Möbius Tool

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Overview

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Brief introduction to Möbius Tool

Möbius™ is a software tool for modeling the behavior of complex systems.

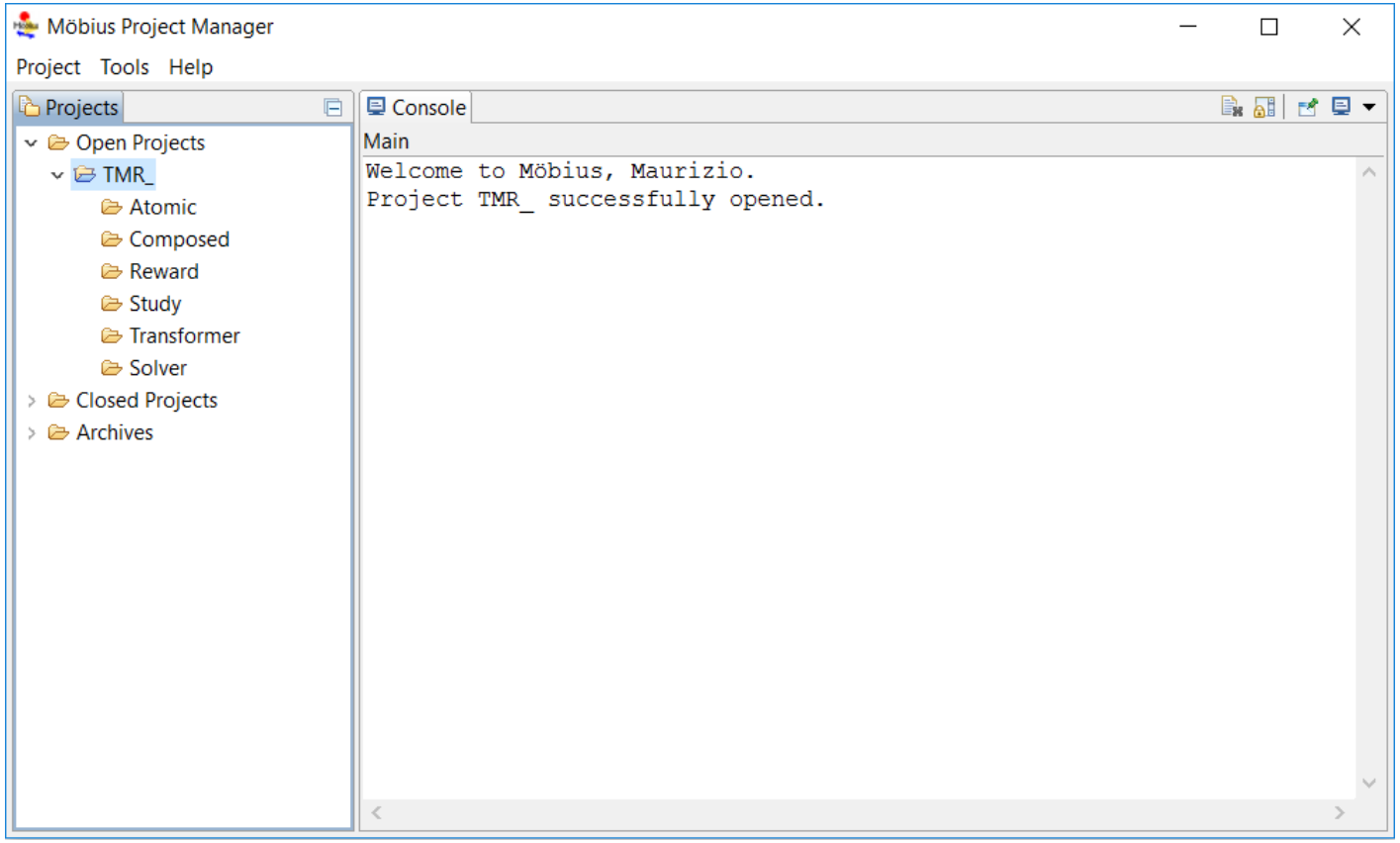
It was originally developed for studying the reliability, availability, and performance of computer and network systems.

It is used for a broad range systems, from biochemical reactions within genes to the effects of malicious attackers on secure computer systems.

Möbius Features

- **Multiple modeling languages**
- **Hierarchical modeling paradigm**
- **Customized measures of system properties**
- **Study the behavior of the system under a variety of operating conditions**
- **Numerical solution techniques**

Project elements



Every project is made of 6 kinds of elements:

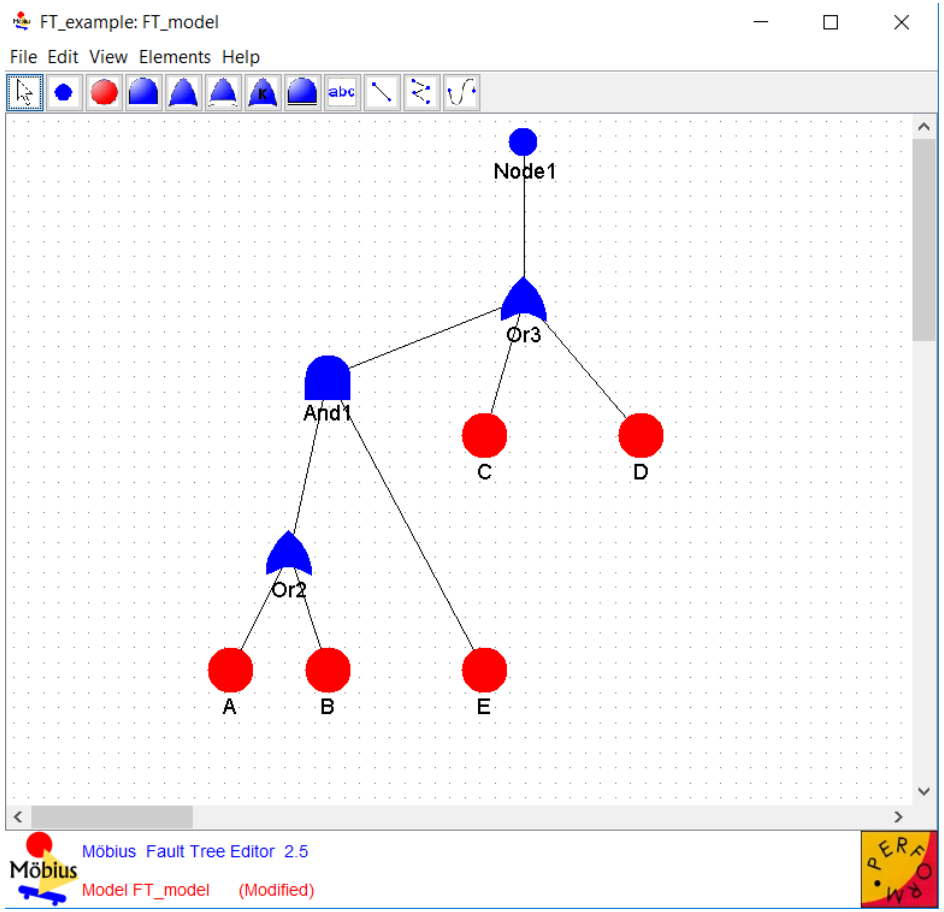
1. **Atomic Model**
2. **Composed Model**
3. **Reward**
4. **Study**
5. **Transformer**
6. **Solver**

Atomic model

Each model is composed of one or more sub-models, also referred to as *atomic models*.

You can create and edit atomic models using different graphic editors.

These models also allow the definition of **global variables**, usually used to represent rate of events.

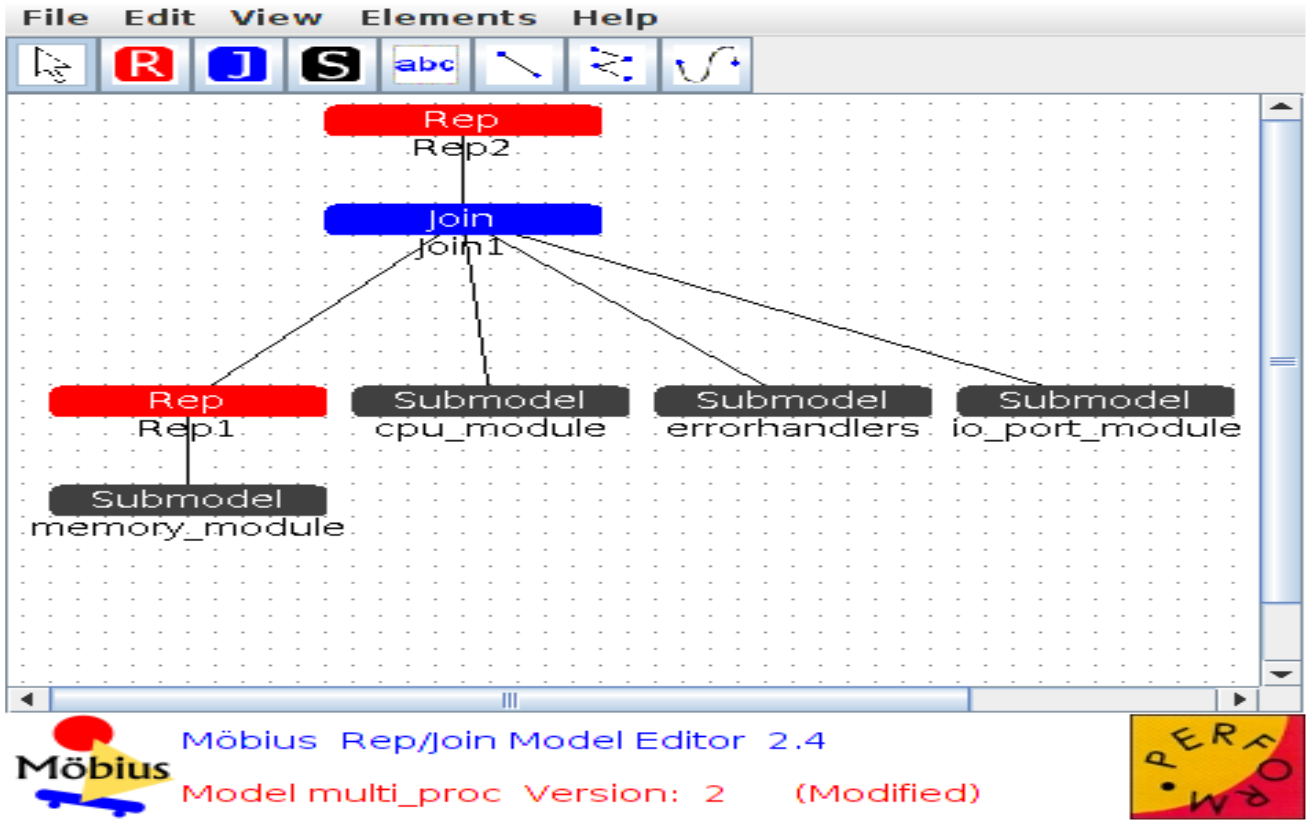


Composed Models

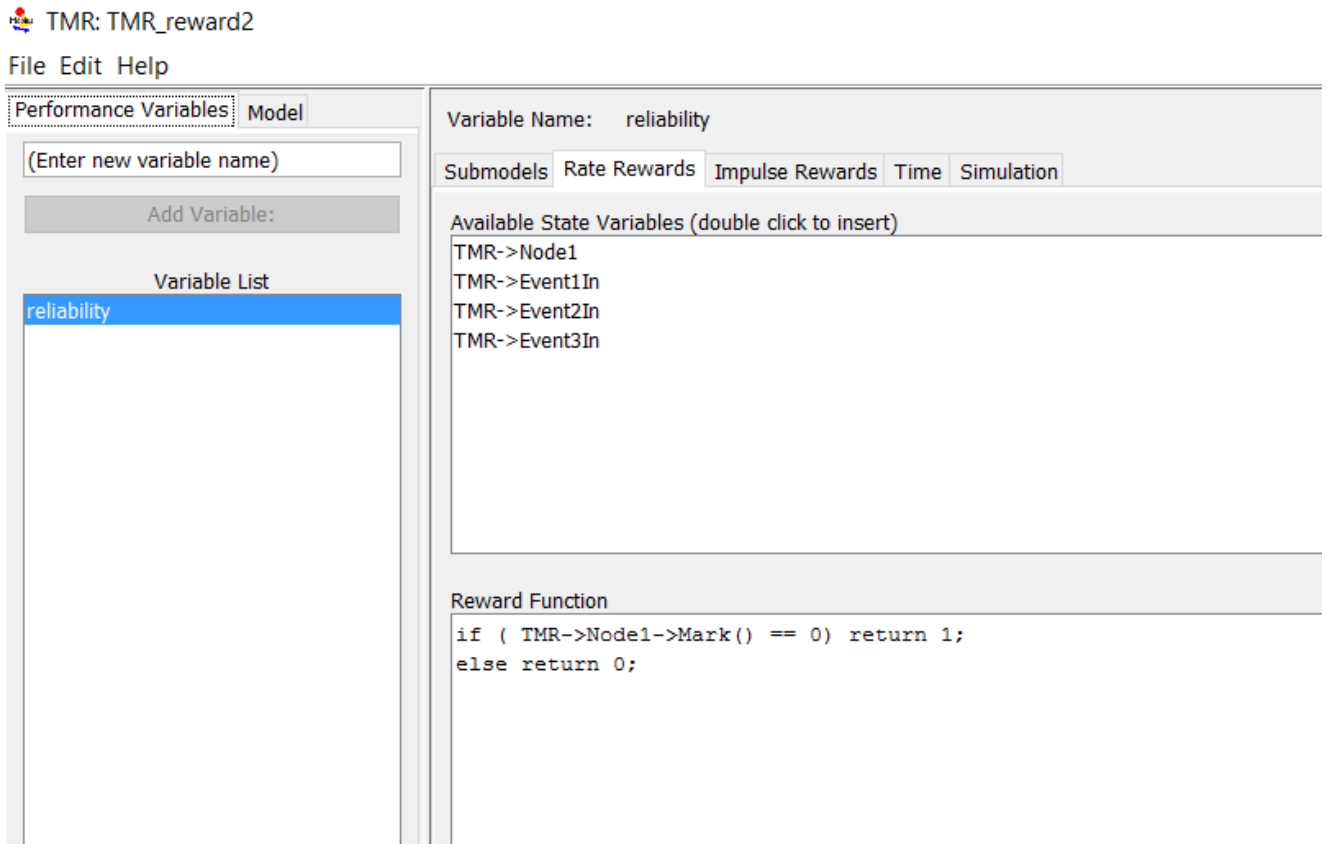
The Möbius tool allows for the construction of *composed models* from previously defined (atomic) models.

The **Join** operator is used to compose different sub-models.

The **Rep** operator is used to compose copies of a same sub-model.



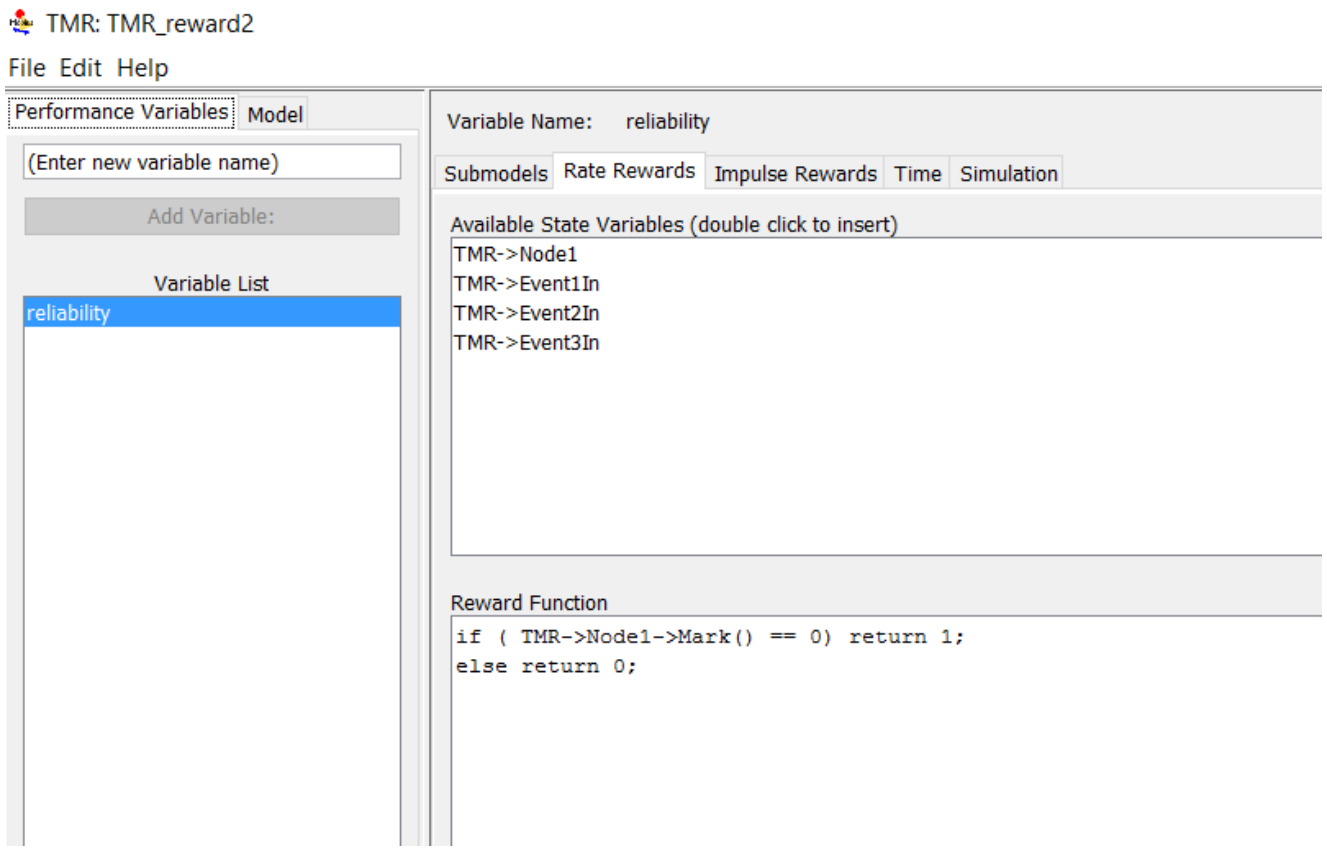
Reward model 1/2



A reward model is a set of **Performance Variable(PV)** that describe system properties

A PV is computed by performing certain operations(e.g. mean) on the set of values returned by an associated **Reward Function(RF)**

Reward model 2/2



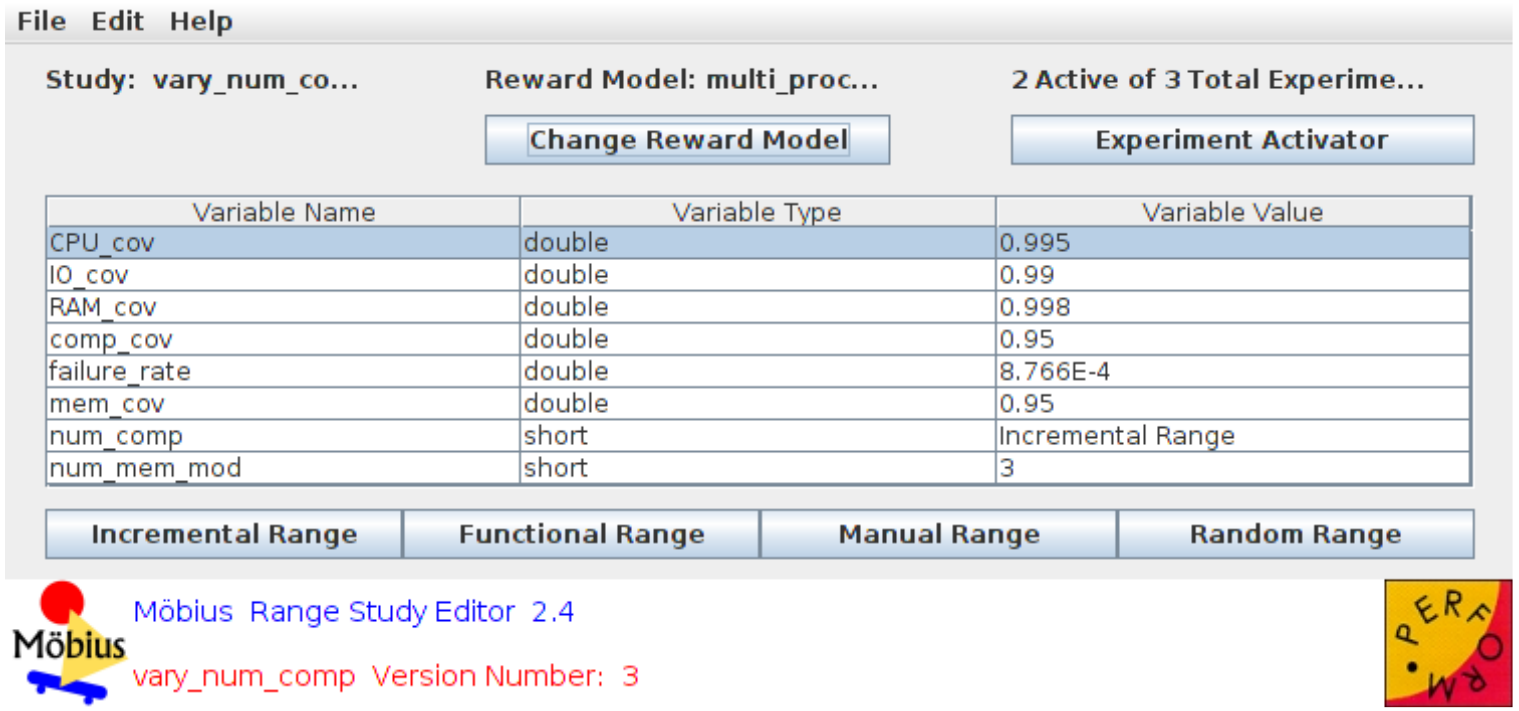
The values of the **RF** can be evaluated:

- **at specified times (Instant of time PV's)**
- accumulated over a specified interval of time (Interval of time PV's)
- averaged over a specified interval of time (Time averaged interval of time PV's)
- or evaluated when the system has reached a steady state (Steady state PV's)

Study

A study defines sets of values that will be assigned to each global variable.

In a **range study**, experiments are generated for all possible combinations of variable values, while in a **set study** only user-defined combinations are used.



Transformer and Solver

In order to solve a model, its state space must be generated by a **transformer**.

We are going to use the **State Space Generator**.

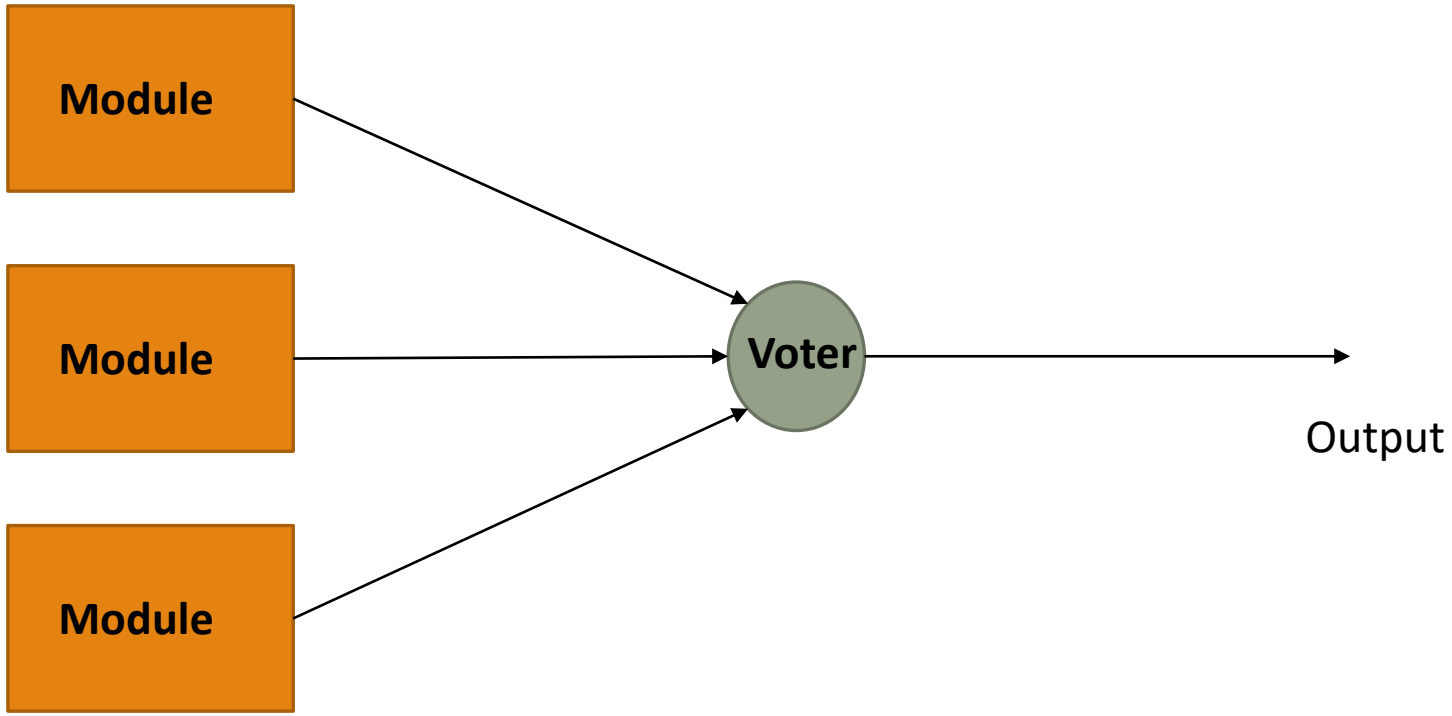
Then we have to select a **solver**

There are two main classes of solver:

- **Transient**
- Steady-State

We are going to use the **transient solver.**

TMR example



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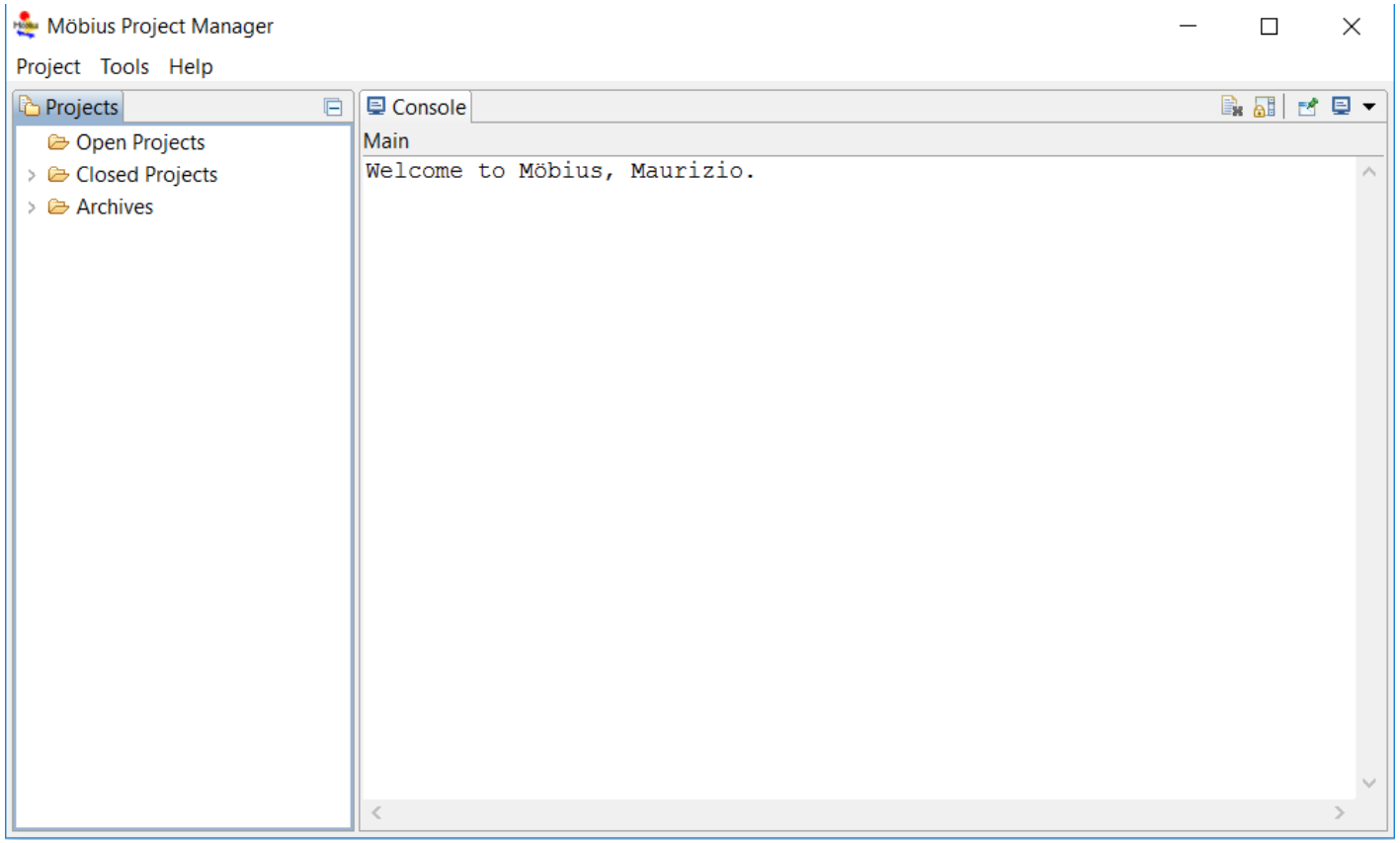

Start with the creation of a new project

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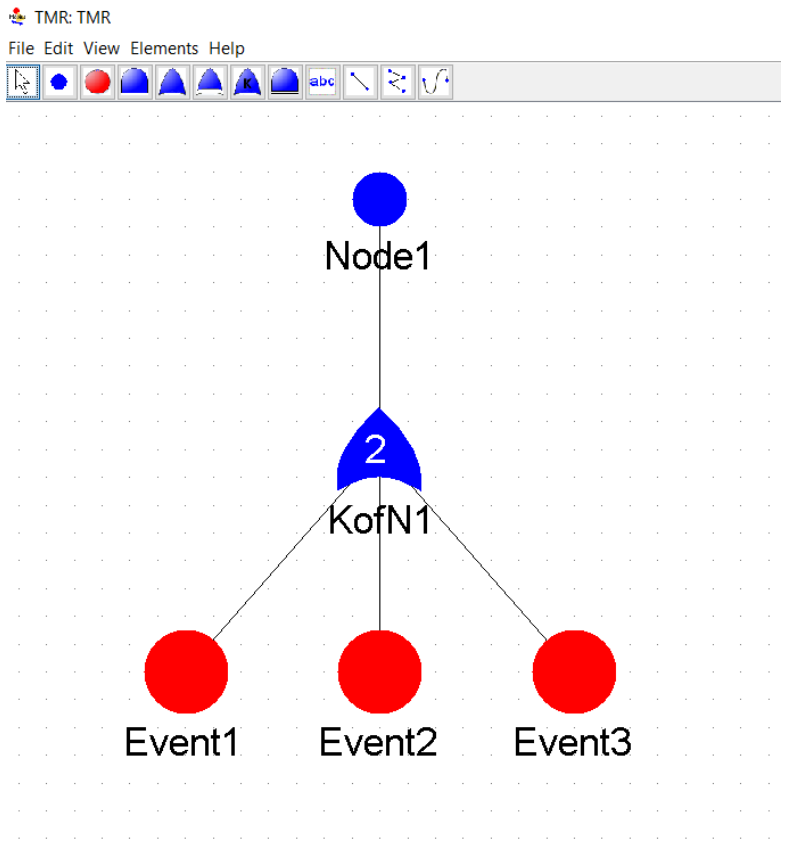
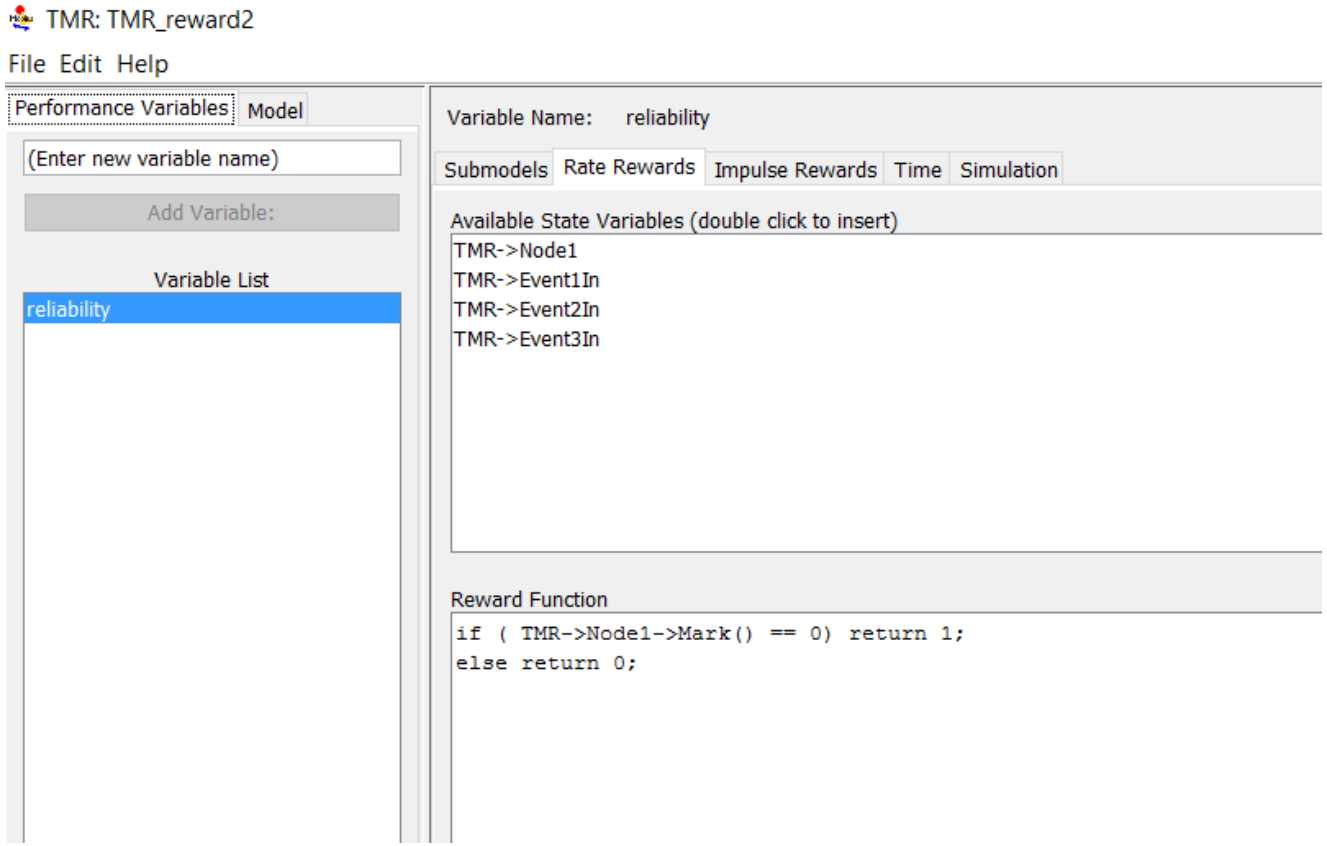
Enter the project name

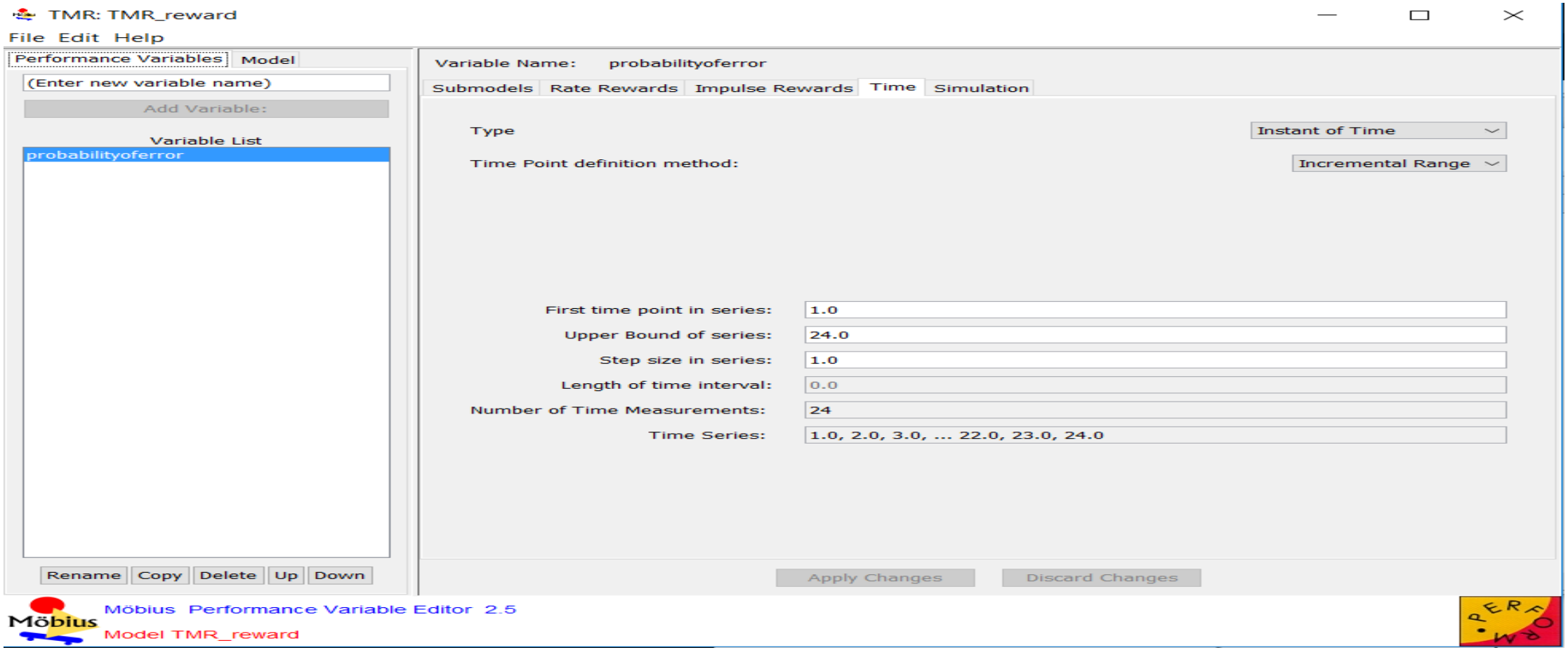
Atomic model of TMR



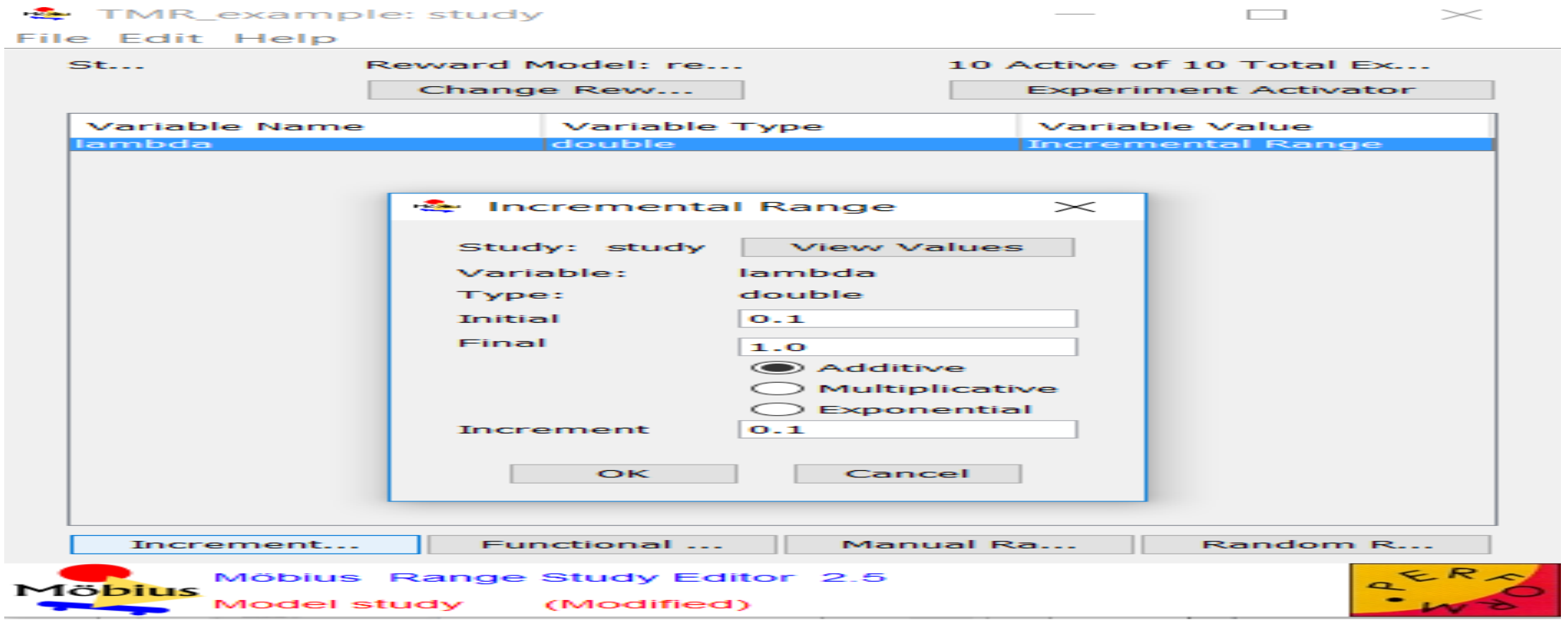
Reward model of TMR 1/2



Reward of TMR 2/2



Study of TMR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Model study (Modified)

Analysis of results when λ = 0.1

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Analysis of results when λ = 0.8

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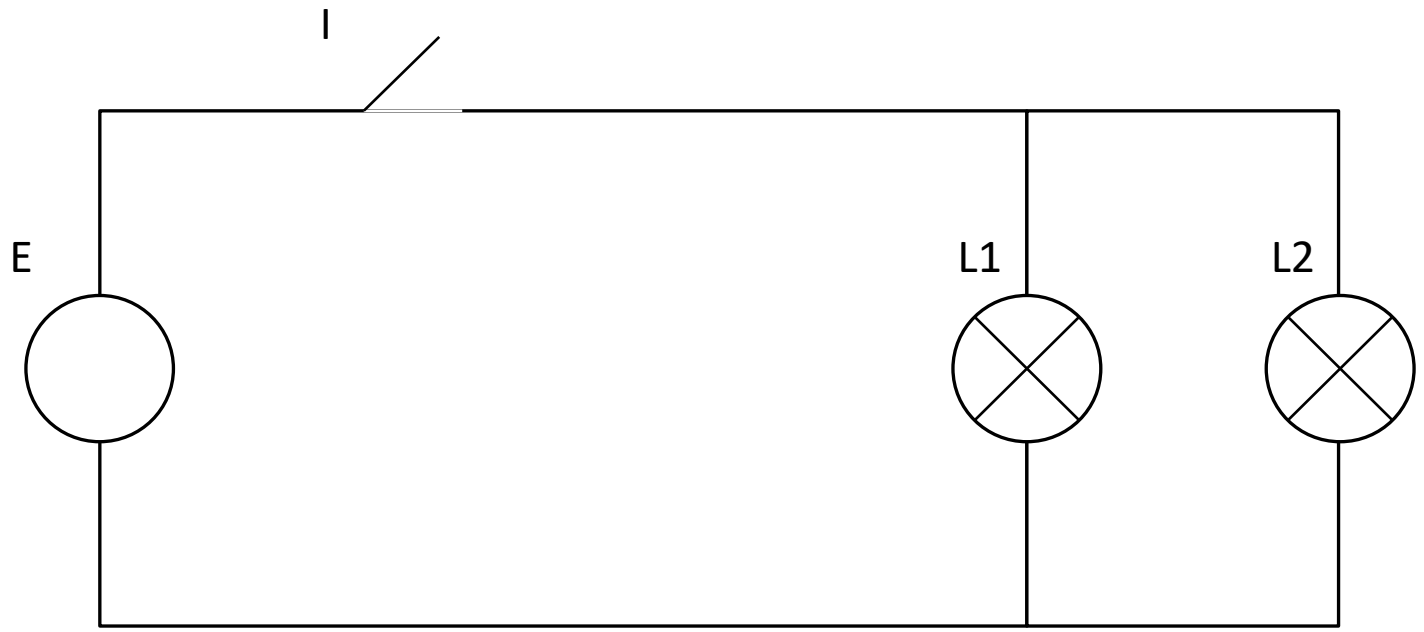
Exercise 1



2 lights
1 switch
1 generator

We want
to avoid
that both
lights stop
working

Exercise 2

Re-create the TMR without using the K-of-N gate.

Compare the results of the new version with the ones previously shown in these slides.