
MODULE *ProfileManager*

EXTENDS *Integers, Sequences*

- The TLA+ specification is based on the *Lua* module *sd-profile-manager.lua*.
- It models the player's profile, which adapts the game's difficulty.
- *Lua* State Variables Modeled in TLA+:
- *playerProfile* = {
--- *history* = {},
--- *historyLimit* = 15,
--- *currentClues* = 12,
--- *targetMistakes* = 3,
--- *Kp* = 0.5
--- }

CONSTANTS

<i>HistoryLimit</i> ,	The maximum number of game results to store. Corresponds to <i>historyLimit</i> .
<i>MinClues</i> ,	The minimum number of clues allowed.
<i>MaxClues</i> ,	The maximum number of clues allowed.
<i>Kp-num</i> ,	Numerator for the proportional gain <i>Kp</i> .
<i>Kp-den</i>	Denominator for the proportional gain <i>Kp</i> . (e.g., <i>Kp</i> = 0.5 is <i>Kp-num</i> = 1, <i>Kp-den</i> = 2)

ASSUME

$$\begin{aligned} & \wedge \text{HistoryLimit} \in \text{Nat} \\ & \wedge \text{MinClues} \in \text{Int} \\ & \wedge \text{MaxClues} \in \text{Int} \\ & \wedge \text{MinClues} \leq \text{MaxClues} \\ & \wedge \text{Kp-den} \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

VARIABLES

<i>history</i> ,	A sequence of mistake counts from recent games.
<i>currentClues</i> ,	The current number of clues for a puzzle.
<i>targetMistakes</i>	The ideal number of mistakes per puzzle.

$$vars \triangleq \langle history, currentClues, targetMistakes \rangle$$

- The *TypeOK* invariant defines the valid types and ranges for the state variables.
- *history*: A sequence of natural numbers, with its length not exceeding *HistoryLimit*.
- *currentClues*: An integer between *MinClues* and *MaxClues*.
- *targetMistakes*: A natural number.

$$\begin{aligned} TypeOK \triangleq \\ & \wedge history \in Seq(\text{Nat}) \\ & \wedge Len(history) \leq HistoryLimit \\ & \wedge currentClues \in MinClues .. MaxClues \\ & \wedge targetMistakes \in \text{Nat} \end{aligned}$$

- The initial state of the system.

$$\begin{aligned} Init \triangleq \\ & \wedge history = \langle \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$\wedge currentClues = 12$

$\wedge targetMistakes = 3$

– Helper operator to clamp a value within a min/max range.

$Clamp(val, min, max) \triangleq$

IF $val < min$ THEN min ELSE IF $val > max$ THEN max ELSE val

– Action: A game is finished, and its mistake count is added to the history.

– If the history is full, the oldest entry is removed.

$UpdateHistory(mistakeCount) \triangleq$

$\wedge \text{LET } newHistory \triangleq Append(history, mistakeCount)$

IN $history' = \text{IF } Len(newHistory) > HistoryLimit$

THEN $SubSeq(newHistory, 2, Len(newHistory))$

ELSE $newHistory$

$\wedge \text{UNCHANGED } \langle currentClues, targetMistakes \rangle$

– Action: Adjust the number of clues based on the player's performance.

– This models the *PID* controller logic from the *Lua* module.

$UpdateDifficulty(actualMistakes) \triangleq$

$\wedge \text{LET }$

$error \triangleq targetMistakes - actualMistakes$

$adjustment \triangleq (error * Kp_num) \div Kp_den$

$newClues \triangleq currentClues - adjustment$

IN

$currentClues' = Clamp(newClues, MinClues, MaxClues)$

$\wedge \text{UNCHANGED } \langle history, targetMistakes \rangle$

– Action: The target number of mistakes is updated, for example by a

– genetic algorithm or other external process.

$SetTargetMistakes(newTarget) \triangleq$

$\wedge newTarget \in Nat$

$\wedge targetMistakes' = newTarget$

$\wedge \text{UNCHANGED } \langle history, currentClues \rangle$

– Action: A player profile is loaded, non-deterministically setting the state

– to any valid configuration. This models the effect of *loadProfile()*.

$LoadProfile \triangleq$

$\wedge \exists h \in \{s \in Seq(Nat) : Len(s) \leq HistoryLimit\} : history' = h$

$\wedge \exists c \in MinClues .. MaxClues : currentClues' = c$

$\wedge \exists t \in Nat : targetMistakes' = t$

– The next-state relation: at any step, one of the actions can occur.

– The parameters to the actions are non-deterministically chosen from valid values.

$Next \triangleq$

$\vee \exists m \in Nat : UpdateHistory(m)$

$\vee \exists am \in Nat : UpdateDifficulty(am)$

$$\begin{aligned} & \vee \exists nt \in Nat : SetTargetMistakes(nt) \\ & \vee LoadProfile \end{aligned}$$

– The complete specification for the system.

$$Spec \triangleq Init \wedge \Box[Next]_{vars}$$

– Theorem: The specification implies that the type invariant always holds.

THEOREM $Spec \Rightarrow \Box TypeOK$
