

Behavioral Adaptation of Component Compositions based on Process Algebra Encodings

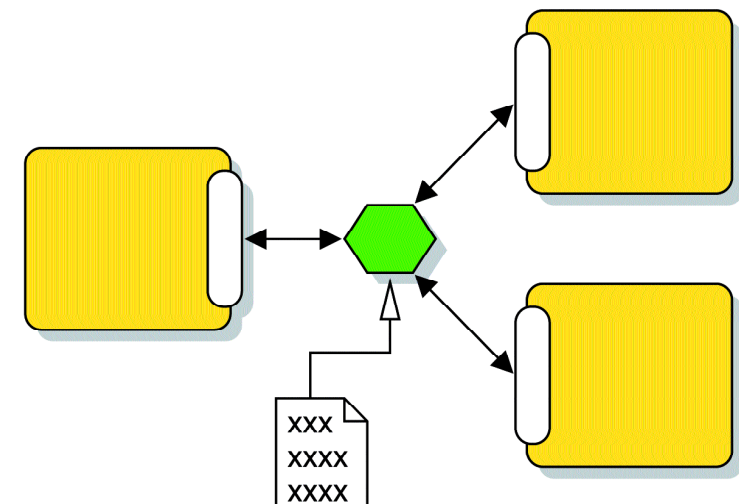
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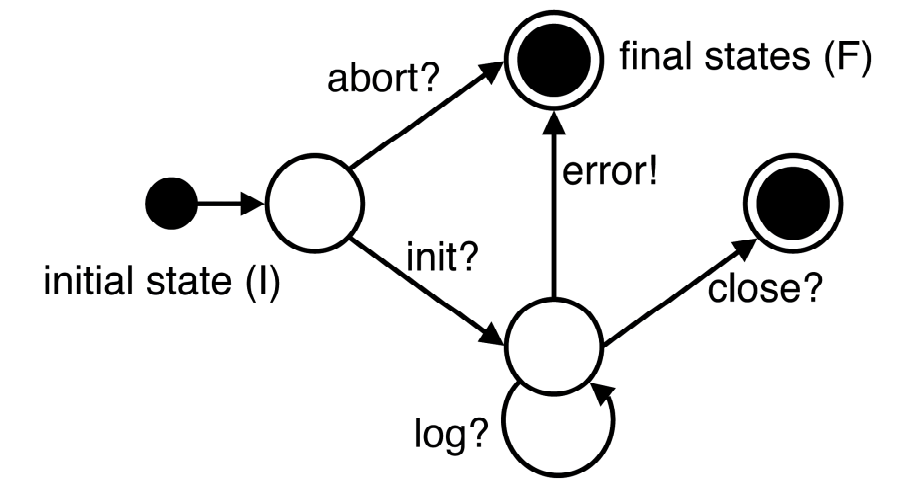
Model-Based Adaptation

- systems are built by reuse and composition of components developed by different third-parties
- adaptation is required to solve mismatch and to ensure interoperability
- model-based adaptation generates adaptors, automatically from a composition specification
- interoperability levels in component interfaces:
 - signature (operations), behavior (protocol)
 - semantics (ontologies), non functional (QoS)



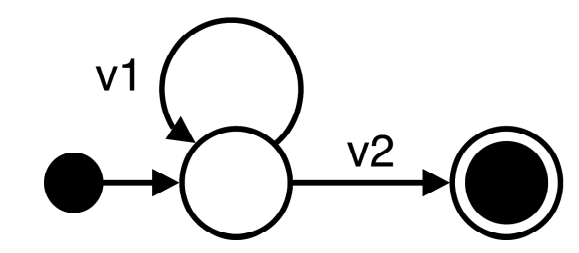
Behavioral Interfaces

- operations' signatures
- LTS: (A, S, I, F, T)
Labelled Transition System
(Alphabet, States, Initial states, Final states, Transitions)
reception: $_?$ emission: $_!$

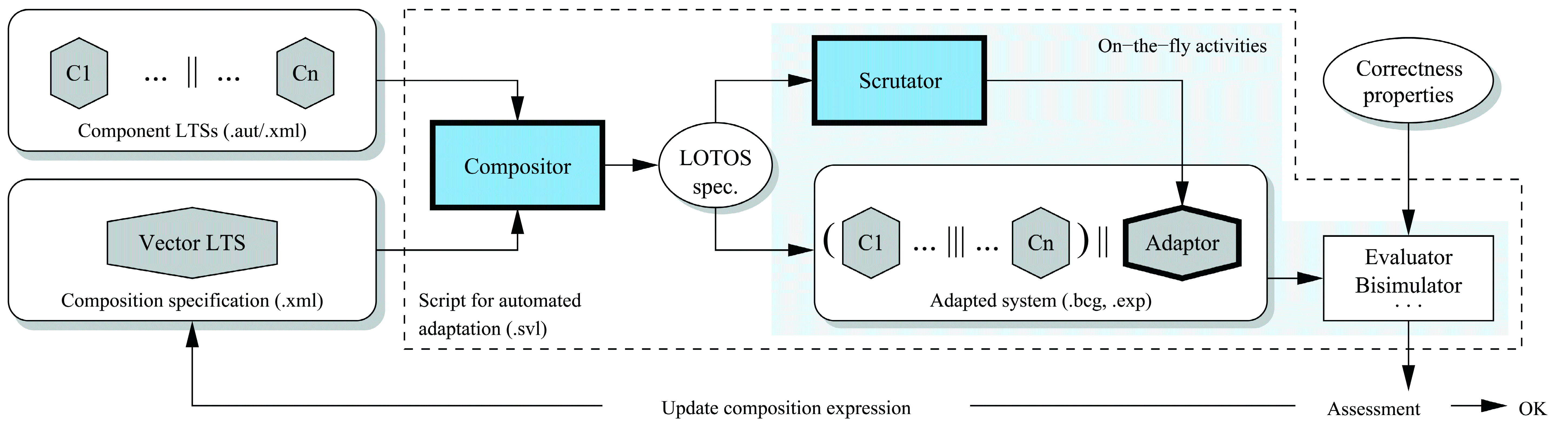


Composition Specifications

- n-ary name correspondences using vectors:
given n components with $LTS_i = (A_i, S_i, I_i, F_i, T_i)$,
a vector is an element of $A_1 \cup \{\epsilon\} \times \dots \times A_n \cup \{\epsilon\}$
- $v1: \langle \text{server:send!}, \text{client:rcv?}, \text{logfile:log?}, \text{display:\epsilon} \rangle$
- $v1: \langle \text{server:send!}, \text{client:rcv?}, \text{logfile:log?} \rangle$ (ϵ omitted)
- $v2: \langle \text{client:exit!}, \text{logfile:close?} \rangle$ (ϵ omitted)
- dynamicity and ordering using a vector LTS
(LTS labelled with vectors)



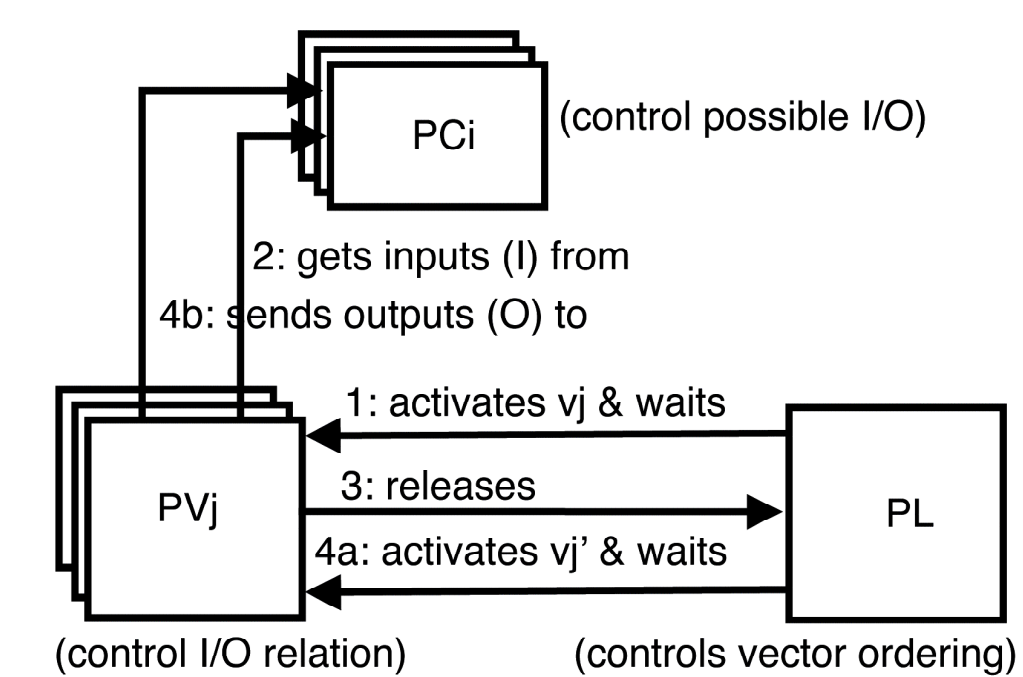
Contribution - first model-based behavioral adaptation approach performing adaptor computation on-the-fly (without computing the complete system state space)



Adaptor Generation

Step 1 - Compositor tool
encoding adaptation constraints into LOTOS processes

- component interfaces (the adaptor must respect them)
 - PCi - component processes (n)
- composition specification (the way to solve mismatch)
 - PVj - vector processes (1/vect.)
 - PL - vector LTS process (1)
- system architecture (centralized adaptation)
 - LOTOS specification

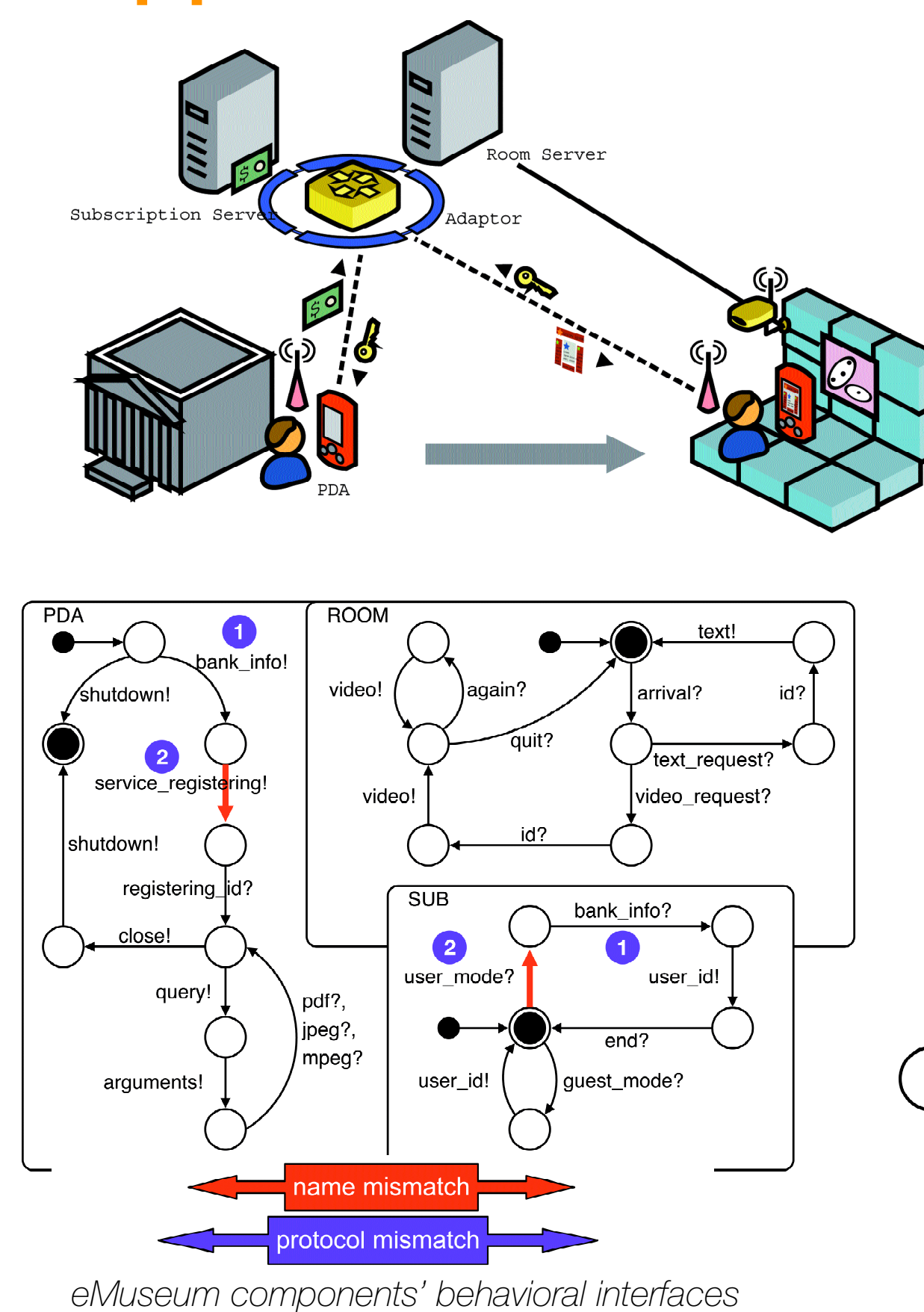


Step 2 - Scrutator tool
on-the-fly adaptor generation using CADP and Open/Caesar

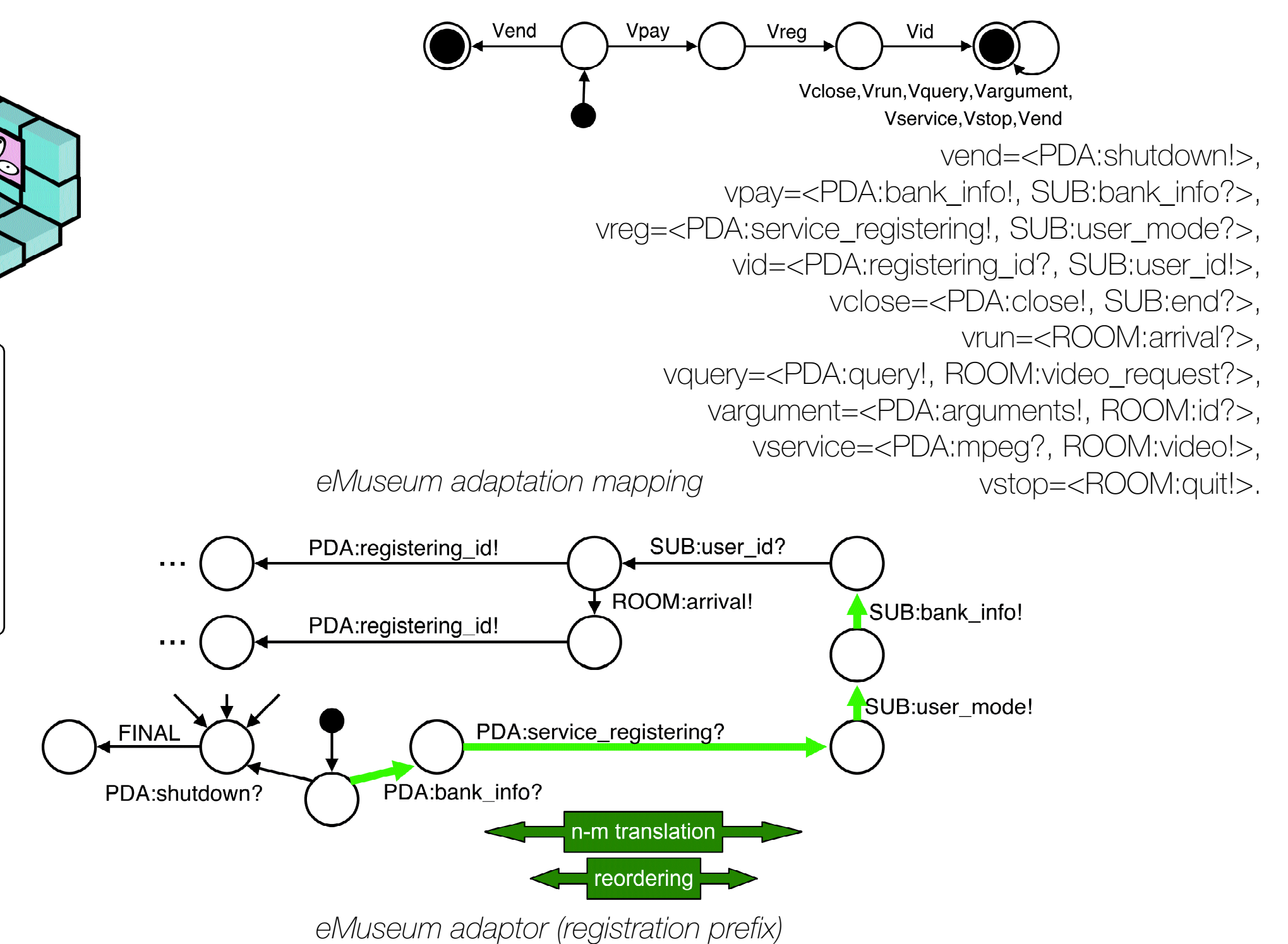
- compilation of LOTOS specification (components' interfaces and vector LTS) into an implicit LTS using Caesar
- forward LTS exploration
- on-the-fly detection of states potentially reaching successful termination
 - problem encoding in terms of a Boolean Equation System (BES)
 - local BES resolution using the Caesar_Solve library
- linear complexity wrt LTS size

for CADP and Open/Caesar, see:
<http://www.inrialpes.fr/vasy/cadp>

Application



eMuseum - Typical adaptation example. Three components (subscription server, room information displayer and universal service access GUI on PDA) are reused to build an added-value application. The adaptor is in charge of resolving mismatches between the component protocols (service names, ordering, ...).



	Adaptor LTS		* : LTS portion explored for adaptor generation			
	raw states	trans.	states	trans.	states	%
eMuseum (subscribers)	246681	1247961	84	156	9952	4.00%
eMuseum (guests)	19117	71005	25	32	1186	6.20%
						2.07%

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