

Load Balancing with Task Subtraction of Same Nodes

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Abstract: Cloud computing helps to share data and provide many resources to users. Users pay only for those resources as much they used. Cloud computing stores the data and distributed resources in the open environment. The amount of data storage increases quickly in open environment. So, load balancing is a main challenge in cloud environment. There are several heterogeneous nodes in a cloud computing system. Namely, each node has different capability to execute task; hence, only consider the CPU remaining of the node is not enough when a node is chosen to execute a task. Therefore, how to select an efficient node to execute a task is very important in a cloud computing. In this paper, we propose a new scheduling algorithm that choose a suitable node with its average task. It is very easy way to select an appropriate node. This approach can provide efficient utilization of computing resources and maintain the load balancing in cloud computing environment.

Keywords: Cloud Computing, Load Balancing, Distributed System, Threshold.

1. INTRODUCTION

Cloud computing is a on demand service in which shared resources work together to perform a task to get the results in minimum possible time by distribution of any dataset among all the connected processing units. Cloud computing is also referred to refer the network based services which give an illusion of providing a real server hardware but in real it is simulated by the software's running on one or more real machines. Such virtual servers do not exist physically so they can be scaled up and down at any point of time. Cloud computing that we are dealing with is related to the processes to decomposing 'Big Data' tasks into small dataset tasks and distributing them to several computing units, so the task can be performed in the minimum possible time. Three main characteristics are required by any cloud service : resource publication through a single provider, ability to acquire transactional resource on demand, and mechanisms to bill users on the basis of resource utilization. For detailed discussion about deployment of cloud and services provided by the cloud please use the publications.

Cloud Computing Characteristics:

- **On demand service-** Cloud computing provide services to users on their demand .Users can access the services as they want.
- **Broad Network Access-** In cloud computing capabilities are available over the network .All the capabilities are accessed through different mechanisms.
- **Resource Pooling-** Different models are used to pooled the resources which provide by the providers to their consumers. All the resources dynamically assigned and reassigned according to consumer demand.
- **Rapid Elasticity-** Quantity of resources is increase at any time according to the customer's requirements.
- **Measured Service-** In cloud computing resource usage can be monitored, controlled for both the provider and consumer of the all service.

Challenges in Cloud Computing:

There are many challenges in cloud computing:-

1. Security
2. Efficient load balancing
3. Performance Monitoring
4. Consistent and Robust Service abstractions
5. Resource Scheduling
6. Scale and QoS management
7. Requires a fast speed Internet connection.

2. LOAD BALANCING

Load balancing in cloud computing is a new challenge now. Always a distributed solution is required because it is not always practically feasible or cost efficient to maintain one or more idle services just as to fulfill the required demands. Jobs can't be assigned to appropriate servers and clients individually for efficient load balancing as cloud is a very complex structure and components are present throughout a wide spread area.

Load balancing algorithms are classified as static and dynamic algorithms. Static algorithms are suitable for homogeneous and stable environments and can produce very good results in these environments. However, they are usually not flexible and cannot match the dynamic changes to the attributes during the execution time. Dynamic algorithms are more flexible and take into consideration different types of attributes in the system both prior to and during run-time[1]. Load balancing is the process of improving the performance of system through a redistribution of load among processor.

Persistence Issue in Load Balancing:

One of the main issues faced by a load balancer is when operating a load balancer service is 'how to handle information that must be kept across the multiple requests in a user's session' e.g. session data. If the information is stored only on computation requesting system, it will not be accessible to other computing devices and since subsequent requests takes place for this information this can lead to a performance issue. One of the solutions to this issue is sending all the requests to the same computing device which contains this information.

This is known as persistence or stickiness. One major downside of this technique is lack of automatic failures. If the device containing the information goes down the whole system gets down, also the any session of the processes present on the system is also lost. So the problem is because of non backed up centralized system, one of the solution is using a backup system together but this will lead to major performance issue. Next solution is related to backup system.

One other solution that can be used is by using database for storing the information, but this increases the load on the database. But databases provide solutions to some of the problems that exists in centralized systems. Databases can be backed up easily solving the problem of single point of failure, databases are also highly scalable. Since in a backed up system of databases there are several systems holding the same information the query load can also be distributed over them to get a better performance. Microsoft's ASP.net State Server technology is an example of this kind of database. All servers in the cloud store their information data on State Server and any server in the cloud can retrieve the data.

3. THE PROPOSED METHOD

There are several heterogeneous nodes in a cloud computing system. All nodes have no capability to execute same task; hence, only consider the CPU remaining of the node is not enough when a node is chosen to execute a task. Therefore, how to select an efficient node to execute a task is very important in a cloud computing.

Due to the task maybe has different characteristic for user to pay execution. Hence it is need some of the resources of specific, for instance, when implement organism sequence assembly, it is probable have to big requirement toward memory remaining. And in order to reach the best efficient in the execution each tasks, so we will aimed tasks property to adopt a different condition decision variable in which it is according to resource of task requirement to set decision variable.

Method:

Step 1: It is to subtract the highest task value and lowest task value of each node, respectively.

Step 2: It is to find highest subtraction.

Step 3: It is to find the unassigned node that has the minimum completion time selected in Step 2. Then, this task is dispatched to the selected node for computation.

Step 4: It is to find next highest subtraction and its minimum task.

Step 5: Repeat Step 4, until all tasks have been completed totally.

In the following section, an example to be executed by using the proposed algorithm is given.

4. CASE STUDY

There is an example of completion time (in sec) of each task at different computing nodes in table 1.

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31

Table 1

Step 1: It is to subtract the highest task value and lowest task value of each node, respectively.

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31
Subtraction	14	18	8	17

Table 2

Step 2: It is to find highest subtraction.

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31
Subtraction	14	18	8	17

Table 3

Step 3: It is to find the unassigned node that has the minimum completion time selected in Step 2. Then, this task is dispatched to the selected node for computation.

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
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Table 4

Step 4: It is to find next highest subtraction.

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
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Table 5

Repetition

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t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31
Subtraction	14	18	8	17

Table 6

And

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31
Subtraction	14	18	8	17

Table 7

Final Result:

Task \ Node	C ₁₁	C ₁₂	C ₁₃	C ₁₄
t ₁	12	13	10	14
t ₂	16	24	13	25
t ₃	26	31	12	33
t ₄	17	24	18	31

Table 8

5. COMPARISON

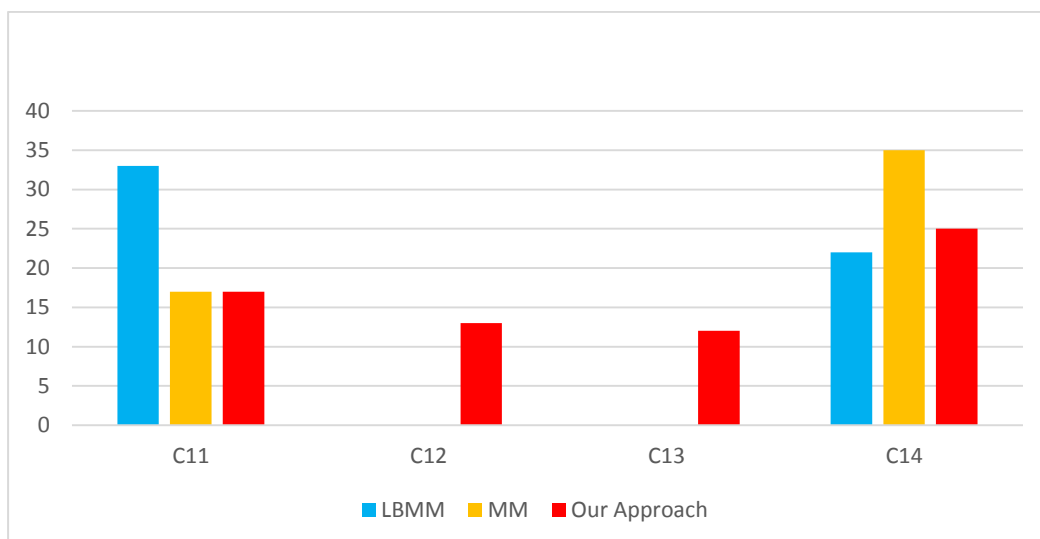


Fig 1. The comparison of completion time of each task at different node for case study

6. CONCLUSION

In this paper, we proposed an efficient scheduling algorithm, LBTSSN, for the cloud computing network to assign tasks to computing nodes according to their resource capability. Similarly, our approach can achieve better load balancing and performance than other algorithms, such as LB3M, MM and LBMM from the case study.

In this paper, we have presented a new scheduling algorithm for scheduling. The goal of the scheduler in this paper is minimizing makespan and maximizes resources utilization.

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