

## One-Way Bridge<sup>1</sup>

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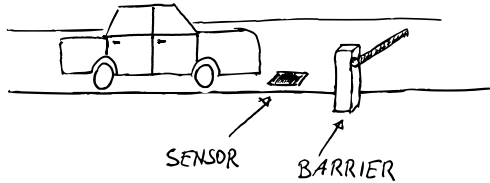
## Goals of this chapter

- Example of reactive system development.
- Including modeling the environment.
- Invariants: **capture requirements**.
  - Invariant preservation will prove that requirements are respected.
- Increasingly accurate models (refinement).
- Refinements “zoom in”, see more details.
- Models separately proved correct.
  - Final system: correct by construction.
- Correctness criteria: proof obligations.
- Proofs: helped by theorem provers working on sequent calculus.

## Difference with previous examples

- Previous examples were **transformational**.
  - Input  $\Rightarrow$  transformation  $\Rightarrow$  output.
- Current example:
  - Interaction with **environment**.
- Sensors and communication channels:
  - Hardware sensors modeled with events.
  - Channels modeled with variables.

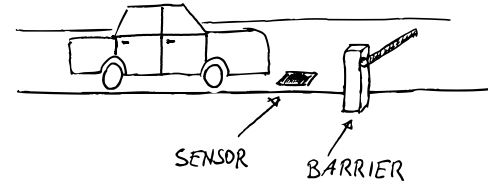
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  - Model external actions as **events**.
    - E.g., sensor signal raised by event.
    - Following expected behavior.
  - Software control also events.
  - Everything subject to proofs.

## Requirements document

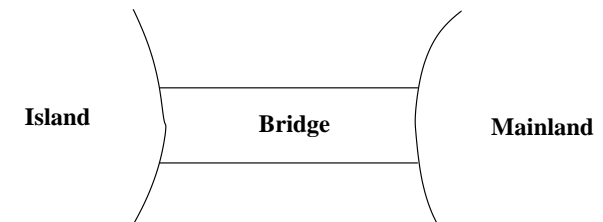
- Large reactive systems difficult to specify from the outset.
- Building it piece-wise, ensuring it meets (natural-language) requirements: a way towards ensuring we have a detailed system specification that is provable correct.

- Two kinds of requirements:
  - Concerned with the equipment (EQP).
  - Concerned with function of system (FUN).
- Objective: control cars on a narrow bridge.
- Bridge links the mainland to (small) island.

## Requirements

The system is controlling cars on a bridge between the mainland and an island	FUN-1
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- This can be illustrated as follows



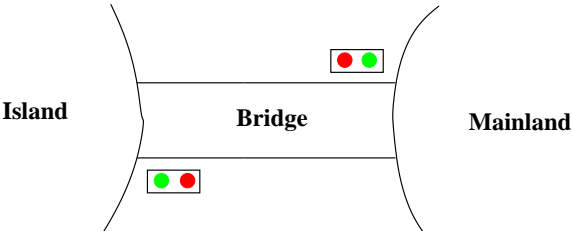
Requirements

- The controller is equipped with two traffic lights with two colors.

The system has two traffic lights with two colors: green and red	EQP-1
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Requirements

- One of the traffic lights is situated on the mainland and the other one on the island. Both are close to the bridge.
- This can be illustrated as follows



Requirements

The traffic lights control the entrance to the bridge at both ends of it	EQP-2
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- Drivers are supposed to obey the traffic light by not passing when a traffic light is red.

Cars are not supposed to pass on a red traffic light, only on a green one	EQP-3
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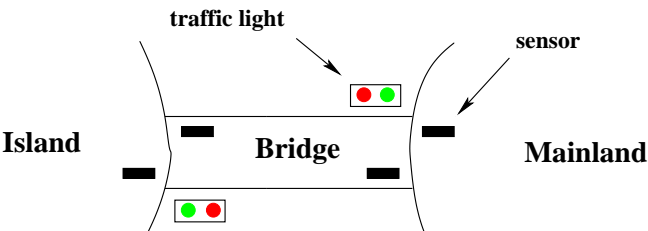
- There are also some car sensors situated at both ends of the bridge.
- These sensors are supposed to detect the presence of cars intending to enter or leave the bridge.
- There are four such sensors. Two of them are situated on the bridge and the other two are situated on the mainland and on the island.

The system is equipped with four car sensors each with two states: on or off	EQP-4
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Requirements

The sensors are used to detect the presence of cars entering or leaving the bridge	EQP-5
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- The pieces of equipment can be illustrated as follows:



Requirements

- This system has two main constraints: the number of cars on the bridge and the island is limited and the bridge is one way.

The number of cars on the bridge and the island is limited	FUN-2
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The bridge is one way or the other, not both at the same time	FUN-3
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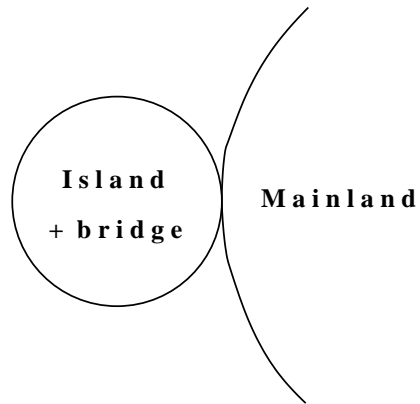
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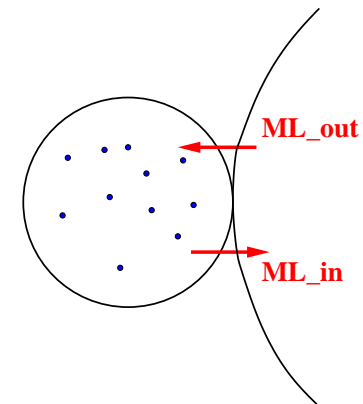
Initial model

- We ignore the equipment (traffic lights and sensors).
- We do not consider the bridge.
- We focus on the pair island + bridge.
- FUN-2: limit number of cars on island + bridge.

## Situation from the sky



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## Formalization of state

✓ Create project *Cars*, context *c0*, machine *m0*, add constant, axiom, variable, invariants, initialization

Static part (context):

**constant:**  $d$

**axm0\_1:**  $d \in \mathbb{N}$

$d$  is the maximum number of cars allowed in island + bridge.

- Labels **axm0\_1**, **inv0\_1**, chosen systematically.
- Label **axm**, **inv** recalls purpose.
- **0** (as in **inv0\_1**): initial model.

Dynamic part (machine):

**variable:**  $n$

**inv0\_1:**  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

**inv0\_2:**  $n \leq d$

$n$  number of cars in island + bridge

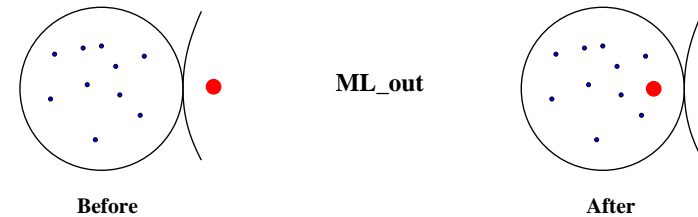
Always smaller than or equal to  $d$  (**FUN\_2**)

- Later: **inv1\_1** for invariant 1 of refinement 1, etc.
- Any **systematic** convention is valid.

## Situation from the sky

- This is the **first transition** (or event) that can be **observed**

- A car is leaving the mainland and entering the Island-Bridge



## Situation from the sky

- We can also observe a **second transition** (or event)
- A car leaving the Island-Bridge and re-entering the mainland



- The **number of cars** in the Island-Bridge is **decremented**

## Situation from the sky

✓ Create events **ML\_out**, **ML\_in**. Add actions. Guards?

- Event **ML\_out** **increments** the number of cars

**ML\_out**  
 $n := n + 1$

- Event **ML\_in** **decrements** the number of cars

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 $n := n - 1$

- An event is denoted by its **name** and its **action** (an assignment)

## Events

### INITIALISATION

$n := 0$

Event **ML\_out**

where

$n < d$

then

$n := n + 1$

end

Event **ML\_in**

where

$0 < n$

then

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ML_in/inv0_2/INV	$d \in \mathbb{N}, n \in \mathbb{N}, n \leq d, n < d \vdash n - 1 < d$

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- **Solve  $\neg(n > 0 \vee n < d)$ .**
- If  $d = 0$ , no car can enter! **Missing axiom:  $0 < d$ .** Add it.
- Note that we are **calculating** the model.

## Strategy

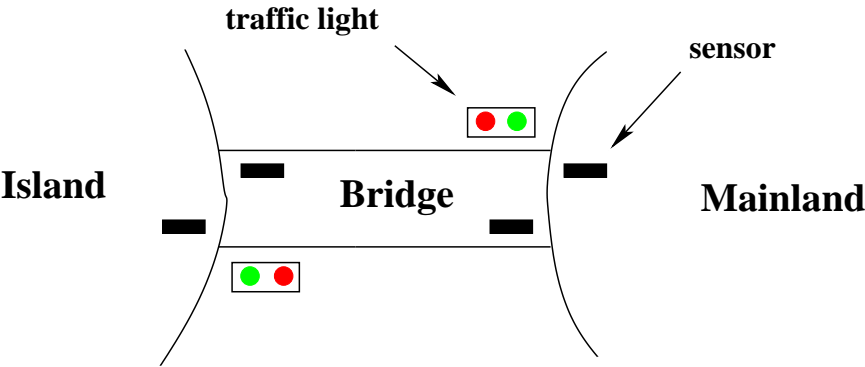
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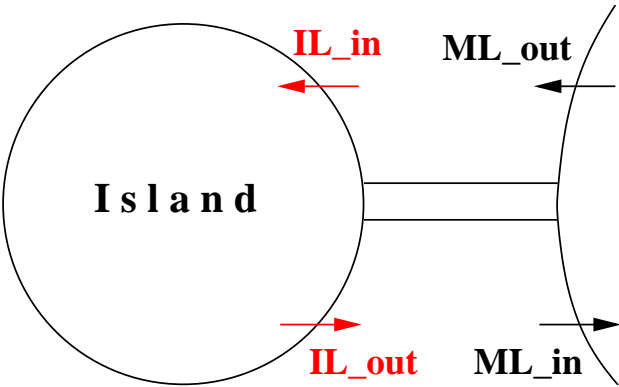
Physical system (reminder)



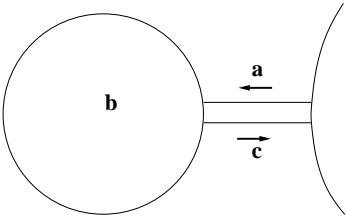
One-way bridge

- We introduce the bridge.
- We refine the state and the events.
- We also add two new events: IL\_in and IL\_out.
- We are focusing on FUN-3: one-way bridge.

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- *a* denotes the number of cars on bridge going to island
- *b* denotes the number of cars on island
- *c* denotes the number of cars on bridge going to mainland
- *a*, *b*, and *c* are the concrete variables



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inv1\_4 **glues** the **abstract state**  $n$  with the **concrete state**  $a, b, c$

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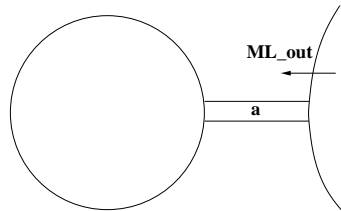
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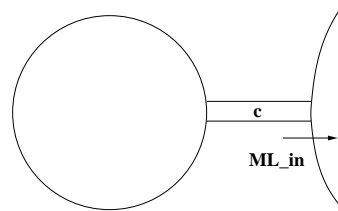
A new class of invariant

Note that we are not finding an invariant to justify the correctness (= postcondition) of a loop. We are establishing an invariant to capture a requirement and we want the model to preserve the invariant, therefore implementing the requirement.

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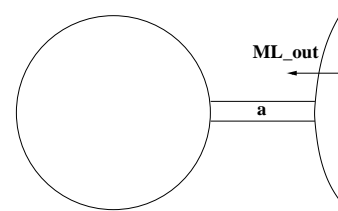


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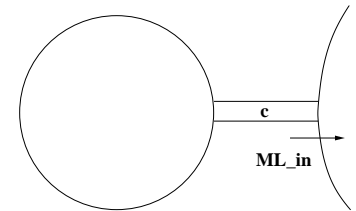


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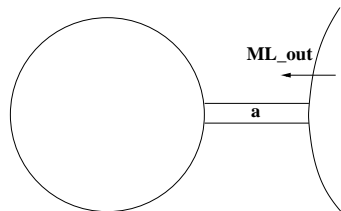


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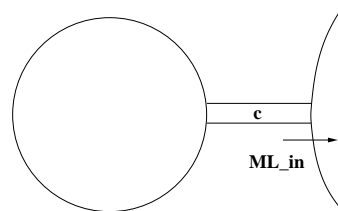


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## In Rodin...

- Right-click on m0.
- Select **Refine**.
- Name it (m1).
- Remove variable  $n$ .
- Introduce variables, invariants.
- Edit existing events by changing them from "extended" to "not extended" (mouse click).

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## Refinement POs (reminder)

- Every concrete guard is **stronger** than abstract guard.
- Every concrete simulation is **simulated** by abstract action.

ML\_out / GRD:

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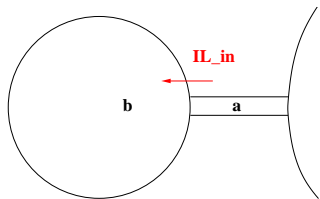
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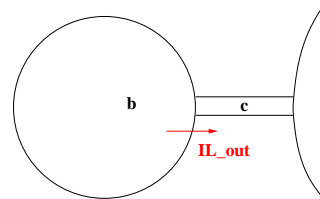
## New events

- New events add transitions **without abstract counterpart**.
- Refining **skip**.
- Can be seen as **internal steps** (w.r.t. abstract model).
- Only perceived by observer who is **zooming in**.

## Proposal for new events

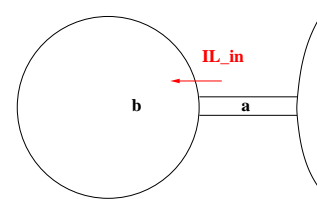


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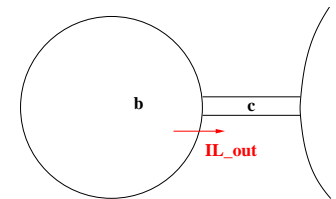


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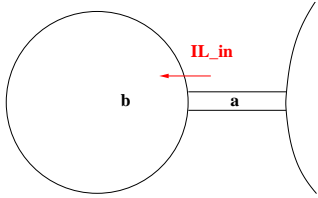


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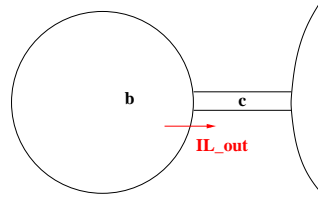


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end
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## POs and convergence of new events

- **New events** refine **implicit** “void” event (*skip* action, *true* guards).
  - No *previous history* to respect.
    - Guard strengthening (GR): trivial (implicit event has *true* guards).
    - Simulation (SIM) trivial: the updates to  $a, b, c$  do not change  $n \Rightarrow$  **no new abstract states introduced**.
  - Need to prove invariants.

- **Termination**: meaningful events are eventually not eligible any more.
  - *Finish* event: artifact to mark when computation is successful.
- **Convergence**: a generalization of termination.
  - Events from a subset of (convergent) events are eligible for a bounded time.
  - Right after this, only events outside this subset are eligible.
  - Then, convergent events can be eligible again.
  - Avoid livelocks  $\Rightarrow$  computation progress.

## Convergence of new events

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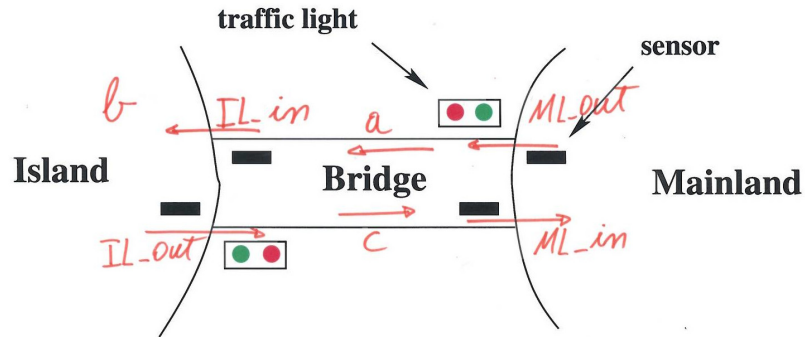
- We need an  $f$  s.t.:
 
$$f(a, b, c) > f(a - 1, b + 1, c)$$

$$f(a, b, c) > f(a, b - 1, c + 1)$$

- Calculate it! ✓ **Add variant!**

Note: ignoring guards here – not necessary. Other cases may need them. See PO scheme in Search slides.

## Bridge after first refinement



## Progress: (relative) deadlock freedom

- Ensure **no new deadlocks** introduced.
  - If concrete model deadlocks, it is because abstract model **also did**.
  - $G_i(c, v)$  **abstract** guards,  $H_i(c, v)$  **concrete** guards:
- $$A_{1\dots l}(c), I_{1\dots m}(c, v), \bigvee_{i=1}^n G_i(c, v) \vdash \bigvee_{i=1}^p H_i(c, v)$$
- Optional PO (depends on system).

- ✓ **Add invariant:**

$$\bigvee_{i=1}^n G_i(c, v) \Rightarrow \bigvee_{i=1}^p H_i(c, v)$$

- ✓ **Mark as theorem.**

No need to check per event.

- Invariant preservation will generate the right PO.

### Complete sequent

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$$\vdash (a + b < d \wedge c = 0) \vee c > 0 \vee a > 0 \vee (b > 0 \wedge a = 0)$$

## Discharged POs

### ✓ Proof Obligations

- thm1/THM
- thm2/THM
- INITIALISATION/inv1/INV
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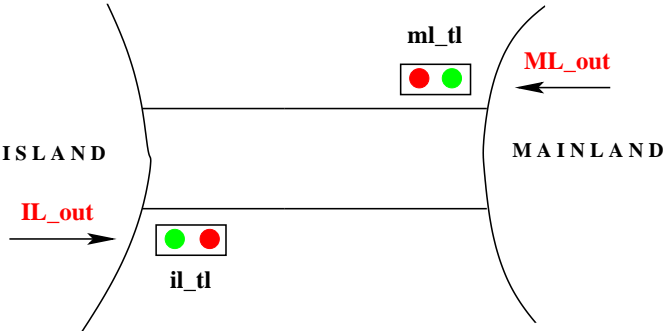
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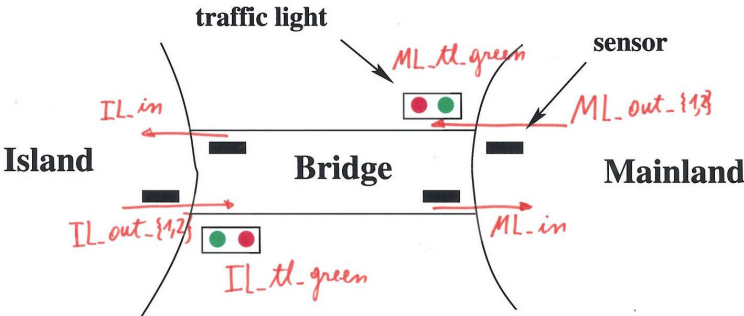
**Third refinement** Introducing the sensors (EQP-4,5)

Introducing traffic lights



At the end of the refinement...

- For pedagogical reasons: this is where we will end in this refinement.



Introducing traffic lights

set: *COLOR*  
constants: *red, green*

axm2.1: *COLOR = {green, red}*  
axm2.2: *green ≠ red*

- ✓ Create context *COLORS*
- ✓ Introduce in context: *set, constants, axioms.*
- ✓ Refine machine *m1*, create *m2*
- ✓ Make *m2* see *COLORS*

Introducing traffic lights

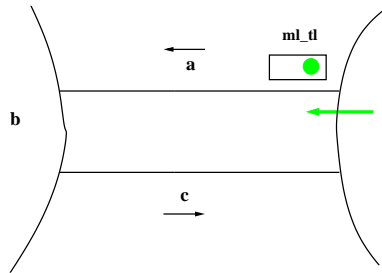
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Remark: Events *IL.in* and *ML.in* are not modified in this refinement

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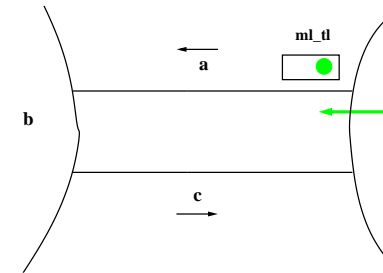
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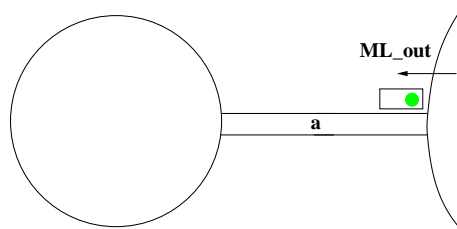
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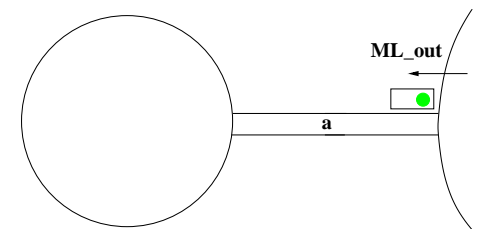
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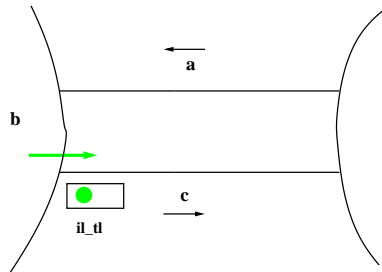
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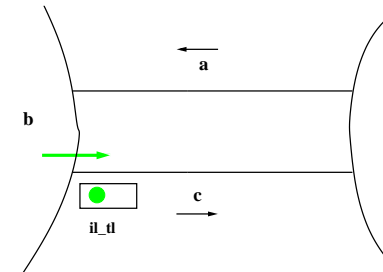
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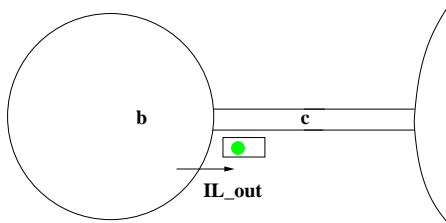


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Invariant:  $il\_tl = green \Rightarrow a = 0 \wedge b > 0$

A note on  $b > 0$ :  $il\_tl$  green signals cars in island they may pass. It does not make sense to let them pass if there is no car in the island; it would not align with intention of  $IL\_out$ . The invariant helps ensure that the light does not turn green if the island is empty.

## Refining IL\_out



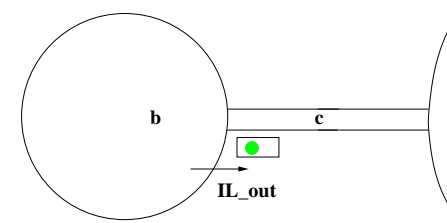
### Abstract

```
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```

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il_tl = green ⇒ a = 0 ∧ b > 0
ml_tl = green ⇒ c = 0 ∧ a + b < d

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- ✓ Add invariants.
- ✓ Change initialization, ML\_out, IL\_out to "non extended".
- ✓ INITIALIZE variables, change guards.

- Several INV not proven.
- We will come back to them.

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```

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## Summary of refinement so far

### Variables, invariants

variables:  $a, b, c, ml\_tl, il\_tl$

inv2\_1:  $ml\_tl \in COLOR$

inv2\_2:  $il\_tl \in COLOR$

inv2\_3:  $il\_tl = green \Rightarrow a = 0 \wedge b > 0$

inv2\_4:  $ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow c = 0 \wedge a + b < d$

### Pending refinement proofs

- Simulation (SIM).
  - **Nothing to do**: refined events have same actions.
- Guard strengthening (GRD).
  - Guards have changed.
  - **Easy**: invariants directly imply GRD.
- Invariant establishment and preservation (INV).
  - New invariants, new events.

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(FUN-3 and EQP-3)

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✓ Split event corresponding to car entering bridge into two different cases: last car and non-last car.

```
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then
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end
```

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```
Event IL_out
where
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then
  b := b - 1
  c := c + 1
end
```

- IL\_out / inv2\_4 / INV fails.
- $0 < b \vdash 0 < b - 1$ .
- The last car to leave the island should turn the island traffic light red.
- Again, two different cases.  
✓ Add to the model.

```
Event IL_out_1
where
  il_tl = green
  b ≠ 1
then
  b, c := b - 1, c + 1
end
```

```
Event IL_out_2
where
  il_tl = green
  b = 1
then
  b, c := b - 1, c + 1
  il_tl := red
end
```

## Status of proofs

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✓ Add actions

## Divergence

At this point, all invariants for requirements in this refinement are preserved (safety). We can think about liveness.

- Event firing may happen without leading to system progress.
- Other (necessary) events may not take place.
  - Called “livelock” in concurrent programming.
- Events that do not clearly change a bounded expression or variable<sup>a</sup> are suspicious.
- **New** events in particular — remember we already proved convergence of IL\_in and IL\_out

<sup>a</sup>“Clearly” does not ensure; properties should anyway be proven.

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Event ML\_tl\_green

where

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$il\_tl := red$

end

- Guards depend on  $a, b, c$  and traffic lights.
- $ml\_tl = red$  and  $il\_tl = red$  (in guards) alternatively set by the other event.

Event IL\_tl\_green

where

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$0 < b$

$a = 0$

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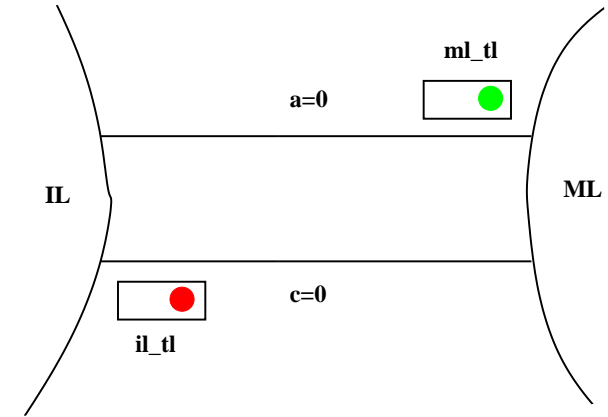
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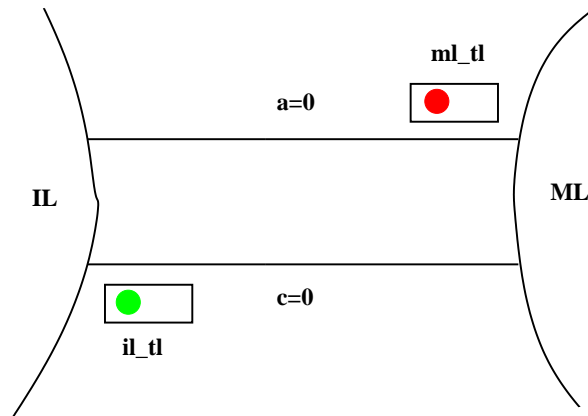
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- The rest of the guards are simultaneously true when  $a = c = 0, 0 < b < d$ .
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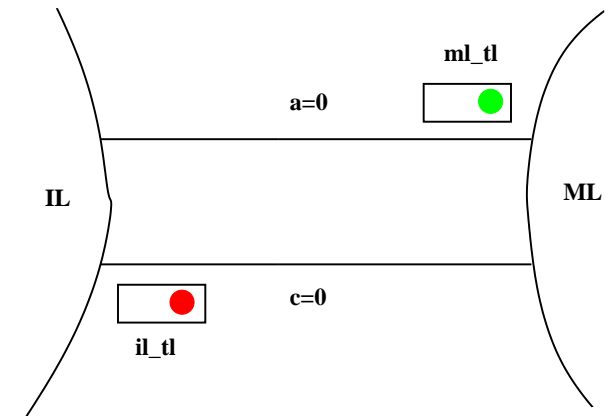
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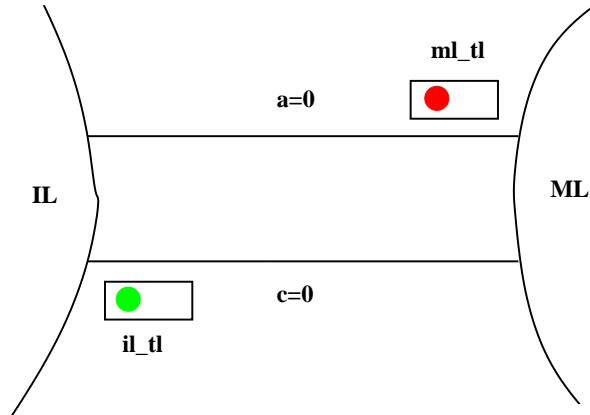
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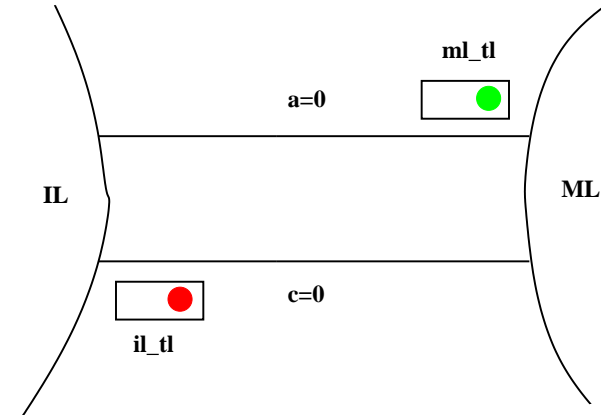
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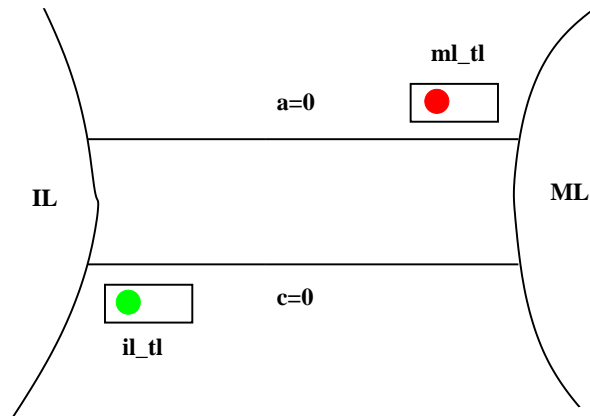
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- Perhaps. Anyway we were letting traffic lights change color, and stating when it is not safe to do so. We will deal with that.



## Modifications to avoid divergence

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```

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- Suggestion: posit the invariants (✓ *Add them*)

**inv2\_8:**  $ml\_tl = red \Rightarrow ml\_pass = 1$

**inv2\_9:**  $il\_tl = red \Rightarrow il\_pass = 1$

- Note: we are **not** forcing  $ml\_pass = 1$  when  $ml\_tl = red$ .
- But if it is true ( $\Rightarrow$  invariant preservation), then we can prove non-divergence.

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## No-deadlock

All axioms, invariants, theorems

⊢

$(ml\_tl = green \wedge a + b + 1 < d)$	✓
$(ml\_tl = green \wedge a + b + 1 = d)$	✓
$(il\_tl = green \wedge b > 1) \vee (il\_tl = green \wedge b = 1)$	✓
$(ml\_tl = red \wedge a + b < d \wedge c = 0 \wedge il\_pass = 1)$	✓
$(il\_tl = red \wedge 0 < b \wedge a = 0 \wedge ml\_pass = 1)$	✓
$0 < a \vee 0 < c$	

- Lengthy, but mechanical.
- Copy and paste from guards, add invariant, mark as theorem.
- Left as exercise! (but use the guards in your model, in case they differ from the ones above)

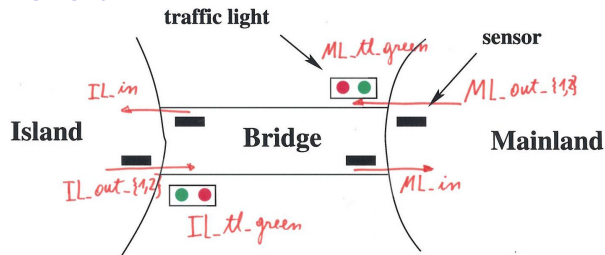
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## Conclusion of second refinement

- We discovered four errors.
- We introduced several additional invariants.
- We corrected four events.
- We introduced two more variables to model the system.
- An two additional variables to control divergence.

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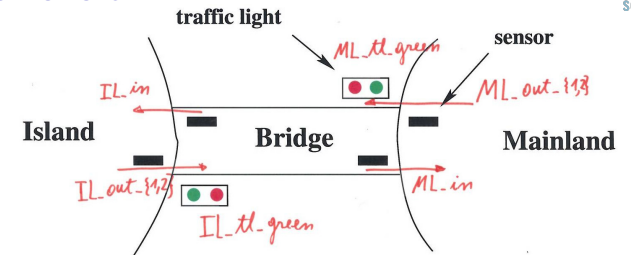
## Analysis of second refinement



- ML\_in** Car leaves bridge to mainland. **{M,I}L\_out\_{1,2}** Cars enter bridge.
- IL\_in** Car bridge leaves to island.
- ML\_tl\_green** Controls ML traffic light.
- IL\_tl\_green** Same for island traffic light.
- Dep. on # of cars, turn.
  - How do we know # of cars?
  - Depending on traffic light.
  - Traffic light, turn changes depending on # of cars.

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## Analysis of second refinement



- ML\_in** Car leaves bridge to mainland. **{M,I}L\_out\_{1,2}** Cars enter bridge.
- IL\_in** Car bridge leaves to island.
- ML\_tl\_green** Controls ML traffic light.
- IL\_tl\_green** Same for island traffic light.
- Dep. on # of cars, turn.
  - How do we know # of cars?
  - Depending on traffic light.
  - Traffic light, turn changes depending on # of cars.
  - Sensors!

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## Invariant / variant summary

$ml\_tl \in \{red, green\}$

$il\_tl \in \{red, green\}$

$ml\_tl = green \Rightarrow a + b < d \wedge c = 0$

$il\_tl = green \Rightarrow 0 < b \wedge a = 0$

$ml\_tl = red \vee il\_tl = red$

$ml\_pass \in \{0, 1\}$

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$ml\_tl = red \Rightarrow ml\_pass = 1$

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variant:  $ml\_pass + il\_pass$

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If TL to enter island is green, there is space in the island and no car is leaving.

If TL to exit island is green, at least on car is in the island and no car is coming in through the bridge.

Both traffic lights cannot be green at the same time.

A car entered bridge from ML since ML TL turned green.

A car entered bridge from IL since IL TL turned green.

Captures *technical* invariant

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To ensure that traffic lights do not alternate forever.

## Summary of events (1)

Event ML\_out\_1

where

$ml\_tl = green$

$a + 1 + b < d$

then

$a := a + 1$

$ml\_pass := 1$

end

Event ML\_out\_2

where

$ml\_tl = green$

$a + 1 + b = d$

then

$a := a + 1$

$ml\_pass := 1$

$ml\_tl := red$

end

## Summary of events (2)

Event IL\_out\_1

where

$il\_tl = green$

$b \neq 1$

then

$b := b - 1$

$c := c + 1$

$il\_pass := 1$

end

Event IL\_out\_2

where

$il\_tl = green$

$b = 1$

then

$b := b - 1$

$c := c + 1$

$il\_pass := 1$

$il\_tl := red$

end

## Summary of events (3)

Event ML\_tl\_green

where

$ml\_tl = red$

$a + b < d$

$c = 0$

$il\_pass = 1$

then

$ml\_tl := green$

$il\_tl := red$

$ml\_pass := 0$

end

Event IL\_tl\_green

where

$il\_tl = red$

$0 < b$

$a = 0$

$ml\_pass = 1$

then

$il\_tl := green$

$ml\_tl := red$

$il\_pass := 0$

end

These are identical to their abstract versions

```
Event ML_in
where
  0 < c
then
  c := c - 1
end
```

```
Event IL_in
where
  0 < a
then
  a := a - 1
  b := b + 1
end
```

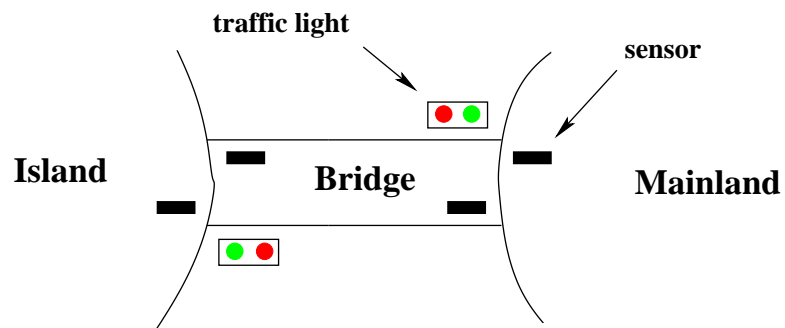
**Initial model** Limiting the number of cars (FUN-2).

**First refinement** Introducing the one-way bridge (FUN-3).

**Second refinement** Introducing the traffic lights (EQP-1,2,3).

**Third refinement** [Introducing the sensors (EQP-4,5)].

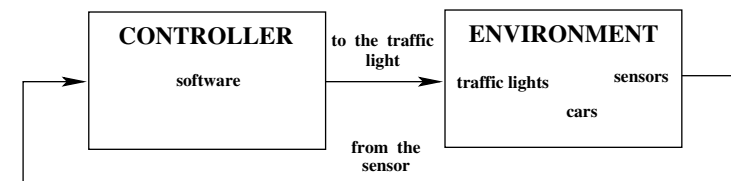
## Reminder of system



## Environment and control

We need to identify:

- The **controller**.
- The **environment**.
- The **communication channels**.
- Environment: deals with **physical** cars.
- Controller: deals with **logical** cars.
- Communication channels: keep relationship among them.
  - Physical reality / logical view not always in sync!



Controller and environment variables



Channels



Controller variables  
(used to decide traffic light colors)

a,  
b,  
c,  
ml\_pass,  
il\_pass

Environment variables  
(denote **physical** objects):

A,  
B,  
C,  
ML\_OUT\_SR,  
ML\_IN\_SR,  
IL\_OUT\_SR,  
IL\_IN\_SR

- A, B, C: physical cars.
- \*\_\*\_SR: state of physical sensors.



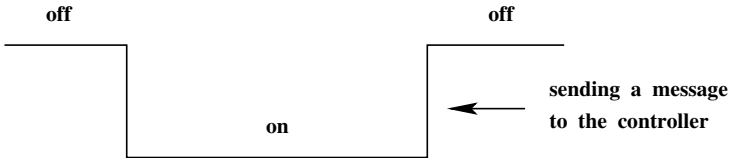
Output channels  
(send state / signal to traffic lights)

ml\_tl,  
il\_tl

Input channels  
(receive signals from sensors):

ml\_out\_10,  
ml\_in\_10,  
il\_out\_10,  
il\_in\_10

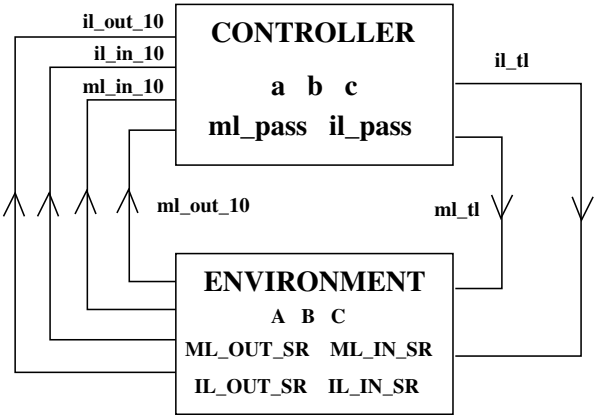
Sensors: a message is sent when it changes from on to off.



Summary



Enlarging the refined model



- The possible states of a sensor:  
**Carrier sets:** ..., SENSOR.  
**Constants:** on, off.  
**axm3\_1:** SENSOR = {on, off}  
**axm3\_2:** on ≠ off
- Type invariants:  
**inv3\_1:** ML\_OUT\_SR ∈ SENSOR  
**inv3\_2:** ML\_IN\_SR ∈ SENSOR

- inv3\_3:** IL\_OUT\_SR ∈ SENSOR
- inv3\_4:** IL\_IN\_SR ∈ SENSOR
- inv3\_5:** A ∈ ℕ
- inv3\_6:** B ∈ ℕ
- inv3\_7:** C ∈ ℕ
- inv3\_8:** ml\_out\_10 ∈ BOOL
- inv3\_9:** ml\_in\_10 ∈ BOOL
- inv3\_10:** il\_out\_10 ∈ BOOL
- inv3\_11:** il\_in\_10 ∈ BOOL

BOOL is a built-in set: BOOL = {TRUE, FALSE}.



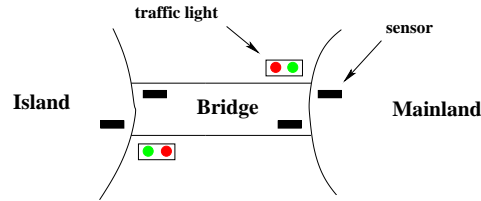
## Invariants capturing behavior, relationship with environment

When sensors are on, there are cars on them:

**inv3\_12:**  $IL\_IN\_SR = on \Rightarrow A > 0$

**inv3\_13:**  $IL\_OUT\_SR = on \Rightarrow B > 0$

**inv3\_14:**  $ML\_IN\_SR = on \Rightarrow C > 0$



The sensors are used to detect the presence of cars entering or leaving the bridge

EQP-5

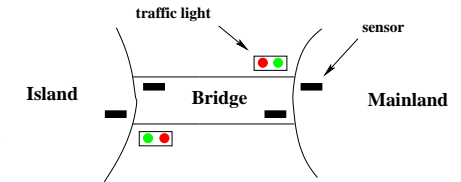
(We do not count / control cars in mainland)

## Invariants capturing behavior, relationship with environment

Drivers obey traffic lights (e.g., they cross with green traffic light):

**inv3\_15:**  $ml\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow ml\_tl = green$

**inv3\_16:**  $il\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow il\_tl = green$



Cars are supposed to pass only on a green traffic light

EQP-3

## Linking hardware sensor information and logical representation

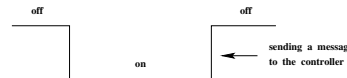
When sensor *on*, its logical representation should have been updated.  
Note: this does **not** update variables – it only checks they were.

**inv3\_17:**  $IL\_IN\_SR = on \Rightarrow il\_in\_10 = FALSE$

**inv3\_18:**  $IL\_OUT\_SR = on \Rightarrow il\_out\_10 = FALSE$

**inv3\_19:**  $ML\_IN\_SR = on \Rightarrow ml\_in\_10 = FALSE$

**inv3\_20:**  $ML\_OUT\_SR = on \Rightarrow ml\_out\_10 = FALSE$



The controller must be fast enough so as to be able to treat all the information coming from the environment

FUN-5

## Physical and logical cars

**inv3\_21:**  $il\_in\_10 = TRUE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow A = a$

**inv3\_22:**  $il\_in\_10 = FALSE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow A = a + 1$

**inv3\_23:**  $il\_in\_10 = TRUE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow A = a - 1$

**inv3\_24:**  $il\_in\_10 = FALSE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow A = a$

**inv3\_25:**  $il\_in\_10 = TRUE \wedge il\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow B = b$

**inv3\_26:**  $il\_in\_10 = TRUE \wedge il\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow B = b + 1$

**inv3\_27:**  $il\_in\_10 = FALSE \wedge il\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow B = b - 1$

**inv3\_28:**  $il\_in\_10 = FALSE \wedge il\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow B = b$

**inv3\_29:**  $il\_out\_10 = TRUE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow C = c$

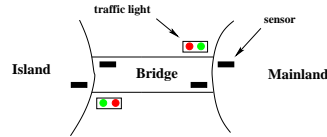
**inv3\_30:**  $il\_out\_10 = TRUE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow C = c + 1$

**inv3\_31:**  $il\_out\_10 = FALSE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = TRUE \Rightarrow C = c - 1$

**inv3\_32:**  $il\_out\_10 = FALSE \wedge ml\_out\_10 = FALSE \Rightarrow C = c$

## Rationale

**inv3\_21:**  $il\_in\_10 = \text{TRUE} \wedge ml\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE} \Rightarrow A = a$   
**inv3\_22:**  $il\_in\_10 = \text{FALSE} \wedge ml\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE} \Rightarrow A = a + 1$   
**inv3\_23:**  $il\_in\_10 = \text{TRUE} \wedge ml\_out\_10 = \text{FALSE} \Rightarrow A = a - 1$   
**inv3\_24:**  $il\_in\_10 = \text{FALSE} \wedge ml\_out\_10 = \text{FALSE} \Rightarrow A = a$



- $A$ : physical # cars. Updated by events representing cars entering.
- $a$ : *controller* (logical) view.
- When  $ml\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE}$ : other events will update logical # of cars, set  $ml\_out\_10 = \text{FALSE}$ .
- In the meantime, logical and physical # cars may be out of sync.

One event represents car entering bridge. Increases  $A$ . Simulates sensor  $ML\_OUT$  going from *off* to *on*. Another even registers change. Sets **logical**  $ml\_out\_10$  to **TRUE**. **Here,  $A = a + 1$**  Then another event sees  $ml\_out\_10 = \text{FALSE}$  and updates  $a$ . **Here  $A = a$ .**

When  $ml\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE} \wedge il\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE}$ , they balance each other.

## New (physical) events (examples)

**Event**  $ML\_out\_arr$   
**where** // No car on sensor  
 $ML\_OUT\_SR = \text{off}$   
 $ml\_out\_10 = \text{FALSE}$   
**then**  
 $ML\_OUT\_SR := \text{on}$   
**end**

**Event**  $ML\_out\_dep$   
**where**  
 $ML\_OUT\_SR = \text{on}$   
 $ml\_tl = \text{green}$   
**then**  
 $ML\_OUT\_SR := \text{off}$   
 $ml\_out\_10 := \text{TRUE}$   
 $A := A + 1$   
**end**

**Event**  $IL\_in\_arr$   
**where**  
 $IL\_IN\_SR = \text{off}$   
 $il\_in\_10 = \text{FALSE}$   
 $A > 0$   
**then**  
 $IL\_IN\_SR := \text{on}$   
**end**

**Event**  $IL\_in\_dep$   
**where**  
 $IL\_IN\_SR = \text{on}$   
**then**  
 $IL\_IN\_SR := \text{off}$   
 $il\_in\_10 := \text{TRUE}$   
 $A := A - 1$   
 $B := B + 1$   
**end**

## Refining abstract events (example)

**Event**  $ML\_out\_1$  (abstract)  
**where**  
 $ml\_tl = \text{green}$   
 $a + b + 1 \neq d$   
**then**  
 $a := a + 1$   
 $ml\_pass := 1$   
**end**

**Event**  $ML\_out\_1$   
**where**  
 $ml\_out\_10 = \text{TRUE}$   
 $a + b + 1 \neq d$   
**then**  
 $a := a + 1$   
 $ml\_pass := 1$   
 $ml\_out\_10 := \text{FALSE}$   
**end**

## Basic properties

**inv3\_33:**  $A = 0 \vee C = 0$

**inv3\_34:**  $A + B + C \leq d$

The number of cars on the bridge and the island is limited	FUN-2
The bridge is one-way	FUN-3

Variant



- Ensure new events converge.



Variant



- Ensure new events converge.
- The (somewhat surprising) variant expression is
$$12 - (ML\_OUT\_SR + ML\_IN\_SR + IL\_OUT\_SR + IL\_IN\_SR + 2 \times (ml\_out\_10 + ml\_in\_10 + il\_out\_10 + il\_in\_10))$$
- Note: formally incorrect. Booleans have to be converted to integers in the usual way.



Final structure

