

CML tutorial

Incorporating the Dwarf Signal Example

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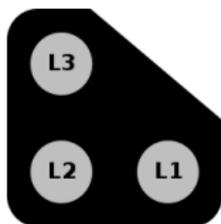
CML Introduction

- ▶ a formal language for specifying Systems of Systems
- ▶ draws input from formal languages **VDM** and **Circus**
- ▶ a CML consists of
 - ▶ **types** with invariants, e.g.
 - ▶ basic types: **bool**, **int**, **string**, **real** etc.
 - ▶ enumerations (“quote” type)
 - ▶ sets
 - ▶ maps
 - ▶ records
 - ▶ **functions** with pre and postconditions
 - ▶ **operations** which act on a state
 - ▶ **processes** from CSP
- ▶ we illustrate these by an example

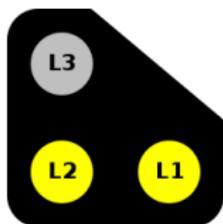
Dwarf Railway Signals



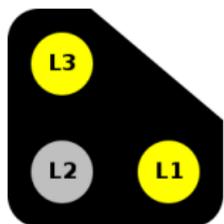
Proper States



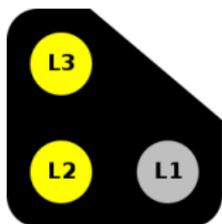
Dark
{ }



Stop
{L1, L2}



Warning
{L1, L3}



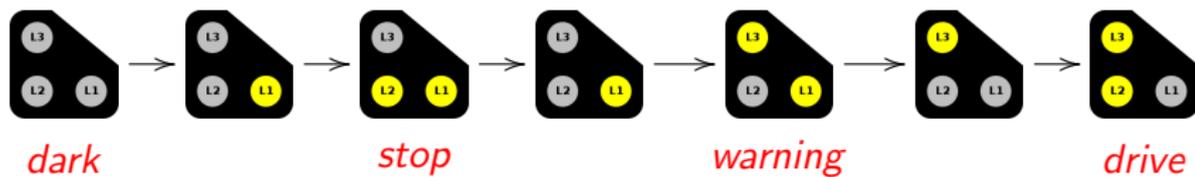
Drive
{L2, L3}

- ▶ Other (transient) states: {L1}, {L2}, {L3}, {L1, L2, L3}

Safety Requirements

- ▶ Only one lamp may be changed at once
- ▶ All three lamps must never be on concurrently
- ▶ The signal must never be **dark** except if the **dark** aspect has to be shown or there is lamp failure
- ▶ The change to and from **dark** is allowed only from **stop** and to **stop**

Typical Trace



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Dwarf Signal basic types in CML

types

LampId = <L1> | <L2> | <L3>

Signal = set of LampId

ProperState = Signal

inv ps == ps in set {dark, stop, warning, drive}

values

dark: Signal = {}

stop: Signal = {<L1>, <L2>}

warning: Signal = {<L1>, <L3>}

drive: Signal = {<L2>, <L3>}

Dwarf Signal State

types

```
DwarfType :: lastproperstate    : ProperState
           desiredproperstate  : ProperState
           turnoff              : set of LampId
           turnon                : set of LampId
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           currentstate         : Signal
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- ▶ the previous/current proper state the signal was in

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- ▶ the proper state we desire to reach

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- ▶ lamps we need to turn **on** to reach the desired proper state

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Dwarf Signal State - Invariants

```
inv d ==  
  (((d.currentstate \ d.turnoff) union d.turnon)  
   = d.desiredproperstate)
```

- ▶ desired state = (current state - lamps to off) + lamps to on

Dwarf Signal State - Invariants

```
inv d ==  
  (((d.currentstate \ d.turnoff) union d.turnon)  
   = d.desiredproperstate)  
and  
(d.turnoff inter d.turnon = {})
```

- ▶ we can't simultaneously desire to turn a light on and off

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Processes in CML

- ▶ **channels** to communicate on, optionally carrying data
- ▶ **state variables** to read and write to
- ▶ **operations** acting on the state, with pre/postconditions
- ▶ **actions** which describe reactive behaviours
- ▶ **process body**, the main behaviour of the process

CML process syntax

Syntax	Description
Stop	Deadlocked process
Skip	Null behaviour
$a \rightarrow P$	Communicate on a then behave like P
$a?v \rightarrow P$	Input value v over channel a then do P
$a!v \rightarrow P$	Output value v on channel a then do P
$P ; Q$	Execute process P followed by Q
$P \square Q$	Pick P or Q based on the first communication
$P \parallel \{a, b, c\} \parallel Q$	Execute P and Q in parallel, with synchronisation allowed on a , b and c
$[\text{cond}] \& P$	allow execution of P only if cond holds

A basic CML process

channels

a: **int**

b: **int**

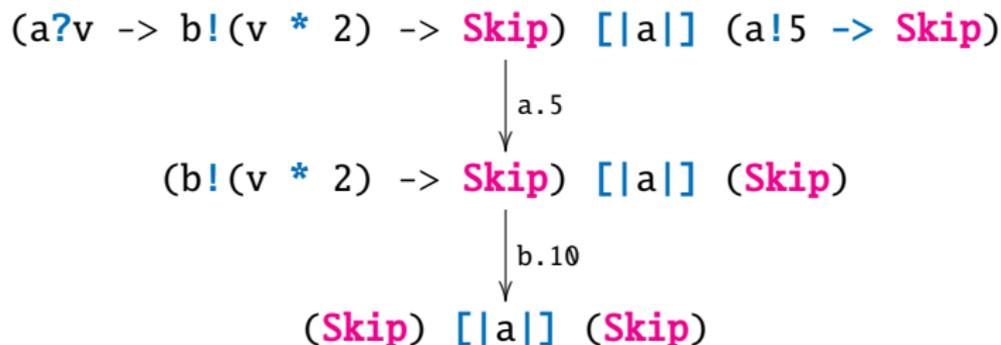
process Simple = **begin**

@

(a?v -> b!(v * 2) -> **Skip**) [|a|] (a!5 -> **Skip**)

end

Basic process behaviour



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Dwarf Process

channels

```
init  
light: LampId  
extinguish: LampId  
setPS: ProperState  
shine: Signal
```

```
process Dwarf = begin
```

state

```
dw : DwarfType
```

```
...
```

```
end
```

Init operation

operations

```
Init : () ==> ()
```

```
Init() ==
```

```
dw := mk_DwarfType(stop, {}, {}, stop, stop, stop)
```

```
post dw.lastproperstate = stop and
```

```
dw.turnoff = {} and
```

```
dw.turnon = {} and
```

```
dw.laststate = stop and
```

```
dw.currentstate = stop and
```

```
dw.desiredproperstate = stop
```

Set New Proper State

```
SetNewProperState: (ProperState) ==> ()
```

```
SetNewProperState(st) ==
```

```
  dw := mk_DwarfType( dw.currentstate
                      , dw.currentstate \ st
                      , st \ dw.currentstate
                      , dw.laststate
                      , dw.currentstate
                      , st)
```

```
pre dw.currentstate = dw.desiredproperstate and
    st <> dw.currentstate
```

Turn On

```
TurnOn: (LampId) ==> ()
```

```
TurnOn(l) ==
```

```
  dw := mk_DwarfType( dw.lastproperstate
                      , dw.turnoff \ {1}
                      , dw.turnon  \ {1}
                      , dw.currentstate
                      , dw.currentstate union {1}
                      , dw.desiredproperstate)
```

```
pre l in set dw.turnon
```

Turn Off

```
TurnOff : (LampId) ==> ()
TurnOff(l) ==
  dw := mk_DwarfType( dw.lastproperstate
                      , dw.turnoff \ {1}
                      , dw.turnon  \ {1}
                      , dw.currentstate
                      , dw.currentstate \ {1}
                      , dw.desiredproperstate)

pre l in set dw.turnon
```

Dwarf Signal Process

actions

```
DWARF =  
  ( (light?l -> TurnOn(l); DWARF)  
    [] (extinguish?l -> TurnOff(l); DWARF)  
    [] (setPS?l -> SetNewProperState(l); DWARF)  
    [] shine!dw.currentstate -> DWARF)
```

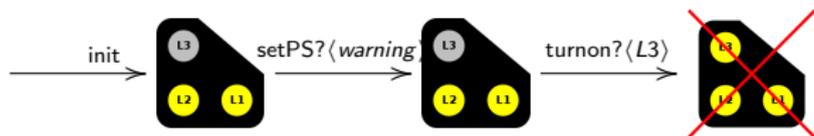
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```
init -> Init() ; DWARF
```

Practical: Example Interaction

A bad trace

- ▶ not all traces have good results:



- ▶ we have violated the safety property:

NeverShowAll: DwarfType \rightarrow **bool**

NeverShowAll(d) == d.currentstate \diamond {<L1>, <L2>, <L3>}

The test in CML

actions

...

-- Tries to turn on 3 lights simultaneously

```
TEST = setPS!warning -> light!<L3> -> extinguish!<L2>  
      -> setPS!drive -> extinguish!<L1> -> light!<L2>  
      -> Stop
```

```
DWARF_TEST = DWARF [|{setPS,light,extinguish}|] TEST
```

- ▶ can be thought of as a counterexample

Practical: Represent this

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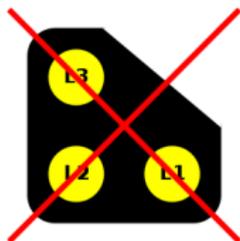
Safety Properties (1)

- ▶ A signal must never show all the lights

functions

NeverShowAll: DwarfType -> **bool**

NeverShowAll(d) == d.currentstate \diamond {<L1>, <L2>, <L3>}



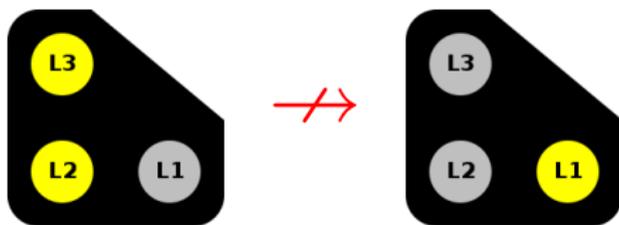
Safety Properties (2)

- ▶ Only one lamp at a time may change

MaxOneLampChange: DwarfType \rightarrow **bool**

MaxOneLampChange(d) ==

```
card ((d.currentstate \ d.laststate)
      union (d.laststate \ d.currentstate))  $\leq$  1
```



Safety Properties (3)

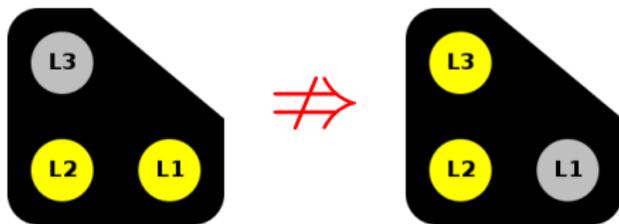
- ▶ The signal may not go straight from **stop** to **drive**

ForbidStopToDrive : DwarfType -> **bool**

ForbidStopToDrive(d) ==

(d.lastproperstate = stop

=> d.desiredproperstate <> drive)



Safety Properties (4)

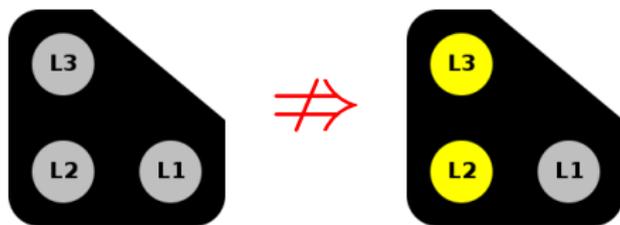
- ▶ the only proper aspect following **dark** is **stop**

DarkOnlyToStop : DwarfType -> **bool**

DarkOnlyToStop(d) ==

(d.lastproperstate = dark

=> d.desiredproperstate **in set** {dark, stop})

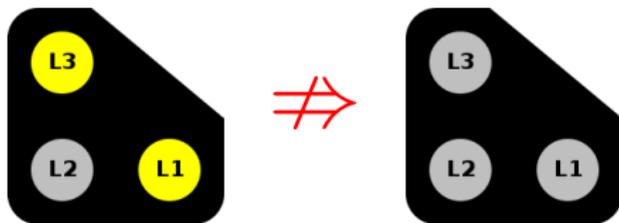


Safety Properties (5)

- ▶ the only proper aspect preceding **dark** is **stop**

`DarkOnlyFromStop: DwarfType -> bool`

`DarkOnlyFromStop(d) == ?`



Safety Properties (5)

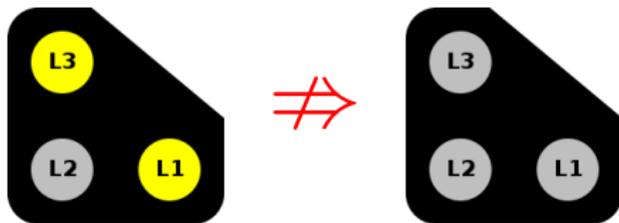
- ▶ the only proper aspect preceding **dark** is **stop**

DarkOnlyFromStop: DwarfType -> **bool**

DarkOnlyFromStop(d) ==

(d.desiredproperstate = dark

=> d.lastproperstate **in set** {dark, stop})



Correct Dwarf Signal Type

types

```
DwarfSignal = DwarfType
```

```
inv d == NeverShowAll(d) and  
        MaxOneLampChange(d) and  
        ForbidStopToDrive(d) and  
        DarkOnlyToStop(d) and  
        DarkOnlyFromStop(d)
```

Practical: 2 more tests