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Meta-models Combination for Reusing Verification Techniques

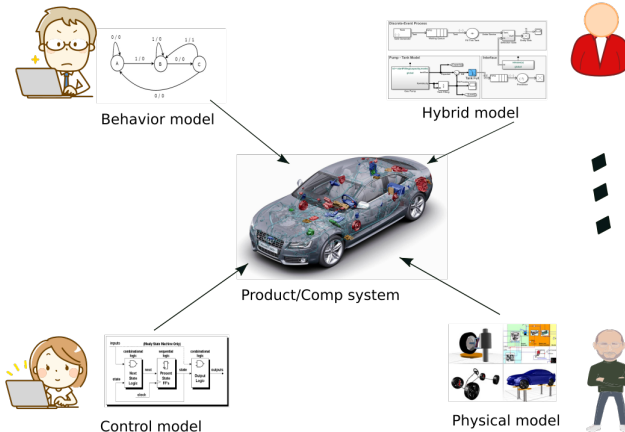
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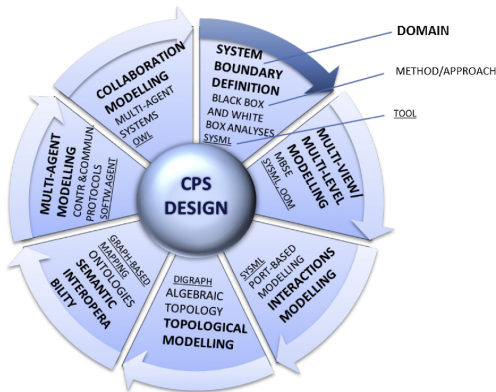
Modelsward'2019



CPS Modeling Problematics



(Multi-scale) CPS Modeling Approaches



(From: Multi-scale approach from mechatronic to Cyber-Physical Systems for the design of manufacturing systems, Penas et al., 2017)

Independent Techniques

Modeling approaches

- ▶ Engineering Modeling, ex: ARCADIA (Capella)
- ▶ Safety&Security Modeling, ex: TTool
- ▶ Architectural Modeling, ex: OSATE (AADL) and annex
- ▶ ...

Verification approaches

- ▶ Timing, scheduling, ex: Cheddar
- ▶ Model checking, ex: UPPAAL, Proverif
- ▶ ...



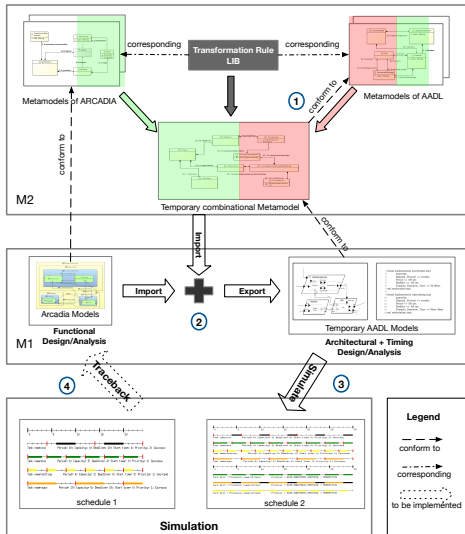
So?

Problems

- ▶ Proliferation of models
 - ▶ Different models of computation and communication
- ▶ Coherency between views

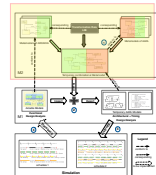
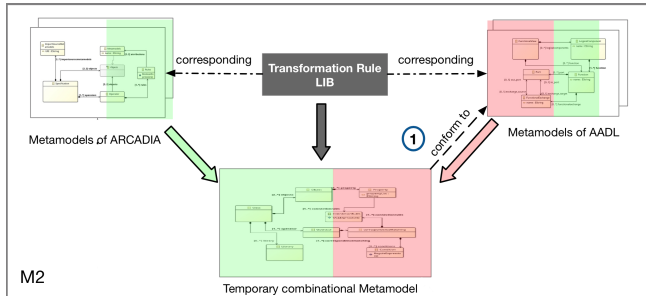
Our contribution: Efficiently combining existing modeling and verification approaches to (better) design CPS

Workflow Overview

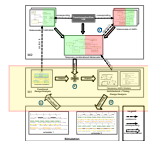
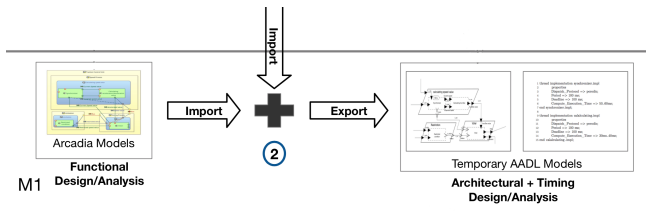


Combination of different modeling and verification technologies using meta-models

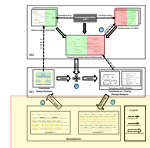
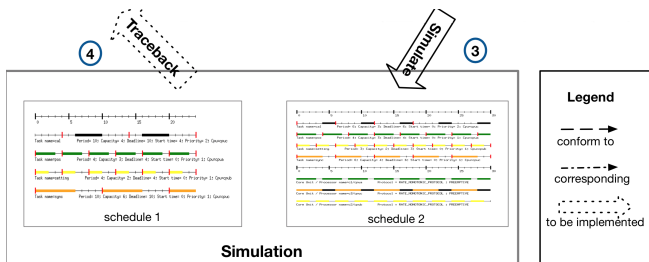
Workflow (Cont.)



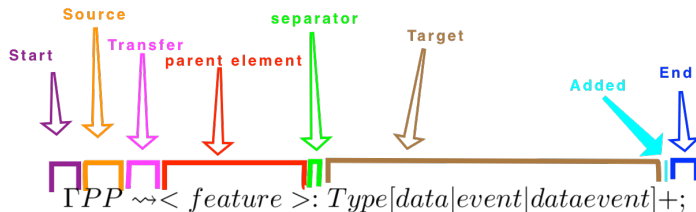
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Combination Language: Typical Rules





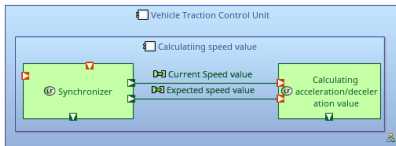
Language Operators

Symbols	Meaning
┌	Start of transformation Rule
;	End of rule
↔	Transfer
<>	Parent node
{ }	Attribute
[]	Optional element
	Separation of elements
{ }+	Attribute to be created
└	Ignore

Arcadia Views

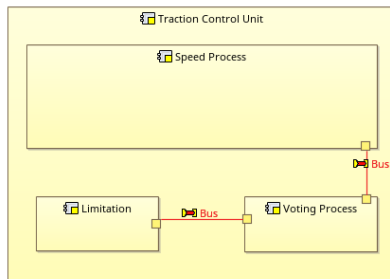
Functional View

Logical (software) components and their functional interrelation



Physical Architecture View

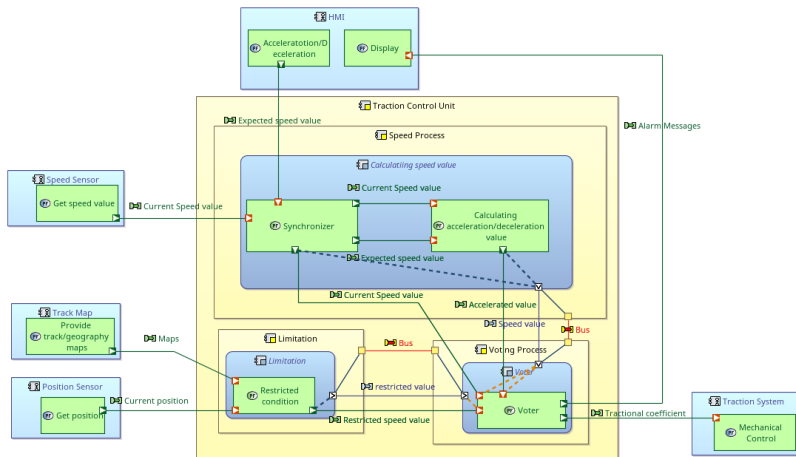
Physical (hardware) component's relationship and their interconnection



Combination Rules for Arcadia/AADL

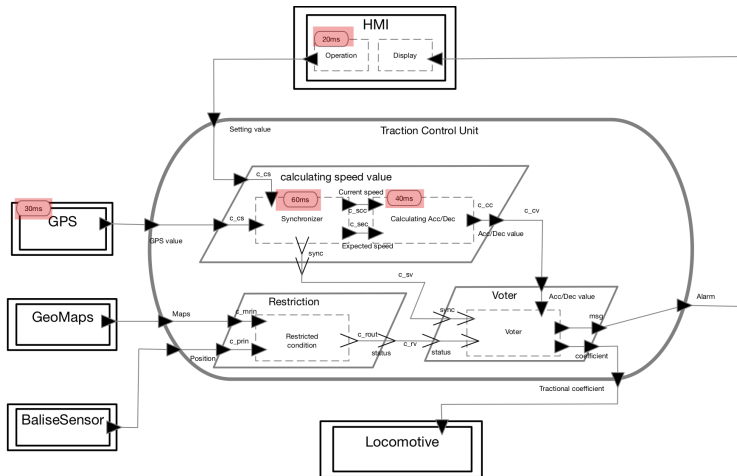
Arcadia	AADL	Additional (optional) attributes
Logical component container (C_{comp}) Function (F_{fun})	System, Process Abstract, Thread	{Runtime_Protection[true false]}+ {Dispatch_Protocol[Periodic Aperiodic Sporadic Background Timed Hybrid]}+ {Type[data event data event]}+
Port (P_{ort}) Functional Exchange (EX_{fun}) ○	Port Connection Annex	{Type[data event data event]}+ ○ Type[abstract thread]:{annex}+
Physical Node (N_{ode}) Physical Port (PP) Physical Link (PL)	Device, Memory, Processor, Bus ○ Bus/BusAccess	{Dispatch_Protocol}+:{Period};{Deadline}+:{priority}+ → PP [{Allowed_Connection_Type}+:{Allowed_Message_Size}+ {Allowed_Physical_Access}+:{Transmission_Time}+]

Train Traction Control System (Arcadia)



Train Traction Control System (AADL)

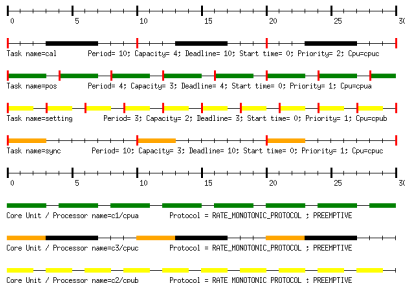
Use of OSTATE for modeling and verification



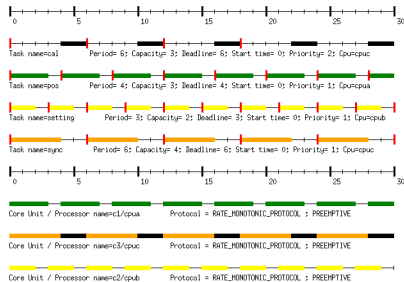
Simulation: Scheduling Analysis

Verification performed with Cheddar

Schedule 1



Schedule 2



Conclusion and Future Work

Achievements

- ▶ Method for combining modeling and verification techniques
- ▶ Definition of a combination language

Future work

- ▶ Full implementation of rules
- ▶ Automated backtracing of verification results