

Databases II

Laboratory Exercise 2020/21

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Code files attached

We submit the following code files along with this report

file	Regarding question	Description/
queryX.ipynb	1	Comment Contains the code for query X, where $X \in [1, 10]$

Technical characteristics of the operating environment

Technical characteristics of the physical PC used for the work

Feature	Price
CPU model	AMD Ryzen 5 2600 Six-Core Processor
CPU clock speed	3.4GHz
Physical CPU cores	6
Logical CPU cores	12
RAM	16Gb
Secondary Storage Type	SSD

Technical characteristics of the virtual machine (VM) used for the job **Feature**

	Price
CPU cores	6
Execution cap	100%
RAM	9Gb
VM OS	Ubuntu 20.04.2 LTS
VM software	VirtualBox Windows 10
Host OS	

Question 1: Question Answers

Note: The requested results are listed in screenshot format, for better illustration.

Query Give	Answer
the number of users who watched the movie "Jumanji". Give the names of	<pre> +-----+-----+ title total_viewers +-----+-----+ Jumanji (1995) 22243 +-----+-----+ </pre>
movies that users rated as "boring". Give users who have rated the movie as	<pre> +-----+-----+-----+ title lower_tag +-----+-----+-----+ (500) Days of Summer (2009) boring 101 Reykjavik (101 Reykjavik) (2000) boring 12 Years a Slave (2013) boring 1408 (2007) boring 1492: Conquest of Paradise (1992) boring +-----+-----+-----+ </pre>
"Bollywood" and have rated it with a grade >3.	<pre> +-----+-----+-----+ userId rating lower_tag +-----+-----+-----+ 10573 4.0 bollywood 19837 5.0 bollywood 23333 4.0 bollywood 25004 5.0 bollywood 31338 4.5 bollywood +-----+-----+-----+ </pre>

Find the top 10 movies for each year.	<pre> Before the Fall (NaPoLA - Elite für den Führer) (2004) Dancemaker (1998) Fear Strikes Out (1957) Gate of Heavenly Peace, The (1995) Life Is Rosy (a.k.a. Life Is Beautiful) (Vie est belle, La) (1987) Married to It (1991) My Life and Times With Antonin Artaud (En compagnie d'Antonin Artaud) (1993) Not Love, Just Frenzy (Más que amor, frenesí) (1996) Paris Was a Woman (1995) Take Care of My Cat (Goyangileul butaghae) (2001) 2005 5.0 1 2005 5.0 2 2005 5.0 3 2005 5.0 4 2005 5.0 5 2005 5.0 6 2005 5.0 7 2005 5.0 8 2005 5.0 9 2005 5.0 10 </pre>
Give the tags for each movie and the name of the movie for the year 2015.	<pre> ""Great Performances"" Cats (1998) [[BD-R] 'burbs, The (1989) [[1980's, black comedy, dark comedy, Joe Dante, quirky] (500) Days of Summer (2009) [[annoying, artistic, bad dialogue, boring, depressing, Joseph Gordon-Levitt, overrated, slow, stupid, Zooey Deschanel, intelligent, nonlinear, artistic, bittersweet, Funny, humor, humorous, intelligent, Joseph Gordon-Levitt, music, nonlinear, quirky, relationships, romance, Zooey Deschanel, bittersweet, quirky, romance, Joseph Gordon-Levitt, artistic, no happy ending, nonlinear, overrated]] ...tick... tick... tick... (1970) [[BD-R] 1 (2014) [[Sukumar] </pre>
Give the number of ratings for each movie.	<pre> +-----+ title total_ratings +-----+ Pulp Fiction (1994) 67310 Forrest Gump (1994) 66172 Shawshank Redemption, The (1994) 63366 Silence of the Lambs, The (1991) 63299 Jurassic Park (1993) 59715 </pre>
Find the first 10 users with the most ratings for each year. Find	<pre> +-----+ userId yearNum total_ratings rank +-----+ 131160 1995 3 1 28507 1995 1 2 </pre>
the movies with the most ratings for each movie category.	<pre> +-----+ genres title total_ratings +-----+ (no genres listed) Doctor Who: The Time of the Doctor (2013) 36 Action Jurassic Park (1993) 59715 Adventure Jurassic Park (1993) 59715 Animation Toy Story (1995) 49695 Children Toy Story (1995) 49695 </pre>
Give the total number of users watching the same movie, on the same day and time. Give the	<pre> +-----+ total_viewers +-----+ 4281178 </pre>
number of movies, for each category, that users rated as "funny" and with a rating > 3.5.	<pre> +-----+ genres movies_count +-----+ Action 431 Adventure 465 Animation 268 Children 273 Comedy 1618 </pre>

Question 2: Performance comparison on single node/virtual cluster/Livy

Virtual cluster settings

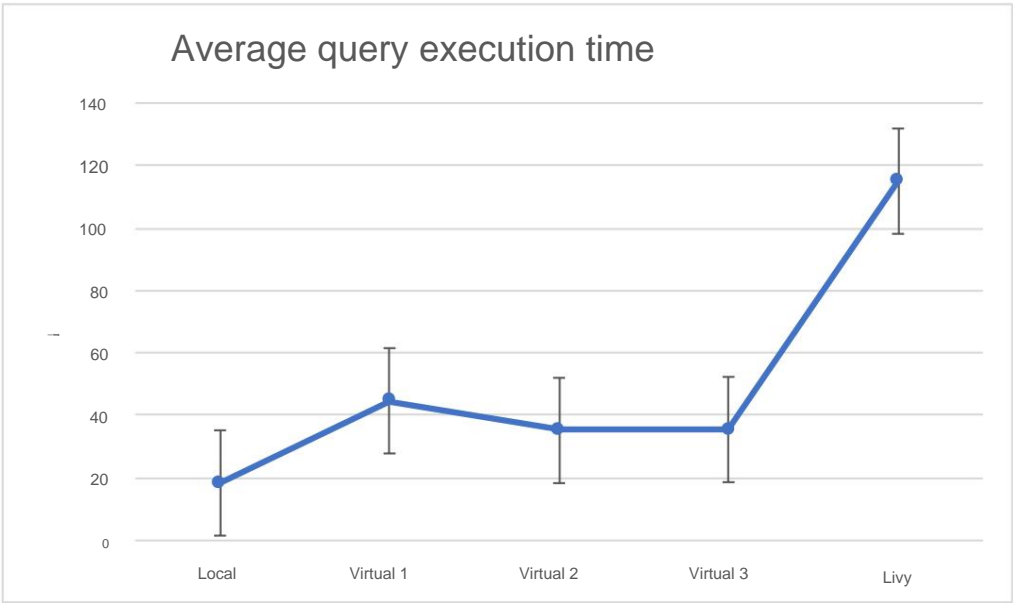
A/A 1	Executor cores	Executor mem	Driver cores	Driver mem
	1	1G	1	1G
2	2	2G	1	1G
3	2	2G	2	2G

Execution Times

Note: The execution times below were measured in seconds. Timing was done using the sparkMeasure library.

Question 1	Local	Virtual 1	Virtual 2	Virtual 3	Livy
	14	40	28	29	120
2	5	19	15	15	15
3	20	46	40	38	123
4	26	55	44	52	180
5	4	18	15	13	16
6	15	40	36	34	108
7	27	53	41	41	168
8	25	48	41	38	119
9	32	90	62	63	181
10	16	38	30	32	120

Analysis of results



After measuring the time and analyzing the results, we make the following observations:

- On a single node machine (local) we achieve fast query execution, as all the computing power we have assigned to the VM is used.
- Between Virtual 1, Virtual 2 and Virtual 3, we notice that the first consumes more time to execute queries than the other two and this is logically due to the assignment of only one core for each worker. We also notice that between Virtual 2 and 3 the differences are negligible, therefore the increase in cores and memory that the driver binds in Virtual 3 did not bring better results than 2.
- The execution of queries on the Livy server consumes the maximum time.
- Regarding the queries, we notice that specifically queries 2 and 5 always run in much less time compared to the rest. We suspect that this is due to the fact that these two queries do not make use of the rating.csv file, which contains the largest number of records of all and is therefore more "expensive" in terms of operations.

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