

BDA-Experiment 8

➤ Aim: To study Twitter data analysis using Flume

➤ Theory:

- Apache Flume is a distributed, reliable and scalable tool for efficiently collecting, aggregating and transporting large volumes of log data, events or streaming data from various sources to centralised data storage, HDFS or HBase.
 - Flume is designed to collect data from various sources, such as web server logs, social media feeds, etc.
 - It uses a distributed architecture, and data collection is performed by agents.
 - Once the data is collected, it is placed in a channel where the data is temporarily stored before it is forwarded to a sink.
 - Sinks are responsible for delivering data from the channel from final destination, which is often HDFS or HBase.
 - Data collected by flume can be processed and analysed using tools like MapReduce or Apache Spark.
- Conclusion: Apache Flume was used to gather and study Twitter Data.