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 1:
 2: # DES.R:  R routines for discrete-event simulation (DES), event-oriented
 3: # method
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 5: # March 2017 major changes (updated September 2017)
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 7: # 1.  No longer keep the event set in sorted order.  Too costly to do
 8: # insertion, and anyway earliest event can be determined via which.min(),
 9: # a C-level function that should be much faster.  (There is also a
10: # provision for an "arrivals event set," for arrivals only, taking
11: # advantage of the ordered nature of pre-generated arrivals.)
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13: # 2.  Similarly, there is no dynamic resizing of the event set.  Space is
14: # marked as either free or in use.  This requires the user to provide an
15: # upper bound for the maximum number of events, a restriction, but should
16: # result in quite a performance boost.
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18: # 3.  In old version, used matrix instead of data frame, as latter was
19: # quite slow, and now back to matrix.  Probably should go back to data
20: # frame, maybe data.table, but for now, at least add meaningful column
21: # names and use them.
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23: # all data is stored in an R environment variable that will be referrred
24: # to as simlist below; an environment variable is used so that functions
25: # can change their simlist components, rather than reassigning
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27: # the simlist will consist of the following components:
28: #
29: #       currtime:  current simulated time
30: #       timelim:  max simulated time
31: #       timelim2:  double timelim
32: #       evnts:  the events list, a matrix, one event per row; timelim2
33: #               value in first col means this row is free
34: #       reactevent:  event handler function, user-supplied; creates
35: #                    new events upon the occurrence of an old one;
36: #                    e.g. job arrival triggers either start of
37: #                    service for the job or queuing it; call form is
38: #                    reactevent(evnt,simlist)
39: #       dbg:  if TRUE, will print simlist$evnts after each call to
40: #             simlist$reactevent(), and enter R browser for
41: #             single-stepping etc.
42:
43: # the application code can add further application-specific data to
44: # simlist, e.g. total job queuing time
45:
46: # each event will be represented by a matrix row consisting of columns
47: # for:
48: #
49: #    occurrence time
50: #    event type: user-defined numeric code, e.g. 1 for arrival, 2 for
51: #       job completion, etc. (must be numeric as this is a matrix, but
52: #       one can of course give names to the codes)
53: #    application-specific information, if any
54:
55: # library functions
56: #
57: #       newsim:  create a new simlist
58: #       schedevnt:  schedule a new event
59: #       getfreerow:  find a free row in the event set
60: #       getnextevnt:  pulls the earliest event from the event set,
61: #                     updates the current simulated time, and
62: #                     processes this event; usually not called by users
63: #       mainloop:  as the name implies
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#       cancelevnt:  cancel a previously-scheduled event
#       newqueue:  creates a new work queue
#       appendfcfs:  append job to a FCFS queue
#       delfcfs:  delete head of a FCFS queue
#       exparrivals:  convenience function if arrivals can all be
#                     generated ahead of time

# event set:

#    matrix in simlist
#    one row for each event, rows NOT ordered by event occurrence time
#    first two cols are event time, event type, then app-specific info,
#       if any

# outline of a typical application:

#    mysim <- newsim()    create the simlist
#    set reactevent in mysim
#    set application-specific variables in mysim, if any
#    set the first event(s) in mysim$evnts
#    mainloop(mysim)
#    print results

# create a simlist, which will be the return value, an R environment;
# appcols is the vector of names for the application-specific columns;
# maxesize is the maximum number of rows needed for the event set
newsim <- function(timelim,maxesize,appcols=NULL,aevntset=FALSE,dbg=FALSE) {
   simlist <- new.env()
   simlist$currtime <- 0.0  # current simulated time
   simlist$timelim <- timelim
   simlist$timelim2 <- 2 * timelim
   simlist$passedtime <- function(z) z > simlist$timelim
   simlist$evnts <-
      matrix(nrow=maxesize,ncol=2+length(appcols))  # event set
   colnames(simlist$evnts) <- c('evnttime','evnttype',appcols)
   simlist$evnts[,1] <- simlist$timelim2
   simlist$aevntset <- aevntset
   if (aevntset) {
      simlist$aevnts <- NULL  # will be reset by exparrivals()
      simlist$nextaevnt <- 1  # row number in aevnts of next arrival
   }
   simlist$dbg <- dbg
   simlist
}

# schedule new event in simlist$evnts; evnttime is the time at
# which the event is to occur; evnttype is the event type; appdata is
# a vector of numerical application-specific data
schedevnt <- function(simlist,evnttime,evnttype,appdata=NULL) {
   evnt <- c(evnttime,evnttype,appdata)
   # length of evnt must be number of cols in the event set matrix
   fr <- getfreerow(simlist)
   simlist$evnts[fr,] <- evnt
}

# find number of the first free row
getfreerow <- function(simlist) {
   evtimes <- simlist$evnts[,1]
   tmp <- Position(simlist$passedtime,evtimes)
   if (is.na(tmp)) stop('no room for new event')
   tmp
}

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127: # start to process next event (second half done by application
128: # programmer via call to reactevnt() from mainloop())
129: getnextevnt <- function(simlist) {
130:    # find earliest event
131:    etimes <- simlist$evnts[,1]
132:    whichnexte <- which.min(etimes)
133:    nextetime <- etimes[whichnexte]
134:    if (simlist$aevntset) {
135:       nextatime <- simlist$aevnts[simlist$nextaevnt,1]
136:       if (nextatime < nextetime) {
137:          oldrow <- simlist$nextaevnt
138:          simlist$nextaevnt <- oldrow + 1
139:          return(simlist$aevnts[oldrow,])
140:       }
141:    }
142:    # either don't have a separate arrivals event set, or the next
143:    # arrival is later than now
144:    head <- simlist$evnts[whichnexte,]
145:    simlist$evnts[whichnexte,1] <- simlist$timelim2
146:    return(head)
147: }
148:
149: ## no longer used
150: ## removes event in row i of event set
151: ## delevnt <- function(i,simlist) {
152: ##    # simlist$evnts <- simlist$evnts[-i,,drop=F]
153: ##    simlist$evnts[i,1] <- Inf
154: ##    simlist$emptyrow <- i
155: ## }
156:
157: # main loop of the simulation
158: mainloop <- function(simlist) {
159:    simtimelim <- simlist$timelim
160:    while(TRUE) {
161:       head <- getnextevnt(simlist)
162:       etime <- head['evnttime']
163:       # update current simulated time
164:       if (etime > simlist$timelim) return()
165:       simlist$currtime <- etime
166:       # process this event (programmer-supplied ftn)
167:       simlist$reactevent(head,simlist)
168:       if (simlist$dbg) {
169:          print("event occurred:")
170:          print(head)
171:          print("events list now")
172:          print(simlist$evnts)
173:          browser()
174:       }
175:    }
176: }
177:
178: # no longer used; see "March 17" at top of this file
179: ## # binary search of insertion point of y in the sorted vector x; returns
180: ## # the position in x before which y should be inserted, with the value
181: ## # length(x)+1 if y is larger than x[length(x)]; this could be replaced
182: ## # by faster C code
183: ## binsearch <- function(x,y) {
184: ##    n <- length(x)
185: ##    lo <- 1
186: ##    hi <- n
187: ##    while(lo+1 < hi) {
188: ##       mid <- floor((lo+hi)/2)
189: ##       if (y == x[mid]) return(mid)
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190: ##       if (y < x[mid]) hi <- mid else lo <- mid
191: ##    }
192: ##    if (y <= x[lo]) return(lo)
193: ##    if (y < x[hi]) return(hi)
194: ##    return(hi+1)
195: ## }
196:
197: # removes the specified event from the schedule list
198: cancelevnt <- function(rownum,simlist) {
199:    simlist$evnts[rownum,1] <- simlist$timelim2
200: }
201:
202: # the work queue functions below assume that queues are represented as
203: # matrices, one row per queued job, containing application-specific
204: # information about the job; the matrix is assumed stored in an
205: # environment, with the matrix being named m
206:
207: # create and return new queue with ncol columns; the queue is an R
208: # environment, with the main component being m, the matrix representing
209: # the queue itself; ncol is up to the user, depending on how many pieces
210: # of information the user wishes to record about a job
211: newqueue <- function(simlist) {
212:    if (is.null(simlist$evnts)) stop('no event set')
213:    q <- new.env()
214:    q$m <- matrix(nrow=0,ncol=ncol(simlist$evnts))
215:    q
216: }
217:
218: # appends jobtoqueue to the given queue, assumed of the above form;
219: # jobtoqueue is a vector of length equal to the number of columns in
220: # the queue matrix
221: appendfcfs <- function(queue,jobtoqueue) {
222:    if (is.null(queue$m)) {
223:       queue$m <- matrix(jobtoqueue,nrow=1)
224:       return()
225:    }
226:    queue$m <- rbind(queue$m,jobtoqueue)
227: }
228:
229: # deletes and returns head of queue
230: delfcfs <- function(queue) {
231:    if (is.null(queue$m)) return(NULL)
232:    qhead <- queue$m[1,]
233:    queue$m <- queue$m[-1,,drop=F]
234:    qhead
235: }
236:
237: # in many cases, we have exponential interarrivals that occur
238: # independently of the rest of the system; this function generates all
239: # arrivals at the outset, placing them in a separate arrivals event set
240: exparrivals <- function(simlist,meaninterarr,batchsize=10000) {
241:    if (!simlist$aevntset)
242:       stop("newsim() wasn't called with aevntset TRUE")
243:    es <- simlist$evnts
244:    cn <- colnames(es)
245:    if (cn[3] != 'arrvtime') stop('col 3 must be "arrvtime"')
246:    if (cn[4] != 'jobnum') stop('col 3 must be "jobnum"')
247:    erate <- 1 / meaninterarr
248:    s <- 0
249:    allarvs <- NULL
250:    while(s < simlist$timelim) {
251:       arvs <- rexp(batchsize,erate)
252:       s <- s + sum(arvs)
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253:       allarvs <- c(allarvs,arvs)
254:    }
255:    # may have overshot the mark
256:    cuallarvs <- cumsum(allarvs)
257:    allarvs <- allarvs[cuallarvs <= simlist$timelim]
258:    nallarvs <- length(allarvs)
259:    if (nallarvs == 0) stop('no arrivals before timelim')
260:    cuallarvs <- cuallarvs[1:nallarvs]
261:    maxesize <- nallarvs + nrow(es)
262:    newes <- matrix(nrow=maxesize,ncol=ncol(es))
263:    nonempty <- 1:nallarvs
264:    newes[nonempty,1] <- cuallarvs
265:    if (is.null(simlist$arrvevnt)) stop('simlist$arrvevnt undefined')
266:    newes[nonempty,2] <- simlist$arrvevnt
267:    newes[nonempty,3] <- newes[nonempty,1]
268:    newes[nonempty,4] <- 1:nallarvs
269:    newes[-nonempty,1] <- simlist$timelim2
270:    colnames(newes) <- cn
271:    simlist$aevnts <- newes
272: }
273:
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