

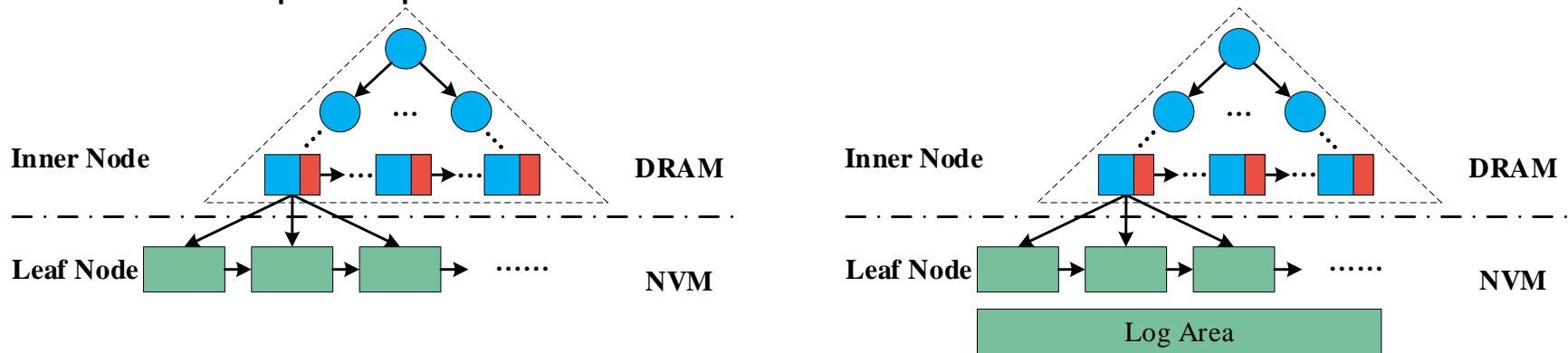
Optimizing B^+ -tree for Hybrid Memory with In-Node Hotspot Cache and eADR Awareness

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Problems & Ideas

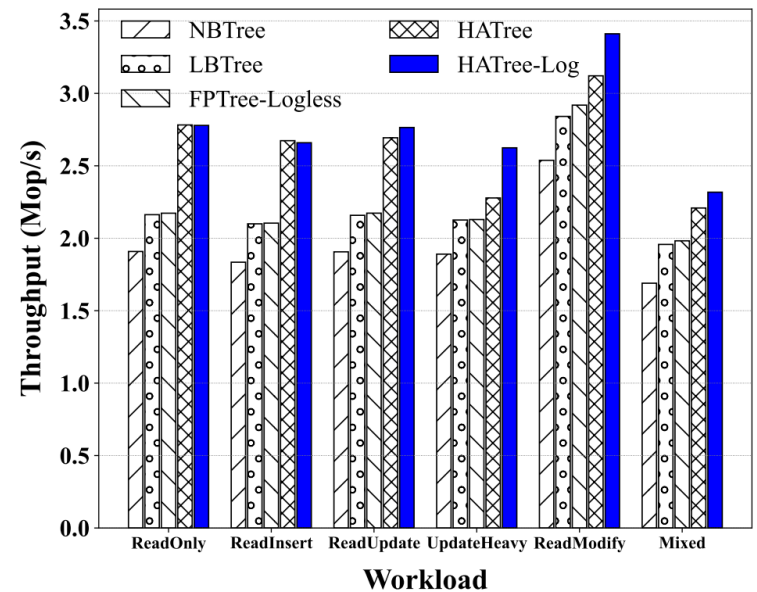
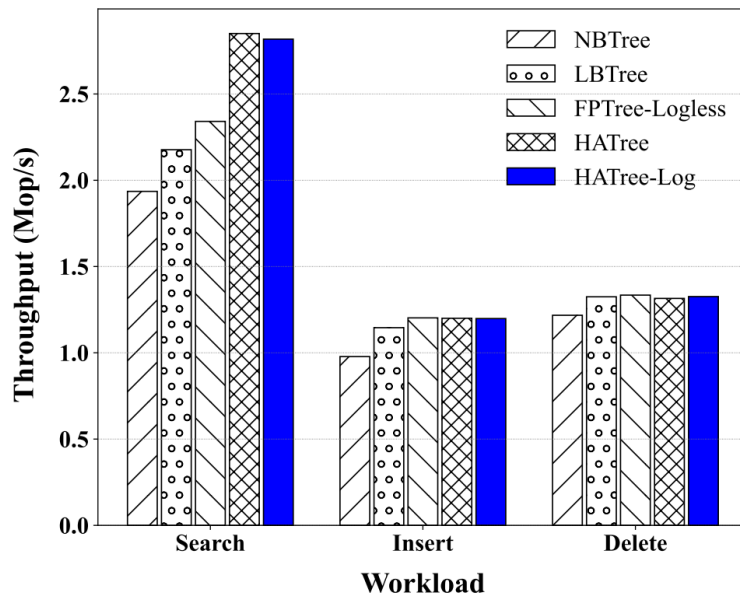
- Problems of previous B^+ -tree for hybrid memory:
 - The design of unsorted leaf nodes avoids the costly sorting when inserting new keys, but worsen search performance.
 - The average space utilization of the inner nodes in B^+ -tree is below 70%, i.e., there are about 30% used entries in the parent nodes of leaf nodes.
- Ideas:
 - HATree(Hotness-Aware B^+ -tree): Utilize the unused space in the parent nodes of leaf nodes to cache hot keys.
 - HATree-Log: Use record log and eADR technology to further improve the update performance



Architecture of HATree(left) and HATree-Log(right). All the inner nodes reside in DRAM and leaf nodes are placed on NVM. The rectangle colored in red is used for caching hot keys.

Main Contributions

- Contributions:
 - We notice that the parent of leaf nodes in the B^+ -tree contain about 30% unused space. We theoretically analyze the feasibility of using in-node hotspot caches to improve the search performance of the tree index without extra DRAM caches. And propose HATree following the idea of in-node hotspot cache.
 - To further improve the update performance of HATree, we utilize the eADR technology to enhance HATree with instant log persistence



Experimental results of HATree and HATree-Log. Left: The search, insert and delete performance of the five indices in the eADR mode; Right: The performance of these five indices under the YCSB workloads in the eADR mode