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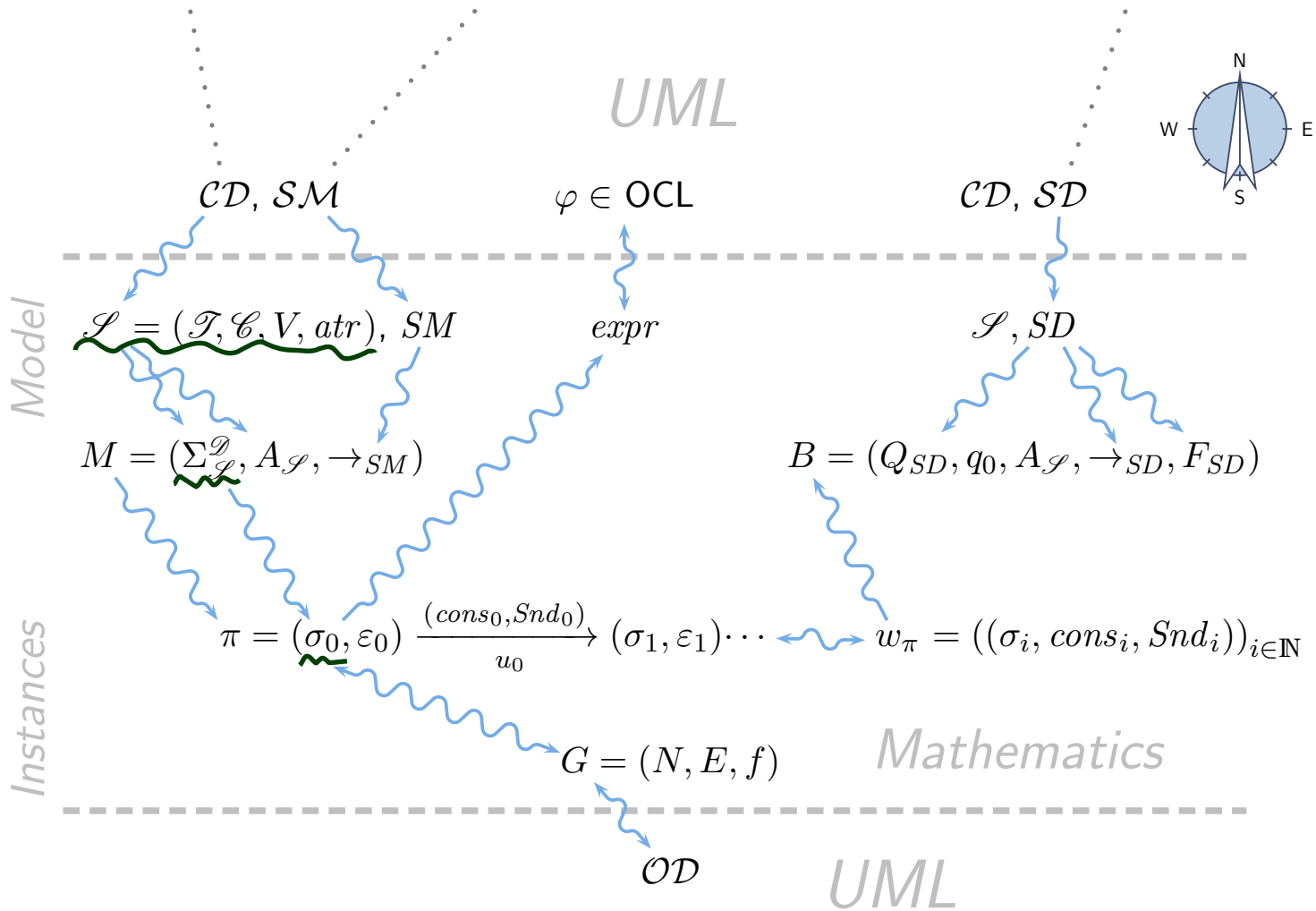
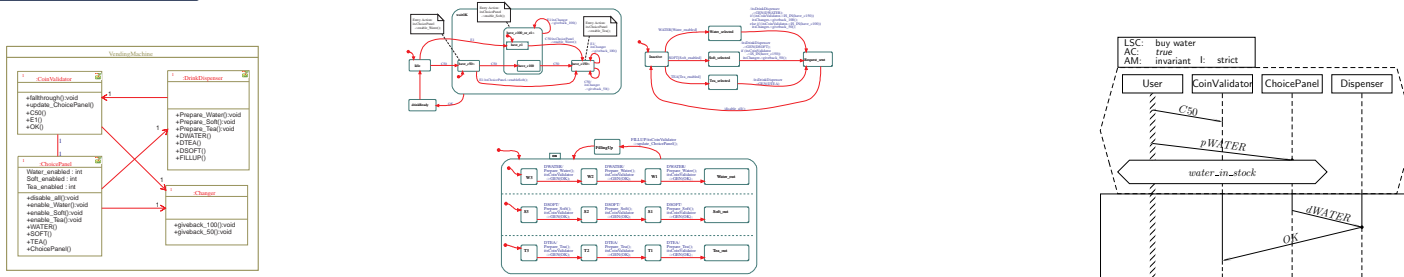
Lecture 2: Semantical Model

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Course Map



Contents & Goals

Last Lecture:

- Introduction: Motivation, Content, Formalia

This Lecture:

- **Educational Objectives:** Capabilities for following tasks/questions.
 - What is a signature, an object, a system state, etc.?
 - What is the purpose of signature, object, etc. in the course?
 - How do Basic Object System Signatures relate to UML class diagrams?
- **Content:**
 - Basic Object System Signatures
 - Structures
 - System States

Semantical Foundation

Basic Object System Signature

Definition. A (Basic) Object System **Signature** is a quadruple

$$\mathcal{S} = (\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C}, V, atr)$$

where

- \mathcal{T} is a set of (basic) **types**,
- \mathcal{C} is a finite set of **classes**,
- V is a finite set of **typed attributes**, i.e., each $v \in V$ has a type
 - $\tau \in \mathcal{T}$, or
 - $C_{0,1}$ or C_* , where $C \in \mathcal{C}$
(written $v : \tau$ or $v : C_{0,1}$ or $v : C_*$),
- $atr : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow 2^V$ maps each class to its set of attributes.

could have chosen alt.

C_{Δ} C_{\square}
 C_{\triangleright} C_{\square}

total function
powerset of V

Note: Inspired by OCL 2.0 standard [OMG \(2006\)](#), Annex A.

Basic Object System Signature Example

$\mathcal{S} = (\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C}, V, atr)$ where

- (basic) types \mathcal{T} and classes \mathcal{C} (both finite),
- typed attributes V , τ from \mathcal{T} , or $C_{0,1}$ or C_* , for some $C \in \mathcal{C}$,
- $atr : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow 2^V$ mapping classes to attributes.

Example: $\mathcal{S}_0 = (\{\text{Int}\}, \{C, D\}, \{x : \text{Int}, p : C_{0,1}, n : C_*\}, \{C \mapsto \{p, n\}, D \mapsto \{x\}\})$

set of basic types \mathcal{T} set of classes \mathcal{C} attributes V attributes mapping atr

attribute x has (basic) type Int attribute n has (desired) type C_* C has attributes p and n "maps to"

$$atr(C) = \{p, n\}$$

$$atr(D) = \{x\}$$

Basic Object System Signature Another Example

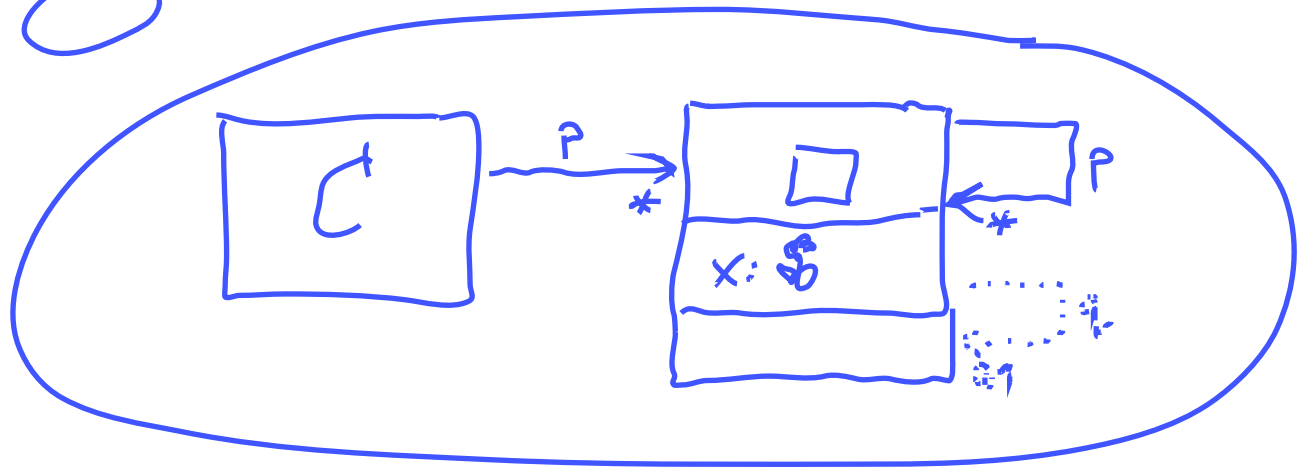
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Example:

$\mathcal{S}_1 = (\{ \text{MyType} \}, \{ \square, \square \}, \{ \cancel{x: \text{MyType}}, p: \square_*, q: \square_{0,1} \},$
 $\{ \square \mapsto \{ p \}, \square \mapsto \{ x, p \} \})$

no, $\text{MyType} \notin \mathcal{T}$ of \mathcal{S}_1
need not be used (if not used, may be omitted)



looks like a class diagram...

Basic Object System Structure

Definition. A Basic Object System **Structure** of $\mathcal{S} = (\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C}, V, atr)$ is a domain function \mathcal{D} which assigns to each type a domain, i.e.

- $\tau \in \mathcal{T}$ is mapped to $\mathcal{D}(\tau)$,
- $C \in \mathcal{C}$ is mapped to an infinite set $\mathcal{D}(C)$ of **(object) identities**.
Note: Object identities only have the “=” operation.
- Sets of object identities for different classes are disjoint, i.e.

$$\forall C, D \in \mathcal{C} : C \neq D \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(C) \cap \mathcal{D}(D) = \emptyset.$$

- C_* **and** $C_{0,1}$ for $C \in \mathcal{C}$ are mapped to $2^{\mathcal{D}(C)}$.

We use $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C})$ to denote $\bigcup_{C \in \mathcal{C}} \mathcal{D}(C)$; analogously $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}_*)$.

Note: We identify objects and object identities, because both uniquely determine each other (cf. OCL 2.0 standard).

Basic Object System Structure Example

Wanted: a structure for signature

$$\mathcal{S}_0 = (\{Int\}, \{C, D\}, \{x : Int, p : C_{0,1}, n : C_*\}, \{C \mapsto \{p, n\}, D \mapsto \{x\}\})$$

\mathcal{D} needs to map:

- $\tau \in \mathcal{T}$ to **some** $\mathcal{D}(\tau)$,
- $C \in \mathcal{C}$ to **some** set of identities $\mathcal{D}(C)$ (infinite, disjoint for different classes),
- C_* and $C_{0,1}$ for $C \in \mathcal{C}$: always mapped to $\mathcal{D}(C_*) = \mathcal{D}(C_{0,1}) = 2^{\mathcal{D}(C)}$.

$$\mathcal{D}(Int) = \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(C) = \mathbb{N}^+ \times \{C\} \cong \{1_C, 2_C, 3_C, \dots\}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(D) = \mathbb{N}^+ \times \{D\} \cong \{1_D, 2_D, 3_D, \dots\}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(C_{0,1}) = \mathcal{D}(C_*) = 2^{\mathcal{D}(C)}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(D_{0,1}) = \mathcal{D}(D_*) = 2^{\mathcal{D}(D)}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_1(Int) = \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_1(C) = \{a, aa, aaa, \dots\}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_1(D) = \{b, bb, bbb, \dots\}$$

$$= 2^{\mathcal{D}_1(C)}$$

$$= 2^{\mathcal{D}_1(D)}$$

System State

set of all
object identities
in \mathcal{D}

partial function mapping
attributes (for V) to ~~type~~ values
(from $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{T})$ and $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}_*)$)

Definition. Let \mathcal{D} be a structure of $\mathcal{S} = (\mathcal{I}, \mathcal{C}, V, atr)$.

A **system state** of \mathcal{S} wrt. \mathcal{D} is a **type-consistent** mapping
partial function

$$\sigma : \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}) \rightarrow (V \rightarrow (\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{I}) \cup \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}_*)))$$

set of
attributes

set of all
values in \mathcal{D}

That is, for each $u \in \mathcal{D}(C)$, $C \in \mathcal{C}$, if $u \in \text{dom}(\sigma)$

- $\text{dom}(\sigma(u)) = \text{atr}(C)$
- $(\sigma(u))(v) \in \mathcal{D}(\tau)$ if $v : \tau, \tau \in \mathcal{I}$
- $(\sigma(u))(v) \in \mathcal{D}(D_*)$ if $v : D_{0,1}$ or $v : D_*$ with $D \in \mathcal{C}$
: $V \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{I}) \cup \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}_*)$

We call $u \in \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C})$ **alive** in σ if and only if $u \in \text{dom}(\sigma)$.

We use $\Sigma_{\mathcal{S}}^{\mathcal{D}}$ to denote the set of all system states of \mathcal{S} wrt. \mathcal{D} .

System State Example

$$\mathcal{S}_0 = (\{Int\}, \{C, D\}, \{x : Int, p : C_{0,1}, n : C_*\}, \{C \mapsto \{p, n\}, D \mapsto \{x\}\})$$

$$\mathcal{D}(Int) = \mathbb{Z}, \quad \mathcal{D}(C) = \{1_C, 2_C, 3_C, \dots\}, \quad \mathcal{D}(D) = \{1_D, 2_D, 3_D, \dots\}$$

Wanted: $\sigma : \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}) \rightarrow (V \rightarrow (\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{T}) \cup \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{C}_*)))$ such that (i) $\text{dom}(\sigma(u)) = \text{atr}(C)$, and (ii) $\sigma(u)(v) \in \mathcal{D}(\tau)$ if $v : \tau, \tau \in \mathcal{T}$, (iii) $\sigma(u)(v) \in \mathcal{D}(C_*)$ if $v : D_*$ with $D \in \mathcal{C}$.

$\sigma_1 = \emptyset$ ("empty function")

alive in σ_1 : none

$$\sigma_2 = \left\{ \underbrace{1_C \mapsto \left\{ \begin{array}{l} p \mapsto \emptyset, \\ n \mapsto \{1_C, 5_C\} \end{array} \right\}}_{\text{alive in } \sigma_2: 1_C, 5_C}, \underbrace{5_C \mapsto \left\{ \begin{array}{l} p \mapsto \{1_C\}, \\ n \mapsto \emptyset \end{array} \right\}}_{\text{not alive}}, \underbrace{3_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 3\}}_{\text{not alive}} \right\}$$

alive in σ_2 : $1_C, 5_C$
not alive: everybody else

$$\sigma(17_D) = \{x \mapsto 0\}$$

$$\sigma(17_D)(x) = 0$$

$$\sigma_3 = \left\{ \underbrace{1_D \mapsto \{x = 27\}}_{\text{alive objects in } \sigma_3: 1_D, 2_D, 17_D}, \underbrace{2_D \mapsto \{x = 27\}}_{\text{not alive}}, \underbrace{17_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 0\}}_{\text{not alive}} \right\}$$

alive objects in σ_3 : $1_D, 2_D, 17_D$

System State Example

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Two options:

- **Concrete, explicit** identities:

$$\sigma_c = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \emptyset\}, 1_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 23\}\}.$$

- **Alternative: symbolic** system state.

$$\sigma_s = \{c_1 \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{c_2\}\}, c_2 \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \emptyset\}, d \mapsto \{x \mapsto 23\}\}$$

assuming $c_1, c_2 \in \mathcal{D}(C)$, $d \in \mathcal{D}(D)$, $c_1 \neq c_2$.

System State: Spot the 10 (?) Mistakes

$$\mathcal{S}_0 = (\{Int\}, \{C, D\}, \{x : Int, p : C_{0,1}, n : C_*\}, \{C \mapsto \{p, n\}, D \mapsto \{x\}\})$$

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- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \underline{1_C}\}, 1_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto \underline{2.3}\}\}$.

Annotations: "empty set" points to \emptyset ; "(iii)" points to $1_C \notin \mathcal{D}(C)$; "(ii)" points to $2.3 \notin \mathcal{D}(Int)$.
- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \underline{1_C}, n \mapsto \emptyset\}, 1_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 23\}\}$.

Annotation: "(iii)" points to $1_C \in \mathcal{D}(C)$.
- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{1_D\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \emptyset\}, 1_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 22\}\}$.

Annotation: "(iii)" points to $1_D \notin \mathcal{D}(C)$.
- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{n \mapsto \emptyset\}, 1_D \mapsto \{x \mapsto 1, p \mapsto \{1_C\}\}\}$.

Annotations: "(i) peak(C)!" points to 5_C ; "(i), peak(D)" points to 1_D .
- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}, 5_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{9_C\}\}\}$

Dangling References

Definition. Let $\sigma \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{D}}$ be a system state.

We say attribute $v \in V_{0,1,*}$, i.e. $v : C_{0,1}$ or $v : C_*$, in object $u \in \text{dom}(\sigma)$ has a **dangling reference** if and only if the attribute's value comprises an object which is not alive in σ , i.e. if

$$(\sigma(u))(v) \notin \text{dom}(\sigma).$$

← alive objects

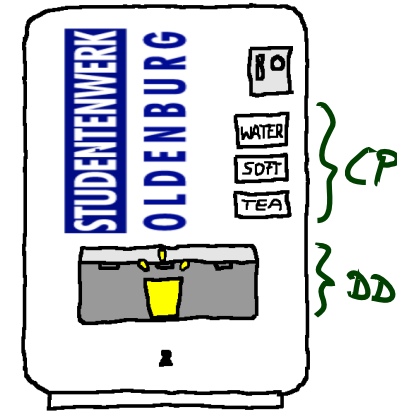
We call σ **closed** if and only if no attribute has a dangling reference in any object alive in σ .

Example:

- $\sigma = \{1_C \mapsto \{p \mapsto \emptyset, n \mapsto \{5_C\}\}\}$

$$(\sigma(1_C))(n) = \{5_C\} \notin \{1_C\} = \text{dom}(\sigma)$$

A Complete Example: Vending Machine



$$\mathcal{Y} = \left(\begin{array}{l} \{ \text{Bool}, \text{Nat} \}, \\ \{ \text{VM}, \text{CP}, \text{DD} \}, \\ \{ \text{cp}: \text{CP}_*, \text{dd}: \text{DD}_{0,1}, \text{wch}: \text{Bool}, \text{win}: \text{Nat} \}, \\ \{ \text{VM} \mapsto \{ \text{cp}, \text{dd} \}, \text{CP} \mapsto \{ \text{wch} \}, \text{DD} \mapsto \{ \text{win}, \text{wch} \} \} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{Bool}) = \{ \text{true}, \text{false} \}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{Nat}) = \mathbb{N}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{VM}) = \{ 1_{\text{VM}}, 2_{\text{VM}}, \dots \}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{DD}) = \{ 1_{\text{DD}}, \dots \}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{CP}) = \{ 1_{\text{CP}}, \dots \}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\text{DD}_{0,1}) = 2 \quad \mathcal{D}(\text{DD}) = 2^{\{ 1_{\text{DD}}, 2_{\text{DD}}, \dots \}}$$

context DD inv:
wch imply win > 0

$$\sigma = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1_{\text{VM}} \mapsto \{ \text{dd} \mapsto \{ 1_{\text{DD}} \}, \text{cp} \mapsto \{ 3_{\text{CP}}, 5_{\text{CP}} \} \}, \\ 1_{\text{DD}} \mapsto \{ \text{win} \mapsto 13, \text{wch} \mapsto \text{true} \}, \\ 3_{\text{CP}} \mapsto \{ \text{wch} \mapsto \text{true} \}, \\ 5_{\text{CP}} \mapsto \{ \text{wch} \mapsto \text{false} \} \end{array} \right\}$$

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