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Spark Shared Variables

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Broadcast Variables

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In iterative or repeated computations, broadcast variables avoid the problem of repeatedly sending the same data to workers:

☐ False

☒ True 

EXPLANATION

Broadcast variables are an efficient way of sending data once that would otherwise be sent multiple times automatically in closures.

Accumulators

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Accumulators can be used by Spark workers to efficiently read values during distributed computations:

☒ False ✓

☐ True

EXPLANATION

Accumulators can only be written by workers and read by the driver program.

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