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# **HDFS**

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# Introduction to Big Data - Hadoop

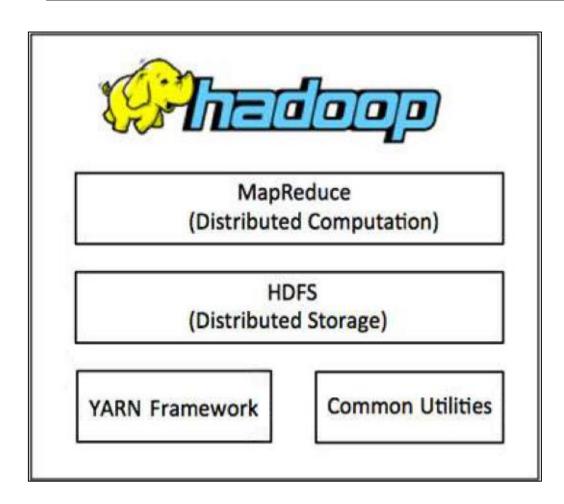
### What is Big Data?

- ✓ Big Data is a collection of large datasets that cannot be processed using traditional computing techniques.
- ✓ Big data involves the data produced by different devices and applications. The data in it will be of three types.
  - Structured data: Relational data.
  - Semi Structured data: XML data.
  - Unstructured data: Word, PDF, Text, Media Logs.

### What is Hadoop?

✓ Hadoop is an Apache open source framework written in java that allows distributed processing of large datasets across clusters of computers using simple programming models.

# Introduction to Big Data - Hadoop



**Hadoop Architecture** 

#### **Hadoop MapReduce:**

- This is YARN-based system for parallel processing of large data sets.

#### **HDFS**:

- A distributed file system that provides high throughput access to application data.

#### **Hadoop YARN:**

- This is a framework for job scheduling and cluster resource management.

#### **Hadoop Common:**

- These are Java libraries and utilities required by other Hadoop modules.

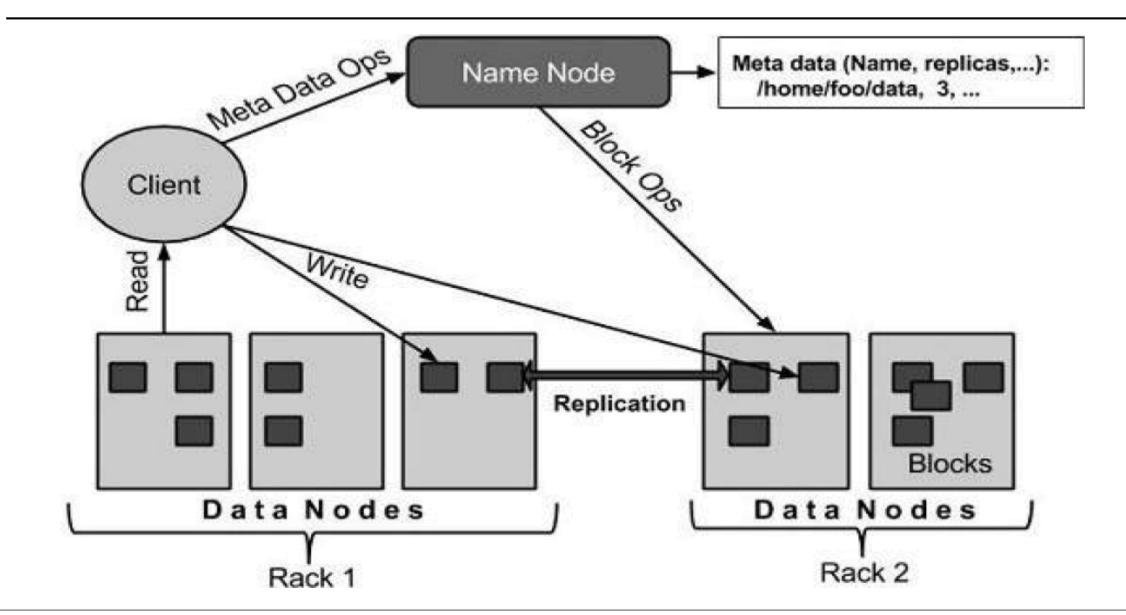
## What is **HDFS**?

- HDFS stands for Hadoop Distributed File System.
- Hadoop File system was developed using distributed file system design.
- It is run on commodity hardware. HDFS is highly fault-tolerant and designed using low-cost hardware.
- HDFS holds very large amount of data and provides easier access.
- To store such huge data, the files are stored across multiple machines.
- These files are stored in redundant fashion to rescue the system from possible data losses in case of failure.
- HDFS also makes applications available to parallel processing.

## **Features** of HDFS

- It is suitable for the distributed storage and processing.
- Hadoop provides a command interface to interact with HDFS.
- The built-in servers of namenode and datanode help users to easily check the status of cluster.
- Streaming access to file system data.
- HDFS provides file permissions and authentication.
- Hadoop HDFS is Master-Slave architecture, so the processing speed is very high & system failure rate is very low.

# HDFS Architecture (master-slave architecture)



# **Elements** of HDFS

#### 1) Namenode:

- The namenode is the commodity hardware that contains the GNU/Linux operating system and the namenode software.
- It is a software that can be run on commodity hardware.
- The system having the namenode acts as the master server and it does the following tasks:
  - ✓ Manages the file system namespace.
  - ✓ Regulates client's access to files.
  - ✓ It also executes file system operations such as renaming, closing, and opening files and directories.

# **Elements** of HDFS

#### 2) Datanode:

- The datanode is a commodity hardware having the GNU/Linux operating system and datanode software.
- For every node Commodity hardware/System in a cluster, there will be a datanode. These nodes manage the data storage of their system.
  - ✓ Datanodes perform read-write operations on the file systems, as per client request.
  - ✓ They also perform operations such as block creation, deletion , and replication according to the instructions of the namenode.

# **Elements** of HDFS

#### 3) Block:

- Generally the user data is stored in the files of HDFS.
- The file in a file system will be divided into one or more segments and/or stored in individual data nodes. These file segments are called as blocks.
- In other words, the minimum amount of data that HDFS can read or write is called a Block.
- The default block size is 64MB, but it can be increased as per the need to change in HDFS configuration.

# Goals of HDFS

- <u>Fault detection and recovery</u>: Since HDFS includes a large number of commodity hardware, failure of components is frequent. Therefore HDFS should have mechanism for quick and automatic fault detection and recovery.
- **Huge datasets:** HDFS should have hundreds of nodes per cluster to manage the applications having huge datasets.
- <u>Hardware at data</u>: A requested task can be done efficiently, when the computation takes place near the data. Especially where huge datasets are involved, it reduces the network traffic and increases the throughput.

# **HDFS Operations**

### Starting HDFS

### Listing files in HDFS

```
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -ls <args>
```

### Inserting Data into HDFS

```
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -mkdir /user/dir_name
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -put /home/file.txt /user/dir_name
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -ls /user/dir_name
```

# HDFS Operations (Commands)

### Retrieving Data from HDFS

```
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -cat /user/dir_name/file
$ $ HADOOP_HOME/bin/hadoop fs -get /user/output/ /home/hadoop_tp/
```

### Shutting Down the HDFS

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