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Multi-Clustering Access Control Based on Access Control Lists under Edge Computing

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1.Summary

1.1 Motivation

The paper performs a gap analysis by examining the limitations of current technology in controlling access to small-scale, scattered edge clusters. This sets the stage for proposing a new solution.

1.2 Contribution

The access control system consists of authoritative and non-authoritative clusters, where the authoritative cluster generates and synchronizes policies to non-authoritative clusters. The access control policies include various scopes such as Namespace, Node, Agent, Operator, Quota, Host_Volume, and Plugin.

1.3 Methodology

The application of ACLs in the context of edge computing aims to provide a scalable and flexible way to control access to resources across multiple edge clusters.

1.4 Conclusion

In conclusion, the proposed edge multi-cluster access control system based on access control lists addresses the challenges posed by the unique characteristics of edge computing environments.

2.Limitations

2.1 First Limitation

As the study was done based on edge computing, here, specifically focusing on small-scale edge clusters that are scattered and numerous.

2.2 Second Limitation

The proposed system aims to enable secure and unified access control for edge clusters, considering the challenges posed by computing-intensive and low-latency business scenarios such as AR/VR, high-definition video, and autonomous driving.

3.Synthesis

The paper focuses on the limitations of traditional cloud computing access control mechanisms in handling numerous small-scale. Future work could explore how the proposed access control system can adapt to larger and more diverse edge cluster environments.