

Experimental analysis of RTEMS on a multi- core platform

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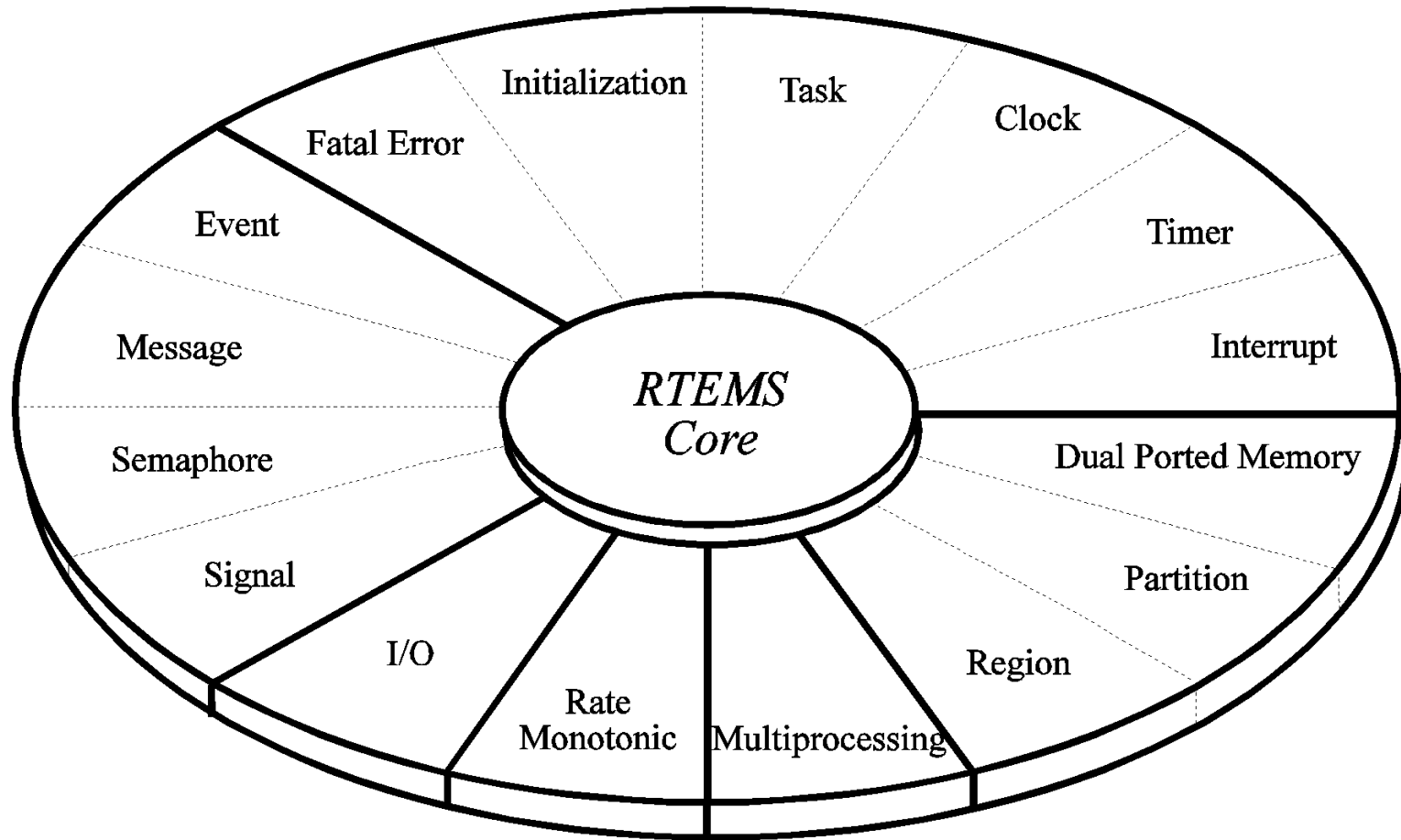


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The Problems

- Switch from UniProcessor to MultiProcessor
 - Scheduling
 - Synchronization (shared resources)

RTEMS



RTEMS SMP Schedulers

- › Simple Priority
- › Deterministic Priority
- › EDF (Earliest Deadline First)
- › Arbitrary Affinity Deterministic Priority

RTEMS Synchronization

- › Signals
- › Events
- › Message Queues
- › Semaphores
 - barriers
 - binary semaphores with MrsP (priority ceiling)
 - binary semaphores with OMiP (priority inheritance)

Multiprocessor Resource Sharing Protocol (MrsP)

- › Generalization of Priority Ceiling Protocol
- › Considerations kept to fixed-priority scheduling
- › Spin-based locking
- › Helping hand mechanism

O(m) Independence Preserving Protocol (OMiP)

- › Generalization of Priority Inheritance Protocol
- › First independence preserving protocol for multiprocessor
- › Suspension-based locking
- › Migratory Priority Inheritance
- › Proved to be impossible to bound priority inversion times while preserving the independence of tasks and avoid inter-cluster migration.

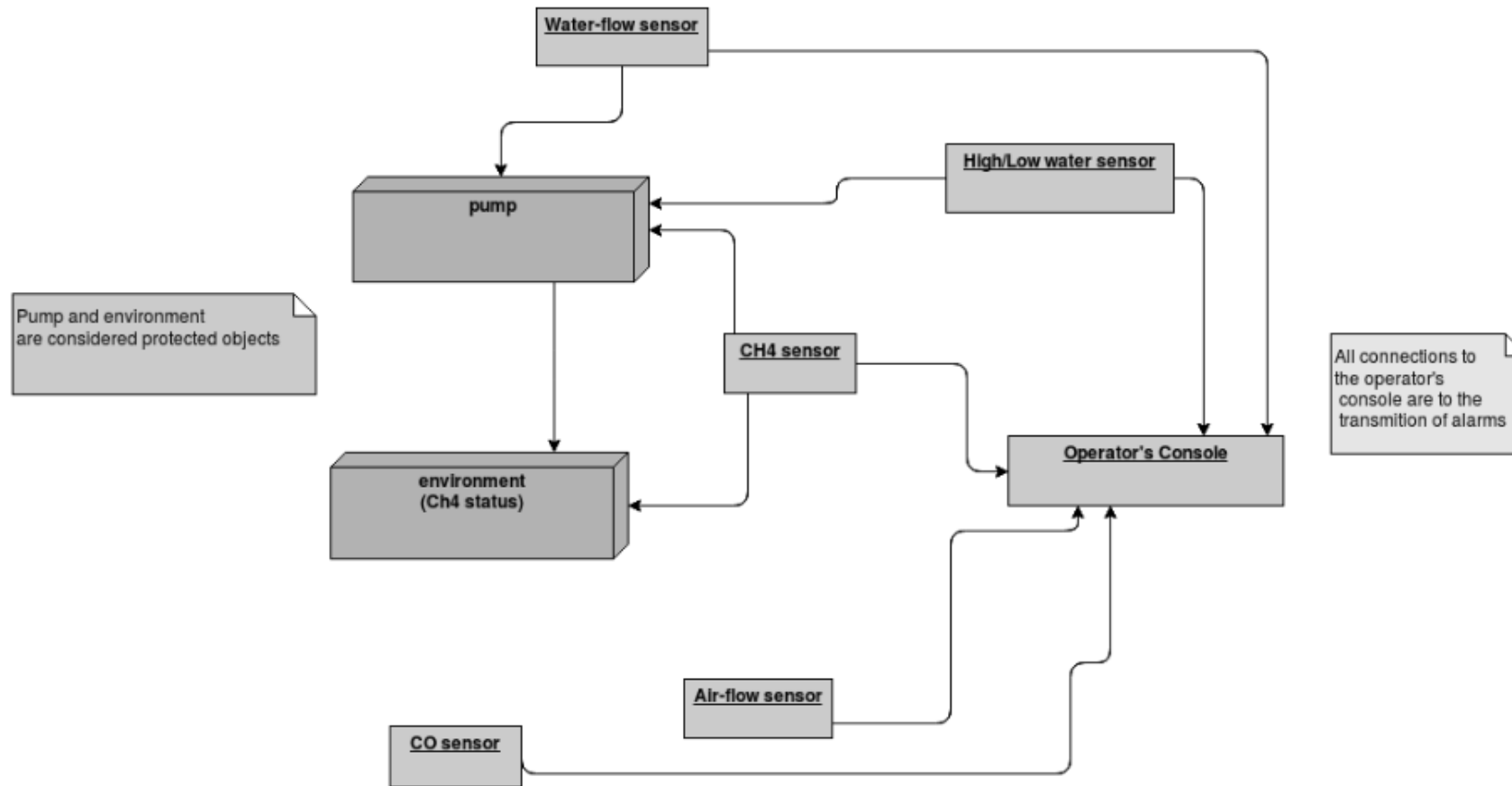
Solution

- Circular Buffer
- Samples (RTEMS Applications)
- Mine Control Case Study

Testsuites implemented

- Simple Priority
- Deterministic Priority
- EDF (Earliest Deadline First)
- Arbitrary Affinity Deterministic Priority
- Clustered scheduling
- MrsP helping protocol
- Omip helping protocol (not implemented)
- Barriers
- Events
- Message Queues

Mine Control Case Study



Mine Control Scheduling Test

$$R_k^{\max} \leftarrow C_k + \frac{1}{m} \sum_{\tau_j \in hp(k)} \left(\left\lceil \frac{R_k^{\max}}{T_j} \right\rceil C_j + C_j \right)$$

Conclusion and Future Work