

EXAMPLE: IWIR v1.1

An additional compound task is introduced with IWIR v1.1: `blockScope`. This allows grouping of tasks in one scope.

Figure 1 illustrates a `blockScope` workflow:

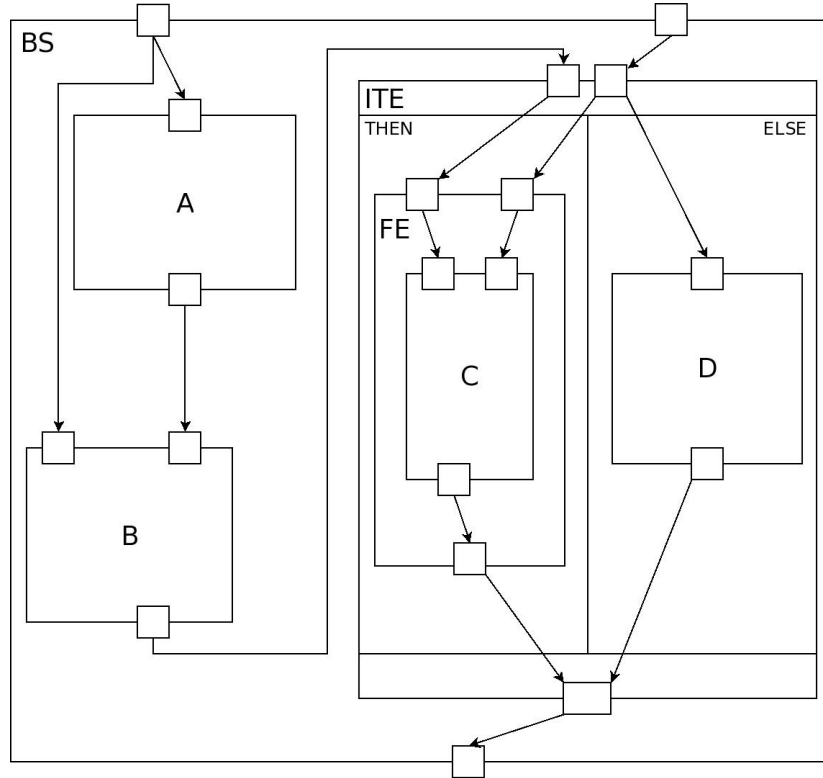


Figure 1: A dummy block scope example.

BS defines the block scope, A, B, C and D are atomic tasks, ITE is a if task, and FE is a parrallel foreach task.

Among with IWIR v1.1 comes `iwirTool-1.1.jar`. Beside others, the tool introduces `ConditionExpression`, and checking for cyclic dependencies in the workflow and cross-references in an `ifTask`. The `ConditionExpression` is used to define a condition for the `ifTask` and `whileTask`. For example, `new ConditionExpression("in = 1")`.

Figure 2 depicts a cyclic-dependency of tasks A and B and a cross-reference in the `ifTask` ITE:

All validation methods are invoked implicitly when constructing the workflow by hand or reading the workflow from a `xml` file.

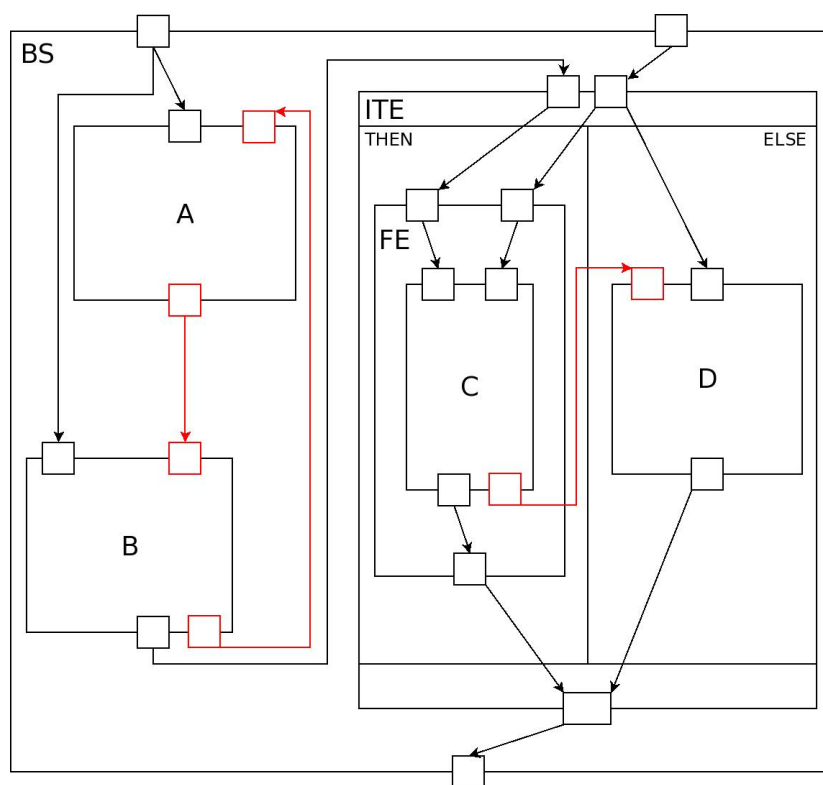


Figure 2: An invalid Workflow.

The corresponding source for the example illustrated in Figure 1 is given in Listing 1:

```
package org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.examples;

import java.io.File;

import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.BlockScope;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.CollectionType;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.ConditionExpression;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.IWIR;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.IfTask;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.InputPort;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.LoopElement;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.OutputPort;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.ParallelForEachTask;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.SimpleType;
import org.shiwa.fgi.iwir.Task;

public class BlockScopeMock {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        IWIR i = new BlockScopeMock().build();

        System.out.println(i.asXMLString());
    }

    public IWIR build() {

        BlockScope bs = new BlockScope("topLevel");
        bs.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        bs.addInputPort(new InputPort("in2", new CollectionType(
            SimpleType.INTEGER)));
        // ip s

        Task a = new Task("A", "calc1");
        a.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        a.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", SimpleType.INTEGER));

        Task b = new Task("B", "calc2");
        b.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        b.addInputPort(new InputPort("in2", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        b.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", SimpleType.INTEGER));

        IfTask ite = new IfTask("ITE");
        ite.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        ite.addInputPort(new InputPort("in2", new CollectionType(
            SimpleType.INTEGER)));
        ite.setCondition(new ConditionExpression("in1 == 1"));

        // then
        ParallelForEachTask foreach1 = new ParallelForEachTask("
            foreach1");
        foreach1.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER))
            ;
        foreach1.addLoopElement(new LoopElement("lp1", new
            CollectionType(
                SimpleType.INTEGER)));

        Task c = new Task("C", "consumer");
        c.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        c.addInputPort(new InputPort("in2", SimpleType.INTEGER));
        c.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
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foreach1.addTask(c);
foreach1.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", new
    CollectionType(
        SimpleType.INTEGER)));
foreach1.addLink(foreach1.getPort("in1"), c.getPort("in1"));
foreach1.addLink(foreach1.getPort("lp1"), c.getPort("in2"));
foreach1.addLink(c.getPort("out1"), foreach1.getPort("out1"));

ite.addTaskToThenBlock(foreach1);

// else
Task d = new Task("D", "consumer");
d.addInputPort(new InputPort("in1", SimpleType.INTEGER));
d.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", SimpleType.INTEGER));

ite.addTaskToElseBlock(d);
ite.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", new CollectionType(
    SimpleType.INTEGER)));
ite.addLink(ite.getPort("in1"), foreach1.getPort("in1"));
ite.addLink(ite.getPort("in2"), foreach1.getPort("lp1"));
ite.addLink(foreach1.getPort("out1"), ite.getPort("out1"));
ite.addLink(ite.getPort("in1"), d.getPort("in1"));
ite.addLink(d.getPort("out1"), ite.getPort("out1"));

bs.addTask(a);
bs.addTask(b);
bs.addLink(bs.getPort("in1"), a.getPort("in1"));
bs.addLink(bs.getPort("in1"), b.getPort("in1"));
bs.addLink(a.getPort("out1"), b.getPort("in2"));

bs.addTask(ite);
bs.addLink(b.getPort("out1"), ite.getPort("in1"));
bs.addLink(bs.getPort("in2"), ite.getPort("in2"));

bs.addOutputPort(new OutputPort("out1", new CollectionType(
    SimpleType.INTEGER)));
bs.addLink(ite.getPort("out1"), bs.getPort("out1"));

IWIR dummy = new IWIR("blockScope");

dummy.setTask(bs);
return dummy;
}
}

```

Listing 1: BlockScopeMock.java

The workflow in XML representation is given in Listing 2:

```

<IWIR version="1.1" wfname="blockScope" xmlns="http://shiwa-
workflow.eu/IWIR">
  <blockScope name="topLevel">
    <inputPorts>
      <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
      <inputPort name="in2" type="collection/integer"/>
    </inputPorts>
    <body>
      <task name="A" tasktype="calc1">
        <inputPorts>
          <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>

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    </inputPorts>
    <outputPorts>
      <outputPort name="out1" type="integer"/>
    </outputPorts>
  </task>
  <task name="B" tasktype="calc2">
    <inputPorts>
      <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
      <inputPort name="in2" type="integer"/>
    </inputPorts>
    <outputPorts>
      <outputPort name="out1" type="integer"/>
    </outputPorts>
  </task>
  <if name="ITE">
    <inputPorts>
      <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
      <inputPort name="in2" type="collection/integer"/>
    </inputPorts>
    <condition>in1 = 1</condition>
    <then>
      <parallelForEach name="foreach1">
        <inputPorts>
          <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
          <loopElements>
            <loopElement name="lp1" type="collection/integer"/>
          </loopElements>
        </inputPorts>
        <body>
          <task name="C" tasktype="consumer">
            <inputPorts>
              <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
              <inputPort name="in2" type="integer"/>
            </inputPorts>
            <outputPorts>
              <outputPort name="out1" type="integer"/>
            </outputPorts>
          </task>
        </body>
        <outputPorts>
          <outputPort name="out1" type="collection/integer"/>
        </outputPorts>
        <links>
          <link from="foreach1/in1" to="C/in1"/>
          <link from="foreach1/lp1" to="C/in2"/>
          <link from="C/out1" to="foreach1/out1"/>
        </links>
      </parallelForEach>
    </then>
    <else>
      <task name="D" tasktype="consumer">
        <inputPorts>
          <inputPort name="in1" type="integer"/>
        </inputPorts>
        <outputPorts>
          <outputPort name="out1" type="integer"/>
        </outputPorts>
      </task>
    </else>
    <outputPorts>
      <outputPort name="out1" type="collection/integer"/>
    </outputPorts>
  </if>

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    <links>
      <link from="ITE/in1" to="foreach1/in1"/>
      <link from="ITE/in2" to="foreach1/lp1"/>
      <link from="foreach1/out1" to="ITE/out1"/>
      <link from="ITE/in1" to="D/in1"/>
      <link from="D/out1" to="ITE/out1"/>
    </links>
  </if>
</body>
<outputPorts>
  <outputPort name="out1" type="collection/integer"/>
</outputPorts>
<links>
  <link from="topLevel/in1" to="A/in1"/>
  <link from="topLevel/in1" to="B/in1"/>
  <link from="A/out1" to="B/in2"/>
  <link from="B/out1" to="ITE/in1"/>
  <link from="topLevel/in2" to="ITE/in2"/>
  <link from="ITE/out1" to="topLevel/out1"/>
</links>
</blockScope>
</IWIR>

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Listing 2: BlockScopeMock.xml