Mathematical Model (Across Time Intervals)

Sets

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M = \{1 \text{ (t4g.nano)}, 2 \text{ (t4g.medium)}, 3 \text{ (t4g.xlarge)}, 4 \text{ (r8g.large)}, 5 \text{ (c8g.xlarge)}, 6 \text{ (r8g.2xlarge)}, \\ 7 \text{ (c8g.4xlarge)}, 8 \text{ (c8g.8xlarge)}, 9 \text{ (m8g.8xlarge)}, 10 \text{ (r8g.8xlarge)}, 11 \text{ (m8g.12xlarge)}, 12 \text{ (c8g.16xlarge)}\} \\ = \text{Set of Machine Types} \\ \bullet \\ T = \{1 \text{ (12am--3am)}, 2 \text{ (3am--6am)}, 3 \text{ (6am--9am)}, 4 \text{ (9am--12pm)}, 5 \text{ (12pm--3pm)}, \\ 6 \text{ (3pm--6pm)}, 7 \text{ (6pm--9pm)}, 8 \text{ (9pm--12am)}\} \\ = \text{Set of Time Intervals} \\ \bullet \\ S_t = \text{Set of given tasks arriving in interval } t \in T \\ \bullet \\ J_t = \{1, 2, \dots, |S_t|\} = \text{Index set of potential instances per machine type in interval } t \in T
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Decision Variables

- x_{ijkt} : 1 if task $k \in S_t$ is assigned to instance $j \in J_t$ of machine type $i \in M$ during interval $t \in T$, 0 otherwise
- y_{ijt} : 1 if instance $j \in J_t$ of machine type $i \in M$ is used in interval $t \in T$, 0 otherwise
- ullet f_{it} : number of instances of machine type $i\in M$ active at the end of interval $t\in T$
- ullet g_{it} : number of new instances of machine type $i\in M$ spun up in interval $t\in T$
- ullet r_{it} : number of active instances of machine type $i\in M$ shut down at beginning of interval $t\in T$

Parameters

- c_i : cost per hour in $ofmachinetypei \in M$
- ullet p_i : CPU limit in vCPUs of machine type $i\in M$
- ullet q_i : Memory limit in GiB of machine type $i\in M$
- ullet m_k : CPU requirement in vCPUs of task $k \in S_t$
- ullet n_k : Memory requirement in GiB of task $k \in S_t$
- ullet W : size of time window in hrs for which tasks are executing
- lpha=0.1 : instance startup time in hrs (6 min)
- ullet $s_i=lpha c_i$: startup cost in Dollars of an instance of machine type $i\in M$

Objective Function

$$\min \sum_{t \in T} \sum_{i \in M} (W c_i f_{it} + s_i g_{it})$$

Constraints

- $ullet \sum_{k \in S_t} m_k x_{ijkt} \leq p_i \,, \quad orall i \in M, j \in J_t, t \in T$ (CPU constraint per instance per machine type)
- $ullet \sum_{k \in S_t} n_k x_{ijkt} \leq q_i \,, \quad orall i \in M, j \in J_t, t \in T$ (Memory constraint per instance per machine type)
- $ullet \sum_{i\in M}\sum_{i\in L}x_{ijkt}=1\,, \quad orall k\in S_t, t\in T$ (each task can only be assigned to 1 specific instance)
- $y_{ijt} \leq \sum_{t \in S} x_{ijkt} \leq |S_t| \, y_{ijt} \, , \quad orall i \in M, j \in J_t, t \in T$ (link x and y constraint)
- $ullet \sum_{j\in J_t} y_{ijt} = f_{it}\,, \quad orall i\in M, t\in T$ (active instance count relationship/constraint)
- $f_{it} = f_{i(t-1)} + g_{it} r_{it}\,, \quad orall i \in M, t \in T$ (flow balance constraint)
- $r_{it} \leq f_{i(t-1)}\,, \quad orall i \in M, t \in T$ (shut down cannot exceed previous active)
- $x_{ijkt} \in \{0,1\}$, $\forall i \in M, j \in J_t, k \in S_t, t \in T$
- $ullet y_{ijt} \in \left\{0,1
 ight\}, \quad orall i \in M, j \in J_t, t \in T$
- $ullet \ f_{it}, g_{it}, r_{it} \geq 0 \,, \quad orall i \in M, t \in T \,.$
- $ullet \ f_{i0}=0 \,, \quad orall i\in M$

Solution (Across Time Intervals)

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In [2]: function check_optimality(m)
    stat = termination_status(m)
    if stat != MOI.OPTIMAL
        println("Solver did not find an optimal solution: $stat")
    end
end;
In [7]: using CSV, DataFrames
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# Read EC2 types
        ec2_df = CSV.read("ec2_subset.csv", DataFrame)
        # Read tasks (one CSV per time interval)
        tasks_df = Dict()
        for t in 1:8
            tasks_df[t] = CSV.read("tasks_t$(t).csv", DataFrame)
        end
        M = collect(1:nrow(ec2_df)) # machine types
        println("Number of machine types: ", length(M))
        machine_name = Dict(i => ec2_df.Type[i] for i in M)
        c = Dict(i => ec2_df.Cost[i] for i in M) # cost per hour of machine type
        p = Dict(i => ec2_df.vCPUs[i] for i in M) # CPU limit of machine type
        q = Dict(i => ec2_df.Memory[i] for i in M) # Memory limit of machine type
        W = 3 # time interval window size
        \alpha = 0.1 # instance startup time
        s = Dict(i \Rightarrow \alpha * c[i]  for i in M) # startup cost in $ of machine type
        T = collect(1:8) # time intervals
        S = Dict() # Set of tasks in each time interval
        J = Dict() # Set of instances in each time interval
        m = Dict() # CPU req
        n = Dict() # Mem req
        for t in T
            df = tasks df[t]
            S[t] = collect(1:nrow(df)) # Task indices
            J[t] = collect(1:nrow(df)) # Instance indices
            println("Number of tasks in time interval $t: ", length(S[t]))
            m[t] = Dict(k => df.cpu_cores[k] for k in S[t])
            n[t] = Dict(k => df.mem_gb[k] for k in S[t])
        end;
       Number of machine types: 12
       Number of tasks in time interval 1: 27
       Number of tasks in time interval 2: 18
       Number of tasks in time interval 3: 20
       Number of tasks in time interval 4: 22
       Number of tasks in time interval 5: 27
       Number of tasks in time interval 6: 32
       Number of tasks in time interval 7: 24
       Number of tasks in time interval 8: 34
In [ ]: using JuMP, HiGHS
        model = Model(HiGHS.Optimizer)
        @variable(model, f[i in M, t in T] >= 0) # number of active instances of type i at end of interval t
        @variable(model, g[i in M, t in T] >= 0) # number of instances of type i started at beginning of interval t
        @variable(model, r[i in M, t in T] >= 0) # number of instances of type i terminated at beginning of interval t
        # time varying binary variables
        x = Dict()
        y = Dict()
        for t in T
            x[t] = @variable(model, [i in M, j in J[t], k in S[t]], Bin) # task k is assigned to instance j of type i in interval t
            y[t] = @variable(model, [i in M, j in J[t]], Bin) # instance j of type i is active in interval t
        end
        @objective(model, Min, sum(W*c[i]*f[i,t] + s[i]*g[i,t] for i in M, t in T))
        for t in T, i in M, j in J[t]
            @constraint(model, sum(m[t][k] * x[t][i,j,k] for k in S[t]) <= p[i]) # CPU constraint
            @constraint(model, sum(n[t][k] * x[t][i,j,k] for k in S[t]) <= q[i]) # Memory constraint
        end
        for t in T, k in S[t]
            @constraint(model, sum(x[t][i,j,k] for i in M, j in J[t]) == 1) # each task is assigned to one instance
        end
        for t in T, i in M, j in J[t]
            @constraint(model, y[t][i,j] \le sum(x[t][i,j,k]  for k in S[t])) # instance is active if it has tasks assigned
            @constraint(model, sum(x[t][i,j,k] for k in S[t]) <= y[t][i,j] * length(S[t])) # instance can only have tasks assigned if
        end
        for t in T, i in M
            @constraint(model, sum(y[t][i,j] for j in J[t]) == f[i,t]) # number of active instances at end of interval t
        end
        for i in M
            @constraint(model, f[i,1] == g[i,1] - r[i,1]) # number of active instances at beginning of interval 1
            for t in 2:length(T)
                @constraint(model, f[i,t] == f[i,t-1] + g[i,t] - r[i,t]) # flow balance
                (0, t) = f(i,t-1) (so first ances terminated cannot exceed # of instances at beginning of interv
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end
        end
        set_silent(model)
        optimize!(model)
        check_optimality(model)
       Set parameter Username
       Set parameter LicenseID to value 2650823
       Academic license - for non-commercial use only - expires 2026-04-13
       Solver did not find an optimal solution: {\tt MEMORY\_LIMIT}
In [ ]: println("Minimized total cost: ", objective_value(model))
        for t in T
            println("Time interval $t:")
            for i in M
                println(" Machine type $(machine_name[i]):")
                println(" Active instances: ", value(f[i,t]))
                println("
                            Started instances: ", value(g[i,t]))
                            Terminated instances: ", value(r[i,t]))
                println("
                for j in J[t]
                    if value(y[t][i,j]) > 0.5
                        println("
                                     Instance $j is active")
                        for k in S[t]
                            if value(x[t][i,j,k]) > 0.5
                                println(" Task $k is assigned to instance $j")
                            end
                        end
                    end
                end
            end
        end
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