



# Big Data Infrastructure

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Week 11: Analyzing Graphs, Redux (1/2)  
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# Structure of the Course

Analyzing Text

Analyzing Graphs

Analyzing  
Relational Data

Data Mining

“Core” framework features  
and algorithm design

# Characteristics of Graph Algorithms

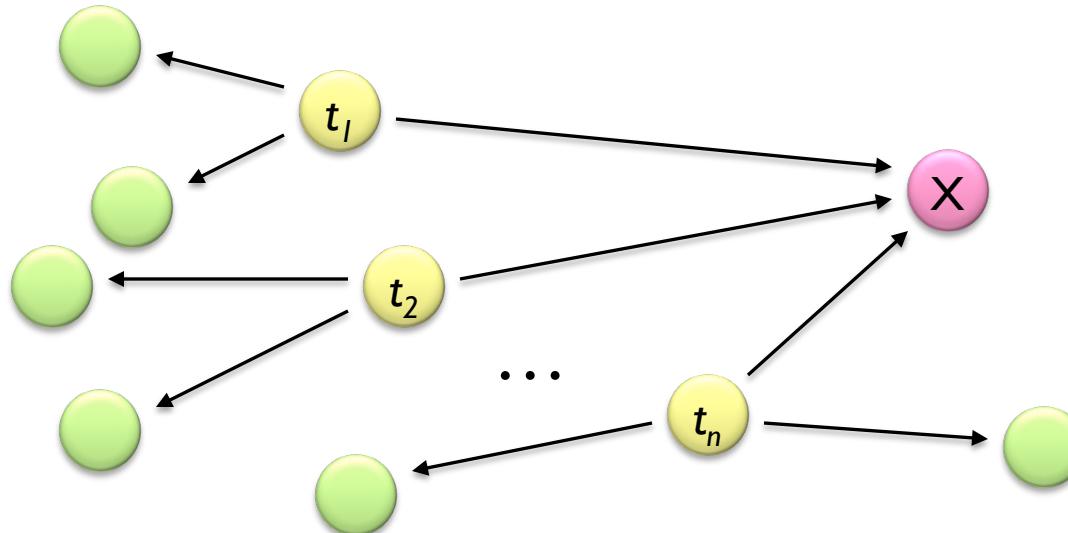
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  - Local computations
  - Message passing along graph edges
- Iterations

# PageRank: Defined

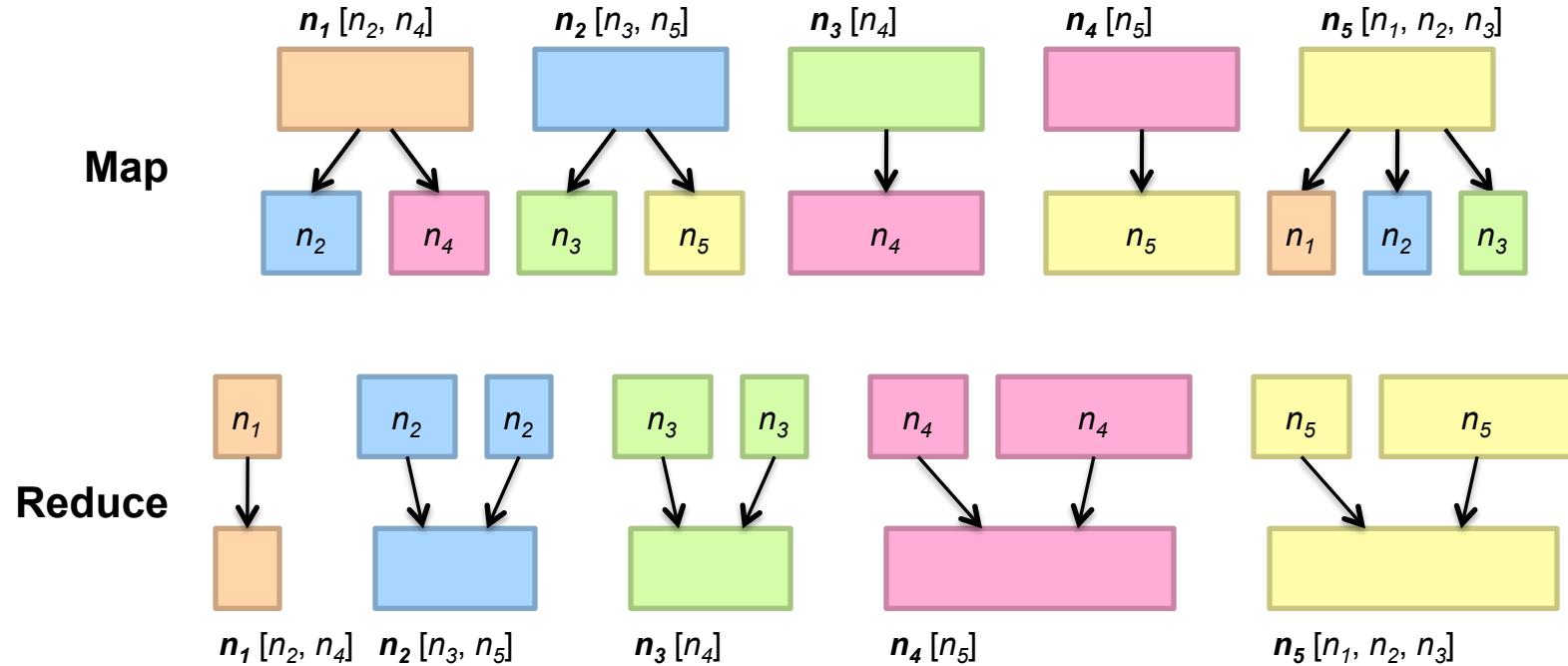
Given page  $x$  with inlinks  $t_1, \dots, t_n$ , where

- $C(t)$  is the out-degree of  $t$
- $\alpha$  is probability of random jump
- $N$  is the total number of nodes in the graph

$$PR(x) = \alpha \left( \frac{1}{N} \right) + (1 - \alpha) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{PR(t_i)}{C(t_i)}$$



# PageRank in MapReduce

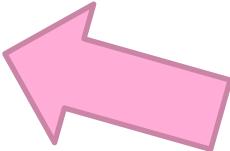


# **MapReduce Sucks**

- Java verbosity
- Hadoop task startup time
- Stragglers
- Needless graph shuffling
- Checkpointing at each iteration

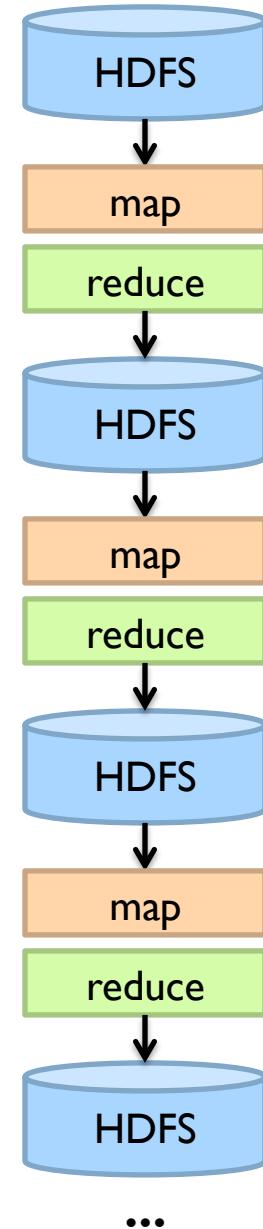
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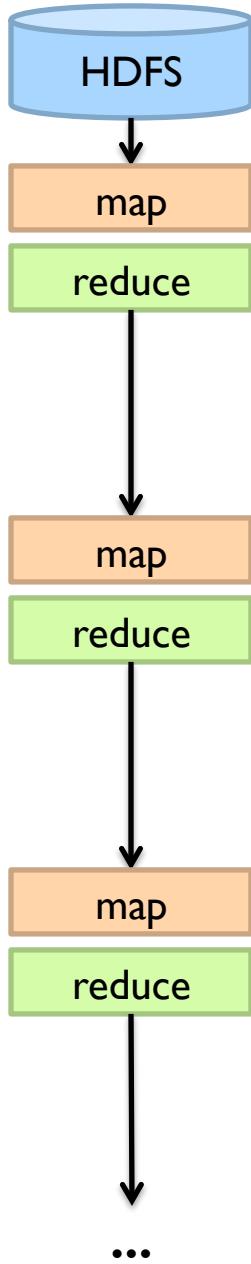


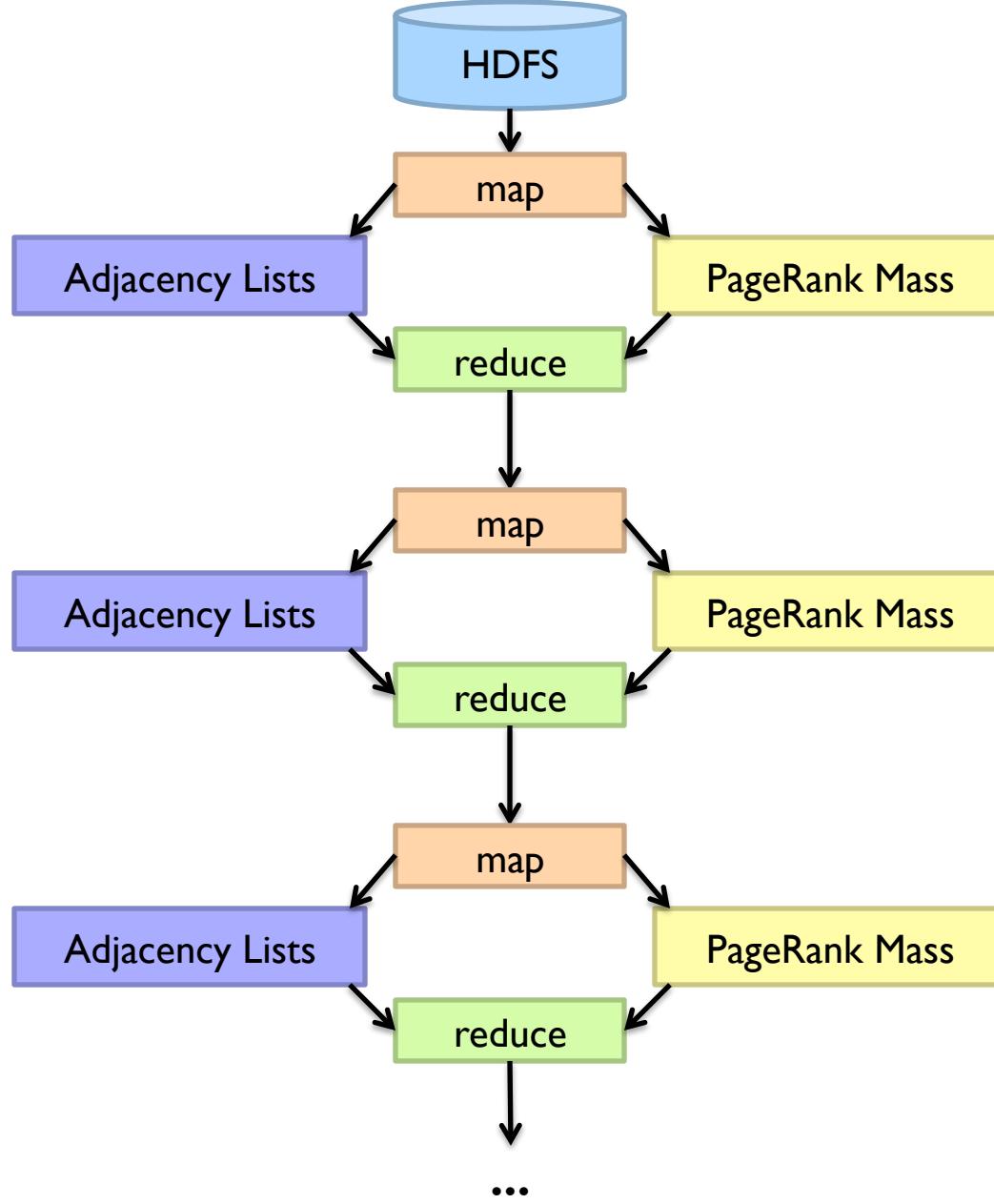
Spark to the rescue?

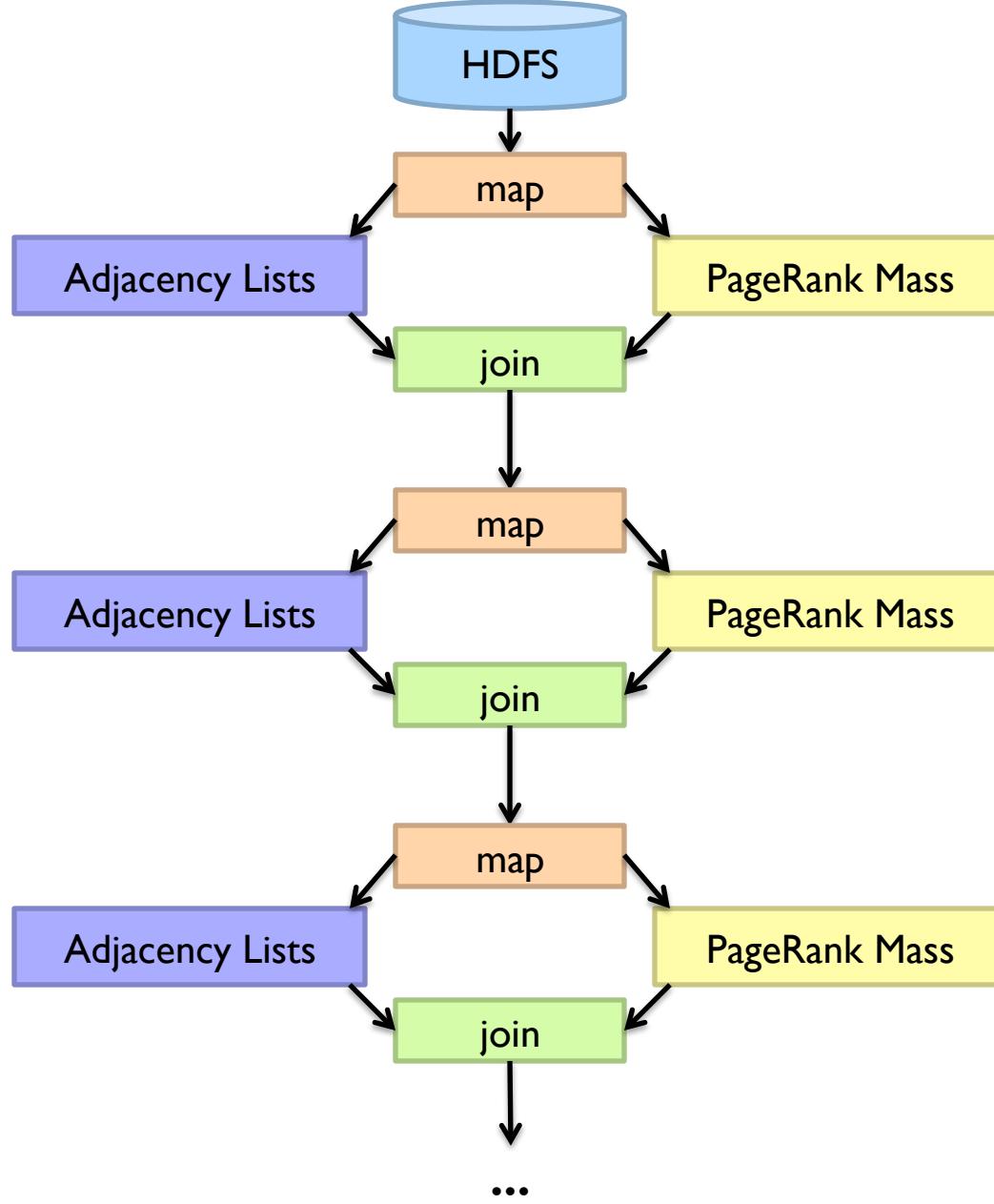
# Let's Spark!

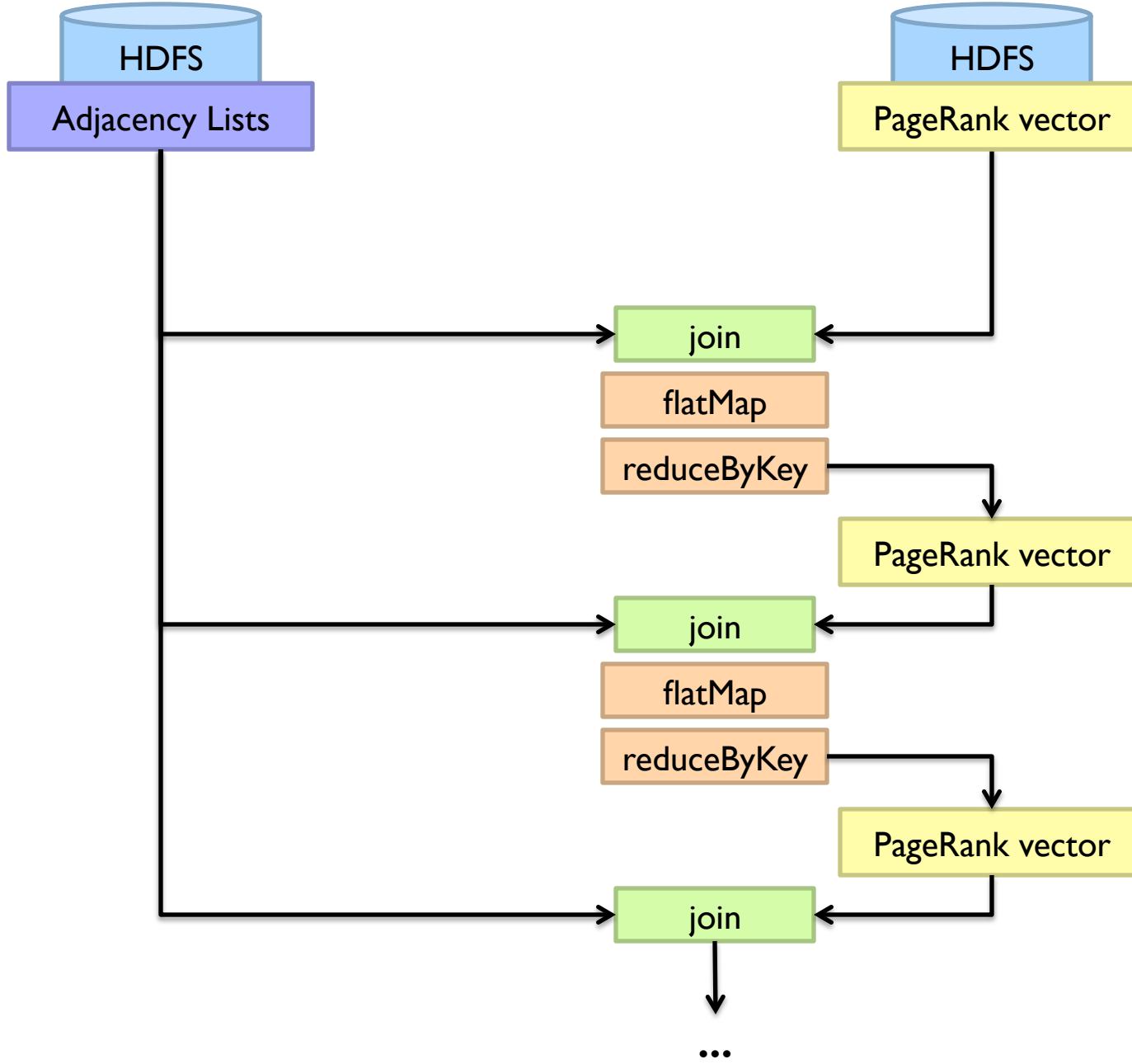


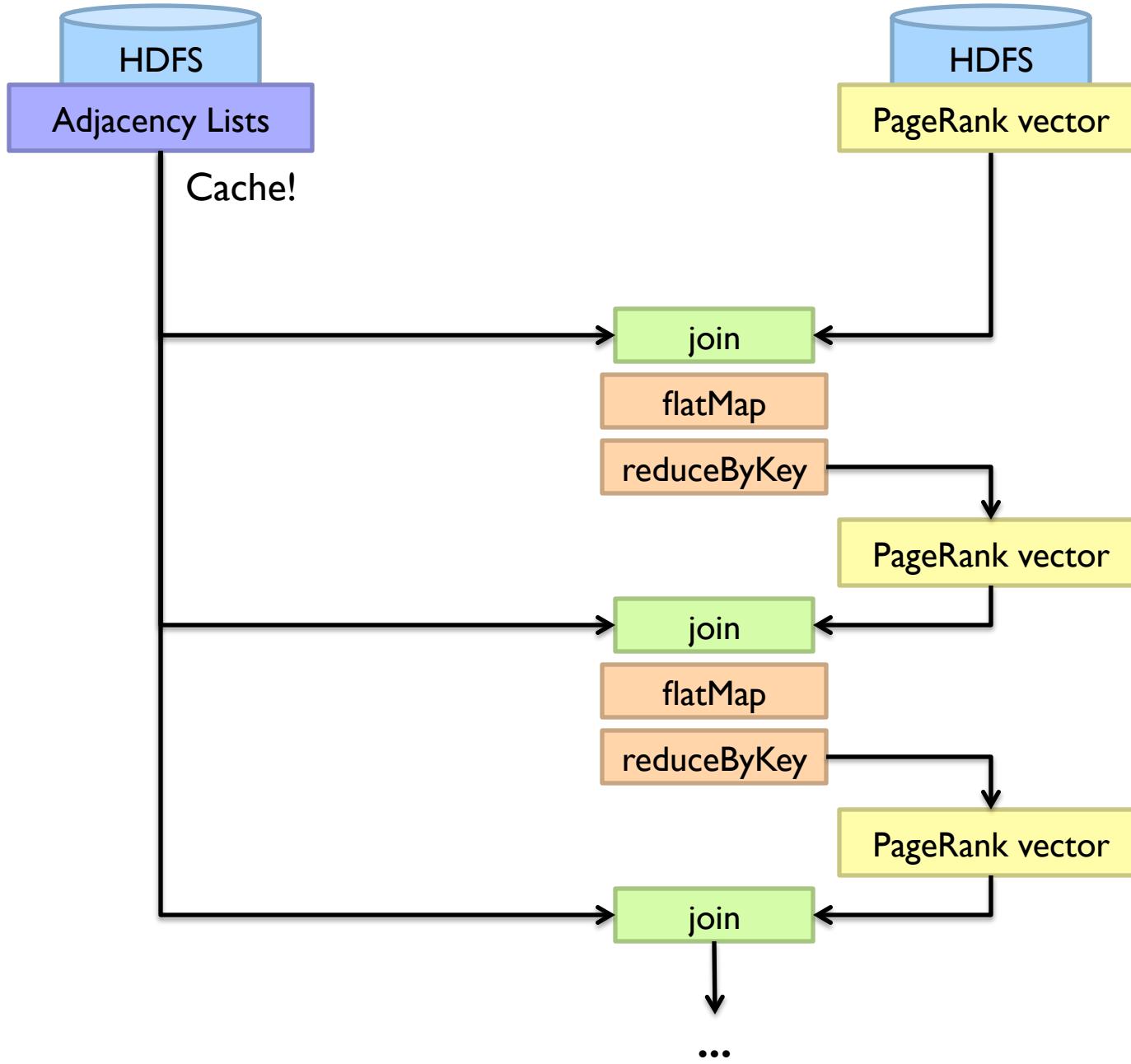
(omitting the second MapReduce job for simplicity; no handling of dangling links)



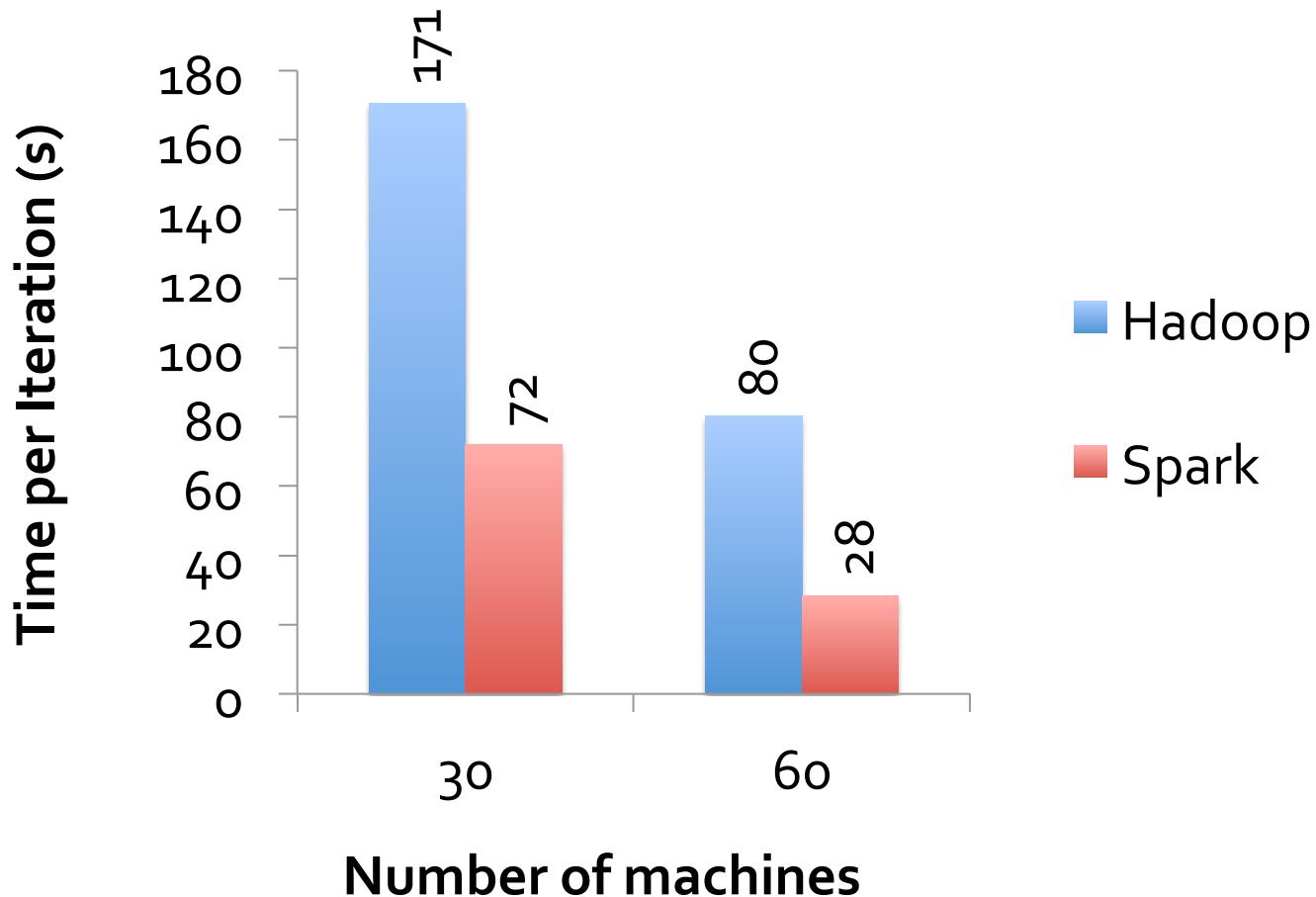








# MapReduce vs. Spark



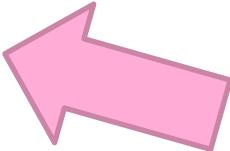
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What have we fixed?

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# **Big Data Processing in a Nutshell**

- Lessons learned so far:
  - Partition
  - Replicate
  - Reduce cross-partition communication
- What makes MapReduce/Spark fast?

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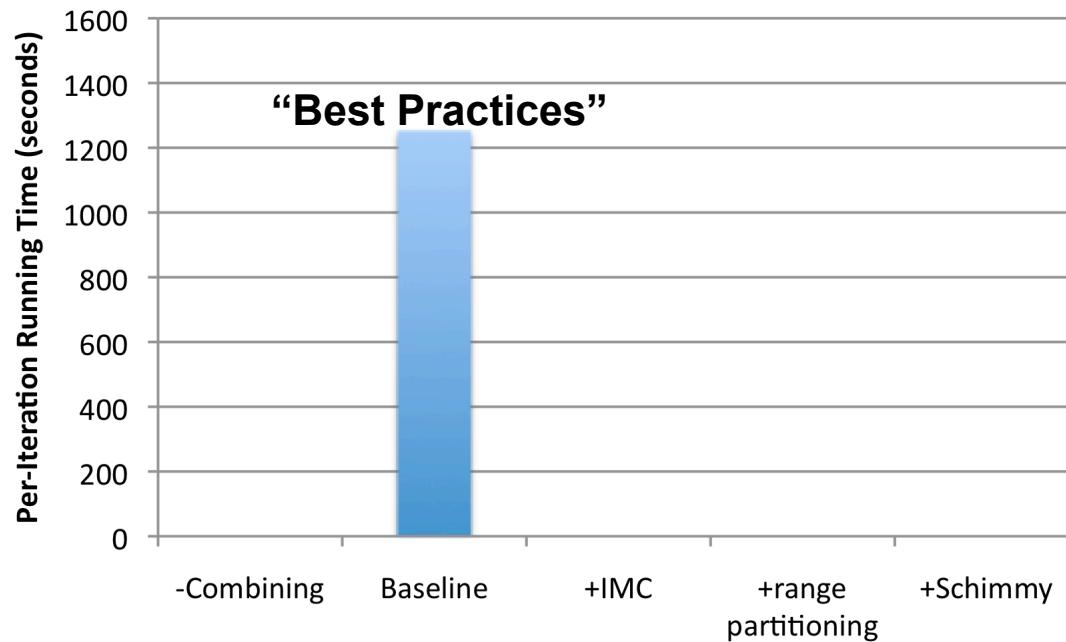
What's the issue?

Obvious solution: keep “neighborhoods” together!

# Simple Partitioning Techniques

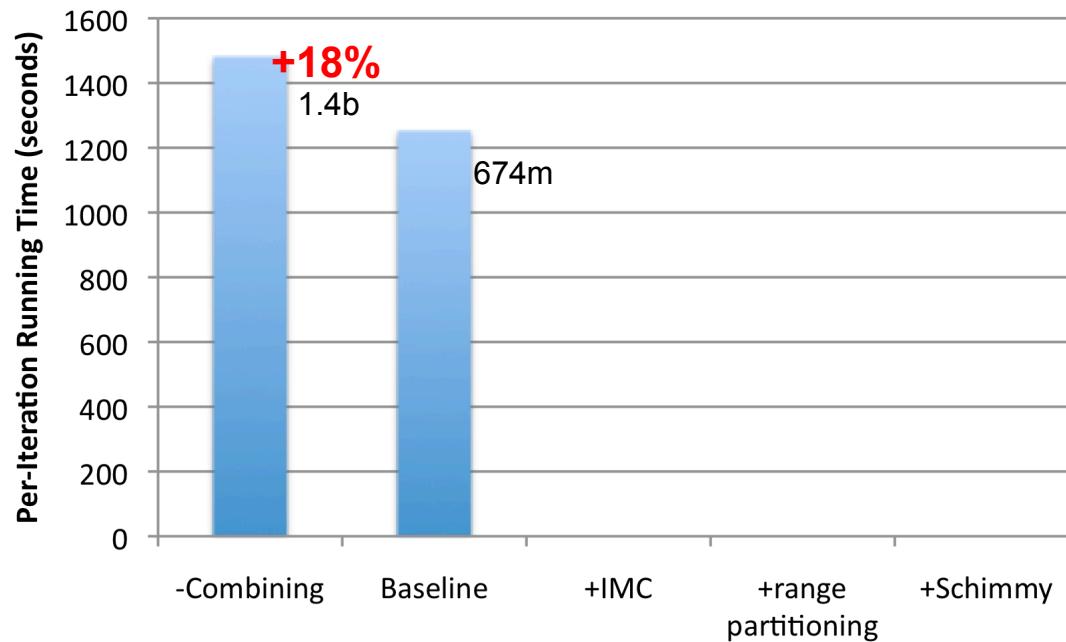
- Hash partitioning
- Range partitioning on some underlying linearization
  - Web pages: lexicographic sort of domain-reversed URLs
  - Social networks: sort by demographic characteristics

# How much difference does it make?



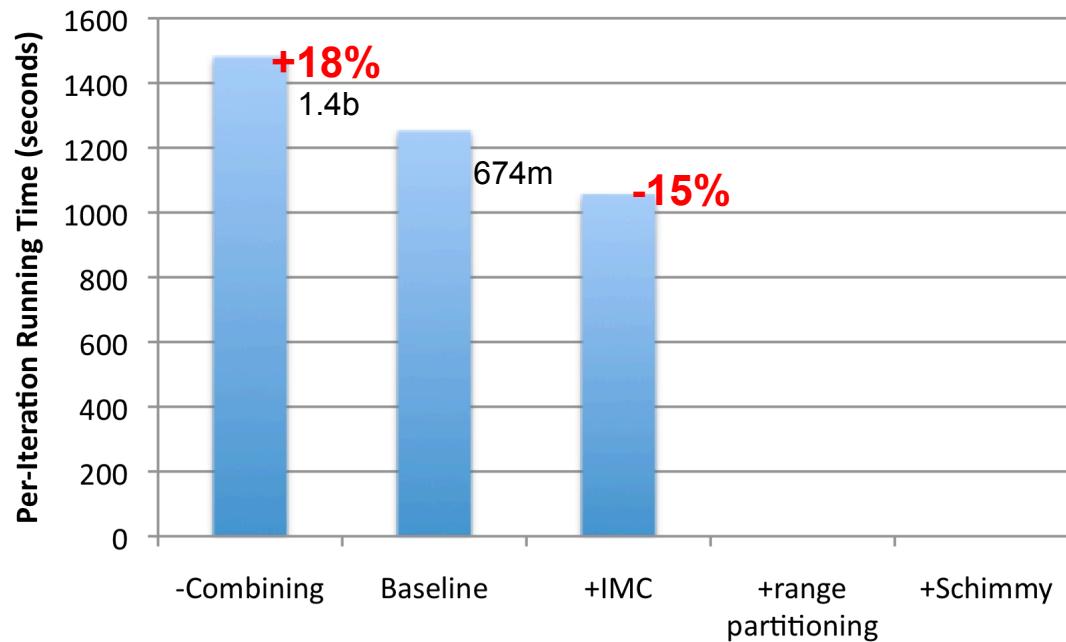
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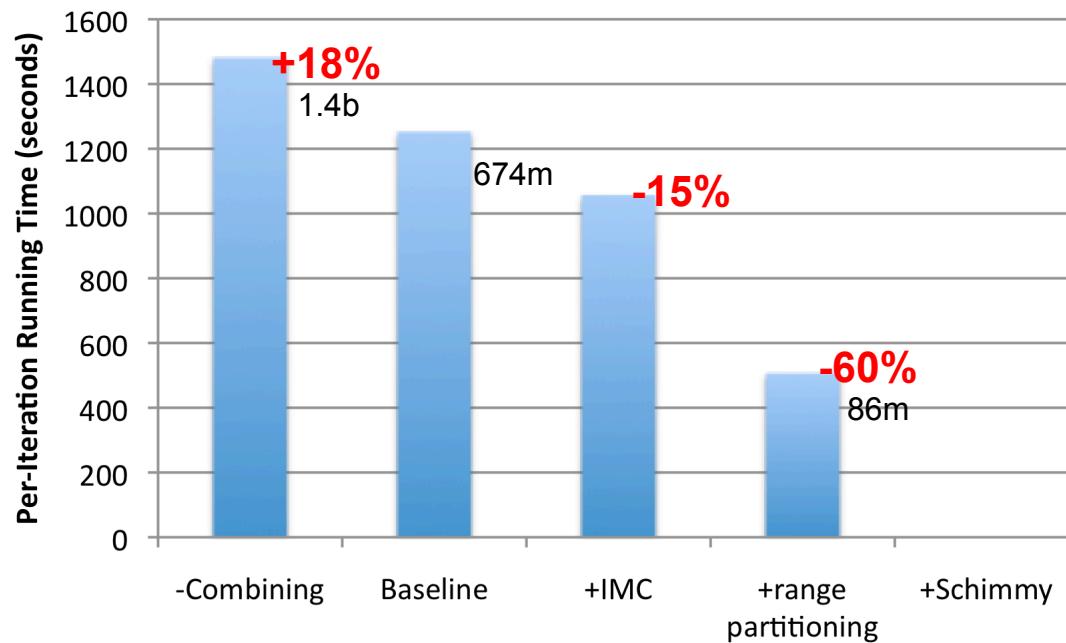
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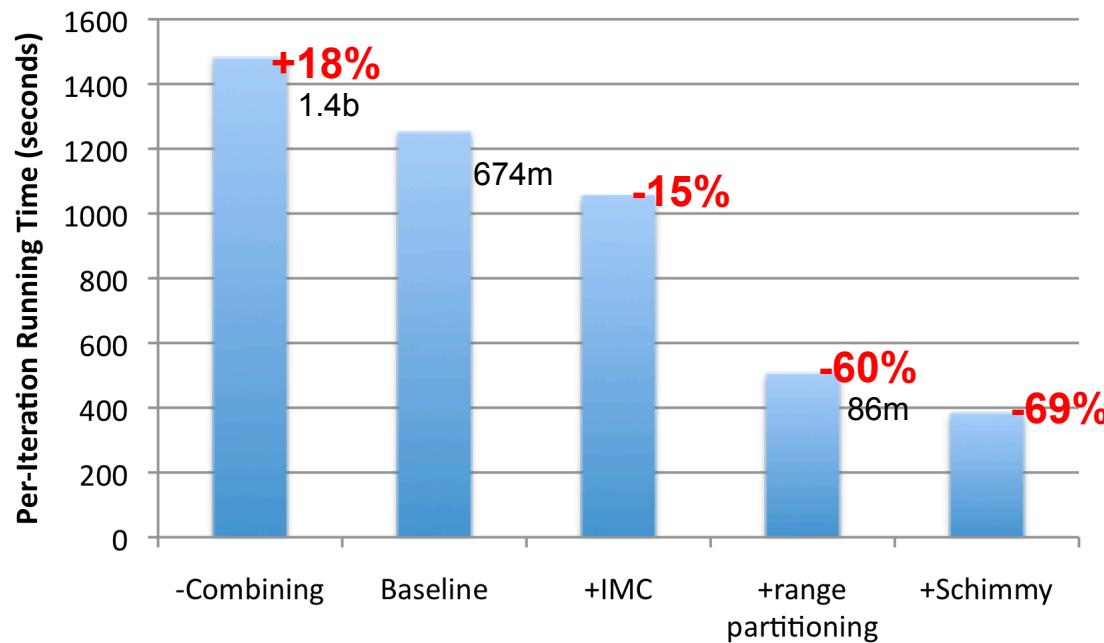
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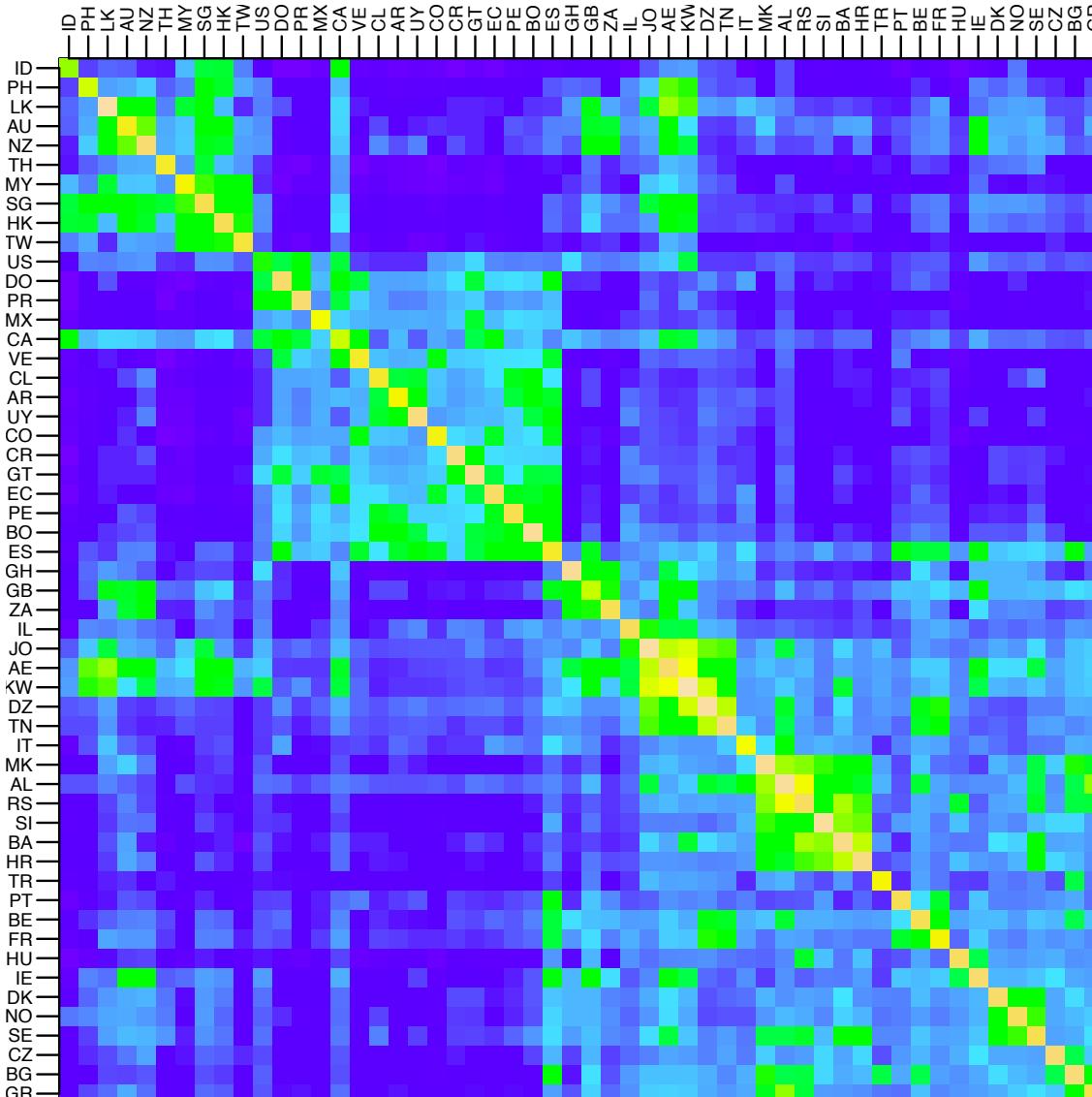
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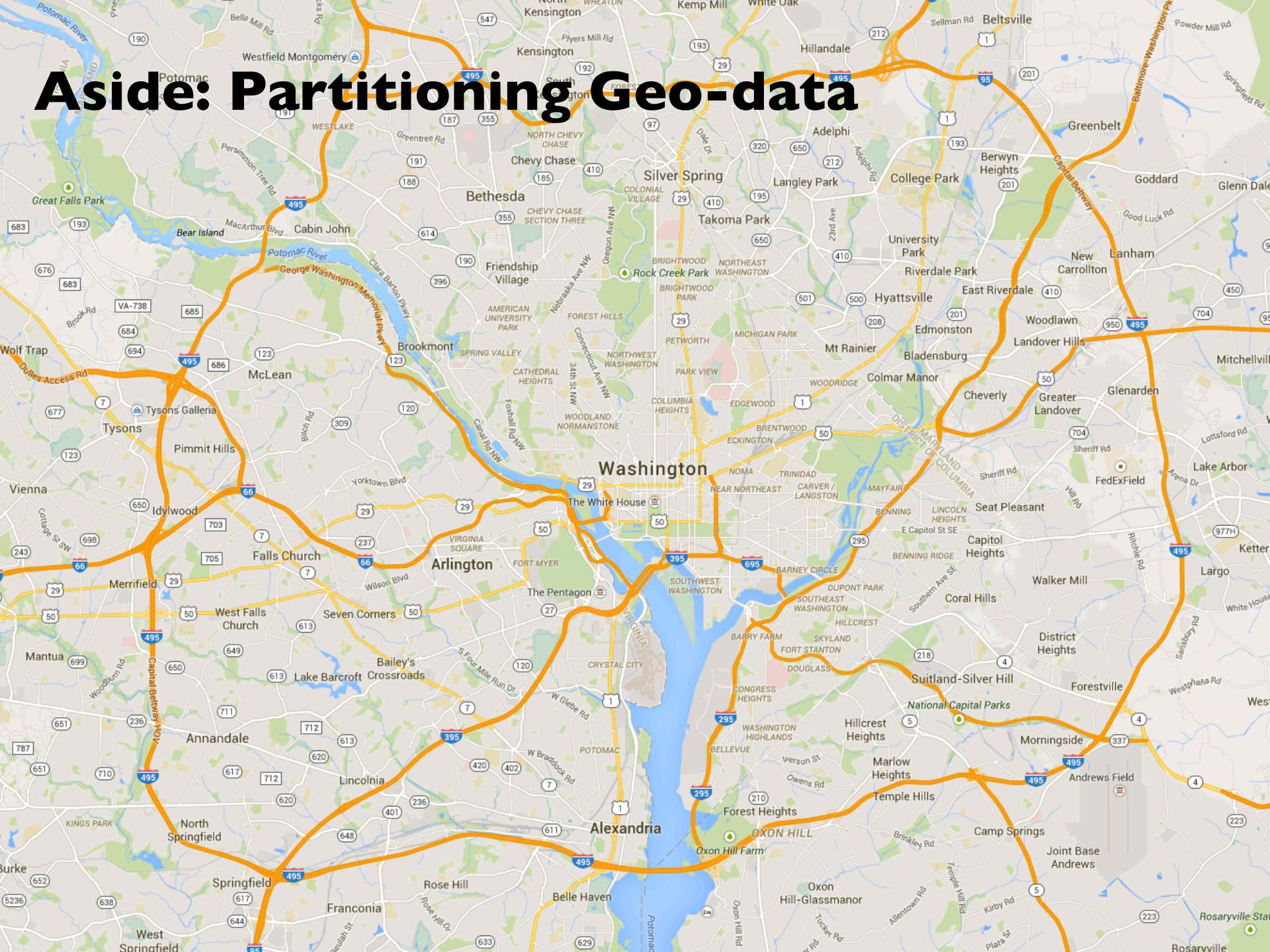
# Country Structure in Facebook



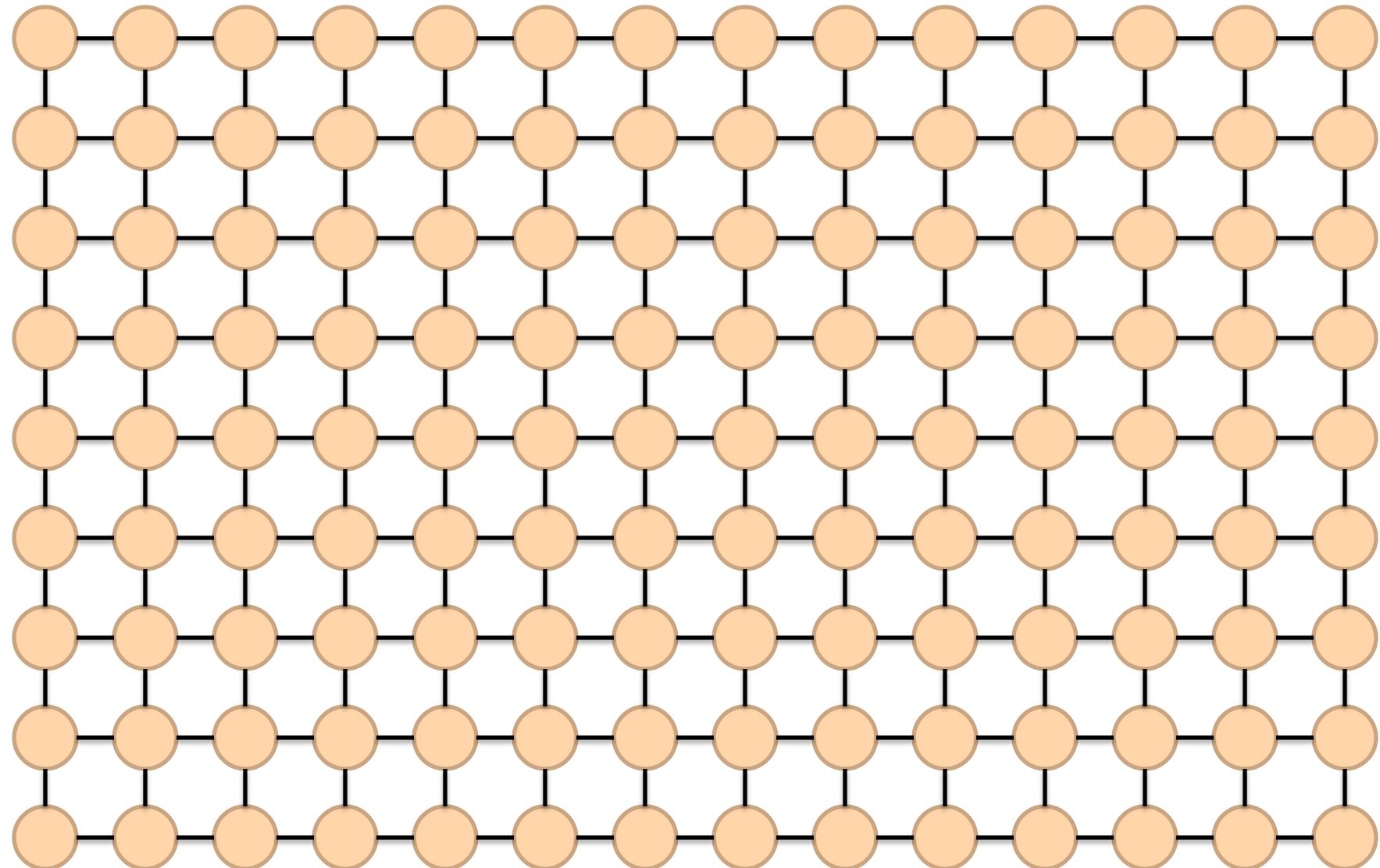
Analysis of 721 million active users (May 2011)

54 countries w/ >1m active users, >50% penetration

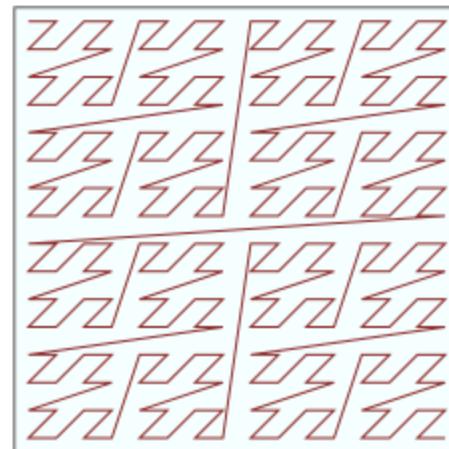
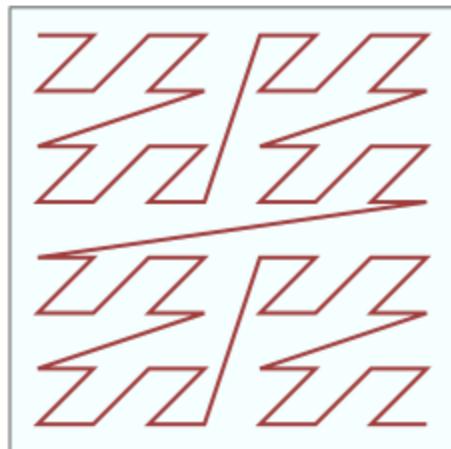
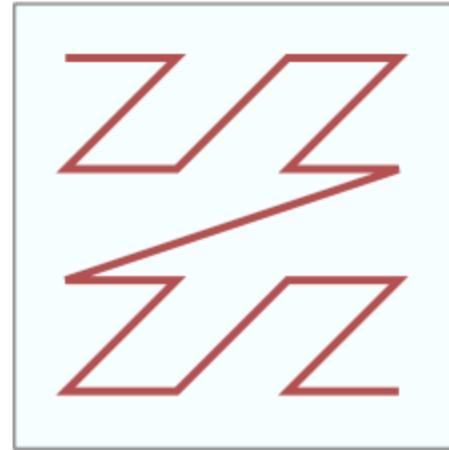
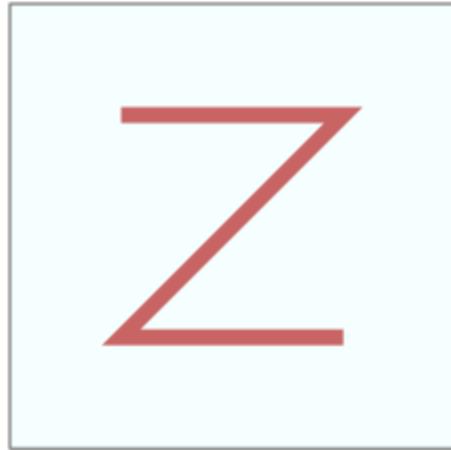
# Aside: Partitioning Geo-data



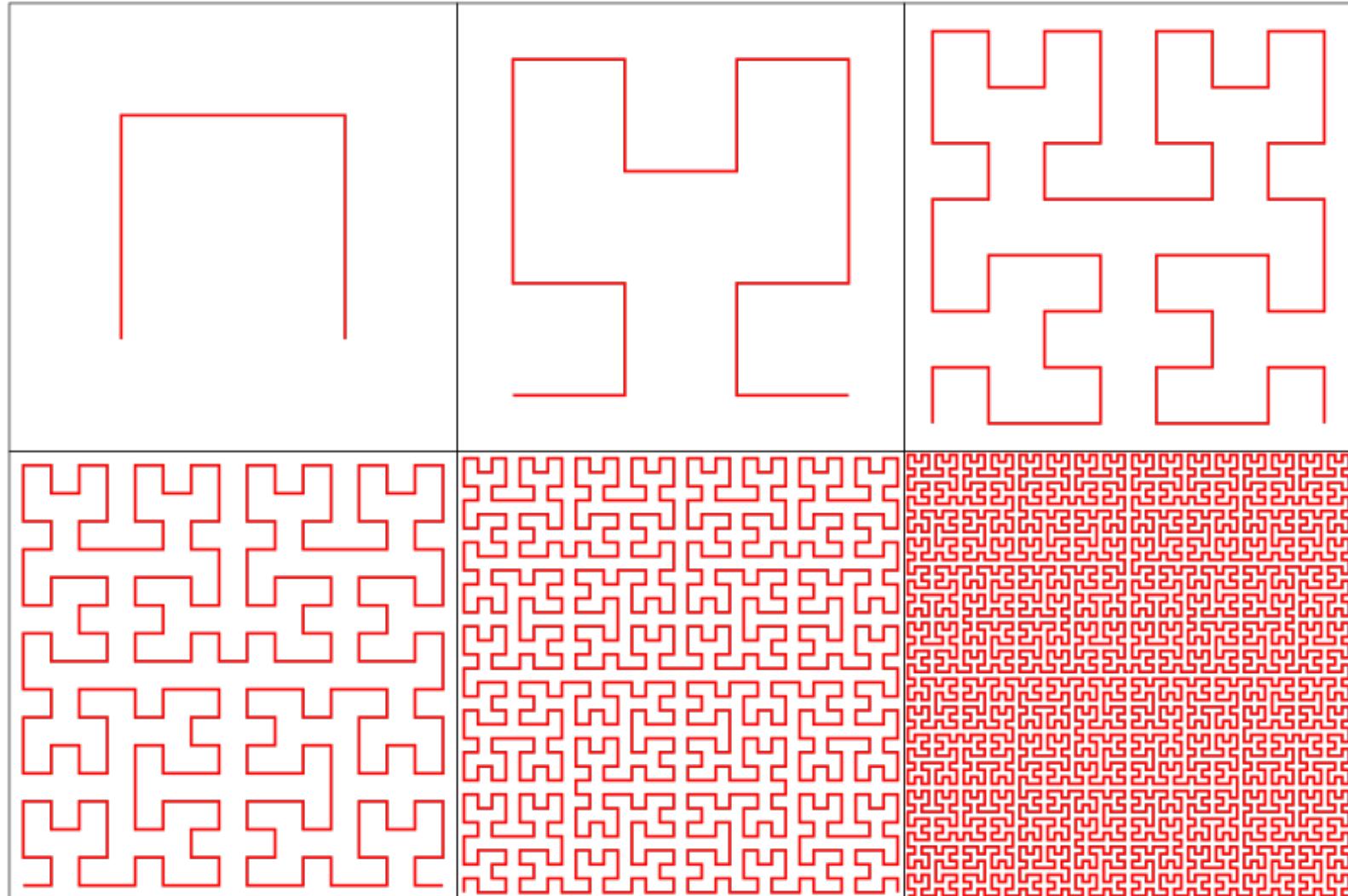
# **Geo-data = regular graph**



# Space-filling curves: Z-Order Curves

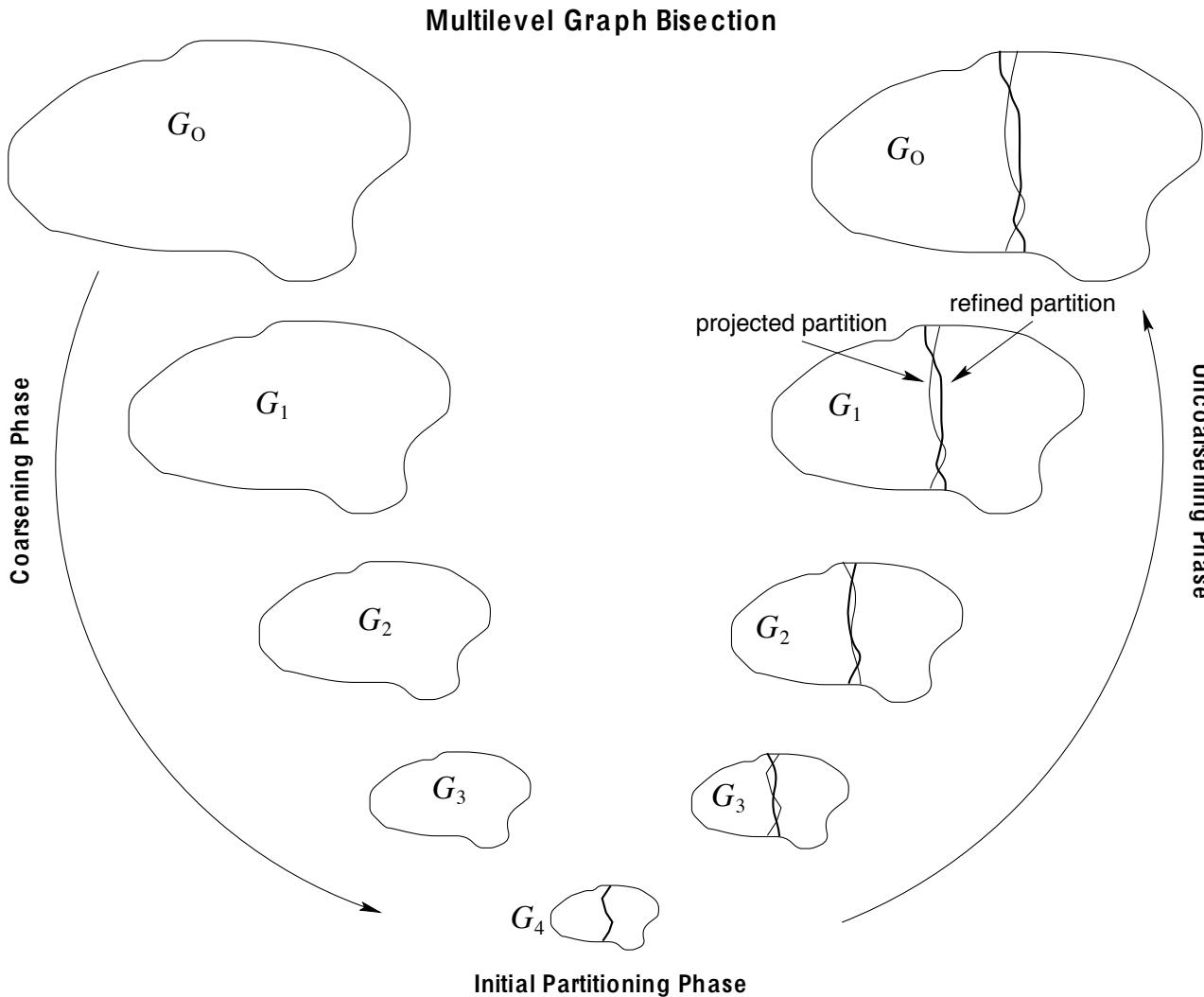


# Space-filling curves: Hilbert Curves

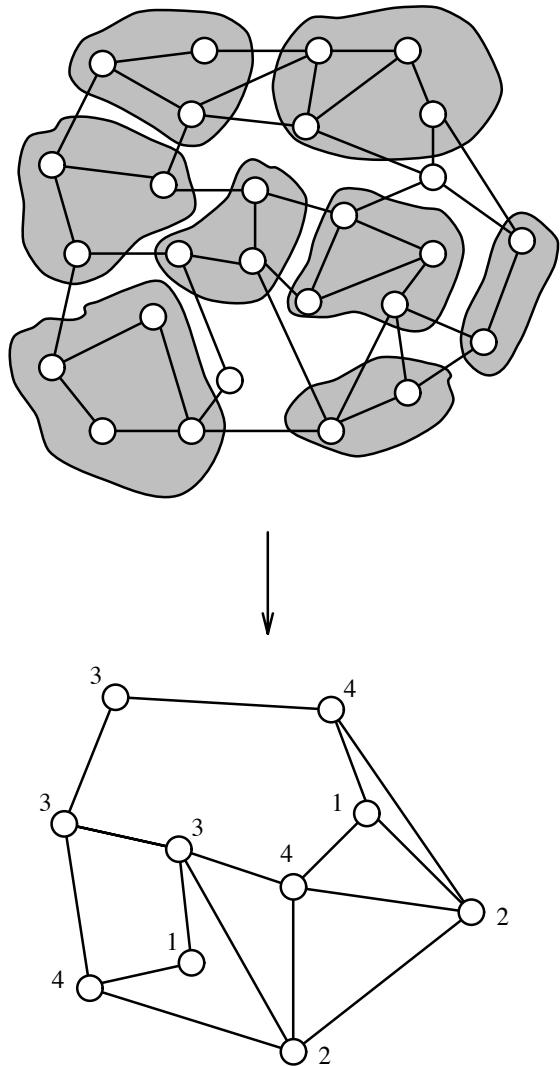




# General-Purpose Graph Partitioning

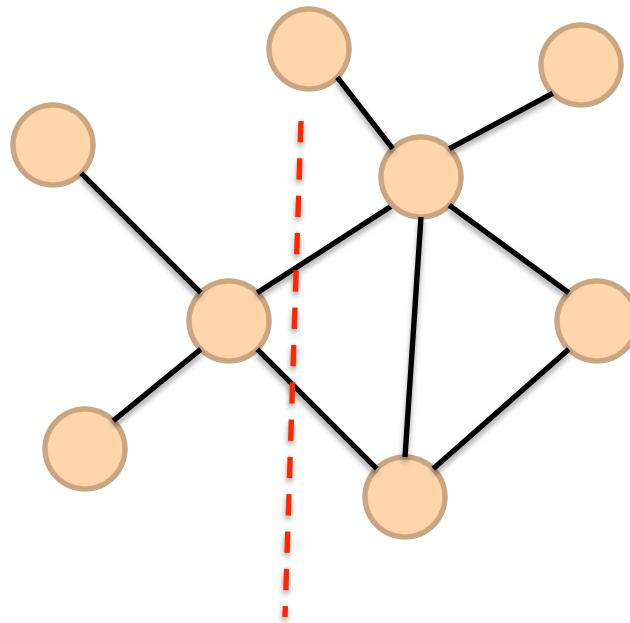


# Graph Coarsening

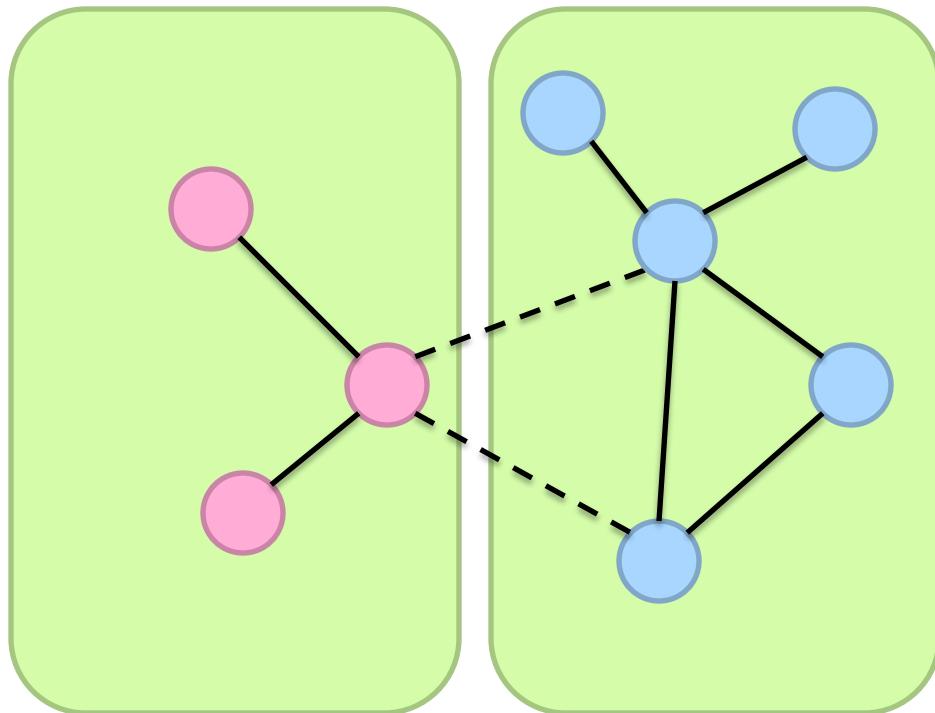


Karypis and Kumar. (1998) A Fast and High Quality Multilevel Scheme for Partitioning Irregular Graphs.

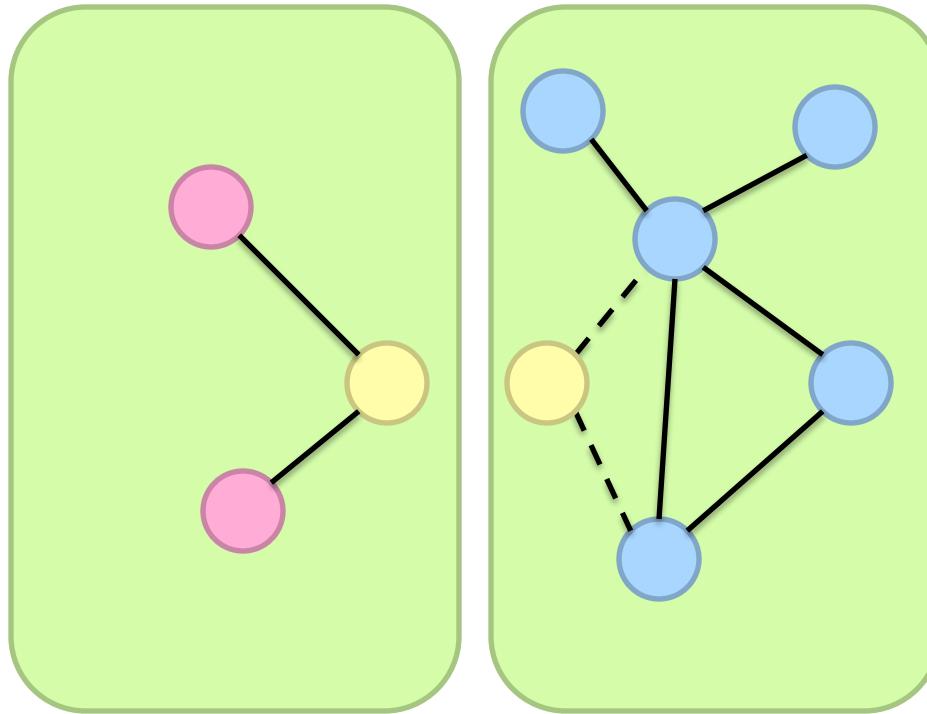
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# Partition + Replicate



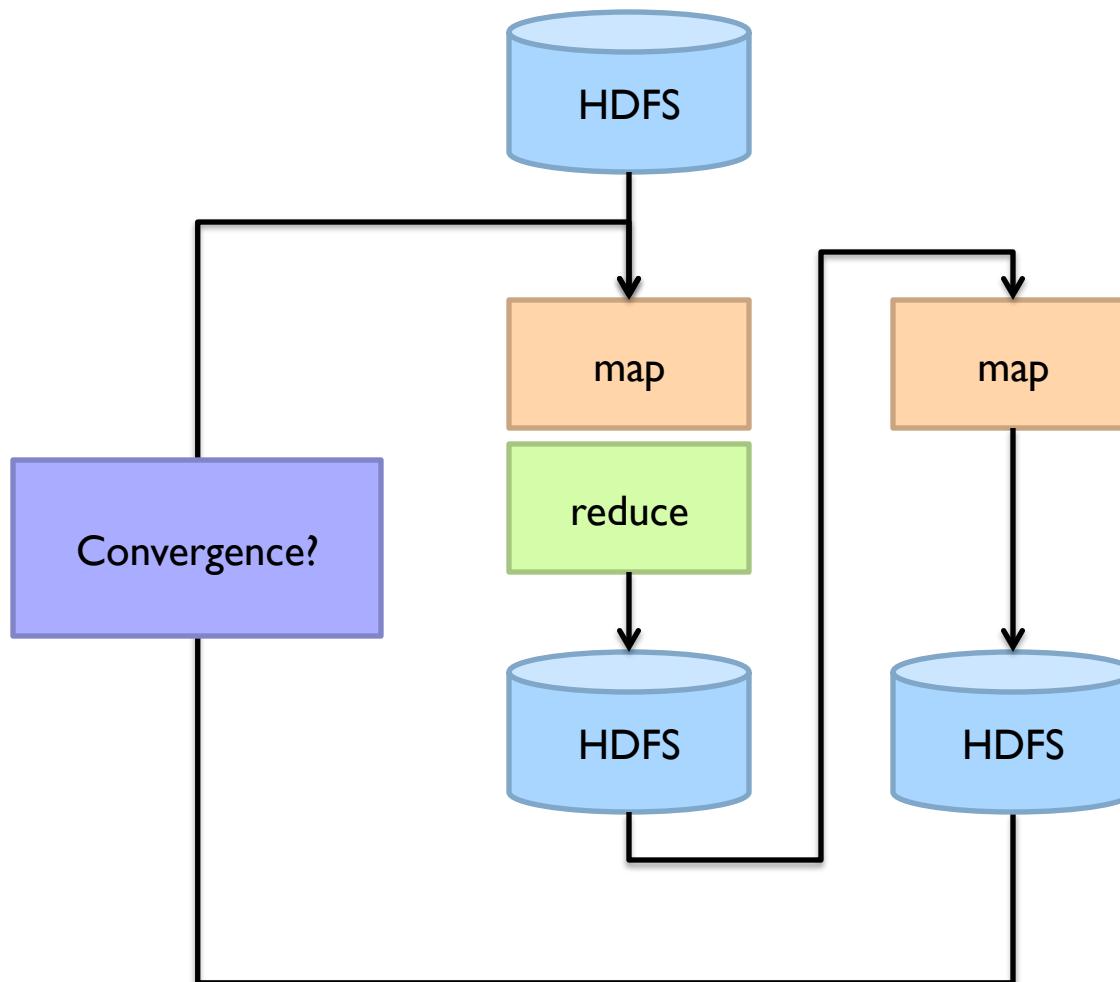
What's the issue?

The fastest current graph algorithms combine smart partitioning with asynchronous iterations

# Graph Processing Frameworks



# MapReduce PageRank

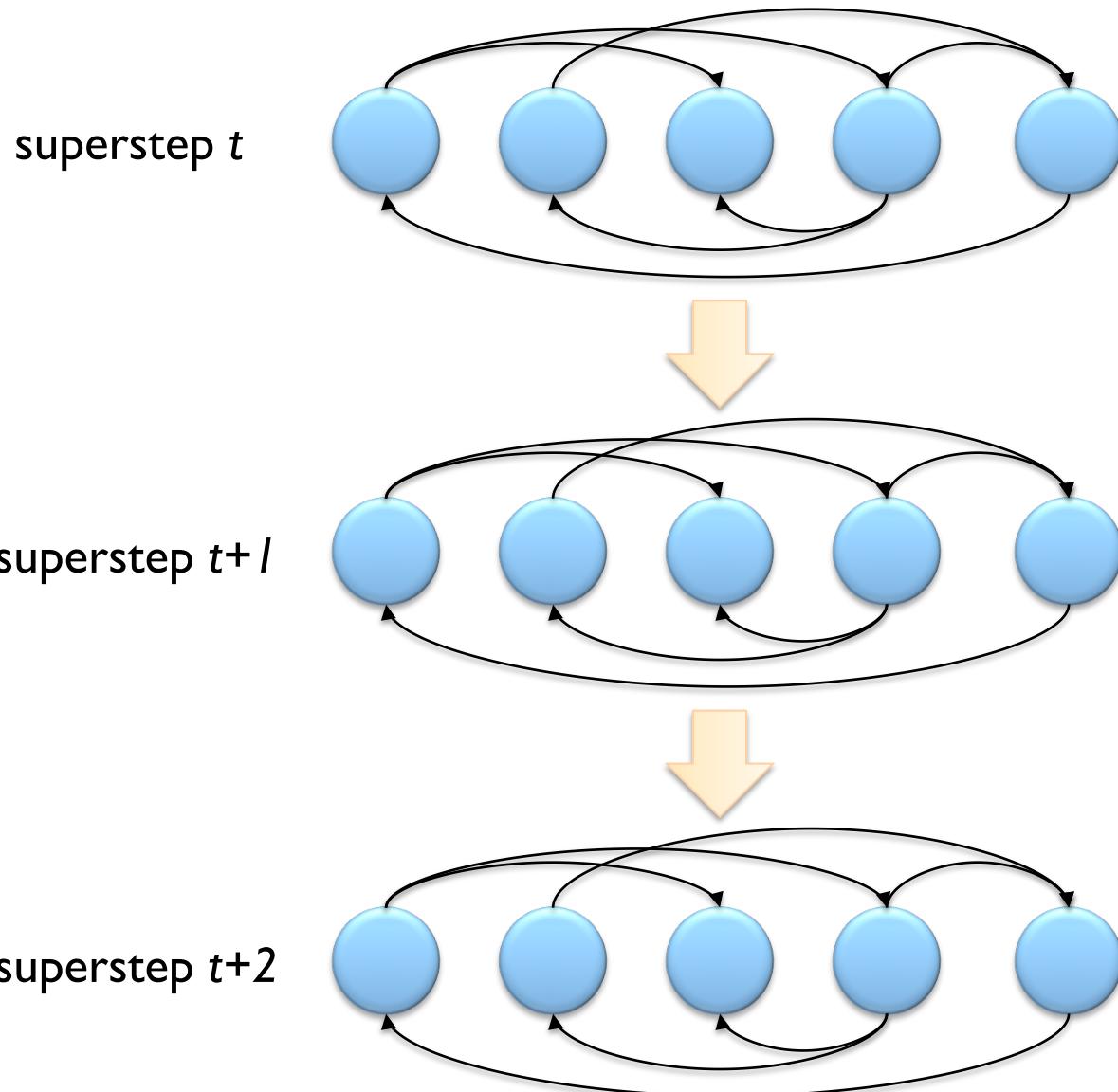


What's the issue?  
Think like a vertex!

# Pregel: Computational Model

- Based on Bulk Synchronous Parallel (BSP)
  - Computational units encoded in a directed graph
  - Computation proceeds in a series of supersteps
  - Message passing architecture
- Each vertex, at each superstep:
  - Receives messages directed at it from previous superstep
  - Executes a user-defined function (modifying state)
  - Emits messages to other vertices (for the next superstep)
- Termination:
  - A vertex can choose to deactivate itself
  - Is “woken up” if new messages received
  - Computation halts when all vertices are inactive

# Pregel



# Pregel: Implementation

- Master-Slave architecture
  - Vertices are hash partitioned (by default) and assigned to workers
  - Everything happens in memory
- Processing cycle:
  - Master tells all workers to advance a single superstep
  - Worker delivers messages from previous superstep, executing vertex computation
  - Messages sent asynchronously (in batches)
  - Worker notifies master of number of active vertices
- Fault tolerance
  - Checkpointing
  - Heartbeat/revert

# Pregel: PageRank

```
class PageRankVertex : public Vertex<double, void, double> {
public:
    virtual void Compute(MessageIterator* msgs) {
        if (superstep() >= 1) {
            double sum = 0;
            for (; !msgs->Done(); msgs->Next())
                sum += msgs->Value();
            *MutableValue() = 0.15 / NumVertices() + 0.85 * sum;
        }

        if (superstep() < 30) {
            const int64 n = GetOutEdgeIterator().size();
            SendMessageToAllNeighbors(GetValue() / n);
        } else {
            VoteToHalt();
        }
    }
};
```

# Pregel: SSSP

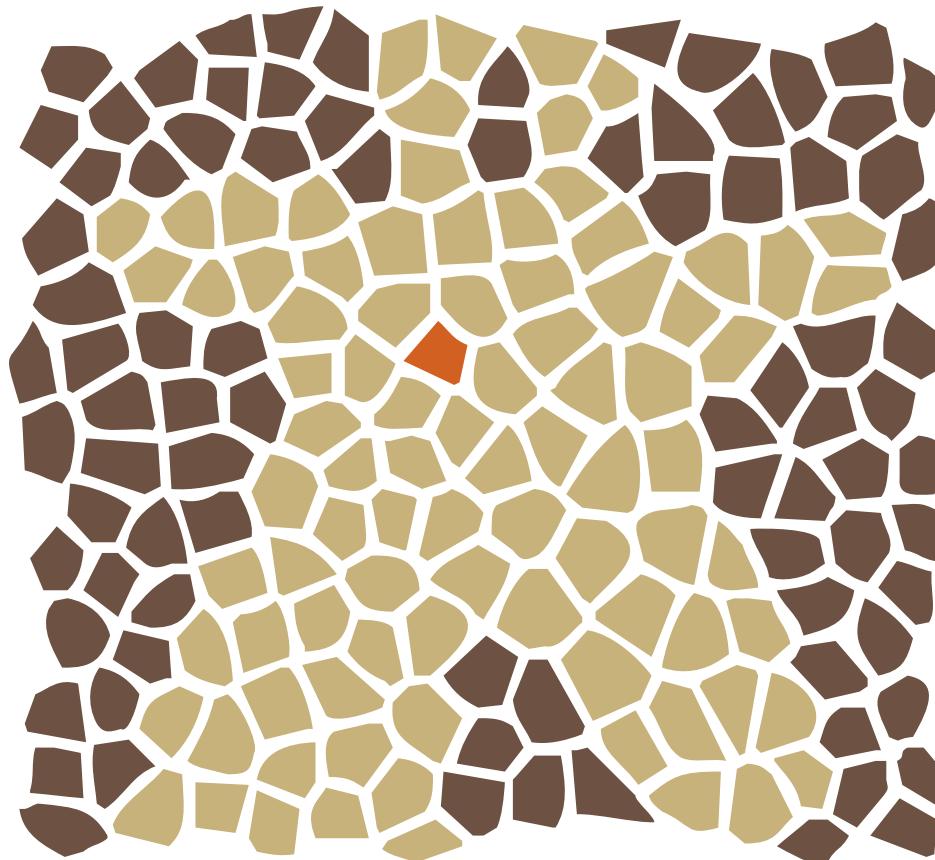
```
class ShortestPathVertex : public Vertex<int, int, int> {
    void Compute(MessageIterator* msgs) {
        int mindist = IsSource(vertex_id()) ? 0 : INF;
        for (; !msgs->Done(); msgs->Next())
            mindist = min(mindist, msgs->Value());
        if (mindist < GetValue()) {
            *MutableValue() = mindist;
            OutEdgeIterator iter = GetOutEdgeIterator();
            for (; !iter.Done(); iter.Next())
                SendMessageTo(iter.Target(),
                              mindist + iter.GetValue());
        }
        VoteToHalt();
    }
};
```

# Pregel: Combiners

```
class MinIntCombiner : public Combiner<int> {
    virtual void Combine(MessageIterator* msgs) {

        int mindist = INF;
        for (; !msgs->Done(); msgs->Next())
            mindist = min(mindist, msgs->Value());
        Output("combined_source", mindist);
    }

};
```

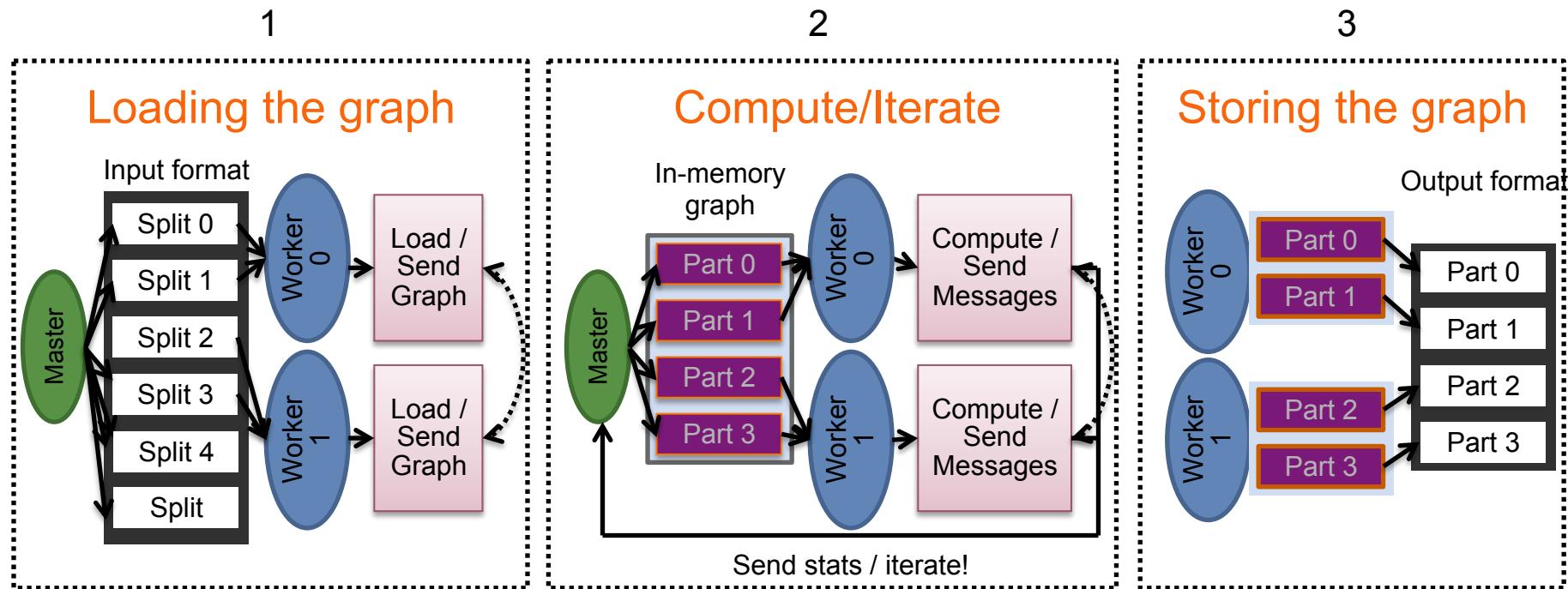


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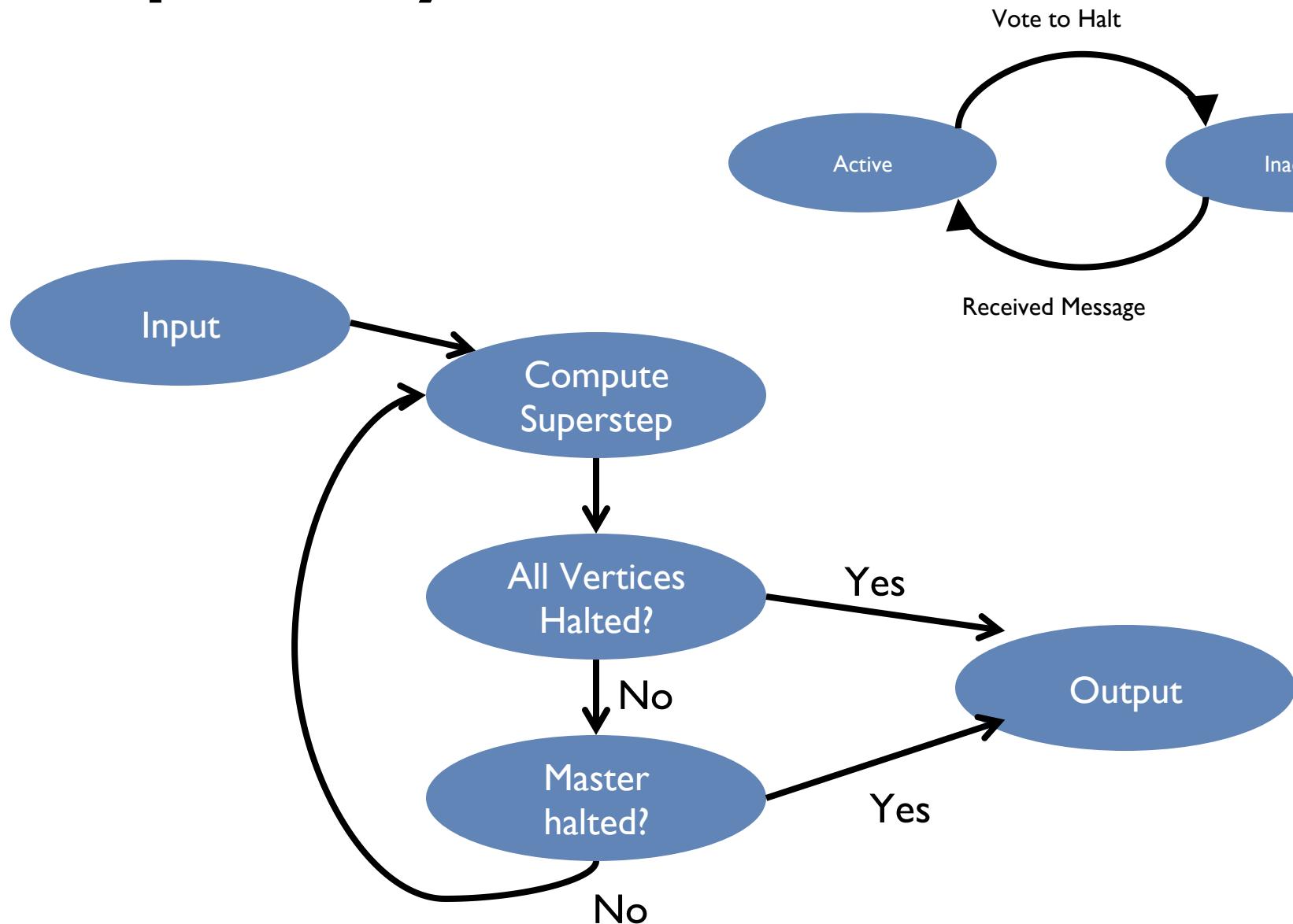
# Giraph Architecture

- Master – Application coordinator
  - Synchronizes supersteps
  - Assigns partitions to workers before superstep begins
- Workers – Computation & messaging
  - Handle I/O – reading and writing the graph
  - Computation/messaging of assigned partitions
- ZooKeeper
  - Maintains global application state

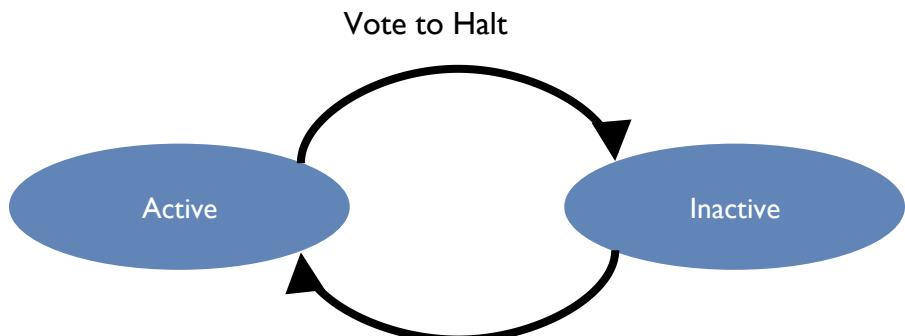
# Giraph Dataflow



# Giraph Lifecycle



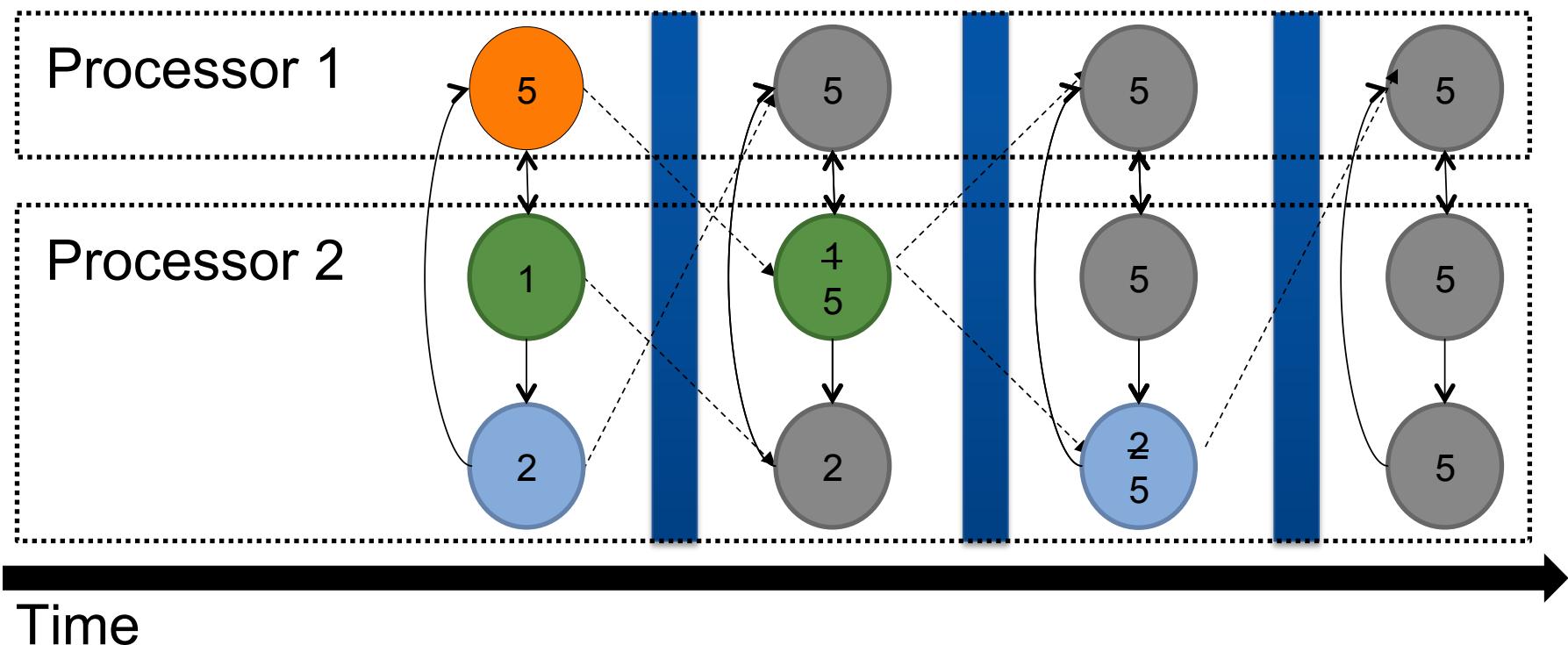
## Vertex Lifecycle



# Giraph Example

```
public class MaxComputation extends BasicComputation<IntWritable, IntWritable,  
    NullWritable, IntWritable> {  
    @Override  
    public void compute(Vertex<IntWritable, IntWritable, NullWritable> vertex,  
        Iterable<IntWritable> messages) throws IOException  
{  
    boolean changed = false;  
    for (IntWritable message : messages) {  
        if (vertex.getValue().get() < message.get()) {  
            vertex.setValue(message);  
            changed = true;  
        }  
    }  
    if (getSuperstep() == 0 || changed) {  
        sendMessageToAllEdges(vertex, vertex.getValue());  
    }  
    vertex.voteToHalt();  
}
```

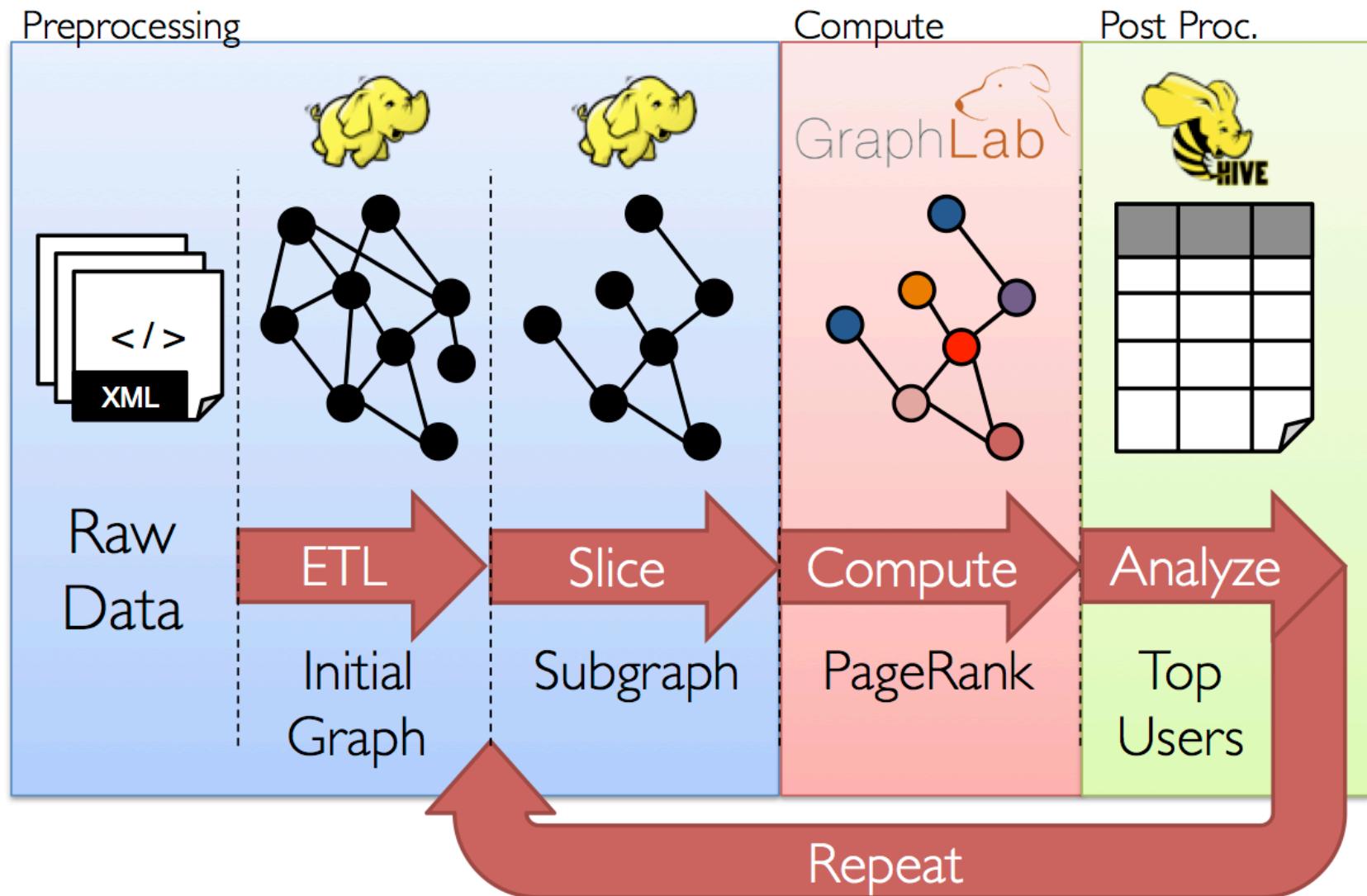
# Execution Trace



# Graph Processing Frameworks



# GraphX: Motivation

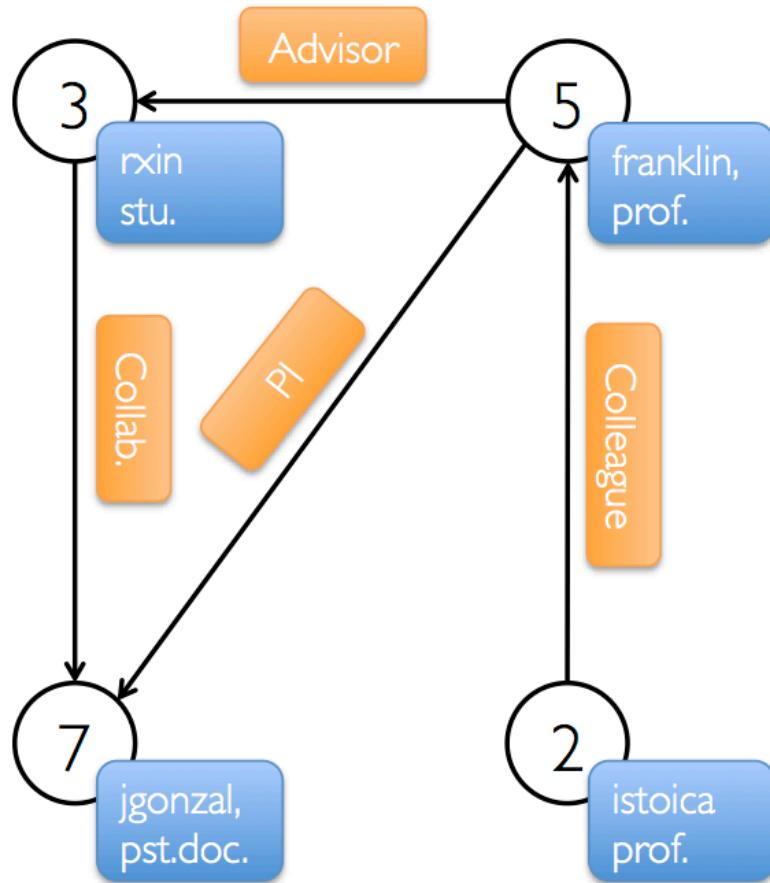


# **GraphX = Spark for Graphs**

- Integration of record-oriented and graph-oriented processing
- Extends RDDs to Resilient Distributed Property Graphs
- Property graphs:
  - Present different views of the graph (vertices, edges, triplets)
  - Support map-like operations
  - Support distributed Pregel-like aggregations

# Property Graph: Example

Property Graph



Vertex Table

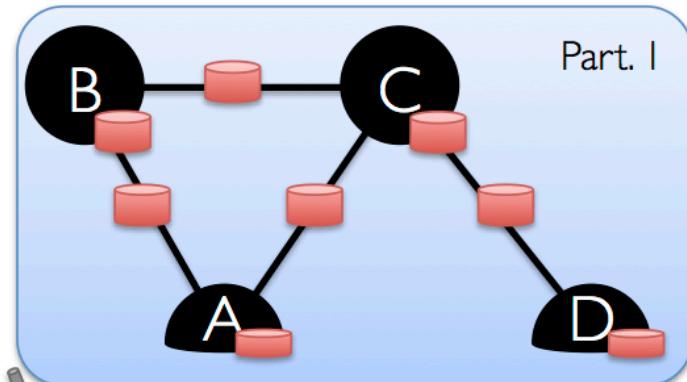
Id	Property (V)
3	(rxin, student)
7	(jgonzal, postdoc)
5	(franklin, professor)
2	(istoica, professor)

Edge Table

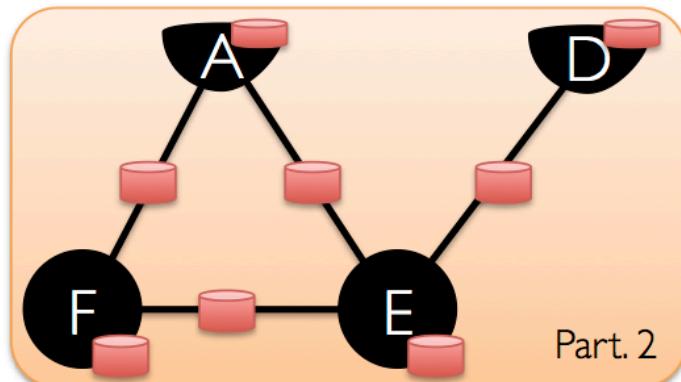
SrcId	DstId	Property (E)
3	7	Collaborator
5	3	Advisor
2	5	Colleague
5	7	PI

# Underneath the Covers

Property Graph



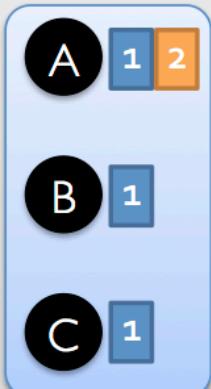
2D Vertex Cut Heuristic



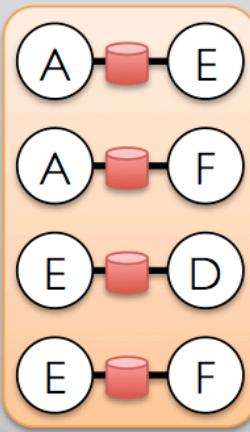
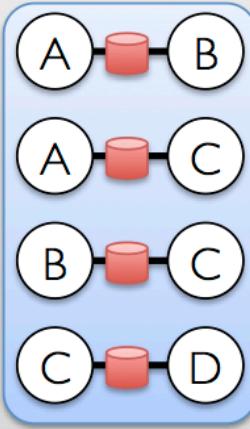
Vertex Table  
(RDD)



Routing  
Table  
(RDD)



Edge Table  
(RDD)



A photograph of a traditional Japanese rock garden. In the foreground, a gravel path is raked into fine, parallel lines. Several large, dark, irregular stones are scattered across the garden. A small, shallow pond is visible in the middle ground, surrounded by more stones and low, rounded green shrubs. In the background, there are larger trees with autumn-colored leaves and traditional wooden buildings with tiled roofs.

Questions?