# UML-Editor Reference Manual The Art of Modeling...

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# Preface

The wish to enhance application of the model-based method motivated the creation of the UML-editor .

In this sense the editor is unique, since it permits the modeling of UML/INTERLIS, i.e. the synthesis of two standards within the scope of data-modeling.

INTERLIS is a specific form of UMLwhich permits the automatic derivation of different formats (amongst others the XML-Schema).

This tool is an attempt to facilitate the application and thus the mastery of the very complex matter of UML and INTERLIS thanks to a intuitive device and hence to render it accessible to a greater number of users.

Thus we express due thanks to KOGIS because without their support this UML/INTERLIS-editor could never have been achieved.

# Chapter 1

# Regarding This Document

- Chapter 2 gives general information concerning the UML-editor.
- $\bullet$  Chapter 3 describes function and interface of the UML-editor.
- Chapter 4 describes specific model elements (objects) of the UML-editor.

# Chapter 2

### General Remarks

This reference manual has been conceived as an accompanying document for the UML-editor. Thus it offers assistance in the use of functions and explain procedures of the tool. At the same time it displays the technical possibilities of the editor in the modeling of UML and INTERLIS.

Modeling with the UML-editor requires a certain knowledge in UML (see chapter B) [1] and INTERLIS (see chapter C.1). Therefore we do not enter into these topics, because they would be beyond the scope of this reference manual. You will find further information concerning UML in the Internet and for INTERLIS there is an *INTERLIS Reference Manual* [6] which offers ample explication concerning the use of INTERLIS by means of practical examples.

In addition to this manual there is also an *Introduction to the UML/INTERLIS-editor* [7] with a step-by-step explanation of modeling with the UML-editor.

#### 2.1 Installation

For further instructions concerning the installation of the UML-editor see [7].

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- Java SDK (cf. http://java.sun.com)
- JHotDraw (Graphic) (cf. http://sourceforge.net/projects/jhotdraw)
- Apache Software Foundation (XML) (cf. http://www.apache.org)

# Chapter 3

## User Interface

On principle the UML-editor see fig. 3.1 represents the most important model elements (see chapter 4) hierarchically in the navigation pane as a tree-structure (see chapter 3.3). Some few elements (e.g. generalization, dependencies, syntax, etc.) do not really make sense in the navigation pane and hence will be suppressed by the UML-editor . However these model elements can still be maintained via the specification dialogs (see chapter 4.2) .

A possible element in the navigation pane is the class diagram (see chapter 4.1), which permits graphic modeling. Thus it is possible to represent model elements from the navigation pane in a class diagram. The same model element may appear in several diagrams in order to further visualize different aspects of the same data model. However graphic representation is not possible for all model elements. Class diagrams can be generated in the navigation pane and then opened in the modeling space (see chapter 3.4).

#### 3.1 Menu Bar

The menu list contains the names of the menus. By clicking a menu name a list of commands will appear, which in turn control a series of functions of the UML-editor.

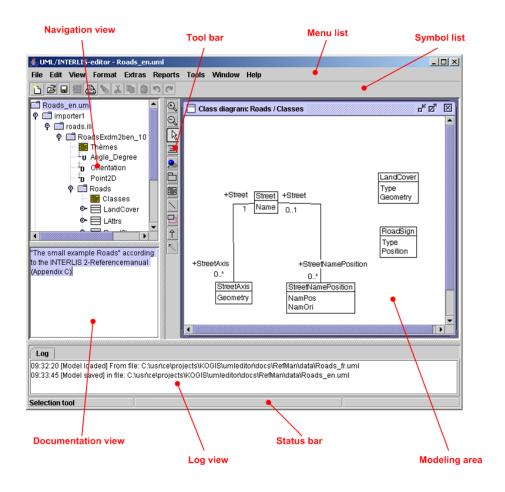


Figure 3.1: UML-editor with example-model ROADS

### 3.1.1 File

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
New	Generates a new model.
Open	Opens a file dialog for the selection of a model file.
Save	Saves the present model with the file name indicated.
Save as	Opens a file dialog for the saving of a file name with a different
	name.
Print	Opens a print dialog.
Close	Closes the program.

## 3.1.2 Editing

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Undo	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Restore	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Cut	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Copy	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Insert	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Select all	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Search/Replace	Opens a search-dialogsee fig. 3.2, to find elements that corre-
	spond to the search criteria. By selecting an element in the
	search result list the relevant element is automatically selected
	in the navigation pane.

## 3.1.3 View

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Look & Feel	Various representation managers can be selected (independent
	of platform).
Symbol lists	The standard tool bar (see chapter 3.2) can be activated/ deac-
	tivated.
Status bar	The status bar can be activated/ deactivated.



Figure 3.2: dialog – Search/Replace

## 3.1.4 Formatting

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Adjuste diagram	The contents of the present diagram are automatically adjusted.
	The function attempts to distribute the model elements as evenly
	as possible in the diagram and at the same time to avoid as much
	as possible crossings of lines. In general when using this function
	it is necessary to manually improve this arrangement.

### 3.1.5 Extras

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Options	An options dialog see fig. 3.3, see fig. 3.4 is opened. The necessary configurations are stored in the file <i>.umleditor</i> in your personal directory (\${user.home}).
FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Work directory	Standard directory for the saving and opening of files.
Import directory	Standard directory for the import of data.
FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Width (Standard)	Standard width for new class diagrams.
Height (Standard)	Standard height for new class diagrams.



Figure 3.3: dialog – Options (tag paths)

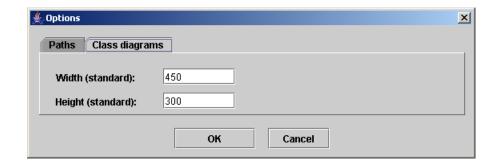


Figure 3.4: dialog – Options (tag *Class diagrams*)



Figure 3.5: dialog – Package selectiondialog

These values define the minimal size of a diagram and thus also the size of a new empty diagram. Depending on the size of your screen it may be sensible to alter these values. If some model elements are situated at the lower or right edge of a diagram, this diagram is automatically enlarged even without previously altering the corresponding values.

#### 3.1.6 Reports

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Object catalog	Opens a package selection dialog see fig. 3.5 for the selection
	of a package. For the package thus selected, model objects are
	listed in an HTML-report see fig. 3.6.
Structure	Opens a package selection dialog see fig. 3.5 for the selection
	of a package. For the package thus selected the corresponding
	package structure is generated in an HTML-report see fig. 3.7.

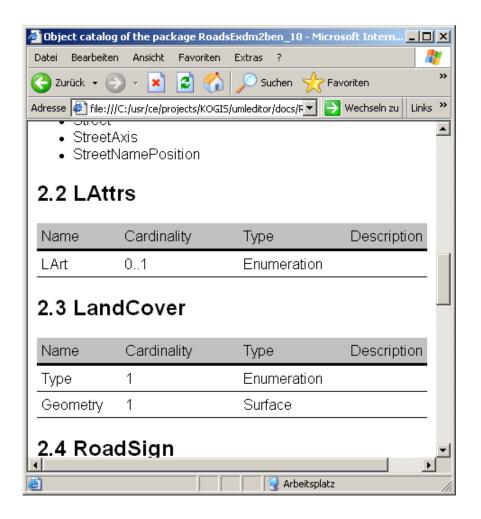


Figure 3.6: dialog – Report object catalog



Figure 3.7: dialog – Report structure

### 3.1.7 Tools

#### INTERLIS

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Import	Opens a filedialogin order to import INTERLIS-model files into
	the model (see chapter D.4).
Import groups	(At present this function is not implemented.)
Export	Generates the INTERLIS-model files (see chapter D.4) according
	to the present model in the work directory (see chapter 3.1.5).
Export XML-Schema	Opens a file-dialogfor the export of the XML-Schema (XSD)
	(see chapter D.2). The XML-Schema thus generated describes
	the transfer format.
Model check	The model is examined by means of the INTERLIScompiler (see
	chapter C.2). Possible errors appear in the log pane with an
	identification number (see chapter 3.6).

## XMI/ROSE

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Import	Opens a file dialog to import a model file exported with Rational-Rose via XMI .

### 3.1.8 Window

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Cascade	Several windows in the modeling space will be super-positioned one behind the other.
Distribute	Several windows in the modeling space will be super-positioned one below the other.

## 3.1.9 Help

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Help	Opens a help-line in a browser.
Info	Opens an info dialog with information concerning the program.

### 3.2 Symbol Bar

Depending on the context, individual functions are activated or deactivated (by activating the symbols in the symbol list). By positioning the mouse cursor on a symbol, the corresponding description of the function appears in text form.

```
New (see chapter 3.1.1).

Open... (see chapter 3.1.1).

Save (see chapter 3.1.1).

Print (see chapter 3.1.1).
```

### 3.3 Navigation Pane

The navigation pane represents the entire model as a tree structure. Thus the user may see how the model is organized and the view can be adjusted to the current needs of the user by opening/closing sub-trees A context-sensitive menu will show the possible functions for each selected model element in the tree:

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
New	Permits the inserting of a new model element. Depending on
	the selection various elements are available (see chapter 4).
Modify	Opens the specification dialog for the corresponding element
	model element (see chapter 4.2).
Activate diagram	Opens or displays the selected diagram in the foreground within
	the modeling range.
Sort	Arranges the tree structure according to the possible selection,
	criterias being Name or Type/Name.
Print	Opens a print dialog.
Delete (in the model)	Deletes the selected model element from the model.
Rename	Permits direct renaming of the selected element.
Insert in diagram	Inserts the selected model element into the momentarily active
	diagram.

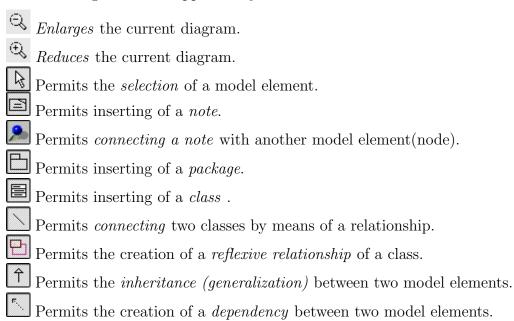
### 3.4 Modeling Space

In the modeling space diagrams (see chapter 4.1) that typically display a prominent detail from the model can be represented in their own (internal) windows.

#### **3.4.1** Tool Bar

The tool bar is dynamically adjusted to the currently selected diagram (see chapter 4.1), i.e. the tools that are admissible for the corresponding diagram type are automatically displayed and activated.

The following tools are supported by the UML-editor:



### 3.5 Documentation Space

The documentation view displays descriptions concerning an model element , e.g. by means of selection:

- in the navigation pane(see chapter 3.3)
- in the current diagram

A popup menu permits all common editing operations (see chapter 3.1.2).

### 3.6 Log Pane

The log pane see fig. 3.8 features run-time messages (e.g. when saving the model or during model check (see chapter 3.1.7)). Depending on the selection the following functions of the popup menu are possible:



Figure 3.8: log pane Select node (according to identification number)

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Delete	Deletes the entire display in the log pane.
Copy	Inserts the selected messages in the copy buffer of the system.
Select all	Selects all messages.
Make up lines	Messages that are longer than the current window width are
	made up into two lines by the UML-editor .
Save as	Permits the saving of all messages in the log pane of a file.
Select node	Applies only to special messages with identification number.
	This function selects the model element concerned by this mes-
	sage in the navigation pane.

## 3.7 Status Bar

The status bar is set up in three sections:

- Left box indicates which tool from the tool bar is currently activated.
- Middle box (At present this function is not implemented.)
- Right box (At present this function is not implemented.)

# Chapter 4

# **Modeling Elements**

Hereafter we describe model elements that can be modeled by means of the UML-editor . Based upon the language definition and resulting rules of INTERLIS there is a valid selection of sub-elements for each model element , These will be automatically supported by the UML-editor .

This is the particular strong point of the UML-editor, a user need not worry whether he is developping a valid model or not. Whatever is rendered possible by the editor, is also valid within the scope of UML and INTERLIS. Special cases can always be verified by means of the INTERLIS-compiler (see chapter 3.1.7).

### 4.1 Class Diagram

The class diagrams strictly respect the rules of UML (see chapter B). All possible tools are automatically activated when opening a class diagram in the *tool bar* (see chapter 3.4.1).

A typical use of class diagrams is the representation of packages see fig. 4.1 or classes see fig. 4.2:

### 4.1.1 Popup-Menu for the Diagram

The following functions, affecting the entire diagram, are at your disposal:

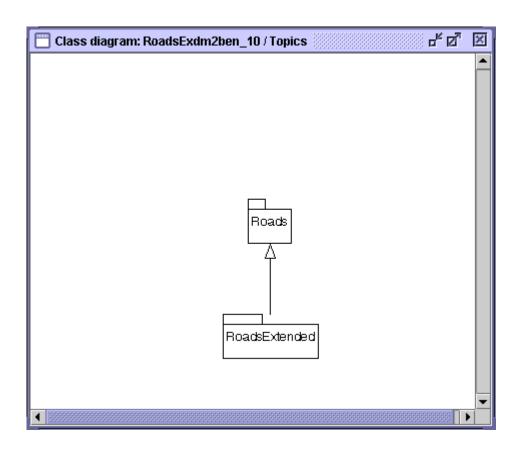


Figure 4.1: Class diagram – Representation of packages

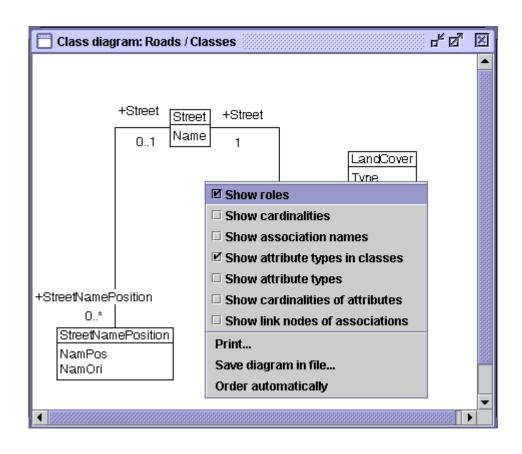


Figure 4.2: Class diagram – Representation of classes with popup-menu for the diagram

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Display role	Represents the roles (see chapter 4.2.11) of a relationship or not.
	Roles are represented with a preceding plus (e.g. +Street see
	fig. 3.1).
Display cardinality	Represents the cardinalities of relationships or not (e.g. 0* see
	fig. 3.1).
Display association	Represents the names of all relationships in the diagram dar or
names	not.
Display attributes in	Represents the attributes of all classes in the diagram or not.
classes	
Display type of at-	Represents the data type for all attributes displayed in all classes
tribute	in the diagram or not.
Display cardinality of	Represents the cardinality of all attributes displayed in all classes
attributes	in the diagram or not.
Display link node of	The link node is an "artificial device", that enables graphic links
associations	between particular cases of relationships (see chapter 4.2.9) in
	the diagram.
Print	Opens a print dialog for the printing of the diagram.
Savein diagram	Opens a file-dialog for the saving of the diagram.
file	
Automatic reorgani-	Automatic reorganization of the contents of a diagram.
zation	

## 4.1.2 Popup-Menu of a Model Element

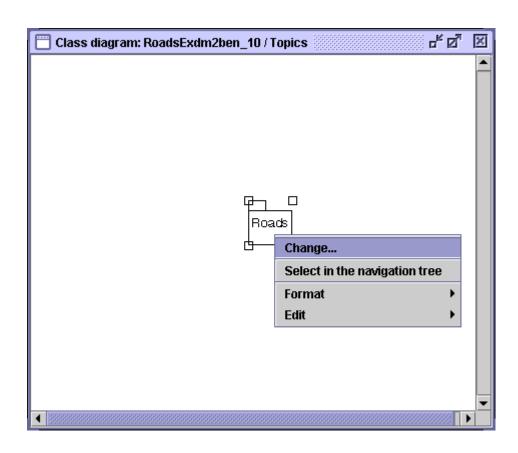
### **General Functions**

For each model element the following *general functions* are available see fig. 4.3:

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Modify	Opens the specification dialog (see chapter 4.2) for a model ele-
	ment.
Selecting in the navi-	Indicates the selected graphic object in the navigation pane.
gation pane	

#### Sub-menu Formatting:

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Font type	(At present this function is not implemented.).
Line color	Opens a color dialog for the selection of a line color (e.g. for the
	coloring of associations).
Fill-in color	Opens a color dialog for the selection of a fill-in color (e.g. for
	the coloring of class symbols).



 $Figure \ 4.3: \ Class \ diagram - General \ remarks \ about \ popup-menu \ model \ elements$ 

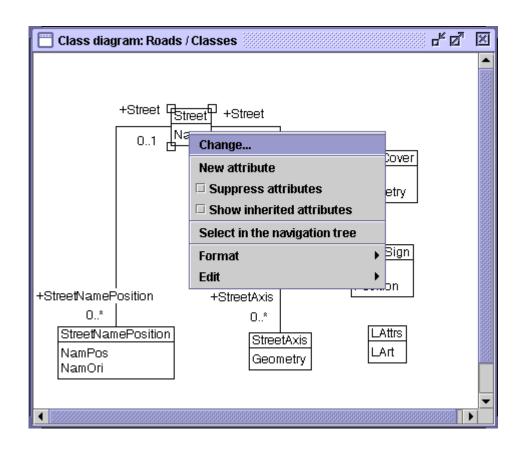


Figure 4.4: Class diagram – Special functions of a class

#### Sub-menu Editing:

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Cut	(At present this function is not implemented.).
Copy	(At present this function is not implemented.).
Paste	(At present this function is not implemented.).
Delete	The selected model element is only graphically deleted in the
	current diagram, i.e. it remains in the navigation pane (and
	thus in the model).
Delete in the model	The selected model element is deleted graphically in the cur-
	rent diagram as well as definitively in the model. In addition
	all model dependencies are deleted (e.g. Roles in classes with
	connected associations).

#### Class-specific functions

see fig. 4.4

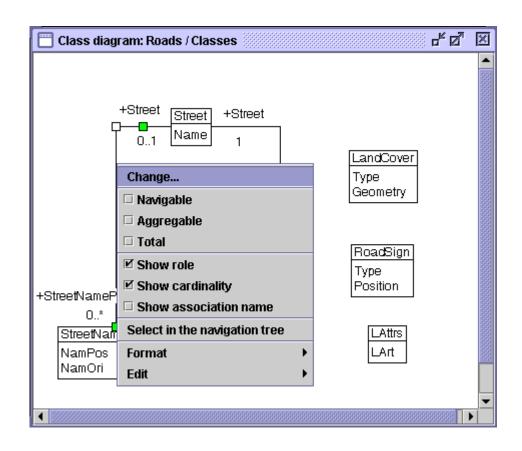


Figure 4.5: Class diagram – Special functions of an relatioship

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
New attribute	Adds a new attribute (see chapter 4.2.10) to the class.
Hide attributes	Activates/ Deactivates representation of attributes for this class.
Display inherited at-	In addition to the attributes defined in this class, the attributes
tributes	of the basic class(es) are also displayed.

#### Relation-specific functions

see fig. 4.5

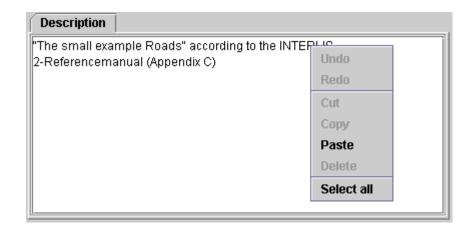


Figure 4.6: dialog (tag description)

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
Association	Defines the direction of navigation towards a role (see chapter
	4.2.11) on the corresponding relatioship. In accordance with
	UML this is represented optically by an open arrow in the class
	diagram.
Aggregation	Characterizes the role (see chapter 4.2.11) of an relatioship as ag-
	gregation. In accordance with UML this is represented optically
	with a void rhombus in the class diagram.
Composition	Characterizes the role (see chapter 4.2.11) of an relatioship as
	composition. In accordance with UML this is represented opti-
	cally with a filled in rhombus in the class diagram .
Display role	Activates / Deactivates the role name (see chapter 4.2.11) of a
	relationship (see chapter 4.1.1).
Display cardinality	Represents the <i>cardinality</i> of the roles (see chapter 4.2.11) of an
	relatioship or not .
Display name of as-	Represents the name of an relatioship or not.
sociation	

# 4.2 Dialogs

On principle there is a specific dialog for each model element to view or modify the properties of this element. Each model element-dialog features a minimum of the following tabs see fig. 4.6:

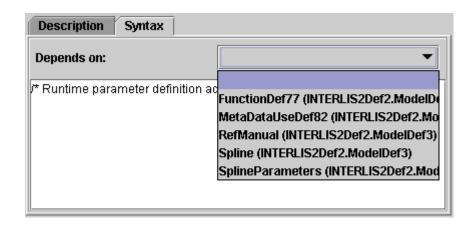


Figure 4.7: dialog (tag Syntax)

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Description	Text entry with popup-menu featuring common text functions (see chapter 3.1.2). This text is taken into consideration when generating an object catalog

see fig. 4.7

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Depends of	Possible dependencies of other <i>Model elements</i> can be selected
	from a list.
INTERLIS Syntax	Text entry with popup-menu featuring common text functions
	(see chapter 3.1.2). Permits entry of syntax code (in accordance
	with INTERLISrules). This code can be verified by means of
	the function <i>Model check</i> (see chapter 3.1.7).

Each dialog features the following functions:

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
OK	Saves all modifications and closes dialog.
Cancel	Rejects all modifications and closes dialog.
Accept	Saves all modifications without closing dialog.

### 4.2.1 Baskets of Reference Systems/Signatures

see fig. 4.8

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
File name	Assigns an XML-file .
Description	(see fig. 4.6).

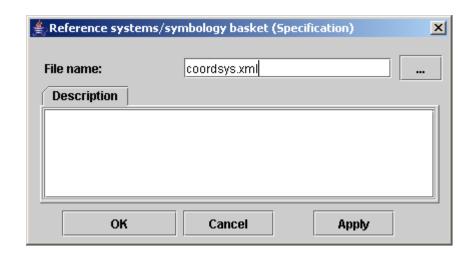


Figure 4.8: dialog – Containers of reference systems/signatures

### 4.2.2 UML-Package

A UML-package see fig. 4.9 corresponds to a folder, in which other elements can be stored. A UML-package is a model element which does not exist in INTERLIS and hence does not appear in the exported INTERLIS-model.

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the <i>UML-package</i>
Description	(see fig. 4.6).

#### 4.2.3 INTERLIS 2-File

A INTERLIS 2-file see fig. 4.10 corresponds to a package in accordance with UML.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.3.

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Table	Lists language and corresponding file names. A model element <i>INTERLIS 2-file</i> represents an INTERLIS-model file (see chapter D.4). If the field file name is a relative file path, then it refers to a directory, in which the UML-editor file is stored. By means of the popup-menu-function <i>Modify</i> a table entry can be modified.
Linguistic version	We refer to the version of the INTERLIS-specification applied. This version of the editor supports version 2.2.
Description	(see fig. 4.6).

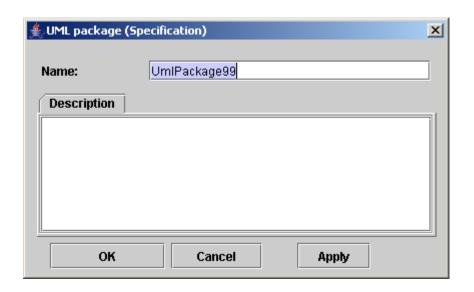


Figure 4.9: dialog – UML-Paket

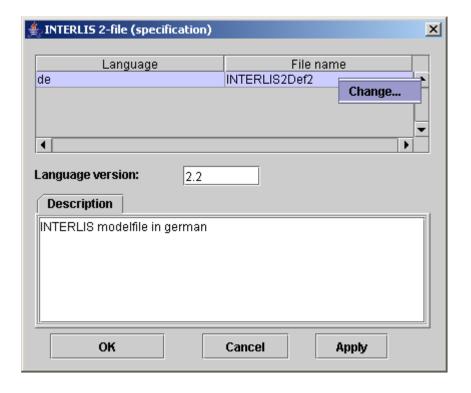


Figure 4.10: dialog – INTERLIS 2-file

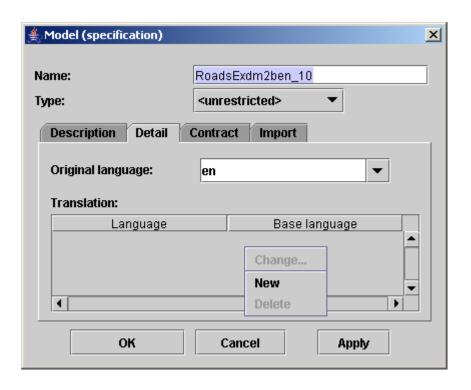


Figure 4.11: dialog – *Model* (tag *Detail*)

### 4.2.4 Model

A model see fig. 4.11 corresponds to a package) in accordance with UML.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.5.1.

FIELD	Description
Name	Name of the model
Type	Characterization (possible options being types, reference sys-
	tems, symbologies or unlimited).
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Original language	Initial language of the <i>Model</i> .
Translation (table)	A translation dialog can be opened via a popup-menu (see chap-
	ter 4.2.5). All translations concerning the <i>Model</i> are listed in
	the table.

see fig. 4.12

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Contract (Table)	Via popup-menu you can open a contract dialog (see chapter 4.2.6). In this table all <i>authors</i> of contracts are listed.

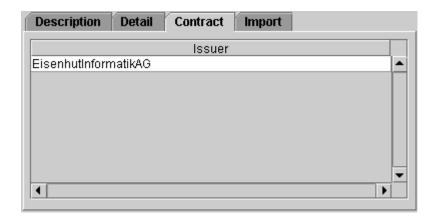


Figure 4.12: dialog – *Model* (tag *Contract*)



Figure 4.13: dialog – Model (tag Import)

see fig. 4.13

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Import (Tabelle)	Via popup-menu and by means of a assignation dialog other <i>models</i> can be assigned and administered. In the table all imported <i>models</i> are listed. Import relationships can be represented in a package diagram.

### 4.2.5 Translation of the Model

At present multilingual models are not supported by the UML-editor .

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual

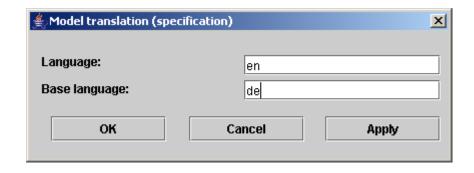


Figure 4.14: dialog – Translation of model

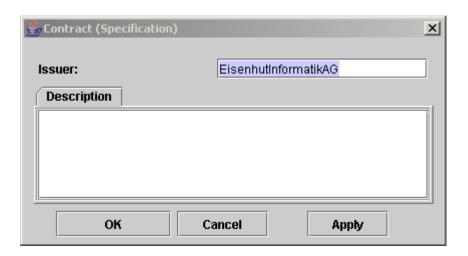


Figure 4.15: dialog – Contract

#### 2.5.1. see fig. 4.14

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Language	Target language of the translation.
Basic language	Initial language before the translation.

#### **4.2.6** Contract

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 1.7. see fig. 4.15

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Editor	Author of a contract.
Description	(see fig. 4.6).

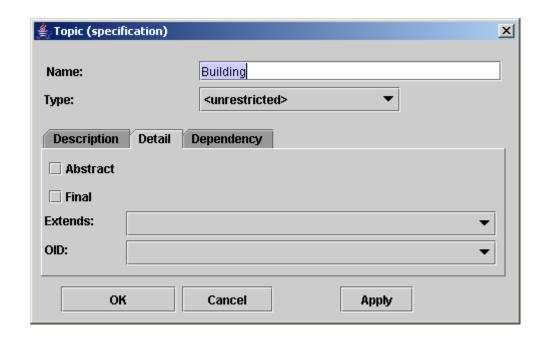


Figure 4.16: dialog – *Topic* (tag *Detail*)

### 4.2.7 Topic

A topic see fig. 4.16 corresponds to a package in accordance with UML.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.5.2.

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the <i>topic</i>
Type	Characterization (by views or unlimited).
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
abstract	Defines a model element as abstract or not.
final	Defines a model element as <i>final</i> or not.
Extends	Permits the selection of model element possibly to be extended
	from a list of model elements suitable for specialization (list is
	automatically generated by the UML-editor).

see fig. 4.17

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Dependency (Table)	Via popup-menu and by means of an assignation dialog other
	topics can be assigned and processed. In the table all dependent
	topics are listed. The dependency relationships can be repre-
	sented in a package diagram.

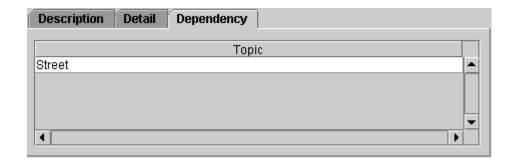


Figure 4.17: dialog – *Topic* (tag *Dependency*)

### 4.2.8 Class

A class see fig. 4.18 describes similar objects by means of attributes .

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual  $2.5.3.\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the <i>class</i>
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
abstract	Defines a model element as abstract or not.
final	Defines a model element as <i>final</i> or not.
Extends	Permits the selection of model element possibly to be extended
	from a list of model elements suitable for specialization (list is
	automatically generated by the UML-editor).
Typ	A class can either be characterized as a <i>class</i> (Default) or as a
	structure.

see fig. 4.19

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Attribute (Tabelle)	Via popup-menu a list of attributes (see chapter 4.2.10) can be
	processed. All defined attributes are listed in the table.

see fig. 4.20

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Parameters	Several <i>Parameters</i> in the form of syntax codes can be indicated (see fig. 4.7). Use the symbol bar below the syntax field to facilitate when browsing, for input and deleting of Parameters.

see fig. 4.21

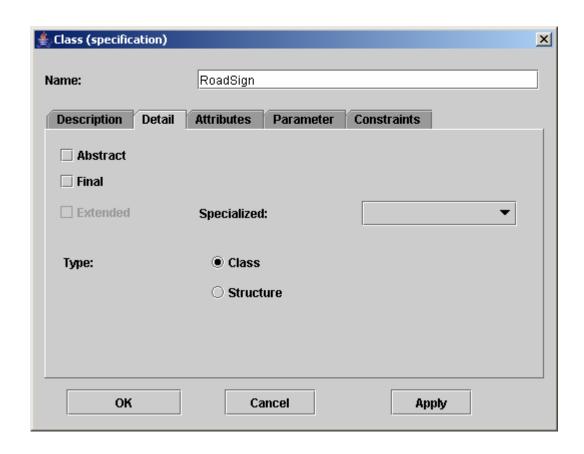


Figure 4.18: dialog – Class (tag Detail)

Description	Detail Attributes Par	ameter Constraints
	Name	Туре
Type		Enumeration
Position		Point2D[Domain]

Figure 4.19: dialog – Class (tag Attribute)

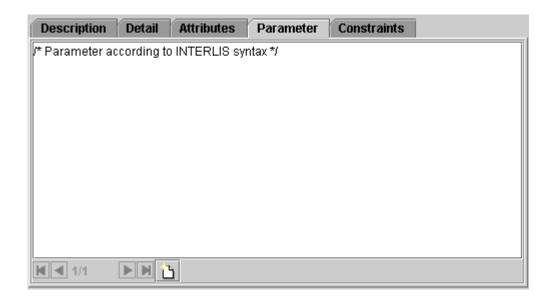


Figure 4.20: dialog – class (tag *Parameter*)

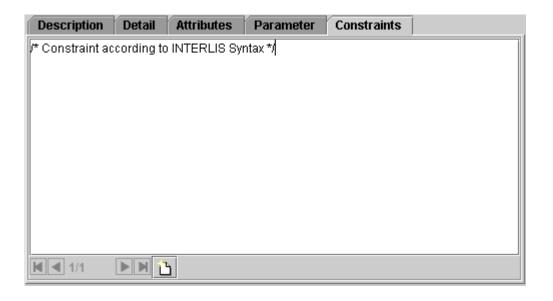


Figure 4.21: dialog – class (tag Constraints)

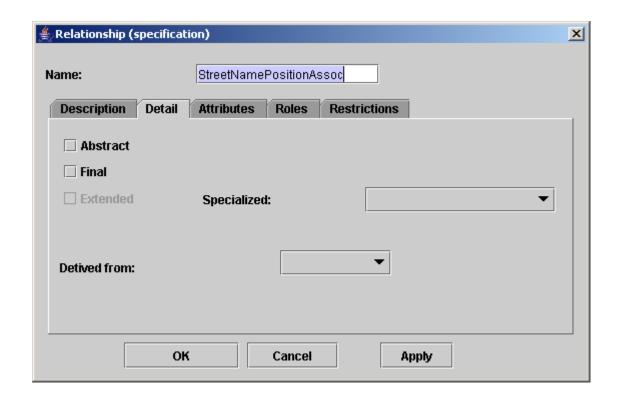


Figure 4.22: dialog – relatioship (tag *Detail*)

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Constraints	Several <i>Constraints</i> in the form of syntax codes can be indicated
	(see fig. $4.7$ ). Use the symbol bar below the syntax field to
	facilitate when browsing, for input and deleting of Constraints.

## 4.2.9 Relationship

An relatioship see fig. 4.22 describes similar connections between individual objects.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.7.

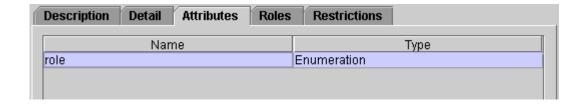


Figure 4.23: dialog – relatioship (tag Attributes)

Name	Kind	Cardinality	Class
Street	Association	01	Street
StreetNamePosition	Association	0*	StreetNamePosition

Figure 4.24: dialog – relatioship (tag Roles)

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the association
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
abstract	Defines a model element as abstract or not.
final	Defines a model element as final or not.
Extends	Permits the selection of model element possibly to be extended
	from a list of model elements suitable for specialization (list is
	automatically generated by the UML-editor).
Derived from	From a list an model element (in general a view) can be selected,
6 4.00	from which the relatioship is to be derived.

see fig. 4.23

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Attributes (Table)	Via popup-menu a list of <i>attributes</i> (see chapter 4.2.10) can be processed. In the table all defined <i>attributes</i> can be listed.

see fig. 4.24

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Roles (Table)	Via the table all defined rolles are listed.

see fig. 4.25

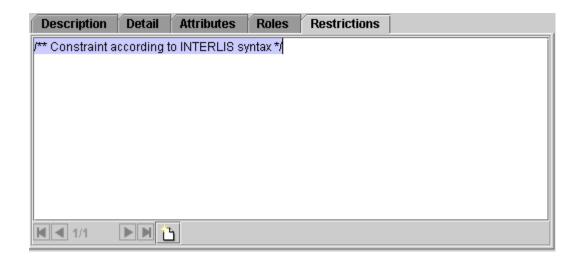


Figure 4.25: dialog – relatioship (tag *Constraints*)

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Constraints	Several <i>Constraints</i> in the form of syntax codes can be indicated (see fig. 4.7) . Use the symbol bar below the syntax field to facilitate when browsing, for input and deleting of Constraints.

There are a few special cases of associations (besides the common binary association), which the UML-editor supports graphically and thus also in the model.

#### Reflexive relations

see fig. 4.26

#### Inherited associations

see fig. 4.27

Hint:

• For graphic modelling it is necessary to visualize first the *link knots* in the class diagram (void rhombus in the middle of the association) (see chapter 4.1).

#### Multiple relations

see fig. 4.28

Hint:

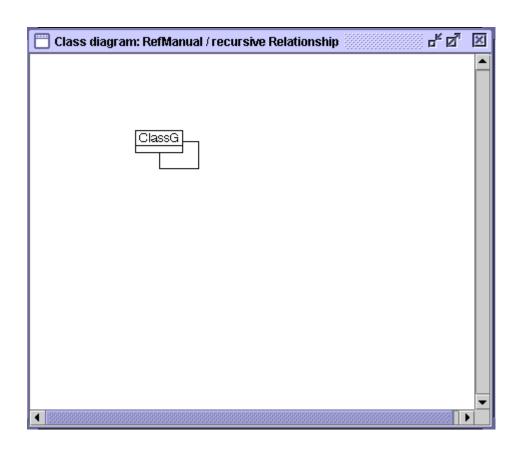


Figure 4.26: Reflexive relations

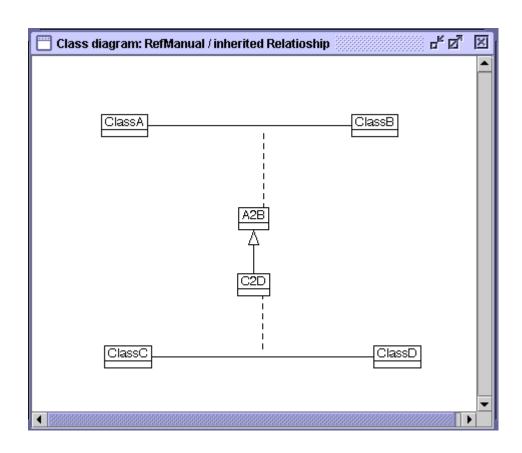


Figure 4.27: Inherited relations

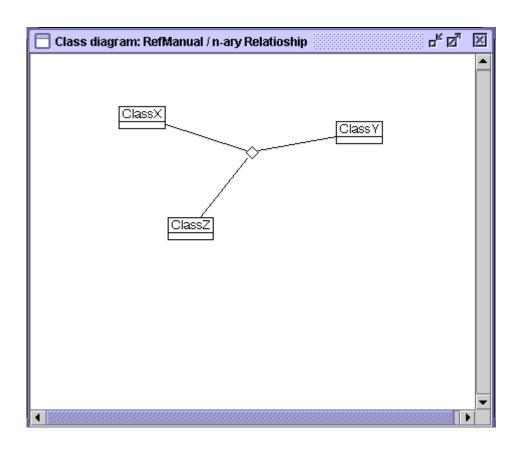


Figure 4.28: Multiple relations

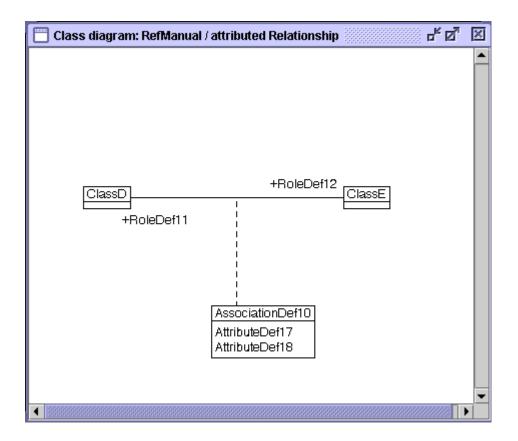


Figure 4.29: Association with attributes

• For graphic modelling it is necessary to visualize first the *link knots* in the class diagram (void rhombus in the middle of the association) (see chapter 4.1).

#### Association with attributes

see fig. 4.29

Hint:

ullet Via the specification dialog Attributes can be processed in the tab Attribute. The representation in the class diagram ensues automatically.

#### 4.2.10 Attributes

An attribut (engl. feature or also property) see fig. 4.30 is a data element of a class. An attribute possesses both name and data type. As data types all types that have been defined by INTERLIS are at your disposal.

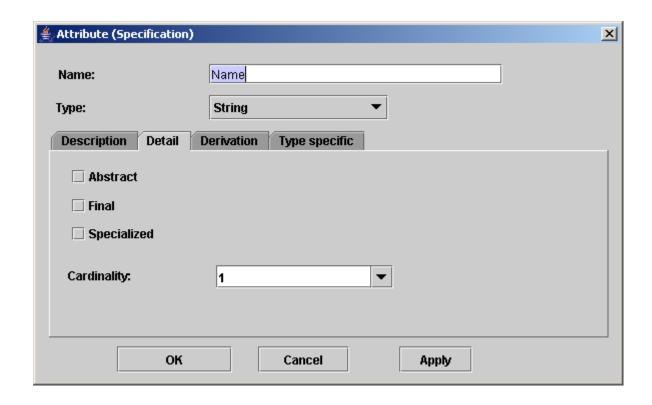


Figure 4.30: dialog – Attribute (tag *Detail*)

Attributes can be processed in three different ways, these being navigation pane (see chapter 3.3), class diagram see chapter 4.1.2 or this dialog.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.6.

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the Attributes
Typ	Depending on the <i>type</i> selected specific information can be indi-
	cated in the tab (see below).
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
abstract	Defines a model element as <i>abstract</i> or not.
final	Defines a model element as <i>final</i> or not.
specialized	Defines a model element as <i>specialized</i> or not.
Cardinality	Selection of the cardinality is possible in a list. Attributes with
	an anonymous domain can only possess cardinality 01 or 1. At-
	tributes which refer to a domain definition, can have maximum
	cardinality greater than 1.

see fig. 4.31



Figure 4.31: dialog – Attribute (tag *Derivation*)

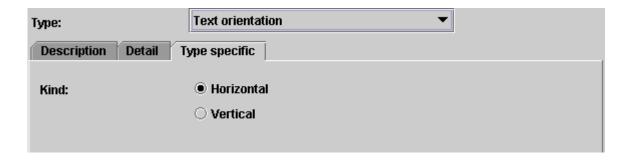


Figure 4.32: INTERLIS-basic type – Text orientation

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Derivation	Permits the indication of a syntax code (see fig. 4.7), e.g. a
	function call or a constant.

Depending on the type the representation of information in the tab varies:

#### Boolean

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.4.

For the type *Boolean* there is no special view.

#### **Text Orientation**

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.3. see fig. 4.32

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Type	Characterizes the text orientation <i>Horizontal</i> or <i>Vertical</i> .

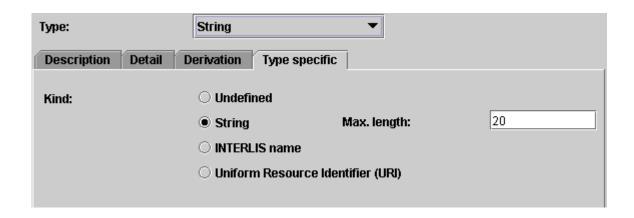


Figure 4.33: INTERLIS-basic type – String

#### String

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.1. see fig. 4.33

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Type	Characterizes the string as <i>Undefined</i> , <i>String</i> (Default),
	INTERLIS-name or Uniform Resource Identifier (URI).
Max. Length (only	entry of a whole number for limiting the maximum string length.
for the selection of	
"string")	

#### Enumeration

With the type *enumeration* see fig. 4.34 it is possible to define enumerations or sub-enumerations as a tree-structure in the field *elements*. Furthermore each enumeration element can be commented upon in the domain *element description*.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.2.

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Type	Charakterizes the string as <i>Undefined</i> (Default), <i>Ordered</i> , oder
	Circular.
Elements	A popup-menu permits the processing of enumerations in a tree
	structure (by means of sub-enumeration).
Element description	for each enumeration elementa corresponding comment can be
	formulated (see fig. 4.6).



Figure 4.34: INTERLIS-basic type – enumeration

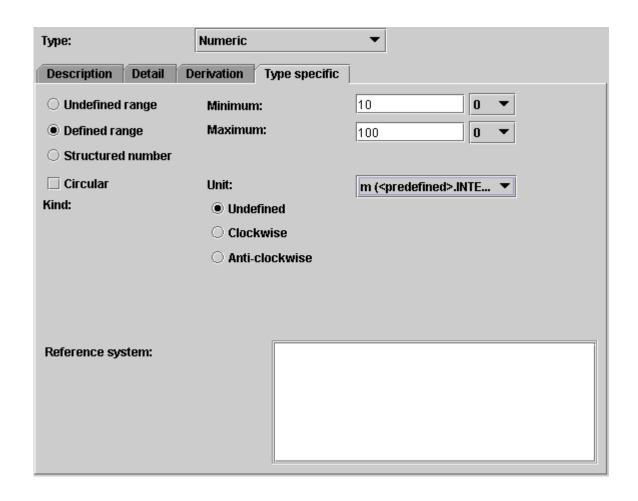


Figure 4.35: INTERLIS-basic type – Numeric

#### Numeric

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.8.5. see fig.  $4.35\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Domain	Characterizes the numeric domain as an <i>Undefined domain</i> (De-
	fault), as a Defined domain (permits the entry of a minimal or
	maximal domain as a value with flowing comma, whereby ac-
	curacy can be defined via the selection list), or as a structured
	number.
Cirkular	Defines a model element as Cirkular or not.
Unit	A list permits the selection of a <i>unit</i> existing in the model (see
	chapter 4.2.14). This list is automatically generated by the
	UML-editor.
Type	Characterizes the type as <i>Undefined</i> (Default), as <i>clockwise</i> or
	as anti-clockwise.
Reference system	Permits the indication of syntax code (see fig. 4.7).

#### Coordinate

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.8.7. see fig.  $4.36\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Dimensions	Defines the number of dimensions of the <i>coordinate</i> .
Circular	Defines a model element as Circular or not.
1/2/3D (Numeric)	For each dimension it is possible to indicate a numeric value (see
	chapter 4.2.10) moeglich.
Rotation	Defines a model element as <i>Rotation</i> or not.
Main axis	Provided the rotation has been determined, the main axis can
	be defined.
PI-main axis	Provided the rotation has been determined, the PI-main axis
	can be defined.

#### Basket

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.9. see fig. 4.37

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Type	Characterizes the type as <i>Undefined</i> (Default), <i>Data basket</i> ,
	Sicht-Behaelter, Basis-Behaelter fuer Grafik oder als Grafik-
	Behaelter.
According to	Permits the indication of a topic (see chapter 4.2.7). This list is
	automatically generated by the UML-editor.

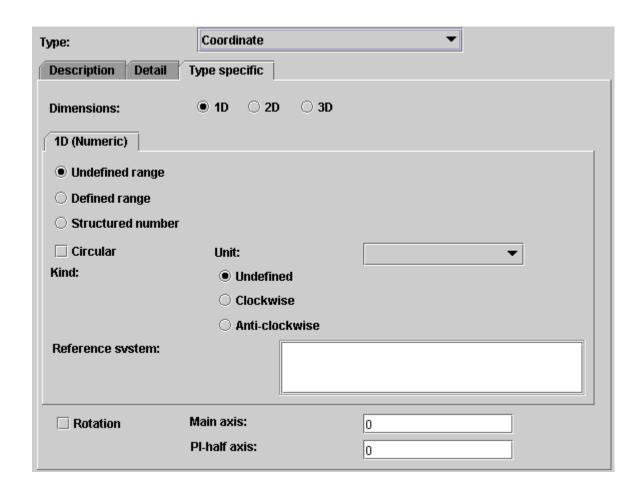


Figure 4.36: INTERLIS-basic type – Coordinate



Figure 4.37: INTERLIS-basic type – Basket

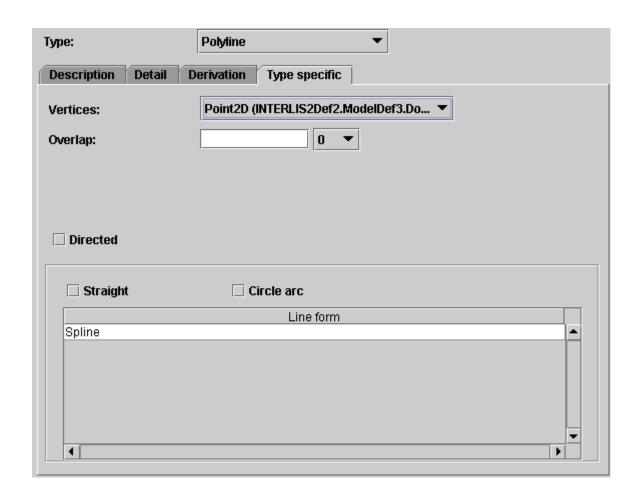


Figure 4.38: INTERLIS-basic type – Polyline

### Polyline

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.11.2. see fig. 4.38

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Vertices	Permits the assignation of a domain (see chapter 4.2.12) for the
	vertices of a polyline. This list is automatically generated by the
	UML-editor.
Overlap	Permits the entry of a decimal value (definition of accuracy by
	means of selection list).
Directed	Defines the polyline as <i>directed</i> or not.
Straight	Defines <i>straights</i> as admissible line types.
Circle arc	Defines <i>circle arcs</i> as admissible line types.
Line type (table)	A popup-menu of the table permits the assingnation of line types
	(see chapter $4.2.15$ ).

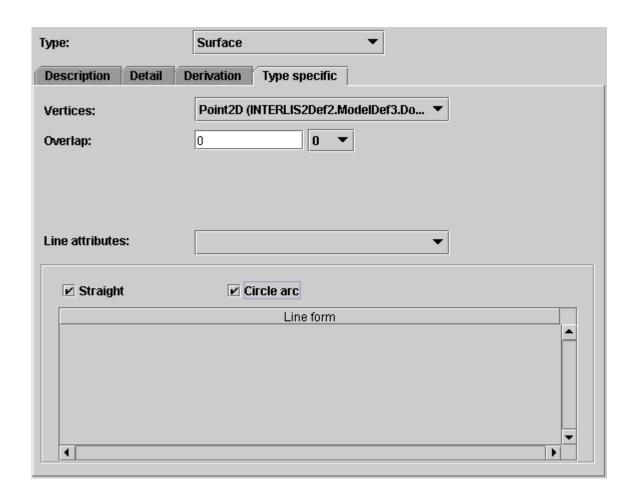


Figure 4.39: INTERLIS-basic type – Surface

#### Surface

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.8.12.2. see fig.  $4.39\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Vertices	Permits the assignation of a domain (see chapter 4.2.12) for the
	vertices of the surfaces. This list is automatically generated by
	the UML-editor.
Overlap	Permits the enty of a decimal value (definition of accuracy by
	means of a selection list).
Line attributes	Permits the selection of a structure (see chapter 4.2.8) for the
	line attributes. This list is automatically generated by the UML-
	editor.
Straight	Defines <i>straights</i> as admissible line types.
Circle arc	Defines circle arcs as admissible line types.
Line type (table)	A popup-menu of the table permits the assingnation of line types
	(see chapter 4.2.15).

#### **Area Tessellation**

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.8.12.3. see fig.  $4.40\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Vertices	Permits the assignation of a domain (see chapter 4.2.12) for the
	vertices of the area tessellation. This list is automatically gen-
	erated by the UML-editor.
Overlap	Permits the entry of a decimal value (Definition of accuracy by
	means of a selection list).
Line attributes	Permits the selection of a structure (see chapter 4.2.8) for the
	line attributes. This list is automatically generated by the UML-
	editor.
Straights	Defines <i>straights</i> as admissible line types.
Circle arcs	Defines circle arcs as admissible line types.
Line type (table)	A popup-menu of the table permits the assingnation of line types
	(see chapter $4.2.15$ ).

#### Domain definition

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.6.2. see fig. 4.41

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Permits the assignation of the <i>domain</i> (see chapter 4.2.12). This
	list is automatically generated by the UML-editor.

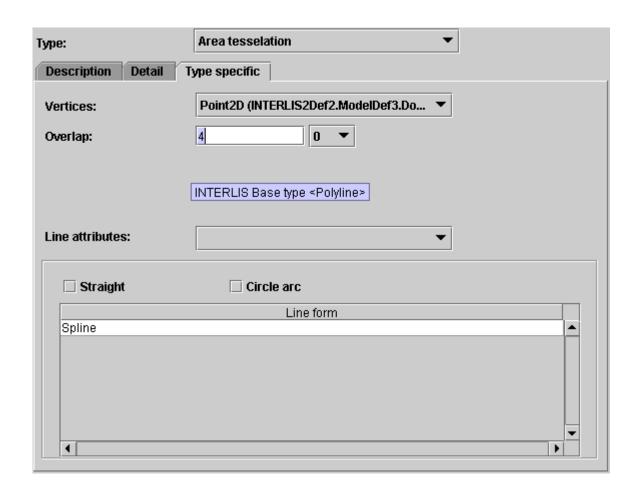


Figure 4.40: INTERLISbasic type – Area tessellation

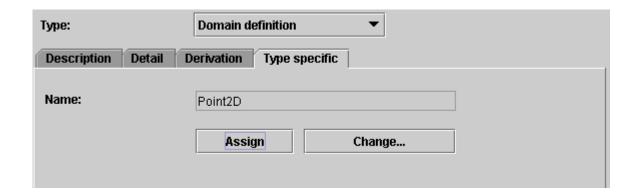


Figure 4.41: INTERLIS-basic type – Domain definition

#### 4.2.11 Role

A role see fig. 4.42 is on end of a relationship. When dealing with a relationship between the class *school* and the class *person*, *teacher* would be a possible role for a *Person*.

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual

	FIELD	DESCRIPTION
	Name	Name of the role
	Type	Permits the indication if Association (Default), Aggregation or
		Composition (
		For further information concerning rules and properties see IN-
		TERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.7.2.). Depending on the selec-
		tion the specific representation (rhomboid) ensues in the class
		diagram in accordance with UML.
	Description	(see fig. $4.6$ ).
	abstract	Defines a model element as <i>abstract</i> or not.
	final	Defines a model element as <i>final</i> or not.
	Specialised	Defines a model element as <i>Specialised</i> or not.
2.7.	Ordered	Defines a model element as <i>Ordered</i> or not.
2.1.	Navigierbar	Defines a model element as Navigierbar or not.
	Cardinality	
		For further information concerning rules and properties see IN-
		TERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.7.3.)
	Classes concerned	Permits the selection of the <i>class</i> concerned with this <i>Role</i> (see
		chapter 4.2.8). This list is automatically generated by the UML-
		editor.
	Constraints (Table)	Permits the assignation of corresponding <i>classes</i> (see chapter
		4.2.8 and
		For further information concerning rules and properties see IN-
		TERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.7.5.).
	Type of reference	Permits the selection of the Role as Association (Default), Struc-
		ture or Reference.

### 4.2.12 Domain

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8. see fig. 4.43

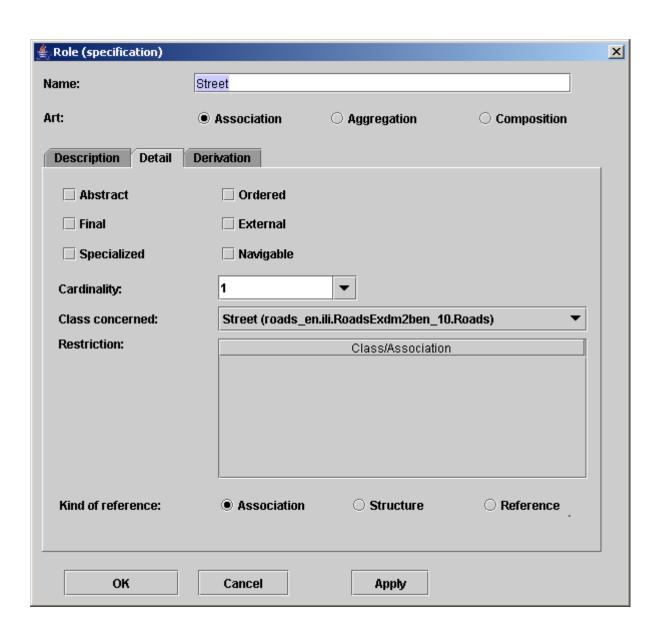


Figure 4.42: dialog – Role (tag Detail)

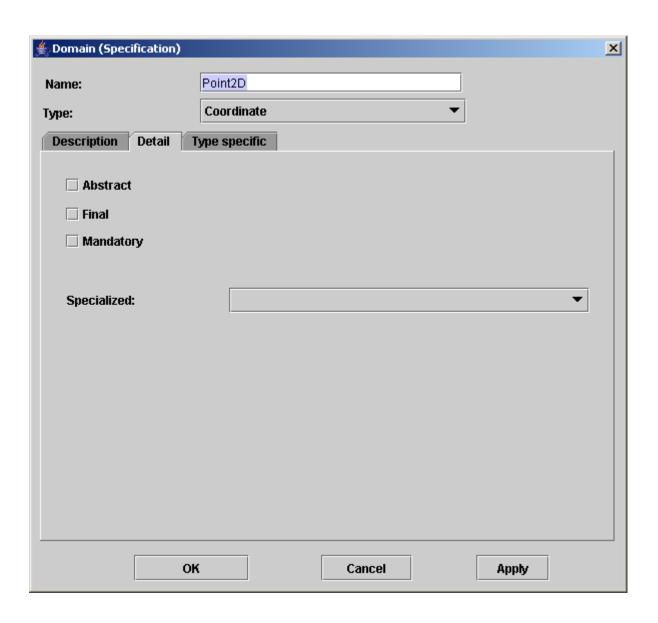


Figure 4.43: dialog – Domain

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the domain
Typ	Depending on the <i>type</i> selected it is possible to indicate special
	information in a tab (analogous see chapter 4.2.10).
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
abstract	Defines a model element as abstract or not.
final	Defines a model element as <i>final</i> or not.
Mandatory	Defines a model element as <i>Mandatory</i> or not.
Specialised	Permits the selection of a basic -domain .

## 4.2.13 Reference Systems/Symbology Baskets - Agreement

For further infe	ormation concerning rules and properties see
INTERLIS 2 -	Referencemanual 2.10. see fig. 4.44
FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the reference system/symbology basket - Agreement
Basket identification	Indication of the BID.
(BID)	
Type	Selection as symbology basket (Default) or reference system bas-
	ket.
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Definition	(see fig. 4.7)

#### 4.2.14 Unit

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.9. see fig. 4.45

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name (Abbreviation	Abbreviation of the <i>Unit</i> .
Description	Name written in full of the <i>Unit</i> .
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Depends on	Selection of dependency on another model element. This list is
	automatically generated by the UML-editor
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

## 4.2.15 Line Form Type

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.8.11.3. see fig. 4.46

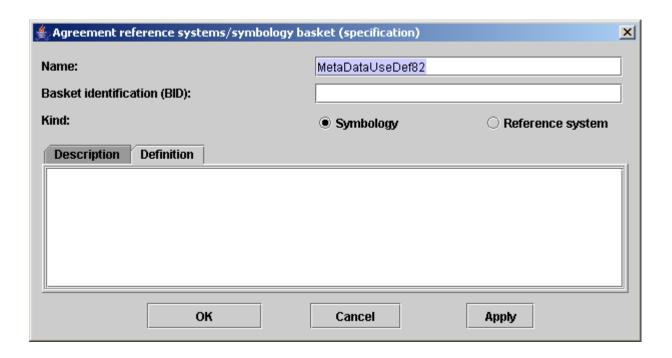


Figure 4.44: dialog – Reference systems/Symbology baskets

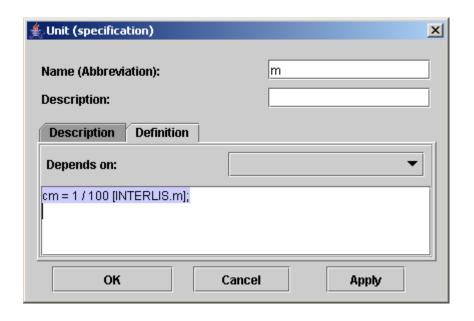


Figure 4.45: dialog – Unit

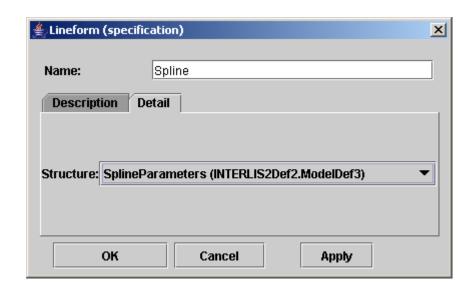


Figure 4.46: dialog – Line form

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the <i>Line form</i>
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

#### 4.2.16 Run Time Parameter

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.11. see fig. 4.47

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of Run time parameter
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

#### **4.2.17** Function

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.14. see fig. 4.48

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the function
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

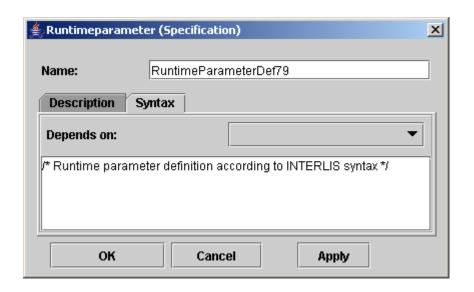


Figure 4.47: dialog – Run time parameter

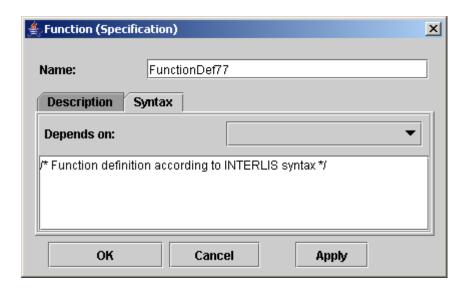


Figure 4.48: dialog – Function

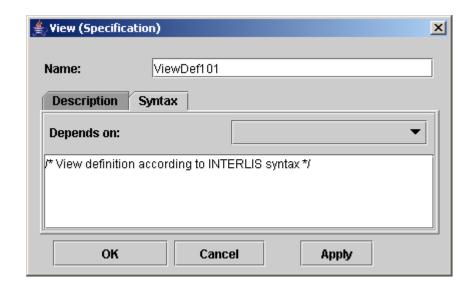


Figure 4.49: dialog – View

#### 4.2.18 View

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Referencemanual 2.15. see fig. 4.49

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the <i>view</i>
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

## **4.2.19** Graphic

For further information concerning rules and properties see INTERLIS 2 – Reference manual 2.16. see fig.  $4.50\,$ 

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
Name	Name of the graphic
Description	(see fig. 4.6).
Syntax	(see fig. 4.7).

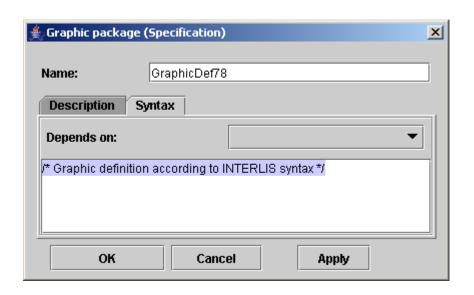


Figure 4.50: dialog – Graphic

# Appendix A

# Technical Background

The UML-editor is based entirely on the UML meta model of the Object Managment Group (OMG). Thus it is guaranteed that all models created with this UML-editor will be compatible in all respects of the UML-specification (see chapter B.1). Any upgrade of the UML-meta model design on the part of OMG should be possible with very little effort.

An INTERLIS-Plugin extends and concretizes the UML-meta model by adding IN-TERLISelements. Thus the UML-editor becomes the ideal tool for users that intend to model INTERLIS (see chapter C.1) (i.e. geomatic engineers).

The UML-editor has been entirely conceived in Java (s. http://java.sun.com). Java was considered the ideal device for this project because besides other advantages it offers the possibility to implement the object-oriented design of UML and INTERLIS. Furthermore Java is deemed platform-independent. The present release is based upon JRE 1.3, but on principle it can also be applied in improved versions of the Virtual Machine (VM).

For its greater part the model has been designed with Rational Rose (a commercial UML-editor) and then generated with a specially extended Java-Code-Generator. Thus the design will always be up-to-date with the source code.

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# Appendix B

## $\overline{\mathrm{UML}}$

OMG's Unified Modeling Language $^{\text{TM}}$ (UML) is of use when specifying, visualizing and documenting models in connection with software systems (including their structure and design).

UML can be used in business-modeling as well as in non-software-systems. In the present case UML is especially adapted to the demands of modeling of INTERLIS-data models.

### **B.1** Specification

The present version of the UML-editor is determined by the *UML Specification Version* 1.4.

It is possible to look into detailed information concerning the contents of the UML specification under http://www.omg.org/uml.

#### B.1.1 UML Meta Model

OMG makes the UML meta modell available in the form of a download .

The UML-specification in accordance with OMG is very extensive. In the present version of the UML-editor only those possibilities have been implemented with priority which are relevant within the scope of modeling with INTERLIS.

# Appendix C

## **INTERLIS**

## C.1 Specification

The present version of the UML-editor is in accordance with the *INTERLIS specification* version 2.

For more detailed information concerning this reference manual see <a href="http://www.interlis.ch">http://www.interlis.ch</a>

## C.2 INTERLIS Compiler

The INTERLIS compiler developed by *Eisenhut Informatik AG* (see chapter 2.4) on behalf of KOGIS (cf. http://www.interlis.ch) is an integrated component of the UML-editor and permits e.g. the examination of INTERLIS language definitions within an INTERLIS model (see chapter 3.1.7).

# Appendix D

## **Formats**

### D.1 UML-editor-Format

The UML-editor uses its own format for saving (see chapter 3.1.1) models with the ending .uml.

### D.2 XML-Schema

ASCII-Code nach Export of an XML-Schema (see chapter 3.1.7) into a file with suffix .XSD.

```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"</pre>
xmlns="http://www.interlis.ch/INTERLIS2.2"
targetNamespace="http://www.interlis.ch/INTERLIS2.2"
elementFormDefault="qualified" attributeFormDefault="unqualified">
    <xsd:element name="TRANSFER" type="Transfer"/>
    <xsd:complexType name="Transfer">
      <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="HEADERSECTION" type="HeaderSection"/>
        <xsd:element name="DATASECTION" type="DataSection"/>
      </xsd:sequence>
    </xsd:complexType>
    <xsd:complexType name="HeaderSection">
      <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="ALIAS" type="Alias"/>
        <xsd:element name="COMMENT" type="xsd:anyType" minOccurs="0"/>
      </xsd:sequence>
      <xsd:attribute name="VERSION" type="xsd:decimal" use="required" fixed="2.2"/>
      <xsd:attribute name="SENDER" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
```

```
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="Alias">
  <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:element name="ENTRIES" type="Entries" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
  </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="Entries">
  <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:choice maxOccurs="unbounded">
      <xsd:element name="TAGENTRY" type="Tagentry"/>
      <xsd:element name="VALENTRY" type="Valentry"/>
      <xsd:element name="DELENTRY" type="Delentry"/>
    </xsd:choice>
  </xsd:sequence>
  <xsd:attribute name="FOR" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="Tagentry">
  <xsd:attribute name="FROM" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
  <xsd:attribute name="TO" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="Valentry">
  <xsd:attribute name="ATTR" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
  <xsd:attribute name="FROM" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
  <xsd:attribute name="TO" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="Delentry">
  <xsd:attribute name="TAG" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="BasketValue">
  <xsd:attribute name="TOPIC" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
  <xsd:attribute name="KIND" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
  <xsd:attribute name="BID" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="CoordValue">
  <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:element name="C1">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
    <xsd:element name="C2" minOccurs="0">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
```

```
<xsd:element name="C3" minOccurs="0">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
  </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="ArcPoint">
 <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:element name="C1">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
    <xsd:element name="C2">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
   </xsd:element>
   <xsd:element name="C3" minOccurs="0">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
    <xsd:element name="A1">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
    <xsd:element name="A2">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
   </xsd:element>
    <xsd:element name="R">
      <xsd:simpleType>
        <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal"/>
      </xsd:simpleType>
    </xsd:element>
 </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name="RoleType">
 <xsd:simpleContent>
   <xsd:extension base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:attribute name="REF" type="xsd:string"/>
```

## D.3 INTERLIS-Compiler Configuration

Compiler configuration files use the format \*.ilc (see chapter 3.1.7).

### D.4 INTERLIS Model File

In general an INTERLIS-model file ends in .ili and contains ASCII-signs. When importing/exporting (see chapter 3.1.7) from an INTERLIS model INTERLIScode in an ASCII-file is expected as follows.

An example according to the Roads Model in see fig. 3.1):

```
\textbf{INTERLIS} 2.2;
\textbf{MODEL} ModelDef3 (de) =
  \textbf{DOMAIN}

Point2D= \textbf{COORD NUMERIC CIRCULAR, NUMERIC};
\textbf{TOPIC TOPIC} Roads =
  \textbf{CLASS} StreetAxis =
    Geometry : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} StreetAxis;
```

```
\textbf{CLASS} LandCover =
    Type : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
   Geometry : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} LandCover;
  \textbf{CLASS} PointObject =
    Type : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
   Position : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} PointObject;
  /** Position of a StreetName
  \textbf{CLASS} StreetNamePosition =
   NamPos : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
   NamOri : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} StreetNamePosition;
  \textbf{UNIT}
   PI / 180 [rad]
  \textbf{CLASS} Street =
    Name : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} Street;
  \textbf{ASSOCIATION} StreetNamePositionAssoc =
   StreetNamePosition -- {0..*} StreetNamePosition;
    Street -- {1} Street;
  \textbf{END} StreetNamePositionAssoc;
  \textbf{ASSOCIATION} StreetAxisAssoc =
   Street -- {1} Street;
   StreetAxis -- {9223372036854775807..*} StreetAxis;
  \textbf{END} StreetAxisAssoc;
\textbf{END TOPIC} Roads;
\textbf{TOPIC TOPIC} RoadsExtended =
  \textbf{CLASS} PointObjectExtended
  \textbf{EXTENDS} ModelDef3.\textbf{TOPIC} Roads.PointObject =
  \textbf{END} PointObjectExtended;
  \textbf{CLASS} StreetAxisExtended
  \textbf{EXTENDS} ModelDef3.\textbf{TOPIC} Roads.StreetAxis =
```

```
Precision : \textbf{TEXT*}20;
  \textbf{END} StreetAxisExtended;
  \textbf{END TOPIC} RoadsExtended;
  \textbf{END} ModelDef3.
```

# Appendix E

# Country-Specific Differences

Depending on the country or region there are different names for the same technical term. All texts (strings) concerning the UML-editor are stored in so-called *ressource-files* (with the ending .property). This bears the advantage, that the terms used in the UML-editor can be altered without having to recompile the entire program. This is why it may be possible that e.g. field names differ from the ones printed in this manual.

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