Executable Object Modelling

- analysis \Rightarrow use cases \Rightarrow class diagrams
- analysis \Rightarrow use cases \Rightarrow (message) sequence diagrams
- \Rightarrow Object-model diagrams
- \Rightarrow Statecharts \Rightarrow sequence diagrams \Rightarrow *test* use cases

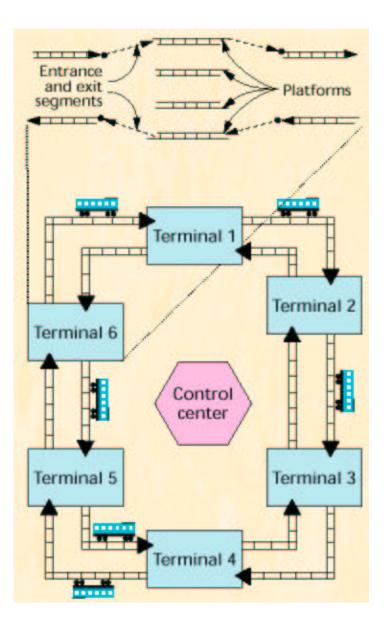
Executable Object Modelling with Statecharts

- OO development: intuitive/graphical and rigourous
- fully executable models (simulation)
- code synthesis

Executable Object Modelling with Statecharts

- Structure (classes, multiplicities, relationships)
 ⇒ Object-model diagrams (higraph version of ER-diagrams)
- Behaviour
 - \Rightarrow StateCharts

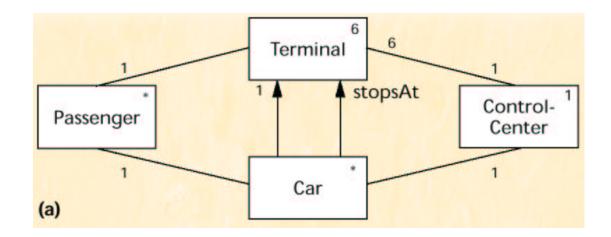
Automated Railcar System: Physical View



Scenarios (Use Cases)

- 1. Car approaches terminal
- 2. Car departs from terminal
- 3. Passenger in terminal

Toplevel object-model diagram

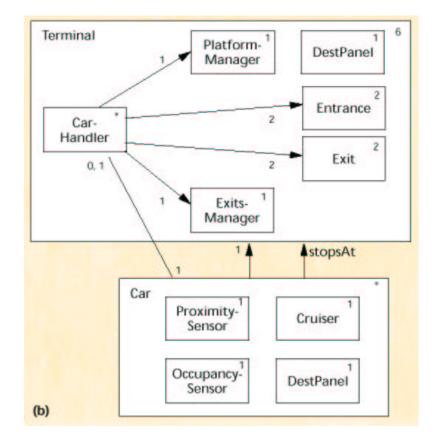


- object classes
- object multiplicities
- structural relationships (including navigatability and arity)

Object Navigation, Creation/Initialization

- navigatability
 - no relation name \Rightarrow its
 - Passenger->itsCar->stopsAt
 - toplevel: System->itsTerminal[1:6]
- Code synthesis: creation/initialization + dynamics over time
- Object multiplicity
- Associations
 - 1. unambiguous: multiplicities match
 - 2. ambiguous but bounded: any subset
 - 3. unworkable: canonical mappings or user defined (scripts)

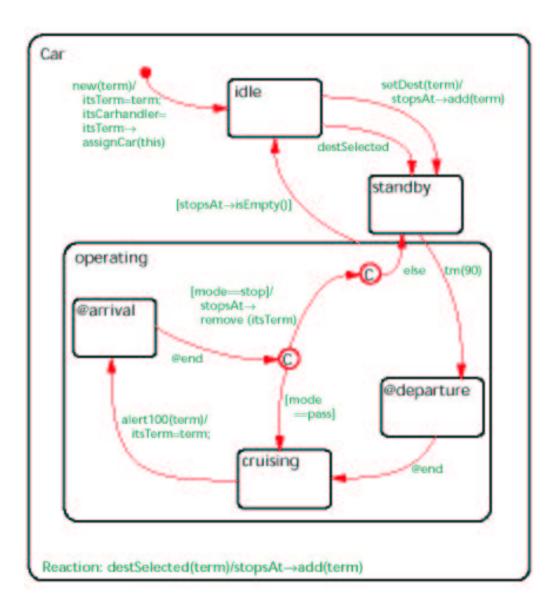
Zoom out: aggregation



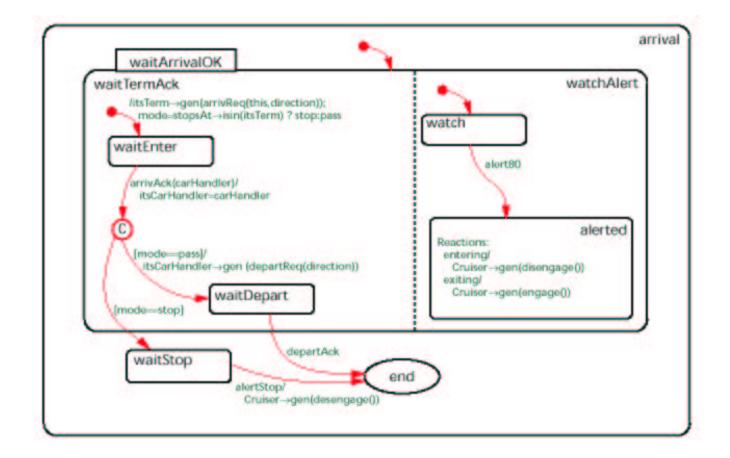
Dynamics of Object Communication and Collaboration

- 1. Objects generate events which are queued
- 2. Objects can directly invoke an operation/method

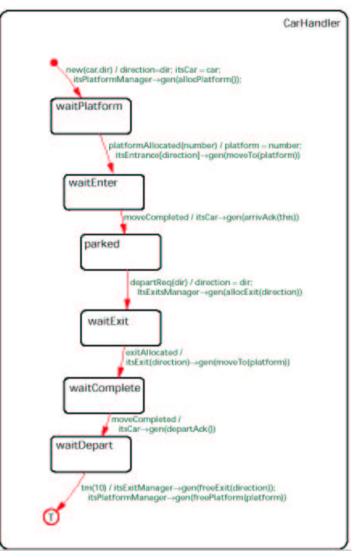
Car dynamics



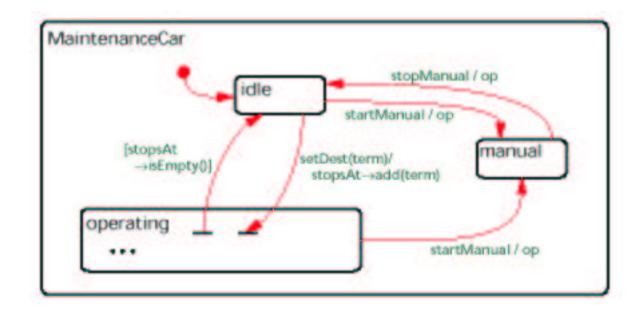
Arrival dynamics



CarHandler lifecycle



Zooming



Inheritance

- structural or behavioural conformity
- interface subtyping (plug in)
- Modify states
 - Decompose state in OR or AND components
 - Add sub-states to OR state
 - Add orthogonal components to any state