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**Next Level Classification Tree Method and
Combinatorial Test Design**



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Overview Berner & Mattner




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Systems Engineering	ECU Software	Test Solutions	Consulting
			
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Transportation Systems



Signalling	Vehicle Control	Vehicle System
		

Industrial Embedded Systems



Machinery	Engines & Energy	Space & Defence
		
		

Berner & Mattner Overview

Founded:	1979
Employees:	430
Turnover 2012:	41,7 Mio. €
Sites:	Munich, Stuttgart, Ingolstadt, Wolfsburg, Berlin, Cologne, Vienna
Offerings:	Products and Engineering
Sectors:	Automotive, Transportation, Industrial Embedded Systems
TOP clients:	DAIMLER, BMW, AUDI, Siemens, Ford, VW, Bombardier, EADS, Deutsche Bahn, MAN



Founded: 1966

Employees: 10.745

Turnover 2012: 855,6 Mio€

Sites: Australia, Belgium, Germany, France, Great Britain, India, Yemen, Canada, Qatar, Morocco, Nigeria, Austria, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Switzerland, Spain, USA, United Arab Emirates

Offerings: Engineering services and consulting

Sectors: Energy, Automotive, Rail Transportation, Aerospace & Defence, Technology & Product Engineering

TOP clients: Areva, Alstom, EADS, EDF, General Electric, Peugeot-PSA, Renault, Rolls-Royce, Spirit Aerosystems, Total



Our Products



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Test Design using the Classification Tree Method



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Specification of Systems with many Variants



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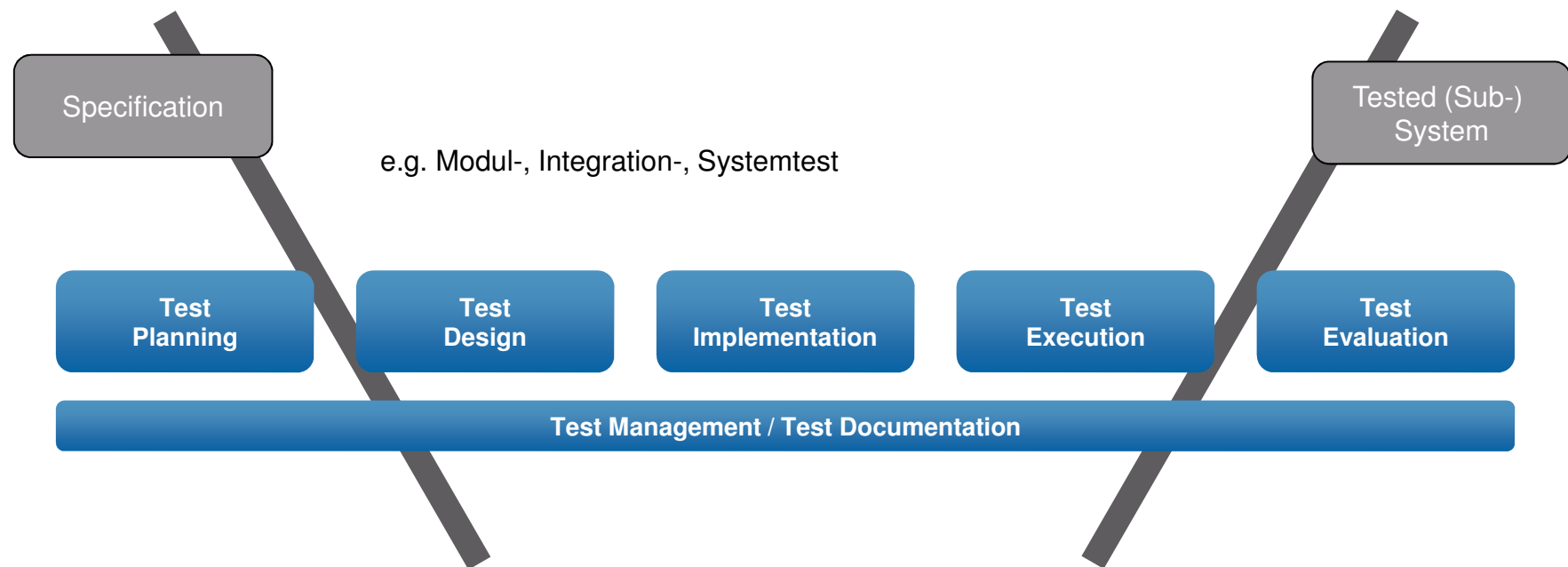
Platform for virtual integration, model-based simulation, SiL and HiL testing



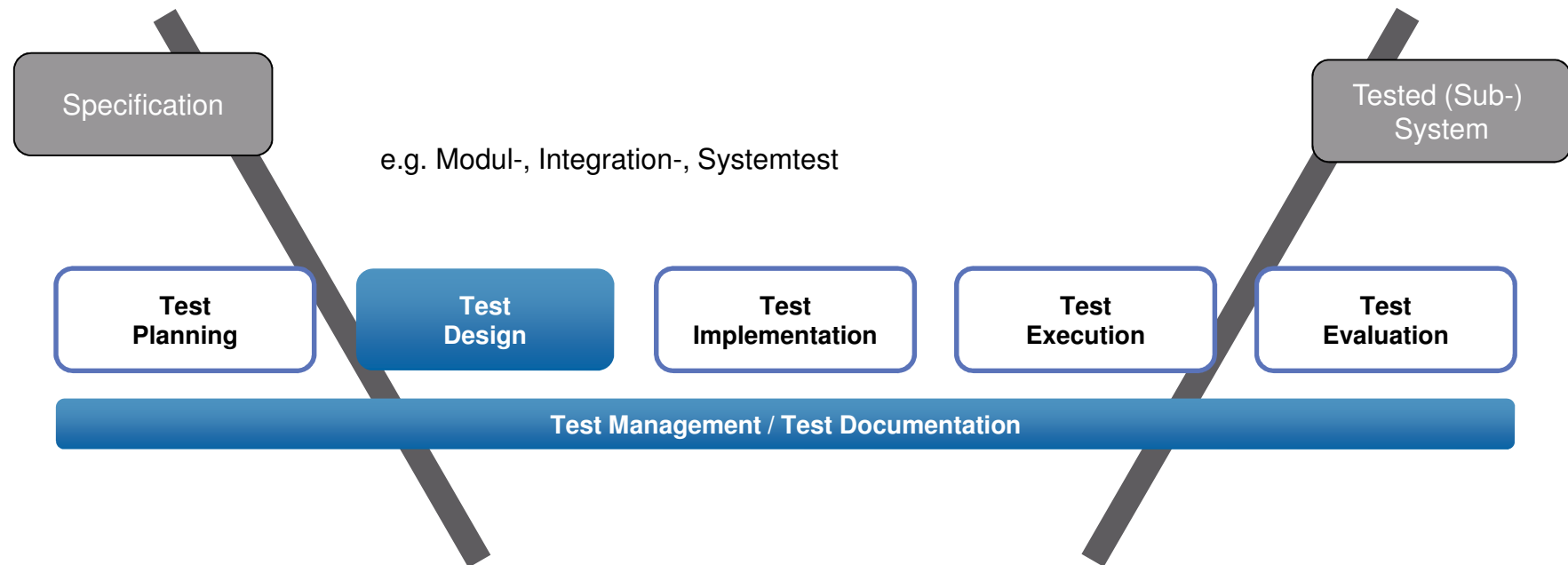
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Infotainment & body specification and test system

Test Process and Test Activities



Test Process and Test Activities



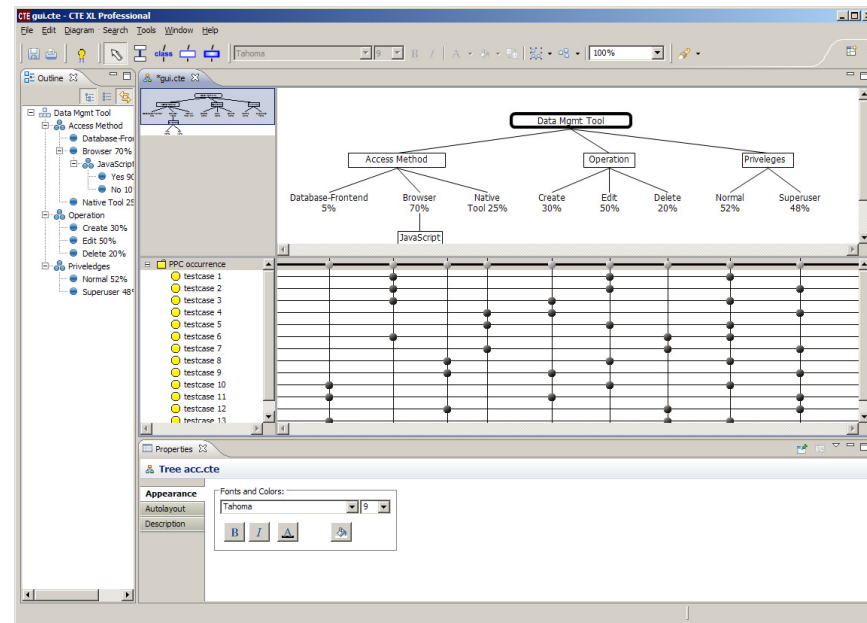
Classification Tree Method

- Black box Test Design Technique
- Systematic Process
- Graphical Representation of Test Problem
- Independent of Test Domain, Test Level and Test Object
- Tool Support:

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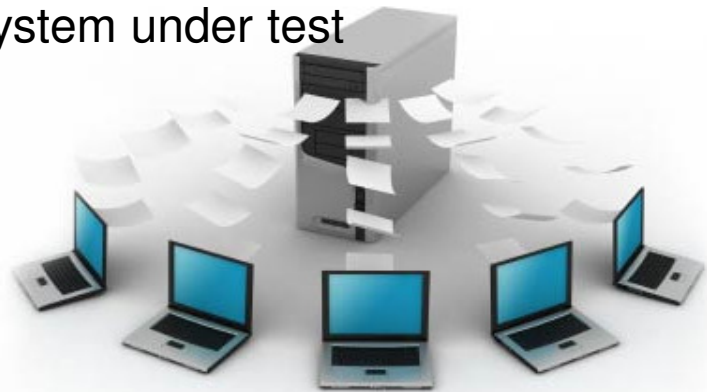
- Recommended for

Certified Tester

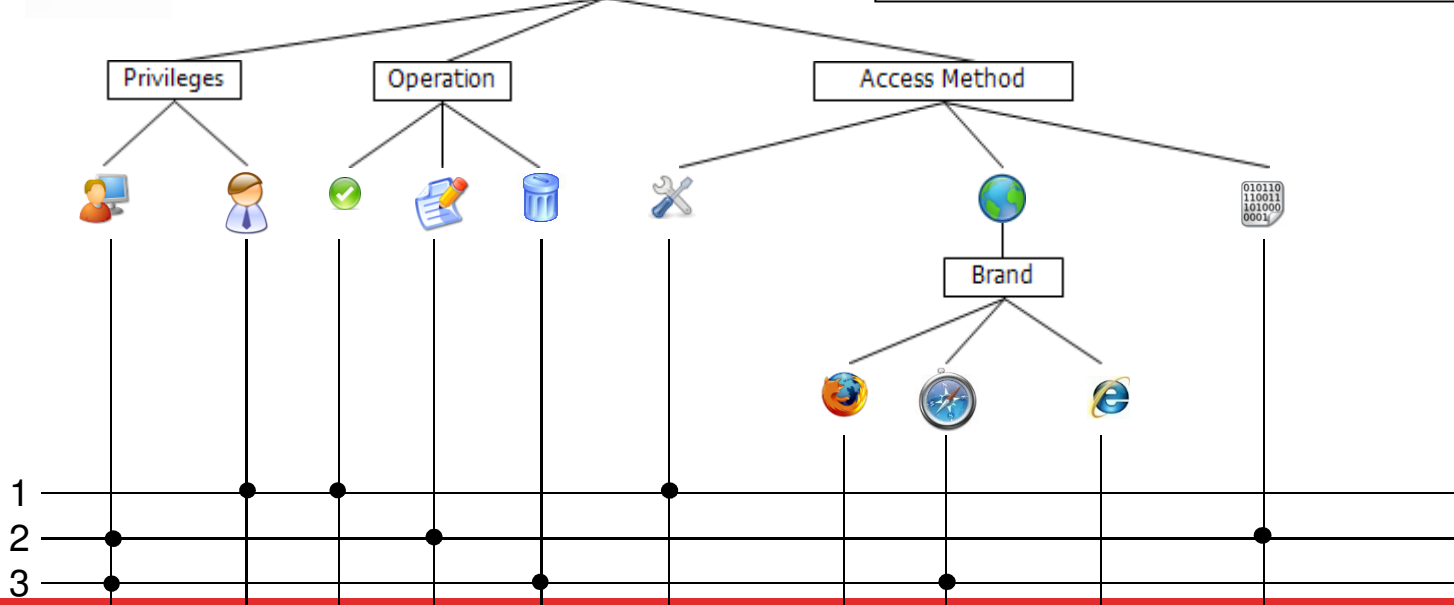
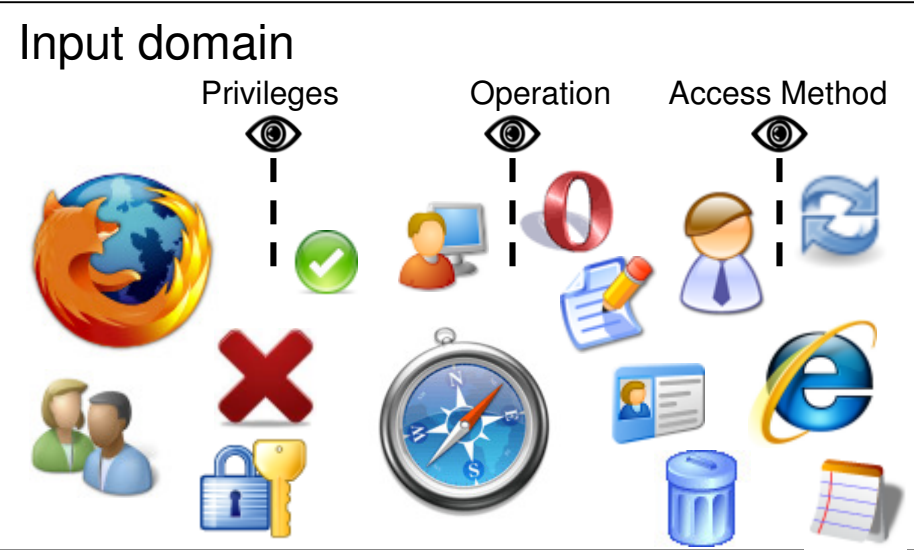


Example

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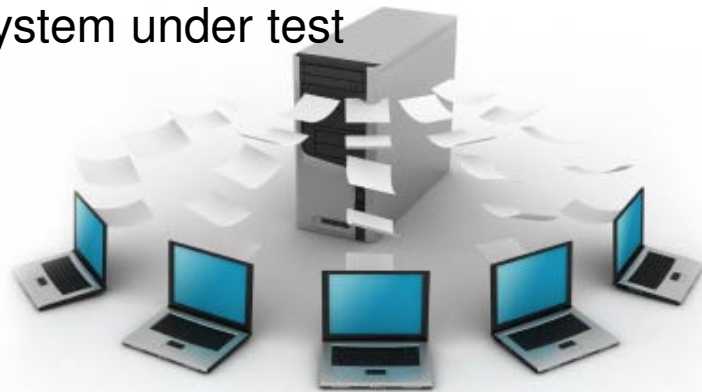


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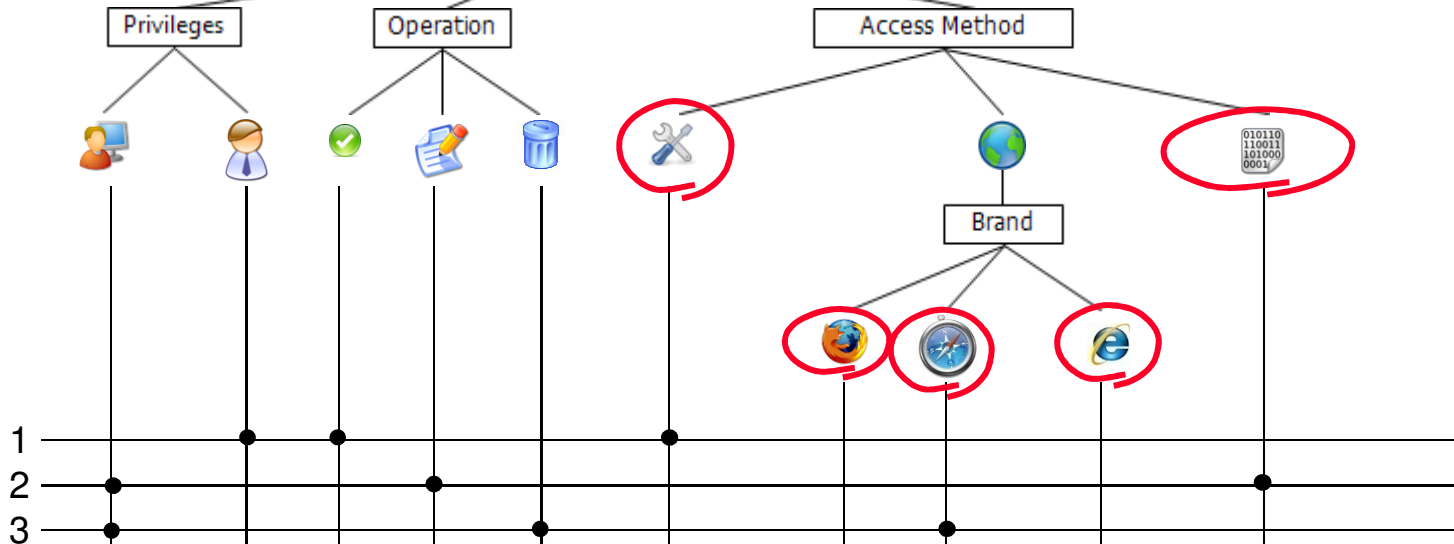
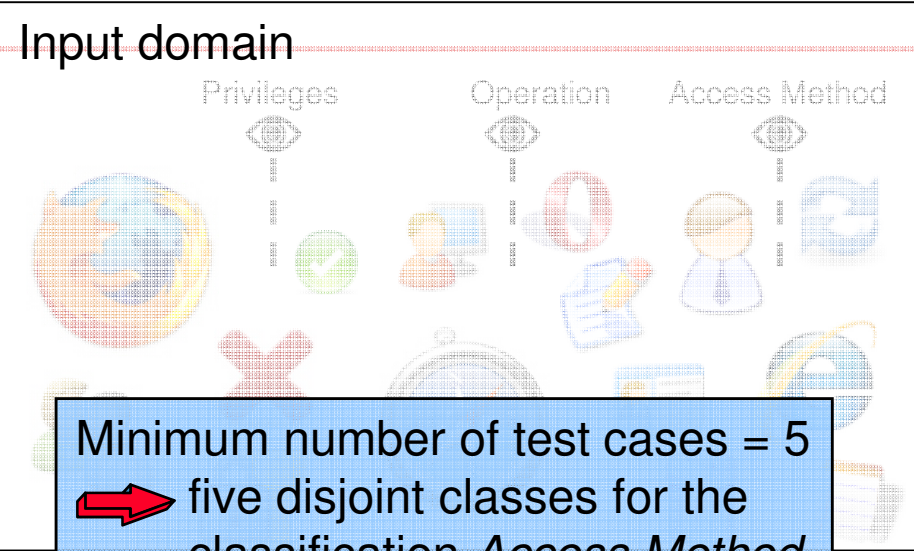


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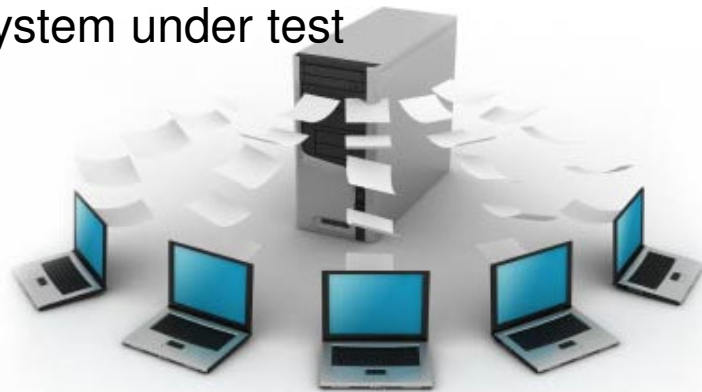


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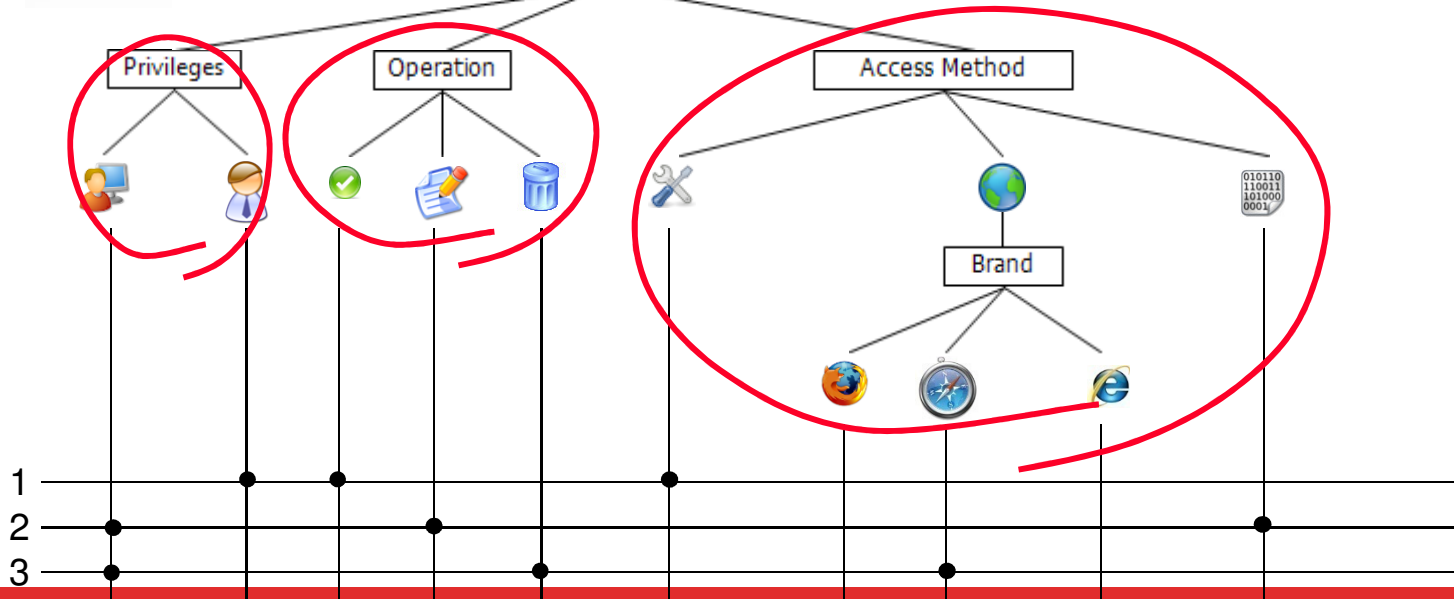


Data Mgmt Tool

Input domain

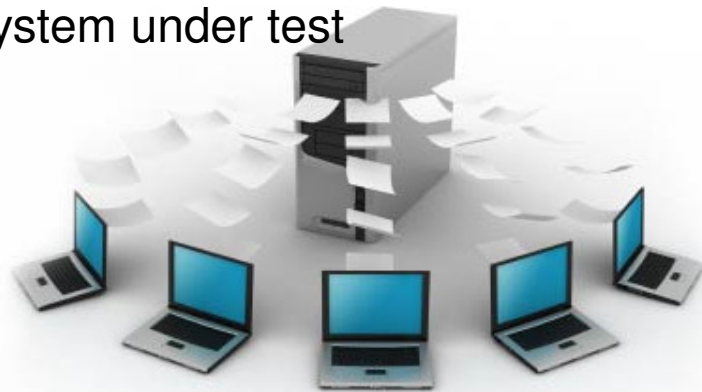
Privileges	Operation	Access Method

Maximum number of test cases
 $2 * 3 * 5 = 30$



Example

System under test



Data Mgmt Tool

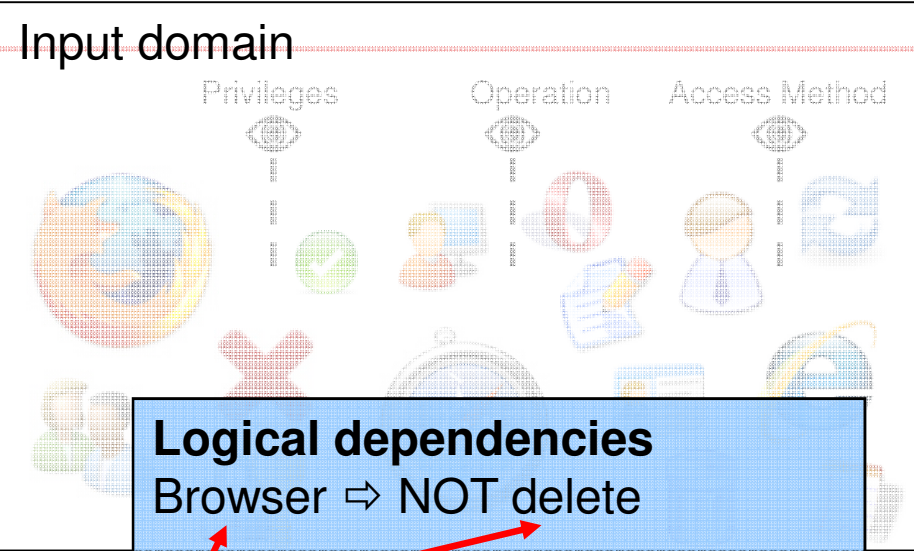
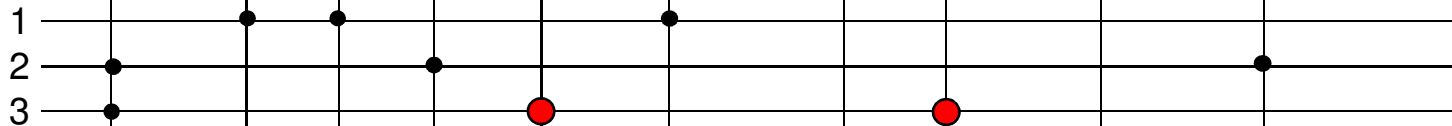
Privileges

Operation

Access Method



Brand



Classification-Tree Editor TESTONA

Syntax-oriented **graphical editor** to support the classification tree method

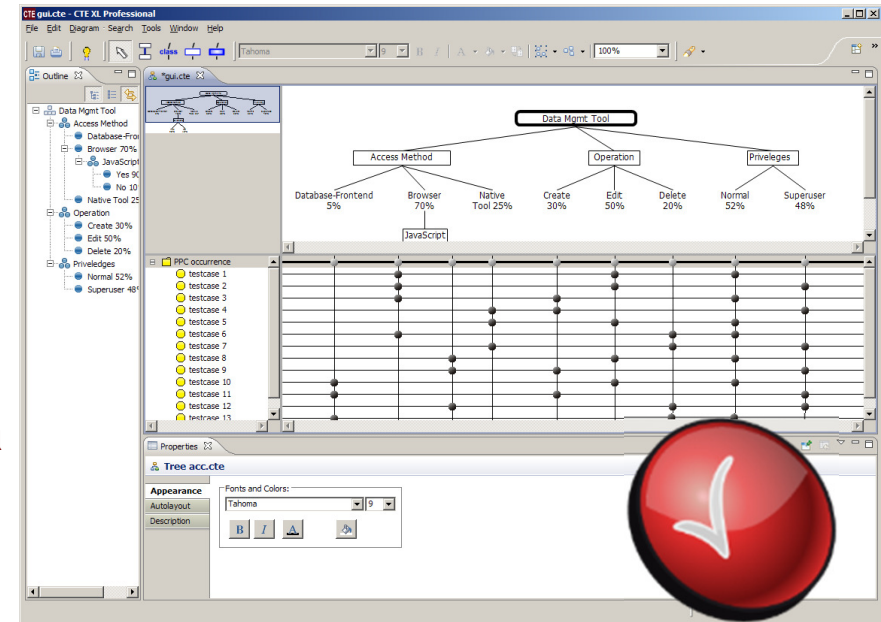
Automatic verification of test cases against defined **dependency rules**

Automatic test case generation with generation rules

Tag approach for **annotation** of additional information and **meta-data**

Generic and customized **tool coupling**

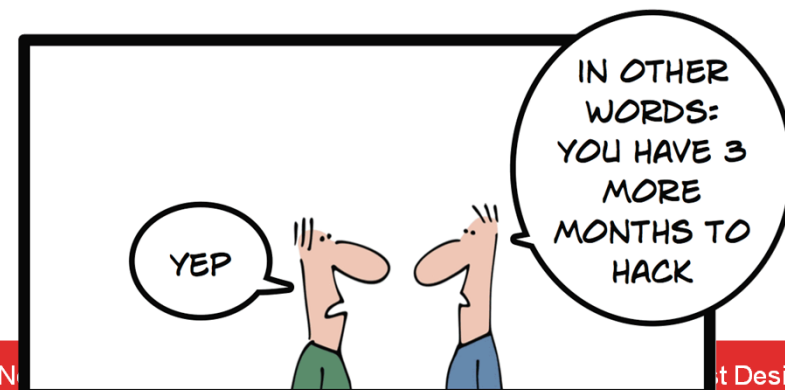
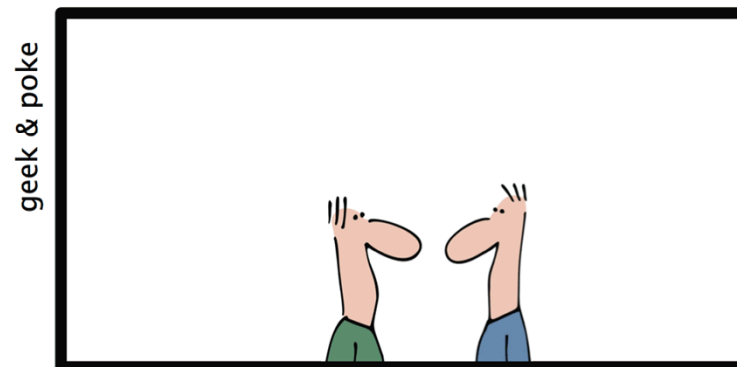
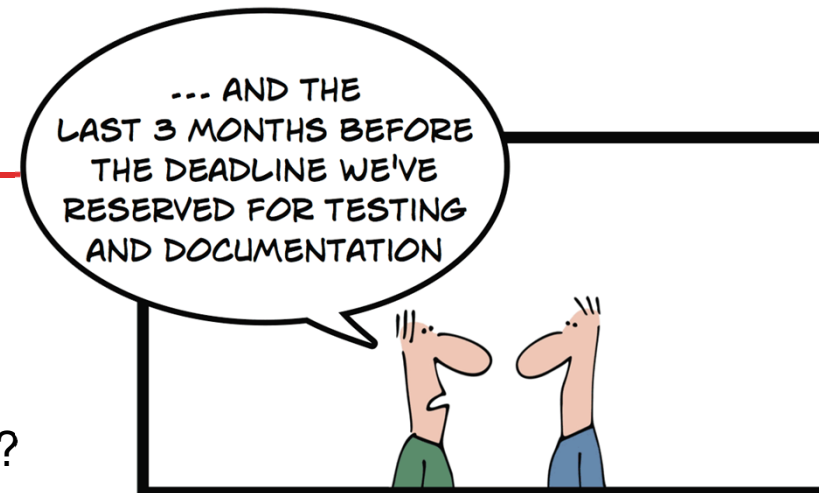
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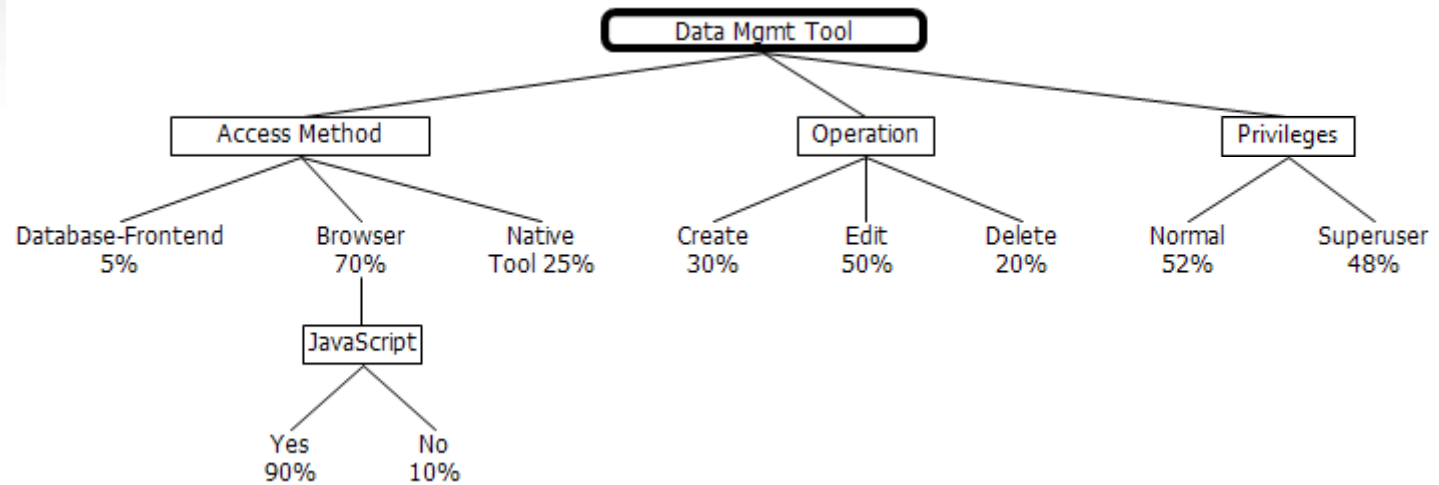
Prioritization

- How to identify test relevant aspects (and distinguish from irrelevant stuff)?
- How to distinguish between “good” and “bad” test cases?
- How to reduce size (=cost) of test suites?

Without losing test quality?

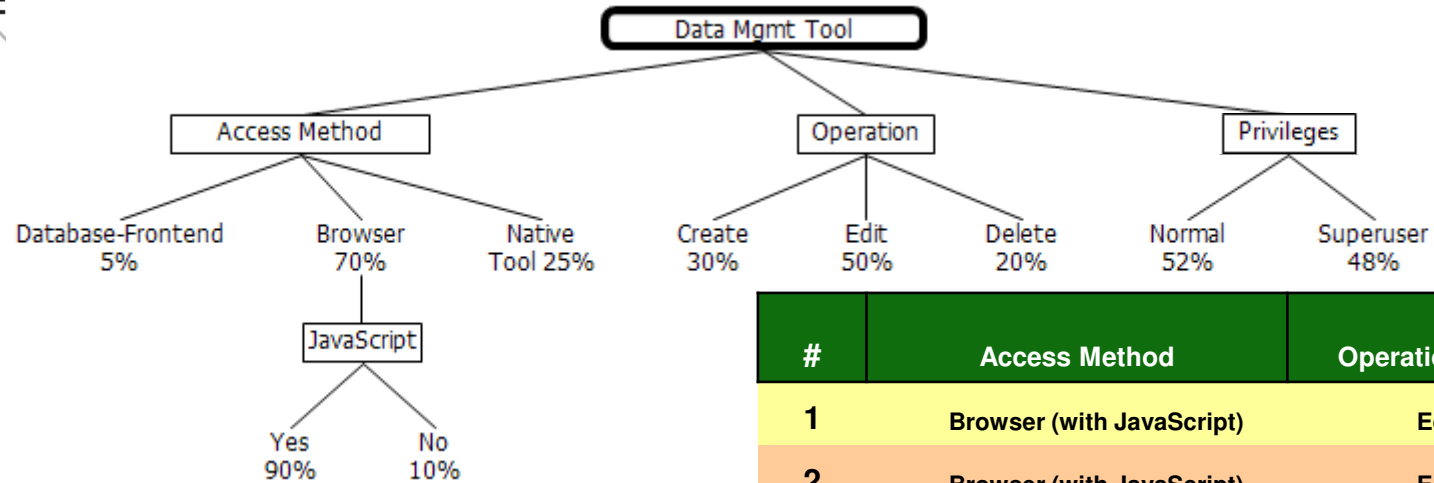


Example – Prioritization





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4	Native Tool	Create	Superuser
5	Native Tool	Edit	Normal
6	Browser (with JavaScript)	Delete	Normal
7	Native Tool	Delete	Superuser
8	Browser (no JavaScript)	Edit	Normal
9	Browser (no JavaScript)	Create	Superuser
10	Database-Frontend	Edit	Normal
11	Database-Frontend	Create	Superuser
12	Browser (no JavaScript)	Delete	Superuser
13	Database-Frontend	Delete	Normal

Coverage criteria

- For prioritized **pairwise** combination

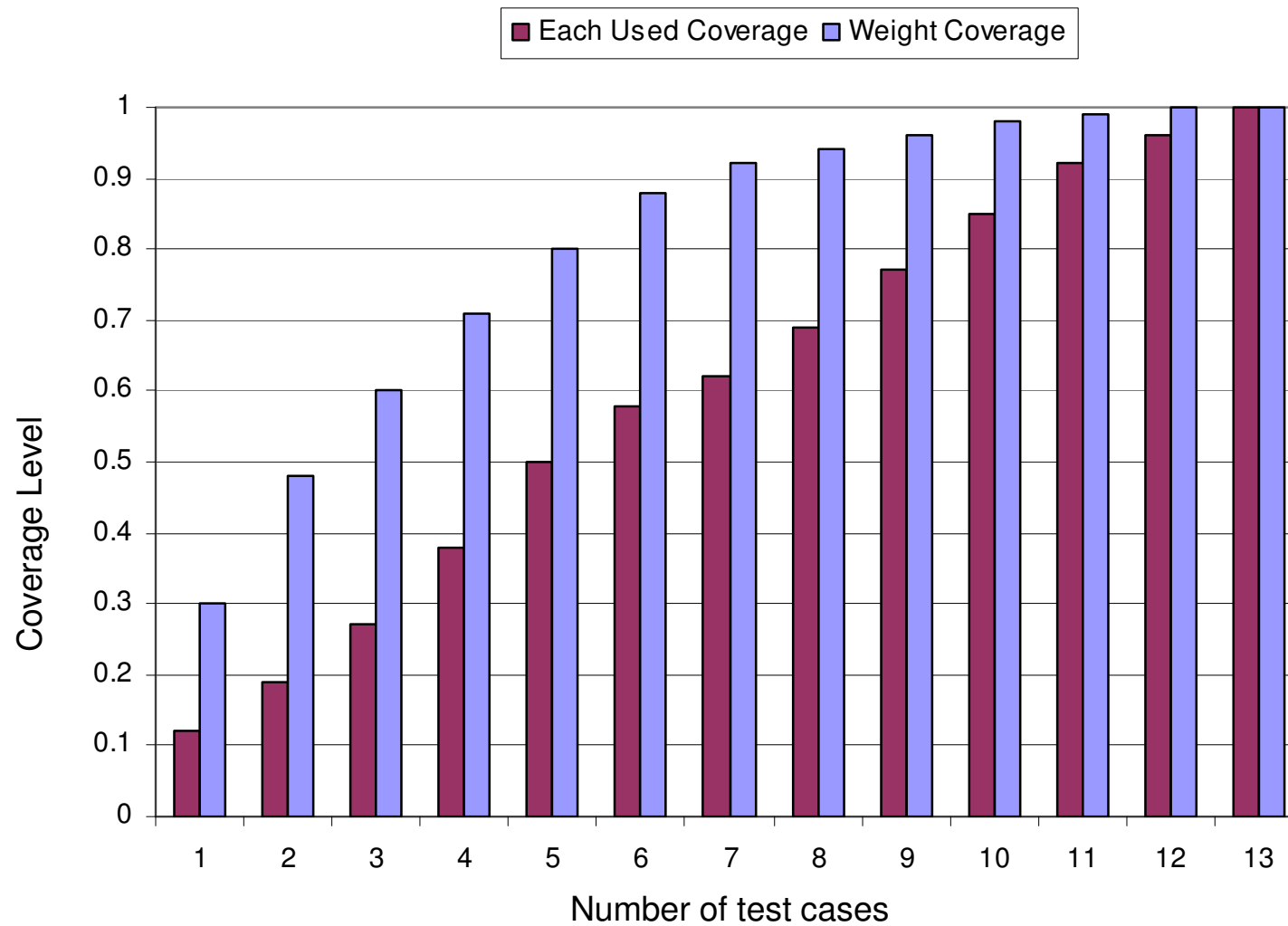
Each Used Coverage (EUC)

$$EUC = \frac{\textit{number of covered class pairs}}{\textit{number of coverable class pairs}}$$

Weight Coverage (WC)

$$WC = \frac{\textit{sum of weights of covered class pairs}}{\textit{sum of weights of all coverable class pairs}}$$

Coverage criteria



Optimizing test suites

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1	Browser (with JavaScript)	Edit	Normal	0.12	0.30
2	Browser (with JavaScript)	Edit	Superuser	0.19	0.48
3	Browser (with JavaScript)	Create	Normal	0.27	0.60
4	Native Tool	Create	Superuser	0.38	0.71
5	Native Tool	Edit	Normal	0.50	0.80
6	Browser (with JavaScript)	Delete	Normal	0.58	0.88
7	Native Tool	Delete	Superuser	0.62	0.92
8	Browser (no JavaScript)	Edit	Normal	0.69	0.94
9	Browser (no JavaScript)	Create	Superuser	0.77	0.96
10	Database-Frontend	Edit	Normal	0.85	0.98
11	Database-Frontend	Create	Superuser	0.92	0.99
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30% weight coverage with one test case

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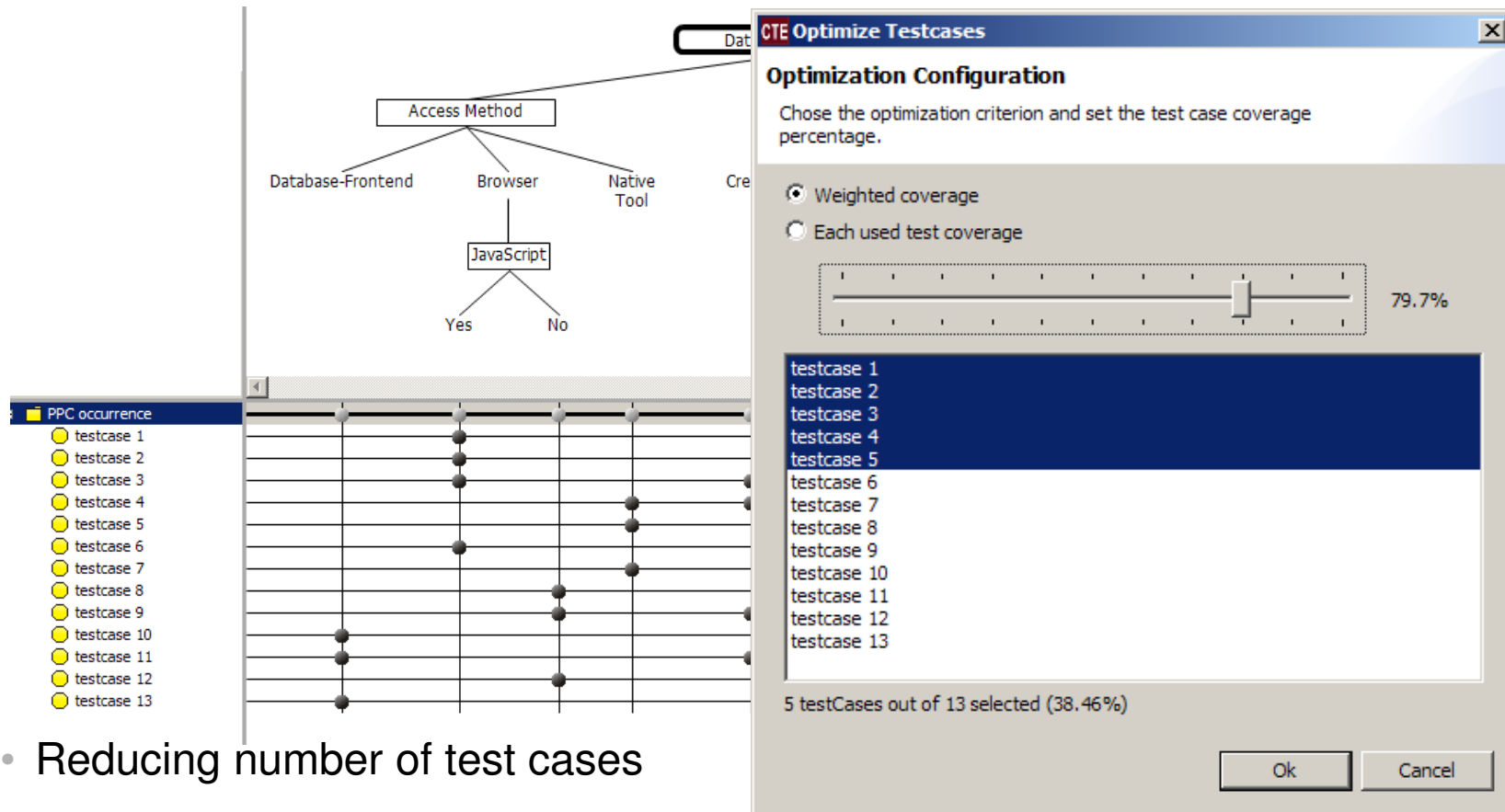
60% weight coverage with only three test cases

Optimizing test suites

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90% weight coverage with just seven test cases

Solution: Weighted Test Cases



The screenshot displays a software interface for test case optimization. On the left, a classification tree shows 'Access Method' branching into 'Database-Frontend', 'Browser', and 'Native Tool'. 'Browser' further branches into 'JavaScript', which then branches into 'Yes' and 'No'. Below the tree is a matrix with 13 test cases (testcase 1 to testcase 13) and 4 columns. A legend on the left indicates 'PPC occurrence' with yellow circles. On the right, a dialog box titled 'CTE Optimize Testcases' is open. It contains an 'Optimization Configuration' section with two radio buttons: 'Weighted coverage' (selected) and 'Each used test coverage'. Below the radio buttons is a slider set to 79.7%. A list of test cases is shown, with testcases 1 through 5 selected (highlighted in blue). At the bottom of the dialog, it states '5 testCases out of 13 selected (38.46%)'. 'Ok' and 'Cancel' buttons are at the bottom right.

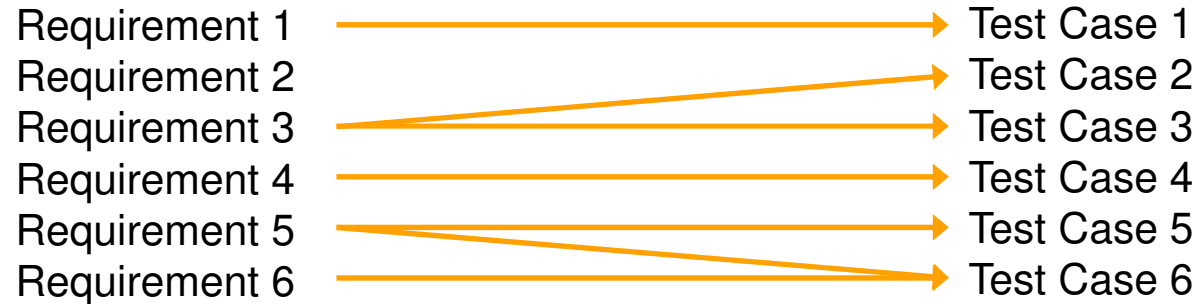
- Reducing number of test cases
- Based on preferred coverage
- Interactive preview

Requirements Traceability



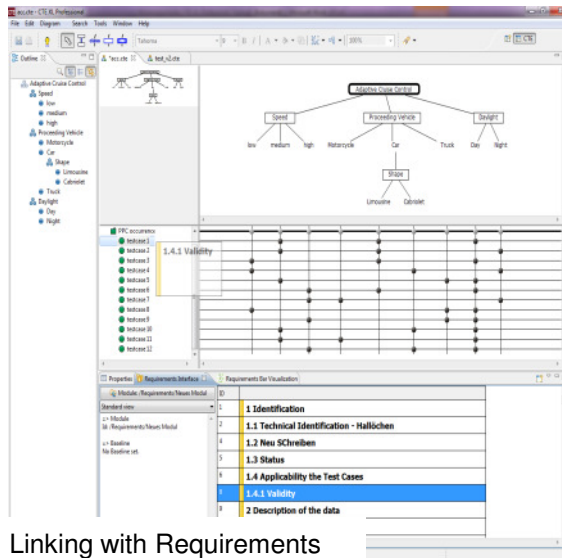
DOORS

(or other RMTTool)



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Coverage of Requirements by one/many Test Cases or Tree Items



Obj	Value	Connection	Linked CTE Objects
9	2 Description of the data	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 11
10	2.1 This is a new Text	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 5
12	2.2 Sensitivity	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 2
13	3 Representation	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- Motorcycle
30	3.1 A new object	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- Cabriolet
14	4 Content	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 4
15	5 Access	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 2
16	6 Responsibilities	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 3
17	6.1 Application-oriented responsibility	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 12
18	6.2 Organizational responsibility	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- testcase 10
19	6.3 Technical responsibility	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	- high

Linked Requirements

Obj	Value	Connection	Linked CTE Objects
29	9 Appendixes	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	
28	8.3 U		
27	8.2 D		
26	8.1 C		
25	8 As		
24	7.3 E		
23	7.2 R		
8	1.4.1		
5	1.3 Status	Interface: NBK1130;36677 Module: /Requirements/Neues Modul	
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Non-Linked Requirements

Bonus: Automatic Tracing of Requirements Changes

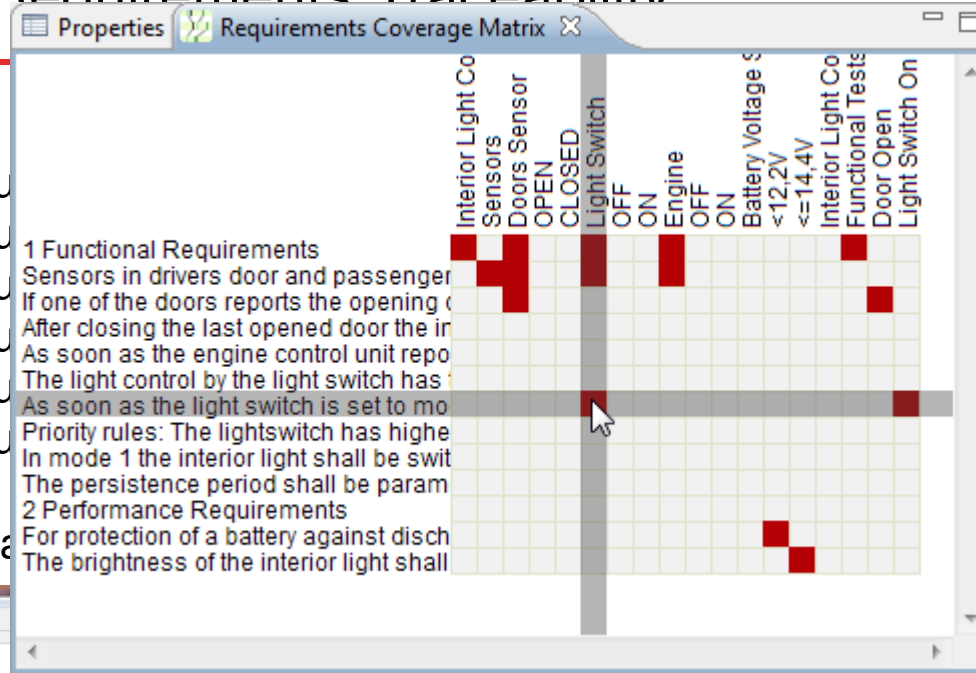
Requirements Traceability



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Coverage

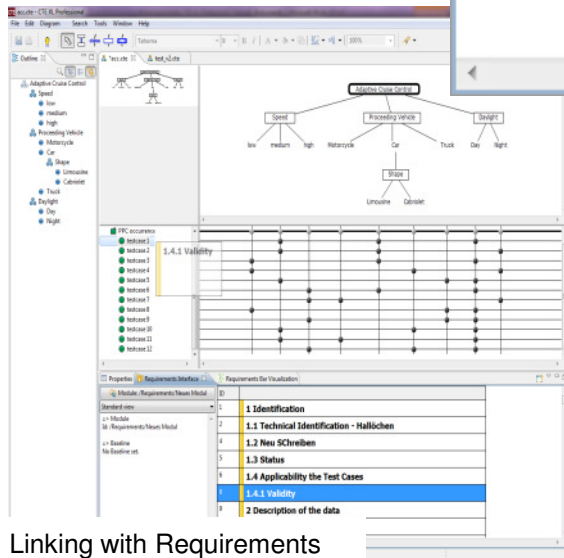


Case 1
Case 2
Case 3
Case 4
Case 5
Case 6



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Items



Linked Requirements

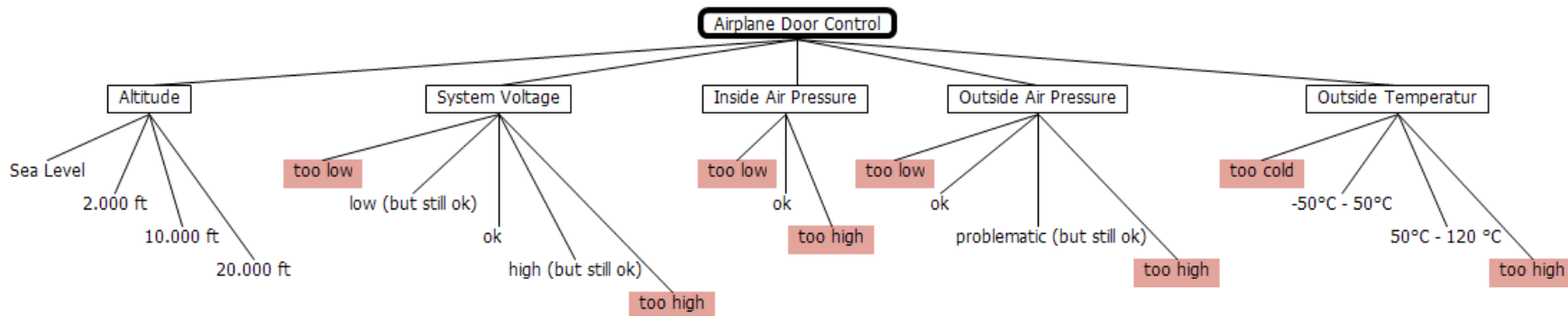
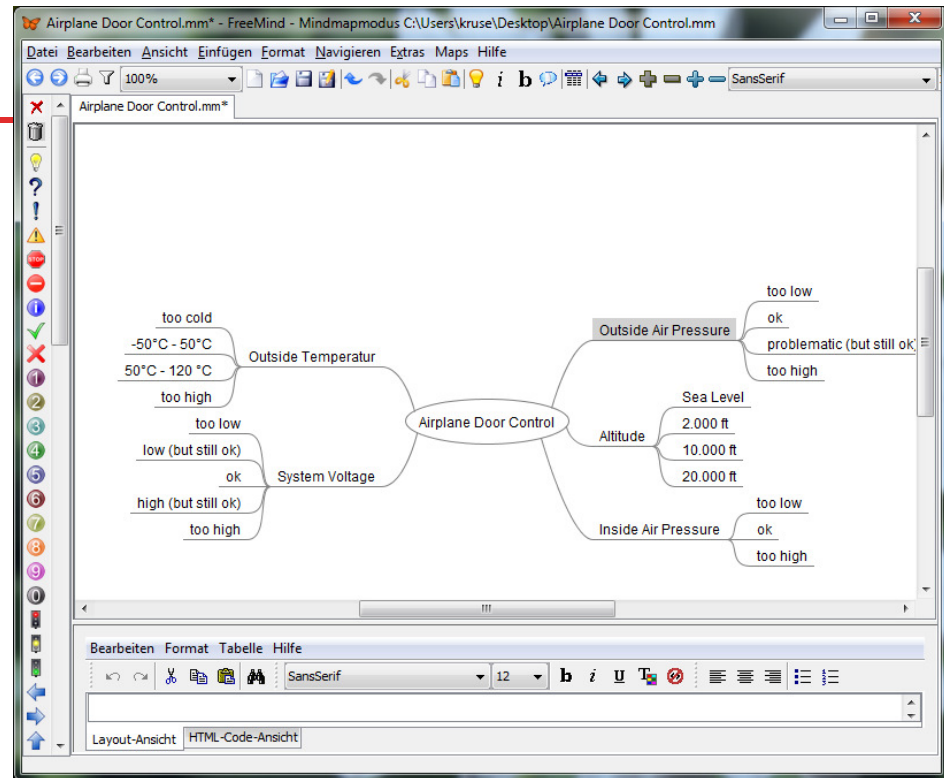
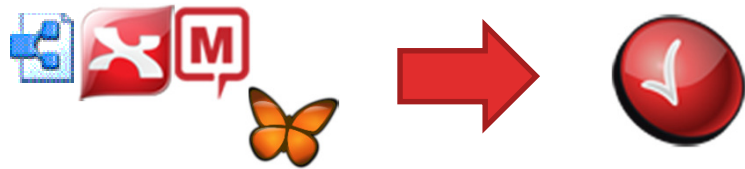
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MindMap Import



Excel Import

Excel Import Wizard

Sheet

Adjust the interpretation of the tabular data.

Layout

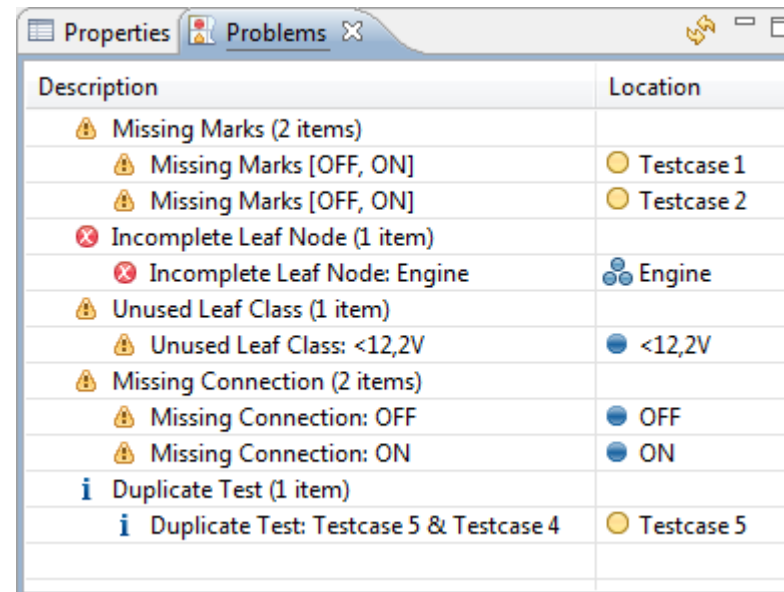
Rows represent test cases

Columns represent test cases

Sheet

	TEST_CASE_N...	PARAMETER	PARAMETER	PARAMETER	PARAMETER	PARAMETER
HEADING		Signal A	Signal B	Switch	Power	Checksum
TEST_CASE	tc1	1	a	off	11,5 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc2	2	b	off	12 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc3	3	c	on	13,5 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc4	1	b	on	0 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc5	2	c	on	6 V	fail
TEST_CASE	tc6	1	b	off	24 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc7	4	c	off	11,5 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc8	2	a	on	12 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc9	1	b	on	13,5 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc10	3	c	off	11,5 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc11	1	b	on	12 V	OK
TEST_CASE	tc12	4	c	on	13,5 V	OK

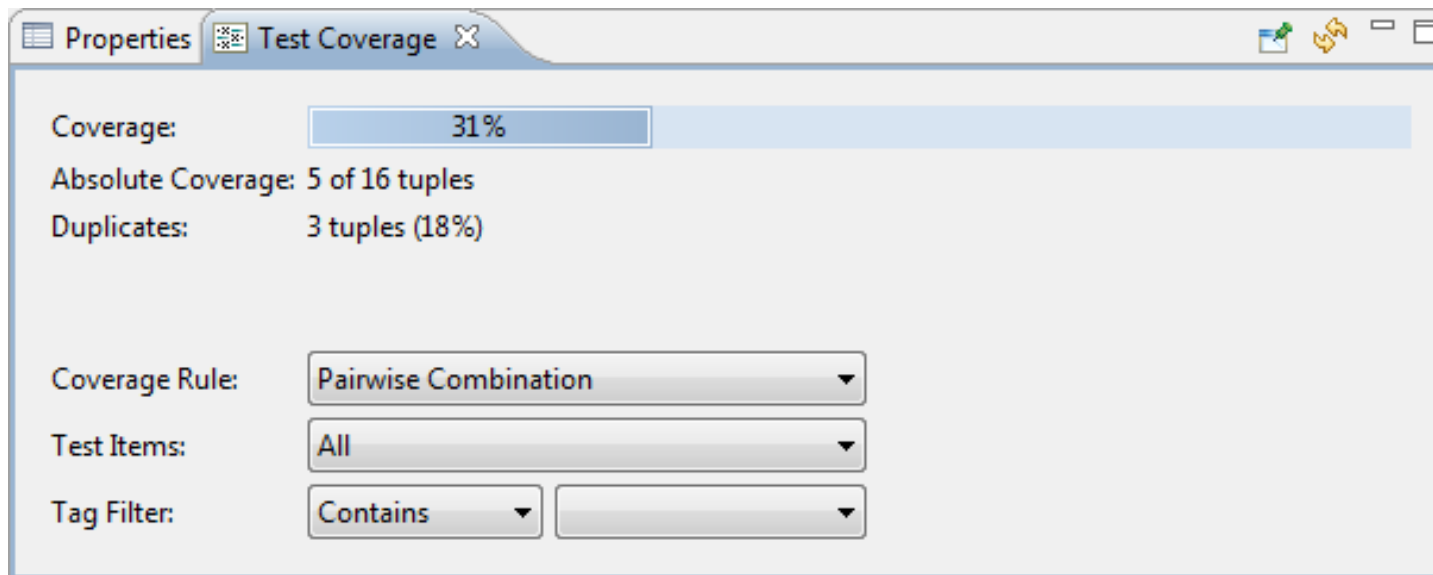
- Checks both the classification tree and test case tree.
- The output contains all relevant information about possible problems:
 - **Missing Marks**
 - **Incomplete Leaf Node**
 - **Unused Leaf Class**
 - **Missing Connection**
 - **Duplicate Test**



Description	Location
⚠ Missing Marks (2 items)	
⚠ Missing Marks [OFF, ON]	● Testcase 1
⚠ Missing Marks [OFF, ON]	● Testcase 2
⊗ Incomplete Leaf Node (1 item)	
⊗ Incomplete Leaf Node: Engine	● Engine
⚠ Unused Leaf Class (1 item)	
⚠ Unused Leaf Class: <12,2V	● <12,2V
⚠ Missing Connection (2 items)	
⚠ Missing Connection: OFF	● OFF
⚠ Missing Connection: ON	● ON
ℹ Duplicate Test (1 item)	
ℹ Duplicate Test: Testcase 5 & Testcase 4	● Testcase 5

Test Completeness Analysis

- Test Coverage
 - Analyze existing test suite, Check fulfillment of Coverage Levels (*e.g. Minimal, Maximal, Pairwise, ...*)



- Test result management
- Monitor test status, e.g.
 - **Failed**
 - **N/A**
 - **No Run**
 - **Not Completed**
 - **Passed**

TestCases	TestResult
Interior Light Control	?
Functional Tests	!
Door Open	✓
Light Switch On	✓
Pairwise Combination	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 1	▶
Pairwise Combination Testcase 2	✗
Pairwise Combination Testcase 3	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 4	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 5	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 6	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 7	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 8	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 9	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 10	
Pairwise Combination Testcase 11	

- ?
- ?
- ✗
- ▶
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- ✓

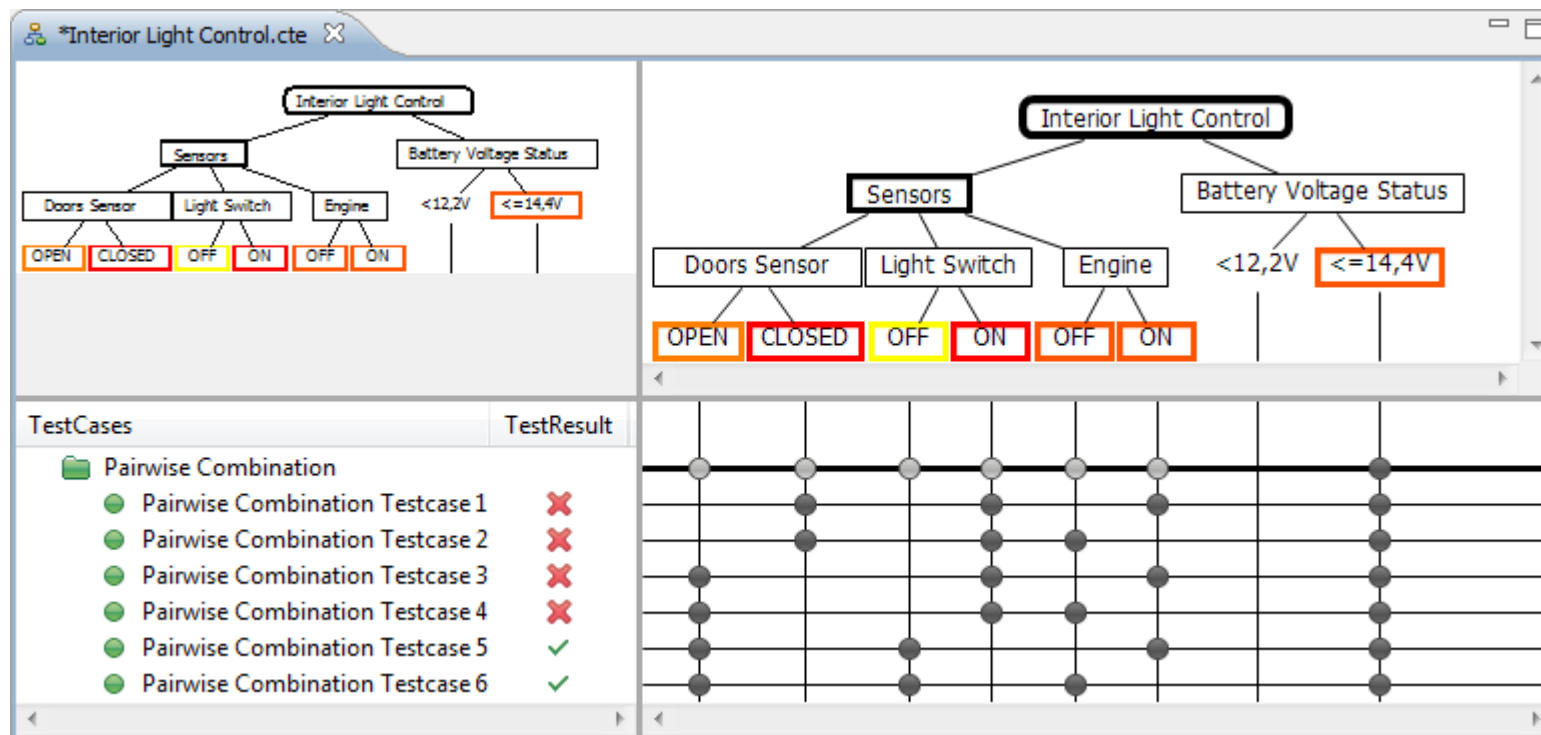
Failed
 No Run
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 Passed

Properties ✕

Tree Interior Light Control.cte

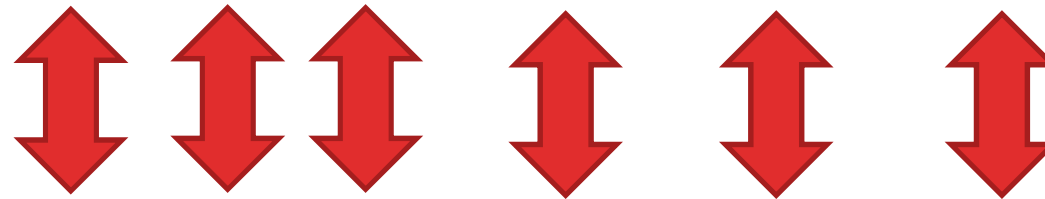
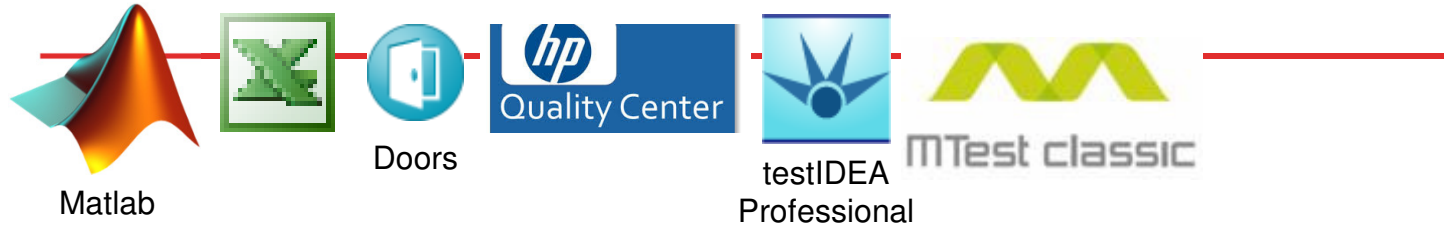
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Autolayout	TestResult	
Tags	TestResult	Passed
Description		

- Root Cause Analysis
 - Analyze individual test results to check for problematic system configurations





TESTONA Tool Integration



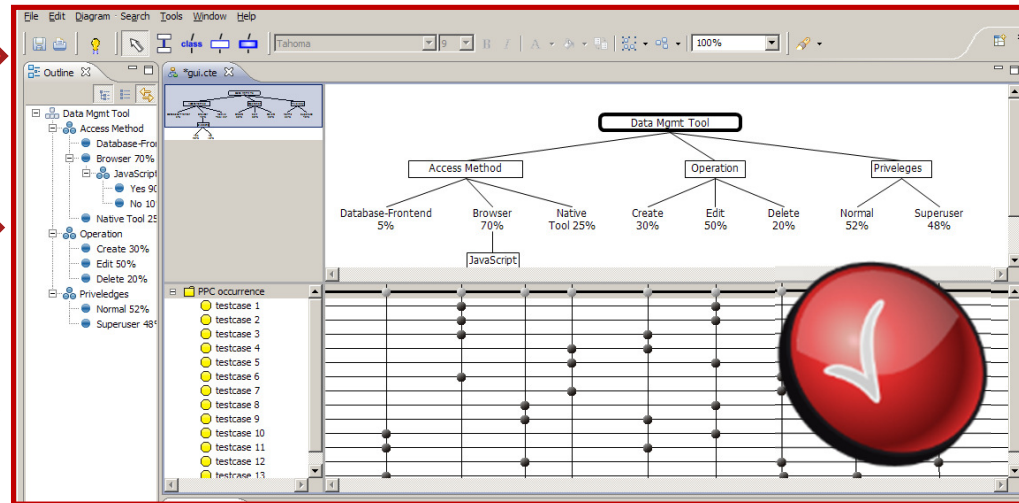
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Mindmaps



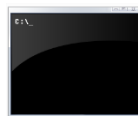
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TESTONA XML files



Command Line



Java RMI



Eclipse RCP

TESTONA Editions, Features, Prices

	Light	Express	Professional	Enterprise
Manual Creation of Classifications Trees	X	X	X	X
Automated Generation of Test Cases		X	X	X
Excel Import		X	X	X
Support for DOORS, HP ALM (form. QC)			X	X
Import Matlab, Autosar			<i>Add-On</i>	X



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