

CITADEL Adaptive Systems for High-Assurance Protection

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Need of adaptive systems

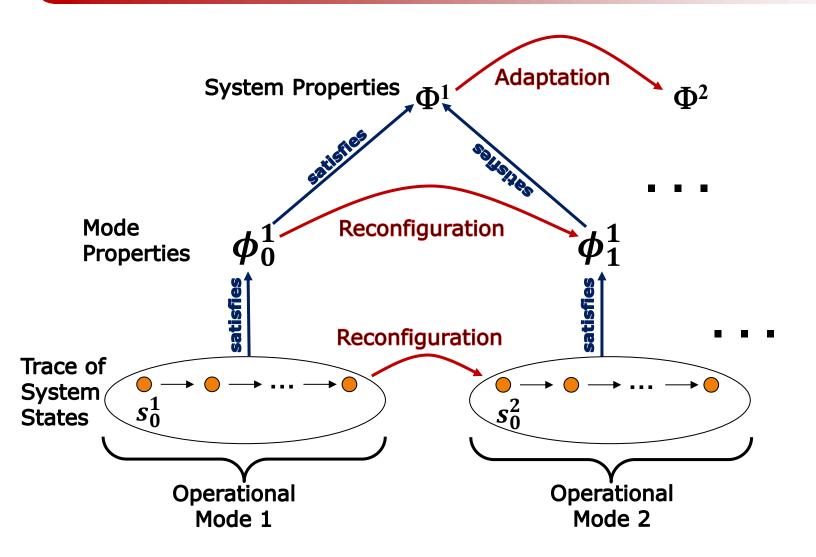


- COMPASS provides a set of formal methods to analyze dependability requirements
- Not cost effective for many systems but essential for high-assurance systems (safety critical, security critical, or mission critical)
- Particularly appealing for model-based design of FDIR (also for security-related failures)
- However, most software-related accidents involve incomplete requirements and unhandled or mishandled conditions
- Need resilience to unforeseen faults/attacks
- To be resilient, a system must be adaptive, dynamically changing reconfiguration at run-time

Reconfiguration vs. Adaptation



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Adaptive systems



- New properties/requirements represent fixes to the previous specification
- Anomaly detection can be used to detect unhandled faults/attacks
- Quite common in intrusion detection and system health monitoring
- To be integrated into a model-based design of FDIR
- Run-time change of requirements need high automation of the development and deployment process
- Needs:
 - Model-based approach to adaptations
 - Automated determination of new target configuration to achieve adaptation
 - Automated synthesis of steps to transition to the new target configuration
 - Automated adaptation of verification/validation/assurance

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- H2020 project started on June 1st, 2016
- □ 3-year IA (Innovation Actions) project
- Led by The Open Group
- Consortium partners:





























CITADEL Objectives



- Build on the MILS technology accomplishments of D-MILS and EURO-MILS
 - Declarative specification of dynamic policy architectures
 - COMPASS-based analysis of the policy architecture
 - Automatic configuration of MILS platform to enforce the policy architecture
 - MILS platform components to enforce Isolation and Information Flow Control and provide dynamic reconfiguration
- Develop a monitoring framework integrating modelbased FDI and anomaly detection
- Develop an adaptation framework to reconfigure the architecture at run-time preserving system properties
- Develop an assurance framework to support the claims about the adaptive systems