Dependability of Distributed Systems & Applying Fault Tolerant Techniques

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Dependability & Approaches



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Approaches

- System Infrastructures
 - P2P
 - Master & Slaves
- Replication
 - Task Replication
 - Data Replication
 - Replication for Verification
- State Storage
 - Checkpointing / Logging
 - Roll back/forward

Fault Tolerant Classifications

- State Storage
 - Checkpointing/Logging
 - Global vs Dependable Links
 - Synchronous vs Asynchronous
 - Language level vs Network/OS level
- FT Algorithms
 - Fault Oblivious Algorithms
 - n-Fault Tolerant Algorithms

- Application Level
 - Explicit checkpointing
 - Extended FT MPI Semantics
 - OO Reflection/Inheritance
- Runtime System Level
 - Supervision
 - Frameworks (e.g. MapReduce)
 - Replication
- Network Level
 - FT Network Protocols
 - FT Network Topologies