

DataBase Storage

Type Representation

使用FLOAT,REAL/DOUBLE 与 使用 NUMERIC,DECIMAL,VARCHAR的区别

FLOAT是根据IEEE-754 Standard用二进制来对浮点数进行编码，上过ICS都知道其实这种方式表示浮点数是有误差的。因此在一些不能容忍误差的场合如金融统计等精度要求极高的场景，不能使用float/double，而应该使用numeric/decimal。当然使用float/double速度会快很多

Data Layout / Alignment

- 如何表示NULL DATA TYPES IN DB?

choice 1: Special Values

如用INT_MIN来表示NULL

choice 2: Null Column Bitmap Header

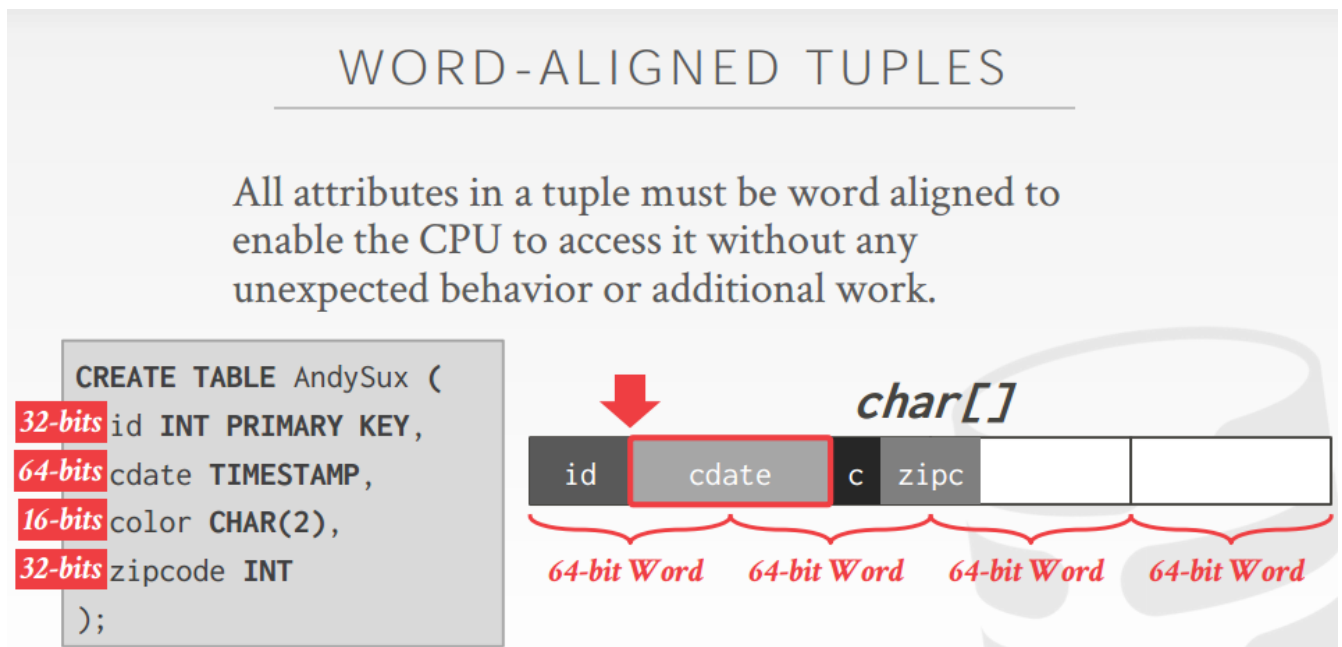
在tuple的header存一个bitmap,用单个bit来表示哪些属性是null

choice 3: Per Attribute Null Flag

用一个Flag来表示Null,但是会比较浪费存储空间，并且会有word alignment问题

- Unalignment data reading issue

下图所示：如果要读取cdate这个TS，由于其不是对齐存放的，跨越了第一个64bit word和第二个64bit word，导致读一个64bit的数据可能要读取两个64bit的word。这很影响性能



Possible Solution:

填充一些0字符，使得强制对齐。

WORD-ALIGNMENT: PADDING

Add empty bits after attributes to ensure that tuple is word aligned.

```
CREATE TABLE AndySux (
```

32-bits id INT PRIMARY KEY,

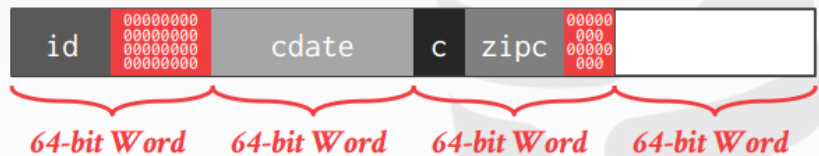
64-bits cdate TIMESTAMP,

16-bits color CHAR(2),

32-bits zipcode INT

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);
```

char[]



也可以尝试先排序，尽量把字段对齐地放在一个64bit word里面。但可能也会需要padding

WORD-ALIGNMENT: REORDERING

Switch the order of attributes in the tuples' physical layout to make sure they are aligned.
→ May still have to use padding.

```
CREATE TABLE AndySux (
```

32-bits id INT PRIMARY KEY,

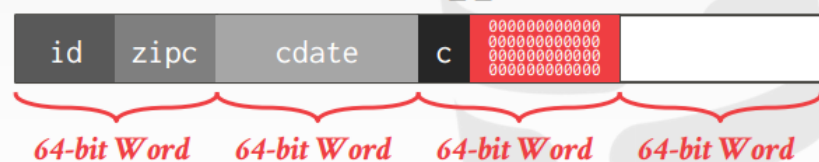
64-bits cdate TIMESTAMP,

16-bits color CHAR(2),

32-bits zipcode INT

```
);
```

char[]



测试结果：可以看到如果解决好字段存储的对齐问题，性能提高非常明显

CMU-DB ALIGNMENT EXPERIMENT

Processor: 1 socket, 4 cores w/ 2xHT
Workload: Insert Microbenchmark

	<i>Avg. Throughput</i>
No Alignment	0.523 MB/sec
Padding	11.7 MB/sec
Padding + Sorting	814.8 MB/sec

Storage Models

- N-ARY STORAGE MODEL(NSM)

行式存储

一个tuple中所有的属性都连续存储在一起。适合OLTP因为OLTP通常涉及少量的tuple及tuple的所有attributes.

N-ARY STORAGE MODEL (NSM)

The DBMS stores all of the attributes for a single tuple contiguously.

Ideal for OLTP workloads where txns tend to operate only on an individual entity and insert-heavy workloads.

Use the tuple-at-a-time iterator model.

但是不适合OLAP场景，因为OLAP通常是需要某几个列，而不是全部列，举个极端例子如果你只需要海量数据某一个列的数据来做分析，那么你需要把海量数据所有的tuple的所有attribute都加载出来。

N-ARY STORAGE MODEL (NSM)

Advantages

- Fast inserts, updates, and deletes.
- Good for queries that need the entire tuple.
- Can use index-oriented physical storage.

Disadvantages

- Not good for scanning large portions of the table and/or a subset of the attributes.

- DECOMPOSITION STORAGE MODEL

列式存储，海量数据的某一列属性连续存储在一起，减少了把数据从索引加载到内存的waste work,因为你只需要读取你所用到的数据

OLAP场景是查询多，但对于增删改会比较慢

The DBMS stores a single attribute for all tuples contiguously in a block of data.

Ideal for OLAP workloads where read-only queries perform large scans over a subset of the table's attributes.

具体实现细节：

- Tuple Identification

Choice #1: Fixed-length Offsets

- Each value is the same length for an attribute.

Choice #2: Embedded Tuple Ids

- Each value is stored with its tuple id in a column.

Offsets

	A	B	C	D
0				
1				
2				
3				

Embedded Ids

	A	B	C	D
0				
1				
2				
3				

- Data Organization

DSM: DATA ORGANIZATION

Choice #1: Insertion Order

→ Tuples are inserted into any free slot that is available in existing blocks.

Choice #2: Sorted Order

→ Tuples are inserted based into a slot according to some ordering scheme.

Choice #3: Partitioned

→ Assign tuples to blocks according to their attribute values and some partitioning scheme (e.g., hashing, range).

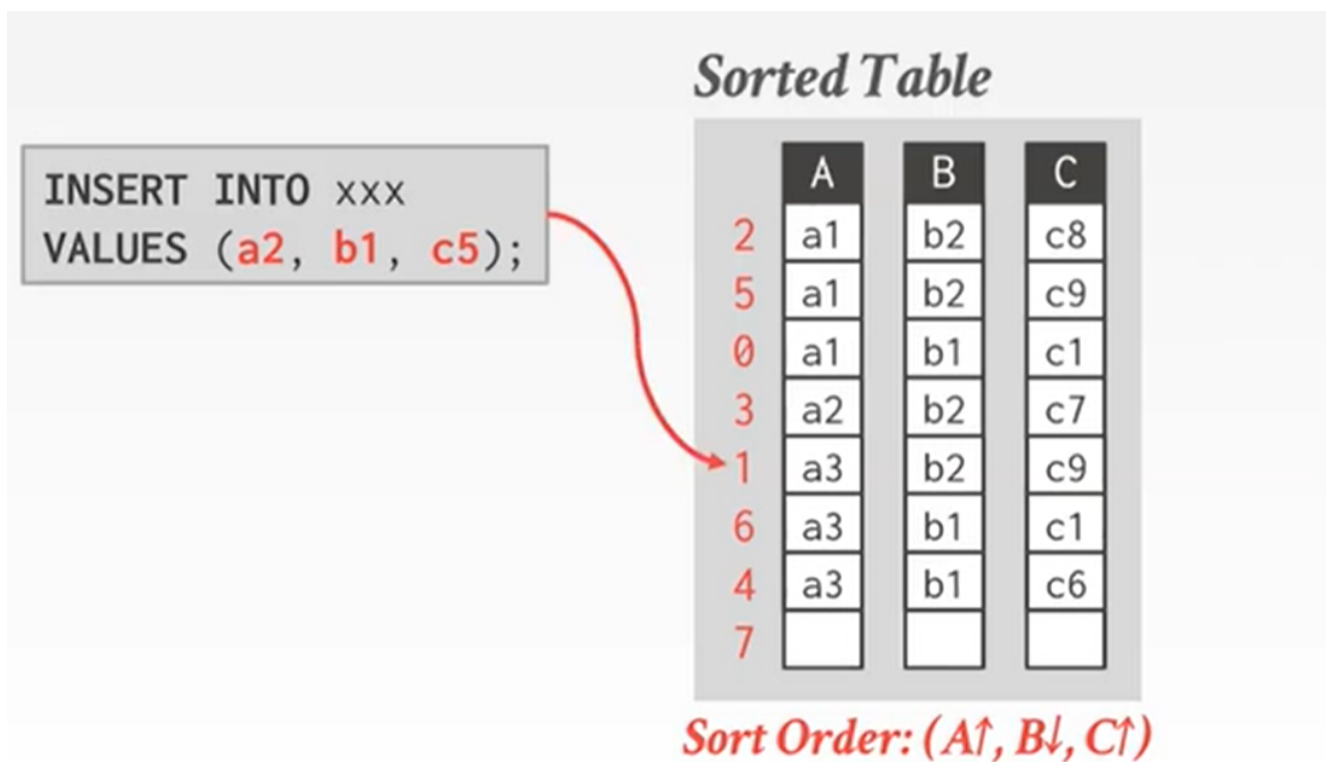
Insert Order

**INSERT INTO xxx
VALUES (a2, b1, c5);**

Data Table

	A	B	C
0	a1	b1	c1
1	a3	b2	c9
2	a1	b2	c8
3	a2	b2	c7
4	a3	b1	c6
5	a1	b2	c9
6	a3	b1	c1
7	a2	b1	c5

Sorted Order



插入的时候需要保证Sorted Table的全局有序

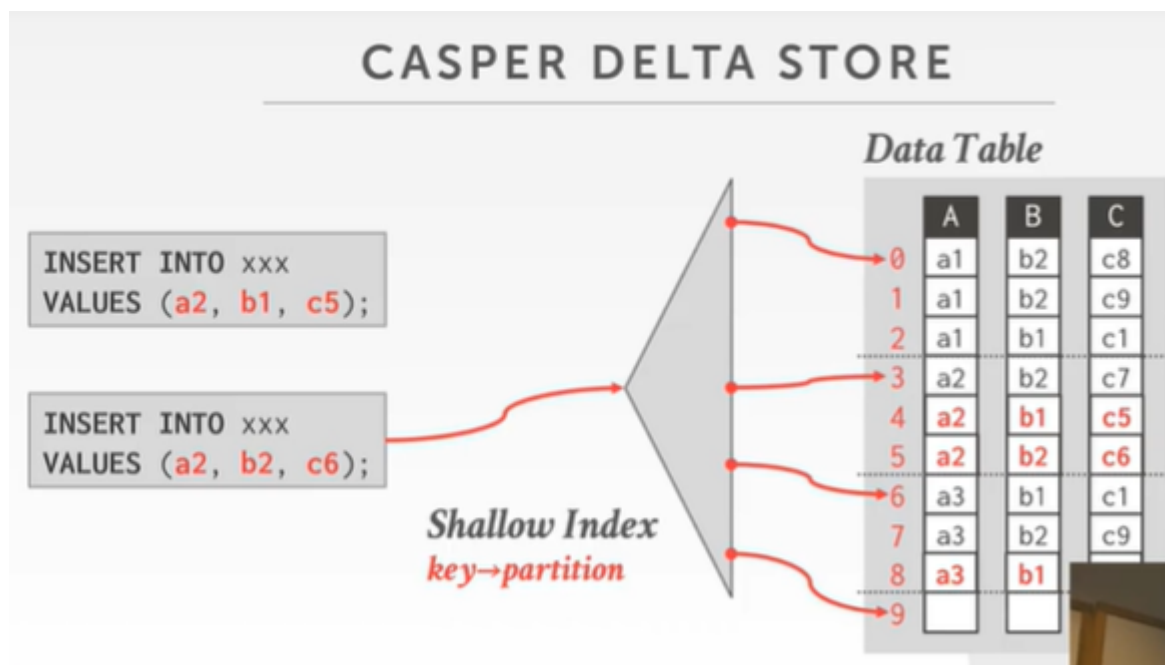
这个时候可能需要把该tuple插入位置及之后的数据全部后移



Partitioned

一个二级索引分别指向不同partition(可以按照Key来分), 插入数据的时候会定位到具体的partition.

那么寻找数据的时候只需要在这个数据的partition内查找, 使得OLAP的查询效率得到提高。

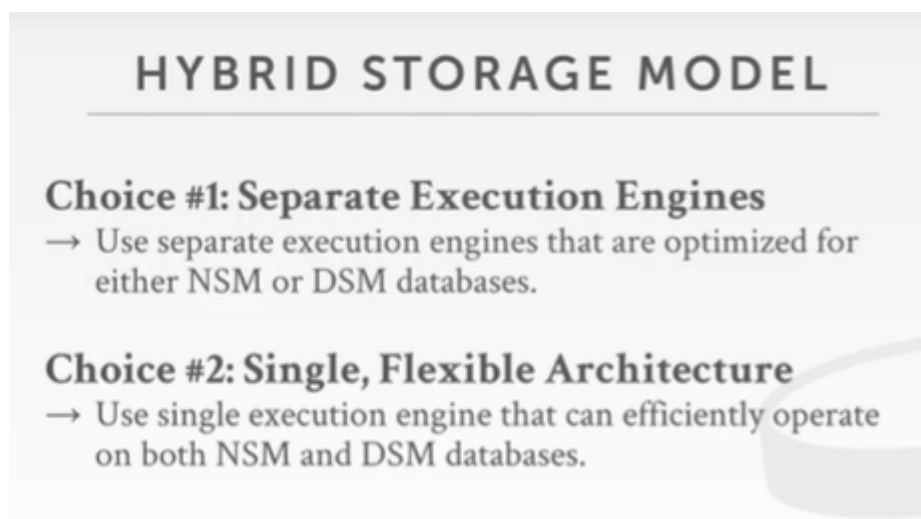


但事实上我们可以结合两种storage model,因为可以把数据库的数据进行冷热划分:

hot data: 刚刚insert到DB的数据, 很有可能最近还会被更新, 适合增删改的OLTP, 即行式存储。

cold data: 已经insert到DB很久的数据, 被更新的几率已经不大, 适合查的OLAP, 即列式存储。

阿里云的AnalyticDB就是采用这种行列混存的形式存储冷热数据。



方案一: 对行列存储分别使用不同的执行引擎

所有由事务插入到数据库的数据主要都是**行式存储**。

仅当分析性的Query来到要查询数据库数据的时候, 要把行式存储的数据复制成**列式存储**的格式

FRACTURED MIRRORS

Store a second copy of the database in a DSM layout that is automatically updated.

→ All updates are first entered in NSM then eventually copied into DSM mirror.



方案二：只用一套执行引擎

关于delta store可以参考这篇<https://aboutsqlserver.com/2014/05/06/clustered-columnstore-indexes-exploring-delta-store-and-delete-bitmap/>

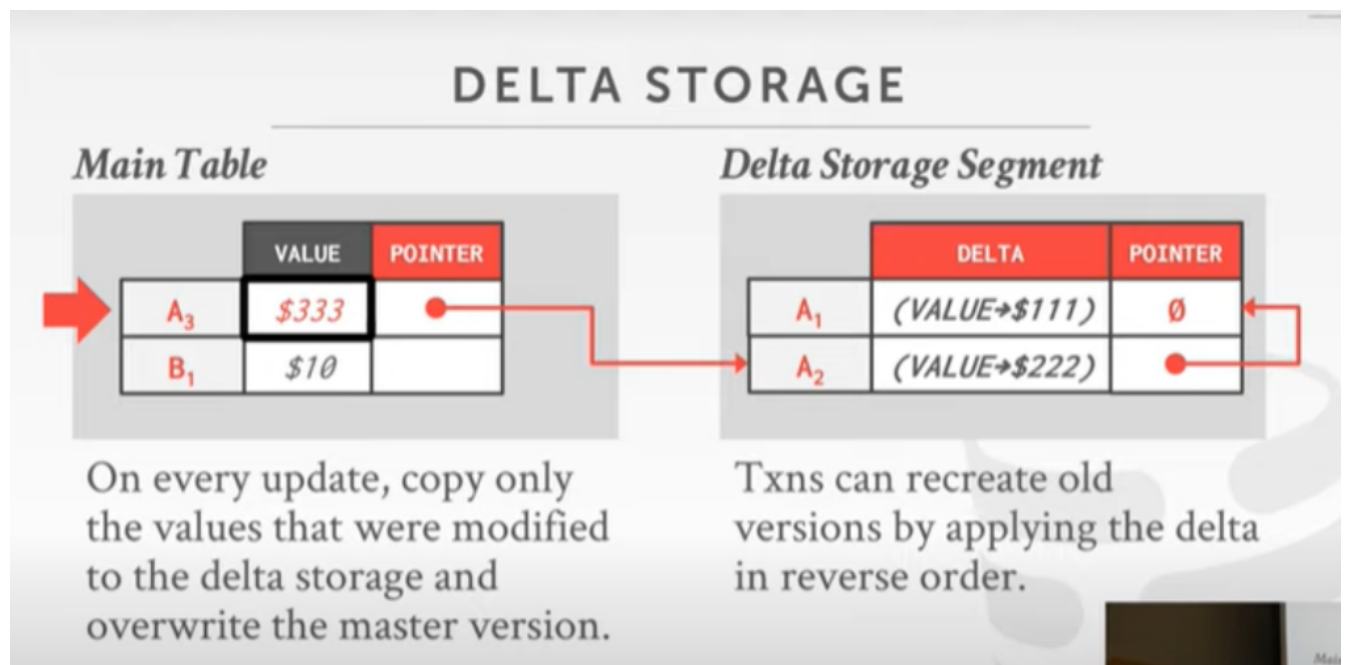
DELTA STORE

Stage updates to the database in an NSM table.

A background thread migrates updates from delta store and applies them to DSM data.



回忆一下第三节课讲的Delta Storage: main table只存储最新版本的数据，然后通过指针把历史版本数据连接在一起。



System Catalogs

数据库的Catalog指的是什么？一个数据库系统会包括多个Catalog，每个Catalog下面又有多个Schema。每个Schema下面包含了DB的实例如table,view. 可以理解为命名空间层面上用于进行租户隔离的机制。

Schema Changes

NSM:行存 DSM:列存

SCHEMA CHANGES

ADD COLUMN:

- **NSM**: Copy tuples into new region in memory.
- **DSM**: Just create the new column segment

DROP COLUMN:

- **NSM #1**: Copy tuples into new region of memory.
- **NSM #2**: Mark column as "deprecated", clean up later.
- **DSM**: Just drop the column and free memory.

CHANGE COLUMN:

- Check whether the conversion can happen. Depends on default values.