Application and Environment Requirements Formal-language Requirements

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SyncFree: Work Package 1
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What is it?

Work Package 1: Application and environment requirements

D1.1 [6 months] Natural-language requirements

D1.2 [18 months] Formal-language requirements



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Mathematical notation

- Reasoning
 - Validation of the representation
- Verification
 - Constraints
 - Objectives
 - Properties
- Computation
- Dissemination



Difficult to get all in one mathematical notation



Constraints mathematical representation

Temporal Logic of Actions, TLA+

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Temporal Logic of Actions, TLA+

- Based on the use of simple mathematics
- Well suited for concurrent and distributed systems
- Open-Source Project



Temporal Logic of Actions, TLA+

- Parser and Syntax checker
- Model checker and Simulator, TLC
- Converter from TLA+ to LaTex, TLATeX
- Other components



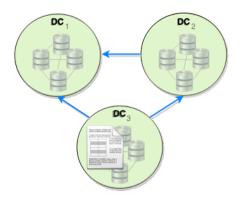
Adaptive Replication

Adaptive Location of Replicas

Partial Replication

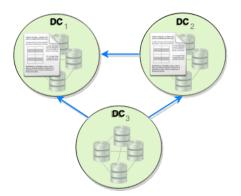


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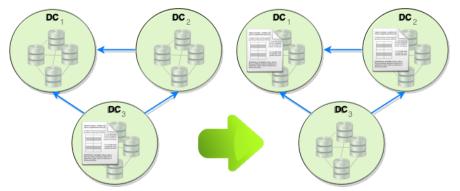




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Replicate where it is most advantageous





Proposed an Ant Colony based algorithm

A simple Java GUI application

WP1 at M12 Current State Even More

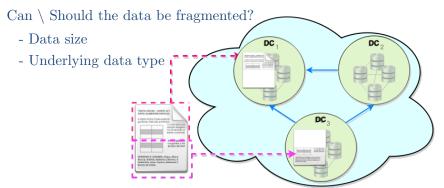


Partial Replication

Replicate parts of the data

The data is fragmented and spread between the different DCs

No Data Centre may have the whole data



Summary



- Mathematical Representation
 - Simple mathematical representation
 - Already provided for the six use cases, available in D1.2
 - Temporal Logic of Actions (TLA+) representation
 - Already provided for the two use cases in D1.2: "Ad Counter" and "Virtual Wallet"
 - In progress for two more use cases in D1.2: "Leader Board" and "FMK"
- Adaptive Replication
 - Adaptive Location of Replicas
 - A simple algorithm has been proposed
 - Java GUI application
 - Partial Replication



Thank You!



