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Burst Load Evacuation Based on Dispatching and Scheduling In Distributed Edge Networks

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Abstract—Edge computing, a fast evolving computing paradigm, has spawned a variety of new system architectures and computing methods discussed in both academia and industry. Edge servers are directly deployed near users' equipment or devices owned by telecommunications companies. This allows for offloading computing tasks of various services nearby to edge servers. Due to the shortage of computing resources in edge computing networks, they are often not as sufficient as the computing resources in a cloud computing center. This leads to the problem of service load imbalance since the load in the edge computing network increases suddenly. To solve the problem of "load evacuation" in edge environments, we introduce a strategy when the number of service requests for mobile devices or IoT devices increases rapidly within a short period of time. Therefore, to prevent poor quality in edge computing, service load should be migrated to other edge servers to reduce the overall delay of these service requests. In this article, we have introduced a strategy with two stages during the burst load evacuation. Based on an optimal routing strategy at the dispatching stage, tasks will be migrated from the server in which the burst load occurs to other servers as soon as possible. Subsequently, with the assistance of the remote server and edge servers, these tasks are processed with the highest efficiency through the proposed parallel structure at the scheduling stage. Finally, we conducted numerical experiments to clarify the superiority of our algorithm in an edge environment simulation.

Index Terms—Edge computing, routing strategy, online scheduling

1 INTRODUCTION

THE COMPARISON to cloud computing, edge computing has numerous extensions to today's network architectures. Edge computing refers to a framework that facilitates the latency of edge servers deployed close to the sources of data or applications that deployed on users' devices [1], [2]. Edge computing is defined as a computing pattern along the path with any resources of computing and network between users and remote cloud center [3]. The network can be any functional part from users' side to the center of the cloud server. These parts consist of different entities playing an important role in integrating traditional networks. They provide computing, storage, cache, and transmission to support different services of application in real-time, dynamic, and intelligent service for clients in the edge network [4]. Unlike traditional cloud computing (centralized servers), algorithms and strategy selection in edge computing pushes the computing and intelligence closer to actual activity generated by users. It requires services computing of central servers moving to the edge. Thus, there are differences related to

multi-heterogeneous processing, bandwidth capacity, resource utilization, and privacy protection [5], [6], [7].

Emerging patterns of service utilization require increasingly more computing capabilities provided by end users. Offloading addresses problems of users' devices regarding storage resources, computing performance, and energy efficiency. Recent studies have introduced this technique consisting of the offloading algorithm, strategy for offloading and the offloading system [1].

Offloading reduces to the new problem in edge environments with the number of end users increases continuously. As the rapid growth in IoT and mobile devices, limited computation and network resources among end users in a specific edge network will become more and more common. Due to the heterogeneity of edge networks, the traffic load in the network will endure nonuniform and dynamic burst load, all the time [8]. Some recently published researches introduce that the bursty traffic in radio access network (C-RAN) architecture is an important problem and difficult to solve [9]. However, edge network combining edge servers and remote cloud center is proposed as a popular technique nowadays in C-RAN for 5G [10]. It's a challenge to tackle the problem when burst load occurs at the edge environment. To reduce the latency and to maintain an acceptable QoS of edge networks, we focus on the problem of the burst load evacuation when offloading is working in an edge environment.

There are a number of occasions where load burst may occur. Some examples include sudden shopping crowds in shopping malls, crowds on festival streets, traffic roads during rush hour, and crowds in touristic areas. Such scenes have obvious regional characteristics or special temporal characteristics. For example, in vehicle edge computing network infrastructure, it's a fact that edge servers deployed

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¹Kengo Sasaki, Satoshi Makido, and Akihiro Nakao. "Vehicle Control System for Cooperative Driving Coordinated Multi -Layered Edge Servers" . In: 2018 IEEE 7th International Conference on Cloud Networking (CloudNet). 2018, pp. 1–7.

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 - $x = r_1, r_2 \dots r_N$, find the optimal solution:
 - thus the $P2$:

$$\mathcal{P}_2 : \min_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \max(r_1, \dots, r_N) \quad (8)$$

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 - $H = h : X \rightarrow Q$, where Q is the optimal solutions.
 - $S_0 = (x_0, y_0) \dots (x_U, y_U)$,

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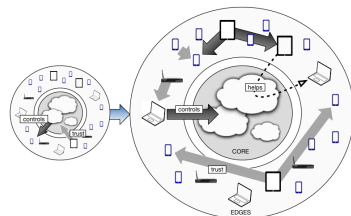


Figure 1: Centralized cloud model (left) versus Edge-centric Computing (right).

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- index set of tasks as $\mathcal{N} \triangleq \{1, 2, \dots, N\}$
- the index set of edge servers as $\mathcal{M} \triangleq \{1, 2, \dots, M\}$
- We denote the indicator of a task latency in burst load as $I_i^\dagger(t)$. While $I_i^\dagger(t) = 1$ means waiting.
 - The latency time of the i th task denoted as:

$$T_1^i = \sum_{t>0} I_i^\dagger(t), \quad (1)$$

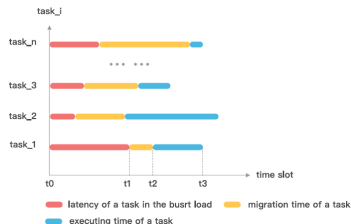
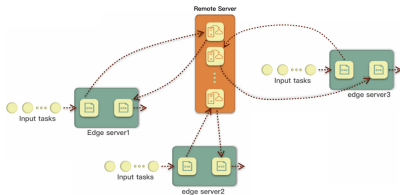
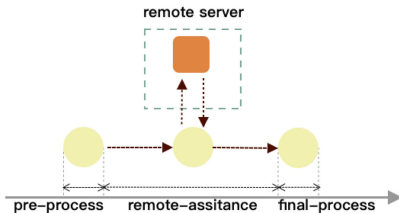


Figure 2: The flowchart of tasks when evacuation

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(a) Task scheduling for executing and requesting data



(b) Task processing sequence.

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Algorithm 1. Optimal Routing for Task Dispatching (OPTD)

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1: Generate the window size  $W$ , the initial solution size  $\mathcal{U}$ , the  
   parameter of routing selection  $\gamma$   
2: Initial  $S_0 = \{(x_0, y_0), \dots, (x_{\mathcal{U}}, y_{\mathcal{U}})\}$ ,  $V_t = \emptyset$   
3: for  $t = 1$  to  $T$  do  
4:    $(x_t, y_t) = (x_{\min}, y_{\min})$ ,  $I_v = I$ ,  $I_f = \emptyset$   
5:   for  $i = (t-1) * W$  to  $t * W$  do  
6:     if  $\lambda < \alpha$  then  
7:        $\tilde{x}_t^i = \lceil x_t^i / \gamma \rceil$ ,  $I_v = I_v \setminus \{i\}$ ,  $I_f = I_f \cup \{i\}$   
8:     else  
9:        $\tilde{x}_t^i = \text{rand}(1, |\mathcal{R}|)$   
10:    end if  
11:  end for  
12:   $\tilde{y}_t = c(\tilde{x}_t)$   
13:  if  $\tilde{y}_t < y_t$  then  
14:    construct  $h_t$  from the updated  $I_v$  and  $I_f$   
15:  else  
16:    randomly choose  $i$  with the size of  $|I_f|$  to replace the  
    elements in  $I_f$ ,  $I_v = I \setminus I_f$ , construct  $h_t$   
17:  end if  
18:  for  $t = 1$  to  $\mathcal{U}$  do  
19:    Sample  $x_h$  from  $h_t$ ,  $y_h = c(x_h)$ ,  $V_t = V_t \cup (x_h, y_h)$   
20:  end for  
21:   $y_{\min} = \min\{y_h, y_t, \tilde{y}_t\}$ ,  $(x_h, y_h) \in V_t$   
22: end for  
23: return  $(x_{\min}, y_{\min})$ 
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