

Assignment 2

Queuing System Simulation

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System Assumptions

System Type - Closed system

Each User Issues a Fixed number of Requests

Number of cores - 4

Number of Maximum Threads per core - 4

Request Buffer Size - 100

Constants User inputs and Enums

Constants-

- Max_buffer_Size
- Max_thread_count
- Conext_switch_time
- Max_Request_Generated

Users Inputs -

- Mean_interarrival,
- Mean_service
- Number_of_users

Scheduling Policy (*Enum*)

- FCFS (1)
- Round Robin (2)

Server Status (*Enum*)

- Idle (1)
- Busy (2)

Event Types (*Enum*)

- Arrival (1)
- Departure (2)
- Context_Switch_In (3)

Distribution Type (*Enum*)

- Exponential (1)
- Uniform (2)
- Constant (3)

Classes

Service_time

- *Attributes:*
 - `typeOfDistribution(Enum Distribution type)`
- *Methods:*
 - `getServiceTime() /*Generation function{describes the distribution}*/`

Timeout

- *Attributes:*
 - `constantTime (double)`
 - `typeOfDistribution(Enum Distribution type)`
- *Methods:*
 - `getTimeoutTime() /*Generation function{describes the distribution}*/`

Classes

Event

- Attributes:
 - arrival_time (double)
 - timeout(double)
 - serviceTime
 - core (int)
 - thread(int)
 - response_count
- Methods:
 - getRandomThinkTime()/*random value chosen in range [4,10]*/
 - getRemainingServiceTime()

Classes

Core

- *Attributes:*
 - threads [Max Thread Count] (Event Object List)
 - status (int) {Server Status}
 - thread_busy_count (int)
- *Methods:*
 - GetCoreStatus()
 - setCoreStatus()
 - addToThread()
 - removeFromThread()
 - getBusyThreadCount()
 - setBusyThreadCount()

Classes

Scheduler

- *Attributes:*
 - Type (int) {Scheduling policy}
 - Context_switch_time (double)
- *Methods:*
 - switching the threads ()

Server

- *Attributes:*
 - Core Object [4];
 - service_time Object;
 - Scheduler Object;
 - {Waiting Buffer} Event Obj queue [Max buffer size] (shared among all cores)
- *Methods:*
 - getNextEventFromBuffer()
 - getServerStatus()
 - setServerStatus()
 - getCoreObj()

Classes

Event Handler

- *Attributes:*
 - Server Obj
 - timing_next_event[Max_event_count] (a priority queue of tuples <event_time, event obj> prioritized on event_time)
 - Timeout Obj
- *Methods:*
 - getNextEvent()
 - manageEvent()
 - Arrive()
 - Depart()
 - getServerObj()
 - setEvent()

Base Logic (FCFS)

Main Function ()

```
{  
    read_input() // take user input  
    Initialize() //Initialize the simulation  
  
    Event_handler_Obj = new Event_Handler();  
  
    While (No requests < max Request count){  
        Event_handler_obj.Next event();  
        Event_handler_obj.manageEvent();  
    }  
}
```

Base Logic (FCFS)

Function Arrival(Event X)

```
{
    if(no of user < max user){
        Create new EVENT obj and assign arrival time
    }
    if(server busy){
        Put Event X in Event queue;
    }
    Else{
        Set the departure time of the event X.
    }
}
```

Base Logic (FCFS)

Function Departure (Event X)

```
{
    if(Event queue empty){
        Set status idle of the core belonging to the
        event X that called up the departure
    }
    Else{
        Remove event A from the waiting buffer
        Set the departure time of the event A.
    }
    If Event X -> departure time < Event X -> timeout{
        Event X -> Response_count++;
    }
    /*Get the Event Object Ready of next Request*/
    Set think-time of event X randomly
    Set the arrival time of event X based on the think-time
}
```

Base Logic (Round Robin)

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Base Logic (Round Robin)

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{
    if(no of user < max user){
        Create new EVENT obj and assign arrival time
    }
    if(server busy){
        Put Event X in Event queue;
    }
    Else{
        If Scheduler.timeQuantum > event X.remainingServiceTime()
            Set contextinTime for Event X.
        else
            Set departureTime for Event X.
    }
}
```

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Code Highlights

Server Log Output

Trace.txt					
1333	88.3154	[A A A I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	88.4154
1334					
1335	88.4154	[A A A I]	EMPTY	Departure	88.4806
1336					
1337	88.4806	[A I A I]	EMPTY	Arrival	88.7719
1338					
1339	88.7719	[A A A I]	EMPTY	Departure	88.787
1340					
1341	88.787	[I A A I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	88.8719
1342					
1343	88.8719	[I A A I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch Out	89.3719
1344					
1345	89.3719	[I A A I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	89.4719
1346					
1347	89.4719	[I A A I]	EMPTY	Departure	89.7606
1348					
1349	89.7606	[I A I I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch Out	89.9719
1350					
1351	89.9719	[I A I I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	90.0719
1352					
1353	90.0719	[I A I I]	EMPTY	Departure	90.953
1354					
1355	90.953	[I I I I]	EMPTY	Arrival	91.2877
1356					
1357	91.2877	[A I I I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	91.3877
1358					
1359	91.3877	[A I I I]	EMPTY	Arrival	91.4158
1360					
1361	91.4158	[A A I I]	EMPTY	Cntx Swtch In	91.5158
1362					

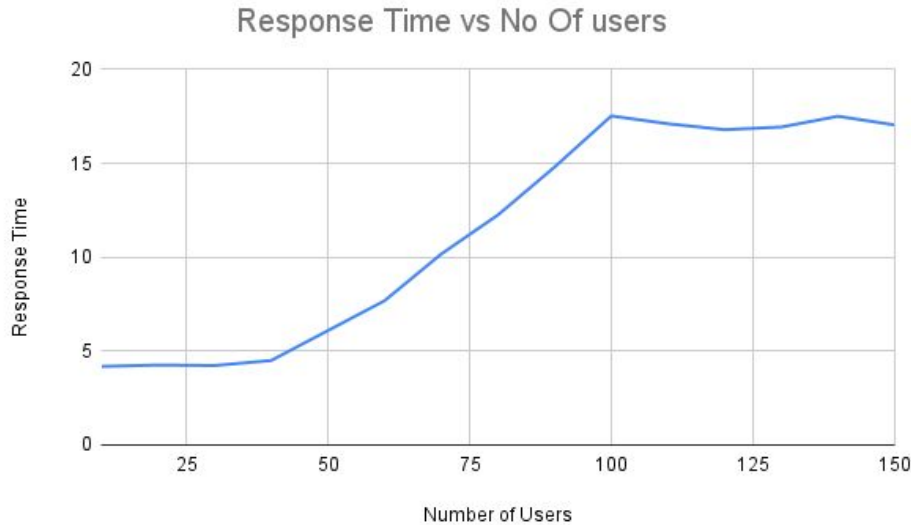
EventHandler's ManageEvent

```
void EventHandler::manageEvent(Event event){  
  
    switch (event.type)  
    {  
        case ARRIVAL:  
            this->arrive(event);  
            break;  
  
        case DEPARTURE:  
            this->depart(event);  
            break;  
  
        case CONTEXTSWITCHIN:  
            contextSwitchIn(event);  
            break;  
  
        case CONTEXTSWITCHOUT:  
            contextSwitchOut(event);  
            break;  
  
        default:  
            break;  
    }  
}
```

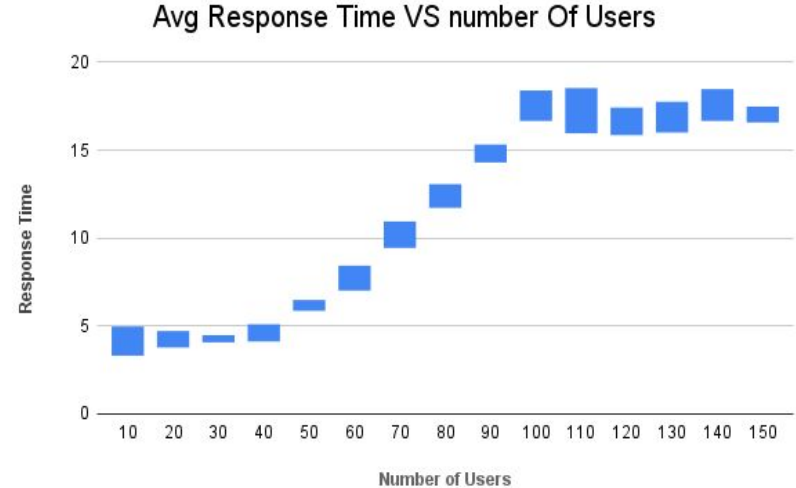
Results

- What will be the Average Response Time of the described system?
- To find out the average response time, we ran the simulation for 5 times with randomly chosen Service Times, Timeouts and Think Time for particular number of users. In every run we calculated the mean response time and finally taken the average of these 5 means.
- The same experiment was repeated for variable number of users and the average of 5 runs for every user is plotted as confidence interval in the graph shown.

Response Time Vs Users



Line Plot Shows Response time getting saturated after MAX user reaches 100.



Confidence Plot shows increase of variation in response time as the Number of User increases.

Results

- What will be the Throughput of the described system?
- To calculate find throughput, we first of all counted the number of requests timed out and then completed in retries and number of requests completed without any retries. From these two values, we calculated

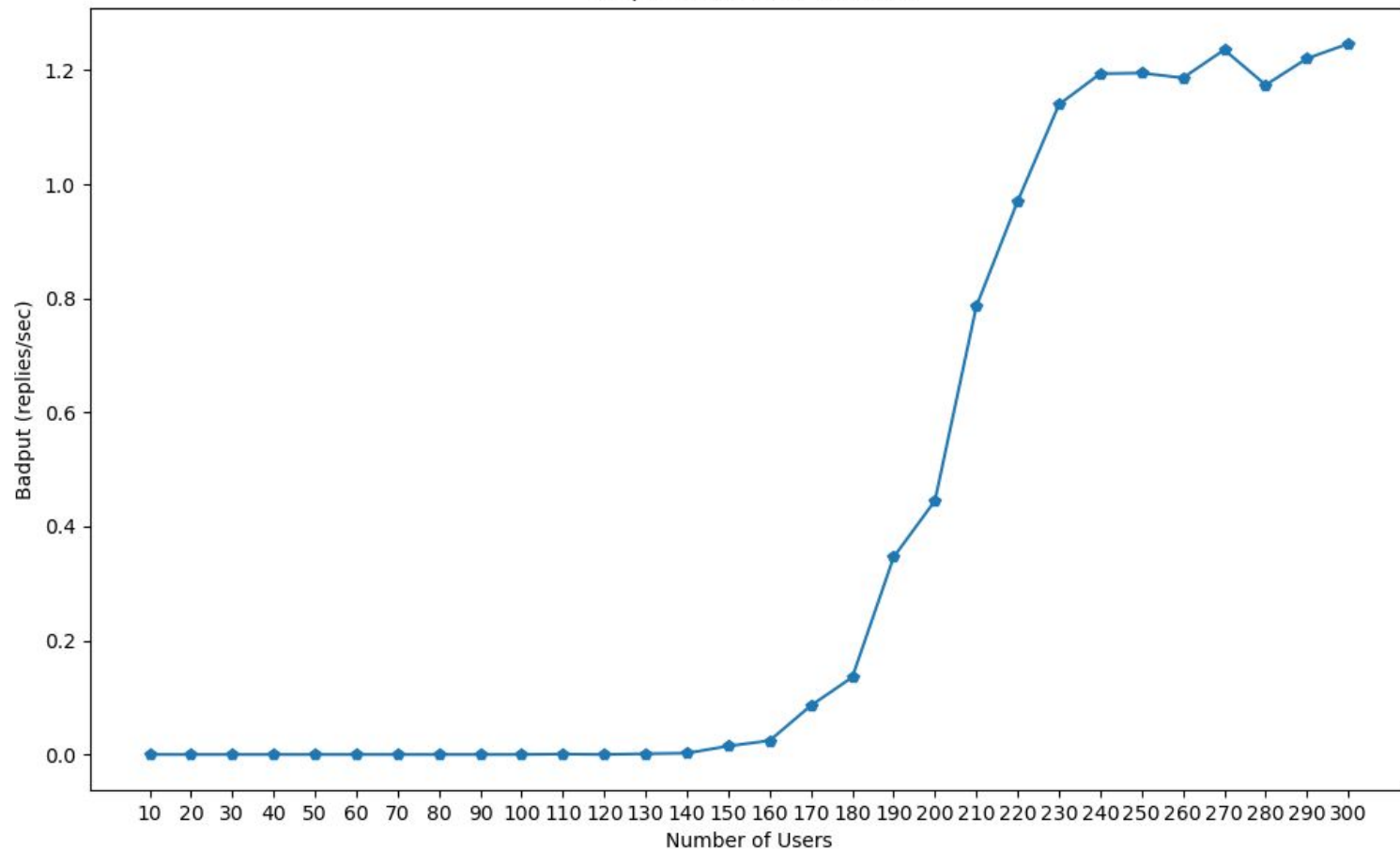
Badput = number of requests timed out/total simulation time

Goodput = number of requests without timeouts/total simulation time

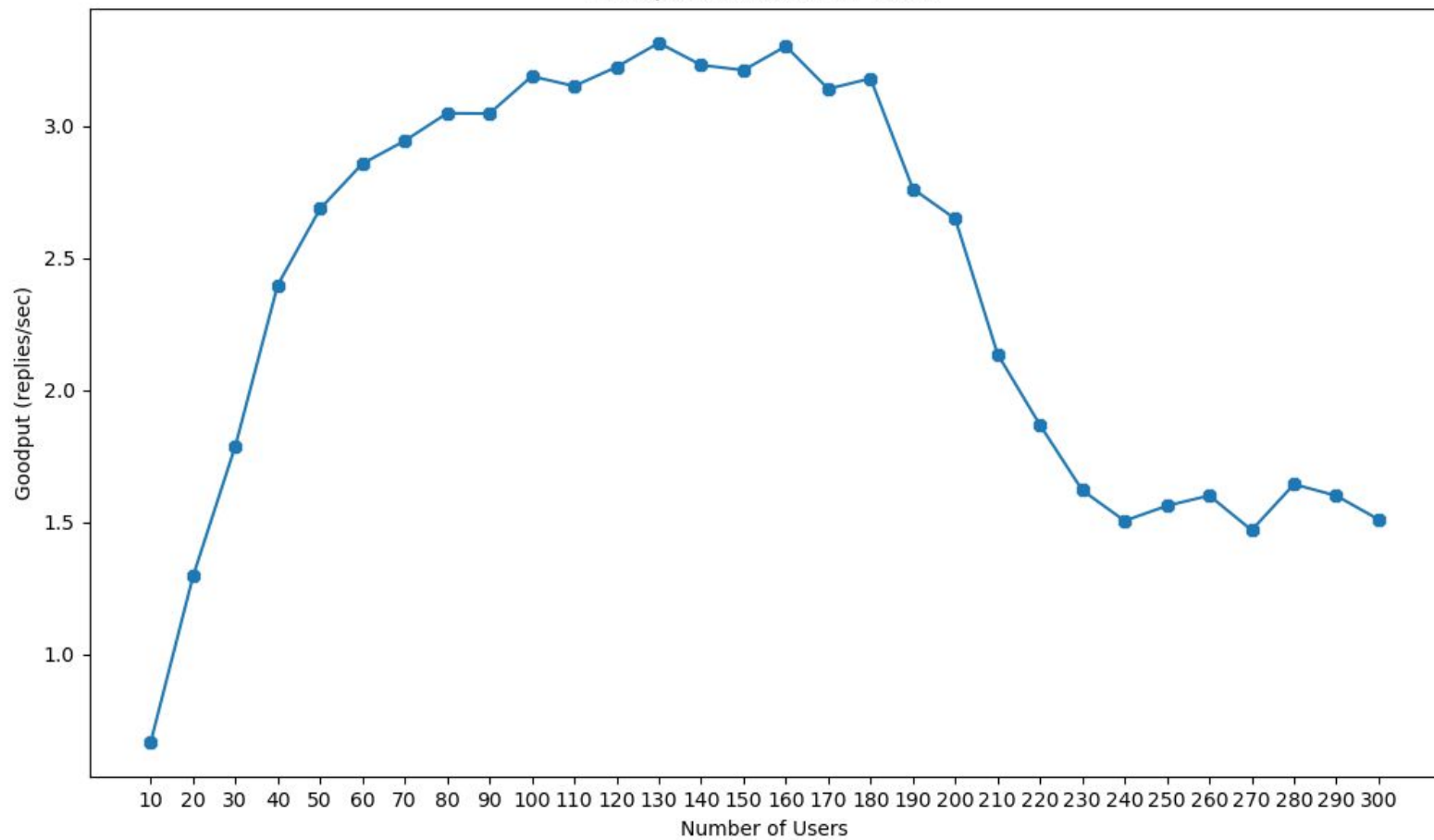
Throughput = Goodput + Badput

The corresponding graphs are shown below

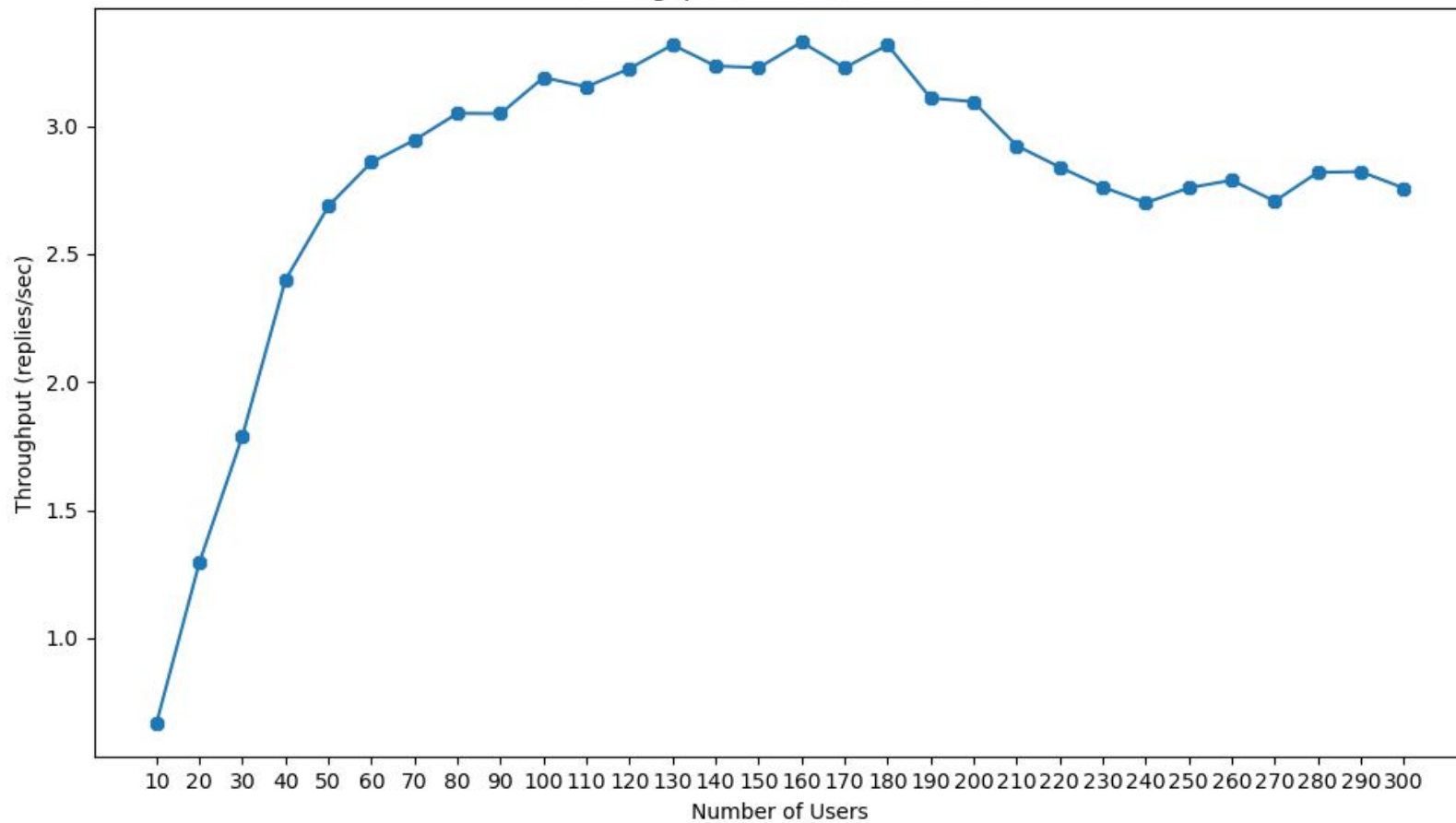
Badput vs Number of Users



Goodput vs Number of Users



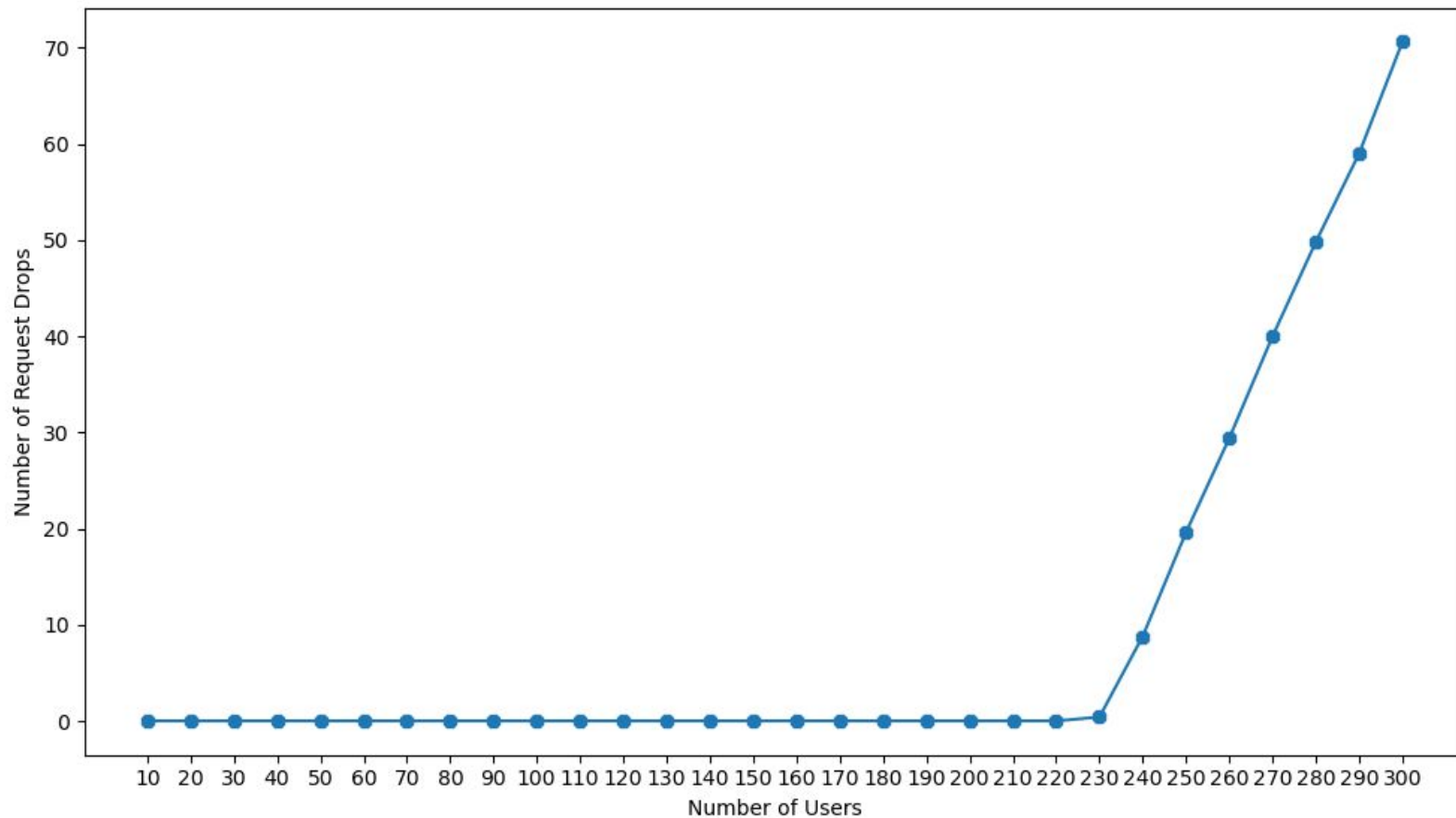
Throughput vs Number of Users



Results

- What will be the Average Number of Request Drops of the described system?
- We counted the number of requests which got dropped due to lack of space in request buffer and plotted the graph of number of requests dropped against number of users. The graph is shown below.

Number of Requests Dropped vs Number of Users



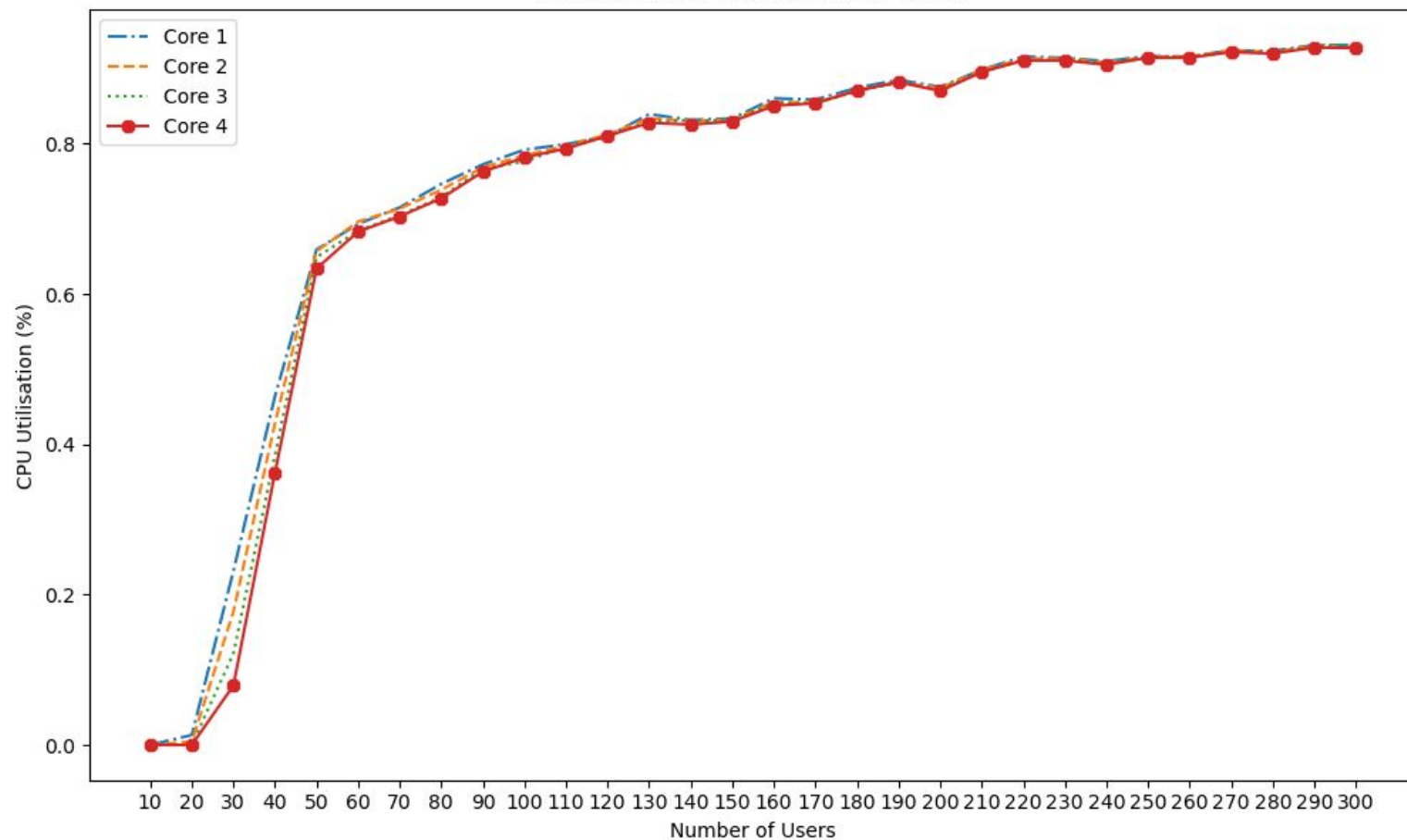
Results

- What will be the Average Core Utilisation of the described system?
- For finding core utilization, we calculated the number of threads active at every time step on each core and divided it by max number of threads on that core. This gave us the utilization in that time span. To find Average utilisation for each core we used following formula

Avg Core Utilization = difference between events * (Number of threads / Max number of threads)

We calculated utilisation for each core and plotted it against number of users.

Core Utilization vs Number of Users



Conclusion

We successfully implemented simulation program for closed queuing system.

We ran some experiments to check and verify following metrics

- Average Response Time
- Throughput
- Average Request Dropped
- Average Core Utilization

The experimental values we got are nearer to the theoretical calculations.