

A Tool-Supported Approach for Omniscient Debugging and Concurrent Execution of Heterogeneous Models

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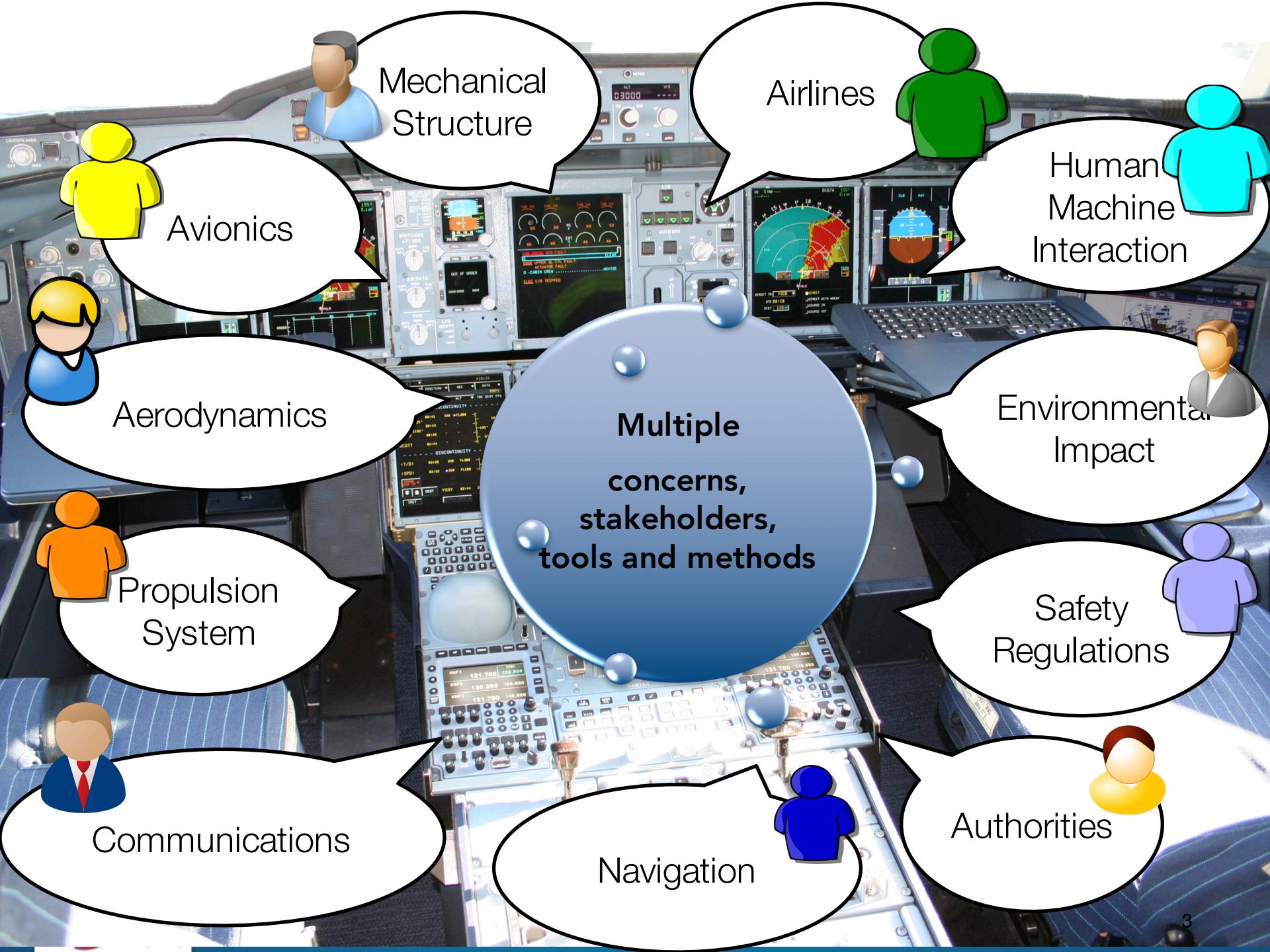
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Gemoc

Complex Software-Intensive Systems

- Multi-engineering approach
- Domain-specific modeling
- Software as integration layer
- Openness and dynamicity





**Multiple
concerns,
stakeholders,
tools and methods**

Communications

Navigation

Authorities

Safety
Regulations

Aerodynamics

Propulsion
System

Avionics

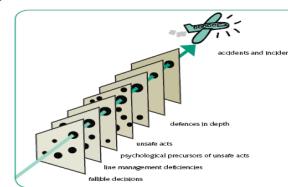
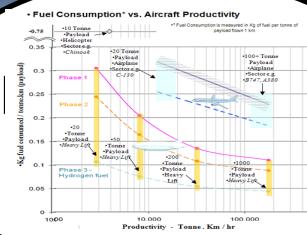
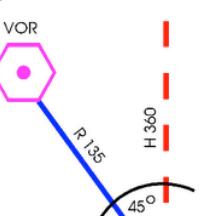
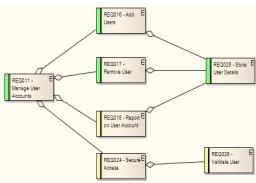
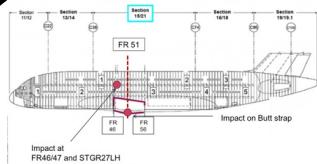
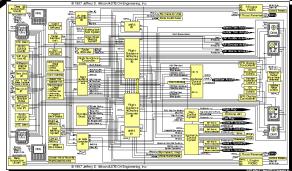
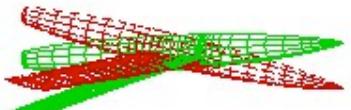
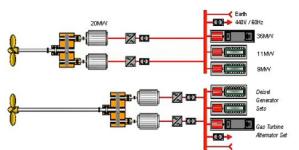
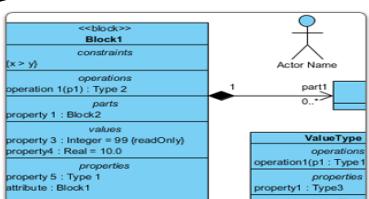
Mechanical
Structure

Airlines

Human
Machine
Interaction

Environmental
Impact

Heterogeneous Modeling



Globalization of Modeling Languages

- DSMLs are developed in an independent manner to meet the specific needs of domain experts,
- DSMLs should also have an associated framework that regulates interactions needed to support collaboration and work coordination across different system domains.



Benoit Combemale, Julien DeAntoni, Benoit Baudry, Robert B. France, Jean-Marc Jezequel, Jeff Gray, "*Globalizing Modeling Languages*," Computer, vol. 47, no. 6, pp. 68-71, June, 2014

Globalization of Modeling Languages

Supporting coordinated use of modeling languages leads to what we call the globalization of modeling languages, that is, the use of multiple modeling languages to support coordinated development of diverse aspects of a system.



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Globalization of Modeling Language

- Context: new emerging DSML in **open world**
 - ⇒ impossible *a priori* unification
 - ⇒ require *a posteriori* globalization
- Objective: socio-technical coordination to support interactions across different system aspects
 - ⇒ Language-based support **for technical integration** of multiples domains
 - ⇒ Language-based support **for social translucence**



"*Globalizing Domain-Specific Languages*," Combemale, B., Cheng, B.H.C., France, R.B., Jézéquel, J.-M., Rumpe, B. (Eds.). Springer, Programming and Software Engineering, Vol. 9400, 2015.

The GEMOC Initiative



An open and international initiative to

- coordinate (between members)
- disseminate (on behalf the members)

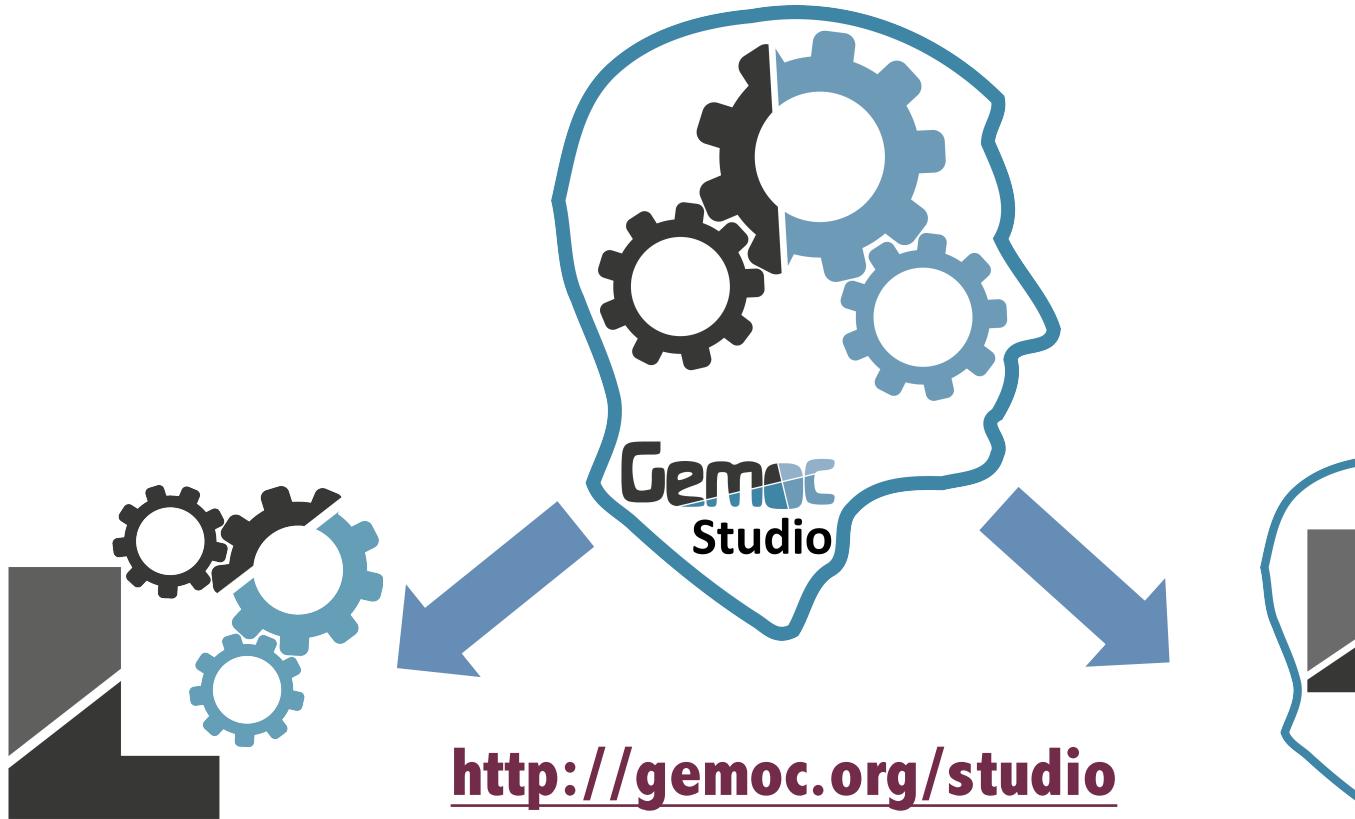
worldwide R&D efforts

on the globalization of modeling languages

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The GEMOC Studio



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*Language
Workbench*

*Design and compose
your executable DSMLs*

*Modeling
Workbench*

*Edit, simulate and animate
your heterogeneous models*

The GEMOC Community



GEMOC: The Projects

CNRS GDR GPL Specific Action 2011

- Survey of the techniques and tools to compose DSMLs and their respective MoCs
- Partners: IRISA (*Triskell*), I3S (*Aoste*)
- Cf. <http://gemoc.org/as2011>

CNRS PICS MBSAR 2013-2015

- Travel funds for permanent staff and PhD students
- Partners: IRISA (*DiverSE*), CSU
- Cf. <http://gemoc.org/mbsar>

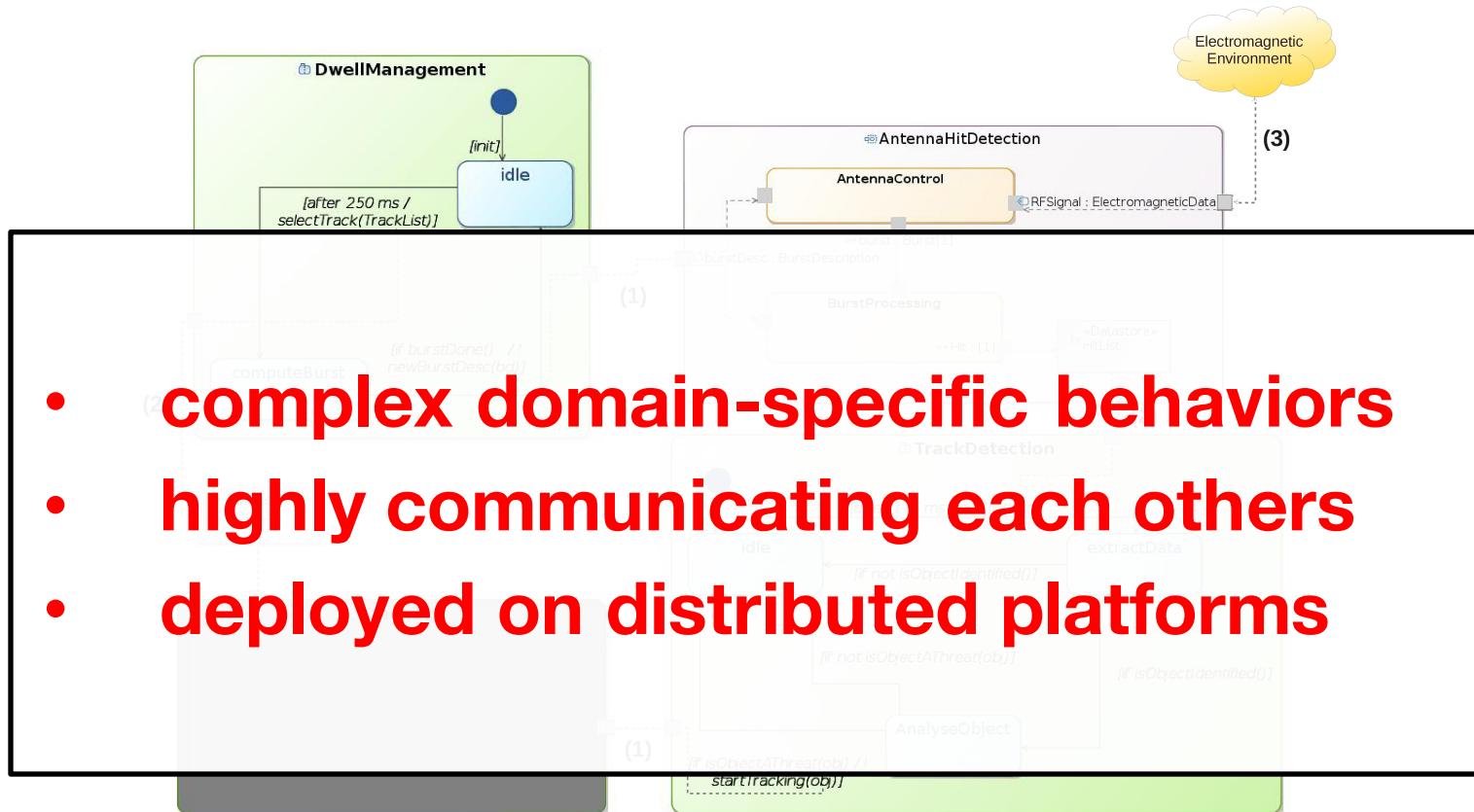
ANR INS GEMOC 2012-2016

- A Language Workbench for Heterogeneous Modeling and Analysis of Complex Software-Intensive Systems
- Partners: Inria (*DiverSE*), I3S (*Aoste*), IRIT, ENSTA-Bretagne, Thales, Obeo
- Cf. <http://gemoc.org/ins>

ICT COST Action MPM4CPS 2014-2018

- Promote the sharing of foundations, techniques, and tools and to provide educational resources, to both academia and industry
- Cf. <http://www.cost.eu/COST Actions/ict/Actions/IC1404>

Concurrent Execution of Heterogeneous Models



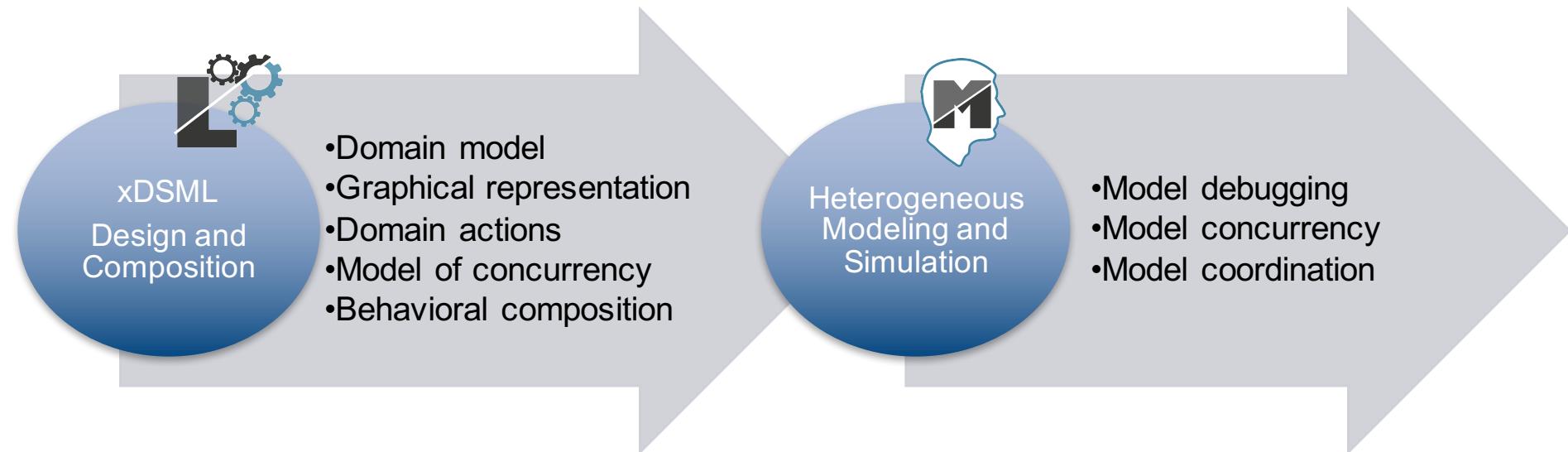
Le nouveau défi de la coordination des langages de modélisation. Gestion de l'hétérogénéité des modèles dans le développement et l'exécution de systèmes logiciels complexes (Benoit Combemale, Julien Deantoni, Ali Koudri, Jérôme Le Noir), In Génie logiciel et ingénierie de système (GL & IS), 2013.

Concurrent Execution of Heterogeneous Models

Current practices and existing tools

- UML modelers (e.g., rhapsody, magic draw, fuml engine) support model execution: hardcoded semantics without coordination of heterogeneous models (usually replace by different diagrams in the same model)
- Stateflow?
- Tools for heterogeneous modeling
 - Coordination of discrete models (e.g., Ptolemy, Modhel'X): specific coordination pattern between predefined models of concurrency, or defined at the implementation level.
 - Coordination of discrete and continue models (i.e. hybrid approach): we focus on discrete model only, but for any domain-specific languages

Concurrent Execution of Heterogeneous Models (ANR Project GEMOC, #ANR-12-INSE-0011)



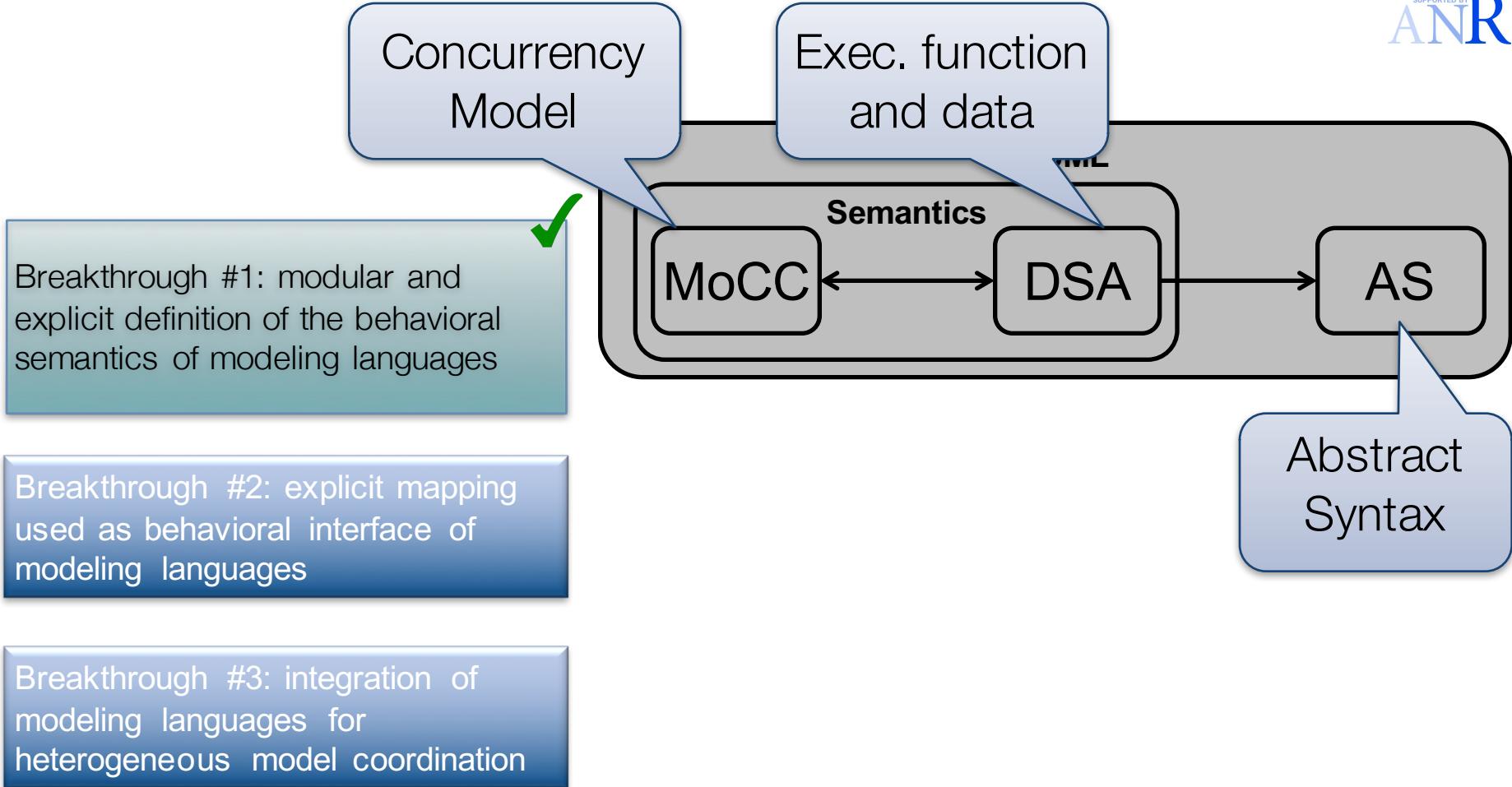
Breakthroughs:

- modular and explicit definition of the behavioral semantics of modeling languages, incl. concurrency [APSEC'12, SLE'12, SLE'13, SLE'15 (x3), DATE'15, SoSyM'15]
- explicit behavioral interface of modeling languages [GEMOC'13]
- reification of the coordination concerns at the language level [MODELS'15, Computer'14, Dagstuhl #14412]



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xDSML Development and Composition



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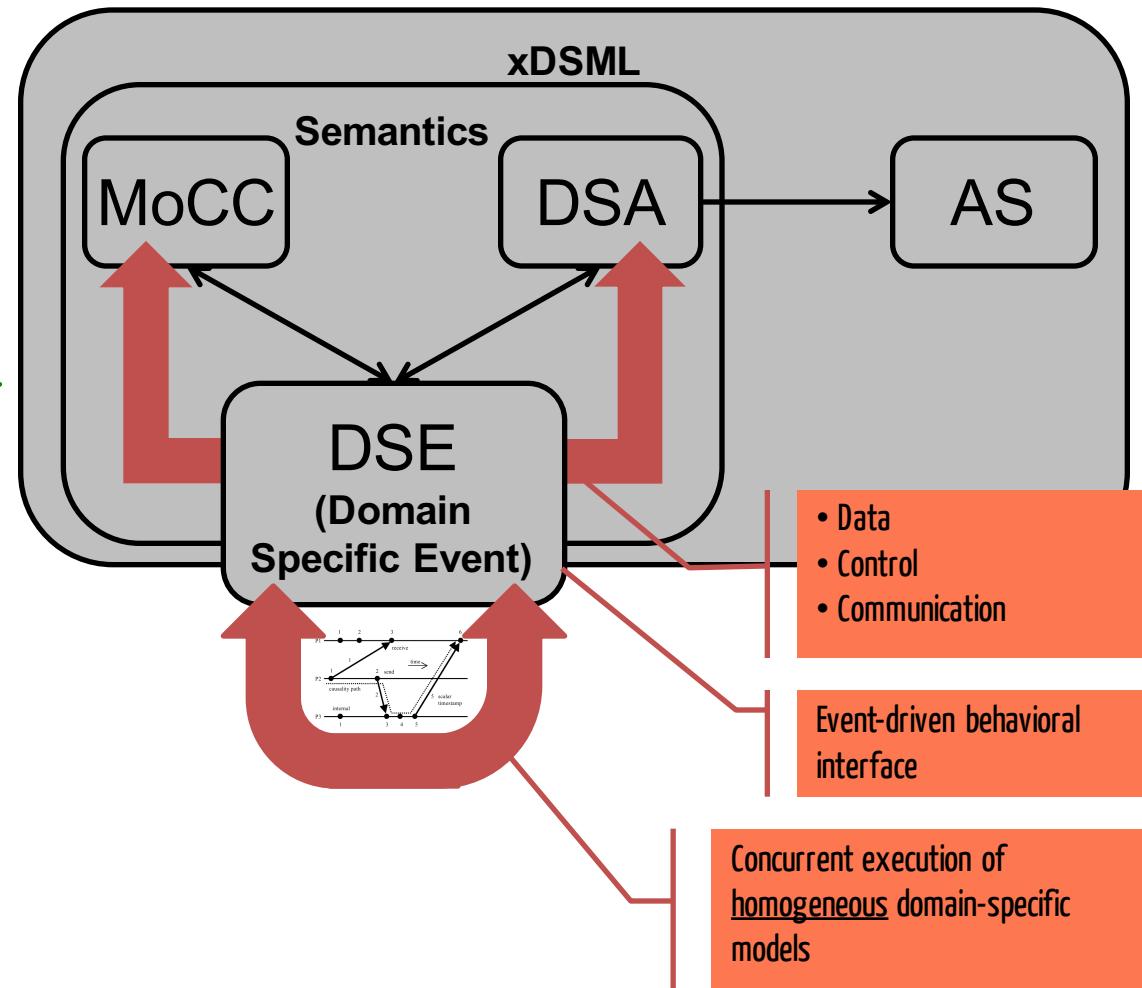
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Breakthrough #2: explicit mapping used as behavioral interface of modeling languages

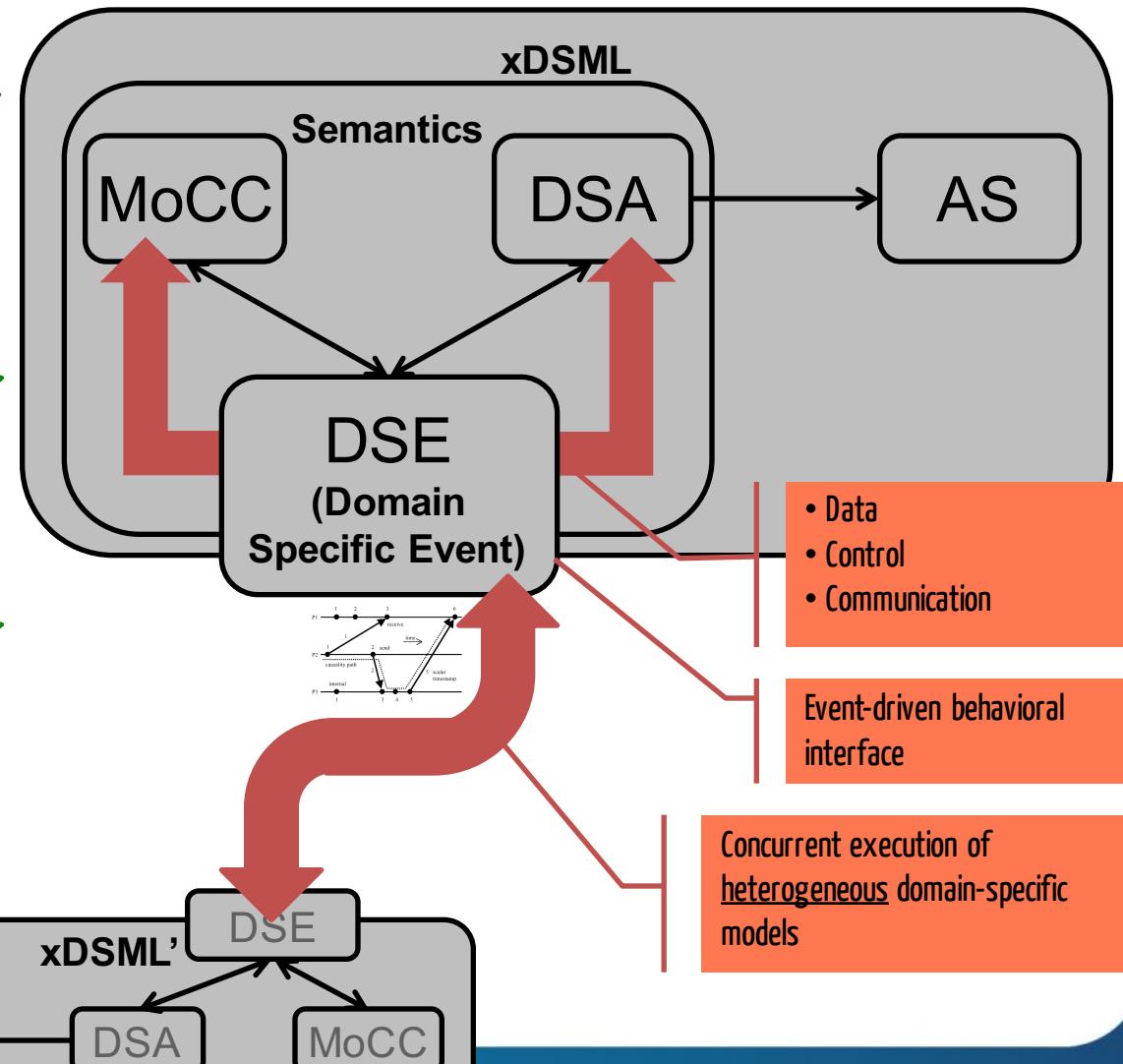


Breakthrough #3: integration of modeling languages for heterogeneous model coordination

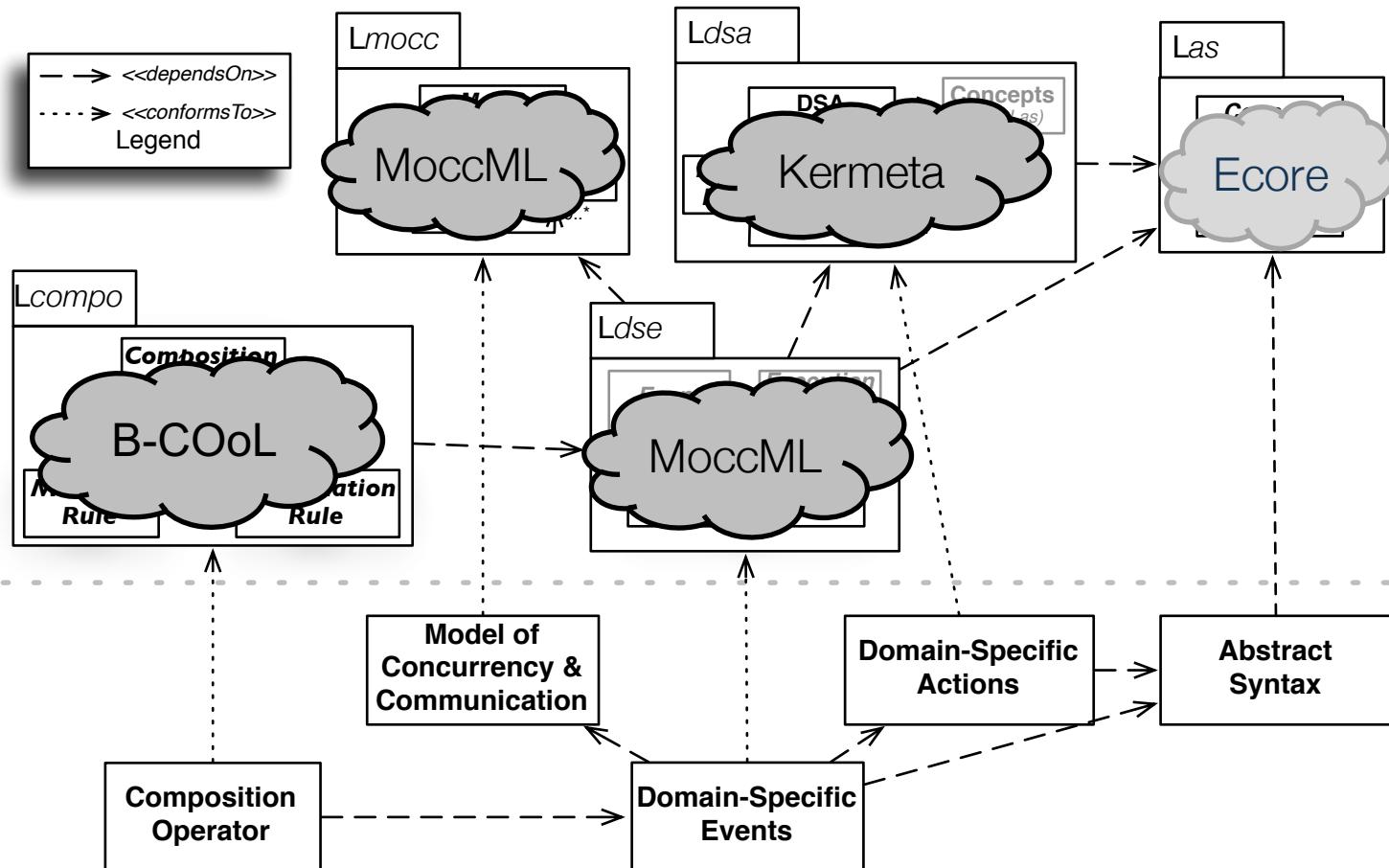


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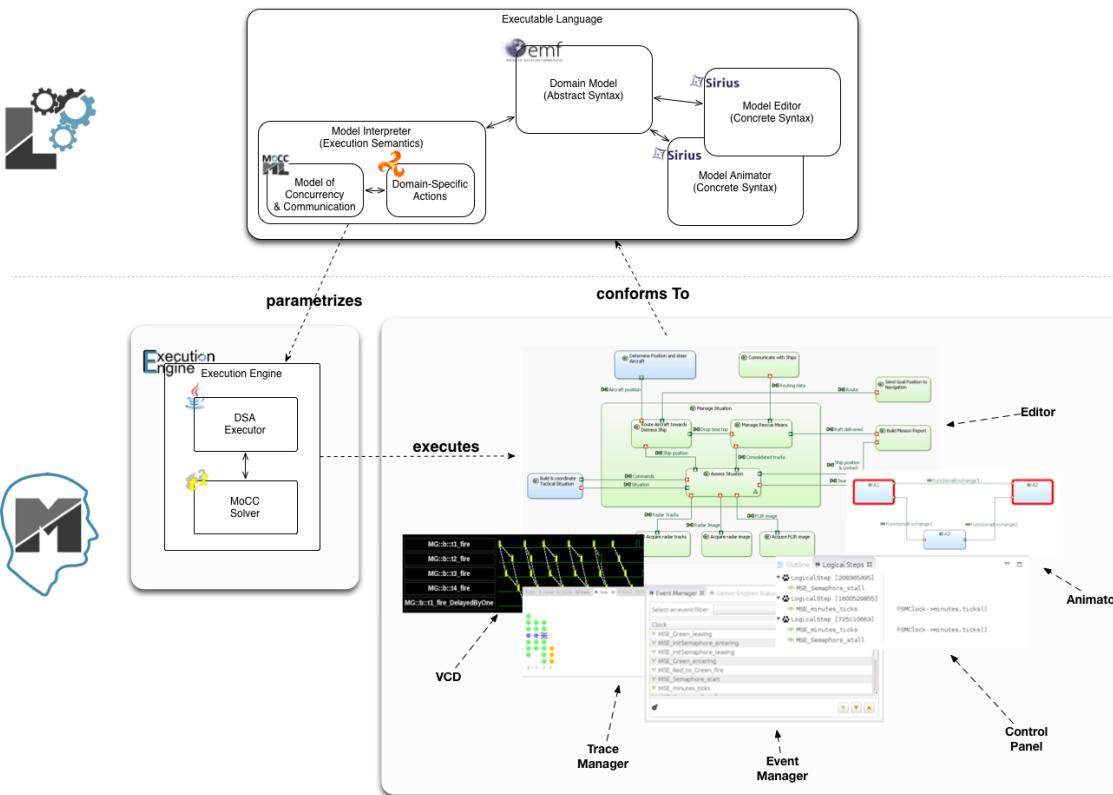
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Reifying Concurrency and Coordination in xDSML



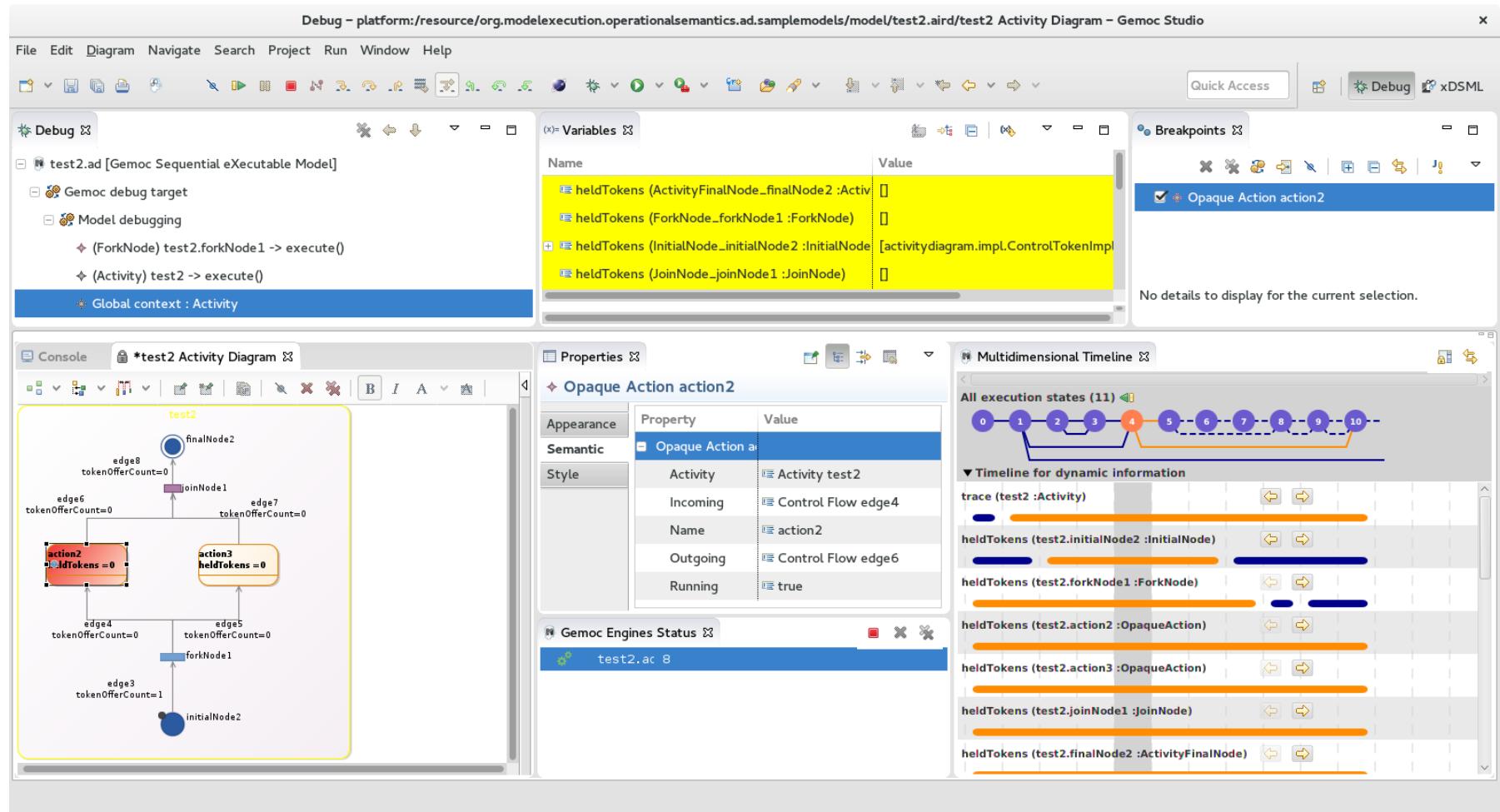
The GEMOC Studio



Benoit Combemale, Julien Deantoni, Olivier Barais, Arnaud Blouin, Erwan Bousse, Cédric Brun, Thomas Degueule and Didier Vojtisek, "A Solution to the TTC'15 Model Execution Case Using the GEMOC Studio," In 8th Transformation Tool Contest (TTC), 2015. **Overall Winner**

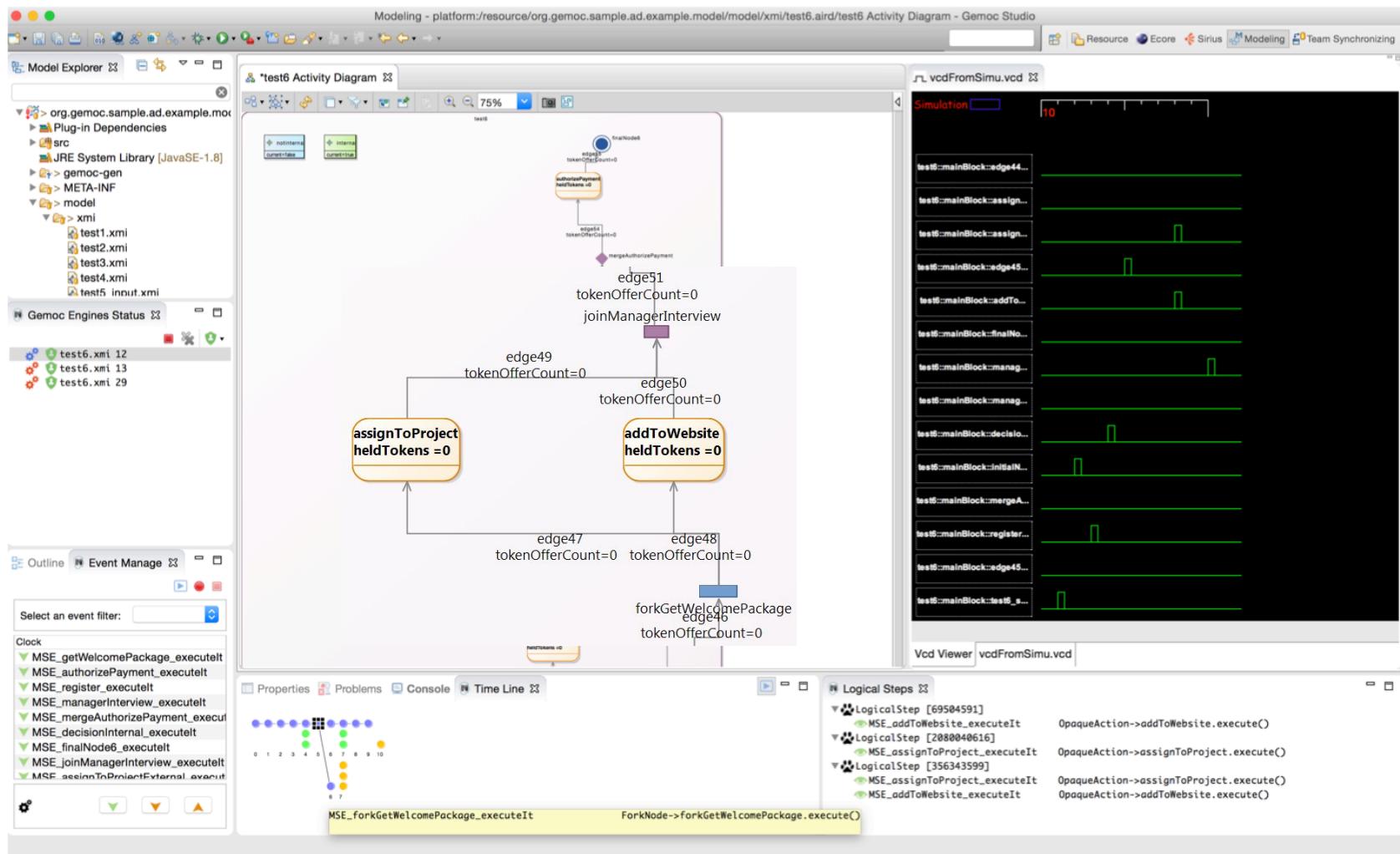
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Activity Diagram Debugger



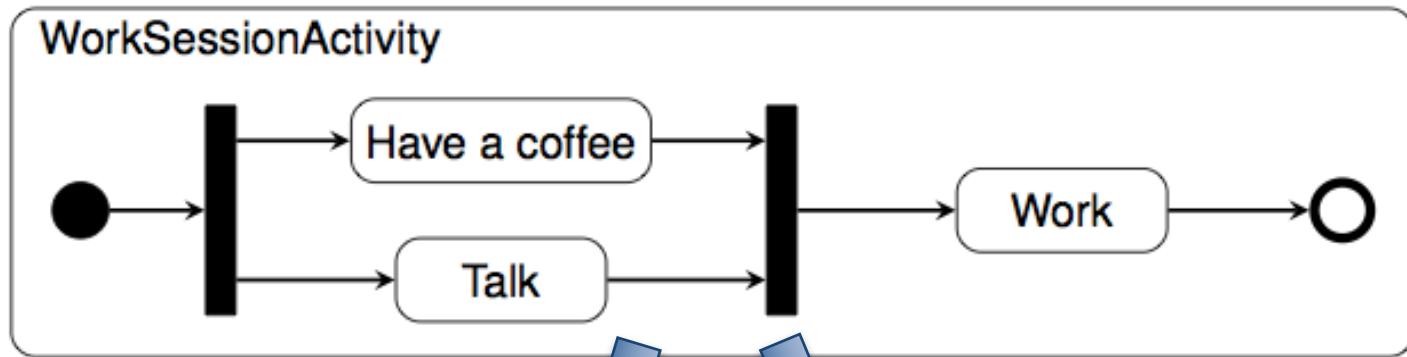
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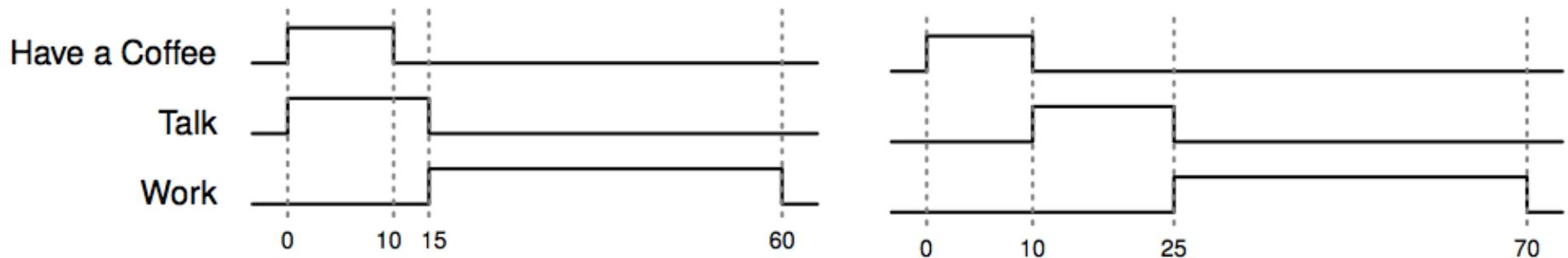
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Coping with Semantic Variation Points



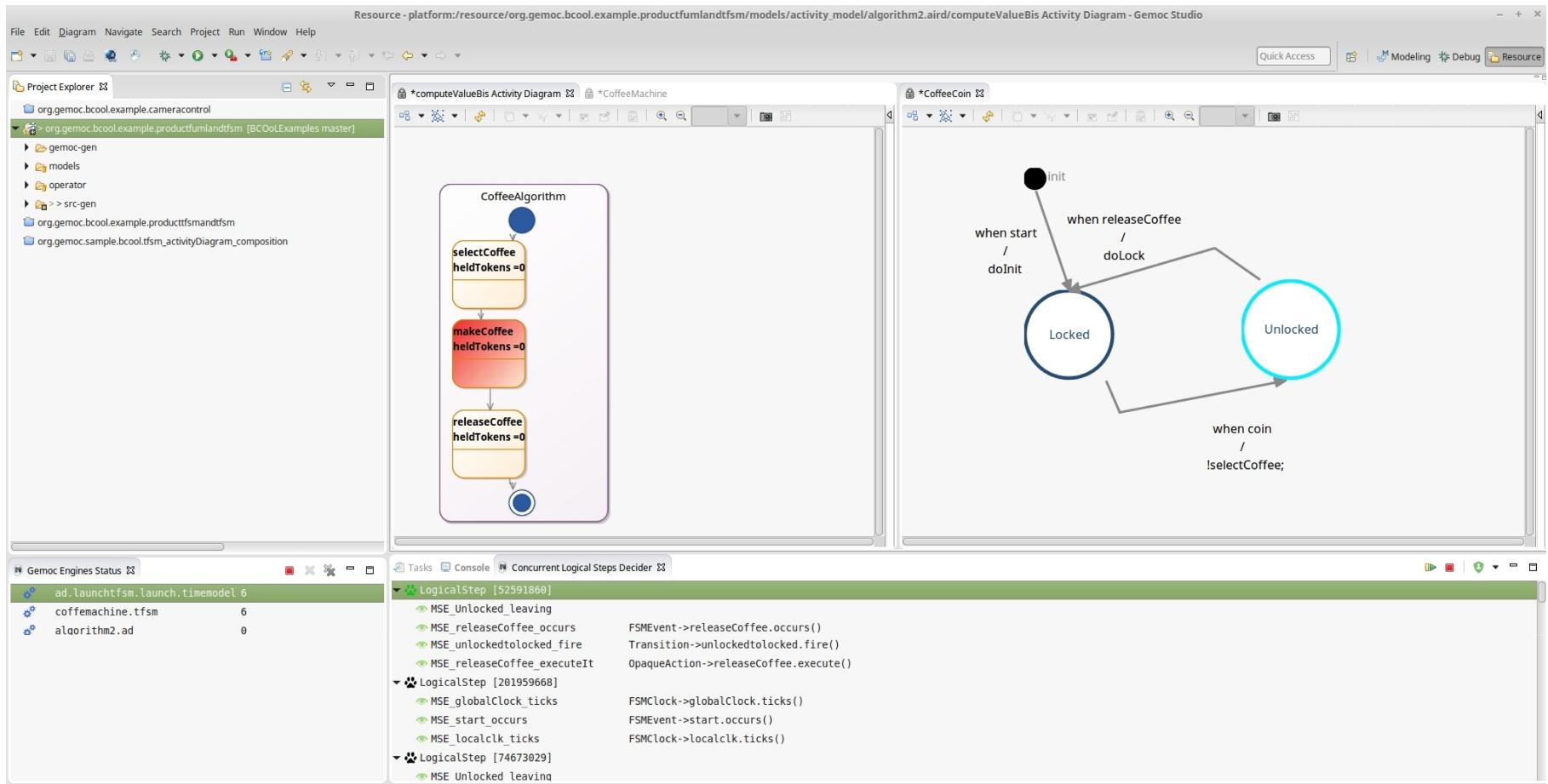
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Sequential DE



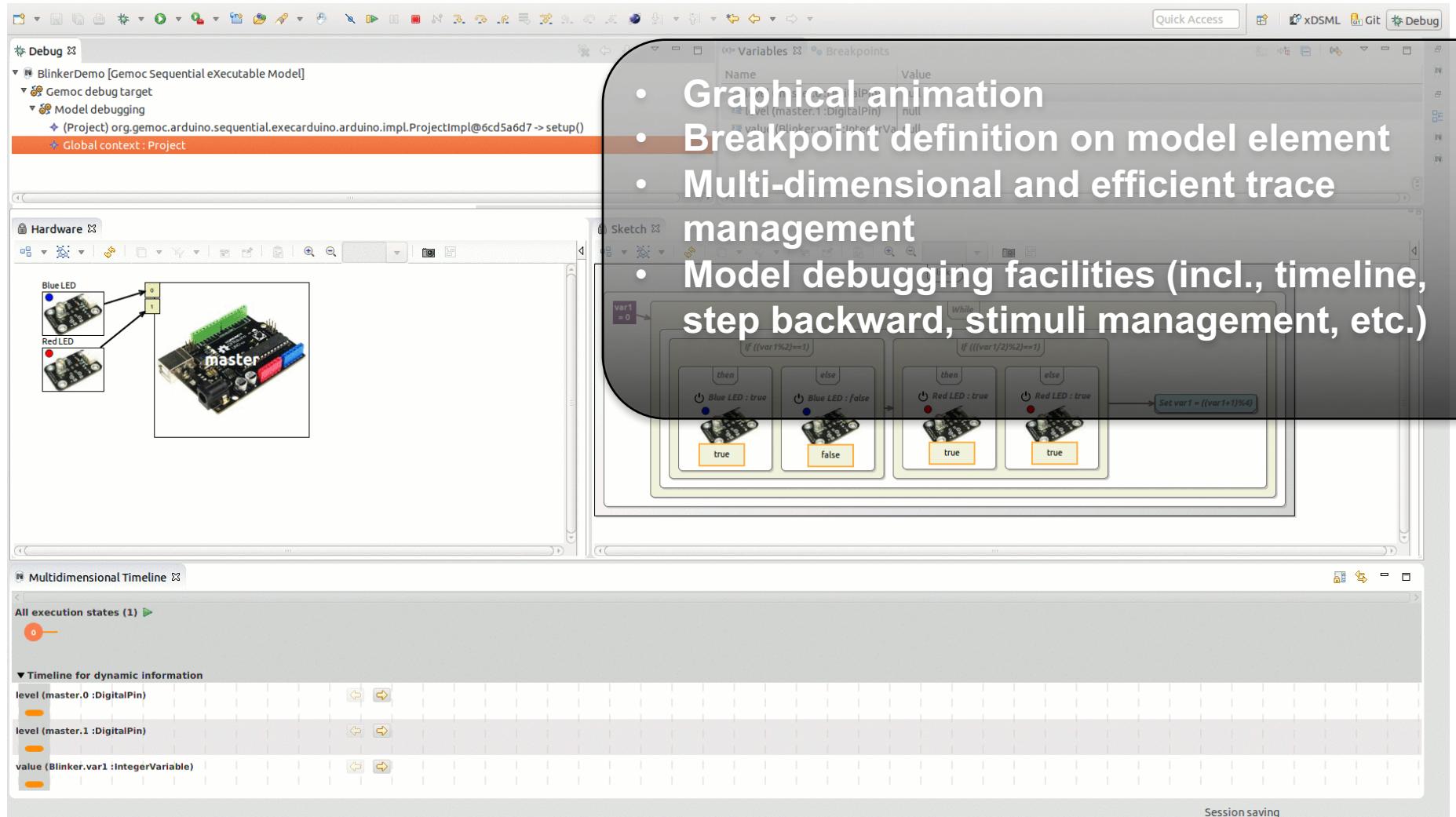
Florent Latombe, Xavier Crégut, Julien Deantoni, Marc Pantel, Benoit Combemale, "Coping with Semantic Variation Points in Domain-Specific Modeling Languages", In EXE@MoDELS 2015.

Behavioral Model Coordination



<https://github.com/gemoc/coordination>

Arduino Designer (& Debugger)



<https://github.com/gemoc/arduinomodeling>

Arduino Designer (& Debugger)

The screenshot shows the Arduino Designer & Debugger interface. On the left, there's a hardware setup diagram with an Arduino Uno board connected to two LEDs: a blue LED and a red LED. The blue LED is controlled by digital pin 13, and the red LED is controlled by digital pin 12. A USB cable is connected to the Arduino. On the right, there's a code editor window titled "Sketch" showing a C-like pseudocode for a blinking sequence. Below the code editor is a timeline simulation window showing the state of the LEDs over time, with conditions like "if ((var1%2)==1)" and "if (((var1/2)%2)==1)". A callout box highlights features of the debugger:

- Graphical animation
- Breakpoint definition on model element
- Multi-dimensional and efficient trace management
- Model debugging facilities (incl., timeline, step backward, stimuli management, etc.)
- Concurrency simulation and formal analysis

Two callout boxes contain text about modern platforms and complex software systems:

Modern platforms are highly parallel (e.g., many-core, GPGPU, distributed platform).

Complex software systems are highly concurrent systems per se (e.g., IoT, CPS).

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Program of the workshop

- 10:00-10:30: Workshop introduction and project overview
- 10:30-11:00: **Engineering xDSMLs for model executability, animation and debugging**
- 11:00-11:30: **Reifying the concurrency concern into xDSML specifications**
- 11:30-12:00: **Coordination of xDSMLs for concurrent execution of heterogeneous models**
- 12:00-12:30: **Experimentations, transfer and development**
- 12:30-12:45: Wrap-up and perspectives
- *12:45-14:00: lunch buffet and discussions*
- 14:00-16:00: **Demonstrations and hands-on with the GEMOC studio**
- *16:00-16:30: Closing snack*

Program of the workshop

This is YOUR seminar!

- *Ask questions*
- *Provide feedback*
- *Make it interactive*