

Alloy Elevator Specification — CSE503, Winter 08

Due: March 6 before class.

Groups: You may work in groups of at most three students.

Your assignment is to create an Alloy specification for an n -elevator system in a building with m floors. The specification should satisfy all of the following properties.

- Each elevator has a set of buttons, one button for each floor.
 - These activate when pressed and cause the elevator to visit the corresponding floor.
 - The activation is canceled when the corresponding floor is visited by the elevator.
- Each floor, except the ground and top floors, has *up* and *down* buttons. The ground floor has an *up* button. The top floor has a *down* button.
 - The buttons are canceled when an elevator visits the floor and is either traveling in the desired direction or visits a floor with no requests outstanding. (I.e., that floor is its only request.)
 - In the latter case, if both floor request buttons are active, only one should be canceled.
- When an elevator has no requests to service, it should remain at its final destination with its doors closed and await further requests.
- All requests for elevators from floors must be serviced by some elevator eventually, with all floors given equal priority.
- All requests for floors from within elevators must be serviced eventually, with floors being serviced sequentially in the direction of travel.

Good luck!