The Bare Minimum about Big Data

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Data is the new oil

Analog Times



Figure 1: Galileo Galilei used a telescope to observe the moons of Jupiter and angered the Phinquisition of Mikimedia.

The New Paradigm

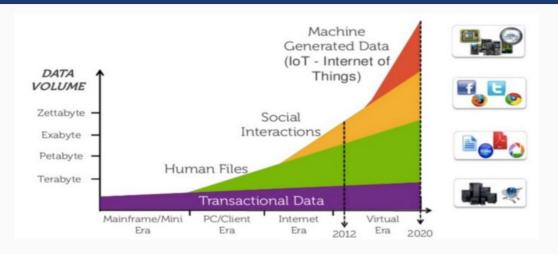


Figure 2: The gwroth of data

What is Big Data?

The Vs

| VOLUME | VARIETY | VELOCITY | VERACITY | VALUE | VARIABILITY |
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| The amount of data from myriad sources. | The types of data: structured, semi-structured, unstructured. | The speed at which big data is generated. | The degree to which big data can be trusted. | The business value of the data collected. | The ways in which the big data can be used and formatted. |
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Figure 3: Big data is usually defined via 3 to 5 "Vs".

Benefits

The Benefits of Big Data

Deeper consumer insight, and hence . . .

- 1. smoother operations
- 2. more agile supply chain, less stock, etc.
- 3. data driven innovation (higher probability to succeed)
- 4. less customer churn
- 5. more turnover per customer

Also new products and services such as self-driving cars, care robots, etc.

How?

The Analitics Behind Big Data

- Comparative analysis: This examines customer behavior metrics and real-time customer engagement in order to compare a company's products, services and branding with those of its competitors.
- **Social media listening**: This analyzes what people are saying on social media about a business or product, which can help identify potential problems and target audiences for marketing campaigns.
- Marketing analytics: This provides information that can be used to improve marketing campaigns and promotional offers for products, services and business initiatives.
- **Sentiment analysis**: All of the data that's gathered on customers can be analyzed to reveal how they feel about a company or brand, customer satisfaction levels, potential issues and how customer service could be improved.

The Math Behind Big Data and Data Science

- Data Gathering and Data Wrangling
- Build a model:
 - descriptive and predictive statistics
 - stochastic modelling
 - machine learning
- use the results

The Engineering Behind Big Data

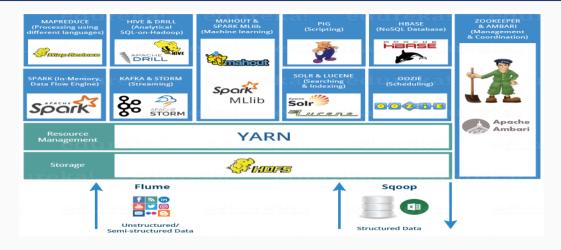


Figure 4: The big data ecosystem.

The Engineering Behind Big Data

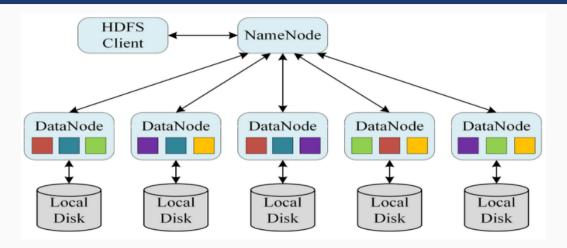


Figure 5: The distributed resilient Hadoop Distributed File System.

Conclusions

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- More data is better
- Big Data is here to stay
- We use "old" methods but on more data with spectacular and almost magical results
- The use of big data is everywhere
- Other developments such as Quantum computers will only enhance the use of big data
- The battle for privacy is lost ... we must strive to keep our agency