Spark SQL



After this video you will be able to...

Process structured data using Spark's SQL module

Explain the numerous benefits of Spark SQL



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Spark Core

- Enables querying structured and unstructured data through Spark
- Provides a common query language
- Has APIs for Scala, Java and Python to convert results into RDDs

Relational Operations

Perform Relational Processing such as Declarative Queries

Embed SQL queries inside Spark Programs

Business Intelligence Tools

Spark SQL connects to all BI tools that support JDBC or ODBC standard



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DataFrames

Distributed Data organized as named columns

Look just like a table in relational databases

How to go Relational in Spark?

Step 1: Create a SQLContext

from pyspark.sql import SQLContext
sqlContext = SQLContext(sc)

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Create a DataFrame from

- an existing RDD
- a Hive table
- data sources

JSON → DataFrame

```
# Read
df = sqlContext.read.json("/filename.json")
# Display
df.show()
```

RDD of Row objects → DataFrame

```
# Read
from pyspark.sql import SQLContext, Row
sqlContext = SQLContext(sc)
# Load a text file and convert each line to a Row.
lines = sc.textFile("filename.txt")
cols = lines.map(lambda 1: l.split(","))
data = cols.map(lambda p: Row(name=p[0], zip=int(p[1])))
# Create DataFrame
df = sqlContext.createDataFrame(data)
# Register the DataFrame as a table
df.registerTempTable("table")
# Run SOL
Output = sqlContext.sql("SELECT * FROM table WHERE ...")
```

Count people by zip

df.groupBy("zip").count().show()

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```
# Show the content of the DataFrame
df.show()
# Print the schema
df.printSchema()
# Select only the "X" column
df.select("X").show()
# Select everybody, but increment the discount by 5%
df.select(df["name"], df["discount"] + 5).show()
# Select people height greater than 4.0 ft
df.filter(df["height"] > 4.0).show()
```

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Relational on Spark

Connect to variety of databases

Deploy business intelligence tools over Spark