SmartCrawler: For Site Locating and Balancing

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Abstract: The number of web pages in Internet are changed day by day. Therefore relevant information searching is difficult task. Most of this data is hidden behind query forms which is interface to unexplored databases containing high quality structured data. Existing search engine has drawback that they cannot access and index this hidden data of the Web, in fact it is very hard to derive the unseen info. For this, we propose a framework, namely SmartCrawler, just to gather all the web interfaces in depth. Initially that is site locating, in this step, center pages are searched using search engines which is used to avoid visiting a large number of pages. For achieving precise results for a focused crawl, SmartCrawler gives ranks to websites to prioritize highly relevant ones for a given topic. The second step, adaptive link-ranking gives fast in-site searching by searching most relevant links. In third step, i.e. Web Navigation, Space complexity problem of other crawler are managed. The required relevant links are stored in database. Parsing of web pages is done in web navigation step. To reduce time in visiting some highly related links in unseen web directories, we have designed a link tree data.

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1. Introduction

A web crawler is known as robot or a spider. It is a system for downloading of large web pages. Web crawlers are used for a various purposes. Mostly, they are one of the main components of web search engines, systems that assemble a quantity of web pages, index them, and allow users to assign queries against the index and find the web pages that match the queries.

In web crawling, the crawler search around the web-pages, to gather and categorizes information on the World Wide Web. The crawler has three parts: The first part is the spider, also known as crawler. The task of spider is to visits the pages, the information is fetch and then follows the links in other pages within a site. The spider gives too crawled site in regular interval of time. First stage information is given to second stage, the index. It is called as catalogue. The index is act as a database, in which every copy of web-page that crawler finds are saved. When a web-page changes then the data is updated with new information in the database. Software is the third part which is nothing but a program that uses millions of web pages recorded in the index to find matches to search and level them according what it believes as most relevant.

Hidden data or invisible data are known as Deep web [2]. The contents of deep web [5] are not indexed in a search engine on the web. In Deep web the number of websites are rarely distributed and keep changing. To handle above problem, existing work has given two types of crawlers first is generic crawlers and second is focused crawlers [1][2].Generic crawler retrieves all the searchable forms and do not focus on a specific topic in Focused crawlers which focuses on a specific topic. Form-focused crawler (FFC) [5] and Adaptive crawler for hidden web entries (ACHE)[6] gives for efficiently and automatically detect other same domain forms. The main component of FFC includes link, page, form classifiers and frontier manager for focused crawling of web-forms. ACHE enhanced the focused strategy of FFC with additional parts as form filtering and adaptive link learner. For achieving higher crawling efficiency than the best-first crawler the link classifier is used [7]. The focused crawlers has low accuracy in terms of retrieving relevant forms. It is necessary to develop smart crawler which is able to quickly search similar contents deeply from web as much as possible.

SmartCrawler is a framework for efficiently harvesting deep web is designed in this paper. The main task of SmartCrawler is advanced level of data analysis and data extraction from the web.

Initially in the first stage, SmartCrawler performs site-based searching for centre pages with the help of search engines, and avoids visiting a large number of pages. To find more detailed results for a focused crawl, SmartCrawler used ranking method in which websites are rank to prioritized highly relevant once for a given data or topic. In-site exploring stage, SmartCrawler gives fast in-site searching to get most relevant links with an adaptive link-ranking.

In Site locating technique it uses reverse searching method and incremental two-level site ranking method for detecting relevant sites and to find more data sources. In second stage, a link tree is designed for a well-balanced link for prioritizing and eliminating bias towards web-pages in popular directories. In Web navigation step different hidden files are searched across the given website. The site is categorised as relevant, non-relevant, bad link, good link. The pages which has .aspx extension that file will be store in database.
2. Related Work

For area of Web crawlers many literature are available. In this section we survey the some papers which are given below: [2] The authors in the paper are Dong Xin, Yeye He, Venkatesh Ganti, Sriram Rajaraman, Nirav Shah gives method to crawl deep web information. Deep web crawling is the problem of surfacing rich information behind the web search interface of different sites across the Web. Deep web crawling is used for various reasons such as data integration and web indexing. It is hard to crawl deep web data. Authors focuses on entity-oriented deep-web sites. The examples for these deep websites are online shopping sites (eg. Ebay, amazon etc) where each entity is a product which is associated with rich structured information like brand name, item name, price, quantity and so forth. [7] There are different types of websites like movie site, job searching sites are included in entity oriented deep-web sites. [4] The authors in the paper are Bin He, Kevin Chen-Chuan Chang and Zhen Zhang propose MetaQuerier method. The Web has been quickly deepened by myriad searchable online databases, where data are hidden behind query interfaces. MetaQuerier system is used for both finding and integrating databases on the Web. The goal of the MetaQuerier system is to access deep web systematically and to use deep web uniformly. [5] This will help users query online databases. There are some challenges in copying of large scale data. The deep web is large collection of durable. Authors Juliana Freire, Luciano Barbosa propose method for searching hidden web databases. As per recent studies hidden web contains 7500 and 91850 terabytes of information. The volume of hidden web information is grows. Authors discuss the problem how to locate the searchable forms well. The searchable forms are entry points for hidden web data. [6] Authors Martin Van den Berg, Soumen Soumen Chakrabarti, and Byron Dom proposed focused crawling strategy.

As the web data grows day by day authors gives method hypertext resource detection system called focused crawler. The objective of this method is to find out relevant information according to given topic. The topics are specified using exemplary documents not by keywords. To answer all possible ad-hoc queries, instead of collecting, indexing all available Web sites. Focused crawler used crawl boundary to catch the links that are similar to be most proper for the crawl, and escapes inappropriate regions of the Web. [4] For goal directed crawling authors proposed two hypertext mining programs that guide crawler: The first is a classifier which calculates the significance of a hypertext document according to the focus topics, and second is a distiller that identifies hypertext nodes which are a great access points to many appropriate pages within a few links.

3. Existing Work

Fig 1 shows working of SmartCrawler in two step. There are two stages of existing system first is Site locating and another is In-site exploring. In site locating stage discovers the most appropriate site for a given topic, and then the second in-site exploring stage discovers searchable forms from the site. The site locating stage choose a seed set of sites in a site database. Seeds sites are candidate sites given for SmartCrawler to start crawling, which begins by following URL from chosen seed sites to discover other pages and other domains.

4. Proposed Work

To answer the problem of searching for hidden web information, SmartCrawler is given three-stage architecture. In proposed system there are following steps are included by which system performance is upgrade. In site locating step, it find more relevant links for a given topic. In second step that is In-site searching or exploring discovers searchable data from website. In third step that is web navigation it search for more accurate result or websites which are actually worked. In proposed system Site frontier fetch all URL from site database. Site database contains all the URL of site. By default in any other crawler site database has large records because there database contains all other unwanted files like .css, .html, .php etc. But in Web navigation step only .aspx files are stored in site database so the site database size is small as compared to other crawler. Filter link module is used to filter the links in which .aspx files are stored in database. Other files are not stored on site database. There are various types are links are stored in database. Relevant links are those which has proper path of candidate links. It means that there is no missing links between candidate links. Bad links means which has not proper path of candidate link. It means when we click on bad link it will raise error message like could not find or forbidden error. Candidate links means it search from main link. For example in college site there are number of departments are included and each department has its own link so this links are candidates of main college link. Dataset generator is module of Web navigation method in which data are stored according its type. By designing this proposed system site database size will small in amount and time required to search new links will fast. Fig 1 shows the architecture of proposed system of SmartCrawler.
5. Algorithm

Automatic Feature Selection
1: Input: set of links at distance d from a relevant form
2: Output: features selected in the three feature Spaces, anchor, URL and around
3: for each featureSpace do
4: termSet = getTermSet(featureSpace, paths)
5: termSet = removeStopWords (termSet)
6: stemmedSet = stem(termSet)
7: if featureSpace == URL then
8: topKTerms= getMostFrequentTerms(stemmedSet, k)
9: for each term t 2 topKTerms do
10: for each term t0 2 stemmedSet that contains the substring
11: addFrequency(stemmedSet,t,t0)
12: end for
13: end for
14: end if
15: selectedFeatures = getNMostFrequentTerms(termSet)
16: end for

5.1 Mathematical Programming Model

1) MP model is applied on training data to obtain the set of new links and links to be improved.
2) From the testing data, mini session should be enhanced and that having two or more paths.
3) Each mini session any candidate link matches to one of the link if fine then user can pass through that link and improved the structure.

5.2 Mathematical Model

Let U be a universal set such that,
U = l, p, s, Tp, Id, Od, Cl, Wp, Ep, El Where,
l = [l0, l1...ln], is a set of links of a website.
p = [p0, p1...pn], is a set of paths traversed.
s = [s0, s1...sn], is a set of Sessions.
Tp = [Tp0, Tp1...Tpn], is a set of Target pages.

Id = [Id0, Id1...Idn], is a set of In-degrees.
Od = [Od0, Od1...Odnn], is a set of Out degrees.
Cl = [Cl0, Cl1...Cln], is a set of candidate links.
Wp = [Wp0, Wp1...Wpn], is a set of web pages.
El = [El0, El1...Eln], is a set of Enhanced links.

6. Result

SmartCrawler works in different modules in first module that is User Query Request, user send any query with encrypted key to admin. Then admin check the query send by user and give appropriate link id to user. To answer the user query admin perform web navigation step. In this second module that is Web navigation, the url of any website is search, the number of sites hidden links associated with url are search. After that parsing is done in which links are classified on their specification? For e.g.: .aspx, .xml, .css. After parsing unique id is assigned to each link.

For eg.: the input url is http://www.metcolleges.ac.in
Parsing method output for this url is :
http://www.metcolleges.ac.in/achieve.php
http://www.metcolleges.ac.in/contactus.php
HTTP://WWW.METCOLLEGES.AC.IN/EVENT.HTML
http://www.metcolleges.ac.in/ibm.php.

The next step is dataset generation. In this step ID of each link is assigned by the SmartCrawler. For eg.: for above given link following dataset is generated.
Analysis of each node is done by SmartCrawler. Following is the output of analysis step:

- **node = 0**, outDegree = 0, Relevant link available = 0
- **node = 1**, outDegree = 9, Relevant link available = {1, 15}, {1, 20}, {1, 21}, {1, 22}, {1, 9}, {1, 10}, {1, 23}, {1, 11}, {1, 5}

ID of each node can be searched by threshold value. For above given relevant link

If Threshold value = 3 & destination node = 9 then output is:

Node: 1 link: {1, 20, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 21, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 22, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 9, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 10, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 11, 9}
Node: 1 link: {1, 5, 9}
Node: 2 link: {2, 20, 9}
Node: 2 link: {2, 21, 9}
Node: 2 link: {2, 22, 9}
Node: 2 link: {2, 9, 9}

The graph is generated according to threshold value of destination node. For above given url graph will be as follows:

One more graph of links are generated according to links to be improved and number of links and number of links to excessive.

7. Conclusion

Smart-Crawler is proposed for efficiently gathering deep web interfaces. SmartCrawler is a focused crawler which has two different stages: site locating and balanced in-site exploring. Deep websites are reverse searched by SmartCrawler for centre pages, when the threshold value is more than the number of not visited URLs in the database during the crawling process. The task of site frontier is to fetch web-page URLs from the site database. If there are un-visited sites, then they are handed to site frontier and are arranged by site ranker. Adaptive Site Learner improved the Site Ranker during crawling. The proposed system is used to advance the website structure for effectual user navigation and routing, while optimizing the cost of user’s disorientation due to substantial changes in the current structure, a challenge in literature. The results show that the modules of system are used to analyses the current website structure by displaying the available links as well as to determine the direct links to target pages, which will be further used to recommend the links to be added/enhanced as per the path threshold of mini sessions and optimized Out-degree threshold of web pages respectively. Existing System only shows the relevant links but parsing of links cannot be done. The size of existing system database is very large. The proposed system database can save only actual links so space complexity is reduced.

In future work, new method can be used to minimize the search time of reverse searching algorithm.

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