Fault Responses Generator

Autocoder User Guide

1 Description

The purpose of this generator is to provide a user friendly way of defining the command responses to system faults handled by the Fault Correction component. The generator takes a YAML model file as input which specifies fault, the command response (and associated command arguments) and some configuration parameters for handling the fault response.

Note the example shown in this documentation is used in the unit test of this component so that the reader of this document can see it being used in context. Please refer to the unit test code for more details on how this generator can be used.

2 Schema

The following pykwalify schema is used to validate the input YAML model. The schema is commented to show what each of the available YAML keys are and what they accomplish. Even without knowing the specifics of pykwalify schemas, you should be able to gleam some knowledge from the file below.

```
# This schema describes the yaml format for a set of fault responses.
2
    type: map
3
    mapping:
4
      # Many "with" dependencies are automatically deduced and included by
5
      # the generator. If you want to manually add a "with" statement, you
6
      # can list the names of the packages here. This can be useful if you need
      # to include a package that declares an enumeration used in a command
      # argument.
      with:
10
        seq:
11
12
          - type: str
        required: False
13
      # Description of the fault response set.
14
      description:
15
        type: str
16
        required: False
17
        List of fault responses to include
18
      fault_responses:
19
20
        seq:
          - type: map
            mapping:
22
               # The name of the fault in the form
               → Component Instance Name. Fault Name. This gets translated
               # to a Fault_Id type internally.
24
              fault:
25
                type: str
26
                required: True
27
               # Latching flag. When True, an incoming fault will cause a command
28
               → response to be sent only once
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# until the latch is cleared via ground command. When False, a
29
               \hookrightarrow command response is sent every time
               # a fault of this ID is received.
30
               latching:
31
                 type: bool
32
                 required: True
33
               # Startup state. When enabled, the fault response is enabled at
34
               \rightarrow startup. When disabled, the fault
               # response is disabled at startup.
               startup_state:
                 type: str
                 enum: ['enabled', 'disabled']
38
                 required: True
39
               # The name of the command response in the form
40
               → Component_Instance_Name.Command_Name. This gets
               # translated into a Command.T type internally.
41
               command_response:
42
                 type: str
43
                 required: True
44
               # The argument to serialize into the command response. This is
               → required if the command response
               # includes command arguments. The argument should be supplied in the
46
                   "(Name_1 => Value_1, Name_2 => Value_2, etc.)"
47
               # Where the names and values fill in the command argument packed
48
               → record type.
               command_arg:
49
                 type: str
50
                 required: False
51
               # Description of the fault response.
52
               description:
                 type: str
                 required: False
55
        # A sequence store must have at least one slot.
56
        range:
57
          min: 1
58
        required: True
59
```

3 Example Input

The following is an example fault responses input yaml file. Model files must be named in the form <code>optional_name.assembly_name.fault_responses.yaml</code> where <code>optional_name</code> is the specific name of the fault response set and is only necessary if there is more than one Fault Correction component instances in an assembly. The <code>assembly_name</code> is the assembly which the fault responses will be used, and the rest of the model file name must remain as shown. Generally this file is created in the same directory or near to the assembly model file. This example adheres to the schema shown in the previous section, and is commented to give clarification.

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# Set the fault responses description.

description: This is an example fault response table for the Fault Correction

unit test.

# Below is the set of responses as specified by the user.

fault_responses:

fault_responses:

fault: Component_A.Fault_1

latching: False

startup_state: enabled
```

```
command_response: Component_A.Command_1
9
        description: The fault response for Component A Fault 1.
10
      - fault: Component_A.Fault_2
11
        latching: True
12
        startup_state: enabled
13
        command_response: Component_A.Command_2
14
        command_arg: "(0, 0)" # Sys_Time.T
15
        description: The fault response for Component A Fault 2.
16
17
        fault: Component_B.Fault_3
18
        latching: True
19
        startup_state: enabled
        command_response: Component_B.Command_3
20
        command_arg: "(Value => 18)" # Packed_U32.T
21
        description: The fault response for Component B Fault 3.
22
      - fault: Component_B.Fault_1
23
        latching: False
24
        startup_state: disabled
25
        command_response: Component_C.Command_1
26
        description: The fault response for Component B Fault 1.
27
      - fault: Component_C.Fault_1
        latching: False
29
        startup_state: disabled
30
        command_response: Component_B.Command_1
31
        description: The fault response for Component C Fault 1.
32
```

As can be seen, specifying the fault responses consists of listing the faults and corresponding command responses. Each fault may be enabled or disable at startup. Each fault may be configured as latching (meaning a command response is only sent out the first time that fault has been received by that component) and non-latching (meaning a command response is sent out each time a fault is received by the component. A latched fault can be cleared by command in the Fault Correction component.

4 Example Output

The example input shown in the previous section produces the following Ada output. The Fault_Response_List variable should be passed into the Fault Correction component's Init procedure during assembly initialization.

The main job of the generator in this case was to verify the input YAML for validity and then to translate the data to an Ada data structure for use by the component.

```
with Packed_U32;
13
14
    -- This is an example fault response table for the Fault Correction unit test.
15
    package Test_Assembly_Fault_Responses is
16
17
18
      -- The fault responses.
19
20
      -- Fault response configuration definition for Component_A.Fault_1:
22
      -- The fault response for Component A Fault 1.
23
      Component_A_Fault_1_Response : constant
24
       → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config := (
        -- Set fault ID for Component_A.Fault_1:
25
        Id \Rightarrow 1,
26
27
        Latching => Non_Latching,
28
        -- Set startup state:
29
        Startup_State => Enabled,
30
        -- Set command response as Component_A.Command_1:
        Command_Response => (
          Header => (
33
            Source_Id => 0,
34
            Id \Rightarrow 1,
35
            Arg_Buffer_Length => 0
36
          ) ,
37
          Arg_Buffer => (
38
            others => 0
39
40
      );
42
43
      -- Fault response configuration definition for Component_A.Fault_2:
44
      -- The fault response for Component A Fault 2.
45
      Component_A_Fault_2_Response : constant
46
       → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config := (
        -- Set fault ID for Component_A.Fault_2:
47
        Id => 2,
48
        -- Set latching configuration:
49
        Latching => Latching,
50
        -- Set startup state:
        Startup_State => Enabled,
52
        -- Set command response as Component_A.Command_2:
53
        Command_Response => (
54
          Header => (
55
            Source_Id => 0,
56
            Id => 2,
57
            Arg_Buffer_Length => 8
58
59
          Arg_Buffer => (
60
            Sys_Time.Serialization.To_Byte_Array ((0, 0)) &
             (0 .. Command_Types.Command_Arg_Buffer_Type'Length -
             → Sys_Time.Size_In_Bytes - 1 => 0)
63
        )
64
      );
65
66
      -- Fault response configuration definition for Component_B.Fault_3:
67
      -- The fault response for Component B Fault 3.
68
      Component_B_Fault_3_Response : constant
      → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config := (
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```
-- Set fault ID for Component_B.Fault_3:
70
         Id \Rightarrow 6,
71
         -- Set latching configuration:
72
         Latching => Latching,
73
74
         Startup_State => Enabled,
75
           - Set command response as Component_B.Command_3:
76
77
         Command_Response => (
           Header => (
             Source_Id => 0,
79
             Id => 6,
80
             Arg_Buffer_Length => 4
81
           ) .
82
           Arg_Buffer => (
83
             Packed_U32.Serialization.To_Byte_Array ((Value => 18)) &
84
             (0 .. Command_Types.Command_Arg_Buffer_Type'Length -
85
              → Packed_U32.Size_In_Bytes - 1 => 0)
86
87
       );
89
       -- Fault response configuration definition for Component_B.Fault_1:
90
       -- The fault response for Component B Fault 1.
91
       Component_B_Fault_1_Response : constant
92
       → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config := (
         -- Set fault ID for Component_B.Fault_1:
93
94
         -- Set latching configuration:
95
         Latching => Non_Latching,
96
         -- Set startup state:
         Startup_State => Disabled,
         -- Set command response as Component_C.Command_1:
         Command_Response => (
100
           Header => (
101
             Source_Id => 0,
102
             Id => 7,
103
             Arg_Buffer_Length => 0
104
           ),
105
           Arg_Buffer => (
106
             others => 0
107
109
110
       );
111
       -- Fault response configuration definition for Component_C.Fault_1:
112
       -- The fault response for Component C Fault 1.
113
       Component_C_Fault_1_Response : constant
114
       → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config := (
          - Set fault ID for Component_C.Fault_1:
115
         Id => 7,
116
          -- Set latching configuration:
         Latching => Non_Latching,
          - Set startup state:
         Startup_State => Disabled,
120
         -- Set command response as Component_B.Command_1:
121
         Command_Response => (
122
           Header => (
123
             Source_Id => 0,
124
             Id => 4,
125
             Arg_Buffer_Length => 0
126
127
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```
Arg_Buffer => (
128
            others => 0
129
130
131
      );
132
133
134
135
       -- The fault response configuration list:
137
      Fault_Response_List : constant
       → Fault_Correction_Types.Fault_Response_Config_List := (
        0 => Component_A_Fault_1_Response,
139
        1 => Component_A_Fault_2_Response,
140
        2 => Component_B_Fault_3_Response,
141
        3 => Component_B_Fault_1_Response,
142
143
        4 => Component_C_Fault_1_Response
144
145
    end Test_Assembly_Fault_Responses;
```