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Abstract

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1 Introduction

This document summarizes the heuristic algorithm and the algorithm of offline model.

2 Mathematics

2.1 Network model

The subsection describes the network model following the P2MP transfer problem.

2.2 Heuristic Algorithm

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Algorithm 1 Semi-flexible Transfer Source, compared to Completed-flexible Transfer Source
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Input: req = (s, d^1, ..., d^m, f, t^{start}, t^{end});
         \mathcal{P}_{u,v} = \{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_k\}: k-shortest paths between the datacenter u and v;
         c_{e,t}: residual link bandwidth on link e \in E at time t \in [t^{start}, t^{end}].
Output: r = \{0, 1\}: the current request whether be accepted or not.
 1: src \leftarrow \{s\}
2: dst \leftarrow \{d^1, ..., d^m\}
 3: r \leftarrow 0
 4: while |dst| > 0 do
        for s = 0 \rightarrow |src| - 1 do
 5:
            for d = 0 \rightarrow |dst| - 1 do
 6:
                computing transfer time from src[s] to dst[d] and then geting a matrix T[s,d];
 7:
 8:
 9:
        end for
        finding the minimum time from T and with the corresponding longtitude and latitude,
10:
11:
        [s min, d min]
13: end while
14: return r
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2.3 Offline Model and XXX Algorithm

The first paragraph: REVIEW.

Determining transfer sources: We use a binary $h_{i,u}^t$ to denote whether any one of datacenters u can serve as the transfer source at time $t \in [0, T]$ for $req_i \in \mathcal{R}$. For one of requests, we certainly have

$$\forall i, u, t : h_{i,u}^t src_{i,u} = (survival)_i^t \tag{1}$$

$$\forall i, u, t : h_{i,u}^t dst_{i,u} \le (survival)_i^t \tag{2}$$

$$\forall i, u, t : h_{i,u}^t (1 - src_{i,u} - dst_{i,u}) = 0$$
(3)

where contant $(survival)_i^t$, $src_{i,u}$ and $dst_{i,u}$ as binary respectively denote the real lifetime, the possible source datacenters at time $t \in [0, T]$, the required destination datacenters for a request. While for any datacenters, it can become an available transfer source at time t if it has received the complete package of data f by the end of timeslot t-1 for any requests:

$$\forall i, t, v : \sum_{\tau=0}^{t-1} \sum_{u, v \neq v} x_{i, u, v}^{\tau} \ge f_i h_{i, v}^t \tag{4}$$

where $x_{i,u,v}^{\tau} \geq 0$ represents the data volume received at destination v from datacenter u at time $\tau \in [0, t-1]$ for i^{th} request. Meanwhlie, a datacenter u is able to transfer data to datacenter $v, v \neq u$ only if it is an available transfer source:

$$\forall i, t, u, v, u \neq v : x_{i,u,v}^t \le f_i h_{i,u}^t \tag{5}$$

To be practical, each destination v is restricted to set up transfer connection with a single source datacenter in the process of data delivery:

$$\forall i, v, u \neq v : \sum_{u, u \neq v} z_{i, u, v} = 1 \tag{6}$$

where binary $z_{i,u,v}$ denote whether datacenter u is the transfer source of destination v for i^{th} request. Clearly, there should be

$$\forall i, t, u, v, u \neq v : x_{i,u,v}^t \le f_i z_{i,u,v} \tag{7}$$

Allocating available bandwidth resources: Let $y_{i,u,v,p}^t$ denote the bandwidth resources that allocated along the routing path P from datacenter u to datacenter v at time t for i^{th} request. The allocations are feasible if:

$$\forall i, t, u, v, u \neq v : \sum_{p \in \mathcal{P}_{u,v}} \alpha y_{i,u,v,p}^t \ge x_{i,u,v}^t \tag{8}$$

$$\forall e, t : \sum_{i} \sum_{u} \sum_{v} \sum_{p \in \mathcal{P}_{u,v}} y_{i,u,v,p}^{t} I(e \in P) \le c_{e,t}$$

$$\tag{9}$$

where contant α denotes the length of each time slot and expression $\sum_i \sum_u \sum_v \sum_{p \in \mathcal{P}_{u,v}} y_{i,u,v,p}^t I(e \in P)$ denotes the amount of traffic on link e at time $t \in [0,T]$ for all of requests. Equation (8) states that the allocated routing and bandwidth resources should at least be capable of transferring the damanding data size for i^{th} request; Equation (9) expresses the link load is restricted to not exceed the capacity to avoid link congestion. Meanwhlie, if the real numbers of path between u and v less than the default path number, there should be:

$$\forall i, t, u, v, u \neq v : y_{i,u,v,n}^t \leq plen_{u,v,v} f_i \tag{10}$$

where binary contant $plen_{u,v,p}$ denotes whether the p^{th} path between u and v exists or not. **Guaranteeing deadline for each request:** This needs us to ensure the data transfer can be completed before the deadline for every destination datacenter. Let binary $\omega_{i,d}$ denotes whether the destination v has received all the data before deadline for the i^{th} request. Guaranteeing the dealine for destination v requires the transfer to be completed no later than time T. So we have

$$\forall i, v : \sum_{t=0}^{T} \sum_{u, u \neq v} x_{i, u, v}^{t} \ge f_{i} \omega_{i, v}$$

$$\tag{11}$$

Let binary r_i denotes the i^{th} request whether be accepted. If the number of completed destinations equals to the number of required destinations for a request, we accept the request and transfer the required size data during the scheduled transfer period. Clearly, there should be

$$\forall i: \sum_{v} \omega_{i,v} = r_i M_i \tag{12}$$

where contant M_i denotes the number of destinations for the i^{th} request.

Maximizing the accepted requests: Our offline model for verifying the basic algorithm is straightforward and is summarized in Algorithm 4. Given G and the set R including all of deadline-constrained P2MP transfer requests at time $t \in [0, T]$, our goal is to maximize the number of accepted requests before time T through solving the corresponding MIP problem in Algorithm 4.

XXX Algorithm

Algorithm 4

1: Input:

 $\mathcal{R} = \{req_1, req_2, \dots, req_i, \dots, req_n\}$: all of the requests arrived at time $\mathbf{t} \in [0, T]$; $req_i = (s_i, d_i^1, \dots, d_i^m, f_i, t_i^{start}, t_i^{end})$: a transfer request; $\mathcal{P}_{u,v} = \{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_k\}$: k-shortest paths between the datacenter u and v; $c_{e,t}$: residual link bandwidth on link $e \in E$ at time $\mathbf{t} \in [0, T]$;

2: output:

Return the completion status r_i in the solution of the following problem:

$$\max \sum_{r_i \in \mathcal{R}} r_i$$

s.t. constrains
$$(1)\sim(12)$$