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## Laboratory Manual-09

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## Fundamentals of Big Data Lab

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## Big Data processing systems

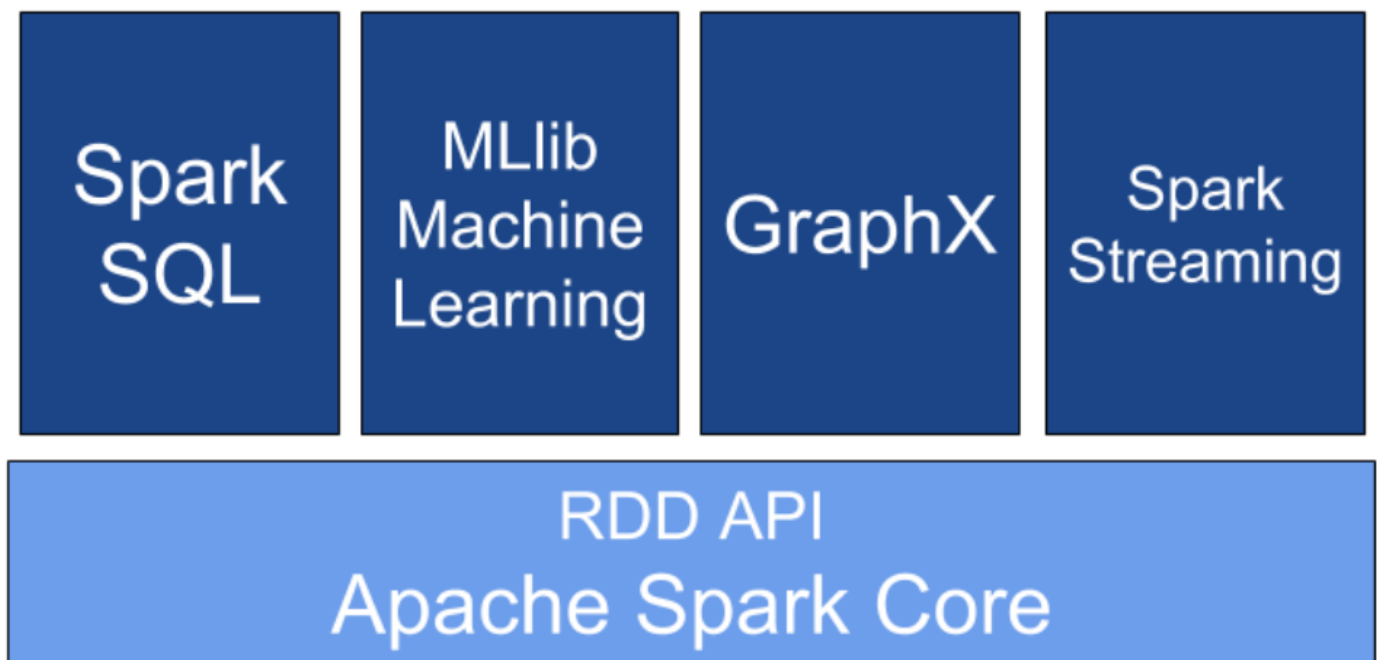
### Hadoop/MapReduce:

- Scalable and fault tolerant framework written in Java
- Open source
- Batch processing

### Apache Spark:

- General purpose and lightning fast cluster computing system
- Open source
- Both batch and real-time data processing

## Apache Spark Components



## Spark modes of deployment

**Local mode:** Single machine such as your laptop.

- Local model convenient for testing, debugging and demonstration
- Cluster mode: Set of pre-defined machines
- Good for production

## Overview of PySpark

- Apache Spark is written in Scala
- To support Python with Spark, Apache Spark Community released PySpark
- Similar computation speed and power as Scala
- PySpark APIs are similar to Pandas and Scikit-learn

PySpark Documentation Link : <https://spark.apache.org/docs/3.3.2/>

PySpark RDD Documentation Link: <https://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/rdd-programming-guide.html>

**Note:** Use google colab or jupyter notebook for PySpark

## Configuration of PySpark in System

- Install pyspark using the line: `!pip install pyspark`
- Import the following library:  
`from pyspark import SparkContext, SparkConf`

- Configure the PySpark and start the session:  
`conf = SparkConf().setAppName(appName).setMaster(master)`  
`sc = SparkContext(conf=conf)`

where appName is your name of your project/lab and "local[\*]" is your master if you are working locally.

## Understanding SparkContext

A SparkContext represents the entry point to Spark functionality. It's like a key to your car. When we run any Spark application, a driver program starts, which has the main function and your SparkContext gets initiated here.

## Use of Lambda function in python - filter()

**What are anonymous functions in Python?**

- Lambda functions are anonymous functions in Python
- Very powerful and used in Python. Quite efficient with map() and filter()
- Lambda functions create functions to be called later similar to def
- It returns the functions without any name (i.e. anonymous)
- Inline a function definition or to defer execution of a code

### Lambda function syntax

- The general form of lambda functions is  
`lambda arguments: expression`
- Example of lambda function is as follow:

```
double = lambda x: x * 2
print(double(3))
```

### Difference between def vs lambda functions

- Python code to illustrate cube of a number  
`def cube(x):`  
`return x ** 3`

```
g = lambda x: x ** 3
print(g(10))
print(cube(10))
```

- No return statement for lambda
- Can put lambda function anywhere

### Use of Lambda function in Python - map()

- `map()` function takes a function and a list and returns a new list which contains items returned by that function for each item
- General syntax of `map()`  
`map(function, list)`
- Example of `map()`  
`items = [1, 2, 3, 4]`  
`list(map(lambda x: x + 2, items))`

### Use of Lambda function in python - filter()

- `filter()` function takes a function and a list and returns a new list for which the function evaluates as true
- General syntax of `filter()`  
`filter(function, list)`
- Example of `filter()`  
`items = [1, 2, 3, 4]`  
`list(filter(lambda x: (x%2 != 0), items))`

### foreach() loop:

Returns only those elements which meet the condition of the function inside `foreach`. In the following example, we call a `print` function in `foreach`, which prints all the elements in the RDD.

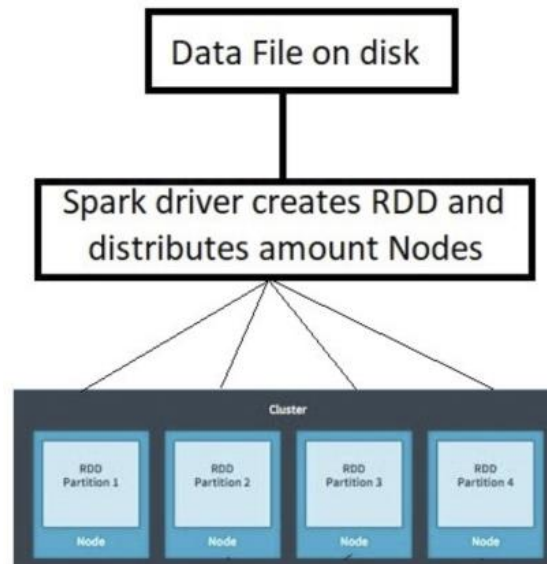
```
words = sc.parallelize (["scala","java", "hadoop", "spark","akka" ,"spark vs hadoop", "pyspark","pyspark and  
spark"])
```

```
def f(x): print(x)
```

```
fore = words.foreach(f)
```

## What is RDD?

- RDD = Resilient Distributed Datasets



## Creating RDDs. How to do it?

- Parallelizing an existing collection of objects
- External datasets:
  - Files in HDFS
  - Objects in Amazon S3 bucket
  - lines in a text ,file

- From existing RDDs

## Parallelized collection (parallelizing)

- `parallelize()` for creating RDDs from python lists  
`numRDD = sc.parallelize([1,2,3,4])`  
`helloRDD = sc.parallelize("Hello world")`  
`type(helloRDD)`
- From external datasets  
`textFile()` for creating RDDs from external datasets  
`fileRDD = sc.textFile("README.md")`  
`type(fileRDD)`

## Understanding Partitioning in PySpark

- A partition is a logical division of a large distributed data set
- `parallelize()` method  
`numRDD = sc.parallelize(range(10), minPartitions = 6)`
- `textFile()` method  
`fileRDD = sc.textFile("README.md", minPartitions = 6)`
- The number of partitions in an RDD can be found by using `getNumPartitions()` method

## Overview of PySpark operations

- Transformations create new RDDs
- Actions perform computation on the RDDs

## RDD Transformations

- Transformations follow Lazy evaluation
- Basic RDD Transformations are `map()` , `filter()` , `flatMap()` , and `union()`

**map() Transformation:** `map()` transformation applies a function to all elements in the RDD

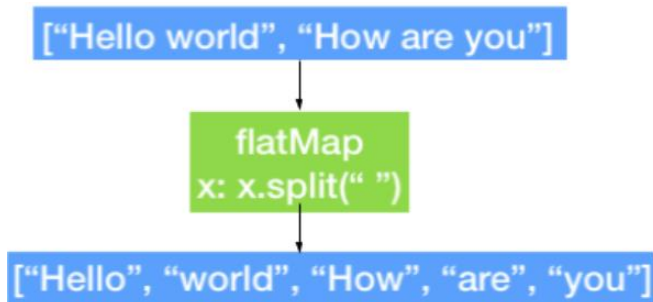
```
RDD = sc.parallelize([1,2,3,4])
RDD_map = RDD.map(lambda x: x * x)
```

**filter() Transformation:** Filter transformation returns a new RDD with only the elements that pass the condition.

```
RDD = sc.parallelize([1,2,3,4])
RDD_filter = RDD.filter(lambda x: x > 2)
```

```
inputRDD = sc.textFile("logs.txt")
errorRDD = inputRDD.filter(lambda x: "error" in x.split())
```

**flatMap() Transformation:** `flatMap()` transformation returns multiple values for each element in the original RDD



```

RDD = sc.parallelize(["hello world", "how are you"])
RDD_flatmap = RDD.flatMap(lambda x: x.split(" "))
  
```

## RDD Actions

- Operation return a value after running a computation on the RDD
- Basic RDD Actions are collect(),take(N),first(),count()

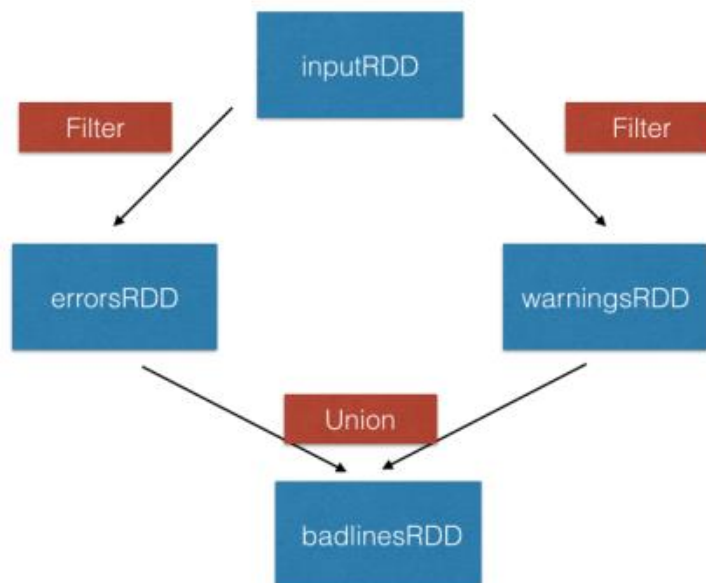
### collect() and take() Actions

- collect() return all the elements of the dataset as an array
- take(N) returns an array with the first N elements of the dataset

### first() and count() Actions

- first() prints the first element of the RDD
- count() return the number of elements in the RDD

## union() Transformation



```

inputRDD = sc.textFile("logs.txt")
errorRDD = inputRDD.filter(lambda x: "error" in x.split())
warningsRDD = inputRDD.filter(lambda x: "warnings" in x.split())
combinedRDD = errorRDD.union(warningsRDD)
  
```

## LAB TASKS

1. Create `my_list` which contains number from 1 to 10. Print the list. Square each item in `my_list` using `map()` and `lambda()`. Print the result of map function.
2. Create `my_list_2` which contains 20 random numbers. Print the list. Filter the numbers divisible by 5 from `my_list2` using `filter()` and `lambda()`. Print the numbers divisible by 5 from `my_list2`.
3. Create an RDD named `RDD` from a list of words which is created by yourself. Confirm the object created is RDD.
4. Create an RDD named `fileRDD` from a given input file. Print the type of the `fileRDD` created.
5. Find the number of partitions that support `fileRDD` RDD. Create an RDD named `fileRDD_part` from the input file but create 5 partitions. Confirm the number of partitions in the new `fileRDD_part` RDD.
6. Create `map()` transformation that cubes all of the numbers in `numbRDD`. Collect the results in a `numbers_all` variable. Print the output from `numbers_all` variable.
7. Create `filter()` transformation on RDD which reads the input file to select the lines containing the keyword `beautiful`. How many lines in `fileRDD_filter` contains the keyword `beautiful`. Print the first four lines of the resulting RDD.
8. Read a string in a list and store it in RDD and print each word separately using `flatMap`.
9. You have a list of ten random numbers find the highest number from the list.
10. Compare two lists of names such a way that they are stored in RDDs and in the end print the matching elements of the lists.