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Report – Project 3

Experimental setup:

Programming Language : Java

Operating system : Linux (CentOS distribution)

Hardware:

Processor - Dual 8-core Intel Xeon E5-2680 2.7Ghz

Type of locking – Coarse grained & Fine Grained Locking

The experiment is done with varying the following parameters –

Number of threads – 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32

Key Space - 1000, 10000, 100000, 1000000

Relative distribution – A, B, C where

A indicates read-dominated operation (90% search, 9% insert and 1% delete)

B indicates mixed operation (70% search, 20% insert and 10% delete)

C indicates write-dominated operation (0% search, 50% insert and 50% delete)

Each data point in the graphs are averaged over 10 runs

External libraries – none

Verification Procedure –

- The constructed BST with external representation is verified by checking if all the nodes are satisfying the BST property where in left child has lesser value than root as well as the right child has value greater than or equal to that of root.
- Also an in-order traversal is performed on the tree and the result output is checked if it is in sorted order
- Every node value in the final tree is checked for maximum occurrence of two times

Through put measured – Number of operations completed per 1 ms

Synchronization Algorithms used:

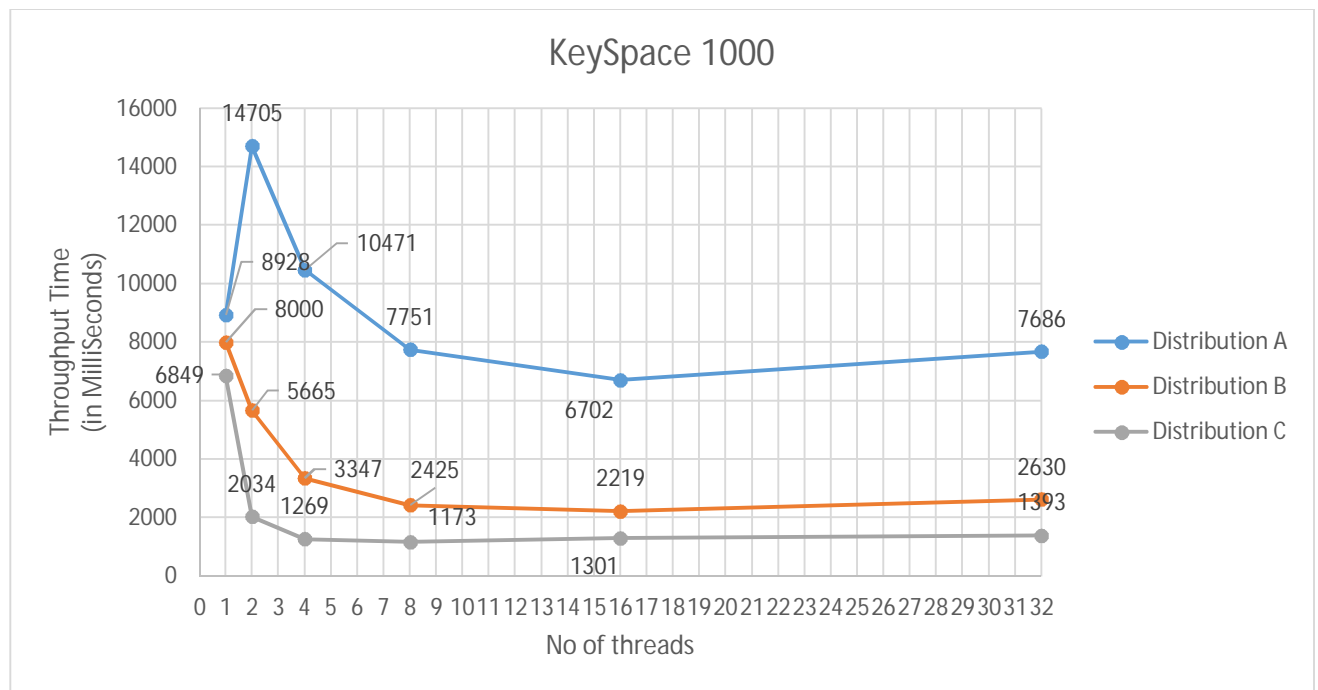
1. Coarse Grained locking
2. Fine-grained locking using Lazy Synchronization

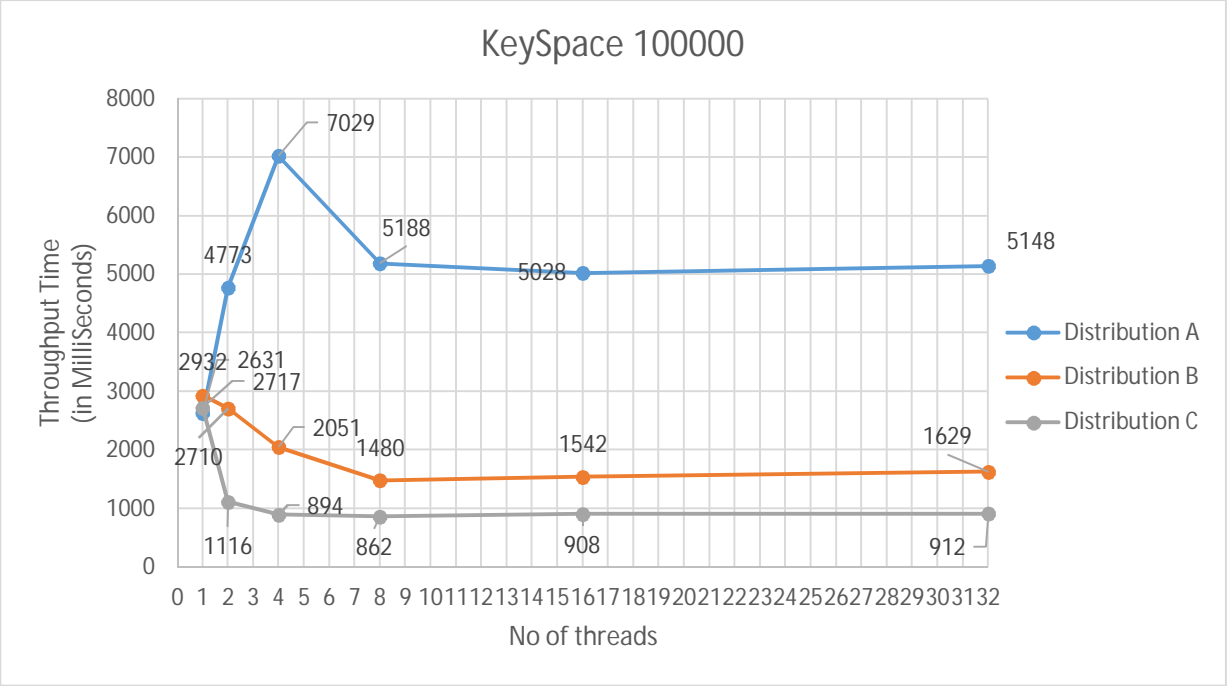
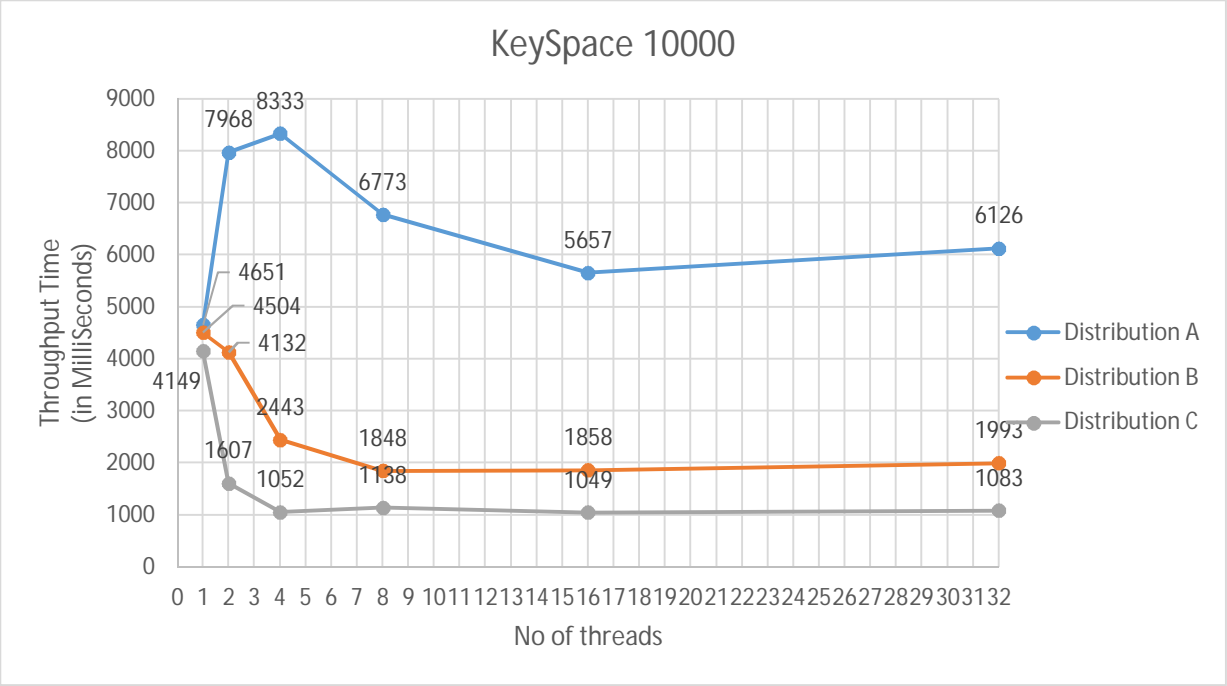
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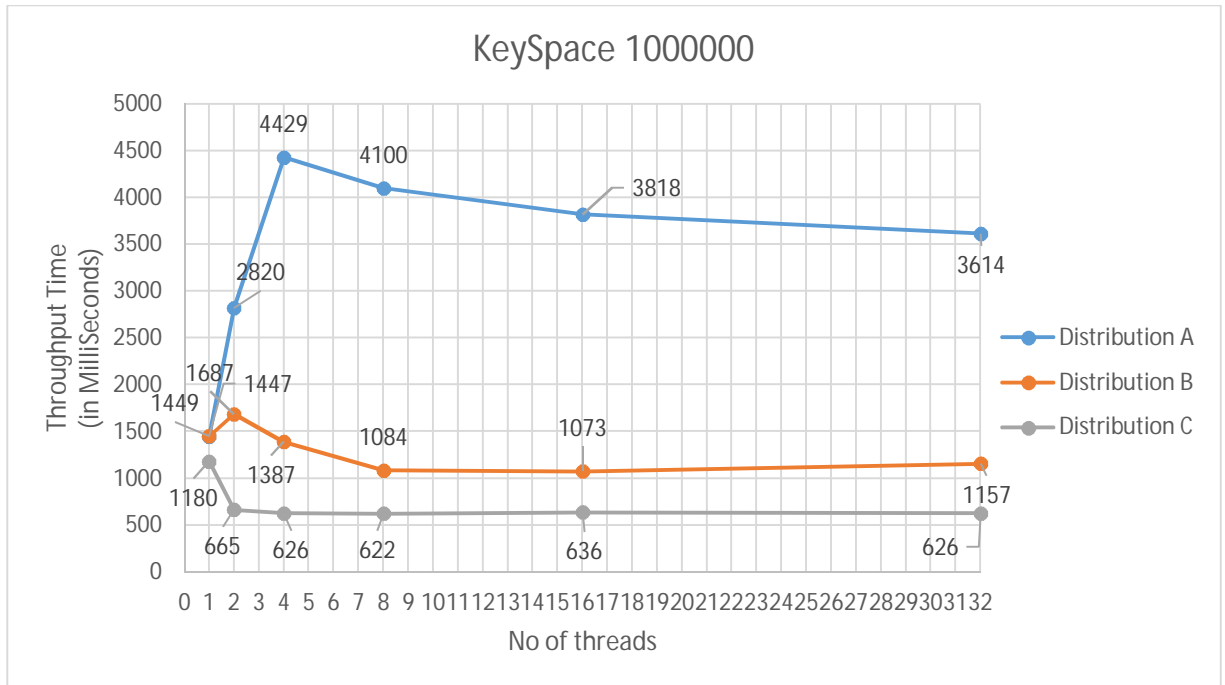
Each data point in the below shown results are averaged over 10 runs

Coarse Grained Locking:

Below are the results for Coarse Grained Locking with each graph for different keyspaces:

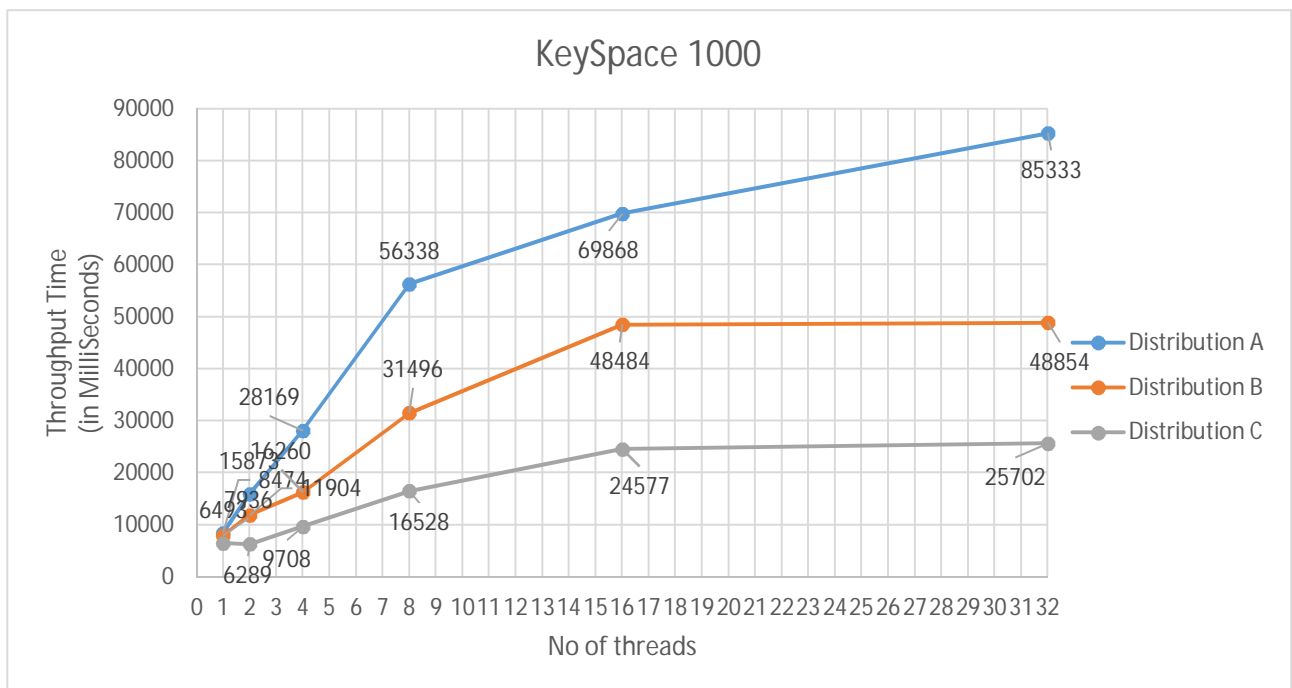


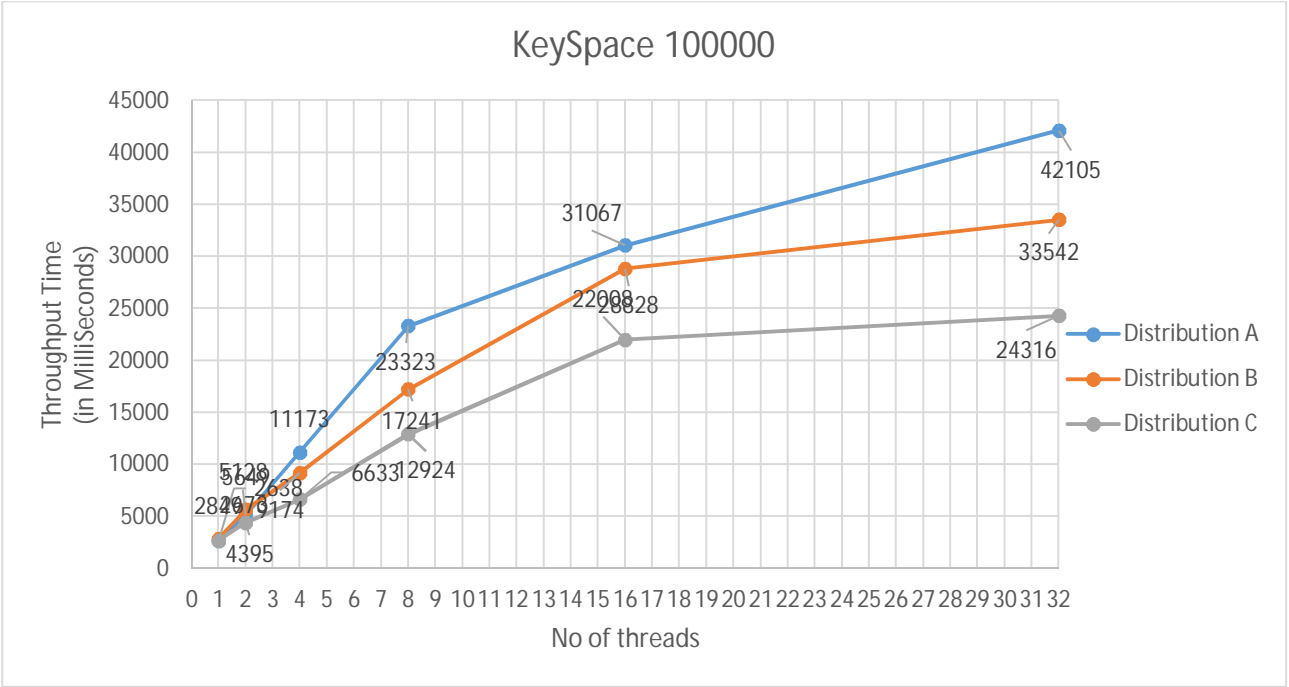
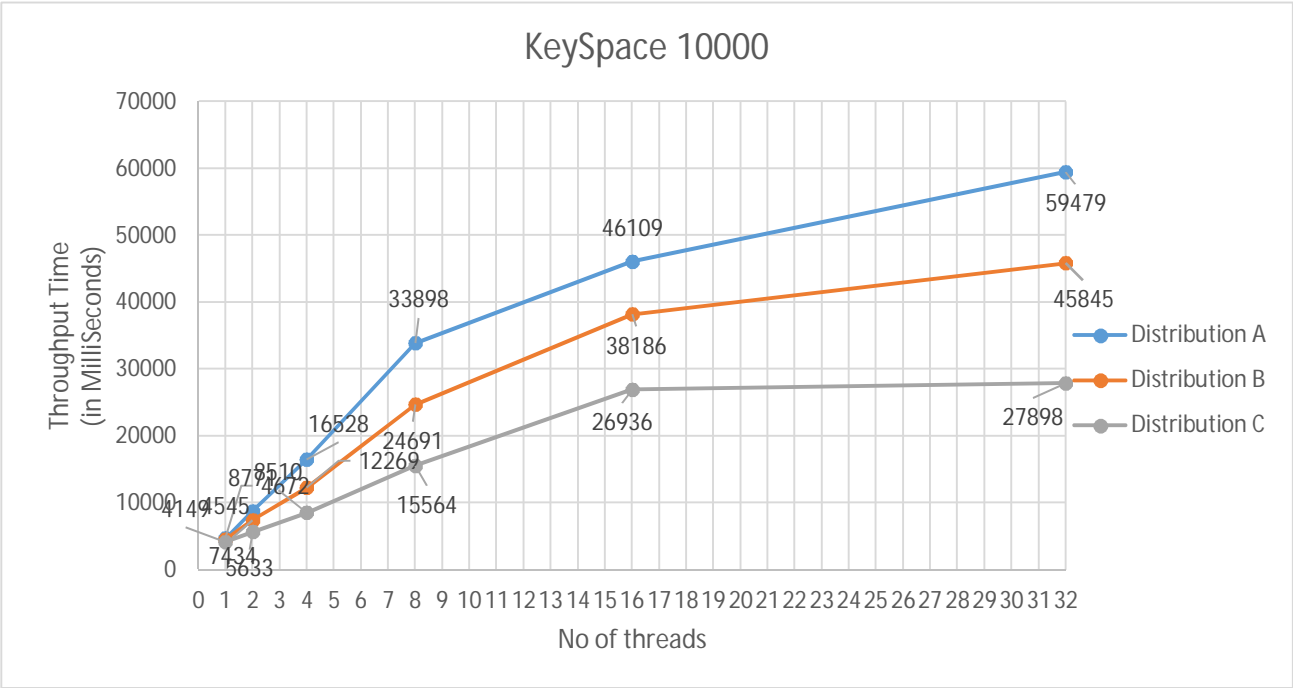


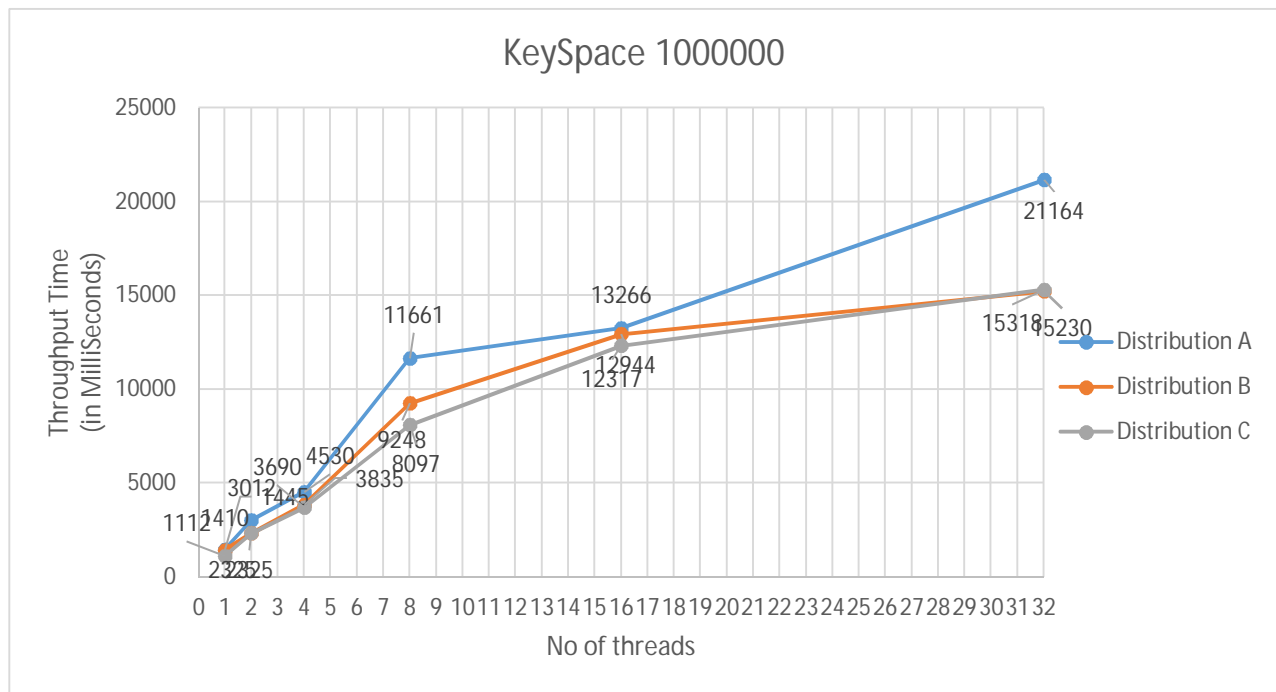


Fine Grained Locking:

Below are the results for Fine Grained Locking with each graph for different keyspaces:







Observations:

From the above readings, we confirm that:

1. Read dominated operation gives better throughput than either mixed or write dominated operation as it involves lesser locks than the other two types.
2. In Fine Grained Locking, as the no of threads increases, the throughput increases. This is more evident than in coarse grained locking where the throughput does not change significantly as the no of threads increases. This is because the thread locks the BST in coarse grained locking even if no other thread is updating the same region.
3. Also as the key space increases, the throughput decreases in both types of locking.
4. Throughput performance of the fine grained locking on average is ten times better than that of the coarse grained locking.