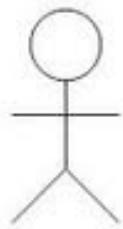


Metamodeling and Domain-specific modeling

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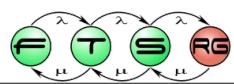
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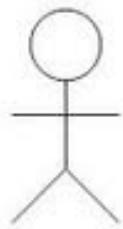
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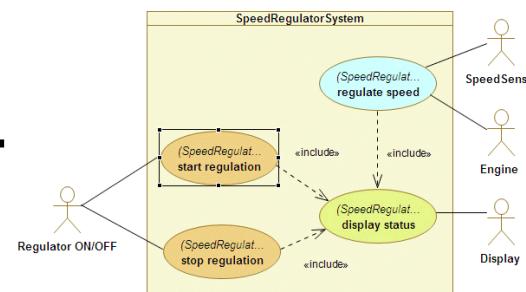
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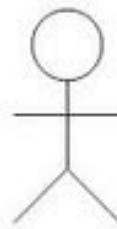
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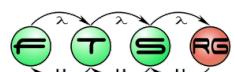
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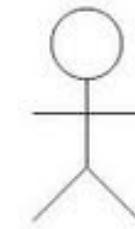
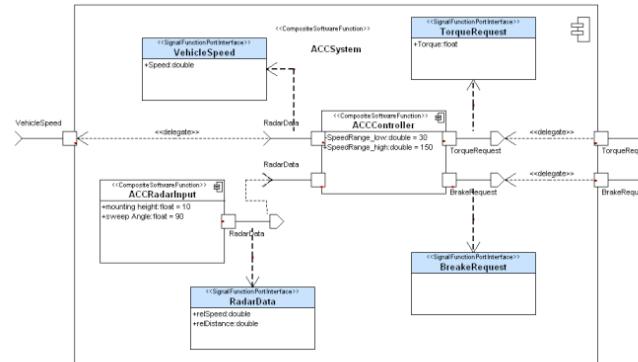
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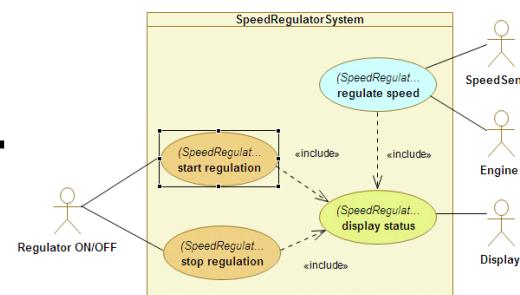
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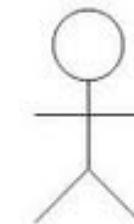
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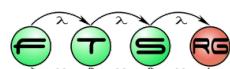
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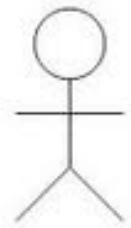
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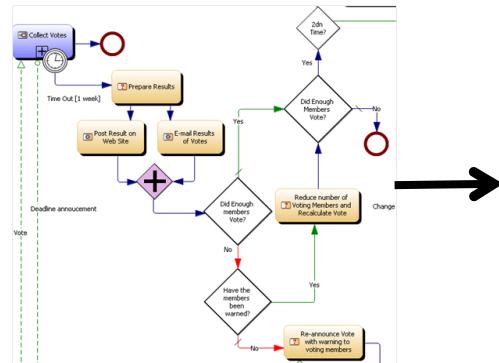
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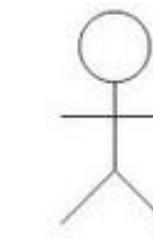
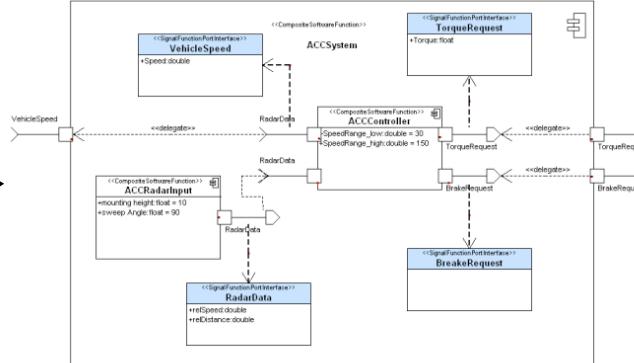
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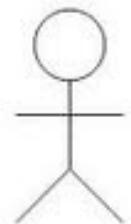
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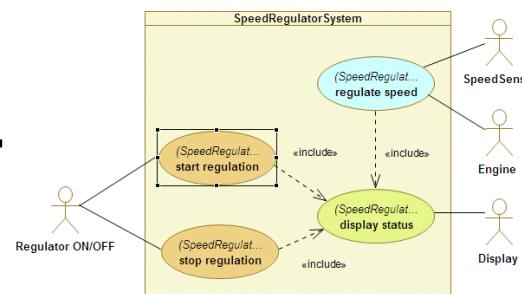
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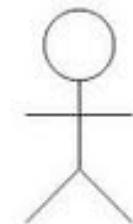
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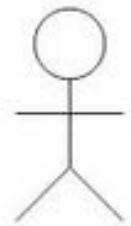


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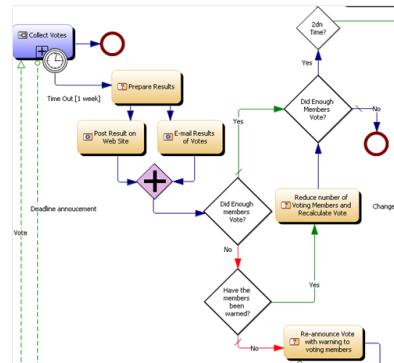


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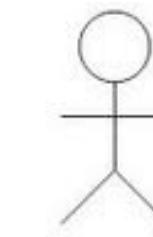
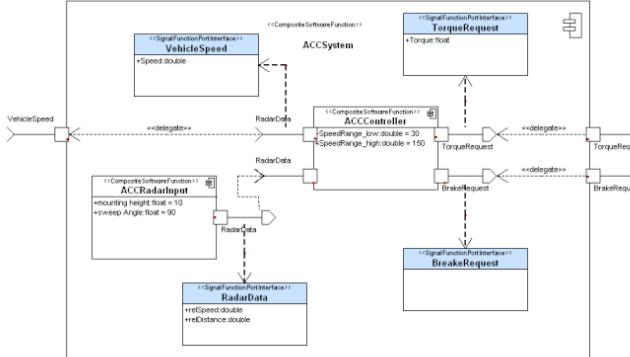
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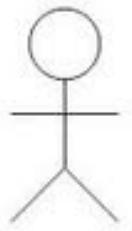
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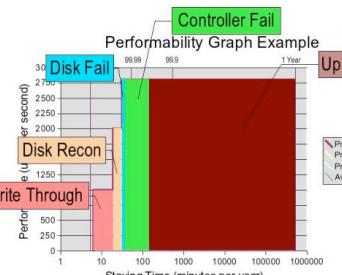
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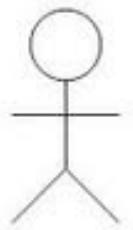
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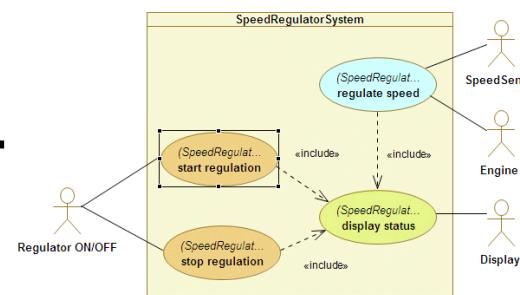
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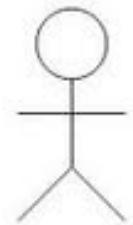
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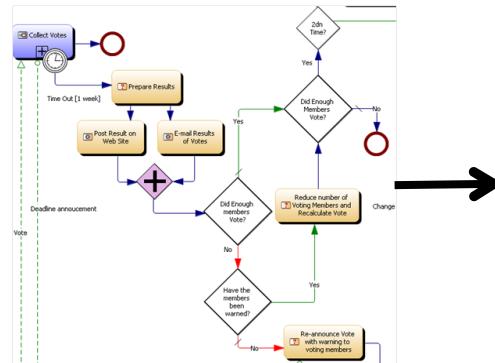


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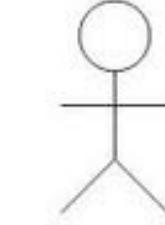
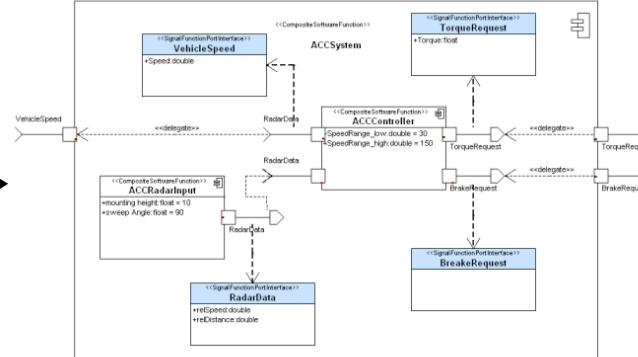
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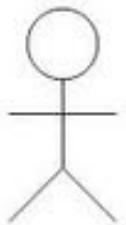
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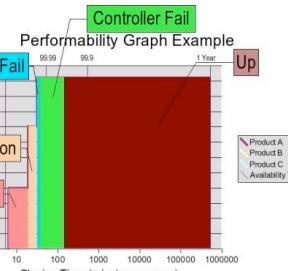
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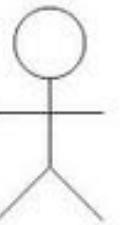
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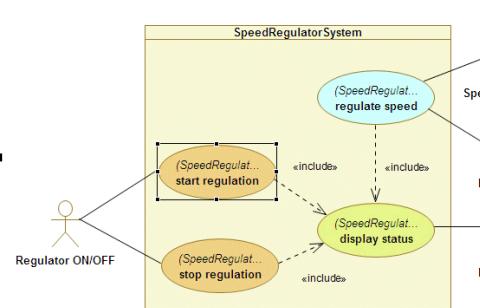
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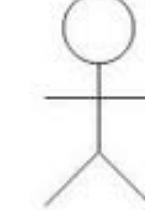
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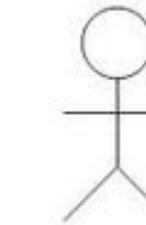
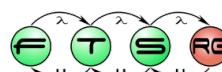
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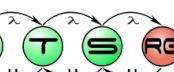
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Szakterület-specifikus modellezés definíciója

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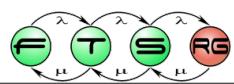
Dedikált modellezési nyelvek

- Különböző absztrakciós szinten
- A teljes fejlesztési folyamatra

Generatív fejlesztés

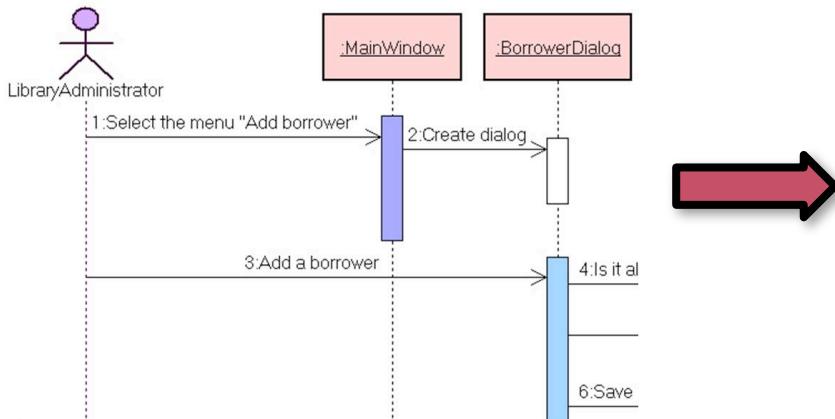
(kódgenerálás)

- Állapotgépek → Végrehajtható kód

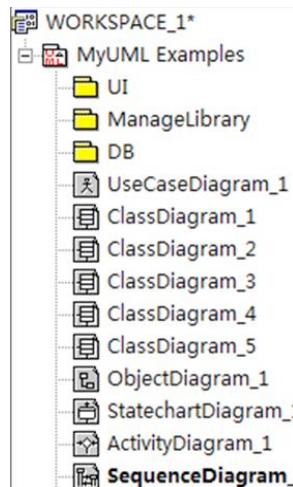


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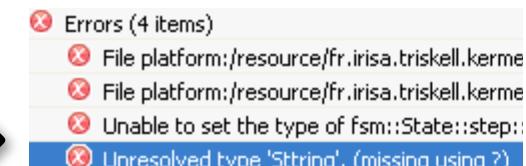
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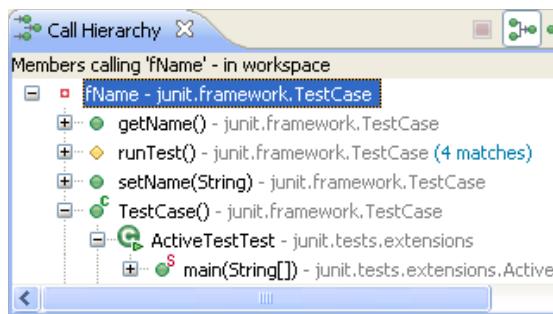
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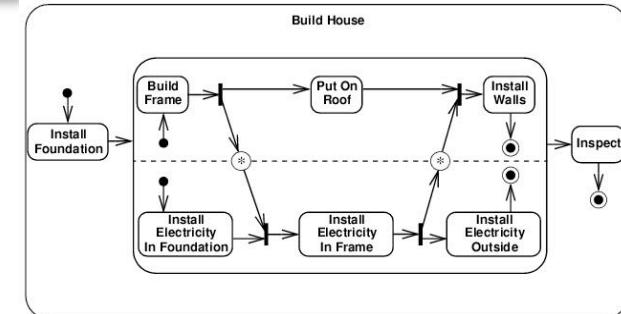
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Viselkedési szemantika,
Szimuláció,
Refactoring



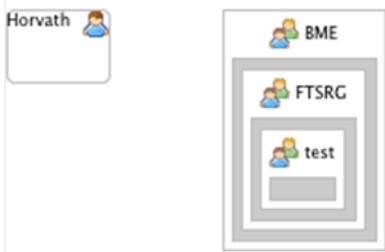
Hívási gráf (Nézet)



Állapottérkép
(másik DSM)

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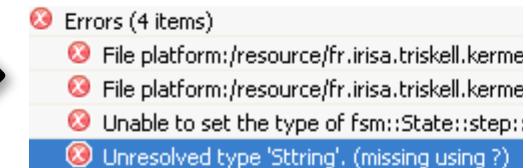
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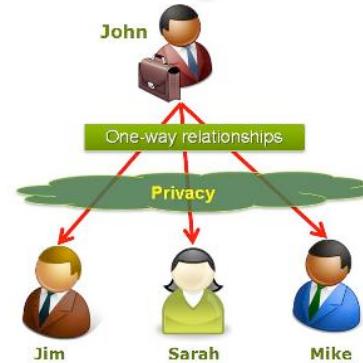
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Kódgenerálás



```
test.socialnetwork
SocialNetwork {
    Person Ujhelyi {
        male
        memberships BME, VVEC
    }
    Person Horvath {
        male
        memberships FTSRG
    }
    Community BME {
        Community FTSRG {
            Community test
        }
    }
}
```

Szöveges szintakszis



Nézet

```
</membership>
<profile defaultProvider="Sitefinity">
    <providers>
        <clear/>
        <add name="Sitefinity" connectionS
    </providers>
    <properties>
        <add name="FirstName"/>
        <add name="LastName"/>
        <!-- SNP specific properties -->
        <add name="NickName" />
        <add name="Gender" />
    </properties>

```

Kód
(Dokumentáció,
Konfigurációs fájl)

Szakterület-specifikus nyelvek aspektusai

Szakterület specifikus nyelv

Absztrakt
szintaksszis

Konkrét
szintaksszis

Jól-
formáltság
i
kényszerek

Viselkedési
(dinamikus
)
szemantik
a

Nézetek,
fordítások,
leképezése
k

METAMODELING

Why?

- Let's do Model-based Development!
- Create **models** that...
 - have well-defined, standardized form and meaning
 - are processable by computers
 - Storage, Parsing, Editing, Visualization,
 - Execution, Testing,
 - Analysis, Verification,
 - Translation, Transformation, Integration, Synchronization
 - are easy to use (create / understand)
- Need to design **modeling languages**

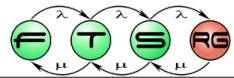
Where do you find metamodels?

- Different application domains around UML
 - SysML (systems engineering)
 - SPEM (process modeling)
 - CWM (data warehousing)
 - MARTE (real-time and embedded systems)
- BPEL, BPMN (business processes)
- Tropos (requirements modeling)
- AutoSAR (automotive industry)
- ...

Designing modeling languages

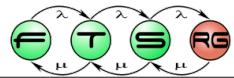


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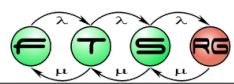


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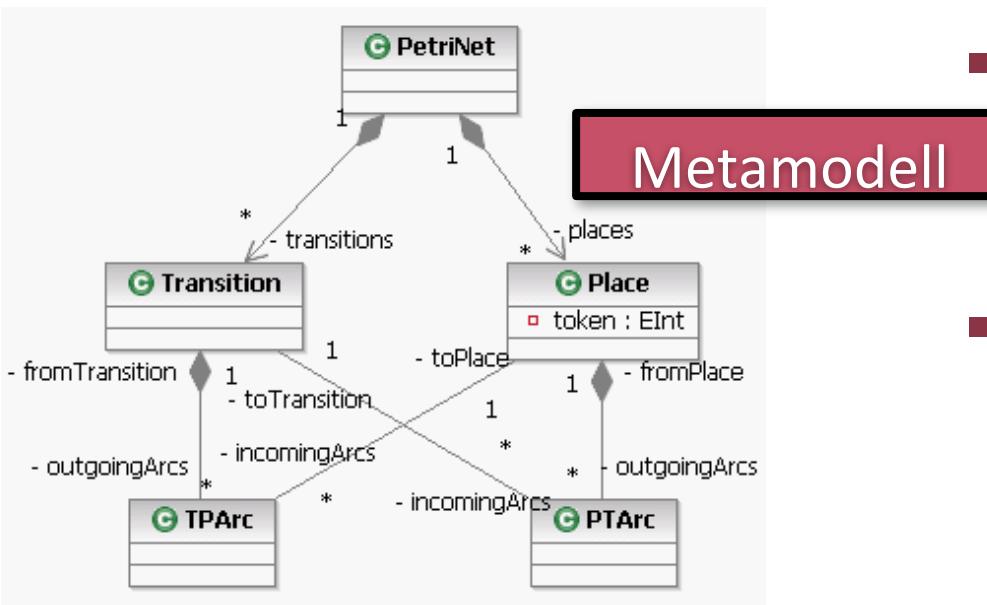
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- Language design checklist
 - **Abstract syntax** (metamodel)
 - Taxonomy and relationships of model elements
 - Well-formedness rules
 - **Semantics** (does not *strictly* belong to a language)
 - Static
 - Behavioural
 - ??? (something is missing... we'll come back later)

Abstract syntax (Metamodel)

- Metamodel = model of a modeling language
 - „Meta” = above, beyond, transcending
- Goal: to define
 - The vocabulary of concepts in the language
 - How they can be combined to form models
- Contents:
 - Definition of concepts
 - Relationships between these concepts
 - Abstraction/Specialization (Taxonomy)
 - Constraints, well-formedness rules (e.g. multiplicity)



Metamodell: Absztrakt szintakszis definíciója

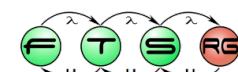
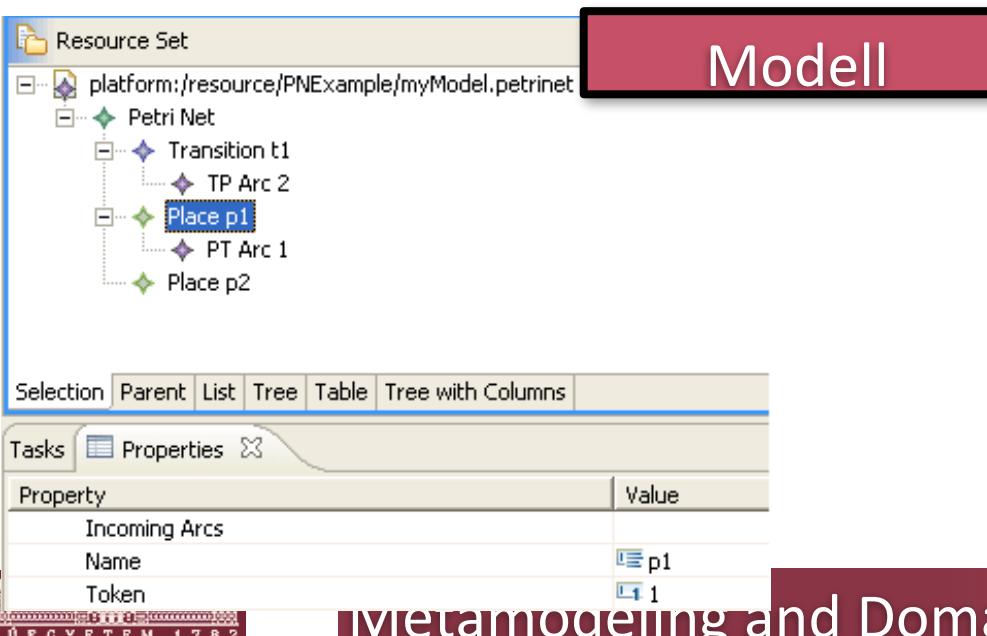


■ Metamodell:

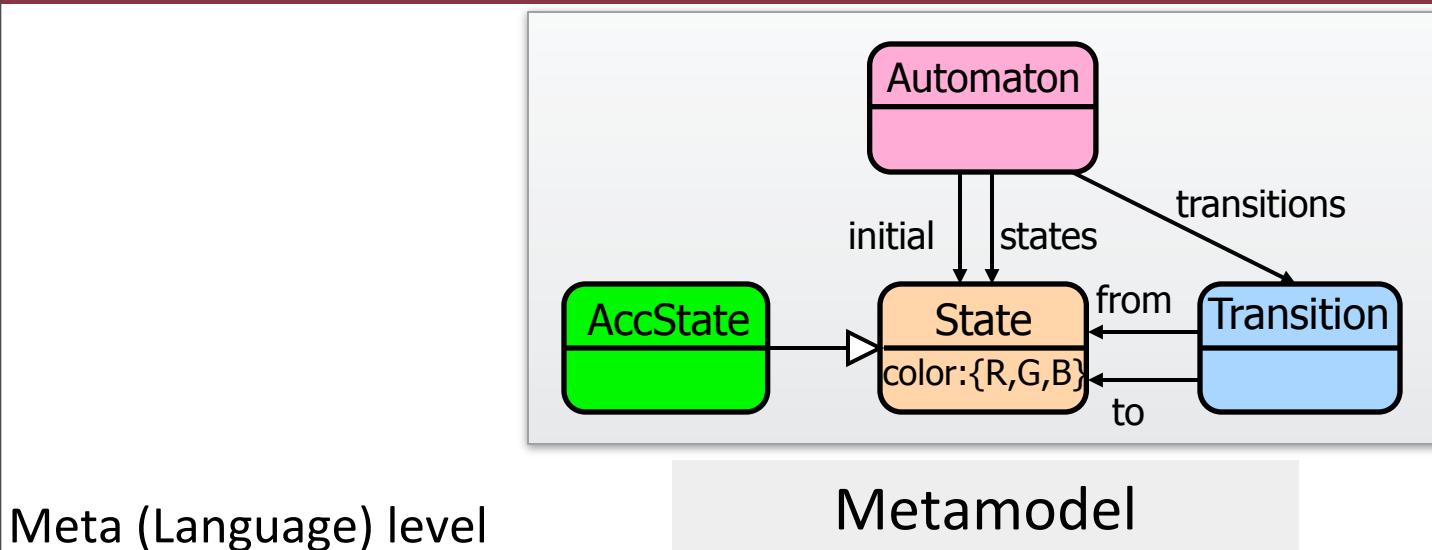
- Modellezési nyelvek absztrakt szintakszisát definiáló DSM

■ Célja: definiálni...

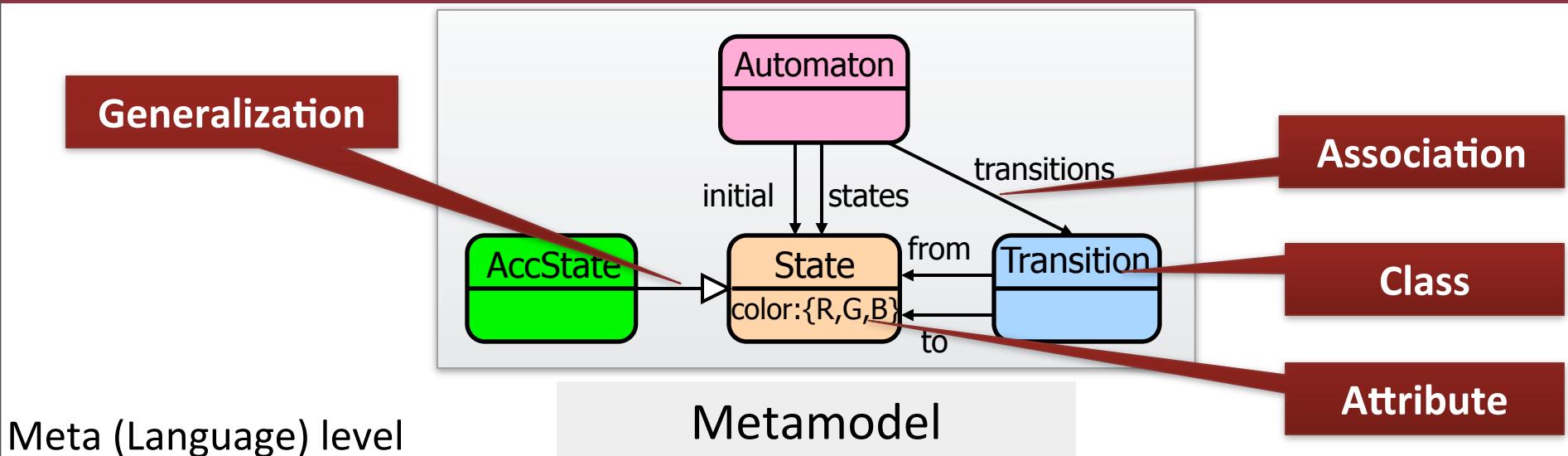
- a nyelv alapfogalmait
- a köztük lehetséges kapcsolatokat
- az alapfogalmak attribútumait
- absztrakció/finomítás (Taxonómia, Ontológia) az elemek között
- tartalmazási, számossági kényszerek



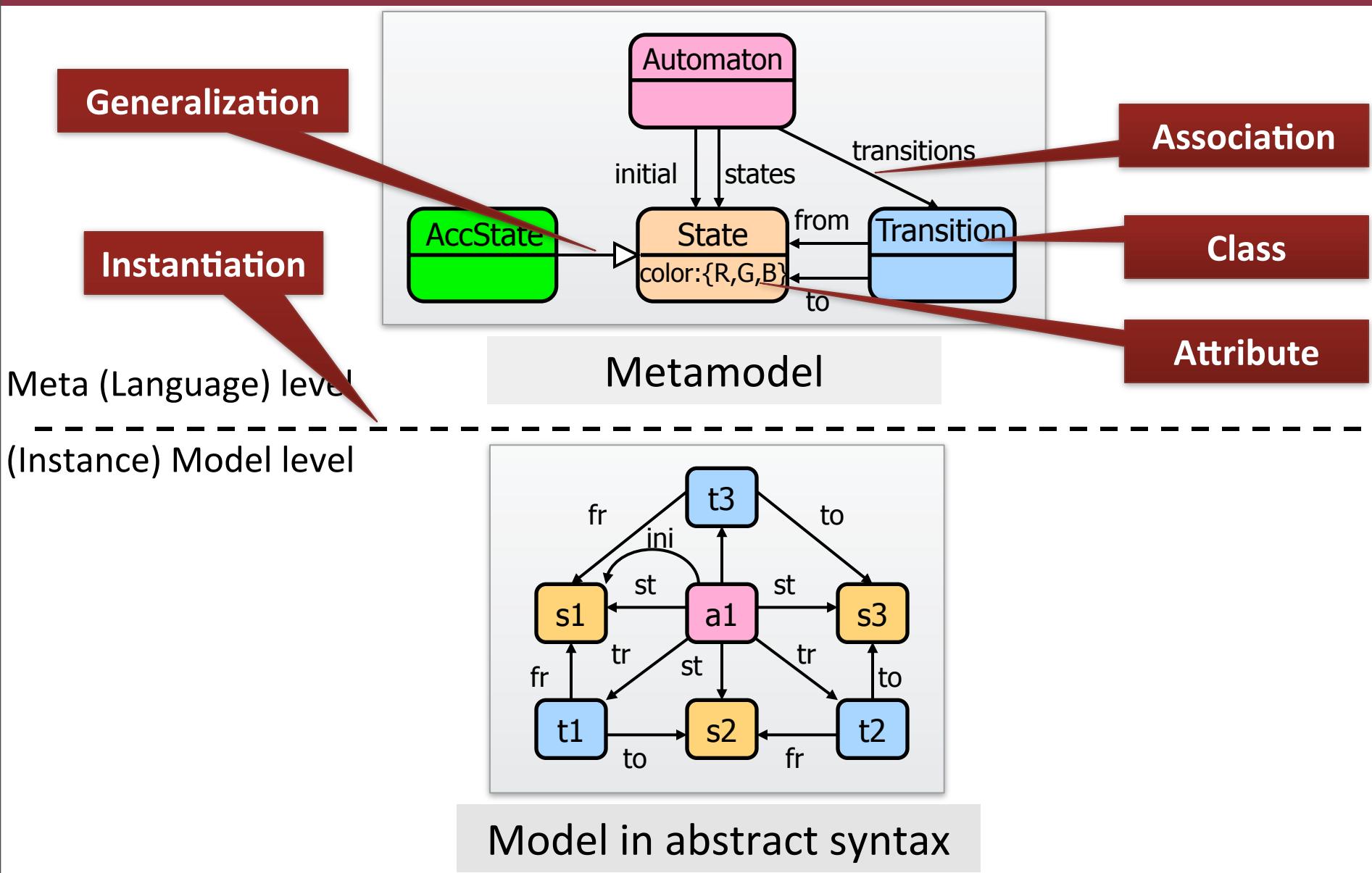
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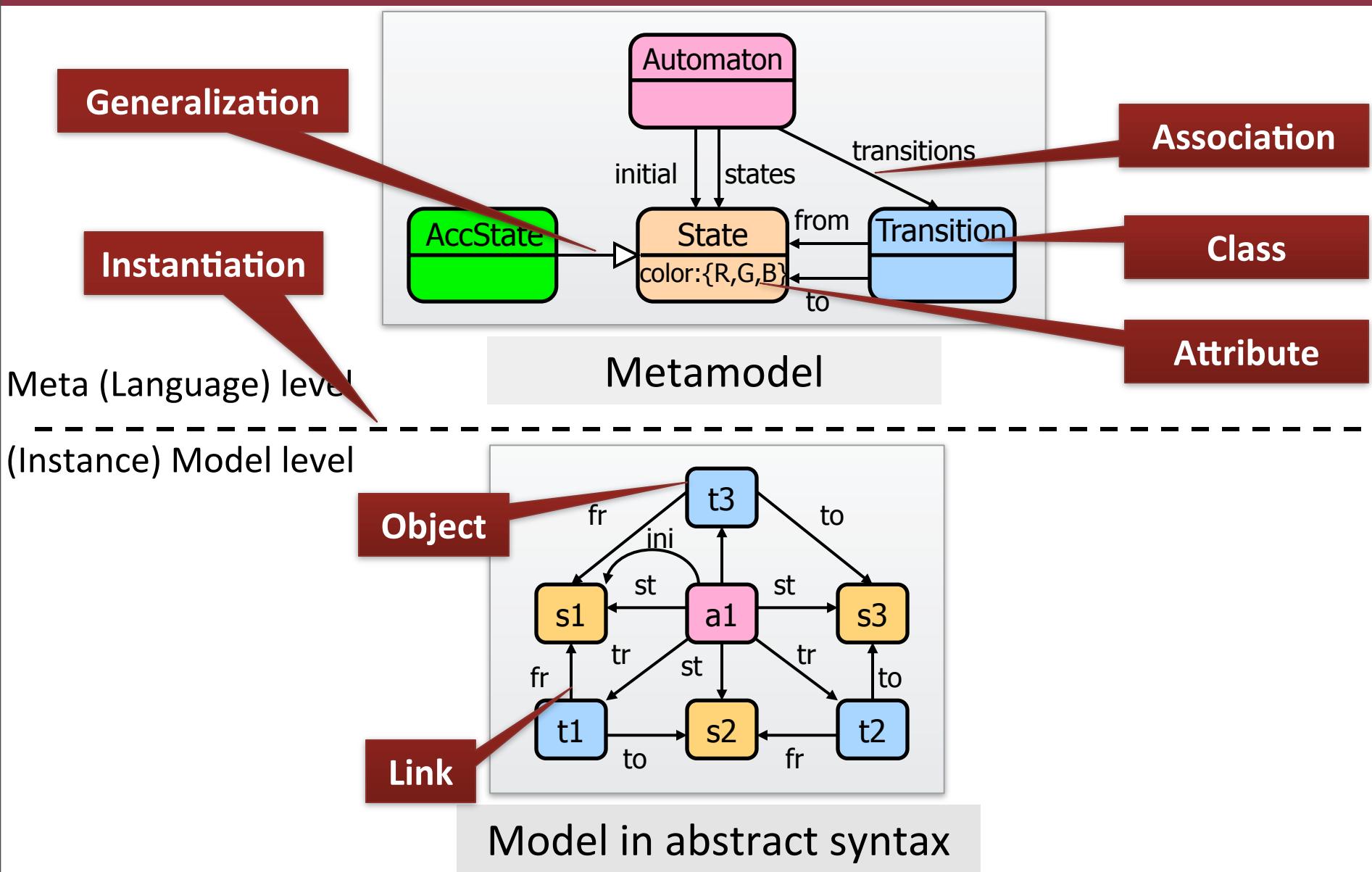
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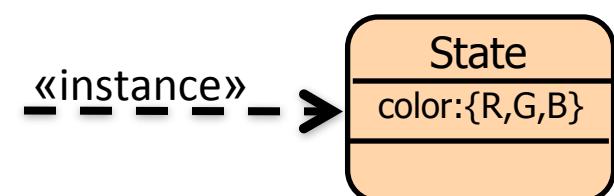
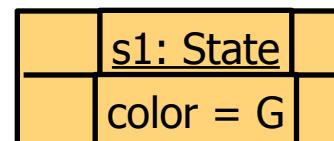
Well-formedness rules

- Multiplicity constraints
 - At most one: 0..1 / Many: *
 - Lower bound is often meaningful (enforcement?)
- Aggregation/Containment
 - At most one parent for each model element
- Language specific constraints:
 - Examples
 - Each state of an automaton must have a unique name
 - Transitions must connect states of their own automaton
 - The initial state is one of the states of the automaton
 - Expressed in e.g. OCL

Instantiation and Generalization

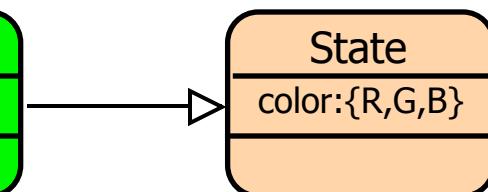
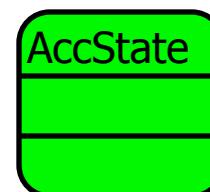
Classification/Typing

- inverse: Instantiation



Generalization / Supertyping / Abstraction

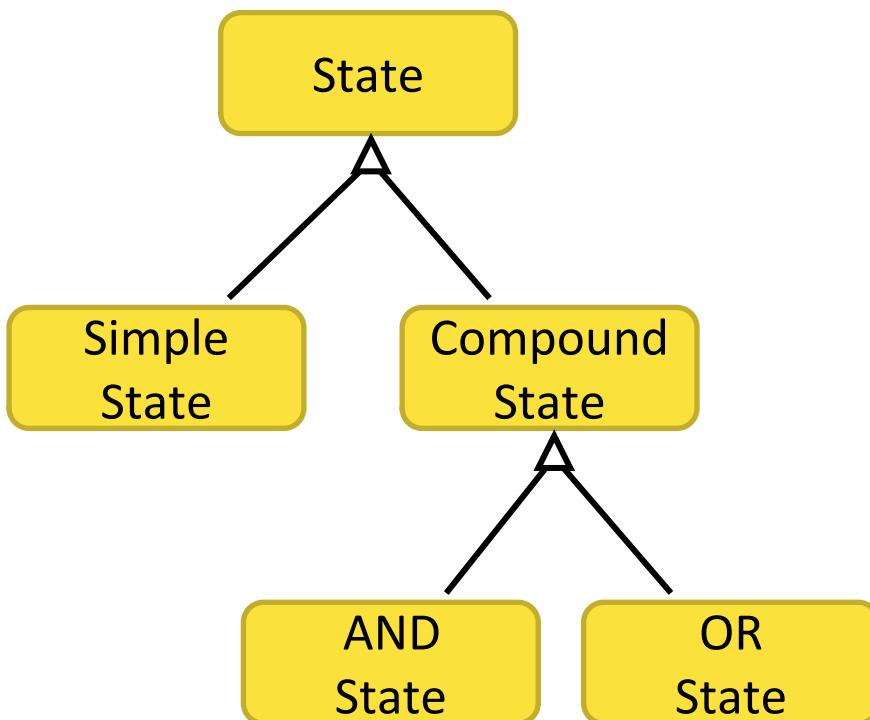
- inverse: Specialization / Subtyping / Refinement



More is implied than what is explicitly given

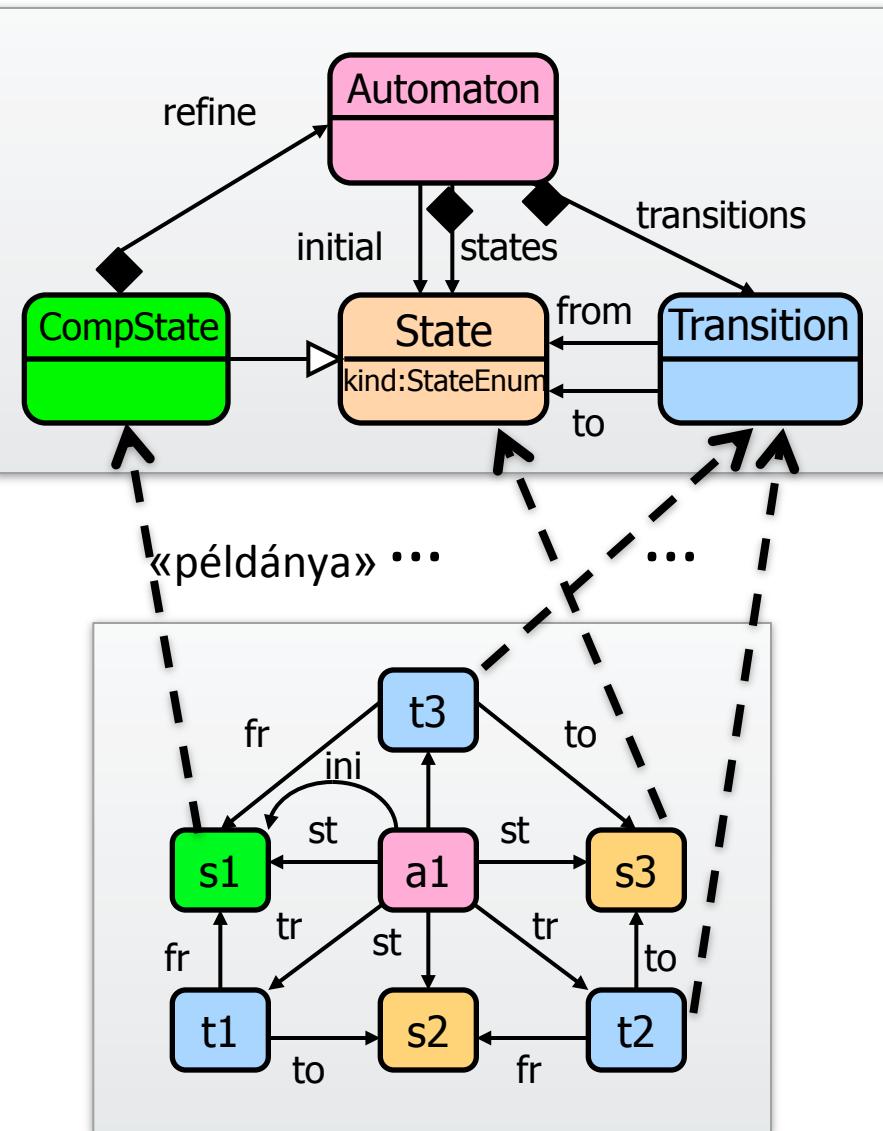
- transitive semantics
 - `self.supertypes` → **includesAll**(`self.supertypes.supertypes`)
- extends the typing relation
 - `self.instances` → **includesAll**(`self.subtypes.instances`)

Típushierarchia



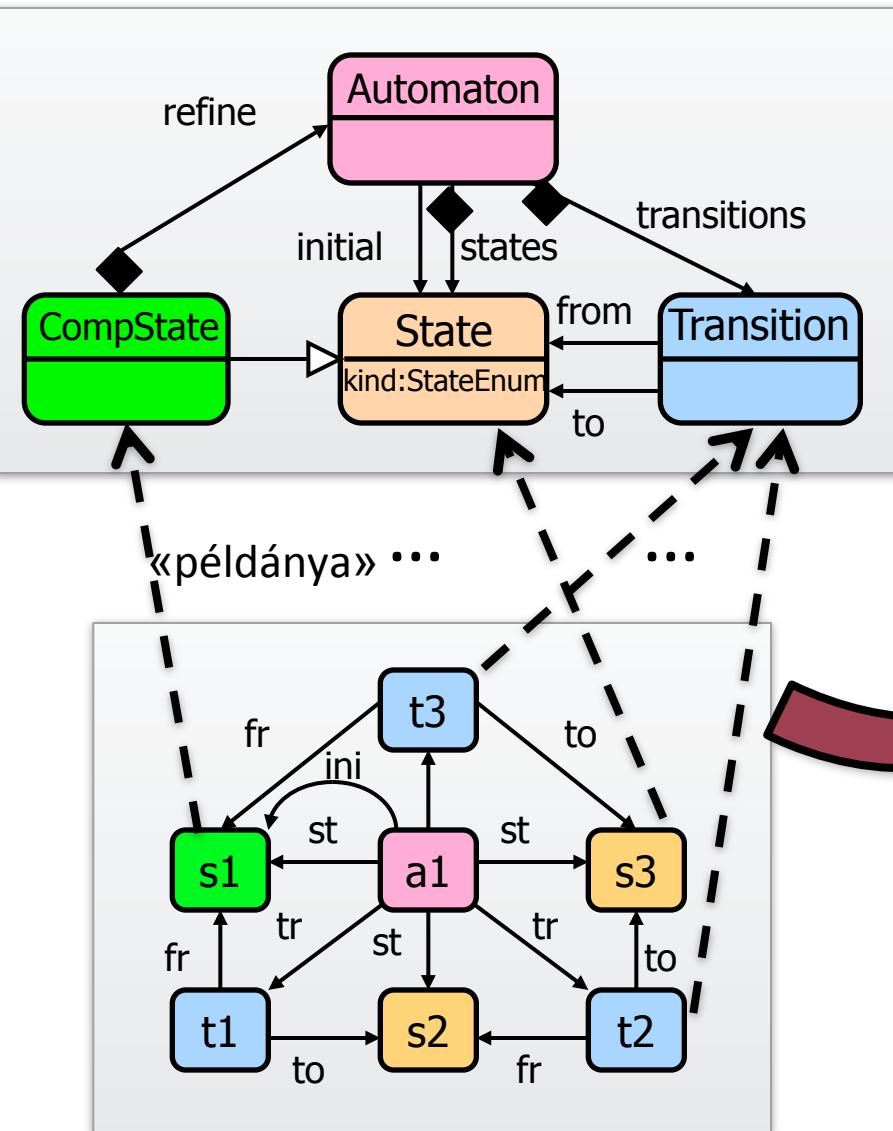
- Általánosítás
(Generalization)
 - \cong Öröklés
 - Tranzitív
 - Irreflexív?
- Helyettesíthetőség
 - ✓ Ős helyett Leszármazott
 - ~~✗ Leszármazott helyett Ős~~

Példányosítás



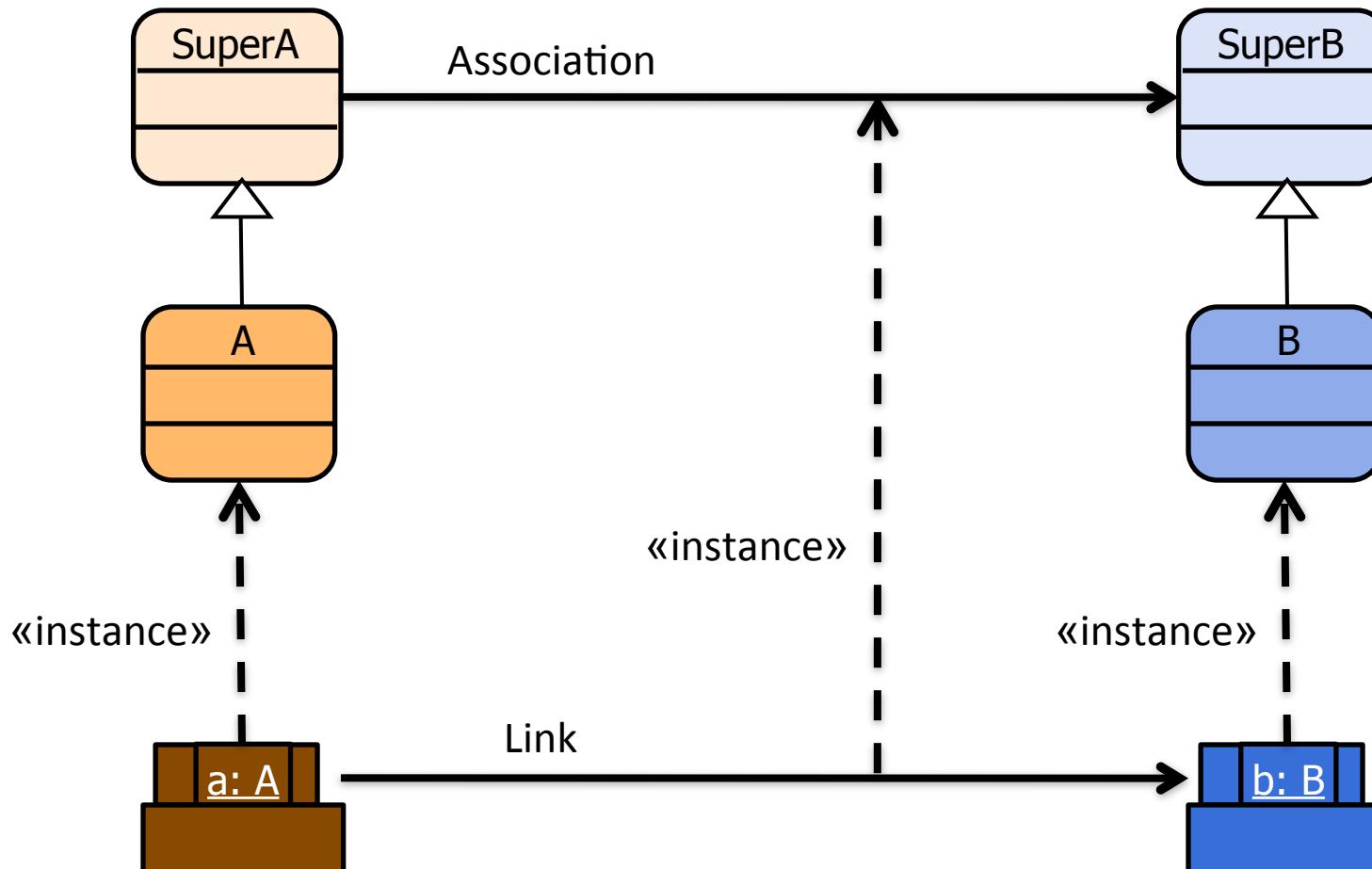
- minden modellelem **példánya** a metamodell egy elemének
- **Közvetlen típus:**
 - Nincs precízebb (alacsonyabb) típusa
 - $s1 \rightarrow \text{AccState}$
- **Közvetett típus:**
 - A közvetlen típus Ősosztálya
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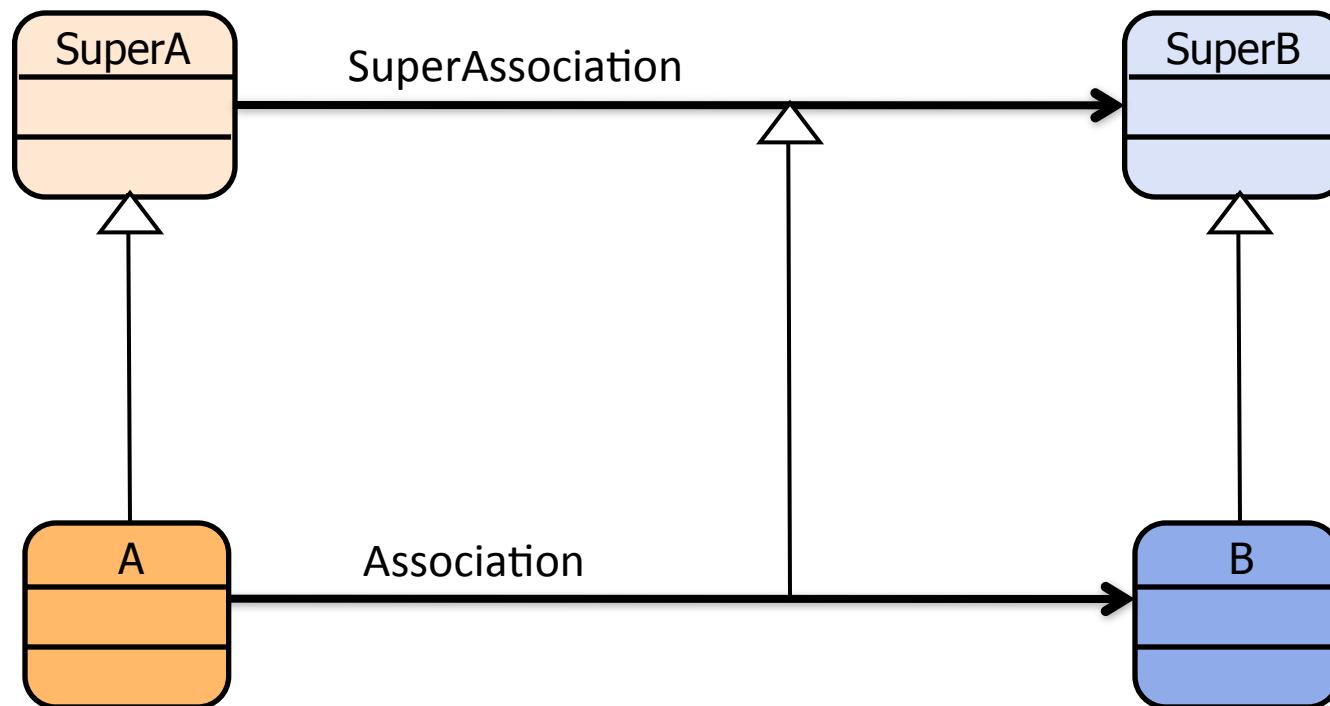
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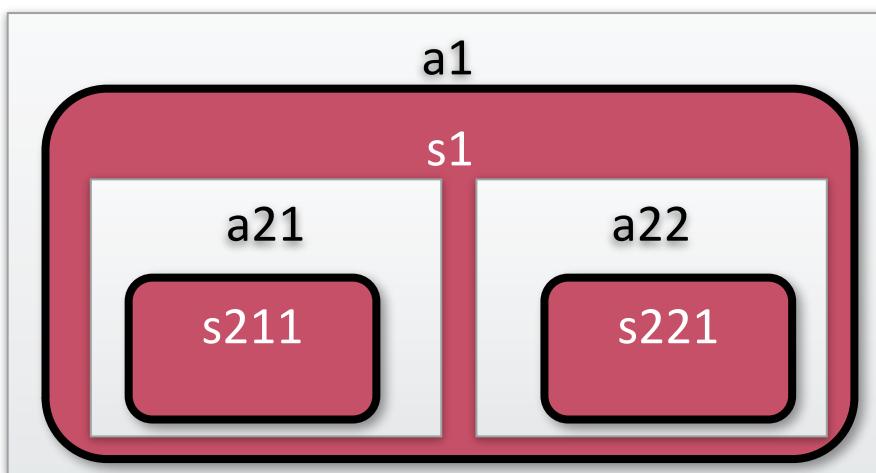


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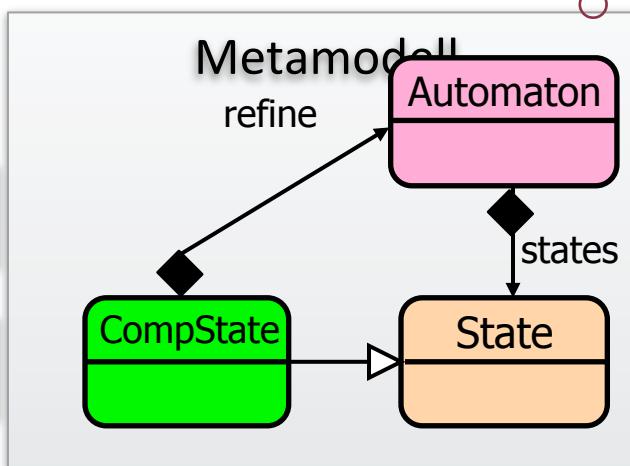
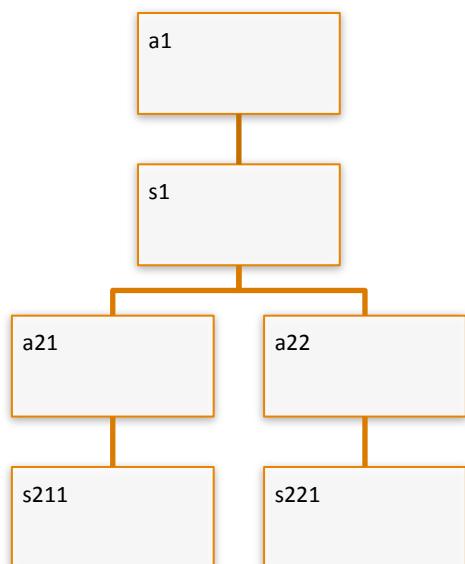
- Subtyping of edges
 - Not allowed in e.g. UML



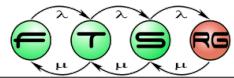
Tartalmazási hierarchia



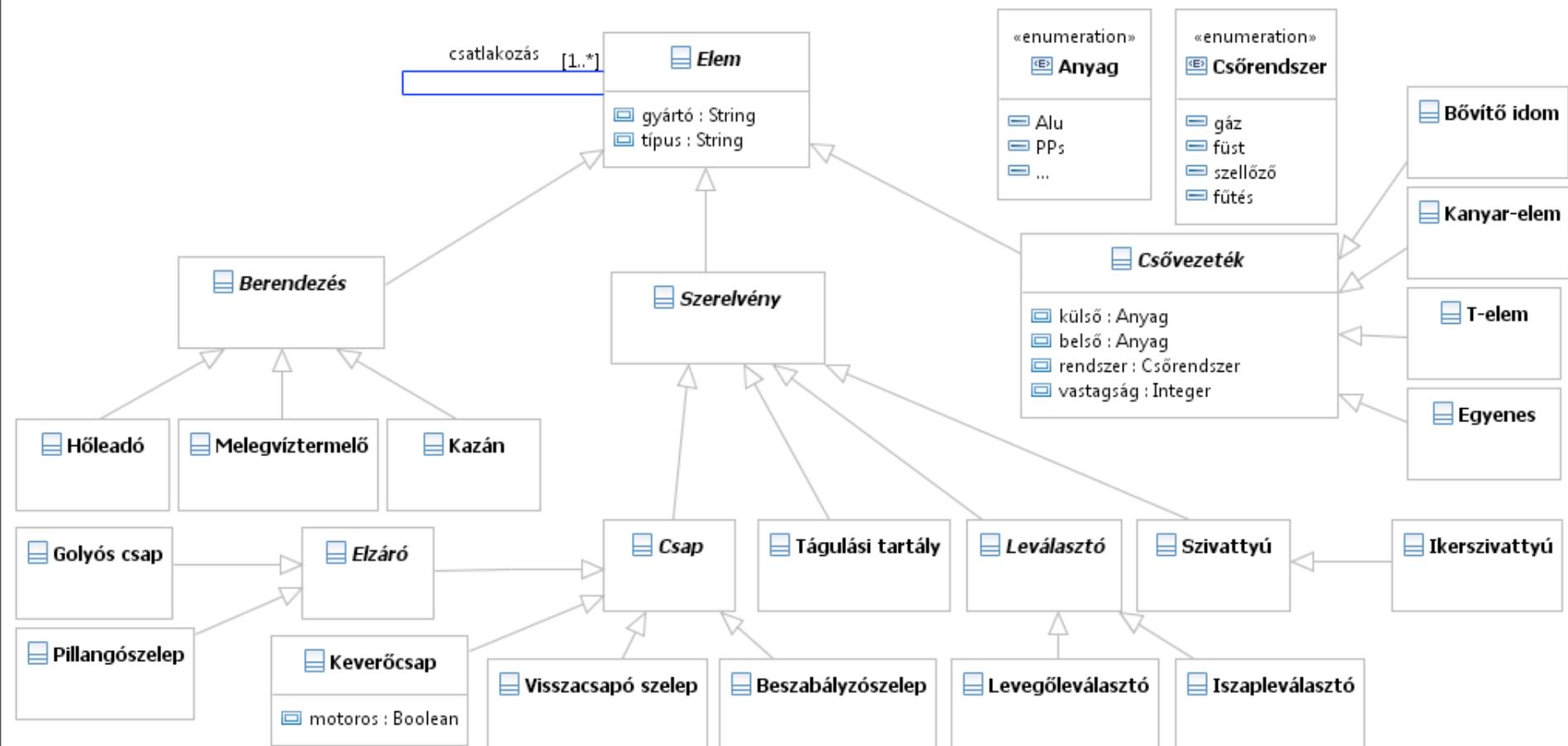
- minden modellelem tulajdonosa egyértelmű
 - N Gyerek → 1 Szülő
 - Egyetlen gyökérelem
- Tartalmazási viszony:
 - Metamodellben defináljuk
 - Élek (referencia) mentén
 - A modelleken értelmezzük



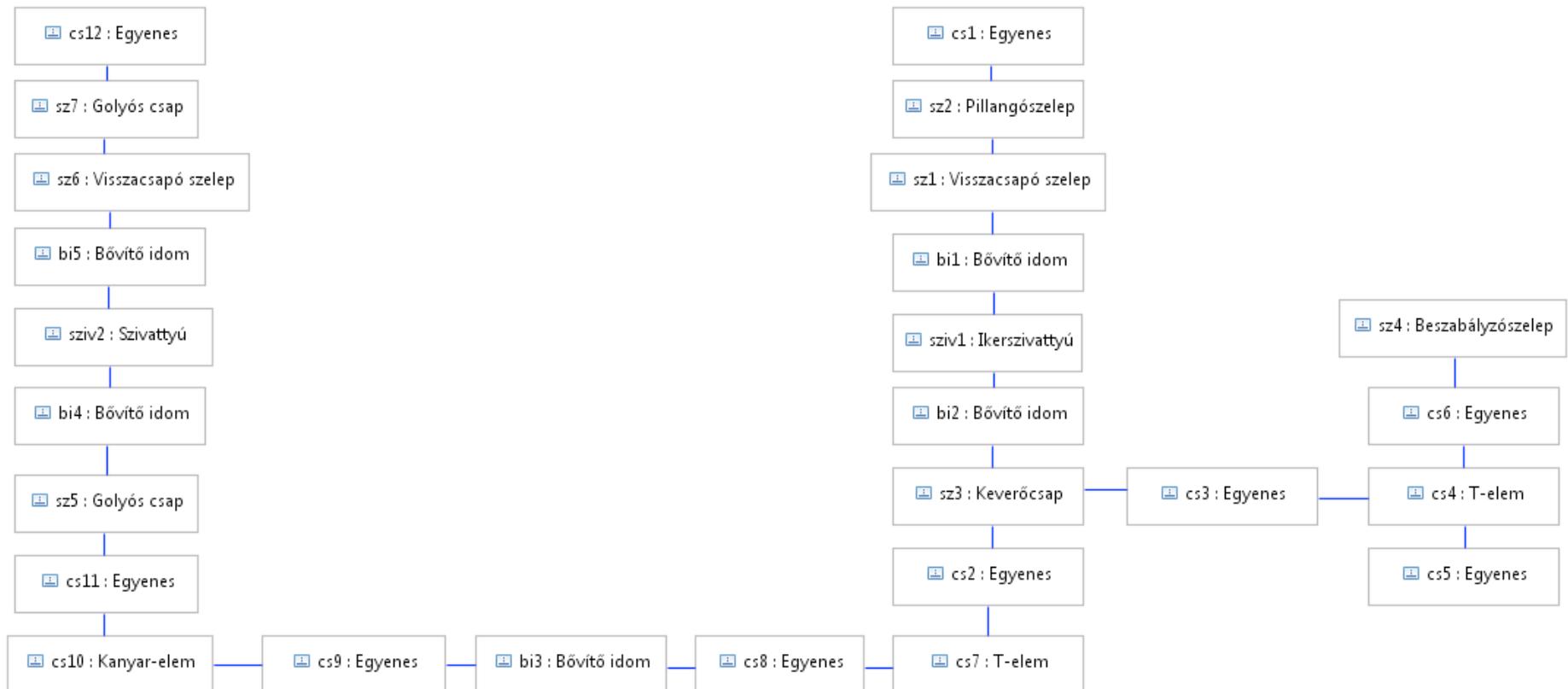
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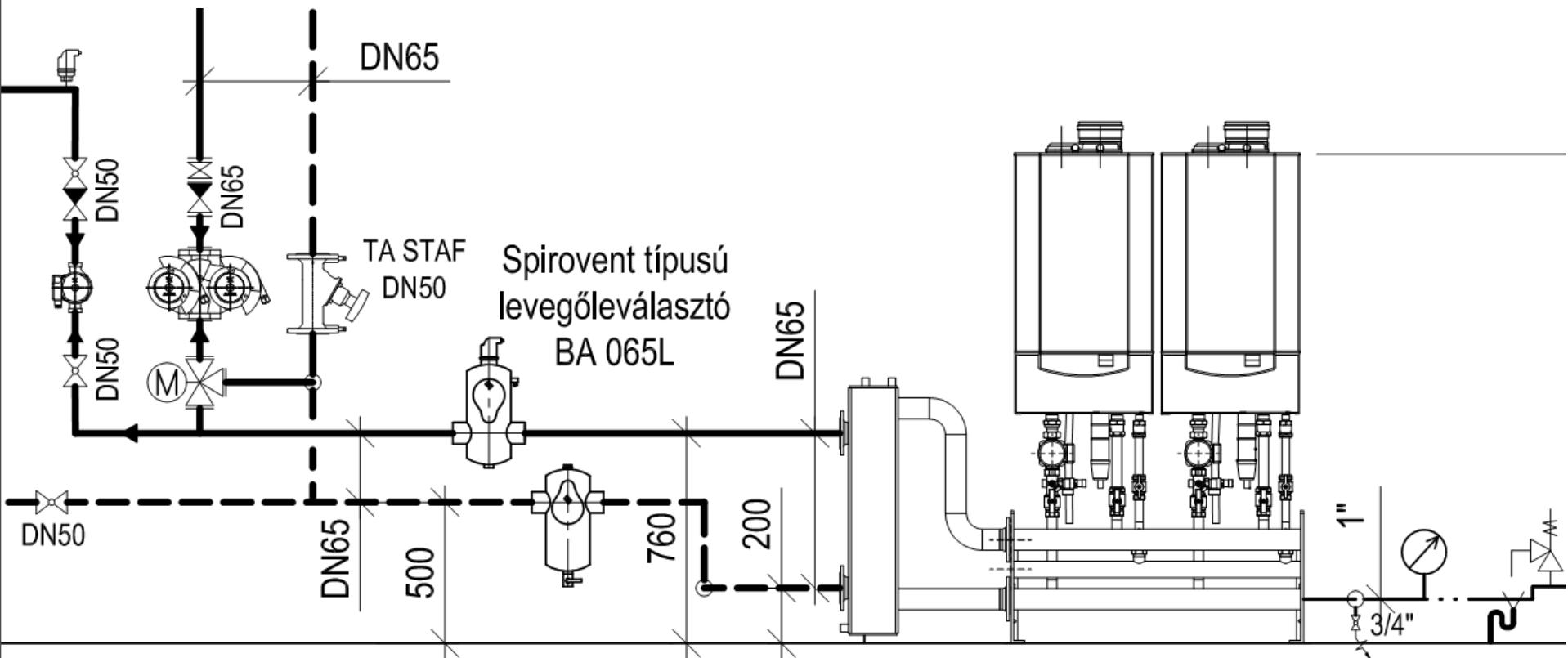
Example metamodel



Instance model, abstract syntax



Instance model, concrete syntax

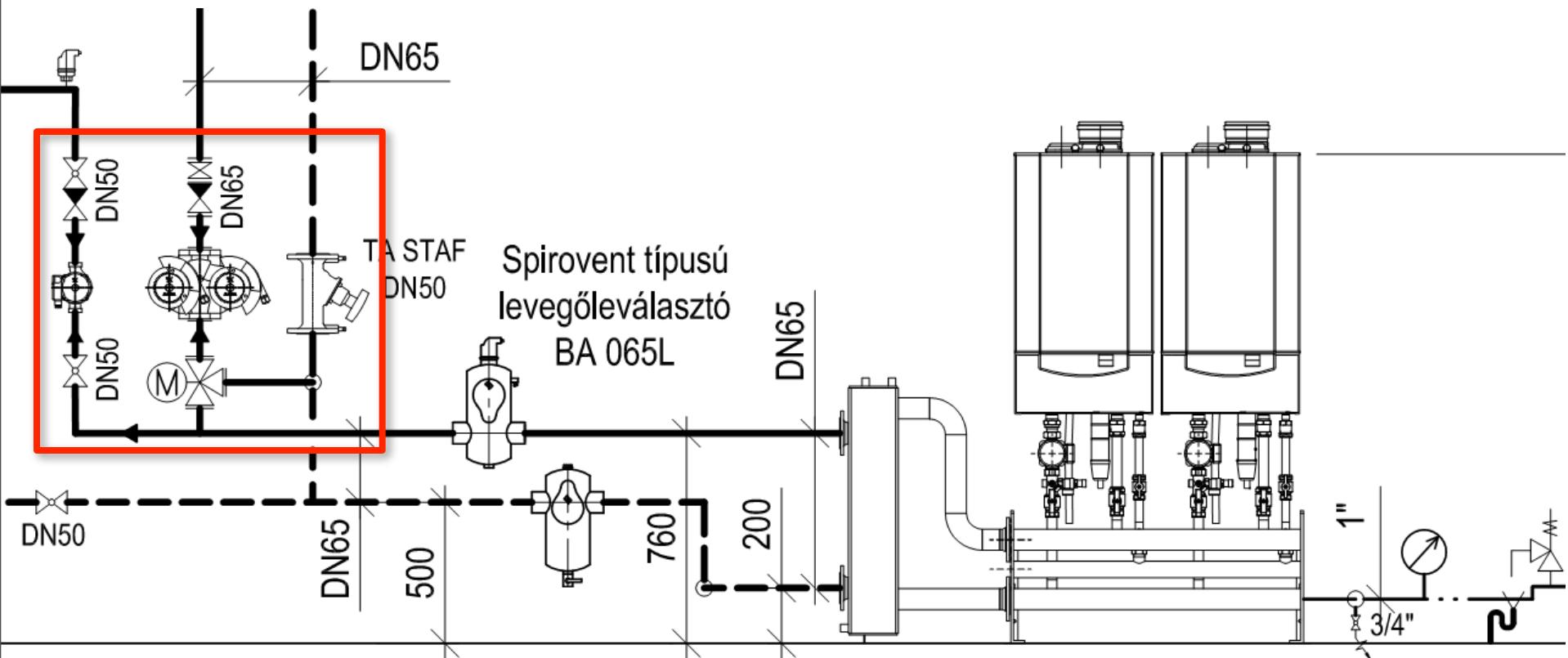


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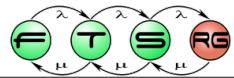
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Designing modeling languages



Metamodeling and Domain Specific Modeling



Designing modeling languages

■ Language design checklist

- **Abstract syntax** (metamodel)

- Taxonomy and relationships of model elements
- Well-formedness rules

- **Semantics** (does not *strictly* belong to a language)

- Static
- Behavioural

- ??? (something is missing... we'll come back later)

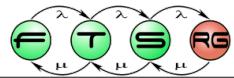
- **Concrete syntax**

- Textual notation
- Visual notation

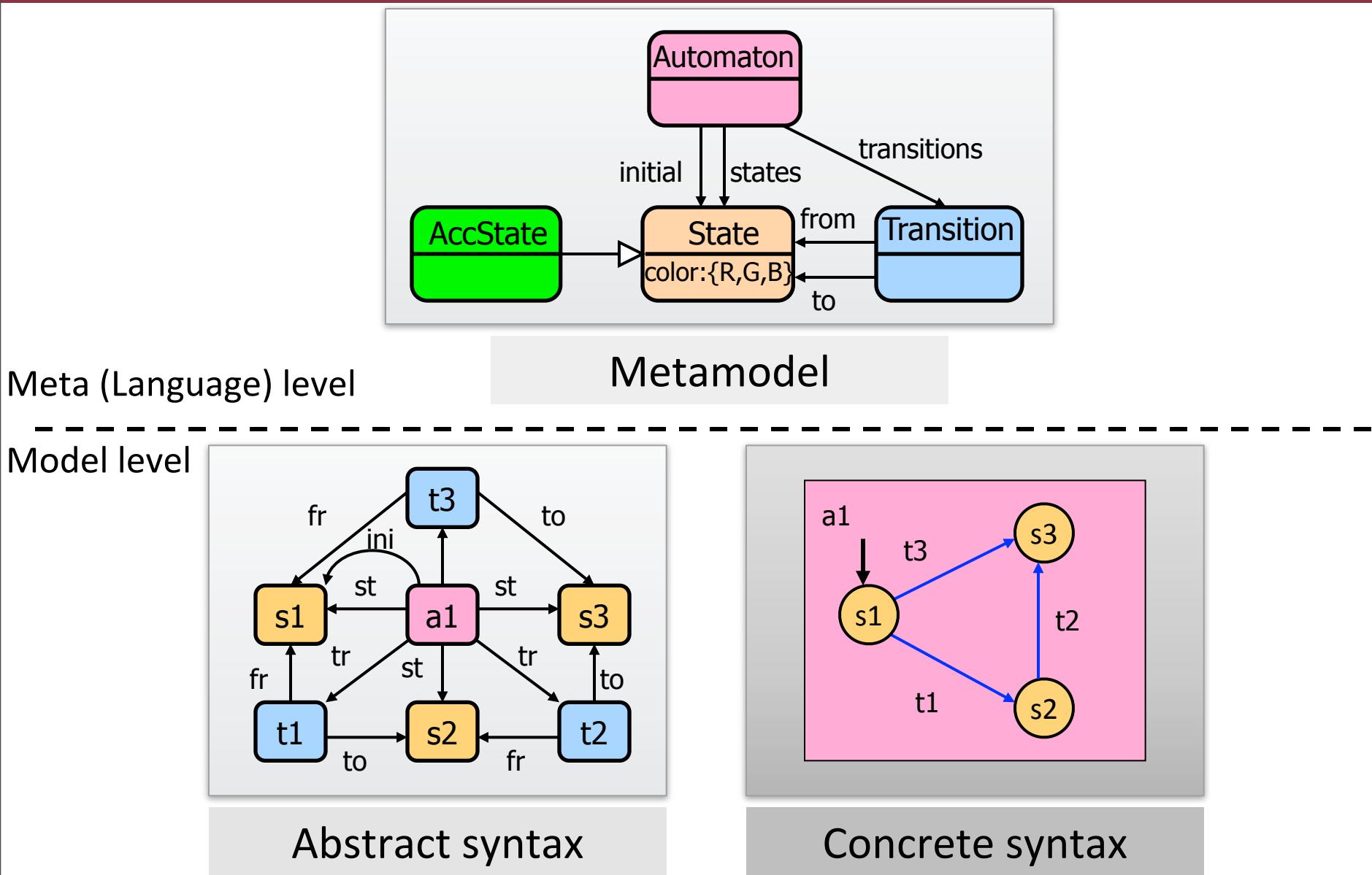
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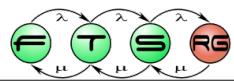


Relationship of concepts

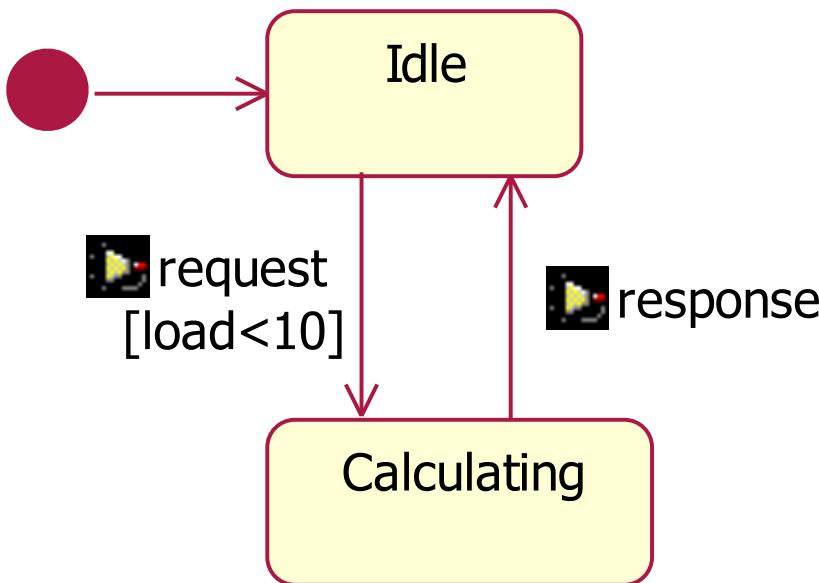


Textual vs. Visual

- Textual notation:
 - + Easy to write: Able to capture complex expressions
 - Difficult to read: Difficult to comprehend and manage after certain complexity
- Visual notation:
 - + Easy to read: Able to express (selected / subset of) details in an intuitive, understandable form
 - + Safe to write: Able to construct syntactically correct models
 - Difficult to write: graphical editing is slower



Example: Concrete Syntax



```
request() {  
    if (state == "idle" &&  
        this.load<10)  
        state = "calculating";  
}  
  
response() {  
    if (state == "calculating")  
        state = "idle"  
}
```

Graphical notation

Textual notation

Multiplicity of Notations

- One-to-many
 - 1 abstract syntax → many textual and visual notations
 - Human-readable-writable textual or visual syntax
 - Textual syntax for exchange or storage (typically XML)
 - In case of UML, each diagram is only a partial view
 - 1 abstract model → many concrete forms in 1 syntax!
 - Whitespace, diagram layout
 - Comments
 - Syntactic sugar
 - 1 semantic interpretation → many abstract models

Semantics

- Semantics: the meaning of concepts in a language
 - Static: what does a snapshot of a model mean?
 - Dynamic: how does the model change/evolve/behave?
- Static Semantics
 - Interpretation of metamodel elements
 - Meaning of concepts in the abstract syntax
 - **Formal:** mathematical statements about the interpretation
 - E.g. formally defined semantics of OCL

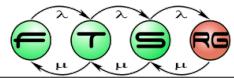
Dynamic Semantics

- **Denotational (Translational):** translating concepts in one language to another language (called **semantic domain**)
 - „compiled”
 - E.g. explaining state machines as Petri-net
- **Operational:** modeling the operational behavior of language concepts
 - „interpreted”
 - Sometimes dynamic features are introduced only for formalizing dynamic semantics

DOMAIN-SPECIFIC MODELING LANGUAGES IN ENGINEERING PRACTICE



Metamodeling and Domain Specific Modeling



Well known DSLs

- MATLAB, SQL, Erlang,
Shell scripts, AWK, Verilog,
YACC, R,S, Mathematica,
Mata, XSLT, XMI, OCL,
Template languages, ...

Industry standard DSMLs

- Automotive
 - AUTOSAR, MATLAB StateFlow, EAST-AADL
- Aerospace
 - AADL
- Railways
 - UML-MARTE
- Systems engineering
 - SysML, UML-FT

Technologies

- MATLAB
 - Rational Software Architect
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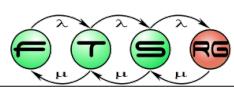
COTS

- Eclipse
 - EMF
 - openArchitectureWare
 - Microsoft
 - DSL Tools (Visual Studio)
 - MetaCase
 - MetaEdit+
 - JetBrains MPS
-

Language
engineering
(industry)

- GEMS, GME, ViatraDSM

Academia



SUMMARY

Summary

- Metamodeling
 - Structural, formal definition of domains
 - Abstract syntax
- Domain-Specific Modeling
 - Concrete notations
 - Syntax known by experts of the field
- Metalevels
 - Meta-relationship between models
- Semantics
 - Formal dynamic → Denotational / Operational

Eclipse Modeling Framework

Horváth Ákos
Dániel Varró

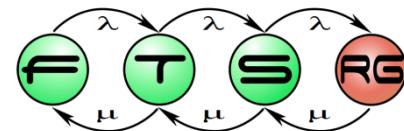


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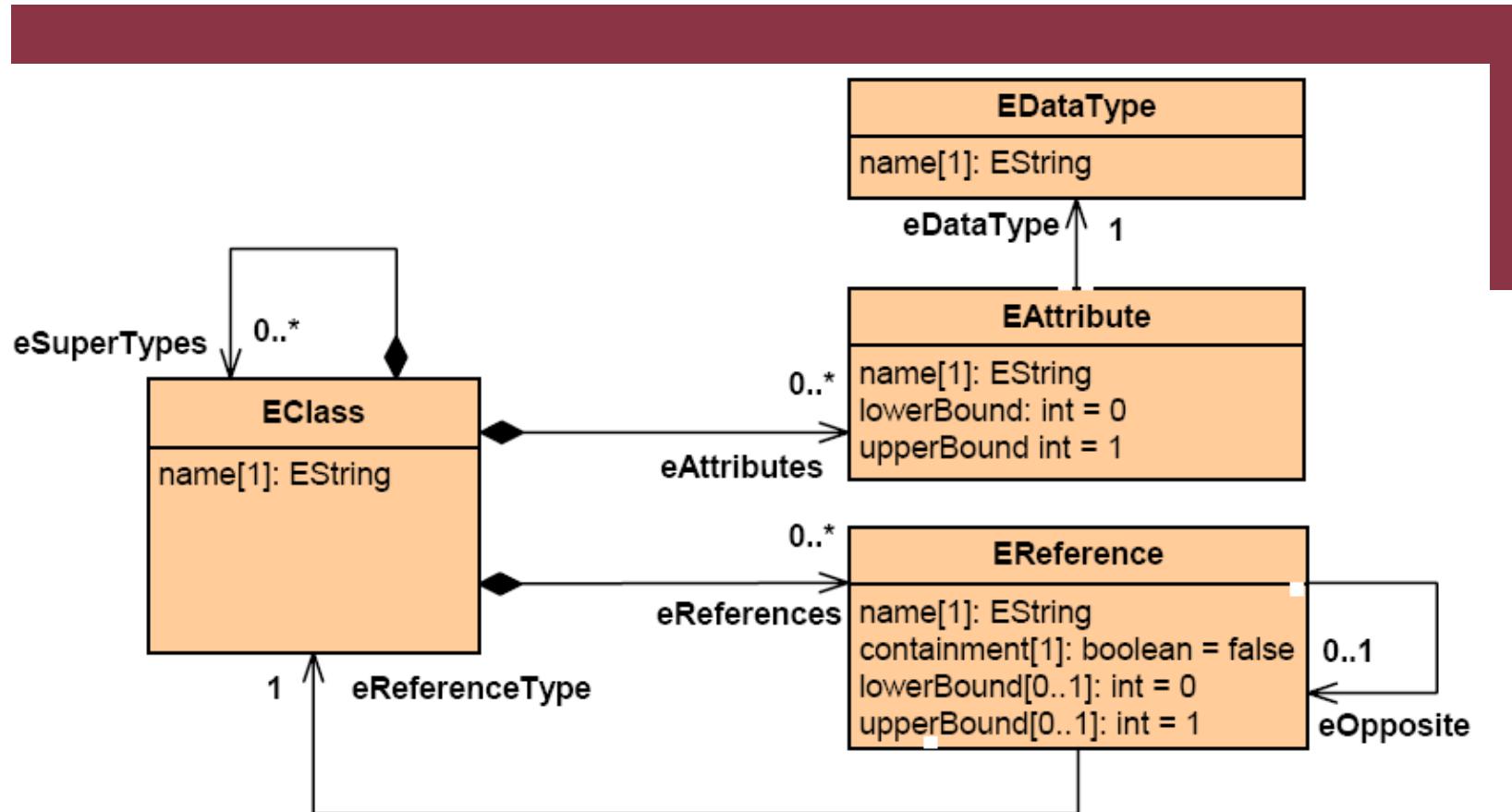
EMF = Eclipse Modeling Framework
Reflective Metamodeling Core

Ecore - why?

Metamodeling language of EMF

Metamodels are platform independent

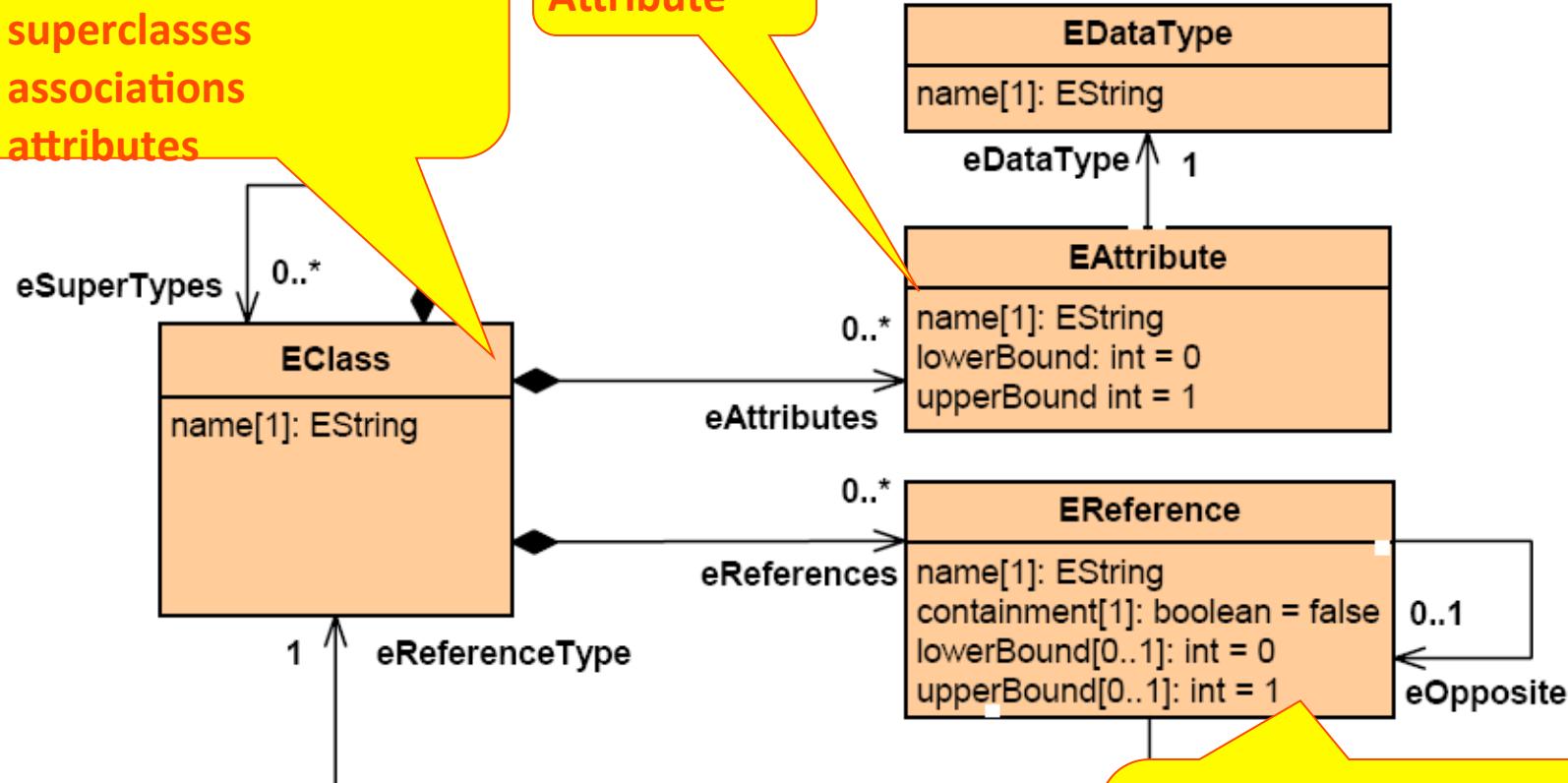
Core EMF



**Class with arbitrary num.
of**

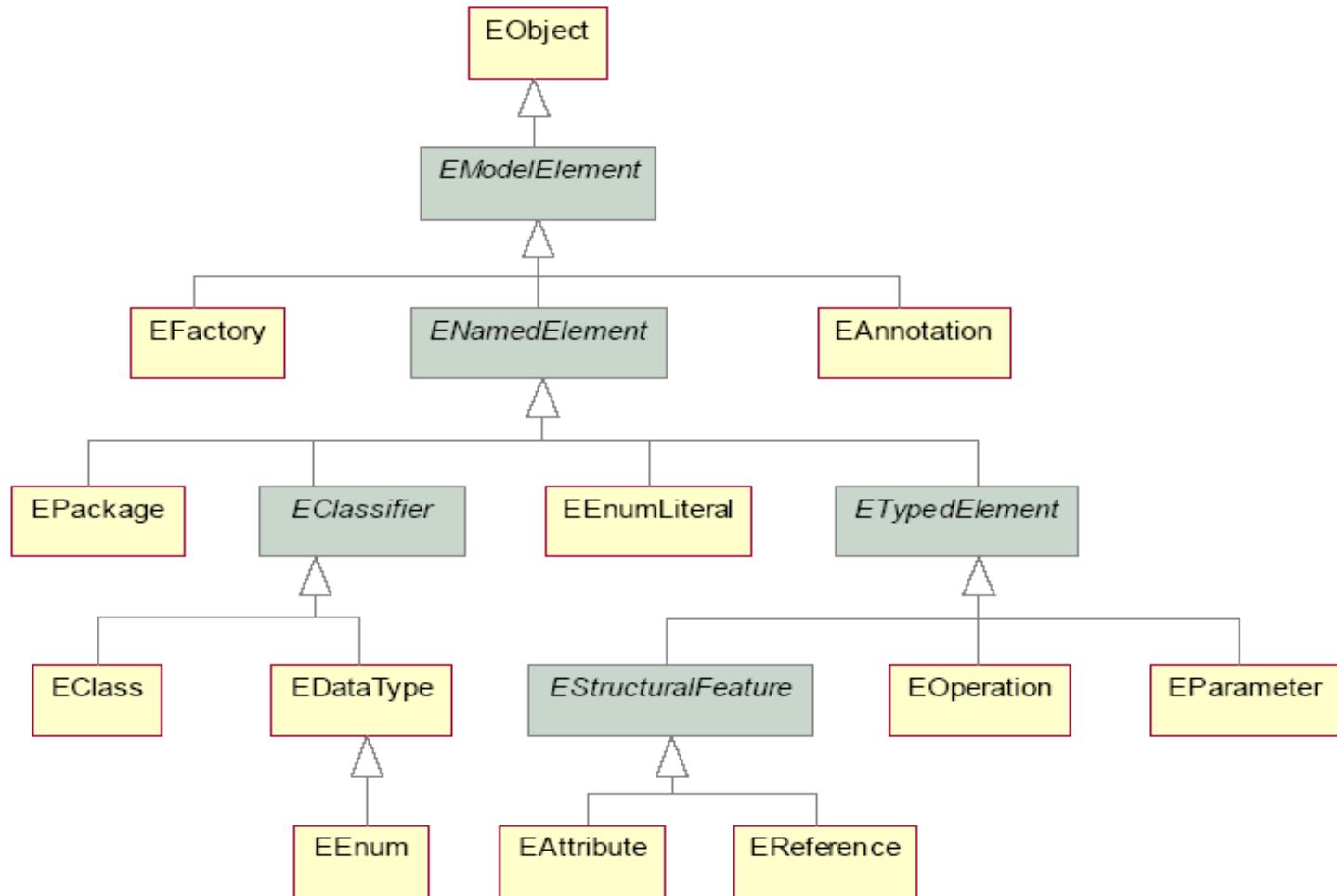
- superclasses
- associations
- attributes

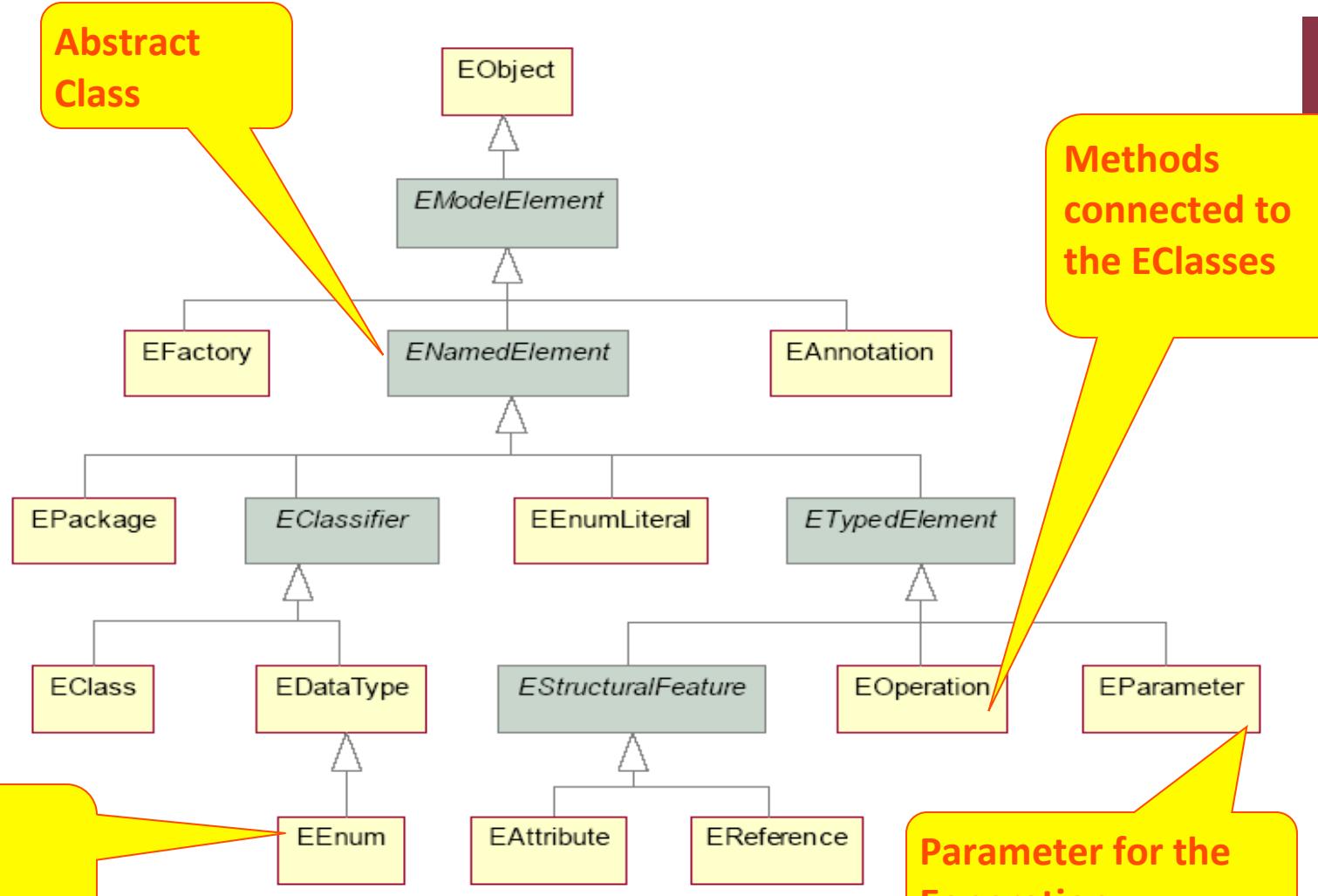
Typed Attribute



**Unidirectional (binary)
relation (Association)**

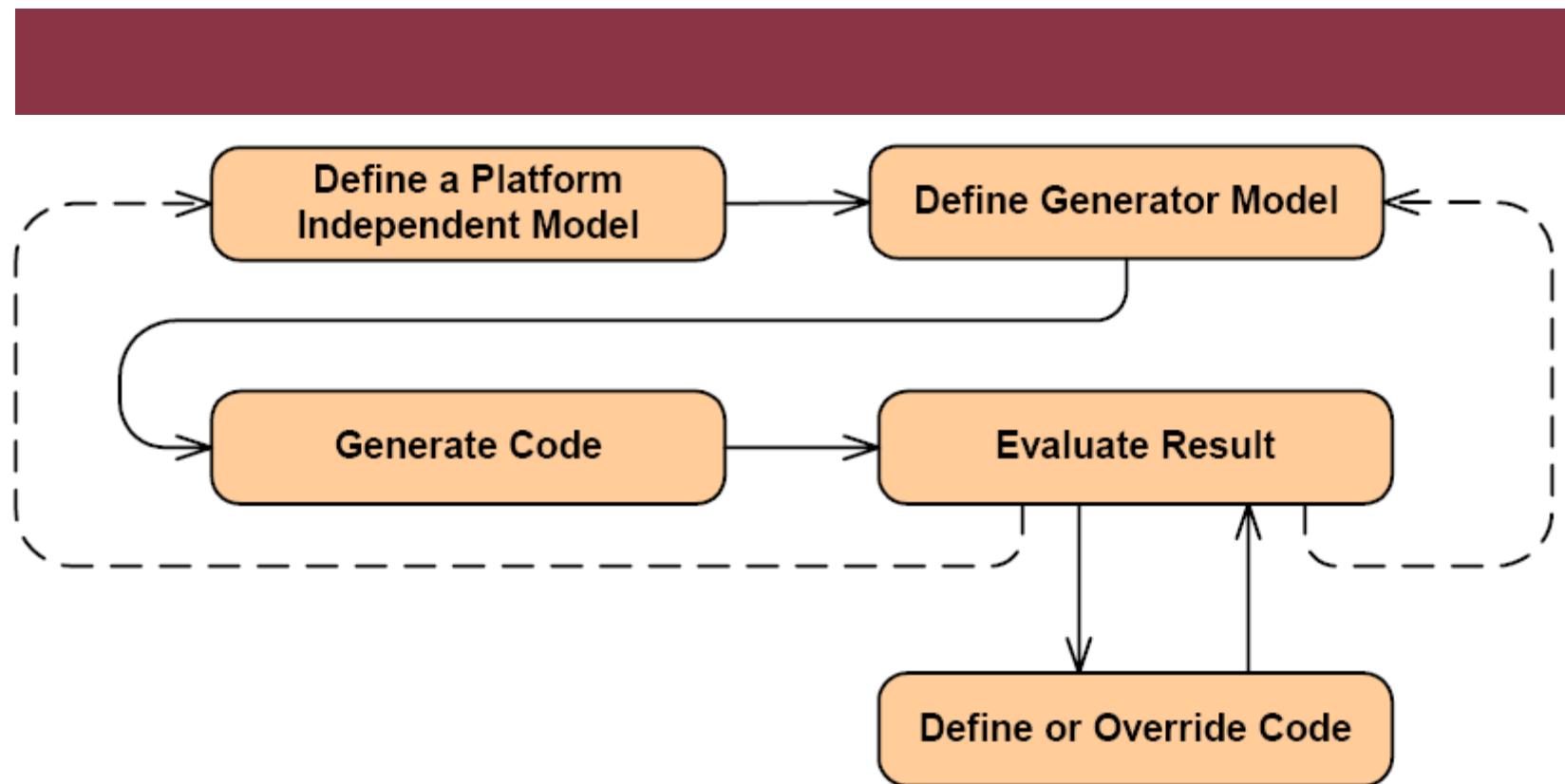
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- multiplicities

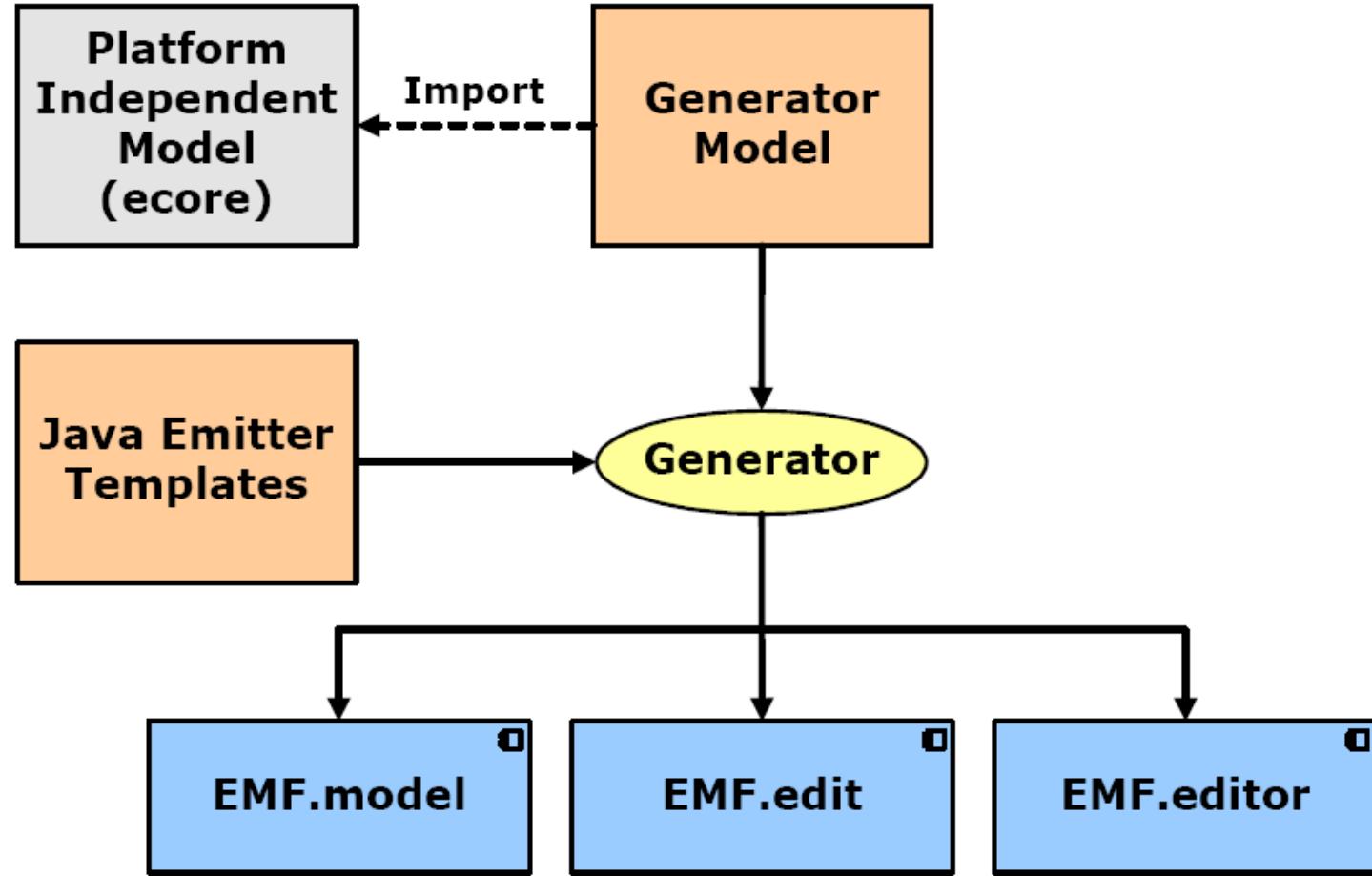


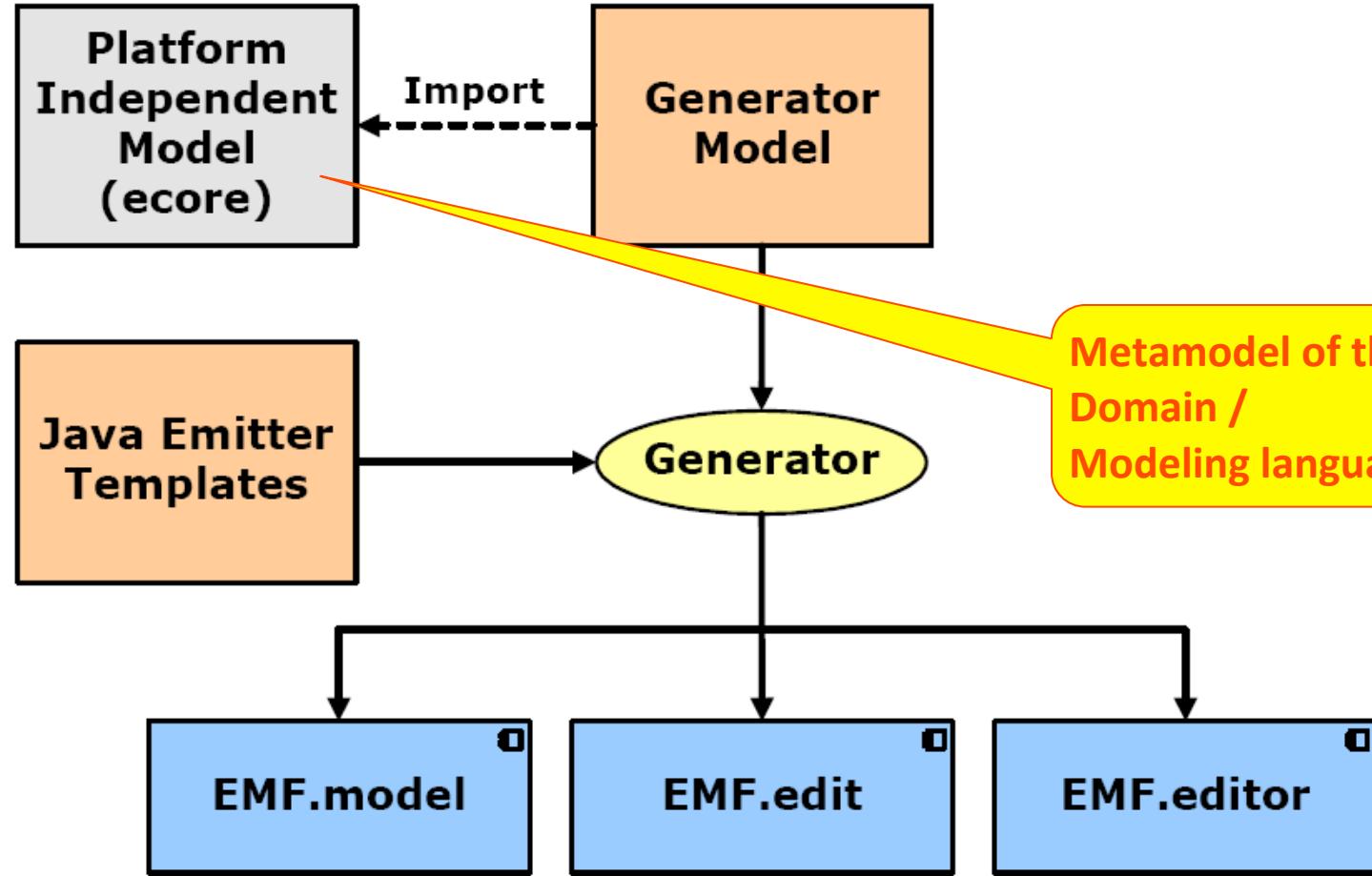


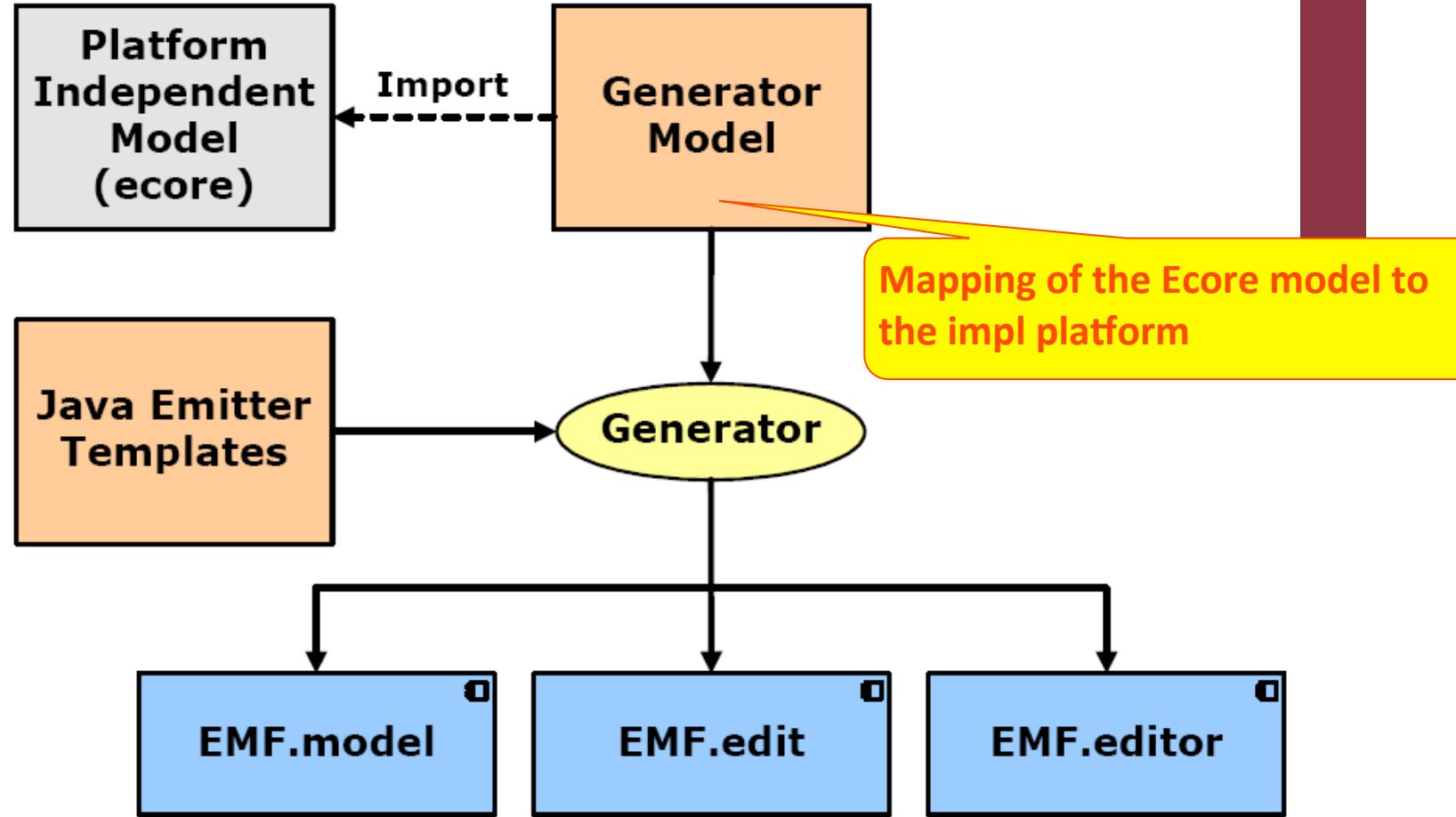
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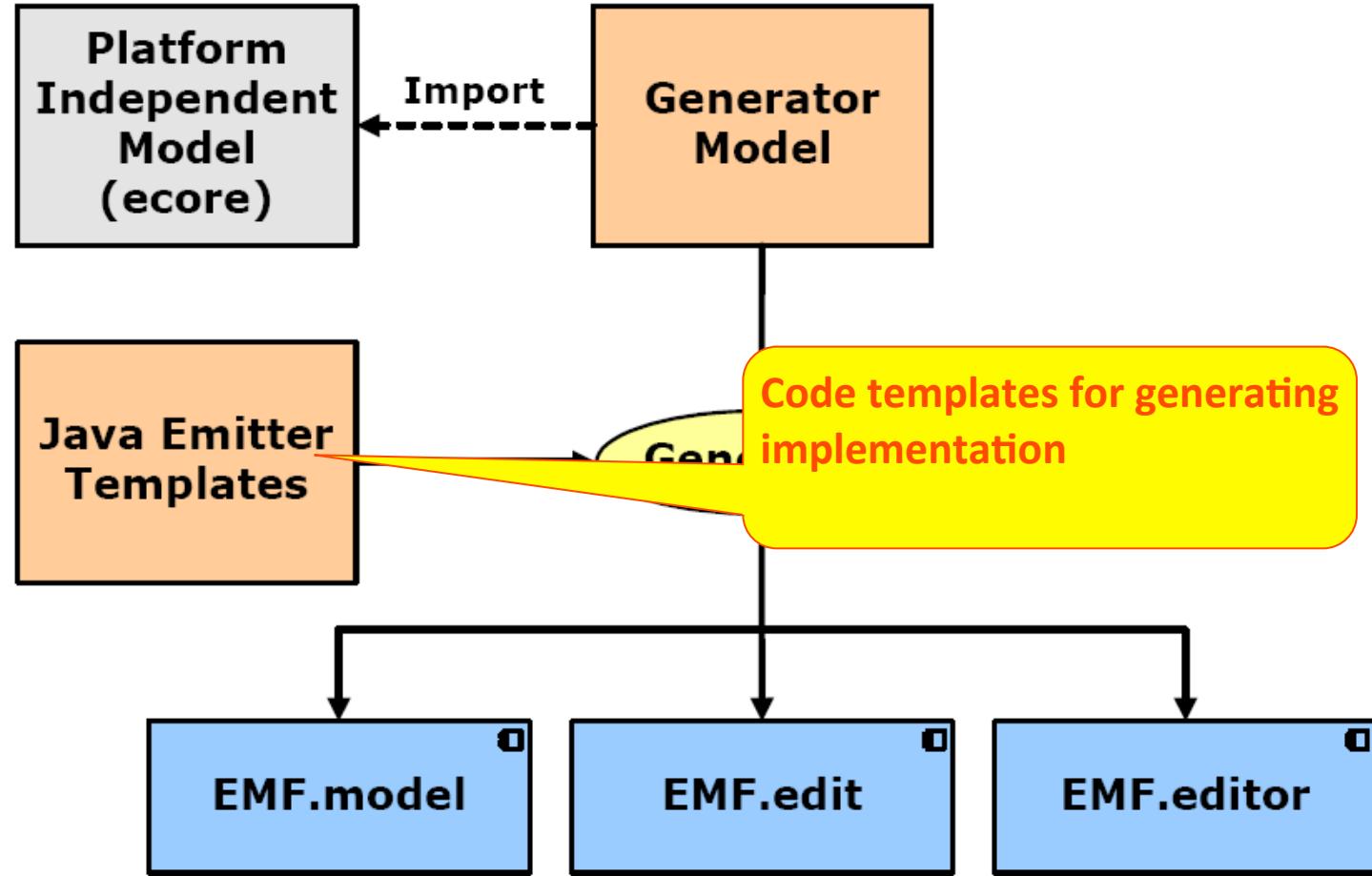
The EMF way

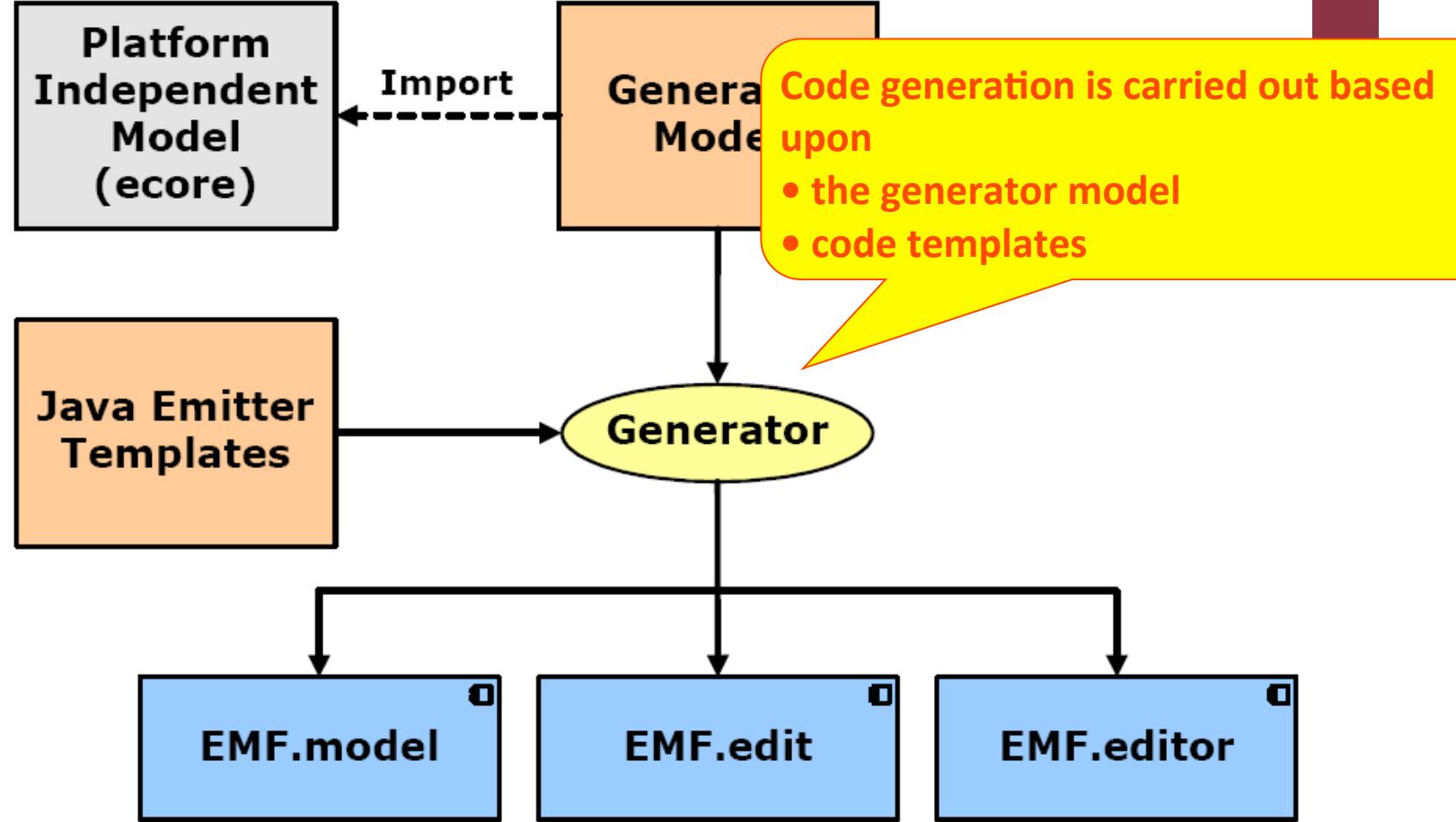


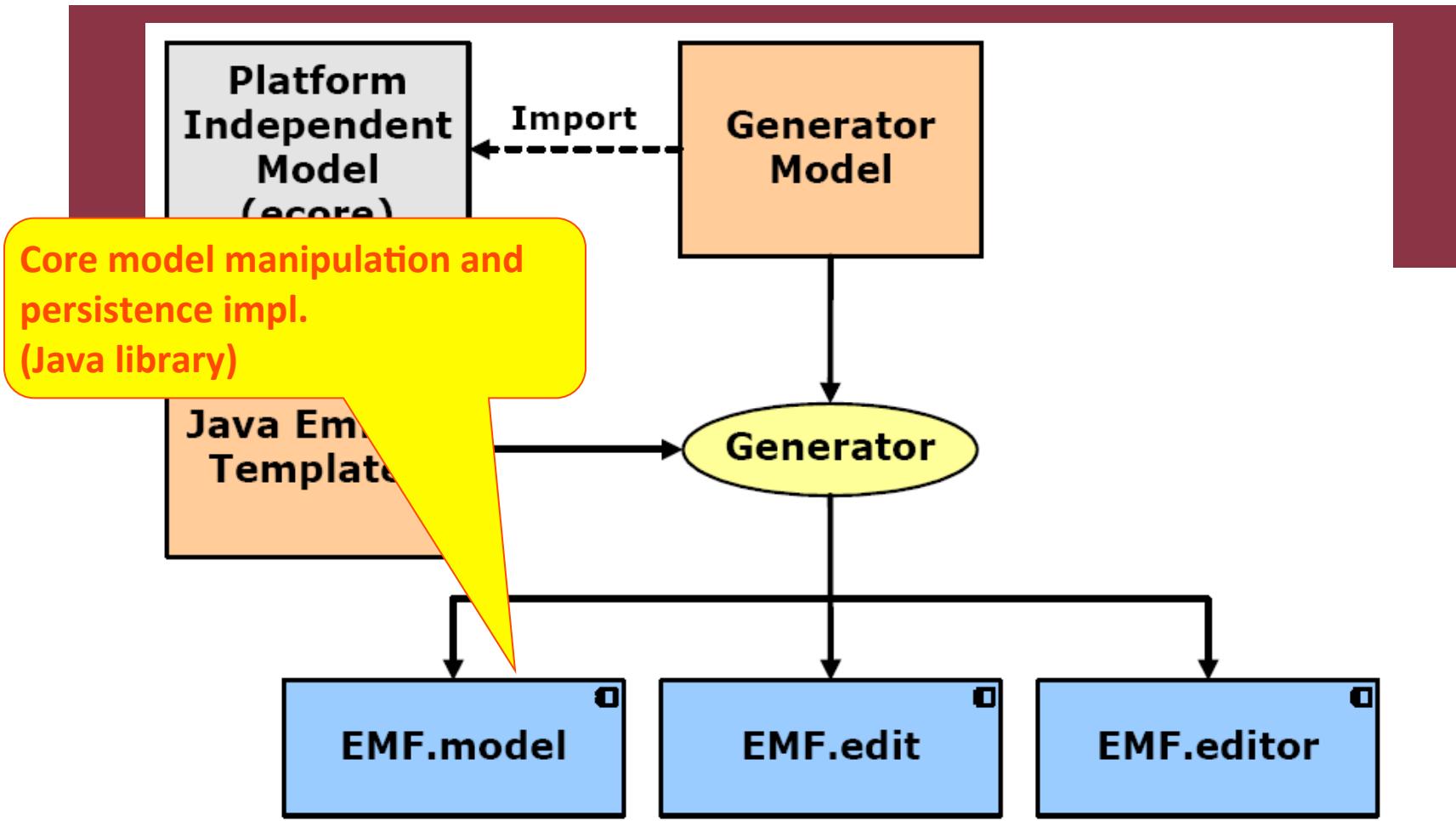


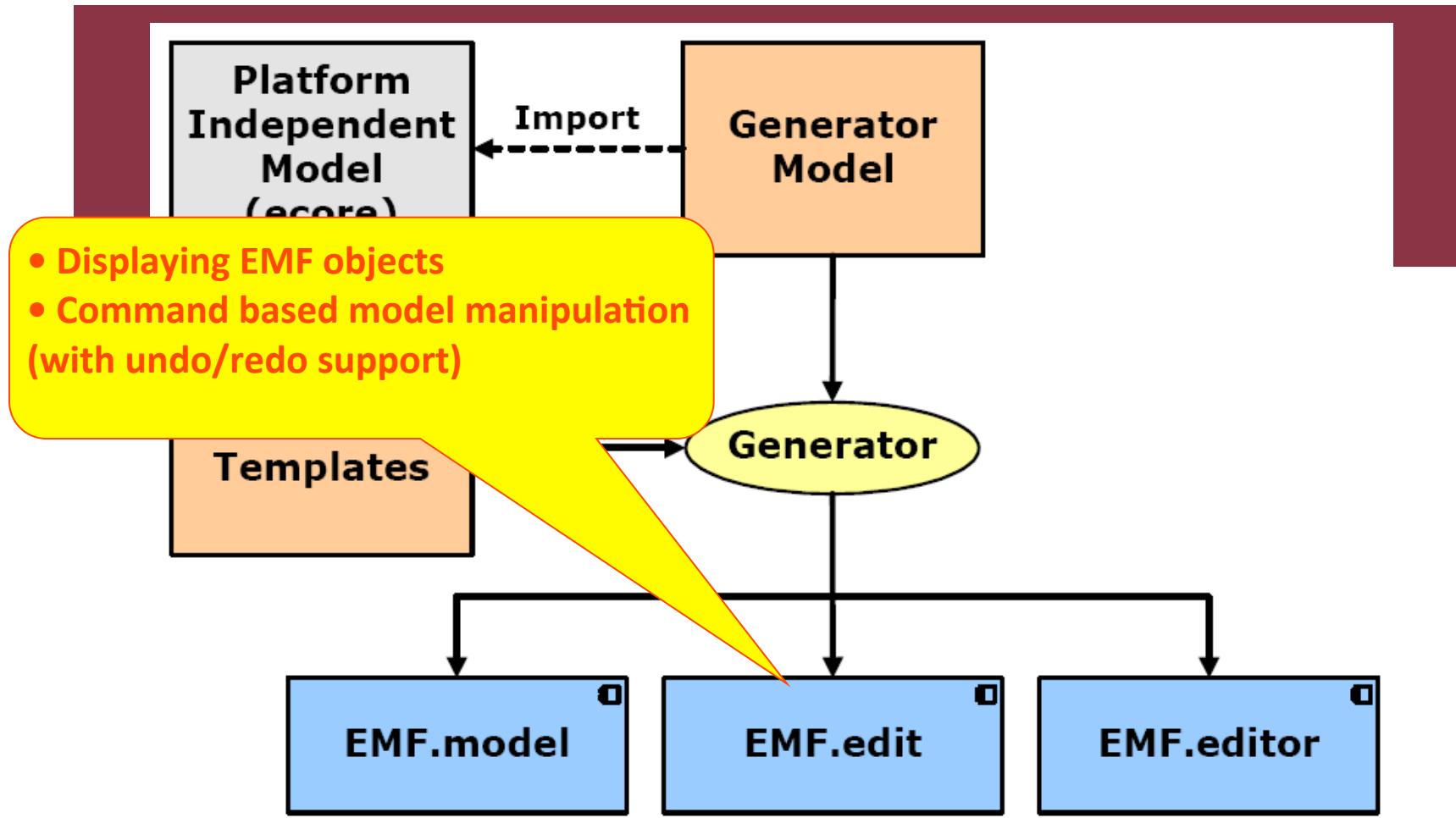


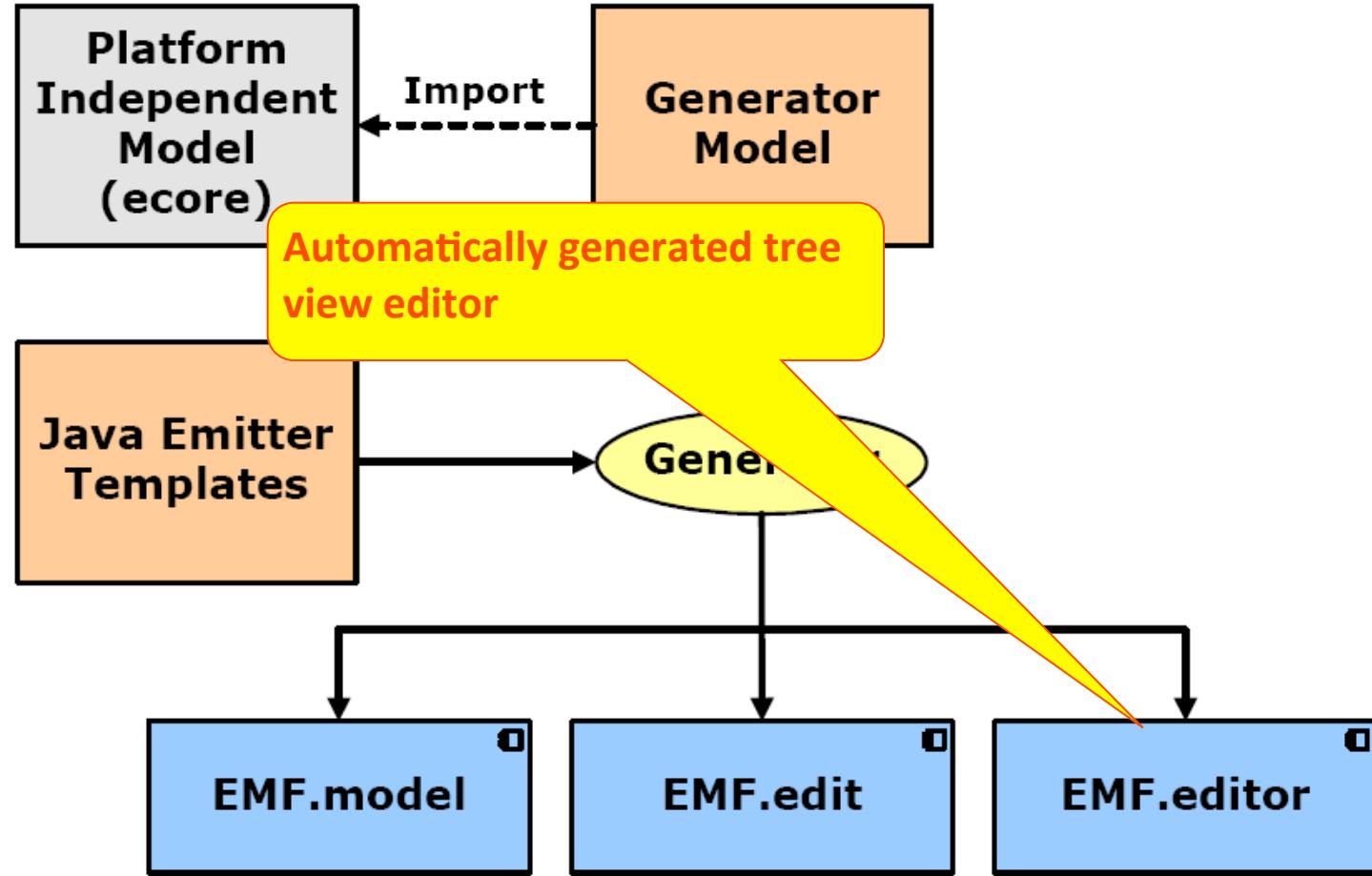






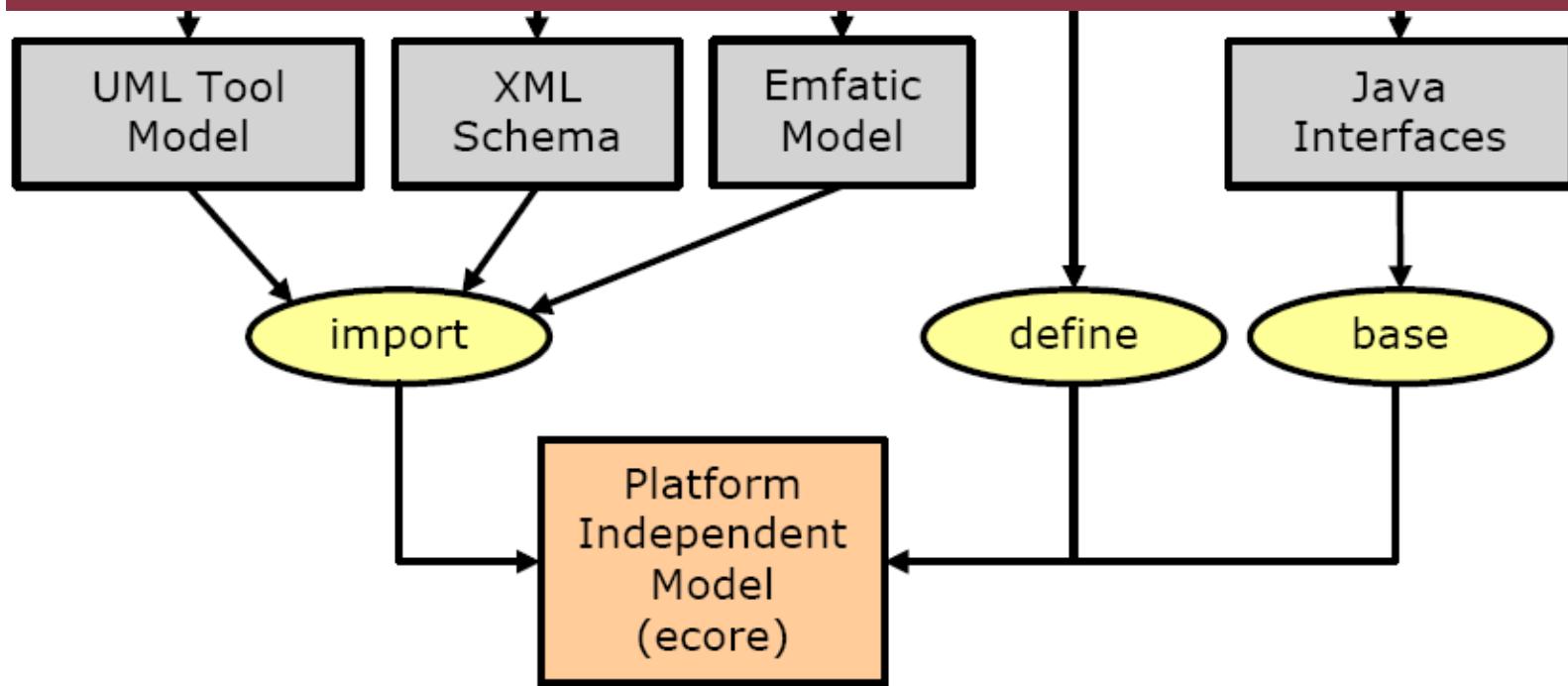






Creating an Ecore model (metamodel)

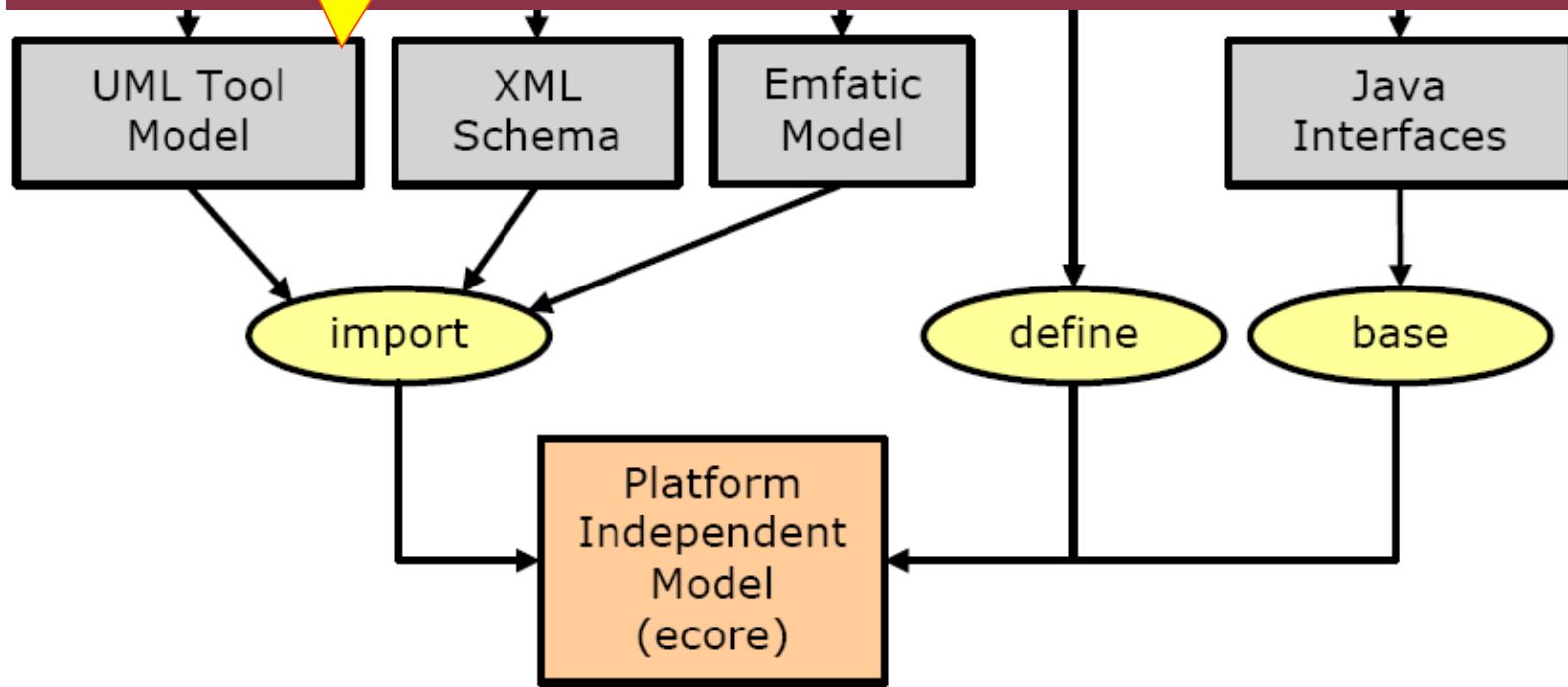
Creation of ECore models



UML class diagram

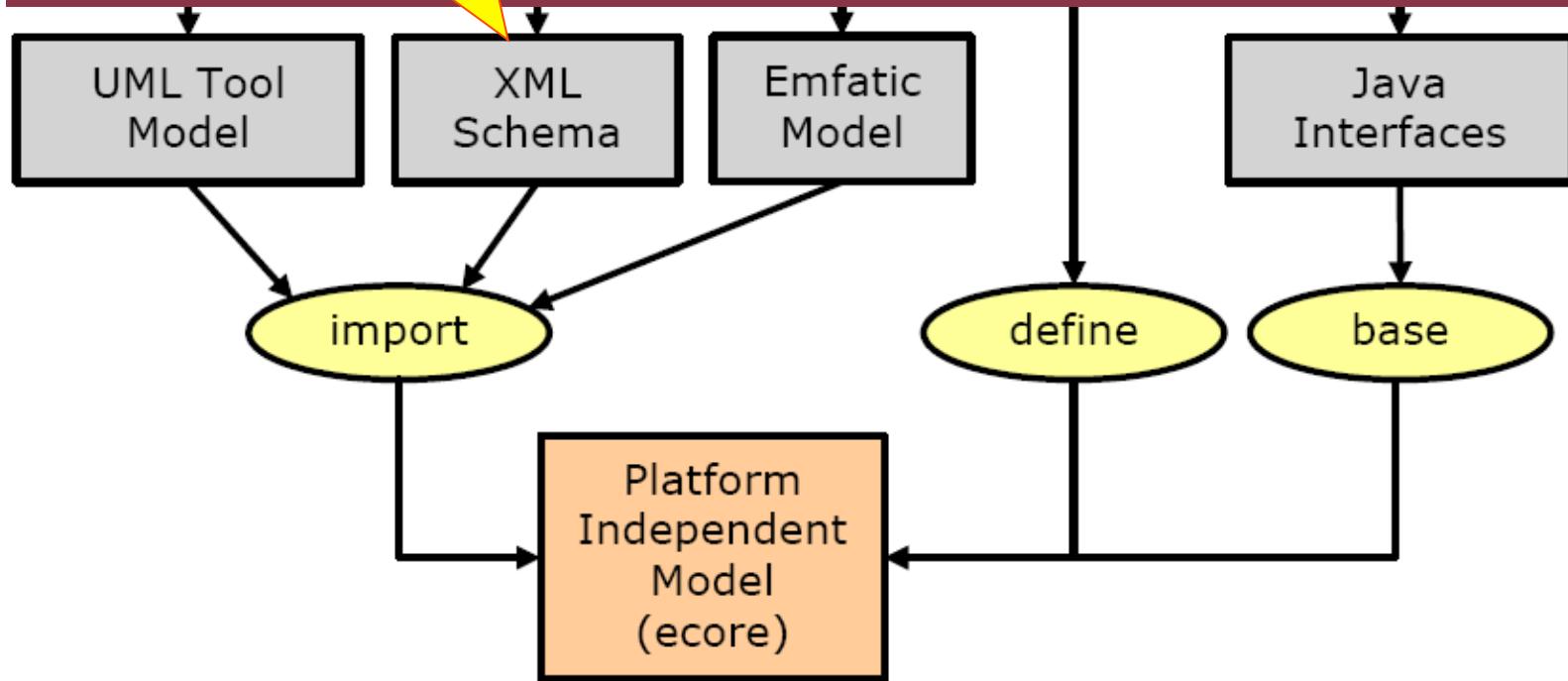
- Rational Software Architect
- EclipseUML (Omondo)
- Borland Together Architect

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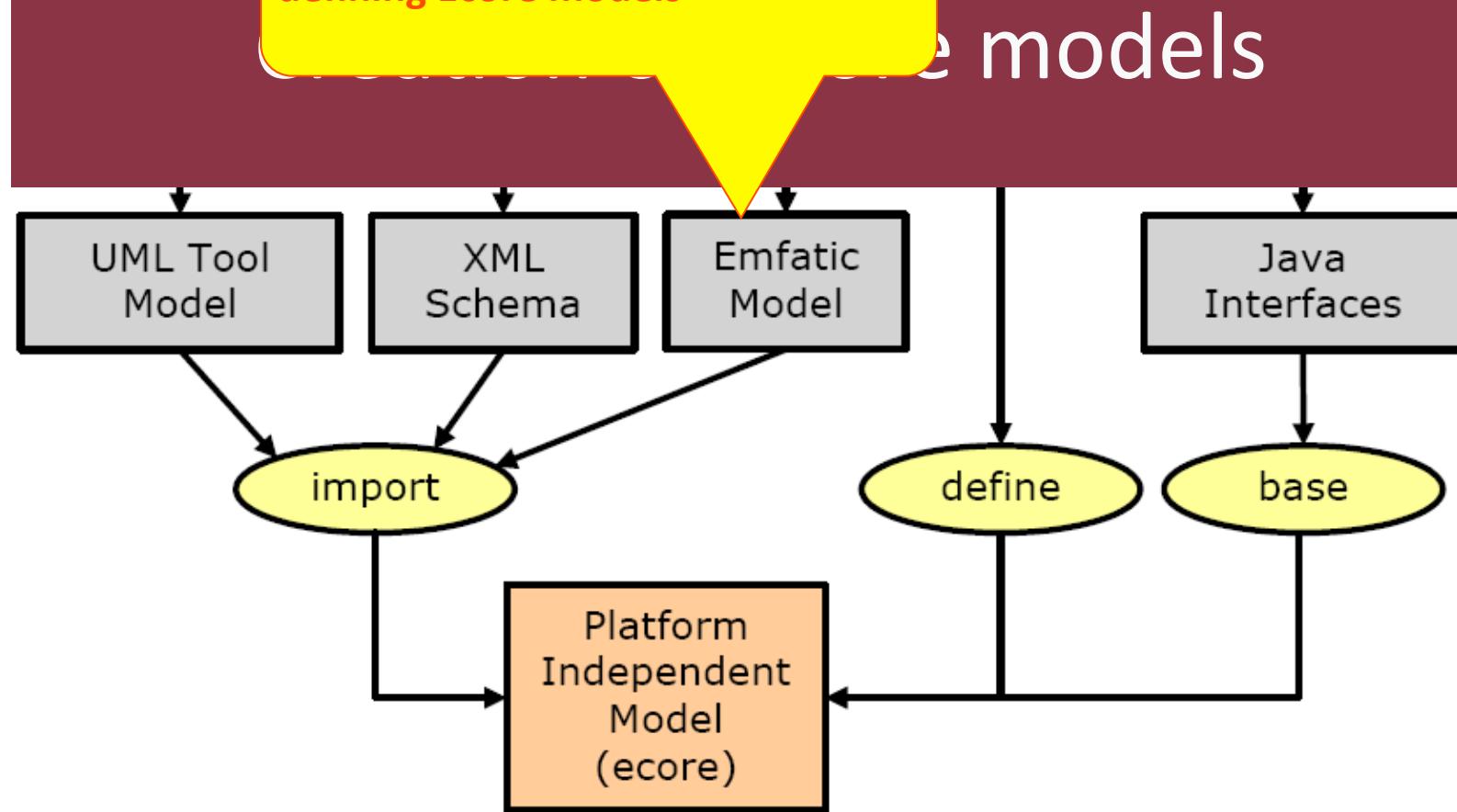


An XML schema is the
metamodel of an XML document

Platform Independent Core models

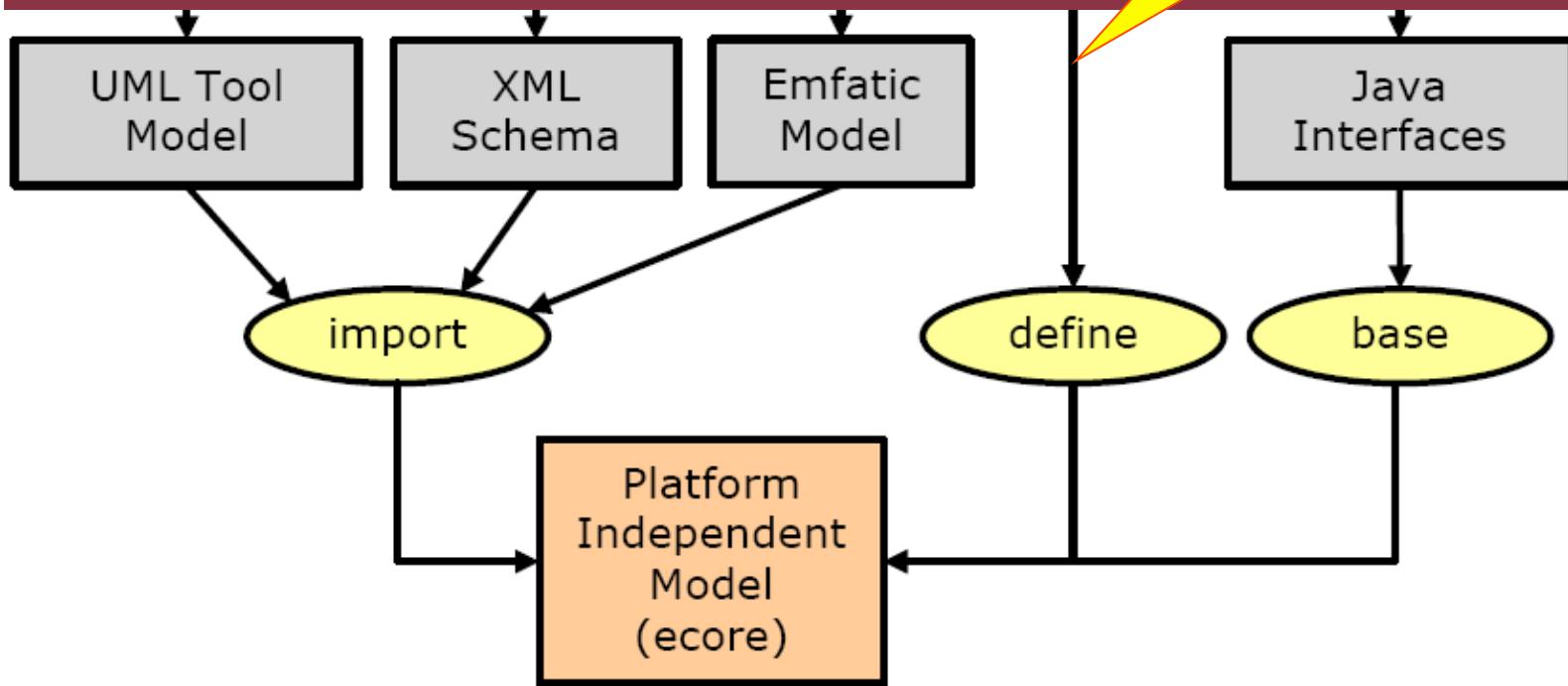


Simple programming language for defining Ecore models



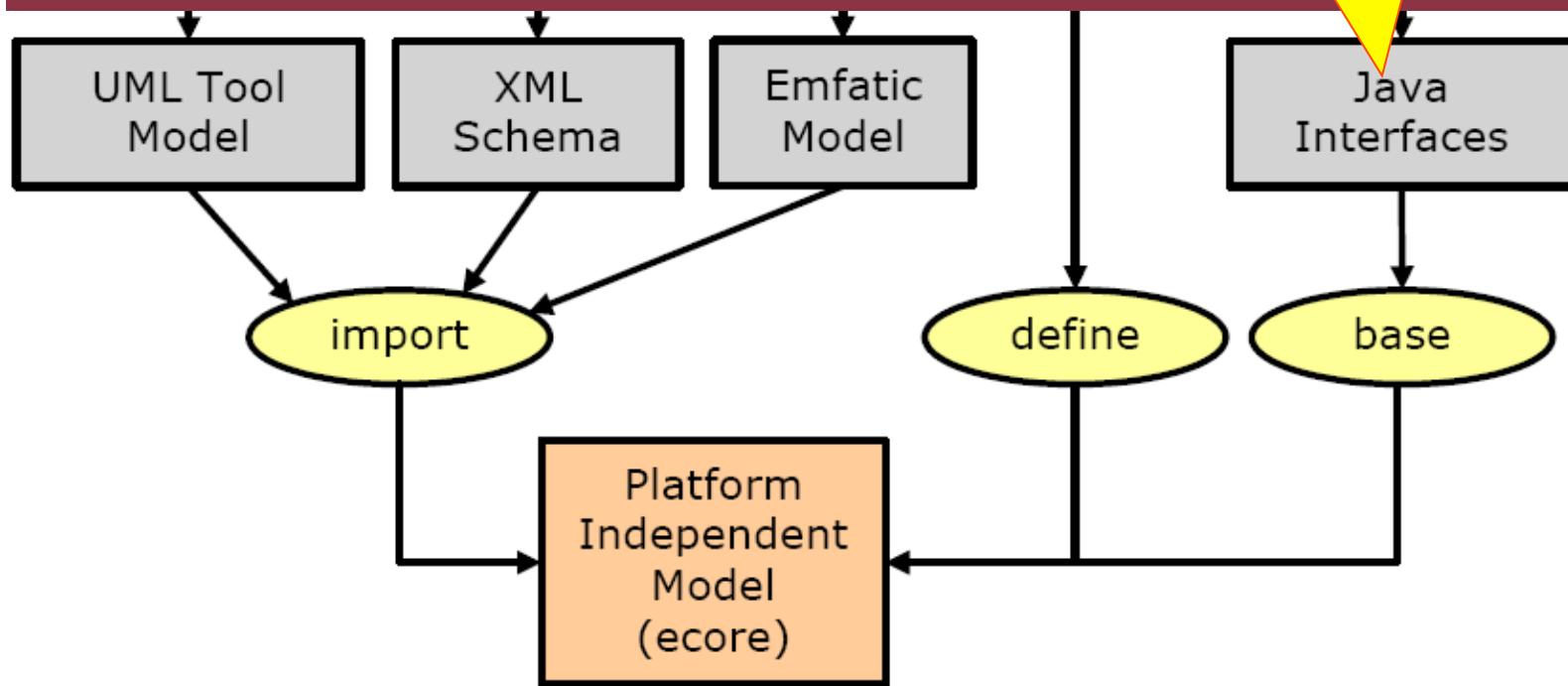
Direct Ecore defining
(e.g., Ecore tree editor)

Creation of ECore models

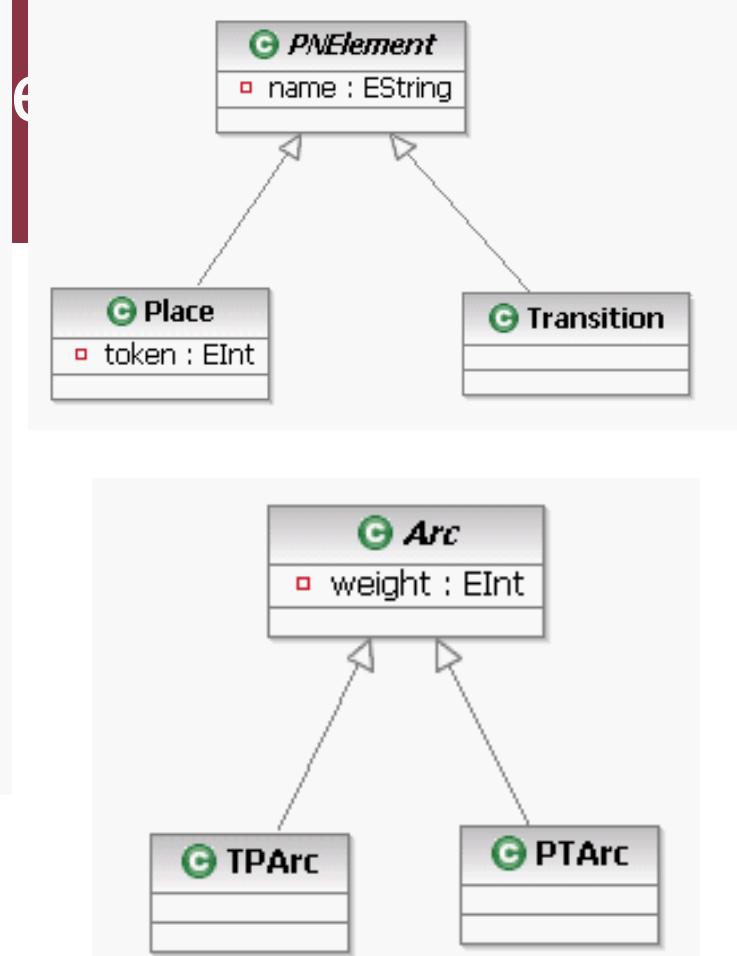
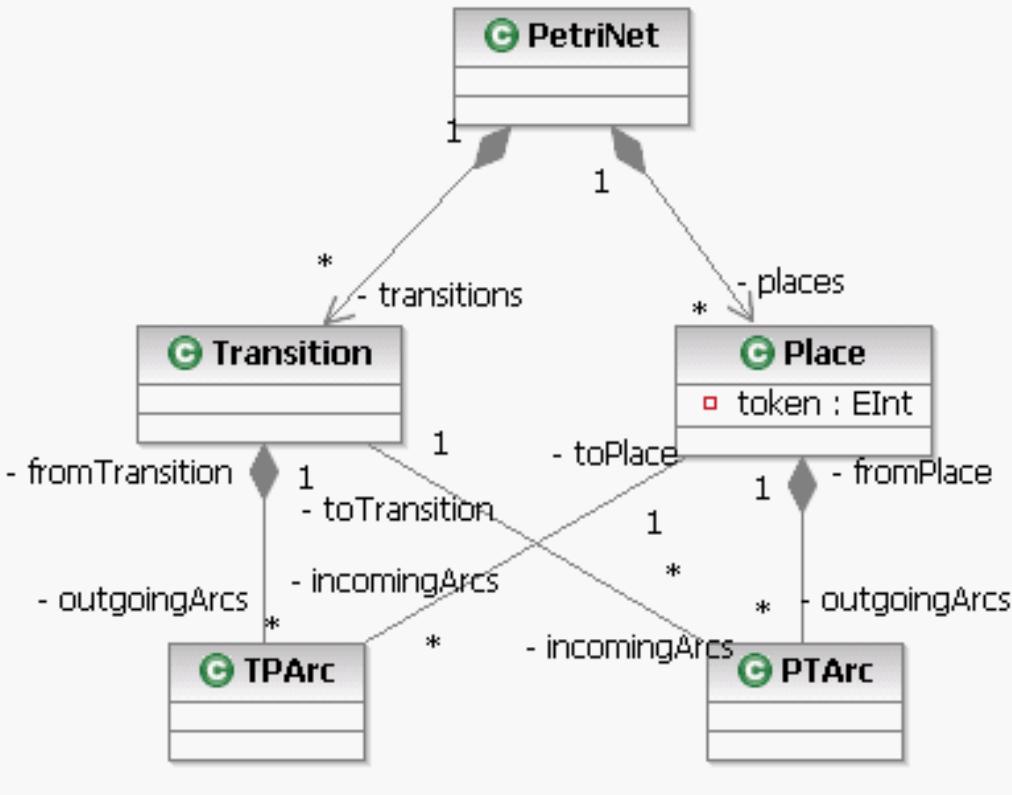


Creation of ECore model

Specially annotated Java interfaces, defines the metamodel

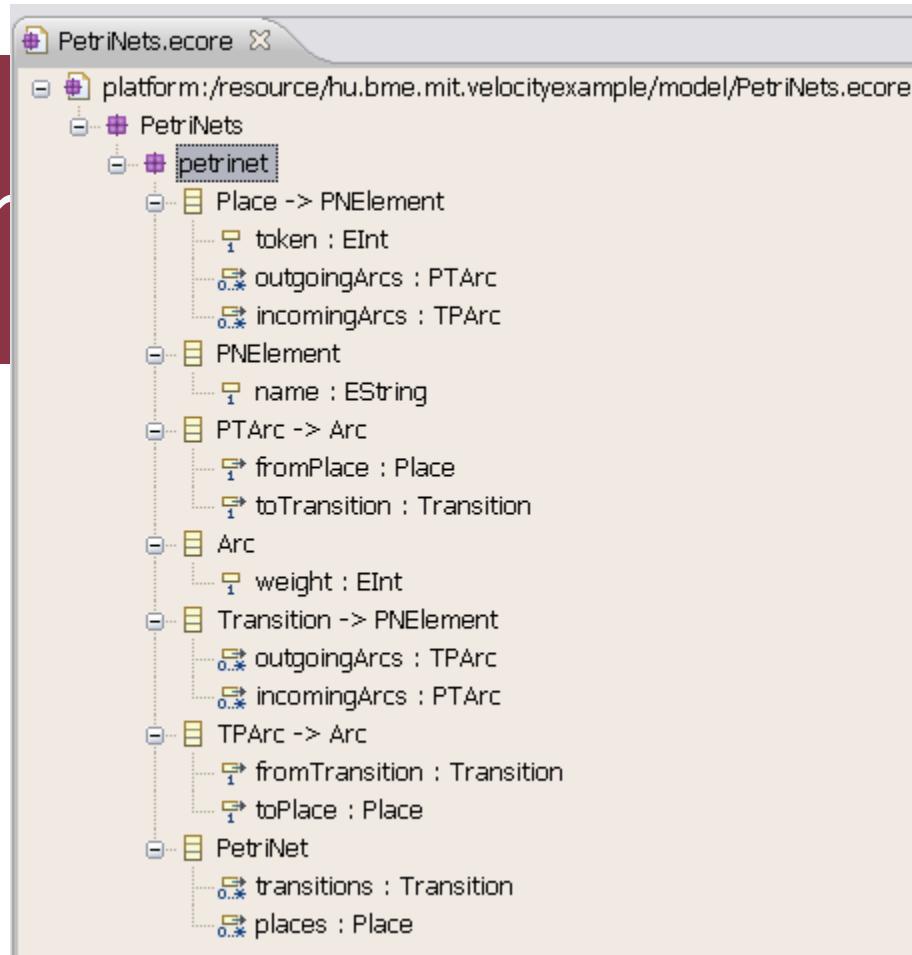


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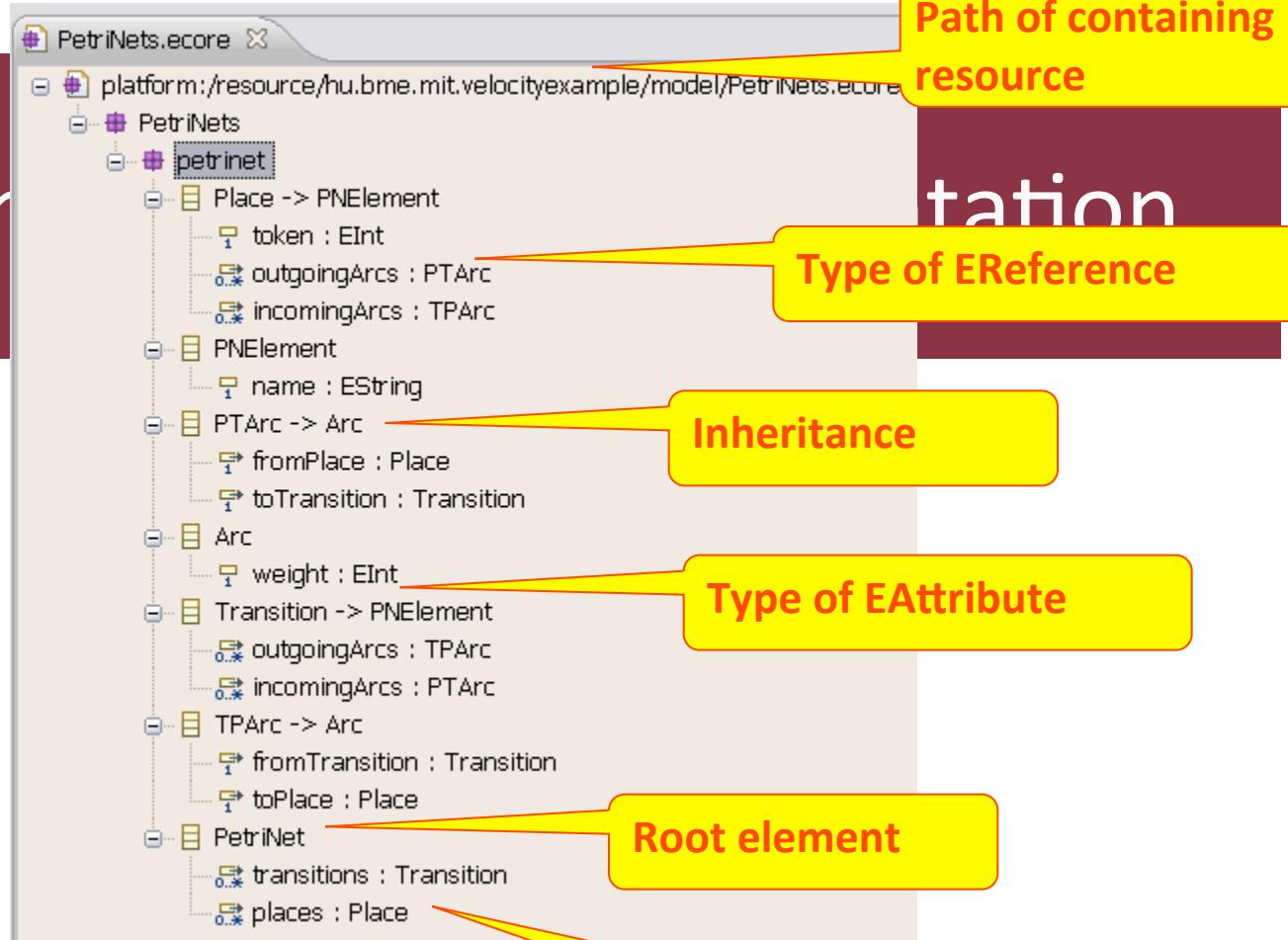


EMF r

tation



EMF



Class Definition in PetriNet.ecore

```
<eClassifiers xsi:type="ecore:EClass" name="Place"  
eSuperTypes="#//petrinet/PNElement">
```

```
<eStructuralFeatures xsi:type="ecore:EAttribute"
```

Class

Class Definition in PetriNet.ecore

Attribute

Reference

Containment

```
<eClassifiers xsi:type="ecore:EClass" name="PNElement">  
  <eSuperTypes>
```

Multiplicity

Type

Opposite End

Code generation from Ecore

Code Generation from Ecore (.genmodel)

ECore model remain pure and
independent

Generator model

Goal:

Specify the attributes of the code

Concurrent model

PetriNets

- PetriNets
- PetriNet
 - Place -> PNEElement
 - token : EInt
 - outgoingArcs : PTArc
 - incomingArcs : TPArc
 - PNEElement
 - name : EString
 - PTArc -> Arc
 - Arc
 - weight : EInt
 - Transition -> PNEElement
 - TPArc -> Arc
 - PetriNet

Problems @ Javadoc Declaration Properties Console Error Log

Property	Value
All	
Bundle Manifest	✓ true
Compliance Level	6.0
Copyright Fields	✗ false
Copyright Text	✗
Language	✗
Model Name	✗ PetriNets
Non-NLS Markers	✗ false
Runtime Compatibility	✗ false
Runtime Jar	✗ false
Runtime Version	2.5
Edit	
Color Providers	✗ false
Creation Commands	✓ true
Creation Icons	✗ true
Edit Directory	✗ /hu.bme.mit.velocityexample.edit/src
Edit Plug-in Class	✗ PetriNets.petrinet.provider.PetriNetsEditPlug
Edit Plug-in ID	✗ hu.bme.mit.velocityexample.edit
Edit Plug-in Variables	✗
Font Providers	✗ false
Optimized Has Children	✗ false
Provider Root Extends Class	✗
Table Providers	✗ false
Editor	
Creation Sub-menus	✗ false
Editor Directory	✗ /hu.bme.mit.velocityexample.editor/src

Generator model

The screenshot shows the Eclipse Modeling Framework (EMF) interface. On the left, there is a tree view of the generator model structure under the root node 'PetriNets'. A yellow callout labeled 'referred Ecore elements' points to the 'Place -> PNElement' node. Below the tree is a toolbar with tabs: Problems, Javadoc, Declaration, Properties, Console, and Error Log. The 'Properties' tab is selected. In the center, there is a table showing general parameters. A yellow callout labeled 'General parameters' points to the 'Value' column. On the right, there is a detailed properties view for the 'PetriNets' node, showing various attributes like 'true', '6.0', and 'false'. A yellow callout labeled 'Edit specific attributes' points to the 'Edit' section of the properties view. Another yellow callout labeled 'Editor specific attributes' points to the 'Editor' section. The bottom of the screen shows the Eclipse status bar.

Property	Value
All	
Bundle Manifest	true
Compliance Level	6.0
Copyright Fields	false
Copyright Text	
Language	
Model Name	PetriNets
Non-NLS Markers	false
Runtime Compatibility	false
Runtime Jar	false
Runtime Version	2.5
Edit	
Color Providers	false
Creation Commands	true
Creation Icons	true
Edit Directory	/hu.bme.mit.velocityexample.edit/src
Edit Plug-in Class	PetriNets.petrinet.provider.PetriNetsEditPlugin
Edit Plug-in ID	hu.bme.mit.velocityexample.edit
Edit Plug-in Variables	
Font Providers	false
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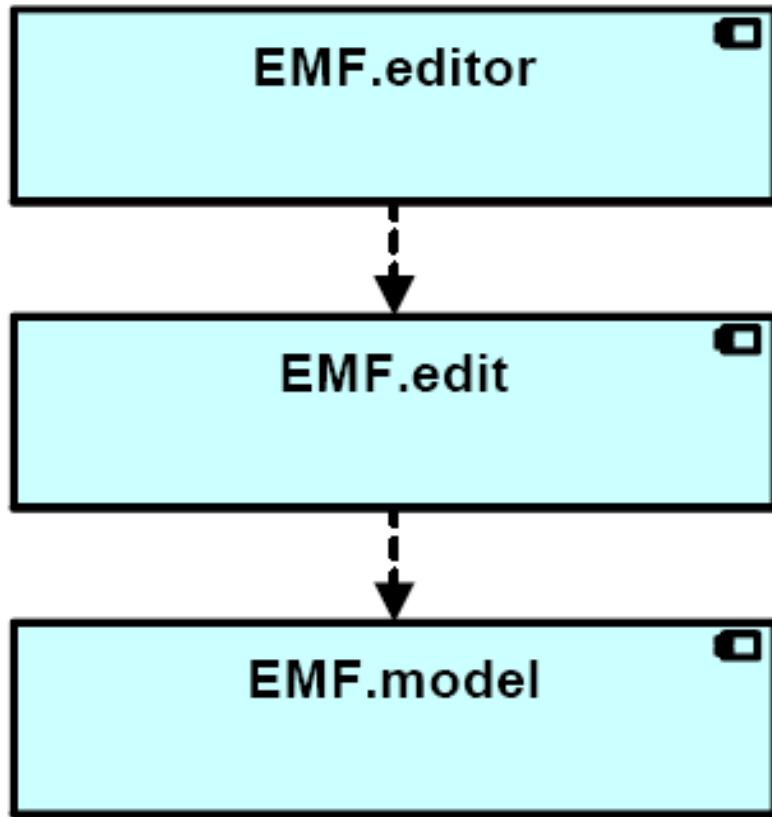
Generated EMF components

Automation in EMF

Model manipulation

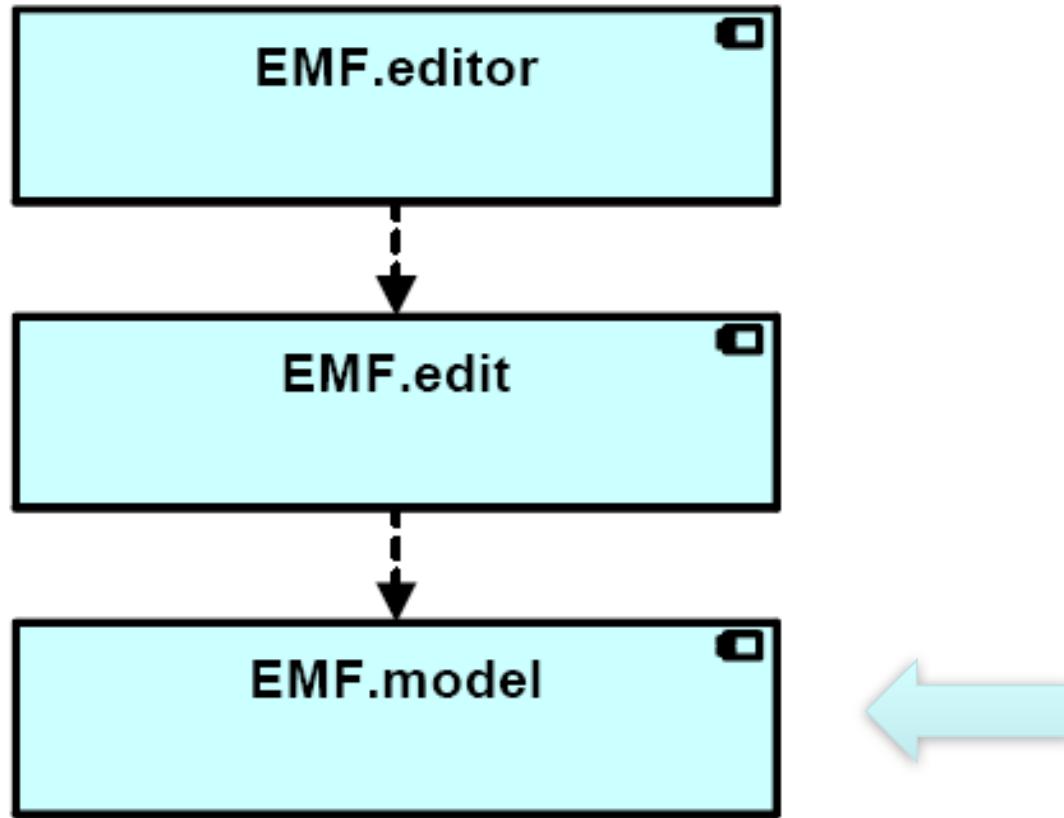
Bidirectional references (also m..n),
Containments

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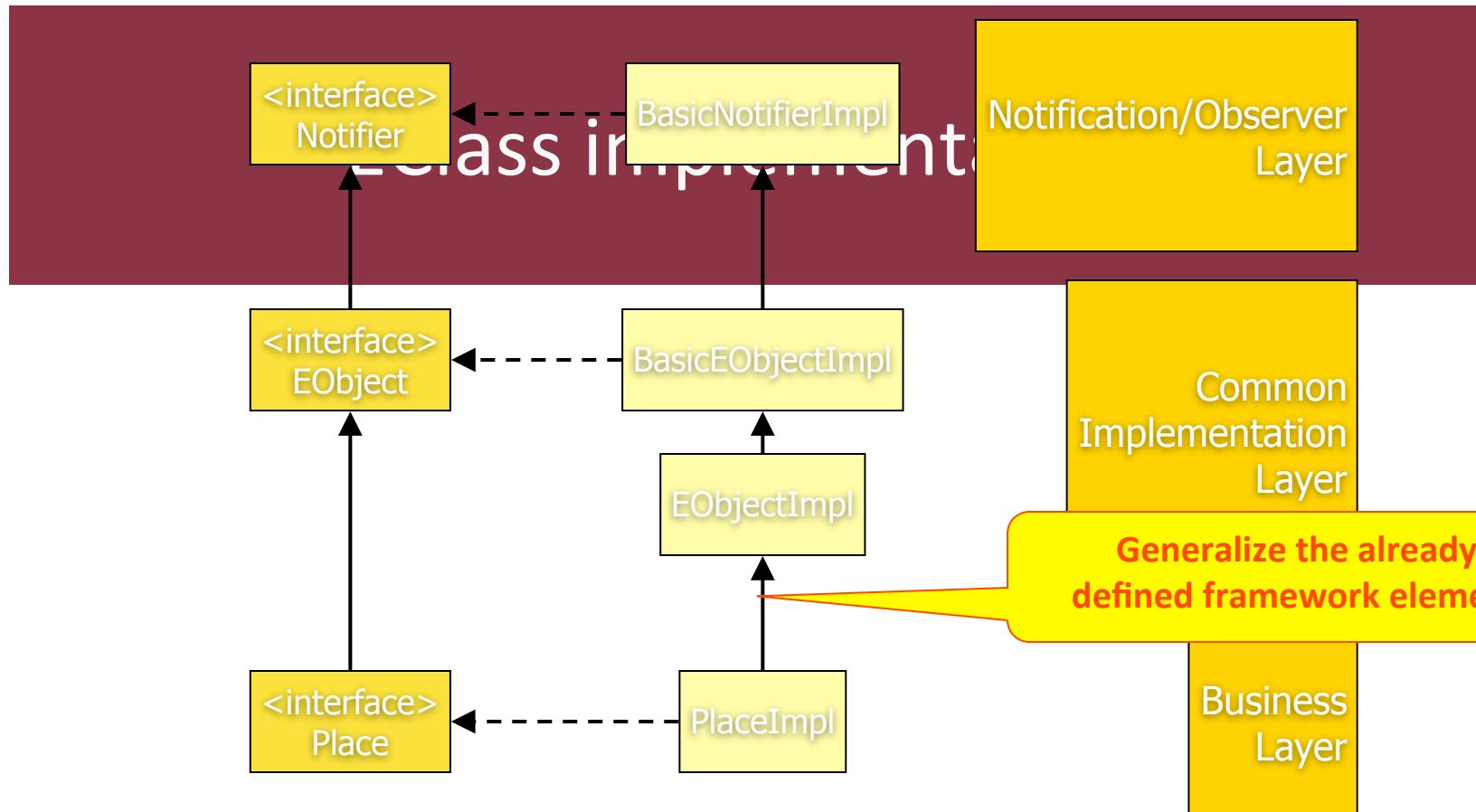
- ❖ 3. Tree Editor
- ❖ 2. Model Manipulation
- ❖ 1. Model Persistency

Generated EMF components



EMF.model

Optimized persistency handling
Fully featured Java code of the ECore



```

* @model
* @generated
*/
public interface Place {
    /**
     * @generated
     */
    int getToken();

    /**
     * @see #getToken()
     * @generated
     */
    void setToken(int value);

    /**
     * @model opposite="fromPlace" containment="true"
     * @generated
     */
    EList<PTArc> getOutgoingArcs();

    /**
     * @model opposite="toPlace"
     * @generated
     */
    EList<TPArc> getIncomingArcs();
}

// Place

```

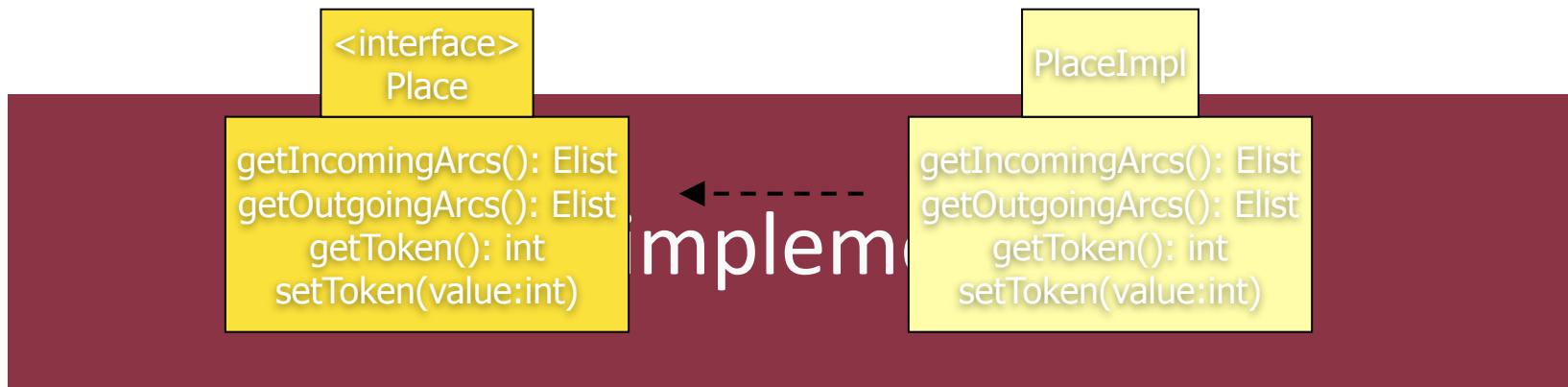
Auto-Generated Interface

EMF specific
„annotations”

Getters/Setters for
attributes

Only getter when
Multiplicity > 1

EList, EMF list interface
(~10 implementations)

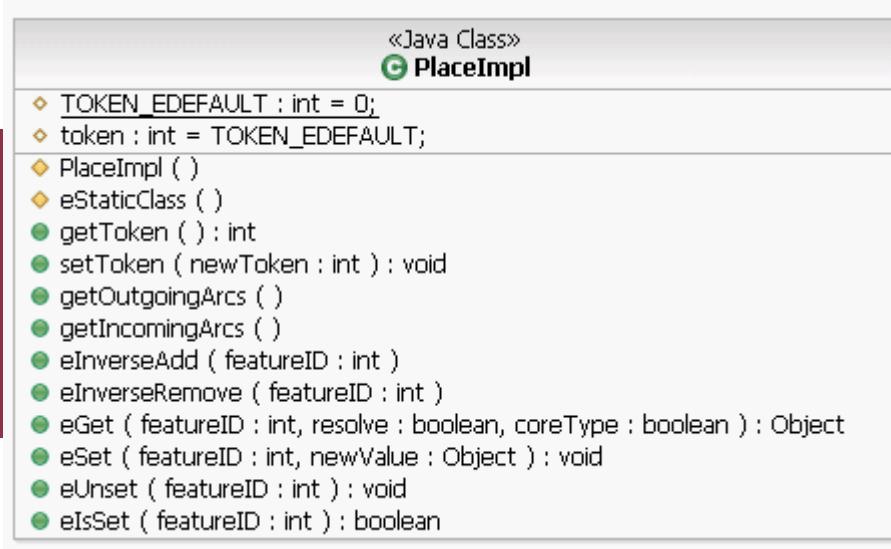


EAttribute -> get/set methods (multiplicity <= 1)

EReference:

„many” -> get

„one” -> get / set



Every Class contains Framework specific methods:

Reflective get/set (eGet, eSet)

Consistency manipulation (eInverseRemove)

**Retruns the static EClass
Implemented by the EObject**

«JavaInterface»
Notifier

**Returns the Resource of which the
EObject is added**

**Reflective
methods**

+ eClass () : EClass
+ eResource () : Resource
+ eContainer () : EObject
+ eContainingFeature () : EStructuralFeature
+ eContainmentFeature () : EReference
+ eContents () : EList
+ eAllContents () : TreeIterator
+ eIsProxy () : boolean
+ eCrossReferences () : EList
+ eGet ([in] feature : EStructuralFeature) : Object
+ eGet ([in] feature : EStructuralFeature, [in] resolve : boolean) : Object
+ eSet ([in] feature : EStructuralFeature, [in] newValue : Object) : void
+ eIsSet ([in] feature : EStructuralFeature) : boolean
+ eUnset ([in] feature : EStructuralFeature) : void

**Containment manipulation
methods**

Every Interface extends the EObject Interface

```

protected static final int TOKEN_EDEFAULT = 0;
/**
 * @generated
 */
public int getToken() {
    return token;
}
/**
 * @generated
 * @ordered
 */
protected int token = TOKEN_EDEFAULT;
/**
 * @generated
 */
public void setToken(int newToken) {
    int oldToken = token;
    token = newToken;
    if (eNotificationRequired())
        eNotify(new ENotificationImpl(this, Notification.SET,
            PetrinetPackage.PLACE_TOKEN, oldToken, token));
}

```

Attribute is mapped to get and set methods

Notification

Type is normally a simple Java type
(int, String, etc.)

Similar to the EAttribute

Notification thrown by EList

Type is normally an other EObject

Handles containment

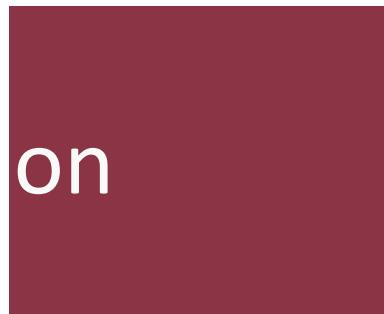
Uses proxy, must be resolved

Have to check opposite EReference
integrity

EReference implementation

```
/**  
 * @see  
 * @generated  
 * @since 4.7  
 */  
  
protected EList<TPArc> incomingArcs = null;  
/**  
 * @generated  
 */  
  
public EList<TPArc> getIncomingArcs() {  
    if (incomingArcs == null) {  
        incomingArcs = new EObjectWithInverseResolvingEList<TPArc>(TPArc.class,  
            this,  
            PetrinetPackage.PLACE__INCOMING_ARCS,  
            PetrinetPackage.TP_ARC__TO_PLACE);  
    }  
    return incomingArcs;  
}
```

```
public class XImpl extends EObjectImpl implements X {  
    /**  
     * @generated NOT  
     */  
    void f() {  
        // Provide the implementation  
    }  
}
```



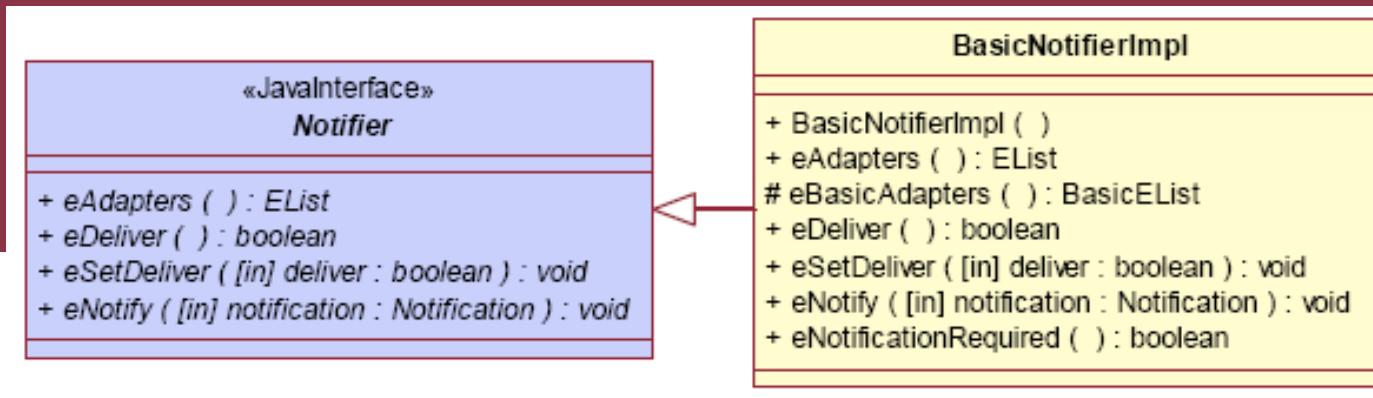
Represents the frame of a Java method

Represented both in the interface and implementing class

Important:

Have to change the generated annotation to **NOT**

Have to implement the method manually



- Observer pattern
- Behavior extension
- Events stored in a Notification class
- Can be parametrized in the genmodel

EFactory implementation

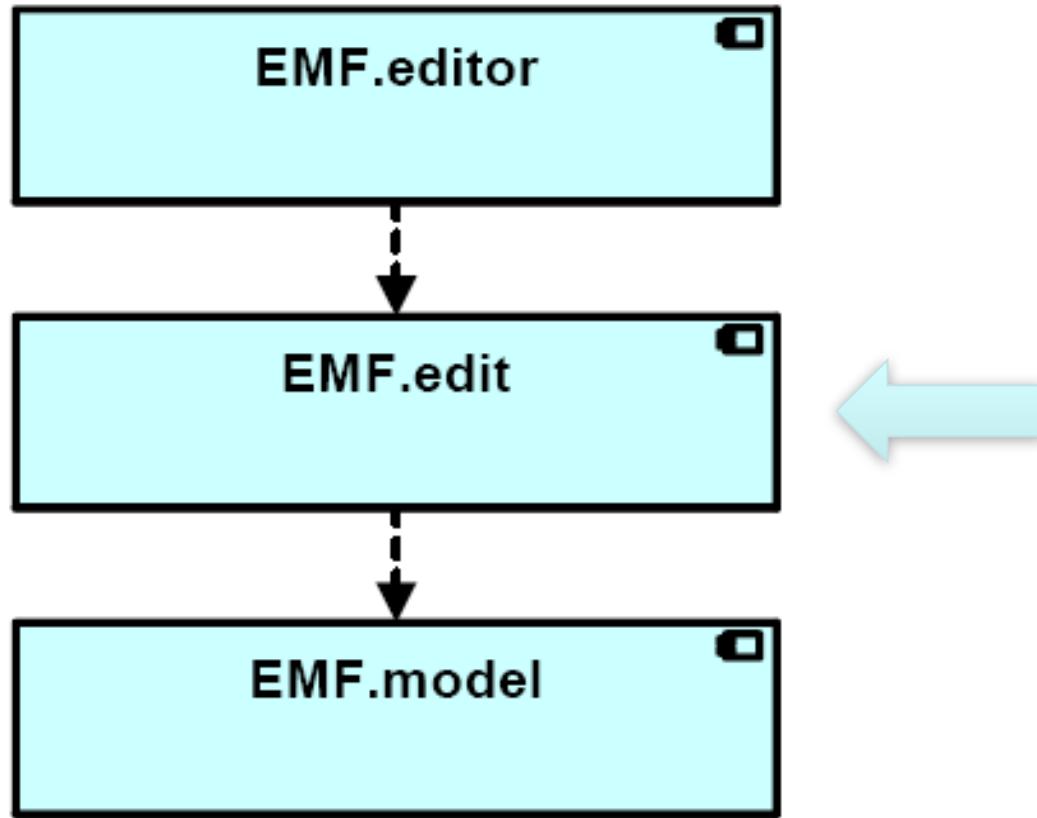
```
public interface PetrinetFactory {  
    Place createPlace();  
  
    PTArc createPTArc();  
  
    Transition createTransition();  
  
    TPArc createTPArc();  
  
    PetriNet createPetriNet();  
  
    PetrinetPackage getPetrinetPackage();  
}  
//PetrinetFactory
```

Single instance

Create methods by type

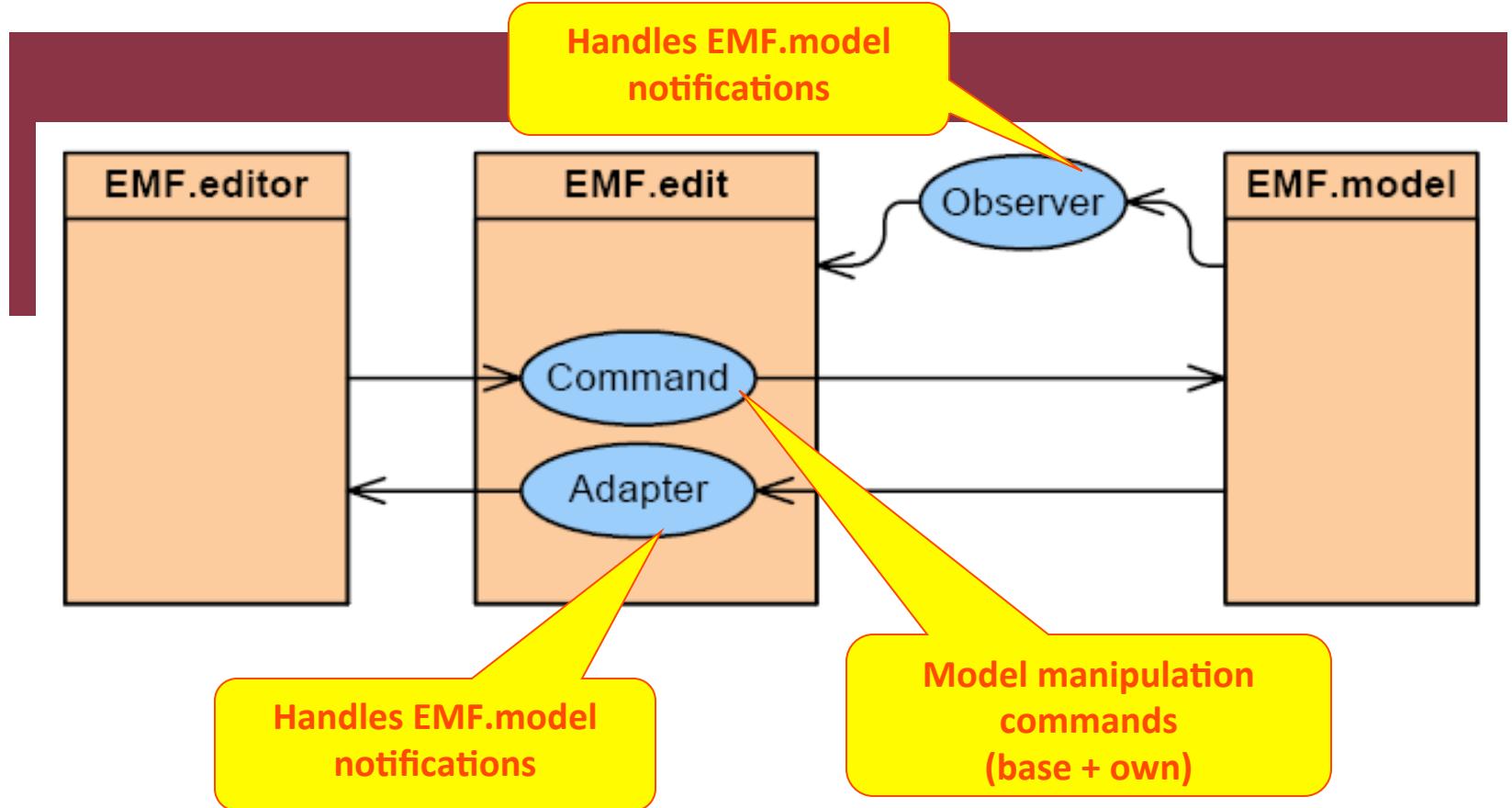
One-to-one reference to Petrinet EPackage

Generated EMF components



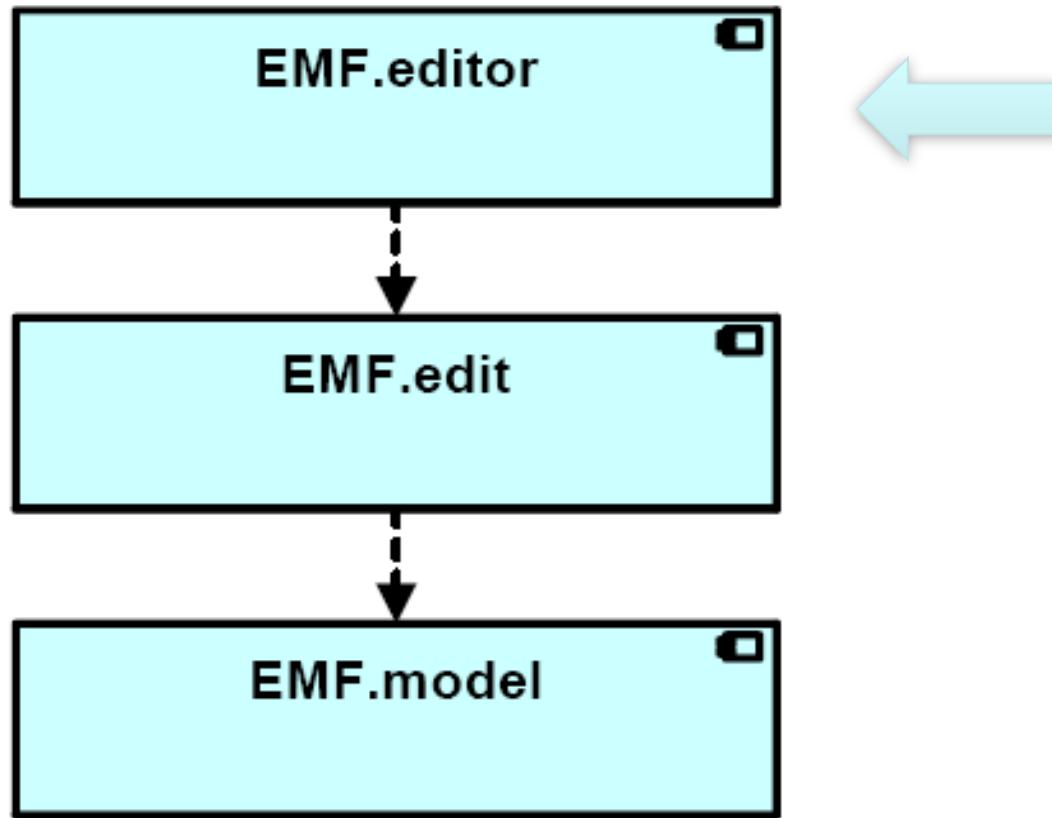
EMF.Edit

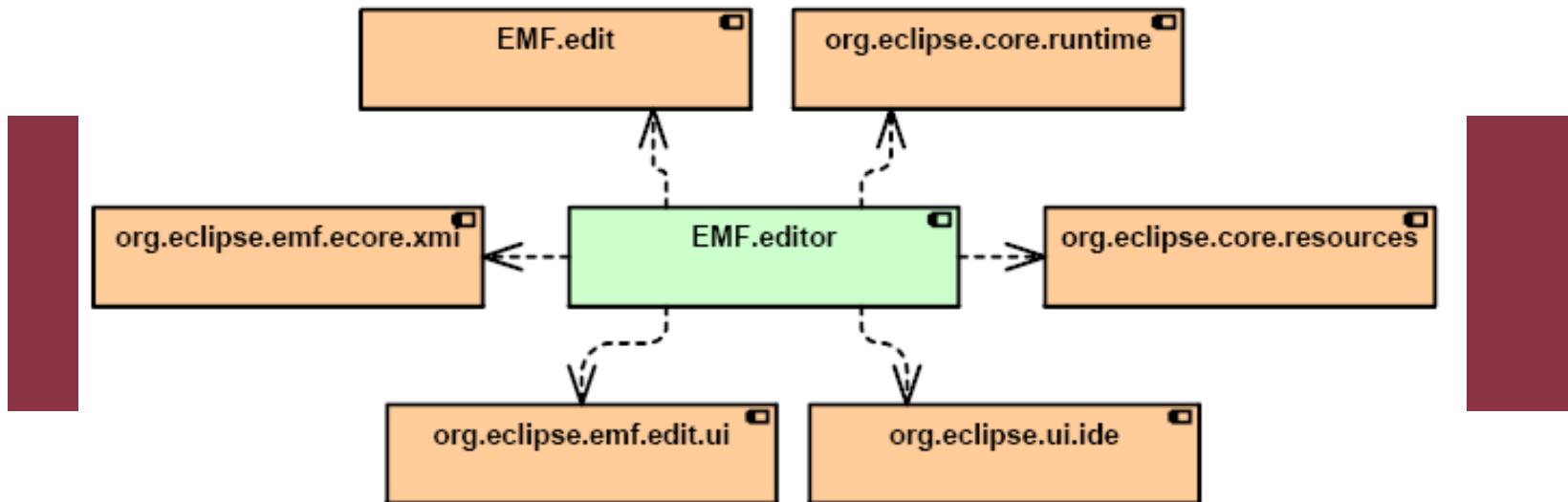
Separates the GUI and the model
GUI independent commands



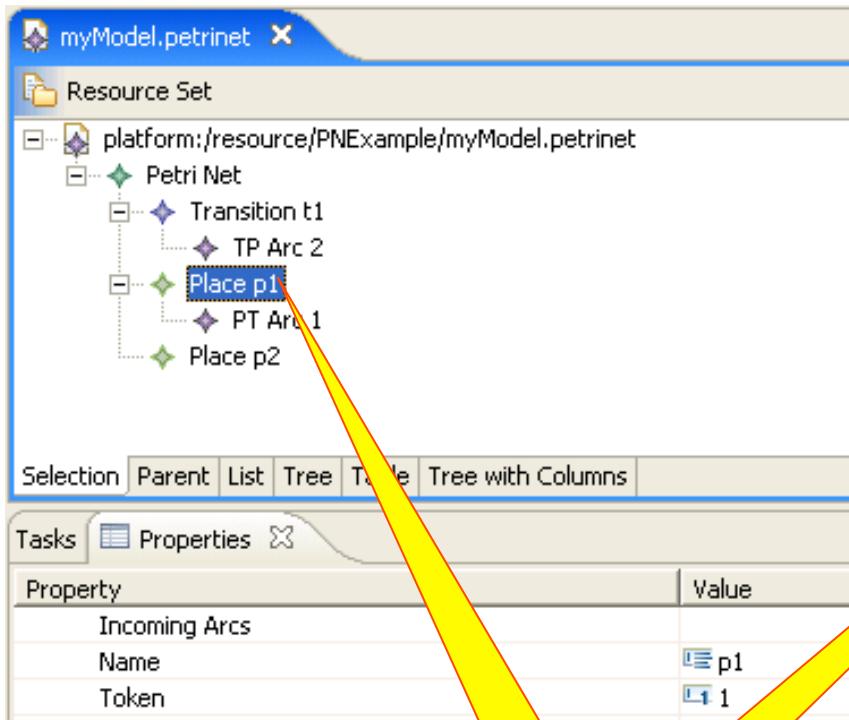
- All model manipulation through commands
- Based on template method pattern
- The ItemProvider implements the `createCommand(...)` method, which calls one of its protected command methods
- Customizable (usually, modify already implemented „protected” commands)

Generated EMF components





- EMF.Editor generates the SWT/JFace for the graphical editor
- Generates:
 - Tree editor
 - Wizards
 - Menus
 - plugins



Tree View

Petri Net models

```

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<PetriNets.petrinet:PetriNet xmi:version="2.0"
  xmlns:xmi="http://www.omg.org/XMI"
  xmlns:PetriNets.petrinet=
    "http://PetriNets/petrinet.ecore">
  <transitions name="t1" incomingArcs=
    "//@places.0/@outgoingArcs.0">
    <outgoingArcs weight="2" toPlace="//@places.
      1"/>
  </transitions>
  <places name="p1" token="1">
    <outgoingArcs weight="1" toTransition="//
      @transitions.0"/>
  </places>
  <places name="p2" incomingArcs=
    "//@transitions.0/@outgoingArcs.0"/>
</PetriNets.petrinet:PetriNet>

```

Reference: URI (or
XMI.id)

XMI 2.0 View

Tools, API and Utilities

The org.eclipse.emf.ecore.util Package

Contains a number of miscellaneous utility
classes and interfaces:

Client Programming with EMF

```
Place p1 = PetrinetFactory.eINSTANCE.createPlace(),  
      p1.setName("p1");
```

```
Place p2 = PetrinetFactory.eINSTANCE.createPlace();  
      p2.setName("p2");
```

Create a place

Create a transition

Create a PT arc

Set source of PT arc

Set target of PT arc

Advanced client programming: Reflective Ecore API

Basic EMF tools

Validation

Validate constraints over EMF models

Query

XText

The screenshot shows the Eclipse IDE interface with the title "Java - gettingstarted/my.entity - Eclipse SDK". The central part is the "my.entity" editor containing XText code defining entities Session, Conference, Person, and Speaker.

```
type String
type Bool

entity Session {
    property Title: String
    property IsTutorial : Bool
}

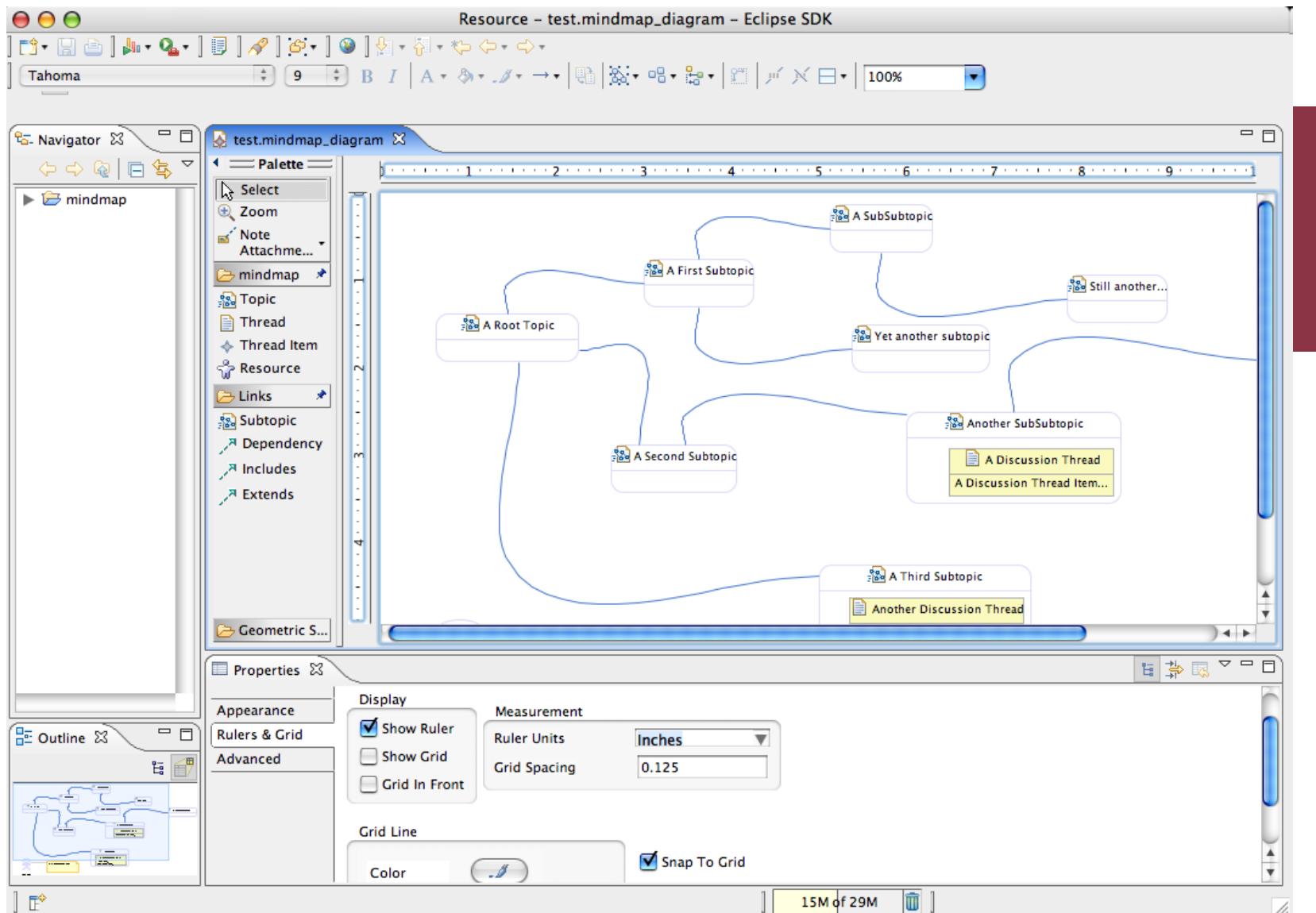
entity Conference {
    property Name : String
    property Attendees : Person[]
    property Speakers : S
}

entity Person {
    property Name : String
}

entity Speaker extends
    property Sessions : S
```

The "Outline" view on the right shows the model structure:

- Model
 - String
 - Bool
- Session
 - Title
 - IsTutorial
- Conference
 - Name
 - Attendees
 - Speakers
- Speaker
 - Sessions



Ecore Tools: Ecore Diagram Editor (GMF)

