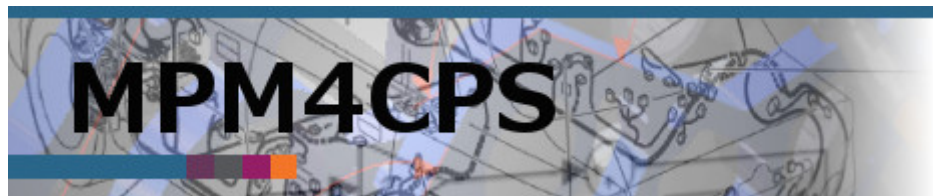


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Preface

In virtually any area of human activity, Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) are emerging. CPS are truly complex, designed systems that integrate physical, software and network aspects. To date, no unifying theory and no systematic design methods, techniques and tools exist for such systems. Individual mechanical, electrical, network or software engineering disciplines only offer partial solutions. Multi-paradigm Modelling (MPM) proposes to model every part and aspect of a system explicitly, at the most appropriate level(s) of abstraction, using the most appropriate modelling formalism(s). Modelling language engineering, including model transformations, and the study of their semantics, are used to realize MPM. MPM is seen as an effective answer to the challenges of designing CPS.

The COST Action IC1404: Multi-Paradigm Modelling for Cyber-Physical Systems (MPM4CPS) aims to promote foundations, techniques and tools for multi-paradigm modelling for cyber-physical systems, and to provide educational resources to both academia and industry. This will be achieved by bringing together and disseminating knowledge and experiments on CPS problems and MPM solutions.

The fifth MPM4CPS workshop took place on November 24-25, 2016 in Malaga, Spain. The program comprised presentations of MPM4CPS COST Action members discussing their work on foundations, techniques, application domains, and education in MPM4CPS, as well as joint work meetings. These proceedings collect the presentations given at the workshop. They cover many different aspects of multi-paradigm modelling for cyber-physical systems including, but not limited to

- foundations of MPM4CPS including
 - language engineering,
 - model transformations,
 - verification paradigms,
 - traceability;
- techniques in MPM4CPS including
 - co-simulation,
 - uncertainty modelling,
 - model-driven testing,
 - predictive analysis;
- application domains of MPM4CPS in the
 - automotive industry,
 - aviation industry,
 - smart grids,
 - robotics;
- education in MPM4CPS.

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Modeling Mobility using Dynamic Topology Models

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Introduction

- The representation of spatially moving entities is commonly achieved using publish/subscribe communication (PSC)
- PSC can become complex and inefficient
 - requires the definition of regions of interest
 - generates false positive messages
- Conventional, **static**, peer-to-peer communication (P2PC), though usually more efficient, does not have the required flexibility to represent mobile entities

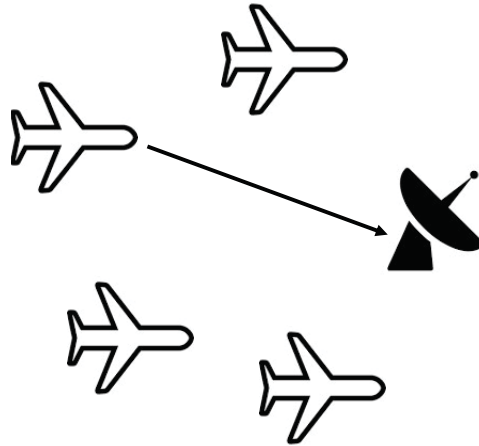
Introduction

- We have developed the integration of PSC and P2PC styles under the hierarchical and modular dynamic topology paradigm
- The unification is achieved using runtime topology adaptation
 - It involves the dynamic creation/deletion of links to capture the current interactions between entities
- The architecture combines the advantages of PSC and P2PC, enabling a flexible simulation architecture

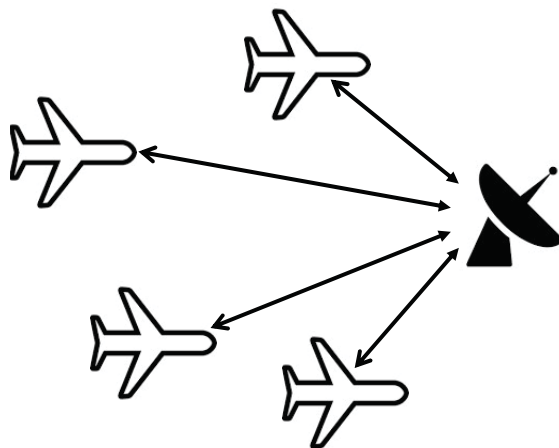
Introduction

- The architecture supports two types of PSC styles:
 - the traditional push style → events
 - the novel pull style → sampling
 - abstracts information request and information sending
 - enables, ex., a radar to sample at its own rate
- Benefits are demonstrated through the modeling of an air-defense scenario described in the HyFlow modeling and simulation framework

Push Communication



Pull Communication



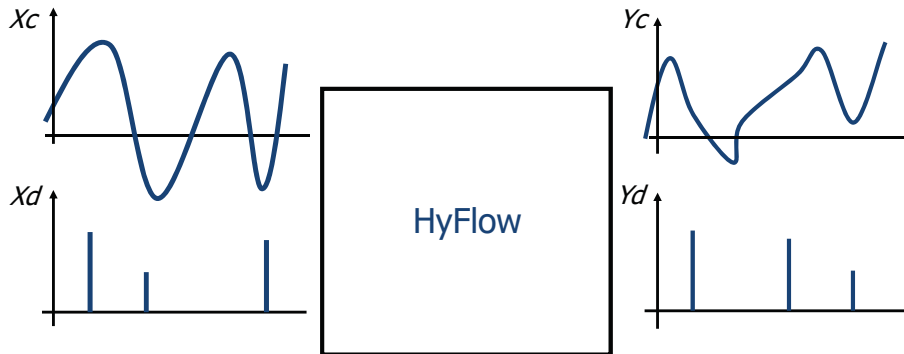
HyFlow Formalism

- The Hybrid Flow System Specification (HyFlow) is a formalism aimed to describe heterogeneous systems
- HyFlow combines traditional event-based systems and the novel concept of generalized sampling
- HyFlow can describe dense trajectories through the concept of continuous flow
- Trajectories can be sampled enabling the description of numerical methods for ODE (ordinary differential equation) integration and event-detection (zero-crossing detector)

HyFlow/JUse M&S Environment

- HyFlow has two types of models: basic and network
- A basic model can read and produce continuous and discrete flows (events) and it provides the basic operators for state representation and dynamic behavior
- A network model is a composition of basic models and/or other network models providing an abstraction for representing hierarchical systems

HyFlow Basic Model



HyFlow Basic Model

$$M_B = (X, Y, P, \rho, \omega, s_0, \delta, \bar{\Lambda}, \ddot{\Lambda})$$

$X = \bar{X} \times \ddot{X}$ is the set of input flow values

\bar{X} is the set of continuous input flow values

\ddot{X} is the set of discrete input flow values

$Y = \bar{Y} \times \ddot{Y}$ is the set of output flow values

\bar{Y} is the set of continuous output flow values

\ddot{Y} is the set of discrete output flow values

P is the set of partial states (p-states)

$\rho : P \rightarrow \mathbb{H}_0^+$ is the time-to-input function

$\omega : P \rightarrow \mathbb{H}_0^+$ is the time-to-output function

HyFlow Basic Model

$$M_B = (X, Y, P, \rho, \omega, s_0, \delta, \bar{\Lambda}, \ddot{\Lambda})$$

$S = \{(p, e) | p \in P, 0 \leq e \leq \nu(p)\}$ is the state set

with $\nu(p) = \min\{\rho(p), \omega(p)\}$, the time-to-transition function

$s_0 \in S$ is the initial state

$\delta : S \times X^\phi \rightarrow P$ is the transition function

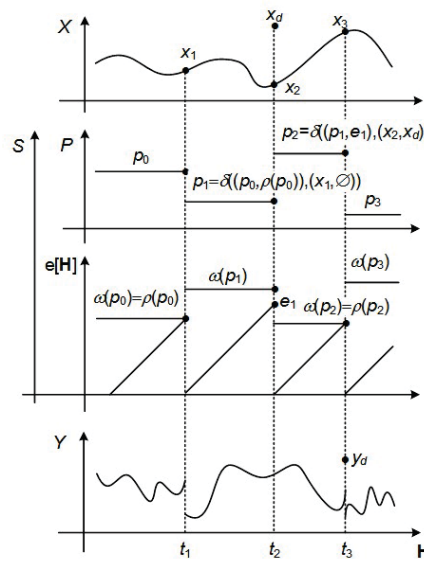
where $X^\phi = \bar{X} \times (\ddot{X} \cup \{\phi\})$

and ϕ is the null value (absence of value)

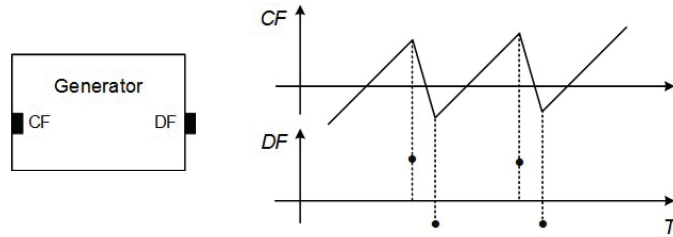
$\bar{\Lambda} : S \rightarrow \bar{Y}$ is the continuous output function

$\ddot{\Lambda} : S \rightarrow \ddot{Y}$ is the discrete output function

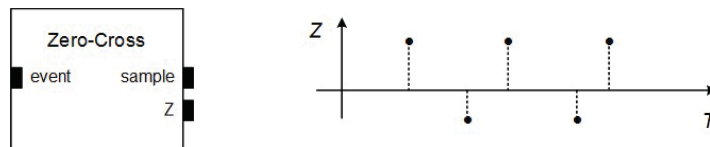
HyFlow Basic Model



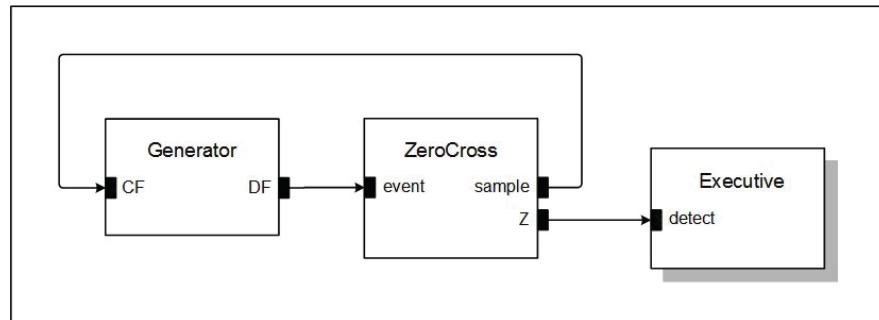
Generator (Basic) Model



Zero-Cross (Basic) Model



HyFlow Network Model



HyFlow/JUse M&S Environment

```
class GeneratorZeroCross extends Executive {
    public void topology() {
        super.topology();
        addComponent(Generator, "Generator");
        addComponent(ZeroCross, "ZeroCross");
        link("Generator", "DF", "ZeroCross", "event");
        link("ZeroCross", "sample", "Generator", "CF");
        link("ZeroCross", "Z", "Executive", "detect");
    }
    public void detect(double clock, double value) {
        println "$clock\t$value";
    }
}
```

HyFlow/JUse M&S Environment

- The topology (composition and linking) of HyFlow networks is dynamic, enabling to adjust the model according to, for example, the distance between moving entities
- It becomes possible to link mobile entities that are within sensor range, and to remove these communication links when entities become far apart

HyFlow/JUse M&S Environment

- Network topology is managed by the HyFlow executive component
- This element is a HyFlow basic model increased with topology management operations
- This design enables the direct communication of the executive with the other network components
- Components can make requests to modify the topology and also to retrieve information about the current network topology

HLA Overview

- The High Level Architecture (HLA) is a standard for M&S
- HLA is based on publish-subscribe communication (PSC)
- HLA enables the interoperability of simulators to create complex scenarios
- HLA supports federates, and federations (a combination of federates)

HLA Overview

- HLA-objects can be used to achieve the communication through shared memory
- HLA-objects are passive entities depending on federates to be modified
- The federates involved in HLA-object management and information retrieval have their reuse severely limited

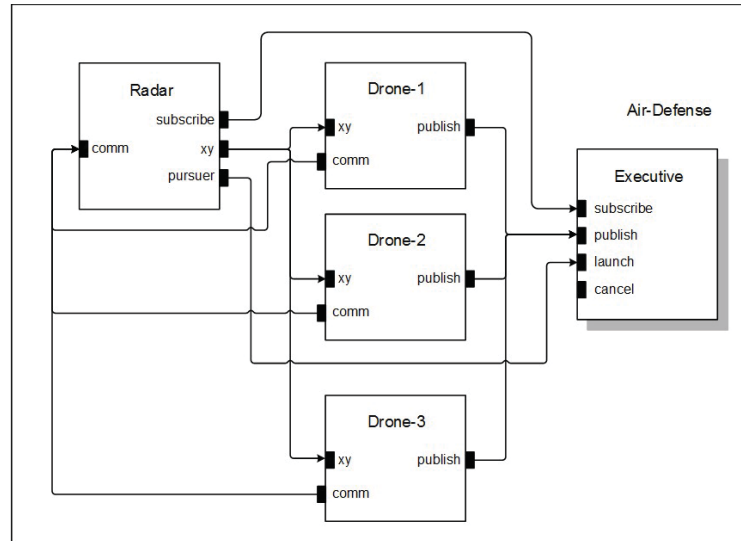
HLA Limitations

- HLA RTI cannot be modified
 - no support for P2PC
- HLA supports only flat models
 - complex models benefit from a hierarchical representation
- HLA imposes PSC
 - P2PC can provide a better representation
- HLA is based on the discrete-event paradigm
 - how to represent continuous models?
 - moving entities?

Combining P2P with PSC

- Publish/subscribe operations provide an abstraction for describing dynamic topologies
- New components can be added/removed dynamically to/from a network without affecting the existing components
- P2P communication is more efficient for representing known links
 - no false positive messages
 - requires no filters
- Our solution
 - Use dynamic P2PC to represent PSC

Combining P2P with PSC



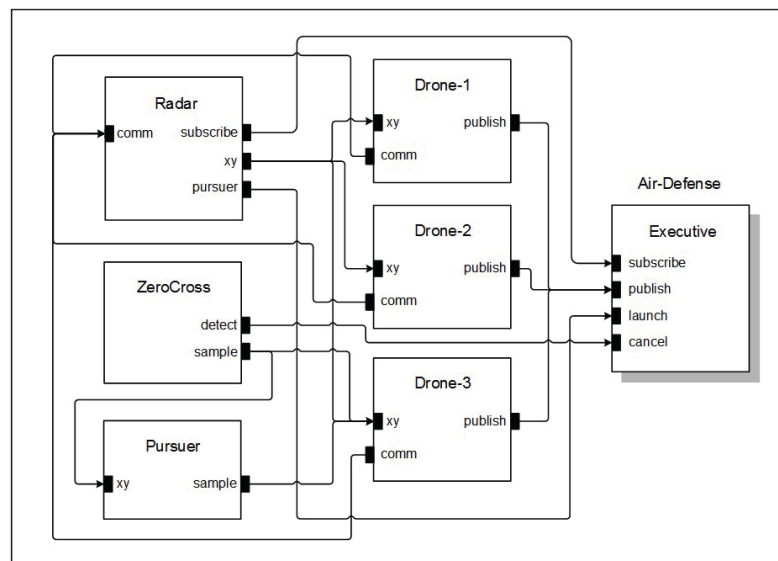
Combining P2P with PSC

- Topology can be described in a compact manner by bulk commands
- Drone-1, ..., Drone-3
 - `publish(CF, xy)`
 - `publish(DF, comm)`
- Radar
 - `subscribe(CF, xy)`
 - `subscribe(DF, comm)`
- Bulk commands can be mapped into P2PC links in JUse-HyFlow
 - Provides the unification of PSC and P2PC

Combining P2P with PSC

- In many models we want to link entities that are known to interact:
 - Pursuer-drone
 - A pursuer is only connected to one target, why using PSC?
 - Radar-drone
 - Accurate detection requires adaptive sampling depending on beam-drone distance!
- HyFlow executive can create dynamic links to support P2PC communication

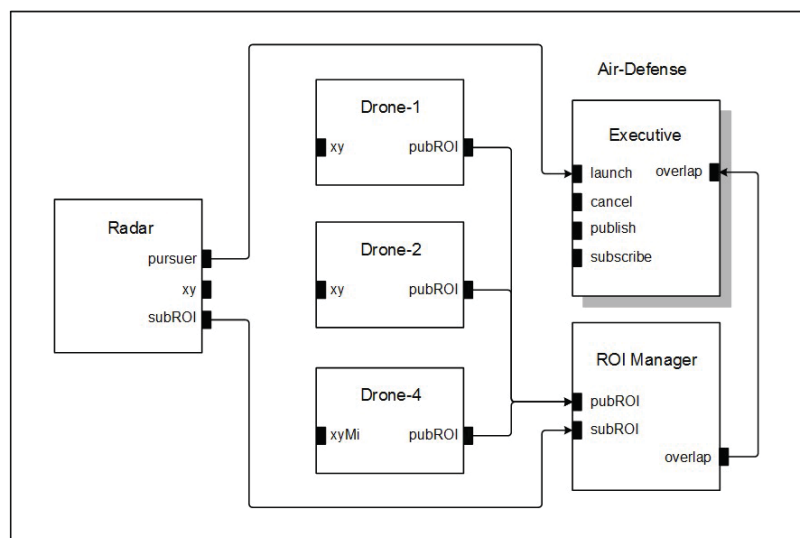
Combining P2P with PSC



Air-Defense

- Spatial partitioning can be integrated with P2PC in order to achieve an efficient description of mobile entities
- We consider a region of interest (ROI) manager component with the ability to keep track of publish/subscribe
- Entities can declare ROIs to the manager
 - when these regions overlap, this component sends a signal to the executive that can adapt the topology

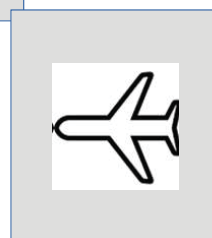
Air-Defense



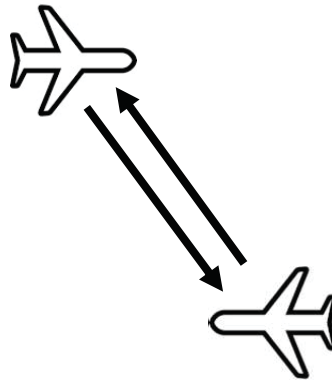
ROIs



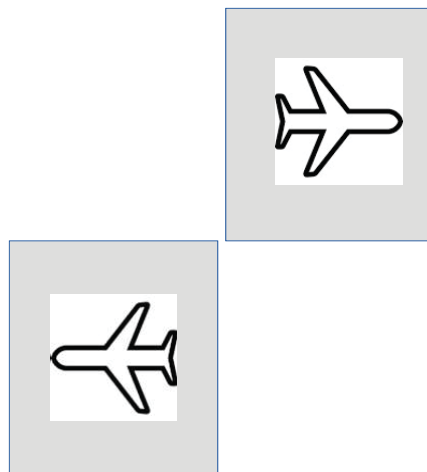
ROIs



Peer-to-Peer Communication



ROIs



Air-Defense

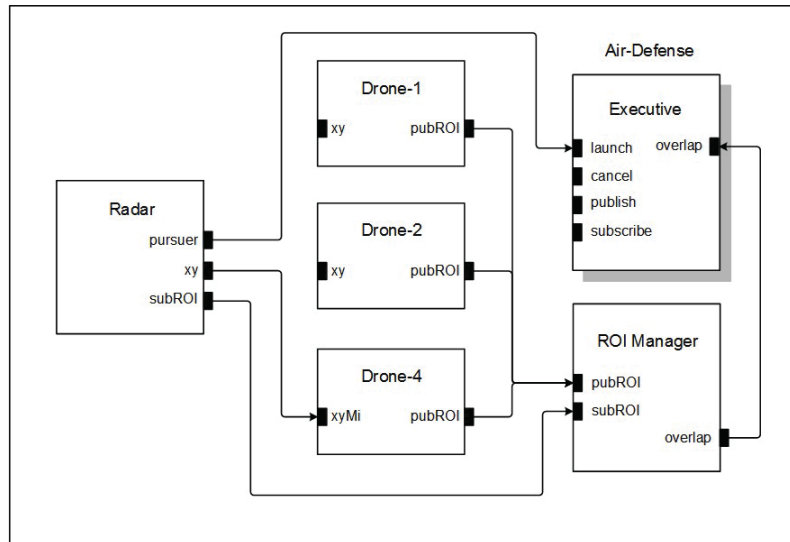
- As entities move, their regions of interest will eventually overlap
- The manager upon overlap detection sends a request to the executive that will create a link between the radar and the drone so it can be tracked
- Drone-4 cannot be used in conventional publish-subscribe communication since its interface does not match radar sampling port xy
- Drone port xyMi conveys the position in miles, while the radar requires this information in km

Air-Defense

- The communication between the radar and Drone-4 is established by the JUse-HyFlow command:

```
link("Radar", "xy", "Drone-4", "xyMi",  
      x->x, mi->[1.61*mi[0],1.61*mi[1]])
```

Air-Defense



Air-Defense

- HyFlow dynamic peer-to-peer communication is able to represent publish-subscribe communication
- It can also represent the space partitioning algorithms required to obtain an efficient representation of moving entities
- Additionally, peer-to-peer links can be established using JUse-HyFlow adapter capabilities

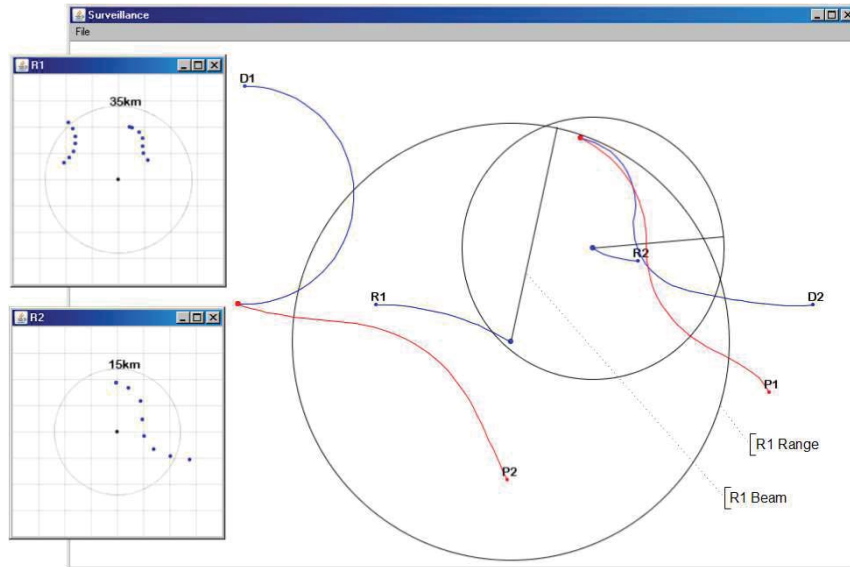
Air-Defense

- Scenario with two airborne radars, R1 and R2, moving at constant velocities with fixed radius trajectories
- Two drones, D1 and D2, moving at a constant velocity but with a piecewise constant radius that changes at random times
- The radars are modeled by their rotating beams that have a fixed period
- A radar echo is produced when a radar beam detects a drone

Air-Defense

- These interactions requires the creation of a new detector for each drone
 - it benefits from P2PC to enable the detector to sample the position information from both the radar beam and from a specific drone
- Upon detection, radars can launch a pursuer to disable the drone
- Pursuers have a digital controller that uses a proportional law for guidance

Air-Defense



Conclusion

- Publish-subscribe interaction can be mapped into a peer-to-peer communication network with a dynamic topology
- This mapping enables both communication styles to be used in combination to describe different aspects of the same model
- The integration of styles enables modelers to use the best representation for a given system

Future Work

- We plan to extend JUSE-HYFLOW model library in order to represent more complex and detailed scenarios
- We consider also that future versions of the HLA supporting the modeling constructs discussed here, like the open RTI, sampling, and peer-to-peer connections, can improve its expressiveness simplifying the description of complex systems

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Engineering Hybrid Modelling Languages

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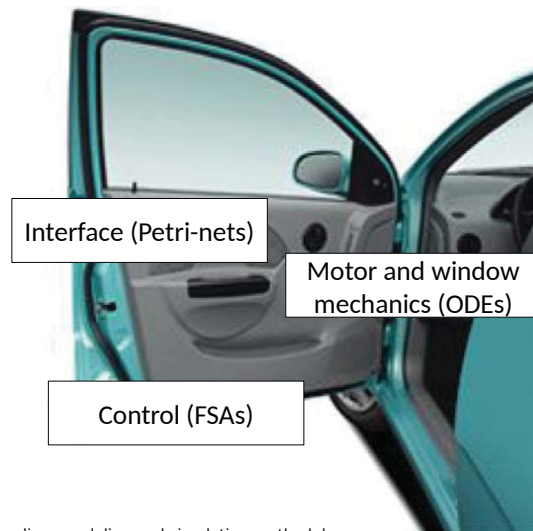
Dealing with Complexity

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- Causes:
 - number of components;
 - number of concerns;
 - heterogeneity;
 - emergent behaviour;
 - ...
- MPM solution:
 - model all parts/aspects explicitly;
 - using the most appropriate formalism(s);
 - at the most appropriate level(s) of abstraction;
 - modelling processes explicitly.

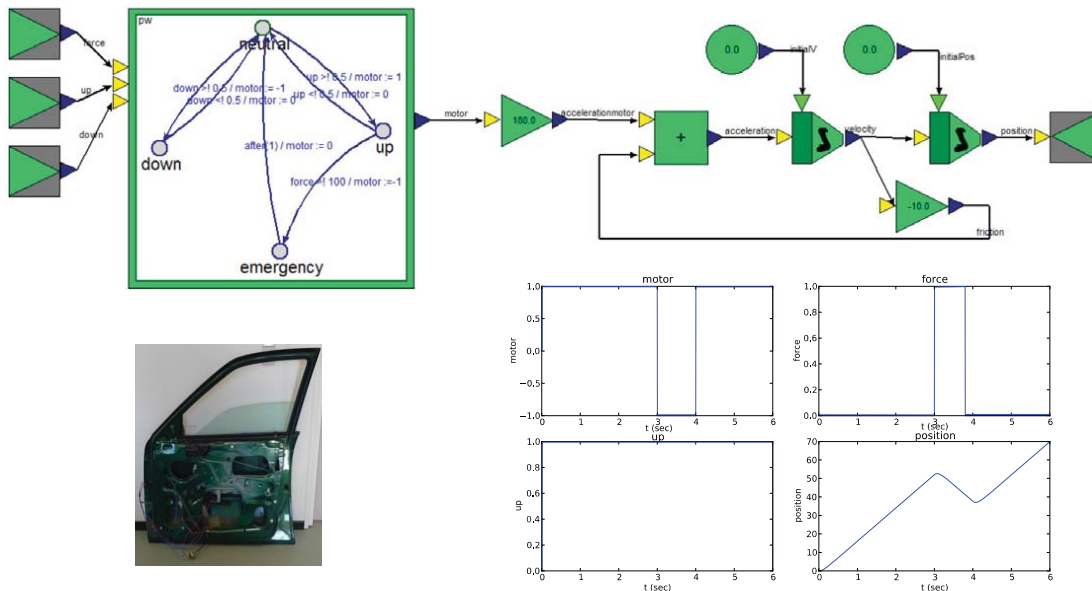
Most Appropriate Formalism(s)

- Multiple components/views require multiple formalisms
- Interactions/Relations between formalisms require **Hybrid Formalisms**
(when mapping onto a single common formalism is impossible)



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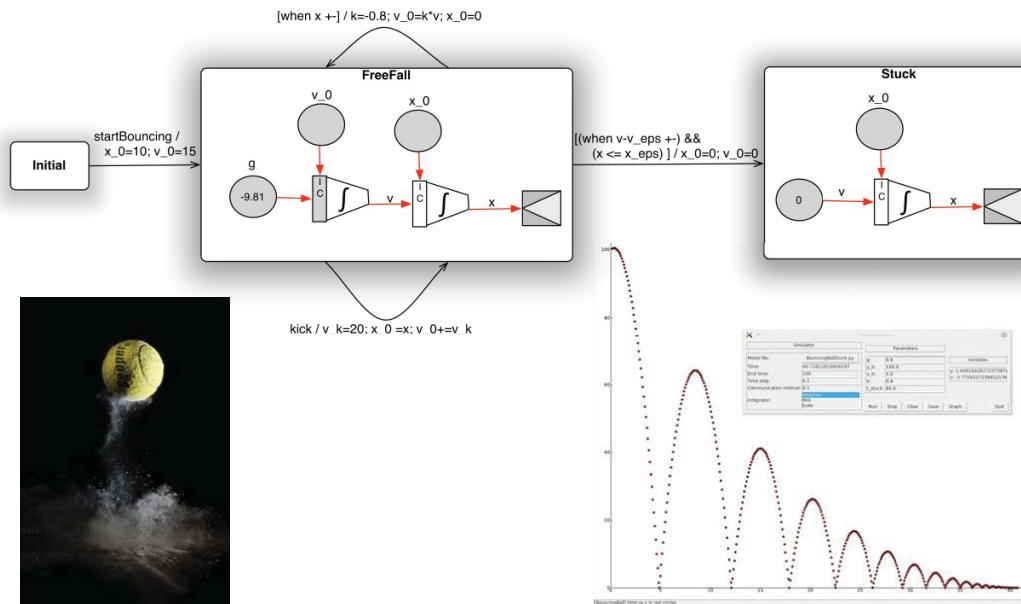
Example 1: CBD (host) + TFSA (embedded)



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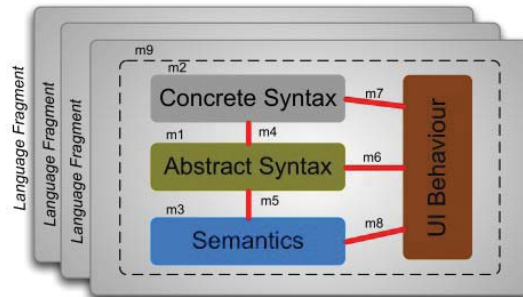
Example 2: TFSA (host) +CBD (embedded)



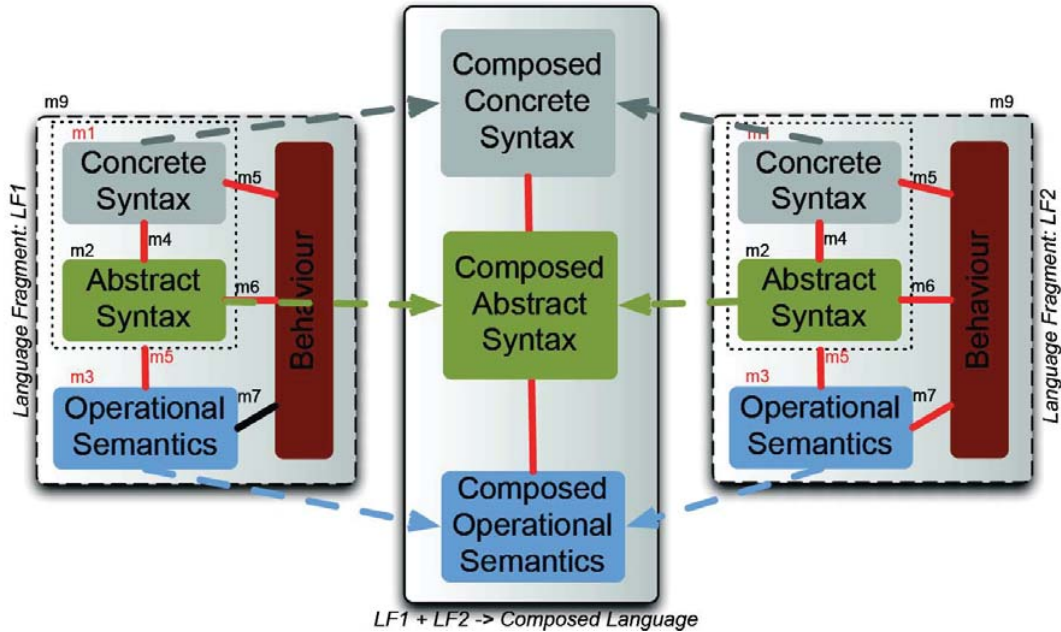
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Modular Language Engineering: Language Specification Fragments (LSF)

- Reusable components of a language specification
 - Syntax (Concrete/Abstract)
 - Operational semantics
 - UI-Behavior
- Combine fragments to create hybrid languages

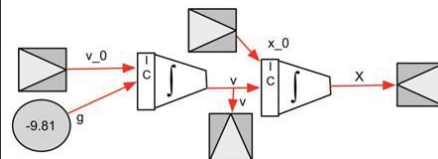


Composition of Language Specification Fragments



Background: CBD* Syntax

Name	Abstract Syntax	Concrete Syntax
Block	<pre> classDiagram class CBD { name: String } class Block { name: String } CBD < -- Block </pre>	
Integrator	<pre> classDiagram class Integrator { } class CBD { name: String } class Block { name: String } Integrator < -- CBD Integrator < -- Block </pre>	
Adder	<pre> classDiagram class Adder { } class CBD { name: String } class Block { name: String } Adder < -- CBD Adder < -- Block </pre>	
Input	<pre> classDiagram class Port { name: String } class InputPort { } Port < -- InputPort </pre>	
Output	<pre> classDiagram class OutputPort { signalName: String } class Port { name: String } Port < -- OutputPort </pre>	
Link	<pre> classDiagram class Link { source target } </pre>	



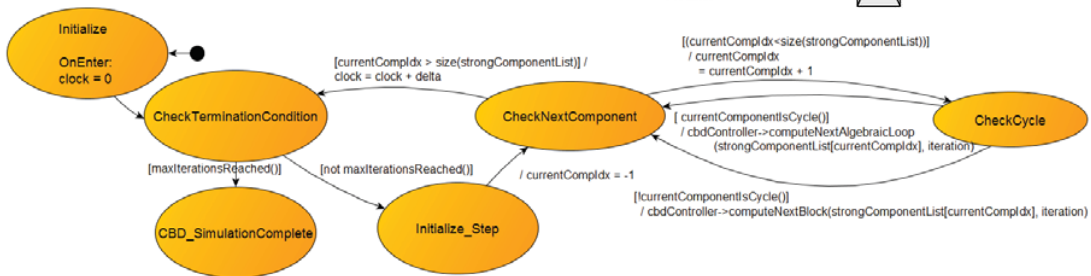
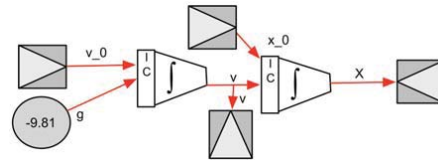
* Causal Block Diagram (such as Simulink®)

Background: CBD Semantics

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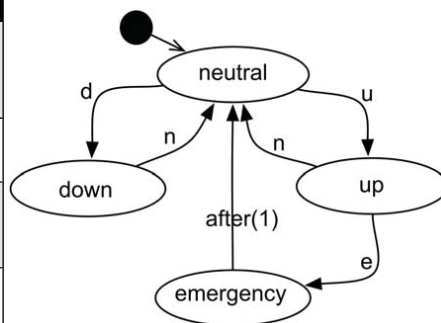
logicalTime ← 0
while not end_condition do
  schedule ← LOOPDETECT(DEPGRAPH(cbd))
  for gblock in schedule do
    COMPUTE(gblock)
  end for
  logicalTime ← logicalTime + Δt
end while

```



Background: TFSA* Syntax

Name	Abstract Syntax	Concrete Syntax
State	<pre> class State name: String final: Boolean end class class T-FSA states * trans * end class </pre>	
Initial State	<pre> class Initial initial end class </pre>	
Transition	<pre> class Transition name: String end class </pre>	
Event	<pre> class Event end class class Trigger trigger 0..1 end class </pre>	
Timeout	<pre> class After timeout: Real end class </pre>	

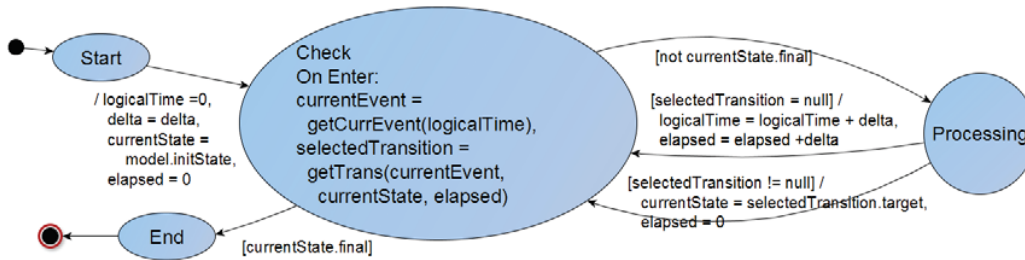
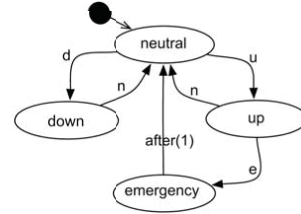


*Timed Finite State Automata

Background: TFSA Semantics

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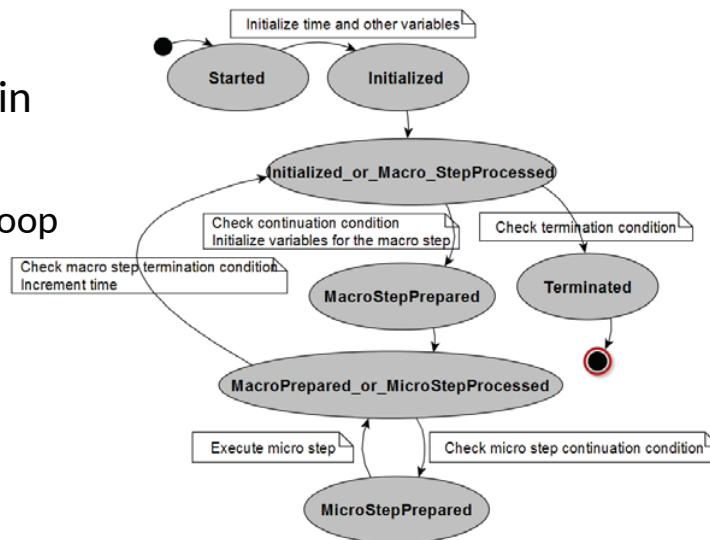
logicalTime, elapsedTime  $\leftarrow$  0 ; currentState  $\leftarrow$  initialState
while currentState is not final do
   $E \leftarrow$  getInputEventAt(logicalTime)
  if out-transition  $T$  from currentState has trigger  $E$  then
    currentState  $\leftarrow T$ .destination ; elapsedTime  $\leftarrow$  0
    removeInputEventFromInputList( $E$ )
  end if
  if out-transition  $T$  from currentState has after(time) & time  $\leq$  elapsedTime then
    currentState  $\leftarrow T$ .destination ; elapsedTime  $\leftarrow$  0
  end if
  logicalTime  $\leftarrow$  logicalTime +  $\Delta t$  ; elapsedTime  $\leftarrow$  elapsedTime +  $\Delta t$ 
end while
  
```



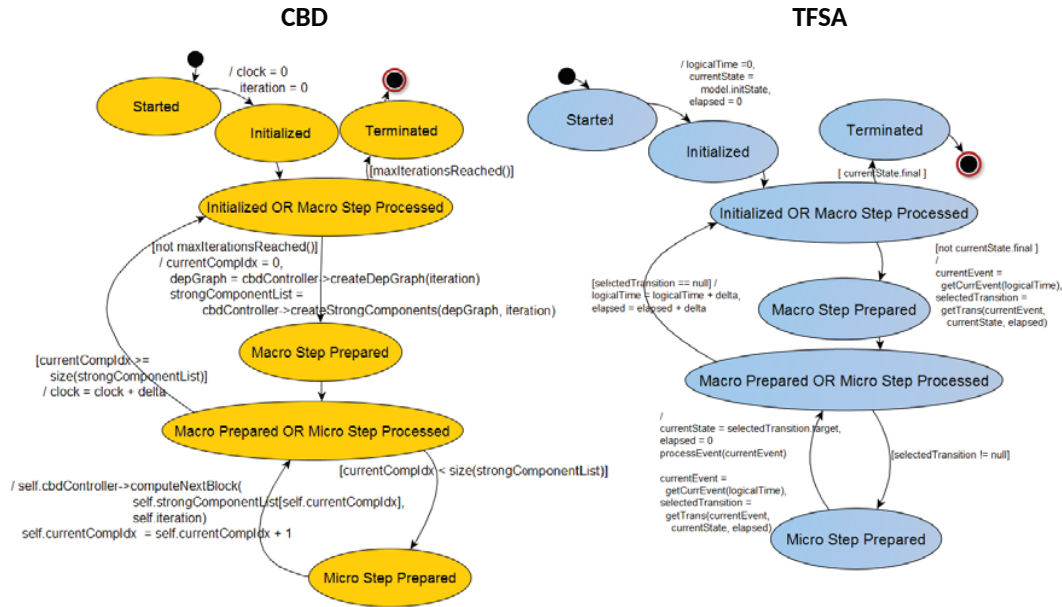
Canonical Operational Semantics

Common pattern in simulators

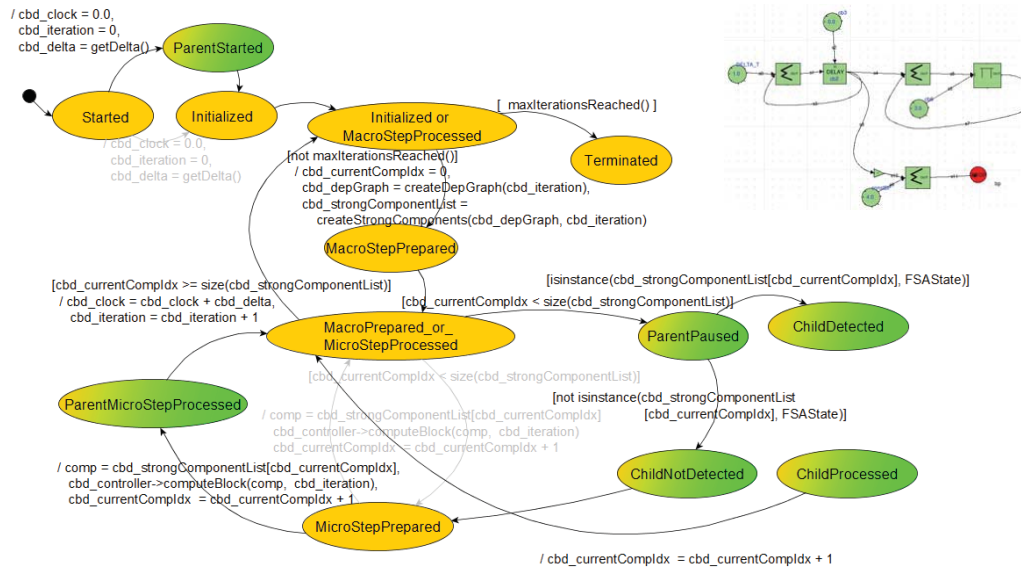
- Main simulation loop
- Macro-steps
- Micro-steps



Canonical Operational Semantics of the formalisms to be combined

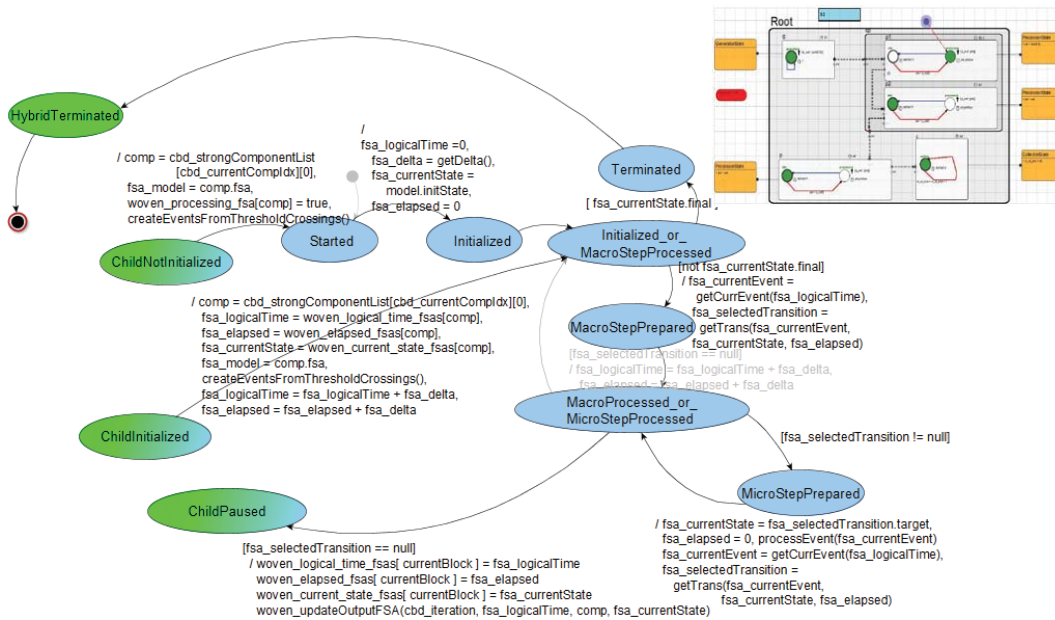


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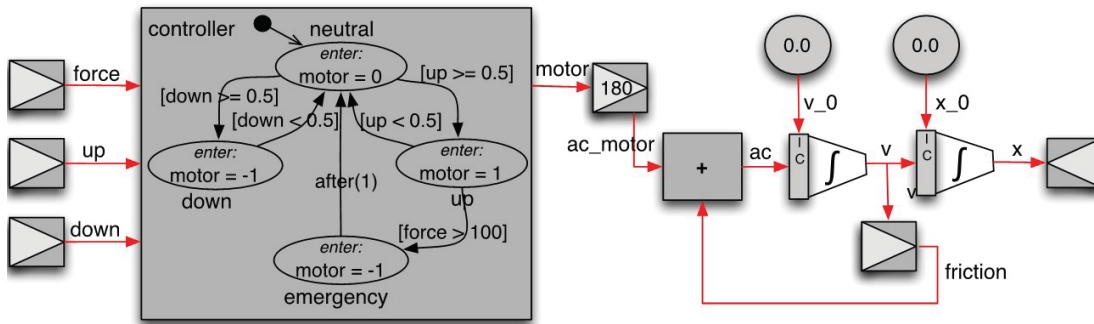
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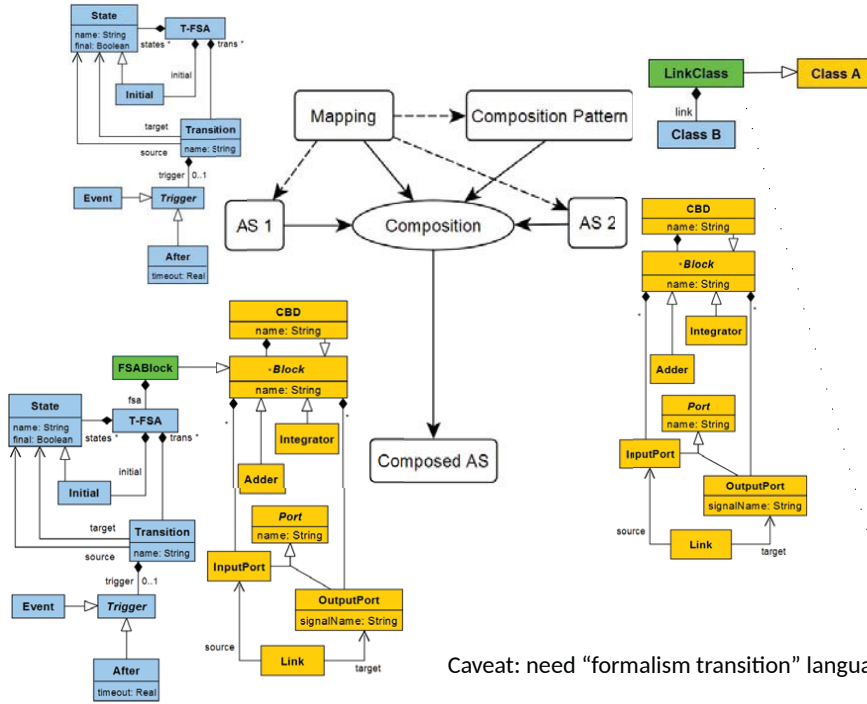
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Example 1: Hybrid CBD (host: CBD; embedded: TFSA)



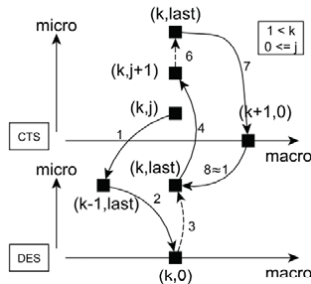
Power-window model

Workflow: Combine AS

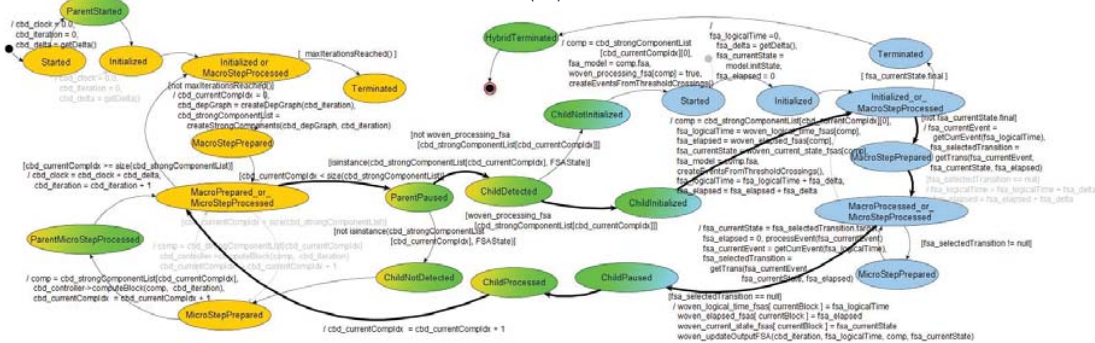


Hybrid CBD (host) operational semantics

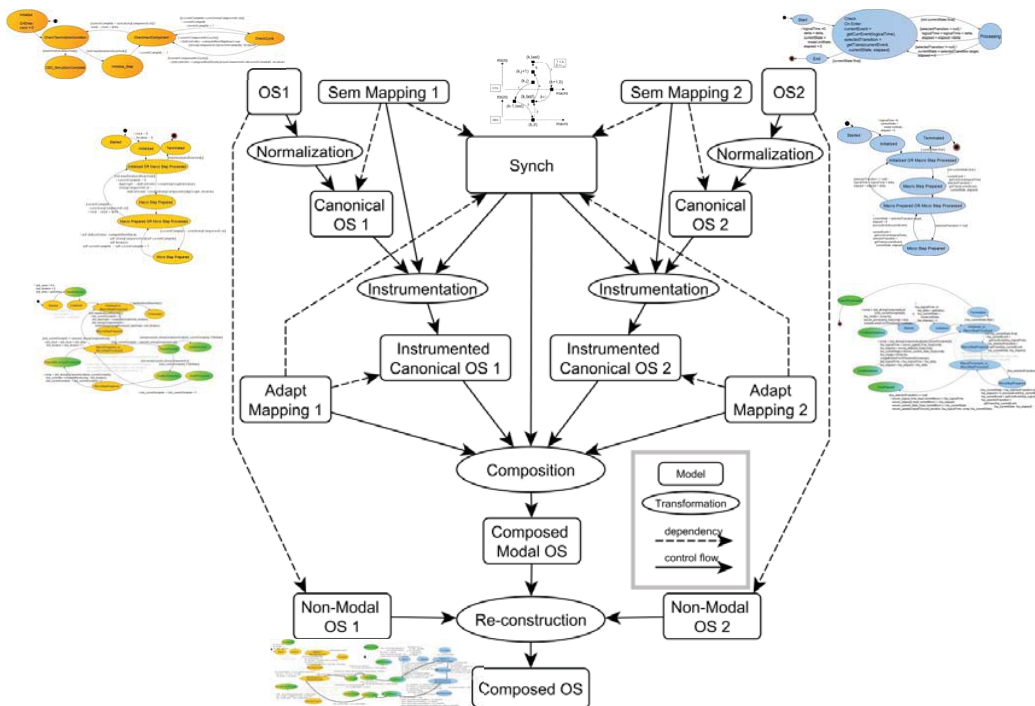
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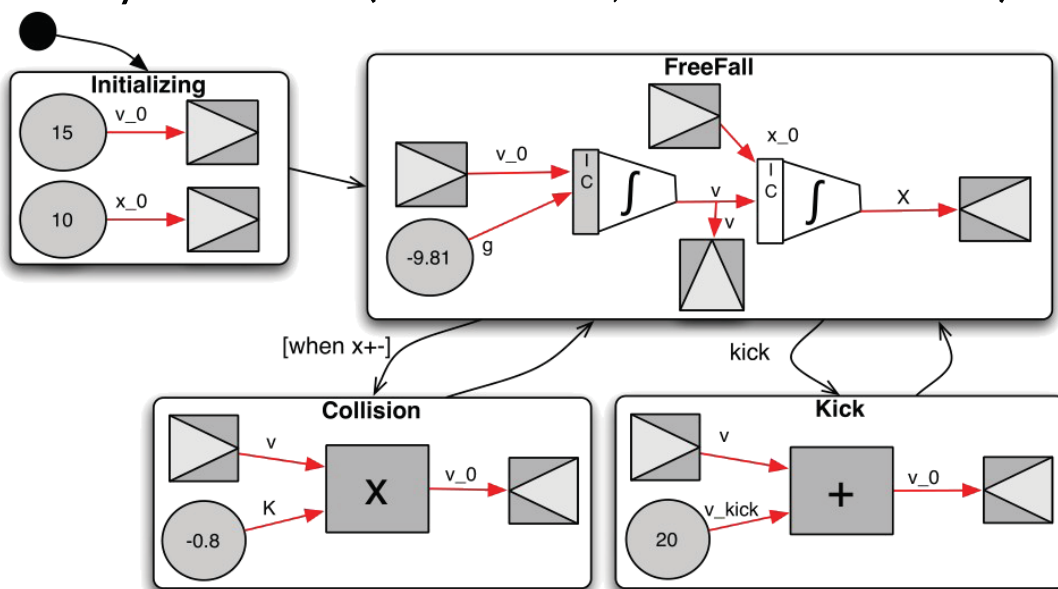
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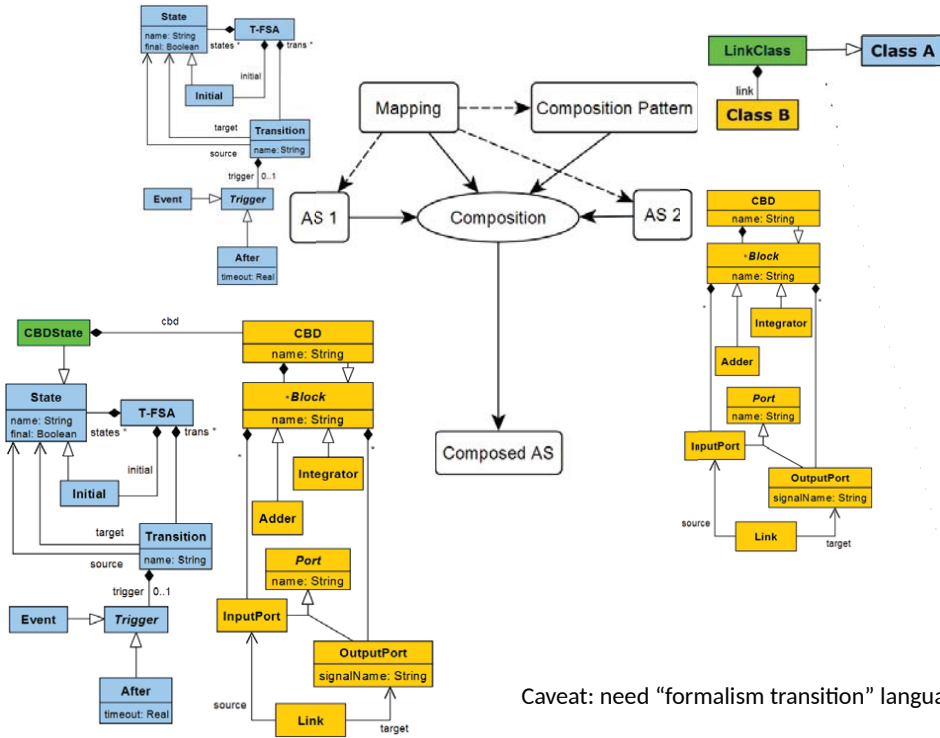


Example 2: Hybrid TFSA (host: TFSA; embedded: CBD)



Bouncing ball model

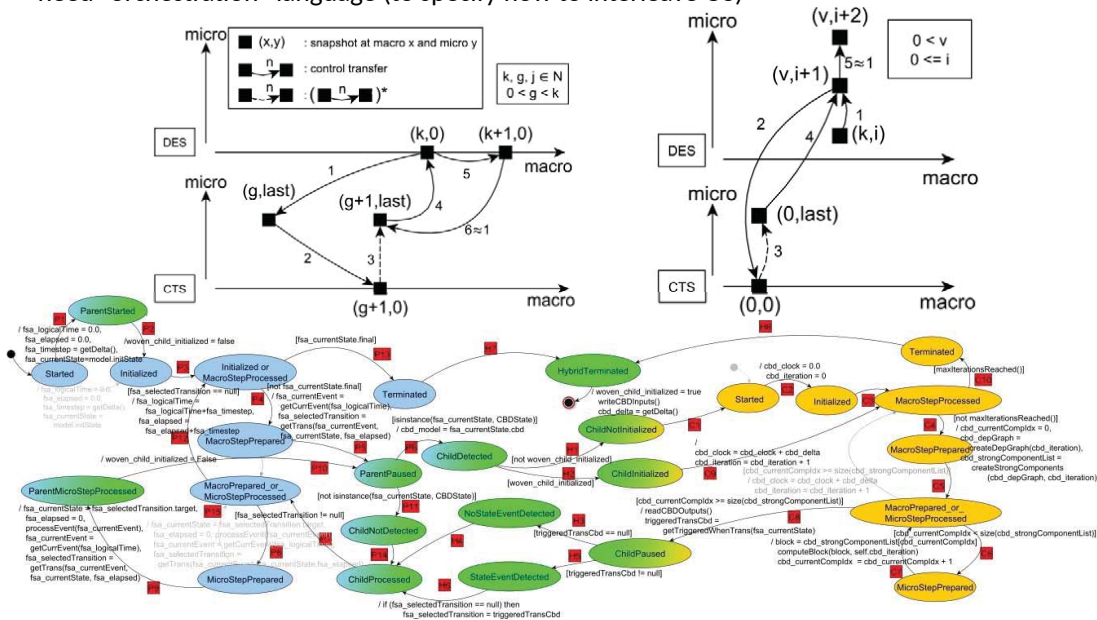
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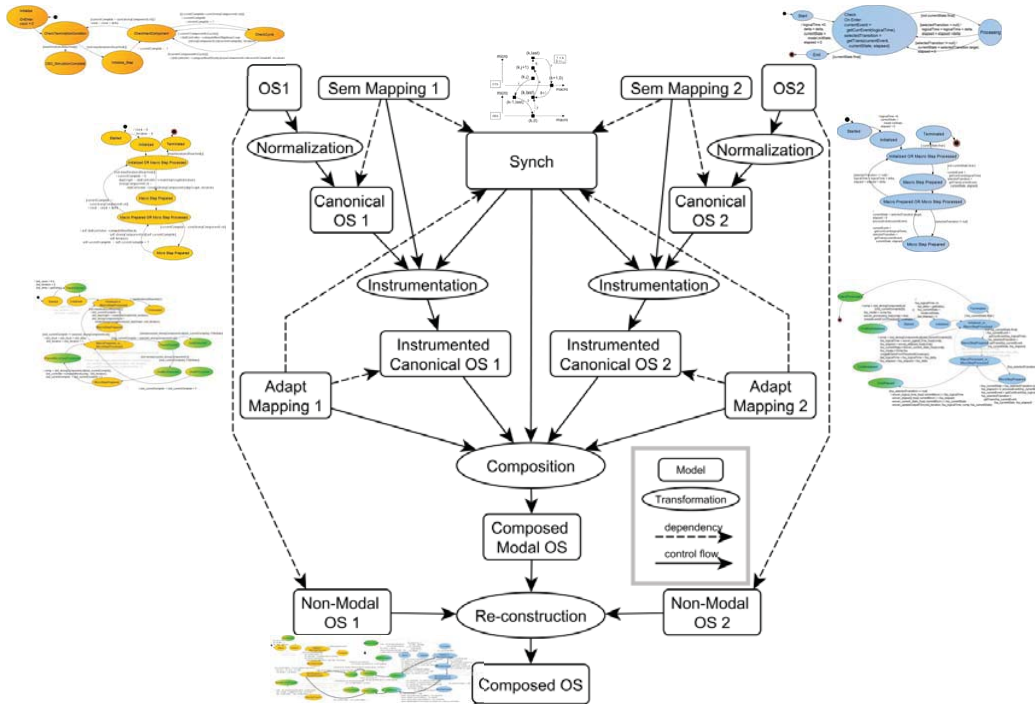
Caveat: need "formalism transition" language too!

Hybrid TFSA (host) operational semantics

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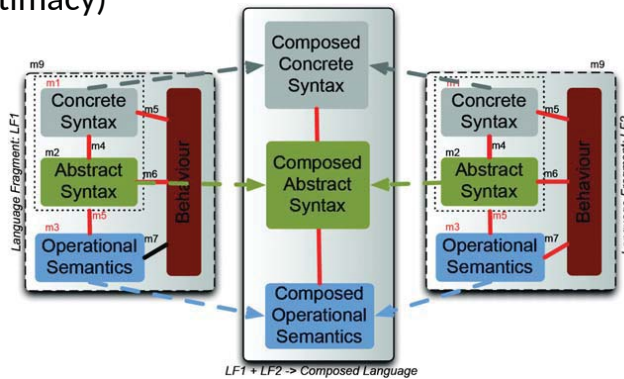
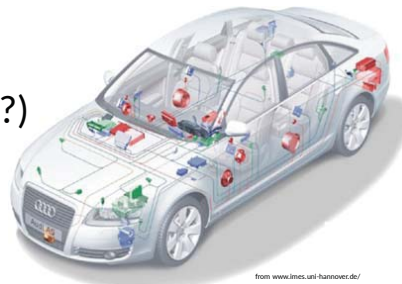
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“Optimal” (Hybrid) Formalism?

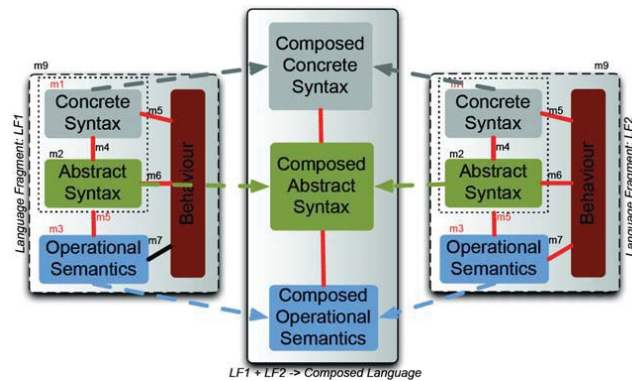
Correct semantic composition
(verification possible when modelled?)

- Language continuity
- Completeness of semantics
- Determinism
- Step progression (legitimacy)
- Synchronization
- Fairness
- ...



Future Work

- Develop “language transition”, “orchestration” languages
- Hybrid languages are LSFs too
 - Combined to form other Hybrid languages.
 - Support for debugging of simulations
- LSFs for
 - TFSA
 - CBD
 - Dynamic Structure
 - Spatial Distribution
 - Concurrency
 - ...



Real-Time MDE: An Overview

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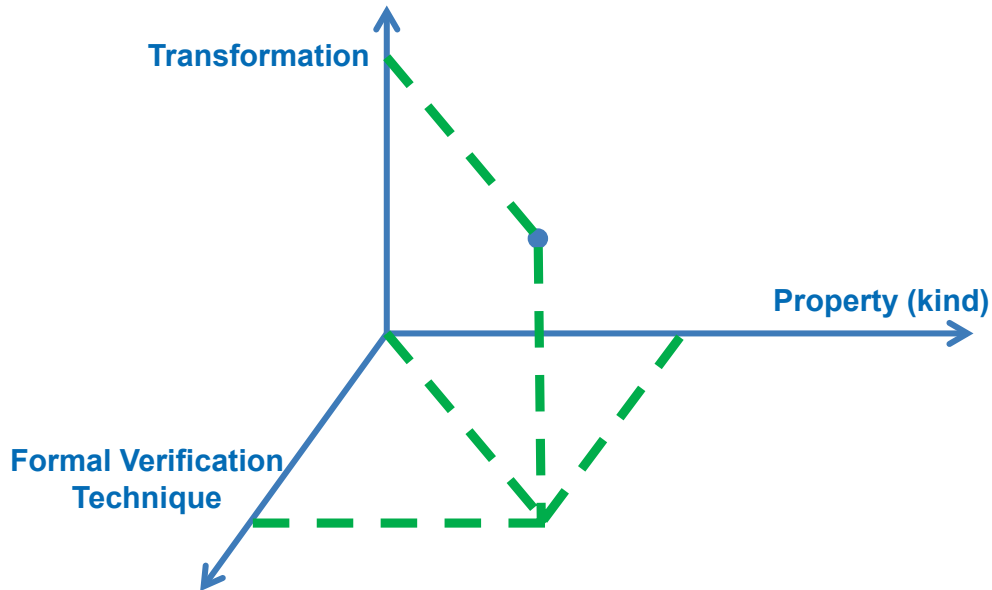
On a New Project...

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MDE 3D Classification



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Barriers for RT Formal Verif.

❑ Undecidability

- Both from the timed and non-timed parts, which are often intricately mixed into functionalities
- Abstractions required in each part for performing formal verification

❑ Tool Maturity

- Most tools work on very low-level representations (automata + various logics)
- How to relate results back to model level?

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❑ Theoretical Foundations in MDE

- What is a « good » notion of time?
- Is there a « universal » notion of time?

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Agenda

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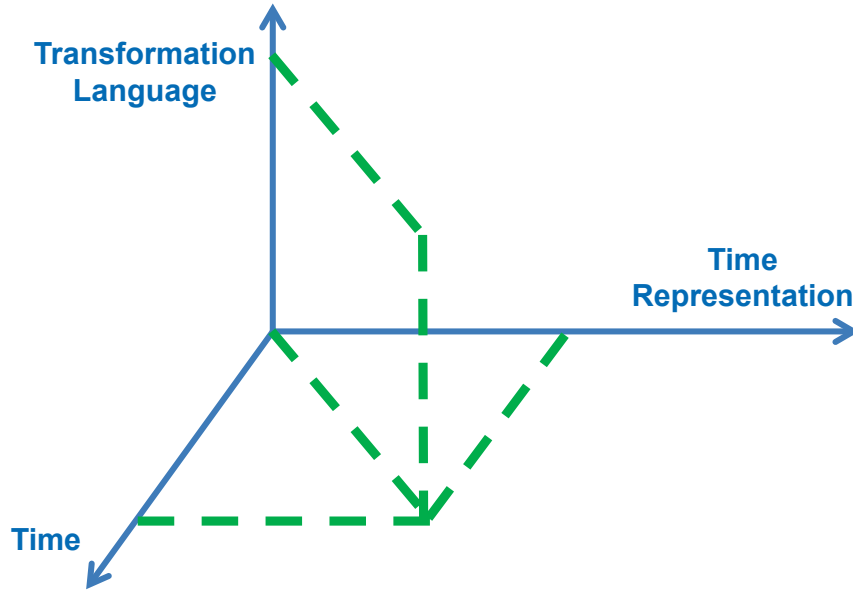
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3. Conclusions

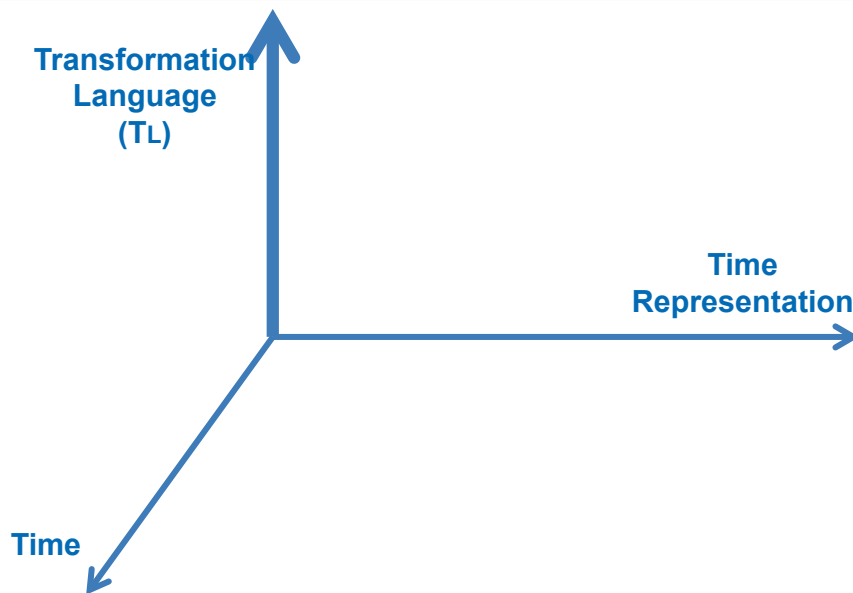


CLASSIFICATION

RT-MDE Classification



Transformation Languages



Graph-Based Tls (GBTls)

□ Formal Background: Category Theory [1]

- Tgg,
- Some MDE features (e.g., inheritance & containment) addressed recently [2]

□ Usually, visual (or hybrid) concrete syntax

- Customisable with metamodel concepts [3,4]
- Also with pure textual syntax (e.g., ATL)

□ Common formal background with Petri Nets (PNs) [6]

- Reuse of existing tools and existing Fv techniques

- [1] ROZENBERG, G. (Ed.) (1997). *Handbook of Graph Grammars and Computing by Graph Transformation (Vol. I)*. World Scientific Publishing.
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Meta-Programmed Languages (MPLs)

□ « Action » Languages [1]

- Specifically designed for manipulating model features;
- Operational in nature;
- Usually using a textual syntax close to code

□ Formal backgrounds

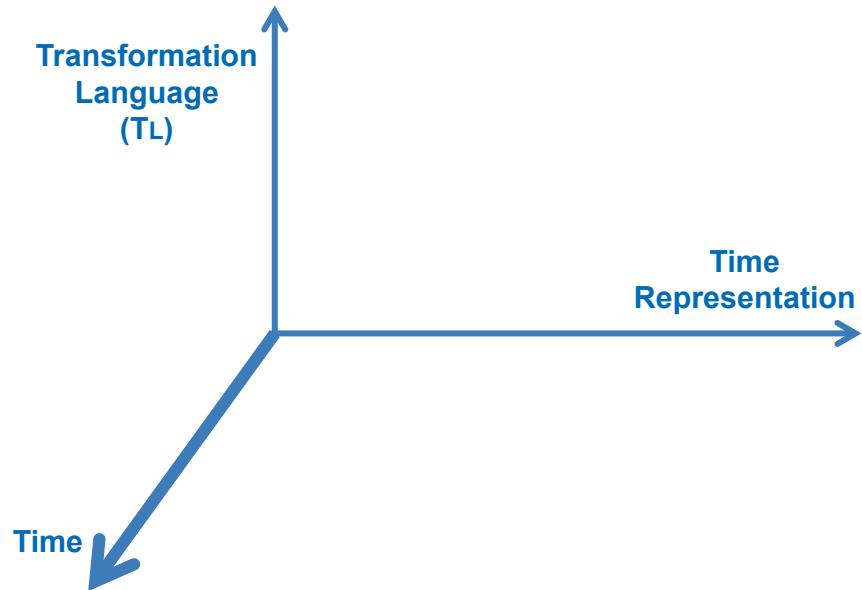
- Semantics foundations from imperative / Object-Oriented Languages [2].

□ Possible reuse of existing technology

- With a high price for adapting it;
- Not necessarily at the adequate abstraction level

- [1] COMBEMALE, B. and CRÉGUT, X. and GAROCHE, P.-L. and THIRIOUX, X (2009). Essay On Semantics Definition in MDE – An Instrumented Approach for Model Verification. *Journal of Software*, 4(9), pp. 943–958.
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Time



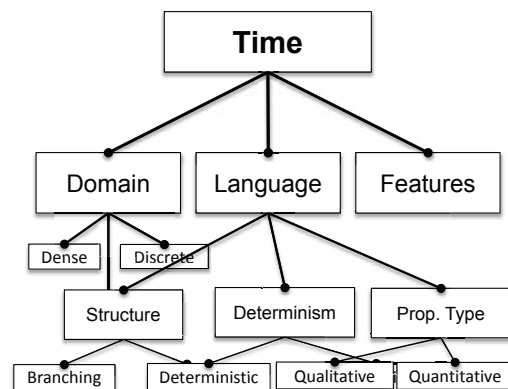
Time Features

□ Domain

- Discrete (with integers) or Dense (with rationals or reals)
- If bounded, simplifies the FV

□ Language

- **Structure**, describing how internal states are organised:
 - Linear, in the form of *sequences*
 - Branching, in the form of *trees*
- **Determinism**, describing how precisely the system is known:
 - Abstraction from implementation details;
 - Possible unprescribed choices ;
 - Unknown environment
- **Property Type**, indicating which language's type of properties are expressible

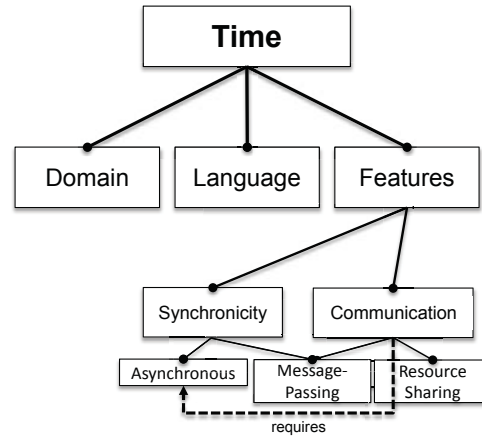


Time Features

□ Features

Mechanisms within the language to express communication and synchronicity

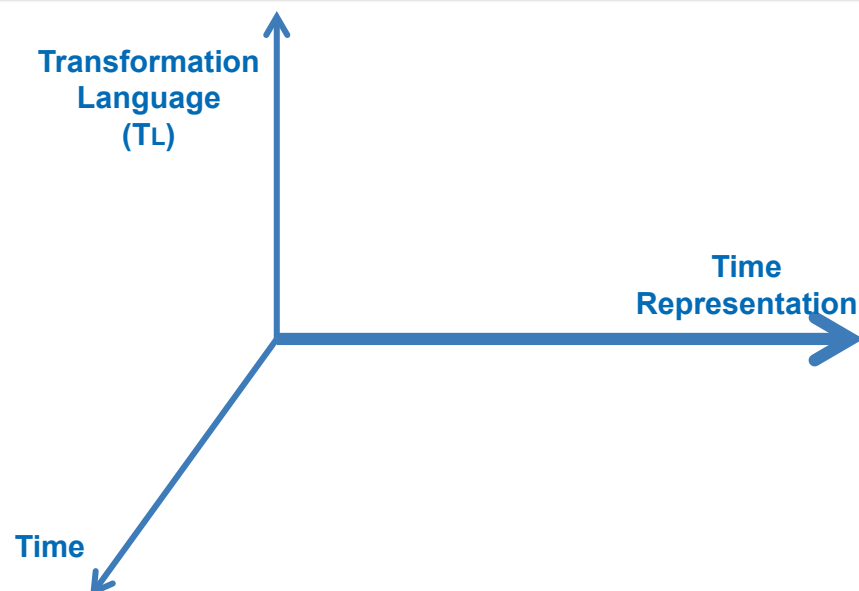
- **Synchronicity**, describing at which pace changes occur within the system
 - Synchronous, at the same time;
 - Asynchronous, at different/indpt paces
- **Communication**, describing how asynch. systems communicate
 - Through shared resources; or
 - Through message passing;
 - Or both!



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Time Representation



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Time Representation [1]

❑ [TaD]: Time as Data

- Time information represented within the model
- Example: clock counters, timers as MM attributes

❑ [TaC]: Time as Control

- Time information integrated at transformation level
- Example: time manipulation constructs available in the TL

❑ [TaE]: Time as Embedding

- Time not explicitly available
- Implicit in a third-party language, when translated
- Requires both model and transformation(s) to become translatable



Not mutually exclusive: all three can be mixed!

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CONTRIBUTIONS OVERVIEW

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Overview & Choices

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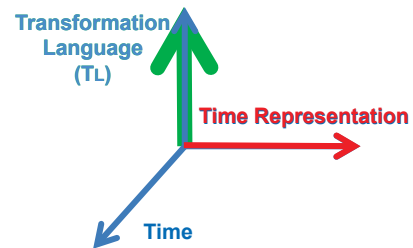
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- 40 overviewed contributions

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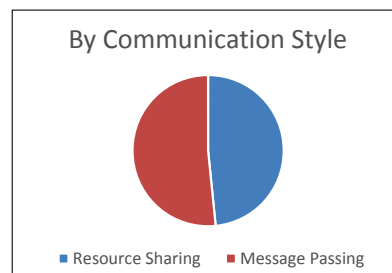
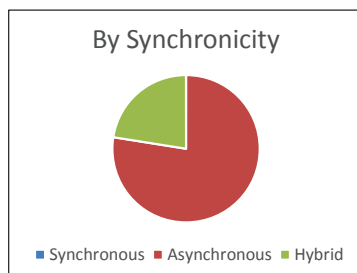
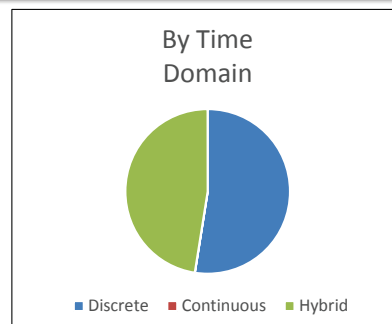
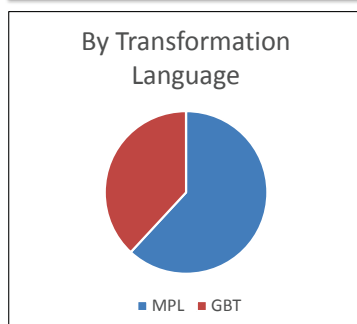
- Some are cited by website (one ref for 10 pubs)
- Others have several references for slightly different usage

Presentation Choice

- Also related to space constraints
- First try: by time representation, but does not fit
- Finally: by TL

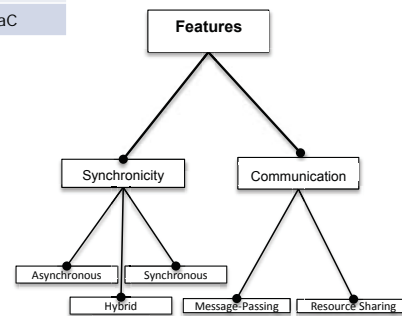


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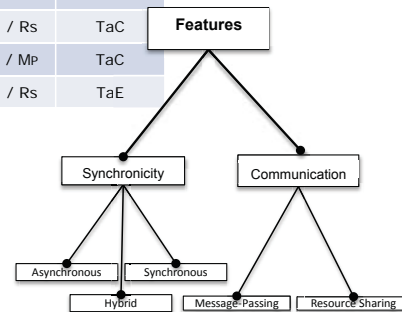
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MARTE / CcSL	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Hybrid / ??	TaD + TaC
HybridUML	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaD + TaC
ForSyDe	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaC
ModHel'X	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Hybrid / Mp	TaC
GeMoC	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Hybrid / ??	TaC



Summary Tables: GBTLs

Contribution	Domain	Language	Features	Time Rep.
Petri Nets	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaC
Stochastic	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Mp	TaC
De Lara & Vangheluwe	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaC
De Lara, Guerra <i>et al.</i>	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Mp	TaD + TaE
Strobl <i>et al.</i>	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaD
Gapay <i>et al.</i>	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaD
Moment 2	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaC
E-Motions	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaC
MechatronicUML	Hybrid	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Mp	TaC
AToMPM	Discrete	Branching / Non-Determ.	Asynch. / Rs	TaE



CONCLUSIONS

Paper Summary

- 1. A Classification for studying Real-Time MDE contributions**
 - Which Transformation Language is used?
 - Which characteristics of time are important for V&V?
 - How time is represented in MDE Frameworks?
- 2. A partial validation on selected contributions**
 - 43 papers so far
- 3. An approach that should be refined, precised and extended**
 - Dimension 3 (Time Representation) should be more precise
 - Is there more contribution in the « pure » MDE scope?
 - How these compare with classical GPL approaches for time? (Ptolemy, DEVS, RT-Maude, but also Java, C, Ada, etc.)

Future Work

1. How to gather more papers?

- Perform a Systematic Literature Review?
- Proceed by experience?
(contact specialised researchers + my own)
- Extend the study's scope?

2. Consider all possible V&V techniques for Real-Time

- **Integrated Testing** (i.e. with Hw) is common for embedded systems
- **Simulation** for continuous systems is also a huge domain
- **Formal Verification** is limited to very specific part in the whole system

Novel verification paradigms for nonlinear hybrid automata

Several application domains

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The hybrid system salad
DYVERSE: a modelling, verification and control framework
Branches of DYVERSE

Summary

- 1 The hybrid system salad
- 2 DYVERSE: a modelling, verification and control framework
- 3 Branches of DYVERSE



The hybrid system salad: A new fresh perspective

Different labels for the same idea

Combination of continuous dynamics and discrete phenomena

Continuous



$$\mathcal{X} = \mathbb{R}^n$$

Discrete



$$Q = \{q_1, q_2, \dots, q_N\}$$

Hybrid



$$\mathcal{X} \times Q$$



Research that challenges orthodoxy

Mixing theory and practice, breaking boundaries of different disciplines

DYnamical-driven **VER**ification of **S**ystems with **E**nergy considerations

The first-funded project in the UK on the verification and control of nonlinear hybrid systems

L1 Control theory and engineering

L2 Formal verification and formal methods

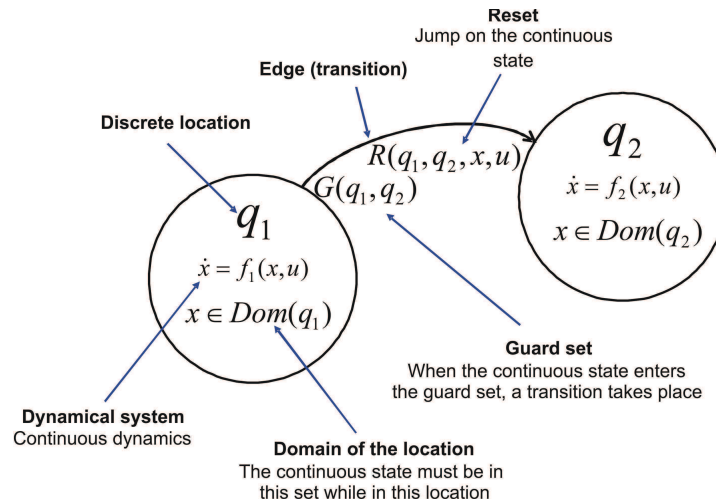
L3 Dynamical systems analysis

L4 Engineering systems and systems biology

L5 Network science (complex networks)



Hybrid automaton framework: basic elements



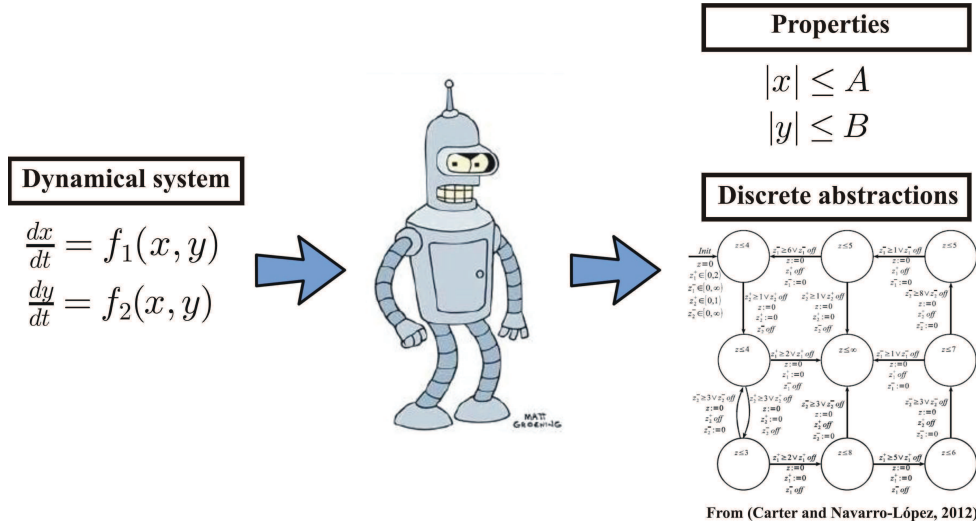
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A collage of ideas

- **Dynamically-aware abstractions and formal verification:** exploiting dynamical properties of systems
- **Application-oriented** approach: results for real-world systems and **automatic generation** of hybrid automata from a dynamical specification
- Verification of **stability-related** and **liveness** properties
- **Complex systems** applications

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Automated verification as a dynamical analysis tool



DyverseRBT: Dyverse Rigid Body Toolbox

What?

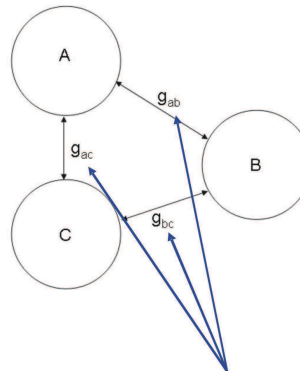
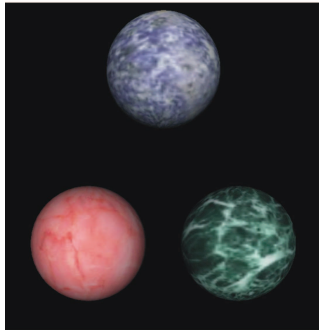
To generate automatically a general-purpose transition system for the description of mechanical systems with multiple impacts and friction

Why?

- **Simulation:** To create event-driven simulations of multi-rigid-body mechanical systems
- **Formal verification:** Hybrid systems automated verification tools to check that properties of mechanical systems are satisfied
- **Control:** To include formal verification results in the control loop to modify system response. Avoid 'something bad will never happen' (safety), ensure 'something good will happen' (liveness)

Limitations in multi-contact rigid-body systems

Beyond the bouncing ball
A simple example that cannot be expressed using the classical hybrid automaton framework



Gap functions



The multi-rigid-body (MRB) hybrid automaton

Typical hybrid automaton elements

- Dynamical discrete locations
- Continuous states
- Initial states
- Continuous dynamics
- Domains of discrete locations
- Edges (discrete transitions)
- Guards
- Reset maps

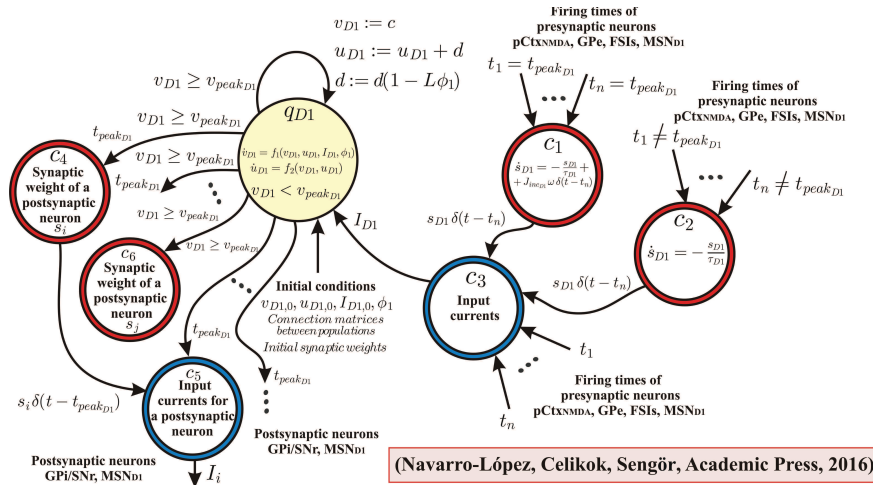
New elements integrating computation of contact forces

- Computation nodes
- Non-dynamical discrete locations

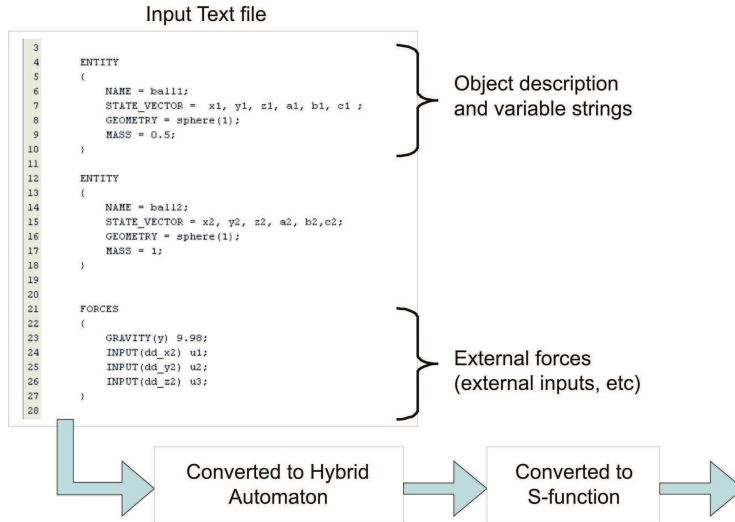


Hybrid automaton with computation nodes for a single neuron

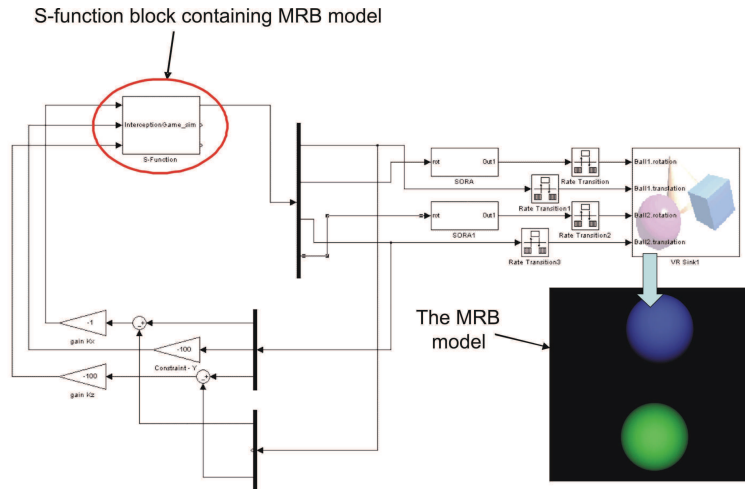
A medium spiny neuron with D_1 -type receptors in the striatum



Automatic generation of hybrid automata



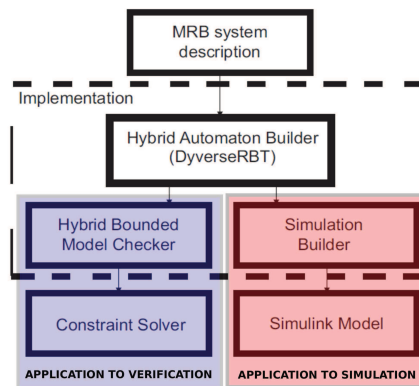
Implementation



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Dyverse Bounded Model Checker (DyverseBMC)

Overview of the modelling, simulation and verification framework



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Dynamically-aware verification: liveness and deadness

- **DeadRegions.** Generation of a dead region on a hybrid automaton for a given inevitability property of reaching some desired live region
- **proveByTA.** Abstraction of a linear continuous system of the form $\dot{x} = Ax + b$ to a timed automaton for proving inevitability (reaching a specified live zone). It then uses the stand-alone prover of TA prover UPPAAL to prove the property
- **PWproveByTA.** Abstraction of a piecewise-linear system of a class of the form $\dot{x} = Ax$ to a timed automaton for proving inevitability. It then uses the stand-alone prover of TA prover UPPAAL to prove the property

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Studies of:

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Deadness

Mythical modes



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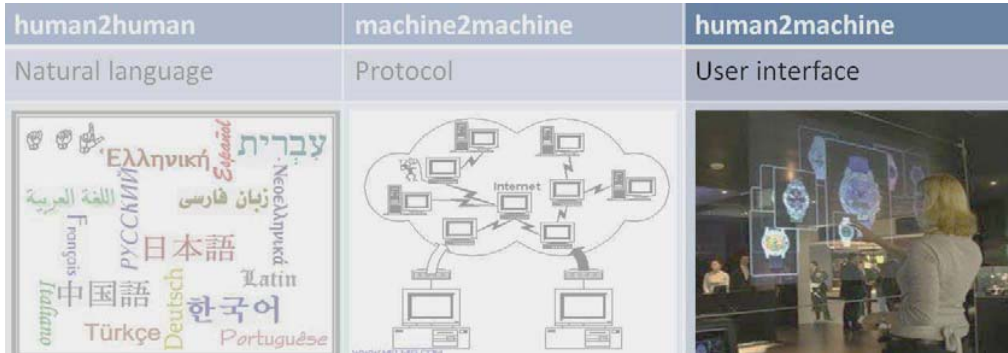


Domain-Specific Language

- Meant to close gap between PROBLEM DOMAIN and SOLUTION DOMAIN
- Reduce the use of computation concepts
- Focus on the domain concepts
- **Increasingly popular**
 - **Raise the abstraction level (closer to the domain)**
 - **Narrow the design space**
- **Several benefits claimed, in well-defined domains**
 - **Productivity gains**
 - **Better time to market**
 - **Avoid error-prone mappings between domain and software development concepts**
 - **Leverage the expertise of domain experts**

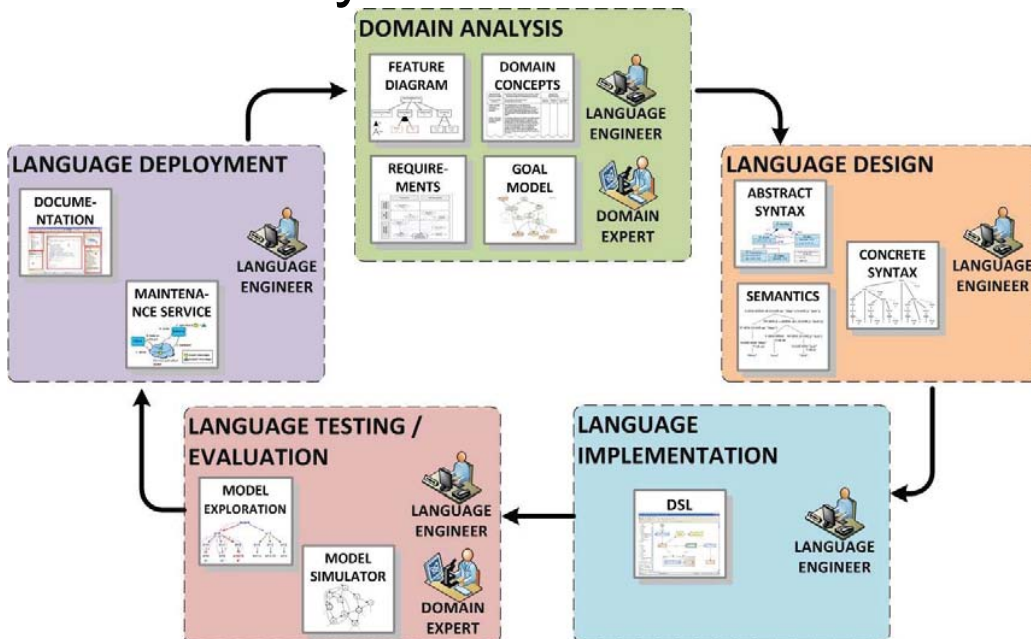
Language

- . A language is a means of communication

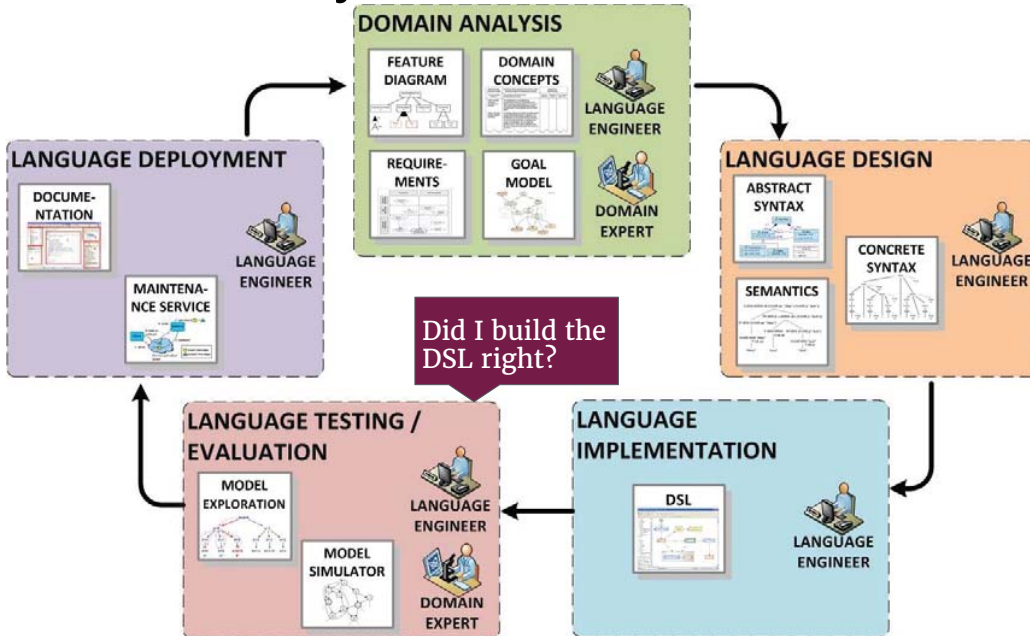


- . The user interface is a realization of a language
- . A language is a model that describes the allowed terms and how to compose them into valid sentences

DSL Lifecycle



DSL Lifecycle

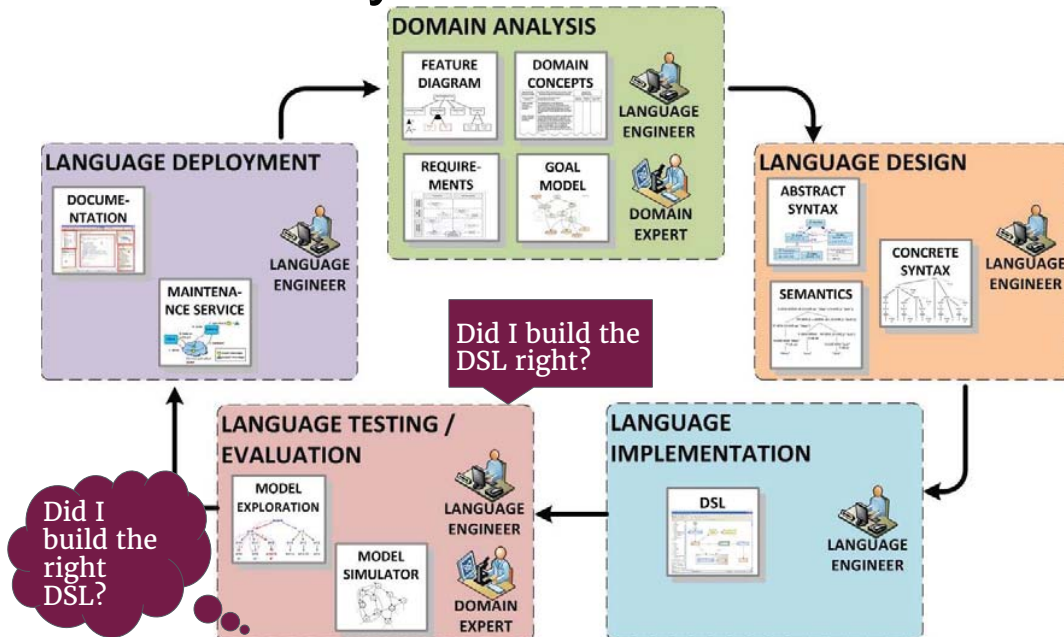


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Usability driven development with USE-ME

DSL Lifecycle



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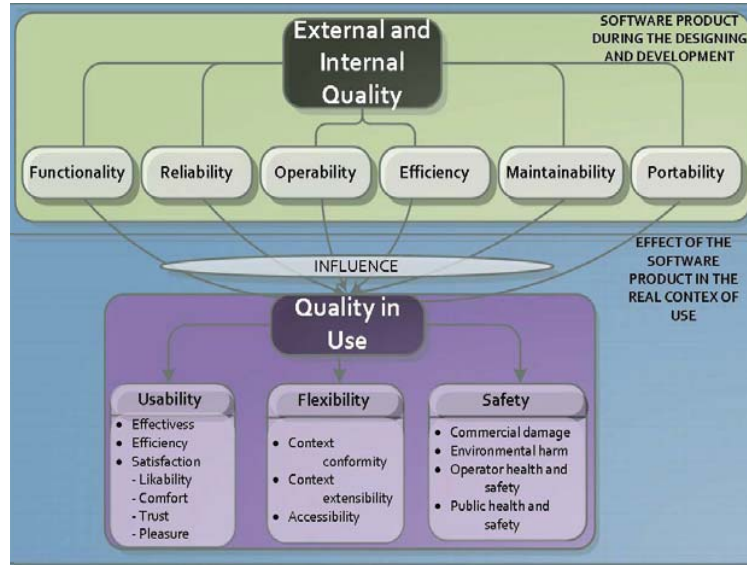
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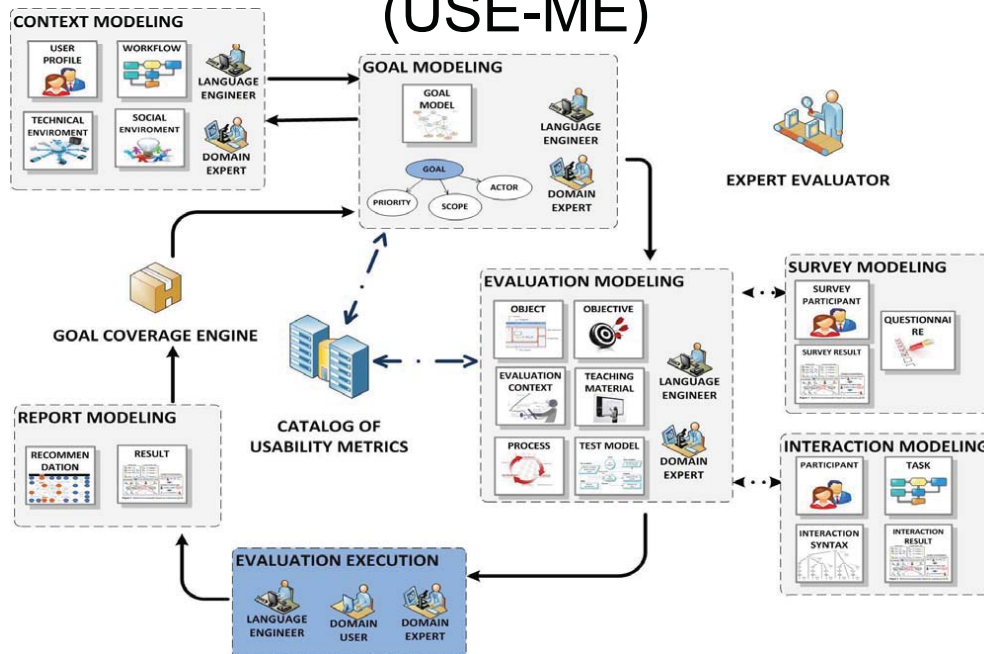
Quality in Use i.e. Usability

'The **capability** of a software product to enable specified users to achieve specified goals with: *effectiveness, productivity, safety and satisfaction* in specified contexts of use.'

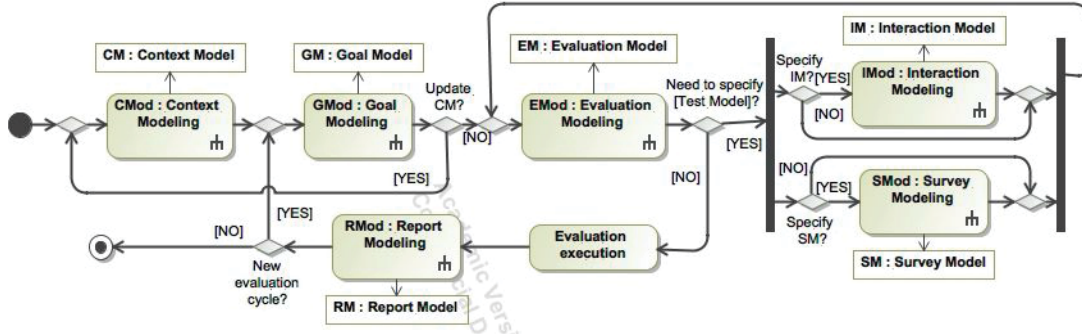
- Different languages likely have different *contexts of use*
- Their users are likely to have different *knowledge sets*
- A minimum set of ontological concepts is required to **use** the language



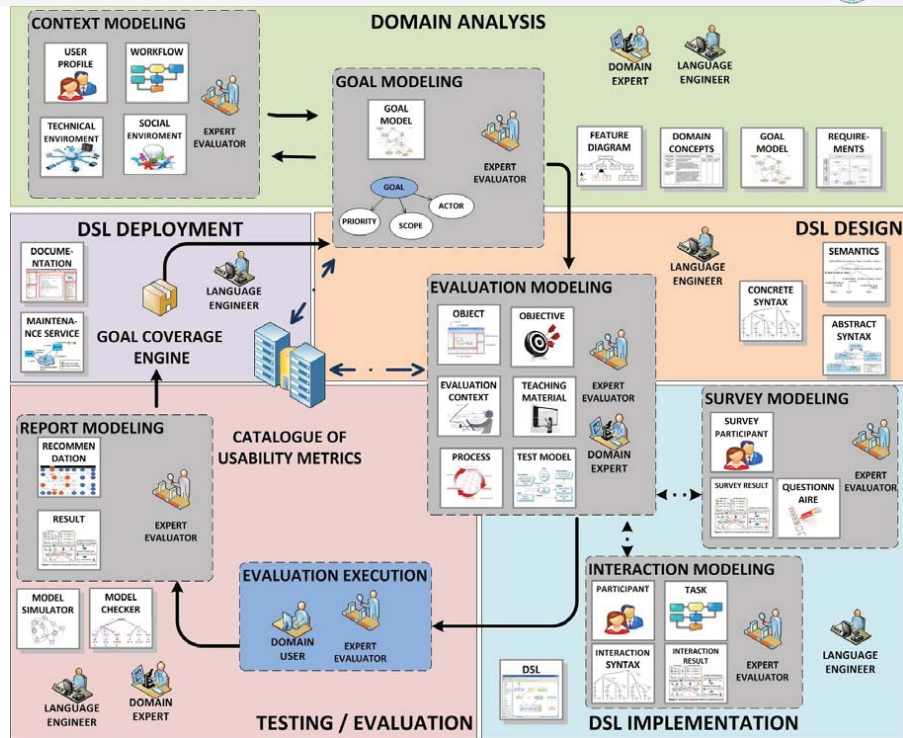
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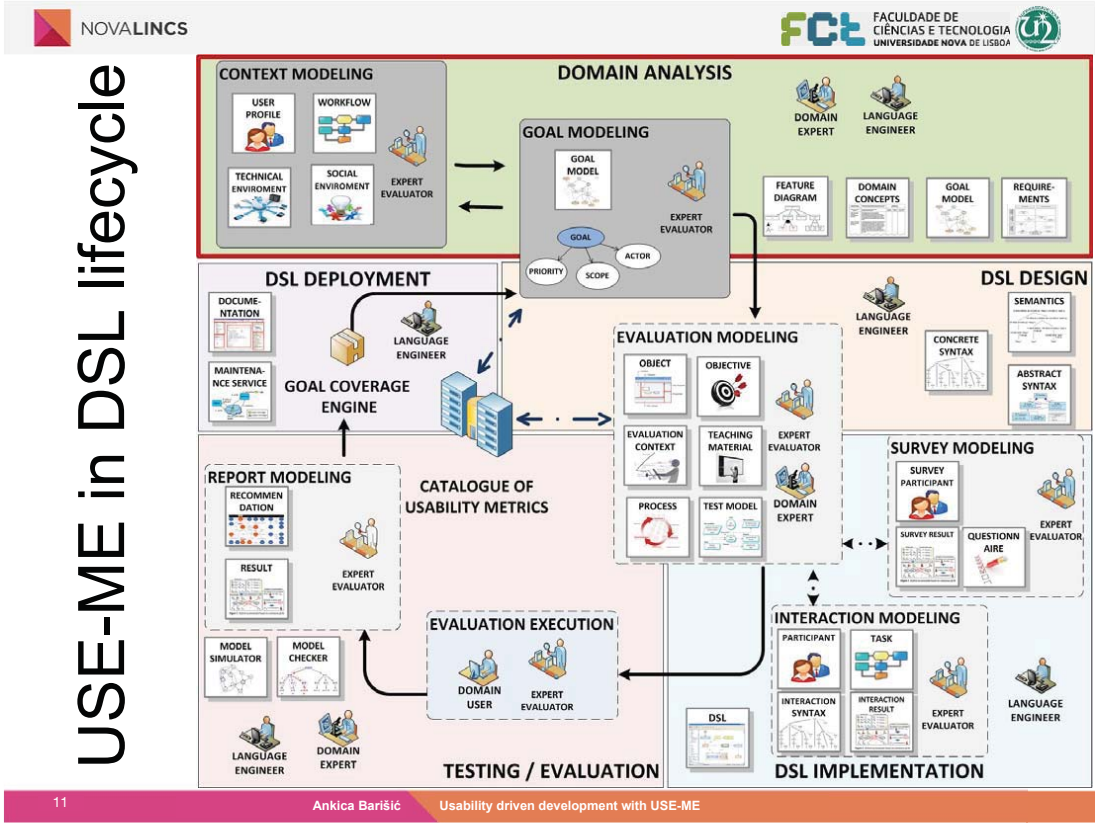


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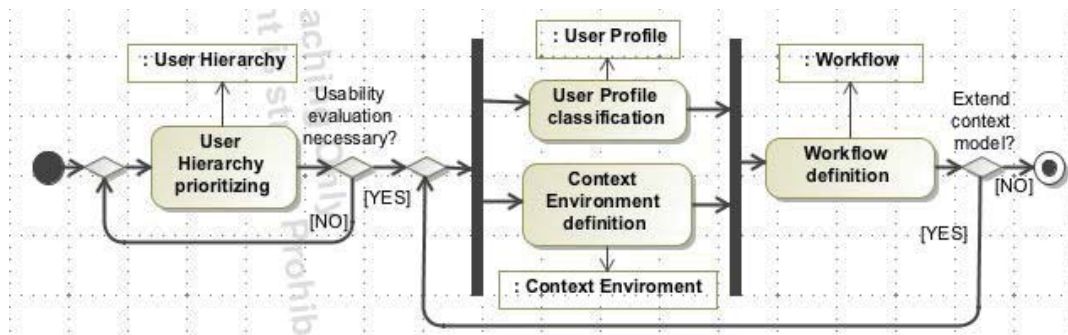


USE-ME in DSL lifecycle





Context Modeling (USE-ME)



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new UserHierarchy

DSL Stakeholder Priority: High

stakeholder type

- End User Priority: High
 - Child Priority: High
 - age_Child
 - Kid Priority: Medium
 - Teen Priority: High
 - Adult Priority: Medium
 - Domain Expert Priority: Medium
 - Expert Evaluator Priority: Low
 - Language Engineer Priority: Low

Properties Problems

Logical Expression age

Property	Value
Logical Expression age	
Classifier Name	age
Expression	> 7
Name	age
Profile Template	Profile Template bdEndUser
Question	

User Hierarchy

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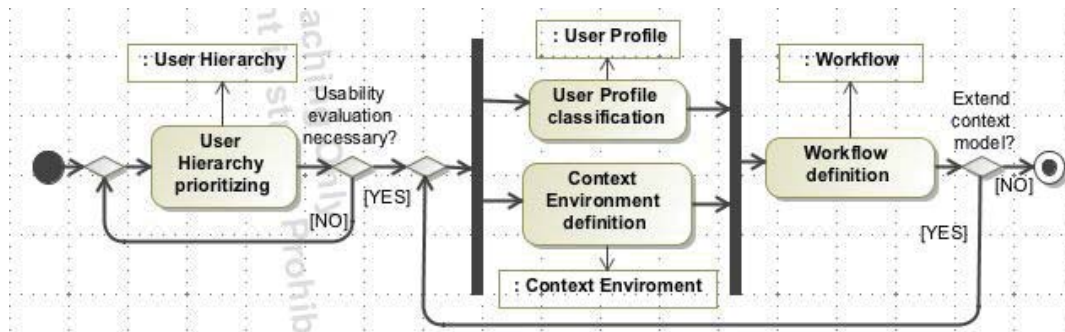
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End User Priority: High

- age = > 7
- Inherited template: Background Demographics: bdEndUser
 - age = > 7
 - sex = MF
 - language = Portuguese, English
- Child Priority: High
 - age = 7-19
 - Inherited template: Background Knowledge: bkEndUser
 - programming = ordinalscale(experience)
 - programming a robot = ordinalscale(experience)
 - Assigned template: Background Knowledge: bkChild
 - mathematics = ordinalscale(experience), number(schoolnote)
 - physics = ordinalscale(experience), number(schoolnote)
 - computer game = ordinalscale(experience)
 - Assigned template: Background Demographics: bdChild
 - school type = primary; secondary;
 - school grade = 1-12
 - age = 7-19
 - Kid Priority: Medium
 - Teen Priority: High

User Templates

Context Modeling (USE-ME)

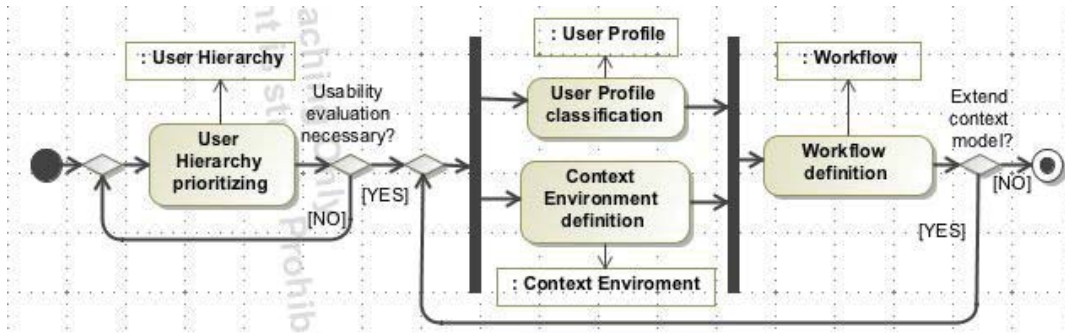


Property	Value
Context Environment	Physical Environment peVisualino
Mandatory	true
Name	Robot Type
Type	Farrusco, Gyro

Context Environment

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Context Modeling (USE-ME)



Context Model: cmVisualino

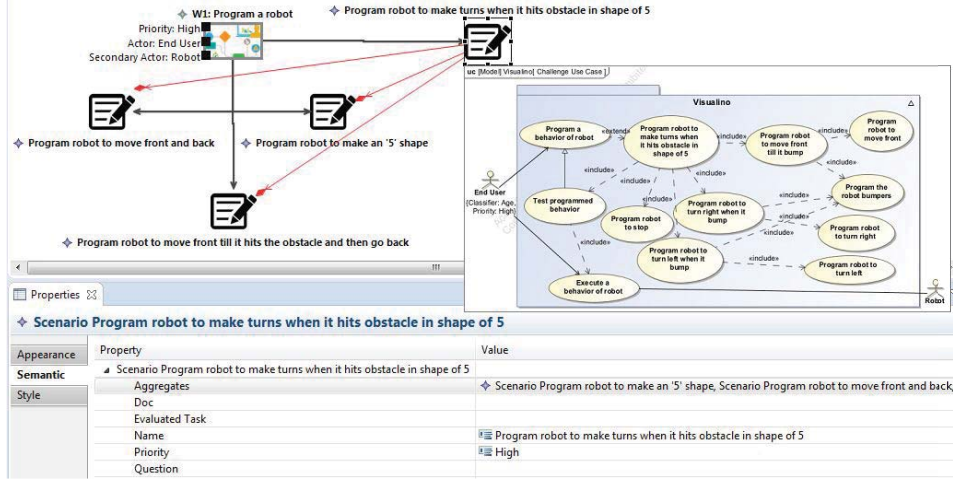
- Priority: High, Actor: End User, Secondary Actor: Robot → W1: Program a robot
- Priority: Medium, Actor: Domain Expert → W2: Configure language environment
- Priority: Low, Actor: Language Engineer → W3: Modify language component

Workflow W1: Program a robot

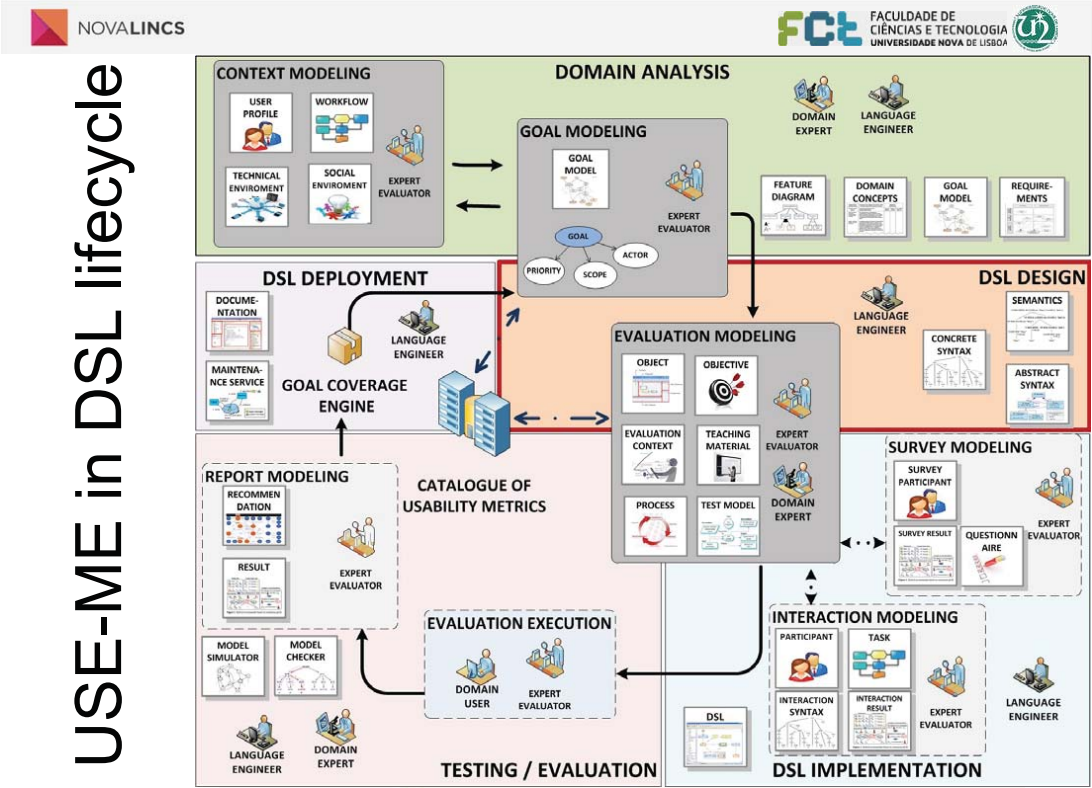
Property	Value
Appearance	
Semantic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workflow W1: Program a robot Actor: User Profile End User Context Element: CE Variable Robot Context Model: Context Model cmVisualino
Style	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name: W1: Program a robot Priority: High Process Model: Process Model umUseCasesVisualino



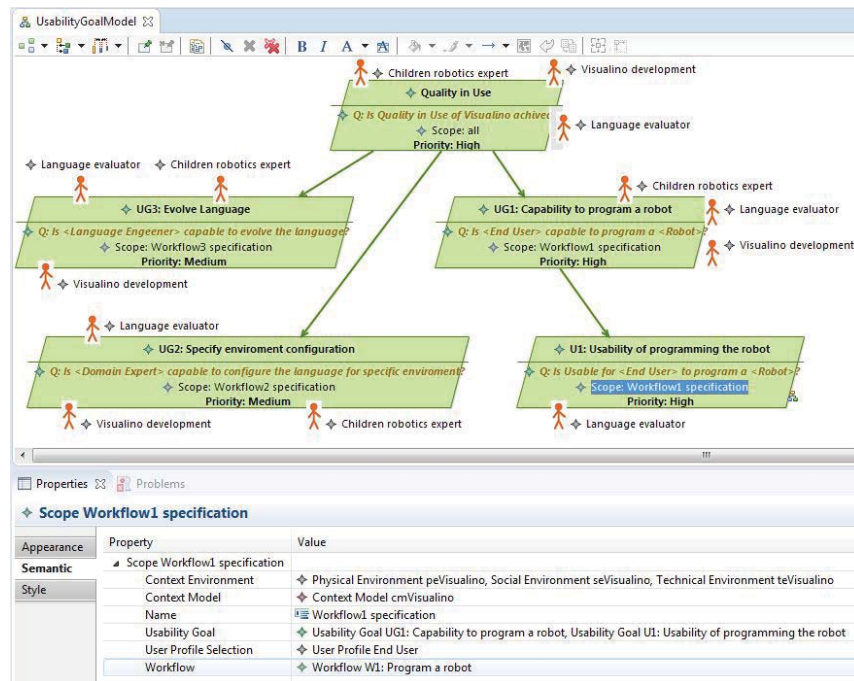
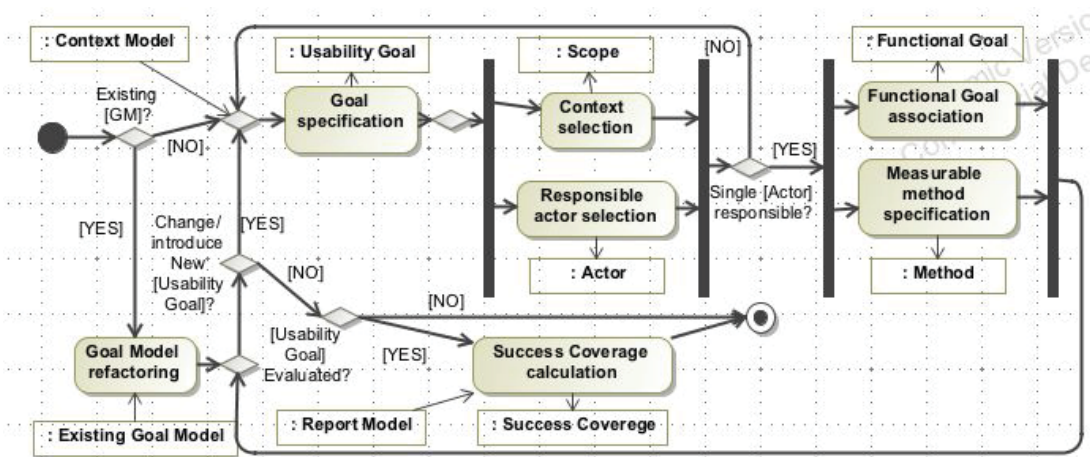
WORKFLOWS



Scenarios

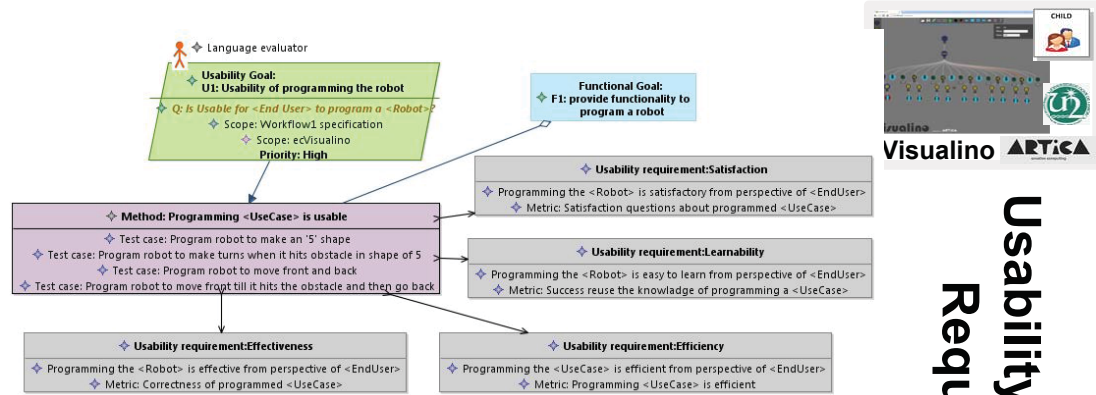
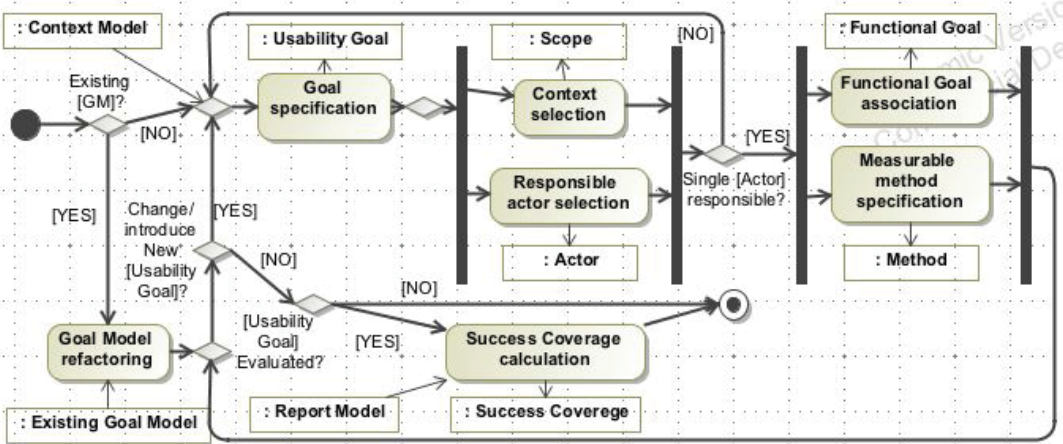


Goal Modeling (USE-ME)



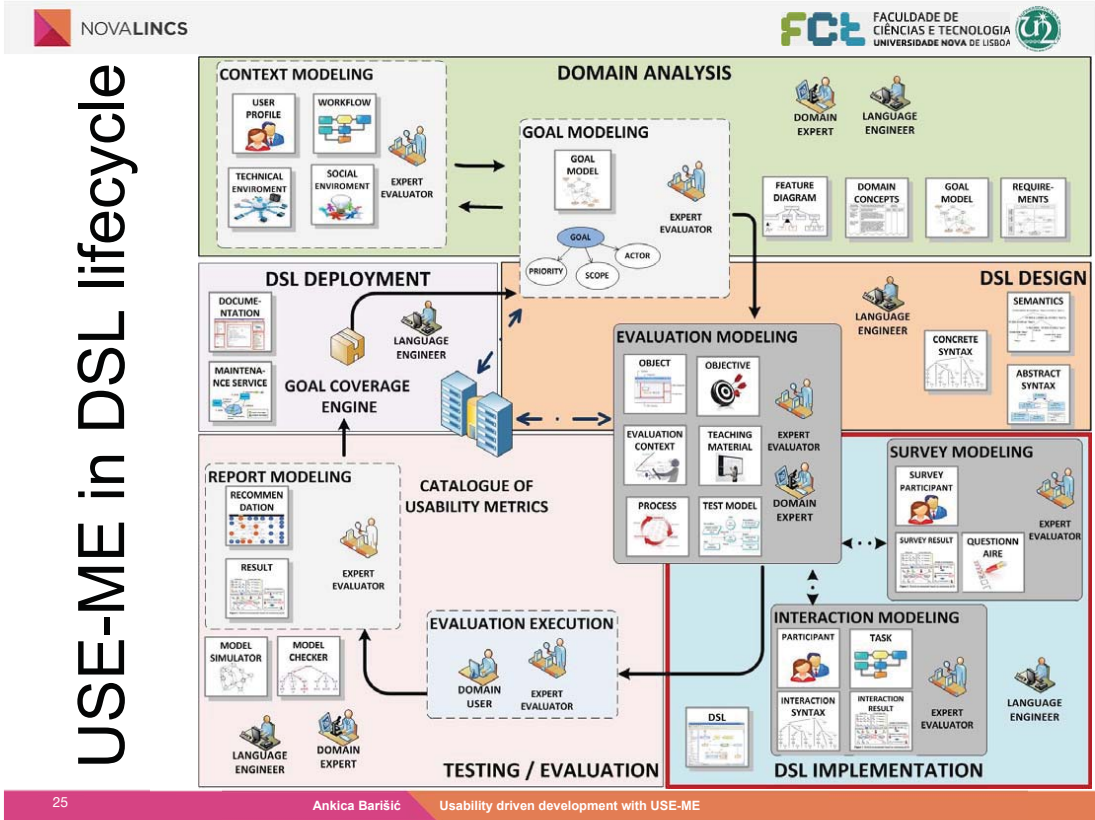
Usability Goal Model

Goal Modeling (USE-ME)

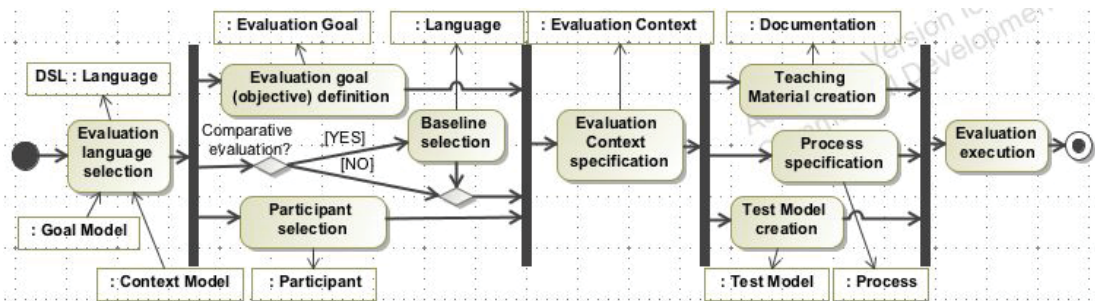


Usability Method and Requirements





Evaluation Modeling (USE-ME)



The screenshot shows the 'EvaluationObjectives' application. At the top, there's a diagram of an 'Evaluation model: emVisualino' with participants and languages. Below are two evaluation goals: 'g1VisualinoEffectiveness' and 'g2VisualinoSatisfaction'. The 'g2VisualinoSatisfaction' goal is expanded to show its properties: 'Evaluation Goal g2VisualinoSatisfaction', 'Comperative: true', 'Evaluation Model: emVisualino', and 'Hypothesis: H2_null: Using <Visualino> has no influence on the [satisfaction] of c'. A 'Feature' section at the bottom lists hypotheses like 'H2_null: Using <Visualino> has no influence on the [satisfaction] of children programming a robot when compared to programming th' and 'H2_alt: Using <Visualino> impacts the [satisfaction] of the children programming a robot when compared to programming the robot w'.

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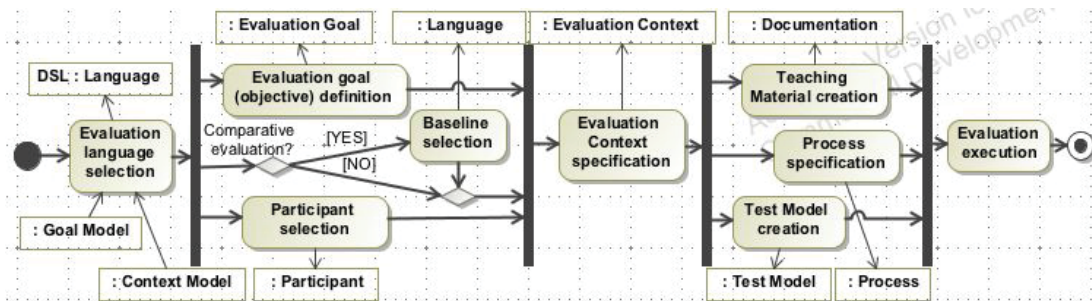
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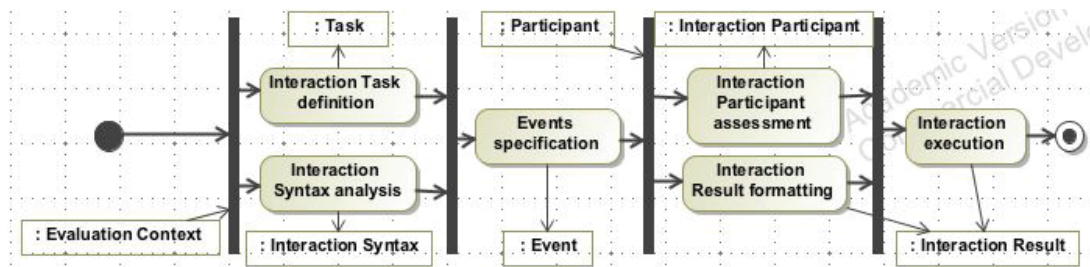
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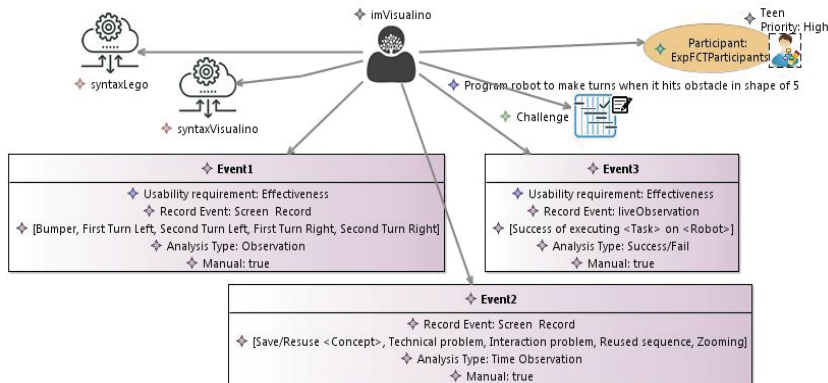
Evaluation Instantiation

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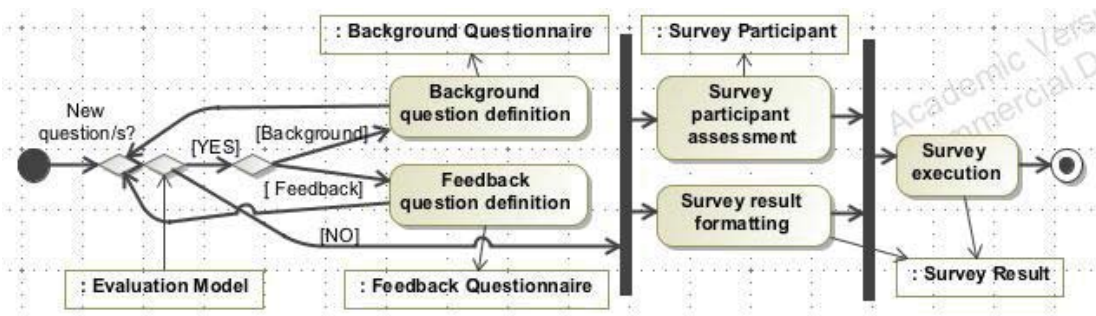


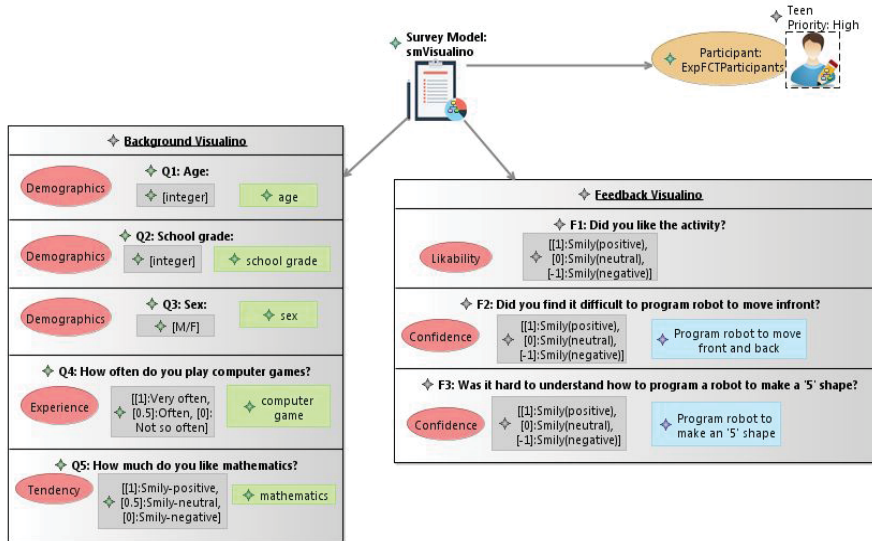
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Interaction Model

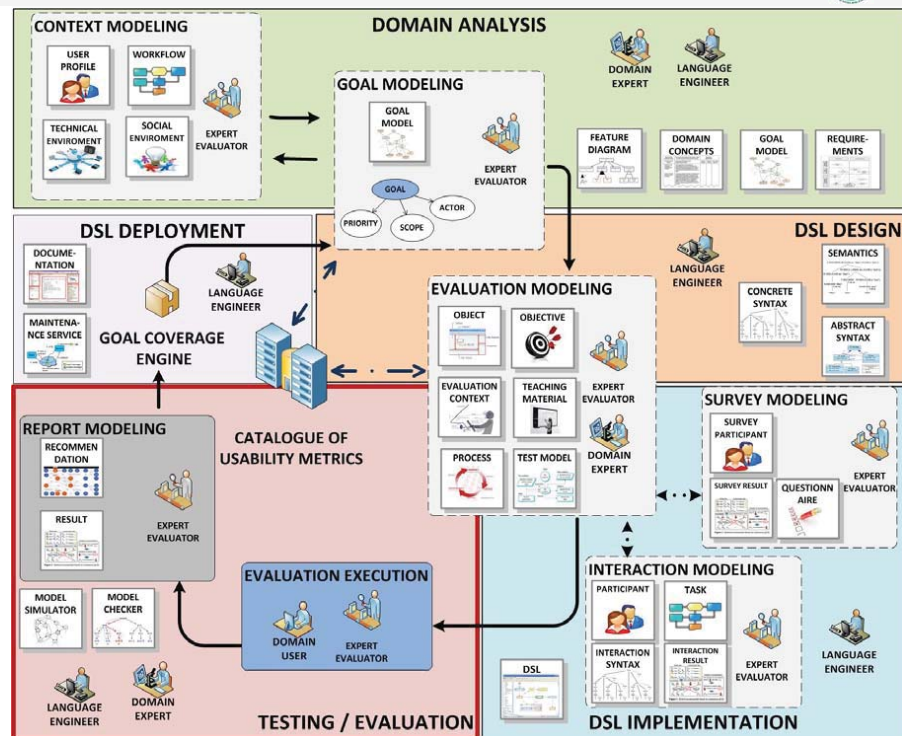
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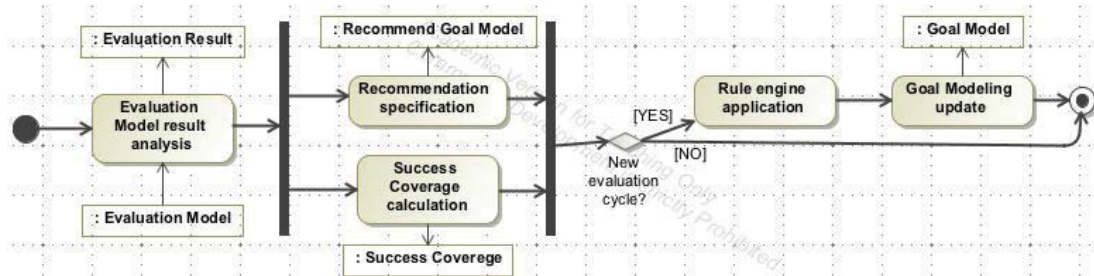


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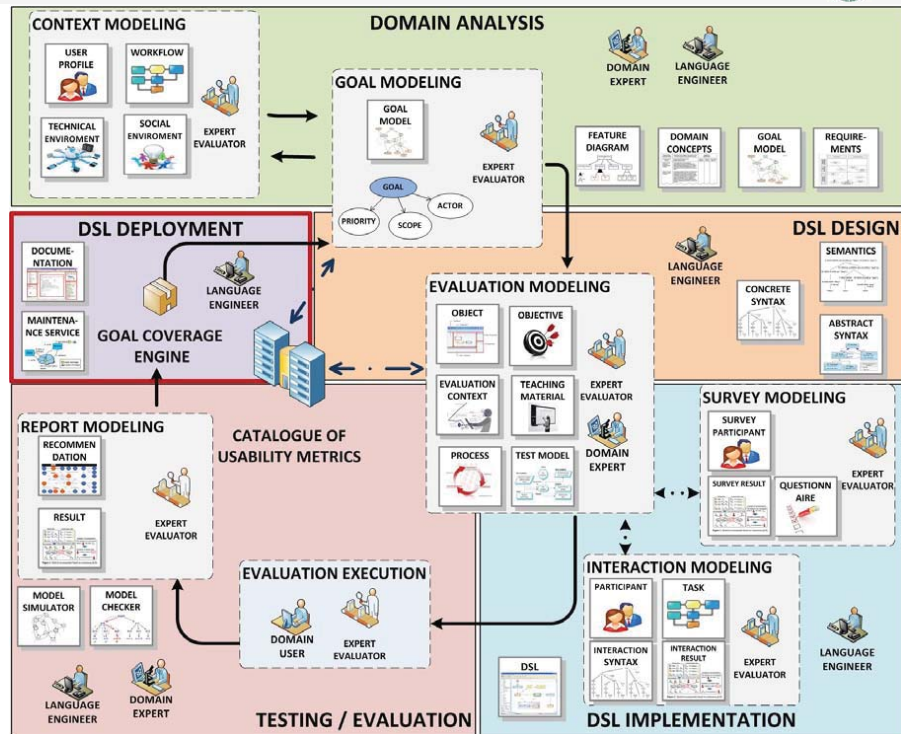
USE-ME in DSL lifecycle



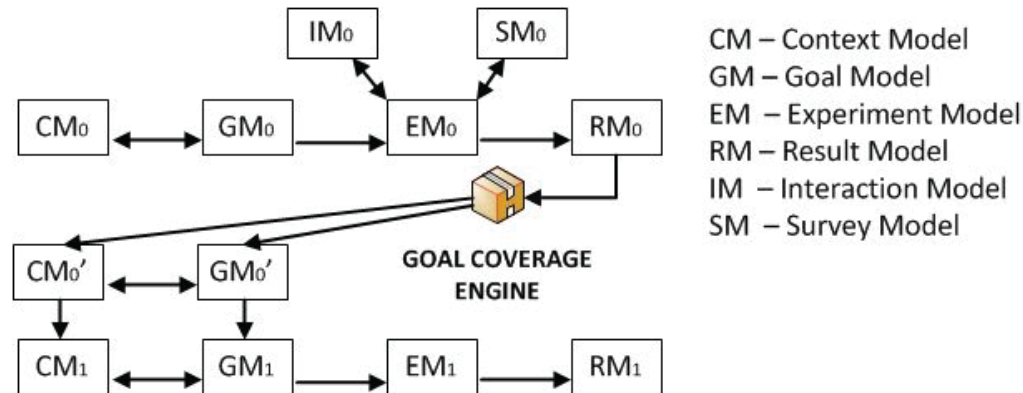
Report Modeling (USE-ME)



USE-ME in DSL lifecycle



Coverage Engine (USE-ME)



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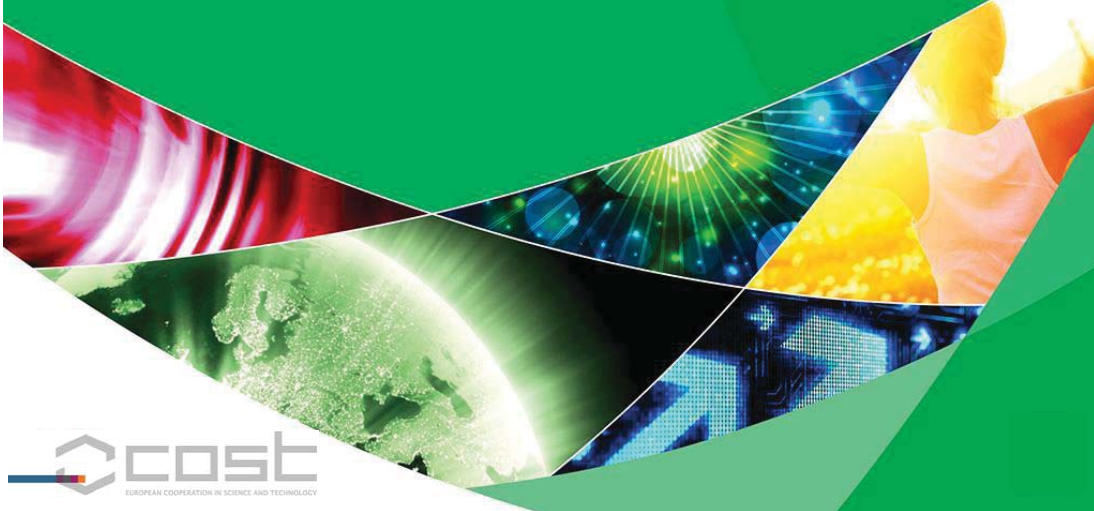
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Automated Analysis of Traceability in Cyber-Physical Systems

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Challenges of Traceability in Industry

Semantically meaningful traceability

- traceability relations should have a rich semantic meaning instead of being simple bi-directional referential relation

Configurability of traceability (possibly dynamically)

- the semantics of traceability is often statically defined
- the semantics cannot be easily adapted for the needs of different projects.
- different traceable elements and the types of relations exist in industrial settings.

Several industries demands formal proofs of traceability

Consistency checking and repairing broken trace links



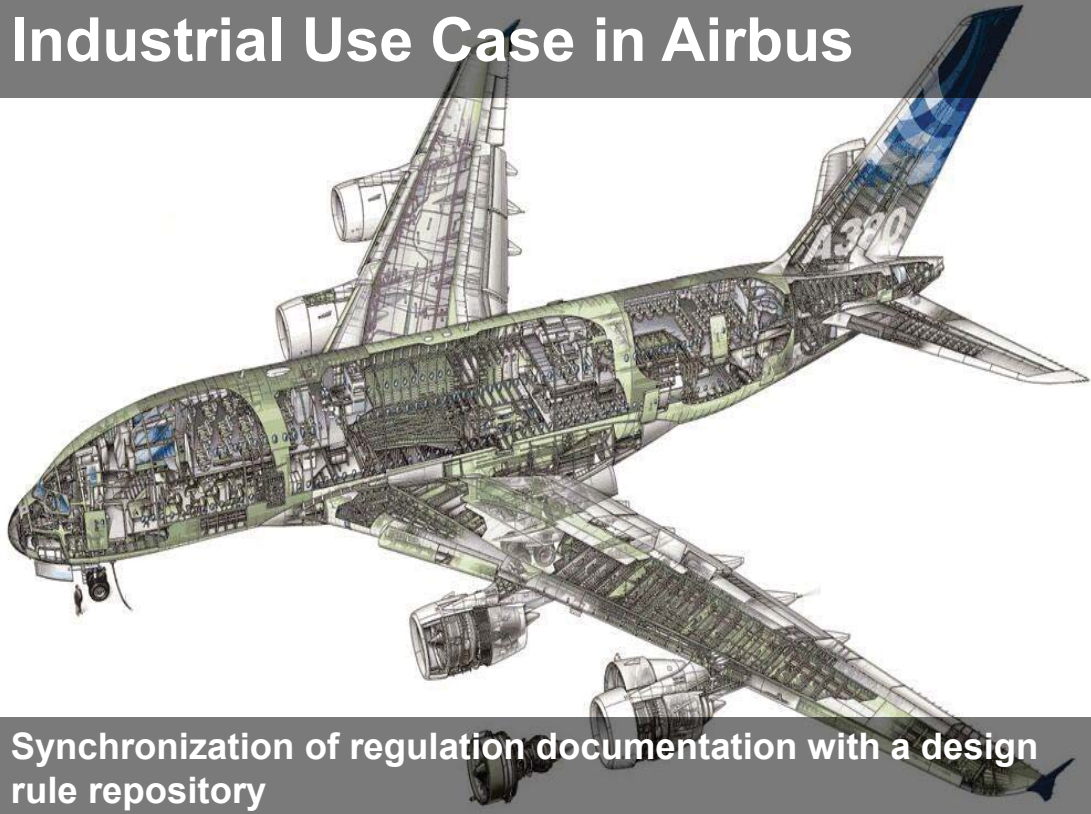
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What is the problem?



Industrial Use Case in Airbus

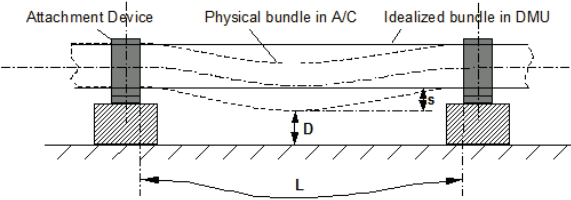


Synchronization of regulation documentation with a design rule repository

SIDP: System Installation Design Principles

SIDP92A001V-A-784

For installation of optical and electrical harnesses additional clearance for sagging (s) shall be provided as detailed below:



s...Sagging of bundle (real behavior of physical bundle in A/C due to gravity, ageing, etc.)
D...Required Distance
L...Actual length of a bundle segment between two Attachment Points (as designed in DMU)

Figure 6: Sagging of bundles between attachment points

Note: Unless the bundle has a straight routing, L is bigger than the pitch between the Attachment Points.

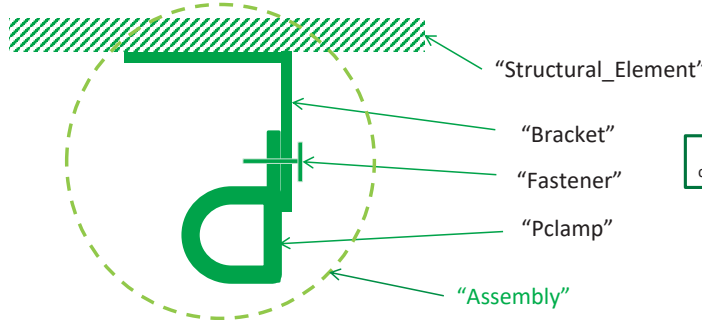


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Component Ontology and Rules

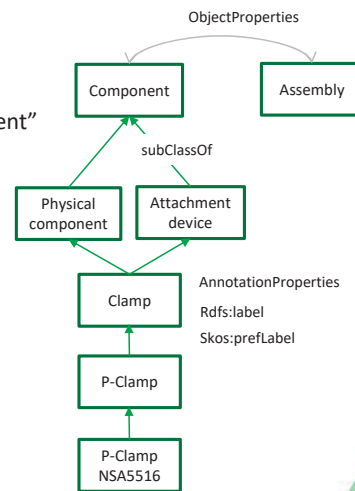
Objectives:

- Manage rules/design principles and improve traceability
- Automate identification of design conflicts against rules

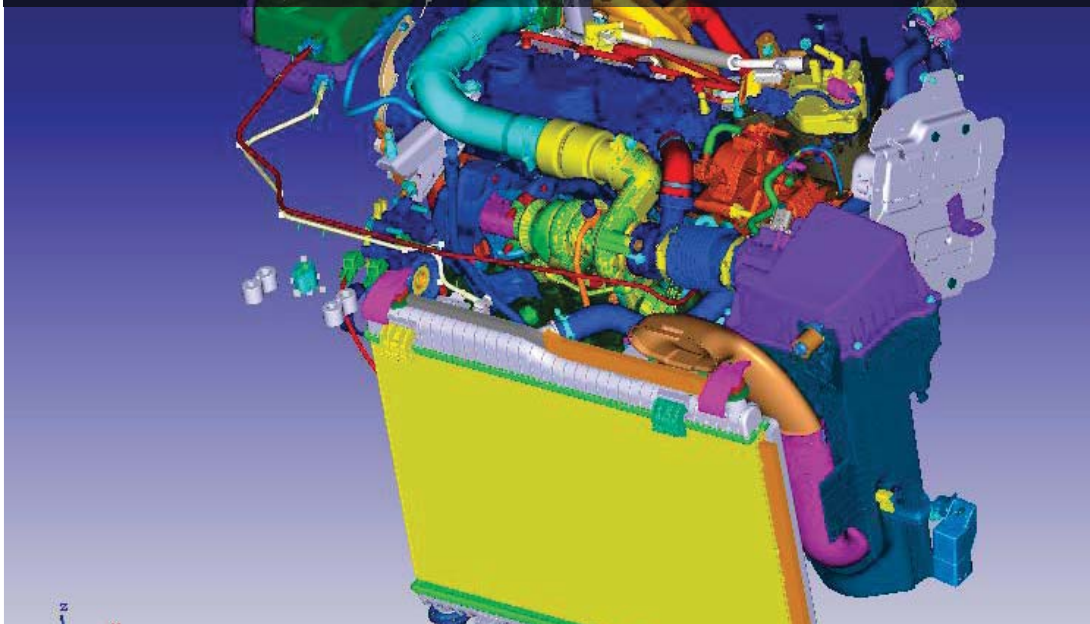


"P-clamp NSA5516 can be fixed on X with Y"

"Physical component" "Standard reference"



Industrial Use Case in Ford Otosan



Synchronization of Design Specifications with Computer Aided Design Rule Data in Product Lifecycle Management

BOM and Design Specifications



"Design Rules"

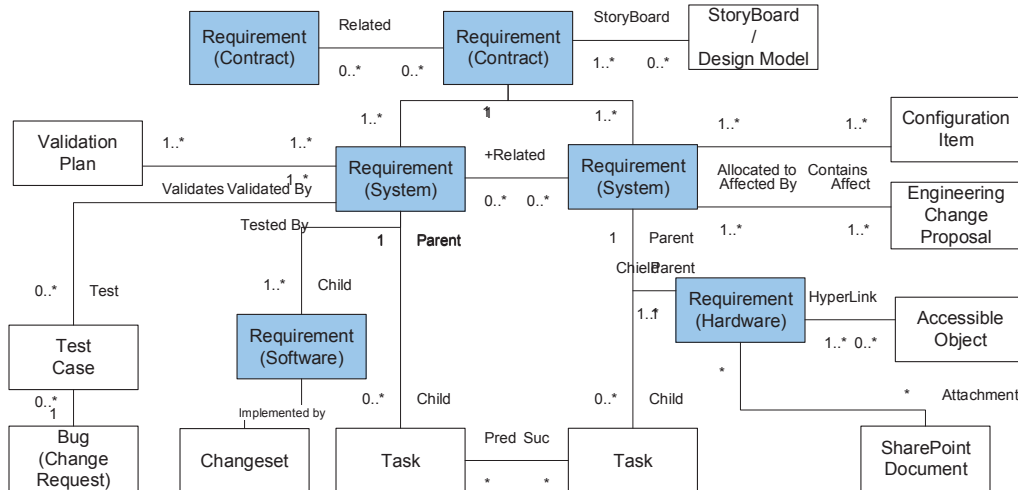
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"Bill of Material Data"

"Computer-aided Design Data"



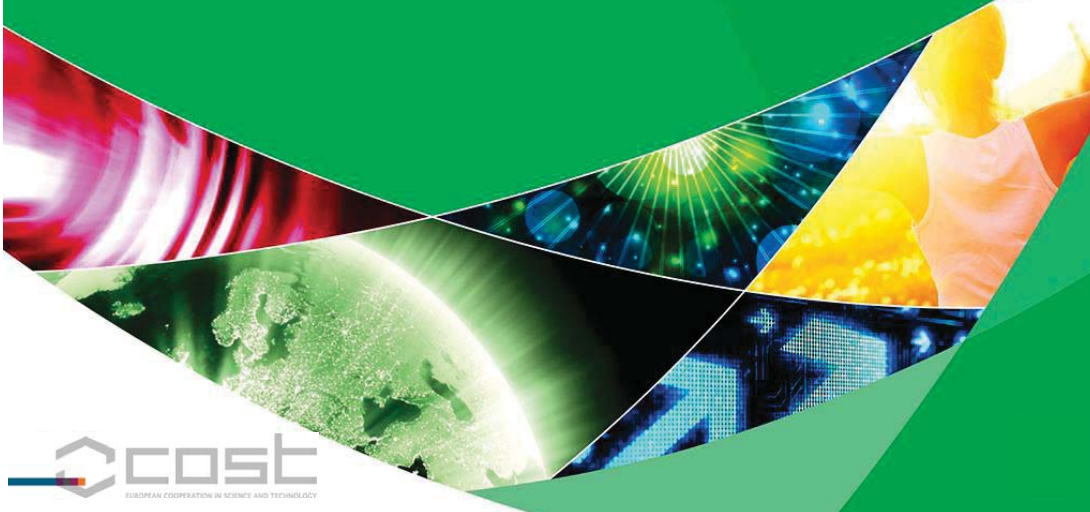
Industrial Use Case in Havelstan



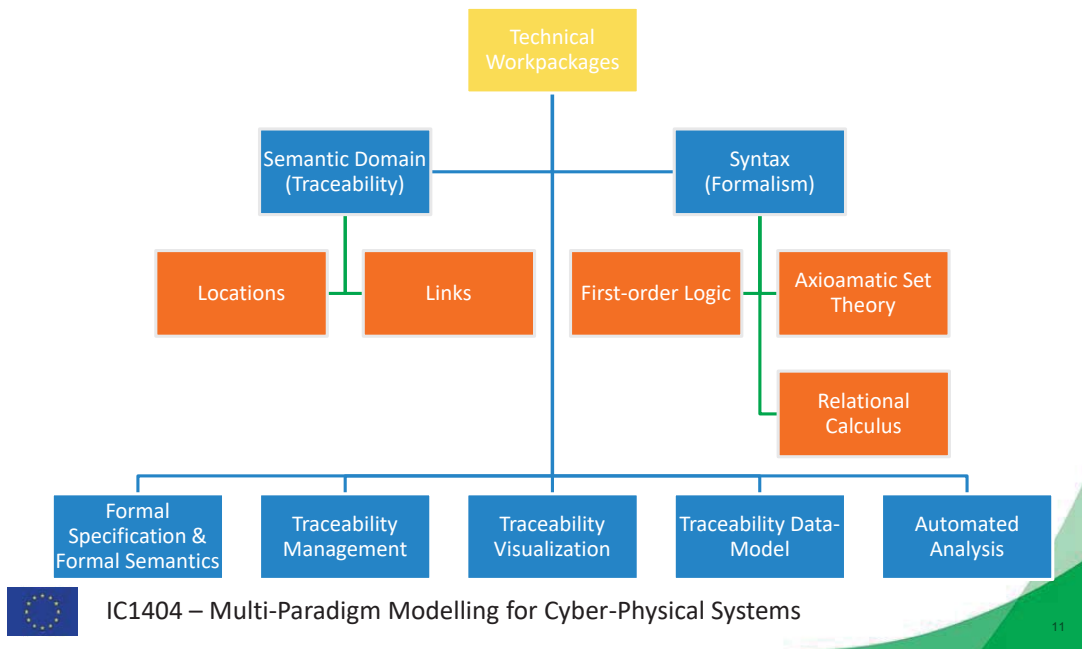
Integration with Application Lifecycle Management to ensure reliability and consistency in the system under development.

Tarski: A Platform for Automated Analysis of Dynamically Configurable Traceability Semantics

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Overview of Technical Contributions @Tarski



Automated Analysis of Dynamically Configured Traceability Semantics



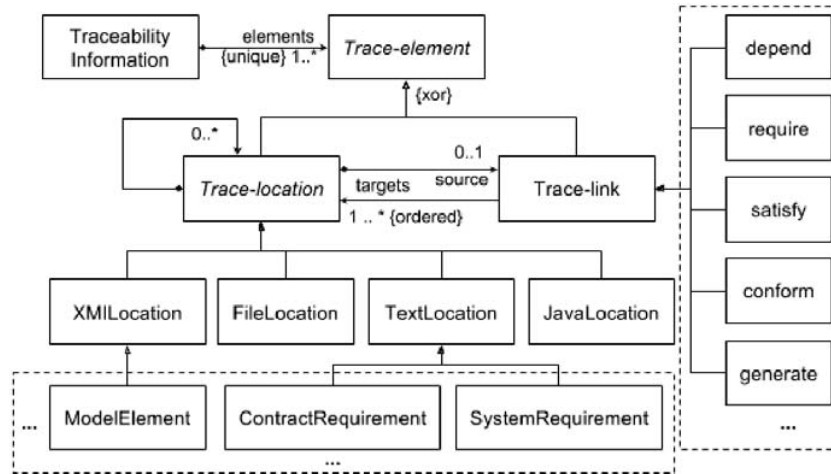
“Traceability Rules to define traceability semantics”

Artefacts or part of artefacts

“Various Traceability Analysis might be performed”

Technical Contributions @Tarski

Conceptual Model for Traceability

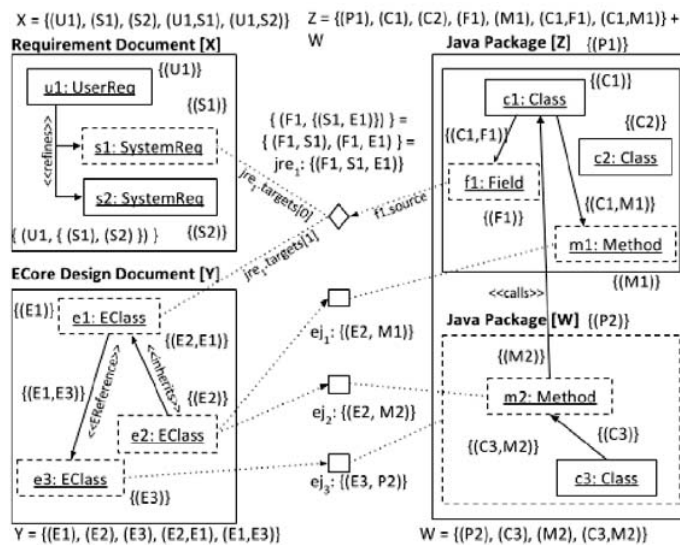


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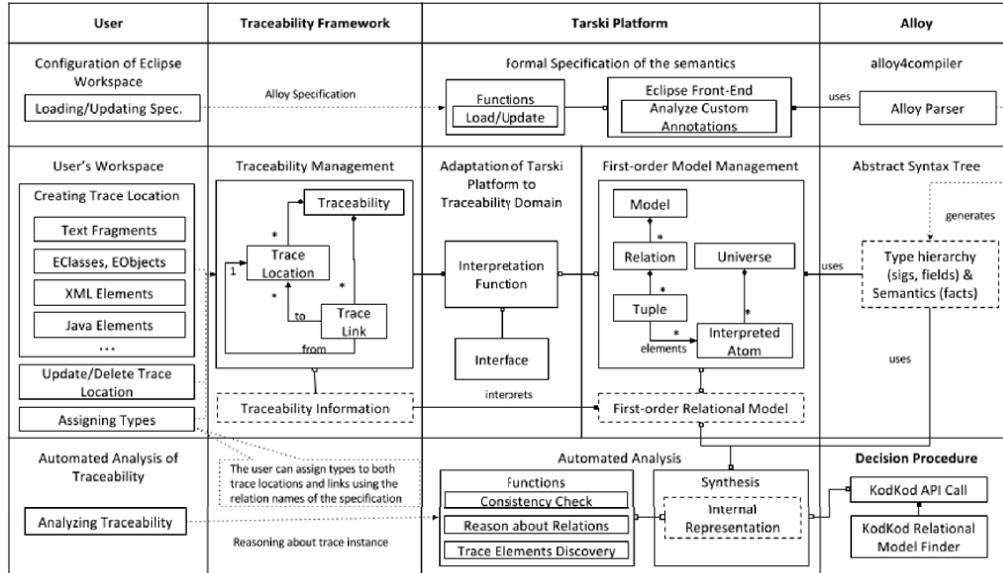
Formalization of Traceability Semantics



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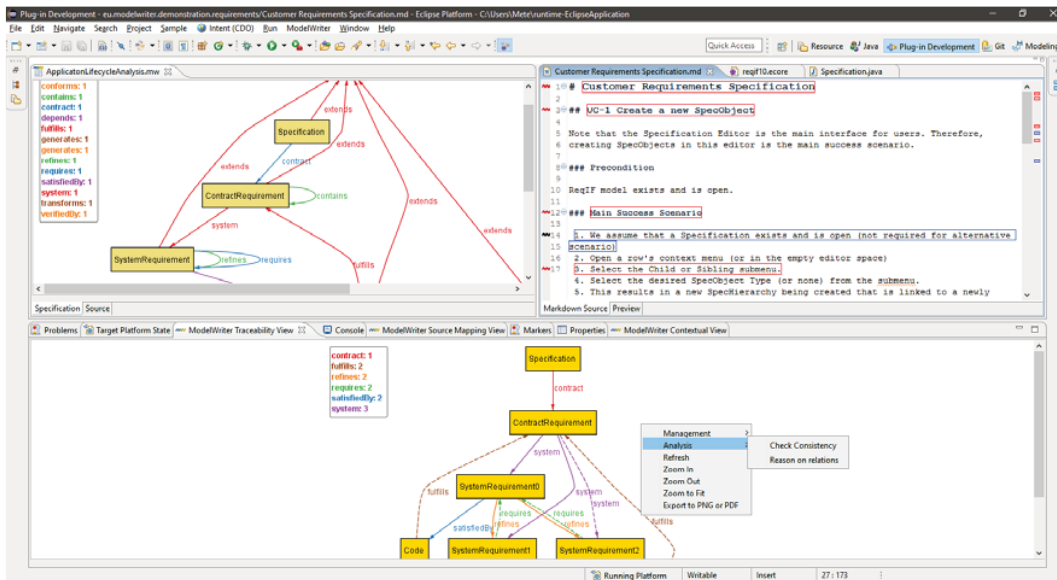
Tarski Approach



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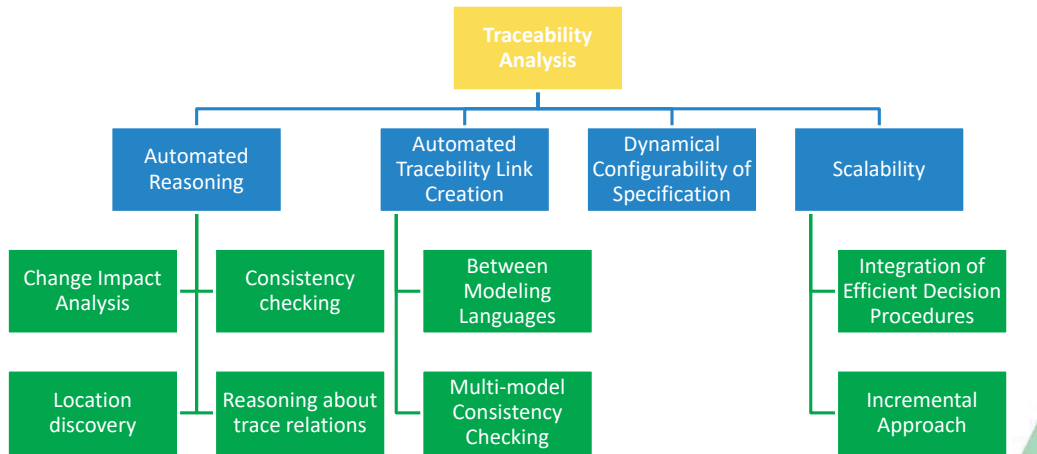
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Types/Component Ontology derived from the specification



Assigning Unary Relations to a Traceable Elements




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Assigning Binary Relations to a Trace Link




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Selecting a range for a binary relation from an existing traceable elements



The screenshot shows the Eclipse IDE interface. On the left, a code editor displays a UML-like specification for 'eu.modelwriter.actions.haveless/alm'. In the center, a 'Create a trace relation' dialog box is open, showing a tree view of markers for 'Main Success Scenario'. The tree includes nodes for 'eu.modelwriter.demonstration.requirements', 'reqf10.score', 'org.eclipse.m2d.reqf10', 'org', 'eclipse', 'm2d', and 'Specification.java'. Below the dialog, a traceability diagram is visible, showing relationships between 'SystemRequirement0', 'ContractRequirement?', 'SystemRequirements', and 'SystemRequirement2'. A context menu is open over 'ContractRequirement?', showing options like 'Check Consistency', 'Refresh', 'Zoom In', etc.



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Automated Analysis of Traceability



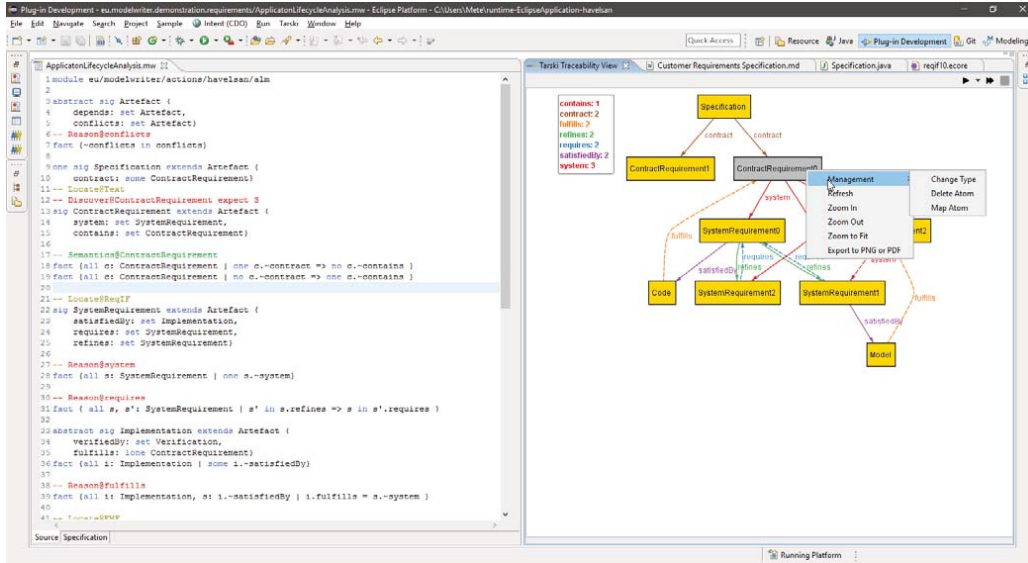
This screenshot shows the Eclipse IDE with a more detailed traceability diagram. The diagram illustrates a hierarchy of elements: 'Specification' at the top, connected to 'ContractRequirement1' and 'ContractRequirement2'. 'ContractRequirement1' is linked to 'SystemRequirement0', which in turn is linked to 'SystemRequirement2'. 'ContractRequirement2' is linked to 'SystemRequirement1'. A context menu is open over 'ContractRequirement2', showing options like 'Check Consistency', 'Refresh', 'Zoom In', 'Zoom Out', 'Zoom to Fit', 'Export to PNG or PDF', and 'Reason on Selections'. The 'Reason on Selections' option is highlighted.



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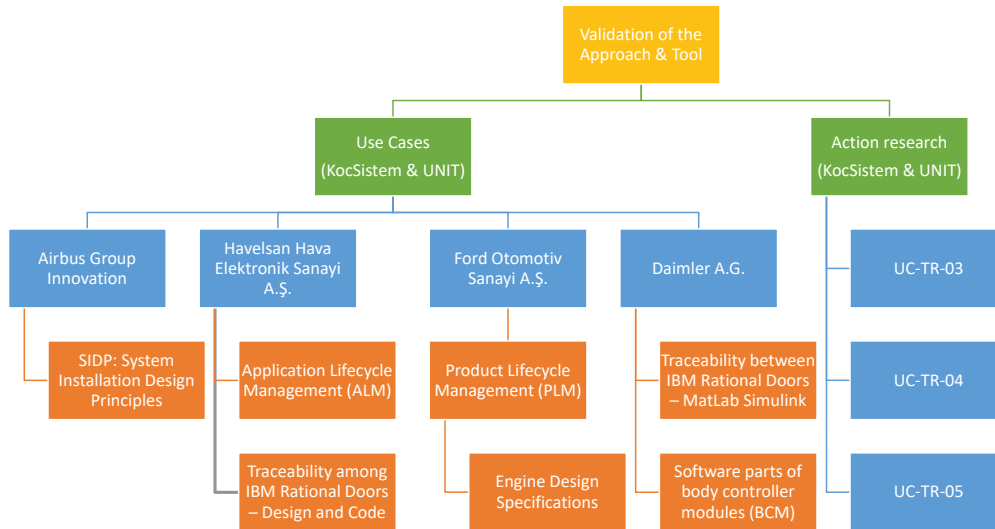
Dynamical Configuration & Model Management



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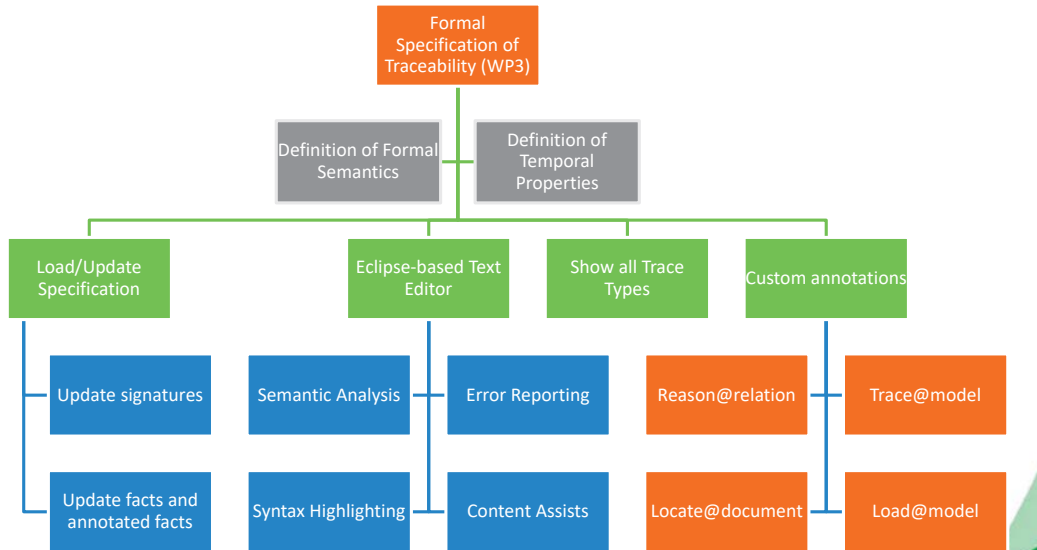
Validation of the Approach and Tool



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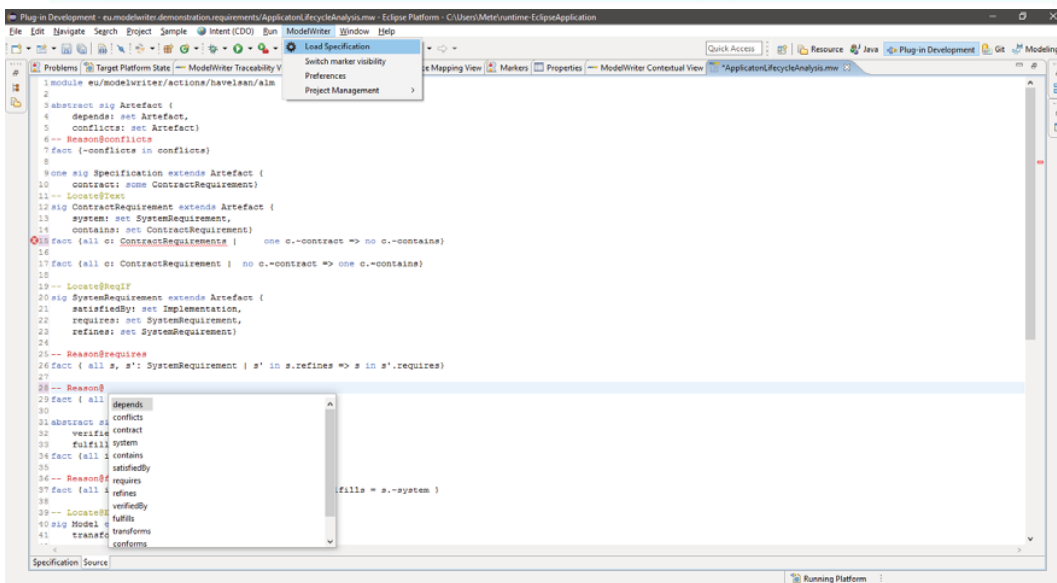
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Formal Specification of Traceability



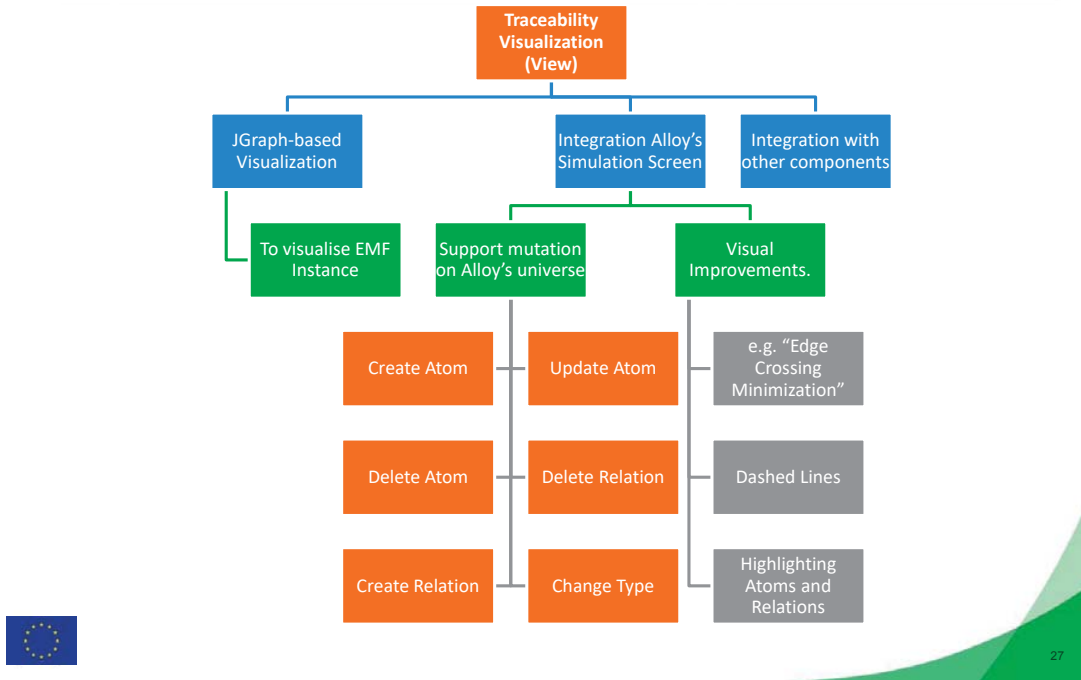
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Textual Editor in Action

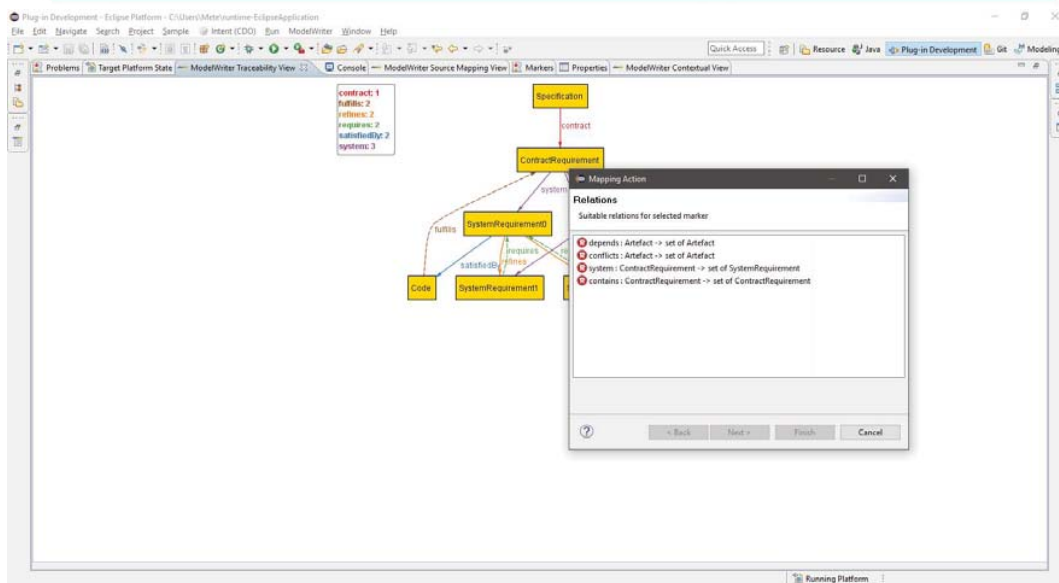


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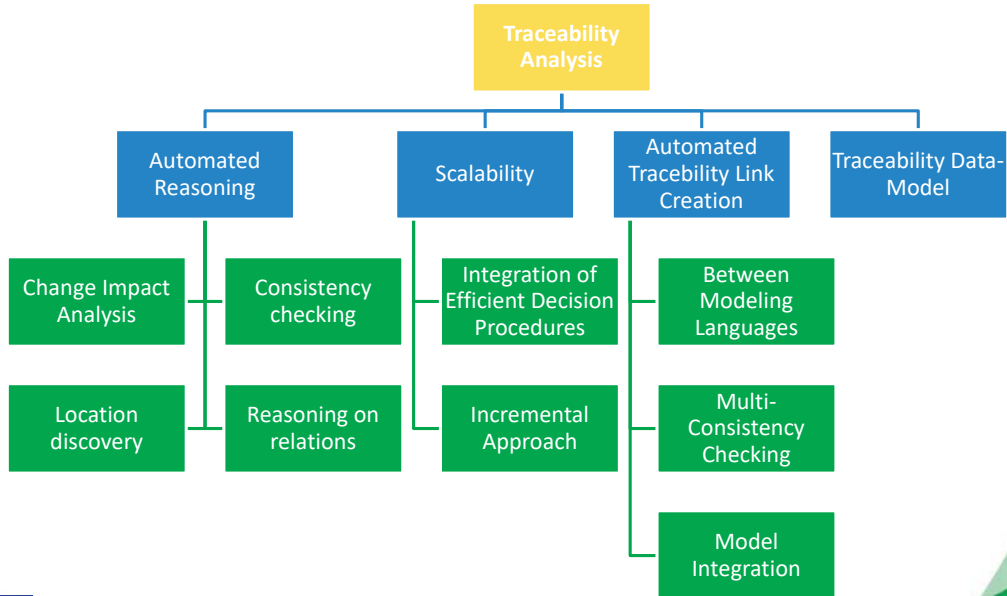
Traceability Visualization/View



Demonstration Visualization in Action



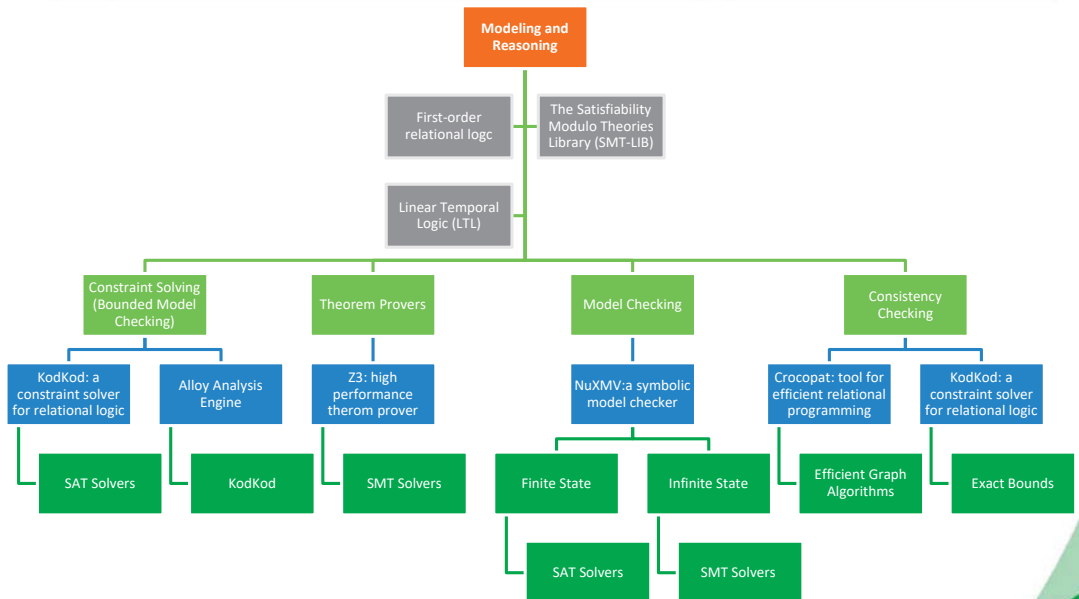
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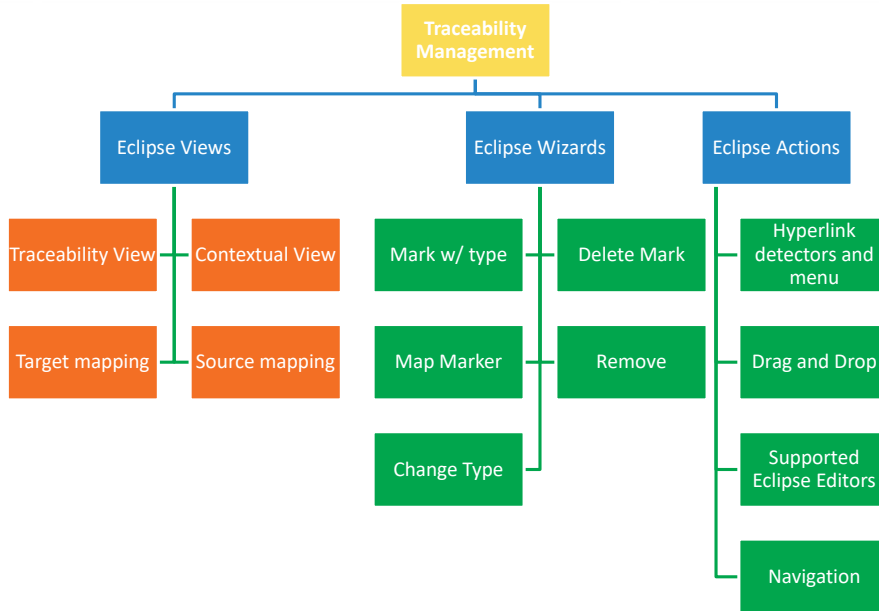
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Modeling and Reasoning Approaches

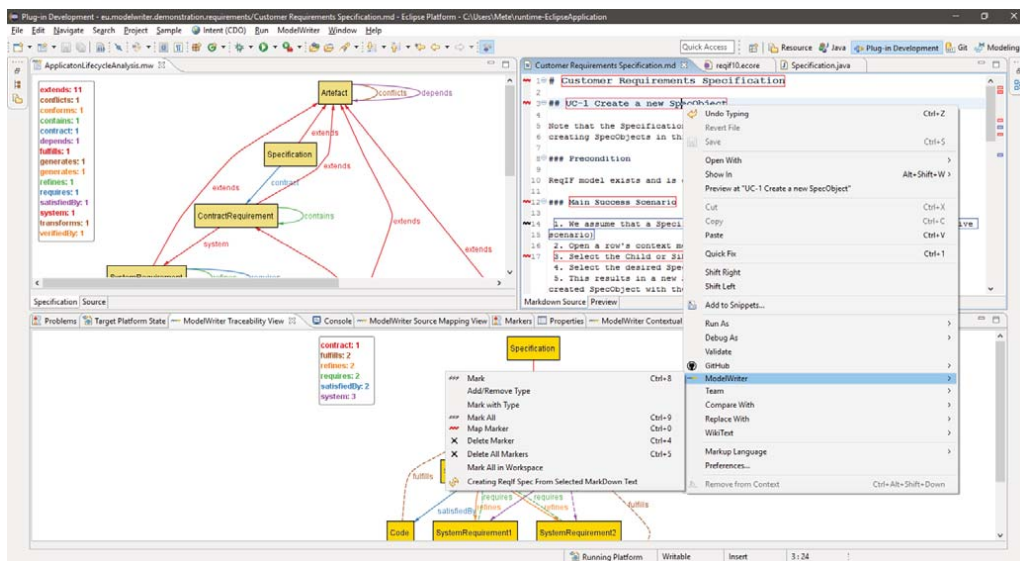


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Demonstration Traceability Management in Action



Discussion

- First-order theory of relations to be a solution for traceability in MPM4CPS?
 - Preliminary results shows that the approach works on the synchronization of design rules with design/installation of physical components
- Currently, DPLL(T) solver does not exists for the theory
- What about other theories and combination of theories?
- Should we consider also the temporal behavior of the traceability?



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**Thank you for your attention
We value your opinion and
questions.**

A hybrid master (discrete-event and discrete-time) for Functional Mockup Interface

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Overview

- Introduction
- Solution
- Experiments
- Conclusion and perspectives

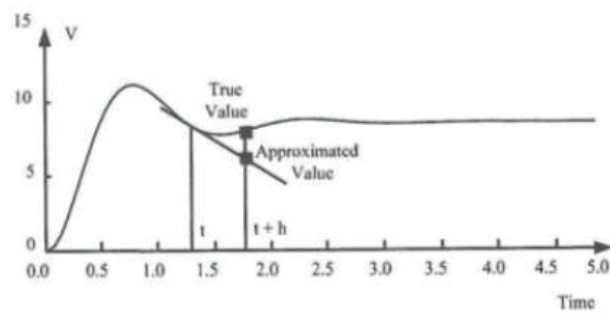
Introduction

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Discrete-time simulation

Given a system under the form $\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = f(x(t), u(t))$

$$x_i(t+h) = x_i(t) + \frac{dx_i(t)}{dt} \cdot h$$



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Discrete-event simulation

Given a system under the form $\dot{q}(t) = f(q(t), u(t))$

$$q(t + \Delta t) = q(t) + \dot{q}(t) \cdot \Delta t$$

$$\Delta Q = |q(t + \Delta t) - q(t)|$$

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Discrete-event simulation

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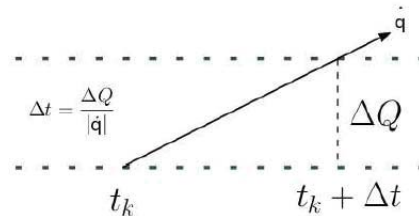
$$\Delta Q = |q(t + \Delta t) - q(t)|$$

1. The required time for the solution of $q(t)$ to change by ΔQ is

$$\Delta t = \begin{cases} \frac{\Delta Q}{|\dot{q}|} & \text{if } \dot{q} \neq 0 \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

At this time, the next state will be

$$q(t_k + \Delta t) = q(t_k) + \text{sign}(\dot{q}(t_k)) * \Delta Q$$



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Discrete-event simulation

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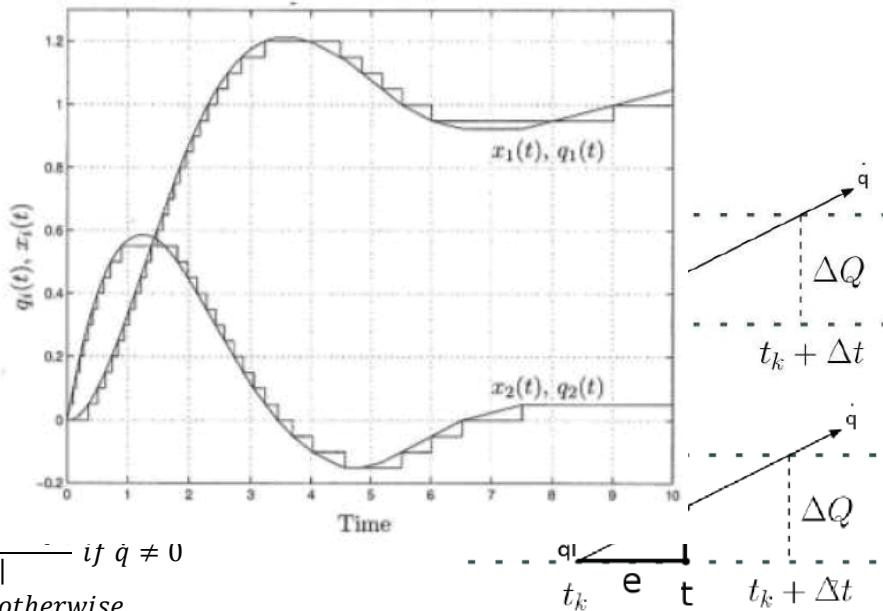
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$$\Delta t = \begin{cases} \frac{\Delta Q}{|\dot{q}|} & \text{if } \dot{q} \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

At this time, th
 $q(t)$

2. If \dot{q} change:
 $q = q + \dot{q} * e$

$$\Delta t = \begin{cases} \frac{\Delta Q - |q|}{|\dot{q}|} & \text{if } \dot{q} \neq 0 \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Discrete-Event System Specification

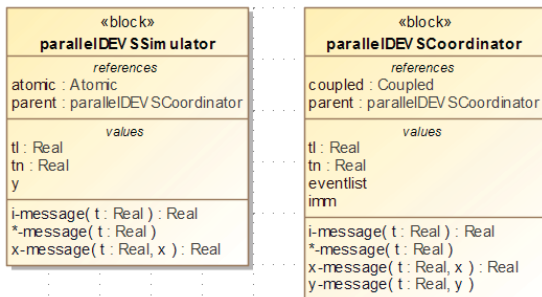
Model DEVS

Atomic component

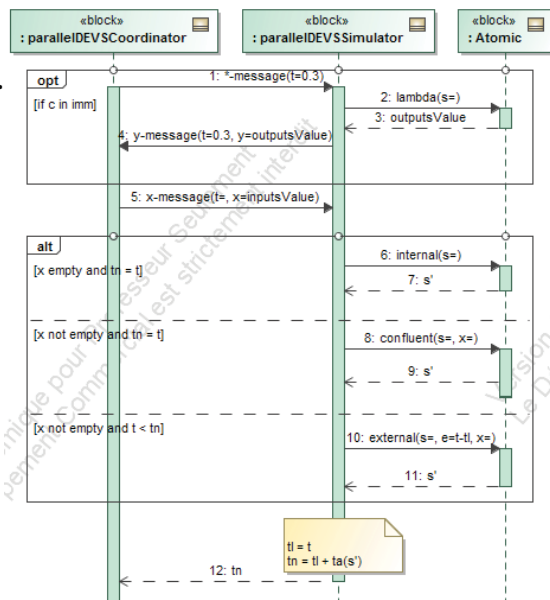
$\langle X, Y, S, \delta_{int}, \delta_{ext}, \delta_{con}, \lambda, ta \rangle$

$$ta : S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{0, \infty}^+$$

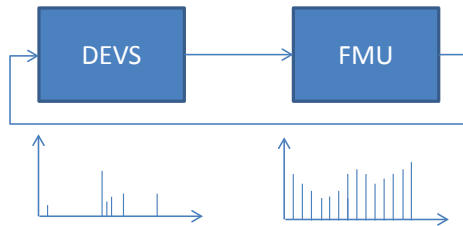
Simulator DEVS



Parallel DEVS protocol



Issues

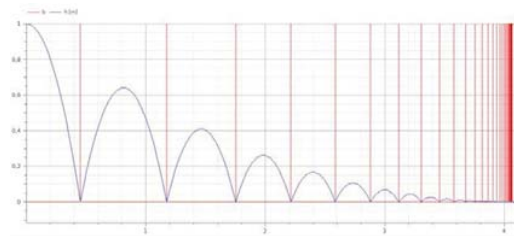


1. Continuous /discrete interface
2. Handle FMU input external event
3. Get time of FMU next event

4. Handle FMU internal event

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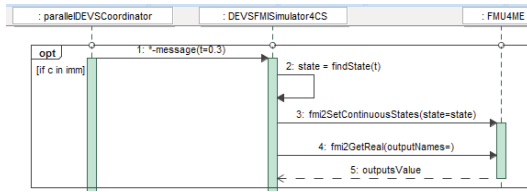
model BouncingBall "The 'classic' bouncing ball model"
  type Height=Real(unit="m");
  type Velocity=Real(unit="m/s");
  parameter Real e=0.8 "Coefficient of restitution";
  parameter Height h0=1.0 "Initial height";
  Height h;
  Velocity v;
  initial equation
    h = h0;
  equation
    v = der(h);
    der(v) = -9.81;
    when h<0 then
      reinit(v, -e*pre(v));
    end when;
end BouncingBall;
  
```



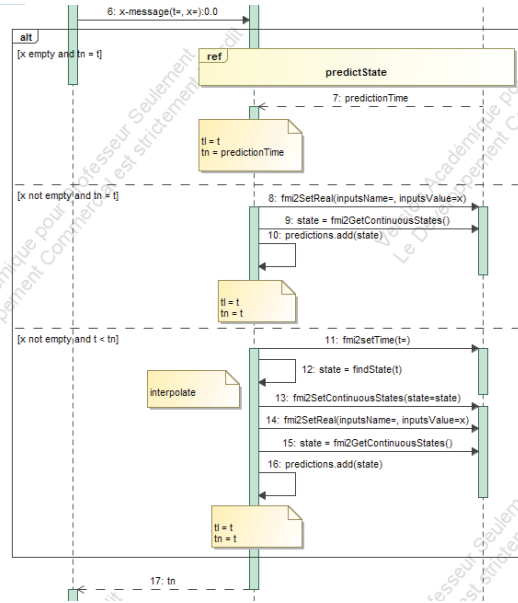
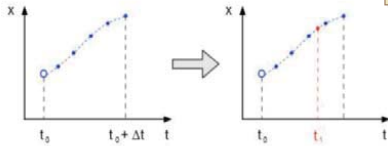
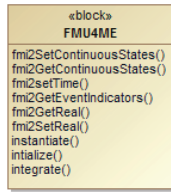
$h < 0$ is **false** at the integration step **before** t_1
 $h < 0$ is **true** at the integration step **after** t_1

Hybrid Master for DEVS-FMI

DEVS-FMI for ME



```
double predictState(double t)
{
    currentTime = t;
    horizon = t + lookAheadHorizon;
    while (currentTime < horizon)
        currentTime = integrate(currentTime+lookAheadStepSize);
    newState = fmi2getContinuousState();
    outputs = fmi2getReal();
    predictions.add(newState);
    eventInds = fmi2GetEventIndicators()
    for(eventInds.size)
        if(eventInds[i] != savedeventInds[i])
            handleEvent(); //bisectional search
            return currentTime;
    return currentTime;
}
```

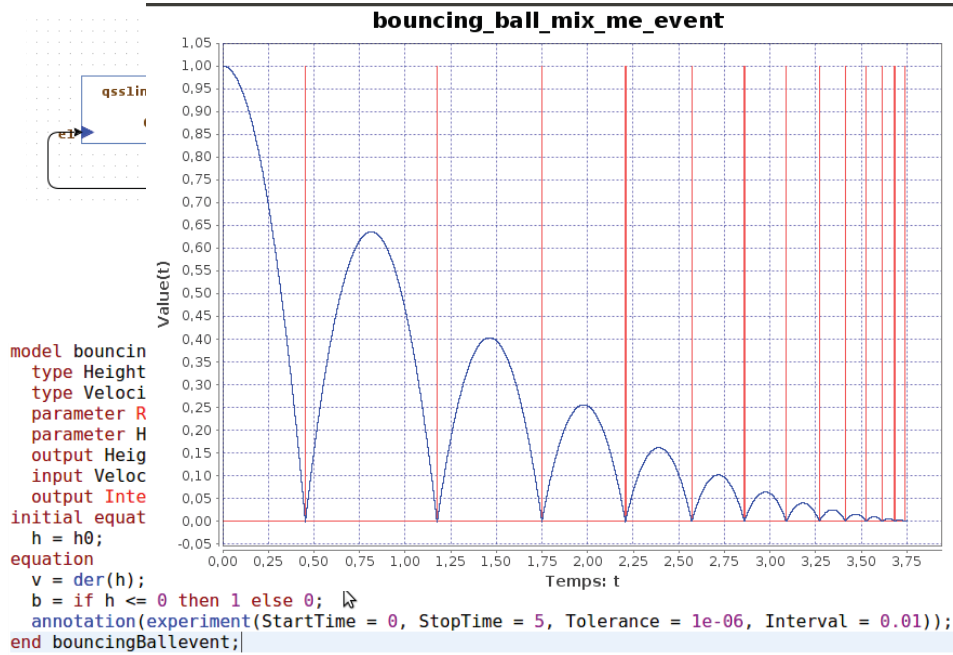


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Experiments

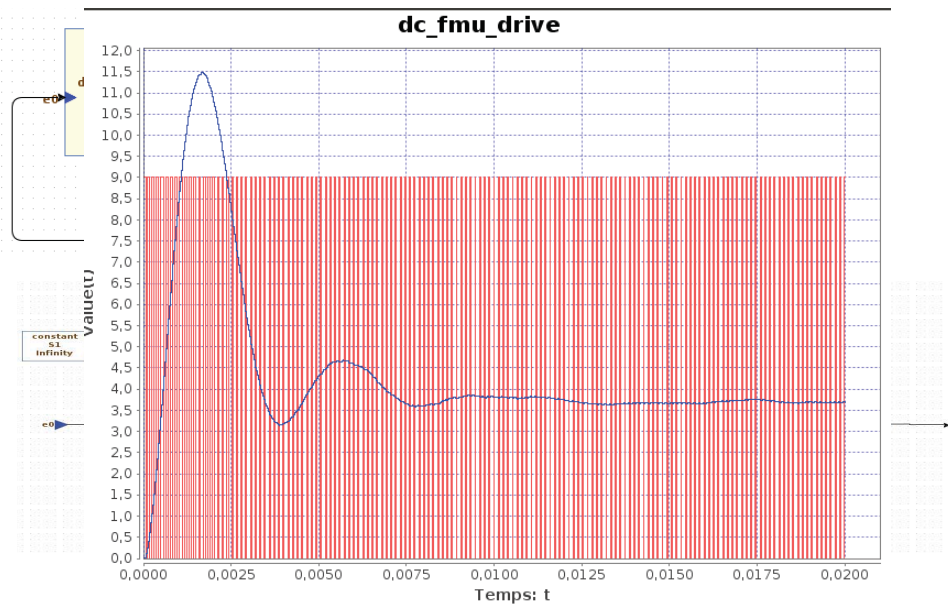
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BouncingBall



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DC-Motor and PWM Controller



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Conclusion and Perspectives

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Conclusion and Perspectives

- Conclusion
 - Modular and hierarchical hybrid master (discrete-time and discrete-event simulation algorithms) for cosimulation and model exchange
 - Passed with JModelica, failed with FMUSDK (?)
 - Techno : FMIPP (SWIG, ODEINT)
- Perspectives
 - Extend the standard for discrete-event paradigm
 - Develop interface for VHDL simulator
 - Develop interface for FPGA

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Adding Uncertainty and Units to Quantity Types in Software Models

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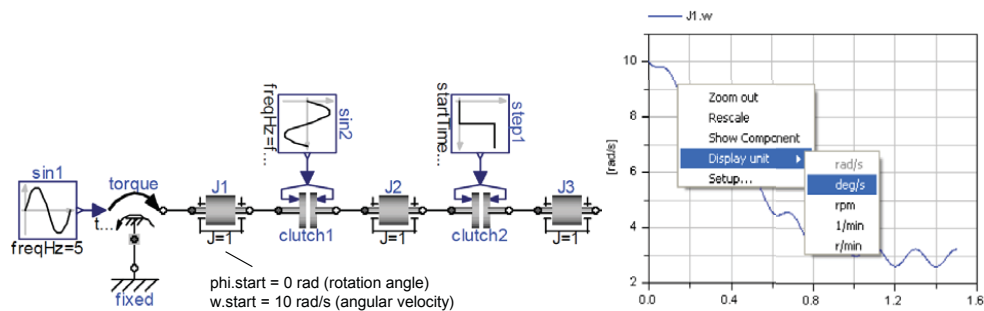
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Motivation

Uncertainty and Units in Engineering Disciplines

- Engineers naturally think about *uncertainty* associated with *measured values* and *units of values*
- Uncertainty and units are explicitly defined in models and considered in model-based simulations
- Example: Coupled Clutches of Modelica Standard Library*

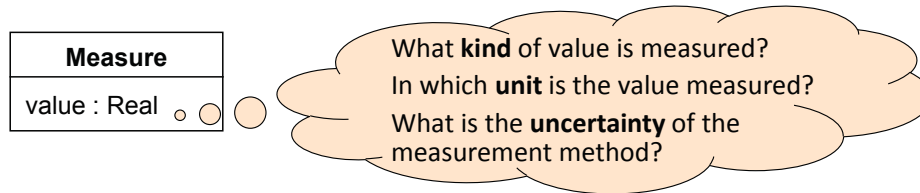


(Coupled Clutches Example of Modelica Standard Library)

Motivation

Uncertainty and Units in Software Engineering

- Very limited support for representing uncertainty and units in software models
- No support for considering such properties in model-based simulations
- *Example:* How to represent a measured value in UML?



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Contributions

1. **Type system** for representing measurement uncertainty and units
 - Kernel representation for quantities
2. **Algebra of operations** for performing computations with uncertain data and units
 - Computational kernel for computing quantities
3. **Implementations** for Java, OCL, UML

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International System of Units (SI)

- **Base dimensions:** Length, Mass, Time, Electric Current, Thermodynamic Temperature, Amount of Substance, Luminous Intensity
- **Base units:** Meter (m), Kilogram (kg), Second (s), Ampere (A), Kelvin (K), Mole (mol), Candela (cd)
- **Derived dimensions:** 90 dimensions derived from the base dimensions e.g., Area, Volume, Velocity
- **Derived units:** 90 units derived from the base units e.g., Square Meter (m²), Cubic Meter (m³), Meter per Second (m/s)

Other Systems of Units

- Centimeter-Gram-Second System (CGS)
- Imperial System
- United States Customary System (USCS, USC)

B. N. Taylor and A. Thompson. The International System of Units (SI). NIST, 2008. <http://www.nist.gov/pml/pubs/sp811/>. 5

- Any unit can be derived from the base units:
 $B_1^{e_1} * B_2^{e_2} \dots B_n^{e_n}$ where B_i represents a base unit and e_i its exponent
- Hence, any unit can be defined by the exponents e_i of the base units:
 $\langle e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n \rangle$
- *Examples*

$$\text{Meter (m)} = m^1 * kg^0 * s^0 * A^0 * K^0 * cd^0 * mol^0 * rad^0 = \langle 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\text{Square Meter (m}^2\text{)} = m^2 * kg^0 * s^0 * A^0 * K^0 * cd^0 * mol^0 * rad^0 = \langle 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\text{Meter per Second (m/s)} = m^1 * kg^0 * s^{-1} * A^0 * K^0 * cd^0 * mol^0 * rad^0 = \langle 1, 0, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

R. Hodgson, P. J. Keller, J. Hodges, and J. Spivak. QUDT – Quantities, Units, Dimensions and Data Types Ontologies. TopQuadrant, Inc. and NASA AMES Research Center, 2014. <http://qudt.org/>.

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- Conversion of quantity values from base units B_i to derived units D_i
 - Multiply the numerical value of the quantity value with conversion factor cf
 - Add an offset o to the resulting numerical value
- Definition: $x D_i = (x * cf_i + o_i) B_i$
- Examples:
 - $x \text{ km} = (x * 1000 + 0) \text{ m}$
 - $x \text{ }^\circ\text{C} = (x * 1 + 273.15) \text{ K}$
 - $x \text{ km/h} = (x * \frac{1000}{3600} + 0) \text{ m/s}$
- Conversion factors and offsets can be defined relative to the base units:
 $cf_i: \langle cf_{i1}, cf_{i2}, \dots, cf_{in} \rangle, o_i: \langle o_{i1}, o_{i2}, \dots, o_{in} \rangle$
- Examples:
 - Kilometer (km)*: $cf = \langle 1000, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1 \rangle, \quad of = \langle 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$
 - Celcius (°C)*: $cf = \langle 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1 \rangle, \quad of = \langle 0, 0, 0, 0, 273.15, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$
 - Kilometer per Hour (km/h)*: $cf = \langle 1000, 1, 3600, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1 \rangle, \quad of = \langle 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle$ ⁷

- Domain Model

Unit
name : String symbol : String dimensions : Real [8] conversionFactor : Real [8] offset : Real [8]

- Example Instances

<u>m : Unit</u>
name = "Meter" symbol = "m" dimensions = <1,0,0,0,0,0,0,0> conversionFactor = <1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1> offset = <0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0>

<u>km/h : Unit</u>
name = "Kilometer per Hour" symbol = "km/h" dimensions = <1,0,-1,0,0,0,0,0> conversionFactor = <1000,1,3600,1,1,1,1,1> offset = <0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0>

Definition: Standard Uncertainty [GUM]

- Uncertainty of the result of a measurement x expressed as a standard deviation u
- Representation: $x \pm u$ or (x, u)
- *Examples:*

Normal distribution: (x, σ) with mean x , standard deviation σ

Interval $[a, b]$: Uniform or rectangular distribution is assumed

$$(x, u) \text{ with } x = \frac{a+b}{2}, u = \frac{(b-a)}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

[GUM] JCGM 100:2008. Evaluation of measurement data – Guide to the expression of uncertainty in measurement. Joint Committee for Guides in Metrology, 2008.

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- Domain Model

UReal
x : Real u : Real

- *Example Instances*

$$10 \pm 0.001$$

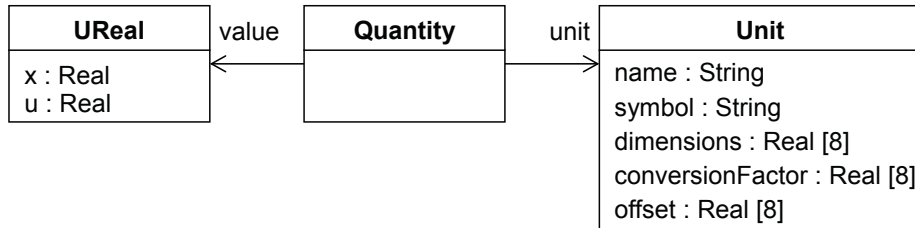
$$2 \pm 0.02$$

<u>1 : UReal</u>
x = 10.0 u = 0.0014

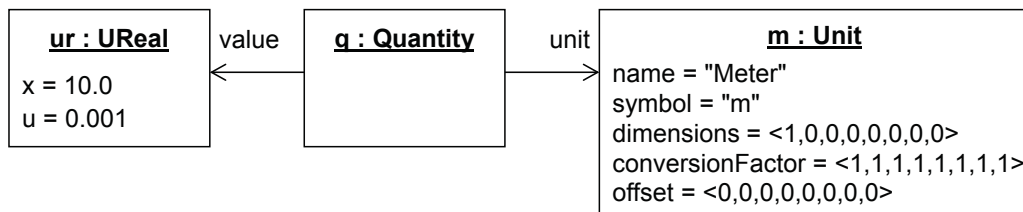
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Domain Model

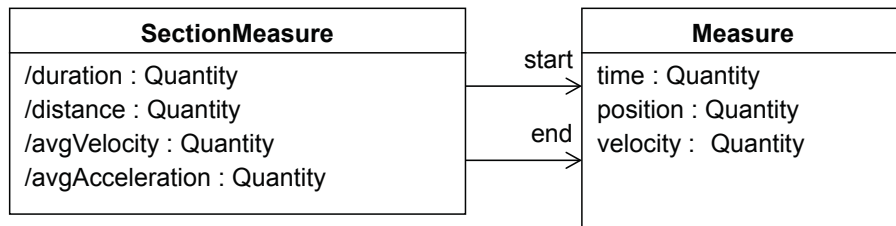
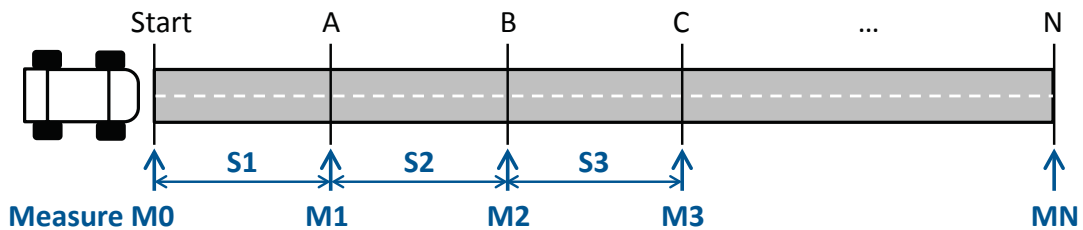


Example Instance: Length 10 ± 0.001 m



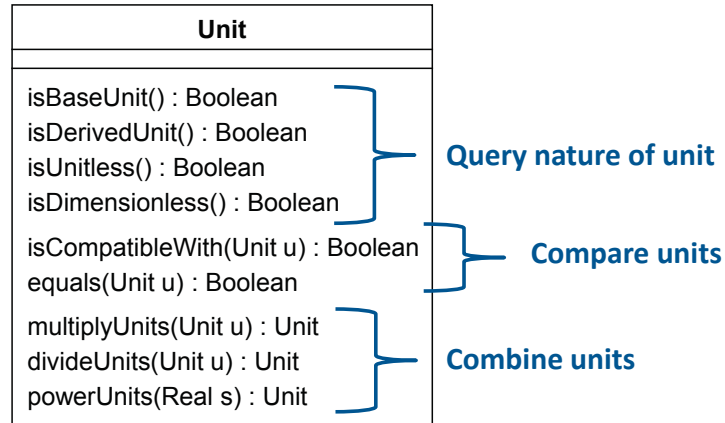
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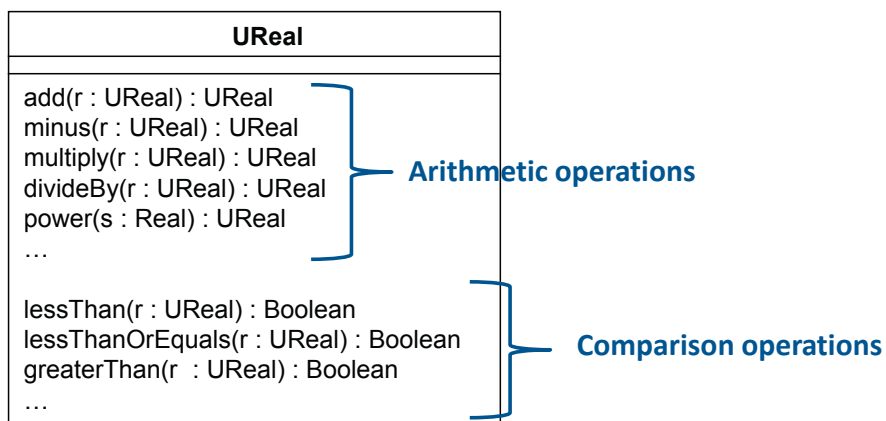


$duration = end.time - start.time$
 $distance = end.position - start.position$
 $avgVelocity = distance / duration$
 $avgAcceleration = (end.velocity - start.velocity) / duration$

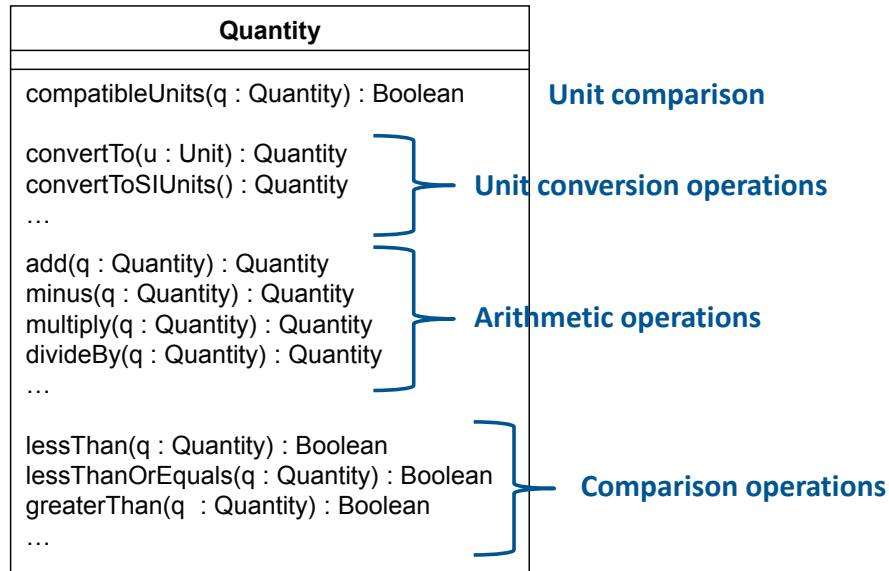
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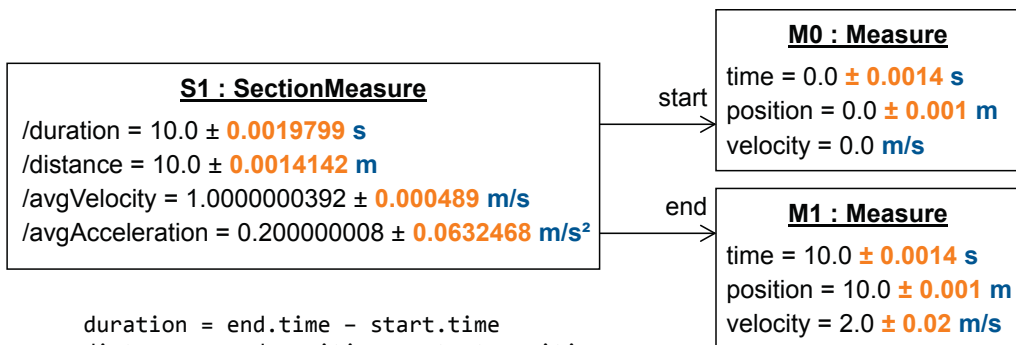
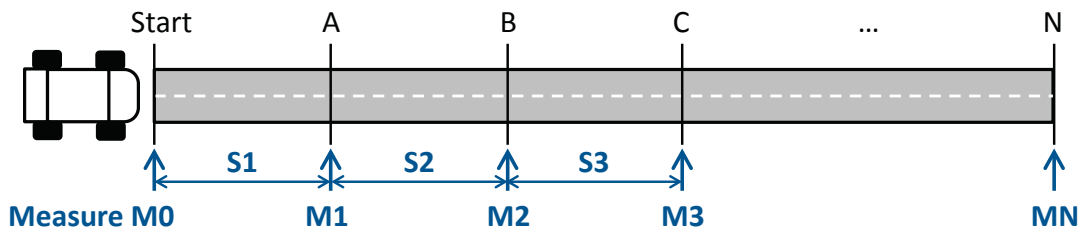


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Example



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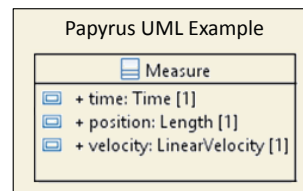
Implementation

Available Implementations

- Java: Reference implementation
- OCL (USE Tool):
 - Specification of operations with preconditions and postconditions
 - Support for imperative use of operations (SOIL)
- UML (Papyrus, MagicDraw):
 - Support for specifying quantities and computations with quantities
 - Proof-of-concept prototype for executing computations with quantities with fUML

```
Java Example
Length initialPosition = new Length(0, 0.001, Units.Meter);
Length finalPosition = new Length(10, 0.001, Units.Meter);
Length distance = finalPosition.minus(initialPosition);
```

```
USE OCL Example
!new UReal('ip')
!ip.x := 0.0
!ip.u := 0.001
!new Quantity('initialPosition')
!initialPosition.value := ip
...
!distance := finalPosition.minus(initialPosition)
```



- Download: <https://github.com/moliz/moliz.quantitytypes>

USE Tool: <https://sourceforge.net/projects/useocl/> MagicDraw: <http://www.nomagic.com/products/magicdraw.html>
Eclipse Papyrus UML: <https://eclipse.org/papyrus/>

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Ongoing and Future Work

- **Implementation**
 - Evolve fUML proof-of-concept implementation to full implementation
 - Alf implementation (textual action language for fUML)
 - Full integration with Papyrus and MagicDraw
 - Eclipse OCL implementation
- **Refinement of the conceptual model of quantity types**
 - Different kinds of uncertainty (e.g., interval, different probability distributions)
 - Different kinds of units (e.g., length units, time units, etc.)
- **Representation of quantities**
 - Useable representation of quantities
 - Integration with existing standards, e.g., MARTE and SysML

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Thank You!

Questions?

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INTEGRATING UNCERTAINTY MODELLING WITH USE CASE MODELLING TO DISCOVER UNKNOWNNS

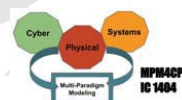
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TESTING CYBER-PHYSICAL SYSTEMS UNDER UNCERTAINTY

Website: <http://www.u-test.eu>

Overall Funding: 3.71 Million Euros

Duration: 2015 to 2018

Partners: 9



We are going beyond the scope of this project and establishing
a long-term, industry-oriented research foundation towards this
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Two industrial CPS



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ULMA Handling Systems, Spain

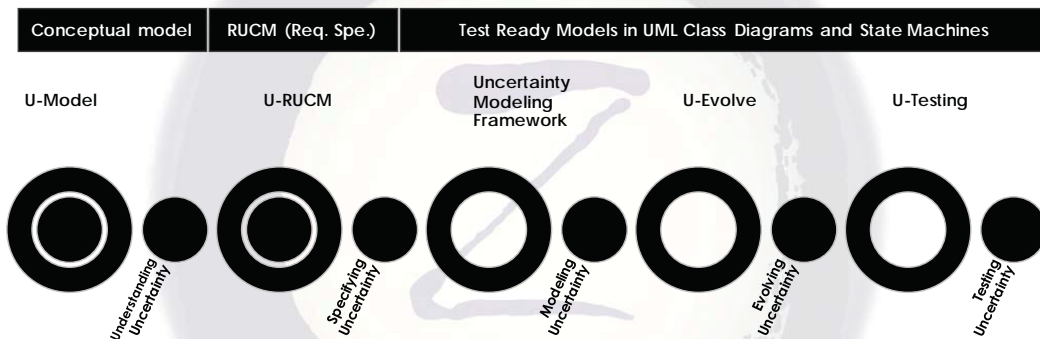


Geo Sports (GS)
Future Position X (FPX), Sweden

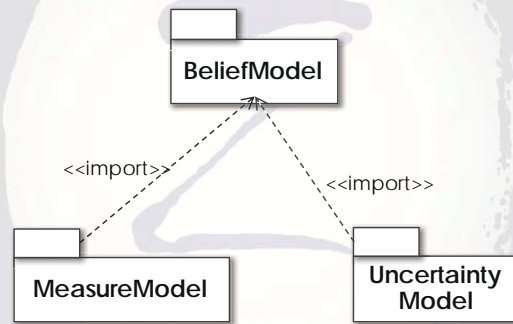
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U-RUCM is an extension to RUCM for **specifying uncertainties** as part of system requirements.

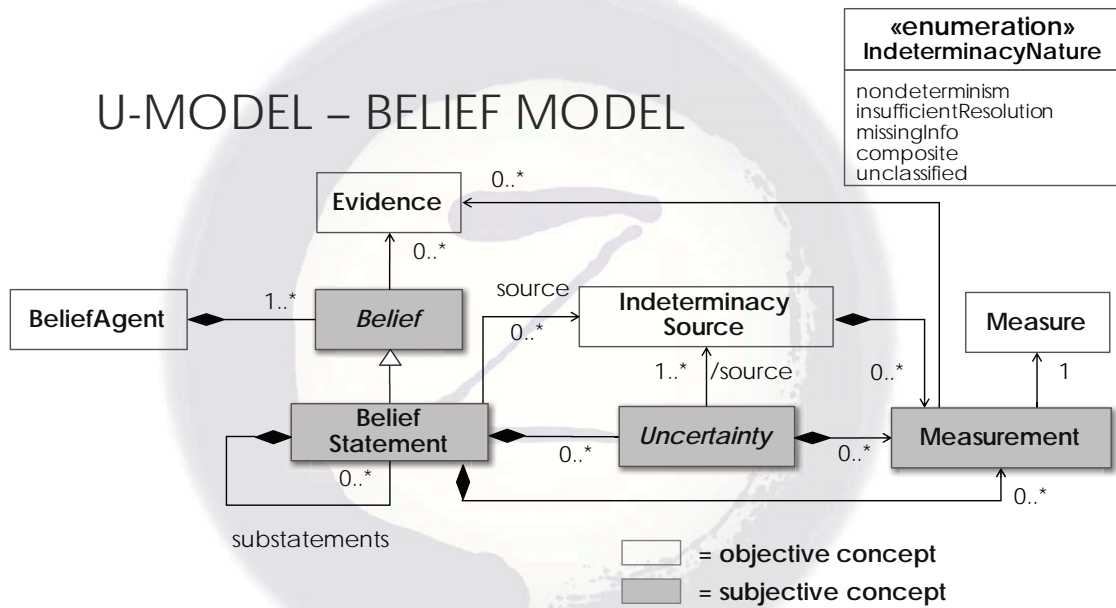


The U-Model takes a *subjective* approach to represent uncertainty.



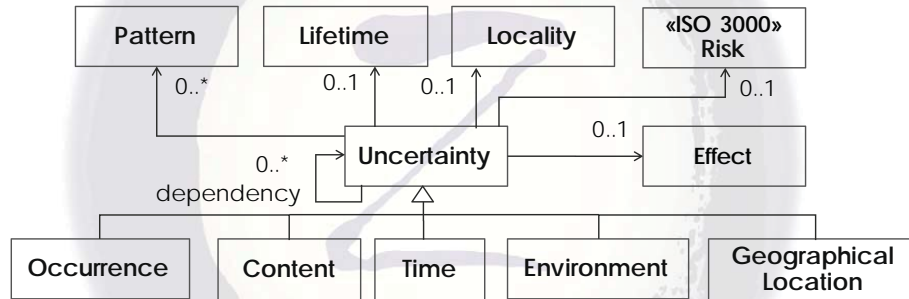
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U-MODEL – BELIEF MODEL



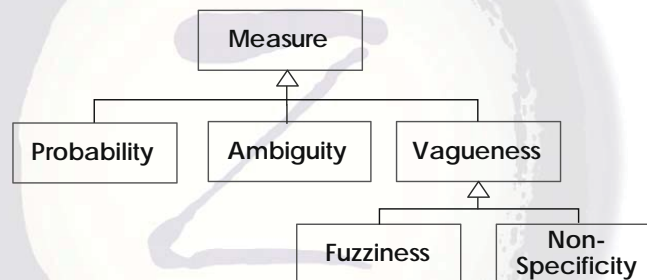
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The *Uncertainty Model* Expands On *Uncertainty* From Several Different Viewpoints And Introduces Related Abstractions.



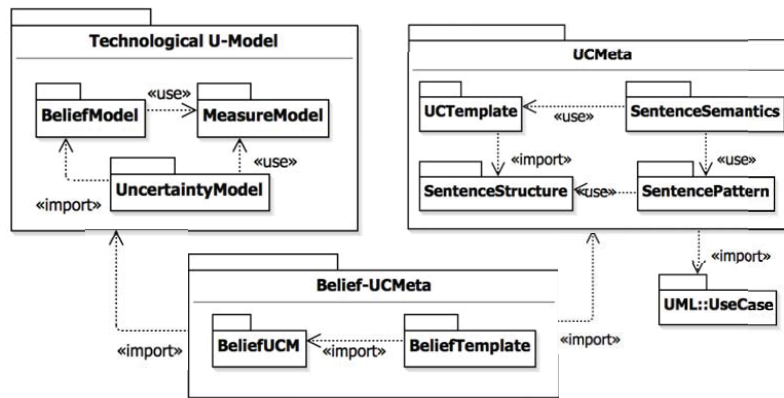
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The Purpose Of The **Measure Model** Is To Give A High-level Introduction Of Commonly Known Uncertainty Measures.



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U-RUCM integrates U-Model and RUCM.



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Belief Template Is Newly Introduced To Specify **Belief Use Case Specification**, Which Inherits The RUCM Template.

Key Heading Fields

Different Flow of Events

Use Case Name	The name of the use case. It usually starts with a verb.	
Brief Description	Summarizes the use case in a short paragraph.	
Primary Actor	The actor who initiates the use case.	
Secondary Actor(s)	Other actors the system relies on to accomplish the services of the use case.	
Dependency	Include and extend relationships to other use cases.	
Generalization	Generalization relationships to other use cases.	
Belief Agent(s)	One or more agents who hold belief about this BUCS.	
Time Point and Duration	The time point when the BUCS is specified and the duration in which the belief agent(s)'s belief on the BUCS holds.	
Belief Degree	The degree to which the belief agent(s) believe the BUCS.	
Indeterminacy Source(s)	The set of indeterminacy sources related to this BUCS.	
Evidence	Evidence to support this BUCS, and its contained belief and uncertainty elements.	
Belief Precondition	Belief agent(s)' belief on the precondition, which describes what should be true before the use case is executed.	
Belief Basic Flow (Belief degree)	Specifies the main successful path, also called "happy path".	
	Steps (numbered)	A set of ordered belief sentences.
	Belief Postcondition	Belief agent(s)' belief on what should be true after the basic flow executes.
Belief Specific Alternative Flow (Belief degree)	Applies to one specific step of the reference flow.	
	URFS	The reference flow step where the belief agent(s) believe there are uncertainties.
	Alternative Step	An alternative to the reference flow step.
	Steps (numbered)	A set of ordered belief sentences.
	Belief Postcondition	Belief agent(s)' belief on what should be true after the specific alternative flow executes.
Belief Bounded Alternative Flow (Belief degree)	Applies to more than one step of the reference flow, but not all of them.	
	URFS	A list of reference flow steps where the belief agent(s) believe there are uncertainties.
	Alternative Steps	A set of alternatives to the reference flow steps.
	Steps (numbered)	A set of ordered belief sentences.
	Belief Postcondition	Belief agent(s)' belief on what should be true after the bounded alternative flow executes.
Belief Global Alternative Flow (Belief degree)	Applies to all the steps of the reference flow.	
	Belief Branching Condition	Belief agent(s)' belief on the condition, which describes what should be true when branching from any of the steps of the reference flow.
	Steps (numbered)	The set of ordered belief sentences
	Belief Postcondition	Belief agent(s)' belief on what should be true after the global flow executes.

Specify uncertainty with U-RUCM in industry settings

- U-RUCM was able to **significantly improve on characterization**, and **understanding of uncertainty requirements**.
- Key experience
 - ✓ Learn about uncertainty by applying U-RUCM
 - ✓ Systematically **discover unknown known indeterminacy sources and uncertainties** and **transforming them into known unknown uncertainties and known known indeterminacy sources**.

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More Information about U-RUCM:

- Video for demonstrating U-RUCM
 - ✓ http://zen-tools.com/rucm/U_RUCM.html
- Technical Report
 - ✓ <https://www.simula.no/publications/specifying-uncertainty-use-case-models-industrial-settings>

Specifying Uncertainty in Use Case Models in Industrial Settings

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Foster long-term and community-wide benefits through standardization

- Uncertainty Modeling
 - ✓ Initiated the standardization process in June 2016
 - ✓ **Uncertainty RFI** is officially issued in Sep. 2016
 - ✓ Call for responses until Feb. 2017.
 - ✓ <http://www.omgwiki.org/uncertainty/doku.php>



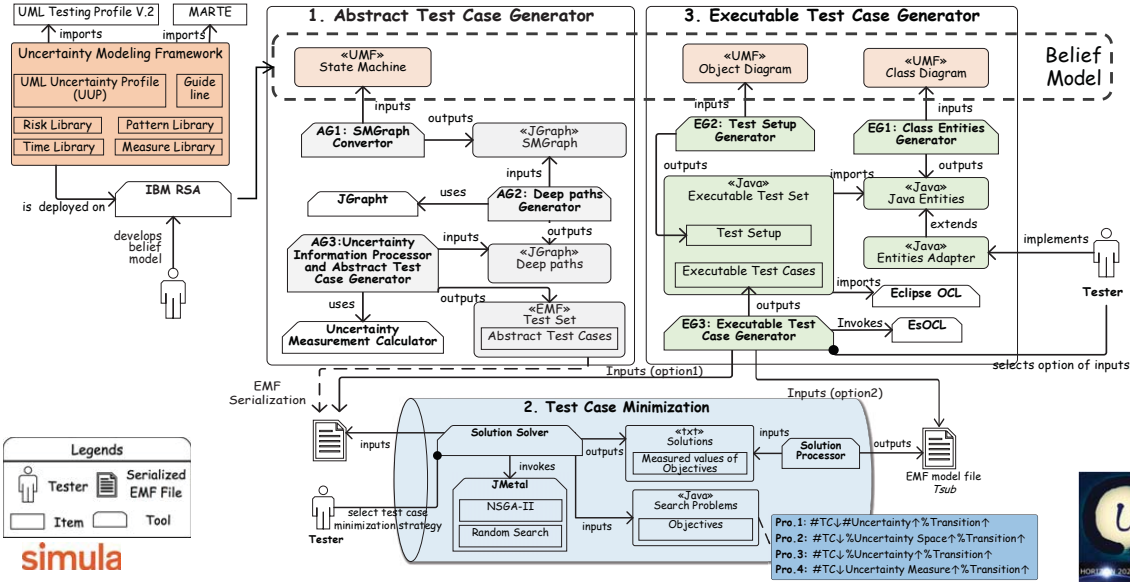
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Model-Driven Testing of Cyber-Physical Systems with the Explicit Consideration of Uncertainty (U-Testing)

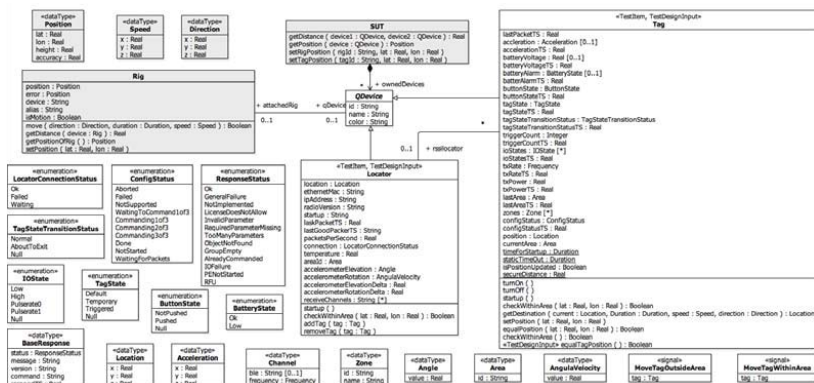
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The overall approach of U-Testing has several steps.



Test Interfaces of the Geo Sports system and test infrastructure are captured as a set of class diagrams.

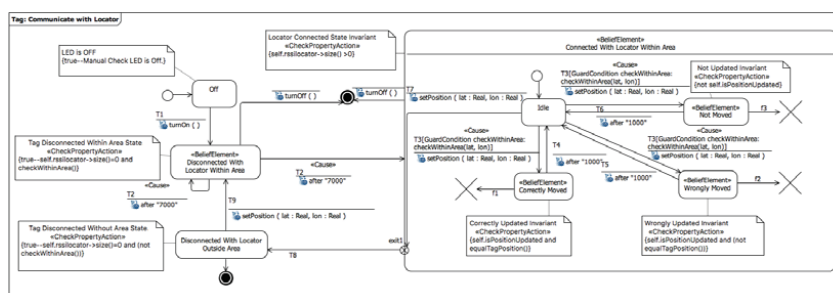


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Expected behaviour of Geo Sports is modelled as a Belief State Machine.

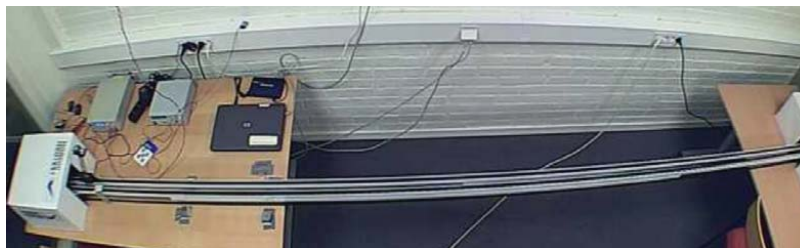
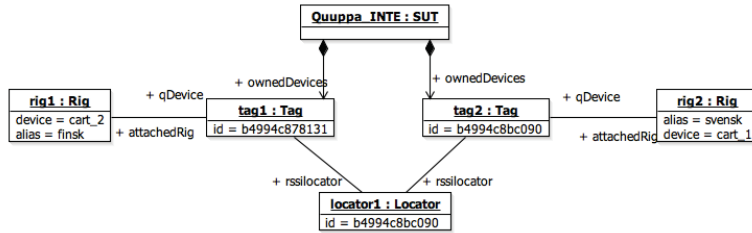


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Test configuration is modelled as an object diagram.

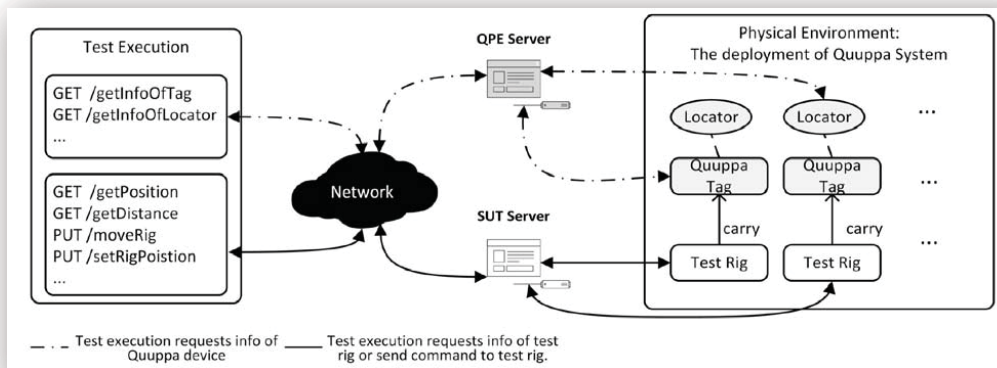


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Automation of test execution is supported by test APIs implemented as REST APIs.

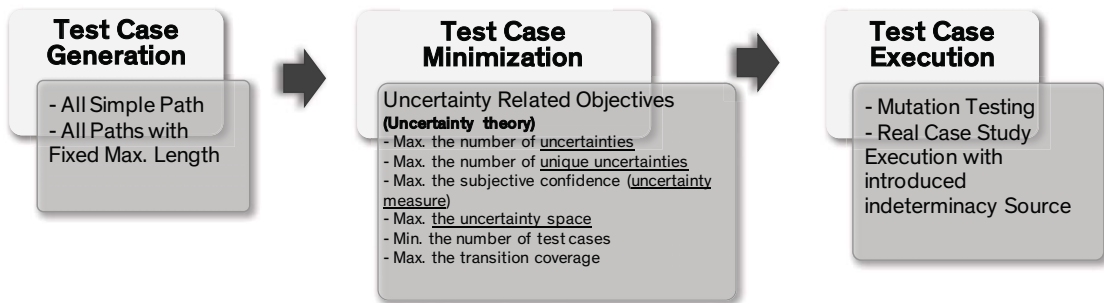


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Integrating MBT, uncertainty theory, and multi-objective search (NSGA-II).



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All strategies are evaluated in terms of **cost, effectiveness, and efficiency.**

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    graph LR
      A[Test Case Generation] --> B[Test Case Minimization]
      B --> C[Test Case Execution]
  
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	#TC	#Min. TC	%Min.	Mutation Score	Efficiency <small>$\frac{\text{mutation score}}{\text{PTM}}$</small>	Efficiency <small>$\frac{\# \text{ of mutants killed}}{\text{time for executing test cases}}$</small>
Safe Home	APL 2	-		8.9%		
		#Uncertainty 490	60%	100%	2.5	0.06
		Uncertainty Space 136	80%	98%	8.8	0.22
	APML 1253	Uncertainty Measure 490	60%	100%	2.5	0.06
		Unique Uncertainties 109	91%	100%	11.2	0.27

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We apply the best strategy to test the real case study in terms of discovering uncertainties.



	#TC		#Min. TC	%Min.	Observed Uncertainty	New Uncertainty
APML	2085	Unique Uncertainties	336	83.9%	98	18

GeoSports



- Test infrastructures have been built, which enable the **introduction of known indeterminacy sources**.
 - Signal Shielding box and Far From Locator
 - **Unknown indeterminacy sources**



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Separation of Concerns in Continuous Time Hierarchical Co-simulation

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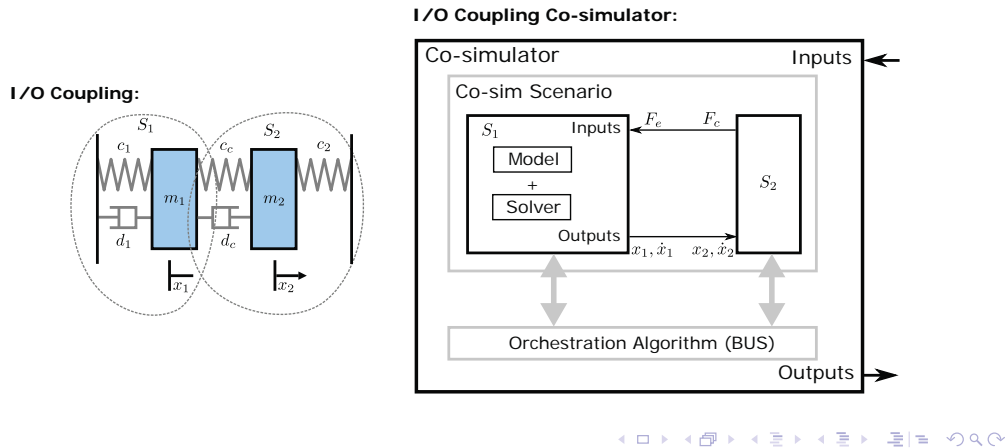
Motivation

- ▶ Simulation has helped us so far...
- ▶ ...but not to its full potential.
- ▶ Complex systems *have* to be partitioned into sub-systems, developed by specialized teams.
 - ▶ Their own M&S tools;
 - ▶ Some are external companies;
- ▶ Leading to locally (but not globally) optimal solutions:
 - ▶ Models of each partial solution cannot be integrated;
 - ▶ IP cannot be cheaply disclosed;



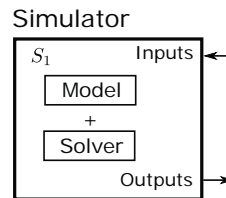
Co-simulation

- ▶ Theory and techniques to enable global simulation of a coupled system, via the composition of sub-system simulators.
- ▶ Sub-system simulators are virtual mock-ups:
 - ▶ Executable binaries;
 - ▶ Common API for communication...
 - ▶ ... but many different capabilities!



Simulator

- ▶ Time-stepped communication;
- ▶ Continuous-time dynamics;
- ▶ Approximated inputs;
- ▶ Physical laws;
- ▶ Instantaneous reactions;



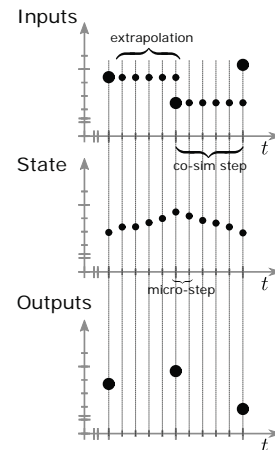
$$S_i = \langle X_i, U_i, Y_i, \delta_i, \lambda_i, x_i(0), \phi_{U_i} \rangle$$

$$\delta_i : \mathbb{R} \times X_i \times U_i \rightarrow X_i$$

$$\lambda_i : \mathbb{R} \times X_i \times U_i \rightarrow Y_i \text{ or } \mathbb{R} \times X_i \rightarrow Y_i$$

$$x_i(0) \in X_i$$

$$\phi_{U_i} : \mathbb{R} \times U_i \times \dots \times U_i \rightarrow U_i$$



Co-simulation Scenario

$$CS = \langle U_{CS}, Y_{CS}, \{S_i\}, L, \phi_{U_{CS}} \rangle$$

$$L : Y_1 \times \dots \times Y_n \times Y_{CS} \times U_1 \times \dots \times U_n \times U_{CS} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

ALGORITHM 1: Orchestration.

Data: An autonomous scenario $CS = \langle \emptyset, Y_{CS}, \{S_i\}, L, \emptyset \rangle$
and a communication step size H .

Result: A co-simulation trace.

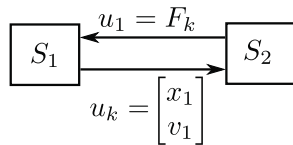
$t := 0$;

while true do

 Solve:

$$\begin{cases} y_i(t) = \lambda_i(t, x_i(t), u_i(t)), \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, n \\ L(y_1(t), \dots, y_n(t), y_{CS}(t), u_1(t), \dots, u_n(t)) = \vec{0} \\ x_i(t+H) := \delta_i(t, x_i(t), u_i(t)), \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, n; \\ t := t + H; \end{cases}$$

end

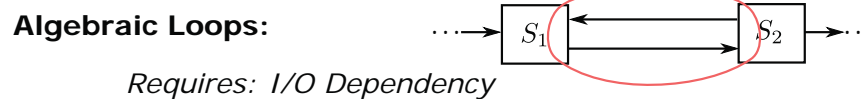
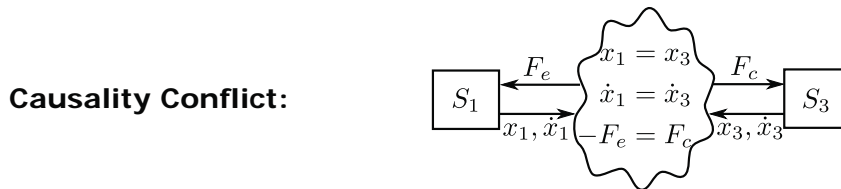
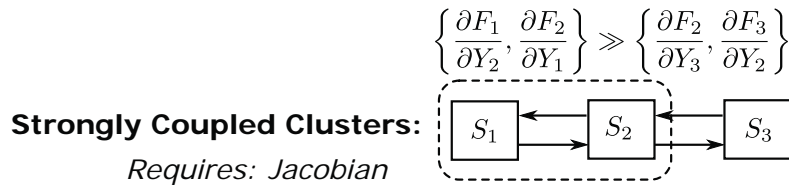


$$CS = \langle \emptyset, \emptyset, \{S_1, S_2\}, L, \emptyset \rangle$$

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} u_k - \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ v_1 \end{bmatrix} \\ u_1 - F_k \end{bmatrix}$$

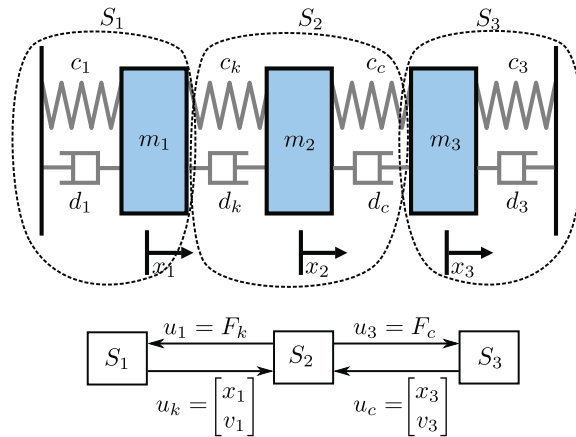
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Concerns



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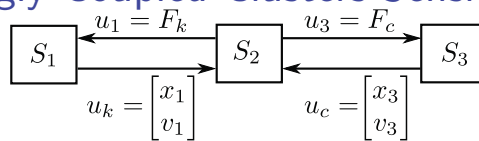
Example: Strongly Coupled Clusters Scenario



$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ v_1 \end{bmatrix} &= F_1\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ v_1 \end{bmatrix}, u_1\right) & \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_2 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} &= F_2\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} u_k \\ u_c \end{bmatrix}\right) & \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_3 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} &= F_3\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}, u_3\right) \\ \lambda_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ v_1 \end{bmatrix} & \lambda_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} F_k \\ F_c \end{bmatrix} & \lambda_3 &= \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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Example: Strongly Coupled Clusters Sensitivity



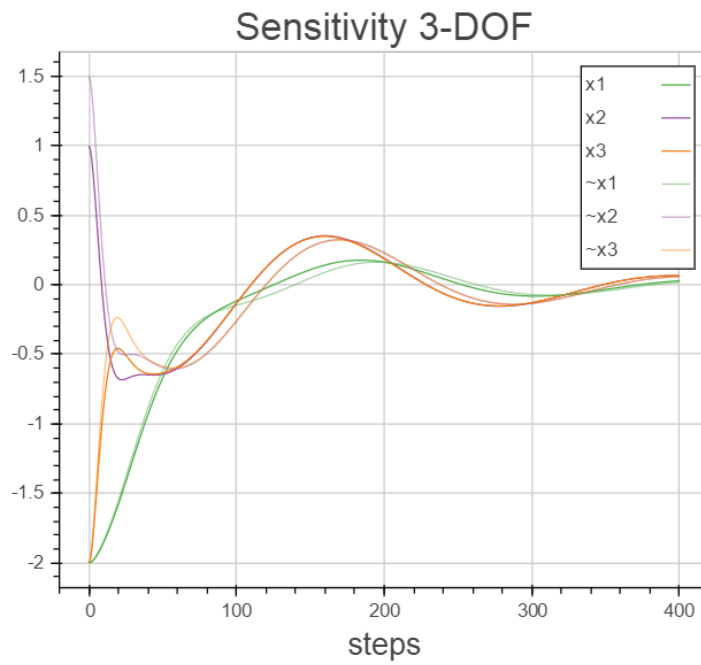
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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial u_1} \text{ is small} & & \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial u_k} \text{ is small} & & \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial u_3} \text{ is Large} \\ & & \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial u_c} \text{ is Large} & & \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} m_1 &= 1 & m_2 &= 1 & m_3 &= 1 \\ c_1 &= 0.1 & c_k &= 0.1 & d_k &= 0.1 & c_3 &= 0.1 \\ d_1 &= 0.5 & c_c &= 2 & d_c &= 1.3 & d_3 &= 0.1 \end{aligned}$$

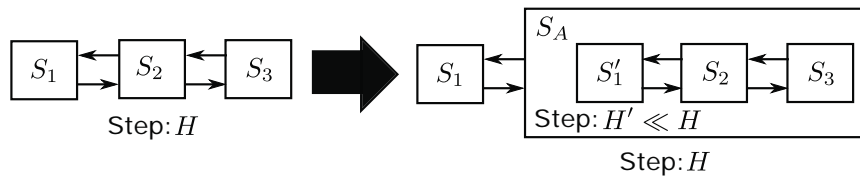
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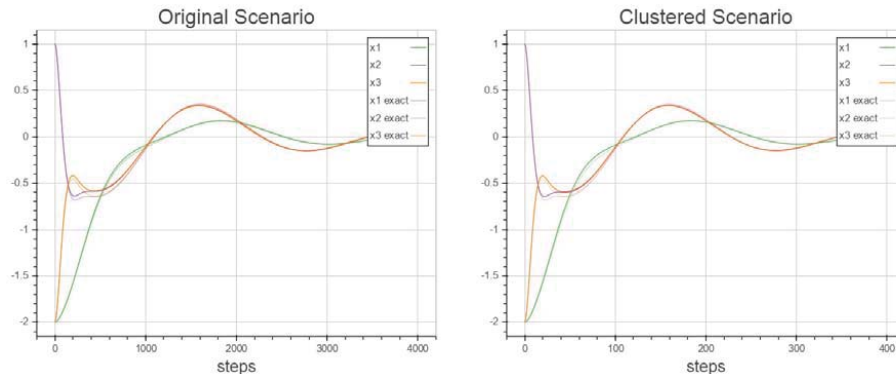
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Strongly Coupled Clusters Optimization



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Strongly Coupled Clusters Results



$$H = 0.01$$

$$\max \|x_1 - \tilde{x}_1\| = 0.0294$$

$$\max \|x_2 - \tilde{x}_2\| = 0.0583$$

$$\max \|x_3 - \tilde{x}_3\| = 0.0582$$

$$H = 0.1$$

$$H' = 0.005$$

$$\max \|x_1 - \tilde{x}_1\| = 0.0340$$

$$\max \|x_2 - \tilde{x}_2\| = 0.0217$$

$$\max \|x_3 - \tilde{x}_3\| = 0.0214$$

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Conclusion

- ▶ Our approach, underpinned by MDD:
 - ▶ Introduce artificial simulators to solve local concerns;
 - ▶ Optimize conflicting concerns at global level;
- ▶ Correctness verified via:
 - ▶ Analytical solutions with toy examples;
 - ▶ Simulation of the coupled model;
 - ▶ High accuracy co-simulation;
- ▶ Benefits:
 - ▶ Leverage existing standards for co-simulation;
 - ▶ Systematically address concerns while reusing existing orchestration algorithms;
- ▶ Downsides (Future work):
 - ▶ Keep scenarios readable;
 - ▶ Huge search space for conflicting concerns;
 - ▶ Lack of formal proof of convergence;

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Modeling of Cooperation Behavior in flexible Vehicle Platoon based on Hybrid Automaton and Predictive Analysis

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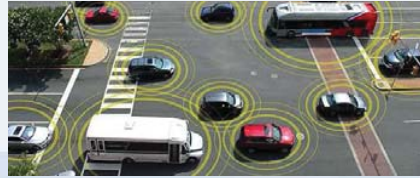
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Contest

- Cooperative intelligent transport system (C-ITS)
- Hybrid automaton modeling of flexible Vehicle Platoon
- Traffic Data Analytic: Prediction of cooperative behavior profile using neural network and fuzzy – neuro (ANFIS)

Introduction

- **Intelligent Transport systems (ITS)** is in the framework of cyber-physical systems;
 - ❖ the interaction between physical systems (vehicles)
 - ❖ distributed information gathering and dissemination infrastructure.
- **Cooperative intelligent transport system (C-ITS).**
 - use of computing resources for processing, analysis, predicting, understanding of data,
 - communication resources for vehicles, infrastructures and cloud services interaction and management,
 - control for systems



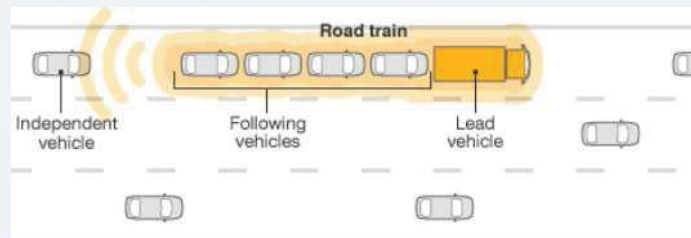
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Flexible Vehicle Platoon

- **Vehicle Platoon**- the desired behaviour of a vehicle is generally defined by a desired distance to the previous vehicle in the platoon, they could also gather information about the behaviour and aspects of the platoon as a whole.
- **Flexible Platoon**- smart vehicles with artificial intelligence could enter, merge or leave the platoon whenever the driver wants.



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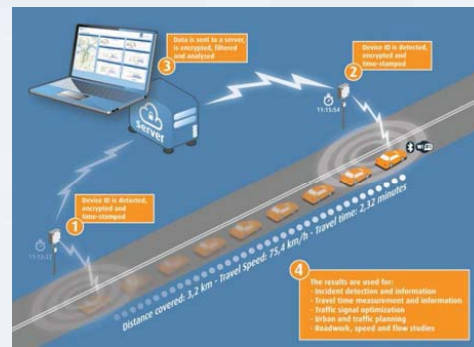
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Main concept of Research

- Minor attention - to coordinated maneuvering, testing with real vehicles which can drive autonomously requires a large-scale infrastructure with important security measures.
- Modeling of Flexible Platoon
 - propose hybrid automaton modeling in Matlab/Simulink/Stateflow to emulate flexible platooning conditions
 - generation of specific maneuver profile

Goal of the research

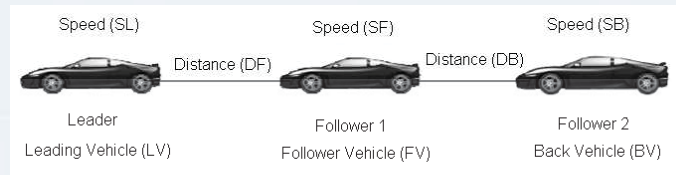
- Improvement of traffic mobility in ITS through accurate prediction
- An approach towards neuro-fuzzy and neural network prediction of flexible Platooning cooperation profile
- Reducing the uncertainty of future traffic states



Data Analytic Platform
Traffic Data Prediction

Flexible Platoon modelling

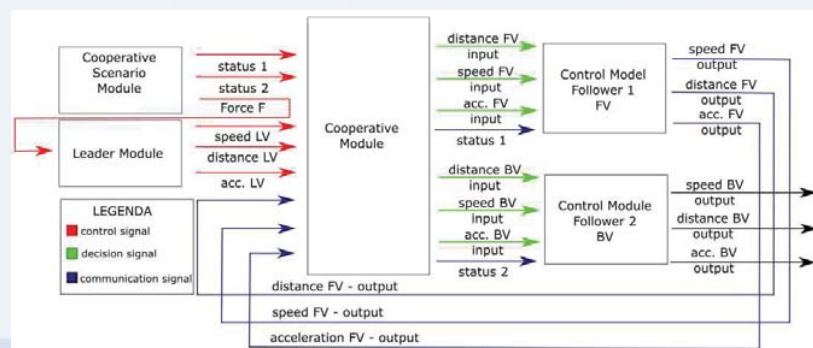
- 3 vehicles: 1 leader + 2 followers; start speed of leader: 80km/h; accelerating and decelerating of vehicles



- Three operations for followers in flexible Platoon:
 - joining
 - merging
 - leaving

Flexible Platoon modeling

- **Hybrid automaton** = complex dynamics of each vehicle + discrete cooperation approach (finite state machine, FSM)
- MATLAB/Simulink/Stateflow



Vehicle modeling

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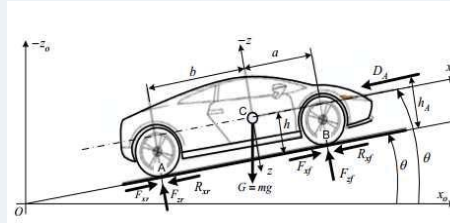
- Application of Newton's second law on vehicle moving

$$m\dot{u} = F_x - mg\sin\theta - f_r mg\cos\theta - \frac{1}{2} C_{air}(u + u_w)^2$$

$$\theta = 0 \quad u_w = 0$$

$$\dot{u} = a = \frac{1}{m} \left(F_x - f_r mg - \frac{1}{2} C_{air} u^2 \right)$$

$$F_x = \Delta F_x + F_{x0}$$



Vehicle modeling

- Linear state space model of the i -th vehicle in the platoon:

$$\dot{x}_i = v_i$$

$$\dot{v}_i = a_i$$

$$\dot{a}_i = \frac{1}{m} \left[K_{f1}(x_{i-1} - x_i - hd_i) + K_{f1}(v_{i-1} - v_i) + K_{D1}(a_{i-1} - a_i) - C_{air} u^0 a_i \right]$$

- where hd_i is constant distance between $i-1$ -th and i -th vehicle

Control module of Followers

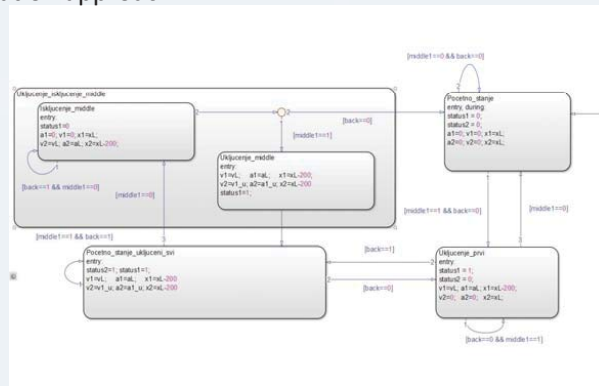
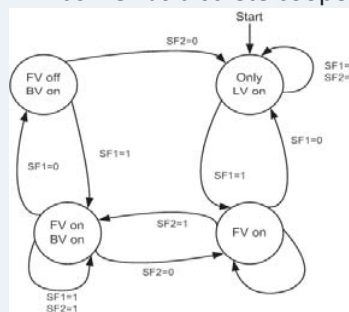
❖ PID controller

$$a_i = \frac{1}{m_i} \left[K_{P_i}(x_{i-1} - x_i - hd_i) + \frac{K_{I_i}}{s}(x_{i-1} - x_i - hd_i) + K_{D_i}(v_{i-1} - v_i) + F_{x_0} - f_r mg - \frac{1}{2} C_{air} v_i^2 \right]$$

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Modelling of cooperation between vehicles

❖ Hybrid automaton takes into account complex dynamics of each vehicle as well as discrete cooperation approach.



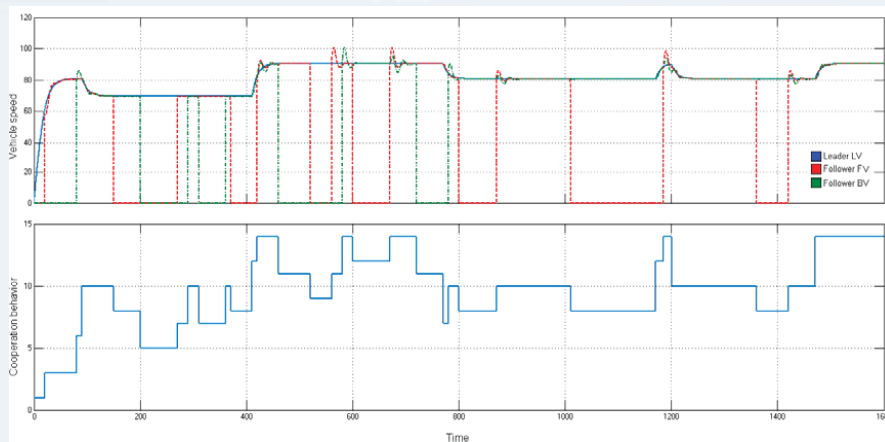
Output behaviour of flexible Platoon

- Output behaviour:

$$a(t) = c_1 \sum_{i=1}^N n_i(t) + c_2 \sum_{k=1}^M b_k(t)$$

Function of behavior pattern in time	Scenario description	Output behavior
1	Only LV	1
1+2	LV and FV	3
1+3	LV and BV	4
1+4	LV deceleration	5
1+2+3	All vehicles	6
1+2+4	LV and FV deceleration	7
1+3+4	LV and BV deceleration	8
1+2+8	LV and FV acceleration	11
1+3+8	LV and BV acceleration	12
1+2+3+4	All vehicles; deceleration	10
1+2+3+8	All vehicles; acceleration	14

Vehicles speed profiles and generated function of cooperation behavior



Traffic information predictions

- Traffic information predictions
 - speed,
 - flow and
 - travel time
- Three categories of existing traffic flow prediction approaches are recognized:
 - time-series approaches (ARMA and ARIMA model),
 - probabilistic approaches (Bayesian network, Markov chain and Markov random fields) and
 - nonparametric approaches (artificial neural networks, support vector regression (SVR), the adaptive neuro-fuzzy system (ANFIS))

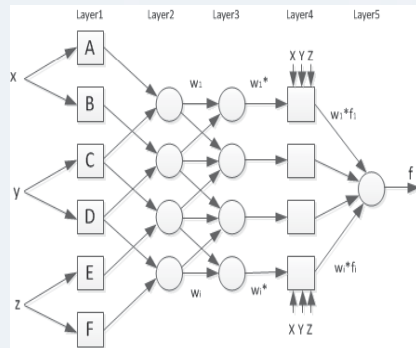
Adaptive Neuro-Fuzzy (ANFIS) prediction method

- The artificial neural network (ANN) - as an analytical method for various prediction purposes. Benefit: independency on the knowledge of internal system parameters, compressed compact solution in terms of multi-variable problems and rapid computation.
- The ANFIS is a particular class of the ANN family with attractive estimation and learning potentials.
- The ANFIS combines the power of the FIS with a neural network back-propagation learning algorithm.
- Adaptive neuro-fuzzy (ANFIS) computing technique- to estimate the cooperative interactions profile in relation to the speeds of the leader and first and second follower vehicles.

Neuro-Fuzzy Model (ANFIS)

- The ANFIS structure consists of 5 layers

if x is A and y is C and z is E then $f_1 = p_1x + q_1y + r_1z + t$



ANFIS structure.

$O = \mu(i)$ *premise parameters*

$w_i = \mu(i)_i \mu(i)_{i+1}$ membership layer

$w_i^* = \frac{w_i}{\sum_i w_i}$ rule layer

$O_i^* = w_i^* \cdot f = w_i^* (p_i x + q_i y + r_i z + t)$

consequent parameters.

$O_i^{\#} = \sum_i w_i^* \cdot f = \frac{\sum_i w_i f}{\sum_i w_i}$ output layer

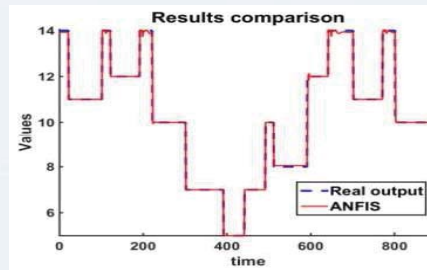
Prediction results of cooperation behavior profile using ANFIS

- RMSE (root mean square error), coefficient of determination (R^2)
- The best result of prediction $R^2=0.99$, $RMSE=0.155$ and $MSE=0.02$ for 7 Gauss membership functions for each input variables in 10 epochs.

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (O_i - f_i)^2}$$

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (O_i - Y_i)^2$$

$$R^2 = 1 - \frac{\sum_i (O_i - f_i)^2}{\sum_i (f_i - \bar{y})^2}$$



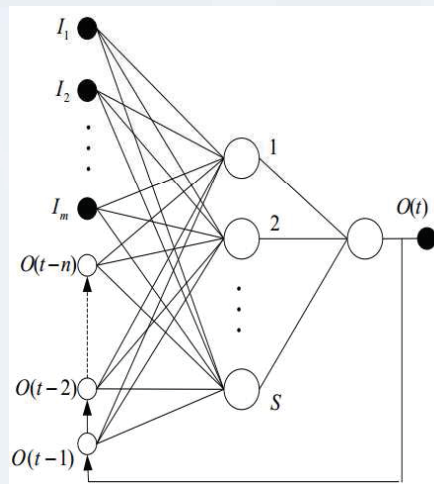
L. Banjanovic-Mehmedovic, N. Delic, I. Butigan, S. Kasapovic and I. Bosankic: Neuro-fuzzy prediction of cooperation interaction profile of flexible road train based on hybrid automaton modeling, 5th International Conference on Transportation and Traffic Engineering (ICTTE 2016), pp. 313-318, Lucern, Switzerland, 2016.

Neural network as prediction method

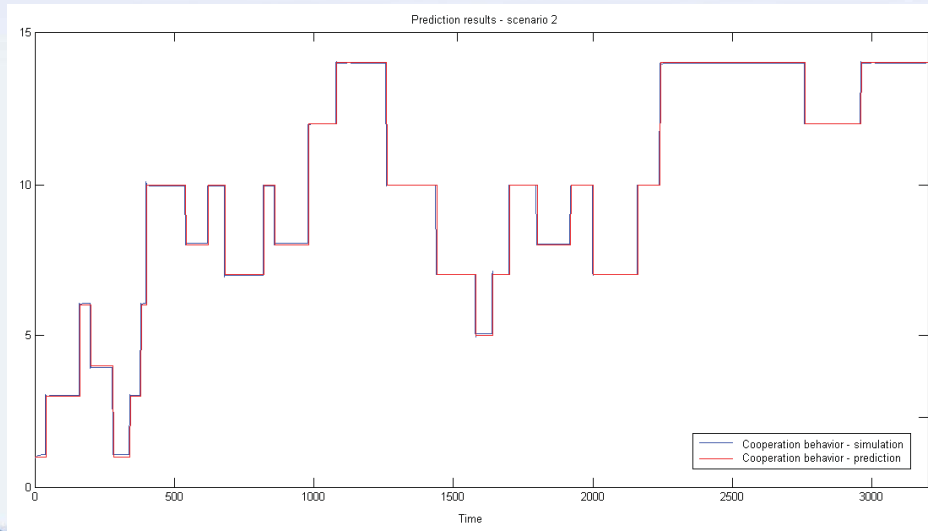
- The artificial neural network (ANN) - as an analytical method for various prediction purposes.
- Benefit: independency on the knowledge of internal system parameters, compressed compact solution in terms of multi-variable problems and rapid computation.
- NARX neural network- to estimate the cooperative interactions profile in relation to the speeds of the leader and first and second follower vehicles.

Structure of NARX

- NARX neural network - feedback dynamic neural network, the outputs in time series depends of current inputs and previous outputs.
- **The input parameters** of the NARX network - the time series of the leader, first and second follower's speeds
- **The output parameter** of the NARX network - the road cooperation behaviour profile from the Platoon hybrid automaton



Prediction results of cooperation behavior profile using NARX

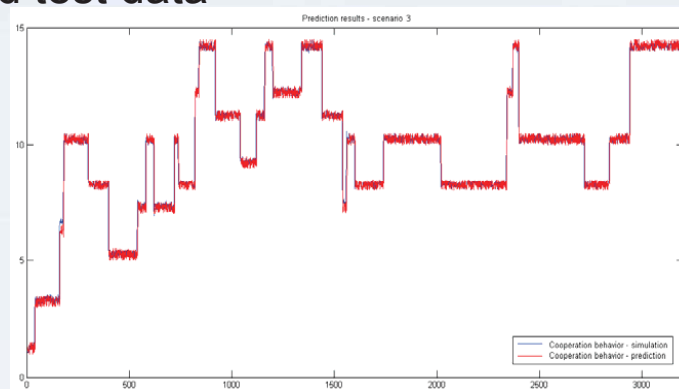


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Prediction results of cooperation behavior profile using NARX for case noised test data



- Behaviour scenario, with 3201 samples.

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Conclusion

- **Flexible Vehicle Platoon hybrid automaton model** - developed to simulate control and **cooperation interactions** between the vehicles (join, merge, leave Platoon)
- **The proposed output behavior function**
 - from behaviour patterns of the Road Train to specific cooperation behavior profile - **describes the complex system interactions only with one variable.**
- The **NARX Neural network and ANFIS technique** have been used for prediction of flexible Vehicle Platoon cooperation behavior
- Profile useful for **Intelligent Traffic Management system, prediction of traffic mobility in ITS**, associated with uncertainties.



C1404 – Multi-Paradigm Modelling for Cyber-Physical Systems

Introduction to Physical-Systems Modelling with Bond Graphs

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Modelling – basics

- **System**
 - Parts forming a whole; parts have functional relationship
 - Has boundary: what belongs to the system and what not
- **Model (of a system)**
 - Description of a system: parts & relations
 - **Simplified, but complex enough**
 - to study phenomena relevant for our problem context
 - **Competent Model**
 - as simple as possible, but sufficient for the goal of the model
 - **Modelling goals**
 - understand dynamic behaviour
 - compute a reaction in a control system
 - predict in a design context

Figures taken from:
J van Amerongen "Dynamical Systems"
text book, see reference on slide 31
Sometimes referred to as Fig n.n JvA

Modelling - choices what effects to describe

- Network of basic elements
 - complex: structure in submodels, sub-submodels etc
- What to model
 - depends on purpose / goal
- Our case
 - understand physics / dynamic behaviour
 - on a rather global level
 - a network of elements
 - control law design
 - function blocks (transfer functions) is enough

Interaction in Models

- Unilateral
 - signals approach
- Bilateral
 - physical-systems approach
 - mutual influence
 - exchange of energy

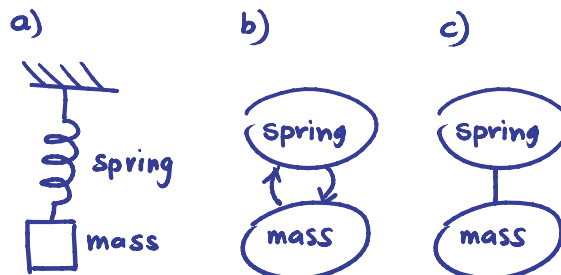
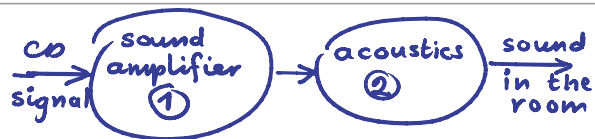


Fig 1.4 and 1.5 JvA

Modeling: essential dynamics

- **Dynamics**
 - Behaviour depends on the past!
 - **Change** of variables is essential here
- **Time**
 - **continuous** value of time
 - observe at fixed intervals: **discrete** time
- **Examples**

Modelling: physics domains, bond graphs

- **Domains**
 - Electro-Magnetic, Mechanical: translation, rotation
 - Hydraulic, Thermal
- **Physical effects**
 - in all domains the same
 - resulting in the same equations!
- **9 basic elements**
 - C, I, R, Se, Sf
 - TF: transformer; GY: gyrator
 - **Network:**
 - common effort => 0 junction
 - common flow => 1 junction

	spring	friction	mass
mechanical	$F = \frac{1}{c} \int v dt$	$F - f v = 0$	$v = \frac{1}{m} \int F dt$
	capacitor	resistance	inductance
electrical	$u = \frac{1}{C} \int i dt$	$u - R i = 0$	$i = \frac{1}{L} \int u dt$
	tank	restriction	
hydraulic	$p = \frac{1}{c} \int \varphi dt$	$p - r \varphi = 0$	$\varphi = \frac{1}{I} \int p dt$

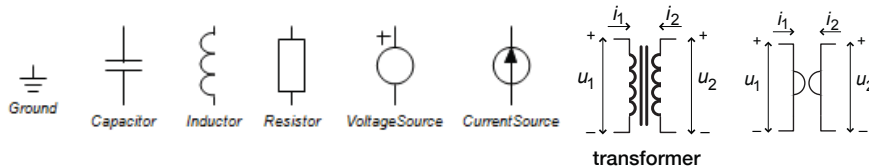


Ideal behaviour – real components

- **Ideal: only the essential effect (only *one*)**
 - Elementary behaviour
- **Components**
 - physical thing... Spring = spring, and mass, and friction, and?
 - parasitic effects
- **Lumped-parameter Models**
 - assume all elementary properties concentrated in elements
 - mass => point mass
 - spring => only the spring behaviour, nothing more



Electrical Domain

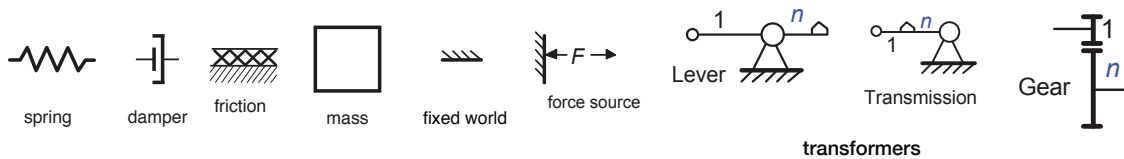


- **Physics Concepts**
 - Ideal Physical Models
- **Transformer**
 - like ideal electrical transformer
 - $u_1 = n u_2$
 - $i_2 = n i_1$
 - $n = n_1 / n_2$
- **Gyrator**
 - artificial element when within domain
 - $u_1 = r i_2$
 - $u_2 = r i_1$

Capacitor	Resistor	inductance
$u = \frac{1}{C} \int i dt$	$u = Ri$	$i = \frac{1}{L} \int u dt$
$q = \int i dt$		$\lambda = \int u dt$

TF, GY: only transduce! $P_1 = P_2$

Mechanical Domain



• Physics Concepts

• Ideal Physical Models

• Transformer

• like ideal lever / gears / chain wheels

- $F_1 = n F_2$
- $v_2 = n v_1$
- $n = n_1 / n_2$

• Gyrotor

• transduction in electromotor

- $u_1 = r \omega_2$
 - $T_2 = r i_1$
- see later!

spring

friction

mass

$$F = \frac{1}{c} \int v dt$$

$$F = f v$$

$$v = \frac{1}{m} \int F dt$$

$$x = \int v dt$$

$$p = m v$$

$$F = \frac{1}{c} x = k x$$

$$v = \frac{1}{m} p$$

TF, GY: only transduce! $P_1 = P_2$

Bond Graphs – Essence

• Essential Idea

- Graph to describe dynamic behaviour
- Exchange of energy (flow of power between nodes)
 - Domain-independent

• Graphs: Bond Graphs / Ideal Physical Models

- Directed graph: submodels & ideal connections
- 5 basic physical effects
 - storage (C, I), dissipation (R), transformation (TF, GY), networks (0, 1), sources (Se, Sf)
- Model elements
 - describe **only one single** physical effect
 - **compound** structures: **network** of elements

• Encapsulation of contents

- **Interface: ports** with 2 variables
 - (u, i): voltage & current; (F, v): force & velocity
- **Equations as equalities** (math. Equations)
 - Not as algorithm: $u = i * R$ -> $u := i * R$ of $i := u / R$

Domain-independent descriptions

- Use analogies of physical phenomena

- concepts are the same in different domains
 - Capacitor ~ Spring
 - Coil ~ Mass
 - Resistor ~ Friction
 - E-Transformer ~ Lever, gear wheels
 - Kirchhoff, d'Alembert: 0 and 1 junction

Domain	Effort, e	Flow, f	C, q	I, p
Translation	F [N]	v [m/s]	x [m]	p [Ns]
Rotation	T [Nm]	ω [rad/s]	ϕ [rad]	b [Nms]
Electrical	U [V]	i [A]	q [C]	λ [Vs]
Hydraulic	P [N/m ²]	ϕ_v [m ³ /s]	V [m ³]	I [Ns/m ²]

- Mapping of variables to each other, and general version

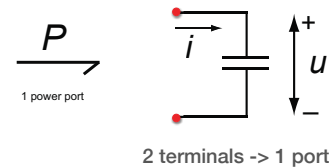
- u, F, e and i, v, f
- methodological choice!

- Based on energy exchange... using power ports

- $P = ui$ $P = Fv$ $P = T\omega$ $P = p\phi$
- u, i F, v T, ω p, ϕ power conjugated variables

- See connections of elements as ports

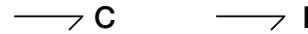
- power goes in / out => energy flow
- positive in direction of half-arrow head



Bond Graphs – Elements

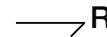
- Capacitor, Coil, and Spring, Mass: C and I

- store energy (and retrieve energy),
- differential equation



- Resistor, Damper, Friction: R

- dissipates energy to thermal domain
- gets lost for the E, M domains



- Transformers, Levers, Motors: TF, GY

- transform energy,
- transduce, often to other domain
- have 2 ports!



- Junctions, 0 and 1

- network, Kirchhoff, d'Alembert
- common u, F -> 0 or common i, v -> 1

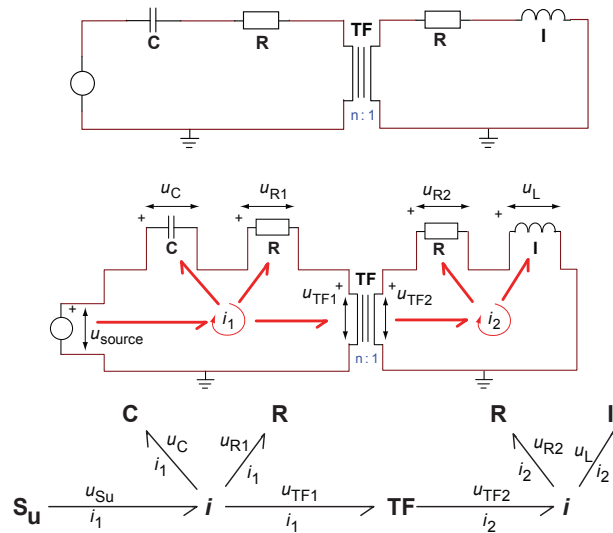


- Source: voltage, current, force etc: Se, Sf

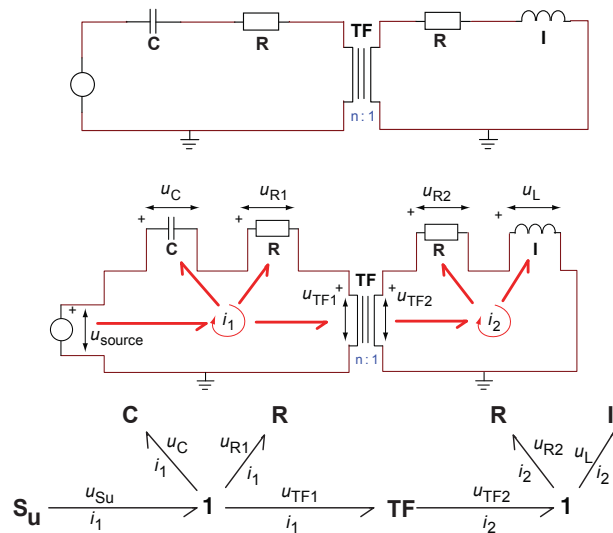
- energy in / out rest of system
- boundary condition



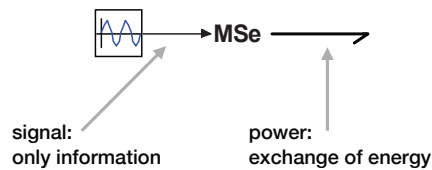
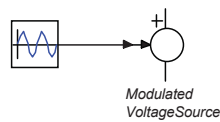
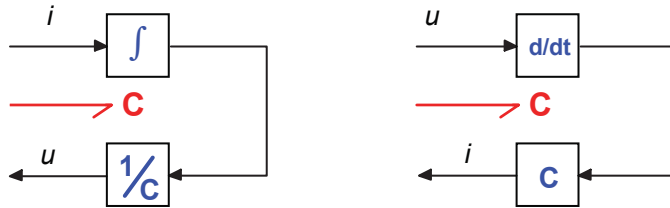
Produce bond graph out of physical-systems model – I



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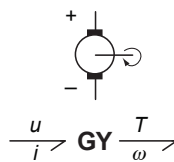


Signals versus Power Ports



Transducers: DC motor

• Transduction only

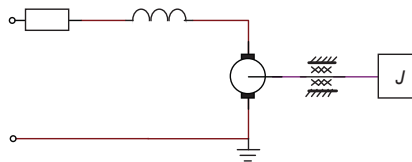


$$T = K_m i$$

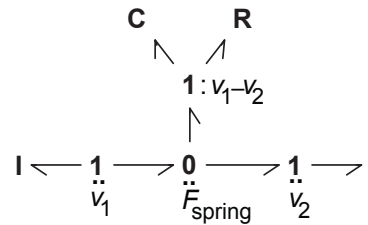
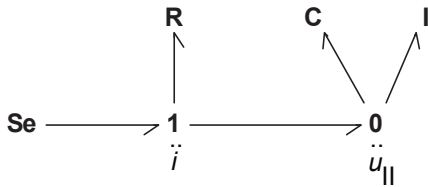
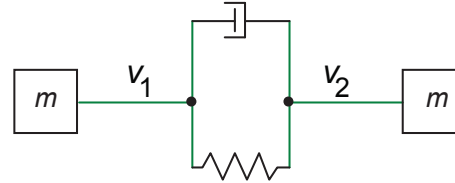
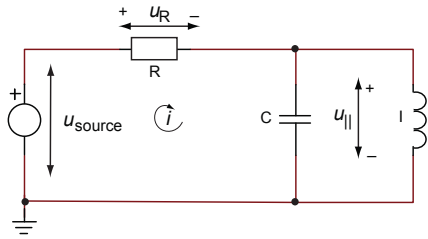
$$u = K_m \omega$$

• Practical component

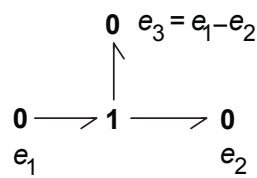
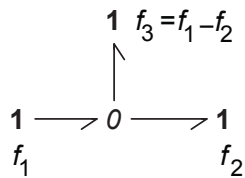
- network model of it
- motor $E \rightarrow M$
- generator $M \rightarrow E$



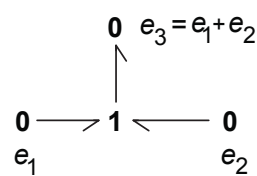
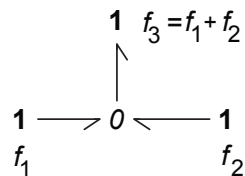
Junctions: the equations



junctions: the equations – II



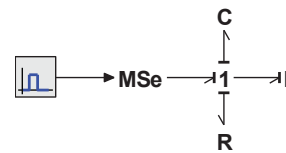
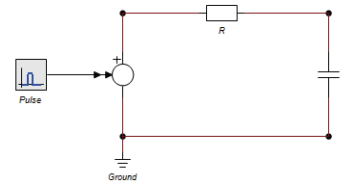
0: common effort flows \pm sum



1: common flow efforts \pm sum

Techniques – Modelling overview

- **First step in Modelling - sketch, relational diagram**
 - quite informal, first step in modelling choices
- **Construct IPM or Bond Graph**
 - Modelling choices are made
 - Network of **ideal** elements
- **Construct Bond Graph from IPM**
 - 8-step procedure (see handout)
- **Convert Bond graph to Causal bond graph**
 - add computational direction (automatically – 20-sim)
 - energy exchange => signals
 - gives insight in dynamic behaviour
 - on graph level already, no need to derive equations first
 - Derive Equations (automatically – 20-sim)
- **Simulate**
 - experiment, analyse

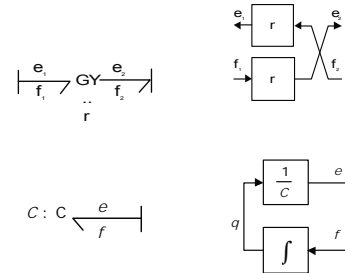


Produce a bond graph from an IPM

- **Identify domains and elements**
 - Determine domains and basic elements
 - Indicate reference **effort** (**velocity**)
- **Generate connection structure**
 - Identify all other **efforts** (**velocities**)
 - Draw **efforts** (**velocities**). not reference
 - Identify all **effort differences** (**velocity differences**)
 - Construct and draw **effort** (**velocity**) differences
- **Connect elements & finish**
 - Connect ports of elements
 - Simplify the graph

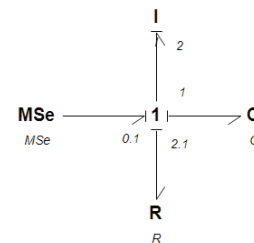
Causal analysis – causal constraints

- Determine the signal direction of variables at bonds
- Causal constraints imposed by equations
 - fixed causality
 - output is fixed: Sources, non invertible equations
 - constrained causality
 - relations between different element ports: TF, GY, 0, 1
 - preferred causality
 - integrating causality for storage elements: C, I
 - initial condition, numerically easier
 - indifferent causality, no constraint
 - equations do not impose a computational order: R



Causal analysis - procedure

- Procedure
 - work from strongest constraint downward
 - & propagate via junctions / TF, GY
 - 1. Fixed causality
 - 2. Preferred causality
 - 3. Indifferent causality
- Insight
 - Complete after 2, 3: OK
 - Complete after 1: OK, no dynamics
 - Conflicts
 - @ 1: wrong model
 - @ 2: dependent storage elements (something forgotten?)
 - @ 3: algebraic loop (something forgotten?)
 - Solve conflicts
 - change model / manipulate graph
 - just simulate – need iteration in solver ...



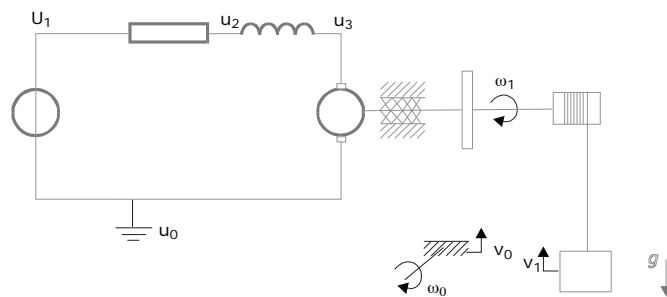
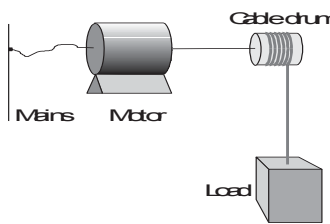
Numbering of Causal Strokes reveals the order of assigning

Generate Equations

- **Causal bond graph**
 - no causal conflicts -> ODE
 - causal conflicts -> DAE
 - automated in most bond-graph software
- **Procedure**
 - **Mixed set of differential and algebraic equations**
 - constitutive relations in causal form
 - $2n$ equations for n bonds
 - **Eliminate algebraic equations**
 - identities (Se, Sf, 0, 1),
 - multiplications (R, TF, GY)
 - Σ -equations junctions into ODE
 - **Mark state variables (+ semi state vars)**

Let 20-sim do this!!!!

Bond-graph construction: example



- 1: domains and elements
- 2: reference e, v
- 3: other e, v
- 4: draw e, v

0
 u_1

0
 u_2

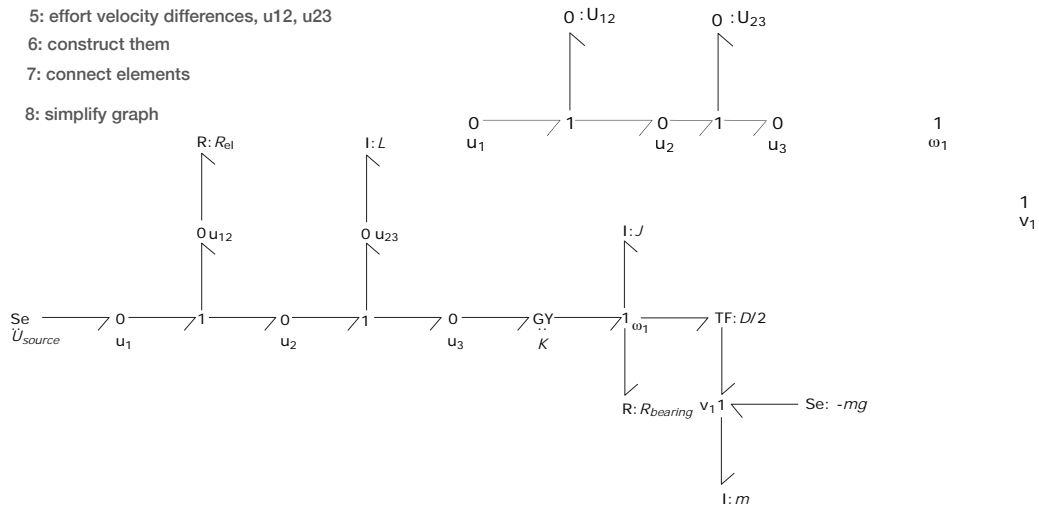
0
 u_3

1
 ω_1

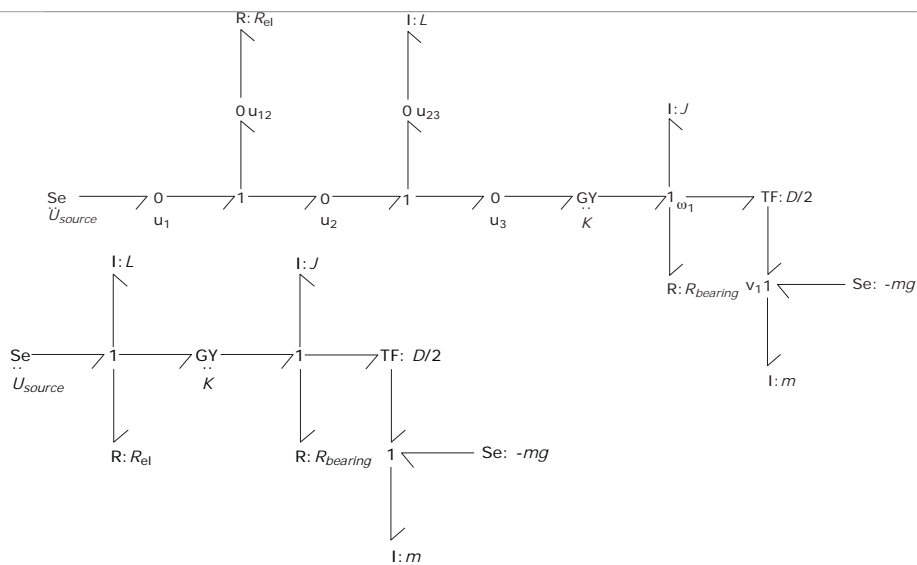
1
 v_1

Bond-graph construction: example II

- 5: effort velocity differences, u_{12} , u_{23}
- 6: construct them
- 7: connect elements
- 8: simplify graph



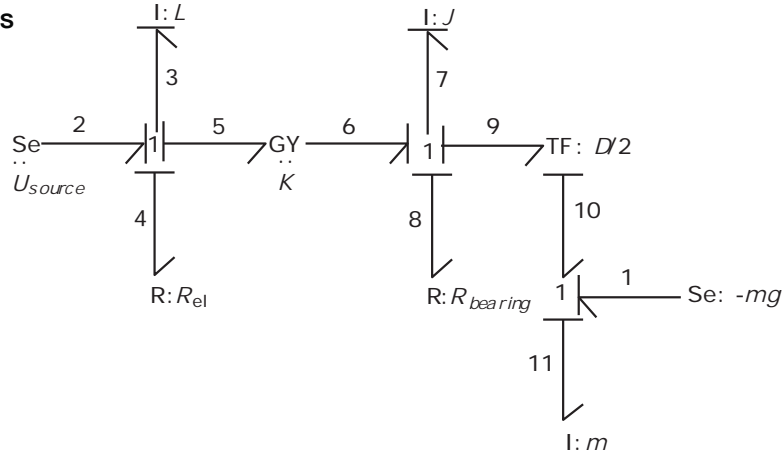
Bond-graph construction: example III



Bond-graph construction: example III

- Causality assignment

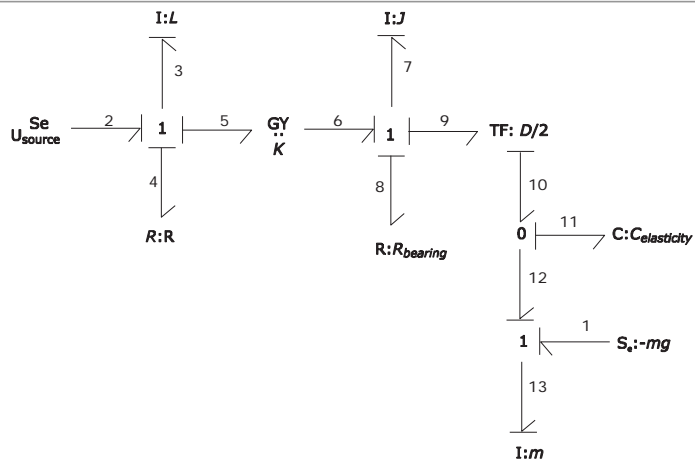
- causal analysis



Bond-graph construction: example IV

- Generation of Equations

$$\begin{aligned}
 e_2 &= u_{source} \\
 \frac{df_3}{dt} &= \frac{1}{L} e_3 \\
 e_4 &= R_{el} f_4 \\
 f_2 &= f_3 \\
 f_4 &= f_3 \\
 f_5 &= f_3 \\
 e_3 &= e_2 - e_4 - e_5 \\
 e_5 &= K f_6 \\
 e_6 &= K f_5 \\
 \frac{df_7}{dt} &= \frac{1}{J} e_7 \\
 e_8 &= R_{bearing} f_8 \\
 f_6 &= f_7 \\
 f_8 &= f_7 \\
 f_9 &= f_7 \\
 e_7 &= e_6 - e_8 - e_9 \\
 e_9 &= -\frac{D}{2} e_{10} \\
 f_{10} &= -\frac{D}{2} f_9 \\
 e_{10} &= e_{11} \\
 e_{12} &= e_{11} \\
 f_{11} &= f_{10} - f_{12} \\
 \frac{de_{11}}{dt} &= \frac{1}{C_{elasticity}} f_{11} \\
 f_{12} &= f_{13} \\
 f_1 &= f_{13} \\
 e_{13} &= e_1 + e_{12} \\
 e_1 &= -mg \\
 \frac{df_{13}}{dt} &= \frac{1}{m} e_{13}
 \end{aligned}$$



Bond-graph construction: example V

- Set ODEs

$$\frac{df_3}{dt} = \frac{1}{L} u_{source} - \frac{R_{el}}{L} f_3 - \frac{K}{L} f_7$$

$$\frac{df_7}{dt} = \frac{K}{J} f_3 - \frac{R_{bearing}}{J} f_7 - \frac{D}{2} e_{11}$$

$$\frac{de_{11}}{dt} = -\frac{D}{2C_{elasticity}} f_7 - \frac{1}{C_{elasticity}} f_{13}$$

$$\frac{df_{13}}{dt} = \frac{1}{m} e_{11} - g$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} f_3 \\ f_7 \\ e_{11} \\ f_{13} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{R_{el}}{L} & -\frac{K}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{K}{J} & -\frac{R_{bearing}}{J} & -\frac{D}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{D}{2C_{elasticity}} & -\frac{1}{C_{elasticity}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{m} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} f_3 \\ f_7 \\ e_{11} \\ f_{13} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{m} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_{source} \\ mg \end{pmatrix}$$

Simulation

- Nicely automated by modern tools like 20-sim
- Model is ODE or DAE (conflicts)
- Aspects of models relevant for simulation
 - Presence of implicit equations
 - conflict at step 2 or at step 3
 - implicit integration methods only
 - Presence of discontinuities
 - special integration method
 - Numerical stiffness
 - $S(t) = \max(|\operatorname{Re}(\lambda(t))|) / \min(|\operatorname{Re}(\lambda(t))|)$
 - Oscillatory components (no damping)
 - stiff integration methods behave bad

Review

- **Bond graphs**
 - domain independent
 - only macroscopic: no quantum effects
 - directed graph: parts interconnected by bonds
 - bond: energy relation \leftrightarrow bilateral signal flow
- **Methods**
 - systematic method IPM \rightarrow Bond graph
 - causal analysis
 - equations, block diagrams
- **Object-oriented modeling**
 - declarative, non-causal, hierarchical, definition & use
- **Not presented**
 - multiple connections
 - multiport elements (transducers)
 - other causality algorithms

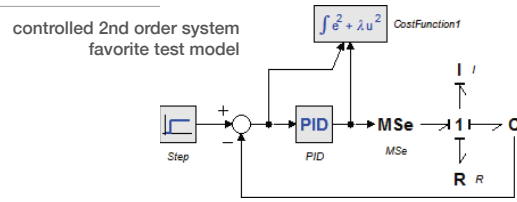
Further Reading

- **Fundamentals**
 - Paynter, 61: Analysis and design of engineering systems, Class Notes - origin!
 - Breedveld, 84: Physical systems theory in terms of bond graphs, PhD thesis,
 - Breedveld, 85: Multibond-graph elements in physical systems theory, J. Franklin Inst
- **Textbooks**
 - Karnopp, Margolis, Rosenberg, 90: System dynamics, a unified approach, Wiley
 - Thoma, 90: Simulation by bond graphs - Introduction to a graphical method, Springer
 - Cellier, 91: Continuous System Modeling, Springer
 - Job van Amerongen, 2011, Dynamical Systems for Creative technology ([pdf also](#))
 - most figures in this slide set are from this text book
- **Conferences**
 - ICBGM, 93, 95, 97, 99, etc even in 2016: in Winter Multiconference USA
- **Journals**
 - Journal of the Franklin Institute, special issues on bond graphs (1991)
 - Journal of Dynamic Systems, Measurement and Control.
- **Software**
 - Enport (Rosenberg), CAMP (Granda), MS1 (Lorenz), **20-sim** (Broenink), Amesim

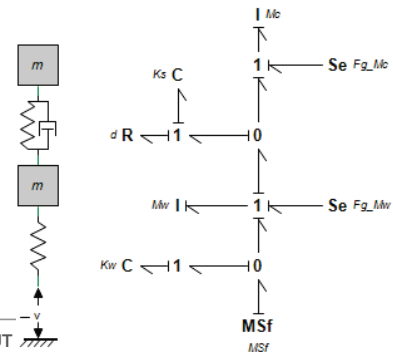
Examples to look at / or try out yourself

- **Examples Directory**

- **bond graphs**
 - speaker - 2D transduction with storage
 - trolley - 2D mechanics
 - Newton Cradle - contact
- **3D mechanics**
 - knuckleBoomCraneKeyboard
 - Complex robot OSCAR
- **Control**
 - **Advanced Control / FSM**
 - Finite State Machines stuffed in 20-sim
 - **Standard Control**
 - Active suspension



controlled 2nd order system
favorite test model



Quarter Car Model
vertical movement at 1 wheel



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A car is a complex system

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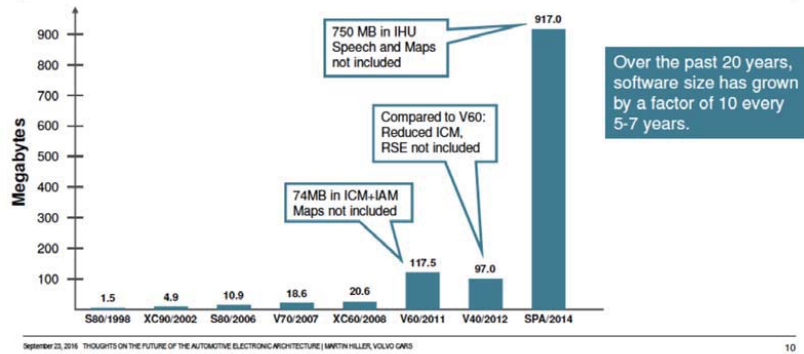
 Autonomy	 Electrification	 Connectivity
 Multiple brands multiple segments	 System of systems	 Crowd sourced data
 Product evolution after original sale	 Decreasing time to market	 Increasing OEM control over OEM concerns

September 23, 2016 | THOUGHTS ON THE FUTURE OF THE AUTOMOTIVE ELECTRONIC ARCHITECTURE | MARTIN HILLER, VOLVO CARS

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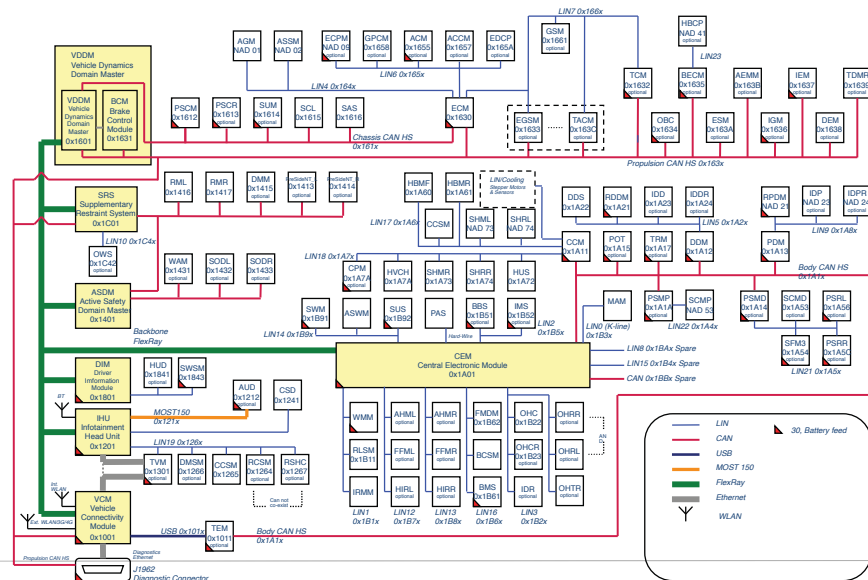
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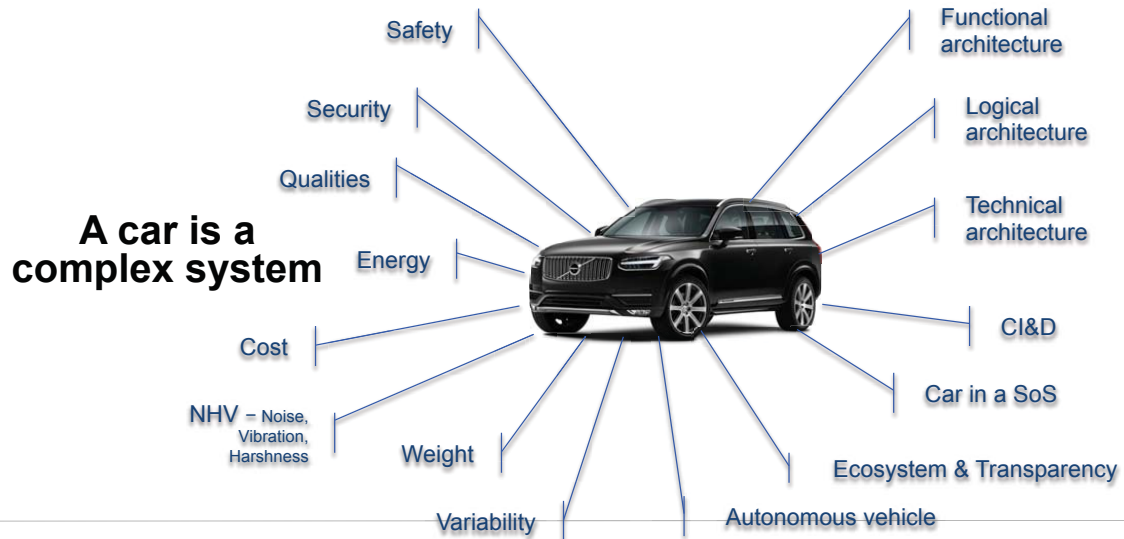
SOFTWARE SIZE EVOLUTION AT VOLVO



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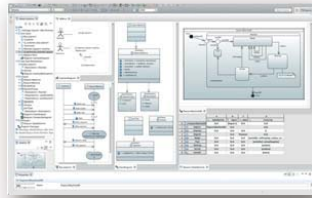
How many Electronic Control Units (ECUs) in a car?



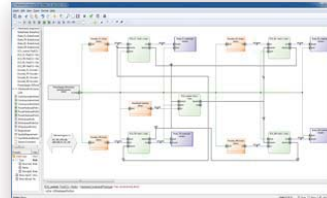


Which formalism to use to describe the architecture of a complex system?

Which formalism to use to describe the architecture of a complex system?



UML / UML profile?



Architecture Description Language (ADL)?

Survey on ALs – research questions

RQ1: What are the architectural description needs of practitioners?

RQ2: What features typically supported by existing architectural languages are useful (or not useful) for the software industry?



- Interviewed 48 practitioners from 40 different IT companies in 15 countries (questionnaire of 51 questions)

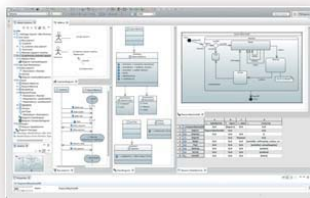
I. Malavolta, P. Lago, H. Muccini, P. Pelliccione, A. Tang (2013) **What Industry Needs from Architectural Languages : A Survey**, IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering (TSE) 39: 6. 869-891

Survey on ALs – some findings

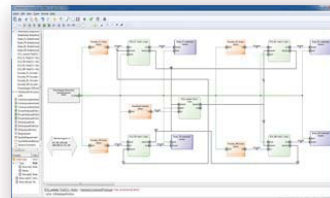
1. Architectural languages used in practice mostly **originate** from industrial development instead of from academic research
 - *Implication:* Need of understanding industrial requirement
2. ALs should combine features supporting both communication and disciplined development. We call this the **introvert** versus **extrovert** nature of architect role.
3. Organizations **prefer semi-formal** and generic ALs to formal and domain-specific ones
 - *Implication:* ALs should be **simple** and **intuitive** to communicate the right message to stakeholders, while enabling **formality** so to drive analysis and automatic tasks
4. Unclear the Return on Investment (ROI)

List of Architectural Languages: <http://www.di.univaq.it/malavolta/al/>

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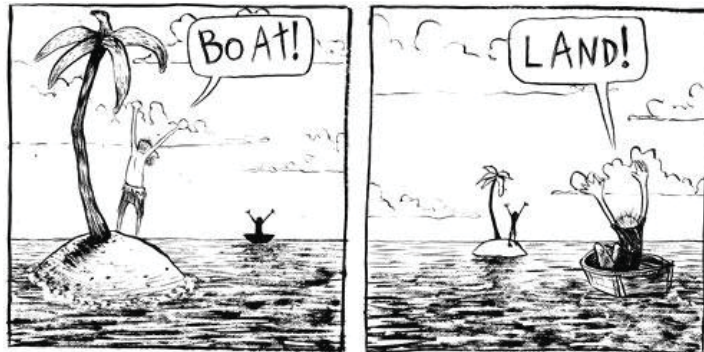


EAST-ADL



A set of them, many tools?

Multiple views!



Multiple views !?!

- Who are the intended consumers of a view?
- What's the purpose of a view?
- What's the rationale of a view?
- Why are we using this specific modeling environment?
- How the different views relate each other?



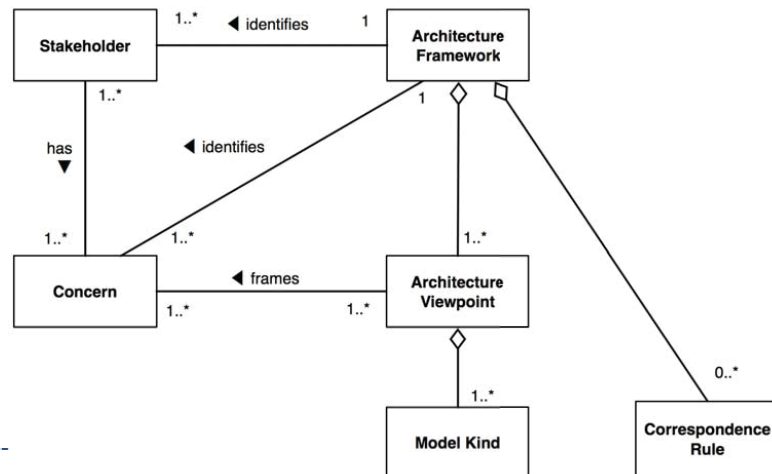
Architecture Framework !

“ An architecture framework is a coordinated set of viewpoints, conventions, principles and practices for architecture description within a specific domain of application or community of stakeholders ”

42010-2011 - ISO/IEC/IEEE Systems and software engineering -- Architecture description

<https://standards.ieee.org/findstds/standard/42010-2011.html>

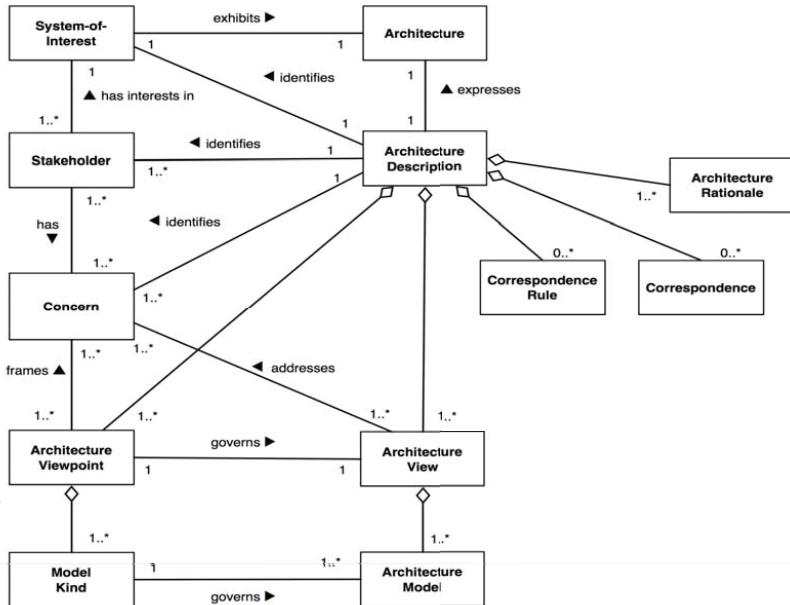
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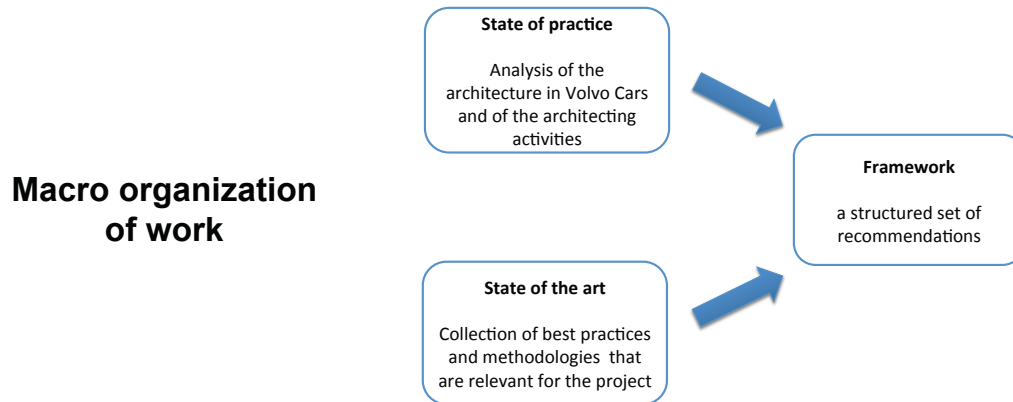
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Architecture Framework

- **A set of general elements of an architecture described by use of a concise and consistent terminology**
 - Guidance and rules for modelling, documenting, developing, understanding, analysing, using, and comparing architectures based on a common denominator (/ISO42010/) across a (virtual) development organization (i.e. value net).
- **The intention of an architecture framework for the automotive industry is to**
 - ensure that descriptions of vehicle architectures can be **compared and related** across different vehicle programs, development units and organizations
 - **establish the foundation** for overall value creation efficiency, risk reduction and, ultimately, increased innovation

Volvo Cars Architecture framework



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Identified problem within Volvo Cars

- State of Practice**
- **The actual architecture of the car is not exactly the one conceived by the architects**
 - The architecture is also emerging during development (bottom-up)
 - Some architectural decisions are made unconsciously
 - Which decisions have an impact on the architecture? – not easy
 - Some “actual” architects do not have the title of architect



Architecture degradation

- Architecture erosion
- Architecture drift

Limitations of the actual architecture description

State of Practice

- Importance varies over time
- Easily becomes out of date
- Too many details
- Variability management
- Should better document the design decisions
- Should better document / make explicit the assumptions made
- Should be a living document connected with the other development phases
- Should handle different views and viewpoints of different stakeholders' concerns
- Present and Future mixed in the same document

U. Eliasson, R. Heldal, P. Pelliccione, J.Lantz (2015) **Architecting in the Automotive Domain: Descriptive vs Prescriptive Architecture** In: In Proceedings of 12th Working IEEE / IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA 2015), IEEE, Montreal, Canada.
R. Heldal, P. Pelliccione, U. Eliasson, J. Lantz, J. Derehag, J. Whittle, **Descriptive vs Prescriptive Models in Industry**, Models 2016, St-Malo, France, 2016

Volvo Cars Architecture framework

- Focus on:
 - System of Systems (SoS) viewpoint
 - Continuous Integration & Deployment (CI&D) viewpoint
 - Ecosystem viewpoint



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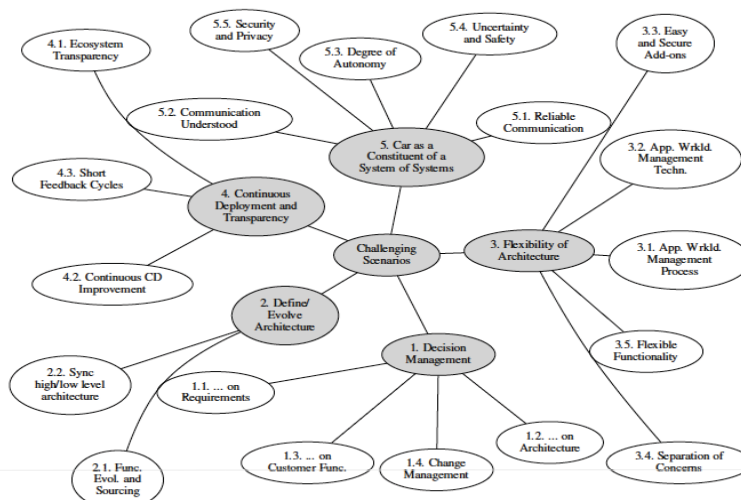
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Architecture Framework: stakeholders

Table 1: Overview of Stakeholders

Stakeholder	Group	Comment	Synonyms
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passengers Drivers Customers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> end-user end-user customer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Purchaser of a car or related service 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Product planner Purchaser Line managers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> customer customer management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acquirer of electrical system Purchasers of electrical system Has scheduling responsibility, long term quality responsibility, includes group, department Owms budget for development 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project managers System architects Functional developers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> management developers of electrical system developers of electrical system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Owms functional and non-functional aspects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> function owner; function realizer; function developer; function realizer; system developer
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Component developers SW supplier (internal/external) HW supplier (internal/external) Testers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> developers of electrical system developers of electrical system developers of electrical system developers of electrical system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can be internal or external from the perspective of the OEM. Can be internal or external from the perspective of the OEM. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attribute Owners Tool Engineers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> developers of electrical system developers of electrical system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Owms non-functional attributes like performance Specifically testing tools, including design tools (e.g. for requirements) 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Calibrators Diagnostic method engineers Workshop Personnel Fault Tracing Specialists Technical Specialist 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> developers of electrical system maintainers of electrical system maintainers of electrical system maintainers of electrical system specialists 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support developers and maintainers on specific topics 	

Architecture Framework: scenarios



Car in a SoS: concerns

- Once the car is part of a SoS, how to guarantee **functional safety** requirements?
- Once functional **safety requirements involve devices that are outside of the vehicle** (other constituent systems of the SoS), how to ensure that these requirements will be guaranteed?
- How the methods and processes for **end-to-end function development** and continuous delivery of software need to evolve to be suitable in a systems of systems setting?
- Which functions in the car are allowed to **use data coming from other constituents**?



Safety



Distributed end-to-end functionality

P. Pelliccione, E. Johansson, T. Larsson, M. Aramrattana, M. Ågren, G. Jonsson and R. Heldal, **Cars as constituents of a System of Systems**, ECSA Colloquium on Software-intensive Systems-of-Systems (SiSoS), ACM 2017.
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Car in a SoS: concerns

- How to enable a **reliable and efficient communication** between the vehicle and heterogeneous entities, like other vehicles, road signals, pedestrians, etc.?
- How to be sure that the vehicle and other constituent systems of the SoS will be **able to exchange information and to use** the information that has been exchanged?
- How to **keep the data** shared within the SoS (and possible replication of data) sufficiently **updated or synchronized**?
- How to manage the **age of available information**?



Connectivity and Heterogeneity of communication channels



Interoperability among constituent systems (cars, road signals, road infrastructure, ...)

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Car in a SoS: concerns

- How to guarantee that the security of the vehicle is preserved once the vehicle becomes connected?
- How to identify the right tradeoff between shared data and users' privacy?
- Which functions in the car are allowed to make use of data coming from other constituents?



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CI&D viewpoint: concerns

- How can we avoid building the **wrong architecture**?
- How can we reduce the number of architectural **assumptions**?
- How can a system respond **quicker** to changes in the market?
- How can we deal with **changing interfaces**?
- How can we deal with **dependencies**?



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 A. Shahrokni, P. Gergely, J. Söderberg, P. Pelliccione (2016) **Organic Evolution of Development Organizations - An Experience Report** In: SAE 2016 World Congress and Exhibition - Model-Based Controls and Software Development.

Ecosystem and transparency: concerns

- Which types of **value-chains** are implied by a given system architecture and what is their purpose?
- How to map **supplier development capabilities** to demands created by a specific system architecture?
- How can we **establish** the required level of **transparency** in a value-chain?
- How can we **manage transparency** (e.g. of architectural decisions) in the face of changing suppliers?



R. van der Valk, P. Pelliccione, P. Lago, R. Heldal, E. Knauss, and J. Juul, **Continuous Delivery in the Automotive Ecosystem: Transparency Trade-offs in Software Value-Chains**, Submitted to International Conf. Software Engineering (ICSE) SEIP 2017.

Ongoing work

- Detailing the viewpoints
 - Identifying Model kinds
- Modeling and managing relationships among viewpoints
- Integrating Architecture framework with ATAM (Architecture Tradeoff Analysis Method)



Takeaways

- Defining an architecture for a complex and real system is **much more than just modeling**
- Effective solution in practice need to combine **technical** aspects with **organization, process,** and **business** aspects
- **Architecture frameworks** are a promising way to manage the complexity of the architecture of a complex and big system



Technical papers:

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- Full papers due: 10 January 2017
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The overall workflow

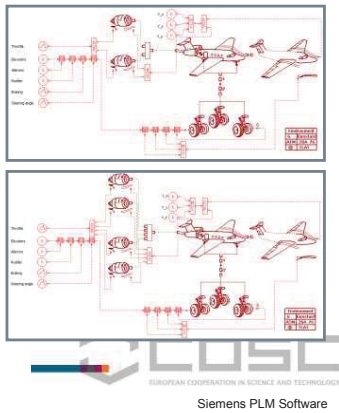
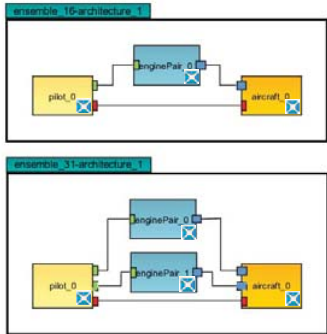
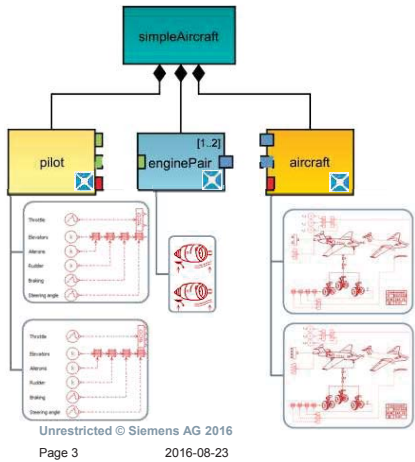
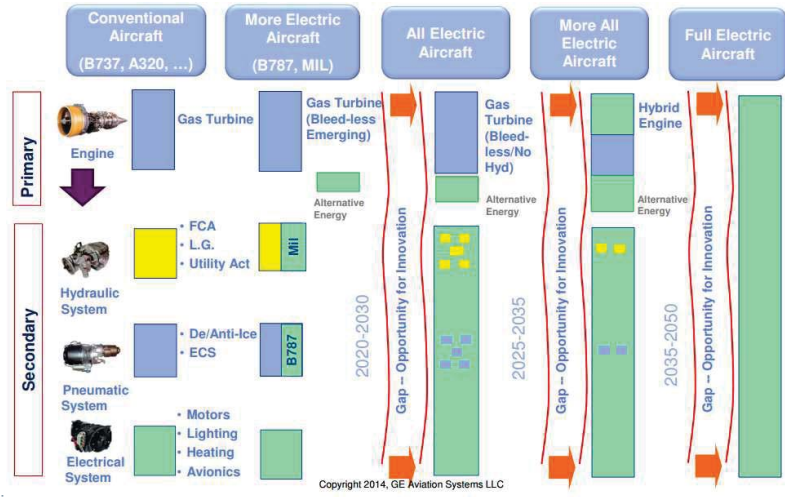


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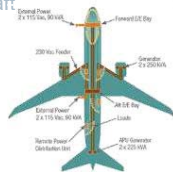


More-electric aircraft = more advanced electrical power system

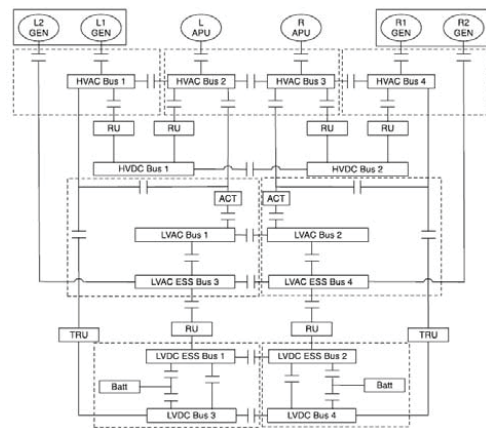


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Essential	Avionics	Flight controls	
	Lights	Engine starter	
	Miscellaneous	eECS	
		Landing gear	
		Wheel brakes	
Non-essential	IFE (Audio)	Ice protection	Galleys
	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	IFE
			Miscellaneous
			Miscellaneous

Example of electrical power consumers in aircraft (e.g., Bornholdt et al. 2015)



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Electrical system for more electric vehicle (Honeywell US 7439634 B2 patent, 2008)



Innovative Designs in aircraft electric power systems (EPS)
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 Design for Disaster



"The Miracle on the Hudson"



Airbus 320, US Airways Flight 1549, 15. January 2009

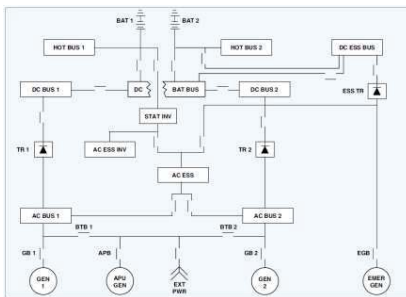
"Gimli Glider"



Boeing 767, Air Canada Flight 143, 23. July 1983



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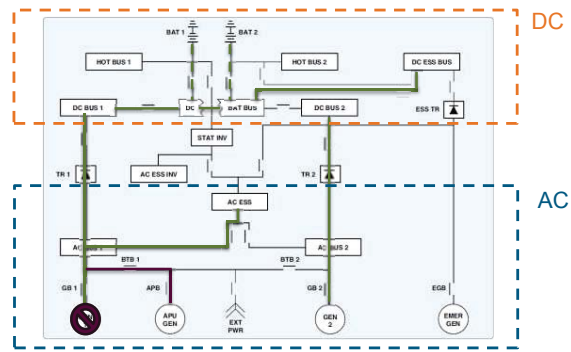
Electrical Power System – state-of-the-art

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Network of electrical components used to supply, transfer, and consume electric power



Display of an Airbus A320 EPS¹



Schematic of electrical system for twin-engine aircraft²

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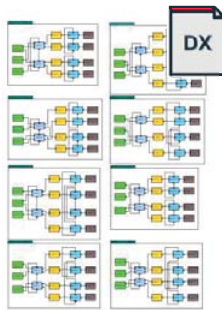
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The complete design process

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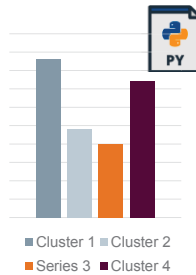
Design exploration

Auto-generation of different possible architectures with DX



Architecture ranking

Rank and select architectures



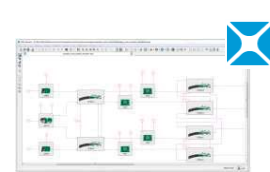
Controller generation

Automatically generate a controller for the Electrical Power System



Simulation

Integrate the controller with modelling software

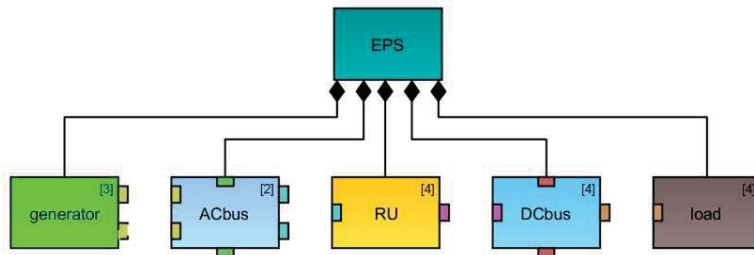


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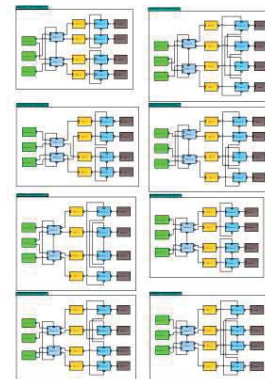
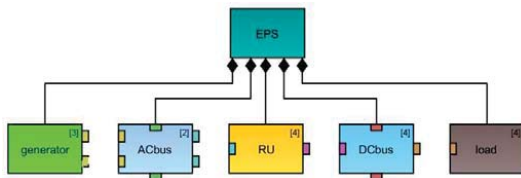
3-generator AC/DC system with 4 critical DC loads

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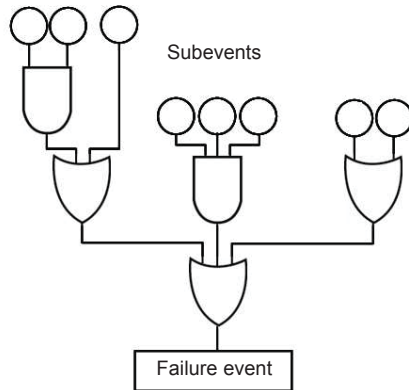
Design exploration

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- Tool to determine the failure probability of critical components
- A top-down analysis using Boolean logic



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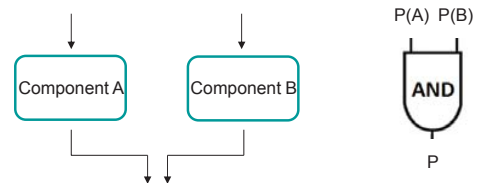
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Parallel components:

$$P = [P(A) \text{ AND } P(B)] = P(A).P(B)$$



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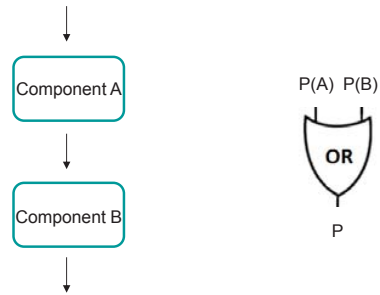
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Serial components:

$$P = [P(A) \text{ OR } P(B)] = P(A) + P(B) - P(A).P(B)$$



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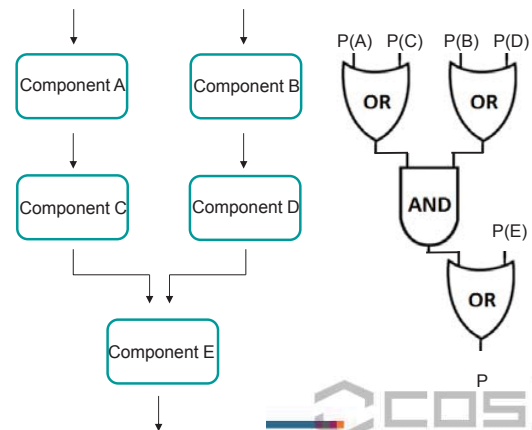
Combination of components:

$$P = P(E) + (P(A) + P(C) - P(A).P(C)).$$

$$(P(B) + P(D) - P(B).P(D)) -$$

$$[P(E). (P(A) + P(C) - P(A).P(C)).$$

$$(P(B) + P(D) - P(B).P(D))]$$



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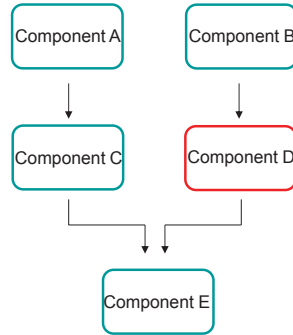
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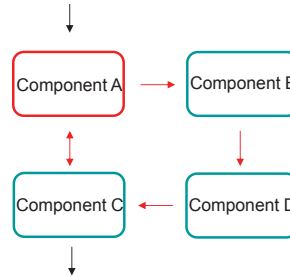
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2 difficulties:



Component is not aware of complete architecture



Existence of cycles



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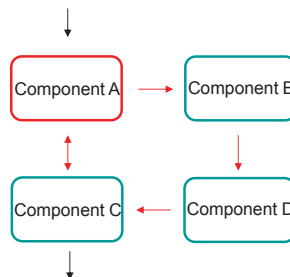
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Solution: a recursive algorithm that walks carefully through the architecture
(Nuzzo et al. 2014)



Algorithm 2 COMPRELIABILITY

Input: A directed graph G , an array of component failure probabilities P , an array of currently visited nodes C (at which failure probabilities must be computed), an array of previously visited nodes W .

Output: $probFail$, array of probabilities of all failure events induced by the neighbors of the nodes in C .

```

    probFail ← []
    L ← UNVNEIGH(C, W)  ▷ unvisited neighbors of nodes in C
    W ← [W, L]         ▷ update visited nodes

    if ISEMPTY(L) then
        probFail ← 1  ▷ return the neutral element
    else
        for all event in GENEVENT(L) do  ▷ all failure events
            fail ← 1
            for all k in L do
                if ISFAILINGk, event then  ▷ component fails
                    fail ← fail * P(k)
                else
                    if ISGENERATOR(k) then  ▷ healthy generator
                        fail ← 0
                    else
                        fail ← fail * (1 - P(k))
                    end if
                end if
                C ← [C, k]
            end for
            if EXISTSHEALTHY(event) then  ▷ not all fail
                fail ← fail * SUM(COMPRELIABILITY(P, C, W))
            end if
            probFail ← [probFail, fail]
            C ← []
        end for
    end if
  
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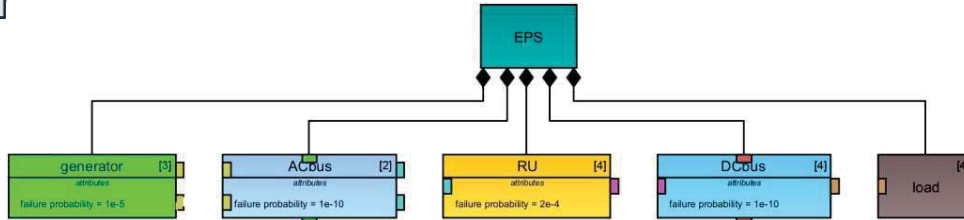
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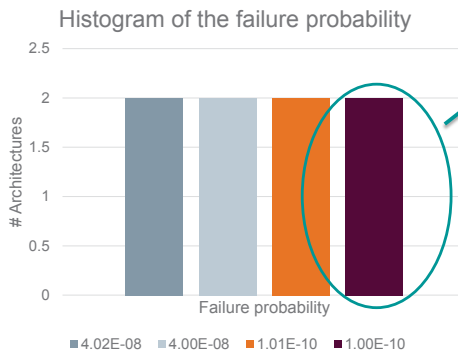
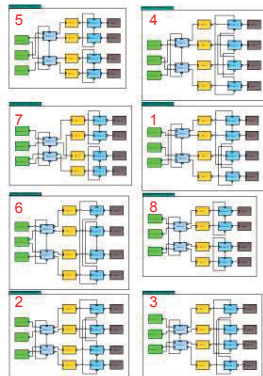
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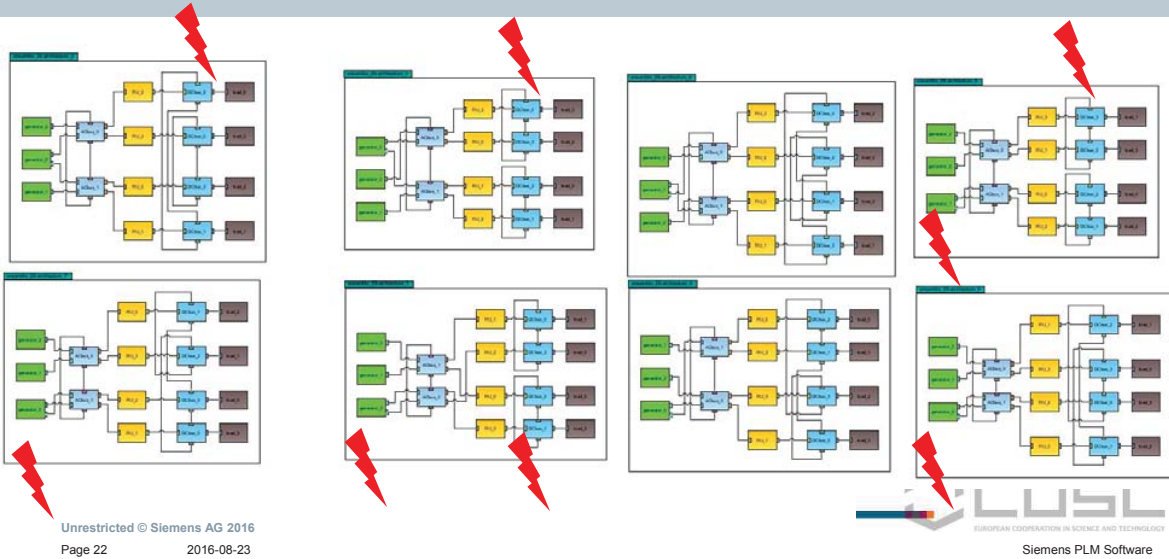
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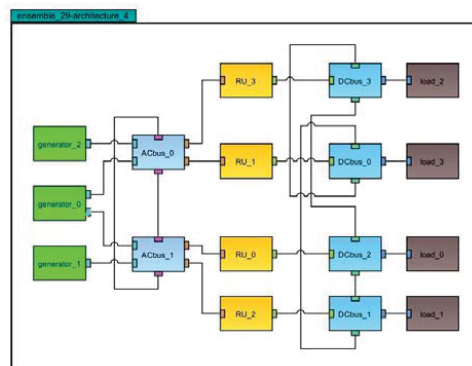
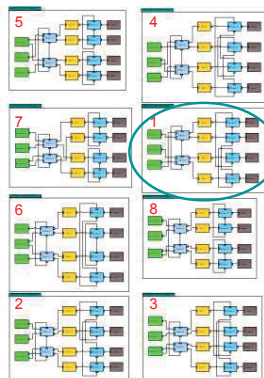
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The controller generation

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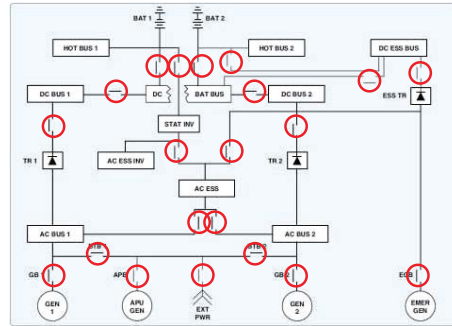
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- Create a controller for one specific architecture
- A controller governs the switches between components



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The controller description with LTL

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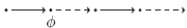
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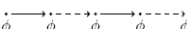
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Controller generation

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- Linear Temporal Logic (LTL) extends Boolean logic
- It is a modal temporal logic with modalities referring to time
- Logical operators + additional temporal operators

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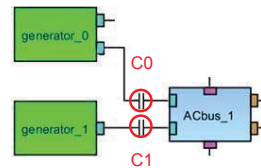
Controller generation

Simulation

- The controller generation software requires a description in LTL strings
- For example the following EPS requirements:
 - Isolation of a failed generator
 - Powering of a component
 - Parallel sources

```

! gen_0Health -> O ! C0Status
[] [Acbus_1Power <-> (gen_0Health && C0Status) ||
    (gen_1Health && C1Status)]
[] ! ( C0Status && C1Status)
    
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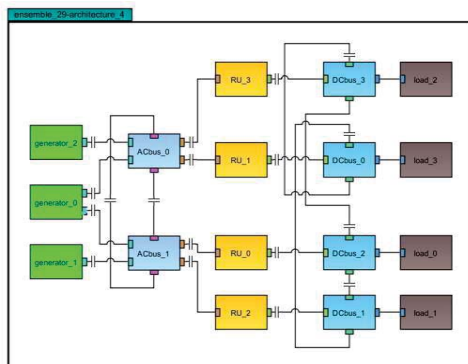
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The resulting controller:

- 35000+ lines of validated code
- 103 states
- Automatically generated



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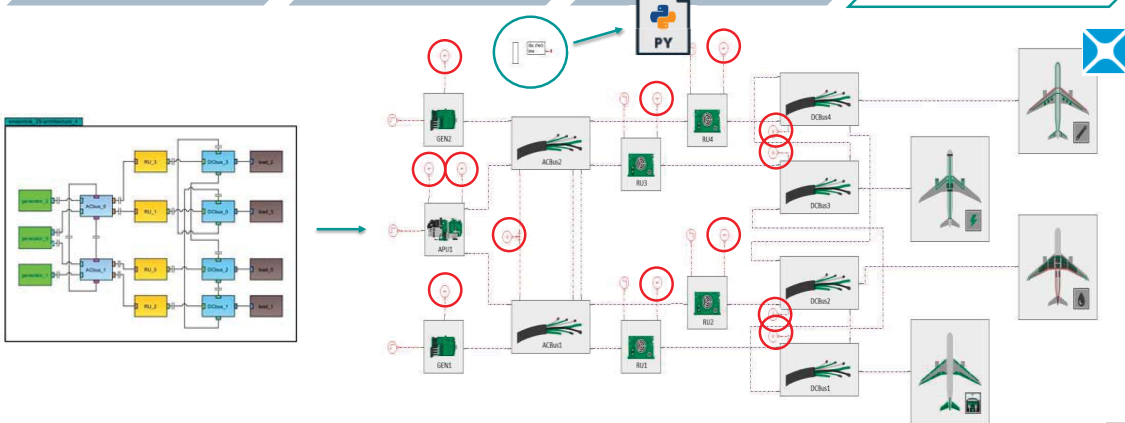
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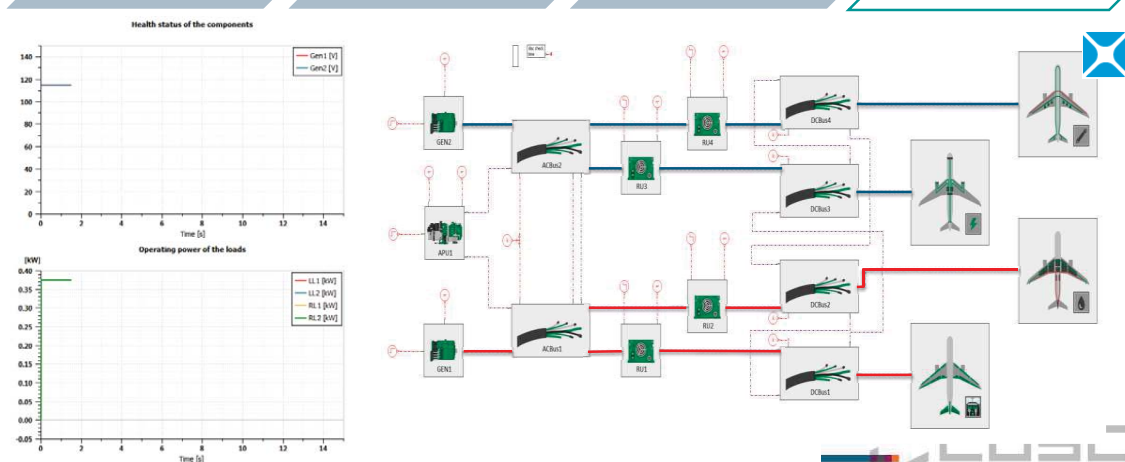
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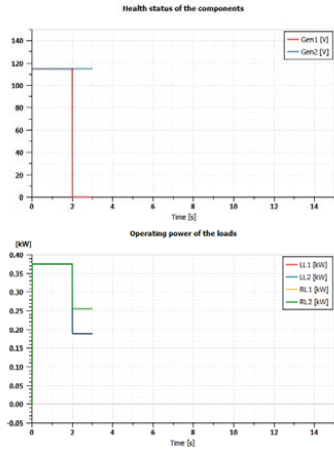
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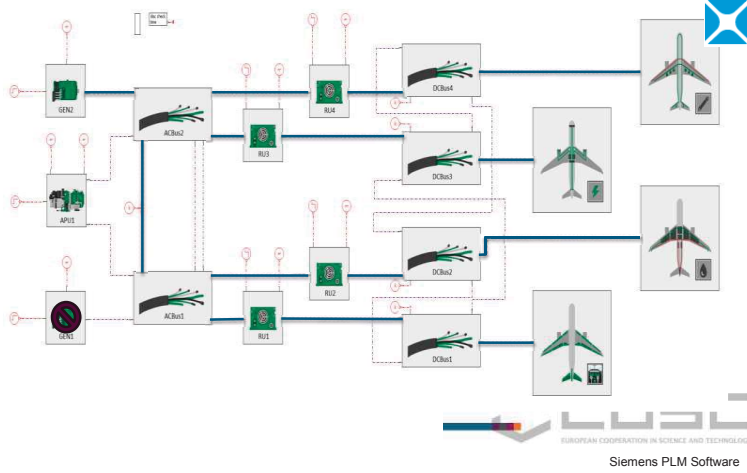
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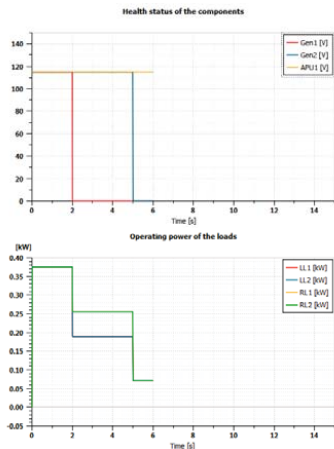
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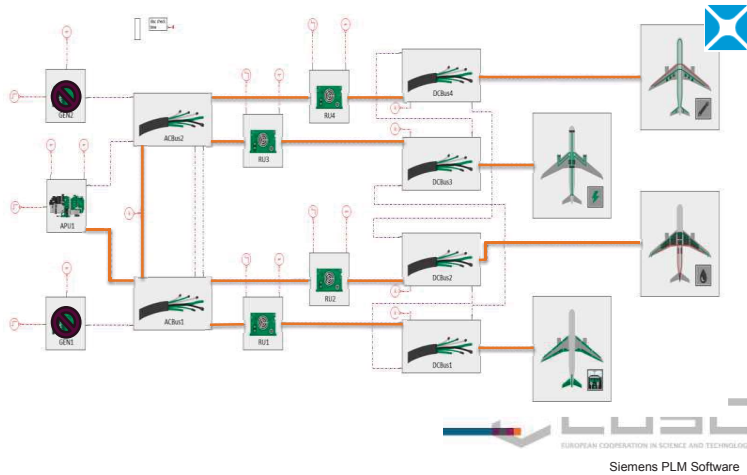
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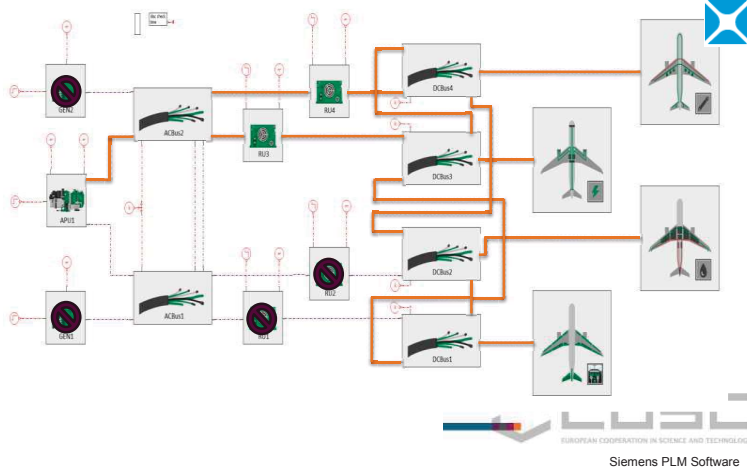
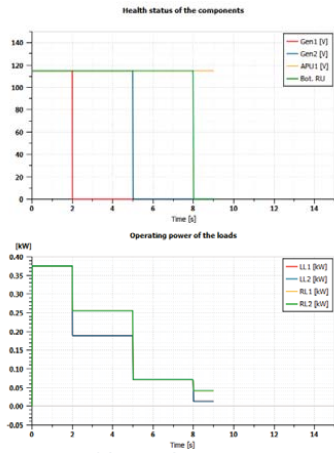
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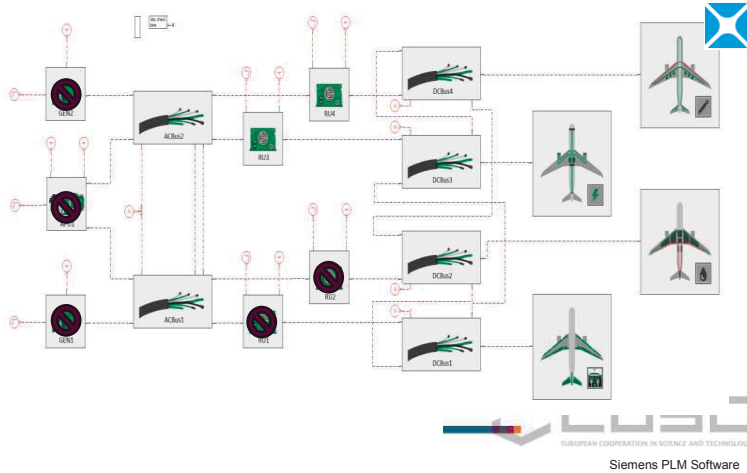
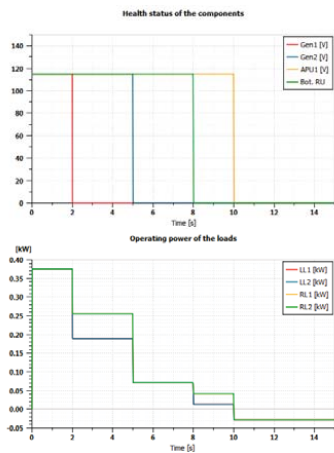
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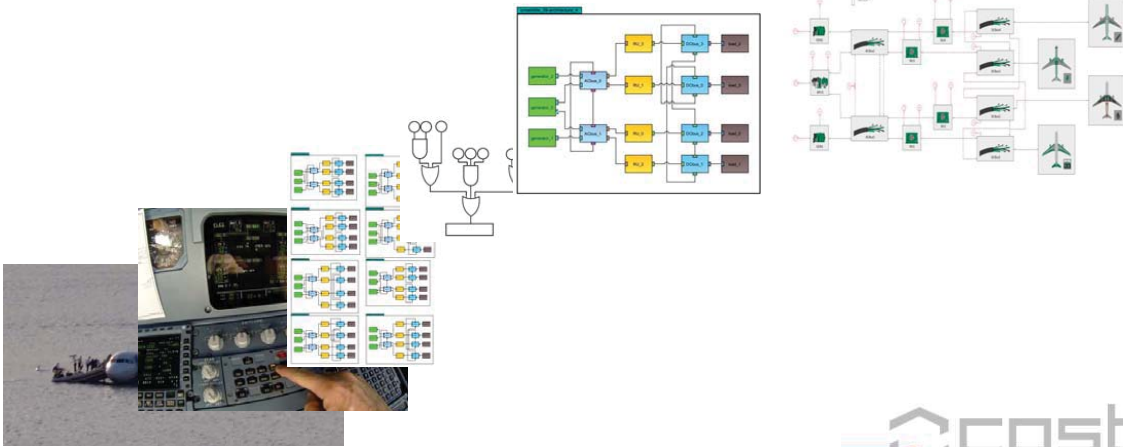
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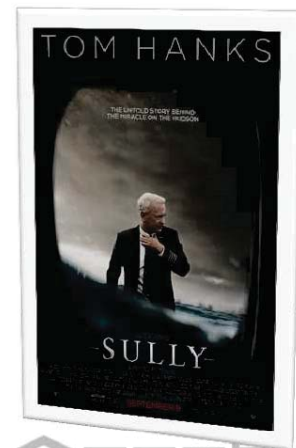
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SIMULATION AND DESIGN-TIME ANALYSIS OF THE SMART GRID IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

C1404 – Multi-Paradigm Modelling for Cyber-Physical Systems

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Introduction and Industrial Context

• My background

- **Software architecture design**
- Formal methods
- Functional correctness
- Performance and reliability engineering

• Affiliation

- Lab of Software Architecture and Information Systems (LaSARIS) – since **2009**
- **4** academics, **10** PhD students

• Industrial cooperation

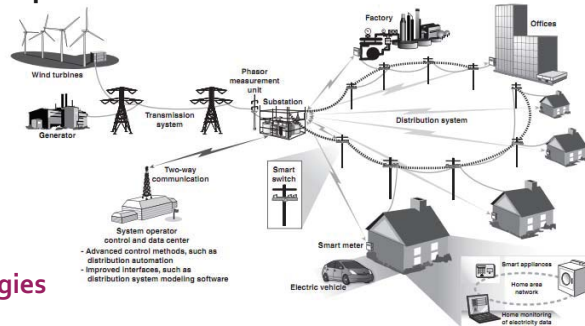
- Association of Industrial Partners – **32** companies, since **2007**
 - including Honeywell, IBM, Siemens, Rad Hat, AT&T, Konica-Minolta, Y Soft, Kentico, ...
- CERIT Science Park – **20** companies in our building, since **2014**
- Czech academic expert group – projects with ČEZ, E.ON, PRE, ČSRES



Smart Grid Analysis and Design

- **Smart Grid design in the Czech Republic**

- **What-if analyses, studies**
- Recommendations for the **Czech national action plan**
- Assessment of the **limits of existing infrastructure**
- Deployment and testing of **load control strategies**
- Design of **communication strategies**



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- **Primary concerns**

- Security, **safety**, availability, **privacy**, reliability, **cost efficiency**
- Design and operation of critical infrastructures in general
 - **Cybercrime detection** – cybernetic proving ground (KYPO project)
 - **Big data analytics** – anomaly detection, forensic analysis (CERIT-SC project)



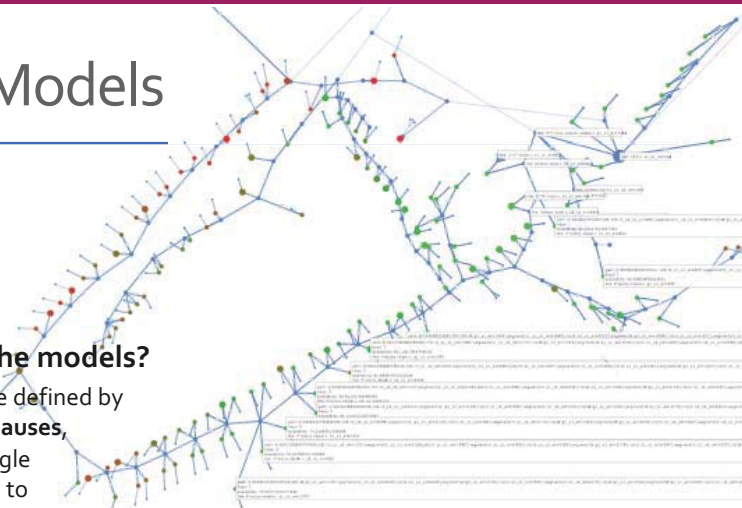
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- **Smart Grid models**

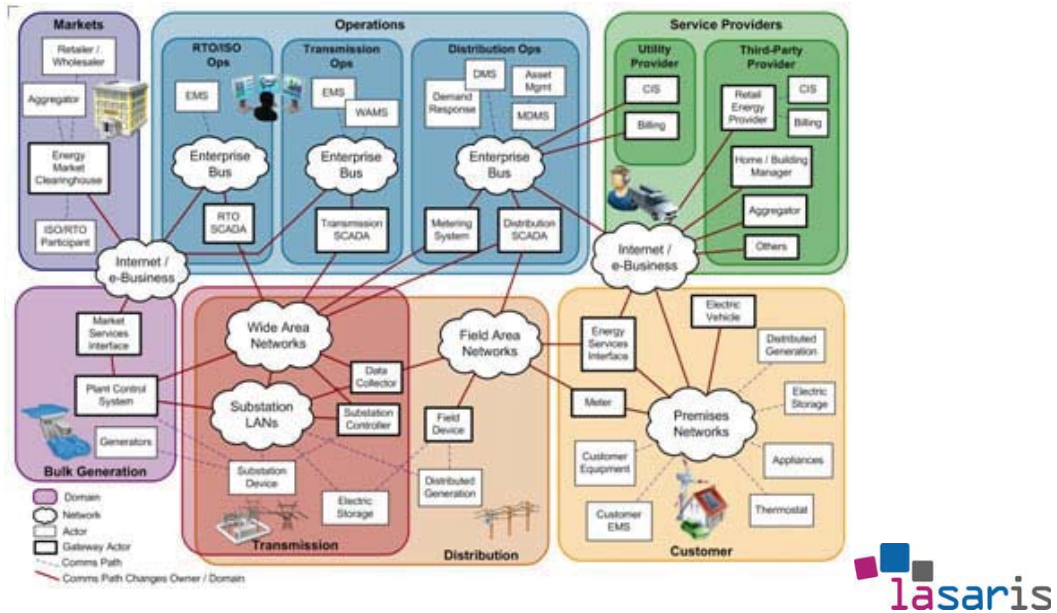
- **Prolog** based models
- **Grid Mind** simulation environment

- **How extensive are the models?**

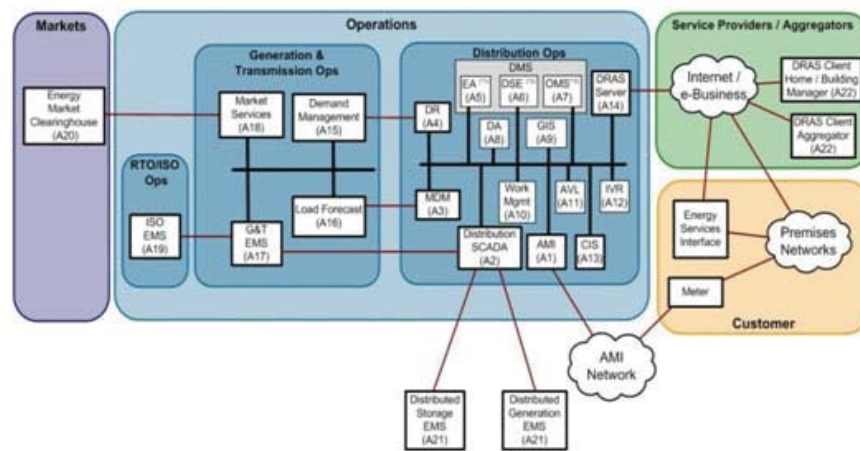
- **Size** – meta-models are defined by **thousands of prolog clauses**, model instance of a single substation area (equals to 50-100 households) is around **10,000-15,000 lines long JSON file** (we have 50,000 substations in the Czech Republic)
- **Time** – the whole Smart Grid in a matter of **hours or days**
- **Level of detail** - fed extensively with **technical details** (Testlab project)
- **Scope** - now reaching till the Home Energy Management Systems (HEMS) project)



NIST Smart Grid Conceptual Model



NIST Exemplary Architecture for SG Applications



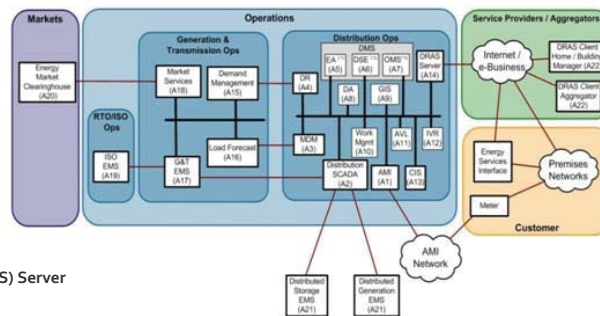
Notes

- 1: Engineering Analysis** (planning, applications, including: topology model, facilities model, distribution power flow, optimization of feeder boundaries, and switch and capacitor placement)
- 2: Distribution State Estimation** (real time application including: distribution operational analysis, Volt/Var/Watt control, and multilevel feeder reconfiguration). This is not completely covered in MultiSpeak at present.
- 3: Outage Management System** (including: fault isolation and restoration, planned outage request and switch orders)



NIST Exemplary Architecture for SG Applications

- (A1) Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI)
- (A2) Distribution domain Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA)
- (A3) Meter Data Management (MDM) systems
- (A4) Demand Response (DR) systems
- (A5) Engineering Analysis (EA)
- (A6) Distribution State Estimation (DSE) systems
- (A7) Outage Management System (OMS)
- (A8) Distribution Automation systems
- (A9) Geographic Information System (GIS)
- (A10) Work Management (WM)
- (A11) Automatic Vehicle Location (AVL)
- (A12) Interactive Voice Response (IVR)
- (A13) Customer Information System (CIS)
- (A14) Demand Response Automation System (DRAS) Server
- (A15) Demand Management (DM)
- (A16) Load Forecast (LF)
- (A17) Generation and Transmission (G&T) Energy Management System (EMS)
- (A18) Market Services (MS)
- (A19) Regional Transmission Operator (RTO) /Independent System Operator (ISO) Energy Management System (EMS)
- (A20) Energy Market Clearinghouse
- (A21) Distributed Energy Resources (DER) Energy Management System (EMS)
- (A22) Demand Response Automation (DRAS) Client



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A Multi-Domain Approach to Design of CPS in Special Education: Issues of Evaluation and Adaptation

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Abstract The paper presents a multi-domain approach to design of Cyber-Physical-Systems, especially in special education. The domains of game design for education and the control systems design are merged into the domain of novel educational technology design. The approach is tested within the recent EEA Grant project of Bulgaria and Norway "METEMSS: Methodologies and technologies for enhancing the motor and social skills of children with developmental problems". A formalized model is proposed to account for the nature and direction of the incremental game transformation based on the preferences of the individual child. The results provided statistically significant difference in the desired direction of game change. Examples with humanoid and non-humanoid educational robots are discussed with relevance to the topic of COST Action IC1404 WG3 Application Domains.

Keywords: Cyber-Physical Systems, multi-domain modeling, game design and evaluation, special education

1 Introduction

The concept of Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) is being introduced to account for technical devices with certain adaptive, sensing and reasoning abilities with a varying degree of autonomous behavior within networked environments (briefly named Internet-of-Things) – with or without the human in the information and control loop [1, 2, 3]. Seven types of CPS are most often discussed in the working documents of the EU [4, 5] (first 7 rows of Table 1). To them 3 additional, but none less important, can be proposed as emerging and rapidly acquiring influence in present day society - under No 8-10 of Table 1.

Environmental robotics includes swarm robots, robots intended to replace bees in the field, growing robots like trees, robotic fish intended to collect the underwater

pollution especially in bay areas of big cities and underwater cleaning of ship corpses. Two such robotic systems are currently being developed under the FET Proactive funding scheme of the EC – 2015-2018: FLORA ROBOTICA and subCUL-Tron [6].

The domain of CPS for creativity, art, social communication/media and companionship deal with the entertainment industry where robotic performance is comparable to the human one – in composing music, painting, performing music or dancing and in simulating human-to-human communication in the social media [e.g. 7, 8].

Table 1. Classification of Cyber-Physical Systems

No	Cyber-Physical Systems
1.	Disabled People
2.	Healthcare
3.	Agriculture & Food Supply
4.	Manufacturing
5.	Energy & Critical Infrastructures
6.	Transport & Logistics
7.	Community Security & Safety
8.	<i>Environmental Robotics</i>
9.	<i>Creativity, Art, Social Communication/media and Companionship</i>
10.	<i>Education & Pedagogical Rehabilitation</i>

The education & pedagogical rehabilitation frameworks have emerged recently but have been employed widely for implementing information and robotic technology in clinics and special education [e.g. 9, 10, 11]. A promising case is the Wizard of Oz experimental framework for the analysis of the human response to the performance of the robot [12].

We witness the emergence of a new ontology, so-called ‘rob-ontology’ with a special application domain being education. Currently robots are being used as part of the subject “informatics” (i.e. computer science) or in extra-curriculum lessons. Our view is that the moment of introducing robots at school is late – at the age of 12 or older - whereas almost all above mentioned robotic systems and platforms are designed for little children. If we populate the child’s environment with robots from the age of 3, this will help feel comfortable with technology from a very early age, very much in the same way as smartphones and laptops have already done. This will also open workplace for technicians, engineers, software developers and multidisciplinary teams, including psychologists and special education teachers, at kindergarten and school and will give examples of highly skilled jobs to the children. The educators will learn technical and programming skills to operate the robotic platforms.

The robots will assist the teachers in the process by exhibiting cognitive and social skills in an amusing learning environment. The process of implementing robotic technology at school is to be gradual – from simple to more complex behaviors of the robot. The schools that decide not to implement robotics will be at disadvantage with the others, so **legal regulation** will be necessary to **promote** the new trend with using robot assistants to the teacher. Parents can be informed and attracted to the idea by pointing out the possibilities that robots can demonstrate regarding shaping their children’s interests.

In general, all these 10 groups of CPS encompass the large, domain specific developments of robotic systems that are implemented in practice to this moment or are currently being designed. But in terms of the internal ontological specificity of the CPS, or the robots under consideration, the following taxonomy/categorization of robots is proposed along the dimension of the level of involvement of the human in defining, controlling or predicting the behavior of the robot from the lowest human involvement to the highest: **Autonomous CPS**, **Semi-autonomous CPS** and **Assistive CPS**. The latter are technological platforms (networked software and hardware, e.g. Aldebaran’s NAO [13]) for design of scenarios of robot behavior. The main applications of the assistive CPS are: education, pedagogical rehabilitation, mental health, playing games, socializing (as well as in other domains).

One possible application of assistive CPS is presented further in the present paper. The domains of game design for education and the control system design are merged into the domain of novel educational technology design (Fig. 1).



Fig. 1. Multi-domain approach towards the process of game design in special education

The approach is implemented within the recent EEA Grant project of Bulgaria and Norway "METEMSS: Methodologies and technologies for enhancing the motor and social skills of children with developmental problems" (2015-2016) [14].

2 A Formal Model of the Design Process of Assistive CPS in Special Education

The proposed evolving design of games for children with special needs describes the transition from one experiment in real-life conditions to another, not just from pilot to real-life testing, which is the main specificity of the current approach. The pilot testing in the laboratory is denoted as Experiment 0 in Fig. 2.

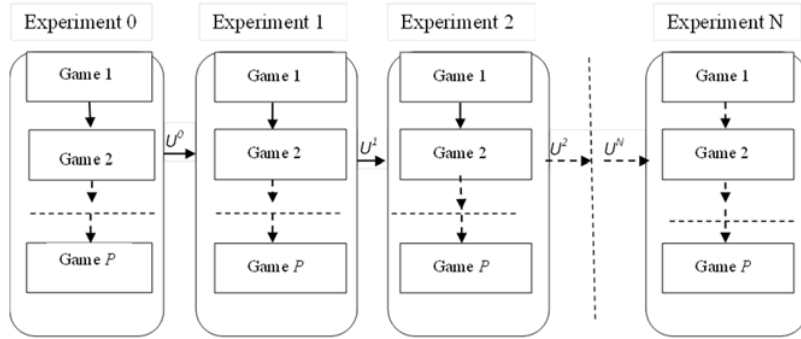


Fig. 2. A systems approach to the representation of the process of game testing in the evolving design framework

Consider the process of training motor and social skills of children using evolving game design. Children play games consecutively, either individually, or in groups (figure 2). The assessment of the game is made based on the set of averaged scores given by the teachers at the end of each game and at the end of each experiment along several game dimensions. After each experiment and in case of unsatisfactory result, improvements are being made in the games. These improvements in the games after each experiment are considered the manipulated process variables in terms of the control vector \mathbf{U}^k .

$$\mathbf{U}^k = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathcal{R}^2, k = 1, 2, \dots, N \quad (1)$$

is a 2-dimensional vector representing 2 types of possible improvements of the games after the k -th experiment, $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$:

- adding a new function/functionality to the game - u_1 ;
- adding new elements to the construction of the game - u_2 .

The process terminates when the game has no further capacity for improvement.

Let's denote the state after the i -th game from k -th experiment by $x(\text{Game}_i^k)$. After completion of the k -th experiment, if the result is not satisfactory from a designer point of view, we make improvements in the games. The improvements can be of both types - u_1, u_2 - from the described above, or only one, in the opinion of the experts. These improvements are assumed the control actions on the process of enhancing the trained skills of children, playing the games, within the proposed model. Therefore, the initial value of the $k+1$ -st experiment is determined by a non-homogeneous linear system described by

$$x(\text{Game}_1^{k+1}) = x(\text{Game}_p^k) + BU^k, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, N, \quad (2)$$

where U^k is the control variable from the k -th to $k+1$ -st experiment.

Matrix $B \in \mathcal{R}^{m \times 2}$ consists of coefficients, reflecting the individual m number of skills of the participating children, as described by their teachers in the children's profiles. The detailed description of the model is presented in [15].

3 Types of Games Included in the Evolving Game Design Framework

The developed games within the METEMSS framework are intended for use in motor, cognitive and social skills training. Games of type I use Kinect sensor for 3D interaction within a virtual environment via gestures (Fig. 3).



Fig. 3. A child, playing game called “Flipper”, hitting virtual balls to reach a target on the screen

Type II are games with humanoid robot NAO. The interaction with a humanoid robot is always very emotional (Fig. 4, right).



Fig. 4. A child playing basketball with NAO humanoid robot.

Type III are games with nonhumanoid robots – "Minion" doll with robotic arm (figure 5) and a walking robot called BigFoot (figure 6). The CPS implementing non-humanoid robots were designed at ISER-BAS especially for the project METEMSS with the assistance of the Departments of Medico-social sciences and Logopedics of the South West University, Bulgaria.



Fig. 5. A Minion doll with anthropomorphic robotic hand

A Minion doll was equipped with an anthropomorphic robotic hand designed with 3D printing technology and controlled by a Kinect sensor (Fig. 5, right). The doll imitates the gestures of the child. As a reward, a song is played when the child is attentive to the game. The observed effect was of assisting the development of the social skills via the robotic technology – both humanoid and non-humanoid by creating an entertaining and amusing environment in the special school [16].

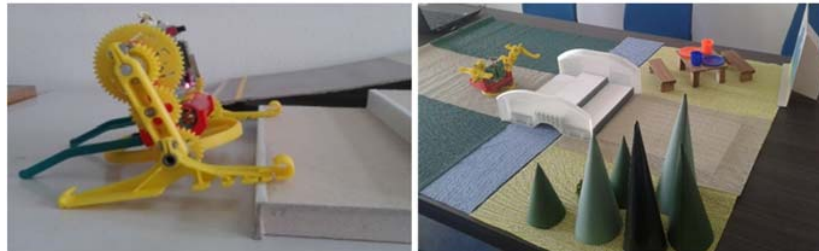


Fig.6 . Remotely controlled non-humanoid robot BigFoot in an imaginary environment

The walking robot BigFoot was placed in a social context – in a scene with buildings, trees, animals - and the task of the children was to remotely control its movements left-right, up-down, to reach a certain goal. It trains learning of colors, shapes and directions (figure 7).



Fig. 7. A child remotely controlling the movement of the walking robot BigFoot

We have called the approach *Evolving design* of games for children with special learning needs. It consists of the following steps:

- Conducting Experiment 0 in the laboratory (piloting);
- Conducting Experiment 1 in real life settings;

- Analysis and recommendations for evolution of the game design;
- Game modifications;
- Conducting Experiment 2 in real life settings;
- Evaluation of the change in *quantitative* terms.

Examples of the proposed game modifications between 2 successive experiments as elements of vector U^k are the following. Changing the interface of a game is an example of u_1 . The laptop from Fig. 6 was replaced with a joystick, so that the robot and its control are within the eye view of the child. Example of u_2 is adding a constructive element in the game (adding a holding platform to the Walking robot) as presented in Fig. 8, following the child's request.

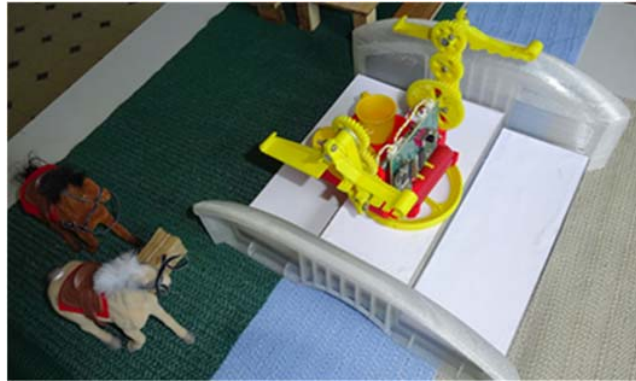


Fig. 8. Adding a holding platform to the Walking robot from Experiment 1 to Experiment 2

Adding a holding platform to the Walking robot on child's request makes the game design participative.

4 Issues of Evaluation and Adaptation: Main Hypotheses

The main hypotheses for the quantitative comparison of the games were the following:

H1. Games with bigger change in their design from experiment 1 to experiment 2 will be given scores by the teachers in the expected direction for positive change.

H2. Games with overall positive scores for improved design will score positively for both *motivation* and *interest* of the children.

In total 73 filled in questionnaires were collected from the teachers in both experiments. These consisted in 9 Likert scales along dimensions like "role for cognitive/social/motor development", "interest of the child", "motivating role of the

game”, etc. [15]. Four of the games produced subsequent testing according of the model and were used to validate the hypotheses - „Flipper“, „Forms and Shapes“, „Walking Robot BigFoot“ and „Minion Doll with Robotic Hand“. These 4 games were used to test hypotheses 1 and 2.

The results regarding H1 were the following: The 2-factor ANOVA did not reveal main effect of the factor “Game”, nor of the factor “Experiment”, however revealed significant interaction between the factors, $F(3, 56) = 3.70$, $p = 0.017$, which was expected, meaning that scores of games behaved differently in different conditions. The overall scores of the teachers of the games Walking Robot and Minion Doll were higher after experiment 2 in comparison with experiment 1, unlike the other 2 games, therefore supporting H1.

The results regarding H2 were the following: Two-way ANOVA did not reveal main effect of game on the scores and no interaction, but revealed main effect of Experiment for the games Walking Robot BigFoot and Minion Doll with Robotic Hand, in teacher’s assessment of children’s interest and motivation, $F(1, 28) = 4.77$, $p = 0.038$. Both evaluations of children’s *motivation* and *interest* in the modified games after experiment 2 were significantly higher for these 2 games than after experiment 1, therefore supporting hypothesis 2.

5 Conclusion

The proposed system model for evaluation of the process of design of games is an effective instrument of the evolving design of games for children with special needs. The evolving design describing the transition from one experiment in real-life conditions to another, not just from pilot to real-life testing, is the main specificity of the current approach. It can be applied to predict the direction of game evolution in quantitative terms. The attitudes of the children towards the modified games are well reflected in the teachers’ scores along several dimensions. The multi-domain approach is applicable in other educational scenarios and fulfills the role of bringing technology closer to children and assisting the teachers in their profession.

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How to exploit an experience gained in PCS related projects for master students training program in ERASMUS+ project?

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Agenda

- Automation challenges and Arrowhead project approach
- A model of utilities systems control and practical implementation of System of systems
- Students training program in ERASMUS+: experience and ideas

Arrowhead approaches

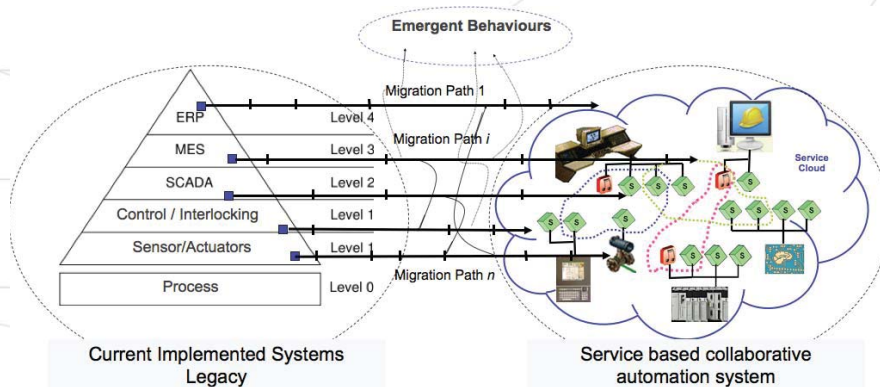
Arrowhead: Process and energy system automation

- 4 years project
- 68M€
- 79 partners
- Coordinated by ARTEMIS Centres of Innovation Excellence (CoIEs)
- Riga Technical University together with Smart Meter Ltd (SME)

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ISA-95 systems in to the cloud?



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What's in the works Arrowhead

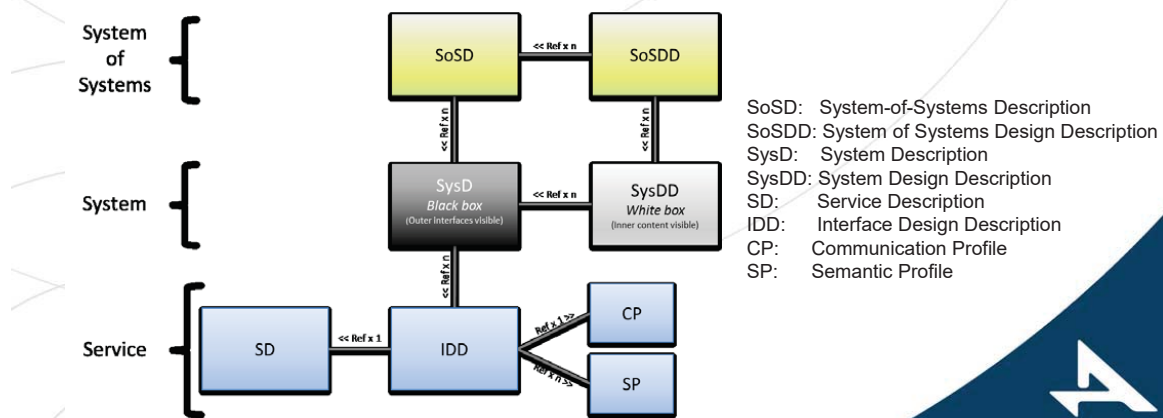
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- Automation cloud integration technology - SOA based
 - Interoperability at service level across suppliers and technologies
 - Technology translation
 - Integration to legacy technology
 - Development support, documentation, training
 - Development tools
 - Test tools
 - Open source working examples
 - Commercial actors offering products



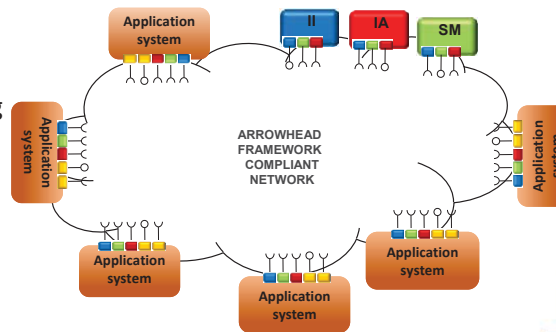
Engineering tools for cloud automation systems development support, documentation

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Arrowhead Framework - support for: System⁷ of systems in a local cloud

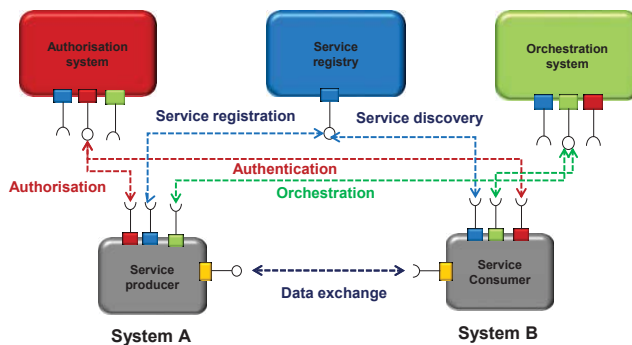
- System of systems SoS, approach
- Information provided as a configurable services
- Orchestration of services possible and feasible with complex event processing
- Mandatory core systems:
 - Information infrastructure
 - System management
 - Information assurance



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SOA implementation according to Arrowhead approach



The purpose is to enable the different application systems in an easy and flexible way being able to collaborate successfully due to support provided by the common core services.

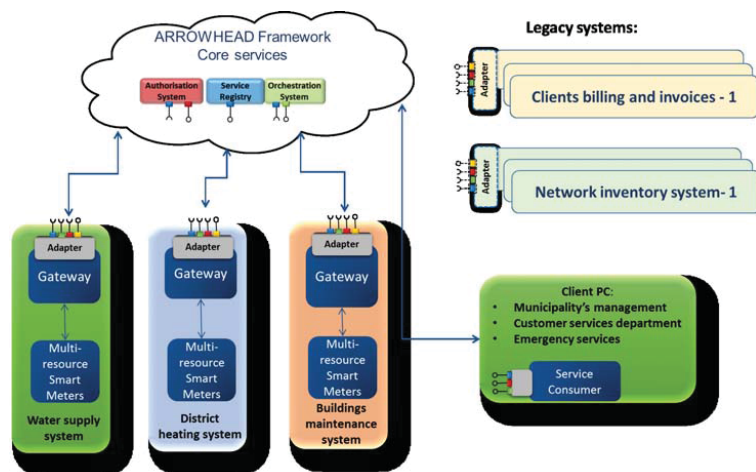
The problem issues of utilities networks maintenance

- Each utility maintains its own network of meters and sensors, own system for data collection and storage, separate customer service, inventory, bookkeeping, billing and etc.
- The majority of the systems are obsolete and incompatible.
- Development of sensor network for monitoring and control and its maintenance is a challenging process due to plenty of human work.

The tasks

- To provide an evidence of a practical implementation of public utility's network automated monitoring system, which complies with Arrowhead framework approach:
 - Development of SOA based application services as web services applying most suitable IEC standards.
 - A modular technical solution for sensors, and gateway nodes.
 - Develop a concept of common core services for the cloud of public utilities systems.

Arrowhead view of utilities automation cloud

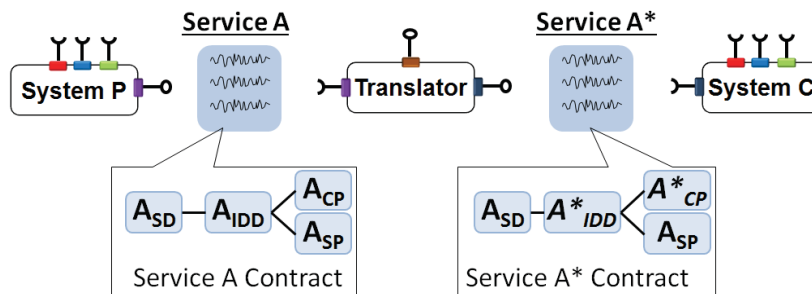


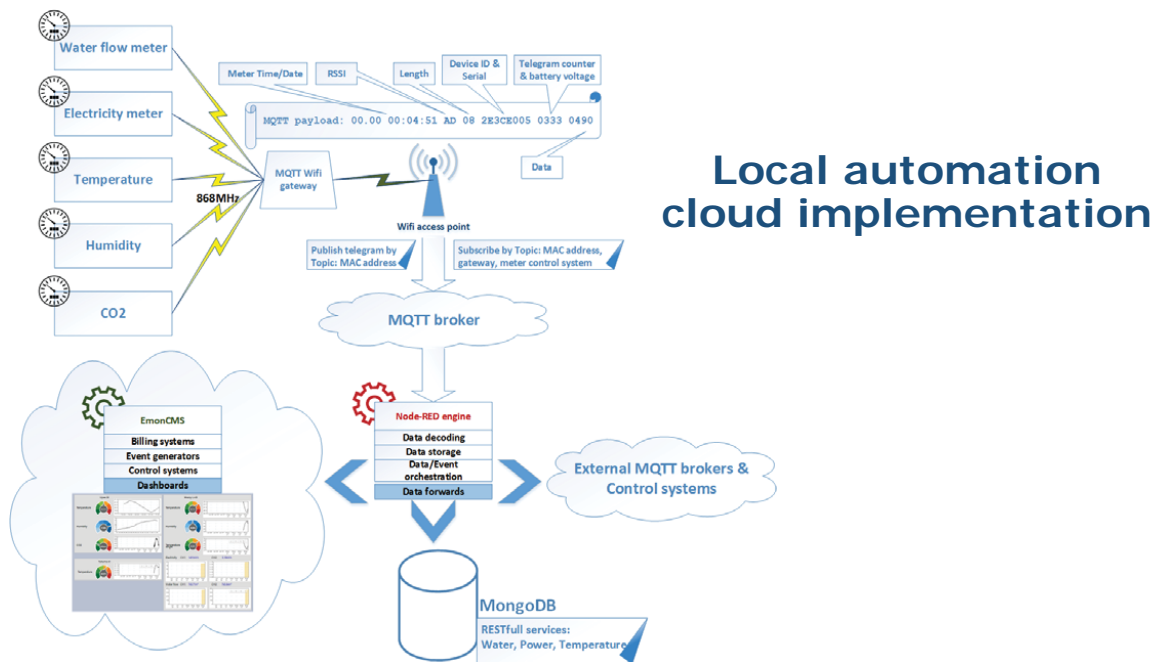
Interoperability

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The project team investigated protocols to make machine assisted translation like:

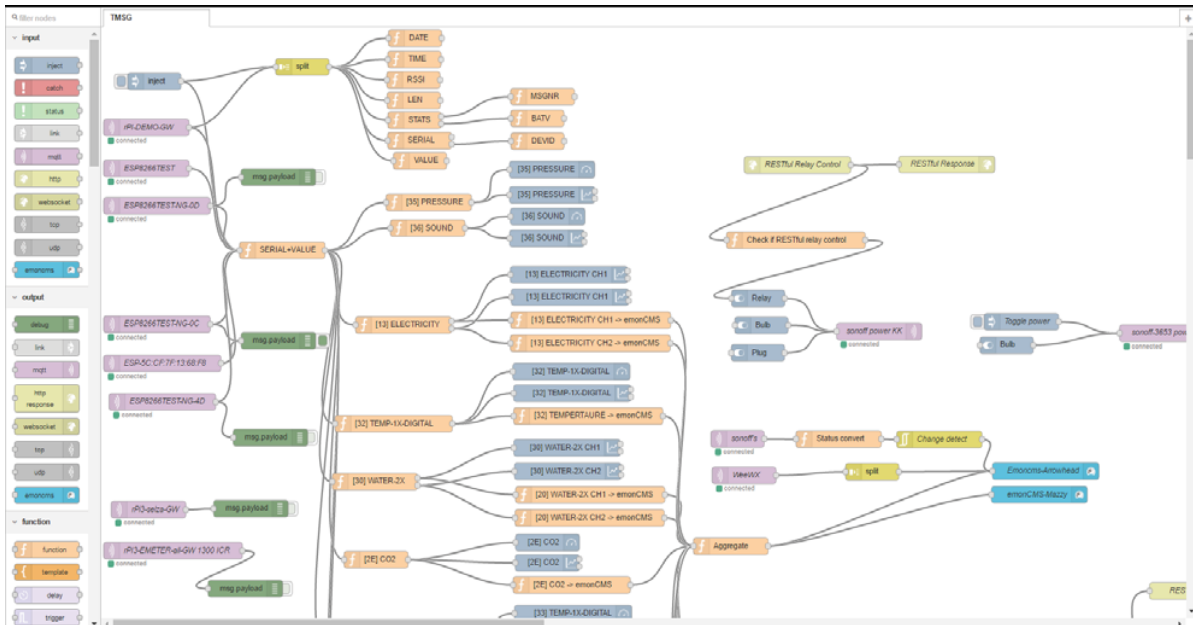
- CoAP <-> XMPP <-> MQTT <-> OPC-UA <-> REST and so on
- Service integrity over protocols, data structures, semantics etc.
- Current status: REST - CoAP - MQTT - JASON





System architecture

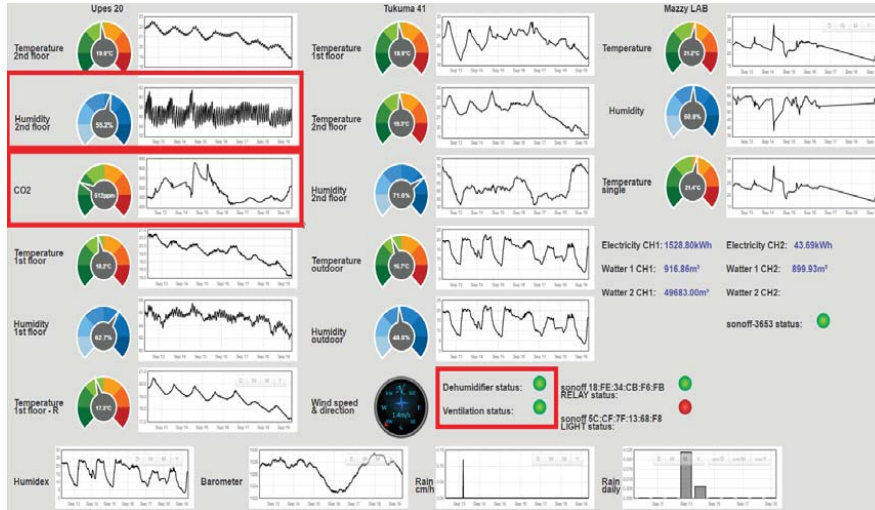
- SoS enables core services: service registry, orchestration and authorization
- **Node-Red** main functionality is
 - to decode and to route MQTT smart metering data to further service orchestration
 - or use in external services as customer billing or monitoring systems.
- **Node-Red** is an open source visual editor for wiring the internet of things
- **EmonCMS** is an open-source web application for processing, logging and visualising energy, temperature and other environmental data and is part of the Open Energy Monitor project.
- Multiple operations are implemented to decode the payload and forward it to a data storage and visualization service using the IoT approach



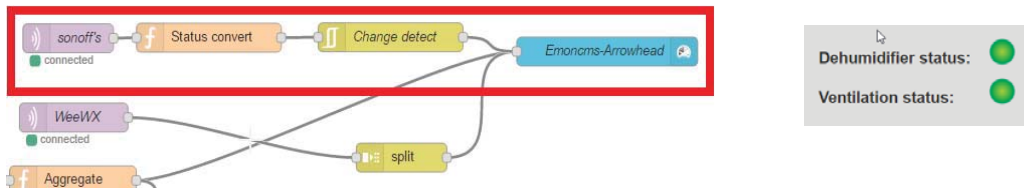
Services for third party control application

- Dashboard has been created to visualize different sensor feeds.
- A [third party control application](#) has been selected to demonstrate IoT system intercommunication using other independent service providers.
- For the purpose of demonstration a [power relay Sonoff](#) from ITEAD was used
- For the demo application two systems are controlled a [ventilator](#) with regeneration system and a [dehumidifier](#)
- [Sonoff](#) Wi-Fi enabled relay is able to communicate using MQTT or CoAP protocols with are of interest in the scope of the demo application.
- [EmonCMS](#) is used as the Orchestration service by:
 - processing incoming data feeds and triggering response events
 - or providing response streams for controlling external applications
 - or providing new data as status
 - or combining measurement results.

An example of service humidity control



An example of service humidity control



1. The application logic receives periodic MQTT messages that after decoding are injected into EmonCMS inputs
2. Upon state change **Sonoff devices** publish a status topic and message. This data is processed by the broker system and equipment status data is fed back into EmonCMS for bidirectional monitoring.
3. The status of the **relays** and the controlled equipment is visualized in **EmonCMS** dashboard (the green indicator is On, red is Off).
4. **Sonoff relay** handles the status published topic devices.
5. **Status convert node** – extracts the MAC address and builds a new MQTT message.
6. **Change detect node** – blocks repeat MQTT messages and allow the flow only if the last message topic and payload differ from the previous.

Conclusions and next steps

- **Conclusion**

- We analysed protocols used for industrial automation that can be applied for utilities network control.
- We applied an Arrowhead approach for creating a model view of utilities networks control System of Systems
- We piloted a concept of sharing of application services among public utilities.
- We applied MQTT broker as protocol adaptor when MQTT messages are being pre-processed using Node-RED a tool for compatibility .

- **Constrains**

- The challenge still is services provision to municipality's legacy systems

- **Further plans**

- The research team will look for the most efficient way of different protocols translation across the systems taking into account that a majority of utility systems apply metering devices with appropriate protocols and interfaces.



Erasmus+

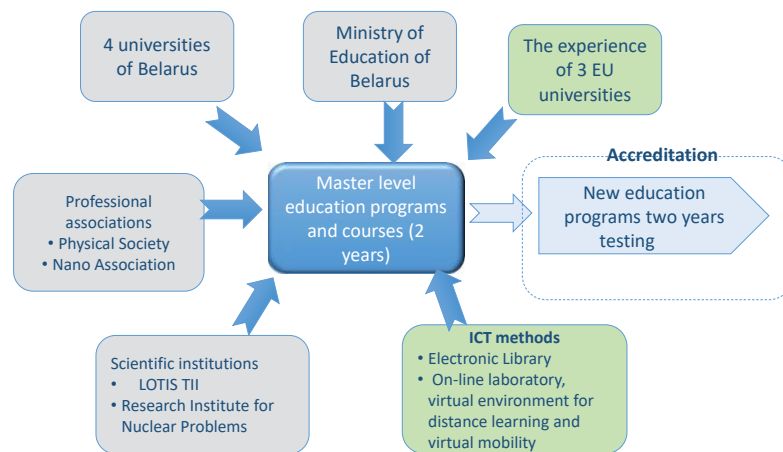
Analysis of the survey of master graduates employers

(within the framework of the project "Physics"
Erasmus + EU)

Short description ERASMUS+ Physics

- Project implementation: 15th October 2015 – 14th October 2018
- Participants 10 partners from 4 countries
- RTU is a Leading partner
- The project total budget: EU Grant 660 576 euro, co-financing 67 270 euro.
- **The target is** to upgrade master-level education in the field of applied physics in four universities of Belarus according to Bologna practices, to enhance the quality and relevance of education in **respect to the labour market needs**

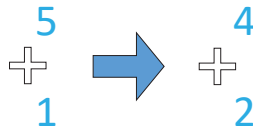
Project idea



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What is the survey about?

Inspiration:



Expected results:

- Pooling ideas [how to form](#) the 2-year industry-oriented master-level education
- Figuring out [what potential employers think](#) about qualification requirements for graduates of practice-oriented masterships
- Identifying [training requirements](#) to graduates of masterships for the "4 + 2" system
- Defining of the need and requirements for the organization of master students [internships](#)

Who was interviewed?

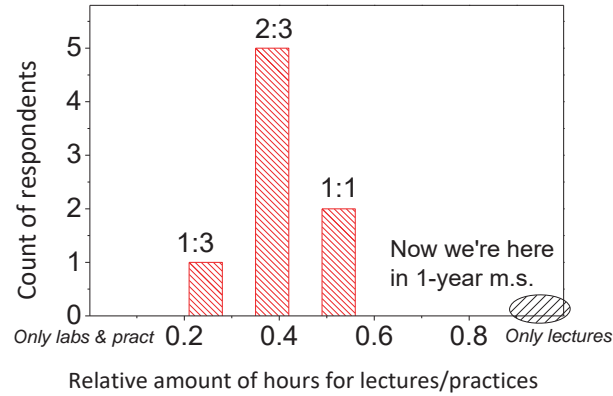
List of participants:

- Belarusian universities
- BSU departments of Semiconductor physics, Laser physics, Energy physics
- Research Institute for Nuclear Problems of BSU
- Belarusian Physical Society
- Republic Association of Nano Industry

The curriculum discussion

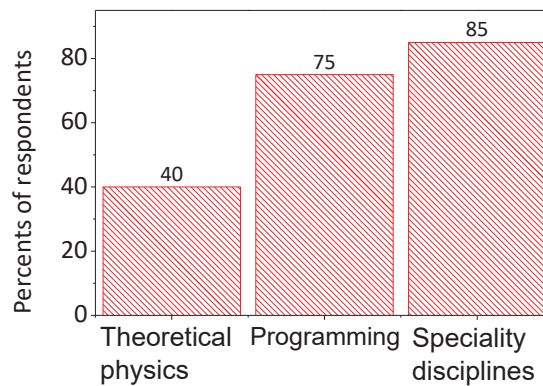
Ratio between time for lectures/labs and practices:

What should be the ratio of theoretical/practical training of master-students in the university, research institute or company?



The curriculum discussion

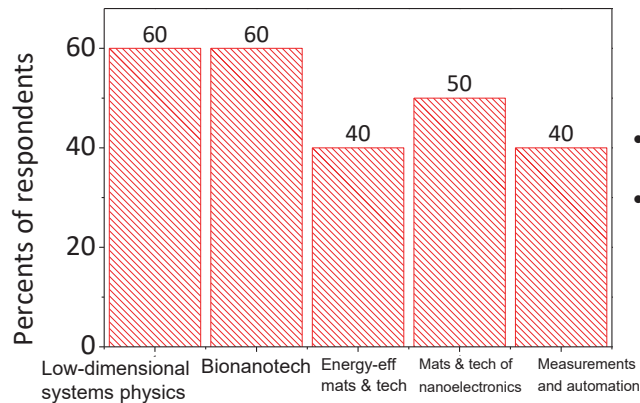
Most mentioned common preferred topics of subjects



Majority of respondents noted the importance of the mastering the principles of modern high-tech equipment work and exploitation

The curriculum discussion

Most mentioned specific subjects



Where is 70% for programming?

- Automation and microprocessors?
- Computer-related math and tools for scientific computation?

Training and work in company

How much time does it take to make student able to work “self-sufficiently” in company?

- For 16-18 weeks (the period of internship at the first stage of higher education) at the place of future work except of RANI answer: “Up to 1 year”.

What do you think can be improved in the educational process to reduce this time?

- It is recommended to enhance the fundamental training of master-students in physical and mathematical disciplines and improve their general skills, **reducing the time dedicated to humanitarian** disciplines.

To which percent of master-level graduates company can offer to stay on a permanent job after practice?

- Respondents indicated that about 50-80 % of master-level undergraduates can stay after practice on a permanent job.

Conclusions

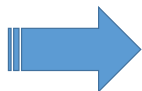
It is reasonable:

- Think how to keep balance of internship in “4+2” and “5+1” and prepare the labor market
 - ❑ At least need to be sure that employers are informed about additional intership weeks needed to make worker self-sufficient
- Consider the recommendations for MS curricula:
 - ❑ Increase the amount of special disciplines and various types of programming
 - ❑ Introduce courses dedicated to nano and biotechnology
 - ❑ Proportion of theoretical and practical training for master-level students is recommended from 1/3 to 2/3.

Inspiration for the next steps

From the COST action defined tacks:

- To identify the adequate profile(s) of CPS experts
- Set the base for an European Master/PhD Program in MPM4CPS involving several European leading Universities
- Promote literature on the topic, while defining course material



Beyond the COST action to initiate the next steps, e.g. ERASMUS+ project:

- Benefits to EU universities:
 - Practical steps to develop and to test courses and training programs
 - Opportunity to finance the creation of training materials
 - Dissemination and exploitation beyond the COST action
 - Opportunity to select motivated students from EU Partner countries

Thank you for your attention!



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