

Independent and Scalable Performance Monitoring of Complex Cloud-Based Services

Motivation

Understanding the behavior of critical cloud-based services.

Be aware of poorly performing services and optimize the network infrastructure accordingly.

Lack of general techniques that can extract meaningful knowledge of the behavior of complex networked services, solely from the network communication exchanged between them and their users.

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Complex cloud services

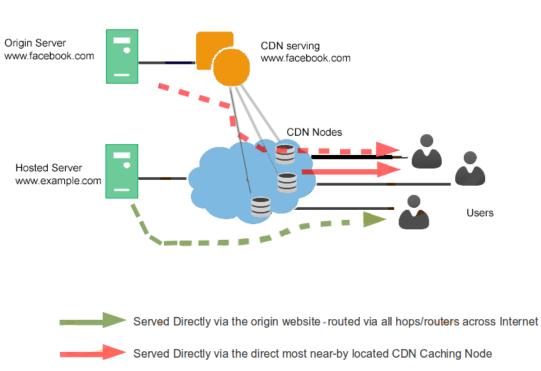
Analyze the behavior of complex cloud services consisting of several sub-services hosted in different clouds.

Independence from the service provider

Extract all necessary information from the network traffic between the services and the users.

High-speed networks.

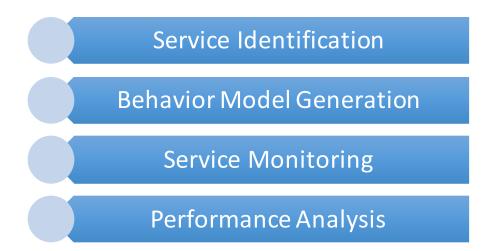
High throughput of modern networks does not allow capturing and analyzing the complete traffic. We will process highly aggregated input data (Netflow).

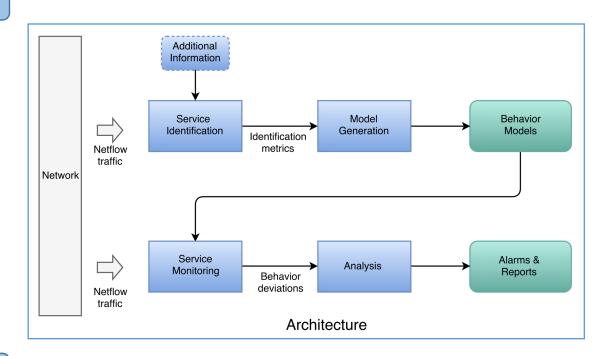


Virtual path from the origin website to the user – but being served insteaed by CDN Node

Various modes of serving content

Proposed System





Service Identification Methodology

DNS Enrichment

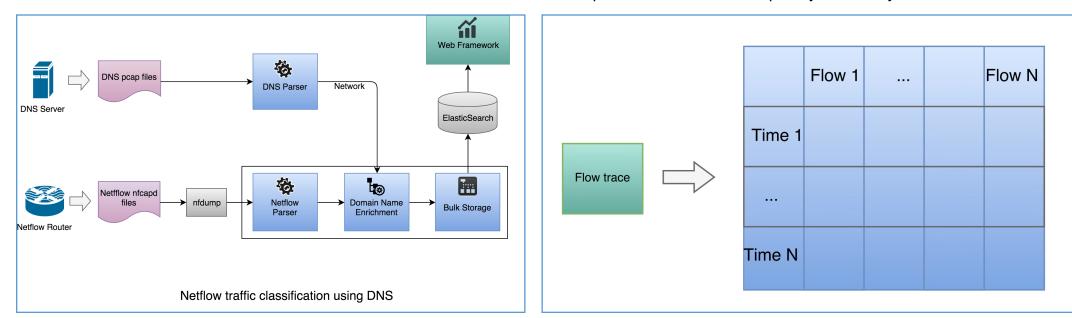
Match server IP address in Neflow records with DNS records Enrich netflow records with domain name

Dependency Matrix

Partition the trace into time windows

Note all flows that appear in each time window

Find pairs that occur most frequently over many windows



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