ASSIGNMENT NO: 9

AIM: Study of Hadoop and HBase installation on single node.

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THEORY

HBase is a data model that is similar to Google's big table designed to provide quick random access to huge amounts of structured data. This tutorial provides an introduction to HBase, the procedures to set up HBase on Hadoop File Systems, and ways to interact with HBase shell. It also describes how to connect to HBase using java, and how to perform basic operations on HBase using java.

Installation

Before installing Hadoop into Linux environment, we need to set up Linux using **ssh** (Secure Shell). Follow the steps given below for setting up the Linux environment. Creating a User First of all, it is recommended to create a separate user for Hadoop to isolate the Hadoop file system from the Unix file system.

Follow the steps given below to create a user.

- Open the root using the command "su".
- Create a user from the root account using the command "useradd username".
- Now you can open an existing user account using the command "su username".

Open the Linux terminal and type the following commands to create a user.

\$ su
password:
useradd hadoop
passwd hadoop
New passwd:
Retype new passwd

SSH Setup and Key Generation

SSH setup is required to perform different operations on the cluster such as start, stop, and distributed daemon shell operations. To authenticate different users of Hadoop, it is required to provide public/private key pair for a Hadoop user and share it with different users.

The following commands are used to generate a key value pair using SSH. Copy the public keys form id_rsa.pub to authorized_keys, and provide owner, read and write permissions to authorized keys file respectively.

```
$ ssh-keygen -t rsa
$ cat ~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub >> ~/.ssh/authorized_keys
$ chmod 0600 ~/.ssh/authorized_keys
```

Installing Java

Java is the main prerequisite for Hadoop and HBase. First of all, you should verify the existence of java in your system using "java -version". We need to make sure installation of java for hadoop and hbase. The syntax of java version command is given below.

\$ java -version

Downloading Hadoop

After installing java, you have to install Hadoop. To, download Hadoop in your system. Follow the commands given below to do so. Download and extract hadoop-2.6.0 from Apache Software Foundation using the following commands.

```
$ su
password:
# cd /usr/local
# wget http://mirrors.advancedhosters.com/apache/hadoop/common/hadoop-
2.6.0/hadoop-2.6.0-src.tar.gz
# tar xzf hadoop-2.6.0-src.tar.gz
# mv hadoop-2.6.0/* hadoop/
# exit
```

Installing Hadoop

Install Hadoop in any of the required mode. Here, we are demonstrating HBase functionalities in pseudo distributed mode, therefore install Hadoop in pseudo distributed mode.

The following steps are used for installing **Hadoop 2.4.1**.

Step 1 - Setting up Hadoop

You can set Hadoop environment variables by appending the following commands

to ~/.bashrc file.

```
export HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop
export HADOOP_MAPRED_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME
export HADOOP_COMMON_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME
export HADOOP_HDFS_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME
export YARN_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME
export HADOOP_COMMON_LIB_NATIVE_DIR=$HADOOP_HOME/lib/native
export PATH=$PATH:$HADOOP_HOME/sbin:$HADOOP_HOME/bin
export HADOOP_INSTALL=$HADOOP_HOME
```

Now apply all the changes into the current running system.

\$ source ~/.bashrc

Step 2 - Hadoop Configuration

You can find all the Hadoop configuration files in the location

"\$HADOOP_HOME/etc/hadoop". You need to make changes in those configuration files according to your Hadoop infrastructure.

```
$ cd $HADOOP HOME/etc/hadoop
```

In order to develop Hadoop programs in java, you have to reset the java environment variable in **hadoop-env.sh** file by replacing **JAVA_HOME** value with the location of java in your system.

```
export JAVA HOME=/usr/local/jdk1.7.0 71
```

You will have to edit the following files to configure Hadoop.

core-site.xml

The **core-site.xml** file contains information such as the port number used for Hadoop instance, memory allocated for file system, memory limit for storing data, and the size of Read/Write buffers.

Open core-site.xml and add the following properties in between the <configuration> and

hdfs-site.xml

The **hdfs-site.xml** file contains information such as the value of replication data, namenode path, and datanode path of your local file systems, where you want to store the Hadoop infrastructure. Let us assume the following data.

```
dfs.replication (data replication value) = 1
(In the below given path /hadoop/ is the user name.
hadoopinfra/hdfs/namenode is the directory created by hdfs file system.)

namenode path = //home/hadoop/hadoopinfra/hdfs/namenode
(hadoopinfra/hdfs/datanode is the directory created by hdfs file system.)

datanode path = //home/hadoop/hadoopinfra/hdfs/datanode
```

Open this file and add the following properties in between the <configuration>,

Note: In the above file, all the property values are user-defined and you can make changes according to your Hadoop infrastructure.

yarn-site.xml

This file is used to configure yarn into Hadoop. Open the yarn-site.xml file and add the following property in between the <configuration\$gt;, </configuration\$gt; tags in this file.

mapred-site.xml

This file is used to specify which MapReduce framework we are using. By default, Hadoop contains a template of yarn-site.xml. First of all, it is required to copy the file from **mapred-site.xml.template** to **mapred-site.xml** file using the following command.

\$ cp mapred-site.xml.template mapred-site.xml

```
Open mapred-site.xml file and add the following properties in between the <configuration> and <configuration>
```

Verifying Hadoop Installation

The following steps are used to verify the Hadoop installation.

Step 1 - Name Node Setup

Set up the namenode using the command "hdfs namenode -format" as follows.

\$ cd ~

\$ hdfs namenode -format

The expected result is as host and ip address of name node.

Step 2 - Verifying Hadoop dfs

The following command is used to start dfs. Executing this command will start your Hadoop file system.

\$ start-dfs.sh

The expected output is as starting name node and its details.

Step 3 - Verifying Yarn Script

The following command is used to start the yarn script. Executing this command will start your yarn daemons.

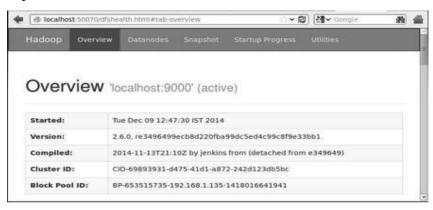
\$ start-yarn.sh

The expected output is as starting yarn daemons

Step 4 - Accessing Hadoop on Browser

The default port number to access Hadoop is 50070. Use the following url to get Hadoop services on your browser.

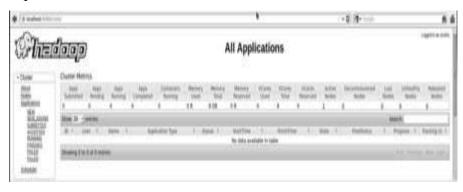
http://localhost:50070



Step 5 - Verify all Applications of Cluster

The default port number to access all the applications of cluster is 8088. Use the following url to visit this service.

http://localhost:8088/



Installing HBase

We can install HBase in any of the three modes: Standalone mode, Pseudo Distributed mode, and Fully Distributed mode.

Installing HBase in Standalone Mode

Download the latest stable version of HBase form http://www.interior-dsgn.com/apache/hbase/stable/ using "wget" command, and extract it using the tar "zxvf" command. See the following command.

```
$cd usr/local/
$wget http://www.interior-dsgn.com/apache/hbase/stable/hbase-0.98.8-
hadoop2-bin.tar.gz
$tar -zxvf hbase-0.98.8-hadoop2-bin.tar.gz
```

Configuring HBase in Standalone Mode

Before proceeding with HBase, you have to edit the following files and configure HBase.

hbase-env.sh

Set the java Home for HBase and open **hbase-env.sh** file from the conf folder. Edit JAVA_HOME environment variable and change the existing path to your current JAVA_HOME variable as shown below.

cd /usr/local/Hbase/conf

gedit hbase-env.sh

This will open the env.sh file of HBase. Now replace the existing **JAVA_HOME**value with your current value as shown below.

export JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/java-1.7.0

hbase-site.xml

This is the main configuration file of HBase. Set the data directory to an appropriate location by opening the HBase home folder in /usr/local/HBase. Inside the conf folder, you will find several files, open the **hbase-site.xml** file as shown below.

```
#cd /usr/local/HBase/
#cd conf
# gedit hbase-site.xml
```

Inside the **hbase-site.xml** file, you will find the <configuration> and </configuration> tags. Within them, set the HBase directory under the property key with the name "hbase.rootdir" as shown below.

With this, the HBase installation and configuration part is successfully complete. We can start HBase by using **start-hbase.sh** script provided in the bin folder of HBase. For that, open HBase Home Folder and run HBase start script as shown below.

\$cd /usr/local/HBase/bin

\$./start-hbase.sh

If everything goes well, when you try to run HBase start script, it will prompt you a message saying that HBase has started.

starting master, logging to /usr/local/HBase/bin/../logs/hbase-tpmaster-localhost.localdomain.out

Starting HBase

After configuration is over, browse to HBase home folder and start HBase using the following command.

\$cd /usr/local/HBase

\$bin/start-hbase.sh

Note: Before starting HBase, make sure Hadoop is running.

Checking the HBase Directory in HDFS

HBase creates its directory in HDFS. To see the created directory, browse to Hadoop bin and type the following command.

\$./bin/hadoop fs -ls /hbase

If everything goes well, it will give you the Found 7 items output.

Starting and Stopping a Master

Using the "local-master-backup.sh" you can start up to 10 servers. Open the home folder of HBase, master and execute the following command to start it.

\$./bin/local-master-backup.sh 2 4

To kill a backup master, you need its process id, which will be stored in a file named "/tmp/hbase-USER-X-master.pid." you can kill the backup master using the following command.

\$ cat /tmp/hbase-user-1-master.pid |xargs kill -9

Starting and Stopping RegionServers

You can run multiple region servers from a single system using the following command.

\$.bin/local-regionservers.sh start 2 3

To stop a region server, use the following command.

\$.bin/local-regionservers.sh stop 3

Starting HBaseShell

After Installing HBase successfully, you can start HBase Shell. Below given are the sequence of steps that are to be followed to start the HBase shell. Open the terminal, and login as super user.

Start Hadoop File System

Browse through Hadoop home sbin folder and start Hadoop file system as shown below.

\$cd \$HADOOP HOME/sbin

\$start-all.sh

Start HBase

Browse through the HBase root directory bin folder and start HBase.

\$cd /usr/local/HBase

\$./bin/start-hbase.sh

Start HBase Master Server

This will be the same directory. Start it as shown below.

\$./bin/local-master-backup.sh start 2 (number signifies specific server.)

Start Region

Start the region server as shown below.

\$./bin/./local-regionservers.sh start 3

Start HBase Shell

You can start HBase shell using the following command.

\$cd bin

\$./hbase shell

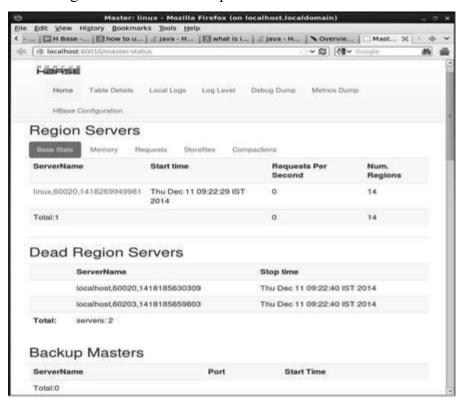
HBase Web Interface

To access the web interface of HBase, type the following url in the browser.

http://localhost:60010

This interface lists your currently running Region servers, backup masters and HBase tables.

HBase Region servers and Backup Masters



HBase Tables



FAQS:

- Q1.What is Hadoop?
- Q2. What is HBase?

Conclusion:

Outcome of the experiment is students are able to Study Hadoop and Hbase Installation.