ARTIST2 review: advisory board conclusions

ARTIST 2 Review
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Presentation outline

- Strong points

- Weak points

- Recommendations.

Important note: the advisory board that met today is not representative of all industrial domains (only 3 out of 10 members present)

Strong points

- High level of expertise in the clusters.

- Very good representation of topics.

- Top researchers in this area of embedded systems.

- Positive attitude towards integration.

- Effort made to capture the industry needs is appreciated.

Weak points

- Lack of a global overview:
  - Problems addressed
  - Objectives
  - Synthesis of results.
- No easy access to results by the industry
  - How to find the information? How to get the right information?
  - How to attract the industry people on the dissemination actions (WS, Summer schools,..)
- Perceived gap between current state of practice and the academic tools: how to fill the gap and migrate?

Recommendations

- Give access to all information (reports+slides) to the IAB before the review.

- Integration of control and computing/communication concerns shall be stressed.

- Distributed systems are now a reality in the industry: priority shall be given to this area.

- Improve the technical coordination across the clusters,

- Better organize the information available on the website.