

Apache Spark and parallel data processing

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1.

```
1 rdd = sc.parallelize(range(100))  
2 rdd2 = range(100)  
3
```

1 / 1 point

Please consider the following code.

Where is the execution of API calls on "rdd" taking place?

- ☐ On the local Driver machine
- ☒ In the ApacheSpark worker nodes

✓ Correct
Correct

2.

```
1 rdd = sc.parallelize(range(100))  
2 rdd2 = range(100)  
3
```

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Please consider the following code.

Where is data in " rdd2 " stored physically?

- ☒ On the local Driver machine
- ☐ In main-memory of ApacheSpark worker nodes

✓ Correct
Correct

3. What is the parallel version of the following code?

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```
1 len(range(999999999))  
2
```

- ☒ `sc.parallelize(range(999999999)).count()`
- ☐ `parallelize(range(999999999)).count()`
- ☐ `len(sc.parallelize(range(999999999)))`
- ☐ `size(sc.parallelize(range(999999999)))`
- ☐ `count(sc.parallelize(range(999999999)))`

✓ **Correct**
Correct

4. Which storage solutions support seamless modification of schemas? (Select all that apply)

1 / 1 point

☒ ObjectStorage

✓ **Correct**
Correct

☒ NoSQL

✓ **Correct**
Correct

☐ SQL/Relational Databases

5. Which storage solutions support dynamic scaling on storage? (Select all that apply)

1 / 1 point

☒ ObjectStorage

✓ Correct
Correct

☒ NoSQL

✓ Correct
Correct

☐ SQL/Relational Databases

6. Which storage solutions support normalization and integrity checks on data out of the box? (Select all that apply)

1 / 1 point

☐ ObjectStorage

☐ NoSQL

☒ SQL/Relational Databases

✓ Correct
Correct

7. What is the advantage of using ApacheSparkSQL over RDDs? (select all that apply)

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- ☐ ApacheSparkSQL bypasses the RDD interface which has been proven to be very complicated
- ☐ SQL is simpler than RDD but has some performance drawbacks
- ☒ Catalyst and Tungsten are able to optimise the execution, so are more likely to execute more quickly than if you would had implemented something equivalent using the RDD API.

✓ Correct
Correct

- ☒ The API is simpler and doesn't require specific functional programming skills

✓ Correct
Correct