

# Co-simulation using OMSimulator

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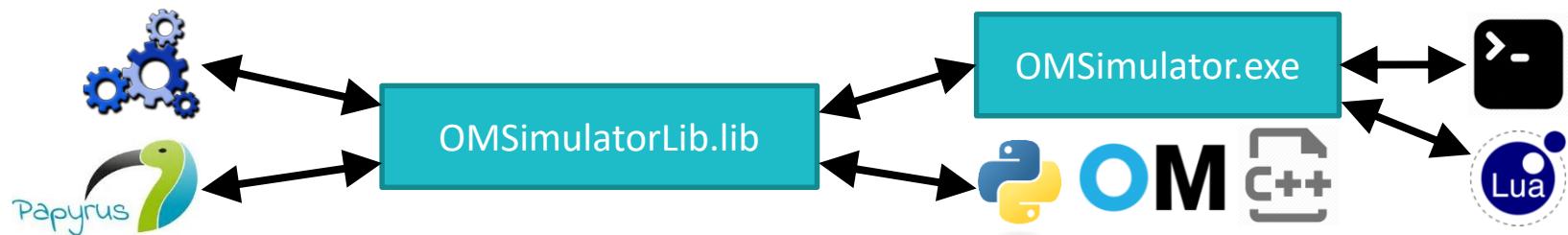
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# OMSimulator

- Co-simulation environment primarily based on FMUs
- Combining TLM and FMI approaches for co-simulation

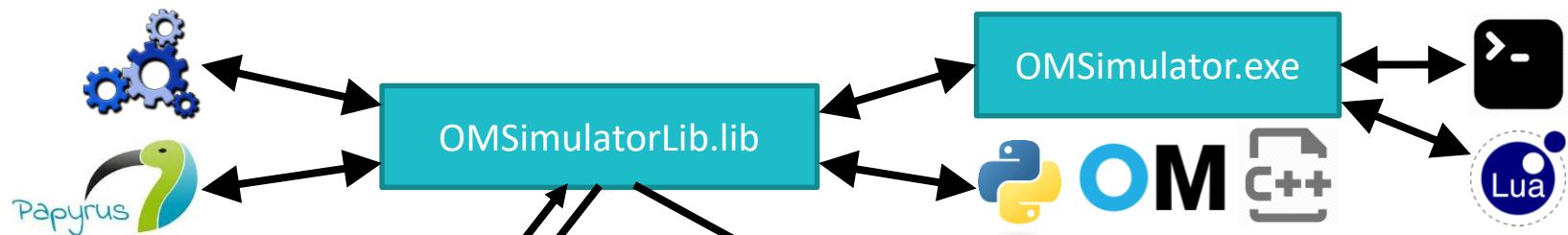
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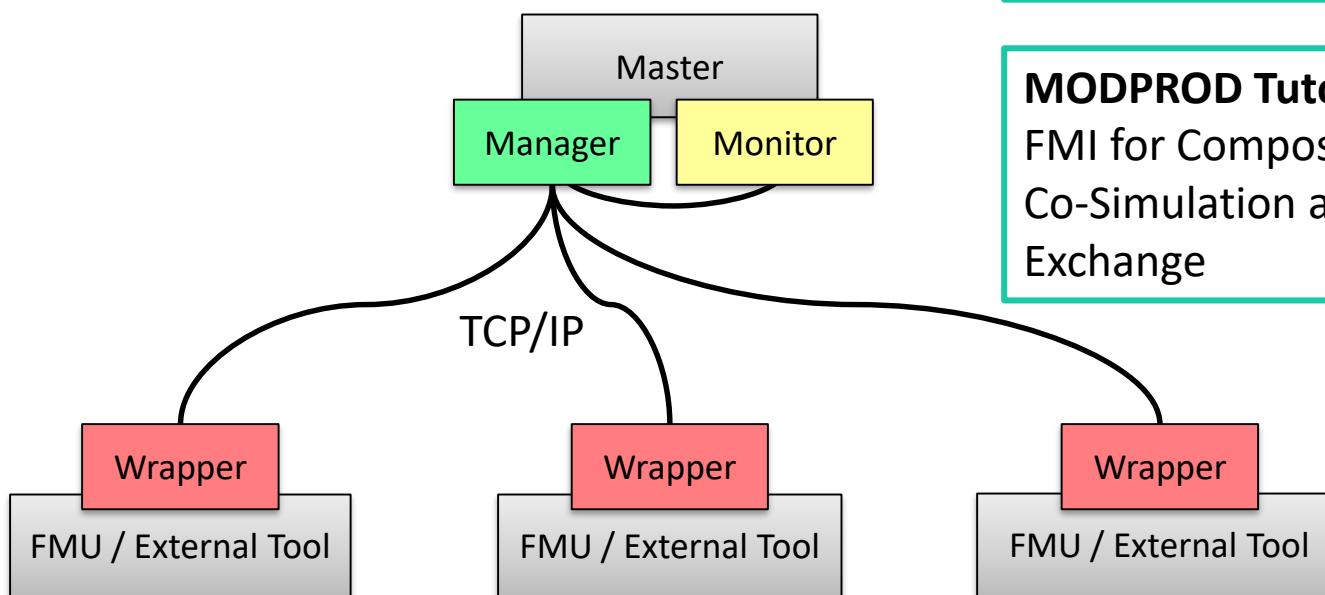
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- Dedicated talk at MODPROD
- Bottom-up approach

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# OMTLMsimulator

- Dedicated talk at MODPROD
- Bottom-up approach
- Only TLM connections
- Distributed simulation
- External tool integration (e.g. Simulink, Adams, BEAST)

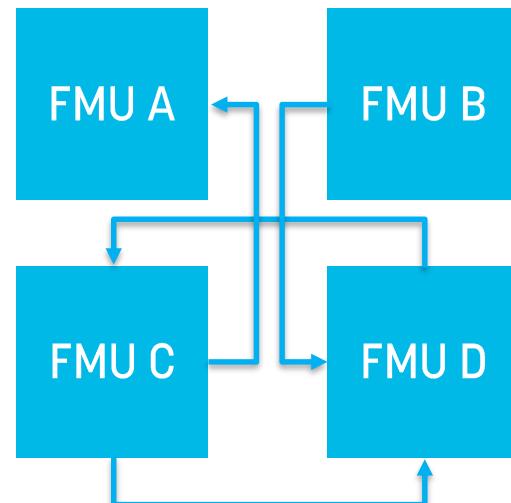
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# OMFMISimulator

- Simulator for connected FMUs
- Only signal connections
- Top-down approach
- Single process
- Scripting interface

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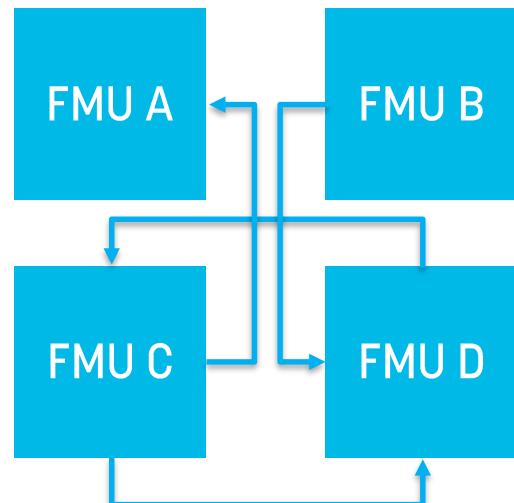


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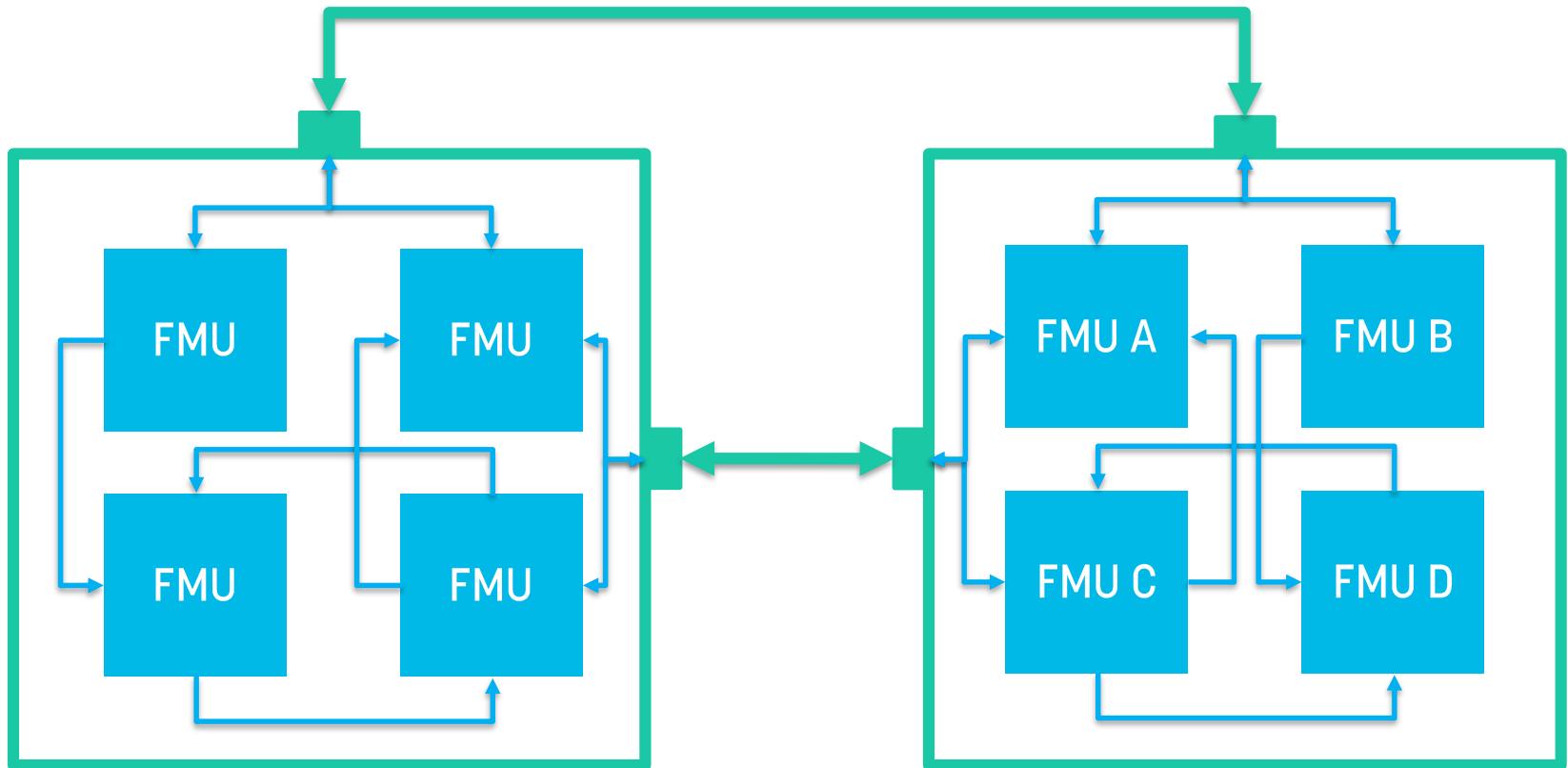
Python interface:

```
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m = oms.newModel()  
# instantiate FMUs  
oms.instantiateFMU(m, "A.fmu", "A")  
oms.instantiateFMU(m, "B.fmu", "B")  
oms.instantiateFMU(m, "C.fmu", "C")  
oms.instantiateFMU(m, "D.fmu", "D")  
# add connections  
oms.addConnection(m, "A.u", "C.y1")  
oms.addConnection(m, "B.y", "D.u1")  
oms.addConnection(m, "C.y2", "D.u2")  
oms.addConnection(m, "C.u", "D.y")
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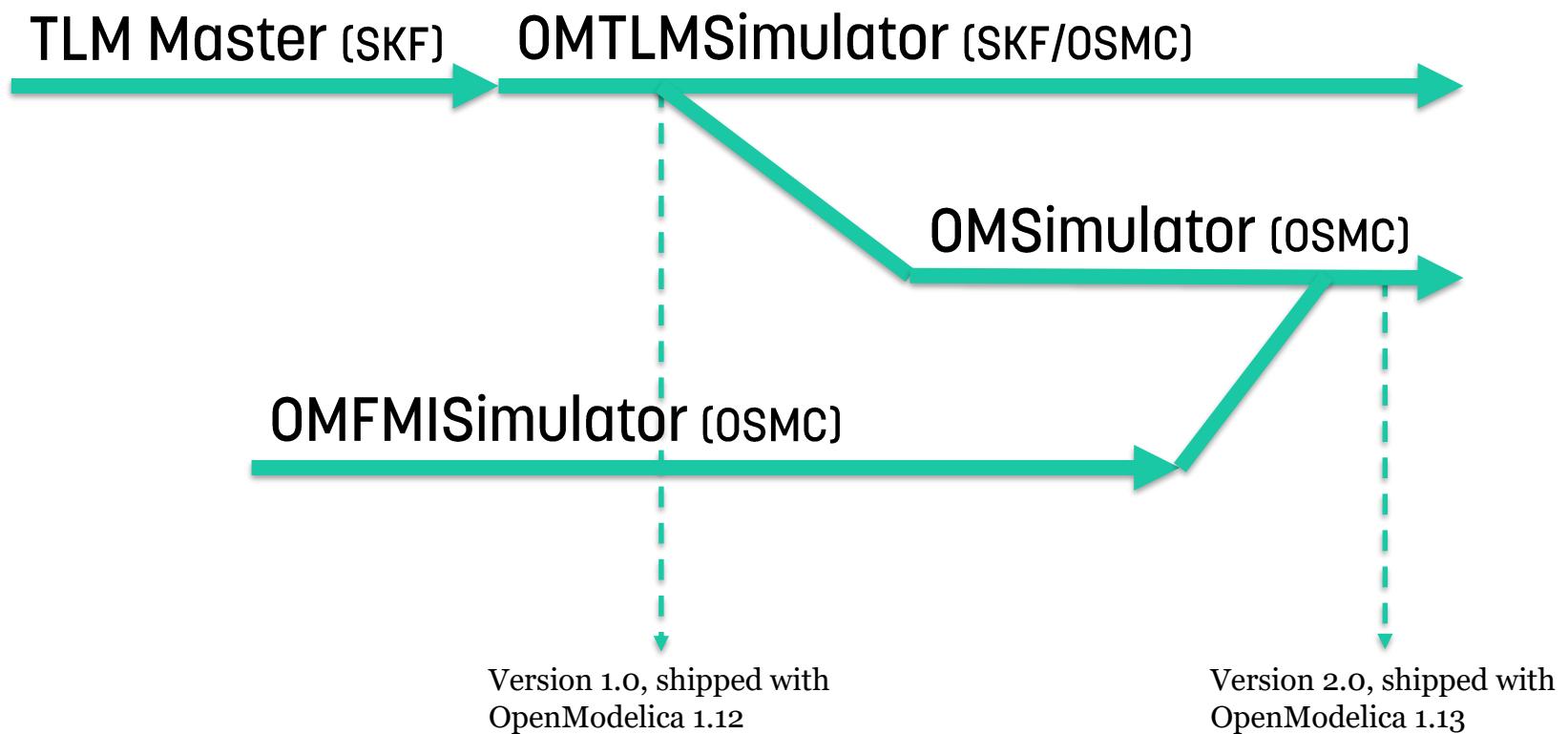
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# OMSimulator - Roadmap



# OpenModelica FMI Export

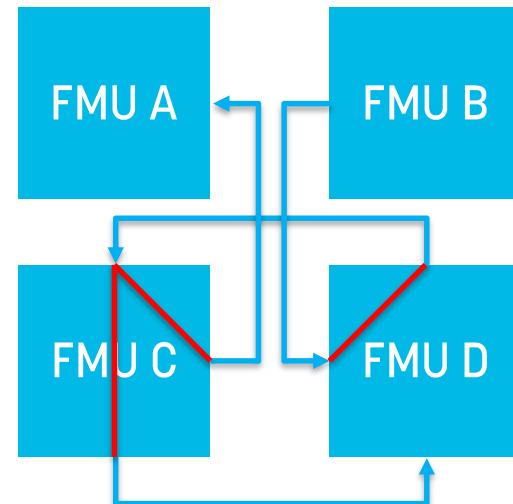
# Model Structure

## Required

- Outputs
- Derivatives
- InitialUnknowns

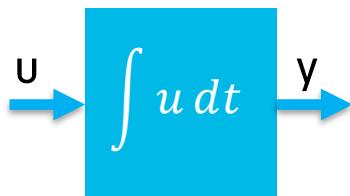
## Optional

- Dependency information



# Model Structure

Example: Modelica.Blocks.Continuous.Integrator



InitialUnknowns are missing completely:

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<ModelStructure>
  <Outputs>
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  </Outputs>
  <Derivatives>
    <Unknown index="2" dependencies="4" dependenciesKind="dependent" />
  </Derivatives>
</ModelStructure>
```



- 1: y
- 2: der(y)
- 3: \_D\_outputStateAlias\_y
- 4: U

OpenModelica Compiler OMCompiler v1.13.0-dev.397+g17ce08d

# FMU State

- All values that are needed to continue a simulation.
- Optional: fmi2GetFMUstate / fmi2SetFMUstate
- Needed to implement rollback mechanism

# FMU State

Possible Scenario (simulating from  $t$  to  $t + h$ )

- Input(B) := Output(A)
- Call doStep for FMU A
  - $t \rightarrow t + h$
- Call doStep for FMU B
  - $t \rightarrow t + h$



# FMU State

Possible Scenario (simulating from  $t$  to  $t + h$ )

- Input(B) := Output(A)
- Call doStep for FMU A
  - $t \rightarrow t + h$
- Call doStep for FMU B
  - FMU B failed to compute whole step
    - $t \rightarrow t^*, t \leq t^* < t + h$
  - Both FMUs are out of sync



# Summary & Outlook

# Available features

- Simulation, basic MA, no rollback yet
- FMI 2.0 import for ME & CS
- Lookup tables (mat & csv)
- Detection of fake loops & handling of algebraic loops
- Scripting support (Python & Lua)

# Work in Progress

- Integration of TLM & FMI
- Common API
- Graphical user interface (OMEdit & Papyrus)
- SSP support

# Outlook

- Parallel execution
- Step size control
- Advanced MA (utilizing roll-back mechanism)

# Download

- New member of the OpenModelica tool set
  - First stable version is included in OpenModelica 1.12
- Latest (possibly instable) versions:
  - OMTLMSimulator: <https://github.com/OpenModelica/OMTlMSimulator/>
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