An Incessant Position Based Spatial Queries in Mobile Environments Using Proxy Based Approach

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ABSTRACT

There is an increase in the process of caching rational areas of location based queries at mobile clients is effective in decreasing when the queries are posted by mobile users and the sending queries are loaded on the server. Thus mobile users are waiting for a long time for the server to answer for the posted queries. The proxybased approach to incessant Nearest Neighbor (NN) and window queries was proposed. Proxy generates the Approximated Rational Areas (ARR) for mobile users by extracting the location and temporal locality of location based queries. It is used for estimating the huge rational areas. ARRs are used to represent in the form of vectors called Approximated Window Vectors (AWVs) for window queries.

KEY WORDS: Nearest neighbor query, window query, location-based service, proxy server.

I. INTRODUCTION

Location-based services (LBS) are a general class of computer program-level services used to include specific controls for location and time data as control features in computer programs. LBS are services offered by cellular radio providers that are sensitive the physical location of the terminal device. Such services include descriptions of and directions to restaurants and other retail establishments in proximity.

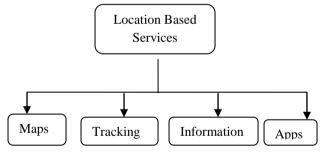


Fig -1: Classification of Location Based Services

Fig -1 depicts about the classification of LBS. It includes the maps & navigation, tracking services, information services and application. It includes route options, weather forecasts, and location of hospitals, restaurants, police stations, tourist number of uses in social networking today as an entertainment service, which is accessible with mobile devices through the mobile network and which uses information on the geographical position of the mobile device. LBS can provide helpful information regarding public transportation attractions, landmarks, petrol pumps, ATMs etc.

II. PREVIOUS WORK

According to spatial constraints, spatial queries can be divided into several categories including nearest neighbor (NN) queries and window queries. An NN query is to discover the closest data object with respect to the location at which the query is issued. For example, a user may launch an NN query like "show the nearest restaurant with respect to my current location." a window query is to find all the objects within a specific window frame. The existing system is based on naïve method. The naive

method answering continuous spatial queries is to submit a new query whenever the query location changes. The naïve method is capable to provide correct results, but it has the following limitations: High power consumption and heavy server load. Another one is, when the number of queries increases, the average waiting time of clients becomes longer. VR computation requires extra I/O and computational cost. It is not suitable for large LBS server.

2.1 Location-Dependent Information Services

Location-Dependent Information Services(LDISs) are an important class of context-aware applications. They answer location-related queries, where a location is either explicit or implied. These services emerged from advances and convergence in high speed wireless networks, personal portable devices, and location-identification techniques. In [1],Dik Lun Lee, Jianliang Xu, and Baihua Zheng, proposed location-dependent information access in a mobile-pervasive environment, in particular in a cellular mobile system, and present new research issues arising from on-demand access, broadcast, and data caching. The geometric model's main advantage is its compatibility across heterogeneous systems. The disadvantage is that it is not an sufficient method for finding the spatial queries.

In [2] Baihua Zheng, Jianliang Xu, Student Member, IEEE, and Dik L. Lee studied the issues of cache invalidation and cache replacement for location-dependent data under a geometric location model. They introduce a new performance criterion, called caching efficiency, and propose a generic method for location-dependent cache invalidation strategies. In addition, two cache replacement policies, PA and PAID, are proposed. There are two situations where validity checking is necessary: 1) the same query may be issued later when the client has moved to a new location; 2) a mobile client may keep moving after it submits a query and the client may have moved to a new location when the response is returned if there is a long data access delay. The invalidation information can be utilized by cache replacement policies to enhance performance. The factor of data distance is sensitive to scope distributions, query patterns, and movement models. The disadvantage is that there is no frequent update of data objects.

2.2 Range-Monitoring Queries

Range queries have been studied extensively in geographic information systems (GIS), computer aided design (CAD), and other conventional database systems. In these systems, updates are infrequent and the database is relatively stable. In [3], Y. Cai, K.A. Hua, and G. Cao, proposed how to leverage heterogeneous mobile computing capability for efficient processing of real-time range-monitoring queries. The study shows that the new technique is many times better in reducing mobile communication and server processing costs. Provide accurate and real-time query results without requiring the constant location updates from mobile objects. It minimizes the mobile communication overhead. MOM is highly scalable. It requires high input and output computation.

In [4] B. Gedik and L. Liu proposed MobiEyes, Location monitoring is an important issue for real time management of mobile object positions. Significant research efforts have been dedicated to techniques for efficient processing of spatial continuous queries on moving objects in a centralized location monitoring system. Surprisingly, very few have promoted a distributed approach to real-time location monitoring. Most of the existing approaches for processing spatial queries on moving objects are not scalable, due to their inherent assumption that location monitoring and communications of mobile objects are controlled by a central server. The centralized approaches can suffer from dramatic performance degradation in terms of server load and network bandwidth.

In this they presented MobiEyes, a distributed solution for processing MQs in a mobile setup. Our solution ships some part of the query processing down to the moving objects, and the server mainly acts as a mediator between moving objects. This significantly reduces the load on the server side and also results in savings on the communication between moving objects and the server. The distributed processing of MQs significantly decreases the server load and scales well in terms of messaging cost while placing only small amount of processing burden on moving objects. The MobiEyes solution discussed in this paper focuses on real-time evaluation of moving queries in real-world settings, where the trajectories of the moving objects are unpredictable and the queries are associated with moving objects inside the system.

2.3 Generic Framework

In [5], H. Hu, J. Xu, and D.L. Lee proposed a generic framework for monitoring continuous spatial queries over moving objects. The frame-work distinguishes itself from existing work by being the first to address the location update issue and to provide a common interface for monitoring mixed types of queries. Based on the notion of safe region, the client location update strategy is developed based on the queries being monitored. Thus, it significantly reduces the wireless communication and query reevaluation costs required to maintain the up- to-date query results. We propose algorithms for query evaluation/reevaluation and for safe region computation in this framework. Enhancements are also proposed to take advantage of two practical mobility assumptions: maximum speed and steady movement. This paper demonstrates the feasibility and performance advantages of the framework. The safe regions for kNN queries are computed separately; so the final safe region of the object p.sr may not be optimal.

2.4 Time-Parameterized Queries

In [6], Y. Tao and D. Papadias proposed a general framework that covers time-parameterized variations of the most common spatial queries, namely window queries, *k*-nearest neighbors and spatial joins. Time-parameterized queries (TP queries for short) retrieve

- the actual result at the time that the query is issued,
- the *validity period* of the result given the current motion of the query and the database objects, and
- the *change* that causes the expiration of the result.

The proposed techniques significantly extend previous work, both in terms of effectiveness and applicability to far more general problems. The disadvantage is that if the time expires for the particular query the process will be skipped out. In [7], S. Nutanong, R. Zhang, E. Tanin, and L. Kulik presented an incremental safe-region-based technique for answering MkNN queries, called the V^* -Diagram. A safe region is a set of points where the query point can move without changing the query answer. Voronoi diagram has low input and output and low computation costs compare with other method but it needs large amount of space. Objects location can be stored only in servers, so there will be congestion occurs.

In [8], L. Kulik and E. Tani presented a set of incremental algorithms that track the rank of the neighbors of a moving query point continuously. Nearest neighbor (NN) queries are a well investigated research topic. With the ubiquitous availability of location information for mobile devices, continuous nearest neighbor(CNN) queries have become a major research focus. An important variant of CNNs are continuous ranking queries that retrieve the rank of k neighbors of a moving object. A number of algorithms have been developed to efficiently find the nearest neighbors for a static query point. One way to derive an algorithm for a CNN query is to use a classical NN query algorithm: for each predetermined time or location update interval ,a new NN query for a moving query point can be executed using one of the classical NN query algorithms. However, a repeated execution of the classical algorithms will not take advantage of the steps and the results of previously run NN queries.

In this paper, they presented a set of incremental algorithms that track the rank of the neighbors of a moving query point continuously. The positions of the neighbors are assumed to be fixed. We show that updates for such continuous rank queries can be performed in linear time for any arbitrary polygonal curve without any prior knowledge of the curve itself. For a moving query point, we introduced algorithms to track the ranks of sites without any prior knowledge about the trajectory of the query point. We defined a fixed rank region that determines the set of all those points for which the ranks of the sites do not change. This reduces the need for any query reprocessing and communication because in a fixed-rank region no updates are required. However, the algorithms did not adapt to cope with dynamic situations in which the sites as well as the query point are in motion.

2.5 Location-based Spatial Queries

Location-based spatial queries (LBSQs), which refer to a set of spatial queries that retrieve information based on mobile users' current locations. In the simplest approach, a user establishes a point-to-point communication with the server so that her queries can be answered on demand. In [9],

W.-S. Ku, R. Zimmermann, and H. Wang presented a novel query processing technique that, while maintaining high scalability and accuracy, manages to reduce the latency considerably in answering location-based spatial queries. Our approach is based on peer-to-peer sharing, which enables us to process queries without delay at a mobile host by using query results cached in its neighboring mobile peers. The advantage of the broadcast model is that it is a scalable approach. By virtue of its peer-to-peer architecture, the method exhibits great scalability: the higher the mobile peer density, the more queries can be answered by peers. Therefore, the query access latency can be markedly decreased with the increase of clients. Its main limitation lies in its lack of security.

In [10], F.P. Tso, J. Teng, W. Jia, and D. Xuan, Proc presented an empirical study on the performance of mobile High Speed Packet Access (HSPA, a 3.5G cellular standard) networks in Hong Kong via extensive field tests. It means includes all possible information about the urban areas like trains, subways, and city buses. It is for finding the areas in various things like from land to sea and from ground (train) to subways. It concludes about is to find the locations, it has been monitored through the HSPA.HSPA identifies the bandwidth, time spending, throughput etc. HSPA monitors the location through the movement of node (object). The limitation is that communication characteristics in HSPA transitional regions are very complicated so more intelligent handoff algorithms are needed for seamless service provisioning. Heavy network traffics will occur in the wireless environment.

III. PROPOSED SYSTEM

3.1 Proxy Based Approach

A proxy server is a server that acts as an intermediary between a workstation user and the Internet so that the enterprise can ensure security, administrative control, and caching service. A proxy server is associated with or part of a gateway server that separates the enterprise network from the outside network and a firewall server that protects the enterprise network from outside intrusion.

A proxy server receives a request for an Internet service (such as a Web page request) from a user. If it passes filtering requirements, the proxy server, assuming it is also a cache server, looks in its local cache of previously downloaded Web pages. If it finds the page, it returns it to the user without needing to forward the request to the Internet. If the page is not in the cache, the proxy server, acting as a client on behalf of the user, uses one of its own IP addresses to request the page from the server out on the Internet. When the page is returned, the proxy server relates it to the original request and forwards it on to the user. Proxies were invented to add structure and encapsulation to distributed systems.

A proxy builds ARRs of NN queries and AWVs of window queries based on NN query history and available data objects, respectively. The proxy maintains an object cache and two index structures: an ARA-tree for NN queries and a grid index for window queries. The two index structures share the data objects in the object cache. Proxy creates the Approximated Rational Areas (ARR) for mobile clients by extracting the location and temporal locality of location based queries.

IV. SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

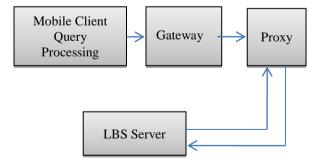


Fig -2: System Architecture.

In Fig -2 the mobile clients' posts query in the mobile client query processing. If the mobile client has a spatial query, it examines the whether it has answer for that query. If it is found, it returns the answer; otherwise it has been posted to gateway based on the Estimated Valid Region cache. It is received by the gateway and it posts query to the proxy. In the query processing, it has been classified

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into two types. They are NN query and Window query. If the mobile client posts the NN query, a proxy answers to the query based on the ARR tree and grid index. If the proxy cannot answer to the query, it submits one or more 2NN queries to the LBS server.2NN query is nothing but an second nearest neighbor query. If the client submits the window query, the proxy first checks whether all the answer objects of the query are available in the object cache by the grid index. When the queries are posted, it is received by the gateway. Each gateway acts as an intermediate between query and query results between mobile clients and proxy. Gateway is used for forwarding the queries to the proxy. If proxy returns the result, it has been forwarded to the mobile clients.

A proxy builds ARRs of NN queries. It also builds AWVs of window queries. It is based on NN query history and available data objects, respectively. The proxy maintains an object cache and two index structures. They are ARR-tree for NN queries and a grid index for window queries. In the proxy, it checks whether the query is in any ARR, if it found it return answers to the client .If the query is not found in the ARR, it the proxy attempts to answer the query with the grid index. The proxy extends the received NN query into a 2NN query with the same query location and submits the 2NN query to the LBS server. If it is correct, insert into the cache otherwise reinsertion process takes place. LBS server is nothing but a location based server. It keeps the large amount of location based queries in the static cache. In the LBS server, it has some input parameters such as node id, service, category, region, process.

V. CONCLUSION

A proxy-based approach was proposed to continuous NN and window queries in mobile environments. The proxy imposes spatial and temporal locality of spatial queries to create ARRs of NN and window queries. Furthermore we have examined the impact of data object updates to efficiently handle frequent object updates.

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