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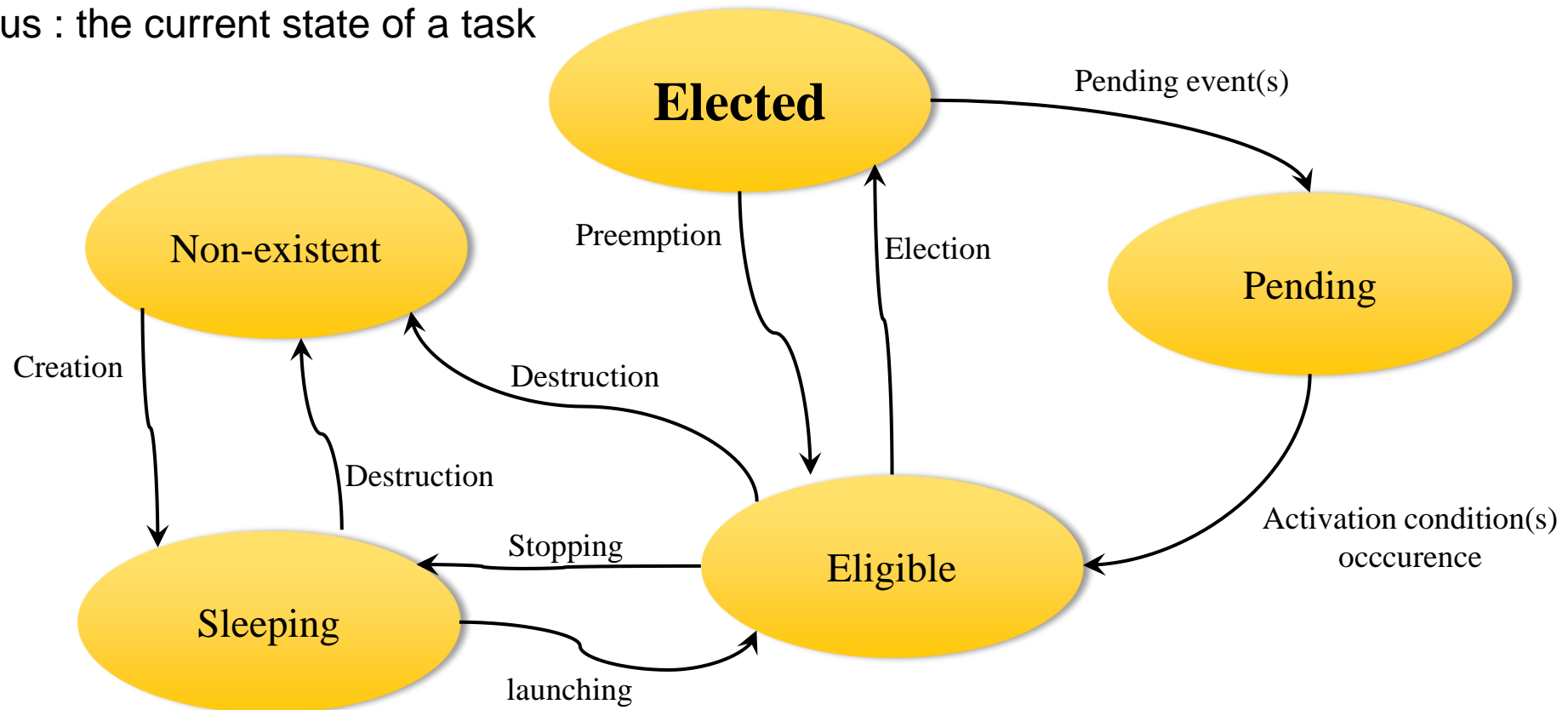
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1. Real Time Reminders

- » *Tasks*
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» Tasks Status

- Active task : the task being served by the CPU
- Tasks status : the current state of a task



» Tasks usage :

- May group one or several functions
- Is defined by :
 - An entry point
 - A relative priority with the other tasks
 - An identifier
- Usually an infinite loop
- Must contains at least one waiting point
- Main services used
 - Creation :
 - Starting :
- Destroyed by the RTOS

void My_Task()

(RT_TASK)

(rt_task_create)

(rt_task_start)

(rt_task_delete)

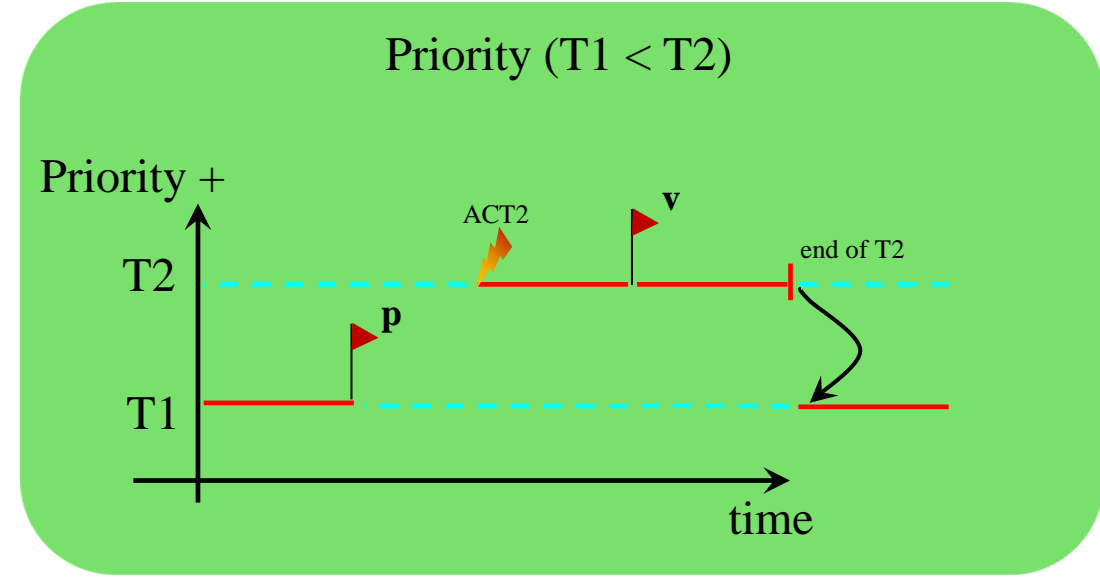
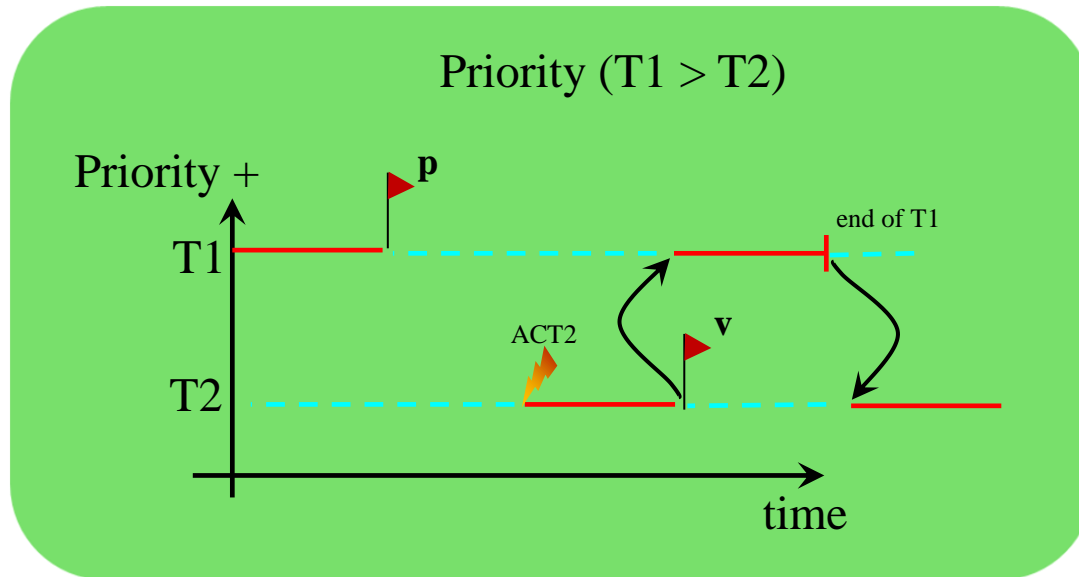
Binary Semaphores (1)

 Under Xenomai a binary semaphore is a counting semaphore initialized to 0.

- Used for synchronization between tasks
- Created and initialized by the RTOS *(rt_sem_create)*
- Is defined by :
 - An identifier *(RT_SEM)*
- Using 2 primitives :
 - 'v' : Verhogen (NL) : to increase *(rt_sem_v)*
 - 'p' : Proberen (NL) : to try *(rt_sem_p)*
- Is destroyed by the RTOS *(rt_sem_delete)*

Binary Semaphores (2)



» Binary semaphore behavior



T1 : Task #1

T2 : Task #2

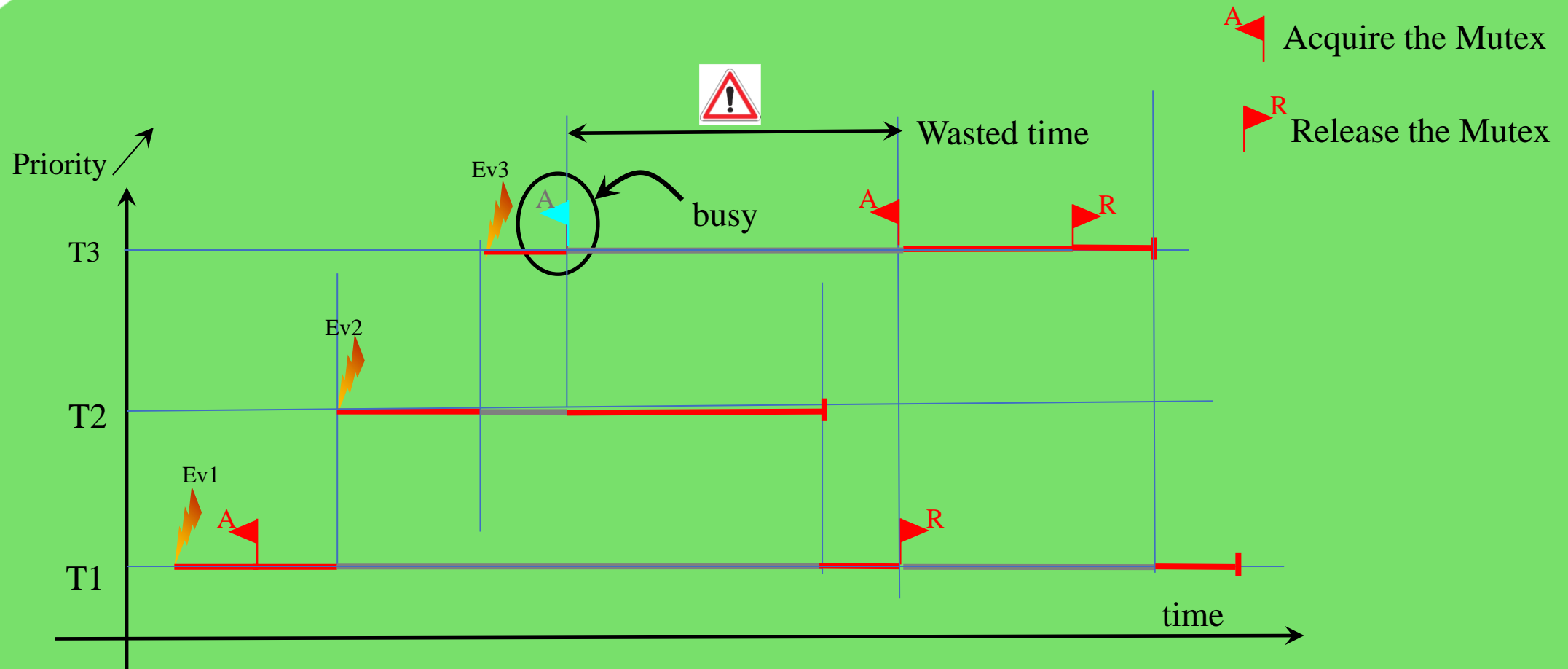
ACT2 : Activation condition for task T2

 : Pending on a semaphore
 : Semaphore donation

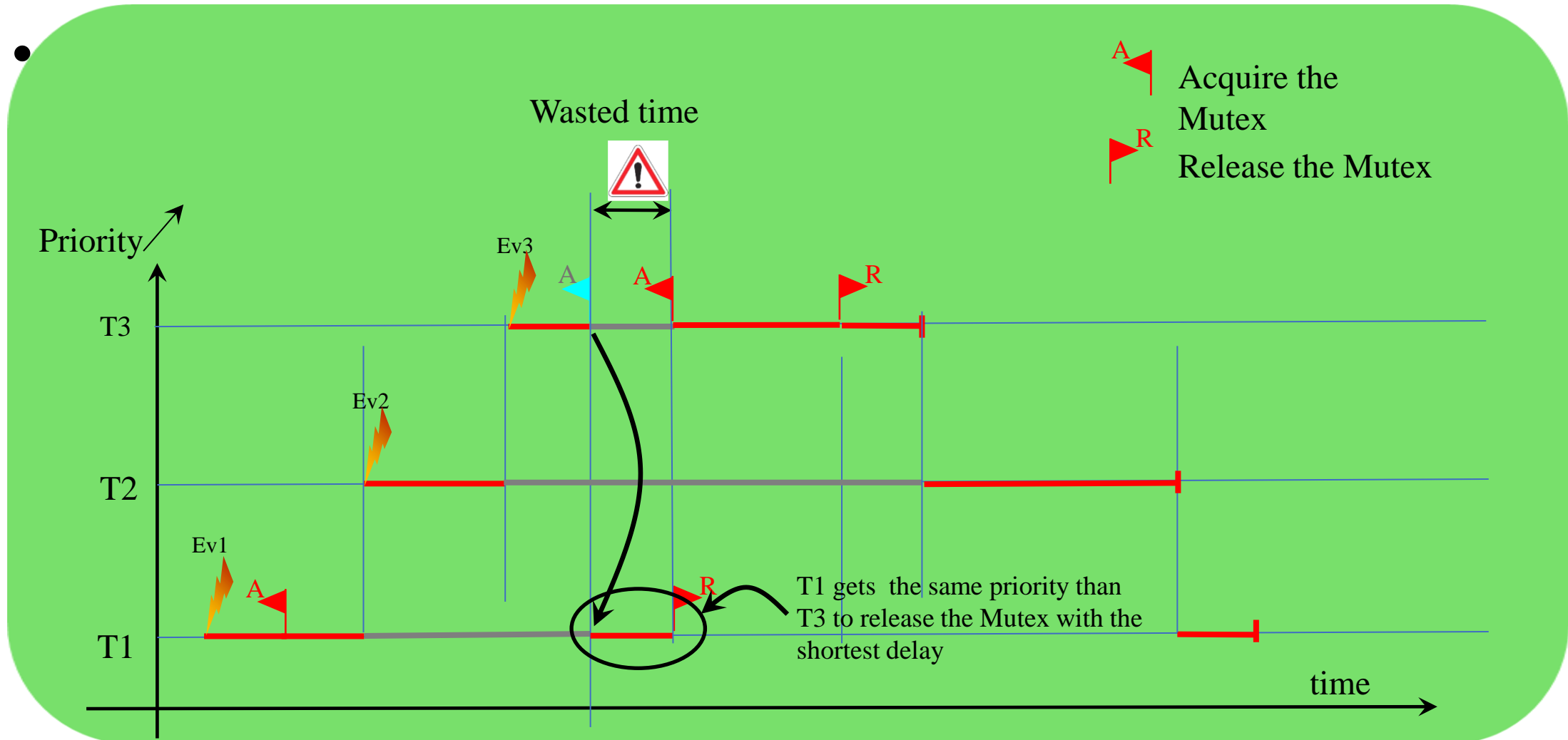
» Usage :

- Used to protect to :
 - Simultaneous Read/Write acces to a global variable
- Acces to a hardware ressource
- Created and initialized by the RTOS (*rt_mutex_create*)
- Is defined by an identifier : (*RT_MUTEX*)
- Uses 2 RTOS services :
 - Acquire : (*rt_mutex_acquire*)
 - Release : (*rt_mutex_release*)
- Destruction : (*rt_mutex_delete*)

» Mutex (*priority inversion*)

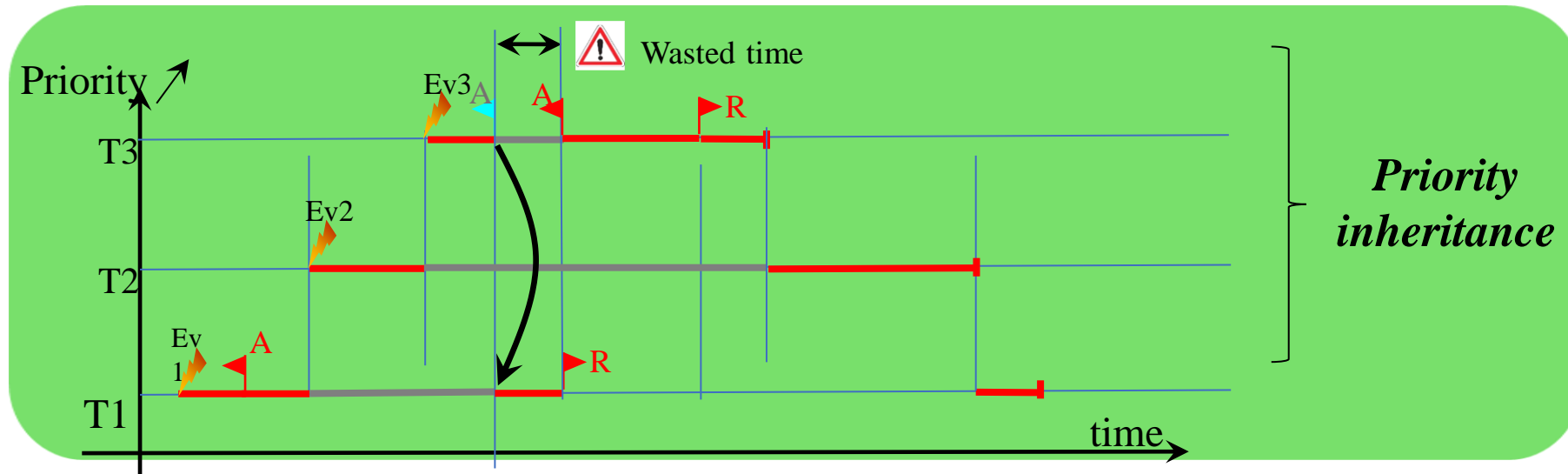
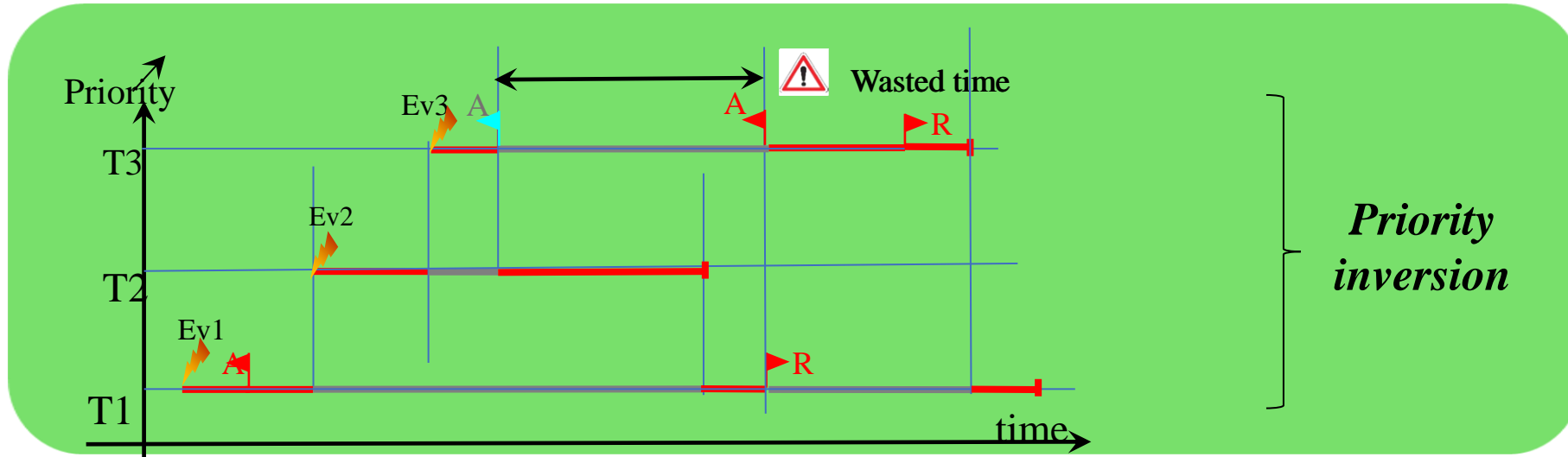


» Mutex (*priority inheritance*)



» Mutex (*management comparison*)

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Differences between Binary semaphore and Mutex

Binary semaphore



Mutex



- Inheritance
- Initial condition

• Usage :

→ For :

- Transfert datas between tasks
- Synchronize tasks

→ Can contains several messages

→ Created and initialized by the RTOS
(*rt_queue_create*)

→ A protection mechanism is incorporated

→ Is defined by

- An identifier : (*RT_QUEUE*)

→ The size of 1 message

→ The number of messages

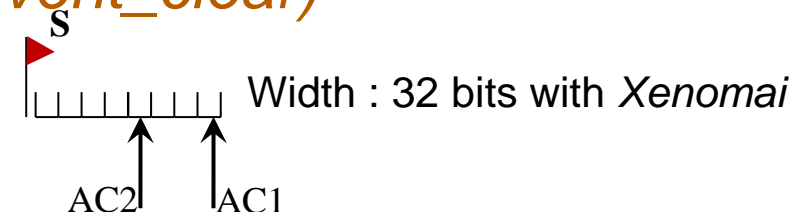
→ Uses 3 RTOS services :

- Write a message : (*rt_queue_write*)
- Read a message : (*rt_queue_read*)
- Know the message queue status : (*rt_queue_inquire*)

→ Destruction : (*rt_queue_delete*)

» Usage :

- Used to synchronize one or several tasks with one (or more) binary signal
- Created and initialized by the RTOS : *(rt_event_create)*
- Is defined by an identifier : *(RT_EVENT)*
- Uses 3 RTOS services :
 - Posting events signal : *(rt_event_signal)*
 - waits for one or more events : *(rt_event_wait)*
 - Clears an event mask : *(rt_event_clear)*
- Destruction : *(rt_event_delete)*



2. Xenomai API

- » *Tasks creation and destruction*
- » *Binary semaphores*
- » *Mutex*
- » *Message Queues*
- » *Signals*

Tasks prototypes (1)

rt_task_create: Create a new real-time task

Prototype function :

```
int rt_task_create(RT_TASK *task,
                  const char *name,
                  int stksize,
                  int prio,
                  int mode)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

ENOMEM : The system failed to get enough dynamic memory

EEXIST The name is already used by some registered object

EPERM This service was called from an asynchronous context

Parameters Description :

task : Task descriptor

name : ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the task

stksize : The size of the stack (in bytes) for the new task.. If zero is passed, a reasonable pre-defined size will be substituted

prio : The base priority of the new task. This value must range from [1 .. 99] (inclusive) where 1 is the lowest effective priority.

mode : T_FPU : allows the task to use the FPU
T_SUSP : causes the task to start in suspended mode
T_CPU : makes the new task affine to CPU
T_JOINABLE : allows another task to wait on the termination of the new task.

Example :

```
RT_TASK DescrTask1;

/* Create Task1 */

rt_task_create(& DescrTask1, ``MyTask``,0,9,T_FPU);
```


Tasks prototypes (2)

rt_task_start: Start a new real-time task.

Prototype function :

```
int rt_task_start(RT_TASK *  
task,  
void (*)(void  
*cookie) entry,  
void  
*cookie)
```

Returned values :

| | |
|---------------|---|
| <i>0</i> : | Is returned upon success |
| <i>EINVAL</i> | Is returned if <i>task</i> is not a task descriptor |
| <i>EIDRM</i> | Is returned if <i>task</i> is a deleted task descriptor |
| <i>EBUSY</i> | Is returned if <i>task</i> is already started |
| <i>EPERM</i> | This service was called from an asynchronous context |

Parameters Description :

| | |
|-----------------|--|
| <i>task</i> : | Task descriptor |
| <i>entry</i> : | The address of the task's body routine. In other words, it is the task entry point. : |
| <i>cookie</i> : | A user-defined opaque cookie the real-time kernel will pass to the emerging task as the sole argument of its entry |

Example :

```
RT_TASK DescrTask1;  
  
/* Start Task1 */  
  
rt_task_start(& DescrTask1 ,&tTask1, NULL)
```

Tasks prototypes (3)

rt_task_delete : Delete a real-time task

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_task_delete (RT_TASK * task)
```

Parameters Description :

task : Task descriptor

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *task* is not a task descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

EINTR : The task is in a safe section

EIDRM : The parameter *task* is a deleted task descriptor

Example :

```
RT_TASK DescrTask1;  
  
/* Destruction of Task1 */  
  
rt_task_delete(& DescrTask1);
```

Tasks prototypes (4)

rt_task_spawn: Spawn a new real-time task.

int rt_task_spawn (RT_TASK * task,

Prototype function :

const char

```
*          name,  
  
          stksize, int  
  
          prio, int  
  
          mode,
```

```
void(*) (void *cookie) entry,
```

Returned values :

void

0 : Is returned upon success

ENOMEM : The system failed to get enough dynamic memory

EEXIST The name is already used by some registered object

EPERM This service was called from an asynchronous context

Parameters Description :

task : Task descriptor

name : ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the task*

stksize : The size of the stack (in bytes) for the new task.. If zero is passed, a

prio : reasonable pre-defined size will be substituted

The base priority of the new task. This value must range from [1 .. 99] (inclusive) where 1 is the lowest effective priority.

mode : T_FPU : allows the task to use the FPU

T_SUSP : causes the task to start in suspended mode

T_CPU : makes the new task affine to CPU

T_JOINABLE : allows another task to wait on the termination of the new task.

entry The address of the task's body routine. In other words, it is the task entry point. :

cookie : A user-defined opaque cookie the real-time kernel will pass to the emerging task as the sole argument of its entry

Example :

```
RT_TASK DescrTask1;
```

```
/* Create and launch Task1 */
```

```
rt_task_spawn(& DescrTask1, " MyTask ", 0, 9, T_FPU, &tTask1, NULL);
```

Tasks prototypes (5)

rt_task_sleep : Delay the execution of the calling task

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_task_sleep (RTIME delay)
```

Returned values :

| | |
|--------------------|--|
| <i>0</i> | is returned upon success. |
| <i>EINTR</i> | is returned if <code>rt_task_unblock()</code> has been called for the sleeping task before the sleep time has elapsed. |
| <i>EWOULDBLOCK</i> | is returned if the system timer is inactive. |
| <i>EPERM</i> | is returned if this service was called from a context which cannot sleep |

Parameters Description :

delay : duration of suspension of the task in nano seconds

Example :

```
/* Pending 1 second delay */  
rt_task_sleep(1000000000);
```

Tasks prototypes (6)

rt_task_inquire : Return various information about the status of a given task.

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_task_inquire (RT_TASK          * task,  
                          RT_TASK_INFO * info)
```

Returned values :

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| <i>0</i> : | Is returned upon success |
| <i>EINVAL</i> : | Is returned if <i>task</i> is not a task descriptor |
| <i>EPERM</i> : | This service was called from an asynchronous context |
| <i>EIDRM</i> | Is returned if <i>task</i> is a deleted task descriptor |

Parameters Description :

task : Task descriptor

RT_TASK_INFO

Structure :

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <i>int bprio</i> | Base priority |
| <i>int cprio</i> | Current priority |
| <i>unsigned status</i> | Task's status |
| <i>RTIME relpoint</i> | Time of next release |
| <i>char name [NAME_LEN]</i> | Symbolic name assigned at creation |
| <i>RTIME exectime</i> | Execution time in primary mode in nanoseconds |
| <i>int modeswitches</i> | Number of primary → secondary mode switches |
| <i>int ctwswtiches</i> | Number of context swithces |
| <i>int pagefaults</i> | Number of trigered page faults |

Example :

```
RT_TASK Task1Descriptor;  
RT_TASK_INFO Infos;  
  
rt_task_inquire (&Task1Descriptor,&Infos);
```

Tasks prototypes (7)

rt_task_set_periodic : Make a real-time task periodic.

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_task_set_periodic (RT_TASK*  task,
                               RTIME      idate,
                               RTIME      period)
```

Returned values :

0 : is returned upon success.

EINVAL : is returned if *task* is not a task descriptor, or *period* is different from TM_INFINITE but shorter than the scheduling latency value for the target system, as available from /proc/xenomai/latenc..

EIDRM : is returned if *task* is a deleted task descriptor

ETIMEDOUT : is returned if *idate* is different from TM_INFINITE and represents a date in the past

EWOULDBLOCK : is returned if the system timer is not active.

EPERM is returned if *task* is NULL but not called from a task context.

Parameters Description :

task : The descriptor address of the affected task. This task is immediately delayed until the first periodic release point is reached. If *task* is NULL, the current task is set periodic

idate : The initial date of the first release point, expressed. If *idate* is equal to TM_NOW, the current system date is used, and no initial delay takes place..

Period : The period of the task, expressed in clock ticks. Passing TM_INFINITE attempts to stop the task's periodic timer;

Example :

```
rt_task_set_periodic(NULL, TM_NOW, 1000000); // activation each 1 ms
```

Tasks prototypes (8)

rt_task_wait_period : Wait for the next periodic release point.

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_task_wait_period ( unsigned long * overrun)
```

Returned values :

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| <i>0</i> : | is returned upon success. Otherwise |
| <i>EWOULDBLOCK</i> : | The service <code>rt_task_set_periodic()</code> has not previously been called for the calling task. |
| <i>EINTR</i> : | The <code>rt_task_unblock()</code> has been called for the waiting task before the next periodic release point has been reached. |
| <i>ETIMEDOUT</i> : | This value is is returned if a timer overrun occurred |
| <i>EPERM</i> : | This service was called from an asynchronous context. |

Parameters Description :

Overrun : must be a pointer to a memory location which will be written with the count of pending overruns. This value is copied only when *rt_task_wait_period* returns `-ETIMEDOUT` or success; the memory location remains unmodified otherwise. If `NULL`, this count will never be copied back

Example :

Pending a periodic activation. The period is defined when the service *rt_task_set_periodic* is called

```
rt_task_wait_period(NULL)
```

Binary semaphores prototypes (1)

rt_sem_create : Binary semaphore creation.

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_sem_create (RT_SEM *      sem,  
                        const char *  
name,  
                        unsigned long icount,  
                        int           mode)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

ENOMEM : The system failed to get enough dynamic memory

EEXIST : The name is already used by some registered object

EINVAL : is returned if the *icount* is non-zero and *mode* specifies a pulse semaphore.

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Parameters Description :

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| <i>sem</i> : | Semaphore descriptor |
| <i>name</i> : | ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the semaphore |
| <i>icount</i> : | The initial value of the semaphore count |
| <i>mode</i> : | S_FIFO : Makes tasks pend in FIFO order on the semaphore S_PRIO : Makes tasks pend in priority order on the semaphore. S_PULSE : Semaphore is not incremented if no waiter is pending |

Example :

```
RT_SEM mySemBin;  
  
rt_sem_create (&mySemBin, "SemX", 0, S_PULSE );
```


Binary semaphores prototypes (2)

rt_sem_delete : Binary semaphore destruction

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_sem_delete (RT_SEM * sem)
```

Parameters Description :

sem : Semaphore descriptor

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *sem* is not a semaphore descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *sem* is a deleted semaphore descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Example :

```
RT_SEM DescrSem1;  
  
/* Destruction of Semaphore1 */  
  
rt_sem_delete(& DescrSem1);
```

Bynary semaphores prototypes (3)

rt_sem_v : Binary semaphore donation

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_sem_v (RT_SEM * sem)
```

Parameters Description :

sem : Semaphore descriptor

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *sem* is not a semaphore descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *sem* is a deleted semaphore descriptor

Example :

```
RT_SEM DescrSem1;  
  
/* Semaphore donation */  
  
rt_sem_v(& DescrSem1);
```

Bynary semaphores prototypes (4)

rt_sem_p : Binary semaphore Pend on

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_sem_p (RT_SEM * sem,  
              RTIME  timeout)
```

Returned values :

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| <i>0</i> : | is returned upon success. Otherwise : |
| <i>EINVAL</i> | is returned if <i>sem</i> is not a semaphore descriptor |
| <i>EIDRM</i> : | is returned if <i>sem</i> is a deleted semaphore descriptor. |
| <i>EWOULDBLOCK</i> : | is returned if <i>timeout</i> is equal to <i>TM_NONBLOCK</i> and the semaphore value is zero |
| <i>EINTR</i> | is returned if <i>rt_task_unblock</i> has been called for the waiting task before a semaphore unit has become available. |
| <i>ETIMEDOUT</i> : | is returned if no unit is available within the specified amount of time |
| <i>EPERM</i> : | is returned if this service should block |

Parameters Description :

| | |
|------------------|--|
| <i>sem</i> : | Semaphore descriptor |
| <i>timeout</i> : | Delay to wait for a semaphore in nano second. Passing for timeout parameter : <i>TM_INFINITE</i> : Pending delay infinite. <i>TM_NONBLOCK</i> : No waiting if no unit is available. |

Example :

```
RT_SEM DescrSem1;  
  
/* Semaphore Pend on*/  
  
rt_sem_p(&DescrSem1, TM_INFINITE );
```

Mutex prototypes (1)

rt_mutex_create : Mutex creation.

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_mutex_create (RT_MUTEX *      MyMutex,  
                          const char *  
name)
```

Parameters Description :

MyMutex : Mutex descriptor

name : ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the mutex

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

ENOMEM : The system failed to get enough dynamic memory

EEXIST : The *name* is already used by some registered object

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Example :

```
RT_MUTEX myMutex;  
  
rt_mutex_create (&myMutex, "MutexX");
```

Mutex prototypes (2)

rt_mutex_delete : Mutex destruction

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_mutex_delete    ( RT_MUTEX * myMutex )
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *myMutex* is not a mutex descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *myMutex* is a deleted mutex descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Parameters Description :

myMutex : Mutex descriptor

Example :

```
RT_MUTEX myMutex;  
  
/* Destruction of Mutex*/  
  
rt_mutex_delete(&myMutex);
```

Mutex prototypes (3)

rt_mutex_acquire : Acquire a mutex

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_mutex_acquire (RT_MUTEX * myMutex,  
                       RTIME          timeout)
```

Parameters Description :

myMutex : Mutex descriptor

timeout: Delay to wait for the mutex in nano second.

Passing for timeout parameter :

TM_INFINITE : Pending delay infinite.

TM_NONBLOCK : No waiting if no unit is available.

Returned values :

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| <i>0</i> : | is returned upon success. Otherwise : |
| <i>EINVAL</i> | is returned if <i>myMutex</i> is not a semaphore descriptor |
| <i>EIDRM</i> : | is returned if <i>myMutex</i> is a deleted semaphore descriptor. |
| <i>EWOULDLOCK</i> : | <i>timeout</i> = TM_NONBLOCK and the mutex is not available |
| <i>EINTR</i> | is returned if <i>rt_task_unblock</i> has been called for the waiting task before the mutex has become available. |
| <i>ETIMEDOUT</i> : | is returned if the mutex cannot be made available to the calling task within the specified amount of time. |
| <i>EPERM</i> : | is returned if this service was called from a context which cannot be given the ownership of the mutex |

Example :

```
RT_MUTEX myMutex;  
  
/* Semaphore Pend on */  
  
rt_mutex_acquire (&myMutex, TM_INFINITE );
```

Mutex prototypes (4)

rt_mutex_release: Unlock mutex

Prototype function :

```
int rt_mutex_release (RT_MUTEX * myMutex)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *muMutex* is not a semaphore descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *myMutex* is a deleted mutex descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Parameters Description :

myMutex : Mutex descriptor

Example :

```
RT_MUTEX myMutex  
  
/* Mutex release */  
  
rt_mutex_release(&myMutex);
```

Mutex prototypes (5)

rt_mutex_inquire : Query mutex status

Prototype function :

```
int      rt_mutex_inquire (RT_MUTEX      *myMutex,  
                           RT_MUTEX_INFO *infos)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : Is returned if *mutex* is not a mutex descriptor

EIDRM : Is returned if *mutex* is a deleted mutex descriptor

Parameters Description :

task : Task descriptor

RT_MUTEX_INFO

Structure :

int *locknt*

lock nesting level (> 0 means "locked").

int *nwaiters*

Number of pending tasks

char *name* [*XNOBJECT_NAME_LEN*] Symbolic name.

Example :

```
RT_MUTEX      myMutex  
RT_MUTEX_INFO infos;
```

```
rt_mutex_inquire (&myMutex, &infos);
```


Message queues prototypes (1)

rt_queue_create: Message queue creation.

Prototype:

```
int rt_queue_create(  
    queue,  
    const char * name,  
    size_t  
    poolsize,  
    size_t  
    qlimit,  
    int
```

Returned values:

0 : Is returned upon success

EEXIST : The *name* is already in use by some registered object

EINVAL : Is returned if *poolsize* is null, greater than the system limit, or *name* is null or empty for a shared queue

ENOMEM : The name is already used by some registered object

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

ENOSYS : Returned if *mode* specifies Q_SHARED, but the real-time support in user-space is unavailable

ENOENT : is returned if /dev/rtheap can't be opened.

Parameters Description :

queue : Message queue descriptor

name : ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the task*

poolsize : The size (in bytes) of the message buffer pool which is going to be pre-allocated to the queue

qlimit : maximum number of messages which can be queued (max 255)

mode : The Queue cration mode :
Q_FIFO: makes tasks pend in FIFO order on the queue for consuming messages.
Q_PRIORITY: makes tasks pend in priority order on the queue
Q_SHARED: : causes the queue to be sharable between kernel and user-space tasks
Q_DMA: : auses the buffer pool associated to the queue to be allocated in physically contiguous memory

Example :



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Message queues prototypes (2)

rt_queue_create (continued)

Example :

```
#define BUFFER_SIZE 10

typedef struct
{
    double Elevation ;
    double Azimuth ;
} TypePosition ;

RT_QUEUE MyQueue;

rt_queue_create( &MyQueue,"queue1", BUFFER_ SIZE * sizeof(TypePosition), BUFFER_SIZE, Q_FIFO);
```

Message queues prototypes (3)

rt_queue_delete : Message queue destruction

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_queue_delete    (RT_QUEUE * queue)
```

Parameters Description :

queue : Message queue descriptor

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *queue* is not a queue descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *queue* is a deleted queue descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

EBUSY : Message queue is still bound to a process

Example :

```
RT_QUEUE myQueue;  
  
/* Destruction of myQueue */  
  
rt_queue_delete(&myQueue);
```

Message queues prototypes (4)

rt_queue_write : Write in a message queue.

Prototype function :

```
int rt_queue_write (RT_QUEUE * Queue,  
                   const void * buf,  
                   size_t size,  
                   int mode)
```

Example :

```
RT_QUEUE MyQueue;  
  
typedef struct  
{  
    double Elevation ;  
    double Azimuth ;  
} TypePosition ;  
  
TypePosition Position ;  
  
rt_queue_write(&MyQueue,&Position,sizeof(TypePosition),Q_NORMAL);
```

Parameters Description :

queue : Message queue descriptor

buf: The message data to be written to the queue

size : The size (in bytes) of a message data

mode : A set of flags affecting the operation
Q_NORMAL: Message added at the end of the queue
Q_URGENT: Message added at the lead of the queue (LIFO)
Q_BROADCAST: : send the message to all tasks currently waiting for messages

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *queue* is not a queue descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *queue* is a deleted queue descriptor

ENOMEM : Full queue

Message queues prototypes (5)

rt_queue_read : Read a message queue

Prototype function :

```
int rt_queue_read (RT_QUEUE * Queue,  
                  const void * buf,  
                  size_t size,  
                  RTIME timeout)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *Queue* is not a queue descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *Queue* is a deleted queue descriptor

EWOULDBLOCK : No message is immediately available on entry.
(*timeout* is equal to TM_NONBLOCK)

EINTR : `rt_task_unblock()` has been called for the waiting task before any data was available.

EPERM : Is returned if this service should block, but was called from a context which cannot sleep

Parameters Description :

queue : Message queue descriptor

buf : The message data to be written to the queue

size : The size (in bytes) of a message data

timeout : Pending delay on message queue (in nano seconds)
TM_NONBLOCK : returns immediately without waiting
TM_INFINITE : causes the caller to block indefinitely until some message is eventually available

Example :

```
RT_QUEUE MyQueue;  
  
typedef struct  
{  
    double Elevation ;  
    double Azimuth ;  
} TypePosition ;  
  
TypePosition Position ;  
rt_queue_read (&MyQueue,&Position,sizeof(TypePosition), TM_NONBLOCK);
```

Message queues prototypes (6)

rt_queue_inquire : Query message queue status

Prototype function :

```
int rt_queue_inquire (RT_QUEUE * Queue,  
                     RT_QUEUE_INFO * infos)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : Is returned if *Queue* is not a queue descriptor

EIDRM : Is returned if *Queue* is a deleted queue descriptor

Parameters Description :

Queue : Queue descriptor

RT_QUEUE_INFO

Structure

| | |
|--|--|
| int <i>nwaiters</i> ; | Number of pending tasks. |
| int <i>nmessages</i> ; | Number of queued messages. |
| int <i>mode</i> | Creation mode. |
| size_t <i>qlimit</i> ; | Queue limit |
| size_t <i>poolsize</i> ; | Size of pool memory (in bytes). |
| size_t <i>usedmem</i> ; | Amount of pool memory used (in bytes). |
| char <i>name</i> [XNOBJECT_NAME_LEN] ; | Symbolic name. |

Example :

```
RT_QUEUE_INFO Informations;  
RT_QUEUE MyQueue;
```

```
rt_queue_inquire(&MyQueue,&Informations);
```



The field *Informations.nmessages* contains the number of queued messages

Signals prototypes (1)

rt_event_create : Creates a signal group

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_event_create (RT_EVENT *   signal,
                      const char *  name,
                      unsigned long ivalue,
                      int            mode)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EEXIST : The *name* is already in use by some registered object

EPERM : Is returned if this service was called from an asynchronous context.

ENOMEM : Is returned if the system fails to get enough dynamic memory from the global real-time heap in order to register the signal group.

Parameters Description :

signal : Signal descriptor

name : An ASCII string standing for the symbolic name of the group

ivalue : The initial value of the group's signal mask.

mode : The event group creation mode

- *EV_FIFO* : makes tasks pend in FIFO order on the signal group.
- *EV_PRIO* : makes tasks pend in priority order on the signal group.

Example :

```
RT_EVENT mySignals;

rt_event_create(&mySignals, "Signals", 0, EV_FIFO);
```

Signals prototypes (1)

rt_event_delete : Deletes a signal group

Prototype function :

```
int rt_event_delete (RT_EVENT * signal)
```

Parameters Description :

signal : Signal descriptor

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *signal* is not a signal descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *signal* is a deleted signal descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Example :

```
RT_EVENT mySignals;  
  
/* Destruction of mySignals */  
rt_event_delete(&mySignals);
```


Signals prototypes (1)

rt_event_signal : Posts an event group

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_event_signal (RT_EVENT *  signal,
                      unsigned
                      long  mask)
```

Parameters Description :

signal : Signal descriptor

mask : Set of signal to be posted

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *signal* is not a signal descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *signal* is a deleted signal descriptor

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Example :

```
RT_EVENT mySignals;

#define    BIT(n)    (1<<n)
#define    EVENT_A  BIT(4)

/* Post EVENT_A (bit 4)*/

rt_event_signal(&mySignals, EVENT_A);
```

Signals prototypes (1)

rt_event_wait : Waits for one or more events on the specified event group

Prototype function :

```
int rt_event_wait(RT_EVENT *signal,
                  unsigned long mask,
                  unsigned long *mask_r,
                  int mode,
                  RTIME timeout)
```

Parameters Description :

signal : Signal descriptor

mask : The set of bits to wait for

mask_r : The value of the event mask at the time the task was readied

mode : The pend mode :

- EV_ANY : makes the task pend in disjunctive mode (i.e. OR)
- EV_ALL : makes the task pend in conjunctive mode (i.e. AND).

timeout : Pending delay

- TM_NONBLOCK : Returns immediately without waiting
- TM_INFINITE : Block indefinitely until the request is fulfilled

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *signal* is not a signal descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *signal* is a deleted signal descriptor

EWouldBLOCK : *timeout* is equal to TM_NONBLOCK and the current event mask value does not satisfy the request

EINTR : *rt_task_unblock()* has been called for the waiting task before the request has been satisfied.

ETIMEDOUT : the request has not been satisfied within the specified amount of time.

EPERM : This service was called from an asynchronous context

Example :



See next slide

Signals prototypes (1)

Example #1 :

```
RT_EVENT mySignals;

#define    BIT(n)      (1<<n)
#define    EVENT_A    BIT(4)
#define    EVENT_B    BIT(6)

unsigned long maskValue;

/*  Waits for EVENT_A and  EVENT_B  indefinitely */
rt_event_wait(&mySignals,EVENT_A | EVENT_B, &maskValue, EV_ALL, TM_INFINITE);
```

Example #2 :

```
unsigned long maskValue

/*  Waits for EVENT_A or  EVENT_B  indefinitely */
rt_event_wait(&mySignals, EVENT_A | EVENT_B, &maskValue, EV_ANY, TM_INFINITE);
```



The event bits are NOT cleared from the event group when a request is satisfied; `rt_event_wait()` will return immediately with success for the same event mask until ***rt_event_clear()*** is called to clear those bits.

```
rt_event_clear(&mySignals,EVENT_A | EVENT_B, NULL)
```

Signals prototypes (1)

rt_event_clear : Clears a set of signals from an event mask

Prototype function :

```
int  rt_event_clear (RT_EVENT *   signal,
                    unsigned
                    long    mask,
                    unsigned
                    long *    mask_r)
```

Returned values :

0 : Is returned upon success

EINVAL : The parameter *signal* is not a signal descriptor

EIDRM : The parameter *signal* is a deleted signal descriptor

Parameters Description :

signal : Signal descriptor

mask : The set of bits to clear

mask_r : If non-NULL, *mask_r* is the address of a memory location which will be written upon success with the previous value of the event group before the flags are cleared.

Example :

```
RT_EVENT mySignals;

#define    BIT(n)      (1<<n)
#define    EVENT_A    BIT(4)
#define    EVENT_B    BIT(6)

/*  Clears EVENT_A and  EVENT_B  */

rt_event_clear(&mySignals, EVENT_A | EVENT_B, NULL);
```

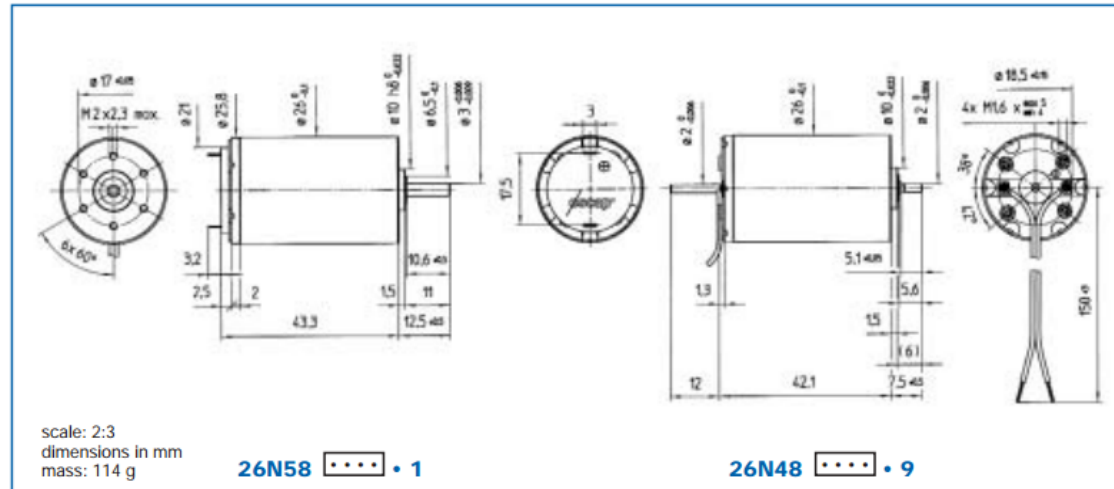
3. Platform Documentation

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escap 26N58 & 26N48

Precious metal commutation system - 9 segments

D.C. Motor
5.7 Watt



| Winding types | | | -216E | -110 |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------|
| Measured values | | | | |
| 1 | Measuring voltage | V | 12 | 24 |
| 2 | No-load speed | rpm | 4700 | 6700 |
| 3 | Stall torque | mNm (oz-in) | 28.6 (4.06) | 25 (3.54) |
| 4 | Average no-load current | mA | 16 | 12 |
| 5 | Typical starting voltage | V | 0.15 | 0.28 |
| Max. recommended values | | | | |
| 6 | Max. continuous current | A | 0.86 | 0.34 |
| 7 | Max. continuous torque | mNm (oz-in) | 20 (2.8) | 11 (1.56) |
| 8 | Max. angular acceleration | 10 ³ rad/s ² | 84 | 46 |
| Intrinsic parameters | | | | |
| 9 | Back-EMF constant | V/1000 rpm | 2.5 | 3.5 |
| 10 | Torque constant | mNm/A (oz-in/A) | 23.9 (3.38) | 33.5 (4.74) |
| 11 | Terminal resistance | ohm | 10 | 32 |
| 12 | Motor regulation R/k ² | 10 ³ /Nms | 17 | 29 |
| 13 | Rotor inductance | mH | 0.8 | 1.7 |
| 14 | Rotor inertia | kgm ² ·10 ⁻⁷ | 8.5 | 5.3 |
| 15 | Mechanical time constant | ms | 15 | 19 |

Current Sensor Datasheet

Current Transducer LTS 6-NP

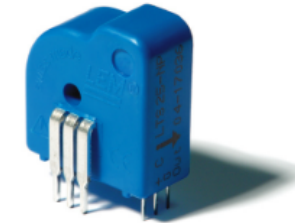
For the electronic measurement of currents: DC, AC, pulsed..., with galvanic separation between the primary circuit and the secondary circuit.



Electrical data

| | | | |
|------------|--|--|--------|
| I_{PN} | Primary nominal RMS current | 6 | At |
| I_{PM} | Primary current, measuring range | 0 ... ±19.2 | At |
| I_P | Overload capability | 250 | At |
| V_{out} | Output voltage (analog) @ I_P @ $I_P = 0$ | $2.5 \pm (0.625 \times I_P / I_{PN})$ 2.5 ¹⁾ | V V |
| G | Sensitivity | 104.16 | mV/A |
| N_S | Number of secondary turns (±0.1 %) | 2000 | |
| R_L | Load resistance | ≥ 2 | kΩ |
| R_{IM} | Internal measuring resistance (±0.5 %) | 208.33 | Ω |
| TCR_{IM} | Temperature coefficient of R_{IM} | < 50 | ppm/K |
| U_C | Supply voltage (±5 %) | 5 | V |
| I_C | Current consumption @ $U_C = 5$ V | Typical $28 + I_S^{(2)} (V_{out}/R_L)$ | mA |


$$I_{PN} = 6 \text{ At}$$



Features

- Closed loop (compensated) current transducer using the Hall effect
- Unipolar supply voltage
- Insulating plastic case recognized according to UL 94-V0
- Compact design for PCB mounting
- Incorporated measuring resistance
- Extended measuring resistance.

Gyroscope Datasheet

| | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|
|  | MPU-9250 Product Specification | Document Number: PS-MPU-9250A-01 Revision: 1.0 Release Date: 01/17/2014 |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|

3 Electrical Characteristics

3.1 Gyroscope Specifications

Typical Operating Circuit of section 4.2, VDD = 2.5V, VDDIO = 2.5V, T_A=25°C, unless otherwise noted.

| PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|---|------------------------------|-----|-------|------|-----------|
| Full-Scale Range | FS_SEL=0 | | ±250 | | °/s |
| | FS_SEL=1 | | ±500 | | °/s |
| | FS_SEL=2 | | ±1000 | | °/s |
| | FS_SEL=3 | | ±2000 | | °/s |
| Gyroscope ADC Word Length | | | 16 | | bits |
| Sensitivity Scale Factor | FS_SEL=0 | | 131 | | LSB/(°/s) |
| | FS_SEL=1 | | 65.5 | | LSB/(°/s) |
| | FS_SEL=2 | | 32.8 | | LSB/(°/s) |
| | FS_SEL=3 | | 16.4 | | LSB/(°/s) |
| Sensitivity Scale Factor Tolerance | 25°C | | ±3 | | % |
| Sensitivity Scale Factor Variation Over Temperature | -40°C to +85°C | | ±4 | | % |
| Nonlinearity | Best fit straight line; 25°C | | ±0.1 | | % |
| Cross-Axis Sensitivity | | | ±2 | | % |
| Initial ZRO Tolerance | 25°C | | ±5 | | °/s |
| ZRO Variation Over Temperature | -40°C to +85°C | | ±30 | | °/s |
| Total RMS Noise | DLPF_CFG=2 (92 Hz) | | 0.1 | | °/s-rms |
| Rate Noise Spectral Density | | | 0.01 | | °/s/√Hz |
| Gyroscope Mechanical Frequencies | | 25 | 27 | 29 | KHz |
| Low Pass Filter Response | Programmable Range | 5 | | 250 | Hz |
| Gyroscope Startup Time | From Sleep mode | | 35 | | ms |
| Output Data Rate | Programmable, Normal mode | 4 | | 8000 | Hz |

Table 1 Gyroscope Specifications

SERVO DUTY

SERIES E9

Dynapar™ brand

Miniature Encoder

Key Features

- Super-Compact Modular Encoder for Small Servo and Stepper Motor Feedback
- Integrated ASIC for Enhanced Reliability and Accuracy
- Up to 512 PPR Resolution



SPECIFICATIONS

STANDARD OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

Code: Incremental, Optical
Resolution: 100 to 512 PPR (pulses/revolution)
Symmetry: 180° ± 18° electrical
Index: 90° ± 36° electrical
Quadrature Phasing: 90° ± 18° electrical
Phase Sense: A leads B for CW shaft rotation
Format: See chart below (output waveform & connections)

ELECTRICAL

Input Power: 5 VDC ± 10%, 10mA, typ.
Output Signals: 2.5 V min. high (V_{OH});
0.5 V max. low (V_{OL}); 6 mA sink/source (25°C),
4 mA (100°C)

Frequency Response: 200 kHz
Termination: 5 pin header (accessory 12" wires
w/connector, part no. CA0050012) or flying leads
Recommended Mating Connector: AMP part
number 103675-4

MECHANICAL

Hub Diameter: 1/8", 5/32", 1.5mm ~ 4.0 mm
Hub Dia. Tolerance: +0.0004"/-0.0000"
(+0.010 mm/-0.000 mm)
Mating Shaft Length: See table
Mating Shaft Runout: 0.001 TIR
Mating Shaft Endplay: >256 ppr: ±0.003"
(±0.076mm); 250, 256 ppr: +0.005/-0.003"
(+0.127/-0.076mm); <250 ppr: +0.007/-0.003"
(+0.178/-0.076mm)

Moment of Inertia: 0.15 x 10⁻³ oz-in-sec²
(0.11 gm-cm²)
Housing and Cover: Plastic
Weight: 0.15 oz (4.14 g)

ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating Temperature: -20° to 100°C
Storage Temperature: -50° to 125°C
Humidity: Up to 90% (non-condensing)

OUTPUT WAVEFORMS & CONNECTIONS

Code 4= 00

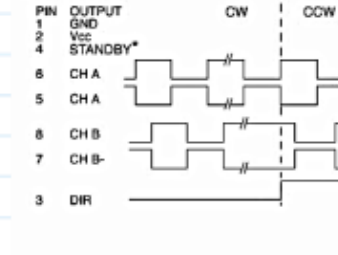


Figure 1

Code 4= 01

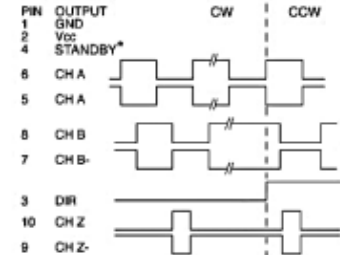


Figure 2

Code 4= 02

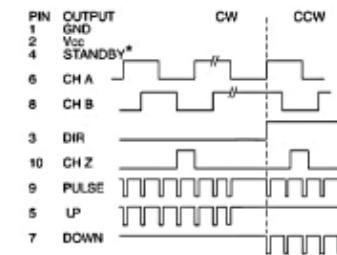


Figure 3

* For operation, connect **STANDBY (4)** to **Vcc (2)**

| Code 1: Model | Code 2: PPR | Code 3: Hub Bore | Description | Code 4: Output | Description | Code 5: Mounting | Description |
|----------------------|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--|
| E9 | □□□□ | □□□ | | □□ | | □ | |
| Ordering Information | | | | | | | |
| E9 | 0.9" Diameter Incremental Modular Encoder | 0100 0144 0200 0500 0512 | 2.0 2.5 3.0 4.0 | 2.0 mm 2.5 mm 3.0 mm 4.0 mm | 00 See Figure 1 01 See Figure 2 02 See Figure 3 | 0 A C D E | No mounting base 4x M1.6 on 0.728" BC 2x #2-56 on 0.75" BC 3x #0-80 on 0.823" BC 2x #2-56 On 1.812" BC |
| | | Special Order Consult Factory for Lead Time & Price | 125 0.125 in 156 0.156 in | | | | |
| | | 0256 0300 0360 | Special Order Consult Factory for Lead Time & Price 1.5 1.5 mm | | | | |

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