

Project #2 – Big Data

Compressing large collections of web pages

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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)

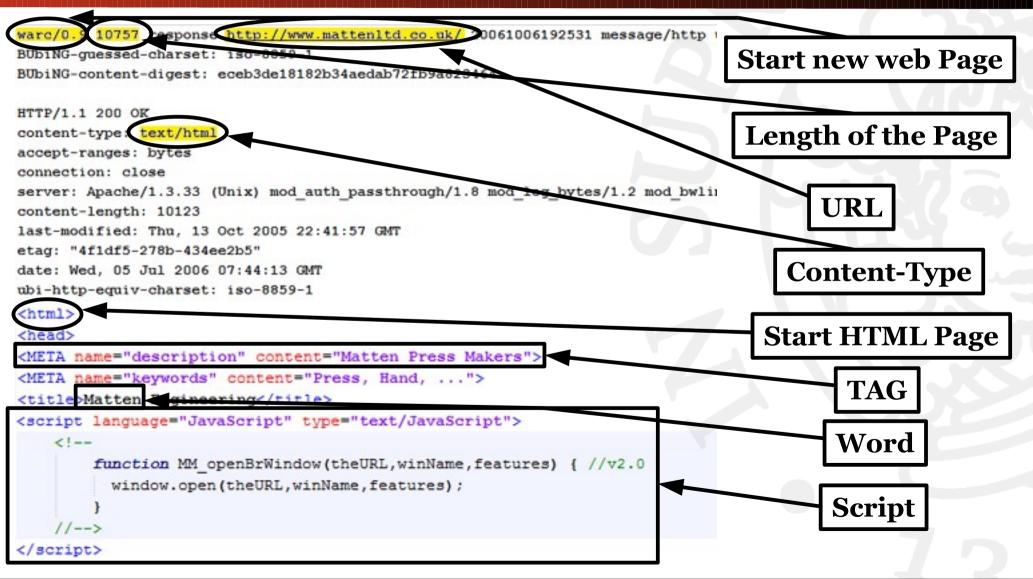
a a c a a b c a a a a a a c

Dictionary <6,3,a>

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Initialize 21 MURMUR HASH function



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LSH-initialization:

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

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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%



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← 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



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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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Scanning Web Pages:

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



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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



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Calculate Signature:

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



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Sorting in memory 25K pages at a time:

In this way we can read and write sequentially



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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	
3000	00:15:00	00:36:35	

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comparison between v1 & v2

	#Pages	Version 1	Version 2
	1	00:00:01	00:00:00
	10	00:00:26	00:00:08
ne	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	



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Results – compression

# Pages	Original Compression	Achieved Compression
1	89.75%	99.79%
10	91.41%	93.00%
100	93.53%	95.08%
500	94.57%	96.17%
1000	94.25%	95.99%
3000	93.83%	95.69%



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

Assumption:

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

- Remove initial assumption:
 - Collects from the **shingle 3** groups of 7 random characters each (85%)
 - Compute Karp-Rabin hashing of each group → Sketch 21 × 3
- Improve Algorithms:
 - Union Find \rightarrow the 3th phase is too slow despite there are no I/Os
 - Sorting → use Multi-Way MergeSort (4th phase)

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Questions



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Thanks!