

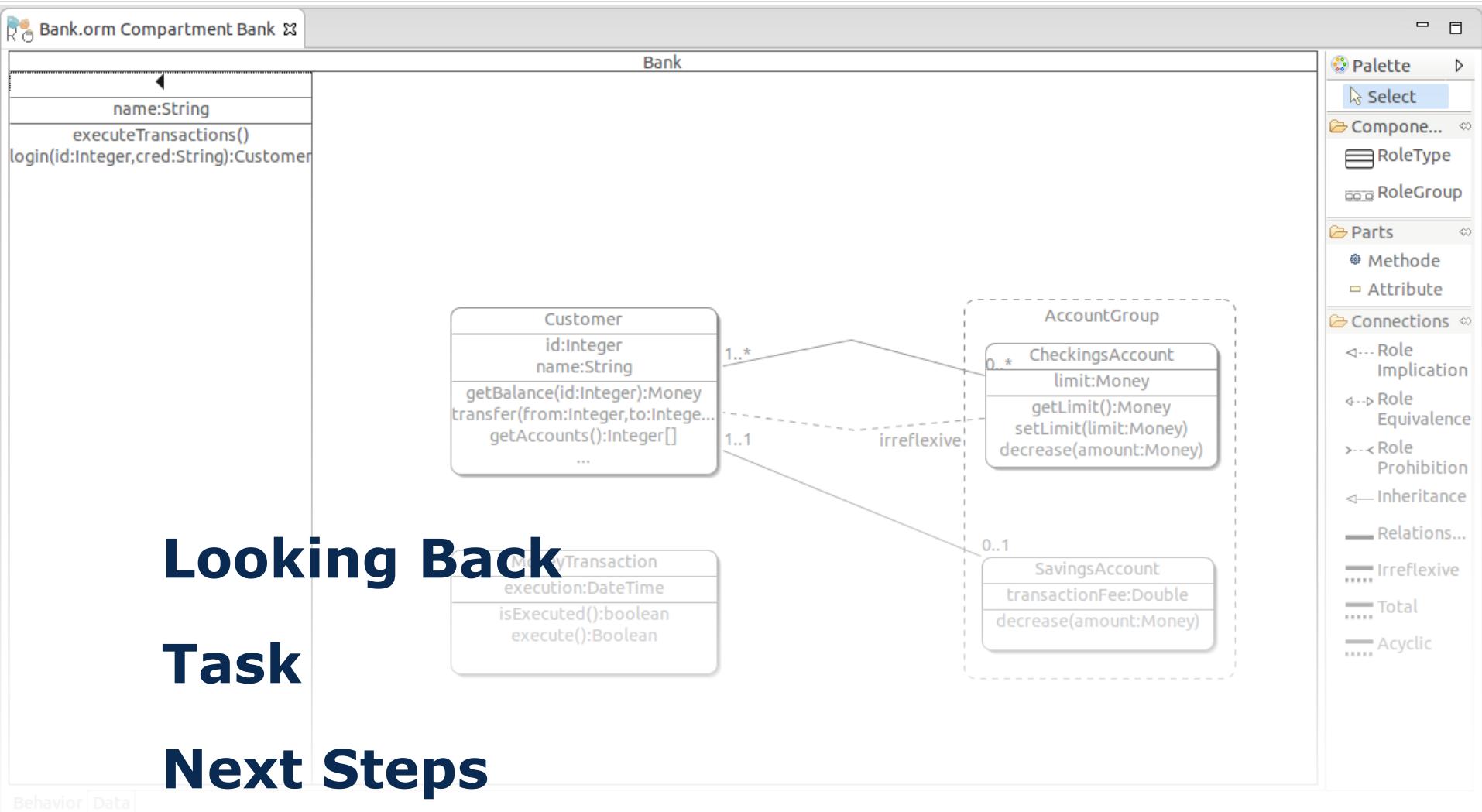
Evolving FRaMED Kickoff

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First Role Modelling Editor (FRaMED)

- Development of an Eclipse-based diagram editor
 - Graphical specification of role models
aka. Compartments Role Object Models (CROM)
 - Generate coherent Models
 - Enable the usage of common concepts and notations

Prerequisites

- Knowledge about Eclipse plugin development, meta modelling with Ecore, and GEF diagram framework
- Basic understanding of the concept of roles and compartments
- Insight into the established Ecore Metamodel



Looking Back

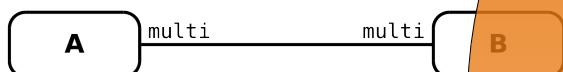
Syntax of Object Role Model [1]

Entities

Classes	Role Types	Context Types
Class fields methods()	RoleType fields methods()	ContextType fields methods() rolemodel

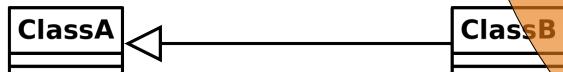
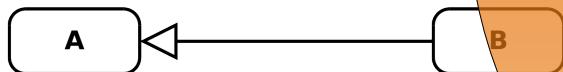
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Relationship

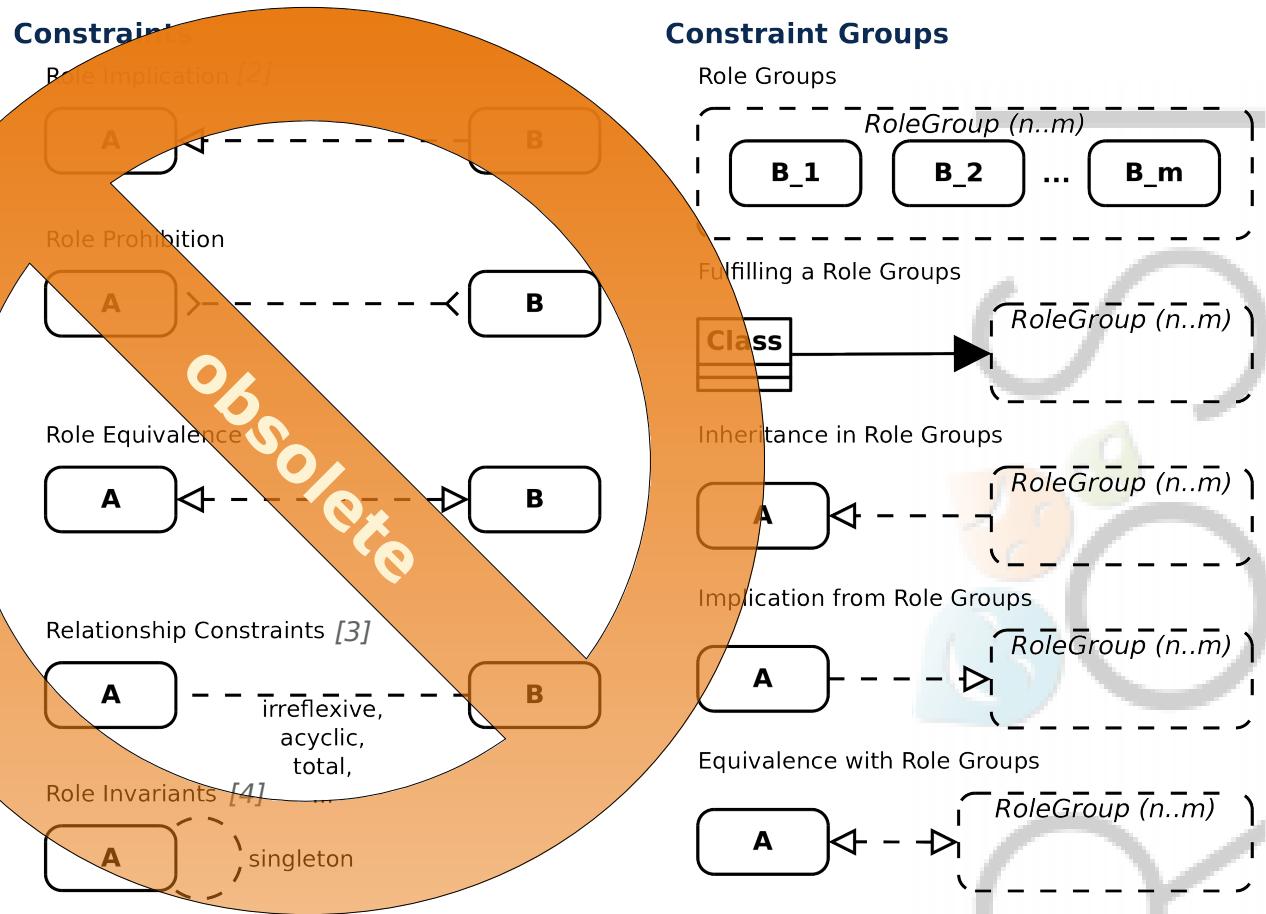
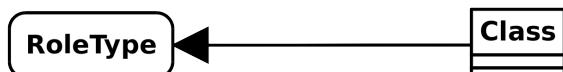


Formal relations

Inheritance



Fulfilment (fills-Relation)

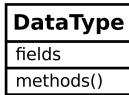


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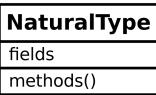
Update Graphical Syntax

Entities

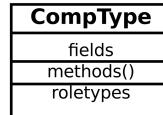
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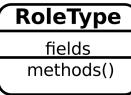
Natural Types



Compartment Types

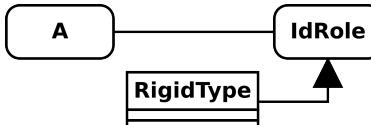


Role Types



Dynamic Relations

Classes with Relationships

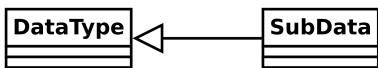


Short Hand (with Identity Role)

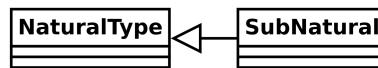


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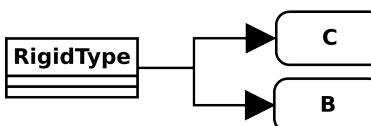
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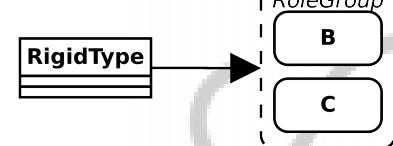
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Fullfillment (fills-Relation)

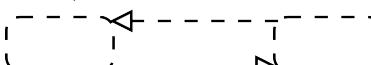


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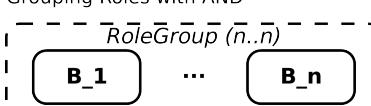
Constraints

Role Equivalence



Constraint Groups

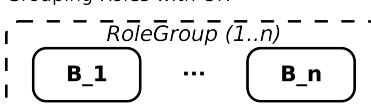
Grouping Roles with AND



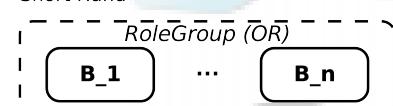
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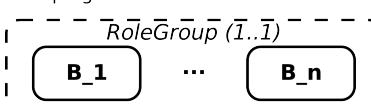
Grouping Roles with OR



Short Hand



Grouping Roles with XOR

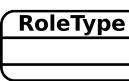


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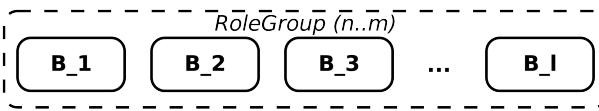


Constraint Atomes

Role Types



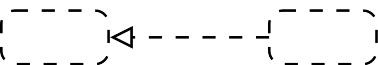
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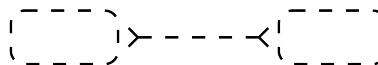
Note: Role Groups may contain other Role Groups with Role Types. However, all the relationships between them have to be retained!

Constraints

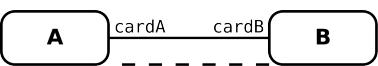
Role Implication [3]



Role Prohibition [3]

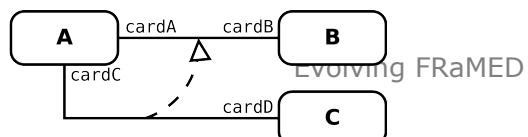


Relationship Constraints [4]



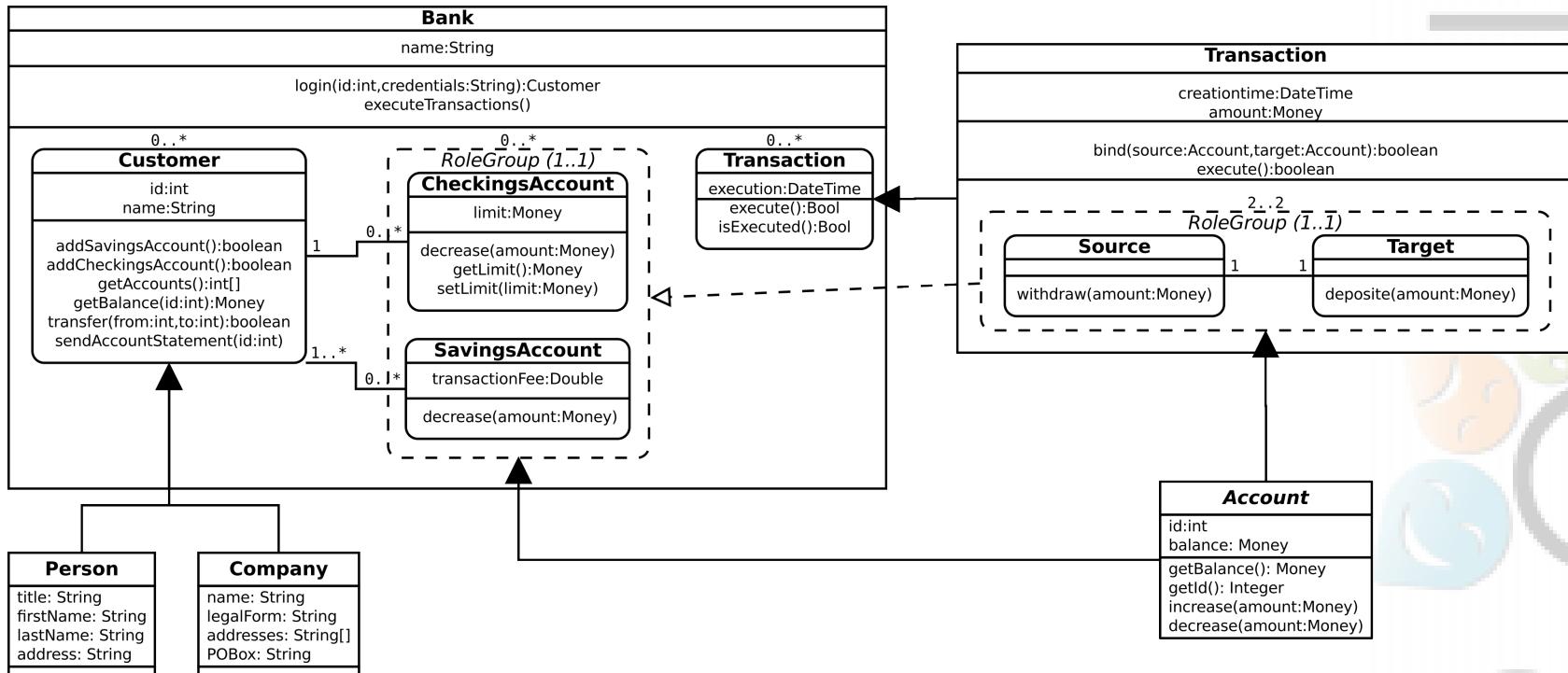
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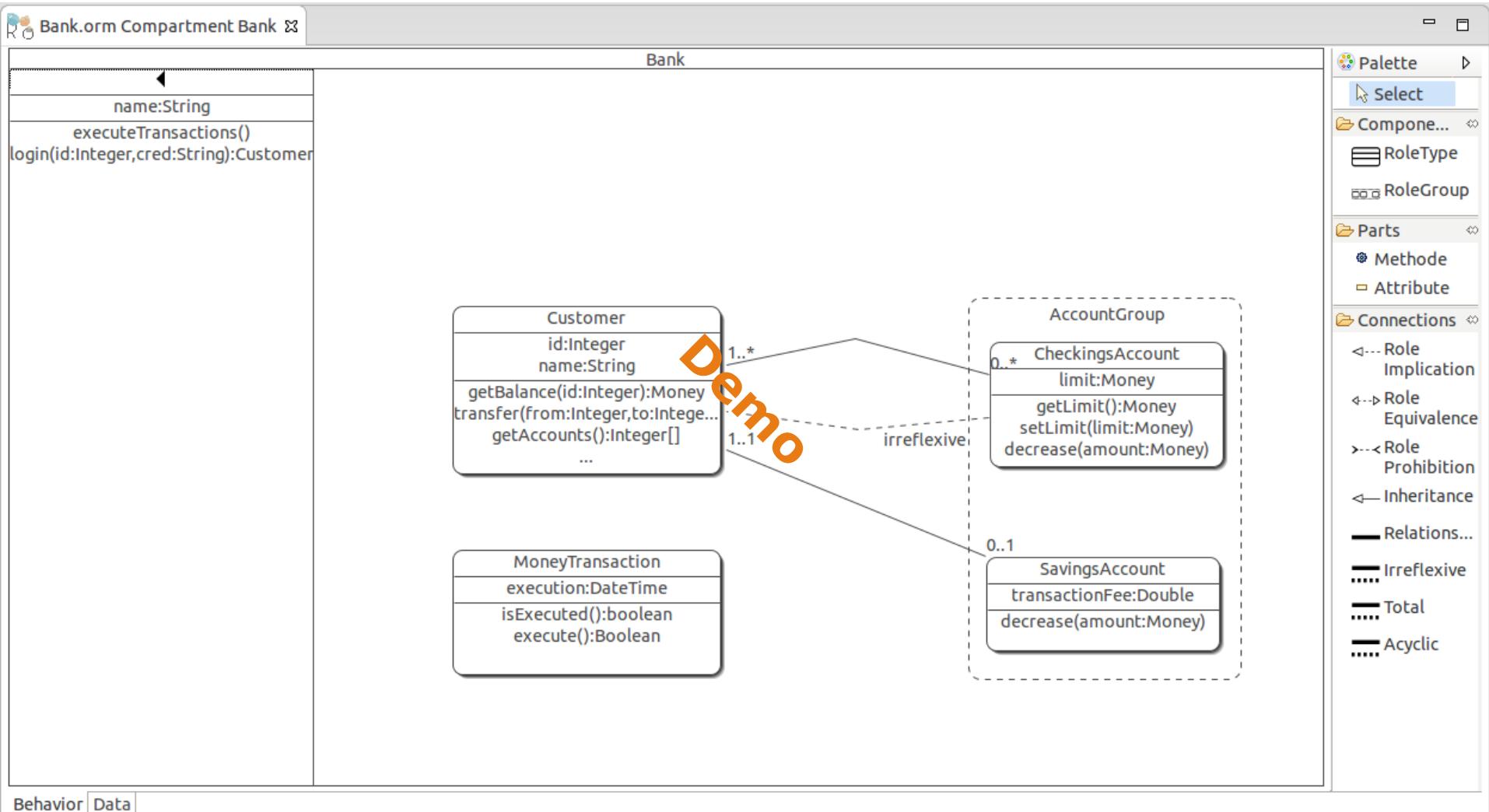
Relationship Implication [5]



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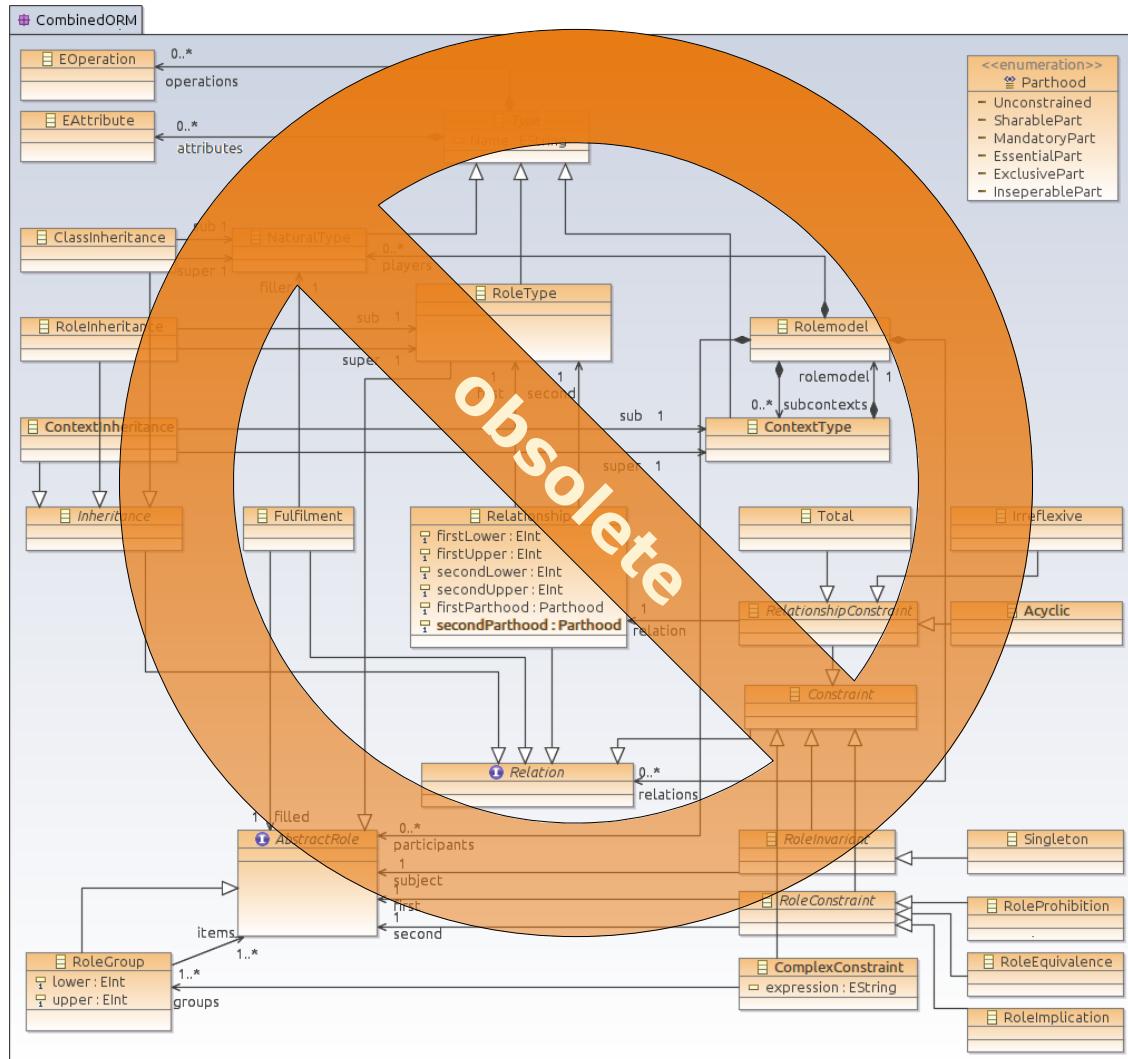
Looking Back Usage Scenario



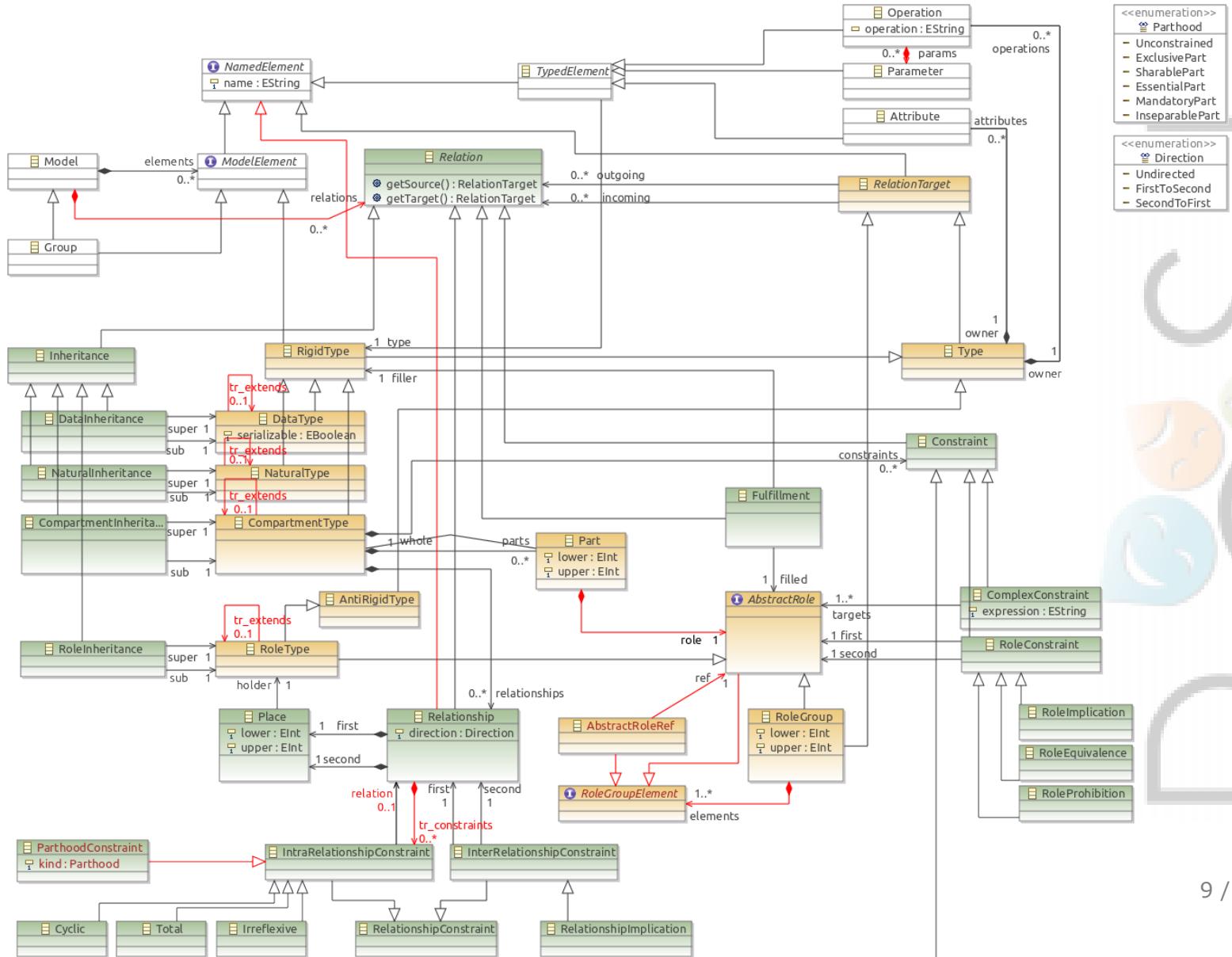


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CROM (Meta)model (Version 1.0)

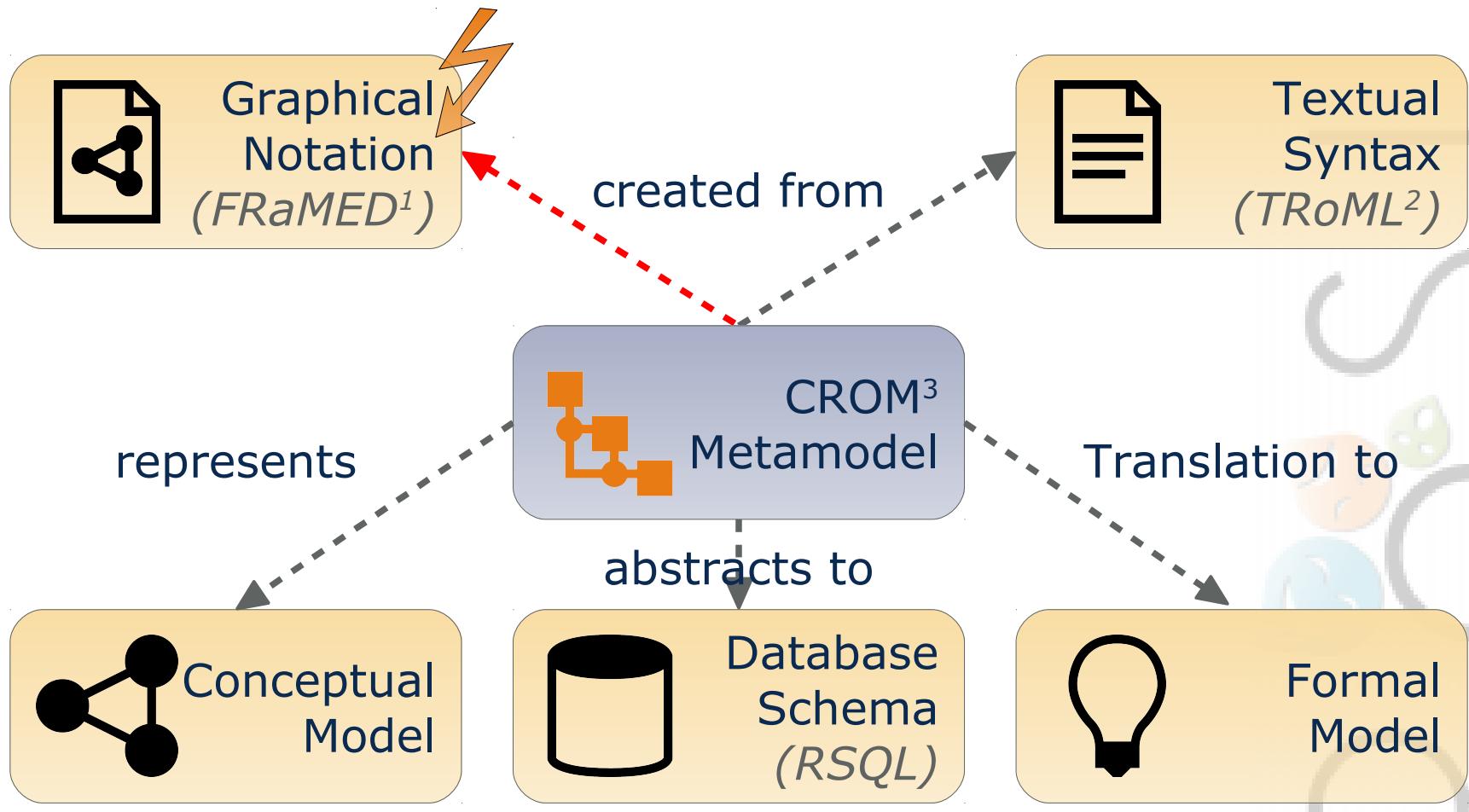


Looking Back New CROM (Meta)model (Version 2.0)



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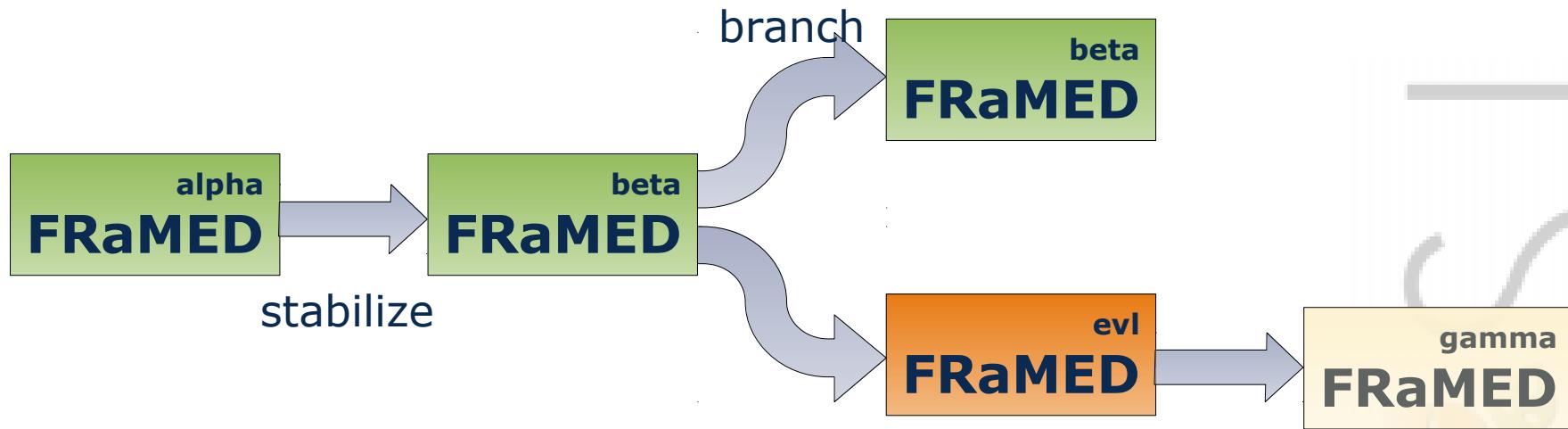
Role of the CROM (Meta)model



1) <https://github.com/Eden-06/FRaMED>

2) <https://github.com/leondart/TRoML>

3) <https://github.com/Eden-06/CROM>



Resolve the Software Evolution Problem

- Keep stable $\text{FRaMED}^{\text{beta}}$ version intact (branch out)
- Develop $\text{FRaMED}^{\text{evl}}$ on the current branch
- Refactor and Include the new metamodel

Evolving First Role Modelling Editor (FRaMED)

- Evolution of FRaMED towards a new release
 - Incorporate the new *CROM Metamodel*²
 - Respect the consistency of *CROM Models*
- Establish a new version of FRaMED¹
 - Including UnitTests, Documentation, Examples

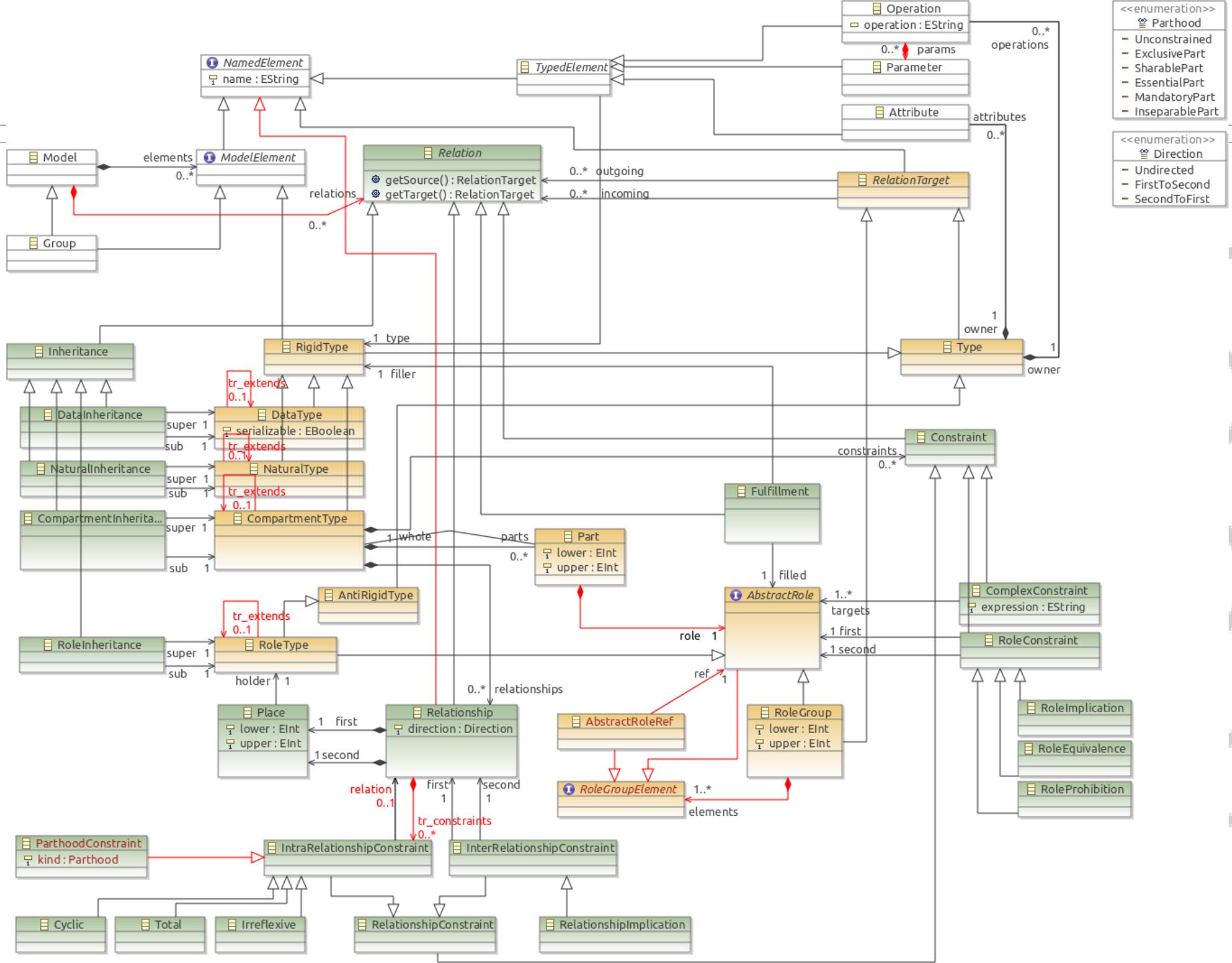
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- Understanding of the *CROM Metamodel*¹



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1. Neue Meta-Modell-Version einpflegen

- a) Abhängigkeiten zwischen FRaMED und CROM identifizieren
 - i) Um welche Infos muss CROM erweitert werden?
 - ii) Welcher Teil der grafischen Oberfläche sollte modellunabhängig sein?
- b) Abhängigkeiten reduzieren

2. Bugfixing (*Siehe Github Issue Tracker*)

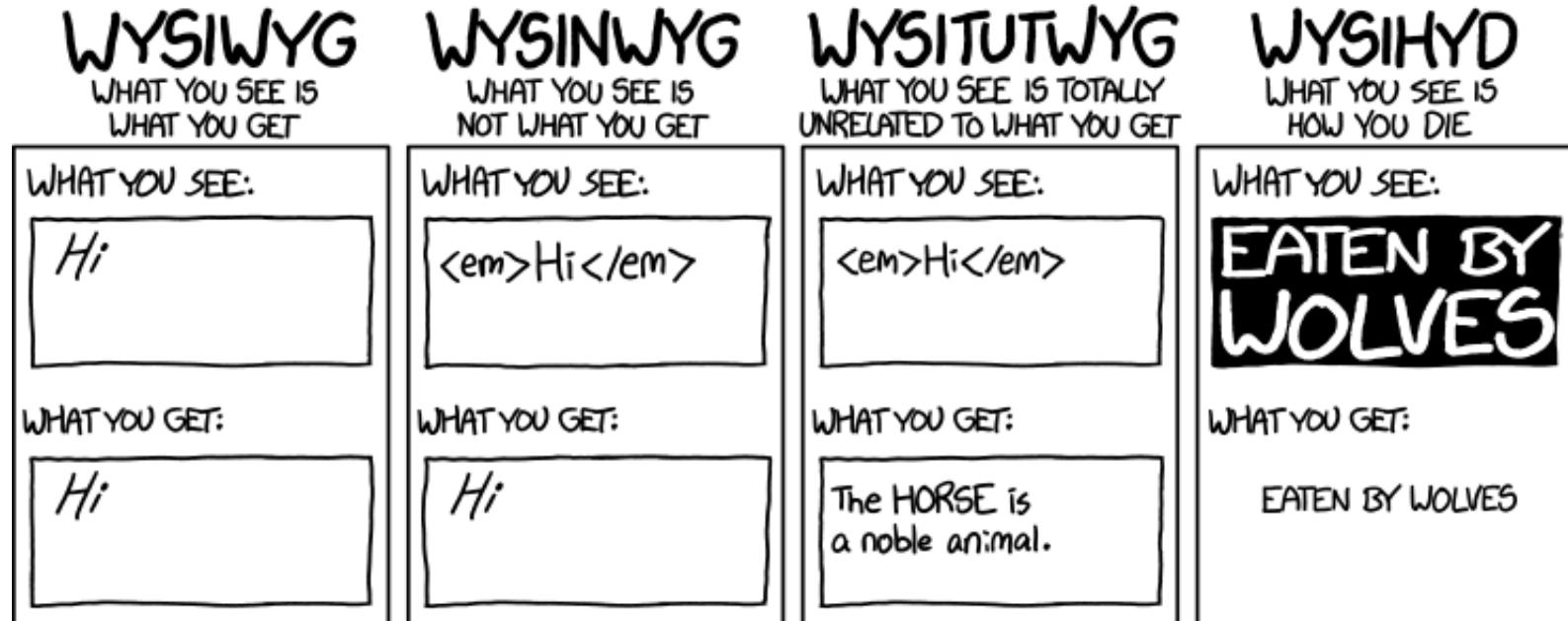
3. Refactorings

- a) MVC - Pattern konsequent umsetzen
- b) Weitergabe von Modellelementen statt Strings

4. Dokumentation

- a) Architekturdokumentation
- b) Dokumentation der Abhängigkeiten

5. Tests (*UnitTests*)



- Get a GitHub Account
- Download CROM¹ from GitHub
- Download FRaMED² from github.com
- Get used to work with GEF / Ecore Development Tools
- Investigate the structure and behavior of FRaMED
- Define necessary extensions to the metamodel



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