

Impala

- **High-performance SQL engine for vast amounts of data**
 - Similar query language to HiveQL
 - 10 to 50+ times faster than Hive, Pig, or MapReduce
- **Impala runs on Hadoop clusters**
 - Data stored in HDFS
 - Does not use MapReduce
- **Developed by Cloudera**
 - 100% open source, released under the Apache software license
- **We will investigate Impala later in the course**

