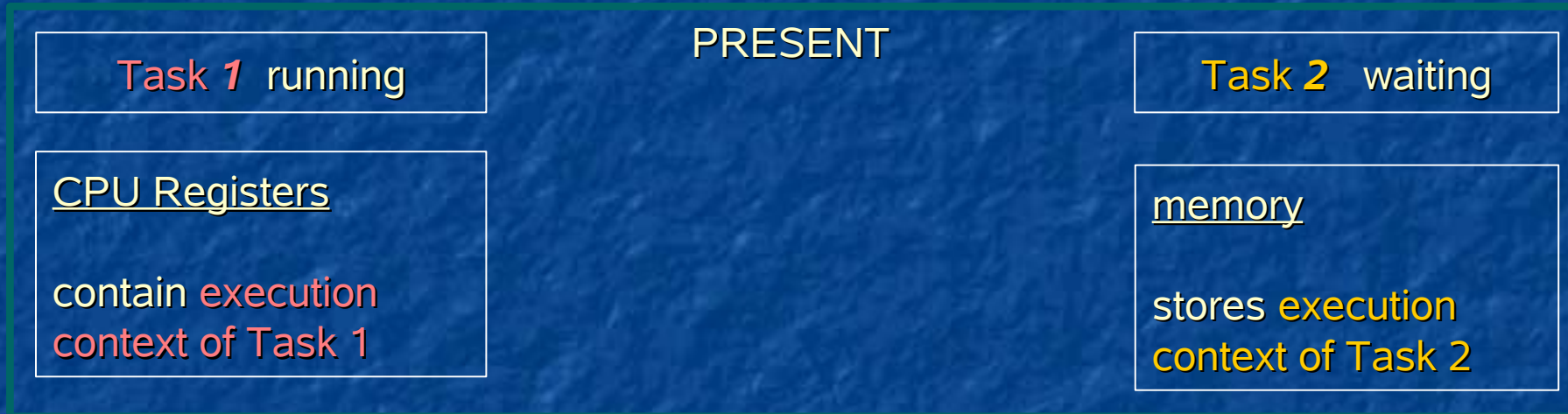


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## Multitasking, task switch



- A multitasking OS switches between tasks to give the appearance of many task running concurrently
- While switching, the OS saves the context of a stopped task, and loads the context of starting task in the registers

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## Multitasking, task switch

PAST

Task 1 running

Task 2 waiting

CPU Registers

contain execution context of Task 1

memory

stores execution context of Task 2

PRESENT

Task 2 running

Task 1 waiting

CPU Registers

contain execution context of Task 1

Load execution context of Task 2 in the cpu registers

Store execution context of Task 1

memory

stores execution context of Task 2

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## Finite State Machine OS

- A FSMOS (finite state machine operating system) is an OS that is described by a finite state machine.
- FSMOS has no concurrent tasks and no task-switch.
- All tasks are mapped to the states of the finite state machine.
- Advantages of a FSMOS
  - easy to analyze the running OS
  - all tasks share the whole memory space
  - easy to develop (with Description Languages)

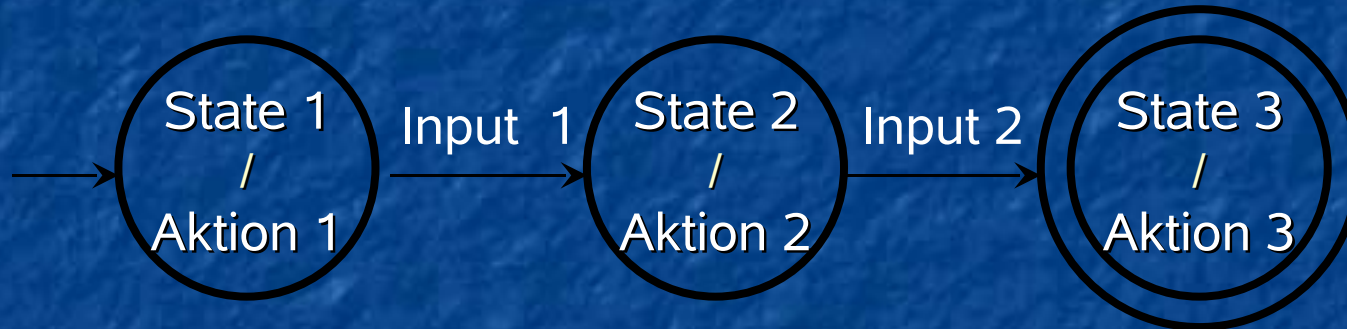
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## Finite State Machine

- A finite state machine (FSM) or finite automaton consists of
  - input alphabet
  - state transition function
    - (takes as arguments a state and an input symbol and returns a state and the corresponding action)
  - finite set of states
  - set of final states
  - initial state
  - Actions

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## Finite State Machine, example



initial state – State 1

final state – State 3

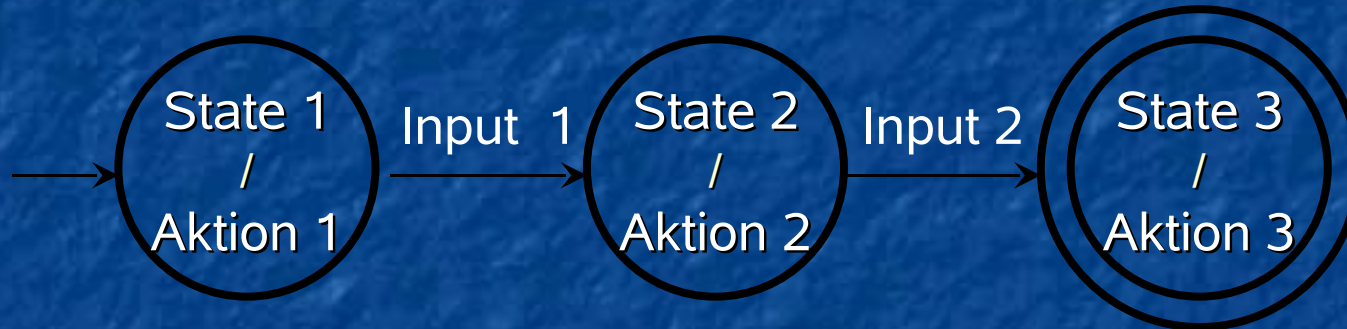
set of states – State 1, State 2, State 3

input alphabet – Input 1, Input 2

actions – Action 1, Action 2, Action 3

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## Finite State Machine, accepted language



- inputs to FSM consist of strings over the input alphabet
- Because input alphabet is “*Input 1, Input 2*”, possible inputs could be :
  - “*Input 1*”
  - “*Input 2*”
  - “*Input 1, Input 2*”
  - “*Input 2, Input 1*”

This FSM accepts only the sequence “*Input 1, Input 2*” (or in other words, FSM accepts the **language** “*Input 1, Input 2*”)



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## Comparison : Regular Expressions, FSM

- *finite state machine* is a good “*visual*” aid
  - but it is not very suitable as a specification
- *regular expressions* are a *more compact* way to define a language that can be accepted by an FSM
- FSM can be converted into a regular expression
- regular expressions can be converted into the FSM (but with exponential cost )

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## Regular Expressions, definition

Regular Expressions can be defined recursively :

*Basis :*

- The empty string is a regular expression.
- For every character  $c$  in the input alphabet,  $c$  is a regular expression.

*Induction :*

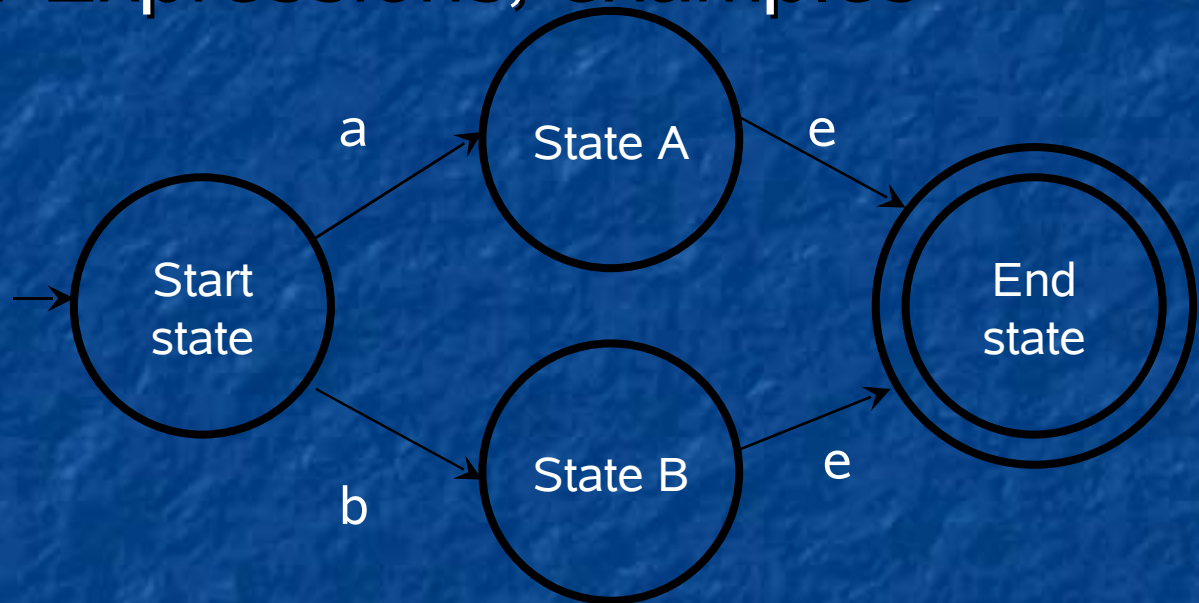
- If  $X$  and  $Y$  are regular expressions, then the **Union**: " $X + Y$ " is a regular expression.
  - ( $+$  means "OR" )
- If  $X$  and  $Y$  are regular expressions, then the **Concatenation**: " $XY$ " is a regular expression.
- If  $X$  is a regular expression, then **Closure** :  $X^*$  is a regular Expression
  - $*$  means concatenation of 0 or more  $X$
- if " $X$ " is a regular Expression then a **parenthesed**  $x$  : " $(x)$ " is a regular Expression

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## Regular Expressions, examples

- **Union**

$a+b$  :



accepted language : “a” or “b”

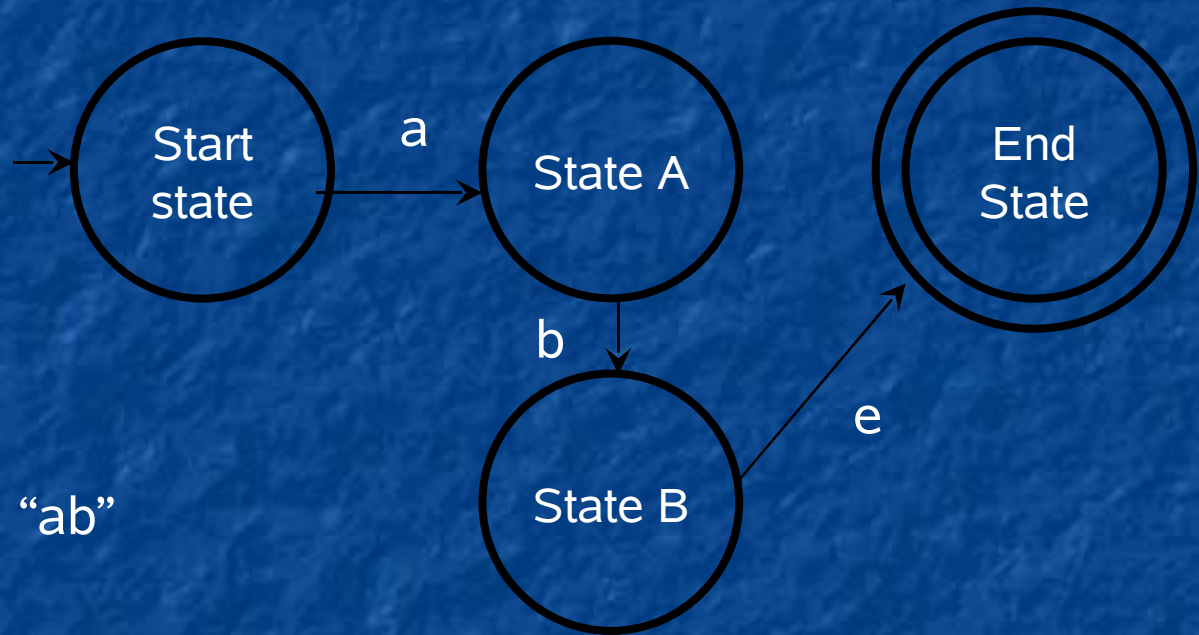
a, b : regular expressions,  
e : empty string

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## Regular Expressions, examples

- **Concatenation**

ab :



accepted language : “ab”

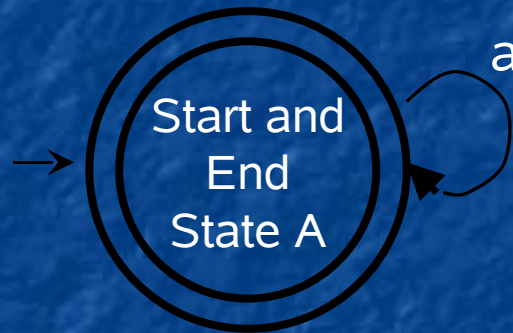
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## Regular Expressions, examples

- **Closure**

$a^*$  :



accepted language : "" or "a" or "aa" or "aaa" or "aaaa" ...

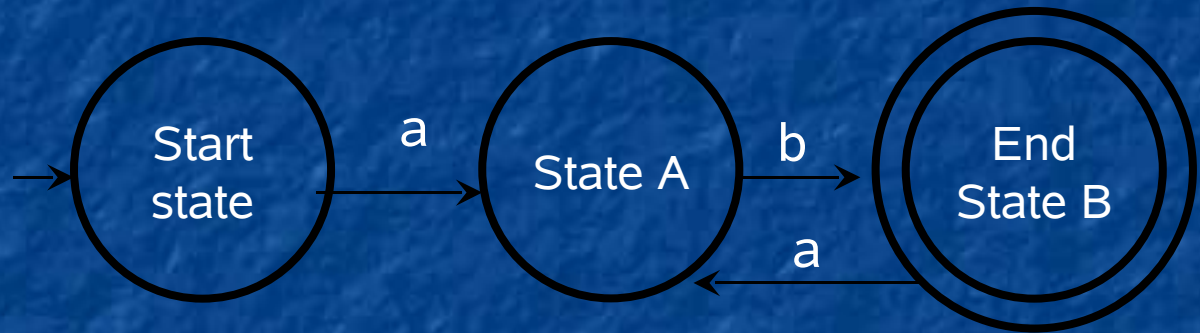
a : regular expression

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## Regular Expressions, examples

### ■ *Parantheses*

$(ab)^*$  :



accepted language : “ab” or “abab” or ” ababab” ...

a, b : regular expressions,

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## MDL2e (Motion Description Language 2 extended)

- MDL2e describes the behavior of the robot with regular expressions
- MDL2e consists of following elements:
  - atom
  - plan
  - behavior
  - mult
  - union
  - runion
  - plan

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## MDL2e, element Atom

- Atoms are the simplest elements in MDL2e
- They are defined as triple “action, interrupt, duration”
- They correspond to a basic regular expression
  - Duration describes how long an atom should be executed
  - Interrupts are boolean expression
  - Action is a function that executes if
    - interrupt returns true AND
    - the time of execution is not up



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## MDL2e, element Atom, Interrupt

- An Interrupt can be
  - a basic interrupt or
  - a boolean expression with basic interrupts as variables
- List of all MDL2e operators
  - AND (< basic interrupt >, < basic interrupt >)
  - OR (< basic interrupt >, < basic interrupt >)
  - NOT (< basic interrupt >)
  - EQ (< value >, < value >)
  - GEQ (< value >, < value >)
  - GT (< value >, < value >)
- < value >, could be a variable or a constant value
- < basic interrupt > is treated like boolean variable.
  - for example “IOBSTACLE” means an obstacle in front of the robot.

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## MDL2e, element Atom, example

```
< Atom name = "AMOVE"           // action "AMOVE"  
interrupt = "NOT(IOBSTACLE)"    // interrupt  
arg0 = 10                       // argument 0 of "AMOVE" :  
                                // velocity = 10  
duration = 15 />              // duration 15 time steps
```

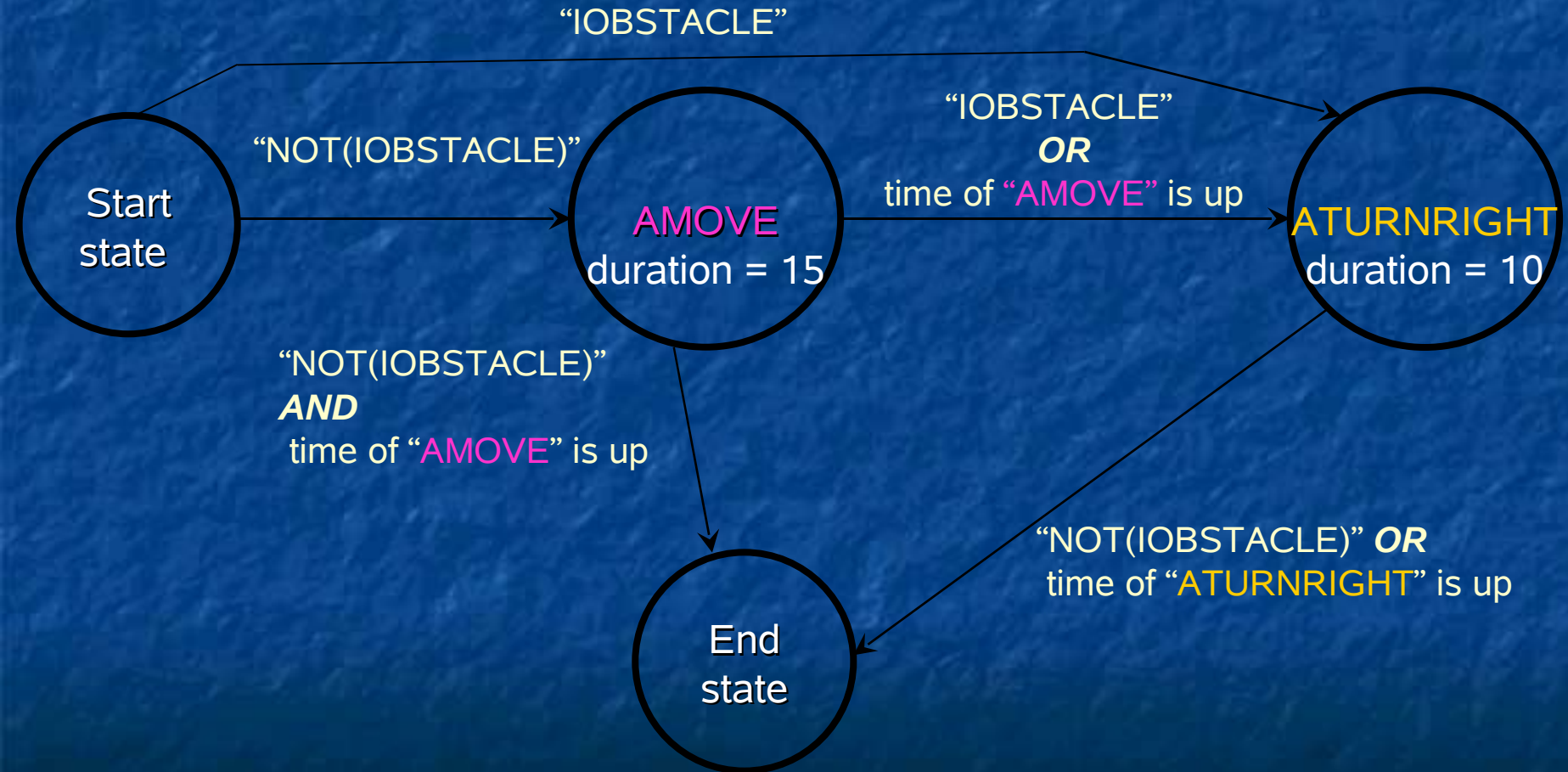
Robot moves forward for 15 time steps with velocity 10  
if there is no obstacle

```
< Atom name = "ATURNRIGHT"      // action "AMOVE"  
interrupt = "IOBSTACLE"        // interrupt  
duration = 10 />              // duration 15 time steps
```

Robot turns right for 10 time steps if there is an obstacle

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## MDL2e, element Atom, state diagram

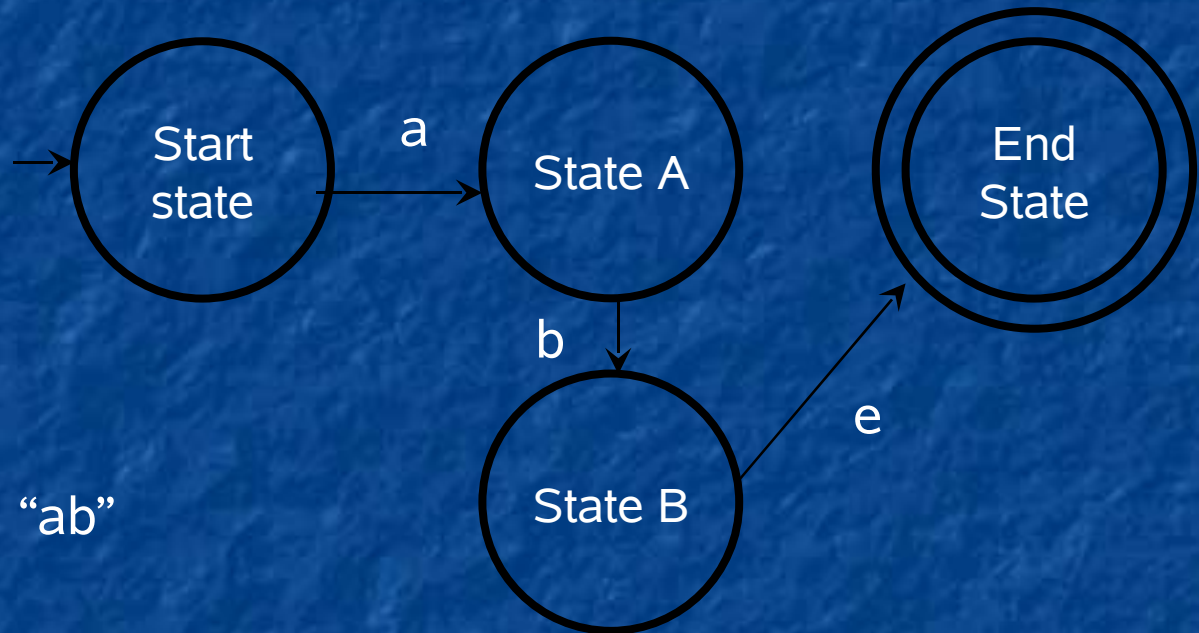


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## Regular Expressions, examples

### ■ *Concatenation*

ab :



accepted language : “ab”

### **NOTE :**

MDL2e Atoms create much more complex FSM's as simple regular expressions

a, b : regular expressions,  
e : empty string

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## MDL2e, element Behavior

- Behaviors are like parantheses in regular expressions
- They group all MDL2e elements.
- Behaviors can construct high level behaviors,by building groups from other behaviors

Behaviors have as parameter a name, an interrupt and a duration,

Example :

```
<BEHAVIOR name = "BAVOID", interrupt = "ITRUE", duration =  
"infinite">
```

```
< Atom name = "AMOVE" interrupt =NOT(IOBSTACLE)" arg0 =  
10 duration = 15 />
```

```
< Atom name = "ATURNRIGHT" interrupt = "IOBSTACLE"  
duration = 10 />
```

```
</BEHAVIOR>
```

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## MDL2e, element Mult

- Mults will loop over the internal elements
- Mult works like closure in regular expressions
- Mults have as parameter a variable “multiplicity” that indicates the number of loops

Example :

```
<MULT multiplicity = 2> // execute ATOM 2 times
```

```
  < ATOM name = “AMOVE” interrupt =NOT(IOBSTACLE)” arg0 =  
    10 duration = 15 />
```

```
</MULT>
```

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## MDL2e, element RUnion

- Runion “random union”
  - picks one random element from it internal elements
  - has an argument “probability”
    - Helps to calculate the probability distribution within a union

Example :

```
<RUNION probability = 2>
```

```
  < ATOM name = “AMOVE” interrupt =“NOT(IOBSTACLE)” arg0 =  
    10 duration = 15 />
```

```
  < ATOM name = “ATURNRIGHT” interrupt = “IOBSTACLE”  
    duration = 10 />
```

```
</RUNION>
```

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## MDL2e, element Plan

- Plan is simply the first behavior, that contains all other MDL2e elements.

Behaviors have as parameter a name, an interrupt and a duration,

Example :

```
<PLAN name = "main_plan", interrupt = "ITRUE", duration =  
  "infinite">
```

```
< Atom name = "AMOVE" interrupt =NOT(IOBSTACLE)" arg0 =  
  10 duration = 15 />
```

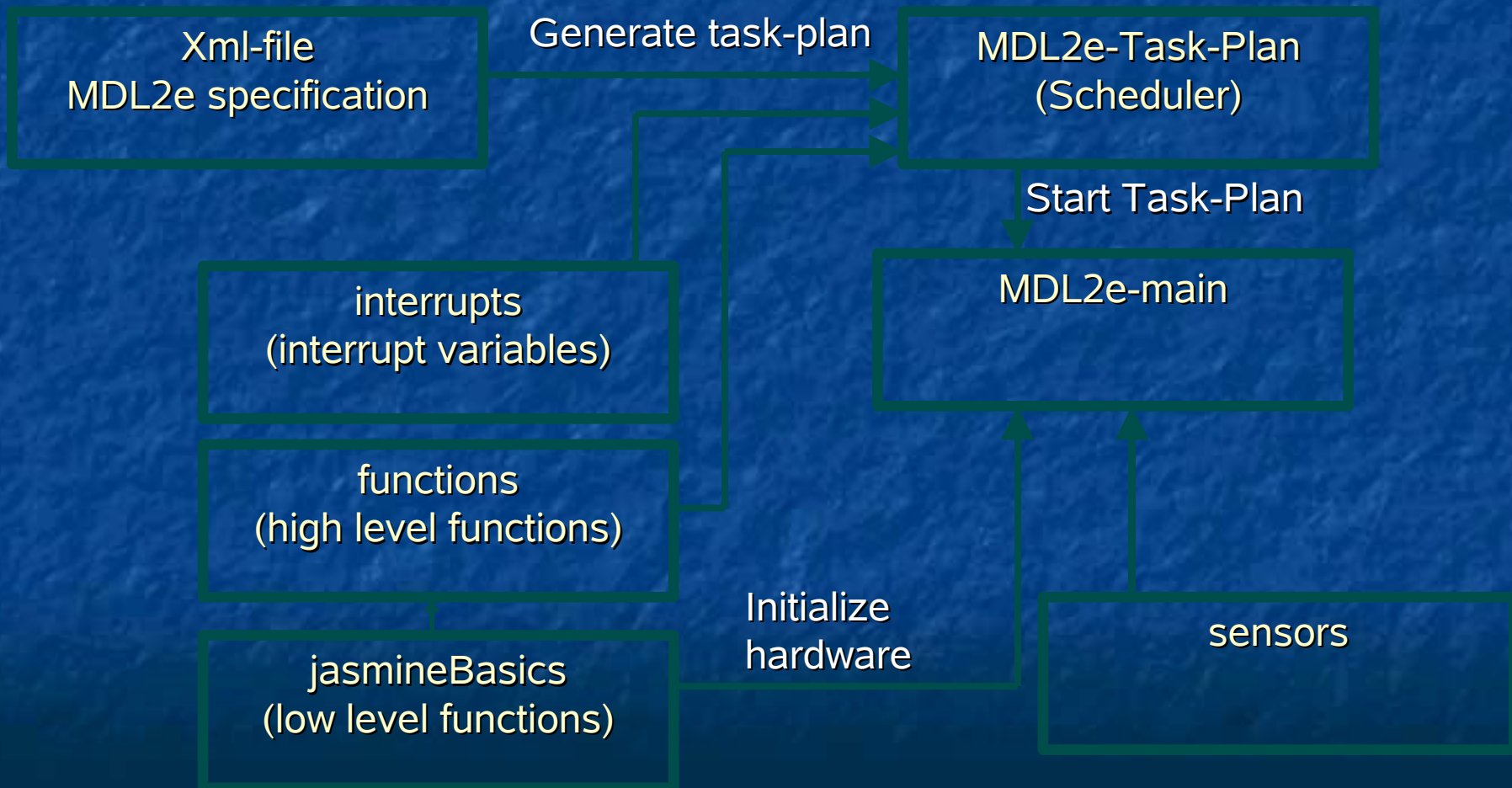
```
< Atom name = "ATURNRIGHT" interrupt = "IOBSTACLE"  
  duration = 10 />
```

```
</PLAN>
```



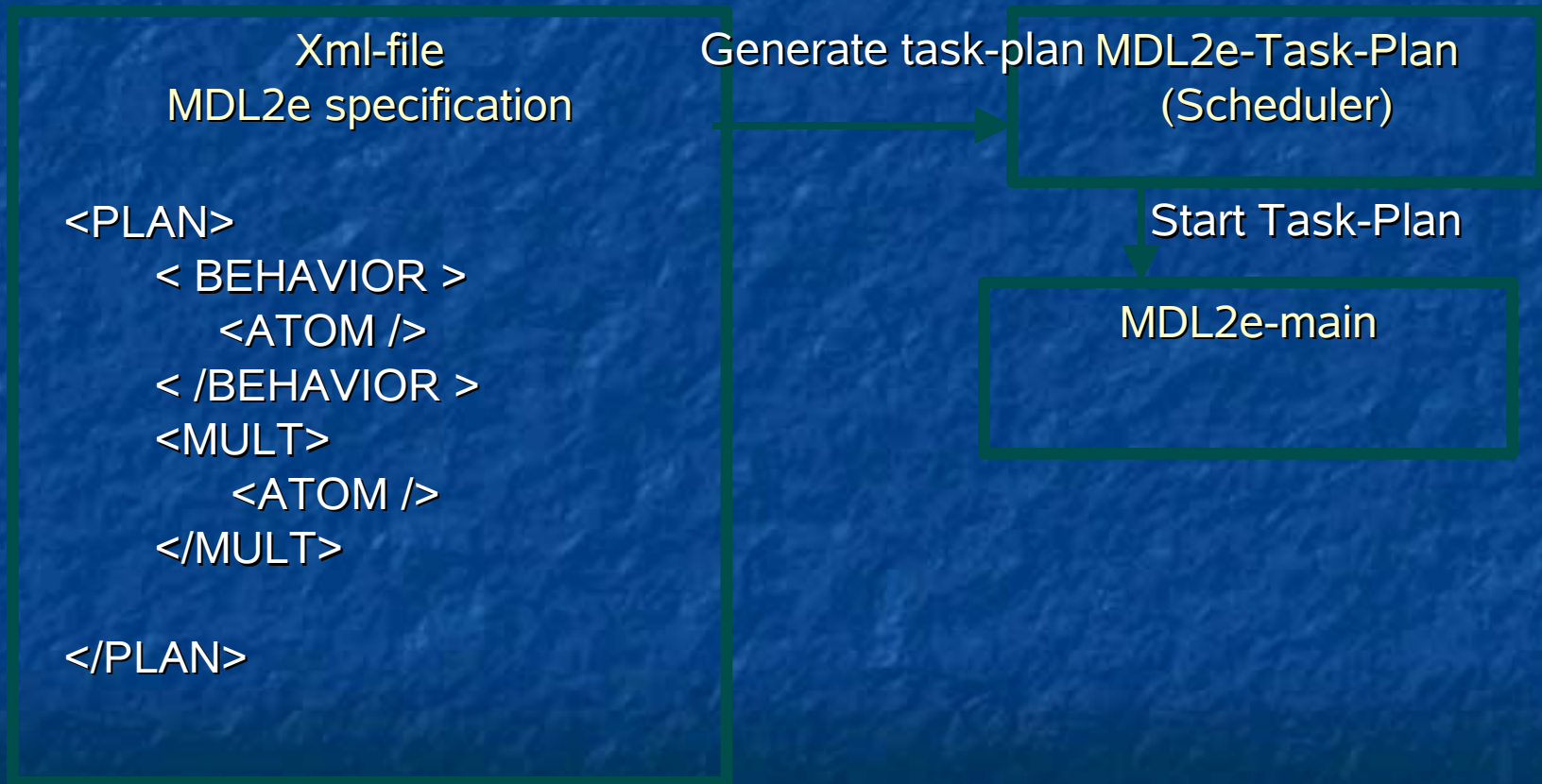
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## Architecture



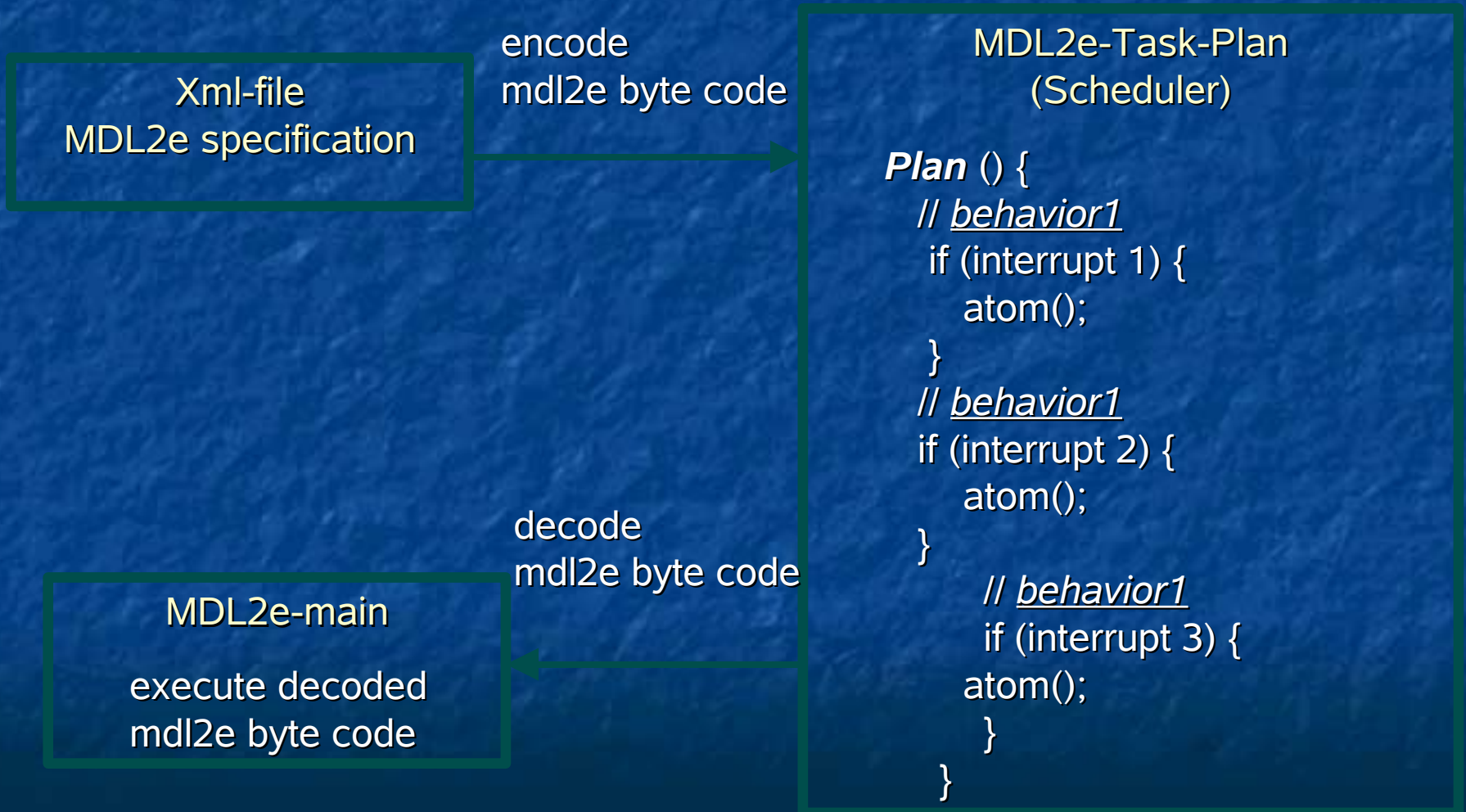
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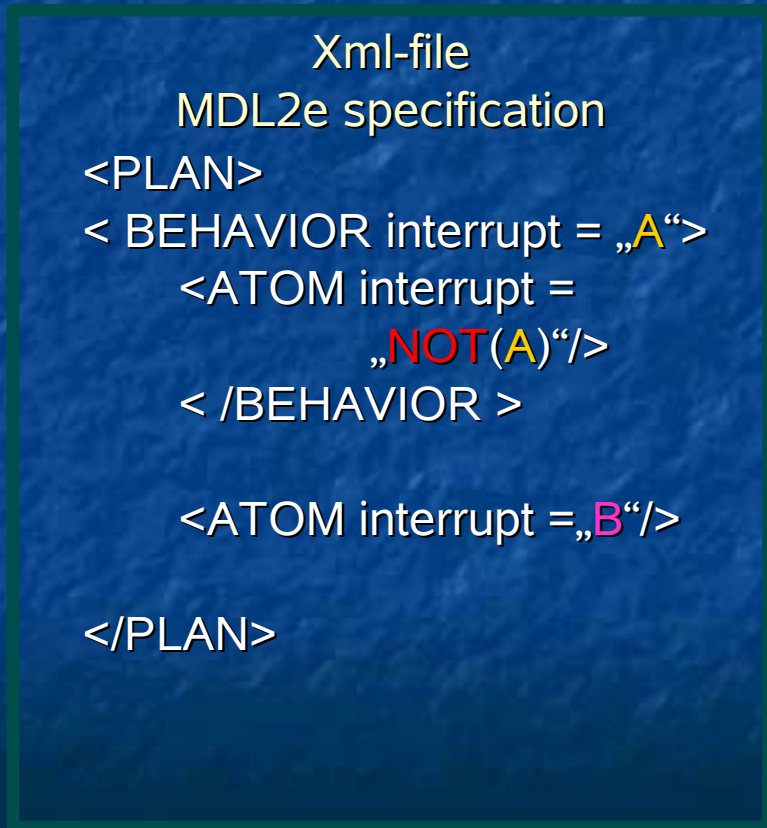
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Optimisation: eliminating of not possible  
mdl2e elements

Generate task-plan



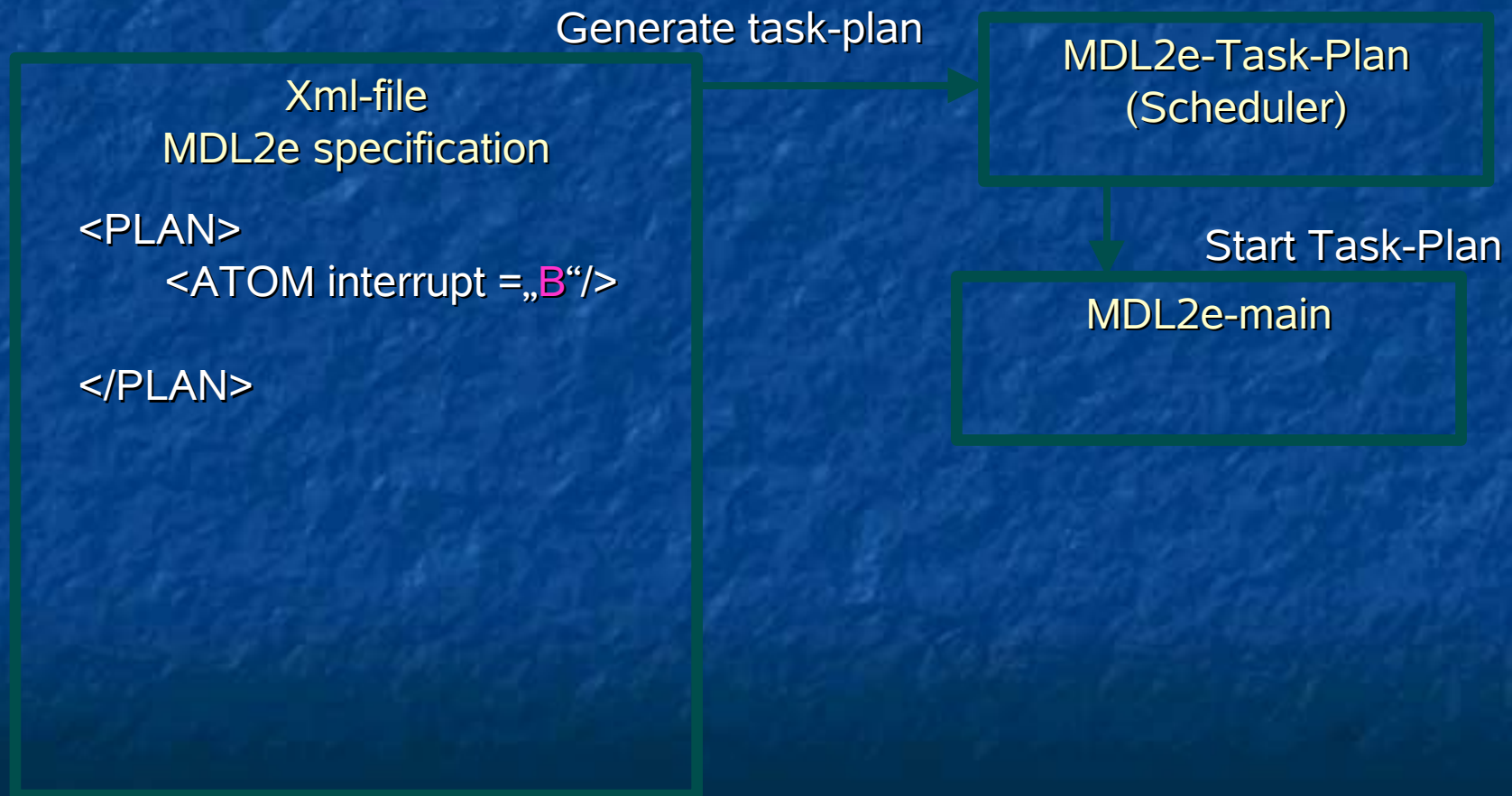
MDL2e-Task-Plan  
(Scheduler)

Start Task-Plan

MDL2e-main

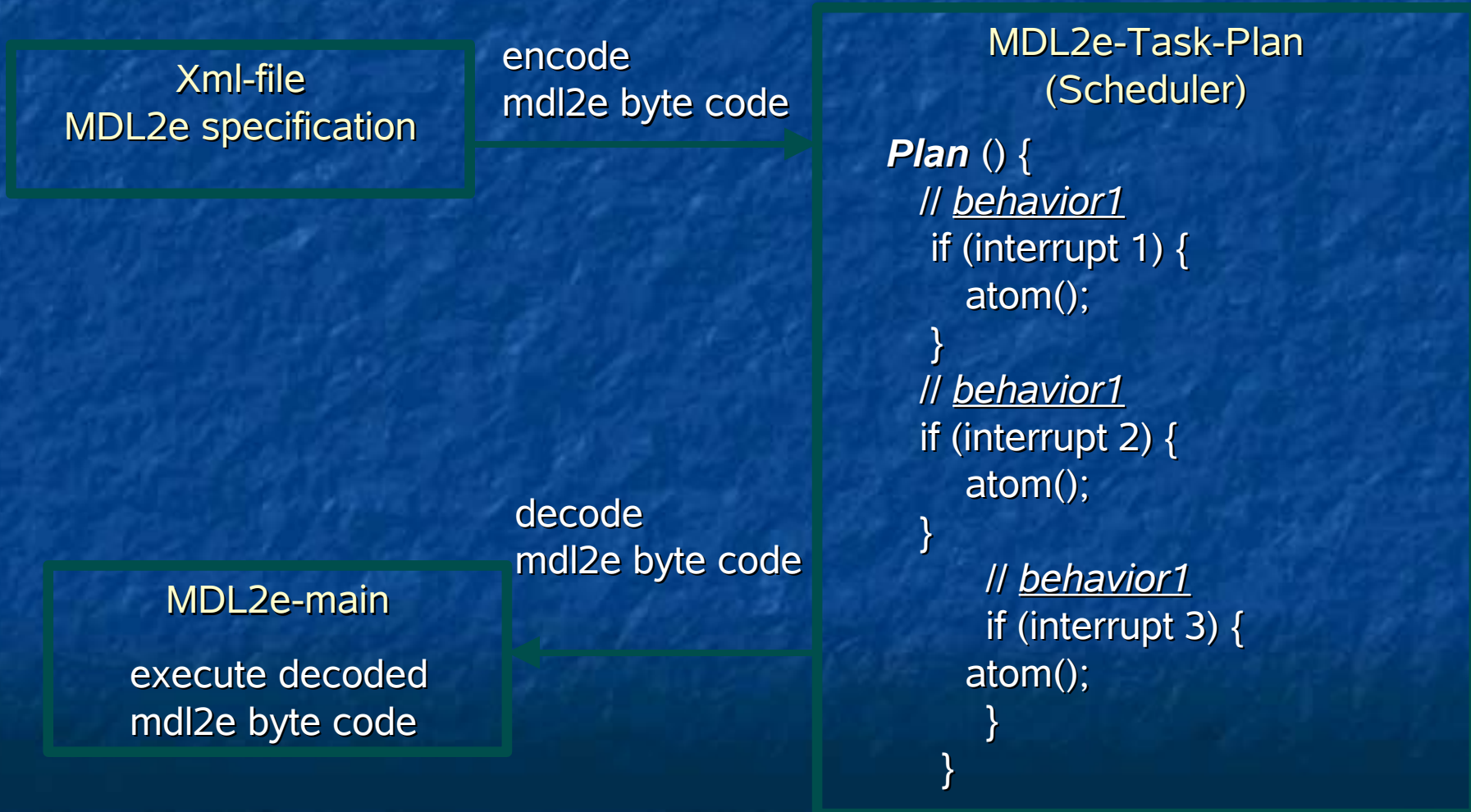
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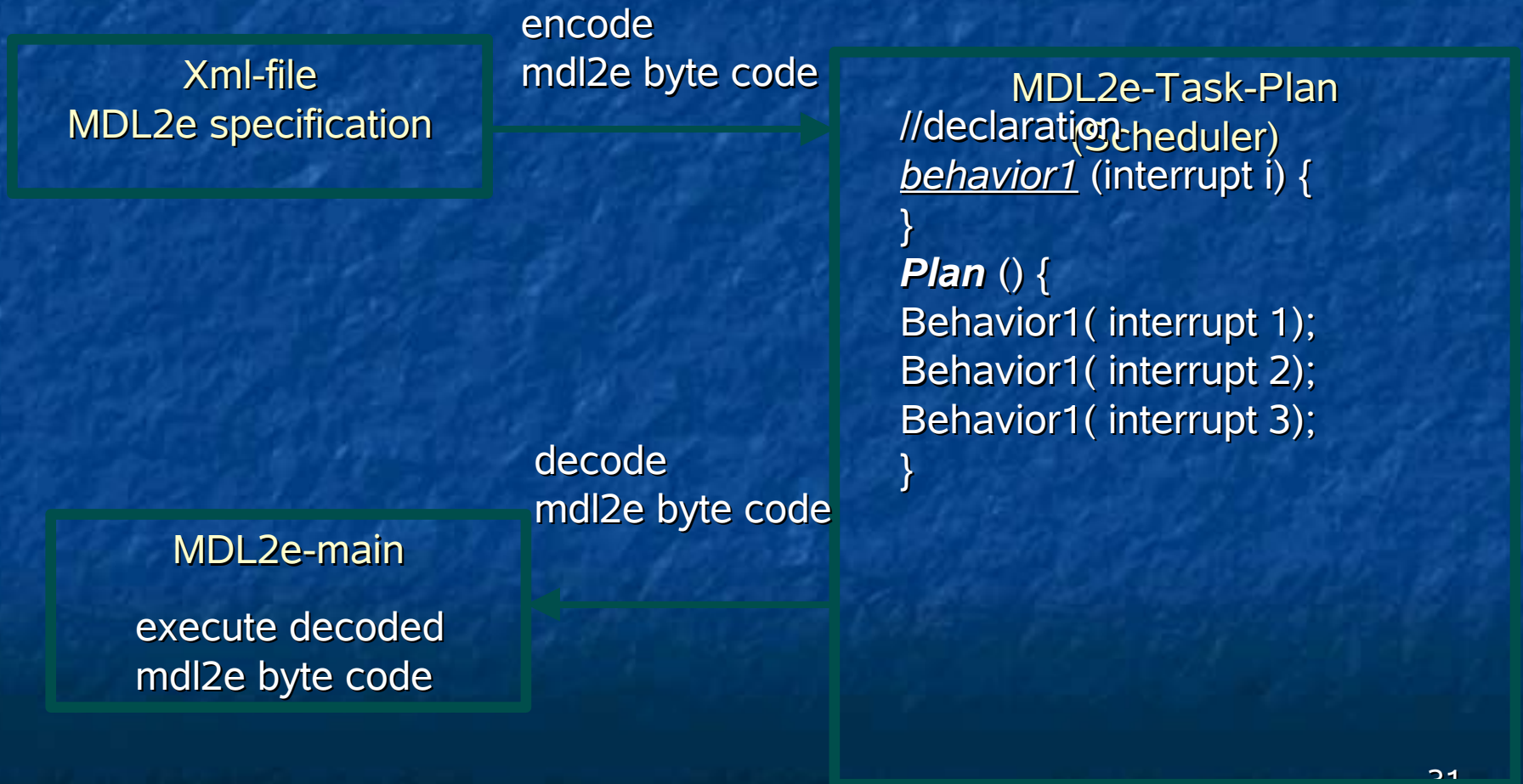
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Optimisation: generate declaration  
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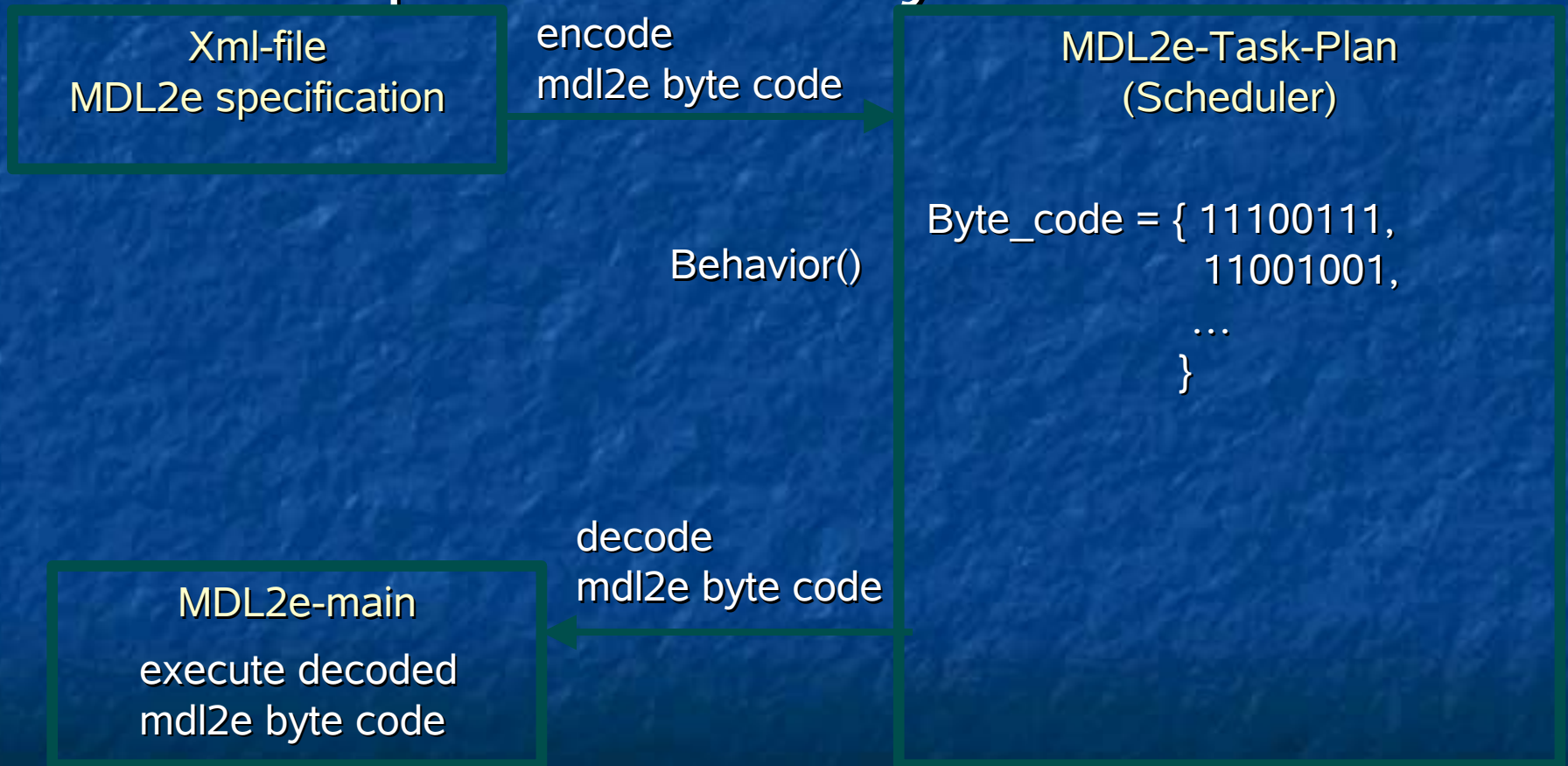
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Optimization encode the MDL2e specification in byte code





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Optimization encode the MDL2e specification in byte code

Xml-file  
MDL2e specification

```
< BEHAVIOR interrupt = „A“>  
  <ATOM interrupt =„B“/>  
< /BEHAVIOR >
```

Xml-file  
MDL2e specification

```
behavior  
1  
Atom  
0  
  
Interrupt A  
1  
  
Interrupt B  
0
```

Byte code =  
{11000000}

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