A Model-based Certification Framework for the EnergyBus Standard

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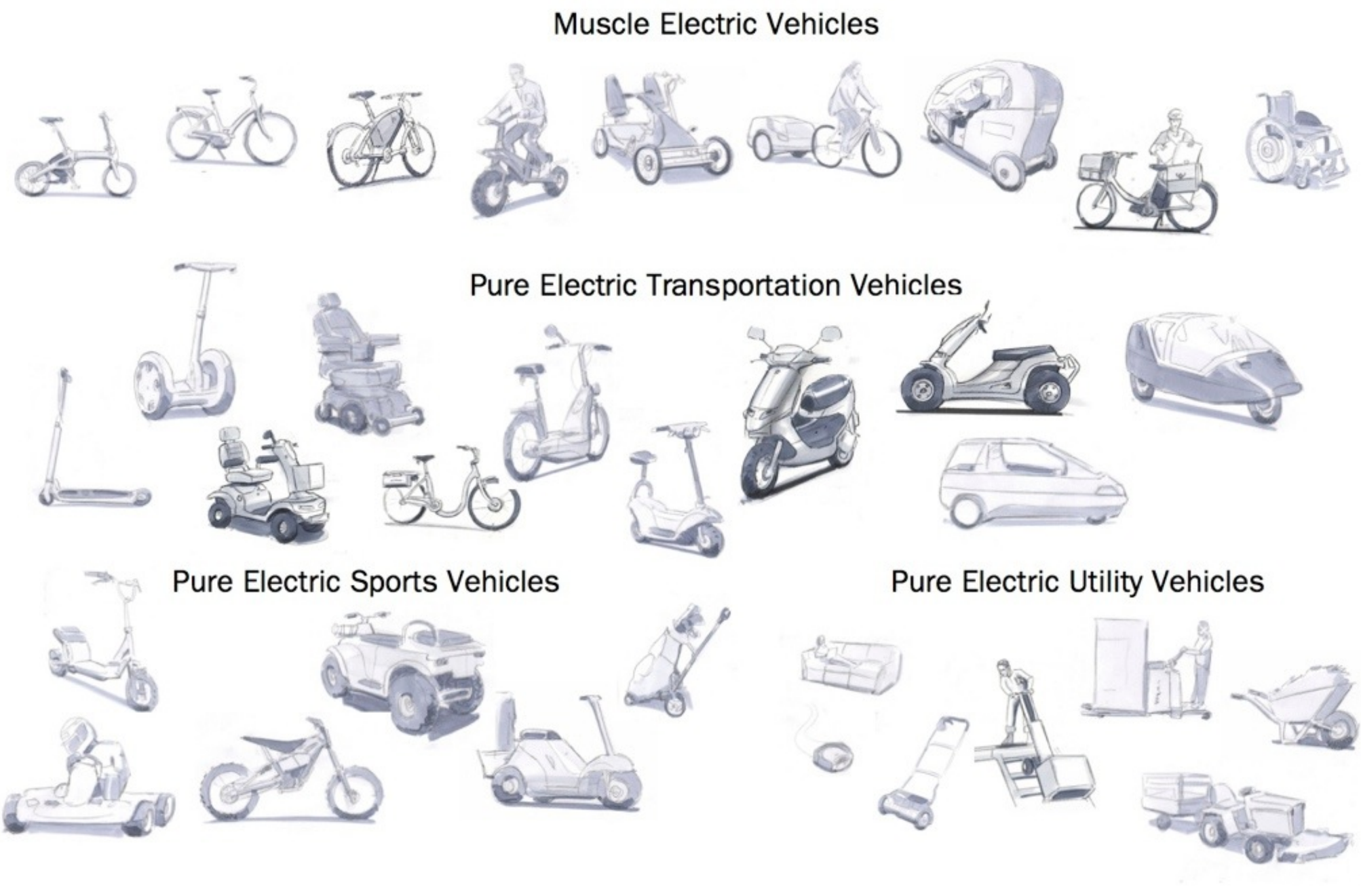
Light Electric Vehicles

LEV Product Groups and Markets



Light Electric Vehicles

- rapidly growing market
- big OEMs and suppliers

BOSCH

Panasonic

- fleet administrators

DB

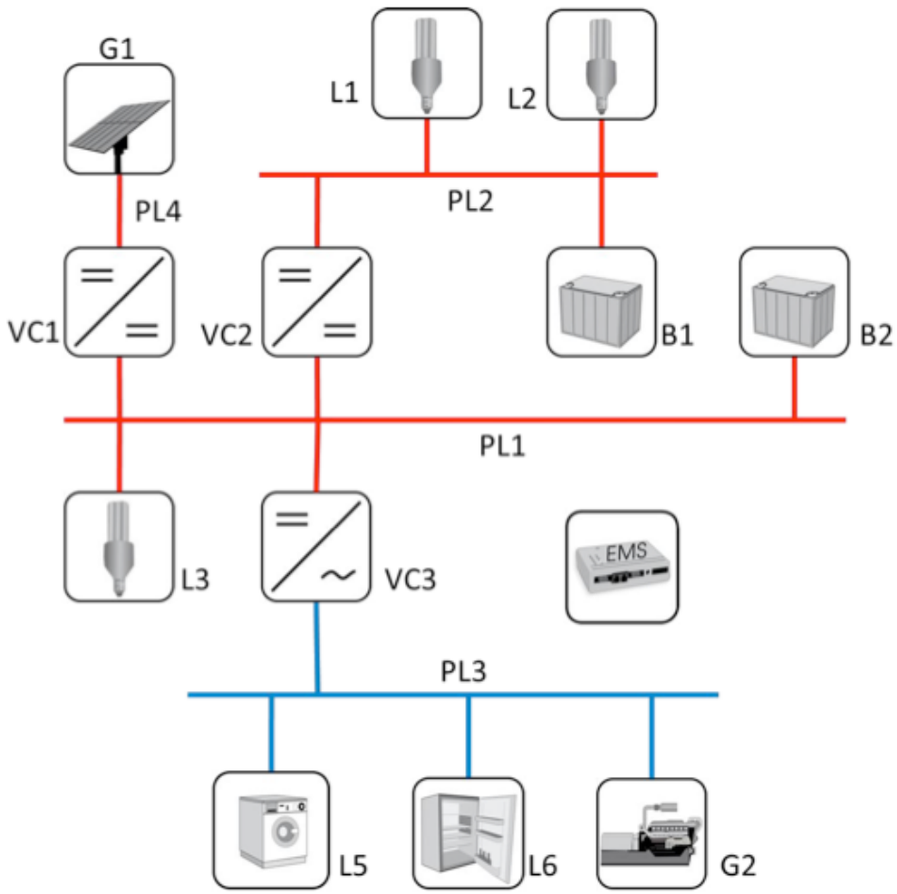
- bike vendors entering this market

Light Electric Vehicles

- need for Energy Management Systems
- proprietary solutions
  - incompatible connectors and platforms
  - no exchange of components

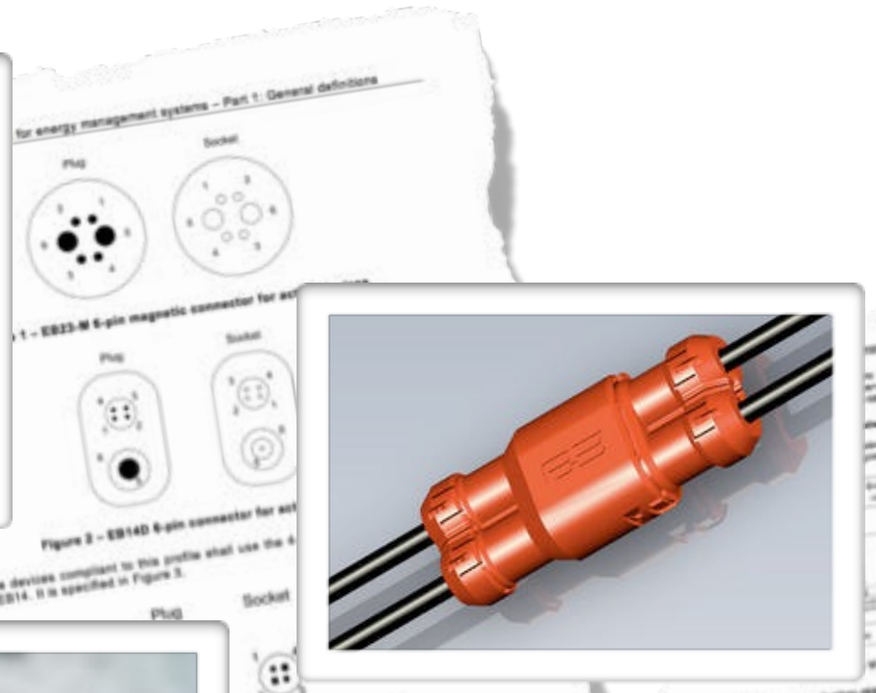
- safety critical application
  - distribution of electrical power
  - battery explosion

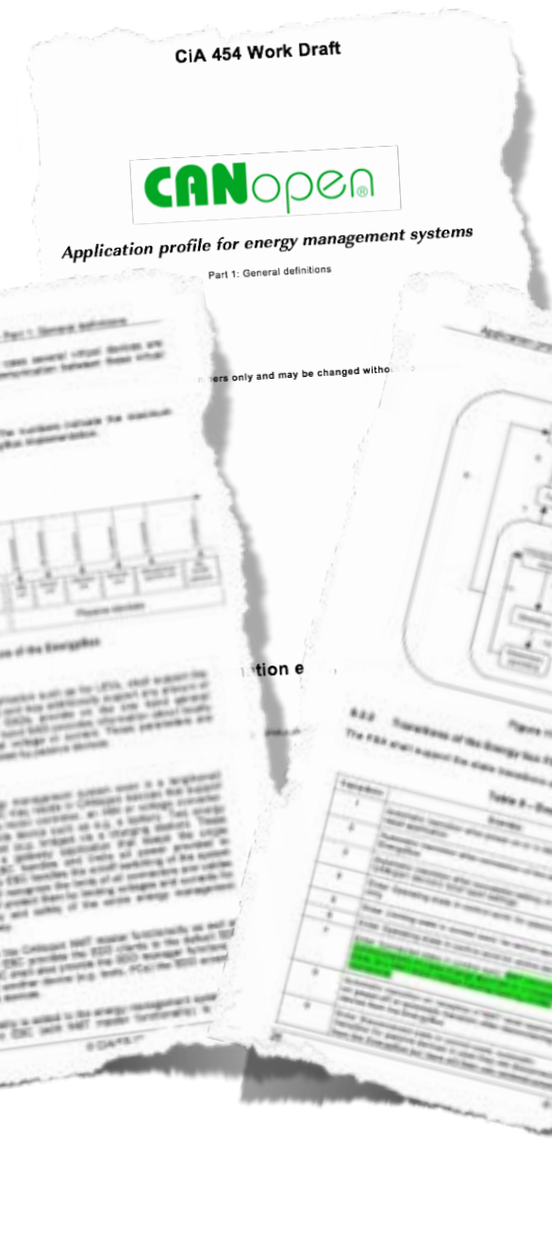
Stationary Applications



EnergyBus e.V.

- a universal standard for Energy Management Systems
- implementation of official certification procedure





EnergyBus e.V.

Outline

- EnergyBus documentation
  - overview of CAN / CANopen
  - EnergyBus extension

- Formal specification
  - modeling techniques
  - specification issues

- Certification framework
  - Model-based testing
  - tool setup
  - abstraction techniques
  - testing results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    hide NMT_STATE_CHANGED:NMT_CHANNEL, HB_CTRL,
      par LSS_CONFIGURATION, GET_NODE_ID, NMT_STA
        par
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED ->
            par PROD_HEARTBEAT, CONS_HEARTBEAT, H
              HeartbeatProtocols[PROD_HEARTBEAT,
            ||
              HeartbeatAdapter[PROD_HEARTBEAT, CO
            end par
        ||
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED -> NetworkManagement[
        ||
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED -> TPDO1[PDO, NMT_STA
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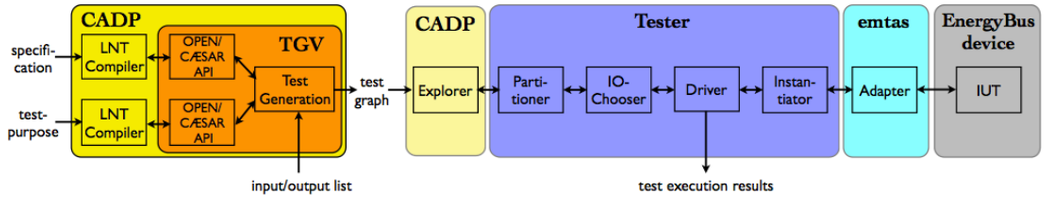


EnergyBus Documentation

Protocol Stack

ISO/OSI Model

Application

Presentation

Session

Transport

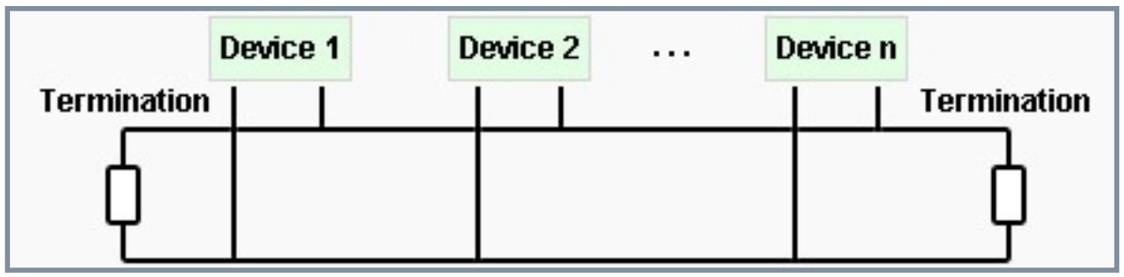
Network

Data Link

Physical

CAN / CANopen

- Bus arbitration: CSMA/BA
- Network topology



- CAN/CANopen frame

function code	node ID	RTR	data length	Data
4 bits	7 bits	1 bit	4 bits	0-8 bytes

CANopen

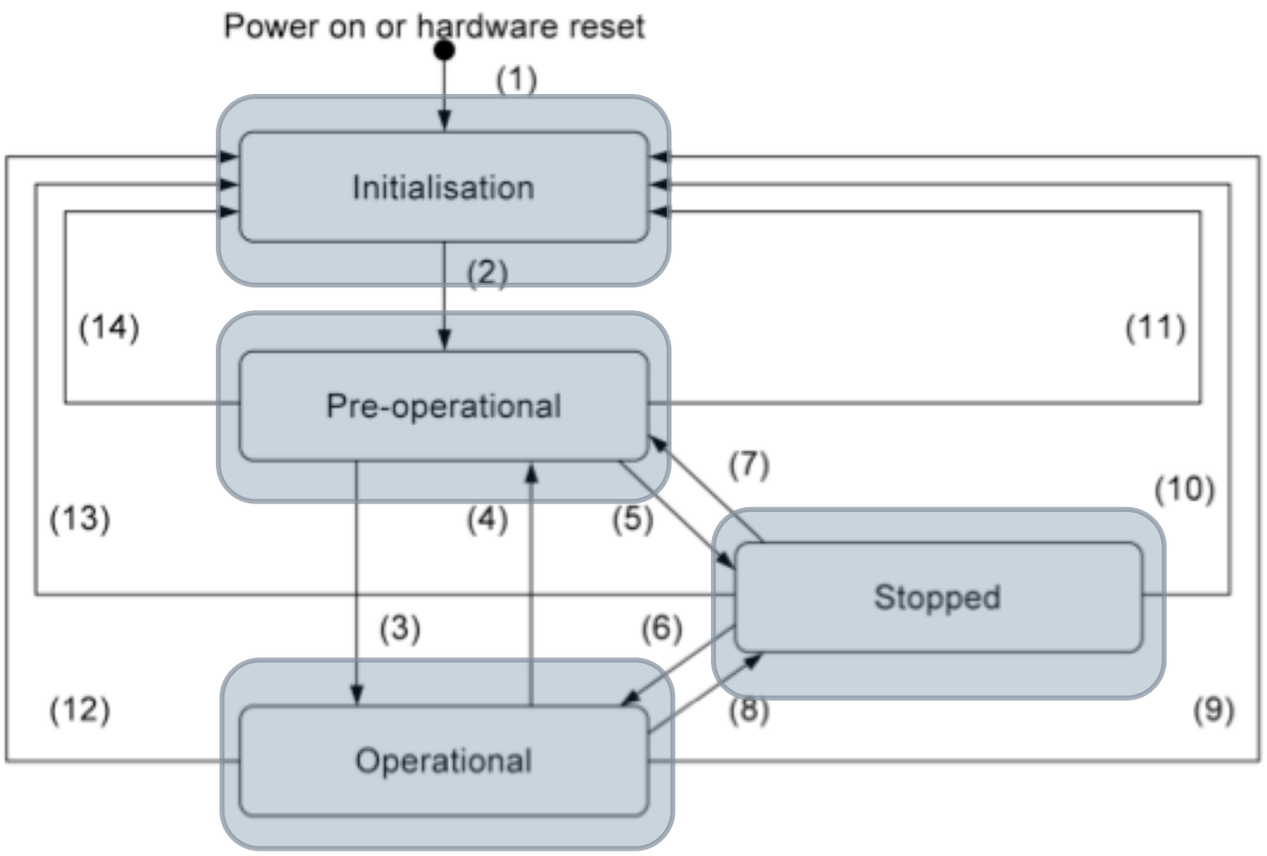
- defines various services
  - NMT
  - SDO
  - PDO
  - LSS
  - Node control
  - SYNC
  - EMCY
  - TIME

CANopen Services

Network Management (NMT)

- master/slave protocol
- operational state

NMT Automaton



Communication capability

	Pre-operational	Operational	Stopped
PDO		X	
SDO	X	X	
SYNC	X	X	
TIME	X	X	
EMCY	X	X	
Node control and error control	X	X	X

CANopen Services

Service Data Object (SDO) communication:

- binary communication
- server/client protocol
- configuration
- segmentation, acknowledgements

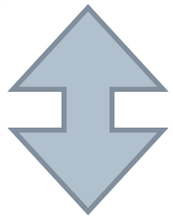
Process Data Object (PDO) communication:

- broadcast communication
- producer/consumer protocol
- dynamic data exchange, notifications
- single frame (max. 8 data bytes)

Object Directory (OD)

- 16-bit main index
- 8-bit sub-index
- service configuration
- data exchange

Application



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0260h - 0FFFh	reserved
1000h - 1FFFh	Communication object area
2000h - 5FFFh	Manufacturer specific area
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C000h - FFFFh	reserved

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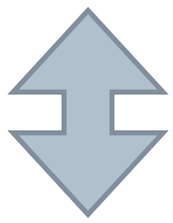
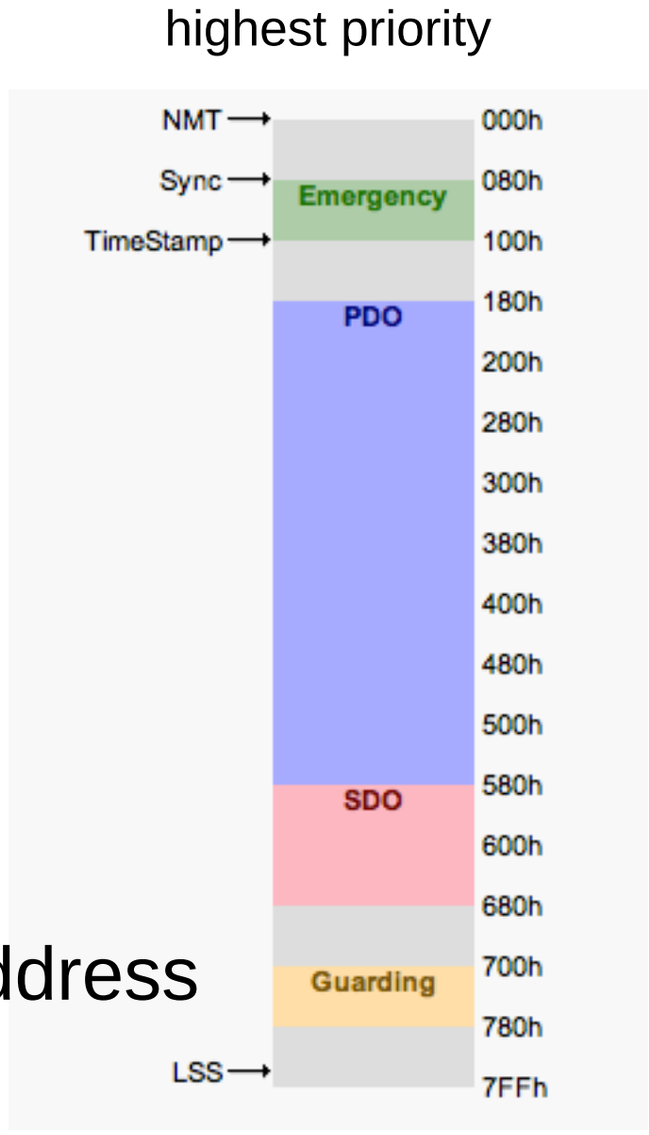


CANopen Network

CANopen Services

Layer Setting Service (LSS):

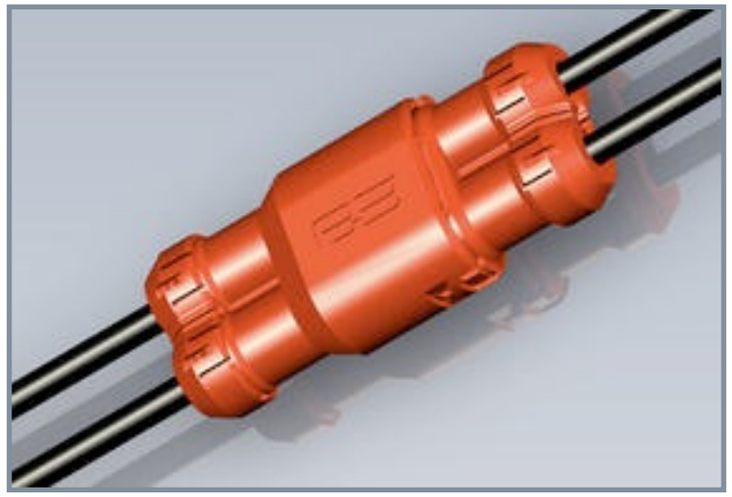
- master/slave protocol
- independent of NMT state
- detection of connected/unconfigured devices
- configuration of node-ID
- identification by device-specific 8-byte LSS address



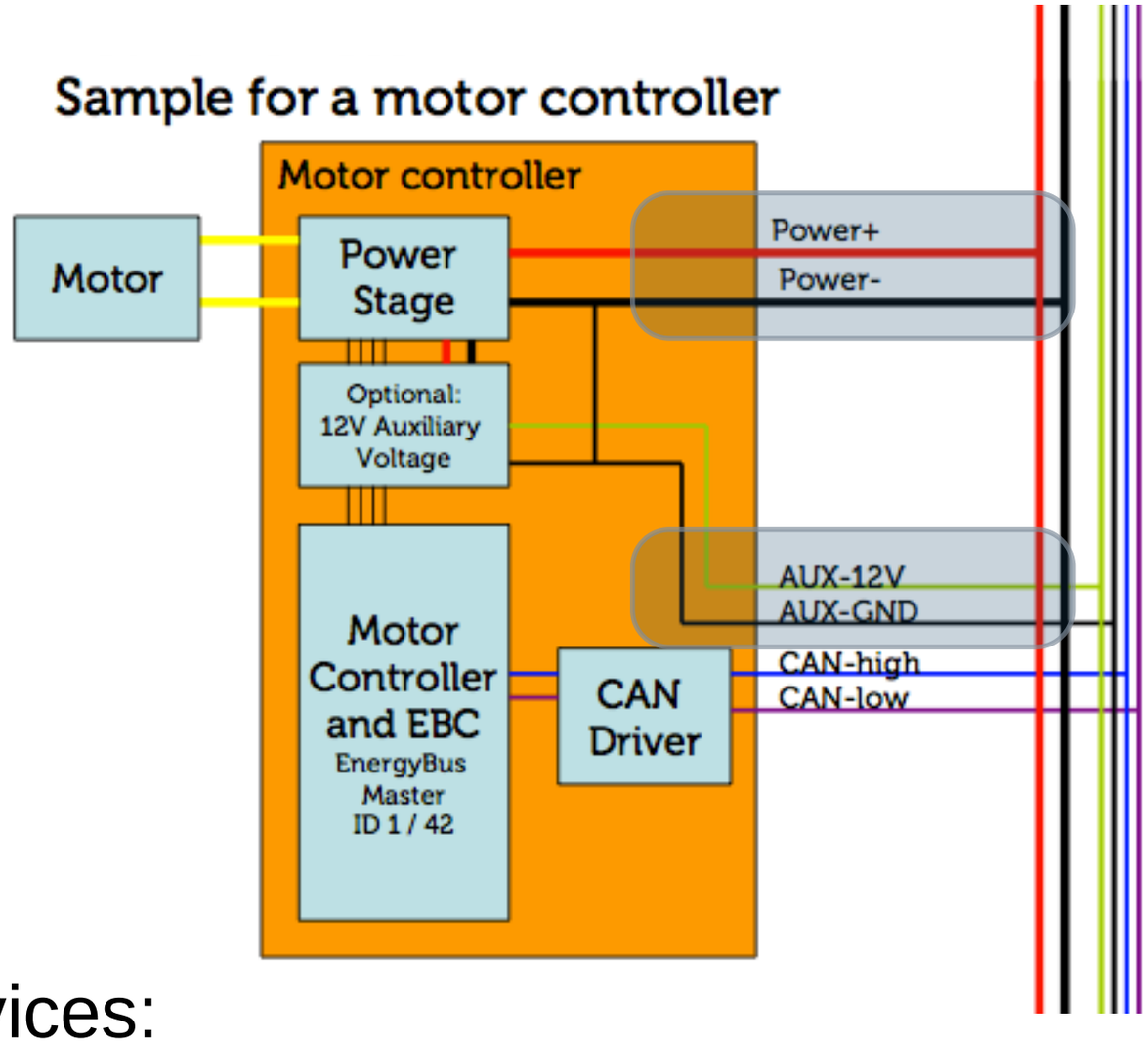
EnergyBus

Hardware aspects

- family of connectors
- additional power lines (MAIN and AUX)



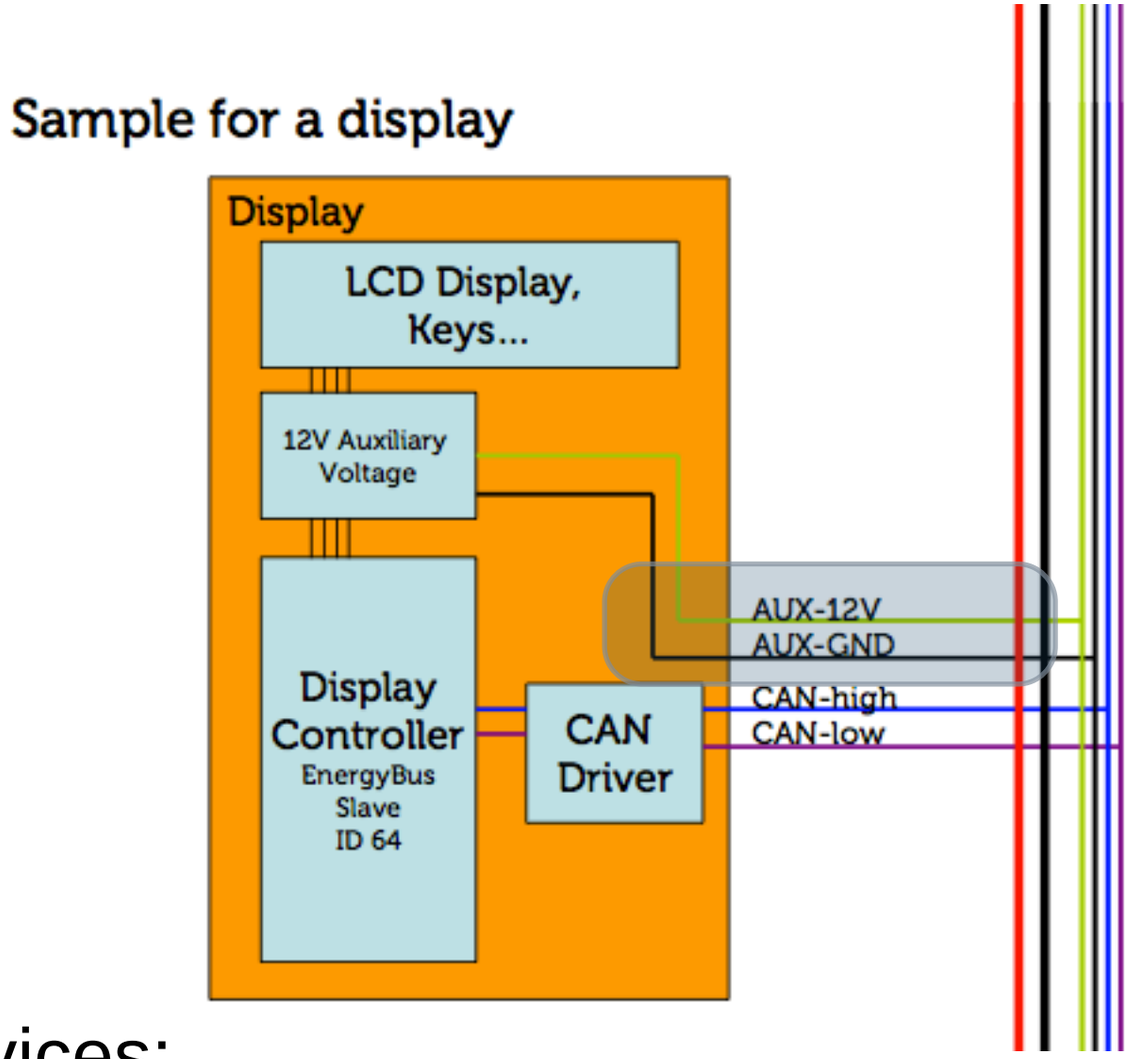
Active Devices



further active devices:

- voltage converter
- battery pack
- load monitoring unit
- generator unit
- …

Passive Devices



further passive devices:

- sensor unit
- gateway unit
- security unit
- manufacture specific unit
- …

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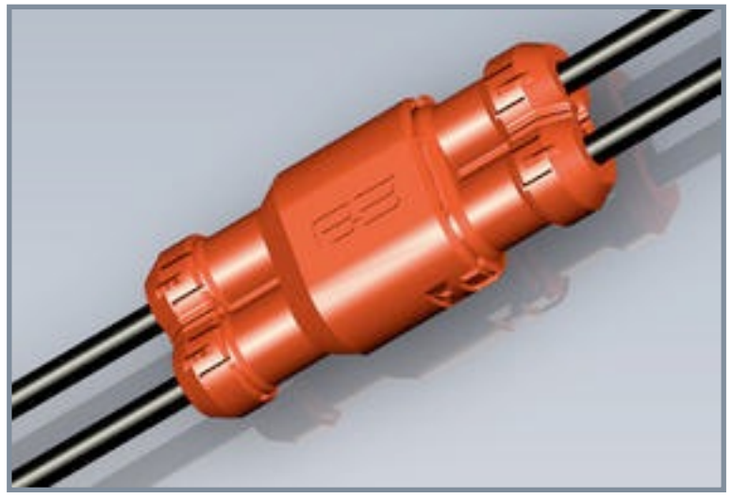


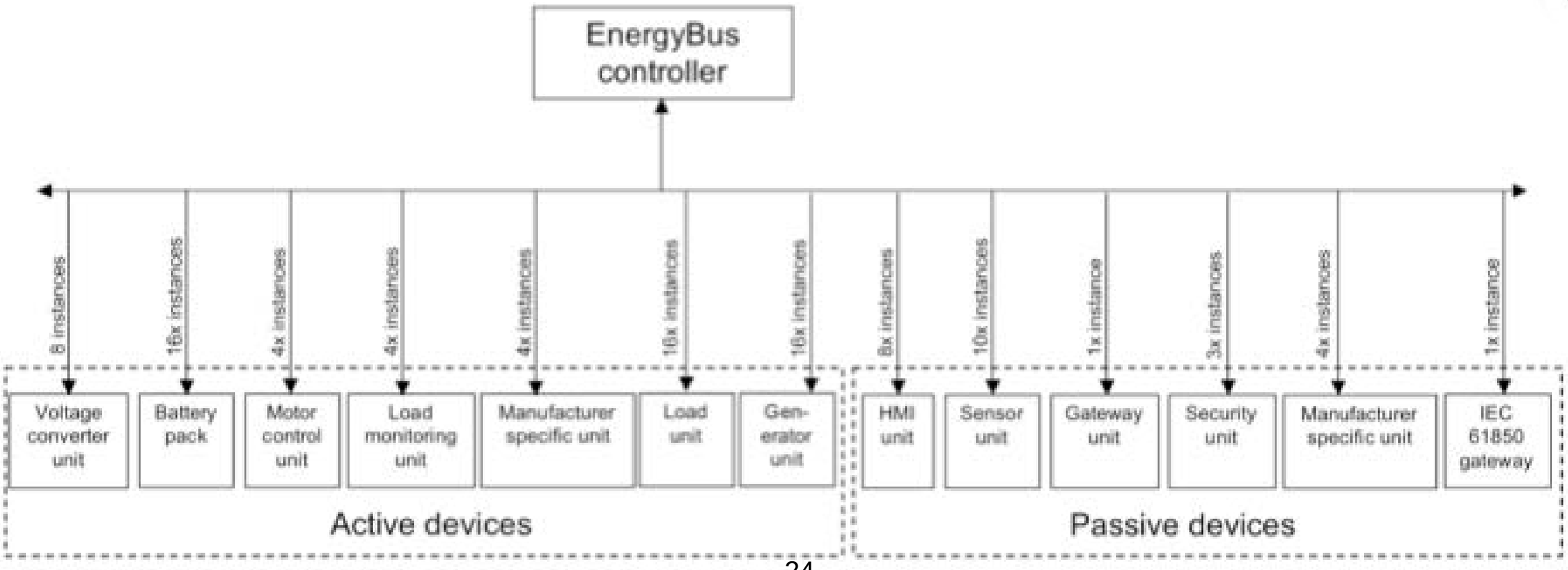
Software aspects

- protocols
- Object Directory definitions
- specific EnergyBus applications

EnergyBus Network

EnergyBus controller (EBC)

- distribution of energy
- ensures safety of the network
- monitors and controls other EMS devices
- acts as NMT and LSS Master
- maintains SDO connections to all devices
- only one activated EBC in the network
- fixed node-ID 01_h



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Object 6120_h: Battery pack maximum charge start temperature .....
Object 6121_h: Battery pack minimum charge start temperature .....
Object 6122_h: Battery pack maximum discharge temperature.....
Object 6123_h: Battery pack minimum discharge temperature .....
Object 6124_h: Battery pack maximum temperature for storage.....
Object 6125_h: Battery pack minimum temperature for storage.....
Object 6126_h: Battery pack maximum cell voltage.....
Object 6127_h: Battery pack minimum cell voltage.....
Object 6160_h: Battery pack actual battery Wh capacity .....
Object 6161_h: Battery pack actual battery Ah capacity .....

EnergyBus Virtual Devices

- extend the Object Directory
- predefined set of PDO messages

MSN	Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4	Byte 5	Byte 6	Byte 7	Byte 8
1	6002_h 00_h Device status word		6022_h 01_h Device dynamic current input limitation		6023_h 01_h Device dynamic current output limitation		6020_h 01_h Device dynamic voltage limitation	
2	$603E_h$ 01_h Device actual current				6040_h 01_h Device actual voltage			
3	6160_h 01_h Actual battery Wh capacity				6105_h 01_h Battery temperature		6042_h 01_h Device electronic temperature	

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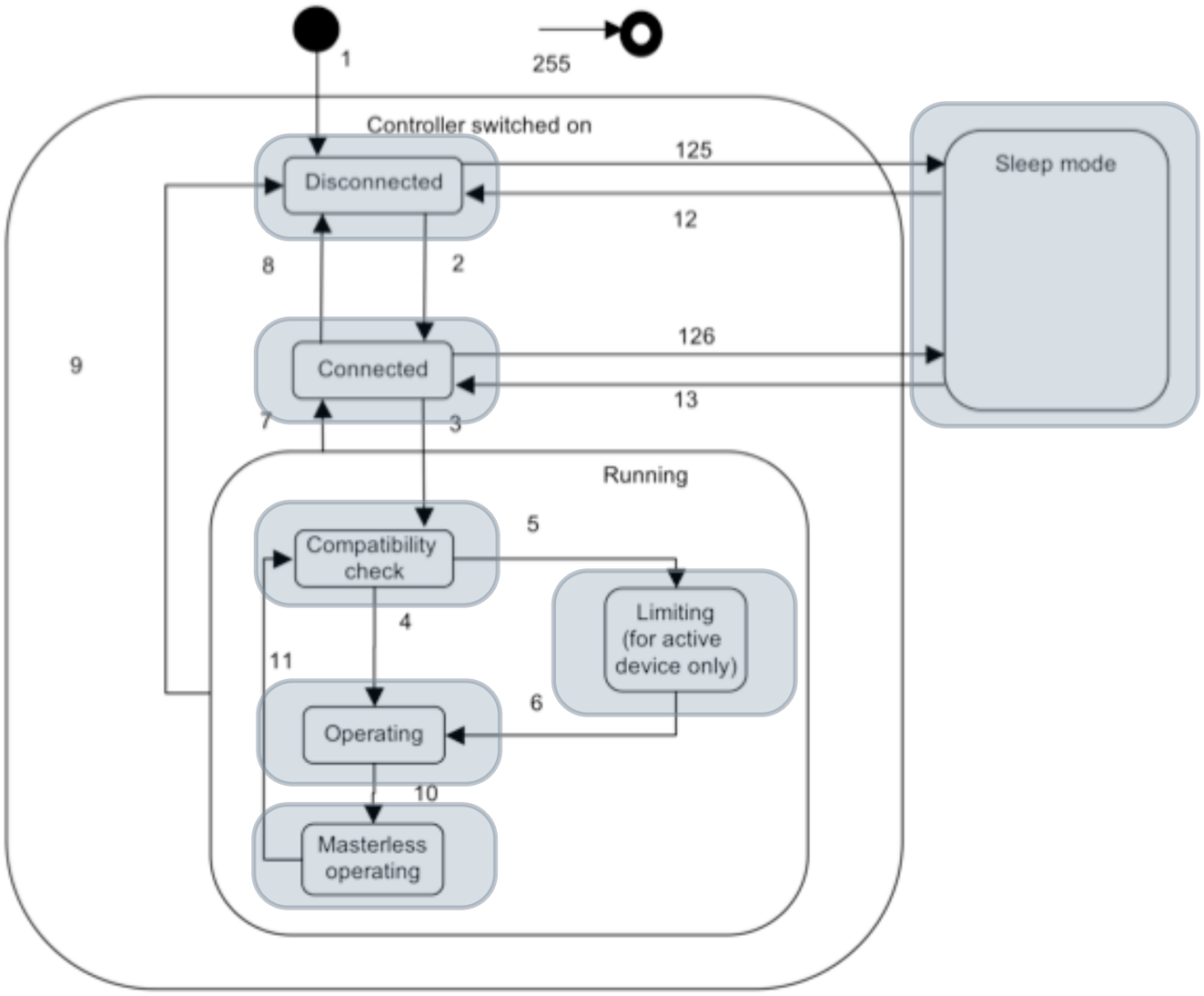
Energy Management Automaton



Disconnected:
- no power consumption
- no CAN communication

Connected:
- low power supply (CAN)
- layer setting service

Compatibility check:
- awaits EBC check

Limiting:
- adjustment of electrical parameters

Operating:
- device specific application is running

Masterless operating:
- optional, running without Master
- mandatory for stationary EMS

Sleep mode:
- energy saving mode
- Sleep Mode automaton & service

Formal Specification

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      par LSS_CONFIGURATION, GET_NODE_ID, NMT_STA
        par
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED ->
            par PROD_HEARTBEAT, CONS_HEARTBEAT, H
              HeartbeatProtocols[PROD_HEARTBEAT,
            ||
              HeartbeatAdapter[PROD_HEARTBEAT, CO
            end par
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```

Formal Specification

Informal documentation

- CANopen CiA 301, 302 series, 305
- EnergyBus CiA 454 series - 14 documents
- textual description
- sequence diagrams
- automata

Formal language: LNT

- descendent of LOTOS & E-LOTOS
- modern combination of process algebra, functional and imperative languages
- LTS semantics / SOS rules
- supported by CADP http://cadp.inria.fr

Formalization of Automata

```
(*  EMS FSA state CompatibilityCheck *)
 process EMS_CompatibilityCheck[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD:EMS_CHANNEL, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL:NMT_CHANNEL,
ENERGYBUS:PHYSICAL_CHANNEL, EBC_ABSENCE:HB_CHANNEL, VALID_LSS_SET:SIGNAL](settings:SETTINGS, plug:PLUG_STATUS) is
   UPDATE_STAUS_WORD(FSA_STATE_COMPATIBILITY_CHECK);
    select
      -- 4: EMS control word enter operating state
      CONTROL_WORD(ENTER_OPERATING_PAS) where not(settings.device_type.active_device);
        EMS_Operating[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug)
    []
      -- 5: EMS control word enter limiting state
      CONTROL_WORD(ENTER_LIMITING) where settings.device_type.active_device;
        EMS_Limiting[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug)
    []
      -- 7: EMS control word enter connected state
      CONTROL_WORD(ENTER_CONNECTED);
        EMS_Connected[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug,
VALID_NODE_ID)
    []
      -- 7: NMT reset communication command
      NMT_CONTROL(RESET_COMMUNICATION);
        EMS_Connected[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug,
INVALID_NODE_ID)
    []
      -- 9: EMS control word enter disconnected state
      CONTROL_WORD(ENTER_DISCONNECTED);
        EMS_Disconnected[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug)
    []
      -- 9: Disconnection from EnergyBus for passive devices
      ENERGYBUS(DISCONNECTED) where not(settings.device_type.active_device);
        EMS_Disconnected[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings,
DISCONNECTED)
    []
      -- 9: NMT reset node command
      NMT_CONTROL(RESET_NODE);
        EMS_Disconnected[CONTROL_WORD, UPDATE_STAUS_WORD, NMT_CONTROL, LEAVE_NMT_OPERATIONAL, ENERGYBUS, EBC_ABSENCE, VALID_LSS_SET](settings, plug)
    end select
 end process
```

Formalization of Sequence Diagrams

```
process CONFIGURE[LSS:LSS_CHANNEL](node_id:AVAILABLE_NODE_ID) is
  LSS(COMMAND, LSS_SWITCH_STATE_GLOBAL, LSS_STATE_CONFIGURATION);
    LSS(COMMAND, LSS_CONFIGURE_NODE_ID, node_id);
      LSS(RESPONSE, LSS_CONFIGURE_NODE_ID, LSS_SUCCESSFULL);
        LSS(COMMAND, LSS_STORE_CONFIGURATION);
          LSS(RESPONSE, LSS_STORE_CONFIGURATION, LSS_SUCCESSFULL);
            LSS(COMMAND, LSS_SWITCH_STATE_GLOBAL, LSS_STATE_WAITING)
end process
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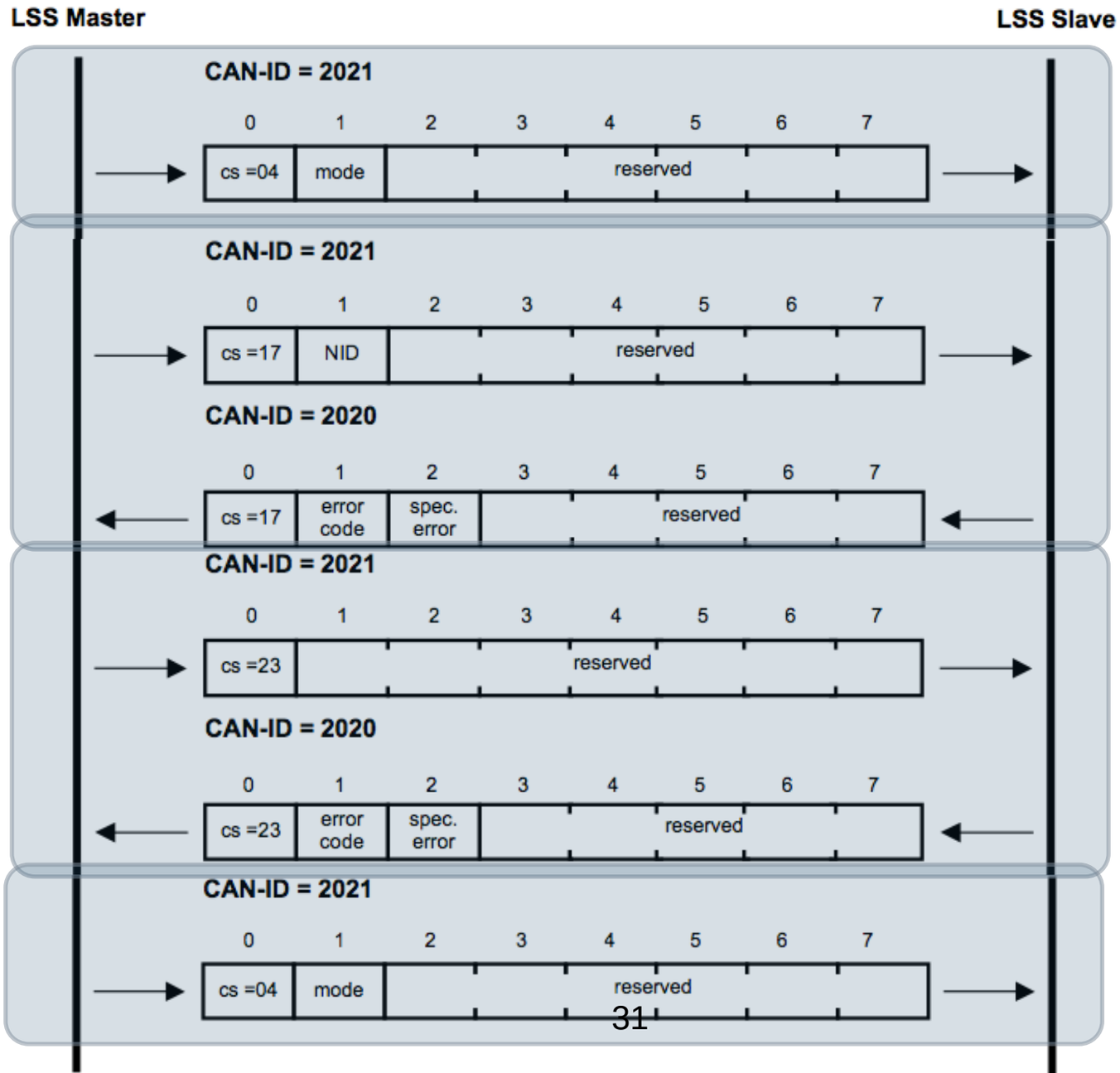


Specification Effort

Component	Documentation (pages)	LNT code (lines)
NMT	8	260
Heartbeat	6	200
EMCY/Error	4	145
LSS	62	360
EMS	3	440
PDO	45	60
SDO	25	30
OD/Variables	(300)	70

Time spent: 6 months

- including progression of the EnergyBus specification
- including model abstractions

Specification Issues Detected

Issue 1:

ambiguities in the Node-ID configuration in LSS v2

➡ when is a node-ID temporarily / persistently stored?

Issue 2:

insufficient specification of Sleep Mode

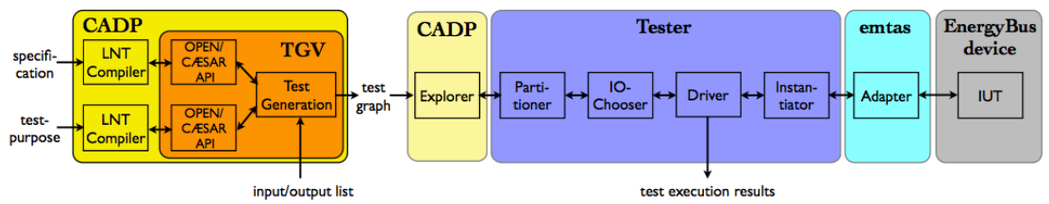
➡ interferences with NMT competence

➡ unclear definition of involved messages / events

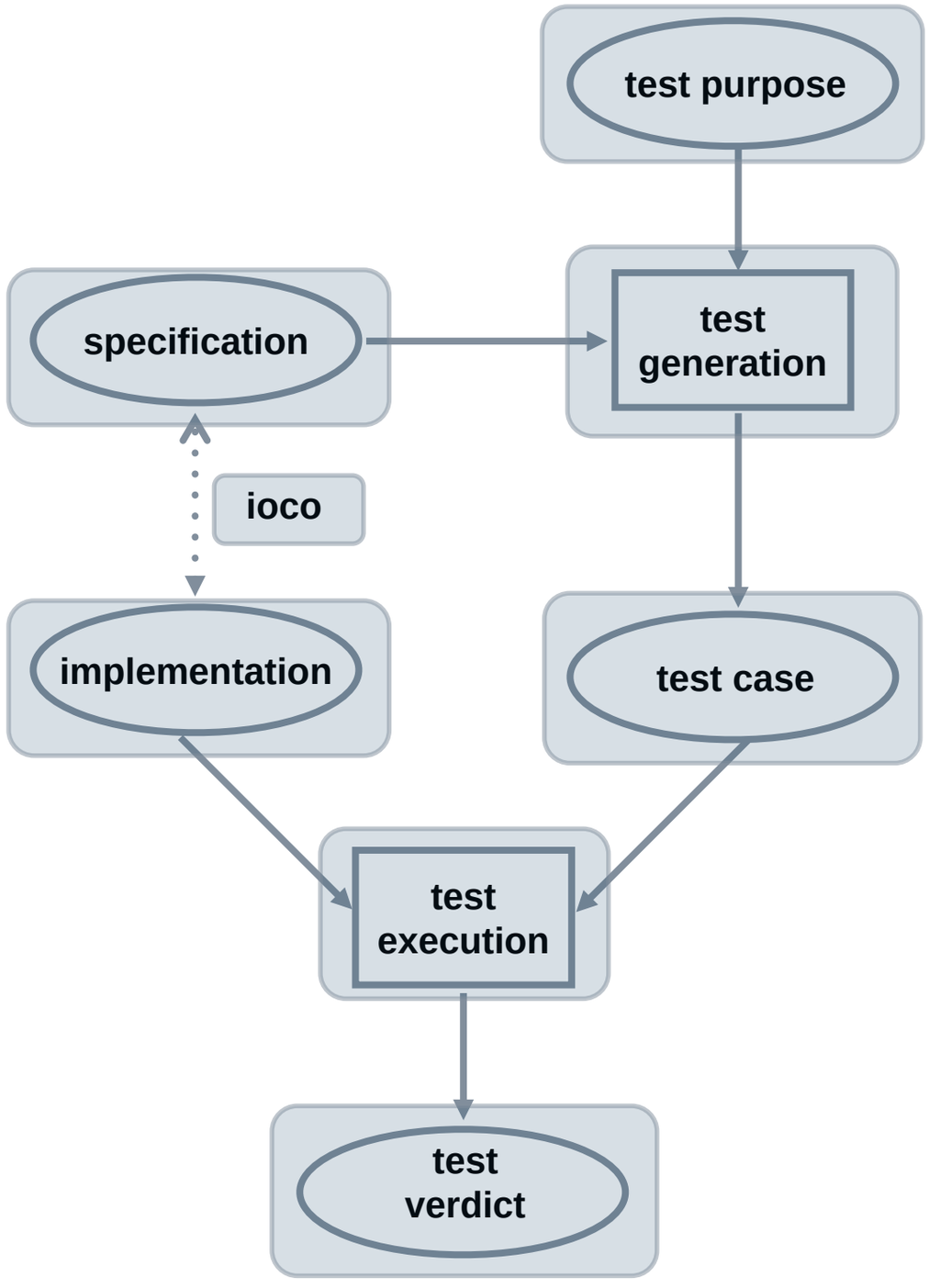
Issue 3:

confusing and non-consistent naming in new documents

Certification Framework

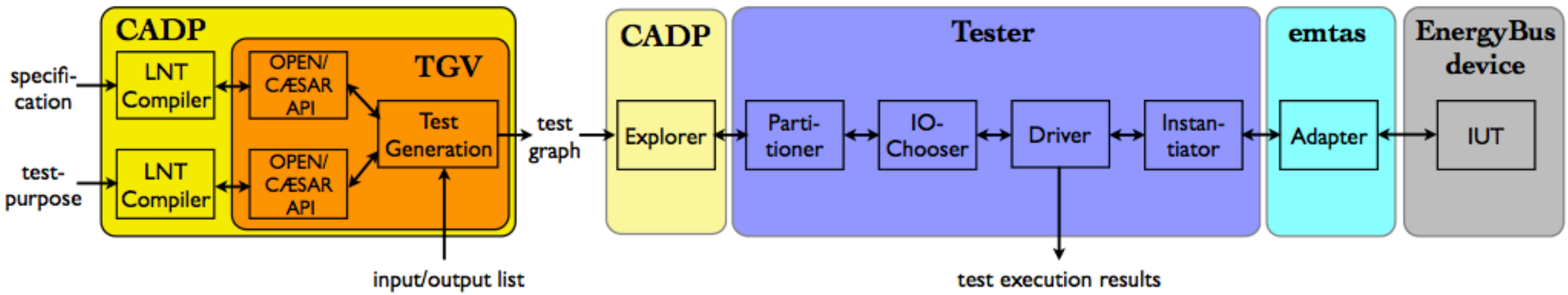


Model-based Testing



- **implementation:**
  - Implementation Under Test (IUT) is real object
  - assume existence of formal model
- **specification:**
  - formal model of correct behavior
- **input-output conformance relation:**
  - defines condition for correct implementation
- **test purpose:**
  - formal model of relevant application scenario
- **test generation:**
  - automatic derivation of test cases
- **test cases:**
  - experiment description as formal model
- **test execution:**
  - execute experiment
- **test verdict:**
  - **pass**, **fail**, **inconclusive**

Tool Setup



Offline:

- input: specification, test purpose as .lnt
- input/output list for turning LTS into IOLTS
- test graph generation by TGV [INRIA Rennes]
- output as .bcg

Online:

- on-the-fly derivation of virtual test case
- provides input/receives output via C-Library from **emtas**
- output: test verdict, run log as .txt

Fighting State-Space Explosion

combined approaches:

- on-the-fly algorithms of the OPEN/CÆSAR API
- data abstraction
  - qualitative: two-valued information
  - relative: three-valued information
- functional abstraction
  - focus on important data
  - focus on needed protocol parts

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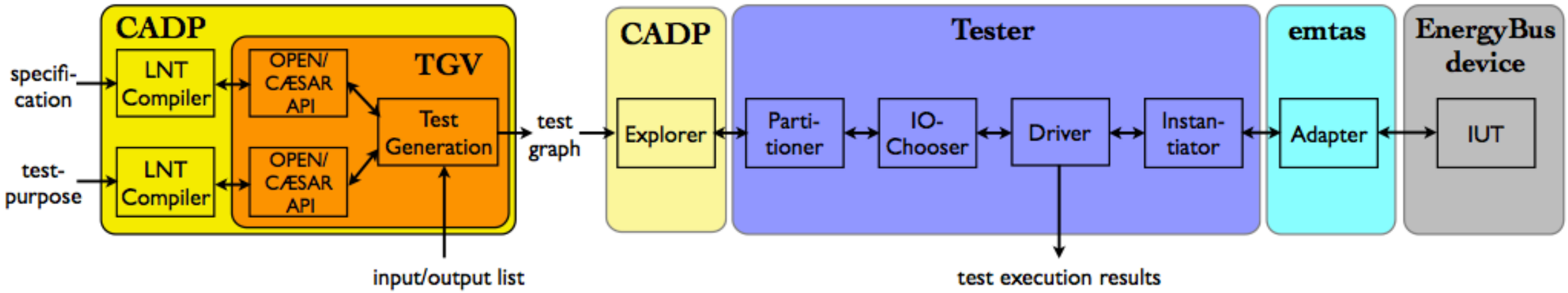
1	EMS State		6022_h 01_h Device dynamic current input limitation		6023_h 01_h Device dynamic current output limitation		6020_h 01_h Device dynamic voltage limitation	

LIMITATION / NO_LIMITATION

DECREASE_LIMIT / NO_CHANGE / INCREASE_LIMIT

Applied Tests



Test purposes:

- different initializations of unconfigured devices
- boot-up procedure and on-line PDO transmission of configured devices
- simple scenarios
- 80 lines LNT vs. test graph 600 states / 1100 transitions

IUT:

- sample C applications
- based on the emtas CANopen C-Library
- running on a Linux workstation
- plugged to Tester via CAN connection

Issue #1 Found in the CANopen Layer

Missing data part of SYNC message

```
/dev/can0:   1371475223.952977     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 05
/dev/can0:   1371475224.052980     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 05
/dev/can0:   1371475224.153015     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 7f
/dev/can0:   1371475224.198949      128/0x00000080 : BD ( 0)
/dev/can0:   1371475224.199208     1793/0x00000701 : BD ( 1): 7f
/dev/can0:   1371475224.252981     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 7f
/dev/can0:   1371475224.352985     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 7f
/dev/can0:   1371475224.452983     1794/0x00000702 : bD ( 1): 7f
```

Issue #2 Found in the CANopen Layer

Livelock in LSS Fastscan service

```
/dev/can0:  1379410015.124210  2021/0x000007e5 : bD ( 8): 4c 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
/dev/can0:  1379410015.124770  2020/0x000007e4 : BD ( 8): 50 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
/dev/can0:  1379410015.125278  2021/0x000007e5 : bD ( 8): 51 00 00 00 00 80 00 00
/dev/can0:  1379410015.125836  2020/0x000007e4 : BD ( 8): 4f 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
/dev/can0:  1379410015.143954  2021/0x000007e5 : bD ( 8): 51 00 00 00 00 1f 00 00
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    [...]
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    [...]
```

Issue #3 Found in the CANopen Layer

Missing state change during LSS configuration

```
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  LSS(COMMAND, LSS_SWITCH_STATE_GLOBAL, LSS_STATE_CONFIGURATION);
    LSS(COMMAND, LSS_CONFIGURE_NODE_ID, node_id);
      LSS(RESPONSE, LSS_CONFIGURE_NODE_ID, LSS_SUCCESSFULL);
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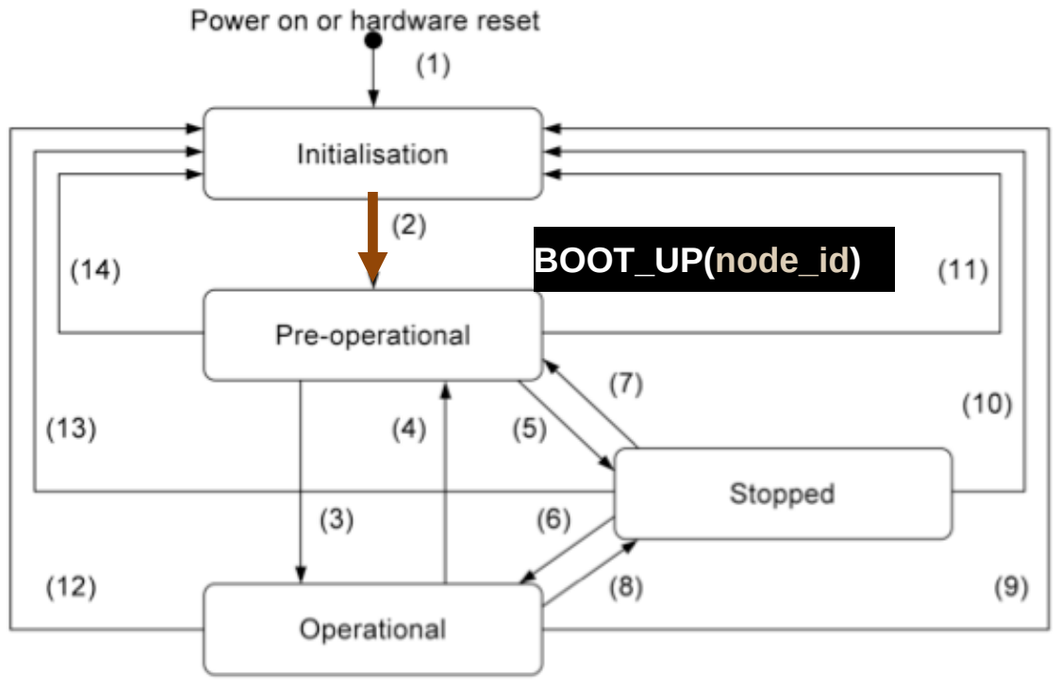
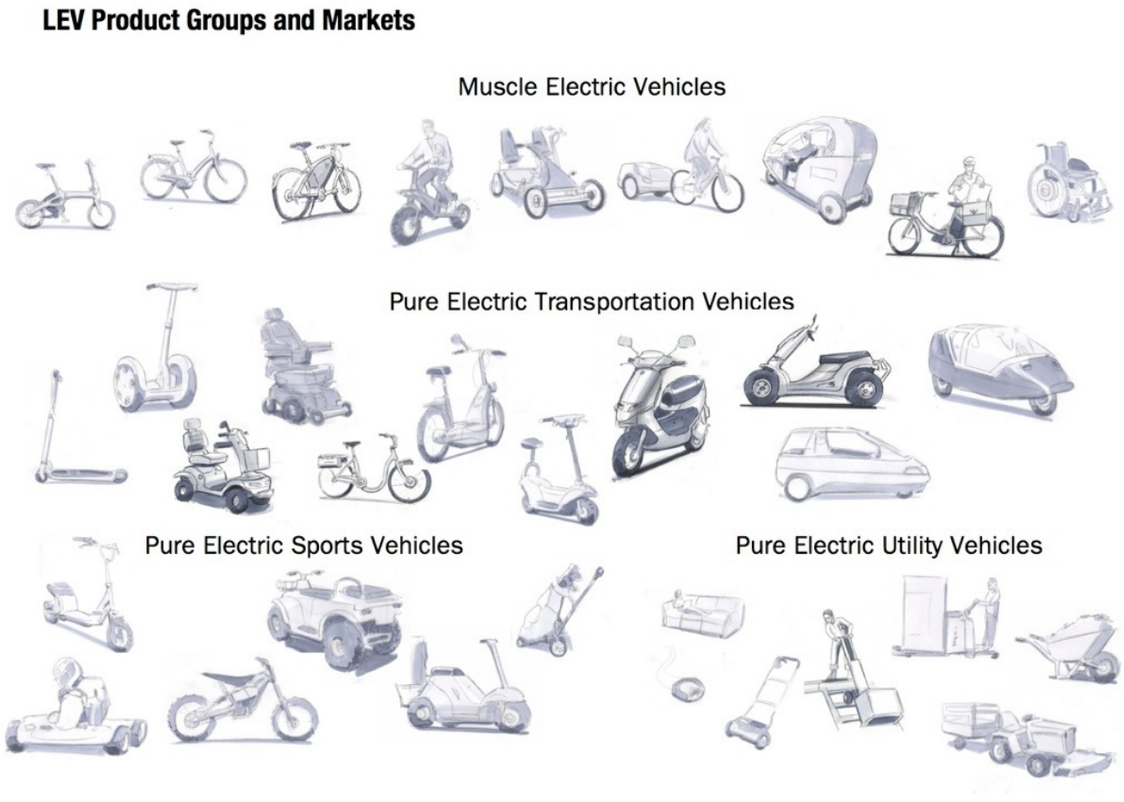


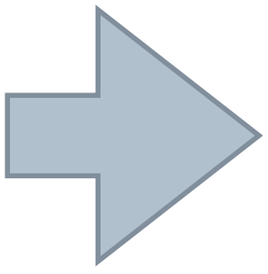
Conclusion

Energy Management Systems are increasingly relevant



Conclusion

- Formal specification:
  - a sound basis for verification techniques
  - EnergyBus documentation issues found



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    hide NMT_STATE_CHANGED:NMT_CHANNEL, HB_CTRL,
      par LSS_CONFIGURATION, GET_NODE_ID, NMT_STA
        par
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED ->
            par PROD_HEARTBEAT, CONS_HEARTBEAT, H
              HeartbeatProtocols[PROD_HEARTBEAT,
            ||
              HeartbeatAdapter[PROD_HEARTBEAT, CO
            end par
        ||
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED -> NetworkManagement[
        ||
          NMT_STATE_CHANGED -> TPDO1[PDO, NMT_STA
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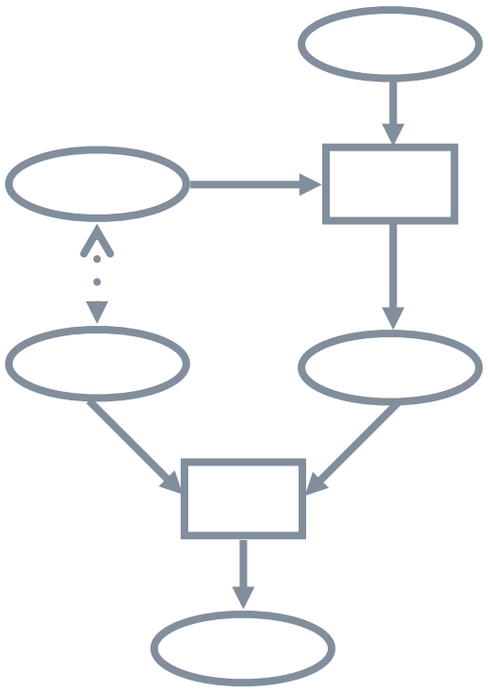
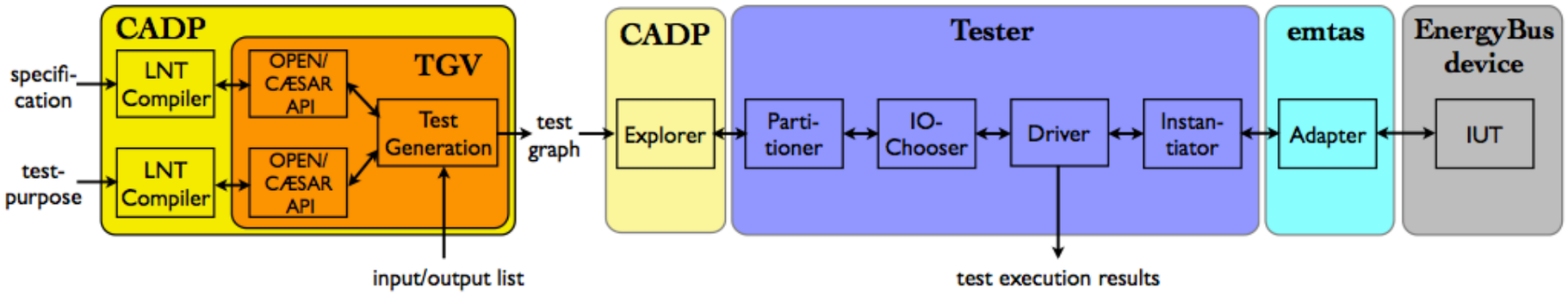
Conclusion

- A certification framework for the EnergyBus:
  - Model-based testing
  - Tool setup
  - Three issues detected in the CANopen layer





Future Work

- Extending the formal model
  - **Charging Protocol**
  - power-related model components
  - virtual devices
- Further approaches against state-space explosion
  - abstract from CANopen layer
  - compositional model reductions based on bisimulations
  - TGV successor supporting online test case generation [INRIA]
  - **motest:** online model-based tester [Saarland University]
- Applying further verification techniques