Parallel K-Means

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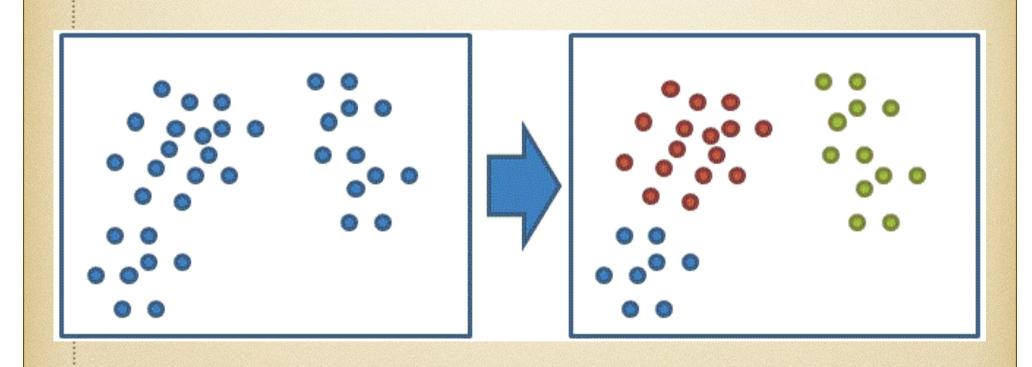
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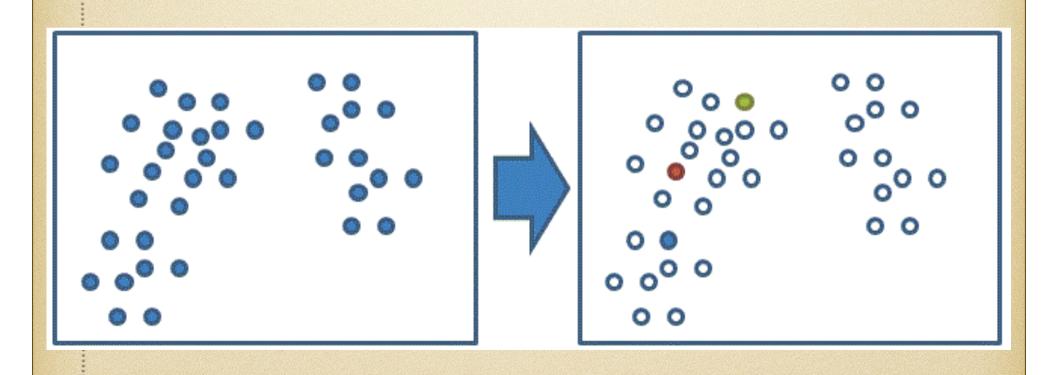
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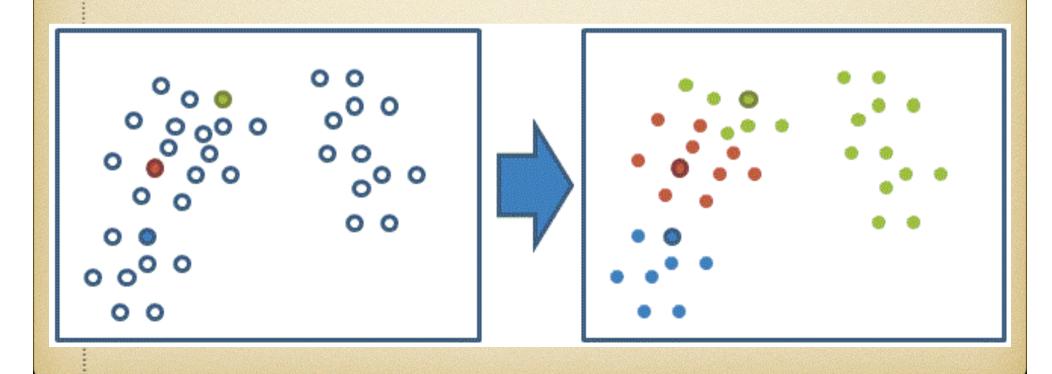
dataset oriented parallel clustering algorithms should be developed.



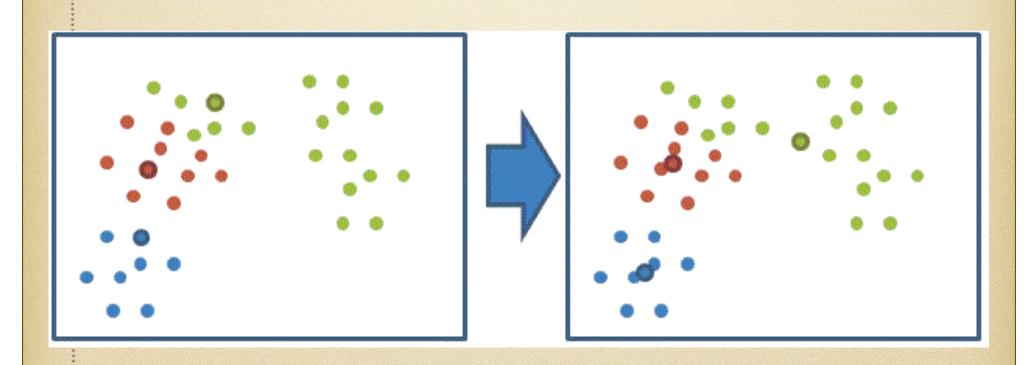
Firstly, it randomly selects k objects from the whole objects which represent initial cluster centers.



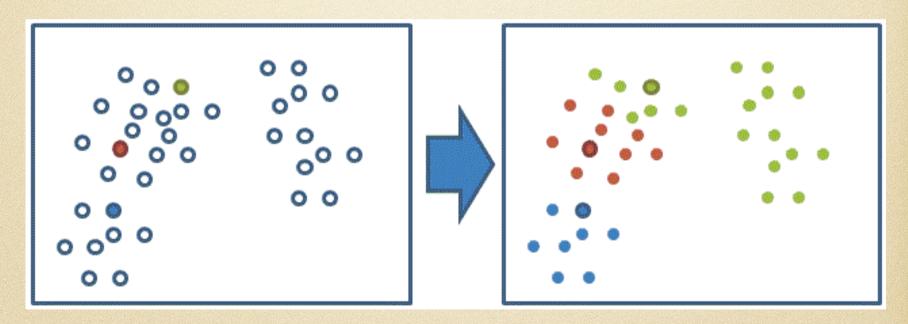
Each remaining object is assigned to the cluster to which it is the most similar, based on the distance between the object and the cluster center.



The new mean for each cluster is then calculated. This process iterates until the criterion function converges.



most intensive calculation to occur is the calculation of distances.



each iteration require nk distance

the distance computations between one object with the centers is irrelevant to the distance computations between other objects with the corresponding centers.

distance computations between different objects with centers can be parallel executed.

data

1,1

2,2

3,3

11,11

12,12

13,13

target

1 class

1,1 2,2

3,3

2 class

11,11

12,12

13,13

1,1

2,2

3,3

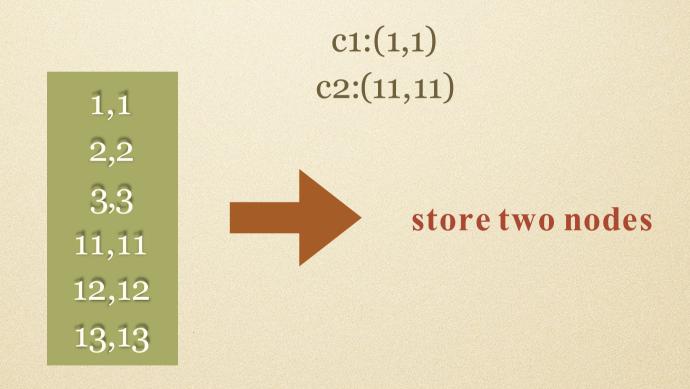
11,11

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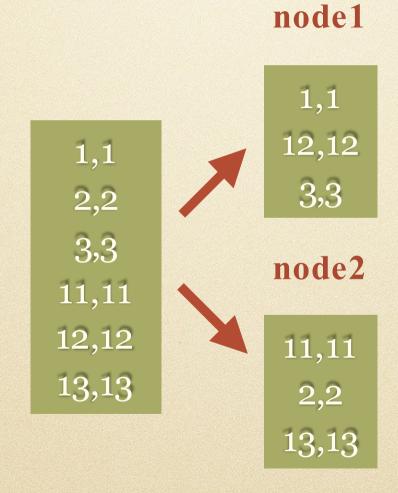
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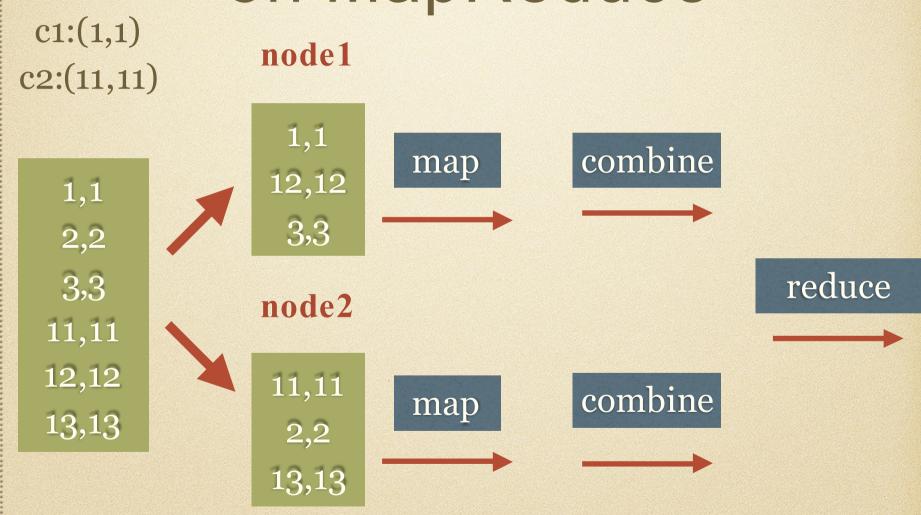
random two centroid

c1:(1,1) c2:(11,11)

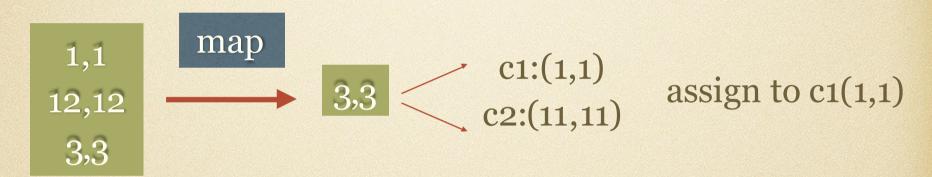


c1:(1,1) c2:(11,11)





node1



output<key,value>

key value

(1,1), $\{(3,3),(3,3)\}$

output<key,value>

key value

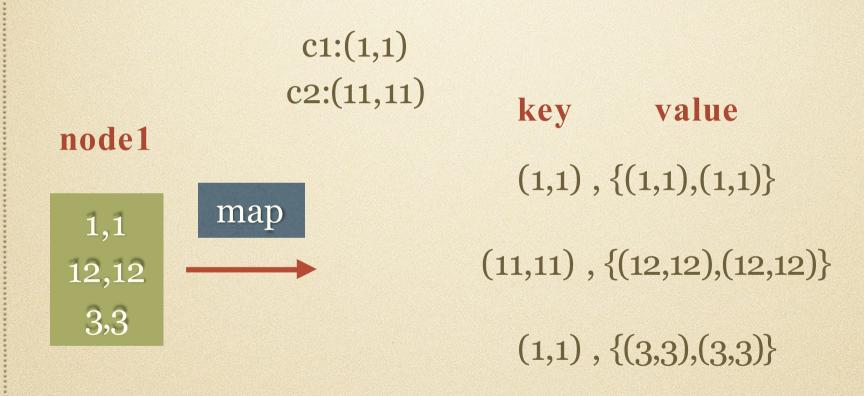
(1,1), $\{(3,3),(3,3)\}$

(1,1)

centroid

{(3,3),(3,3)}

temporary to calculate new centroid, the object



node1

1,1 12,12 3,3

c1:(1,1) c2:(11,11)

map

key value

(1,1), $\{(1,1),(1,1)\}$

(11,11), {(12,12),(12,12)}

(1,1), $\{(3,3),(3,3)\}$

node2

11,11 2,2 13,13



key value

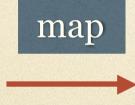
(11,11), {(11,11),(11,11)}

(1,1), $\{(2,2),(2,2)\}$

(11,11), {(13,13),(13,13)}

node1

1,1 12,12 3,3 c1:(1,1) c2:(11,11)



key value
(1,1), {(1,1),(1,1)}

(11,11), {(12,12),(12,12)}

(1,1), $\{(3,3),(3,3)\}$

combine

key value
(1,1), {(1,1),(1,1)}
(11,11), {(12,12),(12,12)}

(1,1), $\{(3,3),(3,3)\}$

same key combine





key value

(1,1), $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3),2\}$

(11,11), $\{(12,12),(12,12),1\}$

key value

output<key,value>

(1,1), $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3)\},2\}$

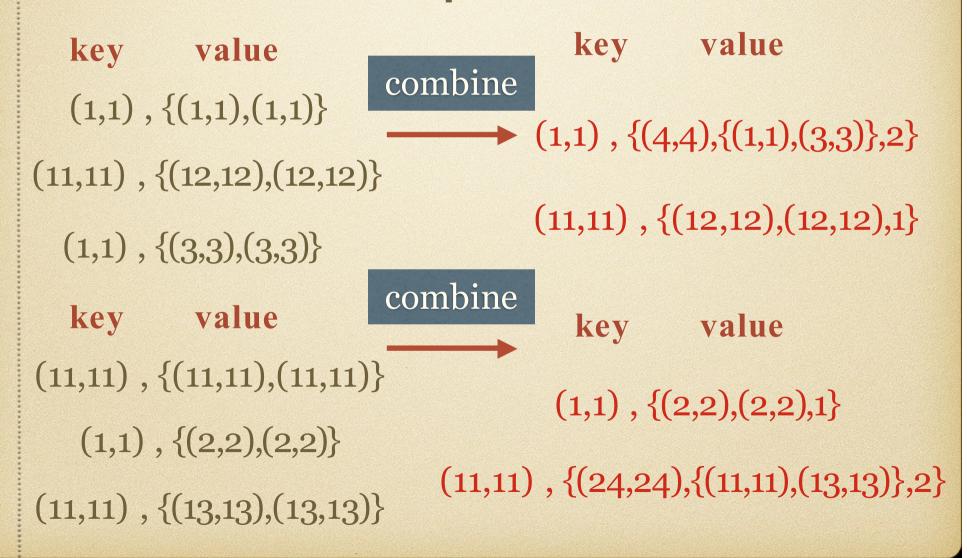
(11,11), $\{(12,12),(12,12),1\}$

(1,1)

centroid

{(4,4),{(1,1),(3,3)},2}

temporary to calculate new centroid, the objects , number of objects



key value

$$(1,1)$$
, $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3)\},2\}$

(11,11), $\{(12,12),(12,12),1\}$

key value

(1,1), $\{(2,2),(2,2),1\}$

(11,11), {(24,24),{(11,11),(13,13)},2}

same key reduce

reduce

same key reduce



$$(1,1)$$
, $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3)\},2\}$

$$(1,1)$$
, $\{(2,2),(2,2),1\}$



(1,1), $\{(2,2),\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3)\}$

$$(1,1)$$
, $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3)\},2\}$

$$(1,1)$$
, $\{(2,2),(2,2),1\}$

$$(4+2)/(2+1)$$
, $(4+2)/(2+1) = 2,2$



2,2 = new centroid

(1,1), $\{(2,2),\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3)\}$

1,1

2,2

centroid is 2,2

3,3

(1,1), $\{(4,4),\{(1,1),(3,3)\},2\}$

(1,1), $\{(2,2),(2,2),1\}$

centroid



(1,1), $\{(2,2),\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3)\}$

new centroid, the objects
, new cluster

(1,1), $\{(2,2),\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3)\}$

(1,1), $\{(2,2),\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3)\}$

reduce



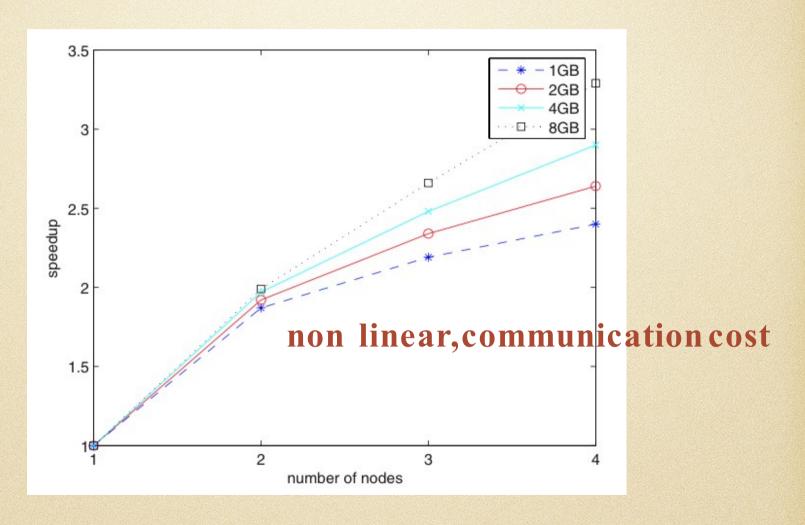
update new centroid and next iteration

until converge or arrive to iteration number

Experimental Results

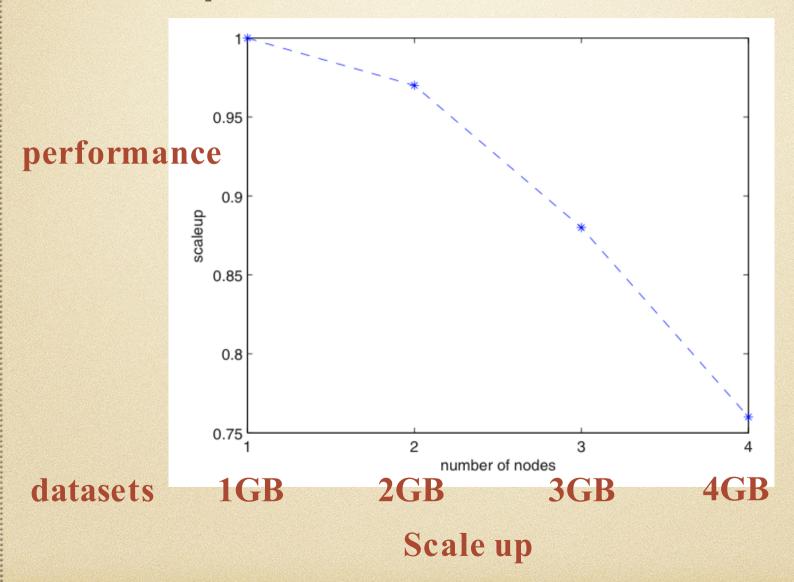
two 2.8 GHz cores and 4GB of memory

Experimental Results



Speedup

Experimental Results



K-Means on spark



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epsilon determines the distance threshold within which we consider k-means to have converged.

Examples

Scala

Python

The following code snippets can be executed in spark-shell.

In the following example after loading and parsing data, we use the KMeans object to cluster the data into two clusters. The number of desired clusters is passed to the algorithm. We then compute Within Set Sum of Squared Error (WSSSE). You can reduce this error measure by increasing k. In fact the optimal k is usually one where there is an "elbow" in the WSSSE graph.

```
import org.apache.spark.mllib.clustering.KMeans
import org.apache.spark.mllib.linalg.Vectors
// Load and parse the data
val data = sc.textFile("data/mllib/kmeans_data.txt")
val parsedData = data.map(s => Vectors.dense(s.split(' ').map(_.toDouble)))
// Cluster the data into two classes using KMeans
val numClusters = 2
val numIterations = 20
val clusters = KMeans.train(parsedData, numClusters, numIterations)
```

Reference

K means algorithm

Parallel K-Means Clustering Based on MapReduce Weizhong Zhao1,2, Huifang Ma1,2, and Qing He1 2009