

# 03 - Core Spark


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# Spark Languages



# Spark Word Count example - Spark Shell

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permissions: Set(Perm)
15/01/17 22:29:42 INFO HttpServer: Starting HTTP Server
15/01/17 22:29:42 INFO Utils: Successfully started service 'HTTP class server' on port 8443.
Welcome to

 version 2.2.0

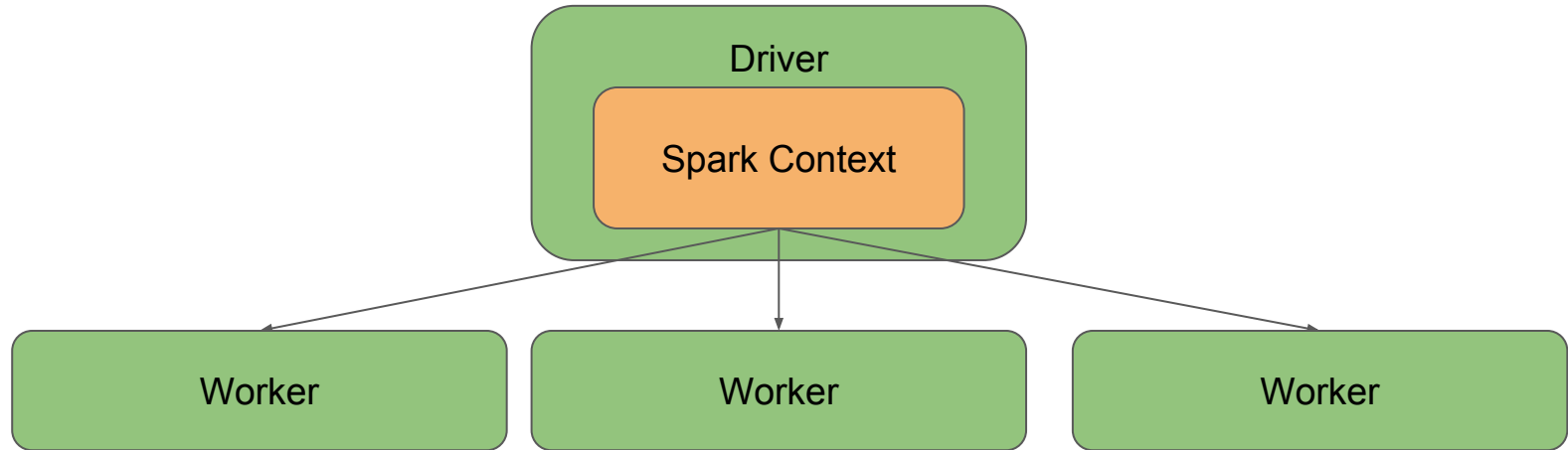
Using Scala version 2.10.4 (Java HotSpot(TM) 64-Bit Server VM, Java 1.8.0_25)
Type in expressions to have them evaluated.
Type :help for more information.
15/01/17 22:29:44 INFO SecurityManager: Changing view acls to: root
15/01/17 22:29:44 INFO SecurityManager: Changing modify acls to: root
15/01/17 22:29:44 INFO SecurityManager: SecurityManager: authentication disabled; ui acls disabled; users with view permissions: Set(root); users with modify
permissions: Set(root)
15/01/17 22:29:44 INFO S4FJLogger: S4FJLogger started
15/01/17 22:29:44 INFO Remote: Starting remote
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO Remote: Remote started; listening on addresses [akka.tcp://sparkDriver@ip-10-0-0-2.us-west-2.compute.internal:8448]
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO Utils: Successfully started service 'sparkDriver' on port 8448.
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO SparkEnv: Registering MapOutputTracker
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO SparkEnv: Registering BlockManagerMaster
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO BlockManager: Created local directory at /var/folders/TS/vj143g3jlxhd_n54ln_xgm000gq/T/spark-local-2815611722947-240
15/01/17 22:29:47 INFO MemoryStore: MemoryStore started with capacity 2.0 GB
15/01/17 22:29:48 WARN NativeCodeLoader: Unable to load native-code library for your platform... using builtin-java classes where applicable
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO HttpFileServer: HTTP file server directory is /var/folders/TS/vj143g3jlxhd_n54ln_xgm000gq/T/spark-driver-File-4818-6f38-52ad7638
8f
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO HttpServer: Starting HTTP Server
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO Utils: Successfully started service 'HTTP file server' on port 8441.
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO HttpServer: Successfully started service 'SparkUI' on port 8441.
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO SparkUI: Started SparkUI at http://ip-10-0-0-2.us-west-2.compute.internal:8441
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO Executor: Using REPL class URI: http://10.0.0.2:8443
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO AKKAUtils: Connecting to HeartbeatReceiver: akka.tcp://sparkDriver@ip-10-0-0-2.us-west-2.compute.internal:8448/user/HeartbeatReceiver
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO NettyBlockTransferService: Server created on 8442
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO BlockManagerMaster: Trying to register BlockManager
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO BlockManagerMaster: Registering block manager localhost:8442 with 2.0 GB RAM, BlockManagerId(driver, localhost, 8442)
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO BlockManagerMaster: Registered BlockManager
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO EventLoggingSystem: Logging events to file:///tmp/spark-logs0in/local-142150388993
15/01/17 22:29:48 INFO SparkContext: Treated spark context...
Spark context available as sc.

scala>
```

# Module Overview

- RDD
- Transformations
- Actions

# Spark Mechanics



# Spark Mechanics

- Task Creator
  - Builds execution graph to be sent to each worker
- Scheduler
  - Scheduling all of the task across the nodes
- Data locality
  - Sending the work to the data to avoid moving data across the cluster
- Fault tolerance
  - Monitoring the tasks for any failures so it can trigger the task on a different node

# Spark Application Configuration

Priority and Hierarchy (From most final to the most general):

- 1) Code
- 2) `spark-submit --Flags`
- 3) `app.properties` file ([app])
- 4) defaults (`spark-default.sh`)

# spark-submit example

```
$SPARK_HOME/bin/spark-submit --class org.apache.spark.examples.SparkPi \  
  --master yarn-cluster \  
  --num-executors 10 \  
  --executor-cores 2 \  
  spark-examples-1.6.0-hadoop2.6.0.jar \  
  100
```



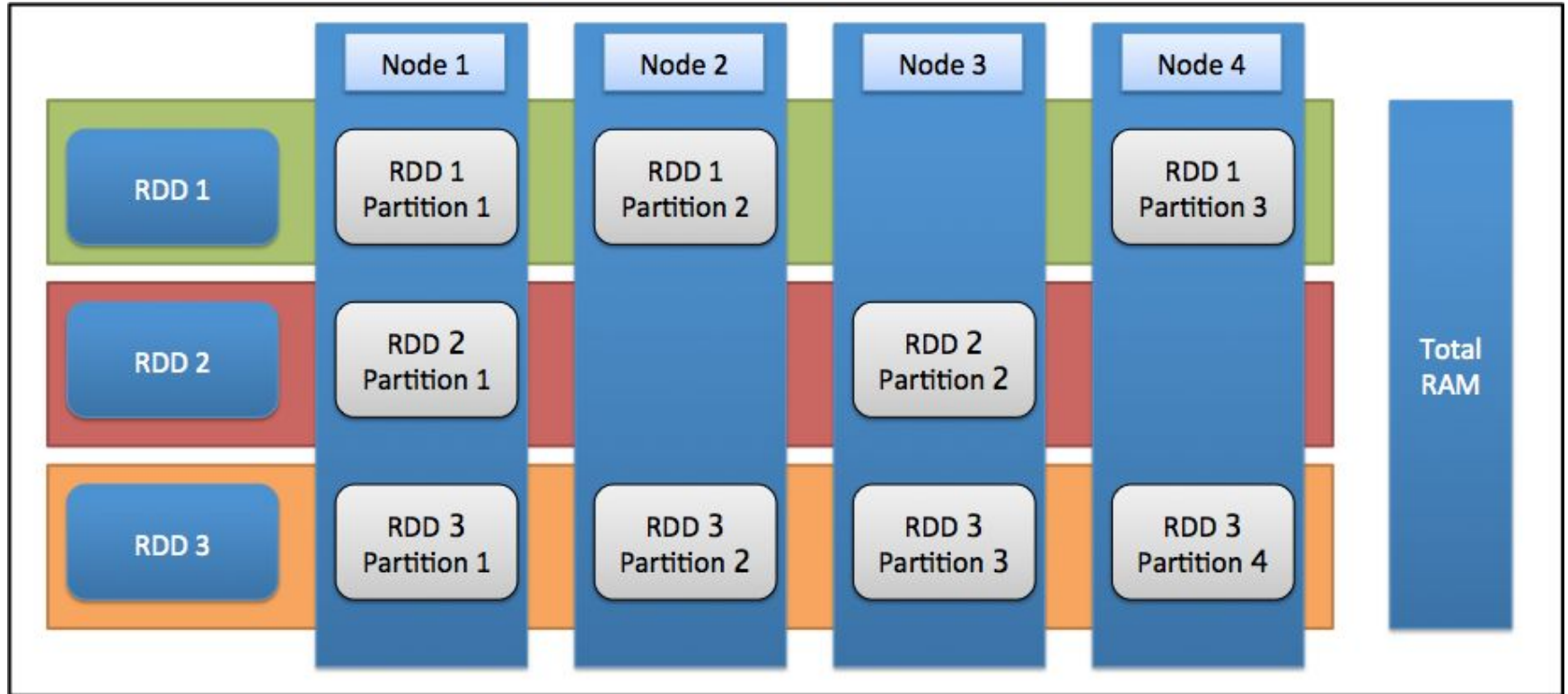
# RDD - Resilient Distributed Dataset

- ... Collection of elements partitioned across the nodes of the cluster that can be operated on it in parallel...
  - <http://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/programming-guide.html#overview>
- RDD - Resilient Distributed Dataset
  - Collection similar to a List / Array (Abstraction)
  - It's actually an Interface (Behind the scenes it's distributed over the cluster)
- DAG - Directed Acyclic Graph
- Are Immutable!!!

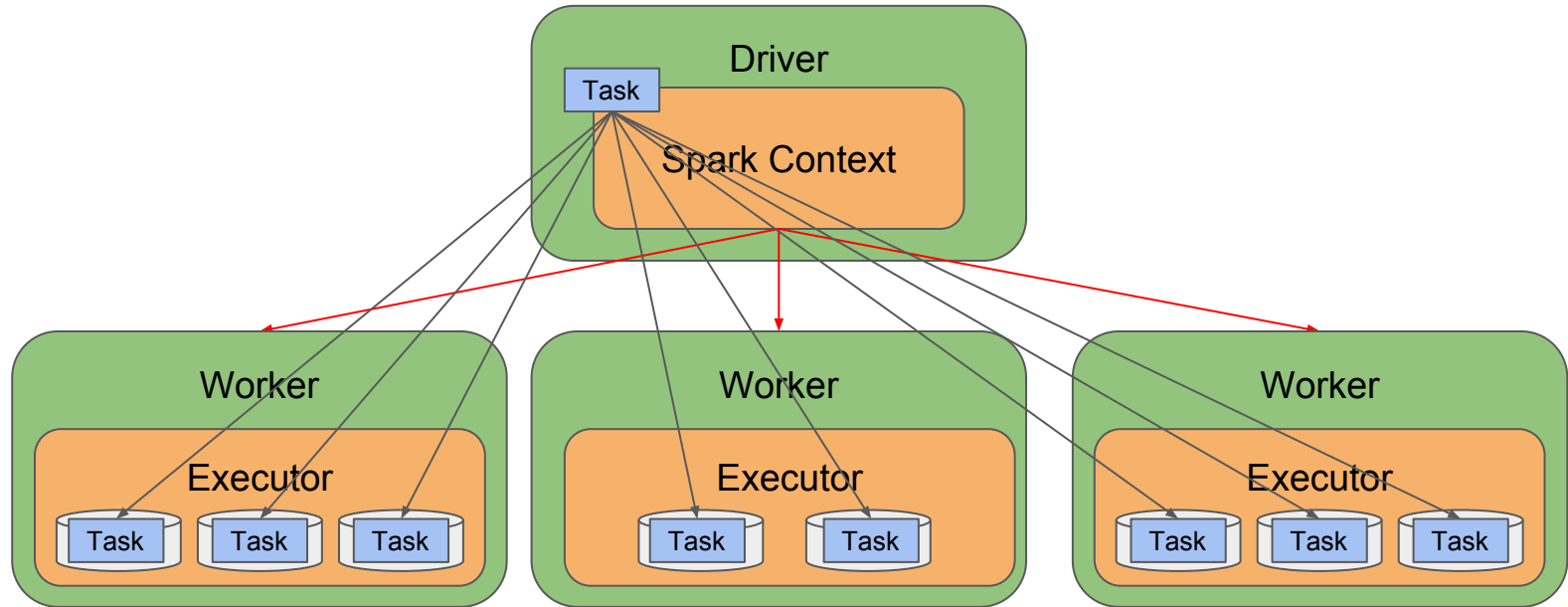
# RDD - Resilient Distributed Dataset

- Transformations are Lazy evaluated
  - map
  - filter
  - .....
- Actions - Triggers DAG computation
  - collect
  - count
  - reduce

# What's really an RDD???



# Spark Mechanics



# Lambdas - Anonymous Functions

- How It's done in Java
- Why not to use it :)
  - Not testable
  - Results in a very verbose main class (inner classes)

# Input

# Input methods

- Local FileSystem
- HDFS
- Cassandra
- Avro
- Parquet

# Input methods

- `sc.parallelize(<Collection>, <number of partitions>)`
- `sc.textFile(<path>)`
- `sc.sequenceFile()`
  - Hadoop format
- `sc.newAPIHadoopFile()`
  - instead of partitioning it accepts Hadoop configuration



# Transformations

Thanks to [Jeffrey Thompson](https://github.com/jkthompson/pyspark-pictures) for many of the schemas  
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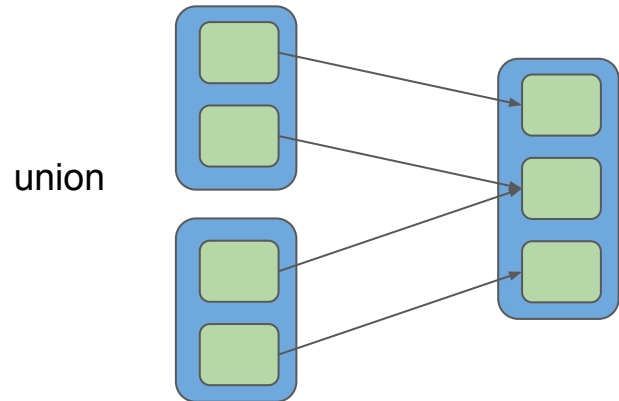
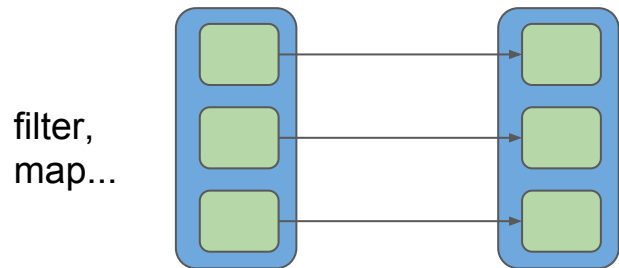
[Official Documentation](#)

# Wide and Narrow Transformations

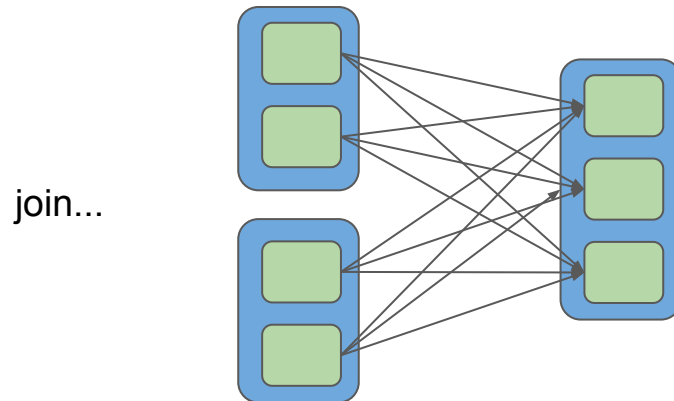
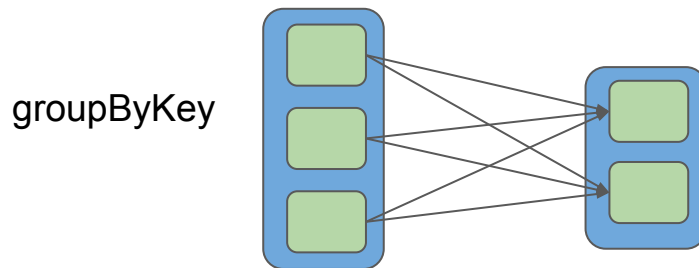
- **Narrow dependency:** each partition of the parent RDD is used by at most one partition of the child RDD. This means the task can be executed locally and we **don't have to shuffle**. (Eg: map, flatMap, Filter, sample)
- **Wide dependency:** multiple child partitions may depend on one partition of the parent RDD. **This means we have to shuffle data** unless the parents are hash-partitioned (Eg: sortByKey, reduceByKey, groupByKey, cogroupByKey, join, cartesian)
- You can read a good [blog post](#) about it.

# Basic Terms - Wide and Narrow Transformations

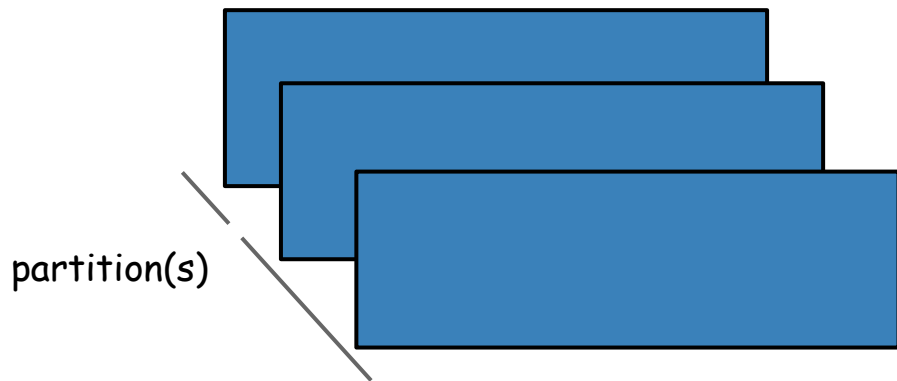
Narrow Dependencies:



Wide (Shuffle) Dependencies:



## RDD

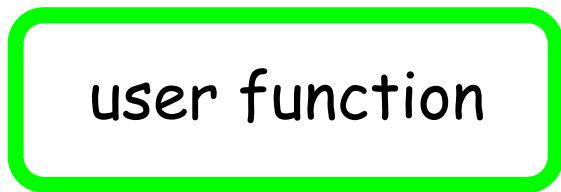


user input



user function

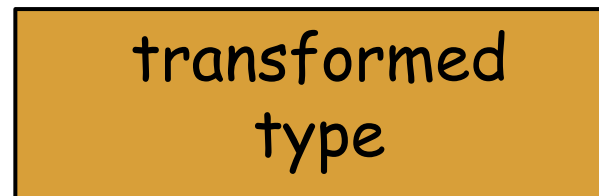
output ←



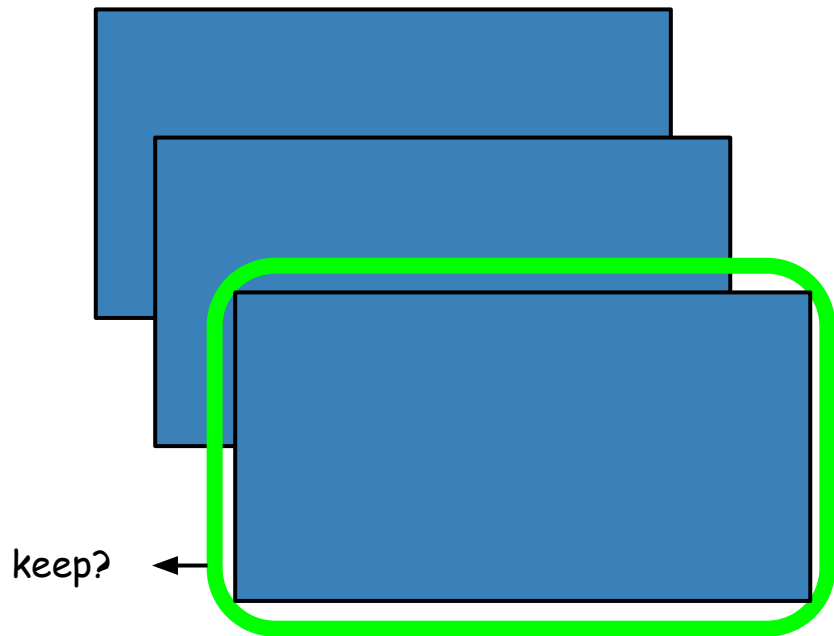
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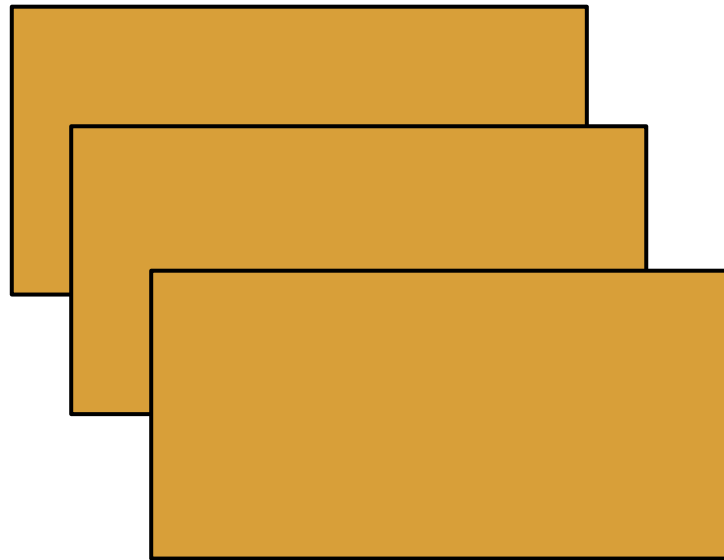
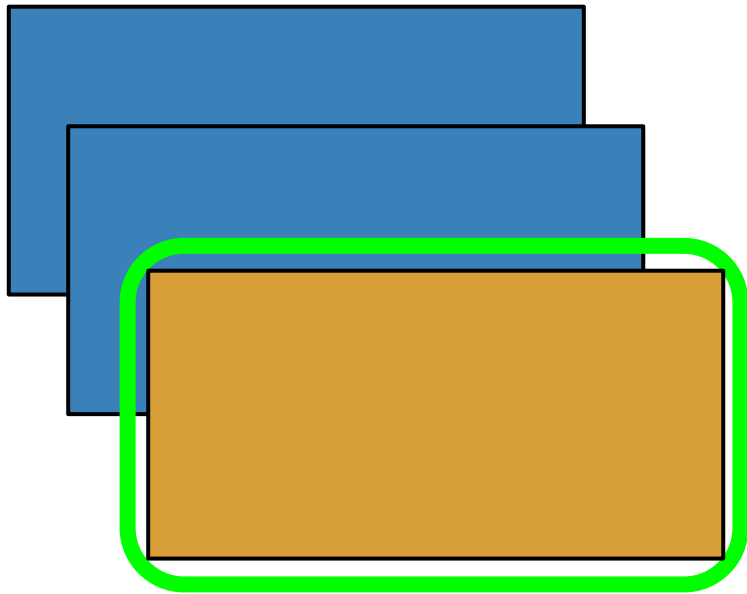
## RDD Elements



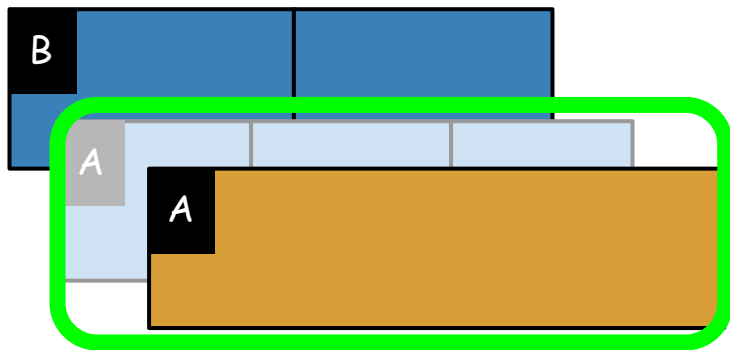
# filter



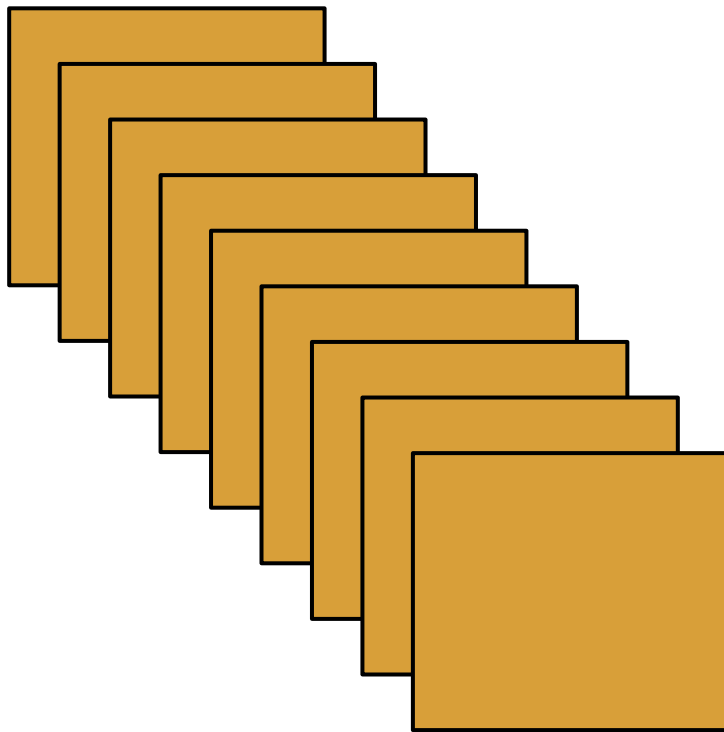
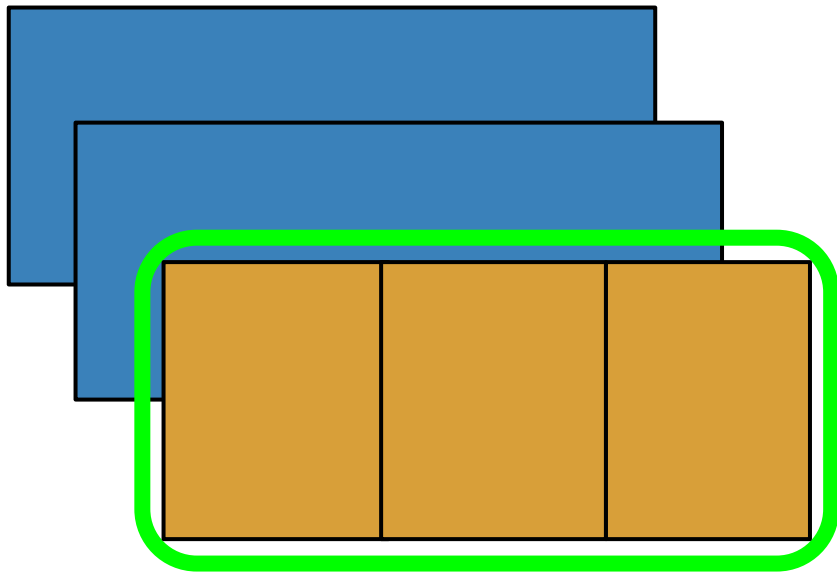
map



# mapValues

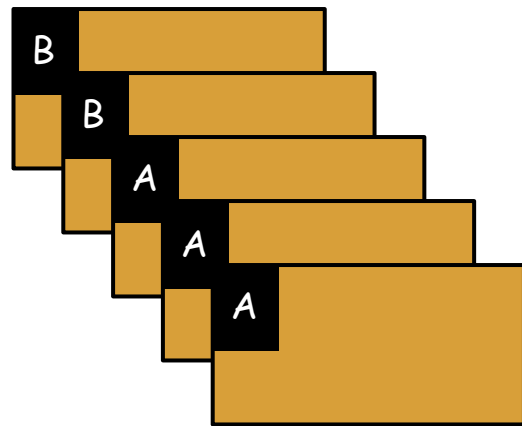
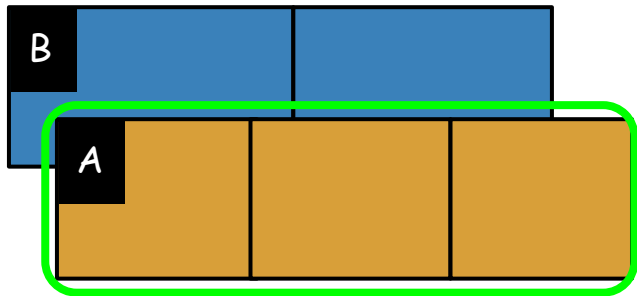


# flatMap

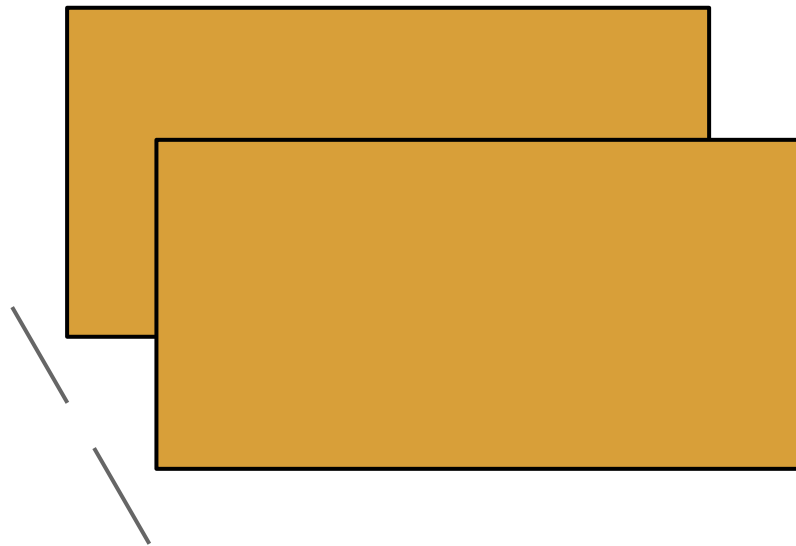
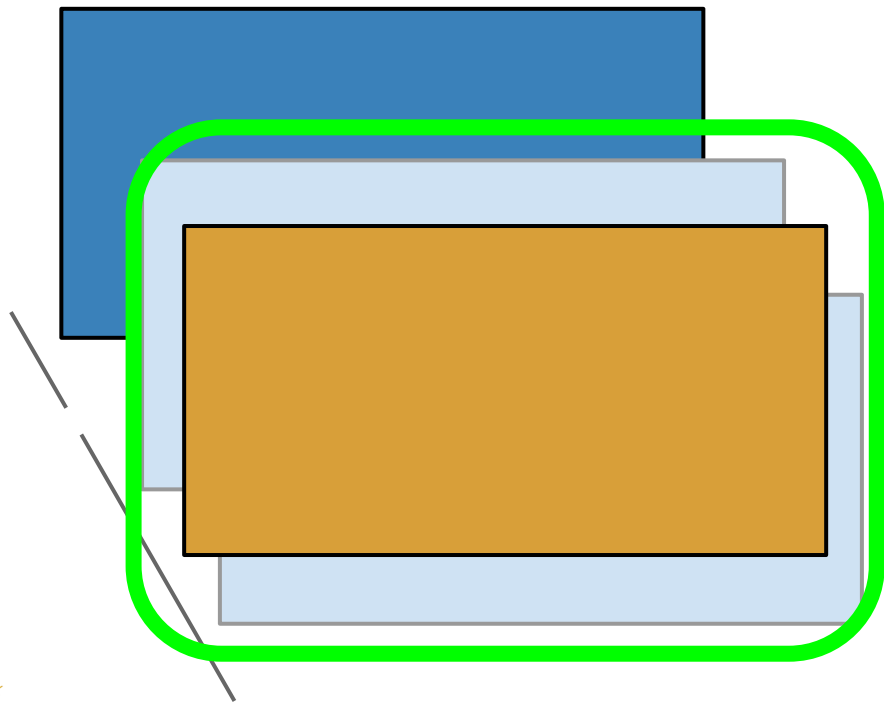




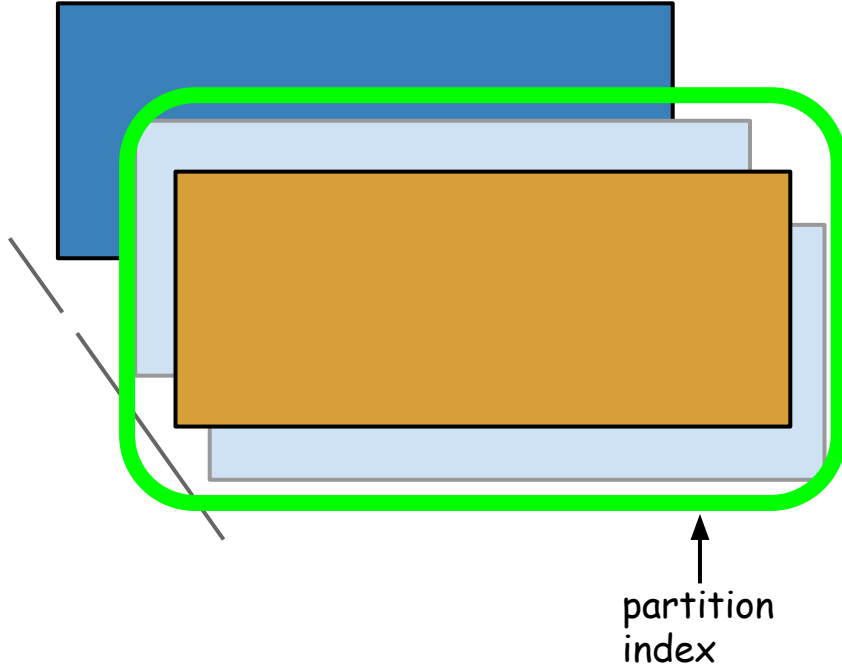
# flatMapValue



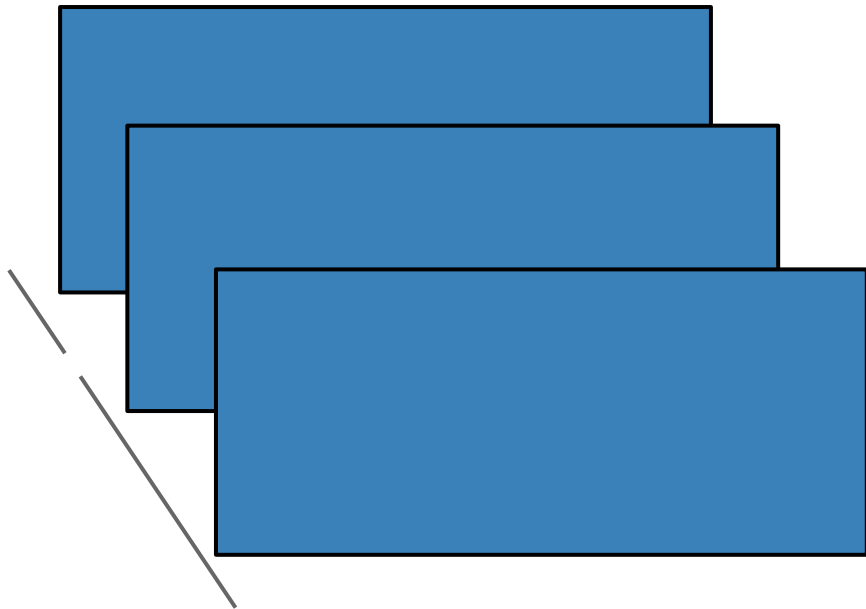
# mapPartitions



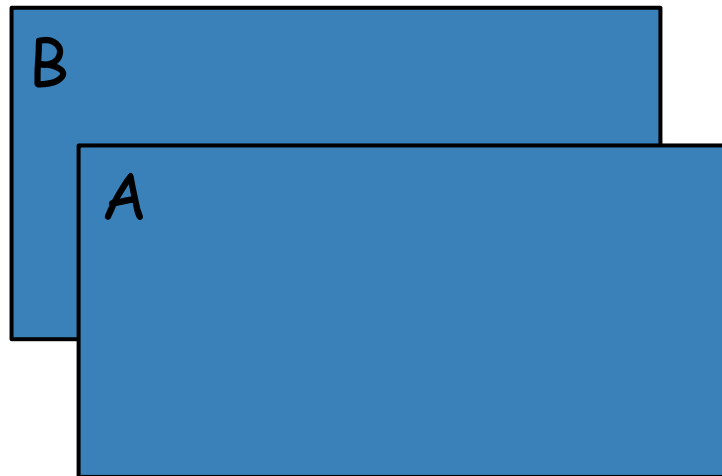
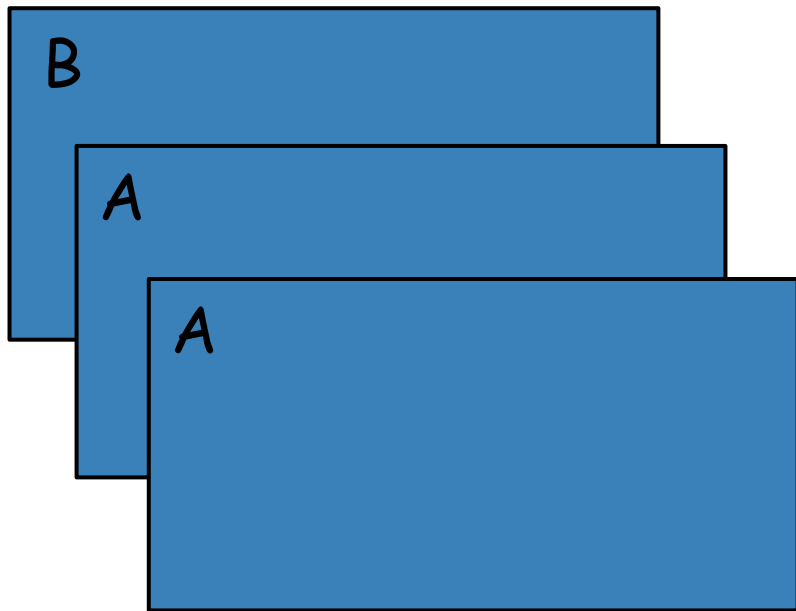
# mapPartitionsWithIndex



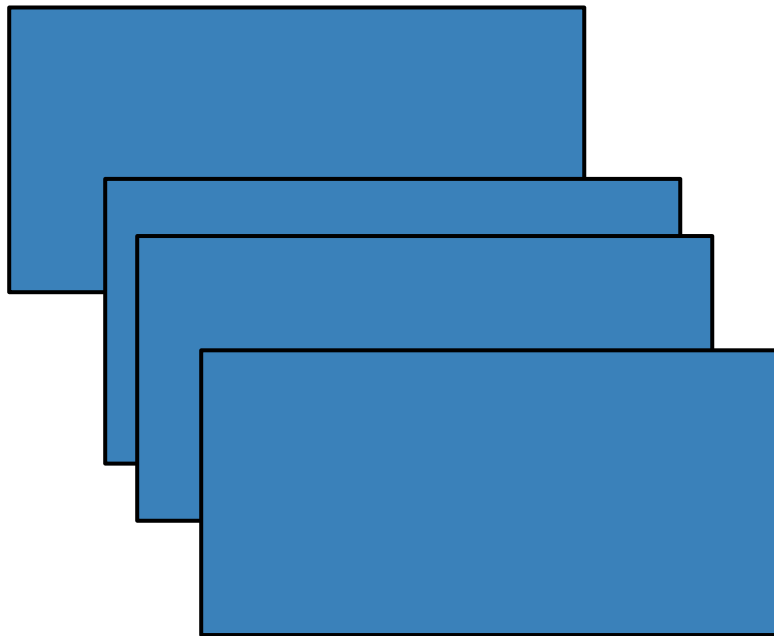
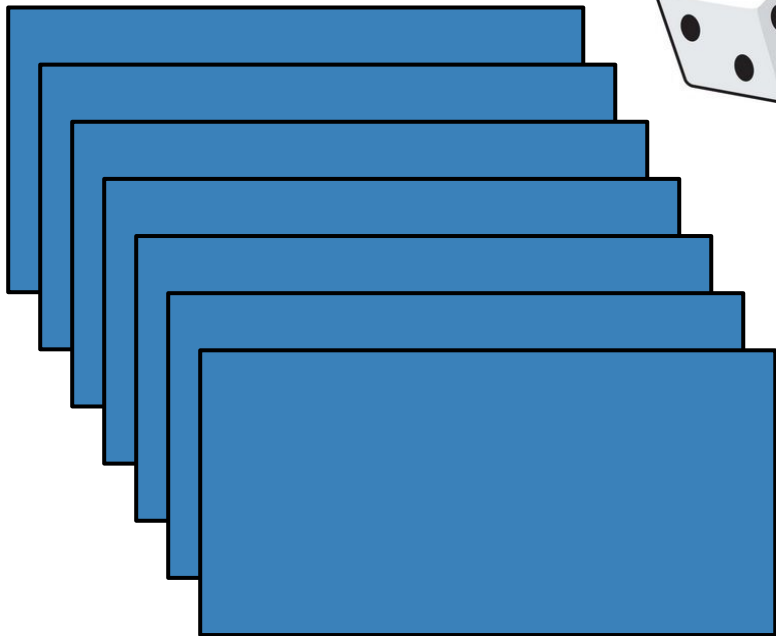
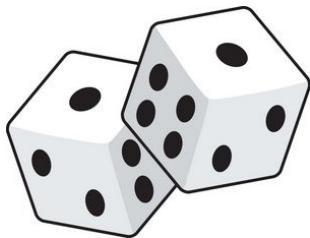
# getNumPartitions



distinct

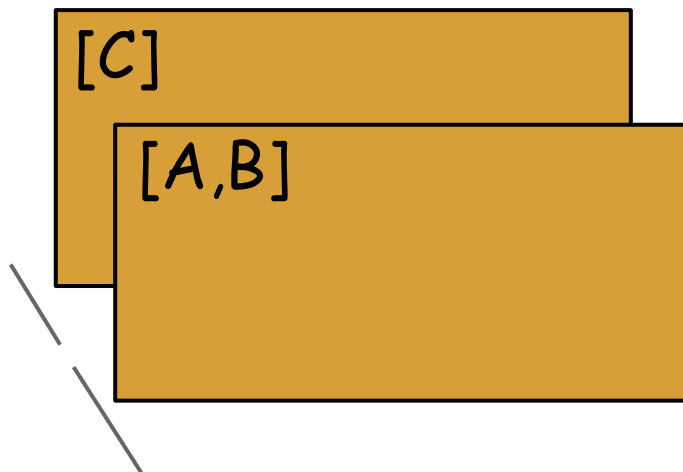
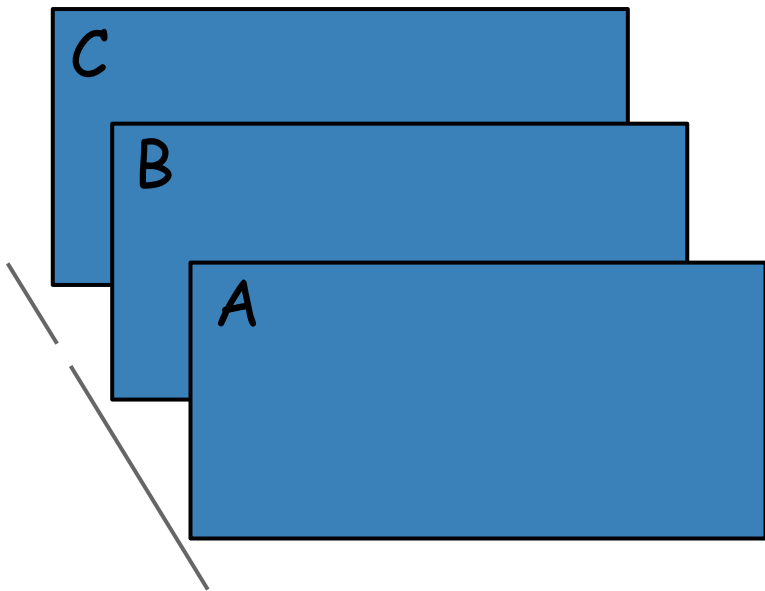


sample



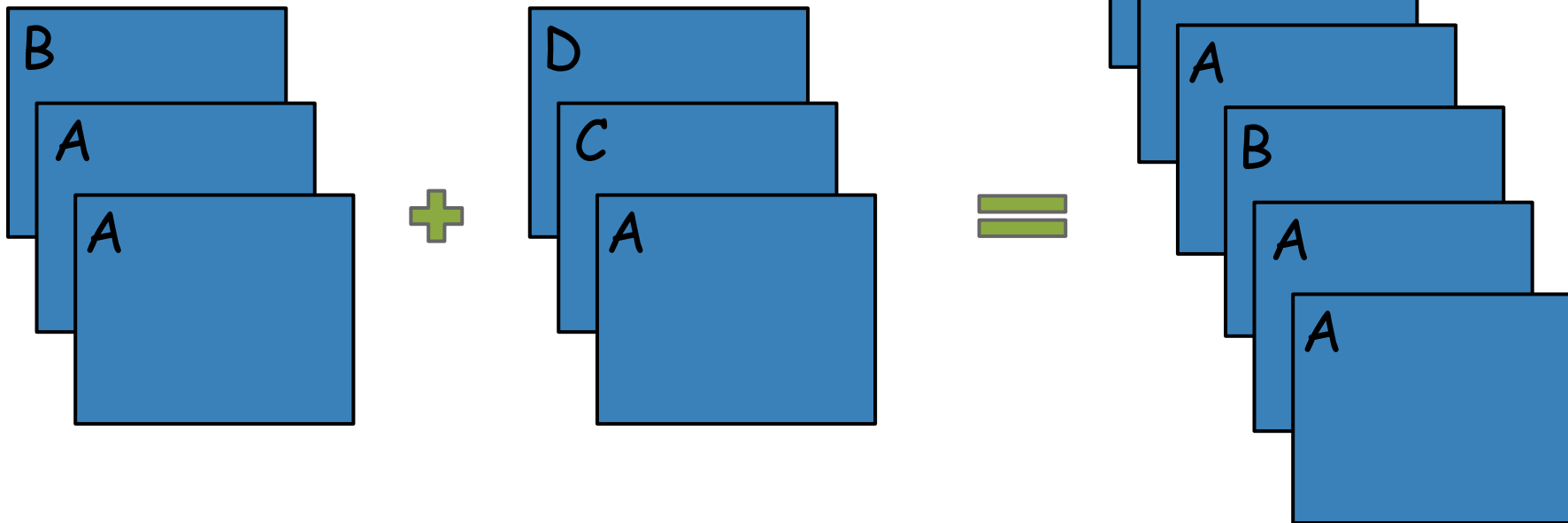
# glom

- I have never used it :)



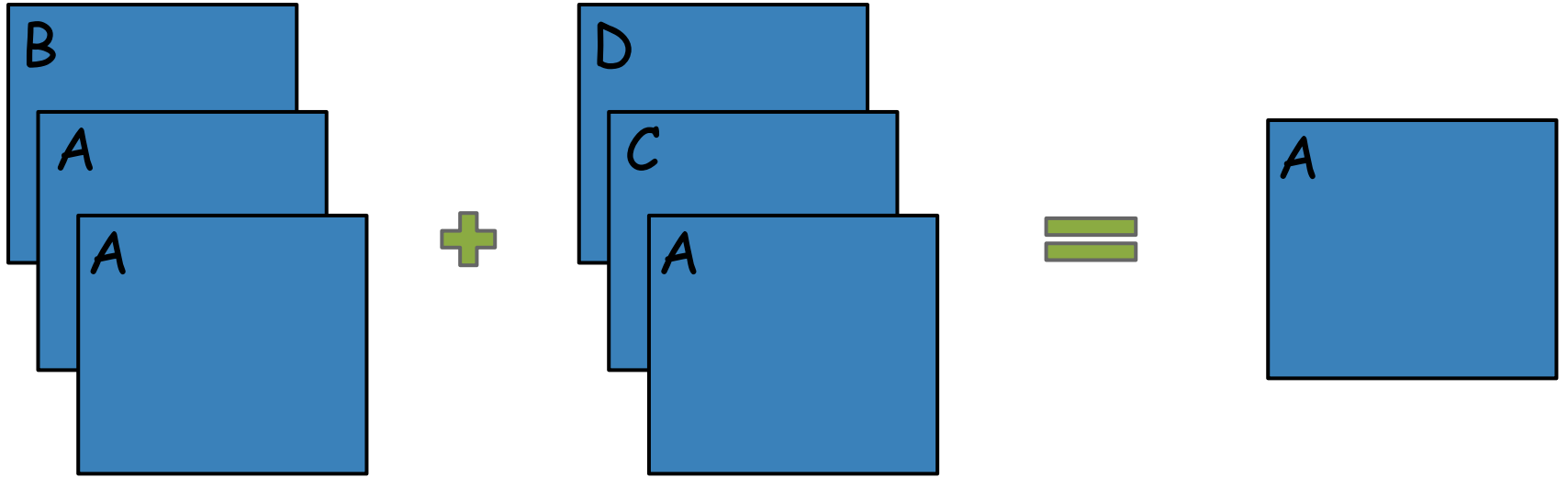
# Union (RDD1.union(RDD2))

- Can also use: `sc.unionRDDs(RDD1, RDD2, RDD3...)`



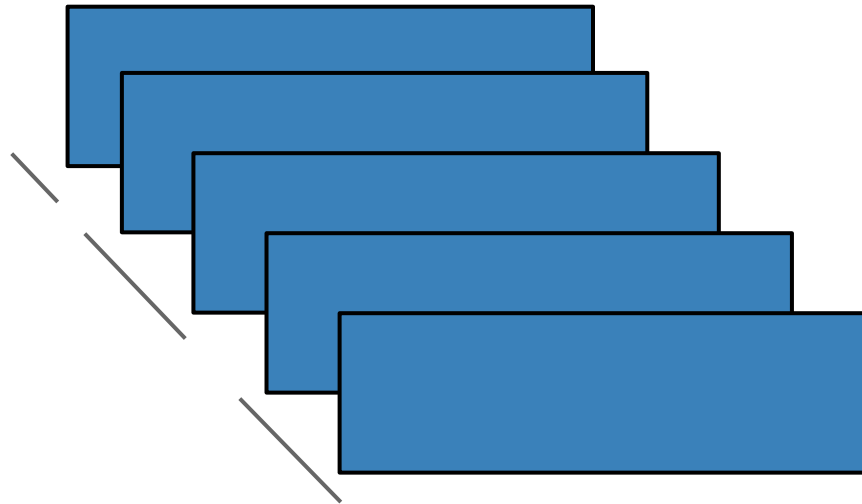
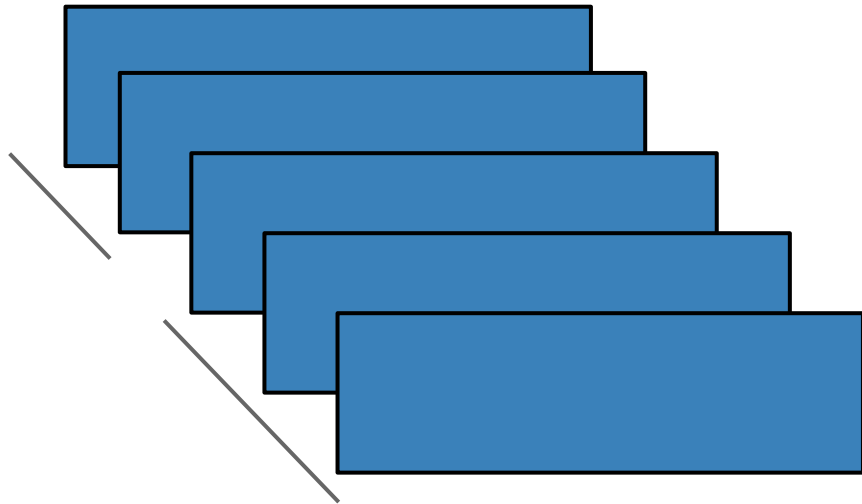


# Intersection (RDD1.intersection(RDD2))



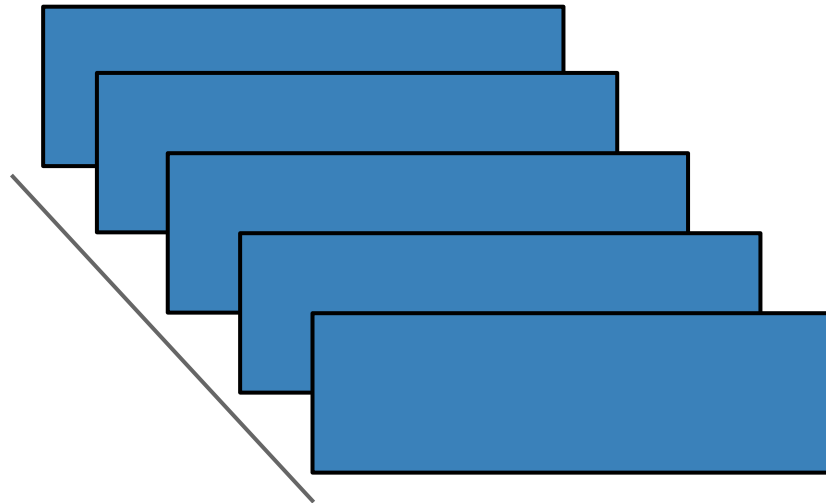
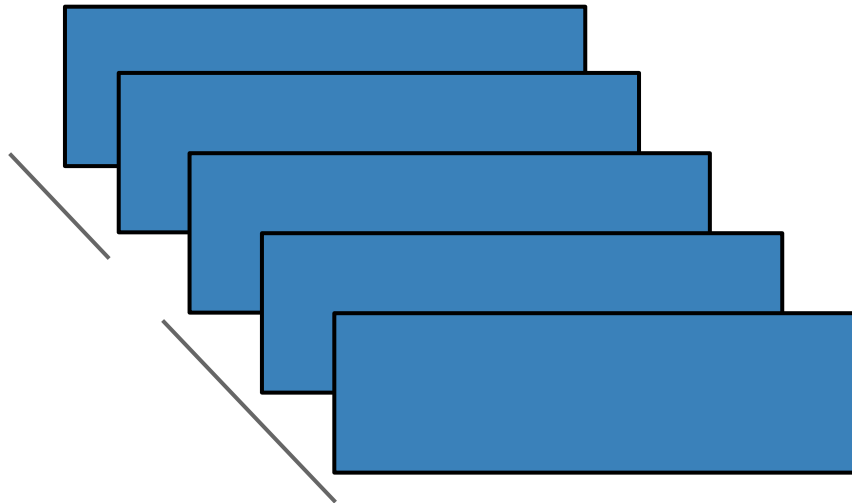
# repartition

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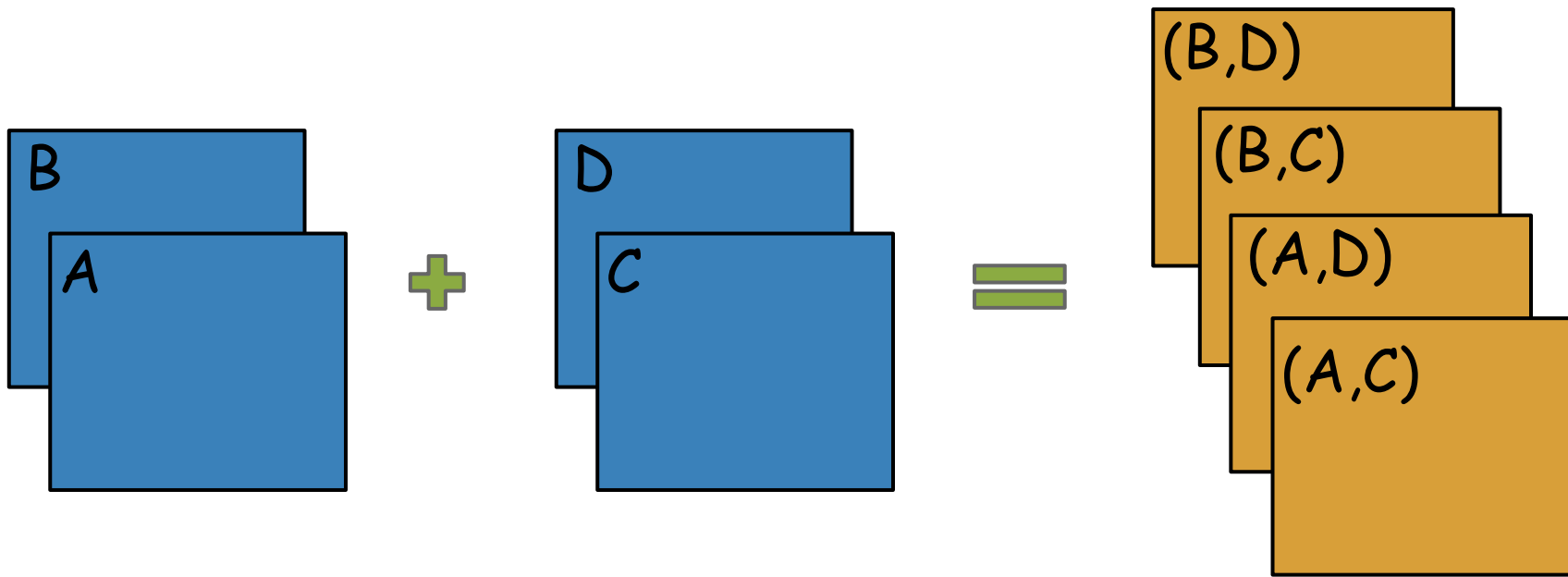


# coalesce

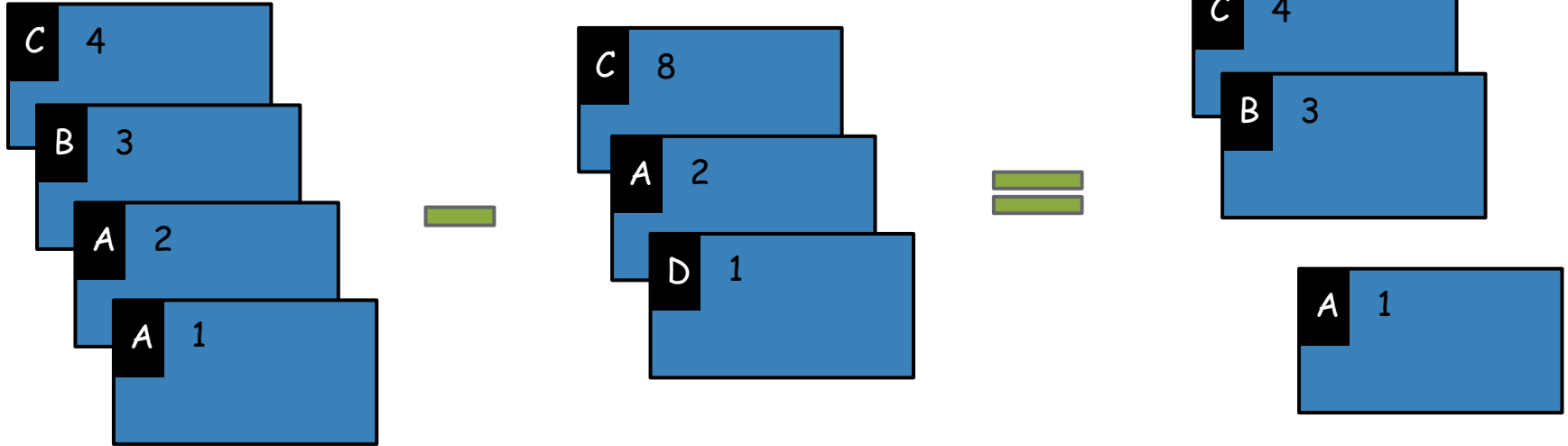
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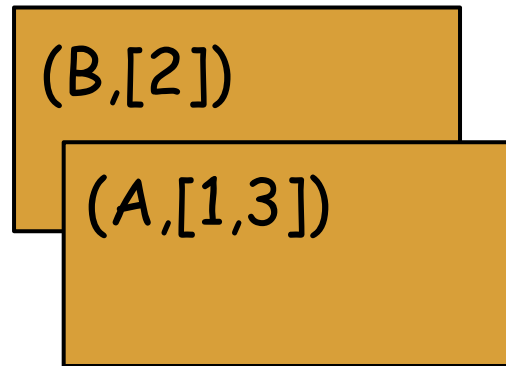
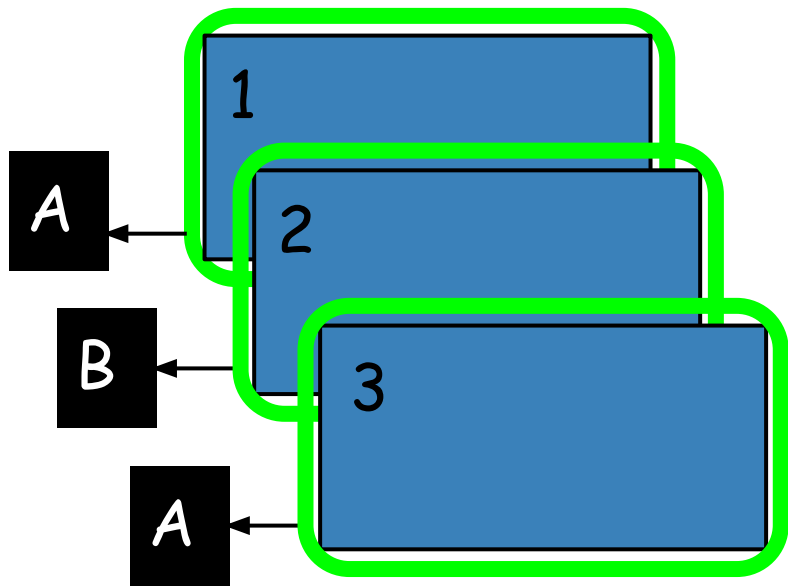
cartesian



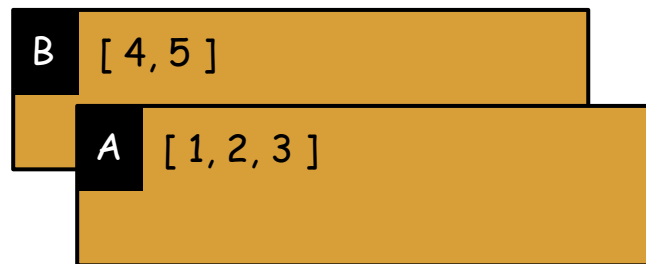
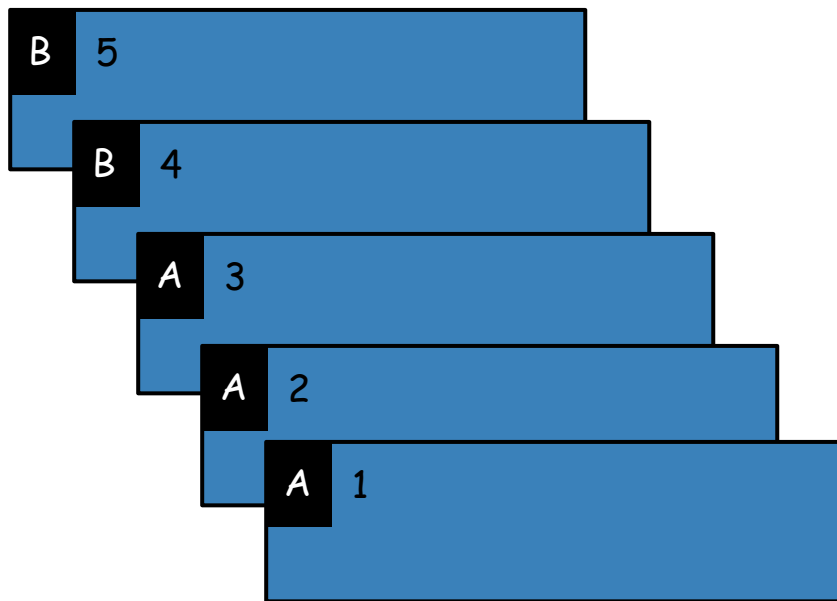
substruct (RDD1.substruct(RDD2))



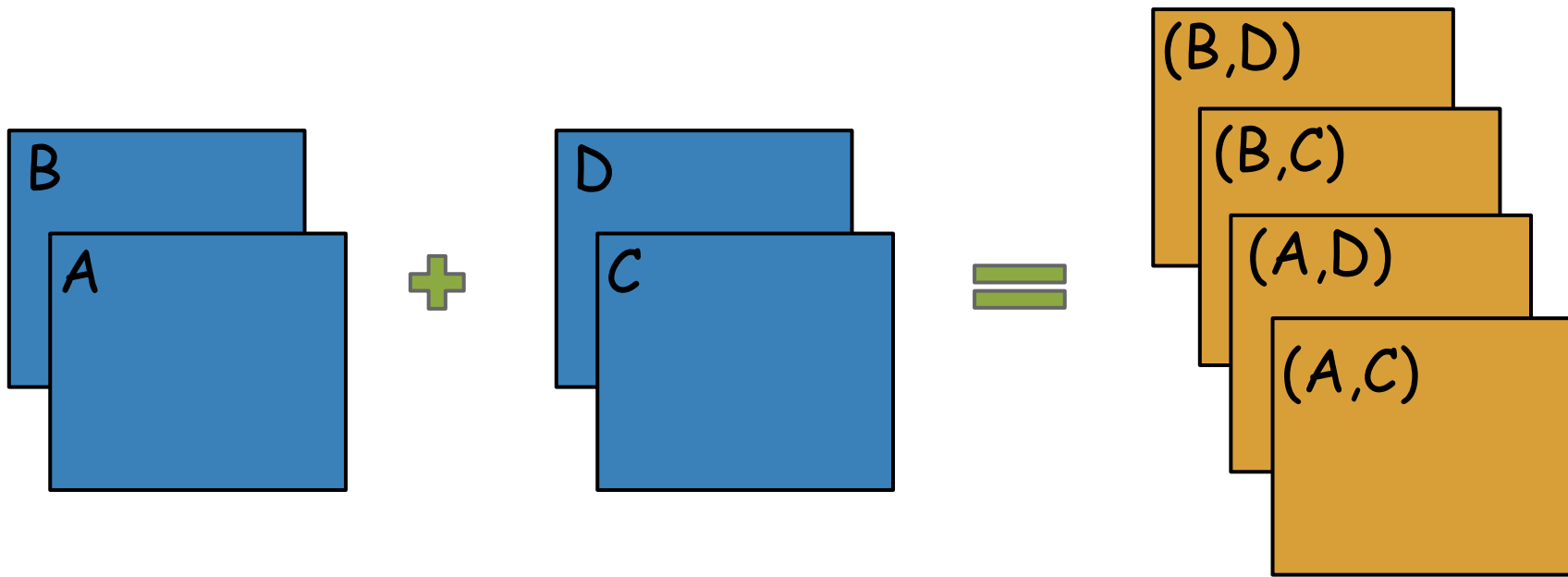
# groupBy



# groupByKey

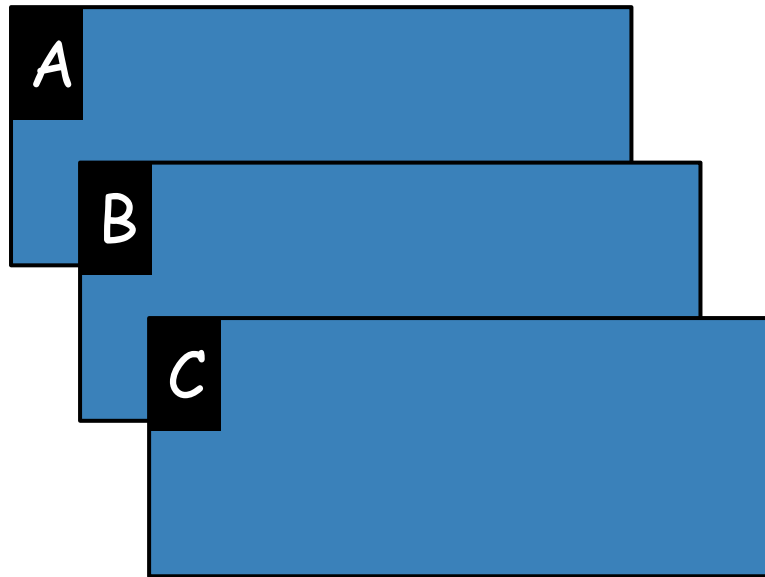
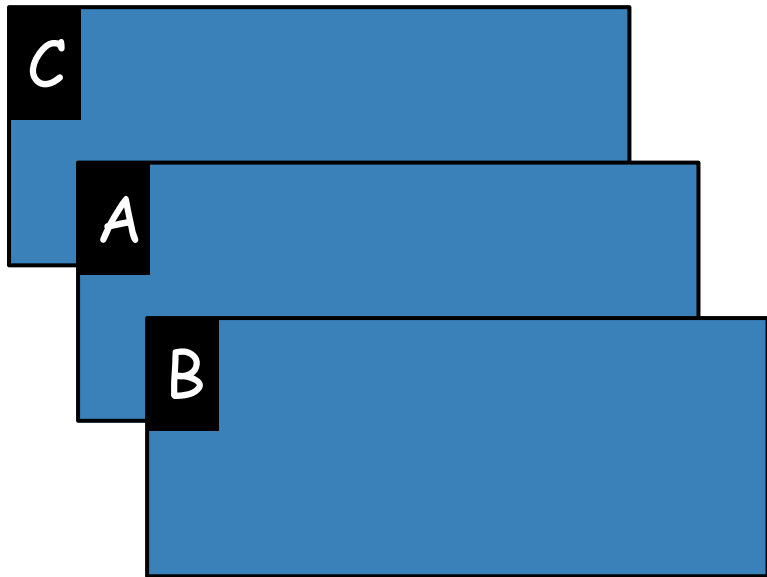


`cartesian (RDD1.cartesian(RDD2))`

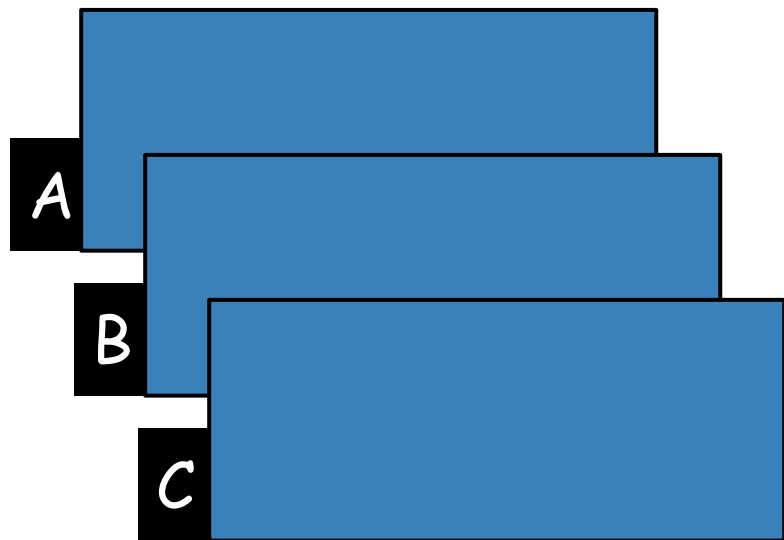
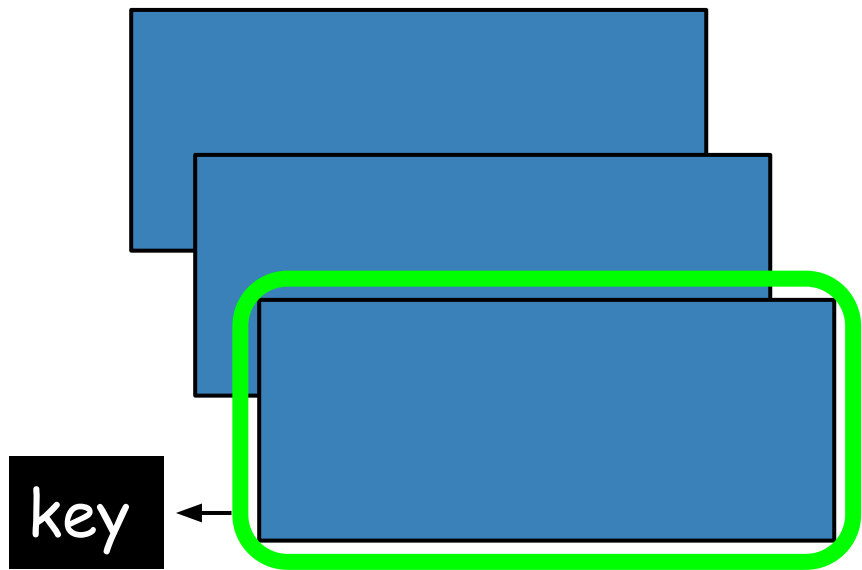




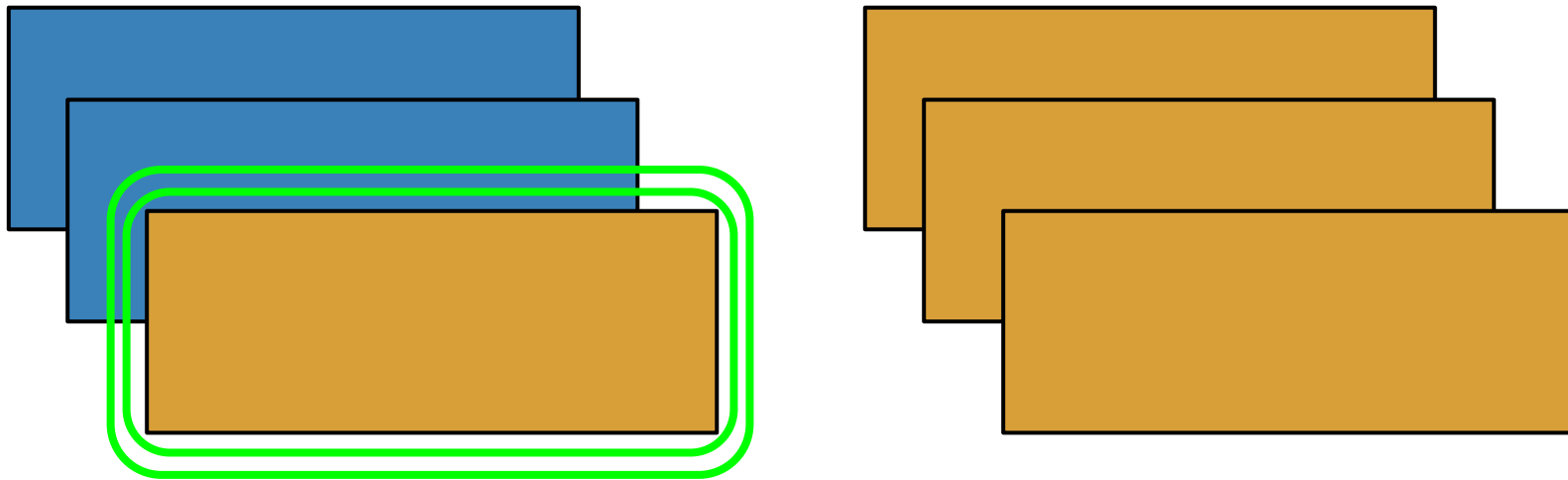
# sortByKey



# sortBy



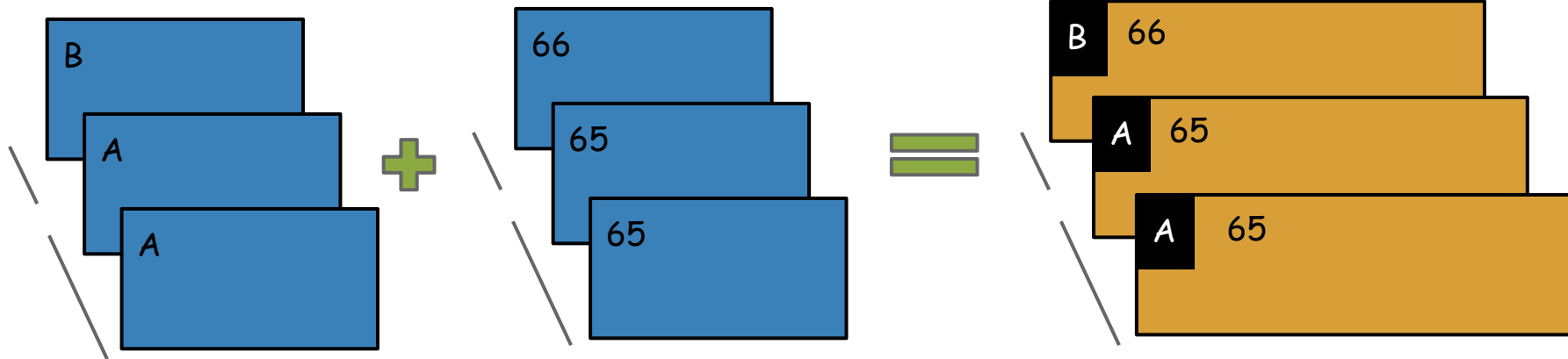
# pipe



**external command**

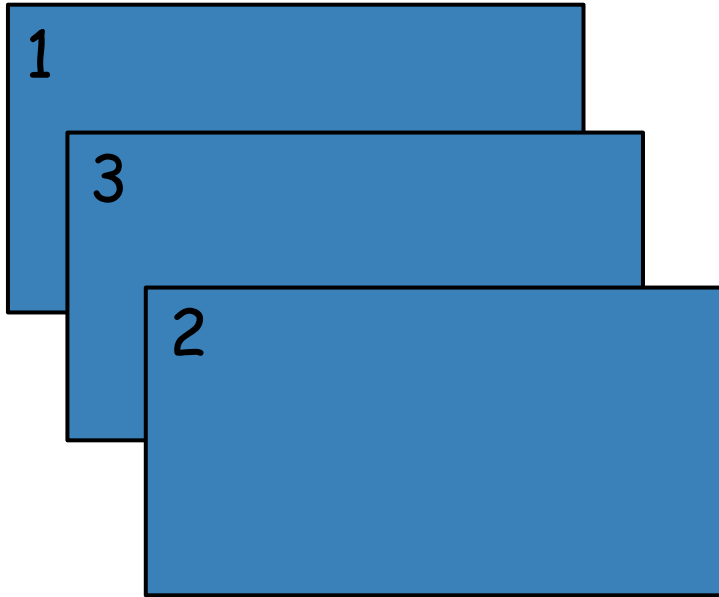
- Pipe each partition of the RDD through a shell command, e.g. a Perl or bash script. RDD elements are written to the process's stdin and lines output to its stdout are returned as an RDD of strings.
- (I've never used it)

zip (RDD1.zip(RDD2))



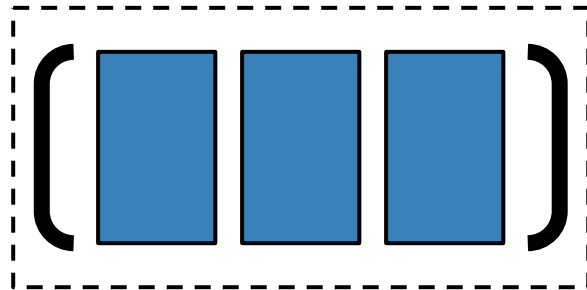
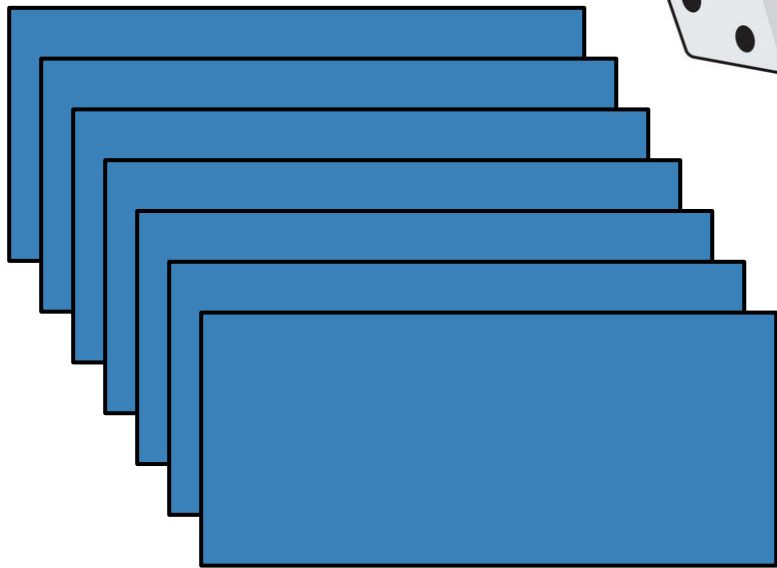
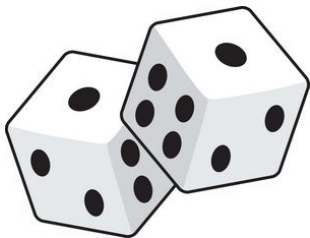
# Actions

count

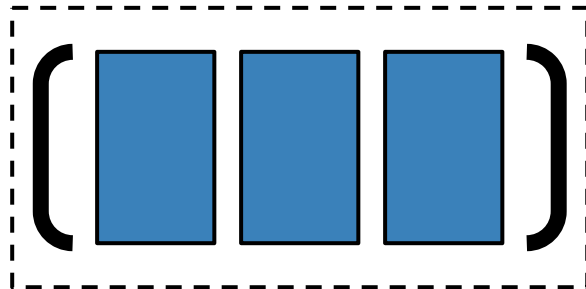
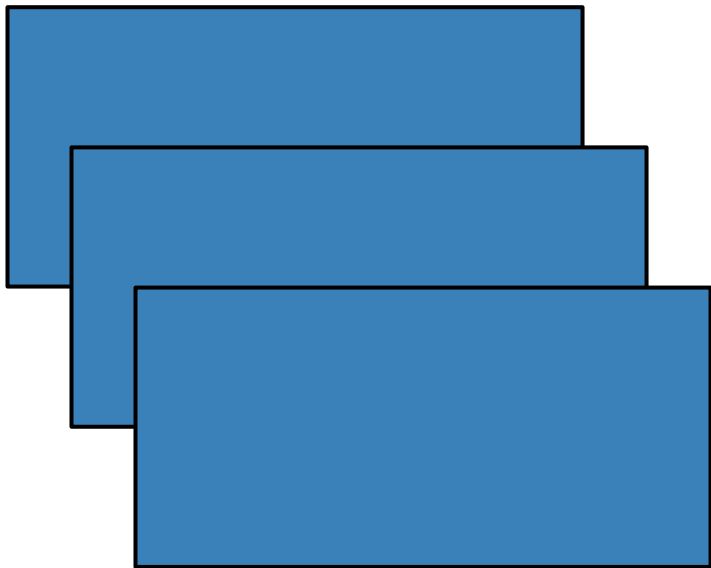


# takeSample

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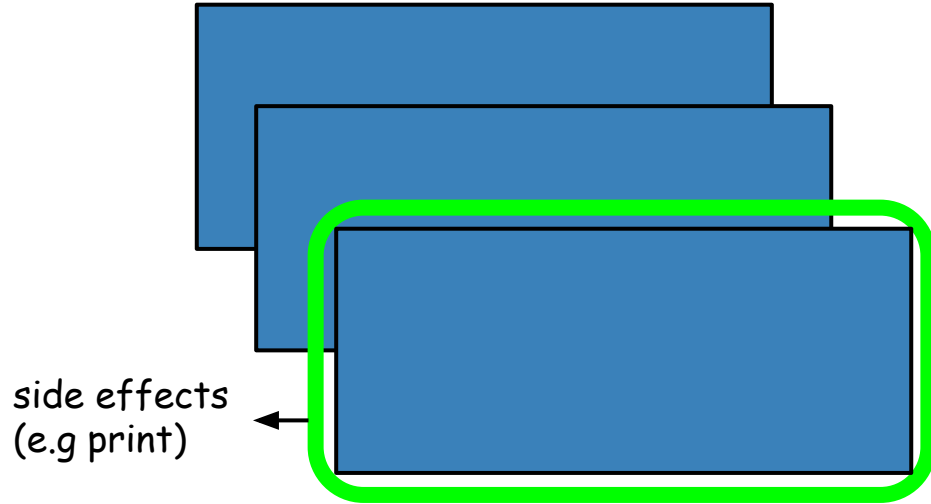


# Collect



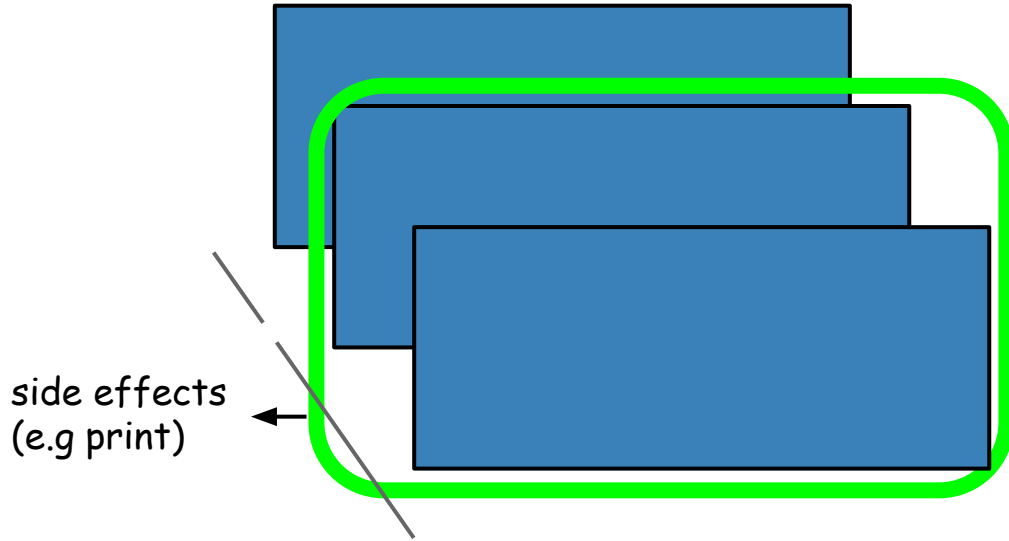


# foreach



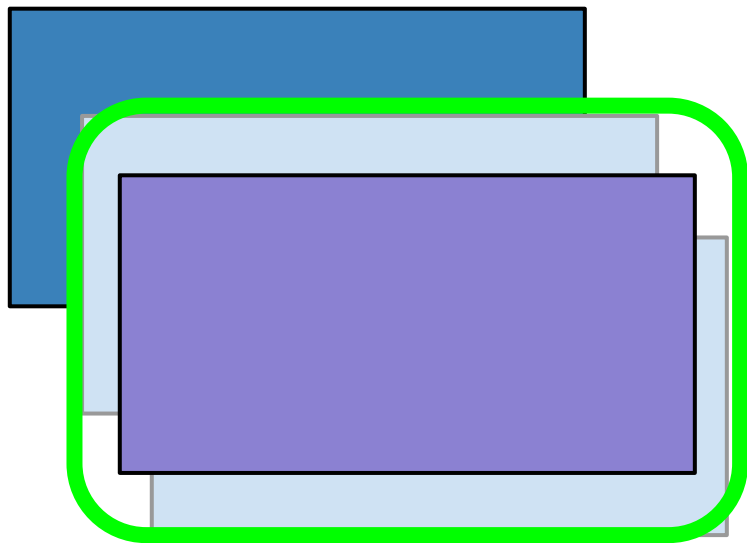
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original RDD unchanged

# foreachPartition



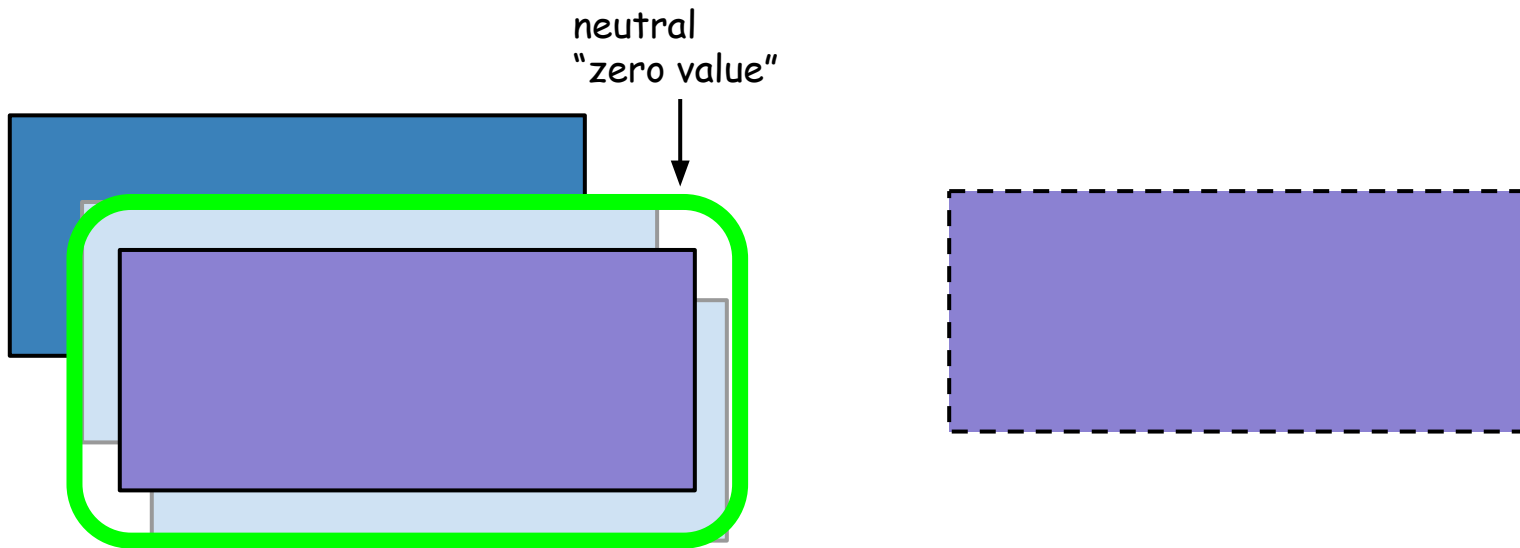
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reduce

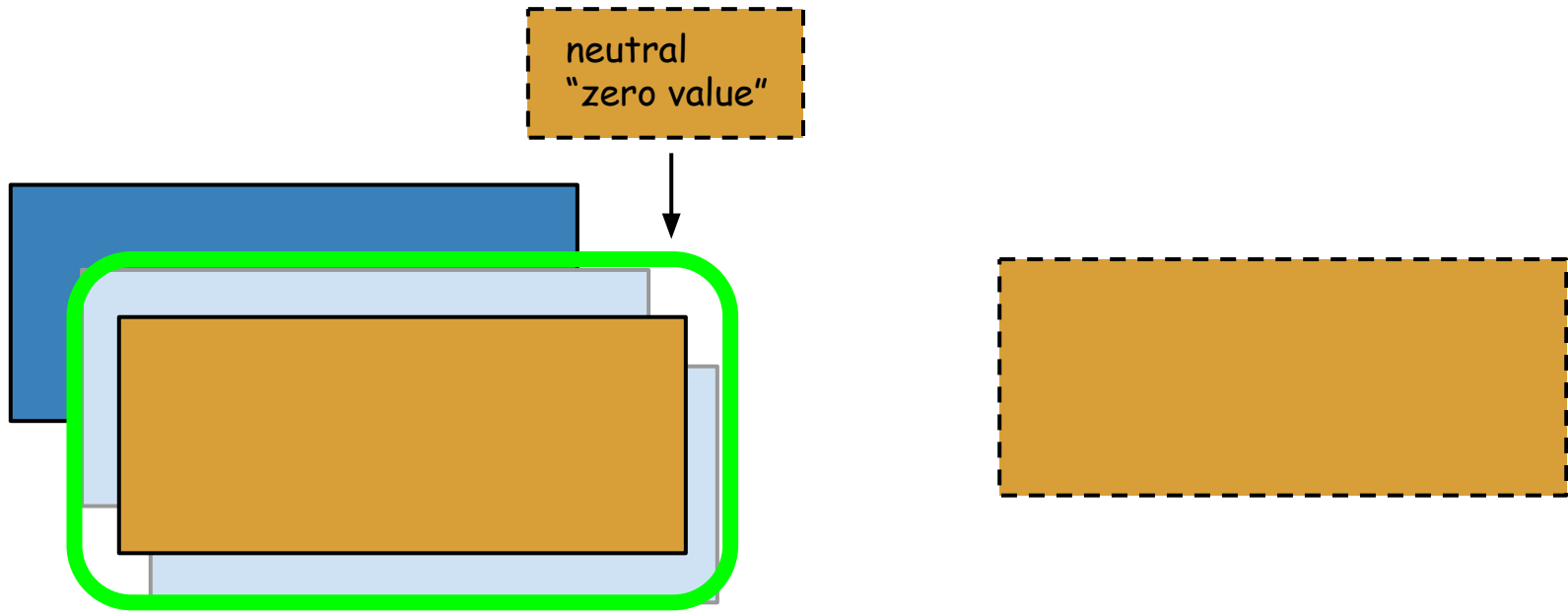


# fold

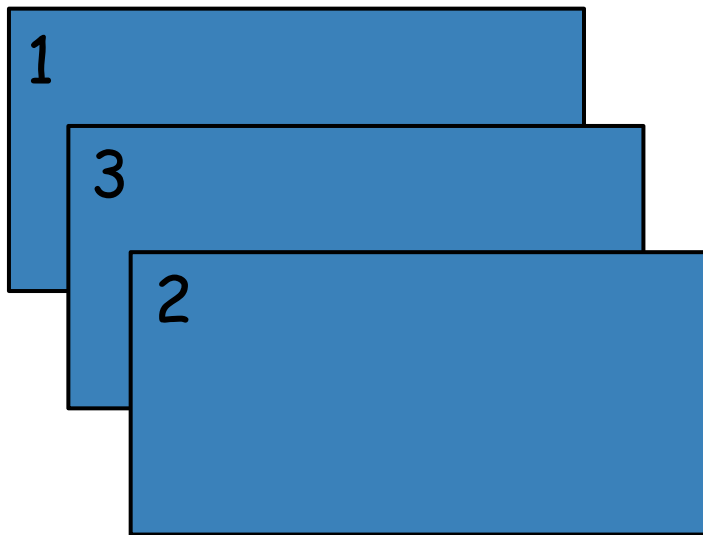
- If you have an empty RDD, it's a replacement to reduce.



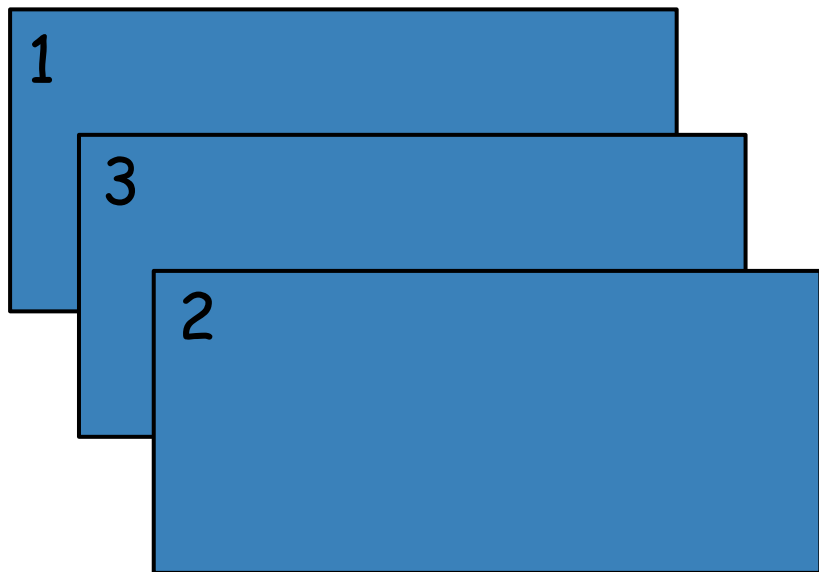
# aggregate()



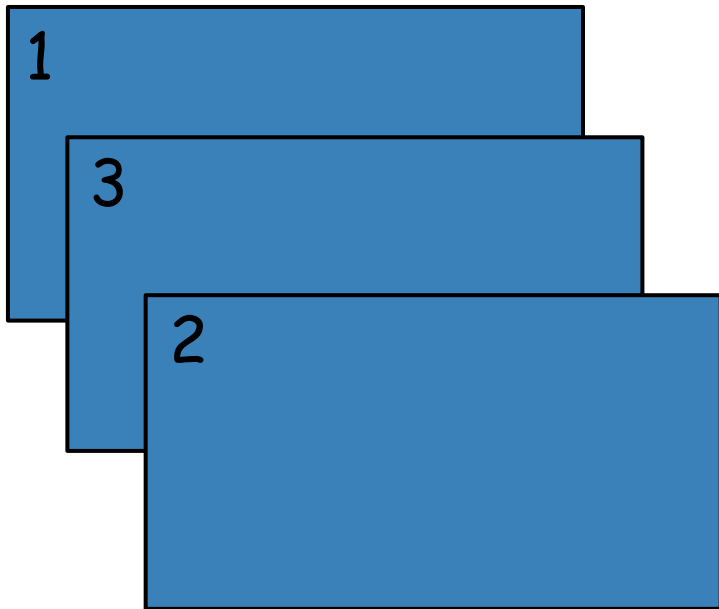
max



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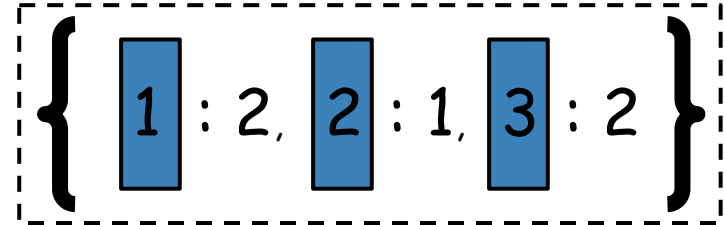
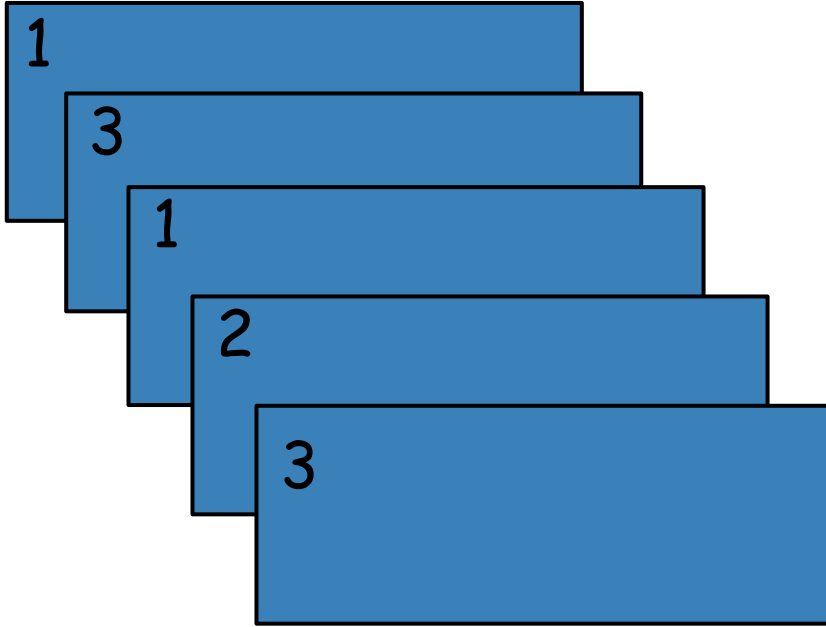


sum



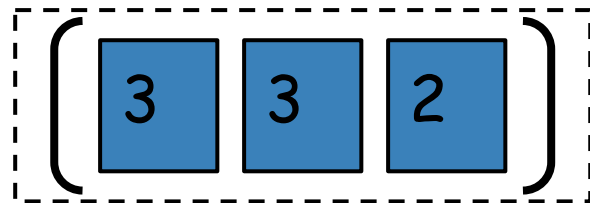
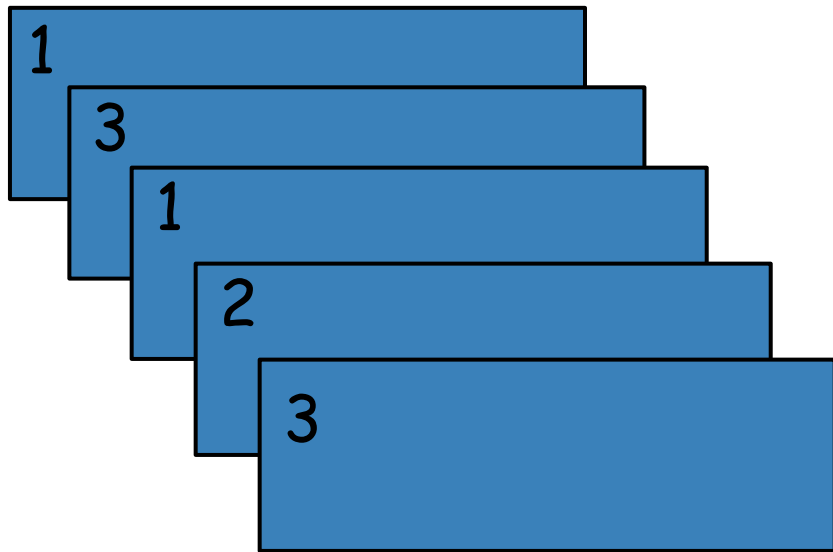


# countByValue()



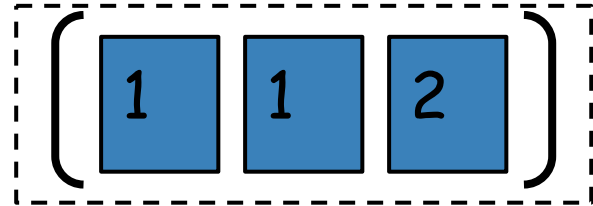
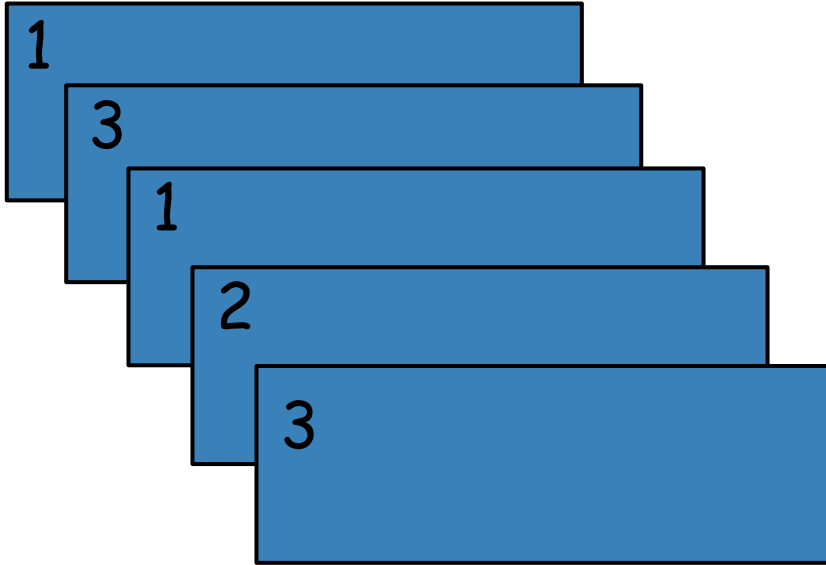
top

num = 3



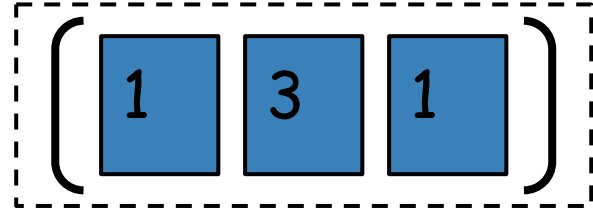
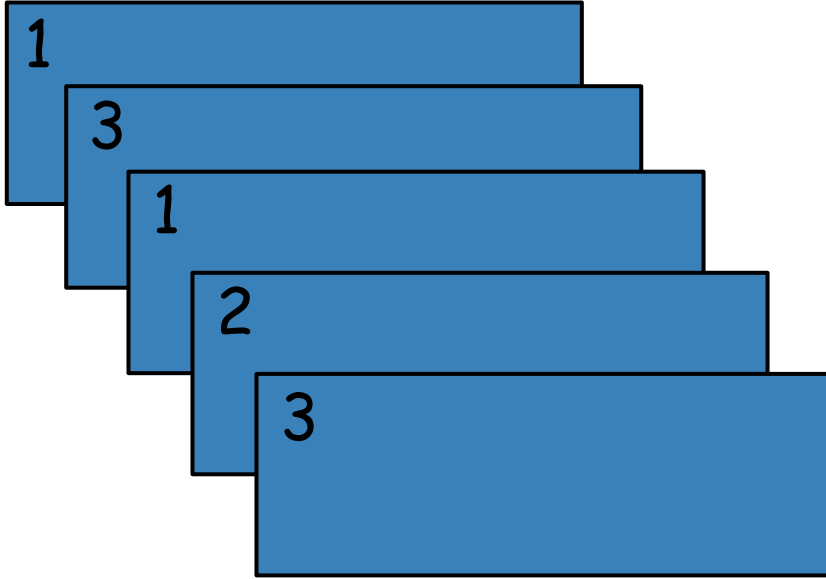
# topOrdered

num = 3

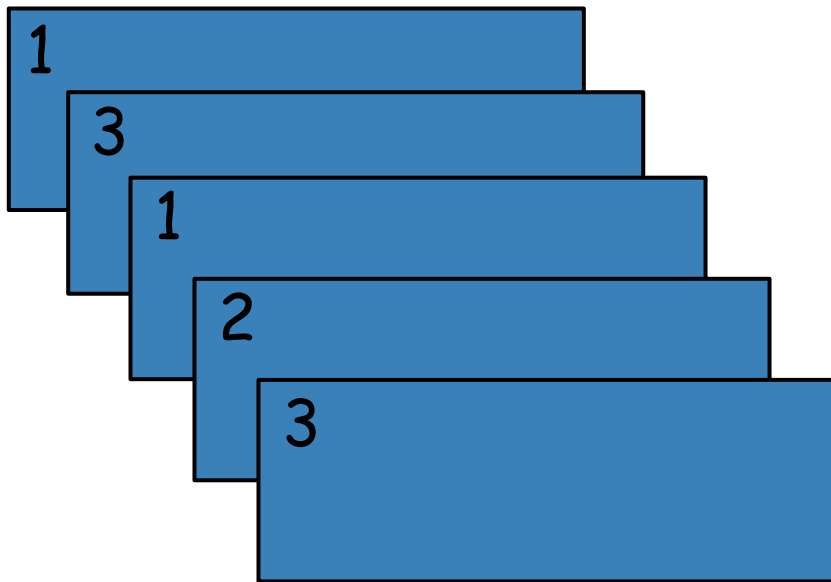


# take

num = 3



first



# More Actions

- `takeSample()`
- `mean()`
- `variance()`
- `tsdev()`
- `histogram()`
- `sampleStdev()`
- `sampleVariance()`

Again, to tell you the truth, I've never used these.

# Persistence

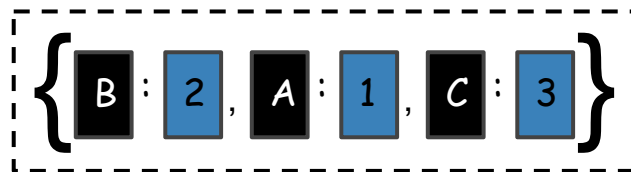
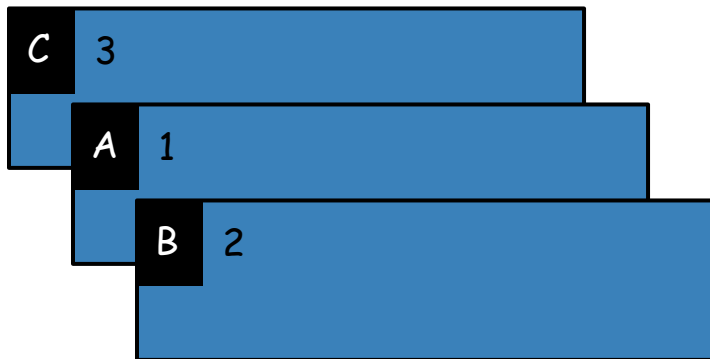
# Actions

- `saveAsObjectFile(path)`
- `saveAsTextFile(path)`
- `ExternalConnector`
- `foreach()`
  - `foreachPartition()`

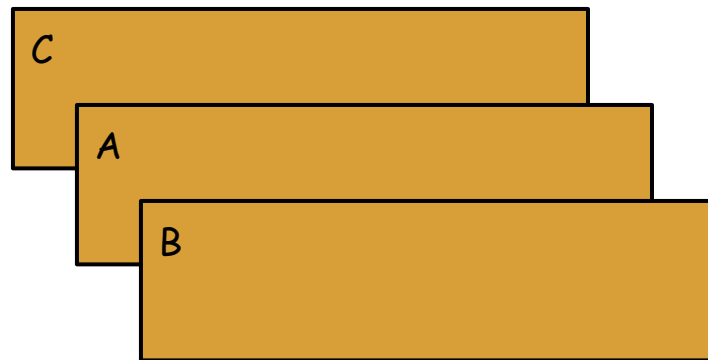
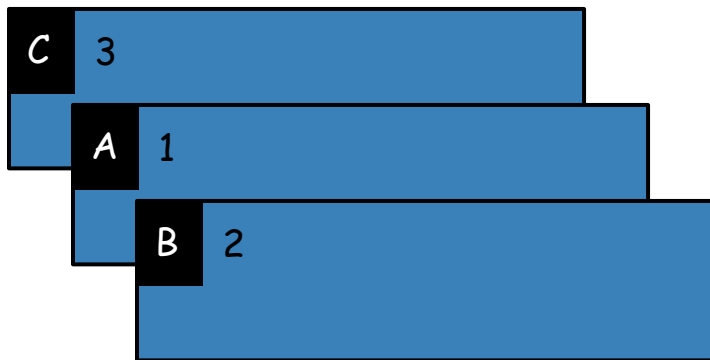


# Key Value Methods

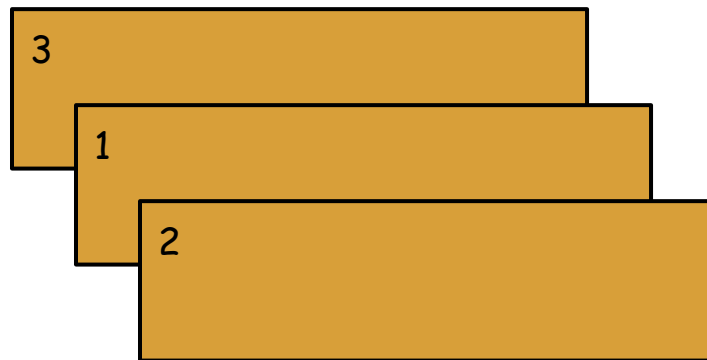
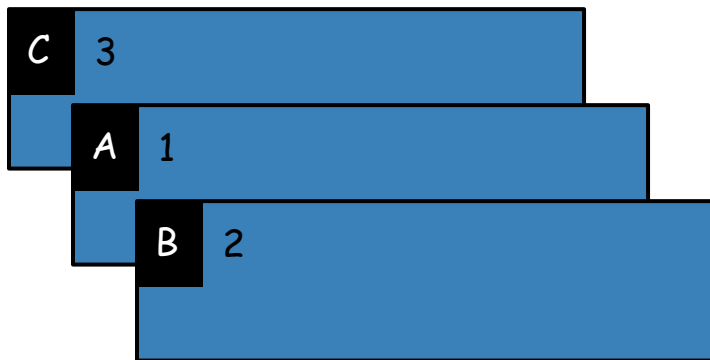
# collectAsMap



# keys

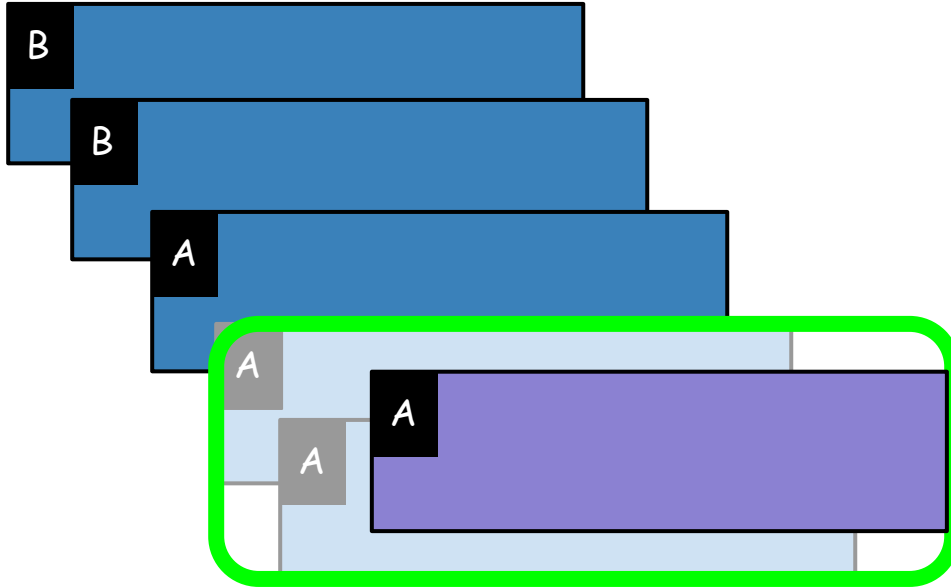


# values

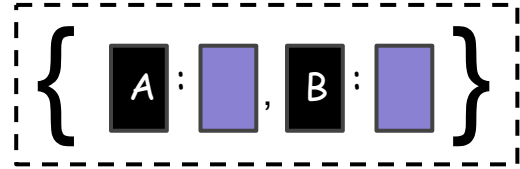
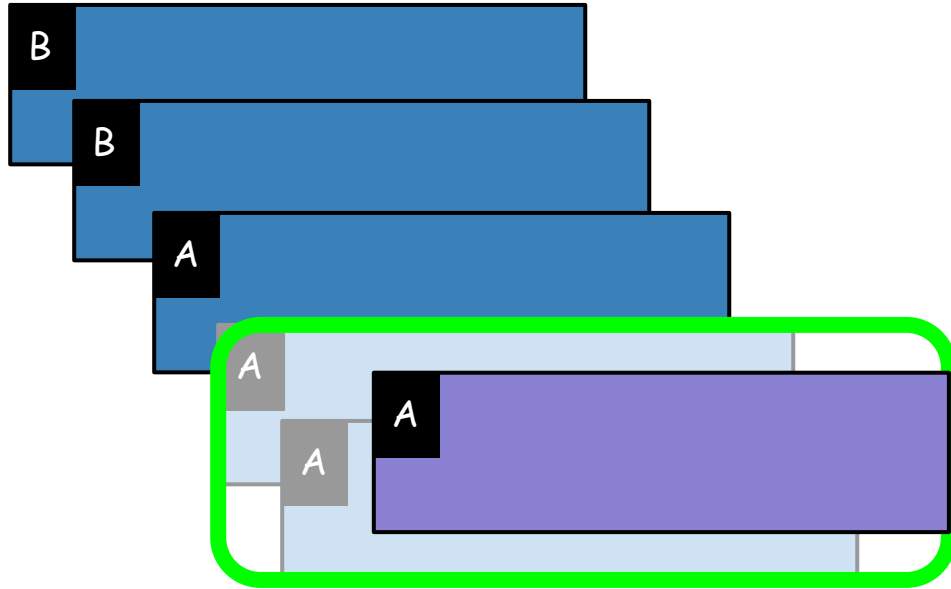


# reduceByKey

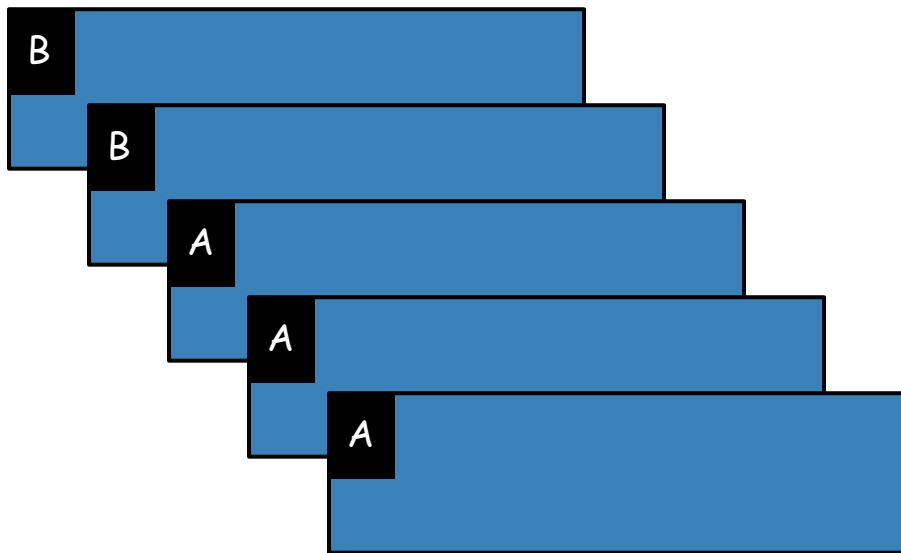
- Occurs locally



# reduceByKeyLocally



# countByKey

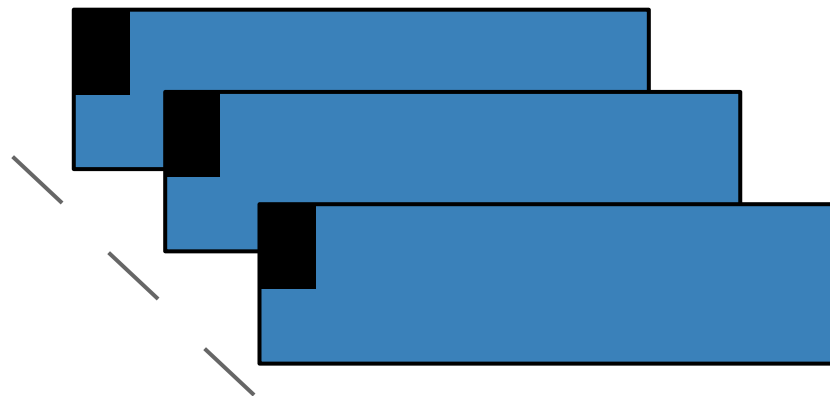
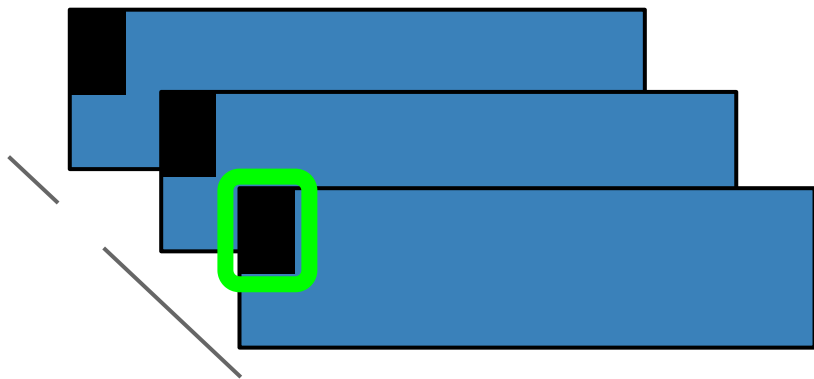


{ A : 3 , B : 2 }

# partitionBy

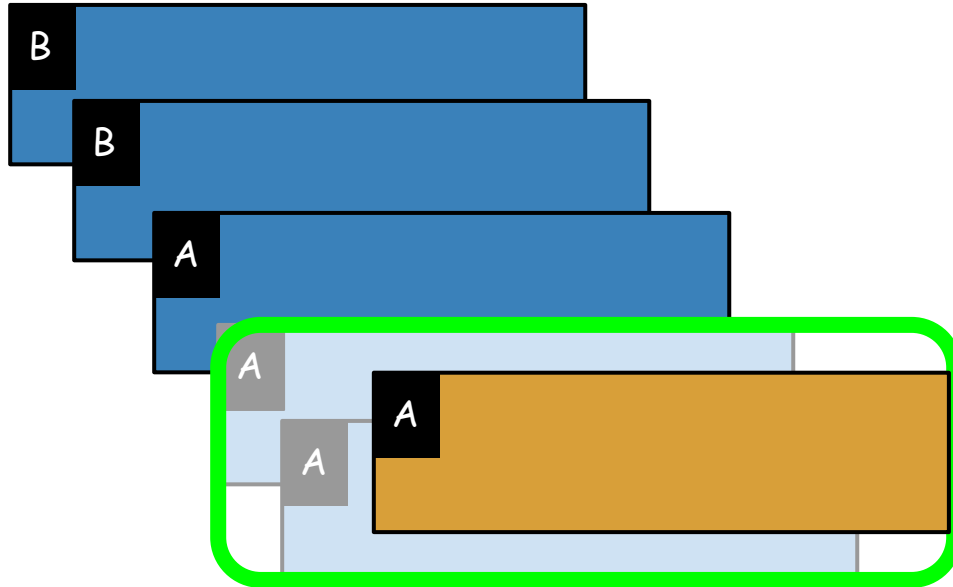
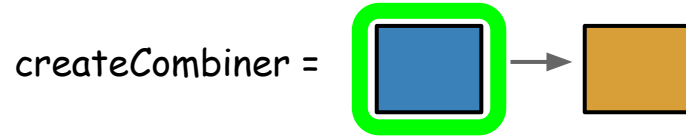
new  
partition  
index = key % numPartitions

numPartitions = 3




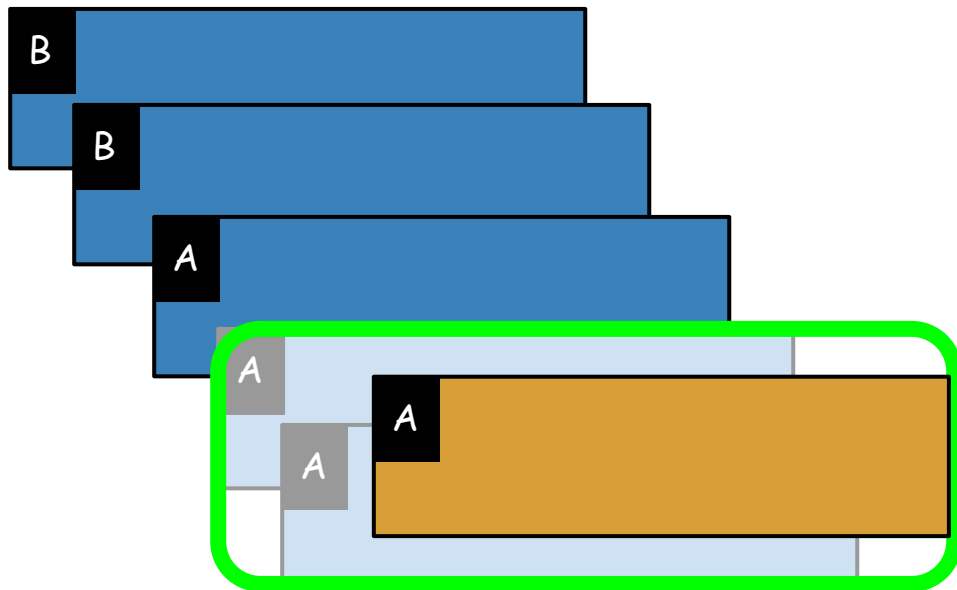


# combineBy




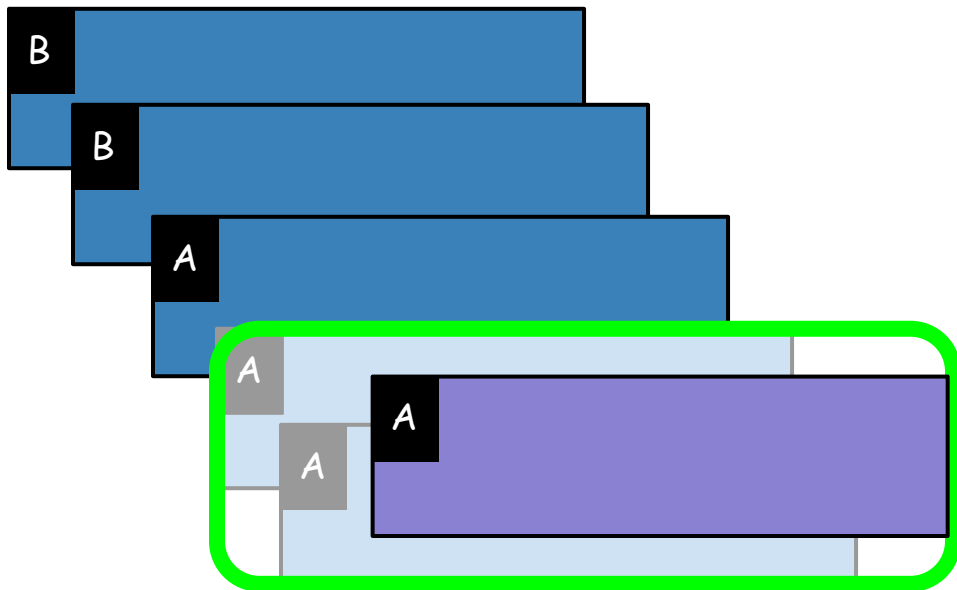
# aggregateByKey

zeroValue = 



# foldByKey

zeroValue = 

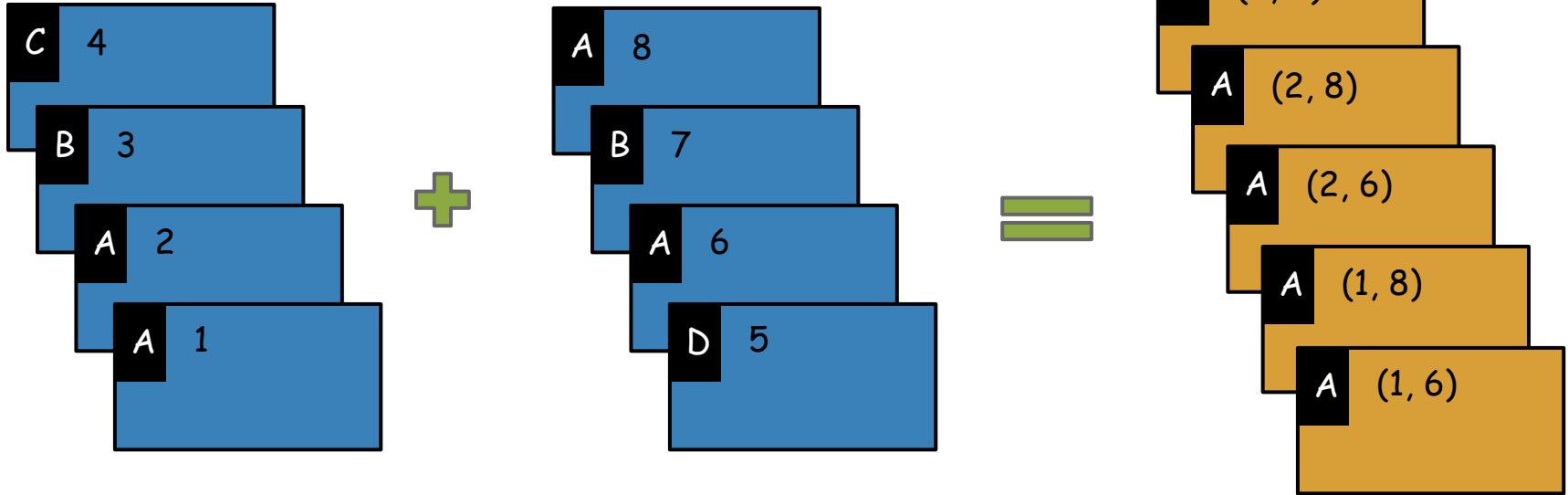


# Regular Methods

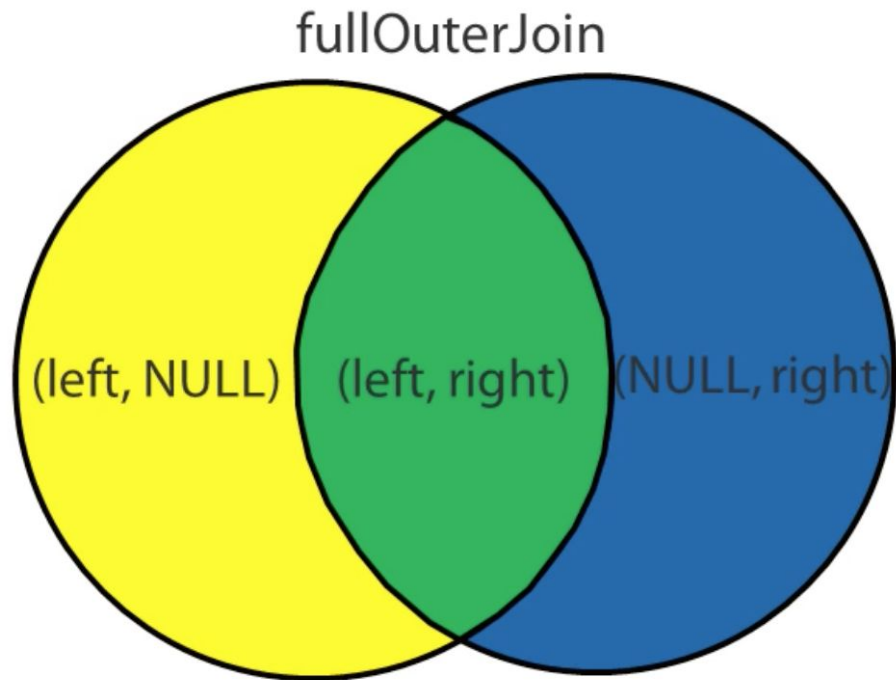
- collectAsMap
- mapValues
- reduceByKey
  - Occurs locally
- foldByKey
- aggregateByKey
- combineByKey
- groupByKey
- countByKey
- sampleByKey
- subtractByKey
- sortByKey

# SQL-like Pairings

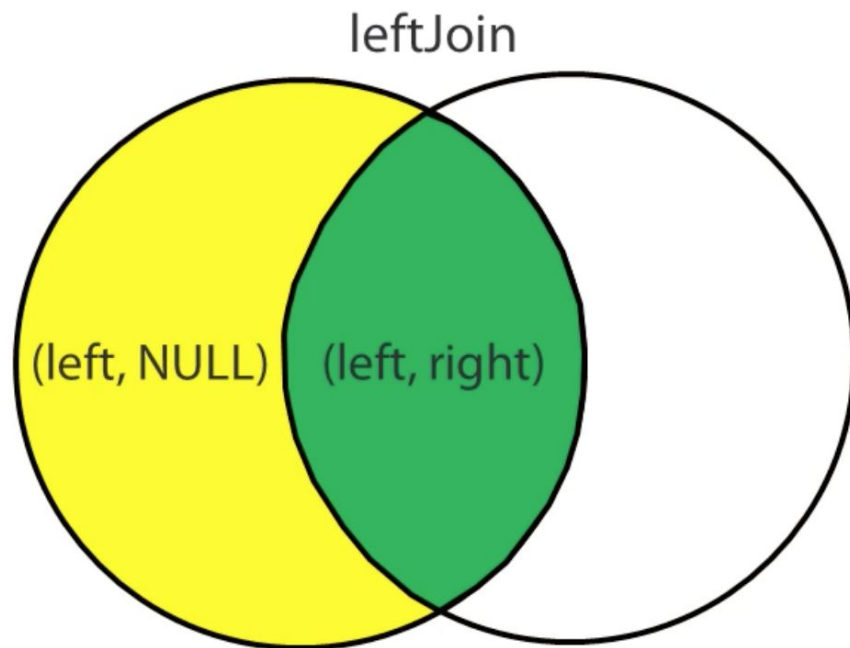
# join



# fullOuterJoin

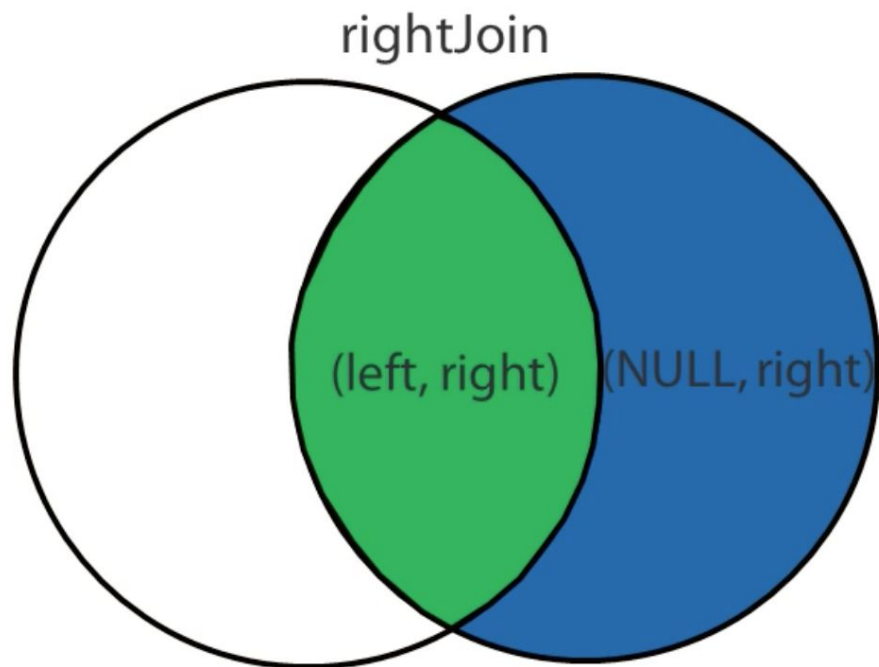


# leftJoin



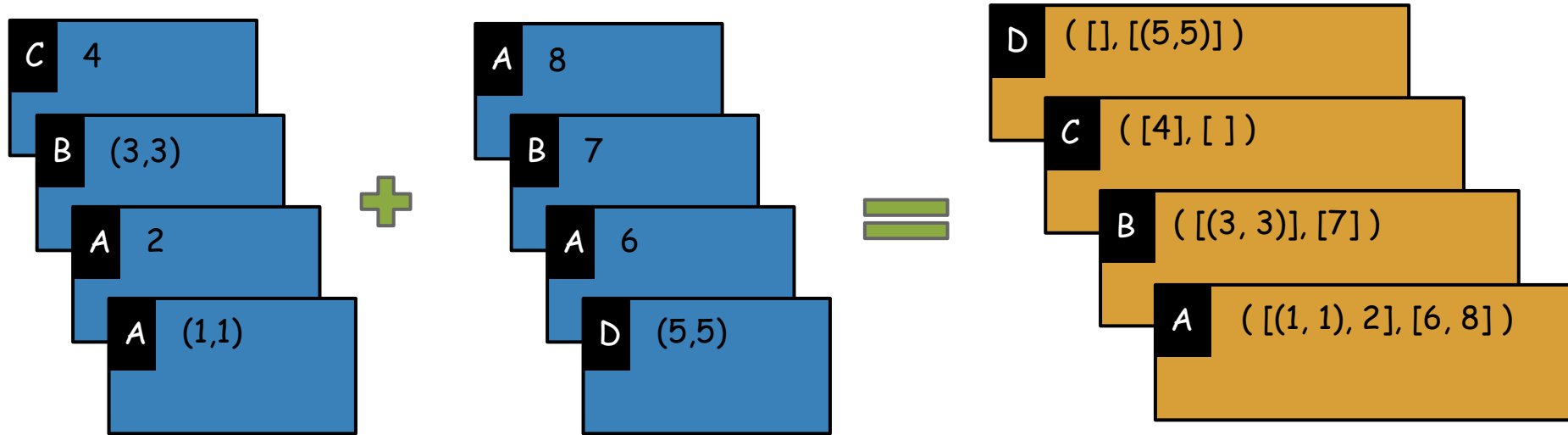


# rightJoin



# cogroup

- When called on datasets of type  $(K, V)$  and  $(K, W)$ , returns a dataset of  $(K, (\text{Iterable}<V>, \text{Iterable}<W>))$  tuples. This operation is also called `groupWith`.



# List of Transformations and Actions



## TRANSFORMATIONS

### General

- map
- filter
- flatMap
- mapPartitions
- mapPartitionsWithIndex
- groupBy
- sortBy

### Math / Statistical

- sample
- randomSplit

### Set Theory / Relational

- union
- intersection
- subtract
- distinct
- cartesian
- zip

### Data Structure / I/O

- keyBy
- zipWithIndex
- zipWithUniqueId
- zipPartitions
- coalesce
- repartition
- repartitionAndSortWithinPartitions
- pipe

## ACTIONS

- reduce
- collect
- aggregate
- fold
- first
- take
- foreach
- top
- treeAggregate
- treeReduce
- foreachPartition
- collectAsMap

- count
- takeSample
- max
- min
- sum
- histogram
- mean
- variance
- stdev
- sampleVariance
- countApprox
- countApproxDistinct

- takeOrdered

- saveAsTextFile
- saveAsSequenceFile
- saveAsObjectFile
- saveAsHadoopDataset
- saveAsHadoopFile
- saveAsNewAPIHadoopDataset
- saveAsNewAPIHadoopFile

# Caching Data

# Cache

- Cache / Persist
  - `org.apache.spark.storage.StorageLevel.MEMORY_ONLY`
- `persist(newLevel: StorageLevel)`
  - `MEMORY_ONLY`
  - `MEMORY_AND_DISK`
  - `DISK_ONLY`
  - `MEMORY_ONLY_SER`
  - `MEMORY_AND_DISK_SER`
  - `..._2` (Can be replicated to another node)
  - `OFF_HEAP`
- `unpersist(blocking: boolean = true)`

# Caching pitfalls

- Always unpersist your cached RDDs, but not too soon.
- Try to cache right after wide transformations
  - To avoid the shuffle in case of failure

# Accumulator & Broadcast

# Accumulator

- `val accumulator = sc.accumulator(0, "Accumulator Name")`
- `rdd.foreach(x=> {  
 doSomething();  
 accumulator += 1;  
})`
- In the driver:
  - `val accumulatorValue = accumulator.value;`



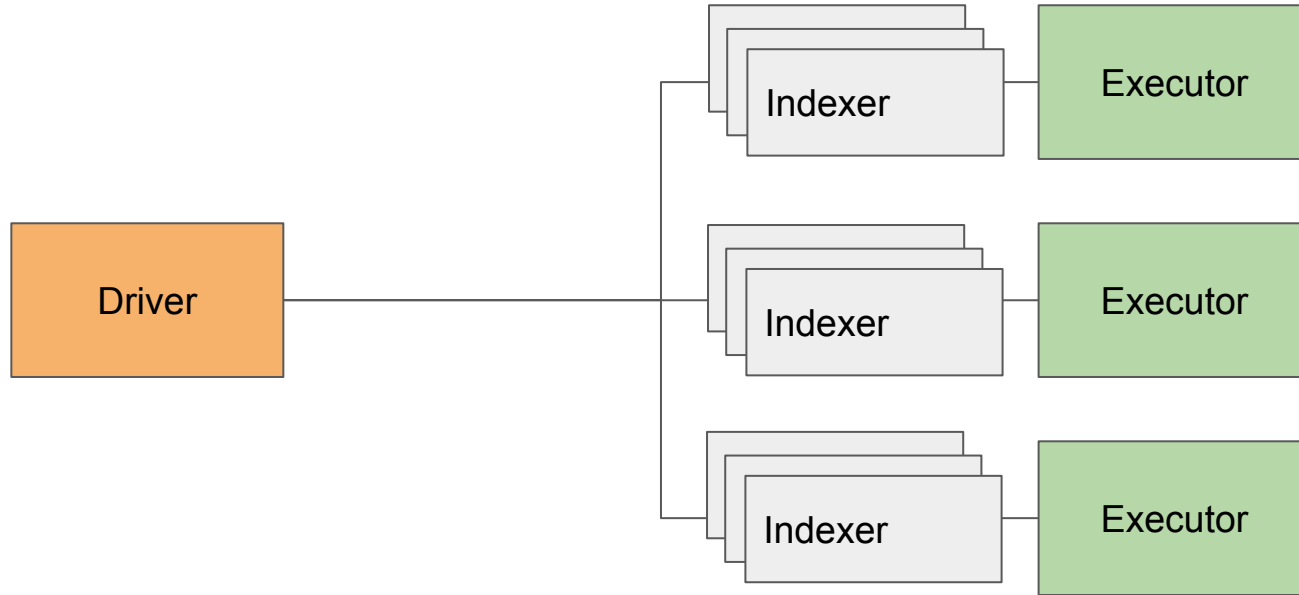
# Broadcast

```
val indexer = Map(...)
```

```
rdd.flatMap(rddVal => indexer.get(rddVal))
```

- What will happen?

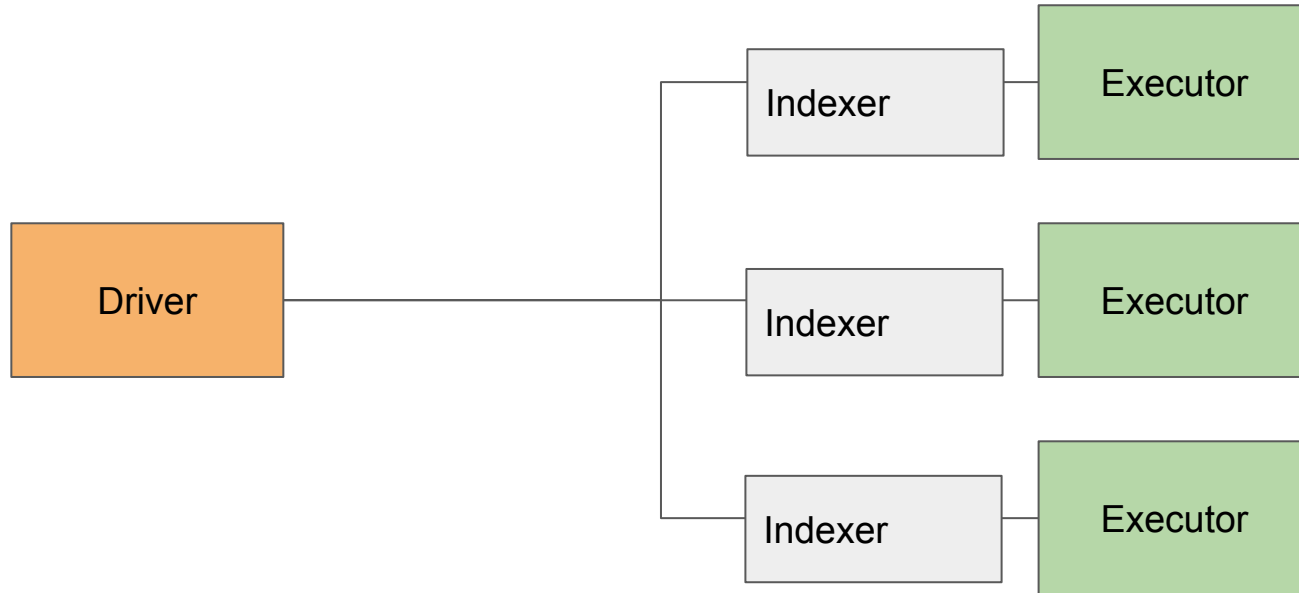
# Broadcast



# Broadcast

```
val indexer = sc.broadcast((Map(...))) // Map = 10Mb; indexer < 10Mb  
rdd.flatMap(rddVal => indexer.value.get(rddVal))
```

# Broadcast



# Java API

- All implemented with:
  - `Org.apache.spark.api.java.function`
- `JavaPairRDD`
  - `mapToPair`
- Almost all of the API is pretty identical, all of the changes can be found in the documentation

# Resources

- RDD Research Paper
  - [https://www.cs.berkeley.edu/~matei/papers/2012/nsdi\\_spark.pdf](https://www.cs.berkeley.edu/~matei/papers/2012/nsdi_spark.pdf)
- Lambdas
  - <https://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/java/javaOO/lambdaexpressions.html>
- Official Documentation
  - <http://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/programming-guide.html>



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