

A Rigorous Analysis of Emotion of Human Being using an Event-B Approach

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ABSTRACT

The paper entails a refinement approach using Event-B to develop model of emotion of human being. The proposed model indicates that when one type of emotion is active others are inactive and some factors are activated simultaneously which makes it difficult to judge the mental state of humans by simply observing single factor. The relationship among different types of emotions and analysis of emotion of human has been carried out using Pro-B model checker and animator.

General Terms

Machine, set theory, domain

Keywords

Event-B, emotion, refinement

1. INTRODUCTION

Event-B is a formal method that provides a complete framework for the development of the models. This technique consists of describing rigorously the problem in an abstract model, introducing solutions or design details in the refinement steps to obtain more concrete specifications. Psychological study using recording instruments has given scientists a great deal of information about the bodily events in emotion which are able to measure the heart rate, blood pressure, activity of the stomach and gastrointestinal system, level of hormones, breathing rate and depth and many other bodily conditions in emotion [1]. From literature we find that autonomic nervous system has two parts sympathetic and parasympathetic, in emotion the sympathetic system causes the discharge of the hormone epinephrine (adrenalin) and norepinephrine (noradrenalin). Epinephrine duplicates and strengthens many of the actions of the sympathetic system on various internal organs. It helps to mobilize sugar resources so that the muscles can use it rapidly. The major effect of norepinephrine is to constrict peripheral blood vessels and so to raise blood pressure. Other part of the autonomic nervous system called parasympathetic system tends to be active when we are calm and relaxed. In active aroused emotional states sympathetic activity predominates while in calmer state parasympathetic activity is dominant. Here we have specified a scheme for identification of human emotion using Event-B model. Event-B is a variant of B Method based on the technique of abstraction and refinement [2], [3]. The important feature of this approach is to formally define an abstract model of a system independent of the architecture and successively refine it to a detailed design in a series of intermediate steps. Results obtained using Pro-B model checker [4], [5] to analyze invariant properties of the B models have been observed. In this context an incremental development of a system to analyze human emotion has been proposed.

2. An Event B System

The notion of abstract machine and refinement is central to Event-B. An abstract machine consists of sets, constants and variable clauses modeled as set theoretic constants. The invariants are defined as predicates on state variables. In refinement steps guards may be strengthened, new events may be introduced and variables may be added or removed [6], [7], [8]. Abstract and concrete variables are related through gluing invariants. Event-B notation is based on set theory and most of it is self-explanatory. Some of the frequently used notations in our model are given in Table 1 and are explained to enhance the readability.

Machine	M
SETS	S1, S2, S3, ...
CONSTANTS	C
PROPERTIES	P
VARIABLES	v1, v2, v3, ...
INVARIANTS	I
INITIALIZATION	init
EVENTS	
	E1 = WHEN G1 THEN S1 END;
	E2 = WHEN G2 THEN S2 END;

	END

Figure 1. Event B Machine

Table 1. Relational Notations

Notations	Meanings
	Mapping
dom(R)	Domain of relation R
ran(R)	Range of Relation R
R	Domain restriction
R[A]	Relational image of R over set A

Let A and B be two sets, then relational constructor(1) defines the set of relations between A and B as:

$A1B=P(A \times B)$ where x is Cartesian product of A and B . A mapping of element $a:A$ and $b:B$ in relation $R : A1B$ is written as amb . The domain of a relation $R : A1B$ is the set of elements of A that R relates to some elements in B defined as:

$$dom(R) = \{a | a : A \ \&\#b.(b : B \ \&\#amb : R)\}$$

Similarly, the range of relation $R : A1B$ is defined as set of elements in B related to some element in A defined as :

$$ran(R) = \{b | b : B \ \&\#a.(a : A \ \&\#amb : R)\}$$

A relation $R : A1B$ can be projected on a domain U (A called domain restriction(R) defined as:

$$U \ R \ R = \{amb | amb : R \ \&\#a : U\}$$

The Relational image $R[U]$ where U (A is defined as:

$$R[U] = \{b | \#a. amb : R \ \&\#a : U\}$$

The Relational inverse (R^{-1}) of a relation R is defined as:

$$R^{-1} = \{bma | amb : R\}$$

A function is a relation with Cartesian restrictions[9],[10]. The function may be partial function(2) or a total function (3). A partial function from set A to $B(A2B)$ is a relation which relates an element in A to at most one element in B . A total function from set A to $B(A3B)$ is a partial function where $dom(f)=A$, i.e. each element of set A is related to exactly one element of set B . In the guarded statement, the guard (G) of the event is expressed as a first order predicate. The action of events are specified as simultaneous assignments of state variables using substitution statements[11],[12]. Events occur spontaneously whenever their guards hold true and they are executed automatically[13]. Structure of machine is given in Figure 1.

3. Model

The proposed model consists of p samples and c conditions resulted as a emotion where $p > 2$ and $c \geq 2$, where $c1 \neq c2$ and $p1 \neq p2$. The system is asynchronous such that no bound can be placed on the time required on diagnosis of type. It is assumed that diagnosis faults may occur. Formally a system described in terms of six elements.

$P = \{p1, p2, \dots, pn\}$ No of samples

$C = \{c1, c2, \dots, cn\}$ Types of emotion

$T = \{t1, t2, \dots, tn\}$ Set of time values

$Y = \{y1, y2, \dots, yn\}$ Set of outputs

$X = \{x1, x2, \dots, xn\}$ Set of time dependent input functions

$Y = \{y1, y2, \dots, yn\}$ Set of time dependent output functions

Intensity(fear, anger) α Sympathetic System

Intensity(relax, calm) α Parasympathetic System

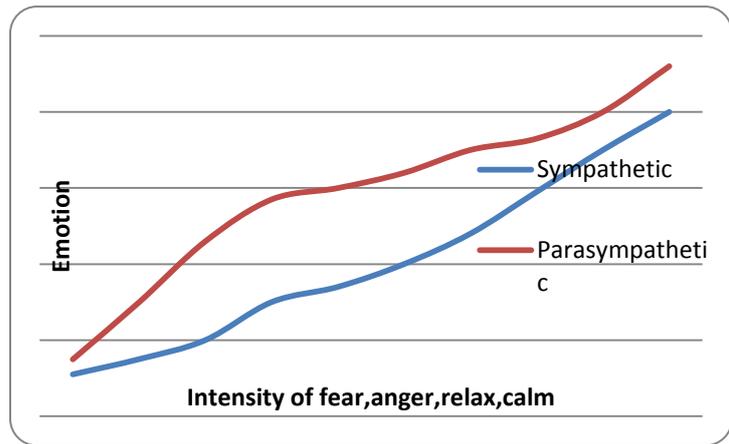


Figure 2. The intensity of the emotion directly proportional to fear, anger, relax and calm

4. Flow of model

To analyze the type of emotion stated in section proposed model, we have used an approach of construction of abstract model and further introduced refinement of abstract model by introducing more variables and operations as shown in figure 3. In refinement we have introduced variables *fear*, *anger*,

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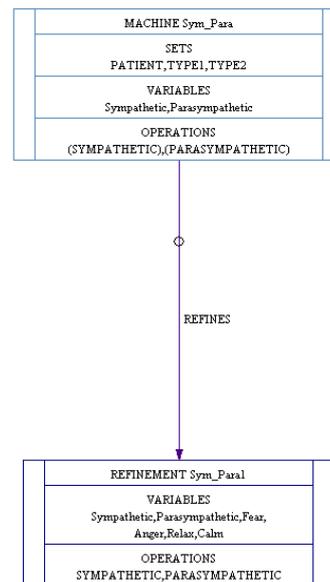


Figure 3. Flow of Model

5. Flow of Model

In this section development of a system of emotion has been outlined as below:

Outline of the refinement steps

In this development begin with abstract model of emotions and successively refine it to a next model which categorize the

sympathetic and parasympathetic based on specific types of emotion. Incremental development of the system consists of following steps.

- Abstract Model* consists of a division of a autonomic nervous system. We have assumed that division is mutually exclusive. Once the diagnosis falls into the category of Type1 then it no longer available for the another diagnosis of Type2.
- Refinement* outlines how fear, anger, relax and calm state of mind helps us to determine exact state of mind.

Abstract Model of emotion

Sympathetic and Parasympathetic autonomic nervous system

MACHINE Sym_Para

SETS

PATIENT={p1,p2,p3,p4,p5,p6,p7};TYPE1={sy};TYPE2={pa}

VARIABLES Sympathetic,Parasympathetic

INVARIANT

*/*I1*/ Sympathetic: PATIENT+ ->TYPE1 &*

*/*I2*/ Parasympathetic: PATIENT + ->TYPE2*

INITIALIZATION

Sympathetic:={ } ||Parasympathetic:={ }

OPERATIONS

SYMPATHETIC(pp,tt)=

PRE pp: PATIENT& tt:TYPE1 THEN

*SELECT pp/:dom(Sympathetic)
&pp/:dom(Parasympathetic) THEN*

Sympathetic:=Sympathetic\{pp|->tt}

END

END;

PARASYMPATHETIC(pp,tt)=

PRE pp: PATIENT& tt:TYPE2 THEN

*SELECT pp/:dom(Parasympathetic)
&pp/:dom(Sympathetic) THEN*

Parasympathetic:=Parasympathetic\{pp|->tt}

END

END

END

The abstract model of a emotion *MACHINE Sym_Para* is given as B machine developed on Pro-B is given in Figure 4. The *PATIENT,TYPE1* and *TYPE2* sets define types for model. The variable sympathetic is defined as partial function from *PATIENT* to *TYPE1* in invariant *I-1*. It contains mapping from *PATIENT* to *TYPE1*. It indicates that patient pp has been diagnosed for type tt. The partial function ensures that type is associated with only one patient. The variable parasympathetic is a relation between *PATIENT* and *TYPE2* defined in invariant *I-2*. This mapping indicates that a patient pp has been diagnosed for type tt. The *sympathetic* and *parasympathetic* variables are initialized as empty sets. In this machine a diagnosed patients are added to the particular set. It may be noticed that all diagnosed patients must be removed from to be diagnose list.

Introducing fear, anger, relax and calm

*/*Sympathetic(Fear & Anger) and Parasympathetic(Relax and Calm) Situation of Stress**

REFINEMENT Sym_Para1

REFINES Sym_Para

VARIABLES

Sympathetic,Parasympathetic,Fear,Anger,Relax,Calm

INVARIANT

*/*I3*/ Fear :PATIENT+ ->TYPE1 &*

*/*I4*/ Anger: PATIENT+ ->TYPE1 &*

*/*I5*/ Relax: PATIENT+ ->TYPE2 &*

*/*I6*/ Calm :PATIENT+ ->TYPE2*

INITIALIZATION

*Sympathetic:={ } ||Parasympathetic:={ } ||
Fear:={ } ||Anger:={ } ||Relax:={ } ||Calm:={ }*

OPERATIONS

SYMPATHETIC(pp,tt)=

PRE pp: PATIENT& tt:TYPE1 THEN

SELECT pp/:dom(Fear) &pp/:dom(Anger) THEN

Sympathetic:=Sympathetic\{pp|->tt} ||

Fear:=Fear \ {pp|->tt} ||

Anger:=Anger\{pp|->tt}

END

END;

PARASYMPATHETIC(pp,tt)=

PRE pp: PATIENT& tt:TYPE2 THEN

*SELECT pp/:dom(Relax) &pp/:dom(Calm)
&pp/:dom(Fear) &pp/:dom(Anger) THEN*

Figure 4. Abstract model of emotion

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Parasympathetic:=Parasympathetic\{pp|->tt}\|
Relax:=Relax\{pp|->tt} ||
Calm:=Calm\{pp|->tt}
END
END
END
    
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Figure 5. Introducing fear, anger, relax and calm

The refinement of abstract model of emotion *REFINEMENT Sym_Para1* is given in Figure 5, various others variables are introduced. The invariant corresponding to fear ,anger,relax and calm are given in I-3,I-4,I-5andI-6.

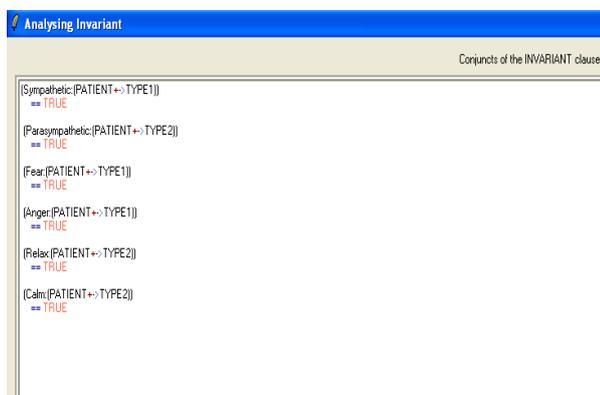


Figure 6. Invariant Status During Model Check

After developing the model of emotion , the objective is to verify whether the proposed model preserves the properties of emotion and maintains the mutual exclusiveness on the basis of identified factors. The Pro-B tool supports automatic consistency checking of B machines via model checking. However for exhaustive model checking given sets of machine must be restricted to small finite sets and integer variables must be limited to small numeric ranges. After addition of all invariants,model has beenchecked , and all invariants which have designed for analyzing properties of emotion are true for random animation as given in Figure 6.The state of a model after random animation is given in Figure 7.

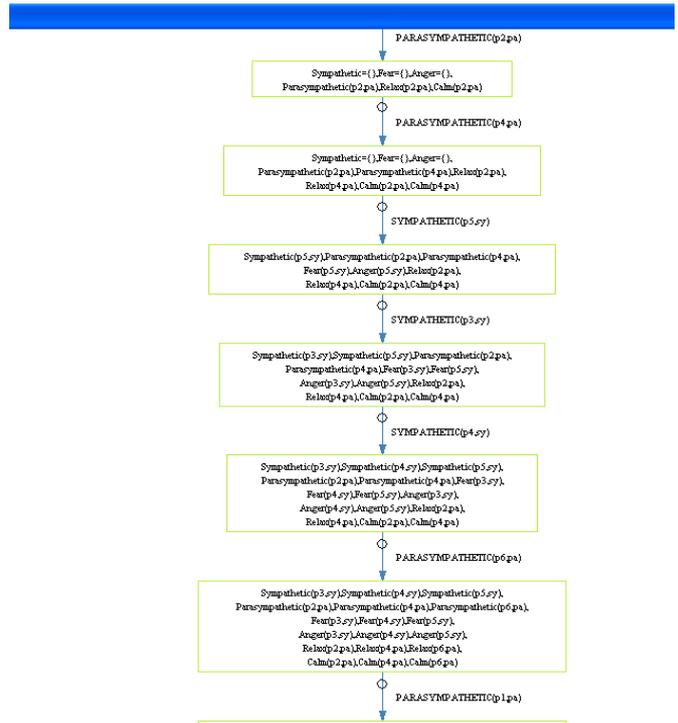


Figure 7. State of a model after random animation

6. CONCLUSION

In this paper an incremental construction of a model of human emotion has been proposed and analysis of the B specifications and invariant properties of this system using Pro-B Model Checker and Animator has been carried out. The experimental results strengthen the fact that abstraction and refinement are valuable techniques for development of models. The Event-B model of emotion also reveals that exhaustive model checking of the specifications on B Model checker provides a clear insight into the system and develops the understanding towards realization of the satisfiability of invariant properties.

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