#### Where Are We on CCI?





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# SystemC CCI 1.0 (June 13, 2018)

- This first phase addresses "Configuration"
- Feedback from 90-day public review incorporated
- Library Reference Manual (64 pages)
- Tutorial presentation
- Reference implementation
- 23 documented examples that can be built and run
- Accellera online user forum





#### How to Get It

The LRM and reference implementation can be obtained from the Accellera SystemC Downloads area (<a href="http://accellera.org/downloads/standards/systemc">http://accellera.org/downloads/standards/systemc</a>):

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SystemC CCI 1.0	Configuration, Control & Inspection Language Reference Manual	2018-06-13
	CCI 1.0 Proof-of-Concept Kit	2018-06-20

The user forum is available at <a href="http://forums.accellera.org/forum/41-systemc-cci-configuration-control-inspection">http://forums.accellera.org/forum/41-systemc-cci-configuration-control-inspection</a>

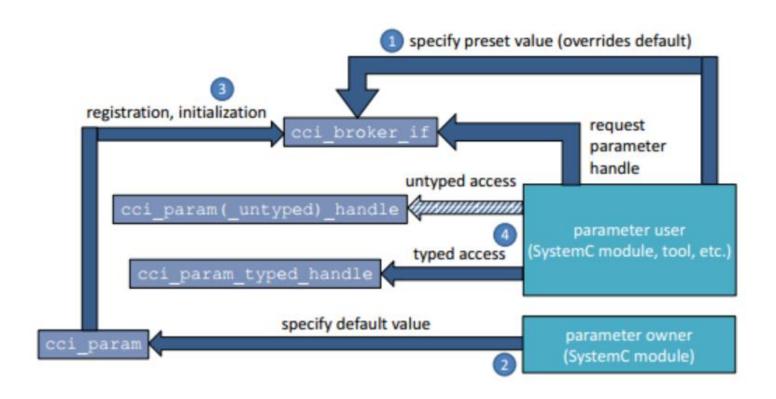
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#### Configuration Bird's-Eye View







## Configuration Code Sample

```
SC MODULE(simple ip)
                            Parameters are usually private
                             members forcing brokered access
private:
 cci::cci param<int> int param;
                                               Default values must be supplied
                                               using the constructor argument
public:
 SC CTOR(simple ip) : int param("int param", 0)
   int param.set description("...");
   SC THREAD (do proc);
 void do proc()
   for(int i = 0; i < int param; i++)</pre>
                                                Owner reads parameter's value
```





## Configuration Adoption Feedback

- How many here have downloaded the kit?
- How many are using it?
- How many have plans to adopt the standard?
- How many have interest in adopting the standard?
  - What are the barriers to adoption?





#### Planning for the Next Phase

- Leading candidates for the next phase of CCI, based on WG and community inputs are:
  - Checkpointing
  - Register Introspection

Both were presented and discussed at SystemC Evolution Day 2017.

- Considerations for choosing:
  - Anticipated benefit for the community (inputs welcomed today!)
  - Magnitude of the scope
  - Completeness and consistency of our understanding of the problem
    - Comprehensive requirements are even better
  - Contributions: both technology and WG member time



