

Online Aggregation for Large MapReduce Jobs

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After 4 minutes,

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After 6 minutes,

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After 10 minutes,

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After **30 minutes**,

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 - Output range estimate: **[999, 1001.5]** with 95% probability



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After 2 hours,

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Benefit of OLA

- If acceptably accurate answer reached quickly, the query can be aborted

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- **Spatial Data**
 - **Online Aggregation**
 - Introduced in 1997
 - Significant research impact (606 citations)
 - ACM SIGMOD Test of Time Award
- **Visual Analytics**

But, limited commercial impact
- Database market (self-managed)

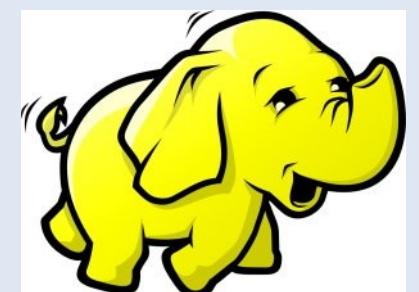


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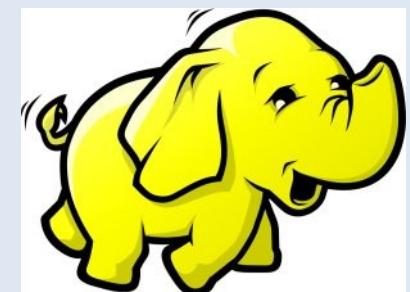
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- Therefore, OLA for cloud is an interesting problem



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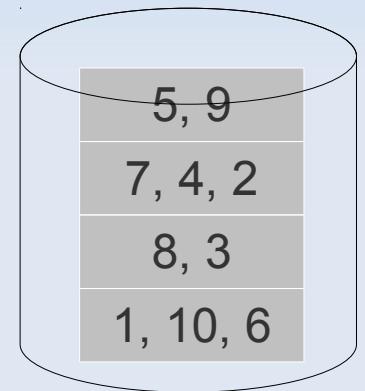
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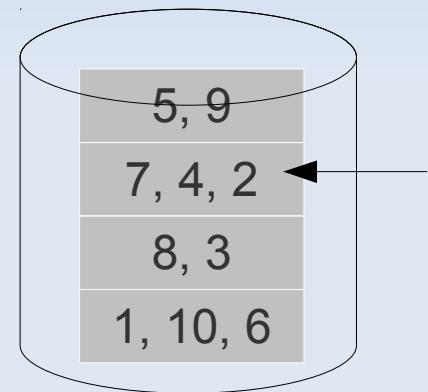
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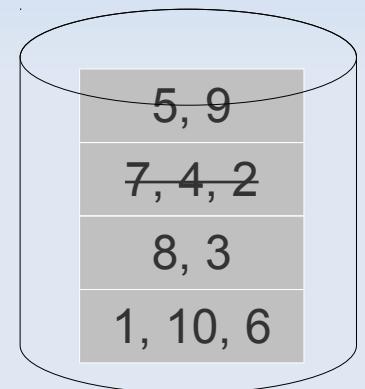


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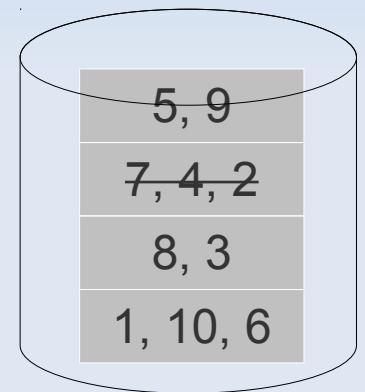
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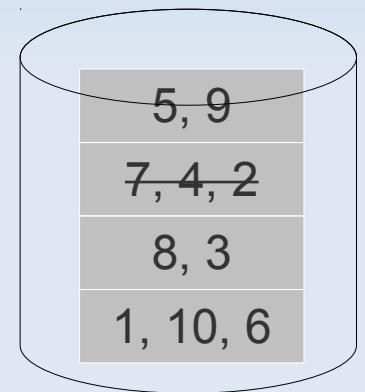
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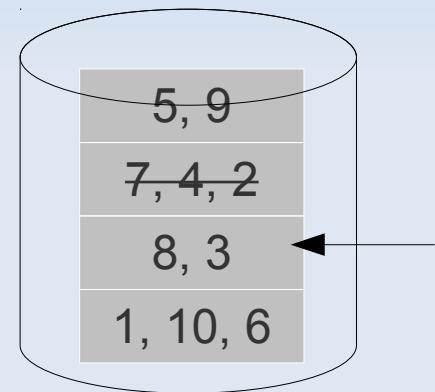
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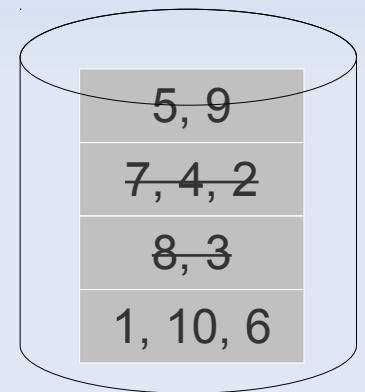
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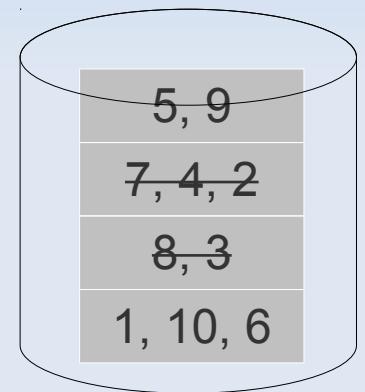
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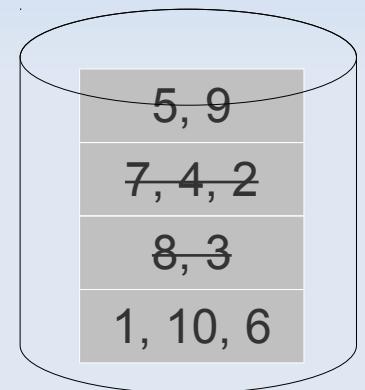
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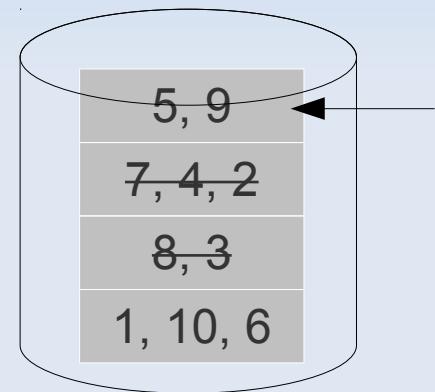
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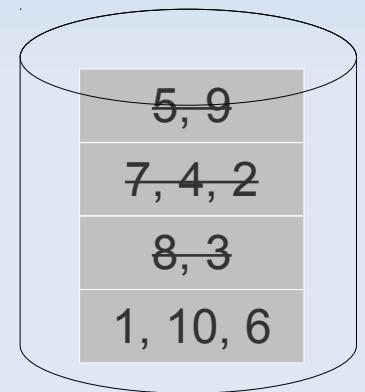
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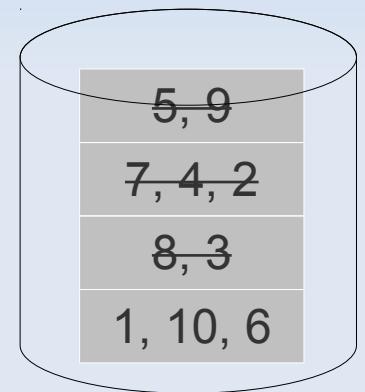
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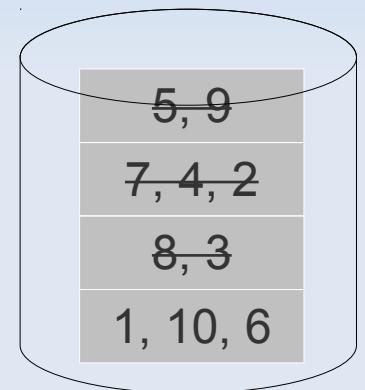
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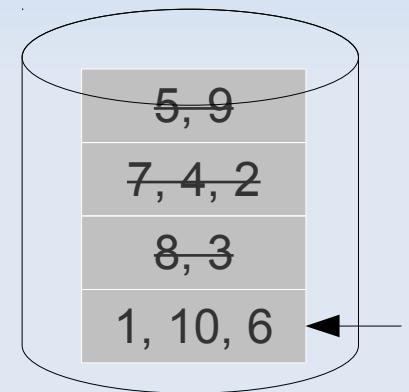
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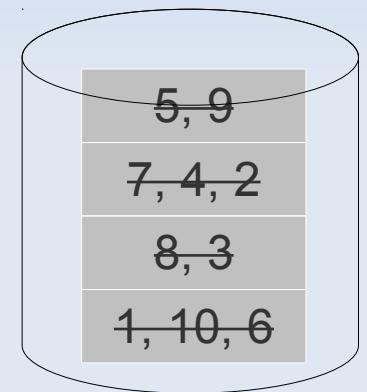
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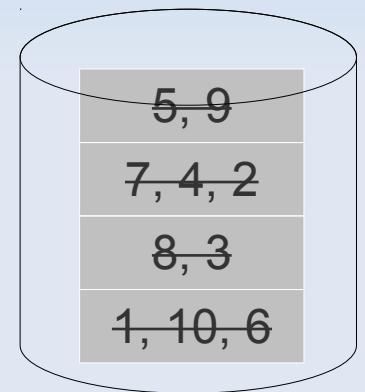
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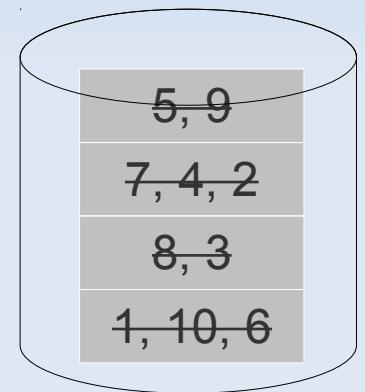
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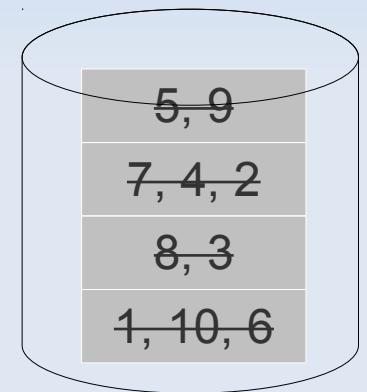
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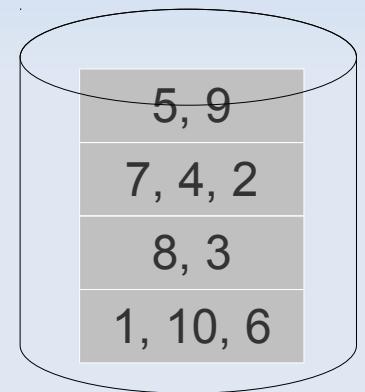
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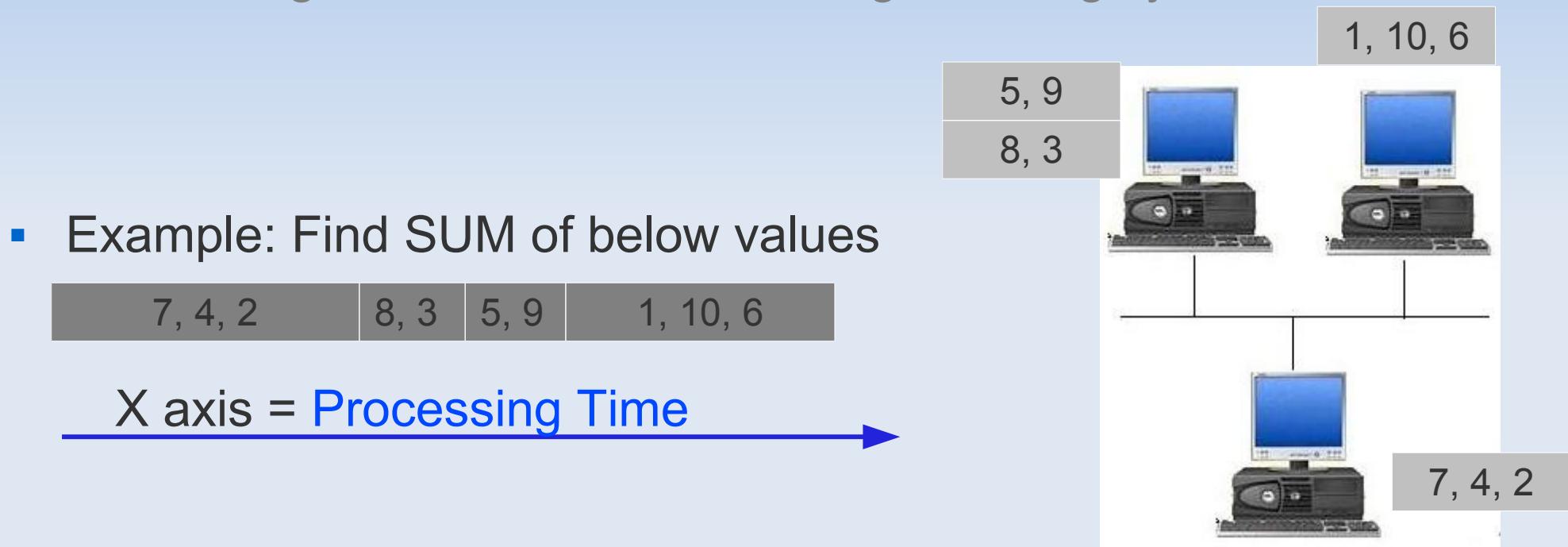
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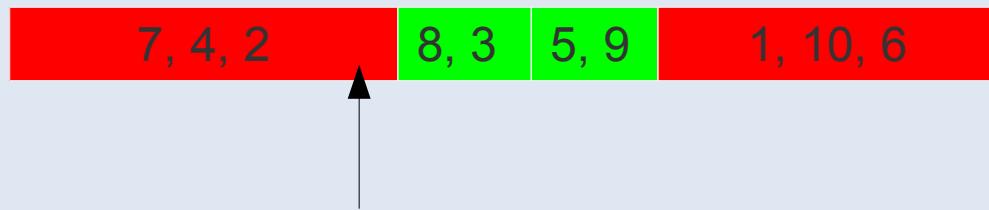
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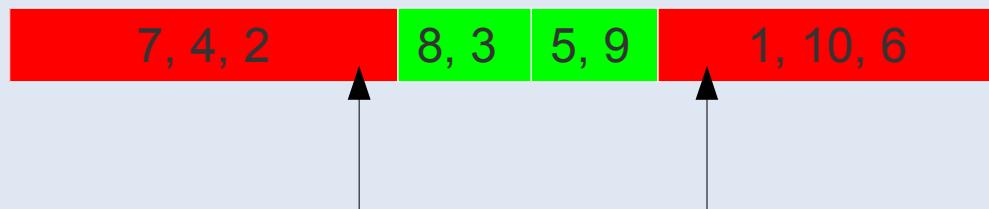
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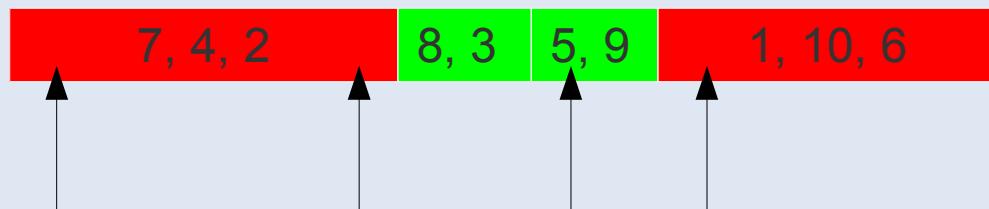
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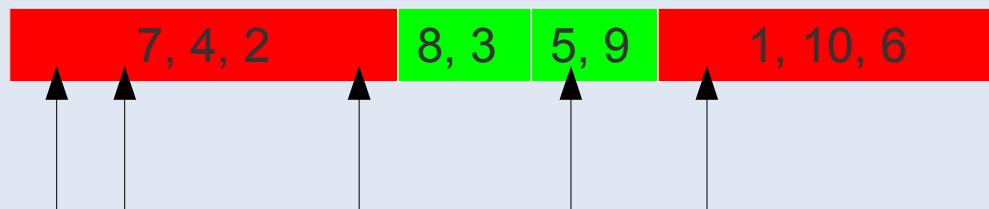
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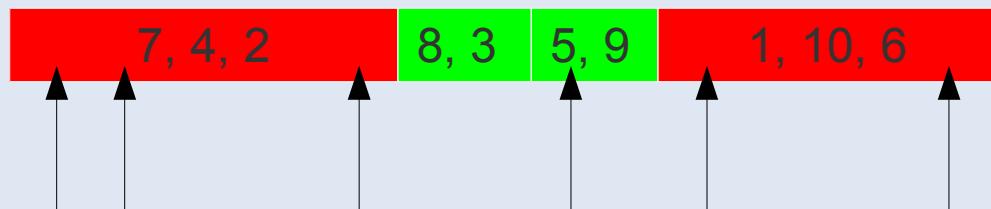
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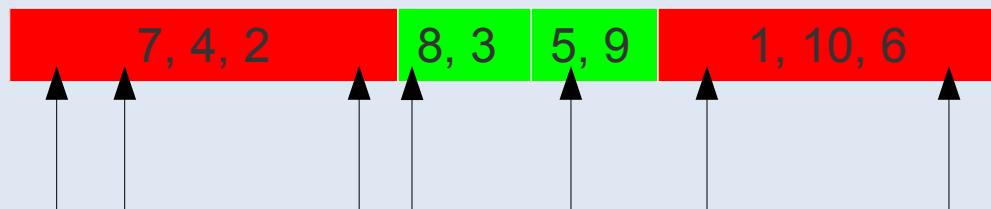
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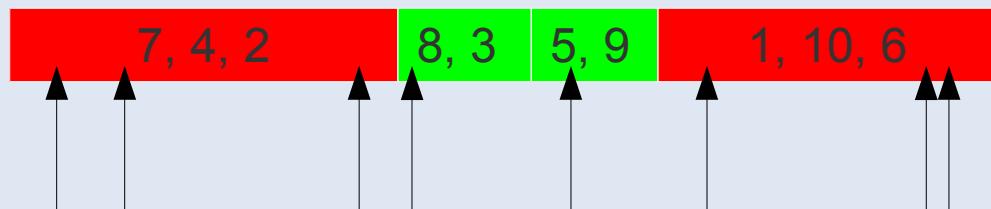
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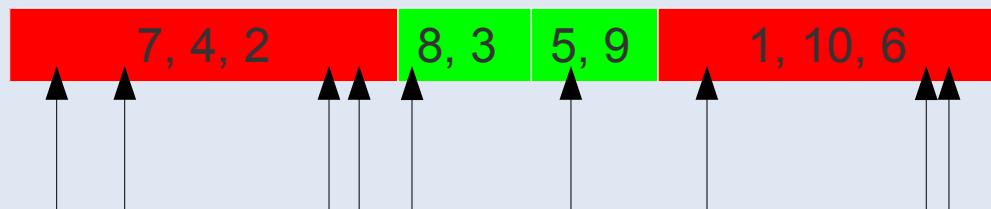
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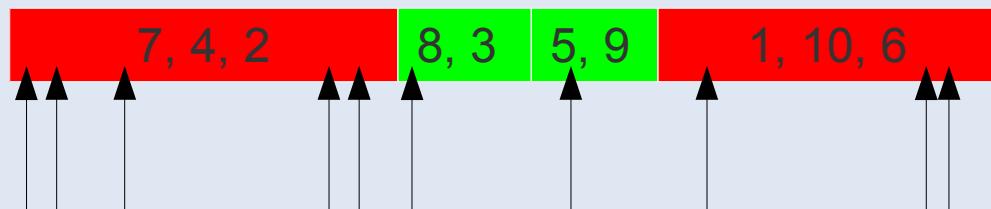
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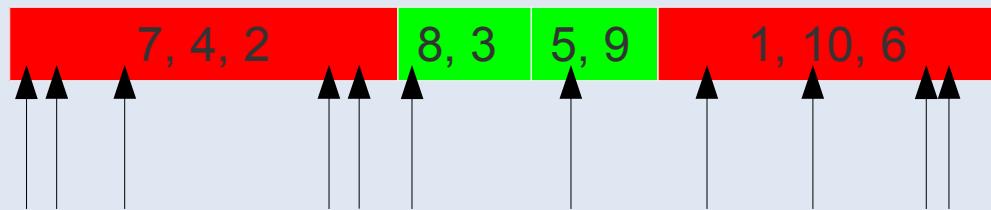
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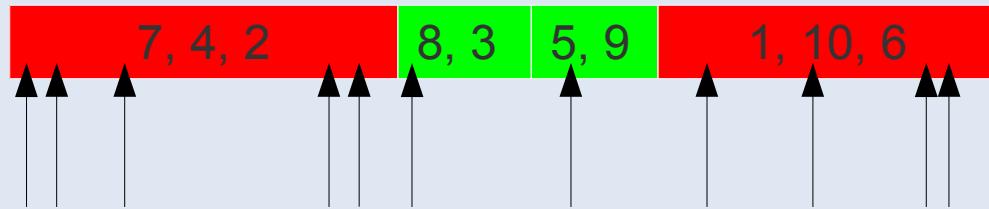
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This effect is found **experimentally** in the paper: 'MapReduce Online'

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- Master
 - Maintains random ordering of blocks
 - Logical not physical queue
 - Assigns block from head of queue
 - Block comes to head of queue → Timer starts (processing time)
- Two intermediates set of files
 - Data file → Values
 - Metadata file → Timing information
 - Shuffle phase of reducer

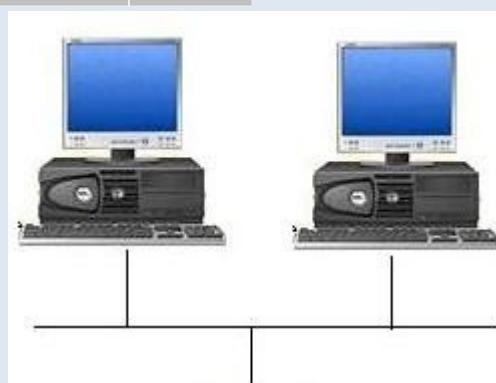
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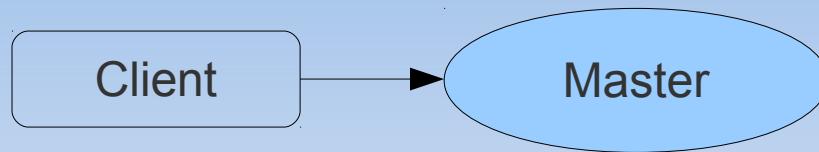
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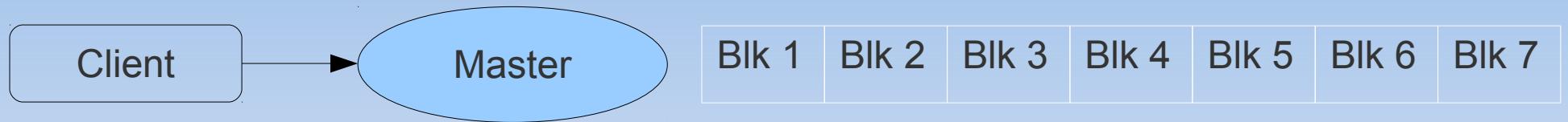


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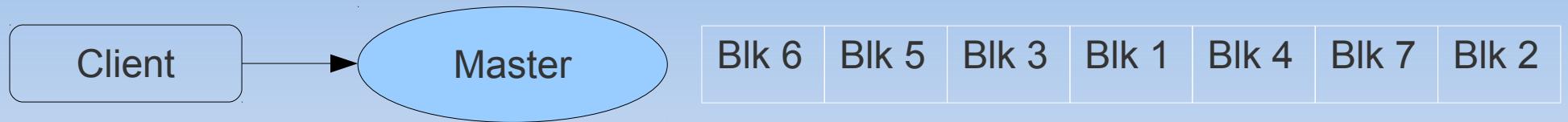
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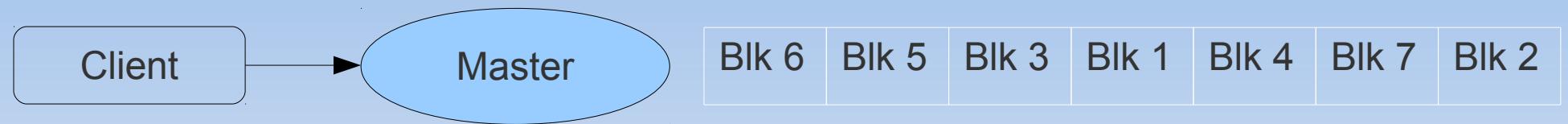
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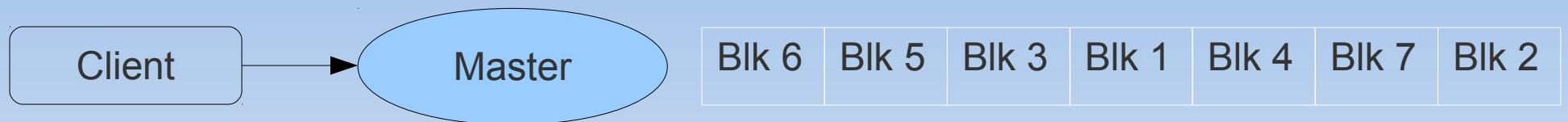
Master forks workers



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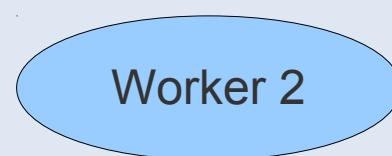


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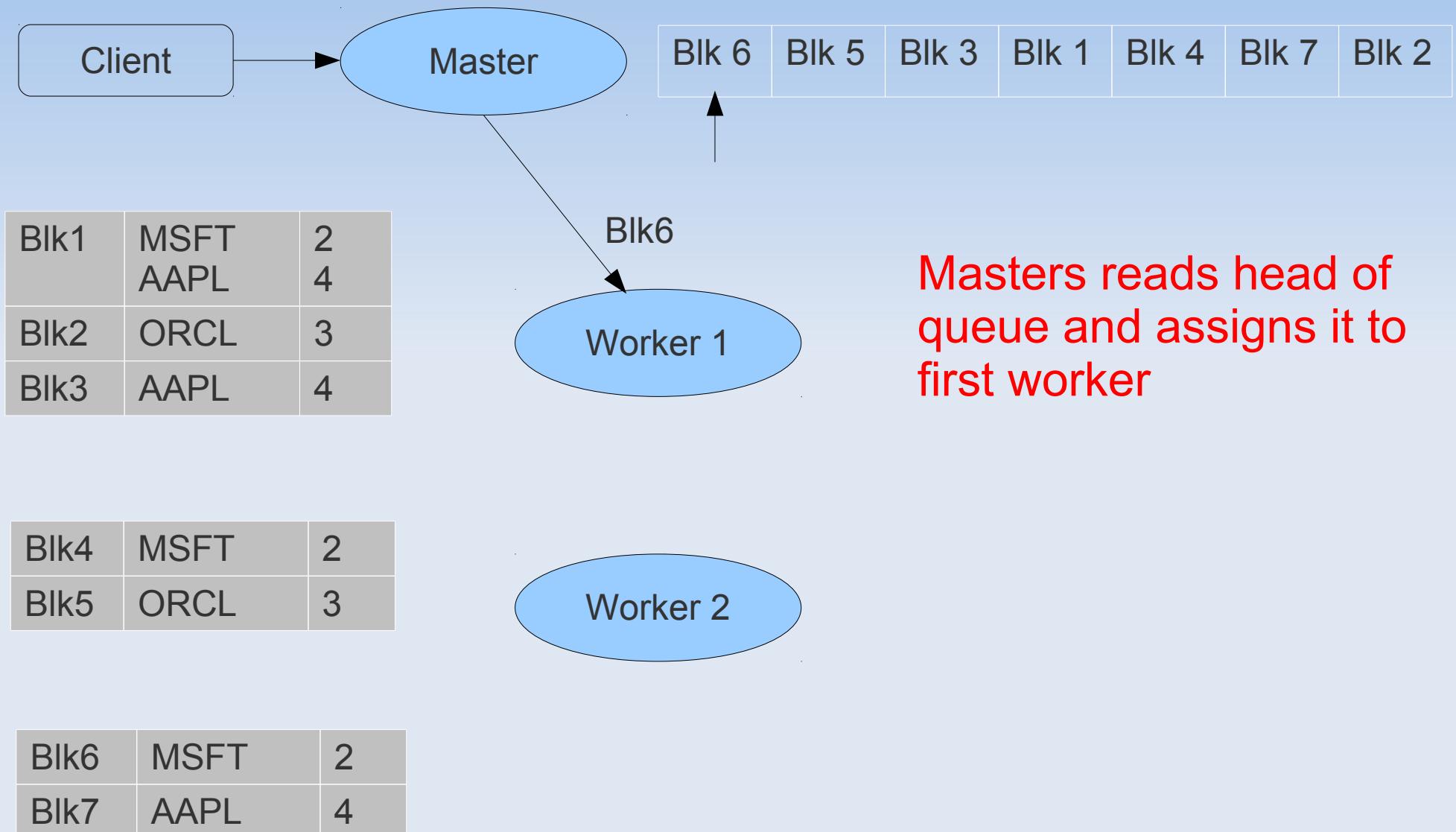


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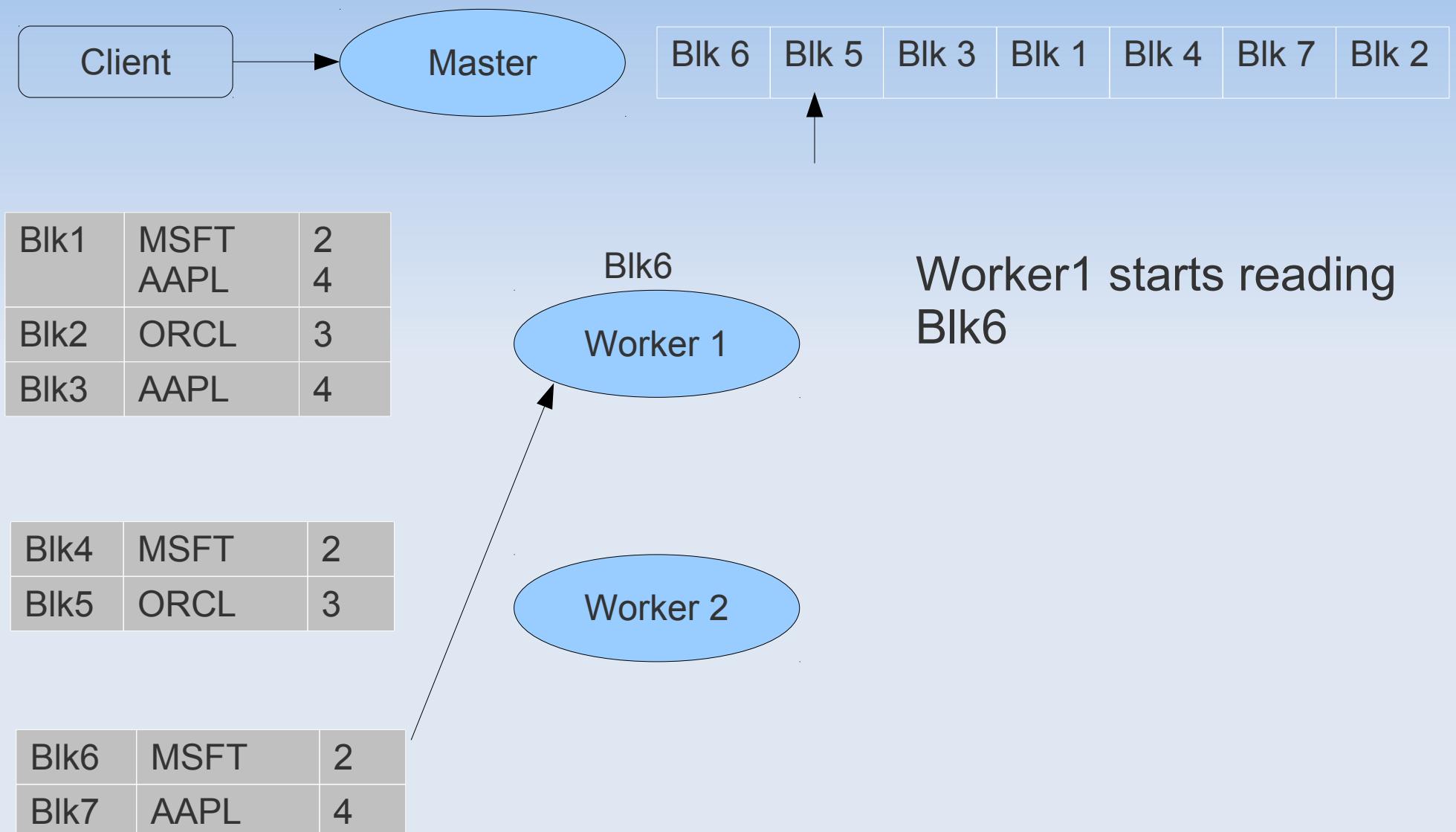


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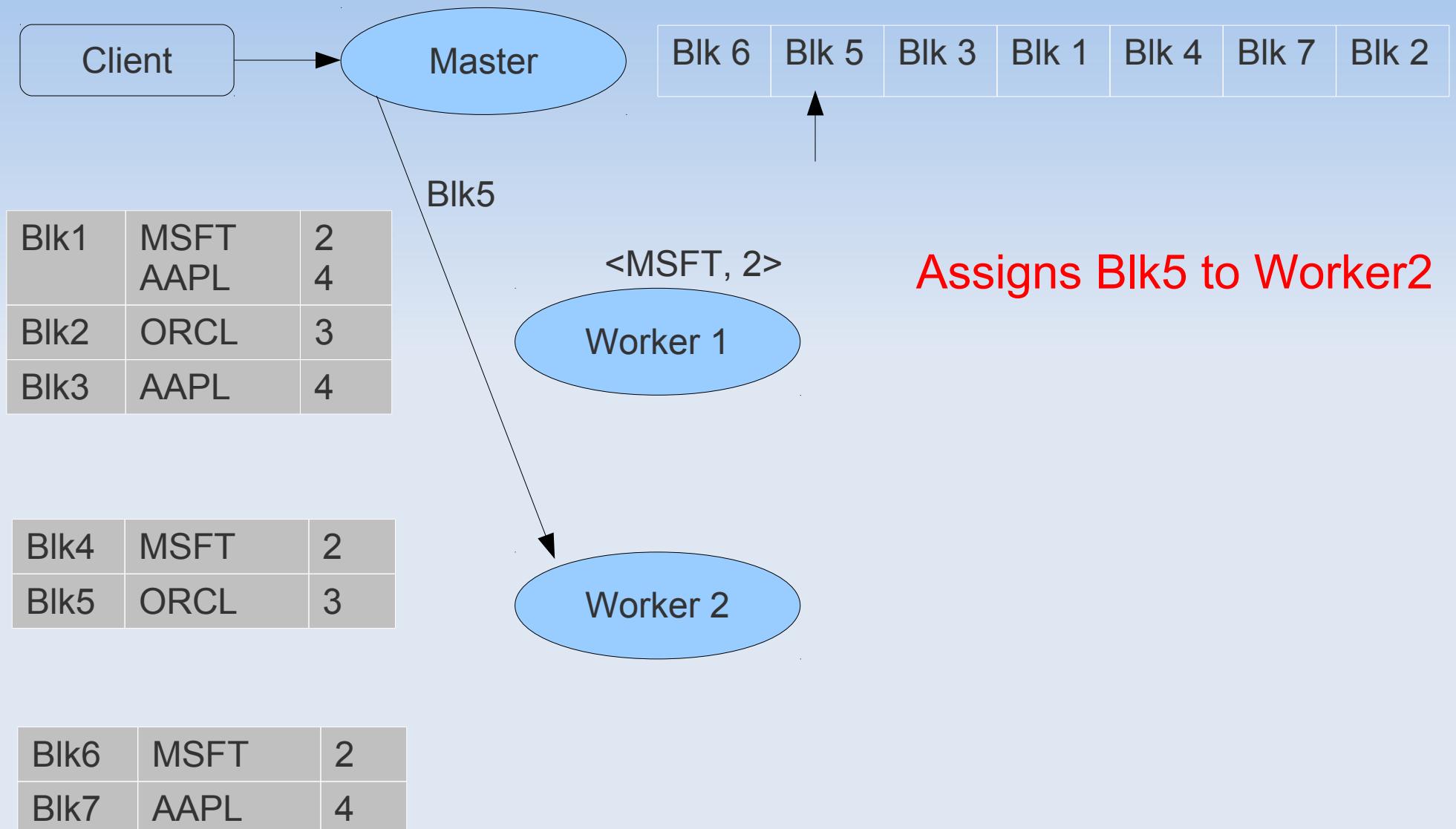
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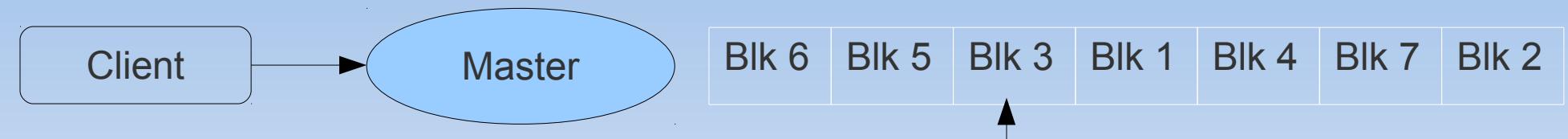
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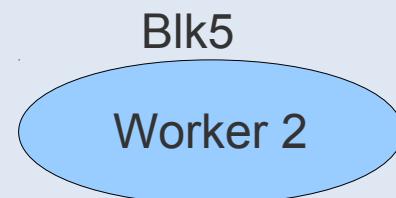


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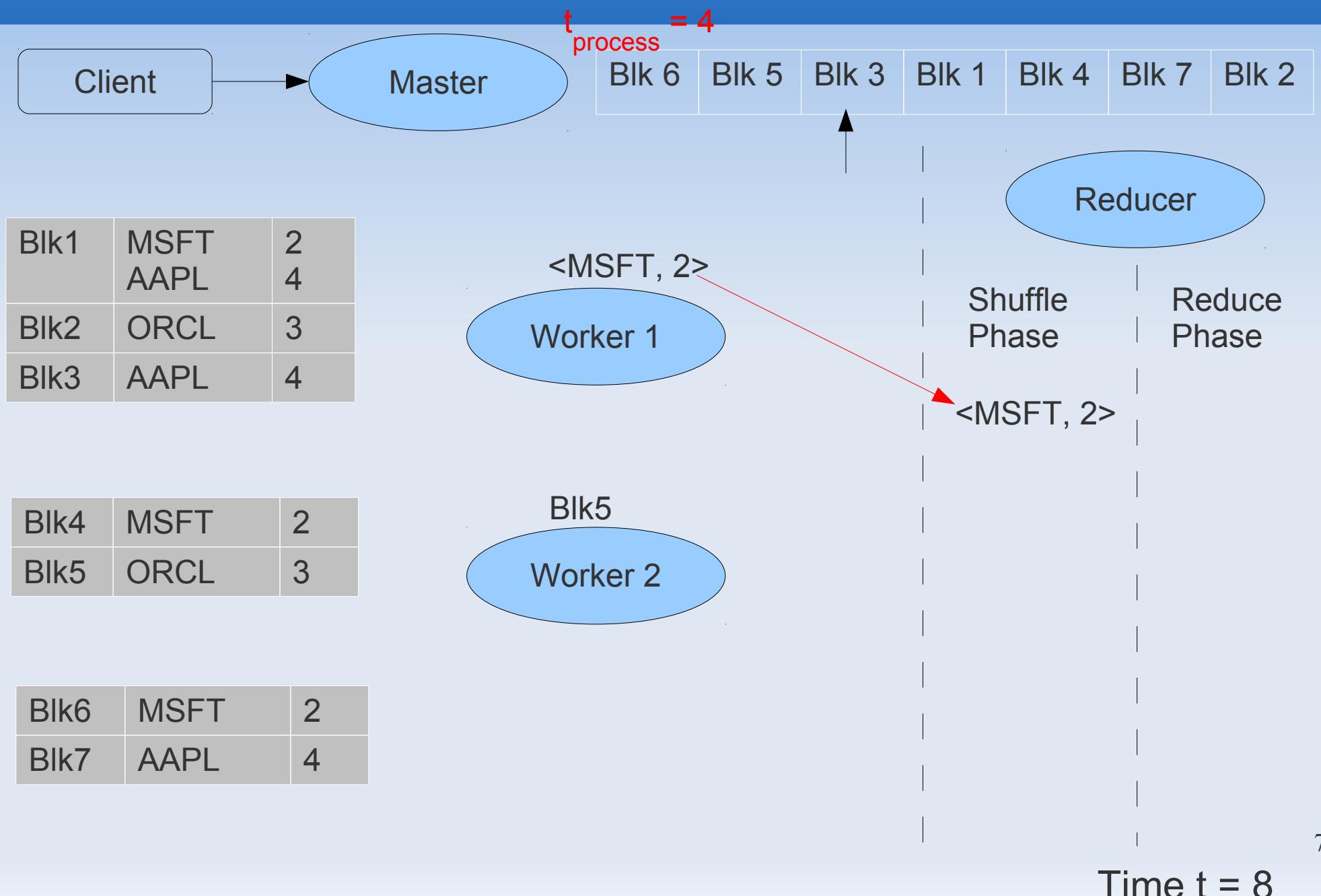
Worker1 does its map task

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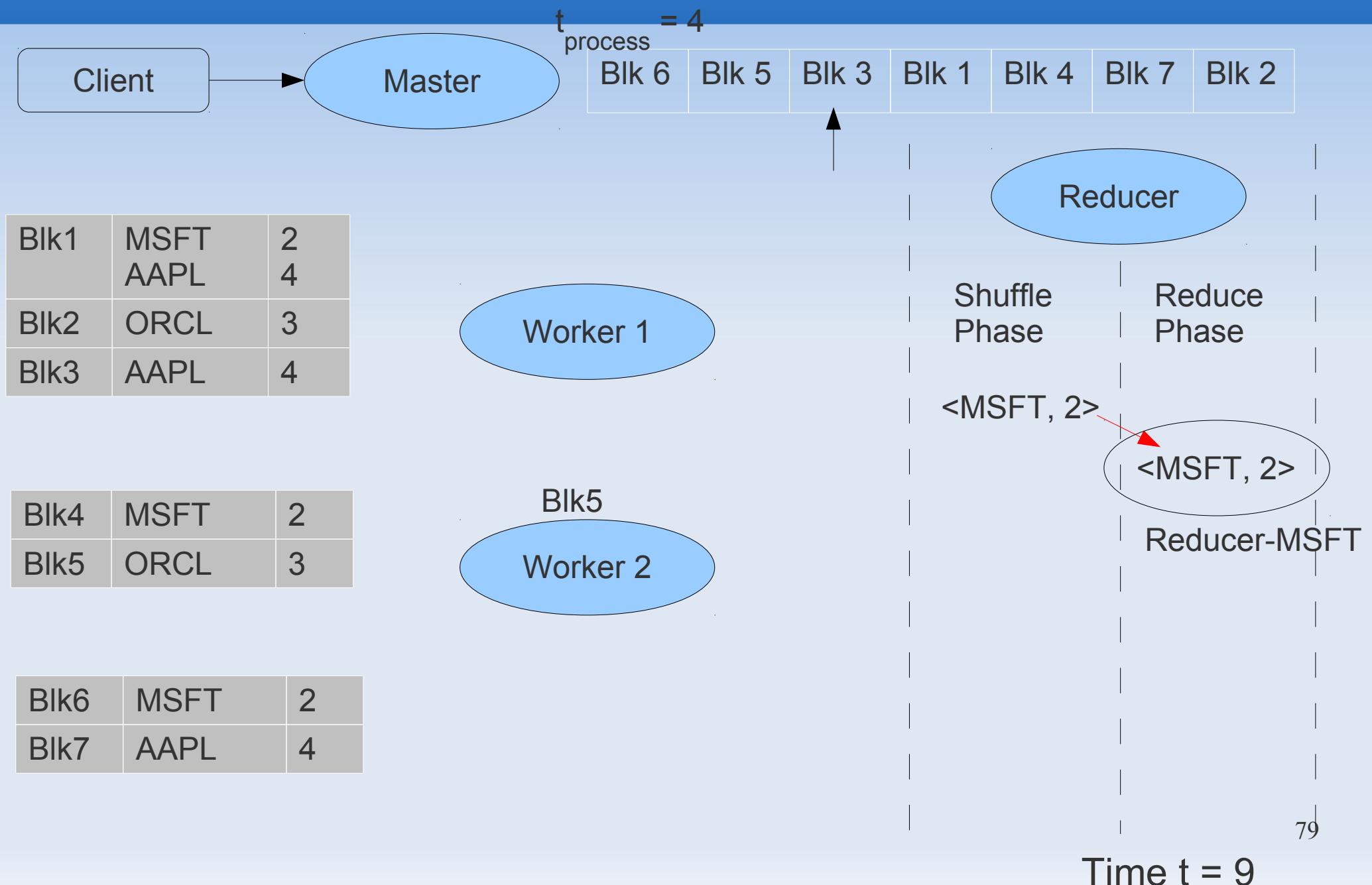


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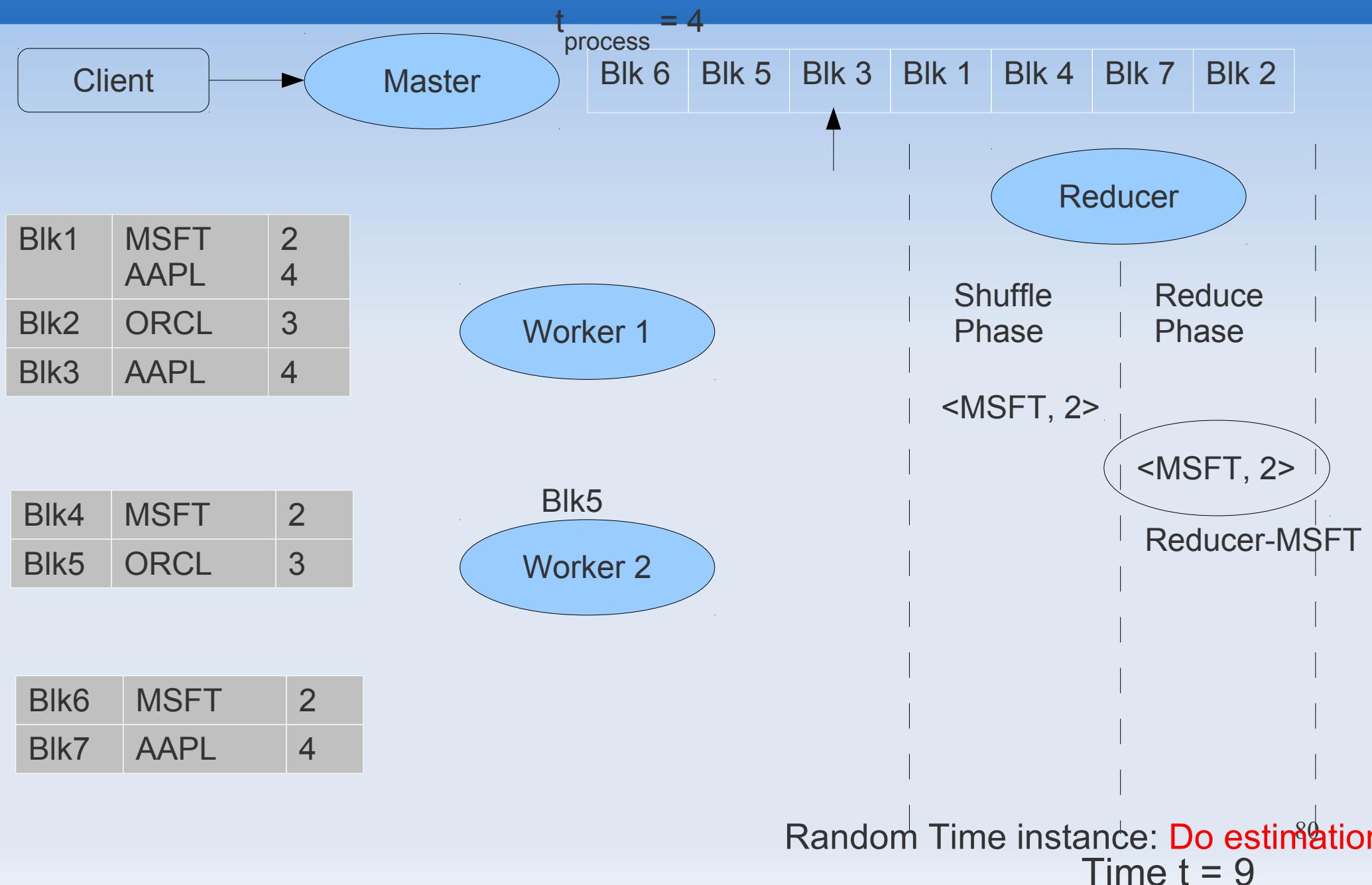
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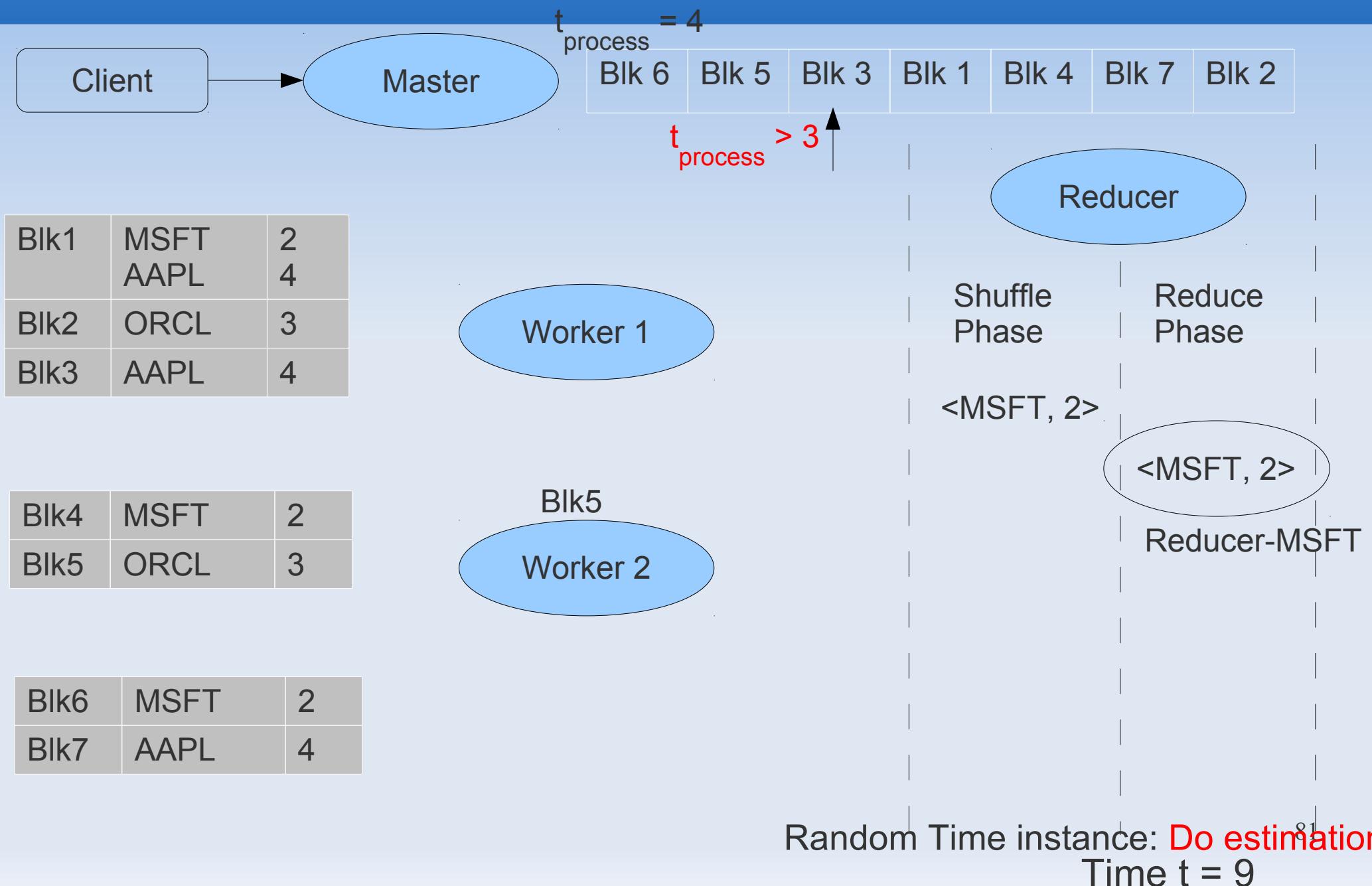
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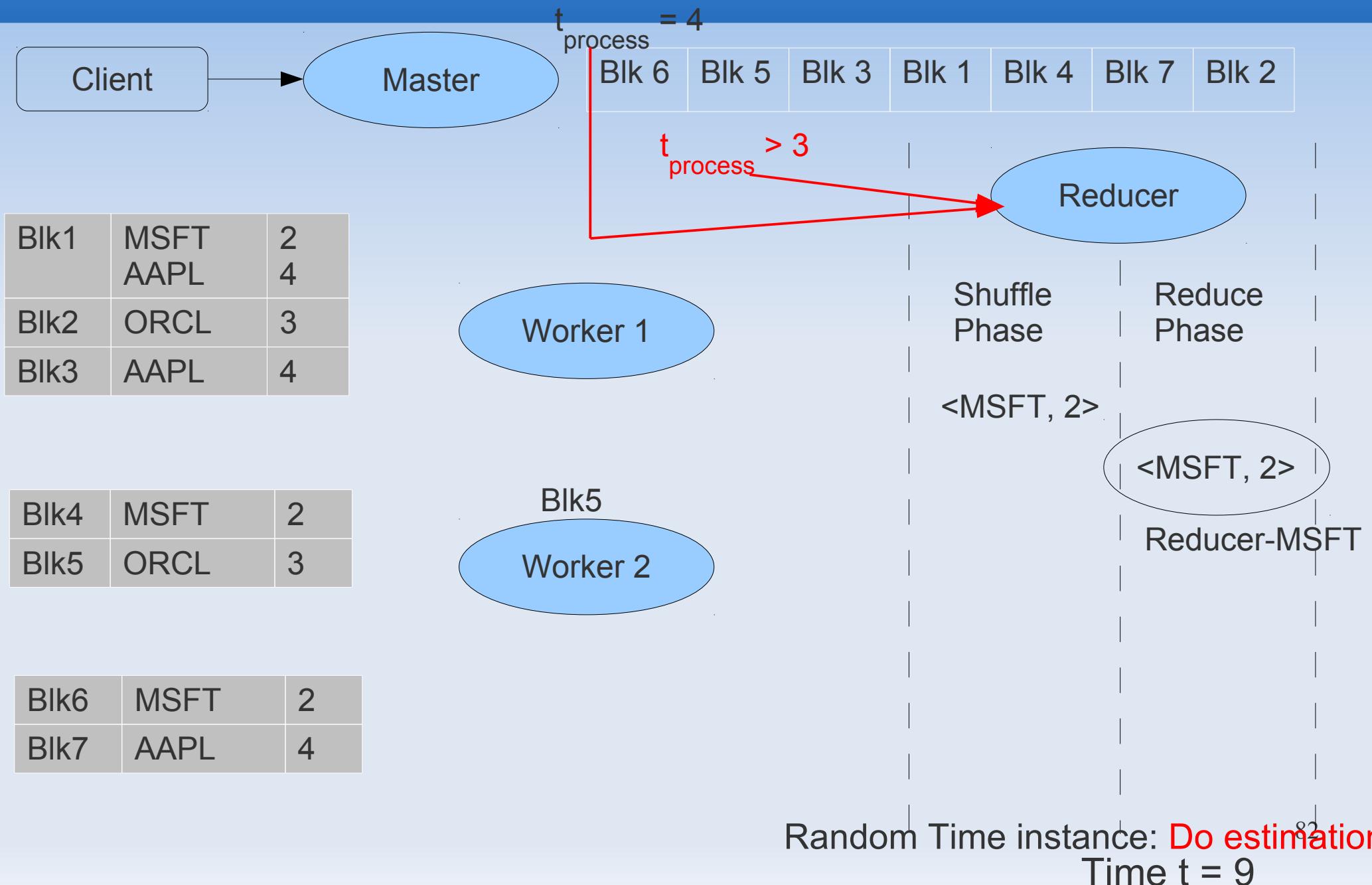
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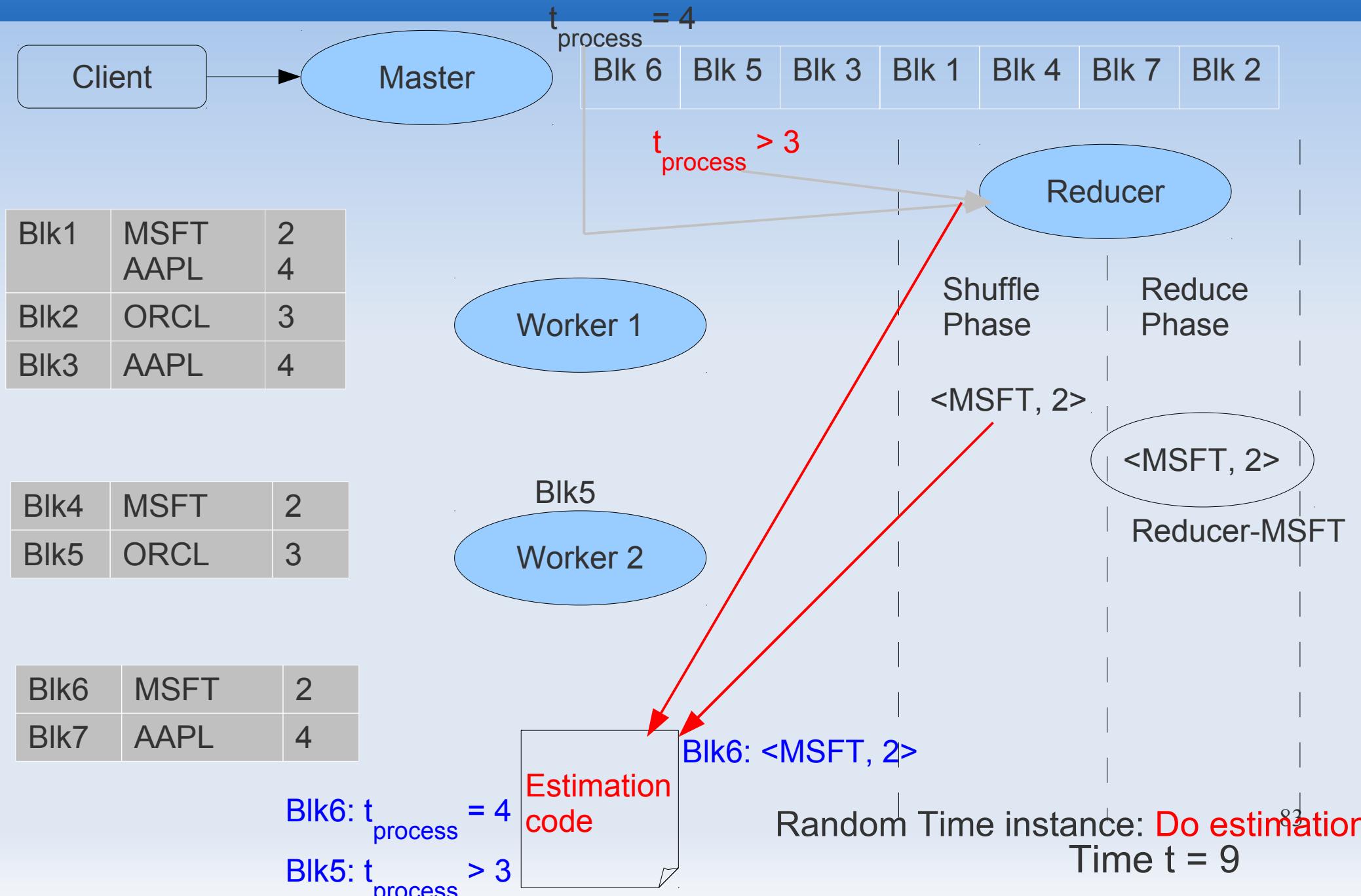
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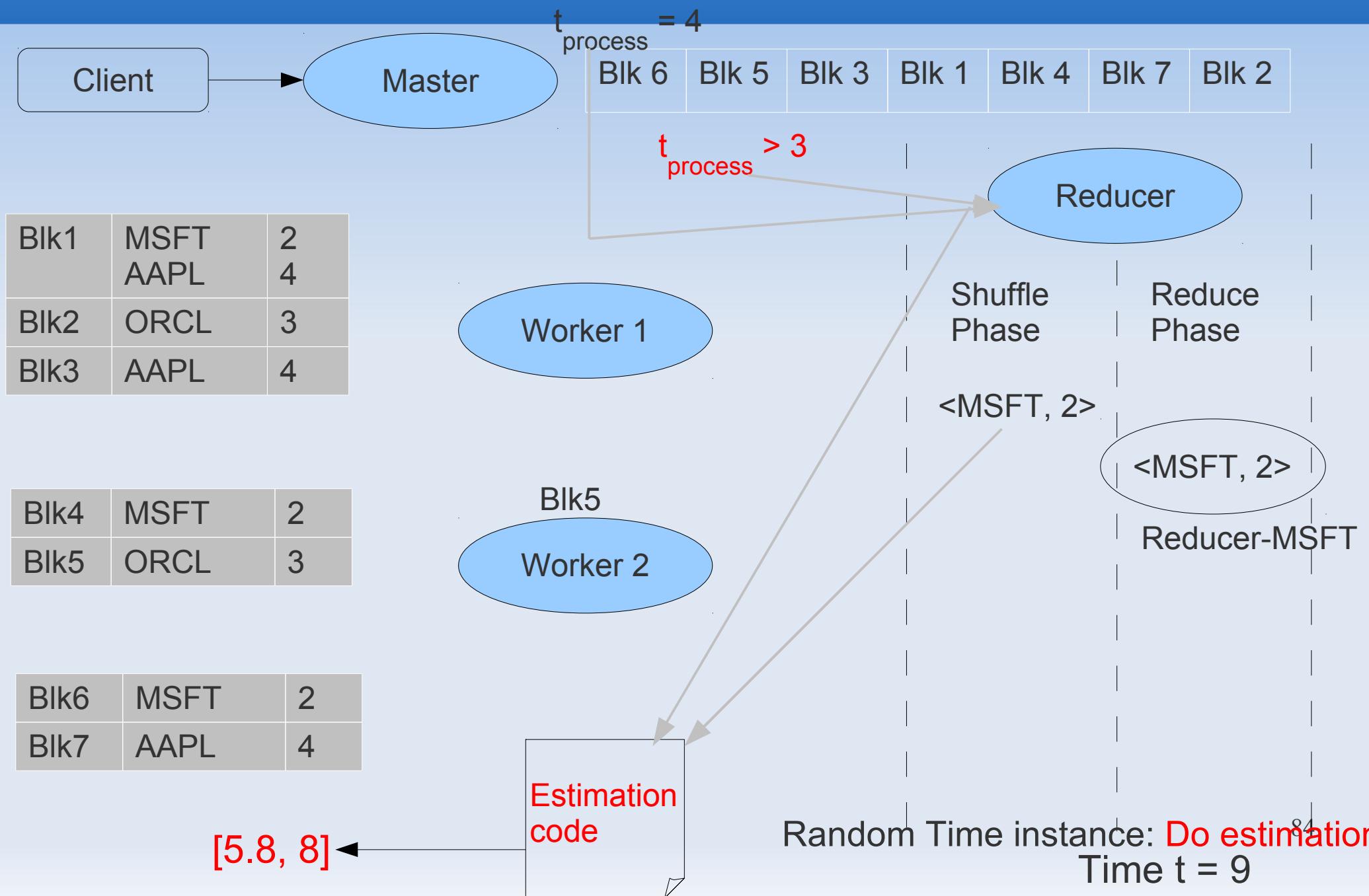
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Implementation Overview

- Framework for distributed systems: MapReduce
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 - Staged processing → **Online**
 - Hyracks (developed at UC Irvine)
 - Pipelining → "Online"
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 - <http://code.google.com/p/hyracks/>
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Detailed discussion in the paper

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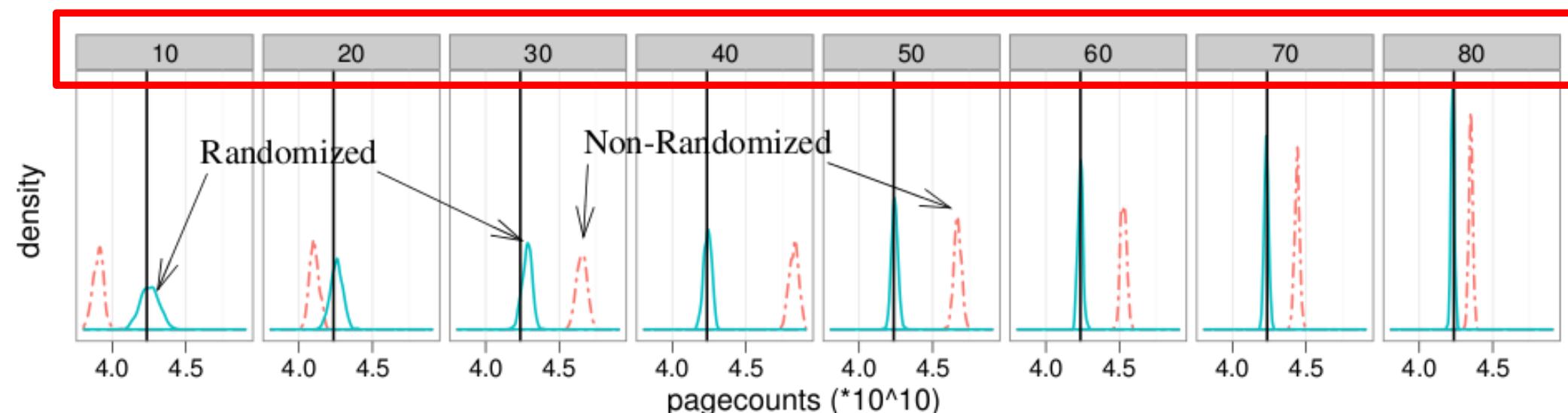
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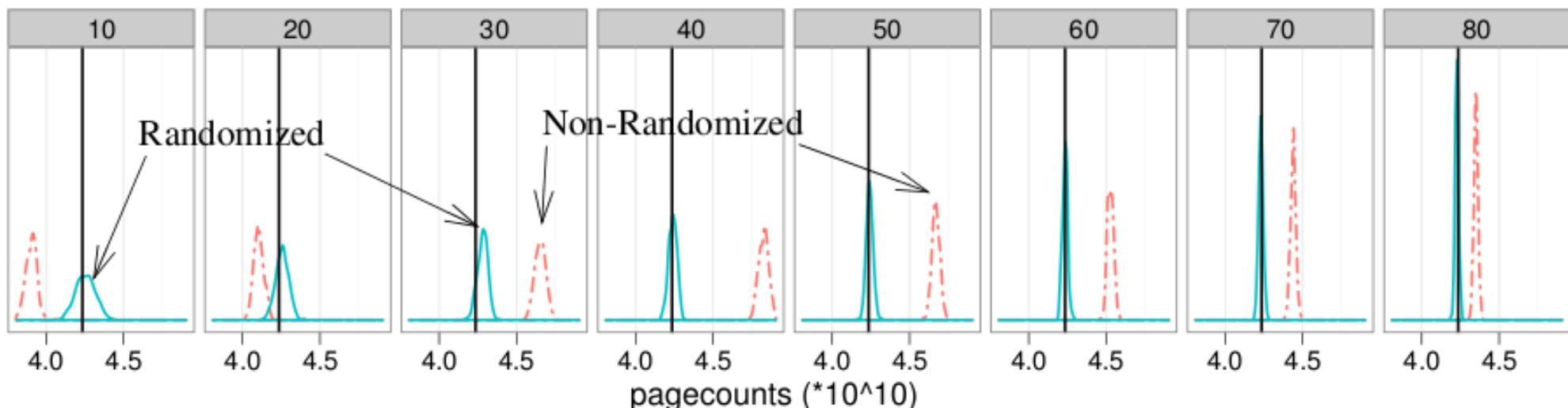
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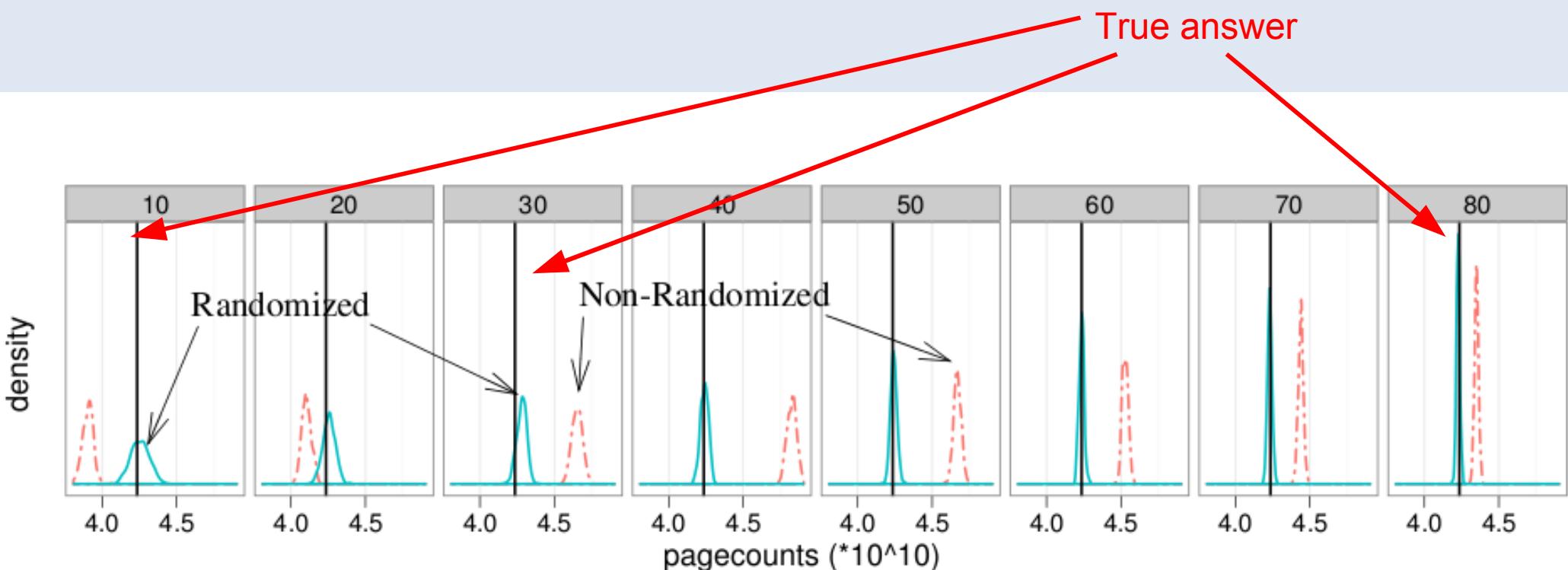
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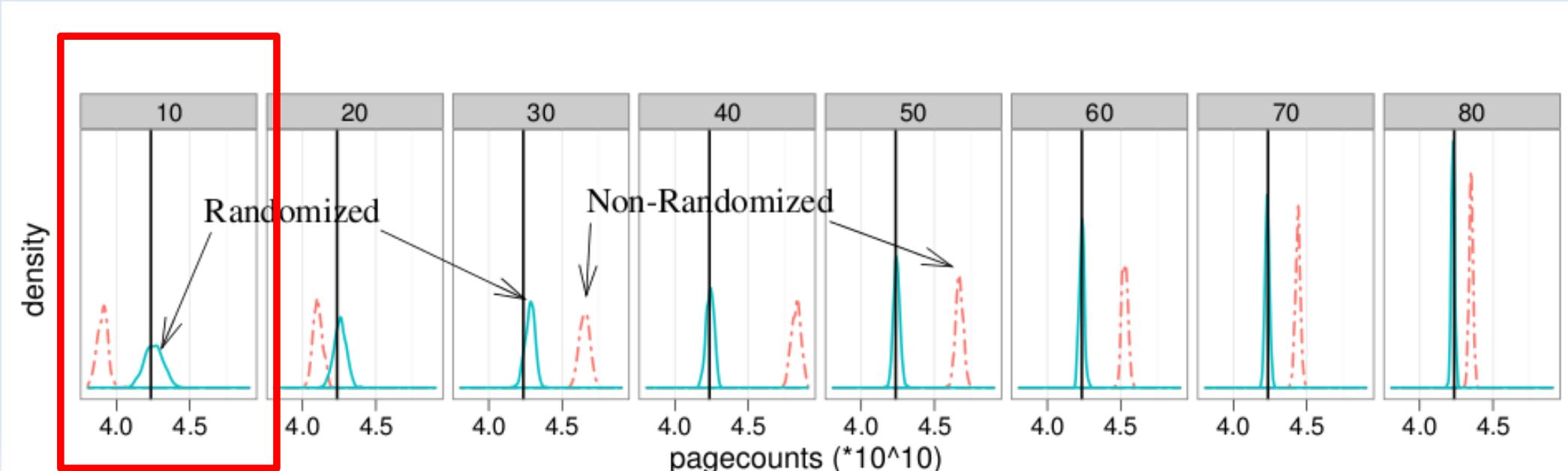
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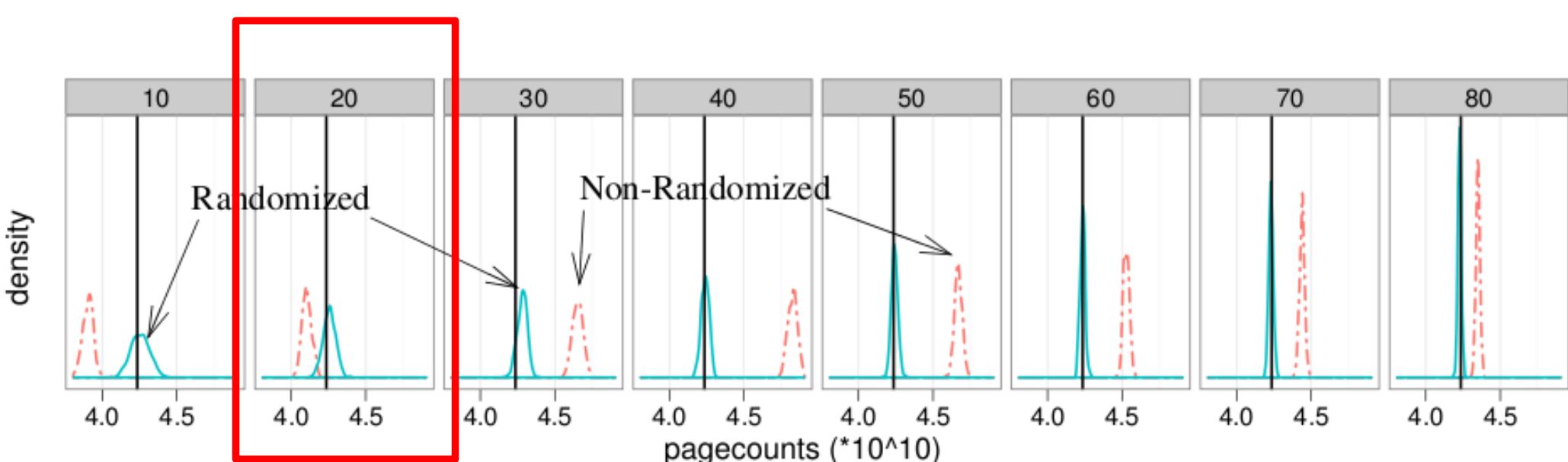
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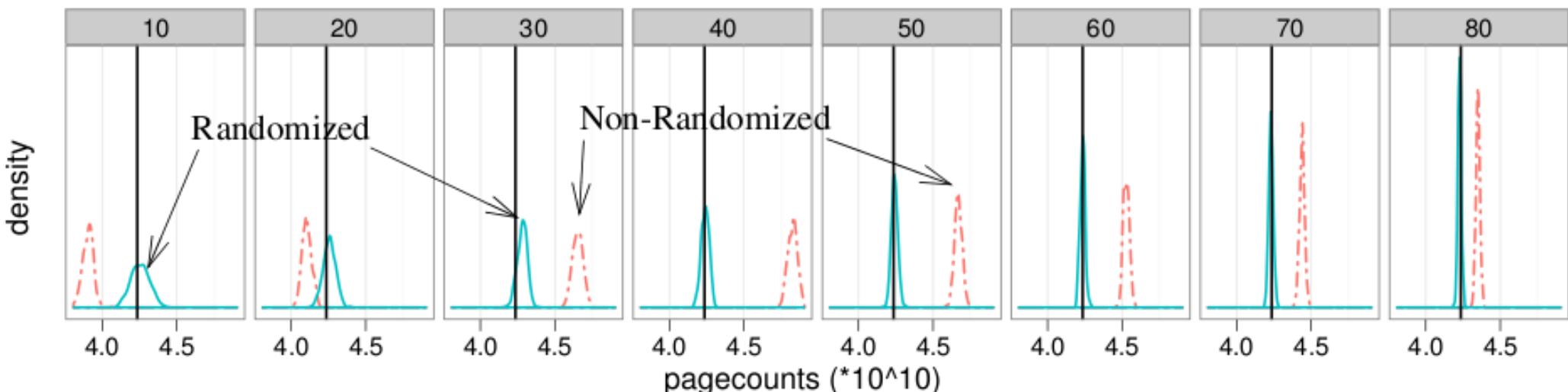
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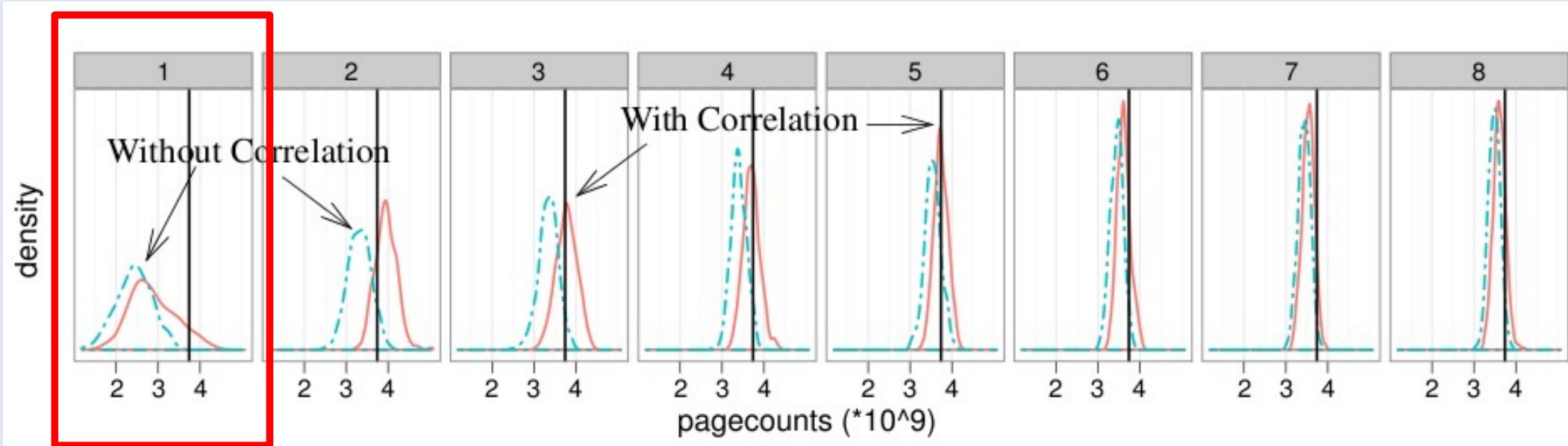
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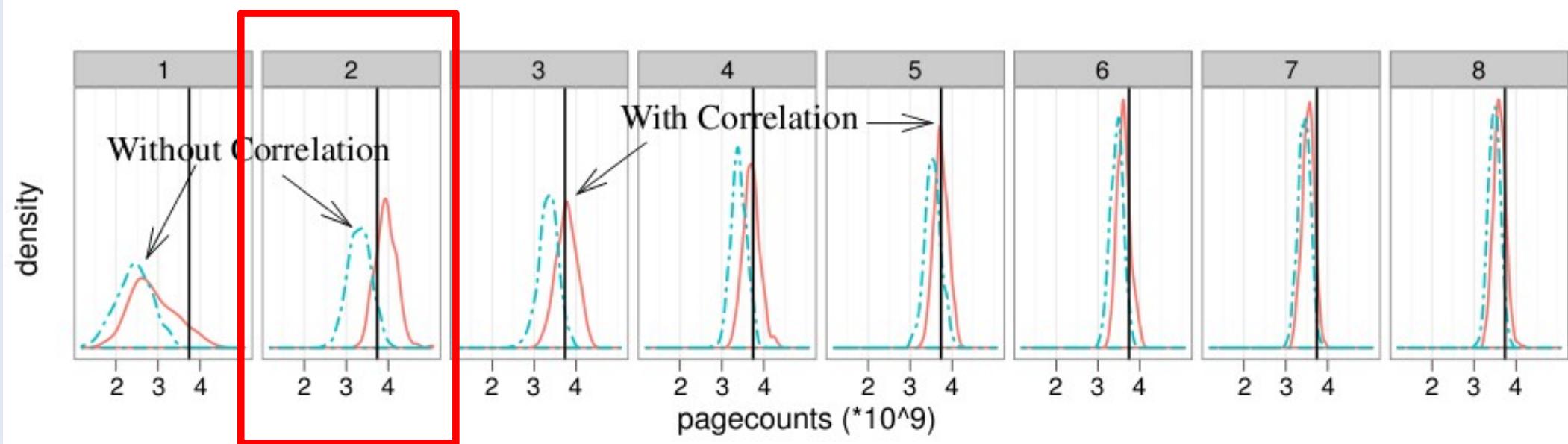
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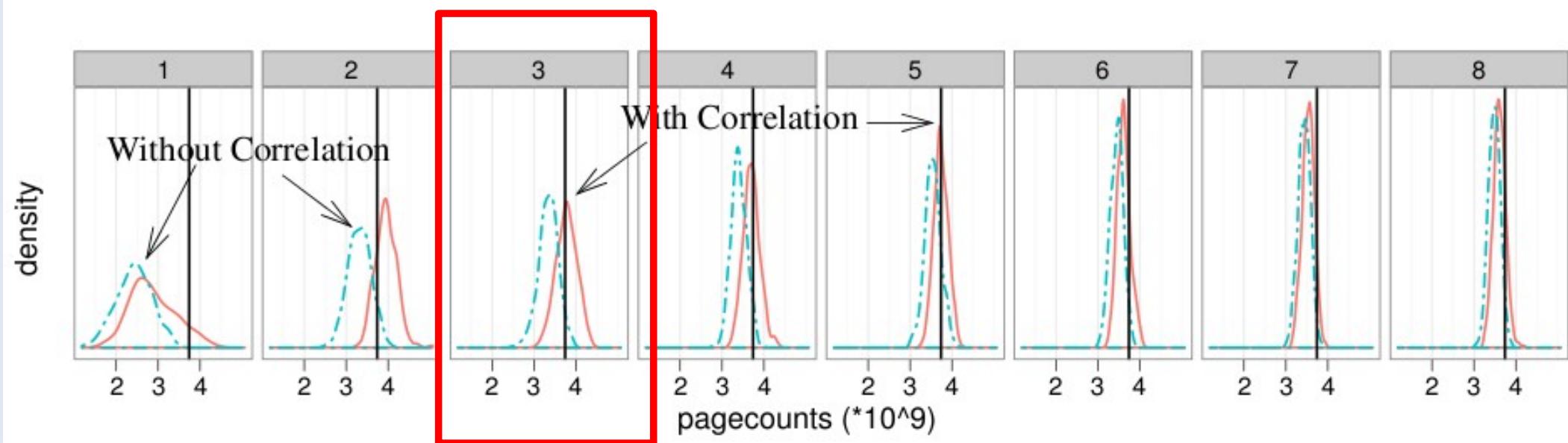
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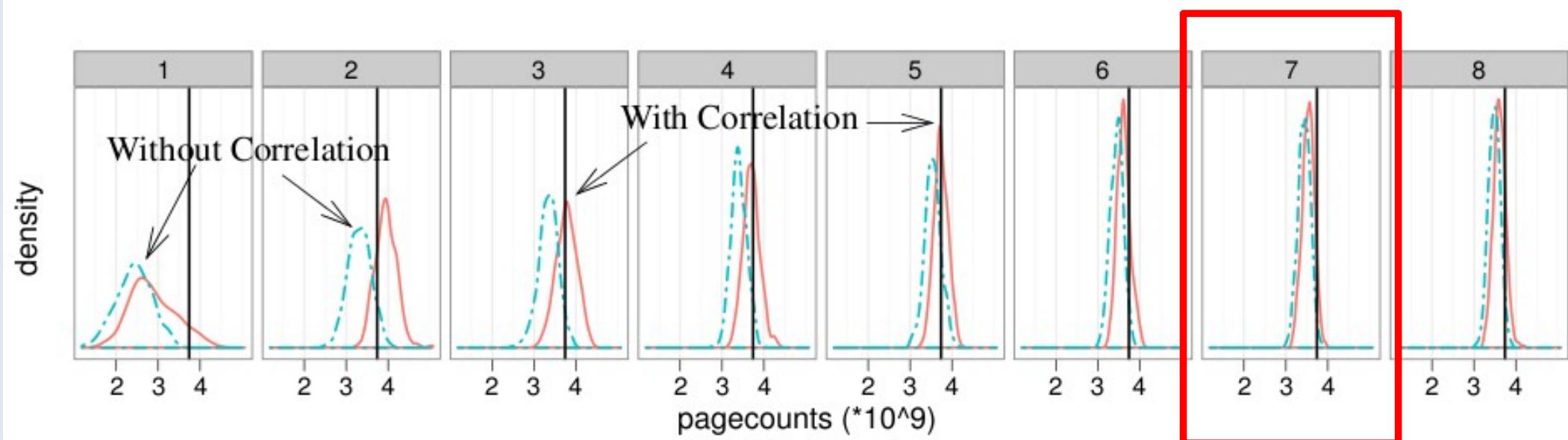
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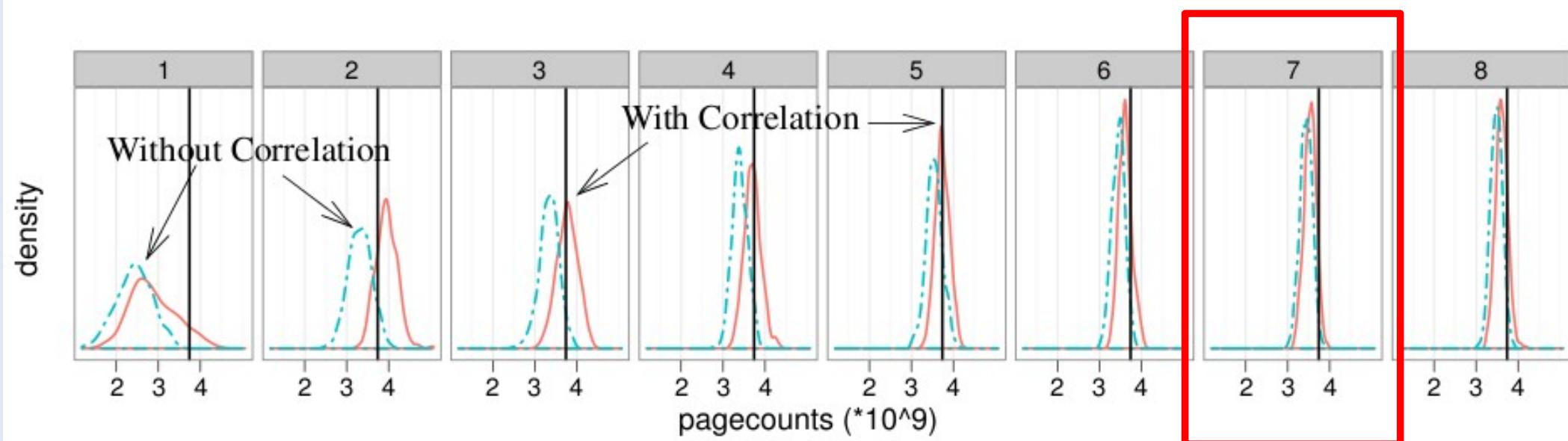
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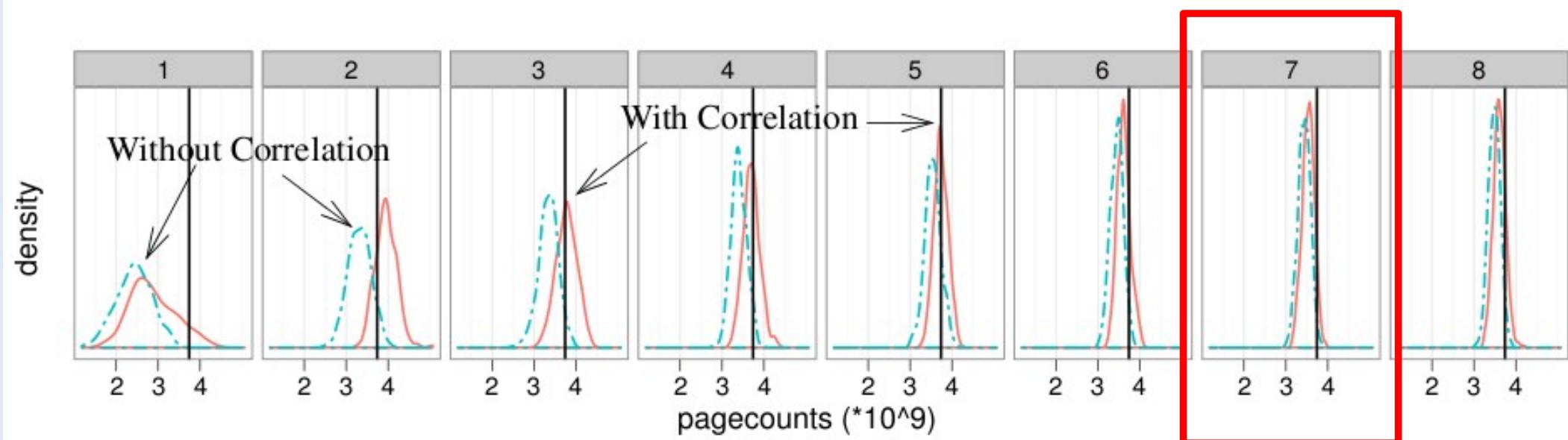
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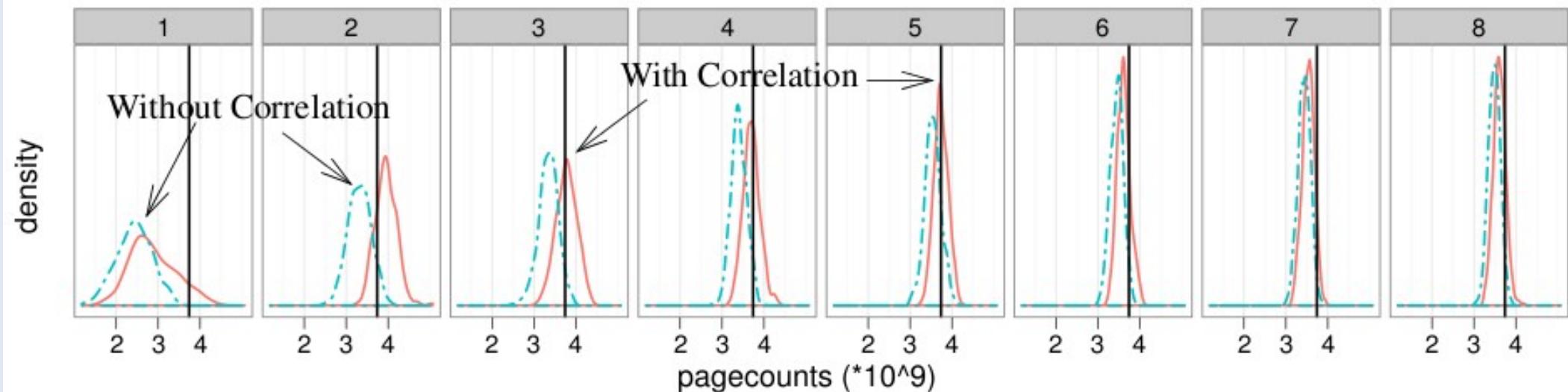
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Thanks for your time and attention

Questions ?

