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# ILO4:Application Execution Models on Cloud (*Dynamic Scheduling*)

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# Constrained Scheduling

- Best effort on cost
- Constraint on a deadline
- Constraint on a budget
- Adaptive scheduling



# Multi-criteria Optimization

- Time & Cost Budget
  - Reduce time (best effort) while ensuring below budget (fixed)
- Normalize time & cost into single optimization function
  - Reuse existing algorithm
- Optimize one, then tweak to optimize other
  - LOSS - GAIN Approach



# Scheduling with Budget Constraints§

## ■ LOSS Approach

- Schedule using HEFT. If within budget, done.

$$LossWeight(i, m) = \frac{T_{new} - T_{old}}{C_{old} - C_{new}}$$

- »  $T_{old}$  is time taken by task  $i$  on old machine assigned by HEFT
- »  $T_{new}$  is time taken by task  $i$  on new candidate machine  $m$
- »  $C$  is cost on respective machines
- Try re-assignments using smallest *LossWeight*



# Scheduling with Budget Constraints

- GAIN Approach
  - Initially map each task to the cheapest available machine (rather than HEFT)
  - Then make reassignments based on the largest *GainWeight*

$$GainWeight(i, m) = \frac{T_{old} - T_{new}}{C_{new} - C_{old}}$$

- Continue till budget is exhausted



# Dynamism

- Variability in application requirements
  - DAG branches non-deterministic
  - Continuous applications
  
- Variability in Infrastructure
  - Performance of VMs vary in time
  - With/without task migration



# DAG Scheduling Strategies under Dynamism

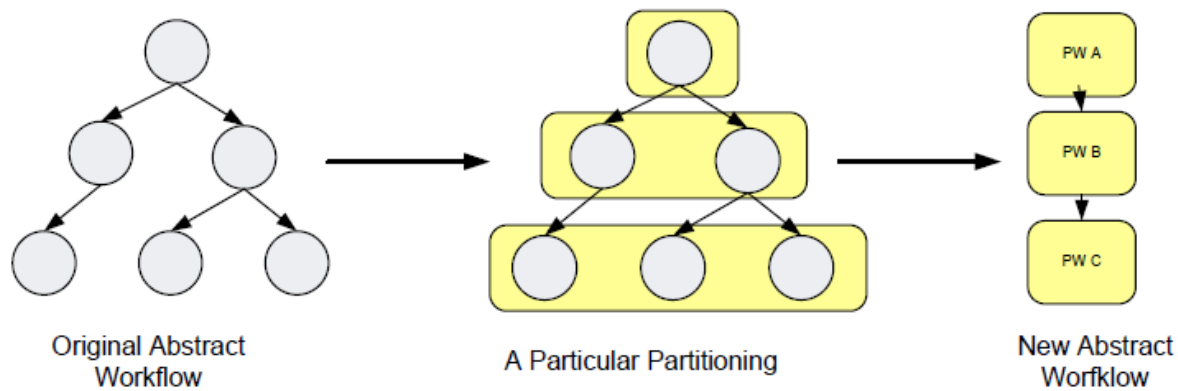
- Full-ahead planning
  - Plan task to machine mapping *a priori* (HEFT)
  - Costly, Does not consider current conditions
  
- Incremental
  - Add task to queue when ready
  - Simple, can lead to sub-optimal (e.g. wait time for large jobs)





# DAG Scheduling Strategies under Dynamism

- Just-in-time planning
  - Pegasus: Stage at a time, when ready



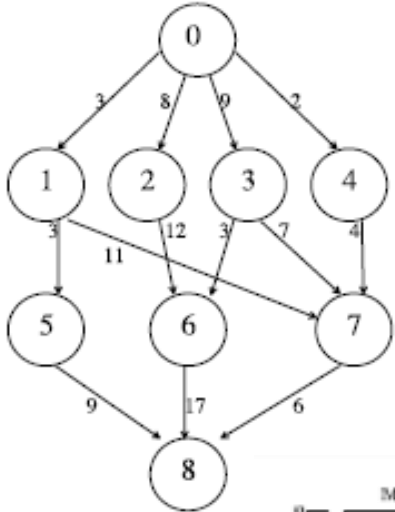


# Dynamic DAG Scheduling Strategies

- Just-in-time rescheduling
  - Start with HEFT. At runtime, use actual task time to decide rescheduling.
  - *Slack & spare time* gives us leeway
- **Spare time** between a pairs of dependent nodes
  - DAG/machine dependence
  - Maximal time the source node can execute for without affecting the start of the sink node
- **Slack time** is the minimum spare time on any path from a node to the exit node
  - Maximum delay that can be tolerated, without affecting the overall makespan.
  - Slack = 0 → Node on Critical Path



# Dynamic DAG Scheduling



- $ST(j)$  is the expected start time of node  $j$
- $DAT(i, j)$  is the time at which data required by node  $j$  from node  $i$  will arrive on its machine
- $FT(i)$  is the finish time of node  $i$  in the given schedule

*Spare time between node  $i$  & successor  $j$  (4&7)*

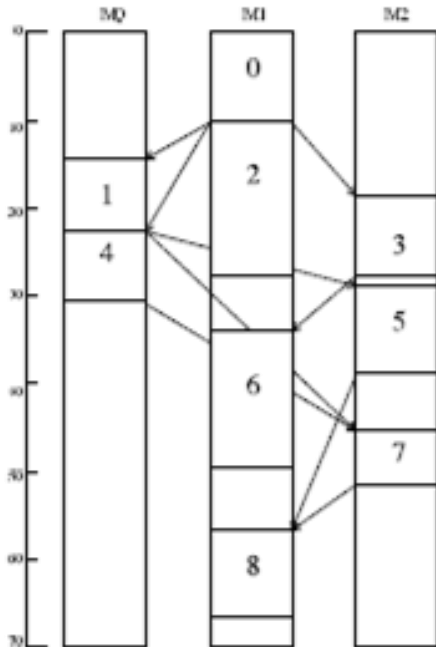
$$\text{Spare}_{\text{DAG}}(i, j) = ST(j) - DAT(i, j),$$

*For adjacent tasks  $i$  and  $j$  in a machine (3&5)*

$$\text{Spare}_{\text{SameMach}}(i, j) = ST(j) - FT(i),$$

*Maximal value that can be added to the execution time of this task without affecting the overall makespan (5&7)*

$$\text{Slack}(i) = \min_{j \in D_i} (\text{Slack}(j) + \text{Spare}(i, j)).$$





# Reading

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- Scheduling Workflows with Budget Constraints, Rizos Sakellariou and Henan Zhao, *Integrated Research in GRID Computing*, 2007



# Summary: Scheduling on the Cloud

- Different types of applications
  - Stateful vs Stateless
  - Continuous Dataflows
- Client+Cloud
- Scale up vs Out
- Exclusivity, Variability
- Resource Sizing, Costs
- Elasticity



# Scheduling

- List Scheduling
- HEFT Scheduling of DAGs
- Multi-criteria optimization
  - Scheduling on a Budget
- Dynamism



# ILO 4

- Application Execution Models on Clouds:
  - *Design* and *implement* Cloud applications that can scale up on a VM and out across multiple VMs. ➔Project
  - *Illustrate* the use of load balancing techniques for stateful and stateless applications.
  - *Characterize* resource allocation strategies to leverage elasticity and heterogeneity of Cloud services ✓