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Apache Spark - Fast unified analytics engine

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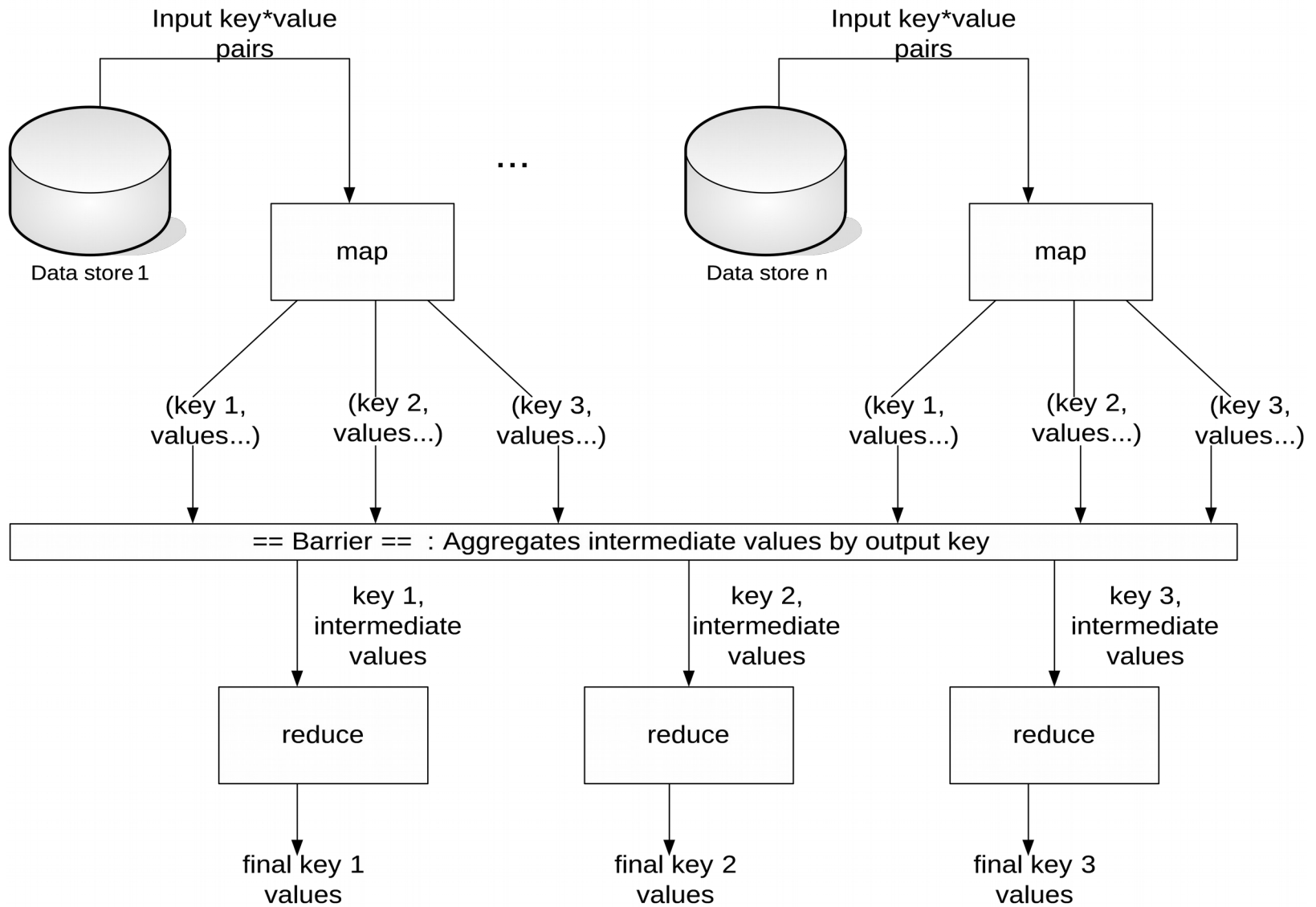
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Motivation App

- Web Search
 - 12 PB Web data
 - Must search quickly
 - How?
- Web Search Primer
 - Users supply words in query --> find all documents with a specified word
 - Read 12PB of web pages, find keywords in a single machine:
 - $100\text{MB/s} = 1\text{GB}/10\text{s} \rightarrow 12\text{PB in } 1200000000\text{s} \rightarrow \sim 4 \text{ years!}$

Motivation App (2)

- We need parallelism!
 - Run previous task in one day?
 - Need a cluster (at least 1400 machines)
- Functionality of the computation system?
 - Move data around
 - Check liveness
 - **Deal with failures**
 - Process stuff



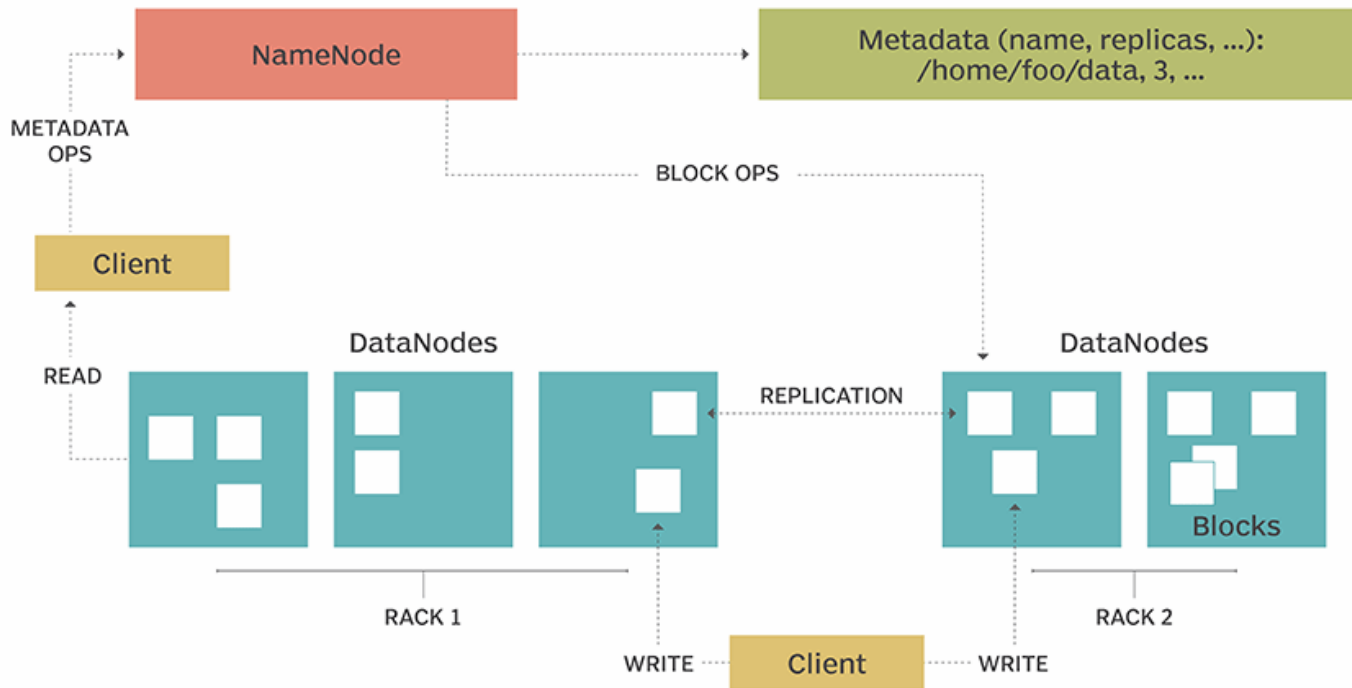
MapReduce

- Automatic parallelization & distribution
 - `map()` and `reduce()` functions run on parallel
- Fault-tolerant
 - Master detects worker failures and re-executes in-progress reduce tasks
- Clean abstraction for programmers

Hadoop

- Uses MapReduce
- Integrates with HDFS
- Commonly used
- Writes all intermediary results to disk!
 - It slows down significantly even the smallest of jobs

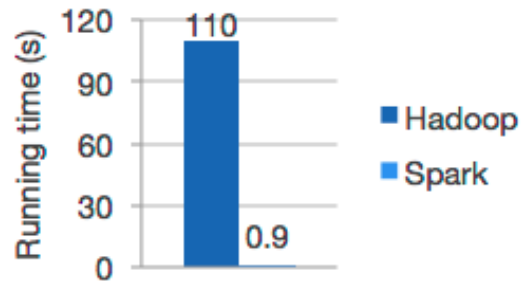
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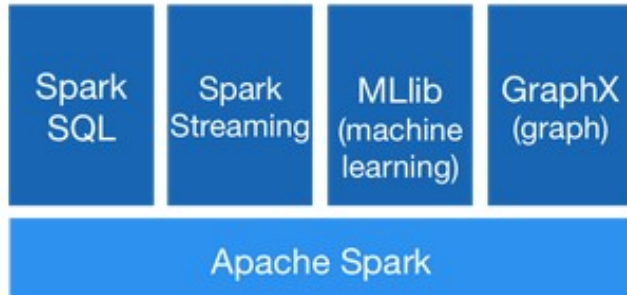
HDFS

Apache Spark

- Tries to use RAM whenever available
- Uses RDD's
 - Collections of objects spread over the datanodes
 - Built with parallel transformations
 - Rebuilt on failure detection



Logistic regression in Hadoop and Spark



Spark Architecture

