

Lab 06 – Introduction to HBASE Commands

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Important Note: You are required to perform the following tasks and provide a report based on your observations and understanding of the commands, the output, and any possible errors or additional information provided by the system.

Tasks:

1. Open terminal

2. Check running services: **sudo jps**

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo jps
6099 RESTServer
7920 Bootstrap
5587 Bootstrap
5708 NodeManager
6334 RunJar
5637 JobHistoryServer
5220 DataNode
6903 HistoryServer
5457 SecondaryNameNode
6870 Bootstrap
5299 JournalNode
5873 ResourceManager
6452 RunJar
5148 QuorumPeerMain
9096 org.eclipse.equinox.launcher_1.3.0.v20140415-2008.jar
5388 NameNode
7995
15226 Jps
7717 Bootstrap
7956
6223 ThriftServer
```

sudo = admin command, **jps** = list of services running

3. Execute the following HBASE commands to understand the database setting.

a. Start “HBase Master Server” service: **sudo service hbase-master start**

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo service hbase-master start
starting master, logging to /var/log/hbase/hbase-hbase-master-quickstart.cloudera.out
Started HBase master daemon (hbase-master):          [ OK ]
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo jps
6099 RESTServer
7920 Bootstrap
5587 Bootstrap
15390 HMaster
5708 NodeManager
6334 RunJar
5637 JobHistoryServer
5220 DataNode
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6870 Bootstrap
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6223 ThriftServer
```

b. Start “HBase Region Server” service: **sudo hbase-regionserver start** **Note:** If the above command doesn't work, then you may try below command or

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo hbase-regionserver start
sudo: hbase-regionserver: _command not found
```

Error occurred as **sudo hbase-regionserver start** is not the correct syntax

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo service hadoop-hbase-regionserver start
hadoop-hbase-regionserver: unrecognized service
```

Error occurred as **sudo service hadoop-hbase-regionserver start** is not the correct syntax

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo service hbase-regionserver start
Starting Hadoop HBase regionserver daemon: starting regionserver, logging to /var/log/hbase/hbase-hbase-regionserver-quick
start.cloudera.out
hbase-regionserver.
```

‘sudo service hbase-regionserver start’ is the correct syntax

- c. follow the above link: **sudo service hadoop-hbase-regionserver start**

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ sudo service hadoop-hbase-regionserver start
hadoop-hbase-regionserver: unrecognized service
```

Error occurred as **sudo service hadoop-hbase-regionserver start** is not the correct

- d. hbase shell to start the hbase: **hbase shell**

```
[cloudera@quickstart ~]$ hbase shell
2024-11-07 01:14:07,542 INFO [main] Configuration.deprecation: hadoop.native.lib
is deprecated. Instead, use io.native.lib.available
HBase Shell; enter 'help<RETURN>' for list of supported commands.
Type "exit<RETURN>" to leave the HBase Shell
Version 1.2.0-cdh5.10.0, rUnknown, Fri Jan 20 12:13:18 PST 2017
```

4. Use command **status** to get some information about the status of the system and the details of the servers running on it.

```
hbase(main):001:0> status
1 active master, 0 backup masters, 1 servers, 0 dead, 2.0000 average load
```

5. Use command **versions** to see the version of HBase available in the system.

```
hbase(main):002:0> versions
NameError: undefined local variable or method `versions' for #<Object:0xcfa5d7b>
'versions' is the incorrect syntax, 'version' is the correct syntax
```

```
hbase(main):003:0> version
1.2.0-cdh5.10.0, rUnknown, Fri Jan 20 12:13:18 PST 2017
```

6. Use command **table_help** to get some information on what and how to use tablereferenced commands.

```
hbase(main):004:0> table_help
Help for table-reference commands.
```

You can either create a table via 'create' and then manipulate the table via commands like 'put', 'get', etc. See the standard help information for how to use each of these commands.

However, as of 0.96, you can also get a reference to a table, on which you can invoke commands. For instance, you can get create a table and keep around a reference to it via:

```
hbase> t = create 't', 'cf'
```

Or, if you have already created the table, you can get a reference to it:

```
hbase> t = get_table 't'
```

You can do things like call 'put' on the table:

```
hbase> t.put 'r', 'cf:q', 'v'
```

which puts a row 'r' with column family 'cf', qualifier 'q' and value 'v' into table t.

To read the data out, you can scan the table:

```
hbase> t.scan
```

which will read all the rows in table 't'.

Essentially, any command that takes a table name can also be done via table reference. Other commands include things like: get, delete, deleteall, get_all_columns, get_counter, count, incr. These functions, along with the standard JRuby object methods are also available via tab completion.

For more information on how to use each of these commands, you can also just type:

```
hbase> t.help 'scan'
```

which will output more information on how to use that command.

You can also do general admin actions directly on a table; things like enable, disable, flush and drop just by typing:

```
hbase> t.enable
hbase> t.flush
hbase> t.disable
hbase> t.drop
```

Note that after dropping a table, your reference to it becomes useless and further usage is undefined (and not recommended).

7. Use command **whoami** to get some information about the current user of HBase.

```
hbase(main):005:0> whoami
cloudera (auth:SIMPLE)
groups: cloudera, default
```

8. Creating/Updating Hbase tables:

a. **create 't1','cf'**

```
hbase(main):006:0> create 't1','cf'  
0 row(s) in 1.3430 seconds
```

=> Hbase::Table - t1

9. see the list of available/created tables: **list**

```
hbase(main):007:0> list  
TABLE  
t1  
1 row(s) in 0.0200 seconds
```

=> ["t1"]

10. create another table: **create 'htest','cf'**

```
hbase(main):008:0> create 'htest','cf'  
0 row(s) in 1.2330 seconds
```

=> Hbase::Table - htest

11. Store Data

a. **put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c1', 'v1'**

b. **put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c2', 'v2'**

c. **put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3', 'v3'**

```
hbase(main):009:0> put 'htest','r1','cf:c1','v1'  
0 row(s) in 0.1070 seconds
```

```
hbase(main):010:0> put 'htest','r1','cf:c2','v2'  
0 row(s) in 0.0130 seconds
```

```
hbase(main):011:0> put 'htest','r1','cf:c3','v3'  
0 row(s) in 0.0050 seconds
```

12. get the value from hbase

a. **scan 'htest'**

```
hbase(main):012:0> scan 'htest'
```

ROW	COLUMN+CELL
r1	column=cf:c1, timestamp=1730971979591, value=v1
r1	column=cf:c2, timestamp=1730972000227, value=v2
r1	column=cf:c3, timestamp=1730972013769, value=v3

1 row(s) in 0.0490 seconds

b. **get 'htest', 'r1'**

```
hbase(main):013:0> get 'htest', 'r1'
```

COLUMN	CELL
cf:c1	timestamp=1730971979591, value=v1
cf:c2	timestamp=1730972000227, value=v2
cf:c3	timestamp=1730972013769, value=v3

3 row(s) in 0.0160 seconds

13. update/Modify

put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3', 'v3_upadte'

put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3', 'v3_update_David'

```
hbase(main):014:0> put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3', 'v3_upadte'
```

0 row(s) in 0.0180 seconds

```
hbase(main):015:0> put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3', 'v3_update_chloe'
```

0 row(s) in 0.0070 seconds

14. Use the following commands and investigate what will happen if you execute them:

a. **get 'htest', 'r1', {COLUMN=>'cf:c3',VERSIONS=>3}**

```
hbase(main):016:0> get 'htest', 'r1', {COLUMN=>'cf:c3',VERSIONS=>3}
```

COLUMN	CELL
cf:c3	timestamp=1730972420553, value=v3_update_chloe

1 row(s) in 0.0130 seconds

b. **get 'htest', 'r1', {COLUMN=>'cf:c3',TIMESTAMP=>XXXXXXXXXXXXX}**

```
hbase(main):019:0> get 'htest', 'r1', {COLUMN=>'cf:c3',TIMESTAMP=>1730972420553}
```

COLUMN	CELL
cf:c3	timestamp=1730972420553, value=v3_update_chloe

1 row(s) in 0.0060 seconds

15. To alter a table:

step 1: Disable the table

disable 'htest'

```
hbase(main):020:0> disable 'htest'  
0 row(s) in 2.2980 seconds
```

Step 2: Alter the table

alter 'htest', {NAME=>'cf_altered'}

```
hbase(main):021:0> alter 'htest', {NAME=>'cf_altered'}  
Updating all regions with the new schema...  
1/1 regions updated.  
Done.  
0 row(s) in 1.9430 seconds
```

Step 3: enable the table

enable 'htest'

```
hbase(main):022:0> enable 'htest'  
0 row(s) in 1.2510 seconds
```

16. To describe a table and get some information about it:

describe 'htest'

```
hbase(main):023:0> describe 'htest'  
Table htest is ENABLED  
htest  
COLUMN FAMILIES DESCRIPTION  
{NAME => 'cf', DATA_BLOCK_ENCODING => 'NONE', BLOOMFILTER => 'ROW', REPLICATION_SCOPE => '0', VERSIONS => '1', COMPRESSION  
=> 'NONE', MIN_VERSIONS => '0', TTL => 'FOREVER', KEEP_DELETED_CELLS => 'FALSE', BLOCKSIZE => '65536', IN_MEMORY => 'false',  
BLOCKCACHE => 'true'}  
{NAME => 'cf_altered', DATA_BLOCK_ENCODING => 'NONE', BLOOMFILTER => 'ROW', REPLICATION_SCOPE => '0', COMPRESSION => 'NONE',  
VERSIONS => '1', TTL => 'FOREVER', MIN_VERSIONS => '0', KEEP_DELETED_CELLS => 'FALSE', BLOCKSIZE => '65536', IN_MEMORY  
=> 'false', BLOCKCACHE => 'true'}  
2 row(s) in 0.0270 seconds
```

17. Try this command:

put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf_altered:c3', 'david'

```
hbase(main):003:0> put 'htest', 'r1', 'cf_altered:c3', 'chloe'  
0 row(s) in 0.0260 seconds
```

18. Retrieve all the records of the table:

```
scan 'htest'
hbase(main):004:0> scan 'htest'
ROW                                COLUMN+CELL
r1                                 column=cf:c1, timestamp=1730971979591, value=v1
r1                                 column=cf:c2, timestamp=1730972000227, value=v2
r1                                 column=cf:c3, timestamp=1730972420553, value=v3_update_chloe
r1                                 column=cf_altered:c3, timestamp=1730973388311, value=chloe
1 row(s) in 0.0290 seconds
```

19. Try to delete data

```
delete 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3'
hbase(main):005:0> delete 'htest', 'r1', 'cf:c3'
0 row(s) in 0.0250 seconds
```

20. To drop a table:

```
Step 1: disable 'htest'
hbase(main):006:0> disable 'htest'
0 row(s) in 2.2970 seconds

Step 2: drop 'htest'

hbase(main):007:0> drop 'htest'
0 row(s) in 1.2800 seconds
```

21. Check the list of tables:

```
Command: list
hbase(main):008:0> list
TABLE
t1
1 row(s) in 0.0140 seconds

=> ["t1"]
```

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