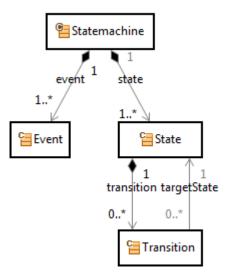


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Code Snippet

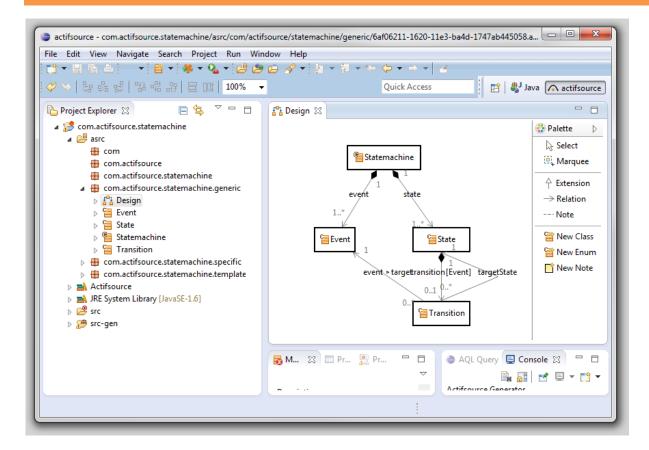
Tutorial	Actifsource Tutorial – Code Snippet
Required Time Prerequisites	 120 Minutes Actifsource Tutorial – Installing Actifsource Actifsource Tutorial – Simple Service Actifsource Tutorial – Complex Service
Goal	 Actifsource Tutorial – Statemachine Add conditional expression to a transition Add code as an action to a transition which will be executed together with the transition
Topics covered	Code Snippet EditorCode templates to generate code from code snippets
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• Create a meta-model for <u>Statemachine</u>, instantiate <u>Statemachine</u> and write a code template to generate a simple implementation of your <u>Statemachines</u> in C++ as seen in the Actifsource Tutorial – Statemachine



- Add a Code Snippets with conditional expressions to Transition
- Create a Domain Diagram for an instance of <u>Statemachine</u> and show the conditions for <u>Transitions</u> in the diagram
- Generate code for <u>Statemachines</u> that checks the associated condition before executing a transition
- Add a Code Snippet with an action to <u>Transition</u> and generate code that executes the action together with the state transition

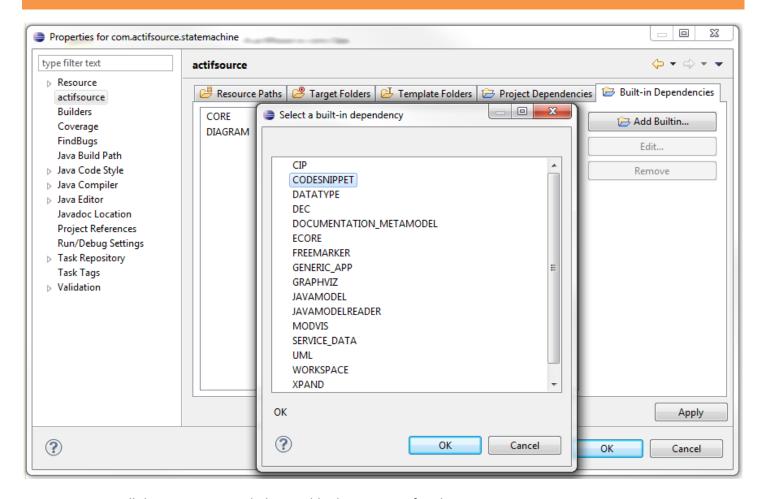
Preparation



Setup a project com.actifsource.statemachine with a meta-model for <u>Statemachine</u>, create two instances of <u>Statemachine</u> and implement a code template for <u>Statemachine</u> as seen in the <u>Actifsource Tutorial – Statemachine</u>:

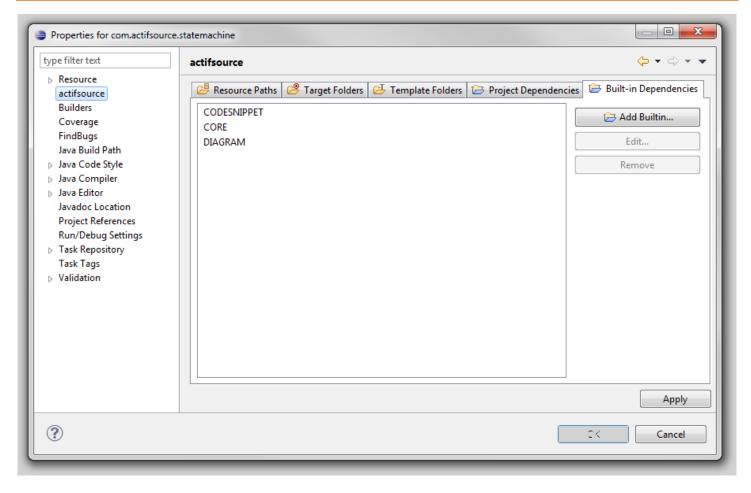
- Prepare a new **Actifsource Project** com.actifsource.statemachine
- ♥ Create a meta-model for Statemachine
- Create two instances of type <u>Statemachine</u>, namely <u>Statemachine1</u> and <u>Statemachine2</u>
- Write a code template <u>StatemachineImpl</u> for the type <u>Statemachine</u>
- Use the package structure shown above

Implement conditional transitions

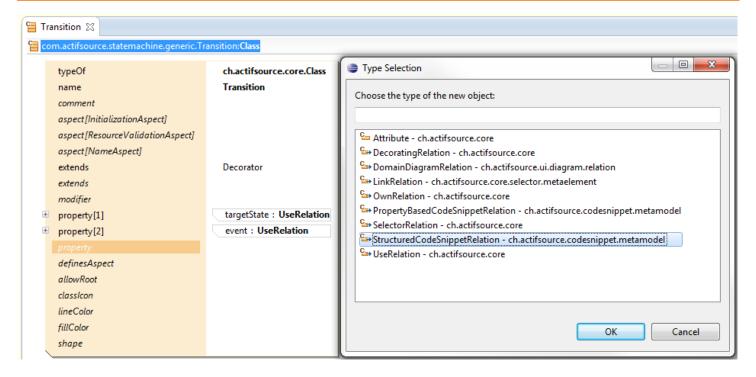


First, we import all the resources needed to enable the support of Code Snippets in our project:

- Select the project com.actifsource.statemachine and choose **Project->Properties** from the main menu
- 🤝 In the properties dialog choose actifsource and go the Built-in Dependencies tab
- ♦ Click on Add Builtin
- In the dialog **Select a built-in dependency** choose **CODESNIPPET** and click on **OK**



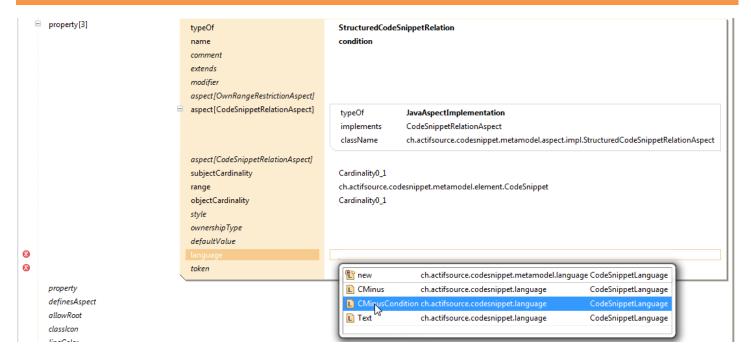
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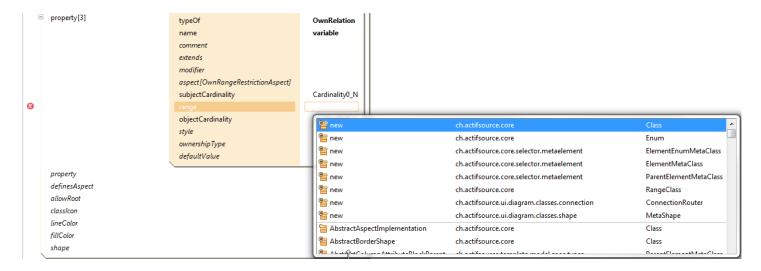
We add a Code Snippet relation to class Transition:

- ♥ Open the class <u>Transition</u> in the Resource Editor
- ♦ Add a (third) property to the class
- Choose <u>StructuredCodeSnippetRelation</u> in the dialog **Type Selection**

Implement conditional transitions



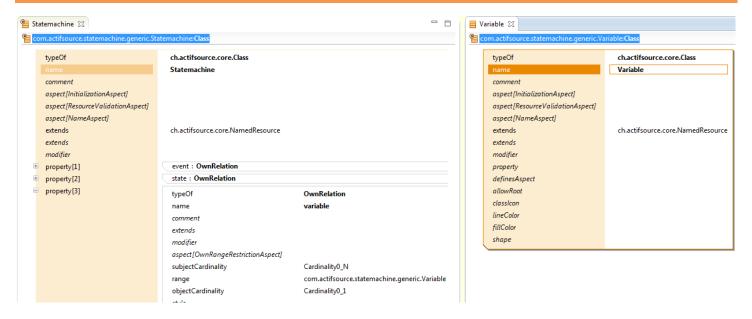
- ♦ Insert condition as name of the relation
- Create a new CodeSnippetRelationAspect as shown above
- Choose Cardinality0 1 as subjectCardinality and as objectCardinality
- Create a new language statement by calling the Content Assist and choosing CMinusCondition



We add a new OwnRelation called variable to the class Statemachine:

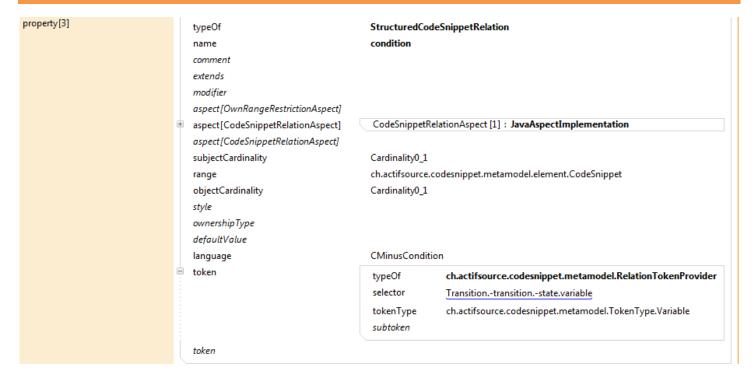
- ♥ Open Transition in the ResourceEditor
- Add a new property and choose OwnRelation in the Type Selection dialog
- Insert variable as the name of the relation
- Choose new ch.actifsource.core.Class as the range with the support of the Content Assist

Implement conditional transitions



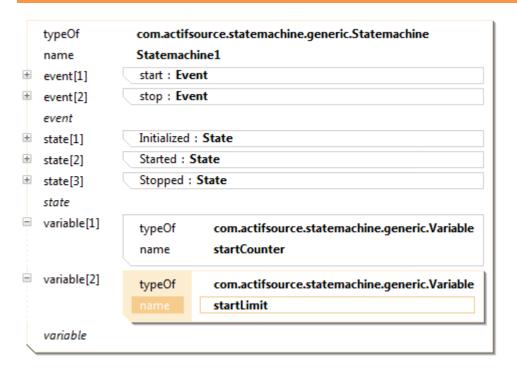
♦ Insert Variable as name of the newly created class, which is opened automatically in the Resource Editor

Implement conditional transitions



A conditional expression for a <u>Transition</u> should be able to use all <u>Variables</u> that are owned by the <u>Statemachine</u> of the Transition as variables:

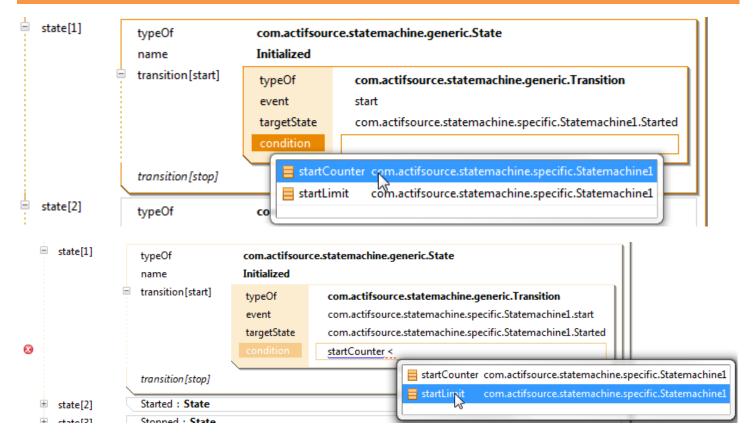
- ♥ Insert a RelationTokenProvider
- Define the Selector <u>Transition.-transition.-state.counter</u> which selects all <u>Variables</u> that are owned by the Statemachine of the Transition
- Choose ch.actifsource.codesnippet.metamodel.TokenType.Variable as tokenType



We add a condition to the state transition triggered by the event <u>start</u> that restricts the number of times the <u>Statemachine</u> can switch to the <u>State Started</u>:

- ♥ Open the instance <u>Statemachine1</u> in the ResourceEditor
- Add two statements for <u>variable</u> to <u>Statemachine1</u>
- ♦ Choose startCounter as the name of the first and startLimit as the name of the second <u>Variable</u>

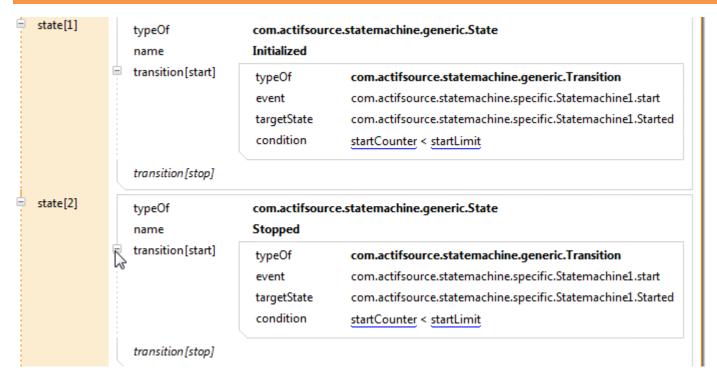
Implement conditional transitions



We add a conditional expression to the state transition triggered by the **Event start** in the **State Initialized**:

- \mbox{arphi} Open the state <code>Initialized</code> in the Resource Editor and then open its <code>Transition</code> <code>start</code>
- Open the Code Snippet Editor by selecting the relation condition and pressing Enter
- Second content Assist in the Code Snippet Editor and choose startCounter
- Enter ' < ' in the Code Snippet Editor and call the Content Assist again</p>
- Choose <u>startLimit</u> in the **Content Assist**

Implement conditional transitions

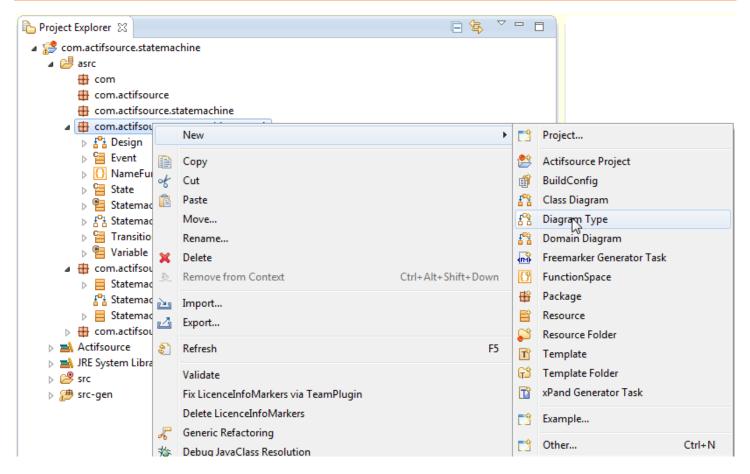


We enforce that the <u>Statemachine</u> can only switch a maximum of <u>startLimit</u> times to the <u>State Started</u> by adding the same conditional expression also to the <u>Transition</u> triggered by the <u>Event start</u> in the <u>State Stopped</u>:

Enter the conditional expression in the same way as on the previous page

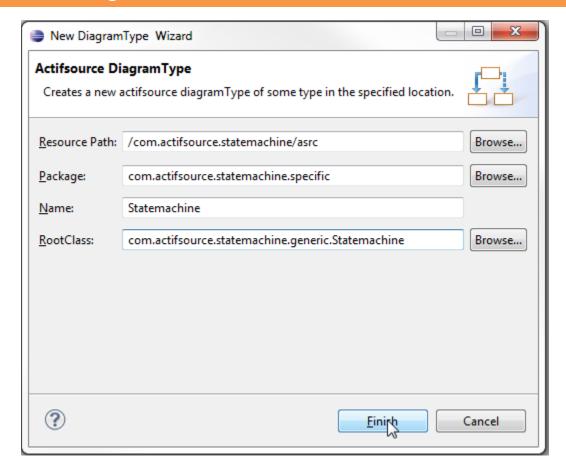
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Create a Domain Diagram

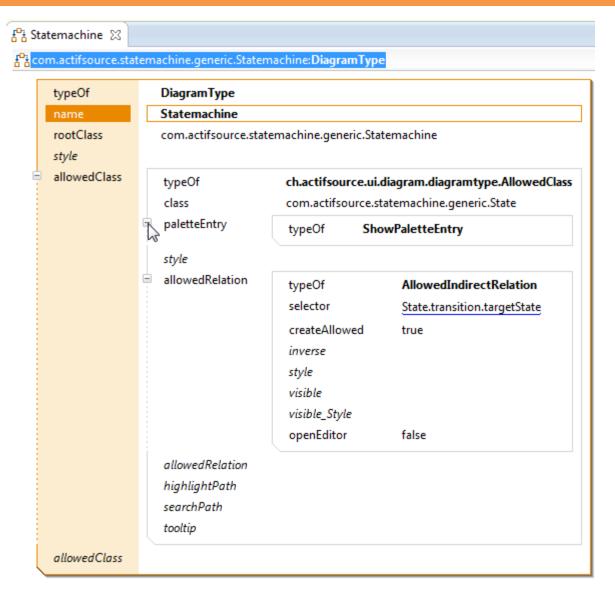


We create a new Diagram Type called Statemachine in order to define properties of Domain Diagrams of Statemachines:

Select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic and choose New -> Diagram Type

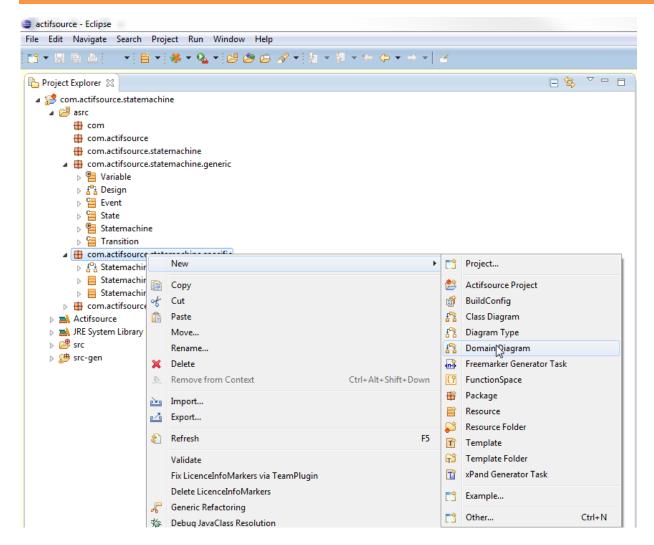


- 🖔 Enter Statemachine as name for the newly created DiagramType in the New DiagramType Wizard
- Choose <u>com.actifsource.statemachine.generic.Statemachine</u> as <u>RootClass</u>



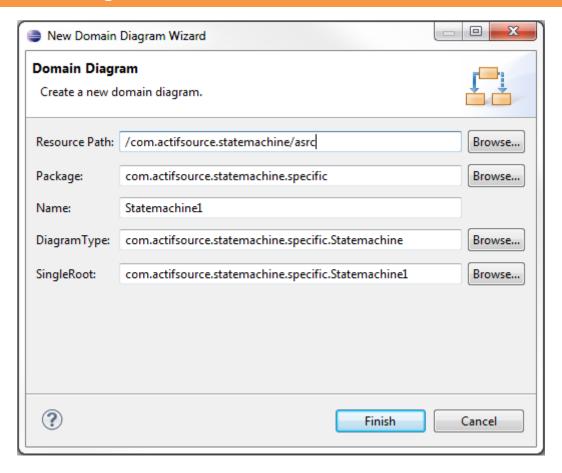
- Define allowedClass as com.actifsource.statemachine.generic.State
- Choose ShowPaletteEntry as paletteEntry
- ♦ Insert an <u>allowedRelation</u> of type <u>AllowedIndirectRelation</u> with selector <u>State.transition.targetState</u>

Create a Domain Diagram

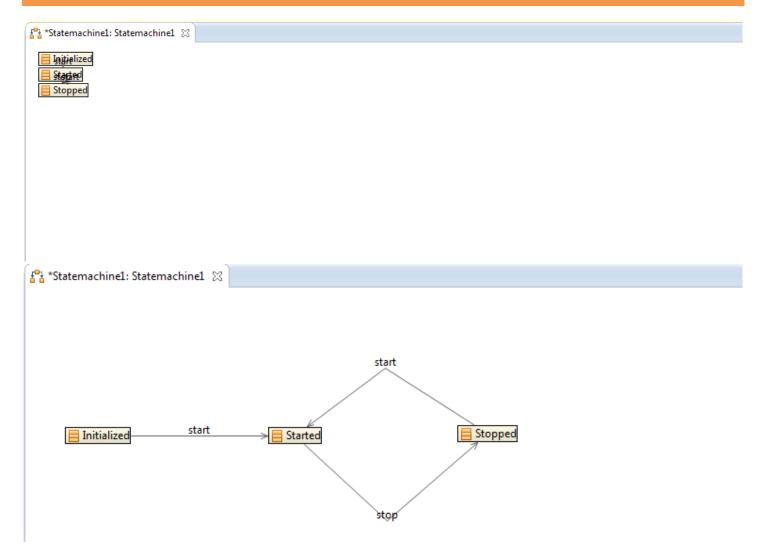


Now we create a new Domain Diagram for <u>Statemachine1</u> based on the newly created Diagram Type:

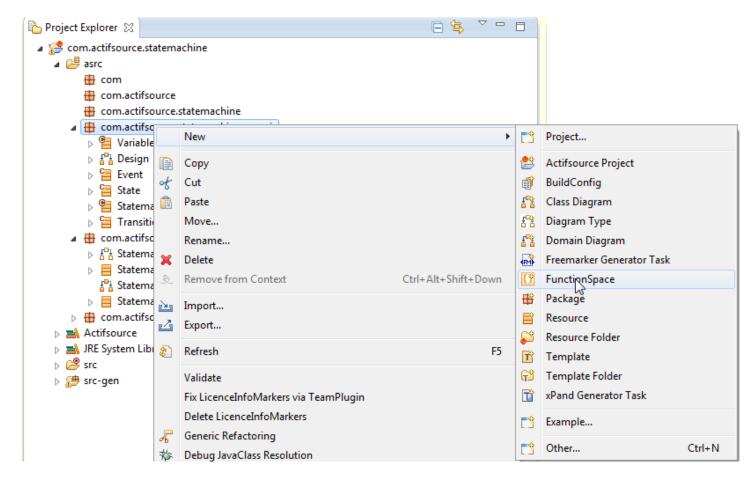
🔖 Select com.actifsource.statemachine.specific and choose New -> Domain Diagram



Check the chosen settings in the open dialog and click **Finish**

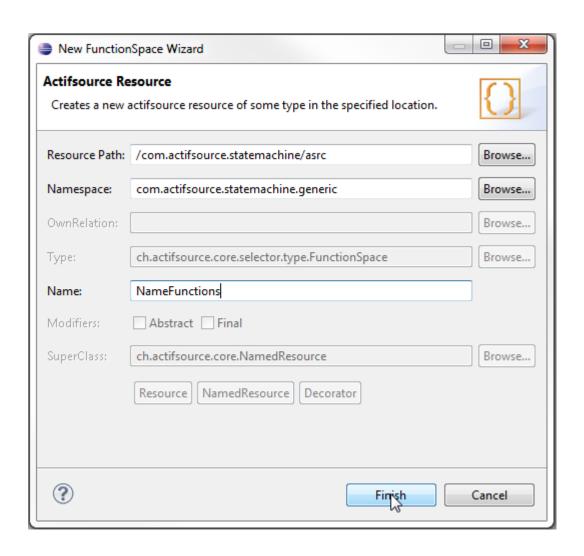


Choose **Select** in the **Palette** of the Diagram Editor and arrange the <u>States</u> such that all transitions are visible

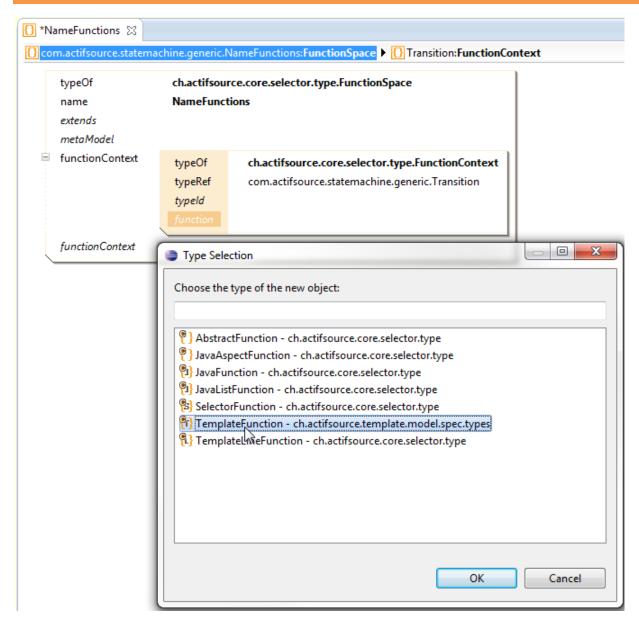


Next, we will see how to display the conditional expressions associated with a <u>Transition</u> in the Domain Diagram. First, we create a function that generates the displayed text from the conditional expression:

Select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic and choose New -> FunctionSpace

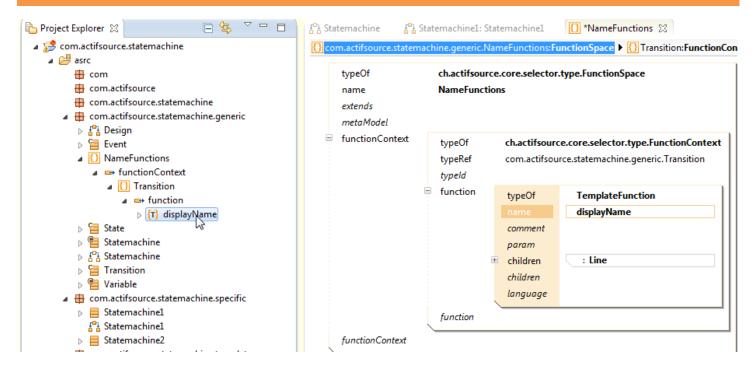


Enter NameFunctions as name of the FunctionSpace

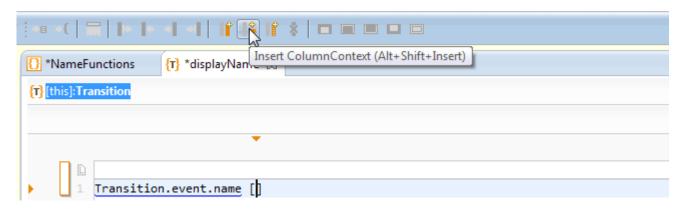


- Create a new FunctionContext with typeRef com.actifsource.statemachine.generic.Transition
- Create a new function in the FunctionContext and choose TemplateFunction in the Type Selection dialog

Create a Domain Diagram



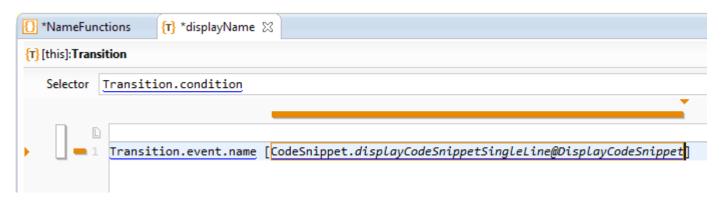
- Enter displayName as name of the TemplateFunction
- Open the <u>TemplateFunction</u> in the Template Function Editor by double-clicking on <u>displayName</u> in the Project Explorer



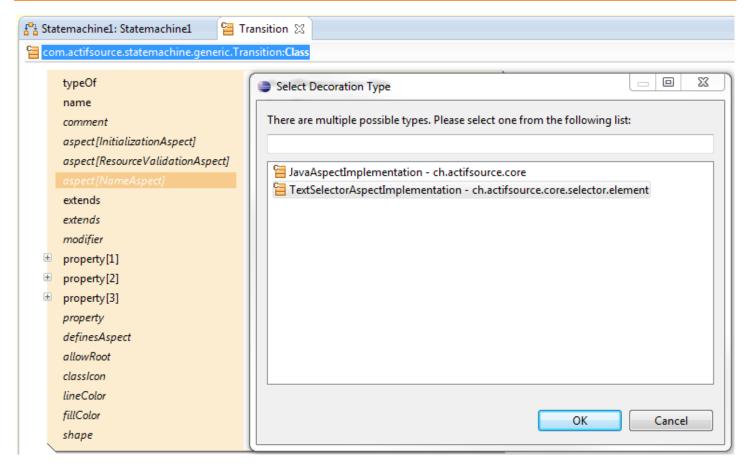
The function should display the name of the event triggering the <u>Transition</u> and in brackets the conditional expression if there is one:

- 🖔 Enter <u>Transition.event.name</u> in the TemplateEditor followed by '[]'
- Place the cursor inside the brackets and choose Insert ColumnContext from the menu

Create a Domain Diagram

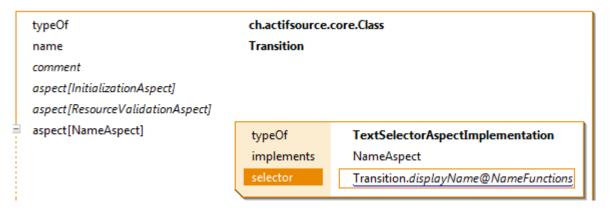


- Choose <u>Transition.condition</u> as selector for the column context
- Enter <u>CodeSnippet.displayCodeSnippetSingleLine@DisplayCodeSnippet</u> in the column context. This function outputs a string that represents the expression in the Code Snippet as entered by the user, i.e., without parsing or processing it

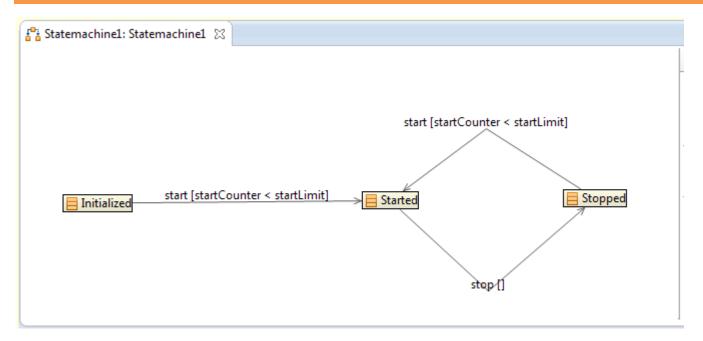


We will use the newly created function <u>displayName</u> to define a <u>NameAspect</u> for <u>Transitions</u>:

Create a <u>NameAspect</u> with the Content Assist and choose <u>TextSelectorAspectImplementation</u> in the **Select Decoration Type** dialog



Enter Transition.displayName@NameFunction as selector of the <u>NameAspect</u>, i.e., the name of the <u>Transition</u> will be the output of the function we have defined before



Open the <u>Statemachine1</u> Domain Diagram again and check that the <u>Transitions</u> are now displayed with their name including the conditional expressions as specified above

Part III: 30

Generate code for conditional transitions

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           Build.allStatemachine
               Statemachine.nameImpl.hpp
                  class Statemachine.nameImpl
                  private:
                        State.name,
                      } m aState;
                  public:
                    void Event.name()
                      switch(m_aState)
                        case State.name:
                         m aState = Transition.targetState.name;
               18 };
```

In this part, we will extend the template StatemachineImpl as implemented in the Actifsource Tutorial – Statemachine such that the statemachine executes a state transition only if the associated condition is fulfilled:

♦ Open the template <u>StatemachineImpl</u> in the Template Editor

Generate code for conditional transitions

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Selector Transition.condition

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class Statemachine.nameImpl

f state.name,

h m_aState;

public:

wid Event.name()

satisform.condition.targetState.name;

m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;

break;

}

m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;

break;

}

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m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;

break;

}

**Statemachine.nameImpl

**State.name;

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```

We write an if-statement with the conditional expression associated with a <u>Transition</u> as condition:

Insert a new Line Context and write the selector Transition.condition for the newly created context

Generate code for conditional transitions

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▼StatemachineImpl 

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   Selector Transition.condition
                    Statemachine.nameImpl.hpp
                    1 class Statemachine.nameImpl
                    3 private:
                             State.name,
                           } m_aState;
                      public:
                        void Event.name()
                           switch(m_aState)
                             case State.name:
                            if (CodeSnippet.toC@CodeSnippetToCode)
                                 m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;
                             break;
                   21 };
```

- Write an if-statement in the new line context and insert a call to the function toC@CodeSnippetToCode on the CodeSnippet available in the this context as condition of the if-statement
- Add opening and closing braces around the existing assignment expression

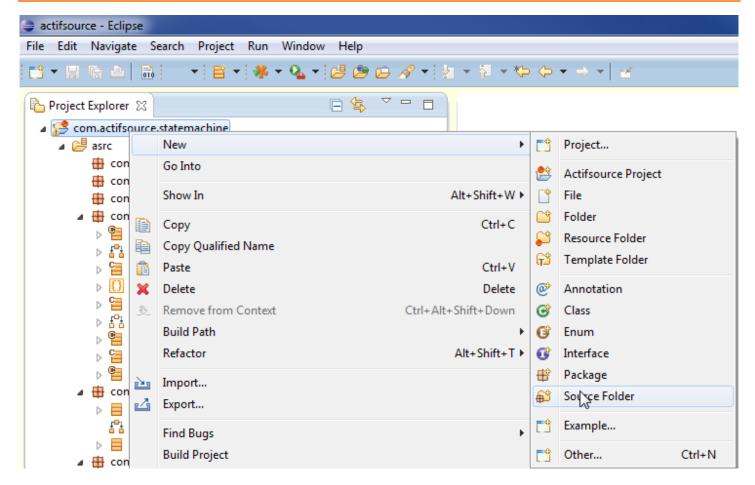
```
🖟 Statemachine2Impl.hpp 🔀
void start()
                                                           void open()
  switch(m_aState)
                                                             switch(m_aState)
    case Initialized:
                                                               case Initialized:
      if (startCounter < startLimit)</pre>
                                                                   m_aState = Opened;
        m_aState = Started;
                                                               break;
    break;
                                                               case Closed:
    case Stopped:
                                                                   m_aState = Opened;
      if (startCounter < startLimit)</pre>
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        m aState = Started;
                                                               break;
    break;
                                                           void close()
void stop()
                                                             switch(m_aState)
  switch(m_aState)
                                                               case Opened:
    case Started:
                                                                   m aState = Closed;
        m_aState = Stopped;
                                                               break;
    break;
```

Open the generated files Statemachine1Impl.hpp (overwritten) and Statemachine2Impl.hpp (unchanged) and inspect the changes.

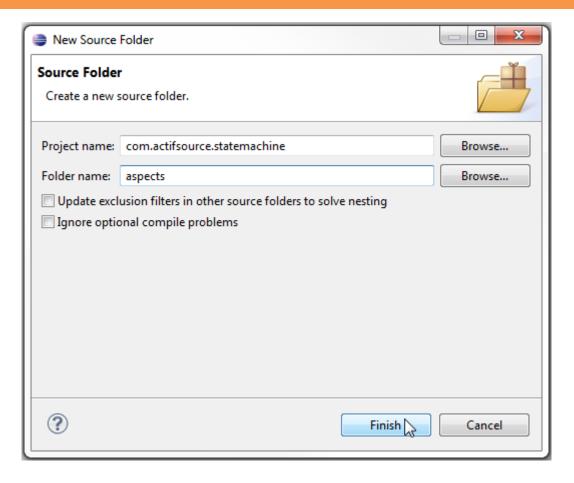
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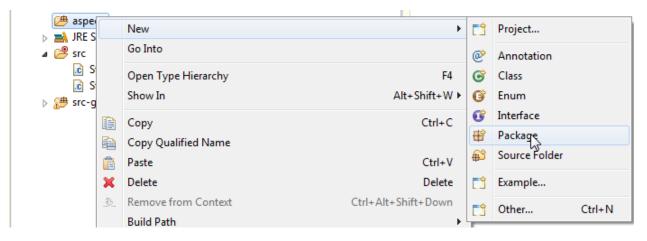
Customized variable names

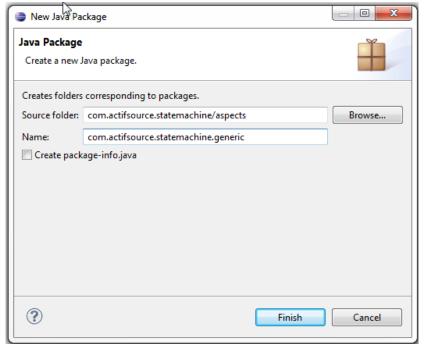
- ① The built-in template functions that we used so far generate the name of variables (and also functions) by calling simple name on the corresponding resource
- ① In this part we will change the generated variable names by adding a prefix to the variable names according to our naming convention



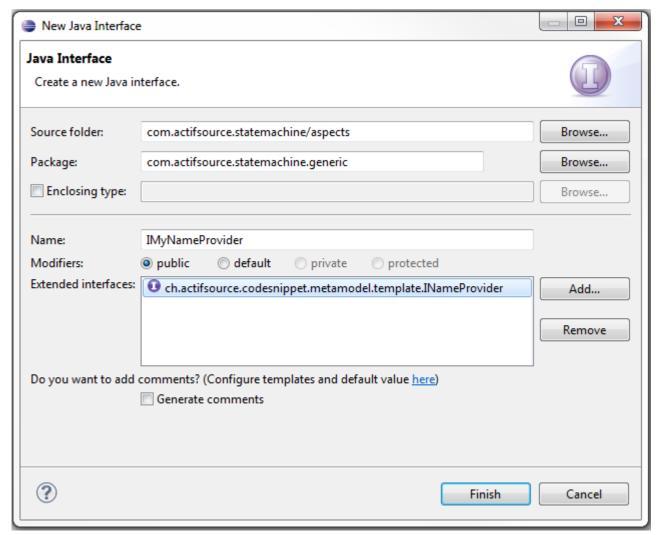
Create a new Java source folder: select the project com.actifsource.statemachine and choose New -> Source Folder from the menu



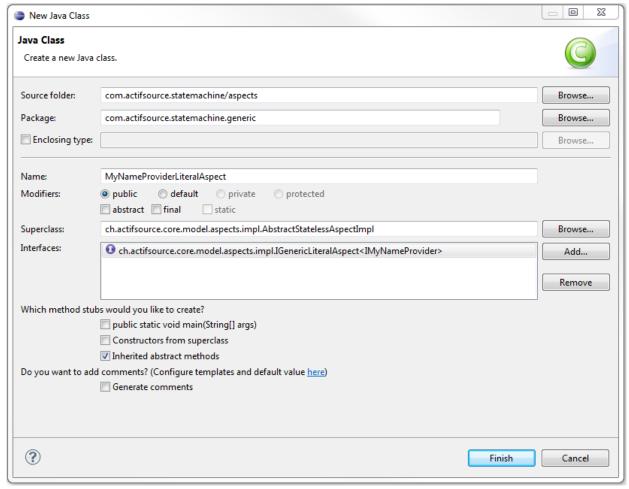




Create a new package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic in the aspects folder: select the aspects folder and choose New -> Package from the menu



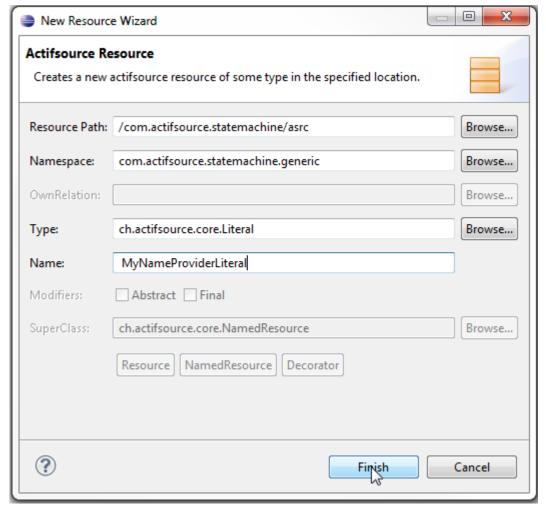
- Select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic in the folder aspects and choose **New -> Interface** from the menu
- ♥ Write IMyNameProvider as name of the new interface
- \$ Choose ch.actifsource.codesnippet.metamodel.template.INameProvider as **Extended interface**



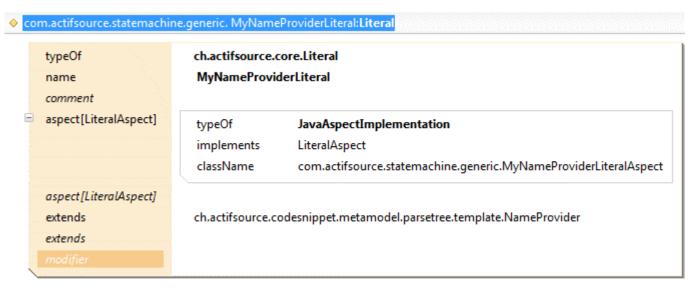
- Select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic in the folder aspects and choose **New -> Class** from the menu
- ♥ Write MyNameProviderLiteralAspect as name of the new class
- Choose ch.actifsource.core.model.aspects.impl.AbstractStatelessAspectImpl as Superclass
- \$ Choose ch.actifsource.core.model.aspects.impl.IGenericLiteralAspect<IMyNameProvider> as Interface
- Strain Click Finish

```
IMyNameProvider.java
    package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic;
  import ch.actifsource.core.INode;
    import ch.actifsource.core.Literal;
    import ch.actifsource.core.job.IReadJobExecutor;
    import ch.actifsource.core.model.aspects.impl.AbstractStatelessAspectImpl;
    import ch.actifsource.core.model.aspects.impl.IGenericLiteralAspect;
    import ch.actifsource.core.scope.IResourceScope;
    public class MyNameProviderLiteralAspect extends AbstractStatelessAspectImpl
            implements IGenericLiteralAspect<IMyNameProvider> {
        @Override
        public boolean allowMultiline() {
            return false;
        @Override
        public String isValid(IReadJobExecutor arg0, IResourceScope arg1,
                String arg2) {
            return null;
        @Override
        public Literal create(IMyNameProvider arg0) {
            return new Literal(arg0.toString()) ;
        @Override
        public String getJavaConstructionExpression(IReadJobExecutor arg0,
                IResourceScope arg1, INode arg2) {
            return null;
        @Override
        public IMyNameProvider getValue(IReadJobExecutor arg0, IResourceScope arg1,
                INode arg2) {
            return null;
        @Override
        public Class<IMyNameProvider> getValueType() {
            return IMyNameProvider.class;
```

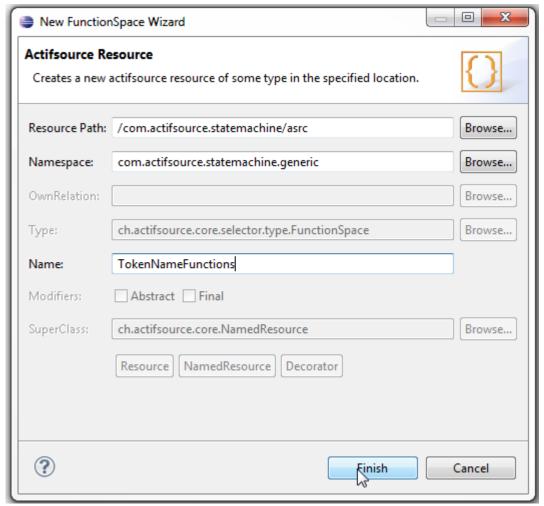
- ⋄ In the newly created class remove all TODO comments
- Write the statement return MyNameProvider.class; in the method getValueType()
- ♥ Write the statement return new Literal(arg0.toString());



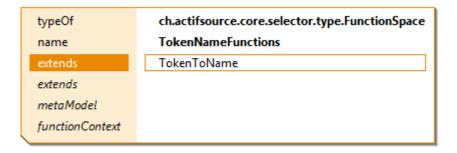
- Create a new <u>Literal</u> type: select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic in the folder asrc and choose **New -> Resource** from the menu
- Choose the type ch.actifsource.core.Literal as **Type** of the new <u>Resource</u>
- Write MyNameProviderLiteral as Name of the new Resource



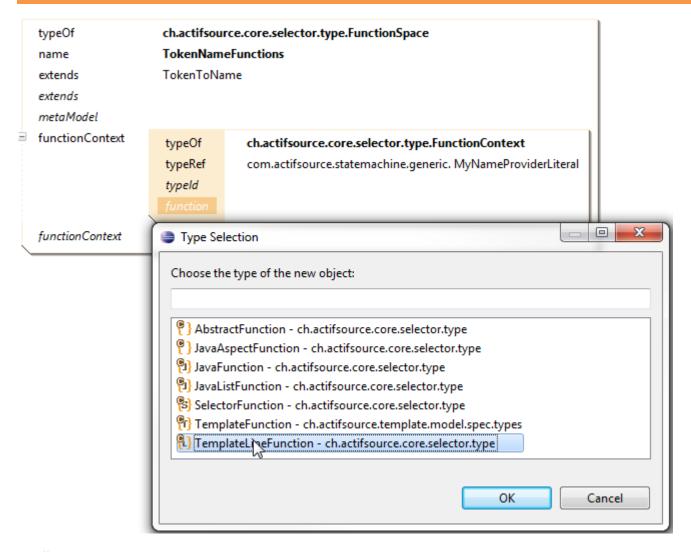
- ♥ Open the new <u>Literal</u> in the Resource Editor
- Create a <u>LiteralAspect</u> with type <u>JavaAspectImplementation</u> and choose the class com.actifsource.statemachine.generic.MyNameProviderLiteralAspect as <u>className</u>
- Let the MyNameProviderLiteral extend ch.actifsource.codesnippet.metamodel.parsetree.template.NameProvider, which is the default NameProvider and generates names by calling simpleName@BuiltIn



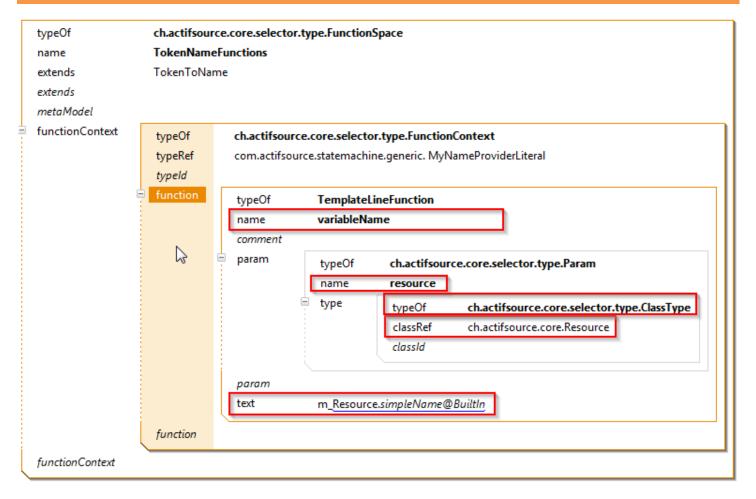
- Create a new <u>FunctionSpace</u>: Select the package com.actifsource.statemachine.generic in the asrc folder and choose **New -> FunctionSpace**
- ♦ Insert TokenNameFunctions as the name of the <u>FunctionSpace</u> and click Finish



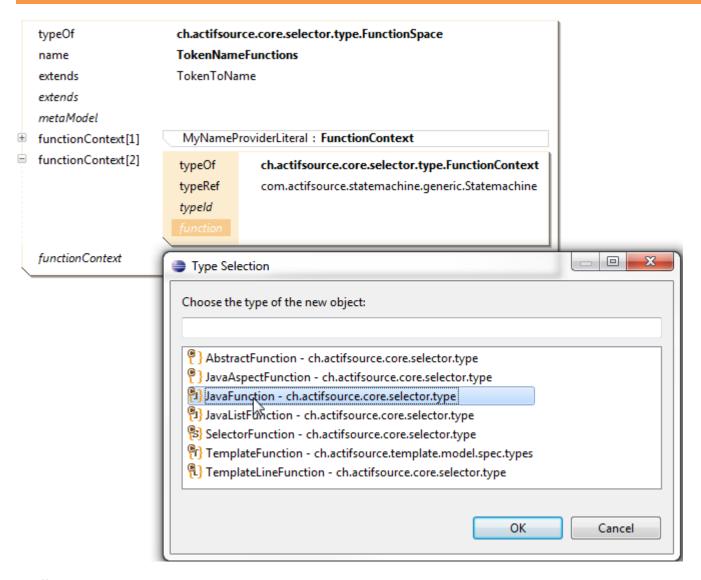
Let the new FunctionSpace TokenNameFunctions extend from TokenToName



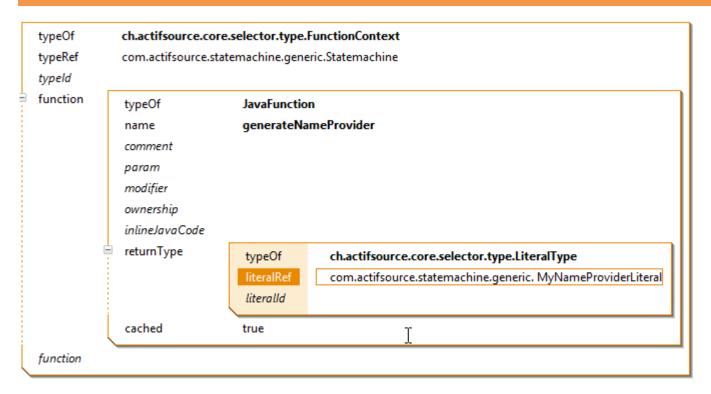
- Open the <u>FunctionSpace</u> TokenNameFunctions in the Resource Editor
- Create a new <u>FunctionContext</u> with <u>typeRef MyNameProviderLiteral</u>
- Create a new function and choose <u>TemplateLineFunction</u> from the **Type Selection** dialog



- Insert variableName as the name of the new TemplateLineFunction
- Create a parameter Param of type ClassType and with classRef ch.actifsource.core.Resource
- Insert m_Resource.simpleName@BuiltIn as text, i.e., the function appends the prefix "m_" to the output of Resource.simpleName@Builtin
- (i) Warning: Please choose the exact function name for variableName or functionName since these functions are overwritten



- Create a new <u>FunctionContext</u> with <u>typeRef</u> <u>Statemachine</u>
- Create a new function and choose <u>JavaFunction</u> from the **Type Selection** dialog

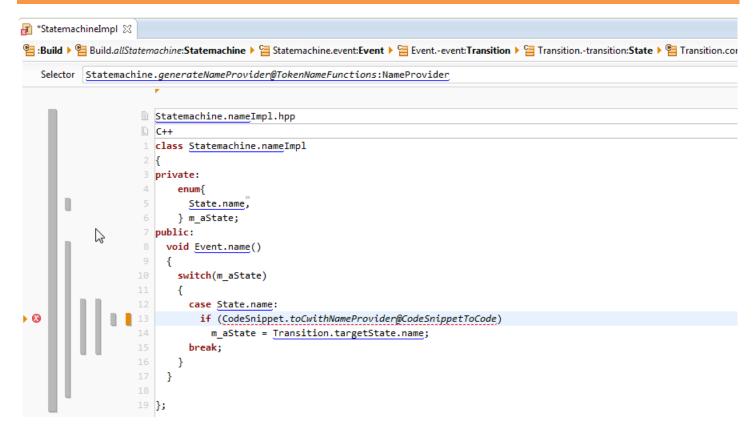


- ♦ Insert generateNameProvider as name of the function
- Create a statement <u>returnType</u> of type <u>LiteralType</u> with <u>literalRef</u> <u>MyNameProviderLiteral</u>

- Save the <u>FunctionSpace</u> <u>TokenNameFunctions</u>
- 🖔 Open the newly generated file TokenNameFunctions.java in the Java Editor
- Write the statement return new IMyNameProvider() {} inside the protected region in the method body of the method generateNameProvider
- Save the file

Customized variable names

- ♦ Open the template <u>StatemachineImpl</u> in the Template Editor
- Insert a new LineContext on the line after the case expressions
- ⇔ Choose <u>Transition.condition</u> as the selector of the new context



- ♦ Insert a new <u>LineContext</u> on the same line
- Choose <u>Statemachine.generateNameProvider@TokenNameFunctions:NameProvider</u> as selector of the new context
- Write an if-statement with CodeSnippetToCode
- Note that there is an error on the edited line because the parameter to the function cannot be resolved

```
Selector
       CodeSnippet:CodeSnippet
                     Statemachine.nameImpl.hpp
                       class Statemachine.nameImpl
                       private:
                           enum{
                             State.name,
                           } m_aState;
                       public:
                         void Event.name()
                           switch(m_aState)
                             case State.name:
                                if (CodeSnippet.toCwithNameProvider@CodeSnippetToCode)
                                 m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;
                             break;
                    21 };
```

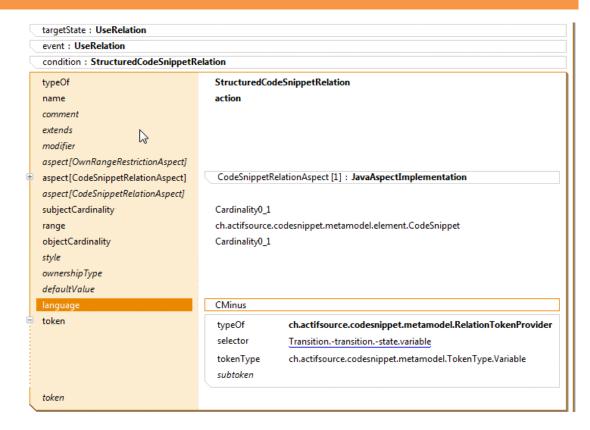
- Insert a new line context on the same line and choose <u>CodeSnippet:CodeSnippet</u> (This dummy context allows Actifsource to correctly and automatically resolve the parameter to the function from the contexts)
- Save the template and make sure that the code is generated

Open the file Statemachine1Impl.hpp and check that the variable names have been generated with the defined prefix "m_"

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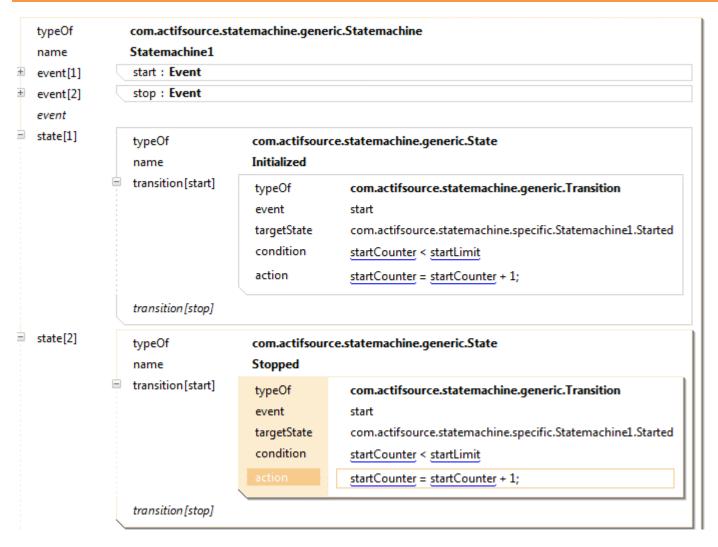
Implement actions for transitions





In this part, we will see how to add an action to a transition. We add the code corresponding to the action as a Code Snippet to the model. This code will be executed together with the transition:

- 🔖 Open the class Transition in the Resource Editor and add a Code Snippet relation as already seen in Part II
- Insert action as name of the <u>StructuredCodesnippetRelation</u>, choose <u>subjectCardinality</u> and <u>objectCardinality</u>
 Cardinality 1
- Create a RelationTokenProvider with selector Transition.-transition.-state.variable and tokenType Variable
- ♦ Choose the language CMinus



We will now increment the <u>startCounter</u> each time that we switch to the <u>State Started</u>:

- Open <u>Statemachine1</u> in the Resource Editor
- Add an action to the <u>State Initialized</u> and insert the code <u>startCounter</u> = <u>startCounter</u> + 1; into the Code Snippet_Editor
- Add an action to the <u>State Stopped</u> and insert the code <u>startCounter</u> = <u>startCounter</u> + 1; into the Code Snippet Editor

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- Open the template <u>StatemachineImpl</u> in the Template Editor
- Choose <u>Transition.action</u> as the selector of the state (to insert code for <u>Transitions</u> which have an <u>action</u> defined)
- Solution to Cwith Name Provider @Code Snippet To Code on the Code Snippet in the new line context
- Note that there is an inconsistency because we have not yet added a <u>NameProvider</u> to our contexts which can be used as the parameter to the function

```
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🖺 🕨 🖺 🕨 🚰 Event.-event: Transition 🕨 🚰 Transition.-transition: State 🕨 🐫 Transition.action: Code Snippet 🕨 🛇 Statemachine. generate Name Provider @ Token Na
   Selector Statemachine.generateNameProvider@TokenNameFunctions:NameProvider
                         Statemachine.nameImpl.hpp
                           class Statemachine.nameImpl
                           private:
                                  State.name,
                                } m aState;
                           public:
                              void Event.name()
                                switch(m_aState)
                                  case State.name:
                                    if (CodeSnippet.toCwithNameProvider@CodeSnippetToCode)
                                       m_aState = Transition.targetState.name;
                                       CodeSnippet.toCwithNameProvider@CodeSnippetToCode
                       CodeSnippet:CodeSnippet:CodeSnippet
```

- Add a new line context on the same line as before and choose

 <u>Statemachine.generateNameProvider@TokenNameFunctions:NameProvider</u> as selector of the context
- Add another line context on the same line and choose the selector <u>CodeSnippet:CodeSnippet</u> (needed for the parameter matching)
- Save the template and make sure that the code in Statemachine1Impl.hpp is generated and overwritten

```
void start()
{
    switch(m_aState)
    {
        case Initialized:
            if (m_startCounter < m_startLimit)
            {
                  m_aState = Started;
                  m_startCounter = m_startCounter + 1;
            }
            break;
        case Stopped:
        if (m_startCounter < m_startLimit)
        {
                  m_aState = Started;
                 m_startCounter < m_startLimit)
        }
        break;
        }
        break;
    }
}</pre>
```

- Open the file Statemachine1Impl.hpp and check that the code that increments the counter has been correctly inserted
- ① Complete the generated classes by adding a member function initialize() and the missing variables (and probably adding the cases for the missing enumeration values to make the compiler happy).

