Helena 2.3 Syntax summary

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1 Net specification language

Nets

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\langle net \rangle
                                  \langle net \ name \rangle
                                  ['(' \(net parameter list\)')']
                                  '{' (\langle definition \rangle)^*'}'
      ⟨net name⟩
                                  \langle name \rangle
      \langle definition \rangle
                                  \langle type \rangle
                                  \langle constant \rangle
                                  \langle function \rangle
                                  \langle place \rangle
                                  ⟨transition⟩
                                  ⟨state proposition⟩
Net parameters
      \langle net\ parameter\ list \rangle
                                                 ⟨net parameter⟩
                                                 \langle net\ parameter \rangle ', ' \langle net\ parameter\ list \rangle
      ⟨net parameter⟩
                                                 \langle net\ parameter\ name \rangle ':=' \langle number \rangle
                                         ::=
      ⟨net parameter name⟩
                                         ::=
                                                 \langle name \rangle
Types and subtypes
                                         ⟨type name⟩ ':' ⟨type definition⟩ ';'
      \langle type \rangle
                                         ⟨subtype⟩
                                         \langle name \rangle
      ⟨type name⟩
                                 ::=
                                         ⟨range type⟩
      ⟨type definition⟩
                                         ⟨modulo type⟩
                                         ⟨enumeration type⟩
                                         ⟨vector type⟩
                                         ⟨struct type⟩
                                         ⟨list type⟩
                                         \langle set type \rangle
     Range type
      \langle range\ type \rangle
                                   \langle range \rangle
                           ::=
                                   'range' (expression) '..' (expression)
      \langle range \rangle
     Modulo type
     \langle modular\ type \rangle ::=
                                       'mod' ⟨expression⟩
     Enumeration type
                                                   'enum' '(' \langle enumeration \ constant \rangle (', ' \langle enumeration \ constant \rangle)* ')'
      ⟨enumeration type⟩
                                           ::=
      ⟨enumeration constant⟩
                                                   \langle name \rangle
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Vector type
     ⟨vector type⟩
                                    'vector' '[' \langle index type list \rangle ']' 'of' \langle type name \rangle
                             ::=
     ⟨index type list⟩
                             ::=
                                    \langle type \ name \rangle \ (', ' \langle type \ name \rangle)^*
     Structured type
                                        'struct' '{' (⟨component⟩)<sup>+</sup> '}'
     (struct type)
                                ::=
     ⟨component⟩
                                ::=
                                        ⟨type name⟩ ⟨component name⟩ '; '
     ⟨component name⟩
                                ::=
                                         \langle name \rangle
     List type
     \langle list\ type \rangle
                           'list' '[' (type name) ']' 'of' (type name) 'with' 'capacity' (expression)
     Set type
     \langle set \ type \rangle
                            'set' 'of' (type name) 'with' 'capacity' (expression)
     Subtype
                                    \langle subtype\ name \rangle ':' \langle parent\ name \rangle [\langle constraint \rangle]
     ⟨subtype⟩
                             ::=
                                    ⟨type name⟩
     ⟨subtype name⟩
                            ::=
     (parent name)
                                    \langle type\ name \rangle
                             ::=
     \langle constraint \rangle
                             ::=
                                    \langle range \rangle
Constants
                                     'constant' \(\langle type name \rangle \( \constant name \rangle \)':=' \(\langle expression \rangle '; \)'
     \langle constant \rangle
                              ::=
                                     \langle name \rangle
     ⟨constant name⟩
                             ::=
Functions
     \langle function \rangle
                                                  ⟨function declaration⟩
                                          ::=
                                                  ⟨function body⟩
     ⟨function prototype⟩
                                                  'function' \( function name \)
                                           ::=
                                                  '(' \(\rangle parameters \) specification\(\rangle \)' \'->' \(\text{type name}\)
     \(\function\) declaration\(\rangle\)
                                                  ⟨function prototype⟩';'
                                          ::=
     ⟨function body⟩
                                                  'import' \( function prototype \) ';'
                                          ::=
                                                  ⟨function prototype⟩ ⟨statement⟩
     ⟨parameters specification⟩
                                                  [\langle parameter\ specification \rangle\ (',' \langle parameter\ specification \rangle)^*]
                                          ::=
     ⟨parameter specification⟩
                                           ::=
                                                  ⟨type name⟩ ⟨parameter name⟩
                                                  \langle name \rangle
     ⟨function name⟩
                                           ::=
     (parameter name)
                                           ::=
                                                  \langle name \rangle
Statements
     ⟨statement⟩
                               ⟨assignment⟩
                               ⟨if statement⟩
                               ⟨case statement⟩
                               (while statement)
                               ⟨for statement⟩
                               ⟨return statement⟩
                               ⟨assert statement⟩
                               \langle block \rangle
     Assignment
     \langle assignment \rangle ::= \langle variable \rangle ':=' \langle expression \rangle ';'
     If-then-else
                                     'if' '(' \(\langle expression\rangle\)' \(\langle true \) statement\\ ['else' \(\langle false \) statement\\]
     ⟨if statement⟩
                              ::=
     (true statement)
                                      (statement)
                              ::=
     (false statement)
                                      ⟨statement⟩
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Case
                                          'case' '(' \langle expression \rangle ')' '{' (\langle case \ alternative \rangle)^* \ [\langle default \ alternative \rangle]'}'
     (case statement)
                                          ⟨expression⟩ ':' ⟨statement⟩
     (case alternative)
                                  ::=
                                          'default' ':' (statement)
     ⟨default alternative⟩
                                  ::=
     While
     (while statement)
                                      'while' '(' \(\langle expression\)' \(\rangle \) statement\(\rangle \)
     For loop
                                         'for' '(' \(\rangle iteration scheme\)')' \(\rangle statement\)
     ⟨for statement⟩
                                 ::=
     (iteration scheme)
                                         ⟨iteration variable⟩ [', '⟨iteration variable⟩]
                                 ::=
                                         \langle variable \ name \rangle 'in' \langle type \ name \rangle [\langle range \rangle]
     ⟨iteration variable⟩
                                 ::=
                                         ⟨variable name⟩ 'in' ⟨place name⟩
                                         ⟨variable name⟩ 'in' ⟨expression⟩
     Return
     ⟨return statement⟩
                                ::=
                                        'return' \( expression \) ';'
     Assertion
     ⟨assert statement⟩
                                       \langle assert \rangle
                               ::=
     Block
     \langle block \rangle
                                             (\langle declaration \rangle)^* (\langle statement \rangle)^+ \}
                                     ::=
                                             ⟨constant declaration⟩
     \langle declaration \rangle
                                     ::=
                                             (variable declaration)
     (variable declaration)
                                             \langle type \ name \rangle \langle variable \ name \rangle [':=' \langle expression \rangle]';'
                                     ::=
     ⟨variable name⟩
                                     ::=
                                             \langle name \rangle
Places
                                     'place' \langle place \ name \rangle '{' \langle place \ domain \rangle \ (\langle place \ attribute \rangle)^* '}'
     \langle place \rangle
                              ::=
                                     ⟨initial marking⟩
     ⟨place attribute⟩
                              ::=
                                     ⟨capacity⟩
                                     ⟨place type⟩
     Domain
                                         'dom' ': ' \(domain definition\)';'
     \langle domain \rangle
                                 ::=
     ⟨domain definition⟩
                                         'epsilon'
                                 ::=
                                         ⟨types product⟩
     ⟨types product⟩
                                         \langle type \ name \rangle \ ('\star' \ \langle type \ name \rangle)^*
     Initial marking
     ⟨initial marking⟩
                                     'init'': ' (marking)'; '
                              ::=
     \langle marking \rangle
                                      ⟨arc label⟩
                              ::=
     Capacity
     ⟨capacity⟩
                             'capacity' ': ' \( expression \) '; '
     Type
     ⟨place type⟩
                                        'type' ':' \(\rho lace type name\rangle ';'\)
     (place type name)
                                       'process'
                                       'local'
                                       'shared'
                                        'protected'
                                        'buffer'
                                        'ack'
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Transitions
                                          'transition' (transition name)
     ⟨transition⟩
                                           '{' \(\tansition inputs\)
                                          ⟨transition outputs⟩
                                          [\langle transition\ inhibitors \rangle]
                                          [\langle transition\ free\ variables \rangle]
                                          [\langle transition \ bound \ variables \rangle]
                                          (\langle transition \ attribute \rangle)^*'}
     ⟨transition name⟩
                                   ::=
                                          \langle name \rangle
                                          'in' '{' (\langle arc \rangle)^* '}'
     \langle transition inputs \rangle
                                   ::=
                                          'out' '{' ((arc))* '}'
     ⟨transition outputs⟩
                                   ::=
     ⟨transition inhibitors⟩
                                          'inhibit' '{'((\arc))* '}'
                                   ::=
     ⟨transition attribute⟩
                                   ::=
                                          ⟨transition guard⟩
                                          ⟨transition priority⟩
                                           ⟨transition description⟩
                                          \langle safe \rangle
    Arcs
                    ⟨place name⟩ ':' ⟨arc label⟩ ';'
     \langle arc \rangle
    Free variables
                                               'pick' '{' (\(\( \free \) variable \( \) \) ' '}'
     ⟨transition free variables⟩
                                        ::=
     (free variable)
                                               ⟨free variable name⟩ 'in' ⟨free variable domain⟩
                                        ::=
     ⟨free variable domain⟩
                                               \langle type \ name \rangle \ [\langle range \rangle]
                                        ::=
                                               ⟨expression⟩
    Bound variables
                                                  'let' '\{' (\langle transition \ bound \ variable \rangle)^* '\}'
     ⟨transition bound variables⟩
                                           ::=
     ⟨transition bound variable⟩
                                                  ⟨type name⟩ ⟨variable name⟩ ':=' ⟨expression⟩ '; '
                                           ::=
    Guard
                                     'guard' ':' \(\langle guard definition\rangle '; \)'
     ⟨transition guard⟩
                              ::=
     ⟨guard definition⟩
                                      \langle expression \rangle
                              ::=
    Priority
    \langle transition \ priority \rangle ::=
                                       'priority' ':' \(\langle expression\rangle\)';'
    Safe attribute
     \langle safe \rangle ::=
                     'safe' ';'
    Description
    ⟨transition description⟩
                                           'description' ': ' \( string \) ['; ' \( non empty expression list \) ]'; '
                                   ::=
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Expressions

```
\langle expression \rangle
                                             '(' ⟨expression⟩ ')'
                                                                                                ⟨numerical constant⟩
                                             ⟨enumeration constant⟩
                                                                                                 ⟨variable⟩
                                             (predecessor-successor operation)
                                                                                                 ⟨integer operation⟩
                                             ⟨comparison operation⟩
                                                                                                ⟨boolean operation⟩
                                             ⟨function call⟩
                                                                                                \langle cast \rangle
                                                                                                \langle structure \rangle
                                             ⟨if-then-else⟩
                                             (structure component)
                                                                                                (structure assignment)
                                             \langle vector \rangle
                                                                                                ⟨vector component⟩
                                             (vector assignment)
                                                                                                 ⟨empty list⟩
                                             \langle list \rangle
                                                                                                ⟨list component⟩
                                             (list assignment)
                                                                                                ⟨list slice⟩
                                             ⟨list concatenation⟩
                                                                                                ⟨list membership⟩
                                             ⟨empty set⟩
                                                                                                \langle set \rangle
                                             ⟨set membership⟩
                                                                                                 ⟨set operation⟩
                                             \(\text{token component}\)
                                                                                                ⟨attribute⟩
                                             \langle iterator \rangle
\langle expression \ list \rangle
                                     ::=
                                             ⟨non empty expression list⟩
⟨non empty expression list⟩
                                             \langle expression \rangle (', '\langle expression \rangle)*
                                     ::=
Numerical and enumeration constants
                                        \langle number \rangle
⟨numerical constant⟩
                                 ::=
⟨enumeration constant⟩
                                 ::=
                                        \langle name \rangle
Predecessor and successor operators
                                                                    ⟨expression⟩
⟨predecessor-successor operation⟩
                                                      'pred'
                                                       succ'
                                                                    ⟨expression⟩
Integer arithmetic
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
(integer operation)
                           ::=
                                   ⟨expression⟩
                                   \langle expression \rangle
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
                                   \langle expression \rangle
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
                                   \langle expression \rangle
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
                                   \langle expression \rangle
                                                      '왕'
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
                                                              \langle expression \rangle
                                                              ⟨expression⟩
Comparison operators
⟨comparison operation⟩
                                 ::=
                                         \langle expression \rangle
                                                                      \langle expression \rangle
                                         ⟨expression⟩
                                                                      \langle expression \rangle
                                                             '>'
                                                                      ⟨expression⟩
                                         \langle expression \rangle
                                         ⟨expression⟩
                                                                      \langle expression \rangle
                                                             '<'
                                         ⟨expression⟩
                                                                      \langle expression \rangle
                                         \langle expression \rangle
                                                            '<='
                                                                      \langle expression \rangle
Boolean logic
⟨boolean operation⟩
                             ::=
                                    ⟨expression⟩
                                                         'or'
                                                                   ⟨expression⟩
                                                                   ⟨expression⟩
                                    ⟨expression⟩
                                                        'and'
                                                        'not'
                                                                   ⟨expression⟩
Variables
(variable)
                ::=
                        ⟨variable name⟩
                        (structure component)
                        ⟨vector component⟩
                        ⟨list component⟩
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Structures
                                    '{' \( \( \text{non empty expression list} \) '}'
(structure)
                                     ⟨variable⟩ '.' ⟨component name⟩
(structure component)
                              ::=
(structure assignment)
                              ::=
                                     ⟨expression⟩ '::' '(' ⟨component name⟩ ':=' ⟨expression⟩ ') '
Vectors
                                  '[' \(\langle non empty expression list\rangle ']'
\langle vector \rangle
                          ::=
                                  ⟨variable⟩ '[' ⟨non empty expression list⟩ ']'
(vector component)
                          ::=
                                 ⟨expression⟩ '::' '(' '[' ⟨non empty expression list⟩ ']' ':=' ⟨expression⟩ ') '
(vector assignment)
                          ::=
Lists
⟨empty list⟩
                                 'empty'
                          ::=
\langle list \rangle
                          ::=
                                 '| ' (non empty expression list) '| '
                                 ⟨variable⟩ '[' ⟨expression⟩ ']'
(list component)
                          ::=
                                 \langle expression \rangle '::' '(' '[' \langle expression \rangle ']' ':=' \langle expression \rangle ')'
(list assignment)
                          ::=
\langle list \ slice \rangle
                                 ⟨expression⟩ '[' ⟨expression⟩ '..' ⟨expression⟩ '] '
                          ::=
⟨list concatenation⟩
                                 ⟨expression⟩ '&' ⟨expression⟩
                          ::=
                                 ⟨expression⟩ 'in' ⟨expression⟩
(list membership)
                          ::=
Sets
⟨empty set⟩
                        ::=
                               'empty'
\langle set \rangle
                        ::=
                               '| ' \( non empty expression list \) '| '
                               \langle expression \rangle
⟨set membership⟩
                        ::=
                                                  'in'
                                                            ⟨expression⟩
⟨set operation⟩
                        ::=
                              \langle expression \rangle
                                                 'or'
                                                            ⟨expression⟩
                                                            ⟨expression⟩
                               ⟨expression⟩
                                                 'and'
                               \langle expression \rangle
                                                            ⟨expression⟩
Function call
                           ⟨function name⟩ '(' ⟨expression list⟩ ')'
⟨function call⟩
                    ::=
Cast
                 \langle type \ name \rangle '(' \langle expression \rangle')'
\langle cast \rangle
          ::=
If-then-else
                               ⟨condition⟩ '?' ⟨true expression⟩ ':' ⟨false expression⟩
⟨if-then-else⟩
                        ::=
\langle condition \rangle
                        ::=
                               ⟨expression⟩
                               ⟨expression⟩
⟨true expression⟩
                        ::=
⟨false expression⟩
                        ::=
                               ⟨expression⟩
Token component
⟨token component⟩
                                   ⟨token⟩ '->' ⟨component number⟩
                            ::=
\langle token \rangle
                                   \langle variable name \rangle
                            ::=
                            ::=
⟨component number⟩
                                   \langle number \rangle
Attributes
                                  ⟨type name⟩ '' \ ⟨type attribute⟩
⟨attribute⟩
                           ::=
                                  ⟨place name⟩ '' ' ⟨place attribute⟩
                                  ⟨expression⟩ '' ' ⟨container attribute⟩
                                  ⟨expression⟩ '' ' ⟨list attribute⟩
\langle type\ attribute \rangle
                                  'first'
                                                    'last'
                                                                                  'card'
                           ::=
(place attribute)
                                  'card'
                                                     'mult'
                           ::=
(container attribute)
                                  'full'
                                                     'empty'
                                                                                   capacity'
                           ::=
                                  'size'
                                                     'space'
(list attribute)
                                  'first'
                                                     'first index'
                                                                                  'prefix'
                           ::=
                                                     'last index'
                                  'last'
                                                                                  'suffix'
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Iterator
                                      ⟨iterator type⟩ '(' ⟨iteration scheme⟩ [⟨iterator condition⟩] [⟨iterator expression⟩] ')'
     (iterator)
                                      'forall' | 'exists' | 'card' | 'mult' | 'min' | 'max' | 'sum' | 'product'
     ⟨iterator type⟩
     (iterator condition)
                               ::= '|' \langle expression \rangle
     (iterator expression)
                               ::= ':' \langle expression \rangle
Arc labels
    \langle arc \ label \rangle
                  ::= \langle complex \ tuple \rangle \ ('+' \langle complex \ tuple \rangle)^*
    Tuples
    ⟨complex tuple⟩
                                [\langle tuple \ for \rangle] \ [\langle tuple \ guard \rangle] \ [\langle tuple \ factor \rangle] \ \langle tuple \rangle
     \langle tuple for \rangle
                                'for' '(' \(\rangle iteration scheme\)')'
     ⟨tuple guard⟩
                          ::= 'if' '(' \( expression \) ') '
     ⟨tuple factor⟩
                          ::= \langle expression \rangle ' \star '
                                '<(' \( non empty expression list \) ') >'
     \langle tuple \rangle
                          ::=
                                'epsilon'
State propositions
                                           'proposition' (state proposition name) ': ' (expression) '; '
    (state proposition)
    ⟨state proposition name⟩
                                           \langle name \rangle
                                    ::=
      Property specification language
Properties
     ⟨property specification⟩
                                  ::=
                                         (\langle property \rangle)^*
                                         ⟨state property⟩
     (property)
                                   ::=
                                          ⟨temporal property⟩
    State properties
    (state property)
                                            'state' 'property' (property name) ':' (state property definition)
     ⟨property name⟩
                                            \langle name \rangle
                                     ::=
     (state property definition)
                                            \langle reject\ clause \rangle\ (\langle accept\ clause \rangle)^*
     ⟨reject clause⟩
                                          'reject' (predicate) ';'
                                     ::=
     ⟨accept clause⟩
                                     ::= 'accept' (predicate) ';'
                                            'deadlock'
     ⟨predicate⟩
                                     ::=
                                            ⟨state proposition name⟩
    Temporal properties
                                        'ltl' 'property' (property name) ':' (temporal expression) ';'
    ⟨temporal property⟩
     ⟨temporal expression⟩
                                       '('\langle temporal expression\rangle')'
                                        'true'
                                        'false'
                                        ⟨state proposition name⟩
                                        'not' \(\temporal \) expression\(\)
                                        ⟨temporal expression⟩ 'or' ⟨temporal expression⟩
                                        ⟨temporal expression⟩ 'and' ⟨temporal expression⟩
                                        '[]' \(\temporal \) expression\\
                                        '<>' \(\temporal \) expression\(\)
                                        ⟨temporal expression⟩ 'until' ⟨temporal expression⟩
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