# Kepler - Bug #3255

## Diva ConcurrentModificationException

04/30/2008 09:18 AM - Christopher Brooks

Status: Resolved Start date: 04/30/2008 **Priority:** Normal Due date: Assignee: Christopher Brooks % Done: 0% Category: **Estimated time:** 0.00 hour general Target version: Unspecified Spent time: 0.00 hour Bugzilla-ld: 3255

#### Description

I'm seeing the following stack trace in the DOS window when I run the Kepler-1.0.0 installer on a Windows 2003 Server that has multiple cores:

Exception in thread "AWT-EventQueue-0" java.util.ConcurrentModificationExceptio

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at java.util.LinkedList$ListItr.checkForComodification(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.LinkedList$ListItr.next(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.Collections$UnmodifiableCollection$1.next(Unknown Source)
        at ptolemy.kernel.util.NamedObj.attributeList(NamedObj.java:365)
        at ptolemy.vergil.actor.ActorGraphModel$PortModel.getParent(ActorGraphM
del.java:1513)
       at diva.graph.modular.ModularGraphModel.getParent(ModularGraphModel.jav
:107)
        at diva.graph.GraphUtilities.isContainedNode(GraphUtilities.java:156)
        at diva.graph.GraphUtilities.isPartiallyContainedEdge(GraphUtilities.ja
a:187)
        at diva.graph.AbstractGraphController.rerender(AbstractGraphController.
ava:295)
        at diva.graph.AbstractGraphController$ChangeListener.structureChanged(A
stractGraphController.java:638)
        at diva.graph.toolbox.GraphEventMulticaster.structureChanged(GraphEvent
ulticaster.java:154)
        at diva.graph.toolbox.GraphEventMulticaster.dispatchEvent(GraphEventMul
icaster.java:86)
        at diva.graph.AbstractGraphModel$1.run(AbstractGraphModel.java:79)
        at java.awt.event.InvocationEvent.dispatch(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventQueue.dispatchEvent(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.pumpOneEventForFilters(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.pumpEventsForFilter(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.pumpEventsForHierarchy(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.pumpEvents(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.pumpEvents(Unknown Source)
        at java.awt.EventDispatchThread.run(Unknown Source)
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## Thomas Feng wrote:

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I saw this exception more often when using the TransformationAttribute (the one I showed yesterday for regression testing) on a dual-core Vista machine. But when I used another computer that did not have dual core, the problem never showed up. I thought it was a bug in GT, so I went ahead and fixed a few places by adding getReadAccess() and doneReading(). This reduced the number of exceptions on the dual-core machine, but it still happened.

I then ran some very simple SDF models, and still got the exception in my command console. Those models were just as simple as two Ramps connected to a Display. I really wonder how this happens. Maybe someone does attributeList() and use the returned list without protecting the whole transaction with getReadAccess()? This kind of bugs are really hard to trace. We could modify the attributeList()

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function to return a list that logs every operation on it, though.

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This is probably my fault, I'll take a look.

#### Related issues:

Blocked by Kepler - Bug #3245: Release 1.0 installer tracking bug Resolved 04/29/2008

## History

#### #1 - 04/30/2008 12:16 PM - Chad Berkley

You're seeing this when you run the installer or a specific workflow?

#### #2 - 04/30/2008 12:33 PM - Christopher Brooks

I saw it with the Kepler 1.0.0 kepler.exe I can't repeat it. I was trying ptolemy/actor/lib/hoc/demo/ApplyFFT/ApplyFFT.xml However, I think it is more generic and can happen for any demo on a multi-core machine.

# #3 - 04/30/2008 07:36 PM - Christopher Brooks

I think I've narrowed down the problem and hope to have a solution tonight or tomorrow. I posted my notes to the ptdevel list, I think it has to do with data.expr.TemporaryVariable not grabbing a lock when it adds itself to the container.

#### #4 - 04/30/2008 11:54 PM - Christopher Brooks

I've checked in a fix to ptolemy.kernel.util.Attribute.

Basically, if incrementWorkspaceVersion is false, then get write Access to the workspace because we are updating the \_attributes field of the container.

## #5 - 03/27/2013 02:22 PM - Redmine Admin

Original Bugzilla ID was 3255

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