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This extends [Convert XML file To Sequence File – writing & reading – Local File System](#).

Step 1: Upload “report.xml” onto HDFS. E.g using the Cloudera HUE on to path “/user/cloudera/report-data”. You need to create the “report-data” folder.

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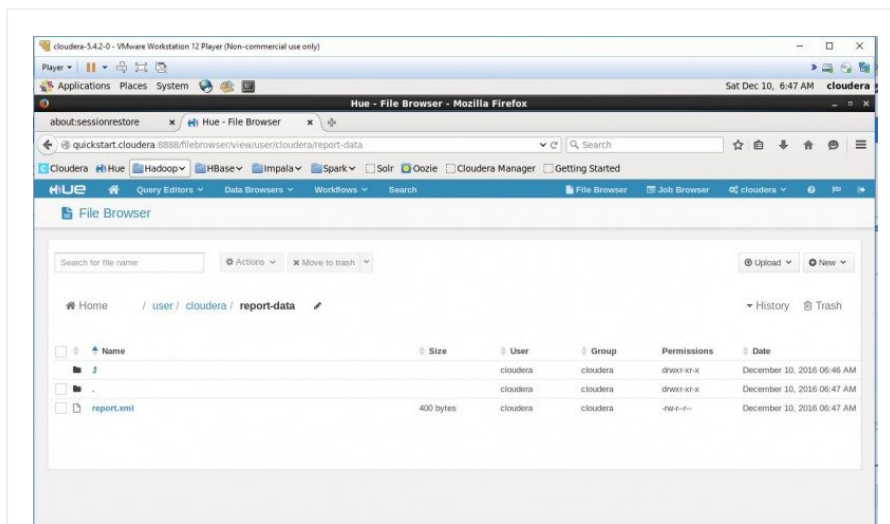
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```

1
2 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
3 <transactionReports xmlns="http://mytutorial.com/1"
4   <transactionReport>
5     <report>
6       <reportNumber>9999</reportNumber>
7       <createdDatetime>2015-06-15T11:29:52+1
8       <processedDatetime>2015-06-15T11:29:52
9       <reportStatusCode>Active</reportStatus
10    </report>
11  </transactionReport>
12 </transactionReports>
13

```

The uploaded file on Hue:



XML file uploaded to HDFS via HUE.

Step 2: Change the code to read from HDFS and write to HDFS. The following code

- 1) Opens an XML file on HDFS using the HDFS File System
- 2) Reads the contents into a StringBuilder.
- 3) Writes as a sequence file to the HDFS using the "SequenceFile.Writer". The "key" being "1" and the value being the "XML" file contents.

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```
1
2 package com.mytutorial;
3
4 import java.io.BufferedReader;
5 import java.io.IOException;
6 import java.io.InputStreamReader;
7
8 import org.apache.hadoop.conf.Configuration;
9 import org.apache.hadoop.fs.FileSystem;
10 import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
11 import org.apache.hadoop.io.BytesWritable;
12 import org.apache.hadoop.io.IOUtils;
13 import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
14 import org.apache.hadoop.io.SequenceFile;
15 import org.apache.hadoop.util.ReflectionUtils;
16
17 public class ConvertXmlToSequence {
18
19     private static final String hdfsUrl = "hdfs://";
20
21     private static final String FILE_IN = "report.xml";
22     private static final String FILE_OUT = "report.txt";
23
24     public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
25         Configuration conf = new Configuration();
26
27         Path inputFile = new Path(hdfsUrl + "/" + FILE_IN);
28         Path outputFile = new Path(hdfsUrl + "/" + FILE_OUT);
29
30         write(conf, inputFile, outputFile); // write xml to seq file
31         read(conf, outputFile); // read seq file
32     }
33
34     /**
35      * Write a text file to sequence file
36      *
37      * @param conf
38      * @param inputFile
39      * @param outputFile
40      */
41     public static void write(Configuration conf,
42                             BufferedReader reader = null,
43                             SequenceFile.Writer writer = null;
44
45     try {
46         writer = SequenceFile.createWriter(conf,
47                                             FileSystem.get(inputFile.getFileSystem(conf)),
48                                             SequenceFile.CompressionType.NONE,
49                                             SequenceFile.Writer.keyClass(IntWritable.class),
50                                             SequenceFile.Writer.valueClass(BytesWritable.class));
51
52         IntWritable key = new IntWritable(1);
53
54         FileSystem fs = FileSystem.get(inputFile.getFileSystem(conf));
55     }
```

```

56         reader = new BufferedReader(new Input
57
58         reader = new BufferedReader(new Input
59             fs.open(inputFile)));
60
61         String line;
62         line = reader.readLine();
63         StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder
64         while (line != null) {
65             sb.append(line);
66             line = reader.readLine();
67         }
68
69         BytesWritable value = new BytesWrital
70         writer.append(key, value);
71         writer.close();
72     } catch (IOException e) {
73         System.out.println("Cannot read sequ
74     }
75
76     finally {
77         IOUtils.closeStream(reader);
78         IOUtils.closeStream(writer);
79     }
80 }
81
82 /**
83  * Read a sequence file
84  *
85  * @param conf
86  * @param sequenceFileToRead
87  */
88 public static void read(Configuration conf, I
89     SequenceFile.Reader reader = null;
90     try {
91         reader = new SequenceFile.Reader(con
92             SequenceFile.Reader.file(seq
93         IntWritable keyRead = (IntWritable) I
94             reader.getKeyClass(), conf);
95         BytesWritable valueRead = (BytesWrit
96             .newInstance(reader.getValue
97
98         while (reader.next(keyRead, valueRea
99             System.out.println("key : " + key
100                 + new String(valueRead.ge
101             valueRead = (BytesWritable) Refl
102                 reader.getValueClass(),
103         }
104     } catch (IOException e) {
105         System.out.println("Cannot read sequ
106             + sequenceFileToRead + e);
107     }
108
109     IOUtils.closeStream(reader);
110 }

```

```
111 |  
112 | }  
113 |  
114 |
```

Output:

```
1 |  
2 | key : 1 - value : <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="no"?>  
3 |
```

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