An analytical review and analysis for the data control and security in cloud computing

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Abstract

In this paper an analytical review and analysis for the data control and security in cloud computing was presented and analysed. This review and analysis covers three aspects. First is the study of the wide acceptability of cloud computing and its areas of applicability. Second is the security aspect in terms of data handling and data sharing. Third aspect is the interdisciplinary areas like Internet of Things (IoT) and big data in terms of collaboration with cloud computing environment. These components were discussed and analysed with the parametric evaluation along with the analytical variations. This paper presented an analytical view with the exploration of authenticity and data integrity. It also shows the result analysis with the performance measures. It also highlights the gaps along with the solution methodology with insightful discussion. This paper also highlights the problem statements with the suggested solutions and the future work in the same direction.

Keywords

Cloud computing, IoT, Big data, Data integrity, Data security.

1.Introduction

Cloud computing facilities the resources on-demand. It has been processed generally over the internet [1]. The processing incorporates several applications to storage and processing it through the internet [2–4]. So, it is like a rent for the computing infrastructure based on the user demand [5]. This includes all the resources from the applications to the complete storage. The providers are called the cloud service providers. It is beneficial for the business enterprises and firms to avoid several complexities, reducing the upfront cost and saving it from the self-maintenance [6, 7].

It can be elaborated in two different aspects. The first aspect is to control the workload remotely. It is processes over the internet [8]. It is possible on the commercial data center. It is also called public clouds [9]. The famous providers for the same are Amazon Web Services (AWS), Salesforce's CRM system, and Microsoft Azure.

In general, the enterprises use the multi-cloud concept today [10]. Means to adopt many public clouds simultaneously.

The second aspect shows the complete working scenario. It shows how it works and the data sharing mechanism [11]. As we have a pool of resources or virtualized pool. It has been available on demand with the capability of computing to the application functionality [12]. The computing supports the automation for the processing which is relay advanced in terms of computing power. It provides the agility advantage. It will work with the capability of computing, storage and other network resources. The application functionality provides the interconnection for the data sharing and efficacy to monitor with the server and user [13, 14].

Now the major threat comes in the mind is the data security and the storage when the data is shared among several workstation remotely. So, the control on the data and the communication aspect is the major concern now days.

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The major security threats are data breaches, data loss, inside threats, denial of service attacks, and usage of API which are insecure and advance persistent threats. Data breaches in terms of cloud customer are the major aspect and there is the need of applying different computation applicability for the prevention and detection. The permanent loss of the customer data is another challenge so data cloning for the working procedure or regular data backup mechanism is needed. Then denial of service attacks especially in terms of distributed attack is the major concern which includes the data damage and exposure of customer data. API should be tested before use otherwise it may be the door for the attackers. Then finally the persistent threats which may target the public services of cloud for their attacks.

The service model encompasses the organization and it serves as a framework and provides the ease in resource sharing [14]. The major issues can be classified as the issues by the source means the providers who provides the clouds and the other side is the huge customers. It should be organized in such a way that the security concern should be fulfilling in the two-way direction [15]. It is exceptionally flaw tolerant through excess and conveyance of information [16–20]. *Figure 1 and 2* show the cloud computing system and security applicability respectively. It clearly shows the communication and storage aspects.

The interdisciplinary aspects have also been included in terms of big data and internet of things (IoT).

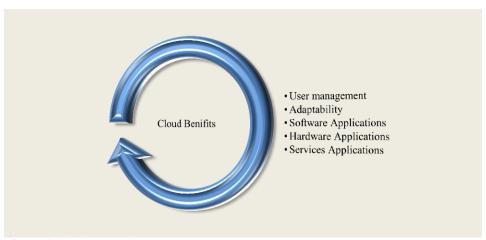


Figure 1 Cloud computing system

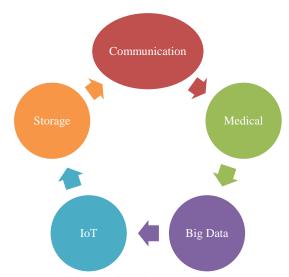


Figure 2 Cloud computing security applicability

The main motivations of this paper are as follows:

- 1. Analysing the applicability of security mechanism for the prevention of data breaches.
- 2. Discussing the resource sharing mechanism applicability and computability for the ease of resource distribution.
- 3. Analysis of the mechanism inside threat identification.
- 4. Discuss and analysis of hierarchal security applicability and synchronization time processing for achieving high end security in less time.

The objectives of this paper are as follows:

- 1. To explore the previous literature analytically and computationally for the security prospect and data sharing.
- 2. To explore empirically for the security prospect and data sharing.
- 3. To analyse and discuss the mechanism of cloud computing in terms of different domains for the same security aspect.

2.Related work

In 2020 Ismail and Islam [21] developed a security transparency and audit tool. It has the capability of automatic assessment and collection. They validated the tool through the real world cases. Their complete approach is also beneficial for the cloud computing security.

In 2020, Ahamad et al. [22] discussed about data violation, unprotected sensitive data and the public access in terms of cloud computing. They have discussed regarding the privacy preservation challenges in the cloud. For the challenges they have developed a privacy preservation model in the cloud environment. It has been developed by using the advancements of artificial intelligent techniques. They have combined Shark Smell Optimization and Jaya Algorithm (JA) and formed as Jaya-based Shark Smell Optimization (J-SSO). Their model found to be efficient in enhancing cloud security.

In 2020, Prasath et al. [23] discussed about the web application based cloud administration experiences. They have discussed regarding the loss of data along with the security aspects. They have shown the applicability of elliptical curve cryptography in the web application based cloud administration. Their applied strategies are found to be efficient in terms of encryption time, decoding time, and computational expense.

In 2020, Prajapati and Shah [24] discussed regarding the efficient data storage and cloud service providers.

They have used convergent encryption and proof of ownership (PoW) for the data protection and integrity. They have also discussed several other security approaches.

In 2020, Kelf [25] discussed about the security concern in cloud migration. They have discussed the aspects of tremendous upsides in terms of traditional methods. The main basis of this study is to explore the risk arises during the migration process.

In 2020, Fan et al. [26] discussed cloud computing environment in terms of data security and IoT. They have also discussed complex deployment process and usage environment of the IoT in terms of security risk. They suggested blockchain technology for the data security of in terms of cloud to data consumer's performance.

In 2020, Mondal et al. [27] discussed about the cloud computing as the latest developments in the IT industry. The major advantages suggested were throughput, scalability and easy access. They have reviewed different security and privacy issues. They have mainly discussed the trust, authenticity, confidentiality, encryption, key management, multitenancy, data splitting and virtual machine security.

In 2020, Mohiuddin and Almogren [28] discussed IoT and its adaptation in terms of cloud computing. They have analyses and performed a study in the direction of investigation of safe transition in cloud computing environment to facilitate safe transition. It has been discussed and analyzed in terms of IoT in cloud application.

In 2020, Saran et al. [29] discussed the latest trends in cloud computing. It was discussed in terms of medical field. They covered the storage aspects, computation and cost in the medical domain in terms of cloud computing usage. They have also elaborated the security concern in the same through the network communication and data storage.

3.Problem statements

Based on the related work discussed above the following gap statements have been identified.

- 1. There is the need of intelligent data grouping with data tracking and handling mechanism.
- 2. There is the need of secure data transaction and log mapping in the cloud computing environment.
- 3. There is the need of automation in security identification.

4. Analysis

In case of public cloud, the data should be secured in such a manner that unauthorized access should be prevented [17]. There should be some prevention mechanism so that it can be prevented on time. There should be some precaution mechanism in case of any malicious node as it may result in complete cloud processing risky and attack prone. There should be

some mechanism for the prevention of the failure situation where the data can be backup and it can be used at the time of the need [18–20]. In this section result based analysis was presented and discussed in terms of security and interdisciplinary collaboration with cloud computing. Table 1 shows the result analysis.

Table 1 Result analysis

S.No	Authors	Approach	Findings
1	[30]	Cloud-edge based data security architecture	Their cloud-edge infrastructure is helpful in the confidential data sharing.
2	[31]	Security strategy for virtual	The result finding of this paper are as follows:
		machine allocation	1. Their allocation strategy is efficient in VM co-resident attack.
			2.It is cabaple in the reduction of energy consumption.
3	[32]	DNA based data security	The finding of this paper are as follows:
			1.1024-bit secret key is generated based on DNA computing.
			2.Secret key was generated based on media access control, decimal
			encoding rule, American Standard Code for Information Interchange
			(ASCII) value.
4	[33]	Implementing Hy-IDS	The finding of this paper are as follows:
			1.Access security implementation.
			2.Ease of resources management using mobile agents.
			3.Reliable structure with lower cost.
5	[34]	Periodical key change for cloud	The finding of this paper are as follows:
		mutable security protocol	1.Access security implementation.
			2. Ease of resources management using mobile agents.
			3.Reliable structure with lower cost.

5. Conclusion

This paper provides a study and analysis of security aspects in the cloud computing environment. It provides a proper collaboration of different interdisciplinary aspects like big data and IoT. It shows a systematic analysis of data security in terms of cloud data, data storage, communication and data integrity. It also covers the aspects with big data and IoT based on security and confidentiality. In future a collaborative framework can be designed with security framework for the computational improvement.

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Conflicts of interest

The authors have no conflicts of interest to declare.

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