Hive Basics

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Transactional systems	Analytical systems
Analyzes individual entires	Analyzes batches of data
1. We deal with present/current/latest data	We deal with historical data
2. We can perform manipulations on data like insert, update etc 3. It is used for real-time production 4. It incorporates monolithic architecture as single system can hold entire data 5. Ex mysql, postgre, oracle	We mostly read the data and doesn't perform any manipulations on it. It is used for analysis purpose Distributed system are good for storage of such data Ex terradata

Data warehouse vs Data lake

Data warehouse	Data lake
1. Meant to store structured data	1. Stores all kinds of data
2. Stores data which is structured, filtered and meant to be used for a specific purpose	2. Stores raw form of data who purpose is not yet defined

What is Hive?

- --It is an open source data warehouse tool to process and query data on hdfs
- -->Hive always reaches out to hdfs if it requires any data
- -->hdfs is the storage unit and map-reduce is processing unit for hive

Why Hive?

- --We know that we need map reduce to process data on hdfs and give us result data
- --But map reduce is quite difficult to write and very monotonous
- -- Due to this reason we came up with Hive
- --Hive queries are written using HQL(hive query language) which convert into map reduce code and get the result data from hdfs in a structured format (tables).

What data is stored in hive?

- --Structured data (from hdfs)
- --Metadata of tables (schema) from rdbms

Why metadata is not stored in hdfs?

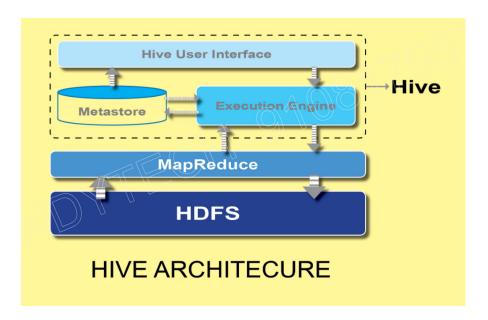
- --Data in hdfs can't be edited/changed so we can't metadata here for any updations
- --Data in hdfs is difficult to retrieve quickly (low latency)

Why hive when we have RDBMS?

- --Hive runs on distributed systems and queries are converted into map reduce
- --RDBMS runs on single system and parallelism is not present

HIVE ARCHITECTURE:

- --Hive will get meta data from rdbms and raw data from hdfs which combines to give a tabular format of data
- --Hive stores all its data in hdfs in raw format



Do we need to write map-reduce code to retrieve data from hdfs?

--NO, we write queries in HQL which are converted internally into map reduce tasks which actually process the data and give result sets to hive

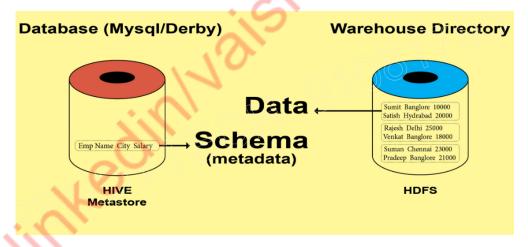
How Hive has tabular data when data in hdfs is in file form?

- --Hive stores mainly two types of data
- 1. Data from hdfs in format of text files
- Metadata or schema present in rdbms (mysql) in form of Hive Meta store
 le in mysql we have a separate database called Hive Metastore which has schema of all tables in hive
 Hdfs file + metadata = Hive tables

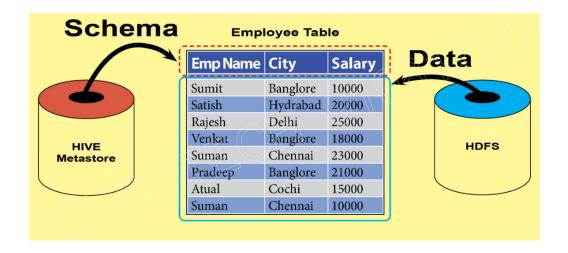
Why metadata is stored in rdbms?

- -->As we can perform manipulations(update/insert) when stored in rdbms where as on hive which is part of hadoop ecosystem is difficult.
- -->Data latency is high in rdbms rather than hive

HIVE= DATA(hdfs) + metadata (rdbms)



Now data from hdfs and schema from mysql gets combined and give a tabular view of data in hive



HIVE VS RDBMS:

HIVE	RDBMS
Deals with huge amount of data Parallel computation of data High latency (time taken to fetch a record from database)	Deals with small amount of data Serial computation of data Low latency
4. Perform mostly read operation	4.perform both read/write
5.Not ACID compliant 6.Read on schema	5.ACID compliant 6.write on schema

Read on Schema:

- -->The data is already present in hdfs in form of files.
- -->while presenting it in hive in tabular form schema of data is checked
- -->due to this no constraints are placed on data

Write on schema:

- -->at first table is created in rdbms
- -->data is inserted now into the table
- -->while inserting it will check for schema, if it doesn't match it throws an error
- -->due to this constraints are placed on data

DATA STORAGE IN HIVE:

Where the data is stored in hive?

-->Data is stored in hive in the ware house directory.

Default storage location: /user/hive/warehouse

DB storage: /user/hive/warehouse/test.db

Table location: /user/hive/warehouse/test.db/userDetails

Table location for default db: /user/hive/warehouse/userDetails (default db is stored directly in warehouse directory)

COMPLEX DATA TYPES IN HIVE:

What complex data types are supported in hive?

- 1. Array: It is a collections of elements of same data type.
- 2. Map: Unordered collection of (key, value) pairs where we need to have unique keys. Based on key we get corresponding value
- 3. Struct: Collection of elements having different data types grouped together
- 4. Union: To join tables with same schema (not completely supported in hive)

ARRAYS IN HIVE:

-->create table mobiles(
mobile_name string,
price bigint,
colors array<string>,
models array<string>

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row format delimiter
fields terminated by ',
collection items delimited by '#' //how elements in array are seperated
-->select mobile name,color[0] from mobiles //to get a particular element from array
-->if our file has 10 columns where as our table has 6 column (schema of 6 columns is matching)
then the remaining 4 columns will be ignored by the table.
MAP IN HIVE:
-->create table mobiles(
mobile_name string,
price bigint,
colors array<string>,
models array<string>
features map<string, boolean>
row format delimiter
fields delimited by ','
collection items delimited by '#'
map keys terminated by ':'
select * from mobiles limit 1;
vivo 10000 ["black", "white", "silver"] [10.3,10.3.2] {"slow motion":true, "voice assistance":true}
select mobile_name, features['slow motion'] from mobiles; //to check whether this key has value or not
STRUCT IN HIVE:
-->create table mobiles(
mobile_name string,
price bigint,
colors array<string>,
models array<string>
features map<string, boolean>
information struct<battery:string, country_code:bigint>
row format delimiter
fields delimited by ','
collection items delimited by '#'
map keys terminated by ':'
select * from mobiles limit 1;
vivo 10000 ["black","white","silver"] [10.3,10.3.2] {"slow motion":true, "voice assistance":true} {"battery":"25kmph","country_code":9403}
BUILT-IN FUNCTIONS IN HIVE:
What are the built-in functions in hive?
1.UDF (user defined function): These are system defined functions which operate on single row and give result in single row.
Ex. Trim(), length()
-->when system defined functions don't fit our need we have to write our own user defined functions (UDF)
-->we have to write our own java code as we can't take help of map-reduce as it is not defined by system
2.UDAF (user defined aggregate functions): They are used to operate on multiple rows and give result in single row.
Ex. Sum(), count(), avg()
3.UDTF (user defined table-generating functions): They are used to operate on single row and give result in multiple rows.
They flatten the complex data types into singular data types.
Ex. [100,200,300,400] ==> [100], [200], [300], [400]
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Virtual tables are created in backend which are joined with main table to provide the result set of multiple rows.

Lateral view: It expands the array into rows

- -->select explode(order_items) from orders;
- -->shampoo,

book,

purse,

dress,

whey protein

- -->it breaks the array order_items into indiviual items
- -->to have cust name along with orders placed
- -->select cust_name, cust_items from orders lateral view explode(order_items) cust_orders as cust_items

table1 : orders join : lateral_view

table2 : explode(order_items) alias name of table2 is cust_orders

cust_items is column name in virtual table (cust_orders)

Output:

yashe: shampoo vaishu: book vaishu: purse vaishu: whey protein amma: dress

VIEWS IN HIVE:

-->View is a virtual table which holds the meta data of guery and in run time loads the data of the guery

Pros:

- -->We can create views and restrict the permissions to users on main DB. Data Security is preserved.
- -->Complex queries can be simplified into views
- -->Frequently accessed data can be written into views

Normalization and De-Normalization:

-->Normalization: It is a process of dividing large tables into smaller tables to remove data redundancy and inconsistency.

Pros:

- 1. Data is consistent
- 2. Free from redundancies

Cons:

- 1. We need to perform many joins to get the data of even a single entity(user/employee)
- 2. 'join' queries are complex and time taking to execute.

De-Normalization:

- -->Data stored in hive is in de-normalized form.
- -->De-Normalization is the process in which huge tables are not divided into smaller tables and are fine to have data redundancy, inconsistency.

Why De-normalization?

- -->Normalization is costly process as huge amount of data has to be processed to give final results which is not recommended.
- -->Data processing time increases due to the complex queries.

What will you do when updates have to be made?

- -->Data in hive is mainly meant for READ only operations so no need to worry about data manipulation
- -->Storage is very cheap so even if we have duplicates its manageable

Hands-On with Hive:

cloudera: hive ==> enter into hive interface

ctlr+l: to clear the screen in hive and rdbms

";" ==>all queries end with semi colon

describe formatted table name; ==> to get detailed description of table

Beeline Editor:

- -->beeline -u jdbc:hive2:// ; ==>connect to beeline from cloud era
- -->beeline -u jdbc:hive2:// -f /user/cloudera/myqueries.sql ==>to run script from beeline
- --> !q ==>to exit from beeline
- -->Beeline editor is used to view the hive data in a clean and clear format

Hive Table:

- -->Hive table consists of two things namely
- 1. data (present in hdfs in the form of files)
- 2. schema (metadata present in rdbms)
- --> If we are using raw versions of hadoop then we have derby database by default
- -->as we are using cloudera version of hadoop we have mysql database in place
- -->inside mysql we have a db named 'metastore' which is used to handle the metadata of hive

mysql>

-->we have created a table named 'users' inside the default db

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ hadoop fs -ls /user/hive/warehouse
Found 1 items
drwxrwxrwx - cloudera supergroup
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ 0 2021-06-29 09:04 /user/hive/warehouse/users
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-->To view contents of the file. Data delimited by special characters

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-->when we create a custom db of our own

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[cloudera@quickstart ~]$
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ hadoop fs -ls /user/hive/warehouse/vaishnavi.db
Found 1 items
drwxrwxrwx - cloudera supergroup 0 2021-06-29 11:01 /user/hive/warehouse/vaishnavi.db/vaishu
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ ■
```

Types of tables in Hive:

-->Managed Table: Hive manages/owns the data and metadata present in the table. By default managed table is created when we create a table in hive if we drop the table then we lose both the data and metadata. drop table table name;

-->External Table: Table which is owned/managed by external source like hdfs/local system

Ways to insert data into hive:

- 1. Insert data directly into the table by manual process (not recommended as map-reduce jobs take lot of time to insert)
- 2. Insert data from files (industry way of doing, load from hdfs/local system)

- · Load data from hdfs
- Load data from local system
- 3. Copy data from one table to another

when to use managed table?

- -->when Hive is the only user of the data
- -->no other tools use the tables we have created in hive so that they don't get impacted when table is dropped Load Data from local:
- 1. create a table with schema similar to data being loaded

```
create table if not exists products_managed( id string, title string, cost float ) row format delimited fields terminated by ',' stored as text file
```

2. Load data from local to table directly

load data local inpath '/home/cloudera/Desktop/product.csv' into table test.products managed

Load Data from HDFS:

- 1. Create a directory in hadoop and copy the file into it
 - -->hadoop fs -mkdir /user/cloudera/new_folder
 - -->hadoop fs -copyFromLocal /home/cloudera/Desktop/product.csv /user/cloudera/new_folder
- 2. Load data from hadoop to table

load data local inpath '/user/cloudera/new_folder/product.csv' into table test.products_managed

3. check the contents of the table



Note: the data is appended, and both files are present in the warehouse directory.

To overwrite the data into the table

load data local inpath '/user/cloudera/new_folder/product.csv' overwrite into table test.products_managed

```
hive> select *
              from products managed:
iphone7 iPhone 7
                        950.0
                Canon 570x
                                1000.0
camera canon
                        Samsung Swift 400.0
washingmachine samsung
                       600.0
tv_vu
        Vu 56 Inch
Time taken: 0.09 seconds, Fetched: 4 row(s)
hive>
```

Load data from one table to another

- 1. create a new table to match with schema being inserted
- 2. Perform insert insert into table table_managed select * from products_managed;

EXTERNAL TABLE:

- -->The table in which the data is not managed/owned by hive. It is external to hive
- ->We get this data from hdfs, rdbms, hbase
- -->when this table is dropped only metadata gets deleted but not actual data
- -->we need to create table again once the schema is dropped

how to create an external table

1.Createa table definition

```
create external table orders(
    order_id bigint,
    order_name string,
         order_status string)
    row format delimited
      fields terminated by ',' (each field is seperated by comma)
stored as textfile
location '/user/cloudera/new folder' (location where data to be loaded into table is kept)
```

when to use External Table:

-->when we have other tools/systems using the data like hdfs,pig,hbase along with hive.

Hive Subqueries:

- -->subqueries are queries written within queries
- -->sql returns result if they are in tables or tabular format
- -->subqueries are used in two situation
- 1. with FROM clause select * from (select prod_it from products where city='banglore)
- 2. with WHERE clause
- IN / NOT IN
- EXISTS / NOT EXISTS

```
select * from customers where city in
(select order_city where order_status='completed')
select * from customers where exists
(select order_status, order_city from orders)
HIVE VIEWS:
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-->create view customer_detail
(select * from customers c
join orders o on c.cust id=o.order id)
```

Views

A view is a virtual table, which provides access to a subset of data from one or more table.

- · Stored as a query in Hive's metastore
- · Executed when used
- Updated when data in the underlying table changes
- Contains data from single or multiple tables
- Frozen in time, not affected by table changes.

Hive Indexes:

-->create index cust_index on table customers (customer_id) as 'COMPACT' DEFERRED REBUILD

where 'COMPACT' is the compact index being created DEFERRED REBUILD is to alter the index in later stages of execution

Hive index is used to speed up the performance of queries on certain columns of a table.

Without an index, queries with predicates like 'WHERE tab1.col1 = 10' load the entire table or partition and process all the rows. But if an index exists for col1, then only a portion of the file needs to be loaded and processed.

Indexing can be used:

- · When the dataset is very large.
- When the query execution is taking more amount of time than expected.
- When a fast query execution is required.

Note: Indexing Is Removed since Hive version 3.0