

Lecture 1

• If single computer is enough don't use DS.

• Motives for DS:

① Parallelism

② Fault tolerance: If one fails, another is backup

③ Physical reasons: systems inherently are physically distributed

④ Security: require isolation

- Unexpected failure patterns } Basic Challenges
- Partial failures }
- Performance }

• Infrastructure

- Storage

- Communication

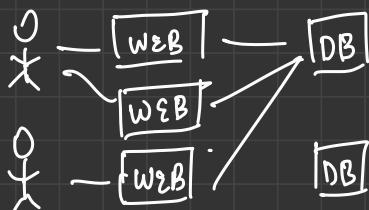
- Computation

} Abstractions

→ Implementations:
- RPC, threads - way of structuring concurr. ops
- concurrency control

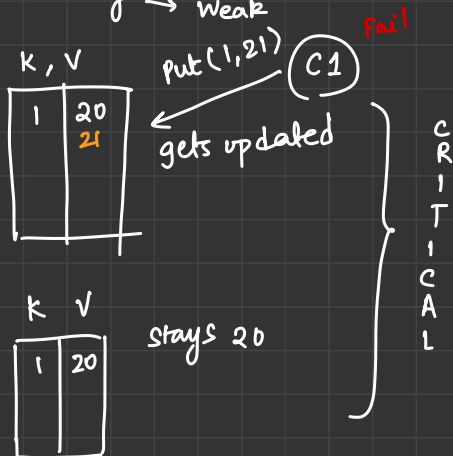
• Performance

- High level goal: scalable speed up $2 \times$ machines = $2 \times$ throughput



- Fault Tolerance } Big tools
- Availability | clever ways of avoiding to write non-volatile storage
- Recoverability | management of replication

- Consistency → Strong: guarantee of most recent write is expensive
- Weak



- Replication for fault tolerance should have independent failure probabilities.

might make communication expensive

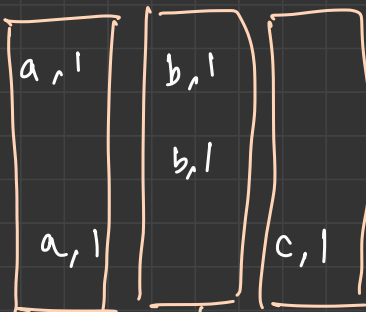
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→ map Reduce

Input File 1 → map

Input File 2 → map

Input File 3 → map



map(k, v)
split v into words
for each word w
emit(w, 1)

reduce(k, v)
emit(len(v))
↑
array

Reduce → (c, 1)
Reduce → (b, 2)
Reduce → (a, 2)