Introduction to Elastic MapReduce

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Getting Started with Hadoop

- Hadoop is not all that difficult to start working with.
- For example, you can download Hadoop from hadoop.apache.org
- To install locally, unzip and set JAVA_HOME
- Details: hadoop.apache.org/core/docs/current/quickstart.html
- Several ways to write jobs:
 - Java API
 - Hadoop Streaming (for Python, Perl, R, Ruby, etc.)
 - Pipes API (C++)
- If you want to do very sophisticated work and create special map/reduce procedures you have few options. You have learn one of Hadoop's API-s

Elastic MapReduce

- Amazon Elastic MapReduce is a web service that utilizes a hosted Hadoop framework running on the web-scale infrastructure of Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2) and Amazon Simple Storage Service (Amazon S3).
- Using Amazon Elastic MapReduce, you can instantly provision as much or as little capacity as you like to perform data-intensive tasks for applications such as web indexing, data mining, log file analysis, machine learning, financial analysis, scientific simulation, and bioinformatics research.

Benefits of Elastic MapReduce

- Amazon Elastic MapReduce lets you focus on crunching or analyzing your data without having to worry about timeconsuming set-up, management or tuning of Hadoop clusters or the harvdware capacity upon which they sit.
- Amazon Elastic MapReduce automatically sub-divides the data in a job flow into smaller chunks so that data can be processed (the "map" function) in parallel, and eventually recombining the processed data into the final solution (the "reduce" function).
- Amazon S3 serves as the source for the data being analyzed, and as the output destination for the end results.

Elastic MapReduce Functionality

- Develop your data processing application.
- Amazon Elastic MapReduce enables job flows to be developed in SQL-like languages, such as Hive and Pig.
- If desired, more sophisticated applications can be run in: Java, Ruby, Perl, Python, PHP, R, or C++.
- Upload your data and your processing application into Amazon S3.
- Log in to the AWS Management Console to start an Amazon Elastic MapReduce "job flow." Alternatively you can start a job flow by specifying the same information mentioned above via our Command Line Tools or APIs.
- Monitor the progress of your job flow(s) directly from the AWS Management Console, Command Line Tools or APIs.

Service Highlights

- Amazon Elastic MapReduce enables you to use as many or as few compute instances running Hadoop as you want. You can commission one, hundreds, or even thousands of instances.
- You don't need to worry about setting up, running, or tuning the performance of Hadoop clusters.
- Amazon Elastic MapReduce is built on Amazon's highly reliable infrastructure, and has tuned Hadoop's performance specifically for Amazon's infrastructure environment.
- Amazon Elastic MapReduce is designed to integrate easily with other AWS services such as Amazon S3 and EC2.
- Secure and inexpensive.

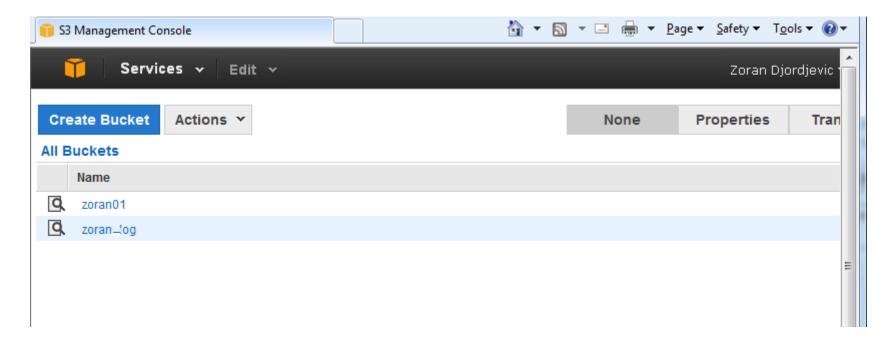
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Region: US East (N. Virginia)		
Standard On-Demand Instances	Amazon EC2 Price	Amazon Elastic MapReduce Price
Small (Default)	\$0.065 per hour	\$0.015 per hour
Large	\$0.26 per hour	\$0.06 per hour
Extra Large	\$0.52 per hour	\$0.12 per hour
Hi-Memory On-Demand Instances		
Extra Large	\$0.45 per hour	\$0.09 per hour
Double Extra Large	\$0.90 per hour	\$0.21 per hour
Quadruple Extra Large	\$1.80 per hour	\$0.42 per hour
Hi-CPU On-Demand Instances		
Medium	\$0.165 per hour	\$0.03 per hour
Extra Large	\$0.66 per hour	\$0.12 per hour
Cluster Compute On-Demand Instances		
Quadruple Extra Large	\$1.30 per hour	\$0.27 per hour
Cluster Compute Eight Extra Large	\$2.40 per hour	\$0.50 per hour
Cluster GPU On-Demand Instances		
Quadruple Extra Large	\$2.10 per hour	\$0.42 per hour

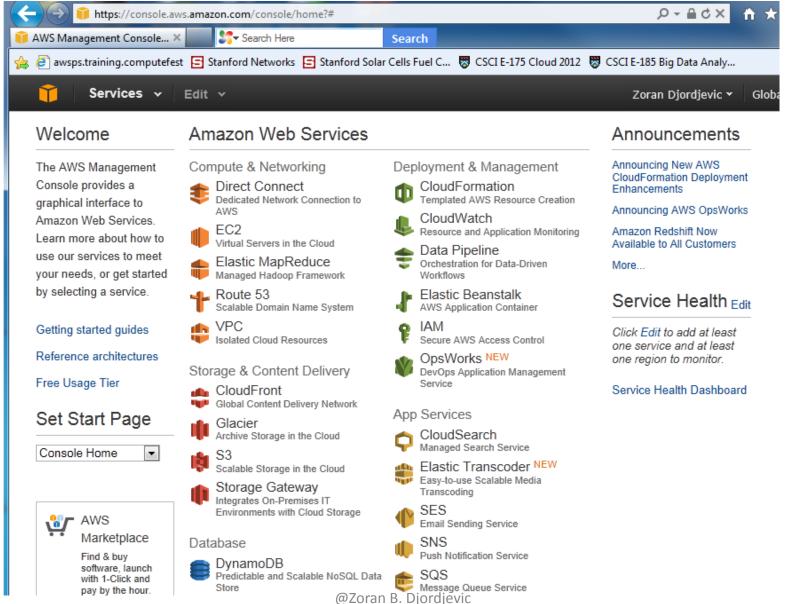
- EMR prices are paid atop of instance prices. These prices are approximate.
- Amazon EC2, Amazon S3 and Amazon SimpleDB charges are billed separately.

Before you start, Create two S3 Buckets

- We will need one bucket for normal results of our Map Reduce programs and one bucket for log data
- bucket name must contain only lowercase letters, numbers, periods (.), and dashes (-)



AWS Services, Select Elastic Map Reduce



Select Create cluster



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Welcome to Amazon Elastic MapReduce

Amazon Elastic MapReduce (Amazon EMR) is a web service that enables businesses, researchers, data analysts, and developers to easily and cost-effectively process vast amounts of data.

You do not appear to have any clusters. Create one now:

Create cluster

How Elastic MapReduce Works

Upload



Upload your data and processing application to S3.

Learn more

Create



Configure and create your cluster by specifying data inputs, outputs, cluster size, security settings, etc. Learn more

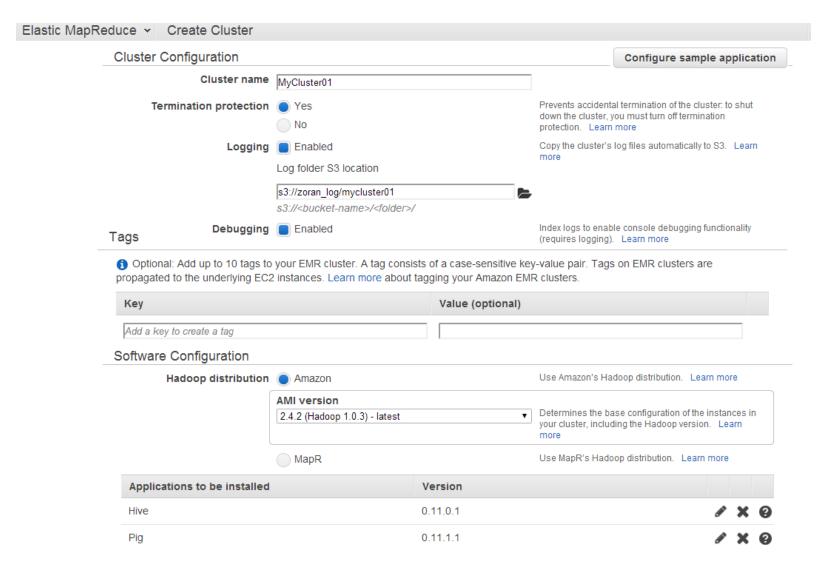
Monitor



Monitor the health and progress of your cluster. Retrieve the output in \$3.

Learn more

Cluster Configuration, Hadoop version



Configure Hardware, Add EC2 key pair

Hardware Configuration

Specify the networking and hardware configuration for your cluster. If you need more than 20 EC2 instances, complete this form. Request Spot instances (unused EC2 capacity) to save money. Use a Virtual Private Cloud (VPC) to process sensitive Network Launch into EC2-Classic data or connect to a private network. Create a VPC To create a cluster in a VPC, you must first create a VPC. For more information, click here. Launch the cluster in a specific EC2 Availability Zone. EC2 availability zone No preference Request EC2 instance type Count spot The Master instance assigns Hadoop tasks to core and Master m1 small task nodes, and monitors their status. Core instances run Hadoop tasks and store data using Core m1.small the Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS). Task instances run Hadoop tasks. Task m1.small Security and Access Use an existing key pair to SSH into the master node of EC2 key pair e63 the Amazon EC2 cluster as the user "hadoop". Learn more Control the visibility of this cluster to other IAM IAM user access All other IAM users users. Learn more No other IAM users Control permissions for applications on the IAM role Proceed without role **Bootstrap Actions** cluster. Learn more 6 Bootstrap actions are scripts that are executed during setup before Hadoop starts on every cluster node. You can use them to install additional software and customize your applications. Learn more Bootstrap action type Name S3 location Optional arguments Add bootstrap action Select a bootstrap action •

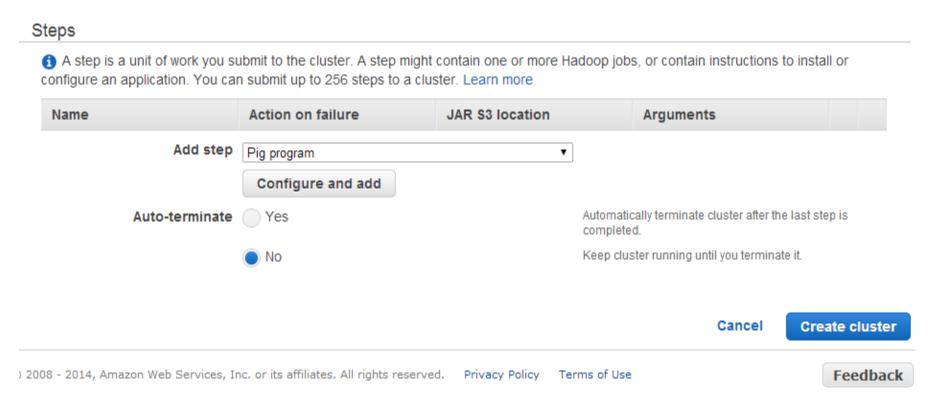
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Setup Bootstrap Actions

- Bootstrap actions allow you to pass a reference to a script stored in Amazon S3. This script can contain configuration settings and arguments related to Hadoop or Elastic MapReduce.
- Bootstrap actions are run before Hadoop starts and before the node begins processing data. Actions are like:
 - Install software on the node,
 - Modify the default Hadoop site configuration,
 - Change the way Java parameters use Hadoop daemons
- You can specify up to 16 bootstrap actions per job flow by providing multiple --bootstrap-action parameters from the CLI or API.

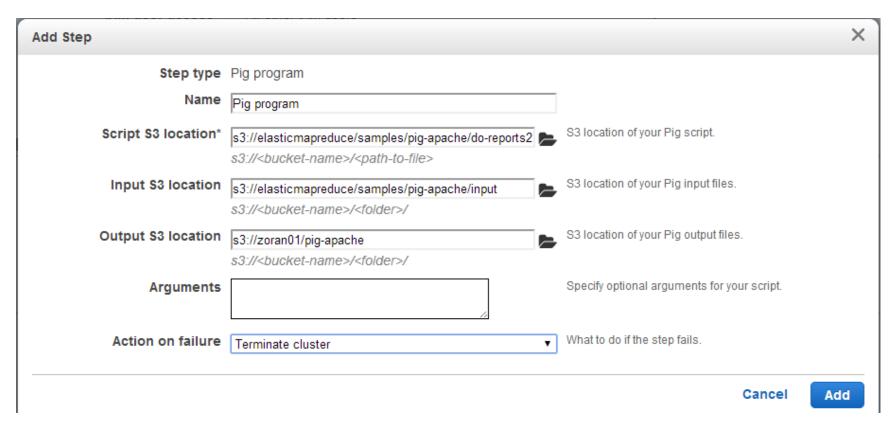
Steps, Select Sample App, a Pig program

- We will use a demo application to illustrate processing.
- Select a Pig program from Add step dropdown



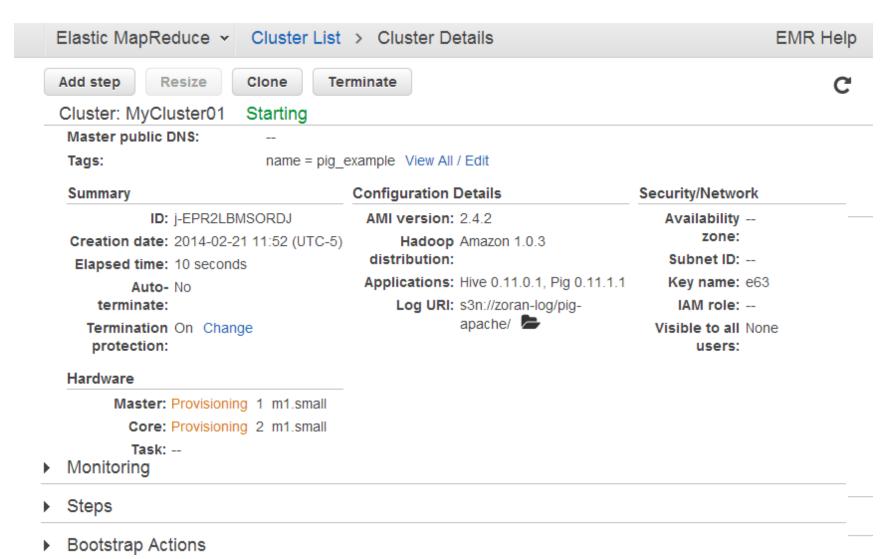
Hit Configure and add button

Select script, S3 bucket for, input, output



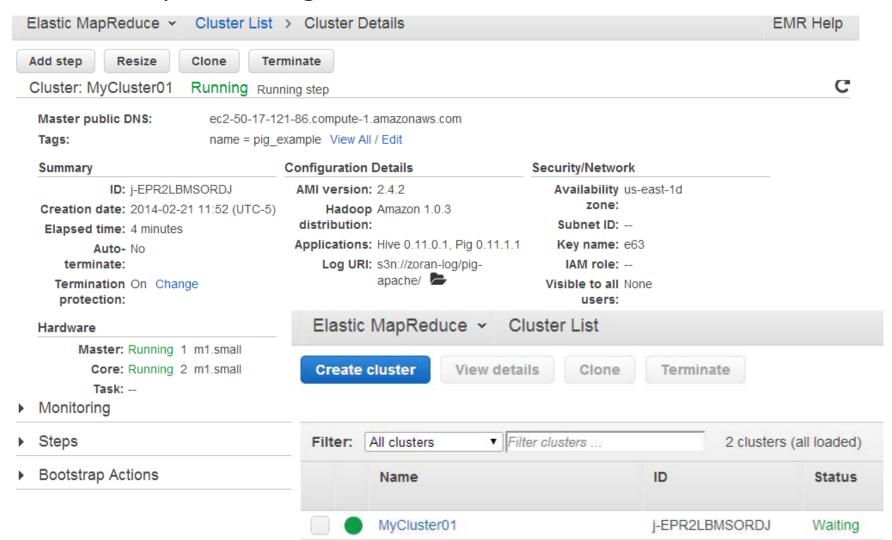
- The script we are running is called do-reports2.pig and is written in a special scripting language written specially for Hadoop.
- We will look at that language in fine detail during one of subsequent classes.
- Once the step is configured hit Create cluster button on the main screen

Cluster is Starting

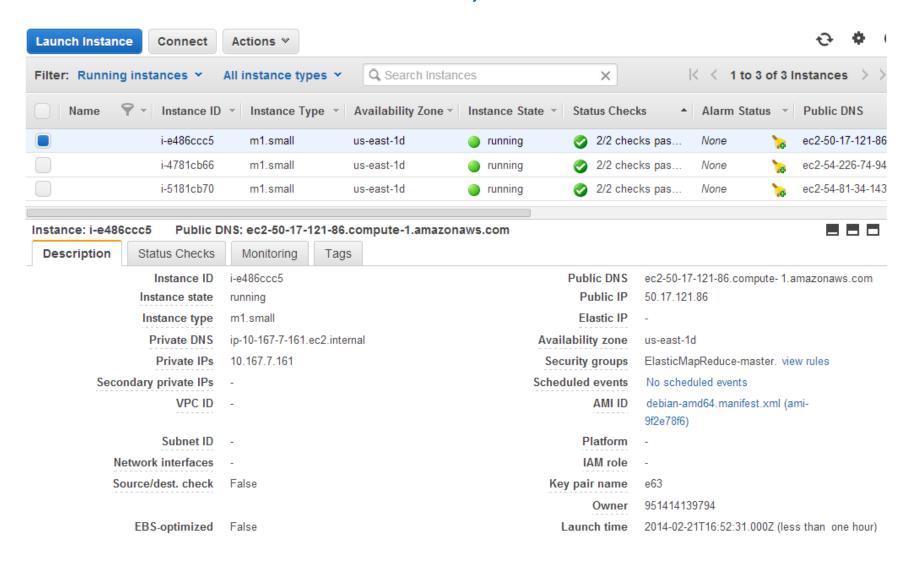


Cluster is Running

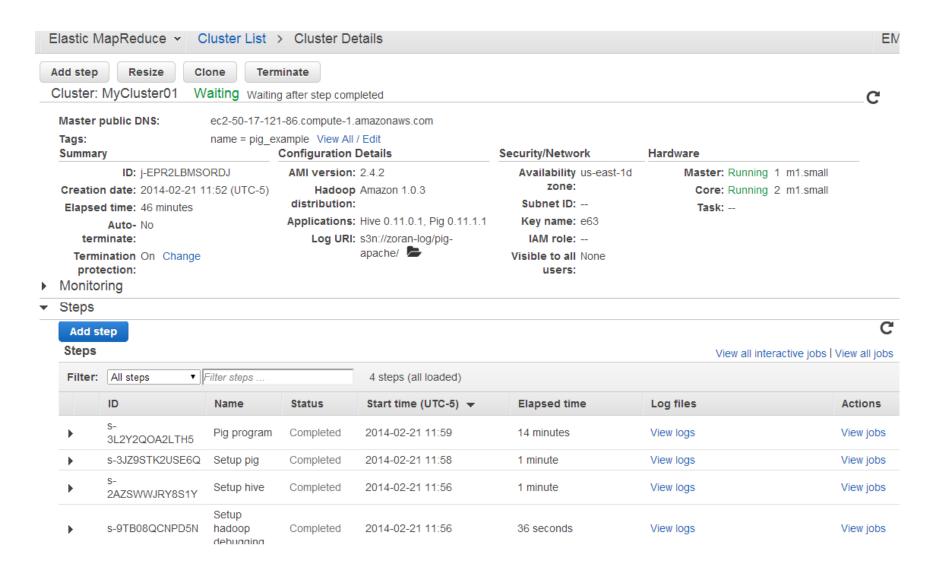
 After a while cluster will change its state to Running and eventually to Waiting.



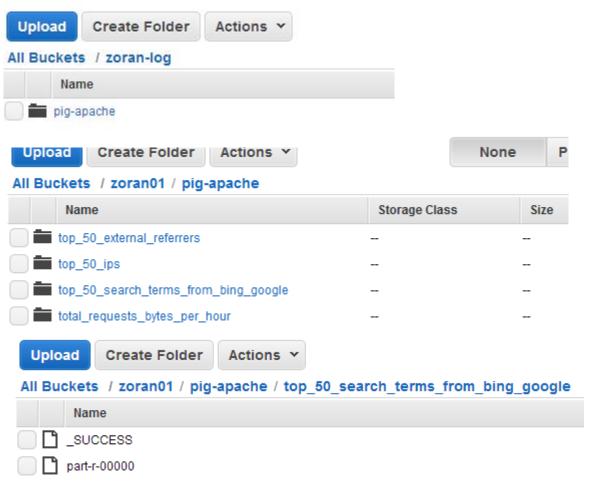
There are 3 EC2 Instance, a Master and 2 Slaves



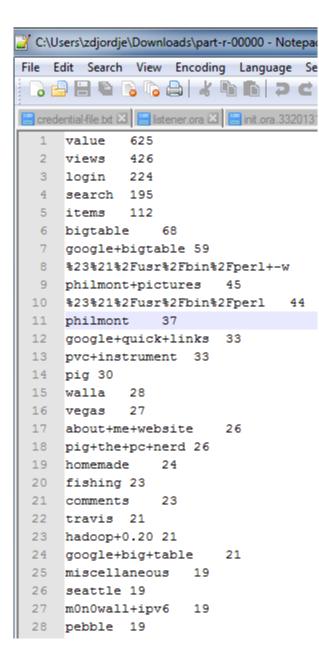
Job is Waiting, Steps are Completed



Results in S3 Buckets



Top 50 search terms from file part-r-00000 in folder top_50_search_terms_from_bing_google



We can control Job Flow thru EMR Command Line

- Download and install Ruby 1.8.7
 - http://rubyforge.org/frs/?group_id=167&release_id=28426
 - Select rubyinstaller-1.8.7-p398-rc2.exe, perhaps.
 - On Linux, do: \$ sudo apt-get install ruby
- Download elastic-mapreduce-client.zip from
- http://aws.amazon.com/developertools/2264
- Unzip into c:\AWS\elastic-mapreduce-ruby
- Add C:\AWS\elastic-mapreduce-ruby;C:\Ruby187\bin; to your PATH.
- In the directory c:\AWS\elastic-mapreduce-ruby create file credentials.json and add:

```
{
    "access_id": "<insert your aws Access Key Id here>",
    "private_key": "<insert your aws Secret Access Key here>",
    "keypair": "<insert path of your amazon ec2 Key Pair file>",
    "log_uri": "s3://name of a bucket in s3 to place logs from job"
}
```

credentials.json

Be careful with the content of this file. It must be right.

```
{
    "access_id": "AKGGGGHJT7WWWWFDTHJQ",
    "private_key": "gUlaTrEwIrQBsyqh3w6253422cK+FlUeRtBWE",
    "keypair": "e63",
    "key-pair-file": "C:\AWS\hu\e63.pem",
    "log_uri": "s3n://zoran-log/",
    "region": "us-east-1"
}
```

 When running EMR commands from the command prompt, you might have to go to the directory where this file resides.

Examples of Command Line Usage

Listing Active Job Flows (MapReduce jobs)

```
ruby elastic-mapreduce --list
ruby elastic-mapreduce --list --active
ruby elastic-mapreduce --list --all
# create a job flow that requires manual termination
ruby elastic-mapreduce --create --alive
```

To create a job flow that will run a mapper written in python, all one line

```
ruby elastic-mapreduce --create --stream --mapper \
    s3://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/wordSplitter.py \
--input s3n://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/input
--output s3://zoran01/python --reducer aggregate
Created job flow j-QUHVJI5FUZFE
```

Bucket needs to be there but the output folder should not exist before the command is run. If the folder is present, you will get an error.

To terminate all active job flows

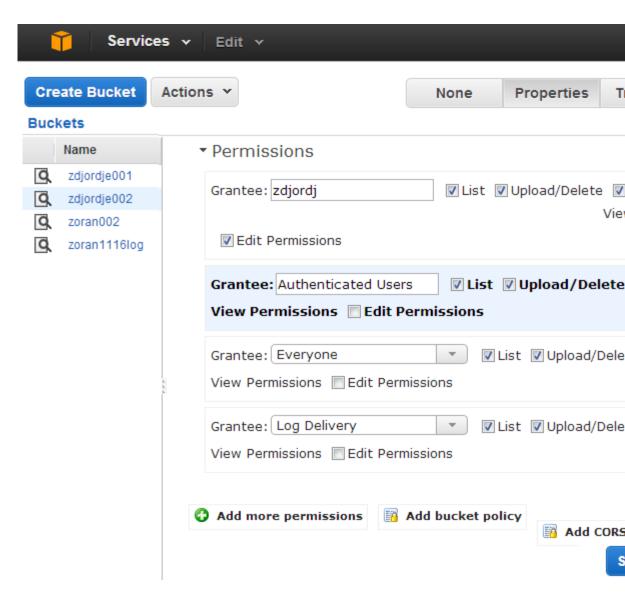
```
ruby elastic-mapreduce --list --active --terminate
    # terminate a running job flow
ruby elastic-mapreduce --terminate --jobflow j-2WSXRVDHH08T1
```

Hadoop Streaming

- What we just did relied on a special feature/utility called Hadoop Streaming.
- Rather than writing scripts for Hadoop in a special language or writing jobs in Java, which is Hadoop's native language, you can write your Map and Reduce routines in almost any language and use a utility called Hadoop Streaming to run them.
- We demonstrated Hadoop Streaming using a provided example in Python.
- That same example could be run from the AWS EMR Console

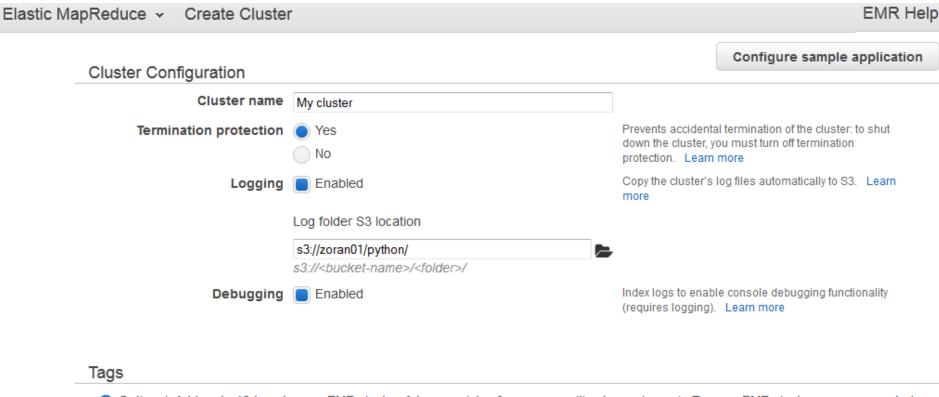
Add S3 Permissions to all Authenticated Users

- Right click on your bucket and grant permissions to Authenticated users, Everyone and Log Delivery.
- You are a bit more generous than necessary.



Create new Cluster, Run Sample App, Word Count

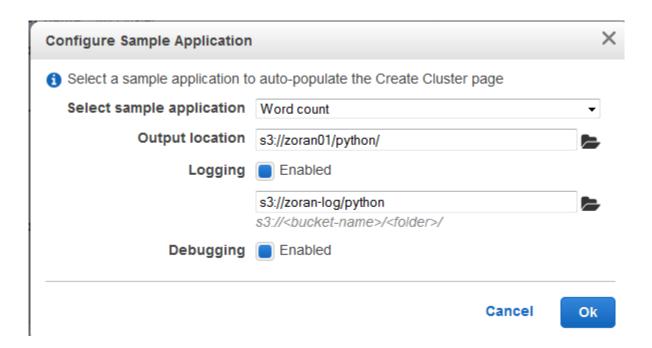
- Next we go to the Elastic Map Reduce service and create a new cluster
- **Select** Configure sample application



Optional: Add up to 10 tags to your EMR cluster. A tag consists of a case-sensitive key-value pair. Tags on EMR clusters are propagated to the underlying EC2 instances. Learn more about tagging your Amazon EMR clusters.

Configure sample app, select output, log Bucket

 We change the Output Location to our bucket. Just replace the bucket name, leave folders unchanged. Hit Continue



Configure Instances, provide key pair

Examine Step and hit Create cluster

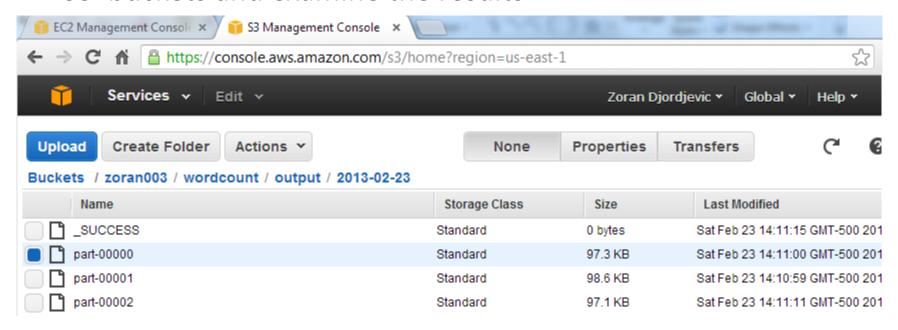
Steps

1 A step is a unit of work you submit to the cluster. A step might contain one or more Hadoop jobs, or contain instructions to install or configure an application. You can submit up to 256 steps to a cluster. Learn more

Name		Action on failure	JAR S3 location	Arguments		
Word count		Terminate cluster	/home/hadoop/contrib /streaming/hadoop- streaming.jar	-mapper s3n://elasticmapreduce /samples/wordcount /wordSplitter.py -reducer aggregate -input s3n://elasticmapreduce /samples/wordcount/input -output s3://zoran01/python/	P	×
	Add step	Select a step	▼.			

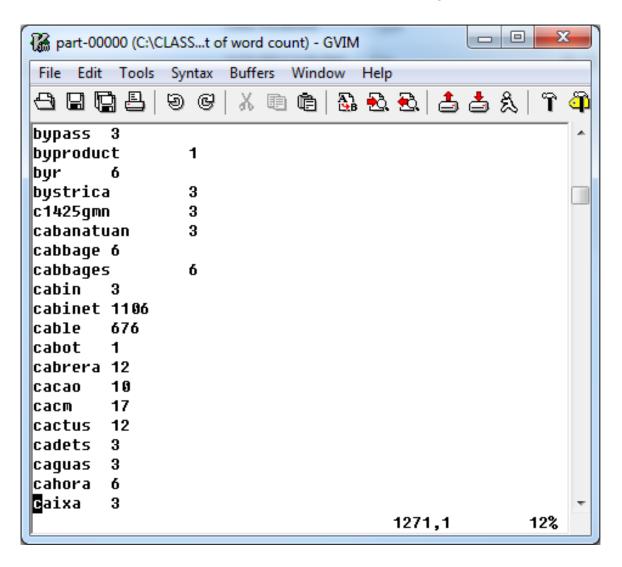
Once Job Flow is Waiting you are Done

Once the job flow moves to Waiting state you can go to your
 S3 buckets and examine the results



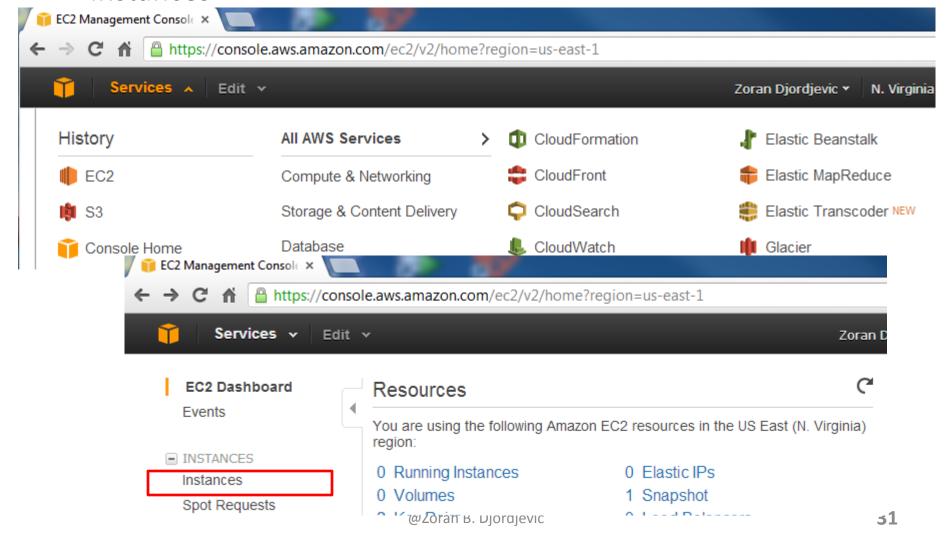
 You can download any of the files, like part-00000 and read the word count. Result is presented on the

Word Count Output



Select EC2 Service and Review State of Your Instance

 Select EC2 Service first and then on the EC2 Dashboard, select Instances



SSH to the Master Node

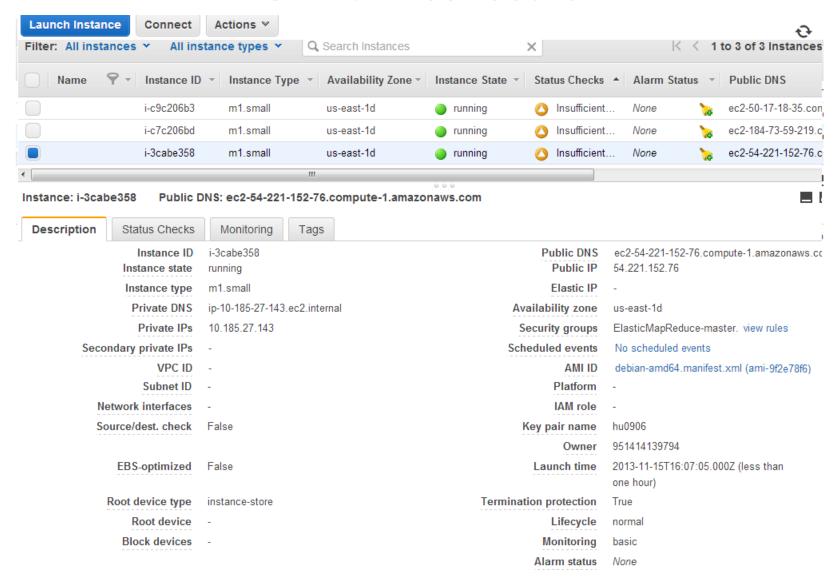
Use user hadoop:

/home/hadoop

```
$ ssh -i e63.pem hadoop@ec2-54-221-152-76.compute-1.amazonaws.com
The authenticity of host 'ec2-54-221-152-76.compute-1.amazonaws.com
(54.221.152.76)' can't be established.
RSA key fingerprint is d2:70:f7:30:ac:ea:b2:bc:19:0e:5e:05:9b:7a:57:cf.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no)? yes
Warning: Permanently added 'ec2-54-221-152-76.compute-
1.amazonaws.com, 54.221.152.76' (RSA) to the list of known hosts.
Linux (none) 3.2.30-49.59.amzn1.x86 64 #1 SMP Wed Oct 3 19:54:33 UTC 2012
x86_64
Welcome to Amazon Elastic MapReduce running Hadoop and Debian/Squeeze.
Hadoop is installed in /home/hadoop. Log files are in /mnt/var/log/hadoop.
/mnt/var/log/hadoop/steps for diagnosing step failures.
The Hadoop UI can be accessed via the following commands:
 JobTracker
               lynx http://localhost:9100/
 NameNode
               lynx http://localhost:9101/
hadoop@ip-10-185-27-143:~$ pwd
```

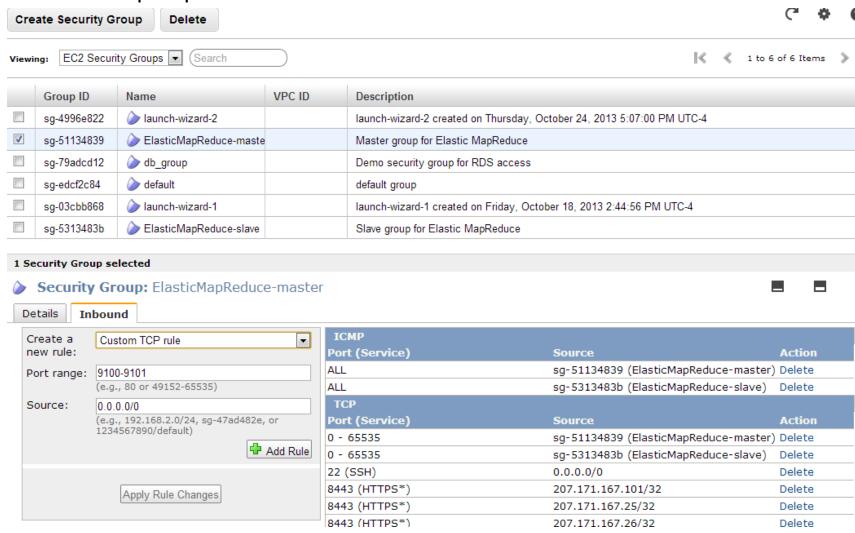
Please note. EMR Console might suggest that you should connect as root, what might be wrong.

On EC2 Dashboard



Security Group: ElasticMapReduce-master

Let us open ports 9100 and 9101



http://ec2-54-221-152-76.compute-1.amazonaws.com:9101/dfshealth.jsp



NameNode 'ip-10-185-27-143.ec2.internal:9000'

Started: Fri Nov 15 16:09:57 UTC 2013

Version: 1.0.3, r

Compiled: Wed Oct 2 12:17:08 PDT 2013 by Elastic MapReduce

Upgrades: There are no upgrades in progress.

Browse the filesystem

Namenode Logs

Cluster Summary

9 files and directories, 1 blocks = 10 total. Heap Size is 25.12 MB / 185.62 MB (13%)

Configured Capacity 297.07 GB DFS Used 88 KB Non DFS Used 0 KB DFS Remaining 297.07 GB 0 % DFS Used% DFS Remaining% 100 % **Live Nodes** 2 **Dead Nodes Decommissioning Nodes** Number of Under-Replicated Blocks

NameNode Storage:

Storage Directory	Туре	State
/mnt/var/lib/hadoop/dfs-name	IMAGE_AND_EDITS	Active

Hadoop Environment

hadoop is also an executable which actually controls your cluster.
 You can for example, run the following Linux commands

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ pwd
/home/hadoop
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ which hadoop
/home/hadoop/bin/hadoop
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ which java
/usr/bin/java
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ ls
PATCHES.txt
                        hadoop-core-1.0.3.jar
                                                   hadoop-tools.jar
bin
                        hadoop-core.jar
                                                      lib
conf
                        hadoop-examples-1.0.3.jar
                                                      lib64
contrib
                        hadoop-examples.jar
                                                      libexec
                        hadoop-minicluster-1.0.3.jar
                                                     native
etc
hadoop-ant-1.0.3.jar
                        hadoop-test-1.0.3.jar
                                                      sbin
```

Distributed File System, dfs command

- Hadoop has access not only to the local, Linux, file system. It also has its own distributed file system (HDFS Hadoop Distributed File System)
- We access that file system through hadoop file system shell, dfs.
 Type
- \$ hadoop dfs
- and you will get a long list of options. We will present those options on the next slide. Some of those resemble Unix (Linux) commands. Some are different.
- We use those commands to create directories in the HDFS, copy files between HDFS and the local file system, Internet and AWS S3 buckets.
- When you use dfs, you always prefix it with hadoop.

File system shell dfs

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ hadoop dfs
Usage: java FsShell
           [-ls <path>]
           [-lsr <path>]
           [-du <path>]
           [-dus <path>]
           [-count[-q] <path>]
           [-mv <src> <dst>]
           [-cp <src> <dst>]
           [-rm [-skipTrash] <path>]
           [-rmr [-skipTrash] <path>]
           [-expunge]
           [-put <localsrc> ... <dst>]
           [-copyFromLocal <localsrc> ... <dst>]
           [-moveFromLocal <localsrc> ... <dst>]
           [-get [-ignoreCrc] [-crc] <src> <localdst>]
           [-getmerge <src> <localdst> [addnl]]
           [-cat <src>]
           [-text <src>]
           [-copyToLocal [-ignoreCrc] [-crc] <src> <localdst>]
           [-moveToLocal [-crc] <src> <localdst>]
```

File system shell dfs

```
[-moveToLocal [-crc] <src> <localdst>]
           [-mkdir <path>]
           [-setrep [-R] [-w] <rep> <path/file>]
           [-touchz <path>]
           [-test -[ezd] <path>]
           [-stat [format] <path>]
           [-tail [-f] <file>]
           [-chmod [-R] <MODE[,MODE]... | OCTALMODE> PATH...]
           [-chown [-R] [OWNER][:[GROUP]] PATH...]
           [-chqrp [-R] GROUP PATH...]
           [-help [cmd]]
Generic options supported are
-conf <configuration file>
                              specify an application configuration file
                             use value for given property
-D -D cproperty=value>
-fs <local namenode:port> specify a namenode
-jt <local|jobtracker:port> specify a job tracker
-files <comma separated list of files > specify comma separated files to
be copied to the map reduce cluster
-libjars <comma separated list of jars> specify comma separated jar
files to include in the classpath.
```

File system shell dfs

- -libjars <comma separated list of jars> specify comma separated jar files to include in the classpath.
- -archives <comma separated list of archives> specify comma separated archives to be unarchived on the compute machines.

The general command line syntax is bin/hadoop command [genericOptions] [commandOptions]

For example, we can use dfs to fetch the Python script used in our job flow:

\$ hadoop dfs -copyToLocal\
s3://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/wordSplitter.py .

- The last dot (.) on the line is significant. This is "this" directory.
- Notice that options following dfs shell always start with a dash.
- Examine local directory and see the local copy of wordSplitter.py

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ ls -la wordSplitter.py -rw-r--r- 1 hadoop hadoop 294 Feb 23 19:50 wordSplitter.py
```

wordSplitter.py

We can vi the Python script or transfer it to our local Windows or Mac terminal and discover that it reads like:

```
#!/usr/bin/python
import sys
import re
def main(arqv):
   pattern = re.compile("[a-zA-Z][a-zA-Z0-9]*")
    for line in sys.stdin:
        for word in pattern.findall(line):
            print "LongValueSum:" + word.lower() + "\t" + "1"
if name == " main ":
   main(sys.argv)
```

Input Data

 We could similarly use good services of hadoop's distributed file system shell dfs and first examine the input folder and then fetch the input data we used in the job flow.

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ hadoop dfs -ls s3://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/input
```

```
Found 12 items
```

```
2392524 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0001
-rwxrwxrwx
               2396618 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0002
-rwxrwxrwx
               1593915 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0003
-rwxrwxrwx
               1720885 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0004
-rwxrwxrwx
               2216895 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0005
-rwxrwxrwx
               1906322 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0006
-rwxrwxrwx 1
               1930660 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0007
-rwxrwxrwx
               1913444 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0008
-rwxrwxrwx
               2707527 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0009
-rwxrwxrwx
               327050 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0010
-rwxrwxrwx
                  8 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0011
-rwxrwxrwx
                  8 2009-04-02 02:55 /samples/wordcount/input/0012
-rwxrwxrwx
```

Copy input file 0001 to Local File System

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ hadoop dfs -copyToLocal s3://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/input/0001 . 13/02/23 20:06:21 INFO s3native.NativeS3FileSystem: Opening 's3://elasticmapreduce/samples/wordcount/input/0001' for reading hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ ls -la 0001 -rw-r--r- 1 hadoop hadoop 2392524 Feb 23 20:06 0001 hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$
```

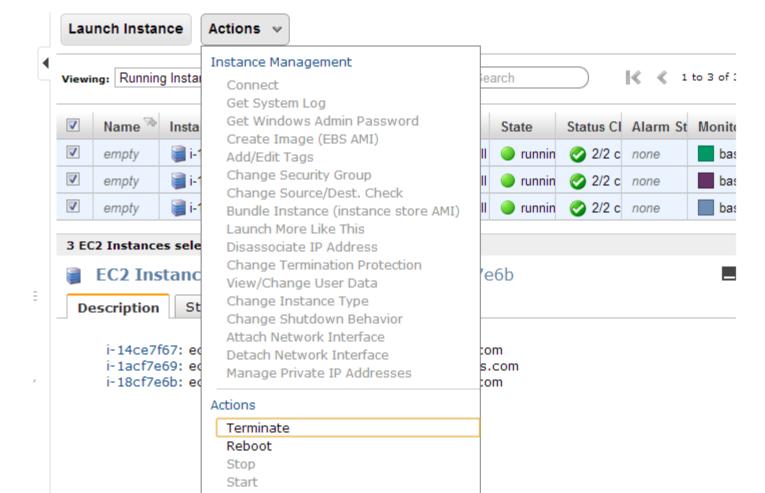
 Unix (Linux) utilities tail and head will tell us what are the lines at the end and beginning of file 001.

tail 0001, head 0001

```
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ tail 0001
                                        males age 16-49: 7,322,965
                                females age 16-49: 6,859,064 (2008 est.)
                                Manpower fit for military service:
                                        males age 16-49: 4,886,103
                                females age 16-49: 5,525,764 (2009 est.)
                                Manpower reaching militarily significant
age annually:
                                        male: 365,567
                                female: 352,643 (2009 est.)
                                Military expenditures:
                                1.6% of GDP (2006)
hadoop@domU-12-31-39-00-69-A7:~$ head 0001
CIA -- The World Factbook -- Country Listing
     World Factbook Home
    The World Factbook
      
      Country Listing . . .
```

Terminate all Instances

- Since we had enough for the day, we should terminate all instances, so that we stop incurring additional charges.
- Select all instances, and under Actions select Terminate,
 and Yes Terminate.



Run Hadoop on Your Own Machine or Cluster

- Typically one wants to install a recent release of Hadoop on a recent release of a popular Linux OS.
- \$30 or \$60 for the academic license for a Red Hat OS is not bad. Major manufacturers, like IBM, like Red Hat.
- Fedora is open source, free version of Red Hat.
- Another option if CentOS OS. Free. For example, Cloudera is publishing its downloadable VMs on CentOS.
- Yet another option is Ubuntu. It is free. You might want to contribute and help save the world.
- SUSE as well. A few others.

Hadoop

Hadoop could be fetched from hadoop.apache.org



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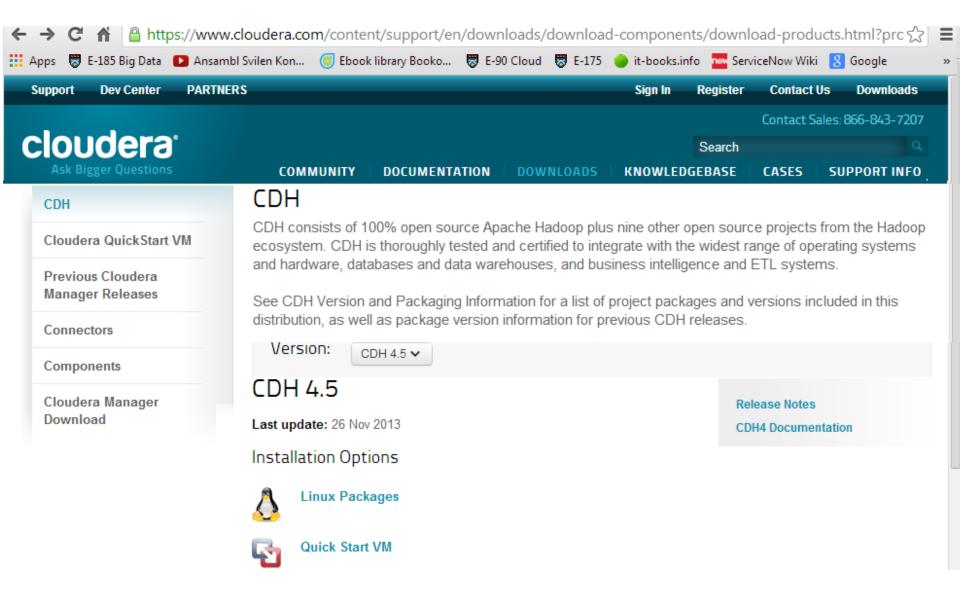
Cloudera CDH

 Cloudera offers CDH (Cloudera Distribution Hadoop including Apache Hadoop). The latest appears to be CDH 4.5

https://ccp.cloudera.com/display/SUPPORT/CDH+Downloads

- We read documentation first. We always do.
- If you have a 32 bit machine, you better do. You might be in trouble.
- Most of Cloudera tools are available for 64 bit machines only.

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CDH Requirements and Supported Versions

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Operating Systems

CDH4 provides packages for Red-Hat-compatible, SLES, Ubuntu, and Debian systems as described below.

Operating System	Version	Packages
Red Hat compatible		
Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL)	5.7	64-bit
	6.2	64-bit, 32-bit
CentOS	5.7	64-bit
	6.2	64-bit, 32-bit
Oracle Linux with Unbreakable Enterprise Kernel	5.6	64-bit
SLES		
SLES Linux Enterprise Server (SLES)	11 with Service Pack 1 or later	64-bit
Ubuntu/Debian		
Ubuntu	Lucid (10.04) - Long-Term Support (LTS)	64-bit
	Precise (12.04) - Long-Term Support (LTS)	64-bit
Debian	Squeeze (6.03)	64-bit



Notes

 For production environments, 64-bit packages are recommended. Except as noted above, CDH4 provides only 64-bit packages.

32 vs 64 bit

- If your laptop is 32 bit and you want to run a local Hadoop installation with a 32 bit Hadoop on a 32 bit OS, the only choice is a Red Hat 6.2 or CentOS 6.2.
- If you have a new machine, it is most probably 64 bit and you are free to work with any OS that supports CHD4.5.
- Fedora is a free version of OS that is ahead of Red Hat in releases and serves as a development platform for what will eventually be packaged as Red Hat.
- CentOS 6.2 is a "repackaged" Red Hat 6.2 for non-commercial use and you are free to go with it.

Download VM for now

- Cloudera VM is a 64-bit VM, and requires a 64-bit host OS and a virtualization product that can support a 64-bit guest OS.
- This VM uses 4 GB of total RAM. The total system memory required varies depending on the size of your data set and on the other processes that are running.
- The demo VM file is in a <u>7-zip</u> format and is approximately 2 GB. Feel free to mirror internally or externally to minimize bandwidth usage.
- To use the VMware VM, you must use a player compatible with WorkStation 8.x or higher: Player 4.x or higher, ESXi 5.x or higher, or Fusion 4.x or higher. Older versions of WorkStation can be used to create a new VM using the same virtual disk (VMDK file), but some features in VMware Tools won't be available.