**Definition** (par). The parallel composition of two DPIs  $dp_1 = \langle F_1, R_1, I_1, prov_1, req_1 \rangle$  and  $dp_2 = \langle F_2, R_2, I_2, prov_2, req_2 \rangle$  is

$$par(dp_1, dp_2) := \langle F_1 \times F_2, R_1 \times R_2, I_1 \times I_2, prov, req \rangle,$$

where:

prov : 
$$\langle i_1, i_2 \rangle \mapsto \langle \operatorname{prov}_1(i_1), \operatorname{prov}_2(i_2) \rangle$$
, (0.1)  
req :  $\langle i_1, i_2 \rangle \mapsto \langle \operatorname{req}_1(i_1), \operatorname{req}_2(i_2) \rangle$ .