

P systems behavioral analysis

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For a transitional P system w/o active membranes, we have defined:

Definition 1 *OR-bigraph*

The Objects-Rules bigraph (ORg) is the bigraph $ORg = (O + R, E)$ where O is the set of objects and R is the set of rules of a P system, and $E = \{(o, r) | o \in O, r \in R\}$.

Definition 2 *OR-matrix*

The OR-matrix (OR) is the adjacency matrix of the OR-bigraph (ORg).

The coupling definitions:

Definition 3 *the Direct Coupling of two rules*

We have three types of objects in a transition rule: Input (I), Output (O) and Promoters/Inhibitors (PI) objects. We consider all direct interaction situations in descending priority order:

Table 1: All direct interaction situations for two rules

r1	r2	DCf	Comment
I	I	0	the rules sharing an input object influence each other in the same step
I	PI	0	the same holds if one rule has as input the promoter/inhibitor of the other
I	O	1	if one rule has a input the output of the other or the output of one is the promoter/inhibitor of the other, the rules need another step to influence each other
O	PI	1	
O	O	∞	even if they have a common output or common promoter/inhibitor the rules do not influence each other
PI	PI	∞	
other	other	∞	the rules have no common objects so they do not influence each other

The DCf represents the number of steps required for two rules to directly influence each other (based just on their objects).

Algorithm 1 Shortest-Path Matrix of RC (Floyd's algorithm)

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1:  $SP = RC$  {the values 0, 1 are represented in the DC matrix}
2: for  $k = 0$  to  $N - 1$  do
3:   for  $i = 0$  to  $N - 1$  do
4:     for  $j = 0$  to  $N - 1$  do
5:        $SP_{i,j} = \min(SP_{i,j}, SP_{i,k} + SP_{k,j})$ 
6:     end for
7:   end for
8: end for
9:  $RC_f = SP + 1$  { $RC_f$  is the final Rule Cost(Correlation) matrix}
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Definition 4 *Direct Coupling matrix*

The Direct Coupling matrix (DC) is defined like $DC_{i,j} = DCf(r_i, r_j)$.

Definition 5 *RR-graph*

The Rules-Rules graph is given its $RRg = (R, E)$ where R is the set of rules of the P system, and $E = \{(r_1, r_2) | r_1, r_2 \in R \wedge DCf(r_1, r_2) \text{ is finite}\}$.

Definition 6 *RR-matrix*

The RR-matrix (RR) is the adjacency matrix of the RR-graph RRg .

Definition 7 *Rules Cost matrix*

If $X = OR^T \cdot OR$,

the Rule Cost matrix (RC) is calculated in the following way

$$RC_{i,j} = \begin{cases} 0, & X_{i,j} = 0 \\ DC_{i,j}. & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

We compute the shortest-path matrix of the RR-graph using Floyd's algorithm:

Definition 8 *P System temperature*

$T_{Ps} = \frac{\|RC_f\|_F}{n} - 1$ where $\|A\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{i,j}^2}$ is Frobenius norm, n is the number of P system rules (the rows/cols from RC_f).

Definition 9 *hotter system*

It is named that a P system is hotter than another if he have a greater temperature.

"Hot media are, therefore, low in participation, and cool media are high in participation or completion by the audience." M. McLuhan *Understanding Media: Media Hot and Cold*, by Routledge and Kegan Paul, UK 1964.

Theorem 1 Consider a transitional P system without active membranes; if an object is eliminated from any rule the resulting P system will be **hotter** than the original.

Proof: to be done (trivial from the direct coupling of two rules definition)

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Definition 10 *correlated systems*

A P system is named *correlated system* if the final rule correlation matrix RC_f has only finite elements.

Theorem 1 *If $P(n) = \frac{n^2(n^2-1)}{12}$ is the 4-dimensional pyramidal numbers, then the maximum temperature of an correlated system is*

$$T_{max} = \frac{\sqrt{2 \cdot P(n+1) - n}}{n} - 1$$

Proof: to be done.

□

Theorem 1 *Consider a transitional P system without active membranes; if all the rules influenced each other in the first step then the temperature of this P system would be $T = 0$, where n is the number of the rules.*

Proof: In a P system with all the rules influence each other in step 0, $DC_{i,j} = 0$ [1], that means the matrix OR doesn't have any rule or column completely '0', from here and RC-matrix definition will obtain that $X_{i,j} \neq 0, \forall i, j \leq n$, that involve $RC_{i,j} = DC_{i,j}, \forall i, j \leq n$ [2].

[1],[2] and Floyd's algorithm involve that $SP_{i,j} = RC_{i,j} = 0, \forall i, j \leq n$ and inn the final of algorithm $RC_{f,i,j} = 1, \forall i, j \leq n$ [3].

Applied the temperature definition for [3] is obtaining $T = 0$, q.e.d.

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Definition 11 *the nondeterministic correlation*

If two rules from a membrane with the same priority have the same input object or an input object of one is the promoter/inhibitor of the other then they are nondeterministically correlated. OR is possible to say there exist a nondeterminist between those rules.