

GNATprove ETCS model

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GNATprove: contracts

- GNATprove: formal contract verification on Ada 2012 programs
- Example of contract

Parameters not aliased and initialized

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constraint on inputs

package Example is
   function Saturated_Sum(X1, X2, Maximum : Natural) return Natural
   with
        Pre => ((X1 <= Natural'Last / 2) and (X2 <= Natural'Last / 2)),
        Post => (if X1 + X2 <= Maximum then Saturated_Sum'Result = X1 + X2
        else Saturated_Sum'Result = Maximum);
end;

Constraint on output</pre>
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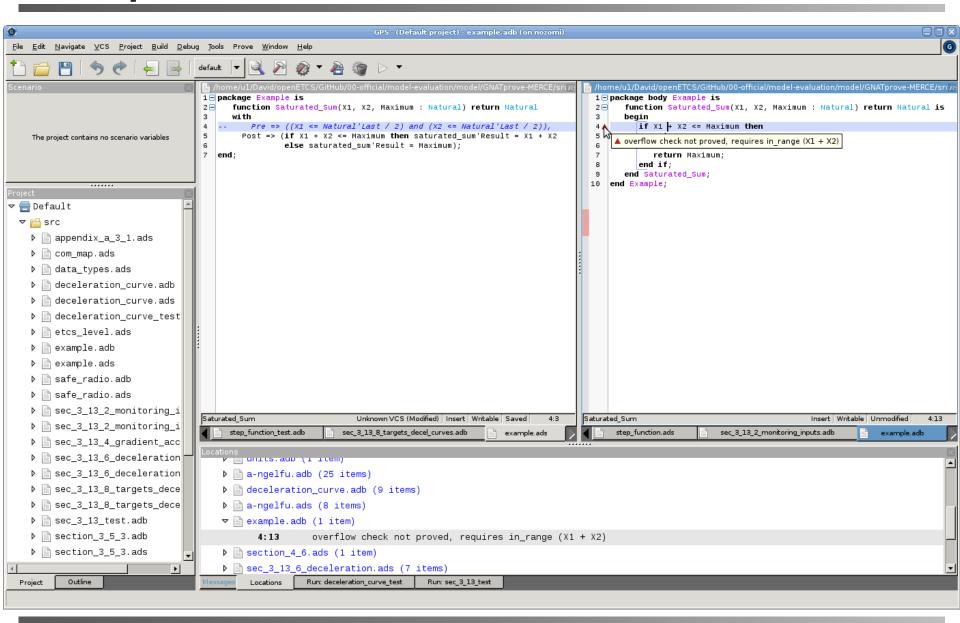
Declarative specification of function result

Strong typing

GNATprove: verification

- Tool statically and automatically verifies
 - Absence of Run Time Errors: overflow, underflow, out-of-bound access
 - At call point, Pre-condition is satisfied
 - Post-condition is satisfied, provided Pre-condition is satisfied
 - Need to add specific annotations, e.g. for loops
- Mix test and proof
 - Incremental introduction of formal methods without breaking current development process
 - You can test your formal annotations!

GNATprove GNU GPL tools (2012 edition)



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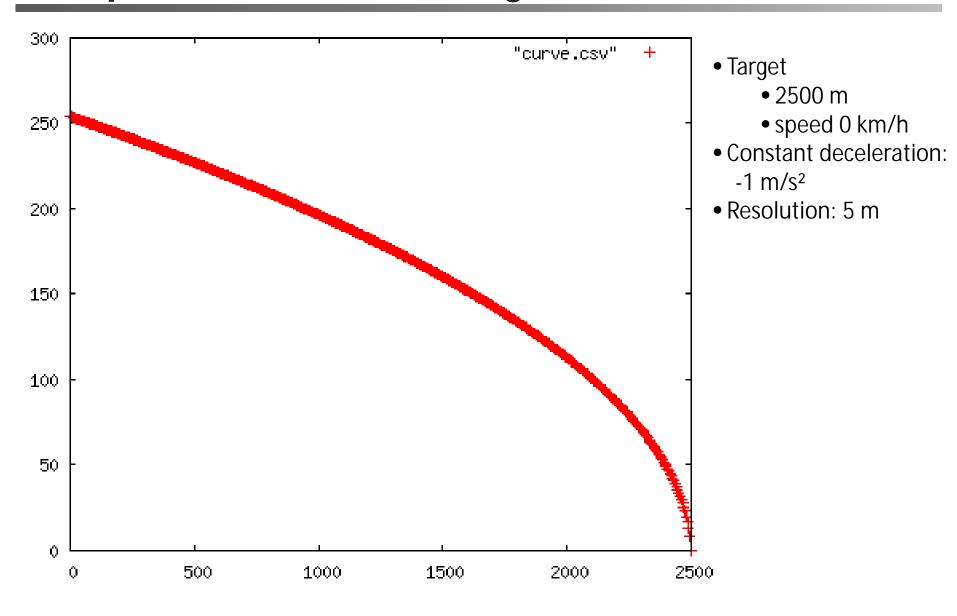
SRS section	Done	Comment
§5.9 Procedure On-Sight	û	See no particular issue
§3.5.3 Establishing a communication session	ü	
§3.13.4 (Acceleration / Deceleration due to gradients)	~	Support function modeled
§3.13.6.2 Emergency brake	ü	
§3.13.7 Determination of Most Restrictive Speed Profile (MRSP)	~	Support function modeled
§3.13.8.3 Emergency Brake Deceleration curves (EBD)	ü	
§3.13.9.3.3.9 Computation of d_FLOI, using d_SBI2_MREBDT	û	
§3.13.9.4 Release speed supervision limits	û	
§3.13.10.4.2 Calculation of the MRDT	û	
§4.6.2 (Transitions Table) and §4.6.3 (Transitions Condition table)	ü	

Specification sample

• Excerpt for §3.5.3

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function Authorize New Communication Session return Boolean is
    ((Start_Of_Mission = True
      and (ertms etcs level = 2 or ertms etcs level = 3)) -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.a
     and Track_Side_New_Communication_Order = True -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.b
     and (Mode Change Report To RBC Not Considered As End Of Mission = True
          and (ertms etcs level = 2 or ertms etcs level = 3)) -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.c
     and (Manual_Level_Change = True
          and (ertms etcs level = 2 or ertms etcs level = 3)) -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.d
     and Train_Front_Reaches_End_Of_Radio_Hole = True -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.e
     and Previous Communication Loss = True -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.f
     and (Start Of Mission Procedure Completed Without Com = True
          and (ertms_etcs_level = 2 or ertms_etcs_level = 3)) -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.q
    );
  -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.1 and SUBSET-026-3.5.3.2 implicitly fulfilled as we model on-board
  procedure Initiate Communication Session(destination: RBC RIU ID t;
                                            phone : Telephone Number_t)
  with
    Pre => (Authorize_New_Communication_Session -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4
            and (not Contains (Connections, destination)) -- SUBSET-026-3.5.3.4.1
            -- FIXME: what should we do for cases f and g?
    Post => (Contains(Connections, destination));
```

Computed (basic) braking curve



Interesting points on proofs

- Modeling of step functions
 - Used throughout SRS
 - Partial functional proofs of
 - Minimum_Until_Point: minimum of a step function until a given point (e.g. used for acceleration / deceleration due to gradient)
 - Restrictive_Merge: merge of two step functions (e.g. MRSP computation)
 - Full functional proofs are possible
- Modeling of deceleration curves
 - Partial proof of absence of Run Time Errors
- Modeling of Mode transition table §4.6
 - Impossible to prove mode exclusion without further
 assumptions (https://github.com/openETCS/model-evaluation/wiki/Open-Question-for-Modeling-Benchmark#section-46)

Conclusion

- All SRS objects can be modeled in Ada 2012
 - Strong ability to handle complex data structures
 - But one needs to make support packages
 - Generic language + Library approach
- First basic model made
 - A lot of possible improvements!
- Proofs range from very easy to difficult
 - Very good integer support. Poor floating point support
 - No induction with automatic prover
 - Fall back to manual proof
- Executable model or not?
- Proof of what? SRS missing underlying safety principles
 - E.g. energy conservation for emergency braking
- Questions?

