

Virtual Cloud Data Centre Resource Utilization through Scheduling Algorithm

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ABSTRACT: The increasing demand for storage and computation has driven the growth of large data centers the massive server farms that run many of today's Internet and business applications. A data center can comprise many thousands of servers and can use as much energy as a small city. The massive amounts of computation power contained in these systems results in many interesting distributed systems and resource management problems. Data centers are facing many challenges and one of them is how modern virtualization technologies can be used to simplify deployment, improve resource efficiency, and reduce the cost of reliability. It defines the models of virtualization overheads can be utilized to accurately predict the resource needs of virtualized applications, allowing them to be smoothly transitioned into a data center. This research paper provides review of scheduling algorithm used for better server consolidation, reducing hardware and energy costs within the data center.

Keywords: Virtual cloud data centre; resource scheduling; round robin scheduling and throttled load balancer.

INTRODUCTION: Due to the high-speed development and popularization of the internet, network resource sharing has emerged; cloud computing is a service related to network resources, and in recent years, cloud computing has become well developed. Because cloud computing exists in a multiple network environment, its resources and services have many features, such as diversification, dynamic behavior, and pay-per-use, among others. Different resources and services are allocated to meet different user needs. Under these conditions, cloud computing is applied in many different fields, including the finance, manufacturing, medicine, and the electronic industry, etc. Cloud computing is also represents further development of parallel computing, distributed computation and grid computing, and therefore, it is necessary to study cloud computing scheduling algorithms.

The cloud computing system creates a shared network resource and service with the user. Due to its diversified, dynamic and flexible nature, different resources and services are offered to different users, which an advantage of cloud is computing. These natures pose a new challenge for development of scheduling algorithms in the cloud computing system.

Scheduling is the one of the most prominent activities that executes in the cloud computing environment. To increase the efficiency of the work load of cloud computing.

Is one of the tasks performed to get maximum profit? The main objective of the scheduling algorithms in cloud environment is to utilize the resources properly while managing the load between the resources so that to get the minimum execution time.

Cloud computing resource covers all useful entities which can be used through the cloud platform, includ-

ing computer software, computer hardware, equipment, instrument and so on. Cloud computing resources is decided by the characteristics of cloud computing resource management system, which should have functions and features like: hiding the heterogeneity of cloud computing resource, providing users with the unified access interface, Shielding the dynamic of cloud computing resources, evaluating and estimating the performance of each resource, guaranteeing to meet the service quality of the user request (QoS), a careful review of the user's request of cloud computing and ensuring the security of cloud computing. As the prevalence of Cloud computing continue to grow, the need for resource management within the infrastructure layer also increases.

Services of Cloud Computing: The meaning of cloud computing services is to use reusable, and ne grained components on a network provided by CSP (Cloud service provider). Cloud computing generally offers three types of services.

Software as a Service: In Software as a service an application is provided as a service to the customers who can access it through the network. The application is hosted by cloud data centers. Since the application hosted not on customer site so the customer doesn't have to bother about the maintenance and support of application. But the customer can't be able to make changes in application while the service provider can make change in it. The thing is that the customer can only use the software while all changes will be done by provider. The biggest been its of software as a service is costing less money than to buy the software application. Ex salesforce.com: for buying software's on demand.

Platform as a service: Platform as a service model provides all the resources required to build applications and services through the internet. You don't need to install or download the software. The Paas Services include application design, development, testing, deployment, and hosting. The hurdle in Paas is that the developers are not having interoperability and portability among the providers. The cost of changing the application to different provider is very high. Example of Paas is Azure services and Amazon web services.

Infrastructure as a service: It simply offers the hardware so the customer can keep anything onto it. IaaS allows the customer to take resources like Server space, CPU cycles, memory space and network equipment on rent. Based on requirement the infrastructure can be enhancing up or down. VMware and EC2 cloud offered by Amazon as an IaaS.

Resource scheduling: RSA^ Minimize the variation during the resource demand^ Improve efficiency □ Reflect reality □ Modifying activities within time , in other word modify resource loading for each unit of time. Technical aspects not every technology is absolutely new, but is enhanced to realize a specific feature, directly or as a pre-condition. Virtualization is an essential characteristic of cloud computing. Virtualization in clouds refers to multi-layer hardware platforms, operating systems, storage devices, network resources, etc. The first prominent feature of virtualization is the ability to hide the technical complexity from users, so it can improve independence of cloud services. Secondly, physical resource can be efficiently configured and utilized, considering that multiple applications are run on the same machine.^ Thirdly, quick recovery and fault tolerance are permitted.^ Virtual environment can be easily backed up and migrated with no interruption in service Resource management From the providers point of view, large scale of virtual machines needs to be allocated to thousands of distributed users, dynamically, fairly, and most important, profitably. From the consumers point of view, users are economy-driven entities when they make the decision to use cloud computing.

Robin Robin Scheduling: Round robin use the time slicing mechanism. The name of the algorithm suggests that it works in the round manner where each node is allotted with a time slice and has to wait for their turn. The time is divided and interval is allotted to each node. Each node is allotted with a time slice in which they have to perform their task. The complicity of this algorithm is less compared to the other two algorithms. An open source simulation performed the algorithm software know as cloud analyst, this algorithm is the default algorithm used in the simulation. This algorithm simply allots the job in round robin

fashion which doesn't consider the load on different machines.

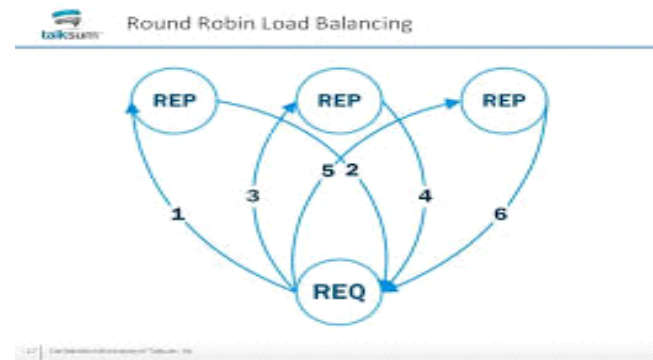


Figure 1: Robin Robin Scheduling

Throttled Load balancer: In this algorithm the throttled load balancer (TVLB) maintains an index table of VMs as well as their state of the VM (Busy/Available). At the start all VM's are available. The data center controller (DCC) receives a new request from client/server to find a suitable virtual machine (VM) to perform the recommended job. The data centre queries the load balancer for the next allocation of VM. The load balancer parses the allocation table from top until the first available VM is found or the table is parsed completely. If the VM is found returns the VM id to the DCC. Further, the data centre acknowledges the load balancer of the new allocation and the data centre updates the allocation table accordingly. While processing the request of client, if appropriate VM is not found, the load balancer returns -1 to the data centre. The DCC queues the request with it. When the VM finishes processing the request, and the DCC receives the response, it notifies the load balancer a request is acknowledged to data centre to de-allocate the same VM whose id is already communicated. The DCC checks if there are any waiting requests in the queue. If there are, it continues.

Fastest Response Time (FRT): The Fastest method passes a new connection based on the fastest response time of all servers. The load balancer looks at the response time of each attached server and chooses the one with the best response time. Fastest VM Load Balancer (FLB) maintains a table which contains VMs and the response time of the VM. At the start all VM's are available. Data center receives a new request and queries the FLB for the next allocation. FLB scans the table from top until the first available the fast available VM is found. If the VM is found the data centre communicates the request to the VM and returns the VM id to the datacenter. Further, the data centre acknowledges the load balancer of the new allocation and the data centre revises the index table accordingly. While processing the request of client, if appropriate

VM is not found, the load balancer returns -1 to the data centre. The data centre queues the request with it. When the VM completes the allocated task, a request is acknowledged to data centre, which is further apprised to load balancer to deallocate the same VM whose id is already communicated.

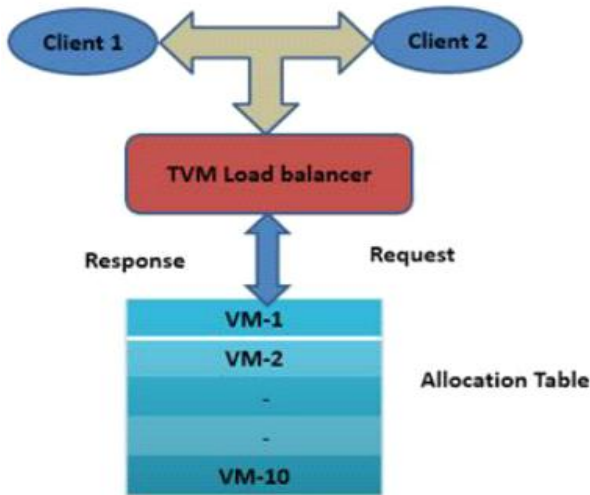


Figure 2: Fastest Response Time (FRT)

CONCLUSIONS: The analyses over these scheduling VM load balancing algorithms. Round robin algorithm uses time slicing and work in round manner where each node allotted a time slice and wait for turn. And throttled load balancer algorithm work in different manner it maintain index table of VM as well as their state of the VM's. But the load balancer parses the allocation table from top until the first available VM is found or table is parsed completely it takes more more time to parse table from first to last and uses more energy consumption. Fastest response time passes a new connection based on the fast response time of all servers. it maintain a table which contain VM's and response time of the VM. but in this when VM complete the allocated task , a request is acknowledged to data centre ,which is further apprised to load balancer to deallocate the same VM whose id is already communicated. This is the main feature of fast response time algorithm. But it is also time consuming to deallocate the same VM whose id already communicated.

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