

Middleware for Best-Effort Third-Party Monitoring

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1 Monitoring Specifications

There is a basic type system for event streams:

Event Data Type $\tau^E \supseteq \text{int} \mid \text{bool} \mid \text{byte} \mid \text{string} \mid \tau^E[] \mid \tau \times \tau \mid \tau + \tau$

We assume a language with the following constructs:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VAR} &\supseteq x \\ \text{TYPE} &\supseteq \tau^E \\ \text{EXPR} &\supseteq \text{VAR} \mid n \mid \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid \text{EXPR} + \text{EXPR} \mid \text{EXPR} \wedge \text{EXPR} \dots \\ \text{CODE} &\supseteq \{\overline{\text{CODE}}\} \mid \text{VAR} : \text{TYPE} = \text{EXPR}; \mid \text{VAR} = \text{EXPR}; \mid \text{EXPR}; \mid \text{if}(\text{EXPR}) \text{ CODE} \text{ else } \text{CODE} \end{aligned}$$
$$\begin{aligned} \text{FIELDDECL} &::= \text{fieldname} : \text{TYPE} \\ \text{EVDEF} &::= \text{eventname}(\overline{\text{FIELDDECL}}) \\ \text{STYPEDEF} &::= \text{stream type stypename} \{(\overline{\text{FIELDDECL}})\} \{\text{extends stypename} \{(\overline{\text{EXPR}})\}\} \\ &\quad '\{ \text{EVDEF} \{\text{creates stypename}\} \}' \end{aligned}$$

Fig. 1. Event Streams

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ACTION ::= drop | forward | forward eventname( $\overline{EXPR}$ )
CASE ::= ACTION | if( $\overline{EXPR}$ ) then CASE else CASE
PROCESSORRULE ::= on eventname  $\{(\overline{VAR})\}$  CASE
                  | on eventname  $\{(\overline{VAR})\}$  creates  $\{at\ most\ n\}$  stypename
                    {process using processorname  $\{(\overline{EXPR})\}$ }
                    to BUFFERKIND include in bufgroupname CASE
PROCESSORDEF ::= stream processor processorname  $\{(\overline{VAR})\}$ 
                : stypename  $\{(\overline{EXPR})\}$   $\rightarrow$  stypename  $\{(\overline{EXPR})\}$ 
                {extends processorname  $\{(\overline{EXPR})\}$ } 'PROCESSORRULE'

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Fig. 2. Stream Processors

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BUFFERKIND ::= autodrop( $n$ ) | infinite | blocking( $n$ )
ESRCDEF ::= {dynamic} event source evsrcname  $\{(\overline{FIELDDECL})\}$   $\{[n]\}$  : stypename
            {process using processorname  $\{(\overline{EXPR})\}$ }
            to BUFFERKIND {include in bufgroupname}

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Fig. 3. Performance Layer Specification

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norall ::=  $n$  | all
ORDEREXP ::= round robin | $fieldname
BUFGROUPDEF ::= buffer group bufgroupname : stypename {order by ORDEREXP}
                {includes evsrcname  $\{[norall]\}$ }
EVSRCREF ::= evsrcname  $\{[n]\}$ 
varorevsrcname ::= VAR | EVSRCREF
MATCHFUNDEF ::= match fun matchfunname[ $\overline{varorevsrcname}$ ]( $\overline{VAR}$ ) =  $\overline{BUFFERMATCHEXP}$ 

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Fig. 4. Advanced Features

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{varorinteger} &::= \text{VAR} \mid n \\
 \text{BUFFERMATCHEXP} &::= \text{matchfunname}[\overline{\text{varorevsrname}}](\overline{\text{varorinteger}}) \mid \overline{\text{EVSRCREF} : \text{done}} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\text{EVSRCREF} : \text{nothing} \mid \text{EVSRCREF} : \text{eventname}(\overline{\text{VAR}}) \mid \text{eventname}(\overline{\text{VAR}})} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\text{choose } \{\text{first/last } \{n\}\} \text{ evsrname from bufgroupname}} \\
 \text{ARBITERRULESTMT} &::= \text{like } \text{CCODE}, \text{ without } \text{return}, \text{ but with} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\$drop } n \text{ from } \text{EVSRCREF} \mid \overline{\$yield \text{eventname}(\overline{\text{EXPR}})} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\$switch \text{ to } \text{rulesetname} \mid \$add \text{EVSRCREF to bufgroupname}} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\$remove \text{EVSRCREF from bufgroupname}} \\
 &\quad \text{and access to fields in event sources in expressions using } \text{evsrname.fieldname} \\
 \text{ARBITERRULEDEF} &::= \overline{\text{on } \text{BUFFERMATCHEXP} \text{ where } \text{EXPR} \{ \text{' ARBITERRULESTMT '}' \}} \\
 &\quad \mid \overline{\text{choose } \{\text{first/last } \{n\}\} \text{ evsrname from bufgroupname where } \text{EXPR}} \\
 &\quad \quad \text{'{' ARBITERRULEDEF '}' } \\
 \text{RULESETDEF} &::= \overline{\text{rule set rulesetname '{' ARBITERRULEDEF '}'}} \\
 \text{ARBITERDEF} &::= \overline{\text{arbiter : stypename '{' RULESETDEF '}'}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Fig. 5. Arbiter Specification

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{MONITORRULEDEF} &::= \overline{\text{on } \text{eventname}(\overline{\text{VAR}}) \{ \text{where } \text{EXPR} \} \{ \overline{\text{CODE}} \}} \\
 \text{MONITORDEF} &::= \overline{\text{monitor} \{ \text{MONITORRULEDEF} \}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Fig. 6. Monitor Specification

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{COMPONENT} &::= \text{STYPEDEF} \mid \text{PROCESSORDEF} \mid \text{ESRCDEF} \mid \text{BUFGROUPDEF} \mid \text{MATCHFUNDEF} \\
 &\quad \mid \text{GLOBALDEF} \mid \text{STARTUPDEF} \mid \text{CLEANUPDEF} \\
 \text{GLOBALDEF} &::= \overline{\text{globals '{' CODE '}'}} \\
 \text{STARTUPDEF} &::= \overline{\text{startup '{' CODE '}'}} \\
 \text{CLEANUPDEF} &::= \overline{\text{cleanup '{' CODE '}'}} \\
 \text{PROGRAM} &::= \overline{\text{COMPONENT ARBITERDEF MONITORDEF}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Fig. 7. Full Programs