

# Distributed and Pervasive Systems

## Team 2

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## Chapter 1

# Introduction



## Chapter 2

# Real-Time Computing

Topics/keywords:

Jobs & schedulers & task handling

### 2.1 Determinism

- Finite automata for determined/undetermined systems Short intro, an example

DFA

NFA

TFA

Compare deterministic and non-deterministic automata Talk about timed automatas and how they comply with deadlines

### 2.2 Scheduling

- Introduction Arrival time, release time, deadlines Real-time computing What are jobs? Tasks? Have the basic definition written down (at least the Task/J one)

In scheduling the aim is to meet all hard deadlines and handle soft deadlines of jobs in the best possible manner and avoid deadlocks while doing so. The arrival time of a job is the moment in time it arrives at a processor, while the release time of a job is the moment in time it becomes available for execution. A task can have different job types and such as periodic, sporadic and Aperiodic. A task is a set of jobs known at the start of the system or triggered by an external event. A periodic task is defined by three parameters:

- The release time  $r$  of the first periodic job.
- The period  $p$ , which is a periodic time interval, at the start of which a periodic job is released.
- The execution time  $e$  of each periodic job.

and is written as  $(r, p, e)$

### 2.2.1 Rate-monotonic scheduler

The rate-monotonic scheduling strategy gives a higher priority, to periodic jobs with a shorter period. Because of the static nature of the scheduler, it is easy to compute and predict.<sup>1</sup>

### 2.2.2 Earliest deadline first scheduler

This scheduling strategy will give a higher priority to jobs if its deadline is earlier. In case of preemptive jobs and no competition for resources, this scheduler is optimal, in the sense that if utilization at a processor does not exceed one, then periodic jobs will be scheduled in such a way that no deadlines are missed.<sup>2</sup>

### 2.2.3 Least-slacktime-first scheduler

This scheduling strategy gives higher priority to jobs with less slack (Idle time). This scheduler is a good choice if utilization at a processor does not exceed one. In this case the periodic jobs will be scheduled in such a way that no deadlines are missed.<sup>3</sup>

### 2.2.4 Resource control

Write about resource control/deadlock Priority inheritance Priority ceiling Find Søren Hansen (grandmaster) drawings/references

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<sup>1</sup> [Fokknik(2013)] p.183

<sup>2</sup> [Fokknik(2013)] p.184

<sup>3</sup> [Fokknik(2013)] p.184

## Chapter 3

# Synchronization





## Chapter 4

# Real-Time Ethernet



## Chapter 5

# Middleware



## Chapter 6

# Consistency



## Chapter 7

# Fault Tolerance





## Chapter 8

# Leader Election



## Chapter 9

# Positioning



## Chapter 10

## Discussion



## **Chapter 11**

## **Conclusion**





## Chapter 12

# Perspectives



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