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#### 1. Compiling and running Server & Avatar:

**1.1 Server: Building and running the server.** Step 1: Execute build.xml:

Location: /GenericSCG

Command: ant

Step 2: Run the server

Location: GenericSCG/bin

Command: java -cp .:demeterf.jar:hamcrest-all-1.3.0RC2.jar scg.admin.Admin <admin password>

#### **1.2 Avatar:**

Step 1: Generate Java files using Demeterf

Location: GenericSCG

Command: java -cp .:demeterf.jar:hamcrest-all-1.3.0RC2.jar demeterf <./src/mmg/avatar/mmgAvatar.cd> <./src/mmg/avatar/mmgAvatar.beh> <gen>

The command shown above is for mmg avatar.

Step 2: Build the source files

Location: /GenericSCG

Command: ant

Step 3: Run the avatar

Location: /GenericSCG/bin

Command: java -cp .:demeterf.jar:hamcrest-all-1.3.0RC2.jar scg.net.avatar.PlayerMainMMG <random-port> <server-name> <teamusername> <team-password> <tournamentID>

The command shown above is for mmg avatar.

#### 2. Managing Tournaments & Users

These are the following steps to manage users and to start a new tournament.

#### 2.1 Tournament Management:

- 1. Once the server is up and running, open the URL http://serverurl:7007/signin (example: <u>http://localhost:7007/signup</u>, incase if server is running locally)
- 2. Enter the username: root and password: password given while executing Admin class
- 3. Create a new tournament by filling in all the required fields.
  - a. Please refer section 2.2 to get the config file for a particular playground.
- 4. All the users who are willing to participate in the tournament must enroll to a particular tournament and then run their avatar (Step 3 of 1.2 should be done after enrolling into a tournament)

## 2.2 Configuration files:

The below configuration has to be used while creating the tournaments. Configuration is specific to a playground.

1. MMG:

scg\_config[ domain:mmg.MMGDomain protocols: scg.protocol.ForAllExistsMax tournamentStyle: full round-robin turnDuration: 60 //seconds maxNumAvatars: 20 minStrengthening: 0.001 initialReputation: 100.0 maxReputation: 1000.0 reputationFactor: 0.4 minProposals: 2 maxProposals: 5 numRounds: 6 proposedClaimMustBeNew: true minConfidence: 0.5 1 mmg.MMGConfig {{ mmg\_config[ ] }}

2. BSF:

config[ domain:bfs.BFSDomain protocols: scg.protocol.ForAllExistsEqual tournamentStyle: full round-robin turnDuration: 60 //seconds maxNumAvatars: 20 minStrengthening: 0.001 initialReputation: 100.0 maxReputation: 1000.0 reputationFactor: 0.4 minProposals: 2 maxProposals: 5 numRounds: 6 proposedClaimMustBeNew: true minConfidence: 0.5 bfs.BFSConfig {{ bfs\_config[ ] }}

#### 3. HSR:

HSR config scg\_config[ domain:hsr.HSRDomain protocols: scg.protocol.ForAllExistsMax tournamentStyle: full round-robin turnDuration: 60 //seconds maxNumAvatars: 20 minStrengthening: 0.001 initialReputation: 100.0 maxReputation: 1000.0 reputationFactor: 0.4 minProposals: 2 maxProposals: 5 numRounds: 6 proposedClaimMustBeNew: true minConfidence: 0.5 hsr.HSRConfig {{ hsr\_config[ ] }}

#### 2.3 User Management:

- 1. Sign up: Open the URL <u>http://server-url:7007/signup</u> to sign-up and wait until the Admin approves your request.
- 2. Sign In: Once the admin has approved the sign up request, user can login. The URL for login page is http://server-url:7007/signin
- 3. Approve/Remove users:

Administrator can approve or remove users directly from the admin control panel. After logging in, pending users (i.e., "users awaiting approval") will be shown on the right . Additionally, the administrator can elect to remove users that had previously been approved.

Admin ×		
← → C (S localhost:7007/admin		💩 🏷 🐟
<u>Server Status</u>	Admin	4/14/11 6:14:50 PM EDT root   <u>Sign Out</u>
Add a tournament:   Name: Runtime:   Playground Config:   Add		1 user successfully approved. Users Awaiting Approval: All users have been approved. Approved Users: user Remove Selected

### 3. Making a clever avatar:

The students would be provided with the baby avatar i.e., a .cd and .beh file. For example, these two files for MMG playground is located under mmg.avatar package in GenericSCG.

Step 1: No changes required for .cd file.

Step 2: .beh file has following methods, which need to be modified to make a clever avatar:

List<Claim> **propose**(List<Claim> forbiddenClaims): The "propose" method is used to make new claims during competitions.

List<OpposeAction> **oppose**(List<Claim> claimsToBeOpposed): The "oppose" method is used to respond to the claims of the proposer. The claims are given in the input parameter claimsToBeOpposed.

InstanceI **provide**(Claim claimToBeProvided):

The "provide" method is used to provide an instance for the given claim.

SolutionI **solve**(SolveRequest solveRequest):

The "solve" method is used to provide solution for the instance provided by opposition.

## **3.1 Understanding the terminologies:**

## **3.1.1 Refutation**

Alice makes a claim C using protocol P with quality qA and confidence cfA. Bob refutes C. The protocol P specifies the sequence of actions that are to be to be performed by Alice and Bob.

Depending on the protocol, either Alice or Bob (or both) will provide an instance to be solved and a solution for the given instances of claim C. The quality of the solution(s) and quality qA will be used by the protocol predicate (i.e., getResult) to determine the outcome of the refutation. The result of this predicate is a value between 1 and -1. This result is used in computing the updates to the reputation of the two avatars.

If Bob successfully refutes the claim, Bob wins reputation and Alice loses reputation. If Alice successfully defends her claim, Alice wins reputation and Bob loses reputation.

The reputation is updated as below: Alice's new reputation = Alice's current reputation + (cfA \* result) Bob's new reputation = Bob's current reputation - (cfA \* result)

## 3.1.2 Strengthening

Alice makes a claim C using protocol P with quality qA and confidence cfA. Bob strengthens claim C with quality qB and cfB where cfB  $\geq$ = cfA. Alice refutes this strengthened claim. The refutation follows the steps specified in the protocol P. If Bob successfully defends his strengthened claim, Bob wins and the reputation updates are as follows:

Bob's new reputation = Bob's current reputation + (cfA \* | qA - qB |)Alice's new reputation = Alice' current reputation - (cfA \* | qA - qB |)

If Bob fails to defend his strengthened claim, Alice wins and the reputation updates are as follows: Alice's new reputation = Alice's current reputation + cfB Bob's new reputation = Bob's current reputation - cfB

## 3.1.3 Agreement

Alice makes a claim C using protocol P with quality qA, confidence cfA. When Bob agrees on claim C with Alice, the following conditions should hold true:

Bob must defend C against Alice.

Bob must refute !C (i.e., the negated claim of C). !C has the same InstanceSet, quality and confidence as C but has a protocol !P with Alice as defender.

If Bob fails to satisfy any one of the above condition, then Bob loses.

Similarly Alice must satisfy the following conditions:

Alice must defend C against Bob.

Alice must refute !C with Bob as the defender.

If Alice fails to satisfy any one of the above condition, then Alice loses.

If Bob loses, the reputation is updated as follows: Bob's new reputation = Bob's current reputation – cfA Alice's new reputation = Alice's current reputation + cfA If Alice loses, the reputation is updated as follows: Alice's new reputation = Alice's current reputation – cfA Bob's new reputation = Bob's current reputation + cfA If both Alice and Bob satisfy all their conditions, the reputations remain unaffected and the claim goes into the social welfare set (i.e., the claim repository).

### 3.2 CodeSamples

The code samples below represent a template class dictionary (i.e., "ddsAvatar.cd") and a template behavior definition (i.e., "ddsAvatar.beh") needed for a complete avatar definition.

During actual implementation, all the instances of "dds" should be replaced with an acronym of the playground. For example, HSR playground class should be named as "hsrAvatar". Note that file names should also reflect this change. Therefore, the resulting files in this example would be named "hsrAvatar.cd" (for the class dictionary) and "hsrAvatar.beh".

## **3.1.1. Avatar's Class Dictionary template:**

### /\* File: ddsAvatar.cd

(replace all instances of dds, including the file name, with a three letter representation of the domain name) "scg.cd" includes the class definitions for SCG courts. The SCG class dictionary has meta-level definitions that specify how each avatar definition cd must be defined \*/

```
nogen include "../scg/scg.cd";
```

/\* This avatar definition will be created within the \* dds.Avatar package.\*/

### package dds.Avatar;

/\*\* - Import the SCG package.\* (necessary to ensure that this avatar is compatible with the \* SCG courts system)\* - Import the DDS package.\* (necessary to ensure that this avatar can interact with\* dds specific objects)After importing the SCG and DDS packages, you should also import any additional packages or classes that will be required for the implementation of methods in your .beh file \*/

### import scg.\*;

import dds.\*;

// Enter additional "import" statements before this comment.

/\* Define a domain design specific Avatar (i.e., ddsAvatar). The ddsAvatar definition must implement the AvatarI interface. Therefore, AvatarI methods

must be defined in your corresponding behavior file (.beh) as part of the ddsAvatar class (see the template avatar behavior definition for more details). \*/

ddsAvatar = implements AvatarI.

### **3.1.2.** Avatar's Behavior definition template:

#### /\*File: ddsAvatar.beh

(replace all instances of dds, including the file name, with a three letter representation of the domain name) Methods for the ddsAvatar class.

The ddsAvatar class must implement the AvatarI interface. Therefore, the "propose", "oppose", "provide", and "solve" \* methods must be implemented.\*/

#### ddsAvatar {{

/\*The constructor for the ddsAvatar class contains a Config object.\*/

#### private Config config;

/\*The constructor to be called during registration (where you \* supply a Config)\*/

```
public ddsAvatar(Config cfg)
```

```
{ config = cfg; }
```

```
/*Proposes a List<Claim> that does not include any claims from the given List<Claim> (i.e., forbidden claims) */
```

public List<Claim> propose(List<Claim> forbiddenClaims) { // Replace with domain specific logic:

### return null;

## }

// Must return a "List<Claim>" object

// Decides what opposition action to take for each claim in the given

List<Claim> public List<OpposeAction> oppose(List<Claim> claimsToBeOpposed){

// Replace with domain specific logic:

return null;

// Must return a "List<OpposeAction>" object

}

// Provides a ddsInstance for the given Claim public InstanceI provide(Claim claimToBeProvided) {

// Replace with domain specific logic:

return null;

// Must return a "ddsInstance" object

}

// Solves (i.e., gives a ddsSolution) for the instance in the given
SolveRequest

public SolutionI solve(SolveRequest solveRequest)

# {

ddsInstance i = (ddsInstance)solveRequest.getInstance();

// Replace with domain specific logic:

return null;

// Must return a ,,ddsSolution" object

## 

## 4. Smart History:

#### 4.1. Understanding Smart History files:

Consider a sample paragraph of the smart history file from a MMG game. Let us try and understand each line and field means.

SAMPLE 1:

```
claim mmg.MMGInstanceSet {{ }} scg.protocol.ForAllExistsMax {{
}} 0.5707252354898215 1.0
proposer {{ navi }}
opposer {{ dexter }}
action strengthening 0.5807252354898215
responses provider {{ navi }} pr provide mmg.MMGInstance {{ 0.05 }}
provider {{ dexter }} pr solve mmg.MMGSolution {{
0.046511853922261426 }}
winner {{ dexter }}
pointsWon 1.0
```

SAMPLE 2:

```
claim mmg.MMGInstanceSet {{ }} scg.protocol.ForAllExistsMax {{
}} 0.106 1.0
proposer {{ dexter }}
opposer {{ navi }}
action agree
responses provider {{ navi }} pr provide mmg.MMGInstance {{ 0.05 }}
provider {{ dexter }} pr solve mmg.MMGSolution {{
0.4648488775874373 }}
winner {{ dexter }}
pointsWon 1.0
```

#### SAMPLE 3:

```
claim mmg.MMGInstanceSet {{ }} scg.protocol.ForAllExistsMax {{
}} 0.7323630210011601 1.0
proposer {{ navi }}
opposer {{ dexter }}
action refuting
responses provider {{ navi }} pr provide mmg.MMGInstance {{ 0.3 }}
provider {{ dexter }} pr solve mmg.MMGSolution {{
0.3158511574800351 }}
winner {{ navi }}
pointsWon 1.0
```

KEY:

```
claim
       INSTANCE SET
                            PROTOCOL
                                          QUALITY
CONFIDENCE
          {{ AVATAR_NAME }}
proposer
          {{ AVATAR_NAME }}
opposer
action
        ACTION NAME: REFUTE/STRENGTHEN/AGREE
STRENGTHENED CLAIM(if action is strengthening)
         provider {{ AVATAR_NAME }}
responses
                                          pr
                        INSTANCE {{ INSTANCE VALUE }}
FUNCTION CALLED
      provider {{ AVATAR_NAME }}
                                              FUNCTION
                                       pr
              SOLUTION {{ SOLUTION VALUE }}
CALLED
winner
         {{ AVATAR_NAME }}
           VALUE
pointsWon
```

### **EXPLANATION:**

Consider sample 1. It represents the history of first round out of the 9 rounds (MAxrounds) between team navi and team dexter

- team navi proposes with a claim of C = 0.5707252354898215

- team dexter opposes by strengthening 0.5807252354898215

```
- team navi provides with a value of x = 0.5
```

```
- team dexter solves with a value of y = 0.046511853922261426
```

```
- team dexter wins this round winning 1.0 points.
```