CS5344
MapReduce and Hadoop

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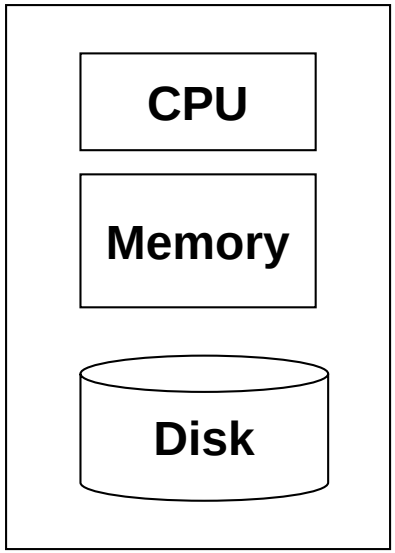
Why Parallelism?

- **Increasing data size**
- **Limitations of single node architecture**
  - Scan 100 TB on 1 node @ 100MB/s = 12 days



Machine Learning, Statistics

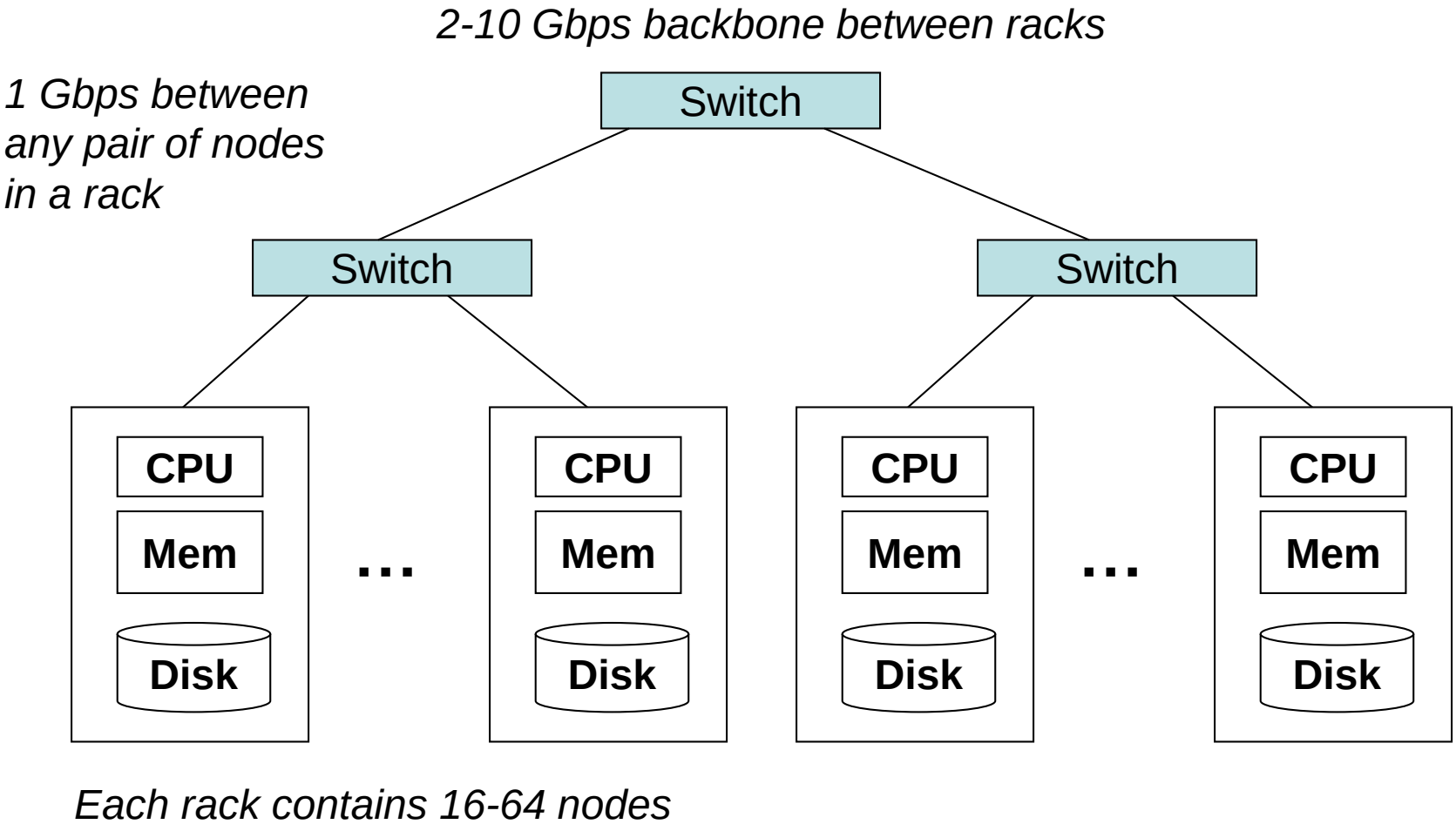
“Classical” Data Mining

Why Parallelism?

- **Emerging affordable cluster architecture**
  - Clusters of commodity Linux nodes
  - Gigabit Ethernet connection

In 2011, it was estimated that Google had one million machines, http://bit.ly/Shh0RO

Cluster Architecture



Large Scale Computing

- **Challenge: Cheap nodes fail, especially if you have many**
  - Mean time between failure for 1 node is 3 years, for 1000 nodes is 1 day
- **Solution: Build fault-tolerance into the storage infrastructure**
  - Distributed File System
  - Replicate files multiple times

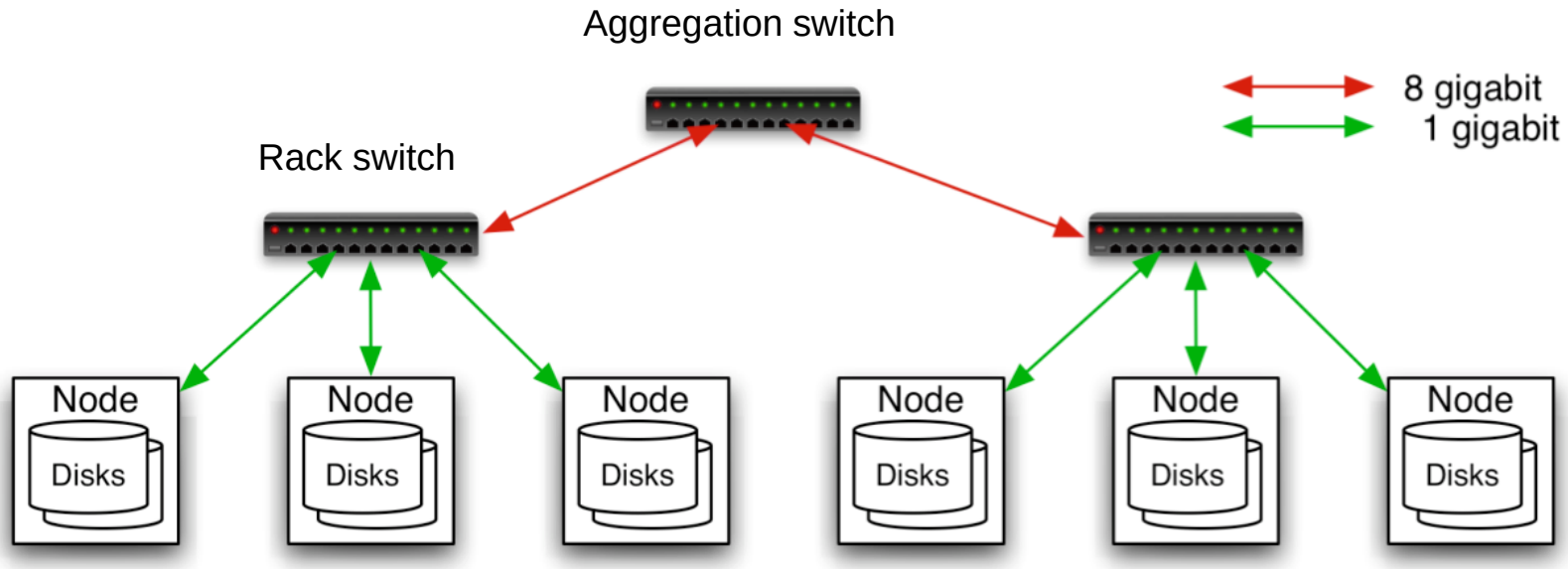
Large Scale Computing

- **Challenge: Low bandwidth of commodity network**
  - Copying data over a network takes time
- **Solution: Bring computation close to the data**

Large Scale Computing

- **Challenge: Programming distributed systems is hard**
- **Solution: Data-parallel programming model (MapReduce)**
  - Users write “map” and “reduce” functions
  - System handles work distribution and fault tolerance

Hadoop Cluster



40 nodes/rack, 1000-4000 nodes in cluster

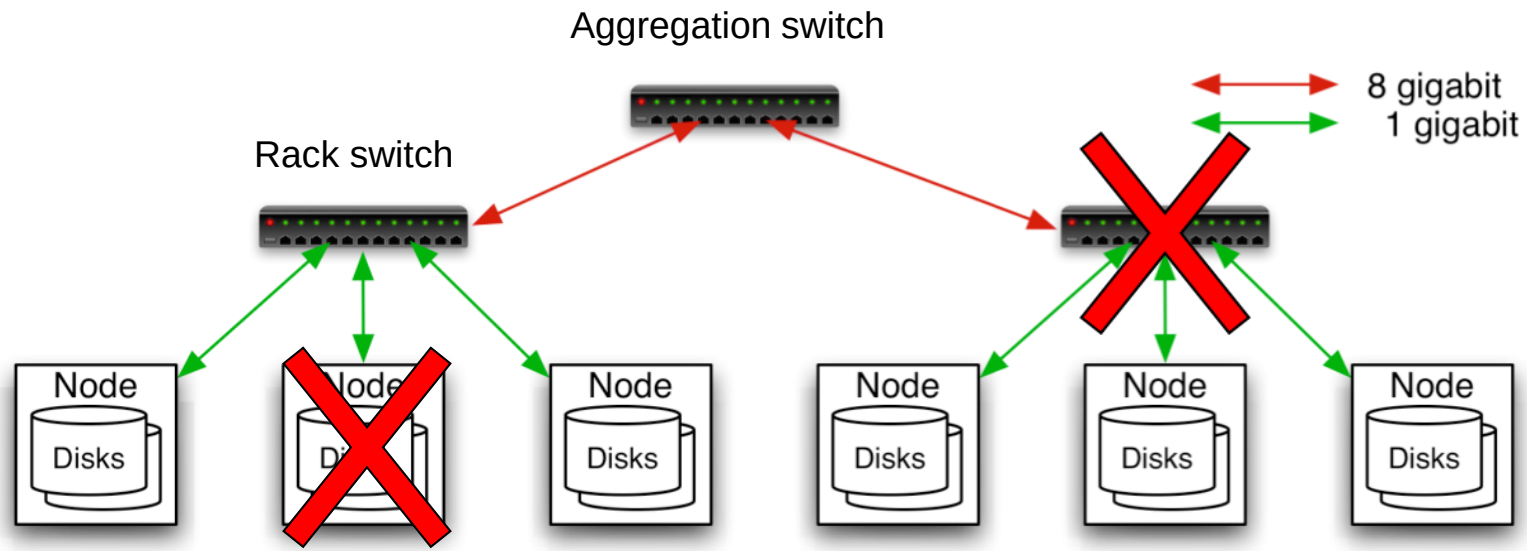
1 GBps bandwidth in rack, 8 GBps out of rack

Node specs (Yahoo terasort):

8 x 2.0 GHz cores, 8 GB RAM, 4 disks (= 4 TB?)

Modes of Failure

- **Loss of single node, e.g., Disk crash**
- **Loss of entire rack, e.g., Network failure**

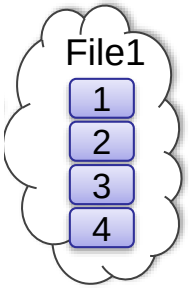


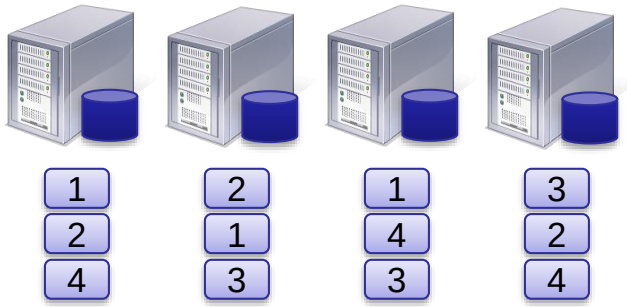
Hadoop Components

- **Distributed File System**
  - Files stored redundantly → data availability
- **MapReduce Programming System**
  - Computations divided into tasks → restart failed task without affecting other tasks

Distributed File System

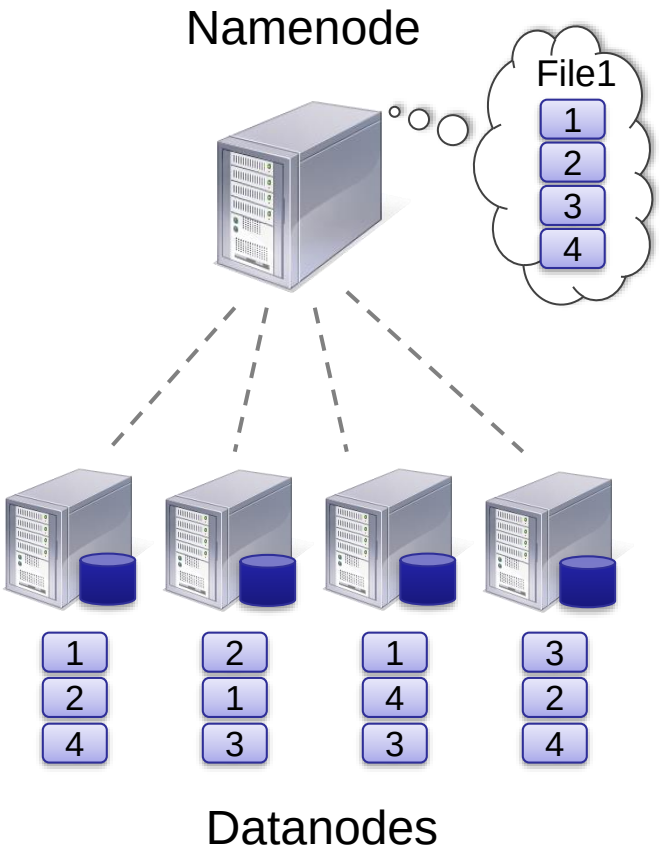
- **Files are BIG** (100s of GB to TB)
- **Typical usage pattern**
  - Data is rarely updated in place
  - Reads and Append-only
- **File split into contiguous chunks** (64 – 128 MB)
  - Each chunk replicated (usually 3 times)
  - Replicas kept in different racks





Distributed File System

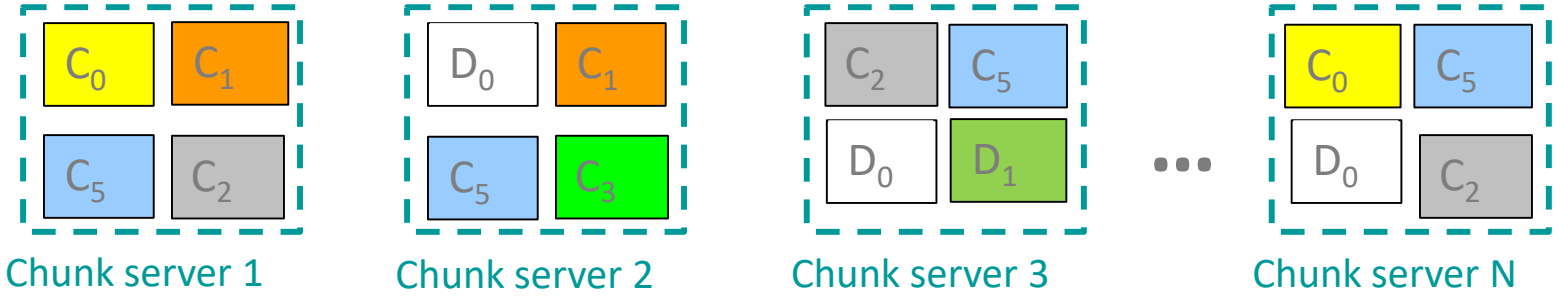
- **Master node (Namenode)**
  - Stores metadata about where files are located
  - May be replicated
- **Client library for file access**
  - Talks to master to find chunk servers
  - Connects directly to chunk servers to access data



Distributed File System

Reliability and Availability

- **Data kept in "chunks" spread across machines**
- **Each chunk replicated on different machines**
- **Seamless recovery from disk or machine failure**



Bring computation directly to the data

Chunk servers also serve as compute servers

What is MapReduce?

- **Data-parallel programming model for clusters of commodity machines**
- **Pioneered by Google**
  - Process 20 petabytes of data per day
- **Popularized by open-source Hadoop project**
  - Used by Yahoo!, Facebook, Amazon

MapReduce Overview

- Sequentially read a lot of data
- Map: Extract something you care about
- Group by key: Sort and Shuffle
- Reduce: Aggregate, summarize, filter or transform
- Write the result

MapReduce Programming Model

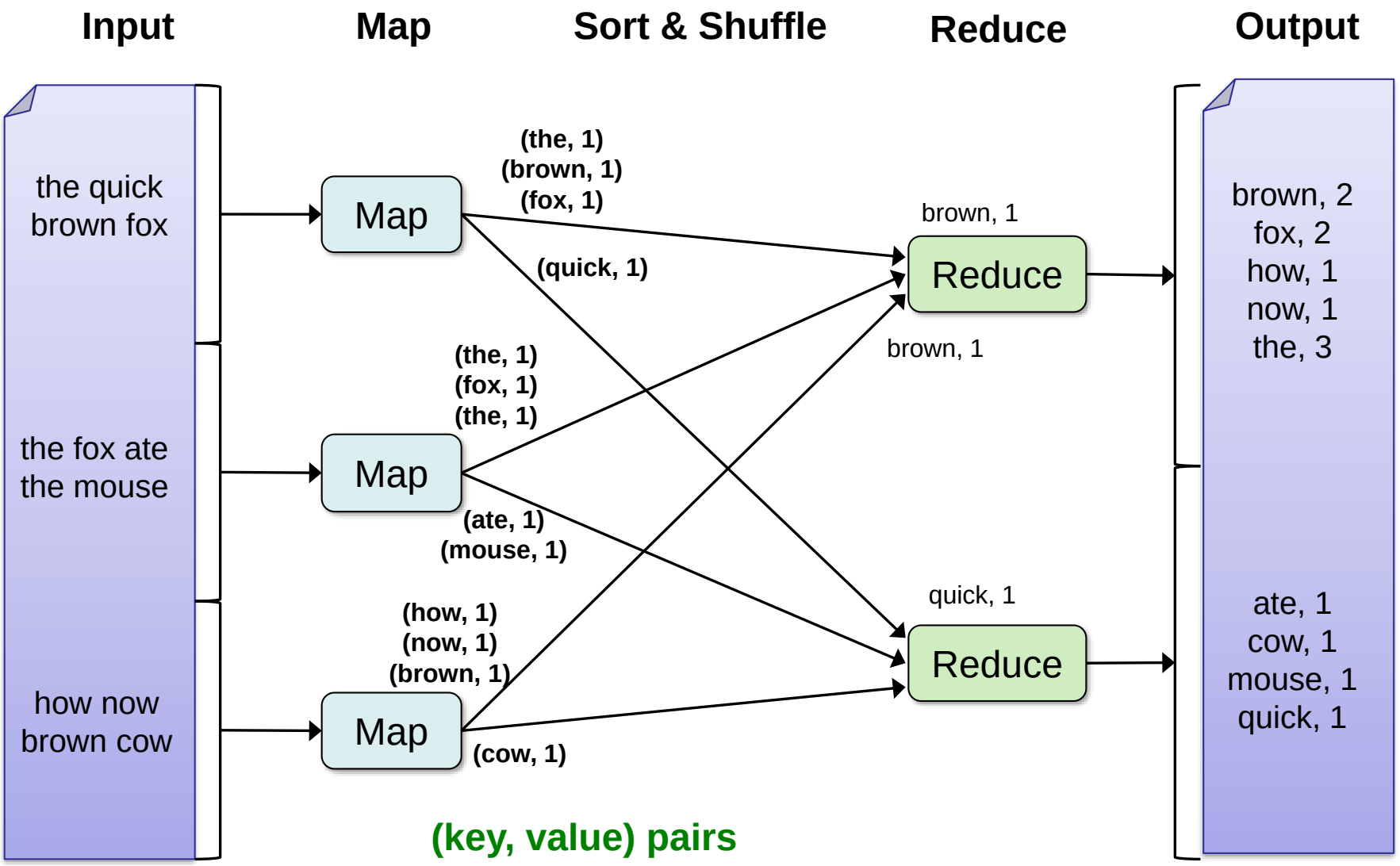
Problem: Word Count

- We have a huge text document
- File is too large to fit in memory
- Count the number of times each distinct word appears in the file

Application:

- Analyze web server logs to find popular URLs

MapReduce Programming Model



MapReduce Programming Model

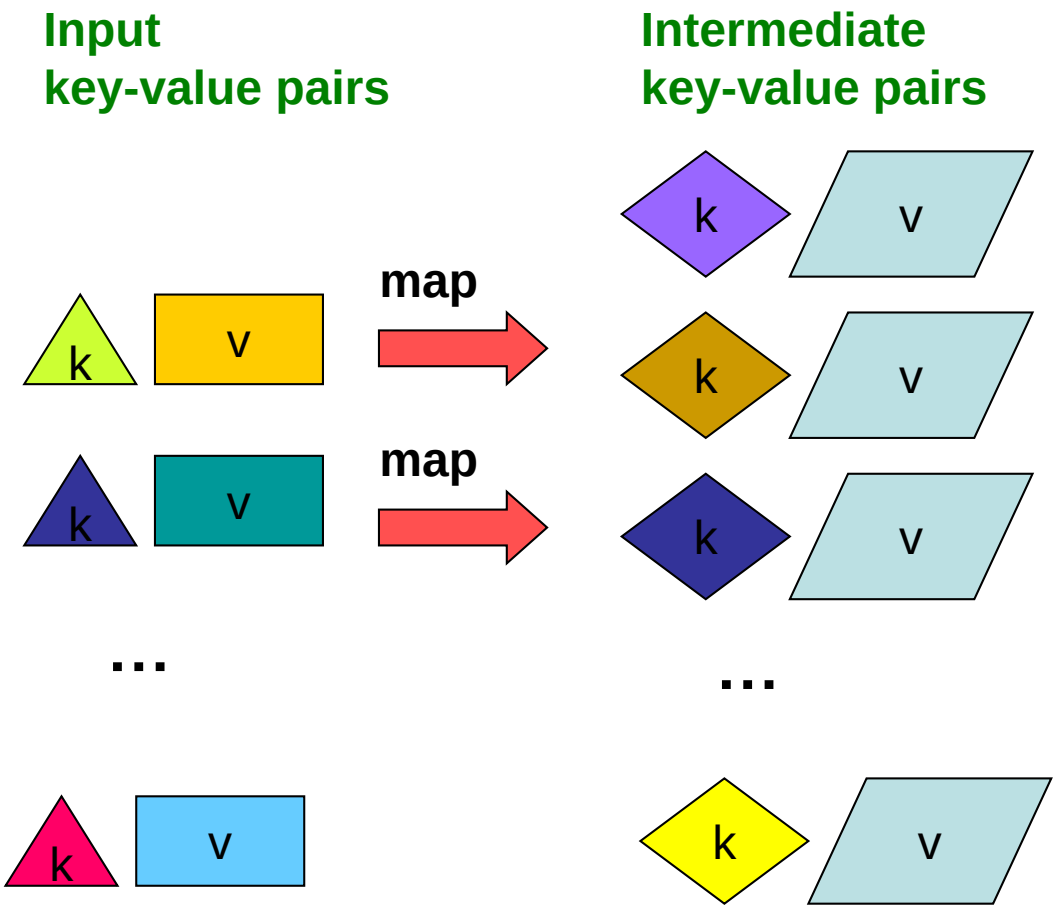
- **Data type: key-value records**

Types of keys and values are arbitrary
Keys do not have to be unique

- **Input: bag of (key, value) records**
- **Programmer specifies two methods**
  - **Map function: $(k_{in}, v_{in}) \rightarrow \langle k, v \rangle^*$**
    - Takes a key-value pair and outputs a set of key-value pairs
    - One Map call for each (k_{in}, v_{in}) pair
  - **Reduce function: $(k, \langle v \rangle^*) \rightarrow \langle k_{out}, v_{out} \rangle^*$**
    - All values *v* with same key *k* are reduced together
    - There is one Reduce function call per unique key *k*

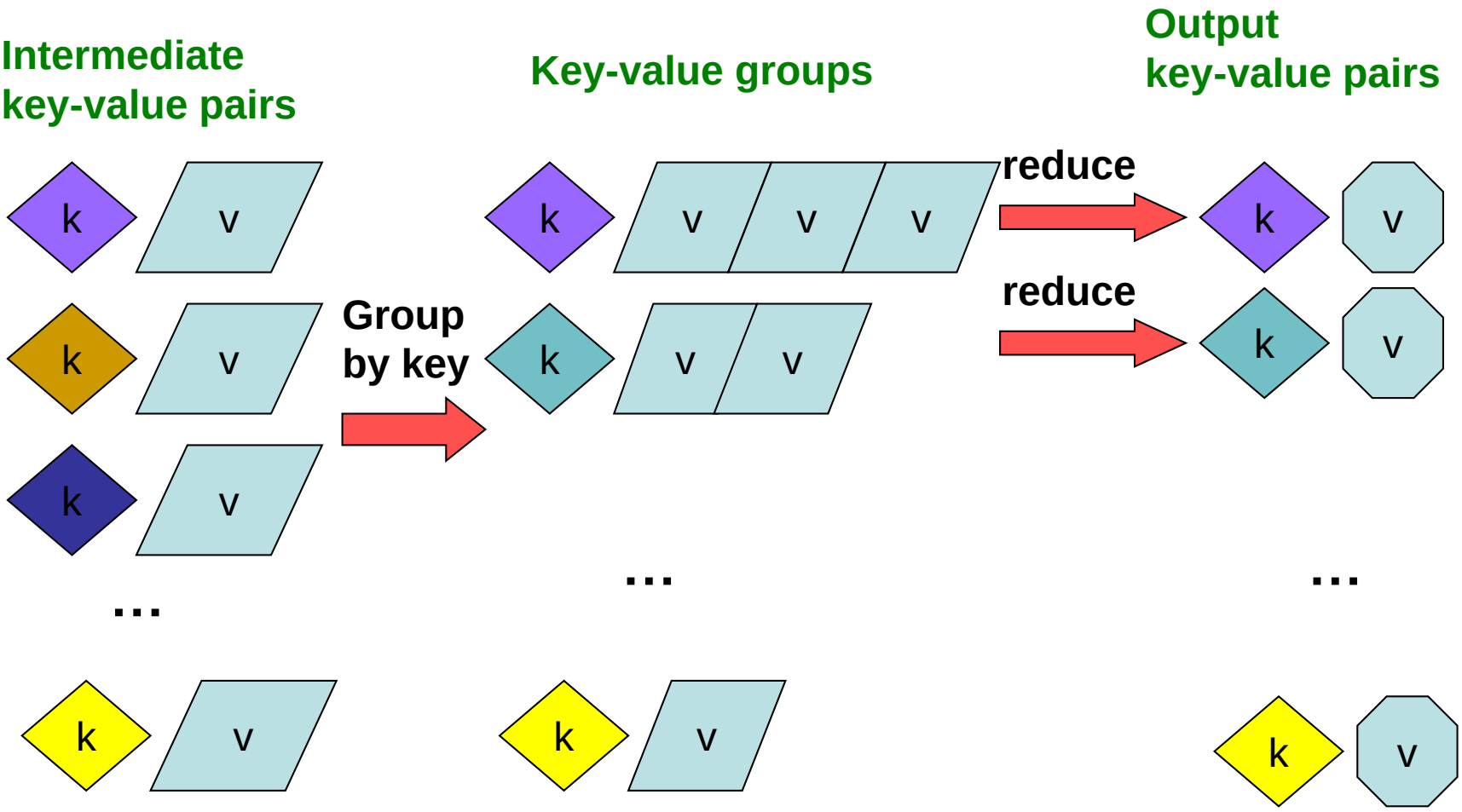
MapReduce Programming Model

The Map Step



MapReduce Programming Model

The Reduce Step



Word Count Using MapReduce

```
map(key, value):
// key: document name; value: text of the document
    for each word w in value:
        emit(w, 1)
```

```
reduce(key, values):
// key: a word; count: an iterator over values
    result = 0
    for each count v in values:
        result += v
    emit(key, result)
```

MapReduce Environment

Map-Reduce environment takes care of

- Partitioning the input data
- Scheduling the program's execution across a set of machines
- Performing the **Group by key** step
- Handling machine failures
- Managing inter-machine communication

Grouping by Key

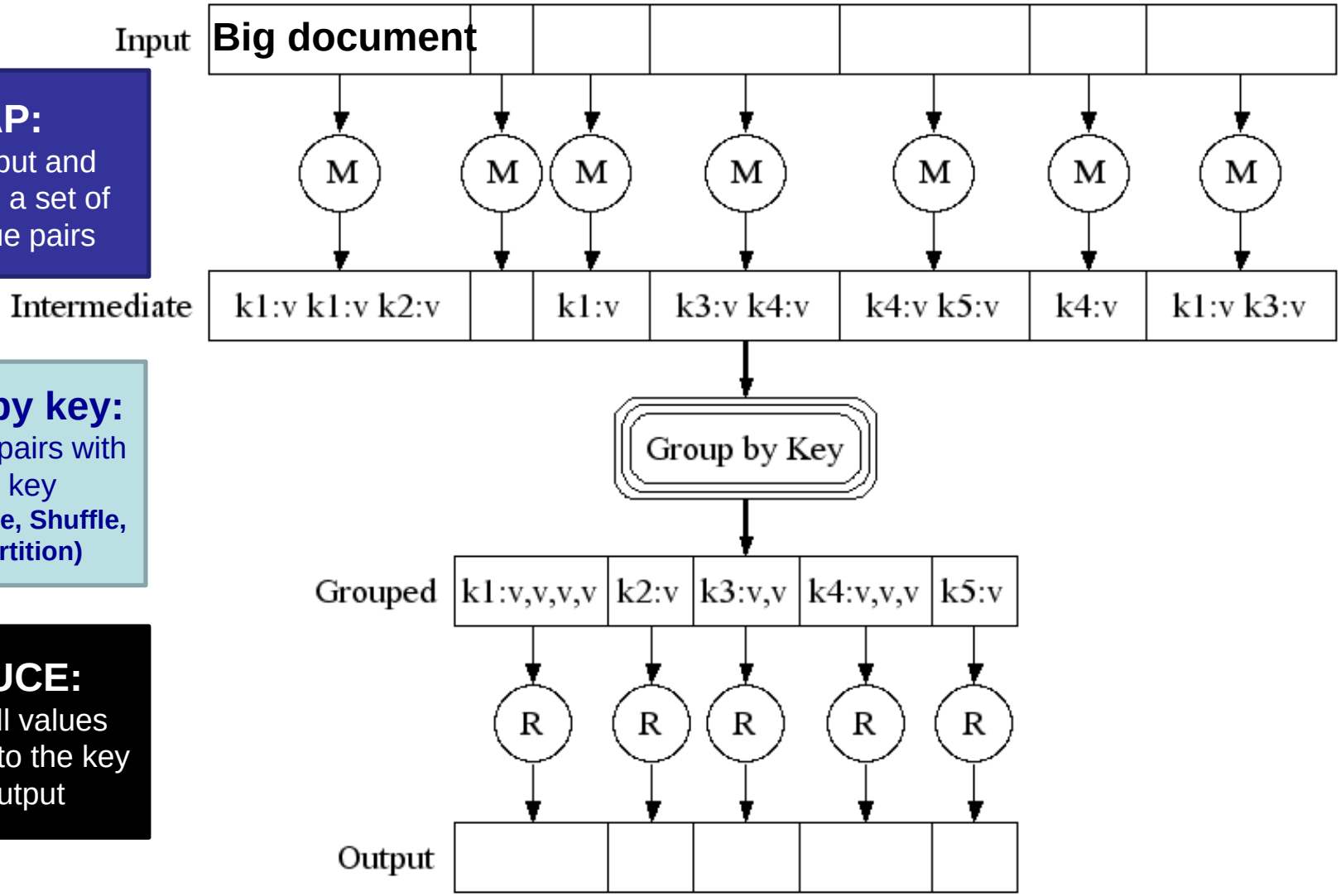
- **User define number of Reduce tasks *R***
- **System hash function to apply to keys, produce a bucket number from *0* to *R – 1***
- **Hash each key output by Map task, put key-value pair in one of the *R* local files**
- **Master controller merge files from Map tasks destined for the same Reduce task as a sequence of (key, list of values) pairs**

Map-Reduce Diagram

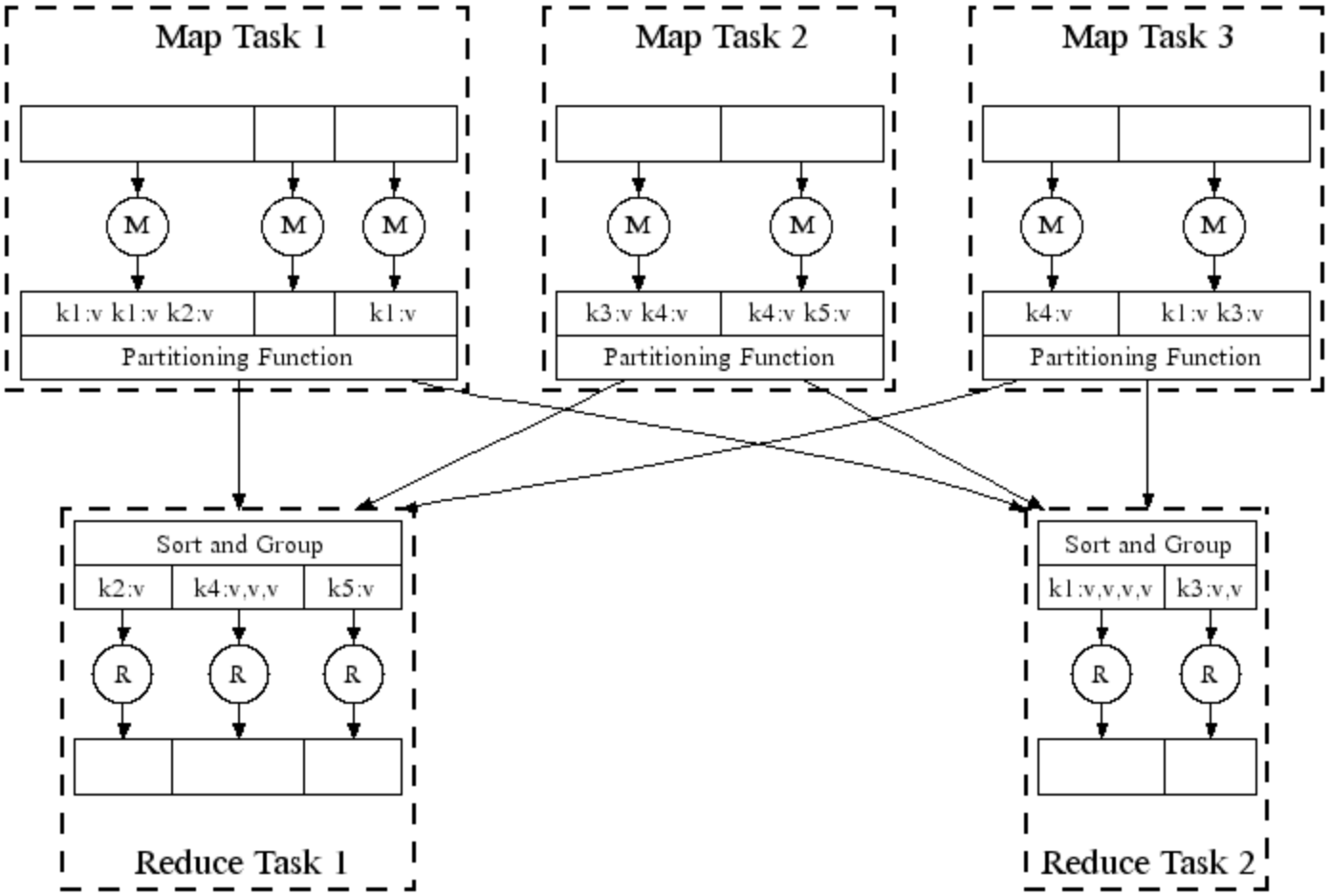
MAP:
Read input and produces a set of key-value pairs

Group by key:
Collect all pairs with same key
(Hash merge, Shuffle, Sort, Partition)

REDUCE:
Collect all values belonging to the key and output



MapReduce in Parallel

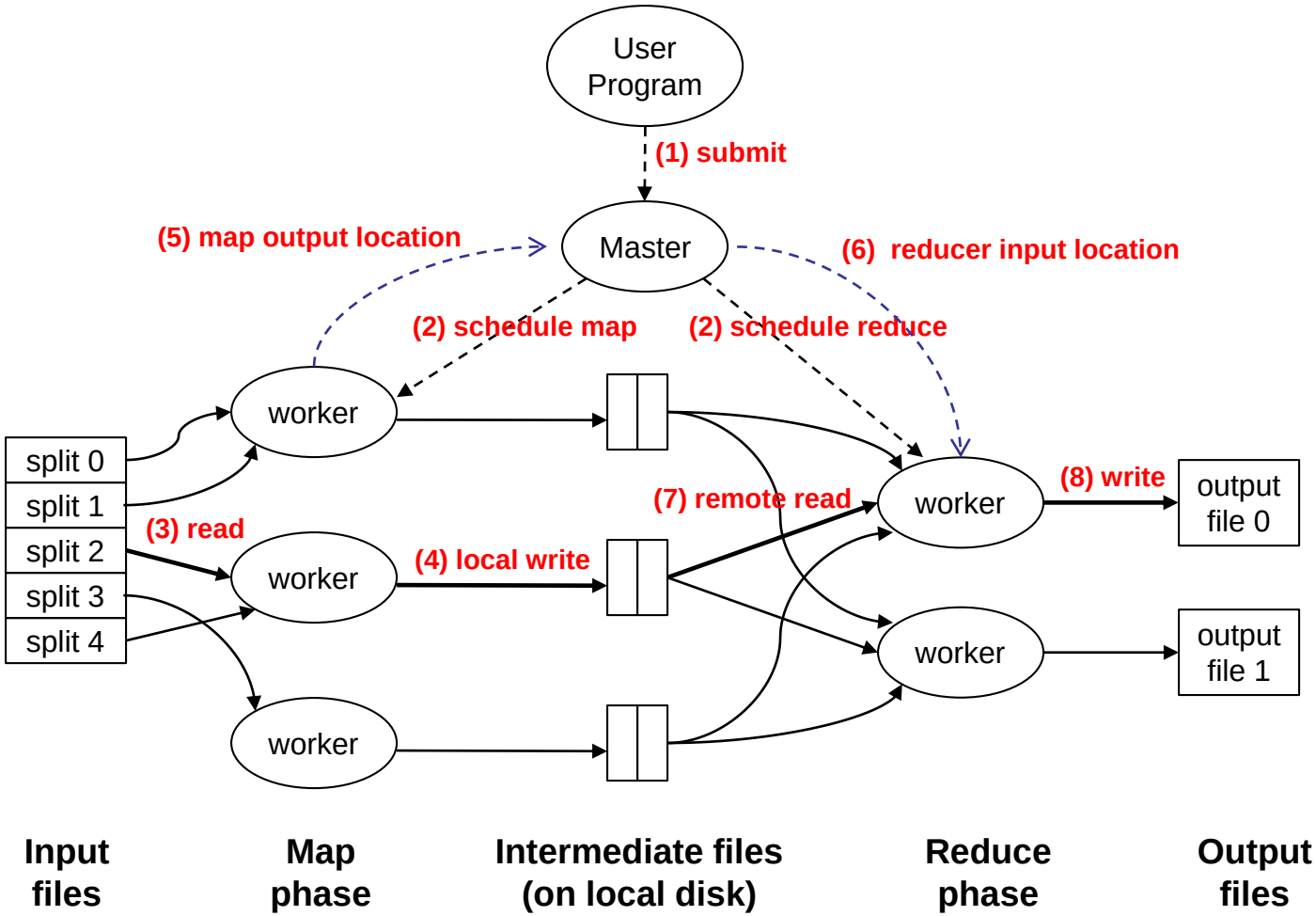


MapReduce Data Flow

- **Input and final output are stored on a distributed file system (FS)**
  - Scheduler tries to schedule map tasks “close” to physical storage location of input data
  - Push computation to data, minimize network use
- **Intermediate results are stored on local FS of Map workers rather than pushing it directly to Reducers**
  - Allows recovery if a reducer crashes
- **Output can be input to another MapReduce task**

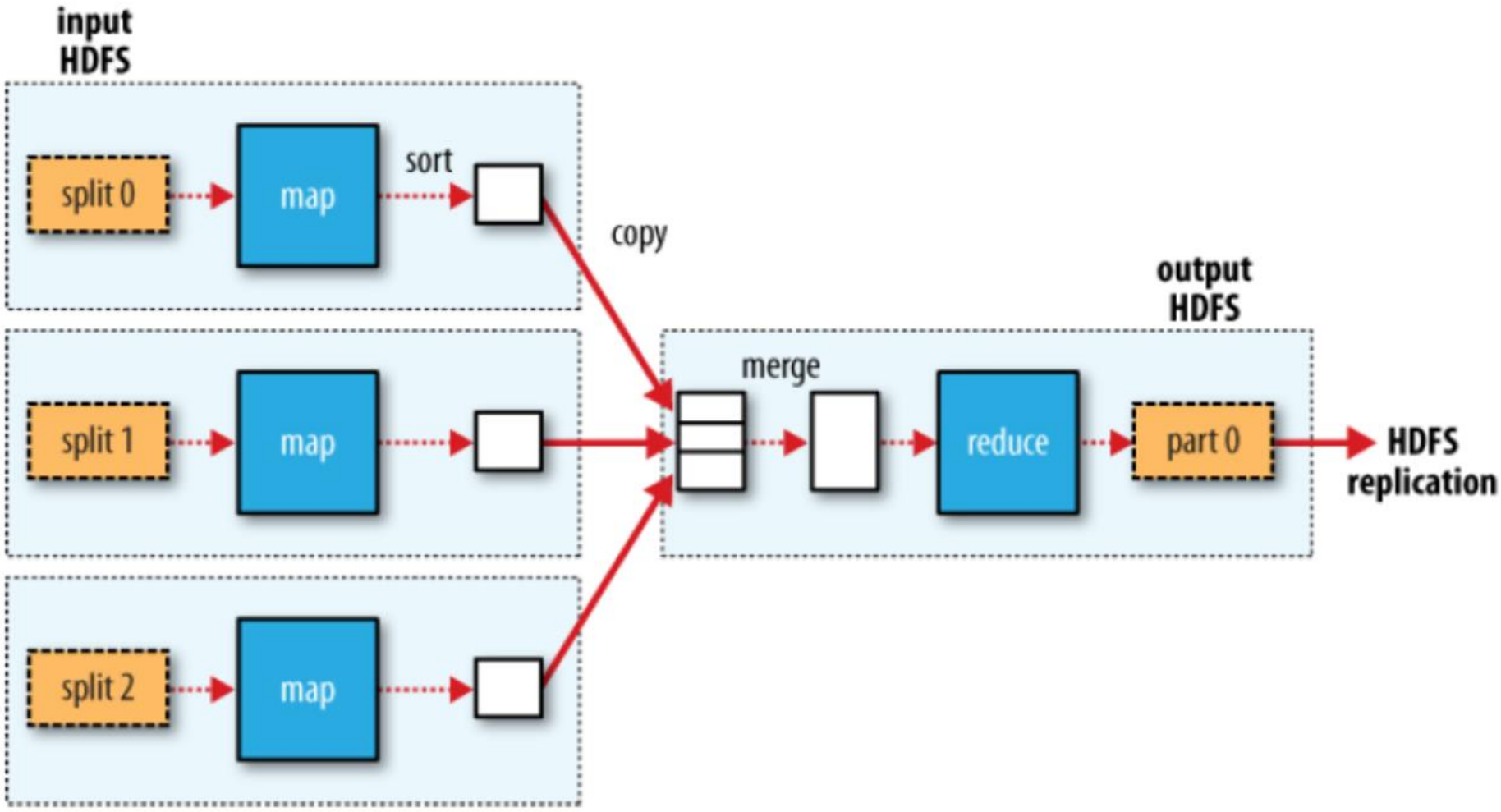
MapReduce Coordination

- **Master node takes care of coordination**
  - **Task status:** (idle, in-progress, completed)
  - **Idle tasks** get scheduled as workers become available
- **When a map task completes, it sends the master the location and sizes of its *R* intermediate files, one for each reducer**
- **Master pushes this information to reducers**
- **Master pings workers periodically to detect failures**



Output of Reduce task is stored in HDFS for reliability

MapReduce – Single reduce task



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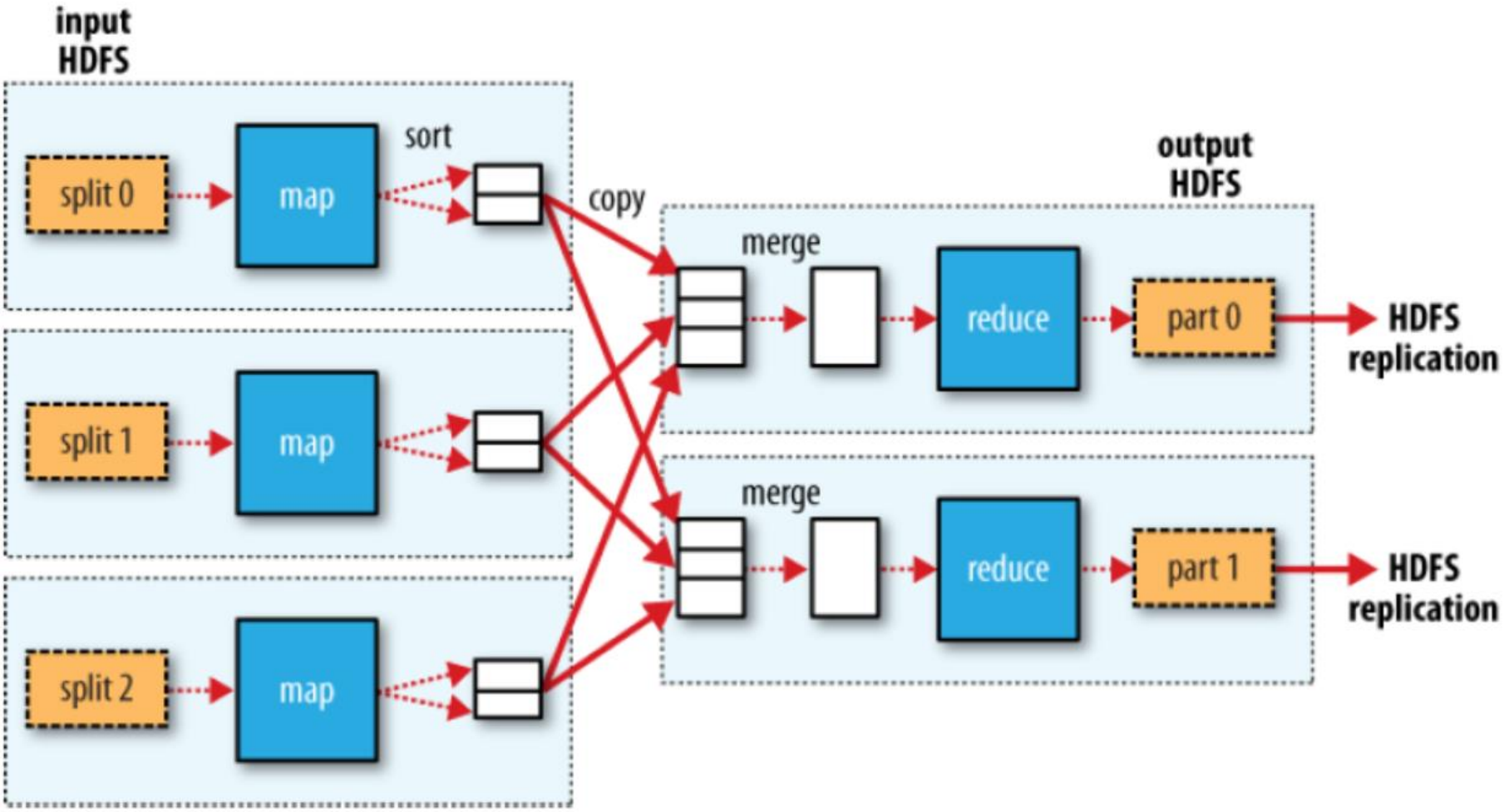


Dealing with Failures

- **Master node fail - Restart entire MapReduce job**
- **Compute node of a Map worker fail**
  - Reset completed or in-progress map tasks at worker to idle
  - Restart **all** the map tasks assigned to this node
  - Inform Reduce workers when task is rescheduled on another worker, location of input from that map task has changed
- **Compute node of a Reduce worker fail**
  - Only reset in-progress tasks to idle
  - Restart these reduce tasks at another node

How many Map and Reduce jobs?

- ***M* map tasks, *R* reduce tasks**
- **Make *M* much larger than the number of nodes in the cluster**
  - One DFS chunk per map is common
  - Improves dynamic load balancing and speeds up recovery from worker failures
- **Usually *R* is smaller than *M***
  - Because output is spread across *R* files

Why Map outputs to Local Disk?

- **Map output is intermediate**
  - To be processed by reduce task to produce final output
  - Can be discarded after job is complete
  - Storing in DFS with replication is overkill
- **Automatically rerun map task on another node to recreate the map output if the node running map task fails before the map output is consumed by reduce task**

Refinement: Backup Tasks

- **Slow workers significantly lengthen job completion time**
  - Other jobs on the machine
  - Bad disks
  - Weird things
- **Solution**
  - Near end of phase, spawn backup copies of tasks
    - Whichever one finishes first “wins”
- **Effect**
  - Dramatically shortens job completion time

Refinement: Combiners

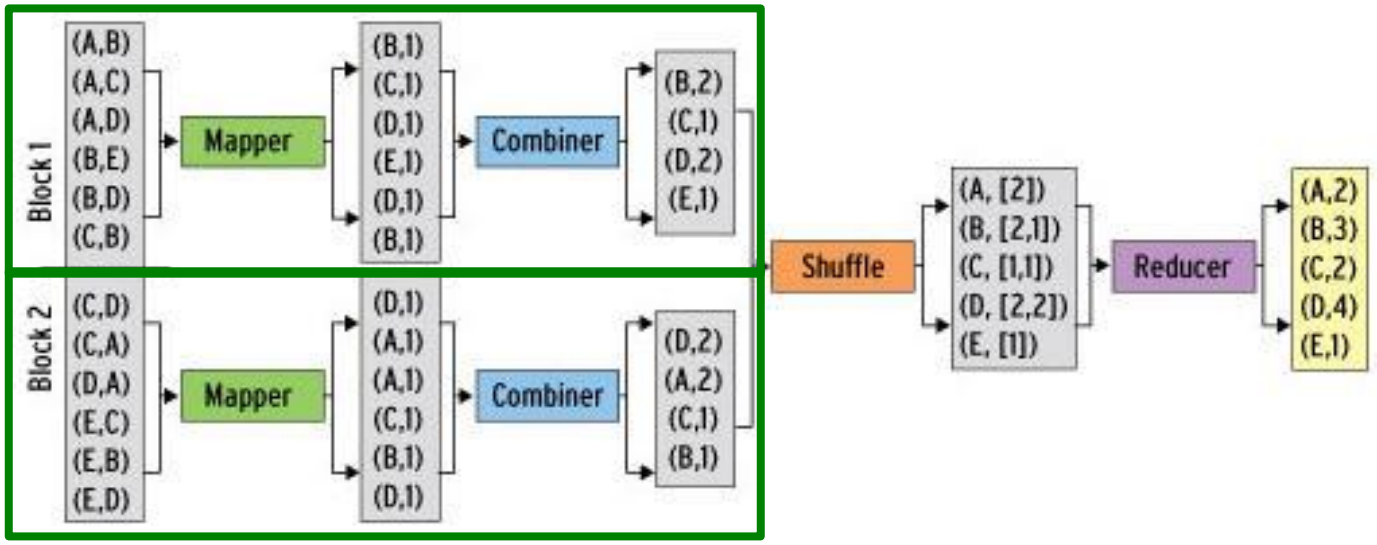
- **A Map task often produce many pairs of the form *(k,v_1), (k,v_2), …* for the same key *k***
  - e.g., popular words in the word count example
- **A Combiner is a local aggregation function for repeated keys produced by the same map**
  - For associative operations such as sum, count, max
  - Decreases size of intermediate data
  - Save network use
- **Example** local counting for Word Count

```
def combiner (key, values): output (key, sum(values))
```

Refinement: Combiners

Word Count Example

Combiner combines the values of same keys of a single mapper (single machine)



Much less data needs to be copied and shuffled!

Refinement: Partition Function

- **Want to control how keys are partitioned**
  - Inputs to map tasks are created by contiguous splits of input file
  - Reduce needs to ensure that records with the same intermediate key end up at the same worker
    - System uses a default partition function: *hash(key) mod R*
    - Sometimes useful to override the hash function:

    e.g., hash(hostname(URL)) mod R ensures URLs from a host end up in the same output file

Exercise

Suppose the input to a Map-Reduce operation is a set of integer values.
The map function takes an integer *i* and produces the list of pairs (*p*,*i*) such that *p* is a prime divisor of *i*.
For example, map(12) = [(2,12), (3,12)].
The reduce function is addition.
That is, reduce(*p*, [i_1, i_2, ...,i_k]) is (*p*, i_1+i_2+...+i_k).

What is the output if the input is the set of integers 15, 21, 24, 30, 49?

Algorithms using MapReduce

Matrix-Vector Multiplication

Matrix *M*

- **dimension *n x n***
- **m_{ij} denotes element at row *i* and column *j***

Vector *v*

- **length *n***
- **v_j denotes j^{th} element**

Matrix-vector product is a vector *x* of length *n*

- $x_i = \Sigma\, m_{ij}\, v_j$

Matrix-Vector Multiplication

- **Matrix *M* and vector *v* stored in separate files in DFS**
- **Compute node executing map task read vector v**
- **Each map task operate on a chunk of matrix M**
- **Map function**
  - Apply to one element of M
  - Produce key-value pair (i, m_{ij} v_i)
  - All terms of the sum that make up component x_i of the matrix-vector product will get the same key i
- **Reduce function**
  - Sum up all the values associated with a given key i.
  - Result is a pair (i, x_i)

Relational Algebra Operations

- **Relation Links describe Web structure**
- **Two attributes From and To**
- **Row or tuple is a pair of URLs such that there is at least one link from the first URL to the second**
  - Billions of tuples

From	*To*
url1	**url2**
url1	**url3**
url2	**url3**
url2	**url4**

Relational Algebra Operations

- **Relation stored as a file in the DFS**
- **Elements are tuples of the relation**
- **Operations:**
  - Selection
  - Projection
  - Union, Intersection, Difference
  - Natural Join
  - Grouping and Aggregation

Natural Join

- Use Relation Links to find paths of length 2 in Web
- Triples of URLs (u, v, w) such that there is a link from u to v and from v to w
- Natural join of Links with itself

From	*To*
url1	url2
url1	url3
url2	url3
url2	url4

From	*To*
url1	url2
url1	url3
url2	url3
url2	url4

- May not want entire path but pairs (u, w)

Natural Join

- **Join R(A, B) and S(B, C)**
  - Find tuples that agree on the B attributes
  - Use the B-value of tuples as key, and value will be the other attributes and relation name
- **Map function**
  - Each tuple (a, b) of R → key-value pair (b, (R, a))
  - Each tuple (b, c) of S → key-value pair (b, (S, c))
- **Reduce function**
  - Each key value b will be associated with a list of pairs that are either (b, (R, a)) or (b, (S, c))
  - Match all the pairs (b, (a, R)) with all (b, (c, S)) and outputs (a, b, c)

Grouping and Aggregation

- **Social network site has relation Friends(User, Friend)**
- **Tuples are pairs (*a, b*) such that *b* is a friend of *a***
- **Statistics on number of friends members have**
  - Compute a count of the number of friends of each user
- **Done by grouping and aggregation**

$$\gamma_{User,\ COUNT\ (Friend)}\ (Friends)$$

  - Group all the tuples by user → one group for each user
  - For each group count the number of friends
  - One tuple for each group, e.g. (Sally, 300)

Grouping and Aggregation

- **Let R (A, B, C), apply operator $\gamma_{A,\ \theta(B)}(R)$**
- **Map function perform grouping**
  - Each tuple (a, b, c) → key-value pair (a, b)
- **Reduce function perform aggregation**
  - Each key *a* represents a group
  - Apply aggregate operator θ to the list $[b_1, b_2, \ldots, b_n]$ of B-values associated with key *a*
  - Output is a pair (a, x) where x is the result of applying θ to the list
    - If operator θ is SUM, then $x = b_1 + b_2 + \ldots + b_n$
    - If operator θ is MAX, then x is the largest of $b_1, b_2, \ldots, b_n$

Matrix Multiplication

- **Matrix *M* with element m_{ij} , Matrix *N* with element n_{jk}**
- **Product P = MN is the matrix P with element p_{ik}**

$$p_{ik} = \sum_j m_{ij} n_{jk}$$

- **Matrix as a relation with 3 attributes: row number, column number and value in that row and column**

  Relation M (I, J, V) with tuples (i, j, m_{ij})

  Relation N (J, K, W) with tuples (j, k, n_{jk})

  Sparse matrix, omit tuples for zero elements

- **Product MN is a natural join (common attribute j) followed by grouping and aggregation**
  - Implemented as the cascade of 2 MapReduce operations

Matrix Multiplication

- **Join M (I, J, V) and N (J, K, W)**
  - Find tuples that agree on attribute J
  - Produce tuples (i, j, k, v, w)
- **Five-component tuple represents the pair of matrix elements (m_{ij}, n_{jk})**

  → four-component tuple (i, j, k, v *x* w) represents the product m_{ij} n_{jk}
  - Perform grouping and aggregation
  - Use I and K as grouping attribute and sum of V x W as aggregation

Matrix Multiplication

- **Map function**
  - Each matrix element m_{ij} → key-value pair (j, (M, i, m_{ij}))
  - Each matrix element n_{jk} → key-value pair (j, (N, k, n_{jk}))
- **Reduce function**
  - Each key j will be associated with a list of values that are either (M, i, m_{ij}) or (N, k, n_{jk})
  - Match all the pairs (M, i, m_{ij}) and (N, k, n_{jk}) to produce a key-value pair with key (i, k) and value equals to product of m_{ij} and n_{jk}
- **Perform grouping and aggregate with another MR op**
  - Map function is an identity
  - Reduce function sum the list of values associated with key (i, k)
  - Result is a pair ((i, k), v) where v is the value of the element in row i and column k of matrix P = MN

Summary

- **Cluster Computing**
  - Cluster of compute nodes for large scale applications
- **Distributed File Systems**
  - Architecture for very large scale file systems (chunks, replication)
- **MapReduce**
  - Data-parallel programming system (robust to hardware failure)
  - **Map and Reduce functions** (written by user, key-value pairs)
- **Hadoop**
  - Open-source implementation of a DFS (HDFS) and MapReduce
- **Applications of MapReduce**
  - Matrix-vector and matrix-matrix multiplication
  - Relational algebra operators e.g. join, grouping and aggregation