Negotiation [1]

Remark. Originally, this protocol was presented to showcase nested protocols. Here, we inline the protocol to fallback on more standard MPST. Participants:

- C: the client;
- I: an instrument the client wants to use;
- A: an agent that negotiate with the client the conditions of use of the instrument.

$$C \rightarrow A \left\{ Request.A \rightarrow I \left\{ Connect.I \rightarrow A \left\{ Available.A \rightarrow C \left\{ Ask(\texttt{Terms}).\mu \texttt{n}.C \rightarrow A \left\{ Proposition(\texttt{Contract}).A \rightarrow C \left\{ Accept.\mu \texttt{t}.C \rightarrow I \left\{ Abort.\texttt{end} \\ Command(\texttt{Code}).I \rightarrow C \left\{ Result(\texttt{Data}).\texttt{t} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\} \right\}$$

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