# Ontological Models to Support Planning Operations

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### Procedure Authoring System (PRIDE)



Output is in an XML schema called Procedure Representation Language (PRL)

#### **PRIDE** Viewer and Executor



### PRIDE Planning Wizard (PPW)





### **Interactive Plan Generation System**



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## Some PRONTOE Capabilities

- User doesn't need to know about ontologies
- Add/delete/modify data to support procedure authoring
- Navigate graphically through the ontological hierarchy
- Invoke ontological reasoners to speed relation entries
- Author and save what-if snapshots to use for planning future activities
- Integrate with PRIDE Planning Wizard
  - Classes, instances and relations
  - Axioms for bookkeeping and constraint management
- Output to OWL files
  - To be read and updated by planning systems
  - To be read and updated by procedure execution systems

### Types of Ontological Information

- Classes, subclasses and relations among them
  - truss-segment, ORU\*-bag, ceta-light
  - can-hold (medium-ORU-bag, ceta-light)
- Class instances
  - LAB-ceta-light1,S1
  - located (LAB-ceta-light1) = S1
- Directives
  - Preconditions and effects, e.g., crew must possess a PGT before unbolting a CETA light
  - Axioms for bookkeeping and physics, e.g., if a container is located at A, so are its contents
  - Constraints (includes flight rules), e.g., if a CETA-light heater is not on then its lamp must be on
- Data facts that represent a specific configuration of all the instances, e.g., switch settings, modes, locations

\*orbital replacement unit

### Divisions in the Ontology

- The base
  - "Floor" of the ontology = classes and relations based on modeling choices, e.g.,
  - Includes axioms
  - Not editable by users
  - We have an "all domains" base & an "ISS-base"
- The kernel extensions
  - Per flight discipline, e.g., PHALCON, EVA
  - A starting set of classes and instances of the ISS to be edited and expanded by users
- The ontological data
  - Collection of facts that represent a specific configuration of all the instances
  - Can be updated both manually and electronically



# DDCUs for Big 12



## DDCU – location modeling

#### EPS kernel

- DC/DC\_Converter\_Unit\_External (class) hasPartNo.: R076522-121

- DDCU-E\_3
  - role: S01A
- attached\_to: DDCU-CP\_2
- DDCU-E\_4
  - role: S02B
  - attached\_to: DDCU-CP\_3

#### **TCS** kernel

 Coldplate\_Assembly\_DDCU (class) hasPartNo.: 1F29200-1

- DDCU-CP\_2
  - attached\_to: S0\_DDCU\_mnt1
- DDCU-CP\_3
  - attached\_to: S0\_DDCU\_mnt2

 Coldplate\_Assy\_DDCU (class) hasPartNo.: 1F77633-1 ISS-external Kernel - ORUlocation - DDCU\_S01A

- trussLocation: S0B01F01MP
- DDCU\_mount (class)
- S0\_DDCU\_mnt1
  - ORUlocation: DDCU\_S01A
  - S0\_DDCU\_mnt2
    - ORUlocation: DDCU\_S02B

Query: located(DDCU-E\_3) = S0B01F01MP

## PRIDE Ontology Editor (PRONTOE)



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## OWL->PDDL\*

Direct subclasses => types/subtypes
 Class assertions => instances
 Object properties => predicate definitions
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\*PDDL-e = PDDL 2.1 + axioms + hierarchical actions



# Axioms - OWL

<pre></pre>	DLSateRule>
Container(?x), PhysicalEntity(?y), ISSlocation(?z), contains(?x, ?y), hasISSlocation(?x, ?z) -> hasISSlocation(?y, ?z)	<body> <classatom> <class abbreviatediri="base:Container"></class> <variable iri="urn:swrl#x"></variable> </classatom> <classatom> <class abbreviatediri="base:PhysicalEntity"></class> </classatom></body>
	 <classatom> <class abbreviatediri="ISS-base:ISSlocation"></class> <variable iri="urn:swrl#z"></variable> </classatom> <objectpropertyatom></objectpropertyatom>
(:axiom :vars (?x - container ?y - physical-entity ?z - iss-location) :context (and (contains ?x ?y) (has-iss-location ?x ?z)) :implies (has-iss-location ?v ?z)	<pre><objectpropertyatom> </objectpropertyatom></pre> <pre><objectproperty abbreviatediri="base:contains"></objectproperty>       </pre>
)	 <head> <objectpropertyatom> <objectproperty abbreviatediri="ISS-base:hasISSlocation"></objectproperty> <variable iri="urn:swrl#y"></variable> <variable iri="urn:swrl#z"></variable> </objectpropertyatom> </head>

## **PDDL** Hierarchy



## CETA Light 3



## actions & a problem

(define (durative-action Translate-by-handrail) :parameters (?ev - crew ?end-loc - iss-location) :vars (?start-loc - iss-location) :condition (at start (has-iss-location ?ev ?start-loc)) :effect (at end (has-iss-location ?ev ?end-loc)) :duration time-from-path :comment "?ev travels by handrail from ?start-loc to ?end-loc") (define (durative-action Extract-item-to-bag) :parameters (?ev - crew ?item - (or luminaire ceta light control-panel-assembly) ?container - oru-bag) :vars (?pgt - pgt-with-turn-setting ?I - (has-iss-location ?item)) :duration 12.0 :condition (and (at start (has-iss-location ?ev ?l)) (at start (possesses ?ev ?container)) (at start (= (possessed by ?pgt) ?ev)) (at start (bag-size-for ?item ?container))) :effect (and (at end (extracted-item-to ?ev ?item ?container)) (at end (contains ?container ?item))

:comment "crew removes ?item at ?I and stows in bag."

(define (durative-action Retrieve-item) :parameters (?ev - crew ?item - (or luminaire\_\_ceta\_light control-panel-assembly power-cable space-positioning-device)) :vars (?container - (or oru-bag fish-stringer) ?loc - (has-iss-location ?item)) :expansion (sequential (possesses ?ev ?container) (has-iss-location ?ev ?loc) (extracted-item-to ?ev ?item ?container)

:effect (at end (retrieve-item\_a ?ev ?item)) :comment "?ev picks up ?container, travels to ?item's loc, unmounts and stores ?item in ?container and returns.")

(define (problem bob-get-light)
 (:domain nasa-domain)
 (:situation phalcon-eva)
 (:deadline 100.0)
 (:init (has-iss-location bob airlock)
 (possesses bob oru-bag\_1)
 (possesses bob pgt\_1))
 (:goal (retrieve-item\_a bob LUMINAIRE\_3))



## plan achieved

purpose-established RETRIEVE-ITEM0: RETRIEVE-ITEM\_A(BOB,LUMINAIRE\_3)

Thus ends the plan-generation phase of BOB-GET-LIGHT ...

```
------ plan: RETRIEVE-ITEM0 ------
RETRIEVE-ITEM0: RETRIEVE-ITEM_A(BOB,LUMINAIRE_3)
sequential
BOB-GET-LIGHT_IS: POSSESSES(BOB,ORU-BAG_1)
TRANSLATE-BY-HANDRAIL13: HAS-ISS-LOCATION(BOB,S1B07F03MP)
EXTRACT-ITEM-TO-BAG56: EXTRACTED-ITEM-TO(BOB,LUMINAIRE_3,ORU-BAG_1)
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```
probability-of-success = 0.902
duration = 27.00
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+nodes-examined+ = 4
+constraints-tested+ = 0
+axioms-applied+ = 3
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0.05 CPU seconds [0.012 CPU sec/node]

**RETRIEVE-ITEM0** 



## CETA Light 2



## more actions & a 2<sup>nd</sup> problem

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(at end (tethered\_to ?st2 ?ev)) (at end (has-iss-location ?st2 ?l)) (at end (tether-swapped ?ev ?st1)))

#### :duration 5

:comment "?ev installs a second tether and then swaps his current tether for the new one.") 

#### expansion (sequential (has-iss-location ?ev ?mloc) (tether-swapped ?ev ?st) (has-iss-location ?ev ?end-loc)

:effect (at end (has-iss-location ?ev ?end-loc)) :duration time-from-path :comment "?ev travels by handrail to ?end-loc via ?mloc")

(define (problem bob-get-light2)

(:domain nasa-domain) (:situation phalcon-eva) (:deadline 100.0) (:init (has-iss-location bob airlock)

(possesses bob oru-bag\_1) (possesses bob pgt\_1) (tethered\_to 85-ft\_tether\_3 bob) (possesses bob stp\_1)) (:goal (retrieve-item\_a bob LUMINAIRE\_2))

## 2<sup>nd</sup> plan achieved

purpose-established RETRIEVE-ITEM0: RETRIEVE-ITEM\_A(BOB,LUMINAIRE\_2)

Thus ends the plan-generation phase of BOB-GET-LIGHT2 ...

```
------ plan: RETRIEVE-ITEM0 ------
RETRIEVE-ITEM0: RETRIEVE-ITEM_A(BOB,LUMINAIRE_2)
sequential
BOB-GET-LIGHT2_IS: POSSESSES(BOB,ORU-BAG_1)
TRANSLATE-BY-HR&SWAP3: HAS-ISS-LOCATION(BOB,P3B02F01NP)
sequential
TRANSLATE-BY-HANDRAIL78: HAS-ISS-LOCATION(BOB,P1B10F01MM)
INSTALL-TETHER&SWAP135: TETHER-SWAPPED(BOB,85-FT_TETHER_3)
TRANSLATE-BY-HANDRAIL182: HAS-ISS-LOCATION(BOB,P3B02F01NP)
EXTRACT-ITEM-TO-BAG213: EXTRACTED-ITEM-TO(BOB,LUMINAIRE_2,ORU-BAG_1)
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probability-of-success = 0.815
duration = 32.00
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+nodes-examined+ = 8 +constraints-tested+ = 0 +axioms-applied+ = 20

0.19 CPU seconds [0.024 CPU sec/node]

**RETRIEVE-ITEM0** 



# Tracking ORU Locations Changes (ORLOC Tool)



## Future Work

- Finalize PRONTOE version 1.0 based on flight controller feedback
- Begin work on ORLOC capabilities
  - Task lists imply location and setting changes
  - HTTP interface to DOUG for 3D visualization
- Develop axiom translator for PPW
  - Direct parse for axiomatic languages (e.g., PDDL-e)
  - Pre-processing\* of axioms for non-axiomatic languages (e.g., ANML, AML)
- Recreate all plans for DDCU R&R scenario
- Develop streaming data updates
- \*e.g., Davidson & Garagnani (Plan-SIG02)



## Discussion

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