

## MapReduce and PageRank

### Question 1:

Suppose our input data to a map-reduce operation consists of integer values (the keys are not important). The map function takes an integer  $i$  and produces the list of pairs  $(p, i)$  such that  $p$  is a prime divisor of  $i$ . For example,  $\text{map}(12) = [(2,12), (3,12)]$ .

The reduce function is addition. That is,  $\text{reduce}(p, [i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k])$  is  $(p, i_1 + i_2 + \dots + i_k)$ .

Compute the output, if the input is the set of integers 15, 21, 24, 30, 49.

The output of map function is

$\text{map}(15) = [(3, 15), (5, 15)]$

$\text{map}(21) = [(3, 21), (7, 21)]$

$\text{map}(24) = [(2, 24), (3, 24)]$

$\text{map}(30) = [(2, 30), (3, 30), (5, 30)]$

$\text{map}(49) = [(7, 49)]$

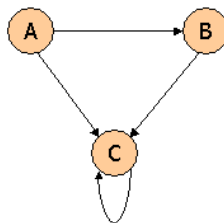
These are the respective prime divisors of inputs

The output of reduce function is

$\text{reduce}(2, 54), \text{reduce}(3, 90), \text{reduce}(5, 45), \text{reduce}(7, 70)$

### Question 2:

Consider three Web pages with the following links:



Suppose we compute PageRank with a  $\beta$  of 0.7, and we introduce the additional constraint that the sum of the Page Ranks of the three pages must be 3, to handle the problem that otherwise any multiple of a solution will also be a solution. Compute the page Ranks  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  of the three pages A, B, and C, respectively.

Value of a, b, or c as we iterate are: a

All PageRank is multiplied by .7 before distribution, and .3 is then added to each new PageRank.

$$a = \beta(0) + (1 - \beta) \rightarrow .3$$

$$b = \beta \left(\frac{a}{2}\right) + (1 - \beta) \rightarrow .7\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) + .3$$

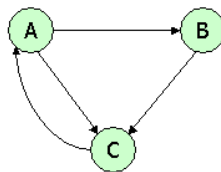
$$c = \beta \left(\frac{a}{2} + b + c\right) + (1 - \beta) \rightarrow .7\left(\frac{a}{2} + b + c\right) + .3$$

That immediately tells us  $a = .3$ . We can then use the second equation to discover  $b = .7\left(\frac{.3}{2}\right) + .3 = .405$ . Finally, the third equation simplifies to  $c = .7(.555 + c) + .3$ , or  $.3c = .6885$ . From this equation we get  $c = 2.295$

To compute the subs of each two of the variables:

$$a + b = .705, a + c = 2.595, \text{ and } b + c = 2.7$$

**Question 3:**



**Suppose we compute PageRank with  $\beta=0.85$ . Write the equations for the PageRanks  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  of the three pages A, B, and C, respectively.**

Formula:

$$a = \beta * c + (1 - \beta) \frac{1}{3}$$

$$b = \beta * \frac{a}{2} + (1 - \beta) \frac{1}{3}$$

$$c = \beta * \left(\frac{a}{2} + b\right) + (1 - \beta) \frac{1}{3}$$

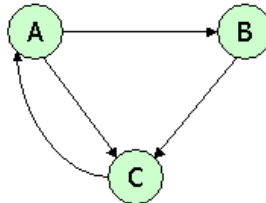
Here  $\beta = 0.85$

$$a = 0.85 * c + (1 - 0.85) \frac{1}{3}, a = 0.85c + 0.05$$

$$b = 0.85 \cdot 0.5 \cdot a + 0.05, b = 0.425a + 0.05$$

$$c = 0.85 \cdot [0.5 \cdot a + b] + 0.05, c = 0.425a + 0.85b + 0.05$$

**Question 4:**



Assuming no "taxation," compute the page Ranks  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  of the three pages A, B, and C, using iteration, starting with the "0th" iteration where all three pages have rank  $a = b = c = 1$ . Compute as far as the 5th iteration, and also determine what the page Ranks are in the limit.

$$a = c$$

$$b = \frac{a}{2}$$

$$c = \frac{a}{2} + b$$

$$\text{At } 0^{\text{th}} \text{ iteration: } a = 1; b = 1; c = 1$$

$$\text{At } 1^{\text{st}} \text{ iteration: } a = c = 1; b = \frac{1}{2}; c = \frac{1}{2} + 1 = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{At } 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ iteration: } a = c = \frac{3}{2}; b = \frac{a}{2} = \frac{1}{2}; c = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{At } 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ iteration: } a = c = 1; b = \frac{a}{2} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{2} = \frac{3}{4}; c = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{At } 4^{\text{th}} \text{ iteration: } a = c = \frac{5}{4}; b = \frac{a}{2} = \frac{1}{2}; c = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{At } 5^{\text{th}} \text{ iteration: } a = \frac{5}{4}; b = \frac{5}{8}; c = \frac{9}{8}$$