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MODULE *VoucherLifeCycle*

This specification is of a Voucher and it's life cycle. This is based on the definiton of Vouchers in *RFC* 3506 with the tuple part decoupled.

Note: A new state called "phantom" was introduced to indicate the state of a voucher that is yet to be issued, once a voucher is issued it becomes a "valid" voucher. This is a one way transition and it cannot reversed.

CONSTANT V — The set of vouchers.

VARIABLE $vState$, $vlcState$ — $vState[v]$ is the state of a voucher v. The state of the voucher life cycle machine. $vvlcState[v]$ is the state of the life cycle machine for the voucher v.

$VTypeOK \triangleq$

The type-correctness invariant

$\land\ vState \in [V \to \{\text{"phantom"}, \text{"valid"}, \text{"redeemed"}, \text{"cancelled"}\}]$
$\land\ vlcState \in [V \to \{\text{"init"}, \text{"working"}, \text{"done"}\}]$

$VInit \triangleq$

The initial predicate.

$\land\ vState = [v \in V \mapsto \text{"phantom"}]$
$\land\ vlcState = [v \in V \mapsto \text{"init"}]$

We now define the actions that may be performed on the Vs, and then define the complete next-state action of the specification to be the disjunction of the possible V actions.

$Issue(v) \triangleq$
$\land\ vState[v] = \text{"phantom"}$
$\land\ vlcState[v] = \text{"init"}$
$\land\ vState' = [vState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{"valid"}]$
$\land\ vlcState' = [vlcState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{"working"}]$

$Transfer(v) \triangleq$
$\land\ vState[v] = \text{"valid"}$
$\land$ UNCHANGED $\langle vState, vlcState \rangle$

$Redeem(v) \triangleq$
$\land\ vState[v] = \text{“valid”}$
$\land\ vlcState[v] = \text{“working”}$
$\land\ vState' = [vState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{“redeemed”}]$
$\land\ vlcState' = [vlcState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{“done”}]$

$Cancel(v) \triangleq$
$\land\ vState[v] = \text{“valid”}$
$\land\ vlcState[v] = \text{“working”}$
$\land\ vState' = [vState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{“cancelled”}]$
$\land\ vlcState' = [vlcState \text{ EXCEPT } ![v] = \text{“done”}]$

$VNext \triangleq \exists\, v \in V : Issue(v) \lor Redeem(v) \lor Transfer(v) \lor Cancel(v)$

The next-state action.

$VConsistent \triangleq$

A state predicate asserting that a V started at a valid start state and has reached a valid final state at the end of the life cycle. V can be “valid” only when the state of the machine is “working”. It is an invariant of the specification.

$$\land \forall\, v \in V : \lor \land\ vlcState[v] = \text{“done”} \\ \land\ vState[v] \in \{\text{“redeemed”}, \text{“cancelled”}\} \\ \lor \land\ vlcState[v] = \text{“init”} \\ \land\ vState[v] = \text{“phantom”} \\ \lor \land\ vlcState[v] = \text{“working”} \\ \land\ vState[v] \in \{\text{“valid”}\}$$

$VSpec \triangleq VInit \land \Box[VNext]_{\langle vState,\, vlcState\rangle}$

The complete specification of the protocol written as a temporal formula.

THEOREM $VSpec \Rightarrow \Box(VTypeOK \land VConsistent)$

This theorem asserts the truth of the temporal formula whose meaning is that the state predicate $VTypeOK \land VConsistent$ is an invariant of the specification $VSpec$. Invariance of this conjunction is equivalent to invariance of both of the formulas $VTypeOK$ and $VConsistent$.

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