

# Project #2 – Big Data

## Compressing large collections of web pages

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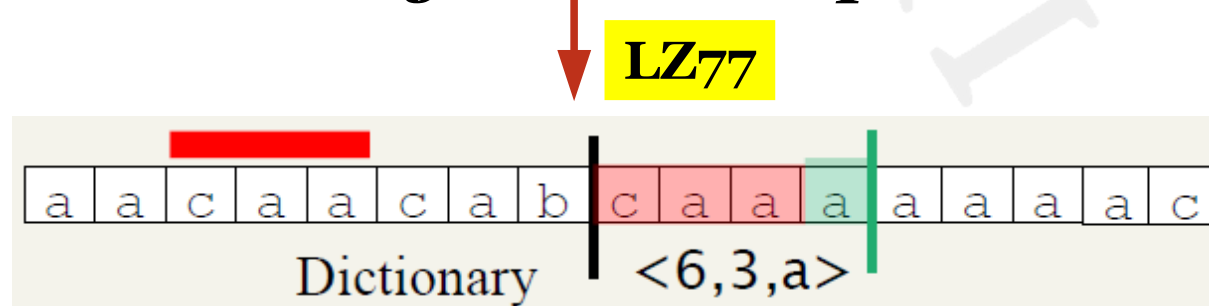
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# Problem Statement

**INPUT:** A file containing a collection of **Web pages**

**OUTPUT:** A file containing the permuted collection, where the permutation is driven by the **similarity** between pages

**GOAL:** Find the best way of permuting in order to **minimize the compression** of the output file (using Lzma2 compressor)



# Analysis of the Web pages

```
warc/0.9.10757 response http://www.mattenltd.co.uk/0061006192531 message/http :
BUbING-guessed-charset: iso-8859-1
BUbING-content-digest: eceb3de18182b34aedab72fb9a62846

HTTP/1.1 200 OK
content-type: text/html
accept-ranges: bytes
connection: close
server: Apache/1.3.33 (Unix) mod_auth_passthrough/1.8 mod_log_bytes/1.2 mod_bwli
content-length: 10123
last-modified: Thu, 13 Oct 2005 22:41:57 GMT
etag: "4f1df5-278b-434ee2b5"
date: Wed, 05 Jul 2006 07:44:13 GMT
ubi-http-equiv-charset: iso-8859-1

<html>
<head>
<META name="description" content="Matten Press Makers">
<META name="keywords" content="Press, Hand, ...">
<title>Matten Engineering</title>
<script language="JavaScript" type="text/JavaScript">
  <!--
    function MM_openBrWindow(theURL,winName,features) { //v2.0
      window.open(theURL,winName,features);
    }
  //-->
</script>
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Length of the Page

URL

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## Assumption:

If someone **COPY** some TAGs / WORDs / SCRIPTs from an HTML page, he will **NOT MODIFY** them.

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**Algorithm:** *CompressingWebPages(InputFile)*

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*lsh* ← new LSH(7, 3)

*sf* ← new ScanningFile(InputFile)

*categWP* ← new Set(), *notCategWP* ← new Set()

while(NOT *sf*.EOF)

{

*wp* ← Recognize in *sf* a Web page

if (*wp*.Signature != NULL)

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*lsh*.AddDocument(*wp*)

*categWP*.Add(*wp*)

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foreach *wp* in *categWP*

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*simDoc* ← sort *lsh*.UnionFind(*wp*) by URL

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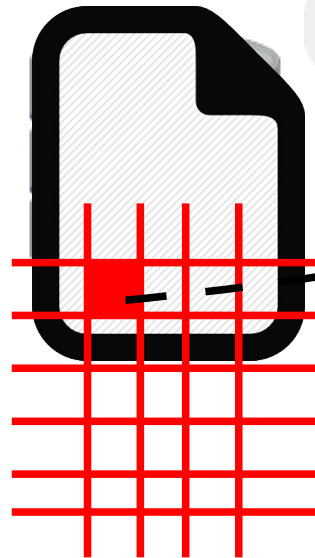
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Initialize 21 MURMUR HASH function

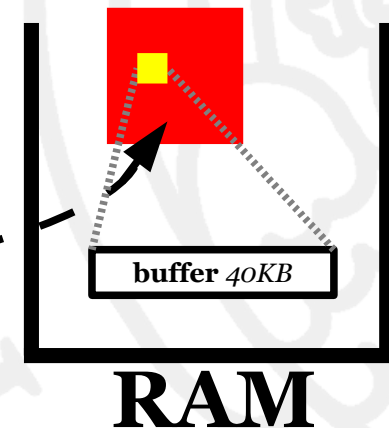
**LSH-initialization:**

- pre-compute sampling of 3 elements from Sketch
- create 7 hash tables with chaining

**Scanning File:**



memory  
mapping



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## Recognize Web page:

- Divide the Web page in **words** (*TAGs / WORDs / SCRIPTs*) → pair (start, length)
- Karp-Rabin hashing for every word
- Shingling of *x*-words, with *x* depending #characters (*Q=25*)
- Karp-Rabin hashing for every shingle
- Sketch Vector using Min-Hashing (*pi*)
- Return the end of the page → next step will start here

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## LSH-AddDocument:

- pick 3 elements from the Sketch
- compute the sum
- add result to 1 of 7 buckets
- if there are collision → we list them

**Threshold**  
~52%

## Calculate Permutation: For every page:

- find all similar pages (union find LSH)
- sort by URL
- calculate the position of the permutation (**NewStartPage**)

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## Write on OutputFile:

*Since we have calculated the new position that the Web pages will occupy:*

- scan sequentially the **input file**
- write randomly into **output file**



# Proposed Solution – 2<sup>nd</sup> Version

Algorithm: *CompressingWebPages*(InputFile)

begin

```
sf <- new ScanningFile(InputFile)
webpages <- new List()
while(NOT sf.EOF)
    webpages.Add ( Recognize in sf a Web page )
```

**Do not process entire page:**

We analyse only the “header” information and then we skip to the next pages (*Length of Page*)

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swp = new ScanningWebPages(InputFile)
categWP <- new Set(), notCategWP <- new Set()
foreach wp in webpages
{
    if (wp.IsHTML)
    {
        swp.WebPageContent(wp)
        wp.Signature <- CalculateSignature(swp.Container, wp)
        lsh.AddDocument(wp)
        categWP.Add(wp)
    }
    else
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**Scanning Web Pages:**

Similar to *ScanningFile* but the *chunks* are made by **100K** pages for a time

**Web Pages Content:**

Depending on *wp*, we store the appropriate *chunk* in memory, and we **copy** the content of *wp* into the *swp.Container*, adapting it if necessary

**Calculate Signature:**

Knowing exactly the web page content the process is faster and more precise respect the first version

Calculate\_Permutation()

Same as before, but we have improved **LSH UnionFind**

```
foreach 25K wp in webpages
{
    swp.WebPageContent(25K wp)
    sort swp.Container by NewStartPage
    write 25K wp in OutputFile
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**Sorting in memory 25K pages at a time:**

In this way we can read and write sequentially

end

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1	00:00:00	00:00:00
10	00:00:02	00:00:06
100	00:00:14	00:00:42
500	00:02:29	00:05:57
1000	00:05:05	00:13:00
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## Comparison between v1 & v2

#Pages (millions)	Version 1 (h:m:s)	Version 2 (h:m:s)
1	00:00:01	00:00:00
10	00:00:26	00:00:08
100	00:05:26	00:00:56
500	00:36:58	00:08:26
1000	00:57:16	00:18:05
3000	>> 2 days	00:51:35



	2%	94%	100%
	CPU	Memory	Disk
 CompressingWebPages	1,5%	2.971,6 MB	1,3 MB/s

# Results – 3° & 4° phase

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1	00:00:00	00:00:00
10	00:00:00	00:00:00
100	00:01:13	00:05:17
500	00:27:34	00:54:53
1000	03:14:25	01:26:26
3000	25:07:45	07:27:18

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1000	05:29:42	04:34:51
3000	-	32:35:03



# Results – compression

# Pages (millions)	Original Compression	Achieved Compression
1	10.25%	0.27%
10	8.59%	7.00%
100	6.47%	4.92%
500	5.43%	3.83%
1000	5.75%	4.01%
3000	6.17%	4.31%

# Future Work

- **Parallelize:** Divides *#pages* in group depending *#CPU*
  - Computes **signature** of each group in **parallel**
  - After found the final permutation, in **parallel**, reads each group of pages and write them into the output file, accordingly the permutation
- **Improve Algorithms:**
  - Union Find → the 3<sup>th</sup> phase is too slow despite there are no *I/Os*
  - Sorting → use Multi-Way MergeSort (4<sup>th</sup> phase)

# Questions



***Thanks !***