Scalable Interactive Middleware Components for Ubiquitous Fashionable Computers

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UFC

UFC(Ubiquitous Fashionable Computer)



iThrow





Display(touch screen)

iThrow

▶ *iThrow*

Intuitive gesture based interface for ubiquitous services

- Control TV, DVD players
- Uploading UCC after editing pictures
- PowerPoint presenter



iThrow command sets

U-interactive System Architecture

U-interactive middleware

Location based interaction with surrounding services by *iThrow* interface

Handles user commands, data transfers, location services



Example of U-interactive operation

Print a File Scenarios





UbiSpace

- ▶ UbiSpace
 - Tuple space based coordination middleware
 - Java object and File sharing
 - String key based publish/subscribe system



Motivation of SIMC

- Scalability of U-interactive for massive target environments
 - Museums, public stations with crowd users
 - More than thousands users and service objects
 - Frequent location updates and queries
 - ► A lot of control messages and files over active spaces
- Efficient data indexing and query processing for Our System
 - Tuple indexing in UbiSpace
 - Fan search by space filling curves with query optimization

1. Tuple Indexing Scheme

- Tuple matching pattern
 - Read the newest version of "KEY" in the tuple space - LIFO
 - Subscribe "KEY" from the tuple space
- Problem of T-Space[1]
 - Support FIFO ordering
 - Index tuples by template tuple through manual configuration
 - Exhaustive tuple scanning operation
- Tuple indexing for interactive spaces
 - Indexing by <name, time(reverse order)>



Repeated scanning for every tuple matching for the newest version

[1] Hitting the distributed computing sweet spot with TSpaces. In: Computing Networks, pp. 457–472 (2001)

1. Tuple Indexing Scheme

- Tuples are indexed by <tuple name, tuple id> composite keys for tuple matching
 - ► Tuple id is the serial number of tuple creation
 - The same name of tuples are indexed by tuple id by descending order
 - No repeated scanning overhead in tuple matching

Tuple Name	Tuple ID	Tuple
Icommand	12	
Icommand	11	
Icommand	10	
Ticket	4	
Ticket	2	
ZOO	1	

0 1 1 10 11 12 13 2 3 3 4 5 4 6 7 4 8 9

B⁺-Tree with composite key

Tuple container<name, id>

2. Fan Search

► Fan search

- ► Pointing direction θ_P
- ► Allowed range θ_A
- Select a target which is the closest to the $\theta_{\rm P}$ within

 $[\theta_P - \theta_A .. \theta_P + \theta_A]$ and distance within r



2. Fan Search with Space Filling Curves

- Efficient object indexing for location based queries
 - Exploit space filling curves for frequent location update and region queries
 - Query Optimization
 - Query region decomposition for space filling curves
 - Caching path stack for repeated tree-traversals
 - ► Query interval skip by leaf node data

Space Filling Curves



* Figures from JASS 2005 Saint Petersburg

Related Work : Round Eye[2]

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Nearest Surrounder Search

- ► A set of nearest surroundings at given position
- Application: Robot soccer
- Query indexing for efficient tracking
- R-Tree based Query, Object indexing



[2] Round-Eye: A system for tracking nearest surrounders in moving object environments. Elsevier . Information Systems 80(12), 2063–2076 (2007)

2.1 Query Decompositions

Motivation

Reduce false hits by single MBR for spatial queries such as line, curves, and fan

Selection of Space filling curves

Z-Curve(DRU) performance degradation by

decomposition query region

duplicated outside query region checks

► C-Curve with multi interval query



Road planning: lookup any buildings which intersect the new road

2.1 Integral Range Queries

One MBR query vs sum of MBRs queries
Query region approximation by one MBR is inefficient by FALSE HIT



2.1 Integral Range Queries

- 1. MBRs Calculation
 - For each x_i intervals from x_{min} to x_{max} of query region calculate y_{min} , y_{max} value for $[x_i..x_{i+1}) \rightarrow R_{x_i}$
- 2. Range Query for multiple intervals
 - ► BPTree.rangeQuery($[R_{x_0}..R_{x_k}]$)
- 3. Pruning candidate results
 - Check the object is inside the query region



2.2 LeafNode jumps

If an entry of leaf node exceeds the current range,

► Skip MBRs which are behind the entry



Performance Evaluation – Tuple indexing

UbiSpace Tuple indexing effect

UbiSpace exploit the indexing effect

Bounded matching time to the number of tuples



Fan Search Latency

- Effect of Various space filling curves
 - In low density, Z-Curve outperforms
 - In high density, C-Curve outperforms due to less false hit on tree traverse
 - ▶ Path stack cache and leaf node jumps improves up to 5% latency





Effect of Query region decomposition

Effect of Segmentation of Z-Curve

- Segmentation cause poor performance
- Candidate region + real query box region in each MBR,
- Decomposition causes the more candidate region and duplicated comparison & region check overhead
- ▶ In Z-curve we should query by an MBR which covers the fan



Effect of B+tree node capacity

- It is known that a node size should be almost of the page size (4KBytes) so normally 100 to 200
- The result indicates that Z-Curve has time complexity of logC in small number of objects, best at 256
 - Z-Curve's DRU algorithm requires node interval resolve by tree traversal, As the n is smaller, the chance of tree traversal increases more
- C-Curve has almost constant, best at 400



- Effect of Angle direction
 - Almost same in C-Curve

►Z-curve



- Effect of Origin of the Fan
 - Does Z-curve has homogeneous query overhead in the space?
 - Answer : No! discontinuous points in space filling curves causes candidates regions



Effect of Fan angle width

► Linear increase



Conclusions & Further works

Conclusions

- SIMC are designed and implemented to be scalable to the number of data by tuple indexing, fan search with SFC.
- Fan Search with C-Curve provides better latency in large density of nodes than Z-Curve
- Further works
 - Network and System architectures should be tailored to be scalable in Massive Ubiquitous Environments