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# Object-Oriented Modelling

## Modelling structure with SysML

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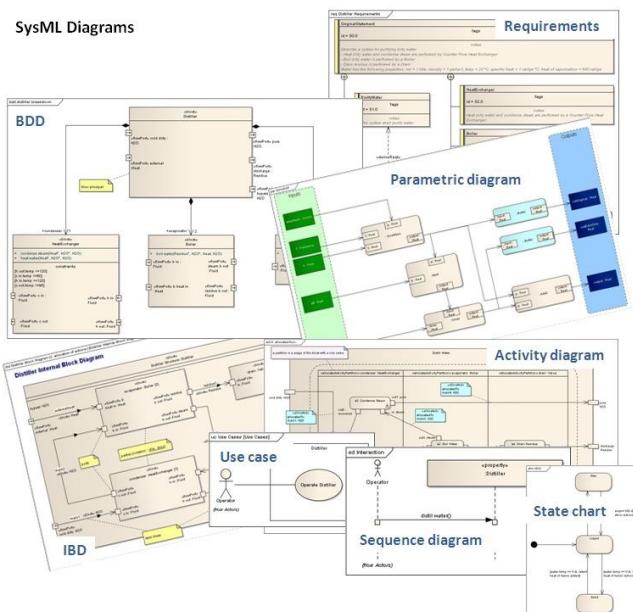
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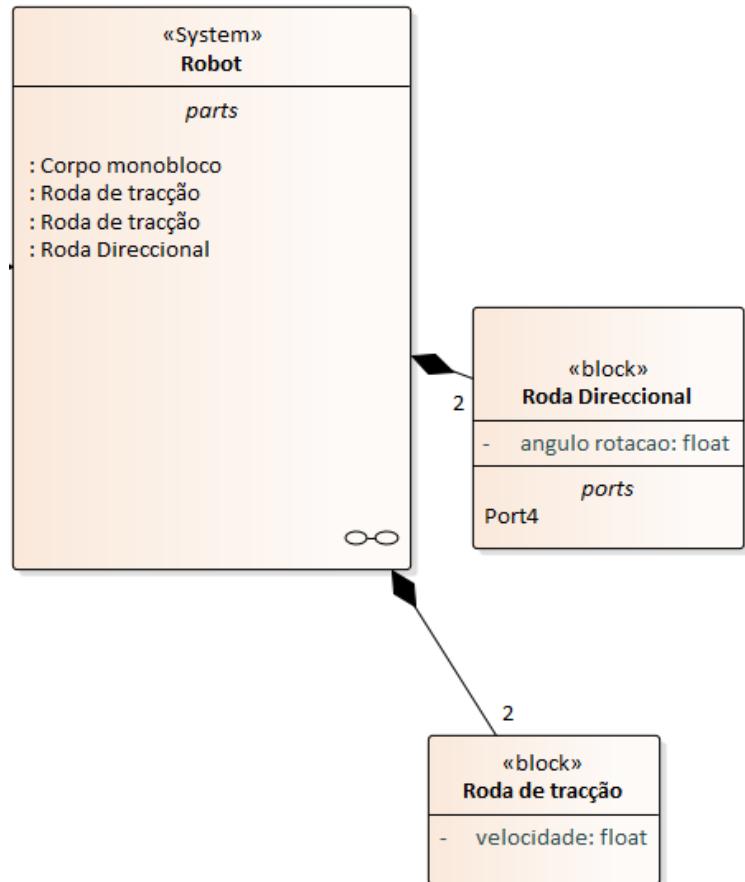
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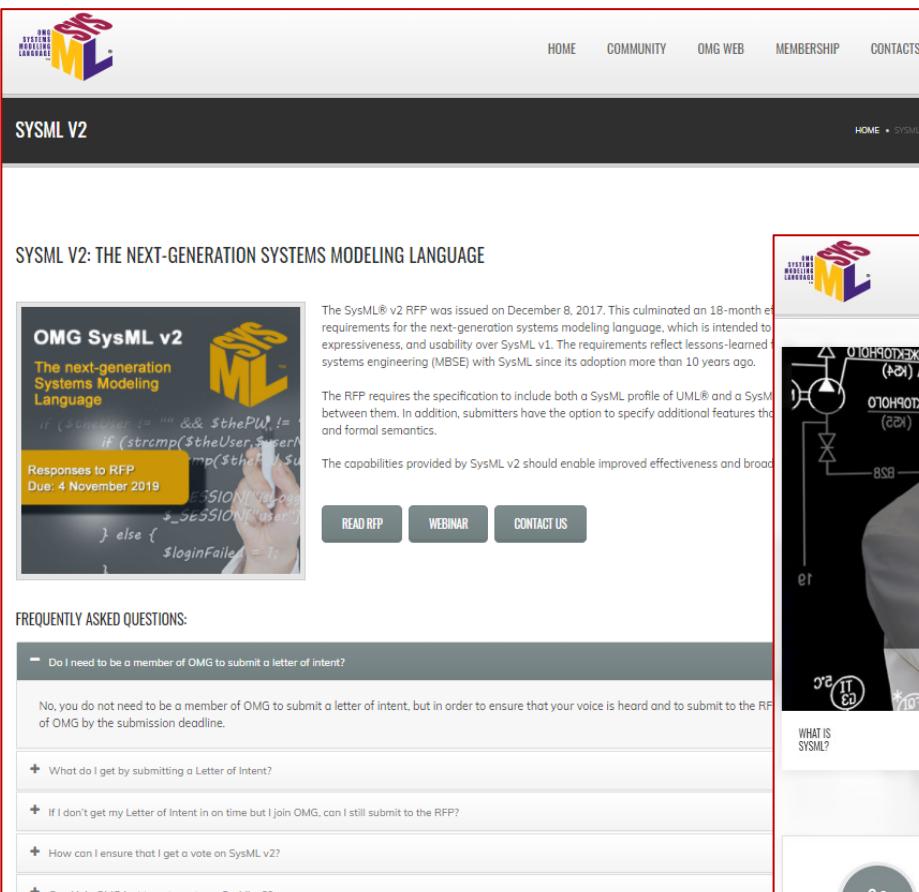
# Hello World! SysML

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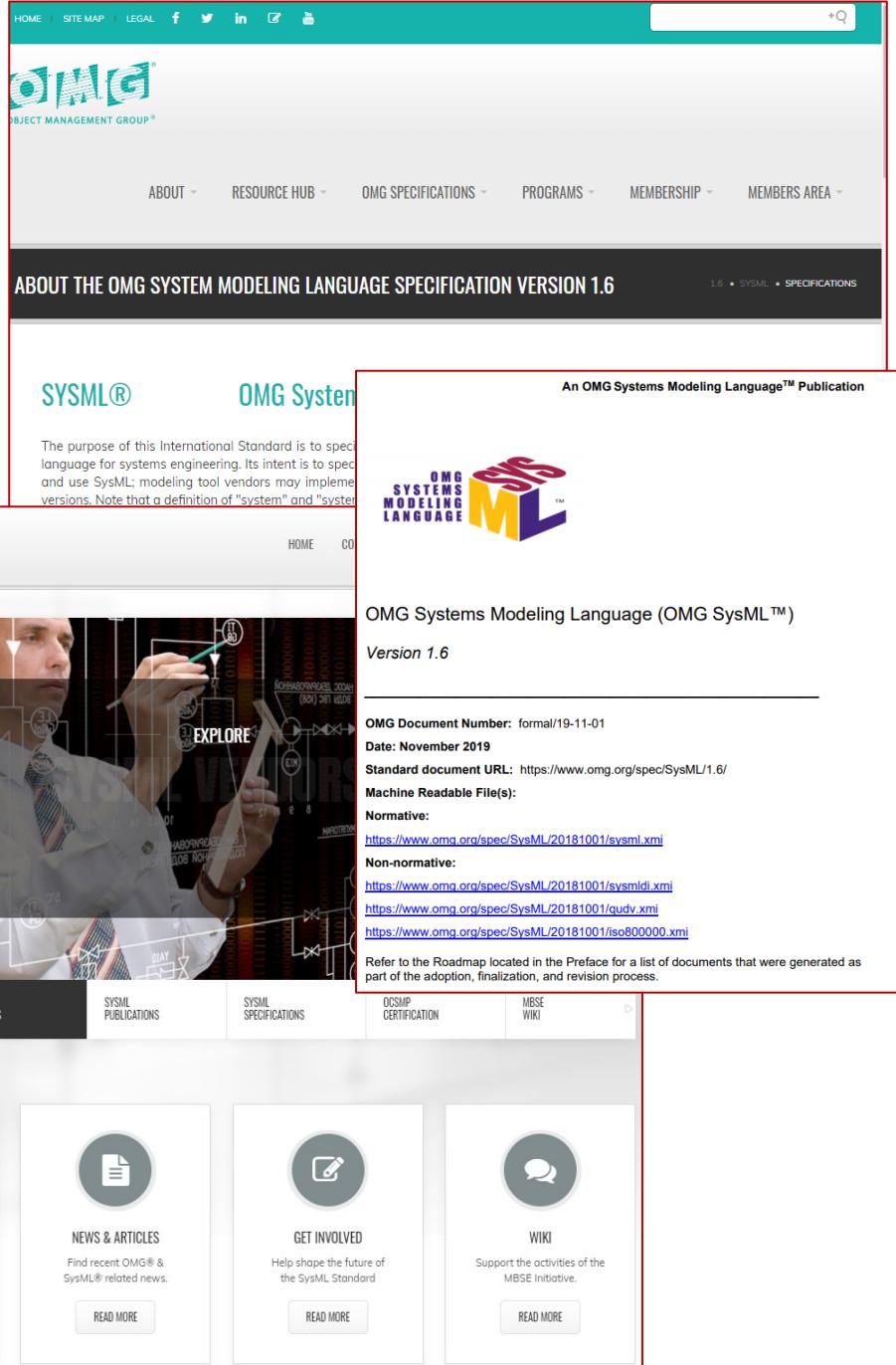
- 2 rodas direcionais com ângulo de rotação definido em graus
- 2 rodas de tração que permitem a sua deslocação
- 1 corpo monobloco



- SysML1.4 ISO 19514:2017
- SysML 1.6 is the most recent version (Nov. 2019)...
- A process to define SysML v2 is ongoing...



The screenshot shows the main page of the SysML V2 website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for HOME, COMMUNITY, OMG WEB, MEMBERSHIP, and CONTACTS. Below the navigation is a banner for "SYSML V2". The main content area features a heading "SYSML V2: THE NEXT-GENERATION SYSTEMS MODELING LANGUAGE". To the left, there's a snippet of UML code. Below the code are buttons for "READ RFP", "WEBINAR", and "CONTACT US". On the right, there's a large image of a person interacting with a complex system diagram. At the bottom, there's a section for "FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS" with several expandable questions.



The screenshot shows the "ABOUT THE OMG SYSTEM MODELING LANGUAGE SPECIFICATION VERSION 1.6" page. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for ABOUT, RESOURCE HUB, OMG SPECIFICATIONS, PROGRAMS, MEMBERSHIP, and MEMBERS AREA. The main content area has sections for "SYSML®" and "OMG System". It includes a logo for "OMG SYSTEMS MODELING LANGUAGE" and a summary of the purpose of the standard. Below this, there's a section for "OMG Systems Modeling Language (OMG SysML™) Version 1.6" with links to various documents and resources. At the bottom, there are four cards: "SYSML V2", "NEWS & ARTICLES", "GET INVOLVED", and "WIKI".

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## SysML Open Source Project - What is SysML? Who created SysML?



AGILE MBSE™ + SYSML Live Virtual Training  
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The SysML.org web provides information about the [SysML Partners](#) and their [SysML Open Source Specification Project](#), which created the Systems Modeling Language (SysML) dialect (profile) of the [Unified Modeling Language v. 2 \(UML 2\)](#) for systems engineering applications in 2003. Subsequently, the Object Management Group (OMG) adopted a version of SysML as [OMG SysML](#) in 2006, and the [Software Development Times](#) awarded the SysML Partners with its "SD Times 100" award for industry leadership in the "Modeling" category in 2007. For more information about the current version of OMG SysML, see the [SysML FAQ: What is the current version of SysML?](#)

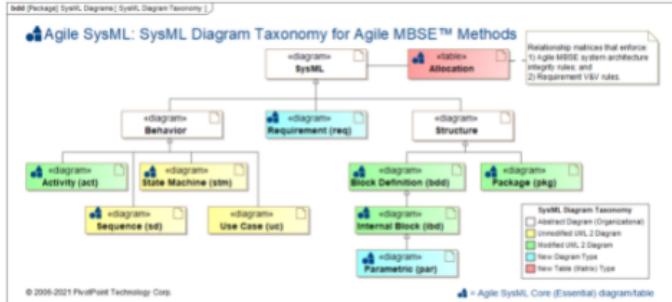
### What is the Systems Modeling Language (SysML)?

Question Variant(s): *What is SysML?, What is OMG SysML?*

#### Definition

**Systems Modeling Language (SysML):** SysML is a general-purpose architecture modeling language for Systems Engineering applications.

- SysML supports the specification, analysis, design, verification and validation of a broad range of systems and systems-of-systems. These systems may include hardware, software, information, processes, personnel, and facilities.
- SysML is a dialect of UML 2, and is defined as a UML 2 Profile. (A UML Profile is a UML dialect that customizes the language via three mechanisms: Stereotypes, Tagged Values, and Constraints.)
- SysML is an enabling technology for [Model-Based Systems Engineering \(MBSE\)](#).



This diagram illustrates the SysML Diagram Taxonomy for Agile MBSE™ Methods. It shows a hierarchical structure of diagrams:

- System**: The root node, represented by a blue icon.
- Behavior**: A child of System, represented by a green icon.
- Requirement (req)**: A child of System, represented by a yellow icon.
- Structure**: A child of System, represented by a red icon.
- Activity (act)**: A child of Behavior, represented by a light green icon.
- State Machine (stm)**: A child of Behavior, represented by a light yellow icon.
- Sequence (seq)**: A child of Activity (act), represented by a light blue icon.
- Use Case (use)**: A child of Requirement (req), represented by a light orange icon.
- Block Definition (bdd)**: A child of Structure, represented by a light red icon.
- Internal Block (ibd)**: A child of Block Definition (bdd), represented by a light green icon.
- Parametric (par)**: A child of Block Definition (bdd), represented by a light blue icon.
- Package (pkg)**: A child of Structure, represented by a light red icon.

Relationship matrices that enforce 1) agile MBSE system architecture integrity rules and 2) Required UML rules are shown at the top right.

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SysML Diagram Taxonomy for Agile MBSE™

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# SysML Package Structure

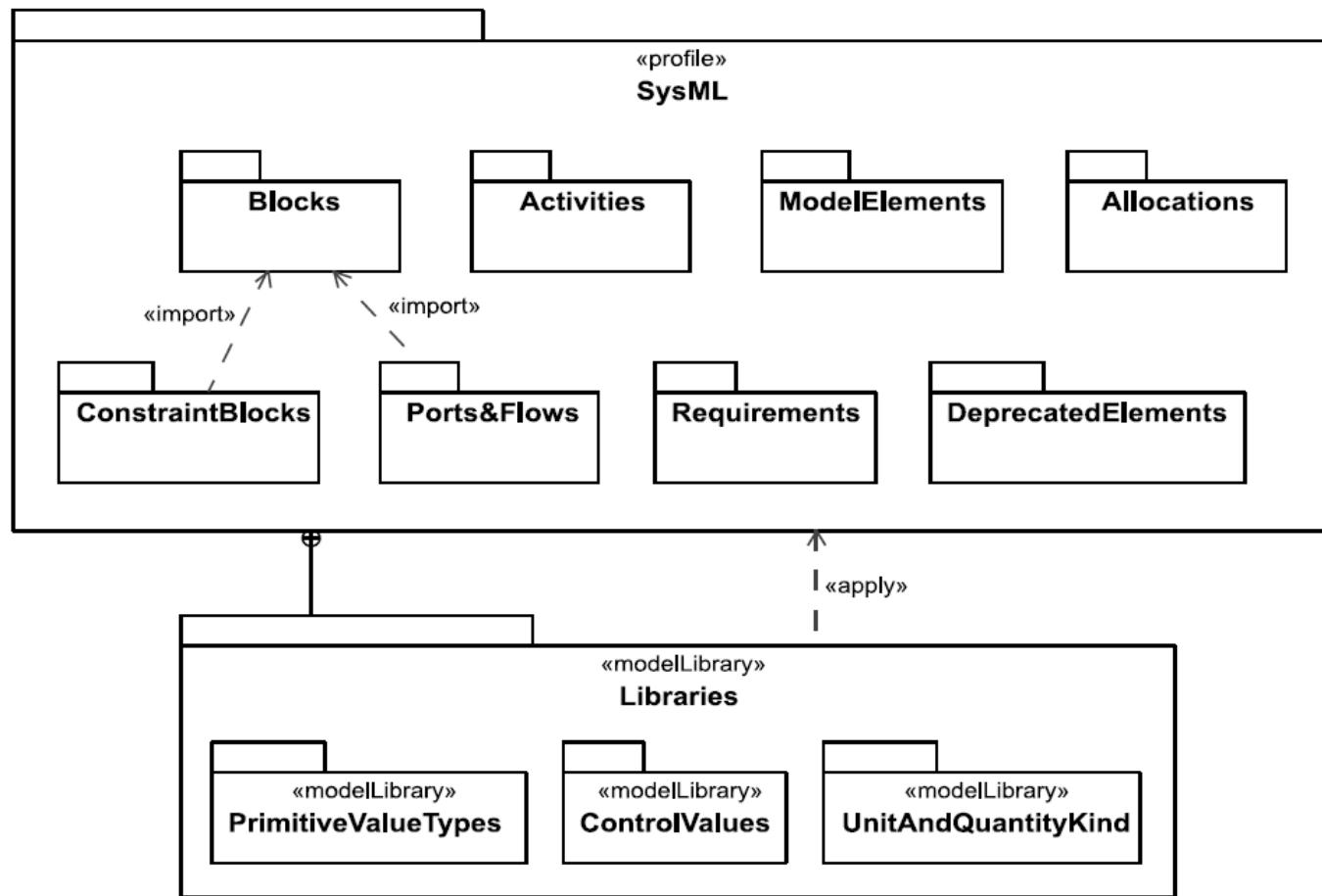
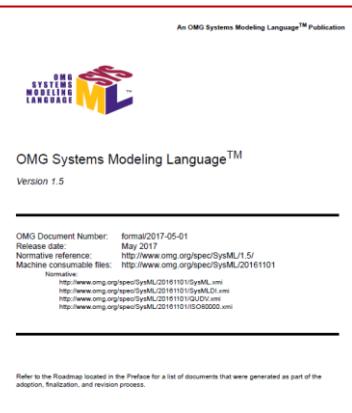


Figure 4.3 - SysML Package Structure



# Structural Diagrams in SysML

- **Block Definition Diagram (bdd)**

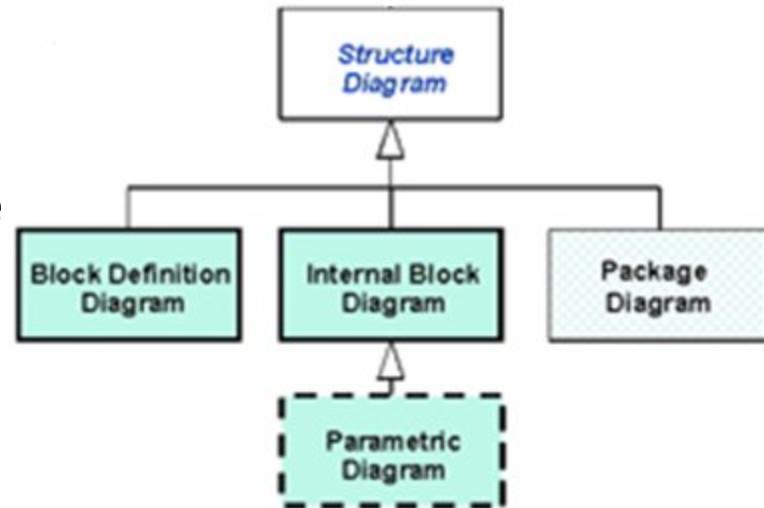
Describes the classified domain of a system as blocks, the features of these blocks, and also the relationships between these blocks.

- **Internal Block Diagram (ibd)**

Describes the internal structure of a block, in terms of its parts (the internal structure of a block), the ports of the block (the interfaces of the block with its external context), and the connectors (the entities that connect the blocks)

- *Parametric Diagram*

*Parametrics represent constraints on system property values (such as performance, reliability, mass properties, etc.)*



# Concepts in SysML: Blocks

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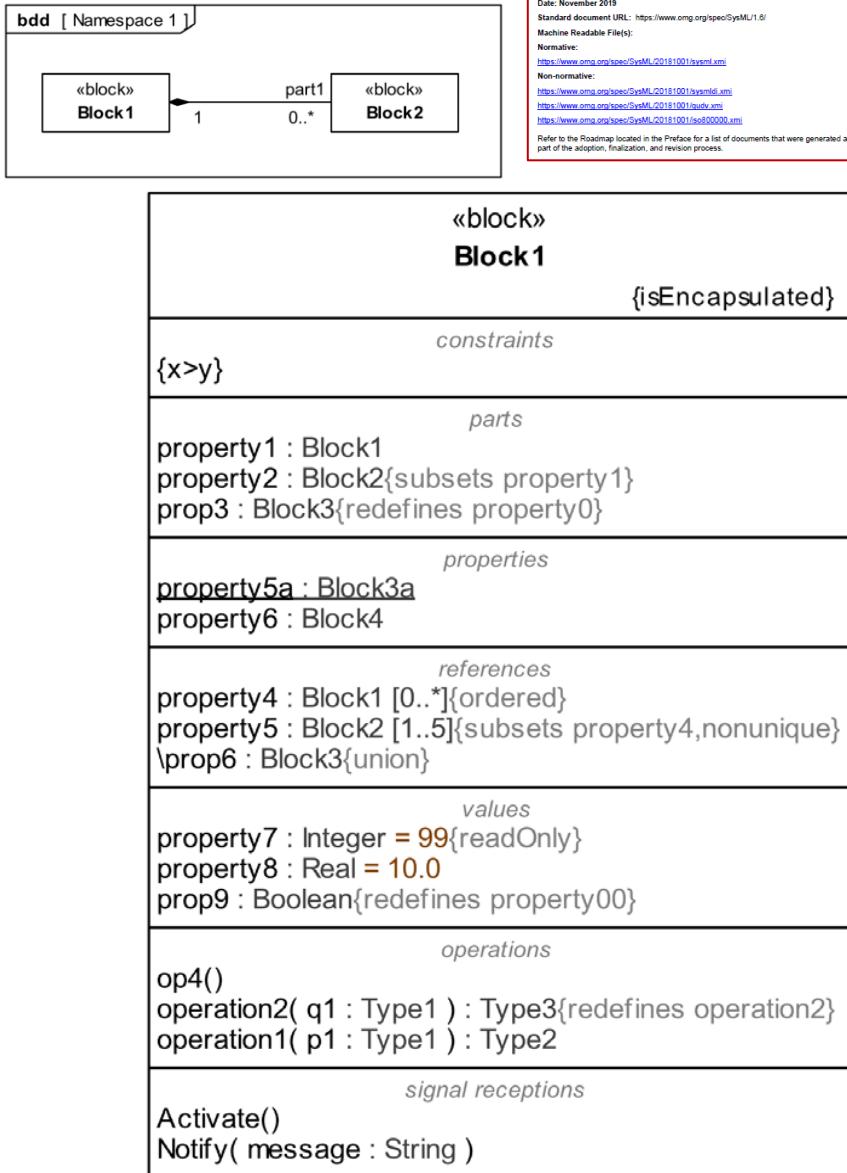
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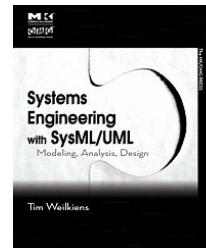
8 Blocks

## 8.1 Overview

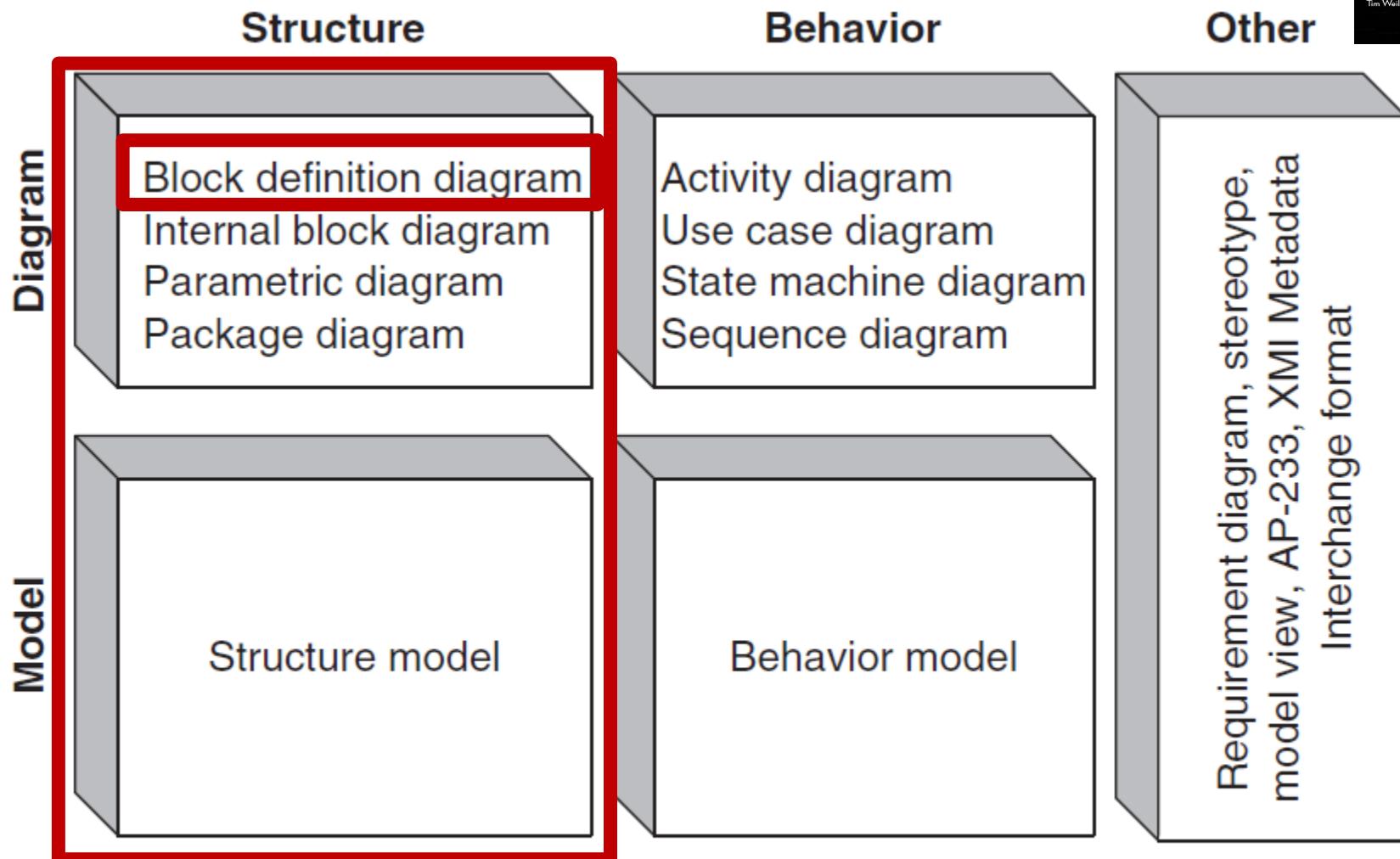
Blocks are modular units of system description. Each block defines a collection of features to describe a system or other element of interest. These may include both structural and behavioral features, such as properties and operations, to represent the state of the system and behavior that the system may exhibit.

Blocks provide a general-purpose capability to model systems as trees of modular components. The specific kinds of components, the kinds of connections between them, and the way these elements combine to define the total system can all be selected according to the goals of a particular system model. SysML blocks can be used throughout all phases of system specification and design, and can be applied to many different kinds of systems. These include modeling either the logical or physical decomposition of a system, and the specification of software, hardware, or human elements. Parts in these systems may interact by many different means, such as software operations, discrete state transitions, flows of inputs and outputs, or continuous interactions.





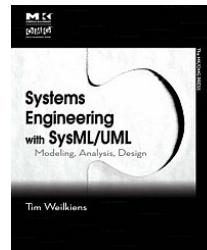
# Structure Modelling - SysML



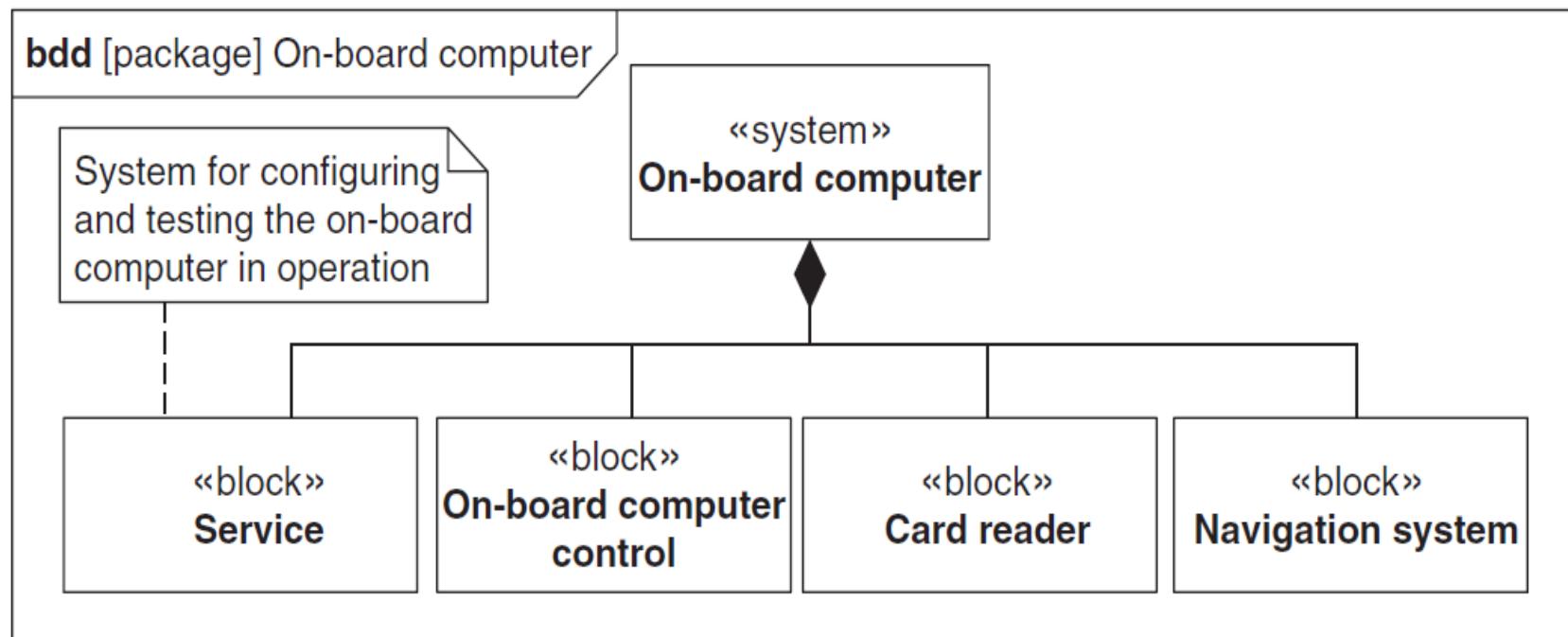
**FIGURE 4-2**

The structure of SysML.

# Example: The structure of the “On-board computer” system



A **block definition diagram (bdd)** describes the system’s **structure**, usually as a hierarchy of blocks (as of “classes” in UML domain models)...



**FIGURE 2-22**

Structure of the on-board computer.

## Example: A bdd structure of a vehicle

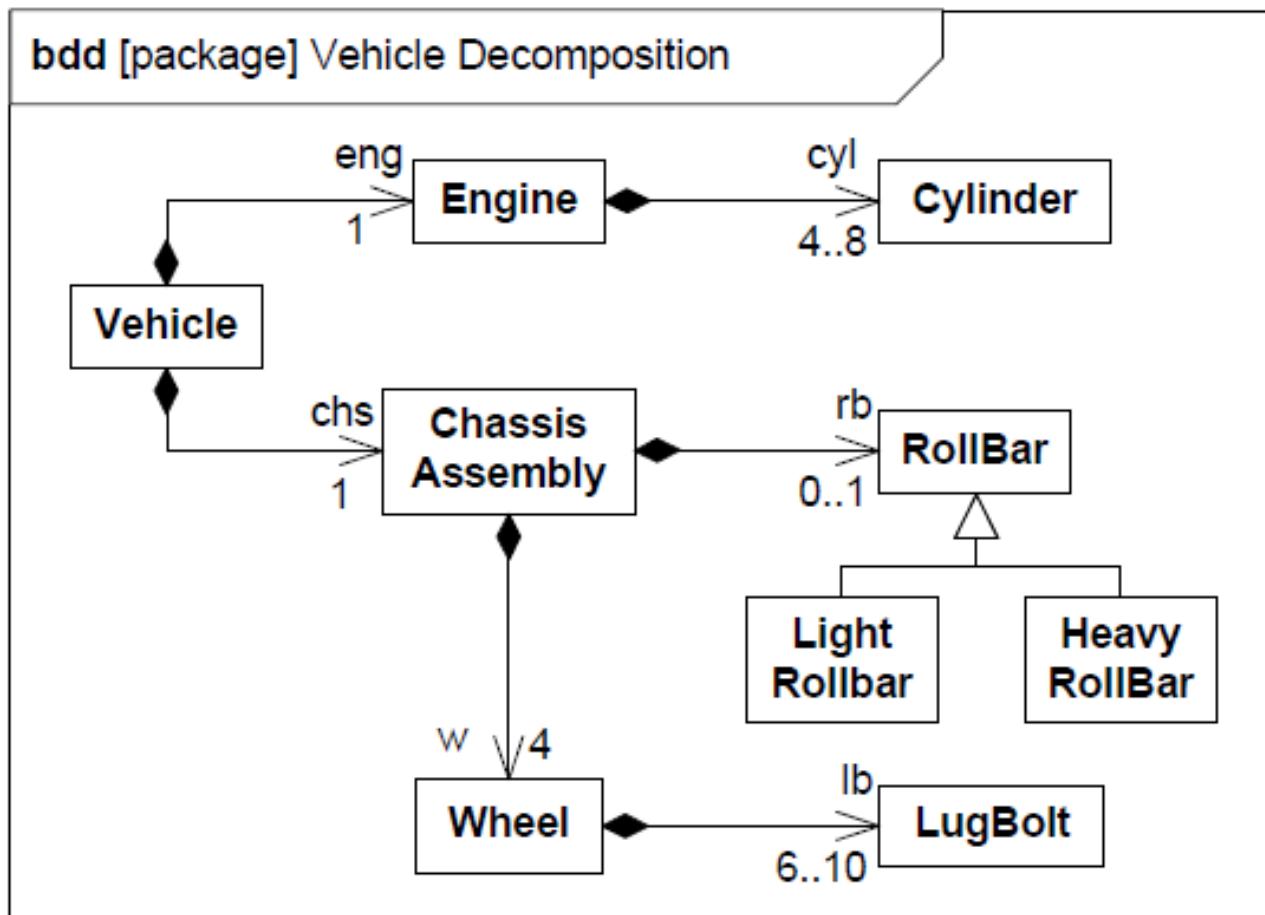


Figure 8.15 - Vehicle decomposition

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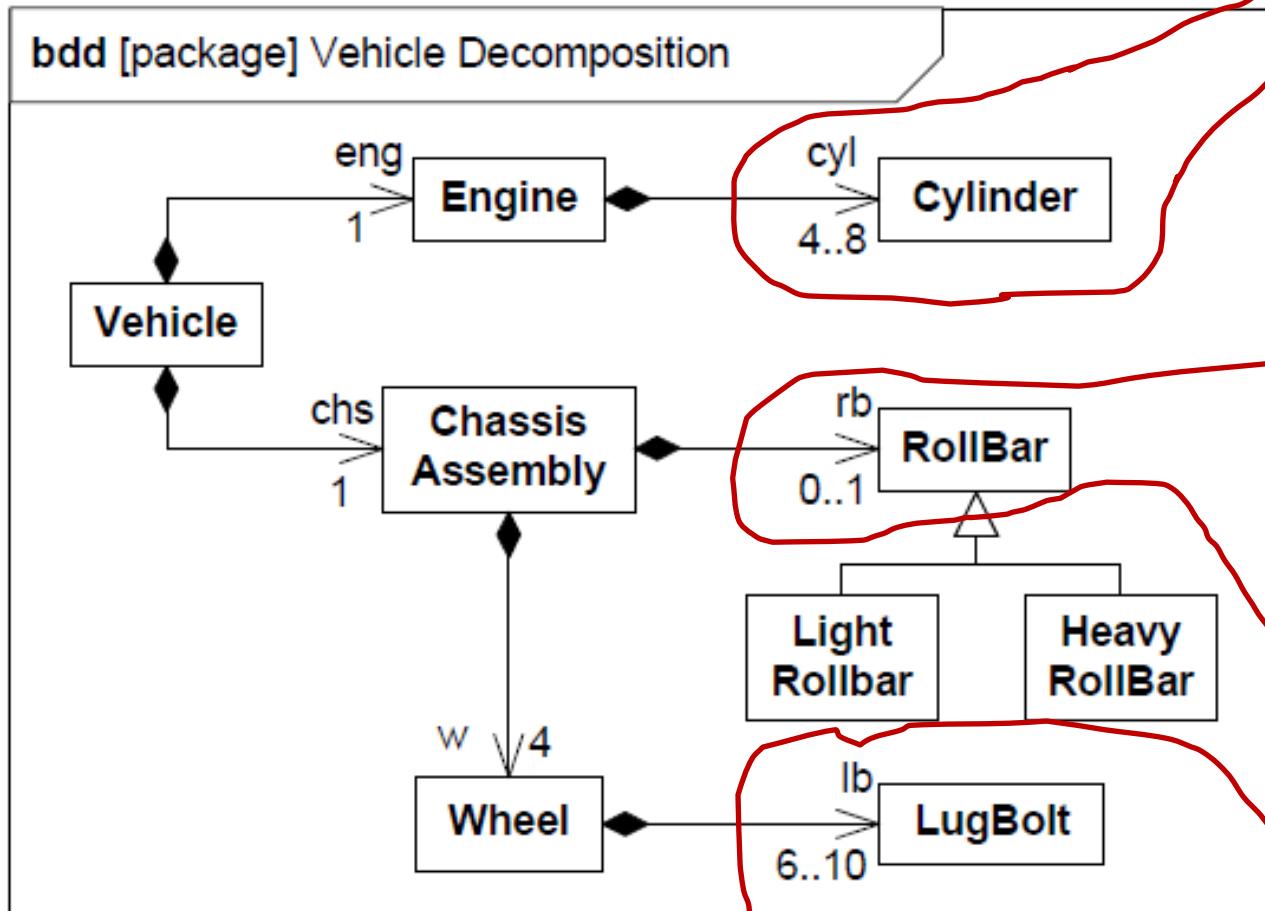


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# Blocks can be made of “compartments”, or “parts”



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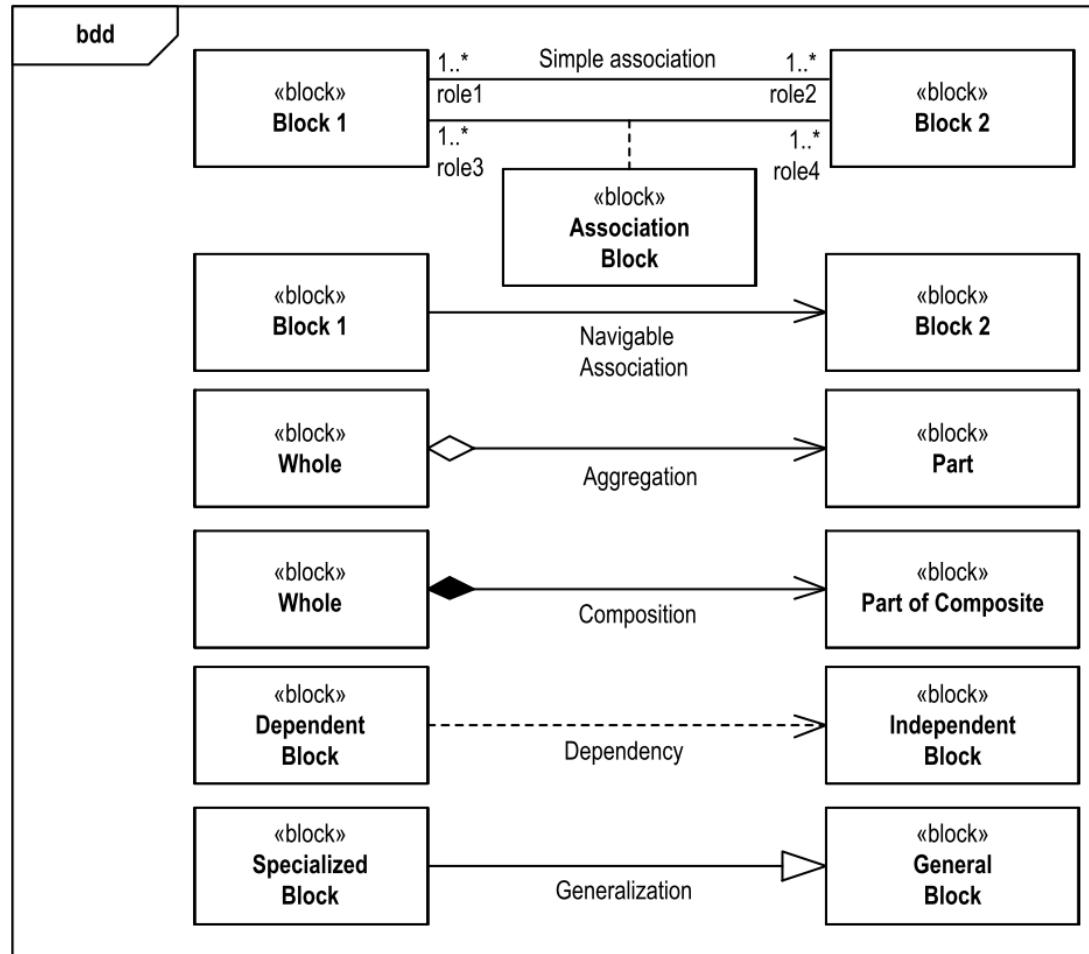
8 Blocks

8.1 Overview

(...)

The Block Definition Diagram in SysML defines features of blocks and relationships between blocks such as associations, generalizations, and dependencies. It captures the definition of blocks in terms of properties and operations, and relationships such as a system hierarchy or a system classification tree. The Internal Block Diagram in SysML captures the internal structure of a block in terms of properties and connectors between properties. A block can include properties to specify its values, parts, and references to other blocks. Ports are a special class of property used to specify allowable types of interactions between blocks, and are described in Clause 9, “Ports and Flows.” Constraint Properties are a special class of property used to constrain other properties of blocks, and are described in Clause 10 “Constraint Blocks.” Various notations for properties are available to distinguish these specialized kinds of properties on an internal block diagram.

(...)



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## 8 Blocks

### 8.1 Overview

(...)

A property can represent a role or usage in the context of its enclosing block. A property has a type that supplies its definition. A part belonging to a block, for example, may be typed by another block. The part defines a local usage of its defining block within the specific context to which the part belongs. For example, a block that represents the definition of a wheel can be used in different ways. The front wheel and rear wheel can represent different usages of the same wheel definition. SysML also allows each usage to define context-specific values and constraints associated with the individual usage, such as 25 psi for the front tires and 30 psi for the rear tires.

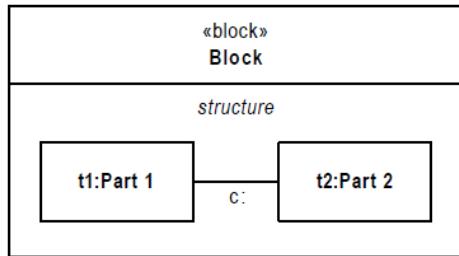
Blocks may also specify operations or other features that describe the behavior of a system. Except for operations, this clause deals strictly with the definition of properties to describe the state of a system at any given point in time, including relations between elements that define its structure. Clause 9, “Ports and Flows” specifies specific forms of interactions between blocks, and the Behavioral Constructs including activities, interactions, and state machines can be applied to blocks to specify their behavior. Clause 15, “Allocations” describes ways to allocate behavior to parts and blocks.

SysML blocks are based on UML classes as extended by UML composite structures. Some capabilities available for UML classes, such as more specialized forms of associations, have been excluded from SysML blocks to simplify the language. SysML blocks always include an ability to define internal connectors, regardless of whether this capability is needed for a particular block. SysML Blocks also extend the capabilities of UML classes and connectors with reusable forms of constraints, multi-level nesting of connector ends, participant properties for composite association classes, and connector properties. SysML blocks include several notational extensions as specified in this clause.

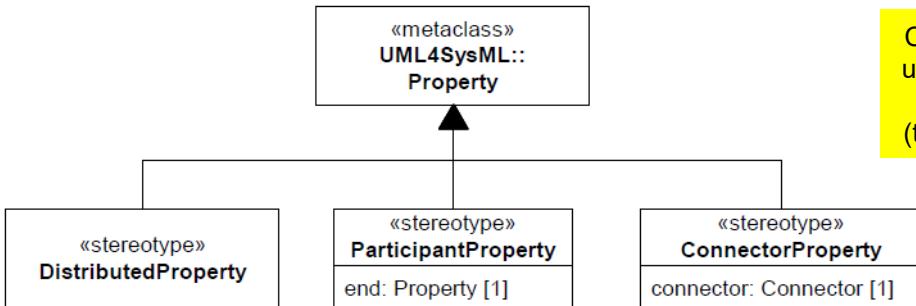
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<b>Block1</b>
<b>{isEncapsulated}</b>
<b>constraints</b>
<b>{x&gt;y}</b>
<b>parts</b>
property1 : Block1
property2 : Block2{subsets property1}
prop3 : Block3{redefines property0}
<b>properties</b>
property5a : Block3a
property6 : Block4
<b>references</b>
property4 : Block1 [0..*]{ordered}
property5 : Block2 [1..5]{subsets property4,nonunique}
prop6 : Block3{union}
<b>values</b>
property7 : Integer = 99{readOnly}
property8 : Real = 10.0
prop9 : Boolean{redefines property00}
<b>operations</b>
op4()
operation2( q1 : Type1 ) : Type3{redefines operation2}
operation1( p1 : Type1 ) : Type2
<b>signal receptions</b>
Activate()
Notify( message : String )

# Blocks

«block»
{encapsulated}
<b>Block</b>
values
val1:Type «uniform» {mean=2, stdDeviation=0.1} val2:Type
operations
op1(param1:Type, param2:Type):Type
constraints
{val1 > 0}
parts
p1:Block
references
r1:Block



«block»
{encapsulated}
<b>Block1</b>
constraints
{ x > y }
operations
operation1(p1:Type1):Type2
parts
property1:Block2
references
property2:Block3 [0..*] {ordered}
values
property3: Integer = 99 {readOnly}
property4: Real = 10.0
properties
property5: Type1



Compartments can be used to model multiple aspects of the block (textual or graphically)

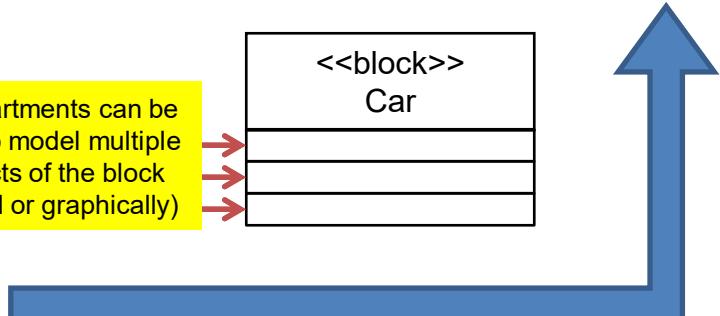
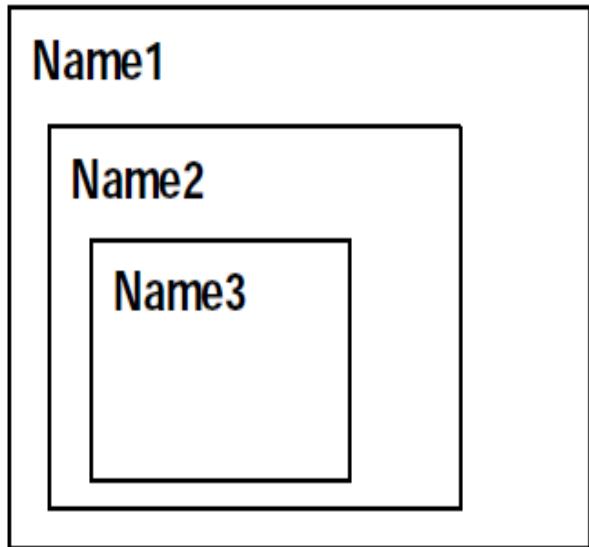
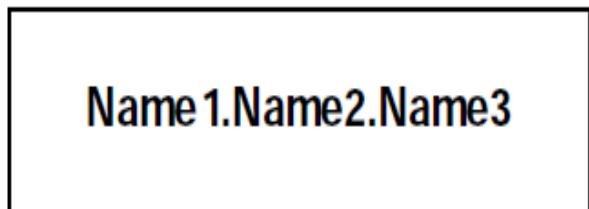


Figure 8.3 - Abstract syntax extensions for SysML properties

# Nested blocks



Nested parts



Nested parts – alternative notation



# Nested blocks

(a card reader with a card with a chip)

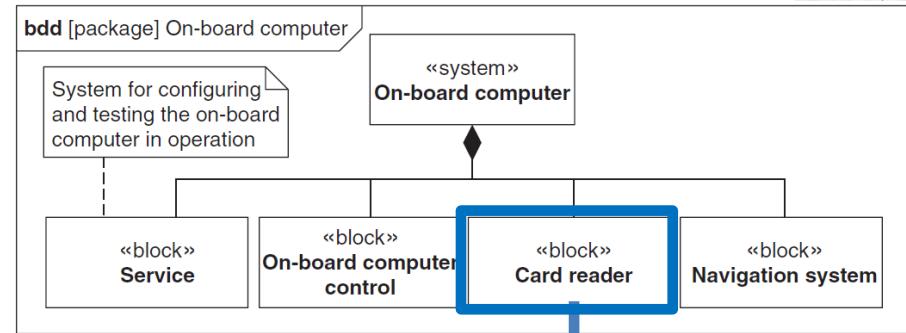
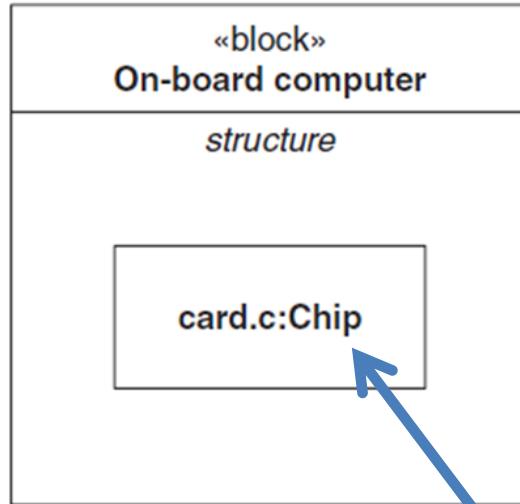


FIGURE 2-22

Structure of the on-board computer.

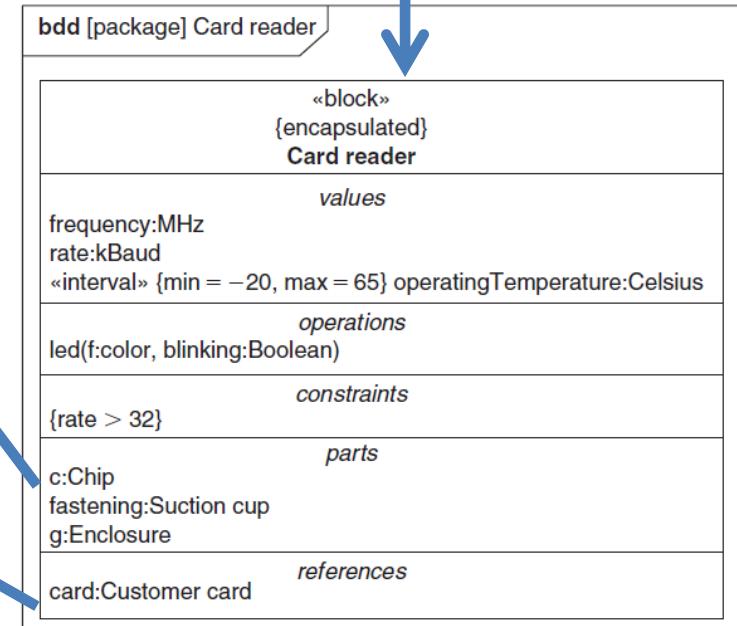
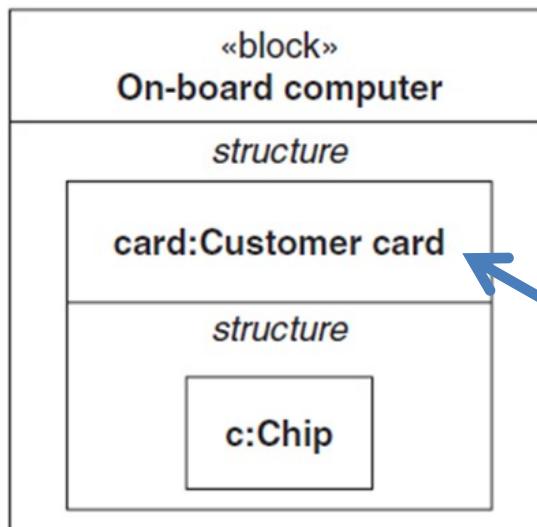


FIGURE 4-29

The notation for blocks.

# Nested blocks

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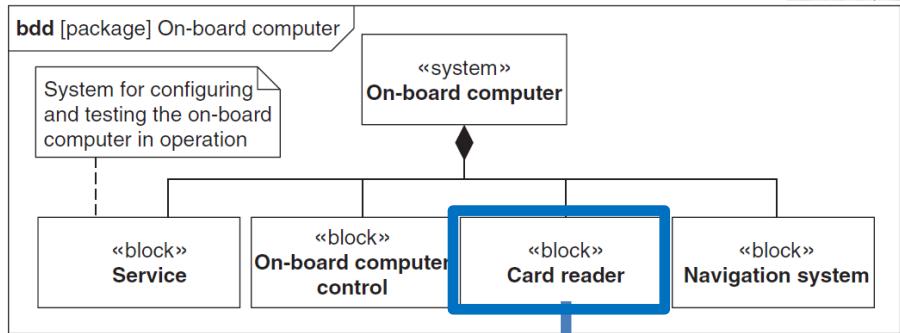


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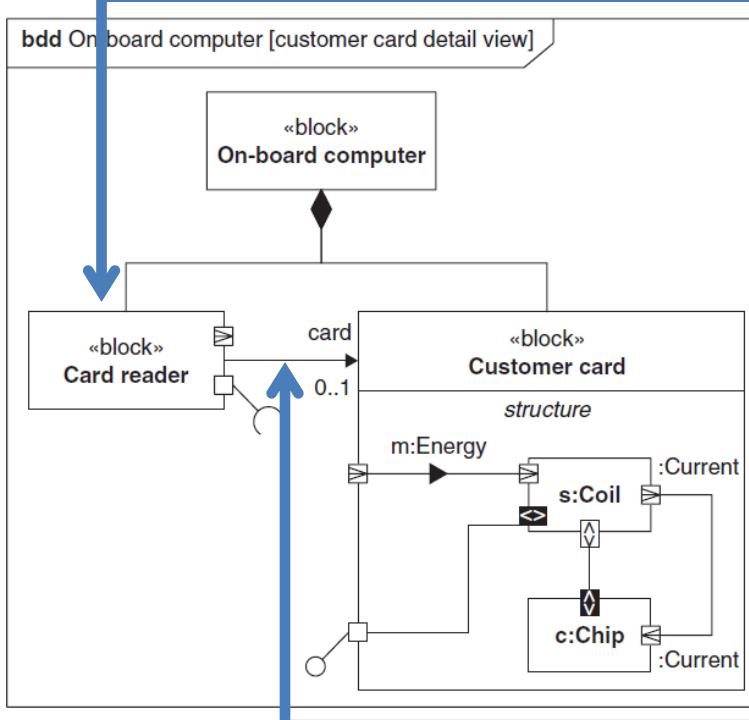


FIGURE 4-30

A block with a “compartment” structure.

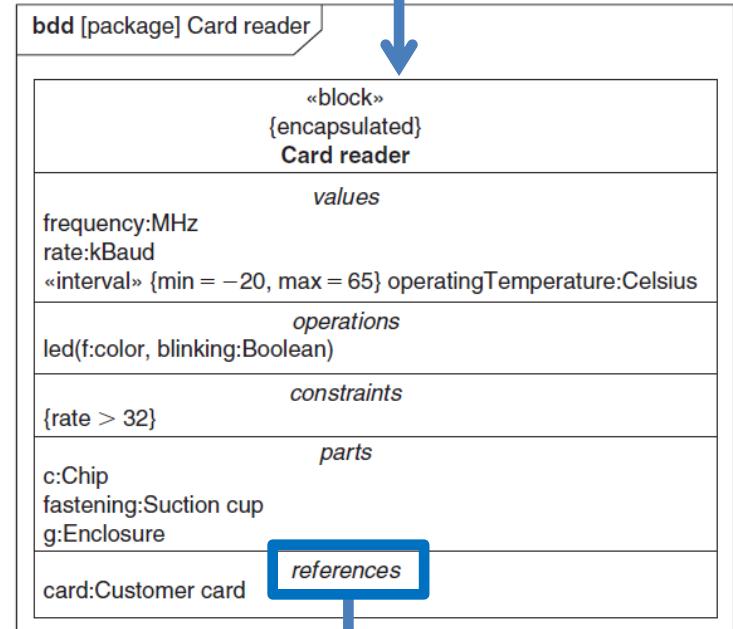
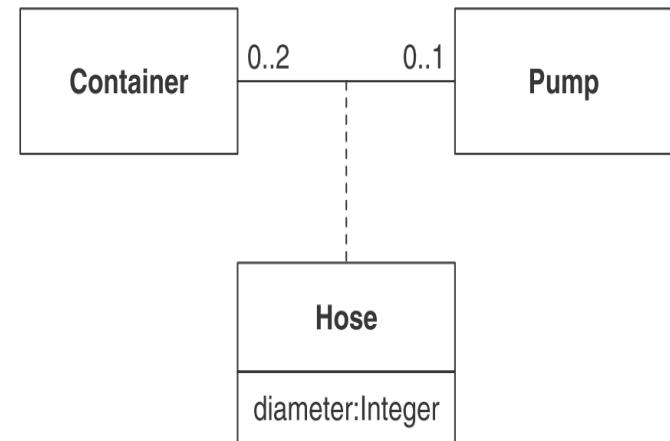


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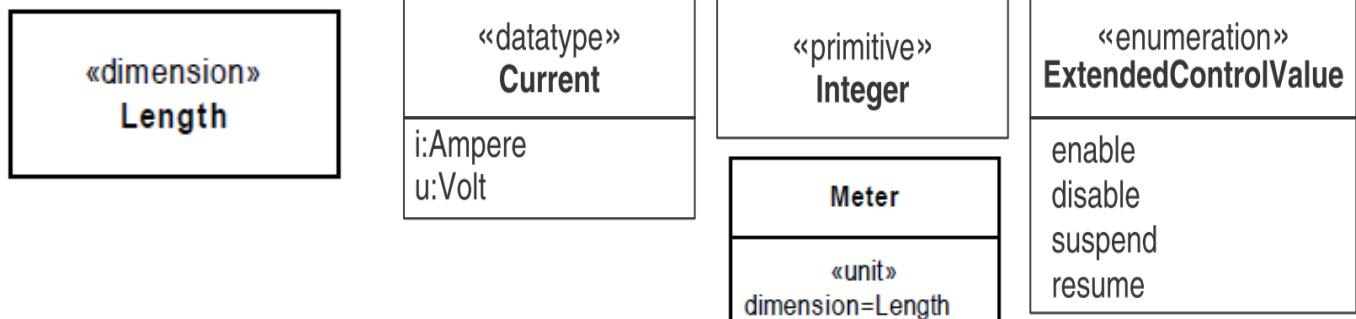
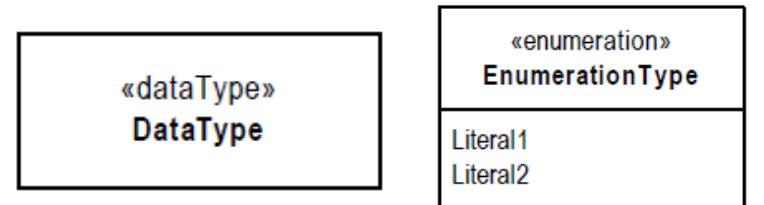
The notation for blocks.

# Data types as blocks

Each physical or abstract entity that is found defined in the model is a **type**. For example, those concepts found in a BDD are types:



However, a type that initially is not a concept of the structural domain model must be explicitly defined with a specific <<dataType>> block:



# Primitive data types and Value Types definition...

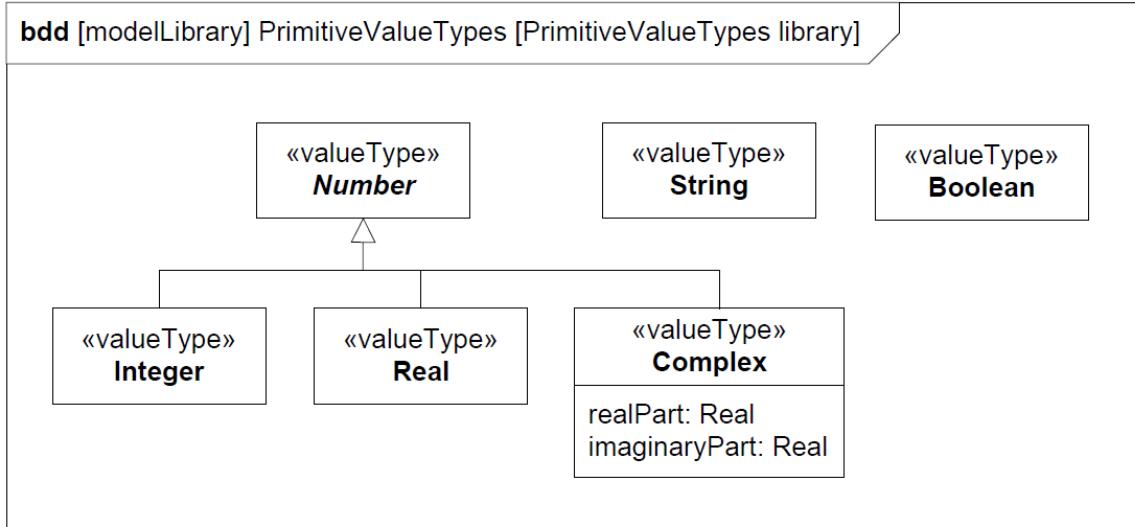
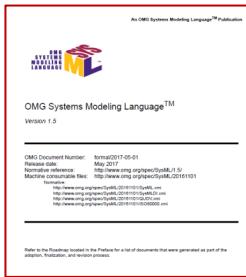


Figure 8.10 - Model library for primitive value types

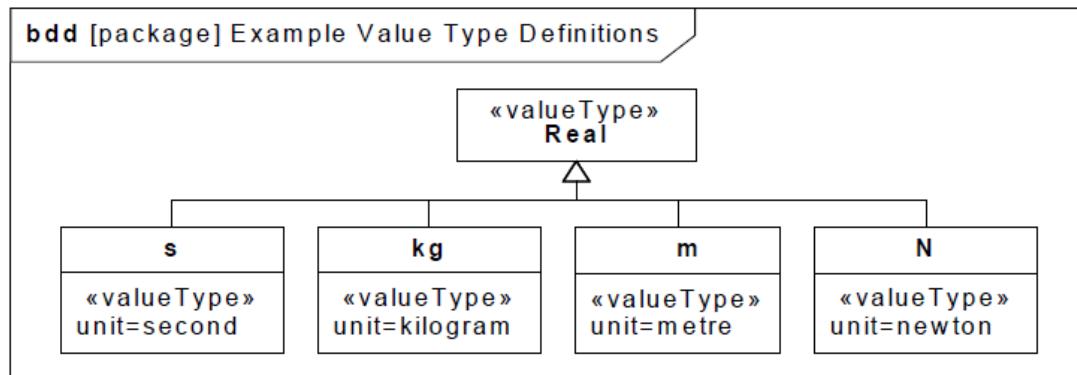


Figure 8.14 - Defining Value Types with units of measure from the International System of Units (SI)

# SysML Libraries

## ISO/IEC 8000: International Systems of Quantities (ISQ)

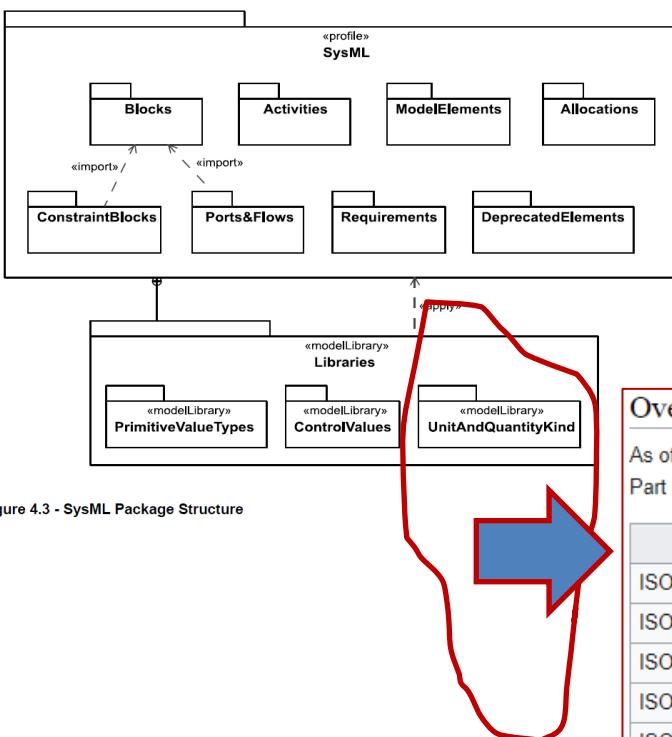


Figure 4.3 - SysML Package Structure

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ISO 80000 or IEC 80000 is an international standard introducing the International System of Quantities (ISO). It was developed and promulgated jointly by ISO and the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC).

It serves as a style guide for the use of physical quantities and units of measurement, formulas involving them, and their corresponding units, in scientific, technical, and practical contexts. The notations used in mathematics and science textbooks at schools and universities follow closely the guidelines in this standard.

The ISO/IEC 80000 family of standards was completed with the publication of Part 1 in November 2009.<sup>[1]</sup>

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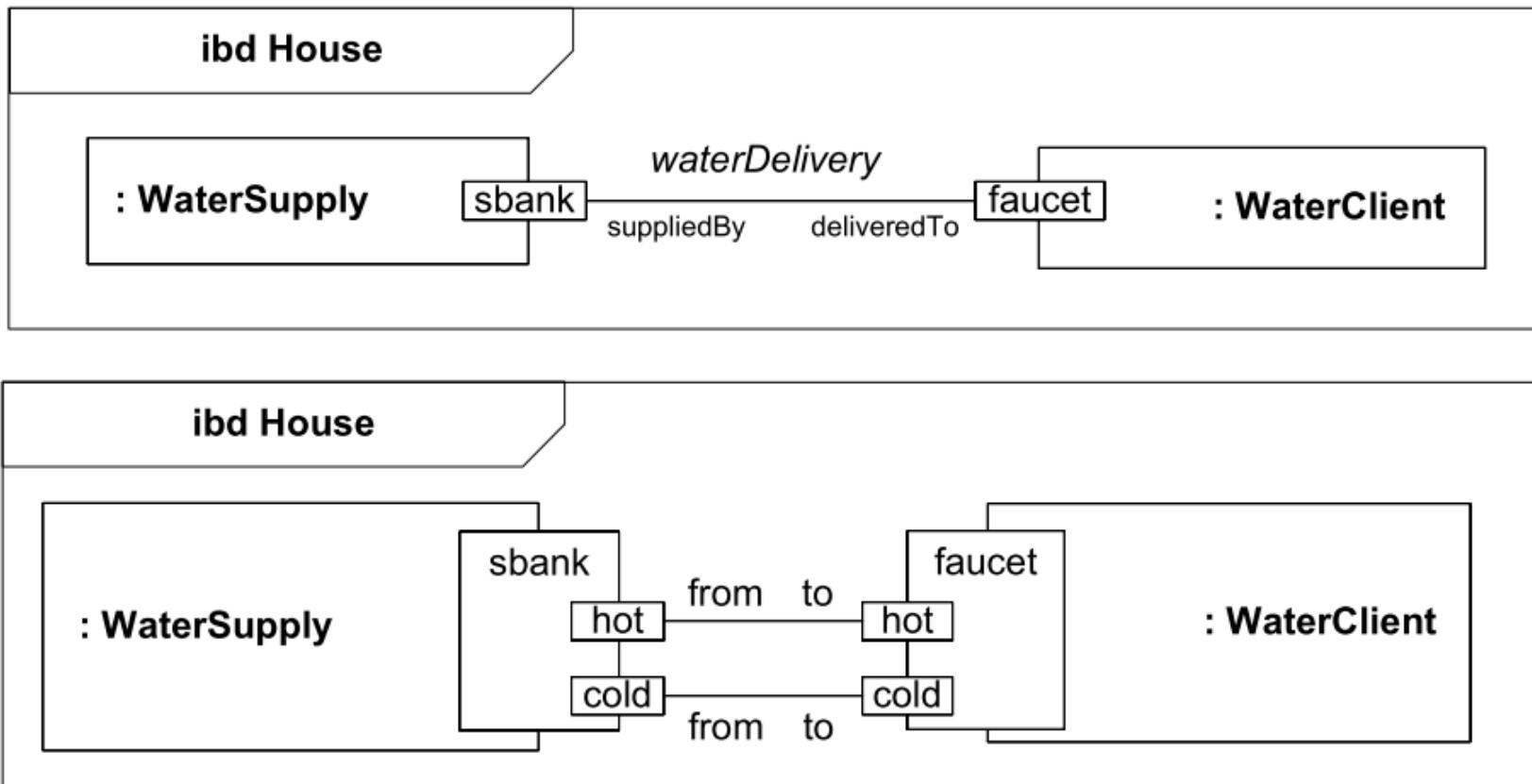
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**Overview [edit]**

As of 2019, ISO/IEC 80000 comprised 13 parts, two of which (parts 6 and 13) were developed by IEC. The other 11 were developed by ISO. Part 14 was withdrawn. A further three parts (15, 16 and 17) are under development.

Part	Year	Name	Replaces	Status
ISO 80000-1 <sup>[2]</sup>	2009	General	ISO 31-0, IEC 60027-1 and IEC 60027-3	under review
ISO 80000-2 <sup>[3]</sup>	2019	Mathematics	ISO 31-11, IEC 60027-1	published
ISO 80000-3 <sup>[4]</sup>	2019	Space and time	ISO 31-1 and ISO 31-2	published
ISO 80000-4 <sup>[5]</sup>	2019	Mechanics	ISO 31-3	published
ISO 80000-5 <sup>[6]</sup>	2019	Thermodynamics	ISO 31-4	published
IEC 80000-6 <sup>[7]</sup>	2008	Electromagnetism	ISO 31-5	under review
ISO 80000-7 <sup>[8]</sup>	2019	Light and radiation	ISO 31-6	published
ISO 80000-8 <sup>[9]</sup>	2020	Acoustics	ISO 31-7	published
ISO 80000-9 <sup>[10]</sup>	2019	Physical chemistry and molecular physics	ISO 31-8	published
ISO 80000-10 <sup>[11]</sup>	2019	Atomic and nuclear physics	ISO 31-9 and ISO 31-10	published
ISO 80000-11 <sup>[12]</sup>	2019	Characteristic numbers	ISO 31-12	published
ISO 80000-12 <sup>[13]</sup>	2019	Condensed matter physics	ISO 31-13	published
IEC 80000-13 <sup>[14]</sup>	2008	Information science and technology	subclauses 3.8 and 3.9 of IEC 60027-2:2005	under review
IEC 80000-14 <sup>[15]</sup>	2008	Telebiometrics related to human physiology	IEC 60027-7	withdrawn
IEC 80000-15 <sup>[16]</sup>		Logarithmic and related quantities		under devel.
IEC 80000-16 <sup>[17]</sup>		Printing and writing rules		under devel.
IEC 80000-17 <sup>[18]</sup>		Time dependency		under devel.

**Example of a generic ibd and a second ibd representing the same structure but where the ports are represented in more detail...**



**Figure 9.10 - Two views of Water Delivery connector within House block**

# Example of an ibd detailing a generalization defined in a bdd

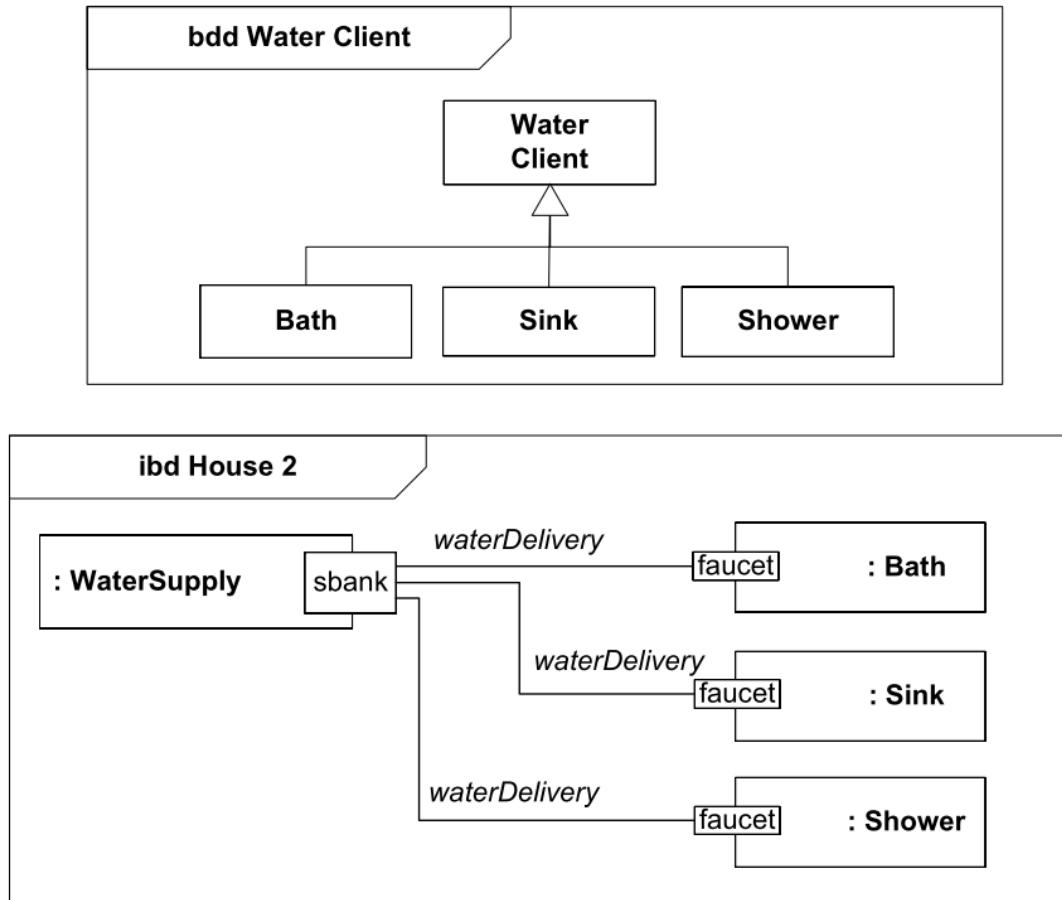


Figure 9.11 - Specializations of Water Client in house example

# A set of examples of Association blocks

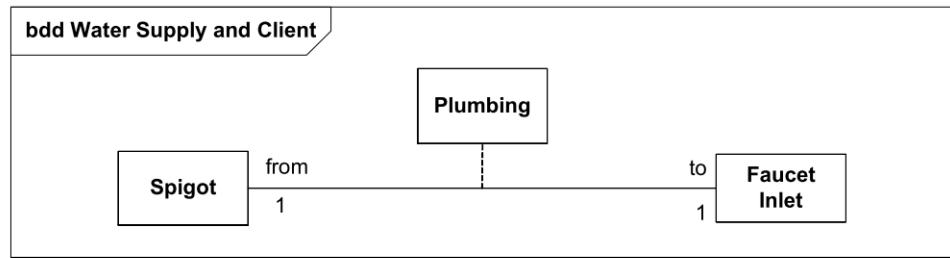
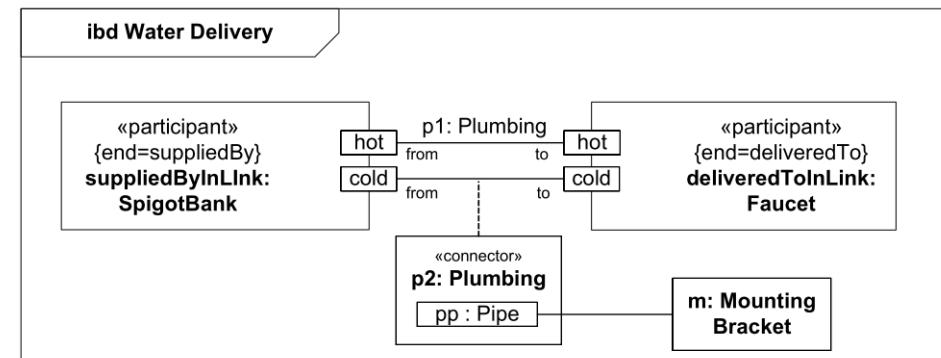
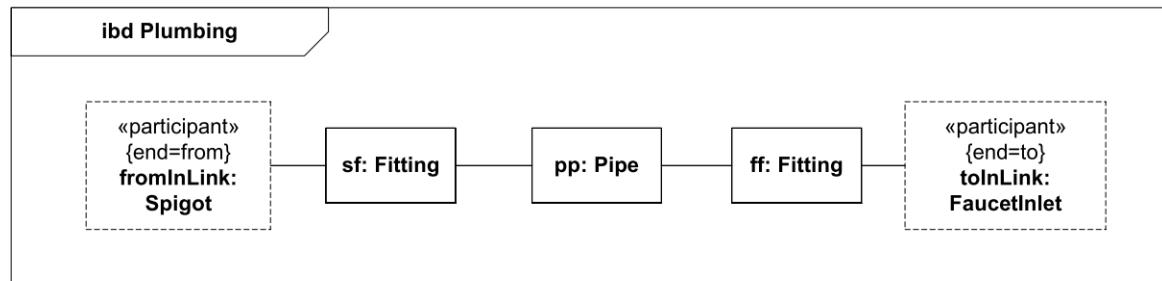
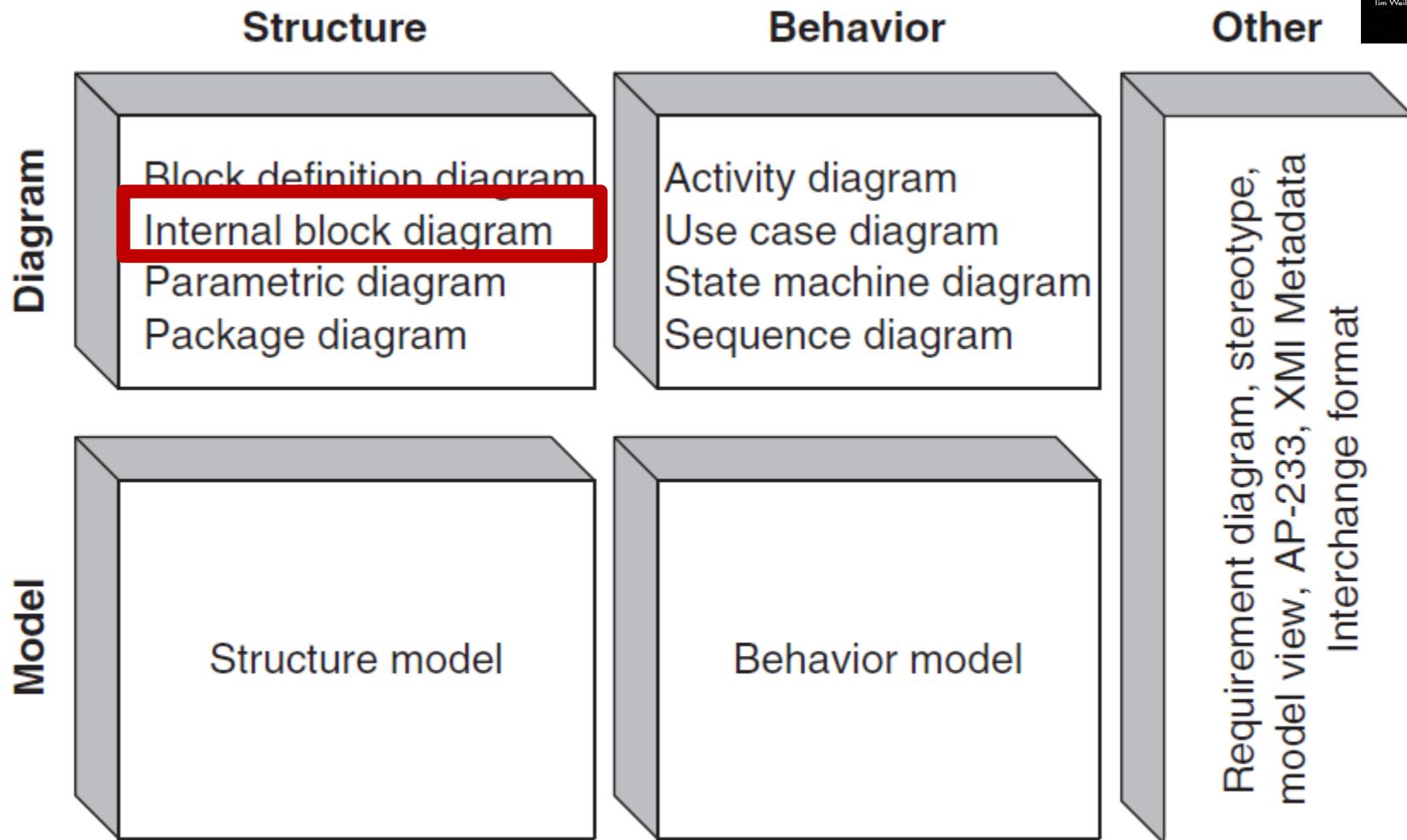
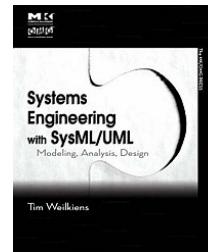


Figure 9.12 - Plumbing association block



# SysML

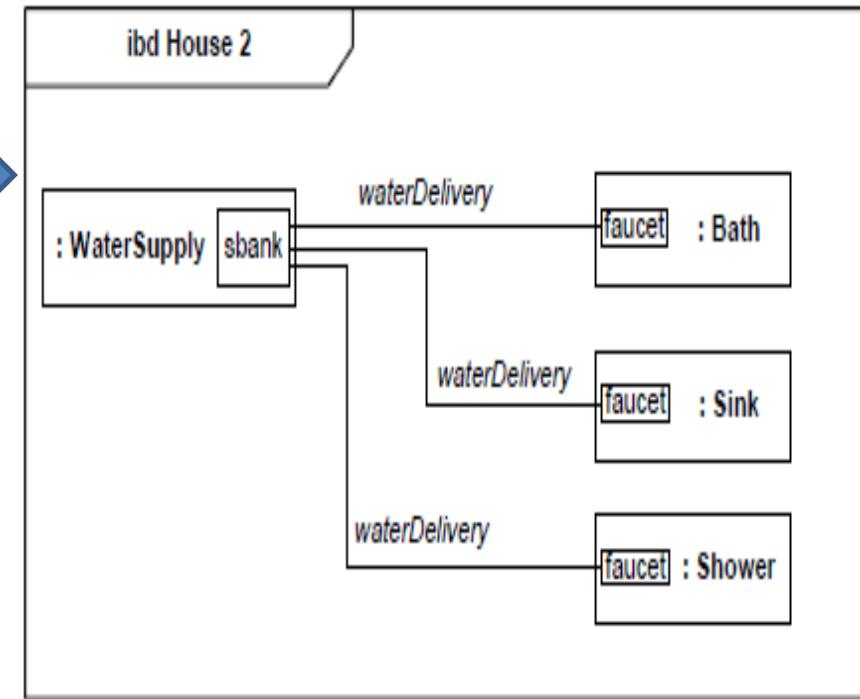
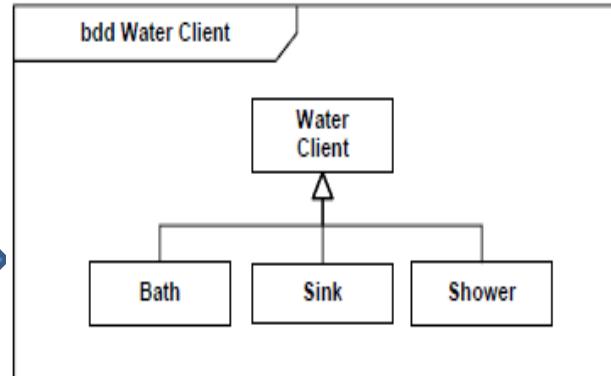
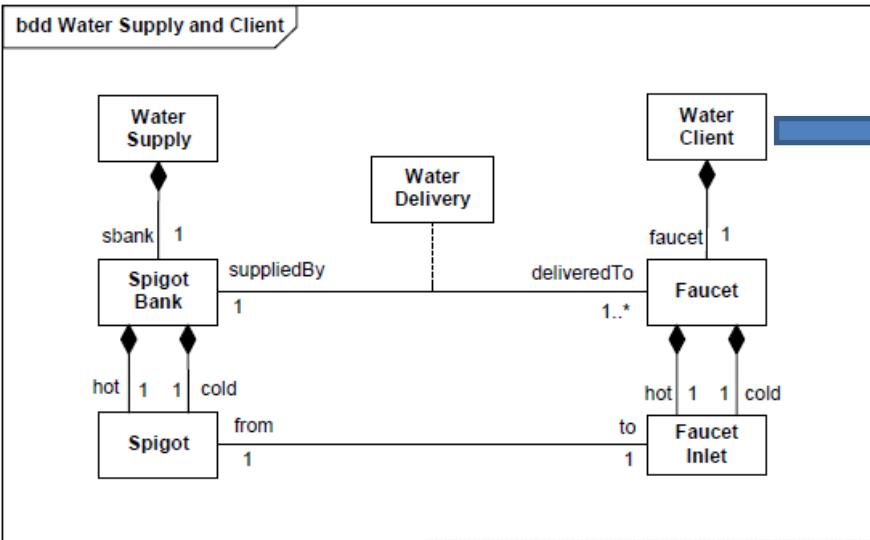


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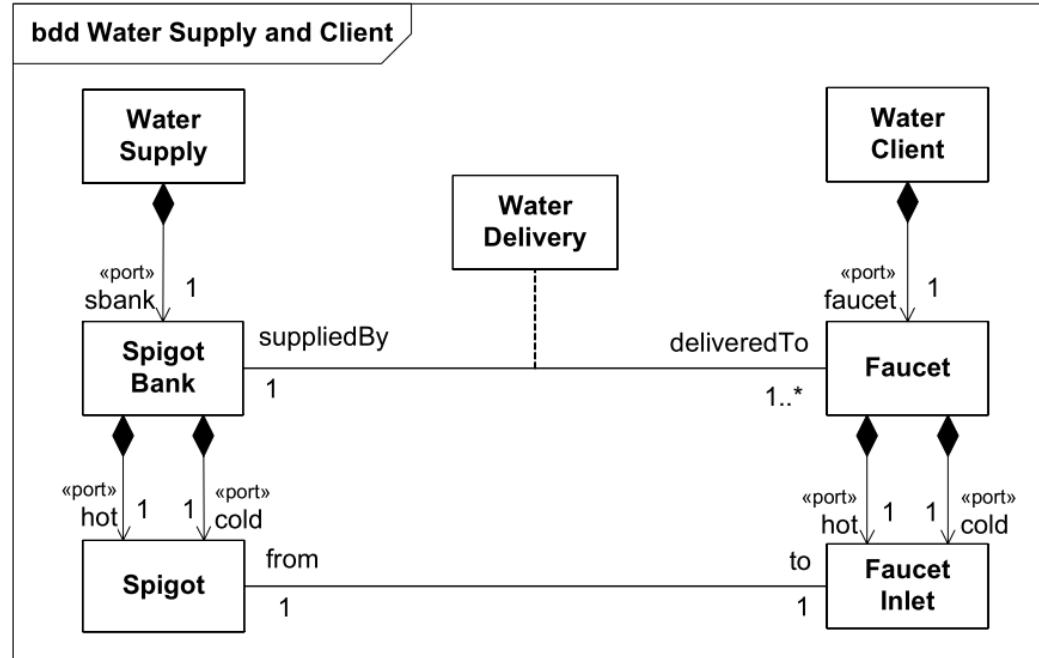
The structure of SysML.

# ibd - Internal Block Diagram

An **ibd** describes the **internal structure** of a block in terms of its **parts, ports, and connectors**.

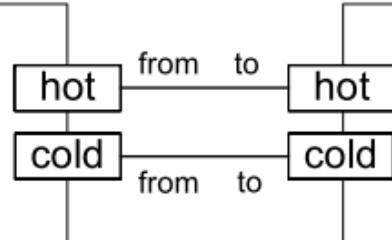


# Example of a bdd and of an ibd...



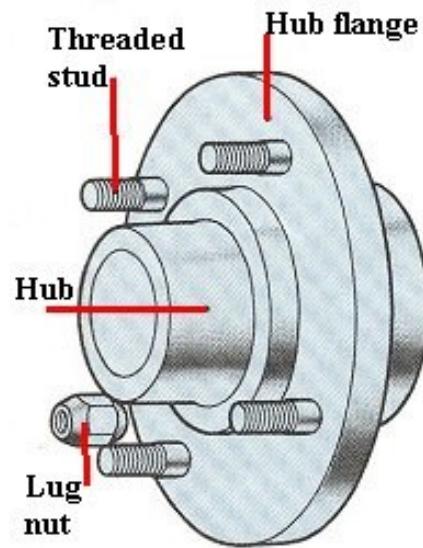
## ibd Water Delivery

«participant»  
{end=suppliedBy}  
suppliedByInLink:  
SpigotBank



«participant»  
{end=deliveredTo}  
deliveredToInLink:  
Faucet

# An example... Wheel Hub Assembly



# An example...

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<https://www.omg.org/spec/SysML/1.6/About-SysML/>

(extract from that reference)

In Figure 8.12 a block definition diagram shows the blocks that comprise elements of a Wheel. The block property *LugBoltJoint.torque* has a specialization of *DistributedProperty* applied to describe the uniform distribution of its values. (...) Connectors from the *lugBoltJoints* part go to nested parts, and use *NestedConnectorEnd* to specify the path of properties to reach those parts. For the *threadedHole* end of the connector going to part *h*, the property path is *(hub)*. For the *mountingHole* end of the connector going to *mountingHoles*, the property path is *(wheel, w)*. Similarly, the connector between the *rim* and *bead* parts has property paths *(w)* and *(t)* on its ends.

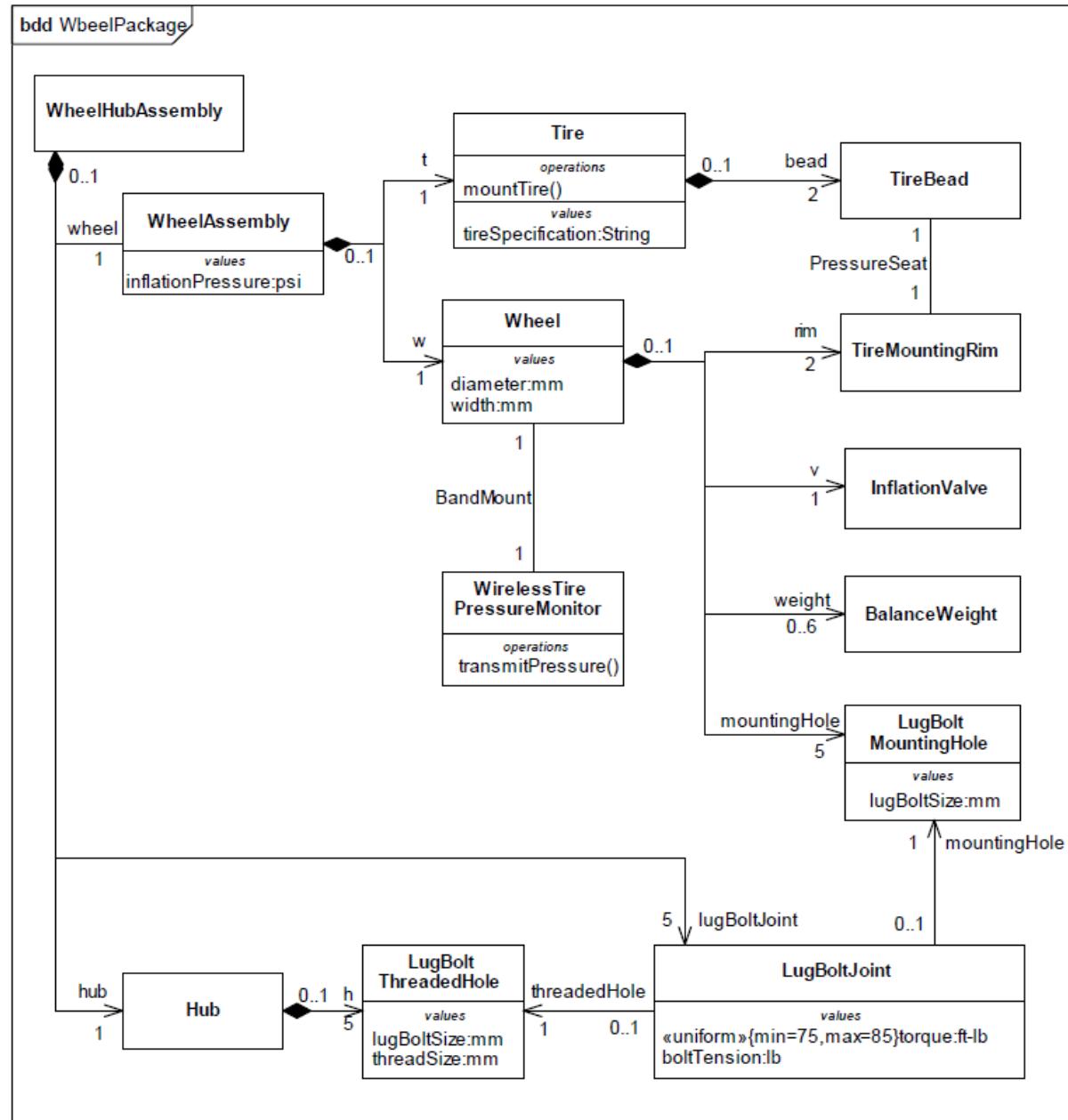
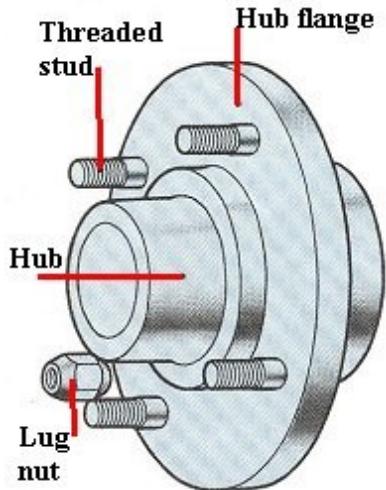


Figure 8.12 - Block diagram for the Wheel Package

## An example...

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In Figure 8-13 an internal block diagram (ibd) shows how the blocks defined in the *Wheel* package are used. This ibd is a partial view that focuses on particular parts of interest and omits others from the diagram, such as the “v” *InflationValve* and “weight” *BalanceWeight*, which are also parts of a *Wheel*.(...)

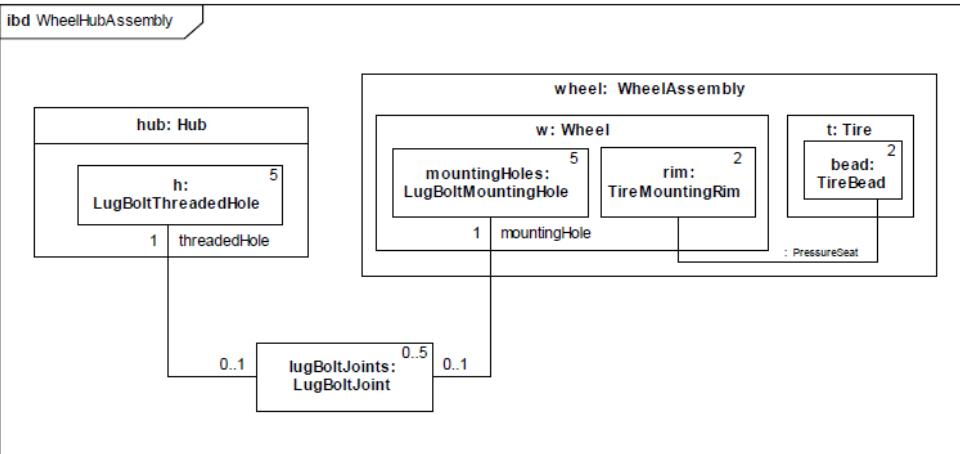


Figure 8-13: Internal Block Diagram for WheelHubAssembly

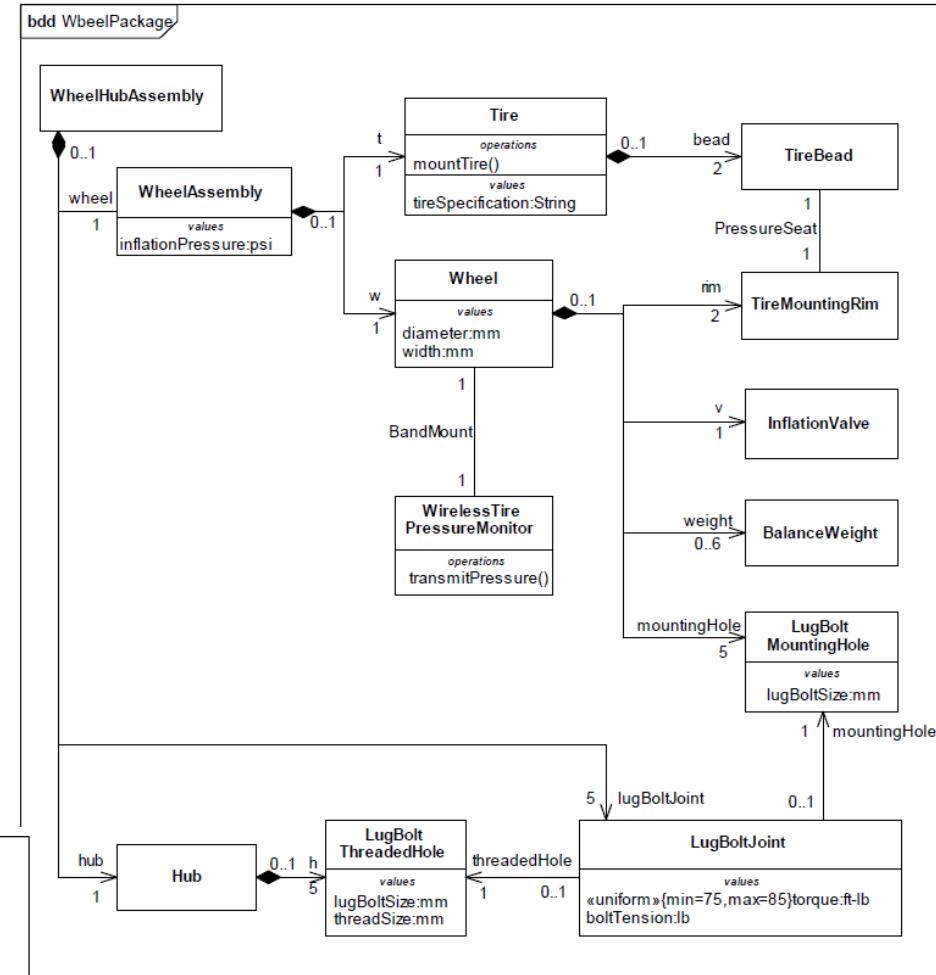
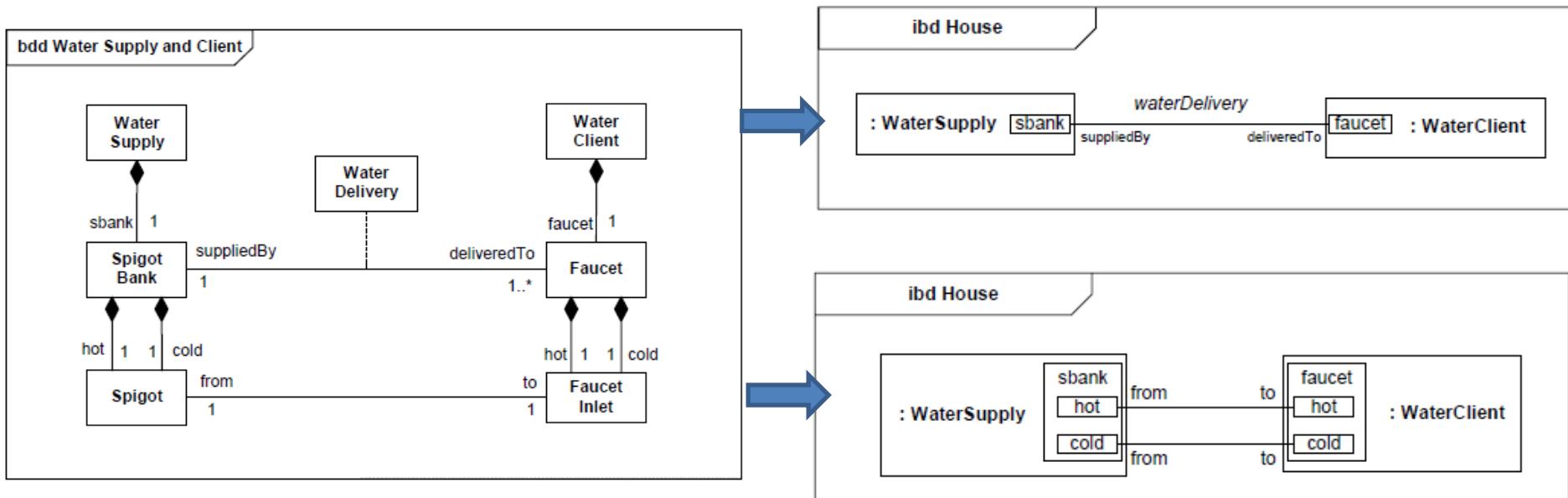
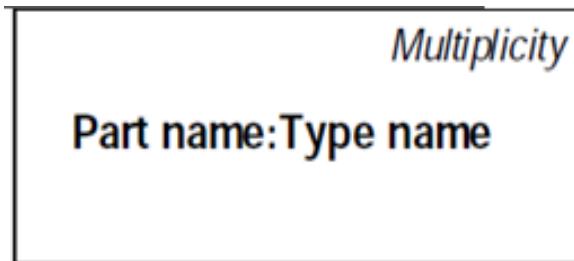


Figure 8-12: Block diagram for the Wheel Package

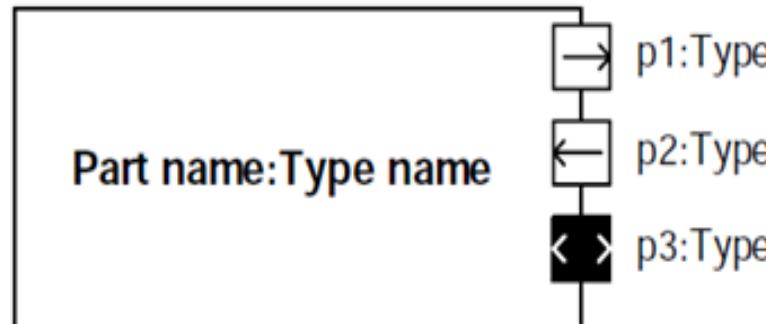
# A system can be detailed at multiple levels using multiple ibd - Internal Block Diagram



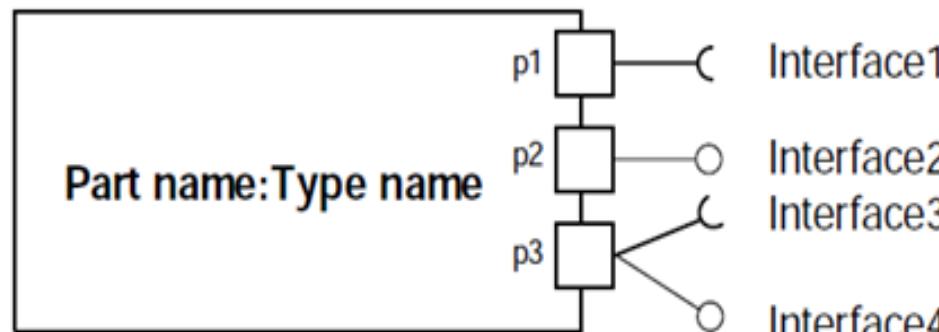
The entities represented in an ibd are called “**parts**”, and can have interfaces called “**ports**”



Part

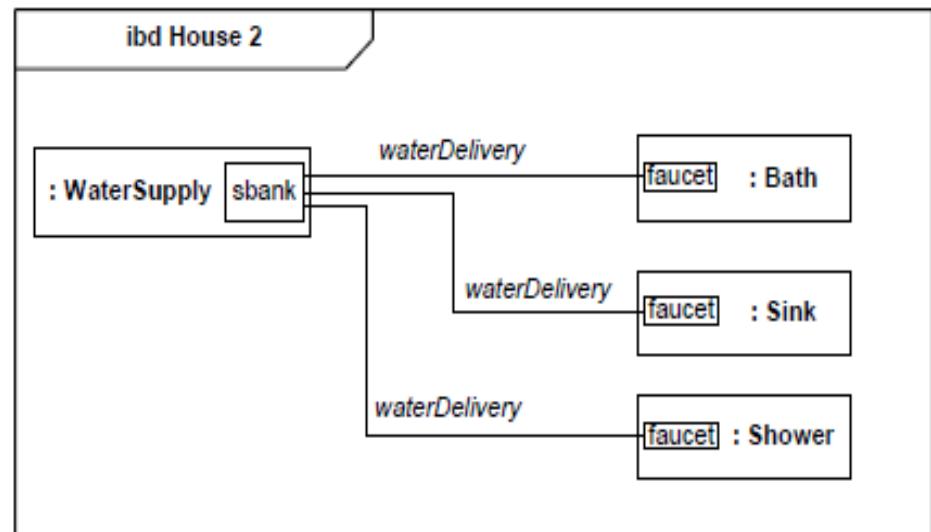
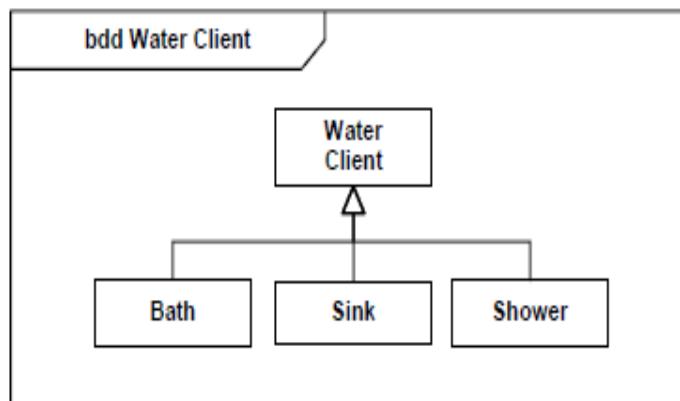
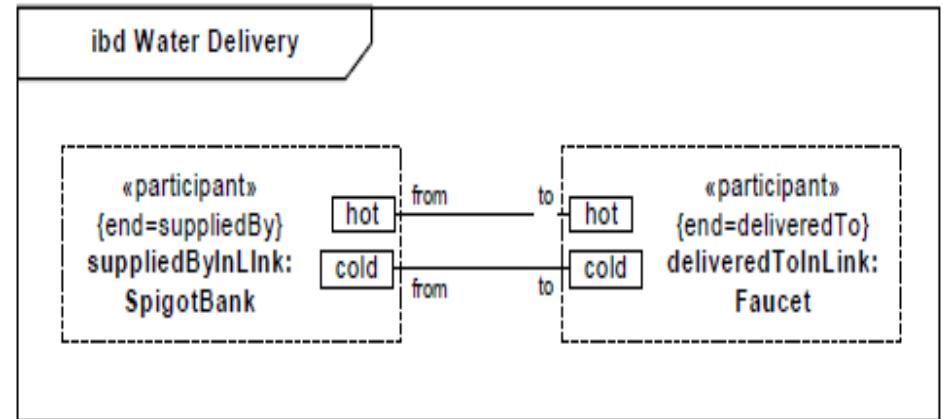
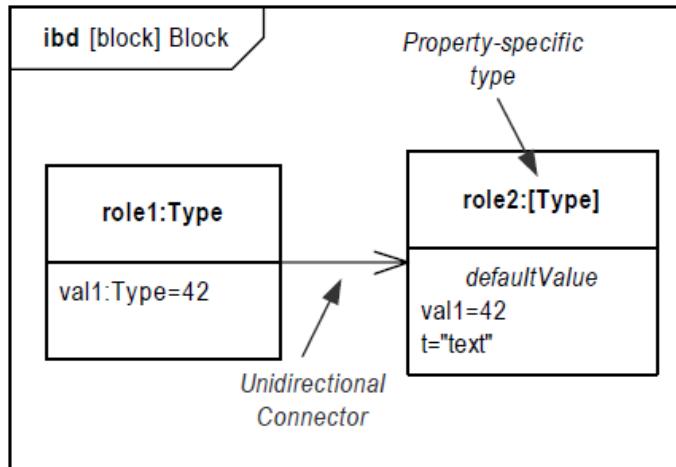


Part with flow ports p3 is a *conjugated* port

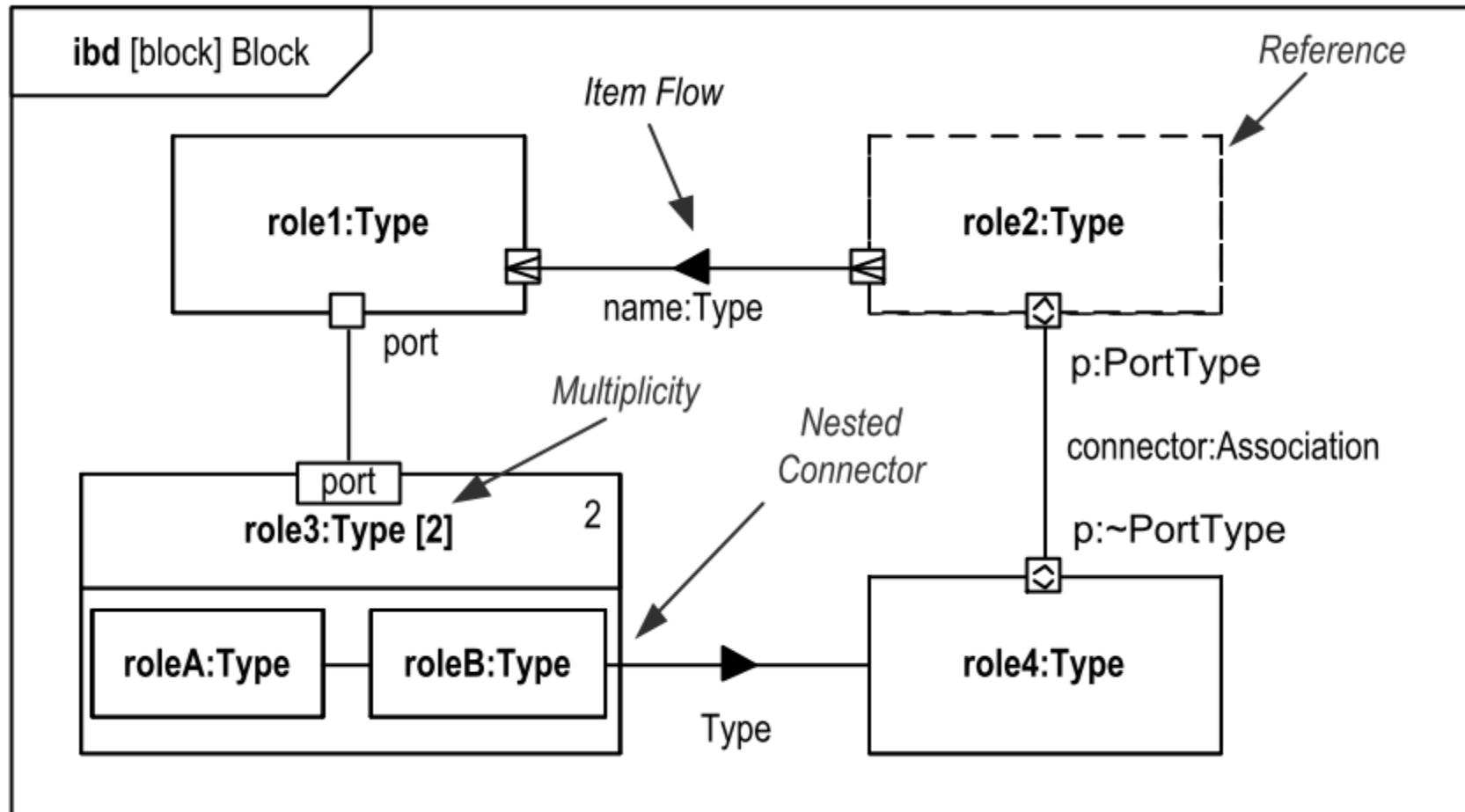


Part with service ports and required & provided interfaces

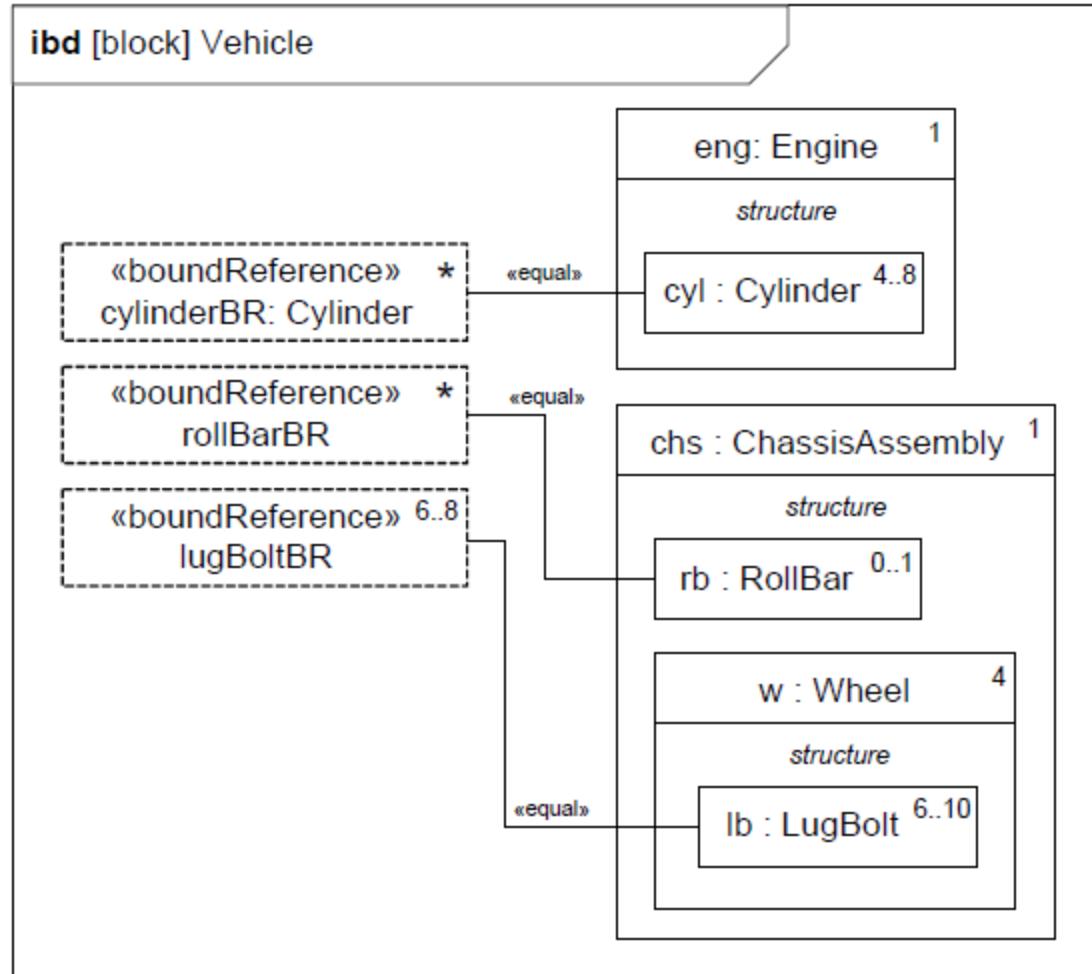
# An ibd models objects playing specific roles in the system!!!



# ibd

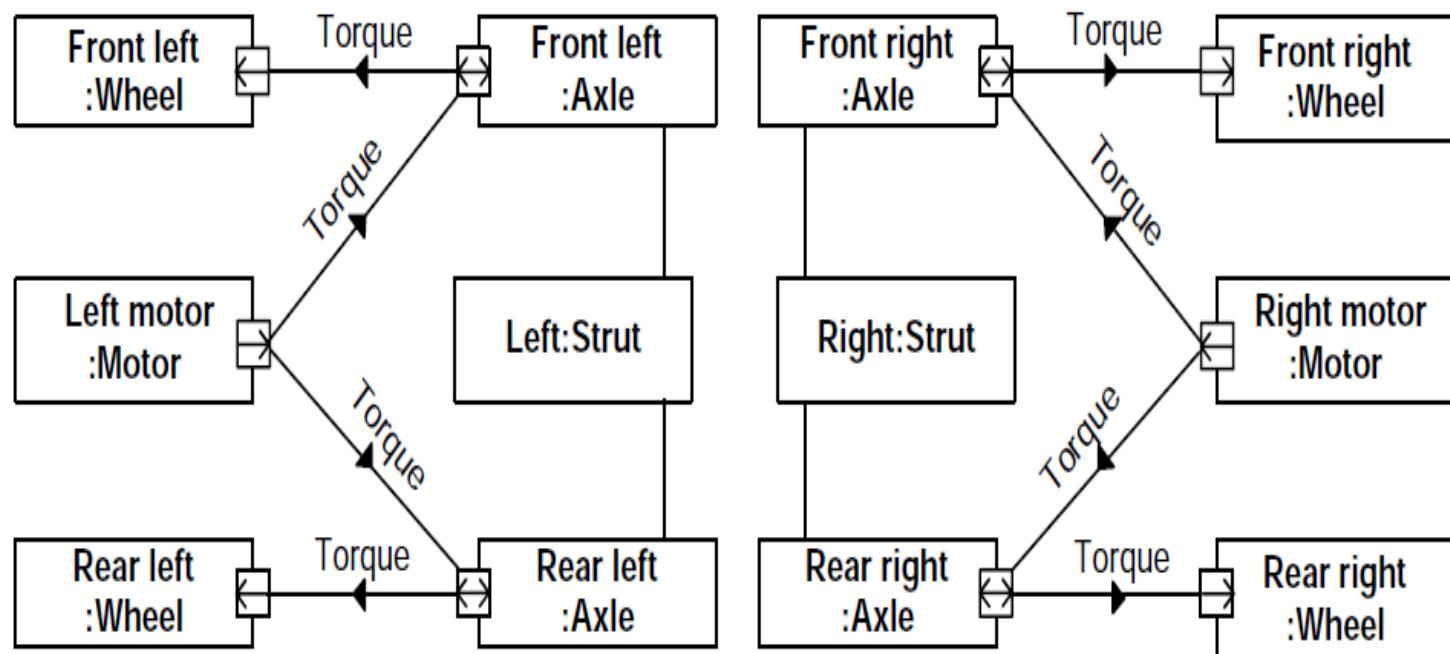


The BoundReference stereotype can be applied to properties that have binding connectors, to highlight their usage as constraining other properties



**Figure 8.16 - Vehicle internal structure**

ibd [block] Robot [Robot chassis & wheel assembly]



# Ports

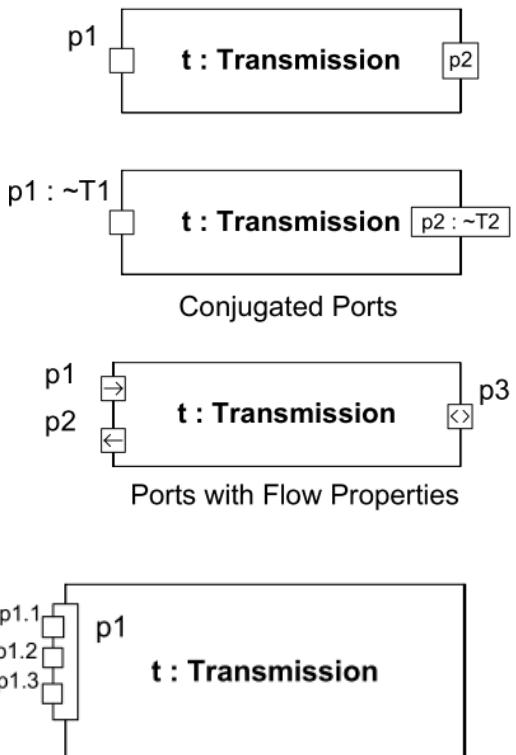
- **Ports** points at which external entities can connect to and interact with a block.

- Flow properties specify the kinds of items that might flow between a block and its environment, whether it is data, material, or energy. The kind of items that flow is specified by typing flow properties.
- Item flows specify the things that flow between blocks

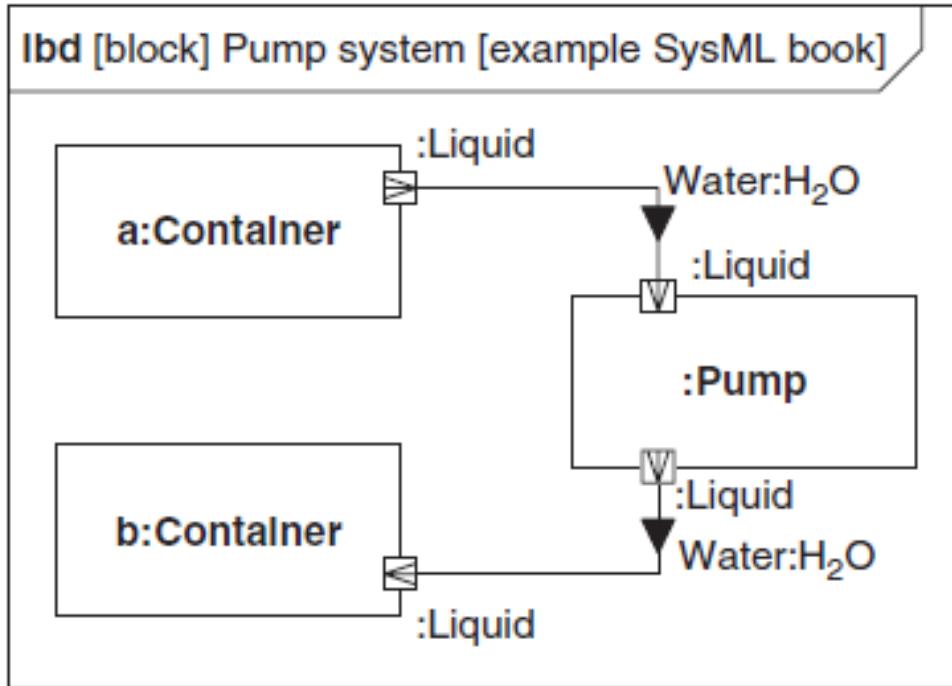
- If relevant in a model, ports can be specialized in:

- **Proxy ports**, which are interfaces exposing internal features of the block (**a window to the block**).
- **Full ports**, which are ports specified as **separate elements of the system**

SysML identifies two usage patterns for ports, one where ports act as proxies for their owning blocks or its internal parts (proxy ports), and another where ports specify separate elements of the system (full ports). Both are ways of defining the boundary of the owning block as features available through external connectors to ports. Proxy ports define the boundary by specifying which features of the owning block or internal parts are visible through external connectors, while full ports define the boundary with their own features. Proxy ports are always typed by interface blocks, a specialized kind of block that has no behaviors or internal parts. Full ports cannot be behavioral in the UML sense of standing in for the owning object, because they handle features themselves, rather than exposing features of their owners, or internal parts of their owners. Ports that are not specified as proxy or full are simply called “ports.” **Page 97 SysML 1.4 specification**



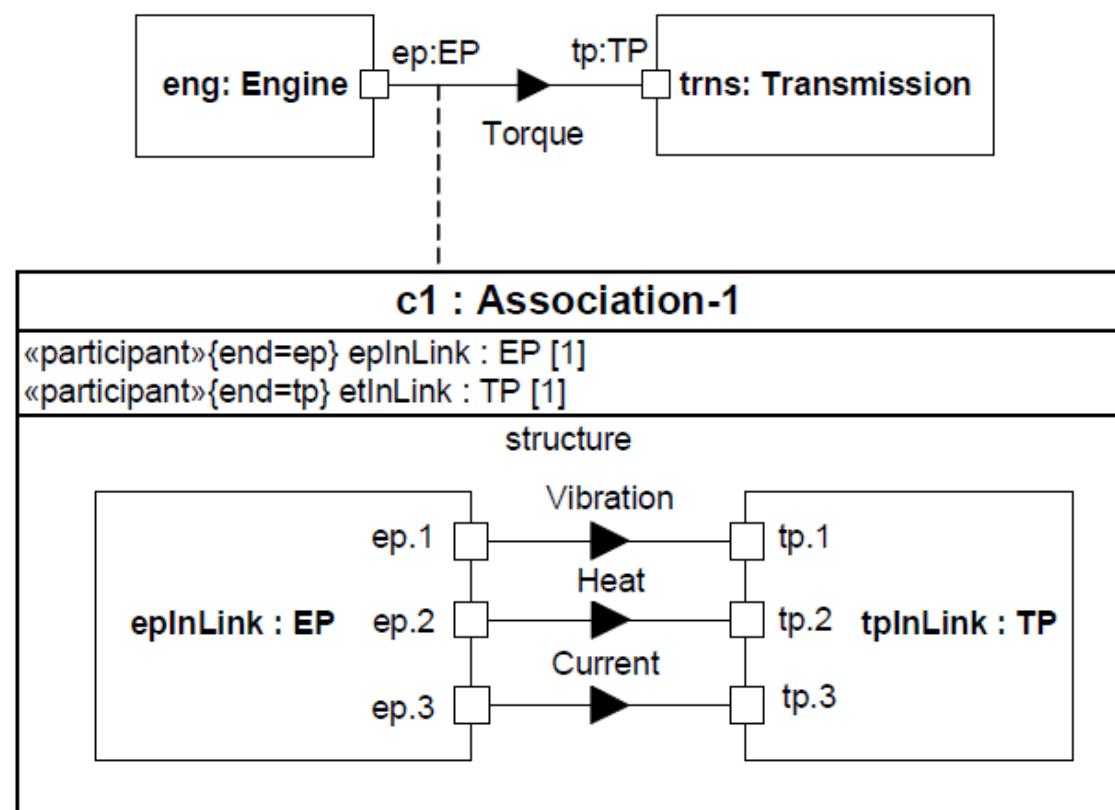
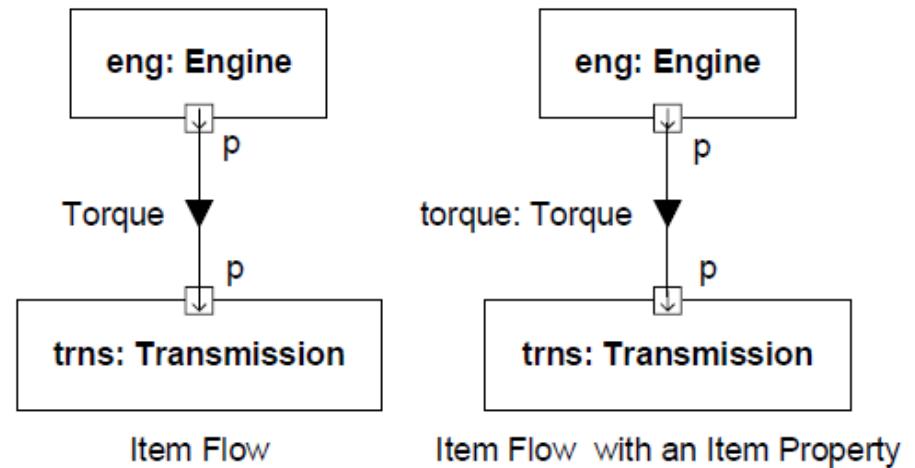
# Ports with Item Flows



**FIGURE 4-41**

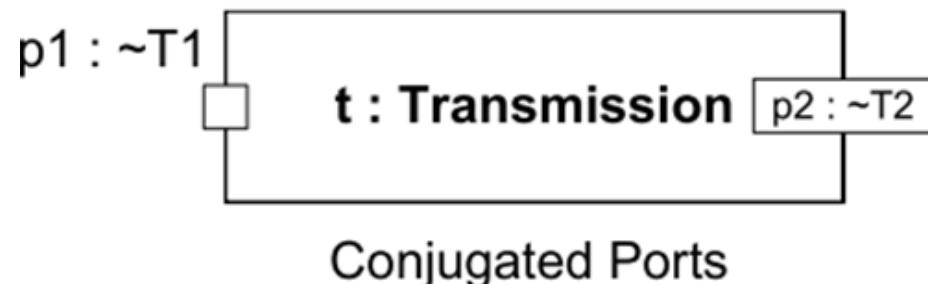
Example for an item flow.

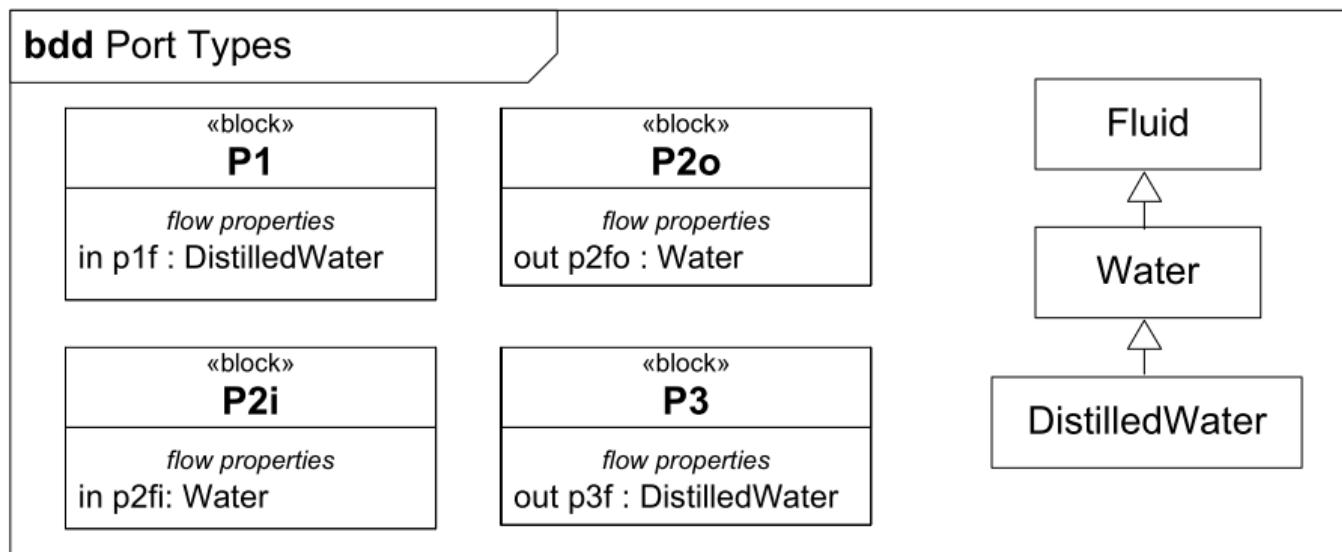
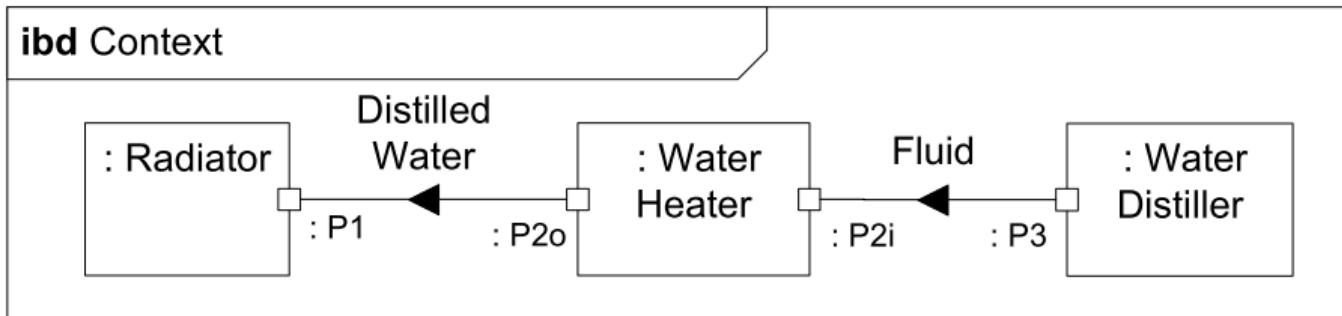
# Item flow in ports



# Conjugated Flow Ports

- A **conjugated port flow** is a port **inverting the flow** of the items of other port.
- Only one port needs to be specified since the **conjugated port** behaves as the “inverse” of the original port.
- In this example, “ $\sim T1$ ” and “ $\sim T2$ ” mean conjugated ports of “ $T1$ ” and “ $T2$ ” defined elsewhere in the model...:

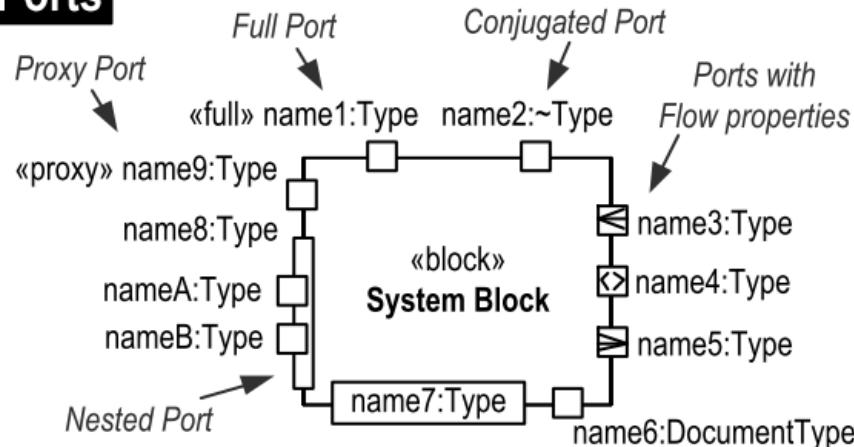




**Figure 9.15 - Usage example of item flows in internal block diagrams**

# Ports - conclusion

## Ports



«block»  
Block

flow properties  
in p1:Type  
out p2:Type  
inout p3:Type

operations  
prov op1(params):Type  
reqd op1(params):Type

properties  
prov name:Type

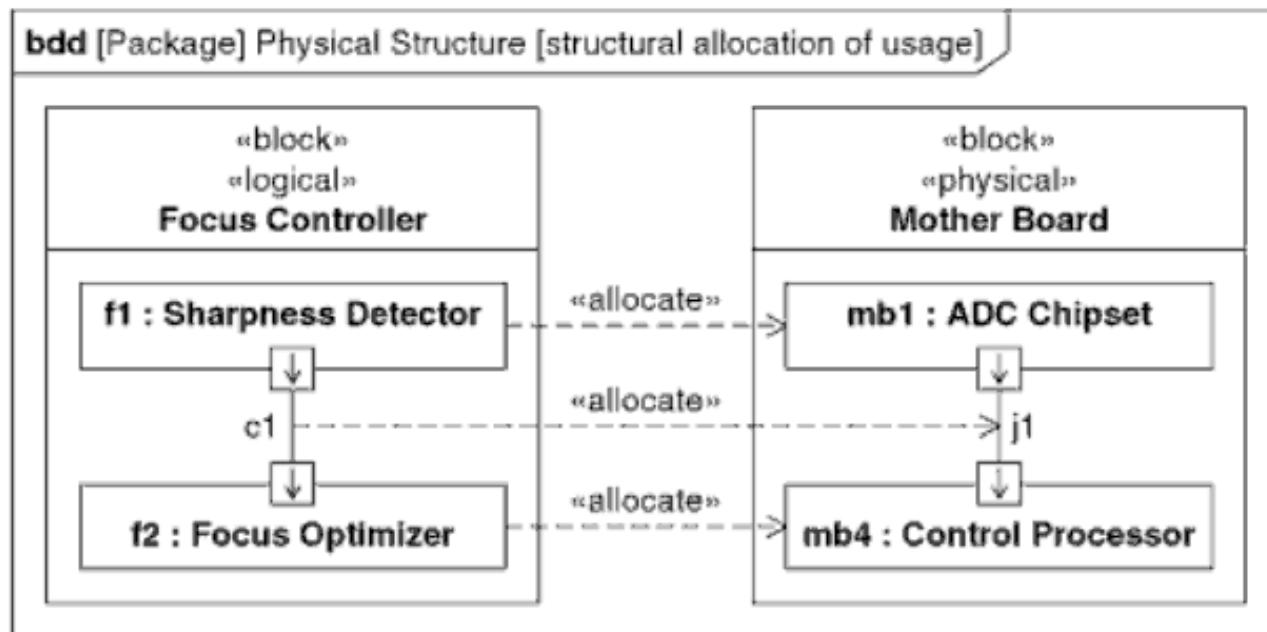
«interfaceBlock»  
Block

operation(params):Type

Provided and  
requested features

# Allocation

- Allocation is a mechanism to relate model elements.
- It can relate elements from different diagrams...
- It can be relevant to model different details at different conceptual levels



**FIGURE 14.17**

Structural allocation of usage example.

# Allocation

It can relate elements from different diagrams...

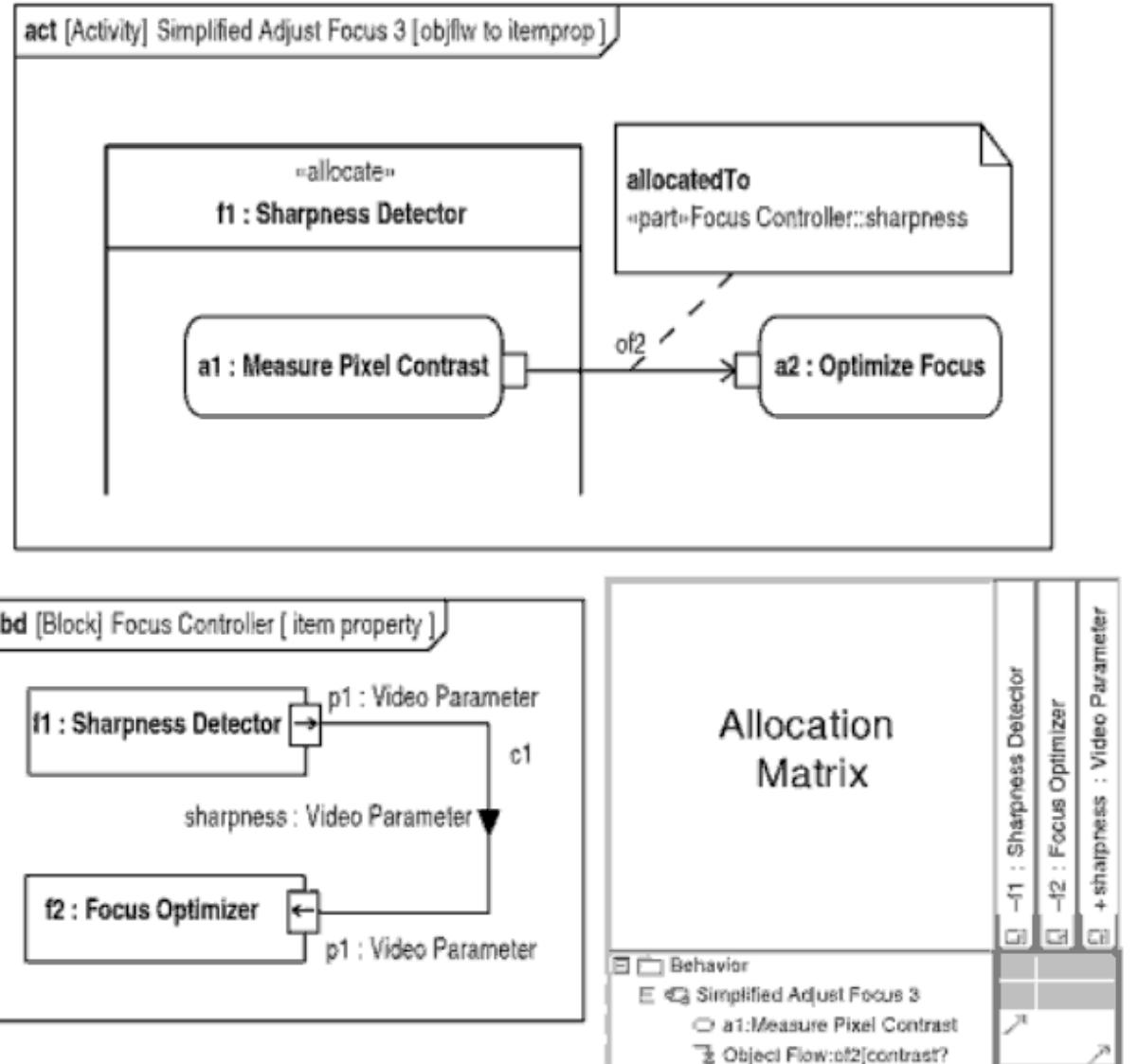


FIGURE 14.16

Object flow to item property allocation.

# Allocation

It can be relevant to model different details at different conceptual levels...

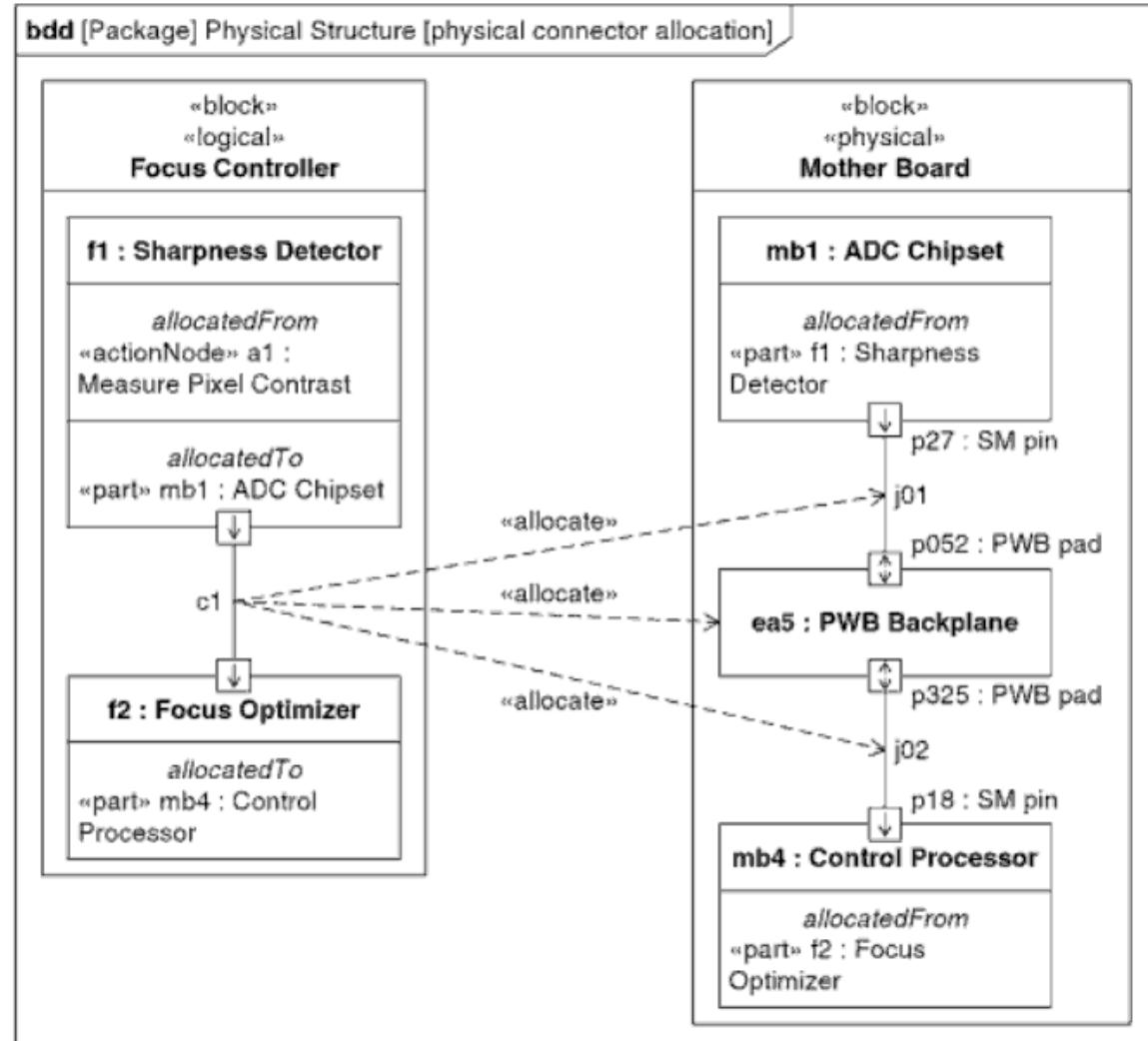
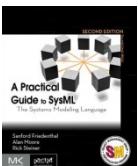


FIGURE 14.18

Refining a connector using allocation.



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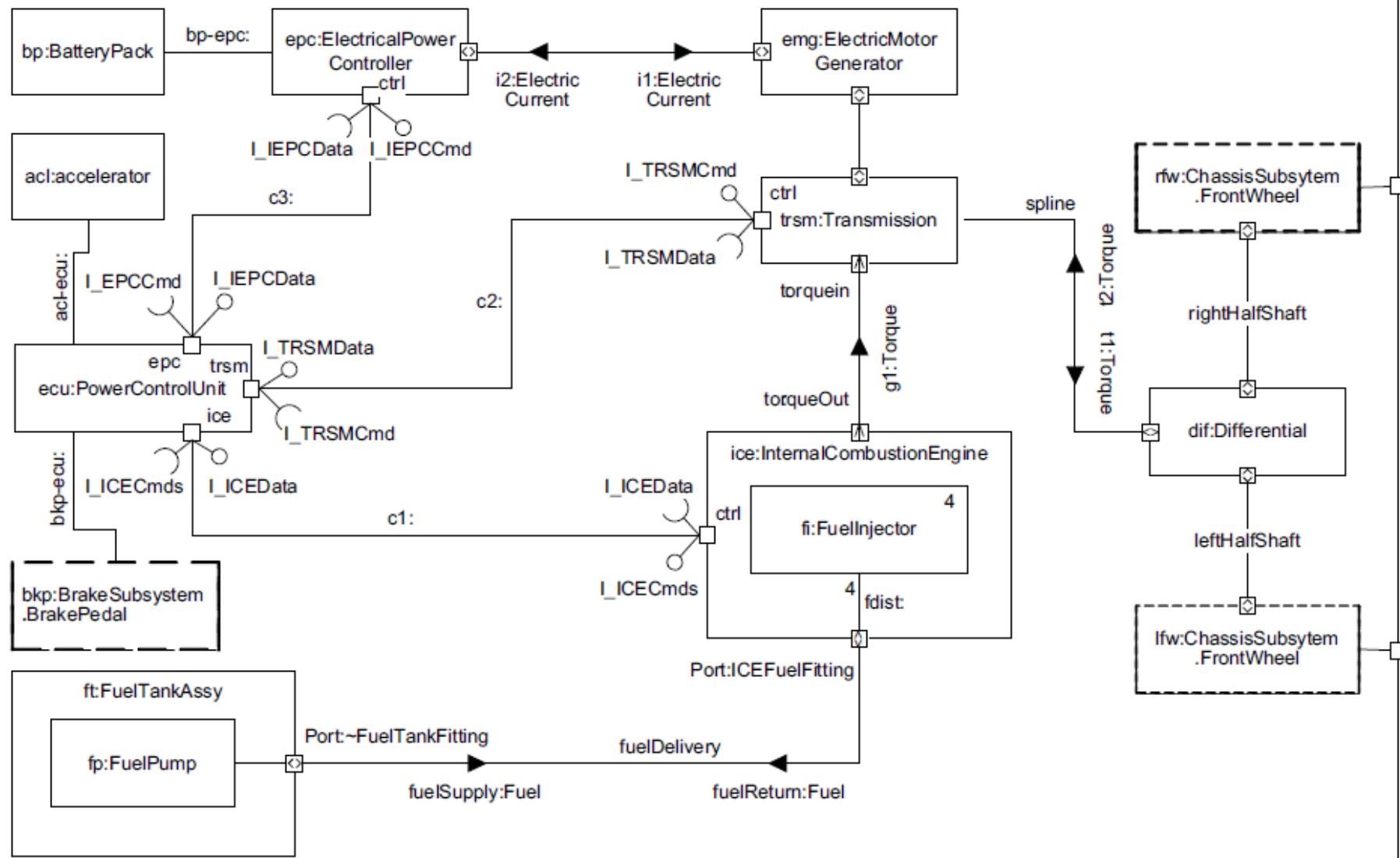
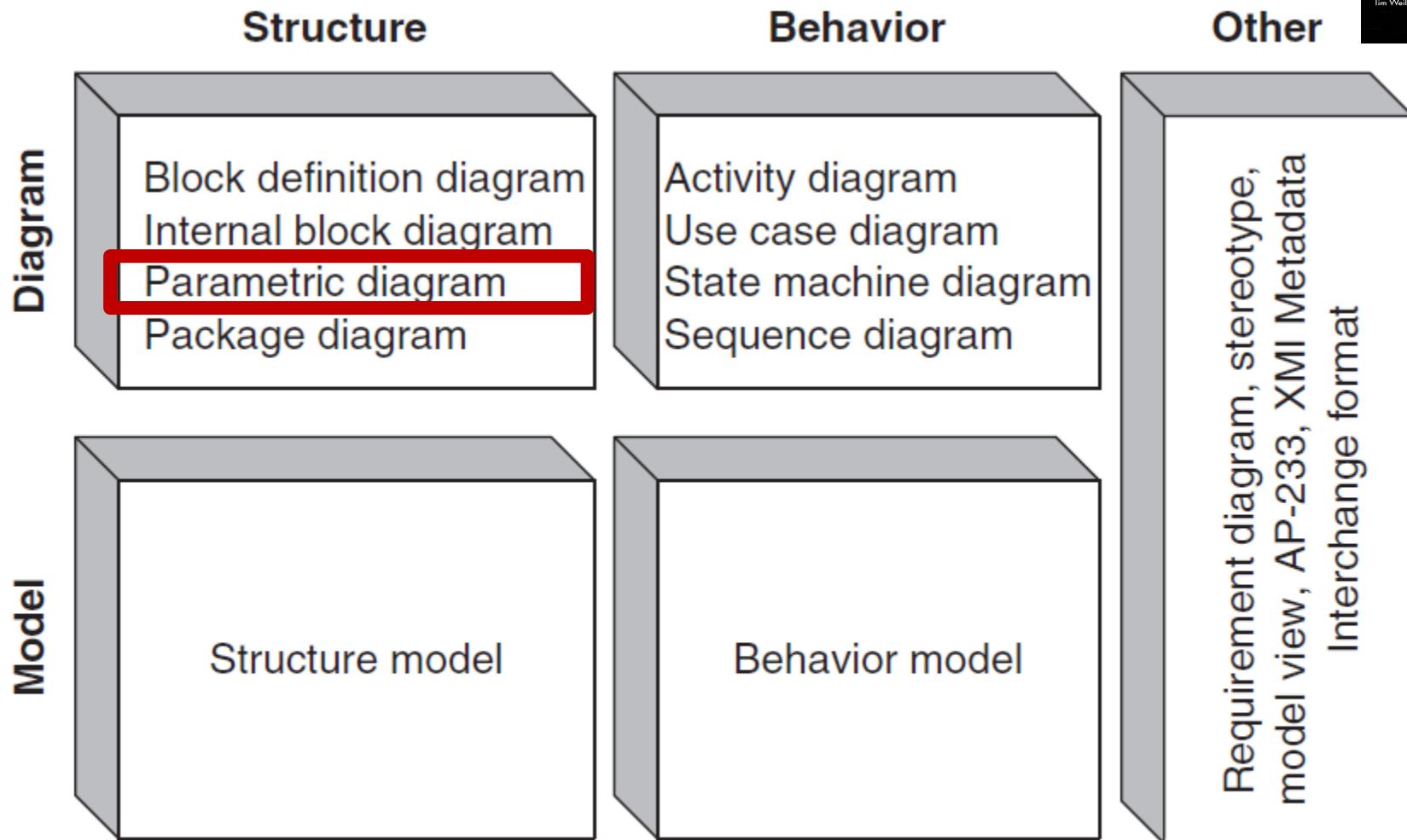
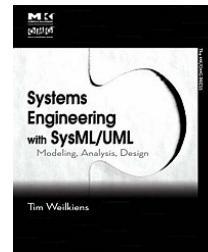


Figure D.19 - Internal Structure of the Power Subsystem (Internal Block Diagram)

# SysML

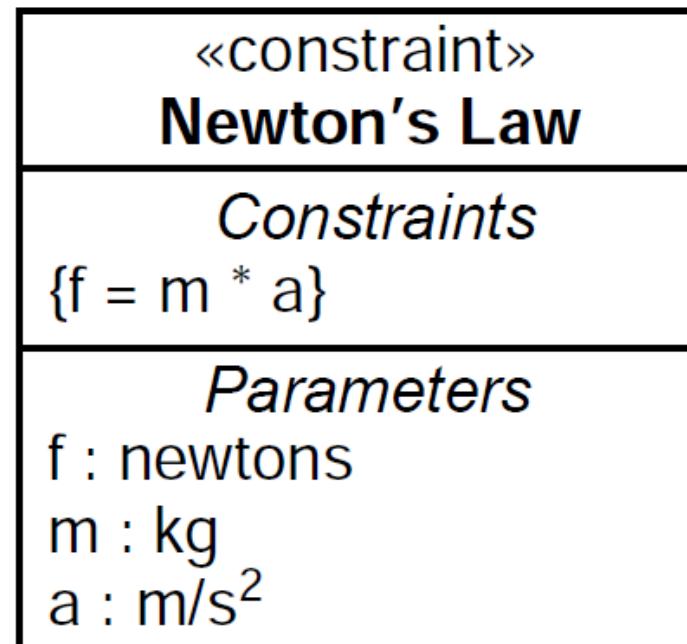
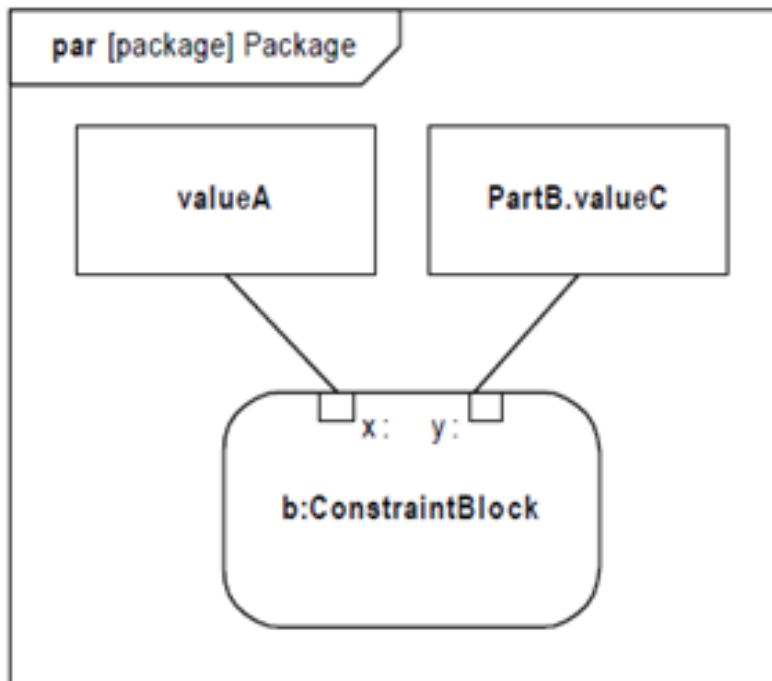


**FIGURE 4-2**

The structure of SysML.

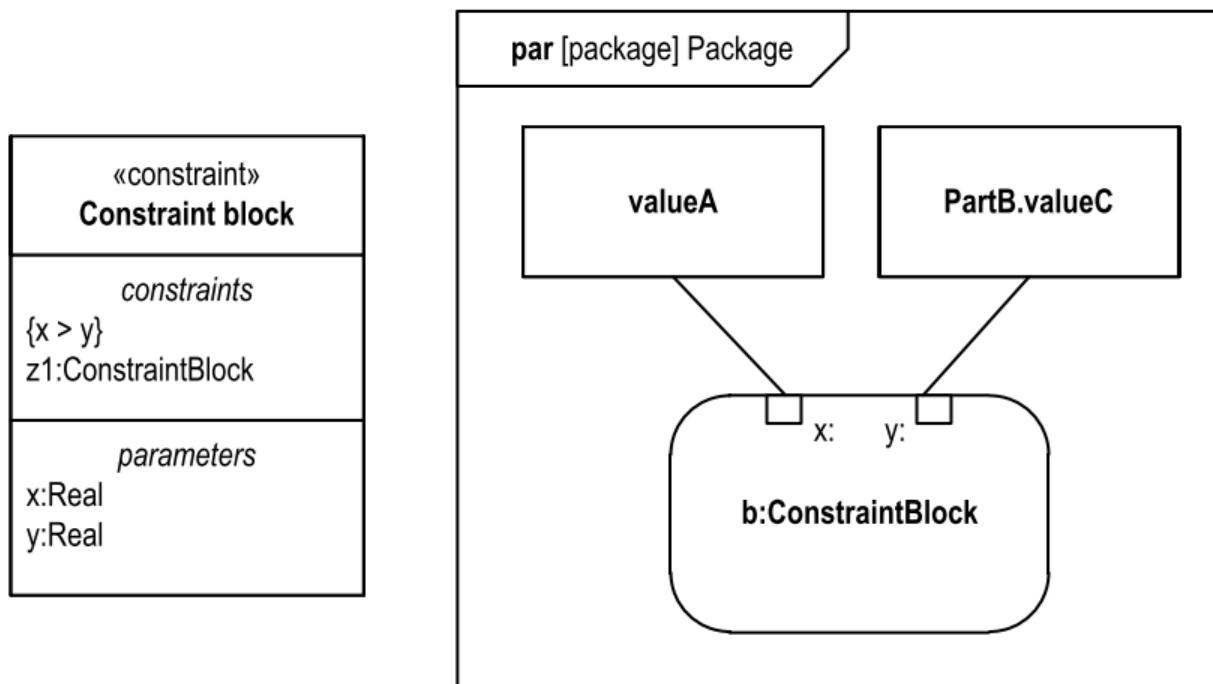
# Parametric Diagrams

- A **parametric diagram** is a restricted form of internal block diagram that shows only the use of **constraint blocks** along with the properties they constrain on a specific context.
- Constraints are **non-functional requirements** as they represent e.g. rules, laws or limits of the elements or design decisions.



# Parametric Diagrams

## Parametric Diagram



# Parametric Diagrams

Figure B.24 is a parametric diagram showing how fuel flowrate is related to FuelDemand and FuelPressure value properties.

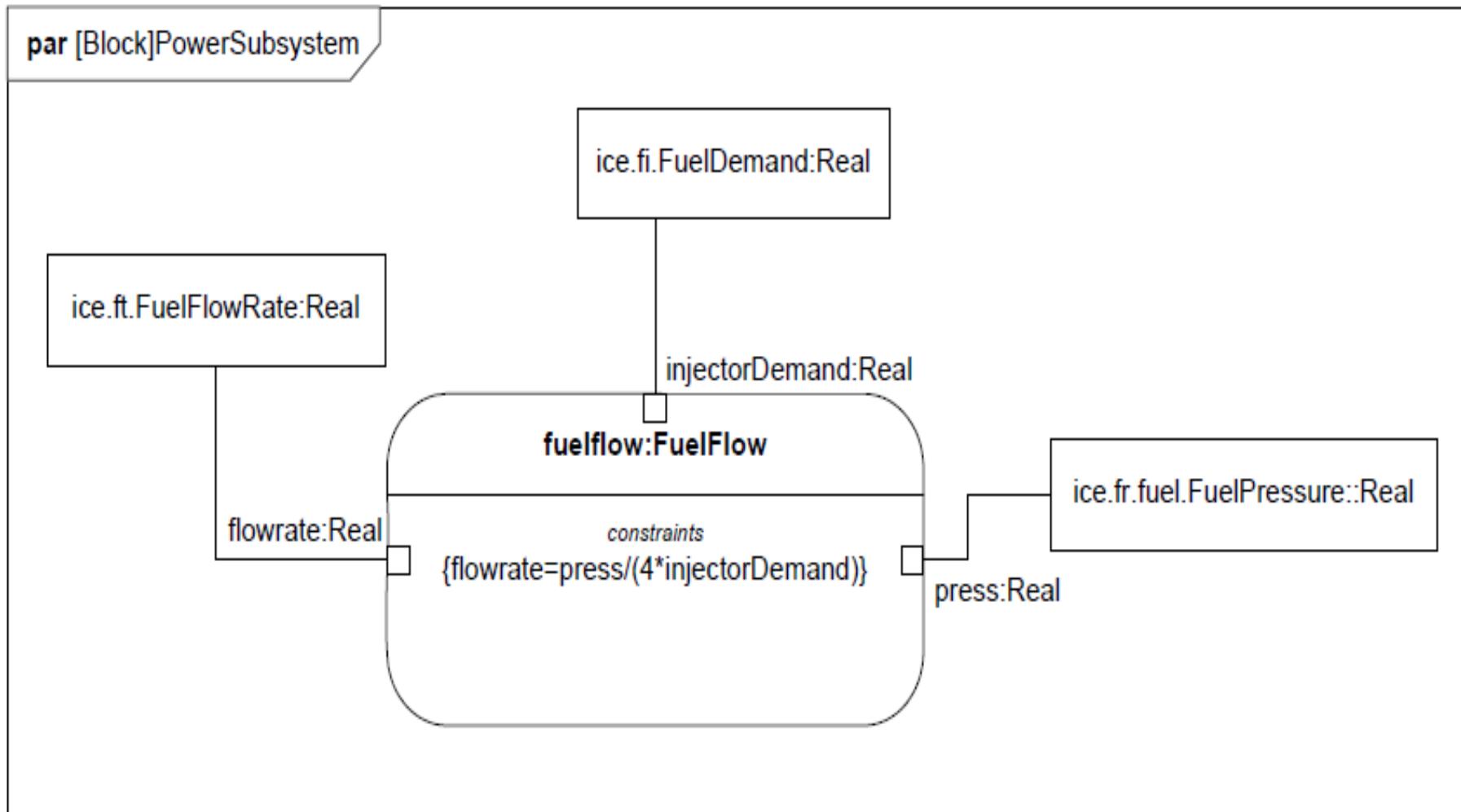
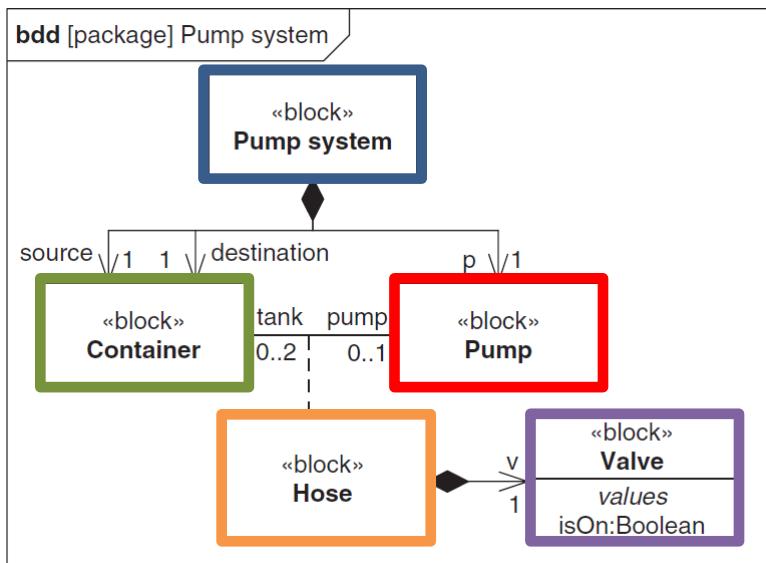


Figure B.24 - Defining Fuel Flow Constraints (Parametric Diagram)

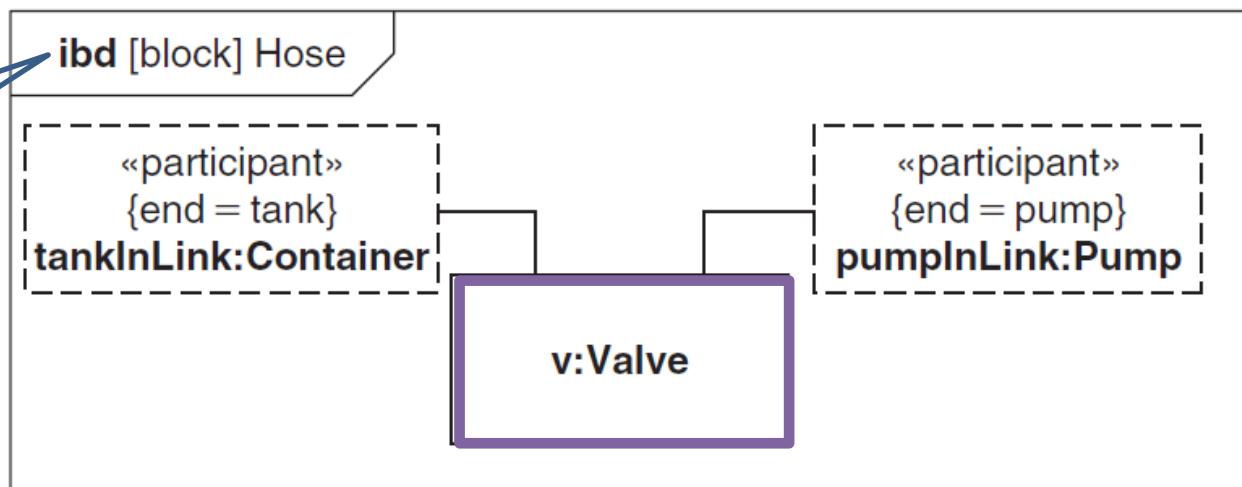
# Example: pump system



The **valve** participates in the association with two blocks:

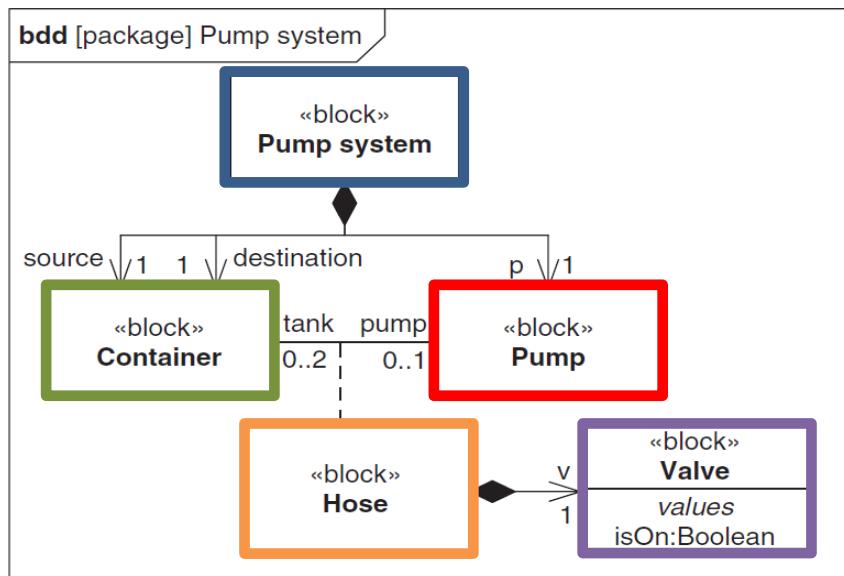
- one **container** as participant;
- one **pump** as the other participant.

“The valve...”, “...one container...”, “...the pump...” implies an internal block definition

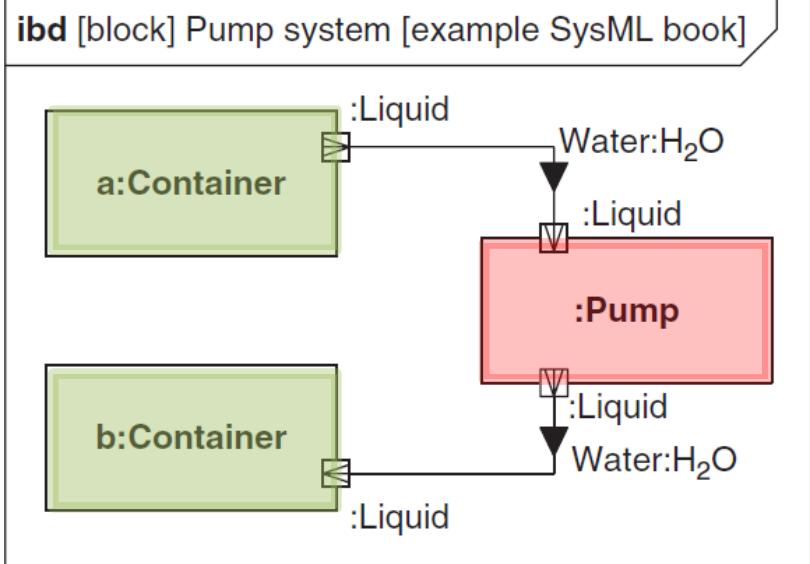


# Example: pump system

In a bdd we represent blocks



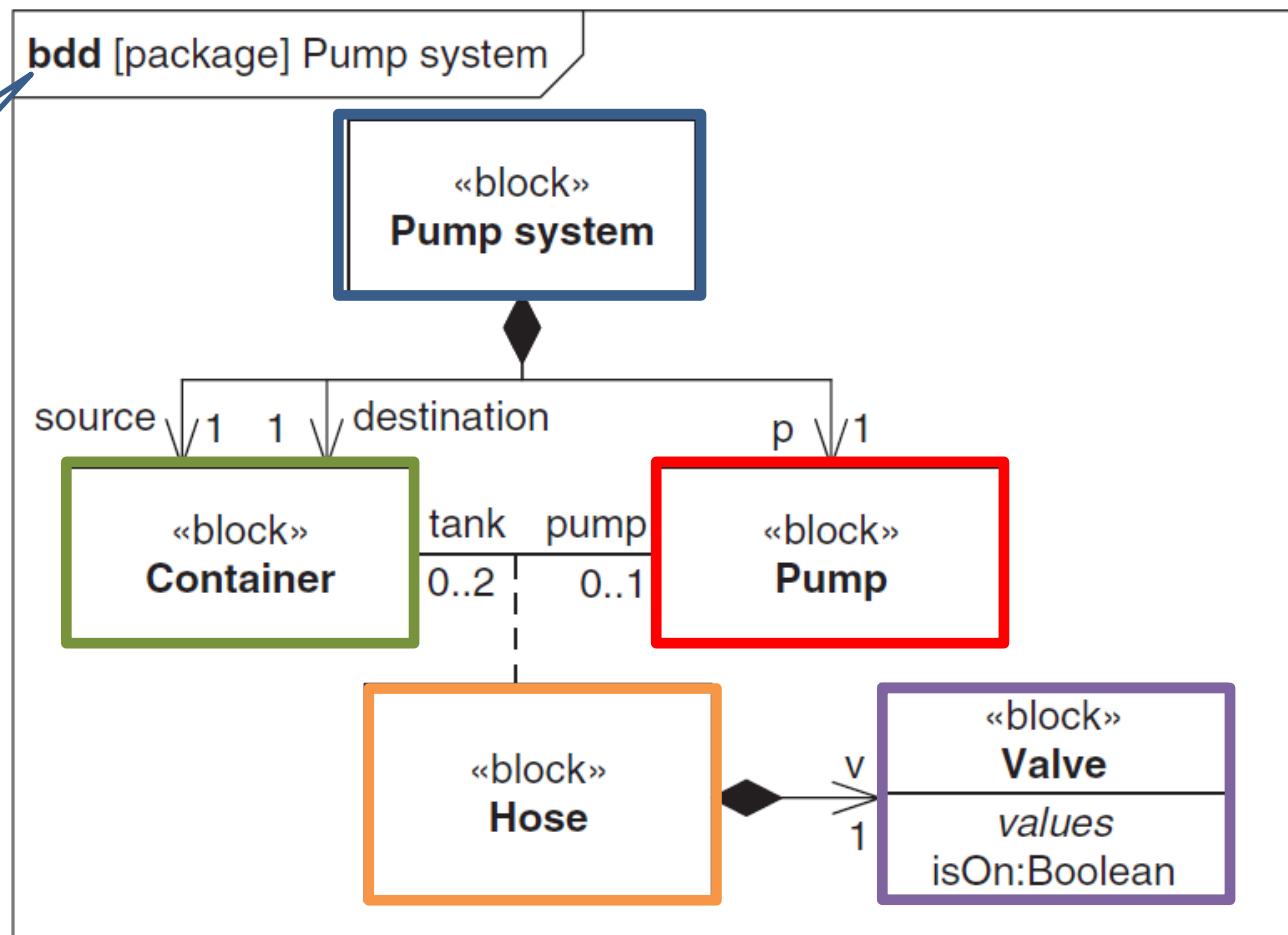
In an idd we represent objects that are parts of a block, and how are they related



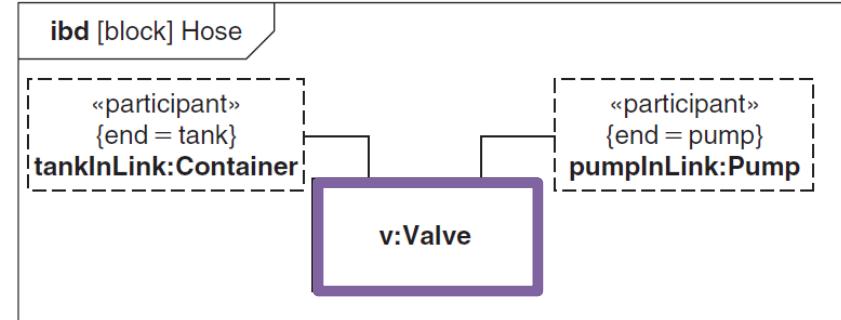
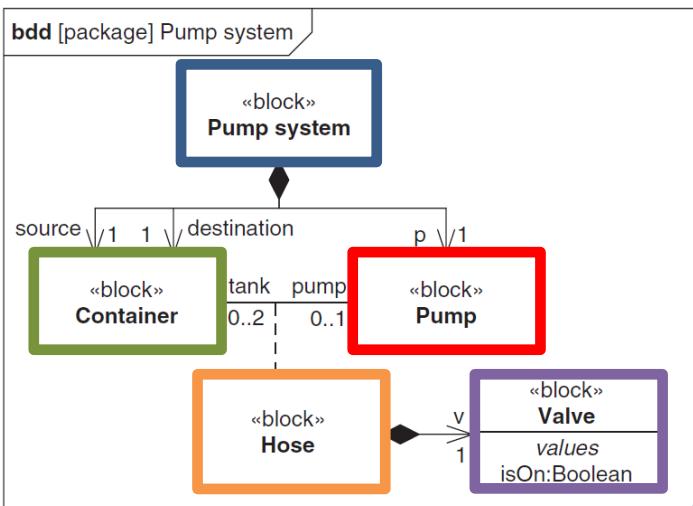
# Example: pump system

A **pump system** is made of a **pump** which is associated to two **containers**, each by a **hose** with a **valve**.

“...is made of...”,  
“...associated...”  
implies a block  
definition ...

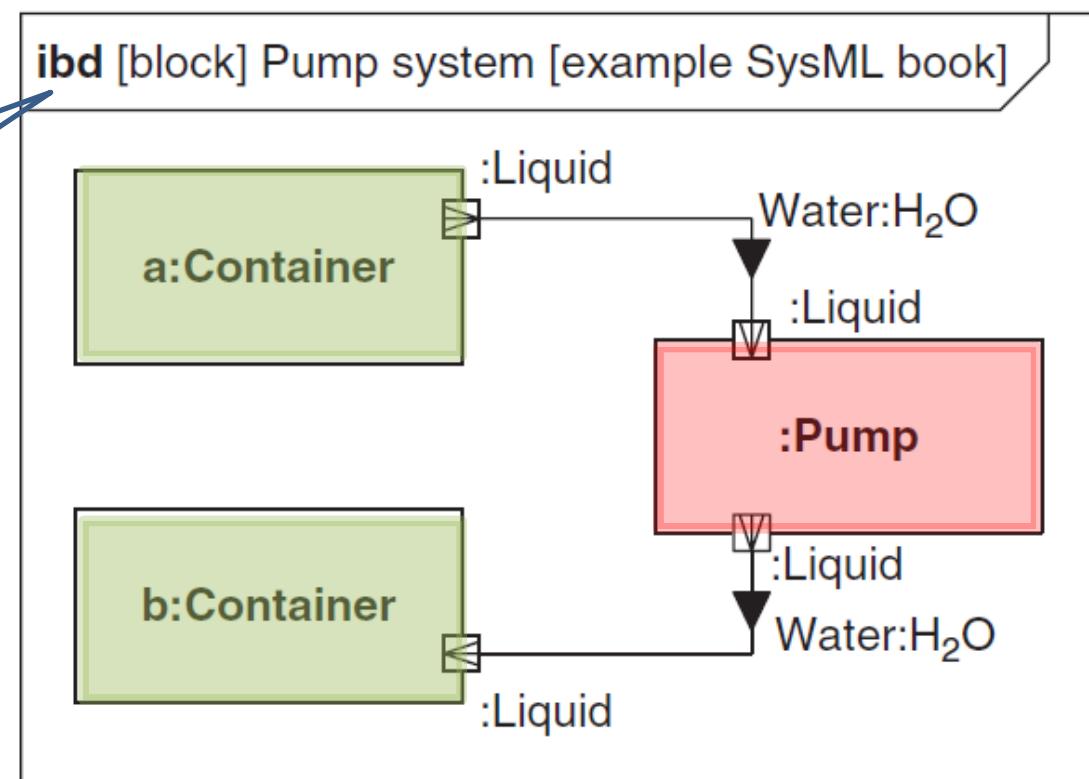


# Example: pump system



“One container...”, “...port...”,  
“...flows...” implies no  
internal block definition ...

One **container** has an **output port** and the other container an **input port**, both for liquids. The **pump** has one input and one output port, both for **liquids**; **water** flows between these ports.



# Example

**“A system to purify dirty water through distillation.”**

Sources:

[Chapter 15] “**A Practical Guide to SysML: The Systems Modeling Language**”

Sanford Friedenthal, Alan Moore, Rick Steiner, 2008, Morgan Kaufmann

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# A system to purify dirty water

- Heat dirty water and condense steam are performed by a Heat Exchanger
- Boil dirty water is performed by a Boiler
- Drains residue is performed by a Drain
- Water has the following properties:  $vol = 1$  liter,  $density = 1\text{gm/cm}^3$ ,  $temp = 20^\circ$ ,  $specific\ heat = 1\text{ cal/gm }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $heat\ of\ vaporization = 540\text{ cal/gm}$

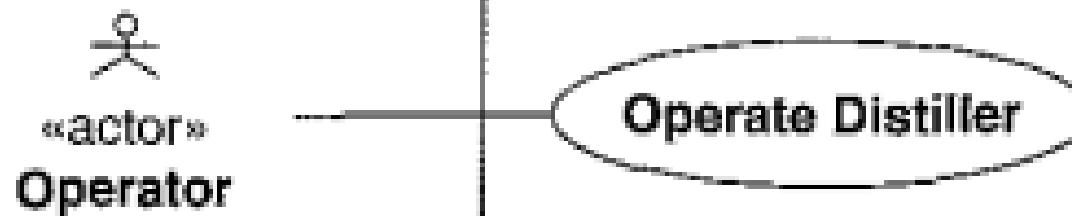


# Example



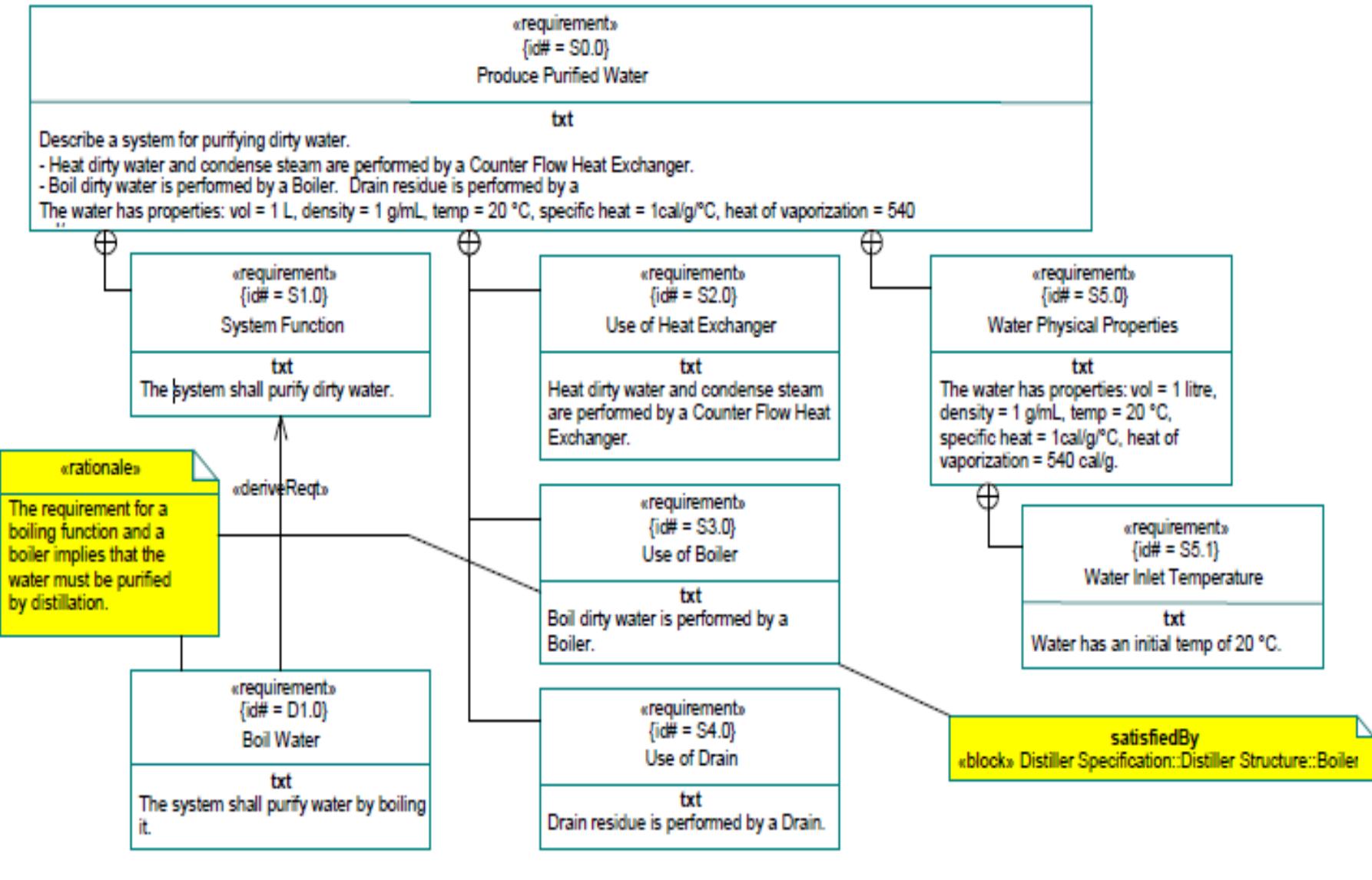
# Use Cases

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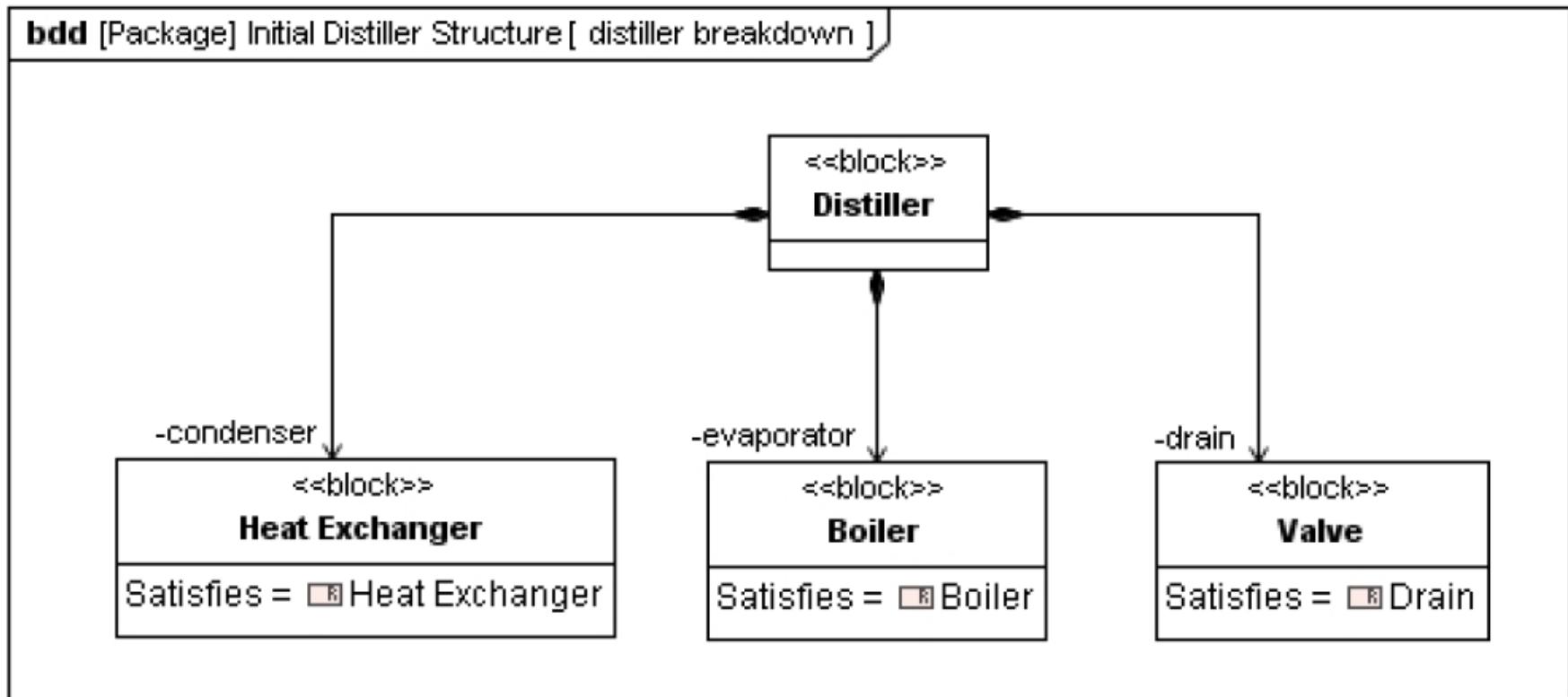
# Requirements (req diagram)

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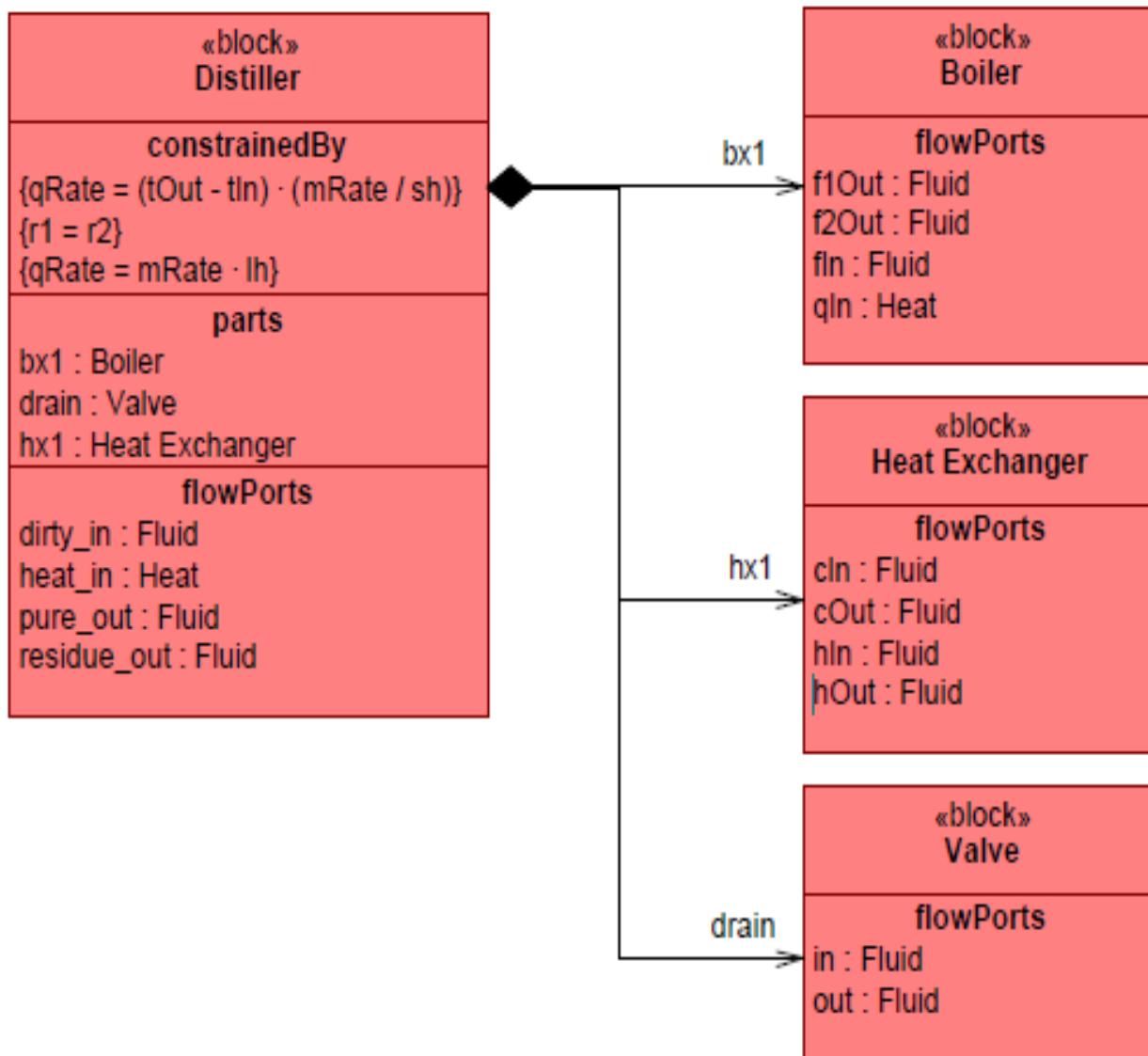
# bdd

- Heat dirty water and condense steam are performed by a **Heat Exchanger**
- Boil dirty water is performed by a **Boiler**
- Drains residue is performed by a **Drain** [satisfied by the **Valve** block]
- Note the **block satisfies requirement** relationship (traceability)

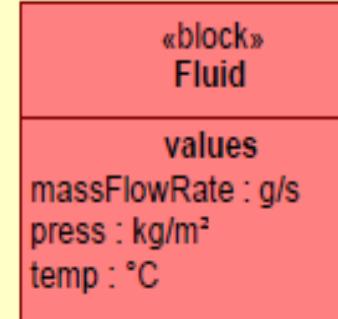


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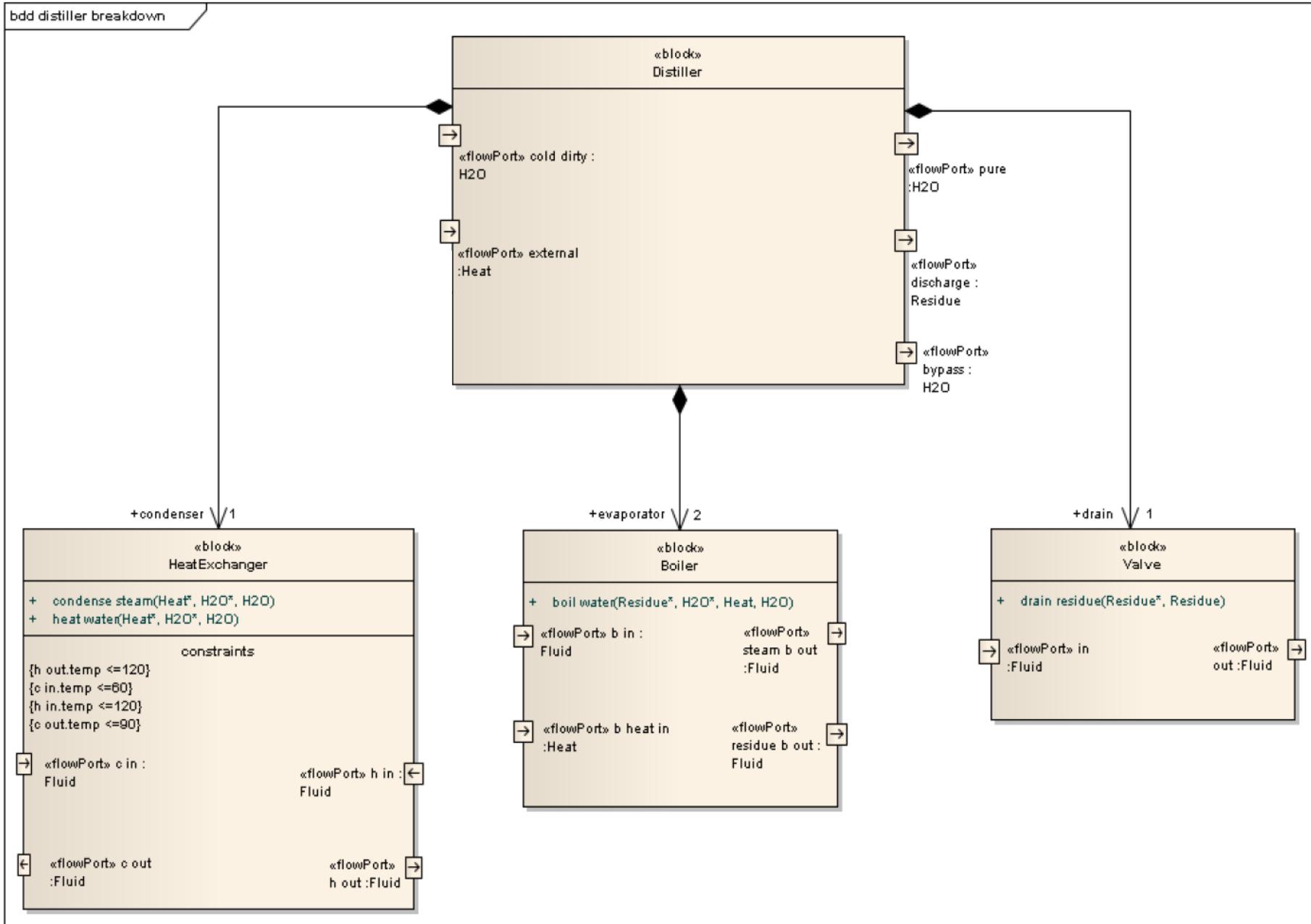
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Item Types

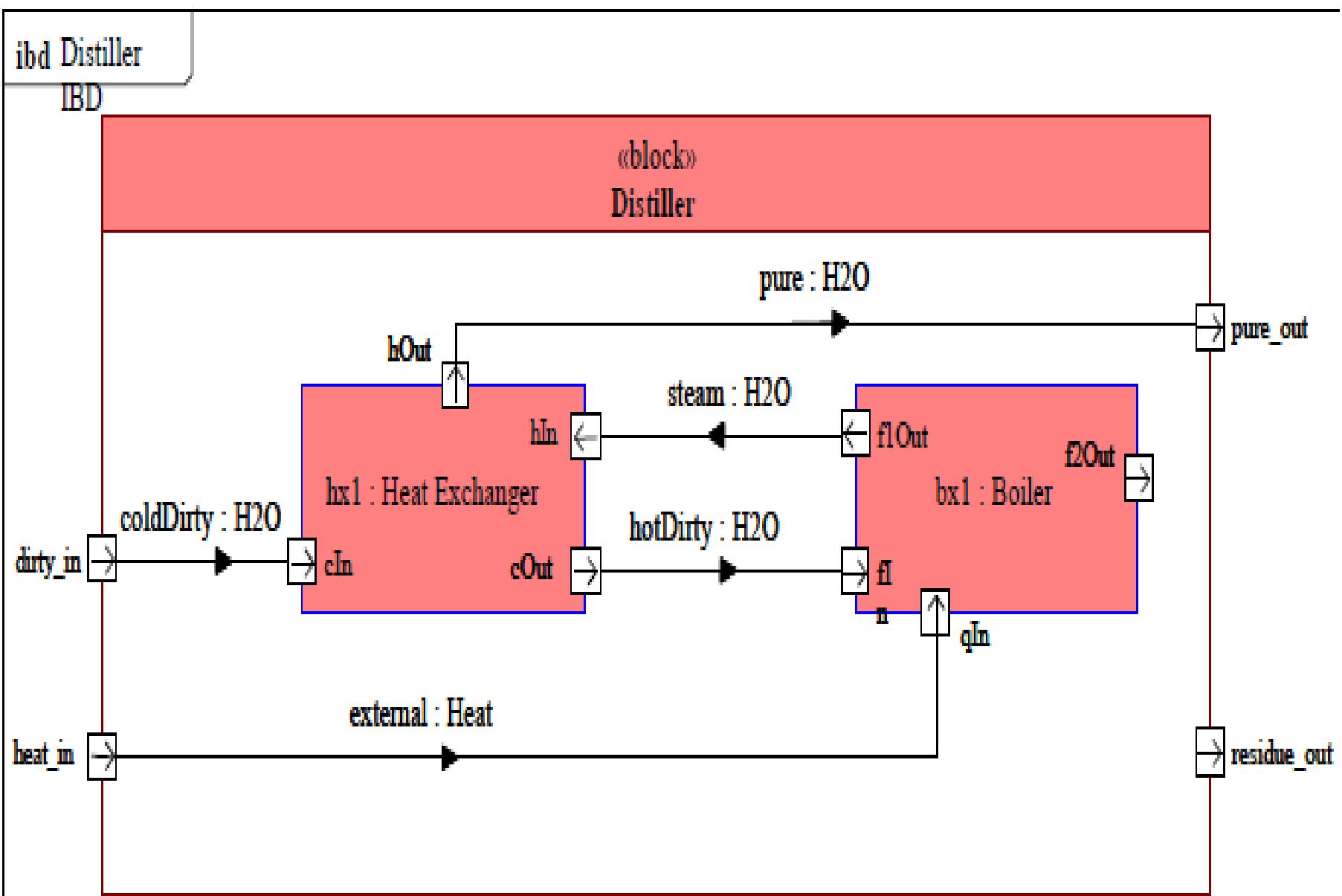


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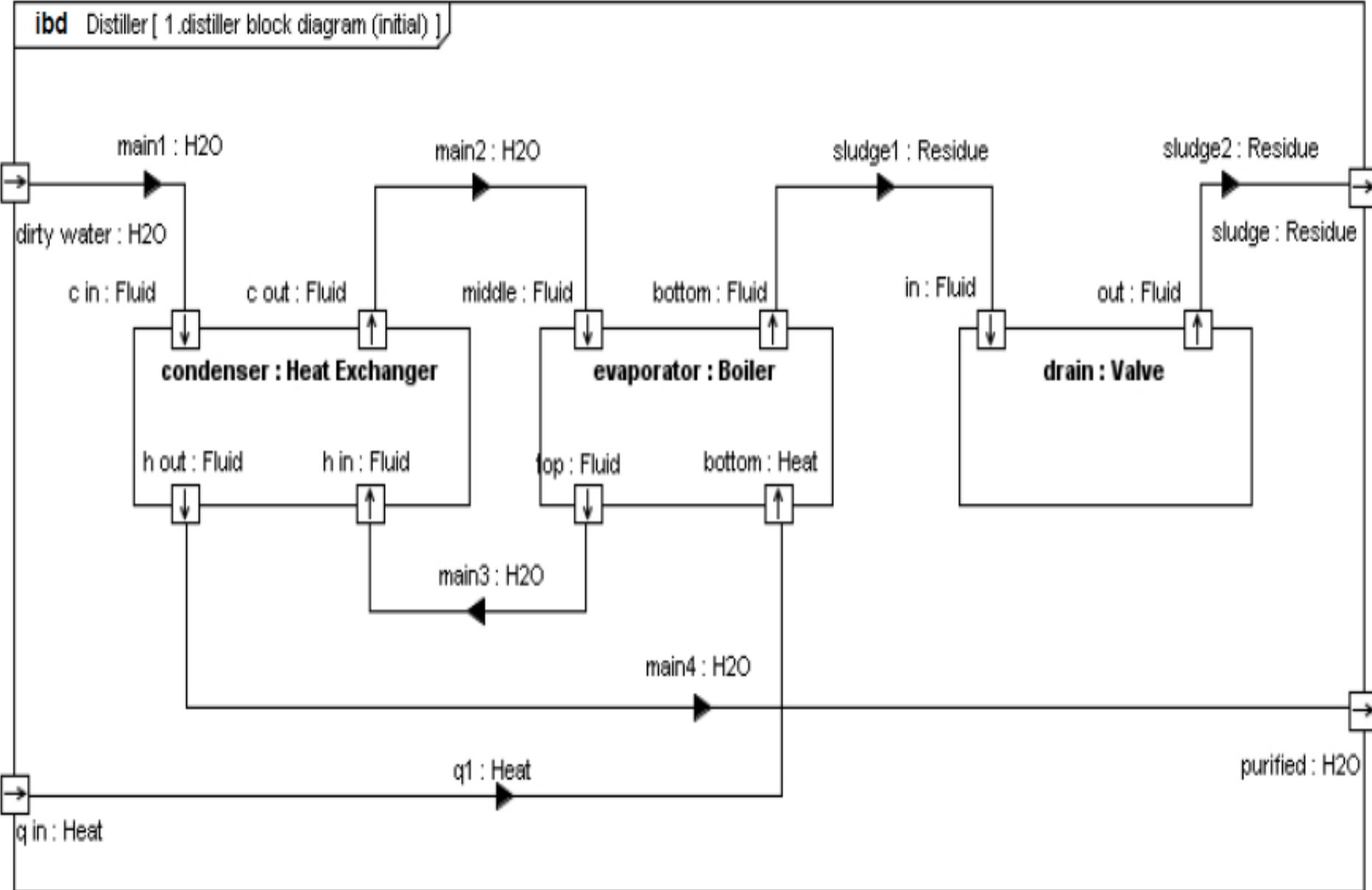
# Partial Distiller ibd

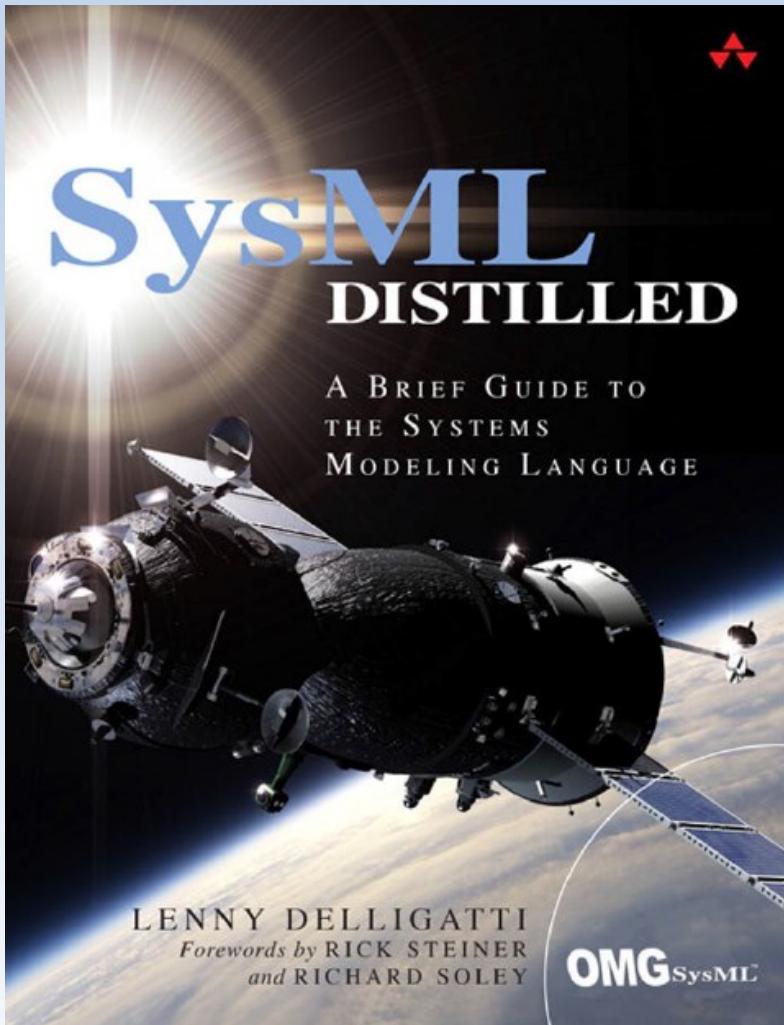
(Heat Exchanger + Boiler, no Valve)



# Complete Distiller ibd

ibd Distiller [ 1.distiller block diagram (initial) ]





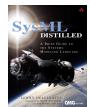
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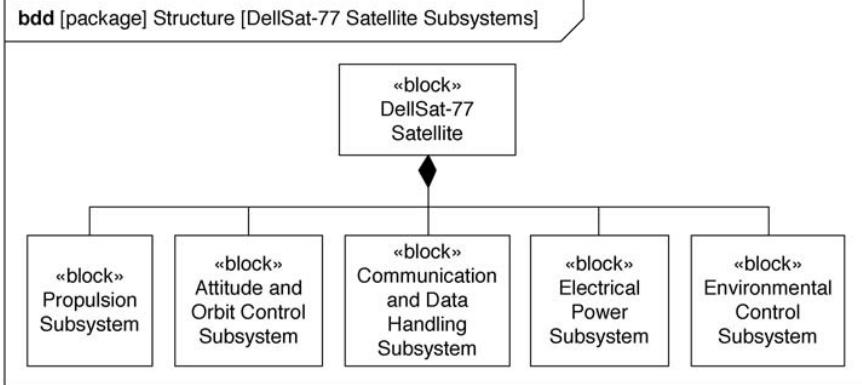
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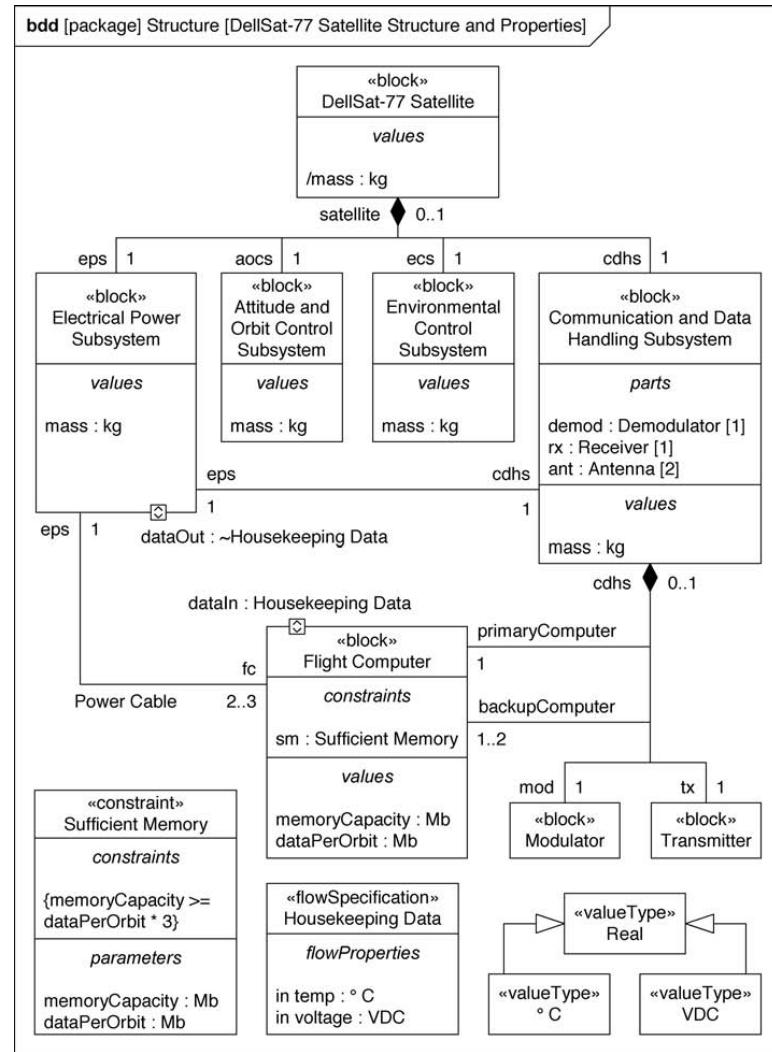
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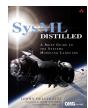


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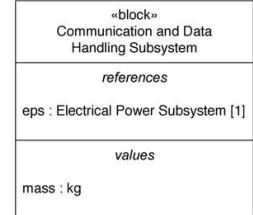
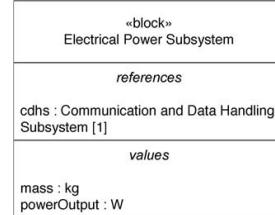
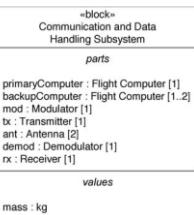
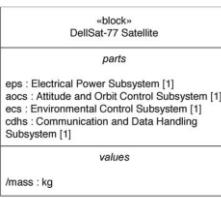
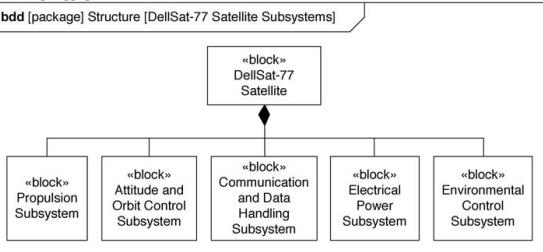


Figure 3.3 Blocks with part properties

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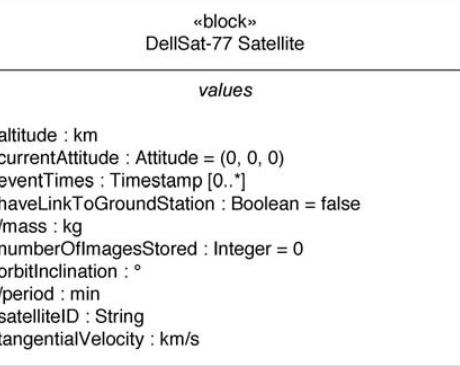
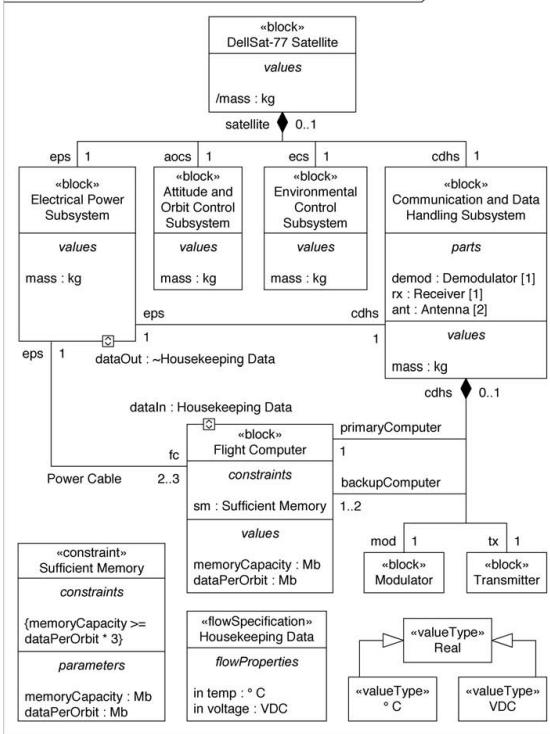


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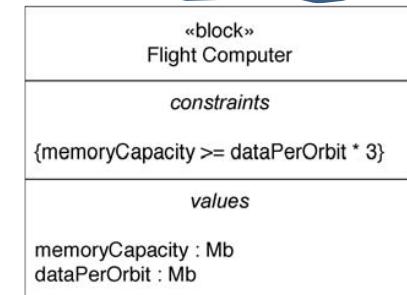
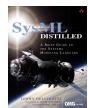


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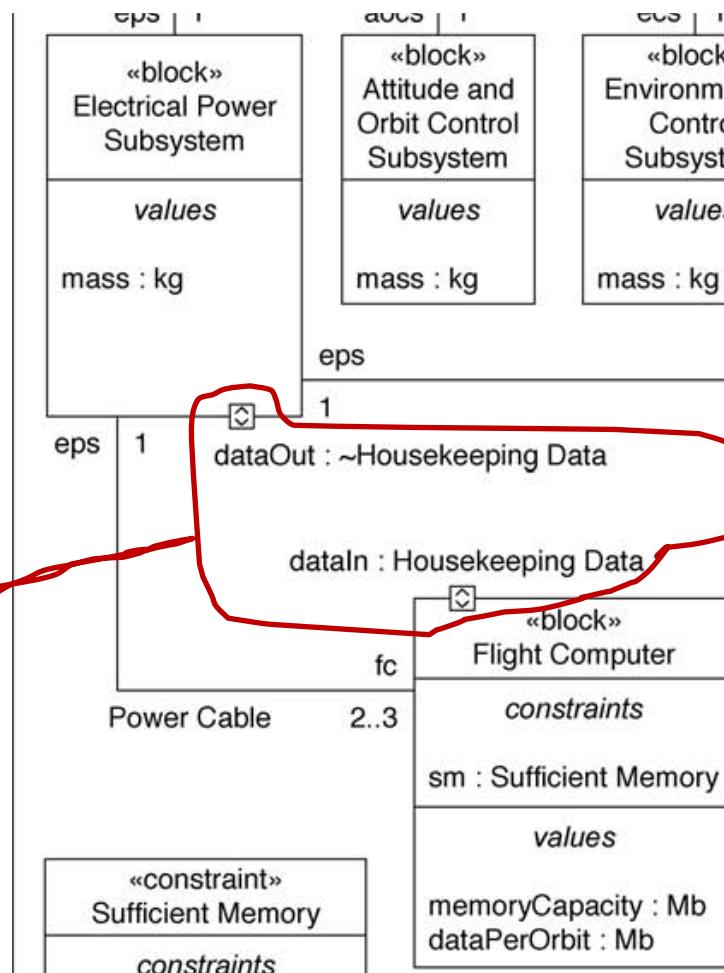
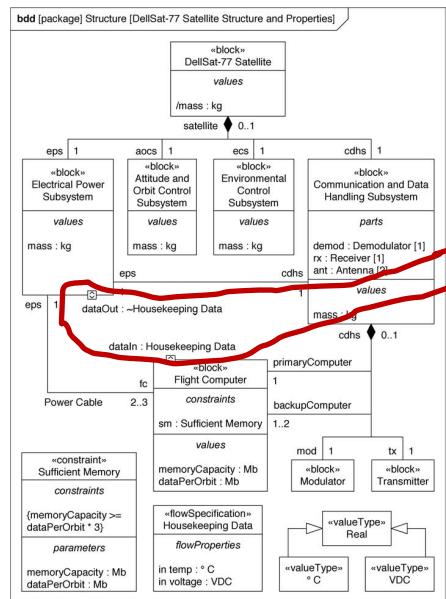
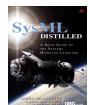


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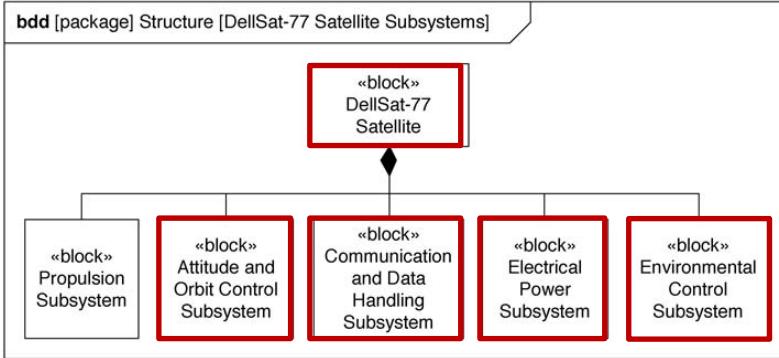


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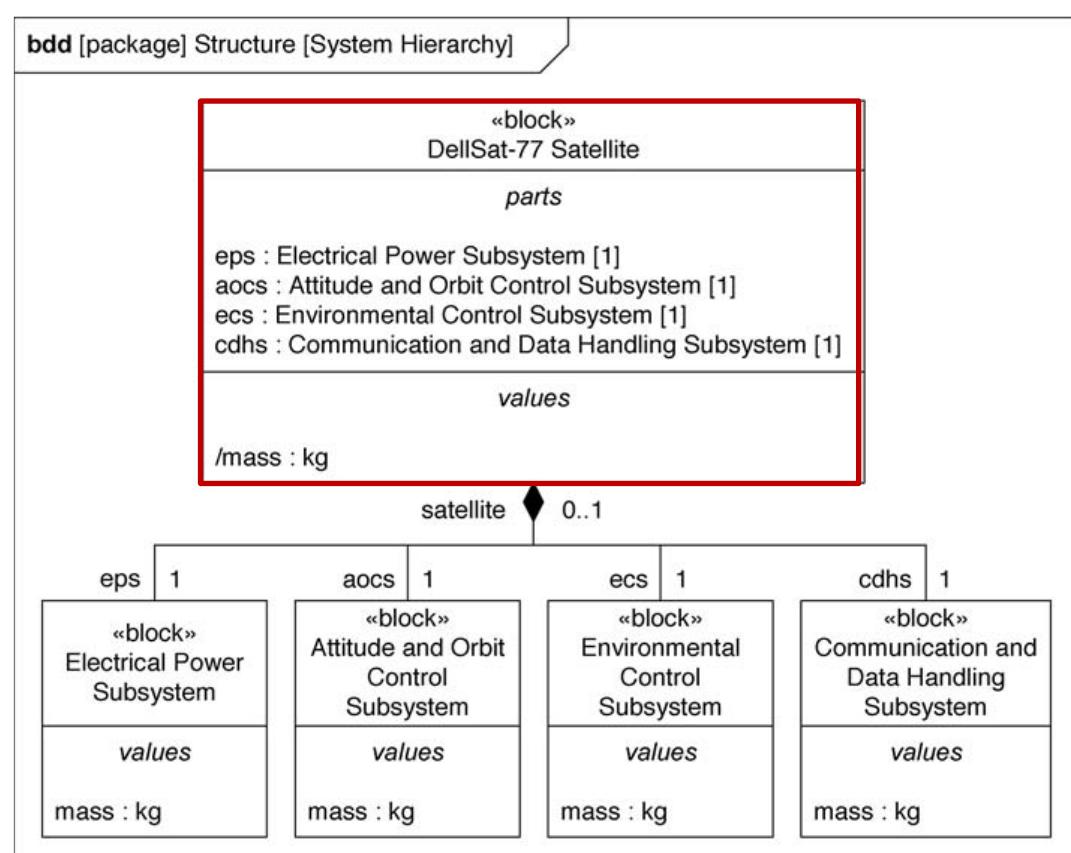
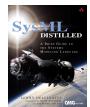
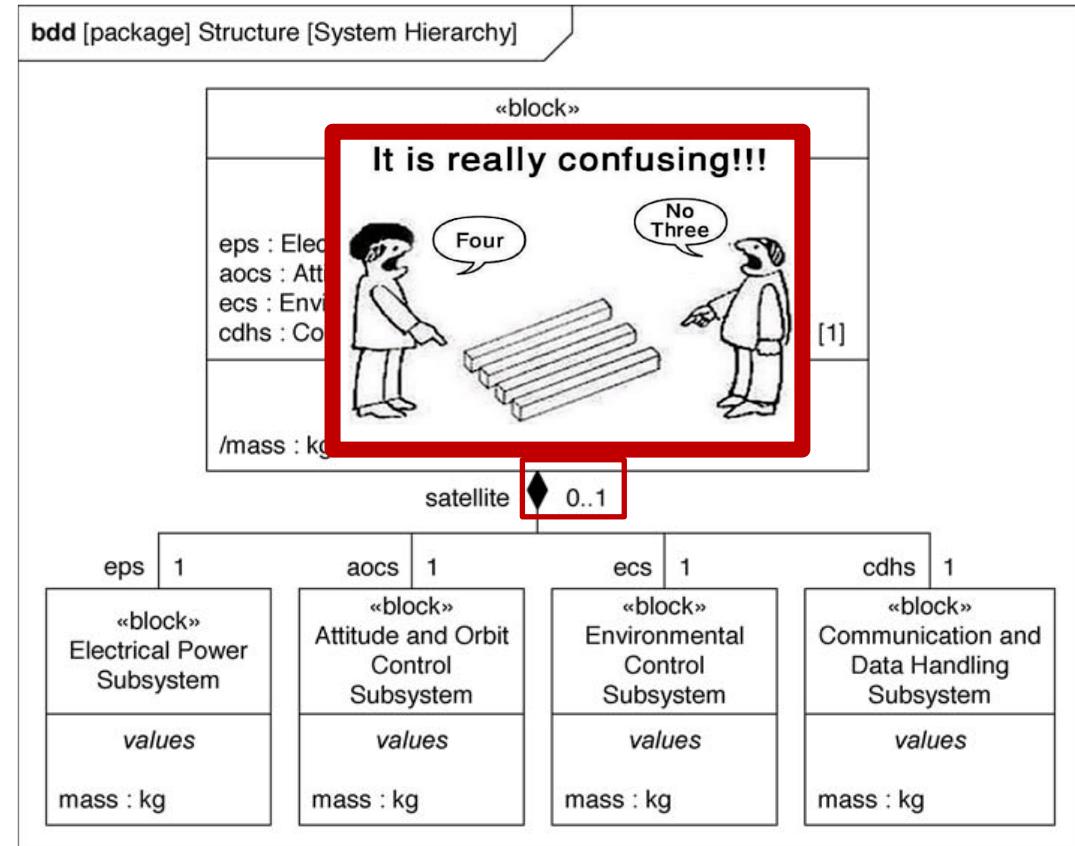


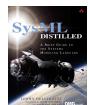
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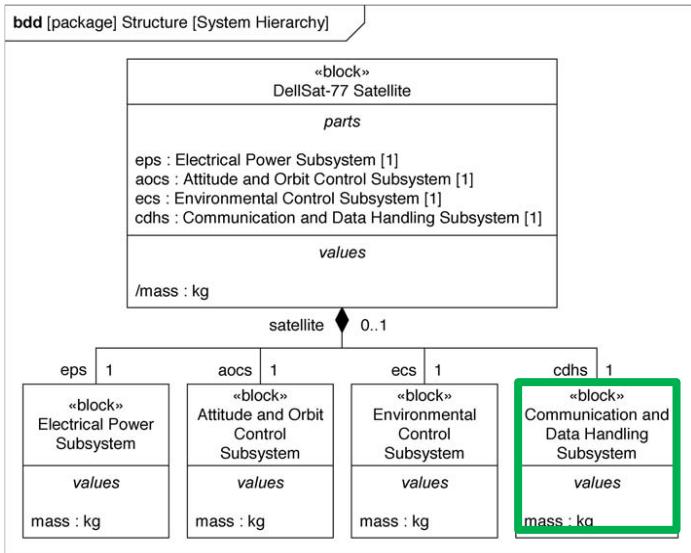


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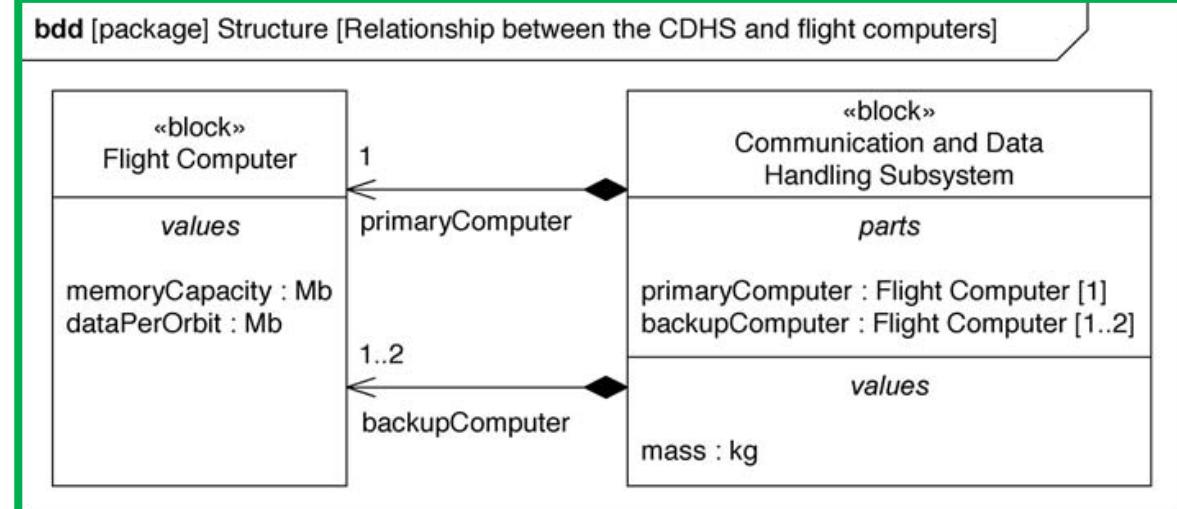
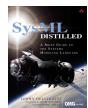
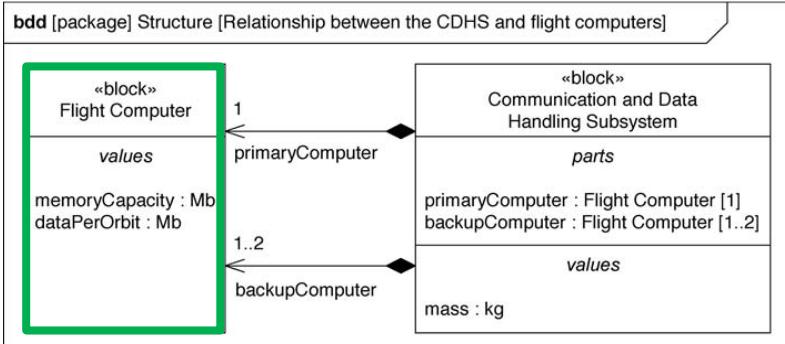


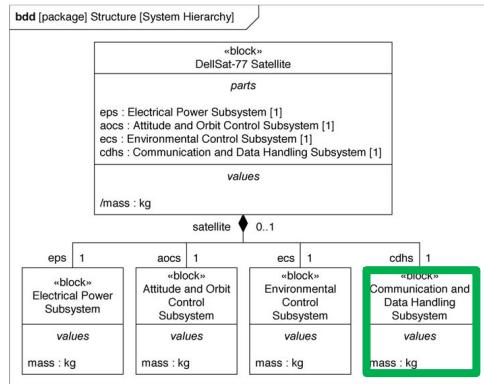
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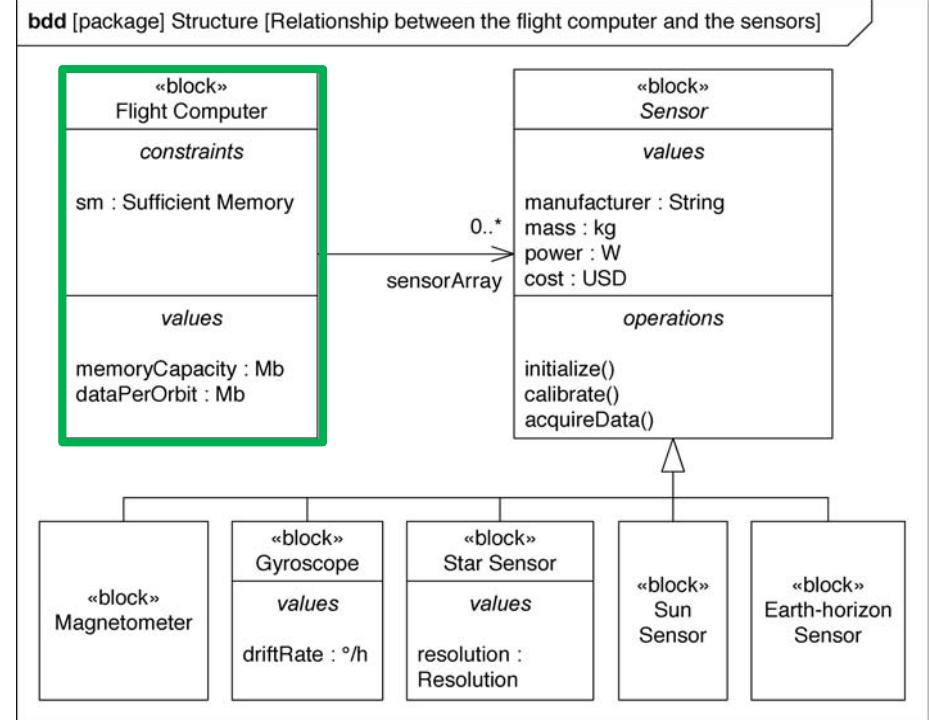
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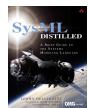
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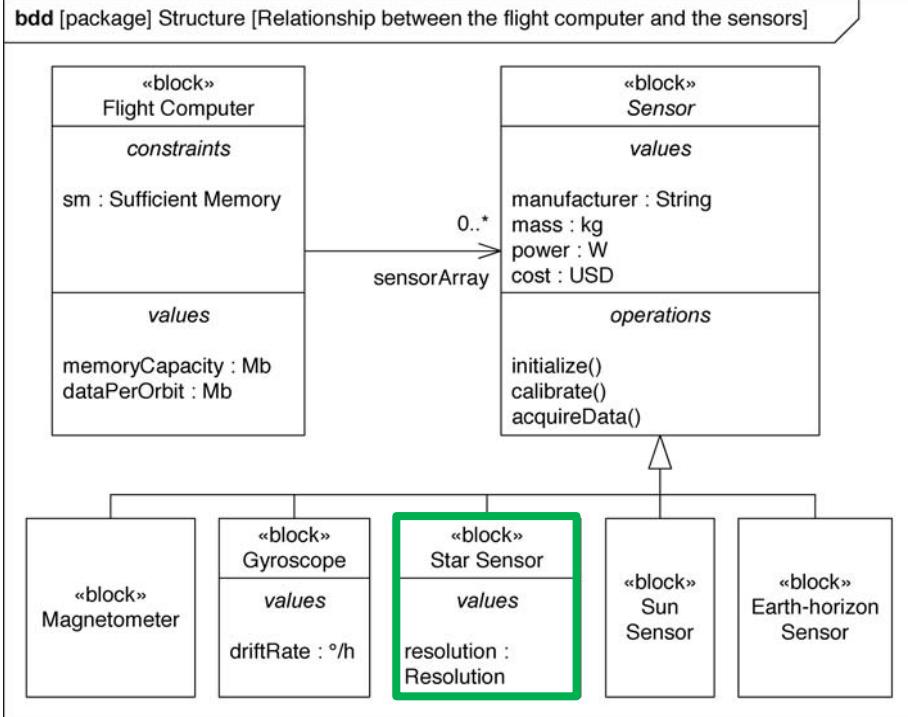
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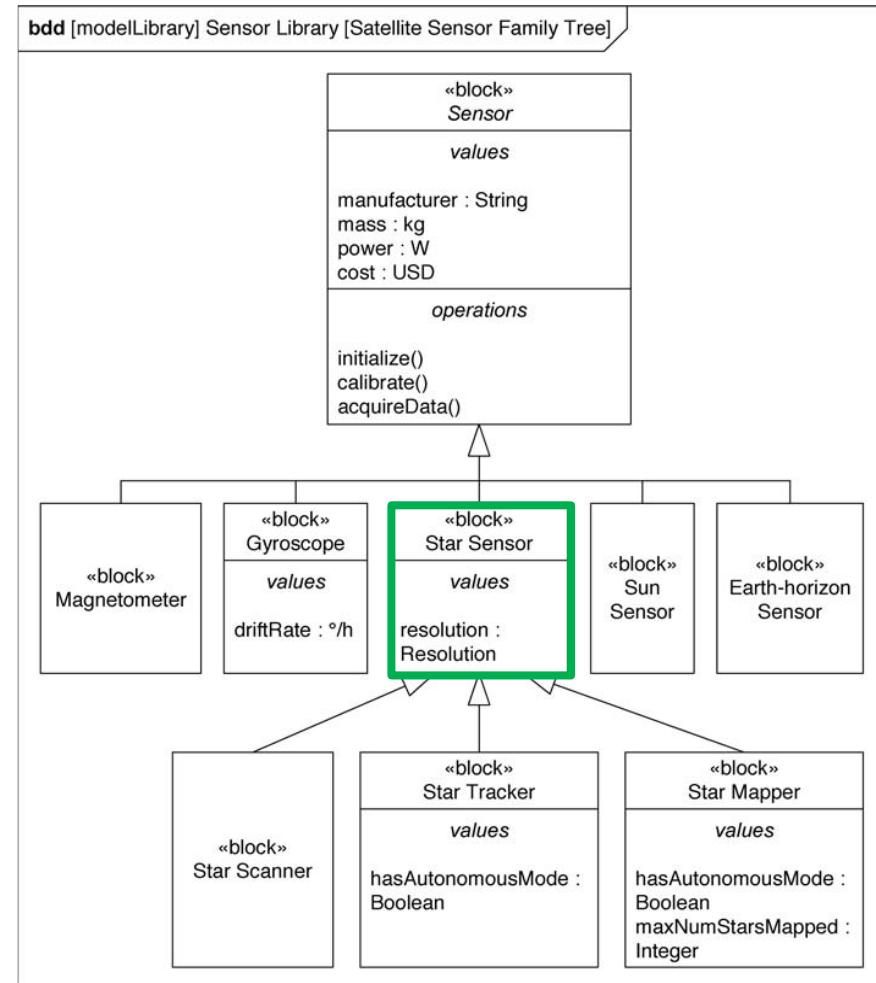
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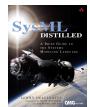
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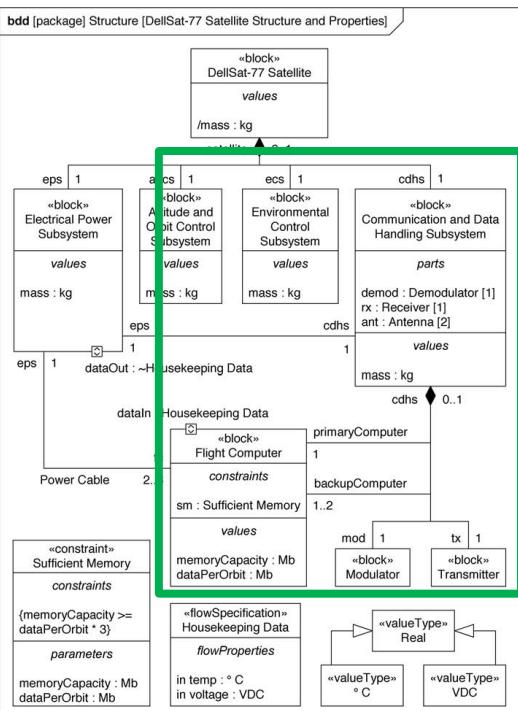
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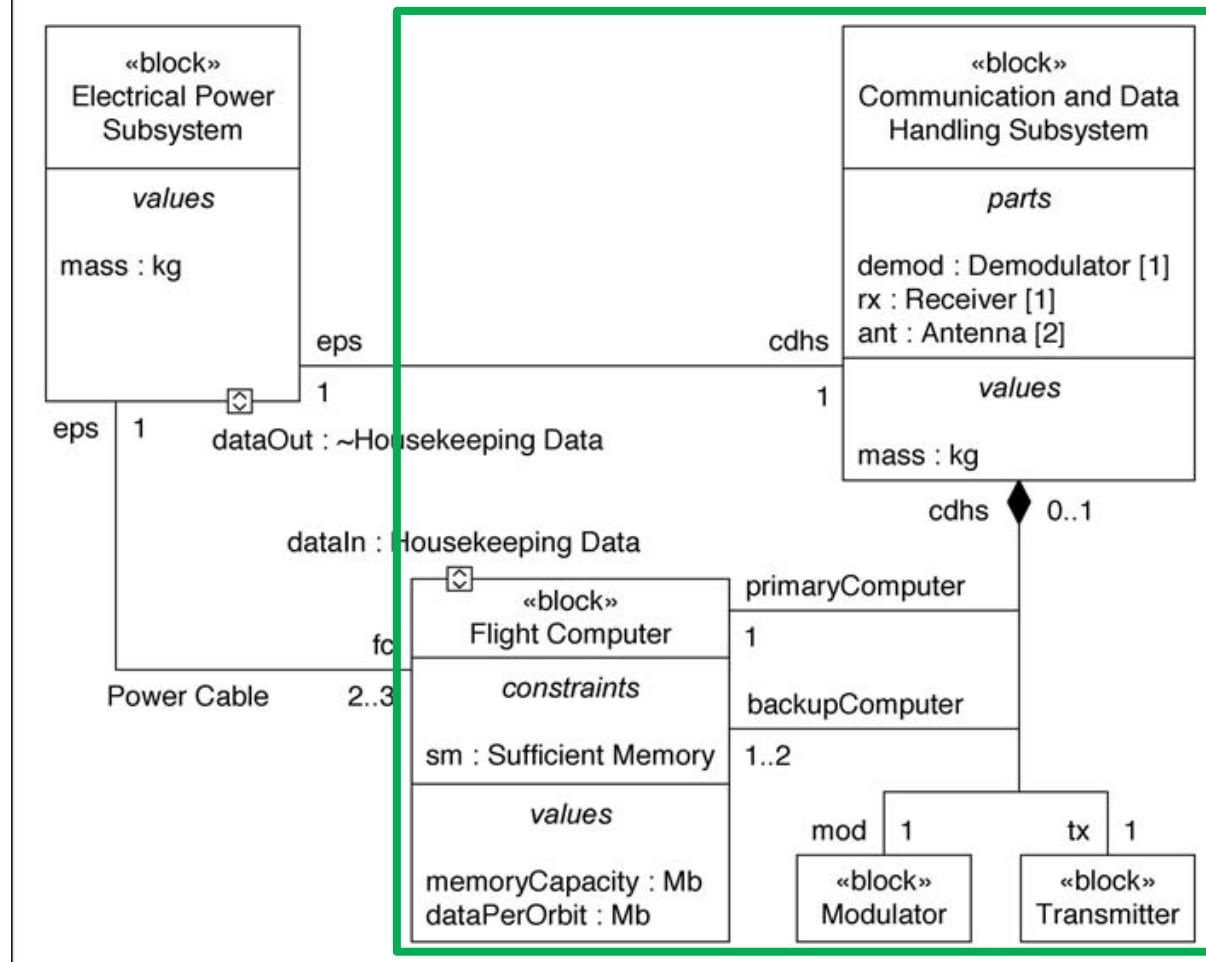
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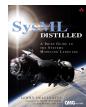


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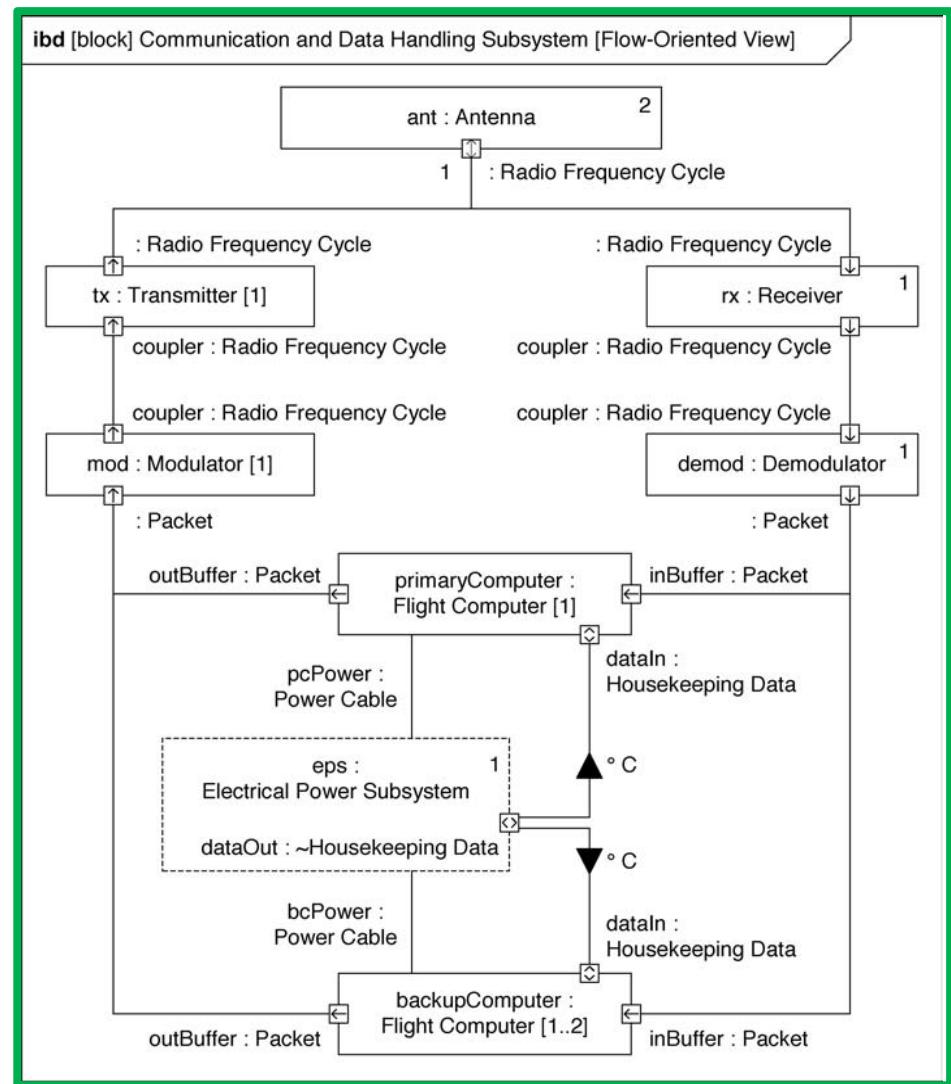
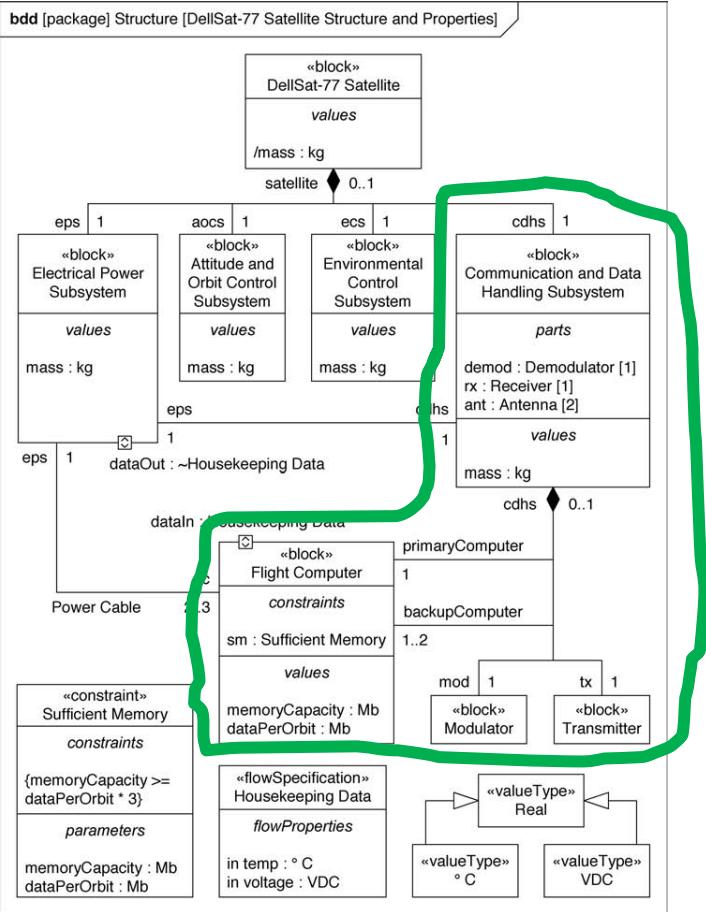


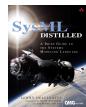
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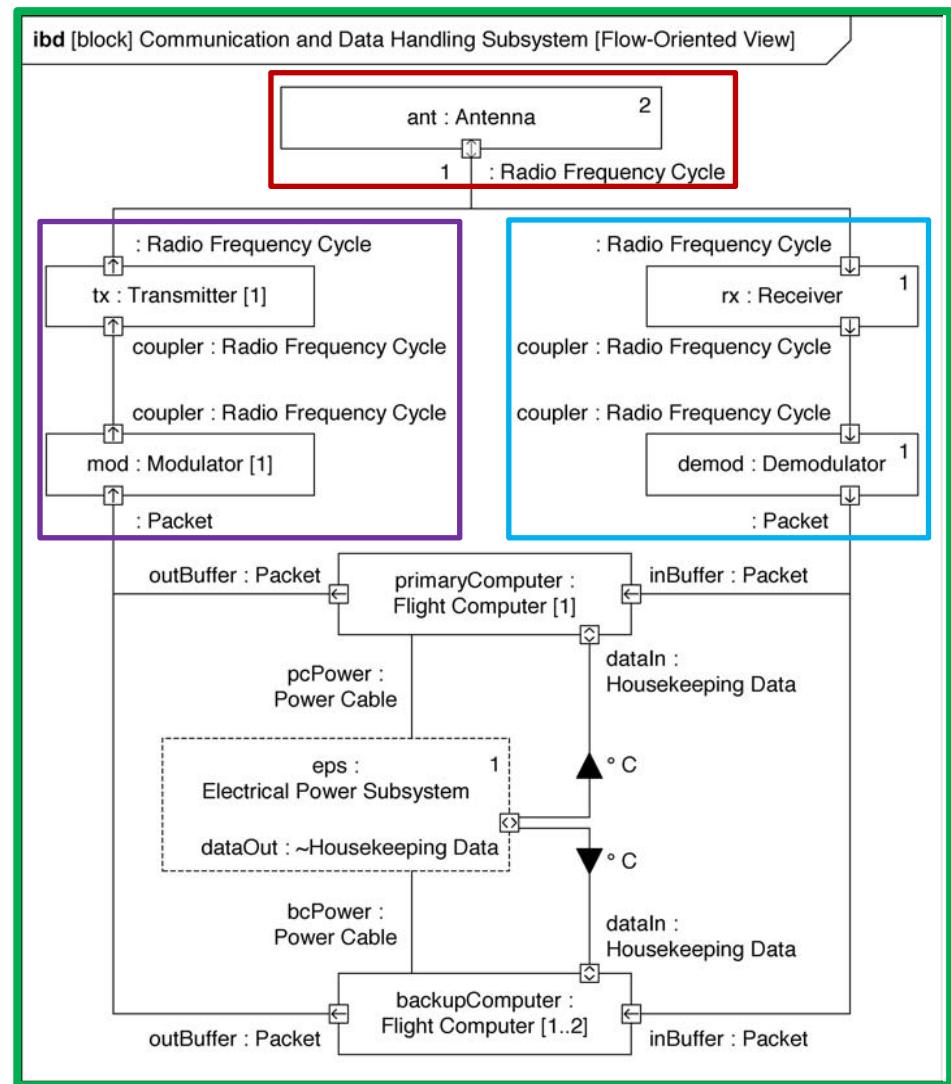
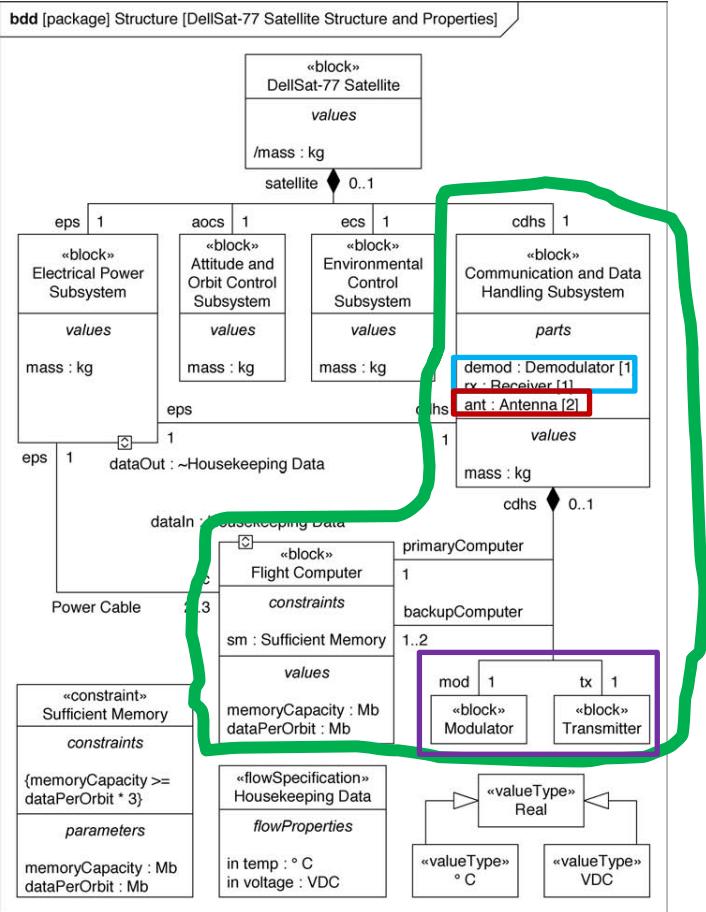


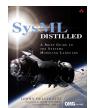
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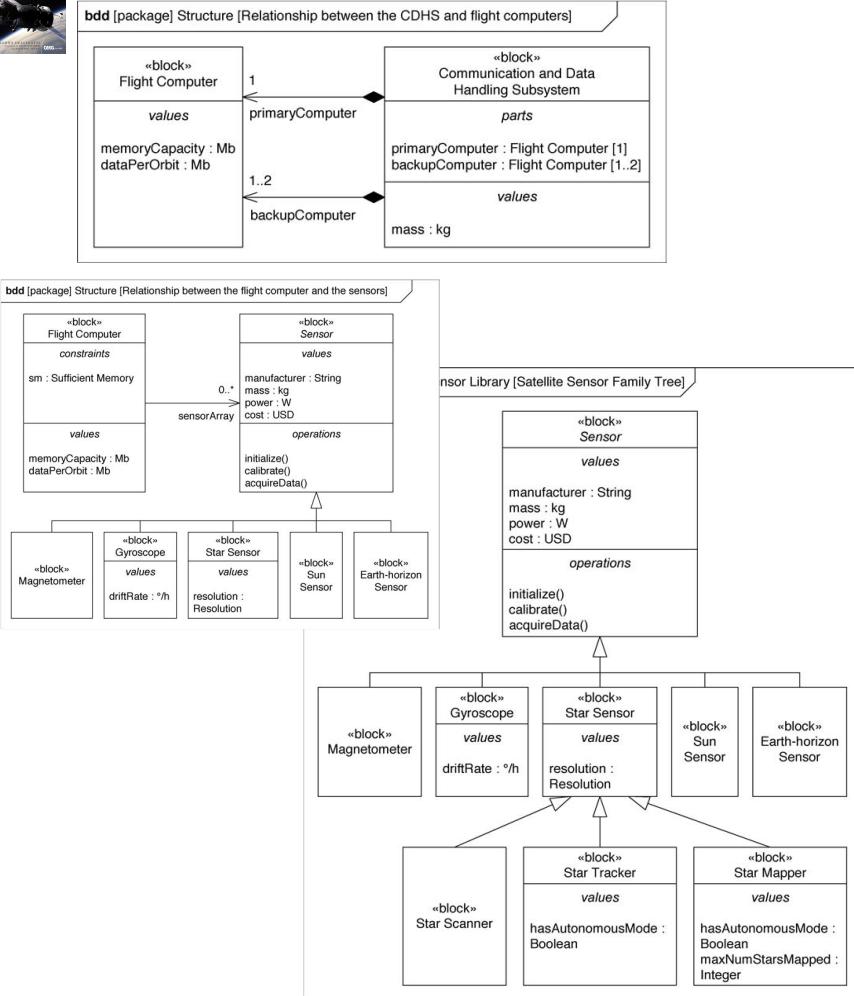


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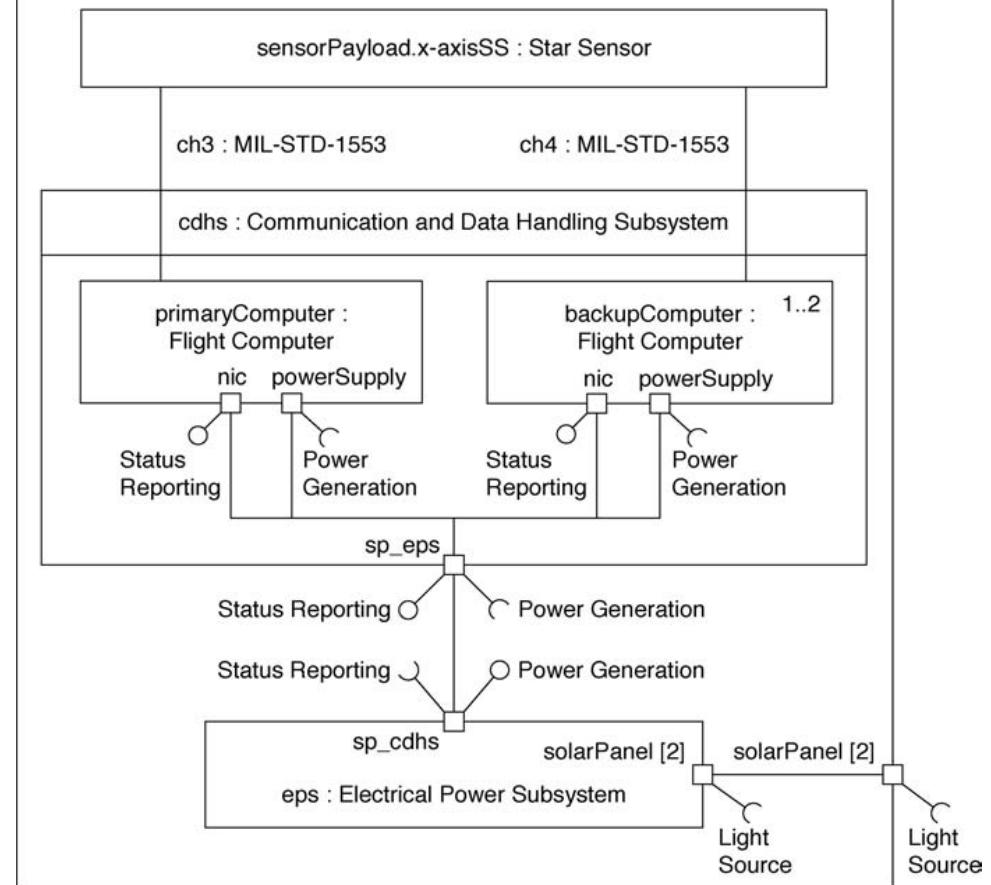




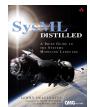
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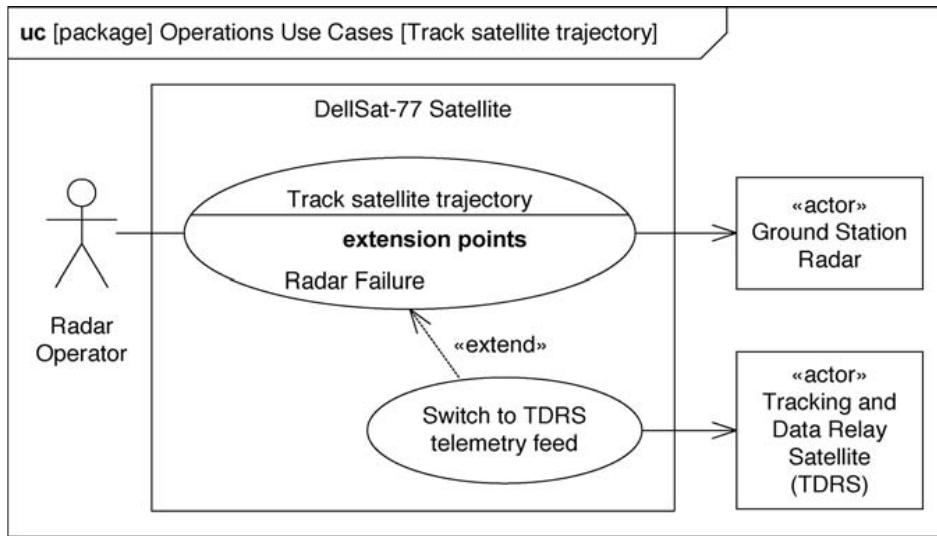
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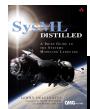


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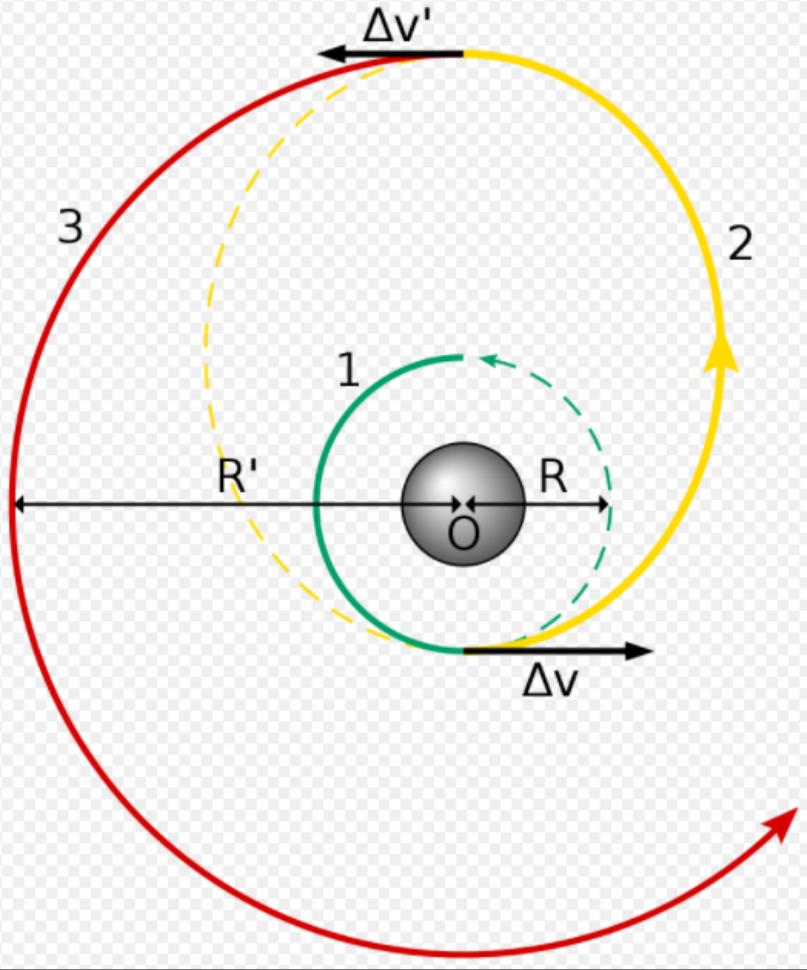


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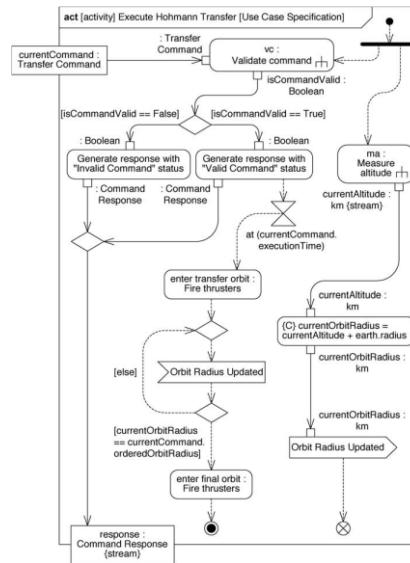


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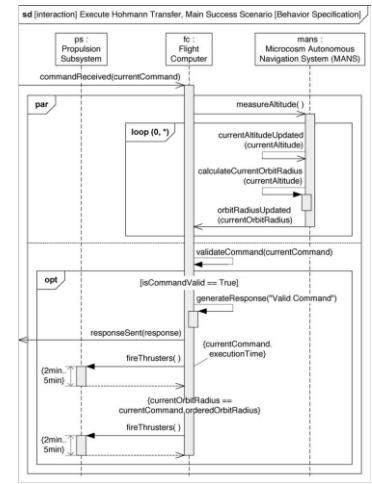
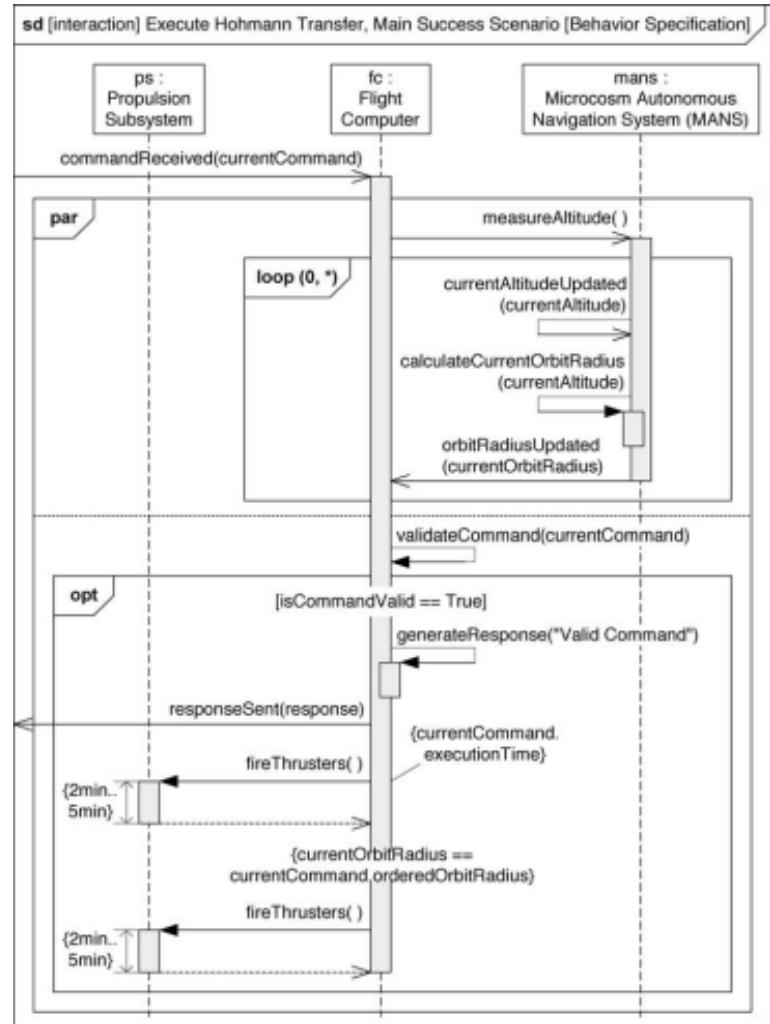
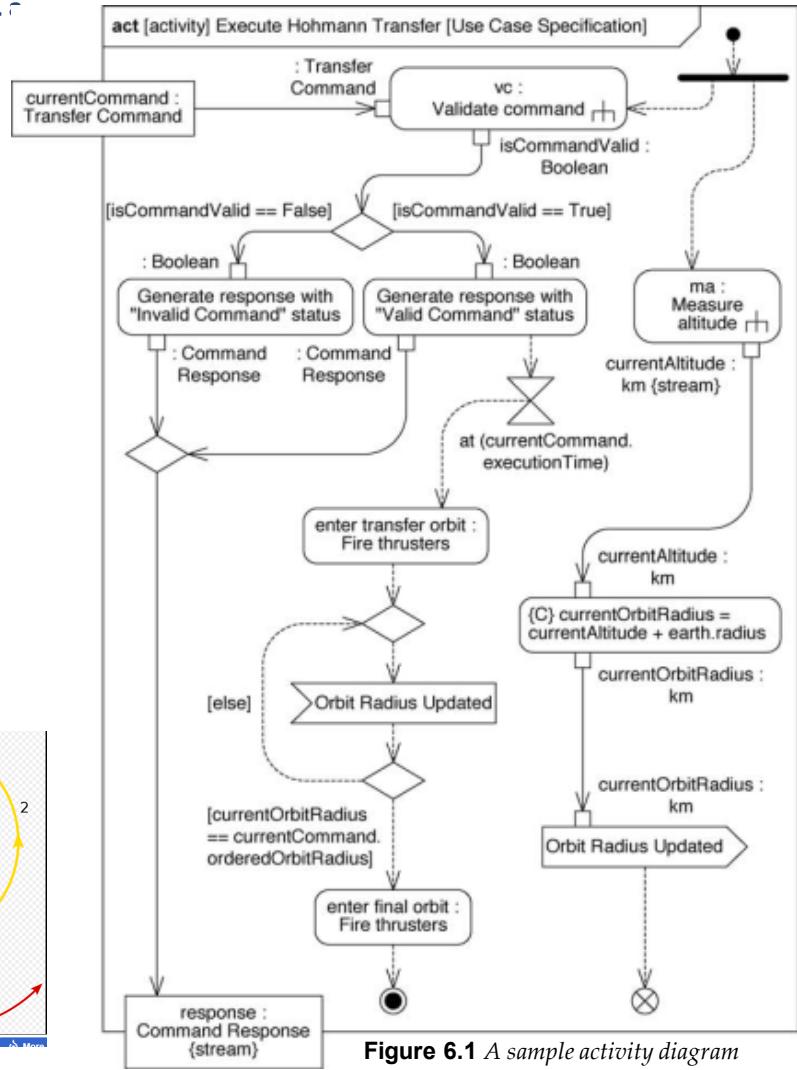


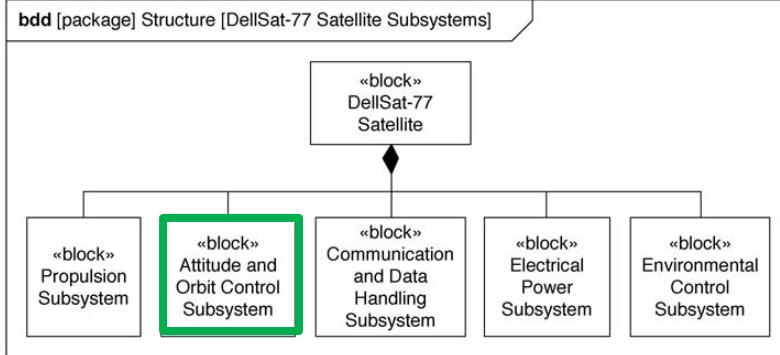
Figure 7.1 A sample sequence diagram

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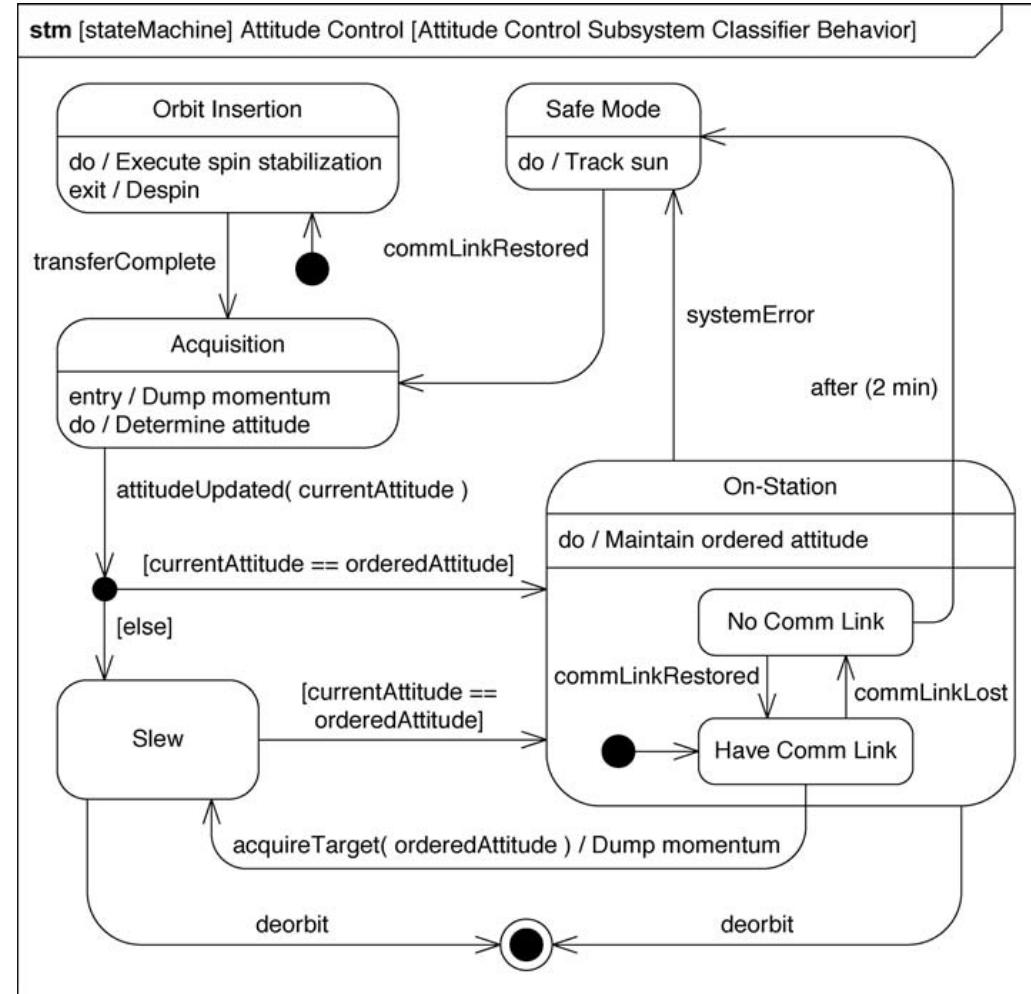


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Índice [esconder] 1 Ciclo de uso dos satélites

## Anatomia

Um satélite, apesar das mais diferentes funções e formas que pode ter, geralmente apresenta um conjunto de elementos essenciais em comum para o funcionamento, comunicação e manutenção em órbita. Todo satélite precisa ter um controle de posição, um corpo metálico que proteja os componentes, antenas para que ocorra a transmissão e recepção de dados, um sistema operacional que controle as funções do satélite e uma fonte de energia, que geralmente é obtida a partir do Sol.<sup>[38]</sup>

O "controle da posição" é essencial para a manutenção das funções corretas de um satélite. Quando estão em órbita, eles não podem girar descontroladamente, por isso precisam ser estabilizados. Os satélites que tiram fotografias na superfície do planeta, por exemplo, não podem ter uma orientação qualquer, eles precisam apontar exatamente para onde se quer fotografar. Os instrumentos que fazem o reconhecimento da posição do satélite utilizam movimentos giroscópicos para manter o satélite estabilizado.<sup>[39]</sup>



Apesar das mais variadas funções que podem exercer, os satélites possuem vários elementos em comum.

O "corpo" do satélite é a parte que contém todos os componentes e equipamentos científicos de um satélite. Essa parte do satélite pode ser composta de diversos materiais diferentes que devem oferecer proteção para os equipamentos desde o lançamento até o fim da operação do satélite. Entre os principais fatores levados em conta na escolha de um determinado material está o custo, o peso, a longevidade e a funcionalidade de acordo com satélites lançados anteriormente. A camada exterior do satélite costuma ser bem robusta, para proteger os instrumentos da colisão com pequenos meteoritos, lixo espacial e partículas eletricamente carregadas. Além disso, os materiais devem ser resistentes à radiação solar, já que, como estão no espaço, não contam com a proteção que a atmosfera da Terra oferece. A proteção térmica também deve ser eficiente, pois os instrumentos do satélite precisam de uma certa temperatura para operar corretamente.<sup>[40]</sup>

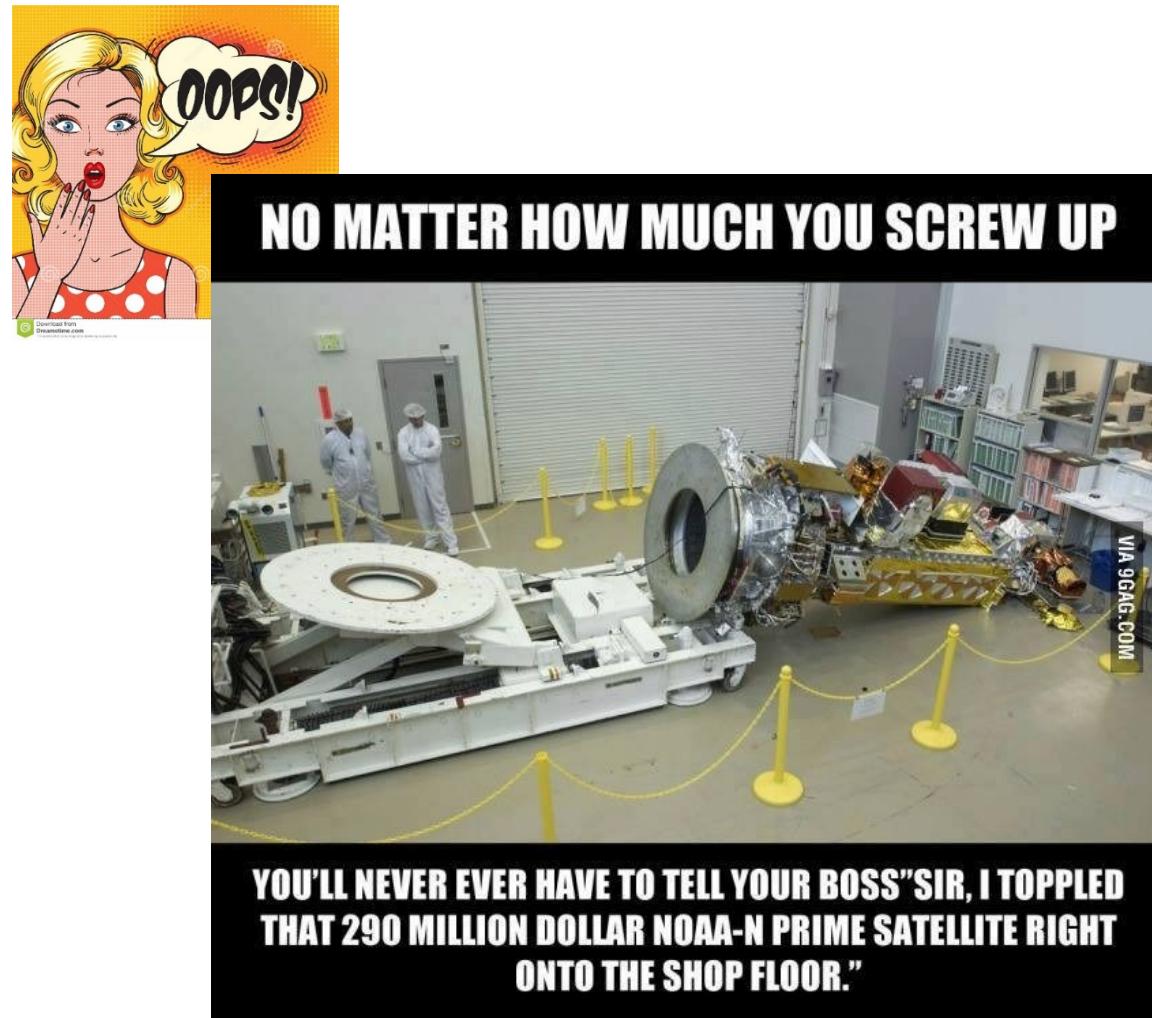


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Todos os satélites precisam ter alguma forma de comunicação com a Terra, pois eles precisam "receber instruções" e transmitir informações que coletam ou então retransmitir informações que vêm de outras partes do mundo ou de outro satélite. Geralmente essa comunicação é feita por meio de ondas de rádio que são enviadas e captadas por antenas, que podem ser de diversos tipos: a mais simples é formada somente por uma ou mais hastes metálicas compridas enquanto outras podem ter um formato parabólico ou uma montagem em forma de grade.<sup>[41]</sup> Além disso, os satélites precisam de um mecanismo para armazenar e processar os dados coletados, além de controlar seus sistemas. Para isso existe o sistema de Telemetria, Rastreamento e Controle, que funciona como o cérebro do satélite.<sup>[42]</sup>

Para operar, todo satélite precisa de uma fonte de energia, e a escolha leva em conta o custo, a durabilidade e a efetividade, já que um satélite precisa de muita energia para operar. A fonte de energia mais utilizada é a energia solar, coletada por meio de painéis, que precisam de ter uma área suficiente para gerar a quantidade suficiente de energia elétrica. Sua principal vantagem é ser uma energia renovável. Contudo, seu uso deve estar associado a uma bateria recarregável, pois quando o satélite entrar na sobra da Terra, as baterias previamente carregadas permitem que o satélite continue funcionando e quando ele voltar a receber luz solar, as baterias serão novamente carregadas. Uma outra opção é a utilização de energia nuclear. Entretanto, esse tipo de fonte de energia é utilizado somente em sondas espaciais, quando a enorme distância em relação ao Sol não permite a utilização da energia solar. Os principais motivos da não utilização da energia nuclear é o alto custo envolvido e os riscos elevados, já que no caso de uma explosão durante o lançamento, por exemplo, os compostos radioativos seriam dispersos na atmosfera e contaminariam imensas áreas.<sup>[43]</sup>

## Tipos de satélites



<https://space.stackexchange.com/questions/1783/was-the-noaa-n-prime-satellite-really-dropped-on-the-floor>

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### ***NOAA-N-Prime Satellite Mishap Investigation Report Released***

*The NASA Mishap Board investigating damage to the NOAA-N-Prime satellite has released its final report.*

*On September 6, 2003, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) N-Prime satellite fell to the Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company factory floor in Sunnyvale, Calif. Technicians were working on the spacecraft, when the accident happened. The spacecraft suffered significant damage.*

# Concluding...

- A **block definition diagram bdd** describes the structure of a system from a **type-based perspective** (*what blocks?*)
- An **internal block diagram ibd** describes the structure of a system from a **role-based perspective** (*who does what with what?*)
- A **parametric diagram par** constrains the relationships between the properties of blocks pertaining to a system.

For further details, see: <http://www.omg.org/spec/SysML/1.2/>

# An example (see all the details in the reference document...)

**IMPORTANT:** Please consult the descriptions and definitions available at (free access): <https://www.omg.org/spec/SysML/1.6/About-SysML/> (extract from that reference)

The scope of this example is to provide at least one diagram for each SysML diagram type. The intent is to select simplified fragments of the problem to illustrate how the diagrams can be applied, and to demonstrate some of the possible inter-relationships among the model elements in the different diagrams. The sample problem does not highlight all of the features of the language. The reader should refer to the individual clauses for more detailed features of the language. The diagrams selected for representing a particular aspect of the model, and the ordering of the diagrams are intended to be representative of applying a typical systems engineering process, but this will vary depending on the specific process and methodology that is used.

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The sample problem describes the use of SysML as it applies to the development of an automobile, in particular a Hybrid gas/electric powered Sport Utility Vehicle (SUV). This problem is interesting in that it has inherently conflicting requirements, viz. desire for fuel efficiency, but also desire for large cargo carrying capacity and off-road capability. Technical accuracy and the feasibility of the actual solution proposed were not high priorities. This sample problem focuses on design decisions surrounding the power subsystem of the hybrid SUV; the requirements, performance analyses, structure, and behavior.

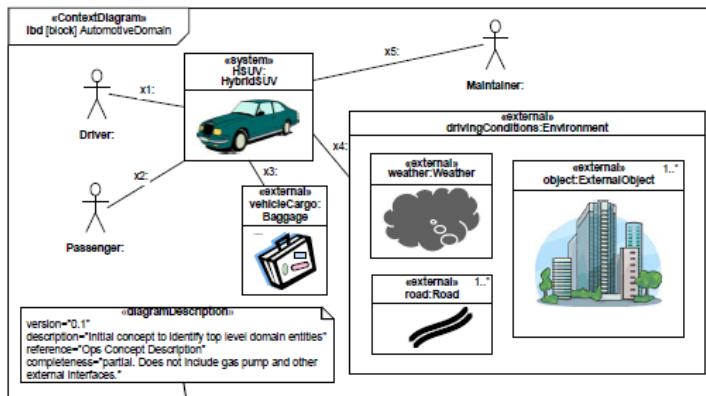


Figure D.4 - Establishing the Context of the Hybrid SUV System using a User-Defined Context Diagram.  
(Internal Block Diagram) Completeness of Diagram Noted in Diagram Description

## D.4.2.2 Use Case Diagram - Top Level Use Cases

The use case diagram for "Drive Vehicle" in Figure D.5 depicts the drive vehicle usage of the vehicle system. The subject (HybridSUV) and the actors (Driver, Registered Owner, Maintainer, Insurance Company, DMV) interact to realize the use case.

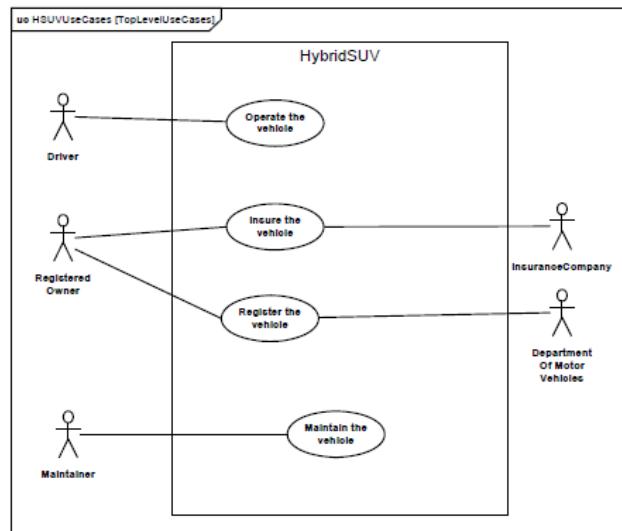


Figure D.5 - Establishing Top Level Use Cases for the Hybrid SUV (Use Case Diagram)

# The SUV example by Sparx System:

[https://sparxsystems.com/enterprise\\_architect\\_user\\_guide/15.2/guidebooks/example\\_sysml\\_model\\_.html](https://sparxsystems.com/enterprise_architect_user_guide/15.2/guidebooks/example_sysml_model_.html)

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## Example SysML Model

**Package Overview (Structure of the Sample Model)**

**Setting the Context (Boundaries and Use Cases)**

**Elaborating Behavior (Sequence and StateMachine Diagrams)**

**Establishing Requirements (Requirements Diagrams and Tables)**

**Breaking Down the Pieces (Block Definition Diagrams, Internal Block)**

**Defining Ports and Flows**

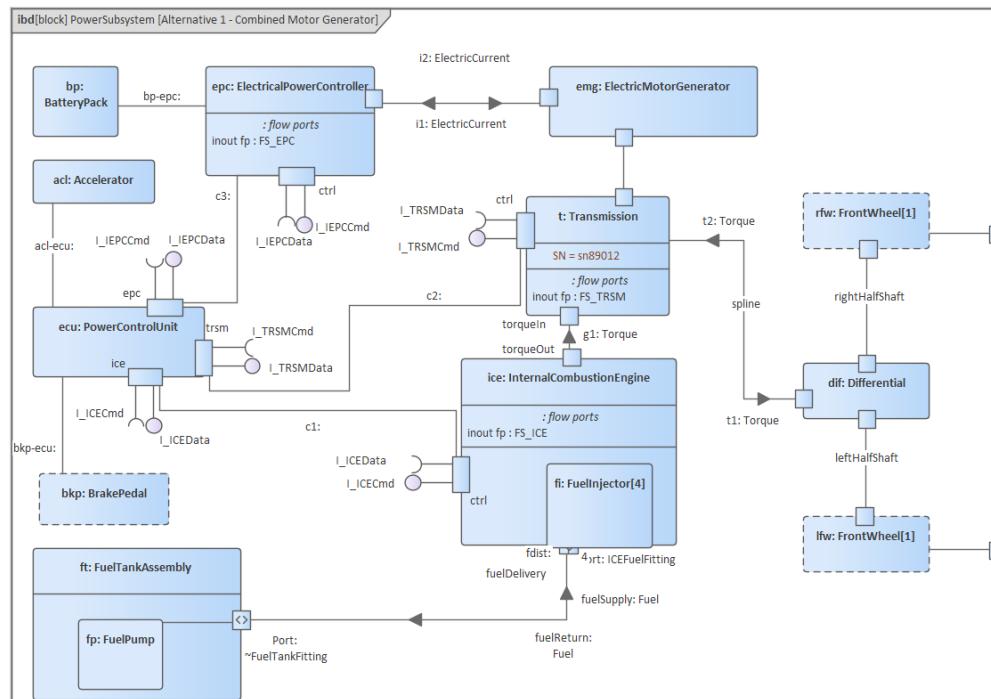
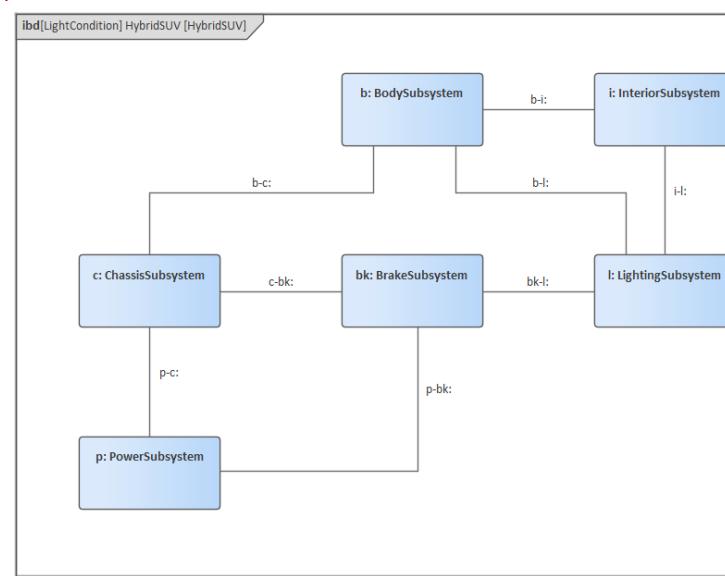
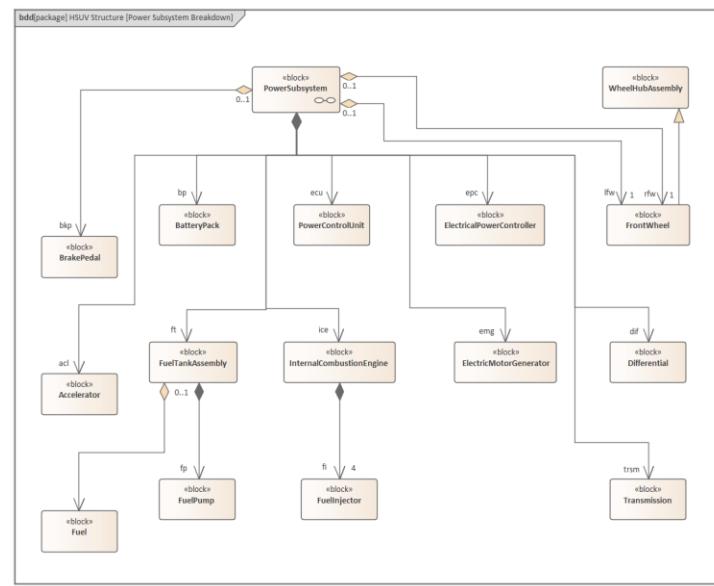
**Analyze Performance (Constraint Diagrams, Timing Diagrams, Views)**

**Defining, Decomposing, and Allocating Activities**

The text below discusses the System Modeling Language (SysML), noting its complexity and the variety of reasons why someone might be familiar with it. It then describes the hybrid vehicle example, mentioning the Unified Modeling Language specification and the intended purpose of the model.

- It has been used by colleagues or partners in projects
- It has been taught as part of a University course
- You have attended training or read or viewed documentation
- You have taken 6 weeks off work and read the specification from cover to cover

If the last one is true you will probably have a deep knowledge of the language but might be in need of some recreational leave as it is a fairly dense document and you will have needed to dip your toes into the Unified Modeling Language specification as well. It is more likely that a larger number of readers will have little or no exposure to the language, and this first example is intended to give you a quick and high level view of what can be expected when working in Enterprise Architect to model a Model Based Systems Engineering Project using the SysML. It is based on the example of a hybrid vehicle that appears in the Sample Problem Annex in the specification





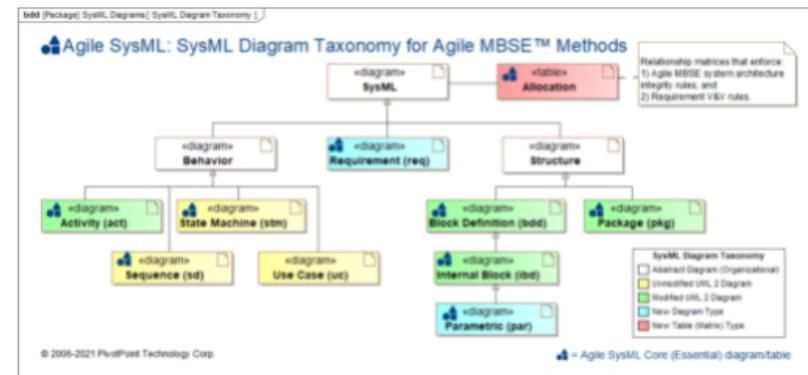
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The following is a selected list of **SysML tutorials** that teach **SysML and Model-Based Systems Engineering (MBSE)** in a **tool-independent manner**. For SysML tutorials related to specific SysML modeling tools, please check out the tool vendors listed on the [SysML Tools for MBSE](#) page.

## SysML Tutorials for MBSE

- [SysML Diagram Tutorial](#) (PivotPoint Technology Corp.)
  - SysML tutorial that compares and contrasts all nine (9) SysML diagram types and Allocation Tables. Jan 2019.
- [Modeling with SysML](#) (Johns Hopkins APL)
  - SysML tutorial presentation from INCOSE 2010 conference. PDF format derived from PPT slides. July 2010.
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# Wind turbine



Watch the video about wind turbine. Fill in the blanks while and after listening.

Now obviously, there is at this point what we call a \_\_\_\_\_ because, obviously, the \_\_\_\_\_ quite slowly and if it went round that \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ wouldn't generate much \_\_\_\_\_. But there is a gear box to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ in the generator so even though this goes round quite slowly, the generator is at its \_\_\_\_\_ and will generate electricity.

This electricity then is fed down the tower and out to the \_\_\_\_\_ where it can \_\_\_\_\_ electricity \_\_\_\_\_ the other ways. It is interesting to note that you can not just put them anywhere.

Obviously, the energy which is used is \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_. And as the air moves past, the energy is \_\_\_\_\_ the air. So, you can't put a lot of them very \_\_\_\_\_ because one will affect the work of the other.

And in fact, that's why you see they're fairly well spread out because they have to have their \_\_\_\_\_ of air to work in. So that's a wind turbine; how it works and how it is \_\_\_\_\_.

If you see one, just think, this will be producing energy for the foreseeable future.

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