Parquet

Columnar storage format available to any project in the Hadoop ecosystem, regardless of the choice of data processing framework, data model or programming language.

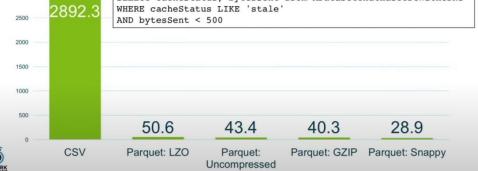
- Binary format
- API for JVM/Hadoop, C++
- Columnar
- Encoded
- Compressed
- Machine-friendly

Options For Multi-PB Data Lake Storage

| | Files | Compressed Files | Databases |
|---------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Usability | Great! | Great! | OK to BAD (not as easy as a file!) |
| Administration | None! | None! | LOTS |
| Spark Integration | Great! | Great! | Varies |
| Resource Efficiency | BAD (Big storage, heavy I/O) | OK (Less storage) | BAD (Requires storage AND CPU) |
| Scalability | Good-ish | Good-ish | BAD (For multi-petabyte!) |
| CO\$\$\$\$T | OK | OK | TERRIBLE |
| QUERY TIME | TERRIBLE | BAD | Good! |

CSV vs. Parquet Column Selection Query





CSV vs. Parquet Table Scan Query

Query Time (seconds)

