High-performance computing for big data in companies

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Type: Compulsory ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 1 Semester : 1

OBJECTIVES

Basic Skills

* Knowledge and understanding that provide a basis or opportunity for originality in developing and / or applying ideas, often in a research context
* That the students can apply the broader (or multidisciplinary) acquired knowledge and ability to solve problems in new or unfamiliar environments within contexts related to their field of study
* Students must possess the learning skills that enable them to continue studying in a way that will be largely self-directed or autonomous.

General Competencies

* Apply the theoretical underpinnings of the techniques for the high-performance processing of large volumes of data as a basis for the development and adaptation of such techniques to specific problems
* Identify different techniques and paradigms for processing large amounts of data, and differentiate them according to their theoretical and practical features
* Use skills for teamwork and getting along with other independently

Specific Skills
* Apply basic knowledge of big data programming techniques using advanced technologies and methods for treating large volumes of data
* Identify opportunities that data processing techniques can make to the improvement of the activity of enterprises and organizations
* Provide basic and fundamental knowledge of big data processing frameworks
* Identify and select suitable frameworks and software tools for the treatment of large amounts of data
* Making efficient use of distributed platforms for high-performance data processing

Learning Results
* Manage the basics of big data processing frameworks.
* Ability to use high-performance architectures and technologies for large volumes of data.
* Knowledge of design techniques and application development of high-performance big data computing.
* Skills to analyze and model the most appropriate frameworks for each problem, adapting to the specifications of individual cases

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

1. Introduction to Big Data Processing
2. MapReduce Paradigm
3. Storage Systems Big Data environments
    * HDFS as distributed file system
    * Commands for managing files in HDFS
4. Frameworks for intensive computing data
    * Introduction to Apache Hadoop
    * Functional Programming in Scala
    * Apache Spark
    * Access and processing a large volume of data
    * Streaming Data Processing
4. Management computational resources
    * Introduction to Apache Yarn
    * Deploying applications in corporate Big Data environments

* Tools for monitoring Big Data applications

5. Enterprise use cases

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

Learning activities:
* Lectures
* Hands-on land lab projects
* Personal student work.

Teaching methodology:

* Presential lectures imparted in the class, using multimedia and informatics support, to develop the main concepts of the course. Reading materials will be provided to complement students knowledge.

* Reading of recommended texts, from papers, technical journals, manuals and reports, to extend the student knowledge of the subject topics.

* Solving practical jobs, problems, etc. proposed in class (individually or in groups).

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

1.- Continuous evaluation (50%)

* Class activities
* Individual or collective projects made along the course

2.- Final exam (50%)

It is mandatory to obtain at least 4 points over 10 in each of the evaluable parts of the subject.

% end-of-term-examination:	50
% of continuous assessment (assigments, laboratory, practicals…):	50

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Holden Karau, Andy Konwinski, Patrick Wendell & Matei Zaharia Learning Spark, O¿Reilly, 2015
- Martin Odersky, Lex Spoon, Bil Venners Programming in Scala, Artima.