An Online Orchestration Mechanism for General-Purpose Edge Computing



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Abstract:

In recent years, edge computing has been attracting much interest, however, most current research is application-specific, and lacking from a business perspective of edge cloud providers (ECPs) that provide general-purpose edge cloud services to mobile service providers and users. In this research, we present a vision of general-purpose edge computing realized by multiple interconnected edge clouds, analyzing the business model from the viewpoint of ECPs, and identifying the main issues to address to maximize benefits for ECPs. With theoretical analysis and simulations, we show that the proposed method approximates the optimal solution in a challenging environment without having future knowledge of the system.

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