

# How to process on distributed large matrix with Spark



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# Goal

Assume A a large matrix such as A included in  $R^{1\,000\,000 \times 1\,000}$ .

We have to compute :

$$A * A^T * A = \sum_{j=1}^N \text{dotproduct}(A_j, (\sum_{i=1}^N \text{outerproduct}(A_i, A_i)))$$

The problem is A is too big to be computed with numpy, then we have to choose another way.

## Detailed Processus

### Step 01:

```
raw_matrix_file = sc.textFile(dataset)
```

We create a RDD from the file.

### Step 02:

```
A = raw_matrix_file.map(lambda row: row.split()).map(lambda row: [float(element) for element in row])
```

Compute A from the first RDD.

### Step 03 :

```
AT_A = A.map(lambda row: np.outer(row, row)).reduce(lambda x,y : np.array(x) + np.array(y))
```

Compute  $A^T * A$  from the A.

Assume  $A_i$  is the i-ene row of A.

$$A^T * A = \sum_{i=1}^N \text{outerproduct}(A_i, A_i)$$

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Outer\\_product](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Outer_product)

## Step 04 :

```
#Compte A * (AT_A)
A_AT_A = A.map(lambda row: np.dot(row,AT_A ))
```

During this step, i compute  $A * A^T * A$  from the A.

Assume  $A_i$  is the i-ene row of A.

$$A * A^T * A = \sum_{j=1}^N \text{dotproduct}(A_j, (\sum_{i=1}^N \text{outerproduct}(A_i, A_i)))$$

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## Step 05 :

```
A_AT_A.partitionBy(10)
A_AT_A.saveAsTextFile(output_file)
```

A\_AT\_A is too big to use “collect()” and store it.  
Then i split en 10 partitions and i store it.

# Performance

With Default configuration.

Data-2-sample.txt	Data-1.txt
11 seconds	5 minutes

My output Matrix is store in this Floader :

“/proj/hamroun/sparkexerice/Spark/matrix/matrix\_output2.txt”

**github** : <https://github.com/HappyBearDay/Spark>