

The Rodin Platform

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DEPLOY Tool-Building Team

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Rodin Tool for Event-B

- Extension of **Eclipse** IDE (Java based)
- Proof manager use a range of
- Rodin Eclipse *Builder***coordinates**:
 - Well-formedness + type checker
 - Proof obligation generator
 - Proof manager
 - Propagation of changes



Rodin Proof Manager (PM)

- PM constructs **proof tree** for each PO
- Automatic and interactive modes
- PM manages **used hypotheses**
- PM calls *reasoner*sto
 - discharge goal, or
 - split goal into subgoals
- Collection of reasoners:
 - simplifier, rule-based, decision procedures, ...
- Basic **tactics** to define PM and reasoners



Differential proving in Rodin

- Models are constantly being changed
- When a model changes, proof impact of changes should be minimised as much as possible:
- Sufficiency comparison of POs
 - In case of success, provers return list of *used hypotheses*
 - Proof valid provided the used hypothesis are in the new version of a PO
- Simple model **refactoring**:
 - Identifier renaming applied to models (avoiding name clash)
 - Corresponding POs and proofs automatically renamed



Statistics from Flash-based file development in Event-B

Machines	Total POs	Automatic	Interactive
MCH0	35	22	13
MCH1	57	49	8
MCH2	33	32	1
MCH3	37	34	3
MCH4	26	26	0
MCH5	27	26	1
MCH6	31	30	1
MCH7	109	97	12
MCH_FL0	8	8	0
MCH_FL1	110	110	0
MCH_FL2	57	57	0
MCH_FL3	9	9	0
Overall	540	501 (93%)	39 (7%)



Rodin Plug-ins

- AtelierBprovers
- UML-B
- ProB: animation, consistency and refinement checking
- AnimB
- Brama
- Camille (texteditor)



Demo



On-going Developments



Improving proof automation

- Better integration with model-checking
- Extensible prover
- Extensible language
- Exploit SMT and First Order provers



Extensible language

- Rodin currently supports **rich set theoretic language**, but there is always a need for **language extensions**
- Language extended by defining Theory:
 - User-defined **polymorphic operators**
 - User-defined **algebraic types**
 - **Proof rules used by rule-based prover**
 - Proof rules **give rise to POs**



Scaling

- Team-based development
 - Parallel development: viewing conflicts / merge
 - Impact on proof (open question)
- Composition + decomposition
 - Shared variables style
 - Shared event style
 - Plug-in for decomposing models and independent refinement



Code Generation

- Introduce *algorithmic* structures
 - introduced through refinement
 - sequential and concurrent
 - data types defined in theory components
 - Back-end to Ada/C
- Event-B importer for AtelierB



Other Deploy commitments

- Requirements tracing
 - Prototype plug-in exists
 - concepts still evolving
- Reuse:
 - Instantiation of generic developments (early 2010)
 - Refinement patterns (evolving)
- Tighter integration of UML-B and Event-B
 - state machines and class diagrams within Event-B models



Wish list

- Enabledness POs
- Automatic refinement
- Support for probability
- Automated provers/SMT for set theory
 - common context
 - used hypothesis
 - extensible operator
- Reasoned modelling support
- Flexible document management



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 - share your plug-in plans
 - suggest plug-in ideas

