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(a) 35 (b) 20 (c) 60?

Oppgave 20.7.1: Given the circle of nodes of Fig. 20.14, where do key-value pairs reside if the key hashes to:



Figure 20.14: A chord circle

To place a node in the circle, we hash its ID i, and place it at position h(i). We shall henceforth refer to this node as $N_{h(i)}$. Thus, for example, in Fig. 20.14, N_{21} is a node whose ID i has h(i) = 21. The successor of each node is the next higher one clockwise around the circle. For example, the successor of N_{21} is N_{32} , and N_1 is the successor of N_{56} . Likewise, N_{21} is the predecessor of N_{32} , and N_{56} is the predecessor of N_1 . The nodes are located around the circle using a hash function h that is capable of mapping both keys and node ID's (e.g., IP-addresses) to m-bit numbers, for some m. In Fig. 20.14, we suppose that m = 6, so there are 64 different possible locations for nodes around the circle. In a real application, m would be much larger. Key-value pairs are also distributed around the circle using the hash function h. If (K,V) is a key-value pair, then we compute h(K) and place (K,V) at the lowest numbered node N_j such that $h(K) \leq j$. As a special case, if h(K) is above the highest-numbered node, then it is assigned to the lowest-numbered node. That is, key K goes to the first node at or clockwise of the position h(K) in the circle.

Oppgave 20.7.2: Given the circle of nodes of Fig. 20.14, construct the finger tables for:

(a) N_{14} (b) N_{51}

Oppgave 20.7.3: Given the circle of nodes of Fig. 20.14, what is the sequence of messages sent if:

- a) N_{14} searches for a key that has hes to 27?
- b) N_8 searches for a key that hashes to 5?
- c) N_{56} searches for a key that has hes to 54?

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