
MODULE *Exokernel*

EXTENDS *Naturals, Sequences*

Parameters and constants

CONSTANT *TaskCount, ResourceCount*

VARIABLE *tasks, resources, allocations*

Tasks are modeled as a sequence of task *IDs*, where each task has an index.

$Tasks \triangleq 1 \dots TaskCount$

Resources are modeled as a sequence of resource *IDs*, where each resource has an index.

$Resources \triangleq 1 \dots ResourceCount$

$TaskState \triangleq \{\text{"waiting"}, \text{"running"}\}$

$Availability \triangleq \{\text{TRUE}, \text{FALSE}\}$

Type invariant of the specification

tasks: function mapping from *Tasks* to *TaskState*

resources: function mapping from *Resources* to *Availability*

allocations: function mapping from *Tasks* to *Availability*

$TypeInvariant \triangleq$

$\wedge tasks \in [Tasks \rightarrow TaskState]$

$\wedge resources \in [Resources \rightarrow Availability]$

$\wedge allocations \in [Tasks \rightarrow [Resources \rightarrow \{\text{TRUE}, \text{FALSE}\}]]$

The state of the system is represented by the current allocation of resources to tasks.

$allocations[i][j] = \text{TRUE}$ means task *i* is using resource *j*.

$Init \triangleq$

$\wedge tasks = [t \in Tasks \mapsto \text{"waiting"}]$

$\wedge resources = [r \in Resources \mapsto \text{TRUE}]$ All resources are available

$\wedge allocations = [t \in Tasks \mapsto [r \in Resources \mapsto \text{FALSE}]]$

A task can request access to a resource if it's not already in use.

$RequestResource(t, r) \triangleq$

$\wedge resources[r] = \text{TRUE}$

$\wedge allocations[t][r] = \text{FALSE}$

$\wedge tasks[t] = \text{"waiting"}$

$\wedge tasks' = [tasks \text{ EXCEPT } ![t] = \text{"running"}]$

$$\begin{aligned} \wedge resources' &= [resources \text{ EXCEPT } ![r] = \text{FALSE}] \\ \wedge allocations' &= [allocations \text{ EXCEPT } ![t][r] = \text{TRUE}] \end{aligned}$$

A task can release a resource when it has finished using it.

$$\begin{aligned} ReleaseResource(t, r) &\triangleq \\ &\wedge allocations[t][r] = \text{TRUE} \\ &\wedge tasks[t] = \text{"running"} \\ &\wedge tasks' = [tasks \text{ EXCEPT } ![t] = \text{"waiting"}] \\ &\wedge resources' = [resources \text{ EXCEPT } ![r] = \text{TRUE}] \\ &\wedge allocations' = [allocations \text{ EXCEPT } ![t][r] = \text{FALSE}] \end{aligned}$$

Task behavior: tasks can either request or release resources

$$\begin{aligned} TaskAction &\triangleq \\ &\exists t \in Tasks, r \in Resources : \\ &\quad (RequestResource(t, r) \vee ReleaseResource(t, r)) \end{aligned}$$

$$DoNothing \triangleq \text{UNCHANGED } \langle tasks, resources, allocations \rangle$$

The next-state relation defines valid state transitions

$$Next \triangleq TaskAction \vee DoNothing$$

Specification of the overall system behavior

$$Spec \triangleq Init \wedge \Box [Next]_{\langle tasks, resources, allocations \rangle}$$

$$vars \triangleq \langle tasks, resources \rangle$$

$$Fairness \triangleq WF_vars(TaskAction)$$

Invariant: No two tasks can hold the same resource simultaneously

$$ResourceExclusivity \triangleq$$

$$\forall r \in Resources :$$

$$\forall t1, t2 \in Tasks : (t1 \neq t2) \Rightarrow \neg(allocations[t1][r] \wedge allocations[t2][r])$$

$$ASSUME \text{ Assumption } \triangleq tasks \in [Tasks \rightarrow TaskState]$$

$$THEOREM \text{ } Init \Rightarrow Fairness$$

$$BY \text{ DEF } Init, Fairness$$