Specifying & Refining a Bridge Controller

MEB: Chapter 2



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Learning Outcomes



This module is designed to help you understand:

- What a Requirement Document (RD) is
- What a refinement is
- Writing <u>formal</u> specifications
 - o (Static) contexts: constants, axioms, theorems
 - o (Dynamic) machines: variables, invariants, events, guards, actions
- Proof Obligations (POs) associated with proving:
 - refinements
 - system properties
- Applying inference rules of the sequent calculus



Recall: Correct by Construction

- Directly reasoning about <u>source code</u> (written in a programming language) is too complicated to be feasible.
- Instead, given a requirements document, prior to implementation, we develop models through a series of refinement steps:
 - Each model formalizes an external observer's perception of the system.
 - Models are "sorted" with increasing levels of accuracy w.r.t. the system.
 - The first model, though the most abstract, can <u>already</u> be proved satisfying <u>some</u> requirements.
 - Starting from the second model, each model is analyzed and proved correct relative to two criteria:
 - 1. Some *requirements* (i.e., R-descriptions)
 - Proof Obligations (POs) related to the <u>preceding model</u> being refined by the <u>current model</u> (via "extra" state variables and events).
 - The <u>last model</u> (which is <u>correct by construction</u>) should be <u>sufficiently close</u> to be transformed into a <u>working program</u> (e.g., in C).

State Space of a Model



- A model's state space is the set of all configurations:
 - Each <u>configuration</u> assigns values to <u>constants</u> & <u>variables</u>, subject to:
 - axiom (e.g., typing constraints, assumptions)
 - invariant properties/theorems
 - Say an initial model of a bank system with two constants and a variable:

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\begin{array}{ll} c \in \mathbb{N}1 \wedge L \in \mathbb{N}1 \wedge accounts \in String \nrightarrow \mathbb{Z} & /* typing \ constraint \ */ \\ \forall id \bullet id \in dom(accounts) \Rightarrow -c \leq accounts(id) \leq L & /* \ desired \ property \ */ \end{array}
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- Q. What is the **state space** of this initial model?
- **A**. All <u>valid</u> combinations of *c*, *L*, and *accounts*.
 - Configuration 1: $(c = 1,000, L = 500,000, b = \emptyset)$
 - Configuration 2: (c = 2,375, L = 700,000, b = {("id1",500), ("id2",1,250)})
 ... [Challenge: Combinatorial Explosion]
- Model Concreteness ↑ ⇒ (State Space ↑ ∧ Verification Difficulty ↑)
- A model's complexity should be guided by those properties intended to be verified against that model.
 - \Rightarrow *Infeasible* to prove <u>all</u> desired properties on <u>a</u> model.
 - ⇒ *Feasible* to distribute desired properties over a list of *refinements*.

Roadmap of this Module



We will walk through the development process of constructing models of a control system regulating cars on a bridge.

Such controllers exemplify a *reactive system*.

(with sensors and actuators)

- Always stay on top of the following roadmap:
 - 1. A Requirements Document (RD) of the bridge controller
 - 2. A brief overview of the *refinement strategy*
 - 3. An initial, the most *abstract* model
 - 4. A subsequent *model* representing the 1st refinement
 - 5. A subsequent *model* representing the 2nd refinement
 - 6. A subsequent *model* representing the 3rd refinement



Requirements Document: Mainland, Island

Imagine you are asked to build a bridge (as an alternative to ferry) connecting the downtown and Toronto Island.



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Requirements Document: E-Descriptions

Each *E-Description* is an <u>atomic</u> <u>specification</u> of a <u>constraint</u> or an <u>assumption</u> of the system's working environment.

ENV1	The system is equipped with two traffic lights with two colors: green and red.
ENV2	The traffic lights control the entrance to the bridge at both ends of it.
ENV3	Cars are not supposed to pass on a red traffic light, only on a green one.
ENV4	The system is equipped with four sensors with two states: on or off.
ENV5	The sensors are used to detect the presence of a car entering or leaving the bridge: "on" means that a car is willing to enter the bridge or to leave it.



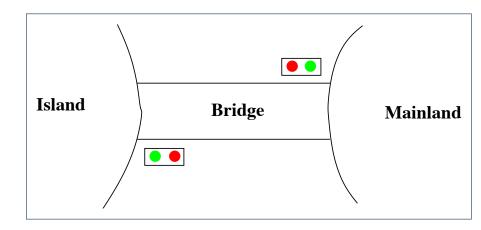
Requirements Document: R-Descriptions

Each *R-Description* is an <u>atomic</u> *specification* of an intended *functionality* or a desired *property* of the working system.

REQ1	The system is controlling cars on a bridge connecting the mainland to an island.
REQ2	The number of cars on bridge and island is limited.
REQ3	The bridge is one-way or the other, not both at the same time.



Requirements Document: Visual Summary of Equipment Pieces



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Refinement Strategy

- Before diving into details of the models, we first clarify the adopted design strategy of progressive refinements.
 - **0.** The *initial model* (m_0) will address the intended functionality of a *limited* number of cars on the island and bridge.

[**REQ2**]

 A 1st refinement (m₁ which refines m₀) will address the intended functionality of the bridge being one-way.

[REQ1, REQ3]

 A 2nd refinement (m₂ which refines m₁) will address the environment constraints imposed by traffic lights.

[ENV1, ENV2, ENV3]

 A <u>final</u>, 3rd refinement (m₃ which refines m₂) will address the environment constraints imposed by sensors and the <u>architecture</u>: controller, environment, communication channels.

[ENV4, ENV5]

• Recall *Correct by Construction*:

From each *model* to its *refinement*, only a <u>manageable</u> amount of details are added, making it *feasible* to conduct **analysis** and **proofs**.

Model m_0 : Abstraction

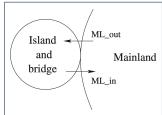


- In this most abstract perception of the bridge controller, we do not even consider the bridge, traffic lights, and sensors!
- Instead, we focus on this single *requirement*:

REQ2 The number of cars on bridge and island is limited.
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Analogies:

 Observe the system from the sky: island and bridge appear only as a compound.



"Zoom in" on the system as refinements are introduced.

Model m_0 : State Space



1. The *static* part is fixed and may be seen/imported.

A *constant d* denotes the <u>maximum</u> number of cars allowed to be on the *island-bridge compound* at any time.

(whereas cars on the mainland is <u>unbounded</u>)

constants:

axioms:

 $axm0_1: d \in \mathbb{N}$

Remark. Axioms are assumed true and may be used to prove theorems.

2. The *dynamic* part changes as the system *evolves*.

A *variable n* denotes the actual number of cars, at a given moment, in the *island-bridge compound*.

variables: n

invariants:

inv0_1 : $n \in \mathbb{N}$ inv0_2 : n < d

Remark. **Invariants** should be (subject to **proofs**):

- Established when the system is first initialized
- Preserved/Maintained after any enabled event's actions take effect

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Model m_0 : State Transitions via Events

- The system acts as an ABSTRACT STATE MACHINE (ASM): it <u>evolves</u> as actions of <u>enabled</u> events change values of variables, subject to <u>invariants</u>.
- At any given *state* (a <u>valid</u> *configuration* of constants/variables):
 - An event is said to be <u>enabled</u> if its guard evaluates to <u>true</u>.
 - An event is said to be <u>disabled</u> if its guard evaluates to <u>false</u>.
 - An <u>enabled</u> event makes a **state transition** if it occurs and its actions take effect.
- <u>1st event</u>: A car <u>exits</u> mainland (and <u>enters</u> the island-bridge <u>compound</u>).

ML_out **begin** n := n + 1**end**

Correct Specification? Say d = 2. Witness: Event Trace (init, ML_out, ML_out, ML_out)

• <u>2nd event</u>: A car <u>enters</u> mainland (and <u>exits</u> the island-bridge <u>compound</u>).

ML_in **begin** *n* := *n* − 1 **end**

Correct Specification? Say d = 2. Witness: Event Trace (init, ML_in)

Model m_0 : Actions vs. Before-After Predicates on Definition 1.

- When an enabled event e occurs there are two notions of state:
 - Before-/Pre-State: Configuration just before e's actions take effect
 - After-/Post-State: Configuration just <u>after</u> e's actions take effect
 <u>Remark</u>. When an <u>enabled</u> event occurs, its <u>action(s)</u> cause a <u>transition</u> from the <u>pre-state</u> to the <u>post-state</u>.
- As examples, consider *actions* of m_0 's two events:

- An event action "n:= n + 1" is not a variable assignment; instead, it is a specification: "n becomes n + 1 (when the state transition completes)".
- The before-after predicate (BAP) "n' = n + 1" expresses that
 n' (the post-state value of n) is one more than n (the pre-state value of n).
- When we express proof obligations (POs) associated with events, we use BAP.
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Design of Events: Invariant Preservation

· Our design of the two events

```
ML_out

begin

n := n + 1

end
```

```
ML_in

begin

n:= n - 1

end
```

only specifies how the *variable n* should be updated.

Remember, invariants are conditions that should never be violated!

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invariants:

inv0_1 : n \in \mathbb{N}

inv0_2 : n \le d
```

By simulating the system as an ASM, we discover witnesses
 (i.e., event traces) of the invariants not being preserved all the time.

$$\exists s \bullet s \in \mathsf{STATE} \; \mathsf{SPACE} \Rightarrow \neg invariants(s)$$

 We formulate such a commitment to preserving invariants as a proof obligation (PO) rule (a.k.a. a verification condition (VC) rule).

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Sequents: Syntax and Semantics

We formulate each PO/VC rule as a (horizontal or vertical) sequent:

$$H \vdash G$$
 G

- The symbol ⊢ is called the turnstile.
- H is a <u>set</u> of predicates forming the *hypotheses/assumptions*.

[assumed as true]

• G is a <u>set</u> of predicates forming the *goal/conclusion*.

[claimed to be **provable** from H]

- Informally:
 - \circ *H* ⊢ *G* is *true* if *G* can be proved by assuming *H*.

[i.e., We say "H entails G" or "H yields G"]

- $H \vdash G$ is *false* if G cannot be proved by assuming H.
- Formally: $H \vdash G \iff (H \Rightarrow G)$
 - **Q**. What does it mean when *H* is empty (i.e., no hypotheses)?

A.
$$\vdash G \equiv true \vdash G$$
 [Why not $\vdash G \equiv false \vdash G$?

PO of Invariant Preservation: Sketch



• Here is a sketch of the PO/VC rule for *invariant preservation*:

Axioms

Invariants Satisfied at *Pre-State* Guards of the Event

<u>INV</u>

 \vdash

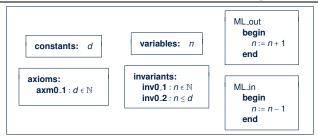
Invariants Satisfied at **Post-State**

Informally, this is what the above PO/VC requires to prove:
 Assuming all axioms, invariants, and the event's guards hold at the pre-state, after the state transition is made by the event,

all invariants hold at the post-state.

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PO of Invariant Preservation: Components



c: list of constants

(d)

A(c): list of axioms

(axm0₋1)

• v and v': list of variables in pre- and post-states

 $\mathbf{v} \cong \langle n \rangle, \mathbf{v'} \cong \langle n' \rangle$

• *I*(*c*, *v*): list of *invariants*

 $\langle inv0_1, inv0_2 \rangle$

• G(c, v): the **event**'s list of guards

$$G(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle true \rangle$, $G(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle true \rangle$

• E(c, v): effect of the *event*'s actions i.t.o. what variable values <u>become</u>

$$E(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle n+1 \rangle$, $E(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$ of $ML_out \cong \langle n-1 \rangle$

• v' = E(c, v): **before-after predicate** formalizing E's actions

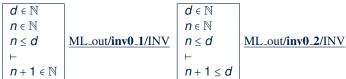
BAP of
$$ML_out$$
: $\langle \mathbf{n}' \rangle = \langle \mathbf{n} + 1 \rangle$, BAP of ML_in : $\langle \mathbf{n}' \rangle = \langle \mathbf{n} - 1 \rangle$



Rule of Invariant Preservation: Sequents

 Based on the components (c, A(c), v, I(c, v), E(c, v)), we are able to formally state the PO/VC Rule of Invariant Preservation:

- Accordingly, how many sequents to be proved? [# events × # invariants]
- We have two sequents generated for event ML_out of model m_0 :



Exercise. Write the **POs of invariant preservation** for event ML_in.

Before claiming that a *model* is *correct*, outstanding *sequents* associated with <u>all *POs*</u> must be <u>proved/discharged</u>.

Inference Rules: Syntax and Semantics



• An inference rule (IR) has the following form:

A L

Formally: $A \Rightarrow C$ is an <u>axiom</u>.

Informally: To prove *C*, it is <u>sufficient</u> to prove *A* instead.

Informally: *C* is the case, assuming that *A* is the case.

- L is a <u>name</u> label for referencing the *inference rule* in proofs.
- A is a set of sequents known as antecedents of rule L.
- C is a <u>single</u> sequent known as consequent of rule L.
- Let's consider inference rules (IRs) with two different flavours:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} H1 \vdash G \\ \hline H1, H2 \vdash G \end{array} \quad MON \qquad \boxed{\qquad \qquad n \in \mathbb{N} \vdash n+1 \in \mathbb{N}} \qquad P2$$

- ∘ IR **MON**: To prove $H1, H2 \vdash G$, it <u>suffices</u> to prove $H1 \vdash G$ instead.
- IR **P2**: $n \in \mathbb{N} \vdash n+1 \in \mathbb{N}$ is an *axiom*.

[<u>proved</u> automatically without further justifications]

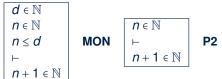


Proof of Sequent: Steps and Structure

To prove the following sequent (related to invariant preservation):



- Apply a inference rule, which transforms some "outstanding" sequent to one or more other sequents to be proved instead.
- Keep applying inference rules until all transformed sequents are axioms that do not require any further justifications.
- Here is a formal proof of ML_out/inv0_1/INV, by applying IRs MON and P2:



Example Inference Rules (1)



1st Peano axiom: 0 is a natural number.

2nd Peano axiom: n+1 is a natural number, assuming that n is a natural number.

$$\boxed{ 0 < n \vdash n-1 \in \mathbb{N}}$$
 P2'

n-1 is a natural number, assuming that n is positive.

3rd Peano axiom: n is non-negative, assuming that n is a natural number.

Example Inference Rules (2)



$$n < m \vdash n + 1 < m$$

n+1 is less than or equal to m, assuming that n is strictly less than m.

 $n \le m \vdash n-1 < m$

DEC

n-1 is strictly less than m, assuming that n is less than or equal to m.

Example Inference Rules (3)



$$\frac{H1 \vdash G}{H1, H2 \vdash G} \quad MON$$

To prove a goal under certain hypotheses, it suffices to prove it under less hypotheses.

$$\frac{H,P \vdash R \qquad H,Q \vdash R}{H,P \lor Q \vdash R} \quad \mathbf{OR_L}$$

Proof by Cases:

To prove a goal under a disjunctive assumption, it suffices to prove **independently** the same goal, <u>twice</u>, under each disjunct.

$$\frac{H \vdash P}{H \vdash P \lor Q} \quad \mathbf{OR_R1}$$

To prove a disjunction, it suffices to prove the left disjunct.

$$\frac{H \vdash Q}{H \vdash P \lor Q} \quad \mathbf{OR_R2}$$

To prove a disjunction, it suffices to prove the right disjunct.



Revisiting Design of Events: ML_out

Recall that we already proved PO | ML_out/inv0_1/INV |:

- ∴ *ML_out/inv0_1/INV* succeeds in being discharged.
- How about the other PO | ML_out/inv0_2/INV | for the same event?

$$\begin{bmatrix}
d \in \mathbb{N} \\
n \in \mathbb{N} \\
n \le d \\
\vdash \\
n+1 \le d
\end{bmatrix}$$
MON
$$\begin{bmatrix}
n \le d \\
\vdash \\
n+1 \le d
\end{bmatrix}$$

:. ML_out/inv0_2/INV fails to be discharged.

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Revisiting Design of Events: ML_in

• How about the **PO** ML_in/inv0_1/INV for ML_in:

- : ML_in/inv0_1/INV fails to be discharged.
- How about the other **PO** | ML_in/inv0_2/INV | for the same event?

$$d \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$n \leq d$$

$$\vdash$$

$$n-1 < d$$

$$mon$$

:. ML_in/inv0_2/INV succeeds in being discharged.

Fixing the Design of Events



- Proofs of ML_out/inv0_2/INV and ML_in/inv0_1/INV fail due to the two events being enabled when they should not.
- Having this feedback, we add proper *guards* to *ML_out* and *ML_in*:

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ML_out

when

n < d

then

n := n + 1

end
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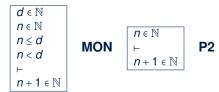
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ML_in
when
n > 0
then
n := n - 1
end
```

- Having changed both events, <u>updated</u> <u>sequents</u> will be generated for the PO/VC rule of <u>invariant preservation</u>.
- <u>All</u> sequents ({ML_out, ML_in} × {inv0_1, inv0_2}) now provable?

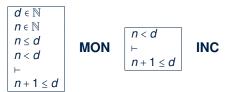


Revisiting Fixed Design of Events: *ML_out*

• How about the **PO** ML_out/**inv0_1**/INV for *ML_out*:



- ∴ *ML_out/inv0_1/INV* still <u>succeeds</u> in being discharged!
- How about the other PO | ML_out/inv0_2/INV | for the same event?



:. ML_out/inv0_2/INV now succeeds in being discharged!



Revisiting Fixed Design of Events: ML_in

• How about the **PO** ML_in/inv0_1/INV for ML_in:

- ∴ *ML_in/inv0_1/INV* now <u>succeeds</u> in being discharged!
- How about the other PO | ML_in/inv0_2/INV | for the same event?

:. ML_in/inv0_2/INV still succeeds in being discharged!

Initializing the Abstract System m_0



- Discharging the four sequents proved that both invariant conditions are preserved between occurrences/interleavings of events ML_out and ML_in.
- But how are the *invariants established* in the first place?

Analogy. Proving *P* via *mathematical induction*, two cases to prove:

- \circ P(1), P(2), ...[base cases ≈ establishing inv.] $\circ P(n) \Rightarrow P(n+1)$
 - [inductive cases ≈ preserving inv.]
- Therefore, we specify how the **ASM** 's initial state looks like:
 - √ The IB compound, once initialized, has no cars.

- init begin n := 0
 - end

- Initialization always possible: guard is *true*.
- √ There is no pre-state for init.
 - .: The RHS of := must not involve variables.
 - ∴ The RHS of := may only involve constants.
- There is only the **post-state** for *init*.
 - ∴ Before-After Predicate: n' = 0

PO of Invariant Establishment



init

begin *n* := 0 **end**

- ✓ An *reactive system*, once *initialized*, should <u>never</u> terminate.
- ✓ Event *init* cannot "preserve" the *invariants*.
 - : State before its occurrence (*pre-state*) does <u>not</u> exist.
- ✓ Event init only required to establish invariants for the first time.
- A new formal component is needed:
 - K(c): effect of *init*'s actions i.t.o. what variable values <u>become</u>
 e.g., K(⟨d⟩) of *init* ≘ ⟨0⟩
 - v' = K(c): **before-after predicate** formalizing *init*'s actions

e.g., BAP of *init*: $\langle n' \rangle = \langle 0 \rangle$

Accordingly, PO of *invariant establisment* is formulated as a *sequent*:

Axioms

 \vdash

Invariants Satisfied at **Post-State**

INV

A(c) \vdash $I_i(c, K(c))$

INV

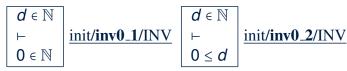


Discharging PO of Invariant Establishment

• How many **sequents** to be proved?

[# invariants]

• We have <u>two</u> **sequents** generated for **event** init of model m_0 :



• Can we discharge the PO init/inv0_1/INV ?



• Can we discharge the **PO** init/inv0_2/INV ?





System Property: Deadlock Freedom

- So far we have proved that our initial model m₀ is s.t. <u>all</u> invariant conditions are:
 - Established when system is first initialized via init
 - Preserved whenevner there is a state transition

(via an enabled event: ML_out or ML_in)

- However, whenever <u>event occurrences</u> are <u>conditional</u> (i.e., <u>guards</u> stronger than <u>true</u>), there is a possibility of <u>deadlock</u>:
 - A state where guards of all events evaluate to false
 - When a deadlock happens, none of the events is enabled.
 - ⇒ The system is blocked and not reactive anymore!
- We express this non-blocking property as a new requirement:

REQ4	Once started, the system should work for ever.





- Recall some of the formal components we discussed:
 - o c: list of constants $\langle d \rangle$ o A(c): list of axioms $\langle axm0_{-}1 \rangle$
 - A(c): list of *axioms* • v and v': list of *variables* in *pre*- and *post*-states • I(c, v): list of *invariants* • I(c, v): list of *invariants*
 - G(c, v): the event's list of *quards*

$$G(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle n < d \rangle$, $G(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle n > 0 \rangle$

A system is deadlock-free if at least one of its events is enabled:

Axioms

Invariants Satisfied at Pre-State \vdash Disjunction of the guards satisfied at Pre-State A(c) I(c, v) \vdash $G_1(c, v) \lor$



To prove about deadlock freedom

- o An event's effect of state transition is **not** relevant.
- Instead, the evaluation of <u>all</u> events' guards at the pre-state is relevant.

PO of Deadlock Freedom (2)



- **Deadlock freedom** is not necessarily a desired property.
 - \Rightarrow When it is (like m_0), then the generated **sequents** must be discharged.
- Applying the PO of deadlock freedom to the initial model m₀:

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
A(c) & d \in \mathbb{N} \\
I(c, v) & n \in \mathbb{N} \\
 & n \leq d \\
 & n < d < n > 0
\end{array}$$

$$\underline{DLF} \quad n < d < n > 0$$

Our bridge controller being **deadlock-free** means that cars can **always** enter (via **ML_out**) or leave (via **ML_in**) the island-bridge compound.

Can we <u>formally</u> discharge this <u>PO</u> for our <u>initial model</u> m₀?

Example Inference Rules (4)



__________H**YP**

A goal is proved if it can be assumed.

FALSE_L

Assuming false (\perp), anything can be proved.

——— TRUE_R

 $\textit{true} \ (\top)$ is proved, regardless of the assumption.

_____ **EQ**

An expression being equal to itself is proved, regardless of the assumption.

Example Inference Rules (5)



$$H(\mathbf{F}), \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{F} \vdash P(\mathbf{F})$$

$$H(E), E = F \vdash P(E)$$

EQ_LR

To prove a goal P(E) assuming H(E), where both P and H depend on expression E, it <u>suffices</u> to prove P(F) assuming H(F), where both P and H depend on expression F, given that E is equal to F.

$$H(\mathbf{E}), \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{F} \vdash P(\mathbf{E})$$

$$H(\mathbf{F}), \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{F} \vdash P(\mathbf{F})$$

EQ_RL

To prove a goal P(F) assuming H(F), where both P and H depend on expression F, it suffices to prove P(E) assuming H(E), where both P and H depend on expresion E, given that E is equal to F.





$$A(c)$$
 $I(c, \mathbf{v})$
 \vdash
 $G_1(c, \mathbf{v}) \lor \cdots \lor G_m(c, \mathbf{v})$
 DLF

$$d \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$n \in \mathbb{N}$$

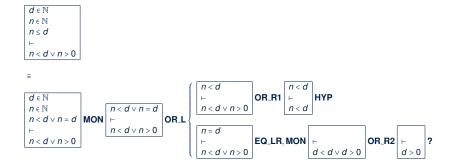
$$n \le d$$

$$\vdash$$

$$n < d \lor n > 0$$



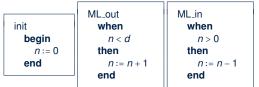
Discharging PO of DLF: First Attempt





Why Did the DLF PO Fail to Discharge?

- In our first attempt, proof of the 2nd case failed: $\vdash d > 0$
- This *unprovable* sequent gave us a good hint:
 - For the model under consideration (m_0) to be **deadlock-free**, it is required that d > 0. [≥ 1 car allowed in the IB compound]
 - But current specification of m₀ not strong enough to entail this:
 - $\neg(d > 0) \equiv d \le 0$ is possible for the current model
 - Given axm0_1 : d ∈ N
 - \Rightarrow d = 0 is allowed by m_0 which causes a **deadlock**.
- Recall the init event and the two guarded events:



When d=0, the disjunction of guards evaluates to *false*: $0<0\lor0>0$

⇒ As soon as the system is initialized, it *deadlocks immediately* as no car can either enter or leave the IR compound!!

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Fixing the Context of Initial Model

• Having understood the <u>failed</u> proof, we add a proper **axiom** to m_0 :

axioms:

 $axm0_2: d > 0$

We have effectively elaborated on REQ2:

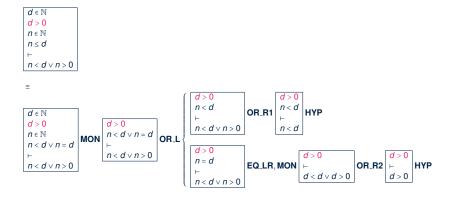
REQ2

The number of cars on bridge and island is limited but positive.

- Having changed the context, an <u>updated</u> sequent will be generated for the PO/VC rule of deadlock freedom.
- Is this new sequent now provable?



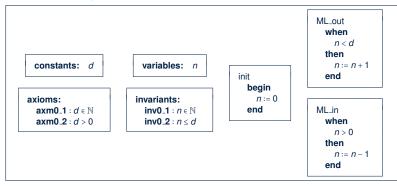
Discharging PO of DLF: Second Attempt







- The <u>final</u> version of our *initial model m*₀ is **provably correct** w.r.t.:
 - Establishment of *Invariants*
 - Preservation of *Invariants*
 - Deadlock Freedom
- Here is the <u>final</u> **specification** of m_0 :

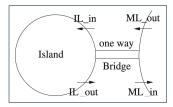




Model m_1 : "More Concrete" Abstraction

- First refinement has a more concrete perception of the bridge controller:
 - We "zoom in" by observing the system from closer to the ground, so that the island-bridge compound is split into:

- · the island
- the (one-way) bridge



- Nonetheless, traffic lights and sensors remain abstracted away!
- That is, we focus on these two *requirement*:

REQ1	The system is controlling cars on a bridge connecting the mainland to an island.
REQ3	The bridge is one-way or the other, not both at the same time.

• We are **obliged to prove** this **added concreteness** is **consistent** with m_0 .

Model m_1 : Refined State Space

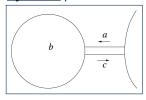


1. The **static** part is the same as m_0 's:

constants: d

axioms: $axm0_1: d \in \mathbb{N}$ $axm0_2: d > 0$

2. The dynamic part of the concrete state consists of three variables:



- a: number of cars on the bridge, heading to the <u>island</u>
- b: number of cars on the island
- c: number of cars on the bridge, heading to the <u>mainland</u>

- √ inv1_1, inv1_2, inv1_3 are typing constraints.
- √ inv1_4 links/glues the
 abstract and concrete states.
- ✓ inv1_5 specifies that the bridge is one-way.

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Model m_1 : State Transitions via Events

- The system acts as an ABSTRACT STATE MACHINE (ASM): it <u>evolves</u> as
 actions of <u>enabled</u> events change values of variables, subject to <u>invariants</u>.
- We first consider the "old" *events* already existing in m_0 .
- Concrete/Refined version of event ML_out:



- Meaning of ML_out is refined:

 a car exits mainland (getting on the bridge).
- ML_out enabled only when:
 - the bridge's current traffic <u>flows to</u> the island
 - number of cars on both the <u>bridge</u> and the <u>island</u> is <u>limited</u>
- Concrete/Refined version of event ML_in:



- Meaning of ML_in is refined:
 a car enters mainland (getting off the bridge).
- o ML_in enabled only when:

there is some car on the bridge heading to the mainland.

Model m_1 : Actions vs. Before-After Predicates on DE

Consider the concrete/refined version of actions of m₀'s two events:





Before–after predicates

$$\begin{vmatrix} a' = a \ \land \ b' = b \ \land \\ c' = c - 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$a' = a + 1 \land b' = b \land c' = c$$

- An event's actions are a specification: "c becomes c 1 after the transition".
- The before-after predicate (BAP) "c' = c 1" expresses that
 c' (the post-state value of c) is one less than c (the pre-state value of c).
- Given that the concrete state consists of three variables:
 - An event's <u>actions</u> only specify those <u>changing</u> from <u>pre</u>-state to <u>post</u>-state.

[e.g.,
$$c' = c - 1$$
]

Other <u>unmentioned</u> variables have their <u>post</u>-state values remain <u>unchanged</u>.

[e.g.,
$$a' = a \wedge b' = b$$
]

When we express proof obligations (POs) associated with events, we use BAP.
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States & Invariants: Abstract vs. Concrete

- m_1 refines m_0 by introducing more *variables*:
 - Abstract State (of m₀ being refined):
 - Concrete State (of the refinement model m_1):

variables: n

variables: a, b, c

- Accordingly, invariants may involve different states:
 - Abstract Invariants (involving the abstract state only):

Concrete Invariants
(involving at least the concrete state):

invariants: inv0_1 : $n \in \mathbb{N}$ inv0_2 : $n \le d$

invariants:

inv1_1 : $a \in \mathbb{N}$ inv1_2 : $b \in \mathbb{N}$ inv1_3 : $c \in \mathbb{N}$

 $inv1_4: a + b + c = n$

 $inv1_5: a = 0 \lor c = 0$



Events: Abstract vs. Concrete

- When an *event* exists in both models m_0 and m_1 , there are two versions of it:
 - The *abstract* version modifies the *abstract* state.

```
(abstract_)ML_in

when

n > 0

then

n := n − 1

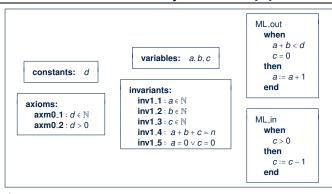
end
```

The concrete version modifies the concrete state.

 A <u>new event</u> may <u>only</u> exist in m₁ (the <u>concrete</u> model): we will deal with this kind of events later, separately from "redefined/overridden" events.

PO of Refinement: Components (1)





c: list of constants

 $\langle d \rangle$

A(c): list of axioms

⟨axm0₋1⟩

• v and v': abstract variables in pre- & post-states

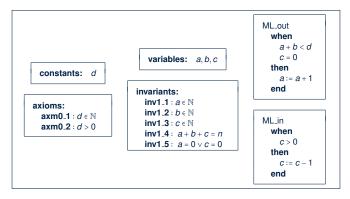
- $v \cong \langle n \rangle, v' \cong \langle n \rangle$
- w and w': concrete variables in pre- & post-states $w \cong (a, b, c), w' \cong (a', b', c')$
 - (inv0_1, inv0_2)

• I(c, v): list of abstract invariants

• J(c, v, w): list of **concrete invariants** 50 of 124







G(c, v): list of guards of the abstract event

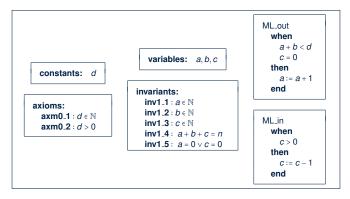
$$G(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle n < d \rangle$, $G(c, v)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle n > 0 \rangle$

• H(c, w): list of guards of the **concrete event**

$$H(\langle d \rangle, \langle a, b, c \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle a + b < d, c = 0 \rangle$, $H(c, w)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle c > 0 \rangle$

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PO of Refinement: Components (3)



• E(c, v): effect of the **abstract event**'s actions i.t.o. what variable values **become**

$$E(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle n+1 \rangle$, $E(\langle d \rangle, \langle n \rangle)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle n-1 \rangle$

• F(c, w): effect of the *concrete event*'s actions i.t.o. what variable values <u>become</u>

$$F(c, w)$$
 of $ML_out \cong \langle a+1, b, c \rangle$, $F(c, w)$ of $ML_in \cong \langle a, b, c-1 \rangle$

Sketching PO of Refinement



The PO/VC rule for a proper refinement consists of two parts:

1. Guard Strengthening

Axioms
Abstract Invariants Satisfied at Pre-State
Concrete Invariants Satisfied at Pre-State
Guards of the Concrete Event

Guards of the Abstract Event



- A concrete transition <u>always</u> has an abstract counterpart.
- A concrete event is enabled only if abstract counterpart is enabled.

2. Invariant Preservation

Axioms

Abstract Invariants Satisfied at Pre-State

Concrete Invariants Satisfied at Pre-State

Guards of the Concrete Event

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Concrete Invariants Satisfied at Post-State



 A concrete event performs a transition on concrete states.

This concrete state transition must be consistent with how its abstract counterpart performs a corresponding abstract transition.

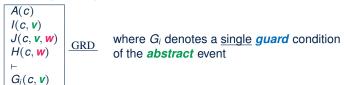
<u>Note</u>. *Guard strengthening* and *invariant preservation* are only <u>applicable</u> to events that might be *enabled* after the system is <u>launched</u>.

The special, non-guarded init event will be discussed separately later.



Refinement Rule: Guard Strengthening

 Based on the components, we are able to formally state the PO/VC Rule of Guard Strengthening for Refinement:



How many sequents to be proved?

- [# abstract guards]
- For ML_out, only one abstract guard, so one sequent is generated :

Exercise. Write ML_in's PO of Guard Strengthening for Refinement.



PO Rule: Guard Strengthening of *ML_out*

```
axm<sub>0</sub> 1
                                         d \in \mathbb{N}
                        axm0 2
                                         d > 0
                          inv0_1
                                         n \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv<sub>0</sub> 2
                                         n < d
                          inv1 1
                                         a \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv1 2
                                         b \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv1 3
                                         c \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv1_4
                                         a+b+c=n
                          inv1 5
                                         a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                         a+b < d
Concrete guards of ML_out
                                         c = 0
Abstract guards of ML_out
```

ML_out/GRD



PO Rule: Guard Strengthening of *ML_in*

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
                    axm0 1
                    axm0 2
                                    d > 0
                      inv0_1
                                    n \in \mathbb{N}
                      inv0 2
                                    n < d
                      inv1 1
                                    a \in \mathbb{N}
                                    b \in \mathbb{N}
                      inv1 2
                      inv1_3
                                    c \in \mathbb{N}
                      inv1 4
                                    a+b+c=n
                      inv15
                                    a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                    c > 0
Concrete guards of ML_in
Abstract guards of ML_in
```

ML_in/GRD

Proving Refinement: ML_out/GRD



```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
n \in \mathbb{N}
n \le d
a \in \mathbb{N}
b \in \mathbb{N}
c \in \mathbb{N}
a + b + c = n
a = 0 \lor c = 0
a + b < d
c = 0
 \mid
n < d
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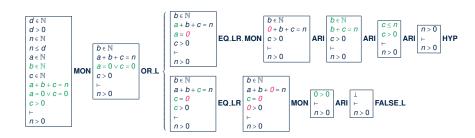






Proving Refinement: ML_in/GRD



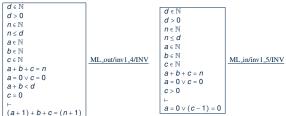




Refinement Rule: Invariant Preservation

 Based on the components, we are able to formally state the PO/VC Rule of Invariant Preservation for Refinement:

- # sequents to be proved? [# concrete, old evts × # concrete invariants]
- Here are <u>two</u> (of the <u>ten</u>) *sequents* generated:



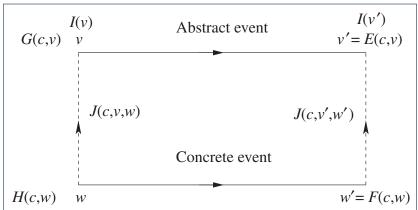
• Exercises. Specify and prove other eight POs of Invariant Preservation. 59 of 124



Visualizing Inv. Preservation in Refinement

Each **concrete** event (w to w') is **simulated by** an **abstract** event (v to v'):

- abstract & concrete pre-states related by concrete invariants J(c, v, w)
- abstract & concrete post-states related by concrete invariants J(c, v', w')



INV PO of m_1 : ML_out/inv1_4/INV



```
axm0 1
                                                 d \in \mathbb{N}
                                  axm<sub>0</sub> 2
                                                 d > 0
                                                 n \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv0 1
                                   inv<sub>0</sub> 2
                                                 n < d
                                   inv1 1
                                                 a \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv1_2
                                                 h \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv1 3
                                                c \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv1 4
                                                 a+b+c=n
                                   inv1 5
                                                 a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                                 a+b < d
           Concrete guards of ML_out
                                                  c = 0
             Concrete invariant inv1 4
                                               \{(a+1)+b+c=(n+1)\}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
```

ML_out/inv1_4/INV

INV PO of m_1 : ML_in/inv1_5/INV



```
axm<sub>0</sub> 1
                                                    d \in \mathbb{N}
                                   axm<sub>0</sub> 2
                                                    d > 0
                                     inv0 1
                                                    n \in \mathbb{N}
                                     inv<sub>0</sub> 2
                                                    n < d
                                     inv1 1
                                                    a \in \mathbb{N}
                                     inv1_2
                                                    b \in \mathbb{N}
                                     inv1 3
                                                  C \in \mathbb{N}
                                     inv1 4
                                                   a+b+c=n
                                                  a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                     inv1 5
             Concrete guards of ML_in
                                                    c > 0
            Concrete invariant inv1 5
                                                 \{ a = 0 \lor (c-1) = 0 \}
with ML_in's effect in the post-state
```

ML_in/inv1_5/INV



EQ

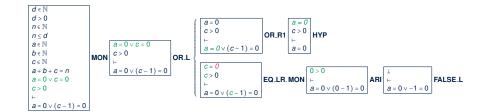
n+1=n+1

Proving Refinement: ML_out/inv1_4/INV

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
n \in \mathbb{N}
n < d
a \in \mathbb{N}
b \in \mathbb{N}
                                    a+b+c=n
                                                                       a+b+c=n
c \in \mathbb{N}
                            MON
                                                                 ARI
                                                                                                EQ_LR, MON |
                                                                       a + b + c + 1 = n + 1
a+b+c=n
                                    (a + 1) + b + c = (n + 1)
a = 0 \lor c = 0
a+b < d
c = 0
(a+1)+b+c=(n+1)
```

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Proving Refinement: ML_in/inv1_5/INV



Initializing the Refined System m_1



- Discharging the **twelve sequents** proved that:
 - concrete invariants preserved by ML_out & ML_in
 - o concrete guards of ML_out & ML_in entail their abstract counterparts
- What's left is the specification of how the ASM 's initial state looks like:

init

begin

a := 0

b := 0

c := 0

end

 \checkmark No cars on bridge (heading either way) and island

- Initialization always possible: guard is true.
- √ There is no pre-state for init.
 - ∴ The RHS of := must not involve variables.
 - \therefore The <u>RHS</u> of := may <u>only</u> involve constants.
- √ There is only the post-state for init.
 - \therefore Before-After Predicate: $a' = 0 \land b' = 0 \land c' = 0$

PO of *m*₁ **Concrete Invariant Establishment**



- o Some (new) formal components are needed:
 - K(c): effect of abstract init's actions:

e.g.,
$$K(\langle d \rangle)$$
 of init $\widehat{=} \langle 0 \rangle$

- v' = K(c): before-after predicate formalizing abstract init's actions
 e.g., BAP of init: ⟨n'⟩ = ⟨0⟩
- *L*(*c*): effect of *concrete init*'s actions:

e.g.,
$$K(\langle d \rangle)$$
 of init $\widehat{=} \langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle$

- w' = L(c): before-after predicate formalizing concrete init's actions
 e.g., BAP of init: (a', b', c') = (0, 0, 0)
- Accordingly, PO of invariant establisment is formulated as a sequent:





Discharging PO of m_1 Concrete Invariant Establishment

How many sequents to be proved?

[# concrete invariants]

• $\underline{\text{Two}}$ (of the $\underline{\text{five}}$) sequents generated for *concrete init* of m_1 :

$$\begin{bmatrix} d \in \mathbb{N} \\ d > 0 \\ \vdash \\ 0 + 0 + 0 = 0 \end{bmatrix} \underline{init/inv1_4/INV} \begin{bmatrix} d \in \mathbb{N} \\ d > 0 \\ \vdash \\ 0 = 0 \lor 0 = 0 \end{bmatrix} \underline{init/inv1_5/INV}$$

• Can we discharge the PO init/inv1_4/INV ?

• Can we discharge the PO init/inv1_5/INV ?

$$\begin{vmatrix} d \in \mathbb{N} \\ d > 0 \\ \vdash \\ 0 = 0 \lor 0 = 0 \end{vmatrix}$$
 ARI, MON $\vdash \top$ TRUE_R \therefore *init/inv1_5/INV* succeeds in being discharged.

Model m_1 : New, Concrete Events



- The system acts as an ABSTRACT STATE MACHINE (ASM): it <u>evolves</u> as actions of <u>enabled</u> events change values of variables, subject to <u>invariants</u>.
- Considered concrete/refined events already existing in m₀: ML_out & ML_in
- New event IL_in:



- *IL_in* denotes a car <u>entering</u> the island (getting off the bridge).
- IL_in enabled only when:
 - The bridge's current traffic <u>flows to</u> the island.
 - **Q**. <u>Limited</u> number of cars on the <u>bridge</u> and the <u>island</u>?
 - $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$. Ensured when the earlier ML_out (of same car) occurred
- New event IL_out:



- o *IL_out* denotes a car exiting the island (getting on the bridge).
- IL_out enabled only when:
 - · There is some car on the island.
 - The bridge's current traffic flows to the mainland.

Model m_1 : BA Predicates of Multiple Actions ASSONDE

Consider **actions** of m_1 's two **new** events:



• What is the BAP of ML_in's actions?

$$a' = a - 1 \wedge b' = b + 1 \wedge c' = c$$

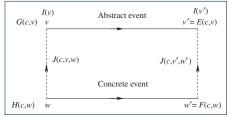
• What is the BAP of ML_in's actions?

$$a' = a \wedge b' = b - 1 \wedge c' = c + 1$$





Recall how a concrete event is simulated by its abstract counterpart:



- For each new event:
 - Strictly speaking, it does <u>not</u> have an abstract counterpart.
 - It is **simulated by** a special **abstract** event (transforming v to v'):

skip begin end

- skip is a "dummy" event: non-guarded and does nothing
- **Q**. **BAP** of the skip event?

$$\underline{\mathbf{A}}$$
. $n' = n$

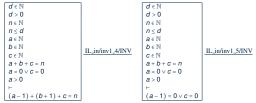


Refinement Rule: Invariant Preservation

- The new events *IL_in* and *IL_out* do <u>not</u> exist in **m**₀, but:
 - They <u>exist</u> in m₁ and may impact upon the *concrete* state space.
 - They preserve the concrete invariants, just as ML_out & ML_in do.
- Recall the PO/VC Rule of <u>Invariant Preservation</u> for <u>Refinement</u>:



- How many sequents to be proved? [# new evts × # concrete invariants]
- Here are two (of the ten) **sequents** generated:



Exercises. Specify and prove other eight POs of Invariant Preservation.

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                                inv1 2
                                inv1_3
                                             c \in \mathbb{N}
                                inv1 4
                                             a+b+c=n
                                inv15
                                             a = 0 \lor c = 0
                      Guards of IL_in
                                             a > 0
         Concrete invariant inv1_4
                                           \{(a-1)+(b+1)+c=n\}
with IL_in's effect in the post-state
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IL_in/inv1_4/INV

INV PO of m₁: IL_in/inv1_5/INV

with *IL_in*'s effect in the post-state



```
axm<sub>0</sub> 1
                                         d \in \mathbb{N}
                       axm<sub>0</sub> 2
                                         d > 0
                         inv<sub>0</sub> 1
                                         n \in \mathbb{N}
                         inv0 2
                                        n < d
                         inv1 1
                                        a \in \mathbb{N}
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IL_in/inv1_5/INV





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d > 0
n \in \mathbb{N}
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a \in \mathbb{N}
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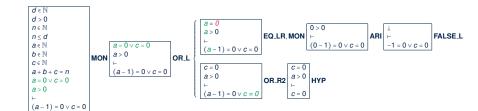
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$$a+b+c=n$$
 $+$
 $a+b+c=n$



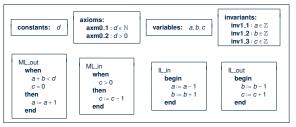
Proving Refinement: IL_in/inv1_5/INV





Livelock Caused by New Events Diverging

• An alternative m_1 (with inv1_4, inv1_5, and guards of new events removed):



Concrete invariants are **under-specified**: only typing constraints.

Exercises: Show that **Invariant Preservation** is provable, but **Guard Strengthening** is not.

Say this alternative m₁ is implemented as is:
 IL_in and IL_out <u>always enabled</u> and may occur <u>indefinitely</u>, preventing other "old" events (ML_out and ML_in) from ever happening:

 $\langle init, ML_out, IL_in, IL_out, IL_in, IL_out, ... \rangle$

Q: What are the corresponding *abstract* transitions?

 $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$: (init, ML_out, skip, skip, skip, skip, ...) [\approx executing while (true);

- We say that these two new events diverge, creating a livelock:
 - Different from a deadlock : always an event occurring (IL_in or IL_out).
 - But their indefinite occurrences contribute nothing useful.



PO of Convergence of New Events

The PO/VC rule for non-divergence/livelock freedom consists of two parts:

- Interleaving of new events characterized as an integer expr.: variant.
- A variant V(c, w) may refer to constants and/or *concrete* variables.
- In the original m_1 , let's try **variants**: $2 \cdot a + b$

1. Variant Stays Non-Negative

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$$J(c, v)$$

$$J(c, v, w)$$

$$H(c, w)$$

$$\vdash$$

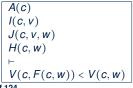
$$V(c, w) \in \mathbb{N}$$

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- Variant V(c, w) measures how many more times the new events can occur.
- If a **new** event is **enabled**, then V(c, w) > 0.
- When V(c, w) reaches 0, some "old" events must happen s.t. V(c, w) goes back above 0.

2. A New Event Occurrence Decreases Variant

VAR

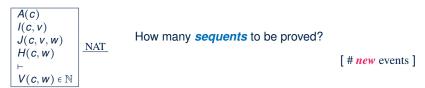


 If a new event is enabled and occurs, the value of V(c, w) ↓.



PO of Convergence of New Events: NAT

Recall: PO related to Variant Stays Non-Negative:



For the new event IL_in:

$$d \in \mathbb{N} \qquad d > 0$$

$$n \in \mathbb{N} \qquad n \le d$$

$$a \in \mathbb{N} \qquad b \in \mathbb{N} \qquad c \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$a + b + c = n \qquad a = 0 \lor c = 0$$

$$a > 0$$

$$\vdash \qquad 2 \cdot a + b \in \mathbb{N}$$

Exercises: Prove IL_in/NAT and Formulate/Prove IL_out/NAT.



PO of Convergence of New Events: VAR

Recall: PO related to A New Event Occurrence Decreases Variant

How many **sequents** to be proved?

[# new events]

• For the **new** event **IL_in**:

$$d \in \mathbb{N} \qquad d > 0$$

$$n \in \mathbb{N} \qquad n \le d$$

$$a \in \mathbb{N} \qquad b \in \mathbb{N} \qquad c \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$a + b + c = n \quad a = 0 \lor c = 0$$

$$a > 0$$

$$\vdash$$

$$2 \cdot (a - 1) + (b + 1) < 2 \cdot a + b$$

IL_in/VAR

Exercises: Prove IL_in/VAR and Formulate/Prove IL_out/VAR.



Convergence of New Events: Exercise

Given the original m₁, what if the following *variant* expression is used:

Are the formulated sequents still *provable*?

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PO of Refinement: Deadlock Freedom

- · Recall:
 - We proved that the initial model m_0 is deadlock free (see **DLF**).
 - We proved, according to *guard strengthening*, that if a *concrete*event is enabled, then its *abstract* counterpart is enabled.
- PO of *relative deadlock freedom* for a *refinement* model:

```
\begin{array}{c}
A(c) \\
I(c,v) \\
J(c,v,w) \\
G_1(c,v) \lor \cdots \lor G_m(c,v) \\
\vdash \\
H_1(c,w) \lor \cdots \lor H_n(c,w)
\end{array}

DLF
```

```
If an abstract state does <u>not</u> deadlock (i.e., G_1(c, v) \lor \cdots \lor G_m(c, v)), then its concrete counterpart does <u>not</u> deadlock (i.e., H_1(c, w) \lor \cdots \lor H_n(c, w)).
```

Another way to think of the above PO:

The **refinement** does **not** introduce, in the **concrete**, any "new" **deadlock** scenarios **not** existing in the **abstract** state.



PO Rule: Relative Deadlock Freedom m_1

```
axm<sub>0</sub> 1
                                        d \in \mathbb{N}
                         axm0 2
                                        d > 0
                           inv0 1
                                        n \in \mathbb{N}
                           inv0 2
                                        n < d
                           inv1 1
                                        a \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv1 2
                                        b \in \mathbb{N}
                          inv1 3
                                        c \in \mathbb{N}
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                                                          quards of ML_out in m<sub>0</sub>
Disjunction of abstract guards
                                                          quards of ML_in in m<sub>0</sub>
                                              a+b < d \land c = 0
                                                                        guards of ML_out in m<sub>1</sub>
                                                            c > 0
                                                                        guards of ML_in in m<sub>1</sub>
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Disjunction of concrete guards
                                                                        quards of IL_in in m1
                                                            a > 0
                                                                        quards of IL_out in m1
                                                   b > 0 \land a = 0
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Example Inference Rules (6)



$$\frac{H, \neg P \vdash Q}{H \vdash P \lor Q} \quad \mathsf{OR}_{\mathsf{L}}\mathsf{R}$$

To prove a disjunctive goal,

it suffices to prove one of the disjuncts, with the the <u>negation</u> of the the other disjunct serving as an additional <u>hypothesis</u>.

$$\frac{H,P,Q \vdash R}{H,P \land Q \vdash R} \quad \textbf{AND_L}$$

To prove a goal with a *conjunctive hypothesis*, it suffices to prove the same goal, with the the two <u>conjuncts</u> serving as two separate hypotheses.

$$\frac{H \vdash P \qquad H \vdash Q}{H \vdash P \land Q} \quad \textbf{AND_R}$$

To prove a goal with a <u>conjunctive goal</u>, it suffices to prove each <u>conjunct</u> as a separate <u>goal</u>.

Proving Refinement: DLF of m_1



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d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
n \in \mathbb{N}
n < d
a \in \mathbb{N}
b = N
a+b+c=n
a = 0 \lor c = 0
n < d \lor n > 0
     a+b < d \land c = 0
 v c>0
 \vee a > 0
 \lor b > 0 \land a = 0
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d > 0 $a \in \mathbb{N}$ $b \in \mathbb{N}$ $a+b < d \land c = 0$ v c>0 v a>0 $\lor b > 0 \land a = 0$



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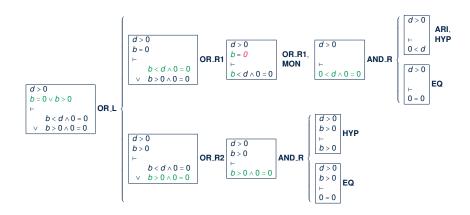






Proving Refinement: DLF of m_1 (continued)







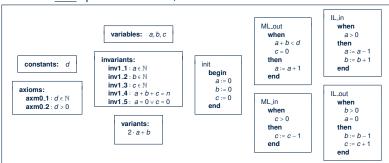
[init]

[old & new events] [old events]

[new events]

First Refinement: Summary

- The <u>final</u> version of our *first refinement m*₁ is *provably correct* w.r.t.:
 - Establishment of Concrete Invariants
 - Preservation of Concrete Invariants
 - Strengthening of quards
 - Convergence (a.k.a. livelock freedom, non-divergence)
 - Relative **Deadlock** Freedom
- Here is the final specification of m_1 :



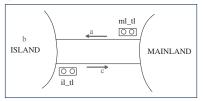
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Model m_2 : "More Concrete" Abstraction

- 2nd refinement has even more concrete perception of the bridge controller:
 - We "zoom in" by observing the system from even closer to the ground, so that the one-way traffic of the bridge is controlled via:

 ml_tl : a traffic light for exiting the ML il_tl : a traffic light for exiting the IL abstract variables a, b, c from m_1 still used (instead of being replaced)



- Nonetheless, sensors remain abstracted away!
- That is, we focus on these three environment constraints:

ENV1	The system is equipped with two traffic lights with two colors: green and red.
ENV2	The traffic lights control the entrance to the bridge at both ends of it.
ENV3	Cars are not supposed to pass on a red traffic light, only on a green one.

• We are **obliged to prove** this **added concreteness** is **consistent** with m_1 .



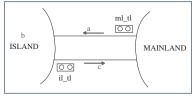
Model m_2 : Refined, Concrete State Space

1. The **static** part introduces the notion of traffic light colours:

sets: COLOR constants: red, green

axioms:
 axm2_1 : COLOR = {green, red}
 axm2_2 : green ≠ red

2. The **<u>dynamic</u>** part shows the **<u>superposition</u> refinement** scheme:



- Abstract variables a, b, c from m₁ are still in use in m₂.
- Two new, concrete variables are introduced: ml_tl and il_tl
- <u>Constrast</u>: In m₁, abstract variable n is replaced by concrete variables a, b, c.

variables:inv2.1: $ml_ttl \in COLOUR$ a, b, c ml_ttl ml_ttl $inv2.2: il_ttl \in COLOUR$ inv2.3: 2?inv2.4: 2?

- ♦ inv2_1 & inv2_2: typing constraints
- inv2_3: being allowed to exit ML means cars within limit and no opposite traffic
- inv2_4: being allowed to exit IL means some car in IL and no opposite traffic

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Model m_2 : Refining Old, Abstract Events

- The system acts as an ABSTRACT STATE MACHINE (ASM): it evolves as actions of enabled events change values of variables, subject to invariants.
- Concrete/Refined version of event ML_out:



- Recall the **abstract** guard of ML-out in m_1 : $(c = 0) \land (a + b < d)$
 - \Rightarrow Unrealistic as drivers should **not** know about a, b, c!
- o ML_out is refined: a car exits the ML (to the bridge) only when:
 - the traffic light ml_tl allows
- Concrete/Refined version of event IL_out:



- Recall the *abstract* guard of $IL_{-}out$ in m_1 : $(a = 0) \land (b > 0)$
 - \Rightarrow Unrealistic as drivers should **not** know about a, b, c!
- IL_out is refined: a car exits the IL (to the bridge) only when:
 - the traffic light *il_tl* allows
- **Q1**. How about the other two "old" *events IL_in* and *ML_in*?
- **<u>A1</u>**. No need to *refine* as already *guarded* by *ML_out* and *IL_out*.
- **Q2**. What if the driver disobeys $ml_{-}tl$ or $il_{-}tl$?

[<u>A2</u>. ENV3]

Model m_2 : New, Concrete Events



- The system acts as an ABSTRACT STATE MACHINE (ASM): it evolves as
 actions of enabled events change values of variables, subject to invariants.
- Considered *events* already existing in m_1 :
 - ML_out & IL_out
 - II in & MI in

[REFINED]

• New event ML_tl_green:



- ML_tl_green denotes the traffic light ml_tl turning green.
- ML_tl_green enabled only when:
 - the traffic light not already green
 - limited number of cars on the bridge and the island
 - No opposite traffic

[\Rightarrow *ML_out*'s *abstract* guard in m_1]

New event IL_tl_green:

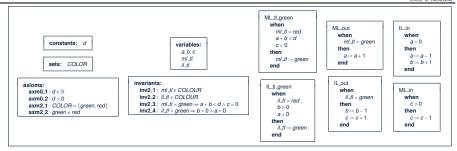


- *IL_tl_green* denotes the traffic light *il_tl* turning green.
- o *IL_tl_green enabled* only when:
 - the traffic light not already green
 - some cars on the island (i.e., island not empty)
 - No opposite traffic

[\Rightarrow *IL_out*'s **abstract** guard in m_1]

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Invariant Preservation in Refinement m_2



Recall the PO/VC Rule of Invariant Preservation for Refinement:

```
 \begin{array}{c|c} A(c) \\ I(c,v) \\ J(c,v,w) \\ H(c,w) \\ \vdash \\ J_i(c,E(c,v),F(c,w)) \end{array}  \quad \text{where } J_i \text{ denotes a } \underline{\text{single concrete invariant}}
```

- How many **sequents** to be proved? [#concrete evts \times #concrete invariants = 6 \times 4]
- We discuss two sequents: ML_out/inv2_4/INV and IL_out/inv2_3/INV

<u>Exercises</u>. Specify and prove (some of) other <u>twenty-two</u> <u>POs of Invariant Preservation</u>. 91 of 124





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axm0_1
                                                d \in \mathbb{N}
                                 axm0 2
                                                d > 0
                                 axm2 1
                                                COLOUR = { green, red}
                                 axm2 2
                                                areen + red
                                  inv0 1
                                               n \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv0_2
                                                n < d
                                   inv1 1
                                               a \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv1 2
                                               b \in \mathbb{N}
                                   inv1 3
                                             \{c \in \mathbb{N}\}
                                   inv1 4 \{a+b+c=n\}
                                   inv1 5
                                             \{ a = 0 \lor c = 0 \}
                                   inv2 1
                                             { ml tl ∈ COLOUR
                                   inv2 2 { il_tl ∈ COLOUR
                                   inv2 3
                                             \{ ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0 \}
                                   inv2 4
                                                iI_{-}tI = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
           Concrete guards of ML_out
                                                ml_{-}tl = areen
            Concrete invariant inv2 4
                                              \{ il_{-}tl = qreen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land (a+1) = 0 \}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
```

ML_out/inv2_4/INV

INV PO of m_2 : IL_out/inv2_3/INV



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axm<sub>0</sub> 1
                                              d \in \mathbb{N}
                                axm0 2
                                              d > 0
                                axm2 1
                                              COLOUR = {green, red}
                                axm2 2
                                              areen + red
                                 inv0_1
                                              n \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv0 2
                                              n < d
                                 inv1 1
                                              a \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv1 2
                                              h \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv1 3
                                              CEN
                                 inv1 4
                                              a+b+c=n
                                 inv1.5 {
                                              a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                 inv2 1
                                              ml tl ∈ COLOUR
                                              il tl ∈ COLOUR
                                 inv2 2 {
                                 inv2 3
                                              mI_{-}tI = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                 inv2 4
                                              iI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
            Concrete guards of IL_out
                                              iI_{-}tI = areen
            Concrete invariant inv2 3
                                            \{ ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0 \}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
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IL_out/inv2_3/INV

Example Inference Rules (7)



$$\frac{H, P, Q \vdash R}{H, P, P \Rightarrow Q \vdash R} \quad \mathbf{IMP_L}$$

If a hypothesis P matches the <u>assumption</u> of another *implicative hypothesis* $P\Rightarrow Q$, then the <u>conclusion</u> Q of the *implicative hypothesis* can be used as a new hypothesis for the sequent.

$$\frac{H, P \vdash Q}{H \vdash P \Rightarrow Q} \quad \mathbf{IMP_R}$$

To prove an *implicative goal* $P \Rightarrow Q$, it suffices to prove its conclusion Q, with its assumption P serving as a new <u>hypotheses</u>.

$$\frac{H, \neg Q \vdash P}{H, \neg P \vdash Q} \quad \mathsf{NOT_L}$$

To prove a goal Q with a *negative hypothesis* $\neg P$, it suffices to prove the <u>negated</u> hypothesis $\neg (\neg P) \equiv P$ with the <u>negated</u> original goal $\neg Q$ serving as a new <u>hypothesis</u>.

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Proving ML_out/inv2_4/INV: First Attempt

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
COLOUR = { green, red}
areen ± red
n c N
n < d
a e N
b = N
c \in \mathbb{N}
a+b+c=n
a = 0 \lor c = 0
ml tl = COLOUB
il ti a COLOUR
ml_{-}tl = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
iI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
ml_tl = areen
iI_{-}tI = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land (a+1) = 0
```

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Proving IL_out/inv2_3/INV: First Attempt

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
COLOUR = {green, red}
green ± red
n e N
n < d
a \in \mathbb{N}
b \in \mathbb{N}
CEN
a+b+c=n
a = 0 \lor c = 0
ml tl = COLOUB
il_tl ∈ COLOUR
ml \ tl = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
iI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
il_tl = green
ml_{-}tl = areen \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
```

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```
areen + red
ml_{\perp}tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
il_tl = areen
ml_atl = green \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
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IMP R

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areen + red
areen + red
                                            areen ± red
                                                                                    a+b < d
ml_{\perp}tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                             a+b< d \land c=0
                                                                                    c = 0
il_tl = areen
                                            il_tl = areen
                                                                                                                   AND_R
                                    IMP.L
                                                                           AND_L | il_tl = green
ml_tl = areen
                                            ml_tl = areen
                                                                                    ml_tl = green
a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
                                             a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
                                                                                     a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
```











Failed: ML_out/inv2_4/INV, IL_out/inv2_3/INV

 Our first attempts of proving ML_out/inv2_4/INV and IL_out/inv2_3/INV both failed the 2nd case (resulted from applying IR AND_R):

$$green \neq red \land il_tl = green \land ml_tl = green \vdash 1 = 0$$

- This *unprovable* sequent gave us a good hint:
 - Goal 1 = 0 =false suggests that the safety requirements a = 0 (for inv2_4) and c = 0 (for inv2_3) contradict with the current m_2 .
 - Hyp. $il_tl = green = ml_tl$ suggests a **possible**, **dangerous state** of m_2 , where two cars heading different directions are on the <u>one-way</u> bridge:

(init	,	ML_tl_green	, <u>ML_out</u>	, <u>IL_in</u> ,	, IL_tl_green	<u>IL_out</u>	, <u>ML_out</u>)
	d = 2		d = 2	d = 2	d = 2	d = 2	d = 2	d = 2
	a' = 0		a'=0	a' = 1	a' = 0	a'=0	a'=0	a' = 1
	b' = 0		b'=0	b' = 0	b' = 1	b' = 1	b' = 0	b'=0
	c'=0		c'=0	c'=0	c'=0	c'=0	c' = 1	c' = 1
- 1	$ml_t tl' = rea$	1	ml_tl' = green	$ml_t l' = green$	$ml_tl' = green$	$ml_{-}tl' = green$	$ml_{-}tl' = green$	$ml_tl' = green$
	$il_{-}tl' = red$		$il_{-}tl' = red$	$il_{-}tl' = red$	$il_{-}tl' = red$	il_tl' = green	il_tl' = green	il₋tl′ = green



Fixing m_2 : Adding an Invariant

• Having understood the <u>failed</u> proofs, we add a proper *invariant* to m_2 :

• We have effectively resulted in an improved m_2 more faithful w.r.t. **REQ3**:

REQ3	The bridge is one-way or the other, not both at the same time.

- Having added this new invariant inv2_5:
 - Original 6 x 4 generated sequents to be <u>updated</u>: <u>inv2_5</u> a new hypothesis e.g., Are <u>ML_out/inv2_4/INV</u> and <u>IL_out/inv2_3/INV</u> now <u>provable</u>?
 - Additional 6 x 1 sequents to be generated due to this new invariant e.g., Are ML_tl_green/inv2_5/INV and IL_tl_green/inv2_5/INV provable?



INV PO of m_2 : ML_out/inv2_4/INV – Updated

```
axm0 1
                                               d \in \mathbb{N}
                                 axm0 2
                                               d > 0
                                 axm2_1
                                                COLOUR = { green, red}
                                 axm2 2
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                                  inv0 1
                                               n \in \mathbb{N}
                                  inv0 2
                                               n < d
                                  inv1 1
                                               a \in \mathbb{N}
                                               b \in \mathbb{N}
                                  inv1_2
                                  inv1 3
                                               C \in \mathbb{N}
                                  inv1 4 \{a+b+c=n\}
                                  inv1 5
                                               a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                  inv2 1
                                            \{ ml \ tl \in COLOUR \}
                                  inv2_2 { il_tl ∈ COLOUR
                                  inv2 3
                                               ml_tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                  inv2_4
                                                iI_{-}tI = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
                                  inv2 5
                                                ml tl = red \lor il tl = red
           Concrete guards of ML_out
                                                ml_{-}tl = green
            Concrete invariant inv2 4
                                              \{ il_t tl = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land (a+1) = 0 \}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
```

ML_out/inv2_4/INV



INV PO of m_2 : IL_out/inv2_3/INV – Updated

```
axm0 1
                                             d \in \mathbb{N}
                               axm0 2
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                                             mI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                 inv2 4
                                              iI_{\perp}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
                                 inv2 5
                                              ml tl = red \lor il tl = red
            Concrete guards of IL_out
                                             il_tl = green
            Concrete invariant inv2.3
                                            \{ ml_{-}tl = areen \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0 \}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
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IL_out/inv2_3/INV

Proving ML_out/inv2_4/INV: Second Attempt LASSONDE



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OCDCUR - (green, red)

green - red

n s N

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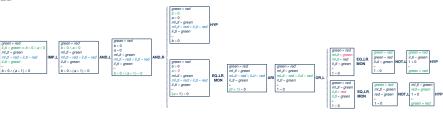
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```

MON

```
green + red

il.tl = green -> b > 0 \( \lambda = 0 \)
ml.tl = red \( \text{il.tl} = red \)
ml.tl = green \( \text{il.tl} = red \)
ii.tl = green \( \text{il.tl} = 0 \)
ii.tl = green \( \text{il.tl} = 0 \)
```

IMP B





Proving IL_out/inv2_3/INV: Second Attempt

```
COLOUR - (green, red)
green + red
n < d
a+b+c-n
a-0vc-0
mi_ti < COLOUR
 mi_*ti = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
il_a tl = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
mi_*ti = red \lor ii_*ti = red
II.tl - green
 ml_*tl = areen \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
MON
ml_*tl = qreen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
 mi_ti - red v ii_ti - red
II_tl - green
 ml_*tl = green \Rightarrow a + (b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
IMP.B
                                                                                                                                 c = 0
                                                                                                                                 #_# - green
                                                                                                                                 ml.tl - red \lor ll.tl - red
                                                                                                                                 ml_tl = green
                                                                                                                                 a + (b - 1) < d
 ml_{-}tl = areen \rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           green + red
II_tI - green
                                             ii_ti - green
                                                                                      II_tl - green
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            II_tl - green
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                red = green
mi_t ti - red \lor ii_t ti - red
                                             ml_t t - red \lor il_t t - red
                                                                                                                     AND.R
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        II_ti - green
                                                                                      ml_*tl = red \lor il_*tl = red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            mi_ti = red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            EQ.LR.
mi_ti - green
                                             ml_tf = green
                                                                                                                                 green + red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        red - green NOT.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            mi_ti = green
                                                                                      ml_tl - green
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            MON
                                                                                                                                 a+b<d
a + (b-1) < d \wedge (c+1) = 0
                                             a+(b-1) < d \land (c+1) = 0
                                                                                                                                                                        II_II - green
                                                                                                                                                                                                        II_tf - green
                                                                                       a+(b-1)<d \( (c+1) = 0
                                                                                                                                 ILI - green
                                                                                                                                                             FOIR
                                                                                                                                                                        ml_itl = red \lor il_itl = red
                                                                                                                                 ml_itl - red \lor ll_itl - red
                                                                                                                                                             MON
                                                                                                                                                                        ml_tl - green
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                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        green + red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         green = red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  ml_tl - green
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            ii_ti - red
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             EQ,LR.
                                                                                                                                 (c+1) = 0
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         ml_tl - green NOT_L
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 HYP
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            mi_ti = green
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             MON
```





• Recall that an *invariant* was added to m_2 :

```
invariants:
inv2.5: ml_tl = red \vee il_tl = red
```

Additional 6 x 1 sequents to be generated due to this new invariant:

```
    e.g., ML_tl_green/inv2_5/INV
    e.g., IL_tl_green/inv2_5/INV
```

[for *ML_tl_green* to preserve inv2_5]
[for *IL_tl_green* to preserve inv2_5]

For the above sequents to be provable, we need to revise the two events:

```
ML.tl.green
when
ml.tl = red
a + b < d
c = 0
then
ml.tl := green
il.tl := red
end
```

```
IL_tl_green
when
il_tl = red
b > 0
a = 0
then
il_tl := green
ml_tl := red
end
```

Exercise: Specify and prove ML_tl_green/inv2_5/INV & IL_tl_green/inv2_5/INV.

INV PO of m_2 : ML_out/inv2_3/INV



```
axm0_1
                                              d \in \mathbb{N}
                               axm0 2
                                             d > 0
                               axm2 1
                                             COLOUR = {green, red}
                               axm2 2
                                              areen + red
                                 inv0 1
                                             n \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv<sub>0</sub> 2
                                             n < d
                                 inv1 1
                                             a \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv1_2
                                             b \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv1 3 √
                                             C \in \mathbb{N}
                                 inv1 4 √
                                             a+b+c=n
                                 inv1 5 √
                                             a = 0 \lor c = 0
                                 inv2 2 { il tl ∈ COLOUR
                                 inv2_3 \{ ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow a+b < d \land c = 0 \}
                                 inv2 4 {
                                             iI_{-}tI = qreen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
                                 inv2 5
                                             ml tl = red \lor il tl = red
           Concrete guards of ML_out
                                             ml_{t}l = green
            Concrete invariant inv2_3
                                            \{ml\_tl = qreen \Rightarrow (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0\}
with ML_out's effect in the post-state
```

ML_out/inv2_3/INV



a+b<d

Proving ML_out/inv2_3/INV: First Attempt

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
COLOUR = { green, red}
green + red
n \in \mathbb{N}
n < d
a c N
b \in \mathbb{N}
CEN
a+b+c=n
a = 0 \lor c = 0
ml tl c COLOUR
il tl c COLOUR
mI_{t}I = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
iI_{a}tI = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
ml_tl = red \lor il_tl = red
ml_tl = green
ml_{a}tl = green \Rightarrow (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0
```

MON

```
c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                             ml_{-}tl = areen ??
                                                                                                                                      a+b< d
                                                    ml_{-}tl = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
ml_t = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                                                      c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                             (a+1)+b < d
                                                                                         IMP R | ml_tl = green
                                                    ml_tl = areen
                                          IMP R
                                                                                                                            AND_L ml_tl = green
                                                                                                                                                                AND R
ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                            a+b< d
                                                     (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                   (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                                                      (a+1) + b < d \land c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                             c = 0
                                                                                                                                                                             ml_tl = green HYP
```

Failed: ML out/inv2 3/INV



 Our first attempt of proving ML_out/inv2_3/INV failed the 1st case (resulted) from applying IR AND_R):

$$a + b < d \land c = 0 \land ml_tl = green \vdash (a + 1) + b < d$$

- This unprovable sequent gave us a good hint:
 - Goal (a+1)+b < d specifies the *capacity requirement*.
 - Hypothesis $|c| = 0 \land ml_t t = qreen$ assumes that it's safe to exit the ML.
 - Hypothesis |a+b| < d is **not** strong enough to entail (a+1) + b < d. [(a+1)+b < d evaluates to **true**]

e.g.,
$$d = \overline{3}$$
, $b = 0$, $a = 0$
e.g., $d = 3$, $b = 1$, $a = 0$

$$(a+1)+b < d$$
 evaluates to **true**

e.g.,
$$d = 3$$
, $b = 1$, $a = 0$
e.g., $d = 3$, $b = 0$, $a = 1$

$$(a+1)+b < d$$
 evaluates to **true**

e.g.,
$$d = 3$$
, $b = 0$, $a = 2$
e.g., $d = 3$, $b = 1$, $a = 1$

$$[(a+1)+b < de$$

[
$$(a+1)+b < d$$
 evaluates to **false**] [$(a+1)+b < d$ evaluates to **false**]

e.g.,
$$d = 3$$
, $b = 2$, $a = 0$

$$[(a+1)+b < d$$
 evaluates to **false** $]$

• Therefore, a + b < d (allowing one more car to exit ML) should be split:

$$a+b+1 \neq d$$

[more later cars may exit ML, *ml_tl* remains *green*]

$$a + b + 1 = d$$

[no more later cars may exit ML, ml_tl turns red]



Fixing m_2 : Splitting ML_out and IL_out

- Recall that ML_out/inv2_3/INV failed : two cases not handled separately:
 - $a+b+1\neq d$ [more later cars may exit ML, ml_tl remains green] a+b+1=d [no more later cars may exit ML, ml_tl turns red]
- Similarly, IL_out/inv2_4/INV would fail : two cases not handled separately:

```
b-1 \neq 0 [ more later cars may exit IL, il_tl remains green ]

b-1=0 [ no more later cars may exit IL, il_tl turns red]
```

Accordingly, we split ML_out and IL_out into two with corresponding guards.

```
ML_out_1
when
ml_tl = green
a + b + 1 ≠ d
then
a := a + 1
end
```

```
ML_out_2

when

ml_tl = green

a + b + 1 = d

then

a := a + 1

ml_tl := red

end
```



```
IL_out_2
when
il.tl = green
b = 1
then
b := b - 1
c := c + 1
il.tl := red
end
```

Exercise: Given the latest m_2 , how many sequents to prove for *invariant preservation*? **Exercise**: Specify and prove $ML_out_i/inv2_3/INV \& IL_out_i/inv2_4/INV$ (where $i \in 1...2$).

Exercise: Each split event (e.g., ML_out_1) refines its **abstract** counterpart (e.g., $ML_out)$?

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m₂ Livelocks: New Events Diverging

- Recall that a system may *livelock* if the <u>new</u> events diverge.
- Current m_2 's two new events **ML_tl_green** and **IL_tl_green** may **diverge**:



```
IL.tl.green when 

il.tl = red 

b > 0 

a = 0 

then 

il.tl := green 

ml_tl := red 

end
```

ML_tl_green and IL_tl_green both enabled and may occur indefinitely, preventing other "old" events (e.g., ML_out) from ever happening:

(init	,	ML_tl_green	, ,	ML_out_1	,	<u>IL_in</u>	,	IL_tl_green	,	ML_tl_green	,	IL_tl_green	,
	d = 2		d = 2		d = 2		d = 2		d = 2		d = 2		d = 2	
	a' = 0		a' = 0		a' = 1		a'=0		a' = 0		a' = 0		a' = 0	
	b' = 0		b' = 0		b' = 0		b' = 1		b' = 1		b' = 1		b' = 1	
	c'=0		c'=0		c'=0		c'=0		c'=0		c'=0		c'=0	
	ml_tl = red		ml_tl' = green		$_{t}l' = green$	1 .	ml_tl' = green		$ml_tl' = red$		ml_tl' = green		$ml_t l' = red$	
	il_tl = red		$iI_{-}tI' = red$	i	I_tI' = <i>red</i>		$iI_{-}tI' = red$		il_tl' = green		$il_t l' = red$		il_tl' = green	

- ⇒ Two traffic lights keep changing colors so rapidly that **no** drivers can ever pass!
- <u>Solution</u>: Allow color changes between traffic lights in a disciplined way.

ES LASSONDE

Fixing m_2 : Regulating Traffic Light Changes LASSONDE

We introduce two variables/flags for regulating traffic light changes:

- ml_pass is 1 if, since ml_tl was last turned green, at least one car exited the ML onto the bridge. Otherwise, ml_pass is 0.
- iI.pass is 1 if, since iI.tl was last turned green, at least one car exited the IL onto the bridge. Otherwise, iI.pass is 0.

variables: ml_pass, il_pass

$$\label{eq:continuous} \begin{split} & \text{inv2.6:} \ ml.pass \in \{0,1\} \\ & \text{inv2.7:} \ il.pass \in \{0,1\} \\ & \text{inv2.8:} \ ml.tl = red \Rightarrow ml.pass = 1 \\ & \text{inv2.9:} \ il.tl = red \Rightarrow il.pass = 1 \end{split}$$

ML_out_1 when ml_tl = green a + b + 1 ≠ d then a := a + 1 ml_pass := 1 end

ML_out.2 when ml.tl = green a + b + 1 = d then a := a + 1 ml.tl := red ml.pass := 1 end when
 il_tl = green
 b ≠ 1
then
 b := b − 1
 c := c + 1
 il_pass := 1
end

IL out 1

IL-out.2
when
il.tl = green
b = 1
then
b := b - 1
c := c + 1
il.tl := red
il_pass := 1
end

```
| IL.tl.green | when | il.tl = red | b > 0 | a = 0 | ml.pass = 1 | then | il.tl := green | ml.tl := red | il.pass := 0 | end |
```





- Recall:
 - Interleaving of new events charactered as an integer expression: variant.
 - \circ A variant V(c, w) may refer to constants and/or *concrete* variables.
 - In the latest m_2 , let's try **variants** : $ml_pass + il_pass$
- Accordingly, for the <u>new</u> event <u>ML_tl_green</u>:

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
                                            d > 0
COLOUR = {green, red}
                                            green ≠ red
n \in \mathbb{N}
                                            n < d
a \in \mathbb{N}
                                            b \in \mathbb{N}
                                                                                 c \in \mathbb{N}
                                       a = 0 \lor c = 0
a+b+c=n
ml tl ∈ COLOUR
                                        il tl ∈ COLOUR
ml_{-}tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0 il_{-}tl = green \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
ml \ tl = red \lor il \ tl = red
ml_pass ∈ {0, 1}
                                        il_pass ∈ {0, 1}
ml_{-}tl = red \Rightarrow ml_{-}pass = 1
                                          il_tl = red \Rightarrow il_pass = 1
                                            a+b < d
ml tl = red
                                                                                 c = 0
il_pass = 1
0 + il_pass < ml_pass + il_pass
```

ML_tl_green/VAR

Exercises: Prove **ML_tl_green/VAR** and Formulate/Prove **IL_tl_green/NAT**.



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PO Rule: Relative Deadlock Freedom of m_2

```
axm0 1
                                     d \in \mathbb{N}
                       axm0 2
                                     d > 0
                       aym2 1
                                     COLOUR = { areen, red}
                       aym2 2
                                     areen + red
                         inv0 1
                                     n \in \mathbb{N}
                         inv0 2
                                     n < d
                         inv1 1
                                     a \in \mathbb{N}
                         inv1 2
                                     b \in \mathbb{N}
                         inv13
                                     CEN
                         inv1 4
                                     a+b+c=n
                                     a = 0 \lor c = 0
                         inv1_5
                         inv2 1
                                     ml tl ∈ COLOUR
                         inv2 2
                                     il tl ∈ COLOUR
                         inv2 3
                                     ml_t t = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
                         inv2 4
                                     iI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
                         inv2 5
                                     ml\_tl = red \lor il\_tl = red
                                     ml_pass ∈ {0, 1}
                         inv2.6
                         inv2_7
                                     il_pass ∈ {0, 1}
                         inv2 8
                                     ml_tl = red \Rightarrow ml_pass = 1
                         inv2 9
                                     il\_tl = red \Rightarrow il\_pass = 1
                                           a+b< d \land c=0
                                                                  quards of ML_out in m1
                                                                  quards of ML in in ma
                                                       c > 0
Disjunction of abstract guards
                                                                  guards of // in in ma
                                                       a > 0
                                               b > 0 \land a = 0
                                                                 quards of IL_out in m1
                                           ml \ tl = red \land a + b < d \land c = 0 \land il \ pass = 1
                                                                                               guards of ML_tl_green in mo
                                               il\_tl = red \land b > 0 \land a = 0 \land ml\_pass = 1
                                                                                               quards of /L_t/_areen in mo
                                                           ml_{-}tl = areen \wedge a + b + 1 \neq d
                                                                                               quards of ML_out_1 in mo
                                                           ml_{-}tl = areen \wedge a + b + 1 = d
                                                                                               quards of ML out 2 in mo
Disjunction of concrete guards
                                                                     iI_{-}tI = green \land b \neq 1
                                                                                               quards of /L_out_1 in m2
                                                                     il_{t} = green \land b = 1
                                                                                               quards of IL_out_2 in m2
                                                                                     a > 0
                                                                                               quards of ML_in in mo
                                                                                               quards of IL_in in mo
                                                                                     c > 0
```



Proving Refinement: DLF of m_2

```
d > 0
COLOUR = { areen, red}
areen ± red
n e N
n < d
a e N
b c N
CEN
0+h+c-n
a = 0 \times c = 0
ml tl c COLOUR
il_tl ∈ COLOUR
ml_{-}tl = areen \Rightarrow a + b < d \land c = 0
iI_{-}tI = areen \Rightarrow b > 0 \land a = 0
ml_t tl = red \lor il_t tl = red
ml_pass ∈ {0, 1}
il_pass ∈ {0, 1}
ml_{-}tl = red \Rightarrow ml_{-}pass = 1
iI_{-}tI = red \Rightarrow iI_{-}pass = 1
     a+b < d \land c = 0
 v c>0
 v a>0
 \vee b > 0 \land a = 0
     mI\_tI = red \land a + b < d \land c = 0 \land iI\_pass = 1
 \forall il\_tl = red \land b > 0 \land a = 0 \land ml\_pass = 1
 v ml_tl = areen
 v il_tl = green
 v a>0
 v c>0
```

```
d \in \mathbb{N}
d > 0
                                                      0 < h
b \in \mathbb{N}
                                                      b \in \mathbb{N}
ml.tl = red
                                                      ml.tl = red
il_tl = red
                                                      il.tl = red
ml.tl = red \Rightarrow ml.pass = 1
                                                      ml_pass = 1
il.tl = red \Rightarrow il.pass = 1
                                                      il_pass = 1
     b < d \land ml.pass = 1 \land il.pass = 1
                                                           b < d \land ml.pass = 1 \land il.pass = 1
 y b > 0 ∧ ml_pass = 1 ∧ il_pass = 1

∨ b > 0 ∧ ml_pass = 1 ∧ il_pass = 1
```



d > 0

 $b \in \mathbb{N}$

 $b < d \lor b > 0$





[init]

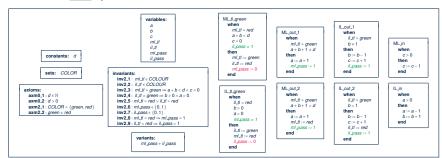
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[old events]

[new events]

Second Refinement: Summary

- The <u>final</u> version of our **second refinement** m_2 is **provably correct** w.r.t.:
 - Establishment of Concrete Invariants
 - Preservation of Concrete Invariants
 - Strengthening of guards
 - Convergence (a.k.a. livelock freedom, non-divergence)
 - Relative **Deadlock** Freedom
- Here is the <u>final</u> specification of m_2 :



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Learning Outcomes

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Requirements Document: R-Descriptions

Requirements Document:

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Model m_2 : Refining Old, Abstract Events

Model m_2 : New, Concrete Events

Invariant Preservation in Refinement m₂

INV PO of m_2 : ML_out/inv2_4/INV

INV PO of m_2 : IL_out/inv2_3/INV

Example Inference Rules (7)

Proving ML_out/inv2_4/INV: First Attempt

Proving IL_out/inv2_3/INV: First Attempt

Failed: ML_out/inv2_4/INV, IL_out/inv2_3/INV

Fixing m_2 : Adding an Invariant

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INV PO of m_2 : ML_out/inv2_4/INV – Updated

INV PO of m_2 : IL_out/inv2_3/INV – Updated

Proving ML_out/inv2_4/INV: Second Attempt

Proving IL_out/inv2_3/INV: Second Attempt

Fixing m_2 : Adding Actions

INV PO of m_2 : ML_out/inv2_3/INV

Proving ML_out/inv2_3/INV: First Attempt

Failed: ML_out/inv2_3/INV

Fixing m_2 : Splitting ML_-out and IL_-out

m₂ Livelocks: New Events Diverging

Fixing m_2 : Regulating Traffic Light Changes



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Fixing m_2 : Measuring Traffic Light Changes

PO Rule: Relative Deadlock Freedom of m_2

Proving Refinement: DLF of m_2

Second Refinement: Summary