  - [ADAM](#) - QC / variant-calling / viz tools
  - [bdg-formats](#) - avro schemas for genomic record-types
- Hammer Lab: [pageant](#)
  - [coverage-depth](#): QC analyses
  - [guacamole](#): somatic variant caller

# coverage-depth - joint histogram of distribution of two samples

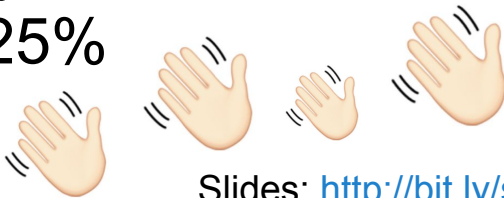


# coverage-depth: progress and WIP

- running on google cloud and local hadoop cluster
- WIP: multi-plot.ly web-based report
- real-world use:
  - “Contribution of systemic and somatic factors to clinical response and resistance to PD-L1 blockade in urothelial cancer: An exploratory multi-omic analysis”, [Snyder et al. 2017](#)
  - upcoming lung-cancer study
  - normalizing mutation counts by # exonic loci with depth  $\geq$  cutoff

# In-house Hadoop cluster vs. Google Cloud Dataproc

- Demeter: 100-node, 2400-core cluster
  - \$500k circa 2013...
    - $\approx$  half now?
    - + X% sysadmin allocation
- Google Cloud Dataproc:
  - pre-emptible nodes: \$0.02/cpu/hr
    - non-pre-emptible nodes: \$0.06/cpu/hr
  - 1 Demeter's worth of cores for 4 years: \$1.7MM
  - utilization break-even range: 10-25%



Slides: <http://bit.ly/ss17-ryan>



# Recent analysis: coverage-depth of TCGA lung cancer BAMs

- 1060 BAMs (LUAD + LUSC): 14TB
  - filter to ensembl exons + by minimum depth
    - goal: normalize each sample's mutation-count by its number of exonic loci with sufficient depth
  - 1 ephemeral cluster per app?
  - or: 1 big cluster w/ many apps simultaneously
- ⇒ 10 dataproc clusters of 77 4-core nodes (308 cores)
- 10mins per sample, 2 samples on a cluster at a time
  - 6hrs, \$400

# Recent analysis: coverage-depth of TCGA lung cancer BAMs

- Twist: 2 (of 1060) BAMs consistently failed:

“  
MRNM should not be set for unpaired read.”

- BAMs seemed ok in samtools  
... debugging

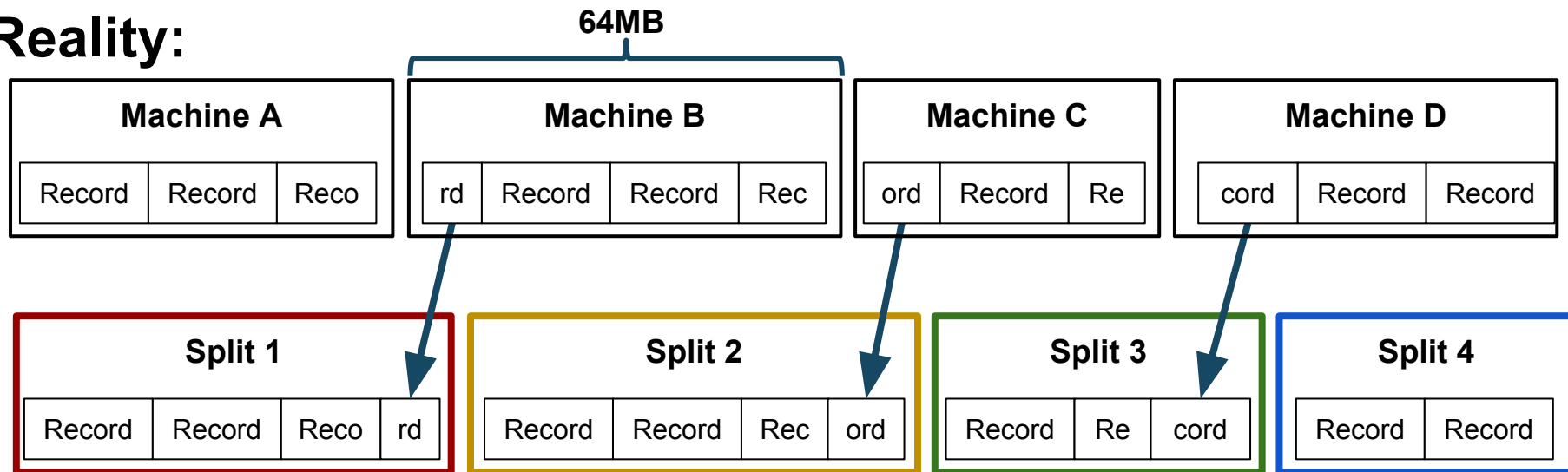
⇒ Bad splits!

# Splitting BAM files

# Splitting files



## Reality:



# hadoop-bam

- Implementation of Hadoop  
`File{In,Out}putFormat`
- Original implementation circa 2010
- Semi-abandoned but critical library underneath  
Hammer Lab, BDG, and Broad efforts
- Main goal: “split” BAM files

# BAM SAM format

- Sequence Alignment/Map

Header { @HD VN:1.4 GO:none SO:coordinate  
@SQ SN:1 LN:249250621  
@SQ SN:2 LN:243199373  
...

Reads { HWI-ST807:8592:79724 163 1 10001 0 101M = 10009 109 TAACCCTAACC...  
HWI-ST807:8592:79724 83 1 10009 0 101M = 10001 -109 ACCCTAACCCT...  
HWI-ST807:9505:89866 163 1 10048 29 20M1D81M = 10368 374 CCAACCCTAAC...  
HWI-ST807:6431:65669 163 1 10335 29 1S90M2D = 10458 224 CAACCCTAACC...  
...

- Probably splittable (on newlines)?

# BAM format

- SAM format
- + Binary record codec:

#bytes	contig	start	mapq	len(name)	name	len(cigar)	flags	len(seq)	cigar	seq	quals	tags
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- + Block-gzip compression (BGZF):

"Magic"

1f 8b 08 04	Size	Data	1f 8b 08 04	Size	Data	1f 8b 08 04	Size	Data	...
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≤ 64k uncompressed,  
≈ 20k compressed



# Splitting BAMs

- BGZF:

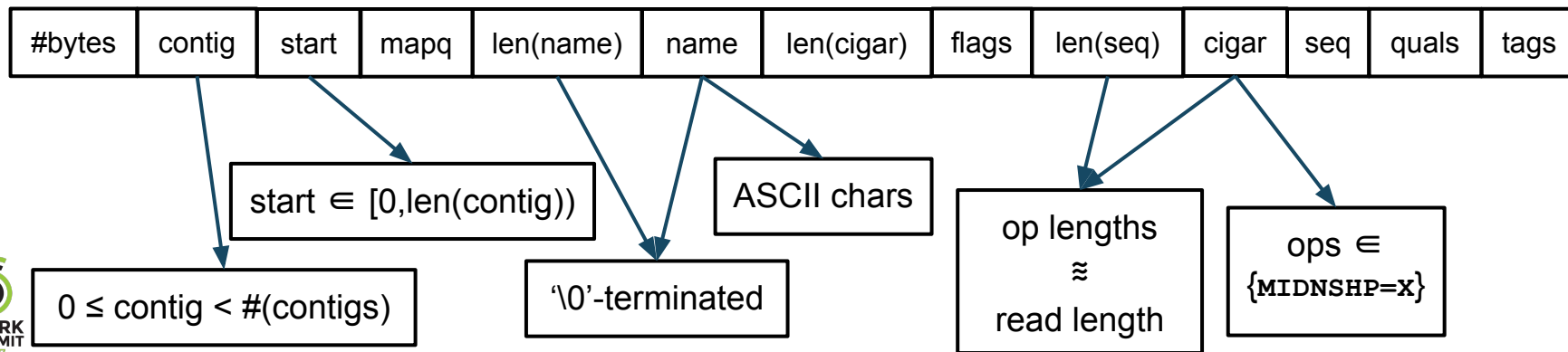


- scan ( $\leq 64k$ ) until magic  
0x1f8b0804
- optional: skip ahead “size”  
bytes, verify “magic” again
- certainty:  $(2^{32})^{(N \text{ blocks})}$

“Magic”



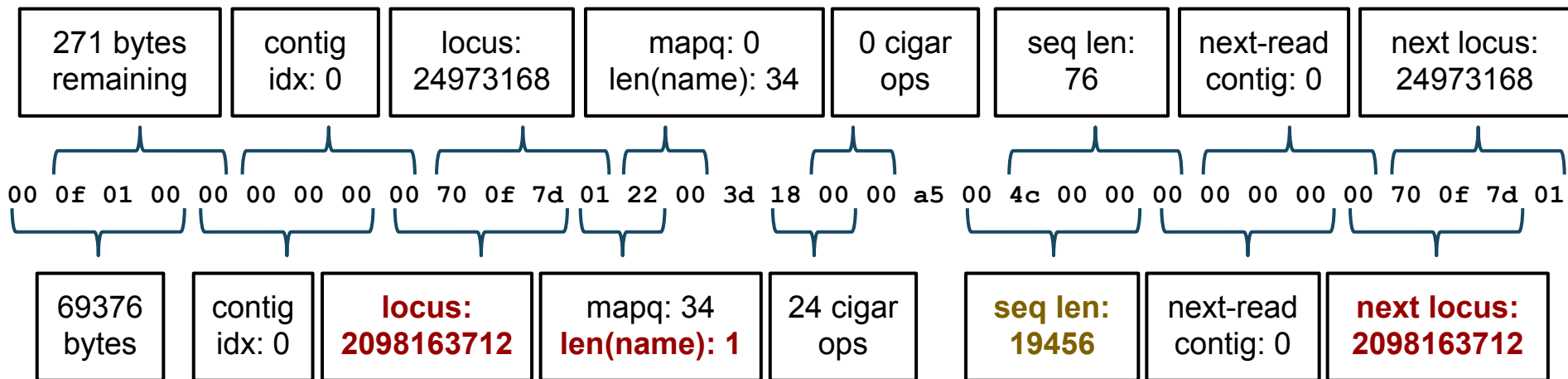
- Binary records:





# Case Study: BAM-splitting false positive

- TCGA 19155553-8199-4c4d-a35d-9a2f94dd2e7d, offset 268458108:115



# hammerlab/hadoop-bam

- “fork” of upstream  
hadoop-bam
- additional checks avoid  
known false-positives

Validation check	hammerlab	upstream
negative ref idxs	✓	✓
ref idxs too large	✓	✓
negative ref positions	✓	✓
ref positions too large	✓	✗
read name ends w/ '\0'	✓	✓
read name (incl. '\0') non-empty	✓	✓
read-name non-empty	✓	✗
invalid read-name chars	✓	✗
record length inconsistent w/ num bases, cigar ops	✓	✓
invalid cigar ops	✓	✗
valid subsequent reads	✗*	✓†
cigar ops consistent w/ seq len	✗*	✗

\* easy to add, seemingly unnecessary thus far

† partial credit; only 1 random check performed on  
subsequent reads

# hammerlab/hadoop-bam

- “check” mode evaluates every position in BAM →
- also: positions where  $\leq 2$  checks supported (true)  
“negative” call

invalidCigarOp:	28661374692
tooLargeNextReadIdx:	27924049452
tooLargeReadIdx:	27924049452
nonNullTerminatedReadName:	24885666031
tooFewRemainingBytesImplied:	23071387740
nonASCIIReadName:	2367016056
noReadName:	2271887125
negativeNextReadIdx:	1582430053
negativeReadIdx:	1582430053
negativeReadPos:	1582430053
negativeNextReadPos:	1582430053
emptyReadName:	232401822
tooLargeNextReadPos:	43095171
tooLargeReadPos:	43095171
tooFewBytesForReadName:	73
tooFewFixedBlockBytes:	35
tooFewBytesForCigarOps:	16

# “Full” Checker - Spark History

## Completed Stages (9)

Stage Id	Description		Submitted	Duration	Tasks: Succeeded/Total	Input	Output	Shuffle Read	Shuffle Write
11	<a href="#">collect at Main.scala:420</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:21:53	2 s	20/20			61.3 MB	
10	<a href="#">keyBy at Main.scala:418</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:15:11	6.7 min	22818/22818			617.5 GB	61.3 MB
6	<a href="#">collectAsMap at Main.scala:392</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:15:10	0.8 s	2/2			2.1 MB	
5	<a href="#">map at Main.scala:387</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:11:44	3.4 min	22818/22818			619.2 GB	1094.9 KB
4	<a href="#">flatMap at Main.scala:332</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:04:44	7.0 min	22818/22818			13.9 MB	618.4 GB
2	<a href="#">map at Main.scala:297</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:04:28	8 s	2/2	10.1 MB			13.9 MB
3	<a href="#">map at Main.scala:359</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:04:28	1.1 min	12/12	1515.1 MB			944.8 MB
1	<a href="#">zipWithIndex at Main.scala:297</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:04:26	0.3 s	1/1	5.1 MB			
0	<a href="#">collectAsMap at package.scala:134</a>	<a href="#">+details</a>	2017/06/03 17:04:23	3 s	2/2	10.1 MB			

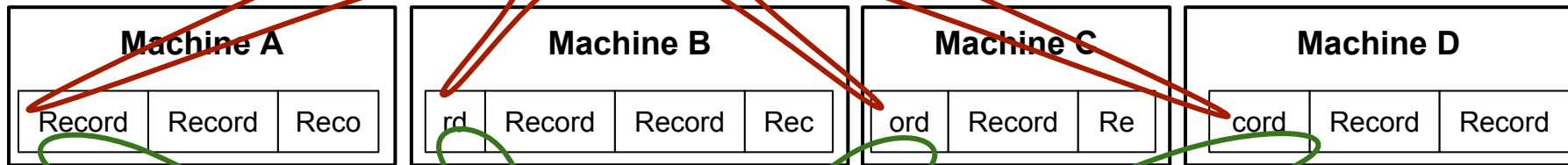
- 10GB BAM, 30BN uncompressed positions, 94MM reads
  - 100% checker accuracy
  - Largest shuffle: 600+ GB
- ⇒ 20 bytes / position (compressed)

# Parallelize split computation

Before:

Driver

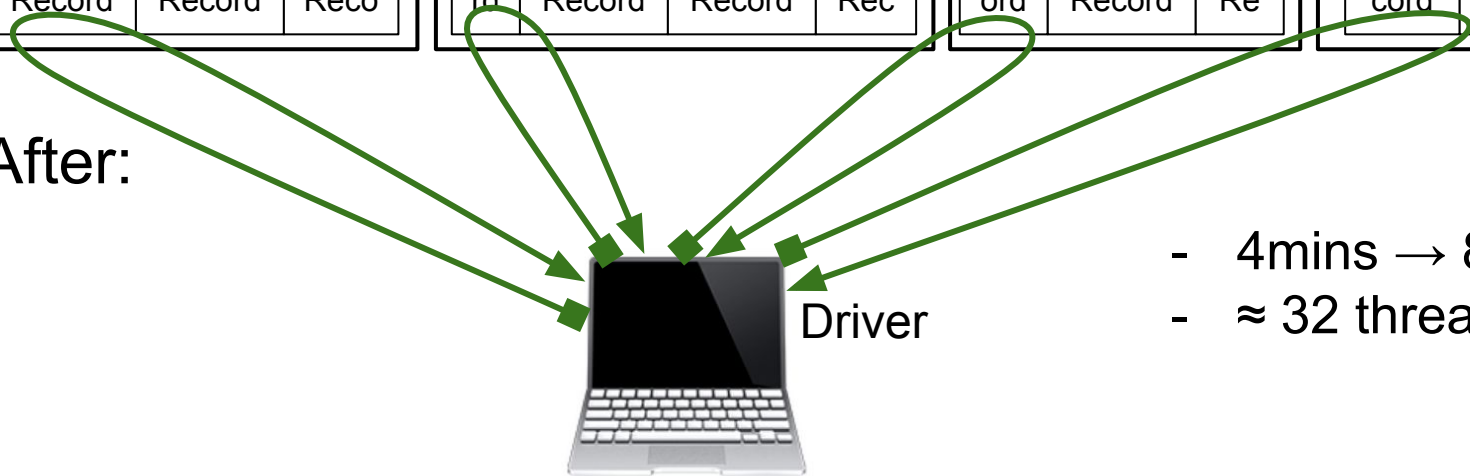
- 4 mins (200 splits)
- slow gcloud-storage seek round-trips?



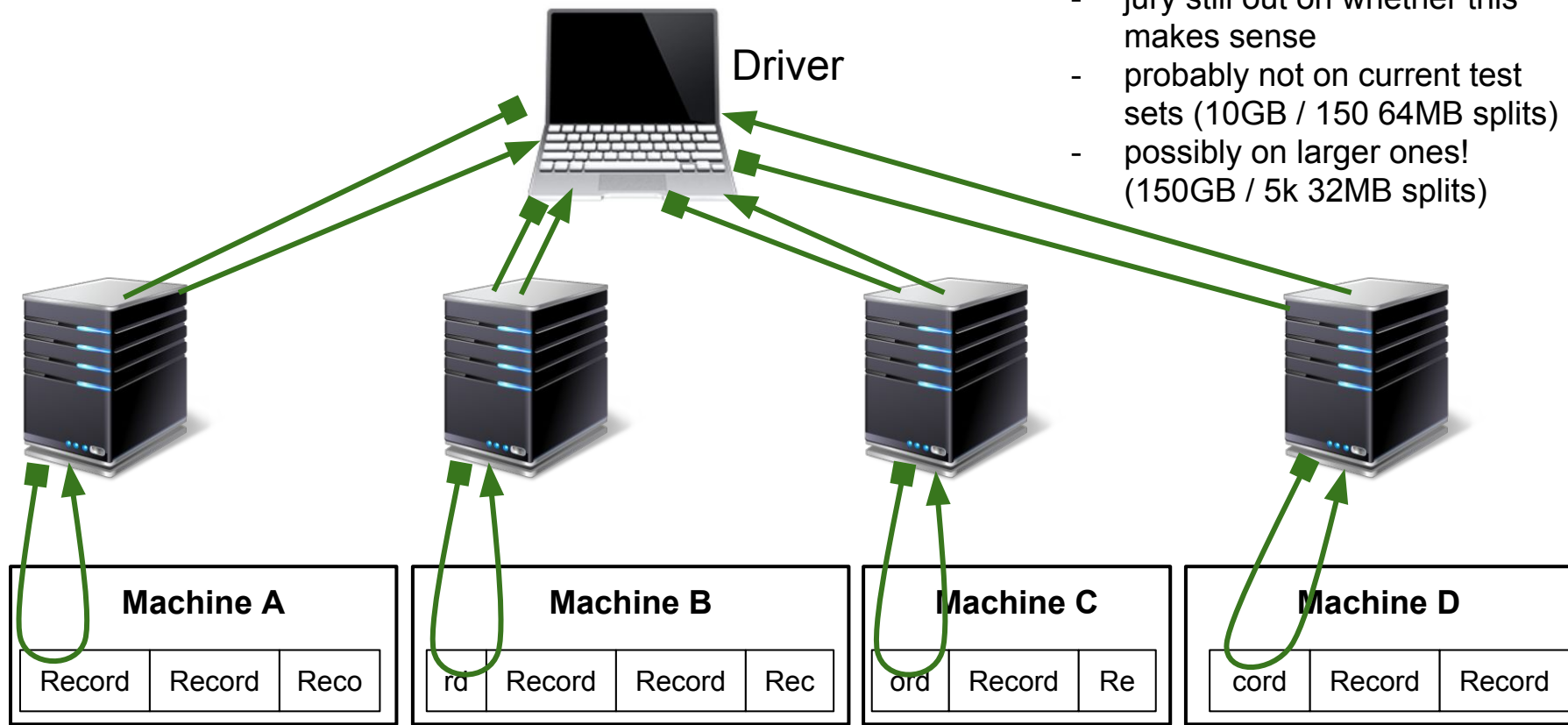
After:

Driver

- 4mins  $\rightarrow$  8s
- $\approx$  32 threads



# Parallelize split computation, pt 2



# Do we have to use BAMs?

- VCFs being deprecated (at least culturally)
- BAMs seem like they're sticking around
  - Long reads may incentivize dropping BAM
- Aligners output BAMs

⇒ Someone should write a distributed aligner 

# hammerlab/suffix-arrays

- Distributed construction of suffix arrays and FM-Indices
- WIP
- Open q's
  - how to use them in distributed env
  - output binary-compatible indices that other tools would generate?



# Ongoing/Future Work

- release / publish Pageant suite of tools
  - top of stack: guacamole (somatic variant caller)
- long reads?

**Questions?**