CS698F Advanced Data Management

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Distributed Storage

- Topologies (architecture):
 - Peer-to-peer no hierarchy, shared nothing
 - Pastry, Chord, CAN systems
 - Hierarchical one or more masters, several slaves
 - MapReduce based frameworks Hadoop, SPARK, and many others

Peer-to-peer



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Hierarchical



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Cloud



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P2P

- Every compute-node knows every other node.
- Every compute-node has a unique ID.
- Data gets distributed by some function f(d_i) applied on each data item d_i
- The output of the $f(d_i)$ compared with node-id
- Data item sent to node whose ID is closest to $f(d_i)$

P2P

- How to decide the *function*?
 - Simplest is "distribted hash table" (DHT)
 - Uses a *hash* function.
- Compute-node IDs generated using the same function, using IP address or MAC etc as the data to be hashed.
 - It can even be random ID generation and allocation
- Data can be anything, text, graphs, tables.
 - Data item to hash on changes as per data type!

P2P (graphs)

- Decide data-unit to hash
 - A node? <hash(vertex-label), adj-vertices> (incoming or outgoing)?
 - An edge? <hash(s, p, o), s,p,o>
- How do you decide data-unit to hash?
 - Depends on the query types.
 - Why?

P2P (graphs)

- What do you join on?
 - Vertices or edges?
- So for distributed data what information do you need in one place?
 - Vertex labels?
 - Edge labels?
 - Why?

On each compute node

- There will be some graph vertices and their adjacent vertices
- For some graph vertices their adjacent vertices will not be on this compute-node.
- Then we will need to "*ship*" either this compute node's vertices, or get other compute node's vertices "*shipped*" to this compute-node.

Cost Consideration

- Pattern/join query cost computation remains the same.
- But communication cost gets added.
 - How to compute it?
- How to reduce communication cost?



P2P DHT

- What entity to hash and distribute on?
 - What entities you join on? Vertices!
- Hash vertex labels and decide their destination.
 - <f(vertex-label), in-out-adj-list>
 - Would this work?
 - Would any other strategy work?
 - Which would be low cost?

How to perform a join?

Shown on board.....