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Introduction

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 perodic, sporadic and Aperiodic. A task is a set of jobs known at the start of the system or triggered by a 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

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.¹

2.2.3 Least-slacktime-first scheduler

2.2.4 Resource control

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

¹ [Fokknik(2013)] p.184

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