Map Reduce Programming Model

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MapReduce in a Nutshell

- MapReduce
  - Programming model (and execution framework)
  - Allows expressing distributed computations on large data sets
  - MapReduce is highly scalable and can be used across many computers
  - Many small machines can be used to process jobs that normally could not be processed by a large machine
    - Designed for local clusters (locality is important!)
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3. Aggregated the results in parallel fashion
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- Map abstraction
  - Inputs a key/value pair
    - Key is a reference to the input value
    - Value is the data set on which to operate
  - Evaluation
    - Function defined by user
    - Applies to every value in value input
      - Might need to parse input
  - Produces a new list of key/value pairs
    - Can be different type from input pair
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- Reduce abstraction
  - Starts with intermediate key/value pairs
  - End with finalized key/value pairs
  - Starting pairs are sorted by key
  - Iterator supplies the values for a given key to the Reduce function
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Example: WordCount
- Sentence 1: Hello World Goodbye World
- Sentence 2: Hello there Bye there

Map output 1
- <Hello, 1>
- <World, 1>
- <Goodbye, 1>
- <World, 1>

Map output 2
- <Hello, 1>
- <there, 1>
- <Bye, 1>
- <there, 1>

Reducer output
- <Hello, 2>
- <World, 2>
- <Goodbye, 1>
- <Bye, 1>
- <there, 2>
MapReduce Example (WordCount)

```java
public static class Map extends Mapper<LongWritable, Text, Text, IntWritable> {
    private final static IntWritable one = new IntWritable(1);
    private Text word = new Text();
    public void map(LongWritable key, Text value, Context context)
        throws IOException, InterruptedException {
        String line = value.toString();
        StringTokenizer tokenizer = new StringTokenizer(line);
        while (tokenizer.hasMoreTokens()) {
            word.set(tokenizer.nextToken());
            context.write(word, one);
        }
    }
}

- Map reads in text and creates a \(<\text{word},1>\) pair for every word read.
```
public static class Reduce extends Reducer<Text, IntWritable, Text, IntWritable> {
    public void reduce(Text key, Iterable<IntWritable> values, Context context) throws IOException, InterruptedException {
        int sum = 0;
        for (IntWritable val : values) {
            sum += val.get();
        }
        context.write(key, new IntWritable(sum));
    }
}

- Reduce then takes all of those pairs and counts them up to produce the final count
  - If there were 20 \{word,1\} pairs, the final output of Reduce would be a single \{word,20\} pair
public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
    Configuration conf = new Configuration();

    Job job = new Job(conf, "wordcount");

    job.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
    job.setOutputValueClass(IntWritable.class);

    job.setMapperClass(Map.class);
    job.setReducerClass(Reduce.class);

    job.setInputFormatClass(TextInputFormat.class);
    job.setOutputFormatClass(TextOutputFormat.class);

    FileInputFormat.addInputPath(job, new Path(args[0]));
    FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(job, new Path(args[1]));

    job.waitForCompletion(true);
}
MapReduce-CometCloud
Motivation

- Performance limitations of MapReduce-Hadoop
  - MapReduce-Hadoop distributes data chunks to nodes and then pushes computational tasks to the nodes
  - Designed for single datacenters
    - Support required for multiple Clouds
- Data of varying size complex scientific workflows that can consist of a large number of small files
  - Input data size for each MapReduce task can vary
    - The heuristic comparison of task completion times to that of an average task is not feasible
Goals

- Improve the performance of MapReduce
  - By using memory instead of disk file systems
- Introduce load balancing
  - To enhance performance in heterogeneous computing environments when processing heterogeneous datasets
- Enable cloud-bursting to public clouds
  - Accelerate the deployment of MapReduce workflows
  - Meet user requirements (e.g., deadline or budget constraints)
Architecture Overview

CometCloud
  task space

Disk

Disk writing only when
low watermark or post-map

Memory

MapReduce Master
  MapMerger
  InputReader

Cloud Agent

Cluster/Datacenter/Cloud

MapReduce Worker
  Mapper
  Reducer
  OutputCollector

Autonomic Manager
  Scheduling
  Estimation
  Monitoring
  Adaptation

User Policy

Pull Tasks

Mgmt. Info.
MapReduce Dataflow

- **The Input Reader**
  - Can run on NFS/Master/File server is configurable

- **Comet Master**
  - Creates Map tasks for each of the input files in the Input Directory and puts them in the shared space

- **Comet Worker – Mapper**
  - Pick up map jobs from the space initially and run the user supplied mapper implementation and collects the generated key value pair output
  - The collection of map result is a set of Key and Values, is sent to the master
MapReduce Dataflow

- Output Collector in Master
  - The master periodically merges the different map results (partial aggregation is done)
    
    \(<K1, [V1, V2, V3...]\>, \(<K2, [V1, V2, V3...]\> \ldots\)
  
  - Once all Map tasks are done the reduce tasks are put into space

- Comet Worker – Reducer
  - Pick up reduce jobs from the space initially and run the user supplied reducer implementation to get final aggregation of Key, Value

- Disk autonomics comes into play when application hits a memory threshold
mapreduce.properties

- InputDataFile: This is the directory path in which the input files are present. If it’s a single file then it will be the complete absolute path of that file. This should be a shared folder which all machines can access.

- OutputDir: The Directory where the intermediate results and in process data is stored. This should be a shared folder which all machines can access.

- InputReaderClass: The complete class/path of the class file which has the user implementation of the input reader.
  `tassl.automate.application.mapreduce.wordcount.WordCountInputReader`

- MapperClass: The complete class/path of the class file which has the user implementation of the mapper function to be executed.
  `tassl.automate.application.mapreduce.wordcount.WordCountMapper`

- ReducerClass: The complete class/path of the class file which has the user implementation of the reducer function to be executed.
  `tassl.automate.application.mapreduce.wordcount.WordCountReducer`
Required properties files

- **NumMapTasks**: This is an optional parameter. This gives the number of map tasks to be run. If this value is commented out from the file the default number of tasks would be the same as the number of files in the directory mentioned in the InputDataFile option.

- **NumReduceTasks**: This is an optional parameter. This gives the number of map tasks to be run. If this value is commented out from the file the default number of tasks would be the total final keys obtained at the end of Map tasks.

- **hpcs**: This parameter tells whether the machines used to execution use linux or windows OS, If hpcs =1 ⇒ Windows OS any other value or commenting out the parameter would by default assume it to be Linux/Unix based OS

- **ec2**: This parameter is used in case of cloud infrastructure being used or if the data is on a remote file server (then its value will be ec2=1). Commenting it out would mean the run is on the
Required properties files
Questions?
Architecture

- We replace Hadoop with CometCloud shared space

Components:
- Job submission and monitor
  - Provide ways to read input files through InputReader
  - Split the input files into logical InputSplit instances (performed on an individual Mapper)
  - Generate and submit tasks
  - Monitor progress and get logs or worker status, etc.

- Mapper
  - Takes a set of data and transform it into a list of key/value pairs
  - Mapper outputs are sorted and then partitioned per Reducer
  - Total number of partitions is the same as the number of reduce tasks for the job
  - Users can optionally specify a combiner to perform local aggregation of the intermediate outputs, which helps to cut down the amount of data transferred from the Mapper to the Reducer
Architecture

- **Reducer**
  - Takes the list that resulted from the map function and reduces the list of key/value pairs based on their key.
  - The number of output is the same as the number of reduce tasks.

- **OutputCollector**
  - Collects data output by the Mapper or the Reducer (either the intermediate outputs or the output of the job).
Steps, etc. (TBD)

- The data for a task can be conveyed inside of the task tuple itself
  - However, we place them as files like in MapReduce-Hadoop

- Since pull-based – a worker picks up a task from the space by in operation specifying a query condition whenever it becomes idle and then the worker accesses data from the location which is described in the task tuple.
  - Reduces the idle time of workers even with a heterogeneous computing environment

- After a worker completes a map task or a reduce task, it sends the result to the master
  - MapMerger takes the responsibility of managing results in the master node
  - The MapMerger keeps results in memory as much as possible and writes them into disk only when a defined low watermark of free memory is reached or all map tasks are done.
  - When a map phase is finished, the remaining results in memory are also written into disk for the access from workers in reduce phase

- Cloudbursting is based on user objectives
  - Even with the same application and the same data set, user objective can be different at different runs in terms of
    - Deadline (time-to-completion)
    - Budget, etc.