Big Data Analytics

C. Distributed Computing Emvironments / C.1 Map Reduce

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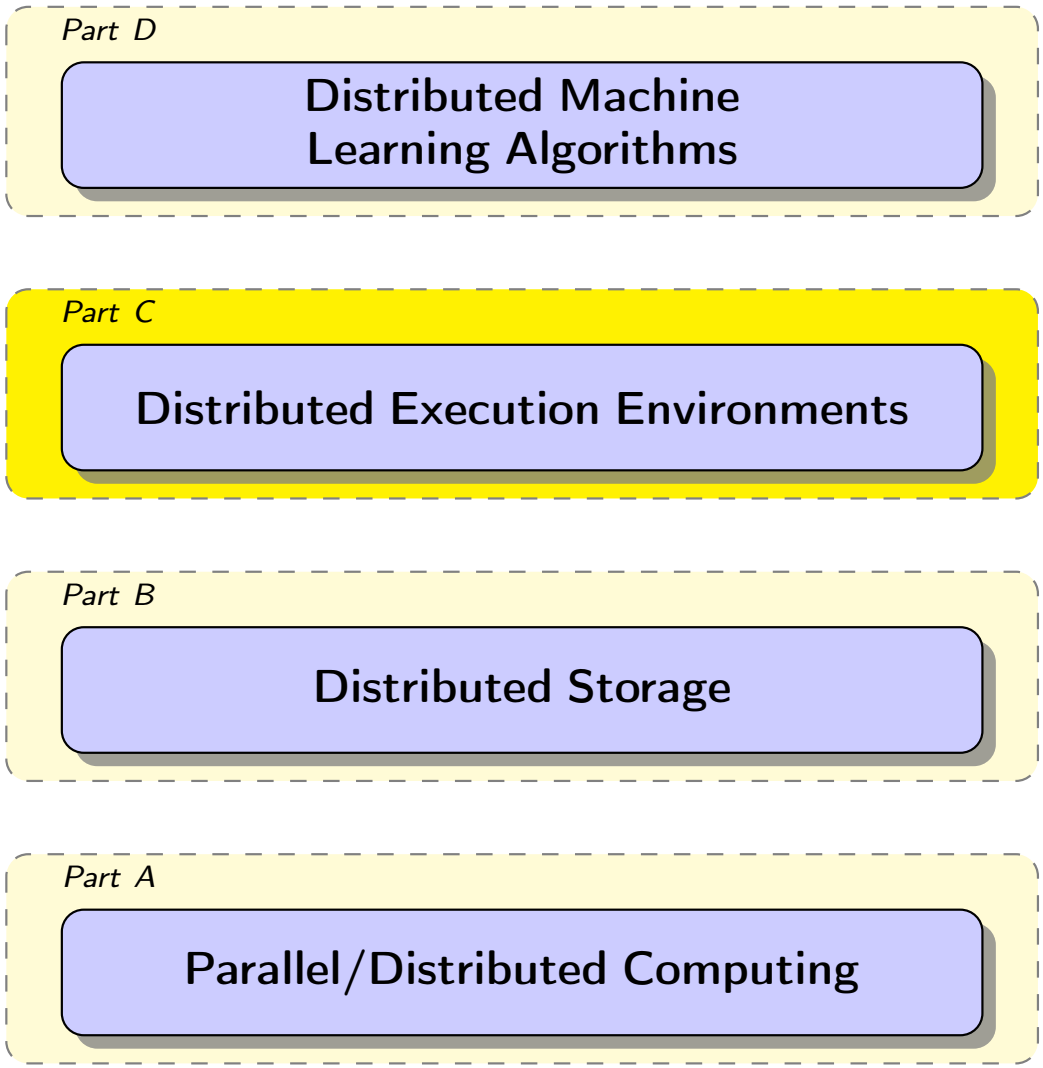
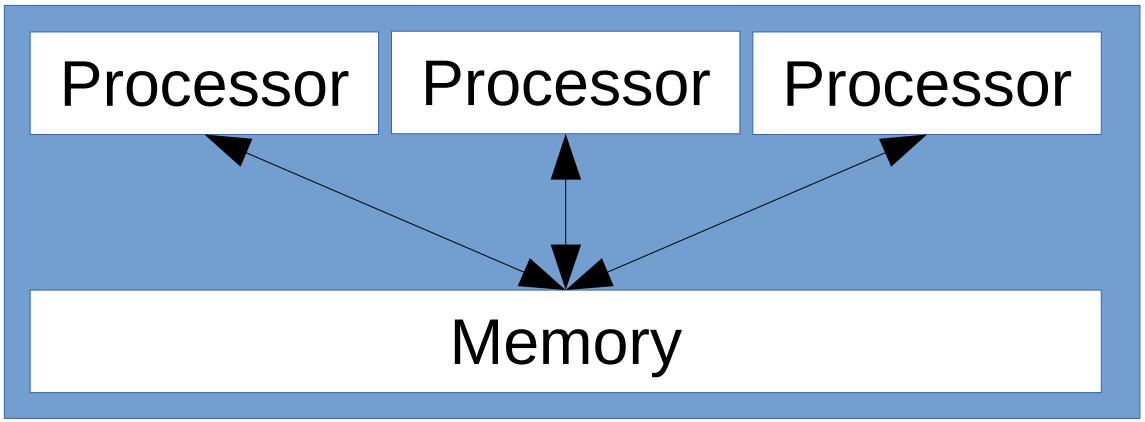


Why do we need a Computational Model?

- Our data is nicely stored in a distributed infrastructure
- We have a number of computers at our disposal
- We want our analytics software to take advantage of all this computing power
- When programming we want to focus on understanding our data and not our infrastructure

Shared Memory Infrastructure



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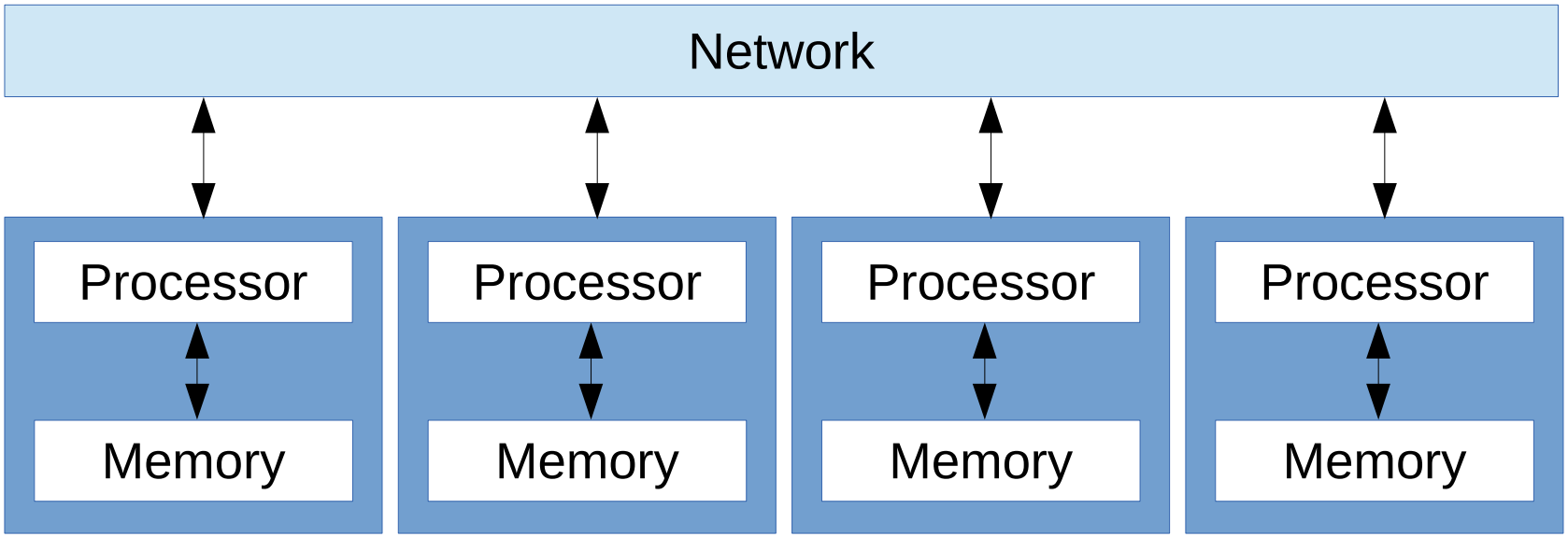

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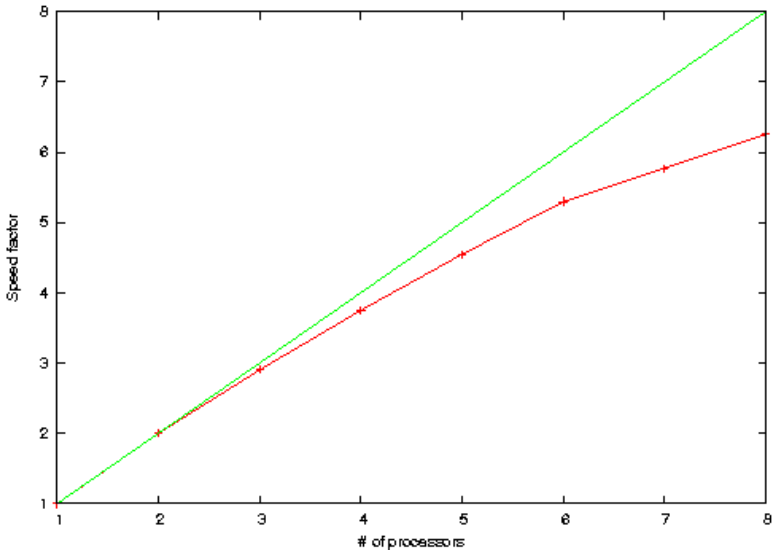
Parallel Computing / Speedup

- We have p processors available to execute a task T
- Ideally: the more processors the faster a task is executed
- Reality: synchronisation and communication costs
- Speedup $s(T,p)$ of a task T by using p processors:
  - Be $t(T,p)$ the time needed to execute T using p processors
  - **Speedup** is given by:

$$s(T,p) = \frac{t(T,1)}{t(T,p)}$$



Parallel Computing / Efficiency

- We have p processors available to execute a task T
- **Efficiency** $e(T, p)$ of a task T by using p processors:

$$e(T, p) = \frac{t(T, 1)}{p \cdot t(T, p)}$$

Considerations

- It is not worth using a lot of processors for solving small problems
- Algorithms should increase efficiency with problem size

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Word Count Example

- Given a corpus of text documents

$$D := \{d_1, \ldots, d_n\}$$

each containing a sequence of words:

$$(w_1, \ldots, w_m)$$

from a set W of possible words.

- the task is to generate word counts for each word in the corpus

Paradigms — Shared Memory

- All the processors have access to all counters
- Counters can be overwritten
- Processors need to lock counters before using them

Shared vector for word counts: $c \in \mathbb{N}^{|W|}$
$c \leftarrow \{0\}^{|W|}$

Each processor:

1. access a document $d \in D$
2. for each word w in document d:
   - 2.1 lock(c_w)
   - 2.2 $c_w \leftarrow c_w + 1$
   - 2.3 unlock(c_w)

Paradigms — Shared Memory

- inefficient due to waiting times for the locks
  - the more processors, the less efficient
- in a distributed scenario even worse
  due to communication overhead for acquiring/releasing the locks

Paradigms — Message passing

- Each processor sees only one part of the data

$$\pi(D, p) := \{d_{p\frac{n}{P}}, \ldots, d_{(p+1)\frac{n}{P}-1}\}$$

- Each processor works on its partition
- Results are exchanged between processors (message passing)

For each processor p:

1. For each $d \in \pi(D, p)$
   1.1 process(d)
2. Communicate results

Word Count — Message passing

We need to define two types of processes:

1. **slave**
   - counts the words on a subset of documents and informs the master
2. **master**
   - gathers counts from the slaves and sums them up

Word Count — Message passing

Slave:

Local memory:

subset of documents: $\pi(D,p) := \{d_{p\frac{n}{P}}, \ldots, d_{(p+1)\frac{n}{P}-1}\}$

address of the master: addr_master

local word counts: $c \in \mathbb{R}^{|W|}$

1. $c \leftarrow \{0\}^{|W|}$
2. for each document $d \in \pi(D,p)$
   for each word w in document d:
   $c_w \leftarrow c_w + 1$
3. **Send message** send(addr_master, c)

Word Count — Message passing

Master:

Local memory:

1. **Global word counts:** $c^{\text{global}} \in \mathbb{R}^{|W|}$
2. **List of slaves:** S

$c^{\text{global}} \leftarrow \{0\}^{|W|}$

$s \leftarrow \{0\}^{|S|}$

For each received message (p, c^p)

1. $c^{\text{global}} \leftarrow c^{\text{global}} + c^p$
2. $s_p \leftarrow 1$
3. if $||s||_1 = |S|$ return c^{global}

Paradigms — Message passing

- We need to manually assign master and slave roles for each processor
- Partition of the data needs to be done manually
- Implementations like OpenMPI only provide services to exchange messages

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Map-Reduce

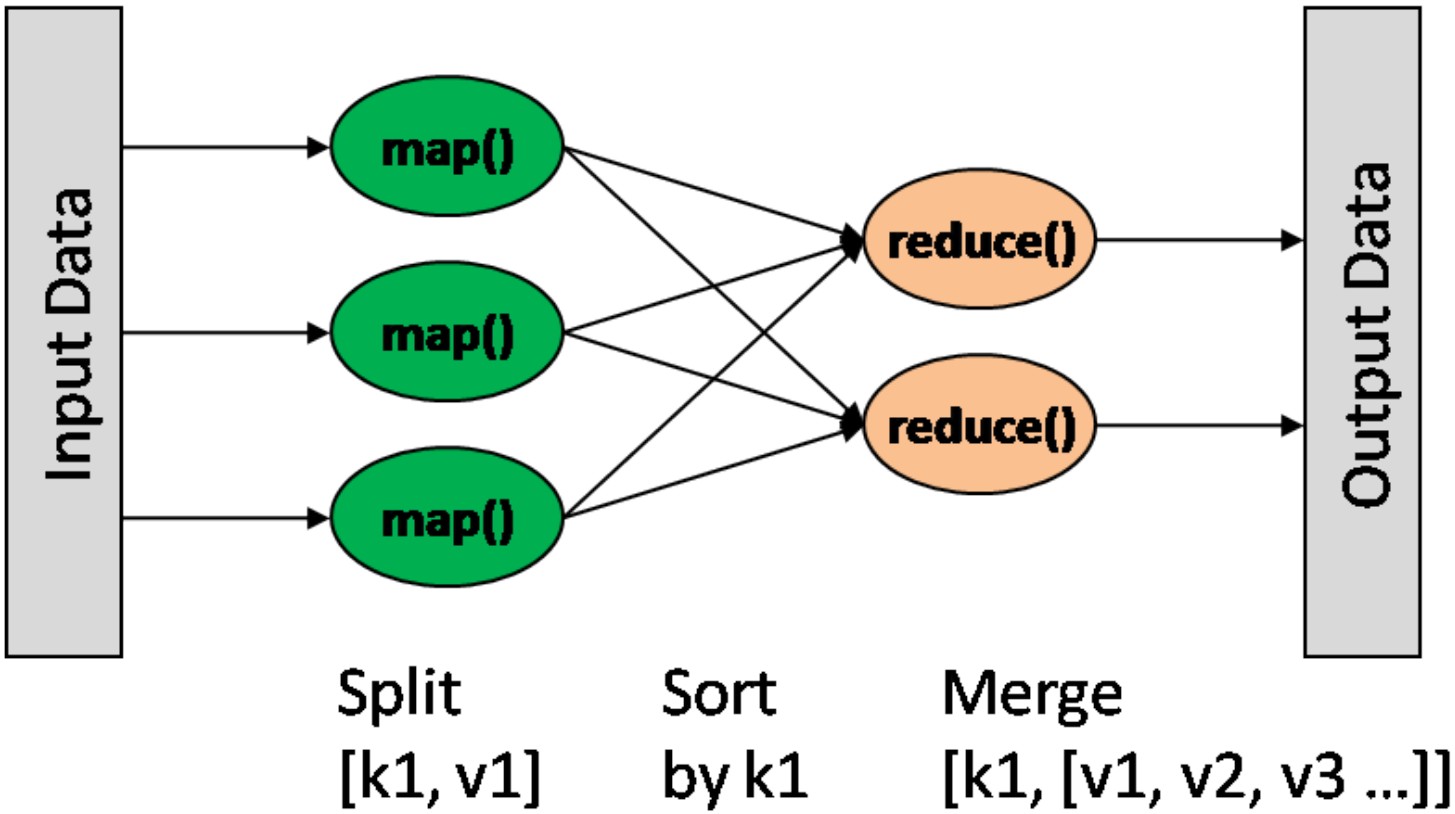
- distributed computing environment
  - introduced 2004 by Google
  - open source reference implementation: **Hadoop** (since 2006)
  - meanwhile supported by many distributed programming environments
    - e.g., in document databases such as **MongoDB**
- builds on a **job scheduler**
  - for Hadoop: yarn
- considers **data is partitioned** over nodes
  - for Hadoop: blocks of a file in a distributed filesystem
- high level abstraction
  - programmer only specifies a **map** and a **reduce** function

Map-Reduce / Idea

- represent input and output data as key/value pairs.
- break down computation into three phases:
  1. **map phase**
     - apply a function **map** to each input key/value pair
     - the result is represented also as key/value pairs
     - execute map on each data node for its data partition (**data locality**)
  2. **shuffle phase**
     - group all intermediate key/value pairs by key to key/valueset pairs
     - repartition the intermediate data by key
  3. **reduce phase**
     - apply a function **reduce** to each intermediate key/valueset pair
     - execute reduce on each node for its intermediate data partition

Note: The **shuffle phase** is also called **sort** or **merge** phase.

Map-Reduce


Input Data
map()
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map()
reduce()
reduce()
Output Data
Split
[k1, v1]
Sort
by k1
Merge
[k1, [v1, v2, v3 ...]]

Key-Value input data

- Map-Reduce requires the data to be stored in a key-value format
- Examples:

Key	Value
document	array of words
document	word
user	movies
user	friends
user	tweet

The Paradigm - Formally

Given

- A set of input keys I
- A set of output keys O
- A set of input values X
- A set of intermediate values V
- A set of output values Y

We can define:

$$\text{map} : I \times X \to (O \times V)^*$$

and

$$\text{reduce} : O \times (V^*) \to O \times Y$$

where * denotes sequences.

Word Count Example

Map:

- Input: document-word list pairs
- Output: word-count pairs

$$(d_n, (w_1, \ldots, w_M)) \mapsto ((w, c_w)_{w \in W: c_w > 0})$$

Reduce:

- Input: word-(count list) pairs
- Output: word-count pairs

$$(w, (c_1, \ldots, c_K)) \mapsto (w, \sum_{k=1}^{K} c_k)$$

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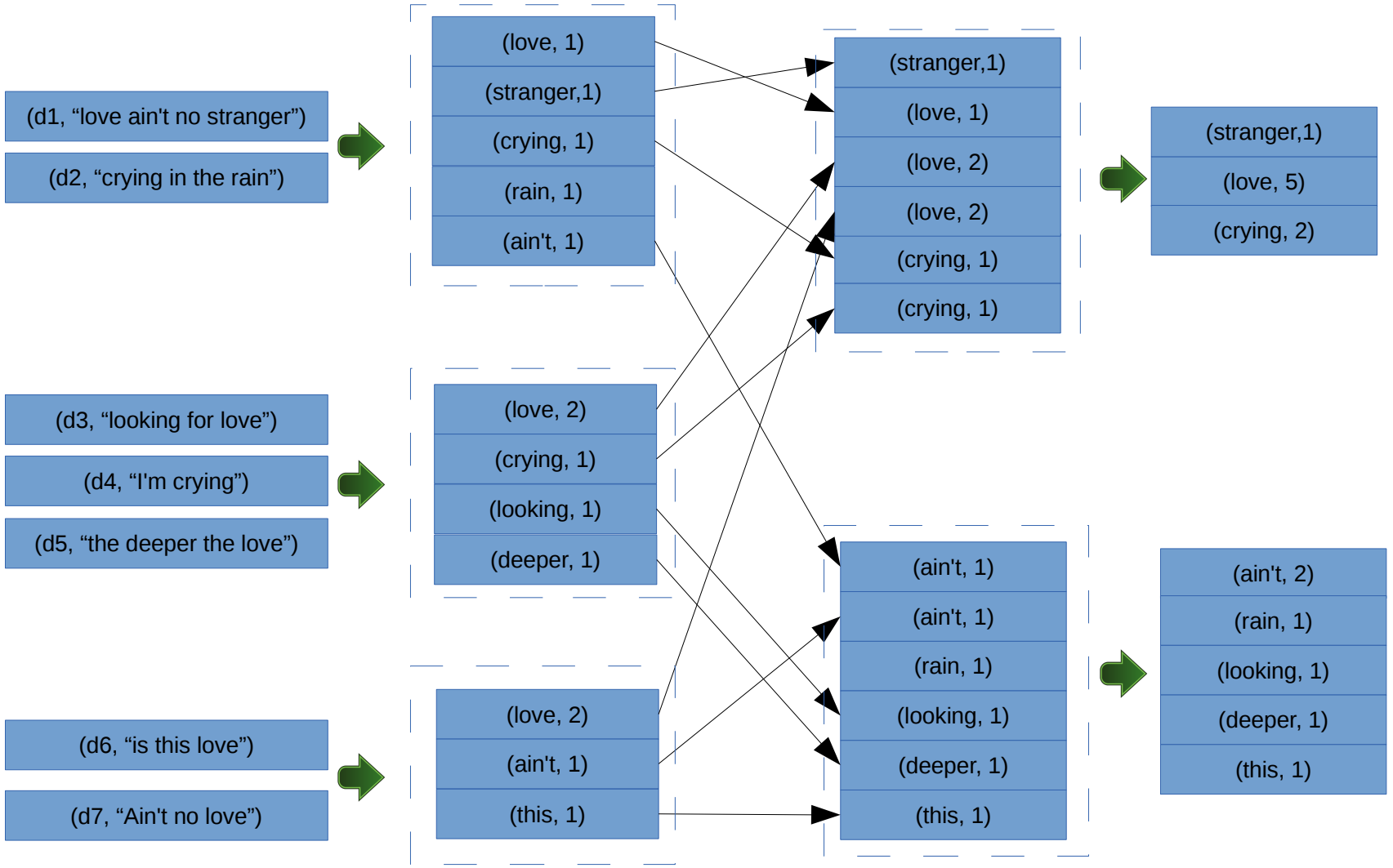

Hadoop Example / Map

```
1  public static class Map
2      extends MapReduceBase
3      implements Mapper<LongWritable, Text, Text, IntWritable> {
4      private final static IntWritable one = new IntWritable(1);
5      private Text word = new Text();
6
7      public void map(LongWritable key, Text value,
8                      OutputCollector<Text, IntWritable> output,
9                      Reporter reporter)
10         throws IOException {
11
12         String line = value.toString();
13         StringTokenizer tokenizer = new StringTokenizer(line);
14
15         while (tokenizer.hasMoreTokens()) {
16             word.set(tokenizer.nextToken());
17             output.collect(word, one);
18         }
19     }
20 }
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Hadoop Example / Reduce

```
1  public static class Reduce
2      extends MapReduceBase
3      implements Reducer<Text, IntWritable, Text, IntWritable> {
4
5      public void reduce(Text key, Iterator <IntWritable> values,
6                         OutputCollector<Text, IntWritable> output,
7                         Reporter reporter)
8          throws IOException {
9
10         int sum = 0;
11         while (values.hasNext())
12             sum += values.next().get();
13
14         output.collect(key, new IntWritable(sum));
15     }
16 }
```

Hadoop Example / Main

```
1  public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
2      JobConf conf = new JobConf(WordCount.class);
3          conf.setJobName("wordcount");
4
5          conf.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
6          conf.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);
7
8          conf.setMapperClass(Map.class);
9          conf.setCombinerClass(Reduce.class);
10         conf.setReducerClass(Reduce.class);
11
12         conf.setInputFormat(TextInputFormat.class);
13         conf.setOutputFormat(TextOutputFormat.class);
14
15         FileInputFormat.setInputPaths(conf, new Path(args[0]));
16         FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(conf, new Path(args[1]));
17
18         JobClient.runJob(conf);
19     }
20 }
```

Execution

- mappers are executed in parallel
- reducers are executed in parallel
  - started after all mappers have completed
- high-level abstraction:
  - No need to worry about how many processors are available
  - No need to specify which ones will be mappers and which ones will be reducers

Fault Tolerance

- **map failure**
  - re-execute map
    - preferably on another node
  - speculative execution
    - execute two mappers on each data segment in parallel each
    - keep results from the first
    - kill the slower one, once the other completed.
- **node failure**
  - re-execute completed and in-progress map()
  - re-execute in-progress reduce tasks
- **particular key-value pairs** that cause mappers to crash
  - skip just the problematic pairs

Parallel Efficiency of Map-Reduce

- We have p processors for performing *map* and *reduce* operations
- Time to perform a task T on data D: $t(T,1) = wD$
- Time for producing intermediate data σD after the *map* phase: $t(T^{\text{inter}},1) = \sigma D$
- Overheads:
  - intermediate data per mapper: $\frac{\sigma D}{p}$
  - each of the p reducers needs to read one p-th of the data written by each of the p mappers:
$$\frac{\sigma D}{p}\frac{1}{p}p = \frac{\sigma D}{p}$$
- Time for performing the task with Map-reduce:
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Note: K represents the overhead of IO operations (reading and writing data to disk)

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- Time for performing the task in one processor: wD
- Time for performing the task with p processors on Map-reduce:

$$t_{MR}(T,p) = \frac{wD}{p} + 2K\frac{\sigma D}{p}$$

- Efficiency of Map-Reduce:

$$\begin{aligned} e_{MR}(T,p) &= \frac{t(T,1)}{p \cdot t(T,p)} \\ &= \frac{wD}{p(\frac{wD}{p} + 2K\frac{\sigma D}{p})} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + 2K\frac{\sigma}{w}} \end{aligned}$$

Parallel Efficiency of Map-Reduce

$$e_{MR}(T, p) = \frac{1}{1 + 2K\frac{\sigma}{w}}$$

- Apparently the efficiency is independent of p
- High speedups can be achieved with large number of processors
- If σ is high (too much intermediate data) the efficiency deteriorates
- In many cases σ depends on p

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Serialization

To store the output of mappers, combiners and reducers in files, keys and values have to be **serialized**:

- hadoop requires all keys and values of a step to be of the same class.
  $\rightsquigarrow$ the class of an object to deserialize is known in advance.
- standard Java serialization (**java.lang.Serializable**) serializes class information, thus is more verbose and complex and therefore not used in hadoop.
- new interface **Writable** (org.apache.hadoop.io):
  - **void write(DataOutput out) throws IOException**:
    write object to a data output.
  - **void readFields(DataInput in) throws IOException**:
    set member variables (fields) of an object to values read from a data input.
  - standard **DataInput** and **DataOutput** (java.io)

Serialization (2/2)

- **Writable** wrappers for elementary data types:

BooleanWritable	boolean
ByteWritable	byte
DoubleWritable	double
FloatWritable	float
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- If one needs to pass more complex objects between steps, implement custom **Writable** (in terms of these elementary **Writable**s).

Example 1 / Mapper (in principle)

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2  import java.util.StringTokenizer;
3
4  import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
6  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Mapper;
7
8  public class TokenizerMapperS
9      extends Mapper<Object, Text, Text, IntWritable>{
10
11     public void map(Object key, Text value, Context context
12                     ) throws IOException, InterruptedException {
13       StringTokenizer itr = new StringTokenizer(value.toString());
14       while (itr.hasMoreTokens())
15           context.write(new Text(itr.nextToken()), new IntWritable(1));
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Job Configuration

Configuration (org.apache.hadoop.conf):

- default constructor:
  read default configuration from files
  - core-default.xml and
  - core-site.xml

  (to be found in the classpath).
- **addResource(Path file)**:
  update configuration from another configuration file.
- **String get(String name)**:
  get the value of a configuration option.
- **set(String name, String value)**:
  set the value of a configuration option.

Job

Job (org.apache.hadoop.conf):

- constructor **Job(Configuration conf, String name)**:
  create a new job.
- **setMapperClass(Class cls)**, **setCombinerClass(Class cls)**, **setReducerClass(Class cls)**:
  set the class for mappers, combiners and reducers
- **setOutputKeyClass(Class cls)**, **setOutputValueClass(Class cls)**:
  set the class for output keys and values.
- **boolean waitForCompletion(boolean verbose)**:
  submit job and wait until it completes.

Input and Output Paths

FileInputFormat (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input):

- **addInputPath(Job job, Path path)**:
  add input paths

FileOutputFormat (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output):

- **setOutputPath(Job job, Path path)**:
  set output paths

Example 1 / Job Runner (Mapper Only)

```
1  import java.io.IOException;
2  import java.util.StringTokenizer;
3
4  import org.apache.hadoop.conf.Configuration;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
6  import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
7  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
8  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Job;
9  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input.FileInputFormat;
10 import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output.FileOutputFormat;
11
12 public class MRJobStarter1 {
13   public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
14     Configuration conf = new Configuration();
15     Job job = Job.getInstance(conf, "word count");
16     job.setMapperClass(TokenizerMapper.class);
17     job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
18     job.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);
19     FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
20     FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));
21
22     System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(true) ? 0 : 1);
23   }
24 }
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4. Run the jar:

```
1  hadoop jar job.jar MRJobStarter1 /ex1/input /ex1/output
```

   - the output directory must not yet exist.

Example 1 / Inputs and Output

- input 1:

```
1 Hello World Bye World
```

- input 2:

```
1 Hello Hadoop Goodbye Hadoop
```

- output:

```
lst@lst-uni:~> hdfs dfs -ls /ex1/output.ex2
Found 2 items
-rw-r-r-   2 lst supergroup          0 2016-05-24 18:59 /ex1/output.ex2/_SUCCESS
-rw-r-r-   2 lst supergroup         66 2016-05-24 18:59 /ex1/output.ex2/part-r-00000
lst@lst-uni:~> hdfs dfs -cat /ex1/output.ex2/part-r-00000
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2
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4  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Reducer;
6
7  public class IntSumReducer
8      extends Reducer<Text,IntWritable,Text,IntWritable> {
9      private IntWritable result = new IntWritable();
10
11     public void reduce(Text key, Iterable<IntWritable> values,
12                        Context context
13                        ) throws IOException, InterruptedException {
14         int sum = 0;
15         for (IntWritable val : values)
16             sum += val.get();
17         result.set(sum);
18         context.write(key, result);
19     }
20 }
```

Example 2 / Job Runner

```
1  import java.io.IOException;
2  import java.util.StringTokenizer;
3
4  import org.apache.hadoop.conf.Configuration;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
6  import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
7  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
8  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Job;
9  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input.FileInputFormat;
10 import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output.FileOutputFormat;
11
12 public class MRJobStarter2 {
13   public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
14     Configuration conf = new Configuration();
15     Job job = Job.getInstance(conf, "word count");
16     job.setMapperClass(TokenizerMapper.class);
17     job.setReducerClass(IntSumReducer.class);
18     job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
19     job.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);
20     FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
21     FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));
22
23     System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(true) ? 0 : 1);
24   }
25 }
```

Example 2 / Output

```
lst@lst-uni:~> hdfs dfs -cat /ex1/output.2/part*
Bye     1
Goodbye 1
Hadoop  2
Hello   2
World   2
```

Example 3 / Job Runner: Only Mapper and Combiner

```
1  import java.io.IOException;
2  import java.util.StringTokenizer;
3
4  import org.apache.hadoop.conf.Configuration;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
6  import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
7  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
8  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Job;
9  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input.FileInputFormat;
10 import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output.FileOutputFormat;
11
12 public class MRJobStarter3 {
13   public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
14     Configuration conf = new Configuration();
15     Job job = Job.getInstance(conf, "word count");
16     job.setMapperClass(TokenizerMapper.class);
17     job.setCombinerClass(IntSumReducer.class);
18     job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
19     job.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);
20     FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
21     FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));
22
23     System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(true) ? 0 : 1);
24   }
25 }
```

Example 3 / Output

```
lst@lst-uni:~> hdfs dfs -cat /ex1/output.3/part*
Bye     1
Goodbye 1
Hadoop  2
Hello   1
Hello   1
World   2
```

Example 4 / Job Runner: Combiner and Reducer

```
1  import java.io.IOException;
2  import java.util.StringTokenizer;
3
4  import org.apache.hadoop.conf.Configuration;
5  import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
6  import org.apache.hadoop.io.IntWritable;
7  import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
8  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Job;
9  import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.input.FileInputFormat;
10 import org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.output.FileOutputFormat;
11
12 public class MRJobStarter4 {
13   public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
14     Configuration conf = new Configuration();
15     Job job = Job.getInstance(conf, "word count");
16     job.setMapperClass(TokenizerMapper.class);
17     job.setCombinerClass(IntSumReducer.class);
18     job.setReducerClass(IntSumReducer.class);
19     job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
20     job.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);
21     FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
22     FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));
23
24     System.exit(job.waitForCompletion(true) ? 0 : 1);
25   }
26 }
```

The output is the same as only with a reducer,
but less intermediate data is moved.

Predefined Mappers

- **Mapper**: (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce):

$$m(k, v) := ((k, v))$$

- **InverseMapper** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.map):

$$m(k, v) := ((v, k))$$

- **ChainMapper** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.chain)

$$\text{chain}_{m,\ell}(k, v) := (\ell(k', m') \mid (k', v') \in m(k, v))$$

- **TokenCounterMapper** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.map):

$$m(k, v) := ((k', 1) \mid k' \in \text{tokenize}(v))$$

Predefined Mappers (2/2)

- **RegexMapper** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.map):

$$m(k, v) := ((k', 1) \mid k' \in \text{find-regex}(v))$$

Regex pattern to search for and
groups to report
can be set via configuration options

PATTERN	mapreduce.mapper.regex
GROUP	mapreduce.mapper.regexmapper..group

Predefined Reducers

- **Reducer**: (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce):

$$r(k, V) := (k, V)$$

- **IntSumReducer**, **LongSumReducer** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.reduce):

$$m(k, V) := (v, \sum_{v \in V} v))$$

- **ChainReducer** (org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.lib.chain)

$$\text{chain}_{r,s}(k, V) := s(r(k, V))$$

Job Default Values

mapper class:	class org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Mapper
combiner class:	null
reducer class:	class org.apache.hadoop.mapreduce.Reducer
output key class:	class org.apache.hadoop.io.LongWritable
output value class:	class org.apache.hadoop.io.Text

Further Topics

- Controlling map-reduce jobs
  - YARN
  - chaining map-reduce jobs
  - iterative algorithms
- Controlling the number of mappers and reducers
- Managing resources required by all mappers or reducers
- Input and output using relational databases
- Streaming
- Examples, examples, examples

Summary

- Map Reduce is a **distributed computing framework**.
- Map Reduce represents input and output **data as key/value pairs**.
- Map Reduce decomposes computation into three phases:
  1. **map**: applying a function to **each input key/value pair**.
  2. **shuffle**:
     - **grouping intermediate data** into key/valueset pairs
     - **repartitioning intermediate data** by key over nodes
  3. **reduce**: applying a function to **each intermediate key/valueset pair**.
- Mappers are executed **data local**
- For a program, the **map** and **reduce** functions have to be specified.
  - the shuffle step is fixed.
- The size of the intermediate data is crucial for efficiency as it has to be repartioned.

Further Readings

- original Map Reduce framework by Google:
  - Dean and Ghemawat [2004, 2008, 2010]
- MapReduce reference implementation in Hadoop:
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