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### PV177 – DataScience seminář (ELK stack and Graph DBs)

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### **Data analysis with ELK framework**

### **Elasticsearch ELK Software Stack**

#### ELK consists of three open source software products provided by the company "Elastic" (formerly Elasticsearch)

E => Elasticsearch (Highly scalable search index server)

L => Logstash

(Tool for the collection, enrichment, filtering and forwarding of data, e.g. log data)

📕 K => Kibana

(Tool for the exploration and visualization of data)







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### Logstash

- Open source software to collect, transform, filter and forward data (e.g. log data) from input sources to output sources (e.g. Elasticsearch)
- Implemented in JRuby and runs on a JVM (Java Virtual Machine)
- Simple message-based architecture
- Extendable by plugins (e.g. input, output, filter plugins)





### **Console output processing Apache log files**

```
"message" => "127.0.0.1 - - [11/Dec/2013:00:01:45 -0800] \"GET
   /xampp/status.php HTTP/1.1\" 200 3891 \"http://cadenza/xampp/navi.php\"
   \"Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; Intel Mac OS X 10.9; rv:25.0) Gecko/20100101
   Firefox/25.0\"",
"@timestamp" => "2013-12-11T08:01:45.000Z",
   "@version" => "1",
       "host" \Rightarrow "cadenza",
   "clientip" => "127.0.0.1",
      "ident" => "-",
       "auth" => "-".
 "timestamp" => "11/Dec/2013:00:01:45 -0800",
      "verb" \Rightarrow "GET",
   "request" => "/xampp/status.php",
"httpversion" => "1.1",
   "response" => "200",
      "bytes" => "3891",
   "referrer" => "\"http://cadenza/xampp/navi.php\"",
      "agent" => "\"Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; Intel Mac OS X 10.9; rv:25.0)
     Gecko/20100101 Firefox/25.0\""
```

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```
input {
                           tcp {
                              port => 5000
                             type => syslog
                            }
                            udp {
                              port => 5000
                             type => syslog
                            }
                          filter {
                            if [type] == "syslog" {
                              grok {
                                match => { "message" => "%{SYSLOGTIMESTAMP:syslog_timestamp} %{SYSLOGHOST:syslog_h
                          _program}(?:\[%{POSINT:syslog_pid}\])?: %{GREEDYDATA:syslog_message}" }
                                add_field => [ "received_at", "%{@timestamp}" ]
                                add_field => [ "received_from", "%{host}" ]
                              }
                              syslog_pri { }
                              date {
                                match => [ "syslog_timestamp", "MMM d HH:mm:ss", "MMM dd HH:mm:ss" ]
                          output {
                            elasticsearch { host => localhost }
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                           stdout { codec => rubydebug }
```

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### **Console output processing Syslog messages**

```
"message" => "Dec 23 14:30:01 louis CRON[619]: (www-data) CMD (php
            /usr/share/cacti/site/poller.php >/dev/null
            2>/var/log/cacti/poller-error.log)",
          "@timestamp" => "2013-12-23T22:30:01.000Z",
            "@version" => "1",
                "type" => "syslog",
                "host" => "0:0:0:0:0:0:0:1:52617",
    "syslog timestamp" => "Dec 23 14:30:01",
    "syslog hostname" => "louis",
     "syslog program" => "CRON",
          "syslog pid" => "619",
     "syslog message" => "(www-data) CMD (php /usr/share/cacti/site/poller.php
     >/dev/null 2>/var/log/cacti/poller-error.log)",
         "received at" => "2013-12-23 22:49:22 UTC",
      "received from" => "0:0:0:0:0:0:0:1:52617",
"syslog severity code" => 5,
"syslog facility code" => 1,
    "syslog facility" => "user-level",
    "syslog severity" => "notice"
```

# **Input Plugins**

- file -> for processing files
- tcp, udp, unix -> reading directly from network sockets
- http -> for processing HTTP POST requests
- http\_poller -> for polling HTTP services as input sources
- imap -> accessing and processing imap mail
- Different input plugins to access MOM ("Message-Oriented Middleware", message queues)
  - Rabbitmq, stomp, …
- Different plugins for accessing database systems
  - jdbc, elasticsearch, ...
- Plugins to read data from system log services and from command line
  - syslog, eventlog, pipe, exec
- and more ...

### **Elastic Beats framework + Beats plugin**



- The "Elastic Beats" framework allows to forward input from a set of "data sources" to a Logstash instance for processing
  - Filebeat, Packetbeat, Winlogbeat, Metricbeat, Functionbeat, etc.
- The "Beats plugin" can then be configured to consume messages from "Elastic Beats"
- Transfer can be secured by security certificate and encrypted transmission
  - authentication and confidentiality

### **Output plugins**

- stdout, pipe, exec -> show output on console, feed to a command
- file -> store output in file
- email -> send output as email
- tcp, udp, websocket -> send output over network connections
- http -> send output as HTTP request
- Different plugins for sending output to database systems, index server or cloud storage
  - elasticsearch, solr\_http, mongodb, google\_bigquery, google\_cloud\_storage, opentsdb
- Different output plugins to send output to MOM (message queues)
  - Rabbitmq, stomp, …
- Different output plugins for forwarding messages to metrics applications
  - graphite, graphtastic, ganglic, metriccatcher

### **Multiple node writes**



- The Logstash output plugin can write to multiple Elasticsearch nodes
- It will distribute output objects to different nodes ("load balancing")
- A Logstash instance can also be part of a Elasticsearch cluster and write data through the cluster protocol

# **Filter plugins**

grok -> parse and structure arbitrary text: best generic option to interpret text as (semi-)structured objects

alternative: **dissect** (faster, but does not use regular expressions)

#### filter for parsing different data formats

csv, json, kv (key-valued paired messages), xml, ...

- multiline -> collapse multiline messages to one logstash event
- split -> split multiline messages into several logstash events
- aggregate -> aggregate several separate message lines into one Logstash event
- mutate -> perform mutations of fields (rename, remove, replace, modify)
- dns -> lookup DNS entry for IP address
- geoip -> find geolocation of IP address
- and more

### grok usage example

Input: 55.3.244.1 GET /index.html 15824 0.043

grok filter

```
filter {
   grok { match => { "message" => "%{IP:client} %{WORD:method}
  %{URIPATHPARAM:request} %{NUMBER:bytes} %{NUMBER:duration}" }
}
```

#### Then the output will contain fields like:

- client: 55.3.244.1
- method: GET
- request: /index.html
- bytes: 15824
- duration: 0.043



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### **ElasticSearch**

### Server environment for storing large-scale structured index entries and query them

Written in Java

Based on Apache Lucene

- Uses Lucene for index creation and management
- Document-oriented (structured) index entries which can (but must not) be associated with a schema
- Combines "full text"-oriented search options for text fields with more precise search options for other types of fields, like date + time fields, geolocation fields, etc.
- Near real-time search and analysis capabilities

#### Provides Restful API as JSON over HTTP

### **Scalability of Elasticsearch**

- Elasticsearch can run as one integrated application on multiple nodes of a cluster
- Indexes are stored in Lucene instances called "Shards" which can be distributed over several nodes
  - Ability to subdivide your (large) index into multiple pieces
  - Each shard is in itself a fully-functional and independent "index" that can be hosted on any node in the cluster

#### There a two types of "Shards"

- Primary Shards
- Replica

#### Replicas of "Primary Shards" provide

- Failure tolerance and therefore protect data
- Make queries (searches) faster



### Indexing data with Elasticsearch

### Send JSON documents to server, e.g. use REST API

- No schema necessary => ElasticSearch determines types of attributes
- But it's possible to explicitly specify schema, i.e. types for attributes
  - Like string, byte, short, integer, long, float, double, boolean, date

### Analysis of text attributes for fulltext-oriented search

- Word extraction, reduction of words to their base form (stemming)
- Stop words
- Support for multiple languages (including czech, but not slovak yet)

### Automatically generates identifiers for data sets or allows to specify them while indexing

### Indexing data using the REST API

```
PUT /megacorp/employee/1
{
    "first_name" : "John",
    "last_name" : "Smith",
    "age" : 25,
    "about" : "I love to go rock climbing",
    "interests": [ "sports", "music" ]
}
```

- PUT request inserts the JSON payload into the index with name "megacorp" as object of type "employee"
- Schema for type can be explicitly defined (at time of index creation or automatically determined)
- Text field (e.g. "about") will be analyzed if analyzers are configured for that field
- Request URL specifies the identifier "1" for the index entry

# **Retrieval of an index entry**

GET /megacorp/employee/1

```
"_index" : "megacorp",
"_type" : "employee",
"_id" : "1",
"_version" : 1,
"found" : true,
"_source" : {
    "first_name" : "John",
    "last_name" : "Smith",
    "age" : 25,
    "about" : "I love to go rock climbing",
    "interests": [ "sports", "music" ]
}
```

A "GET" REST API call with "/megacorp/employee/1" will retrieve the entry with id 1 as JSON object GET /megacorp/employee/\_search

## **Simple Query**

- GET request with "\_search" at the end of the URL performs query
- Search results are returned in JSON response as "hits" array
- Further metadata specifies count of search results ("total") and max\_score

```
6,
"took":
"timed out": false,
" shards": { ... },
"hits": {
   "total":
                 2.
   "max score": 1,
   "hits": [
                            "megacorp",
         " index":
                            "employee",
         " type":
         " id":
                            "3",
          ' score":
                            1.
         " source": {
            "first name":
                            "Douglas",
                            "Fir",
            "last name":
            "age":
                            35,
                            "I like to build cabinets",
            "about":
            "interests": [ "forestry" ]
         " index":
                            "megacorp",
                            "employee",
          type":
                            "1",
          id":
          ' score":
                            1.
         " source": {
            "first name":
                            "John",
            "last name":
                            "Smith",
            "age":
                            25,
            "about":
                            "I love to go rock climbing",
            "interests": [ "sports", "music" ]
```

### Simple Query with search string

GET /megacorp/employee/\_search?q=last\_name:Smith

```
. . .
                                "hits": {
                                   "total":
                                                  2,
                                   "max score": 0.30685282,
                                   "hits": [
                                       {
                                          . . .
                                            source": {
                                             "first name": "John",
                                             "last name":
                                                           "Smith",
                                             "age":
                                                            25,
                                             "about":
                                                      "I love to go rock climbing",
                                             "interests": [ "sports", "music" ]
                                       },
                                           source": {
                                             "first name": "Jane",
                                             "last name":
                                                            "Smith",
                                             "age":
                                                            32,
                                             "about":
                                                            "I like to collect rock albums",
                                             "interests": [ "music" ]
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                                   ]
```

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### More complex queries with Query DSL

```
GET /megacorp/employee/_search
{
    "query" : {
    "match" : {
        "last_name" : "Smith"
        }
}
```

Query DSL is a JSON language for more complex queries
 Will be sent as payload with the search request
 Match clause has the same semantics as in simple query

### More complex queries with Query DSL

- Consist of a query and a filter part
- Query part matches all entries with last\_name "smith" (2)
- Filter will then only select entries which fulfill the range filter (1)

```
"age": {"gt" : 30 }
```

```
GET /megacorp/employee/ search
    "query" : {
        "filtered" : {
            "filter" : {
                "range" : {
                    "age" : { "gt" : 30 } 1
            },
            "query" : {
                "match" : {
                    "last name" : "smith" 2
```

# **Some query possibilities**

### Combined search on different attributes and different indices

- Many possibilities for full-text search on attribute values
  - Exact, non-exact, proximity (phrases), partial match
- Support well-known logical operators (And / or, ...)
- Range queries (i.e. date ranges)
- **—** ...

#### Control relevance and ranking of search results, sort them

- Boost relevance while indexing
- Boost or ignore relevance while querying
- Different possibilities to sort search results otherwise

### **Kibana**

- Web-based application for exploring and visualizing data
- Modern Browser-based interface (HTML5 + JavaScript)
- Ships with its own web server for easy setup
- Seamless integration with Elasticsearch



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### **Configure Kibana**

# After installation first configure Kibana to access Elasticsearch server(s)

Should be done by editing the Kibana config file

#### Then use web UI to configure indexes to use

x Patterns	
No default index m. You must select or le one to continue.	Configure an index pattern In order to use Kibana you must configure at least one index pattern. Index patterns are used to identify the Elasticsearch index to run search and analytics against. They are also used to configure fields.
	Index contains time-based events Use event times to create index names
	Index name or pattern
	Patterns allow you to define dynamic index names using " as a wildcard, Example: logstash-"

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### **Discover data**



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### **Create a visualization**



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### **Different types of visualizations**

Discover Visualize Dashboard Settings

#### Create a new visualization

#### Step 1

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	Area chart	Great for stacked timelines in which the total of all series is more important than comparing any two or more series. Less useful for assessing the relative change of unrelated data points as changes in a series lower down the stack will have a difficult to gauge effect on the series above it.
▦	Data table	The data table provides a detailed breakdown, in tabular format, of the results of a composed aggregation. Tip, a data table is available from many other charts by clicking grey bar at the bottom of the chart.
~	Line chart	Often the best chart for high density time series. Great for comparing one series to another. Be careful with sparse sets as the connection between points can be misleading.
	Markdown widget	Useful for displaying explanations or instructions for dashboards.
	Metric	One big number for all of your one big number needs. Perfect for show a count of hits, or the exact average a numeric field.
¢	Pie chart	Pie charts are ideal for displaying the parts of some whole. For example, sales percentages by department. Pro Tip: Pie charts are best used sparingly, and with no more than 7 slices per pie.
•	Tile map	Your source for geographic maps. Requires an elasticsearch geo_point field. More specifically, a field that is mapped as type:geo_point with latitude and longitude coordinates.
hi	Vertical bar chart	The goto chart for oh-so-many needs. Great for time and non-time data. Stacked or grouped, exact numbers or percentages. If you are not sure which chart your need, you could do worse than to start here.

### **Combine visualizations to a Dashboard**



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### **Typical ELK use cases**

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### Some use cases of the ELK stack

- Log data management and analysis
- Monitor systems and/or applications and notify operators about critical events
- Collect and analyze other (mass) data
  - i.e. business data for business analytics
  - Energy management data or event data from smart grids
  - Environmental data
- Use the ELK stack for search driven access to mass data in web-based information systems

### Log data management and analysis

#### Many different types of logs

- Application logs
- Operating system logs
- Network traffic logs from routers, etc.

#### Different goals for analysis

- Detect errors at runtime or while testing applications
- Find and analyze security threats
- Aggregate statistical data / metrics

## **Problems of log data analysis**

#### No centralization

- Log data could be everywhere
  - on different servers and different places within the same server

#### Accessibility Problems

- Logs can be difficult to find
- Access to server / device is often difficult for analyst
- High expertise for accessing logs on different platforms necessary
- Logs can be big and therefore difficult to copy
- SSH access and grep on logs doesn't scale or reach

#### No Consistency

- Structure of log entries is different for each app, system, or device
- Specific knowledge is necessary for interpreting different log types
- Variation in formats makes it challenging to search
  - Many different types of time formats

## The ELK stack provides solutions

Logstash allows to collect all log entries at a central place (e.g. Elasticsearch)

- End users don't need to know where the log files are located
- Big log files will be transferred continuously in smaller chunks
- Log file entries can be transformed into harmonized event objects
- Easy access for end users via Browser-based interfaces (e.g. Kibana)
- Elasticsearch / Kibana provide advanced functionality for analyzing and visualizing the log data



## Monitoring

#### The ELK stack also provides good solutions for monitoring data and alerting users

- Logstash can check conditions on log file entries and even aggregated metrics
- And conditionally sent notification events to certain output plugins if monitoring criteria are met
  - E.g. forward notification event to email output plugin for notifying user (e.g. operators) about the condition
  - Forwarding notification event to a dedicated monitoring application
- Elasticsearch in combination with Watcher (another product of Elastic)
  - Can instrument arbitrary Elasticsearch queries to produce alerts and notifications
  - These queries can be run at certain time intervals
  - When the watch condition happens, actions can be taken (sent an email or forwarding an event to another system)

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### Log analysis examples from the Internet

- Logging and analyzing network traffic <u>https://operational.io/elk-stack-for-network-operations-reloaded/</u>
- How to Use ELK to Monitor Performance <u>http://logz.io/blog/elk-monitor-platform-performance/</u>
- How Blueliv Uses the Elastic Stack to Combat Cyber Threats <u>https://www.elastic.co/blog/how-blueliv-uses-the-elastic-stack-to-combat-cyber-threats</u>
- Centralized System and Docker Logging with ELK Stack <u>http://www.javacodegeeks.com/2015/05/centralized-system-and-docker-logging-with-elk-stack.html</u>





#### The ELK stack is easy to use and has many use cases

- Log data management and analysis
- Monitor systems and / or applications and notify operators about critical events
- Collect and analyze other (mass) data
- Providing access to big data in large scale web applications

# Thereby solving many problems with these types of use cases compared to "handmade"-solutions

Because of its service orientation and cluster readiness it fits nicely into bigger service-oriented applications





## **ELK deployment made easy**

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## Introducing CopAS

#### CopAS – <u>Cops</u> <u>Analytic</u> <u>System</u>

- fine-tuned production-ready framework running Elastic Platform developed in collaboration with Police CR (PCR)
- Bro, LogStash, ElasticSearch, and Kibana
- graphical user interface (Neck)
- a set of pre-prepared dashboards and visualizations
- main emphasis on user-friendliness and ease of deployment & use
  - employs Docker for easier deployment
  - runs on all systems with Docker available (Windows, Linux, MacOS, ...)

### **KIBANA vs. CopAS**



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### **CopAS – container management**

#### copas ACTION [container name]

a tool for CopAS container management



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## **CopAS – example**

#### **Example:**

\$ copas info

jeronimo@caine /home/jeronimo]\$ copas info .isting all CopAS containers:						
Name	User	URL	State			
kajinek copas2 copas1	jeronimo jeronimo jeronimo	http://caine.ics.muni.cz:8083 http://caine.ics.muni.cz:8082 http://caine.ics.muni.cz:8081	stopped stopped RUNNING			

## CopAS – old user environment (version 1.0)



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## CopAS – old user environment (version 2.0)





## **CopAS version 3.1**

#### Main changes in workflow and GUI

#### **New functionality**

- Iarge files analysis support
  - limited only by available resources
- Iocal files analysis support
- (g)zipped files support
- support for PCAPs and CSVs
- automated files import CopAS WatchDog
  - one can define monitored directories
- backup and restore of containers
  - copas backup **and** copas import
  - ability to move containers among different analytical systems
- extended Logstash configuration
- integrated Molo.ch analytic tool (PCAPs only)



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sha256		source => "message"
certificate.sig alg		}
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source		["ts", "ISO8601"]
con dec		["ts"]
san.uns		}
path		
analyzers		output {

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## **CopAS development and future**

#### **CopAS – main development**

- great work made by previous PV177/DataScience students
  - K. Gutič and V. Lazárik
- CopAS v. 4.0 alpha several improvements ongoing (O. Machala)
  - modular design, unified GUI

#### **CopAS** – not only PCR tool

- PCR specifics are just pre-defined visualizations, dashboards, searches, etc.
  - without specific addons, it is a generic ES-based data analytic tool
- assumes multiple input formats support in Neck GUI
  - (proposals for input formats welcomed)



## **CopAS** availability

#### CopAS v. 3.1 installation (Linux OS)

https://frakira.fi.muni.cz/~jeronimo/PV177/copas-install.tgz

#### CopAS v. 3.1 offline image

- 5,8 GB not necessary, but easier to deploy
- https://frakira.fi.muni.cz/~jeronimo/PV177/copasimg-20200915.tgz

#### CopAS v. 4.0 alpha

https://frakira.fi.muni.cz/~jeronimo/PV177/v4.0/copas-src.tar (2,2 GB)

#### **Testing datasets:**

PCAPs: <u>https://tcpreplay.appneta.com/wiki/captures.html</u>



### **Graph databases**

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## What is a Graph?

• Formally, a graph is a collection of vertices and edges

- Less Formally Defined:
  - A graph is a set of nodes, relationships, and properties
  - A network of connected objects



Object (Vertex, Node)

Link (Edge, Arc, Relationship)



### Nodes

Nodes represent entities and complex types

Nodes can contain properties

>Each node can have different properties



Think of nodes as documents that store properties in the form of arbitrary key-value pairs.

## **Relationships**

Every relationship has a name and direction

Relationships can contain properties, which can further clarify the relationship

Must have a start and end node

Olympic \_Address

Relationships connect and structure nodes.

### **Properties**

Key value pairs used for nodes and relationships
Adds metadata to your nodes and relationships
Entity attributes

Relationship qualities



Allows you to create additional semantics to entities and relationships.

### **Basic Graph**



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## **Different Kinds of Graphs**

- Undirected Graph
- Directed Graph

- Pseudo Graph
- Multi Graph

• Hyper Graph





## **More Kinds of Graphs**

• Weighted Graph



Labeled Graph



• Property Graph



### What is a Graph Database?

- A database with an explicit graph structure
- Each node knows its adjacent nodes
- As the number of nodes increases, the cost of a local step (or hop) remains the same
- Plus an Index for lookups

#### **Relational Databases**



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### **Relational To Graph Databases ...**



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### **Graph Databases**

#### Nodes



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## **GRAPH DB VS RELATIONAL DB**

- Each entity table is represented by a label on nodes
- Each row in an entity table is a node
- Columns on those tables become node properties
- Join tables are transformed into relationships, columns on those tables become relationship properties

## **GRAPH DATABASES: PROS AND CONS**

#### Pros:

Easy to query

 Ability to connect disparate data easily without needing a common data model

#### Cons:

Requires a different way to think about data

No single graph query language

## WHEN TO USE / NOT USE GRAPH DBS?

#### **Graph DBs are great for:**

- data, which are connected and/or where relationships matter
- data, which you want to query using various graph algorithms

#### but not ideal for:

- not optimized for massive graph traversing
  - MATCH (n) WHERE n.name=`Jenifer` RETURN n
    - but great for particular graph traversing like MATCH (n:Person {name: `Jenifer`})-[r:KNOWS]->(p:Person) RETURN p
  - it will work, but the performance will not be very good

## Neo4j vs. RDBMS (book "Neo4j in action")

## **Example:** in a social network, find all the friends of a user's friends. Even more so, for friends of friends of friends.

- 1.000.000 users, query for 1.000 users
- max. time 1 hour

	Depth	RDBMS execution time(s)	Neo4j execution time(s)	Records returned
	2	0.016	0.01	~2500
	3	30.267	0.168	~110,000
	4	1543.505	1.359	~600,000
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#### **Popular Graph DB Engines**





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**Pros:** 

- > Open-source version available
- > Runs complex distributed queries
- Scales out through sharded storage
- Returns data natively in JSON, making it ideally
  - suited for web development
- Written on top of GraphQL

#### Cons:

- No native windows installation
  - >Docker could be used



#### Pros:

- $\succ$  Multi model DB both graph and document DB
- Easily add users/roles
- Supports multiple databases

Cons:

Requires more schema design up front



#### **Pros:**

- Open-source version available
- Steep learning curve, more user-friendly
- Runs on Windows natively in either a

console or as a service

Large and active user community

#### Cons:

Only one DB can be running on a single port at a time

## NEO4J — WHAT DOES IT PROVIDE?

✓ Full ACID (atomicity, consistency, isolation, durability)

✓ REST API

- ✓Property Graph
- ✓Lucene Full-Text Index
- High Availability (with Enterprise Edition)

## Node in Neo4j



#### **Relationships in Neo4j**

• Relationships between nodes are a key part of Neo4j



#### **Relationships in Neo4j**







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#### **Twitter and relationships**



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#### **Properties**

- Both nodes and relationships can have properties
- Properties are key-value pairs where the key is a string
- Property values can be either a primitive or an array of one primitive type

For example String, int and int[] values are valid for properties

#### **Properties**



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## Paths in Neo4j

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 A path is one or more nodes with connecting relationships, typically retrieved as a query or traversal result



## **Creating a small graph**

```
firstNode = graphDb.createNode();
firstNode.setProperty( "message", "Hello, " );
secondNode = graphDb.createNode();
secondNode.setProperty( "message", "World!" );
```

```
relationship = firstNode.createRelationshipTo( secondNode, RelTypes.KNOWS );
relationship.setProperty( "message", "brave Neo4j " );
```



#### **Print the data**

System.out.print( firstNode.getProperty( "message" ) ); System.out.print( relationship.getProperty( "message" ) ); System.out.print( secondNode.getProperty( "message" ) );

#### **Remove the data**

firstNode.getSingleRelationship( RelTypes.KNOWS, Direction.OUTGOING ).delete();
firstNode.delete();
secondNode.delete();



## **Graph DB example**

#### FIND FRIENDS OF FRIENDS THAT HAVE TYPE 1 DIABETES — <u>RDBMS</u>

SELECT						
Me.PersonId	AS	AS Meld,				
Me.Name,						
FriendOfFrien	d.RelatedPersonl	d AS SuggestedFriendId,				
FriendOfAFrie	nd.Name					
FROM						
Person A	S Me					
INNER JOIN						
PersonRelatio	onship AS MyFr	riends				
ON MyFriend	ds.PersonId = $Me$	e.PersonId				
INNER JOIN						
PersonRelationship AS FriendOfFriend						
ON MyFriends	RelatedPersonic	l = FriendOfFriend.PersonId				
INNER JOIN						
Person AS Frie	ndOfAFriend					
ON FriendOfF	riend.RelatedPe	rsonId = FriendOfAFriend.PersonId				
LEFT JOIN						
PersonRelatio	onship AS Frien	dsWithMe				
ON Me.Pers	onId = FriendsW	/ithMe.PersonId				
AND FriendC	)fFriend.Related	PersonId = FriendsWithMe.RelatedPersonId				
INNER JOIN						
PersonDisease						
ON PersonDise	ase.PersonId = F	riendOfAFriend.PersonId				
WHERE						
FriendsWithM	e.PersonId IS NU	LL				
AND Me.PersonId <> FriendOfFriend.RelatedPersonId						
AND Me.Name =	- 'Bill'					
AND PersonDisec	<pre>ise.DiseaseId = 1</pre>					

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## **NEO4J MODEL**



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#### FIND FRIENDS OF FRIENDS THAT HAVE TYPE 1 DIABETES — <u>GRAPHDB</u>

```
MATCH (user:Person {name:'Bill'})-[:FRIENDS_WITH*2..5]->(fof)-
[:DIAGNOSED_WITH]->(disease)
return fof
```



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