CS286 Solving Big Data Problems – Exam #1 Study Guide

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Lecture #01 – Introduction to Big Data

Data Categories

Quantitative

- Observable and measureable
- Structured and objective
- Numerical

Example: Income, Height

Qualitative

- Observable but NOT measureable
- Unstructured and subjective
- Descriptive

Example: Favorite Color

Data - Raw values

Information – Set of data with meaning

Knowledge –Interpretation of the data with meaning.

Wisdom – Appropriate application of knowledge.



Storage Terminology

Directly Attached Storage (DAS)

- Storage attached directly to the processing node.
- Lowest capacity
- Minimal data sharing
- Highest Speed.

Network Attached Storage (NAS)

- Storage accessible via a network connection.
- Capable of using NFS

Relational Database Management System (RDBMS)

- Traditional database providers.
- Examples: Oracle, MySQL, IBM DB2

Storage Area Network (SAN)

- Storage accessible via a network connection.
- Uses different protocols than NAS.

Network File System (NFS)

Allows a computer to view and store data on remote disk as if that disk was directly attached to the local computer.

Access Transparency – Access data the same way whether it is remote or local.

Data Analysis Categories

Descriptive

- Backward looking.
- Hindsight
- Explain a previous phenomenon.
- Analysis

- Predictive
 Forward looking
- Foresight
- Investigate future trends.
- Mining

Four Steps in Traditional Data Mining

- 1. Problem Definition
- 2. Data gathering and preparation
- 3. Model building and evaluation
- 4. Knowledge Deployment

Process is cyclical and may repeat multiple times.

Big Data

Big Data – Data whose scale, diversity, and complexity require new architecture, techniques, algorithms, and analytics to manage it and to extract value and hidden knowledge from it.

Volume – The amount of data is too large for traditional database software tools to cope with.

Example: Image server

3 V's of Big Data

Velocity – The data is being produced at a rate that is beyond the performance limits of traditional systems.

Example: Social media site

Variety – Data lacks the structure to make it suitable for storage and analysis in traditional databases and data warehouses.

Example: Data organization variety.

Data Organization

Structured – Every piece of data and its format is known. Fits in a database.

Example: RDBMS

Semi-structured – For some fields, data may not exist and some fields can have different formats. Not in a typical database but has structure.

Example: XML, CSV, JSON

Unstructured – Does not fit into a database well. Most data is in this category.

Examples: Text document, multimedia content.

Scale Up

- Limitations:Large capital and operating expense.
- Lower availability and scalability.

Example: Monolithic Database

Scaling to Process Big Data

Scale Out

- Synchronization overhead
- Programming Complexity
- Specialized hardware.

Limitations:

Example: Grid Cluster

Sampling

Limitation: Lower accuracy

and precision.

Example: Any approach

Exploiting Locality of Reference – In Big Data, accessing the data can be very time consuming. **Solution**: Keep the data and program close together.

Distribute Data and Computation – Map the data to multiple nodes and the program with it to decrease execution time.

Three Laws of Big Data

Moore's Law – Every two years, the number of transistors per chip doubles.

Kryder's Law – Every two years, storage capacity doubles. (Storage version of Moore's Law)

Amdahl's Law – The extent to which a program's execution can be sped up is dependent on its level of parallelism.

Murphy's Law – What can go wrong will go wrong.

Big data must be resistant to failures.

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Hadoop

Summary of the Hadoop Strategy

Distribute DataProcessing nodes share no data.

Distribute ComputationAchieve parallelism
without synchronization.

Tolerate Failures Eliminate single points of failure.

Hadoop Block

Size: 64MB

Core of Hadoop

- Hadoop File System (HDFS)
 Storage level
- 2. MapReduce Compute Level

Name Node

Key component in HDFS that stores the location of distributed data in the file system.

Job Tracker
Manages computation
tasks in the Hadoop
system.

Lecture #02 - Introduction to HDFS and MapR-FS

File System

Like a database. A system to store data so that the data can be accessed later.

Typical Structure: A rooted tree.

Storage in a File System

Data - Actual file in the FS.

Metadata – Information about the data/file. Example: Size, location

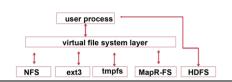
Inode – Data structure used to represent a file system object. This includes the location of the disk block location. Direct Block –
File block
location pointed
to directly by the
inode.

Block Structure in an ext2 File System

Indirect Block – Block pointed to by the inode through exactly one intermediary block. Double Indirect Block – Block pointed to by the inode through exactly two intermediary blocks.

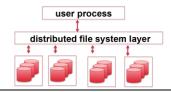
Virtual File System

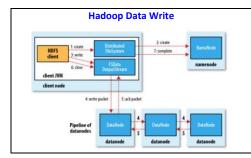
- Transition layer between a generic file system and a real file system.
- Virtualizes different file system types into a single common interface.
- Enables standard POSIX file access.
- HDFS is not compatible with a virtual file system while MapR-FS is.

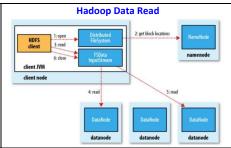


Distributed File System

- Centrally stores metadata (e.g. name node) and distributes actual data (e.g. data node)
- Overcomes space, performance, and availability limitations of a single machine.
- Location Transparency Abstracts data locality from client access.







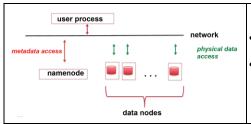
Hadoop Write Pipeline – Before a write can be acknowledged to the client, it must be acknowledged by the name node.

 Each replicate write is sequential through a pipeline where one data node writes to the next.

Sequential Block Reading – Each file block is read sequentially even if the blocks reside on multiple data nodes and could theoretically be read in parallel.

• Block size: 64MB

Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS) Architecture



User Process

- Connected to HDFS through the network.
- Communicates with the name node to know where to read and write data.

Name Node – Master

- Manages file names and locations on disk. Provides metadata information
- All data is persisted in memory (RAM)
- May have a secondary name node used to offload processing (e.g. writing logs) off the primary.
 Secondary is not for high availability.
- All writes must be acknowledged by the name node before they can be acknowledged to the user process.

Data Node - Slave

- Persistent storage disks for the data.
- Data is replicated across multiple data nodes if possible across multiple racks.

Limitations of HDFS

Mutability
Data is write
once, read many.

Block Size

Single block size (e.g. **64MB**) for disk I/O, replication and sharding

POSIX Semantics

Must use the command "hadoop fs" to access the data. Example POSIX Commands: Open, close, read, write.

Availability

No snapshot or built-in mirroring capability.

Scalability

Name node only scales to 100M files. This is due to the single name node persisting all data in RAM

Performance

Written in Java and runs on a block device

Overview of MapR File System (MapR-FS)

Physical Disk – A single hard drive.

Storage Pool – Three striped physical disks. Striping is used to increase write performance.

Node – A set of storage pools.

Topology – A set of nodes.

Container – Unit of shared storage. It is the size of replicated data. A storage pool has multiple containers. Each container belongs to only one volume.

Volume – A tree of files and directories grouped for the purpose of applying a policy or set of policies.

MapR-FS Volume Features

Topologies
Provide data
placement
policies.

Compression
Compress data
as it is written
to disk.

Mirroring
Copy data locally or remotely for
protection in real time for load balancing,
backup, and disaster readiness.

Snapshots Maintain point-intime data and updates. Quotas Restrict total capacity per-user or per-group.

PermissionsRestrict access to users or groups.

Replication
Replicate containers
in a volume across
the cluster

Differences between MapR-FS and HDFS

Block Size
MapR-FS supports
different block sizes for
sharding, replication,
and performing I/O.

Mutability MapR-FS has full read write capability. Access
MapR-FS
volumes can be
NFS-mounted.

POSIX Support MapR-FS supports native OS commands to access data. Availability
MapR-FS supports
snapshots and local/remote
mirroring support.

ScalabilityNo limit to the number of files.

Performance MapR-FS is written in C and runs on a raw device (i.e. no filesystem overhead).

Block Size Comparison between HDFS and MapR-FS

Storage Unit	HDFS	MapR-FS
Unit of Sharding	Block=64MB	Chunk=256MB
Unit of Replication	Block=64MB	Container = 16-32GB
Unit of I/O	Block=64MB	Block=8KB

MapR-FS allows for different storage unit sizes to optimize performance.

Role of a Single Sharding Unit (e.g. Block/Chunk) – In Map Reduce, each mapper is assigned a single shard (e.g. block/chunk) to analyze.

Relationship between Container and Volume – In MapR-FS, a container is assigned to a single volume and a volume is made up of one or more containers.

Example Block/Chunk Count Calculation: If a Map Reduce file has 300MB of data, it will required 5 blocks in HDFS and 2 chunks in MapR-FS.

Using the "hadoop fs" Command Line Interface (CLI)

Format:

hadoop fs -<command> [args]

Examples:

hadoop fs -mkdir newDirectory

hadoop fs -rm my_file.txt

Not Supported Command:

hadoop fs -cd ...

This command has no directory state so must use absolute path.

hadoop mfs [command] [args]

Performs MapR-FS operations similar to hadoop fs.

Lecture #03 – Introduction to MapReduce

Map Reduce
Underlying Principle:
Divide and Conquer

Derives from Lisp

map(String key, String value):

// key: document or shard name // value: document or shard contents

for each word w in value:

EmitIntermediate((w,"1")); // key value pair

reduce(String key, Iterator values):

// key: a word // values: a list of word counts

int results = 0

for each v in values:
 results += ParseInt(v)

Emit(AsString(result))

Reduce is called one on each key NOT each partition.

Key Methods

EmitIntermediate – Output of the mapper function. Writes an intermediary key-value pair to be analyzed by a reducer.

Emit – Outputs the result of the reducer.

Three Phases of Map Reduce

- 1. Map
- 2. Sort/Shuffle/Merge
- 3. Reduce

Map

- One mapper is assigned per input split. The "map" function is called once for each key-value pair (i.e. record).
- Each mapper processes a local data set and can output a set of intermediary key-value pairs.
- "Send the compute to where the data is."
- Outputs zero or more key-value pairs.

Sort/Shuffle/Merge

- Transfer results from mappers to reducers.
- Creates n partitions where n is equal to the number of reducers.
- Divides intermediary key value pairs into the n partitions.
- May run a "Combiner" function to merge results from the Map stage to reduce the amount of data to transfer over the network.
- After keys are partitioned and merge, the keys in the partition are sorted.
- Partitions are sent over the network to the reducers.
 Hadoop uses HTTP while MapR-FS uses RPC.

Reduce

- One reducer per input partition.
 The "reduce" method is called once per key.
- Outputs zero or more key value pairs.
- Reads one list of values for each key.
- No data locality exploitation in reduce.

Responsibilities of the Map Reduce Framework

- Split the incoming input file and read the records.
- Schedules, runs, and reruns map/reduce tasks.
- Transfers map outputs to reduce inputs.
- Collects and writes status and results.

Map Reduce Block and Record Splitting

- The Map Reduce framework divides an input file to one or more splits\block.
- A split\block contains one or more (typically many) records. Default record delimiter is "\n".
- The map function is called once per record.

Map Record Key-Value Format

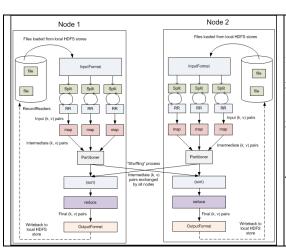
- key Byte offset for start of record
- value Record data in the split.

Typical Map Reduce Workflow

- 1. Load the data into the cluster.
 - HDFS Uses WORM (write once read many).
 Preload only.
 - MapR-FS POSIX + network file system (NFS) access. Preload or persistent storage.
- 2. Analyze the data
- 3. Store the results in the cluster (e.g. in HDFS/MapR-FS)

Read the results from the cluster.

MapReduce Complete Flow



Map Reduce Complete Flow

- 1. Data is loaded into HDFS
- 2. The job decides the input format of the data.
- Data is split between
 different mappers running
 on all the nodes.
 - Record readers (RR) parse out the data key-value pairs serve as inputs into the map() methods.

Map Reduce Complete Flow

- The map() method produces key-value pairs that are sent to the Partitioner.
- When there are multiple reducers, the partition mapper creates one partition for each reduce task.
- 7. The key-value pairs are sorted by key within each partition.

Map Reduce Complete Flow

- The reduce() method is take the intermediary key value pairs in the partition and reduces them to a final list of key value pairs.
- 9. The job defines the output format of the data.

Example Partition Function

Part# = hash(key) % #Partitions

Hadoop Classes

InputFormat

- Checks if the input file exists.
- Splits the input file into one or more InputSplit objects.
- Instantiates RecordReader to partition splits into records which are turned into key-value pairs.
 - Key is byte offset of the start of the record.

Mapper

- Implements the map() method.
- One Mapper object is created for each input split.
- Processes keys and/or values.
- Updates status in reporter.
- Writes output.

JobClient

Instantiated by

Submits job to

the JobTracker.

Runs inside a

JVM.

the client.

Partitioner

- Takes the output(s) generated by the map() method and creates partitions based on the hashed key.
- Each partition is assigned to a single reducer.
- All records with the same key are assigned to the same partition.

Combiner (Optional)

- Has no default behavior.
- Motivation: Reduce the intermediate values of the mappers before they are sent over the network.
- Often the reducer can be repurposed as a combiner.

Reducer

- Implements the reduce() method.
- Each Reducer object is assigned one partition.
- Executes the reduce method on each key in the partition.
- Updates status in reporter.
- Writes output.

Outputs of a MapReduce Job

- _SUCCESS Empty file indicating the job was completed successfully.
- part-m-00000 First intermediate results output file from a map task.
- part-r-00000 First intermediate results output file from a single reducer.

Hadoop Job Execution Framework

- JobTracker
 Instantiates a Job object which gets sent to the TaskTracker(s).
 Runs inside a JVM.
- Reschedules tasks on failed TaskTrackers to other TaskTrackers

TaskTracker

- Launches a child process that runs a MapTask or a ReduceTask.

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 - HeartBeat Messages to JobTracker include:
 - Task Status
 - Task Counter
 - o Data read/write status

Hadoop Schedulers

- Fair Scheduler (default) Resources shared evenly among pools.
- Each user has a pool. Custom pools can be created. Supports Pre-emption.
- Capacity Scheduler Resources shared among queues. Admin creates hierarchical queues. Supports soft and hard capacity limits to users within a queue.

Hadoop Fair Scheduler

Pool – Set of jobs.

- User configures priority of jobs within a pool.
- Default of one user per pool.
- "Over-using" users can be preempted.
- Developed at Facebook.

Scheduling Algorithm

- Divide each pool's min maps and reduces among jobs.
- When a slot is free, allocate a job that is below its minimum share (i.e. most starved).
- Preempt long running jobs to meet minimum guarantees.

Hadoop Capacity Scheduler

- Queue Set of Jobs Queues may be hierarchically organized (i.e. a queue is made of other queues).
- Shares assigned to queues as a percentage of total resources.
- Per-Queue and Per-User configurations.
- Developed at Yahoo.

Scheduling Algorithm

- Allocate slots to queues based on percentage of shares.
- FIFO scheduling within each queue.

MCS - MapR Control System

CLDB – Container Location Database.

Limitations of the Hadoop Execution Framework

Scalability

Single JobTracker restricts job throughput.

Availability

Only one JobTracker and one NameNode introduces single points of failure (SPOF).

Inflexibility

Map and reduce jobs are not interchangeable.

Scheduler Optimization

Framework does not optimize scheduling of jobs.

Program Support

Framework is limited to Map and Reduce programs.

Inflexibility and program support are addressed in Map Reduce version 2 (also known as YARN)

Lecture #04 - Installing MapR

Disk Provisioning

- Dynamic Thin provisioning
- Fixed Thick provisioning

Network Configuration

- NAT The VM does not have a separate IP from the host. Rather a separate private network is setup on the host machine and the VM gets an address in that network. Network traffic looks as though it came from the host PC.
- Bridged Replicates another node on the physical network and the VM gets its own IP.
- Host-Only The nested VM's network is within the host computer only.

Joining Data

Join can be done in the map and reduce stages.

Lecture #05 – Writing a MapReduce Program

Common Map Reduce Applications

Summarizing Data	Filtering Data	Organizing Data	Joining Data
			Join can be done in the map and reduce stages.

MapReduce Program Imports

org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.* Includes the definition of the "Mapper", "Reducer", "Job", and "Context" classes.	org.apache.hadoop.io.* Includes the definition of the "Text", "LongWritable", and "IntWritable" classes.	org.apache.hadoop.conf.* Includes the definition of the "Configured" and "Configuration" classes.	org.apache.hadoop.util.* Includes the definition of the "Tool" interface and "ToolRunner" class.
org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input.* Includes the definition of the "TextInputFormat" and "FileInputFormat" classes.	org.apache.hadoop.fs.* Includes the definition of the "Path" class.	java.util.* Includes the definition of the "StringTokenizer" class.	java.io.* Includes the definition of the "IOException" class.
org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output.* Includes the definition of the "FileOutputFormat" class.			

MapReduce Class Definitions

Mapper Class Definition

Must override the "map" method.

import java.util.*;

InputFormat – TextInputFormat Key Class – LongWritable Value Class – Text

Reducer Class Definition

The input key and value types for the Reducer must match the output key and value types for the associated Mapper.

Must override the "reduce" method.

Driver Class Definition

- Must implement the "run" method.
- Specifies whether the job is run synchronously or asynchronously via the "waitForCompletion" command.
- Specifies class types for mapper and reducer.
- Verifies function input arguments.

MapReduce Class Method Definitions

First two arguments in the map method are the input key and record value.

new OutputValuesClassName (...));

context.write(new OutputKevsClassName(...).

Map is called once per input record.

reduce Function Format

@Override

Reduce is called once per intermediate key.

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run Function Format
public int run(String[] args) throws Exception {
   if(args.length != 2){
       System.err.printf("usage: %s [general options] <inputfile> <outputfile>\n",
                        getClass().getSimpleName());
       System.exit(1);
   // Configure the job
   Job job = new Job ( getConf(), "job name");
   job.setJarByClass(MyDriver.class);
   job.setMapperClass(MyMapper.class);
    job.setReducerClass(MyReducer.class);
   // Define input file's format (e.g. text file)
   job.setInputFormatClass(TextInputFormat.class);
   // Setup the mapper output classes.
   // Mapper Input class are a LongWritable by default and Text
   job.setMapOutputKeyClass(MapperOutputKeySClassName.class);
   job.setMapOutputValueClass(MapperOutputValuesClassNat
   // Set the reducer's output class.
   job.setOutputKeyClass(ReduceOutputKeysClassName.class);
   job.setOutputKeyClass(ReduceOutputVo
   // Set the reducer's output class.
   FileInputFormat.addInputFormat (job. new Path(<inputfilength>):
   FileOutputFormat.setOutputFormat (job, new Path(<outputfolderpath>);
   // Wait for the job to finish.
   return job.waitForCompletion(true) ? 0 : 1;
```

MapReduce Environment Variables

HADOOP HOME

- Path: /opt/mapr/hadoop/Hadoop-0.20.2
- Not required.
- Useful when defining other environment variables.

LD LIBRARY PATH

- Path: \$HADOOP_HOME/lib/native/Linux-amd64-64
- · Not required.
- Enables the use of libraries specifically compiled for MapR.

PATH

- Path: \$HADOOP HOME/bin \$PATH
- · Not required.
- Order in PATH variable is important as earlier items in the list take precedence.
- Provides path to Hadoop executables so user does not need to specify the absolute path.

CLASSPATH

- Path: \$HADOOP_HOME/* \$HADOOP_HOME/lib/*
- Not required.
- Points to all jars in the Hadoop distribution required to run a program.

HADOOP_CLASSPATH

- Path: \$CLASSPATHNot required.
- Makes it easier to run MapReduce applications from the hadoop command.

export

Bash command to add environment variables to the terminal.

Command Line Instructions

javac

- Compiles a Java class from ASCII to byte code.
- Example:

javac –d <*FolderName*> <*ClassName*>.java

-d – Allows for a custom output directory to be used.

hadoop jar

- Launches a Hadoop job.
- Example:

hadoop jar </arNameAndPath>.jar DriverClass>
file://cinputPathAndFile> cutputDirectory>

- Arguments in the call correspond to the args argument in the driver.
- -D Used to specify properties of the Hadoop jar operation.

hadoop fs

- Enables POSIX style commands on HDFS
- Example:

hadoop fs -< CommandName > [args]

Must precede POSIX command (e.g. Is, cat, rm, etc.) with a hyphen.

jar

- Combines the different class files into a single Java Archive (JAR) File.
- Example #1: Create a New JAR File

jar -cvf <jarname>.jar -C <classfolder>/.

- -c Create a new JAR file.
- -v Generate a verbose output.
- -f Specifies that the command includes the output JAR's file name.
- -C Specifies the location of the source .class files.
- Example #1: Updating an Existing JAR

jar -uvf <jarname>.jar -C <classfolder>/.

-u – Update a JAR.

Lecture #06 - Using the mapreduce API

Hadoop and Mapr

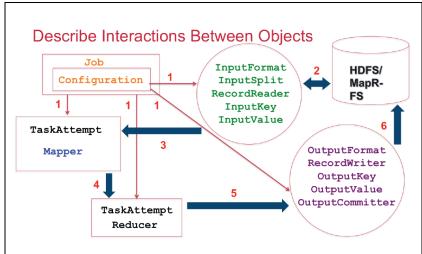
• MapR 3.0.1 ships with version 0.20.2 of Hadoop.

HADOOP_HOME = /opt/mapr/hadoop/hadoop-0.20.2

Comparison of the mapreduce and mapred Libraries

	Supported on MapR	Deprecated	YARN-Compatible	Types	Objects
mapred	Yes	No	Yes	Interfaces	OutputCollector, Reporter, JobConf
mapreduce	Yes	No	Yes	Abstract Classes	Context

	Methods	Output Files	Reducer Input Values	Import Command
mapred	map(), reduce()	part-xxxxx	java.lang.iterator	import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.*
mapreduce	map(), reduce(),	part-m-xxxxx (Mapper)	Java.lang.Iterable	<pre>import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.*</pre>



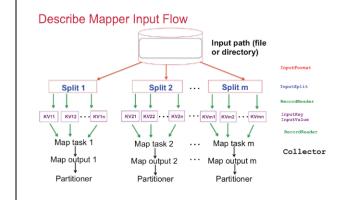
Writable Types

- All Key/Value types must implement the Writable Interface.
- Used to serialize keys/values before they are written to disk.
- All Java primitives must have a wrapper class to be able to return/pass from map/reduce calls.
- Do not support commands on equivalent Java primitives. Example: cannot use "+" to add to LongWritables.

Writable Interface Methods

- void write (DataOutput out) throws IOException
- void readFields(DataInput in) throws IOException

Java Primitive	Hadoop Writable Type	
boolean	BooleanWritable	
long	LongWritable	
	new LongWritable(1)	
double	DoubleWritable	
string	Text (UTF-8 Format)	
	new Text("my String")	
N/A	BytesWritable (Writable Binary)	



WritableComparable

All keys must implement the Writable and Comparable Interfaces.

Comparable Interface

int compareTo(WriteComparable o)

- compareTo is used to provide a total ordering of keys in the Sort/Shuffle/Merge stage.
- Returns -1 if implicit parameter should be order first.
- Returns 0 if they are equal.
- Returns 1 if explicit parameter should be ordered first.

InputFormat Class

- Valid input files/directories exists.
- Partitions the input file into splits.
- Instantiates RecordReader for parsing records in the splits.
- Throws IOException

Methods

public abstract List<InputSplit>
getSplits(JobContext)

public abstract RecordReader<K,V>
createRecordReader(InputSplit split,
TaskAttemptContext context)

Common Implementations

- TextInputFormat Single Line Record Text Files. Terminated by newline characters.
 - SequenceFileInputFormat Binary Files

InputSplit Class

- Object that encapsulates a single file split.
- Logical representation of a subset of the data.
- Split size is defined by:

max(minSplitSize, max(maxSplitSize, blockSize)

Methods

public abstract long getLength()

public abstract String[] getLocations() - Gets
a list of host names where the split is located.

Common Implementations

FileSplit

Split Versus Block Size

- Split Size is configurable in Hadoop and MapR.
- A split may be smaller, larger, or the same size as a block as defined by equation on the left.

Record Boundaries – Two Possibilities

- Last Record Boundary Falls On Split Boundary – Read whole first record in the next split.
- Last Record Boundary Falls in the Next Split – Record reader reads the next split until the end of the record (i.e. first delimiter).

RecordReader Interface

- Breaks up the data in an input split into Key-Value pairs
- Handles incomplete records
 - o Discards first record in a split after the first split
 - Reads ahead to first delimiter in the next split (except the last split).

Methods

boolean next(K key, V value)
K createKey()
V createValue()
long getPos()
public void close()
float getProgress()

Common Implementations

- **LineRecordReader** Used for text files. Key is byte offset and text is the line.
- SequenceFileRecordReader Binary input files

Reducer Output Classes

part-r-00001 part-r-00002 part-r-00000 Reduce task 1 Reduce task 2 Reduce task m KV11 KV12 ... KV1n KV21 KV22 ... KV2n Partition 1 Partition 2 Partition m

OutputFormat Class

- Valid output file specifications via method checkOutputSpecs.
- Provide RecordWriter to write output files.

Methods

public abstract RecordWriter<K,V>
getRecordWrite(TaskAttemptContext
context)

public abstract void
checkOutputSpecs(JobContext context)

public abstract OutputCommitter
getOuputCommitter(TaskAttemptContext
context)

Common Implementations

- FileOutputFormat Wrapper of OutputFormat.
- TextOutputFormat Plain text file.
- NullOutputFormat Send all outputs to /dev/null
- SequenceFileOutputFormat Binary Files

RecordWriter Class

- Writes the key value pairs to the output files.
- Can automatically compress the output streams as they are written to disk.

Methods

public abstract void write(K key, V
value)

public abstract void
close(TaskAttemptContext)

Common Implementations

• TextOutputFormat.LineRecordWriter
- Writes Key-Value pairs to plain text files.

OutputCommitter Class

- Initializes the Job at job start (in setupJob())
- Cleans up the job upon job completion (in cleanJob()).
- Sets up the task temporary outputs (in setupTask())
- Checks whether a tasks needs to be committed (in needsTaskCommit())
- Commit of the task output (in commitTask())
- Discard the task commit (in abortTask())

Common Implementations

FileOutputCommitter – Commits files to job output directory.

Mapper Class

- Based off Java Generics since key and value types are generic.
- Primary method to override is map.
- Context object is used to output to intermediate files.
- run method calls setup, map, and cleanup.
- setup is called before map and cleanup is called after map.

Methods

protected void cleanup (Context context)

protected void map(KEYIN key, VALUEIN
value, Context context)

void run(Context context)

protected void setup (Context context)

Mapper and Reducer run Method

Reducer Class

- Based off Java Generics since key and value types are generic
- If no Reducer class is specified, then Mapper outputs are sent directly as final outputs after sorting by key.
- Primary method to override is reduce.
- Context object is used to output to final files.
- run method calls setup, reduce, and cleanup.
- setup is called before reduce and cleanup is called after reduce. (Similar to Mapper)

Methods

protected void cleanup(Context context)

protected void map(KEYIN key,
Iterable<VALUEIN> values, Context context)

void run(Context context)

protected void setup(Context context)

- Wraps up the Map and Reduce classes and submits the job to the cluster.
- Allows a user to configure and submit a job, control its execution, and query its state.
- To get a job's configuration, you use the getConf() method.

Constructors

```
Job (Configuration conf)
Job (Configuration conf, String jobName)
```

Example Usage #1

Configuration conf = new Configuration();
Job job1 = new Job(conf, "Job1");

Example Usage #2

Job job2 = new Job(getConf(), "Job2");

Job Methods

Job Class

void failTask (TaskAttemptID taskID) - Indicate
task with specified ID failed.

String getJar() — Gets the Job's JAR file pathname.

boolean isComplete () – Gets whether the job has completed.

boolean isSuccessful () — Returns whether the job completed successfully.

void killJob () — Kills the job.

void killTask (TaskAttemptID taskID) - Kills the
task with the specified ID failed.

float mapProgress () – Gets progress of the map tasks. Between 0 and 1.

float reduceProgress () – Gets progress of the reduce tasks. Between 0 and 1.

More Job Class Methods

void setJarByClass (Class cls) - Specifies the
driver class.

void setInputFormatClass (Class cls) - Sets the
InputFormat type for the job.

void setMapperClass (Class cls) - Sets the class
type for the Mapper.

void setMapOutputKeyClass (Class cls) - Sets the
class type for the Mapper output key(s).

void setMapOutputValueClass (Class cls) - Sets
the class type for the Mapper output value(s).

void setOutputFormatClass (Class cls) - Sets the
OutputFormat type for the job.

void setReducerClass (Class cls) - Sets the class
type for the Reducer.

void setOutputKeyClass (Class cls) - Sets the
class type for the Reducer output key(s) and the
Mapper if setMapOutputKeyClass is not called.

void setOutputValueClass (Class cls) - Sets the
class type for the Reducer output value(s) and the
Mapper if setMapOutputValueClass is not
called.

void submit() - Submit the job to the cluster and return immediately.

void waitForCompletion (boolean verbose) — Submit the job to the cluster and wait for it to finish. Often called within System.exit() with a ternary operator.

o Returns "true" if the job succeeded.

System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(True) ? 0: 1);

 When configuring the job, almost all method names end in "Class".

Implementing the Driver

Use ToolRunner to execute driver code.

Job Configuration Code Example

```
Job job = new Job(getConf(), "myJob");
job.setJarByClass(MyDriver.class);
job.setMapperClass(MyMapper.class);
job.setReducerClass(MyReducer.class);
job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
job.setOutputValueClass(LongWritable.class);
job.setInputFormatClass(TextInputFormat.class);
job.setOutputFormatClass(TextOutputFormat.class);
FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
FileOutputFormat.addOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));
System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(True) ? 0 : 1);
```

Drawback: Cannot be dynamically configured.

Levels of MapReduce Configuration Priority

Highest Priority

- 1. Driver Code
- 2. Command Line Parameters
- 3. Local XML Files
- 4. Global XML Files (i.e. within the Global Map Reduce folder)
- 5. Hadoop Framework Modifications

Lowest Priority

Lecture #07 - Managing, Monitoring, and Testing MapReduce Jobs

MapReduce Counter Categories

File System – Total number of bytes written and read during a Hadoop job.

Job – Summary of task cardinality and CPU time.

Framework – Granular summaries of CPU and memory consumption, records read & written, and bytes read & written in each phase of MapReduce

Custom – Completely specific to the application.

File System Counters

FILE	BYTES	WRITTEN - To	tal number of bytes
writter	to the lo	ocal file system.	May occur during
map, s	huffle, or	reduce phases.	

MAPRES_BYTES_READ — Total number of bytes read from MapR-FS.

MAPRES_BYTES_WRITTEN – Total number of bytes written to MapR-FS.

Job Counters

DATA_LOCAL_MAPS – Total number of map tasks executed on local data.	Total time map tasks spend waiting	I – Total time reduce tasks spend waiting	SLOTS_MILLI_MAPS – Total time map tasks spent executing
SLOTS_MILLI_REDUCES – Total time reduce tasks spent executing	number of map tasks launched,	TOTAL_LAUNCHED_REDUCES – Total number of reduce tasks launched, including failed tasks.	

Miscellaneous

