

Assignment 2

GitHub Repo:

<https://github.com/xq443/distributed-system/tree/main/Assignment/2>

Server Design Overview:

The server is designed to handle incoming requests for ski lift rides using a RESTful approach through a servlet, while also leveraging RabbitMQ for message queuing. The design comprises two main components: the **SkierServlet** for handling HTTP requests and the **LiftRideConsumer** for processing messages from the RabbitMQ queue.

Major Classes and Packages

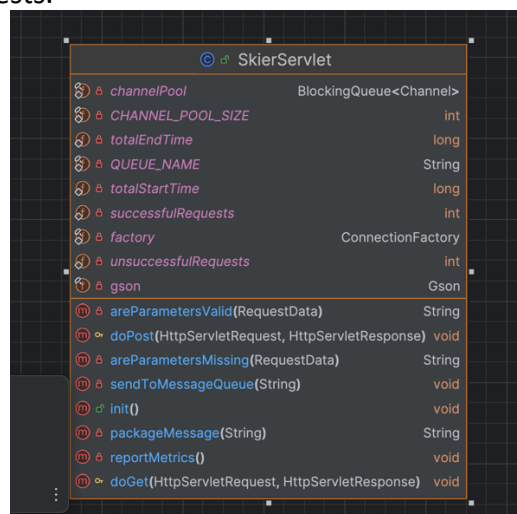
1. SkierServlet: server

Responsibilities:

- Handle HTTP POST requests to register skier lift rides.
- Validate incoming request data.
- Serialize data into JSON format and send it to RabbitMQ.
- Maintain metrics for successful and unsuccessful requests.

Key Methods:

- `doPost(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)`: Main method for processing POST requests.
- `sendToMessageQueue(String message)`: Sends the serialized message to the RabbitMQ queue.
- `reportMetrics()`: Outputs metrics after processing a specified number of requests.

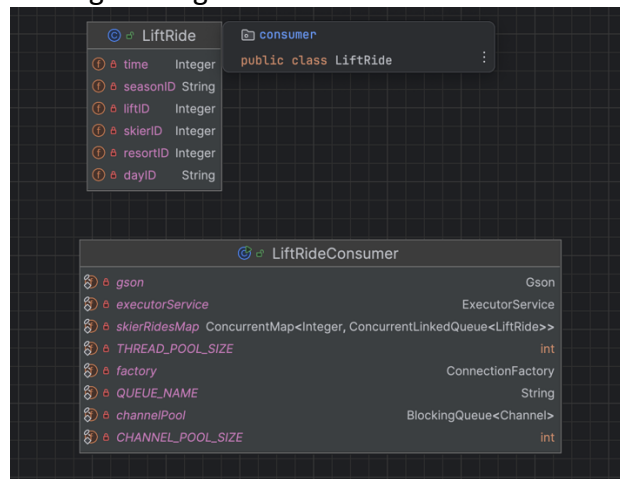


2. LiftRideConsumer: consumer

Responsibilities:

- Consume messages from the RabbitMQ queue.

- Deserialize JSON messages into LiftRide objects.
- Store lift ride data in a thread-safe map for concurrent access.
- **Key Methods:**
 - `main(String[] args)`: Entry point to initialize the consumer.
 - `initChannelPool(Connection connection)`: Initializes a pool of RabbitMQ channels.
 - `getConsumer(Channel channel)`: Returns a consumer that processes incoming messages.



3. RequestData and ResponseData (Package: com.cathy.bean)

- **RequestData**: Represents the incoming request data, containing fields like skierID, resortID, liftID, seasonID, dayID, and time.
- **ResponseData**: Represents the outgoing response data, providing feedback for requests, including success and error messages.

4. LiftRide

- Represents a lift ride with relevant attributes (e.g., skierID, resortID, seasonID..).

Relationships and Interactions

- **Servlet to Message Queue:**
 - The SkierServlet initializes a connection to RabbitMQ and sends serialized JSON messages containing lift ride data to the SkierQueue.
 - A pool of channels is maintained for efficient message sending, preventing the overhead of repeatedly opening and closing connections.
- **Message Consumer:**
 - The LiftRideConsumer establishes its own connection to RabbitMQ and consumes messages from the same SkierQueue.
 - Upon receiving a message, it deserializes the JSON content into a LiftRide object and stores the information in a concurrent data structure to allow for thread-safe access and modification.

Message Sending and Receiving

1. Sending Messages:

- Upon receiving a valid POST request, the servlet constructs a message string from the request body, then calls `sendToMessageQueue()`, which retrieves a channel from the pool and publishes the message to RabbitMQ.

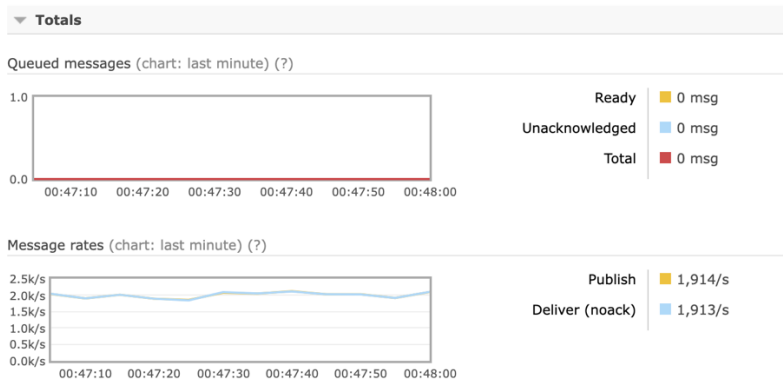
2. Receiving Messages:

- The consumer, upon initialization, creates a pool of channels and subscribes to the `SkierQueue`. Each message received is processed by the `handleDelivery()` method, which extracts the message content, deserializes it, and stores it in a thread-safe map.

Load Test Result for single EC2 instance:

Screenshot for an interval:

Overview



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Thread counts: 280
Successful requests: 200000
Failed requests: 0
Total time: 103218 ms
Throughput: 1937.646534519173 requests/second
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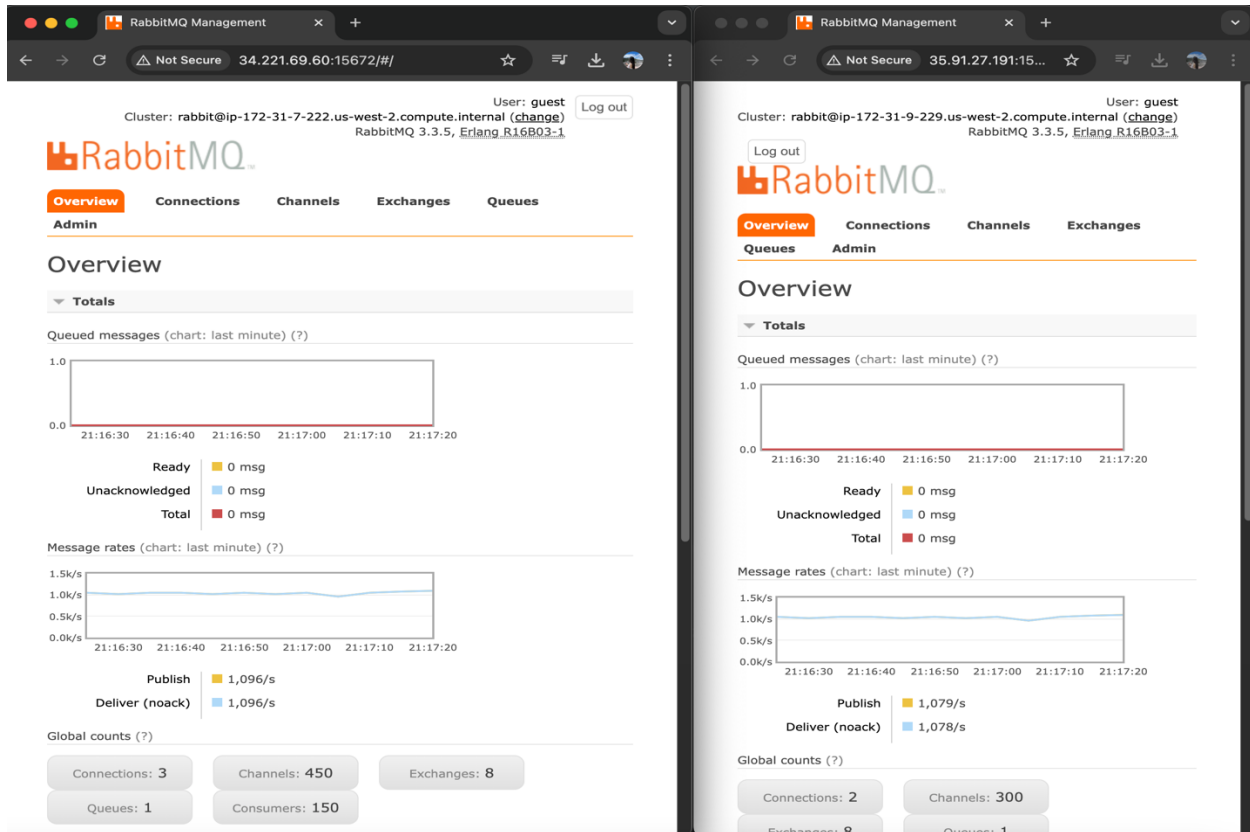
Queue length: 0

Best Throughput: 1937 requests/second

Number of consumer/producer channels: 150

Load Test Result for 2 Target Instances:

Screenshot for an interval:



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Thread counts: 280
Successful requests: 200000
Failed requests: 0
Total time: 91601 ms
Throughput: 2183.3822774860537 requests/second
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Queue length: 0

Best Throughput: 2183 requests/second

Number of consumer/producer channels: 150