

Apache CarbonData: An indexed columnar file format for interactive query with Spark SQL

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Report & Dashboard



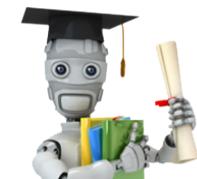
OLAP & Ad-hoc



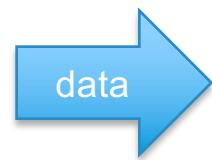
Batch processing



Real Time Analytics

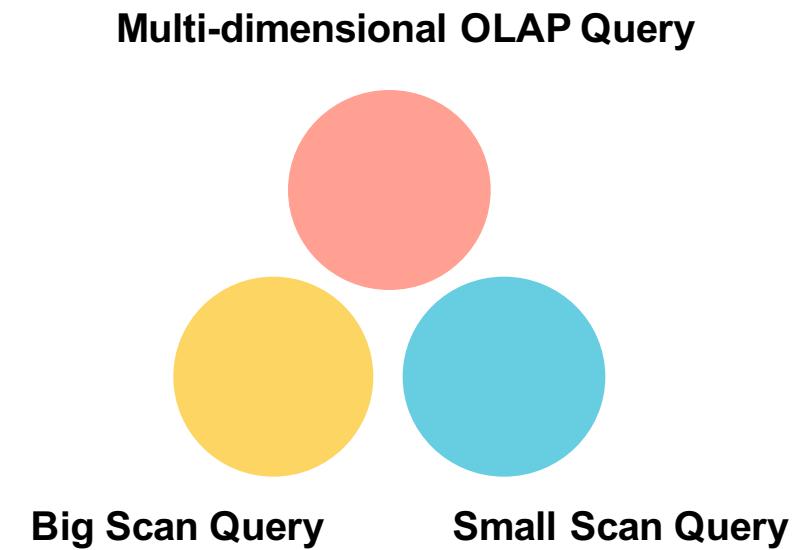


Machine learning



Challenge

- Wide Spectrum of Query Analysis
 - OLAP Vs Detailed Query
 - Full scan Vs Small scan
 - Point queries



How to choose storage engine to facilitate query execution?

Available Options

1. NoSQL Database

- Key-Value store: low latency, <5ms
- No Standard SQL support

2. MPP relational Database

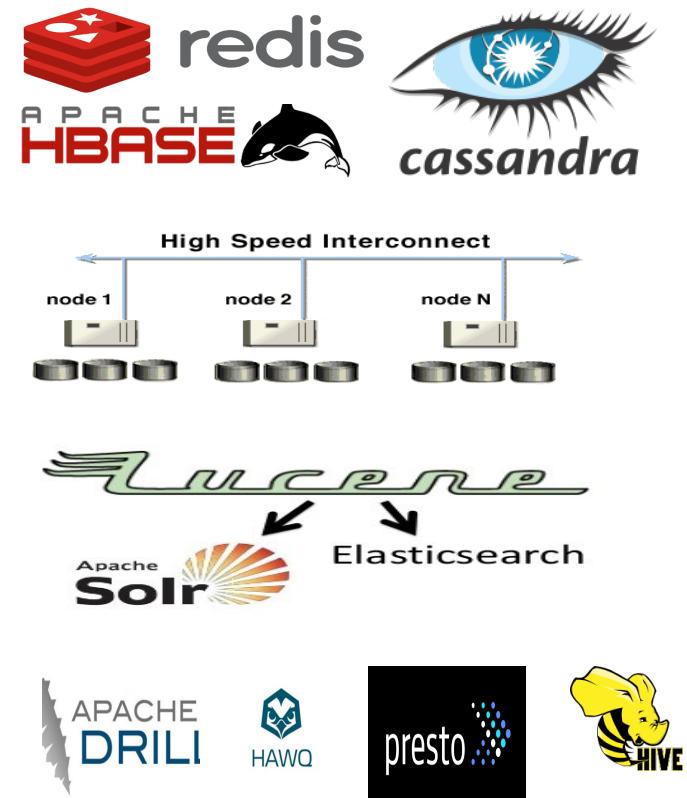
- Shared-nothing enables fast query execution
- Poor scalability: < 100 cluster size, no fault-tolerance

3. Search Engine

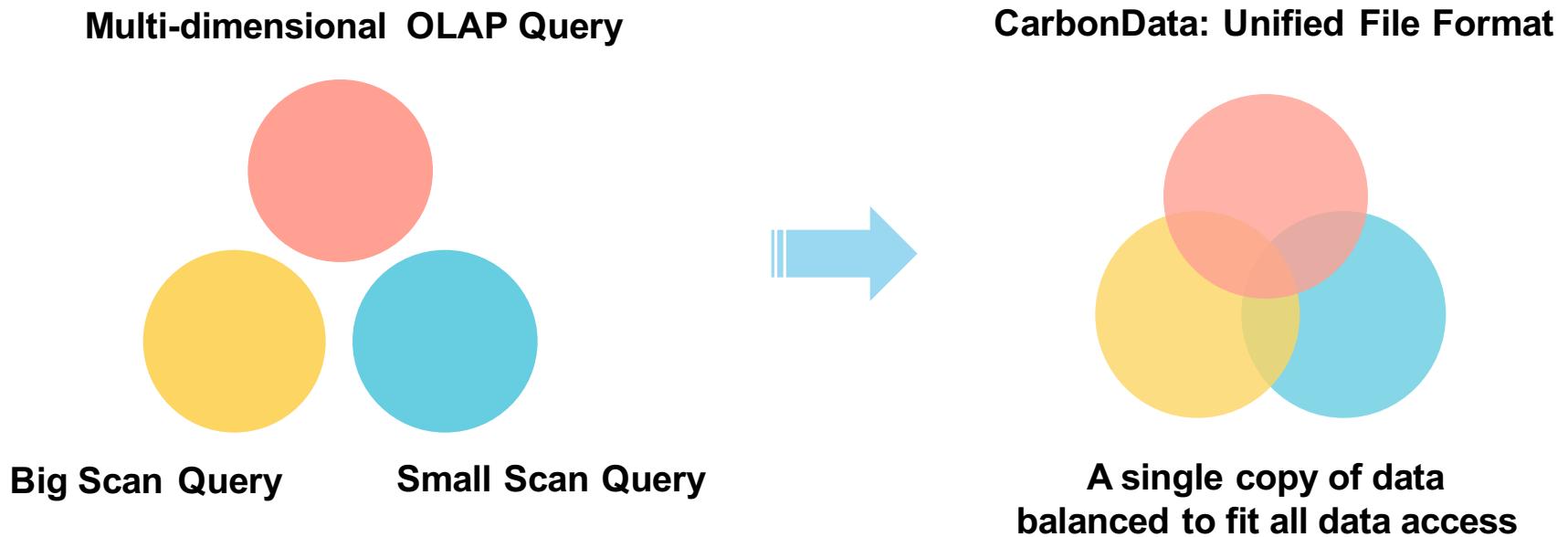
- Advanced indexing technique for fast search
- 3~4X data expansion in size, no SQL support

4. SQL on Hadoop

- Modern distributed architecture and high scalability
- Slow on point queries



Motivation for A New File Format

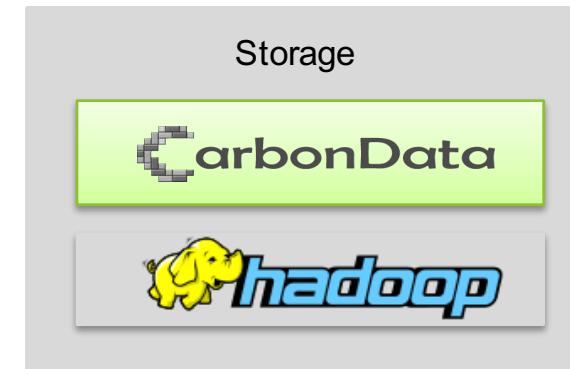
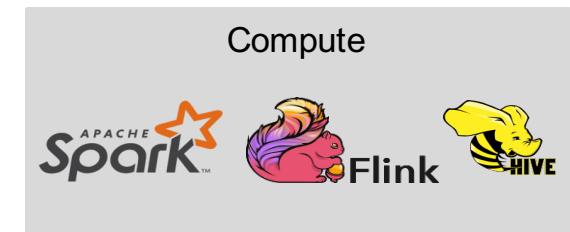


Apache CarbonData

- Apache Incubator Project since June, 2016
- Apache releases
 - 4 stable releases
 - **Latest 1.0.0, Jan 28, 2017**
- Contributors:



- In Production:



Introducing CarbonData

- 1 What is CarbonData file format?
- 2 What forms a CarbonData table on disk?
- 3 What it takes to deeply integrate with distributed processing engine like Spark?

CarbonData Integration with Spark

CarbonData Table

CarbonData File

CarbonData:

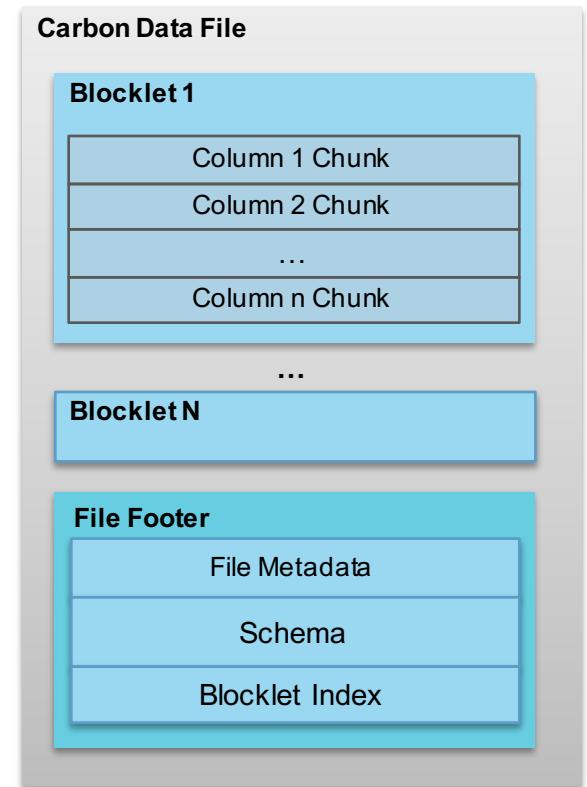
An Indexed Columnar File Format

CarbonData File Structure

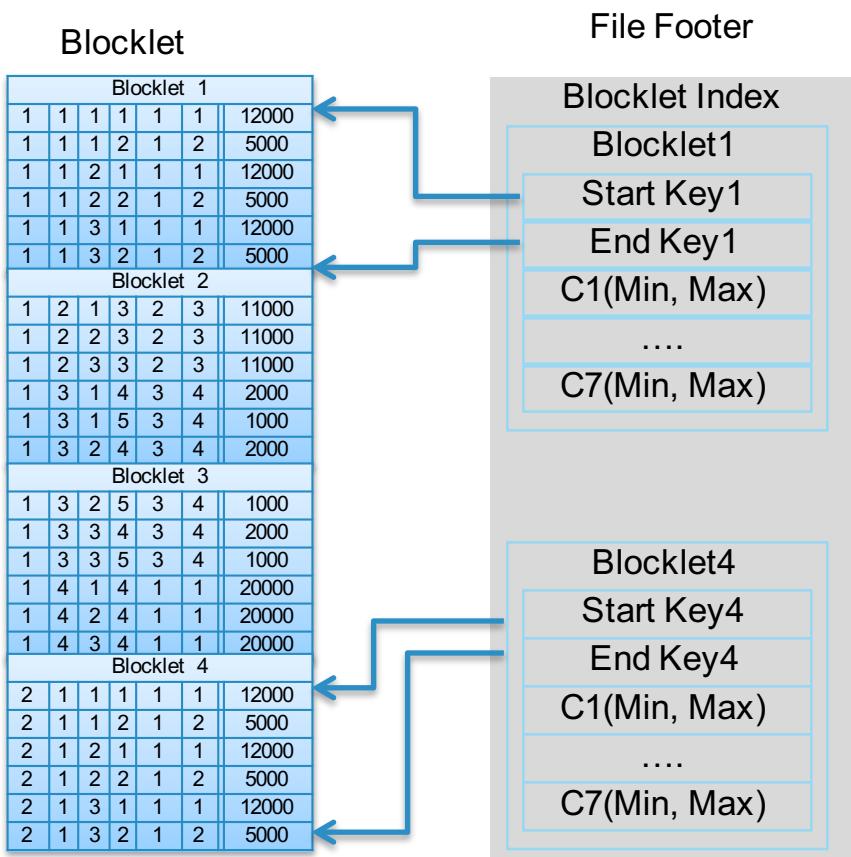
- **Built-in Columnar & Index**
 - Multi-dimensional Index (B+ Tree)
 - Min/Max index
 - Inverted index
- **Encoding:**
 - RLE, Delta, Global Dictionary
 - Snappy for compression
 - Adaptive Data Type Compression
- **Data Type:**
 - Primitive type and nested type

CarbonData File Layout

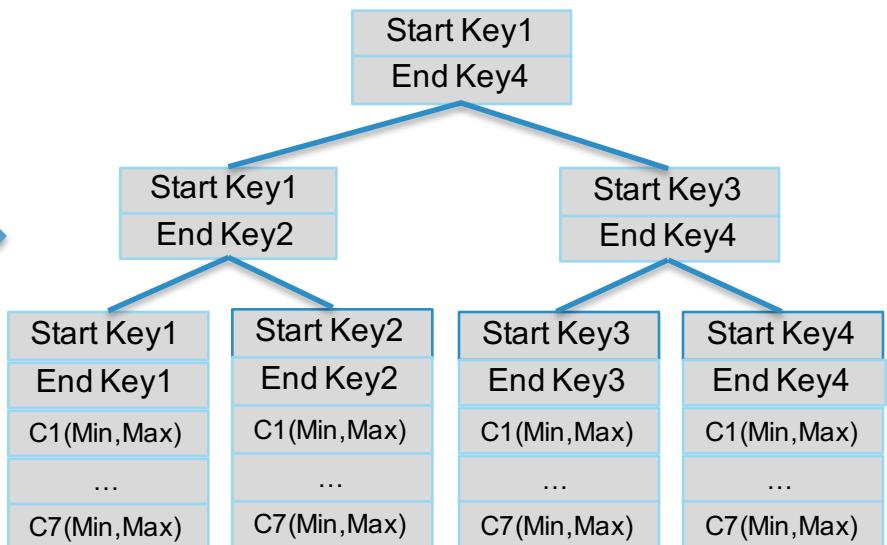
- **Blocklet:** A set of rows in columnar format
 - Data are sorted along MDK (multi-dimensional keys)
 - Clustered data enabling efficient filtering and scan
- **Column chunk:** Data for one column in a Blocklet
- **Footer:** Metadata information
 - File level metadata & statistics
 - Schema
 - Blocklet Index



File Level Blocklet Index

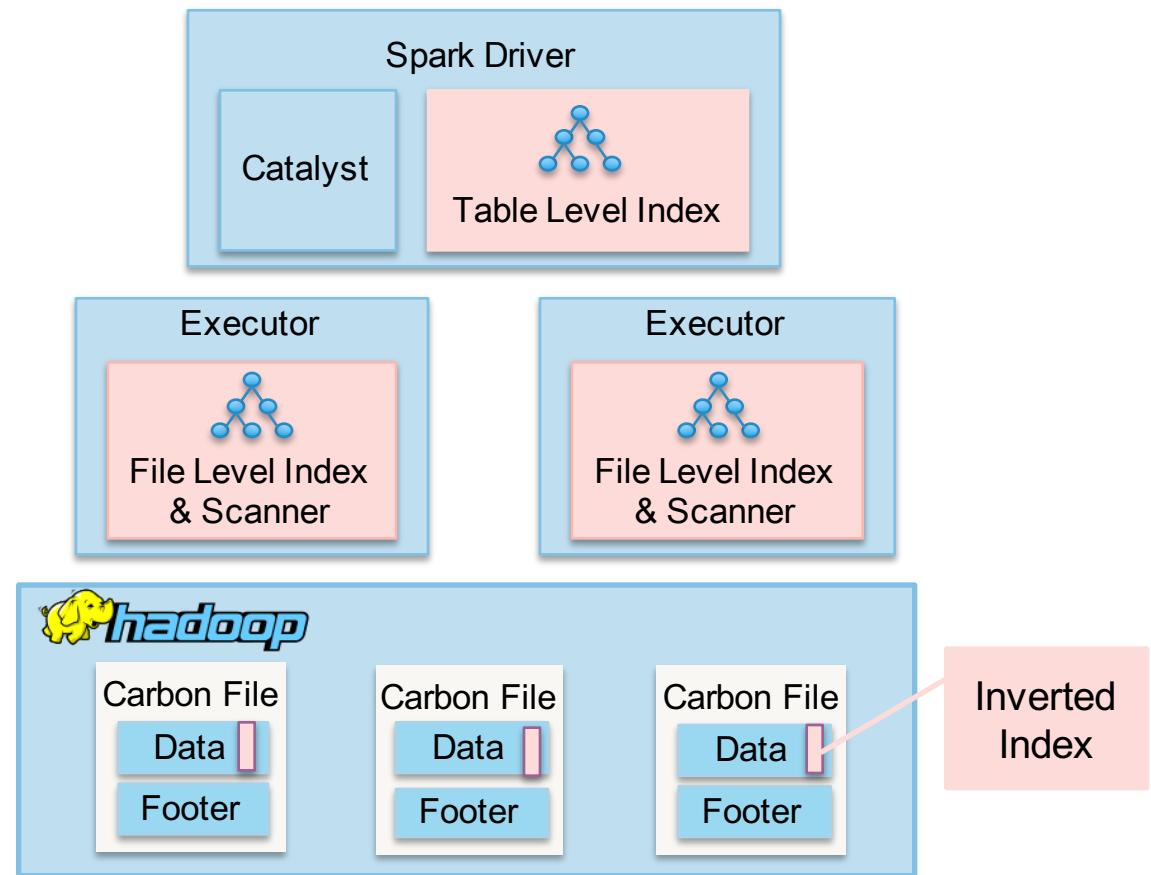


- Build in-memory file level MDK index tree for filtering
- Major optimization for efficient scan



Rich Multi-Level Index Support

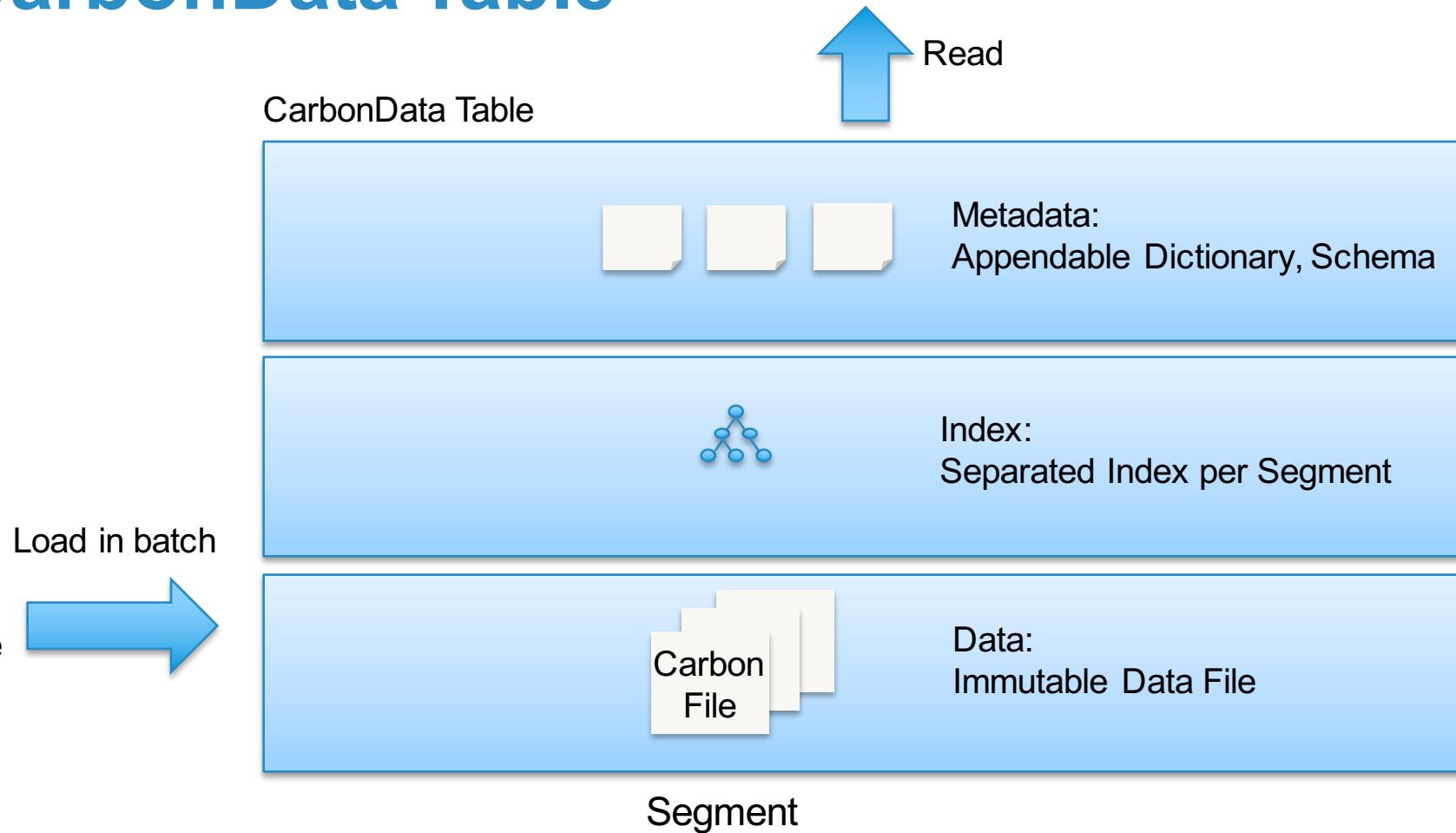
- Using the index info in footer, two level B+ tree index can be built:
 - File level index: local B+ tree, efficient blocklet level filtering
 - Table level index: global B+ tree, efficient file level filtering
- Column chunk inverted index: efficient column chunk scan



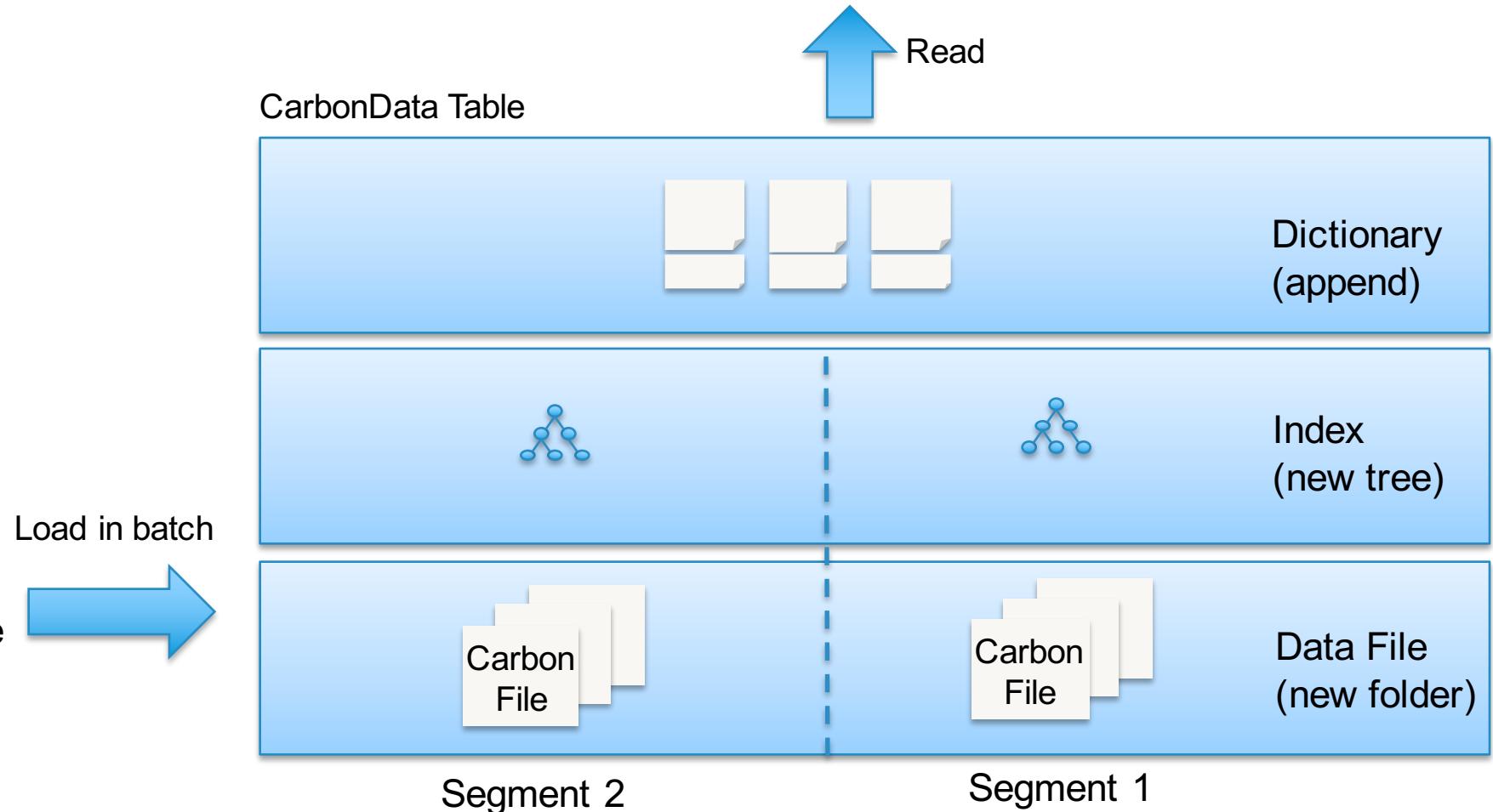
CarbonData Table:

Data Segment + Metadata

CarbonData Table

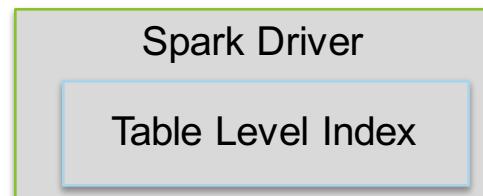


CarbonData Table



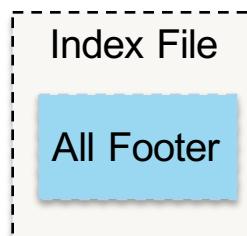
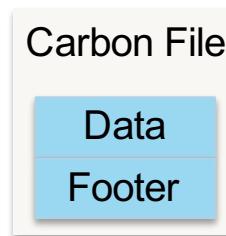
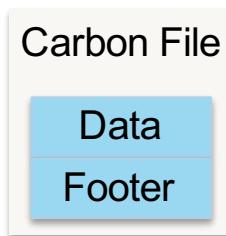
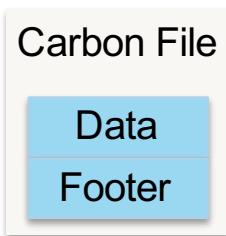
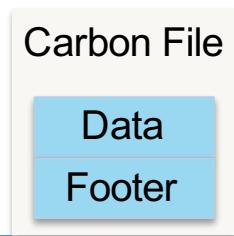
CarbonData Table Layout

Spark

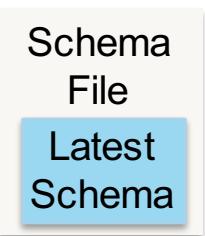


HDFS

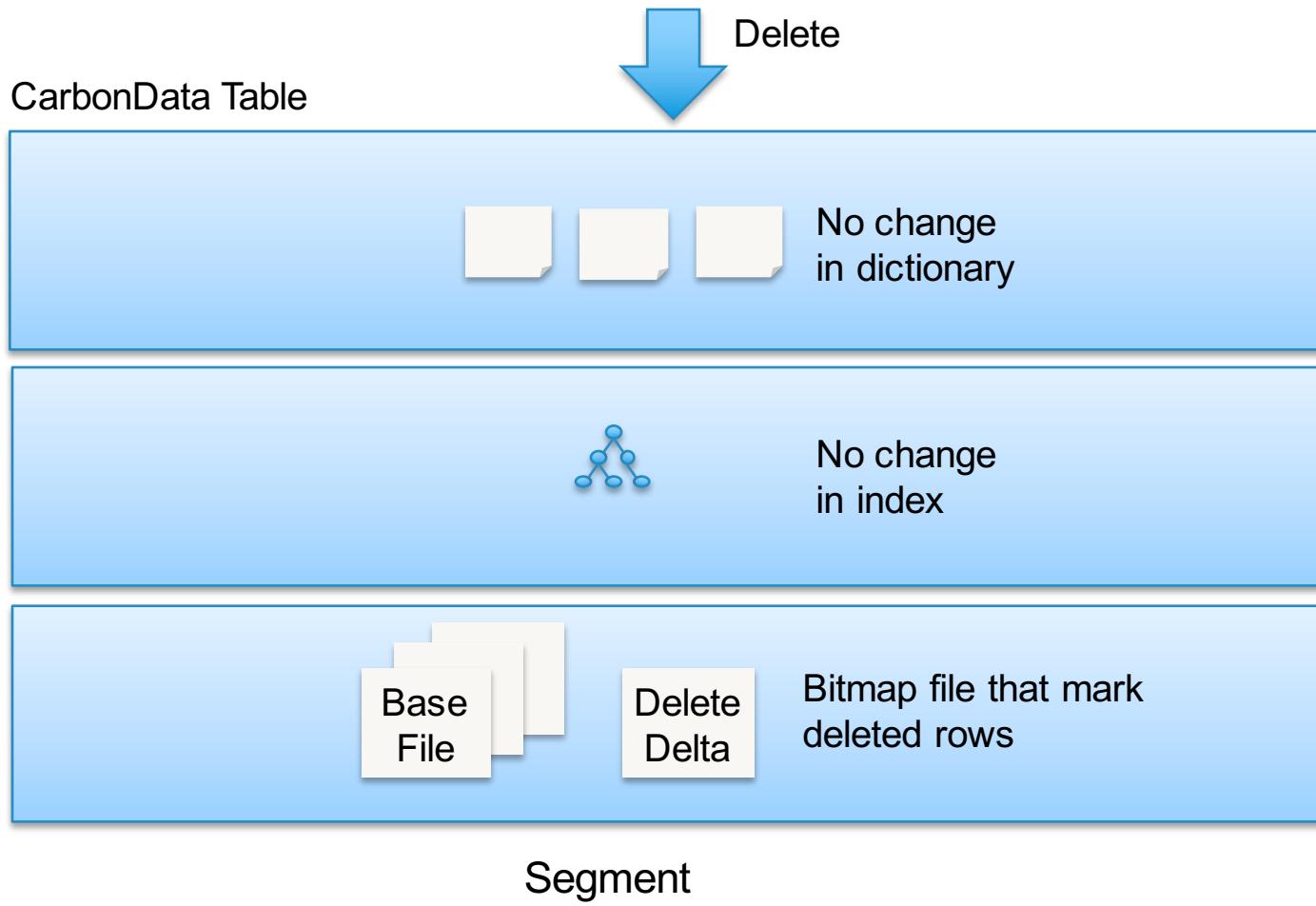
/table_name/fact/segment_id



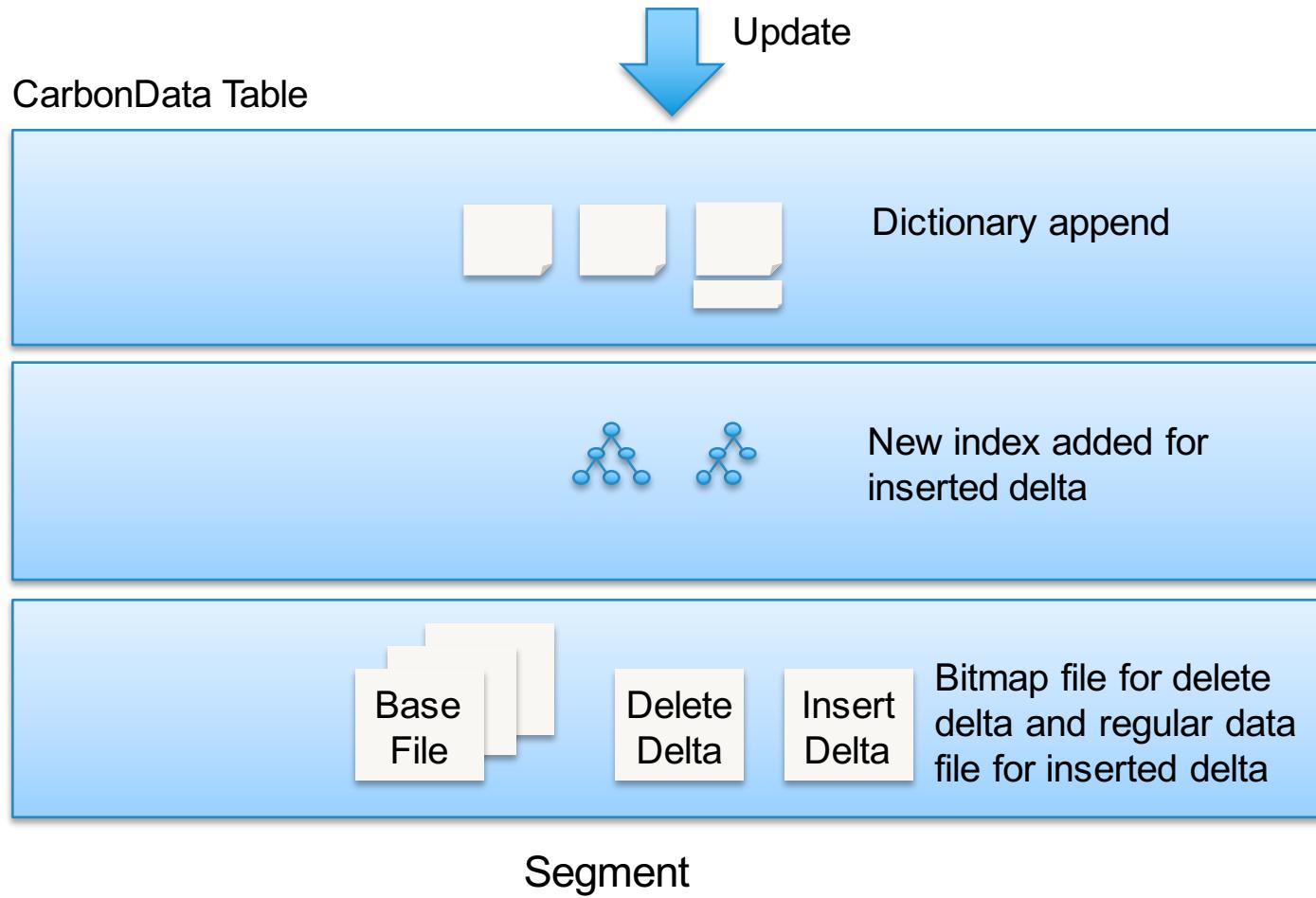
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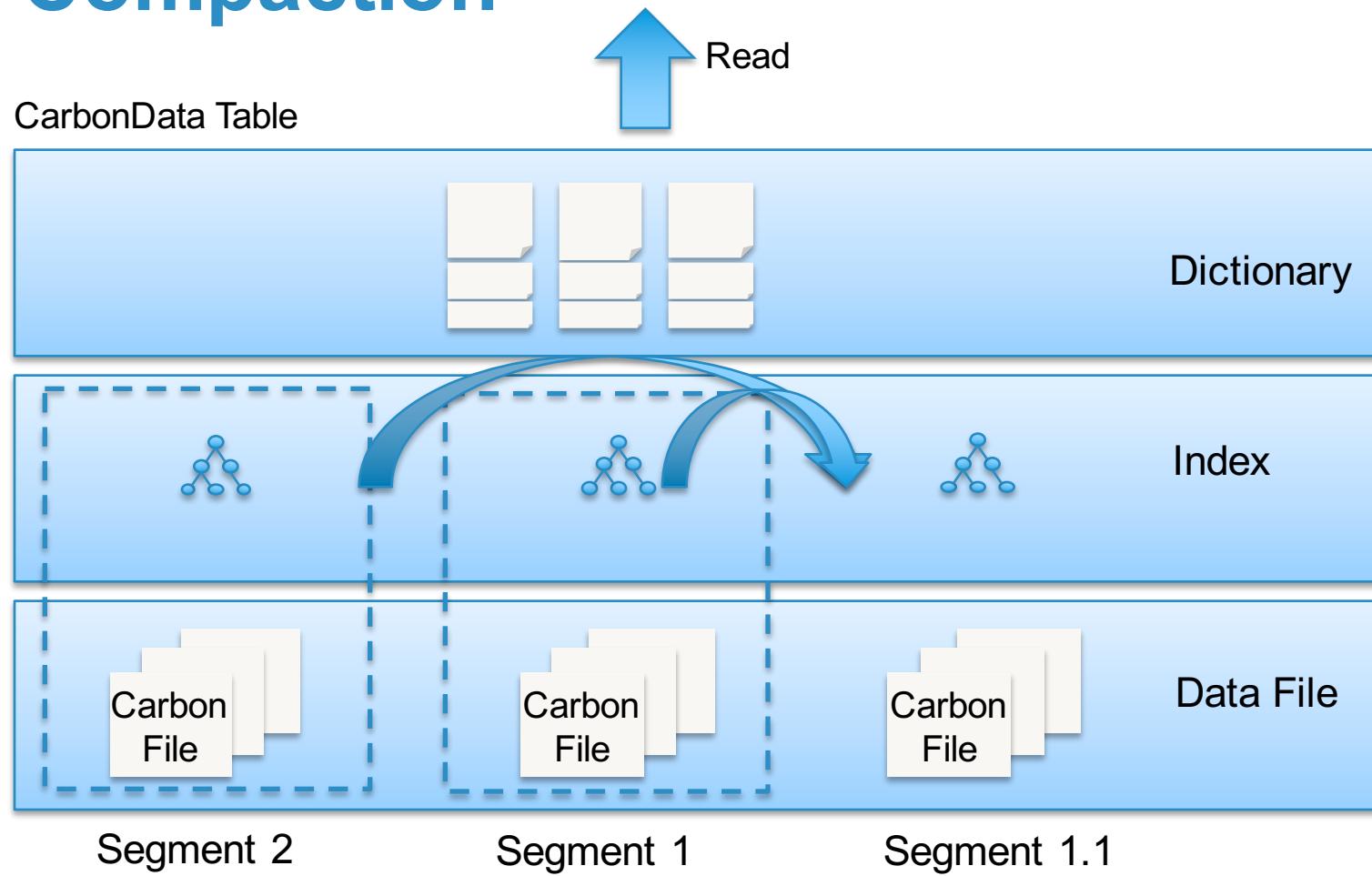
Mutation: Delete



Mutation: Update

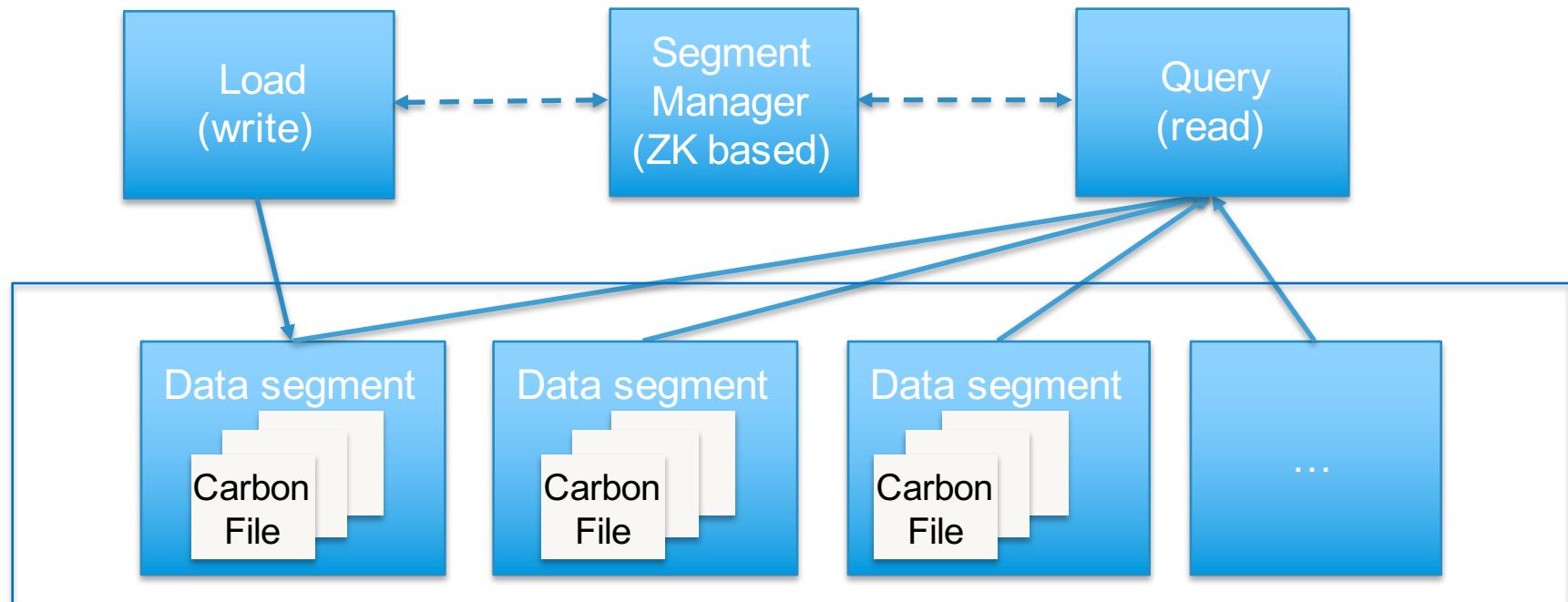


Data Compaction



Segment Management

Leveraging ZooKeeper to manage the Segment State

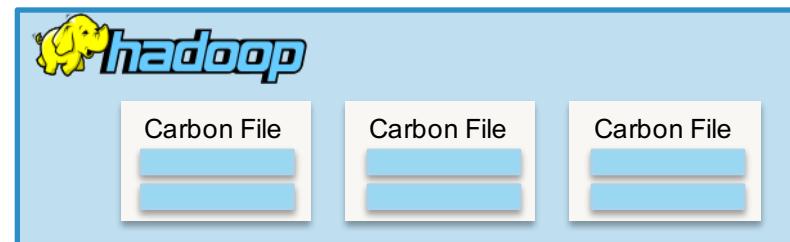


SparkSQL + CarbonData:

Enables fast interactive data analysis

Carbon-Spark Integration

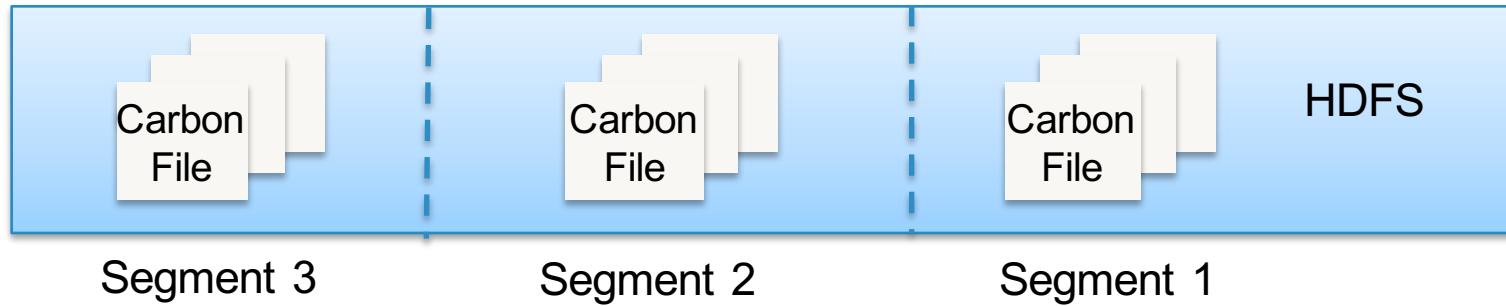
- Built-in Spark integration
 - Spark 1.5, 1.6, 2.1
- Interface
 - SQL
 - DataFrame API
- Operation:
 - Load, Query (with optimization)
 - Update, Delete, Compaction, etc



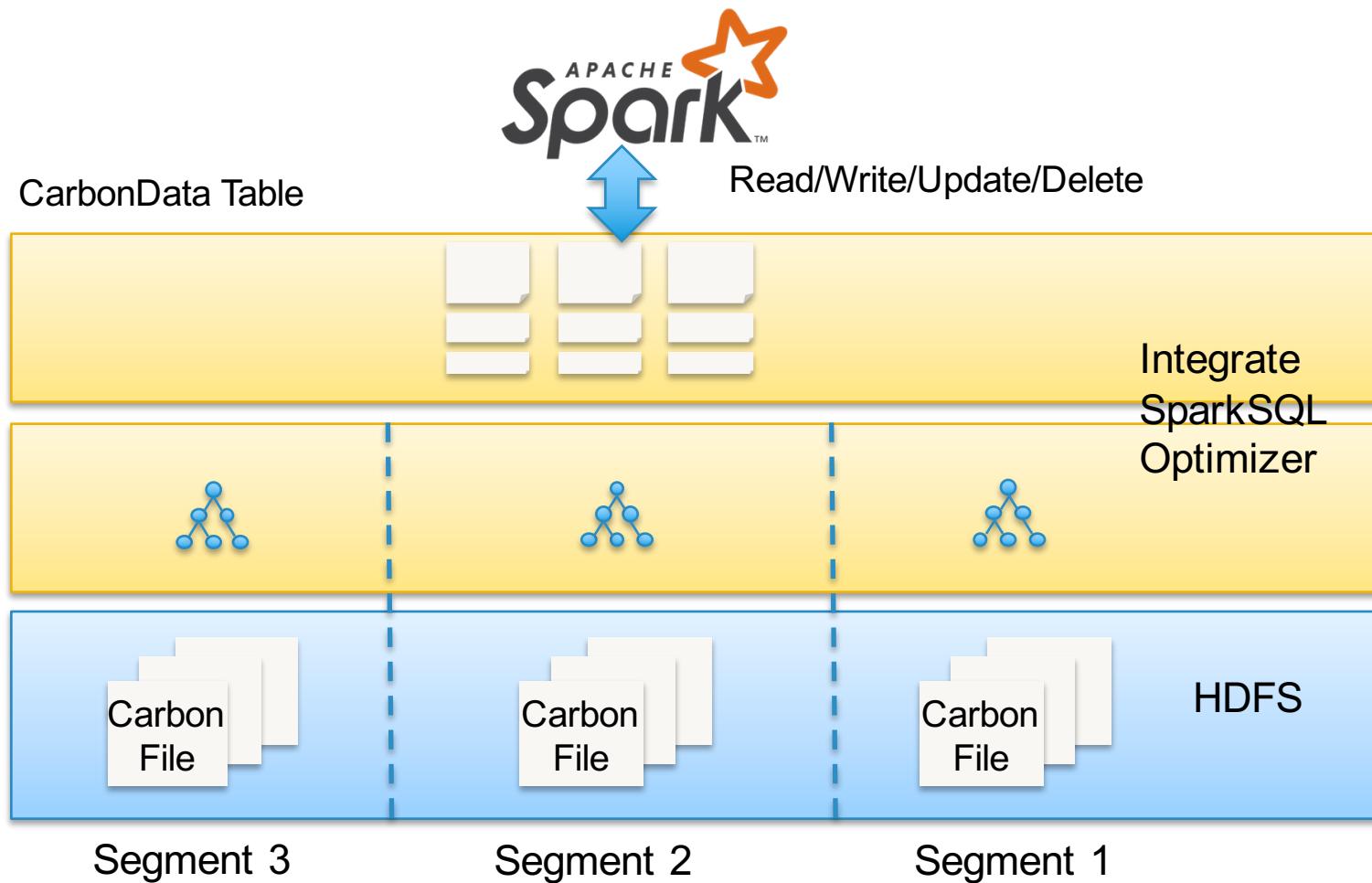
Integration through File Format



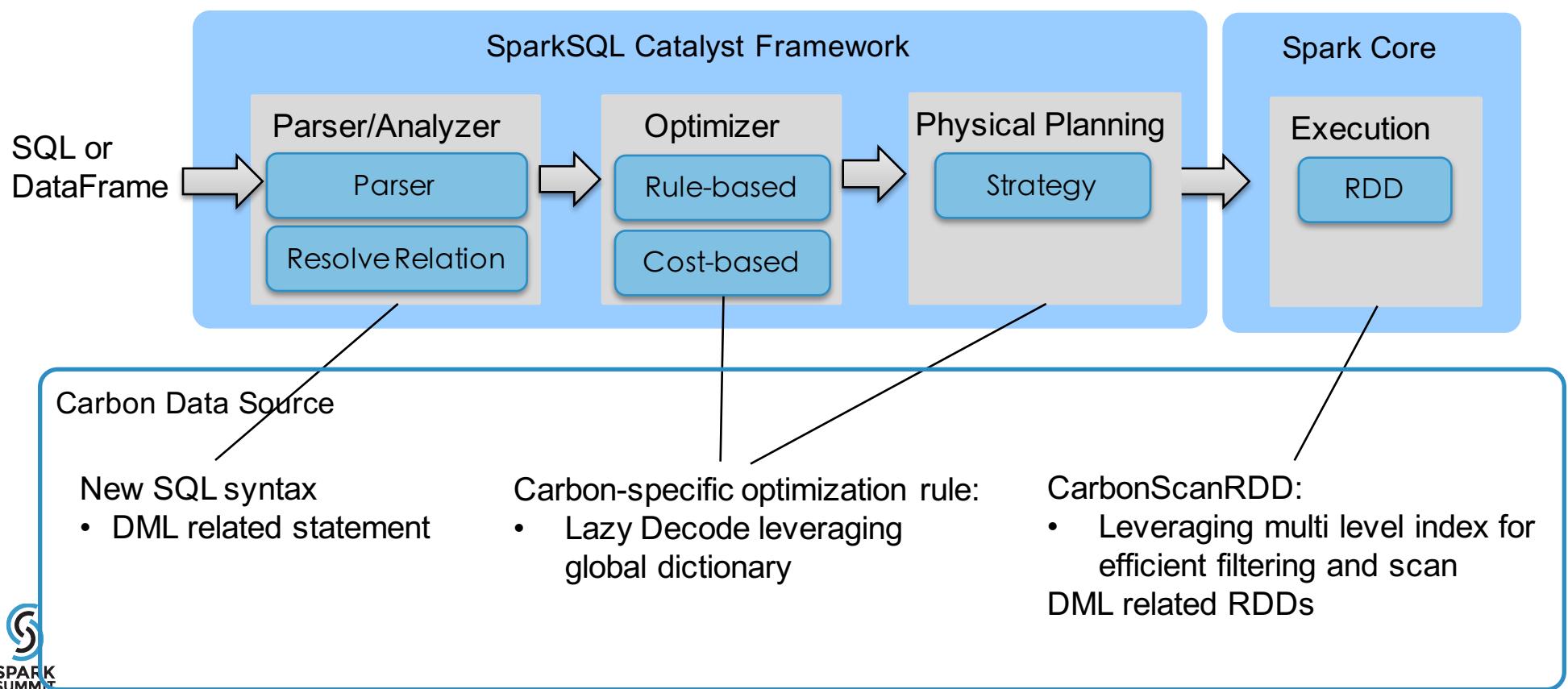
InputFormat/OutputFormat



Deep Integration with SparkSQL

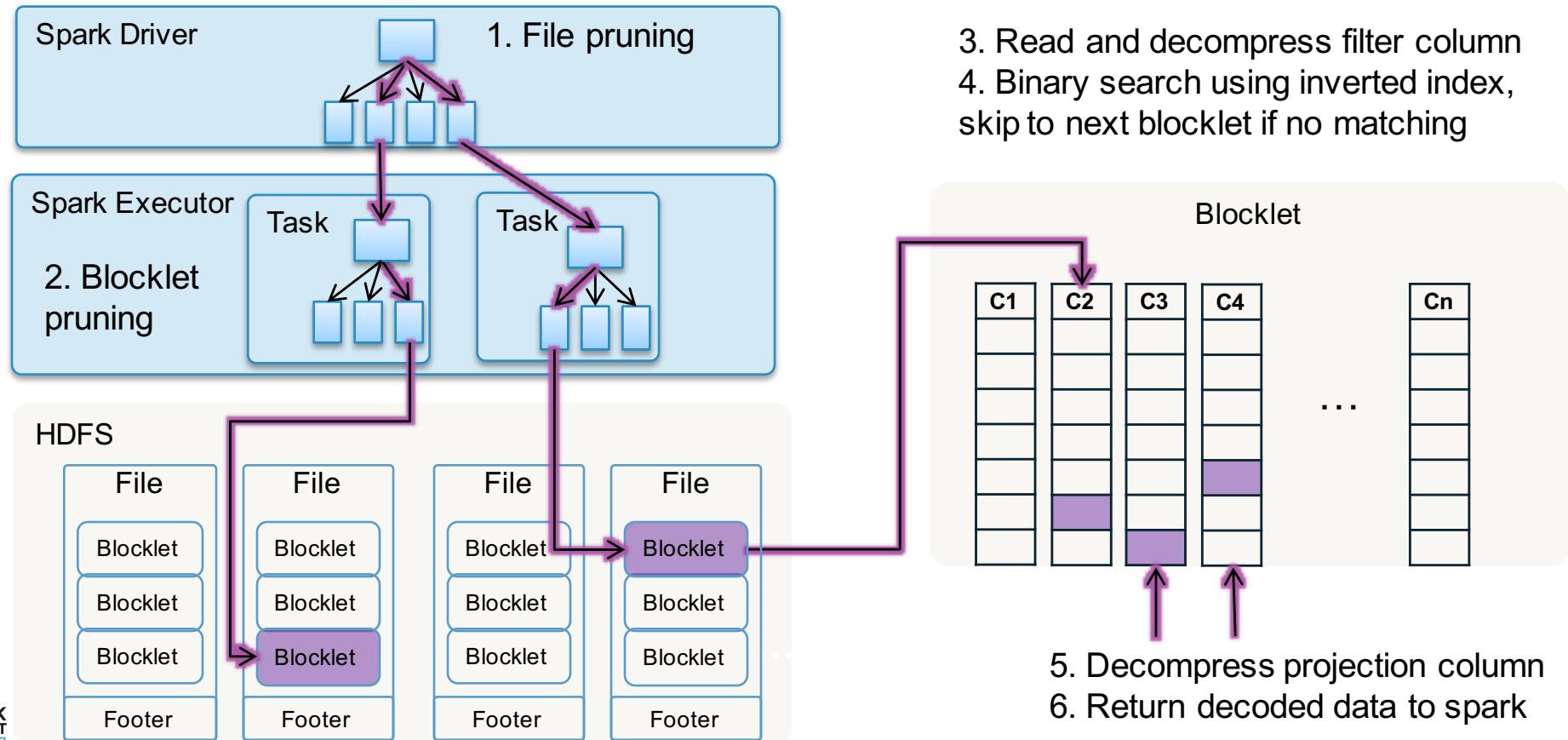


CarbonData as a SparkSQL Data Source



Efficient Filtering via Index

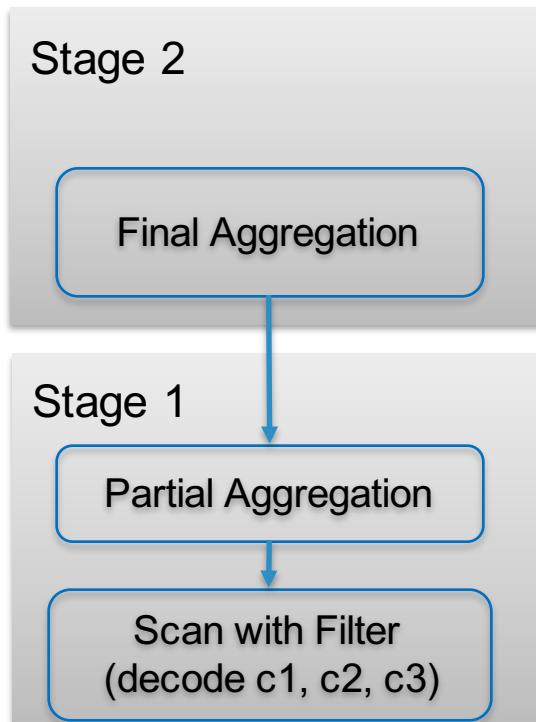
```
SELECT c3, c4 FROM t1 WHERE c2='boston'
```



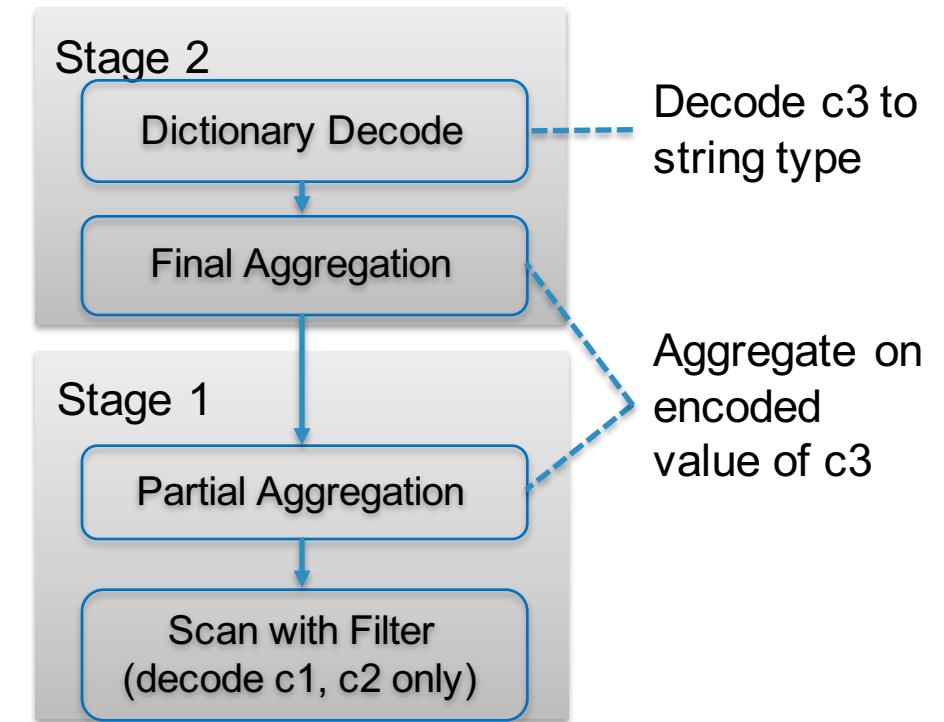
Lazy Decoding by Leveraging Global Dictionary

```
SELECT c3, sum(c2) FROM t1 WHERE c1>10 GROUP BY c3
```

Before applying Lazy Decode



After applying Lazy Decode



Usage: Write

- Using SQL

```
CREATE TABLE tablename (name String, PhoneNumber String) STORED BY "carbondata"  
LOAD DATA [LOCAL] INPATH 'folder path' [OVERWRITE] INTO TABLE tablename  
OPTIONS(property_name=property_value, ...)  
  
INSERT INTO TABLE tablename select_statement1 FROM table1;
```

- Using Dataframe

```
df.write  
  .format("carbondata")  
  .options("tableName", "t1")  
  .mode(SaveMode.Overwrite)  
  .save()
```

Usage: Read

- Using SQL

```
SELECT project_list FROM t1  
WHERE cond_list  
GROUP BY columns  
ORDER BY columns
```

- Using Dataframe

```
df = sparkSession.read  
    .format("carbondata")  
    .option("tableName", "t1")  
    .load("path_to_carbon_file")  
  
df.select(...).show
```

Usage: Update and Delete

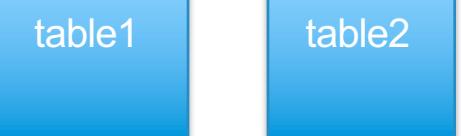
Modify one column in table1

```
UPDATE table1 A
SET A.REVENUE = A.REVENUE - 10
WHERE A.PRODUCT = 'phone'
```

phone, 70 60
car, 100
phone, 30 20

Modify two columns in table1 with values from table2

```
UPDATE table1 A
SET (A.PRODUCT, A.REVENUE) =
(
  SELECT PRODUCT, REVENUE
  FROM table2 B
  WHERE B.CITY = A.CITY AND B.BROKER = A.BROKER
)
WHERE A.DATE BETWEEN '2017-01-01' AND '2017-01-31'
```



Delete records in table1

```
DELETE FROM table1 A
WHERE A.CUSTOMERID = '123'
```

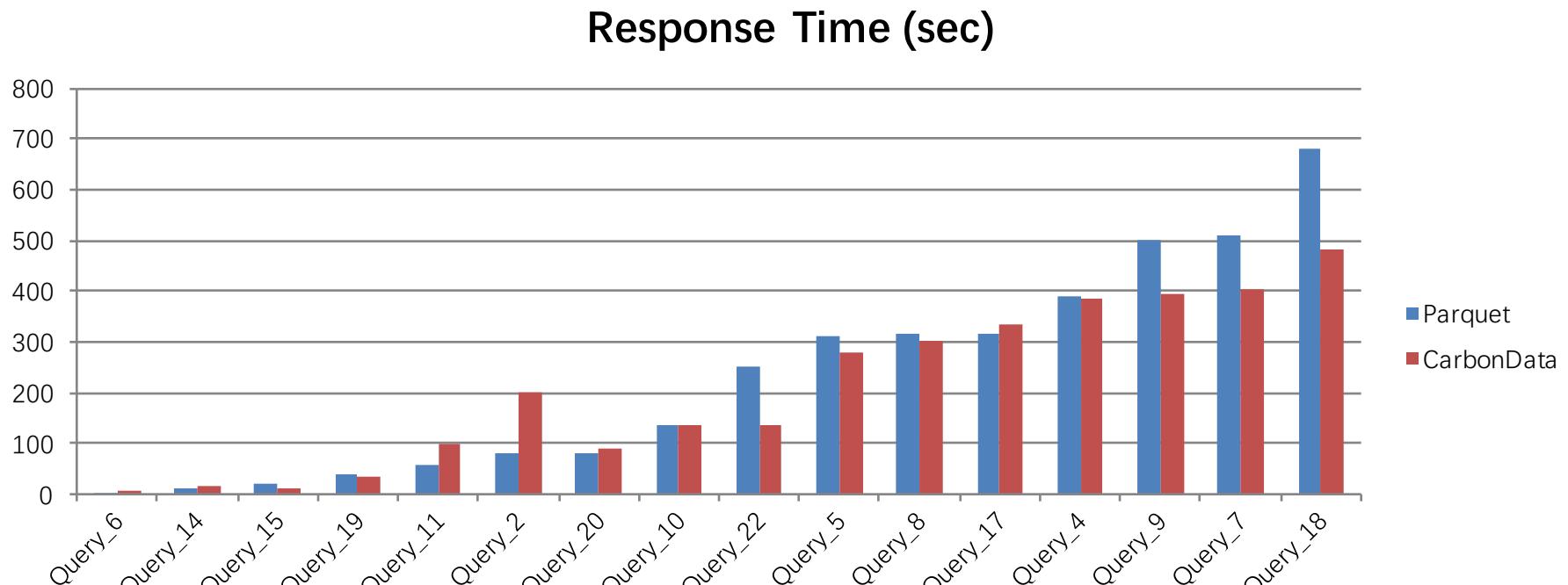
123,abc
456,jkd

Performance Result

Test

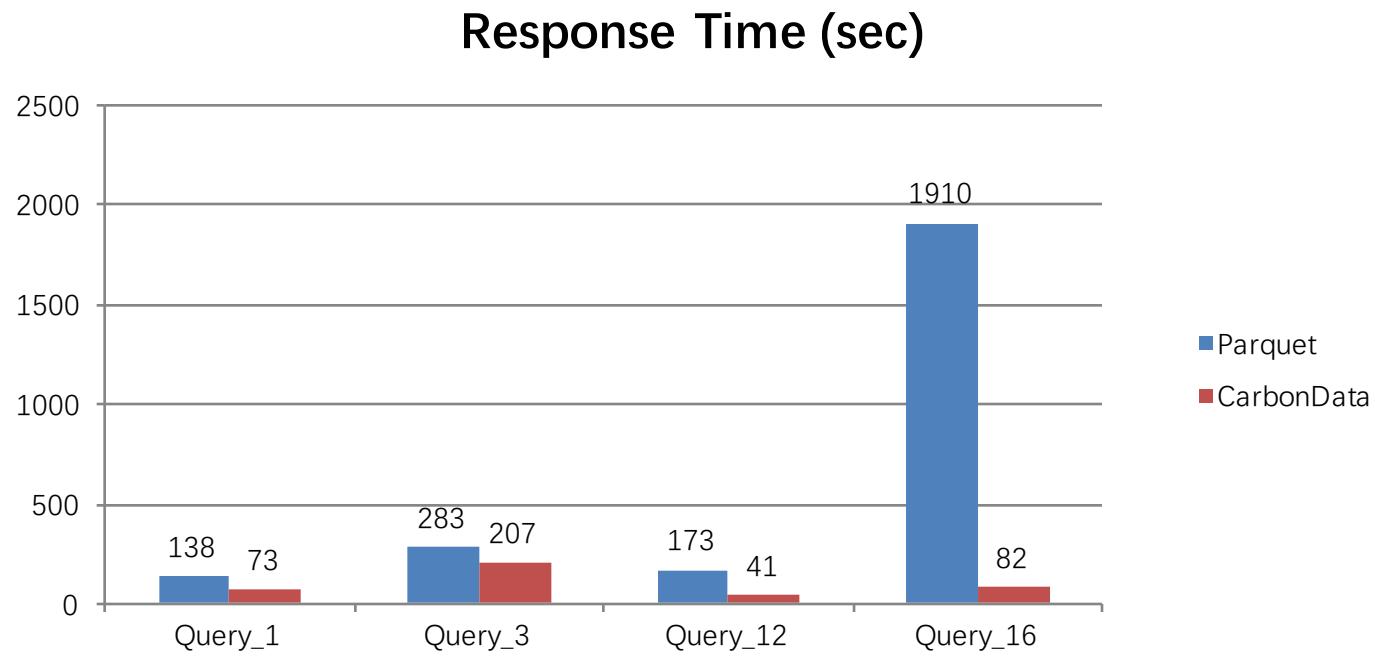
1. TPC-H benchmark (500GB)
 2. Test on Production Data Set (Billions of rows)
 3. Test on Large Data Set for Scalability (1000B rows, 103TB)
- Storage
 - Parquet:
 - Partitioned by time column (c1)
 - CarbonData:
 - Multi-dimensional Index by c1~c10
 - Compute
 - Spark 2.1

TPC-H: Query



For big scan queries, similar performance, $\pm 20\%$

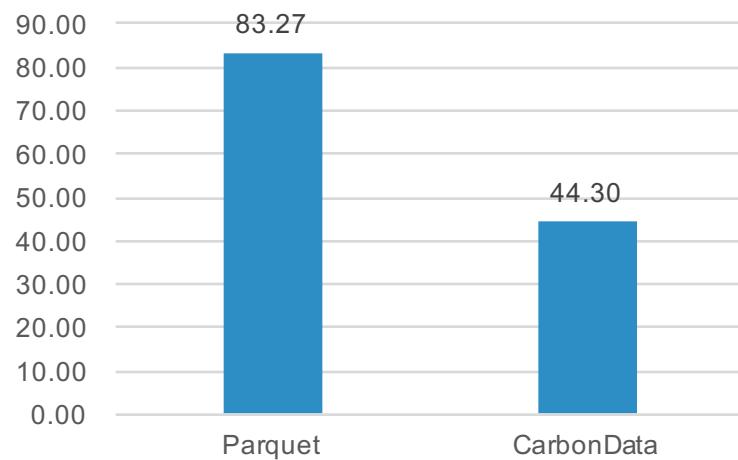
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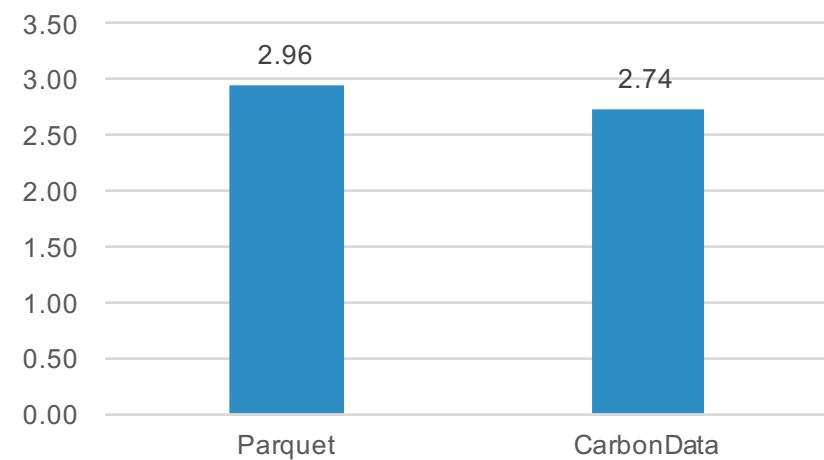
For queries include filter on fact table,
CarbonData get 1.5-20X performance by leveraging index

TPC-H: Loading and Compression

loading throughput (MB/sec/node)



compression ratio



Test on Production Data Set

Filter Query

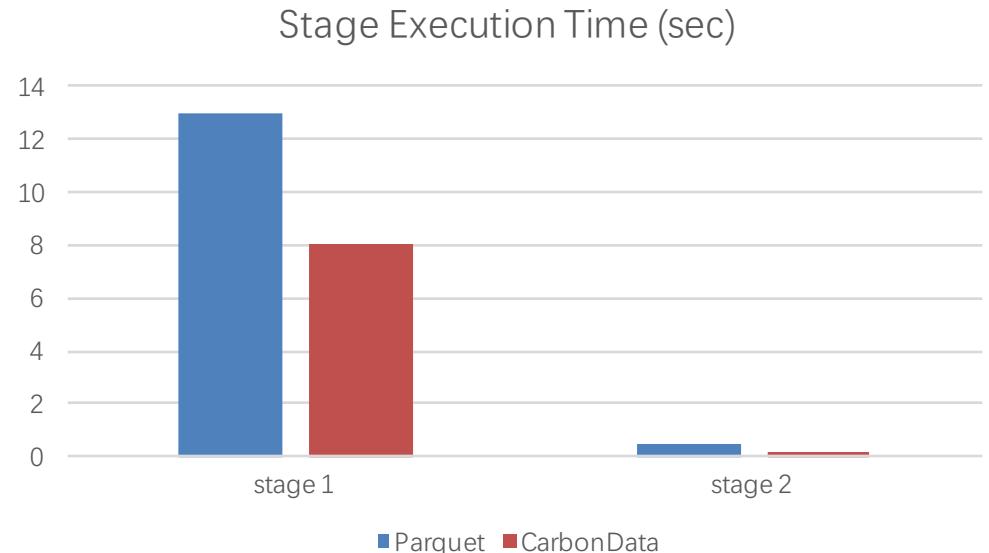
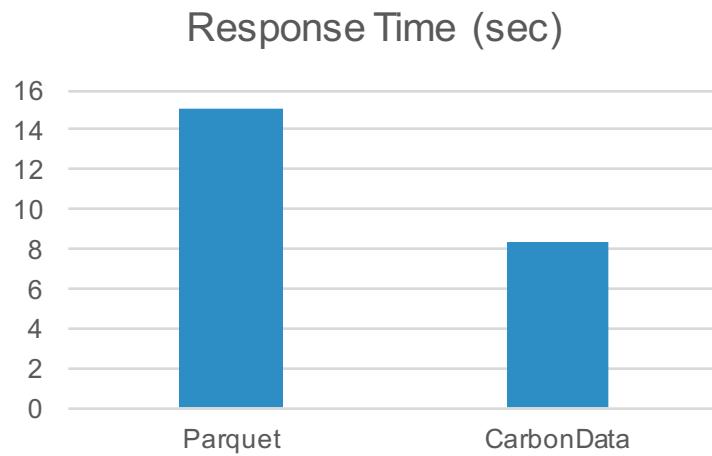
Query	Filter									Response Time (sec)		Number of Task	
	c1	c2	c3	c4	c5	c6	...	c10	Parquet	CarbonData	Parquet	CarbonData	
Q1	✓	✓	✓	✓					6.4	1.3	55	5	
Q2		✓	✓						65	1.3	804	5	
Q3	✓			✓					71	5.2	804	9	
Q5	✓				✓				64	4.7	804	9	
Q4		✓		✓					67	2.7	804	161	
Q6		✓				✓			62	3.7	804	161	
Q7			✓			✓			63	21.85	804	588	
Q8								✓	69	11.2	804	645	

Observation:

Less scan task (resource) is needed because of more efficient filtering by leveraging multi-level index

Test on Production Data Set

Aggregation Query: no filter, group by c5 (dictionary encoded column)



Observation: both partial aggregation and final aggregation are faster, because aggregation operates on dictionary encoded value

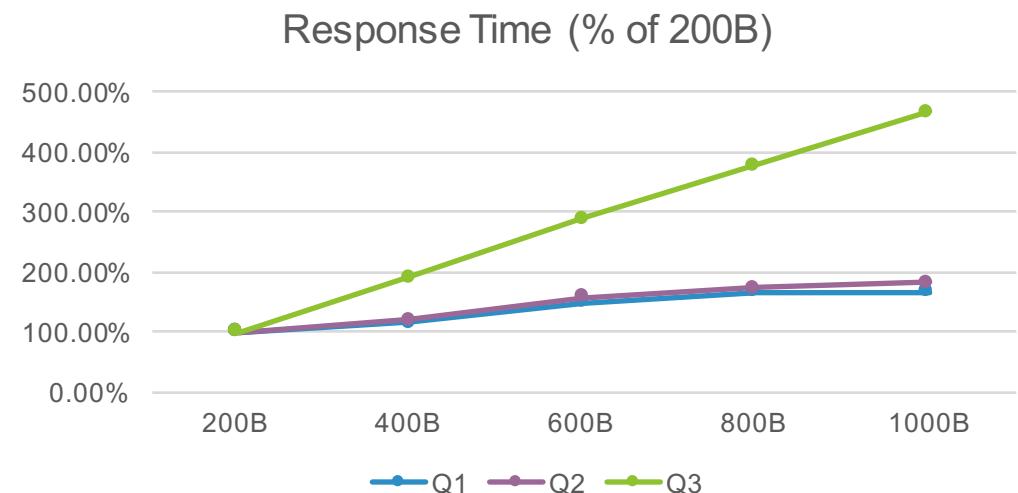
Test on large data set

Data: 200 to 1000 Billion Rows (half year of telecom data in one china province)

Cluster: 70 nodes, 1120 cores

Query:

- Q1: filter (c1~c4), select *
- Q2: filter (c10), select *
- Q3: full scan aggregate



Observation

When data increase:

- Index is efficient to reduce response time for IO bound query: Q1, Q2
- Spark can scale linearly for CPU bound query: Q3

What's Coming Next

What's coming next

- Enhancement on data loading & compression
- Streaming Ingest:
 - Introduce row-based format for fast ingestion
 - Gradually compact row-based to column-based for analytic workload
 - Optimization for time series data
- Broader Integration across big data ecosystem: Beam, Flink, Kafka, Kylin



- Love feedbacks, try out, any kind of contribution!
 - Code: <https://github.com/apache/incubator-carbondata>
 - JIRA: <https://issues.apache.org/jira/browse/CARBONDATA>
 - dev mailing list: dev@carbondata.incubator.apache.org
 - Website: <http://carbondata.incubator.apache.org>
- **Current Contributor: 64**
- **Monthly resolved JIRA issue: 100+**

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