Midterm Extra Credit

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What are the components of YARN and what does each component do when a Hadoop MapReduce job is submitted?

VM1 - Master

Resource Manager Namenode VM2 - Worker

Node Manager 1

Datanode 1

ApplicationMaster for Job1

Job1, Task JVM 3

VM3 - Worker

Node Manager 2
Datanode 2
Job 1, Task JVM 1
Job1, Task JVM 2

VM4 - Worker

Node Manager 3

Datanode 3

Job 1, Task JVM 2

Job2, Task JVM 1

VMn - Worker

Node Manager m

Datanode n

ApplicationMaster for Job2

What is data locality?

Instead of sending data to where the logic already is - the logic is sent to where the data already is

Reduces network congestion

Increases overall throughput

Does data locality optimization apply equally to Map tasks and Reduce tasks? Why?

No - it does not apply equally

Mapping:

- benefit from more optimal placement of logic
- data-local is better than rack-local placement
- map tasks write data to local disks but read input from HDFS

Reducing:

- doesn't benefit
- a single reduce task works on output from multiple map tasks

What are the uses of Pig, Hive and Impala?

Pig

- language for queries/data manipulation
- uses pig latin
- mapper and reducer code is generated by Pig when compiling MapReduce jobs
- Better for batch processing data
- 1/20 lines of code when compared to MapReduce
- 1/16 development time

What are the uses of Pig, Hive and Impala?

Hive

- built by Facebook
- data warehousing framework (used for reporting and data analysis)
- used for querying and analyzing large datasets in HDFS
- uses HiveQL, similar to SQL
- supports many types of data formats
- uses tables, similar to relational database management systems

What are the uses of Pig, Hive and Impala?

Impala

- sits on HDFS, doesn't convert to MapReduce
- written in C++
- reads Hadoop file formats
- can read and write to data files
- memory intensive

What are the differences?

Pig

Hive

Impala

- client side
- pig latin
- procedural data flow
- created by yahoo
- Researchers
- Programming
- .pig extension
- no partitioning
- does not support schema

- server side
- HiveQL
- declarative SQL
- created by Facebook
- Data Analysts
- Reports
- all extensions
- supports partitioning
- supports schema
- fault tolerant

- created by Cloudera
- Impala SQL
- restarts if a data node goes down
- faster than Hive
- can sustain many concurrent users

What does a Mapper do in MapReduce? Explain what the output of a Mapper is.

Mapper

- input data from users are passed to mapper
- format for input is specified
- deals with input split
- extracts key value pairs
- processes input and outputs them in key value pairs

OUTPUT: Key value pairs sorted by key order

What does a Reducer do in MapReduce? Explain what the output of the Reducer is.

Reducer

- second stage of processing data
- final summation
- data aggregation
- output will not be sorted

OUTPUT: Summated/Aggregated Data, can be altered to desired output format

What happens in HDFS when a worker node is corrupt/taken offline? How is data loss prevented? Specifically speak about the HDFS daemons.

Component failures used to be the norm

had to figure out a way to deal with errors

Fault tolerance

- replicas are created on multiple data nodes throughout the HDFS cluster
- data is accessible from other machines just in case a worker node is corrupt/taken down

What happens in HDFS when a worker node is corrupt/taken offline? How is data loss prevented? Specifically speak about the HDFS daemons.

Data Node

hdfs fsck - command which determines which files have corrupt blocks, gives repair options command operates only on data

Name Node

./bin/hadoop namenode -recover