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Executive summary

In this deliverable we present the final releases of the DICE Quality Testing (QT) tool and the DICE Fault Injection (FIT) tool. In its final version, QT allows to load test streaming processing applications developed using either Storm or Kafka, and consequently also other frameworks such as Spark Streaming that can acquire stream data from a Kafka data pipeline. QT allows to reproduce empirical data from a log trace of streaming messages and generate statistically similar traces. Moreover, it offers the ability to scale the arrival rates and volumes of data sent to the application in order to analyze its response under increasing data volumes and velocity. We also present the *DMON-gen* utility allows the developer to test how the DIA will behave when using different platform (i.e. Yarn, Spark, etc.) settings and use the resulting monitoring data to create training and validation sets that are later used by the anomaly detection tool. Lastly, we discuss the final version of the FIT tool, which allows to simulate faults in the infrastructure used by the DIA to assess its resiliency.

Glossary

DIA	Data-Intensive Application
DICE	Data-Intensive Cloud Applications with iterative quality enhancements
DMON	DICE Monitoring Platform
MMAP	Marked Markovian Arrival Process
QoS	Quality of Service
QT	Quality Testing
QT-GEN	QT workload generator
QT-LIB	QT library
UML	Unified Modelling Language
YARN	Apache Yet Another Resource Negotiator
API	Application Programming Interface
FIT	Fault Injection Tool
JSON	JavaScript Object Notation
VM	Virtual machine
CPU	Central processing unit
UI	User interface
GUI	Graphical user interface
ADT	Anomaly detection tool
DMON-GEN	DMON anomaly generator

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1 Introduction

In this final version of the Quality Testing (QT) tools, we discuss the year 3 achievements in relation to testing of data intensive application (DIA). Compared to the initial version of this deliverable (D5.4, released at M24), D5.5 covers the final versions of the load testing tools (QT-GEN, QT-LIB) and the fault injection tool (FIT).

1.1 Research and Technical Achievements in Year 3

In D5.4, we described two tools, QT-GEN and QT-LIB, for load testing Storm-based applications. The decision of focussing on this technology platform was motivated by the observation that other DICE technologies such as Apache Hadoop or Cassandra can be stress tested with mature open source tools like Apache JMeter. At the end of D5.4 we set a goal of extending the capability of QT to other DICE technologies like Apache Spark streaming. Moreover, in D5.6 we presented an initial release of FIT, which we now complete with this deliverable adding in particular a GUI.

Achievement 1: QT-LIB support for Apache Kafka

After reviewing the literature, we concluded that if QT could be extended to support Apache Kafka, then the tool would be in condition to load test a variety of stream processing platforms, including Apache Spark streaming, which can natively consume from Apache Kafka itself.

Achievement 2: QT-LIB integration with DMON monitoring platform

The quality testing API exposed by QT-LIB has been extended to support direct calls to DMON monitoring. In the case of Storm technology, QT-LIB can also directly retrieve performance data from Storm's internal monitoring system. In year 3 we have also defined a template for the end-user to automate the control of load testing experiments using monitoring data. This has been applied against the NewsAsset case study developed by ATC.

Achievement 3: workload testing for anomaly detection

In year 3 we have also developed testing tools that support DICE engineers in training the anomaly detection algorithms offered with the DMON monitoring platform. The tool, called *DMON-gen*, allows to repeatedly run the application using multiple configurations and workloads.

Achievement 4: fault-injection tool front-end

Lastly, we present the final version of the fault injection tool (FIT), which now supplies a graphical user interface that simplifies its use from within the DICE IDE environment.

1.2 Requirements

Deliverable *D1.2 - Requirement specification* [1] presents the requirement analysis for the whole project, including the QT tool. This section provides an updated list of requirements for QT and FIT at month 30. The actors are as follows:

- QTESTING_TOOLS: the DICE Quality Testing tool
- CI_TOOLS: the DICE Continuous Integration tools
- QA_TESTER: the developer or operator interested in validating the application quality.

The main changes concerning the earlier version of the requirements is that we have revisited them to be consistent with the technology platforms that are supported by QT, namely stream-processing

systems. In particular the earlier requirements R15.5.x related to safety and anomaly detection are now under the remit of the anomaly detection and trace checking tools and obsolete for QT.

1.3 'Must have' requirements

ID	R5.6
Title	Test workload generation
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST be able to generate the workload with prespecified characteristics for the APPLICATION.

ID	R5.8.2
Title	Starting the quality testing
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MAY be invoked by the CI TOOLS or by the QA_TESTER

ID	R5.8.3
Title	Test run independence
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST ensure that no side effects from past or ongoing
	tests leak into the runtime of any other test.

ID	R5.8.5
Title	Test outcome
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST provide the test outcome to CI_TOOLS: success or failure

ID	R5.13
Title	Test the application for efficiency
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST be capable of running tests with any configuration provided to it.
	configuration provided to it.

ID	R5.14.1
Title	Test the behaviour when resources become exhausted
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST provide the ability to saturate and exhaust
	resources used by the application.

ID	R5.17
Title	Quick testing vs comprehensive testing
Priority	Must have
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS MUST receive as input parameter the scope of the tests
	to be run.

ID	R5.3.1
Title	VM Fault deployment
Priority	Must have
Description:	The Fault Injection Tool MUST be able to cause faults on Virtual Machines.

1.4 'Should have' requirements

ID	R5.7
Title	Data loading support
Priority	Should have
Description:	DEPLOYMENT_TOOLS and QTESTING_TOOLS SHOULD support bulk
	loading and bulk unloading of the data for the core building blocks.

ID	R5.14.2	
Title	Trigger deliberate outages and problems to assess the application's behaviour under faults	
Priority	Should have	
Description:	The QTESTING_TOOLS SHOULD use the fault injection environments functionality to test the application's resilience.	

ID	R5.7.2	
Title	Data feed actuator	
Priority	Should have	
Description:	QTESTING_TOOLS SHOULD provide an actuator for sending generated or	
	user-provided data to the application under test.	

ID	R5.3.2	
Title	Integration with DICE deployment service	
Priority	Should have	
Description:	The Fault Injection Tool SHOULD interface with the DICE deployment service in order to cause faults on various VMs used for a deployment.	

ID	R5.3.3
Title	FIT GUI
Priority	Should have
Description:	The Fault Injection Tool SHOULD have a graphical user interface.

1.5 QT, FIT and DICE Architecture

The Quality Testing and Fault Injection tools in the context of the DICE architecture are highlighted in Figure 1:

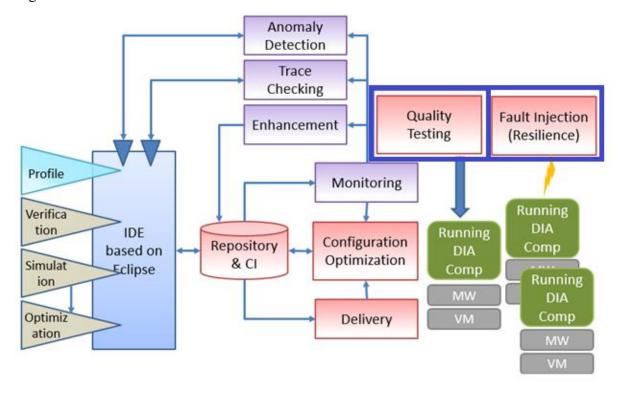


Figure 1 DICE Architecture - QT and FIT tools highlight

As shown in the figure, QT is a stand-alone component, which is aimed at injecting load into specific running components of the data-intensive application. QT tools can be used together with the fault injection tool (FIT) to assess the quality of the application in the presence of specific faults, such as simulated interruption of service for one or more VMs, or saturated resources that compromise performance up to reaching unavailability of one or more services. Both tools are meant to assess the quality of a Big data application, but QT has an emphasis on load-testing, whereas FIT focuses on checking the resilience to faults.

1.6 Deliverable organisation

The rest of this deliverable is organised as follows.

- In Chapter 3 we provide an overview of Apache Kafka and present the extended QT tool.
- In Chapter 4 we describe the enhancements to the Fault Injection tool delivered in year 3.
- In Chapter 5 we introduce the *DMON-gen* utility and how it is used to generate anomalies.
- In Chapter 6, we give conclusions assessing requirement fulfillment.
- The final Appendix gives additional material related to the FIT.

Source code, installation instructions and documentation of the tools can be found at:

https://github.com/dice-project/DICE-Knowledge-Repository/wiki/DICE-Knowledge-Repository#quality

 $\underline{https://github.com/dice-project/DICE-Knowledge-Repository/wiki/DICE-Knowledge-Repository\#fault}$

2 Quality Testing (QT)

In the next sections, we introduce the main extensions developed for QT in Year 3. We begin by reviewing Apache Kafka support, and subsequently we discuss improved support for DMON and Storm.

2.1 QT-LIB extension: an overview of Apache Kafka

Apache Kafka is a multi-purpose distributed streaming platforms, which can be used to build real-time processing applications. In the context of DICE, Kafka is primarily supported to define high-throughput data pipelines that can be used to ingest high-velocity high-volume data streams into streaming processing systems such as Spark or Storm.

The general architecture of Kafka is as follows. Kafka supplies streams of *records*, grouped into *topics*. For each topic, Kafka maintains a set of partitions, where records are appended in sequential order. Partitions are used to distribute the records for a same topic across different servers and in this way enable scalable processing and load-balancing. Each topic has one or more subscribers that are automatically notified when a new record becomes available. A customizable retention period also allows to recover records that have been already pushed to subscribers. It is important to note that Kafka data structures are meant for high-performance access to streams.

Four APIs are made available to end users: *Production API* and *Consumer API*, which allow to publish and subscribe topics on Kafka; *Streams API*, which allow to process records in transit on one of more topic, sending the results to output topics; *Connector API*, which are used for integrating Kafka with existing applications and data sources (e.g., databases). The QT-LIB extension makes use primarily of the *Production API*.

2.2 QT-LIB for Apache Kafka

2.2.1 Baseline: kafka-perf-tool

In order to extend the QT-LIB load testing tool to Apache Kafka, we have customized, extended, and integrated in QT-LIB an existing Java codebase for Kafka performance testing, which is the one underpinning the *kafka-perf-tool*¹.

kafka-perf-tool is an open source tool (Apache licensed) for load testing, which provides a customizable JSON-based interface to specify the characteristics of the workload sent to a Kafka instance. kafka-perf-tool is very flexible, as it allows to parallelize production and consumption of Kafka topics and records, either generated at random or consumed from a static file. Among the main customizable parameters offered natively by kafka-perf-tool we find:

- Control over the duration and concurrency level of a test experiment
- Control over the number of producers, on the volume of messages they send and the message sizes, configurable strategies to allocate data to topics and partitions therein.
- Control over the number of consumers, on the topics to receive records from, and the preferred polling intervals and number of messages to receive.

As these were the features we were seeking to add to QT, we have decided to develop the QT-LIB extension starting from this baseline.

2.2.2 Customization and extension

Within DICE, we integrate and extend the capabilities of *kafka-perf-tool* to address some limitations that restrict its use within the DICE methodology.

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¹ https://github.com/jkorab/ameliant-tools/tree/master/kafka/kafka-perf-tool

The main limitations we identified were as follows:

- Baseline limitation 1: In its official distribution, when *kafka-perf-tool* was configured to issue pre-generated messages to the Kafka system, the tool was repeatedly publishing the same message multiple times, which is appropriate for benchmarking purposes but insufficient for reproducing an actual workload. In a realistic workload one would expect to reproduce data with varying messages types and message intensities.
 - **QT-LIB Solution:** QT-LIB includes a customized version of *kafka-perf-tool* that publishes different messages, in the order in which they are read from an external file trace. Such trace is generated in output by QT-GEN, similar to what done in the case of Storm technology. Our extension allows the user to *cyclically* read data from such an external trace file, so that the number of messages generated can be longer than the original trace itself. This is particularly useful to generate realistic workloads that would be expensive to acquire (e.g., new Twitter traces).
- **Baseline limitation 2**: Another limitation of *kafka-perf-tool* is that it does not allow to use a custom release time for each message. The user can only specify the number of messages and the duration of the testing experiment. This was perceived as a limitation compared to what QT-LIB offers for the Storm environment, where the user is allowed to replay the exact time series of records as they were originally exposes by a data source (e.g., from the Twitter API).
 - **QT-LIB Solution:** We have modified *kafka-perf-tool* to inject records as custom times supplied in the trace file to be replayed. This has been tested against synthetic Twitter data generated by QT-GEN.
- Baseline limitation 3: in the QT-LIB library for Storm applications, DICE offers to the end user the possibility to customize all properties of QT-LIB in a programmatic manner, directly from within the Java application code. This was preferred to a solution involving JSON or XML configuration files for each test, which created certain complication in the automated deployment phase of the QT spouts on the application testbed. However, *kafka-perf-tool* follows a JSON-based configuration approach, being primarily designed as a command line tool. Thus it needs to be modified.
 - **QT-LIB Solution:** To overcome this limitation, we have defined a wrapper API that, similar to what already offered by QT-LIB for Storm, enables the developer to fully control the *kafka-perf-tool* load testing directly from within the Java application code. In this way, a simple unit test for the application can be written to test its performance.

2.2.3 Final QT-LIB internal architecture

In light of the above changes, the final internal architecture of QT-LIB is summarized in Figure 2. We assume in this overview that the typical usage consists of replaying a given trace, recorded in a log file. We have the following steps:

The QT-LIB user should first provide the trace in JSON format to QT-GEN, which will then
produce one or more new output traces for subsequent use with QT-LIB. Such output traces
provide statistically similar data to the one present in the original log file but typically differ

- by rate of arrival of the messages or the total number of messages in each trace. We point to deliverable D5.4 for an introduction to QT-GEN.
- Subsequently, the user writes Java code within her data-intensive application to use QT-LIB. If the purpose of the load injection is to test a Storm topology, the user will need to instantiate a *RateSpout* object, whereas for Kafka, she will need a *RateProducer* object. In both cases, these objects can be instantiated within the DIA code.
- Prior to execution of the test, the output trace generated by QT-GEN to be used in the test needs to be packaged as a resource within the *jar* file of the DIA.
- In the case of Kafka load-testing, it is possible to consume from a Spark or Storm application the Kafka topic that is used by QT-LIB to send messages.

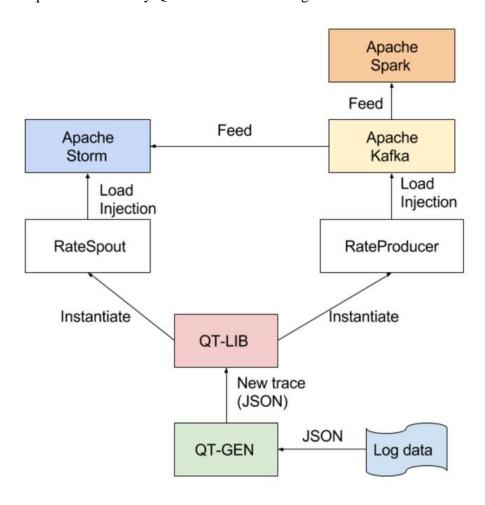


Figure 2 Revised QT-LIB architecture

2.2.4 Using QT-LIB for Kafka

We now illustrate the practical use of QT-LIB with Kafka. Below we present a compact example that is included in the QT-LIB distribution (*KafkaRateProducer.java*). Our goal is to load test a Kafka instance by injecting a set of random messages and JSON messages from a trace file under a specified topic.

Initially, as done also with Storm, we construct a *QTLoadInjector* factory that will assemble the load injector. Moreover, we specify the name of the input trace file, which is assumed to be packaged within the *jar* file of the data-intensive application.

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    QTLoadInjector QT = new QTLoadInjector();
    String input_file = "test.json"; // this is assumed to be a resource of the project jar file
```

We are now ready to instantiate a QT load injector for Kafka, which is called a *RateProducer*:

```
RateProducer RP;
RP=QT.getRateProducer();
```

We assume that our target topic is called *dice3* and it is exposed by a Kafka instance available on the local machine on port 9092. This corresponds to the port of the so-called Kafka bootstrap server, and should not be confused with the port of the Zookeeper instance associated to Kafka. We can use the *run()* command of the *RateProducer* to start immediately the experiment.

```
String topic = "dice3"; // topic get created automatically
String bootstrap_server = "localhost:9092";

// random message data - default is to send a single message
RP.run(bootstrap_server, topic);
```

By default, the *RateProducer* will send a single random message of size 1024 bytes to the server. It is possible to increase the number of messages to be sent using the *setMessageCount(int msgCount)* and *setMessageSize(int msgSize)* methods exposed by *RateProducer*.

We may now repeat the same workload generation, but reading the message from the *test.json* file shipped with the application *jar*. To do so, we use the syntax

```
// data from jsonfile
RP.run(bootstrap_server, topic, input_file);
```

where we now specify the input trace file. In the DICE distribution of QT-LIB, *test.json* contains 100 messages. In order to validate the ability of QT-LIB to cyclically reuse this set of messages we run

```
// data from jsonfile -- this is going to read more data than available in the json file, looping
RP.setMessageCount(101);
RP.run(bootstrap_server, topic, input_file);
```

2.2.5 Kafka support validation

To validate the extended capabilities of QT-LIB we have performed two major tests. In the first test, we have run QT-LIB against a Kafka installation, producing a sequence of JSON messages from ATC's Social Sensor platform onto a newly created topic, and subsequently using the *kafka-console-consumer* utility, shipped with the default distribution of Kafka, to check that the topic correctly received the messages. This test proved successful and it is included in the *example/* folder of the QT-LIB official distribution on github.

Next, we have considered a more challenging scenario in which we have injected load on a Kafka pipeline, which was later pushed onto a Spark testbed running a wordcount application connected to a MySQL instance. The Spark instance was installed using a simple open source distribution that offers a graphical dashboard to visualize the volume of messages received by wordcount². We modified the test code of QT-LIB to inject into the topic used by this wordcount application by modifying the input data to align with the format used by wordcount.

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² https://github.com/trK54Ylmz/kafka-spark-streaming-example

The format of the messages included in the JSON file reproduced by QT-LIB is as follows:

```
{"type":"south_america","value":893.4258}
{"type":"oceania","value":989.20374}
{"type":"oceania","value":554.9144}
```

Here *type* and *value* are examplars of JSON fields, and do not bear a specific meaning for the application's internal logic, which simply counts the number of messages of a given type. Figure 3 below is a screenshot from the dashboard of the wordcount application, showing the rate of message flow in the system for two types of messages sent by QT-LIB ("oceania" and "south_america"), one injected with constant rate, the other with peak rate in the central part of the experiment.



Figure 3 QT-lib JSON data injection in a Spark testbed for two types of messages. The y-axis represents the number of messages, the x-axis is dynamically updated by the wordcount application every few seconds.

2.3 Extended integration with Storm and DMON

2.3.1 DMON integration

QT-LIB now offers a new class, called *DMONCapacityMonitor*, which eases the integration of QT with DMON. Let us consider for example the following scenario: a user wishes to increase the load on a Storm testbed until hitting peak capacity at one of the bolts, which will therefore be a bottleneck for the DIA. To avoid making the system unstable, the user wants to *progressively* increase the load until reaching the desired peak capacity, but unfortunately it is not possible to predict beforehand how many messages the system will need to inject before incurring a capacity bottleneck. By using *DMONCapacityMonitor* the DICE user can easily check automatically from DMON if the system has reached the desired utilization.

The usage of *DMONCapacityMonitor* is illustrated in the follow example. The end user first specifies the desired time-window to check in DMON, which in the example corresponds to 30 seconds on 4-March-2017, between 12:19:30 and 12:20:00. As this may still correspond to many records, it is possible to require that at most *maxDMONRecords* are actually retrieved from the monitoring platform, neglecting the others. *DMONCapacityMonitor* exposes a function *getMaxCapacity* that recursively parses the JSON data retrieved from DMON, which is located via the specified URL and port, until determining the maximum capacity utilization across all bolts. The recursion is needed to accommodate for arbitrarily nested JSON files.

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    try {
        String t0 = "2017-03-04T12:19:30.000Z";
        String timeStampDate = new SimpleDateFormat("yyyy-MM-dd").format(new Date());
        String timeStampTime = new SimpleDateFormat("HH:mm:ss.000").format(new Date());
        String t1 = timeStampDate + "T"+ timeStampTime + "Z";
        System.out.println(t1);
        t1 = "2017-03-04T12:20:00.000Z";
        int maxDMONRecords = 100;
        double maxcapacity = getMaxCapacity("http://109.231.122.229:5001", t0, t1, maxDMONRecords);
        System.out.println("Max Bolt Capacity: "+maxcapacity);
    }
    catch (Exception e) {
        e.printStackTrace();
    }
}
```

The main added value of this class is the recursive method to parse the DMON JSON file. The collection mechanism of metrics such as maximum capacity is rather easy to extend to other metrics.

2.3.2 Storm integration

In addition to DMON integration, we have added in QT-LIB native methods to retrieve performance data from the Storm UI interface. Storm UI is a graphical user interface, standard within the Storm release, that allows the end user to check status for a running Storm topology. For example, in the screenshot below one can see that it is possible to check latency and throughput ("Emitted" tuples) of a topology directly from Storm UI.

Storm UI

Topology summary

Name	ld	Status	Uptime	Num workers	Num executors	Num tasks
WordCount	WordCount-1-1387403806	ACTIVE	6m 48s	3	28	28

Topology actions



Topology stats

Window	▲ Emitted	Transferred	Complete latency (ms)	Acked	Failed	
10m 0s	241680	129620	0.000	0	0	

The DICE QT class *StormUICapacityMonitor* delivers similar functionalities of *DMONCapacityMonitor* but uses Storm UI as the source of the data. In particular, it also offers a *getMaxCapacity* API to extract the maximum bolt capacity. A usage example is given below.

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
          try {
                String encodedId = getId("http://localhost:8080", "topology-qt1");
                double maxcapacity = getMaxCapacity("http://localhost:8080", encodedId);
                System.out.println("Max Bolt Capacity (StormUI, topology="+encodedId+"): "+maxcapacity);
        }
        catch (Exception e) {
                     e.printStackTrace();
        }
}
```

As shown in the code snippet, a difference with respect to *DMONCapacityMonitor*, is that *StormUICapacityMonitor* requires to uniquely identify the topology through the getId() command, which accepts in input the topology name.

3 Fault Injection Tool (FIT)

3.1 Overview

The operation of data intensive applications almost always requires dealing with various failures. Therefore during the development of an application, tests have to be made in order to assess the reliability and resilience of the system. These test the ability of a system to cope with faults and to highlight any vulnerable areas.

The FIT allows users to generate faults on their Virtual Machines, giving them a means to test the resiliency of their installation. Using this approach the designers can use robust testing, highlighting vulnerable areas to inspect before it reaches a commercial environment. Users or application owners can test and understand their application design or deployment in the event of a cloud failure or outage, thus allowing for the mitigation of risk in advance of a cloud based deployment.

3.2 Motivation

Current and projected growth in the big data market provides three distinct targets for the tool. Data Centre owners, cloud service providers and application owners are all potential beneficiaries due to their data intensive requirements. The resilience of the underlying infrastructure is crucial to these areas. Data Centre owners can gauge the stress levels of different parts of their infrastructure and thus offer advice to their customers, address bottlenecks or even adapt the pricing of various levels of assurances.

For developers FIT provides the missing and essential service of evaluating the resiliency and dependability of their applications, which can only be demonstrated in the application's runtime by deliberately introducing faults. By designing the FIT to be a lightweight and versatile tool it is trivial to use it during Continuous Integration or within another tool for running complex failure scenarios. Used in conjunction with other tools not within the scope of this report, FIT could monitor and evaluate the effect of various faults on an application and provide feedback to the developers on application design.

3.3 Design

The FIT can generate VM faults for use by application owners and VM admins. The tool is designed to run independently and externally to any target environment, as indicated in Figure 4.

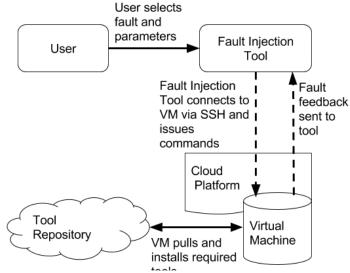


Figure 4 Fault Injection Tool architecture

To access the VM level and issue commands the DICE FIT uses JSCH to SSH to the Virtual Machines. By using JSCH the tool is able to connect to any VM that has SSH enabled and can then issue commands as a pre-defined user. This allows greater flexibility of commands as well as the installation of tools and dependencies. The DICE FIT is released under the permissive APACHE LICENCE 2.0 and supports the OS configurations Ubuntu (tested with versions 14.04 and 15.10), and Centos with set Repo configured and *wget* installed (tested on version 7).

3.4 Operation

The FIT is designed to work from the command line or through a Graphical User Interface. The user can invoke actions which connect to the target VM and automatically install any required tools and dependences or evoke the required APIs. The command line switches and parameters allow users to select a specific fault and the parameters of the fault such as the amount of RAM to user or which services to stop.

An example command line call to connect to a node using SSH and cause memory stress with 2GB is as follows:



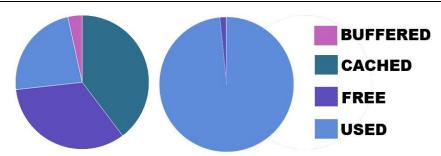


Figure 5 Memory available on the target node before (left) and during the invocation (right)

This call was ran on a real cloud system. The tool connected via SSH and determined the OS version by checking the /etc/*-release, Ubuntu in this case. It then gathered the memory stress tool suitable for Ubuntu, which is Memtester in this case. Finally the FIT called Memtester to saturate memory on the target node. Figure 5 shows the results as detecting by a monitoring tool, where it can be seen that nearly all 2GB of available RAM had been saturated.

3.5 Graphical User Interface

The GUI provides the same functionality as the command line version of the tool. The GUI provides users with a visual way of interacting with the tool which can make the tool more accessible for a range of users. The user can select from the available actions from a home screen, as seen in Figure 6. Each button leads to a page where a user can enter the relevant inputs and then the fault can be executed. These inputs are the equivalent of the command line parameters.

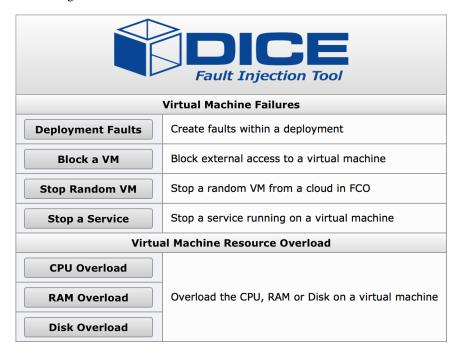


Figure 6 The FIT GUI home screen

In Figure 7 we can see the CPU overload page where the user enters the details of the VM and the amount of time to run the overload for. In place of the password the user can also upload an SSH key from a file. Any feedback and output from running the fault is shown at the bottom of the page.

Fault Injection Tool
CPU Overload
Cause high usage of the CPU on a VM. Enter the VM details, the number of CPU's on the VM and for how long to overload for.
IP Address *
Username *
Password *
CPU count *
Time *
✓ Start Fault
Upload an SSH key in place of the password
+ Choose ✓ Submit
Output
Output: Globalfirst

Figure 7 CPU Overload page

Using the GUI is a straightforward process of selecting the desired fault and providing the VM details. In the example below a high CPU usage fault is chosen, and the address, username and password of the VM is entered. The number of CPUs on the machine is entered and then the amount of time to overload the CPU for, in this case 30 seconds, as shown in Figure 8.

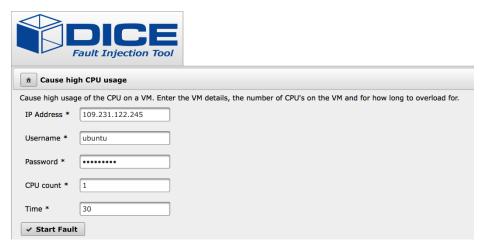


Figure 8 High CPU usage GUI input

3.1 Integration

A major step forward in the development of the Fault Injection Tool is the integration with other DICE tools. This work incorporates the FIT deeper within the DICE toolset, and provides further useful functionality for users of the FIT.

One tool in which the FIT has been fully integrated with is the DICE Deployment Service, developed by XLAB, which is shown in Figure 9. This new feature allows faults to be caused on all of the VMs which make up a deployment into a DICE virtual deployment container.

The method in which this integration works is through the GUI version of the FIT. First, the user must acquire a token from the deployment service, in order to be able to authenticate with the API. From there, an option is given on the GUI to list all containers running on the DICE deployment service. The user can then choose the container they wish to cause faults on. A JSON file can also be uploaded in order to further customise the type of faults to be caused on certain VMs within the deployment. This is accomplished by matching a fault with the name of the component type that is associated (e.g., hosted on) with the VM in the application's deployment blueprint. After these attributes are provided, the desired faults are automatically caused on all of the selected VMs inside the container, to simulate the faults occurring at an application level. This enables that the user needs to fill in the form only once for a virtual deployment container, then use the same information for all the subsequent (re)deployments in the container.

Additionally, we show in the next chapter the integration of FIT with the new *dmon-gen* utility to automate the generation of anomalies.

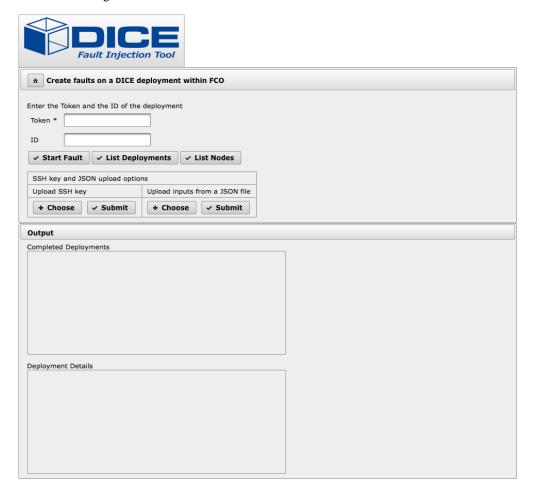


Figure 9 Fault Injection tool Dice Deployment Service

3.2 Validation

Using the Linux 'top' command on the target VM the current state of its resources can be seen. Before running the CPU overload fault, the %Cpu usage is at 0.7% as seen in Figure 10. While running the CPU overload the %Cpu quickly rises to 100%. In the processes below we can see that the stress command is using 99.2% of the CPU as shown in Figure 11.

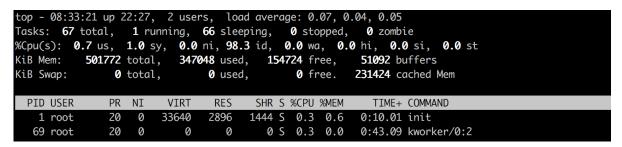


Figure 10 Before running CPU overload

```
top - 08:36:28 up 22:30, 2 users, load average: 0.22, 0.07, 0.06
Tasks: 73 total,
                  3 running, 70 sleeping,
                                              0 stopped,
                                                           Ø zombie
%Cpu(s):100.0 us, 0.0 sy, 0.0 ni, 0.0 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si,
                                                                        0.0 st
           501772 total,
                                          151100 free,
KiB Mem:
                           350672 used,
                                                          51120 buffers
KiB Swap:
                0 total,
                                               0 free.
                                                         231592 cached Mem
                                0 used,
                                        SHR S %CPU %MEM
 PID USER
               PR NI
                         VIRT
                                                            TIME+ COMMAND
                                 RES
                                          0 R 99.2 0.0
14533 ubuntu
                         7304
                                  96
                                                          0:12.57 stress
               20
14417 ubuntu
                        23536
                                1500
                                       1092 R 0.7 0.3
                                                          0:00.56 top
                    0
```

Figure 11 While running CPU overload

The GUI successfully complements the objectives achieved by the command line tool. It makes the fault injection tool highly accessible, allowing anyone to find vulnerabilities and test the resiliency of their systems.

3.3 Installation

The source code can be found in the DICE GitHub repository³. The repository contains the source code and a WAR file so it can be deployed on a server, such as Apache Tomcat. Once the image is deployed on the server it will be immediately available and ready to use.

³ https://github.com/dice-project/DICE-Fault-Injection-GUI

4 DMON-Gen Utility

4.1 General Overview

The proliferation of Big Data technologies and of the DIAs based on these have resulted in a shortage of software developers and architects with specialized knowledge. In particular, the identification of anomalous behavior of these applications differs from one version to another. In DICE we have developed a specialized tool that handles the detection of both point and contextual anomalies. In this deliverable we present a module of the quality testing tool that is suitable to assess anomaly detection performance. In addition to this *DMON-gen* can be used in combination with FIT to run different testing scenarios geared towards ensuring DIA is working as intended.

The Anomaly detection tool (ADT) is detailed in D4.4 and D4.5 respectively. For the sake of completeness we will give a short description in the following paragraphs. One of the most important facts to consider is that the ADT has a closer integration with DMON than any other tools from the DICE solution. That is mainly due to two facts. Firstly, ADT needs data on which to run anomaly detection methods. Thus it is extremely important to have data available in a format which is usable. Second, ADT together with the monitoring forms a lambda architecture. Each instance of ADT can have the role of batch or speed layer while DMON has the role of a serving layer.

As mentioned before the detected anomalies will be sent and indexed into DMON. All DICE actors and tools will be able to query this special index to see/listen for detected anomalies. In this way it is possible to create specialized ADT instances for each anomaly detection method in part. The result will be reflected in the same index from DMON. This architecture also allows us to serve the results of both the monitoring and anomaly detection on the same endpoint (DMON).

As mentioned in section some anomaly detection methods, more precisely the ones using supervised learning techniques, need labelled data in order to function properly. The use of supervised learning for this task is a fairly complicated thing to accomplish. One solution is to label all normal data instances and all unlabelled instances are considered anomalies. As observed in most systems the normal data instances outnumber by far the anomalous ones, so labelling them manually is extremely impractical.

It is easy to see that we require a way in which we can create semi-automatically labelled training data that can be used by ADT in order to create predictive and cluster models. The resulting tool, called *DMON-gen*, is able to execute several jobs on Big Data platforms such as Yarn or Spark based on user defined parameters.

4.2 Architecture

End users are able to define experiments which in themselves are made up of a series of jobs. A job contains both runtime parameters for the DIAs as well as platform specific parameters. *DMON-gen* has to be located on one of the hosts which comprise a DIA deployment. It is not necessary for it to be on a particular host as long as it is able to execute jobs from it.

This allows users not only to specify different jobs that need executing but to create a particular

usage pattern or load when it comes to Yarn and Spark based systems.

4.3 Monitoring data generation

In order to use *DMON-gen* the user is required to create the experiment description as mentioned in the previous sections. This descriptor is in JSON format. An example can be seen in Listing 1.

Listing 1 Experiment Descriptor for DMON-gen

We see that the descriptor defines one YARN experiment called *pi* which has two parameters (10 signifies the number of maps while 100 is the sample size). The *cardinality* setting is used to define how often the experiment is to be run. Some experiments might require the execution of the same DIA numerous times without changing any settings. In this case *pi* is the DIA which runs on Yarn. Because *DMON-gen* has no preconceptions about the DIA it has to run (it is application agnostic) we only need to specify any command line parameter that might be required. Of course these command line parameters could also point to a configuration file. It is up to the end user and developer to decide which ones are the required parameters. If a DIA does not require any parameters, only the application type (in his case "yarn") and DIA name (in the example it is "pi") has to be defined. Lastly, we have the *conf* settings which denote the settings based on roles for each big data service. It is that we use Cloudera CDH 5.7.x for *DMON-gen* so the naming conventions are the same for our tool as with the current version of CDH ⁸.

Listing 1 shows that we wish to change the configuration of the HDFS service data-node roles reserved space for non DFS and for Yarn services the node manager roles maximum number of jobs attempts value. The complete list of available parameters can be found in Annex of this document.

Inspiration and starting point for the creation of this tool was the generation of semi-labelled training data for the anomaly detection platform. It is easy to see that by using *DMON-gen* we are able to induce some types of anomalies in an automatic manner and are than be able to correlate these with the metrics collected during a specified time-frame. In essence labelling the data based on the settings from both the DIA parameters and platform specific parameters. Once a particular experiment defined in *DMON-gen* has run its course we can use the output to label metrics data from the monitoring platform. For example we have set some parameters related to Yarn mappers so we can see from the *DMON-gen* output at what time each map task has run. We use this information to add a label in the monitoring data.

During platform specific parameter changes the entire infrastructure might need to be restarted. In these situations *DMON-gen* will not only enact the changes but also enforce them by checking the correct application of the new parameters. Once a restart is needed it will wait for the platform to come back online and then start the execution of the DIA. Invalid parameters are not caught before execution but rather at execution start. If this happens *DMON-gen* will just skip the offending job and start executing the next set of jobs.

ADT⁴ as well as the *DMON-gen* tool can be found at the official DICE Github Repository. These repositories also contain the up to date documentation for each of the tools.

4.4 Use-cases and configuration

All experiments for DMON load testing and ADT functionality testing was done using *DMON-gen*. This setup allowed us to define a set of long running experiments that took days to weeks to run. As soon as they finished to just collect the data from DMON. The example given below illustrates the combined use of *DMON-gen* with the Fault Injection tool (FIT).

```
"exp1":
   "yarn":["pi","10000","10000000"],
   "cardinality": 1,
   "conf":{ "hdfs":{ "DATANODE": { "dfs_datanode_du_reserved": "8455053312"}},
       "yarn":{"NODEMANAGER": {"mapreduce_am_max-attempts": "2"}}},
   "fit":["cpu", "mem"]
   "yarn":["pi", "1000", "10000"],
   "cardinality": 1,
   "conf":{"hdfs":{"DATANODE": {"dfs datanode du reserved": "8455053"}},
       "yarn":{"NODEMANAGER": {"mapreduce_am_max-attempts": "5"}}}
   "yarn":["pi", "10000", "1000"],
   "cardinality": 1,
   "conf":{"hdfs":{"DATANODE": {"dfs_datanode_du_reserved": "845"}},
       "yarn":{"NODEMANAGER": {"mapreduce_am_max-attempts": "5"}}}
],
"exp2":
   "spark":["pi", "10000000"],
   "cardinality": 100
```

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⁴ https://github.com/dice-project/DICE-Anomaly-Detection-Tool

```
{
    "spark":["pi", "10000"],
    "cardinality": 100
}
```

Listing 2 Experiment Descriptor example

Listing 2 details one of the experiment batches. We can see that it defines 2 experiments. In the first experiment the "pi" DIA is run three times. Each job changes data node and node manager related parameters. The second experiment contains 2 spark jobs which run 100 times each.

We can also specify Fault Injection Tool (FIT) specific parameters for each experiment. In Listing 2 we can see that "fit" is set to stress the CPU and memory of all of the hosts from the platform. If not otherwise specified FIT is set to stress CPU and memory to 50% of the available resources.

Platform specific parameters are not always required to be explicitly set. Most of the time during development DIA parameters are much more important. Because of this platform specific parameters are not mandatory to be defined in *DMON-gen*, it may be sufficient to specify the yarn and cardinality configuration to be able to run experiments. The tool enables developers to define different experimental scenarios and see how individual changes are reflected (and detected in the case of ADT) by the available metrics.

4.5 Validation

The above sections detail how to setup the job descriptor, in this section we will show what the output is and how we use it to create a labeled dataset. The *DMON-get* tool has to be located on one of the processing nodes that houses the DIA. The user then decides what job he or she wants to run and what parameters to use.

The output of *DMON-gen* can be split up into 3 distinct parts. The first part (see Listing 3) shows the main output containing high level data of the job that is executed. It gives us the name of the experiments as well as the beginning and end timestamp of each run together with the settings used.

The second part of the output has information on each of the jobs from the first output. It is in fact a modified version of the debug output from big data platform services (i.e. Spark, Yarn, HDFS etc). These contain fine grained information of the currently running jobs. The most useful data is that pertaining to the internal state and metrics associated with the currently running job. We can see exactly when a map or reduce phase was executed, how long it took, the number of bytes written/read etc. You can see an example output in Listing 4.

The last part of the output is the actual monitoring data resulting from all of the jobs defined in *DMON-gen*. The quantity of information contained depends on how long the jobs took to execute and on the polling period set during DMON setup.

```
Loaded experimental descriptor from pieexp.json
Started jobs at 2017-03-16 07:07:49.882789
Started experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16 07:07:49.882947
Started iteration 0 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16
07:07:49.883308
Yarn job selected with arguments [u'pi', u'10', u'100']
Started job exp-pierunexperiment1-0-1
Finished iteration 0 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment at 2017-03-16
07:08:22.729229
Started iteration 1 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16
07:08:22.729531
Yarn job selected with arguments [u'pi', u'10', u'100']
Started job exp-pierunexperiment1-1-1
Finished iteration 1 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment at 2017-03-16
07:08:53.649757
Started iteration 2 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16
07:08:53.650065
Yarn job selected with arguments [u'pi', u'10', u'100']
Started job exp-pierunexperiment1-2-1
Finished iteration 2 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16
07:09:24.198293
Started iteration 3 for job {u'cardinality': 5, u'yarn': [u'pi', u'10', u'100']} from experiment pierunexperiment1 at 2017-03-16
07:09:24.198600
Yarn job selected with arguments [u'pi', u'10', u'100']
```

Listing 3 Example of DMON-gen first level output

```
17/03/16 07:07:55 INFO mapreduce.Job: Running job: job_1489577180719_0001
17/03/16 07:08:04 INFO mapreduce.Job: Job job_1489577180719_0001 running in uber mode: false
17/03/16 07:08:04 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 0% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:10 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 10% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:12 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 30% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:14 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 70% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:15 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 80% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:18 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 100% reduce 0%
17/03/16 07:08:22 INFO mapreduce.Job: map 100% reduce 100%
17/03/16 07:08:22 INFO mapreduce.Job: Job job_1489577180719_0001 completed successfully
17/03/16 07:08:22 INFO mapreduce.Job: Counters: 49
         File System Counters
                  FILE: Number of bytes read=94
                  FILE: Number of bytes written=1293891
                  FILE: Number of read operations=0
                  FILE: Number of large read operations=0
                  FILE: Number of write operations=0
                  HDFS: Number of bytes read=2700
                  HDFS: Number of bytes written=215
                  HDFS: Number of read operations=43
                  HDFS: Number of large read operations=0
                  HDFS: Number of write operations=3
         Job Counters
                  Launched map tasks=10
                  Launched reduce tasks=1
                  Data-local map tasks=10
                  Total time spent by all maps in occupied slots (ms)=53924
                  Total time spent by all reduces in occupied slots (ms)=4058
                  Total time spent by all map tasks (ms)=53924
                  Total time spent by all reduce tasks (ms)=4058
                  Total vcore-seconds taken by all map tasks=53924
                  Total vcore-seconds taken by all reduce tasks=4058
                  Total megabyte-seconds taken by all map tasks=55218176
                  Total megabyte-seconds taken by all reduce tasks=4155392
         Map-Reduce Framework
                  Map input records=10
                  Map output records=20
                  Map output bytes=180
                  Map output materialized bytes=340
```

```
Input split bytes=1520
        Combine input records=0
        Combine output records=0
        Reduce input groups=2
        Reduce shuffle bytes=340
        Reduce input records=20
        Reduce output records=0
        Spilled Records=40
        Shuffled Maps =10
        Failed Shuffles=0
        Merged Map outputs=10
        GC time elapsed (ms)=1132
        CPU time spent (ms)=9080
        Physical memory (bytes) snapshot=4698320896
        Virtual memory (bytes) snapshot=28443156480
        Total committed heap usage (bytes)=4822401024
Shuffle Errors
        BAD ID=0
        CONNECTION=0
        IO ERROR=0
        WRONG LENGTH=0
        WRONG_MAP=0
        WRONG_REDUCE=0
File Input Format Counters
        Bytes Read=1180
File Output Format Counters
        Bytes Written=97
```

Listing 4 Example of DMON-gen second level output

These two files contain enough information to label the monitoring data. We can label based on job or even at discrete task level (i.e. metrics of a particular map task). This runtime information together with the parameters defined in the description file make it easy to link each parameter changes to the resulting concrete metrics.

5 Conclusion

5.1 Summary of achievements

In this deliverable we have presented the final version of the quality testing tools (QT) and the fault injection tool (FIT). The main advancements in year 3 are novel support for Kafka and Spark load testing, a utility for injecting anomalies in a data-intensive application (*DMON-gen*), and a GUI for the fault injection tool. In Section 2 we provided a summary of the requirements. Table 1 below indicates the level that DICE QT comply in their final release. The *Level of fulfilment* column has the following values:

- X not supported in the initial version yet
- ✓ initial support
- **√√** medium level support
- **√√√** fully supported

Table 1: Level of compliance of the initial version of the DICE delivery tools with the initial set of requirements.

Requirement	Title	Priority	Level of fulfilment
R5.6	Test workload generation	MUST	///
R5.8.2	Starting the quality testing	MUST	111
R5.8.3	Test run independence	MUST	///
R5.8.5	Test outcome	MUST	111
R5.13	Test the application for efficiency	MUST	///
R5.14.1	Test the behavior when resources become exhausted	MUST	111
R5.17	Quick testing vs comprehensive testing	MUST	///
R5.7	Data loading support	SHOULD	11
R5.7.2	Data feed actuator	SHOULD	///
R5.14.2	Trigger deliberate outages and problems to assess the application's behavior under faults	SHOULD	111

As shown in the table, in year 3 we have fulfilled all the main requirements for the quality testing and fault injection. The main advancements compared to year 2 of the project are:

- The greater integration with the rest of DICE (R5.8.2, R5.8.5), which allows to start/stop and visualize the outcome of the experiments using the DICE Delivery Tools. These advances of QT are reported primarily in deliverables D5.3 and D6.3.
- The ability to control the experiment duration and quickly or comprehensively test Storm, Spark, and Kafka based DIAs (R5.17), loading data from external sources such as MongoDB or JSON files (R5.7), producing test workloads with QT-GEN (R5.6), and feed the loaded data into the system using QT-LIB (R5.7.2).
- The FIT and *DMON-gen* tools fulfills the requirements of R5.14.2 and R5.17, by providing to the user the ability to generate faults in their data-intensive applications.

References

[1] Deliverable D1.2 - Requirement specification. Available from: https://www.dice-h2020.eu/deliverables/

6 Annex

6.1 Parameter settings for DMON-gen

6.1.1 Parameters for HDFS

Configuration parameters for HDFS service type. It is important to note that name node and secondary name node role parameters have the same name. During normal performance evaluation and testing secondary name node parameter setting are irrelevant.

Role	Display Name	API Name
	DataNode Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for hdfs-site.xml	datanode_config_safety_valve
	Java Configuration Options for DataNode	datanode_java_opts
	Available Space Policy Balanced Preference	dfs_datanode_available_space_balanced_preference
	Available Space Policy Balanced Threshold	dfs_datanode_available_space_balanced_threshold
	DataNode Volume Choosing Policy	dfs_datanode_volume_choosing_policy
	Hadoop Metrics2 Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	hadoop_metrics2_safety_valve
	DataNode Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
	Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
	Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
	Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
	DataNode Data Directory	dfs_data_dir_list
e)	Reserved Space for Non DFS Use	dfs_datanode_du_reserved
) pc	DataNode Failed Volumes Tolerated	dfs_datanode_failed_volumes_tolerated
Node	DataNode Balancing Bandwidth	dfs_balance_bandwidthPerSec
a	Enable purging cache after reads	dfs_datanode_drop_cache_behind_reads
ata	Enable purging cache after writes	dfs_datanode_drop_cache_behind_writes
	Handler Count	dfs_datanode_handler_count

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Maximum Number of Transfer Threads	dfs_datanode_max_xcievers
Number of read ahead bytes	dfs_datanode_readahead_bytes
Enable immediate enqueuing of data to disk after writes	dfs_datanode_sync_behind_writes
Hue Thrift Server Max Threadcount	dfs_thrift_threads_max
Hue Thrift Server Min Threadcount	dfs_thrift_threads_min
Hue Thrift Server Timeout	dfs_thrift_timeout
Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
Bind DataNode to Wildcard Address	dfs_datanode_bind_wildcard
DataNode HTTP Web UI Port	dfs_datanode_http_port
Secure DataNode Web UI Port (SSL)	dfs_datanode_https_port
DataNode Protocol Port	dfs_datanode_ipc_port
DataNode Transceiver Port	dfs_datanode_port
Use DataNode Hostname	dfs_datanode_use_datanode_hostname
Java Heap Size of DataNode in Bytes	datanode_java_heapsize
Maximum Memory Used for Caching	dfs_datanode_max_locked_memory
Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
Java Configuration Options for Failover Controller	failover_controller_java_opts
Failover Controller Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for hdfs-site.xml	fc_config_safety_valve
Failover Controller Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
Java Heap Size of JournalNode in Bytes	journalNode_java_heapsize

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	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
	NFS Gateway Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
	NFS Gateway Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for hdfs-site.xml	nfsgateway_config_safety_valve
	Java Configuration Options for NFS Gateway	nfsgateway_java_opts
	Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
	Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
	Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
	Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
	Java Heap Size of NFS Gateway in Bytes	nfsgateway_java_heapsize
	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
	Enable Automatic Failover	autofailover_enabled
	NameNode Nameservice	dfs_federation_namenode_nameservice
	Invalidate Work Percentage Per Iteration	dfs_namenode_invalidate_work_pct_per_iteration
	Quorum-based Storage Journal name	dfs_namenode_quorum_journal_name
ها	Replication Work Multiplier Per Iteration	dfs_namenode_replication_work_multiplier_per_iteration
Nod	Hadoop Metrics2 Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	hadoop_metrics2_safety_valve
Name Node	NameNode Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
Nar	NameNode Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for hdfs-site.xml	namenode_config_safety_valve

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NameNode Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for dfs_hosts_allow.txt	namenode_hosts_allow_safety_valve
NameNode Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for dfs_hosts_exclude.txt	namenode_hosts_exclude_safety_valve
Java Configuration Options for NameNode	namenode_java_opts
Mountpoints	nameservice_mountpoints
Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
NameNode Handler Count	dfs_namenode_handler_count
NameNode Service Handler Count	dfs_namenode_service_handler_count
Hue Thrift Server Max Threadcount	dfs_thrift_threads_max
Hue Thrift Server Min Threadcount	dfs_thrift_threads_min
Hue Thrift Server Timeout	dfs_thrift_timeout
Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
Java Heap Size of Namenode in Bytes	namenode_java_heapsize
Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
SecondaryNameNode Nameservice	dfs_secondarynamenode_nameservice
Hadoop Metrics2 Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	hadoop_metrics2_safety_valve
SecondaryNameNode Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart

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	SecondaryNameNode Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for hdfs-site.xml	secondarynamenode_config_safety_valve
	Java Configuration Options for Secondary NameNode	secondarynamenode_java_opts

6.2 Parameters for Yarn service

Roles	Display Name	API Name
	MapReduce Client Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for mapred-site.xml	mapreduce_client_config_safety_valve
	Gateway Client Environment Advanced Configuration Snippet for hadoop-env.sh (Safety Valve)	mapreduce_client_env_safety_valve
	Client Java Configuration Options	mapreduce_client_java_opts
	YARN Client Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for yarn-site.xml	yarn_client_config_safety_valve
	Compression Level of Codecs	zlib_compress_level
	Alternatives Priority	client_config_priority
	Client Failover Sleep Base Time	client_failover_sleep_base
	Client Failover Sleep Max Time	client_failover_sleep_max
	Running Job History Location	hadoop_job_history_dir
	SequenceFile I/O Buffer Size	io_file_buffer_size
	I/O Sort Factor	io_sort_factor
	I/O Sort Memory Buffer (MiB)	io_sort_mb
	I/O Sort Spill Percent	io_sort_spill_percent
_	Use Compression on Map Outputs	mapred_compress_map_output
Gateway	Compression Codec of MapReduce Map Output	mapred_map_output_compression_codec
Ŋ	Map Tasks Speculative Execution	mapred_map_tasks_speculative_execution

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Compress MapReduce Job Output	mapred_output_compress
Compression Codec of MapReduce Job Output	mapred_output_compression_codec
Compression Type of MapReduce Job Output	mapred_output_compression_type
Default Number of Parallel Transfers During Shuffle	mapred_reduce_parallel_copies
Number of Map Tasks to Complete Before Reduce Tasks	mapred_reduce_slowstart_completed_maps
Default Number of Reduce Tasks per Job	mapred_reduce_tasks
Reduce Tasks Speculative Execution	mapred_reduce_tasks_speculative_execution
Mapreduce Submit Replication	mapred_submit_replication
Mapreduce Task Timeout	mapred_task_timeout
MR Application Environment	mapreduce_admin_user_env
MR Application Classpath	mapreduce_application_classpath
Shared Temp Directories	mapreduce_cluster_temp_dir
Application Framework	mapreduce_framework_name
JobTracker MetaInfo Maxsize	mapreduce_jobtracker_split_metainfo_maxsize
Map Task Java Opts Base	mapreduce_map_java_opts
Reduce Task Java Opts Base	mapreduce_reduce_java_opts
Max Shuffle Connections	mapreduce_shuffle_max_connections
ApplicationMaster Java Opts Base	yarn_app_mapreduce_am_command_opts
Job Counters Limit	mapreduce_job_counters_limit
Enable Ubertask Optimization	mapreduce_job_ubertask_enabled
Ubertask Maximum Job Size	mapreduce_job_ubertask_maxbytes
Ubertask Maximum Maps	mapreduce_job_ubertask_maxmaps
Ubertask Maximum Reduces	mapreduce_job_ubertask_maxreduces
Client Java Heap Size in Bytes	mapreduce_client_java_heapsize
Map Task CPU Virtual Cores	mapreduce_map_cpu_vcores
Map Task Maximum Heap Size	mapreduce_map_java_opts_max_heap

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	Map Task Memory	mapreduce_map_memory_mb
	Reduce Task CPU Virtual Cores	mapreduce_reduce_cpu_vcores
	Reduce Task Maximum Heap Size	mapreduce_reduce_java_opts_max_heap
	Reduce Task Memory	mapreduce_reduce_memory_mb
	ApplicationMaster Java Maximum Heap Size	yarn_app_mapreduce_am_max_heap
	ApplicationMaster Virtual CPU Cores	yarn_app_mapreduce_am_resource_cpu_vcores
		yarn_app_mapreduce_am_resource_mb
	ApplicationMaster Memory	
	System Group	history_process_groupname
	System User	history_process_username
	JobHistory Server Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for yarn-site.xml	jobhistory_config_safety_valve
	JobHistory Server Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for mapred-site.xml	jobhistory_mapred_safety_valve
	JobHistory Server Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
er	Java Configuration Options for JobHistory Server	mr2_jobhistory_java_opts
	Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
Se	Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
	Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
0.0	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
ist	Job History Files Cleaner Interval	mapreduce_jobhistory_cleaner_interval
H	Job History Files Maximum Age	mapreduce_jobhistory_max_age_ms
JobHistoryServer	MapReduce ApplicationMaster Staging Root Directory	yarn_app_mapreduce_am_staging_dir
No de	Java Heap Size of JobHistory Server in Bytes	mr2_jobhistory_java_heapsize

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Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
Hadoop Metrics2 Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	hadoop_metrics2_safety_valve
CGroups Hierarchy	linux_container_executor_cgroups_hierarchy
NodeManager Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
Healthchecker Script Arguments	mapred_healthchecker_script_args
Healthchecker Script Path	mapred_healthchecker_script_path
Java Configuration Options for NodeManager	node_manager_java_opts
NodeManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for yarn-site.xml	nodemanager_config_safety_valve
NodeManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for mapred-site.xml	nodemanager_mapred_safety_valve
Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
Localized Dir Deletion Delay	yarn_nodemanager_delete_debug_delay_sec
Enable Shuffle Auxiliary Service	mapreduce_aux_service
Containers Environment Variable	yarn_nodemanager_admin_env
Container Manager Thread Count	yarn_nodemanager_container_manager_thread_count
Cleanup Thread Count	yarn_nodemanager_delete_thread_count
Containers Environment Variables Whitelist	yarn_nodemanager_env_whitelist
Heartbeat Interval	yarn_nodemanager_heartbeat_interval_ms
NodeManager Local Directory List	yarn_nodemanager_local_dirs

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	Localizer Cache Cleanup Interval	yarn_nodemanager_localizer_cache_cleanup_interval_ms
	Localizer Cache Target Size	yarn_nodemanager_localizer_cache_target_size_mb
	Localizer Client Thread Count	yarn_nodemanager_localizer_client_thread_count
	Localizer Fetch Thread Count	yarn_nodemanager_localizer_fetch_thread_count
	NodeManager Container Log Directories	yarn_nodemanager_log_dirs
	Log Retain Duration	yarn_nodemanager_log_retain_seconds
	Remote App Log Directory	yarn_nodemanager_remote_app_log_dir
	Remote App Log Directory Suffix	yarn_nodemanager_remote_app_log_dir_suffix
	Java Heap Size of NodeManager in Bytes	node_manager_java_heapsize
	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
	Container Virtual CPU Cores	yarn_nodemanager_resource_cpu_vcores
	Container Memory	yarn_nodemanager_resource_memory_mb
	Hadoop Metrics2 Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	hadoop_metrics2_safety_valve
	ResourceManager Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
er	Heap Dump Directory	oom_heap_dump_dir
53	Dump Heap When Out of Memory	oom_heap_dump_enabled
 ns	Kill When Out of Memory	oom_sigkill_enabled
	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
se N	Java Configuration Options for ResourceManager	resource_manager_java_opts
Resource Manager	ResourceManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for yarn-site.xml	resourcemanager_config_safety_valve
Res	ResourceManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for mapred-site.xml	resourcemanager_mapred_safety_valve

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ResourceManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for nodes_allow.txt	rm_hosts_allow_safety_valve
ResourceManager Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve) for nodes_exclude.txt	rm_hosts_exclude_safety_valve
Capacity Scheduler Configuration	resourcemanager_capacity_scheduler_configuration
Fair Scheduler Assign Multiple Tasks	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_assign_multiple
Fair Scheduler XML Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_configuration
Fair Scheduler Preemption	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_preemption
Fair Scheduler Size-Based Weight	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_size_based_weight
Fair Scheduler User As Default Queue	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_user_as_default_queue
ApplicationMaster Monitor Expiry	yarn_am_liveness_monitor_expiry_interval_ms
NodeManager Monitor Expiry	yarn_nm_liveness_monitor_expiry_interval_ms
Admin Client Thread Count	yarn_resourcemanager_admin_client_thread_count
ApplicationMaster Max Retries	yarn_resourcemanager_am_max_retries
ApplicationMaster Monitor Interval	yarn_resourcemanager_amliveliness_monitor_interval_ms
Client Thread Count	yarn_resourcemanager_client_thread_count
Container Monitor Interval	yarn_resourcemanager_container_liveness_monitor_interval_ms
Max Completed Applications	yarn_resourcemanager_max_completed_applications
NodeManager Monitor Interval	yarn_resourcemanager_nm_liveness_monitor_interval_ms
Enable ResourceManager Recovery	yarn_resourcemanager_recovery_enabled
Resource Tracker Thread Count	yarn_resourcemanager_resource_tracker_client_thread_count
Scheduler Class	yarn_resourcemanager_scheduler_class
Scheduler Thread Count	yarn_resourcemanager_scheduler_client_thread_count
Java Heap Size of ResourceManager in Bytes	resource_manager_java_heapsize
Fair Scheduler Node Locality Threshold	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_locality_threshold_node
Fair Scheduler Rack Locality Threshold	resourcemanager_fair_scheduler_locality_threshold_rack
Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares

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Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
Enable Fair Scheduler Continuous Scheduling	yarn_scheduler_fair_continuous_scheduling_enabled
Fair Scheduler Node Locality Delay	yarn_scheduler_fair_locality_delay_node_ms
Fair Scheduler Rack Locality Delay	yarn_scheduler_fair_locality_delay_rack_ms
Container Memory Increment	yarn_scheduler_increment_allocation_mb
Container Virtual CPU Cores Increment	yarn_scheduler_increment_allocation_vcores
Container Memory Maximum	yarn_scheduler_maximum_allocation_mb
Container Virtual CPU Cores Maximum	yarn_scheduler_maximum_allocation_vcores
Container Memory Minimum	yarn_scheduler_minimum_allocation_mb
Container Virtual CPU Cores Minimum	yarn_scheduler_minimum_allocation_vcores

6.3 Parameters for Spark service

Roles	Display Name	API Name
	History Server Environment Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	SPARK_HISTORY_SERVER_role_env_safety_valve
er	History Server Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
\ \	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
Serv	Java Heap Size of History Server in Bytes	history_server_max_heapsize
	Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
History	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
H	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit

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	Master Environment Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	SPARK_MASTER_role_env_safety_valve
	Master Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
	Additional Master args	master_additional_args
	Java Heap Size of Master in Bytes	master_max_heapsize
	Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
) T	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
Master	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
\geq	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit
	Worker Environment Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	SPARK_WORKER_role_env_safety_valve
	Worker Logging Advanced Configuration Snippet (Safety Valve)	log4j_safety_valve
	Automatically Restart Process	process_auto_restart
	Total Java Heap Sizes of Worker's Executors in Bytes	executor_total_max_heapsize
	Work directory	work_directory
	Additional Worker args	worker_additional_args
	Java Heap Size of Worker in Bytes	worker_max_heapsize
	Maximum Process File Descriptors	rlimit_fds
er	Cgroup CPU Shares	rm_cpu_shares
Worker	Cgroup I/O Weight	rm_io_weight
/0	Cgroup Memory Hard Limit	rm_memory_hard_limit
	Cgroup Memory Soft Limit	rm_memory_soft_limit