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IsamDAE: An implicit Structural Analysis tool for multimode DAE systems



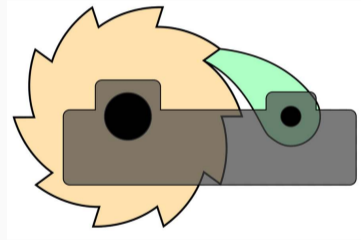
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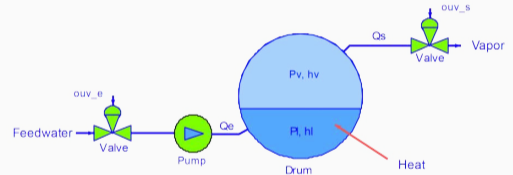
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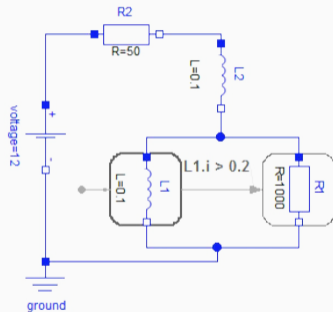
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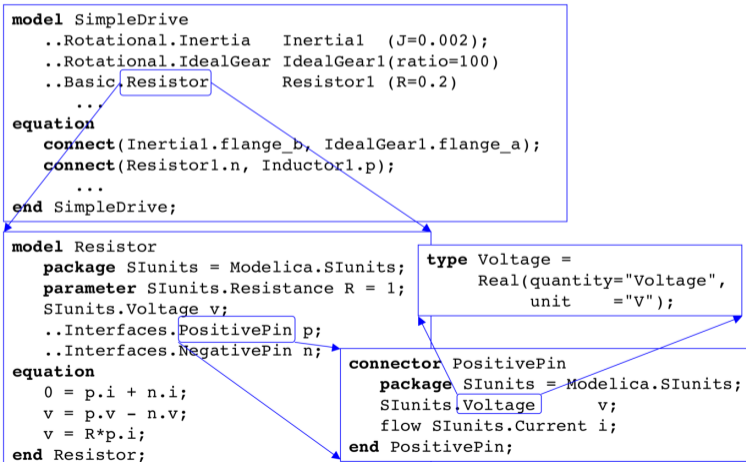
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- **Reconfigurable systems** ((dis)appearance of components)



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- Modelica = DAE + Objects
- Class = container for equations



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- Modelica Reference v3.3:

“The semantics of the Modelica language is specified by means of a set of rules for translating any class described in the Modelica language to a flat Modelica structure”

- Pros:

- Semantics of continuous-time 1-mode Modelica models: Cauchy problem on the DAE resulting from the inlining of all components
- DAE \Rightarrow modularity & reusability
- interconnecting components = algebraic constraints (\neq ODE)

```
model SC2
  class M
    parameter Real S;
    parameter Real C;
    Real u,i;
  equation
    C*der(u) + S*u = i;
  end M;
end SC2;
```

```
  M m1(S=1e-6,C=1e-5);
  M m2(S=2e-5,C=3e-5);
equation
  m1.u = m2.u;
  m1.i + m2.i = 0;
end SC2;
```

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- Modelica supports **multimode** systems

```
x*x + y*y = 1;  
der(x) + u = 0;  
u = if x >= 0 then x+y else y;  
when x <= 0 do reinit(x,1); end;  
when y <= 0 do reinit(y,x); end;
```

- **Cons:**
 - What about the semantics of multimode systems?
 - Concept of solution incompletely defined
- **and, unsurprisingly:** Questionable simulations

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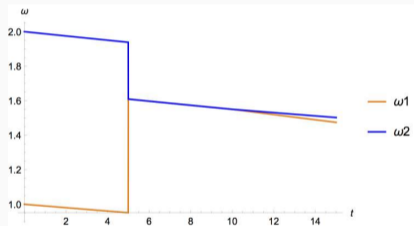
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j2*der(w2) = -k2*w2 + f2;  
0 = if g then w1-w2 else f1;  
f1 + f2 = 0;
```



Singular inconsistent scalar system for $f1 = ((\text{if } g \text{ then } w1-w2 \text{ else } 0.0)) / (-(\text{if } g \text{ then } 0.0 \text{ else } 1.0)) = -0.502621/-0$

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  import Railcar;
  parameter Integer n = 50;
  Railcar railcar[n];
  Modelica.electrical.analog.Interfaces.PositivePin pin_p;
  Modelica.electrical.analog.Interfaces.NegativePin pin_n;
  Real v[n];
  Modelica.Blocks.Interfaces.RealOutput u;
equation
  connect(pin_n, railcar[n].pin_n);
  for i in 1:n-1 loop
    connect(railcar[i+1].pin_p, railcar[i].pin_n);
  end for;
  for i in 1:n loop
    connect(railcar[i].v, v[i]);
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  n*u + sum(v) = 0;
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- JIT compilation : index reduction, Dulmage-Mendelsohn decomposition and automatic differentiation performed at run-time
- Modelyze [Broman], Modia [Elmqvist]

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Our idea:

- *Symbolic* structural analysis \Rightarrow represent the structure of a mDAE as *functions* $M \rightarrow \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{B}$ of the modes

Structural Analysis of DAE

General form: $F(x, x', x'', \dots, t) = 0$

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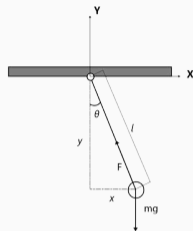
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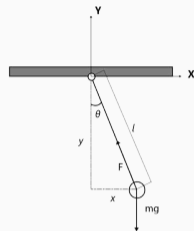
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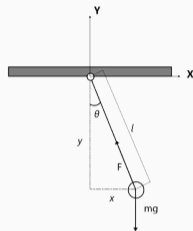
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J is singular : the system can not be solved without some transformation.

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- Uses graph theoretic algorithms (eg. **Pantelides** method)

Highlights on several methods

- Structural analysis methods:
 - Pantelides (1988)
 - Weighed Bipartite Graph method [Ding et al. 2008]
 - Σ -method [Pryce 2001]
 - σ - ν method [Chowdhry et al. 2004]
- Several implementations (Modelica tools, Mathematica...)

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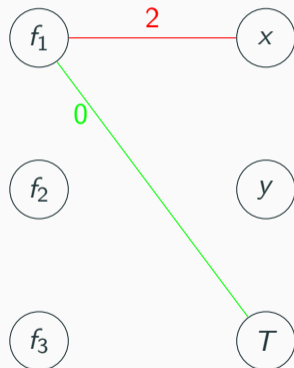
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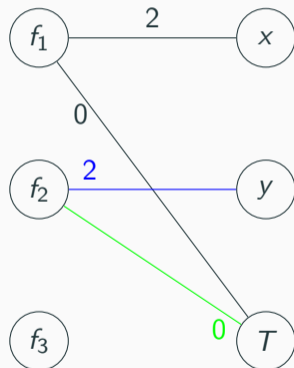
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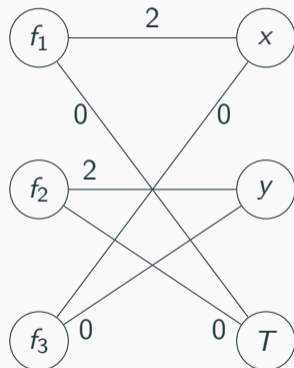
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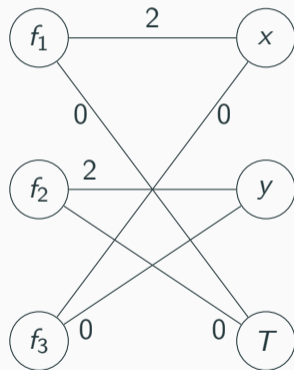
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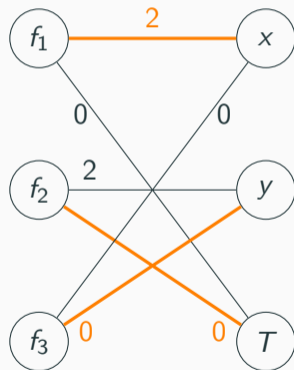
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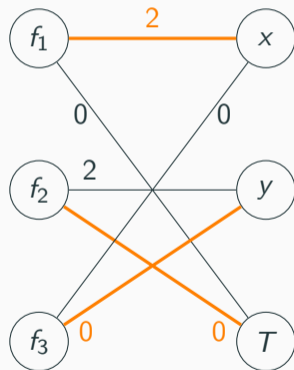
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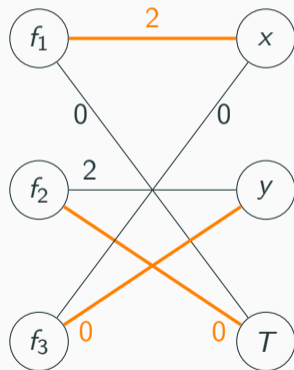
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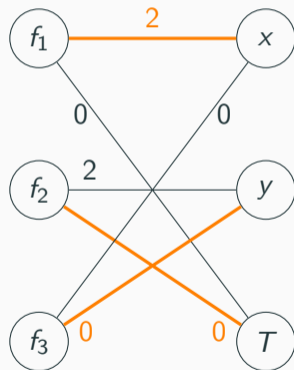
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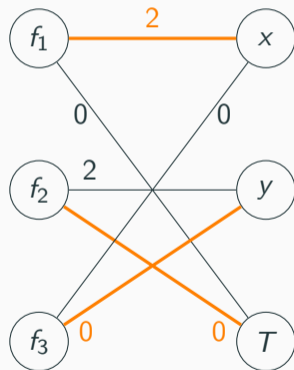
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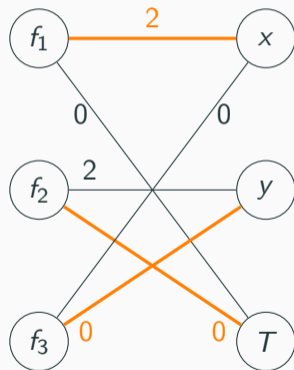
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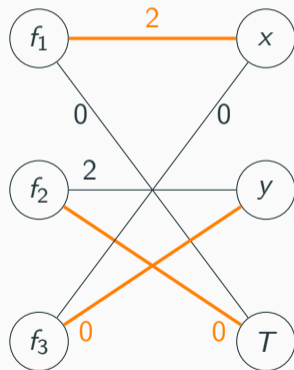


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e1 : equation 0 = if g1 & !g2 then x else - y / 2.;  
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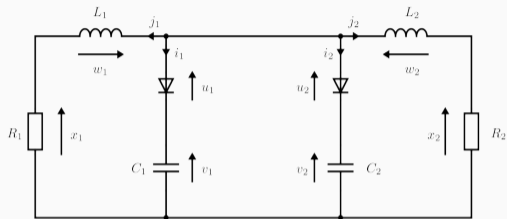
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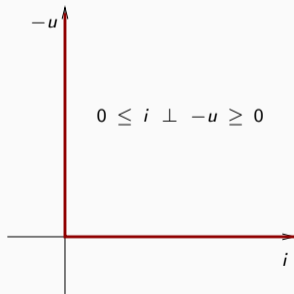
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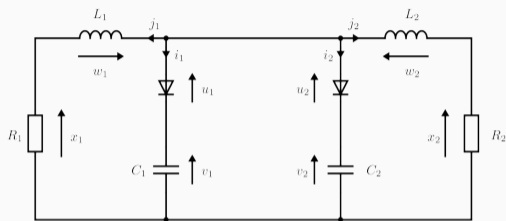
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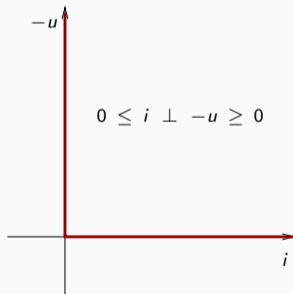
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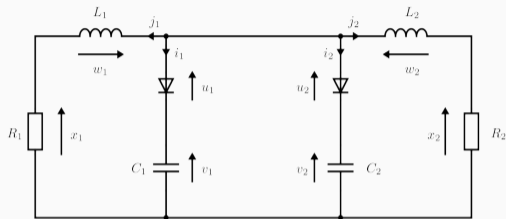
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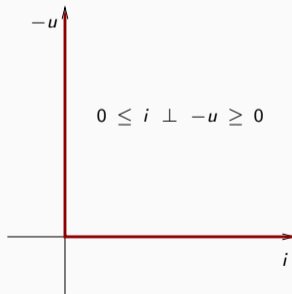


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 - it is a maximum-weight perfect matching between the equations and variables of the DAE
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 - solved thanks to a fixpoint iteration

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Algorithm:

$$\begin{aligned} \max b_k(\gamma) &= \gamma \wedge (\pi \iff w_k) \text{ with:} \\ \pi &= \exists \vec{V}, \gamma \wedge w_k \\ \psi &= \psi_0 \\ \psi_k &= \max b_k(\psi_{k+1}) \text{ for all } k < N \\ \psi_N &= \varphi \end{aligned}$$

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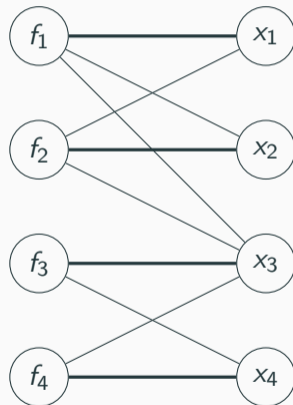
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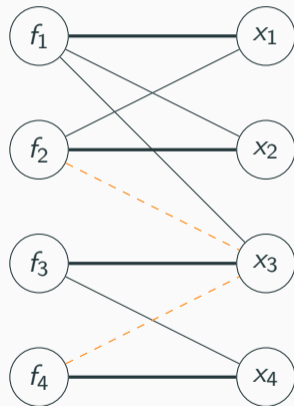
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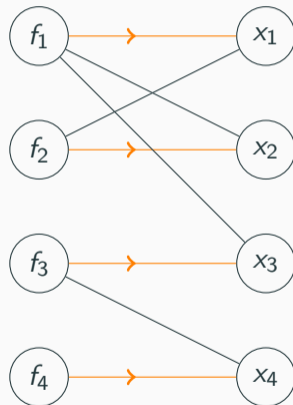
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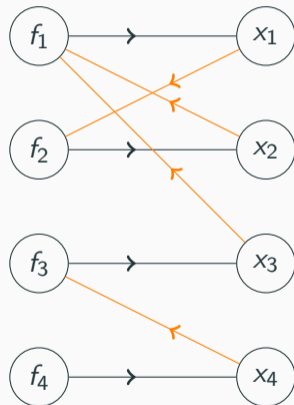
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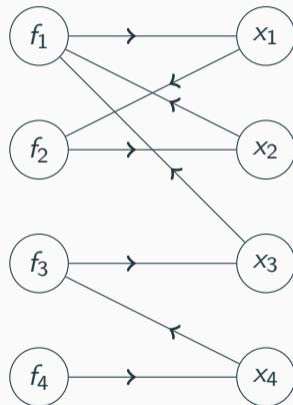
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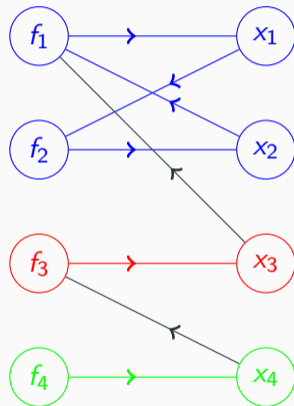
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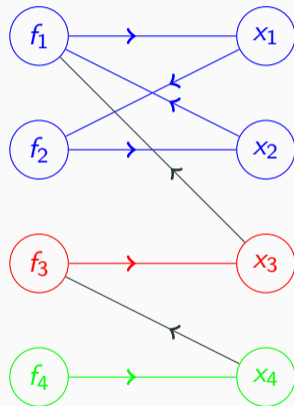
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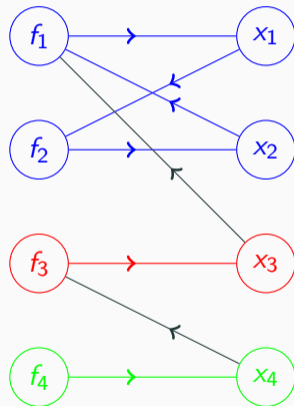
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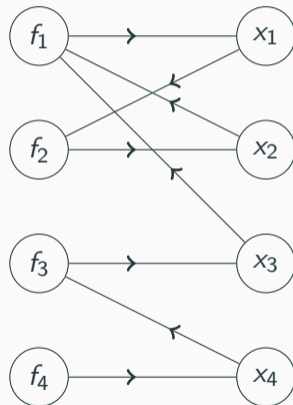
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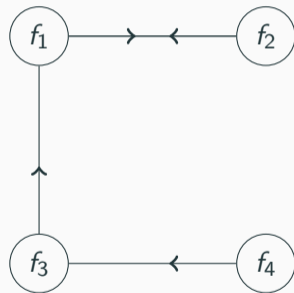
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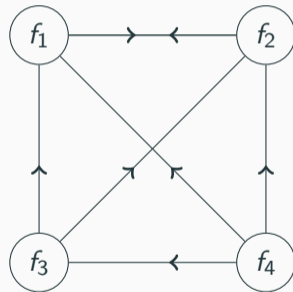
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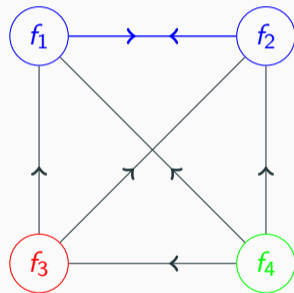
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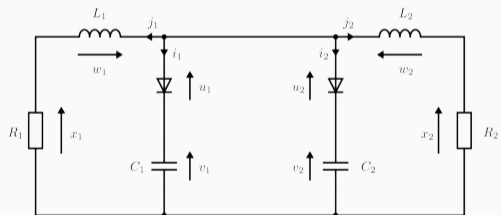
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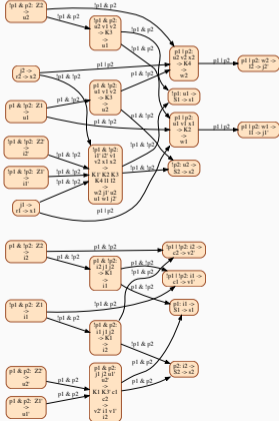
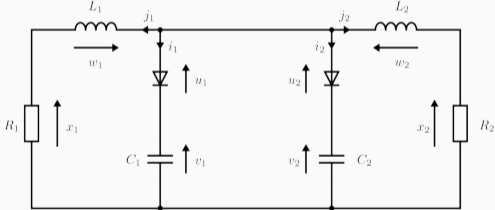
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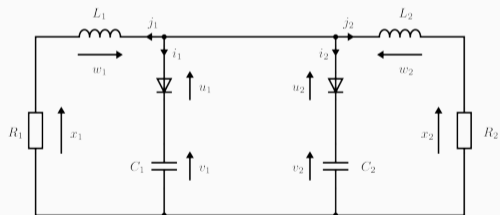


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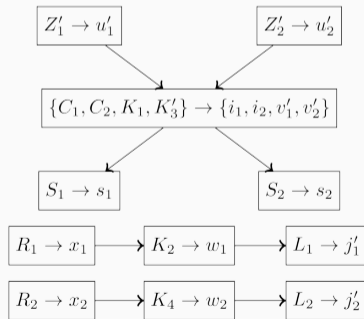


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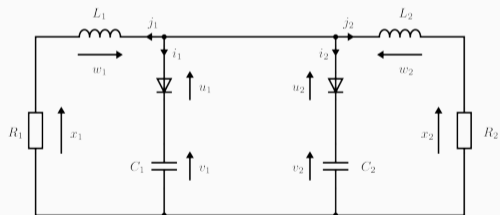


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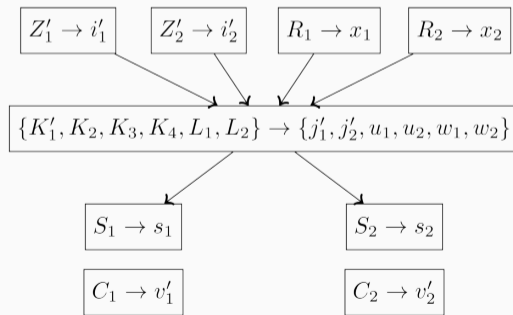


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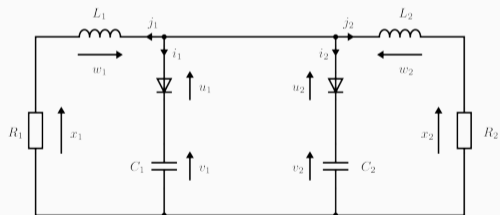


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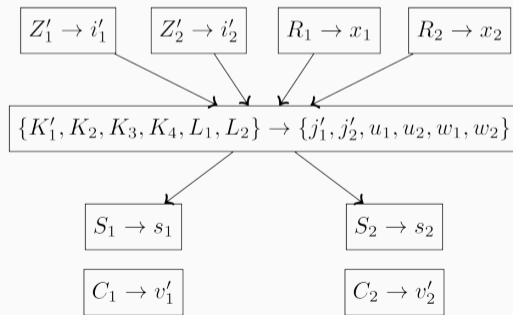


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 - maximal values of the d_j 's throughout the modes are known

- Fixed-size leading variables vector: one per variable
 - actual d_j implied (given by the block dependency graph)

Here, simulation is performed on two threads with shared memory; no assumption about a strategy for picking the next block to solve

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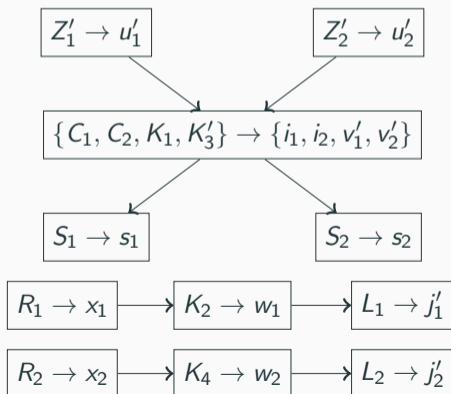


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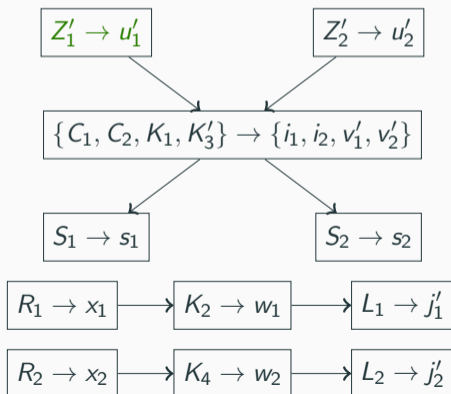


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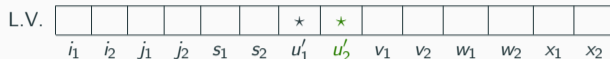
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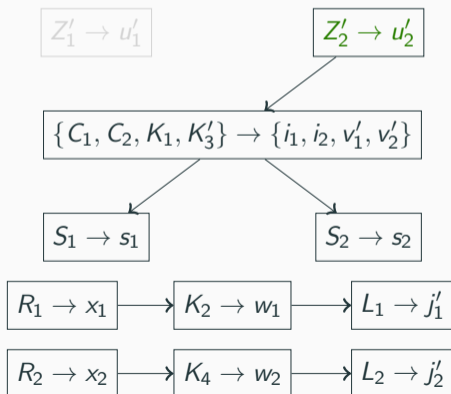


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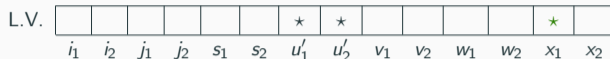
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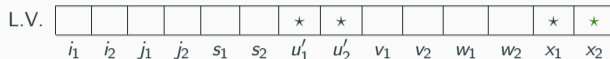
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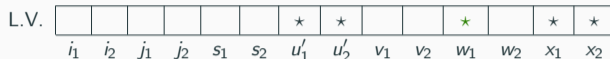
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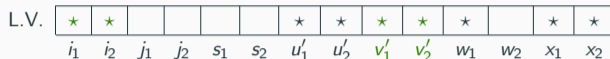
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$$j_1, j_2, u'_1, u'_2 : \{C_1, C_2, K_1, K'_3\} \rightarrow \{i_1, i_2, v'_1, v'_2\}$$

Executing the RLDC2 model (2/2)



Thread 1:

$$Z'_1 \rightarrow u'_1$$

$$Z'_2 \rightarrow u'_2$$

$$u_2, v_2, x_2 : K_4 \rightarrow w_2$$

Thread 2:

$$\{C_1, C_2, K_1, K'_3\} \rightarrow \{i_1, i_2, v'_1, v'_2\}$$

$$S_1 \rightarrow s_1$$

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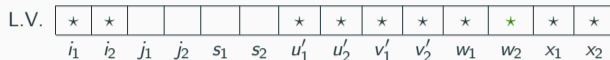
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Executing the RLDC2 model (2/2)



Thread 1:

$u_2, v_2, x_2 : K_4 \rightarrow w_2$

Thread 2:

$w_1 : L_1 \rightarrow j'_1$

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$$\{C_1, C_2, K_1, K'_3\} \rightarrow \{i_1, i_2, v'_1, v'_2\}$$

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Executing the RLDC2 model (2/2)

S.V.

		*	*	*	*	*	*
i_1	i_2	j_1	j_2	u_1	u_2	v_1	v_2

L.V.

*	*	*				*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
i_1	i_2	j'_1	j_2	s_1	s_2	u'_1	u'_2	v'_1	v'_2	w_1	w_2	x_1	x_2	

Thread 1:

$w_2 : L_2 \rightarrow j'_2$

Thread 2:

$w_1 : L_1 \rightarrow j'_1$

$Z'_1 \rightarrow u'_1$

$Z'_2 \rightarrow u'_2$

$\{C_1, C_2, K_1, K'_3\} \rightarrow \{i_1, i_2, v'_1, v'_2\}$

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Executing the RLDC2 model (2/2)

S.V.

		*	*	*	*	*	*
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 i_1 i_2 j_1 j_2 u_1 u_2 v_1 v_2

L.V.

*	*	*	*			*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
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L.V.

*	*	*	*	*		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
i_1	i_2	j'_1	j'_2	s_1	s_2	u'_1	u'_2	v'_1	v'_2	w_1	w_2	x_1	x_2	

Thread 1:

$i_2 : S_2 \rightarrow s_2$

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i_1	i_2	j_1	j_2	u_1	u_2	v_1	v_2

L.V.

*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
i_1	i_2	j'_1	j'_2	s_1	s_2	u'_1	u'_2	v'_1	v'_2	w_1	w_2	x_1	x_2		

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Thread 2:

$$S_1 \rightarrow s_1$$

$$S_2 \rightarrow s_2$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow x_1$$

$$K_2 \rightarrow w_1$$

$$L_1 \rightarrow j'_1$$

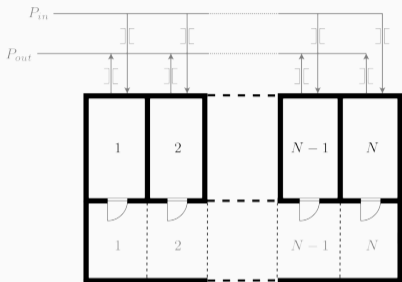
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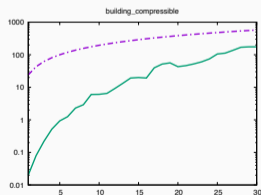
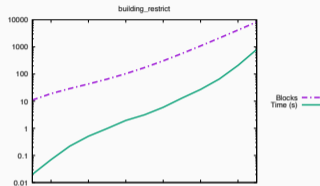
Scalability

A thermal model of an office building



Two variants:

- Incompressible air: singular when all doors closed and does not scale up
- Compressible air: scales up (number of blocks linear in N)



Conclusion

Results:

- Structural analysis methods for **multimode DAE** systems
- Extending Pryce's **Σ -method**
- Index reduction for all modes, with **no mode enumeration**
- Handles **varying dimension, varying structure, varying index** systems
- Software: **IsamDAE** <https://allgo18.inria.fr/apps/isamdae>

IsamDAE:

- Implementation in OCaml based on Arlen Cox's **MLBDD** package
- Tested on moderately large models (10^3 equations, 2^{80} modes)
- Please try the **web** version <https://allgo18.inria.fr/apps/isamdae>
- **To do:**
 - Structural analysis of mode changes (strong assumption: logico-numerical fixed-point equations are rejected, ie. requires infinitesimal delay between guard and equation)
 - Detecting impulsive mode changes
 - Interfacing with Dymola (collab. with Dassault Systèmes)

Open questions:

- **Compositional** structural analysis (divide and conquer approach) exploiting the topology of the model
- Handling linear equations with **integer coefficients** (connectors, Kirchhoff equations...)
- Understanding the relationship btw. mDAE and **Complementarity Systems** (Christelle Kozaily's PhD work)

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Thank you

Questions?



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