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1. Installation of VMware Workstation on windows OS (version windows 7 to 10)

Here are the steps to install VMware Workstation on a Windows OS (applicable for Windows 7, 8, 8.1, and 10):

Step 1: Download VMware Workstation

- 1. Open your web browser and go to the VMware website: VMware Workstation.
- 2. Click on "Download Now" for VMware Workstation Pro or "Try for Free" if you are downloading the trial version.
- 3. Save the installer file to your computer.

Step 2: Install VMware Workstation

- 1. Navigate to the folder where you saved the installer file and double-click on it to launch the installation process.
- 2. Click "Next" on the VMware Workstation Setup Wizard welcome screen.

Step 3: Accept the License Agreement

- 1. Read the End-User License Agreement (EULA).
- 2. Click on the radio button to accept the terms and click "Next".

Step 4: Choose Installation Options

- 1. Select the installation options that suit your needs:
 - Enhanced Keyboard Driver: Choose whether you want to install the enhanced keyboard driver.
 - o Check for Product Updates: Option to check for product updates on startup.
 - Help improve VMware Workstation: Option to join the VMware Customer Experience Improvement Program.
- 2. Click "Next".

Step 5: Select the Destination Folder

- 1. Choose the installation directory or leave it at the default location.
- 2. Click "Next".

Step 6: Choose Start Menu Folder

- 1. Select the Start Menu folder or leave it at the default.
- 2. Click "Next".

Step 7: Configure Shortcuts

- Choose if you want to create shortcuts for VMware Workstation on your desktop and/or Start menu.
- 2. Click "Next".

Step 8: Install VMware Workstation

- 1. Review your choices and click "Install" to begin the installation process.
- 2. Wait for the installation to complete. This may take a few minutes.

Step 9: Finish Installation

- 1. Once the installation is complete, click "Finish".
- 2. You might be prompted to restart your computer. If so, save your work and restart.

Step 10: Enter License Key (Optional)

1. If you have a license key, enter it when prompted. You can also enter the license key later by going to Help > Enter Serial Number within VMware Workstation.

Step 11: Launch VMware Workstation

- 1. After installation, you can launch VMware Workstation from the Start menu or desktop shortcut.
- Start using VMware Workstation to create and manage virtual machines.

Troubleshooting Tips:

- Compatibility Issues: Ensure your Windows OS is up-to-date with the latest service packs and
- Administrative Privileges: Run the installer with administrative privileges by right-clicking the installer and selecting "Run as administrator."
- Software Conflicts: Disable any antivirus or security software temporarily during installation to prevent conflicts.

With these steps, you should be able to successfully install VMware Workstation on your Windows computer.

2. Installation of C compiler and execute simple programs of C using virtual machine.

To install a C compiler and execute simple C programs using a virtual machine (VM) in VMware Workstation, follow these steps:

Step 1: Set Up the Virtual Machine

- 1. Launch VMware Workstation.
- 2. Create a New Virtual Machine:
 - Select File > New Virtual Machine.
 - Choose Typical (recommended) and click Next.
 - Insert the installation media for the operating system you wish to install (e.g., an ISO file for a Linux distribution like Ubuntu or a Windows ISO) and click Next.
 - Follow the prompts to configure and install the operating system.

Step 2: Install a C Compiler

For Linux (e.g., Ubuntu):

Open a Terminal:

You can open the terminal from the Applications menu or by pressing Ctrl + Alt + T.

2. Update Package List:

bash Copy code sudo apt update

Install GCC:

bash Copy code sudo apt install build-essential

4. Verify Installation:

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For Windows:

1. Download MinGW:

- Go to the MinGW website.
- Download the mingw-get-setup.exe file.

2. Install MinGW:

- Run the installer.
- Select the components you want to install (typically, you'll want to select the "mingw32-gcc-g++" package).
- Follow the installation prompts.

3. Set Environment Variables:

- Open Control Panel > System and Security > System > Advanced system settings.
- Click on Environment Variables.
- o Under System variables, find the Path variable, select it, and click Edit.
- Add the path to the MinGW bin directory (e.g., C:\MinGW\bin) and click OK.

4. Verify Installation:

Open Command Prompt and type:

cmd Copy code gcc --version

Step 3: Write and Compile a Simple C Program

1. Create a C Program:

Open a text editor and write a simple C program. For example:

c
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#include <stdio.h>

int main() {
 printf("Hello, World!\n");
 return 0;
}

2. Save the Program:

o Save the file as hello.c.

For Linux:

1. Compile the Program:

- Open a terminal and navigate to the directory where you saved hello.c.
- Compile the program with GCC:

bash Copy code gcc hello.c -o hello

2. Run the Program:

bash Copy code ./hello

For Windows:

1. Compile the Program:

- Open Command Prompt and navigate to the directory where you saved hello.c.
- Compile the program with GCC:

cmd Copy code gcc hello.c -o hello.exe

2. Run the Program:

cmd Copy code hello.exe

Conclusion

By following these steps, you will have set up a virtual machine with a C compiler installed, written a simple C program, and successfully compiled and executed it. This setup can be used for further C programming and development within the VM environment.

3. Create a hello world application and other simple web applications using python/java in Google App Engine

Creating a "Hello World" application and other simple web applications using Python or Java on Google App Engine (GAE) involves a few steps. Here, I'll provide you with the steps and example code for both Python and Java.

Python

Setting Up

- Install Google Cloud SDK: If you haven't already, install the Google Cloud SDK from here.
- 2. Initialize Google Cloud SDK: Run the following command and follow the instructions:

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3. Create a New Project: If you don't have a project yet, create one:

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```
gcloud projects create [YOUR_PROJECT_ID]
gcloud config set project [YOUR_PROJECT_ID]
```

4. Enable App Engine: Enable the App Engine service for your project:

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gcloud app create --project=[YOUR_PROJECT_ID]
```

Create a "Hello World" Application

1. Directory Structure:

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helloworld/
app.yaml
main.py
```

2. app.yaml: This file tells App Engine how to run your application.

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runtime: python39 # Use python39 for Python 3.9
entrypoint: python3 main.py

handlers:
- url: /.*
script: auto
```

3. main.py: This file contains your application code.

```
python
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from flask import Flask

app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/')
def hello():
    return 'Hello, World!'

if __name__ == '__main__':
    app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=8080)
```

4. Deploy the Application:

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sh
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gcloud app deploy
```

5. View the Application:

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sh
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gcloud app browse
```

More Complex Web Application Example

1. main.py:

```
python
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from flask import Flask, render_template, request
app = Flask(__name__)
@app.route('/')
def home():
    return render_template('index.html')

@app.route('/submit', methods=['POST'])
def submit():
    name = request.form['name']
    return f'Hello, {name}!'

if __name__ == '__main__':
    app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=8080)
```

2. index.html (Place this in a templates folder):

3. Deploy the Application:

```
sh
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gcloud app deploy
```

Setting Up

- 1. Install Google Cloud SDK: As mentioned earlier.
- Initialize Google Cloud SDK: Run the command:

sh Copy code gcloud init

3. Create a New Project and Enable App Engine: As mentioned earlier.

Create a "Hello World" Application

1. Directory Structure:

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main/
java/
com/
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appengine/
HelloAppEngine.java
webapp/
WEB-INF/
appengine-web.xml
web.xml
```

pom.xml:

3. HelloAppEngine.java:

```
java
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package com.example.appengine;

import java.io.IOException;
import javax.servlet.http.*;

public class HelloAppEngine extends HttpServlet {
    @Override
    public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp) throws
IOException {
        resp.setContentType("text/plain");
        resp.getWriter().println("Hello, World!");
    }
}
```

4. appengine-web.xml:

5. web.xml:

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xml
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<web-app xmlns="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee"
xmlns;xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
    xsi:schemaLocation="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee
http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee/web-app_3_1.xsd"
    version="3.1">
        <servlet>
```

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6. Deploy the Application:

sh Copy code mvn appengine:deploy

7. View the Application:

sh Copy code gcloud app browse

More Complex Web Application Example

1. HelloAppEngine.java:

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package com.example.appengine;
import java.io.IOException;
import javax.servlet.ServletException;
import javax.servlet.http.*;

public class HelloAppEngine extends HttpServlet {
    @Override
    public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp) throws
IOException, ServletException {
        req.getRequestDispatcher("/index.jsp").forward(req, resp);
    }

    @Override
    public void doPost(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp) throws
IOException {
        String name = req.getParameter("name");
        resp.setContentType("text/plain");
        resp.getWriter().println("Hello, " + name + "!");
    }
}
```

2. index.jsp (Place this in webapp folder):

isp

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3. web.xml (Updated):

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<web-app xmlns="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee"</pre>
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
    xsi:schemaLocation="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee
http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee/web-app 3 1.xsd"
     version="3.1">
     <servlet>
         <servlet-name>HelloAppEngine</servlet-name>
         <servlet-class>com.example.appengine.HelloAppEngine</servlet-class>
     </servlet>
     <servlet-mapping>
         <servlet-name>HelloAppEngine</servlet-name>
          <url-pattern>/</url-pattern>
          <url-pattern>/submit</url-pattern>
      </servlet-mapping>
  </web-app>
```

4. Deploy the Application:

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sh
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mvn appengine:deploy
```

These examples should give you a good starting point for deploying simple web applications on Google App Engine using Python and Java. If you need more advanced features or optimizations, you can refer to the official Google Cloud documentation.

4. Launching of web applications using GAE launcher

ogle App Engine Launcher, part of the Google Cloud SDK, was a GUI tool for managing and deploying p Engine applications. However, it has been deprecated, and the recommended method now is to use the mmand-line tools provided by the Google Cloud SDK.

you still have the GAE Launcher and want to use it, here are the general steps for launching web applications:

Using Google App Engine Launcher

- 1. Install Google App Engine SDK: Download and install the Google App Engine SDK from the Google Cloud SDK download page.
- 2. Create a New Application:
 - Open Google App Engine Launcher.
 - o Go to File > Create New Application.
 - Choose a directory for your application.
 - Set the application ID, which should match the one you created on Google Cloud Console.
 - Set the port number (default is 8080).
 - 3. Add Application Files:
 - o Add your application files (app.yaml, main.py or pom.xml, HelloAppEngine.java etc.) to the directory.
 - 4. Run the Application Locally:
 - Select your application in the launcher.
 - Click the Run button to start your application locally.
 - Open your web browser and go to http://localhost:8080 (or the port you specified) to see your application. 5. Deploy the Application:
 - - Select your application in the launcher.
 - Click the Deploy button.
 - Follow the prompts to deploy your application to Google App Engine.

Using Command-Line Tools (Recommended)

- 1. Install Google Cloud SDK: If you haven't installed it already, follow the instructions here.
- 2. Initialize the SDK:

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3. Create a New Project:

gcloud projects create [YOUR_PROJECT_ID] gcloud config set project [YOUR_PROJECT_ID]

4. Enable App Engine:

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gcloud app create --project=[YOUR_PROJECT_ID]

5. Create Application Files:

Create the directory structure as mentioned in the previous response.

6. Run the Application Locally:

o For Python:

sh Copy code python main.py

o For Java:

sh
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mvn appengine:run

o Open your web browser and go to http://localhost:8080.

7. Deploy the Application:

o For Python:

sh Copy code gcloud app deploy

o For Java:

sh
Copy code
mvn appengine:deploy

o View your application:

sh Copy code gcloud app browse

Example with Command-Line Tools

Python

1. app.yaml:

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2. main.py:

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app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/')
def hello():
    return 'Hello, World!'

if __name__ == '__main__':
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```

3. Deploy and Run:

sh
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gcloud app deploy
gcloud app browse

Java

1. Directory Structure:

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WEB-INF/
appengine-web.xml
web.xml
```

2. pom.xml:

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xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
    xsi:schemaLocation="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0
http://maven.apache.org/xsd/maven-4.0.0.xsd">
    <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>
    <groupId>com.example</groupId>
     <artifactId>helloworld</artifactId>
     <version>1.0-SNAPSHOT
     <packaging>war</packaging>
     <dependencies>
         <dependency>
             <groupId>javax.servlet</groupId>
              <artifactId>javax.servlet-api</artifactId>
              <version>4.0.1
              <scope>provided</scope>
          </dependency>
       </dependencies>
        <build>
           <plugins>
               <plugin>
                   <groupId>com.google.cloud.tools
                   <artifactId>appengine-maven-plugin</artifactId>
                   <version>2.2.0
                </plugin>
            </plugins>
         </build>
      </project>
```

3. HelloAppEngine.java:

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import java.io.IOException;
import javax.servlet.http.*;

public class HelloAppEngine extends HttpServlet {
    @Override
    public void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp) throws

IOException {
        resp.setContentType("text/plain");
        resp.getWriter().println("Hello, World!");
    }
}
```

4. appengine-web.xml:

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<instance-class>F1</instance-class>
</appengine-web-app>
```

web.xml:

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<web-app xmlns="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee"</pre>
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
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http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee/web-app_3_1.xsd"
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         <servlet-name>HelloAppEngine</servlet-name>
         <servlet-class>com.example.appengine.HelloAppEngine/servlet-class>
     </servlet>
     <servlet-mapping>
          <servlet-name>HelloAppEngine</servlet-name>
          <url-pattern>/</url-pattern>
      </servlet-mapping>
  </web-app>
```

6. Deploy and Run:

sh Copy code mvn appengine:deploy gcloud app browse

Using the command-line tools provides more flexibility and is more up-to-date with current best practices.

5. Creating a cloud environment using CloudSim and run a scheduling algorithm that is not present in CloudSim

Creating a cloud environment using CloudSim and running a custom scheduling algorithm involves several steps. Below is a step-by-step guide to get you started with CloudSim, including creating a custom scheduling algorithm.

Step 1: Setting Up CloudSim

Download CloudSim:

Visit the CloudSim GitHub repository: <u>CloudSim GitHub</u>

Download the latest release or clone the repository.

2. Set Up Your Development Environment:

- Make sure you have a Java Development Kit (JDK) installed. You can download the latest JDK from the <u>Oracle website</u> or use OpenJDK.
- Use an Integrated Development Environment (IDE) like Eclipse or IntelliJ IDEA for easier project management and coding.

3. Import CloudSim Project into Your IDE:

- Open your IDE and create a new Java project.
- o Import the downloaded CloudSim library into your project.

Step 2: Create a Custom Scheduling Algorithm

1. Understand Existing Schedulers:

Review existing scheduling algorithms in CloudSim to understand how they are implemented.
 Common classes include VmAllocationPolicy, VmScheduler, and CloudletScheduler.

2. Implement a Custom Scheduler:

Create a new class that extends one of the base scheduler classes, such as VmAllocationPolicy.

Example: Custom VM Allocation Policy

Here's an example of creating a custom VM allocation policy:

```
java
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import org.cloudbus.cloudsim.Vm;
import org.cloudbus.cloudsim.core.CloudSim;
import org.cloudbus.cloudsim.Host;
import org.cloudbus.cloudsim.VmAllocationPolicy;
 import java.util.ArrayList;
 import java.util.List;
 public class CustomVmAllocationPolicy extends VmAllocationPolicy {
     private List<Host> hostList;
      public CustomVmAllocationPolicy(List<? extends Host> list) {
          super(list);
          this.hostList = new ArrayList<>(list);
       goverride
       public boolean allocateHostForVm(Vm vm) {
           for (Host host : hostList) {
               if (host.isSuitableForVm(vm)) {
                   return host.vmCreate(vm);
            return false;
         @Override
```

```
public void deallocateHostForVm(Vm vm) {
    Host host = vm.getHost();
    if (host != null) {
        host.vmDestroy(vm);
    }
}

@Override
public Host getHost(Vm vm) {
    return vm.getHost();
}

@Override
public Host getHost(int vmId, int userId) {
    for (Host host : hostList) {
        Vm vm = host.getVm(vmId, userId);
        if (vm != null) {
            return host;
        }
    }
    return null;
}
```

Step 3: Integrate the Custom Scheduler with CloudSim

1. Create a Simulation Class:

 Create a class that initializes the CloudSim environment, creates datacenters, hosts, VMs, and cloudlets.

2. Use the Custom Scheduler:

Integrate your custom scheduler into the simulation setup.

Example: Setting Up a CloudSim Simulation

Here's a basic setup for running a CloudSim simulation with the custom scheduler:

```
CloudSim.init(numUsers, calendar, traceFlag);
 // Create Datacenter
 Datacenter datacenter = createDatacenter("Datacenter_0");
 // Create Broker
 DatacenterBroker broker = new DatacenterBroker("Broker");
  // Create VMs and Cloudlets
  List<Vm> vmList = createVMs(broker.getId(), 5);
  List<Cloudlet> cloudletList = createCloudlets(broker.getId(), 10);
   // Submit VM list to the broker
   broker.submitVmList(vmList);
   // Submit cloudlet list to the broker
    broker.submitCloudletList(cloudletList);
     // Start simulation
     CloudSim.startSimulation();
     List<Cloudlet> newList = broker.getCloudletReceivedList();
      CloudSim.stopSimulation();
      printCloudletList(newList);
   } catch (Exception e) {
       e.printStackTrace();
       System.out.println("Simulation error: " + e.getMessage());
private static Datacenter createDatacenter(String name) {
   List<Host> hostList = new ArrayList<>();
    int mips = 1000;
    int ram = 2048; // host memory (MB)
long storage = 1000000; // host storage
     int bw = 10000;
     List<Pe> peList = new ArrayList<>();
      peList.add(new Pe(0, new PeProvisionerSimple(mips)));
      hostList.add(new Host(
          new RamProvisionerSimple(ram),
           new BwProvisionerSimple(bw),
           storage,
           peList,
           new VmSchedulerTimeShared(peList)
        String arch = "x86"; // system architecture
String os = "Linux"; // operating system
        String vmm = "Xen";
         double time_zone = 10.0; // time zone this resource located
```

```
double cost = 3.0; // the cost of using processing in this resource
      double costPerMem = 0.05; // the cost of using memory in this resource
      double costPerStorage = 0.1; // the cost of using storage in this resource
      double costPerBw = 0.1; // the cost of using bw in this resource
       DatacenterCharacteristics characteristics = new DatacenterCharacteristics(
            arch, os, vmm, hostList, time_zone, cost, costPerMem, costPerStorage,
costPerBw);
         try (
             return new Datacenter(name, characteristics, new
 CustomVmAllocationPolicy(hostList), new LinkedList<Storage>(), 0);
          } catch (Exception e) {
              e.printStackTrace();
           return null;
        private static List<Vm> createVMs(int userId, int vms) {
            List<Vm> list = new ArrayList<>();
             long size = 10000; // image size (MB)
             int ram = 512; // vm memory (MB)
             int mips = 250;
              long bw = 1000;
              int pesNumber = 1; // number of cpus
               String vmm = "Xen"; // VMM name
                   list.add(new Vm(i, userId, mips, pesNumber, ram, bw, size, vmm, new
               for (int i = 0; i < vms; i++) {
        CloudletSchedulerTimeShared()));
              }
                return list;
              private static List<Cloudlet> createCloudlets(int userId, int cloudlets) {
                  List<Cloudlet> list = new ArrayList<>();
                   long length = 40000;
                   int pesNumber = 1;
                   long fileSize = 300;
                    long outputSize = 300;
                    UtilizationModel utilizationModel = new UtilizationModelFull();
                     for (int i = 0; i < cloudlets; i++) {
             cloudlet cloudlet = new Cloudlet(i, length, pesNumber, fileSize, outputSize, utilizationModel, utilizationModel, utilizationModel);
                         cloudlet.setUserId(userId);
                         list.add(cloudlet);
                      return list;
```

```
private static void printCloudletList(List<Cloudlet> list) {
      int size = list.size();
      cloudlet cloudlet;
      String indent = "
       System.out.println();
       System.out.println("====== OUTPUT =======");
       System.out.println("Cloudlet ID" + indent + "STATUS" + indent +
           "Data center ID" + indent + "VM ID" + indent + "Time" + indent + "Start
Time" + indent + "Finish Time");
        DecimalFormat dft = new DecimalFormat("###.##");
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
            System.out.print(indent + cloudlet.getCloudletId() + indent + indent);
            cloudlet = list.get(i);
             if (cloudlet.getCloudletStatus() == Cloudlet.SUCCESS) {
                 System.out.print("SUCCESS");
                 System.out.println(indent + indent + cloudlet.getResourceId() + indent
                      indent + indent + dft.format(cloudlet.getActualCPUTime()) +
  + indent + indent + cloudlet.getVmId() +
                      indent + indent + dft.format(cloudlet.getExecStartTime()) + indent
  + indent + dft.format(cloudlet.getFinishTime()));
```

In this example, CustomVmAllocationPolicy is a simple custom VM allocation policy, and the CustomSchedulerExample class sets up and runs a CloudSim simulation using this custom policy.

You can further customize the VM allocation policy and the simulation setup based on your specific requirements. This example should give you a good starting point for working with CloudSim and implementing custom scheduling algorithms.

6. Transferring the files from one virtual machine to another virtual machine

Transferring files between virtual machines (VMs) can be achieved using several methods depending on the operating systems involved, network setup, and specific tools available. Here, I will outline a few common methods for both Linux and Windows VMs.

Method 1: Using SCP (Secure Copy Protocol)

Linux to Linux

1. Install SSH: Ensure that SSH is installed and running on both VMs.

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sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install openssh-server
sudo systemctl start ssh
sudo systemctl enable ssh
```

2. Transfer Files:

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scp /path/to/local/file username@remote host:/path/to/remote/destination
```

Example:

```
sh
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scp /home/user/file.txt user@192.168.1.2:/home/user/
```

Linux to Windows

1. **Install SSH Server on Windows**: If not already installed, install an SSH server on the Windows machine. OpenSSH can be installed via PowerShell:

```
powershell
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Add-WindowsCapability -Online -Name OpenSSH.Server~~~0.0.1.0
Start-Service sshd
Set-Service -Name sshd -StartupType 'Automatic'
```

2. Transfer Files:

```
sh
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scp /path/to/local/file username@windows_host:/path/to/remote/destination
```

Example:

```
sh
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scp /home/user/file.txt user@192.168.1.3;C:/Users/user/
```

Method 2: Using rsync (for Linux VMs)

1. Install rsync: Ensure that rsync is installed on both VMs.

```
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sudo apt-get install rsync
```

2. Transfer Files:

```
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rsync -avz /path/to/local/file username@remote_host:/path/to/remote/destination
Example:
```

```
sh
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rsync -avz /home/user/file.txt user@192.168.1.2:/home/user/
```

Method 3: Using SFTP (Secure File Transfer Protocol)

- 1. Install SFTP Client: Use an SFTP client like sftp command-line tool or graphical clients like FileZilla.
- 2. Transfer Files:

```
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sftp username@remote_host
put /path/to/local/file /path/to/remote/destination
```

Example:

```
Copy code
sftp user@192.168.1.2
put /home/user/file.txt /home/user/
```

Method 4: Using Cloud Storage

If your VMs are hosted on a cloud provider (like AWS, GCP, or Azure), you can use cloud storage as an intermediary:

AWS S3

1. Upload to S3:

```
Copy code aws s3 cp /path/to/local/file s3://your-bucket-name/path/to/destination
```

2. Download from S3:

```
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aws s3 cp s3://your-bucket-name/path/to/destination /path/to/local/destination
```

1. Upload to GCP Storage:

```
sh
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gsutil cp /path/to/local/file gs://your-bucket-name/path/to/destination
```

2. Download from GCP Storage:

```
sh
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gsutil cp gs://your-bucket-name/path/to/destination /path/to/local/destination
```

Method 5: Using Shared Network Folders

Windows to Windows

- 1. Set Up Shared Folder: Share a folder on the source VM and set appropriate permissions.
- 2. Access Shared Folder: On the destination VM, map the shared folder or directly access it using the network path:

```
cmd
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net use X: \\remote_host\shared_folder
copy X:\file.txt C:\destination
```

Linux to Linux

1. Install NFS:

```
sh
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sudo apt-get install nfs-kernel-server
```

2. Export Directory: Edit /etc/exports on the source VM:

```
bash
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/path/to/share *(rw,sync,no_root_squash,no_subtree_check)
```

3. Mount Shared Directory:

```
sh
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sudo mount remote_host:/path/to/share /path/to/mount
```

Example: Transferring Files with SCP

Scenario: Transferring example. txt from VM1 to VM2

1. On VM1 (Source):

```
sh
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scp /home/user/example.txt user@192.168.1.2:/home/user/
```

2. On VM2 (Destination): Verify the file transfer:

Copy code ls /home/user/

Conclusion

These methods provide a variety of ways to transfer files between VMs depending on your specific setup and requirements. If you are using a cloud provider, leveraging their storage solutions can simplify the process. For on-premise VMs or those without cloud storage, SCP, rsync, and SFTP are reliable options.

7. Find a procedure to launch virtual machine using trystack (Online Openstack Demo Version)

TryStack is an online OpenStack demo environment that allows users to test and explore OpenStack functionalities without the need to install anything locally. Here's a step-by-step guide to launching a virtual machine (VM) using TryStack:

Step 1: Sign Up and Log In

- 1. Sign Up for TryStack:
 - Go to the TryStack website: <u>TryStack</u>.
 - Sign up for an account using your email or social media accounts.

2. Log In to TryStack:

Log in to your TryStack account with your credentials.

step 2: Access the Horizon Dashboard

Navigate to the Horizon Dashboard:

 After logging in, you will be redirected to the OpenStack Horizon Dashboard. This is the web-based interface for managing your OpenStack resources.

Step 3: Launch an Instance

- 1. Navigate to the Instances Page:
 - o From the left-hand menu, click on "Project" > "Compute" > "Instances".
- 2. Launch an Instance:
 - Click the "Launch Instance" button at the top of the page.
- 3. Configure Your Instance:
 - o Details:
 - Instance Name: Enter a name for your instance.
 - Availability Zone: Select an availability zone (if applicable).
 - Source:
 - Select Boot Source: Choose "Image".
 - Create New Volume: Select "No".
 - Image Name: Select an image from the available list (e.g., "Ubuntu", "CentOS").
 - o Flavor:
 - Select Flavor: Choose a flavor that matches your requirements (e.g., m1.tiny for a
 - Networks:
 - Network: Select the network to which your instance will connect. This is typically
 - **Security Groups:**
 - Security Group: Select a security group that has appropriate rules for accessing your instance (e.g., allow SSH and HTTP).
 - Key Pair:
 - Key Pair: Select an existing key pair or create a new one. This is used for SSH access to your instance. If creating a new key pair, make sure to download the
 - 4. Launch:
 - o Click the "Launch" button at the bottom right corner.

Step 4: Access Your Instance

- 1. Check Instance Status:
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 Wait for your instance to move from the "Spawning" state to the "Active" state. This may
- 2. Obtain Instance Details: