

ARINC653, AADL annex

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Context and Rationale

ARINC653

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- Avionics standard
- Standardized API (called APEX APplication Executive)
- Central part of the IMA philosophy
- Time & space partitioning

Rationale of ARINC653 annex for AADLv2

- Standardized modeling patterns
- Better modeling & analysis support
- Code generation from AADL to ARINC653 O/S



ARINC653 standard overview

Partitioning support

- Software isolated in partitions
- Partitions run as if they were on a single processor

Time isolation

- Execution during a fixed & predefined time slice
- Tasks scheduled with a dedicated scheduling policy

Space isolation

Code & data stored in a separated address space

Fault containment

- Faults are propagated from processor to partitions
- Partition-dependent recovery strategy



ARINC653 services

Time and space isolation

- Time slices allocation
- Address spaces allocation

Tasking (process) services

• Similar to the thread concept

Communication services

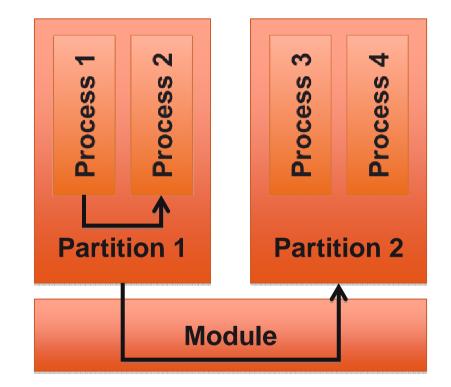
Intra-partition

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Inter-partitions (module enforced)

Health Monitoring

 Recover faults at module, partition or process levels





Map ARINC653 services to AADL models

Partitioning support

- Partition execution context : virtual processor
- Partition content : process
- Partitions control (with time & space specification)
 - Support for partitions execution : processor

Tasking/process service

- Thread component
- Communication services
 - Rely on ports connections
- Health Monitoring
 - Dedicated properties (ARINC653 property set)



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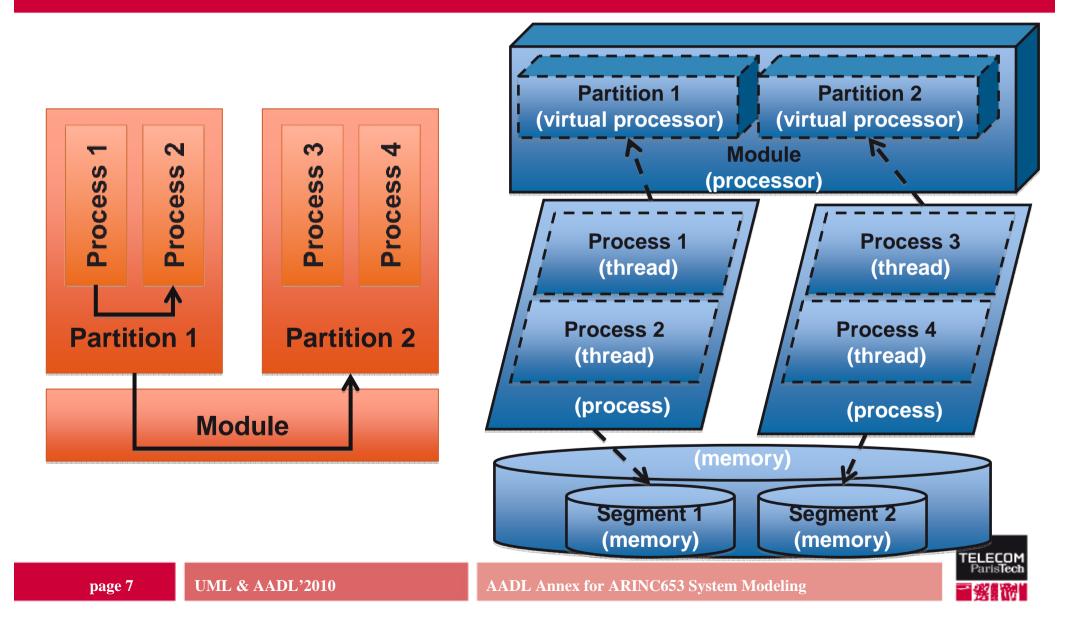
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From ARINC 653 architecture to AADL models



Current standardization state

Joint effort from academic and industrial partners

- Show the relevance of the annex for the industry
- Support from academic tools (e.g. Ocarina with ARINC653 code generation)
- Presented for ballot at the next meeting (May 2010)
- Publication as a standardized annex for end-2010
 - White paper to illustrate modeling patterns usage
 - Examples and case studies coming with the annex



Conclusion

Standardized modeling patterns

- Mapping ARINC653 services
- Enforce AADL semantics

Ease design, analysis and implementation

- Benefits from AADL validation tools
- Code generators already available

Publication in late 2010

- Ready for the ballot process
- Standardization as an annex document
- First implementation in Ocarina (compiler) + POK (run-time)
 - http://aadl.telecom-paristech.fr/
 - http://pok.gunnm.org

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