

(Re) Organization model for decentralized management and optimization of green data center: ParaMoise

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Cloud computing and Autonomic computing

- Cloud computing – virtualized data center(s) that processes any type of workload. (It is a large-scale dynamic distributed system.)
- Autonomic computing – bringing self-* properties to system (*={management, optimization, healing, ...}).

Both approaches include an underlying organization, e.g.:

- Communication patterns
- Authority
- Responsibilities

Purpose of (re)organization

The purpose of organization is to facilitate reaching optimal states. In this way, we can define organization's¹:

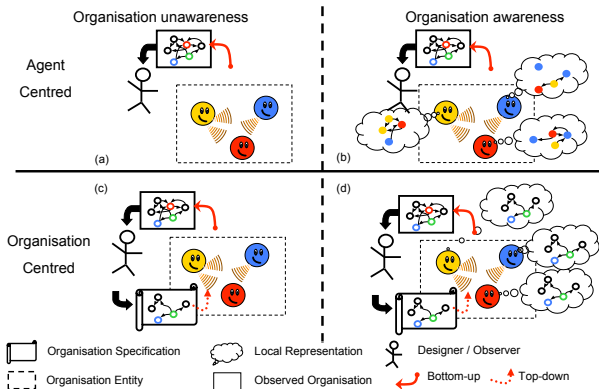
- *Cost*
- *Benefit*
- $Efficiency = Benefit - Cost$

Efficiency of an organization depends on the system and environment. In a dynamic system (cloud) both system and environment changes. There is a need to reorganize to achieve optimal *Efficiency*.

¹Ramachandra Kota, Nicholas Gibbins, and Nicholas R. Jennings. "Decentralised Structural Adaptation in Agent Organisations". In: *AAMAS-OAMAS*. 2008, pp. 54–71.

MAS organizations classification²

In context of MAS, we can always investigate its organization, even in a systems that does not explicitly define it.



source: ²

²G. Picard et al. "Reorganisation and self-organisation in multi-agent systems". In: *International Workshop on Organizational Modeling. OrgMod'09. 2009, pp. 66–80.*

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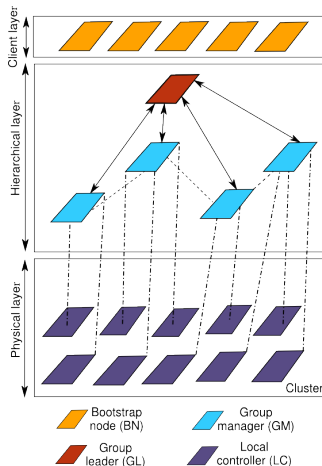
Distributed management system – Snooze³

Snooze is an example of a Multi-Agent System (MAS) with hierarchical organization for:

- Management
- Optimization
- Reliability

Limitations:

- One organization schema
- Reorganization limited to behavior predefined in the schema



source: snooze.inria.fr

³E. Feller, L. Rilling, and C. Morin. "Snooze: A Scalable and Autonomic Virtual Machine Management Framework for Private Clouds". In: *Cluster, Cloud and Grid Computing (CCGrid), 2012 12th IEEE/ACM International Symposium on*. 2012, pp. 482–489.

Organizational frameworks – state of the art

Organizational frameworks:

- Centralized (AgentCoRe, GPGP/STAEM)
- Limited reorg. capabilities
- Offline or not specified
- Sequential

Cloud system needs:

- Decentralization (Performance, Reliability)
- Wide reorg. capabilities
- Online reorg.
- Parallelism and concurrency

We have chosen a MOISE+ framework as a base, because of its advancement and its elasticity.

MOISE+ is an organizational framework. It defines Organization Specification (OS) as:

- Structural Specification (SS)(Roles and their interactions)
- Functional Specification (FS) (Missions and goals)
- Deontic Specification (DS) (Obligation and permissions to commit to missions by roles), binds SS and FS.

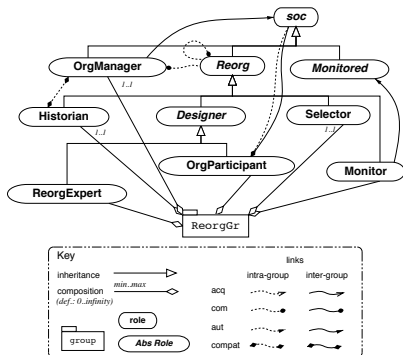
The OS is a template used to create Organization Entity (OE), which is a description of a deployed organization (essentially, agents and their relations with organization).

Reorganization is a process of chaining organization either on level of:

- OS – e.g. changes in definitions of roles, interaction patterns, missions, obligations.
- OE – e.g. adopting roles, creating missions

MOISE+ Reorganization II

MOISE+ provides a reorganization capabilities by a set of special roles.



source:⁴

⁴ J. Hübner, J. Sichman, and O. Boissier. "Using the Moise+ Model for a Cooperative Framework of MAS Reorganisation". In: *Advances in Artificial Intelligence, SBIA 2004*. Vol. 3171. Springer Berlin / Heidelberg, 2004, pp. 481–517.

However, the only proposed reorganization implementation (JaCaMo)^a requires:

- 1 halting an organization
- 2 applying changes to organization
- 3 resuming the organization

It is not feasible in a cloud system.

^aO. Boissier et al. "Multi-agent oriented programming with JaCaMo". In: *Science of Computer Programming* (2011).

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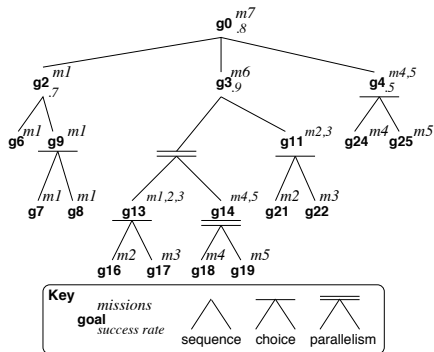
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ParaMoise enables parallel, distributed reorganization on OS or OE level at runtime. It is based on the following changes:

- Introducing a new functional specification
- Adding the lock mechanism
- Enabling multiple organization managers

Workflow Specification – novel FS

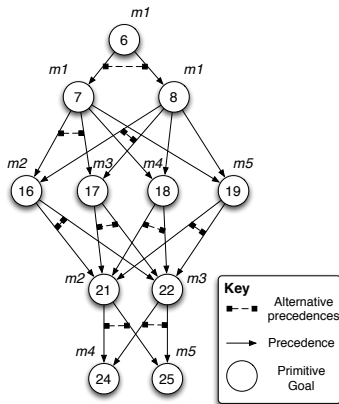
Basic MOISE+ FS is based on tree structure:



source:⁵

⁵ J. Hübner, J. Sichman, and O. Boissier. "A Model for the Structural, Functional, and Deontic Specification of Organizations in Multiagent Systems". In: *Advances in Artificial Intelligence*. Vol. 2507. Springer Berlin / Heidelberg, 2002, pp. 439–448.

ParaMoose introduces Workflow Specification (WFS):



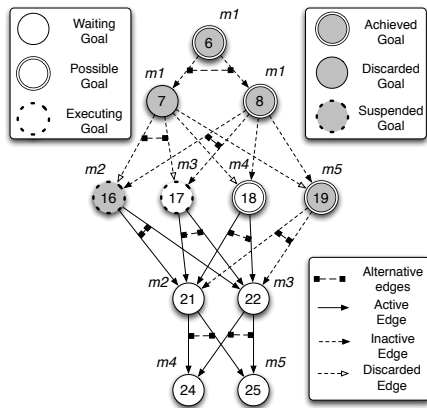
Workflow execution

Workflow enables:

- arbitrary dependencies
- parallel execution
- correct execution: mutual exclusion, progress, deadlock free
- repetition of goals

Additional features:

- progress tracking
- alternative execution paths
- repetitions (failure handling)



A reorganization modifies the state of the organization.

The proposed method of minimal interaction with organization are *locks*:

A lock defines elements of organization that must remain unchanged as long as the lock exists.

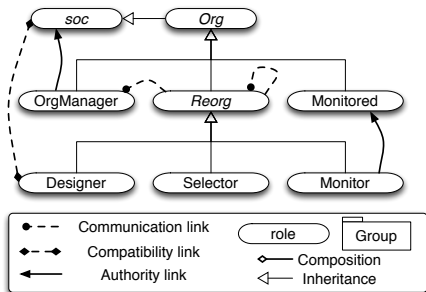
There are two types of locks:

- 1 read – can overlap with other read locks
- 2 write – can not overlap with other locks

Write locks are used when an element is modified or removed. Read locks are used when an element existence is needed (e.g. definition of a role if reorganization includes the adoption of that role).

Concurrent and parallel reorganization

- Locks enable concurrent reorganizations (the only requirement is that existing locks do not overlap).
- Additional requirement: multiple organization managers (as OrgManager is the only role that has permission to change elements of organization).
- Multiple OrgManagers: removal of the potential bottleneck and single point of failure.



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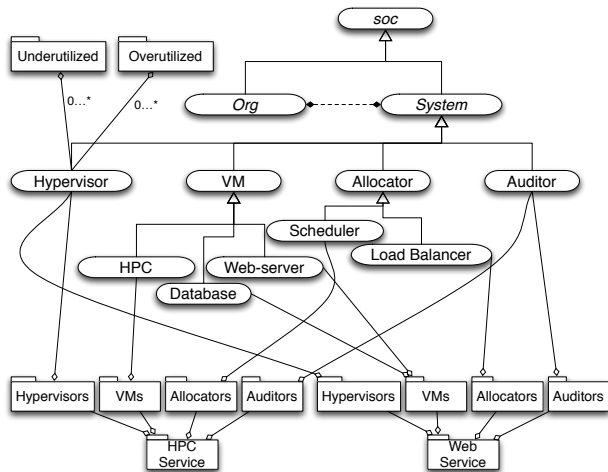
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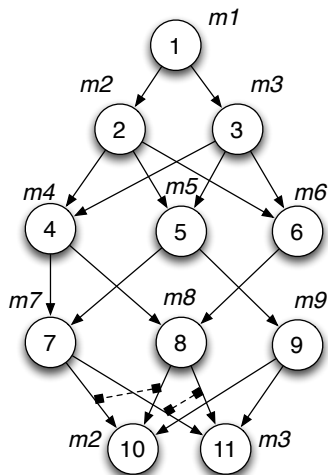
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Sample Organization of Cloud Computing system



- 1 The tree structure presents the roles and their inheritance.
- 2 The boxes presents the groups.
- 3 Group can consist of roles or other groups.

Small HPC Job – sample workflow

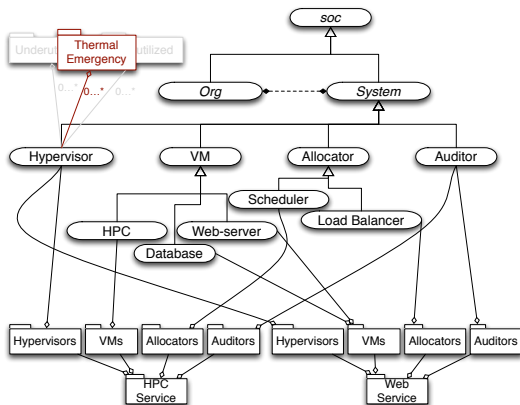


Goals description:

- g_1 is the job acceptance goal
- g_2 is the preparation of VMs
- g_3 is preparation of the audit
- $g_4 - g_6$ are three data preprocessing goals,
- $g_7 - g_9$ are three Monte Carlo simulation goals
- g_{10} is deactivation of unnecessary VMs
- g_{11} finishes the audit and creates its result

Sample structural reorganization

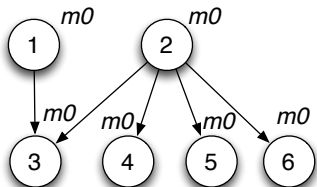
In case of thermal emergency stop consolidation and decrease utilization of affected nodes.



Thermal emergency – sample reorganization

Goals description:

- g_1 : Identify all affected hypervisors (WFS),
- g_2 : Create a group Thermal Emergency for affected hypervisors,
- g_3 : The affected hypervisors join Thermal Emergency group,
- g_4 : Notify VMs
- g_5 : Notify Auditors
- g_6 : Notify Allocators



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ParaMoise allows to model:

- Parallel execution
- Concurrent and parallel reorganization
- Distributed organization management

- Designing exact implementation of organization description and locks
- Designing reorganization phase: monitoring, design, selection.
- Distributed optimization of cloud system

Thank you for your attention.

Any questions?