MUTUAL EXCLUSION USING RICART – AGRAWALA ALGORITHM FOR A SALES MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

A PROJECT REPORT

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ABSTRACT

Ricart–Agrawala algorithm is an algorithm to for mutual exclusion in a distributed system proposed by Glenn Ricart and Ashok Agrawala. This algorithm is an extension and optimization of Lamport's Distributed Mutual Exclusion Algorithm. Like Lamport's Algorithm, it also follows permission based approach to ensure mutual exclusion. In this algorithm, two types of messages (request and reply) are used and communication channels are assumed to follow. A site sends a message to all other site to get their permission to enter critical section. A timestamp is given to each critical section request using Lamport's logical clock. Timestamp is used to determine priority of critical section requests. Smaller timestamp gets high priority over larger timestamp. The execution of critical section request is always in the order of their timestamp. We have used this algorithm to apply it to an inventory management system. The applications of the Ricart – Agrawala algorithm are very wide spread and the algorithm can be used in many distributed mutual exclusion environments like banking, airline management and other things.

KEYWORDS – Distributed Systems, Mutual Exclusion, Lamport's Algorithm, Ricart – Agrawala Algorithm

I. INTRODUCTION

The Ricart-Agrawala Algorithm is an algorithm for mutual exclusion on a distributed system. This algorithm is an extension and optimization of Lamport's Distributed Mutual Exclusion Algorithm, by removing the need for display style and display exchange messages. It was developed by Glenn Ricart and Ashok Agrawala. The Ricart-Agrawala Algorithm is definitely an algorithm with regard to mutual exclusion on a distributed system. This algorithm is an extension as well as optimization associated with Lamport's Distributed Mutual Exclusion Algorithm, by removing the need for release messages. It had been developed by Glenn Ricart and Ashok Agrawala.

In our system, we have used the mutual exclusion algorithm to implement a sales management system. The system prevents write operations both at the same time from two different clients. When a client makes an account and tries to make a transaction through it, it allows the client to complete the transaction. When a different transaction tries to occur from another client, the transaction does not pass till the first transaction is completed. As soon as the first transaction is completed, the algorithm moves on to the next transaction in the queue.

However, when the client tries to make a read transaction from the system and there is a write operation being performed in the analogous "critical section", the system allows the user to fetch the data and replies with the data that was performed in the last transaction that had been sealed after writing the data.

II. BACKROUND

MUTUAL EXCLUSION IN DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS:

Mutual exclusion is a concurrency control property which is introduced to prevent race conditions. It is the requirement that a process cannot enter its critical section while another concurrent process is currently present or executing in its critical section i.e., only one process is allowed to execute the critical section at any given instance of time.

Mutual Exclusion in a Distributed Environment v/s a Distributed Environment:

In single computer system, memory and other resources are shared between different processes. The status of shared resources and the status of users is easily available in the shared memory so with the help of shared variable (For example: Semaphores) mutual exclusion problem can be easily solved.

In Distributed systems, we neither have shared memory nor a common physical clock and there for we cannot solve mutual exclusion problem using shared variables. To eliminate the mutual exclusion problem in distributed system approach based on message passing is used. A site in distributed system does not have complete information of state of the system due to lack of shared memory and a common physical clock.

Requirements of Mutual exclusion Algorithm:

- <u>Avoid Deadlock:</u> Clients should not wait for a transaction that they want to make for an infinitely long time.
- No Starvation: Every site who wants to execute critical section should get an opportunity to
 execute it in finite time. Any site should not wait indefinitely to execute critical section while
 other site are repeatedly executing critical section
- <u>Fairness</u>: Each site should get a fair chance to execute critical section. Any request to execute critical section must be executed in the order they are made i.e., Critical section execution requests should be executed in the order of their arrival in the system.
- <u>Fault Tolerance</u>: In case of failure, it should be able to recognize it by itself in order to continue functioning without any disruption.

Solution to distributed mutual exclusion:

As we know shared variables or a local kernel cannot be used to implement mutual exclusion in distributed systems. Message passing is a way to implement mutual exclusion. Below are the three approaches based on message passing to implement mutual exclusion in distributed systems:

Token Based Algorithm:

• A unique token is shared among all the sites.

- If a site possesses the unique token, it is allowed to enter its critical section
- This approach uses sequence number to order requests for the critical section.
- Each requests for critical section contains a sequence number. This sequence number is used to distinguish old and current requests.
- This approach insures Mutual exclusion as the token is unique.

Non-token based approach:

- A site communicates with other sites in order to determine which sites should execute critical section next. This requires exchange of two or more successive round of messages among sites.
- This approach use timestamps instead of sequence number to order requests for the critical section.
- Whenever a site make request for critical section, it gets a timestamp. Timestamp is also used to resolve any conflict between critical section requests.
- All algorithm which follows non-token based approach maintains a logical clock. Logical clocks get updated according to Lamport's scheme

Quorum based approach:

- Instead of requesting permission to execute the critical section from all other sites, Each site requests only a subset of sites which is called a quorum.
- Any two subsets of sites or Quorum contain a common site.
- This common site is responsible to ensure mutual exclusion.

A type of token based algorithm is the Lamport's Algorithm and an extension of this is the Ricart-Agrawala Algorithm.

Lamport's Distributed Mutual Exclusion Algorithm is a permission based algorithm proposed by Lamport as an illustration of his synchronization scheme for distributed systems. In permission based timestamp is used to order critical section requests and to resolve any conflict between requests.

In Lamport's Algorithm critical section requests are executed in the increasing order of timestamps i.e., a request with smaller timestamp will be given permission to execute critical section first than a request with larger timestamp.

How the Lamport Algorithm was improved to the Ricart-Agrawala Algorithm:

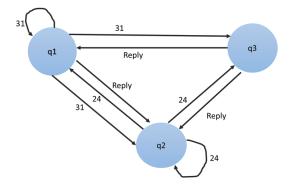
The drawbacks of Lamport's Algorithm are:

- Unreliable approach: failure of any one of the processes will halt the progress of entire system.
- High message complexity: Algorithm requires 3(N-1) messages per critical section invocation.

The Ricart-Agrawala algorithm presumes the communication channels tend to be FIFO. The actual algorithm utilizes two kinds of messages: REQUEST as well as REPLY. A process sends a REQUEST message to any or all additional procedures in order to request their permission to enter the critical section. A process sends a REPLY message to a process to give its permission to that process. Processes use Lamport-style logical clocks to assign a timestamp to critical section requests as well as timestamps are used to decide the priority of requests. Each process pi keeps the actual Request-Deferred array, RDi, the size of which is the same as the number of processes in the system. At first, $\forall i \forall j : RDi \ [j]=0$. Whenever pi defer the request sent by pj, it sets RDi [j]=1 as well as following it's sent a REPLY message to pj, this sets RDi [j]=0.

Algorithm:

- 1) To enter Critical section:
 - i. When a site Si wants to enter the critical section, it send a timestamped REQUEST message to all other sites.
 - ii. When a site Sj receives a REQUEST message from site Si, It sends a REPLY message to site Si if and only if
- iii. Site Sj is neither requesting nor currently executing the critical section.
- iv. In case Site Sj is requesting, the timestamp of Site Si's request is smaller than its own request.
- v. Otherwise the request is deferred by site Si.
- 2) To execute the critical section:
 - i. Site Si enters the critical section if it has received the REPLY message from all other sites.
 - ii. To release the critical section:
- 3) Upon exiting site Si sends REPLY message to all the deferred requests.



III. CODE / IMPLEMENTATION

Server side:

```
import socket
import time
import threading
local time=[]
names=[]
account no=[]
#account no.append(12)
balance=[]
#balance.append(2000)
ip addresses=[]
action=[]
flags=[]
choices=[]
req timestamp=[]
def is free(account no):
 if flags[account no.index(str(account no))] == 1:
 return False
 return True
def broad cast for permission(j, requester time stamp, acc no):
 ## acting as client
 print(str(requester time stamp))
print(str(account no[0]))
 try:
 s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
print("Broadcasting....")
 except socket.error as err:
 print("Could not setup socket");
port = 12399;
 print("Ips "+str(ip addresses))
 ip = ip addresses[j];
 with s:
 s.connect((ip,port));
 rec = s.recv(1024);
 print(rec.decode());
  data sent = (str(acc no)).encode(); ##sending acc no
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s.sendall(data sent);
 data_sent = (str(requester_time_stamp)).encode();
 s.sendall(data sent);
rec = s.recv(1024);
 message=rec.decode();
print(message)
 time.sleep(0.5)
 s.close();
 return message
def richarts algo():
while True:
 num=len(ip addresses)
 for i in range (num):
 no of permission=0
 acc no=account no[0]
print(req timestamp)
 print("index"+str(i))
 requester time stamp=int(req timestamp[i])
 print("req time "+str(requester time stamp))
 for j in range(num):
 if i!=j:
no of permission+=int(broad cast for permission(j,requester time stamp
,acc no)) # j is the person to connect with account no is the account
requested for
 if no of permission == num-1:
print(broad cast for permission(j,requester time stamp,-1))
 time.sleep(2)
 reply client(ip addresses[i], choices[i])
def serving():
 try:
 s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
except socket.error as err:
print("Socket creation failed");
port = 12365;
 s.bind(('', port));
s.listen();
print("\nServer is listening");
print("Waiting....")
while True:
 conn, add = s.accept();
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with conn:
print("Got connection from ",add);
conn.send(b"You are Connected Please Select Your Choice: -- \n1--
>Create client's
Account \n2-->Record Sales\n3-->Record Payments \n4-->Account
Overview\n");
#1
data = conn.recv(1024); #2
choice=int(data.decode())
data sent="Please Enter Account No ..."#3
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
data = conn.recv(1024); #4
 acc no=data.decode();
 if choice==1:
data sent="Please Enter Name..."#1.1
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
data = conn.recv(1024); #1.2
Name=data.decode()
data sent="Please Enter Balance..."#1.3
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
data = conn.recv(1024); #1.4
Amt=int(data.decode())
 names.append(Name)
account no.append(acc no)
balance.append(Amt)
 flags.append(0)
data sent="Account Successfully Created" #1.5
print("Account With "+acc no+" Successfully Created")
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
elif choice==4:
 data sent=str(balance[account no.index(acc no)])
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
print("Enquiry For "+acc no+" Successfully Replied")
 elif choice==2 or choice==3 or choice==5:
time stamp=local time[0];
print(local time[0])
 local time[0] += 1
print(local time[0])
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time stamp=(str(time stamp)).encode()
 conn.sendall(time stamp);
data sent="Please Wait ..."
conn.sendall(data sent.encode());
req timestamp.append(time stamp)
print(req timestamp)
action.append(choice)
choices.append(choice)
ip addresses.append(add[0])
print(str(ip addresses))
print("Transaction Request From "+acc no+" Successfully Registered")
 s.close()
def reply_client(ip_address,choice):
try:
s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
except socket.error as err:
print("Could not setup socket");
port = 12000;
ip = ip address
print("You "+ ip+" are selected")
with s:
 s.connect((ip,port));
rec = s.recv(1024);
print(rec.decode());
data sent = str(choice)
 s.sendall(data sent.encode())
choice=int(choice)
if choice==3:
data sent = "Please Enter Amount of Payment >>"
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
rec = s.recv(1024);
amt=int(rec.decode())
if balance[0]>=amt:
balance[0]=balance[0]-amt
data sent = "Transaction Successful Total Balance in
Account="+str(balance[0])
print(balance[0])
 s.sendall(data sent.encode())
else:
 data sent="Insufficient Balance"
 s.sendall(data sent.encode())
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elif choice==2:
 data sent = "Please Enter Amount of Sales >>"
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
rec = s.recv(1024);
amt=int(rec.decode())
balance[0]=balance[0]+amt
data sent = "Transaction Successful Total Amount="+str(balance[0])
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
elif choice==5:
data sent = "Please Enter Account Number Of Receiver >>"
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
rec = s.recv(1024);
recv acc no=int(rec.decode())
data sent = "Please Enter Amount To Send >>"
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
 rec = s.recv(1024);
amt=int(rec.decode())
print (account no)
index=account no.index(str(recv acc no))
 if is free(recv acc no) == False:
data sent = "Receiver Currently Unavailable"
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
 return
else:
balance[index]=balance[index]+amt
balance[0]=balance[0]-amt
data sent = "Transaction Successful Total Amount In Your
Account="+str(balance[0])
s.sendall(data sent.encode())
s.close()
curr index=ip addresses.index(ip)
 del ip addresses[curr index]
del action[curr index]
del choices[curr index]
 del req timestamp[curr index]
if name == ' main ':
local time.append(0)
t1 = threading.Thread(target=serving)
t2 = threading.Thread(target=richarts algo)
t1.start()
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t2.start()
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Client Side:

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import socket;
import threading;
import time
acc no=[] #integer
time stamp=[] #integer
def request():
 try:
 s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
 print("Requesting Initiated.....");
except socket.error as err:
print("Could not setup socket");
port = 12365;
 ip = '192.168.43.179'
with s:
 s.connect((ip,port));
rec = s.recv(1024); #1
print(rec.decode());
 choice = input()
 data sent = choice.encode();#2ENTER CHOICE
 s.sendall(data sent);
choice=int(choice)
 rec = s.recv(1024); #3
print(rec.decode());
 req account = (input()).encode();#4 ENTER ACCOUNT NO
 s.sendall(req account);
 acc no.append(int(reg account))
if choice==1:
rec = s.recv(1024); #1.1
print(rec.decode());
Name=input()
data sent = Name.encode();#1.2
 s.sendall(data sent);
 rec = s.recv(1024); #1.3
 print(rec.decode());
 balance=input()
 data sent = balance.encode();#1.4
 s.sendall(data sent);
rec = s.recv(1024); #1.5
 print(rec.decode())
 elif choice==4:
rec = s.recv(1024); #1.3
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print(rec.decode())
elif choice==2 or choice==3 or choice==5:
 allocated time stamp=s.recv(1024) #storing allocated timestamp
 allocated time stamp=float(allocated time stamp.decode())
time stamp.append(allocated time stamp)
 rec=s.recv(1024) ##printing wait message
print(rec.decode())
 acc no.append(req account) #
#print("Connection closed\n\n");
 s.close();
 #serving(int(choice))
def broad cast sender receiver():
 s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
print("Ready For Broadcast initiated");
 except socket.error as err:
 print("Socket creation failed");
port = 12399;
 s.bind(('', port));
 print("Socket binded to: ", port);
 s.listen(5);
 print("Socket is listening");
conn, add = s.accept();
 with conn:
print("Got connection from ",add);
conn.send(b"Connection successful");
 acc = conn.recv(1024);
acc=acc.decode()
acc=int(acc)
tim=conn.recv(1024)
tim=tim.decode()
 tim=int(tim)
 print(str(acc))
 print(str(tim))
 if acc==-1:
 data sent = ("Thank You").encode()
print(data sent)
 conn.sendall(data sent);
 execute()
 s.close();
print("Permission Granted")
 return;
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elif acc no[0] == acc and time stamp[0] <= tim:
data_sent = (str(0)).encode()
print("cond 2")
 conn.sendall(data_sent);
 else:
 data sent = (str(1)).encode()
 conn.sendall(data sent);
 s.close();
def execute():
 try:
 s = socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM);
print("Waiting For Response....");
 except socket.error as err:
print("Socket creation failed");
port = 12000;
 s.bind(('', port));
 print("Socket binded to: ", port);
 s.listen(5);
 print("Socket is listening");
while True:
 conn, add = s.accept();
with conn:
 print("Got connection from ",add);
 conn.send(b"Connection successful");
 data = conn.recv(1024);
 t=data.decode()
 #choice=int(t)
 if t=="3" or t=="2":
 data = conn.recv(1024);
 print(data.decode())
amount=input()
 data sent=amount.encode()
 conn.sendall(data sent)
 data = conn.recv(1024);
 print(data.decode())
 else:
 data = conn.recv(1024);
 print(data.decode())
 acc no=input()
 data sent=acc no.encode()
conn.sendall(data sent)
 data = conn.recv(1024);
 print(data.decode())
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amount=input()
data_sent=amount.encode()
conn.sendall(data_sent)
data = conn.recv(1024);
print(data.decode())
s.close();
def requesting():
    request()
def executing():
    execute()

def broadcasting():
    broad_cast_sender_receiver()
if _name_ == '_main_':
requesting()
broadcasting()
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IV. RESULTS / OUTPUT:

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Requesting Initiated......
You are Connected Please Select Your Choice:--
1-->Create client's Account
2--->Record Sales
Waiting..... Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 51708) Account With 120 Successfully Created
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4-->Account Overview
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Please Enter Name...
Varun Electricals
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700000
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Account Successfully Created
Ready For Broadcast initiated
Socket binded to: 12399
Socket is listening
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You are Connected Please Select Your Choice:--
1-->Create client's Account
2-->Record Sales
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['192.168.43.179'][b'0']
3-->Record Payments
4-->Account Overview
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Broadcasting...
Please Wait ...
Ready For Broadcast initiated
Socket binded to: 12399
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Ips ['192,168.43.179']

Connection successful

Thank You

Thank You

You 192,168.43.179 are selected
Socket binded to: 12399
Socket is listening
Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53668)
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b'Thank You'
Waiting For Response.....
Socket binded to: 12000
Socket is listening
Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53670)
Please Enter Amount of Sales >>
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['192.168.43.179', '192.168.43.86']
Modify Request From 75 Successfully Registered
[b'1']
Change Successful Total Amount=72000
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Ips ['192.168.43.86']
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Connection successful
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  ----- RESTART: C:\Users\DELL\Desktop\client_desk.py --------
Requesting Initiated......
You are Connected Please Select Your Choice:--
1-->Create client's Account
 2-->Record Sales
 3-->Record Payments
 4-->Account Overview
Please Enter Account No ...
 Please Wait ...
Ready For Broadcast initiated
 Socket binded to: 12399
Socket is listening
Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53750)
 -1
b'Thank You'
Waiting For Response.....
 Socket binded to: 12000
 Socket is listening
 Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53757)
Please Enter Amount of Payment >>
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Modify Request From 75 Successfully Registered
[b'1']
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Requesting Initiated......
You are Connected Please Select Your Choice:--
1-->Create client's Account
2-->Record Sales
3-->Record Payments
4-->Account Overview
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Broadcasting....
Ips ['192.168.43.86']
Connection successful
Thank You
Thank You
You 192.168.43.86 are selected
 Please Enter Account No ... 75
75
Please Wait ...
Ready For Broadcast initiated
Socket binded to: 12399
Socket is listening
Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53843)
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b'Thank You'
Waiting For Response....
Socket binded to: 12000
Socket is listening
Got connection from ('192.168.43.179', 53844)
Please Enter Amount of Payment >>
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['192.168.43.179'][b'2']
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Ips ['192.168.43.179']
Connection successful
Thank You
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Thank You
You 192.168.43.179 are selected
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----- RESTART: C:\Users\DELL\Desktop\client_desk.py ------
Requesting Initiated.....
You are Connected Please Select Your Choice:--1-->Create client's Account
2-->Record Sales
3-->Record Payments
4-->Account Overview
Please Enter Account No ...
71100
Ready For Broadcast initiated
Socket binded to: 12399
Socket is listening
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V. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK:

Ricart Agrawala can be extended to work on practical network applications. The correctness of the Ricart Agrawala Algorithm should not be affected when inserting new nodes into the network. There can be a practical network insertion of new nodes. Whenever new nodes are added it should be able to update the sequence number, request received and the requests it is going to reply back or acknowledge. Ricart Agrawala can be extended to solve Dining Philosopher's Problem where there are several sites and several numbers of processes working in each site. The demonstration that we have presented here is one practical application of the algorithm. The algorithm if fixed, and deployed correctly has many applications in the industry such as banking sector, reservation systems, etc.

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