

## **PRESENTATION PAGE**

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## **ABSTRACT**

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

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### **1. Introduction (Chapter 1)**

The introduction should include:

- **Background and Problem Definition:** context of the thesis (similar if not the same of the thesis proposal)
- **General and Specific Objectives**
- **Method and Results Overview:** basic description on how the objective is achieved and what are the main results
- **Research outcome:** what is the research outcome (in this case, the plugin)
- **Significance:** state the contribution of the presented work
- **Audience:** who is the research audience?
- **organization:** describe the organization or structure of the thesis

### **2. Literature Review (Chapter 2)**

The literature review will present the needed background to understand the article "A Rewriting Logic Semantics and Statistical Analysis for Probabilistic Event-B" and how the plugin is implemented:

#### **2.2 Event-B**

- Explain context, machine, syntax and provide a model example
- Explain Event-B's semantics (definition proposed in M. A. Aouadhi, B. Delahaye, and A. Lanoix) (not sure of including the LTS semantics definition of Event-B)
- Explain non deterministic choices in Event-B

#### **2.1 Probabilistic Event-B**

- Explain probabilistic Event-B Semantics and syntax
- Provide an example of probabilistic Event-B model with the specified syntax

#### **2.3 Maude**

- Explain the Maude language (sorts, equations, operators, variables, conditional and non conditional rewriting rules)
- Provide a Maude model as an example
- Explain Maude semantics (rewrite theory)

#### **2.4 PMAude**

- Explain PMAude semantics (probabilistic rewrite theory) and syntax
- Provide an example of probabilistic PMAude model with the specified syntax

#### **2.5 PVeStA**

- Brief summary of how PVeStA and Quatex work
- Simulation of the PMaude model explained in 2.4 using the tool

#### **2.6 A Rewriting Logic Semantics and Statistical Analysis for Probabilistic**

- Explain how the encoding from a Probabilistic Event-B machine to a probabilistic rewrite theory works.
- Provide an example of the translation (possibly the example of the model given in 2.1)

#### **2.7 Rodin and plugin development**

- Explain the general guides for plugin development in Rodin

### **3. Methodology (Chapter 3)**

#### **Proposal 1**

Explain each one of the activities done in each software development phase, according to the waterfall method.

##### **3.1 Requirements**

##### **3.2 Design**

##### **3.3 Implementation**

##### **3.4 Testing**

##### **3.5 Deployment**

#### **Proposal 2**

Explain the design of the plugin, how it was implemented and the publishing process.

##### **3.1 Design**

##### **3.2 Implementation**

##### **3.3 Deployment**

### **4. Results (Chapter 4)**

Provide the results of the different case studies, which are probabilistic models related to Omicas. For each one of them, explain the probabilistic event-B model, the resulting rewrite theory in Maude and the results of the Monte Carlo simulations.

#### **4.1 Probabilistic Model 1**

#### **4.2 Probabilistic Model 2**

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### **5. Discussion (Chapter 5)**

- Discuss and analyze the results obtained in the previous chapter and the overall behavior of the plugin.
- Highlight weakness and strengths of the implementation
- implications on practice and future work

### **6. Conclusions (Chapter 6)**

- introduction (brief summary of the presented work)
- summary of findings
- Evaluate if research objectives were completed
- Recommendations
- Future work

## **REFERENCES**