# SPECIFICATION AND ANALYSIS OF REAL-TIME SYSTEMS IN REAL-TIME MAUDE

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#### FORMAL METHODS: KEY TRADE-OFF

expressiveness/modeling convenience  $\longleftrightarrow$  analytic power

#### REWRITING LOGIC AND MAUDE

- modeling convenience!
- simple and intuitive
- any data type
- unbounded data structures
- simple model of concurrent objects
  - dynamic object/message creation/deletion
  - easy to define forms of communication
- hierarchical structures
- properties in general undecidable
- analysis by system execution

#### MAUDE AND REAL-TIME SYSTEMS

(How) can we model and analyze real-time systems in rewriting logic so that the advantages of Maude are maintained?

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- "real" real-time system
- techniques useful for discrete-time systems
  - example: events take place approximately once per 10,000 ms

#### REAL-TIME MAUDE [ÖLVECZKY AND MESEGUER '04, '06, ÖLVECZKY'14]

#### Real-Time Maude:

- Extends Maude to model and analyze real-time systems
- Object-oriented modeling of distributed real-time systems
- Implemented in Maude as an extension of Full Maude
- http://www.ifi.uio.no/RealTimeMaude

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- global state has form {t}
- ensures uniform time elapse

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- "Find earliest" and "find latest" . . .

"Time sampling" discretization of dense time (see below)

# MODELING IN REAL-TIME

**MAUDE** 

#### **EXAMPLE: "RETROGRADE" CLOCK**

- State: {clock(r)} or {stopped-clock(r)}
- Dense time domain
- Clock can stop at any time
- Retrograde clock: clock(12) must be reset to clock(0)



#### **REAL-TIME MAUDE SPECIFICATION**

```
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  vars R R' : Time .
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                            [nonexec] .
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  rl [batteryDies] : clock(R) => stopped-clock(R) .
endtm)
```

#### **NEXT EXAMPLE: SINGLE IMPRECISE CLOCK**

- One clock
- Imprecise: goes faster or slower than "real time"
  - given by its rate

#### MODELING SINGLE IMPRECISE CLOCK

```
(tomod SINGLE-SKEWED-CLOCK is pr POSRAT-TIME-DOMAIN .
 class Clock | running : Bool, time : Time, rate : PosRat .
 var C : Oid . vars R R' : Time . var RATE : PosRat .
 crl [tickRunning] :
     {< C : Clock | running : true, time : R, rate : RATE >}
   =>
     {< C : Clock | time : R + (RATE * R') >} in time R'
   if R' \le (12 - R) / RATE [nonexec].
 rl [tickStopped] :
    {< C : Clock | running : false >} => {< C : Clock | >}
     in time R' [nonexec] .
```

# MODELING SINGLE IMPRECISE CLOCK (CONT.)

```
rl [reset] :
     < C : Clock | running : true, time : 12 >
  =>
     < C : Clock | time : 0 > .
  rl [break]:
     < C : Clock | running : true >
  =>
     < C : Clock | running : false > .
endtom)
```

#### ANOTHER EXAMPLE: MULTIPLE IMPRECISE CLOCKS

We now model many imprecise clocks.

- Instantaneous rules as before
- Single tick rule:

```
var CLOCKS : Configuration . var R' : Time .

crl [tick] :
    {CLOCKS} => {advanceTime(CLOCKS)} in time R'
    if R' <= maxTimeAdvance(CLOCKS) .</pre>
```

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```
vars CLOCKS CLOCKS' : Configuration .
op advanceTime : Configuration Time -> Configuration [frozen (1)]
ceg advanceTime(CLOCKS CLOCKS', R)
  = advanceTime(CLOCKS, R) advanceTime(CLOCKS', R)
   if CLOCKS =/= none and CLOCKS' =/= none.
eq advanceTime(< C : Clock | running : true, time : R,
                             rate : RATE >, R')
= < C : Clock | time : R + (R' * RATE) >
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op maxTimeAdvance : Configuration -> TimeInf [frozen (1)] .
ceg maxTimeAdvance(CLOCKS CLOCK')
  = min(maxTimeAdvance(CLOCKS), maxTimeAdvance(CLOCKS'))
   if CLOCKS =/= none and CLOCKS' =/= none.
eq maxTimeAdvance(< C : Clock | running : true, time : R,
                                rate : RATE >)
= (12 - R) / RATE.
eq maxTimeAdvance(< C : Clock | running : false >) = INF .
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# MULTIPLE IMPRECISE CLOCKS (CONT.)

#### Suitable initial state is

```
{< ap : Clock | running : true, time : 0, rate : 5/4 >
  < seiko : Clock | running : true, time : 0, rate : 1 >
  < casio : Clock | running : true, time : 0, rate : 99/100 >}
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# **POPULATIONS (CONT.)**

Engagement normal instantaneous rule:

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var PERSONS : Configuration . var R : Time .

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- advanceAge increases age of each living person by R
- maxTimeAdvance ensures noone gets older than 1000

#### **Exercise**

Define the functions advanceAge and maxTimeAdvance

#### **OO SPECIFICATIONS**

Generalizing: OO system has many instantaneous rules and usually one tick rule

```
var STATE : Configuration . var R : Time .

crl [tick] :
    {STATE} => {timeEffect(STATE, R)} in time R
    if R <= maxTimeAdvance(STATE) .</pre>
```

- timeEffect(STATE, R) defines how the elapse of time R affects the state STATE
- maxTimeAdvance(STATE) defines how much time can advance before something must happen

### **OO SPECIFICATIONS II**

timeEffect and maxTimeAdvance distribute over objects and messages in a configuration:

```
vars C1 C2 : Configuration .
ceq timeEffect(C1 C2, R)
  = timeEffect(C1, R) timeEffect(C2, R)
 if C1 = /= none and C2 = /= none.
eq timeEffect(none, R) = none .
ceq maxTimeAdvance(C1 C2)
  = min(maxTimeAdvance(C1), maxTimeAdvance(C2))
 if C1 = /=  none and C2 = /=  none.
eq maxTimeAdvance(none) = INF .
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These functions must be defined for single objects and messages

#### MODELING MESSAGE DELAYS

# Message delays (communication time):

- 1. Message delay any value  $\in [0, \infty]$
- 2. Message delay exactly  $\Delta$
- 3. Message delay at least  $\Delta$
- 4. Message delay between 0 and  $\Delta$
- 5. Message delay  $\Delta_1$  and  $\Delta_2$

### **MODELING MESSAGE DELAYS: CASE 1**

# Case 1: delay could be anything:

- sender sends standard message
- receiver reads standard message
- eq timeEffect(msg, R) = msg .
- eq maxTimeAdvance(msg) = INF .

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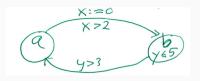
Only change: eq maxTimeAdvance(dly(M, R)) = INF

#### **MORE MESSAGE DELAY**

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How do we model Cases 4 and 5?

#### REPRESENTING TIMED AUTOMATA



 $crl [ba] : \{b, X, Y\} \Rightarrow \{a, X, Y\} if Y > 3$ .

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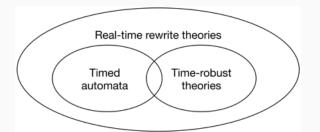
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    Can {clock(13)} be reached?
        (utsearch [1] {clock(0)} =>* {clock(13)} .)
    State {clock(13)} not found:
        (utsearch [1] {clock(0)} =>* {clock(1/2)} .)
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- Maximal time sampling analysis sound and complete for time-robust models [Ölveczky-Meseguer'06]
  - events at given times
  - atomic propositions not modified by ticks
- Sound/complete analysis for systems beyond timed automata



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D. Lepri, E. Ábrahám, P.C. Ölveczky: Sound and complete timed CTL model checking of timed Kripke structures and real-time rewrite theories. Science of Computer Programming 99 (2015)

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- Continuous semantics
  - tick rule interpreted as representing continuous process
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#### SOUNDNESS AND COMPLETENESS

Soundness and completeness for maximal time sampling analyses of untimed TL do not carry over to timed CTL

- maximal time sampling analysis does not satisfy ∃ ◊<sub>[1,2]</sub> True
- ... or  $\forall \diamondsuit_{[1,2]}$  True

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  - advance time by

gcd(numbers in formulas, max-tick durations)

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Initial state	TSMV	Real-Time Maude		RED 7.0
		(pointwise)	(continuous)	
init(1)	0.074	0.149	1.266	0.429
init(10)	0.148	0.168	0.999	0.408
init(100)	1.443	0.168	1.012	0.404
init(1000)	57.426	0.327	1.014	0.426
init+(2)	0.191	0.746	6.864	1.044
init+(4)	0.280	1.772	17.752	2.153
init+(8)	0.759	5.227	57.580	16.912
init+(12)	1.080	11.198	129.957	79.319
init+(16)	1.515	19.620	233.414	241.098

Execution times for the bridge crossing problem (in seconds).

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- IF, TE-LOTOS, etc:
  - separate formalisms for data types, dynamic behavior, and time
  - unclear or non-existing semantics
  - based on fixed communication primitives
- Moby/RT
  - designs specified as PLC-automata
  - translated into timed automata for model checking
- BIP (Behavior, Interaction, Priority)
  - "Behavior is described as a Petri net extended with data and functions described in C"

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Are there systems where Real-Time Maude's expressiveness needed and

Real-Time Maude analysis yields interesting results?

#### **CLASSES OF APPLICATIONS**

- "Concrete" systems/protocols
- Semantic framework for real-time systems
- Formal analysis tool for other languages
- ..

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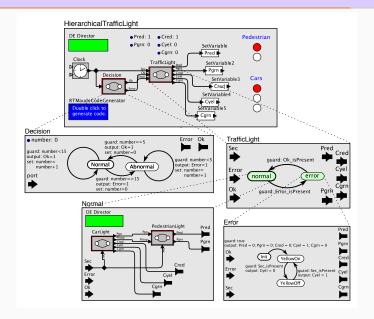
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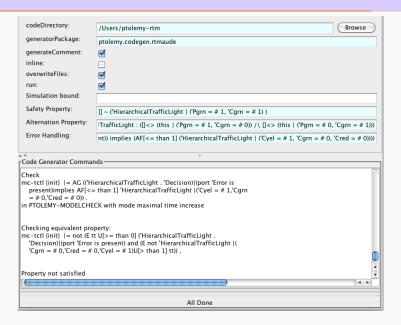
actorId | port p is value

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#### A TIMED CTL PROPERTY

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Need: theoretical model and language/tool support

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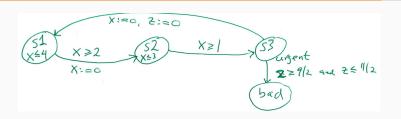
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vars x y z : Real .

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crl < s1 ; x ; z > => < s2 ; 0/1 ; z > if x >= 2/1 = true .
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crl < s2 ; x ; z > => < bad ; x ; z > if z >= 9/2 and z <= 11/2
rl < s3 ; x ; z > => < s1 ; 0/1 ; 0/1 > .
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Region reachable from some initial x-value?

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#### **EXERCISE**

In rate-monotonic scheduling, you have given a set of periodic tasks, each with an execution time and period. When its period ends, it starts a new period. Within each period, it must execute for a total of its execution time. We assume that we have only one processor. The task with the shortest period has the highest priority to execute, and can preempt an executing task with a Ipwer priority. Assume that you can have tasks with the same period/priority. Specify the rate-monotnic scheduling algorithm in Real-Time Maude, and try model checking of a few examples to check whetehr your task set is schedulable.