Introduction of HBase

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Overview



- HBase is an Apache open source project whose goal is to provide storage for the Hadoop Distributed Computing Environment.
- Data is logically organized into tables, rows and columns.

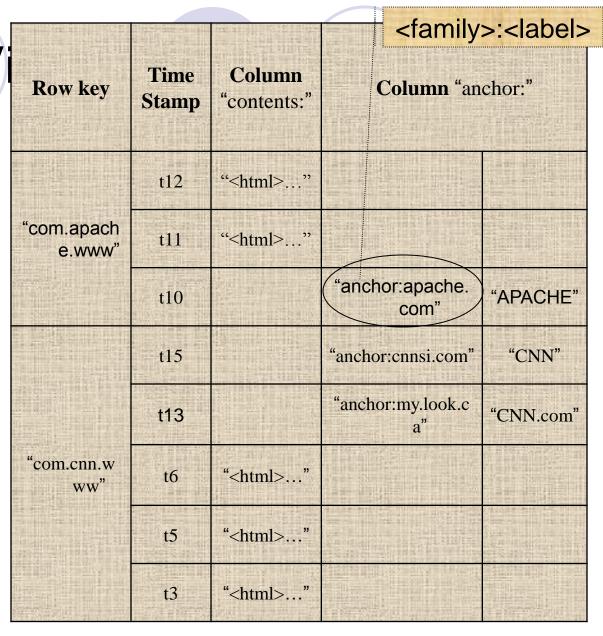
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- A data row has a sortable row key and an arbitrary number of columns.
- A Time Stamp is designated automatically if not artificially.
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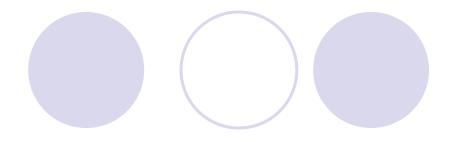


Row Ranges: Ro

- Row key/ Colum Timestamp desc
- Physically, table into row ranges from start-key to

ow key	Time Stamp	Column "contents:"	Column "anchor:"	
aaaa	t15		anchor:cc	value
	t13	ba		
	t12	bb		
	t11		anchor:cd	value
	t10	bc		
aaab	t14			
aaac			anchor:be	value
aaad			anchor:ad	value
aaae	t5	ae		
	t3	af		

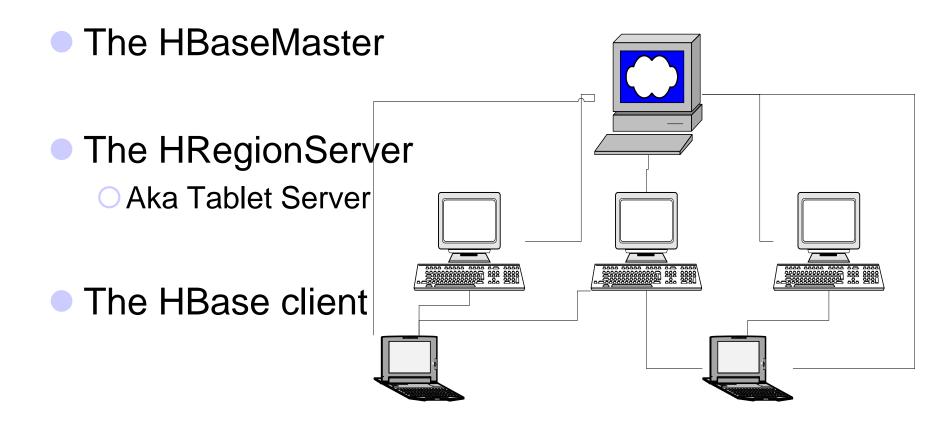
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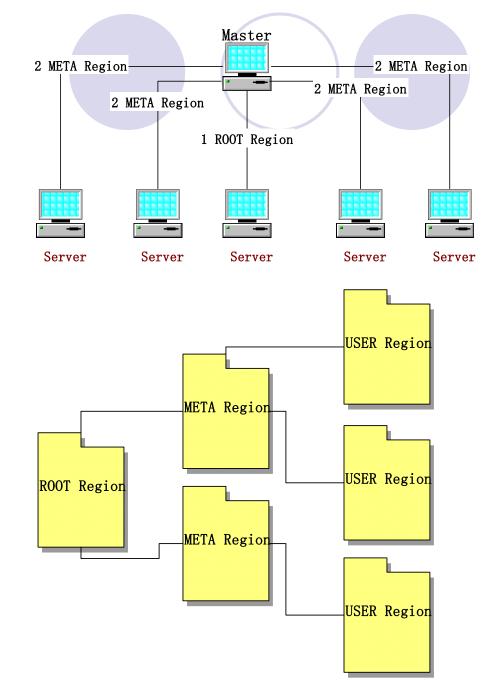
Architecture and Implementation

Three major components



HBaseMaster

- Assign regions to HRegionServers.
- 1. ROOT region locates all the META regions.
- 2. META region maps a number of user regions (aka tablet regions).
- 3. Assign user regions to the HRegionServers.
- Perform all read/write access
- Monitor the health of each Server



Summary

Column-oriented modification more flexible.

Higher performance on row key clusters.



Thank you