PROCESS TOWARDS AN EXECUTABLE ENGINE COMPLIANT WITH THE INTEROPERABLE TEST AND OPERATION PROCEDURE LANGUAGE 70-32

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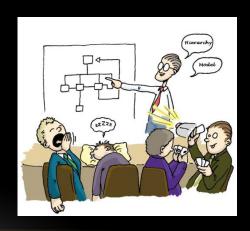
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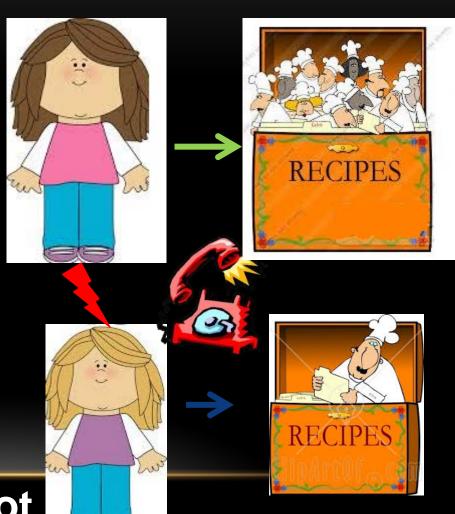
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ISSUES IN PROCEDURE INTEROPERABILITY (I)

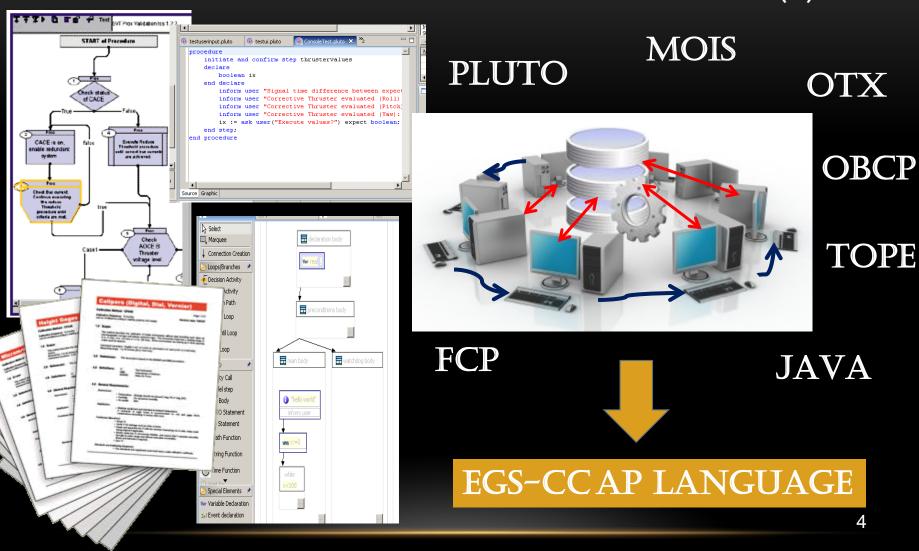
Let's cook...





...or better not

ISSUES IN PROCEDURE INTEROPERABILITY (II)



ECSS-E-ST-70-32 CONCEPTUALIZATION

- Requirements
 - From the standard
 - From experience
 - From other implementations



Unify

Add missing info.

- A Procedure specifes at a
 - Data to be handled
 - Process to be performed with the Specified data
 - Format to specify the information



CONCEPTUALIZATION: DATA (I)

- The standard defines a complete set of information and structures to be handled.
- Exchanging procedures → semantics have to be shared between parties.



REVEAL

Shared semantics

Shared Process Engine
Translations
Decoupling editors
Shared Persistence Model



LISTEN

Understanding

CONCEPTUALIZATION: DATA (II)

- Process for conceptualization:
 - Define the structure of the language
 - For each structure
 - Get the data concepts required
 - Get the relationships within the structure (cardinalities)
 - Define the constraints applicable per structure
 - Verify all structures are reachable and complete
 - Add missing structures.



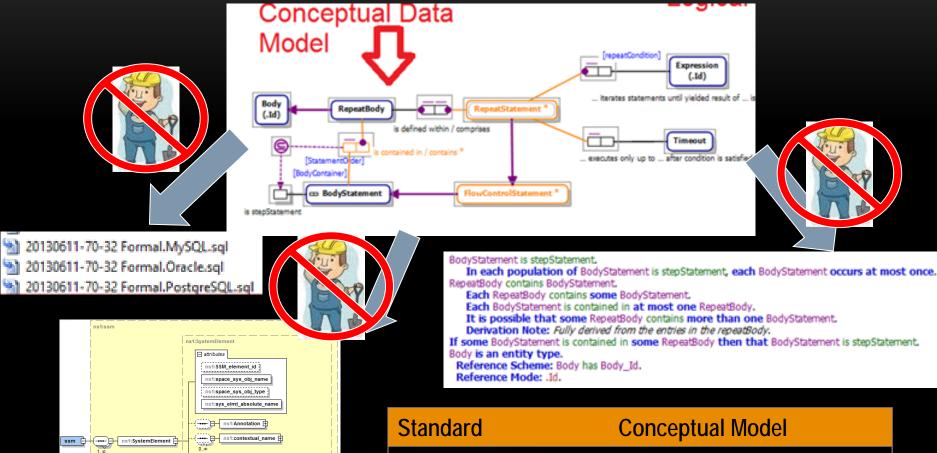


CONCEPTUALIZATION: DATA (III)

ns1:Activity

*ns1:parentSystemElement

+ constraints



Standard	Conceptual Model
26 Mandatory Pages	137 Mandatory Pages
88 Informative Pages	>400 static data requirements
	>60 Change Requests 8

CONCEPTUALIZATION: DATA (IV)

- After conceptualization, users can exchange procedures in:
 - Database Sets (e.g. SQL)
 - XML
 - ORM formats
- Editors are needed.
 - Define edition formats (i.e. grammars) to create procedures





CONCEPTUALIZATION: PROCESS (IV)

- Procedure Goal -> Execute
- Each data structure

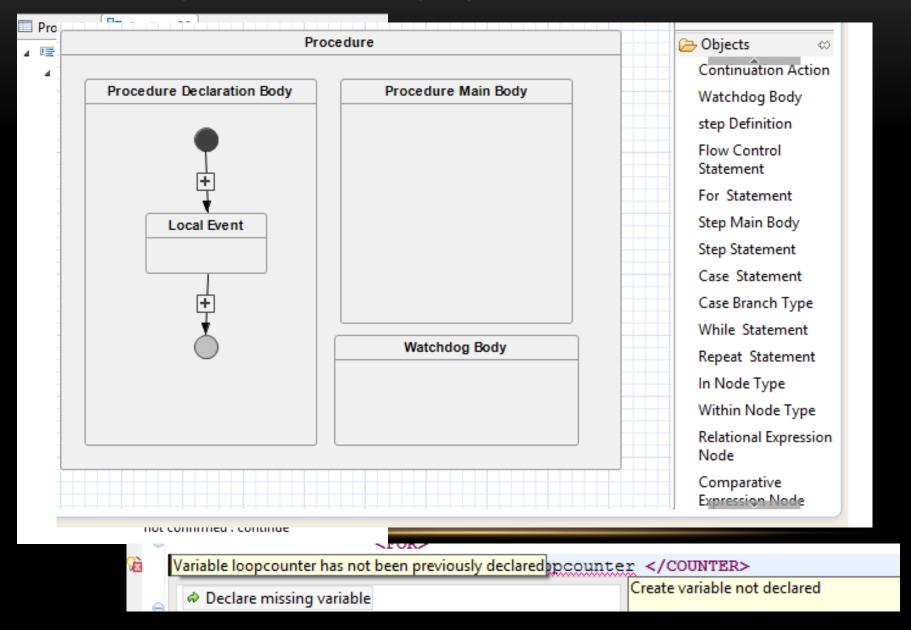
 Specific behavior
- Behaviors need to be modelled -> Interfaced
 - Require the definition data
 - Implies the creation of dynamic information (instances)
 - Follow a set of interactions between elements
 - Have to handle user/system inputs



DEVELOPMENT: EDITORS

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procedure2.pluto
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                                                          <PROCEDURE>
    Procedure{
                                                               <MAIN>
         declare{
             event ad described by "asb";
                                                                   <L0G>
             event ab ;
                                                                       <EXPRESSION><REL EXPRESSION>
         }end declare
                                                                           <TERM>
                                                                               <PRODUCT>
         main{
                                                                                   <FACTOR>
             initiate{
                                                                                        <CONSTANT>"embedded Executed"</CONSTANT>
                 sys1.sys2.Procedure2
             }end initiate;
                                                                                   </FACTOR>
             initiate and confirm{
                                                                               </PRODUCT>
                 sys1.sys2.Procedure2
                                                                           </TERM>
                 refer by "asda"in case{
                                                                       </REL_EXPRESSION></EXPRESSION>
                                                                       <EXPRESSION><REL_EXPRESSION>
                     aborted:abort:
                     confirmed:restart timeout{
                                                                           <TERM>
                          12
                                                                               <PRODUCT>
                     }end timeout;
                                                                                   <FACTOR>
                 }end case
                                                                                        <REQUEST>
             }end initiate and confirm;
                                                                                        <PROPERTY> "completion time" </PROPERTY>
                                                                                        <VALUE OF> sys1.sys2.Procedure2</VALUE OF></REQUEST>
             initiate and confirm step{
                 step ad {
                                                                                   </FACTOR>
                                                                               </PRODUCT>
                     main{
                                                                           </TERM>
                          wait{
                              for event ad
                                                                       </REL EXPRESSION></EXPRESSION>
                                                                  </LOG>
                          }end wait;
                                                               </MAIN>
                                                          </PROCEDURE>
                     }end main
                 }end step
             }end initiate and confirm;
             inform user{
                 43;
             };
         }end main
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DEVELOPMENT: EDITORS



DEVELOPMENT: SCALABILITY

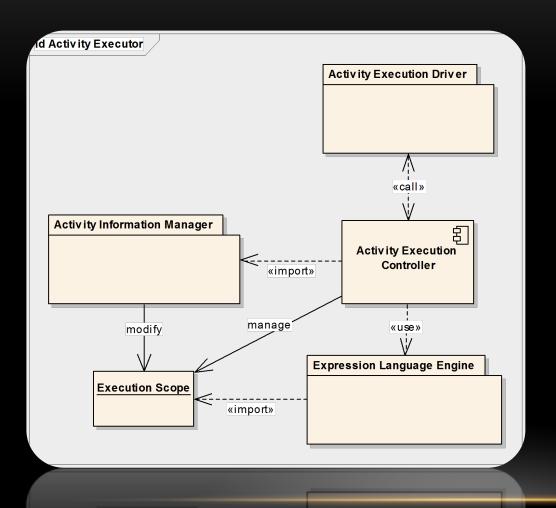
- Global constants
- Augment the possible data types with:
 - Byte Fields
 - Arrays (Simple or complex)
 - Record: Set of complex values which can mix both simple values and complex ones.

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- Allow the explicit raising of events during the execution.
- Assign a criticality to the declared events
- Mathematical exceptions handling (i.e. arithmetic and class cast exceptions)
- Transactional bodies

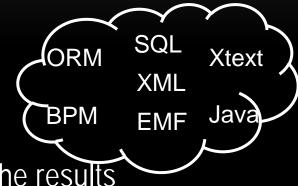
Editor
Validation
Transformation
Execution

DEVELOPMENT: UNIQUE ENGINE



VALIDATION

- Verification & Validation Techniques
 - Validation of the methodologies used



- Experts in the standard have assessed the results
- Existing procedures have been assessed with the created editors.
- Interoperability among different formats have been empirically proven during compilation and execution.



METHODOLOGY-REUSE

- Application in EGS-CC environment
 - The AP Execution Language:
 - Definition of structures/behaviors/interfaces
 - Definition of DSL languages and transformations into AP Format.
 - The CDM Definitions:
 - Definition of several MCM browsers/editors through the formalization of the data model.
- The HMI Project (ongoing):
 - Definition of the data model
 - Integration between graphical and textual procedure editors.
- Technical Knowledge
 - Use of OSGI Services
 - Application and integration of EMF/Xtext/GMF Libraries

CONCLUSIONS

- Having common meta-model and execution engine:
 - Only new front-ends have to be developed
 - Expand the range of activities where space standards can be used.
 - Reduce updates/modifications impact
- Conceptualization of requirements
 - Ensure completeness and validity of requirements
 - Help design and development stages

Any Question?