Lecture 3 - January 17

Introduction, Math Review

Model-Based Development TLA+ Logical vs. Programming Operators



- Lab1 released
 - + tutorial videos
 - + problems to solve

Software Development Process



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- Requirement Elicitation
- 2347: Event-B model 47315: TLAt blele - Blueprints - Not necessarily executable & testable
- IMPLEMENTATION

REQUIREMENT

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- API Given - Efficient (data structures & algorithms)
- Unit Tests



- Customer's Acceptance
- Recall?

Correct by Construction



Source: https://audiobookstore.com/audiobooks/failure-is-not-an-option-1.aspx

Correct by Construction: Bridge Controller System



Correct by Construction: File Transfer Protocol







TLA+ Toolbox

TLA + (<u>Temporal Logic of Actions</u>) is a high-level language for modeling programs and systems—especially concurrent and distributed ones. It's based on the idea that the best way to describe things precisely is with simple mathematics.

TLA+ and its tools are useful for eliminating fundamental **design errors**, which are hard to find and expensive to correct in code.

TLA+ is a language for modeling *software* <u>above</u> the code level and *hardware* <u>above</u> the circuit level.

It has an *IDE* (Integrated Development Environment) for writing models and running tools to check them. The tool most commonly used by engineers is the *TLC model checker*, but there is also a proof checker.

TLA+ is based on mathematics and does not resemble any programming language. Most engineers will find *PlusCal*, described below, to be the easiest way to start using TLA+.

I have design language.





Logical Operator vs. Programming Operator



Q. Are the \wedge and \vee operators equivalent to, respectively, && and || in Java?



