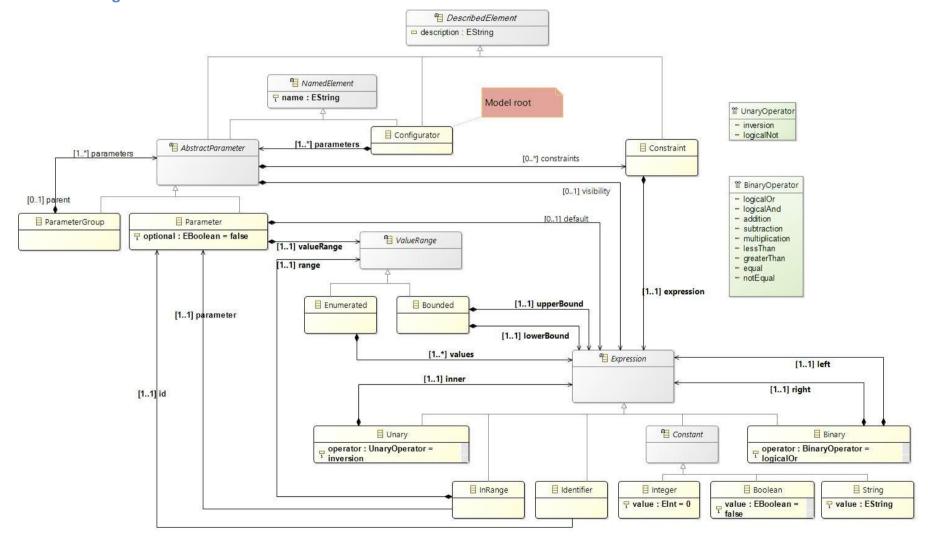
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# 2 Example textual model

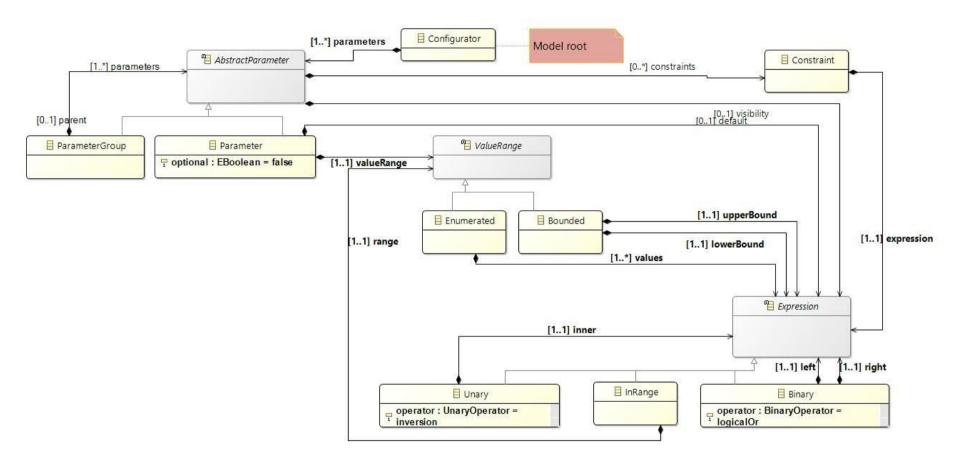
# 3 Meta-model

# 3.1 Class diagram



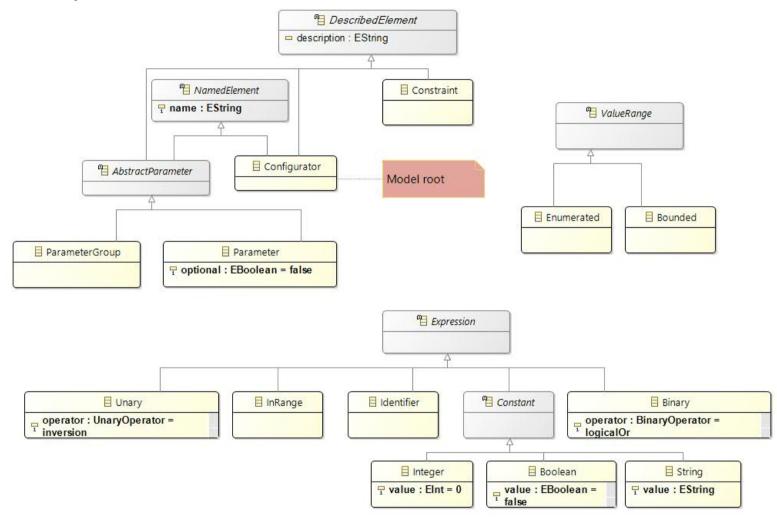
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# 3.2 Partonomy (with a few type relations preserved for clarification purposes)



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# 3.3 Taxonomy



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## 4 Static semantics

#### 4.1 Static constraints

```
@Check
def checkEnumeratedExpressionIsConstant(Enumerated it) {
       // Check that each value in the enumerated expression can be evaluated as a static value:
       values.forEach[
               if (staticValue == null) {
                      error('Enumerated item should be a constant.', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals. ENUMERATED VALUES,
                              INVALID ENUMERATION)
               }]
@Check
def checkBoundedExpressionUpperBoundIsConstant(Bounded bounded) {
       // Check that the upper bound in a bounded expression can be evaluated as a static value:
       if (bounded.upperBound.staticValue == null) {
               error('Upper bound should be a constant.', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.BOUNDED UPPER BOUND,
                      INVALID BOUND)
acheck
def checkBoundedExpressionLowerBoundIsConstant(Bounded bounded) {
       // Check that the lower bound in a bounded expression can be evaluated as a static value:
       if (bounded.lowerBound.staticValue == null) {
               error('Lower bound should be a constant.', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.BOUNDED LOWER BOUND,
                      INVALID BOUND)
@Check
def checkBoundedExpressionLowerIsBelowUpper(Bounded bounded) {
       // Check that the lower bound in a bound expression is less than the upper bound
       val lowerVal = bounded.lowerBound?.staticValue
       val upperVal = bounded.upperBound?.staticValue
       var c = -1;
       if (lowerVal instanceof Integer && upperVal instanceof Integer) {
               // If values are of type Integer:
               c = (lowerVal as Integer).compareTo(upperVal as Integer)
       if (lowerVal instanceof String && upperVal instanceof String) {
               // If values are of type String:
               c = (lowerVal as String).compareTo(upperVal as String)
       if (lowerVal instanceof Boolean && upperVal instanceof Boolean) {
```

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```
// If values are of type Boolean:
               c = (lowerVal as Boolean).compareTo(upperVal as Boolean)
       if (c >= 0) {
               error('Lower bound should be less than upper bound', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.BOUNDED LOWER BOUND,
                      INVALID BOUND)
@Check
def checkEnumeratedSequence(Enumerated enumerated) {
       // Check that values contained in Enumerated all have unique static values
       // (e.g. 2+2 must not be in the same sequence as 4)
       enumerated.values.forEach [ v |
               if (enumerated.values.filter[staticValue == v.staticValue].size != 1)
                      error('Enumerated values should be unique', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.ENUMERATED VALUES,
                              INVALID ENUMERATION)
@Check
def checkDefaultValue(Parameter parameter) {
       // Constraint check on parameter default value.
       // Does this parameter have a default value at all?:
       if (parameter.^default != null) {
               val defVal = parameter.^default.staticValue
               val range = parameter.valueRange
               switch (range) {
                      Enumerated:
                              // Constraint check on Enumerated ValueRange type:
                              if (!range.values.exists[staticValue == defVal])
                                      // Error if default value is not among the listed elements in the Enumerated collection:
                                      error('Default value should be among the listed values',
                                             ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.PARAMETER DEFAULT, INVALID BOUND)
                      Bounded: {
                              // Constraint check on Bounded ValueRange type:
                              var defaultValueIsValid = true;
                              if (range.lowerBound.staticValue instanceof Integer) // Bounded ValueRange elements are of type Integer
                                      // Check that default value lies between lower and upper bound:
                                      defaultValueIsValid = (range.lowerBound.staticValue as Integer) <= (defVal as Integer)</pre>
                                             && (range.upperBound.staticValue as Integer) >= (defVal as Integer)
                              else if (range.lowerBound.staticValue instanceof String) // Bounded ValueRange elements are of type String
                                      // Check that default value lies between lower and upper bound (based on string values):
                                      defaultValueIsValid = (range.lowerBound.staticValue as String) <= (defVal as String)</pre>
                                             && (range.upperBound.staticValue as String) >= (defVal as String)
                              if (!defaultValueIsValid)
                                      // Throw an error:
                                      error('Default value should be within the specified value range',
                                             ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.PARAMETER DEFAULT, INVALID BOUND)
```

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```
@Check
def checkIdentifierOptional(Identifier identifier) {
       // Check if any Identifier refers to an optional parameter:
       if (identifier.id.optional) {
               error('Identifier cannot refer to an optional parameter', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.IDENTIFIER ID, OPTIONAL PARAMETER INVALID)
@Check
def checkInRangeOptional(InRange inRange) {
       // Check if any InRange refers to an optional parameter:
       if (inRange.parameter.optional) {
               error ('Identifier cannot refer to an optional parameter', Configurator Package. Literals. IN RANGE PARAMETER,
                      OPTIONAL PARAMETER INVALID)
@Check
def checkUniqueParameterNames(Configurator configurator) {
       // Check that all parameters and parameter groups have globally unique names:
       var params = configurator.parameters.names
       if (params.length != params.toSet.length) {
               error('All parameters and parameter groups must have globally unique names', ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.NAMED ELEMENT NAME,
                      PARAMETER NAME NOT UNIQUE)
def private List<String> names(EList<AbstractParameter> it) {
        // Get all abstract parameter names:
       var paramNames =
               fold(new ArrayList<String>) [ parameterNames, abstractParameter | parameterNames.add(abstractParameter.name); parameterNames]
       // Add names of all parameters in any underlying parameter groups (notice the recursion):
       paramNames.addAll(
               it.filter(ParameterGroup).fold(new ArrayList<String>)
               [parameterNames, parameterGroup | parameterNames.addAll(parameterGroup.parameters.names); parameterNames]
       // Just return parameter names
       paramNames
def private checkExpectedType(ExpressionType actualType, ExpressionType expectedType, EReference reference) {
       if (actualType != expectedType) {
               error("expected type " + expectedType + ", actual type is " + actualType, reference, WRONG TYPE)
```

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# 4.2 Type Checking

The meta model allows three distinct types of expressions and values.

For simplicity, there are only one kind of numbers. Strings do not have an ordering nor can they be added (concatenated).

The class ExpressionTypeProvider provides the overloaded typeFor method that gives the expected type of an expression without looking at sub expressions. This is used in the overloaded checkType method of the ConfiguratorValidator class.

```
enum ExpressionType {
        String, Integer, Boolean
class ExpressionTypeProvider {
        def dispatch ExpressionType typeFor(Constant constant) {
                switch (constant) {
                         String: ExpressionType. String
                         Boolean: ExpressionType. Boolean
                         Integer: ExpressionType.Integer
                }
        }
        def dispatch ExpressionType typeFor(Binary binary) {
                switch (binary.operator) {
                         case ADDITION:
                                ExpressionType. Integer
                         case LOGICAL_AND:
                                 ExpressionType. Boolean
                // ...
                }
        }
        def private checkExpectedType(ExpressionType actualType, ExpressionType expectedType,
EReference reference) {
                if (actualType != expectedType) {
                        error("expected type " + expectedType + ", actual type is " + actualType,
reference, WRONG_TYPE)
        }
        def private ExpressionType getTypeAndCheckNotNull(Expression expression, EReference reference)
{
                var type = expression?.typeFor
                if (type == null)
                         error("unknown type", reference, WRONG_TYPE)
                type
        }
        def checkType(Unary unary) {
                val innerLiteral = ConfiguratorPackage.Literals.UNARY_INNER
                val innerType = getTypeAndCheckNotNull(unary.inner, innerLiteral)
                switch (unary.operator) {
                         case INVERSION: {
                                 checkExpectedType(innerType, ExpressionType.Integer, innerLiteral)
                         case LOGICAL NOT: {
                                 checkExpectedType(innerType, ExpressionType.Boolean, innerLiteral)
                         }
                }
        }
```



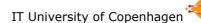
### 4.3 Static value checking

The meta model allows for arbitrary expressions in value ranges where constant expressions are expected. This is due to the fact that constant numbers in the grammar are unsigned. A signed number therefore requires a unary expression (unary minus). In order to validate that expressions in value ranges indeed are constant and relate properly (e.g. increasing size) all expressions are evaluated to a constant value if possible.

A static value is simply a java.lang.Integer/Boolean/String object, or null if no static value exists. No static value exists if the expression contains reference to a Parameter value (by an Identifier or InRange expression).

The extension method ExpressionValueProvider.staticValue calculates the value of an expression based on the value of any sub expressions:

```
def dispatch Object staticValue(Constant constant) {
                switch (constant) {
                         String: constant.value
                        dk.itu.smdp2015.church.model.configurator.Boolean: constant.value
                        dk.itu.smdp2015.church.model.configurator.Integer: constant.value
                }
        }
        def dispatch Object staticValue(Binary binary) {
                val vleft = binary.left.staticValue
                val vright = binary.right.staticValue
                switch (binary.operator) {
                        case ADDITION:
                                 if (vleft instanceof Integer && vright instanceof Integer) {
                                         val ileft = (vleft as Integer).intValue
                                         val iright = (vright as Integer).intValue
                                         new Integer(ileft + iright)
                                 }
                         case LOGICAL AND:
                                 if (vleft instanceof Boolean && vright instanceof Boolean) {
                                         val bleft = (vleft as Boolean).booleanValue
                                         val bright = (vright as Boolean).booleanValue
                                         new Boolean(bleft && bright)
                                 }
                        /// ... (more cases here -- see source code) ...
                }
        }
        def dispatch ExpressionType staticValue(Identifier identifier) {
        }
}
```



# 5 Xtext grammar

```
Configurator:
         'configurator' name=ID
        (description=STRING)?
         {' parameters+=AbstractParameter ( ','? parameters+=AbstractParameter)* '}';
AbstractParameter:
        ParameterGroup | Parameter;
ParameterGroup:
         'group' name=ID
        (description=STRING)?
        ( ('visible-if' visibility=Expression)?
& ('constraints' '{' constraints+=Constraint ( ',' constraints+=Constraint)* ','? '}' )?
        & '{' parameters+=AbstractParameter ( ','? parameters+=AbstractParameter)* ','? '}' );
Parameter:
         'parameter'
                         name=ID
        (description=STRING)?
        ( ((optional?='optional')|'mandatory')?
        & ('visible-if' visibility=Expression)?
        & ('default-value' default=Expression)?
& ('constraints' '{' constraints+=Constraint ( ',' constraints+=Constraint)* '}' )?
        & 'values' valueRange=ValueRange );
ValueRange:
        Enumerated | Bounded;
Enumerated returns Enumerated:
         '(' values+=Expression ( ',' values+=Expression)* ')';
Bounded returns Bounded:
        '[' lowerBound=Expression ';' upperBound=Expression ']';
Constraint:
        ('description' description=STRING)?
         expression=Expression:
Expression:
        LogicalOr;
enum LogicalOrOperator returns BinaryOperator:
        logicalOr = 'or';
LogicalOr returns Expression:
        LogicalAnd ( {Binary.left=current} operator=LogicalOrOperator right=LogicalAnd )*;
enum LogicalAndOperator returns BinaryOperator:
        logicalAnd = 'and';
LogicalAnd returns Expression:
        Equality ( {Binary.left=current} operator=LogicalAndOperator right=Equality )*;
enum EqualityOperator returns BinaryOperator:
        equal = '==' | notEqual = '!=';
Equality returns Expression:
        Comparative ( {Binary.left=current} operator=EqualityOperator right=Comparative )*;
enum ComparativeOperator returns BinaryOperator:
        lessThan = '<' | greaterThan = '>';
Comparative returns Expression:
        Additive ( {Binary.left=current} operator=ComparativeOperator right=Additive )*;
enum AdditiveOperator returns BinaryOperator:
        addition = '+' | subtraction = '-';
Additive returns Expression:
        Multiplicative ( {Binary.left=current} operator=AdditiveOperator right=Multiplicative )*;
```



```
\textcolor{red}{\textbf{enum}} \ \texttt{MultiplicativeOperator} \ \textcolor{red}{\textbf{returns}} \ \textit{BinaryOperator} :
         multiplication = '*';
Multiplicative returns Expression:
         Primitive ( {Binary.left=current} operator=MultiplicativeOperator right=Primitive )*;
Primitive returns Expression:
         Unary | InRange | Integer | Boolean | String0 | Identifier | '(' Expression ')';
enum UnaryOperator:
         inversion = '-' | logicalNot = 'not';
Unary:
         operator=UnaryOperator inner=Primitive;
Constant:
         Integer | Boolean | String0;
InRange:
         parameter=[Parameter] 'in' range=ValueRange;
Integer:
         value=EInt;
Boolean:
         value=EBoolean;
String0 returns String:
         value=STRING;
Identifier:
         id=[Parameter];
EInt returns ecore::EInt:
         /* '-'? */ INT;
EDouble returns ecore::EDouble:
         /* '-'? */ INT? '.' INT (('E'|'e') '-'? INT)?;
EBoolean returns ecore::EBoolean:
         'true' | 'false';
```

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### 6 Backends

#### 6.1 HTML 5 mobile web client

The HTML client is build using HTML5, javascript and CSS. The code generated is purely html and javascript, so no compilation is taking place as these scripts are interpreted by a browser. We have used two popular javacript frameworks Jquery Mobile (JQM) and Knockout to build a single page web application (SPA), with a clearly defined user interface architecture. Jquery mobile enables mobile oriented user experiences using a simple declarative markup. Depending on the markup the framework applies javascript and CSS to give the application a native mobile look and feel. Knockout is a two data binding javascript framework that uses the Model-View-ViewModel (MVVM) user interface architectual pattern to facilitate a clear separation of concerns between user interface logic and data model manipulation. This separation made it fairly straight forward to generate code from an instance of our Meta Model. Using the Knockout validation plugin, converting our validation expressions into javascript code was also straight forward, as this plugin enable custom validation rules, which is automatically applied by the framework.

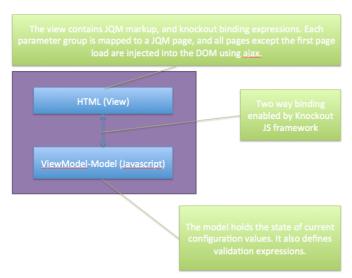


Figure 6.1.1: Overview of HTML client architecture

```
Jquery mobile page sample
<div id="main" data-role="page" data-add-back-btn="true">
 <div data-role="header">
   <h1>
     car
    </h1>
    <button class="ui-btn-right ui-icon-check ui-btn-icon-right ui-btn"
onclick="submitconfiguration();">submit</button>
 </div>
 <div role="main">
    <section class="description">
      A configurator for a car
    </section>
   <section class="validationSection" data-bind="css:{showValidationSummary: !isModelValid()}">
      <div class="validationSummary">
        <h4>Validation summary</h4>
       <span data-bind="text: $data"> </span> 
        </div>
    </section>
```

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```
Knockout ViewModel object sample
engine:
  choices: ['TFSI 1.2', 'TFSI 1.4', 'TFSI 2.02'],
  value: ko.observable()
    .extend({
       validation: {
         validator: function (val, param) {
           if(App ViewModel==null)//not initialized
             return true;
           //Expression here:
           var result =
                .inArray("TFSI 1.2", App.ViewModel().engine.value()) > -1 \parallel
                $.inArray("TFSI 1.4", App. ViewModel().engine.value()) > -1
              $.inArray("sport", App. ViewModel().variant.value()) > -1
           return result;
         message: "Big engines only available for sports model"
       }})
```

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# 6.2 Windows client(Windows store app)

Image of the CS configurator application with the 'VW' test configuration



https://github.com/smdp2015/project/tree/master/Smdp2015DotNetClient

#### FileDescription

```
ChurchConfig / Configuration / Configurator.cs – generated code
ChurchConfig / Configuration / CommonConfig.cs – BaseClasses to the generated code
ChurchConfig / ConfigControl.xaml – configurator usercontrol
ChurchConfig / HubPage.xaml – Application mainpage
```

# **6.2.1 Code generator**

https://github.com/smdp2015/project/tree/master/dk.itu.smdp2015.church.configurator.syntax/src/dk/itu/smdp2015/church/generator/CSGenerator.xtend

All in one file.

The generator collects codes in three linkedLists.

- GroupParameterClasses contains generated Groupparameter classes.
- parameterInstance contains parameter instanciation.
- confBuilder contains code to create the configuration instance.

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## 6.2.2 Code generation output

The code generator generate a static typed C# file called Configurator.cs.

Parameters and groupParameters is handled differently. Parameters have a predefined class for each instantiated type. Ex. EnumeratedParameter and IntParameter.

Parametergroup's is defined as individual classes. The reason for differensation is there is only a few parameter types and almost all parameterGroups are unique.

The configurator has global scope and it is possible to reference all defined named elements from all Validate and IsVisible functions. That's the reason all parameters and parametergroups is instantiated with a named reference(ex. var name = new...).

There is no UI related code in the generated code.

Some small snippet from code generated files

```
/// <summary>
/// Parametergroup seats
   .
// </summary>
ublic class seatsGroupParameter : GroupParameter
      public string Name { get; set; }
      /// <summary>
/// parameter material
/// 1
      /// I
/// </summary>
public EnumeratedParameter material { get; set; }
      /// <summary>
/// parameter colour
/// the seal colour
      /// </summary>
public EnumeratedParameter colour { get; set; }
public static class ConfigurationBuilder
      public static Configurator Build()
{
                 Name = "Farver",
Description = "FarveDesc1",
SelectableValues = new List<string> { "A", "B", "C" }
  ar engine = new EnumeratedParameter
     Name = "engine",
     SelectableValues = new List<string> { "TFSI 1.2", "TFSI 1.4", "TFSI 2.0" }
engine.IsVisible = () => true;
engine.Validate = () => engine.SelectableValues.Exists(x => x == engine.Value) || variant.Value == "sport";
               var carConfig = new carConfigGroupParameter
{
                    Name = "carConfig",
                    Name = "carConfig",
Farver = Farver,
length = length,
variant = variant,
engine = engine,
fog_lights = fog_lights,
seats = seats,
seats2 = seats2,
               carConfig.IsVisible = () => true;
carConfig.Validate = () => true;
               var model = carConfig;
```

All parameters and parametergroups are instantiated so validation and Isvisible methods can reference other parameters. They are all in global scope.

All IsVisible and Validate properties is defined as Func<bool> delegates, because they are defined in the configuration and not in the static parameter class.

The static method ConfigurationBuilder.Build() creates an instance of the configuration model.

## 6.2.3 Client UI

The UI is build in xaml(which is a domain specific language ©)

The configuration UI is created from a ListView Control.

In the view constructor the configurator model is instantiated.

Next the BuildListView method recursively traverse the model so every parameter and groupparameter is binded to a ListViewItems datacontext and added to the listView.

```
public ConfigControl()
{
    this.InitializeComponent();
    var model = ConfigurationBuilder.Build();
    BuildListView(Lv1, model.Configuration);
}
```

A DataTemplateSelector decides how each parameter is rendered

DataTemplate for a string parameter

# 7 Test methods and artefacts

# 7.1 Test strategy

We have written tests covering the following parts of our project:

- Meta model: Tested through dynamic model instances.
- Parser: Testing grammar syntax.
- Constraints: Testing syntax that satisfies/violates the constraint in question.
- Code generators: Testing that different elements returns expected generated code.

We have written unit-tests for each part, which are all based on a known initial state / input (i.e. a test bench with a fixed input), and a confirmation that the tested element returns the expected output.

We have written unit tests which validates valid input, or (correctly) invalidates invalid input. Thus, we have both positive and negative test cases.

We have focused on making each unit test as small as possible, in order to give a detailed overview of the test results. This gives a clear indication for any possible test errors.

We are aware that unit tests cannot stand alone as a full test of the developed feature. An easy way extend the system tests would be to perform a compilation of the generated code (if the generated code needs to be compiled), subsequently performing an exploratory test of the final application which the user sees.

# 7.2 Metamodel test case examples

# 7.3 Grammar test case examples

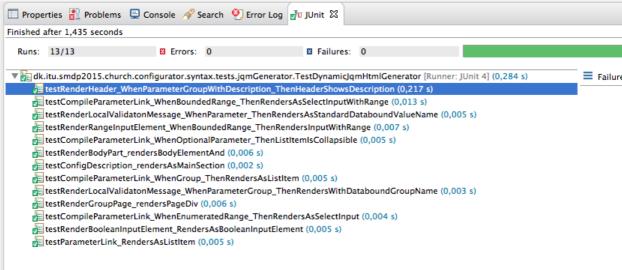
# 7.4 Code generators test case examples

#### 7.4.1 1. Overview of HTML5 mobile web client

Here we only show the jUnit tests for the html generator part. The test case are divided into a dymanic html generator and a static html generator.

First we show an overview of the passing tests as the present themselves in the Eclipse IDE.





#### 7.4.3 Test of static html generation



Then an explanation of how the testcode is built up.

Sample code showing some sample dynamic html test case. We make heavily use of Xtends ability to do chained method calls, increasing readability of the code.

All tests are build using the same pattern:

### 1. Arrange part

An input DSL string, just containing the essential part for test case at hand.

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This test input are processed by adding boilerplate prefix ('configuration someConfiguratorName'), and then parsed into an instance of our metamodel.

Then we select the part of the metamodel instance that are relevant for the test case (the parameter object in this case)

# 2. Act part

Here we call the .compileParameterLink which is the method being tested here.

#### 3. Assert part

We test the returned string with an expected, string. Since it is html we cant compile it. The test case asserts not only that the semantics of the html is correct, but also that the generated is human readable and indented correctly.

All boiler plate code are put in an abstract base class, and the the actual test class contains only a reference to class under test, and the test cases.