PRESENTATION-ABSTRACTION-CONTROL

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PROBLEM

Agent close to database

Agent for communication between other software systems

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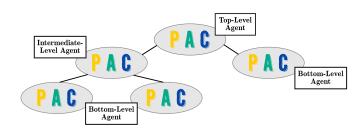
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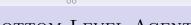
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 - maintains information
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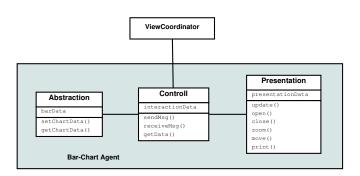
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Intermediate-Level Agent

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- abstract component manages the data
- presentation component implements user interface
- control component communicates with top-level and bottom-level agents





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- abstract component manages the data → responsible for all currently active views
- ullet presentation component implements user interface o creates a tool to view the election data for example in bar or pie charts
- \bullet control component communicates with top-level and bottom-level agents \to control all subordinate agents

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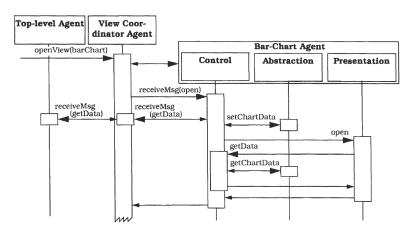
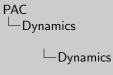
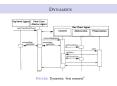


FIGURE: Dynamics: first scenario¹





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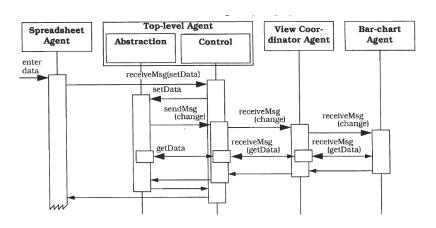
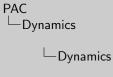


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Context

- interactive software
- multi-user applications
- · dynamic systems

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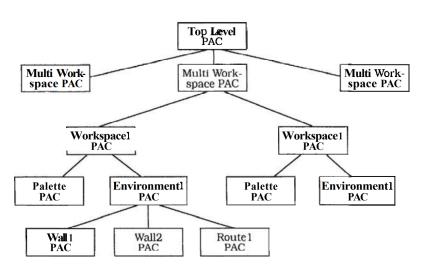
- displays traffic in network
- frequently collects data from units for evaluation
- allows change of network topology

PAC Known Uses

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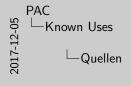
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