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THINGS TO DO

Consider whether map of Shrewsbury station can be constructed

Consider what patches are necessary to bring the references to scout/donald/eden up-to-date line attributes M2 p3

T1 latest status of jugs: prototyping from the model

Discussion points

M1.4 p5 what is state, distinction between position of vehicle and length of vehicle constant as in "unalterable by agent"

M2 p1 possible interpretations of state
direct metaphor
instrument style representation
(how is interacting with a keyboard related to the notes generated?)

M2 p4 mode of definition / levels of abstraction

M2 p6 object rather than observation as primitive

M3 p4 actions vs definitions in EDEN - in what sense are they equivalent? conditional definitions: a is x*b+(1-x)*c spurious cyclicity of conditional definitions?

Th 1 comparison between PASCAL and ADM etc: why superuser significant?

Th2 and F1 consider revision

Th pm: notes on case-studies would be useful Beetles - Society of Mind Billiards - RR#260 Sailboat - BCTCS 10

F1 improve commentary at end

Deal with more issues at beginning / introduce into Th 2

events
higher-order definitions
hierarchical agents
definitive assembler
translation
exploratory modelling
admira
parallel implementation prospects
extensions of LSD e.g. consider role

Themes

empirical modelling -> developing skills, instruments, theories

Seminars

Minsky Society of Mind reference

Fict slides

Organise some slides to accompany the seminars: look over OXO slides

Administration

Prepare bibliography for the EM project

Attach to the IBM paper 92

Identify relevant new papers for discussion: VF95, IEE95, PPG95

Check the www info

Jeff's historic railway accident model?

Move Richard's DW to the public directory

Exercise

Implement patience or (the Acorn) clock?