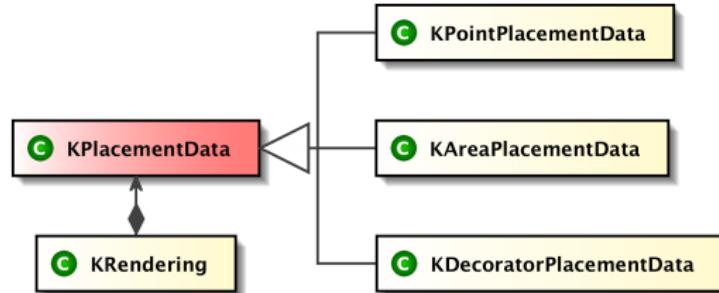


Transient Node-Link-Diagrams in Practice



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My Vision

No humans but tools draw diagrams.

The diagram creation effort is reduced
to the formulation of
model \leftrightarrow diagram mappings.

Tools care on all concrete positionings.

2012 – Achievements

What we did achieve 1/2

- ▶ an own view model syntax: *KRendering*
 - ▶ provides descriptive micro layout statements
 - ▶ increases rendering performance
(efficient application of automatic layout)
 - ▶ supports advanced stuff, e.g. hierarchy, splines, "host" figures



Ch. Schneider, M. Spönemann & R. v. Hanxleden

Transient View Generation in Eclipse

1st Workshop on Academics Modeling with Eclipse (ACME) at ECMFA '12

2012 – Achievements

What we did achieve 2/2

- ▶ a rendering implementation of KRendering view models
 - ▶ based on Piccolo2D (SWT)
 - ▶ places edge labels properly
 - ▶ resolves declarative micro layout statements
 - ▶ incorporates incremental update strategies

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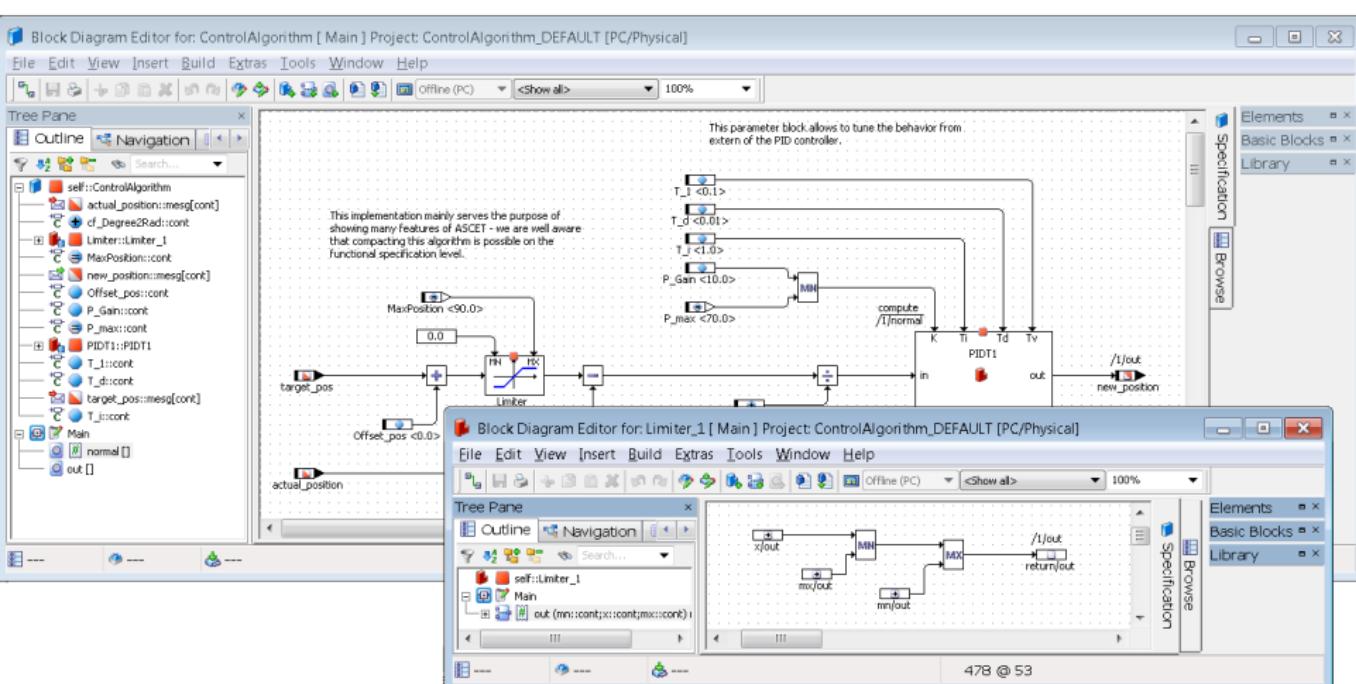
Interactive ECU Documentation





Before EHandbook

- ▶ Model-based Embedded software engineering of ECUs
- ▶ Software development by *modelers*
- ▶ Deployment by *calibration engineers*
- ▶ Fixed textual documentation containing raster images



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- ▶ The logo for Sigasi, featuring the word "Sigasi" in a large, bold, black sans-serif font. A yellow diagonal line starts from the bottom left and ends at the top right of the letter "g". A small registered trademark symbol (®) is located at the top right of the "i".
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Slick graphical views in Eclipse with the Kieler Lightweight Diagrams Toolkit

This talk presents the [Kieler Lightweight Diagrams \(KlighD\) toolkit](#). This toolkit helps in creating visual representations of your models. In order to create graphical diagrams, you just have to implement a model-to-model transformation that maps your (EMF) models to a uniform and self contained view model. This in turn frees you, as modeling tool builder, from layouting and diagram drawing issues.

In addition to visualization, it supports a lot of high level diagram modification operations like: collapsing, expansion and scaling of single diagram elements, diagram clipping, cropping, zooming, and more. These are important operations for graphical inspection and exploration of models.

▼ Session details

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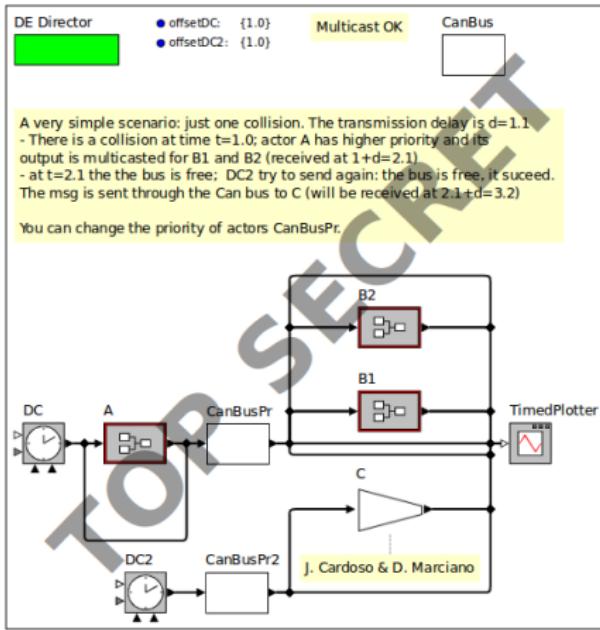
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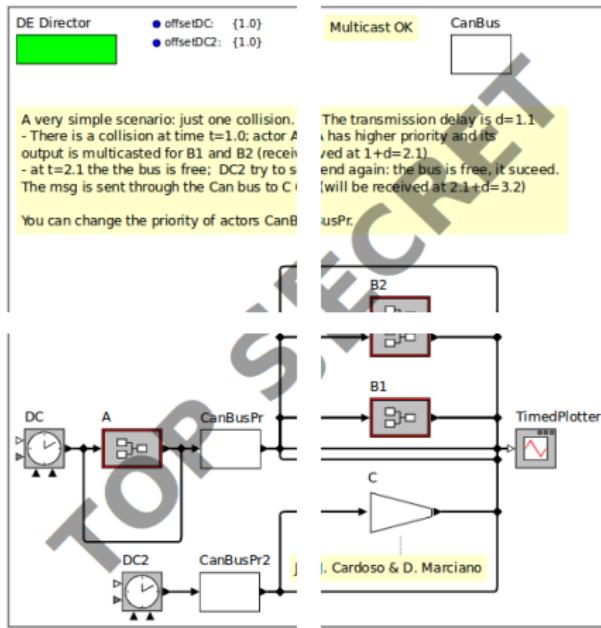
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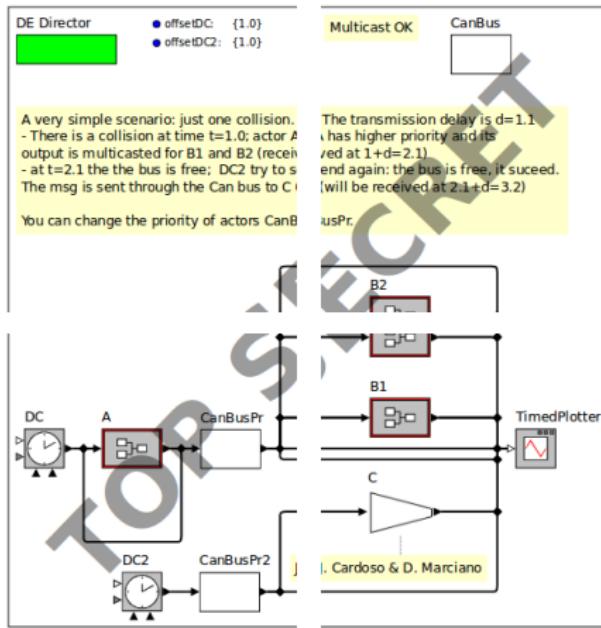
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