

PPS Developer Guide

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This developer guide describes how to tailor and extend the Platform Performance Suite (PPS) for a specific domain.



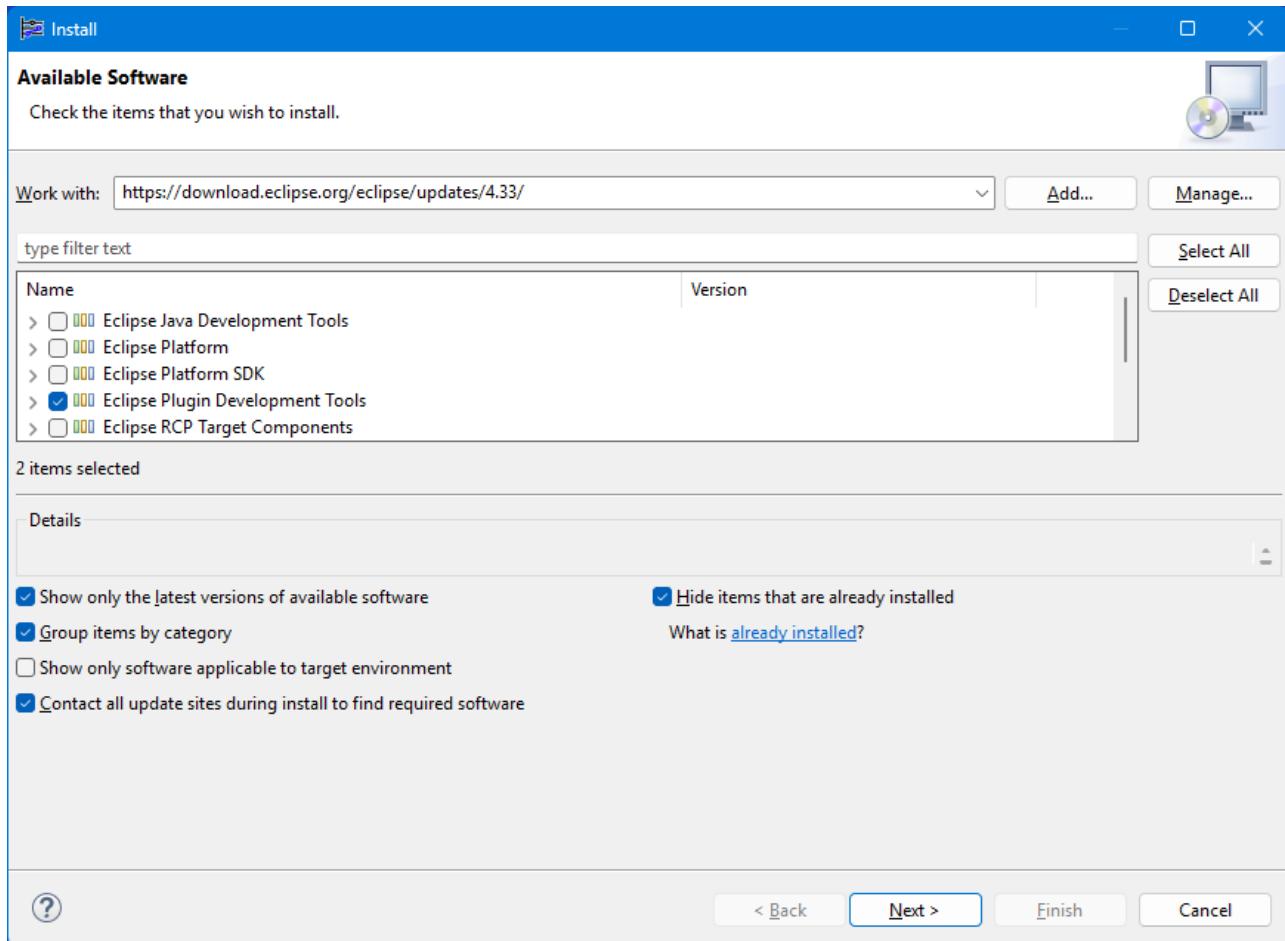
Reading this developer guide requires intermediate to advanced knowledge about programming for the Eclipse Modeling Framework (EMF). A good book to read as reference is [EMF: Eclipse Modeling Framework](#).



Chapter 1. Start developing for PPS

So, you got a binary distribution of PPS and you want to tailor it for your own domain specific use? This section describes how to convert your PPS to an Eclipse PDE to customize PPS.

1. First extract the PPS distribution, choose a PPS version (i.e., windows or linux), extract it and start it, e.g. `pps.exe`.
2. Now use the **Help > Install New Software...** menu to install the **Eclipse Plugin Development Tools** from the Eclipse 2024-09 (i.e., 4.33) update site: <https://download.eclipse.org/eclipse/updates/4.33/>



3. Continue the wizard using the **[Next]** button and finally the **[Finish]** button. When asked, choose to restart the Eclipse IDE.
4. After restart install the PPS sources by using the **Help > Install New Software...** menu. Select the **PPS** category from the PPS (e.g., v0.30.0) update site: <https://tno.github.io/PPS/update-site/v0.30.0/>



Please make sure to select the right update site version for your installation.
You can see your installed PPS version from the **Help > About PPS vX.X** menu.

5. Continue the wizard using the **[Next]** button and finally the **[Finish]** button. When asked, choose to restart the Eclipse IDE.

Your environment is now ready for extending PPS, e.g., [adding a custom TMSC reconstructor](#) or [extending its data analysis](#).



To start a PPS including your extensions, simply select one of your projects in the project/package explorer view and use its context menu (i.e., right mouse click) to **Run As > Eclipse Application**. A new Eclipse instance (i.e. an Eclipse runtime instance) will be executed containing all PPS features including your own features.

Chapter 2. Creating a custom TMSC reconstructor

The TMSC textual syntax allows you to create small example traces, to explore the PPS features. The textual syntax is not developed for large traces as it will suffer from scalability issues. Besides that, it is assumed that when using PPS in another domain, traces in another format are already available. In both cases it is advised to write your own *reconstructor* that converts these trace directly into a [TMSC meta-model](#) instance. This section gives an example on how to create such a custom reconstructor.

The custom TMSC reconstructor example is included in the PPS distribution. The example can be easily imported into your development environment by:

1. Use the **File > Import...** menu and then choose to import **Plug-in Development > Plug-ins and Fragments** from the tree.
2. On the next wizard page, select the **Projects with source folders** in the **Import As** section.
3. On the next wizard page filter the available plug-ins and fragments by **nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct** and click the **[Add All →]** button.
 - Now **[Finish]** the wizard to import the projects.



For more information on creating custom EMF resources or using extension points, please read the Eclipse and EMF documentation.



You can test the example by creating a ***.tmsctrace** file in a project within the Eclipse runtime instance and then use its **Reconstruct TMSC** context menu to create a TMSC for the trace.

First choose a syntax for your trace (e.g., **tmsctrace** in our example) and register it by means of the **org.eclipse.emf.ecore.extension_parser** extension point in the **plugin-xml** of your plugin.

Listing 1. plugin.xml of nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!--
```

```
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```

```
This program and the accompanying materials are made available
under the terms of the MIT License which is available at
https://opensource.org/licenses/MIT
```

```
SPDX-License-Identifier: MIT
```

```
-->
<?eclipse version="3.4"?>
<plugin>
```

```

<extension
    point="org.eclipse.emf.ecore.extension_parser">
    <parser
        class="nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct.TmscTraceResourceFactory"
        type="tmsctrace">
    </parser>
</extension>
</plugin>

```

The registered `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct.TmscTraceResourceFactory` extends `org.eclipse.emf.ecore.resource.Resource.Factory` and creates an `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct.TmscTraceResource` upon request. In our example, this resource defines an interface `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct.TmscTraceEvent` between the parser and the reconstructor to separate the concerns of parsing and model forming. The call-outs after the example provide some more information.

Listing 2. nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct.TmscTraceResource

```

/*
 * Copyright (c) 2018-2025 TNO and Contributors to the GitHub community
 *
 * This program and the accompanying materials are made available
 * under the terms of the MIT License which is available at
 * https://opensource.org/licenses/MIT
 *
 * SPDX-License-Identifier: MIT
 */
package nl.esi.dds.tmsc.reconstruct;

import java.io.IOException;
import java.io.InputStream;
import java.io.InputStreamReader;
import java.io.LineNumberReader;
import java.util.Map;

import org.eclipse.emf.common.util.URI;
import org.eclipse.emf.ecore.resource.impl.ResourceImpl;

public class TmscTraceResource extends ResourceImpl { ①
    public TmscTraceResource() {
        super();
    }

    public TmscTraceResource(URI uri) {
        super(uri);
    }

    @Override
    protected void doLoad(InputStream inputStream, Map<?, ?> options) throws
IOException {

```

```

TmscTraceReconstructor reconstructor = new TmscTraceReconstructor(); ②
reconstructor.preReconstruct();

try (LineNumberReader reader = new LineNumberReader(new InputStreamReader
(inputStream))) {
    try {
        String line;
        while ((line = reader.readLine()) != null) {
            TmscTraceEvent traceEvent = TmscTraceParser.parseLine(line); ③
            reconstructor.reconstruct(traceEvent);
        }
    } catch (RuntimeException e) {
        throw new IOException("Failed to parse trace at line " + reader
.getLineNumber(), e);
    }
}

reconstructor.postReconstruct(); ④
getContents().add(reconstructor.getTmsc());
getContents().add(reconstructor.getArchitecture());
}
}

```

- ① Extending `org.eclipse.emf.ecore.resource.impl.ResourceImpl` allows you to implement the `doLoad(InputStream, Map)` method. If you also need to be able to save a TMSC model instance to your trace format, please implement the `doSave(OutputStream, Map)` method.
- ② At the beginning of the load, the `TmscReconstructor` is initialized by calling its `preReconstruct()` method. This will prepare the `Contents of architecture` and `Contents of tmsc`.
- ③ For every line in the trace, a `TmscTraceEvent` is created by the `TmscTraceParser` and this event is fed to the `TmscReconstructor` by calling its `reconstruct(TmscTraceEvent)` method.
- ④ The TMSC model instance is *well-formed* by calling the `postReconstruct()` method on the `TmscReconstructor`. As part of the `postReconstruct`, some generic `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.util.TmscRefinements` are called, please see the `TmscReconstructor` implementation. Finally, the reconstructed TMSC and architecture are added to the resource contents.

Chapter 3. Extending Data Analysis

The [Data Analysis view for the TMSC graphical viewer](#) shows either a time series or a histogram of the '*duration*' for all '*siblings*' of the selected element. The '*duration*' of an element can be any time-related aspect of an element, e.g. its absolute (observed) duration or its time-bound. The '*siblings*' of an element are all occurrences in the model for which their '*duration*' is comparable, in other words, it makes sense to compare them. This already sounds very abstract and besides that, it is not known which elements are added to the TMSC model by means of extensions (e.g. analysis or customer specific model extensions). For this reason an extensible approach is designed to provide the input for data analysis.

This design is implemented by means of reusing the EMF Edit ItemProvider adapter factories extension point in combination with our own `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.edit.dataAnalysis` extension point. EMF adapters are a very powerful technique and EMF Edit's ItemProviders are designed to automatically add UI adapters to an EMF model instance. For more information on adapters and adapter factories, see <https://eclipsesource.com/blogs/2013/01/29/emf-itemprovider-magic/> or the book [EMF: Eclipse Modeling Framework](#).

The `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.edit.dataAnalysis` extension point adds a flexible approach on top, that allows to register an `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider` per `EClass`. This item provider needs to be registered to the EMF framework in order to be found by the data analysis view. For this, an `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.internal.DataAnalysisItemContentProvider` is registered as EMF Edit ItemProvider via the `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.DataAnalysisItemContentProviderAdapterFactory`, see the `plugin.xml` of `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.edit`. We only register the `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider` as `supportedTypes` and implement the default create method to returning an instance of the `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.internal.DataAnalysisItemContentProvider`. We can use a single instance as our implementation is stateless. This instance is disposed when the adapter factory is disposed.



Registering an EMF Edit ItemProvider only needs to be done once per language that wants to support data analysis!

The `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider` interface defines the API to populate the data analysis views. The API is explained in the JavaDoc of the interface. All methods take an `Object` as argument, this is the model element for which the data is requested. First the `Set<String> getConfigurations(Object)` will be invoked. This method should return all supported data analysis configurations for the model element. An example of supporting different configurations is implemented in `nl.esi.pps.tmsc.provider.ext.ExecutionExtItemProvider` where '*siblings*' can either be executions on the same `Lifeline` or executions executed by the same `Component`. The configurations will appear as tabs in the data analysis view. In all other methods, both the model element as the user selected configuration at least will be provided.



Within Eclipse, use `Ctrl + Shift + T` to open a type based on its name.

Listing 3. nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider

```
/*
 * This interface defines the required information to populate the Data Analysis
 * view of the TMS editor.
 */
public interface IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider {
    /**
     * The default configuration for data analysis. If your data analysis only
     * supports a single configuration, its is recommended to use this
     * configuration.
     */
    static final String DEFAULT_CONFIGURATION = "Default";

    /**
     * Returns the supported data analysis configurations for {@code object}.
     */
    Set<String> getConfigurations(Object object);

    /**
     * Returns the title of the data analysis for {@code object} in the selected
     * {@code configuration}.
     */
    String getTitle(Object object, String configuration);

    /**
     * Returns the budget of the data analysis for {@code object} in the selected
     * {@code configuration}, or {@code null} if the budget is not applicable.
     */
    default Long getBudget(Object object, String configuration) {
        return null;
    }

    /**
     * Returns the siblings of {@code object} for the selected
     * {@code configuration}.
     */
    Iterable<?> getsiblings(Object object, String configuration);

    /**
     * Returns the duration of {@code sibling} in the selected
     * {@code configuration}. Please note that {@code sibling} can be any of the
     * elements as returned by {@link #getsiblings(Object, String)} or the
     * {@code object} itself.
     */
    Long getDuration(Object object, Object sibling, String configuration);

    /**
     * @return {@code true} if the bars in the time-series viewer should be colored
     *         based on a {@link #getCategory(Object, Object, String)} category.
     */
}
```

```

    default boolean isCategorized(Object object, String configuration) {
        return false;
    }

    /**
     * @return the category for the {@code sibling} in the time-series viewer.
     */
    default String getCategory(Object object, Object sibling, String configuration) {
        return DEFAULT_CONFIGURATION;
    }
}

```

The only thing left to do is to register the data analysis item content provider to the EMF framework, which is done by means of the `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.edit.dataAnalysis` extension point in the `plugin.xml`.

Listing 4. plugin.xml of nl.esi.dds.tmsc.edit

```

<extension point="org.eclipse.emf.edit.itemProviderAdapterFactory"> ①
    <factory
        uri="http://www.esi.nl/pps/tmsc"
        class=
    "nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.DataAnalysisItemContentProviderAdapterFactory"
        supportedTypes=
    "nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.IDataAnalysisItemContentProvider"/>
    </extension>
    <extension point="nl.esi.dds.tmsc.edit.dataAnalysis"> ②
        <DataAnalysis
            content_provider=
        "nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.ExecutionDataAnalysisItemContentProvider"
            eclass_uri="http://www.esi.nl/pps/tmsc#Execution"
            id=
        "nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.ExecutionDataAnalysisItemContentProvider">
            </DataAnalysis>
        </extension>

```

① An additional EMF-edit item provider adapter factory is registered for the `http://www.esi.nl/pps/tmsc` language to bind the `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.edit.dataAnalysis` extension point, see the `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.DataAnalysisItemContentProviderAdapterFactory` code for more information.

② The `nl.esi.dds.tmsc.provider.dataanalysis.ExecutionDataAnalysisItemContentProvider` is registered for the `http://www.esi.nl/pps/tmsc#/Execution` EClass

Chapter 4. PPS meta-models

4.1. Contents of architecture

The architecture meta-model defines the minimal set of concepts that are required to define the TMSC meta-model. The architecture package contains sub-packages that represent the lifecycle stages of an architecture as inspired by Koziolek et al.^[1], where the author presents a view on the software component lifecycle. This study considers 4 levels of lifecycle stages: the **specification**, **implementation**, deployment and runtime level. This architecture considers an additional distinction in the runtime level, which is divided in the (runtime) **instantiated** and (runtime) stimulated stage. The TMSC meta-model defines concepts that belong to the stimulated stage.

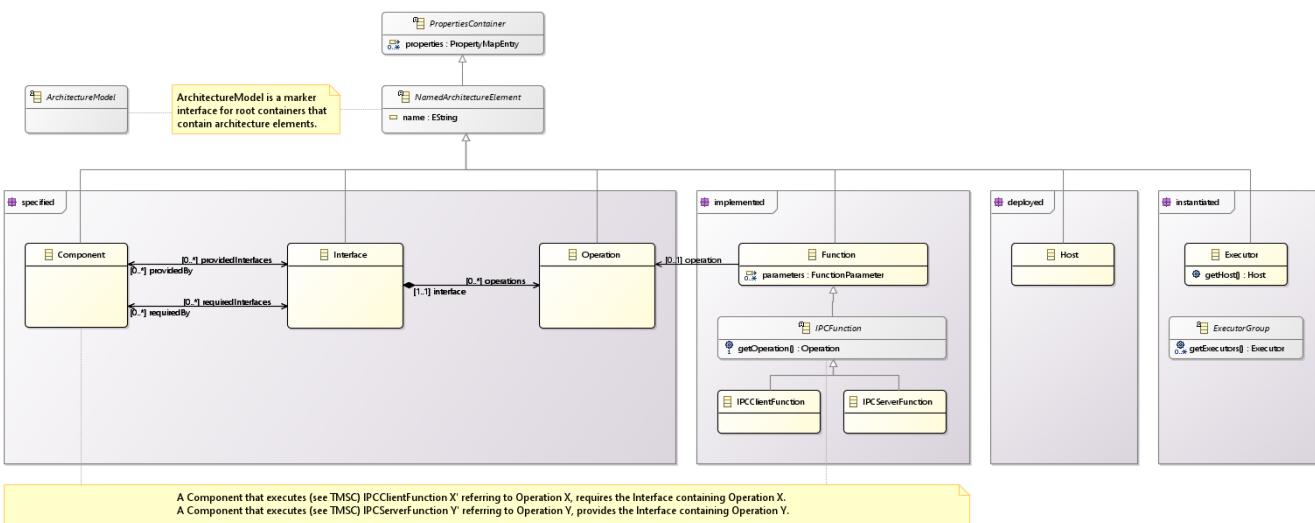


Figure 1. Diagram of the architecture meta-model

Ns Prefix

architecture

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/pps/architecture>

4.1.1. Types

4.1.1.1. Interface ArchitectureModel

ArchitectureModel is a marker interface for root containers that contain architecture elements. It is not required for an architecture to implement the interface, but it may speed up certain analyses.

Used at

- [tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.architectures](#)

4.1.1.2. Abstract Class NamedArchitectureElement

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)

Sub-types

- [deployed.Host](#)
- [implemented.Function](#)
- [implemented.FunctionParameter](#)
- [implemented.IPCClientFunction](#)
- [implemented.IPCFunction](#)
- [implemented.IPCServerFunction](#)
- [instantiated.Executor](#)
- [specified.Component](#)
- [specified.Interface](#)
- [specified.Operation](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
name	EString		

4.2. Contents of deployed

In the Deployed lifecycle stage, the implemented software components are built and bundled into binaries. At this stage, the binaries are placed into a filesystem from where they can be installed to the different hosts. The installation takes place during the transition from Deployed to Instantiated stage. During this transition the binaries are mapped (installed) to specific hosts. We consider for the sake of simplicity that the deployment of binaries onto hosts is static and performed before the system is initiated/started.

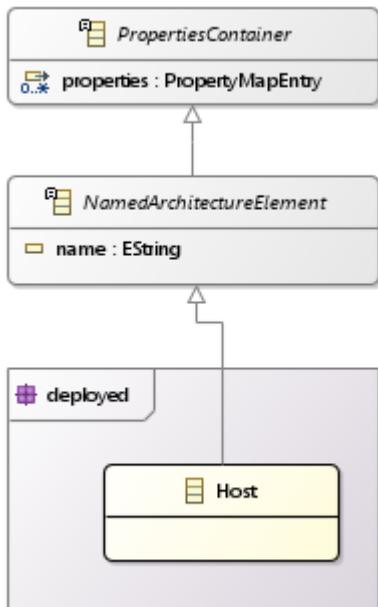


Figure 2. Diagram of the deployed lyfecycle stage in the architecture meta-model

Ns Prefix

architecture_deployed

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/pps/architecture/deployed>

4.2.1. Types

4.2.1.1. Class Host

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

Used at

- `instantiated.Executor.getHost()`

4.3. Contents of implemented

In the Implementation lifecycle stage, the specified software components and interfaces are implemented. Depending on the software architecture, as well as the execution platform, a component may have more than one implementation, which may be related to a specific execution platform (i.e., programming language, type of processing unit, etc.) or other factors (i.e., quality of service, etc.)

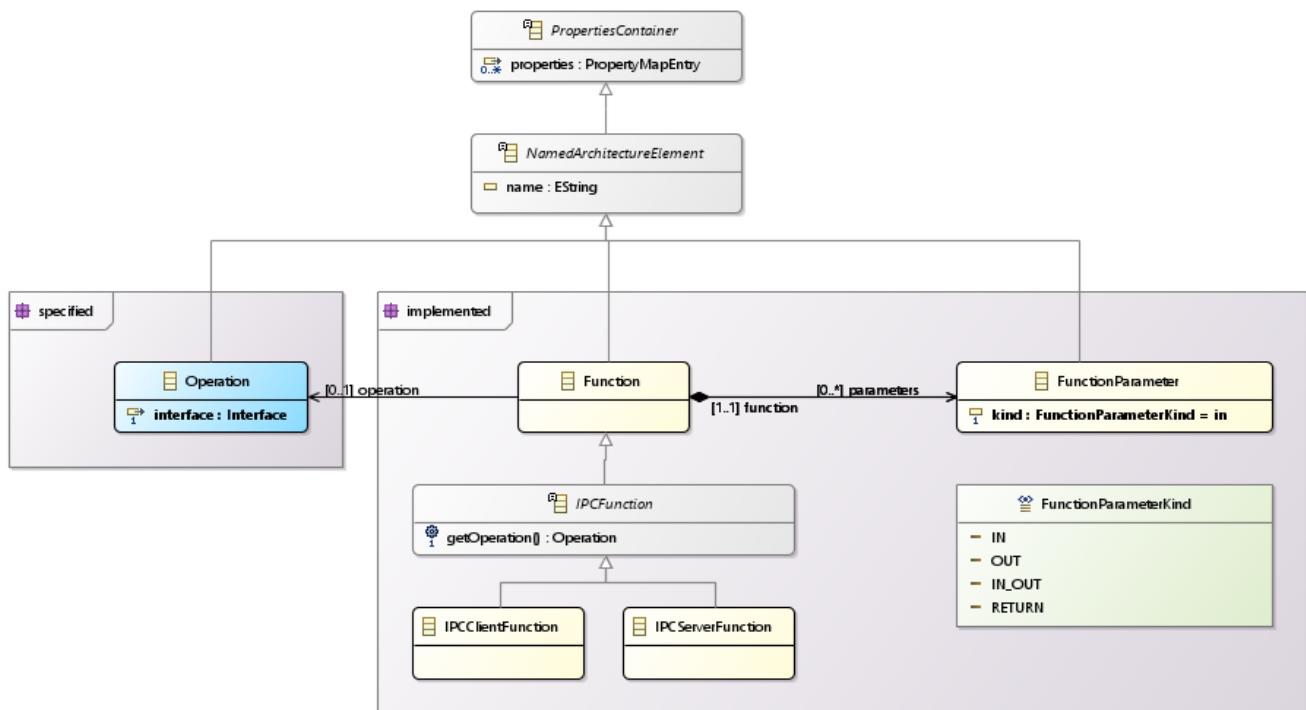


Figure 3. Diagram of the implemented lifecycle stage in the architecture meta-model

Ns Prefix

architecture_implemented

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<http://www.esi.nl/pps/architecture/implemented>

4.3.1. Enumerations

4.3.1.1. FunctionParameterKind

Default Value

in

Literals

Name	Value	Literal	Description
IN	0	in	
OUT	1	out	
IN_OUT	2	inout	
RETURN	3	return	

Used at

- [implemented.FunctionParameter.kind](#)

4.3.2. Types

4.3.2.1. Class Function

Super-types

- [architecture.NamedArchitectureElement](#)
- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)

Sub-types

- [implemented.IPCClientFunction](#)
- [implemented.IPCFunction](#)
- [implemented.IPCServerFunction](#)

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
parameters	implemented.FunctionParameter		

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>operation</code> └ <code>implemented.</code> <code>IPCFUNCTION.</code> <code>getOperation()</code>	<code>specified.</code> <code>Operation</code>		

Used at

- `implemented.FunctionParameter.function`
- `tmsc.EntryEvent.function`
- `tmsc.Event.function`
- `tmsc.Execution.function`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.function`

4.3.2.2. Class FunctionParameter

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>kind</code>	<code>implemented.</code> <code>FunctionParameterKind</code>	[1]	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>function</code>	<code>implemented.</code> <code>Function</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>parameters</code>	non- resolveProxies container [1]	

Used at

- `implemented.Function.parameters`
- `implemented.IPCClientFunction.parameters`
- `implemented.IPCFunction.parameters`
- `implemented.IPCServerFunction.parameters`
- `tmsc.FunctionArgumentMapEntry.key`

4.3.2.3. Class IPCClientFunction

A Component that executes (see TMSC) IPCClientFunction X' referring to Operation X, requires the

Interface containing Operation X.

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `implemented.Function`
- `implemented.IPCFunction`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

4.3.2.4. Abstract Class IPCFunction

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `implemented.Function`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

Sub-types

- `implemented.IPCClientFunction`
- `implemented.IPCServerFunction`

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getOperation()</code> └ <code>implemented.Function</code> . <code>operation</code>	<code>returns</code> <code>specified.</code> <code>Operation</code>	[1]	

4.3.2.5. Class IPCServerFunction

A Component that executes (see TMSC) IPCServerFunction Y' referring to Operation Y, provides the Interface containing Operation Y.

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `implemented.Function`
- `implemented.IPCFunction`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

4.4. Contents of instantiated

At instantiated stage the system is started, and the components are instantiated and start living in memory. Here, the runtime component takes form and is mapped on OS execution entities, i.e., on a specific thread which is mapped on specific process, etc. Communication ports are created and instantiated enabling communication among the runtime components. The OS execution entities,

i.e., processes and threads are mapped on specific processing unit, with specific scheduling policies, priorities, etc.

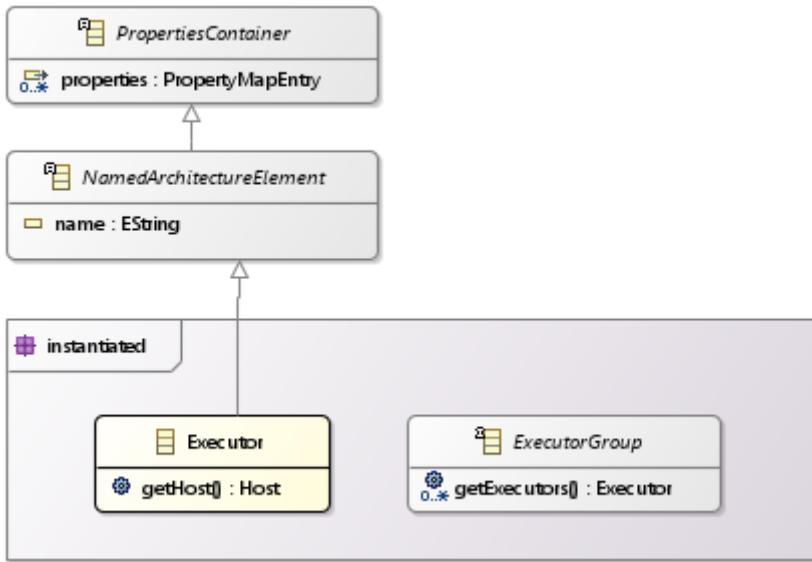


Figure 4. Diagram of the instantiated lyfecycle stage in the architecture meta-model

Ns Prefix

architecture_instantiated

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/pps/architecture/instantiated>

4.4.1. Types

4.4.1.1. Class Executor

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getHost()</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>deployed.Host</code>		Typically an executor is deployed onto a host, but PPS doesn't make any assumptions on the kind of relation, hence this relation is merely implemented as an operation and it is up to the architecture implementer to define the relation. The default implementation of this method returns the container of type Host in the hierarchy of this Executor.

Used at

- `instantiated.ExecutorGroup.getExecutors()`
- `tmsc.Lifeline.executor`

4.4.1.2. Interface ExecutorGroup

The ExecutorGroup allows to create logical groups of Executors that have a relation. When selecting an ExecutorGroup in the Outline view of the TMSC viewer, all its Executors will be visualized.

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getExecutors()</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>instantiated.Executor</code>	unique	Typically an ExecutorGroup contains Executors, but PPS doesn't make any assumptions on the kind of relation, hence this relation is merely implemented as an operation and it is up to the architecture implementer to define the relation. The default implementation of this method returns all first-level descendants of this ExecutorGroup that are of kind Executor, meaning if an Executor contains another Executor, the latter will not be included in the result.

4.5. Contents of metric

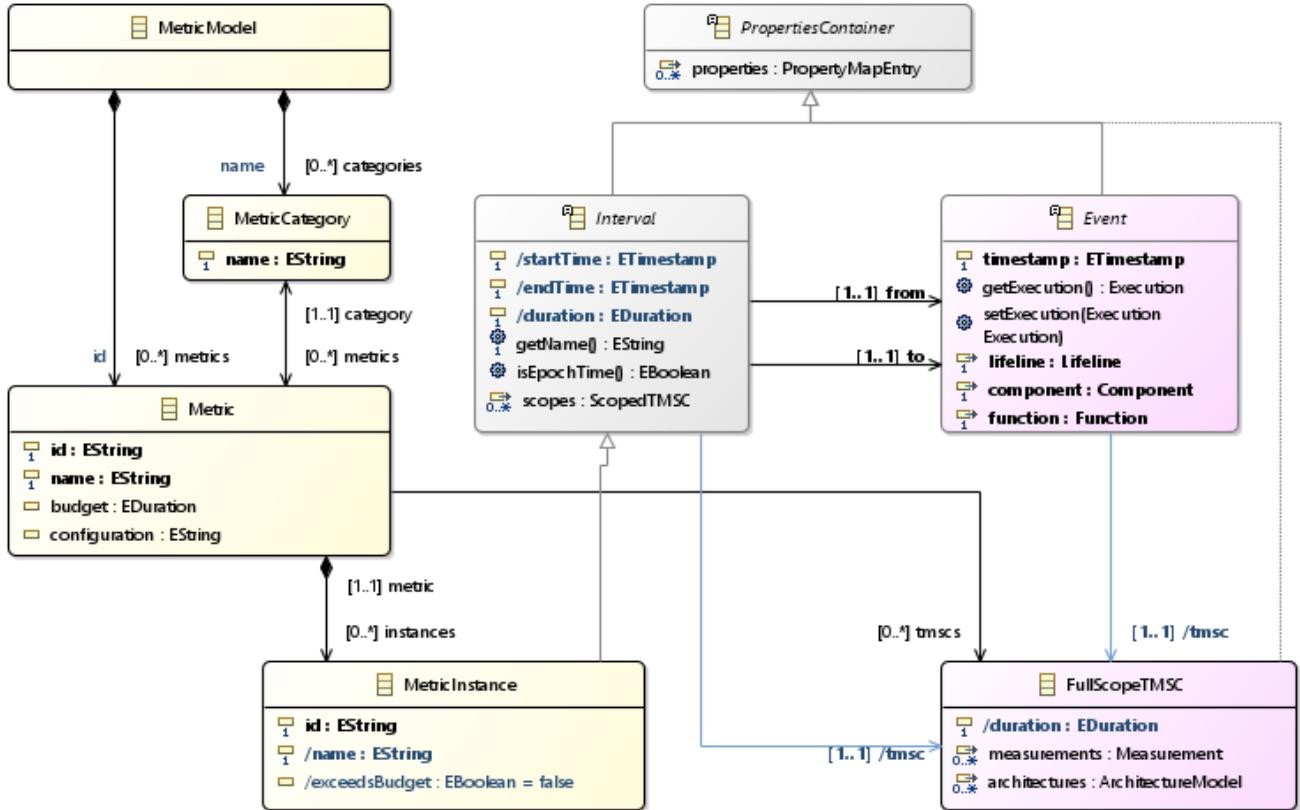


Figure 5. Diagram of the Metric meta-model

Ns Prefix

tmsc_metric

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/tmsc/metric>

4.5.1. Types

4.5.1.1. Class Metric

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
budget	tmsc.EDuration		
configuration	EString		
id	EString	[1]	
name	EString	[1]	

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
instances	metric. MetricInstance <i>EOpposite:</i> metric	EKeys: id	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
category	metric. MetricCategory <i>EOpposite:</i> metrics	[1]	
tmscs	tmsc. FullScopeTMSC		The TMSCs that were analyzed to resolve the Metric instances that are contained by this Metric.

Used at

- metric.MetricCategory.metrics
- metric.MetricInstance.metric
- metric.MetricModel.metrics

4.5.1.2. Class MetricCategory

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
name	EString	[1]	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
metrics	metric.Metric <i>EOpposite:</i> category		

Used at

- metric.Metric.category
- metric.MetricModel.categories

4.5.1.3. Class MetricInstance

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer

- `tmsc.ITimeRange`
- `tmsc.Interval`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>exceedsBudget</code>	<code>EBoolean</code>	unchangeable derived transient volatile	
<code>id</code>	<code>EString</code>	[1]	
<code>name</code> <code> └ tmsc.Interval.getName()</code>	<code>EString</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>metric</code>	<code>metric.Metric</code>	<code>container</code> [1] <i>EOpposite: instances</i>	

Used at

- `metric.Metric.instances`

4.5.1.4. Class MetricModel

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>categories</code>	<code>metric.MetricCategory</code>	<code>EKeys: name</code>	
<code>metrics</code>	<code>metric.Metric</code>	<code>EKeys: id</code>	

4.6. Contents of properties



Figure 6. Diagram of the properties meta-model

Ns Prefix

properties

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/properties>

4.6.1. Data Types

4.6.1.1. EPropertyValue

Instance Type Name

`java.io.Serializable`

Used at

- `properties.PropertyMapEntry.value`

4.6.2. Types

4.6.2.1. Abstract Class PropertiesContainer

The PropertiesContainer facilitates the seamless extension of specific modeling elements with additional attributes, that are required for specific type of analysis. Though this allows rapid prototyping or customer specific annotations, for every property that is added to the model the question should be raised if this property is a primary citizen of the meta-model. If so, the property should be promoted as attribute or reference in the meta-model.

Sub-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `deployed.Host`
- `implemented.Function`
- `implemented.FunctionParameter`
- `implemented.IPCClientFunction`
- `implemented.IPCFunction`
- `implemented.IPCServerFunction`
- `instantiated.Executor`
- `metric.MetricInstance`
- `specified.Component`
- `specified.Interface`
- `specified.Operation`
- `tmsc.Dependency`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency`
- `tmsc.EntryEvent`
- `tmsc.Event`
- `tmsc.Execution`

- `tmsc.ExitEvent`
- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSC`
- `tmsc.Interval`
- `tmsc.Lifeline`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment`
- `tmsc.Measurement`
- `tmsc.Message`
- `tmsc.MessageControl`
- `tmsc.Reply`
- `tmsc.Request`
- `tmsc.ScopedTMSC`
- `tmsc.TMSC`

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>properties</code>	<code>properties.PropertyMapEntry</code>		

4.6.2.2. Class PropertyMapEntry

Instance Type Name

`java.util.Map$Entry`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>key</code>	<code>EString</code>	[1]	
<code>value</code>	<code>properties.EPropertyValue</code>		

Used at

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement.properties`
- `deployed.Host.properties`
- `implemented.Function.properties`
- `implemented.FunctionParameter.properties`
- `implemented.IPCClientFunction.properties`
- `implemented.IPCFunction.properties`
- `implemented.IPCServerFunction.properties`
- `instantiated.Executor.properties`
- `metric.MetricInstance.properties`

- properties.PropertiesContainer.properties
- specified.Component.properties
- specified.Interface.properties
- specified.Operation.properties
- tmsc.Dependency.properties
- tmsc.DomainDependency.properties
- tmsc.EntryEvent.properties
- tmsc.Event.properties
- tmsc.Execution.properties
- tmsc.ExitEvent.properties
- tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.properties
- tmsc.Interval.properties
- tmsc.Lifeline.properties
- tmsc.LifelineSegment.properties
- tmsc.Measurement.properties
- tmsc.Message.properties
- tmsc.MessageControl.properties
- tmsc.Reply.properties
- tmsc.Request.properties
- tmsc.ScopedTMSC.properties
- tmsc.TMSC.properties

4.7. Contents of specified

In this lifecycle stage, the specification of the software components takes place. Provided and required interfaces describe the contracts between the software components and encode the service specification. At this stage, the software interfaces are also specified by bundling operations that each of those implements.

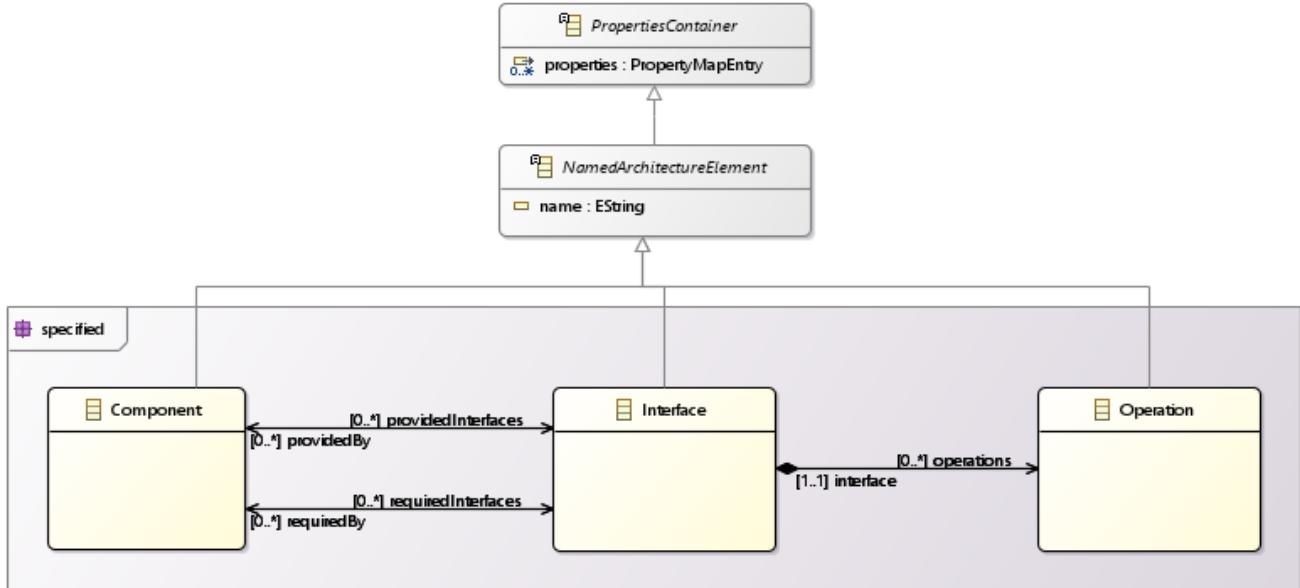


Figure 7. Diagram of the specified lifecycle stage in the architecture meta-model

Ns Prefix

architecture_specified

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/pps/architecture/specified>

4.7.1. Types

4.7.1.1. Class Component

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>providedInterfaces</code>	<code>specified.Interface</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>providedBy</code>		
<code>requiredInterfaces</code>	<code>specified.Interface</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>requiredBy</code>		

Used at

- `specified.Interface.providedBy`
- `specified.Interface.requiredBy`

- `tmsc.EntryEvent.component`
- `tmsc.Event.component`
- `tmsc.Execution.component`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.component`

4.7.1.2. Class Interface

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>operations</code>	<code>specified.Operation</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>interface</code>		

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>providedBy</code>	<code>specified.Component</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>providedInterfaces</code>		
<code>requiredBy</code>	<code>specified.Component</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>requiredInterfaces</code>		

Used at

- `specified.Component.providedInterfaces`
- `specified.Component.requiredInterfaces`
- `specified.Operation.interface`

4.7.1.3. Class Operation

Super-types

- `architecture.NamedArchitectureElement`
- `properties.PropertiesContainer`

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
interface	specified. Interface	container [1] EOpposite: operations	

Used at

- implemented.Function.operation
- implemented.IPCClientFunction.operation
- implemented.IPCFunction.getOperation()
- implemented.IPCFunction.getOperation()
- implemented.IPCServerFunction.operation
- implemented.IPCFunction.getOperation()
- specified.Interface.operations

4.8. Contents of tmsc

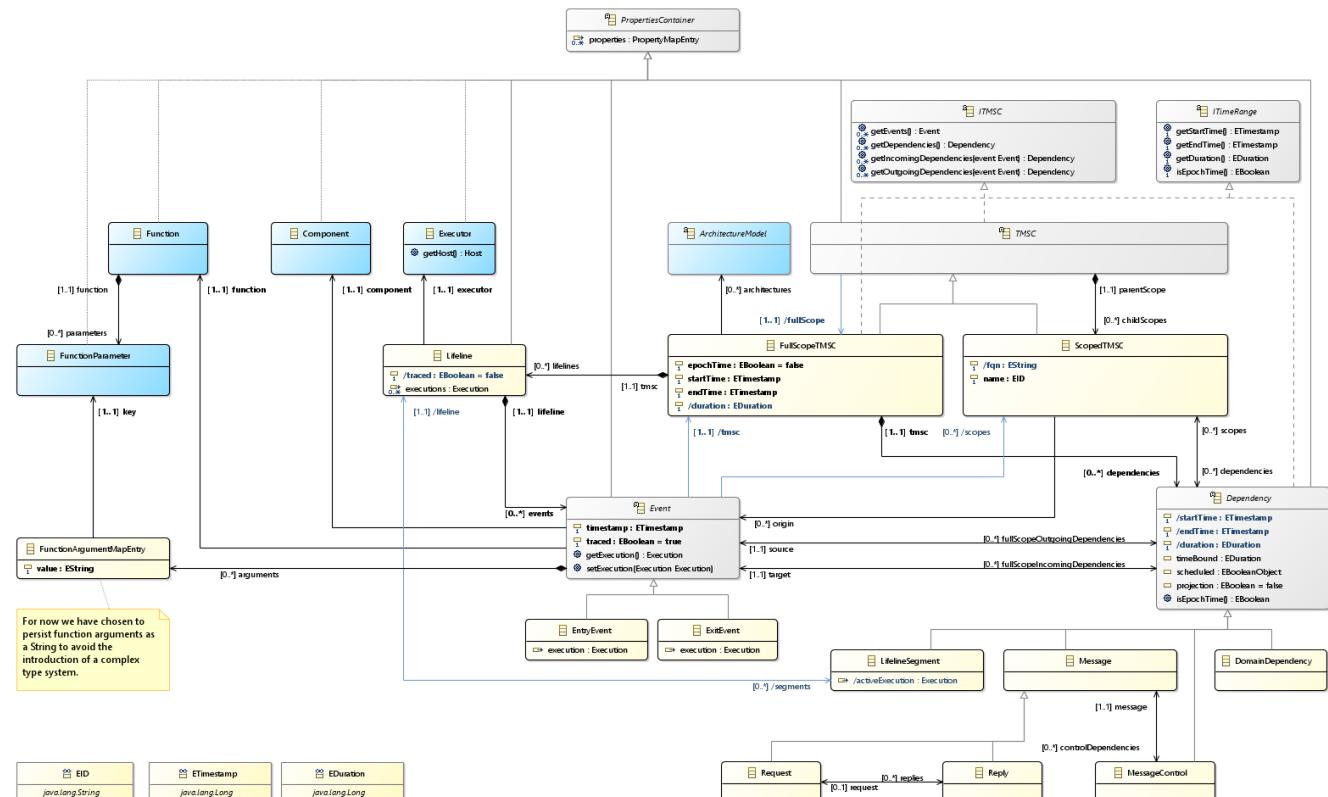


Figure 8. Diagram of the TMSC meta-model

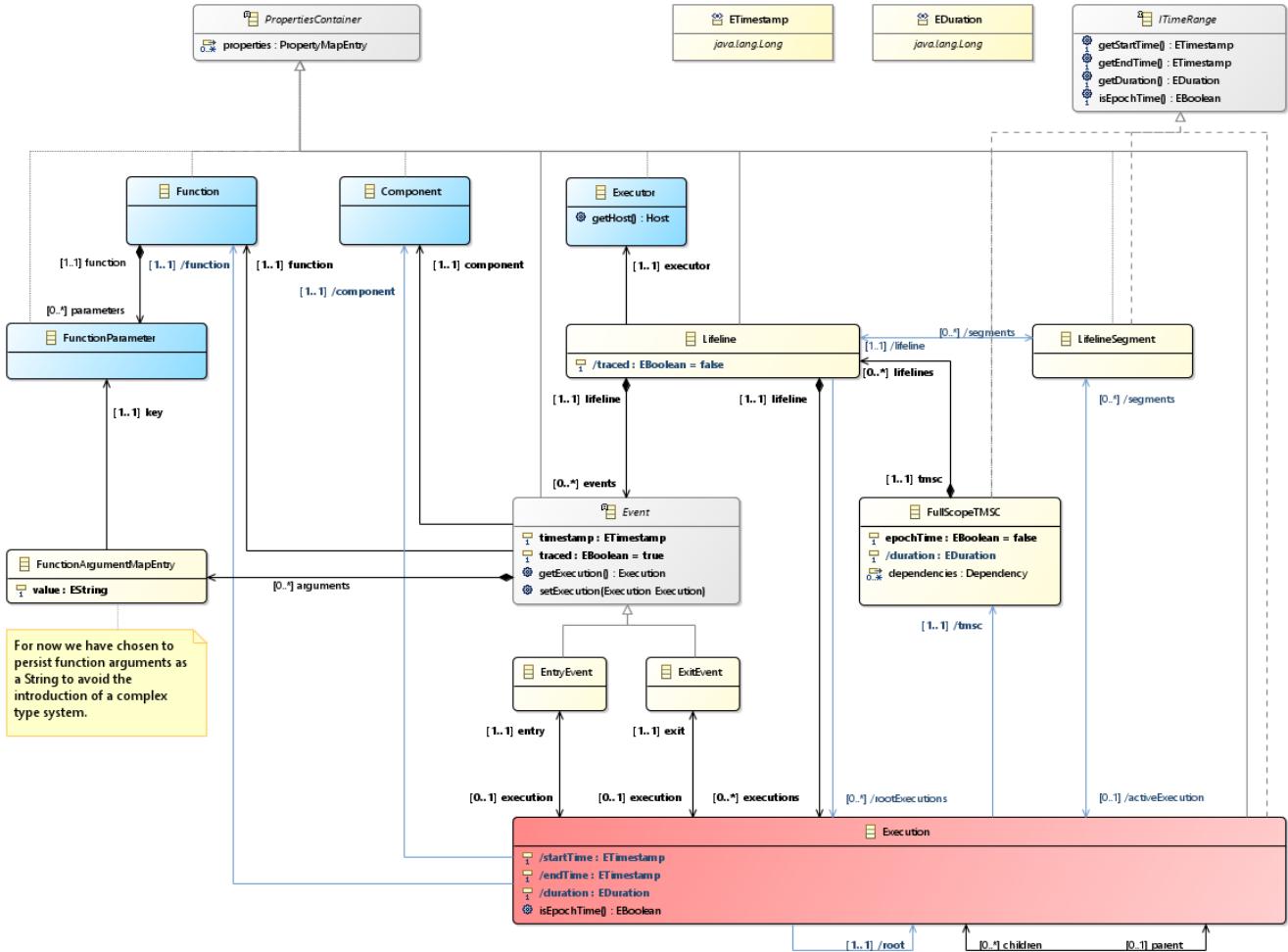


Figure 9. Diagram of call-stacks in the TMSC meta-model

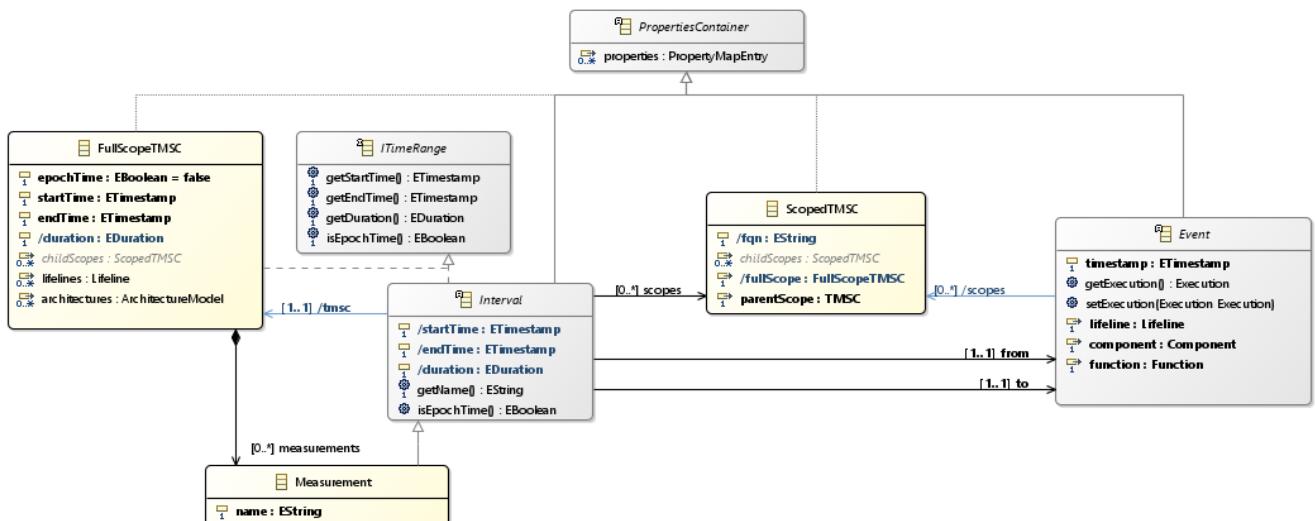


Figure 10. Diagram of measurements in the TMSC meta-model

Ns Prefix

tmsc

Ns URI

<http://www.esi.nl/pps/tmsc>

4.8.1. Data Types

4.8.1.1. EDuration

Represents a duration in nanoseconds.

Instance Type Name

`java.lang.Long`

Used at

- `metric.Metric.budget`
- `metric.MetricInstance.duration`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Dependency.duration`
- `tmsc.Dependency.timeBound`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency.duration`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency.timeBound`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Execution.duration`
- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSCE.duration`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Interval.duration`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.duration`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.timeBound`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Measurement.duration`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Message.duration`
- `tmsc.Message.timeBound`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.duration`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.timeBound`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Reply.duration`
- `tmsc.Reply.timeBound`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()`
- `tmsc.Request.duration`
- `tmsc.Request.timeBound`

- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration\(\)](#)

4.8.1.2. EID

Instance Type Name

`java.lang.String`

Used at

- [tmsc.ScopedTMSC.name](#)

4.8.1.3. ETimestamp

Represents a time stamp in nanoseconds. The timestamp can be either relative (i.e. relative to 0) or absolute (i.e. relative to the epoch). Please note that {@link FullScopeTMSC#setEpochTime(boolean)} should be set accordingly.

Instance Type Name

`java.lang.Long`

Used at

- [metric.MetricInstance.endTime](#)
- [metric.MetricInstance.startTime](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.Dependency.endTime](#)
- [tmsc.Dependency.startTime](#)
- [tmsc.DomainDependency.endTime](#)
- [tmsc.DomainDependency.startTime](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.EntryEvent.timestamp](#)
- [tmsc.Event.timestamp](#)
- [tmsc.Execution.endTime](#)
- [tmsc.Execution.startTime](#)
- [tmsc.ExitEvent.timestamp](#)
- [tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.endTime](#)
- [tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.startTime](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime\(\)](#)
- [tmsc.Interval.endTime](#)
- [tmsc.Interval.startTime](#)

- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.endTime`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`
- `tmsc.Measurement.endTime`
- `tmsc.Measurement.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`
- `tmsc.Message.endTime`
- `tmsc.Message.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.endTime`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`
- `tmsc.Reply.endTime`
- `tmsc.Reply.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`
- `tmsc.Request.endTime`
- `tmsc.Request.startTime`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()`

4.8.2. Types

4.8.2.1. Abstract Class Dependency

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange`

Sub-types

- `tmsc.DomainDependency`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment`
- `tmsc.Message`

- [tmsc.MessageControl](#)
- [tmsc.Reply](#)
- [tmsc.Request](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>duration</code> □ tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()	tmsc.EDuration	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
<code>endTime</code> □ tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()	tmsc.ETimestamp	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
<code>projection</code>	EBoolean		If true, this dependency was not originally part of the TMSC, but is an effect of projection, see nl.esi.pps.tmsc.util.TmscProjection class. Projections should typically not be visible to the user, unless they provide additional information.
<code>scheduled</code>	EBooleanObject		If true, this dependency was induced by the (software) platform as result of scheduling. If false, this dependency reflects a control or data dependency as programmed in code. By default Executions and LifelineSegments-without-activeExecution are considered to be scheduled dependencies, see TmscRefinements#refineWithCalls tacks(Lifeline).
<code>startTime</code> □ tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()	tmsc.ETimestamp	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Name	Type	Properties	Description
timeBound	tmsc.EDuration		The time-bound specifies the lowerbound for the duration of this dependency. This attribute is used in e.g. critical-path and slack analysis.

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
scopes	tmsc.ScopedTMSC EOpposite: dependencies	non-resolveProxies unordered transient	All dependencies of a child-scope ScopedTMSC should be contained by its parent-scope TMSC. Note that this is a derived 'many' relation. Though the return type 'EList' provides methods to alter the content, no altering method should be used and will throw an UnsupportedOperationException upon usage.
source	tmsc.Event EOpposite: fullScopeOutgoingDependencies	non-resolveProxies [1] transient	
target	tmsc.Event EOpposite: fullScopeIncomingDependencies	non-resolveProxies [1] transient	
tmsc	tmsc. FullScopeTMSC EOpposite: dependencies	container [1]	

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
abstract isEpochTime() □ tmsc.ITimeRange. isEpochTime()	returns EBoolean		

Used at

- tmsc.EntryEvent.fullScopeIncomingDependencies

- `tmsc.EntryEvent.fullScopeOutgoingDependencies`
- `tmsc.Event.fullScopeIncomingDependencies`
- `tmsc.Event.fullScopeOutgoingDependencies`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.fullScopeIncomingDependencies`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.fullScopeOutgoingDependencies`
- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.dependencies`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getDependencies()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ScopedTMSC.dependencies`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getDependencies()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`

4.8.2.2. Class DomainDependency

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.Dependency`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange`

4.8.2.3. Class EntryEvent

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.Event`

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>execution</code>	<code>tmsc.Execution</code>	non-resolveProxies transient	
□ <code>tmsc.Event.getExecution()</code>	<i>EOpposite: entry</i>		
□ <code>tmsc.Event.setExecution(Execution)</code>			

Used at

- [tmsc.Execution.entry](#)

4.8.2.4. Abstract Class Event

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)

Sub-types

- [tmsc.EntryEvent](#)
- [tmsc.ExitEvent](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
timestamp	tmsc.ETimestamp	[1]	
traced	EBoolean	[1] <i>Default: true</i>	

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
arguments	tmsc.FunctionArgument MapEntry	resolveProxies	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
component	specified.Component	[1]	
fullScopeIncomingDependencies	tmsc.Dependency <i>EOpposite: target</i>	non-resolveProxies	
fullScopeOutgoingDependencies	tmsc.Dependency <i>EOpposite: source</i>	non-resolveProxies	
function	implemented.Function	[1]	
lifeline	tmsc.Lifeline <i>EOpposite: events</i>	container [1]	

Name	Type	Properties	Description
scopes	<code>tmsc.ScopedTMS</code>	non-resolveProxies unordered unchangeable derived transient volatile	Note that this is a derived 'many' relation. Though the return type 'EList' provides methods to alter the content, no altering method should be used and will throw an <code>UnsupportedOperationException</code> upon usage.
tmsc	<code>tmsc.FullScopeTMS</code>	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getExecution()</code> <code> [] tmsc.EntryEvent.</code> <code> execution</code> <code> [] tmsc.ExitEvent.</code> <code> execution</code>	<code>returns</code> <code> tmsc.Execution</code>		
<code>abstract setExecution(</code> <code> Execution)</code> <code> [] tmsc.EntryEvent.</code> <code> execution</code> <code> [] tmsc.ExitEvent.</code> <code> execution</code>	<code>returns</code> <code> void</code> <code>Execution</code> <code> tmsc.Execution</code>		

Used at

- `metric.MetricInstance.from`
- `metric.MetricInstance.to`
- `tmsc.Dependency.source`
- `tmsc.Dependency.target`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency.source`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency.target`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getEvents()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`

- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getEvents()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.Interval.from`
- `tmsc.Interval.to`
- `tmsc.Lifeline.events`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.source`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.target`
- `tmsc.Measurement.from`
- `tmsc.Measurement.to`
- `tmsc.Message.source`
- `tmsc.Message.target`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.source`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.target`
- `tmsc.Reply.source`
- `tmsc.Reply.target`
- `tmsc.Request.source`
- `tmsc.Request.target`
- `tmsc.ScopedTMSC.origin`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getEvents()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getEvents()`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getIncomingDependencies(event)`
- `tmsc.ITMSC.getOutgoingDependencies(event)`

4.8.2.5. Class Execution

Execution should be considered final and should not be overridden. Executions are added by means of a refinement transformation, see {@link nl.esi.pps.tmsc.transform.TmscRefinements#refineWithCallStacks(FullScopeTMSC)}

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
duration ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()</code>	<code>tmsc.EDuration</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
endTime ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()</code>	<code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
startTime ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()</code>	<code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
children	<code>tmsc.Execution</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>parent</code>	non-resolveProxies	
component	<code>specified.Component</code>	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
entry	<code>tmsc.EntryEvent</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>execution</code>	non-resolveProxies [1]	
exit	<code>tmsc.ExitEvent</code> <i>EOpposite:</i> <code>execution</code>	non-resolveProxies [1]	

Name	Type	Properties	Description
function	implemented.Function	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
lifeline	tmsc.Lifeline <i>EOpposite: executions</i>	non-resolveProxies container [1] transient	
parent	tmsc.Execution <i>EOpposite: children</i>	non-resolveProxies transient	Definition 2.3.5
root	tmsc.Execution	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
segments	tmsc.LifelineSegment <i>EOpposite: activeExecution</i>	non-resolveProxies unchangeable derived transient volatile	Returns the LifeLineSegments for which this Execution is the active execution on its LifeLine. Note that this is a derived 'many' relation. Though the return type 'EList' provides methods to alter the content, no altering method should be used and will throw an UnsupportedOperationException upon usage.
tmsc	tmsc.FullScopeTMSC	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract isEpochTime()</code> <code>□ tmsc.ITimeRange.</code> <code>isEpochTime()</code>	<code>returns</code> <code>EBoolean</code>		

Used at

- `tmsc.EntryEvent.execution`
- `tmsc.Event.getExecution()`
- `tmsc.Event.setExecution(Execution)`
- `tmsc.Execution.children`
- `tmsc.Execution.parent`
- `tmsc.Execution.root`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.execution`
- `tmsc.Lifeline.executions`
- `tmsc.Lifeline.rootExecutions`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.activeExecution`

4.8.2.6. Class ExitEvent

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.Event`

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>execution</code> <code>□ tmsc.Event.</code> <code>getExecution()</code> <code>□ tmsc.Event.</code> <code>setExecution(Execution)</code>	<code>tmsc.Execution</code> <i>EOpposite: exit</i>	non-resolveProxies transient	

Used at

- `tmsc.Execution.exit`

4.8.2.7. Class FullScopeTMSC

FullScopeTMSC contains all events (via Lifeline) and dependencies of the TMSC model. It has the startTime and endTime attributes which are timestamps derived from the TMSC model, denoting the start and end time of the considered trace.

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)
- [tmsc.ITMSC](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange](#)
- [tmsc.TMSC](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>duration</code>	tmsc.EDuration	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
<code>endTime</code>	tmsc.ETimestamp	[1]	
<code>epochTime</code>	EBoolean	[1] <i>Default: false</i>	
<code>startTime</code>	tmsc.ETimestamp	[1]	
<code> └ tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()</code>			

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>dependencies</code>	tmsc.Dependency		
<code> └ tmsc.ITMSC.getDependencies()</code>		<i>EOpposite: tmsc</i>	
<code>lifelines</code>	tmsc.Lifeline		
		<i>EOpposite: tmsc</i>	
<code>measurements</code>	tmsc.Measurement	resolveProxies	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>architectures</code>	architecture.ArchitectureModel		References all model roots (i.e. ArchitectureModels) that own the architectural elements that are referenced by the model elements of this FullScopeTMSC.

Used at

- metric.Metric.tmscs
- metric.MetricInstance.tmsc
- tmsc.Dependency.tmsc
- tmsc.DomainDependency.tmsc
- tmsc.EntryEvent.tmsc
- tmsc.Event.tmsc
- tmsc.Execution.tmsc
- tmsc.ExitEvent.tmsc
- tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.fullScope
- tmsc.Interval.tmsc
- tmsc.Lifeline.tmsc
- tmsc.LifelineSegment.tmsc
- tmsc.Measurement.tmsc
- tmsc.Message.tmsc
- tmsc.MessageControl.tmsc
- tmsc.Reply.tmsc
- tmsc.Request.tmsc
- tmsc.ScopedTMSC.fullScope
- tmsc.TMSC.fullScope

4.8.2.8. Class FunctionArgumentMapEntry

Instance Type Name

`java.util.Map$Entry`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>value</code>	<code>EString</code>	[1]	For now we have chosen to persist function arguments as a String to avoid the introduction of a complex type system.

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>key</code>	<code>implemented.FunctionParameter</code>	[1]	

Used at

- tmsc.EntryEvent.arguments

- `tmsc.Event.arguments`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.arguments`

4.8.2.9. Interface ITMSC

Instance Type Name

`nl.esi.dds.tmsc.ITMSC`

Sub-types

- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSC`
- `tmsc.ScopedTMSC`
- `tmsc.TMSC`

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getDependencies()</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.Dependency</code>	unique	
<code> [] tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.dependencies</code>			
<code> [] tmsc.ScopedTMSC.dependencies</code>			
<code>abstract getEvents()</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.Event</code>	unique	
<code>abstract getIncomingDependencies(event)</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.Dependency</code>	unique	
	<code>event</code> <code>tmsc.Event</code>	[1]	
<code>abstract getOutgoingDependencies(event)</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.Dependency</code>	unique	
	<code>event</code> <code>tmsc.Event</code>	[1]	

4.8.2.10. Interface ITimeRange

Instance Type Name

`nl.esi.dds.tmsc.ITimeRange`

Sub-types

- `metric.MetricInstance`
- `tmsc.Dependency`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency`

- `tmsc.Execution`
- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSC`
- `tmsc.Interval`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment`
- `tmsc.Measurement`
- `tmsc.Message`
- `tmsc.MessageControl`
- `tmsc.Reply`
- `tmsc.Request`

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<code>abstract getDuration()</code> □ <code>tmsc.Dependency.duration</code> □ <code>tmsc.Execution.duration</code> □ <code>tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.duration</code> □ <code>tmsc.Interval.duration</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.EDuration</code>	[1]	
<code>abstract getEndTime()</code> □ <code>tmsc.Dependency.endTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.Execution.endTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.endTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.Interval.endTime</code>	<i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code>	[1]	

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
<p><i>abstract</i> <code>getStartTime()</code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ <code>tmsc.Dependency.startTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.Execution.startTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.startTime</code> □ <code>tmsc.Interval.startTime</code> 	<p><i>returns</i> <code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code></p>	[1]	
<p><i>abstract</i> <code>isEpochTime()</code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ <code>tmsc.Dependency.isEpochTime()</code> □ <code>tmsc.Execution.isEpochTime()</code> □ <code>tmsc.Interval.isEpochTime()</code> 	<p><i>returns</i> <code>EBoolean</code></p>	[1]	

4.8.2.11. Abstract Class Interval

Super-types

- `properties.PropertiesContainer`
- `tmsc.ITimeRange`

Sub-types

- `metric.MetricInstance`
- `tmsc.Measurement`

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<p><code>duration</code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getDuration()</code> 	<code>tmsc.EDuration</code>	<p>[1]</p> <p>unchangeable derived transient volatile</p>	

Name	Type	Properties	Description
endTime ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getEndTime()</code>	<code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
startTime ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.getStartTime()</code>	<code>tmsc.ETimestamp</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
from	<code>tmsc.Event</code>	[1]	
scopes	<code>tmsc.ScopedTMSC</code>		Typically analysis stores its result as a ScopedTMSC. This relation can be used to avoid duplicate analysis results in the model.
tmsc	<code>tmsc.FullScopeTMSC</code>	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
to	<code>tmsc.Event</code>	[1]	

Operations

Name	Aspect and Type	Properties	Description
abstract <code>getName()</code> ↳ <code>metric.MetricInstance.name</code> ↳ <code>tmsc.Measurement.name</code>	returns <code>EString</code>	[1]	
abstract <code>isEpochTime()</code> ↳ <code>tmsc.ITimeRange.isEpochTime()</code>	returns <code>EBoolean</code>		

4.8.2.12. Class Lifeline

Lifeline is the modeling element as defined in the UML Message Sequence Chart formalism and it is equivalent only to the instantiated nature (viewpoint) of the Component modeling element as defined in the abstract TMSC meta-model. A lifeline contains the behavior of an Executor, in the

form of a sequence of events, over a specific time span.

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
traced	EBoolean	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
events	tmsc.Event		
		<i>EOpposite:</i> <i>lifeline</i>	
executions	tmsc.Execution		
		<i>EOpposite:</i> <i>lifeline</i>	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
executor	instantiated.Executor	[1]	
rootExecutions	tmsc.Execution	non-resolveProxies unchangeable derived transient volatile	
segments	tmsc.LifelineSegment	non-resolveProxies unchangeable derived transient volatile	Note that this is a derived 'many' relation. Though the return type 'EList' provides methods to alter the content, no altering method should be used and will throw an UnsupportedOperationException upon usage.

Name	Type	Properties	Description
tmSC	tmSC. FullScopeTMSC <i>EOpposite: lifelines</i>	container [1]	

Used at

- tmSC.EntryEvent.lifeline
- tmSC.Event.lifeline
- tmSC.Execution.lifeline
- tmSC.ExitEvent.lifeline
- tmSC.FullScopeTMSC.lifelines
- tmSC.LifelineSegment.lifeline

4.8.2.13. Class LifelineSegment

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer
- tmSC.Dependency
- tmSC.ITimeRange

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
activeExecution	tmSC.Execution <i>EOpposite: segments</i>	non- resolveProxies unchangeable derived transient volatile	
lifeline	tmSC.Lifeline <i>EOpposite: segments</i>	non- resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Used at

- tmSC.Execution.segments
- tmSC.Lifeline.segments

4.8.2.14. Class Measurement

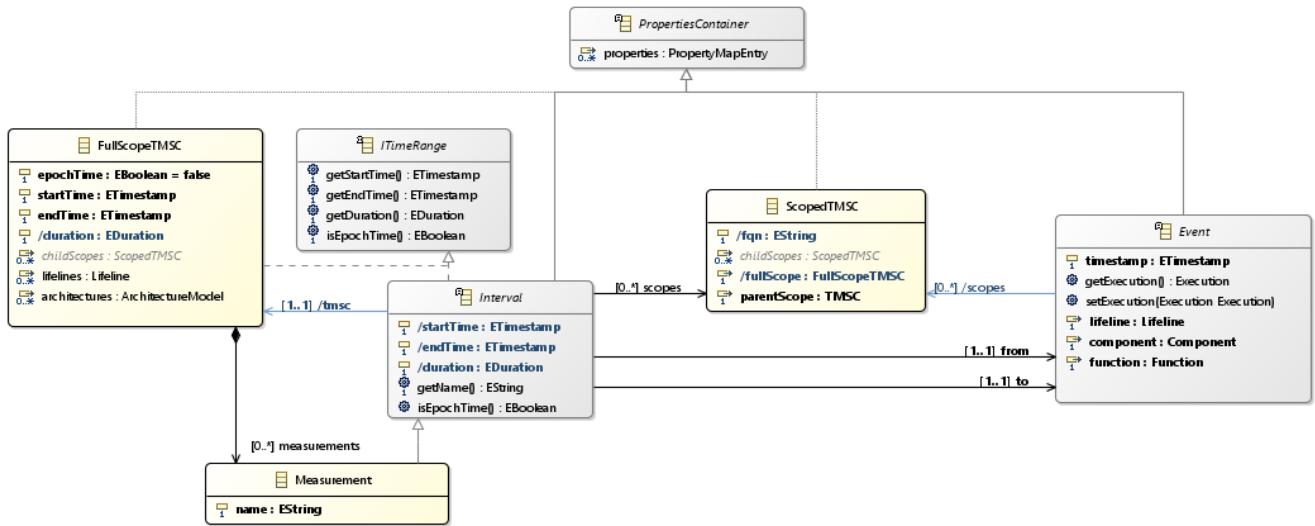


Figure 11. Diagram of measurements in the TMSC meta-model

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer
- tmsc.ITimeRange
- tmsc.Interval

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
name	EString	[1]	
tmsc.Interval.getName()			

Used at

- tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.measurements

4.8.2.15. Class Message

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer
- tmsc.Dependency
- tmsc.ITimeRange

Sub-types

- tmsc.Reply
- tmsc.Request

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
controlDependencies	tmsc. MessageControl <i>EOpposite:</i> message	non- resolveProxies	

Used at

- tmsc.MessageControl.message

4.8.2.16. Class MessageControl

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer
- tmsc.Dependency
- tmsc.ITimeRange

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
message	tmsc.Message <i>EOpposite:</i> controlDependencies	non- resolveProxies [1] transient	

Used at

- tmsc.Message.controlDependencies
- tmsc.Reply.controlDependencies
- tmsc.Request.controlDependencies

4.8.2.17. Class Reply

Super-types

- properties.PropertiesContainer
- tmsc.Dependency
- tmsc.ITimeRange
- tmsc.Message

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
request	tmsc.Request <i>EOpposite:</i> replies	non- resolveProxies transient	

Used at

- [tmsc.Request.replies](#)

4.8.2.18. Class Request

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)
- [tmsc.Dependency](#)
- [tmsc.ITimeRange](#)
- [tmsc.Message](#)

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
replies	tmsc.Reply	non-resolveProxies <i>EOpposite:</i> request	

Used at

- [tmsc.Reply.request](#)

4.8.2.19. Class ScopedTMSC

ScopedTMSC is a sub-graph of the whole TMSC model and defined for facilitating fragmentation of the TMSC model to sub-graphs (e.g. indication of a path), i.e. events and dependencies that hold specific properties, activities, etc. Each ScopedTMSC can be considered as a part of its parent scope TMSC and allows application of analysis techniques, i.e., critical path analysis, locally in a sub-graph. The dependencies of a child scope are contained by its parent scope.

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)
- [tmsc.ITMSC](#)
- [tmsc.TMSC](#)

Attributes

Name	Type	Properties	Description
fqn	EString	[1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	
name	tmsc.EID	[1]	

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
<code>dependencies</code> □ <code>tmsc.ITMSC.getDependencies()</code>	<code>tmsc.Dependency</code> <i>EOpposite: scopes</i>	non-resolveProxies	
<code>origin</code>	<code>tmsc.Event</code>		Typically a ScopedTMSC represents an analysis result that is created from a certain event or events, this is called the origin of the scope. Setting this attribute is optional, but may help successor analyses.
<code>parentScope</code>	<code>tmsc.TMSC</code> <i>EOpposite: childScopes</i>	container [1]	

Used at

- `metric.MetricInstance.scopes`
- `tmsc.Dependency.scopes`
- `tmsc.DomainDependency.scopes`
- `tmsc.EntryEvent.scopes`
- `tmsc.Event.scopes`
- `tmsc.ExitEvent.scopes`
- `tmsc.FullScopeTMSC.childScopes`
- `tmsc.Interval.scopes`
- `tmsc.LifelineSegment.scopes`
- `tmsc.Measurement.scopes`
- `tmsc.Message.scopes`
- `tmsc.MessageControl.scopes`
- `tmsc.Reply.scopes`
- `tmsc.Request.scopes`
- `tmsc.ScopedTMSC.childScopes`
- `tmsc.TMSC.childScopes`

4.8.2.20. Abstract Class TMSC

TMSC is a directed acyclic graph with events and dependencies, and some additional structural properties. A TMSC should at least contain all events that are referred to by its dependencies. Two specializations are considered the FullScopeTMSC and ScopedTMSC.

Super-types

- [properties.PropertiesContainer](#)
- [tmsc.ITMSC](#)

Sub-types

- [tmsc.FullScopeTMSC](#)
- [tmsc.ScopedTMSC](#)

Containments

Name	Type	Properties	Description
childScopes	tmsc.ScopedTMSC	<i>EKeys:</i> name <i>EOpposite:</i> parentScope	All dependencies of a child scope should also be contained by its parent scope.

References

Name	Type	Properties	Description
fullScope	tmsc.FullScopeTMSC	non-resolveProxies [1] unchangeable derived transient volatile	

Used at

- [tmsc.ScopedTMSC.parentScope](#)

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