Weichu Yang

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Education

University of Electronic Science and Technology of China (UESTC)

Sep. 2020 - May 2024

BEng in Computer Science and Technology

Chengdu, China

- Major: Computer Science and Technology, Cumulative GPA: 3.93/4.00
- Awards: Outstanding Student Scholarship of UESTC (Thrice), Game Security Scholarship of Tencent (5th out of 120)

Research Experience

Host Co-operate SSD Filesystem

Feb. 2023 - present

Supervisor: Dr. Li Lin

Designed and implemented a novel cooperative filesystem that optimizes I/O performance by coordinating between the host and emerging computing-capable SSD, especially in the case of disaggregated computing and storage resources.

- Proposed a collaborative solution that offloads certain filesystem operations from the host to the SSD, such as Path-Lookup and File-Mapping.
- Conducted a comprehensive comparative study on the state-of-the-art filesystems and proposed an innovative space layout management scheme meeting high concurrency requirements.
- Developed a highly adaptive logging system to ensure maximum reliability with minimal overhead for this filesystem.
- Customized and pruned an open-source SSD simulator to provide a simulation platform evaluating the performance of the computing-capable SSD.
- Conducted rigorous testing and analysis on the prototype demo extensively, demonstrating reduced write amplification and alleviated bus transmission pressure.

Internship Experience

Tencent Technology (Shenzhen) Co.Ltd

Jun. 2022 - Sep. 2022

Intern Security Enginner

Shenzhen, China

- * Performed logical analysis towards more than 10 malicious software.
- * Provided generally countermeasure recommendations.
- * Developed a sample software based on those analysed malicious software.

Selected Projects

Development of a Bootstrap Lisp-like Functional Language Interpreter | C, Lex, Yacc Apr. 2023 - Jun. 2023

- Formulated a comprehensive set of syntactic and lexical rules and successfully implemented the parser and lexer.
- Implemented seven basic operators and enabled the definition and invocation of custom functions.
- Constructed a custom function that able to interpreter this language to achieve interpreter bootstrapping.

A Cluster Storage Engine and a Search Engine of Database $\mid C++$

Apr. 2022 – Jun. 2022

- Designed and implemented a cluster storage engine and a B+ Tree based search engine of database.
- Conducted and successfully passed more than 500 unit tests, covering basic storage functionalities to large-scale data retrieval scenarios.
- Evaluated by a dataset of 10 million variable-length records, each averaging 8 bytes in size, and demonstrated the following performance metrics:
 - * Average search time per record: 0.04 ms.
 - * Average insertion time per record: 12,931 ms.

Heterogeneous Filesystem Based on Non-Volatile Memory | C, C++

Nov. 2021 - Oct. 2022

- Proposed an innovative space layout management scheme that stores metadata on high-performance NVM and file data on SSD separately, reducing random Disk I/O.
- Devised a buffer solution that fully utilized NVM as write buffer, consolidating multiple write disk requests into a single sequential write request for enhanced write throughput.
- Implemented the prototype filesystem using Filesystem in Userspace (FUSE) and leveraged the Storage Performance Development Kit(SPDK) to drive the SSD while bypassing the kernel.

Skills

Programming Languages: C/C++, Python, Lisp, Haskell, SQL, Java

Developer Tools: VS Code, Git, Gdb, Vim, Visual Studio

Technologies/Frameworks: Linux, MPI, LATEX, Lex&Yacc, CUDA C