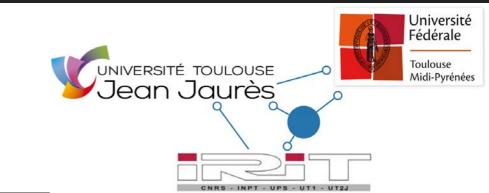
MODEL-DRIVEN (SOFTWARE) ENGINEERING

COURSE INTRODUCTION

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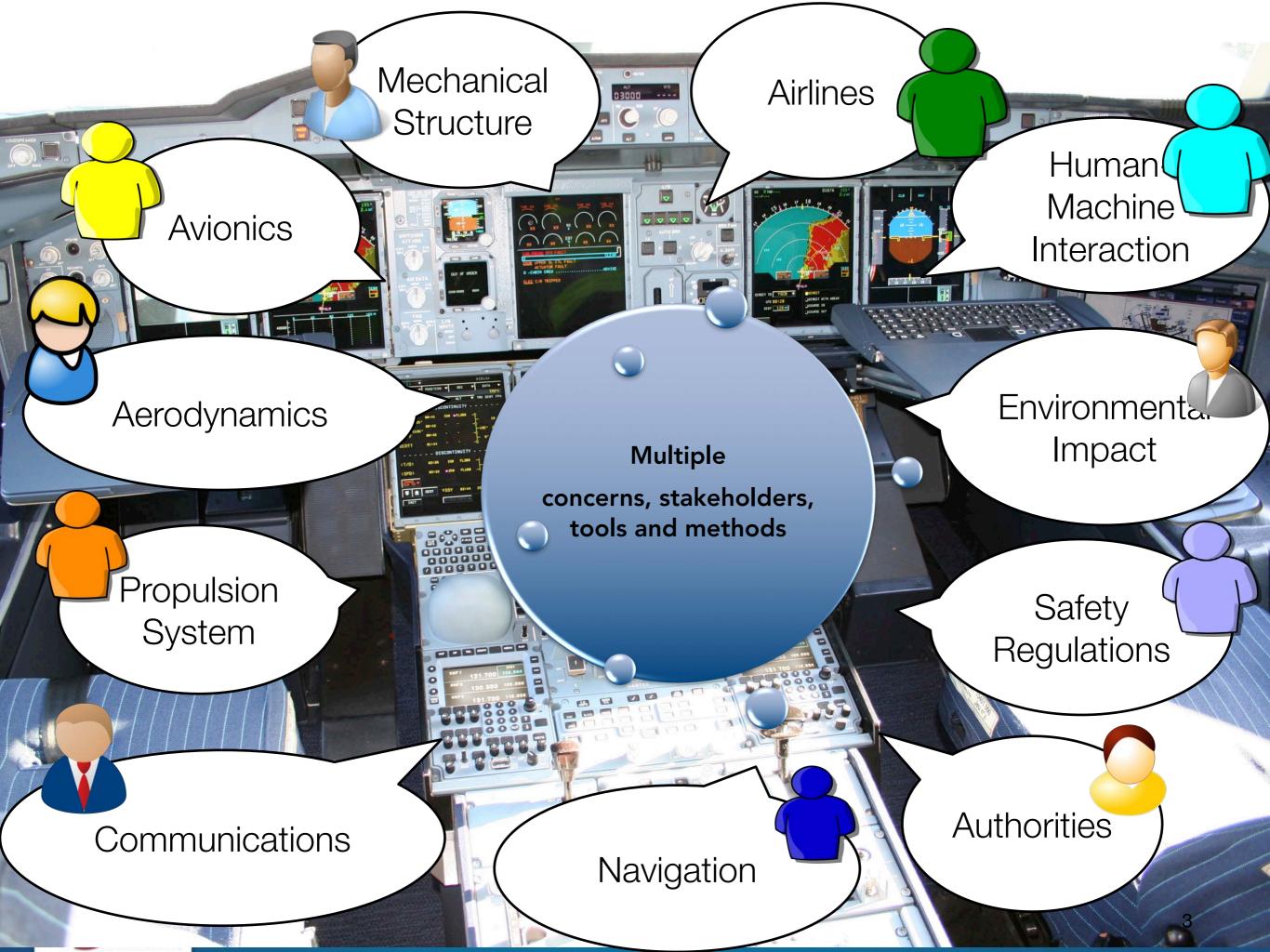


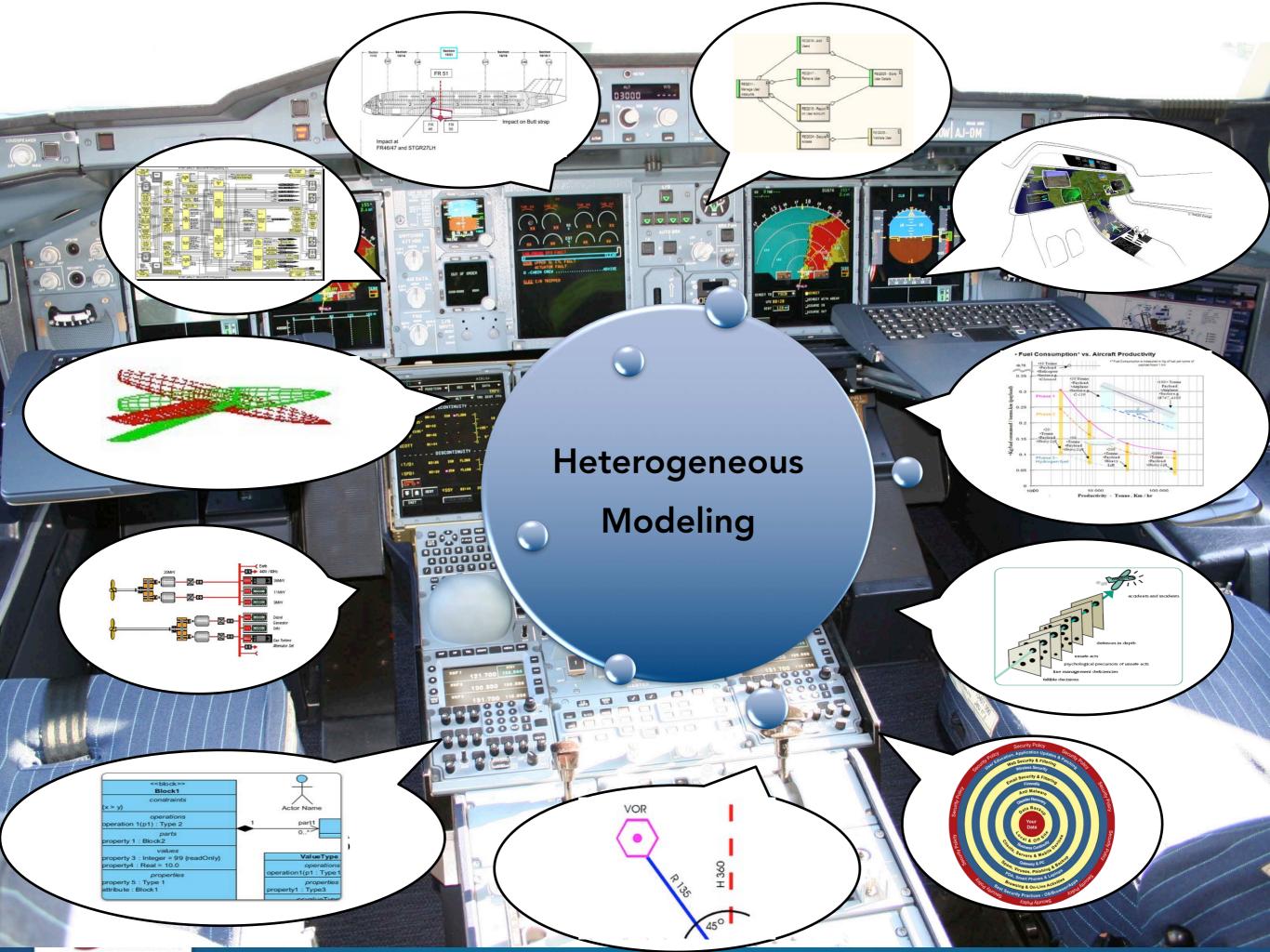
Complex Software-Intensive Systems











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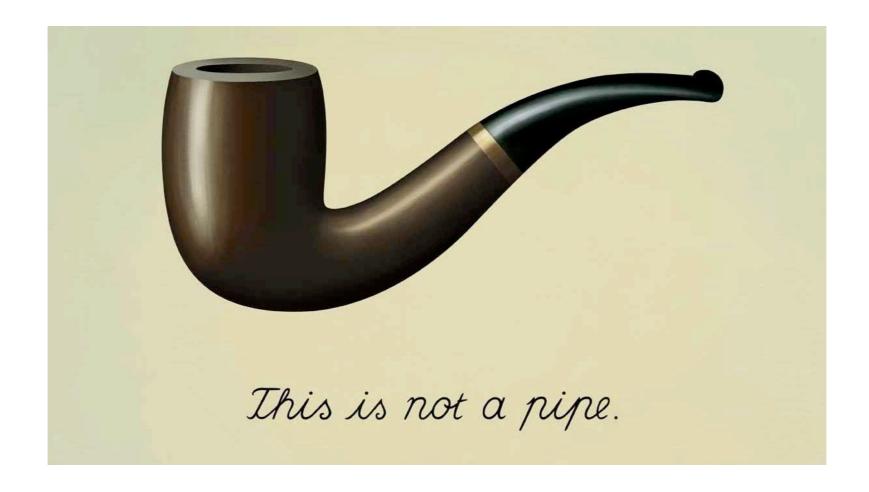
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Model and Reality in Software

- Sun Tse: "Do not take the map for the reality"
- William James: "The concept 'dog' does not bite"
- Magritte:

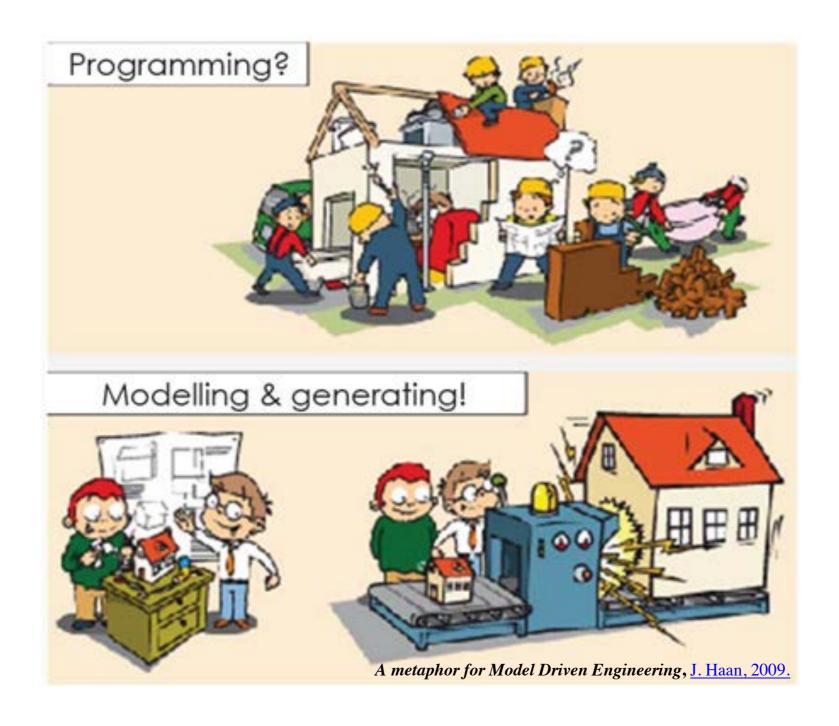


Software Models: from contemplative to productive





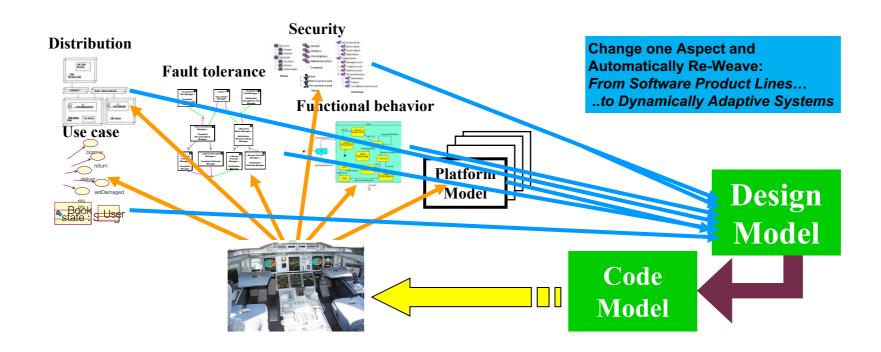
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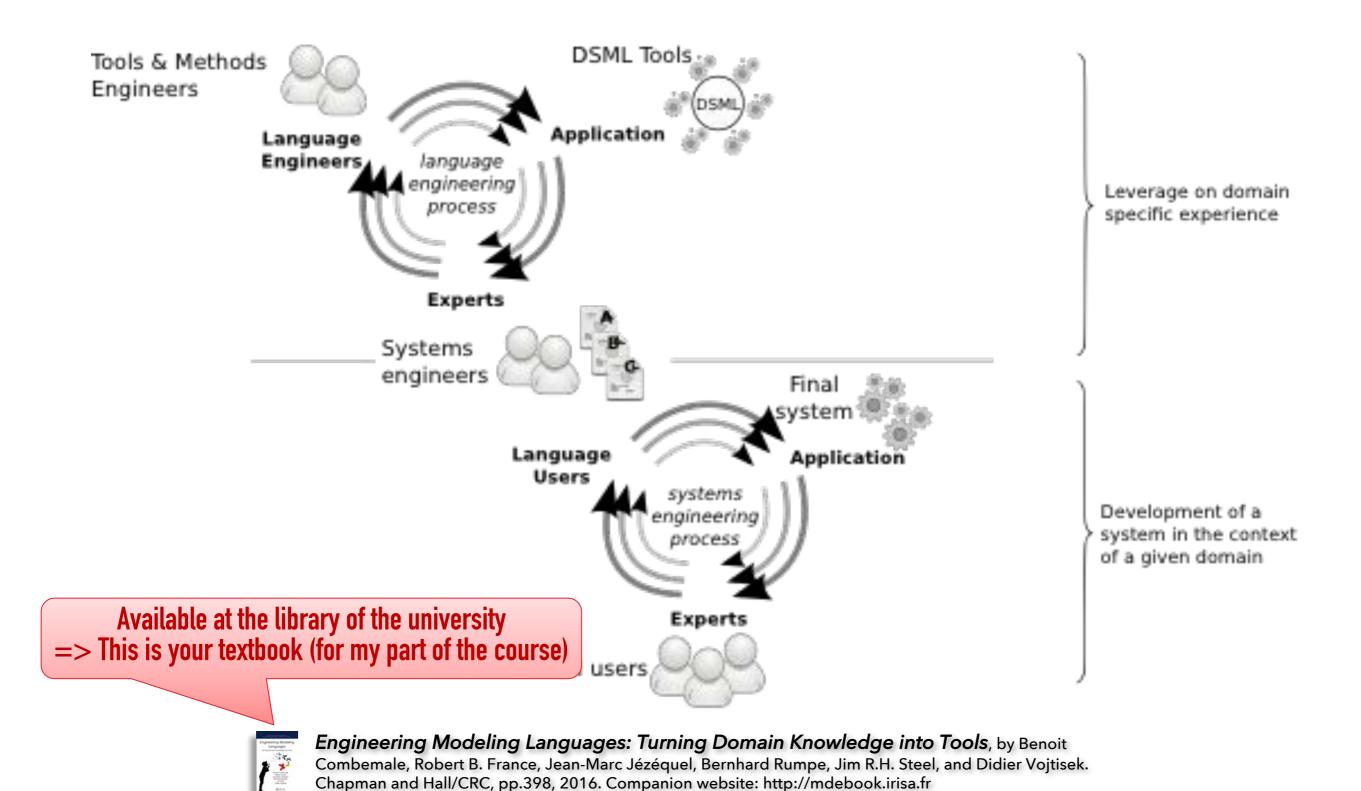
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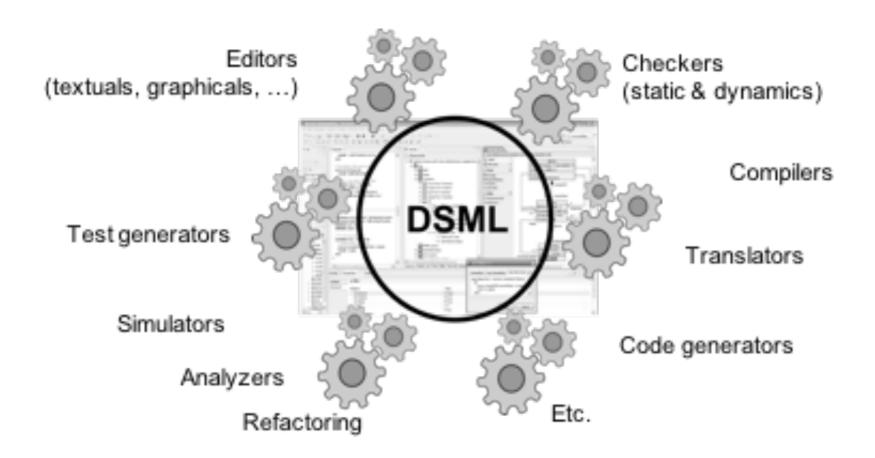
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Domain-Specific Languages (DSLs)



- Targeted to a particular kind of problem, with dedicated notations (textual or graphical), support (editor, checkers, etc.)
- Promises: more « efficient » languages for resolving a set of specific problems in a domain





Model-Driven Engineering

"Software Languages are Software Too"

J-M. Favre, D. Gasevic, R. Lämmel, and E. Pek. "Empirical language analysis in software linguistics," In Software Language Engineering, volume 6563 of LNCS, pages 316-326. Springer, 2011.





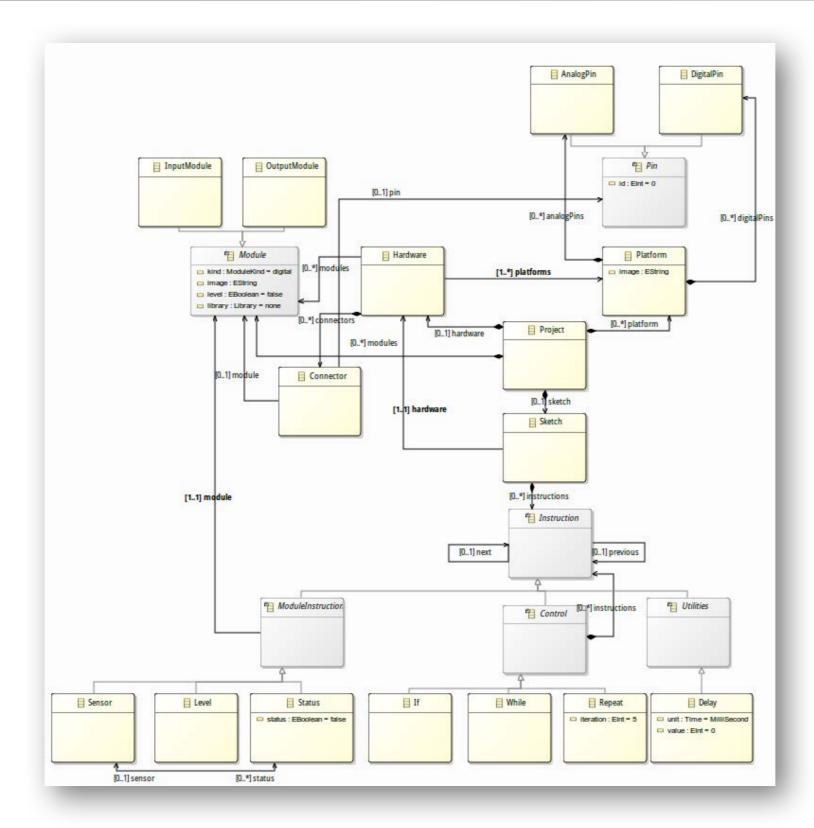
Software Language Engineering (SLE)

- Application of systematic, disciplined, and measurable approaches to the development, deployment, use, and maintenance of software (domain-specific) languages
- Supported by various kind of "language workbench"
 - Eclipse EMF, xText, Sirius, Melange, GEMOC, Papyrus
 - Jetbrain's MPS
 - MS DSL Tools
 - Etc.
- Various shapes and ways to implement software languages
 - External, internal or embedded DSLs, Profile, etc.
 - Grammar, metamodel, ontology, etc.
- More and more literature, a dedicated Intl. conference (ACM SLE, cf. http://www.sleconf.org)...





Ecore Tools: Graphical Edition of Ecore Models

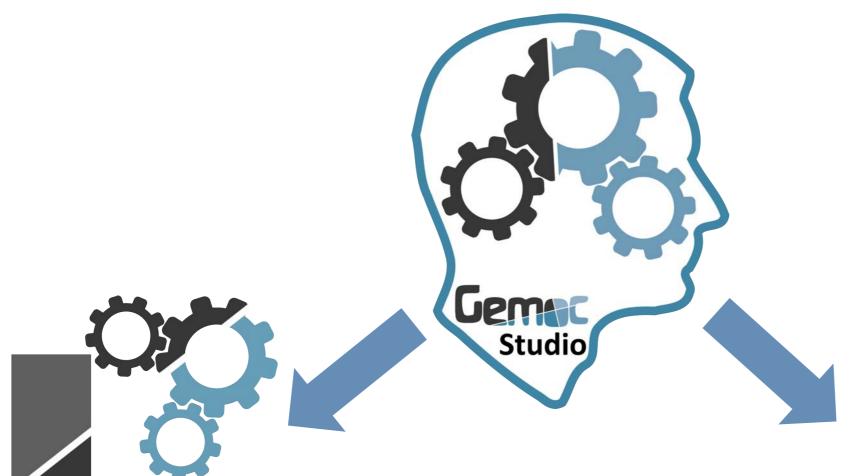






The GEMOC Studio





Language Workbench

Design and integrate your executable DSMLs

http://gemoc.org/studio

soon

http://eclipse.org/gemoc

Modeling Workbench

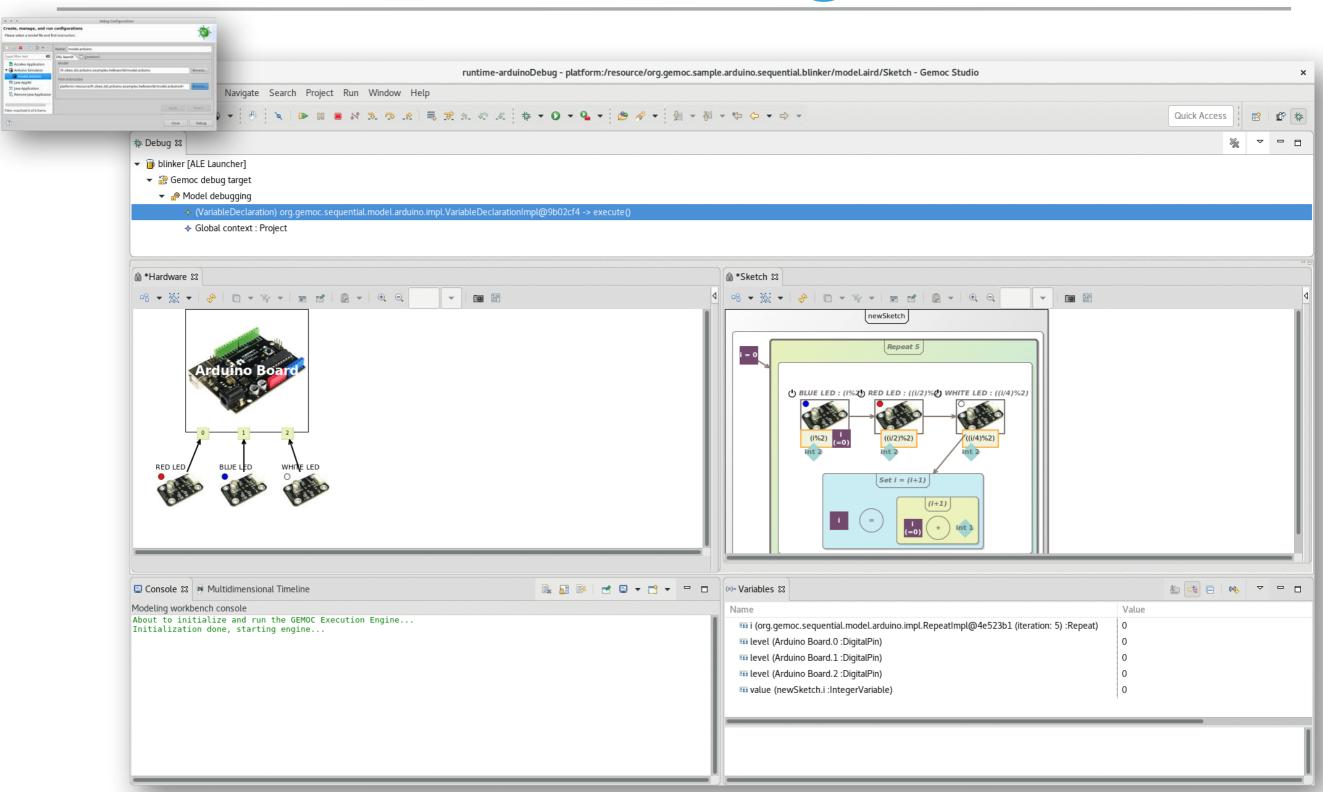
Edit, simulate and animate your heterogeneous models





Arduino Designer



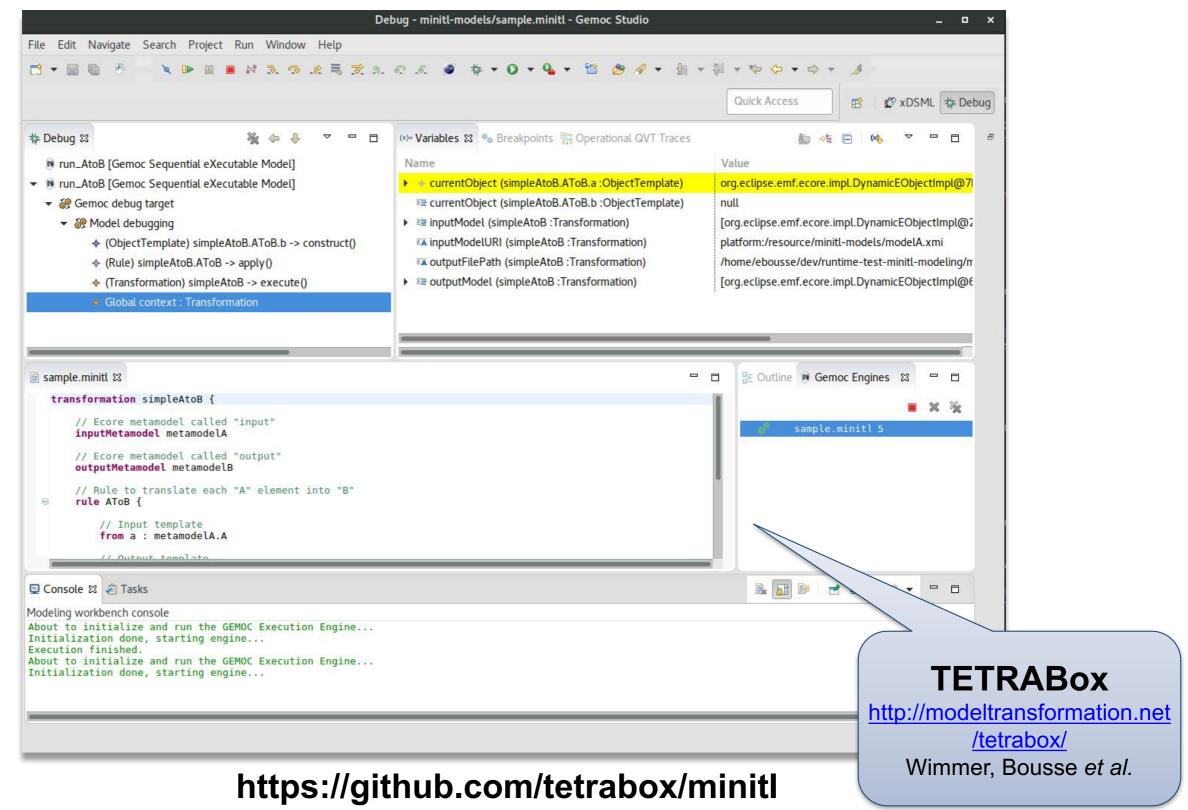


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Transformation Lg Debugger

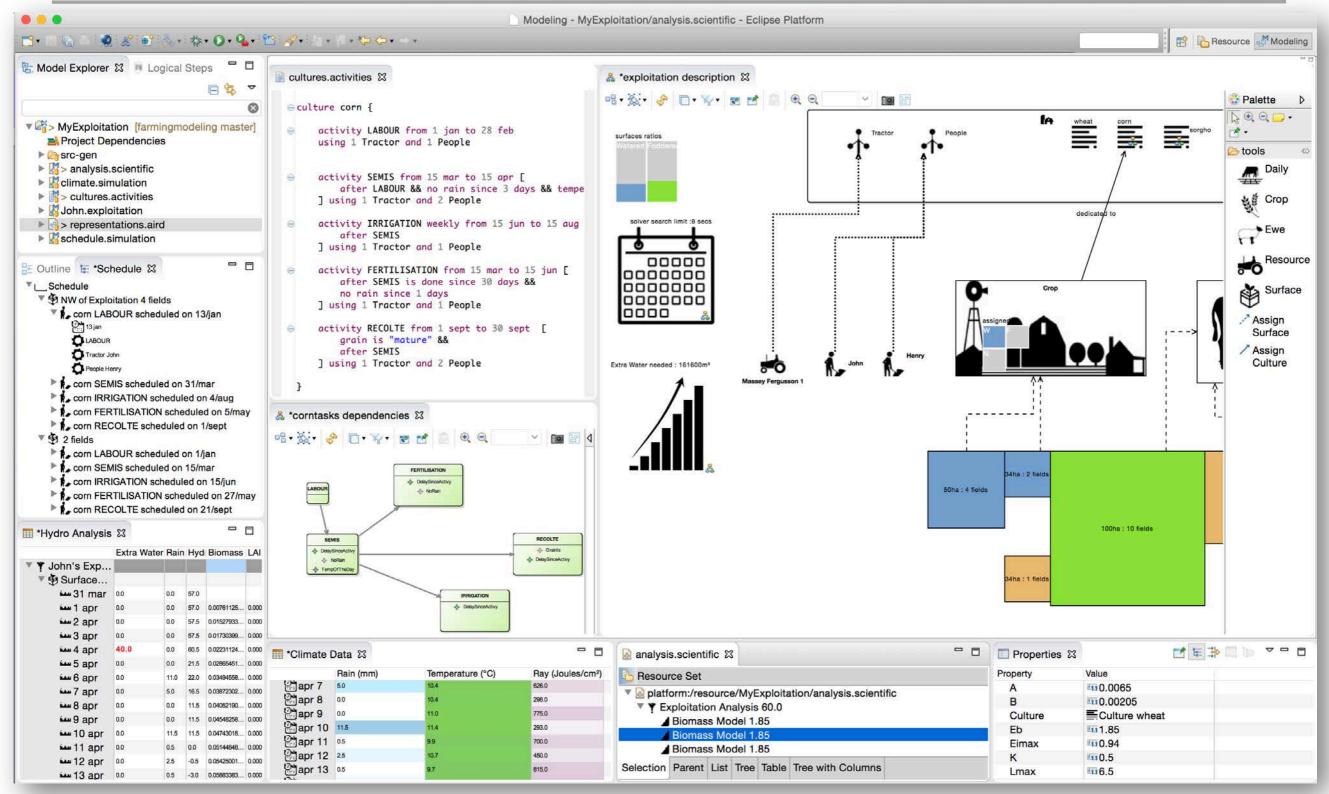






Farming System Modeling





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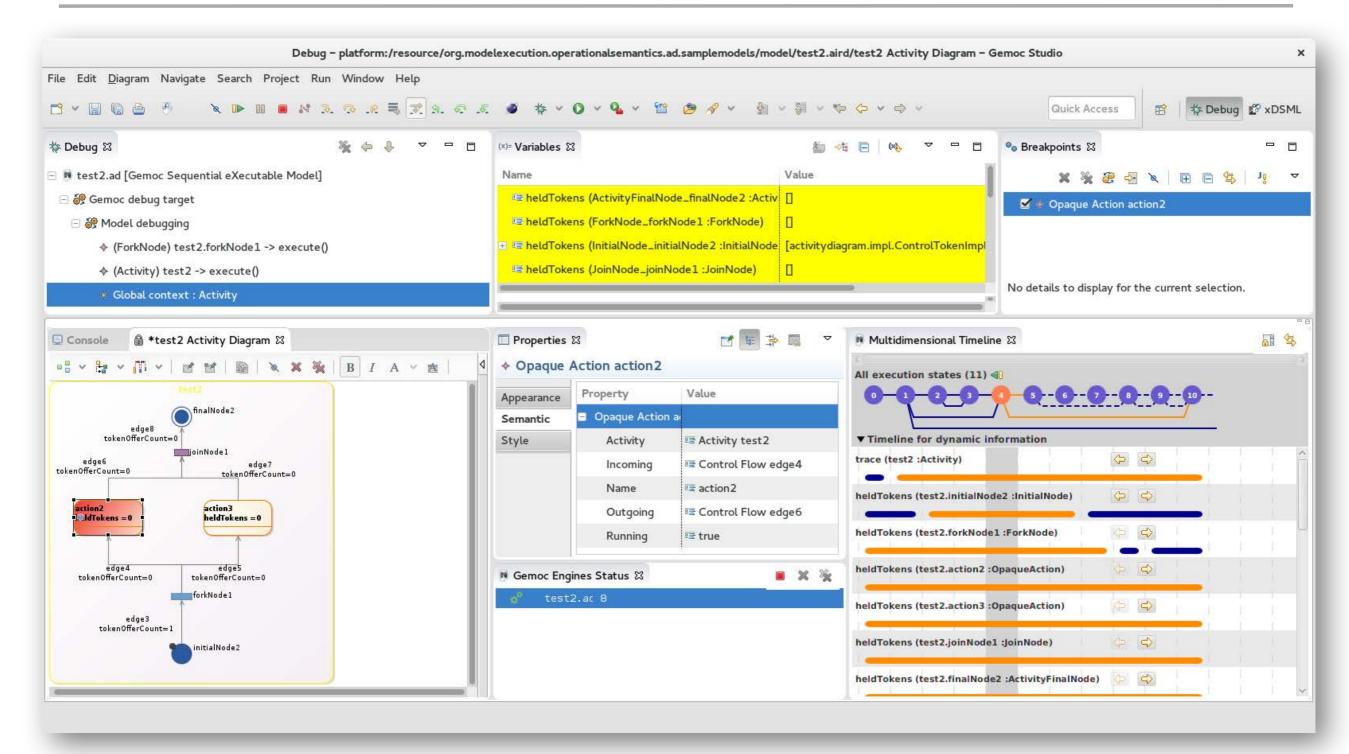


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Activity Diagram Debugger





https://github.com/gemoc/activitydiagram





Content of the course

- Domain-Specific Languages
- Model management (static analysis, generators)

 Experimentations with the Eclipse Modeling Framework (incl. Ecore and OCL), Xtext, Xtend, and Sirius





You will learn how to

 Automatically translate abstract design models to executable code, test cases and documentation

Automatically manipulate your model/code to analyze and refactor it

 Build or customize your own abstractions, or even software languages and development environments, to build complex, domain-specific, software-intensive systems

 Eventually limit the accidental complexity of industrial processes developments





Additionally, you will also

- **Demystify** language formalisms, paradigms and principles
- Have a deeper insight on some of them
- Manage the industrial complexity of developments and associated toolchains



