



Structured Production Cell verification model in Uppaal

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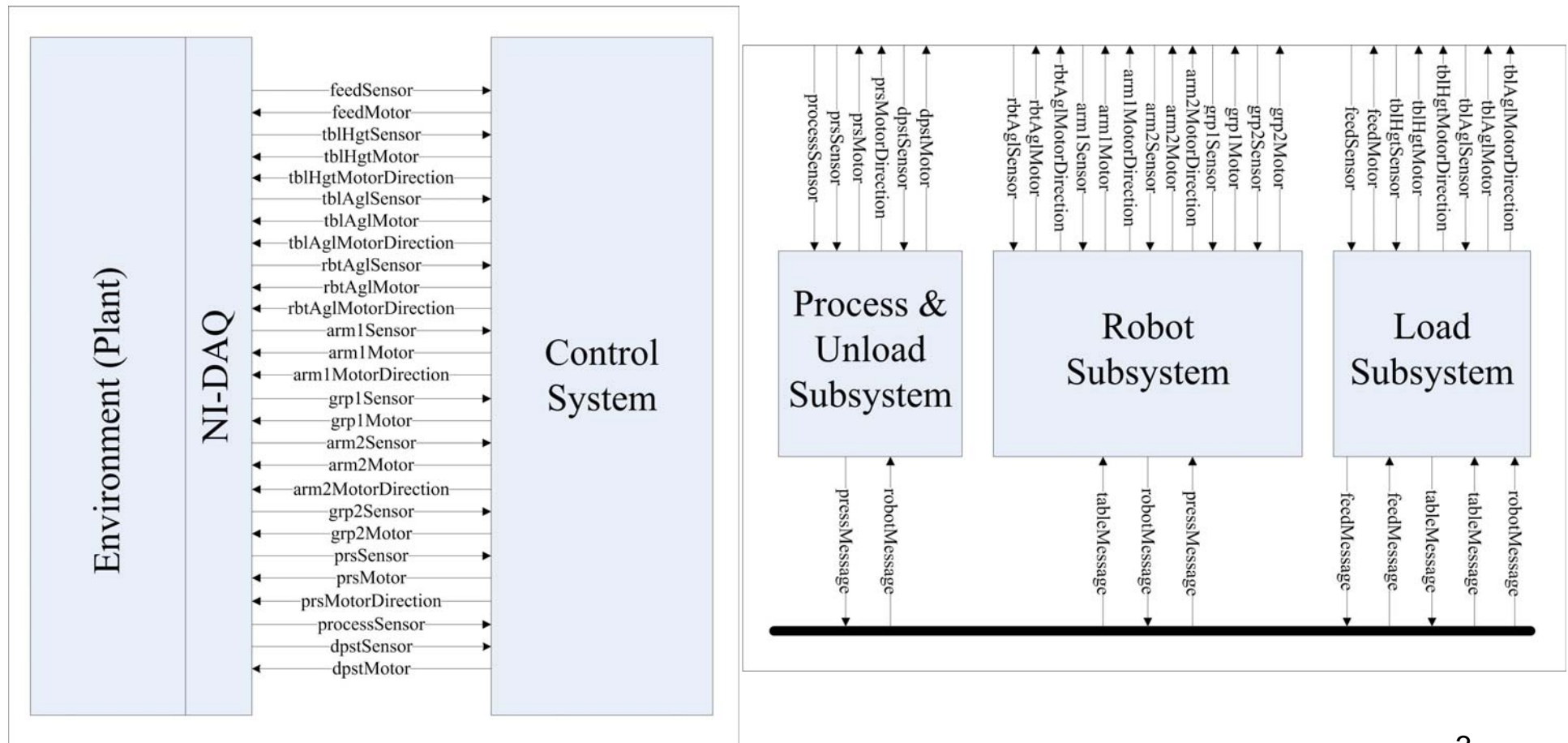


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- Modelling the Production Cell case study in Uppaal
- Property assesment



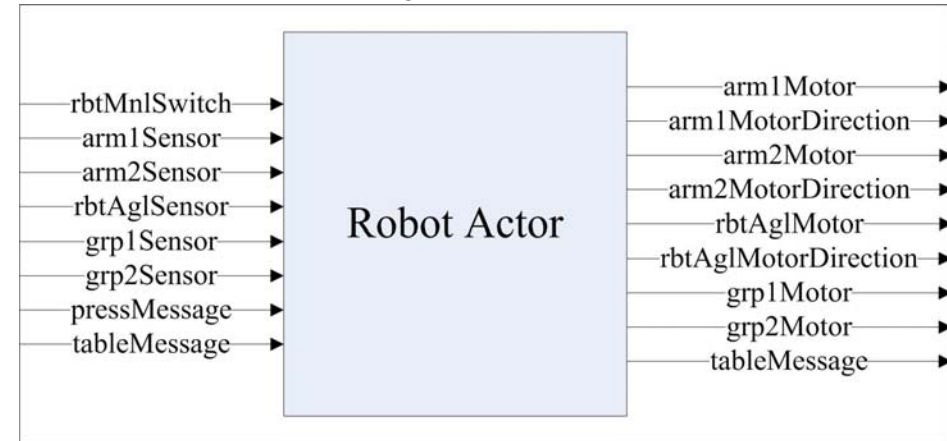
COMDES-II Specification of the Production Cell control system



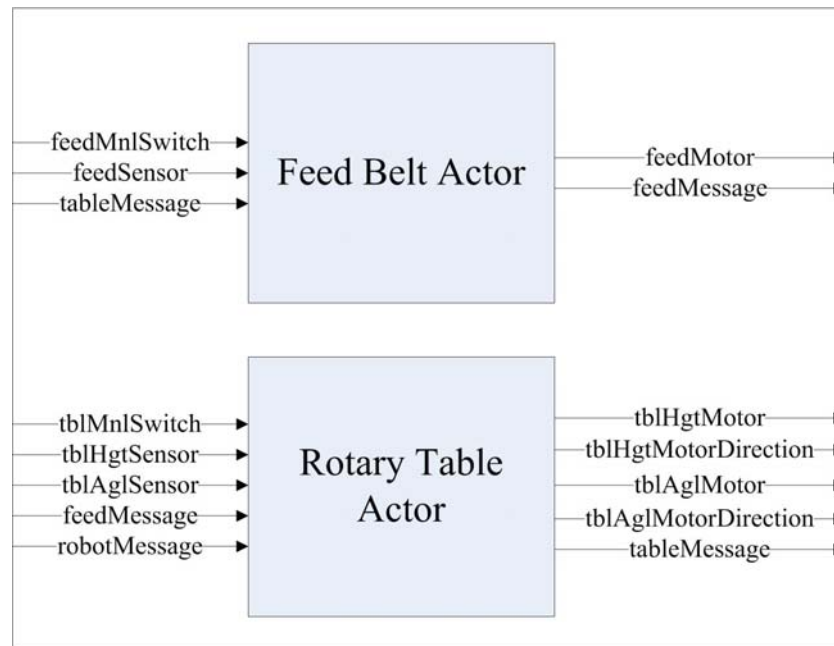


Subsystem specification

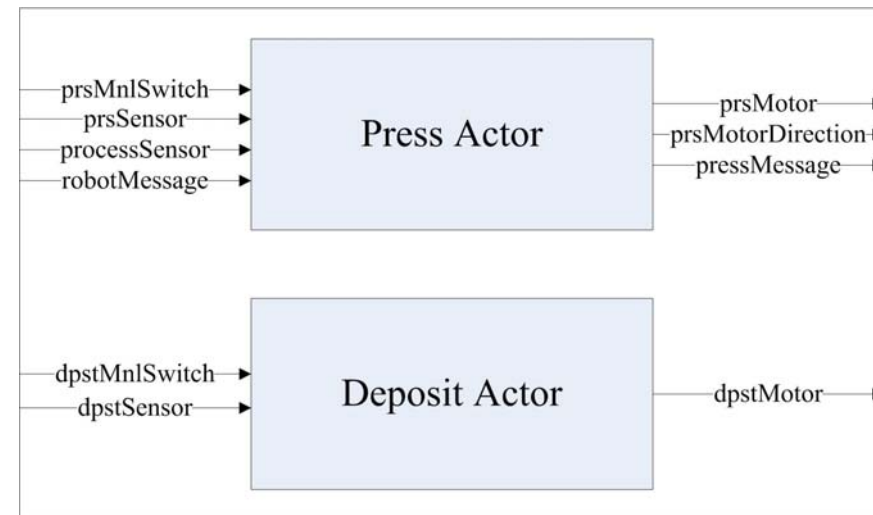
Robot Subsystem



Load Subsystem

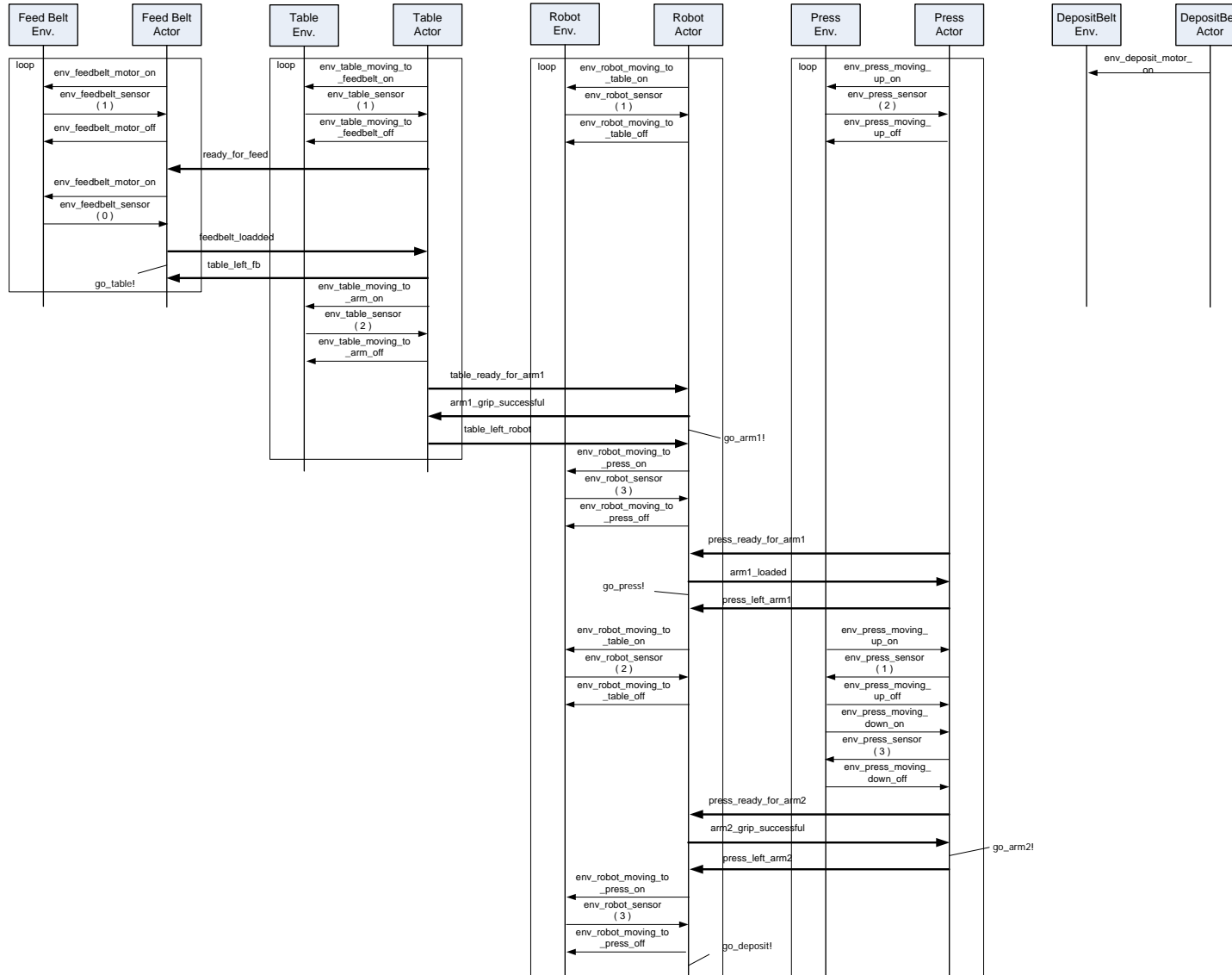


Process & Unload Subsystem



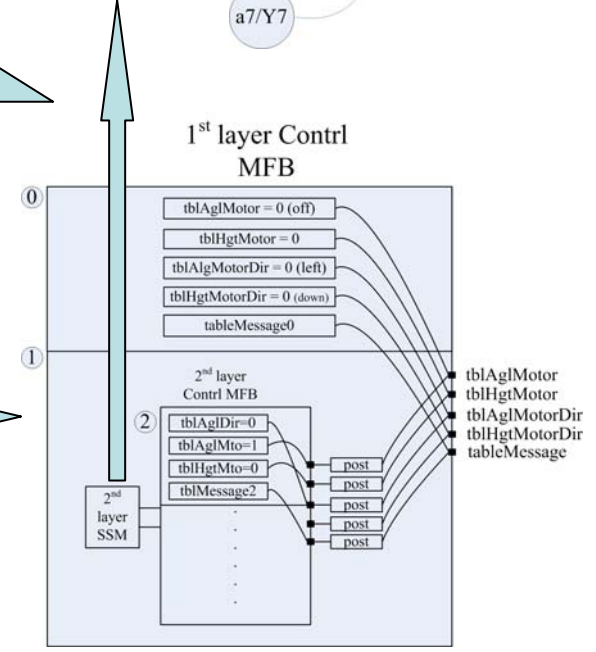
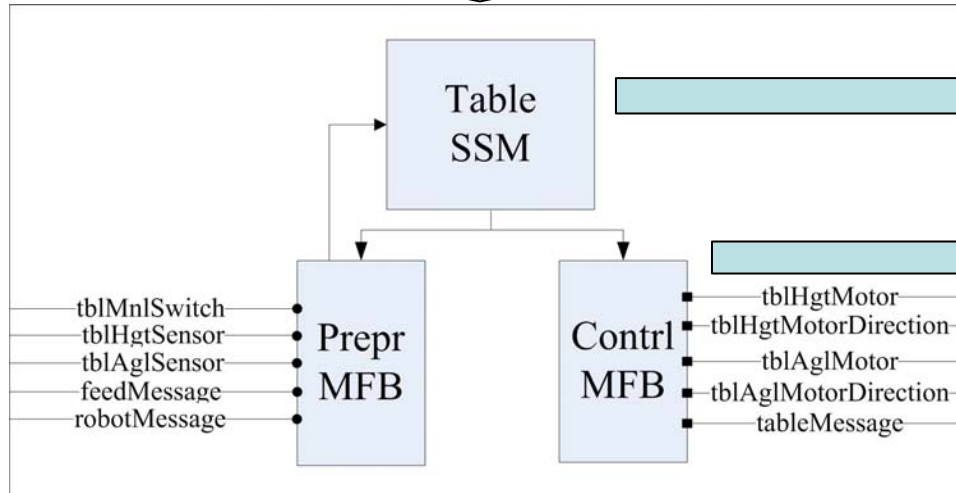
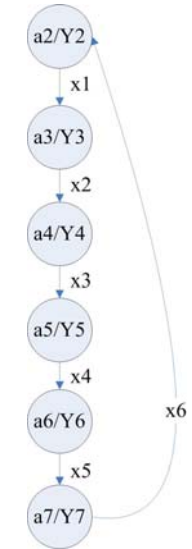
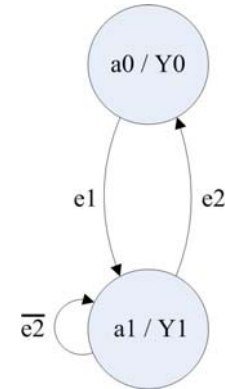
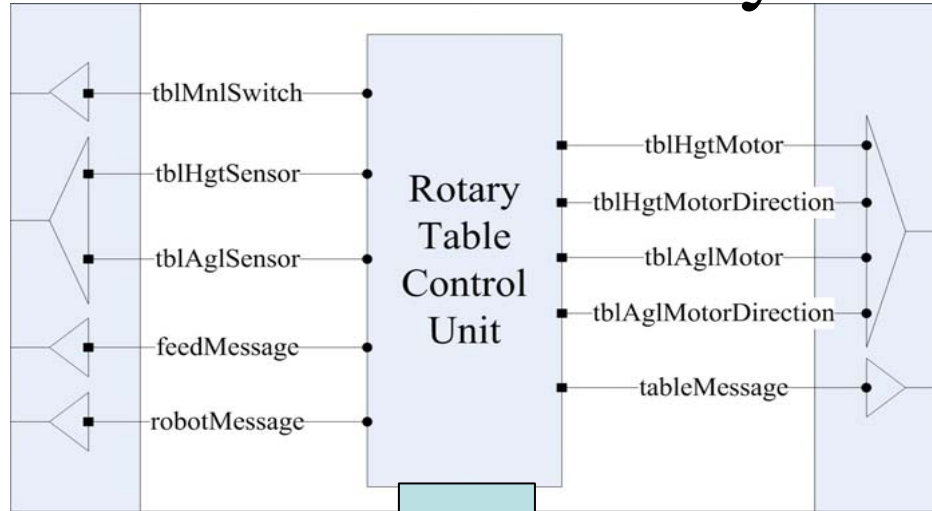


Actor interaction diagram



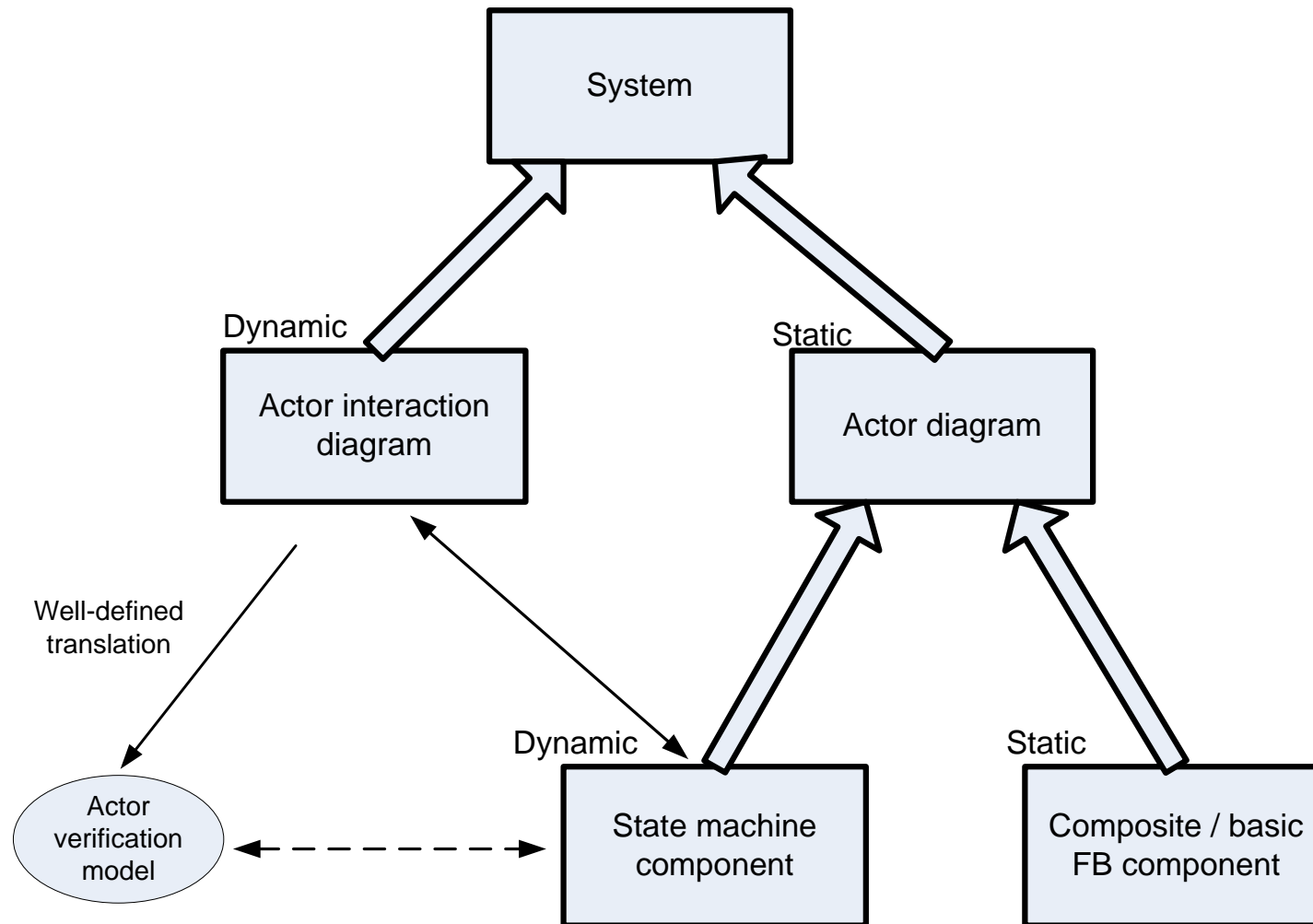


Rotary Table Actor



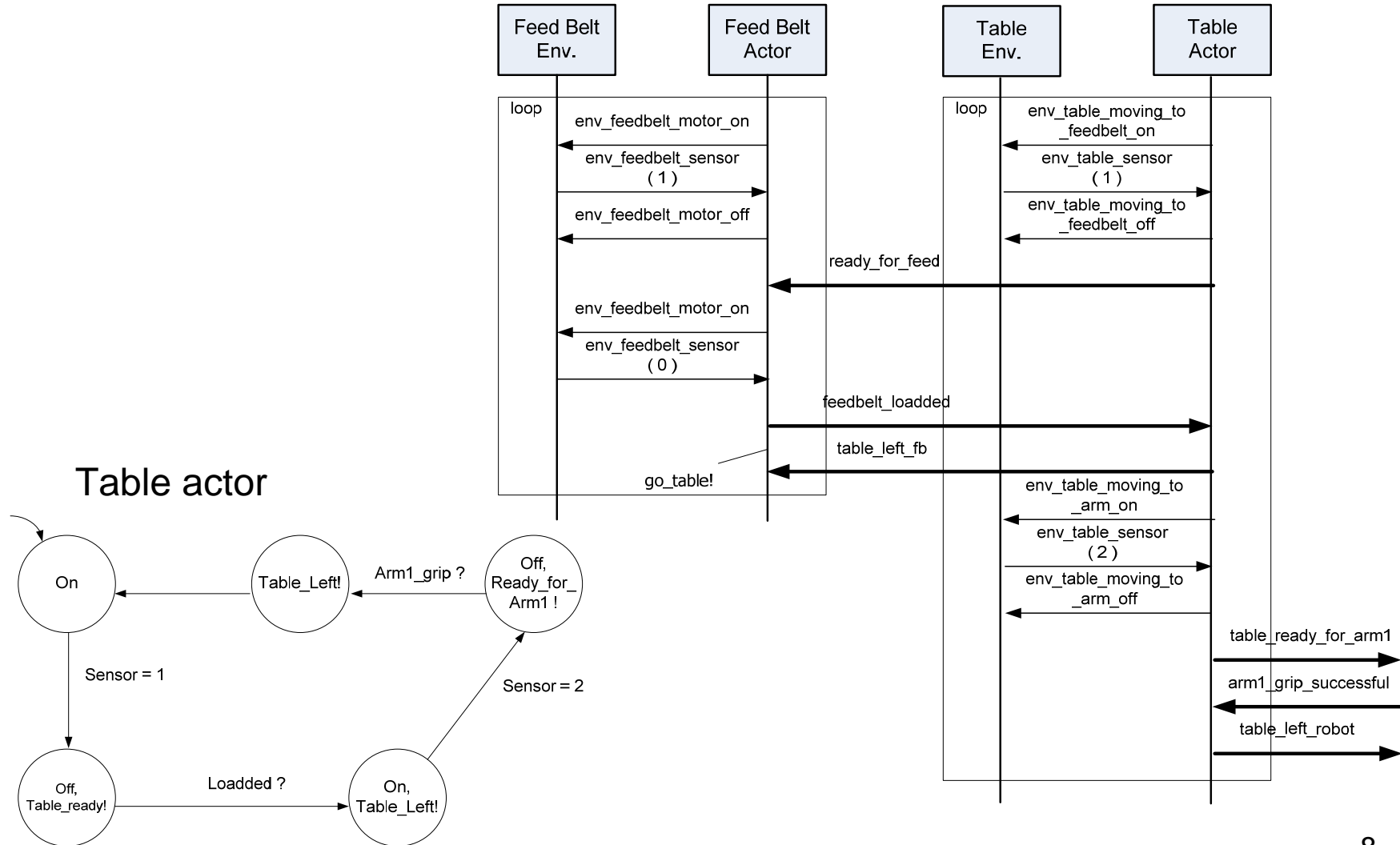


COMDES-II framework





Dynamic Aspect of COMDES-II: Actor interaction diagram





Graph transformation of Actor interaction diagram to Uppaal model

- **Sensor Signal** (trigger from env. to actor) : → **variable:**

```
int [0,1] env_feedbelt_sensor;
```

Variable included only in a guard.

The environment will set this variable and the controller will read it.

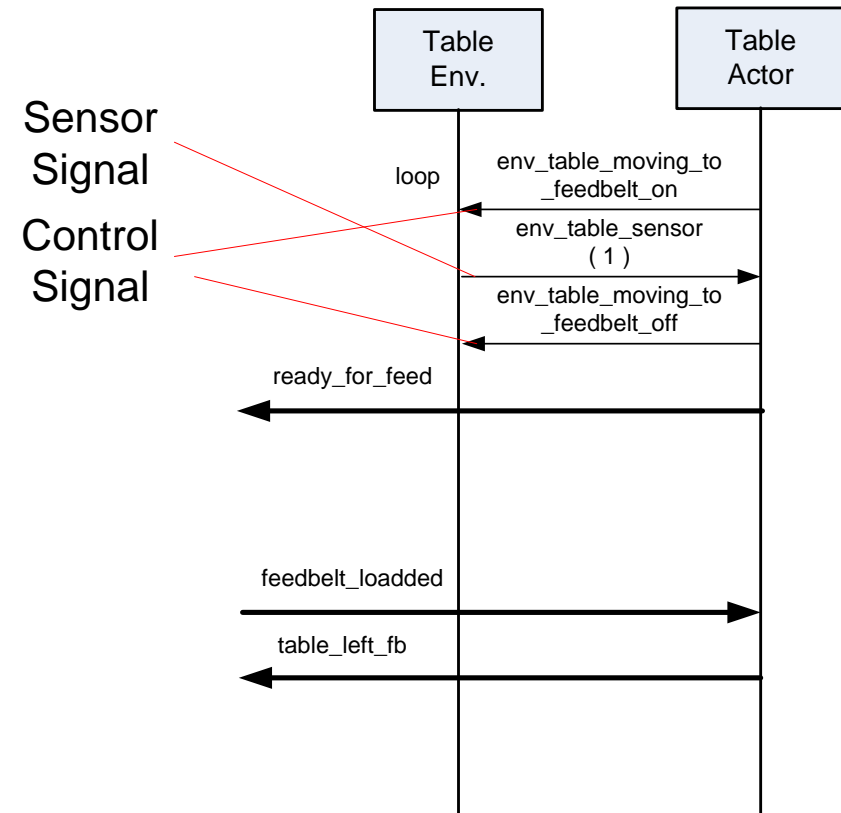
No synchronization is necessary here.

- **Control Signal** (response from actor to env.) : → **broadcast channel:**

```
urgent broadcast chan env_feedbelt_motor_on;
```

The controller will issue it.

The Environment waits in a state to receive the control signal. After it gets the control signal, the state of the environment could be changed.





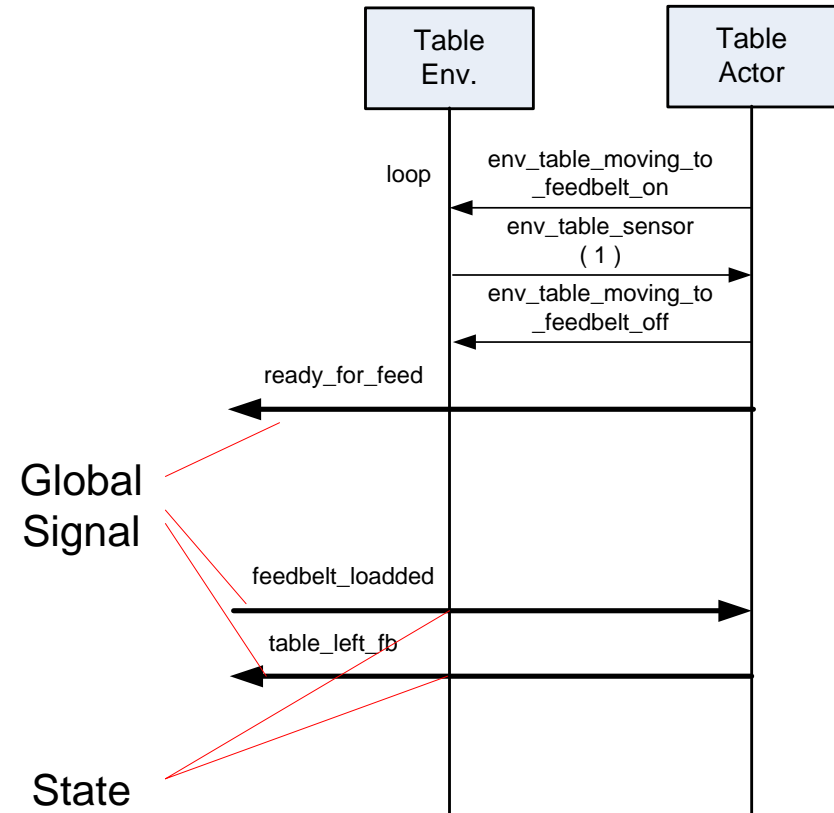
Graph transformation of Actor interaction diagram to Uppaal model cont'd

- **Global Signal** (pair interaction from actor to actor) :
→ **channel:**

```
urgent chan loaded,
        ready_for_feed,
        table_left_fb;
```

Both sender and receiver are blocked if they are not at the rendezvous points.

- **States:** steps between sensor signal, control signal and global signal.





Priority

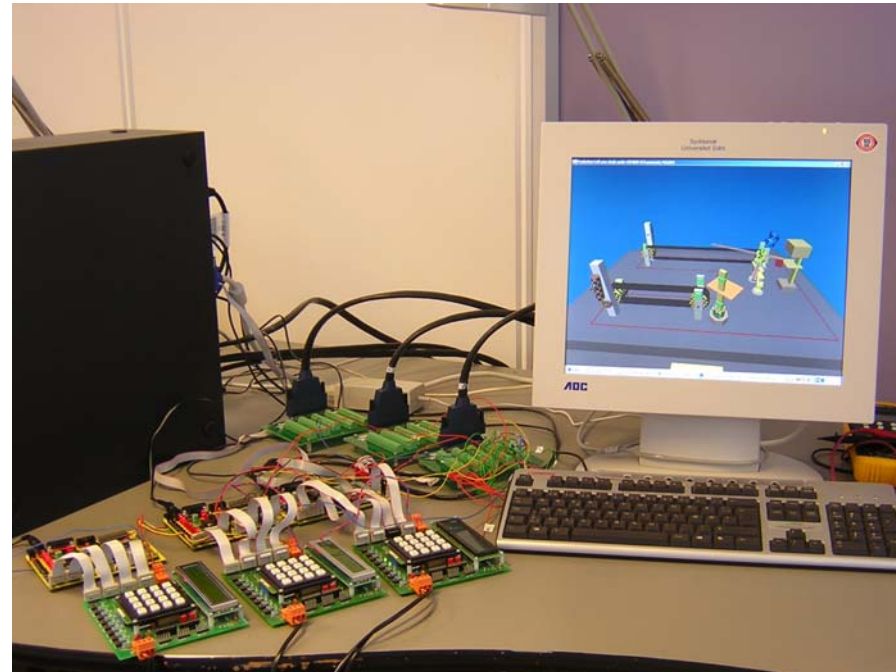
- In the real life, the controller is much faster than the environment, because the controller has to react as soon as it gets input from the environment.
- To model this feature in Uppaal, the controllers will have the highest priority in the system.

```
system brick1, brick2, brick3, brick4, brick5
  < Env_FeedBelt, Env_Table
  < FeedBeltController, TableController;
```



Production Cell

- Environment:
 - Brick
 - Feed Belt
 - Table
 - Robot
 - Press
 - Deposit Belt
- Actor (Controller)
 - Feed Belt
 - Table
 - Robot
 - Press
 - DepositBelt
- Properties
 - safety
 - liveness

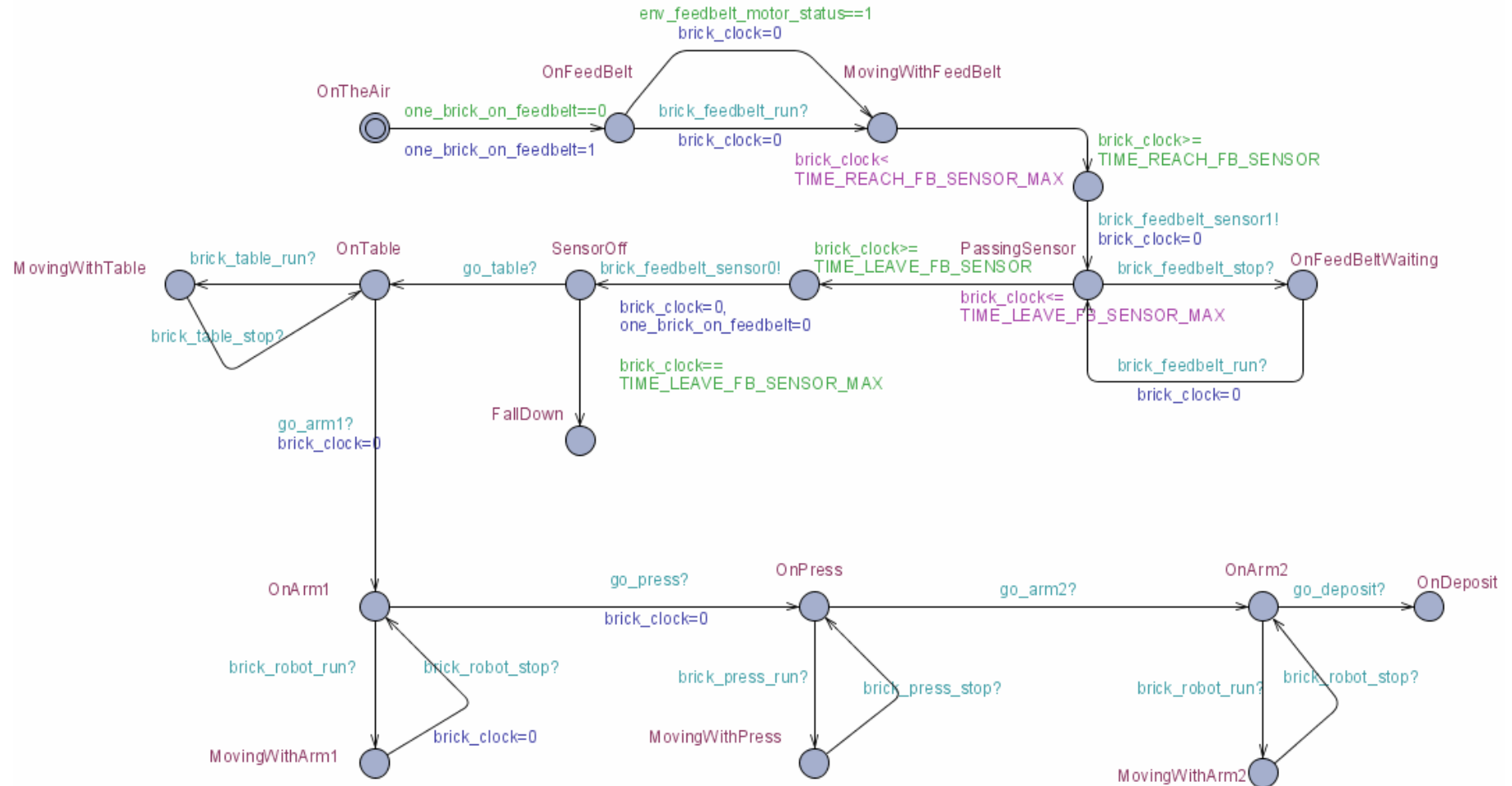


- Channels: 17
- Broadcast channels: 31
- Global variables: 8
- Local variables: 3
- Local clocks: 4
- Locations: 191

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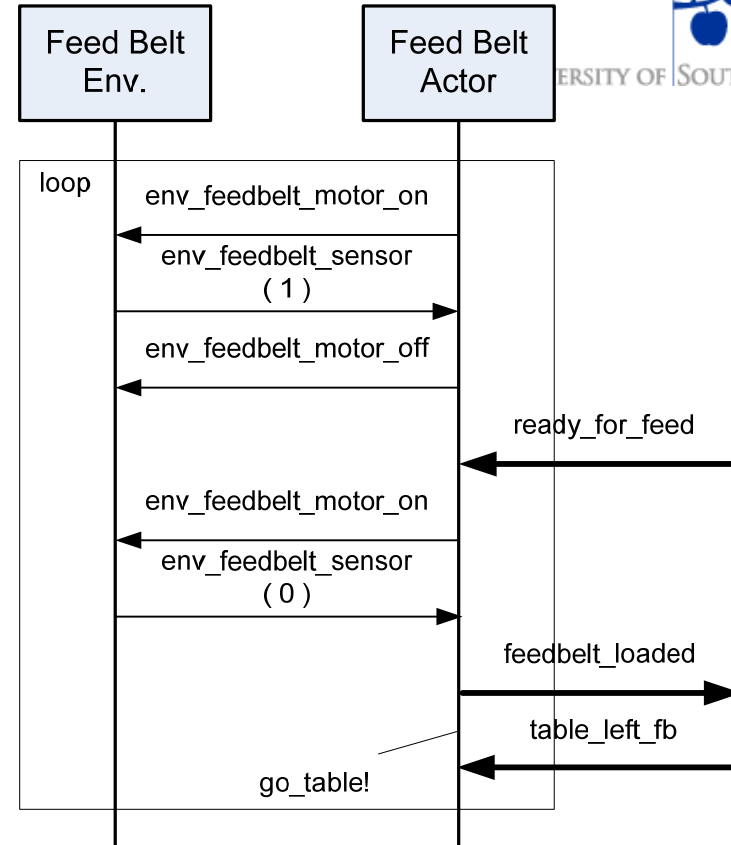
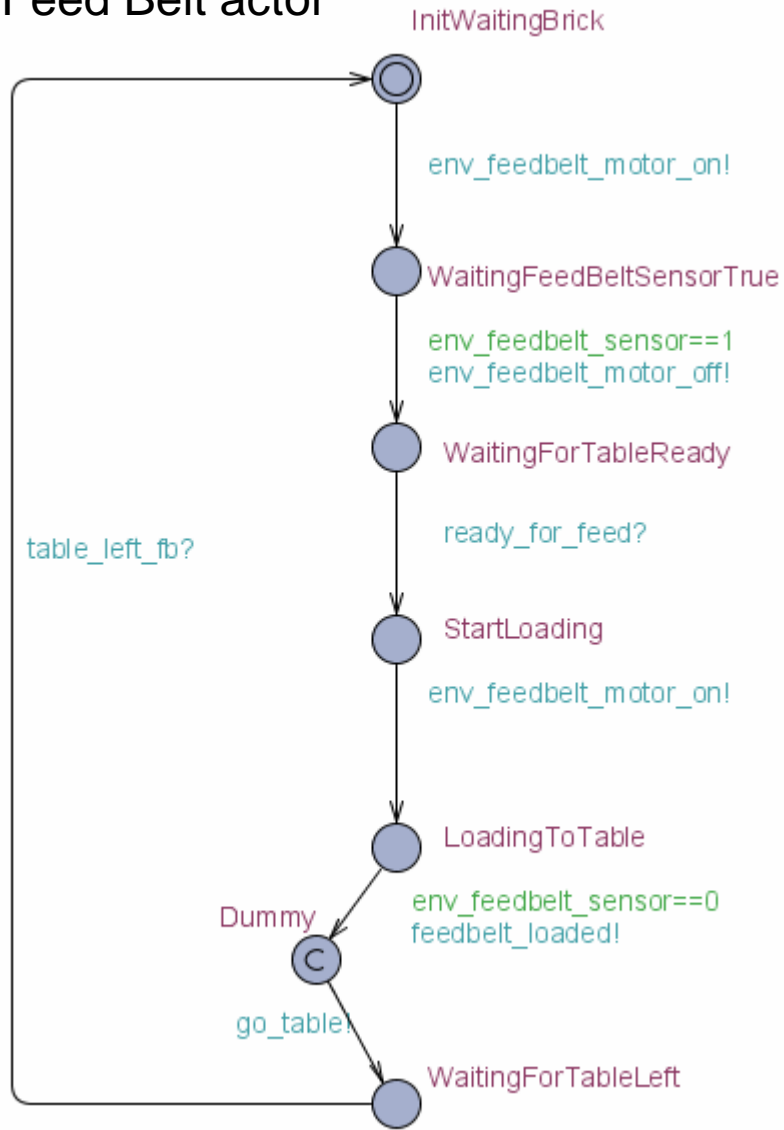


Brick Environment





Feed Belt actor



Feed Belt environment

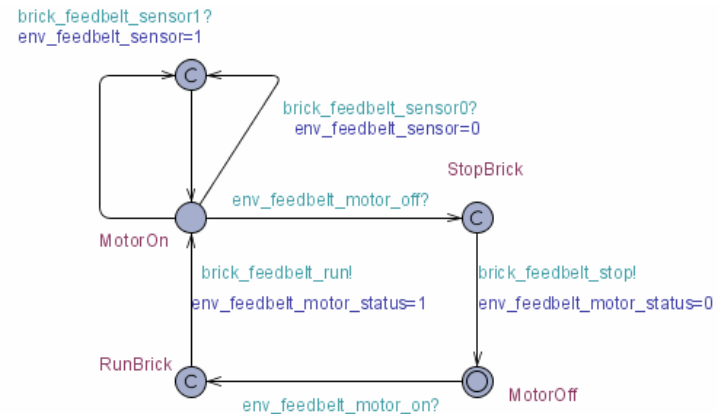




Table Environment

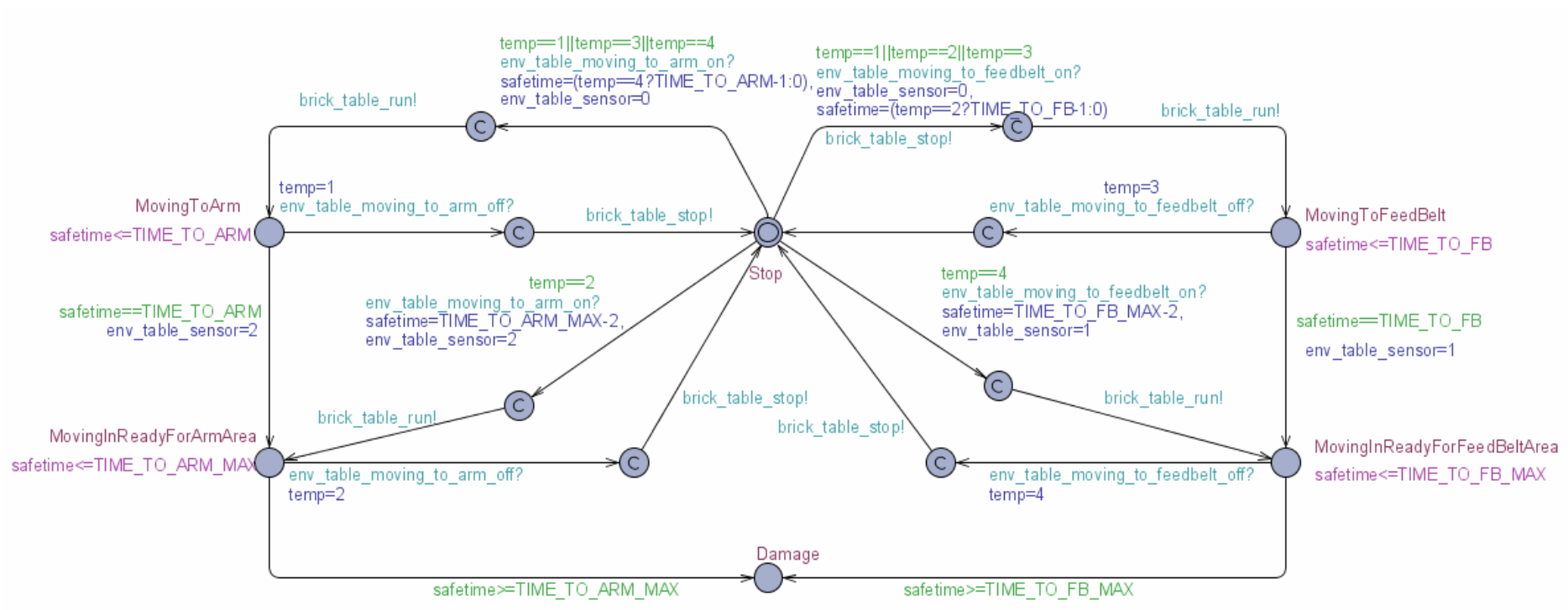
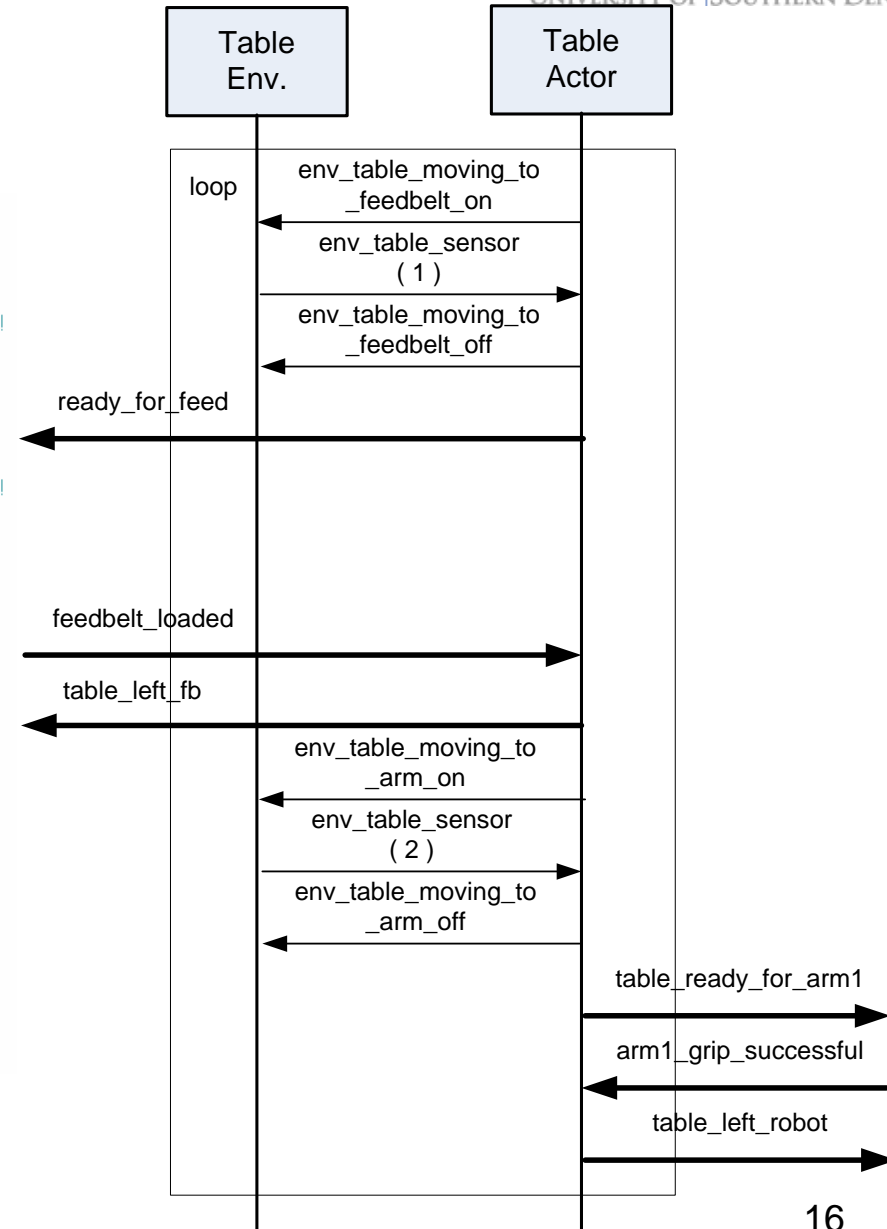
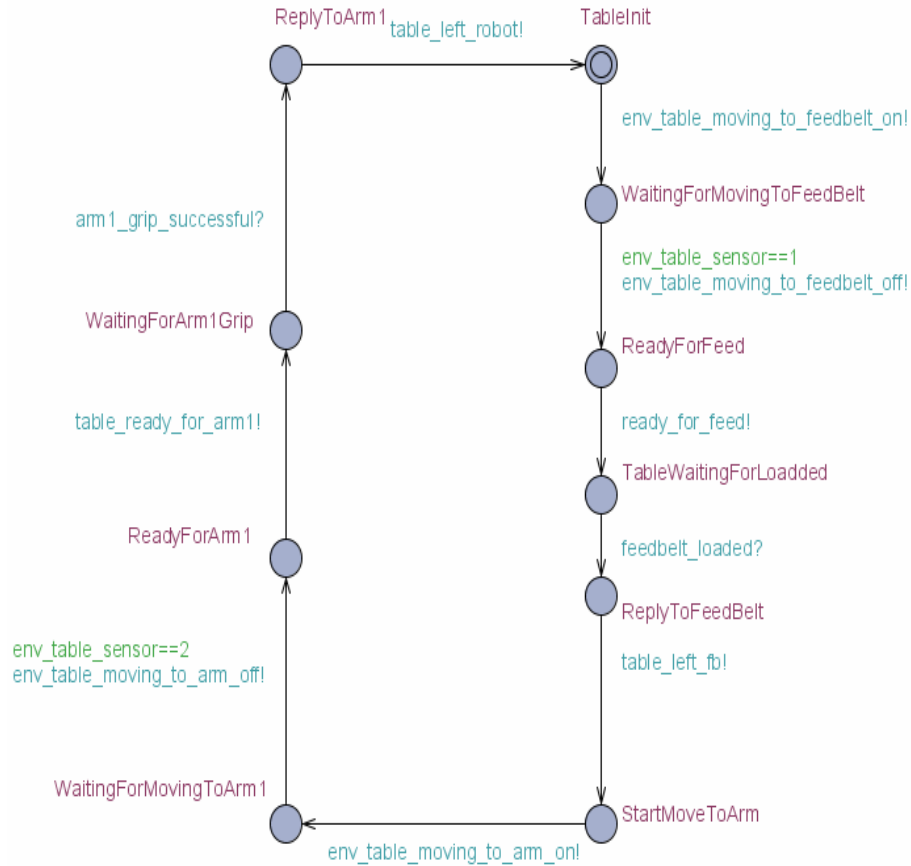


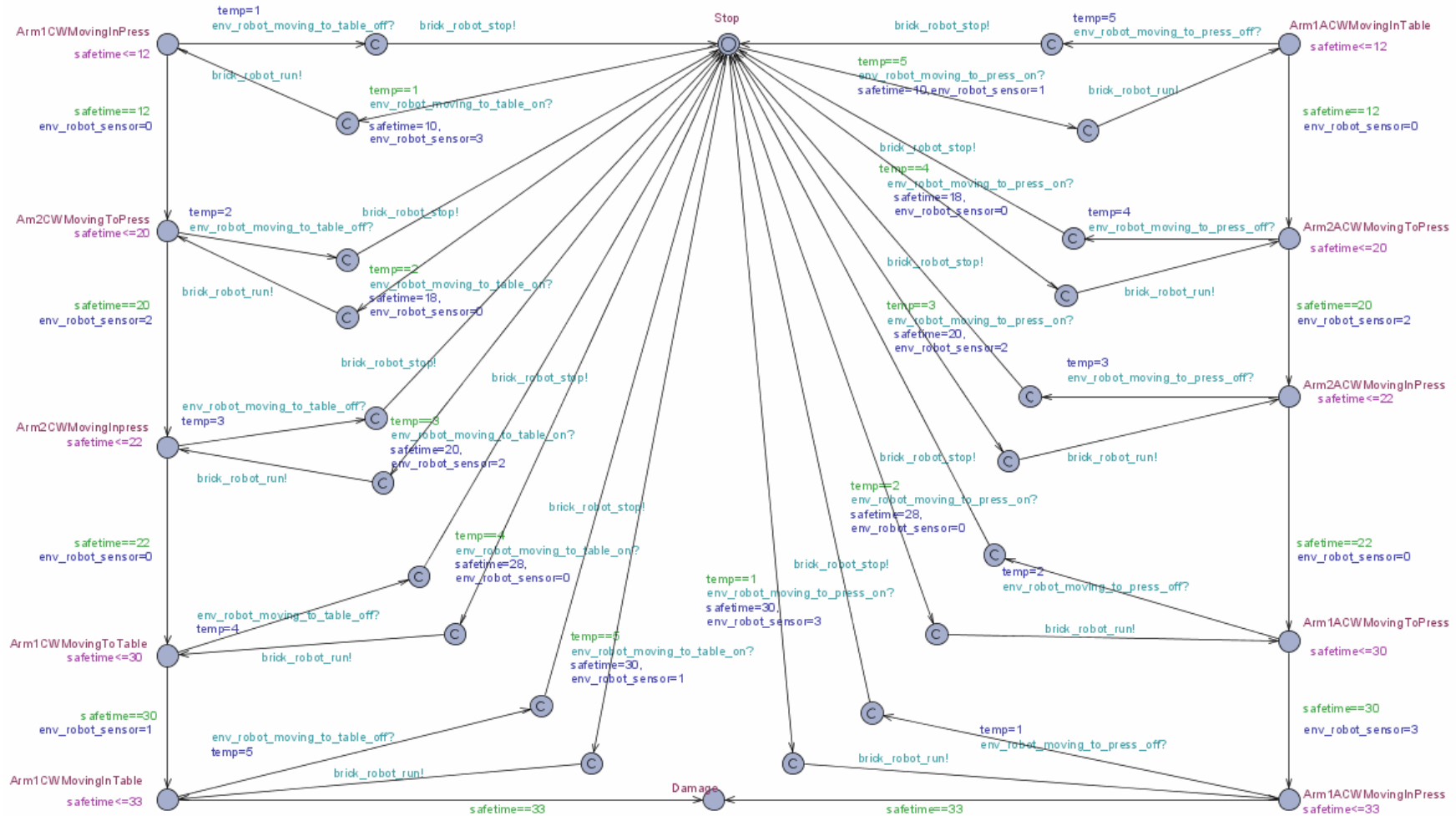


Table Actor





Robot Environment





Case study requirements

- **Safety requirements**

- R1: Keep blanks sufficiently distant

Do not put blanks on the table, if it is already loaded,

- R2: The limitations of machine mobility

The elevating rotary table must not be moved downward, if bottom sensor is true, and it must not be moved upward, if top sensor is true,

- R3: The avoidance of machine collisions

The robot, for instance, would collide with the press if arm 1 would extend too far while pointing towards the press;

- **Liveness requirements**

Every brick introduced into the system via the feed belt will eventually be put on the deposit belt.

- **Claim: controller correctness is implied by the correct behaviour of bricks and environments**

⇒ safety & liveness properties are specified using elements of brick & environment processes



Reachability and Safety

- Is it possible that one brick is moving with table and another is moving with feedbelt?
(Reachability)

```
E<> ( brick1.MovingWithTable and brick2.MovingWithFeedBelt )
```

- The table with the brick on it can not move down to the feedbelt. (Safety)

```
A[] not (brick1.MovingWithTable and  
Env_Table.MovingToFeedBelt)
```



R1: Keep blanks sufficiently distant

- The bricks can not overtake each other, i.e. it is necessary to show that their locations in the system are occupied under mutual exclusion
- Only one brick at a time can be on the table.

```
A[] (brick1.OnTable imply not  
    (brick2.OnTable or brick3.OnTable or  
    brick4.OnTable or brick5.OnTable))
```



R2: The limitations of machine mobility

- The table (Robot, Press) never enters Damage state.

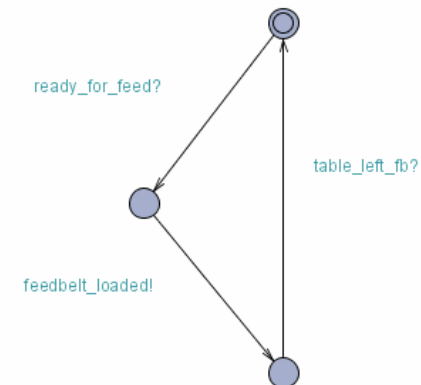
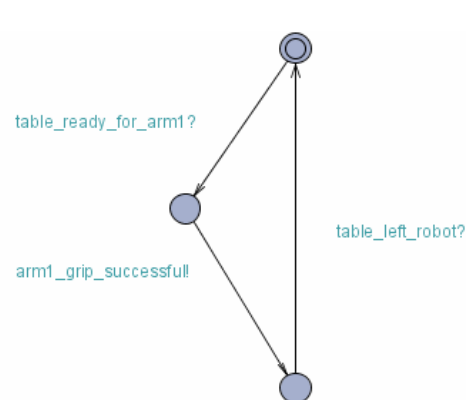
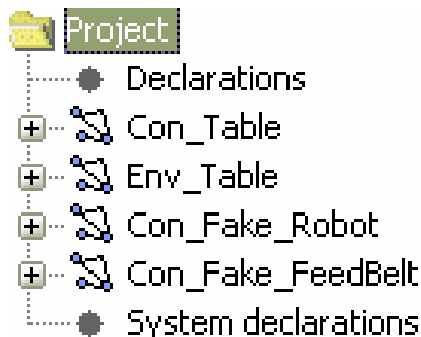
```
A[] not Env_Table.Damage
A[] not Env_Robot.Damage
A[] not Env_Press.Damage
```

- Property Composition

```
A[] not ( Env_Table.Damage or Env_Robot.Damage or
  Env_Press.Damage )
```

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```
A[] not Env_Table.Damage AND A[] not Env_Robot.Damage AND A[]
  not Env_Press.Damage
```





R3: The avoidance of machine collisions

- Arm1 can not wait in the press area when press is moving up/down close to the process area

```
A[] not (Env_Robot.Stop and Env_Robot.temp==1  
        and Env_Press.DMovingInProcessArea)
```

```
A[] not (Env_Robot.Stop and Env_Robot.temp==1  
        and Env_Press.UMovingInProcessArea)
```



Liveness Properties

- Liveness : Q is eventually satisfied. $A \leftrightarrow Q$

Brick eventually reaches Arm1.

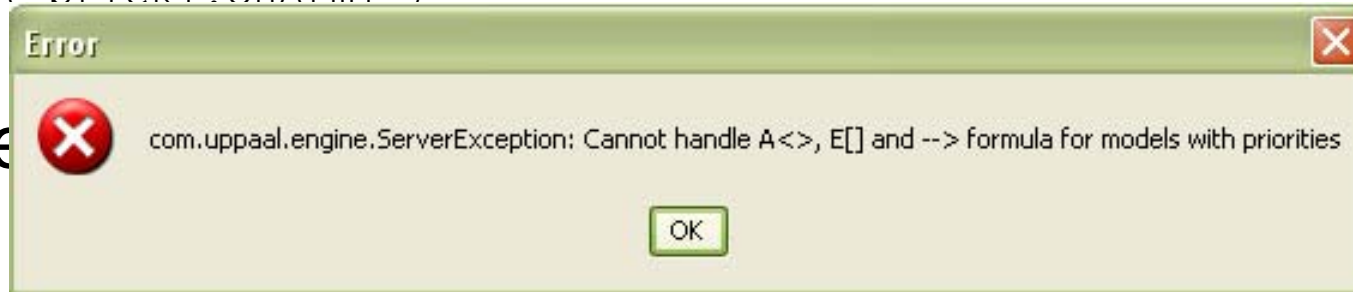
```
A <> ( brick1.OnArm1 )
```

- Live

If a

picked up by arm1.

```
brick1.OnFeedBelt --> brick1.OnArm1
```



be



Bug found in the Actor Interaction Diagram of the Production Cell

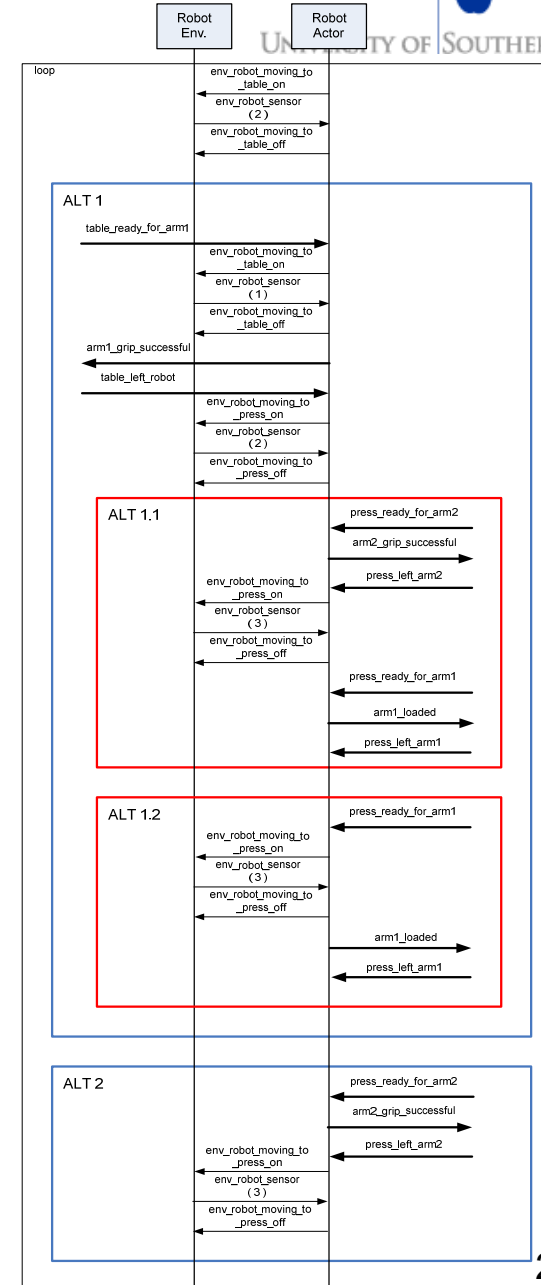
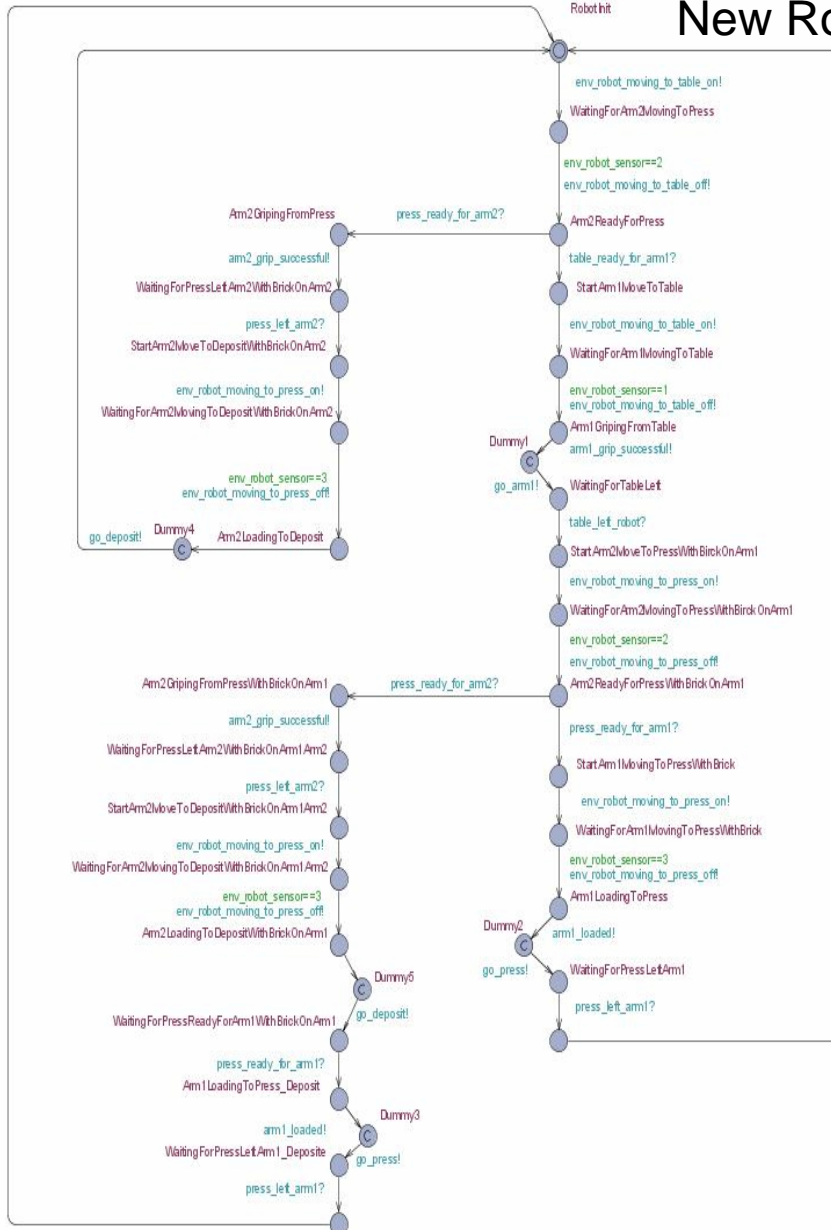
- Is it possible that a brick is moving with arm1 and another is moving with arm2 at the same time?

```
E<> ( brick1.MovingWithArm1 and brick2.MovingWithArm2 )
```

- Expected true, actually it is false in this model.
- Reason: according to the current design of the actor interaction diagram, it does not support this feature.



New Robot actor





Conclusions

- The verification model presumes explicit modeling of both environment and actor, within the corresponding plant-controller pairs.
- The global Uppaal model is checked as sub-models in a sequence of chained reactions, concluding the correctness of system behaviour properties from local properties of the plant-controller pairs involved in the transaction.