Lab: Linux and HDFS Operations

1 Introduction

In this lab, you will perform various operations involving Linux and Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS).

2 Instructions

2.1 Create a local file and folder

- 1. Open a terminal on your local Linux machine.
- 2. Create a folder and any file of your choice in the local Linux directory. You can use any text editor you prefer (e.g., touch or vim).
- 3. Put some data into the file.

2.2 Create an HDFS folder

- 1. Open a terminal on your local Linux machine.
- 2. Use the Hadoop command to create a folder in HDFS with the name BigData_yourname. Replace yourname with your actual name.

2.3 Upload file to HDFS

1. Use the hadoop fs -copyFromLocal command to upload the file created in Step 1 to the HDFS folder you created in Step 2 (BigData_yourname). Make sure to specify the correct paths.

2.4 Download and rename file

- 1. Use the hadoop fs -copyToLocal command to download the file from HDFS to your local Linux machine.
- 2. After downloading, change the name of the file to your_name.txt, where your_name is your actual name.

3 Submission

• Create screenshot(s) of the above commands and submit to the assignment folder. You can create one or more screenshots, as long as the commands are clearly shown.