

SEN9110 Simulation Masterclass

Lecture 5. DEVS extensions

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Agenda of this lecture

- Questions about paper last class
- Answer to Wymore's model question of lecture 2.2
- DEVS Formalism [lecture 2.2, last topic] (Zeigler)
- Port-based DEVS (Zeigler)
- Hierarchical DEVS (Zeigler)
- Other DEVS extensions (Zeigler, Wainer, e.a.)

Papers to read

- B.P. Zeigler. DEVS Today: Recent Advances in Discrete Event-Based Information Technology. Proceedings of the 11TH IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Modeling, Analysis and Simulation of Computer Telecommunications Systems (MASCOTS'03). IEEE, 2003. Retrieved from: <http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/stamp/stamp.jsp?arnumber=1240652>
- B.P. Zeigler. Embedding DEV&DESS in DEVS. DEVS Integrative M&S Symposium (DEVS 2006). Huntsville, Alabama, USA, April 2-6, 2006 Retrieved from: <http://acims.asu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2012/02/Embedding-DEV&DESS-in-DEVS.pdf> via official ACIMS web page at <https://acims.asu.edu/journal-conference-and-workshop-articles/>

DEVS Atomic Model Specification

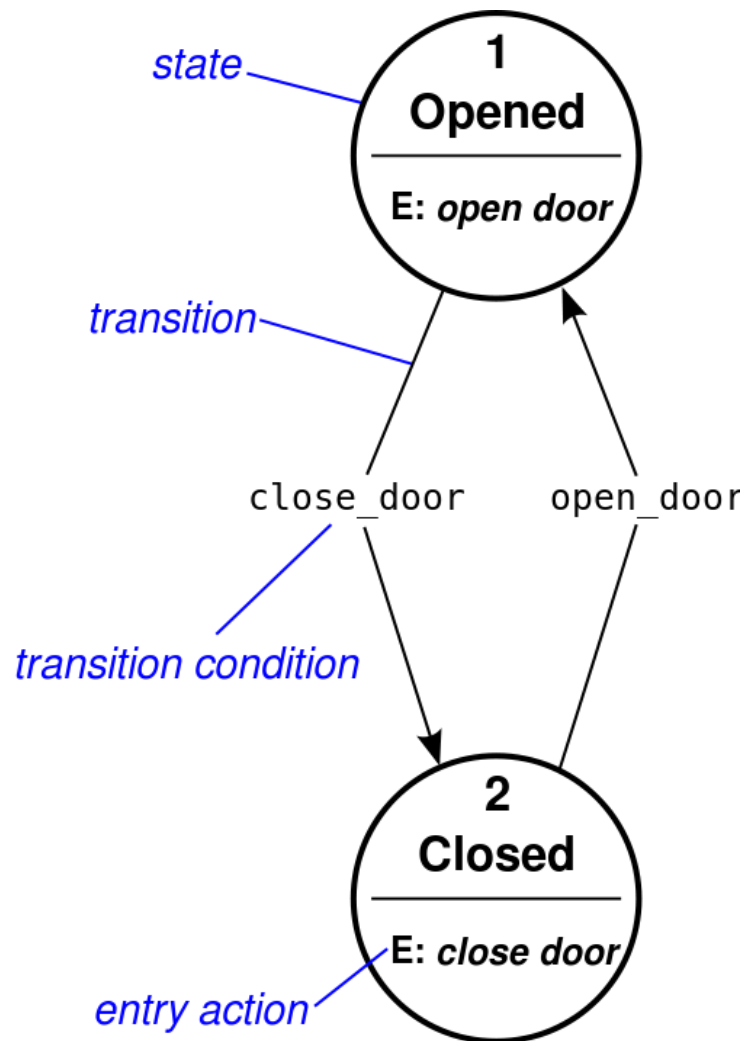
$DEVS = \langle X, S, Y, \delta_{int}, \delta_{ext}, \delta_{con}, ta, \lambda \rangle$

X :	a set of input events
Y :	a set of output events
S :	a set of states
$ta: S \rightarrow R^+_{0, \infty}$	time advance function
$\delta_{int}: S \rightarrow S$	internal transition function
$\delta_{ext}: Q \times X^b \rightarrow S$	external transition function
$\delta_{con}: Q \times X^b \rightarrow S$	confluent transition function
where X^b is a set of bags over elements in X	
$Q = \{(s, e) \mid s \in S, 0 \leq e \leq ta(s)\}$	
$\lambda: S \rightarrow Y$	output function

Note: DEVS is an extension of a Mealy machine (1955)

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State diagram

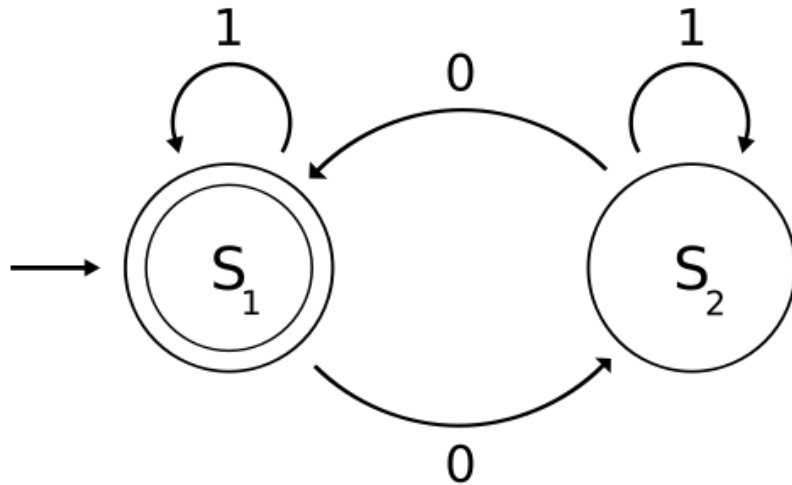


Simple example:

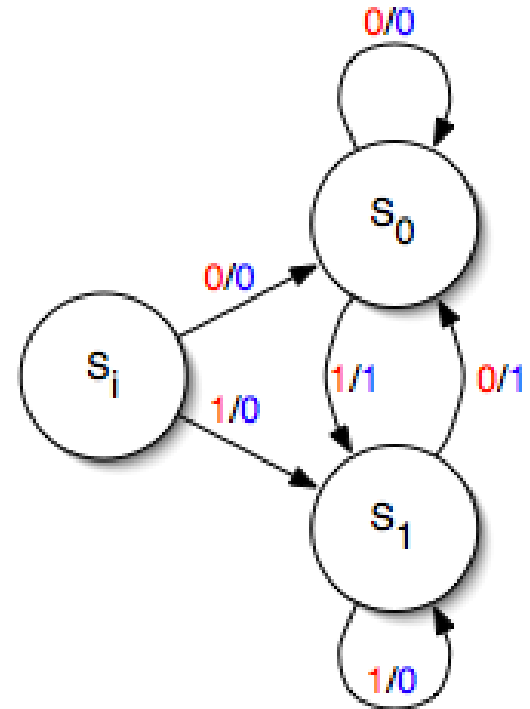
A door that can
be opened and
closed

Source: Wikipedia - State Diagram

Moore and Mealy Machines



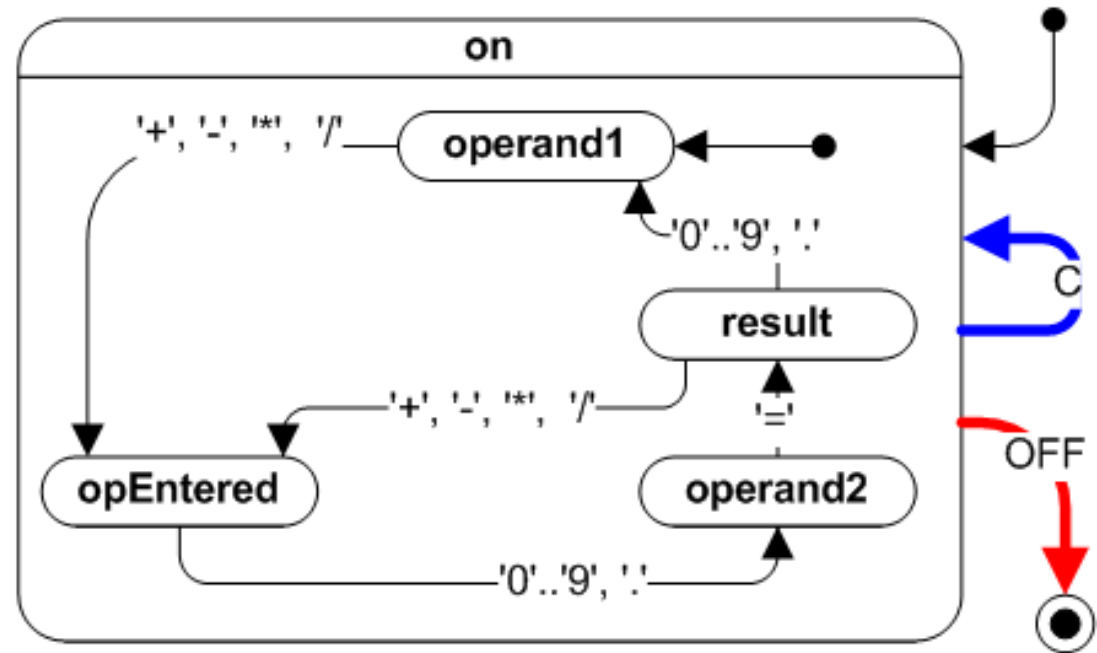
Moore Machine. Edge labeled with i =input. S_1 is the start state (arrow from outside) and the accept state (double circle). The language recognized by M is $1^*(0(1^*)0(1^*))^*$



Mealy Machine. Edge labeled with i/o , i =input, o =output. Suppose S_i is the start. ***What is the input/output relation?***

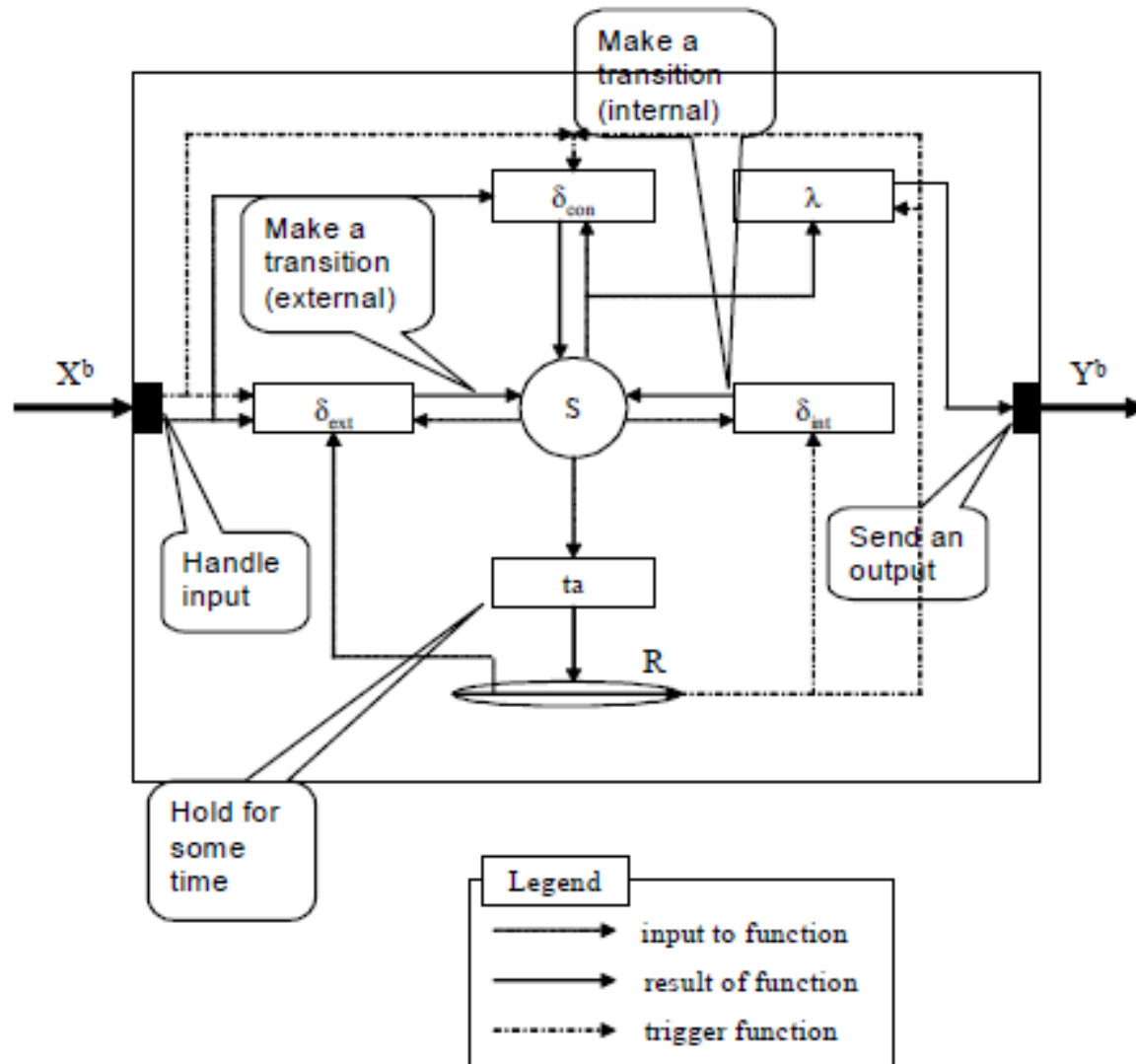
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Is this diagram correct?
(and if nesting is possible?)

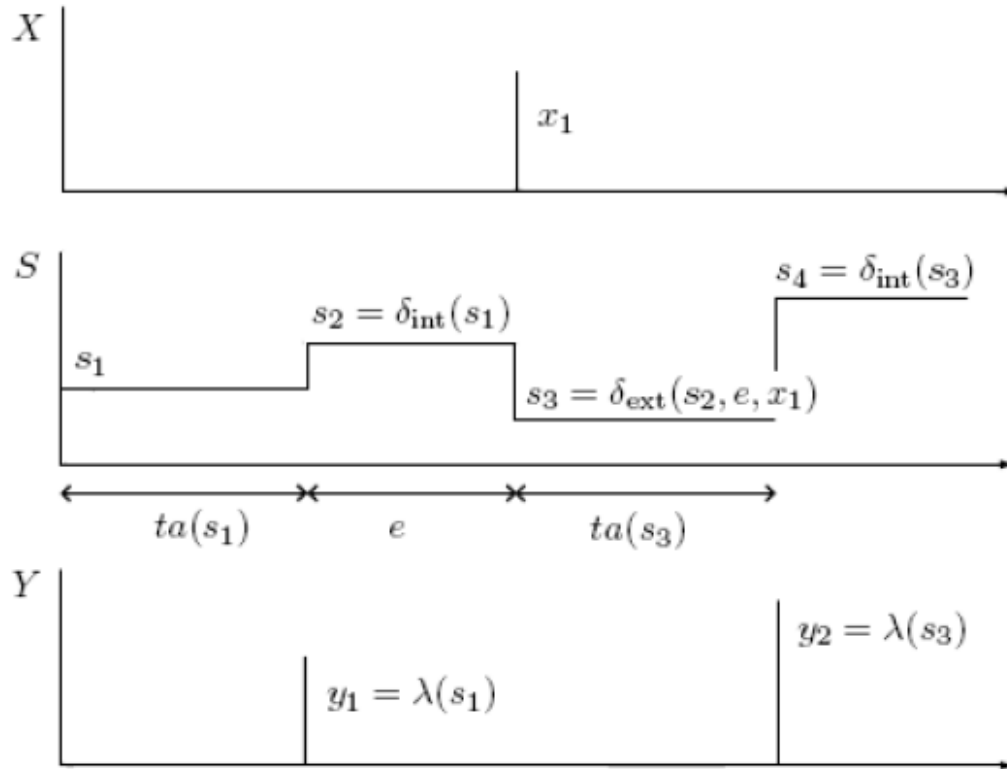


Source: Wikipedia - UML State Machine

DEVIS operation: Moore plus time



DEVS model trajectories



$$M = \langle X, Y, S, \delta_{\text{int}}(s), \delta_{\text{ext}}(s, e, x), \lambda(s), ta(s) \rangle$$

T. Beltrame, F.E. Cellier. Quantised State System Simulation in Dymola / Modelica using the DEVS Formalism. Modelica 2006 Workshop, Modelica Association, 2006

Port-based DEVS

$$\text{DEVS} = \langle X, S, Y, \delta_{\text{int}}, \delta_{\text{ext}}, \delta_{\text{con}}, \text{ta}, \lambda \rangle$$

$$X = \{(p, v) \mid p \in \text{IPorts}, v \in X_p\}$$

IPorts is the set of input ports

X_p is the set of values for the input ports

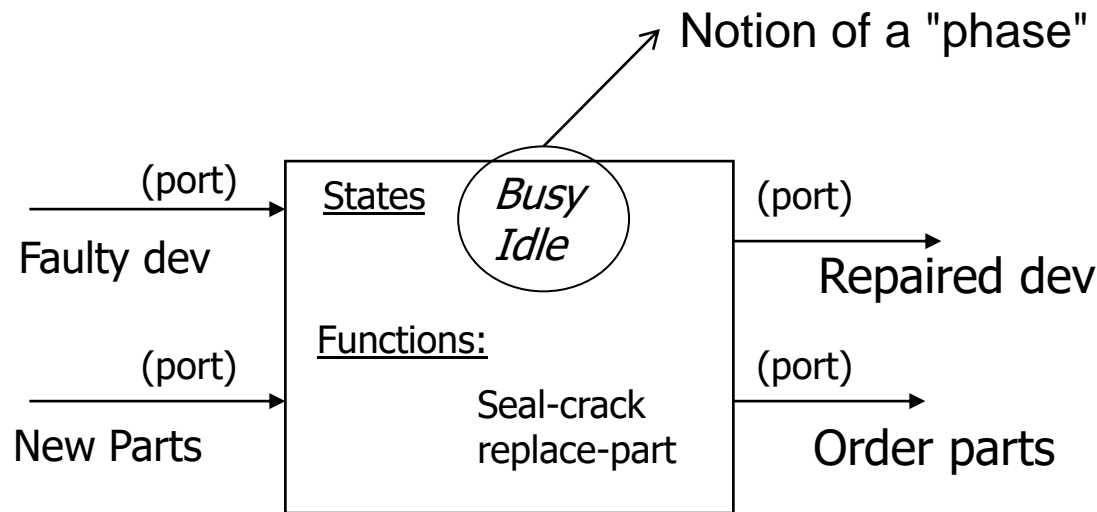
$$Y = \{(p, v) \mid p \in \text{OPorts}, v \in Y_p\}$$

OPorts is the set of output ports

Y_p is the set of values for the output ports

Example (Atomic Model)

Repair Shop: A repair shop receives devices from a customer. Each device requires a certain length of time for it to be repaired. Upon the repair of the device, it is sent to customer



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DEVS models

Two Types:

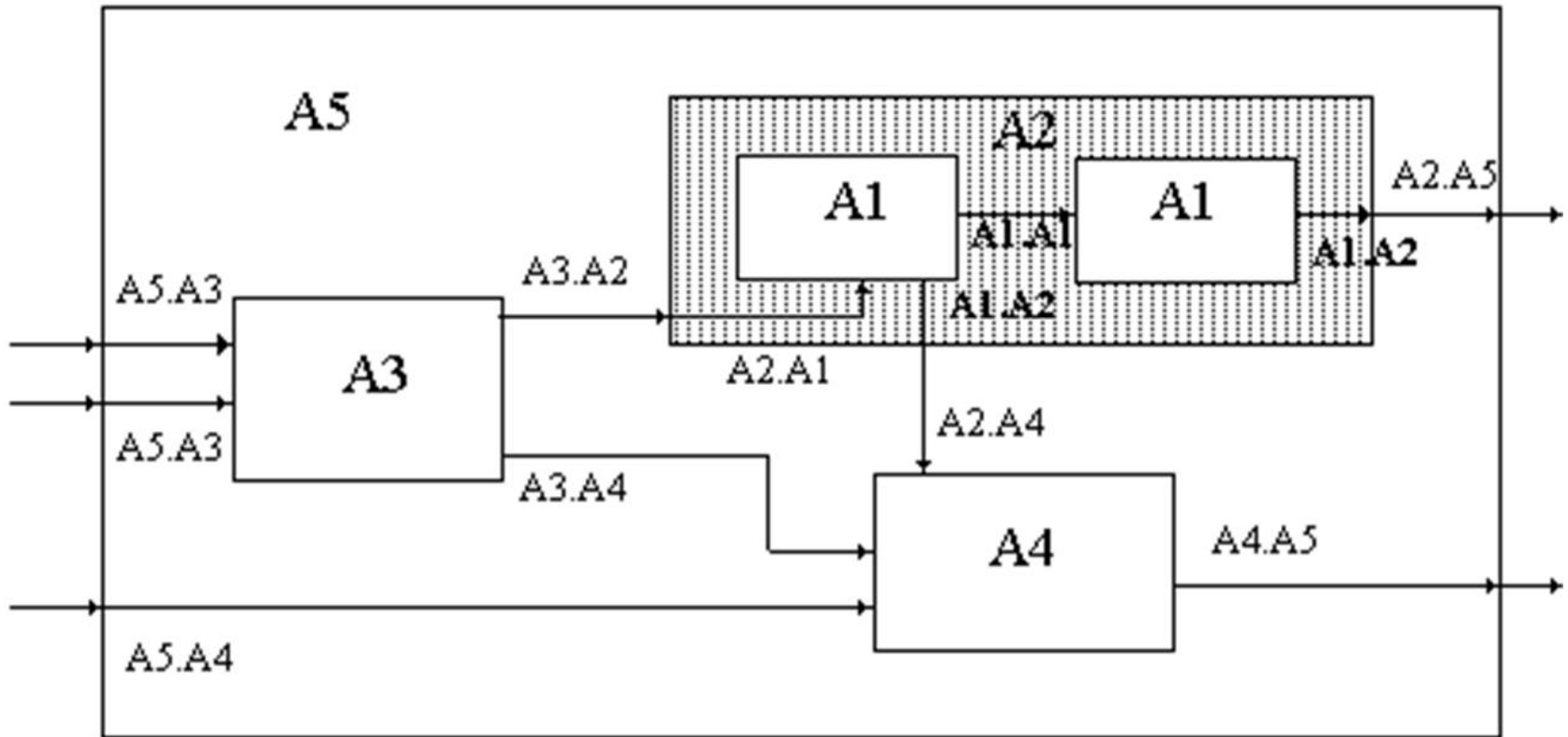
- **Atomic Model**

Basic models (atomic) from which larger ones (coupled) are built

- **Coupled Model**

How these models are connected together in hierarchical fashion using port-based DEVS

Coupled Model Specification



Atomic Models:

$M = \langle X, S, Y, \delta_{\text{int}}, \delta_{\text{ext}}, \lambda, \tau_a \rangle$

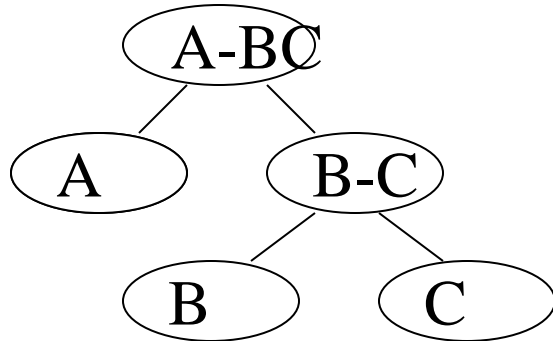
Coupled models:

$CM = \langle X, Y, D, \{M_i\}, EIC, EOC, IC, \text{select} \rangle$

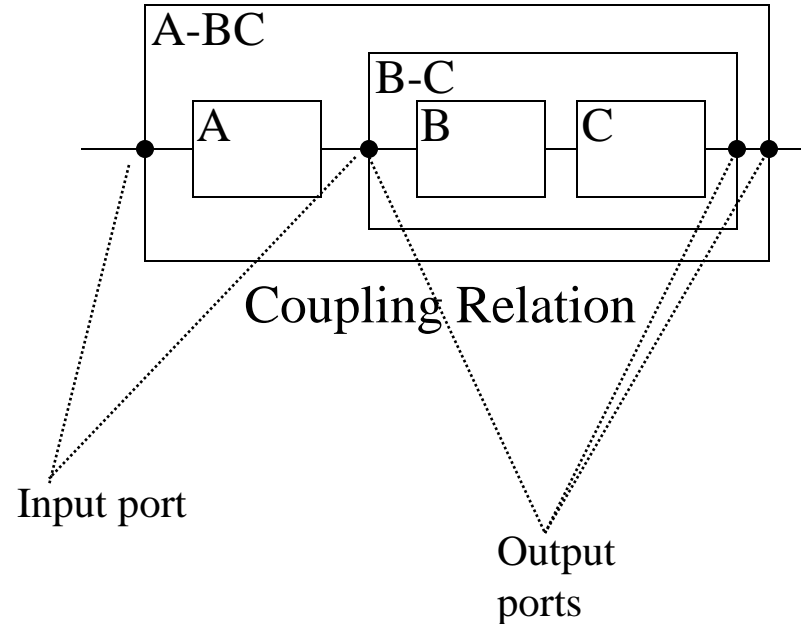
Source: Gabriel Wainer,
Dagstuhl workshop 04041

Coupling Relation

Coupling:

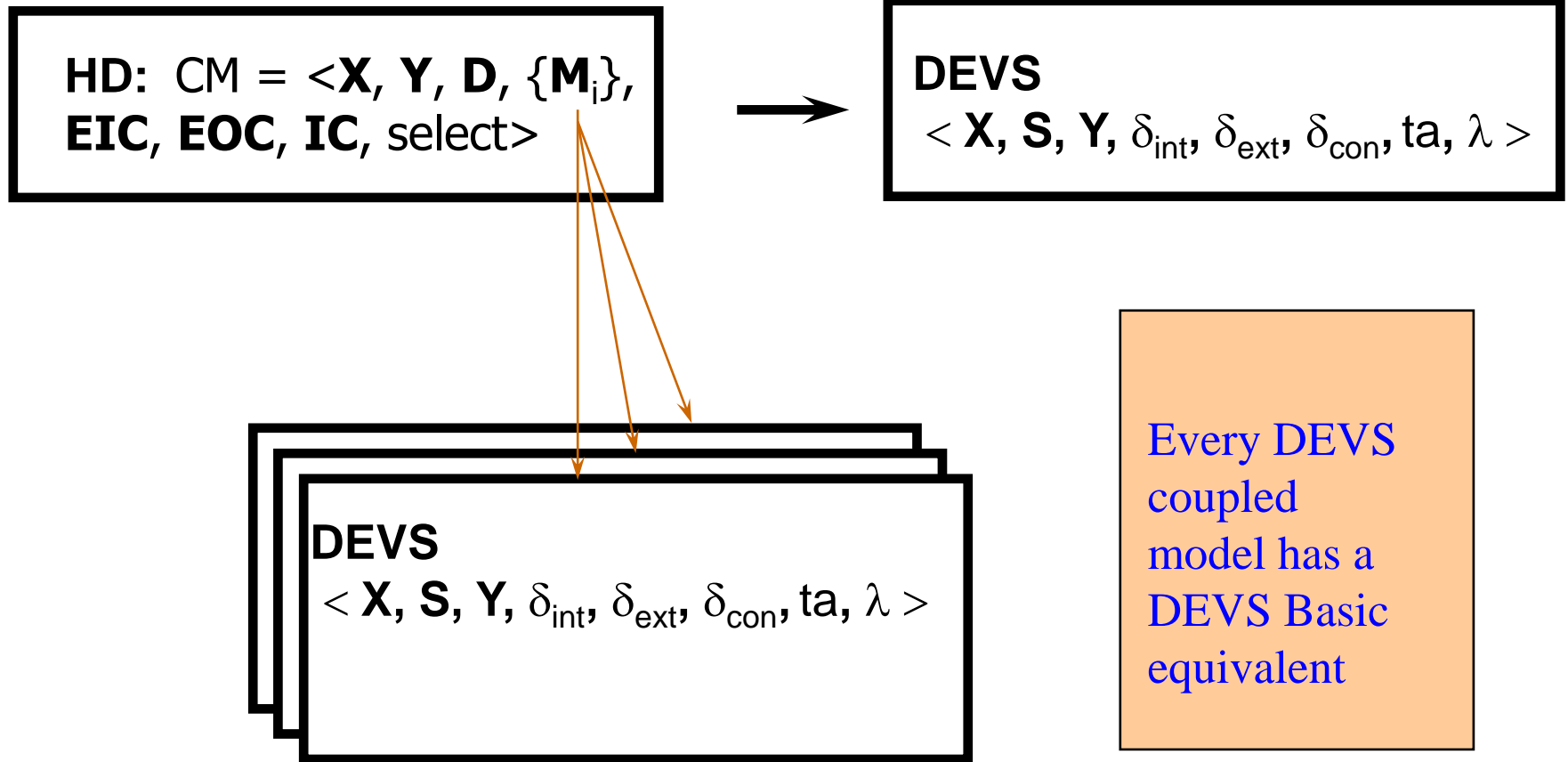


Hierarchal tree



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Closure Under Coupling



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Coupled Model

- Atomic Models coupled together. Coupled Model tells how to connect several atomic models (or lower level coupled models) together
- It contains:
 - Set of components(lower level models)
 - Set of it's own input and output ports
 - The coupling specifications between models and to/from the outside

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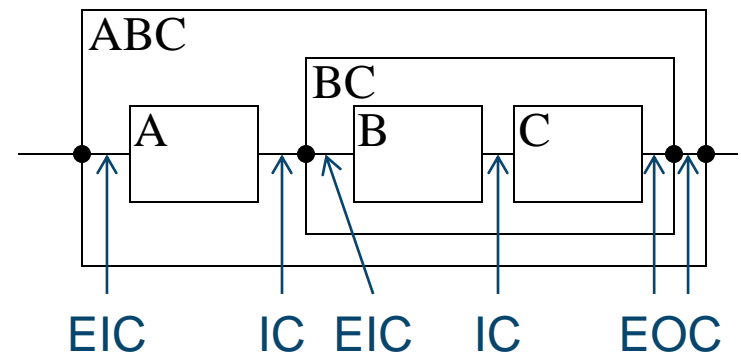
Coupled Model

Elements of a coupled model:

- Components $\langle M_i \rangle$ where $i \in D$. D is a set of model names or identifiers

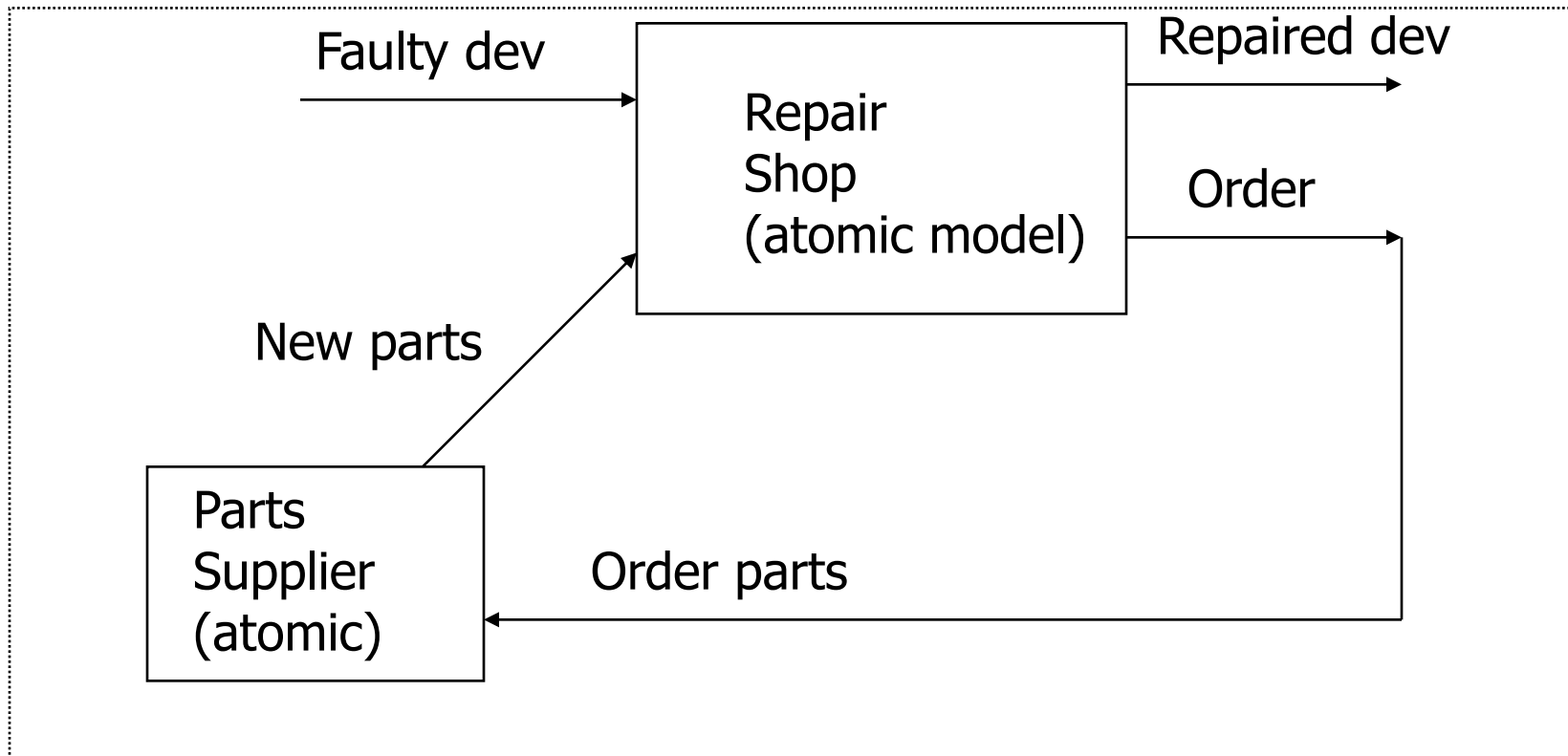
Interconnections

- Internal Couplings $\langle IC \rangle$
- External Input Couplings $\langle EIC \rangle$
- External Output Couplings $\langle EOC \rangle$



Example (Coupled model)

Repair shop on a higher systemic level



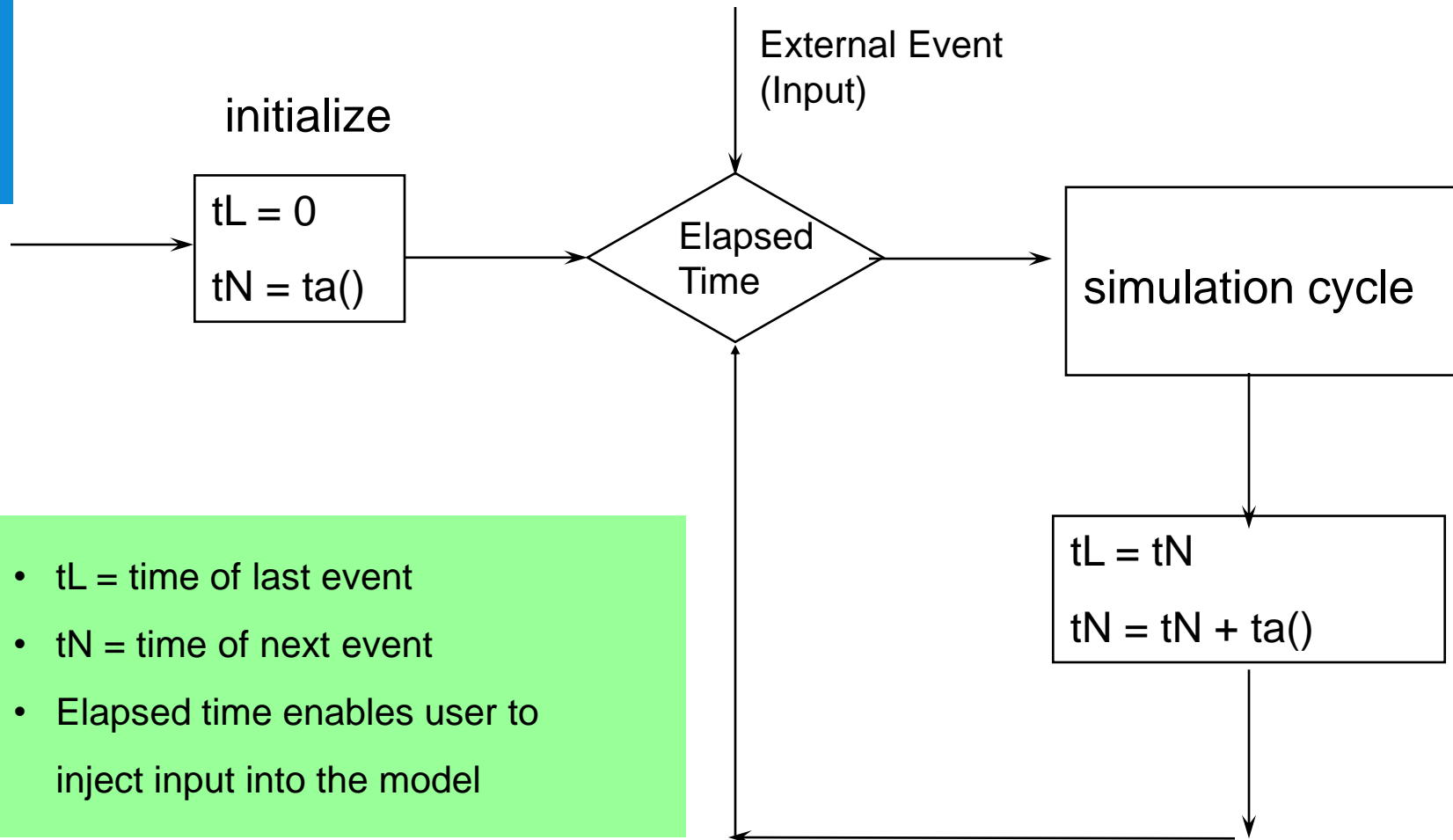
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Simulator/Simulation Concepts

- **Simulator** is responsible for executing a model's dynamics (represented as instructions) in a given formalism.
- **Abstract simulator** is a characterization of what needs to be done in executing a model's instructions
 - atomic simulator
 - coupled simulator
- **Simulation engines** enforce particular realizations of an abstract simulator
- Simulations can be **executed**:
 - Sequential
 - Parallel
 - Distributed (sequential/parallel)

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Atomic DEVS Simulator



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The DEV&DESS Simulator

- How to combine continuous (DESS) components (solved by a numerical integrator)
- and discrete event (DEVS) components (scheduled by a DEVS simulator)
- into one coupled model and preserve behavioral aspects of the components?

Many other extensions

- Parallel DEVS (PDEVS)
(handling simultaneous events)
- Quantized DEVS (QDEVS)
(discretization of continuous models based on discretized **state**)
- Generalized DEVS (GDEVS)
(replace continuous behavior by n-th order polynomial segments)
- Dynamic Structure DEVS (DSDEVS)
(input/output port mapping changes in simulation)
- Cell-DEVS
(cellular automaton - example of the forest)

Homework

- Read paper about DEVS extensions
- Prepare questions if unclear

- Work on term papers
- Work on simulation package

Sources:

- Gabriel Wainer, Dagstuhl Workshop 04041 contribution (see www.dagstuhl.de)
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- D. Hild, Discrete Event System Specification (DEVS) Distributed Object Computing (DOC) Modeling and Simulation. Ph.D. thesis, University of Arizona, 2000