

# Internet Technologies Lab Report

## Assignment 1

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# 1 Problem Statement

Implement a TCP-based key-value store. The server implements the key-value store and clients make use of it. The server must accept clients' connections and serve their requests for 'get' and 'put' key value pairs. All key-value pairs should be stored by the server only in memory. Keys and values are strings. The client accepts a variable no of command line arguments where the first argument is the server hostname followed by port no. It should be followed by any sequence of

“ get < key> ”

and/or

“ put < key> < value> ”.

```
./client 192.168.124.5 5555 put city Kolkata put country India get country get city get Institute  
India  
Kolkata  
<blank>
```

The server should be running on a TCP port. The server should support multiple clients and maintain their key-value stores separately.

Implement authorization so that only few clients having the role “manager” can access other’s key-value stores. A user is assigned the “guest” role by default. The server can upgrade a “guest” user to a “manager” user

# 2 Design & Implementation

The program is implemented using Java. The program is divided into two sections the *Server* and the *Client*.

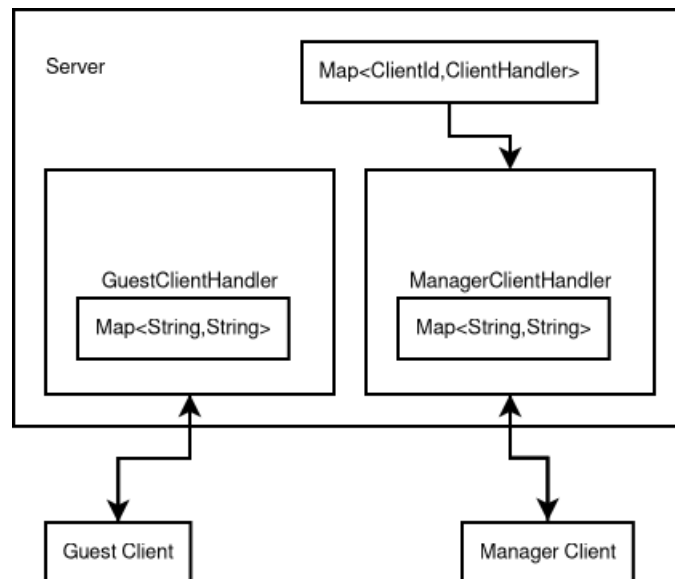


Figure 1: Flow Diagram

**The Client** program has 2 threads running. The main thread runs the input console. The console takes input from the user and sends it to the server accordingly.

**The Server** program has a main thread to run the console and a separate thread for each client connected to it. The **ClientHandler** class ( implements the **Runnable** interface ) handle the communication between the assigned client and the server. When multiple clients are connected multiple **ClientHandler** instances are generated. The **ClientHandler** instances also store the client data in a **HashMap<String,String>** data structure.

The Port number of each client is treated as the ID for the client. Client data is stored in a **HashMap** as a member variable of the **ClientHandler** interface.

The Server terminal can upgrade guest clients to managers or downgrade managers to guest.

## 3 Usage and Features

### 3.1 Directory structure

The directory structure of the program is as follows:

```
.
|-- Makefile
|-- bin
|   |-- client
|   |   |-- Client$Listener.class
|   |   |-- Client.class
|   |   |-- Main.class
|   |-- server
|   |   |-- ClientHandler.class
|   |   |-- GuestClientHandler.class
|   |   |-- Main.class
|   |   |-- ManagerClientHandler.class
|   |   |-- Server$Terminal.class
|   |   |-- Server.class
|-- run.sh
-- src
    |-- client
    |   |-- Client.java
    |   |-- Main.java
    |-- server
    |   |-- ClientHandler.java
    |   |-- GuestClientHandler.java
    |   |-- Main.java
    |   |-- ManagerClientHandler.java
    |-- Server.java
```

6 directories, 18 files

### 3.2 Compilation

In order to compile the program just run make while at the root directoy.

```
$ make
```

To run the server use to following command.

```
$ java -cp bin/ server/Main <port>
```

To run clients use the following command. The port number is the port in which the server runs.

```
$ java -cp bin/ client/Main <port>
```

### 3.3 Usage

#### 3.3.1 Server commands

- List connected clients

```
# list
```

- Upgrade guest clients

```
# upgrade <client_port>
```

- Downgrade guest clients

```
# downgrade <client_port>
```

### 3.3.2 Client commands

- Put command

```
$ put <key> <value>
```

- Get command

```
$ get <key>
```

The get and put commands are concatenatable.

### 3.3.3 Manager commands

Along with all the client commands the manager also has some additional commands. All manager commands are accompanied by the prefix *mgr*.

- List connected clients

```
# mgr list
```

- Put or get command on client

```
# mgr <clienti_d> put <key> <value> get <key> ...
```

## 3.4 Features

- The program is an interactive program. There are interactive shells running on both server and client end points.
- Depending on the permissions of the terminal, the shell prompt changes. For manager clients and the server, the shell prompt is *#*. For regular clients the shell prompt is *\$*.
- The program is multi-threaded. Multiple clients can stay connected to the server simultaneously.
- Multiple servers can be run on different ports on the machine. A client can be connected to a single server only.

### 3.5 Sample I/O

- Server I/O

```
Server started at :127.0.1.1
# Connected to :/127.0.0.1:39328
Connected to :/127.0.0.1:39330
list
Guest:39328
Guest:39330
39330: put city Kolkata
39330: get city
# upgrade 39328
Upgrading 39328
# Connected to :/127.0.0.1:39328
39328: mgr lisg
39328: mgr list
39328: mgr 39330 get city
#
```

- Client 1 I/O

```
Connection established with server!
$ put city Kolkata
$ get city
Kolkata
$
```

- Client 2 I/O

```
Connection established with server!
upgrade
# mgr lisg
Invalid command
# mgr list
Manager:39328
Guest:39330
# mgr 39330 get city
Kolkata
#
```