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MODULE TxCure
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      Transactional Cure Protocol without Strong Transactions.
      TODO:
      - Values are irrelevant.
    EXTENDS Naturals, FiniteSets, TLC, SequenceUtils, RelationUtils, MathUtils
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    CONSTANTS
         Key,
                           the set of keys, ranged over by k \in Key
12
         Value,
                           the set of values, ranged over by v \in Value
13
         Client,
                           the set of clients, ranged over by c \in Client
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         Partition,
                           the set of partitions, ranged over by p \in Partition
         Datacenter,
                           the set of datacenters, ranged over by d \in Datacenter
16
         KeySharding,
                                  the mapping from Key to Partition
17
         ClientAttachment the mapping from Client to Datacenter
18
    NotVal \stackrel{\Delta}{=} CHOOSE \ v : v \notin Value
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    ASSUME
22
         \land KeySharding \in [Key \rightarrow Partition]
23
         \land ClientAttachment \in [Client \rightarrow Datacenter]
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25 F
    VARIABLES
26
      At the client side:
27
                    cvc[c]: vector clock of client c \in Client
28
         tid.
                    tid[c]: transaction identifier of the current ongoing transaction of client c \in Client
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         coord.
                    coord[c]: coordinator (partition) of the current ongoing transaction of client c \in Client
      At the server side (each for partition p \in Partition in d \in Datacenter):
31
32
         opLog,
                           opLog[p][d]: log
         clock,
                           clock[p][d]: current clock
33
         knownVC,
                           knownVC[p][d]: vector clock
34
         stable VC,
                           stable VC[p][d]: stable snapshot
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36
         uniform VC,
                           uniformVC[p][d]: uniform snapshot
         snapshot VC,
                           snapshotVC[p][d][t]: snapshot vector clock of transaction t
37
      history:
38
         L, L[c]: local history at client c \in Client
39
      communication:
40
         msgs, the set of messages in transit
41
         incoming [p][d]: incoming FIFO channel for propagating updates and heartbeats
42
    cVars \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \langle cvc, tid, coord \rangle
             \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \langle opLog, clock, knownVC, stableVC, uniformVC, snapshotVC \rangle
    mVars \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \langle msgs, incoming \rangle
    hVars \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \langle L \rangle
    vars \triangleq \langle cVars, sVars, mVars, hVars \rangle
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Tid \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [seq : Nat, p : Partition, d : Datacenter] transaction identifier
     VC \stackrel{\Delta}{=} [Datacenter \rightarrow Nat] vector clock with an entry per datacenter d \in Datacenter
     VCInit \stackrel{\Delta}{=} [d \in Datacenter \mapsto 0]
    Merge(vc1, vc2) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} [d \in Datacenter \mapsto Max(vc1[d], vc2[d])]
     DC \triangleq Cardinality(Datacenter)
56
     DCIndex \stackrel{\Delta}{=} CHOOSE f \in [1 ... DC \rightarrow Datacenter] : Injective(f)
     LTE(vc1, vc2) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} less-than-or-equal-to comparator for vector clocks
58
            LET RECURSIVE LTEHelper(_, _, _)
59
                   LTEHelper(vc1h, vc2h, index) \stackrel{\triangle}{=}
60
                        IF index > DC THEN TRUE EQ
61
                         ELSE LET d \stackrel{\triangle}{=} DCIndex[index]
62
                                       CASE vc1h[d] < vc2h[d] \rightarrow \text{TRUE} LT
63
                                          \Box vc1h[d] > vc2h[d] \rightarrow FALSE GT
64
                                          \Box OTHER \rightarrow LTEHelper(vc1h, vc2h, index + 1)
65
                   LTEHelper(vc1, vc2, 1)
            IN
66
                 \triangleq [key: Key, val: Value \cup {NotVal}, vc: VC]
68
     OpTuple \triangleq [type: \{ \text{"R"}, \text{"W"} \}, kv: KVTuple, c: Client, cnt: Nat]
     Message
71
                  [type: \{ \text{"StartRequest"} \}, vc: VC, c: Client, p: Partition, d: Datacenter] \}
72
                  [type: \{ \text{``StartReply''} \}, \ tid: Tid, \ vc: VC, \ c: Client ]
          \bigcup
73
                  [type: \{ \text{"ReadRequest"} \}, tid: Tid, key: Key, c: Client, p: Partition, d: Datacenter] \}
          \cup
74
                  [type: \{ \text{"ReadReply"} \}, val: Value \cup \{ NotVal \}, c: Client ] val is irrelevant.
          U
75
                  [type: \{ \text{"UpdateRequest"} \}, tid: Tid, key: Key, val: Value, c: Client, p: Partition, d: Datacenter]
          \bigcup
          U
                  [type:\{	ext{ "UpdateReply"}\},\ c:\mathit{Client}]
77
                  [type: \{ \text{"CommitRequest"} \}, \ tid: Tid, \ c: Client, \ p: Partition, \ d: Datacenter] \ val \ is \ irrelevant
          \cup
                  [type: \{ \text{``CommitReply''} \}, vc: VC, c: Client]
          \cup
79
                  [type: \{ \text{"Replicate"} \}, d: Datacenter, kv: KVTuple ]
          \bigcup
80
                  [type: \{ \text{"Heartbeat"} \}, d: Datacenter, ts: Nat ]
81
     Send(m) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs' = msgs \cup \{m\}
83
    SendAndDelete(sm, dm) \triangleq msqs' = (msqs \cup \{sm\}) \setminus \{dm\}
     TypeOK \triangleq
86
               cvc \in [Client \to VC]
87
                clock \in [Partition \rightarrow [Datacenter \rightarrow Nat]]
88
               knownVC \in [Partition \rightarrow [Datacenter \rightarrow VC]]
89
               stableVC \in [Partition \rightarrow [Datacenter \rightarrow VC]]
90
          Λ
               opLog \in [Partition \rightarrow [Datacenter \rightarrow SUBSET \ KVTuple]]
          \land
92
               msgs \subseteq Message
               incoming \in [Partition \rightarrow [Datacenter \rightarrow Seq(Message)]]
                L \in [Client \rightarrow Seg(OpTuple)]
96 Init \triangleq
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\land cvc = [c \in Client \mapsto VCInit]
 97
            \land clock = [p \in Partition \mapsto [d \in Datacenter \mapsto 0]]
 98
            \land knownVC = [p \in Partition \mapsto [d \in Datacenter \mapsto VCInit]]
99
            \land stableVC = [p \in Partition \mapsto [d \in Datacenter \mapsto VCInit]]
100
            \land opLog = [p \in Partition \mapsto [d \in Datacenter \mapsto
101
                                [key: \{k \in Key: KeySharding[k] = p\}, val: \{NotVal\}, vc: \{VCInit\}]]]
102
            \land msgs = \{\}
103
            \land incoming = [p \in Partition \mapsto [d \in Datacenter \mapsto \langle \rangle]]
104
            \wedge L = [c \in Client \mapsto \langle \rangle]
105
106 |
        Client operations at client c \in Client.
107
      CanIssue(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \forall m \in msgs: to ensure well-formedness of clients
109
           m.type \in \{ "StartRequest", "StartReply",
110
                  "ReadRequest", "ReadReply",
111
                  "UpdateRequest", "UpdateReply"
112
                  "CommitReguest", "CommitReply" \} \Rightarrow m.c \neq c
113
      Start(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client \text{ starts a transaction}
115
            \wedge CanIssue(c)
116
            \land \exists p \in Partition :
117
                 \land coord' = [coord \ EXCEPT \ ![c] = p]
118
                 \land Send([type \mapsto "StartRequest", vc \mapsto cvc[c],
119
                                 c \mapsto c, p \mapsto p, d \mapsto ClientAttachment[c]
120
            \land UNCHANGED \langle cvc, tid, sVars, incoming, hVars <math>\rangle
121
      StartReply(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client \text{ handles the reply to its start request}
123
            \wedge \exists m \in msqs :
124
                 \land m.type = \text{``StartReply''} \land m.c = c \text{ such } m \text{ is unique due to well-formedness}
125
                 \land cvc' = [cvc \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![c] = m.snapshotVC]
126
                 \wedge tid' = [tid \text{ EXCEPT } ! [c] = m.tid]
127
                 \wedge msgs' = msgs \setminus \{m\}
128
            \land UNCHANGED \langle coord, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
129
      Read(c, k) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client \text{ reads from } k \in Key
131
              \wedge CanIssue(c)
132
              \land Send([type \mapsto "ReadRequest", tid \mapsto tid[c], key \mapsto k,
133
                              c \mapsto c, p \mapsto coord[c], d \mapsto ClientAttachment[c]]
134
135
              \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
      ReadReply(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client handles the reply to its read request
137
            \wedge \exists m \in msqs:
138
139
                 \land m.type = \text{``ReadReply''} \land m.c = c \text{ such } m \text{ is unique due to well-formedness}
                 \land msgs' = msgs \setminus \{m\}
140
            \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
141
      Update(c, k, v) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client \text{ updates } k \in Key \text{ with } v \in Value
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\wedge CanIssue(c)
144
           \land Send([type \mapsto "UpdateRequest", tid \mapsto tid[c], key \mapsto k, val \mapsto v,
145
                           c \mapsto c, p \mapsto coord[c], d \mapsto ClientAttachment[c]]
146
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
147
      UpdateReply(c) \triangleq
                                 c \in Client handles the reply to its update request
149
           \wedge \exists m \in msqs:
150
                \land m.type = \text{``UpdateReply''} \land m.c = c \text{ such } m \text{ is unique due to well-formedness}
151
                \land msgs' = msgs \setminus \{m\}
152
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
153
      Commit(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} c \in Client commits the ongoing transaction tid[c]
155
           \wedge CanIssue(c)
156
           \land Send([type \mapsto "CommitRequest", tid \mapsto tid[c],
157
                           c \mapsto c, p \mapsto coord[c], d
                                                               \mapsto ClientAttachment[c])
158
            \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
159
      CommitReply(c) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
                                   c \in Client handles the reply to its commit request
161
           \wedge \exists m \in msgs:
162
                \land m.type = "CommitReply" \land m.c = c such m is unique due to well-formedness
163
164
                \wedge cvc' = [cvc \text{ EXCEPT } !c = [m.vc]]
                \land msgs' = msgs \setminus \{m\}
165
           \land UNCHANGED \langle tid, coord, sVars, incoming, hVars \rangle
166
167
       Server operations at partition p \in Partition in datacenter d \in Datacenter.
168
      ReadRequest(p, d) \triangleq
                                     handle a "ReadRequest"
170
            \wedge \exists m \in msqs :
171
                \land m.type = \text{``ReadRequest''} \land m.p = p \land m.d = d
172
                \land stable VC' = [stable VC \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] = Merge(m.vc, @)]
173
                \wedge \text{ LET } kvs \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \{kv \in opLog[p][d]:
174
                                       \wedge kv.key = m.key
175
                                       \land \forall dc \in Datacenter \setminus \{d\} : kv.vc[dc] \leq stable VC'[p][d][dc]\}
176
                         lkv \stackrel{\Delta}{=} CHOOSE \ kv \in kvs : \forall \ akv \in kvs : LTE(akv.vc, kv.vc)
177
                         \land SendAndDelete([type \mapsto "ReadReply", val \mapsto lkv.val, vc \mapsto lkv.vc, c \mapsto m.c], m)
178
                          \land L' = [L \text{ EXCEPT } ! [m.c] = Append(@, [type \mapsto \text{``R''}, kv \mapsto lkv, c \mapsto m.c, cnt \mapsto Len(@) + 1])]
179
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, clock, knownVC, opLog, incoming \rangle
180
      UpdateRequest(p, d) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \text{ handle a "UpdateRequest"}
182
           \wedge \exists m \in msqs:
183
                \land m.type = \text{"UpdateRequest"} \land m.p = p \land m.d = d
184
                \land m.vc[d] < clock[p][d] waiting condition; (" \le " strengthed to " \le ")
185
                \land stableVC' = [stableVC \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] = Merge(m.vc, @)]
186
                \wedge LET kv \triangleq [key \mapsto m.key, val \mapsto m.val,
187
                                    vc \mapsto [m.vc \text{ EXCEPT } ![d] = clock[p][d]]]
188
                          \wedge opLog' = [opLog \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![p][d] = @ \cup \{kv\}]
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\land SendAndDelete([type \mapsto "UpdateReply", ts \mapsto clock[p][d], c \mapsto m.c, d \mapsto d], m)
190
                         \land incoming' = [incoming \ EXCEPT \ ![p] = [dc \in Datacenter \mapsto
191
                              IF dc = d THEN @[dc] ELSE Append(@[dc], [type \mapsto "Replicate", <math>d \mapsto d, kv \mapsto kv])]
192
                         \land L' = [L \text{ EXCEPT } ! [m.c] = Append(@, [type \mapsto \text{"W"}, kv \mapsto kv, c \mapsto m.c, cnt \mapsto Len(@) + 1])]
193
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, clock, knownVC \rangle
194
      Replicate(p, d) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} handle a "Replicate"
196
           \land incoming[p][d] \neq \langle \rangle
197
           \wedge LET m \stackrel{\Delta}{=} Head(incoming[p][d])
198
                    \land m.type = "Replicate"
199
                     \wedge \ opLog' = [opLog \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![p][d] = @ \cup \{m.kv\}]
200
                      \land knownVC' = [knownVC \text{ except } ![p][d][m.d] = m.kv.vc[m.d]] 
201
                     \land incoming' = [incoming \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] = Tail(@)]
202
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, cvc, clock, stable VC, L, msgs \rangle
203
      Heartbeat(p, d) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \text{handle a "Heartbeat"}
205
           \land \ incoming[p][d] \neq \langle \rangle
206
           \wedge \text{ LET } m \stackrel{\triangle}{=} Head(incoming[p][d])
207
                    \land m.type = "Heartbeat"
208
                     \wedge knownVC' = [knownVC \text{ EXCEPT } ![p][d][m.d] = m.ts]
209
                     \land incoming' = [incoming \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] = Tail(@)]
210
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, cvc, clock, stable VC, opLog, L, msgs <math>\rangle
211
212
       Clock management at partition p \in Partition in datacenter d \in Datacenter
213
      Tick(p, d) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} clock[p][d] ticks
214
             \land clock' = [clock \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] = @ + 1] 
215
            \wedge knownVC' = [knownVC \text{ EXCEPT } ![p][d][d] = clock'[p][d]]
216
            \land incoming' = [incoming \ EXCEPT \ ![p] = [dc \in Datacenter \mapsto
217
                 IF dc = d THEN @[dc] ELSE Append(@[dc], [type \mapsto "Heartbeat", d \mapsto d, ts \mapsto knownVC'[p][d][d]])]]
218
            \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, cvc, stable VC, opLog, L, msgs \rangle
219
      UpdateCSS(p, d) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} update stableVC[p][d]
221
           \wedge stable VC' = [stable VC \ EXCEPT \ ![p][d] =
222
                           [dc \in Datacenter \mapsto SetMin(\{knownVC[pp][d][dc] : pp \in Partition\})]]
223
           \land UNCHANGED \langle cVars, mVars, clock, knownVC, opLog, L \rangle
224
225 |
     Next \triangleq
226
           \vee \exists c \in Client, k \in Key : Read(c, k)
227
           \forall \exists c \in Client, k \in Key, v \in Value : Update(c, k, v)
228
           \vee \exists c \in Client : ReadReply(c) \vee UpdateReply(c)
229
           \vee \exists p \in Partition, d \in Datacenter:
230
                \vee ReadRequest(p, d)
231
                \vee UpdateRequest(p, d)
232
                \vee Replicate(p, d)
233
                \vee Heartbeat(p, d)
234
                \vee Tick(p, d)
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\lor UpdateCSS(p, d)
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238 Spec \stackrel{\triangle}{=} Init \wedge \Box [Next]_{vars}
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