Evaluation of Scheduling Mechanisms in Cloud Computing

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Abstract: Cloud computing is the basic popular expression in today's Information Technology. Cloud computing stages are quickly developing as the favored alternative for facilitating applications in numerous business settings. A vital component of the cloud that separates it from conventional administrations is its clearly unending measure of asset limit (e.g. CPU, Network, and Storage) offered at an aggressive rate. It dispenses the requirement for setting up framework which takes a while. New businesses require not contribute on the framework in light of the fact that the assets are accessible in the cloud. Cloud computing empowers clients to obtain assets progressively and flexibly. A noteworthy test in asset provisioning and planning method is to decide the appropriate measure of assets required for the execution of work keeping in mind the end goal to limit the monetary cost from the viewpoint of clients and to augment the asset usage from the point of view of specialist co-ops. This paper will give the data about the different existing mechanisms.

Keywords: Cloud Computing, Scheduling, Resource Provisioning

I. INTRODUCTION

Cloud computing is one of the most recent rising patterns in Data innovation. It shares the assets through the web. Today there is an interest for cloud computing due to this asset sharing. It is alluring to entrepreneurs as it kills the prerequisites for clients to prepare for provisioning, and permits endeavors to begin from the little and increment assets just when there is an ascend in administration request. However regardless of the way that distributed computing offers gigantic chances to the IT business, the improvement of cloud computing innovation is presently at its early stages, with many issues still to be tended to. With the quick advancement of handling and capacity innovations and the achievement of the web, processing assets have turned out to be less expensive, more effective and more universally accessible than any time in recent memory as appeared in Figure1. This innovative pattern has empowered the acknowledgment of another figuring model called cloud computing, in which assets (e.g., CPU and capacity) are given as general utilities that can be rented and discharged by clients through the web in an on request form. In a cloud computing condition, the customary part of specialist organization is isolated into two: the framework suppliers who oversee Cloud stages and rent re-sources as indicated by a use based valuing model,[10] and ser-bad habit suppliers, who lease assets from one or numerous foundation suppliers to serve the end clients. The rise of distributed computing has made an enormous impact on the Information Technology(IT) industry in the course of recent years, where extensive organizations, for example, Google, Amazon and Microsoft ventures look to reshape their plans of action to pick up advantage from this new worldview.

The design of a cloud computing condition can be separated into 4 layers the Hardware/Data-center layer, the framework layer, the platform layer and the application layer.

The Hardware Layer: This layer is in charge of dealing with the physical assets of the cloud, including physical servers, switches, switches, power and cooling frameworks. By and by, the hardware layer is regularly actualized in server farms. A server farm more often than not contains a large number of servers that are sorted out in racks and interconnected through switches, switches or different textures. Run of the mill issue that hardware layer incorporate hardware setup, adaptation to internal failure, activity administration, power and cooling asset administration. [2]

The infrastructure layer: Also known as virtualization layer, the infrastructure layer makes a pool of capacity and figuring assets by parceling the physical assets utilizing virtualization advancements, for example, Xen, and VMware. The infrastructure layer is a basic part of cloud computing, since many key elements, for example, dynamic resource assignment, are just made accessible through virtualization advancements.

The platform layer: Built on top the infrastructure layer, the stage layer comprises of operating system and application structures. The reason for the platform layer is to limit the weight of conveying applications straightforwardly into VM holders. For instance, Google App Engine works at the stage layer to give API support to actualizing stockpiling, database and business rationale of ordinary web applications.

The application layer: At the most elevated amount of hierarchy, the application layer comprises of the genuine cloud application. Not quite the same as conventional applications, cloud applications can use the programmed scaling highlight to accomplish better execution, accessibility and lower working expense. Contrasted with conventional administration facilitating situations, for example, committed server cultivates, the design of distributed computing is more secluded. Each layer is inexactness combined with the layers above and beneath, permitting each layer to advance independently. This is like the outline of the OSI display for system conventions. The
design measured quality permits distributed computing to bolster an extensive variety of utilization necessities while lessening administration and upkeep overhead. [2]

There are many issues to be considered while moving a venture application to the cloud condition. For instance, some specialist organizations are for the most part keen on bringing down operation cost, while others may incline toward high dependability and security. In like manner, there are distinctive sorts of mists, each with its own advantages and disadvantages.

II. Scheduling in Cloud Computing

The target of task scheduling is to disseminate the workload on various processors in distributed framework. This strategy helps in increment the usage of the framework and abatements the season of execution of the framework. The procedure of task scheduling is feasible if every one of the tasks begins after their discharge times and finished before their due dates. Task scheduling is the essential and exceptionally advantageous approach in cloud computing since it accomplishes the ideal arrangement. Task scheduling is the task of begin and end time of the diverse tasks that are liable to specific limitations. The imperatives can be asset limitation or time requirement. Cloud computing is completely based upon the scheduling procedure. Task scheduling isolating the workload on Varity of processors increment the use of the framework and reductions the season of execution of the framework. Task scheduling has two forms: a) static scheduling b) dynamic scheduling[11]. A few calculations are proposed for scheduling instrument. Scheduling system is imperative to enhance the asset use. Different sorts of calculations are utilized for scheduling for instance FIFO, Genetic calculation, round robin calculation, cuckoo calculation, enhanced cost based calculation and so forth. In Cloud processing, Scheduling is of two sorts:

A. Static or stable scheduling:
Static scheduling technology also called pre scheduling technology because it schedules the various tasks which are well known in the foregone environment. This type of scheduling is also called offline scheduling involves scheduling in advance of the operation.

B. Dynamic scheduling:
This kind of scheduling based upon both current tasks and predetermined tasks to construct an arrangement of scheduling. Changed or dynamic scheduling is likewise called web based scheduling. The tasks are planned instantly when they touch base in the framework. Because of the dynamic or fluctuating nature of the cover after some time dynamic scheduling is based upon genuine living. The issues that touch base in element scheduling issue are called NP-finish issue, where cost and issue scale are straightforwardly corresponding to each other.

1. Types of scheduler:
   (a) FIFO scheduler: tasks in FIFO scheduling are executed by the accommodation time.
   (b) Fair scheduler: The need is given to those tasks having lack or shortage. So reasonable scheduler right off the bat plan these sorts of tasks than others.

(c) Capacity scheduler: Capacity Scheduler is based upon the whole group’s ability. Capacity scheduler defines the queues.

(d) Dynamic scheduler: Dynamic Scheduler deals with the financial plans. It additionally builds the heaviness of occupations. Neither of the schedulers is centered around limiting worldwide execution time. The scheduler based upon the hereditary calculations gives better throughput and more proficient. Since none of the scheduler limits time of execution.

In cloud computing there is a line of various tasks each task as various need. Scheduler checks the need of each task and designates the tasks to various processors as per their need. Scheduling procedure is inconsequential in mono tasking OS (working framework) since CPU control is given to the framework until the procedure exists itself[13]. The scheduling subsystem operations in multitasking framework work on levels, for example, long haul, medium term and here and now level. These levels are separated by time scale in which the operations are performed. As indicated by this the separations are based upon the accompanying strategies:

C. Long term scheduling:

Long term scheduling helps in discovering which projects are conceded for execution and which projects are left to the framework. Long term scheduling takes after a few strategies which chose when new occupation is submitted, if there are more than one employments are submitted than which ought to be chosen and which ought to be prematurely ended. The level of multitasking in multitasking frameworks controls in long term scheduling [14]. Long term scheduling needs a bargaining approach between the level of multitasking and throughput. This approach is extraordinarily required when one of them gives intuitive frameworks.

1. Medium term scheduling: Medium term scheduling decides when process is suspend and when it is continued. Memory management approach is utilized as a part of medium term scheduling, so medium term scheduling working framework is composed as a piece of the memory management.

2. Short term scheduling (or dispatching): Short term scheduling decides the procedures which are in prepared state having CPU assets and for to what extent time. To accomplish a portion of the objectives of the framework which are pre characterized pre-characterized here and now scheduling manages the distribution of CPU time to forms.

D. Related Work:

Buyya et al. [1] this paper proposed an asset provisioning and scheduling methodology for logical work processes on Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) Clouds. A calculation in light of the meta-heuristic improvement strategy, Particle Swarm Optimization (PSO) were introduced , which meant to limit the general work process execution cost while meeting due date limitations. It was assessed utilizing CloudSim and different surely understood logical work
processes of various sizes. The outcomes demonstrated that the approach performed superior to the present best in class calculations.

Chen et al. [2] presented a cost-minimization and deadline-constrained work process scheduling model on cloud computing. Genetic calculation (GA) approach was utilized to take care of the issue of tight due date condition in the model. To handle with the tight due date condition, a dynamic target technique was additionally proposed to give GA a chance to concentrate on streamlining the execution time goal to meet the due date imperative when the attainable arrangement hasn’t been acquired. Once the attainable arrangement was gotten, the GA was centered around enhancing the execution cost inside the due date requirement. In this way, the proposed dynamic target GA (DOGA) had versatile capacity to the inquiry condition to various destinations. Broad investigations in view of work processes with various scales and diverse cloud assets were preformed. Test comes about demonstrated that DOGA discovered preferable arrangement with littler cost over PSO does on various scheduling scales and diverse due date conditions. DOGA approach was more material to be utilized as a part of business exercises.

Cui et al. [3] this paper exhibited, a dependability examination of cloud services by applying a Markov-based technique. the cloud scheduling issue was define as a multi-target Optimization issue with imperatives regarding unwavering quality, make traverse, and flow time. A Genetic Algorithm-based Chaotic Ant Swarm (GA-CAS) calculation was proposed, in which four administrators and

characteristic determination were connected, to take care of obliged multi-target advancement issue. Reenactment comes about had shown that GA-CAS for the most part accelerates meeting and beats other meta-heuristic methodologies.

Li et al. [4] presented a novel Energy-aware Dynamic Task Scheduling (EDTS) algorithm based on the DVS technique was proposed to limit the aggregate vitality utilization for cell phones, while fulfilling string time imperatives and the likelihood requirement for applications. Trial comes about showed that the EDTS calculation significantly lessened the vitality utilization for CPS, when contrasted with the basic way scheduling strategy and the parallelism-based scheduling calculation.

Yuan et al. [5] paper studied the problem of how to maximize the profit of a private cloud in hybrid clouds while guaranteeing the service delay bound of delay-tolerant tasks. A profit maximization algorithm (PMA) was proposed to find the worldly variety of costs in half breed mists. The fleeting task scheduling gave by PMA will progressively plan all entry tasks to execute in private and open mists. The sub issue in every emphasis of PMA was tackled by the proposed half and half heuristic streamlining calculation, reproduced tempering molecule swarm improvement (SAPSO). Moreover, SAPSO was contrasted and existing benchmark calculations. Broad reenactment tests showed that the proposed technique gave enormously increment in the throughput and the profit of a private cloud while ensuring the administration defer bound.

The pros and cons of some existing scheduling methods are given in the following table:

Table.1 Existing Scheduling Algorithms

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<th>S.No</th>
<th>Scheduling Methods</th>
<th>Parameters Considered</th>
<th>Pros</th>
<th>Cons</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>First Come First Serve (FCFS)</td>
<td>Entry time</td>
<td>Straightforward in execution</td>
<td>Doesn’t consider any other criteria for scheduling</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Simulated Annealing</td>
<td>Makespan, Optimization</td>
<td>Discovers more poorer arrangements in extensive arrangement space, better makespan</td>
<td>QoS elements and heterogeneous conditions can be considered</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Switching Algorithm</td>
<td>Makespan, Load adjusting, Execution</td>
<td>Plans as per stack of the structure, better makespan</td>
<td>Cost and time use in trading as indicated by stack</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>K-percent Best</td>
<td>Makespan, Performance</td>
<td>Chooses the best machine for scheduling</td>
<td>Resource is chosen in view of the finishing time as it were</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>Round Robin</td>
<td>Arrival time, Time quantum</td>
<td>Less multifaceted nature</td>
<td>Pre-emption is required</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>Opportunistic Load Balancing</td>
<td>Load balancing</td>
<td>Better resource utilization</td>
<td>Poor makespan</td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>Minimum Execution Time Algorithm</td>
<td>Expected execution time</td>
<td>Selects the fastest machine for scheduling</td>
<td>Load imbalanced</td>
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<td>No.</td>
<td>Algorithm</td>
<td>Load balancing</td>
<td>Optimization in selection of best resource is not there</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>Minimum Completion Time Algorithm</td>
<td>Expected completion time, Load balancing</td>
<td>Better makespan alongside load adjusting</td>
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<td>9</td>
<td>Sufferage heuristic</td>
<td>Minimum fulfillment time, Reliability</td>
<td>scheduling done is as it were in view of a sufferage esteem</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>WLC based Scheduling</td>
<td>Stack adjusting, Proficiency, Preparing Speed</td>
<td>Dynamic undertaking task procedure proposed, errand heterogeneity is considered</td>
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<td>11</td>
<td>User Priority guided Min-Min</td>
<td>Need, Makespan, Asset Use, Stack adjusting</td>
<td>Organized is given to clients enhancing load adjusting and without expanding all out finish time.</td>
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<td>12</td>
<td>Improved Cost Based Algorithm</td>
<td>Processing cost, Makespan</td>
<td>Asset cost and calculation execution is considered before planning</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>e-STAB</td>
<td>Vitality effectiveness, Organize mindfulness, QoS, execution</td>
<td>Stack adjusting and vitality effectiveness is accomplished in view of movement load, clog and postponement are maintained a strategic distance from.</td>
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<td>14</td>
<td>Min-Min, Max-Min</td>
<td>Makespan, Anticipated culminating time</td>
<td>Better makespan compared to other calculations</td>
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<td>15</td>
<td>Genetic Algorithm</td>
<td>Makespan, Productivity, Execution, Advancement</td>
<td>Better execution and productivity in terms of makespan</td>
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<td>16</td>
<td>Job Scheduling based on Horizontal Load Balancing</td>
<td>Adaptation to non-critical failure, Stack adjusting, Reaction time, Asset usage, Cost, Execution time</td>
<td>Probabilistic task in view of cost. Most noteworthy likely asset and errand are chosen for task.</td>
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<td>17</td>
<td>Priority based Job Scheduling Algorithm</td>
<td>Need of undertakings, Anticipated finish time</td>
<td>Need is considered for booking. Composed in light of different criteria basic leadership display</td>
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### III. Resource Provisioning in Cloud Computing

Resource provisioning implies the determination, sending, and run-time administration of programming (e.g., database administration servers, stack balancers) and equipment assets (e.g., CPU, stockpiling, and system) for guaranteeing ensured execution for applications. This Resource provisioning takes Service Level Agreement (SLA) into thought for giving support of the cloud clients. This is an underlying assertion between the cloud clients and cloud specialist organizations which guarantees Quality of Service (QoS) parameters like execution, accessibility, dependability, reaction time and so on [15]. In light of the application needs Static Provisioning/Dynamic Provisioning and Static/Dynamic Allocation of assets must be made keeping in mind the end goal to effectively make utilization of the assets without damaging SLA and meeting these QoS parameters. Over provisioning and under provisioning of assets must be kept away from. Another critical requirement is power utilization. Care ought to be taken to decrease control utilization, control dispersal and furthermore on VM arrangement. There ought to be systems to maintain a strategic distance from abundance control utilization.

So a definitive objective of the cloud client is to limit cost by leasing the resources and from the cloud specialist co-op's viewpoint to expand benefit by effectively assigning the resources [16]. Keeping in mind the end goal to accomplish the objective the cloud client needs to demand cloud specialist co-op to make an arrangement for the resources either statically or progressively so that the cloud specialist organization will know what number of cases of the
resources and what assets are required for a specific application. By provisioning the resources, the QoS parameters like accessibility, throughput, security, reaction time, unwavering quality, execution and so on must be accomplished without abusing SLA.

The Different types of Resource Provisioning are:

A. Static Provisioning:
For applications that have unsurprising and by and large perpetual requests/workloads, it is conceivable to utilize "static provisioning" viably. With progress provisioning, the client contracts with the supplier for administrations and the supplier readies the fitting assets ahead of time of begin of administration. The client is charged a level expense or is charged on a month to month premise.

B. Dynamic Provisioning:
In situations where request by applications may change or fluctuate, "dynamic provisioning" strategies have been recommended whereby VMs might be moved on-the-travel to new process hubs inside the cloud. With element provisioning, the supplier dispenses more assets as they are required and evacuates them when they are definitely not. The client is charged on a compensation for every utilization premise. At the point when element provisioning is utilized to make a half and half cloud, it is some of the time alluded to as cloud bursting.

C. User Self-provisioning:
With client self-provisioning (otherwise called cloud self-benefit), the client buys assets from the cloud supplier through a web frame, making a client account and paying for assets with a charge card. The supplier's assets are accessible for client use inside hours, if not minutes.

D. Related Work:
Chen et al. [6] in this paper, a Resource-efficient Predictive Resource Provisioning system in clouds (RPRP) was displayed that rejected rushes sought after expectation and had calculations to explicitly deal with blasts to stay away from asset over-provisioning. Instead of setting cushioning to a potentially high esteem, RPRP had a heap subordinate cushioning calculation that adaptively decided cushioning in view of anticipated requests. To deal with blasts, RPRP typifies a responsive cushioning calculation that adaptively conforms cushioning to recuperate from both under-provisioning and over-provisioning. The exploratory outcomes demonstrated that RPRP accomplished higher asset use, more exact request forecasts, and less SLO infringement than past plans.

Ullah et al. [7] in this paper, a case study of optimizing the membership functions of a fuzzy system using genetic calculation was done, which was an essential piece of created cloud flexibility structure. This work intended to enhance the general execution of the structure. Comes about acquired from this examination work exhibited execution change in correlation with other exploratory settings.

Xu et al. [8] in this paper show both joint SEN and TOL asset provisioning was studied. Movement flow of SENs and TOLs in various time scales, and power value worldly elements and area differing qualities were considered. Objective was to limit add up to costs, while ensuring QoS for SENs and accomplishing an alluring postpone execution for TOLs. In this way, a joint server provisioning, SEN stack dispatching, TOL stack moving, and SEN/TOL limit distribution plan were proposed, which use TOL line data and does not accept any framework measurable data. Other benchmark plans were additionally outlined that use diverse framework data. Both scientific outcomes and broad reenactment comes about demonstrated the proficiency of the proposed conspire, named OrgQ, in diminishing aggregate expenses and TOL line delay.

Zhou et al. [9] this paper presented a declarative optimization engine named Geco for resource provisioning of scientific work-flows in geo-distributed clouds. Geco permitted clients to indicate their work-flow streamlining objectives and imperatives of specific issues with an expanded explanatory dialect. A novel probabilistic improvement approach for assessing the decisive improvement objectives and limitations to address the cloud elements was proposed. Additionally, created runtime enhancements to all the more adequately use the cloud assets at runtime. To quicken the arrangement finding, Geco use the energy of GPUs to discover the arrangement in a quick and opportune way. Assessments with four normal work-flow provisioning issues show that, Geco could accomplish more viable execution/cost improvements in geo-dispersed cloud conditions than the best in class approaches.

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<th>Technique Name</th>
<th>Pros</th>
<th>Cons</th>
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<td>1.</td>
<td>Dynamic provisioning</td>
<td>Matches occupant functionalities with customer necessities. Does not work for testing on genuine</td>
<td>life cloud–based framework and over a few spaces</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Hybrid Cloud Resource Provisioning Policy</td>
<td>Ready to embrace client the workload model to give adaptability in the decision of methodology in light of the coveted level of QoS</td>
<td>the required execution</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Deadline-driven provisioning</td>
<td>Ready to proficiently designate assets from various sources keeping in mind the end goal to diminish application</td>
<td>Not appropriate for HPC information escalated applications.</td>
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Table2. The pros and cons of some existing Resource Provisioning Techniques
### IV. Evaluation of existing technologies in Scheduling

To assess execution of various calculations, distinctive quality measurements are considered. These are:

- **Nature:** Determines the conduct of load adjusting calculations for instance, static or element, pre-arranged or no arranging et cetera.
- **Overload Rejection:** This parameter is utilized to choose the greatest load upheld by any hub along these lines, it will be utilized when it is impractical to over load the hub. After this parameter is chosen a hub won't acknowledge some other load. In static load adjusting, as no change happens amid the running condition of a procedure there will be lesser overhead and no migration overhead. Dynamic load adjusting acquire overhead contrasted with static one.
- **Reliability:** It is identified with giving unwavering quality against some machine disappointment. Static load adjusting are less dependable then element one as in static calculations, process won't be moved in the event of machine disappointment at run-time.
- **Adaptability:** It watches that whether a calculation is equipped for confronting the changing circumstance or not? Static calculation, as the name recommends they are not versatile as in changing circumstance number of procedures is not settled. Though progressive calculations are totally versatile.

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<th>Quality Metric</th>
<th>Scheduling Method</th>
<th>Response Time</th>
<th>Fault Tolerant</th>
<th>Stability</th>
<th>Resources Utilization</th>
<th>Waiting Time</th>
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<td>Round Robin</td>
<td>Less</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Large</td>
<td>Less</td>
<td>More</td>
<td>More</td>
<td>Static</td>
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<td>Ant Bee Colony</td>
<td>More</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Small</td>
<td>More</td>
<td>Less</td>
<td>Less</td>
<td>Dynamic</td>
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<tr>
<td>Honey Bee</td>
<td>More</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Small</td>
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### V. CONCLUSION

As Scheduling and Resource provisioning both are the major challenges of the cloud computing. So, in this paper, various methods for both scheduling and resource provision were discussed. These methods have various merits as well as demerits. A mechanism that overcomes the challenges of the existing techniques has to be used in cloud computing. To
analyze performance of the methods various parameters were considered and evaluate that optimization techniques are better to provide solution for these challenges and may be used in future works.

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