

ece419-design milestone1 documentation

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1 Overview

Our milestone1 is a system consisting of single thread clients and one multi-threading server. There're three main components of our project: communication layer, storage layer and client side application

2 Responsibility and Setup

see `README.md`

3 Functionality of each component

Communication and receiver logic

Communication module e.g: `CommunicationTextMessageHandler`, it's a module **in the middle of client and server** shared by both of them for communication and wrapping corresponding operation protocols. The translation of bytes to receiver object (`KVMessage`) and from object to bytes is handled by our Communication module and `KVStore` in client, `KVClientConnection` on server side. It'll first convert the `KVMessage` to raw bytes to send to the other end, and will parse the byte data into `KVMessage` object

Server structure

Our server is a multithreaded server, Each `KVClientConnection` will help handle subsequent get and put request of a client in a separate thread after a client establishes connection with the server. And after we parse `KVMessage` and its related status, the later storage layer will process the information. Our storage layer consists of cache and persistence layer.

Cache layer

Our cache layer is implemented mainly by three types, `FIFOCache`, `LFUCache` and `LRUCache`. They'll cache values with different mechanisms and help the server get the value in a faster pattern.

Persistence layer We implement our persistent layer with the help of JSON serialization. After our cache becomes full, it'll trigger respective eviction policy and then evict it to the file system. We'll first save it to file with help of org.json, and also scan the whole file and get it from json when getting the corresponding key. We'll optimize our file system in the later milestones like using "bulk eviction" and metadata to boost its query and write speed.

4 Testing components

We use **Junit** to test our project, we've implemented a variety of test cases, such as the command line input test, persistence layer test and cache strategy test. Besides, tests about exception handling, **Eviction ordering**, and interaction tests (get, put) are also included **All tests are passed** (appendix 1)

5 Performance Evaluation

(See Appendix 2) We tested average time under different conditions, including whether key value pairs are randomly generated, different number of put and get ratios 1. put/get (8000:2000) 0.8 2. put/get (5000:5000) 0.5 3. put/get (2000:8000) 0.2. with cache size 1024. the performance is increasing over all as get/put ratio increases, our implementation is more beneficial in conditions where there're more queries

6 Appendix 1

✓ AllTests (testing)	7 s 157 ms
✓ ConnectionTest	2 s 438 ms
✓ testConnectionSuccess	162 ms
✓ testUnknownHost	2 s 275 ms
✓ testIllegalPort	1 ms
> InteractionTest	51 ms
> AdditionalTest	0 ms
✓ PStoreTest	401 ms
✓ testGetUnknownKeyShouldThrowExcep	1 ms
✓ testPutThenCheckContains	3 ms
✓ testPutThenGetShouldEqual	4 ms
✓ testDeleteShouldNotContain	5 ms
✓ testClearShouldEmpty	388 ms
> FIFOCacheTest	17 ms
✓ DAOTest	4 s 227 ms
✓ testDeleteFromEmptyShouldThrowExce	5 ms
✓ testGetUnknownKeyShouldThrowExcep	0 ms
✓ testPutShouldContain	0 ms
✓ testPutThenGetShouldEqual	0 ms
✓ testClearShouldEmpty	4 s 221 ms
✓ testGetCacheSizeShouldMatch	1 ms
✓ CommandLineTest	23 ms
✓ testInvalidArgsLogLevel	11 ms
✓ testPutValidStatement	0 ms
✓ testInvalidOperation	0 ms
✓ testInvalidAddrPort	2 ms
✓ testGetValidStatement	0 ms
✓ testConnectValidStatement	5 ms
✓ testInvalidArgs	1 ms
✓ testValidLogLevel	3 ms
✓ testGetInvalid	1 ms
✓ testValidStatement	0 ms

7 Appendix 2

