

# STATE MACHINES

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# Programming is hard

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- Release Schedules
- Maintainability
- Social Awareness
- Business requirements
- User Experience
- Debugging
- Team Knowledge Sharing
- Documentation

- Supportability
- Upgrade/Downgrade path
- Backups/Restore/DR
- ABI/API stability
- Performance
- Terrible Language Limitations
- Third Party Libraries?
- Robustness (Will it crash?)
  - Security (Will it be hax?)

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# robust adjective

ro·bust | \ rō-'bəst , 'rō-(,)bəst\

**c** : strongly formed or constructed : STURDY

*// a robust plastic*

**d** : capable of performing without failure under a wide range of conditions

*// robust software*

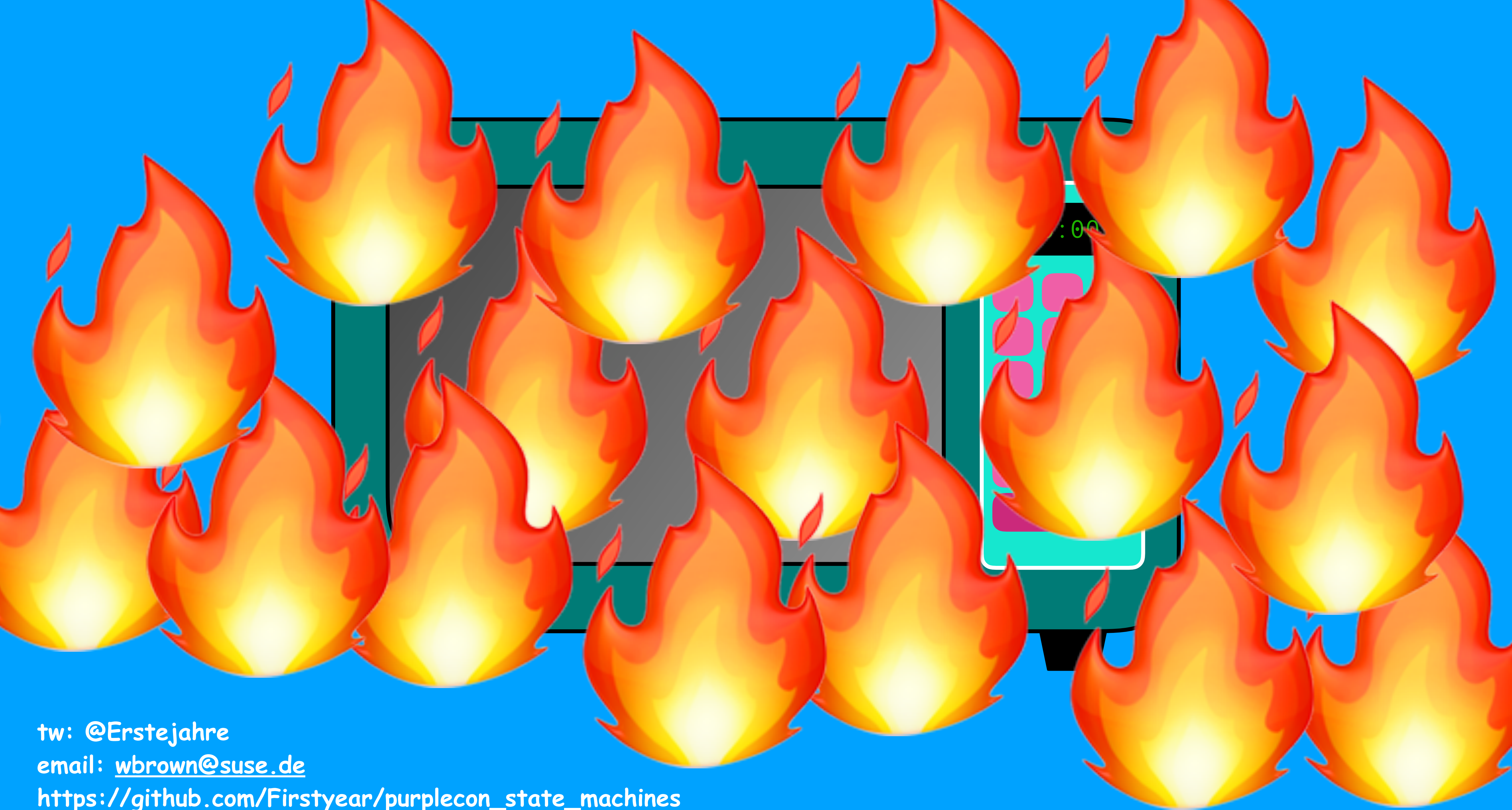
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# The Naivewave

```
struct Microwave {  
    door_open: bool,  
    // This is an excellent example of why you always use  
    // positive language in booleans, rather than negatives :)  
    magnetron_disabled: bool,  
    time_remain: usize,  
}  
  
impl MicrowaveOps for Microwave {  
    fn new() -> Self {  
        Microwave {  
            door_open: false,  
            magnetron_disabled: true,  
            time_remain: 0,  
        }  
    }  
}
```

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```
fn action_start(&mut self) {  
    // Bug 1 – I legit forgot to check this condition before starting ...  
    if self.door_open == true {  
        return;  
    }  
}
```



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```
fn tick(&mut self) {  
    // bug 2 - was not disabling mtron when time went to 0 due to incorrect if stmt.  
    if !self.magnetron_disabled {  
        if self.time_remain > 0 {  
            self.time_remain -= 1;  
        }  
        // The tick has decremented, what's our new time?  
        if self.time_remain == 0 {  
            self.magnetron_disabled = true;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

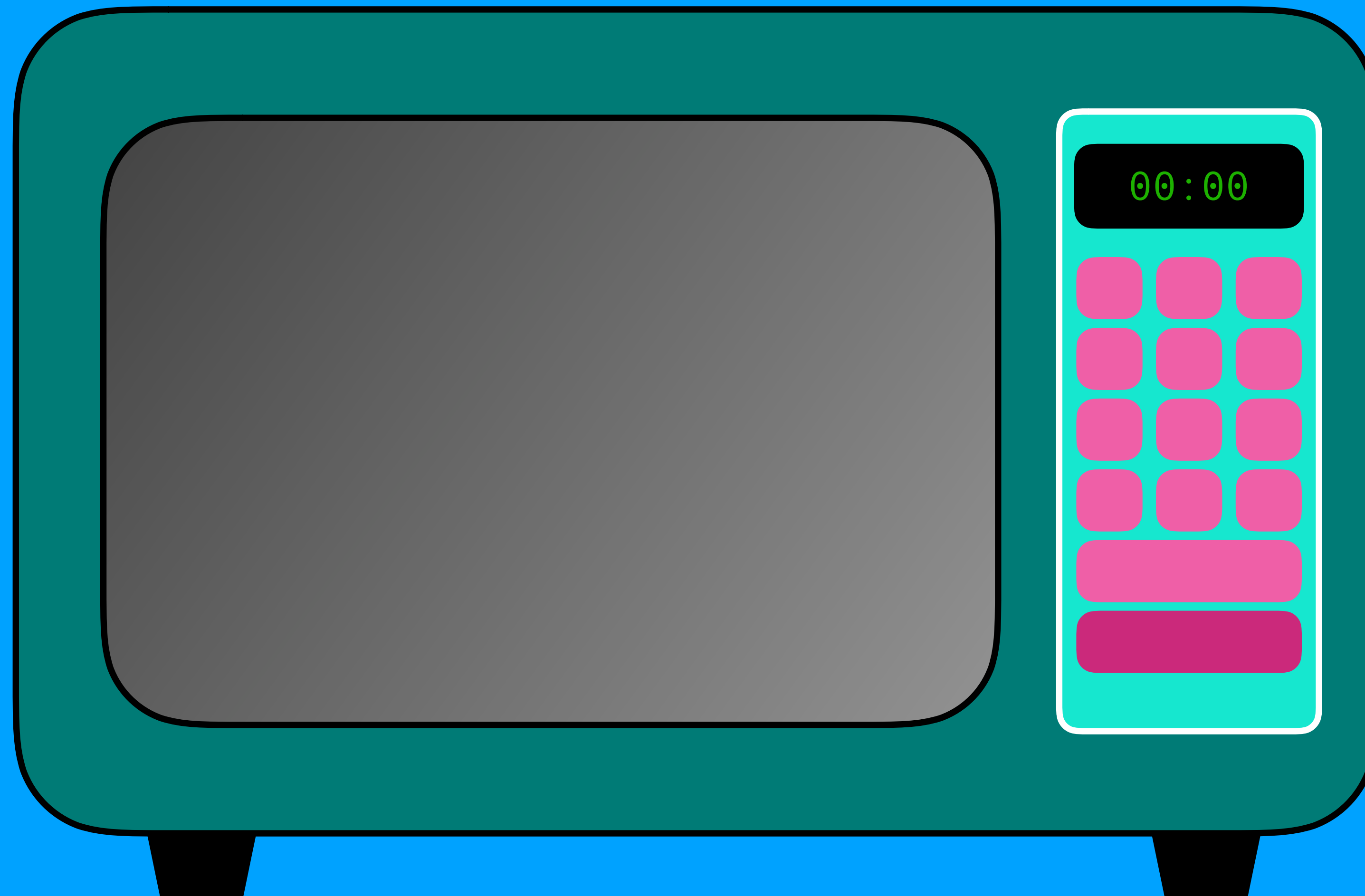
```
// bug 2 - I was adding time, but not disabling mtron, leading to this  
// refactor.  
if self.magnetron_disabled == false {  
    // we are running  
    self.time_remain += 30  
} else {  
    // not running, so start  
    self.magnetron_disabled = false;  
    if self.time_remain == 0 {  
        self.time_remain = 30;  
    }  
}
```

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# The Stateful-wave

- Door Open - No Time Set
- Door Open - Time Set
- Door Close - No Time Set
- Door Close - Time Set
- Door Close - Time Set, Magnetron - cooking

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	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON
open door	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	OPEN_TIME
close door	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON
set time	OPEN_TIME	OPEN_TIME	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON
stop	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_NOTIME	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON
start	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON
one second elapses	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	CLOSED_NOTIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	CLOSED_TIME_MTRON CLOSED_NOTIME_MTRON

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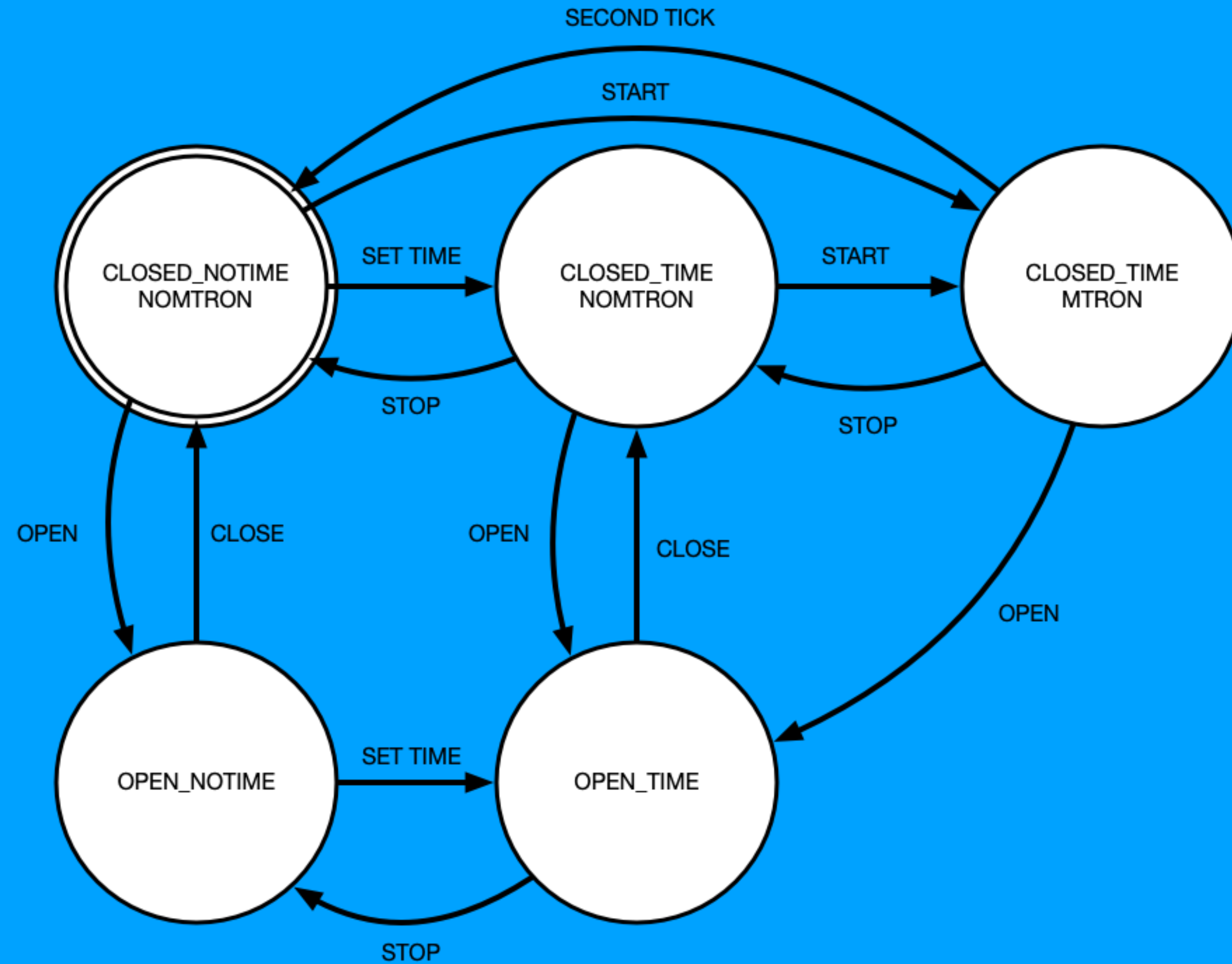
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open door	-	-	OPEN_NOTIME	OPEN_TIME	OPEN_TIME
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set time	OPEN_TIME	-	CLOSED_TIME_NOMTRON	-	-
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# Rust!

```
#[derive(Clone, Copy)]
enum MicrowaveState {
    OpenNoTime,
    OpenTime(usize),
    ClosedNoTimeNoMtron,
    ClosedTimeNoMtron(usize),
    ClosedTimeMtron(usize),
}
```

```
fn action_start(&mut self) {
    self.state = match self.state {
        MicrowaveState::ClosedNoTimeNoMtron => MicrowaveState::ClosedTimeMtron(30),
        MicrowaveState::ClosedTimeNoMtron(t) => MicrowaveState::ClosedTimeMtron(t),
        MicrowaveState::ClosedTimeMtron(t) => MicrowaveState::ClosedTimeMtron(t + 30),
        s => s,
    }
}
```

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# Get into the C

```
typedef enum _microwave_state_t {  
    MS_CLOSEDNOTIME = 0,  
    MS_OPENTIME = 1,  
    MS_OPENNOTIME = 2,  
    MS_CLOSEDTIMENOMTRON = 3,  
    MS_CLOSEDTIMEMTRON = 4,  
} microwave_state;
```

```
void  
action_start_microwave(struct microwave *mwave) {  
    switch(mwave->state) {  
        case MS_CLOSEDNOTIME:  
            mwave->state = MS_CLOSEDTIMEMTRON;  
            mwave->time = 30;  
            break;  
        case MS_CLOSEDTIMENOMTRON:  
            mwave->state = MS_CLOSEDTIMEMTRON;  
            break;  
        case MS_CLOSEDTIMEMTRON:  
            mwave->time += 30;  
            break;  
        default:  
            break;  
    }  
}
```

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# Other Approaches - Rust compiled

```
#[derive(Debug)]
struct OpenNoTime;
#[derive(Debug)]
struct OpenTime { t: usize }
#[derive(Debug)]
struct ClosedNoTimeNoMtron;
#[derive(Debug)]
struct ClosedTimeNoMtron { t: usize }
#[derive(Debug)]
struct ClosedTimeMtron { t: usize }

#[derive(Debug)]
struct Microwave<STATE> {
    state: STATE
}
```

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```
impl Microwave<OpenTime> {  
    fn magnetron_enabled(&self) -> bool {  
        false  
    }  
  
    fn action_close_door(self) -> Microwave<ClosedTimeNoMtron> {  
        Microwave {  
            state: ClosedTimeNoMtron { t: self.state.t }  
        }  
    }  
  
    fn action_set_time(self, t: usize) -> Self {  
        Microwave {  
            state: OpenTime { t: t }  
        }  
    }  
  
    fn action_stop(self) -> Microwave<OpenNoTime> {  
        Microwave {  
            state: OpenNoTime  
        }  
    }  
}
```

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```
let mut mw: Microwave<ClosedNoTimeNoMtron> = Microwave::new();  
let mut mw: Microwave<OpenNoTime> = mw.action_open_door();  
let mut mw: Microwave<OpenTime> = mw.action_set_time(25);  
let mut mw: Microwave<ClosedTimeNoMtron> = mw.action_close_door();  
let mut mw: Microwave<ClosedTimeNoMtron> = mw.action_set_time(35);  
let mut mw: Microwave<OpenTime> = mw.action_open_door();
```

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# Option, Null, Bool, Int ... are states too!

- Some(T), None
- NULL, anything else
- true, false
- 0, 1,  $\infty$

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```
some_function(a: bool, b: Option<T>, c: usize) {  
    // How many possible states?  
}
```

```
some_function(a: bool, b: Option<T>, c: usize) {  
    if !a || b.is_none() || c == 0 {  
        return;  
    }  
    // do literally anything  
}
```

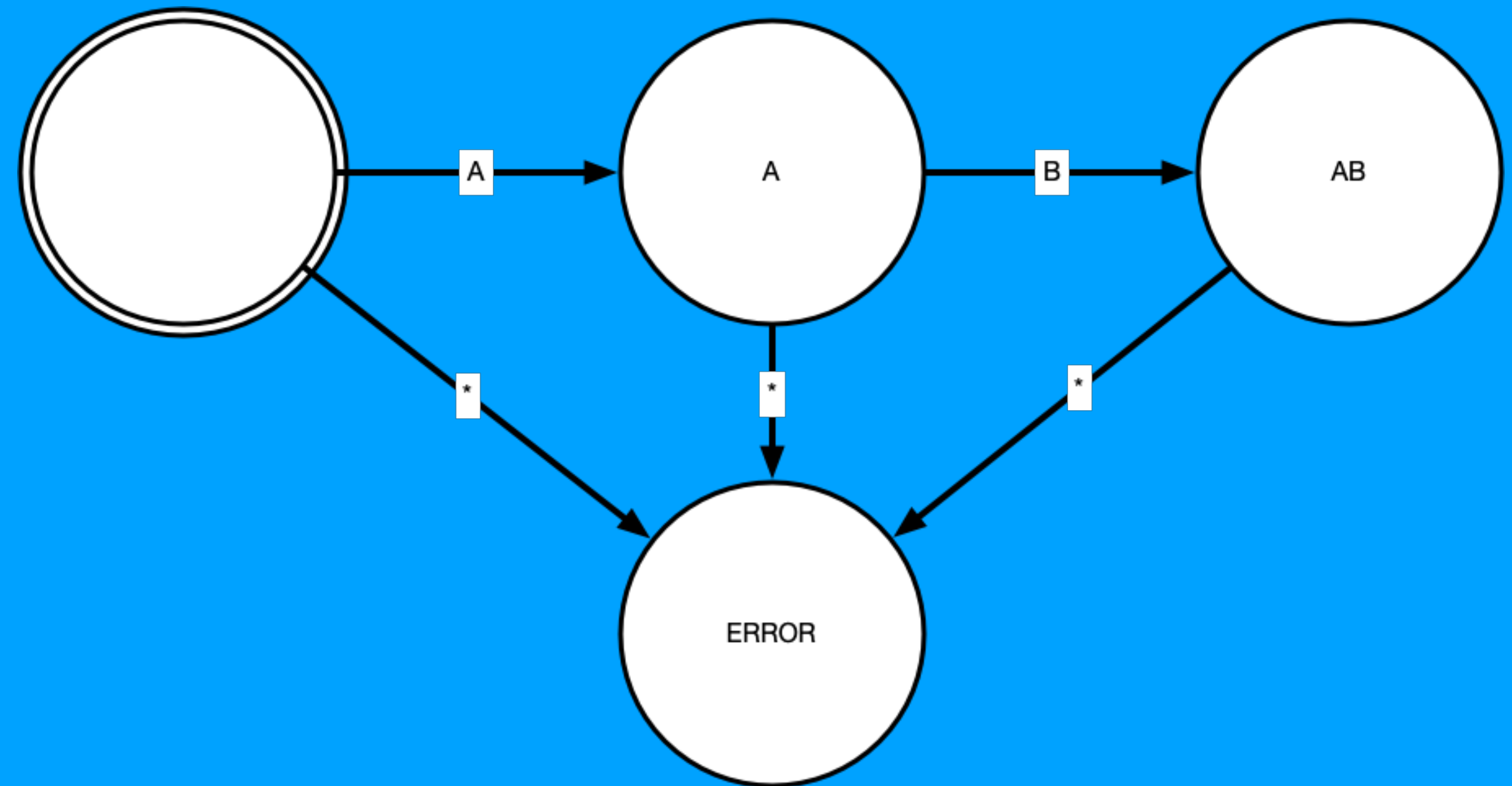
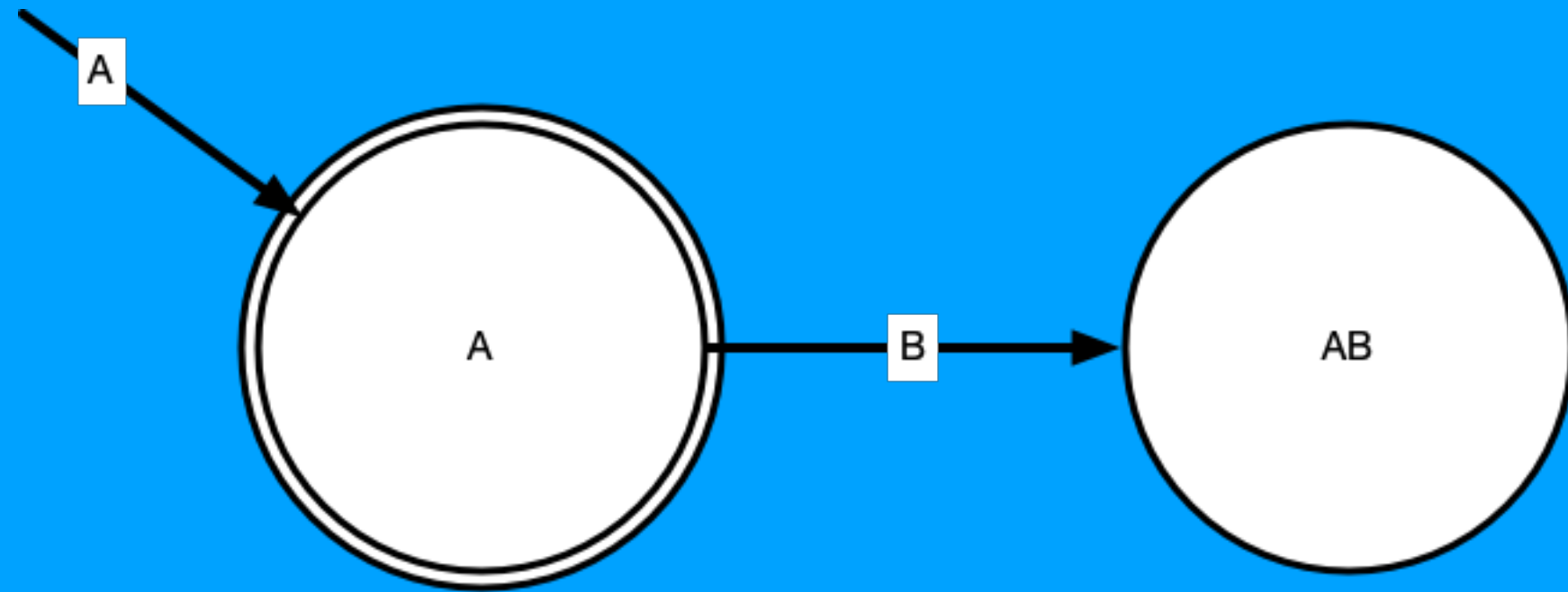
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# DFA or NFA?



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## ✨ STATE MACHINES ✨

State machines are a way of modeling event driven systems to allow reasoning and analysis of their behaviours and properties.

### How to use these resources?

Read and follow this README - throughout we will reference the code in the various subdirectories.

These programs are all writing in Rust or C. It's not necessary to run the tests to value from this - reading the code is sufficient.

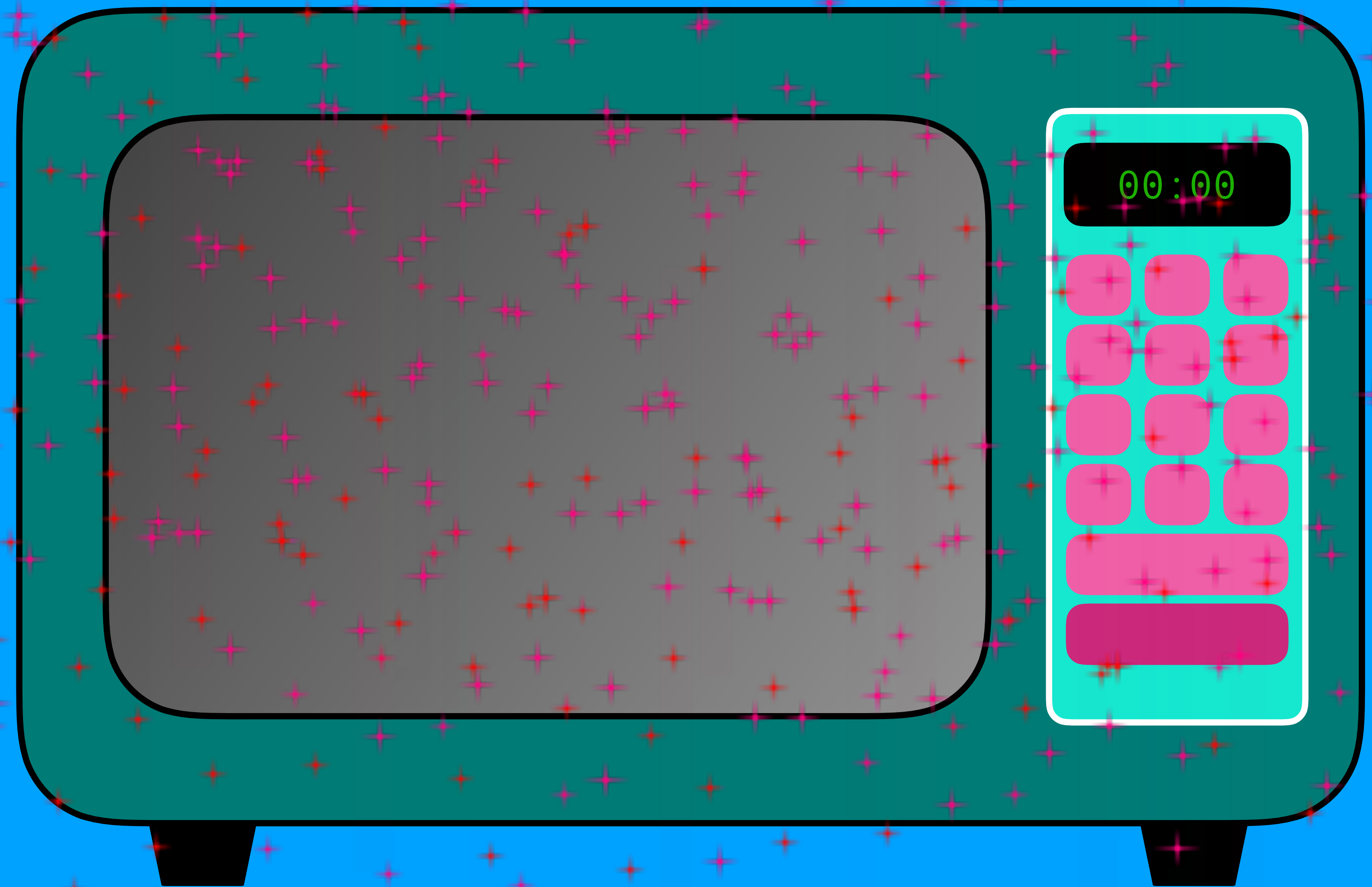
If you want to run the tests however, all examples are managed by cargo (even the C examples). Please follow your platforms guide for "rustup" to setup a compatible environment. Once you have Rust working, you can run the tests in each subfolder with:

```
cd <name>  
cargo test
```

An example is:

```
cd rust_microwave_simple  
cargo test
```

### Event Driven Systems



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