Summary

- Large-scale data poses new technical problems for:
 - storage ⇒ distributed file systems.
 - computations ⇒ MapReduce programming model.
 - Split the data in chunks.
 - Map workers all execute the same operation on a chunk and return a key-val pair.
 - Reduce workers process all key-val pairs with the same key at once.
- Algorithmic costs of MapReduce:
 - Communication costs vs. computation costs.
 - Reducer size and replication rate.
- Extensions of MapReduce: Spark and TensorFlow.
- MapReduce for machine learning.
- Link analysis with PageRank.