

wordcount_mapper.py

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#!/usr/bin/python
import sys
for line in sys.stdin:
    words = line.split() #default split() argument is space
    for word in words:
        print ('{0}\t{1}'.format(word,1))
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wordcount_reducer.py

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#!/usr/bin/python
import sys
curr_word = None
curr_count = 0

# Process each key-value pair from the mapper
for line in sys.stdin:
    # Get the key and value from the current line
    word, count = line.split('\t')
    # Convert the count to an int
    count = int(count)
    # If the current word is the same as the previous word,
    # increment its count, otherwise print the words count
    # to stdout
    if word == curr_word:
        curr_count += count
    else:
        # Write word and its number of occurrences as a key-value
        # pair to stdout
        if curr_word:
            print ('{0}\t{1}'.format(curr_word, curr_count))
            curr_word = word
            curr_count = count
# Output the count for the last word
if curr_word == word:
    print ('{0}\t{1}'.format(curr_word, curr_count))
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Command

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echo "big data is big" | sort | ./wordcount_mapper.py | ./wordcount_reducer.py
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