Big Data Science
Large Scale Data Analytics Frameworks

Learning outcomes

Introduction to Hadoop, Mahout, MapReduce Paradigm and Targeted Marketing.

Understanding Hadoop, Yarn and MapReduce

Context

As a data scientist, you need have exposure to major infrastructure frameworks for large scale data science. Hadoop is a data science large scale framework that servers for two main purposes: storage, and computation engine. You can consider Hadoop as an operating system for large scale data intensive application that takes care of scheduling, distributing jobs and cluster management. It has two main components: HDFS and MapReduce.

In this homework, you will be introduced to the fundamentals of Hadoop and the "how" of writing MapReduce programs. You will have to conduct a preliminary research on the differences between Hadoop 1.0 and Hadoop 2.0 before using Hadoop 2.0

Installing Hadoop

In this assignment, you are required to install Hadoop. For this homework, Hadoop 1.0 suffice but it is recommended to install the latest version of Hadoop. For a very straightforward installation of Hadoop, we will be adopting Cloudera' distribution.

Cloudera's Hadoop Distribution (CDH) is an integrated Apache Hadoop that contains pre-installed and configured components for a Hadoop production environment. CDH is free and is available on different formats Linux packages, virtual machine images and in tar files. You can also run CDH on the cloud. Everything in CDH is installed and ready to go. You can download the image type that corresponds to you preferred virtualization platform.

Pre-requisites for this Homework

Review the chapter covered in class of ***Large Scale Frameworks Part One*** covered in class. You may need to read the following papers:

- Dean, Jeffrey, and Sanjay Ghemawat. MapReduce: simplified data processing on large clusters. Communications of the ACM 51.1 (2008): 107-113.

- Ghemawat, Sanjay, Howard Gobioff, and Shun-Tak Leung. The Google file system. ACM SIGOPS operating systems review. Vol. 37. No. 5. ACM, 2003.

Understanding the three modes of Running Hadoop

Generally, Hadoop can run in three modes:

1. **Fully-distributed mode.** Normal mode with namenodes and datanodes.

2. **Pseudo-distributed mode.** In this mode there still can be several mappers and reducers but all daemons run one machine (your local machine) using HDFS protocol. This mode is very useful for developers to mimic a Hadoop environment for testing purposes.

3. **Hadoop in Standalone mode.** All jobs will run as one mapper and one reducer in your local file system (not HDFS). This is very practical model for developers to write and debug map reduce applications.

Installing Hadoop

You can install Hadoop using the Cloudera Manager or the Hadoop plain distribution. For using Cloudera's distribution please follow the instructions shown below:

0. Preparation

0.0 Download and install Oracle *Virtual Box* from the following website

- https://www.virtualbox.org/wiki/Downloads
- Follow the instructions to install

0.1 Download and install Cloudera *QuickStart* VM

- Go to the Cloudera QuickStart download page for the most updated Virtual Box virtual machine image

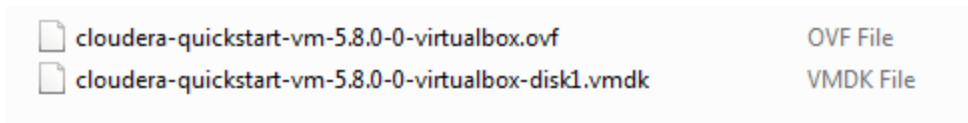
(As this instruction is prepared, the most recent release is CDH 5.8)

http://www.cloudera.com/downloads/quickstart_vms/5-8.html

- In this page, choose from the second dorp down box "VIRTUAL BOX"

- Then click download

- After download, unzip the file, then you will see



0.2 Load your VM into *Virtual Box*

- Run Virtual Box, then from menu bar:

"Machine" -> "Import Appliance ..." -> choose the .ovf file shown above -> "Next" -> "Import"

- Then wait for the VM to load
- It will take a while to load the VM image at the first time.

0.3 After the VM loaded, double click it on the left side panel to start a Linux OS which is a Hadoop Environment pre-configured

- In the VM, you can find an Eclipse in which a stub project has been set up with all MapReduce dependencies for you.

0. Exercise Zero: Word Count in Eclipse under Hadoop (20pts)

For more details on how to set up Eclipse' java projects with Hadoop libraries view this video.

If your preferred language is Python, feel free to use it (a lot of instructions this section wont apply if you will be using Python)
Using Eclipse and WordCount.java from the attached homework folder, create a project on Eclipse on **pseudo-distributed** mode for Hadoop under your Virtual Machine. You must use Eclipse.
Notice the discussion of the pseudo-code we discussed in class of word count.

1) Run WordCount on the attached file **document.txt** from the homework folder.
Attach at least the following snapshots:

1. Snapshot of the WordCount.java in Eclipse project
2. Snapshot of the mappers and reducers on http://localhost:8088
3. Snapshot of the full output of the WordCount (count of words) on the file and attach the output file to your folder submission under ***WordCountOUTPUT2.txt***

2) Repeat (1) or Article1.txt, Aricle2.txt and Article3.txt
Explain all your steps (use snapshots or list all your steps

1. Exercise Two: Targeted Advertising using MapReduce (60pts)

To increase the sales volume on the next season for your e-commerce business (e.g Amazon), your marketing team is planning to come-up with a very optimal marketing strategy.

(1) One possible strategy is to find out, for all combinations of categories of products, the customers with the largest purchases histories.

This will allow the marketers to advertise and promote to the most potential buyers for each combination of categories, rather than targeting all their customers.

You will need to follow the instructions below to implement a MapReduce program using that will run on a Hadoop framework to discover who are the targeted customers based on (1)

Given N possible categories, there are *N^2 - N* combinations of categories (we deducted N to not include the combination of categories that have one element).

The purpose is to find the top-k customers who have the highest number of purchase history for each possible combination of categories

Input: <UID> <Categories>

where UID and Categories are separated by a tab ("\t"), and Categories is a string which is a sequence of Category IDs separated by only a comma (","). The input data is attached to the homework folder.

For Example:
UID Categories of Goods in This Transaction (this is the log of each customer and their purchase history of product from each category)
... .
U0 C6,C13,C14
U0 C3,C6
U1 C0,C9
U2 C13,C16
U3 C2
U3 C0,C10,C11,C12,C14

....

Expected Output:

Your output should be in this format: for each possible combination of categories, generate a list of UIDs with the number of this combination appeared as a sub set in the UID's historical transactions. For example, if user 13 (UID13), has 2 transactions:

U13 C1,C2
U13 C0,C1,C2

The output will be:

C0 ...,U13(1), ... // since 1 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C1 ...,U13(2), ... // since 2 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C2 ...,U13(2), ... // since 2 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C0,C1 ...,U13(1), ... // since 1 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C0,C2 ...,U13(1),... // since 1 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C1,C2 ...,U13(2), ... // since 2 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
C0,C1,C2 ...,U13(1), ... // since 1 transactions has (C1,C2) as subset
....

You should use tab ("\t") to separate combination of categories from its corresponding UID list. In the UID list, delimit each UID using a comma (",").

For Example:

<Combination of Categories> <List of UIDs (Counts) >
C0 U1395(12),U1395(12),U1395(12),U1395(12),U1395(12)
C0,C1 U5088(6),U5088(6),U5088(6),U5088(6),U5088(6)
C0,C1,C10 U1850(3),U1850(3),U1850(3),U1850(3),U1850(3)
C0,C1,C10,C11 U7869(2),U7869(2),U7869(2),U7869(2),U7869(2)
C0,C1,C10,C11,C12 U907(1),U907(1),U907(1),U907(1),U907(1)
C0,C1,C10,C11,C12,C14 U3253(1),U3253(1)

3. Recommender System using Apache Mahout (20pts)

If you installed Hadoop you can go directly to this link and replicate the instructions in: Mahout in 10mins
For more info about Mahout Please visit this link

Attach snapshots of your program and attached the code.