

Task scheduling.

Whenever we have a set of tasks t_i and to check if this set is schedulable, we need to check if it exceeds CPU utilization or not.

$$t_i = (C_i, T_i, D_i)$$

C_i : CPU time that t_i will take to complete its execution.

T_i : the time interval after which t_i 's second instance will be released.

D_i : the deadline before which that t_i should complete its execution.

$D_i = T_i$ is common assumption for real time task system
high priority
What is Real time task RTOS

Def: Tasks that must complete within strict time to ensure system correctness. (deadline)

→ Time-critical (hard deadline).

Execute at regular intervals.

Execute time must be bounded and known.

high priority, React quickly to external events.

scheduling req:

which means summing up all utilization of CPU per task T_i is still not max which is 100% of CPU capacity.

1. Must check CPU utilization: $\sum C_i / T_i \leq 1$.

2. Common algo: RMS, EDF (earliest deadline first).
(Rate Monotonic)

ex. ABS brake control - execute every 10ms.

汽車ABS制動系統

Video decoding - process frame every 33ms.

Sensor data sampling - read every 100ms.

Game rendering - render every 16ms.

Flight Control System - continuous monitoring,

low priority

VS. Batch tasks.

Def: Tasks can be collected and processed together, without strict timing constraints.

→ Non time-critical, Deferrable, Bulk processing, Background execution. Throughput-oriented.

ex. Data base backup.

bank statement.

Bulk email sending

log processing

for single processors that should exist a func $\sigma(t)$ ^(sigma) which maps t to a set of tasks containing runnable and idle tasks, $\sigma(t): t \rightarrow TU(T_{idle})$

for multiprocessors (setup with M CPUs)

$\sigma(t)$ should map to a matrix of task ^{single shared ready queue}
 $\sigma(t) := \begin{bmatrix} T_1 \\ T_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad M=2, \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{global scheduling for all CPUs.} \\ \text{partition.} \end{array} \right.$
^{each CPU has its own task queue.}

Dhall's Effect.

Even if $\sum \frac{C_i}{T_i} \leq M$, tasks set may still be unschedulable on M processors!

ex. M processors, $M+1$ tasks

M heavy tasks $(T, T, T) \rightarrow$ utilization ≈ 1 each.

1 light task $(1, T, T) \rightarrow \dots \approx 0.$

total $\Rightarrow M+1/T.$

as $T \rightarrow \infty$: utilization $\Rightarrow M$ (seems ok.)

Reality: M heavy tasks occupy all processors,

\hookrightarrow light task can't execute \rightarrow Miss ddl.

⇒ hard limit task: Task with utilization close to 1.0.
In this case, EDF, RM can't be used, because they're not meant for hard tasks.

Takeaway:

Total utilization $\leq M \neq$ schedulable!

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CBS Constant Bandwidth Server, *Used in RTOS (real time tasks where they have strict deadline. hard limit tasks).*

- Reserve fixed CBU bandwidth for each task.
- Task allocation: $\tau_i = (\underbrace{Q_i}_{\text{Budget (quota (max runtime))}}, P_i) \rightarrow \text{guarantee.}$
Budget depleted \rightarrow task throttled.
(over) (CPU %)

If task wants more Q_i ,
| decrease priority.
| wait for next period.

- maintain dynamic deadline.
 - } Execution history
 - } Allocated bandwidth.
 - current budget.

The CBS algo ensures that when a task wake up, it will get its share of CPU After the allotted wait time.

Linux default scheduler for normal tasks, CFS complete Fair Scheduler

→ care about if all processes get the fair share of their resources, not specialized for RT (like CBS)

terminology:

→ more weight, more priority.

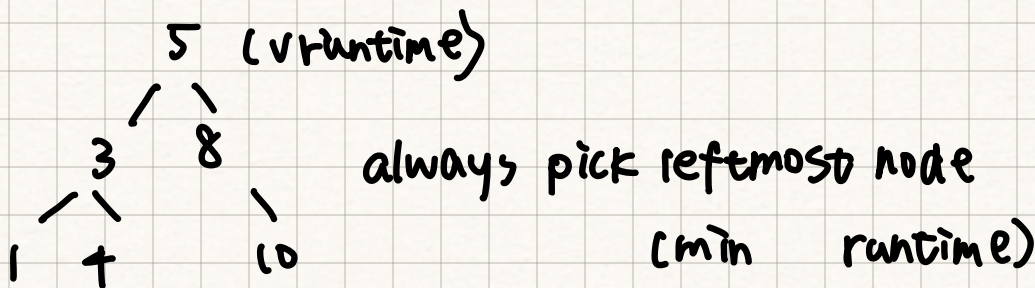
weight (nice value) -20 (highest) $\sim +19$ (lowest)

Timeslice: Dynamic interval, each task runs at least one.
(not fixed)

virtual runtime (vruntime): $= \text{actual runtime} \times$

→ ex. high priority = vruntime grows slowly, (weight of default / weight of task)
(low nice value)
vice versa.

Runqueue: Red-Block Tree.



How CFS work?

1. Pick task with MIN (vruntime)
2. Run for calculated timeslice.
3. Update vruntime based on weight.
4. Re-insert into RBTree.
5. Repeat..

ex. Task A: weight = 1024 (normal)

B: weight = 2048 (high priority)

same actual runtime:

$$\text{Task A vruntime} = 100\text{ms} \times 1024/1024 = 100.$$

$$B = 100\text{ms} \times 1024/2048 = 50.$$

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run more

(lower vruntime)

★ Formula

Ideal runtime: $\text{sched-period} \times (\text{task weight} / \text{total weight})$

prevent too small timeslice.

Bottom line: CFS ensures cpu time proportional to weight ratio.
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