

# Esperanto, Polyglot, or Babel

## The Future of Design Languages

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# Bicycle Evolution



Drasine  
1820



Velocipede/Boneshaker  
1860



Penny-farthing  
1870



Safety Bicycle  
1880

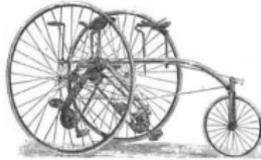
# State of the Art in 1887



9. Otto-Bicycle.



4. Monocycle.



14. Renn-Tandem-Triecyle „Invincible“.



3. Touren-Bicycle „Leipzig“.



10. Manuped.



6. Renn-Bicycle „Invincible“.



12. Sicherheits-Bicycle „Rover“.



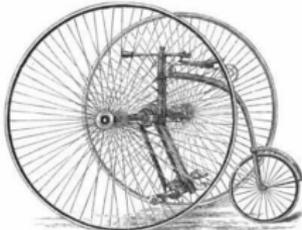
8. Saal-Bicycle.



2. Tandem-Triecyle von Humber u. Comp.



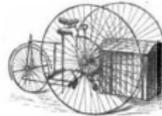
11. Reitmaschine nach Freiherrn von Drais.



13. Humber-Triecyle.



5. „Soziale“ für 2 Personen, verwandelbar in ein Triecyle.



7. Gepäck-Transport-Draisrad.



1. Touren-Triecyle „Invincible“.

## The 1970s



## 2000: Rear-Suspension Bikes



# Hardware Description Languages

M

CDL

DDL

ISP

PMS

AHPL

HILO

ELLA

ISPS

KARL

ZEUS

UDL/I

SPICE

CONLAN

DACAPO III

VHDL

Verilog

Vera

Lava

SpecC

Esterel

SystemC

Bluespec

e

PSL

SystemVerilog

Reed

1960s

1970s

1980s

1990s

2000s

## Panelists

- ▶ **Arvind** — MIT  
Inventor of Bluespec
- ▶ **Gael Clave** — Texas Instruments, Nice  
Helped to develop TI's OMAP platform, avid Esterel user
- ▶ **Rainer Doemer** — University of California, Irvine  
Worked on SpecC (with Gajski)
- ▶ **Michael Kishinevsky** — Intel  
Helped to develop Esterel V7 (with Berry)
- ▶ **Karen Pieper** — Tabula  
Chair, IEEE P1800 SystemVerilog Working Group
- ▶ **Klaus Schneider** — University of Kaiserslautern  
Developer of the Quartz synchronous language
- ▶ **Satnam Singh** — Microsoft Research, Cambridge  
Developed Lava (with Sheeran and Claessen)