

TLM 2.0 Approximately Time (AT) System Example – 4 Timing Points

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AT System Example - Annotated Timing

The Goal is to Illustrate:

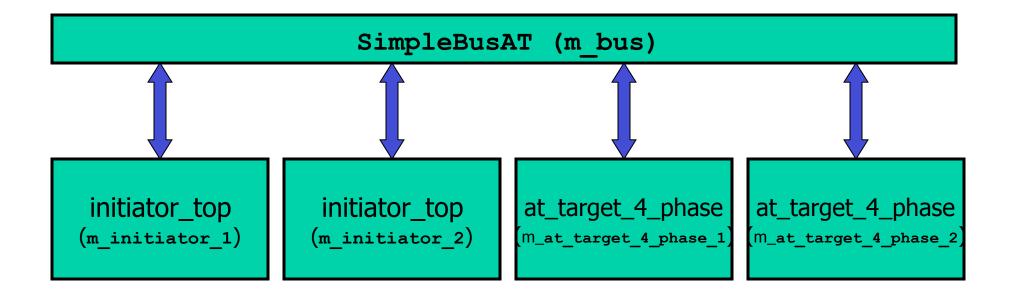
- Application of TLM 2.0 in a real system
- option of the non-blocking style
 - This style has been previously referred to as "4 phase"
 - Most complex version of non-blocking/AT style

Possible Applications:

- Architectural Verification
- Software Verification
- Early Performance Validation



Example Block Diagram







How to run this example (Linux)

- Set SYSTEMC HOME and TLM HOME
- cd examples/tlm/at 4 phase/build-unix
- make clean
- make
- make run



How to run this example (MSVC)

- Open a explorer window on
 examples/tlm/at_4_phase/build-windows
- Launch at 4 phase.sln
- Select 'Property Manager' from the 'View' menu
- Under 'at_4_phase > Debug | Win32' select 'systemc'
- Select 'Properties' from the 'View' menu
- Select 'User Macros' under 'Common Properties'
- Update the 'SYSTEMC' and 'TLM' entries and apply
- Build and run



Expected Output (expected.log) 1 of 2

```
Info: traffic_generator.cpp: 0 s - traffic_generator_thread
   Initiator: 101 Starting Traffic
Info: select initiator.cpp: 0 s - initiator thread
   Initiator: 101 starting new transaction for Addr:0x00000100
   Initiator: 101 nb transport fw (GP, BEGIN REQ, 0 s)
Info: select_initiator.cpp: 0 s - initiator_thread
   Initiator: 101 ACCEPTED (GP, BEGIN_REQ, 0 s)
   Initiator: 101 transaction waiting end-request on backward-path
Info: at target 4 phase.cpp: 0 s - nb transport fw
   Target: 201 nb transport fw (GP, BEGIN REQ, 0 s)
   Target: 201 ACCEPTED (GP. BEGIN REQ. 0 s)
Info: at_target_4_phase.cpp: 10 ns - end_request_method
   Target: 201 starting end-request method
   Target: 201 transaction moved to send-response PEQ
   Target: 201 nb_transport_bw (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)
Info: at_target_4_phase.cpp: 10 ns - end_request_method
   Target: 201 ACCEPTED (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)
Info: select initiator.cpp: 10 ns - nb transport bw
   Initiator: 101 nb_transport_bw (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)from Addr:0x00000100
   Initiator: 101 transaction waiting begin-response on backward path
   Initiator: 101 ACCEPTED (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)
Info: at_target_4_phase.cpp: 10 ns - nb_transport_fw
   Target: 201 nb transport fw (GP, BEGIN REQ, 0 s)
   Target: 201 ACCEPTED (GP, BEGIN_REQ, 0 s)
```



Expected Output (expected.log) 2 of 2

```
Info: at_target_4_phase.cpp: 20 ns - end_request_method
    Target: 201 starting end-request method
    Target: 201 transaction moved to send-response PEQ
    Target: 201 nb_transport_bw (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)

Info: at_target_4_phase.cpp: 20 ns - end_request_method
    Target: 201 ACCEPTED (GP, END_REQ, 0 s)
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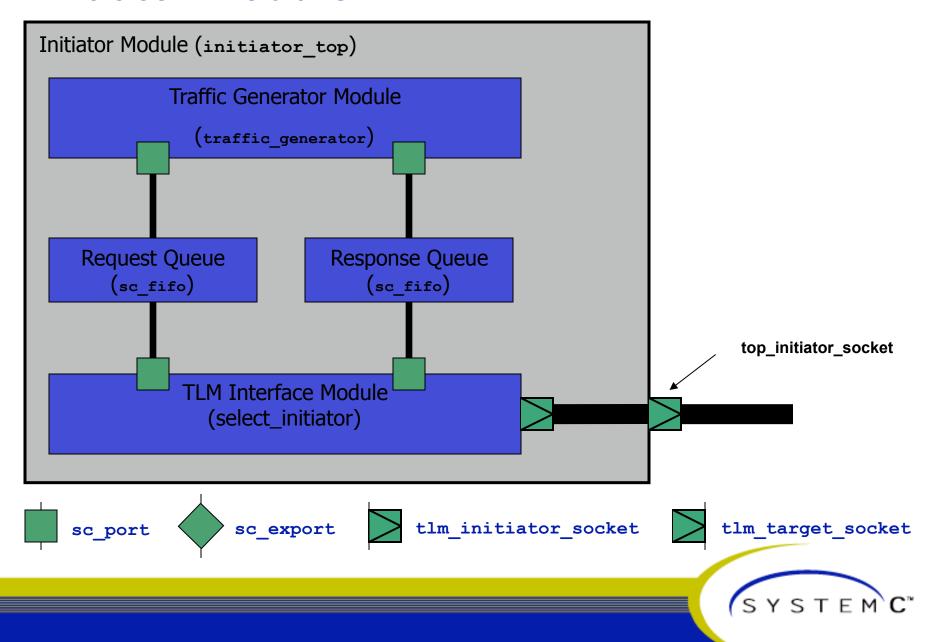
Info: select_initiator.cpp: 40 ns - nb_transport_bw
    Initiator: 101 nb_transport_bw (GP, BEGIN_RESP, 0 s)from Addr:0x00000100
    Initiator: 101 transaction moved to send-end-response PEQ
    Initiator: 101 ACCEPTED (GP, BEGIN_RESP, 0 s)

Info: select_initiator.cpp: 47 ns - send_end_rsp_method
    Initiator: 101 nb_transport_fw (GP, END_RESP, 0 s)

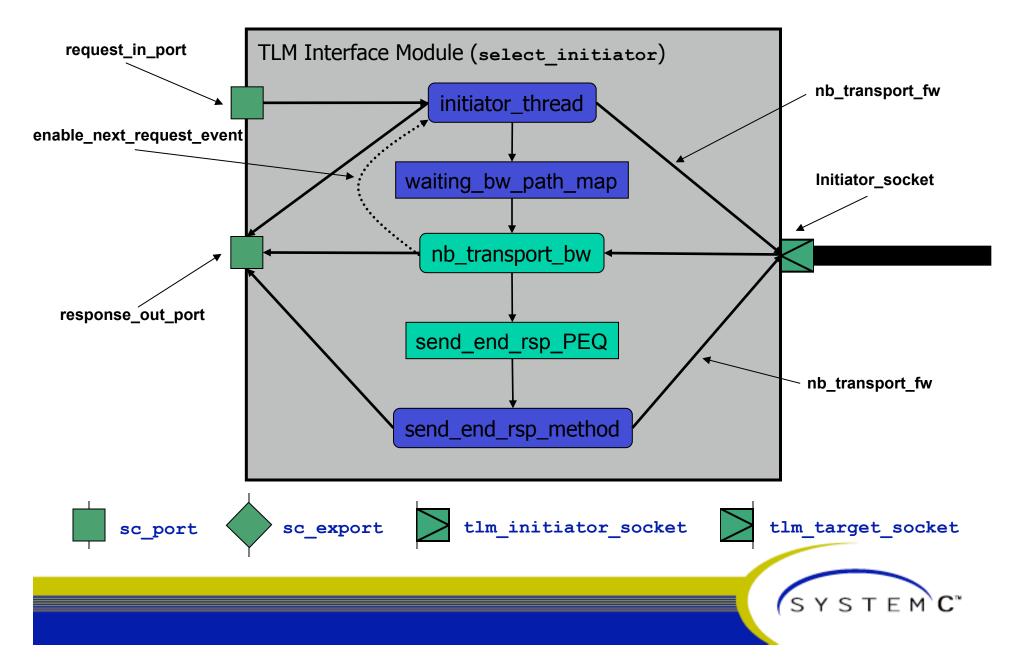
Info: select_initiator.cpp: 47 ns - send_end_rsp_method
    Initiator: 101 COMPLETED (GP, END_RESP, 0 s)
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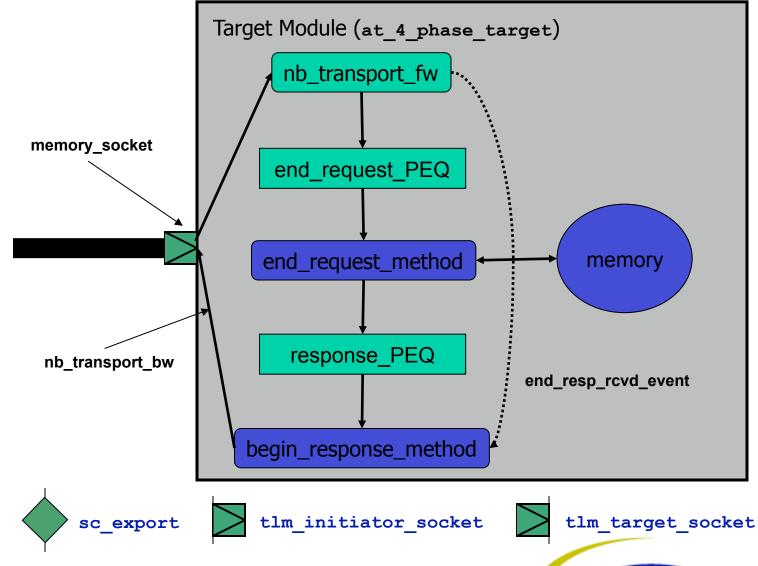
Initiator Module



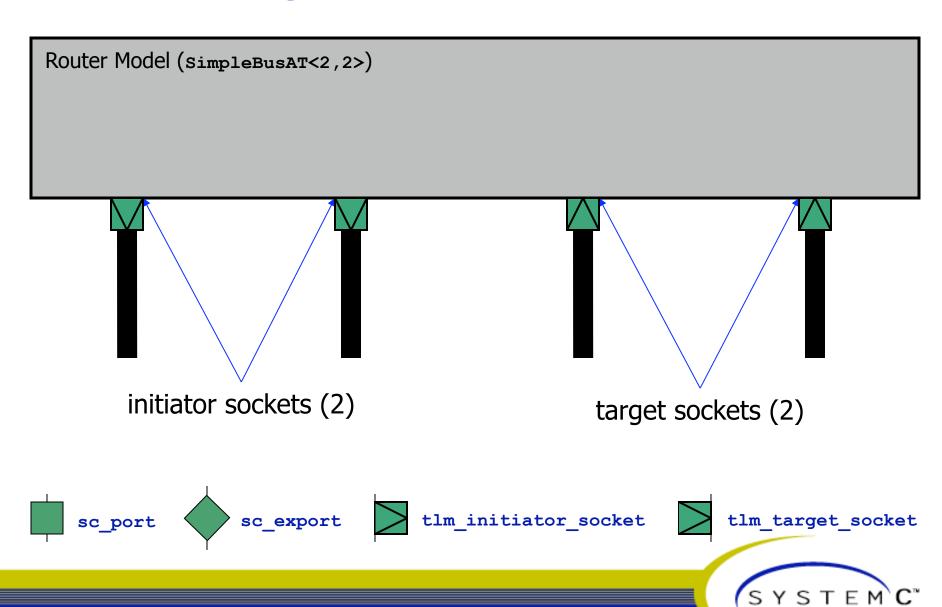
TLM Interface Module



Target Module



Router Component



Expected Timing (1 of 2)

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select_initiator
(enable_targeting_tracking=true)

nb_transport_fw(GP, BEGIN_REQ, SC_ZERO_TIME)

TLM_ACCEPTED (GP, X, T1)

nb_transport_bw(GP, END_REQ, SC_ZERO_TIME)

TLM_ACCEPTED (GP, X, T2)

nb_transport_bw(GP, BEGIN_RESP, SC_ZERO_TIME)

TLM_ACCEPTED (GP, X, T3)

nb_transport_fw(GP, END_RESP, SC_ZERO_TIME)

TLM_COMPLETED (GP, X, T4)
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Expected Timing (2 of 2)

