Spark DataFrame

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Create & display dataframes

- country = spark.read.json('country.json') # also supports read.csv(...)
- city = spark.read.json('city.json')
- cl = spark.read.json('countrylanguage.json')
- country.show() # show top 20 rows as a table
 - Similar to country.head() in Pandas
- country.show(5)
- Also has head(5)/take(5), tail(5), collect()
 - return Row(...)'s instead

Creating data frames

df = spark.createDataFrame([('Tom', 80), ('Alice', None)], ["name", "height"])

Projection

- Selecting a subset of columns
- country[['Continent', 'Region']] # similar to Pandas
- Alternative:
 - country[[country.Continent, country.Region]]
 - country.select('Continent', 'Region') # this returns a dataframe
 - country.select(country.LifeExpectancy.alias('le')) # with renaming
 - country['Continent', 'Region'] # this returns a dataframe
 - country['Continent'] # this returns a column

Renaming columns

• country.withColumnRenamed('Name', 'CountryName').show()

Adding a new column => a new dataframe

- import pyspark.sql.functions as fc
- df = spark.createDataFrame([(1,1), (1,2), (1,3)], ['a', 'b'])
- >>> df.show()

ĺ	a	b +
	1 1 1	

- df1 = df.withColumn('c', fc.col('b'))
- df1.show()
- | a| b| c| | a| b| c| | 1| 1| 1| | 1| 2| 2 | 1| 3| 3|

More examples

df.withColumn('c', fc.when(df.b > 2, 1).otherwise(-1)).show()

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| a| b| c|

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| 1| 1| -1|

| 1| 2| -1|

| 1| 3| 1|

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df.withColumn('c', fc.lit(1)).show()

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| a| b| c|
+---+---+
| 1| 1| 1|
| 1| 2| 1|
| 1| 3| 1|
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```

Selection/filtering

- Selecting a subset of rows
- country[country.GNP > 10000] # similar to Pandas
- Alternative:
 - country.filter(country.GNP > 10000)
 - country.filter("GNP > 10000")
 - country.filter('GNP > 10000 and GNP < 50000') # filter takes SQL style where-condition
 - country.where('GNP > 10000')
- country[(country.GNP > 10000) & (country.GNP < 50000)] # similar to Pandas
 - Other logical operators: |, ~

Distinct

country[['Continent', 'Region']].distinct()

- Alternative:
 - country[['Continent', 'Region']].dropDuplicates()
 - Similar to drop_duplicates()/unique() in Pandas

Groupby without aggregation

- country.groupBy('Continent') or country.groupby('Continent')
 - Similar to groupby in Pandas

- Need to aggregate so that we can show the grouping details
 - country.groupBy('Continent').count()[['Continent']].show()
- May also use:
 - country[['Continent']].distinct()

Aggregation w/o groupby

country.agg({'GNP': 'max'})

- import pyspark.sql.functions as fc
- country.agg(fc.max('GNP').alias('max_gnp'))
 - Similar to agg(max_gnp = pd.NamedAgg('GNP', 'max')) in Pandas
- country.agg(fc.max('GNP').alias('max_gnp'), fc.min('GNP').alias('min_gnp')).show()

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| max_gnp|min_gnp|
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|8510700.0| 0.0|
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Group by with aggregation

- import pyspark.sql.functions as fc
- country.groupBy('Continent').agg(fc.max("GNP").alias("max_gnp"),\
 fc.count("*").alias("cnt")).show()

```
=>
Select Continent, max(GNP) max_gnp, count(*) cnt
From country
Group by Continent
```

Group by with having

- import pyspark.sql.functions as fc
- country.groupBy('Continent').agg(fc.max("GNP").alias("max_gnp"),
 fc.count("*").alias("cnt")).filter('cnt > 5').show()

```
=>
select Continent, max(GNP) max_gnp, count(*) cnt
from country
group by Continent
having cnt > 5
```

Counting w/o group by

- country.count()
 - Note different from Pandas count()

```
=>
select count(*)
from country
```

Aggregating one or more columns

country.groupBy('Continent').max('GNP').show()

country.groupBy(['Continent', 'Region']).max('GNP').show()

Order by

- import pyspark.sql.functions as fc
- country.orderBy('Continent')
- country.orderBy(fc.desc('Continent'))
 - Alternative: country.orderBy(country.Continent.desc())
- country.orderBy(['Continent', 'GNP'], ascending=[True, False])
- Alternatives: replacing orderBy with sort
 - country.sort(fc.desc('Continent'), fc.desc('GNP'))
 - country.sort(['Continent', 'GNP'], ascending=[True, False])

Aggregation function

- count
- max,min
- avg/mean
- sum

Example: putting them together

```
country[(country.GNP > 1000) & (country.GNP <</li>
  10000)].groupBy('Continent',
  'Region').agg(fc.mean('LifeExpectancy').alias('avg_le'),
 fc.count('*').alias('cnt')).filter('cnt > 5').orderBy(fc.desc('avg_le')).show()
=> select Continent, avg(LifeExpecancy) avg le, count(*) cnt
from country
group by Continent
having cnt > 5
order by avg le desc
```

Limit

```
res = country[(country.GNP > 1000) & (country.GNP <</li>
 10000)].groupBy('Continent',
  'Region').agg(fc.mean('LifeExpectancy').alias('avg_le'), fc.count('*').alias('cnt'))
res[res.cnt > 5].orderBy(fc.desc('avg le')).limit(2)
=>
select Continent, Region, avg(LifeExpectancy) avg_le, count(*) cnt
from country
group by Continent, Region
having cnt > 5
order by avg le desc
limit 2
```

Join

country.join(city, country.Capital == city.ID)

country.join(city, (country.Capital == city.ID) & (country.Population > city.Population))

• Alternative:

country.join(city, [country.Capital == city.ID, country.Population > city.Population])

Natural join

- cl.join(city, 'CountryCode')
 - Equivalent to: cl.join(city, cl.CountryCode == city.CountryCode)

⇒select *
from countrylanguage natural join city

Outer join

- country.join(city, country.Capital == city.ID, how='left').filter("ID is null")
 - Or filter(city.ID.isNull())

=>
select *
from country left outer join city on country.Capital = city.ID
where city.ID is null

Union

- usa = cl[(cl.CountryCode == 'USA')][['Language', "IsOfficial"]]
- can = cl[(cl.CountryCode == 'CAN')][['Language', "IsOfficial"]]
- usa_can = cl[(cl.CountryCode == 'USA') | (cl.CountryCode == 'CAN')][['Language', "IsOfficial"]]

- Bag union
 - usa.union(can) or usa.unionAll(can)
- Set union
 - usa.union(can).distinct()

```
>>> usa.orderBy('Language').show()
                                    >>> can.orderBy('Language').show()
  Language | IsOfficial |
                                             Language | IsOfficial |
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   Chinese
                                              Chinese
   English|
                                                Dutch|
    French|
                    F \mid
                                              English|
    German
                                     |Eskimo Languages|
   Italian|
                                               French|
  Japanese|
                                               German|
                                              Italian|
    Korean
    Polish
                                              Polish|
                                           Portuguese |
Portuguese|
   Spanish|
                                              Punjabi|
                                              Spanish|
   Tagalog|
|Vietnamese|
                                            Ukrainian|
```

Intersection

- Bag intersection:
 - usa_can.intersectAll(usa_can)
- Set intersection:
 - usa_can.intersect(usa_can)
 - Note it removes duplicates

```
Language | IsOfficial
          Chinesel
                             F
          Chinesel
                             F
            Dutch
          English|
          English|
|Eskimo Languages|
           Frenchl
                             F
           Frenchl
           German
           German
                             F
          Italian
                             F
          Italian|
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Subtract (set semantics)

French F French T T French F F

- uc = usa_can.union(usa_can)
- uc.orderBy('Language').show()

uc.subtract(can).show()

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| Language|IsOfficial|
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| Japanese| F|

| Tagalog| F|

| French| F|

|Vietnamese| F|

| Korean| F|

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```
Language | IsOfficial |
          Chinesel
                              F
             Dutch
                              F \mid
          English|
|Eskimo Languages|
                              F
            French
           German
                              F
          Italian
           Polish
       Portuguese |
          Punjabi|
                              F
          Spanish|
        Ukrainian|
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Accessing Spark from Python

- Interactive shell:
 - bin/pyspark
 - A SparkSession object spark will be automatically created

- bin/pyspark --master local[4]
 - This starts Spark on local host with 4 threads
 - "--master" specifies the location of Spark master node

Accessing Spark from Python

- Standalone program
 - Executed using spark-submit script
 - E.g., bin/spark-submit <your Python Spark script>
- You may find many Python Spark examples under
 - examples/src/main/python

Dataframe to RDD and back

df.rdd.toDF()

• df.rdd.map(lambda r: (r['a'], r['b'], 1)).toDF(['a', 'b', 'c']).show()

+---+---+ | a| b| c| +---+---+ | 1| 1| 1| | 1| 2| 1| | 1| 3| 1| +---+---+

Spark SQL

country.createOrReplaceTempView('country')

spark.sql('select Name from country limit 5').show()

| Name | Here Name | Aruba | Aruba | Afghanistan | Angola | Anguilla | Albania

Resources

- Important classes of Spark SQL and DataFrames
 - https://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/api/python/pyspark.sql.html
- read.csv(...), read.json(...)
 - https://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/api/python/pyspark.sql.html#pyspark.s ql.DataFrameReader