

Teaching Modelica for Engineers at Technische Universität Braunschweig

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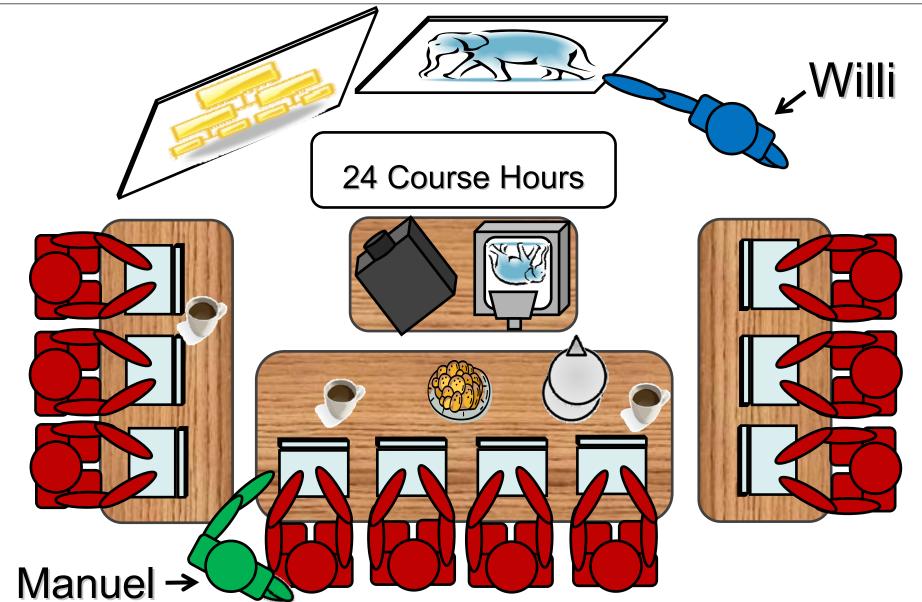
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Learning targets:

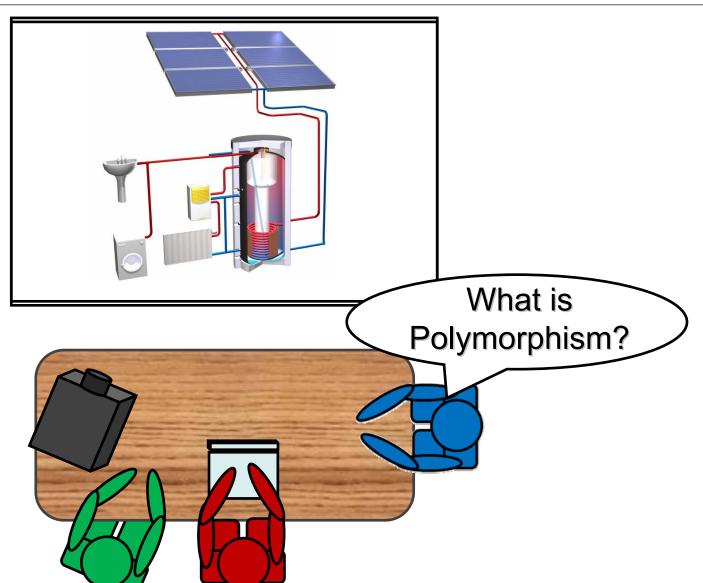
- Modeling language Modelica
- Numeric for solving DAE-Systems (heuristic)
- Object-oriented analysis

Final Exam





Exam Time: 30 Minutes



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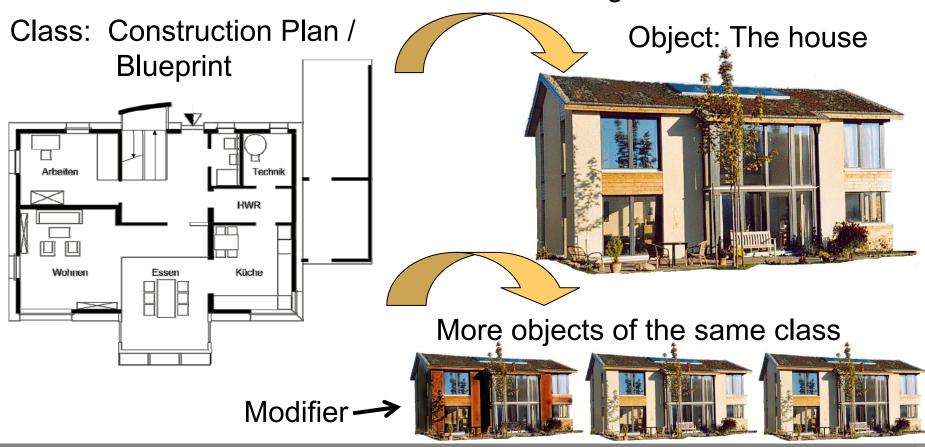
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Thinking in Objects



What is a class? What is an object?

Instantiation: Building



Object-oriented Analysis







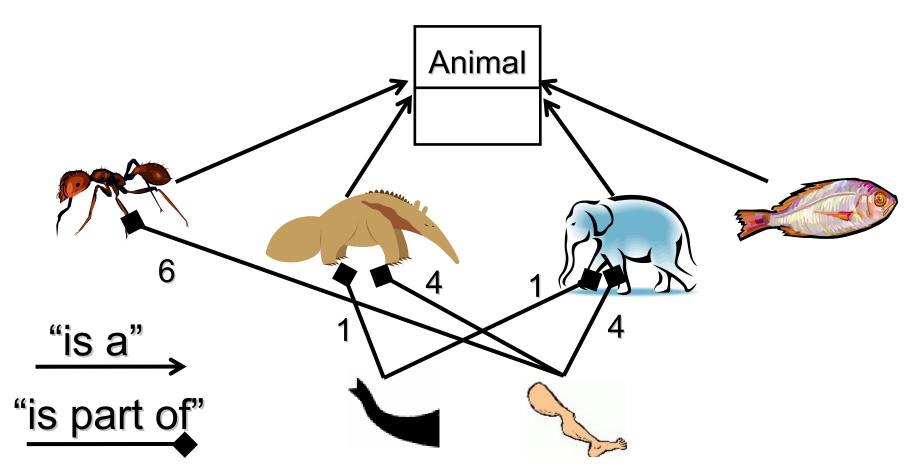




Animal

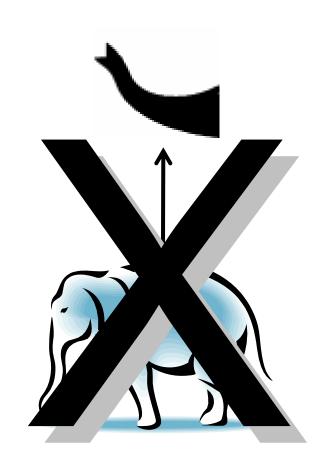
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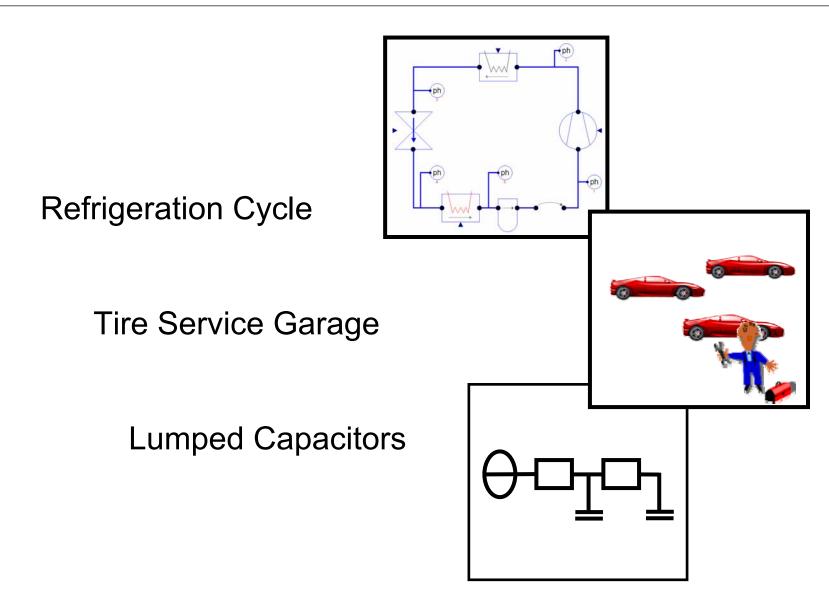
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Overview of Course Examples





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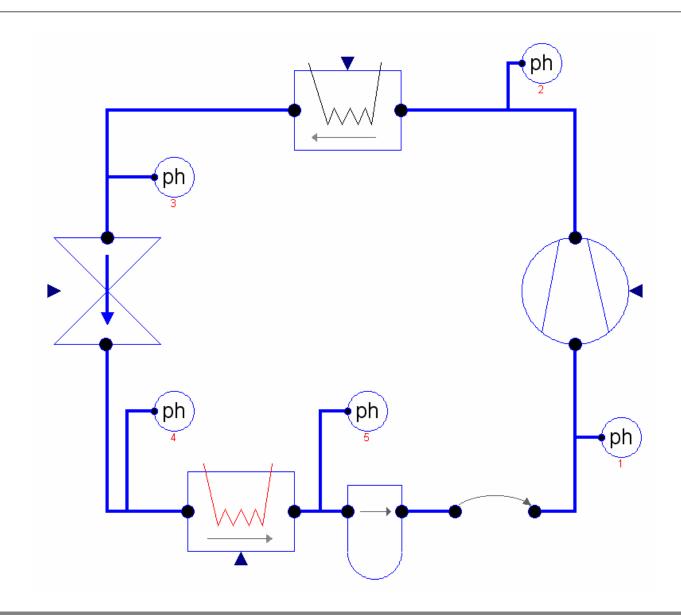


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Refrigeration Cycle





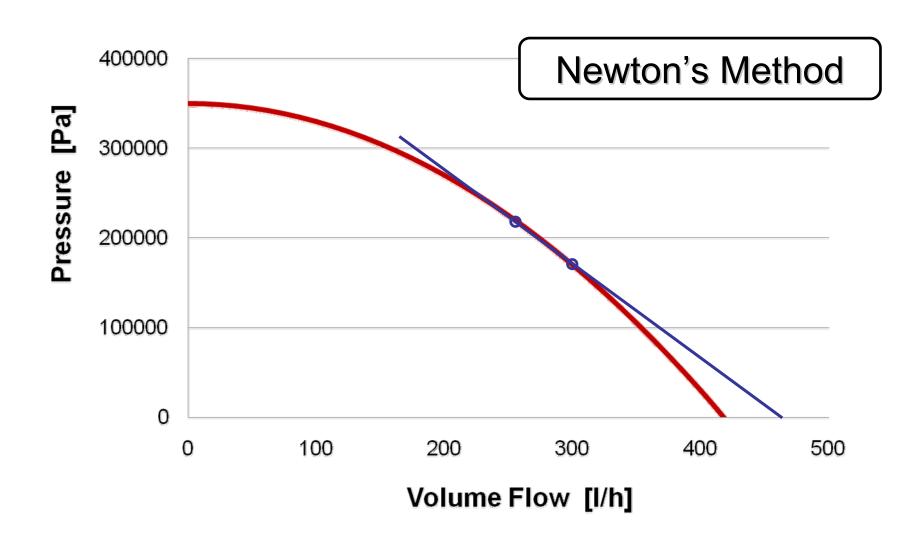
Solving Non-linear Algebraic Equations



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receiver.refrigerant.p = 0
Residual:
{ -0.0654391, 92922.9 }
gascooler.idealOutletRefrigerant.p = -1E+009
receiver.refrigerant.p = -1.41559
Residual:
\{ -0.101224, -9024.99 \}
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Solving Non-linear Algebraic Equations

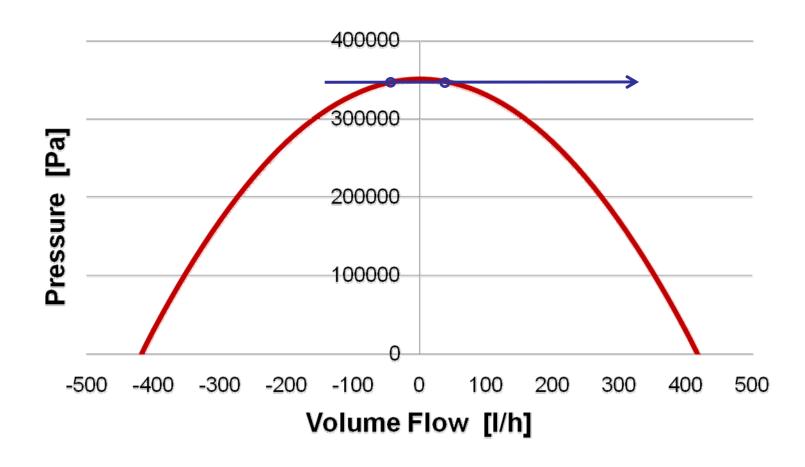




Solving Non-linear Algebraic Equations



Pitfalls:



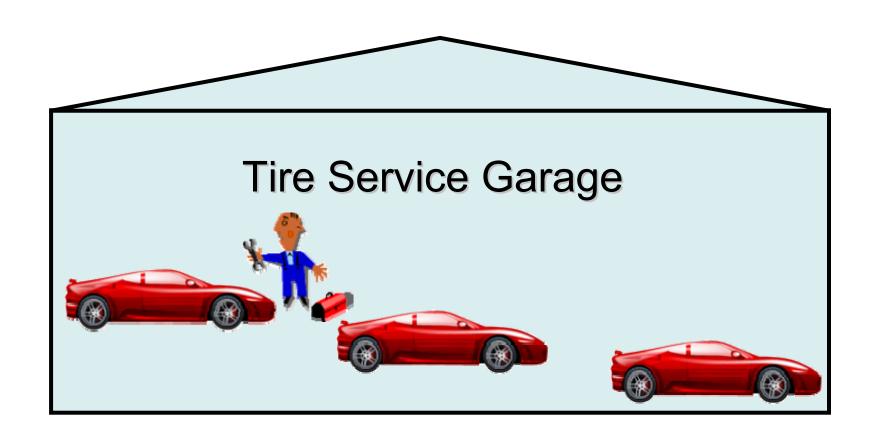
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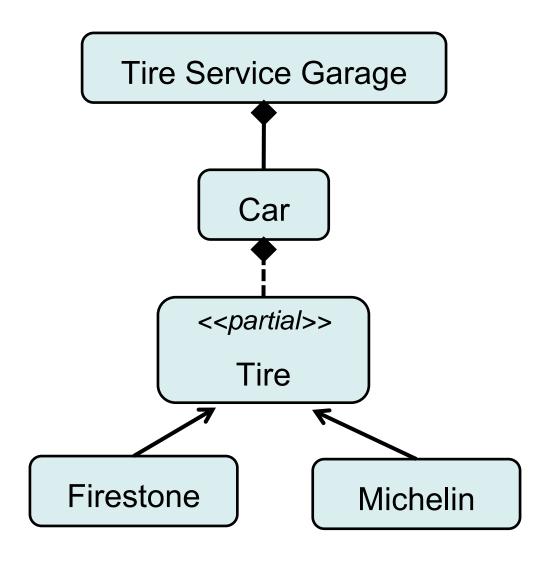
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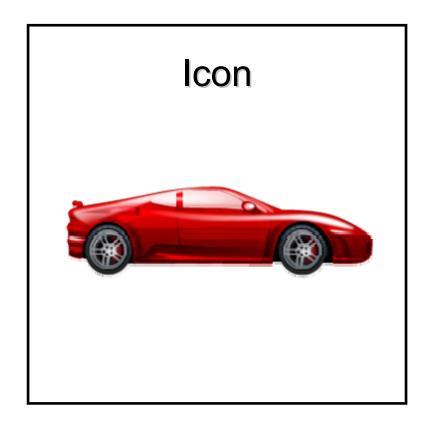


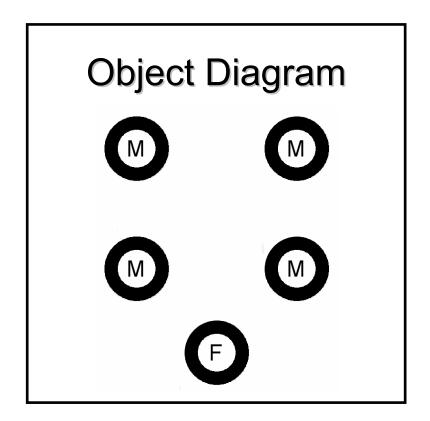






Car







Car

model Car

Firestone spareTire;

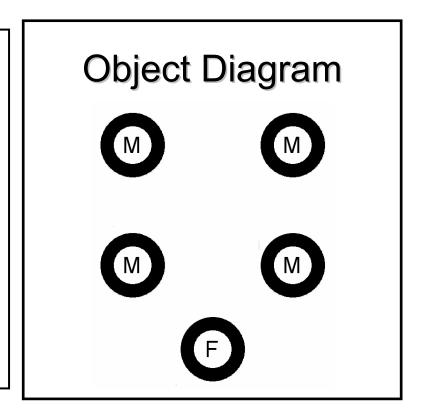
Michelin frontRightTire;

Michelin frontLeftTire;

Michelin backRightTire;

Michelin backLeftTire;

end Car;





Car

model Car
replaceable Firestone spareTire extends Tire
 annotation (choicesAllMatching=true);
replaceable model TireModel = Michelin extends Tire

annotation (choicesAllMatching=true);

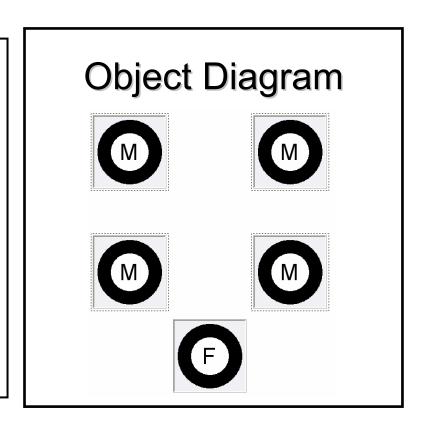
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TireModel frontLeftTire;

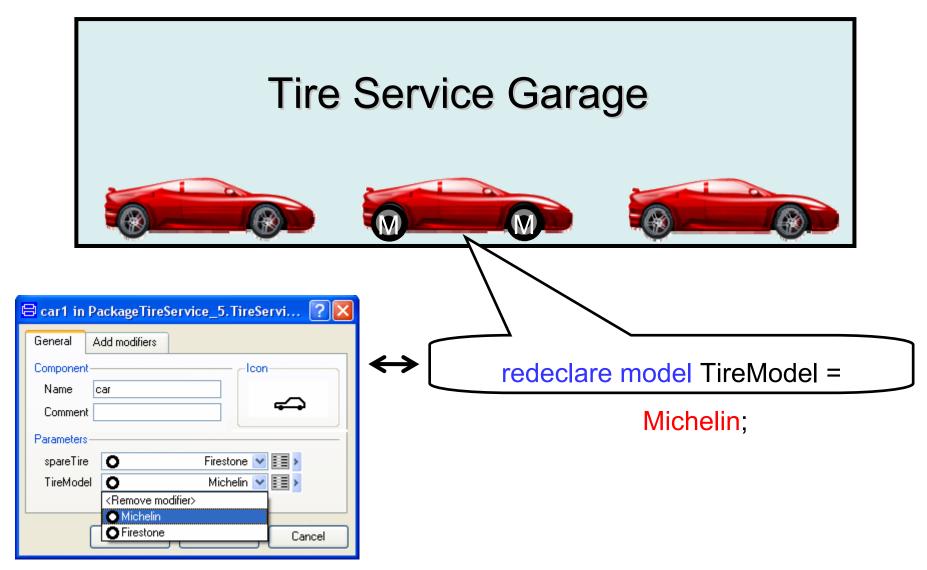
TireModel backRightTire;

TireModel backLeftTire;

end Car;







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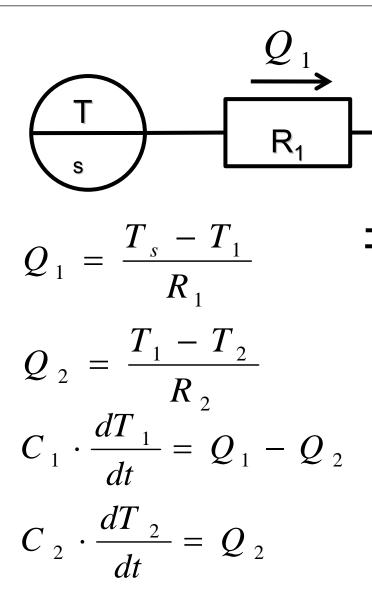


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Lumped Capacitors



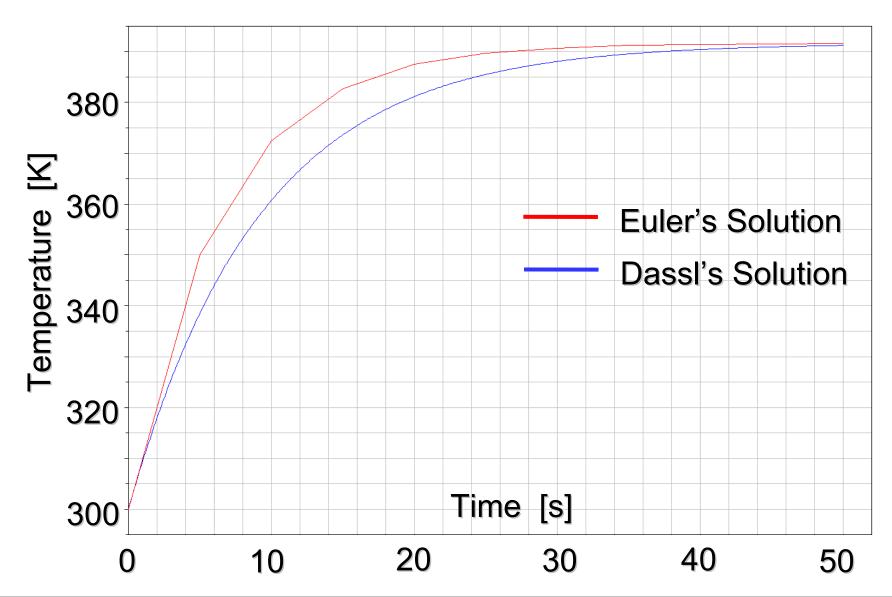


$$\frac{dT_{1}}{dt} = \frac{T_{s} - T_{1}}{C_{1}R_{1}} - \frac{T_{1} - T_{2}}{C_{1}R_{2}}$$

$$\frac{dT_{2}}{dt} = \frac{T_{1} - T_{2}}{C_{2}R_{2}}$$

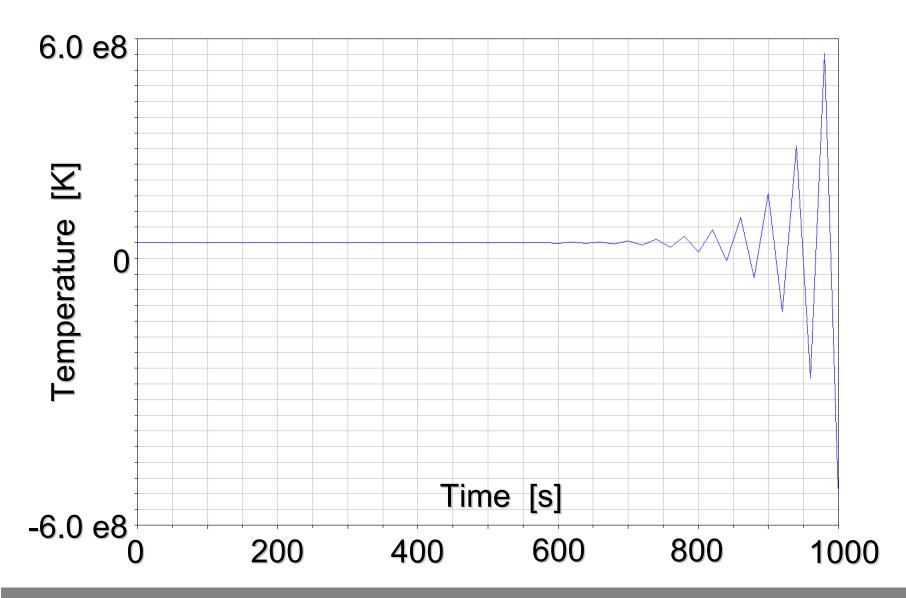
Euler's Method





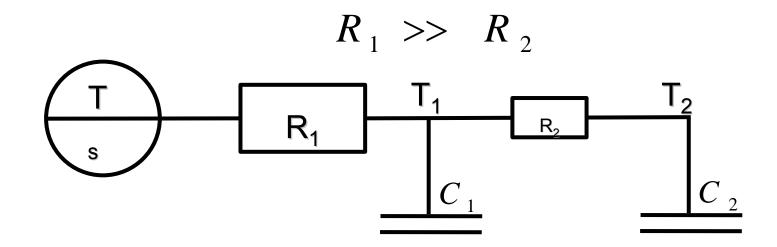
Lumped Capacitors - Stiffness





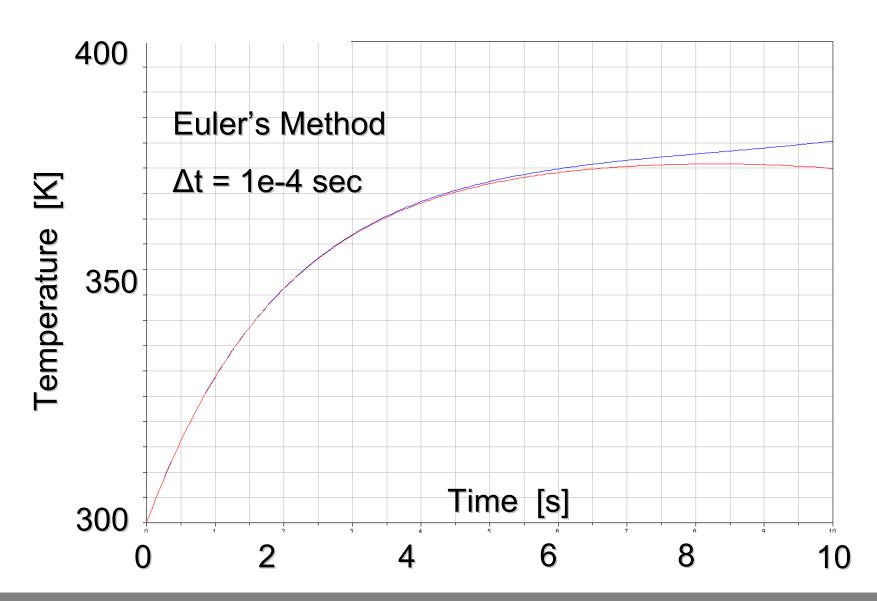
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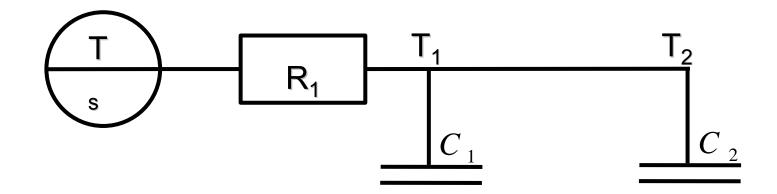
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Lumped Capacitors – Index Reduction

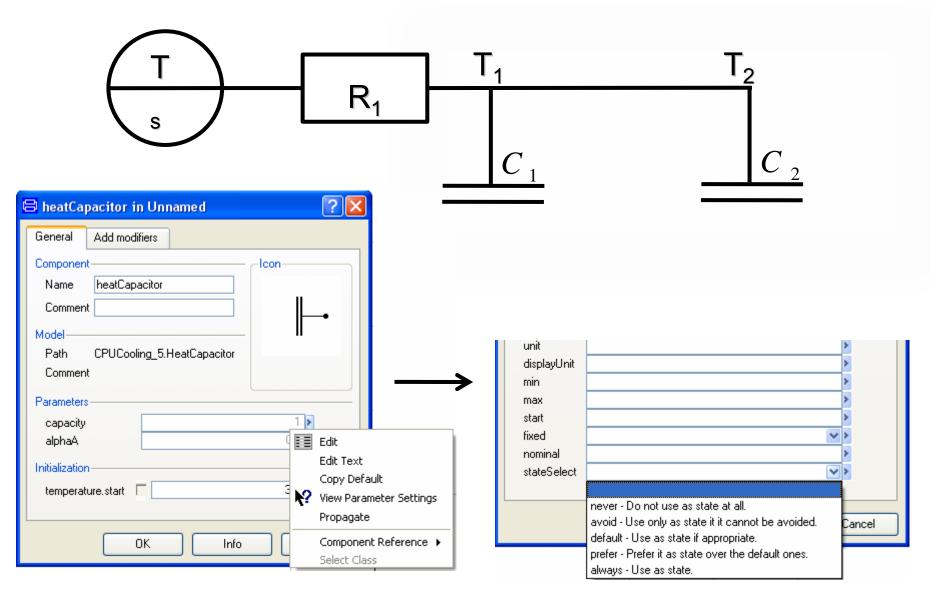




$$\frac{d}{dt} \left| Q_1 \right| = \frac{T_s - T_1}{R_1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left| Q_2 \right| = \frac{T_1 - T_2}{R_2}$$

Lumped Capacitors – State Selection



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Conclusion



Students typically have to learn thinking in objects
Students learn modelling in Modelica by

- Carefully selected didactical concepts
- Well assisted assignments
- Final projects

In thermo-fluid systems, good knowledge about numerical solving of DAE-Systems is necessary