

IERG 4300 Spring 2019 Homework #0

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Q1 [100 marks + 20 bonus marks]: Hadoop Cluster Setup

Hadoop is an open-source software framework used for distributed storage and processing. In this problem, you are required to setup a Hadoop cluster using Amazon EC2, or Google Compute Engine. References [1] and [2] provide the tutorial for each platform respectively.

In order to setup a Hadoop cluster with multiple virtual machines (VM), you can setup a single-node Hadoop cluster for each VM first [3]. Then modify the configuration file in each node to setup a Hadoop cluster with multiple nodes. References [4], [6], [7] provide the setup instruction for a Hadoop cluster.

a. [20 marks] Single-node Hadoop Setup

In this part, you need to setup a single-node Hadoop cluster in a pseudo-distributed mode, and run the Terasort example on your Hadoop cluster.

- i. Setup a single-node Hadoop cluster (**Hadoop version: 2.9.x**). Print the page of <http://localhost:50070> to verify that your installation is successful.
- ii. After installing a single-node hadoop cluster, you need to run the Terasort example[5] on it. You need to record all your key steps, including your commands and output. Following commands may be useful:

```
$ ./bin/hadoop jar \
    ./share/hadoop/mapreduce/hadoop-mapreduce-examples-2.9.2.jar \
    teragen 100000 terasort/input
                                     //generate the data for sorting
$ ./bin/hadoop jar \
    ./share/hadoop/mapreduce/hadoop-mapreduce-examples-2.9.2.jar \
    terasort terasort/input terasort/output
                                     //terasort the generated data
$ ./bin/hadoop jar \
    ./share/hadoop/mapreduce/hadoop-mapreduce-examples-2.9.2.jar \
    teravalidate terasort/output terasort/check
                                     //validate the output is sorted
```

b. [40 marks] Multi-node Hadoop Cluster Setup

After you setup a single-node Hadoop cluster in each VM, you can modify the configuration files in each node to setup the multi-node Hadoop cluster.

- i. Install and setup a multi-node Hadoop cluster **with 4VMs (1 Master and 3 Slaves)**. Use the 'jps' command to verify all the processes are running.
- ii. In this part, you need to use the 'teragen' command to generate 2 different data-sets of size 2GB and 20GB to serve as input for the Terasort program. Then, run the Terasort code again for these different datasets and compare their running time.

Hints: Keep an image for your Hadoop cluster. You would need to use the Hadoop cluster again for subsequent homework assignments

c. **[40 marks]** Running the Python Code on Hadoop

Hadoop streaming is a utility that comes with the Hadoop distribution. This utility allows you to create and run MapReduce jobs with any executable or script as the mapper and/or the reducer. In this part, you need to run the Python wordcount script to handle the Shakespeare dataset[8] via Hadoop streaming.

- i. Reference [9] introduces the method to run a Python wordcount script via Hadoop streaming. You can also download the script from the reference[10].
- ii. Run the Python wordcount script and record the running time. Following command may be useful:

```
$ ./bin/hadoop jar \
    ./share/hadoop/tools/lib/hadoop-streaming-2.9.2.jar \
    -file mapper.py -mapper mapper.py \
    -file reducer.py -reducer reducer.py \
    -input input/* \
    -output output
//submit a Python program via Hadoop streaming
```

d. **[Bonus 20 marks]** Compiling the Java WordCount program for MapReduce

The Hadoop framework is written in Java. You can easily compile and submit a Java MapReduce job. In this part, you need to compile and run your own Java wordcount program to process the Shakespeare dataset [8].

- i. In order to compile the Java MapReduce program, you may need to use “hadoop classpath” command to get all Hadoop jars. Or you can simply copy all dependency jars in a directory and use them for compilation. Reference [11] introduces the method to compile and run a Java wordcount program in the Hadoop cluster. You can also download the Java wordcount program from reference [10].
- ii. Run the Java wordcount program and compare the running time with the part c.

Part (d) is a bonus question for IERG 4300 but required for ESTR 4300.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. Please download Putty from the website <https://www.putty.org/> and avoid using the default private key. Failure to do so will subject your AWS account/ Hadoop cluster to hijacking.
2. Launching instances with Ubuntu 14.04 LTS is recommended. Hadoop version 2.9.x is recommended. Older version of Hadoop may have vulnerabilities which can be exploited by hackers to launch DoS attacks.
3. (AWS) For the VM, you are recommended to use the t2.large instance type with 30GB hard disk, which consists of 2 CPU cores and 8GB RAM.
4. (Google) For the VM, you are recommended to use the n1-standard-2 instance type with 30GB hard disk, which consists of 2 CPU cores and 7.5GB RAM.
5. When following the given references, you may need to modify the commands according to your own environment, e.g., file location, etc.

6. After installing a single-node Hadoop, you can save the system image and launch copies of the VM with that image. This can simplify your process of installing the single-node Hadoop cluster on each VM.
7. Keep an image for your Hadoop cluster. You would need to use the Hadoop cluster again for subsequent homework assignment.
8. Only if your AWS Educate account and Google Cloud account can not be approved by Amazon and Google, send an email to handasontam@gmail.com to get a template AWS account for the Homework#0. There are 50 USD in the account, which is enough for you to complete Homework#0.

Submission Requirements:

1. Include all the key steps, together with screenshots, into a **SINGLE PDF** report.

References:

- [1] Google Compute Engine Tutorial: <https://cloud.google.com/compute/docs/quickstart>
- [2] AWS Tutorial: <https://aws.amazon.com/getting-started>
- [3] Single-Node Hadoop setup:
<https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/stable/hadoop-project-dist/hadoop-common/SingleNode.html>
- [4] Multi-node Hadoop cluster setup:
<https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/stable/hadoop-project-dist/hadoop-common/ClusterSetup.html>
- [5] Terasort example:
<https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/r2.9.2/api/org/apache/hadoop/examples/terasort/package-summary.html>
- [6] Multi-node Hadoop cluster setup:
https://www.tutorialspoint.com/hadoop/hadoop_multi_node_cluster.htm
- [7] Multi-node Hadoop cluster setup:
<https://www.edureka.co/blog/setting-up-a-multi-node-cluster-in-hadoop-2.X>
- [8] Shakespeare dataset
<https://www.dropbox.com/s/lrlgz50m88j6fpc/Large%20Dataset.txt?dl=0>
- [9] Writing an hadoop mapreduce program in python
<http://www.michael-noll.com/tutorials/writing-an-hadoop-mapreduce-program-in-python/>
- [10] MapReduce wordcount program
https://www.dropbox.com/s/kdhlzkcajq1g5h1/MapReduce_WordCount.zip?dl=0
- [11] Compile and run Java MapReduce program
<https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/stable/hadoop-mapreduce-client/hadoop-mapreduce-client-core/MapReduceTutorial.html>