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Exercise 1

Client Machine

CPU - i7 5500U

RAM - 8 GB

Server Machine

CPU - i5-3210M RAM - 4 GB

Setup

The client and server are connected through a router via ethernet cables.

Disk Bandwidth

The server has a disk read speed of about 53 MB/s which we calculated by running the disk command and using iostat. This gives us about 26.5 requests/sec for our 2MB files.

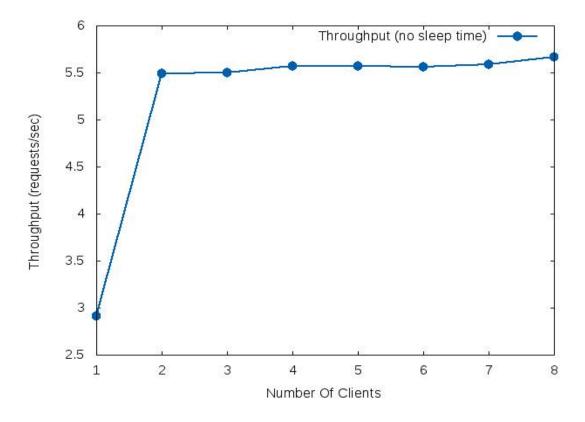
Network Bandwidth

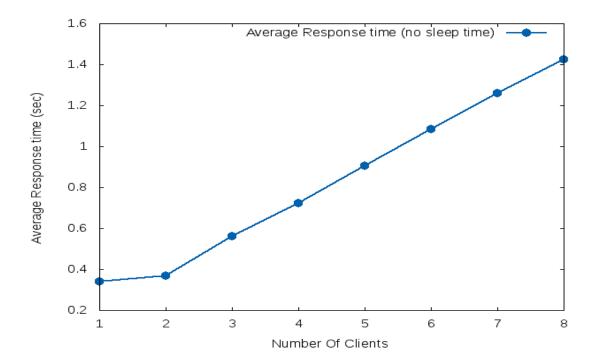
Used iperf -c <Server-IP> on client and iperf -s on server to find network bandwidth. The network bandwidth in our setup is about 94.2 Mbps, which is justifiable because we are connected using Ethernet.

This roughly translates to 5.71 requests/sec for file size of 2MB.

Exercise 2

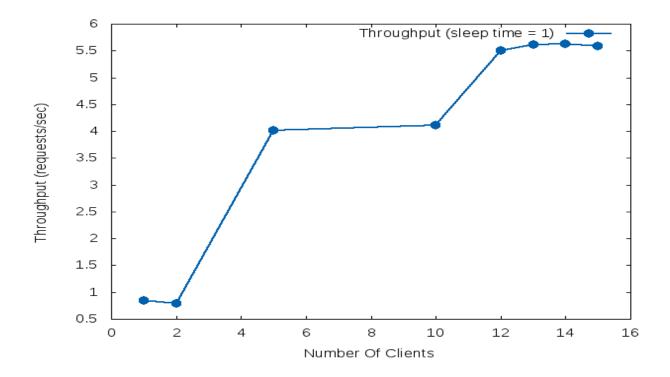
- a. For 0 sleep time, the throughput saturates at 5.66 requests/sec for N = 2 threads.
- b. We plotted number of threads in the client (N) against the throughput and average response time for N = 1 to 8. We observe that we achieve the maximum throughput for N = 2 after that it saturates. The throughput saturates at about 5.66 requests/sec. The average response time increases with increase in number of threads. This is because of increased number of requests at a time at server. The waiting time for accessing the network link to send file increases and hence the response time increases.
- c. At saturation the bottleneck resource is network bandwidth. The throughput observed by experiment (5.66 req/sec)is approximately equal to the limiting bandwidth of the network.
- d. The saturation throughput is 5.66 req/sec, which is equal to the limiting bandwidth of the network.

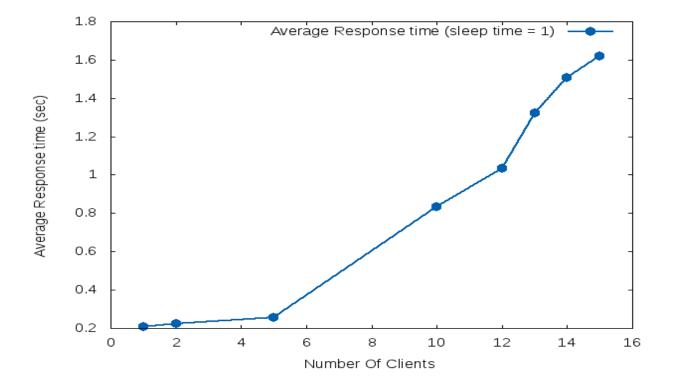




Exercise 3

- a. For 0 sleep time, the throughput saturates at 5.61 requests/sec for N = 13 threads.
- b. We plotted number of threads in the client (N) against the throughput and average response time. We observe that we achieve the maximum throughput for N = 13 after that it saturates. The throughput saturates at about 5.61 requests/sec. The average response time increases with increase in number of threads. This is because of increased number of requests at a time at server. The waiting time for accessing the network link to send file increases and hence the response time increases.
- c. At saturation the bottleneck resource is network bandwidth. The throughput observed by experiment (5.61 req/sec)is approximately equal to the limiting bandwidth of the network.
- d. The throughput at saturation is 5.61 req/sec, which is same as the limiting bandwidth of the network.





Exercise 4

- a. For a fixed file, the throughput saturates at 5.64 requests/sec for N = 13 threads.
- b. We plotted number of threads in the client (N) against the throughput and average response time. We observe that we achieve the maximum throughput for N = 2 after that it saturates. The throughput saturates at about 5.64 requests/sec. The average response time increases with increase in number of threads. This is because of increased number of requests at a time at server. The waiting time for accessing the network link to send file increases and hence the response time increases.
- c. At saturation the bottleneck resource is network bandwidth. The throughput observed by experiment (5.64 req/sec)is approximately equal to the limiting bandwidth of the network.
- d. The throughput at saturation is 5.64 req/sec, which is equal to the limiting bandwidth of the network.

