Testing Real-Time Embedded Systems Using UppAal-TRON -Tool and Application

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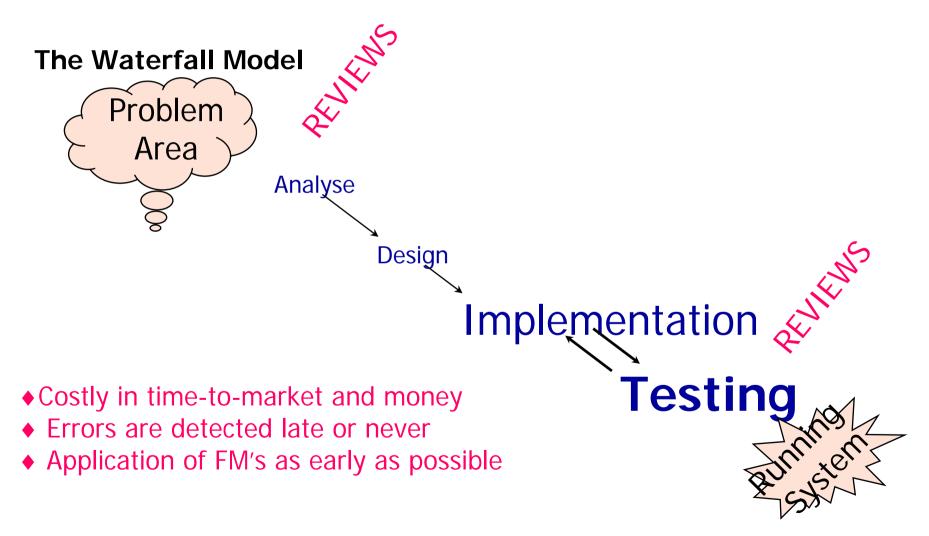


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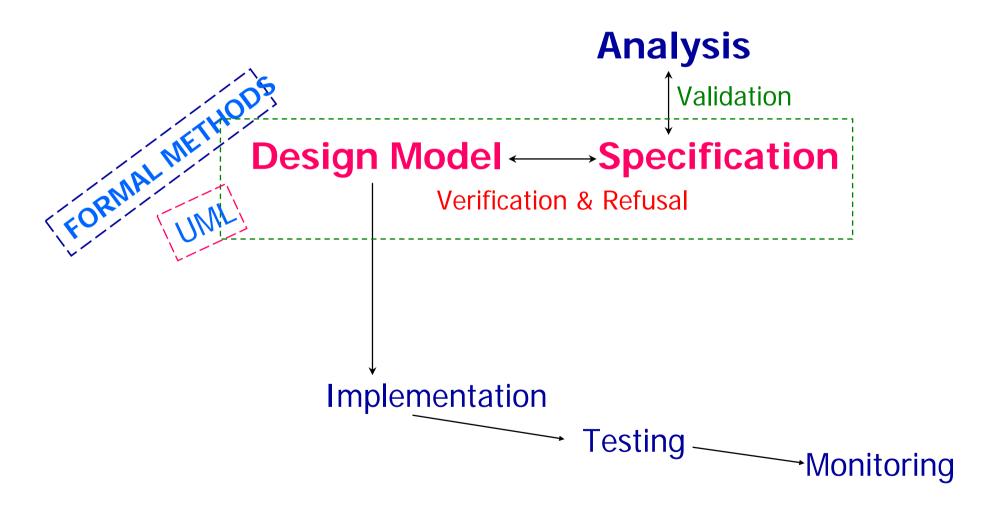


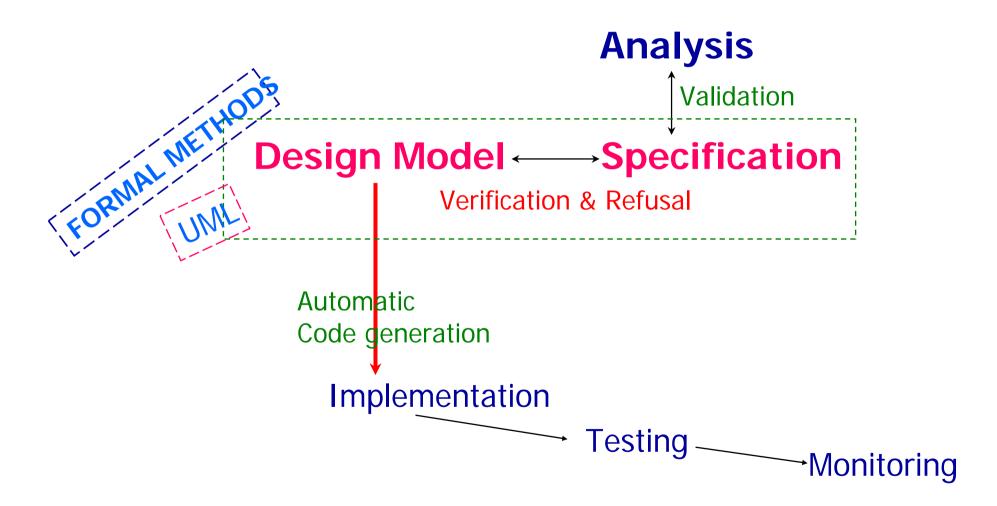
Traditional Software Development

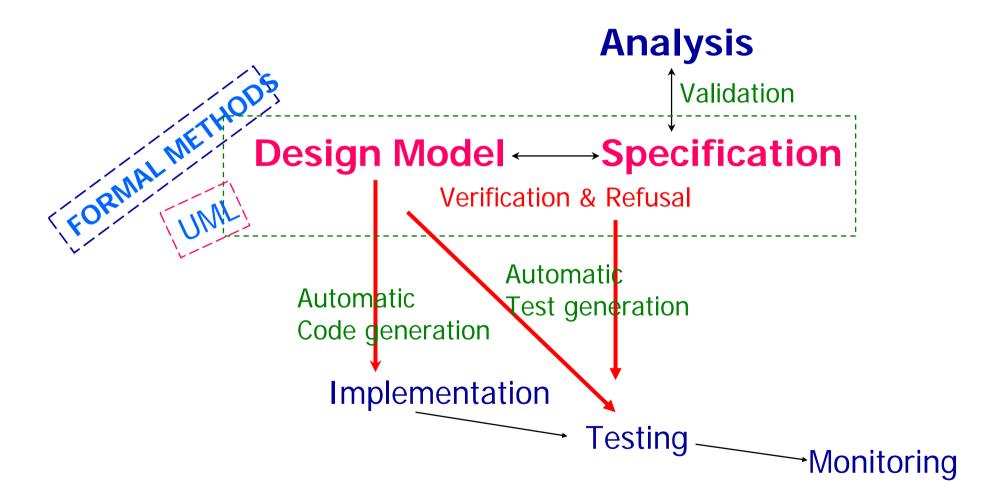


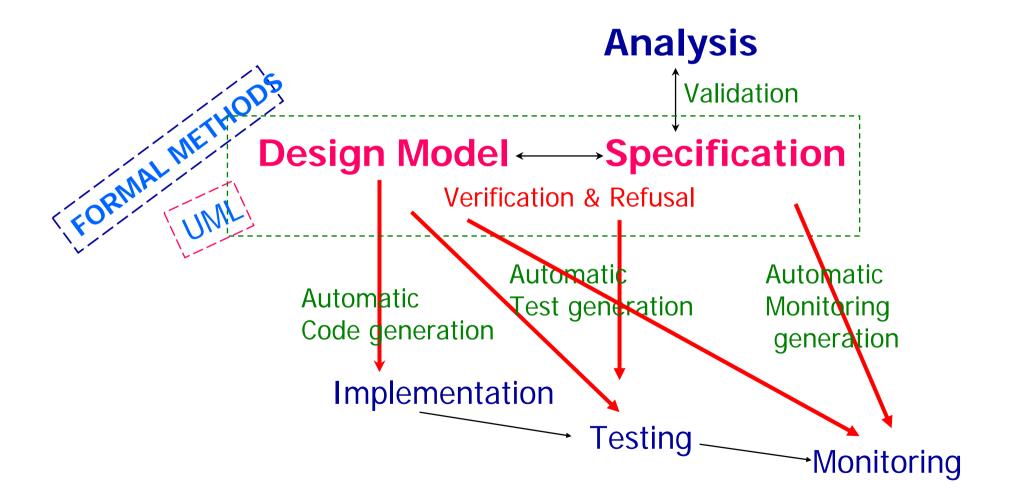
Models

- A model is a simplified representation of the real world.
- Engineers use models to gain confidence in the adequacy and validity of a proposed design.
- Focus on one or more aspects of interest:
 - Safety
 - Liveness
 - Peak time
 - Performance

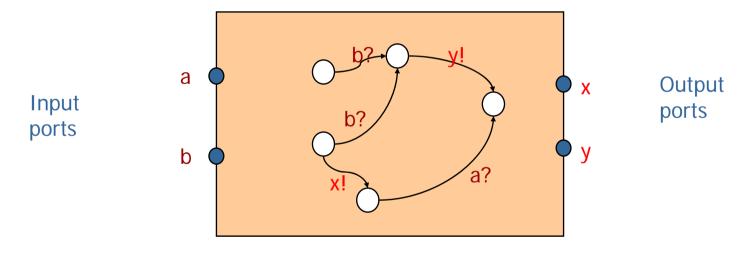








How? Unified Model = State Machine! + Tools for analysis of state machines

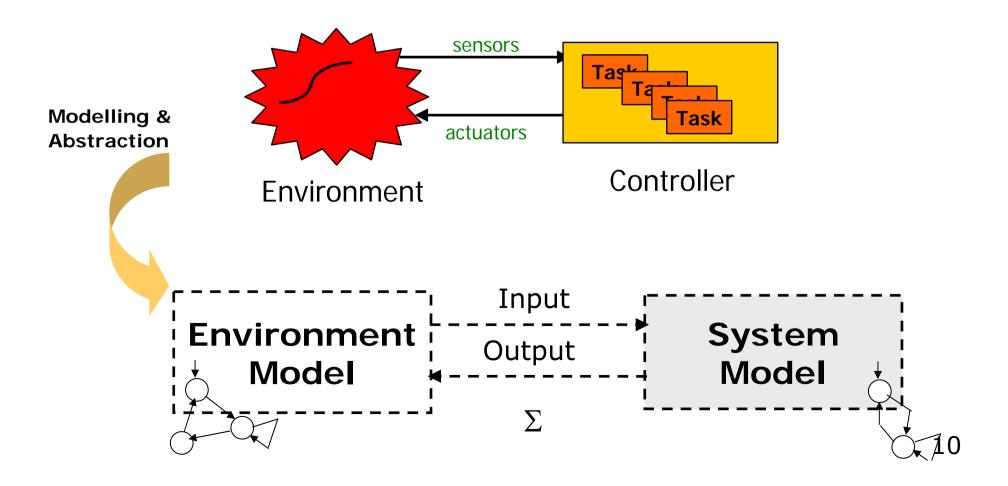


Control states

Real-Time Systems

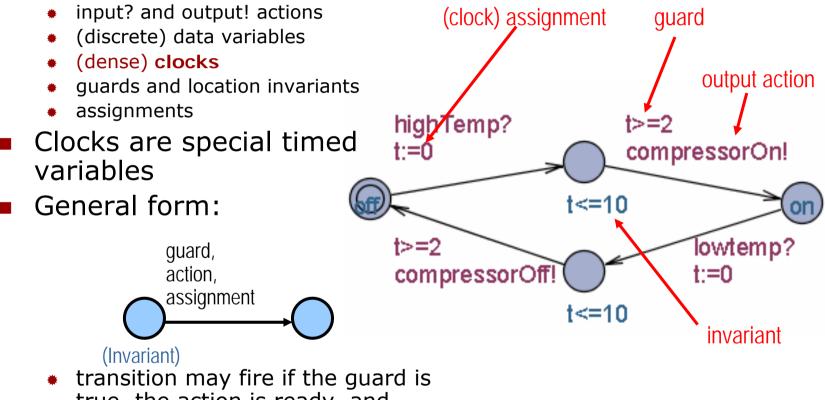
Real Time System

A system where correctness not only depends on the logical order of events but also on their timing

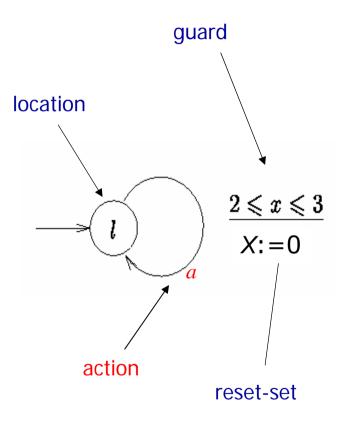


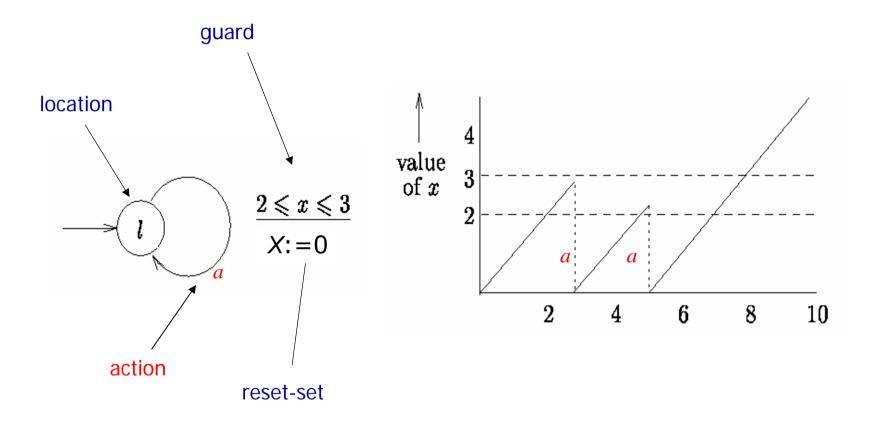
Timed Automata

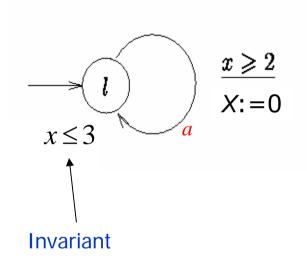
I/O Timed Automata = FSM +

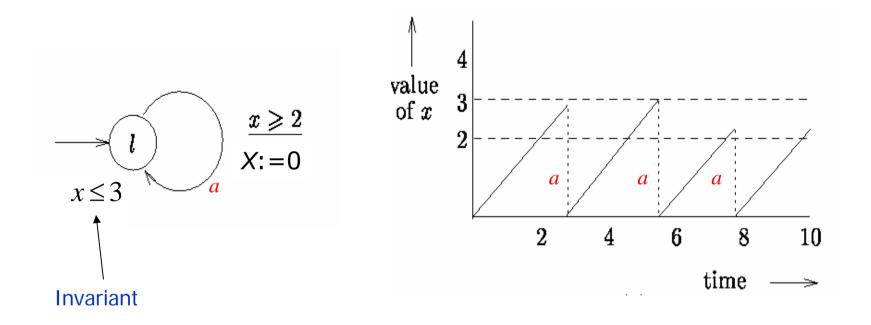


- true, the action is ready, and then perform the assignment
- location must be left before its invariant is violated
- Parallel Composition of TAs

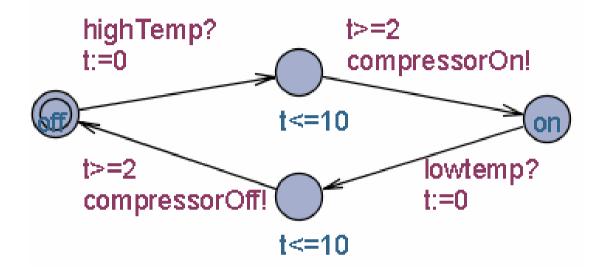








Sample Test Runs



highTemp!·3·compressorOn? \Rightarrow PASS

highTemp!·3·compressorOff? \Rightarrow FAIL

highTemp! \cdot 13 \cdot compressorOn? \Rightarrow FAIL

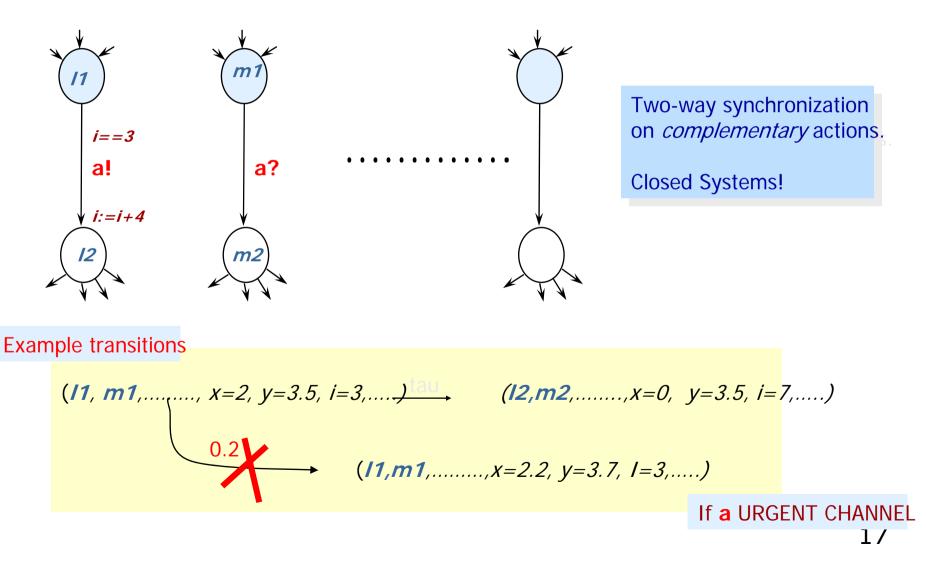
highTemp!·3·compressorOn?·123·lowTemp!·3·compressorOff? \Rightarrow PASS

highTemp!·3·compressorOn?·17·lowTemp!·3·compressorOff?·3.14· highTemp!·5·compressorOn?·177·lowTemp!·3·compressorOff? \Rightarrow PASS

INFINITELY MANY SEQUENCES!!!!!!

The UPPAAL Model

= Networks of Timed Automata + Integer Var + Array Var +



Timed Automata in UPPAAL

Timed (Safety) Automata

+ urgent action channels

+ broadcast action channels

+ urgent and committed locations

+ data-variables (with bounded domains)

+ arrays of data-variables + constants

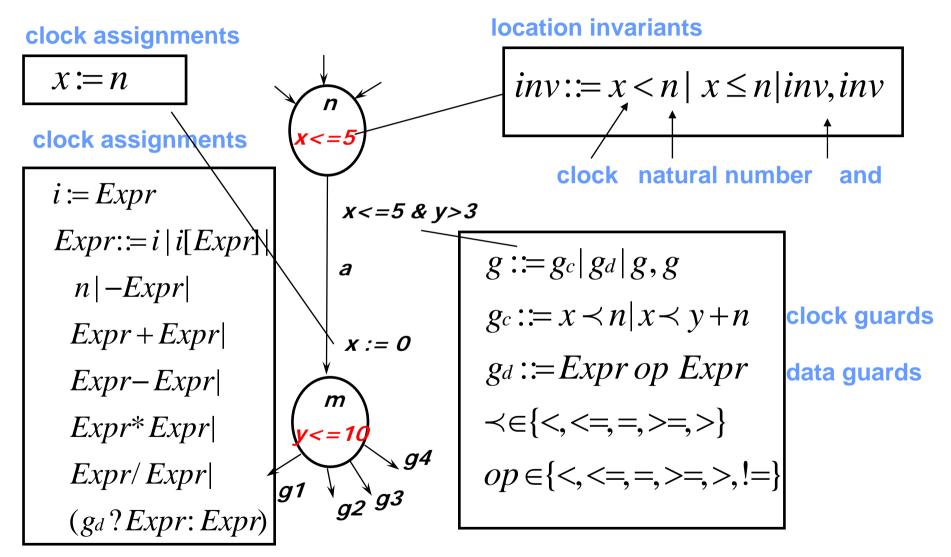
+ guards and assignments over data-variables and

arrays...

+ templates with local clocks, data-variables, and

constants.

Timed Automata in UPPAAL



Urgent Channels

urgent chan hurry;

Informal Semantics:

• There will be <u>no delay</u> if transition with urgent action can be taken.

Restrictions:

- <u>No clock guard</u> allowed on transitions with urgent actions.
- Invariants and data-variable guards are allowed.

Urgent Locations

Click "Urgent" in State Editor.

Informal Semantics:

• <u>No delay</u> in urgent location.

Note: the use of urgent locations <u>reduces</u> the number of clocks in a model, and thus the complexity of the analysis.

Committed Locations

Click "Committed" in State Editor.

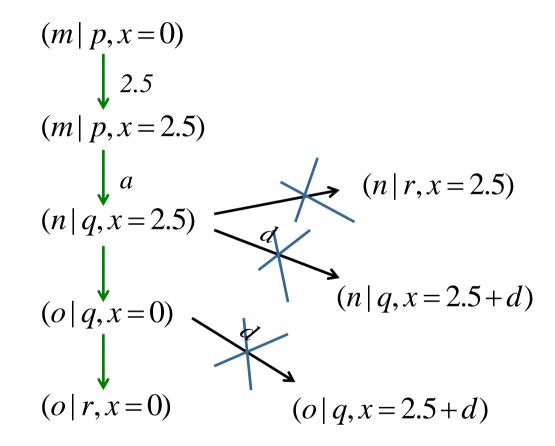
Informal Semantics:

- <u>No delay</u> in committed location.
- Next transition must involve automata in committed location.

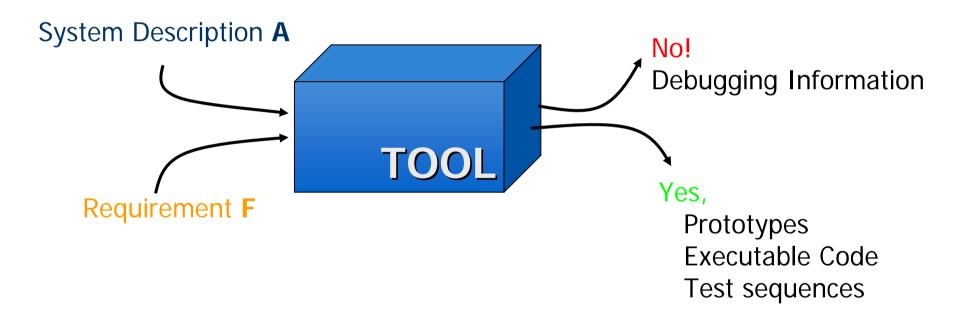
Note: the use of committed locations <u>reduces</u> the number of clocks in a model, <u>and</u> allows for more space and time efficient analysis.

Urgent and Committed Locations

m p p $x \ge 2$ a! a? urgent q x := 0 r



Tool Support (model checking)

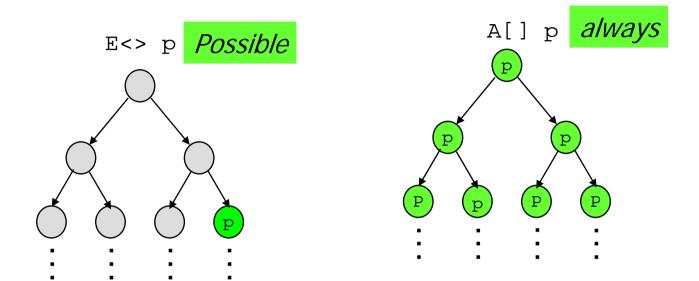


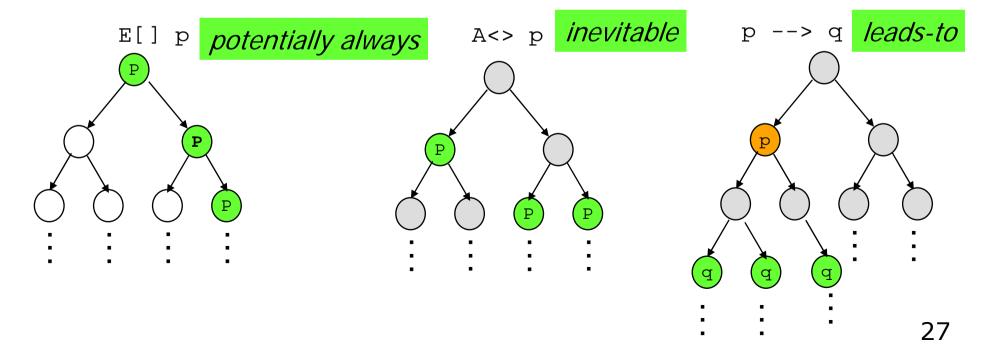
Tools: UPPAAL, visualSTATE, ESTEREL, SPIN, Statemate, FormalCheck, VeriSoft, Java Pathfinder,Telelogic...

UPPAAL Property Specification Language



Uppaal "Computation Tree Logic"





Reachability Analysis

```
Passed:=Ø //already seen states
Waiting:={S_0} //states not examined yet
While(waiting!=Ø) {
  Waiting:=Waiting\{s_i}
  if s_i ∉ Passed
    whenever (s_j → s_j) then
    waiting:=waiting ∪ s_j
  }
```

Depth First: maintain waiting as a stack

Order: 0 1 3 6 7 4 8 2 5 9

Breadth First: maintain waiting as a queue (shortest counter example)

Order: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Home-Banking?

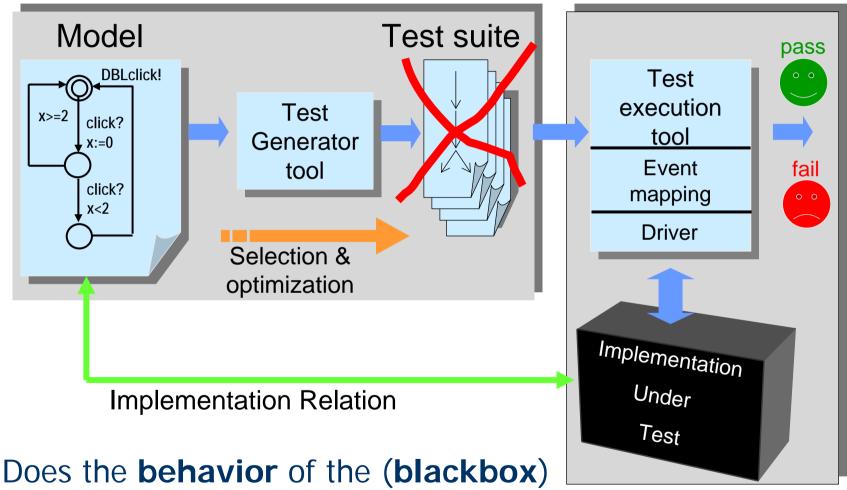
int accountA, accountB; //Shared global variables
//Two concurrent bank costumers

```
Thread costumer1 () {
    int a,b; //local tmp copy
    a=accountA;
    b=accountB;
    a=a-10;b=b+10;
    accountA=a;
    accountB=b;
    }
}
Thread costumer2 () {
    int a,b;
    Int a,b;
    a=accountA;
    b=accountA;
    b=accountA;
    b=accountB;
    a=a-20; b=b+20;
    accountA=a;
    accountB=b;
    }
}
```

Are the accounts in balance after the transactions?

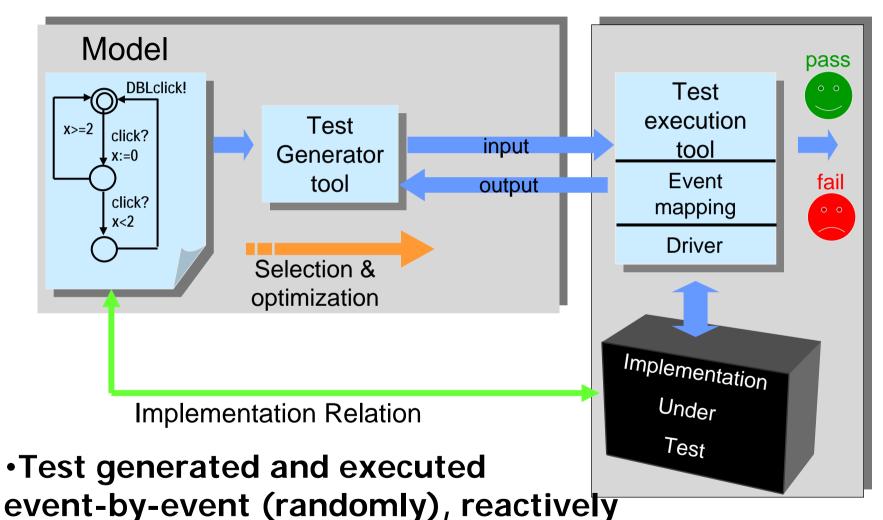
Uppaal Demo

Automated Model-Based Testing



implementation *comply* to that of the specification?

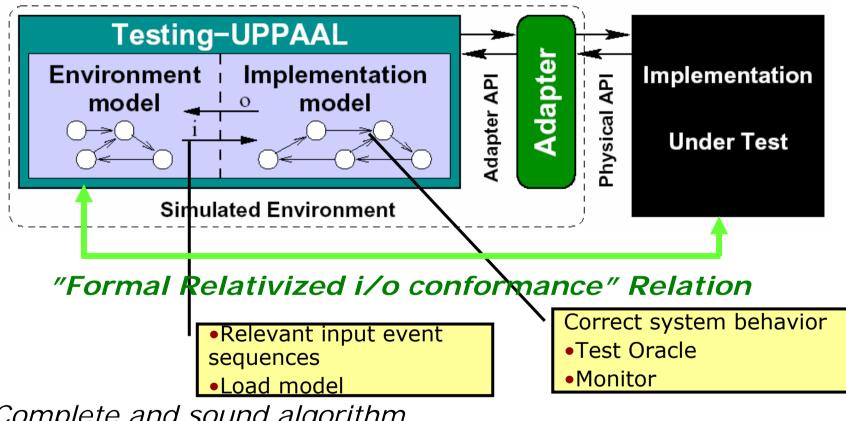
Online Testing



Long Running, deep testing, imaginative

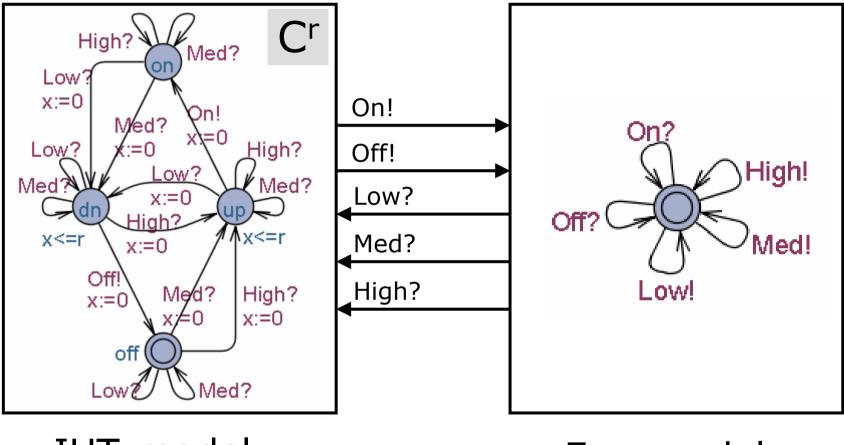
Our Framework

• UppAal Timed Automata Network: Env || IUT



- Complete and sound algorithm
- •Efficient symbolic reachability algorithms
- •UppAaI-TRON: Testing Real-Time Systems Online
- •Release 1.3 <u>http://www.cs.aau.dk/~marius/tron/</u>

Sample Cooling Controller

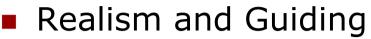


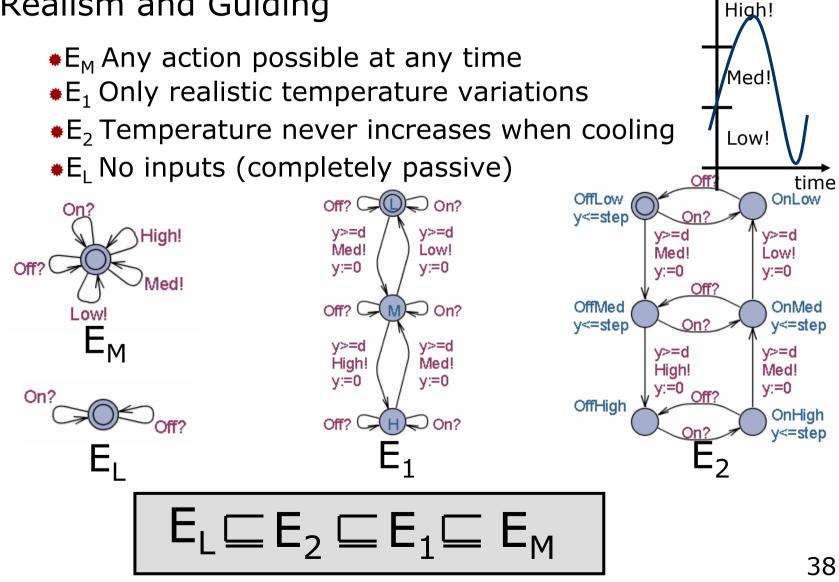
IUT-model

Env-model

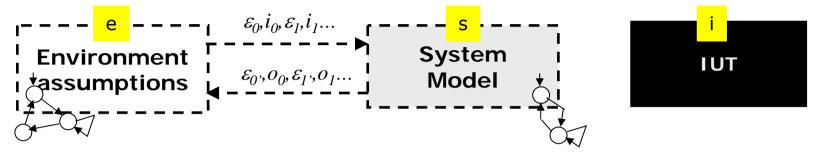
Env. Modeling

Temp.





Implementation relation Relativized real-time io-conformance



- •Let P be a set of states
- •TTr(P): the set of *timed traces* from states in P
- P after σ = the set of states reachable after timed trace σ
- •Out(P) = possible outputs and delays in P

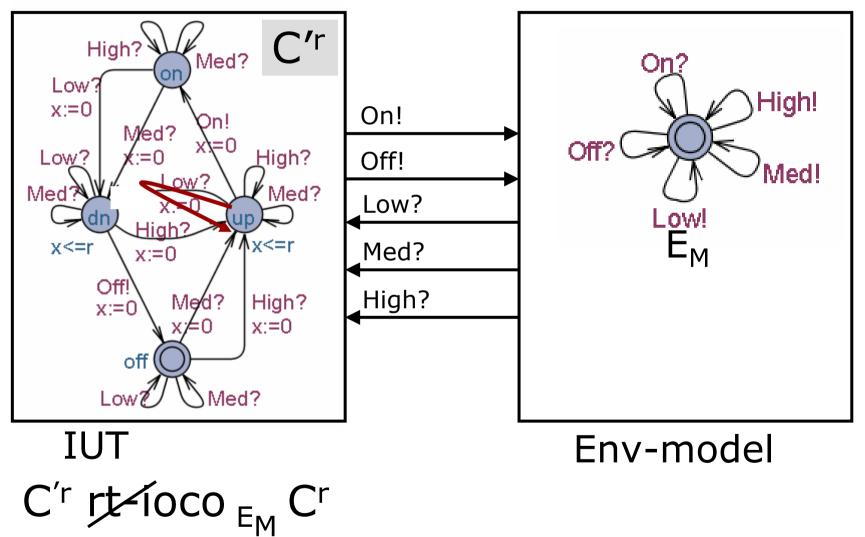
```
•i rt-ioco<sub>e</sub> s =def
```

• $\forall \sigma \in \mathsf{TTr}(e)$: Out((e,i) after σ) \subseteq Out((e,s) after σ)

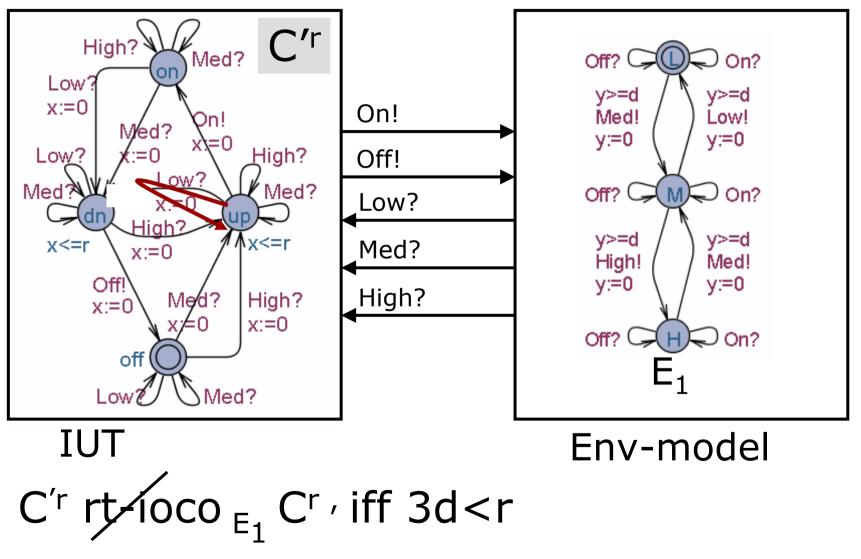
•i rt-ioco_e s iff TTr(i) \cap TTr(e) \subseteq TTr(s) \cap TTr(e)

- •Intuition, for all relevant environment behaviors
 - never produces illegal output, and
 always produces required output in time
- ~timed trace inclusion

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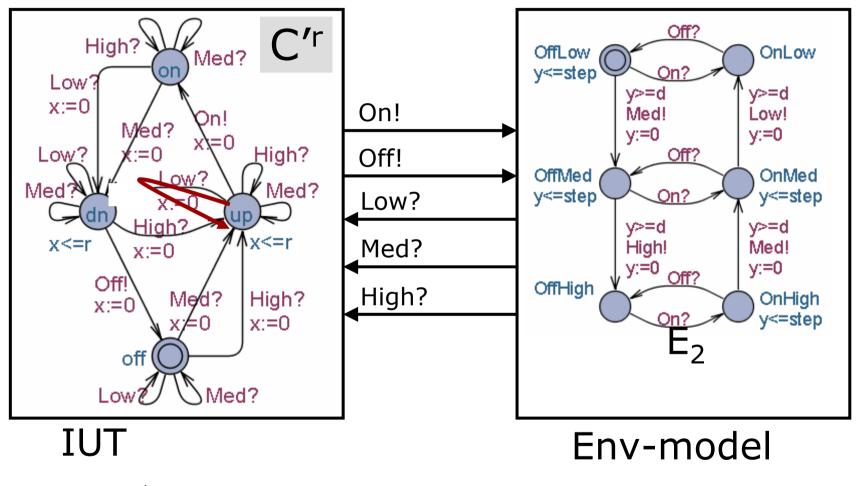


Sample Cooling Controller



d.Med?.d.High?.d.Med?.d.Low?. ϵ .On, $\epsilon \leq r$

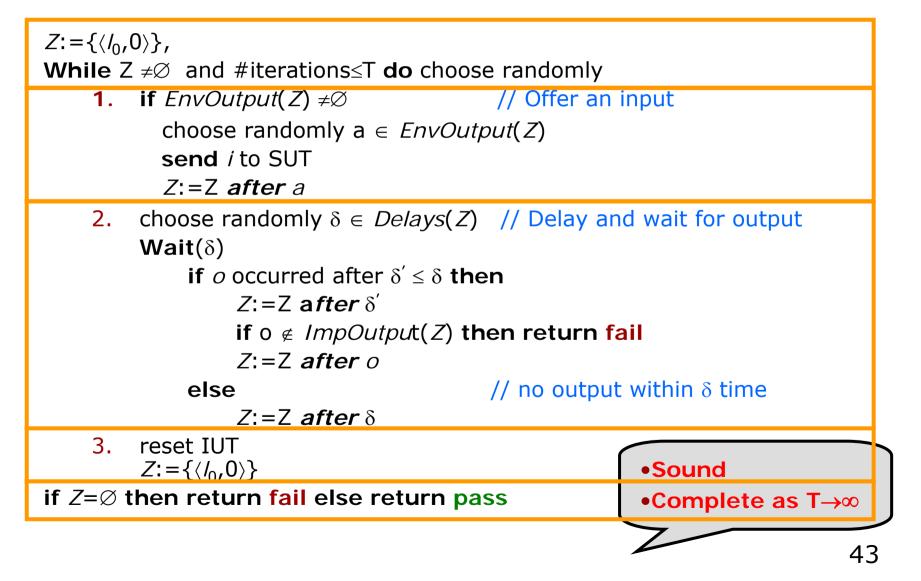
Sample Cooling Controller



 C'^{r} rt-ioco E_{2} C^{r}

Randomized Online Algorithm

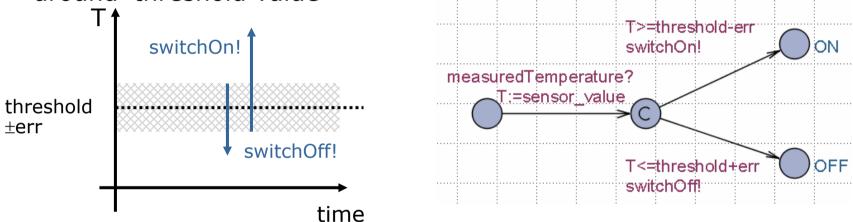
Algorithm TestGenExec (TestSpec) returns {pass, fail}



Non-Determinism

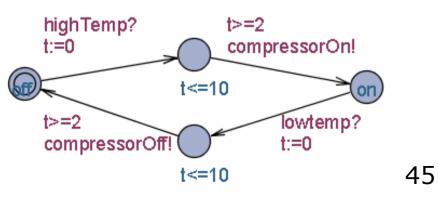
Modeling Action uncertainty

•A controller switches a relay when a control variable crosses `around' threshold value



Modeling Timing uncertainty

•A controller switches a relay between 2 and 10 time units

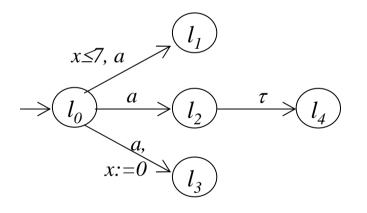


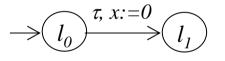
State-set computation

- Compute all potential states the model can occupy after the timed trace $\varepsilon_0, i_0, \varepsilon_1, o_1, \varepsilon_2, i_2, o_2, \dots$
- Let Z be a set of states
 - Z after a: possible states after executing a (and t*)
 - **Z after** ε : possible states after t* and ε_i , totaling a delay of ε
 - o is a legal output from SUT iff O in ImpOutput(Z)
 - a is a relevant input in Env iff I in EnvOutput(Z)
 - ε is a permitted delay iff Z after $\varepsilon \neq \emptyset$
 - ε is a relevant delay iff Delays (Z)

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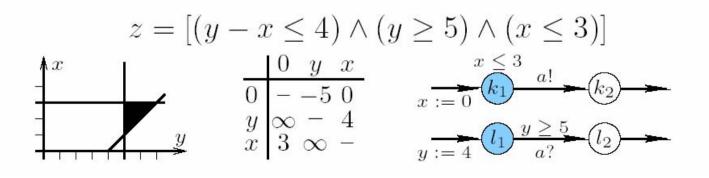




- $\{ \langle l_0, x=3 \rangle \} \text{ after } a = \{ \langle l_0, x=0 \rangle \} \text{ after } 4 = \\ \{ \langle l_2, x=3 \rangle, \langle l_4, x=3 \rangle, \langle l_3, x=0 \rangle \} \{ \langle l_0, x=4 \rangle, \langle l_1, 0 \le x \le 4 \rangle \}$
- Represent state sets as sets of symbolic states
- •Use symbolic reachability
- •(similar to model checkers like UppAal)

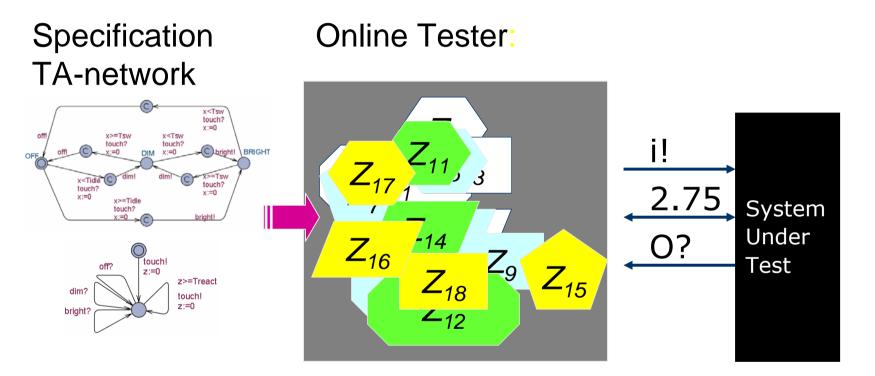
Symbolic Reachability

- Zone is a conjunction of clock constraints of the form: $\{x_i - x_j \prec c_{ij}\} \cup \{a_i \prec x_i\} \cup \{x_j \prec b_j\}$ where $\prec \in \{\leq, \leq\}$
- Difference bound matrix compact representation.
- Symbolic state set $Z = \{ \langle \overline{l}_1, z_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle \overline{l}_n, z_n \rangle \}$
- Action transition: $\langle \bar{l}, z \rangle \xrightarrow{a} \langle \bar{l'}, (z \wedge g)_r \wedge I(\bar{l'}) \rangle$: $l \xrightarrow{g,a,r} l'$ is *a*-action transition and $z \wedge g \neq \emptyset$, $(z \wedge g)_r \wedge I(\bar{l'}) \neq \emptyset$.
- Delay transition: $\langle \bar{l}, z \rangle \xrightarrow{\delta} \langle \bar{l}, z^{+\delta} \wedge I(\bar{l}) \rangle$ iff $z^{+\delta} \wedge I(\bar{l}) \neq \emptyset$.



Real-time Online

Compute *all* states reachable **after** timed trace
Maintain a *set* of *symbolic* states in real time!



[Tripakis'02, Krichen'04]

Danfoss EKC Case Electronic Cooling Controller



Sensor Input

- •air temperature sensor
- defrost temperature sensor
- •(door open sensor)
- Keypad Input
- 2 buttons (~40 user settable parameters)

Output Relays

- compressor relay
- defrost relay
- •alarm relay
- •(fan relay)

Display Output

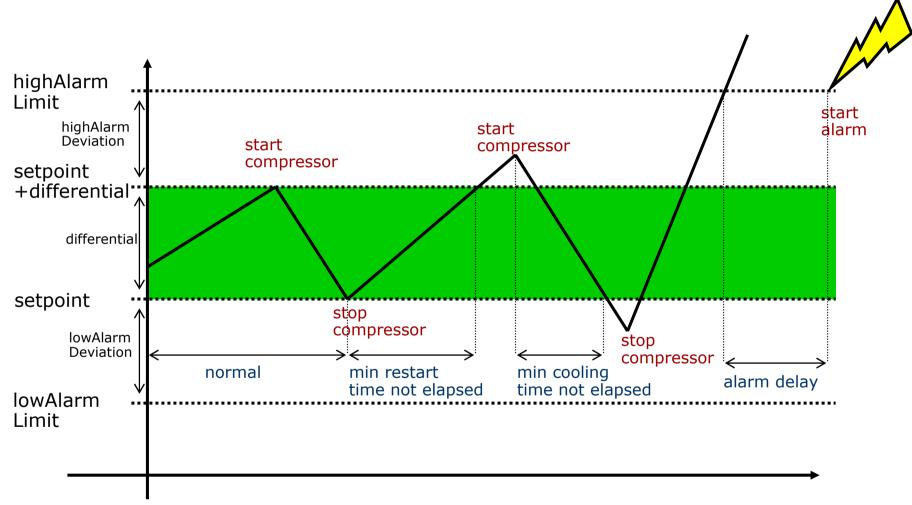
- •alarm / error indication
- mode indication
- current calculated temperature

•Optional real-time clock or LON network module

Industrial Cooling Plants



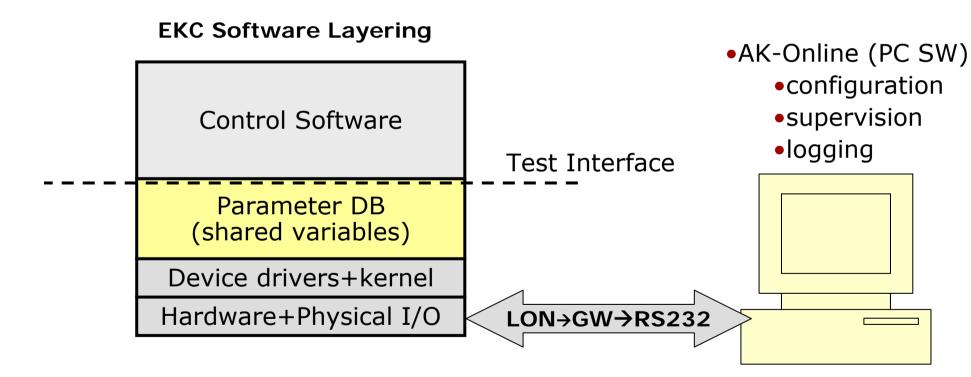
Basic Refrigeration Control





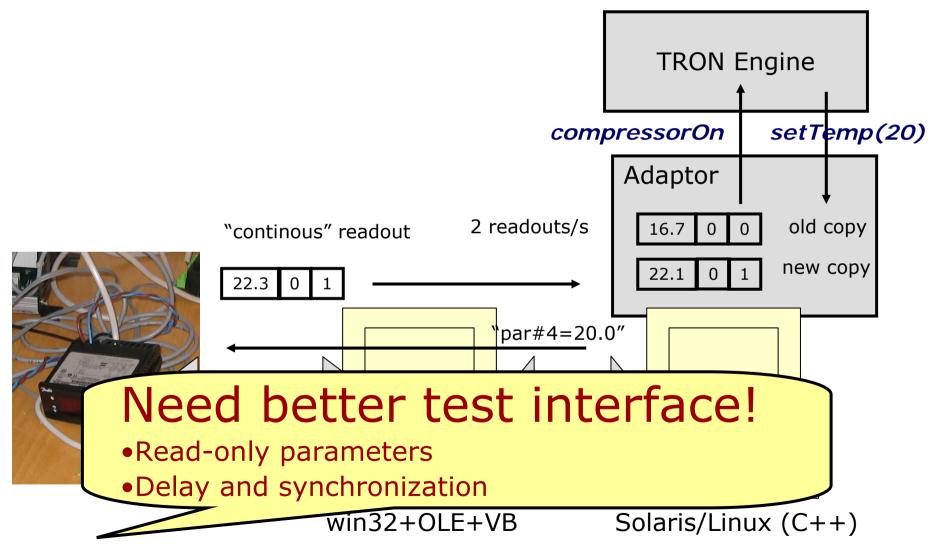
EKC Adaptation 1

- Read and write parameter "database"
- •47 parameters

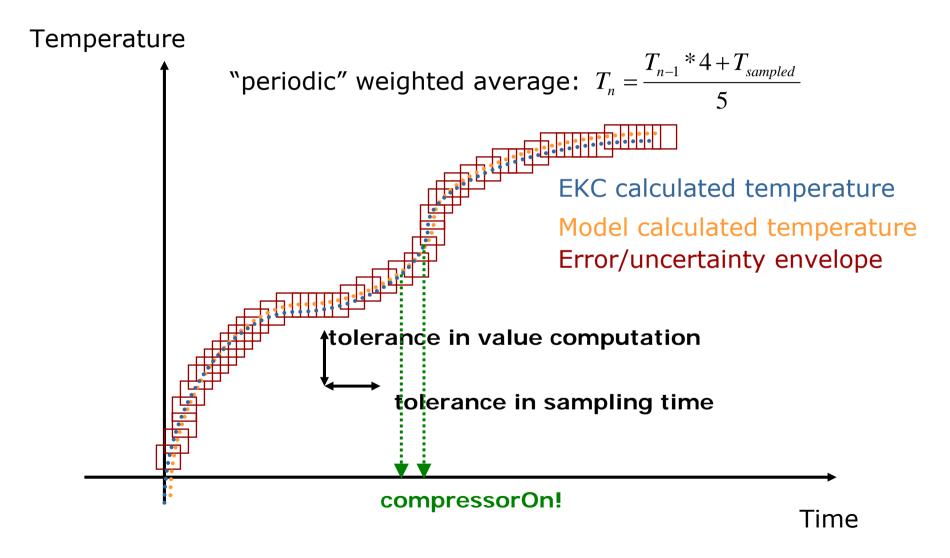


win32+OLE+VB

EKC Adaptation 2



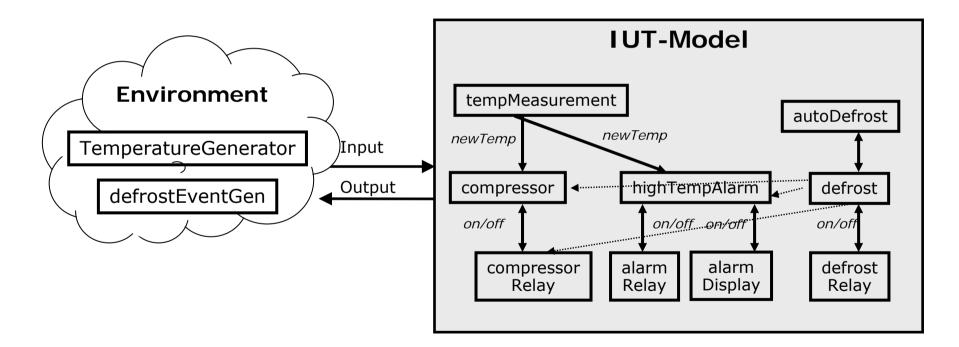
Temperature Tracking



Main Model Components

18 concurrent timed automata

14 clocks, 14 integers



Reverse Engineering

- Unclear and incomplete specifications
- Method of Working
 - 1. Formulate hypothesis model
 - 2. Test
 - **3. FAIL**-verdict \Rightarrow Refine model
 - 4. **(PASS)** \Rightarrow Confirm with Danfoss
- Detects differences between actual and modeled behavior
- Indicates promising error-detection capability
- 4 examples

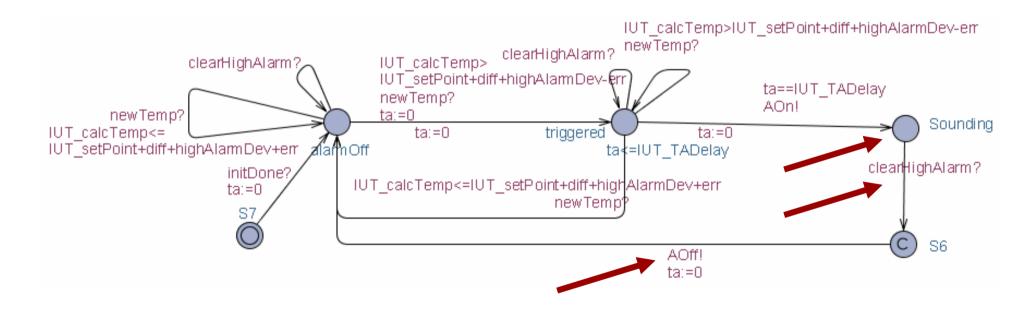
Ex1: Control Period

Control actions issued when "calculatedTemp" crosses thresholds

"periodic" weighted average:
$$T_n = \frac{T_{n-1} * 4 + T_{sampled}}{5}$$

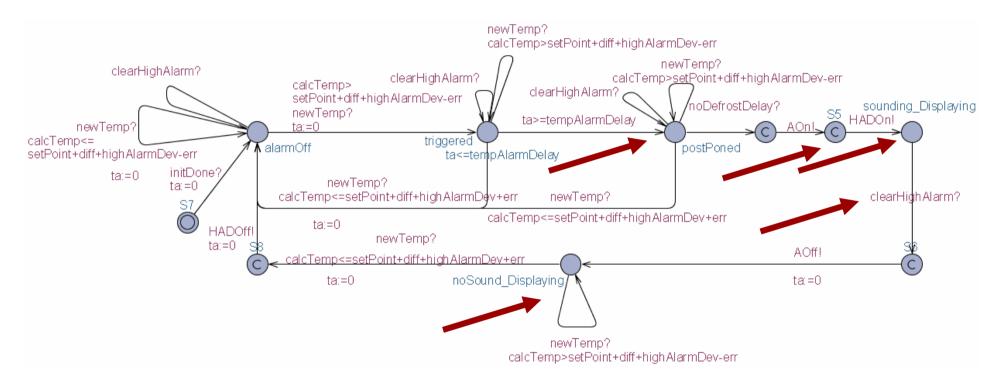
No requirements on period givenTested to be 1.2 seconds

Ex2: High Alarm Monitor v1



Clearing the alarm do not switch off alarm state, only alarm relay

Ex2: High Alarm Monitor v2



- •Add HighAlarmDisplay action
- Add location for "noSound, but alarmDisplaying"
- (Postpone alarms after defrosting)

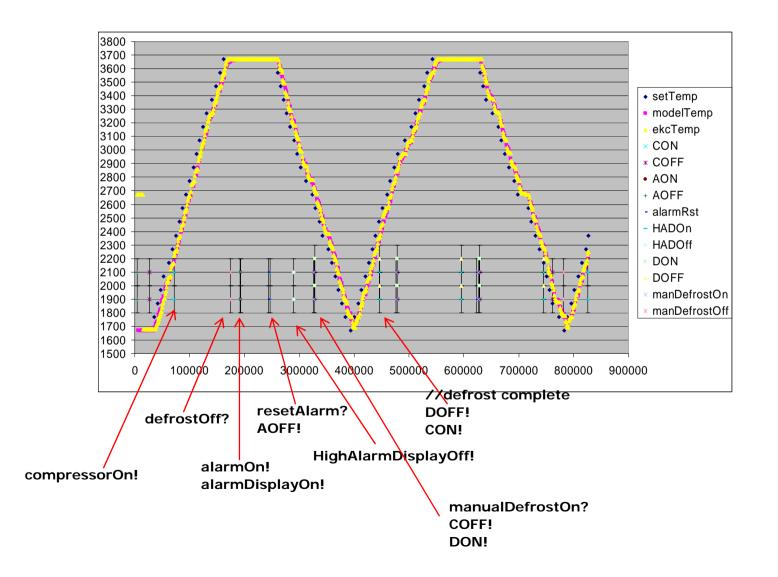
Ex3: Defrosting and Alarms

- When defrosting the temperature rises
- Postpone high temperature alarms during defrost
- System parameter alarmDelayAfterDefrost
- Several Interpretations
 - 1. Postpone alarmDelayAfterDefrost+alarmDelay after defrost?
 - 2. Postpone alarmDelayAfterDefrost+alarmDelay after highTemp detected?
 - 3. Postpone alarmdelayAfterDefrost until temperature becomes low; then use alarmDelay
- Option 3 applies!

Ex4: Defrost TimeTolerance

- Defrost relays engaged earlier and disengaged later than expected
- Assumed 2 seconds tolerance
- Defrosting takes long time
- Implementation uses a low resolution timer (10 seconds)

Example Test Run (log visualization)



Testing=Environment emulation+monitoring

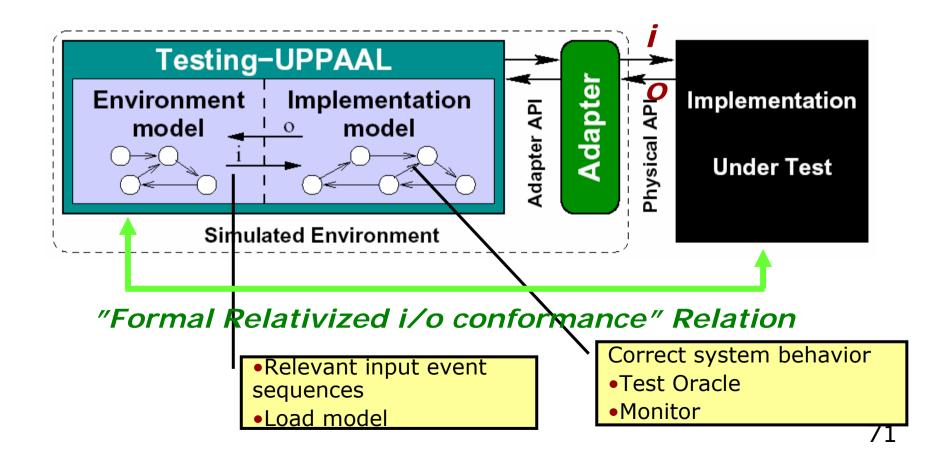






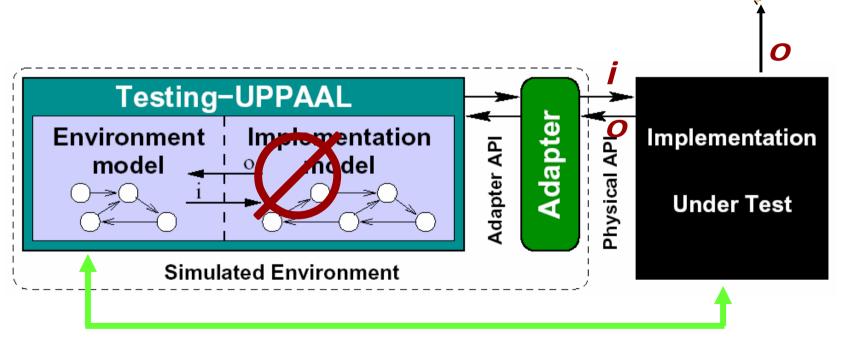
Testing

- •Replace Systems Real Environment by Tester
- Tester provides inputs
- Tester observes outputs



Environment Emulation

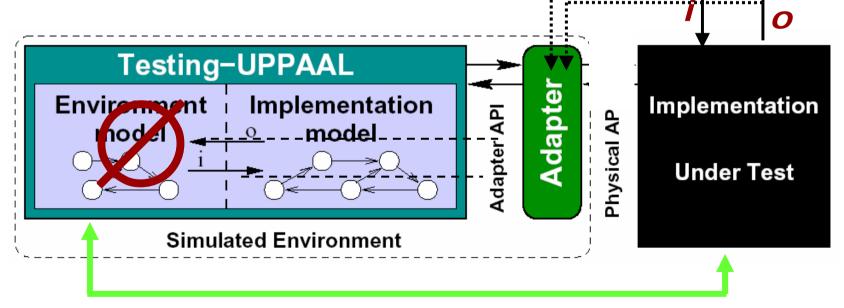
- Compute inputs from environment model
 - Relevant input event sequences
 - Load model
- Feedback or one-way
- Outputs may go to real-system



"Formal Relativized i/o conformance" Relation

Monitoring

- Passively check communication between system and its real environment
 - check system behavior
- Passive Testing

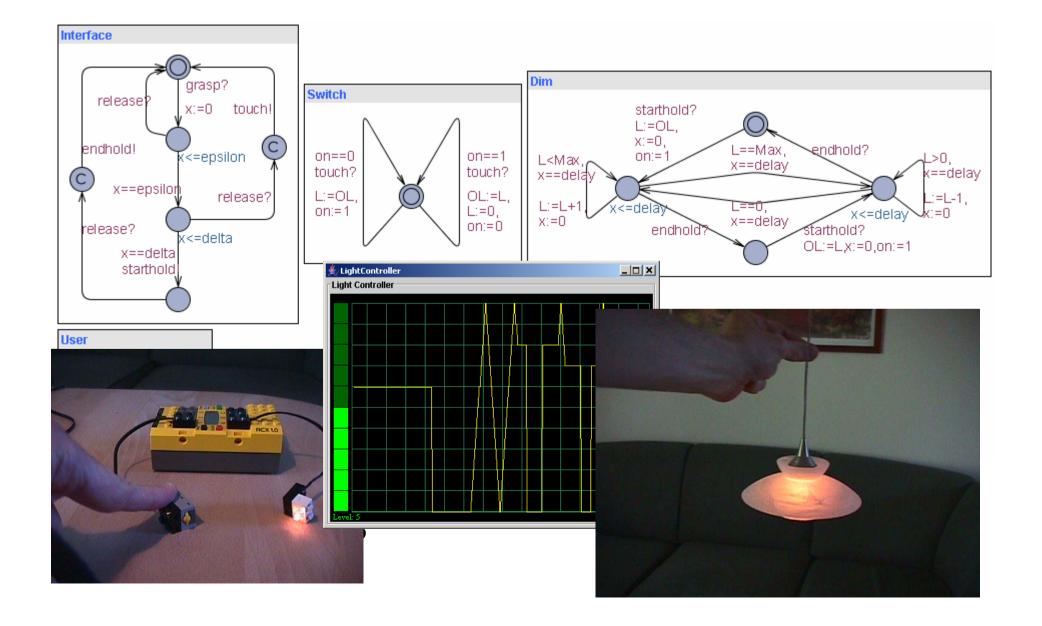


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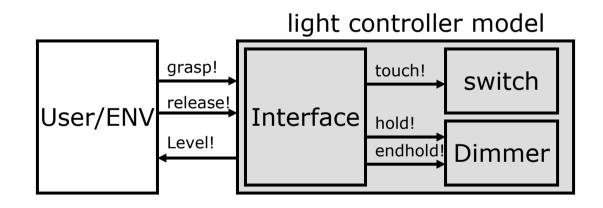
Conclusions

- Can accurately model EKC-like devices
- Can create models suitable for online testing
- Complete and detailed model not required
 - Select aspects
 - Abstraction
- MBT feasible even if specification is incomplete/unclear
- Promising error-detection capabilities
 - Differences between actual and specified behavior in industrial case
 - Academic mutation studies
- Excellent performance
- Very non-deterministic models causes very large statesets which can become a computational bottleneck
- Real-time synchronization of IUT and tester is problematic

Touch-Sensitive Light-Controller

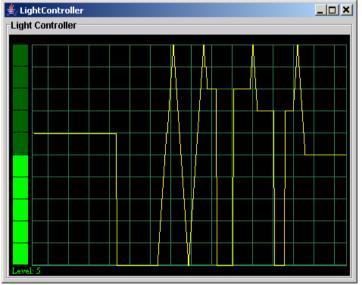


Touch-sensitive Light-Controller Model



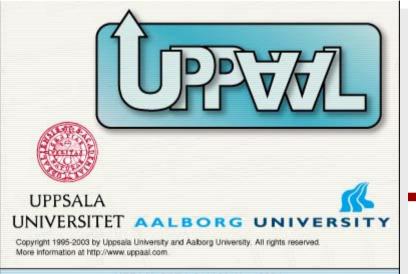
Demo





Process properties	5					
Unobservabl	e processes:		Channels:			Variables:
interface _switch dimmer		?level !grasp !release				?delta ?delay ?adapLevel
System partitionin	ng and interface b	etween				
Environment	>>> Inpu grasp	s with variables: >>>			Implementation	
Observable: user	release					Observable: graspAdapter releaseAdapter levelAdapter
Internal: Variables:	add to input		bind rem		em	Internal:
	<<< Output channel		s with variables <<<		<	
	level		adapLevel			Variables: adapLevel
	add to output		bind rem		em	
	LightContr.trn			save	undo	
	Implementation p	artitioning	messages:			









A tool for scheduling, optimization, and synthesis

of real-time & embedded





Basic Research in Computer Science



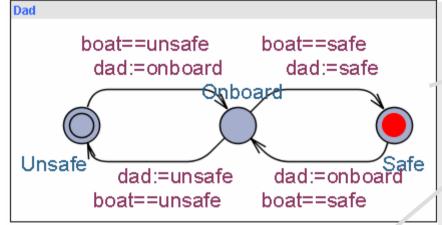
Scheduling & Planning

Help the family to get to the safe side.

Constraints: Max 2 persons on the boat Mom not alone with boys Dad ont alone with girls Thief not alone with family Only police, dad and mom can handle the boat

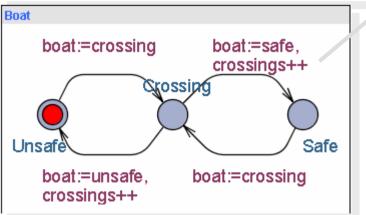
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Solve Scheduling Problem using UPPAAL



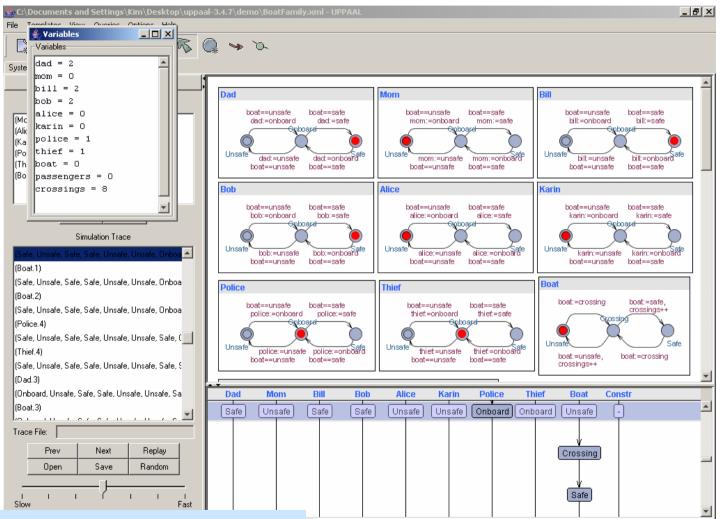


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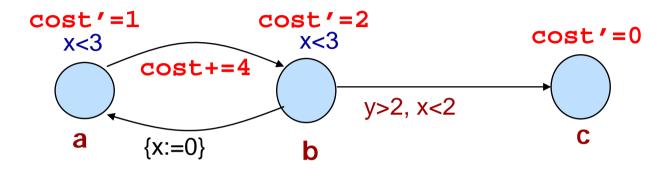
dad==alice imply mom==dad, dad==karin imply mom==dad, mom==bill imply dad==mom, mom==bob imply dad==mom, boat==crossing imply (dad==onboard or police==onboard or mom==onboard), ((dad==onboard)+(bill==onboard)+ (bob==onboard) + (mom==onboard)+(alice==onboard)+ (karin==onboard) + (police==onboard) + (thief==onboard))<=2, thief==dad imply police==thief, thief==dad imply police==thief, thief==bill imply police==thief, thief==bill imply police==thief, thief==alice imply police==thief, thief==alice imply police==thief,

Scheduling & Planning



UPPAAL provides the Schedule

Linearly Priced Timed Automata:



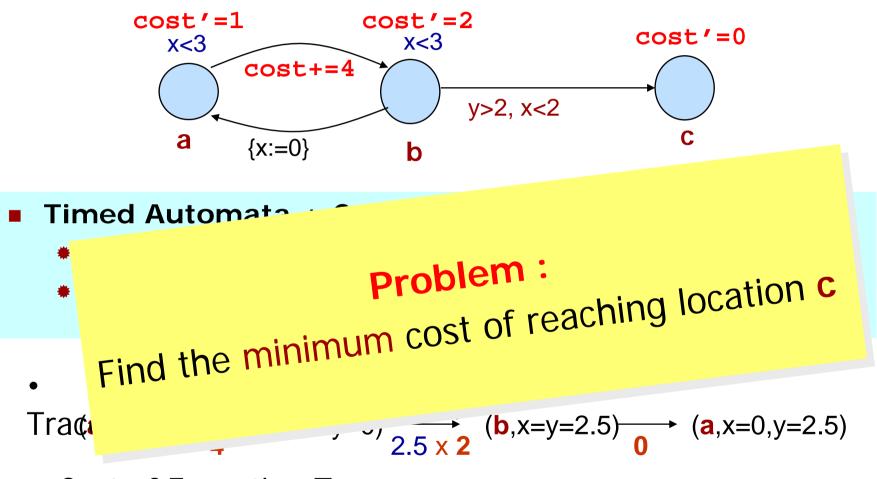
- Timed Automata + Costs on transitions and locations.
 - Cost of performing transition:
 - Cost of performing delay d:
 cost).

Transition cost. (**d** X Location

$$Tra(\mathbf{a}, x=y=0) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{a}} (\mathbf{b}, x=y=0) \xrightarrow{\frac{\varepsilon(2.5)}{2.5 \times 2}} (\mathbf{b}, x=y=2.5) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{0}} (\mathbf{a}, x=0, y=2.5)$$

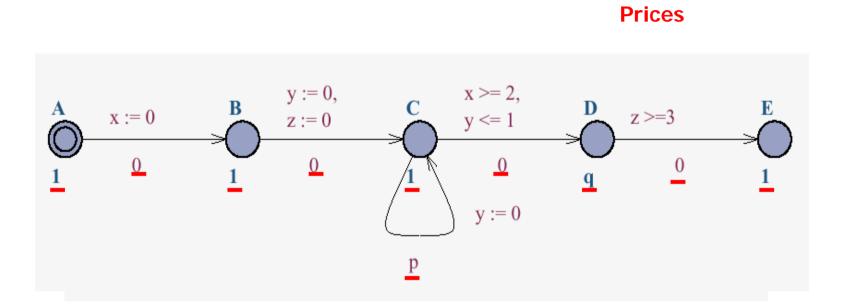
Cost of Execution Trace: Sum of costs: 4 + 5 + 0 = 9

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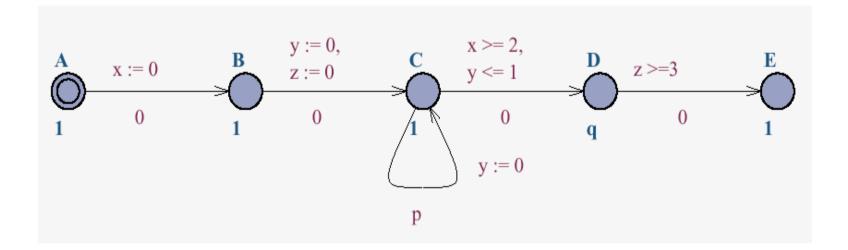


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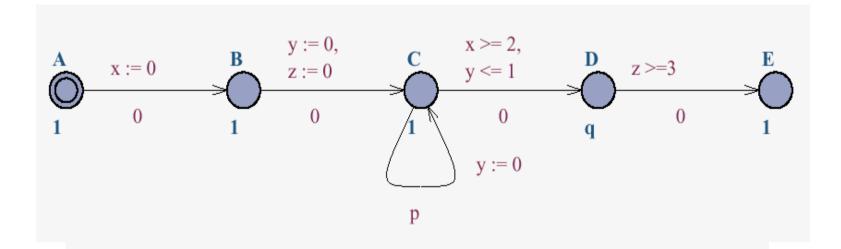


Example (execution)



 $(A, 0, 0, 0) \xrightarrow{\tau, 0} \xrightarrow{\tau, 0} \xrightarrow{\epsilon(2), 2} (C, 2, 2, 2) \xrightarrow{\tau, p} (C, 2, 0, 2) \xrightarrow{\tau, 0} \xrightarrow{\epsilon(1), q} (D, 3, 1, 3) \xrightarrow{\tau, 0} (E, 3, 1, 3)$

Example (min-cost)

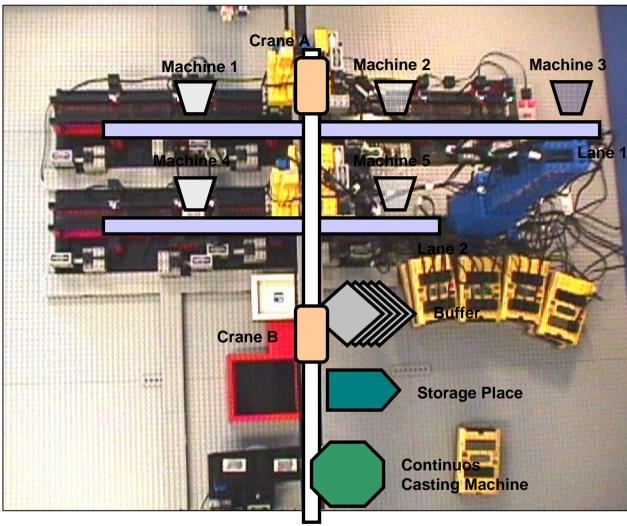


Optimal cost of reaching E depends on values p and q: min(3 + p, 2 + p + q, 2 + 2q)

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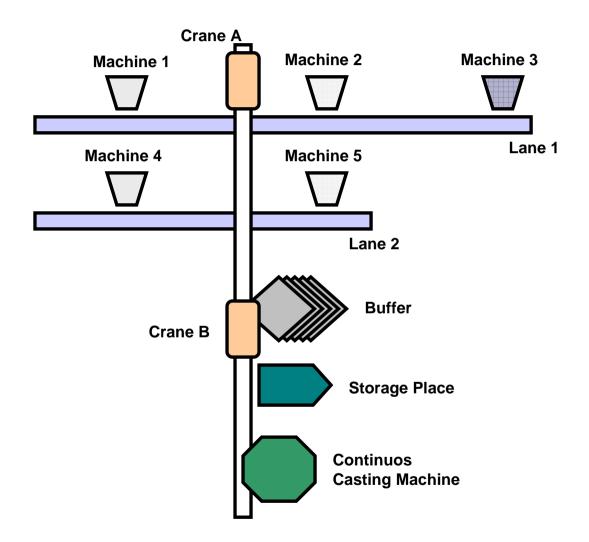


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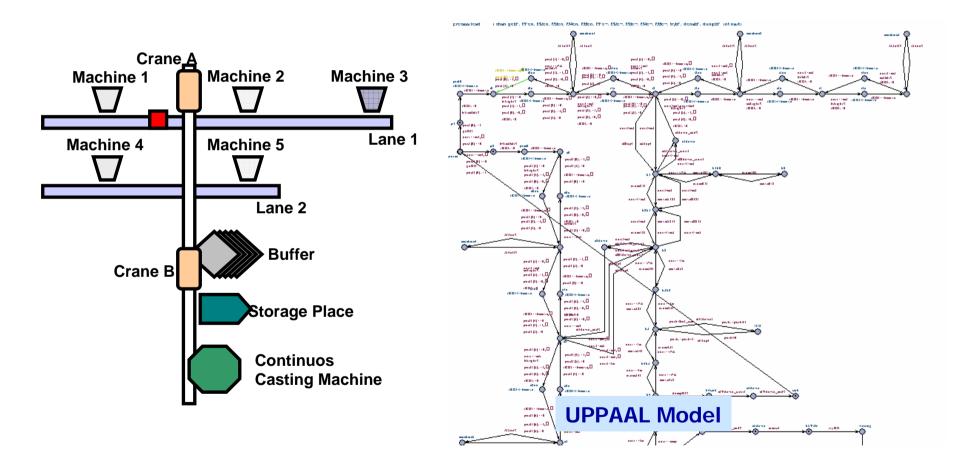


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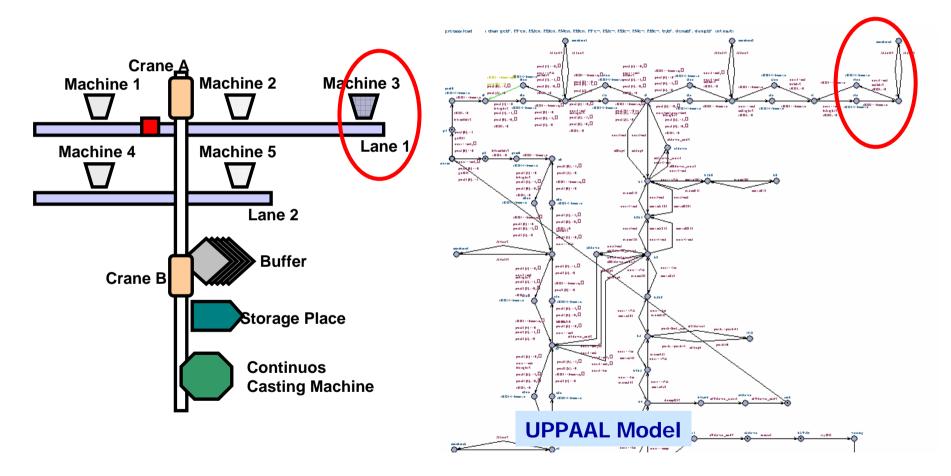
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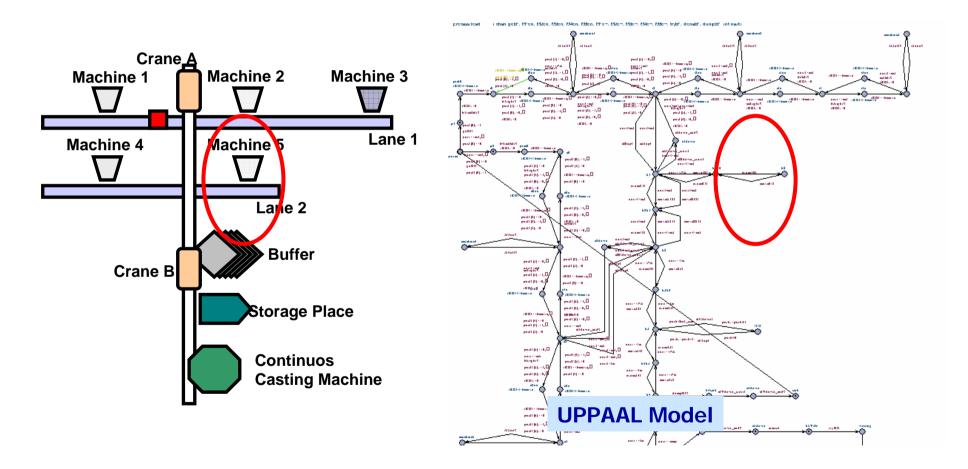
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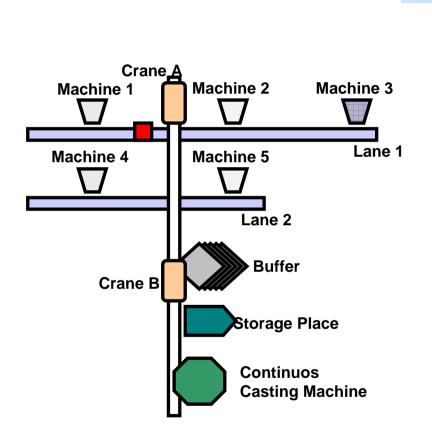
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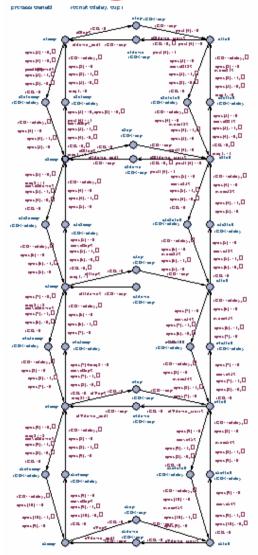


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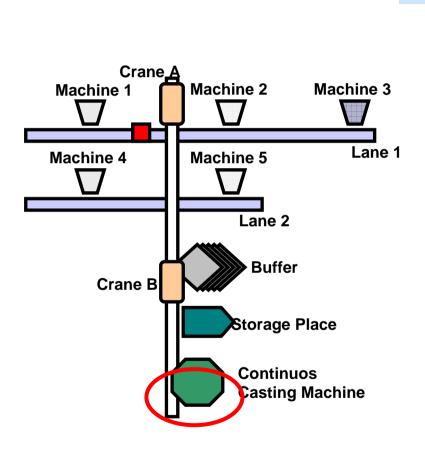
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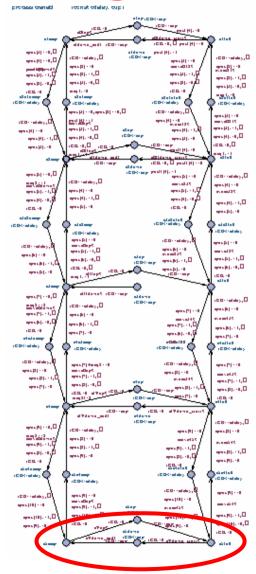




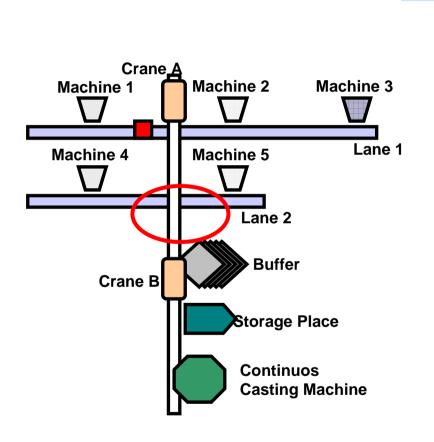
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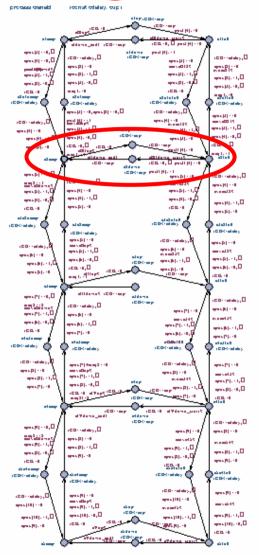
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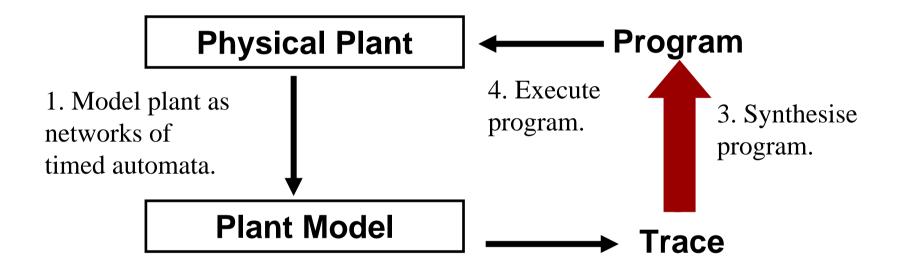
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Modus Operandi



2. Reformulate schuling as reachability and **apply UPPAAL**.

Extracting Programs

1971 lines of RCX code (n=5), 24860 - "- (n=60).

Schedule Trace (loadB1.p1 recipeB1.gotoT1 loadB2... belt1 right { loadB1.x=5 recipeB1.tot=5 recipeB1... Sync: b1right delay 5 (loadB1.pre recipeB1.gotoT1 loadB2... load B1 on Machine 1 { loadB1.x=5 recipeB1.tot=5 recipeB1... delay(5) delay 10 (loadB1.pre recipeB1.qotoT1 loadB2 { loadB1.x=10 recipeB1.tot=10 load B1 off Machine 1 recipe... Sync: B1M1on (loadB1.onM1 recipeB1.onT1 loadB2... { loadB1.x=0 recipeB1.tot=10 recipe... delay(10) (loadB1.onM1 recipeB1.onT1

loadB2...

Program

// Belt Unit 1 move RIGHT PB.SendPBMessage 2, 20

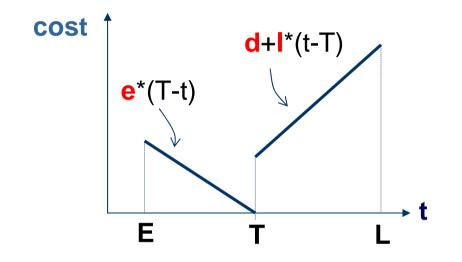
// Delay 5 PB.Wait 2, 500

// Machine 1 START PB.SendPBMessage 2, 23

// Delay 10 PB.Wait 2, 100

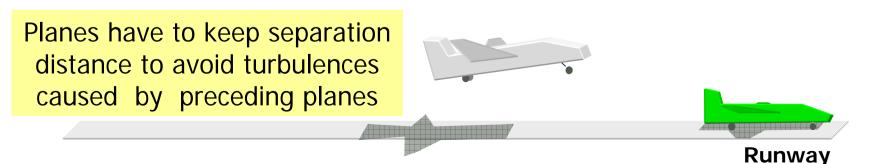
// Machine 2 STOP PB.SendPBMessage 2,24

Example: Aircraft Landing

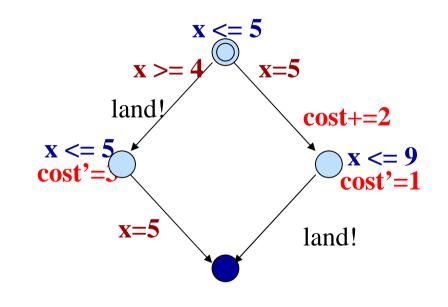


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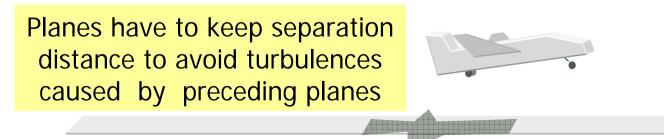
Example: Aircraft Landing



- 4 earliest landing time
- **5** target time
- 9 latest time
- **3** cost rate for being early
- 1 cost rate for being late
- 2 fixed cost for being late

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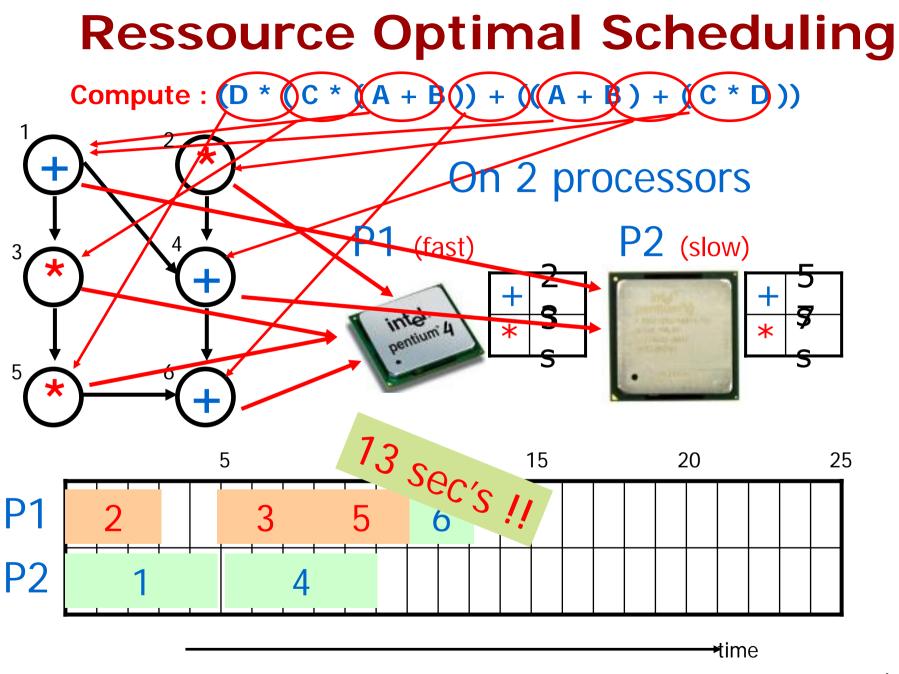




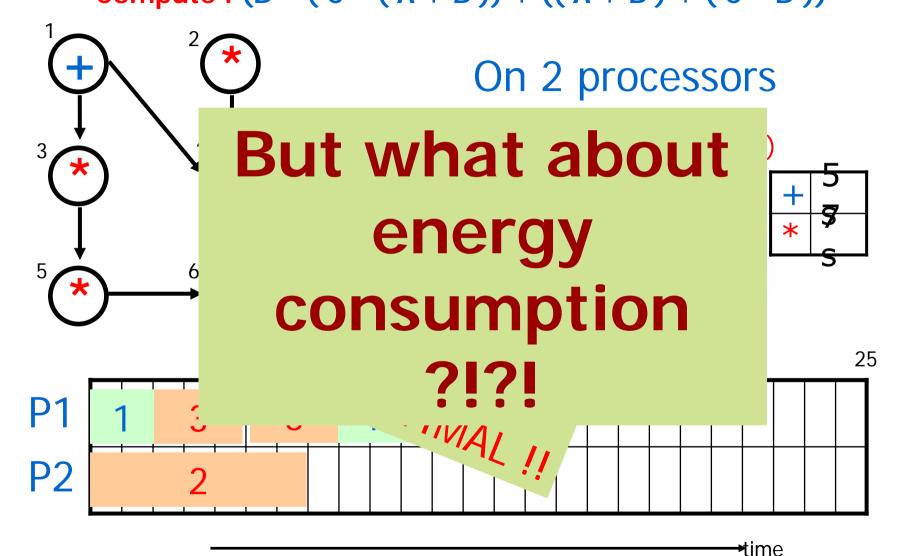
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Π	problem instance	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	number of planes	10	15	20	20	20	30	44
	number of types	2	2	2	2	2	4	2
1	optimal value	700	1480	820	2520	3100	24442	1550
	explored states	481	2149	920	5693	15069	122	662
	cputime (secs)	4.19	25.30	11.05	87.67	220.22	0.60	4.27
2	optimal value	90	210	60	640	650	554	0
	explored states	1218	1797	669	28821	47993	9035	92
	cputime (secs)	17.87	39.92	11.02	755.84	1085.08	123.72	1.06
3	optimal value	0	0	0	130	170	0	
	explored states	24	46	84	207715	189602	62	N/A
	cputime (secs)	0.36	0.70	1.71	14786.19	12461.47	0.68	
4	optimal value				0	0		
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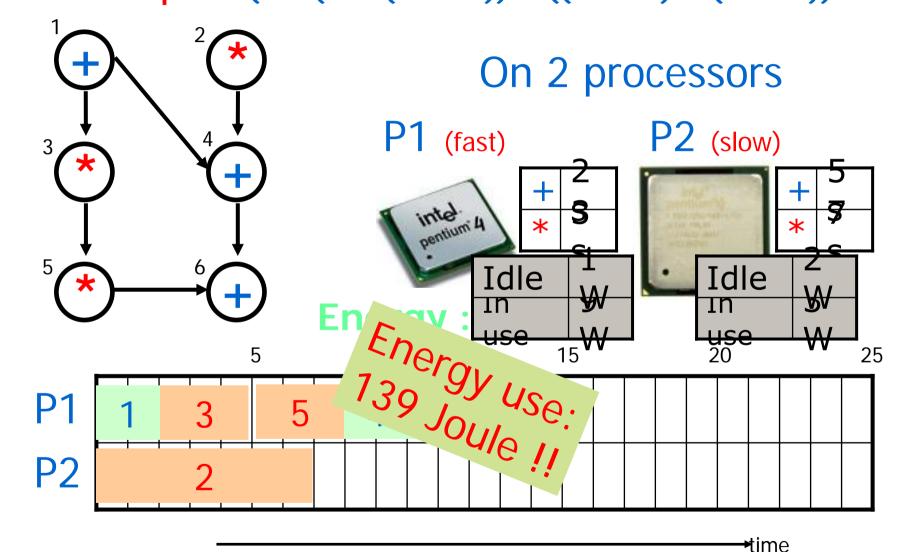


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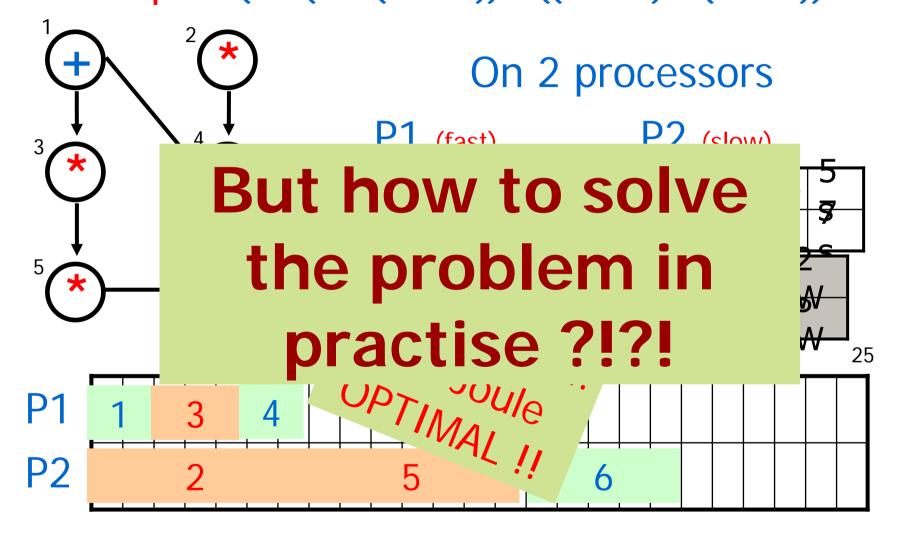
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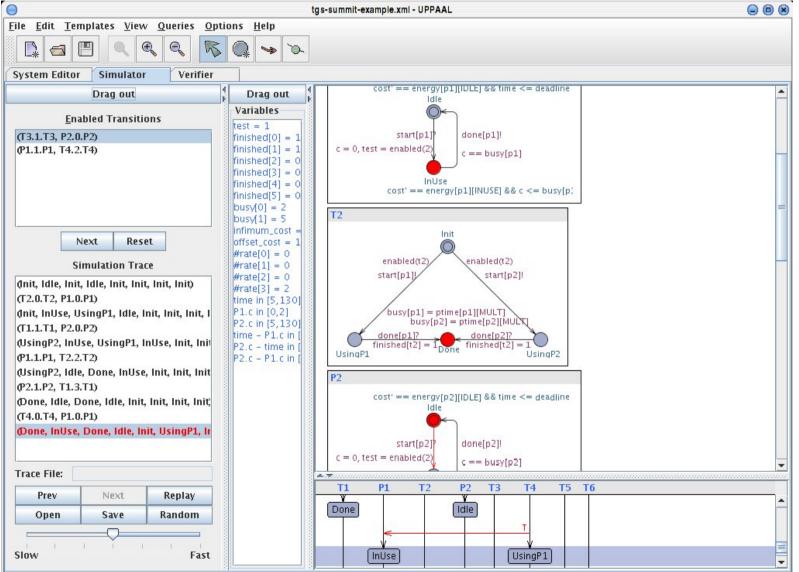
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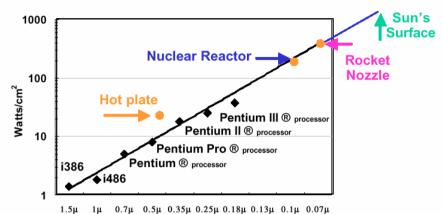


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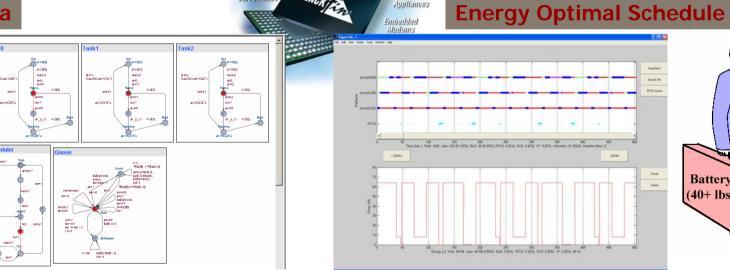
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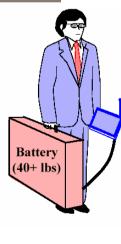


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