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Jakarta EE & MicroProfile

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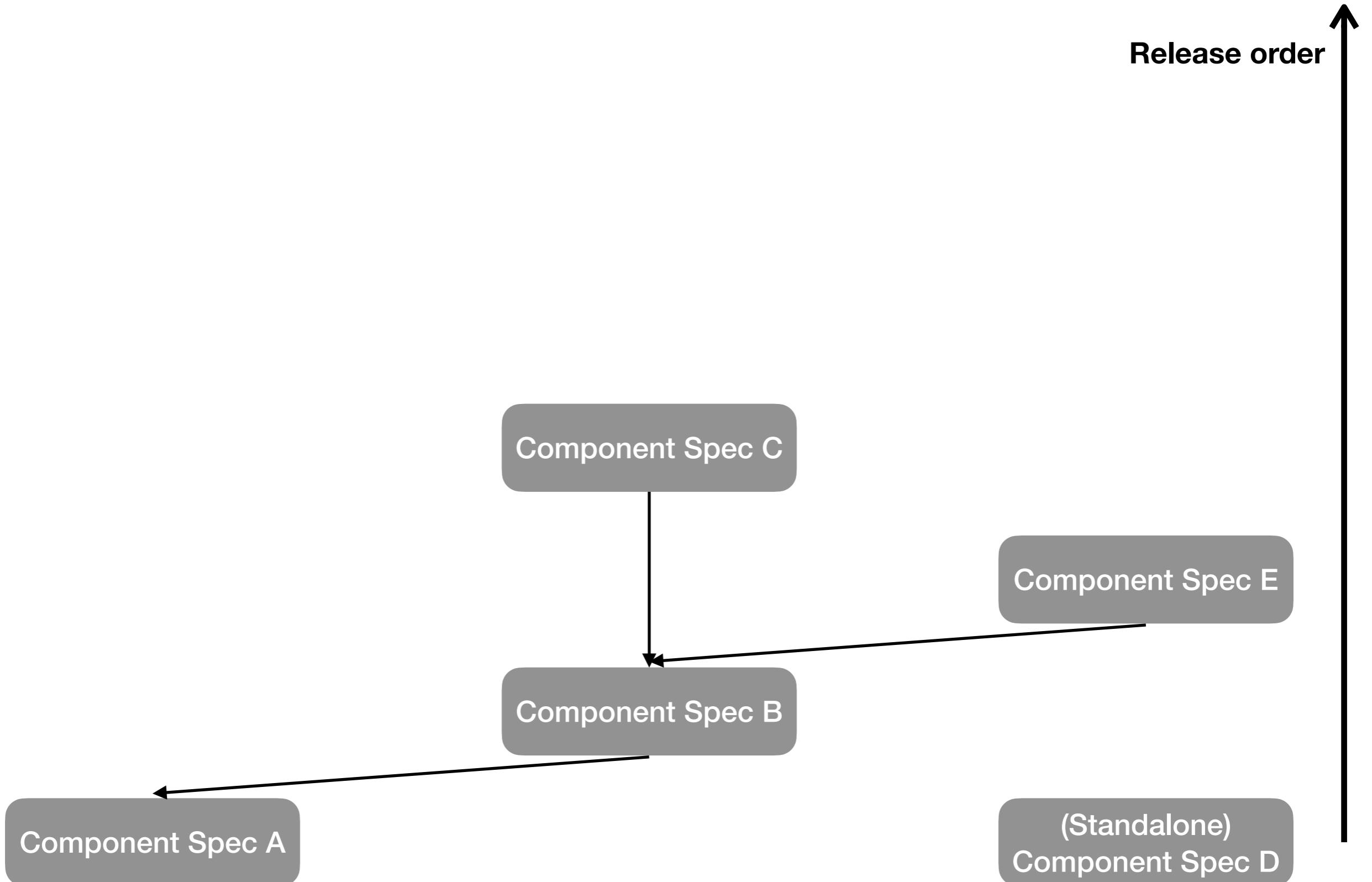
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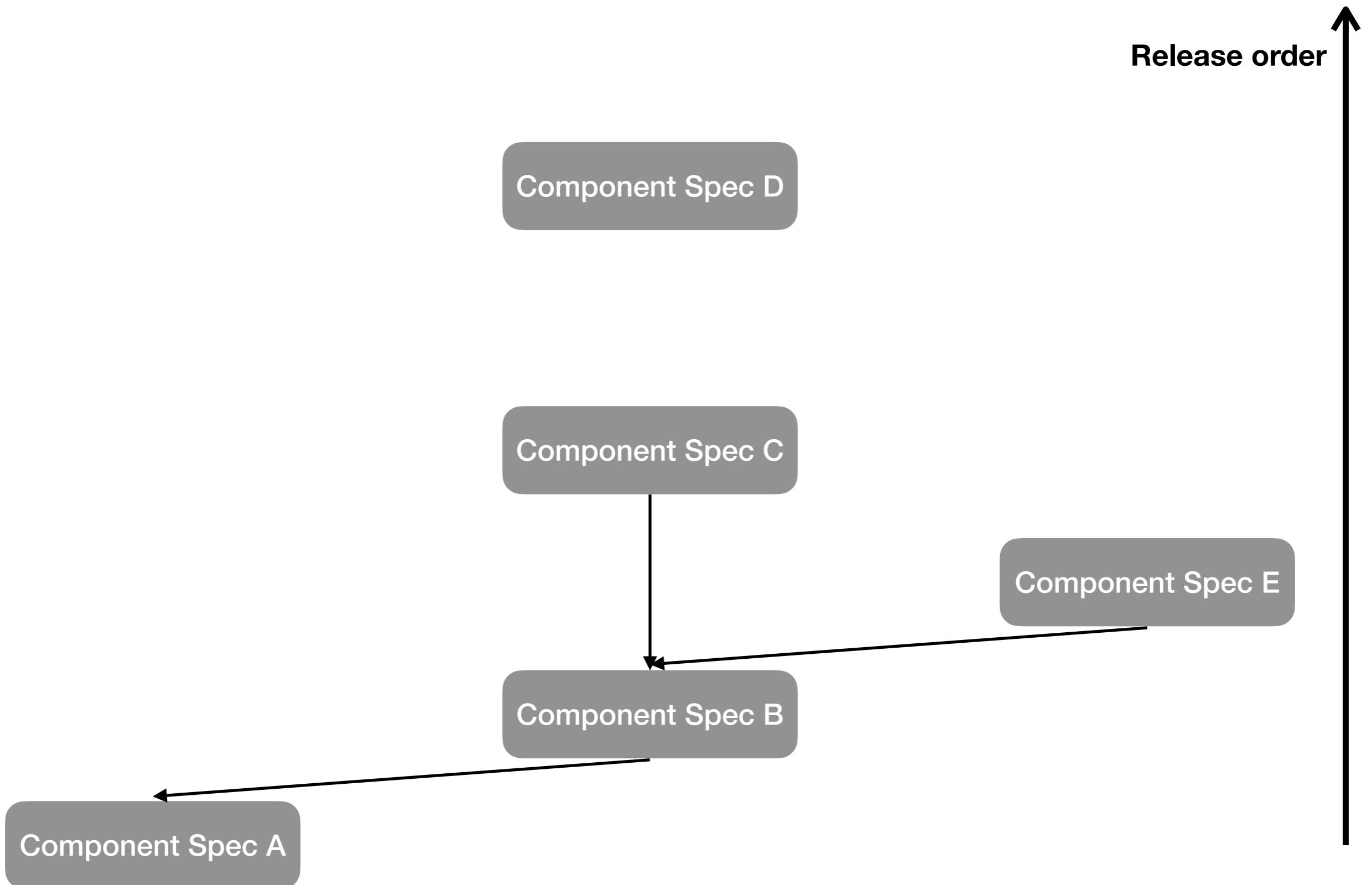
Organisations

- Eclipse Foundation
 - Jakarta EE Working Group
 - MicroProfile Working Group
 - CN4J Association
- Broadcom
 - VMware
 - VMware Tanzu (Pivotal)
- Other (implementation providers, external dependency providers, application development organisations)

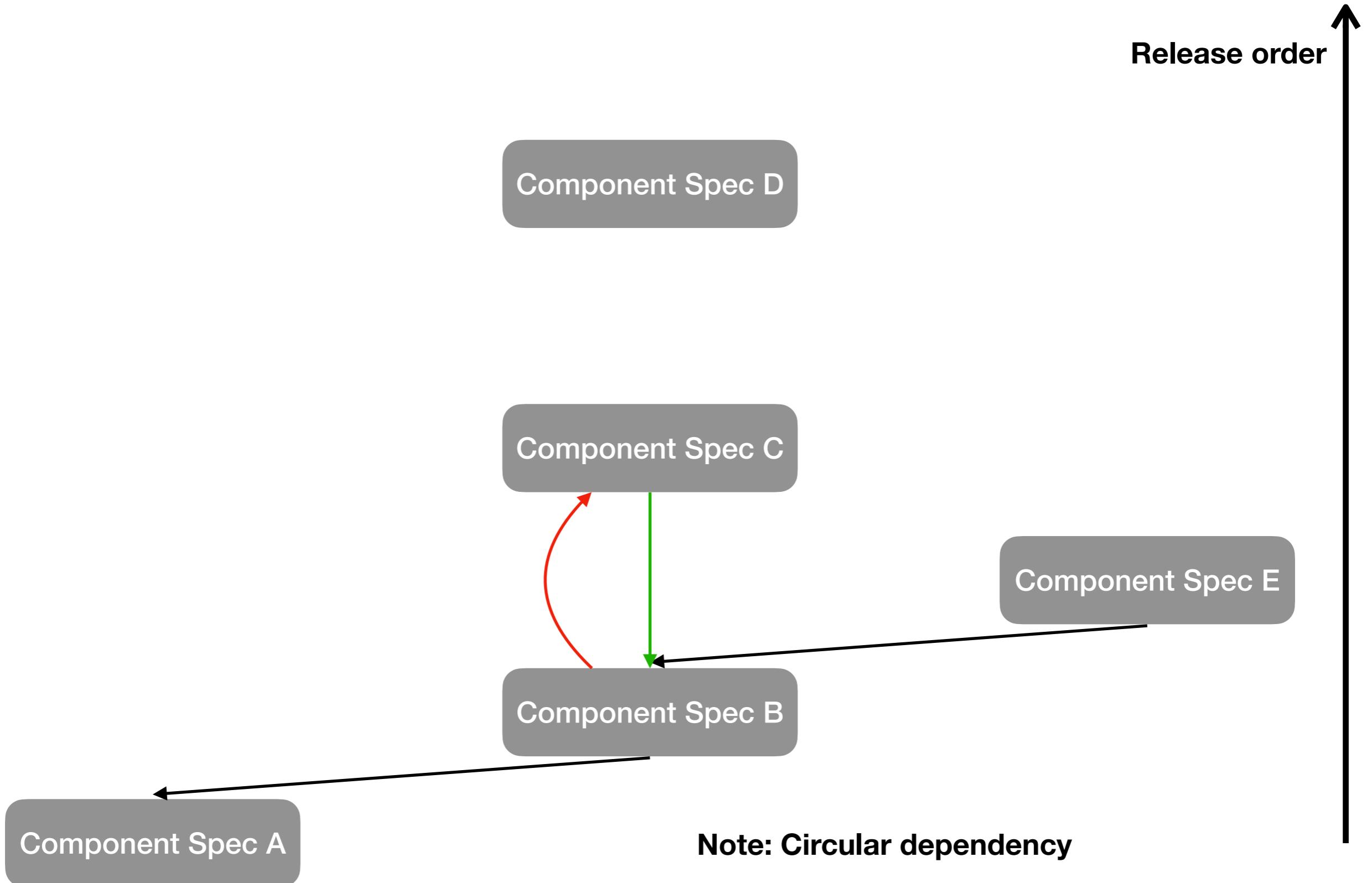
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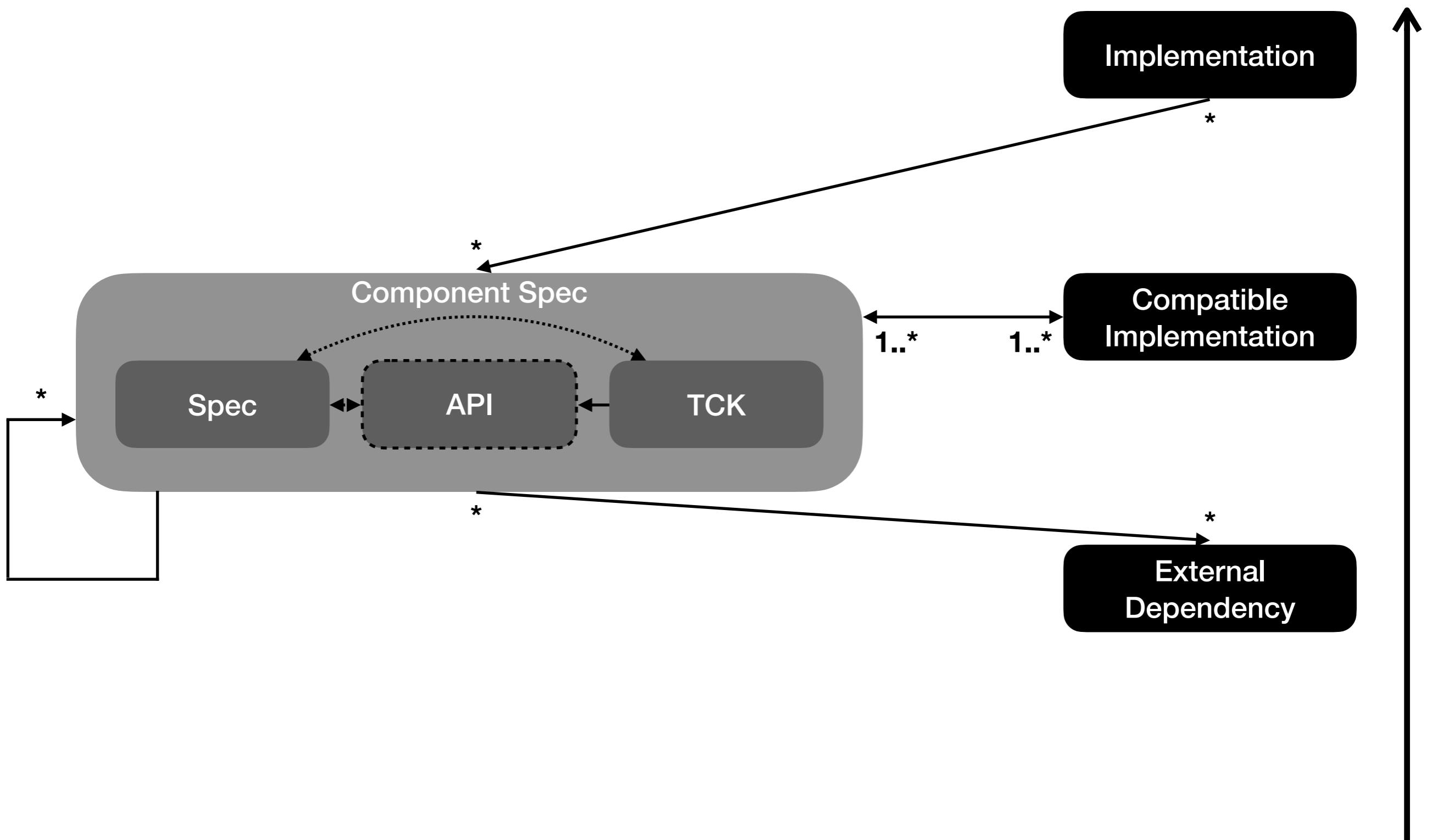
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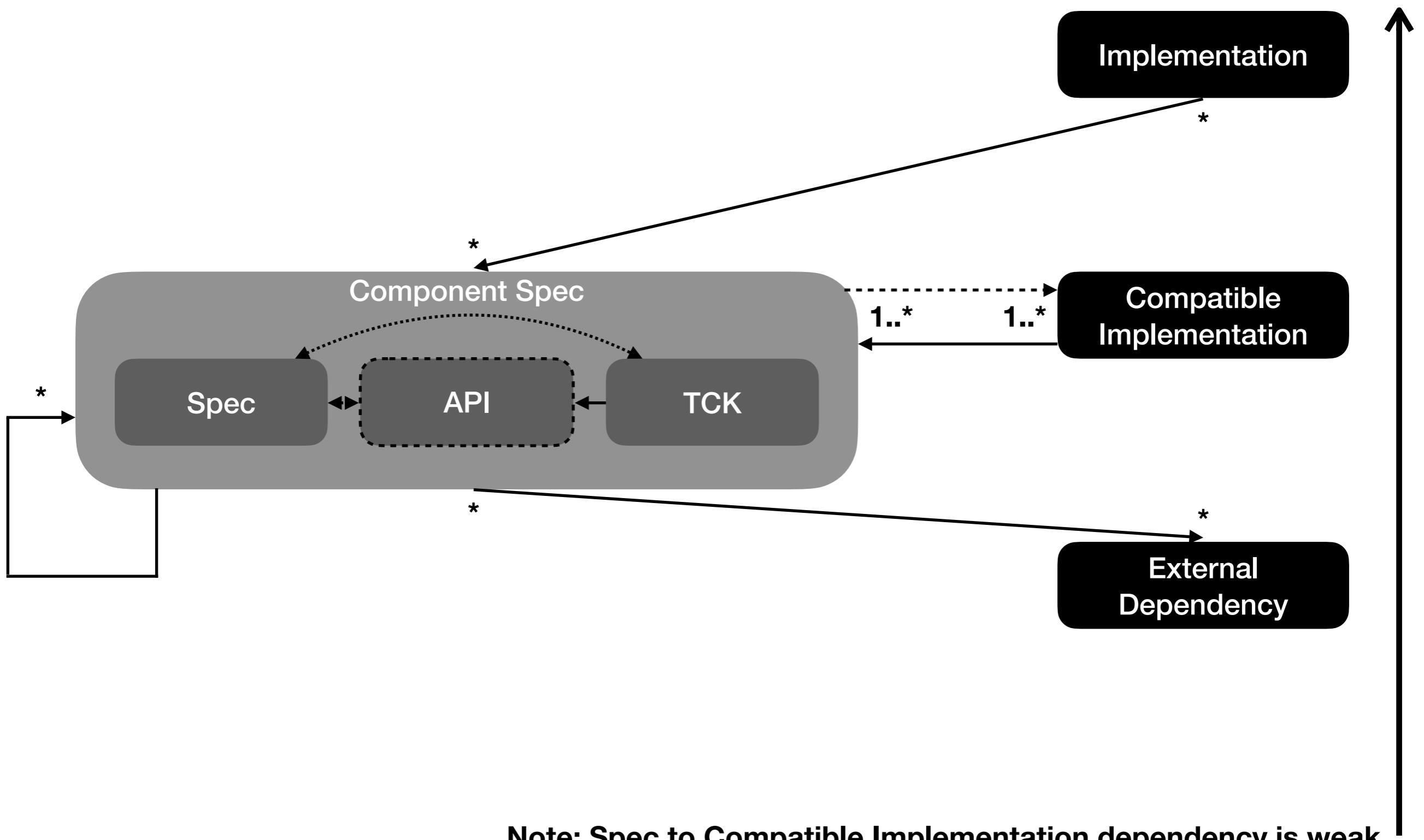
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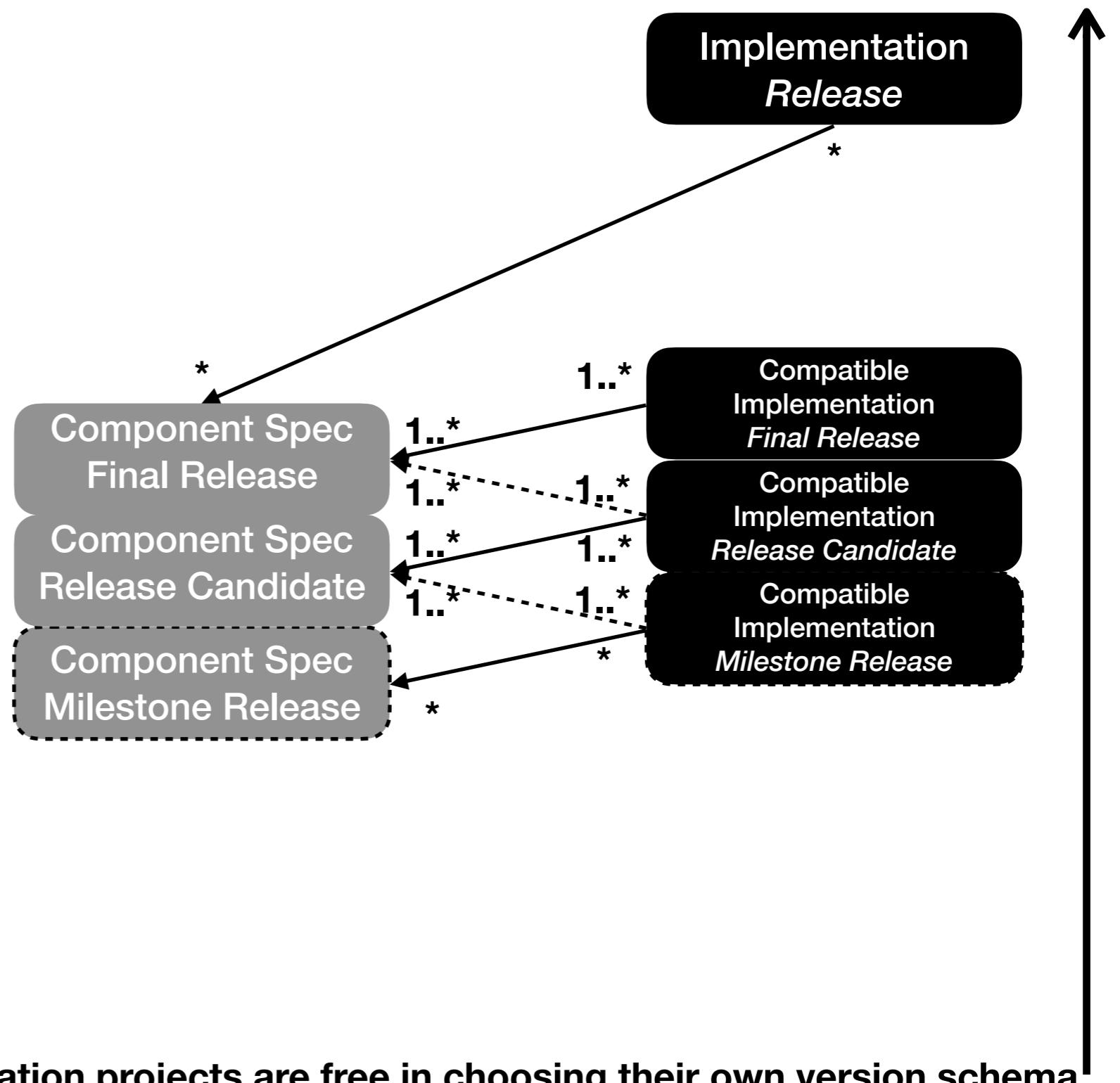
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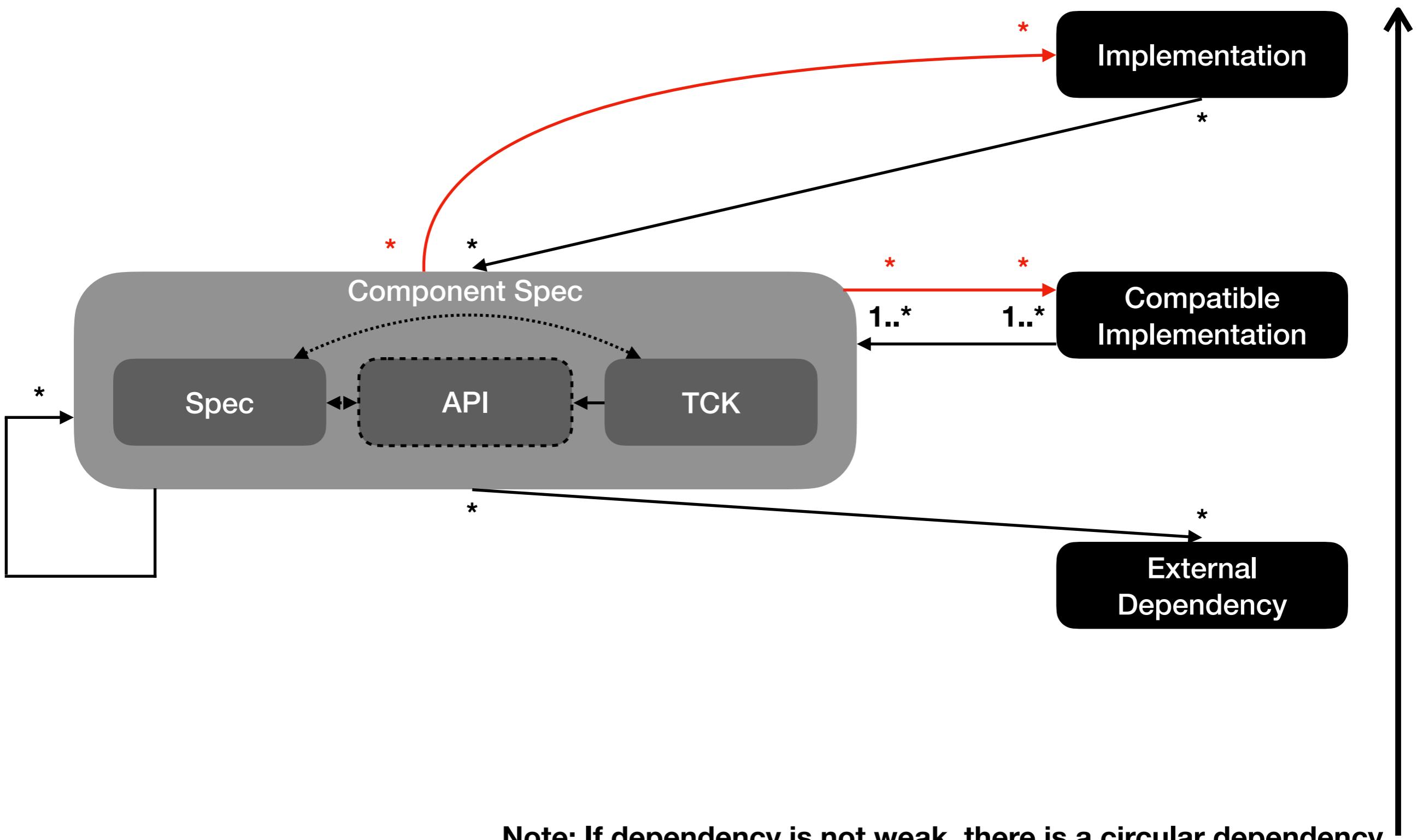
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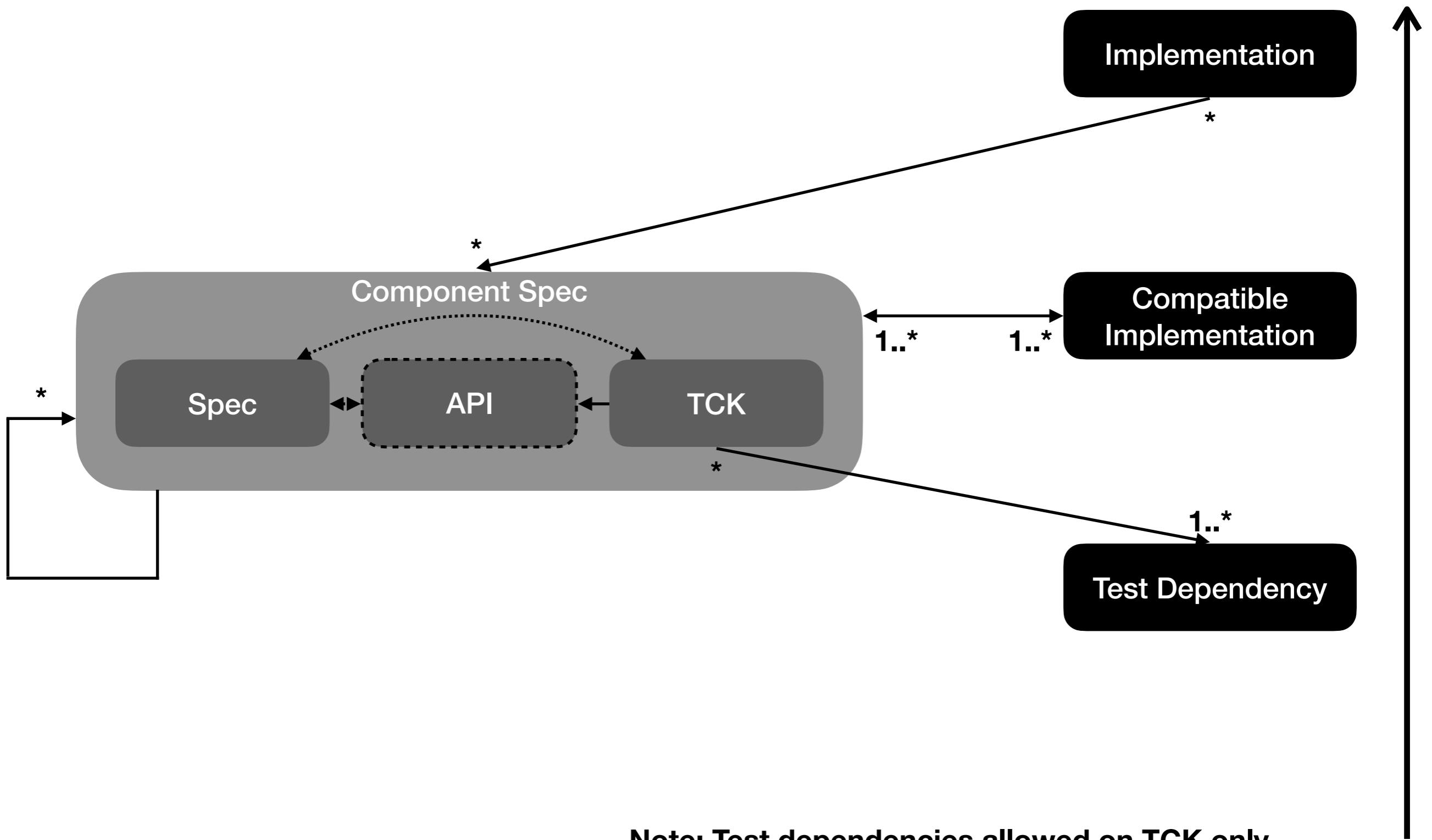
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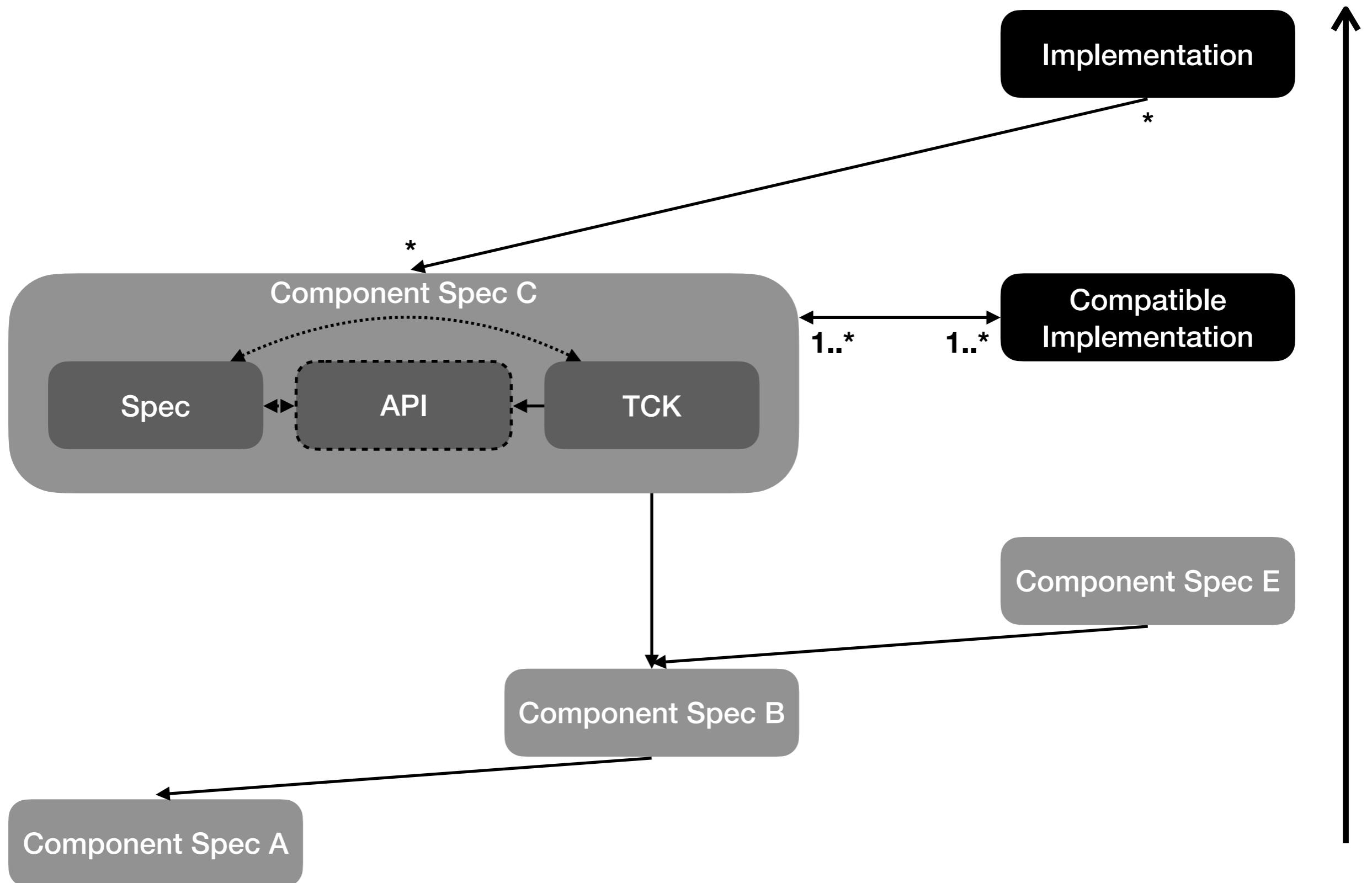
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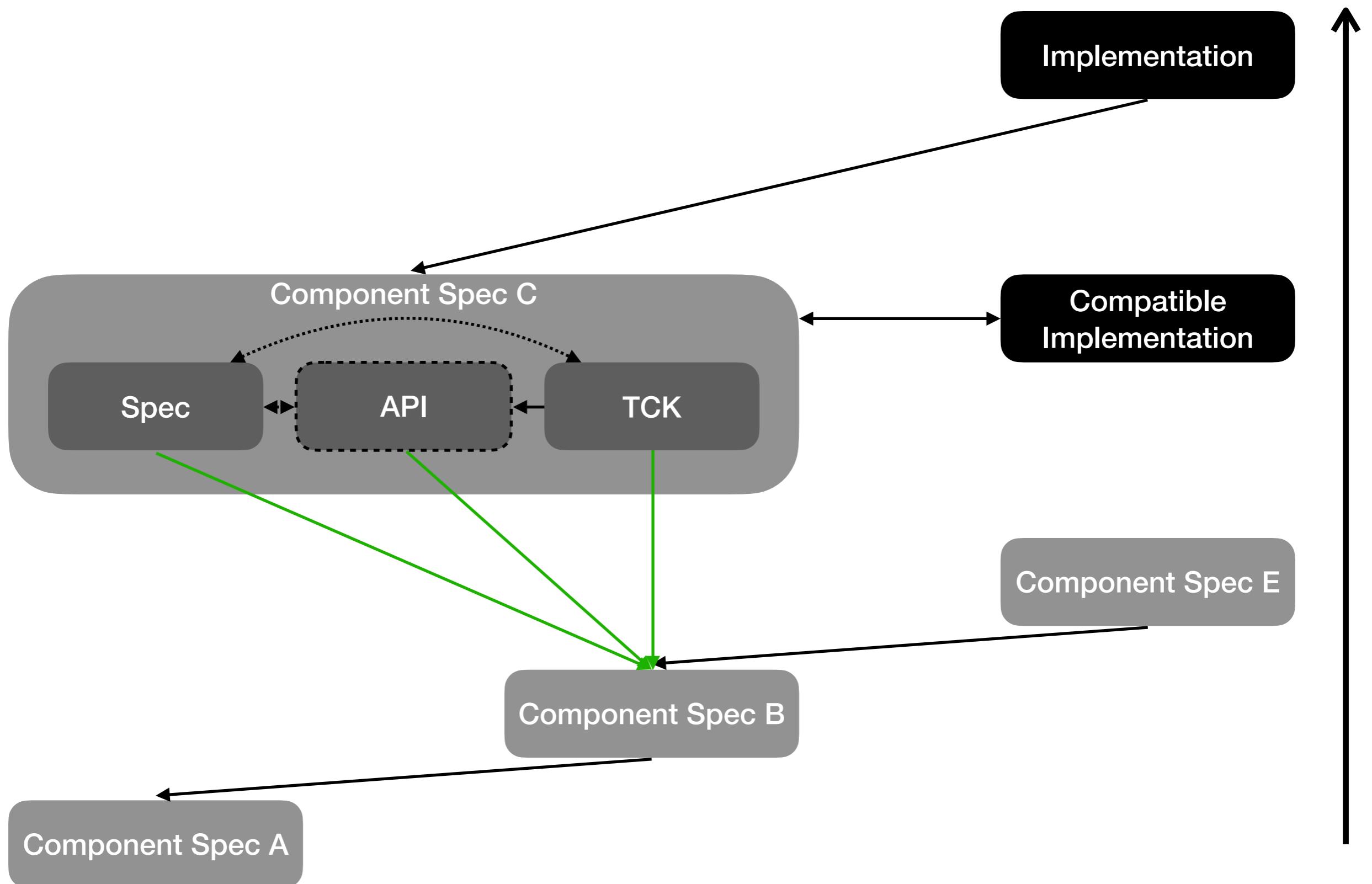
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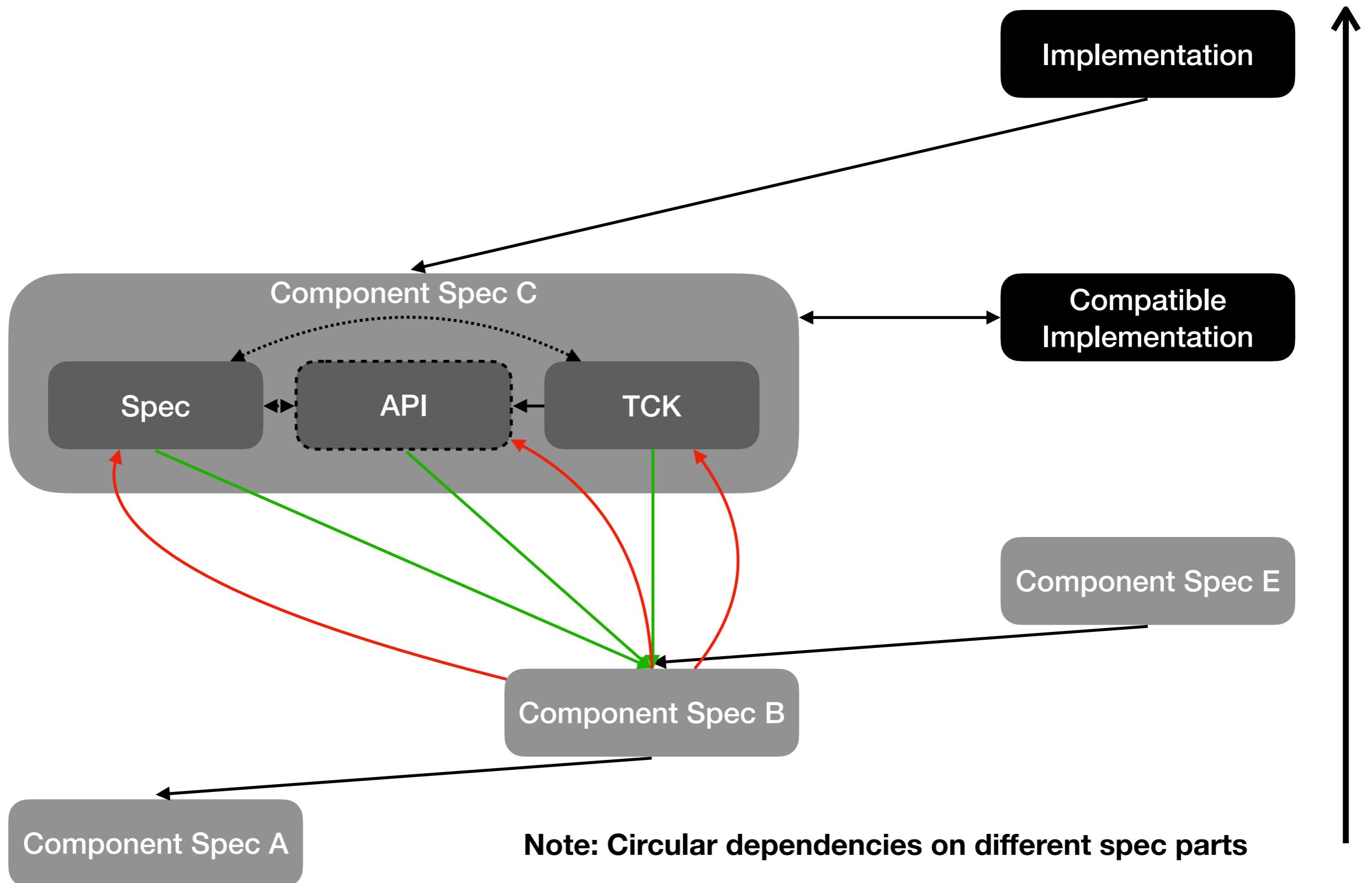
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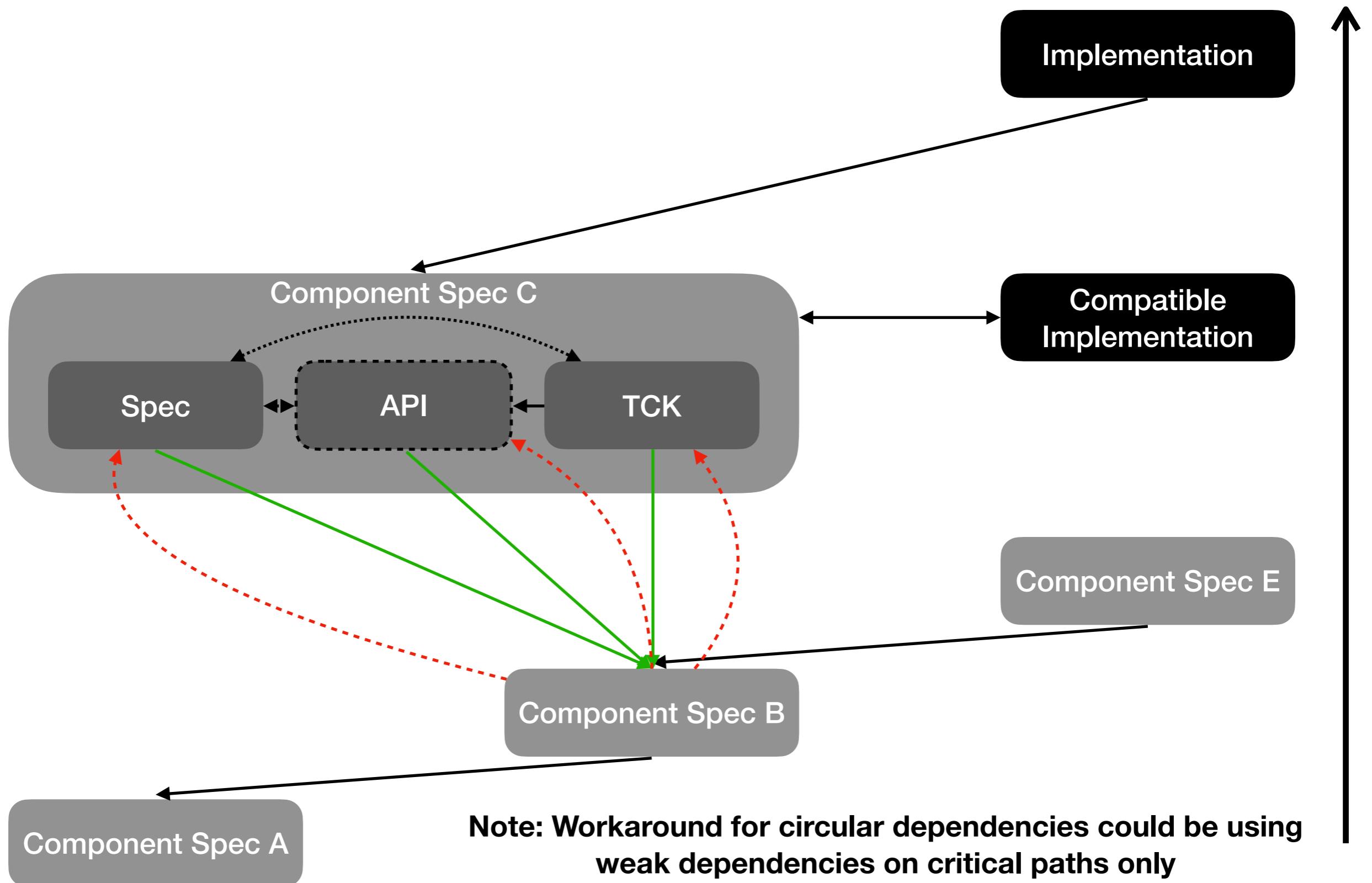
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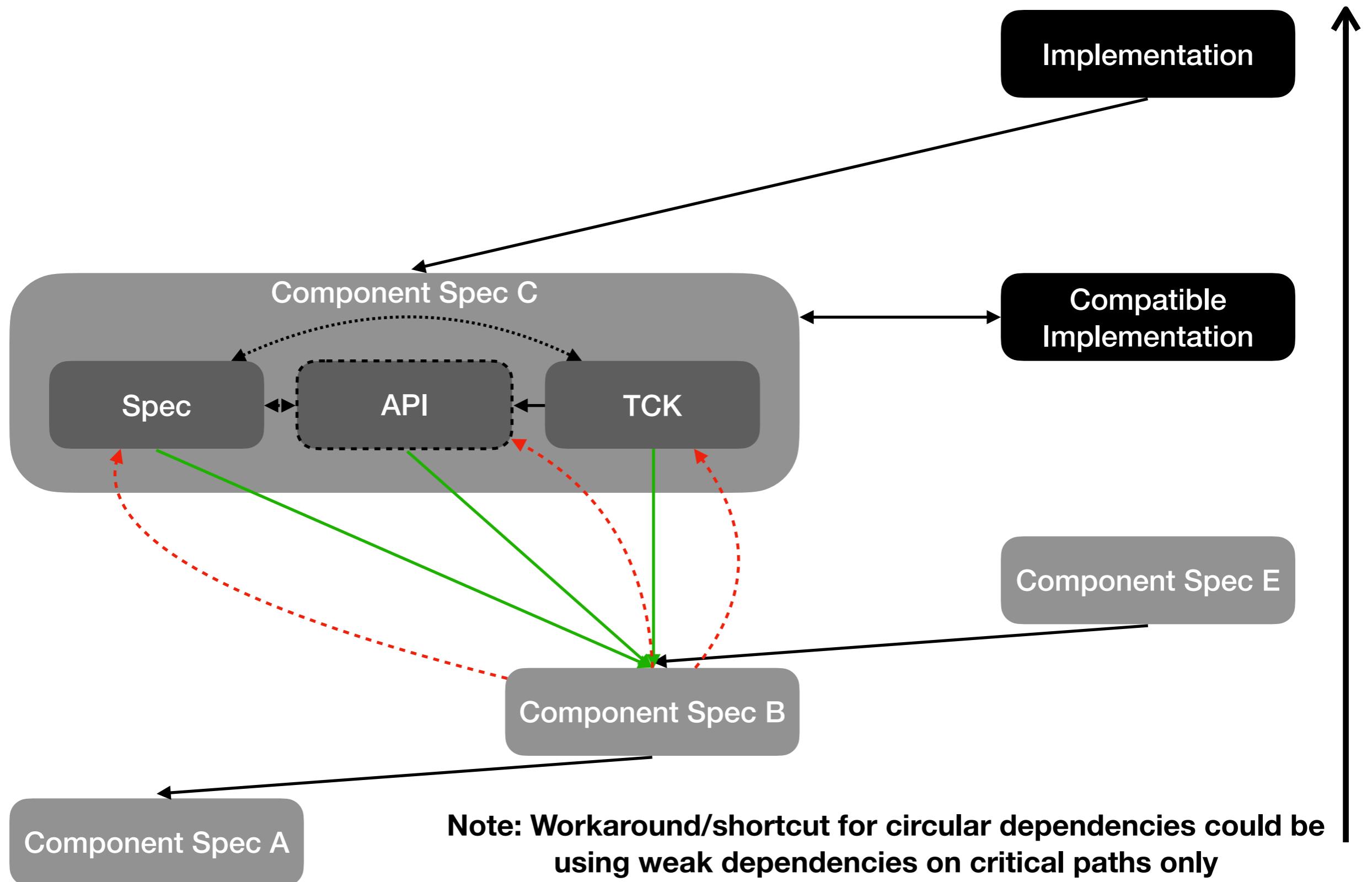
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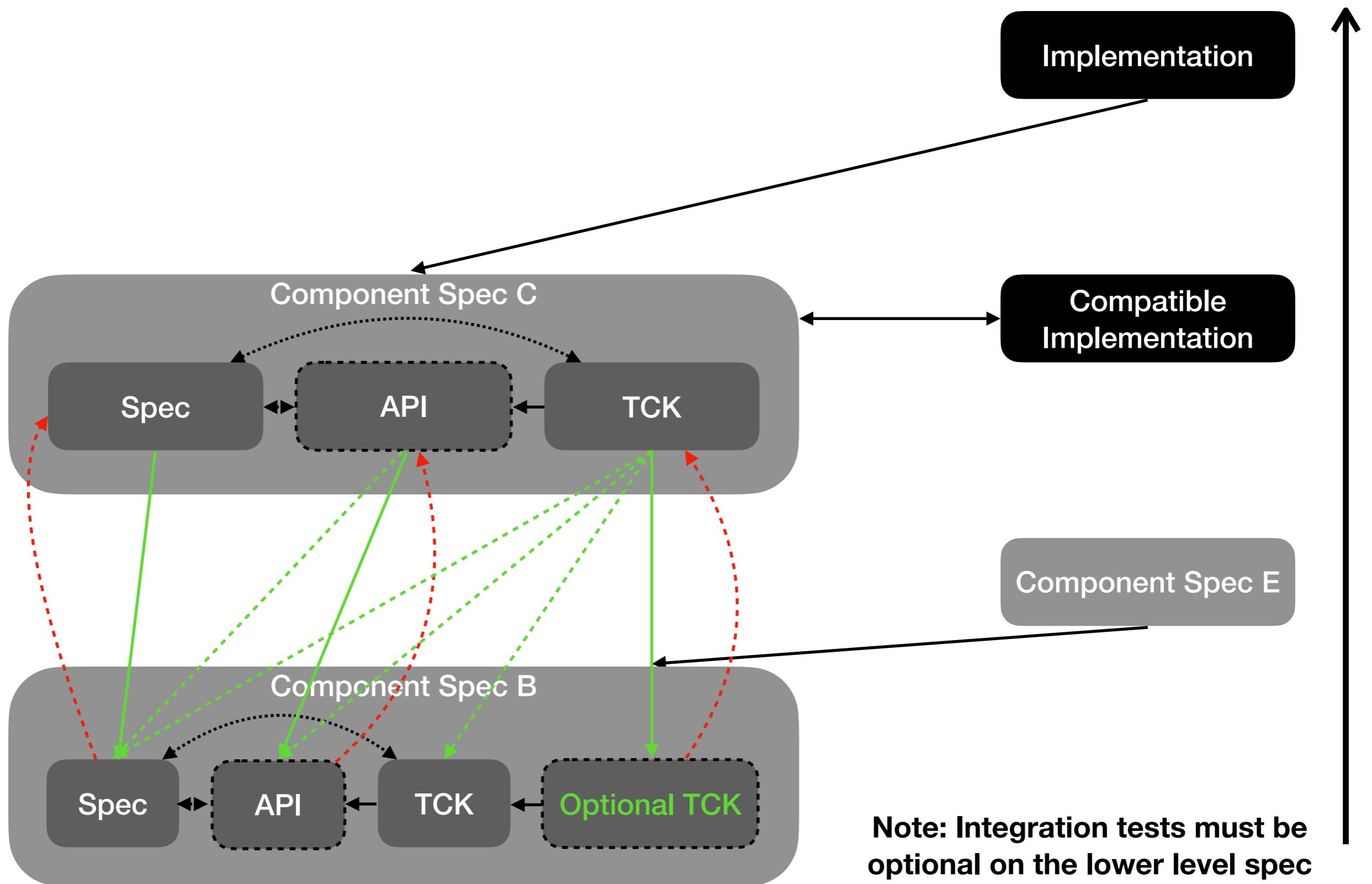
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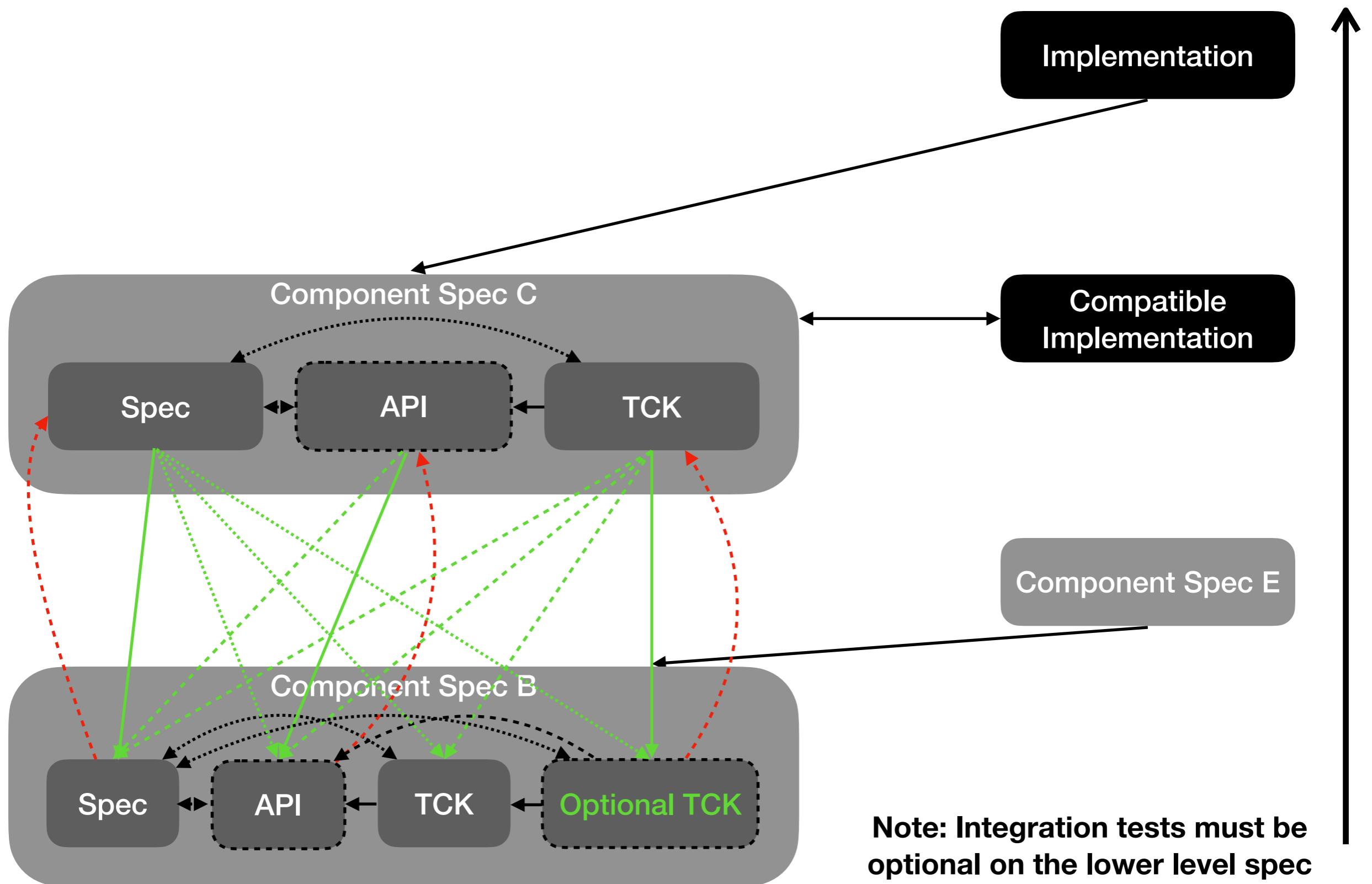
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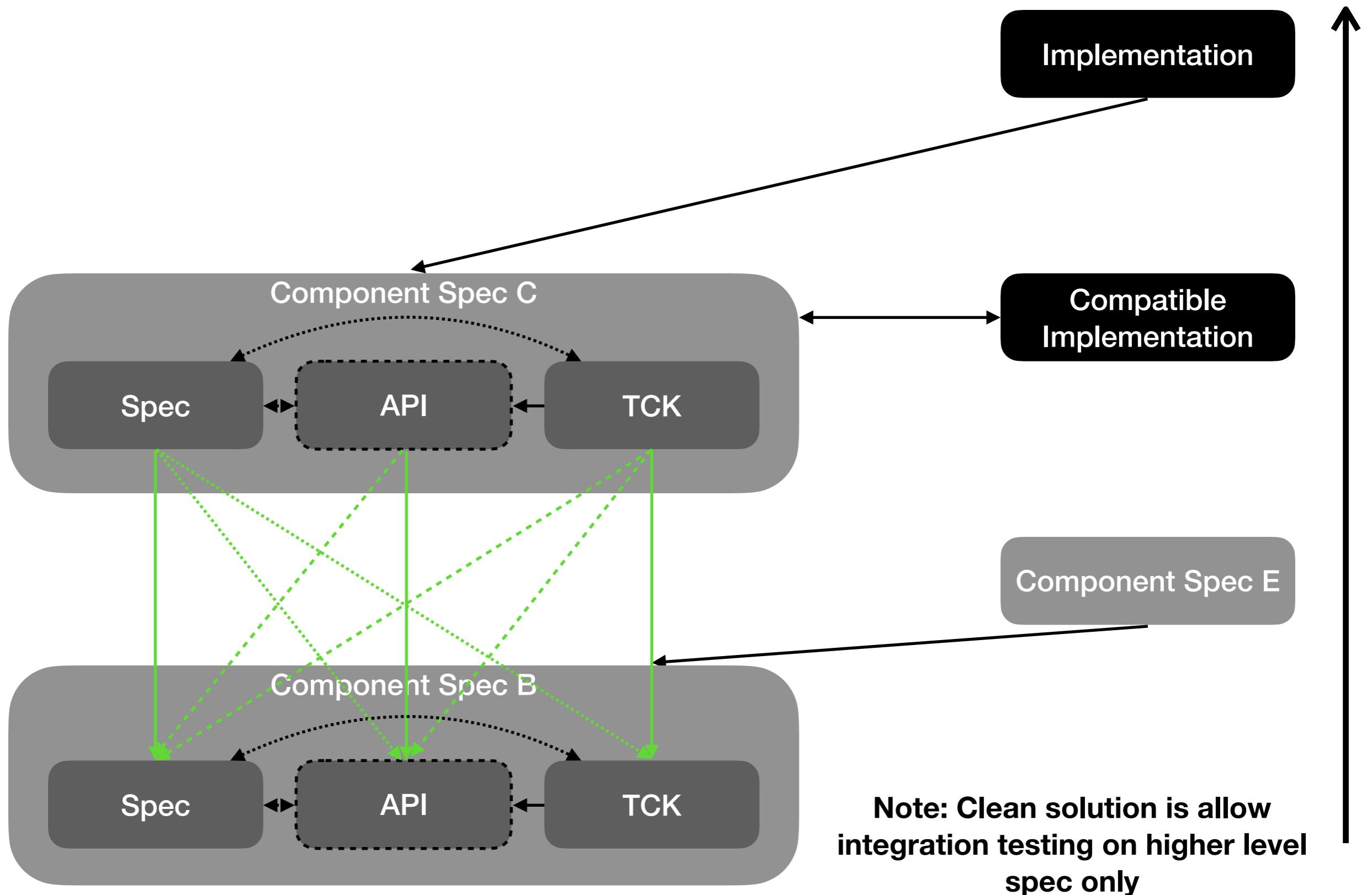
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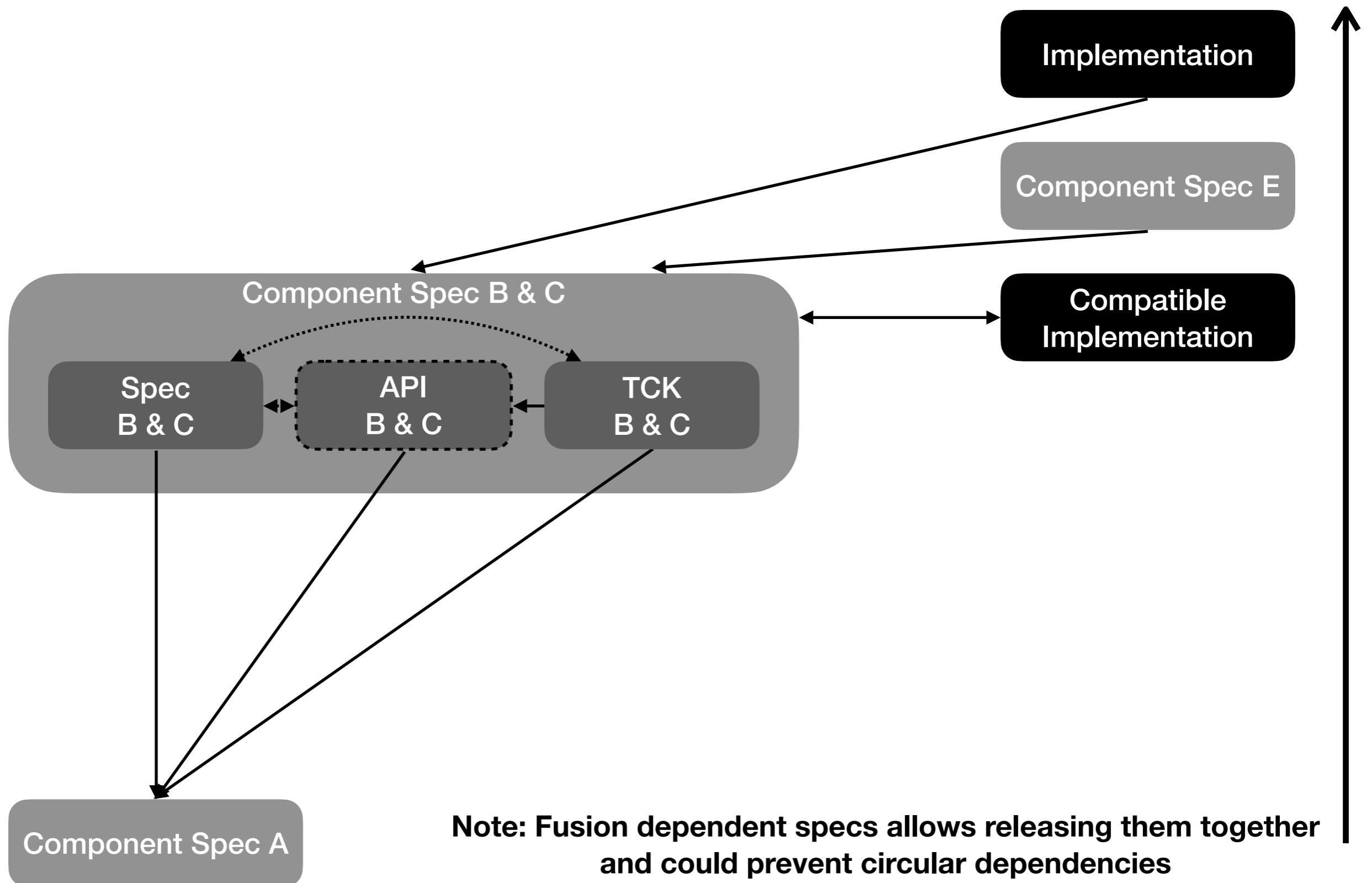
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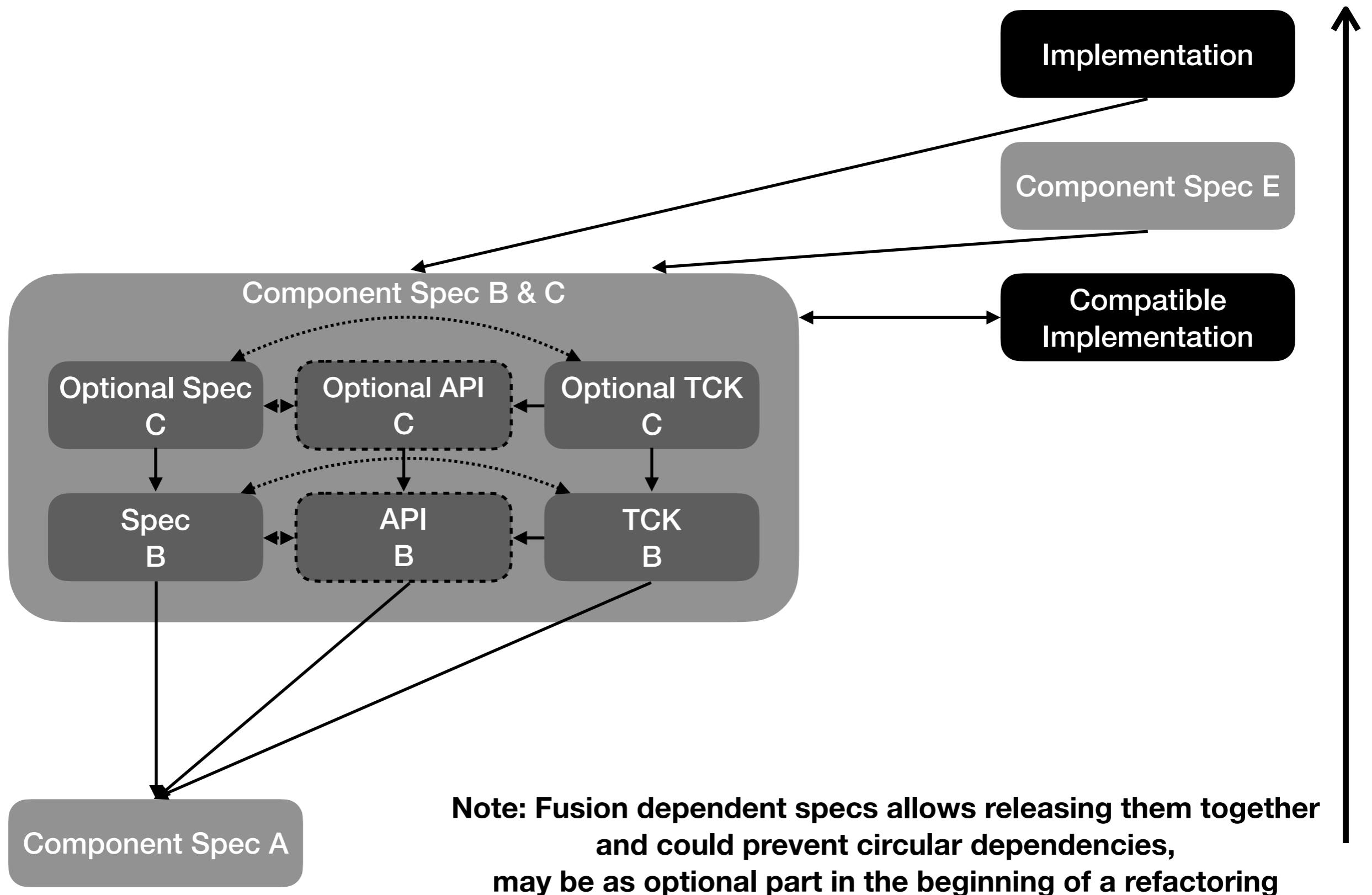
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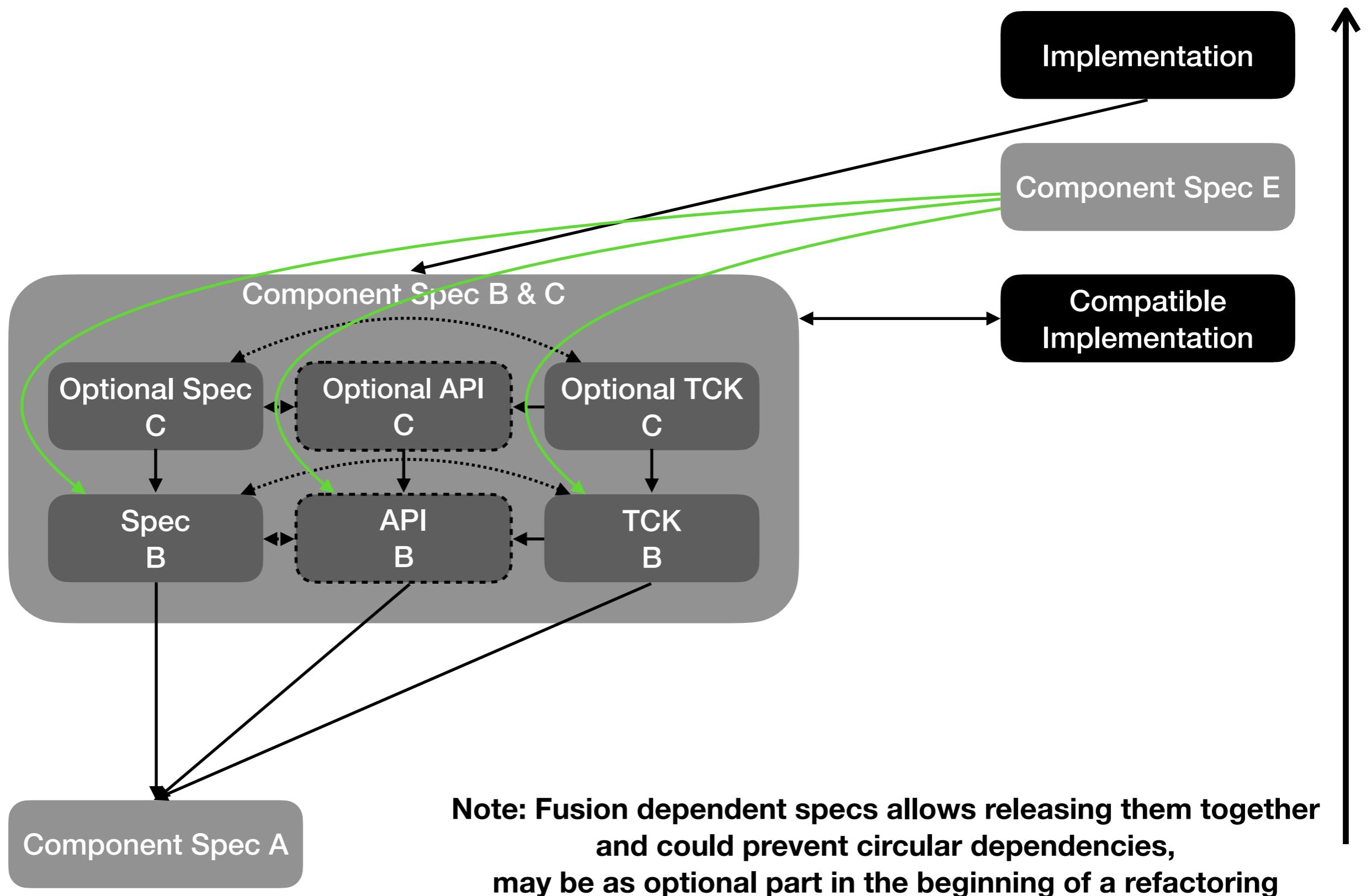
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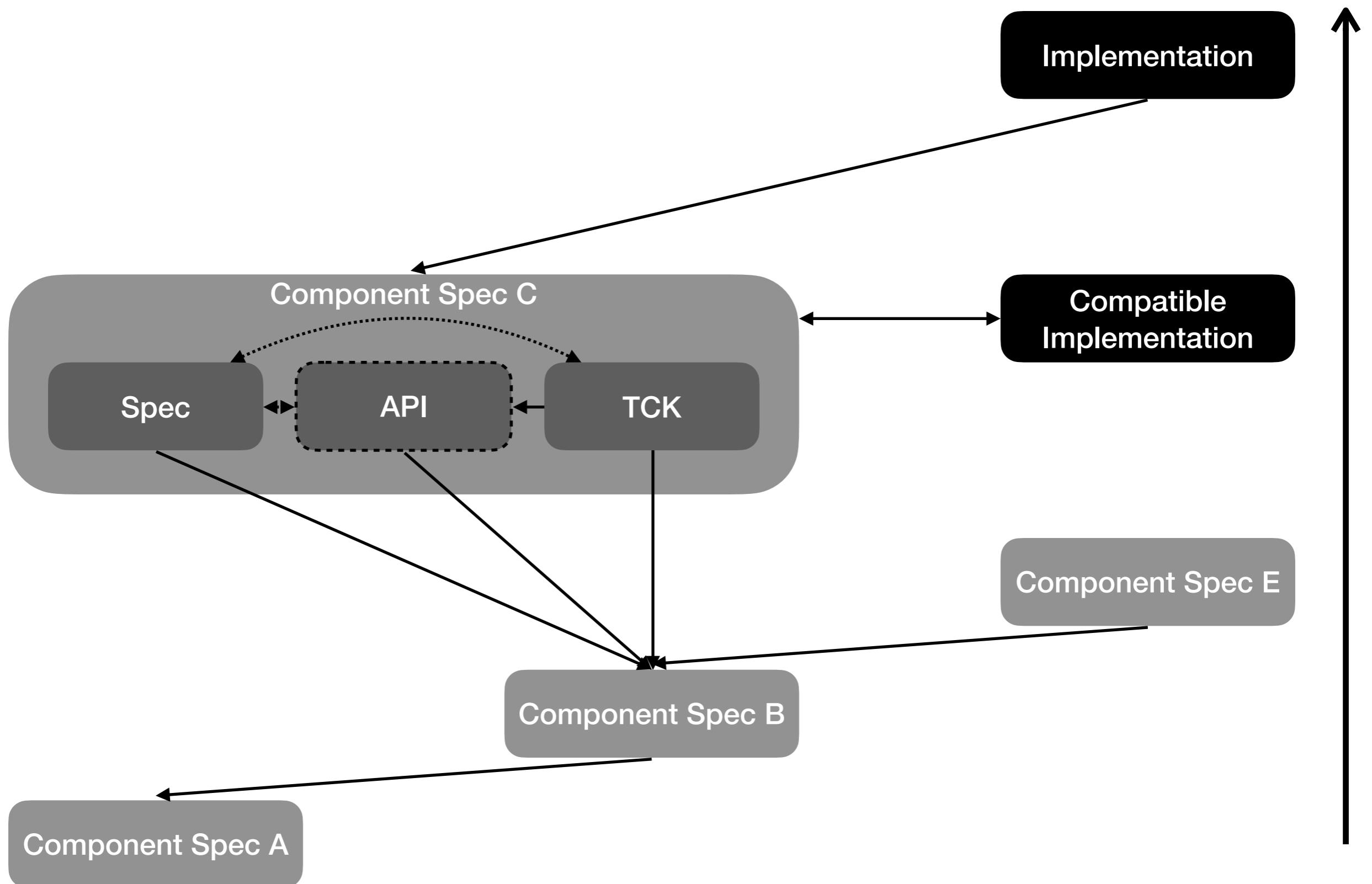
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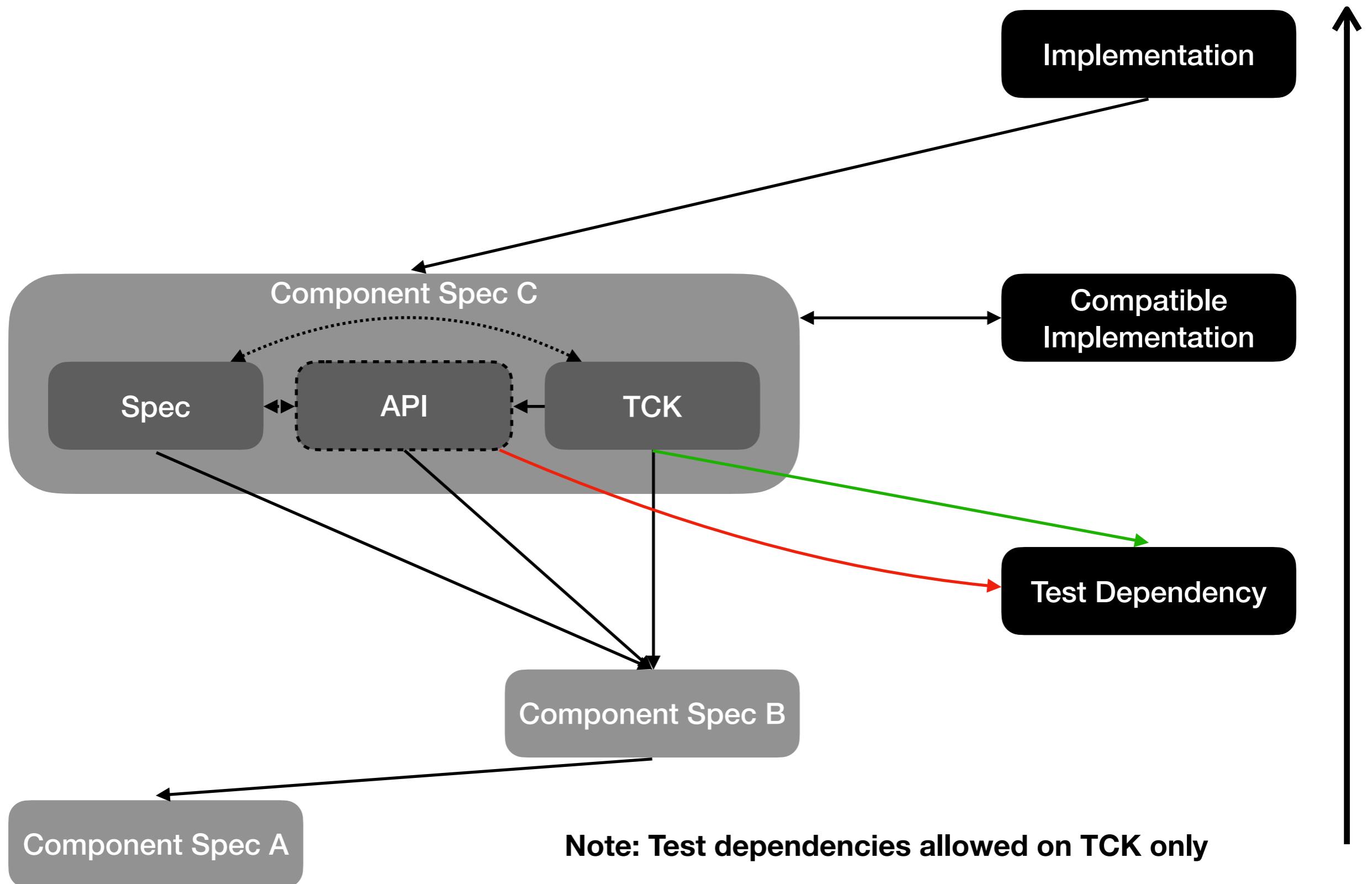
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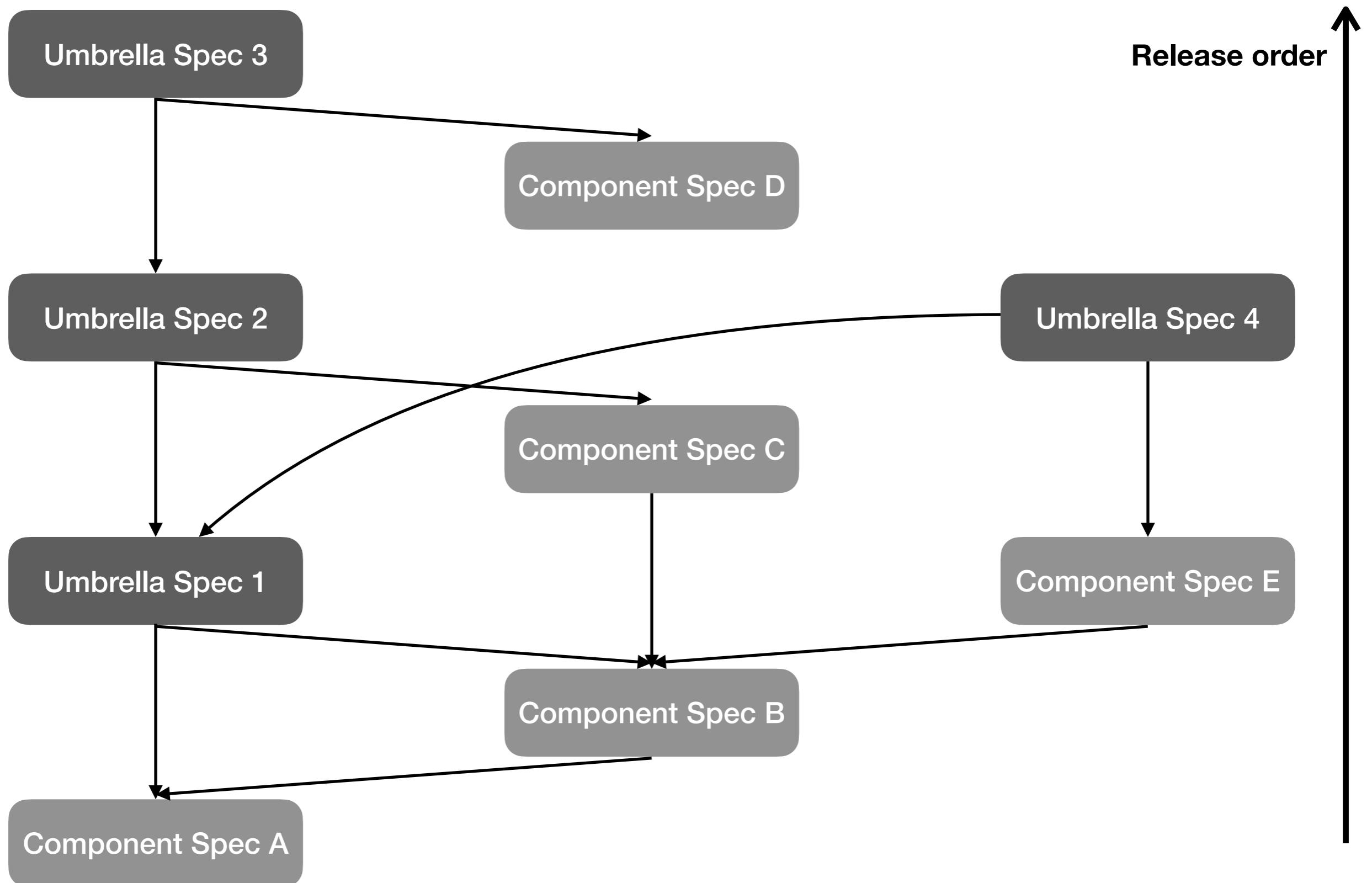
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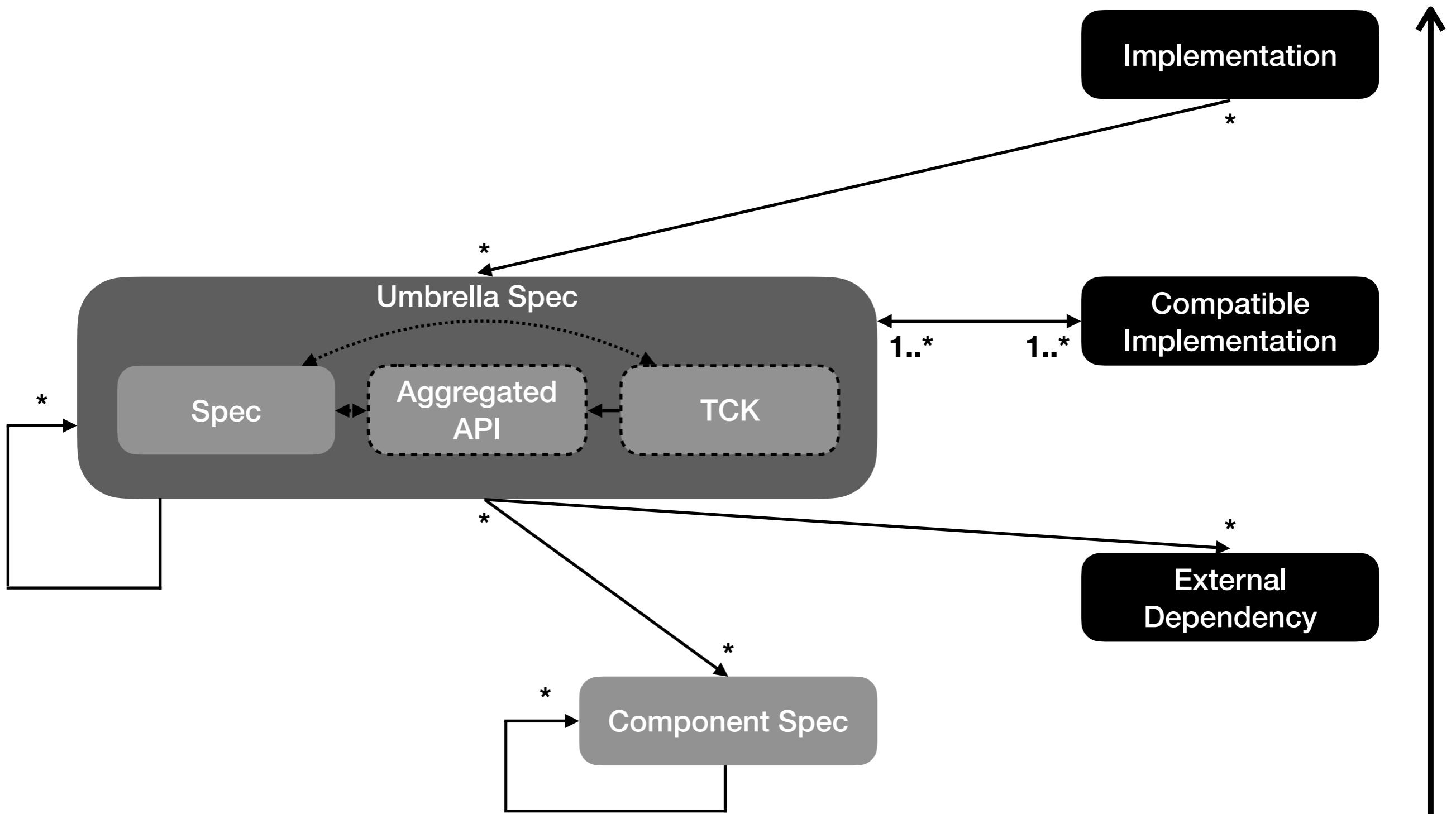
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Umbrella Specs

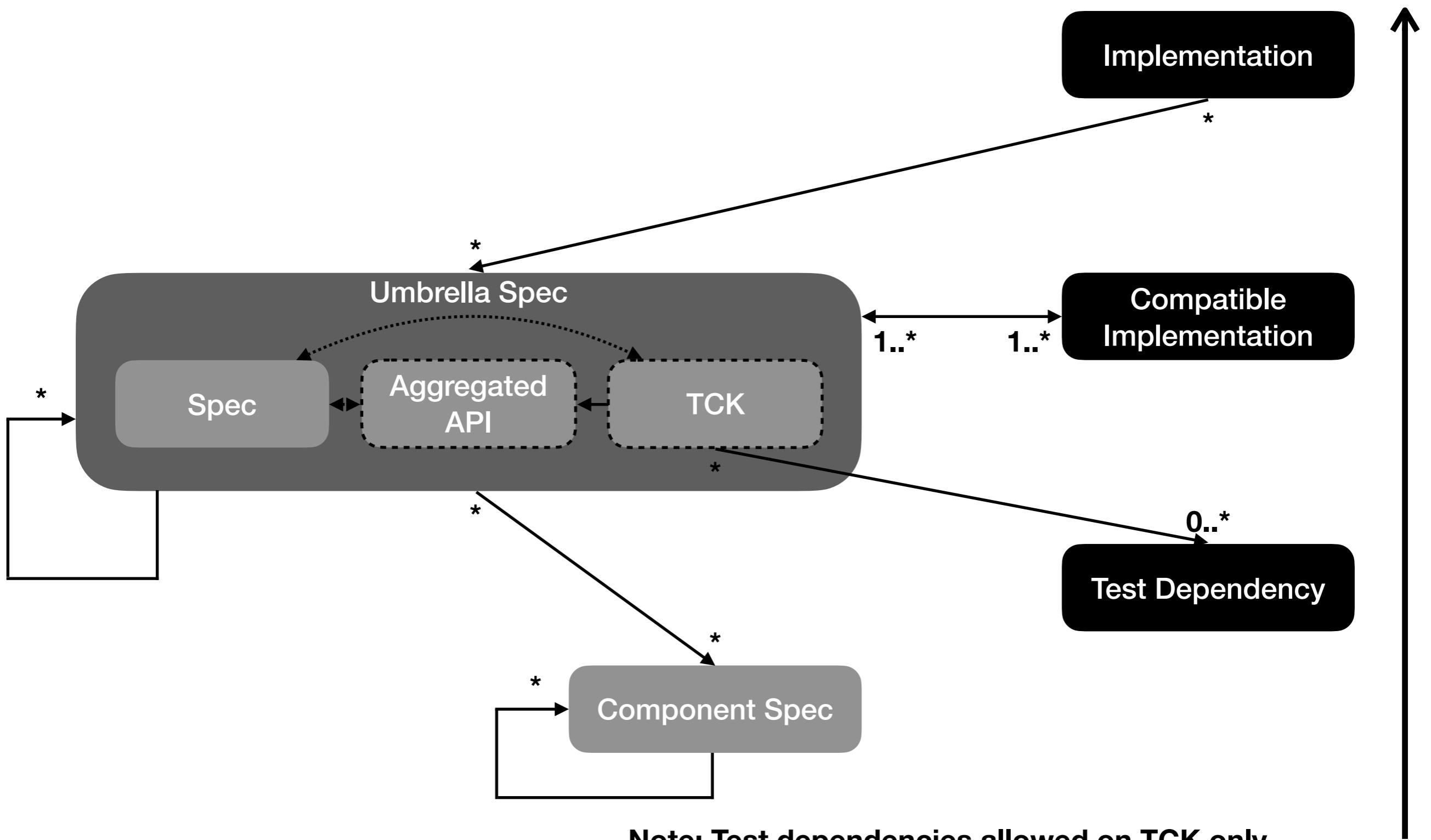


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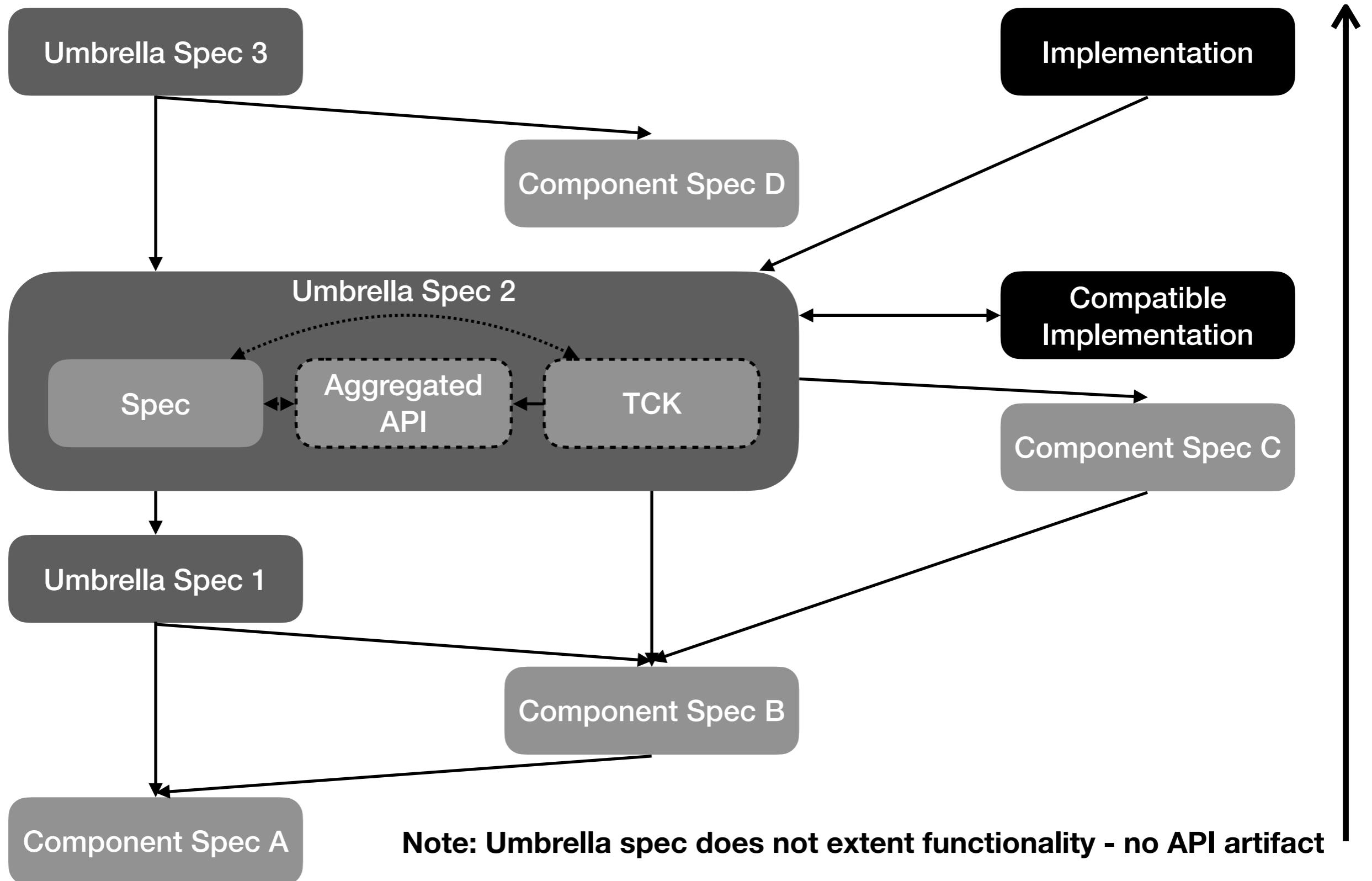


Note: Umbrella spec does not extent functionality - no source API artifact

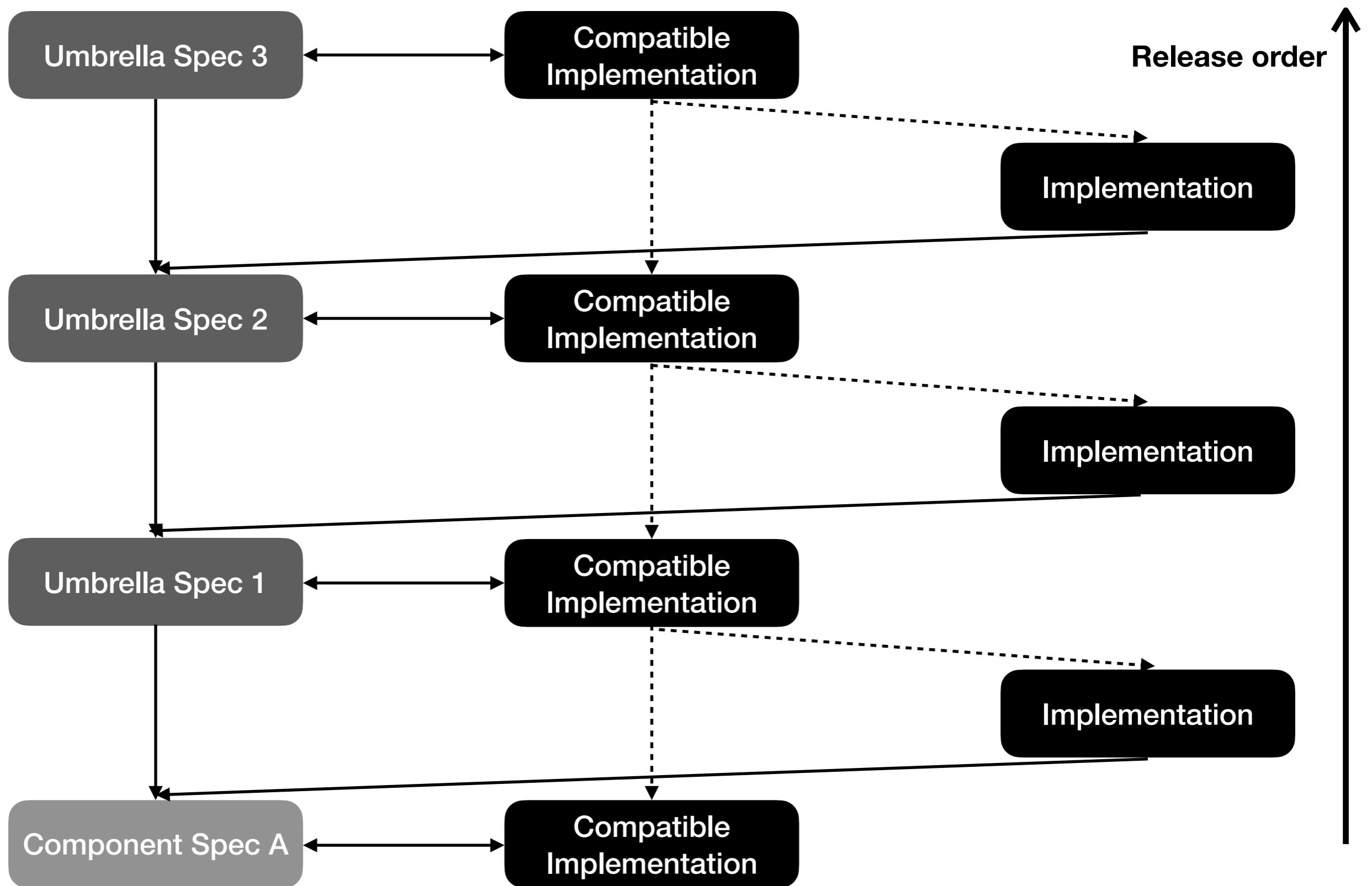
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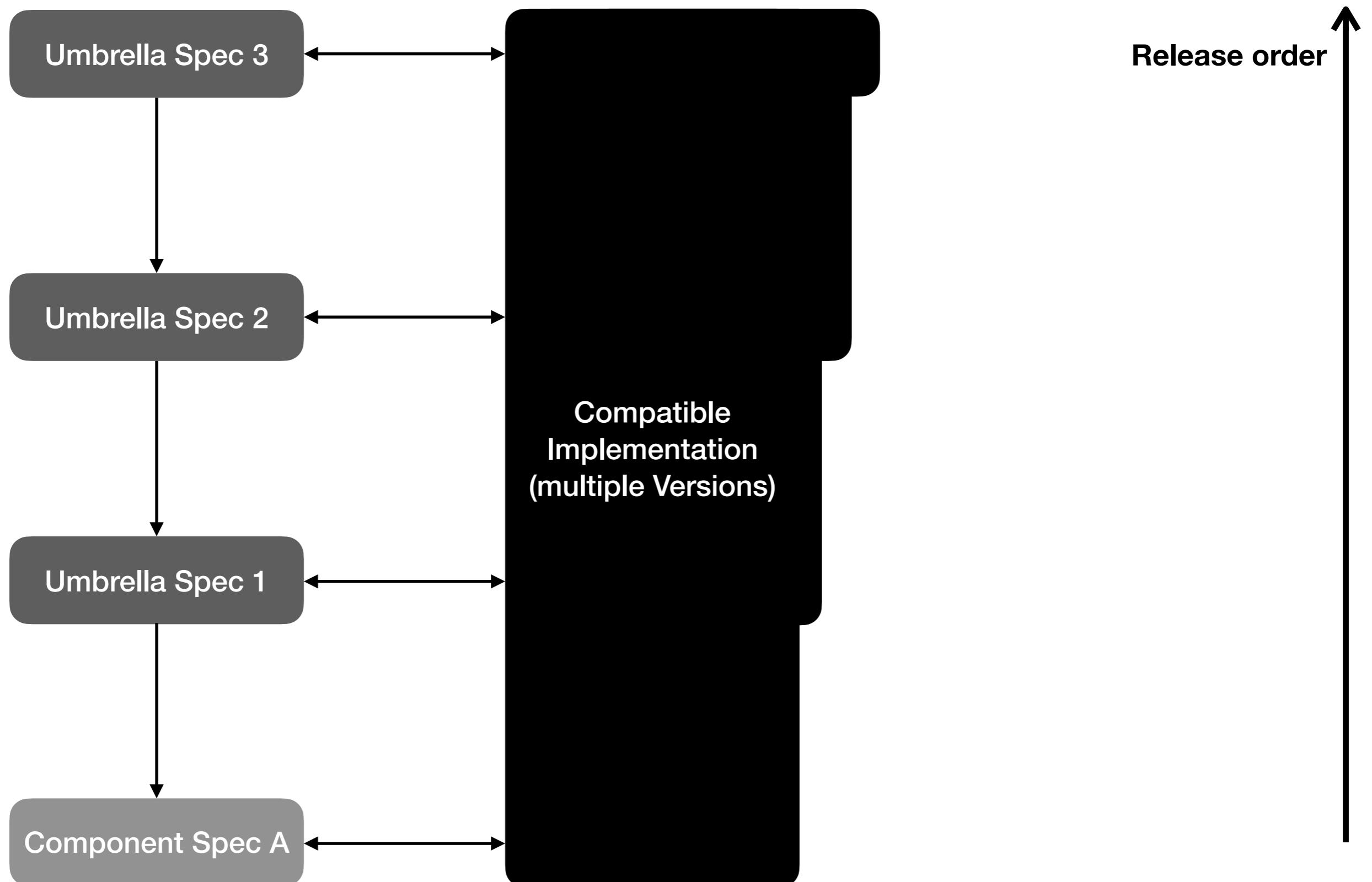
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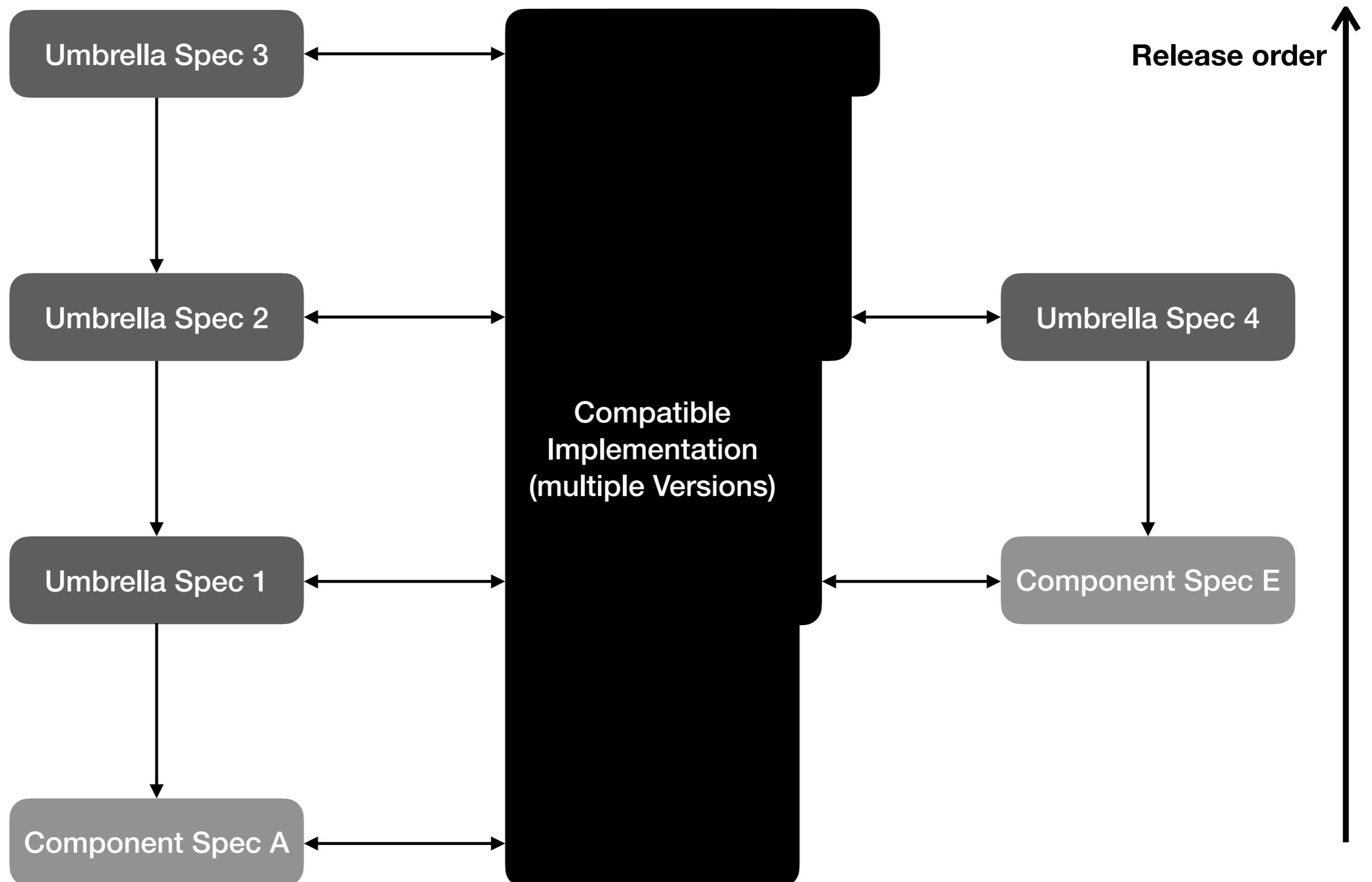
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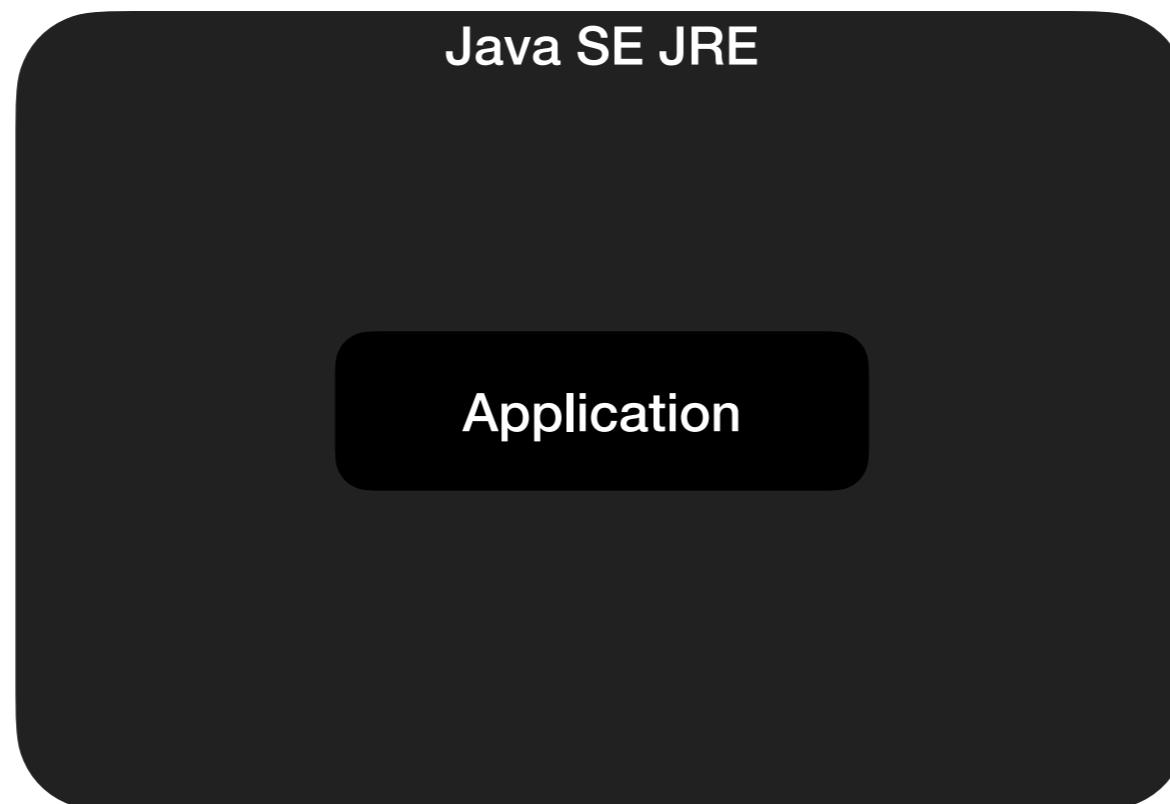
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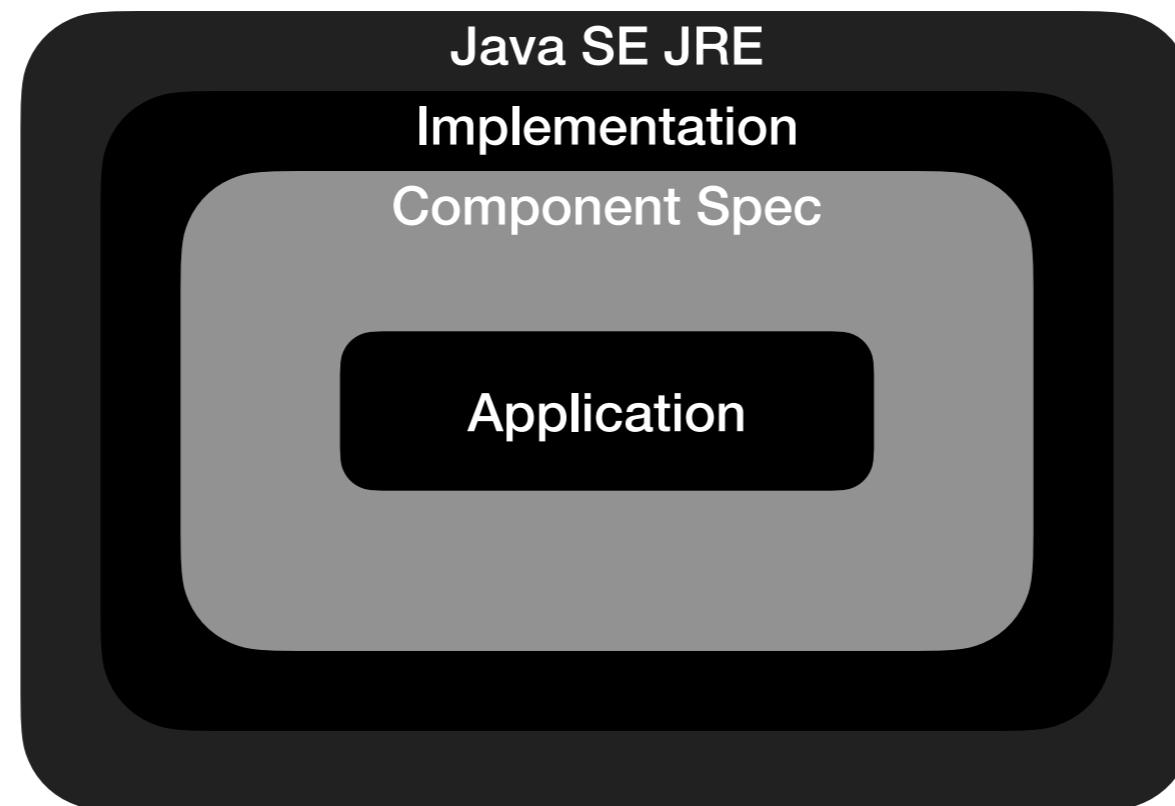
System Environment

Application

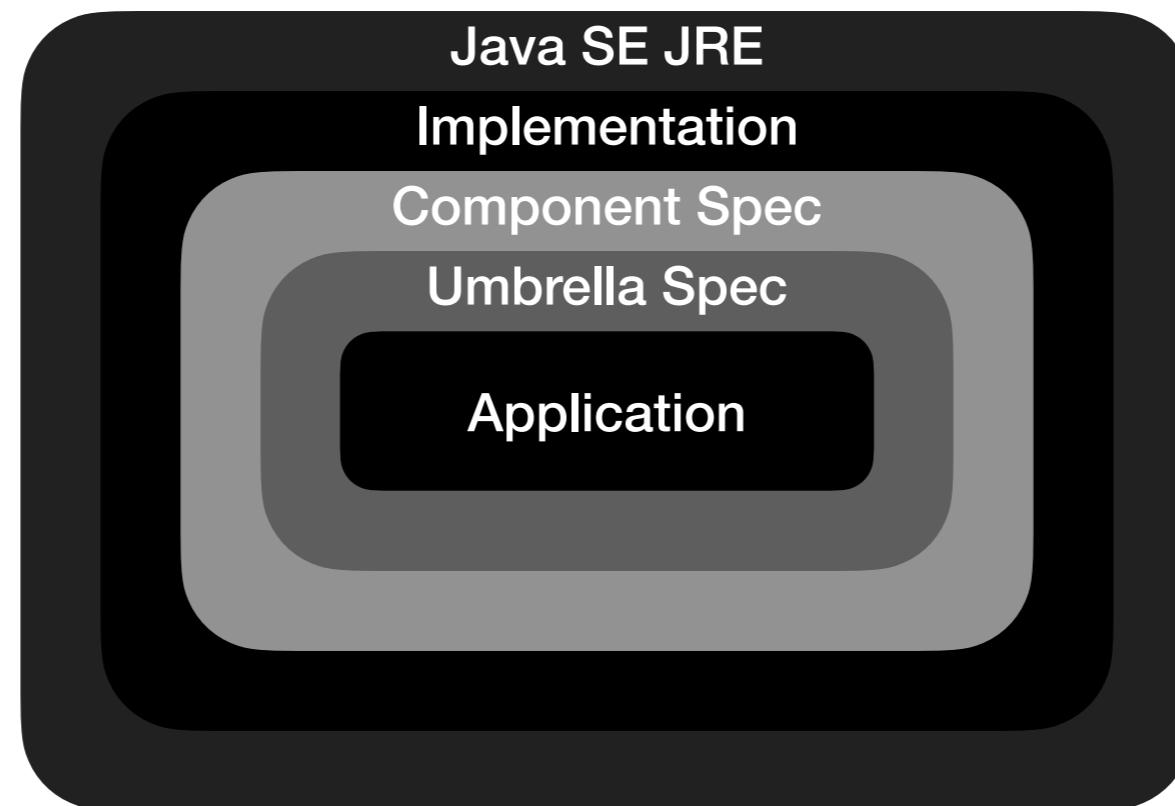
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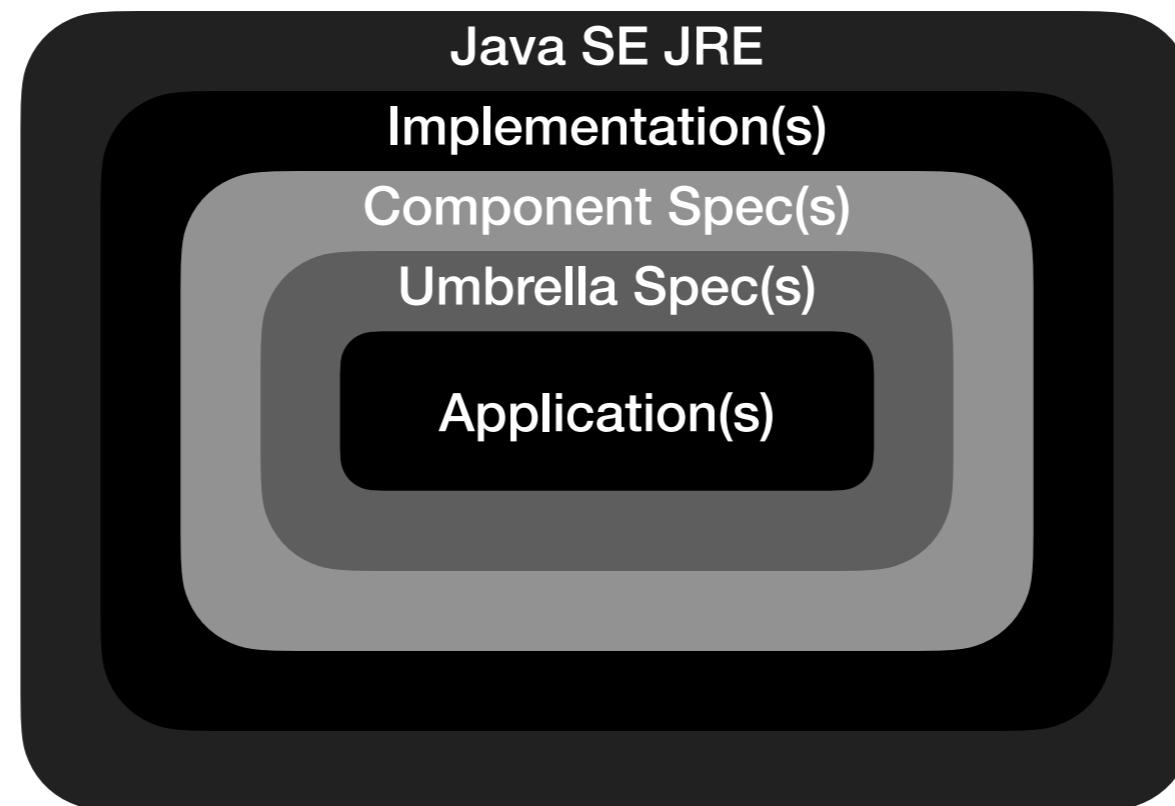
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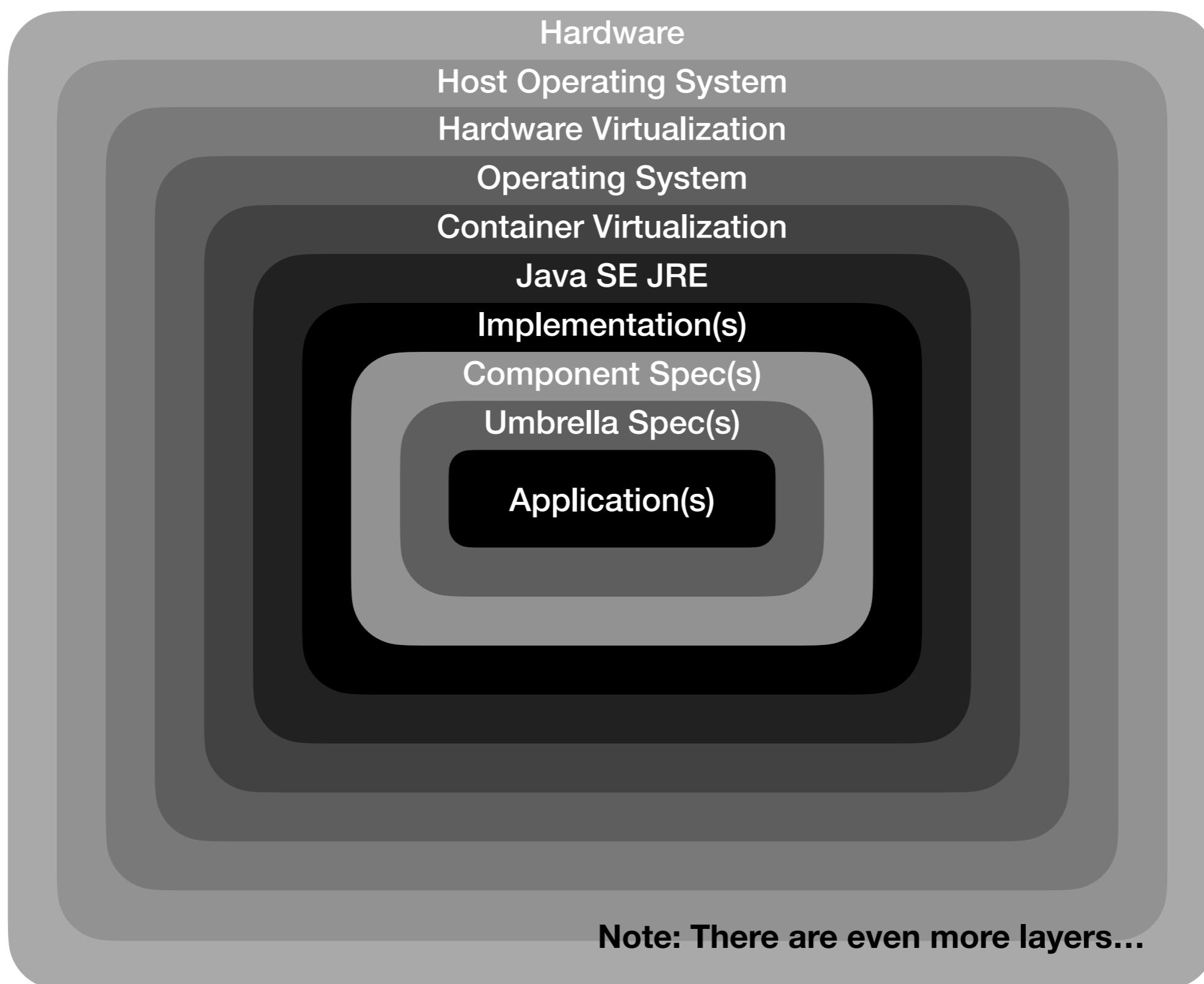
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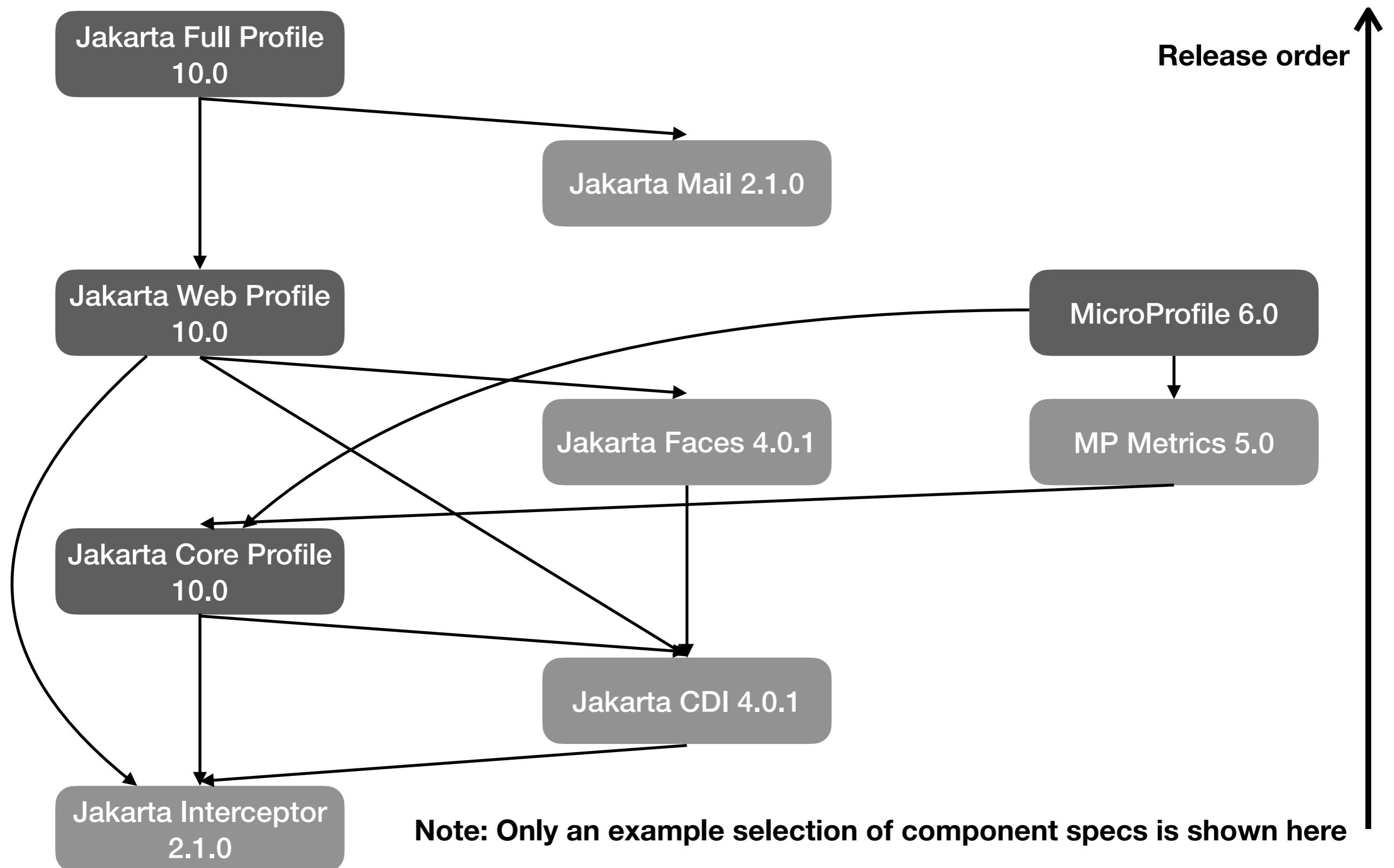
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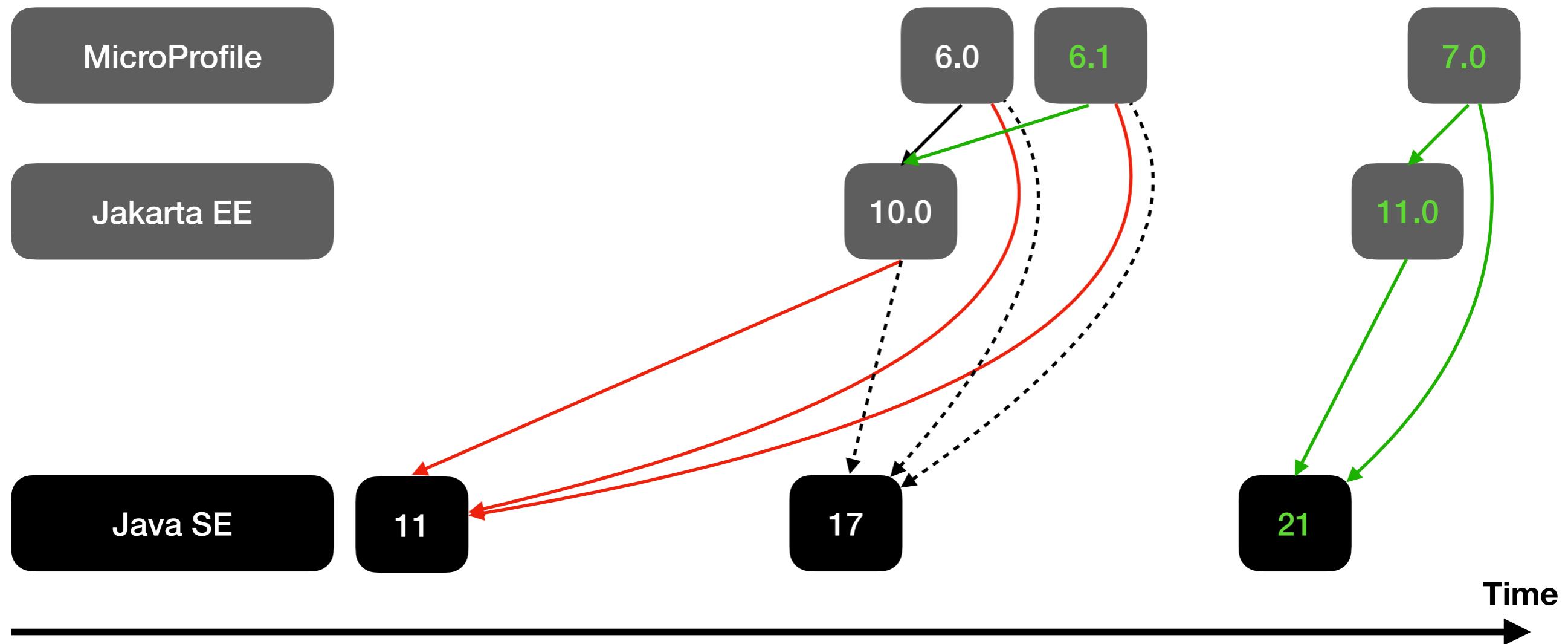
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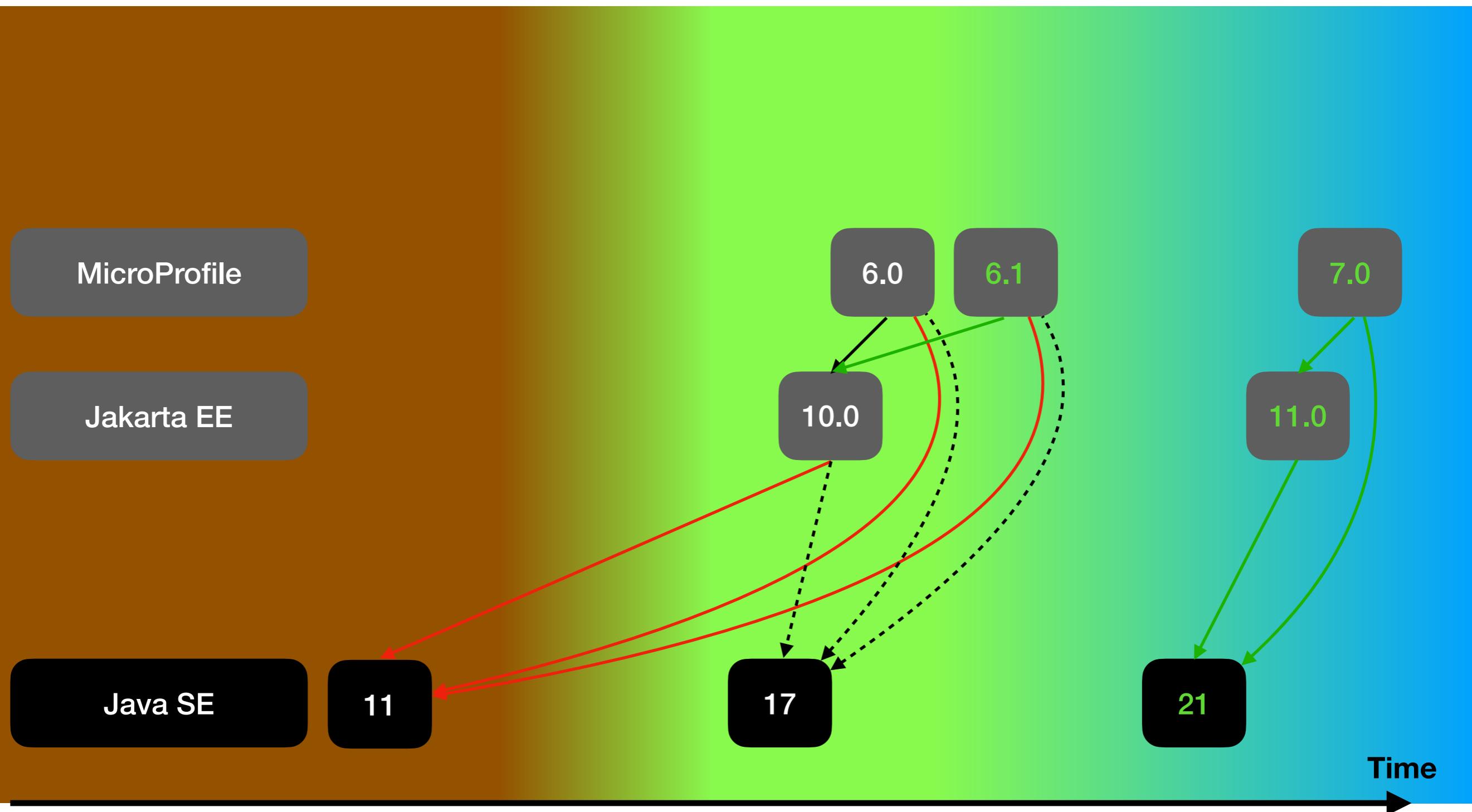
Jakarta EE & MicroProfile



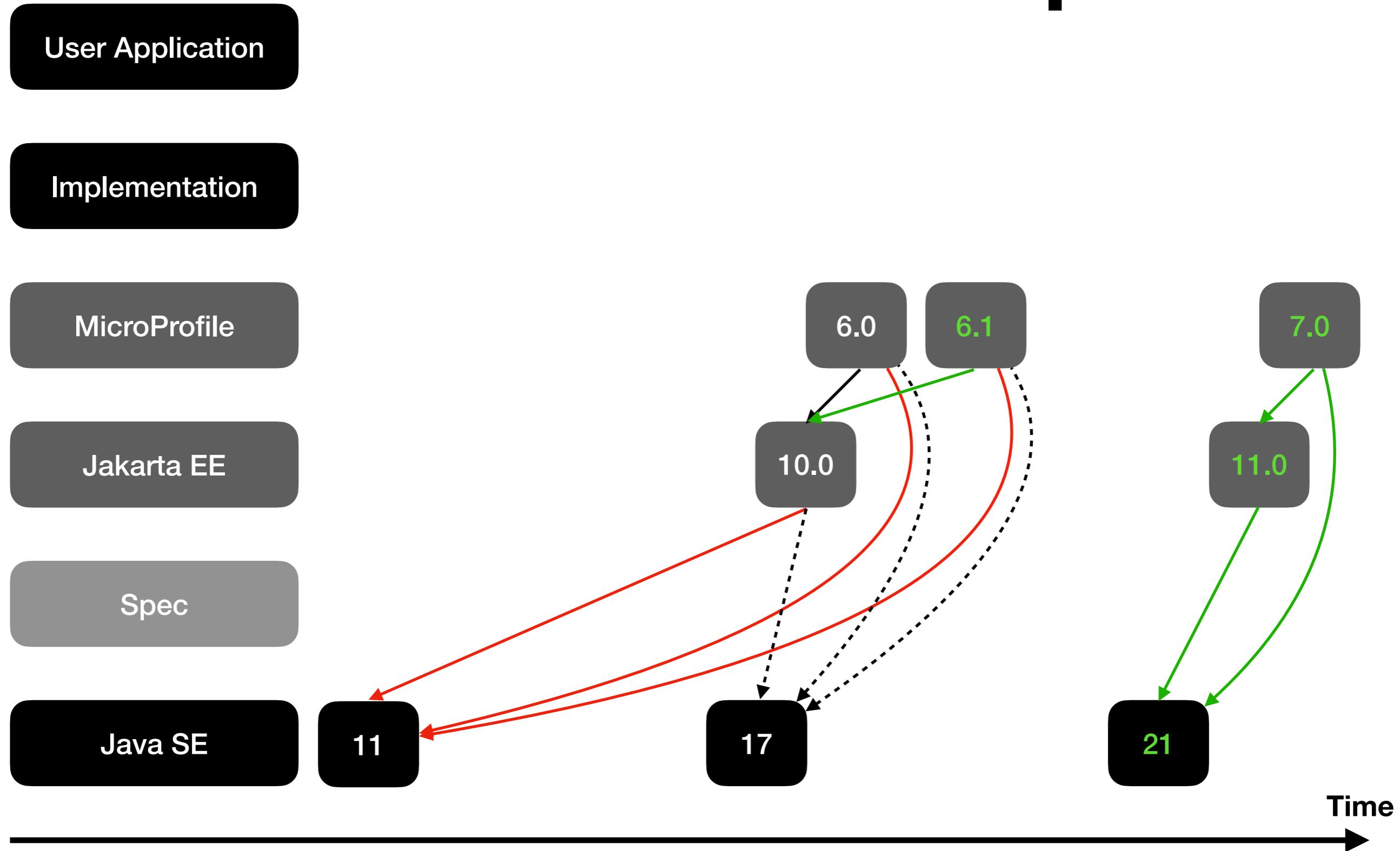
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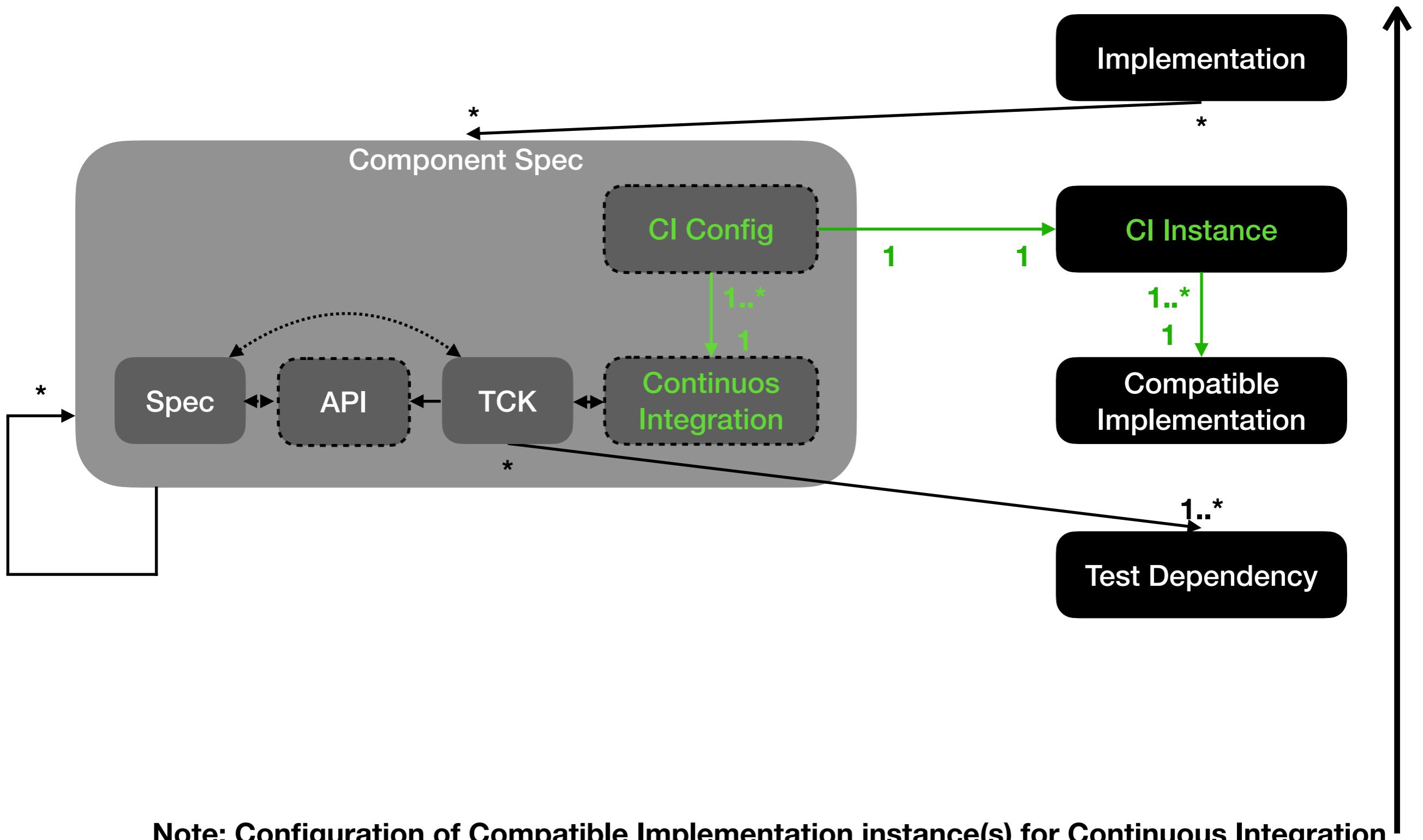
Issues & Solutions

- Continuous Integration
- MicroProfile Parent
- MicroProfile Spec
- Jakarta EE Parent
- Jakarta EE Spec
- Jakarta EE Platform
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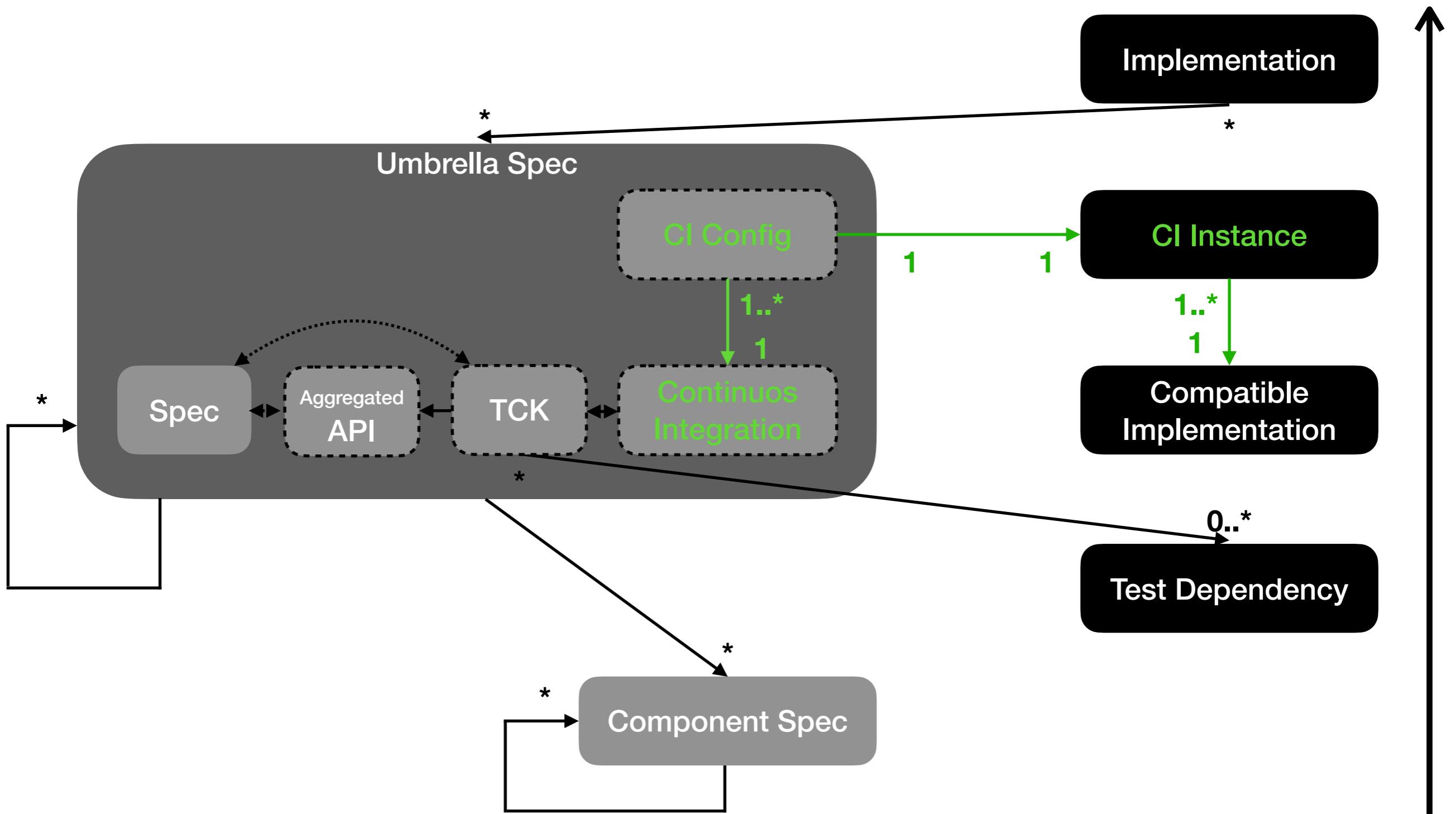
Continuous Integration

- Run TCK on Compatible Implementation(s) automatically and locally
 - Git clone & build CI or (Maven) load CI
 - Start CI & deploy TCK
 - Execute TCK in or with CI
 - Return TCK feedback

Continuous Integration



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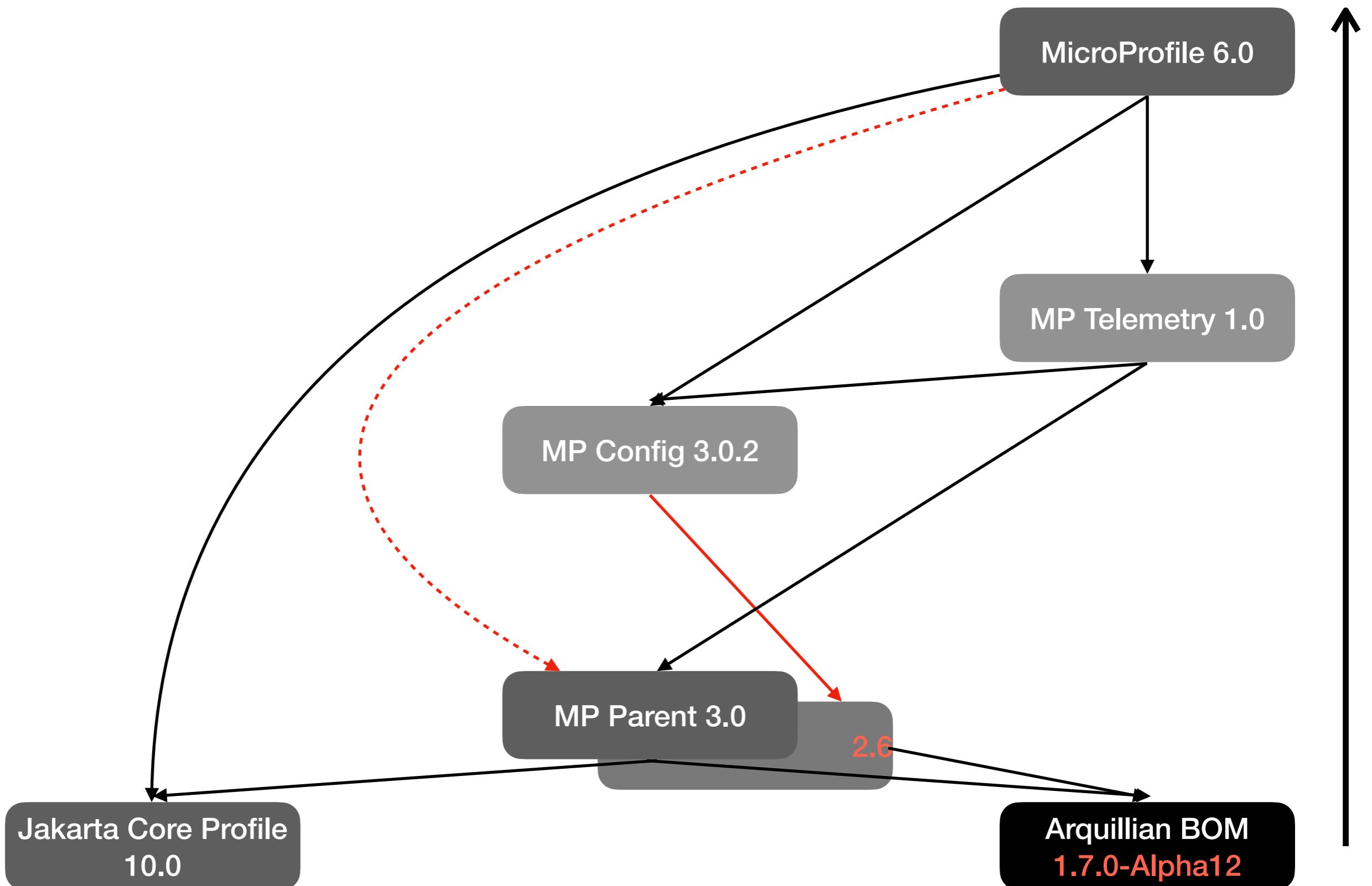


Note: Configuration of Compatible Implementation instance(s) for Continuous Integration

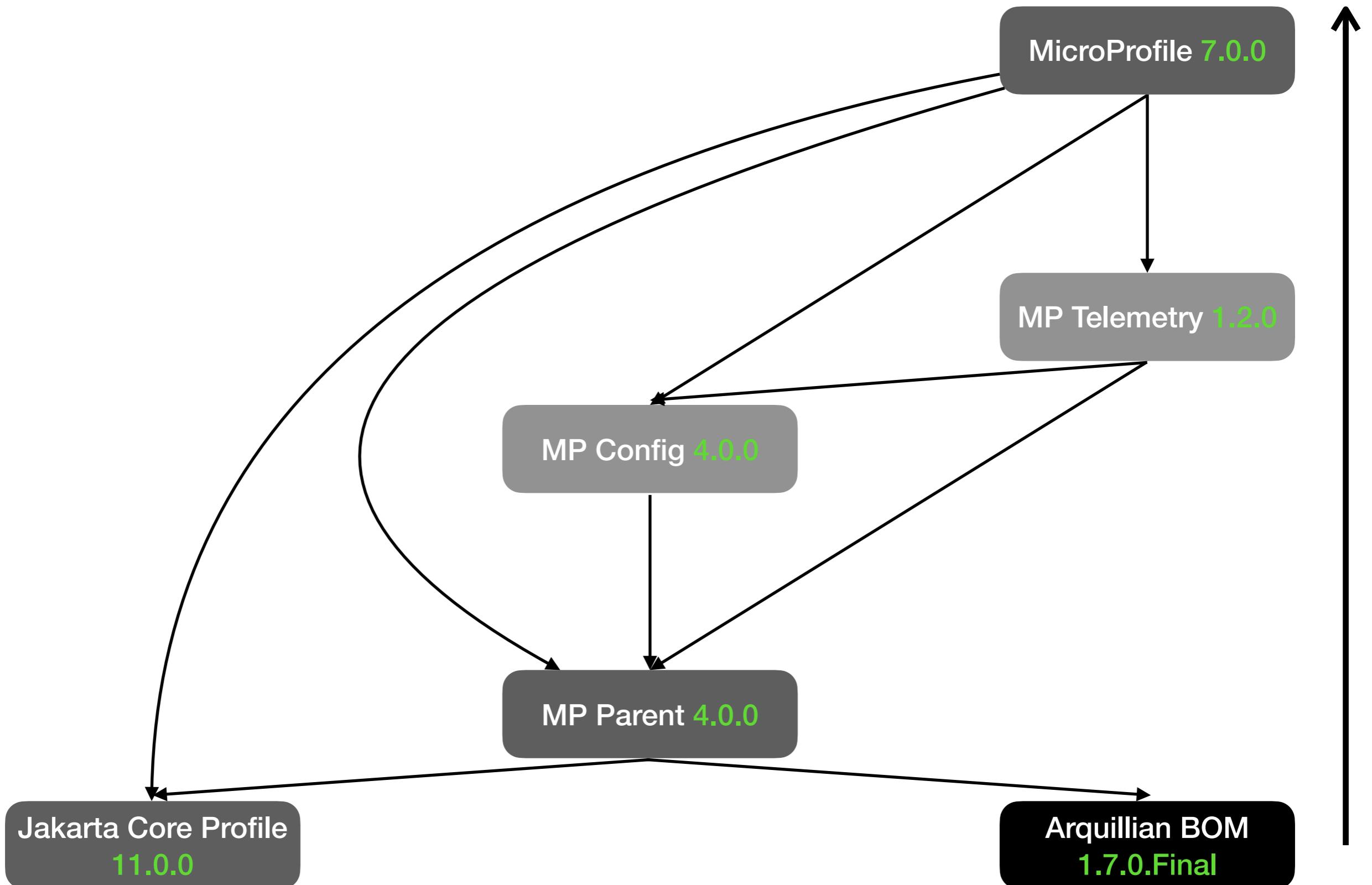
MicroProfile Parent

- Issue
 - Two versions in use for MP 6.0
 - MicroProfile (umbrella) spec does not use it
 - One MP component spec still uses test dependency on API
- Solution
 - Use one version MP Parent for MP component and umbrella specs
 - TCK-BOM prevents test dependencies on non-TCKs

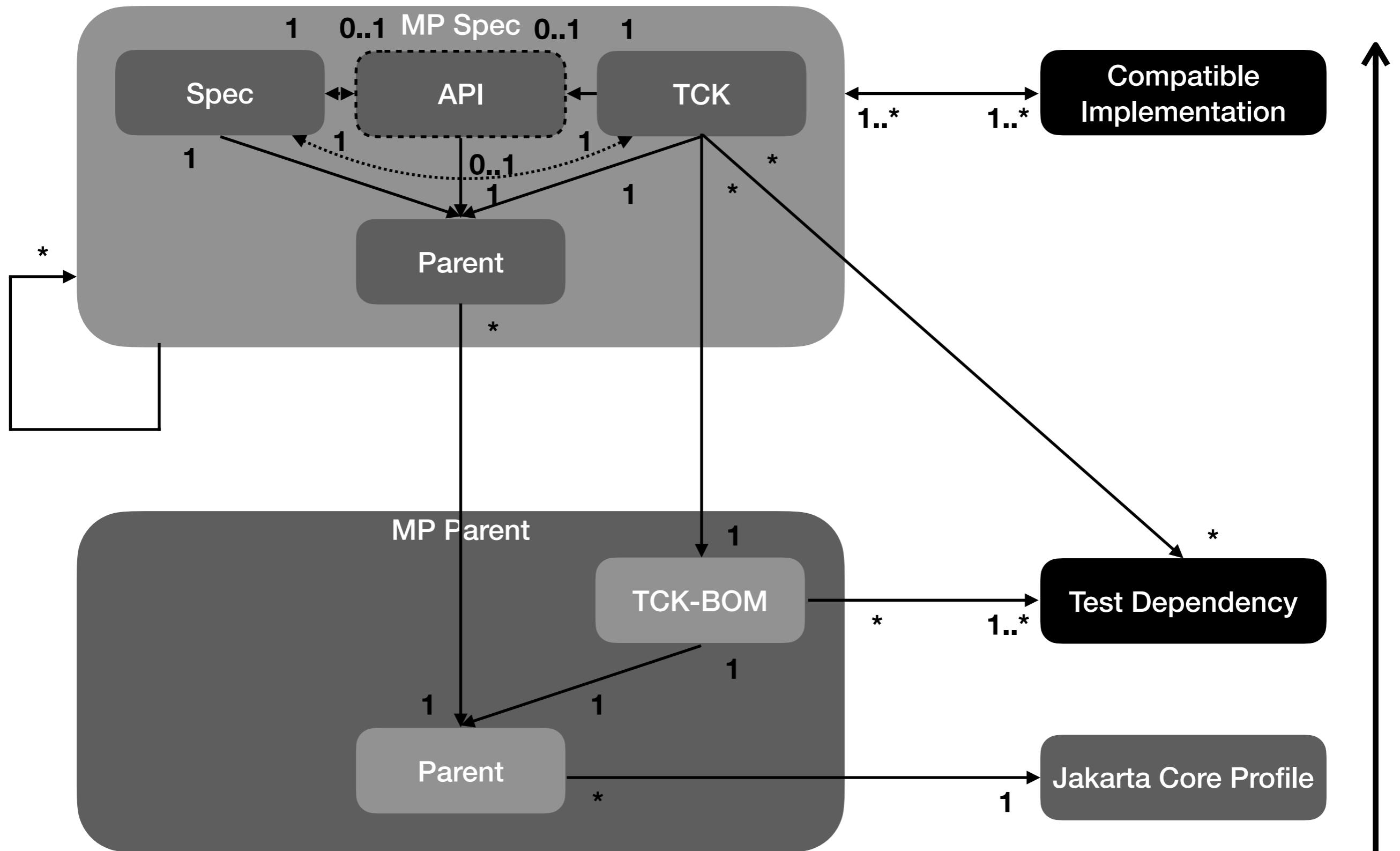
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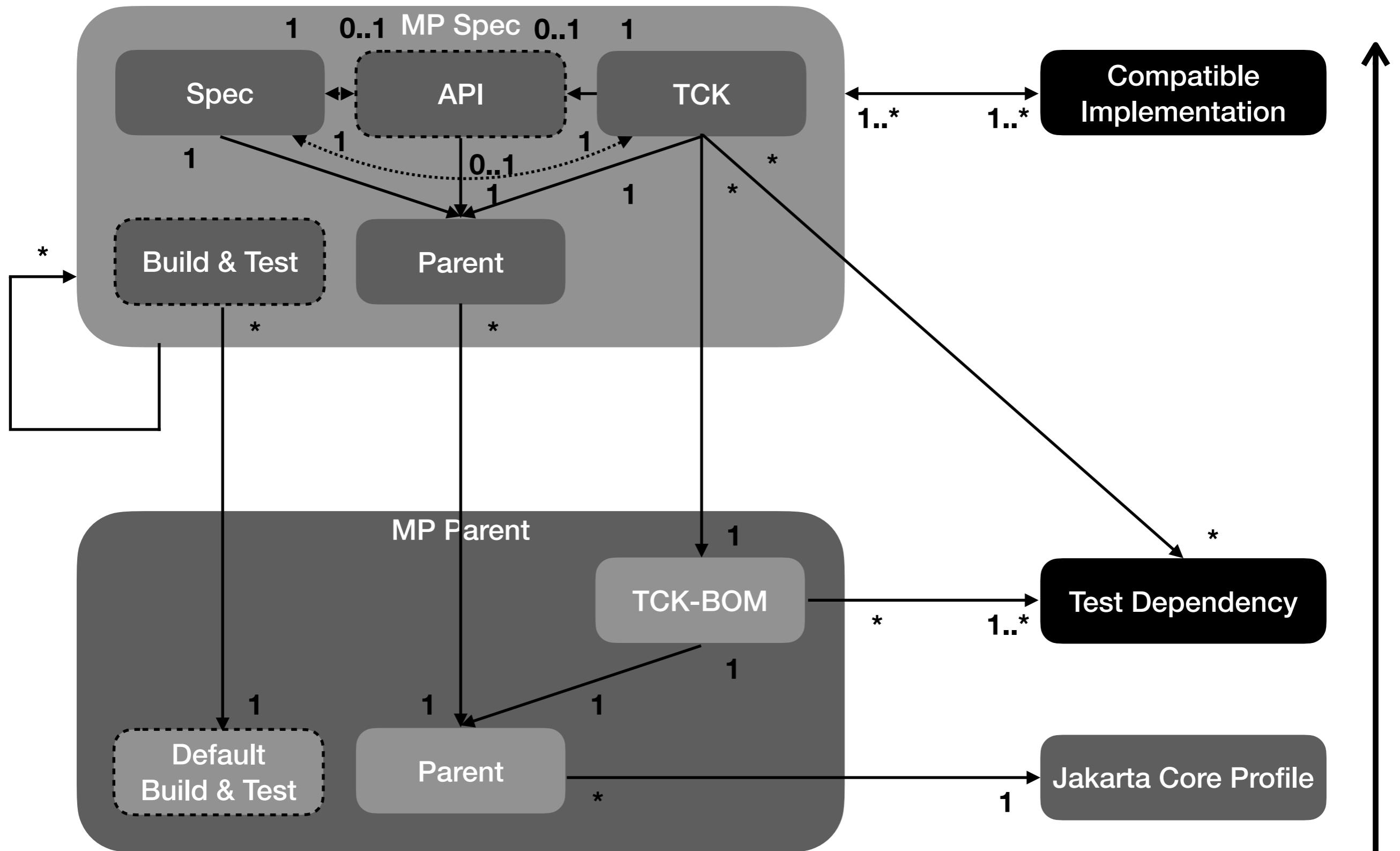
MicroProfile Parent



MicroProfile Parent Detail



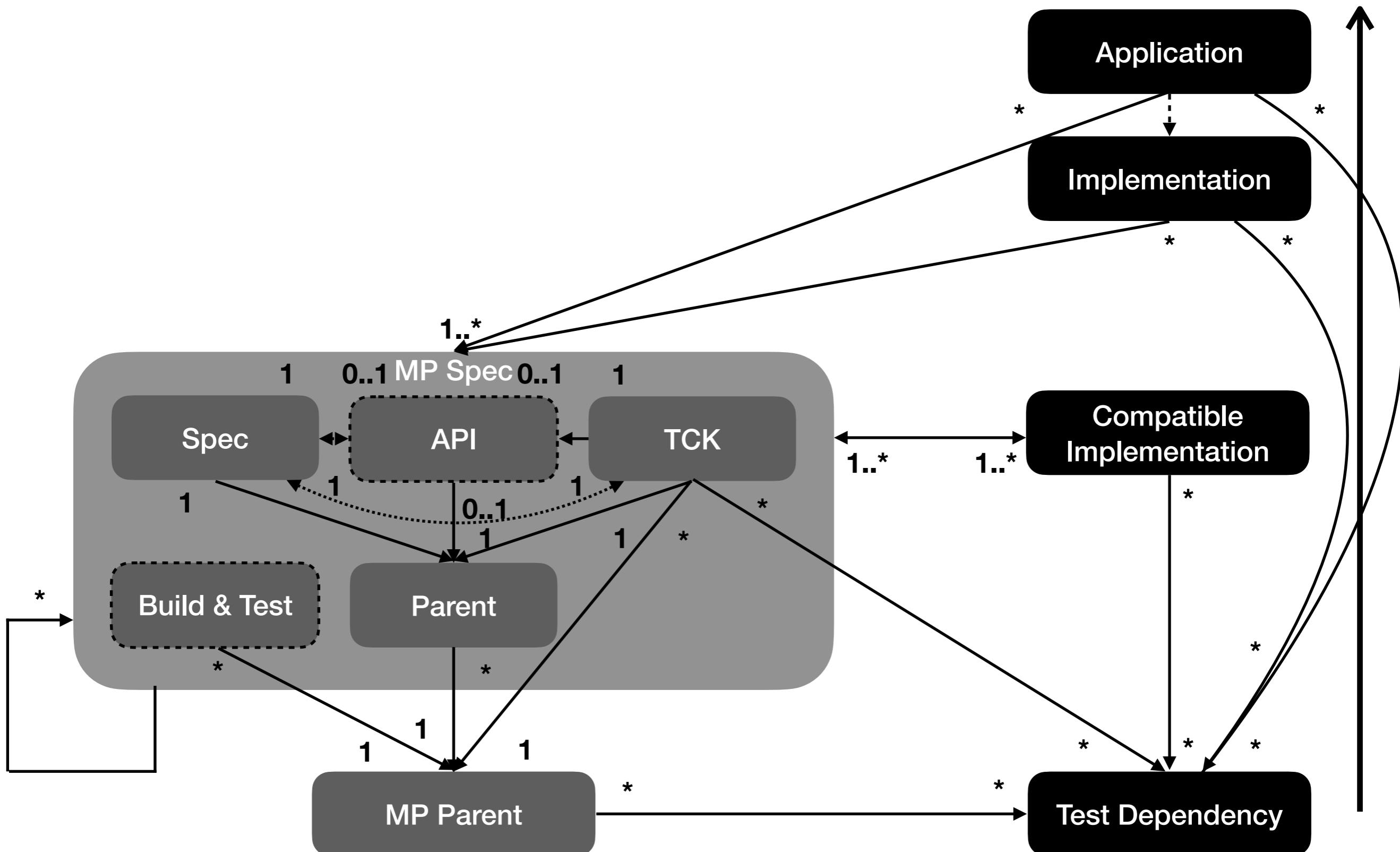
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MicroProfile Spec

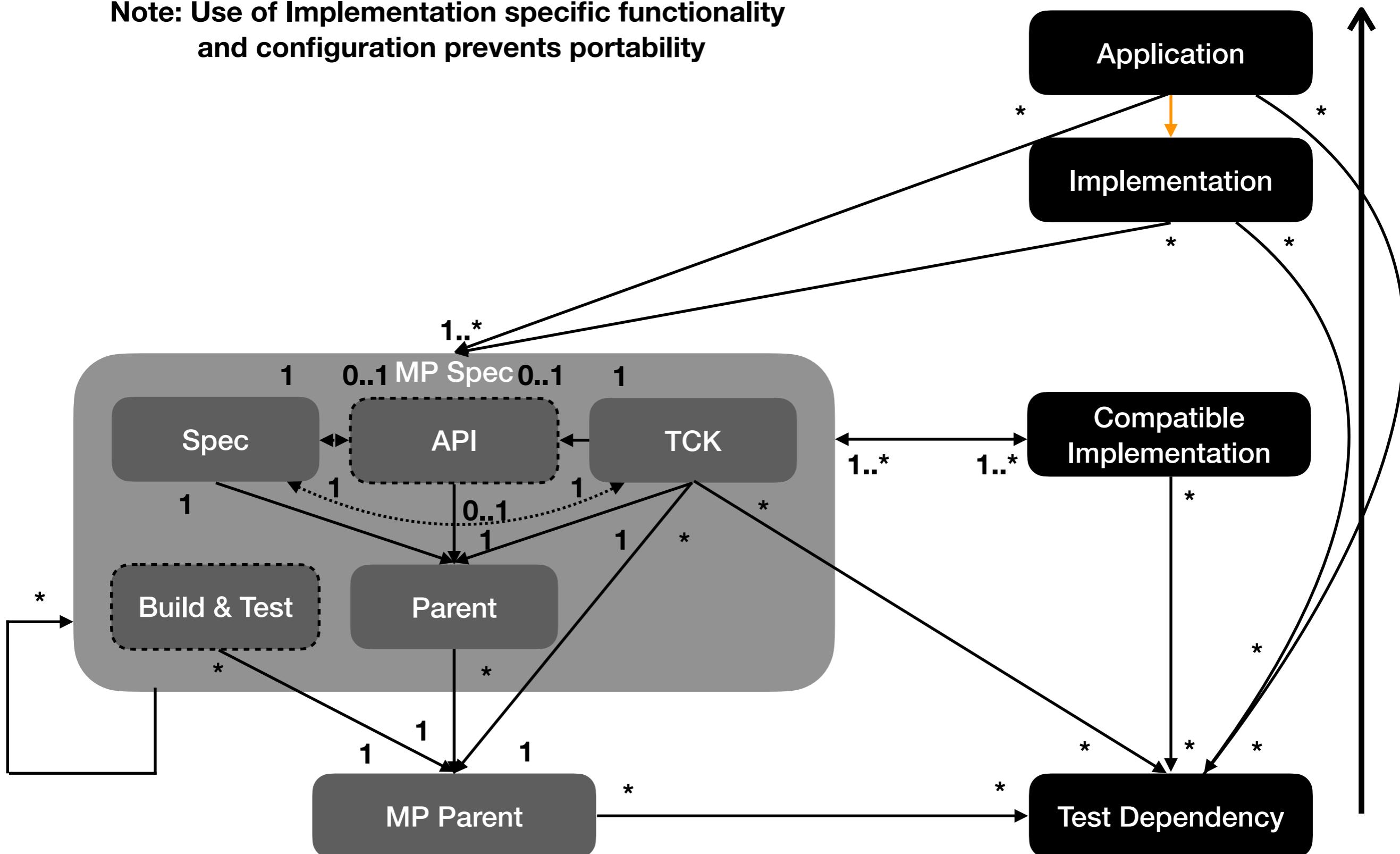
- Issue
 - Dependencies may deviate in component spec parts - testing deviating environment!
 - Dependencies may deviate in spec dependency graph - testing deviating environment!
 - Implementation tests may use component spec Namespace
- Solution
 - Use unified MP Parent version for all specs intended to be part one umbrella spec version
 - Keep all dependencies in sync for the spec dependency graph
 - Use unified naming for specs and components

MicroProfile Spec Detail



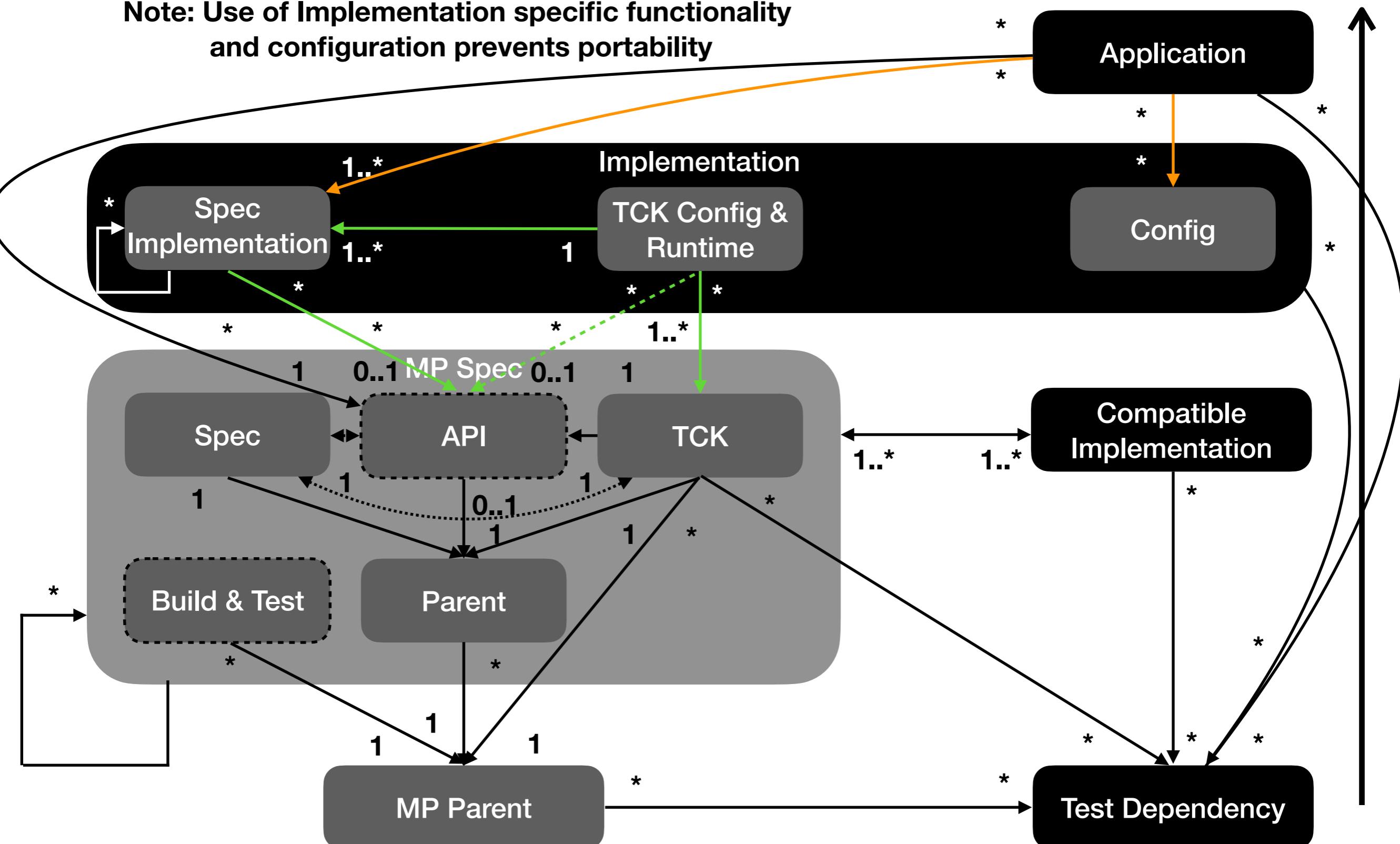
MicroProfile Spec Detail

Note: Use of Implementation specific functionality
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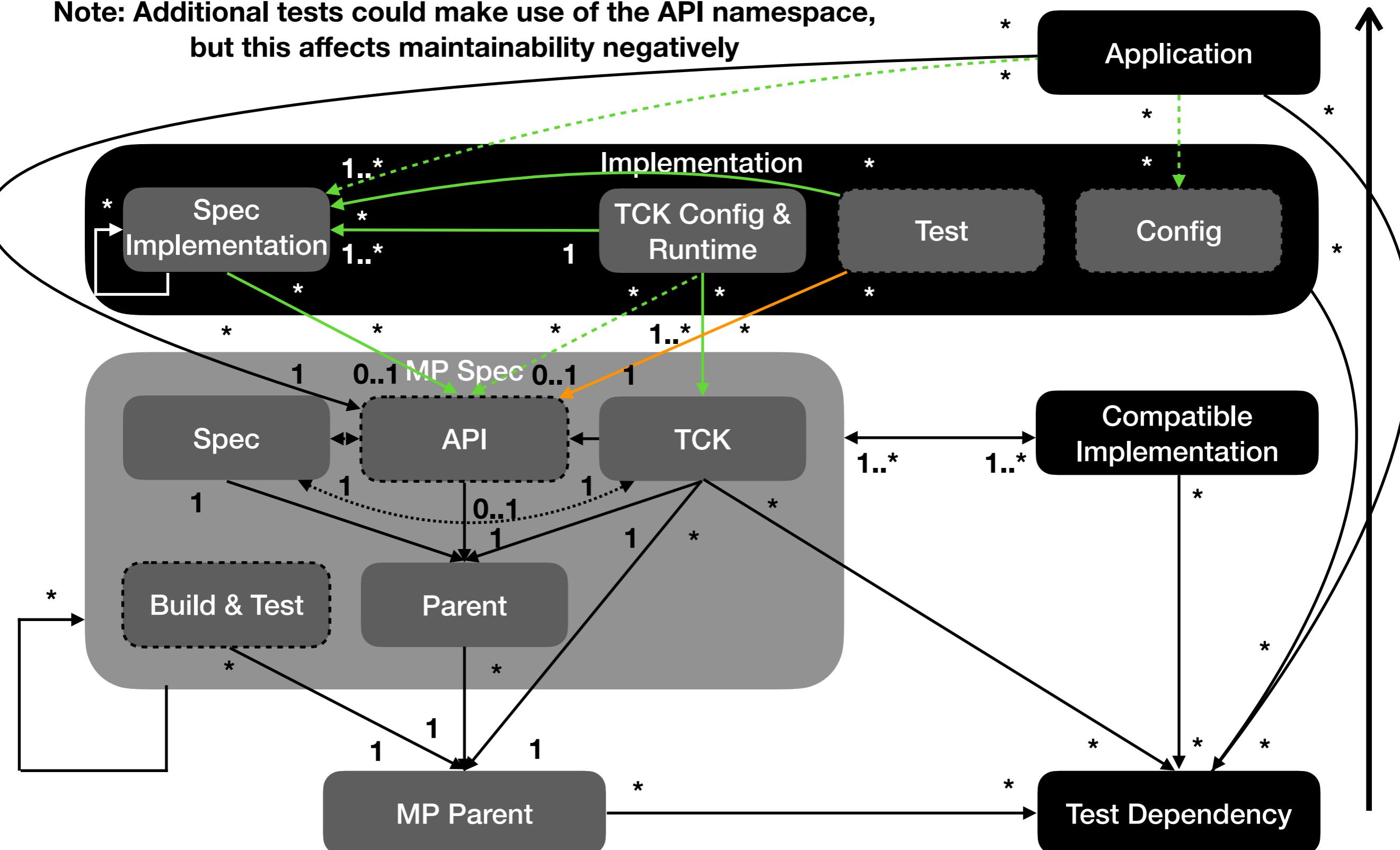
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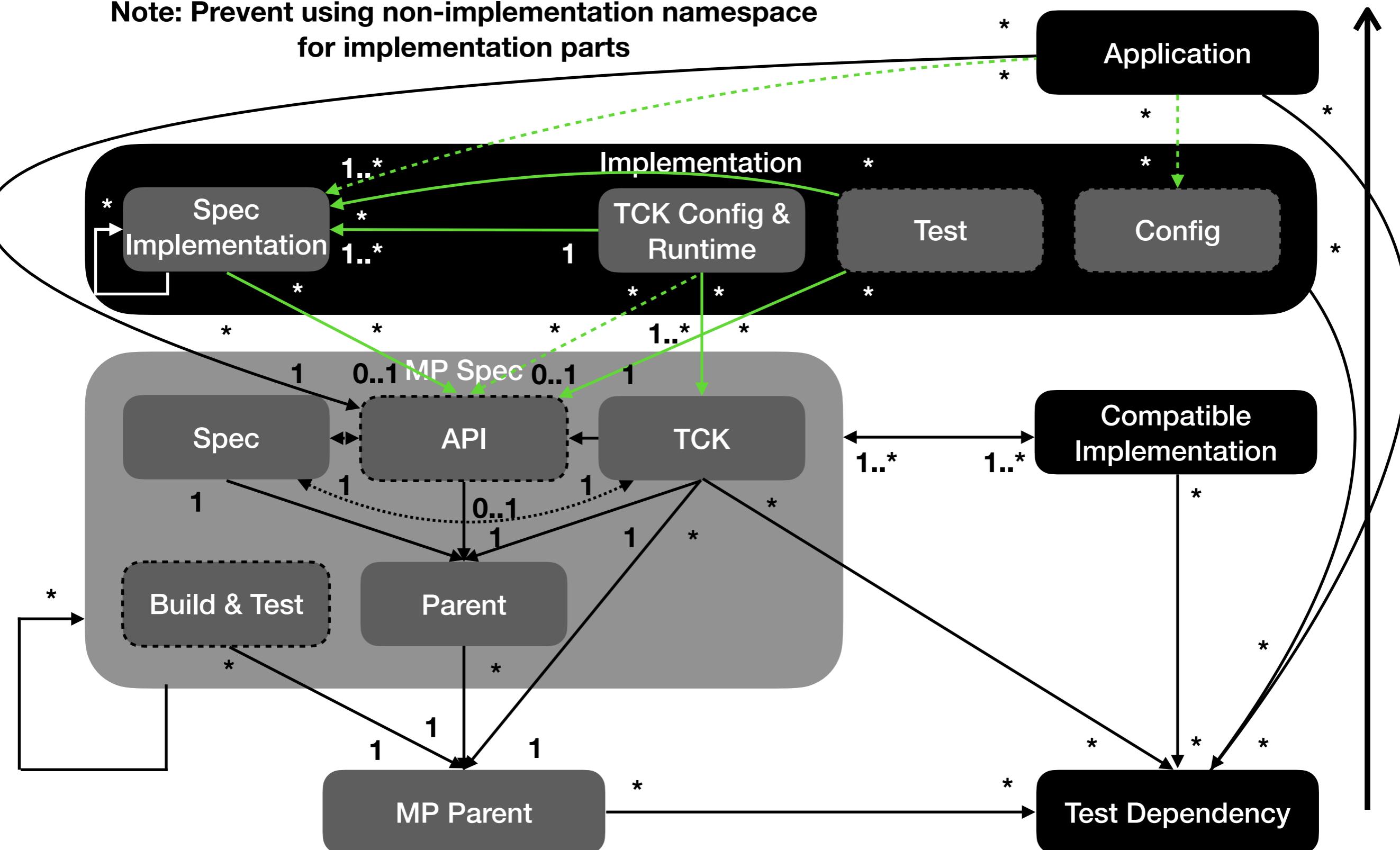
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Note: Additional tests could make use of the API namespace,
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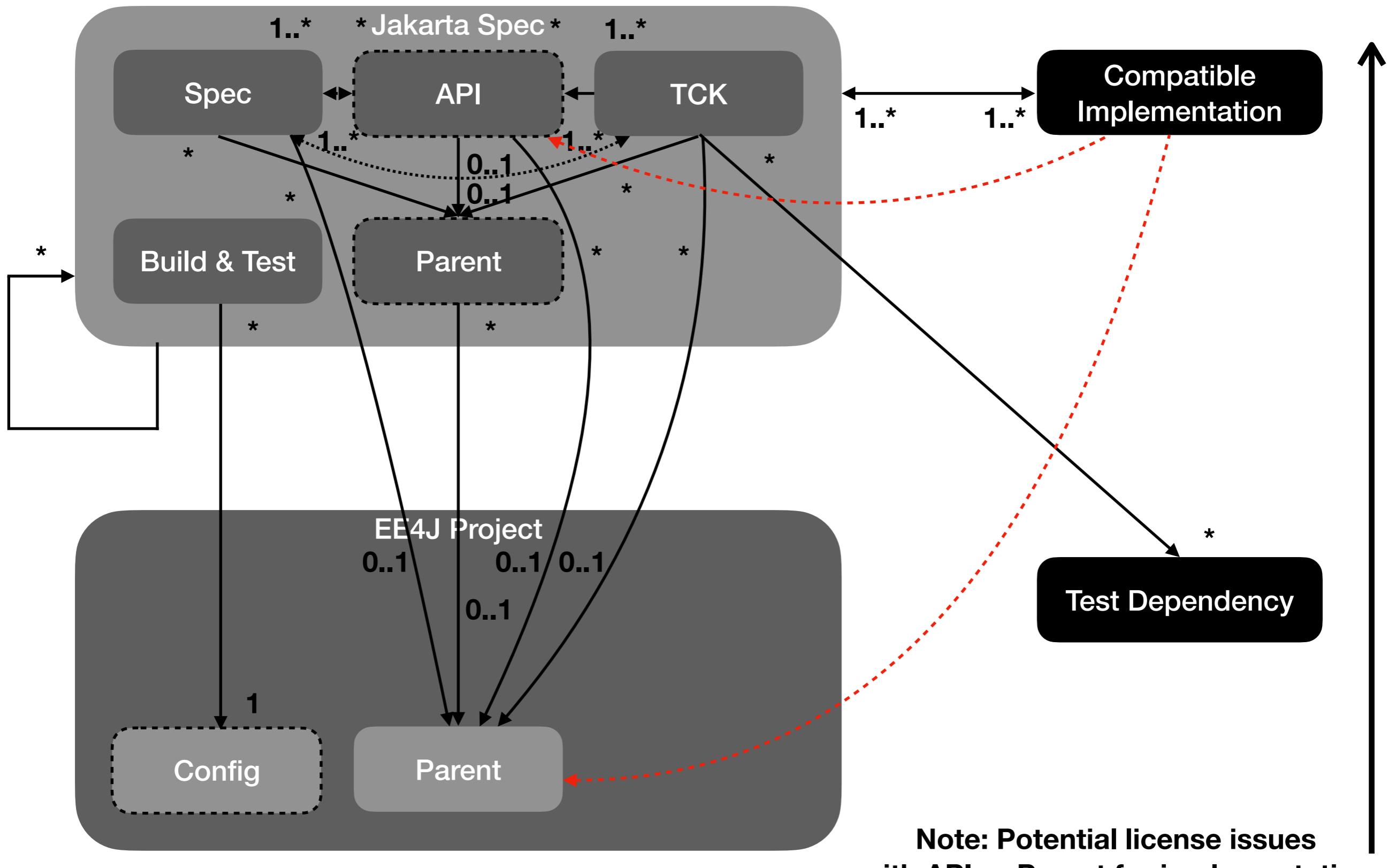
Note: Prevent using non-implementation namespace for implementation parts



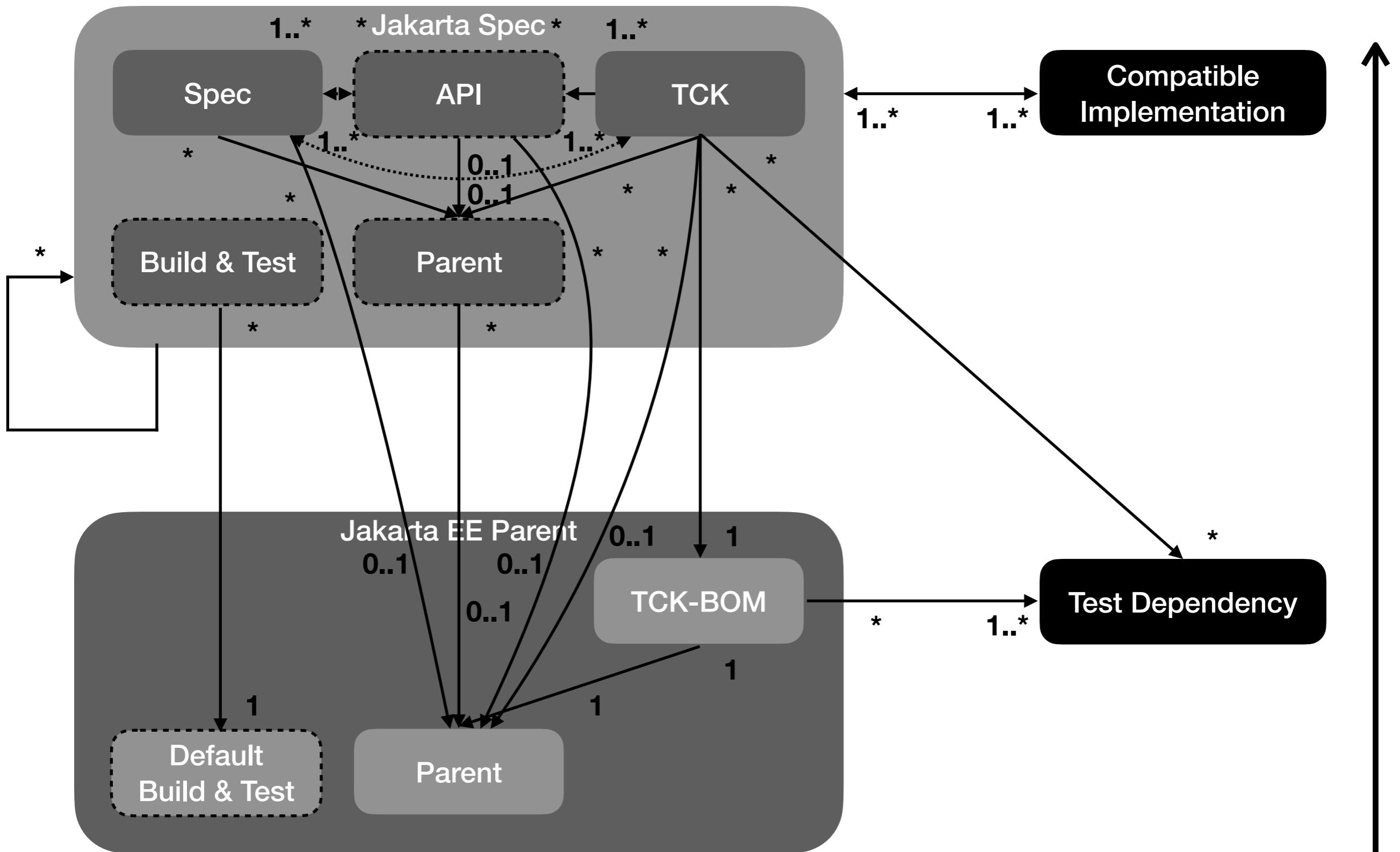
Jakarta EE Parent

- Issue
 - Defines configuration and licenses only
 - Test dependencies deviate in component specs
 - Build dependencies deviate in component specs
 - Deviating build configuration in specs
 - Name is EE4J Project, misleading when used as Jakarta (EE) Parent
- Solution
 - Add missing licenses to Jakarta EE Parent or create alternative Jakarta EE Parent (part)?
 - Add test dependencies to Jakarta EE Parent
 - Add build dependencies to Jakarta EE Parent
 - Add build configuration for specs
 - TCK-BOM prevents test dependencies on non-TCKs

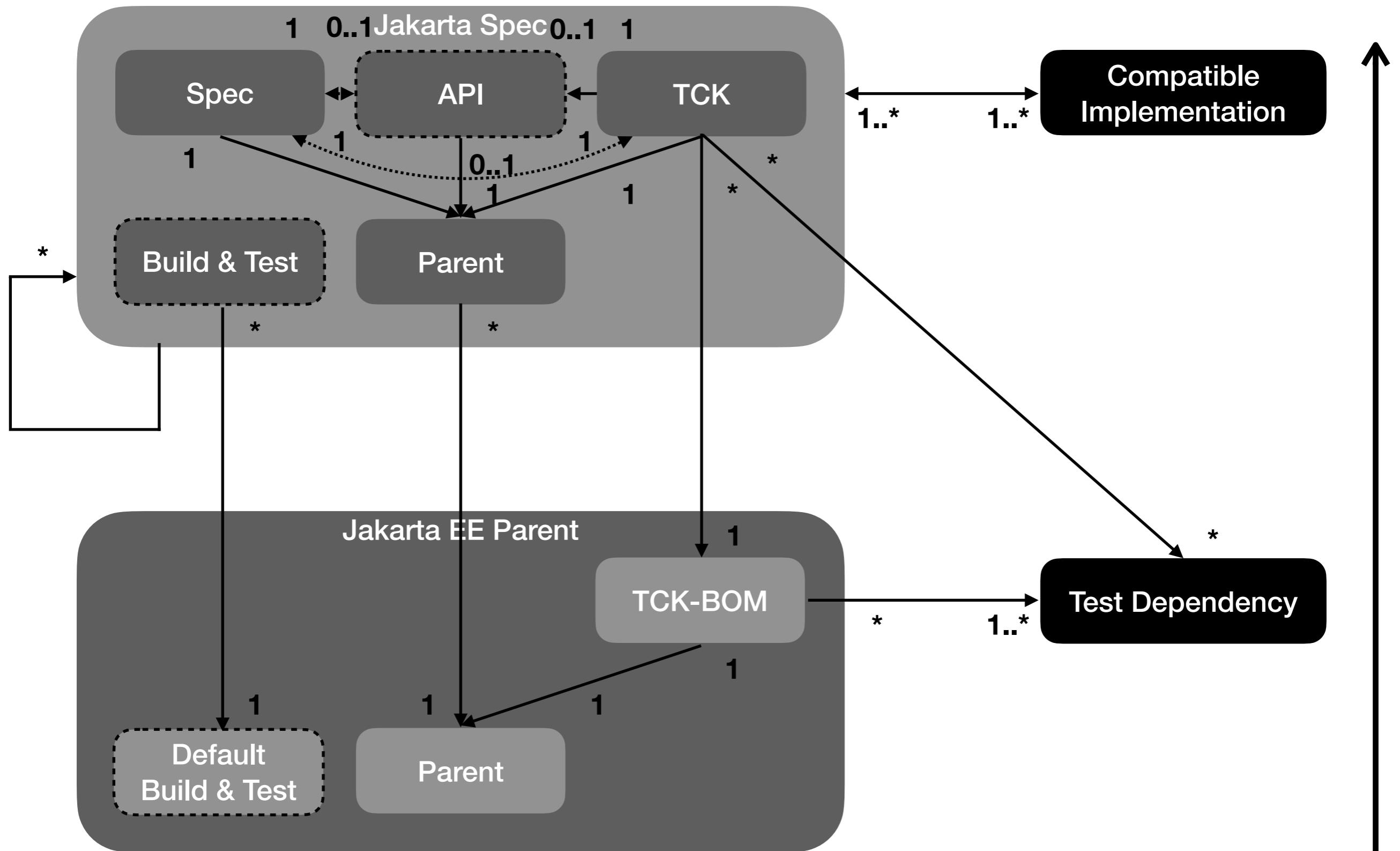
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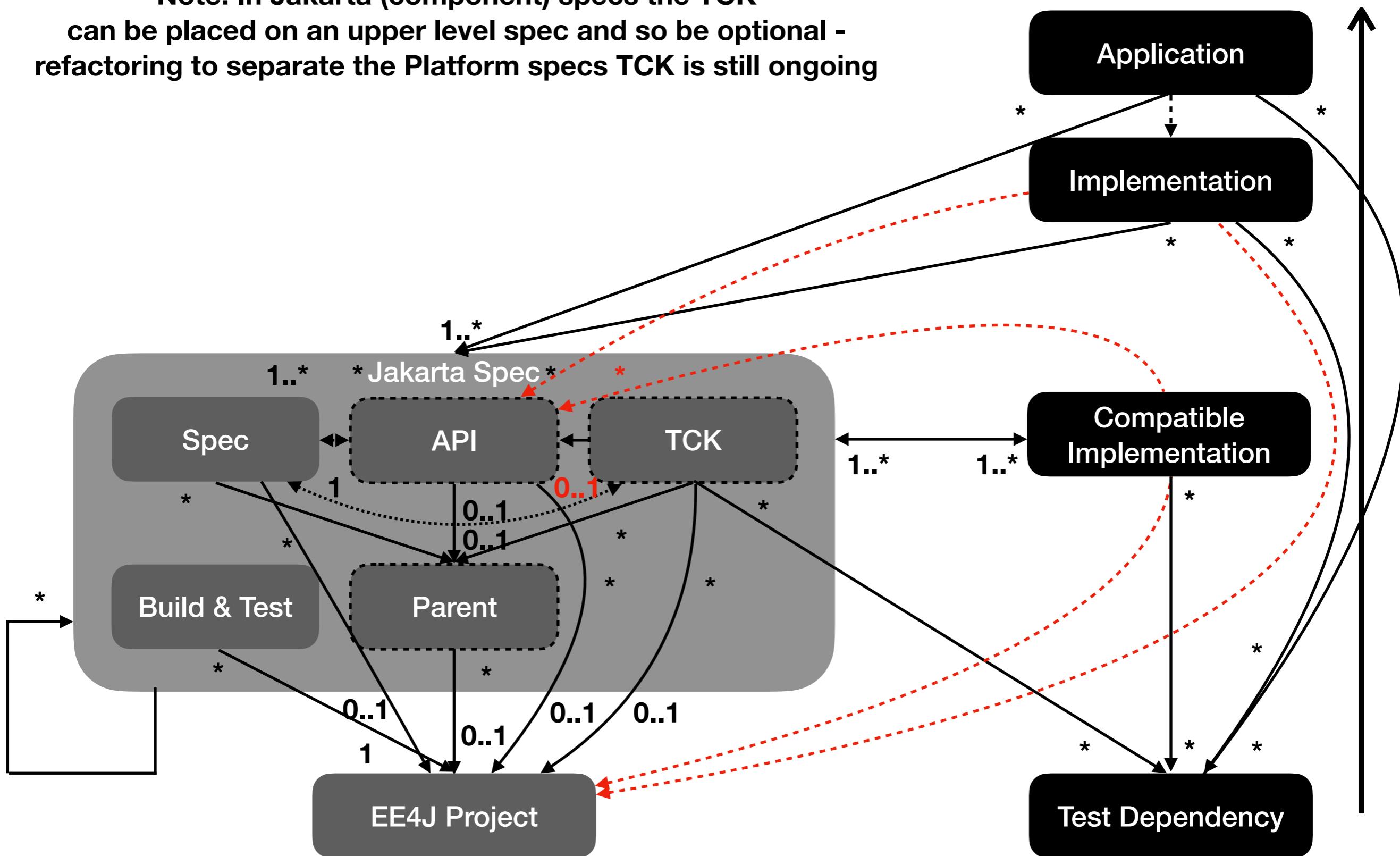


Jakarta EE Spec

- Issue
 - Need to define it's own build and test dependencies
 - License may deviate from Jakarta EE Parent
 - Implementation license may deviate from spec (API re-/overwrite)
 - Dependencies may deviate in component spec parts - testing deviating environment!
 - Versions may deviate in component spec parts - testing deviating environment!
 - Artifact names may deviate in component spec parts
 - Namespaces must deviate in component spec parts (especially in TCK)
 - Implementation tests may use component spec Namespace
 - Dependencies may deviate in spec dependency graph - testing deviating environment!
- Solution
 - Use unified Jakarta EE Parent
 - Add missing licenses to Jakarta EE Parent or create alternative Jakarta EE Parent (part)?
 - Use mono repository with parent that defines versions for components and dependencies
 - TCK-BOM prevents test dependencies on non-TCKs
 - Use unified naming for specs and components
 - Keep all dependencies in sync for the spec dependency graph

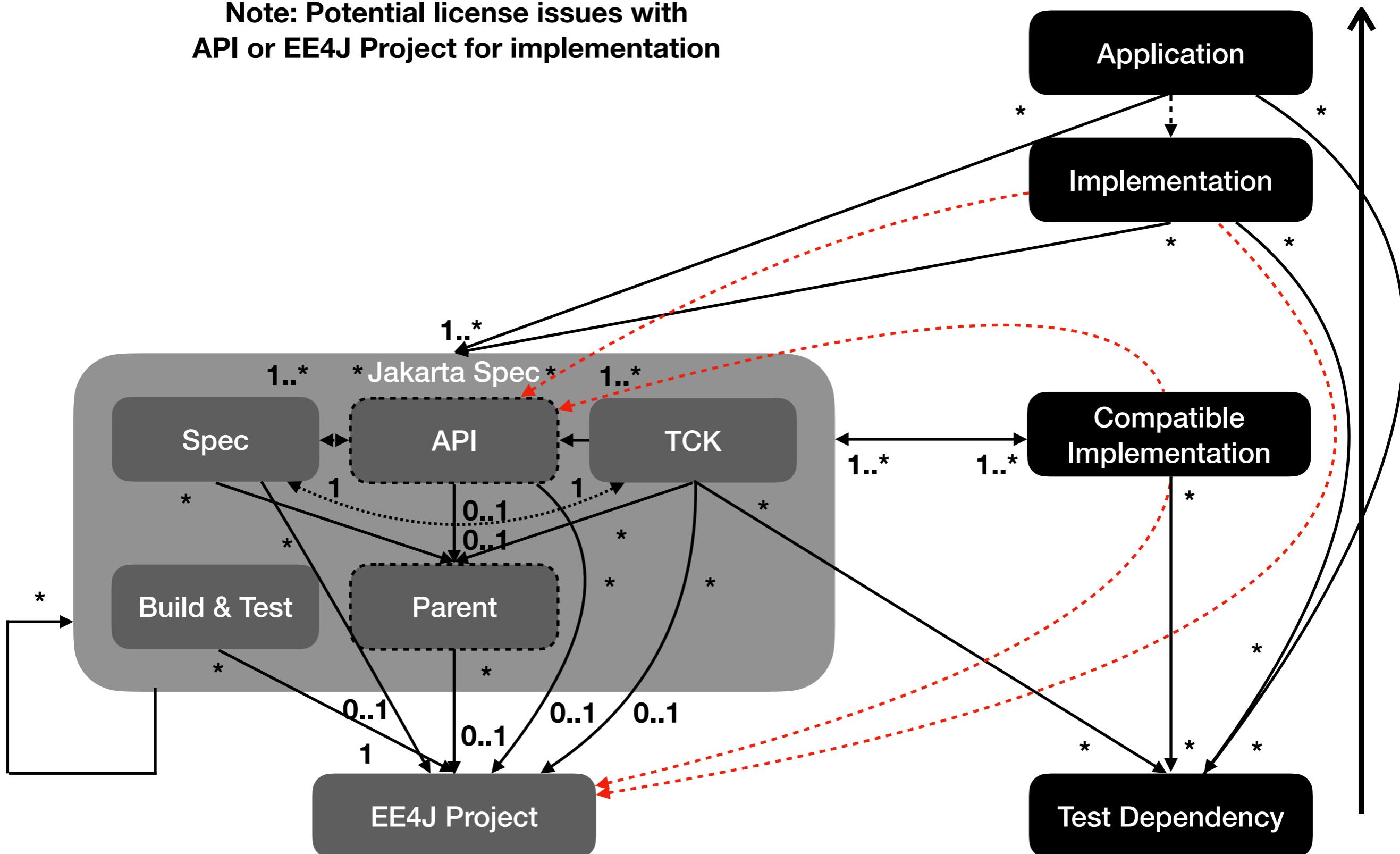
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Note: In Jakarta (component) specs the TCK can be placed on an upper level spec and so be optional - refactoring to separate the Platform specs TCK is still ongoing



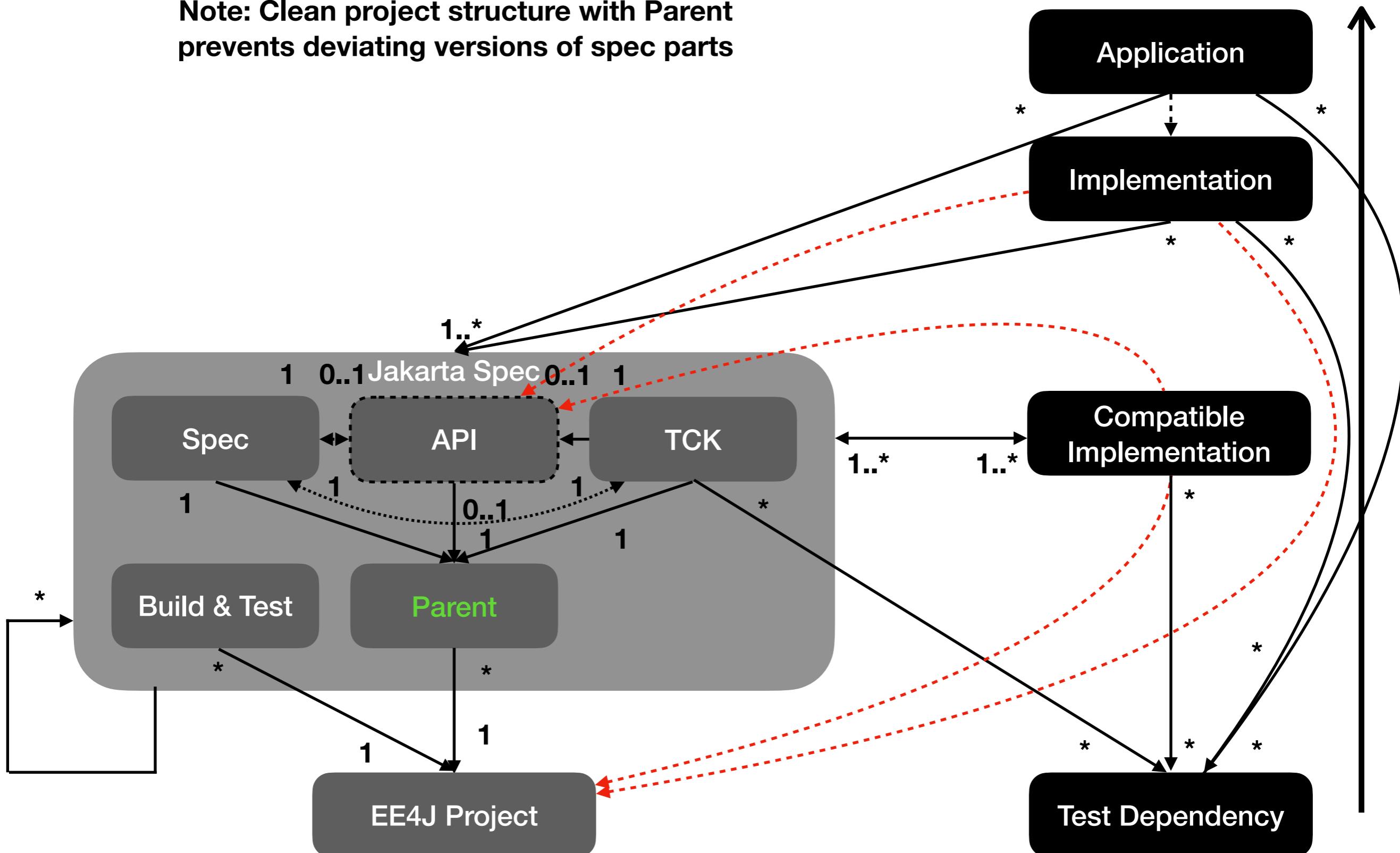
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Note: Potential license issues with
API or EE4J Project for implementation



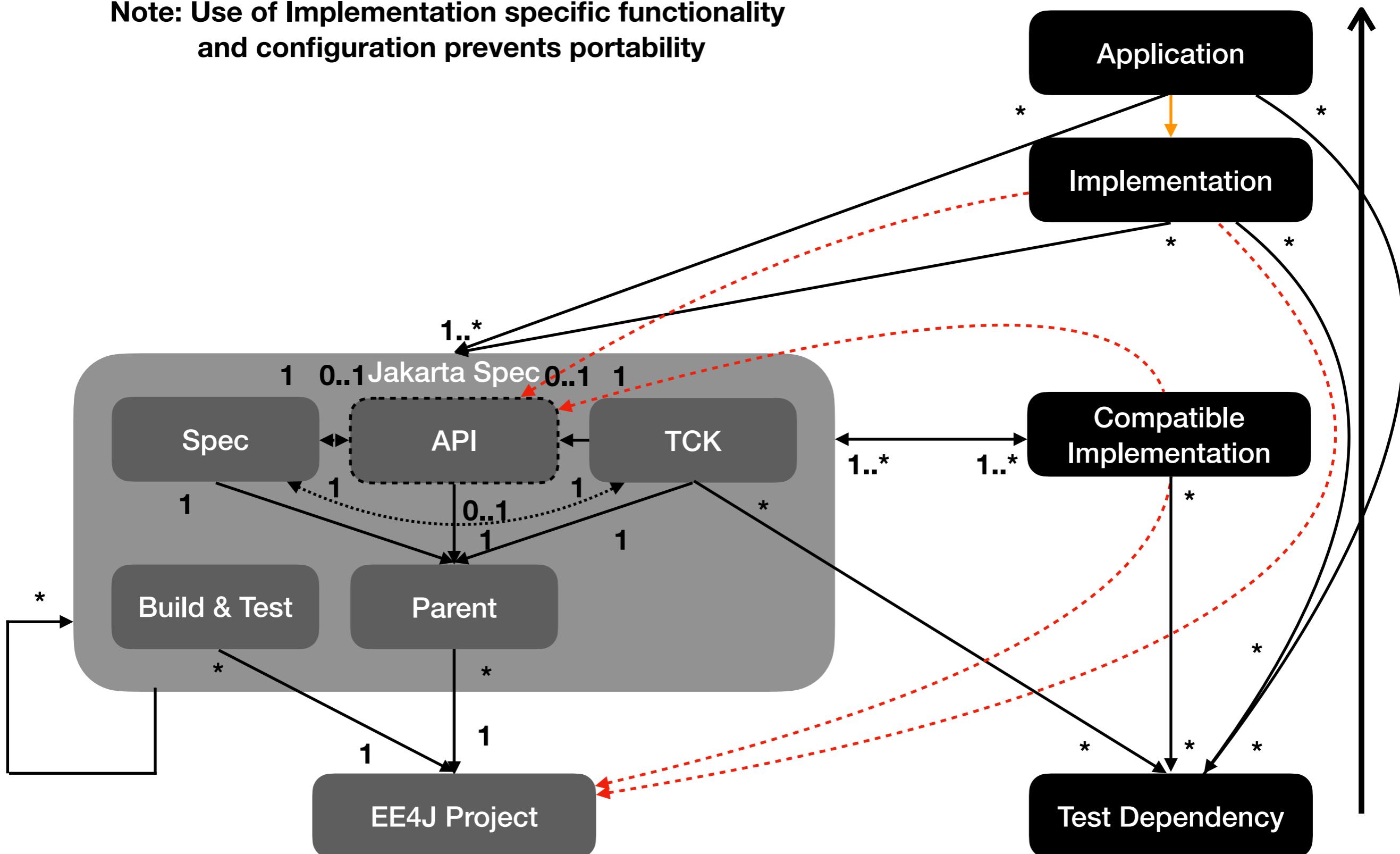
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Note: Clean project structure with Parent prevents deviating versions of spec parts



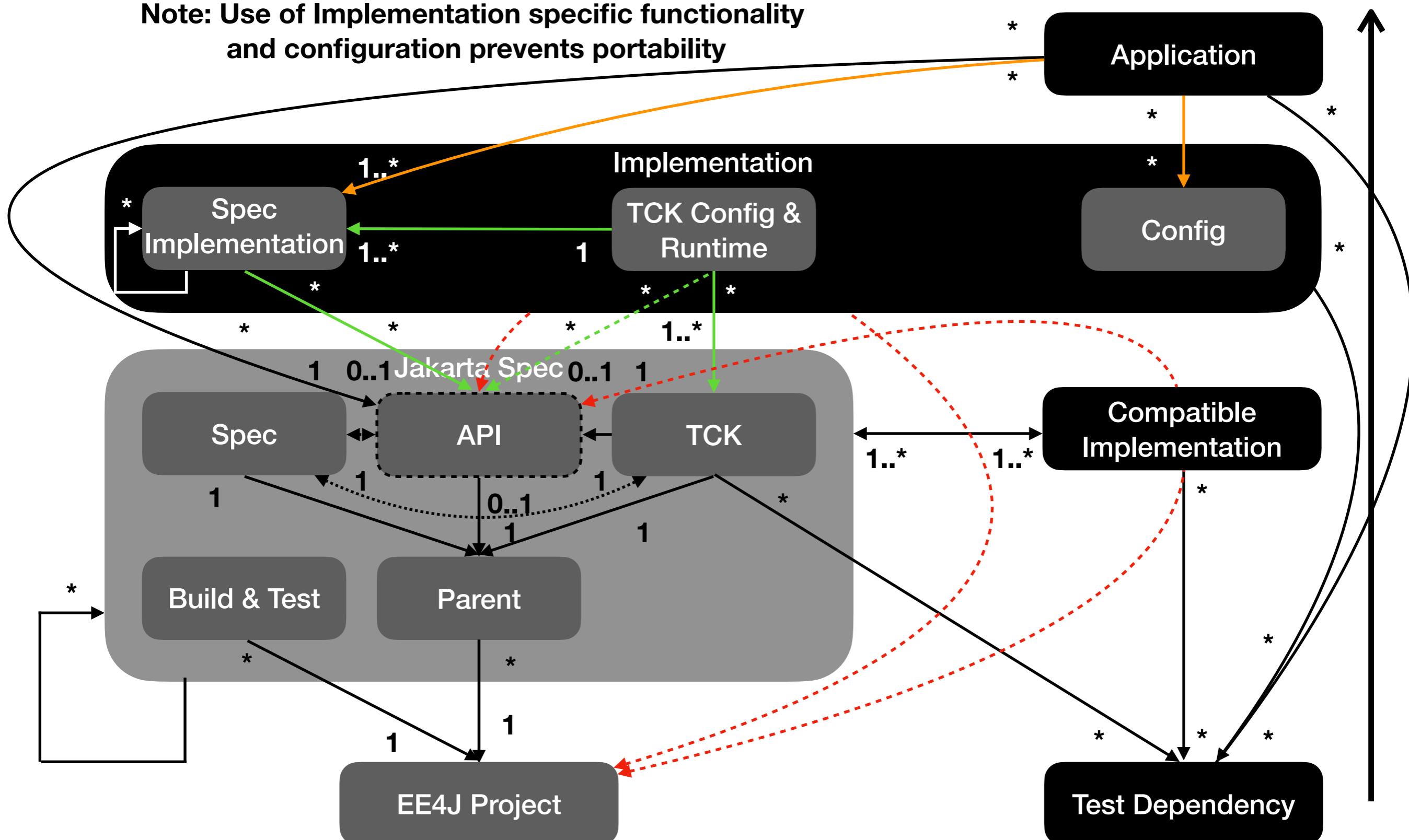
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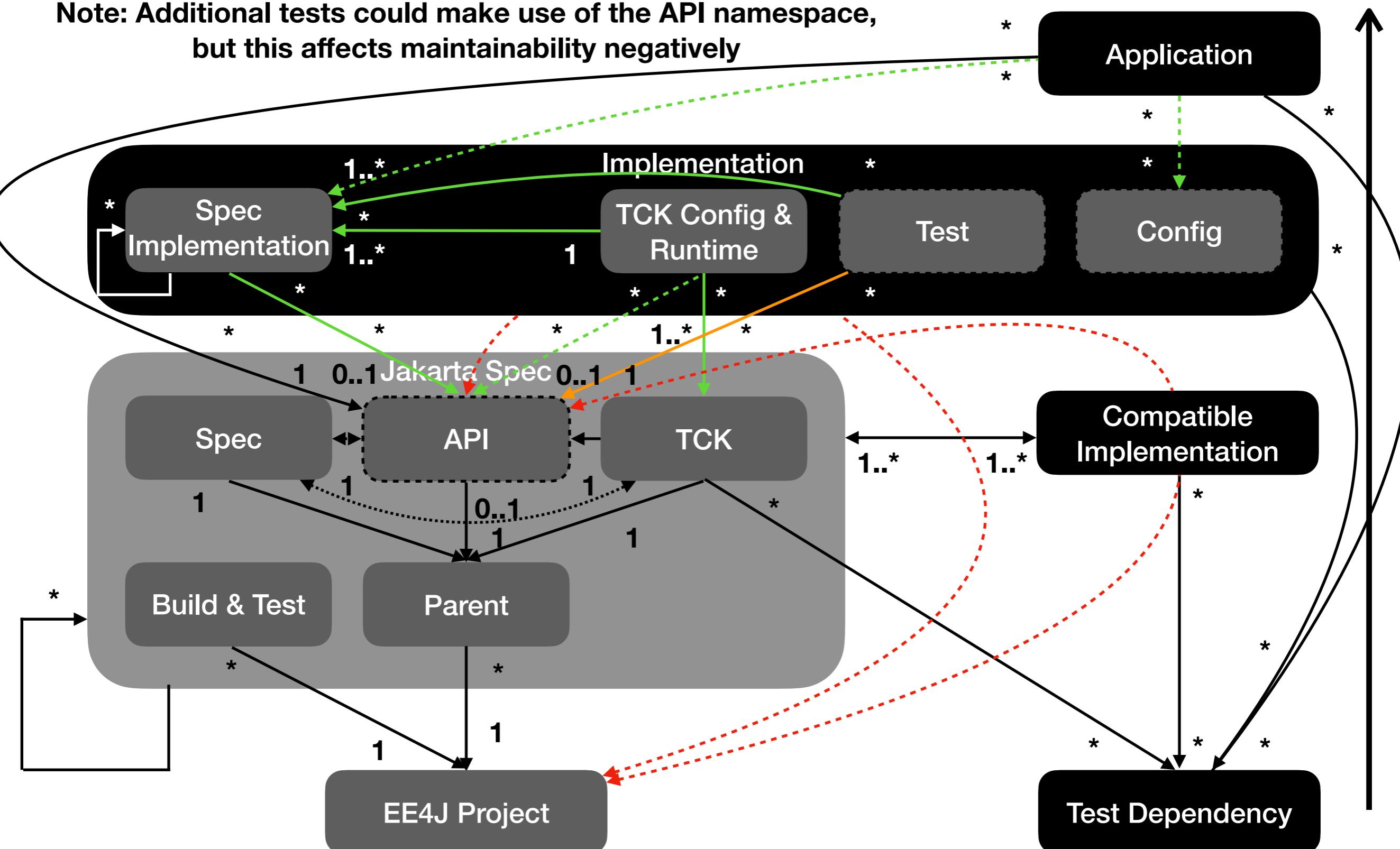
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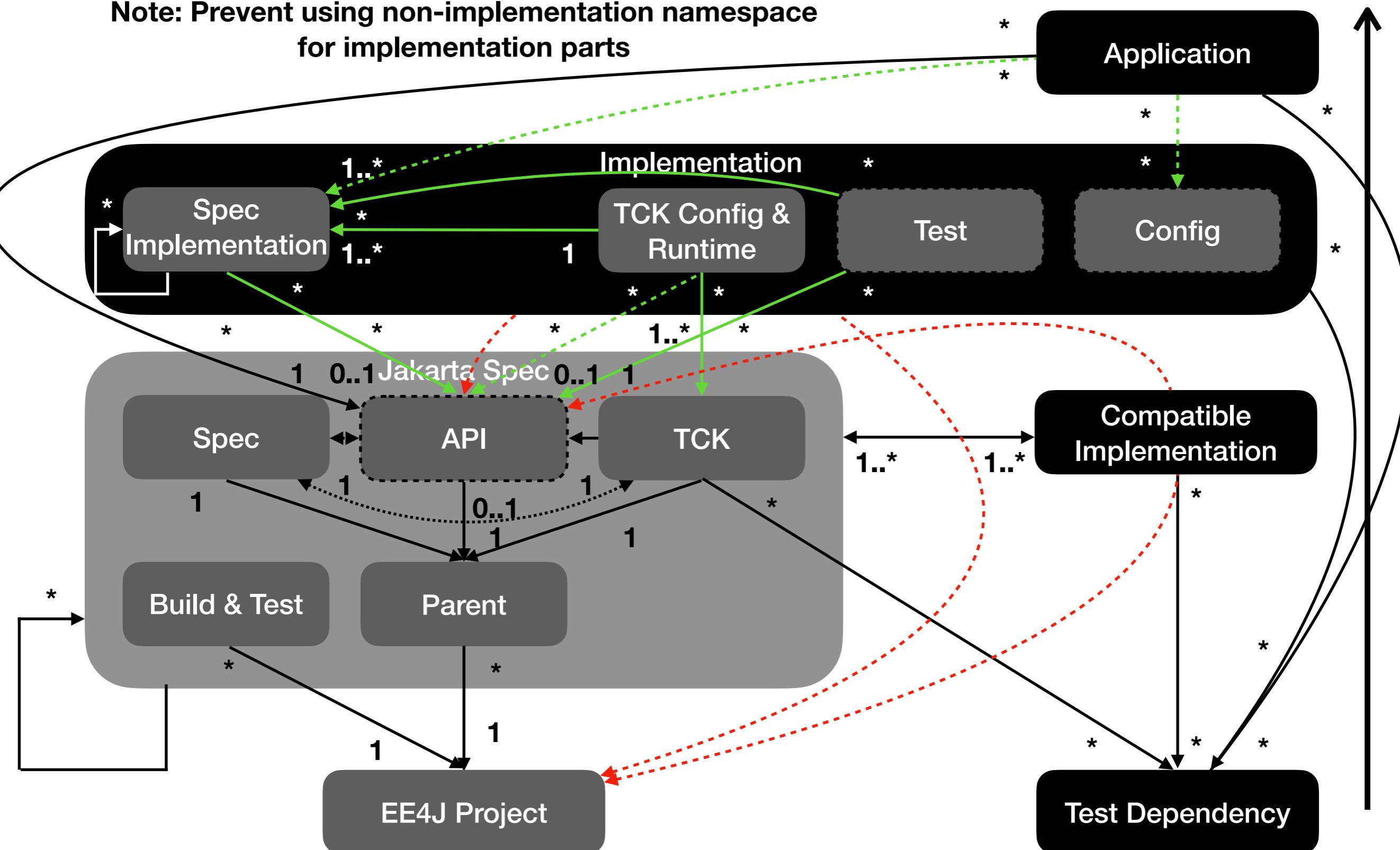
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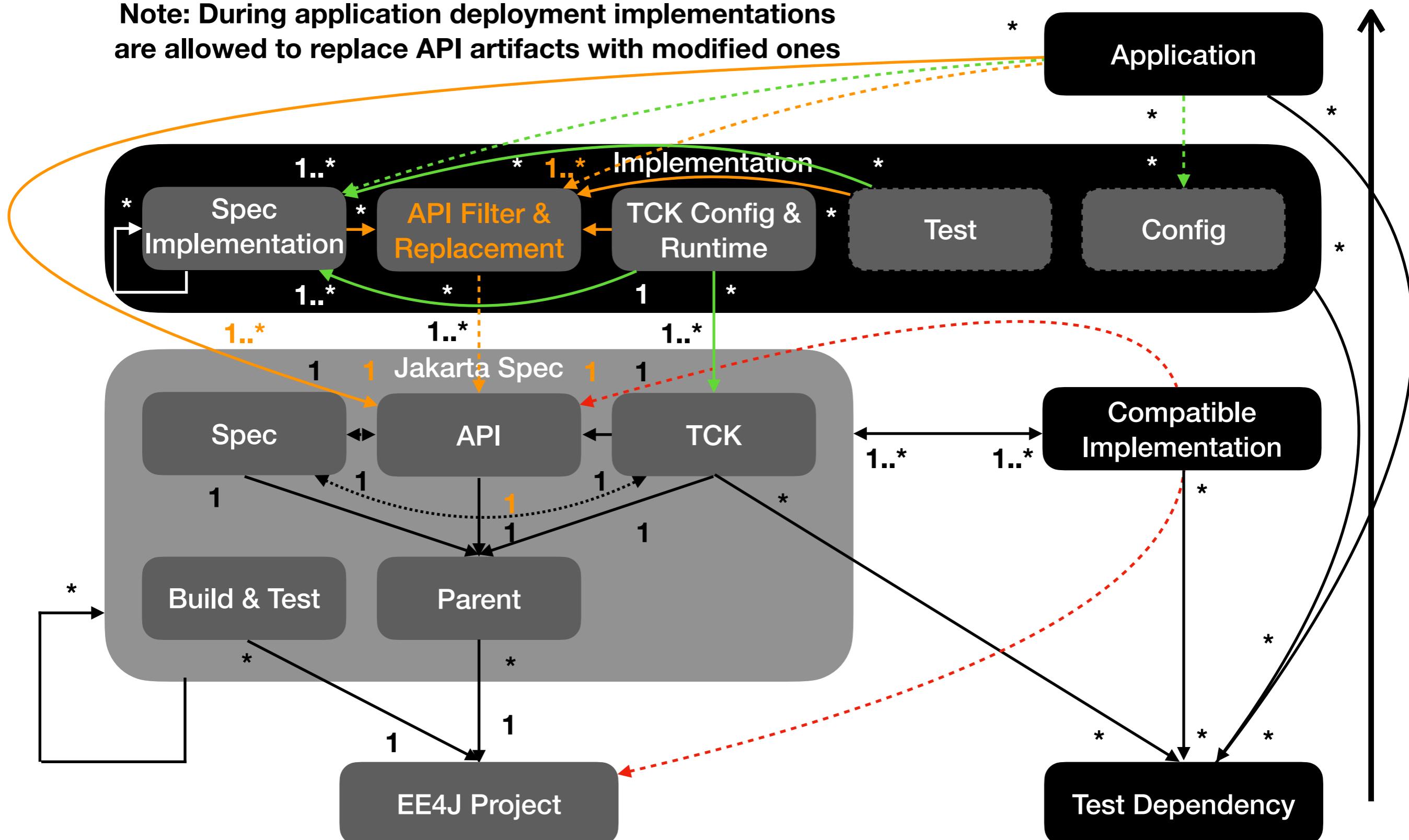
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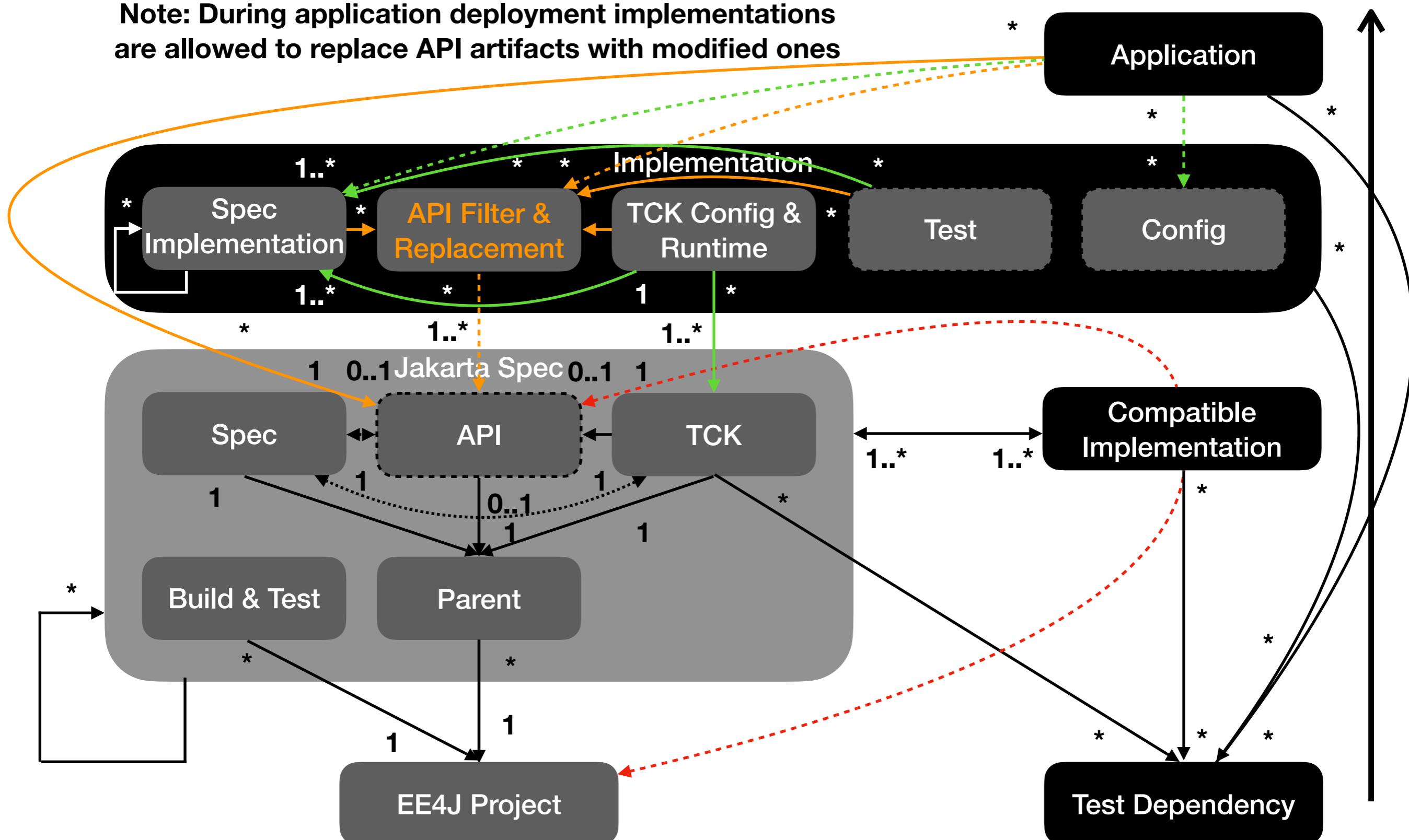
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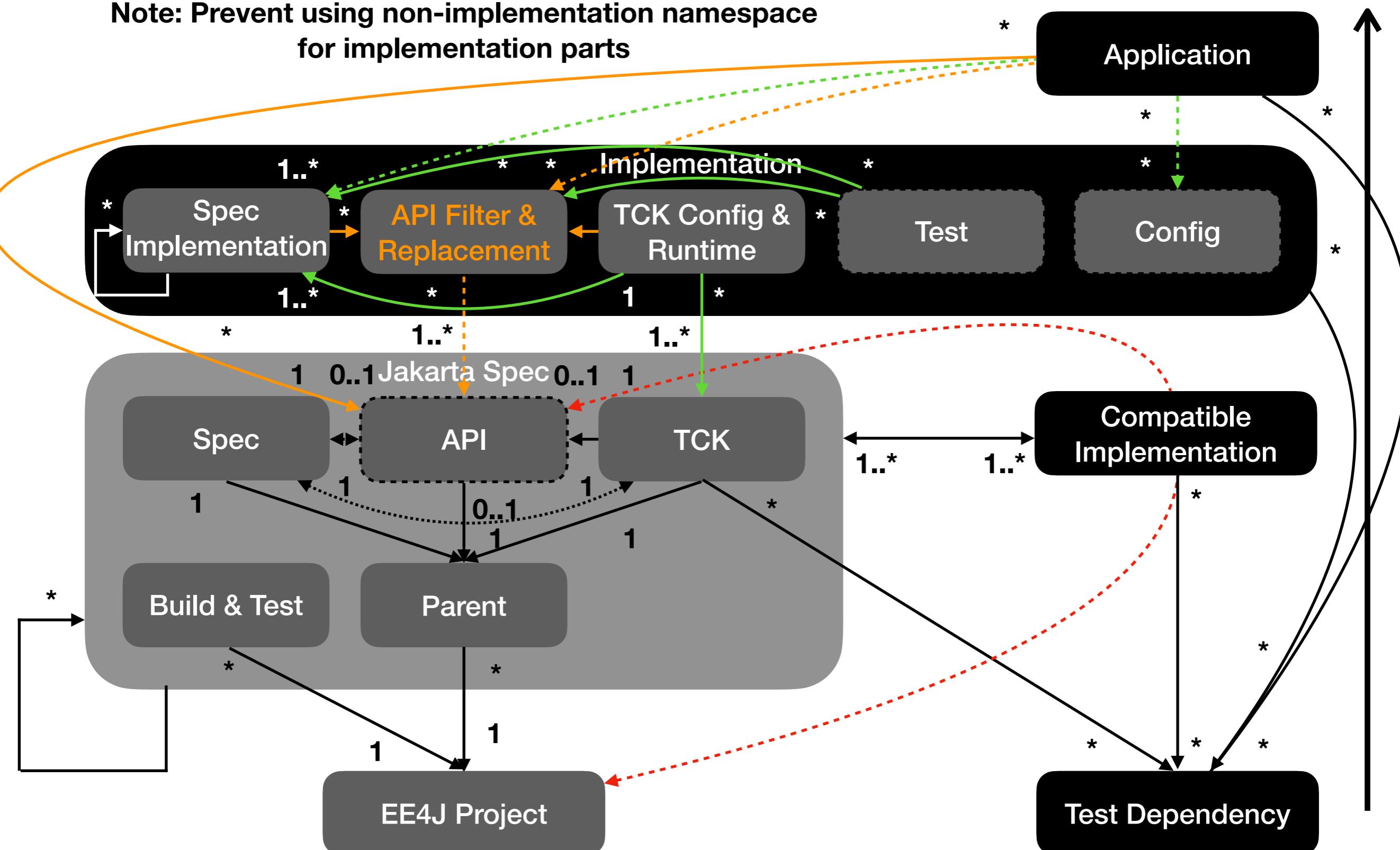
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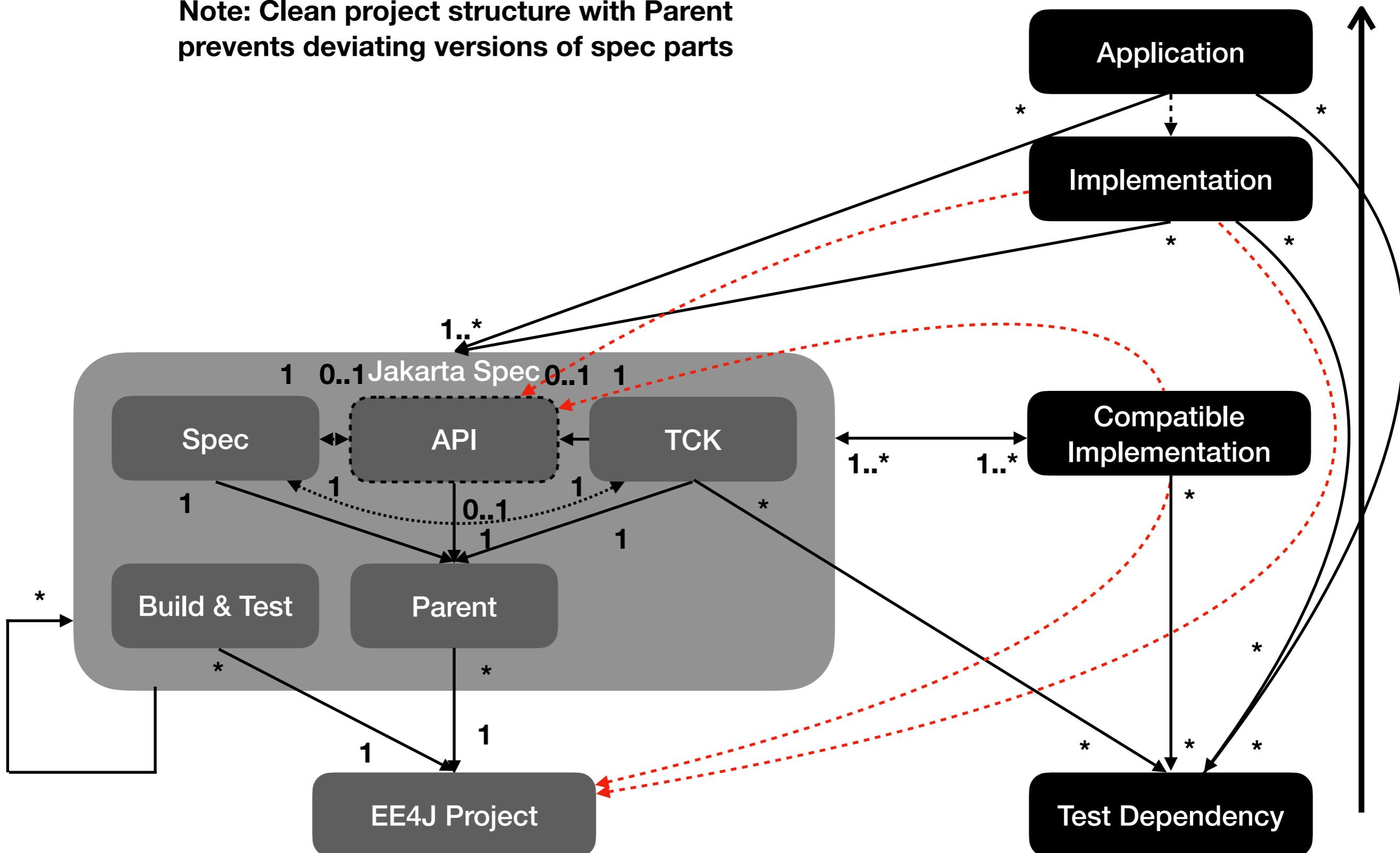
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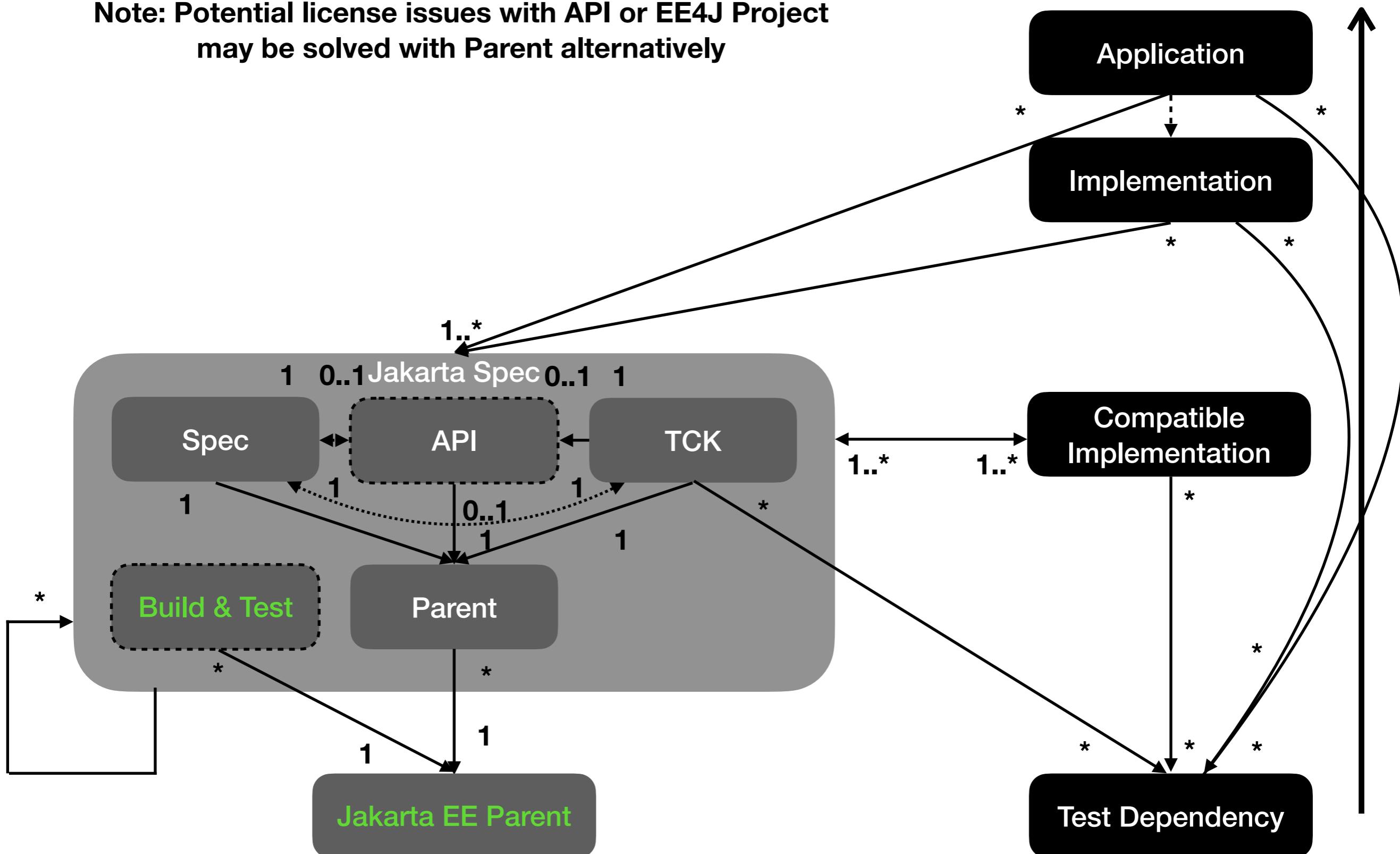
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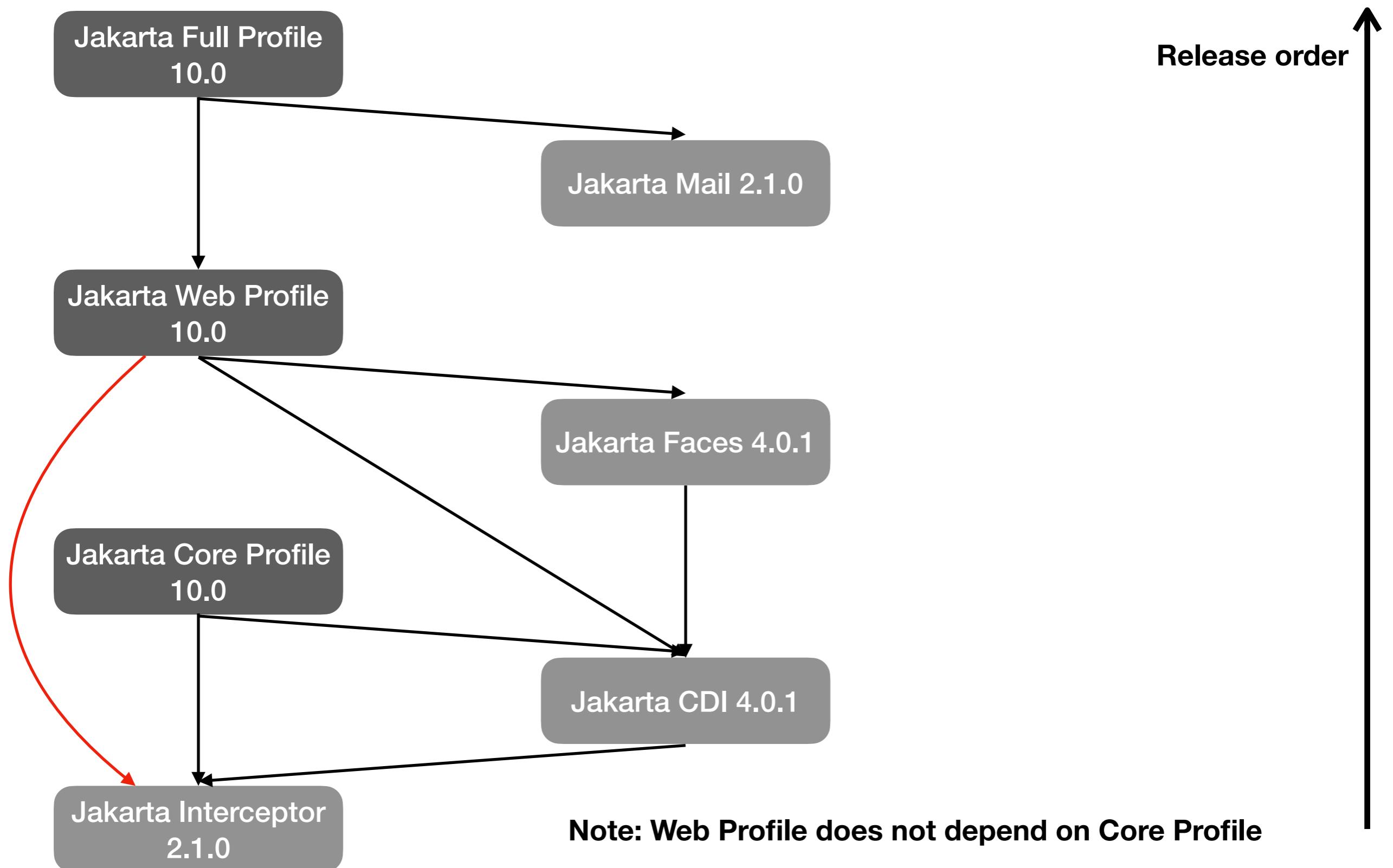
Note: Potential license issues with API or EE4J Project
may be solved with Parent alternatively



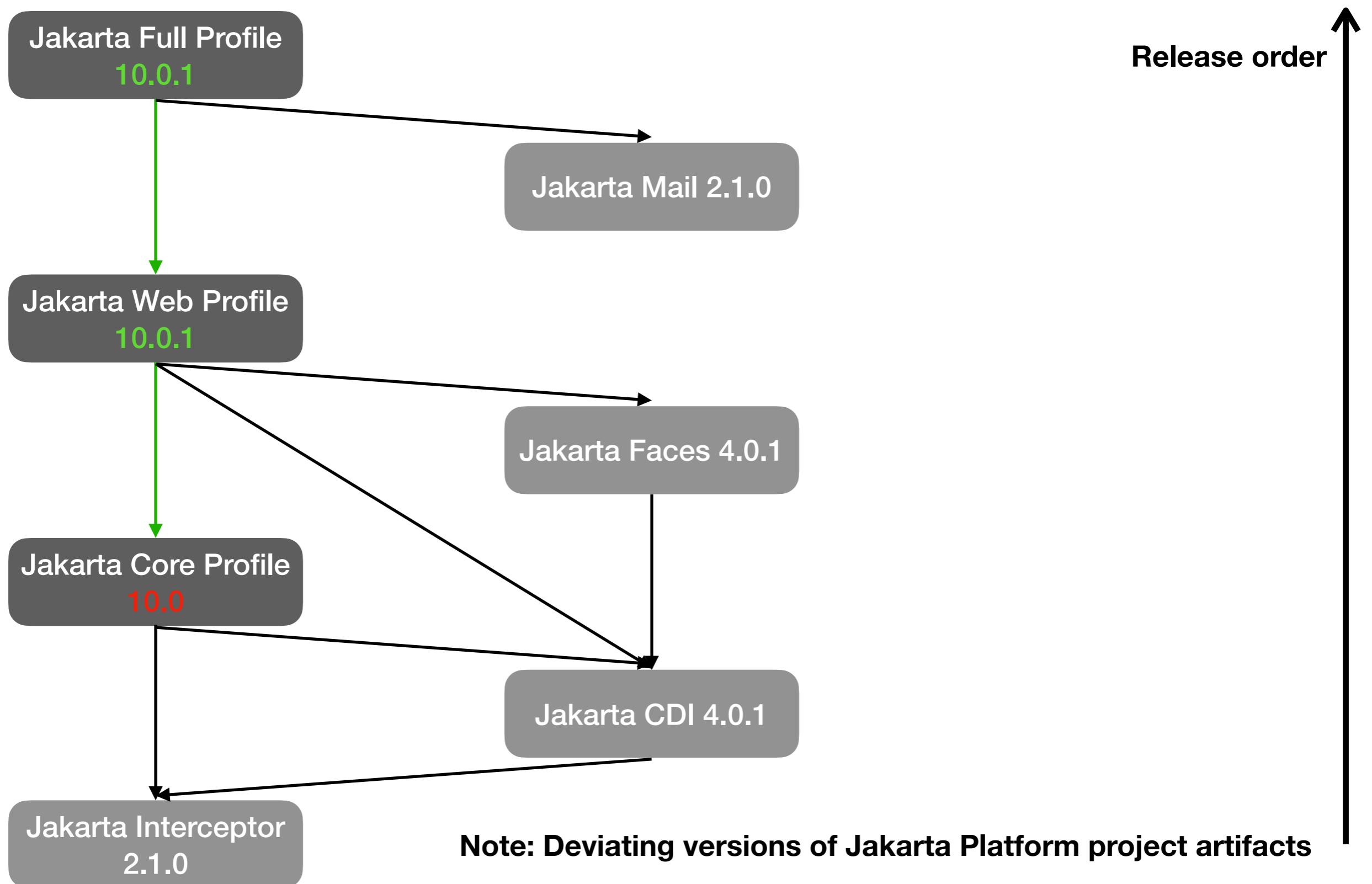
Jakarta EE Platform

- Issue
 - Web Profile does not depend on Core Profile
 - Intention to have independent Core Profile releases
- Solution
 - Web Profile should depend on Core Profile
 - All Jakarta EE Platform releases should be in sync (regarding dependencies and version)

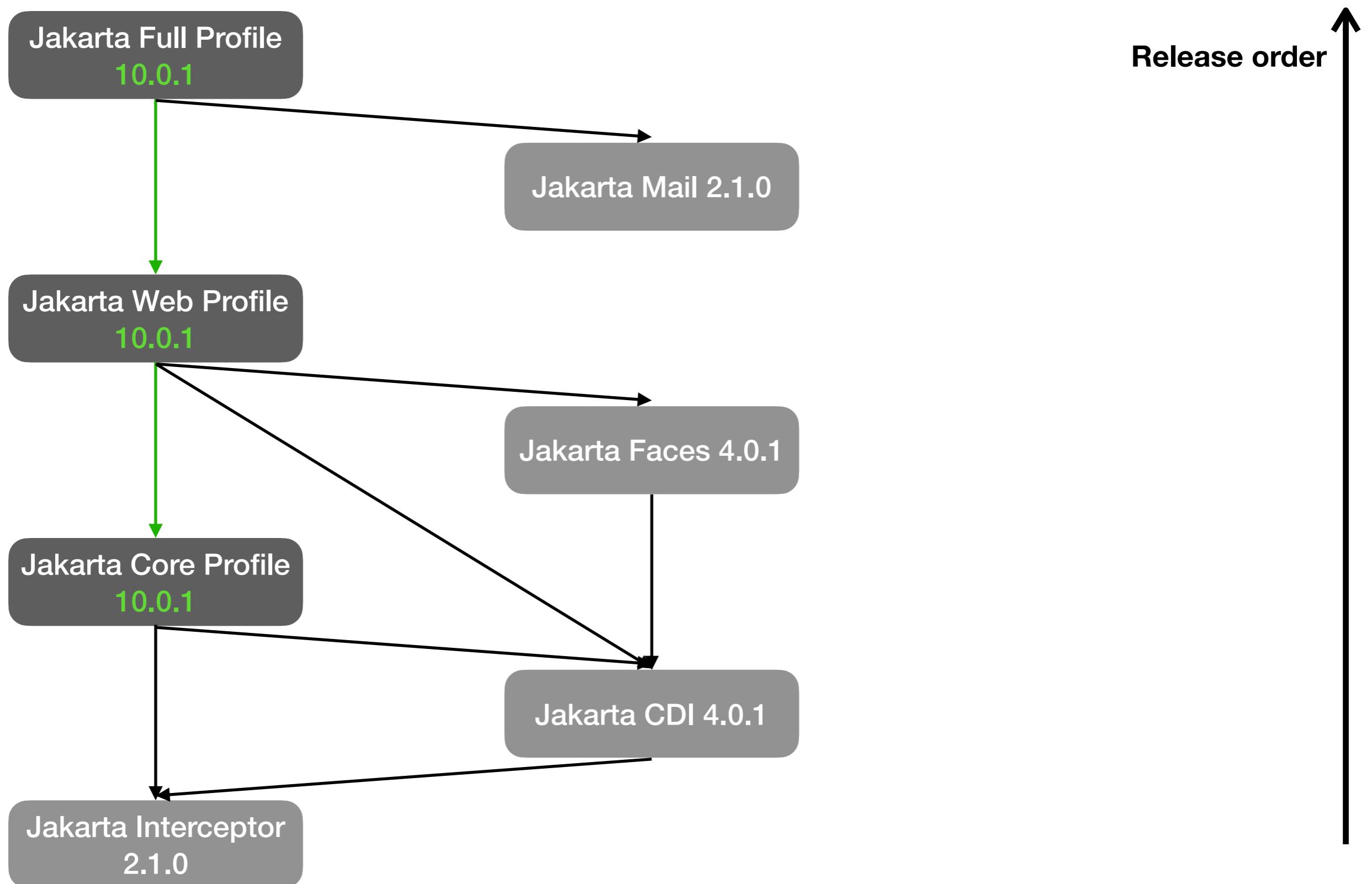
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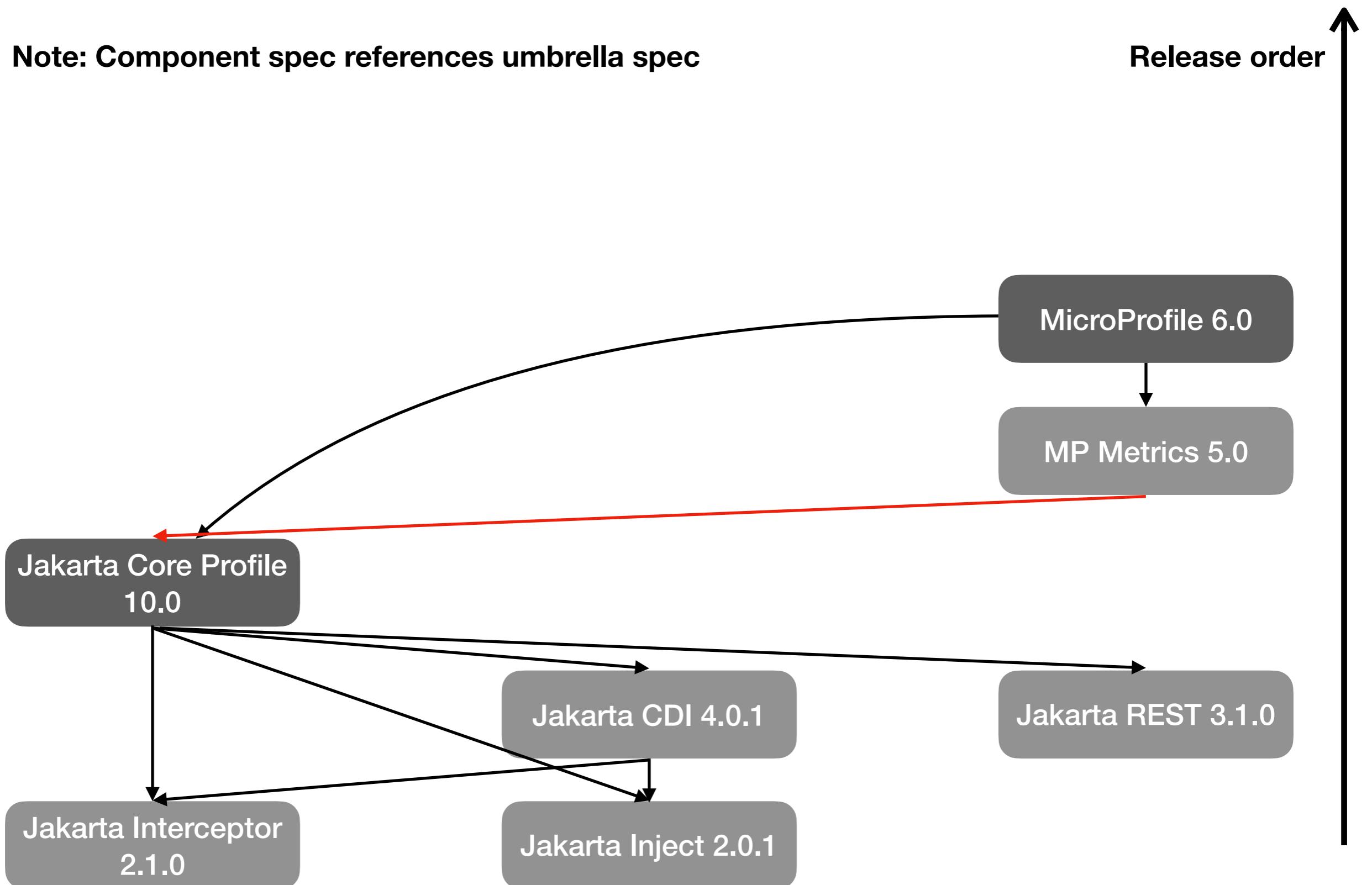


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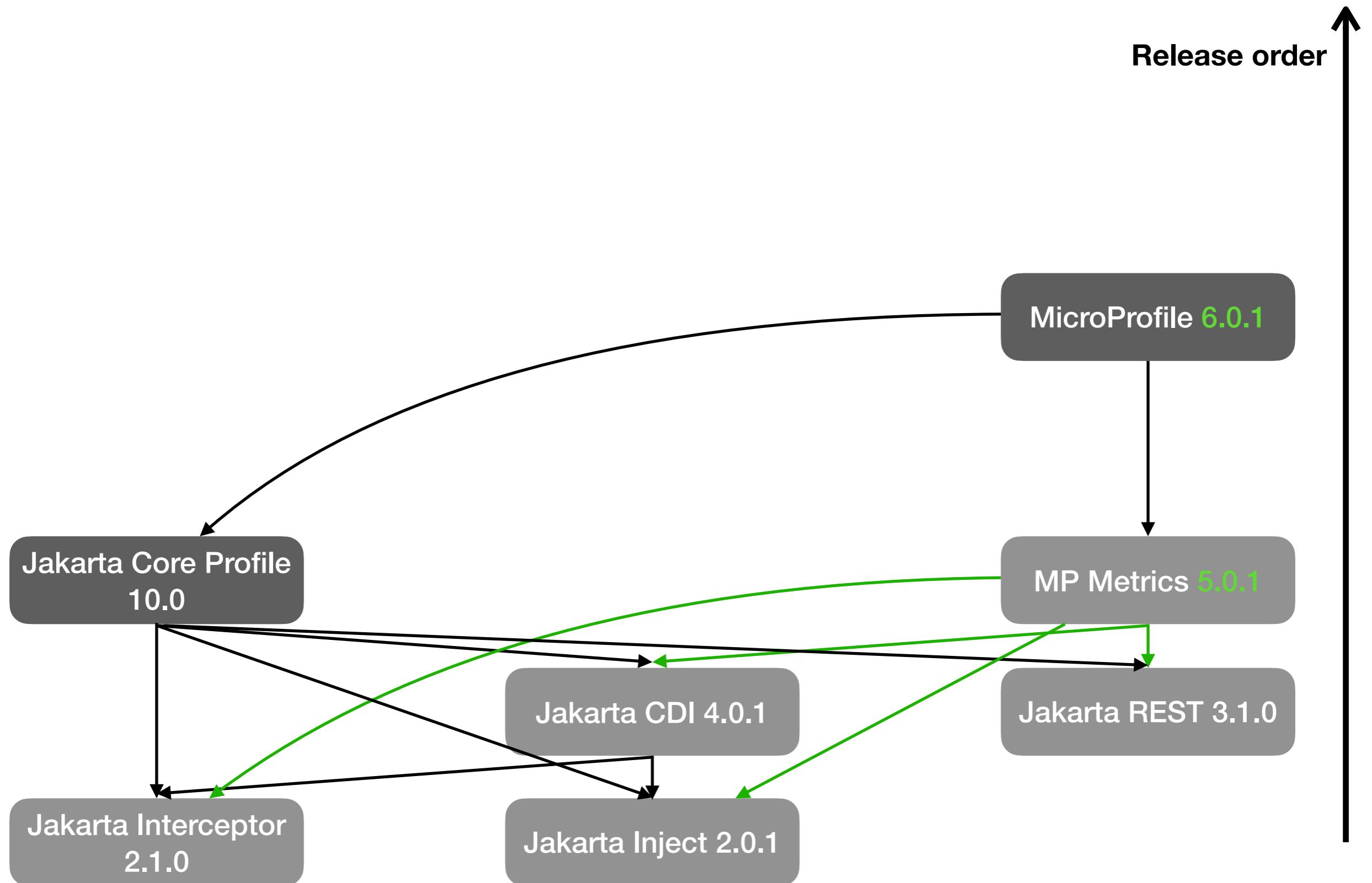
- Issue
 - Component spec depends on umbrella spec
- Solution
 - MicroProfile should depend on component specs only

MicroProfile Metrics

Note: Component spec references umbrella spec



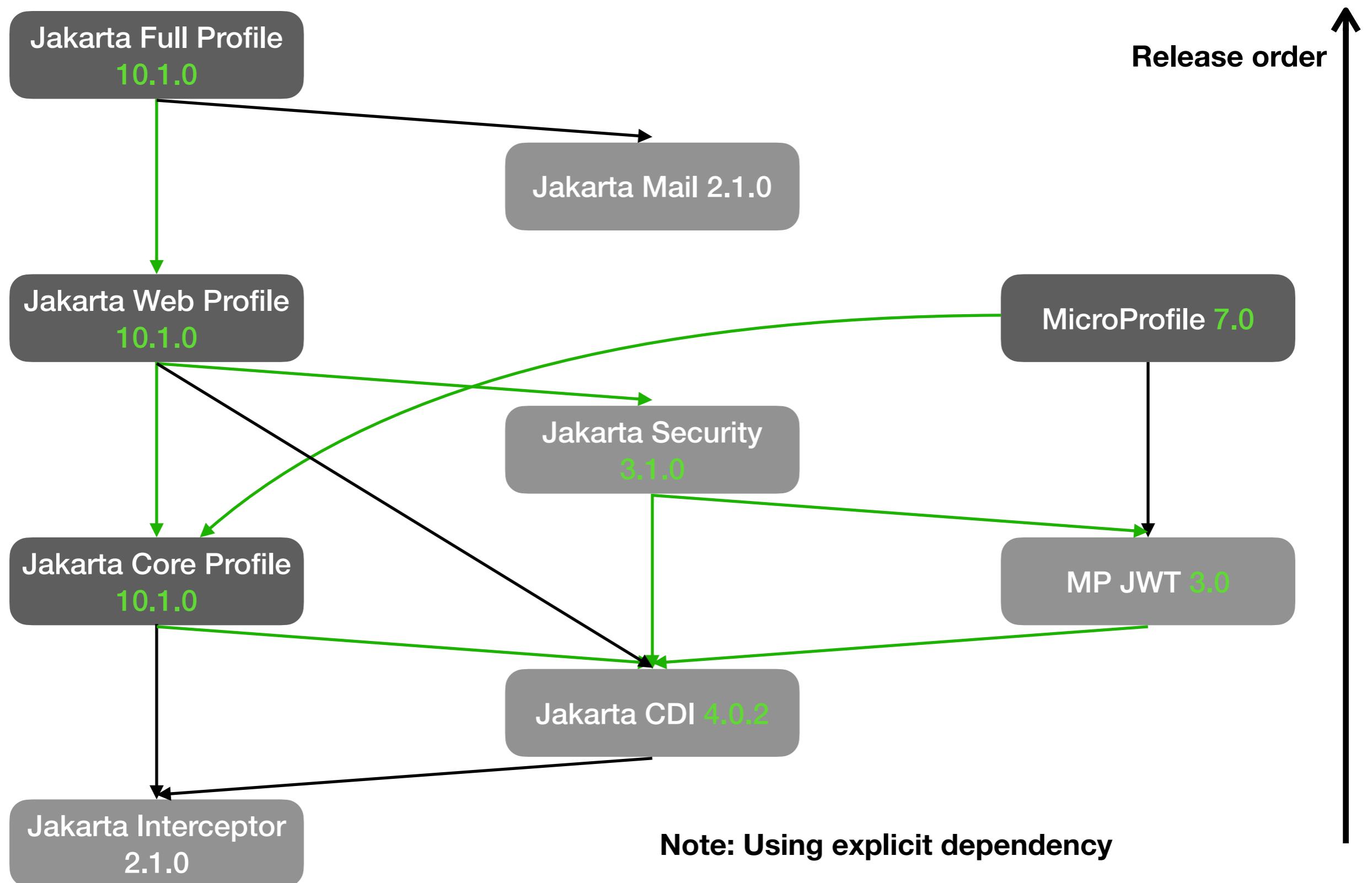
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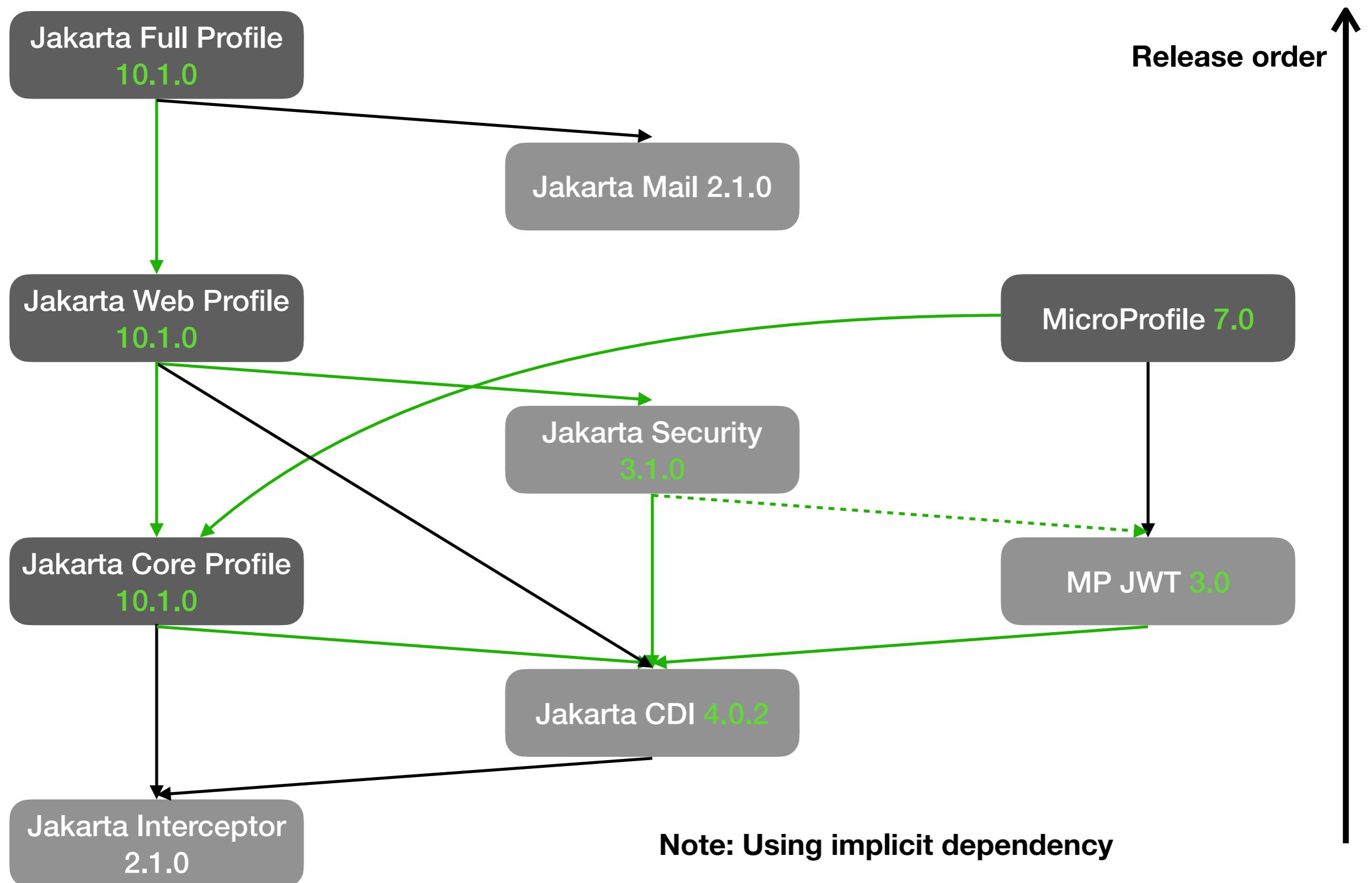
Jakarta Security & MP JWT

- Issue
 - Jakarta Security wants to include or consume (MP) JWT
 - Different organisations and umbrella specs involved
 - Deviation in dependencies and release cycles
- Solution
 - Definition of explicit (strong) dependency
 - Definition of implicit (weak) dependency
- Note: With bi-directional dependencies between Jakarta EE and MicroProfile, the JPMS support requirement is extended to MP too - this increases coupling and requires carefully select a single version for every part of their joint system environment. The only alternative to it is moving MP JWT or forking it in Jakarta instead.

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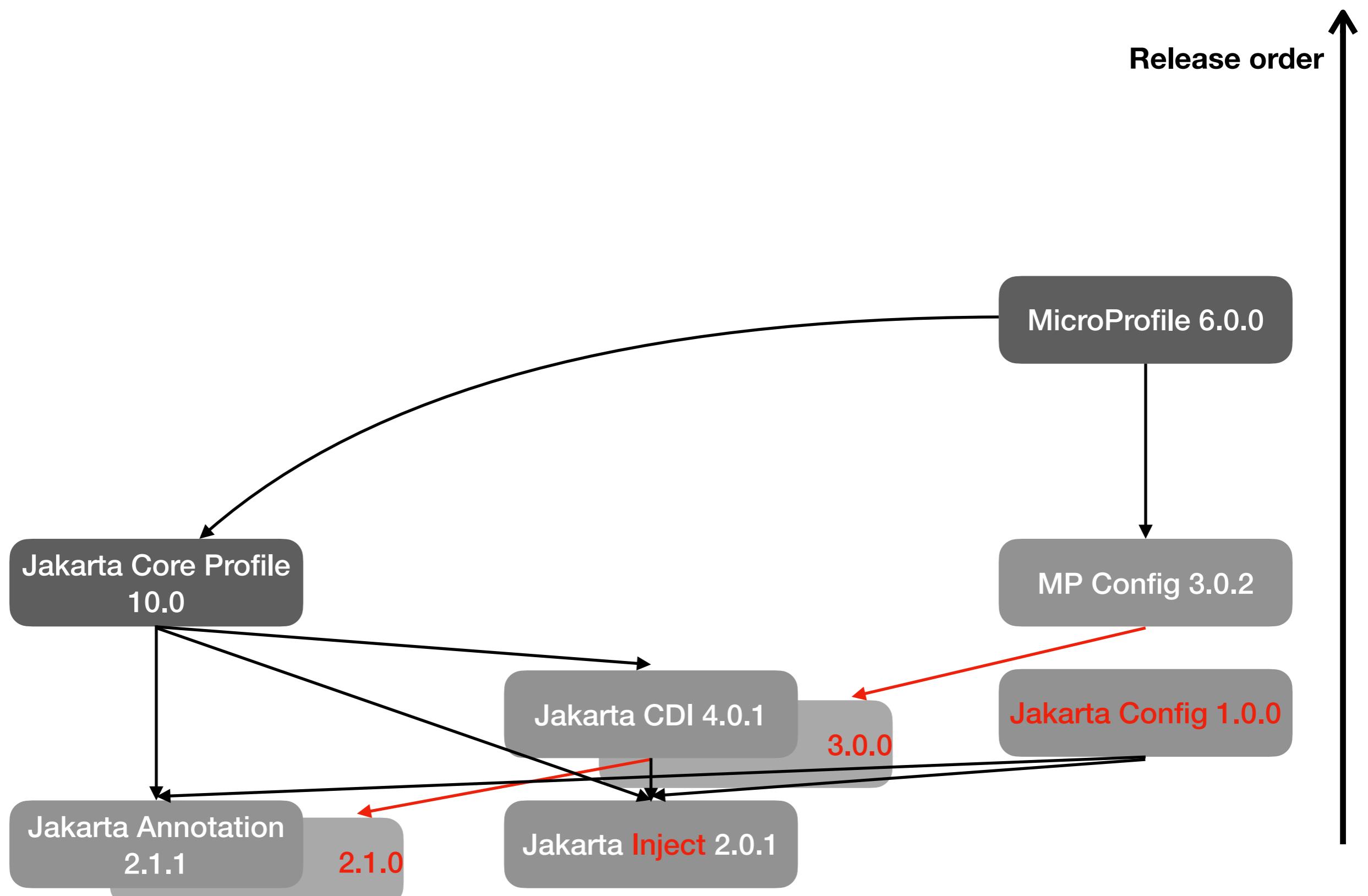
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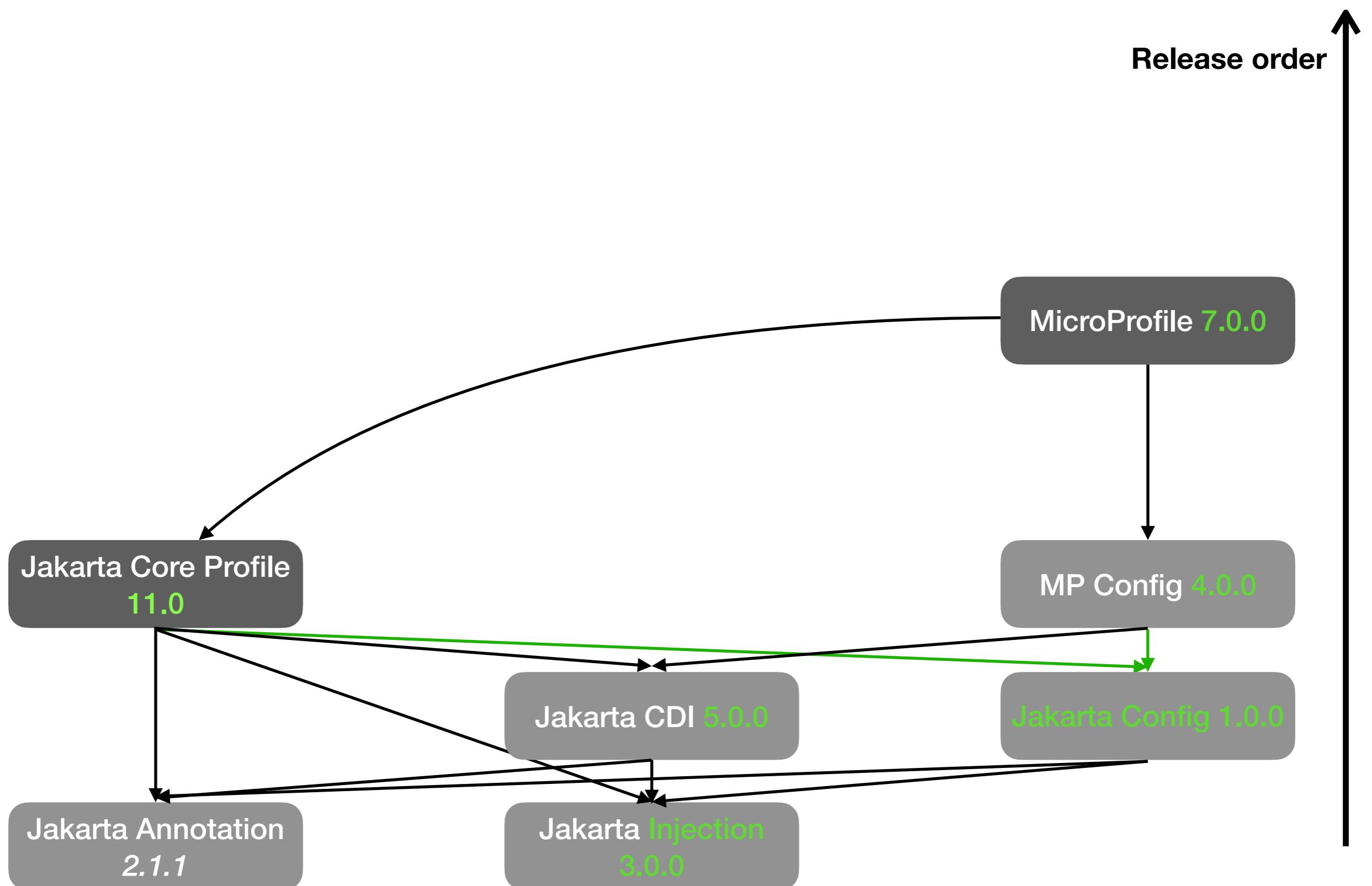
MP Config & Jakarta Config

- Issue
 - First approach to move spec failed (spec modified during transition)
 - Dependency mismatch
- Solution
 - Second MVP approach (defining minimal functionality)
 - Jakarta Config should become real subset of MP Config
 - Renaming of Jakarta Inject/ion?

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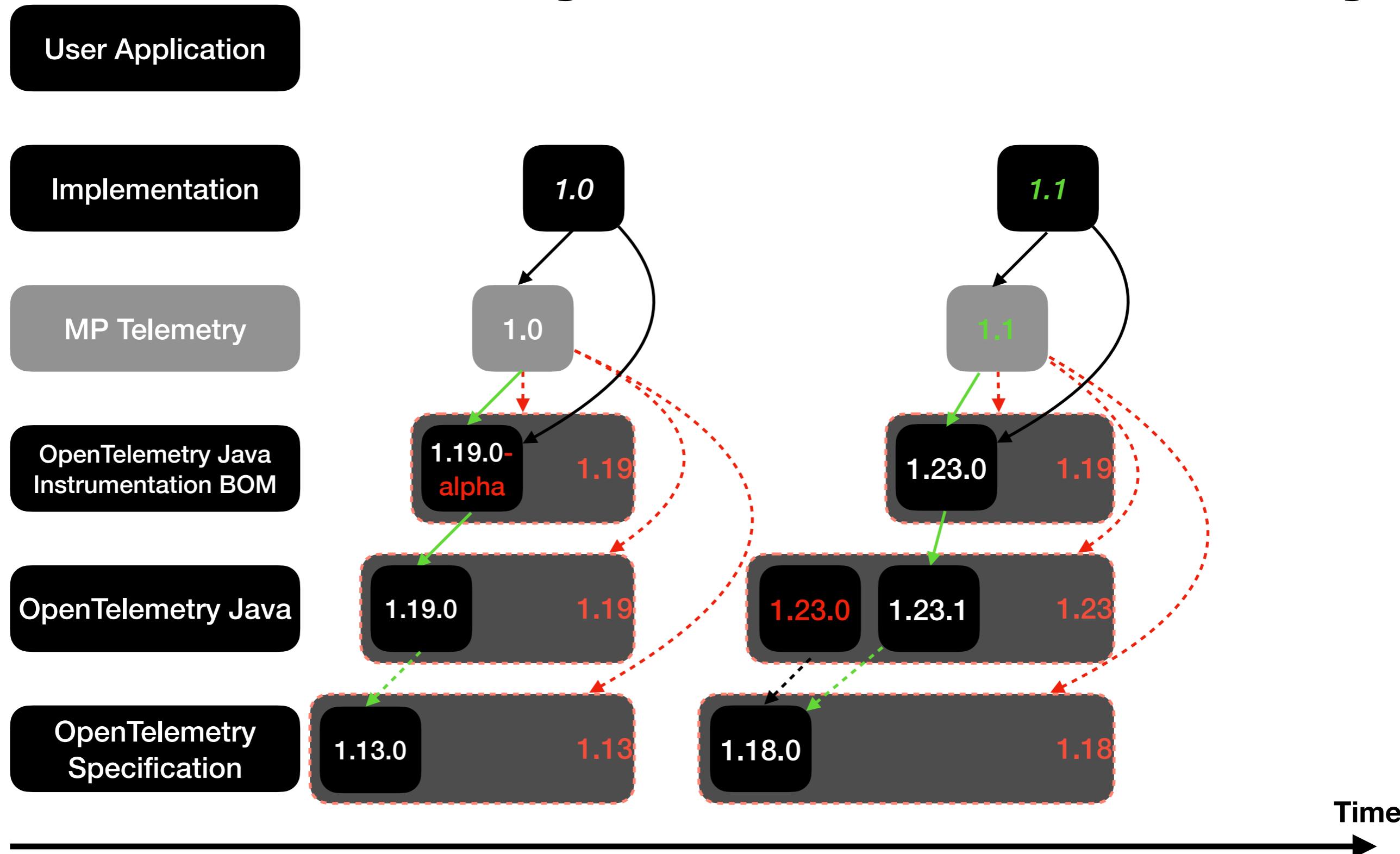
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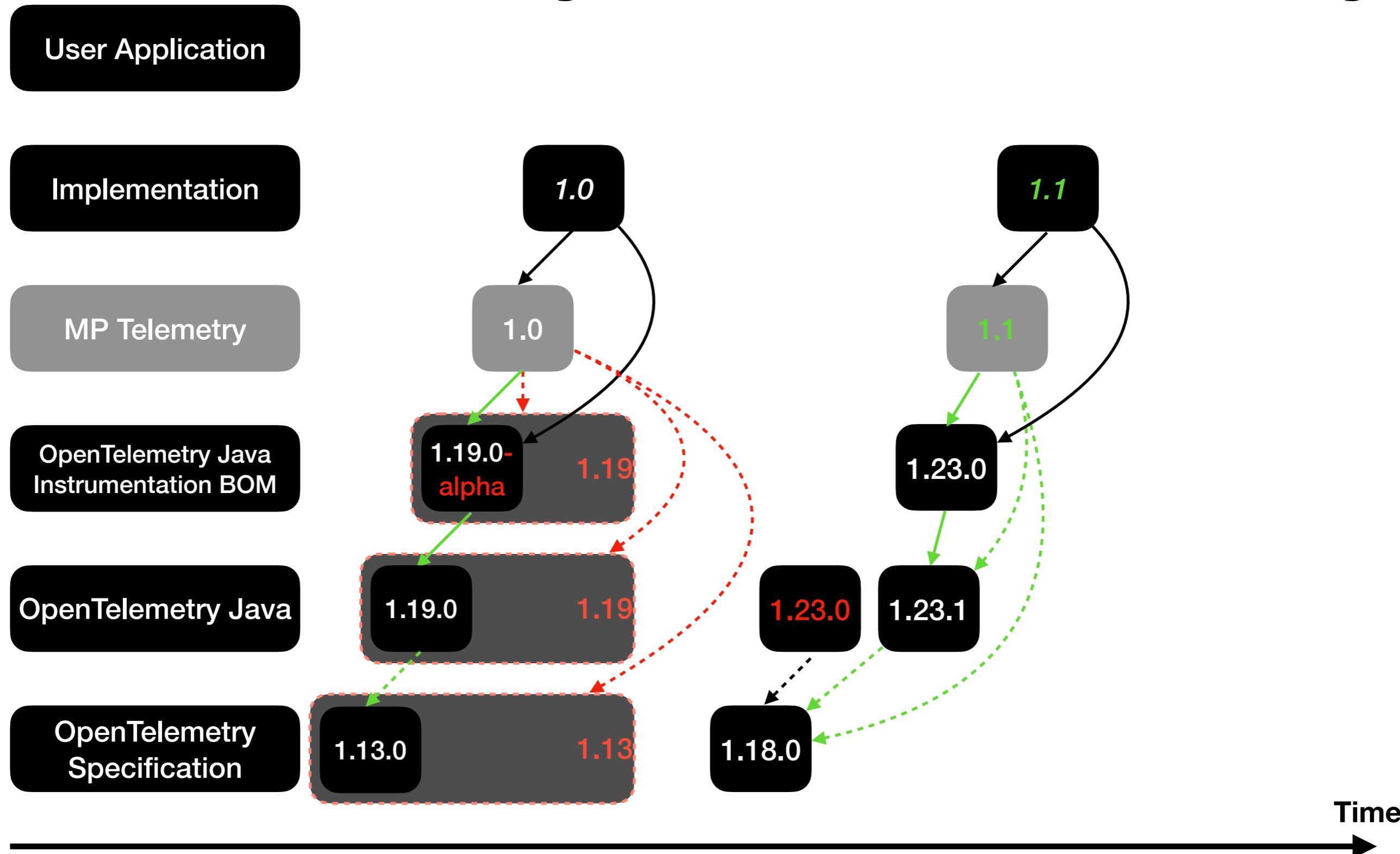
MP Telemetry & OpenTelemetry

- Issue
 - Do not depend on umbrella spec directly
 - Using (again) separate definitions of spec versions in the spec document and API/TCK - manual maintenance needed
 - Using unspecific (non existent) version definitions in Spec document - allows usage of broken versions knowingly!
 - opentelemetry-java and opentelemetry-java-instrumentation artifacts need to use the same version number
- Solution
 - Use component spec dependencies only
 - Use consistent version information in all spec artifacts
 - Define separate versions for all dependencies to be able to select deviating versions, when necessary
 - Define root MP Telemetry spec document

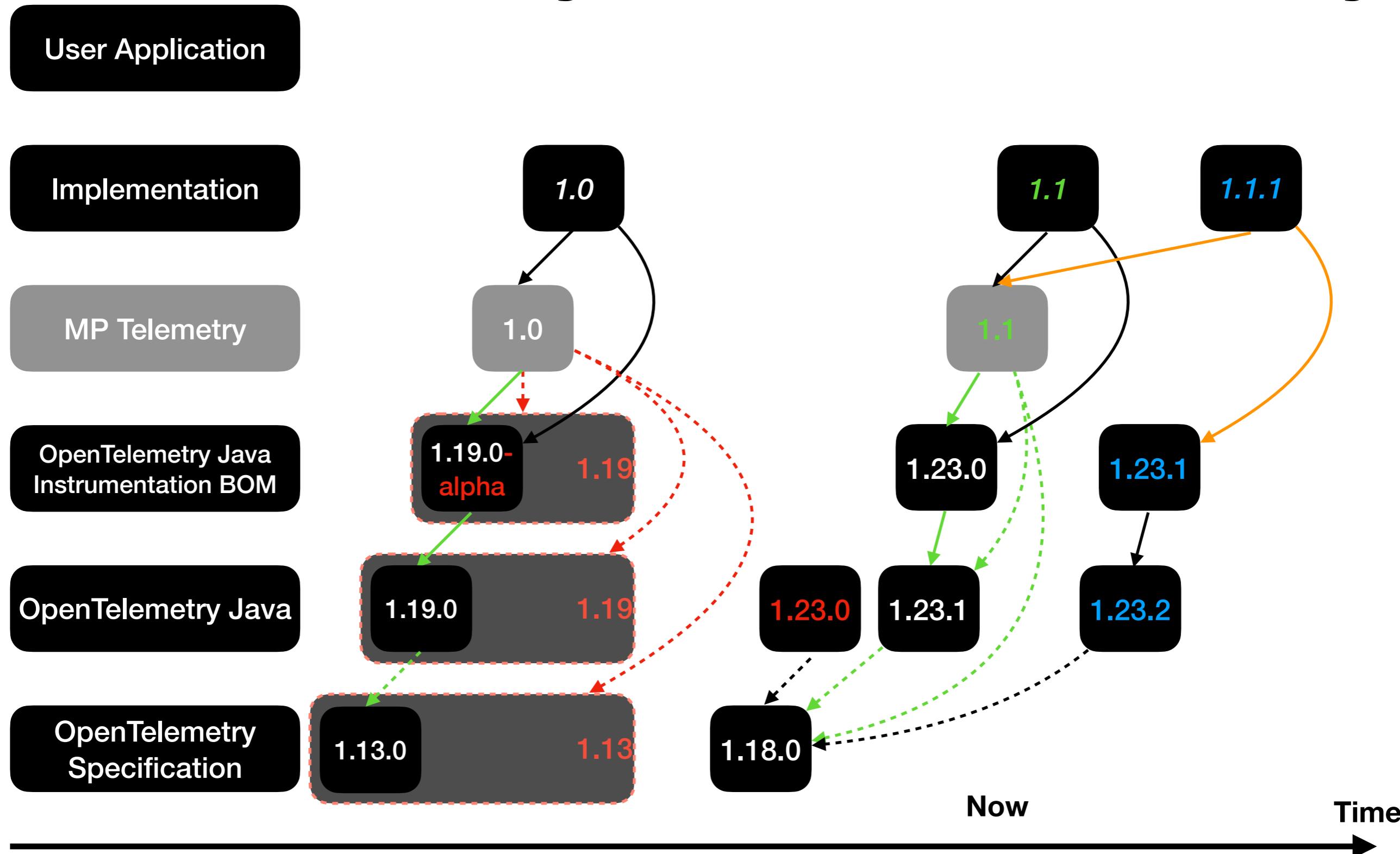
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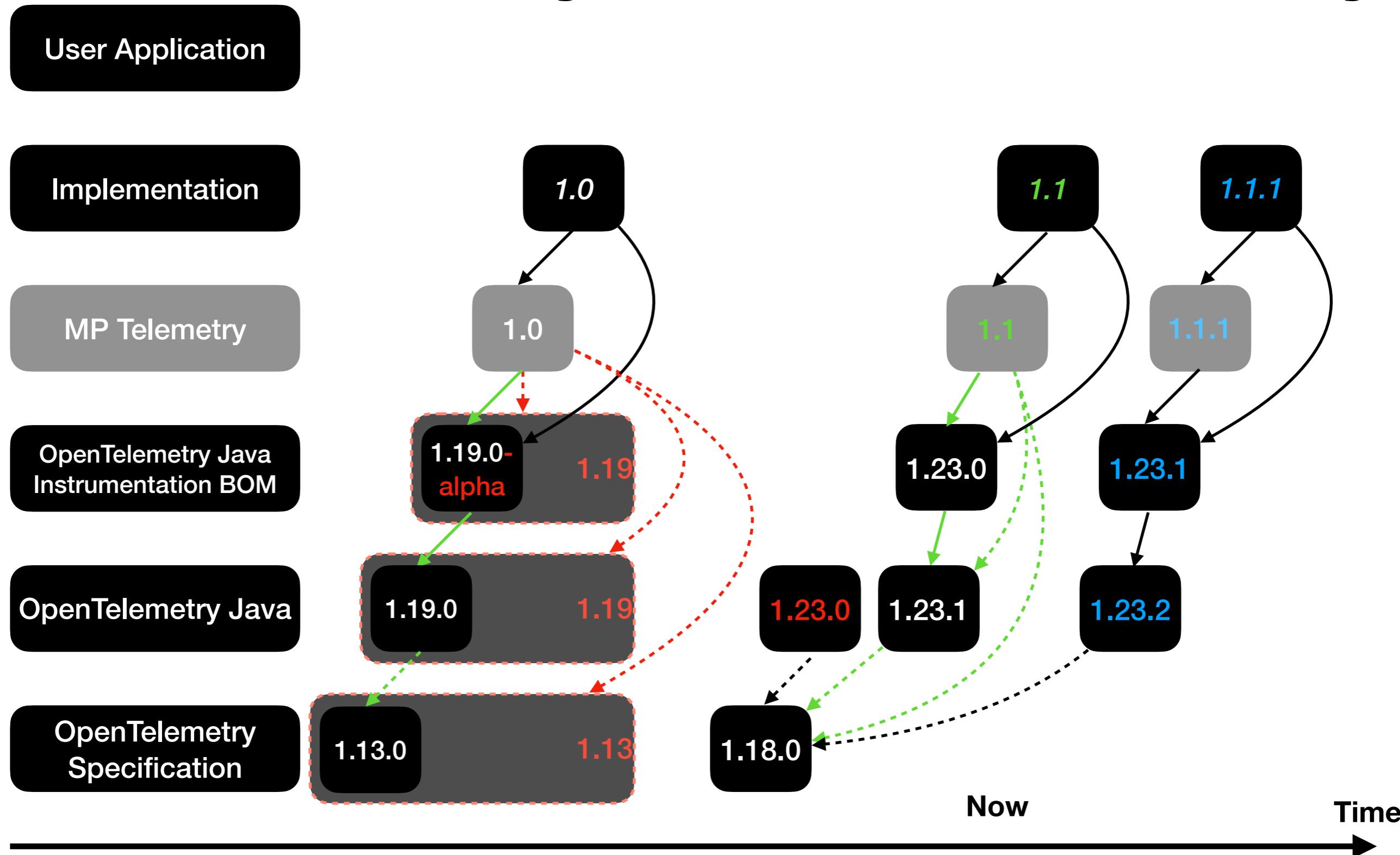
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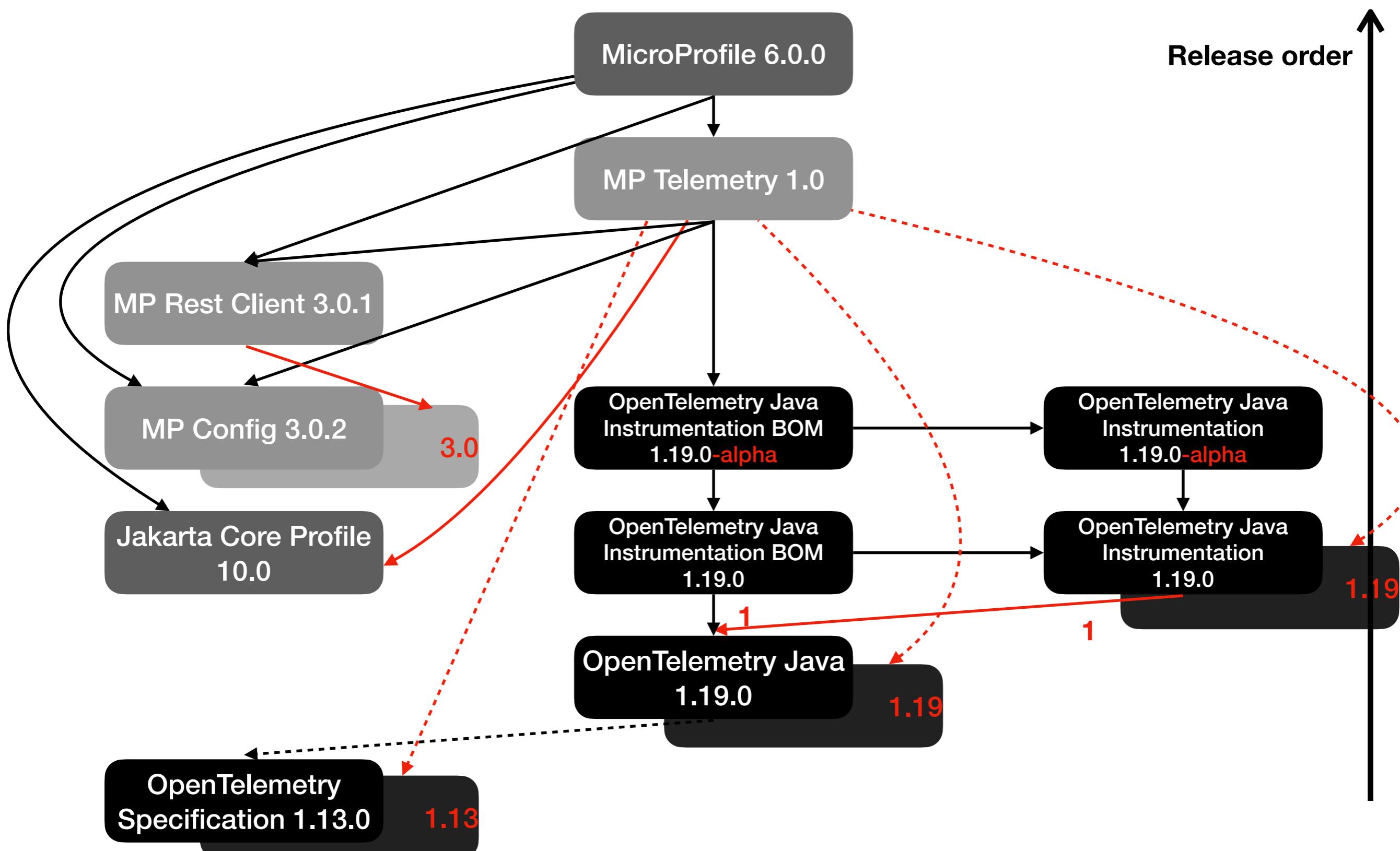
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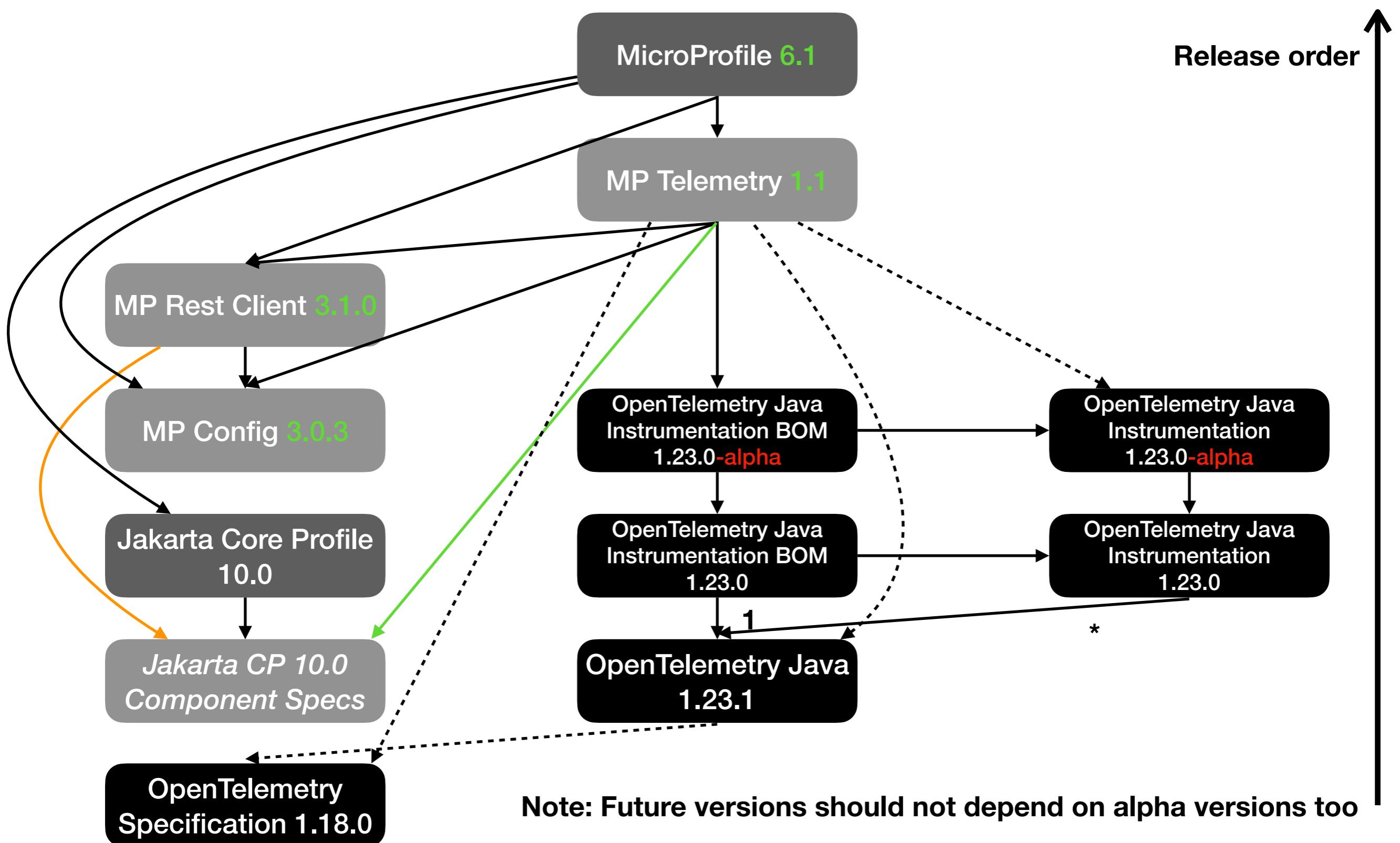
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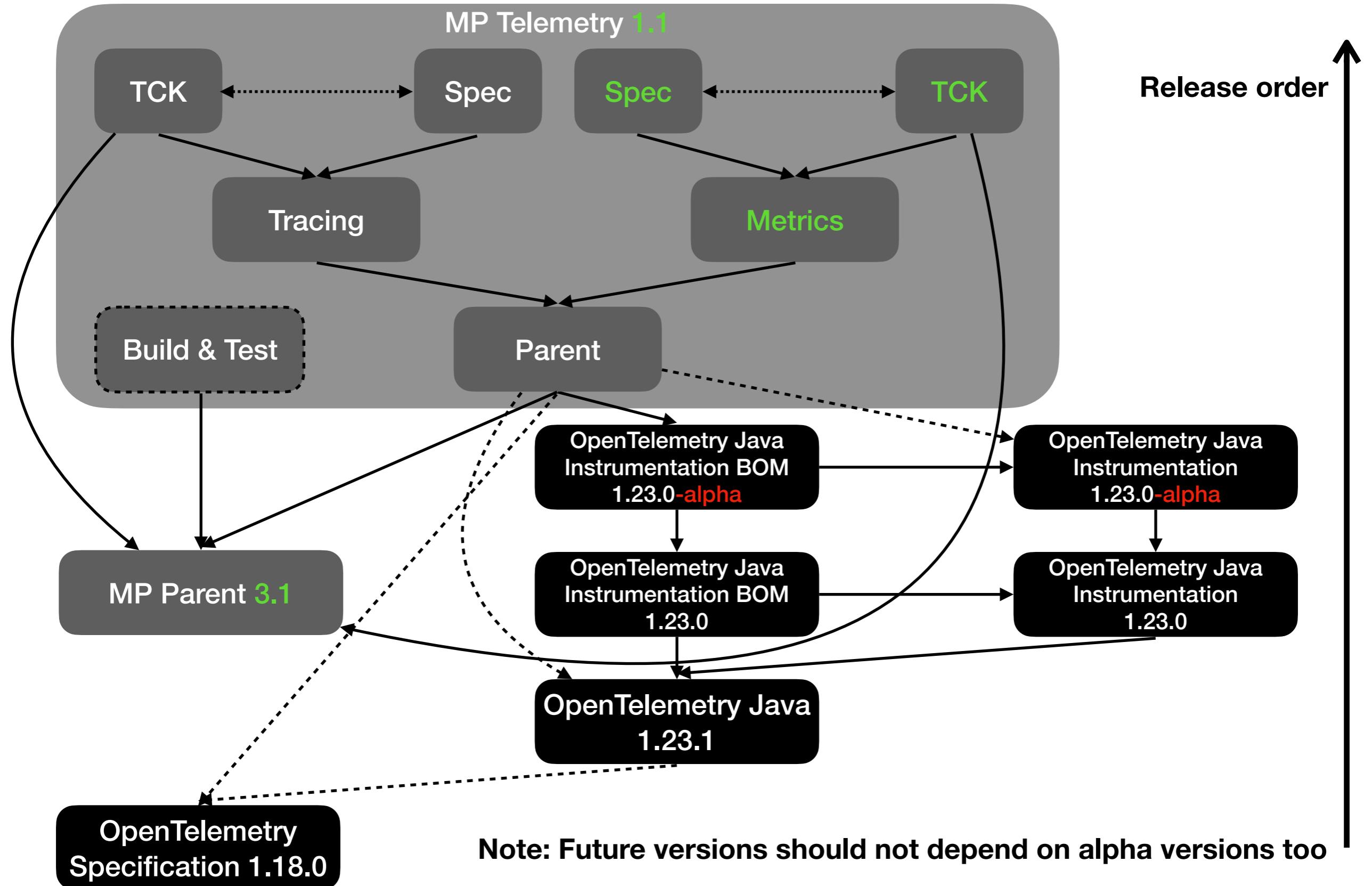
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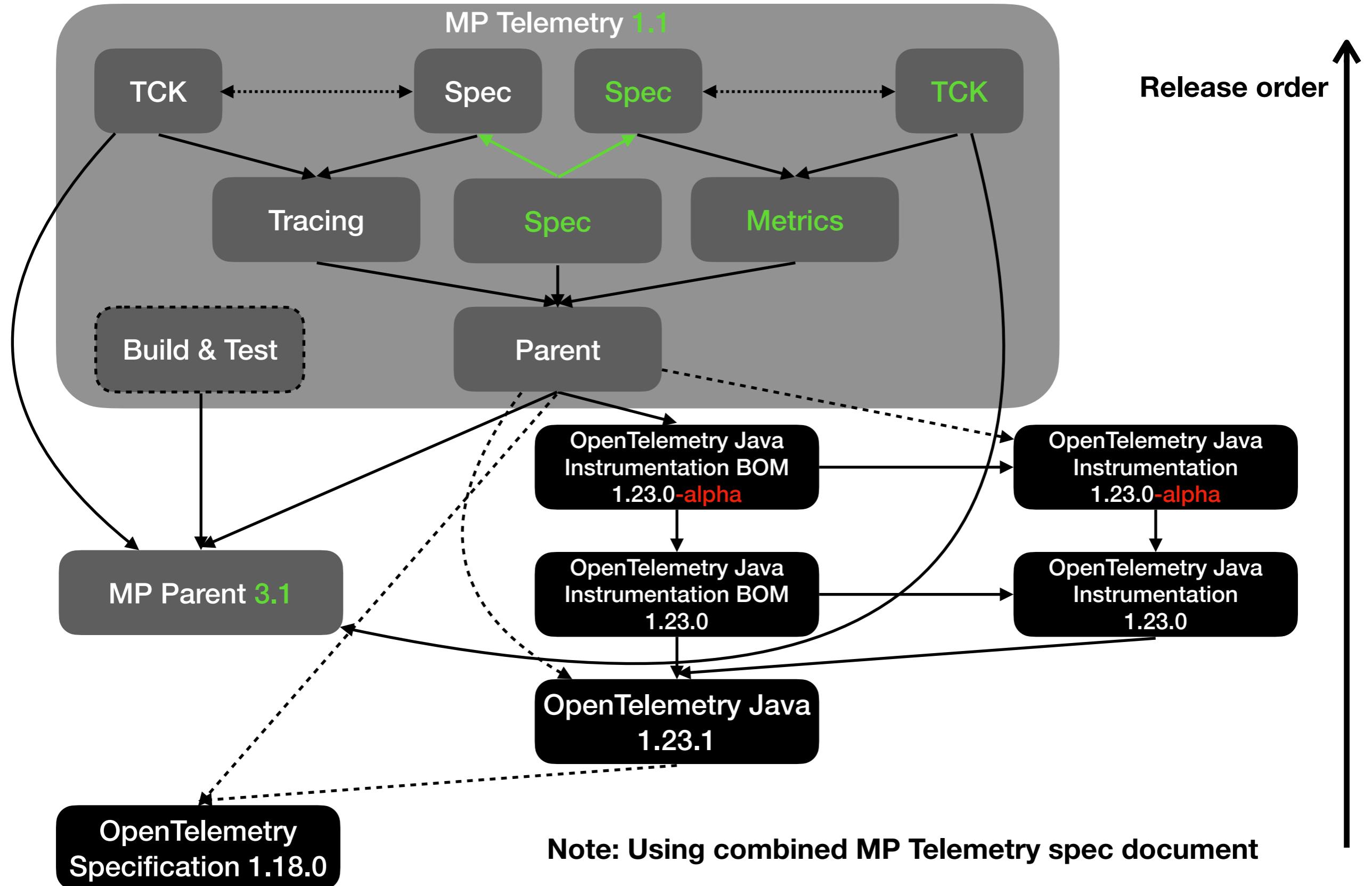
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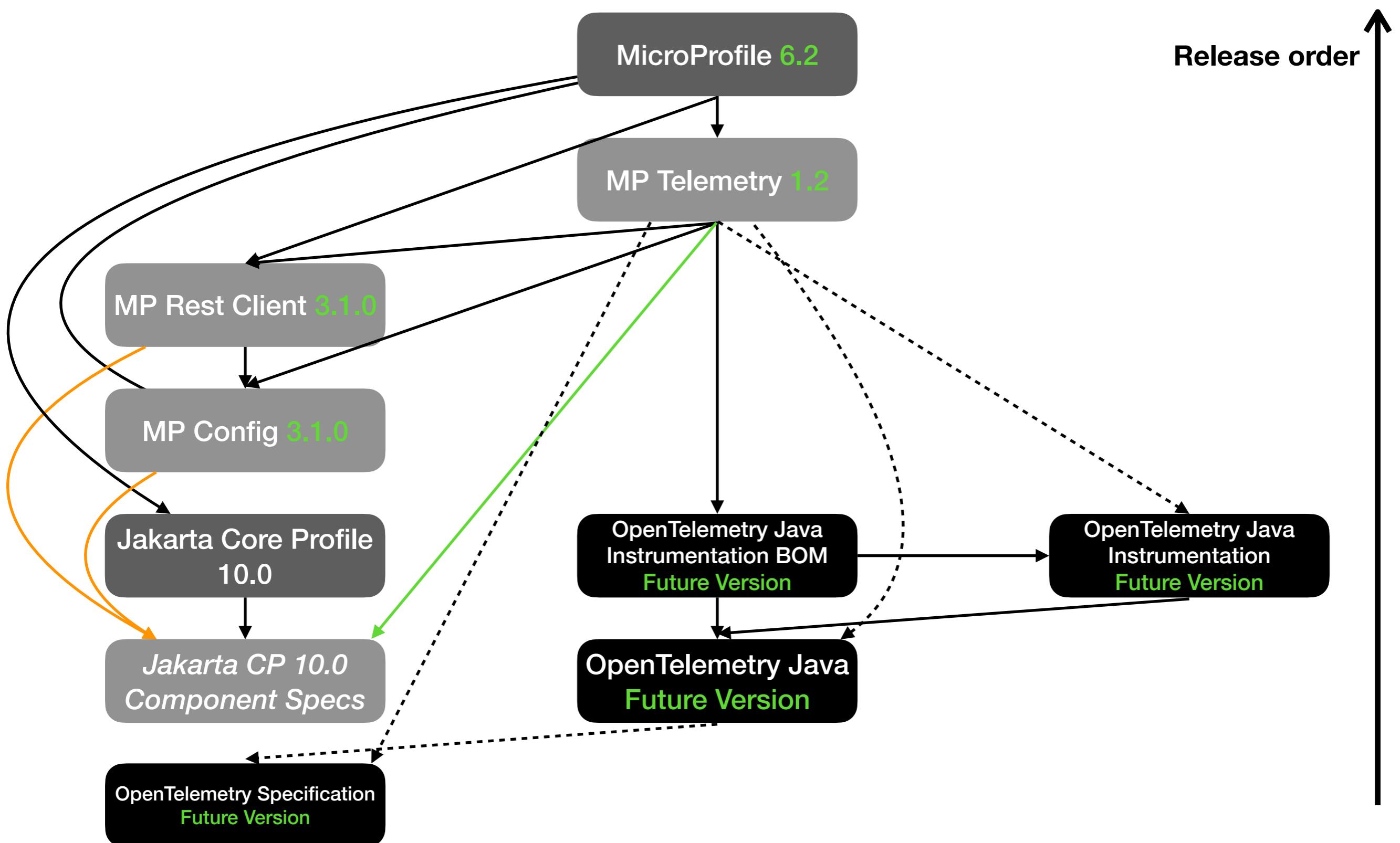
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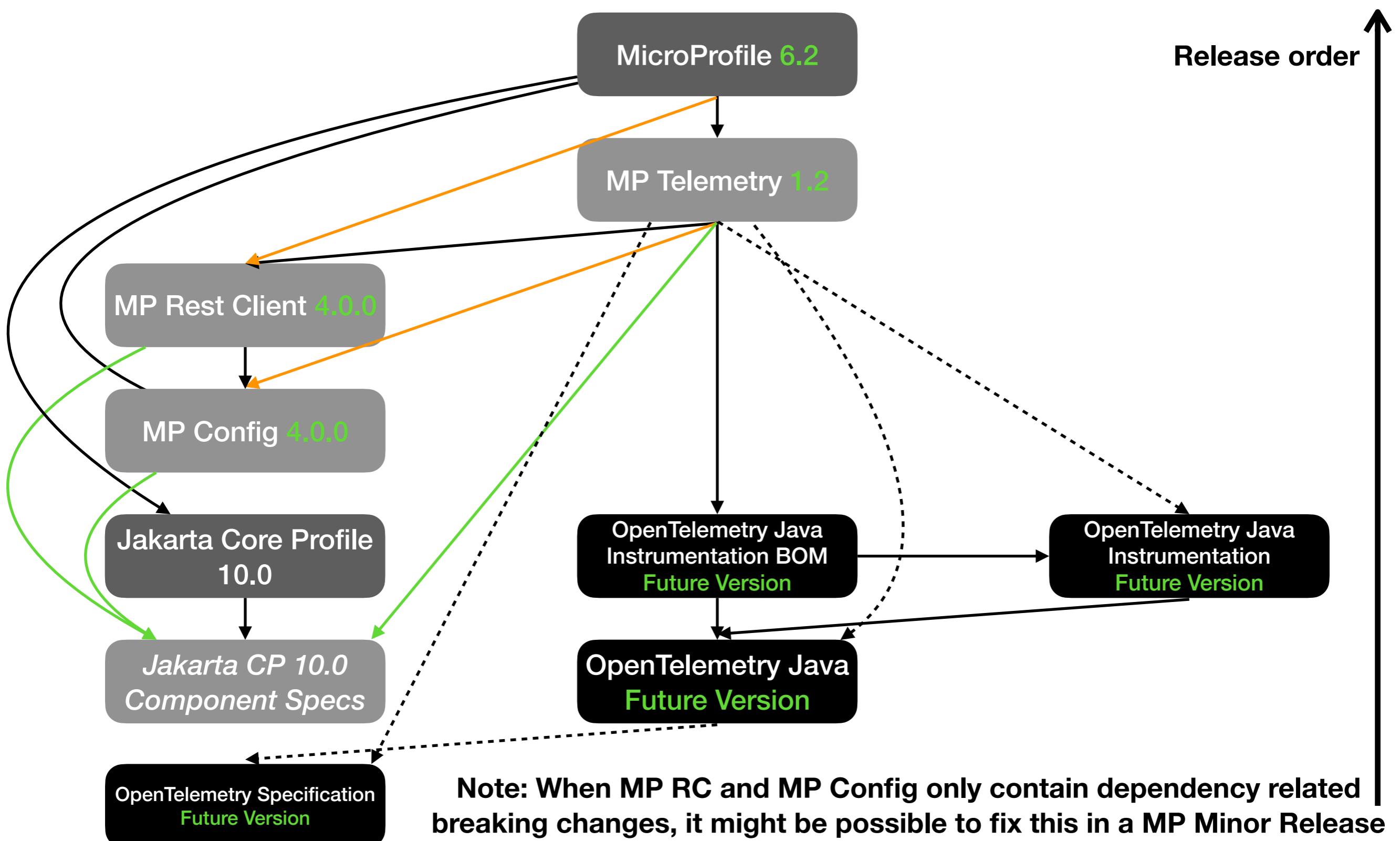
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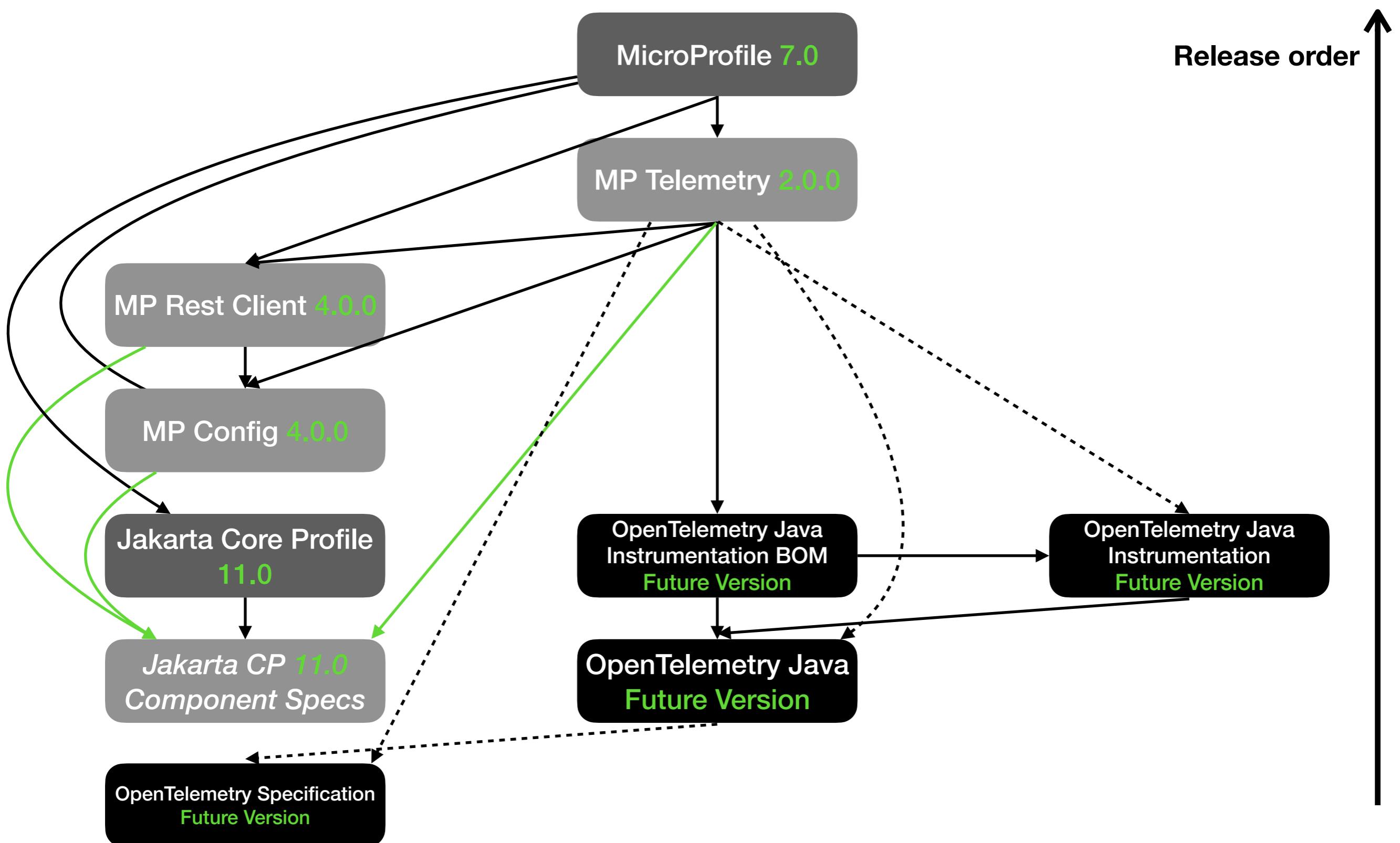
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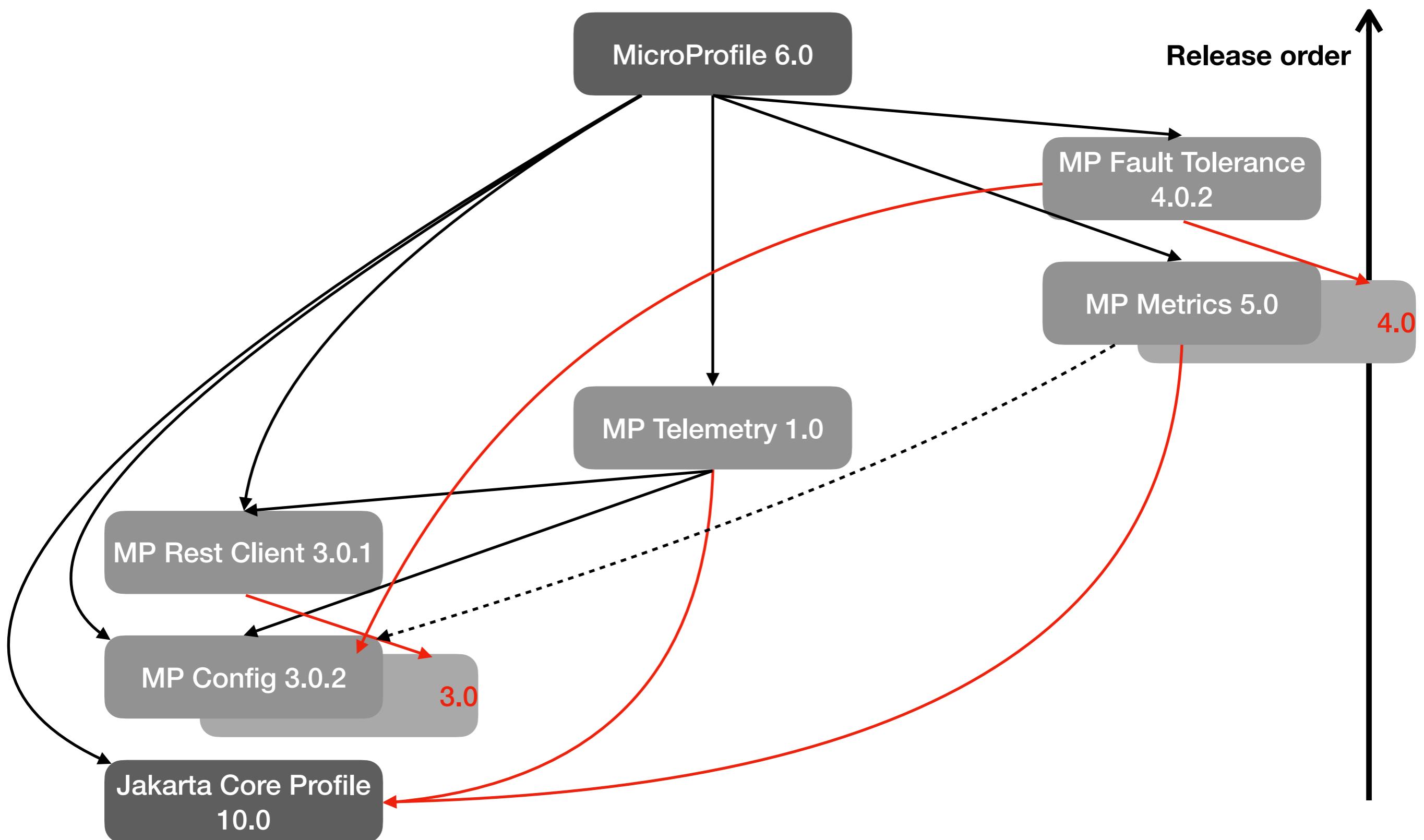
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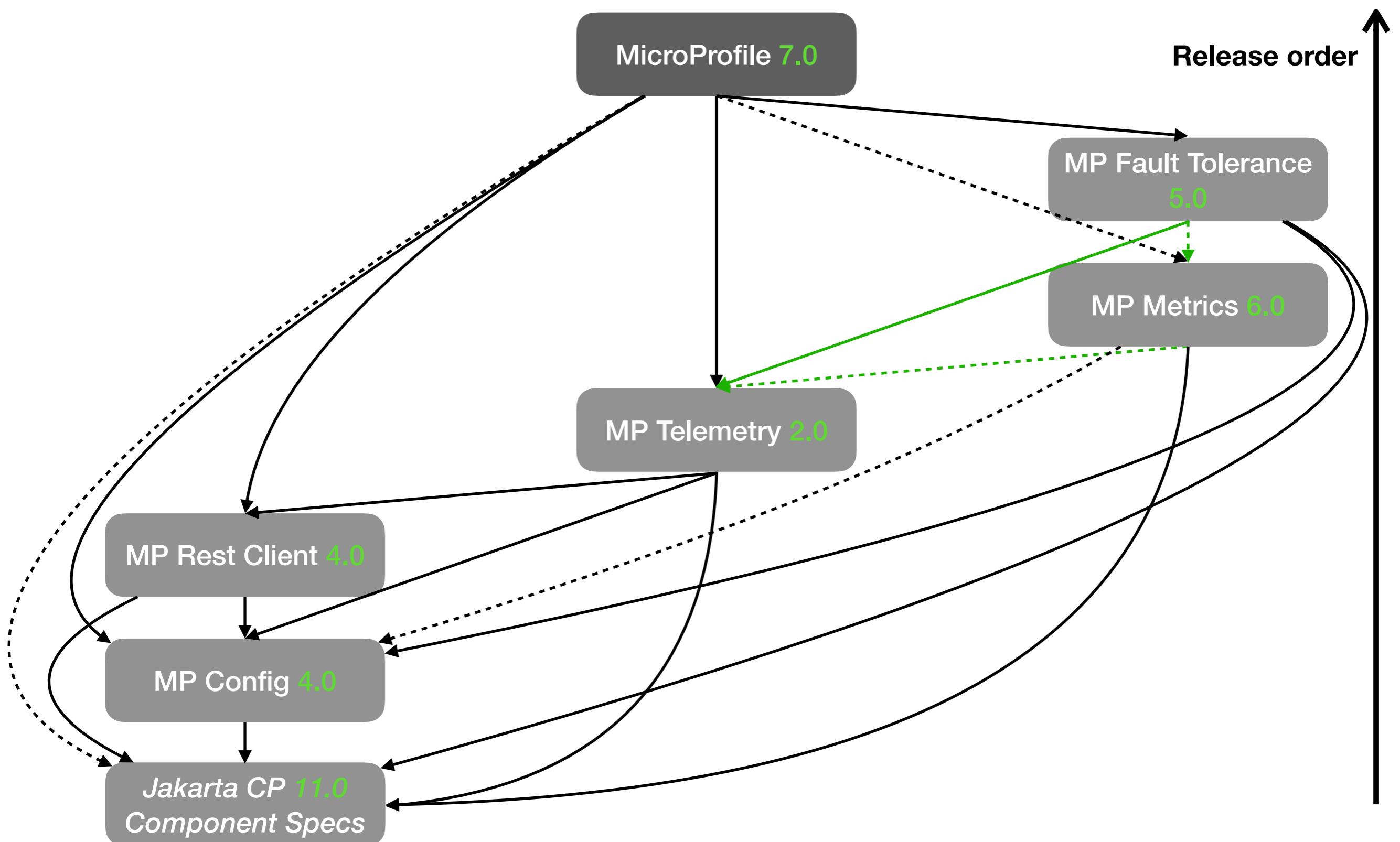
MP Metrics & MP Telemetry

- Issue
 - MP Metrics is not supported by all vendors anymore
 - MP Metrics may become replaced by MP Telemetry Metrics in future MP (Platform/umbrella) releases and will be a stand-alone spec then
 - OpenTelemetry Metrics is not fully stable yet (especially regarding Telemetry Data)
 - MP Fault Tolerance has a dependency to MP Metrics
- Solution
 - Align MP Metrics to MP Telemetry so they can coexist in implementations
 - Define configuration options and defaults, i.e. to prevent doublet metrics
 - Help stabilizing OpenTelemetry Metrics
 - Modify MP Fault Tolerance to depend on MP Telemetry (and optionally/alternatively on MP Metrics)

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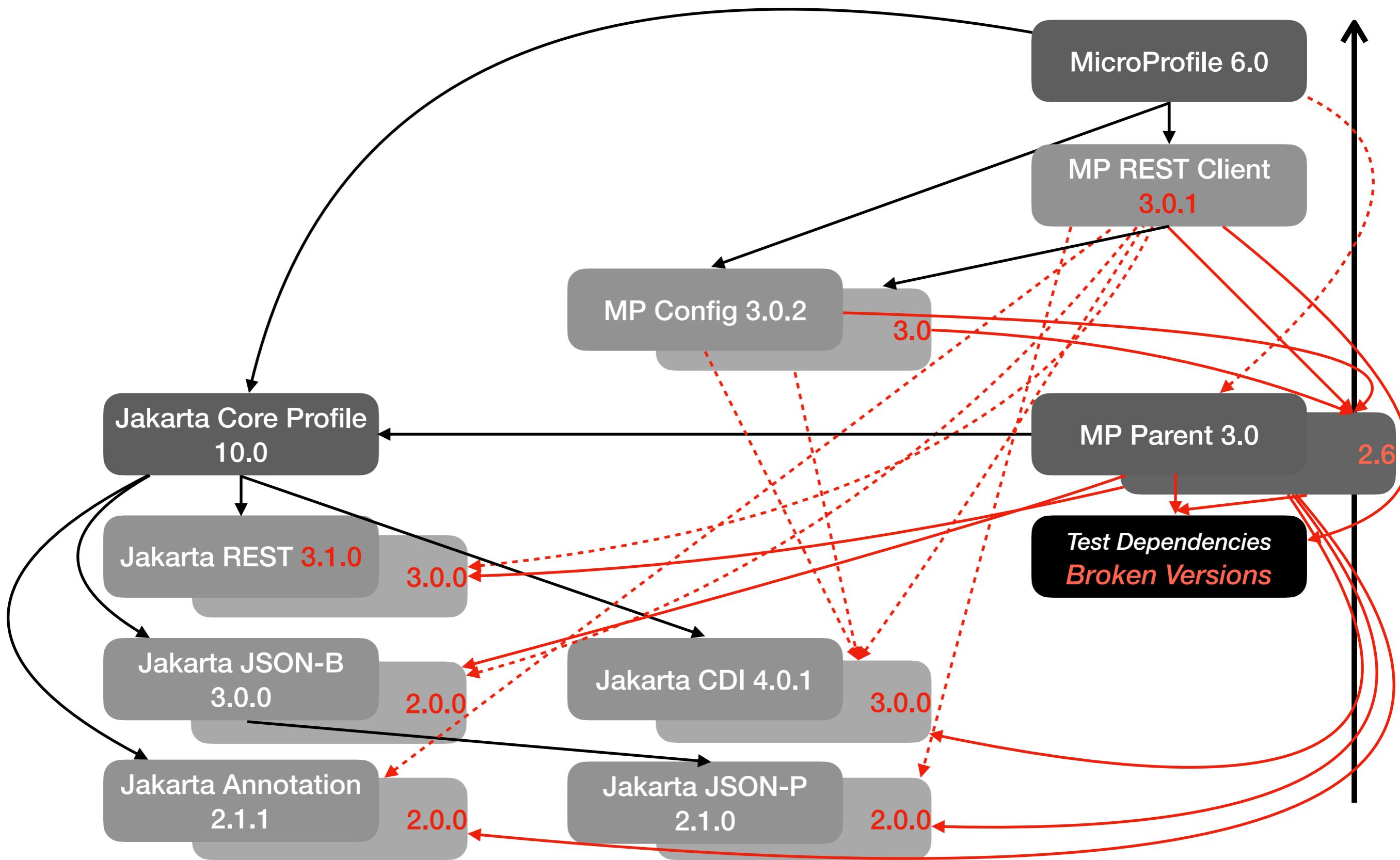
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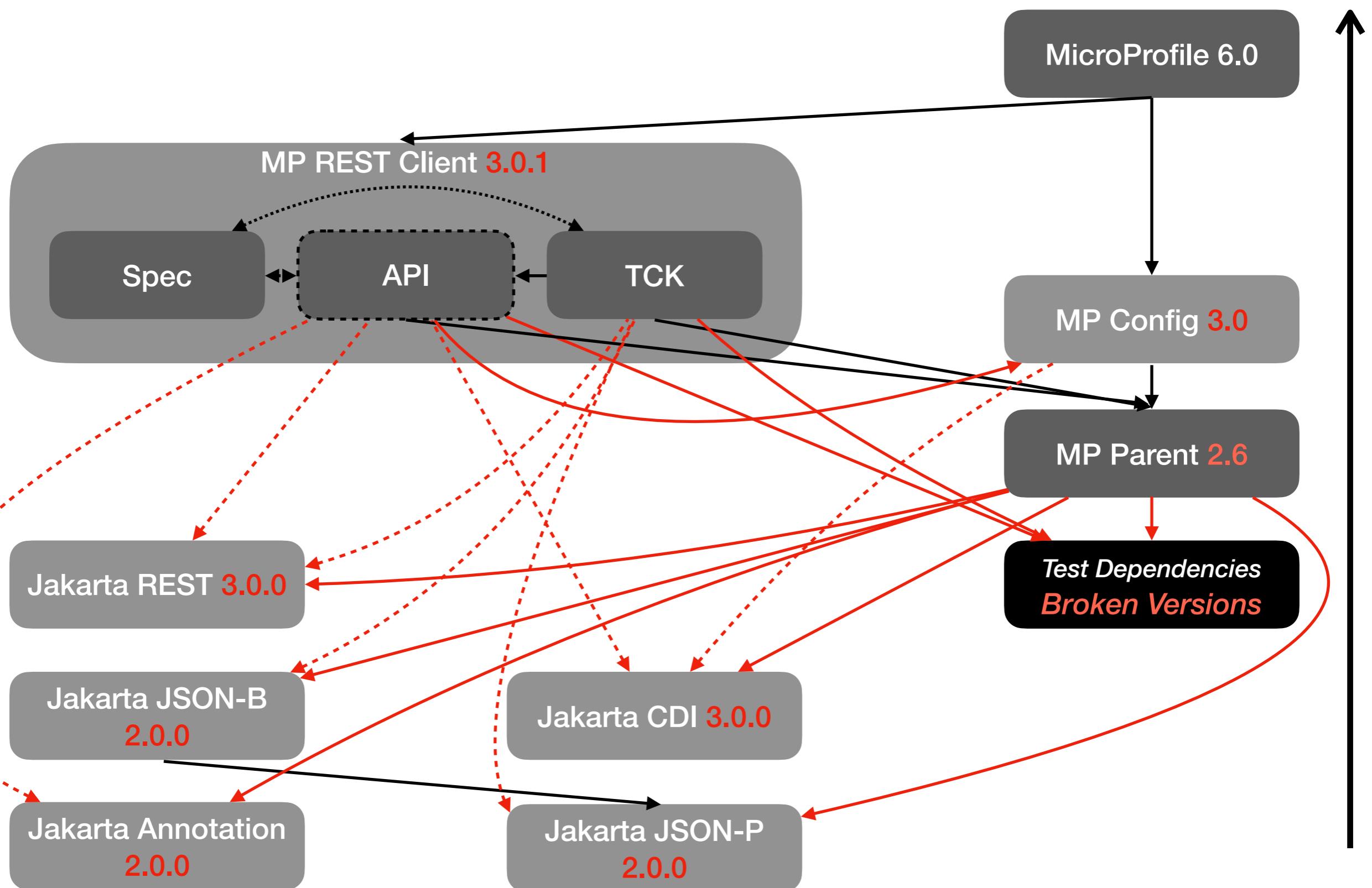
MP REST Client & Jakarta REST

- Issue
 - Dependencies to Jakarta EE 9.1 component specs (including Jakarta REST 3.0.0) - implementations got tested against different version (sometimes with deviating Major Releases like in CDI and JSON-B) than umbrella spec
 - Dependency to MP Config 3.0 instead of 3.0.2
 - TCK dependency to MP JSON-P
 - TCK dependency to outdated implementation (Geronimo Atinject 1.0 Spec & Geronimo Annotation 1.2 Spec, the last optional and for JavaDoc only) - this results in an indirect circular dependency!
 - Security issues (see separate topic)
- Solution
 - Update to Jakarta EE 10 Core Profile dependencies
 - Verify potential removal of TCK dependencies
 - Fix security issues
 - Update dependencies

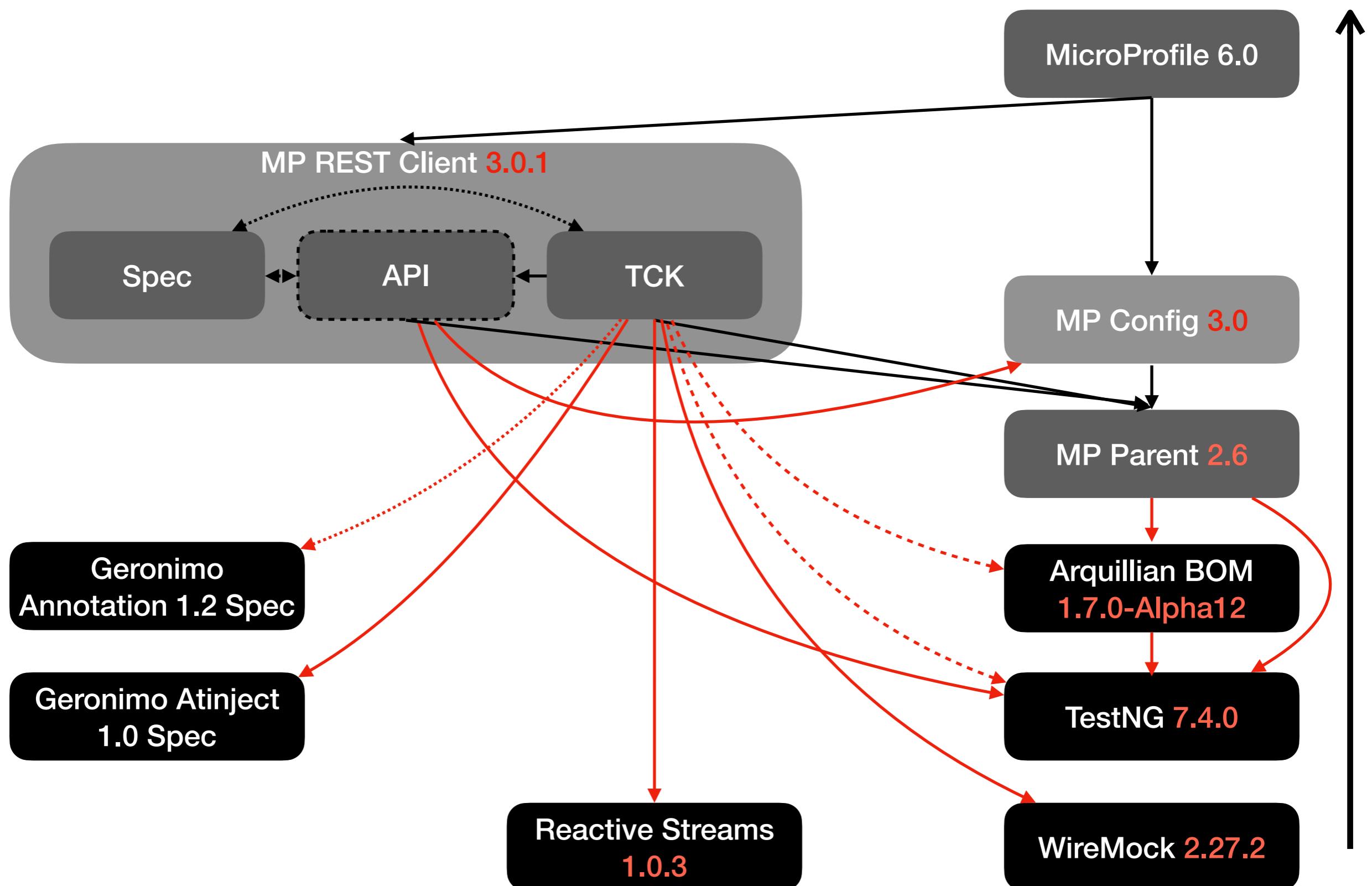
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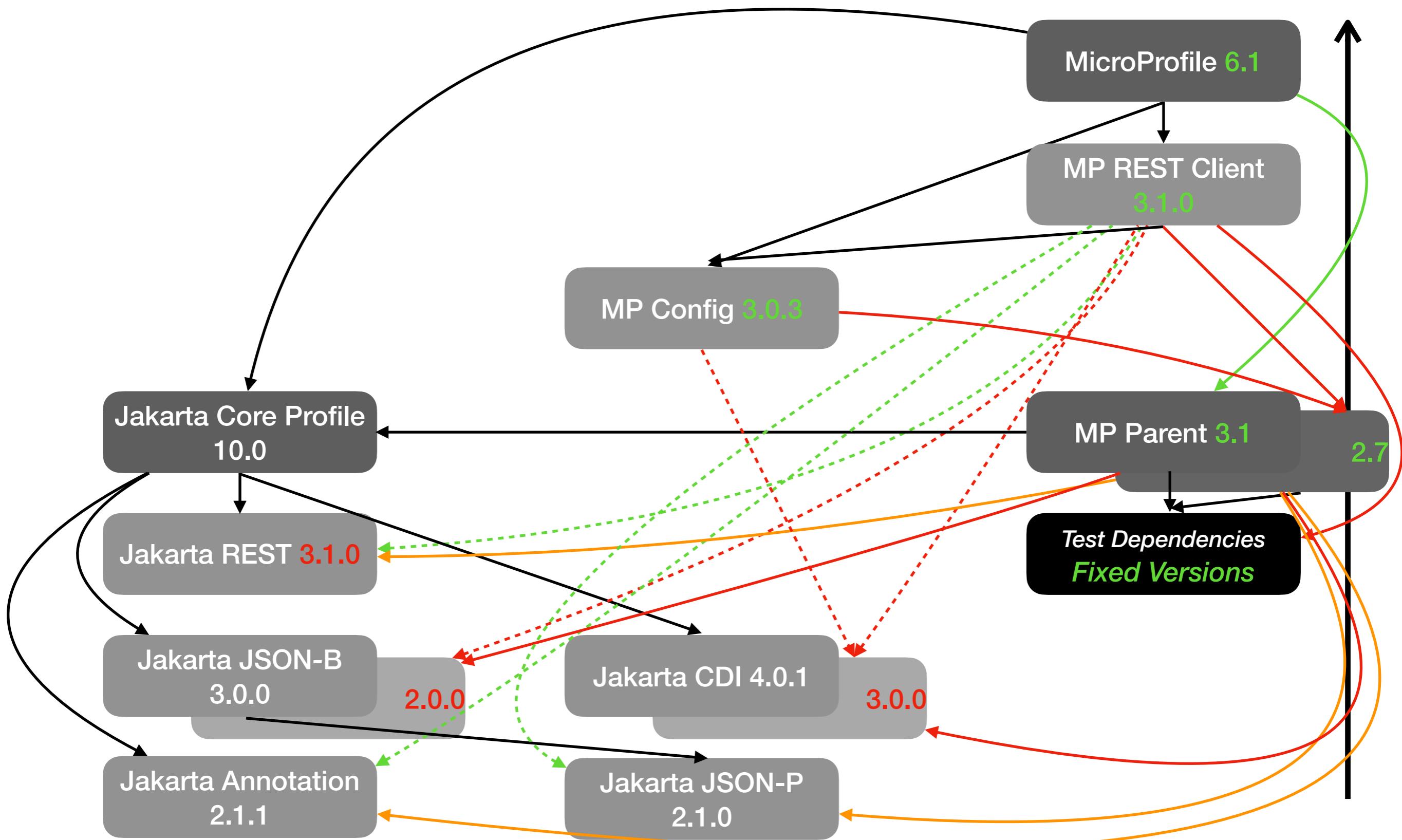
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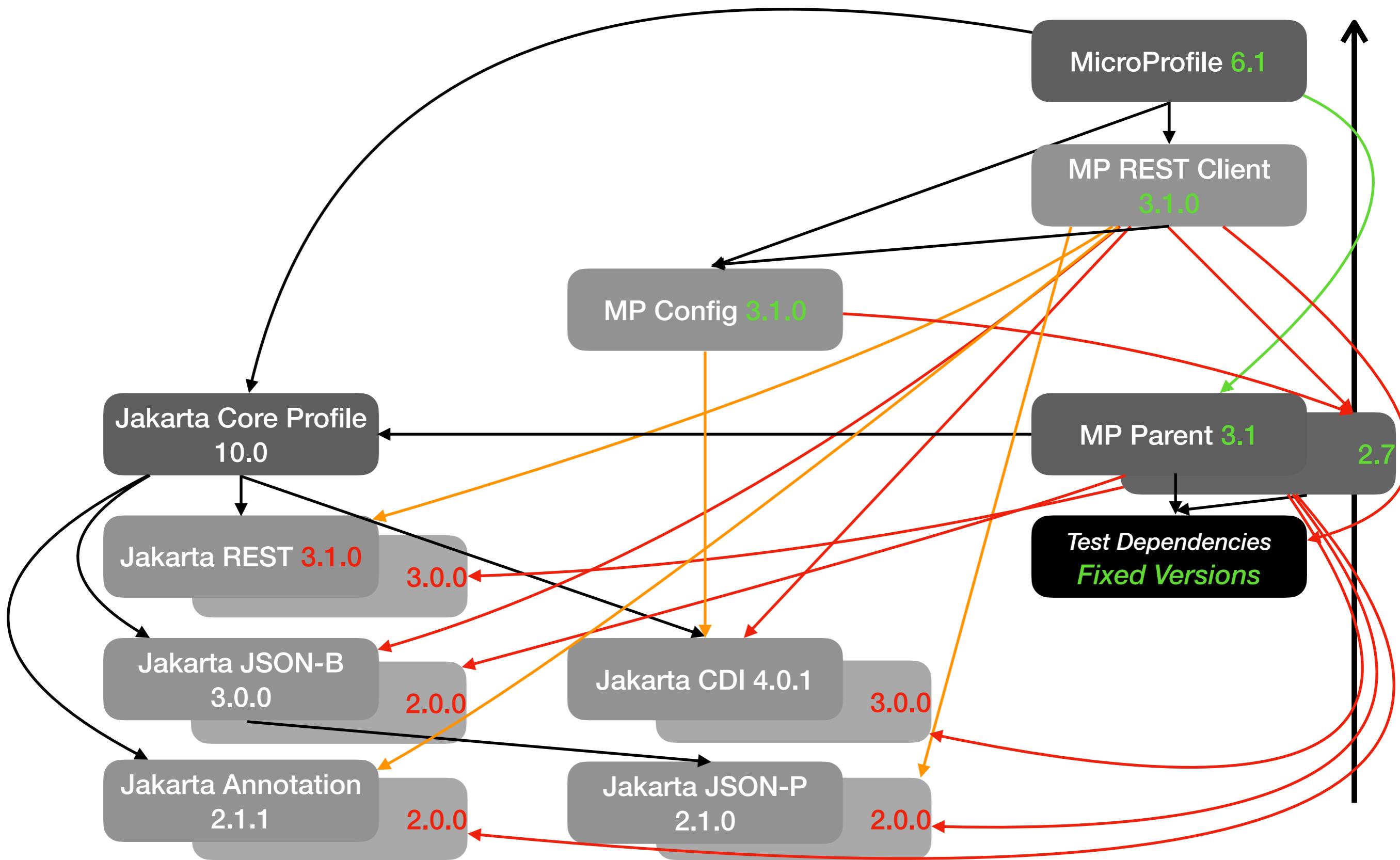
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