Deploying Term Frequency Application in Kubernetes

Team Members:

I. Project Proposal:

The intent of the project is to port the PySpark application for finding Term Frequency (TF) to Kubernetes through the concept of containerization using Docker. In the previous project proposal submission, we have also included that we would deploy the Inverse Document Frequency (IDF) in the Kubernetes but we had constrained it only to Term Frequency (TF) Deployment.

In order to develop this application, we have constructed a docker file that builds a container which consists of all the required dependencies of the application that is to be deployed and a "YAML" file which is used to deploy the created container to Kubernetes.

II. <u>Dataset Description:</u>

The dataset that we have used is "SimpleWikiData" which consists of the Wikipedia articles and has been extracted from the Wikimedia website. The "XML" files obtained are preprocessed into text files. The final data set consists of 30 text files generated which comprises a total memory of 700MB. But as the project only requires the data set range between 50MB to 100 MB, we have chosen the first 3 text files for our project and constructed the term frequency index and performed query processing on the created term frequency index.

The input text files consist of two user defined tag elements called as the "Title" and its associated "Text" tag. Each "Title" tag is unique representing a Wikipedia article and its page content is stored in a "Text" tag.

Dataset Source:

https://dumps.wikimedia.org/simplewiki/20200301/simplewiki-20200301-pages-articles.xml.bz2

III. Project Description:

a. Term Frequency (TF): The number of times a term occurs in a document.

TF = (Number of time the word occurs in the document) / (Total number of words in document)

Log-Weighted TF = 1 + log 10 (TF)

- **b.** <u>Docker:</u> It is a platform as a service product that uses OS level virtualization to deliver software packages called containers. The containers are isolated from one another and have their own bundle of libraries, software and configuration files which can communicate with each other through well-defined channels.
- **c.** <u>Dockerfile:</u> It is a text document that contains all the commands a user could call the command line to assemble an image.
- **d.** <u>Container:</u> It is a standard unit of software that packages up code and its all dependencies so the application runs quickly from one computing environment to another.
- **e.** <u>Kubernetes:</u> It is an open-source container orchestration system for automating application deployment, scaling, and management.
- **f.** <u>YAML (Yet Another Markup Language):</u> It is a human-readable data serialization standard that can be used in conjunction with all programming languages and is often used to write configuration files. Kubernetes resources, such as pods, services, and deployments are created by using the YAML files.

IV. Results:

Our Project folder consists of the following files. All files must be in the same level as that of docker file

- 1. <u>Dockerfile</u>: Standard convention to name the file is Dockerfile. The docker file here pulls Ubuntu images from docker hub and sets up the environment by installing necessary software such as python, java and spark into it. It also downloads the wikipedia article files required for our data creation. Move the required execution files into the environment. Project is kick started with the CMD command which invokes the run.sh shell script which inturn invokes all other files to be executed.
- **2.** <u>run.sh:</u> Shell script file which contains basic python commands to run the python script as well as linux commands to create folders and move files into it.
- **3.** <u>Parse_wikipedia_data.py:</u> Python script required to parse the downloaded wikipedia articles to text files
- **4. TF1.py:** Python spark program written to preprocess the text files and creates a log-weighted term frequency index for the terms in the document.
- **5.** <u>TF1_query.py:</u> Python spark program written to query the documents on the index created to retrieve relevant files matching the query.
- **6.** Sample.txt: Contains the user inputs to be queried on the created index

A. Steps to Build a Container:

(i) **Docker Build:** Build the docker file to create a image using the docker build command

Command: docker build . -t image name

```
$ docker build . -t test-pyspark
Sending build context to Docker daemon 16.38kB
Step 1/29 : FROM ubuntu
 ---> 4e5021d210f6
Step 2/29 : MAINTAINER Raj
 ---> Using cache
---> f82a9641c937
Step 3/29 : RUN apt-get update
 ---> Using cache
 --> c4425b8ce820
Step 4/29 : RUN apt-get install -y default-jdk default-jre
 ---> Using cache
 ---> 0e4f6c754556
Step 5/29 : RUN apt-get install -y python3-pip python3-dev 🛭 && cd /usr/local/bin 🐍 ln -s /usr/bin/python3 python 🐍 pip3 install --upgrade pip
 ---> Using cache
 ---> 2f03cf3c1267
Step 6/29 : RUN apt-get -y install vim
 ---> Using cache
 ---> 172f8f725aaf
Step 7/29 : RUN apt-get install -y wget dos2unix
  --> Using cache
--> f2c72aa6030f
```

(ii) <u>Docker Images</u>: View the created image using docker images command in the terminal

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGW64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker images
REPOSITORY
                                            IMAGE ID
                        TAG
                                                                 CREATED
                                                                                      SIZE
test-pyspark
                        latest
                                             29daa79d83e3
                                                                 5 days ago
                                                                                      1.88GB
                                             29daa79d83e3
nvelusw/tfindex-query
                        1.0.0
                                                                 5 days ago
                                                                                      1.88GB
                                            4e5021d210f6
ubuntu
                        latest
                                                                 4 weeks ago
                                                                                      64.2MB
```

(iii) <u>Docker Run:</u> Use docker run command to create the container with the built docker image."-itd" option in docker run is used to create an interactive shell for the created container.

Command: docker run -itd --name container_name image_name

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGW64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker run -itd --name test-pyspark-container1 test-pyspark
65e69384d779704090c1164f595e02524d6416c2ced2aa36529c961db9bf95e1
```

(iv) <u>Docker ps:</u> Used docker ps command to view active container. Running the command with -a option list all the containers in the docker

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGM64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker ps
CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS PORTS NAMES
65e6938840779 test-pyspark "/bin/sh -c /code/ru..." 4 minutes ago Up 4 minutes

nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGM64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS PORTS NAMES
65e69384d779 test-pyspark "/bin/sh -c /code/ru..." 6 minutes ago Up 6 minutes

test-pyspark-container1
```

(v) <u>Docker exec:</u> Docker exec command is used for logging into the interactive shell created for the container. Exit command is used to exit from it.

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGW64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project

$ docker exec -it test-pyspark-container1 sh

# ls

'TFQID - 1' TFQuery.out bin datacopy.out home media opt project_TFIndex run spark-3.0.0-preview2-bin-hadoop2.7.tgz tmp

'TFQID - 2' TFindex.out boot dev lib mnt parsedata.out projectdata sbin srv usr

'TFQID - 3' app_data code etc lib64 nohup.out proc root spark sys var

# exit
```

(vi) Docker rm: Docker rm command to remove the container created. Run with -f option to forcefully remove the running container and -v to remove the anonymous volume created by the container.

Command: docker rm -f -v container name

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGW64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker rm -f -v test-pyspark-container1
test-pyspark-container1
```

(vii) Docker rmi: Docker rmi command is used to remove the image created.Run with -f option to forcefully remove an image.

Command: docker rmi -image name

```
nandh@LAPTOP-00N7TG82 MINGW64 ~/OneDrive/Desktop/CloudComputing/Project
$ docker rmi ubuntu
Untagged: ubuntu:latest
Untagged: ubuntu@sha256:bec5a2727be7fff3d308193cfde3491f8fba1a2ba392b7546b43a051853a341d
```

B. Steps to Deploy a Container to kubernetes (K8S):

(i) <u>YAML File:</u> Contains information about the image to be pulled for deployment, and deployment identifier, no of replicas (i.e) the replication factor and container information such as container name, size etc. Below is the screenshot of the YAML file used for deployment

```
feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest % cat test_Pyspark_deployment.yaml
apiVersion: apps/v1
kind: Deployment
metadata:
 name: pyspark-deployment-new-v2
spec:
 selector:
   matchLabels:
      app: test-pyspark-new-v2
 replicas: 1
 template:
   metadata:
        app: test-pyspark-new-v2
    spec:
     containers:
      name: test-pyspark-dep-new-v2
       image: test-pyspark-new-v2
        imagePullPolicy: Never
        ports:
        - containerPort: 80
```

(ii) <u>Creating a Kubernetes (K8S) Deployment:</u> The below command is used to create a deployment for the associated YAML file.

```
feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest % ls
Project test_Pyspark_deployment.yaml
feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest % kubectl create -f test_Pyspark_deployment.yaml
deployment.apps/pyspark-deployment-new-v2 created
```

(iii) View the available deployments:

```
[feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest % kubectl get deployment
NAME
                             READY
                                     UP-TO-DATE
                                                  AVAILABLE
                                                               AGE
pyspark-deployment-new
                             1/1
                                     1
                                                  1
                                                               15h
pyspark-deployment-new-v2
                             1/1
                                     1
                                                  1
                                                               15m
[feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest %
feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest %
```

(iv) View the created pods:

(v) <u>Executing the Kubernetes Deployment File:</u> The below command is used to execute the kubernetes deployment interactively.

```
feifei@feifeideMacBook-Air DockerTest % kubectl exec -ti pyspark-deployment-new-64969df59c-g9vg5 -- /bin/sh
# 1s
              TFindex.out
                           code
                                               mnt
                                                               project_TFIndex sbin
                                         home
'TFQID - 2'
'TFQID - 3'
              app_data
                           datacopy.out lib
                                                               projectdata
                                                                                spark
                                         lib64 parsedata.out root
                                                                                spark-3.0.0-preview2-bin-hadoop2.7.tgz
              bin
                           dev
 TFQuery.out
             boot
                                         media
```

(vi) Output of the Log Weighted Term Frequency Index: The below command displays the result of log weighted term frequency which is of the format,

Format:

"title1@word1#weight_termfreq1+word2#weight_termfreq2+......wordn#weight_termfreqntitlen@word1#weight_termfreq1+......wordn#weight_termfreqn"

(vii) Content of the query file: The below image shows the list of queries in "Sample.txt" that are given as input for query processing.

```
# cd code
# ls
Sample.txt TF1.py TF1_query.py parse_wikipedia_data.py run.sh
#
# cat Sample.txt
book major irish $@%^@^$@% HGSDFHKJAKL
book major influenced #$!#%!#
tolkien dunsany
```

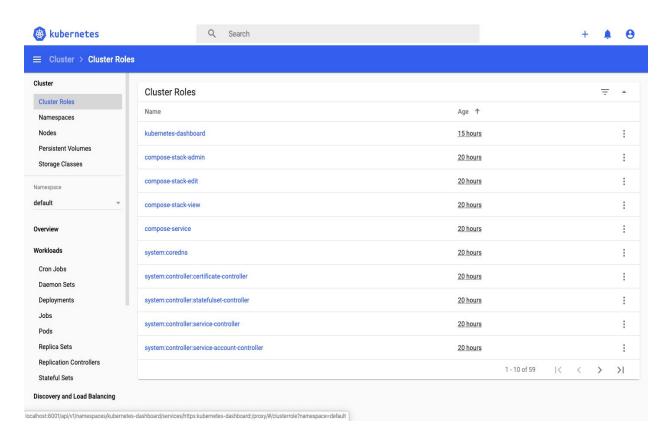
(viii) <u>Output of the Term Frequency Querying:</u> The below image displays the top 10 titles for the given query file i.e., for the query-1 in the "Sample.txt" file

```
# cd 'TFQID - 1'
# 1s
_SUCCESS part-00000
# cat part-00000
Jackie Robinson
List of characters in the Camp Half-Blood series
The Titan's Curse
Kamakura shogunate
Olympic Games
Cairo International Book Fair
Geophysics
Club de Gimnasia y Esgrima La Plata
History of the world
Ramayana
```

C. Kubernetes Dashboard:

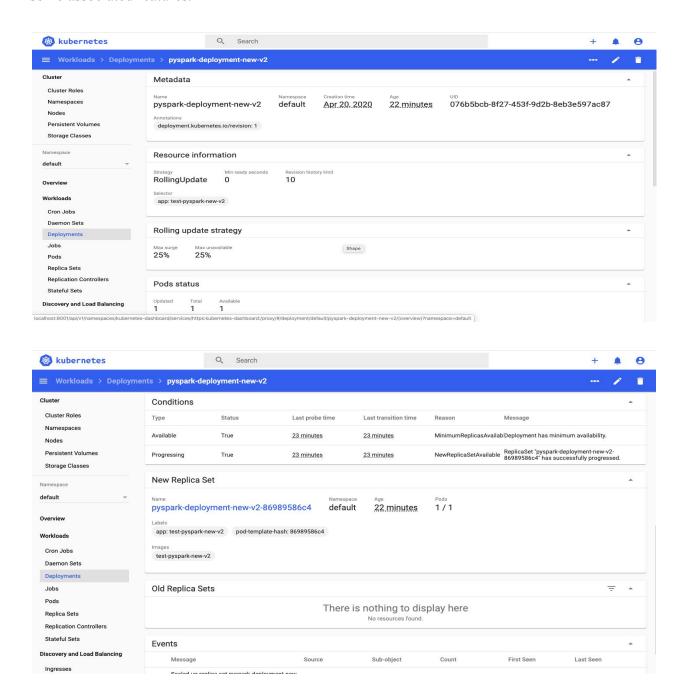
(i) Cluster Roles in Kubernetes:

The below image is a kubernetes dashboard which displays the different cluster roles which allows superuser operations in all the cluster resources. Enables the user to have different permissions according to roles.



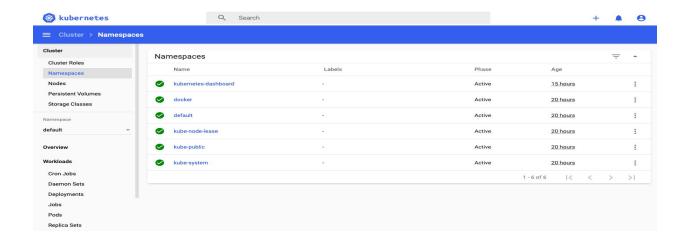
(ii) **Dashboard Contents:**

The below image explains about the contents of the newly created deployment named "pyspark-deployment-new-v2". It explains various sections such as resource information, rolling update strategy, pods status, the status/condition of the created deployment, replica sets and some associated features.



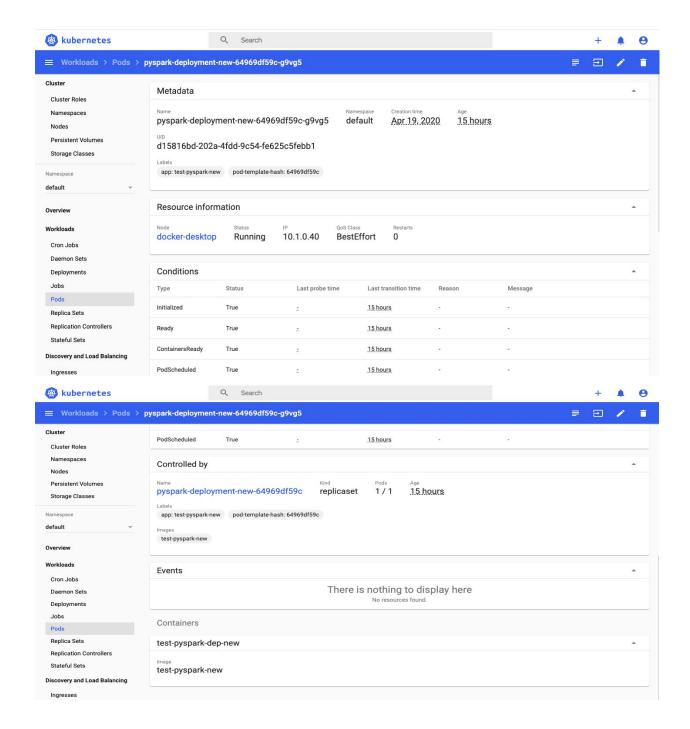
(iii) Namespaces:

The below image describes the available namespaces (virtual clusters) which are a way to divide cluster resources between multiple users. The namespace that we have used for the project is "default".



(iv) Pod Information:

The below image explains about the available data pods within the Kubernetes Dashboard. The Kubernetes Pod is a group of containers that are deployed together on the same host. A pod always runs on a node and a node can have multiple pods, and the Kubernetes master automatically handles scheduling the pods across the nodes in the cluster.



V. <u>Conclusion and Future Scope:</u>

Containerization of the application simplifies the project deployment and migration of the process. It eventually scales up the execution time for the process, it can control & automate all necessary deployments and updates, orchestrate containers on multiple hosts. Kubernetes simplifies the creation and management of services and machines within the cluster, thereby maximising the containerization effect. Deploying an application to kubernetes has the

advantages of efficient load balancing, scale up or down easily when required, and auto redeployment on failure. The execution time was quite efficient when compared to execution in a local machine.

The future work for this project would be to create a container to actively process query inputs through an User Interface, send the query to existing containers to retrieve the query results and these results obtained are sent back to the user. By this we could achieve communication between containers. We could also migrate this application to multiple cloud environments such as AWS (or) Azure for evaluating the performances.