



Modelling Software-based Systems Lecture 1 The Modelling Language Event-B

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Tools

- Event B : http ://www.event-b.org/
- Atelier B : http ://www.atelierb.eu/
- RODIN Platform : http://www.event-b.org/platform.html
- EB2ALL Toolset : http ://eb2all.loria.fr
- RIMEL project : http ://rimel.loria.fr
- Using the Arche platform of UL and accessing the course MOSOS with password mery2020

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```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
int main() {
    int x, y;
    // Seed the random number generator with the current time
    srand(time(NULL));
    // Generate a random number between 1 and 100
    x = rand() \% 100 + 1;
    // Perform some calculations
    y = x / (100 - x);
    printf("Result:-%d\n", y);
    return 0;
```

RTE with frama-c

```
[kernel] Parsing bug0.c (with preprocessing)
[rte:annot] annotating function main
[wp] Running WP plugin . . .
[kernel:annot:missing-spec] FRAMAC_SHARE/libc/stdlib.h:299: Warnin
  Neither code nor explicit exits and terminates for function rand
   generating default clauses. See -generated-spec-* options for n
[kernel:annot:missing-spec] FRAMAC_SHARE/libc/stdlib.h:302: Warnin
  Neither code nor explicit exits and terminates for function sran
   generating default clauses. See -generated-spec-* options for n
[kernel:annot:missing-spec] FRAMAC_SHARE/libc/time.h:126: Warning:
  Neither code nor explicit exits and terminates for function time
   generating default clauses. See -generated-spec-* options for n
[kernel:annot:missing_spec] FRAMAC_SHARE/libc/stdio.h:211: Warning
  Neither code nor explicit exits and terminates for function prin
   generating default clauses. See -generated-spec-* options for n
[wp] 8 goals scheduled
[wp] [Timeout] typed_main_call_printf_va_1_requires (Alt-Ergo)
[wp] [Timeout] typed_main_assert_rte_division_by_zero (Alt-Ergo)
[wp] Proved goals:
                     6 / 8
 Qed:
 Alt-Ergo 2.6.0:
                    3 (17ms-20ms-27ms)
 Timeout:
```

RTE with frama-c

```
// Heisenbug
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
int main() {
  int x, y, i=0;
    for (i = 0; i \le 100000; i++) {
    // Seed the random number generator with the current time
    srand(time(NULL));
    // Generate a random number between 1 and 100
    x = rand() \% 100 + 1;
         printf("Result:-x=-%d n'',x);
    // Perform some calculations
    y = x / (100 - x);
    printf("Result: -i=\%d--and-y=\%d \setminus n", i, y);
    return 0;
```

RTE with frama-c but a modification

```
// Heisenbug
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
int main() {
  int x, y, i=0;
    for (i = 0; i \le 200000; i++) {
    // Seed the random number generator with the current time
    srand(time(NULL)+i);
    // Generate a random number between 1 and 100
    x = rand() \% 100 + 1;
         printf("Result:-x=-%d n'',x);
    // Perform some calculations
    y = x / (100 - x);
    printf("Result: -i=\%d--\%d \setminus n", i, y);
    return 0;
```

Implicit and explicit in formal modelling

Our aim is to analyze what is implicit and what is explicit in formal modelling...

- Semantics in modelling :
 - Semantics expressed by a theory (e.g. Event-B) used to formalize hardware and/or software systems
 - ► Same theory is used for wide variety of heterogeneous systems
- Semantics in domain ·
 - ► Environment within which system evolve : application domain/context
 - Information provided by domain is often associated while in operation
 - Either assumed and omitted while formalising systems or hardcoded in formal models
 - Same context is used for wide variety of heterogeneous systems



A case study for studying these properties

Nose Gear Velocity



Estimated ground velocity of the aircraft should be available only if
it is within 3 km/hr of the true velocity at some moment within

Characterization of a System (I)

- NG velocity system :
 - Hardware :
 - Electro-mechanical sensor : detects rotations
 - Two 16-bit counters: Rotation counter, Milliseconds counter
 - Interrupt service routine : updates rotation counter and stores current time.
 - Software :
 - · Real-time operating system: invokes update function every 500 ms
 - 16-bit global variable: for recording rotation counter update time
 - An update function : estimates ground velocity of the aircraft.
- Input data available to the system :
 - time: in milliseconds
 distance: in inches
 - distance : III Inches
 - rotation angle : in degrees
- Specified system performs velocity estimations in imperial unit system
- Note: expressed functional requirement is in SI unit system (km/hr).

Characterization of a System (II) cont.

What are the main properties to consider for formalization?

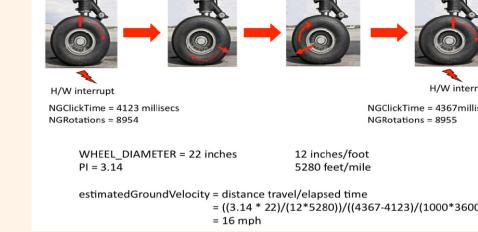
- Two different types of data :
 - counters with modulo semantics
 - non-negative values for time, distance, and velocity
- Two dimensions: distance and time
- Many units: distance (inches, kilometers, miles), time (milliseconds, hours), velocity (kph, mph)
- And interaction among components

How should we model?

- Designer needs to consider units and conversions between them to manipulate the model
- One approach: Model units as sets, and conversions as constructed types projections.
- Example :
 - 1 $estimateVelocity \in \texttt{MILES} \times \texttt{HOURS} \rightarrow \texttt{MPH}$
 - $2 mphTokph \in MPH \rightarrow KPH$

Sample Velocity Estimation

0 degrees → "click"



120 degrees

time

240 degrees

0 degrees → "click

Listing 1 - Bug bug0

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#include <stdib.h>
#include <time.h>

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    // Generate a random number between 1 and 100
    x = rand() % 100 + 1;
    // Perform some calculations
    y = x / (100 - x);
    printf("Result:-%d\n", y);
    return 0;
}
```

Listing 2 - Bug bug00

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        printf("Result: -x=--%d\n",x);
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Listing 3 – Bug bug000

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Context and Objectives

- Software Systems assist our dayly lifes
- Questions on dependability and security assurance should be addressed
- Questions on certification with resepct to norms and standards
- Improving the life-cycle development for addressing these questions

Problem Definition

Critical System

Critical systems are systems in which defects could have a dramatic impact on human life or the environment.

System failure

Software failure or fault of complex systems is the major cause in the software crisis. For example,

- Therac-25 (1985-1987): six people overexposed through radiation.
- Cardiac Pacemaker (1990-2002): 8834 pacemakers were explanted.
- Insulin Infusion Pump (IIP) (2010): 5000 adverse events.

Critical Systems

- Safety-critical systems: A system whose failure may result in injury, loss of life or serious environmental damage. An example of a safety-critical system is a control system for a chemical manufacturing plant.
- Mission-critical systems: A system whose failure may result in the failure of some goal-directed activity. An example of a mission-critical system is a navigational system for a spacecraft.
- Business-critical systems: A system whose failure may result in very high costs for the business using that system. An example of a business-critical system is the customer accounting system in a bank.

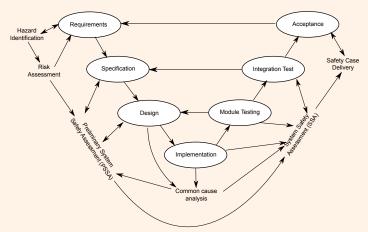
The high costs of failure of critical systems means that trusted methods and techniques must be used for development. ${\sf C}$

Legacy systems

- Legacy systems are socio-technical computer-based systems that have been developed in the past, often using older or obsolete technology.
- Legacy systems include not only hardware and software but also legacy processes and procedures; old ways of doing things that are difficult to change because they rely on legacy software. Changes to one part of the system inevitably involve changes to other components.
- Legacy systems are often business-critical systems. They are maintained because it is too risky to replace them.
- For example, for most banks the customer accounting system was one of their earliest systems.

Traditional System Engineering Approach

Spiral Model, Waterfall Model, V-Shaped Model, etc.



The Cleanroom Model

- The Cleanroom method, developed by the late Harlan Mills and his
 colleagues at IBM and elsewhere, attempts to do for software what
 cleanroom fabrication does for semiconductors: to achieve quality
 by keeping defects out during fabrication.
- In semiconductors, dirt or dust that is allowed to contaminate a chip as it is being made cannot possibly be removed later.
- But we try to do the equivalent when we write programs that are full of bugs, and then attempt to remove them all using debugging.

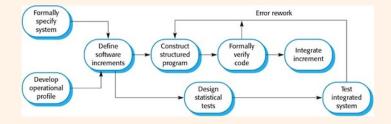
The Cleanroom Method

The Cleanroom method, then, uses a number of techniques to develop software carefully, in a well-controlled way, so as to avoid or eliminate as many defects as possible before the software is ever executed. Elements of the method are:

- specification of all components of the software at all levels;
- stepwise refinement using constructs called "box structures";
- verification of all components by the development team;
- statistical quality control by independent certification testing;
- no unit testing, no execution at all prior to certification testing.

The Cleanroom approach to software development is based on five key strategies :

- Formal specification: The software to be developed is formally specified. A state-transition model which shows system responses to stimuli is used to express the specification.
- Incremental development: The software is partitioned into increments which are developed and validated separately using the Cleanroom process. These increments are specified, with customer input, at an early stage in the process. i/li¿
- Structured programming: Only a limited number of control and data abstraction constructs are used. The program development process is a process of stepwise refinement of the specification. A limited number of constructs are used and the aim is to apply correctness-preserving transformations to the specification to create the program code.
- Static verification: The developed software is statically verified using rigorous software inspections. There is no unit or module testing process for code components.
- Statistical testing of the system: The integrated software increment is tested statistically (see Chapter XX), to determine its reliability. These statistical tests are based on an operational profile which is



Modelling systems

```
\begin{array}{c} m\\ m\\ \text{SEES}\\ c\\ VARIABLES\\ x\\ \text{INVARIANT}\\ I(x)\\ \text{THEOREMS}\\ Q(x)\\ \text{INITIALISATION}\\ Init(x)\\ \text{EVENTS}\\ \dots e\\ \text{END} \end{array}
```

- c defines the static environment $\Gamma(m)$ for the proofs related to m : sets, constants, axioms, theorems.
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in Values : Init(x) \Rightarrow I(x)$
- $\forall e$:

$$\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in Values :$$

 $I(x) \land G(x, u) \land R(u, x, x') \Rightarrow I(x')$

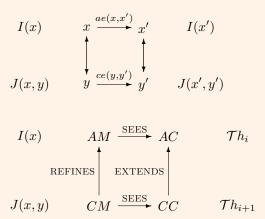
• $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in Values : I(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$

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e \\ ANY \\ u \\ WHERE \\ G(x,u) \\ THEN \\ x: |(R(u,x,x') \\ END
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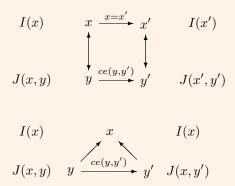
or $x \stackrel{e}{\longrightarrow} x'$

Refinement of a model by another one (I)

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Refinement of a model by another one (II)



Context and Objectives

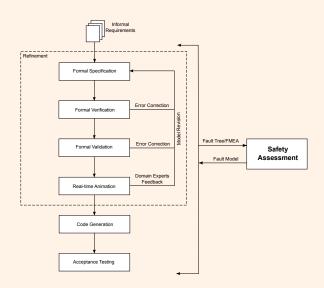
Context

Developing a life-cycle methodology combining the refinement approach with various tools including verification tool, model checker tool, real-time animator and finally, producing the source code into many languages using automatic code generation tools.

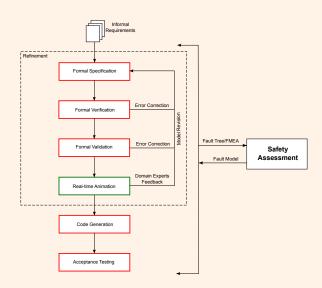
Objectives

- To establish a unified theory for the critical system development.
- To build a set of tools for supporting new development life-cycle methodology.
- To develop a closed-loop system for verification purpose.
- Graphical based refinement technique to handle the complexity of the system.
- To satisfy requirements and metrics for certifiable assurance and safety.
- To support evidence-based certification.

Critical System Development Life-Cycle Methodology



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Overview of Methodology

Methodology

Informal Requirements

(Restricted form of natural language)

Formal Specification

(Modeling language like Event-B , Z, ASM, VDM, TLA+ etc.)

Formal Verification

(Theorem Prover Tools like PVS, Z3, SAT, SMT Solver etc.)

Formal Validation

(Model Checker Tools like ProB, UPPAAL , SPIN, SMV etc.)

Real-time Animation

(Our proposed approach...Real-Time Animator)

Code Generation

(Our proposed approach...EB2ALL : EB2C, EB2C++, EB2J, EB2C#)

Acceptance Tesing

(Failure Mode, Effects and Critically analysis(FMEA and FMEA), System Hazard Analyses(SHA))

Real-Time Animator

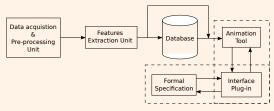
What is Real-time Animator?

Visual representation of formal model using real time data set.

Why should we use Formal Model Animator?

- To validate system behavior according to the stakeholders
- To express formal models for non-mathematical domain experts
- To discover the error in the early stage of system development (Traceability)

Proposed Architecture



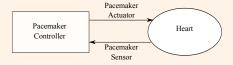
Case Study: Cardiac Pacemaker

Cardiac Pacemaker

A cardiac pacemaker is an electronic device implanted in the body to regulate the heart beat.

- 1 Informal Requirements are available at McMaster University (SQRL).
- 2 One and Two-electrode pacemaker development using refinement-based incremental development.
- 3 Cover possible operating modes of pacemaker (i.e. Sensing threshold value, Hysteresis mode (ON and OFF) and Rate modulation)
- 4 Refinements relation among modes with different parameters.
- **6** Model checker helps to analyze behavior of the formal specification according to the medical experts.

$\mathsf{System} : \mathsf{Heart} \oplus \mathsf{Pacemaker}$

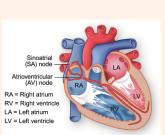


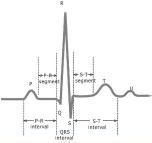
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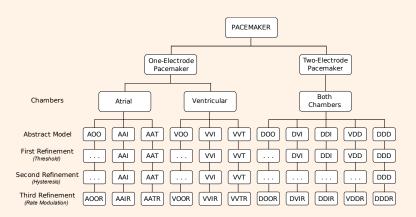
Category	Chambers Paced	Chambers Sensed	Response to Sensing	Rate Modulation
Letters	O -None	O -None	O -None	R-Rate Modulation
	A -Atrium	A -Atrium	T-Triggered	
	V -Ventricle	V -Ventricle	I-Inhibited	
	D -Dual(A+V)	\mathbf{D} -Dual(A+V)	D-Dual $(T+I)$	

i.e. AOO, VOO, AAI, AAT, VVI, VVT, AATR, VVTR, AOOR etc...





One and Two-Electrode Pacemaker







```
\begin{array}{c} axm1:LRL \in 30 \dots 175 \\ axm2:URL \in 50 \dots 175 \\ axm3:URI \in \mathbb{N}_1 \ \land URI = 60000/URL \\ axm4:LRI \in \mathbb{N}_1 \ \land LRI = 60000/LRL \\ axm5:status = \{ON, OFF\} \\ axm6:FixedAV \in 70 \dots 300 \\ axm7:ARP \in 150 \dots 500 \\ axm8:VRP \in 150 \dots 500 \\ axm9:PVARP \in 150 \dots 500 \\ axm10:V\_Blank \in 30 \dots 60 \\ \dots \end{array}
```



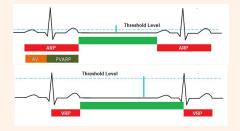
```
inv1: PM \ Actuator \ A \in status
                                      inv2: PM\_Sensor\_A \in status
                                      inv5: Pace\_Int \in URI .. LRI
                                      inv6: sp \in 1 ... Pace\_Int
axm1: LRL \in 30...175
                                      inv7: last\_sp > PVARP \land last\_sp < Pace\_Int
axm2: URL \in 50...175
axm3: URI \in \mathbb{N}_1 \wedge URI = 60000 / URL
axm4:LRI \in \mathbb{N}_1 \land LRI = 60000/LREv11:sp < VRP \land AV\_Count\_STATE = FALSE \Rightarrow
                                           PM\_Actuator\_V = OFF \land PM\_Sensor A = OFF
axm5: status = \{ON, OFF\}
                                           PM\_Sensor\_V = OFF \land PM\_Actuator\_A = OFF
axm6: FixedAV \in 70...300
axm7: ARP \in 150...500
axm8:VRP \in 150..500
                                      inv12: Pace\_Int\_flag = FALSE \land PM\_Actuator\_V =
                                           sp = Pace\_Int \lor (sp < Pace\_Int \land)
axm9: PVARP \in 150...500
                                           AV\_Count > V\_Blank \land AV\_Count > FixedAV
axm10: V\_Blank \in 30...60
```

 $inv13: Pace_Int_flag = FALSE \land PM_Actuator_A =$

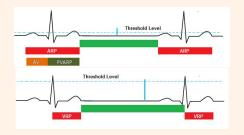
 $(sp > Pace_Int - FixedAV)$

```
EVENT Actuator_OFF_V
                                               WHFN
                                                     grd1: PM\_Actuator\_V = ON
EVENT Actuator ON V
                                                     grd2: (sp = Pace\_Int)
     WHFN
           grd1: PM\_Actuator\_V = OFF
                                                 (sp < Pace\_Int \land AV\_Count > V\_Blank)
           grd2: (sp = Pace\_Int)
                                                 AV\_Count > FixedAV
                                                     grd3: AV\_Count\_STATE = TRUE
       (sp < Pace\_Int \land AV\_Count > V \rfloor Blank \land
                                                     grd4: PM\_Actuator\_A = OFF
       AV\_Count > FixedAV)
                                                     grd5: PM\_Sensor\_A = OFF
           grd3: sp > VRP \land sp > PVARP
                                                THEN
     THEN
                                                     act1 : PM\_Actuator\_V := OFF
           act1: PM\_Actuator\_V := ON
                                                     act2 : AV\_Count := 0
           act2: last\_sp := sp
                                                     act3 : AV\_Count\_STATE := FALSE
     END
                                                     act4: PM\_Sensor\_V := OFF
                                                     act5: sp := 1
                                               END
```

First Refinement (Threshold): Sensor Activity in DDD



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 $inv1: Thr_A \in \mathbb{N}_1 \wedge Thr_V \in \mathbb{N}_1$

 $inv2: Pace_Int_flag = FALSE \land sp > VRP \land sp < Pace_Int - FixedAV \Rightarrow PM_Sensor_VRP \land sp < Pace_Int - FixedAV \Rightarrow PAC$

 $inv3: Pace_Int_flag = FALSE \land sp > Pace_Int - FixedAV \land sp < Pace_Int \land AV_Count_PM_Sensor_A = \underbrace{OFF} \land PM_Sensor_V = ON \land PM_Actuator_A = \underbrace{OFF}$

Second and Third Refinements

Second Refinement : Hysteresis

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Third Refinement: Rate Modulation

```
EVENT Increase_Interval Refines Change_Pace_Int WHEN  \begin{array}{c} \text{grd1}: Pace\_Int\_flag = TRUE \\ \text{grd1}: acler\_sensed \geq threshold \\ \text{grd1}: HYT\_State = FALSE \end{array}  THEN  \begin{array}{c} \text{act1}: Pace\_Int := 60000/MSR \\ \text{act1}: acler\_sensed\_flag := TRUE \end{array}
```

Validation & Proof Statistics

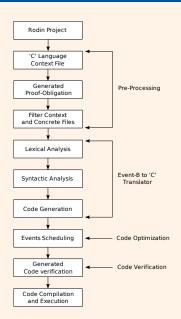
ProB

Model Checker is used to verify the Event-B model and correctness of operating modes.

Proof Statistics

Model	Total number	Automatic	Interactive			
	of POs	Proof	Proof			
One-electrode pacemaker						
Abstract Model	203	199(98%)	4(2%)			
First Refinement	48	44(91%)	4(9%)			
Second Refinement	12	8(66%)	4(34%)			
Third Refinement	105	99(94%)	6(6%)			
Two-electrode pacemaker						
Abstract Model	204	195(95%)	9(5%)			
First Refinement	234	223(95%)	11(5%)			
Second Refinement	3	3(100%)	0(0%)			
Third Refinement	83	74(89%)	9(11%)			
Total	892	845(94%)	47(6%)			

Code Generation



EVENT Actuator ON V

END

```
...

BOOL Actuator\_ON\_V(void) {

/* Guards No. 1*/

if(PM_Actuator_V == OFF) {

/* Guards No. 2*/

if((sp == Pace_Int) || ((sp < Pace_Int) \&\&
  (AV_Count > V_Blank) && (AV_Count >= FixedAV))) {

/* Guards No. 3*/

if((sp >= VRP) && (sp >= PVARP) && (sp >= URI)) {

/* Actions */

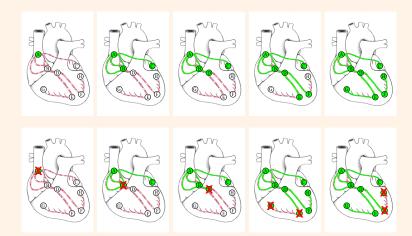
PM_Actuator_V = ON;
  last.sp = sp;
  return TRUE;

}};

return FALSE;

}...
```

Electrical Conduction Model



Evaluation of the proposed approach

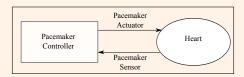
The development life-cycle is relatively simple and straightforward :

- To formalize the system specification using stepwise development in Event-B.
- Formal verification using the Rodin proof assistant helps for verifying system behavior and safety properties.
- Model checker helps to validate system specification according to the domain experts.
- Real-time animator helps to identify hidden requirements using simulation.
- Automatic code generation generates a reliable code.
- French-Italian Based pacemaker development company is satisfied with this approach.

Conclusion

- Formal methods based development life-cycle methodology to develop the critical system.
- This methodology encourages a view separate from the main 'development' lifecycle for critical systems.
- The Cardiac pacemaker case study indicates successful development from modeling to code generation.
- Help to meet requirements of regulatory agencies like FDA, ISO/IEC and IEEE standards.
- Emphasis on certification from requirements to code implementation within the life-cycle.
- Closed-loop model combining a heart model and the pacemaker model (to appear in 2013 postproceedings FHIES 2012)

Closed-loop Model



- Applying the complete cycle for a real pacemaker or a new challenge...
- System engineering : developing a pump, managing insulin, ...
- Questions on dependability
- Questions on proving and testing : relationship with physicians.
- · Questions on modelling biological environment

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Modelling Systems

- Distributed systems : web services, information systems, distributed algorithms . . .
- Safety critical systems: medical devices, embedded systems, cyber-physical systems, . . .
- Fault-tolerant systems : networks, communication infrastructure, ...
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Modelling in action

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- Access control systems: relating policy models and Event B models like in RBAC, TMAC, ORBAC
- Distributed algorithms: integration of local computation models into Event B, tool B2VISIDIA, algorithms of naming, election etc
- Medical devices: modelling the pacemaker, interacting with cardiologists, . . .
- Modelling self-⋆ systems
- Modelling medical devices item Modelling environments for medical devices: closed-loop modelling

Next modelling

- Modelling human-in-the -loop systems
- Modelling cyber-physical systems

General Approach

- Constructing a model of the system
- Elements for defining a formal or semi-formal model : syntax, semantics, verification, validation, documentation
- Mathematical structures: transition systems, temporal/modal/deontic/...logics,
- Validation of a model : tests, proofs, animation,...
- Modelling Techniques : state-based techniques
- Structure of a model : module, object, class,
- Design Patterns

Mathematical tools for modelling systems

- set theory : sets, relations, functions . . .
- transition systems
- predicate calculus
- decision procedures
- interactive theorem prover

Examples of modelling languages

- Z : set theory, predicate calculus, schemas.
- VDM : types, pre/post specification, invariant, operations
- B : set theory, predicate calculus, generalized susbtitution, abstract machines, refinement, implementation.
- RAISE: abstract data types, functions,
- TLA⁺: set theory, modules, temporal logic of actions.
- UNITY: temporal logic, actions systems, superposition.
- UML
- JML and Spec# : programming by contract

Objectives of the modelling

- To get a better understanding of the current system : requirements, properties, cost, maintenance . . .
- To document the the system
- To systematize operations of modelling : reuse, parametrization
- To ensure the quality of the final product : safety, security issues
- To elaborate a contract between the customer and the designer

The Triptych Approach

$$\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{S} \longrightarrow \mathcal{R}$$
 (1)

- \bullet \mathcal{R} requirements or system properties
- ullet ${\cal D}$ domain of the problem
- ullet ${\cal S}$ model of the system
- ---> relation of satisfaction

Formal modelling

- Mathematical foundations of Models: syntax, semantics, pragmatics, theory, soundness.
- Mathematical reasoning is based on sound proof rules
- Common language for fac ilitating the communication.

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Observing the safe system



- The context defines the possible values
- Safety requirement means that something bad will never happen.
- Invariant defines the set of effective possible values
- Transitions modify state variables and maintains the invariant.

Observing the unsafe system



- Transitions modify state variables and may not maintain the invariant.
- ... and may not guaranteesafety properties.

The Event B Method

- The Event B Method is invented by J.-R. Abrial from 1988 : abstract system, events, refinement, invariant.
- Atelier B and RODIN are supporting the Event B method
- An event is observed and triggered, when a guard is true
- Proof obligations are generated using the weakest-precondition semantics.
- A Event B model intends to model a reactive system.

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A Simple Example

Managing teachers, students, lectures and class rooms

- Modelling the access control of students for lectures given by teachers
- When a student is attending a lecture, he/she can not attend another lecture
- When a teacher is lecturing, he/she is not lecturing another session.
- A student can not be lecturing without a teacher and when he is not attending a lecture, he is outside the classroom.
- When a teacher is ending a lecture, every student which is attending, is leaving the class room.
- When a student is not attending a lecture, he is free.

First step: identification of sets, constants, properties

- Sets: students, teachers
- Property 1: When a student is attending a lecture, he/she can not attend another lecture
- Property 2: When a teacher is lecturing, he/she is not lecturing another session.
- **Property 3**: A student can not be lecturing without a teacher and when he is not attending a lecture, he is outside the classroom.
- **Property 4 :** When a teacher is ending a lecture, every student which is attending, is leaving the class room.
- Property 5: When a student is not attending a lecture, he is free.

Second step: definition of state variables

- The system model should be able to record the lecturing teachers and the attending students.
- The system model should be enough expressive to state when a given student is attending a lecture given by whom.
- Variable attending records students which atteding some lecture with a given teacher.
- Variable islecturing records teachers who are lecturing.
- Variable pause records sudents are not attending a lecture but are somewhere not in a lecture.

Third step: properties of state variables

Expression of the invariant

```
 \begin{split} &inv1: attending \in STUDENTS \to TEACHERS \\ &inv2: islecturing \subseteq TEACHERS \\ &inv3: \forall e \cdot e \in STUDENTS \land e \in dom(attending) \\ & \Rightarrow \quad attending(e) \in islecturing \\ &inv4: pause \subseteq STUDENTS \\ &inv5: pause \cap dom(attending) = \varnothing \\ &inv6: pause \cup dom(attending) = STUDENTS \end{split}
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Checking proof obligations!

UseCases

- EVENT INITIALISATION : initializing state variables
- EVENT startingattending: a group of students is moving from pause to lecture
- EVENT teachergivinglecture : a teacher is starting a new lecture
- EVENT teacherendinglecture : a teacher is halting the lecture
- EVENT studentleavinglecture : a group of students is moving from lecture to pause

EVENT INITIALISATION

BEGIN

 $act1:\ attending:=\varnothing$

 $act2: islecturing := \emptyset$ act3: pause := STUDENTS

END

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EVENT startingattending ANY e e is a student p p is a teacher WHERE grd1: e \in STUDENTS grd3: p \in TEACHERS grd4: p \in islecturing grd2: e \notin dom(attending) THEN act1: attending(e) := p act2: pause := pause \setminus \{e\} END
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EVENT teachergiving lecture ANY p WHERE grd2: p \in TEACHERS grd1: p \notin is lecturing THEN act1: is lecturing := is lecturing \cup \{p\} END
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\begin{aligned} & \text{EVENT studentleavinglecture} \\ & \text{ANY} \\ & ge \\ & \text{WHERE} \\ & grd1: ge \subseteq dom(attending) \\ & grd2: ge \neq \varnothing \\ & \text{THEN} \\ & act1: attending := ge \lessdot attending \\ & act2: pause := pause \cup ge \\ & \text{END} \end{aligned}
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Modelling systems

- A system is observed
- Observation of things which are changing over the time
- A system is characterized by a state
- A state is made up of contextual constant informations over the problem theory and of modifiable flexible informations over the system.

A **flexible variable** x is observed at different instants :

$$x_0 \stackrel{\tau}{\to} x_1 \stackrel{\tau}{\to} x_2 \stackrel{\tau}{\to} x_3 \stackrel{\tau}{\to} \dots \stackrel{\tau}{\to} x_i \stackrel{\tau}{\to} x_{i+1} \stackrel{\tau}{\to} \dots$$

hides effectives changes of state or actions or event

$$x_0 \stackrel{\alpha_1}{\rightarrow} x_1 \stackrel{\alpha_2}{\rightarrow} x_2 \stackrel{\alpha_3}{\rightarrow} x_3 \stackrel{\alpha_4}{\rightarrow} \dots \stackrel{\alpha_i}{\rightarrow} x_i \stackrel{\alpha_{i+1}}{\rightarrow} x_{i+1} \stackrel{\alpha_{i+2}}{\rightarrow} \dots$$

Occurrences of e τ can be added between two instants ie stuttering steps :

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Properties of system

A safety property S over x states that something will not happen : S(x) means that S holds for x

An **invariant** property I over x states a strong safety property

Checking the relation

- You can check for every i in $\mathbb N$ that $S(x_i)$ is true but it can be long if states are different
- You can compute an abstraction of the set of states
- You can try to prove and for instance the induction principle may be usefull
- So be carefull and improve your modelling before to run the checker
- Use the induction

State properties of a system

- A state property namely P(x) is a first order predicate with free variables x, where x is a flexible variable.
- A flexible variable x has a current value x, a next value x', an initial value x_0 and possibly a final value x_f .
- A predicate P(x) is considered as a set of values v such that P(v) holds : set-theoretical interpretation

Examples of state properties

- Mutual exclusion : a set of processes share common ressources, a printer is shared by users, . . .
- Deadlock freedom: the system is never blocked, there is always at least one next state, ...
- Partial correctness: a component is correct wit respect to a precondition and a postcondition.
- Safety properties: nothing bad can happen

Relation/action over states

 An action α over states is a relation between values of state variables before and values of variables after

$$\alpha(x,x')$$
 or $x \xrightarrow{\alpha} x'$

- Flexible variable x has two values x and x'.
- Priming flexible variables is borrowed from TLA
- Hypothesis 1 : Values of x belongs to a set of values called VALUES and defines the context of the system.
- Hypothesis 2 : Relations over x and x' belong to a set of relations $\{r_0,\dots,r_n\}$

Operational model of a system

- A system S is observed with respect to flexible variables x.
- Flexible variables x of S are modified according to a finite set of relations over the set of values $VALUES: \{r_0, \ldots, r_n\}$
- INIT(x) denotes the set of possible intial values for x.

$$\mathcal{OMS} = (x, Values, Init(x), \{r_0, \dots, r_n\})$$

Safety and invariance of system

- Hypothesis 3 : $\mathcal{OMS} = (x, \text{VALUES}, \text{INIT}(x), \{r_0, \dots, r_n\})$
- Hypothesis 4: $x \longrightarrow x' \stackrel{\triangle}{=} (x \ r_0 \ x') \lor \ldots \lor (x \ r_n \ x')$
- I(x) is inductively invariant for a system called \mathcal{S} , if $\begin{cases} \forall x \in \text{VALUES} : \text{INIT}(x) \Rightarrow \text{I}(x) \\ \forall x, x' \in \text{VALUES} : \text{I}(x) \land x \longrightarrow x' \Rightarrow \text{I}(x') \end{cases}$ I(x) is called an invariant in B
- Q(x) is a safety property for a system called \mathcal{S} , if $\forall x,y \in V$ ALUES: INIT $(x) \land x \stackrel{\star}{\longrightarrow} y \Rightarrow Q(y)$ Q(x) is called a theorem in B

Modelling systems : first attempt

```
MODEL
VARIABLES
INVARIANT
I(x)
THEOREMS
  ĬŤÍALISATION
Init(x)
EVENTS
 \{r_0,\ldots,r_n\}
```

- A model has a name m
- Flexibles variables x are declared
- I(x) provides informations over x
- ullet Q(x) provides informations over x

Checking safety properties of the model

- $\forall x, y \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(x) \land x \xrightarrow{\star} y \Rightarrow Q(y)$
- Solution 1 Writing a procedure checking $INIT(x) \land x \xrightarrow{\star} y \Rightarrow Q(y)$ for each pair $x, y \in VALUES$, when VALUES is finite and small.
- Solution 2 Writing a procedure checking INIT $(x) \land x \xrightarrow{\star} y \Rightarrow Q(y)$ for each pair $x, y \in VALUES$, by constructing an abstraction of VALUES.
- Solution 3 Writing a proof for $\forall x, y \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(x) \land x \xrightarrow{\star} y \Rightarrow Q(y).$

Defining an induction principle for an operational model

(I)
$$\forall x, y \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(x) \land x \xrightarrow{\star} y \Rightarrow \mathbf{Q}(y)$$

if, and only if,

(II) there exists a state property I(x) such that :

$$\forall x, x' \in \mathbf{Values} : \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} (1) & \mathbf{Init}(x) \Rightarrow \mathbf{I}(x) \\ (2) & \mathbf{I}(x) \Rightarrow \mathbf{Q}(x) \\ (3) & \mathbf{I}(x) \land x \longrightarrow x' \Rightarrow \mathbf{I}(x') \end{array} \right.$$

if, and only if,

(III) there exists a state property I(x) such that :

$$\forall x, x' \in \mathbf{Values} : \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} (1) & \mathbf{Init}(x) \Rightarrow \mathbf{I}(x) \\ (2) & \mathbf{I}(x) \Rightarrow \mathbf{Q}(x) \\ (3) & \forall i \in \{0, \dots, n\} : \mathbf{I}(x) \land x \ r_i \ x' \Rightarrow \mathbf{I}(x') \end{array} \right.$$

Modelling systems : second attempt

```
MODEL
 m
VARIABLES
INVARIANT
 I(x)
THEOREMS
 Q(x)
INITÍALISATION
 Init(x)
EVENTS
 \{r_0,\ldots,r_n\}
```

- $\forall x \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(x) \Rightarrow \text{I}(x)$
- $\forall x, x' \in \text{VALUES} : \forall i \in \{0, \dots, n\} :$ $I(x) \land x \ r_i \ x' \Rightarrow I(x')$
- $\forall x \in \text{Values} : I(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$

Modelling systems: last attempt?

```
MODEL

m
?
?
?
VARIABLES

x
INVARIANT

I(x)
THEOREMS

Q(x)
INITIALISATION

Init(x)
EVENTS

\{r_0, \dots, r_n\}
END
```

- What are the environment of the proof for properties?
- What are theories?
- How are defining the static objects?

Modelling systems : last attempt!

```
MODEL

m
\Gamma(m)
VARIABLES

x
INVARIANT

I(x)
THEOREMS
Q(x)
INITIALISATION

Init(x)
EVENTS

\{r_0, \dots, r_n\}
END
```

- $\Gamma(m)$ defines the static environment for the proofs related to m.
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(x) \Rightarrow \text{I}(x)$
- $\forall i \in \{0, \dots, n\}$: $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in \text{Values} : I(x) \land x \ r_i \ x' \Rightarrow I(x')$
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x \in \text{Values} : I(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$

Events System Models

An event system model is made of

State **constants** and state **variables** constrained by a state **invariant**

A finite set of events

Proofs ensures the consistency between the invariant and the events An event system model can be **refined**

Proofs must ensure the correctness of refinement

Modelling systems : Hello world !

```
MODEL FACTORIAL EVENTS
   Static Part context
      CONSTANTS
          factorial, m
      AXIOMS
            m \in \mathbb{N} \land factorial \in \mathbb{N} \leftrightarrow \mathbb{N} \land 0 \mapsto 1 \in factorial \land
          \forall f \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \hat{f} \in \mathbb{N} \leftrightarrow \mathbb{N} \land \\ 0 \mapsto 1 \in f \land \\ \forall (n, fn).(n \mapsto fn \in f \Rightarrow n+1 \mapsto (n+1) \times fn \in f) \\ \Longrightarrow \\ factorial \subseteq f \end{pmatrix}
           \forall (n, fn). (n \mapsto fn \in factorial) \Rightarrow n+1 \mapsto (n+1) * fn \in factorial) \land
   Dynamic Part machine
   VARIABLES
      result. ok
   INVARIANT
      result \in \mathbb{N}
      ok \in \mathbb{B}
      ok = TRUE \Rightarrow result = factorial(n)
   THEOREMS
      factorial \in \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{N} :
      factorial(0) = 1;
      \forall n.(n \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow factorial(n+1) = (n+1) \times factorial(n))
   INITIALISATION
      result :\in \mathbb{N}
      ok := FALSE
   EVENTS
      computation = ANY \ ok = FALSE \ THEN \ result, ok := factorial(m), TRUE \ END
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Modelling systems relations as events

mStatic Part contextSETS sCONSTANTS cAXIOMS P(s,c)THEOREMS Q(s,c)

```
 \begin{array}{c} \overline{\text{Dynamic Part } machine} \\ \overline{\text{VARIABLES}} \\ x \\ \overline{\text{INVARIANT}} \\ \overline{\text{I}(s,c,x)} \\ \overline{\text{THEOREMS}} \\ S(s,c,x) \\ \overline{\text{INITIALISATION}} \\ \overline{\text{Init}(s,c,x)} \\ \overline{\text{EVENTS}} \\ \{r_1,\ldots,r_n\} \\ \overline{\text{END}} \end{array}
```

- $\Gamma(m)$ defines the static environment for the proofs related to m from s, c and P(s,c) and $\Gamma(m)$ is defined from the static part.
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash Q(s,c)$
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(s, c, x) \Rightarrow I(s, c, x)$
- $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$: $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in \text{Values}:$ $I(s, c, x) \land x \ r_i \ x' \Rightarrow I(s, c, x')$
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall x, x' \in \text{VALUES} : I(s, c, x) \Rightarrow S(s, c, x)$

Modelling systems

- **step 1**: Understanding the **problem** to solve
- step 2 : Organizing requirements and extracting properties
- step 3: Writing a first very abstract system model
- **step 4**: Consulting the requirements and **adding** a new detail in the current model by **refinement**
- **step 5**: Either the model is enough detailed and the process stops, or the model is not yet enough concrete and the step 4 is repeated.

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Expressing models in the event B notation

- Models are defined in two ways :
 - an abstract machine
 - a refinement of an existing model
- Models use constants which are defined in structures called contexts
- B structures are related by the three possible relations :
 - the sees relationship for expressing the use of constants, sets satisfying axioms and theorems.
 - the extends relationship for expressing the extension of contexts by adding new constants and new sets
 - the refines relationship stating that a B model is refined by another one.

Machines and contexts

Machines

- REFINES
- SEES a context
- VARIABLES of the model
- INVARIANTS satisfied by the variables
- THEOREMS satisfied by the variables
- EVENTS modifying the variables
- VARIANT

Contexts

- EXTENDS another context
- SETS declares new sets
- CONSTANTS define a list of constants
- AXIOMS define the properties of constants and sets
- THEOREMS list the theorems which should be derived from axioms

Machines en Event B

```
MACHINE
REFINES
SEES
VARIABLES
INVARIANTS
 I(u)
THEOREMS
 Q(u)
 < variant >
EVENTS
 < event >
END
```

- $\bullet \ \Gamma(m)$: environment for the machine m defined by the context c
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall u \in \text{Values} : \text{Init}(u) \Rightarrow \text{I}(u)$
- For each event e in E : $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall u, u' \in \text{VALUES} : I(x) \land BA(e)(u, u') \Rightarrow I(u')$
- $\Gamma(m) \vdash \forall u \in \text{Values} : I(u) \Rightarrow Q(u)$

Contexts in Event B

CONTEXTS cEXTENDS acSETS CONSTANTS kAXIOMS ax1:...THEOREMS th1:...END

- ac:c is extending ac and add new features
- s : sets are defined either by intension or by extension
- k : constants are defined and
- axioms characterize constants and sets
- theorems are derived from axioms in the current context

Events

before-after relation for e

For each event e, a before-after relation is defined over (flexible) variables. Three events are possible

- $e \stackrel{\triangle}{=} BEGIN \ x : |P(x, x') END : BA(e)(x, x') \stackrel{\triangle}{=} P(x; x')$
- e \triangleq WHEN G(x) THEN x: |P(x, x')| END: BA(e) $(x, x') \triangleq G(x) \land P(x; x')$
- e $\stackrel{\triangle}{=}$ ANY p WHEN G(p,x) THEN x:|P(p,x,x') END: BA(e) $(x,x') \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \exists p.G(p,x) \land P(x;x')$

Guards of event

guard for e

For each event e, a guard is defined over (flexible) variables. Three events are possible

- $e \stackrel{\triangle}{=} BEGIN \ x : |P(x, x') END : grd(x) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} TRUE$
- $e \stackrel{\triangle}{=} WHEN \ G(x) \ THEN \ x : |P(x,x') \ END : grd(e)(x) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} G(x)$
- e \triangleq ANY p WHEN G(p,x) THEN x:|P(p,x,x') END: $\operatorname{grd}(\mathbf{e})(x) \triangleq \exists p.G(p,x)$

Proof obligations for a B model

$$\begin{array}{lll} & \text{inv1} & \Gamma(s,c) \, \vdash \, Init(x) \, \Rightarrow \, I(x) \\ & \text{inv2} & \Gamma(s,c) \, \vdash \, I(x) \, \wedge \, BA(e)(x,x') \, \Rightarrow \, I(x') \\ & \text{fis} & \Gamma(s,c) \, \vdash \, I(x) \, \wedge \, \operatorname{grd}\,(E) \, \Rightarrow \, \exists x' \cdot P(x,x') \\ & \text{safe} & \Gamma(s,c) \, \vdash \, I(x) \, \Rightarrow \, A(x) \\ & \text{dead} & \Gamma(s,c) \, \vdash \, I(x) \, \Rightarrow \, (\operatorname{grd}(e_1) \, \vee \, \dots \, \operatorname{grd}(e_n)) \end{array}$$

The factorial model

```
\begin{array}{c} \textbf{CONTEXT} \\ fonctions \\ \textbf{CONSTANTS} \\ factorial, n \\ \textbf{AXIOMS} \\ ax1: n \in \mathbb{N} \\ ax2: factorial \in \mathbb{N} \leftrightarrow \mathbb{N} \\ ax3: 0 \mapsto 1 \in factorial \\ ax4: \forall (i, fn). (i \mapsto fn \in factorial \Rightarrow i+1 \mapsto (i+1)*fi \in factorial) \land \\ \begin{pmatrix} f \in \mathbb{N} \leftrightarrow \mathbb{N} \land \\ 0 \mapsto 1 \in f \land \\ \forall (n, fn). (n \mapsto fn \in f \Rightarrow n+1 \mapsto (n+1) \times fn \in f) \\ \Longrightarrow \\ factorial \subseteq f \\ \end{array}
```

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The factorial model

```
MACHINE
  specification
SEES fonctions
VARIABLES
  result at
INVARIANT
  resultat \in \mathbb{N}
THEOREMS
  th1: factorial \in \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{N};
  th2: factorial(0) = 1;
  th3: \forall n.(n \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow factorial(n+1) = (n+1) \times factorial(n))
INITIALISATION
  resultat :\in \mathbb{N}
EVENTS
  computing1 = BEGIN \ resultat := factorial(n) \ END
END
```

Communications between agents

```
MACHINE agents
SEES data
VARIABLES
                                               INITIALISATION
  sent
  aot
                                               BEGIN
  lost
                                                 act1: sent := \emptyset
INVARIANTS
                                                 act2:got:=\varnothing
                                                 act4: lost := \emptyset
  inv1: sent \subseteq AGENTS \times AGENTS
                                               END
  inv2:got \subseteq AGENTS \times AGENTS
  inv4: (got \cup lost) \subseteq sent
  inv6: lost \subseteq AGENTS \times AGENTS
  inv7: qot \cap lost = \emptyset
```

Communications between agents

```
\begin{array}{l} \text{EVENT sending a message} \\ \hline \text{ANY} \\ a,b \\ \hline \text{WHERE} \\ grd11: a \in AGENTS \\ grd12: b \in AGENTS \\ grd1: a \mapsto b \notin sent \\ \hline \text{THEN} \\ act11: sent := sent \cup \{a \mapsto b\} \\ \hline \text{END} \\ \end{array}
```

Communications between agents

```
\begin{array}{l} \text{EVENT loosing a messge} \\ \textbf{ANY} \\ a \\ b \\ \textbf{WHERE} \quad grd1: a \in AGENTS \\ grd2: b \in AGENTS \\ grd3: a \mapsto b \in sent \setminus (got \cup lost) \\ \textbf{THEN} \\ act1: lost := lost \cup \{a \mapsto b\} \\ \textbf{END} \end{array}
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\begin{array}{l} \textbf{CONTEXTS} \\ \textbf{data} \\ \textbf{SETS} \\ \textbf{MESSAGES} \\ \textbf{AGENTS} \\ \textbf{DATA} \\ \textbf{CONSTANTS} \\ \textbf{n} \\ \textbf{infile} \\ \textbf{AXIOMS} \\ \textbf{axm1}: n \in \mathbb{N} \\ \textbf{axm2}: n \neq 0 \\ \textbf{axm3}: infile \in 1 ... n \rightarrow DATA \\ \textbf{END} \end{array}
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General form of an event

```
EVENT e ANY t WHERE G(c, s, t, x) THEN x: |(P(c, s, t, x, x')) END
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- c et s are constantes and visible sets by e
- x is a state variable or a list of variabless
- G(c, s, t, x) is the condition for observing e.
- P(c, s, t, x, x') is the assertion for the relation over x and x'.
- BA(e)(c, s, x, x') is the before-after relationship for e and is defined by $\exists t. G(c, s, t, x) \land P(c, s, t, x, x')$.

General form of proof obligations for an event e

Proofs obligations are simplified when they are generated by the module called POG and goals in sequents as $\Gamma \vdash G$:

- **1** $\Gamma \vdash G_1 \land G_2$ is decomposed into the two sequents $\begin{array}{c} (1)\Gamma \vdash G_1 \\ (2)\Gamma \vdash G_2 \end{array}$
- 2 $\Gamma \vdash G_1 \Rightarrow G_2$ is transformed into the sequent $\Gamma, G_1 \vdash G_2$

Proof obligations in Rodin

- $INIT/I/INV : C(s,c), INIT(c,s,x) \vdash I(c,s,x)$
- $e/I/INV : C(s,c), I(c,s,x), G(c,s,t,x), P(c,s,t,x,x') \vdash I(c,s,x')$
- e/act/FIS : $C(s,c), I(c,s,x), G(c,s,t,x) \vdash \exists x'. P(c,s,t,x,x')$

notation

- Chapter Event B
- The Event B Modelling Notation Version 1.4
- The Event-B Mathematical Language 2006
- User Manual of the RODIN PLatform