# Planning and Scheduling



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#### Planning and Scheduling 规划与调度

- ☐ The previous chapter introduced the most basic concepts, representations, and algorithms for planning.
  - 上一章我们介绍了规划最基本的概念、表示、以及算法。
- □ The planning and scheduling in the real world are more complex, e.g., 现实世界中的规划和调度更为复杂,例如
  - spacecraft, factories, and military campaigns. 航天器、工厂、以及军事行动。
- □ They should extend both 它们需要扩展
  - the representation language, and 表示语言,以及
  - the way the planner interacts with the environment. 规划者与外部环境交互的方式。

#### Classical Planning and Its Limitation 经典规划及其局限性

☐ Classical planning can represent:

经典规划可以表示:

- what to do, 做什么
- in what order. 按什么顺序
- ☐ Classical planning cannot represent:

经典规划无法表示:

- how long an action takes,
   动作持续多长时间
- when it occurs.什么时候发生

#### Plan First and Schedule Later 先规划后调度

☐ Divide problem into planning phase and scheduling phase.

将问题分为规划阶段和调度阶段

- Planning phase 规划阶段
  - > select actions with some ordering constraints, 选择具有某种有序约束的动作,
  - ➤ to meet the goals of the problem. 去满足问题的目标。
- Scheduling phase 调度阶段
  - add temporal information to the plan, 在规划中增加时间信息,
  - ➤ to meet resource and deadline constraints. 去满足资源和期限的约束。

#### Representing Temporal and Resource Constraints 表征时间和资源约束

- □ A scheduling problem, consists of a set of jobs, each of which consists a collection of actions with ordering constraints.
  - 调度问题包含一系列作业,每个作业包含一组具有顺序约束的动作。
- □ Each action has a duration and a set of resource constraints. 每个动作有一段持续时间和一组资源约束。
- □ Each resource constraint specifies: type, number, consumable or reusable. 每个资源约束指定:类型、数量、可消费或可重用。
- □ Actions can produce resources, including manufacturing, growing, and resupply. 动作可以产生资源,包括制造、增产、以及供给动作。
- ☐ A solution must specify the start times for each action, and must satisfy all the temporal ordering constraints and resource constraints.
  - 解决方案需要对每个动作指定起始时间,并且要满足所有的时间顺序约束和资源约束。

#### Example: A job-shop scheduling 车间作业调度

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A \prec B ---- action A must precede B
Jobs(\{AddEngine1 \prec AddWheels1 \prec Inspect1\},
                                                                           动作A必须领先于B
     \{AddEngine2 \prec AddWheels2 \prec Inspect2\}
Resources(EngineHoists(1), WheelStations(1), Inspectors(2), LugNuts(500))
Action(AddEngine1, DURATION: 30, USE: EngineHoists(1))
Action(AddEngine2, DURATION: 60, USE: EngineHoists(1))
Action(AddWheels1, DURATION: 30,
      CONSUME: LugNuts(20), USE: WheelStations(1))
Action(AddWheels2, DURATION: 15,
      CONSUME: LugNuts(20), USE: WheelStations(1))
Action(Inspect<sub>i</sub>, DURATION: 10, USE: Inspectors(1))
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A job-shop scheduling for assembling two cars

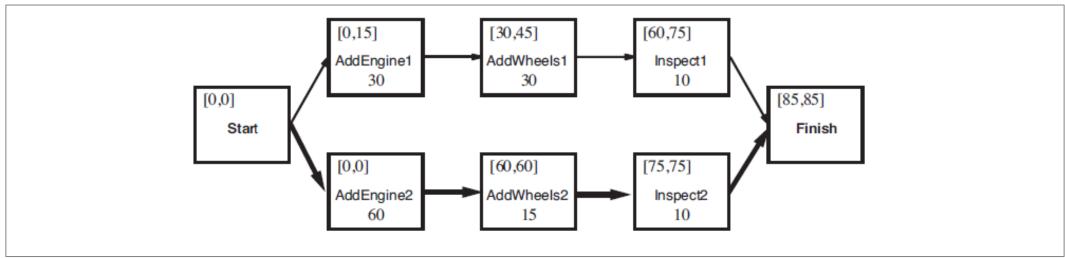
组装两辆汽车的车间作业调度

#### Solving Scheduling Problems 求解调度问题

☐ To minimize plan duration, must find the earliest start times for all the actions consistent with the ordering constraints.

要使规划持续时间最短,必须找到与排序约束一致的所有动作的最早开始时间。

□ To view these ordering constraints as a directed graph. 将这些排序约束视为一个有向图。



A directed graph of temporal constraints for job-shop scheduling problem

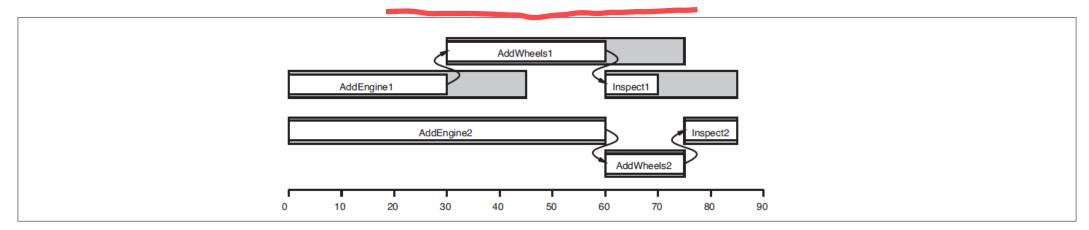
一个车间调度问题的时间约束有向图

#### Solving Scheduling Problems 求解调度问题

☐ Can apply the critical path method (CPM) to this graph to determine the possible start and end times of each action.

可以将关键路径法 (CPM) 用于该图,来确定每个动作可能的开始与结束时间。

- □ A path through a graph representing a partial-order plan is a linearly ordered sequence of actions.
  - 一个表示偏序计划的图的路径是一个线性排序的动作序列。



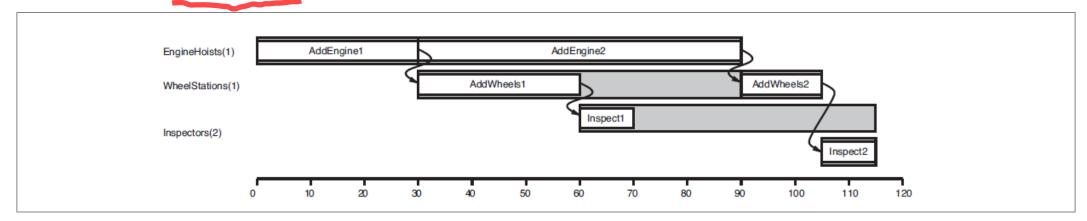
A timeline of temporal constraints for job-shop scheduling problem

一个车间作业调度问题的时间约束的时间表

#### Solving Scheduling Problems 求解调度问题

☐ If we introduce resource constraints, the resulting constraints on start and end times become more complicated.

如果我们引入资源约束, 所导致的开始和结束时间的约束变得更加复杂。



A timeline of resource constraints for job-shop scheduling problem 一个车间作业调度问题的资源约束的时间表

□ The left-hand margin lists the three reusable resources, and actions are shown aligned horizontally with the resources they use.

左边列出了三个可重用资源,并且,动作与它们所使用的资源水平对齐显示。

## Thank you for your affeation!

