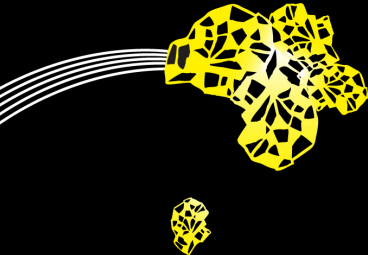


Model Transformations applied to Process Calculi



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mCRL2
AWN

mini Common Representation Language 2
Algebra for Wireless Networks

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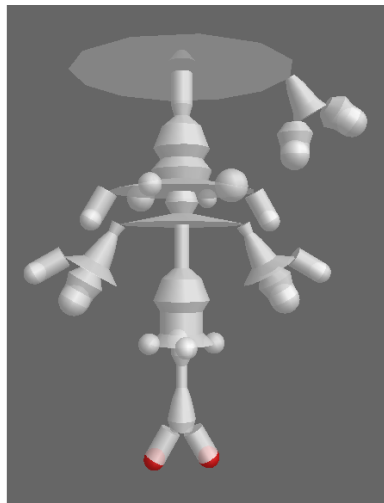
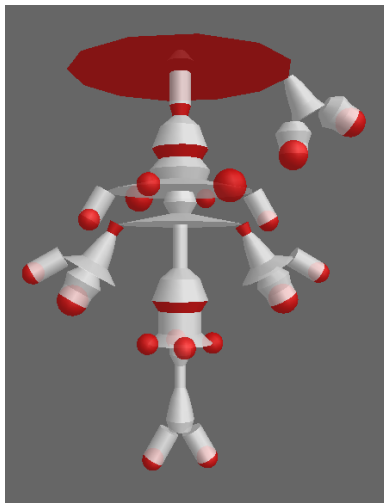


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TV = Channel(1) || Volume(15);
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RadioNetwork = [ 1 : RadioTower(1) : { 2, 4 } ||  
                2 : Radio(null) : {} ||  
                3 : Radio(null) : {} ||  
                4 : Radio(null) : {} ];
```

Main goal

Make an automated translation from AWN to mCRL2.

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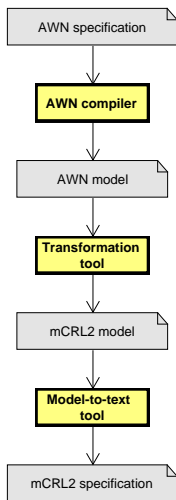
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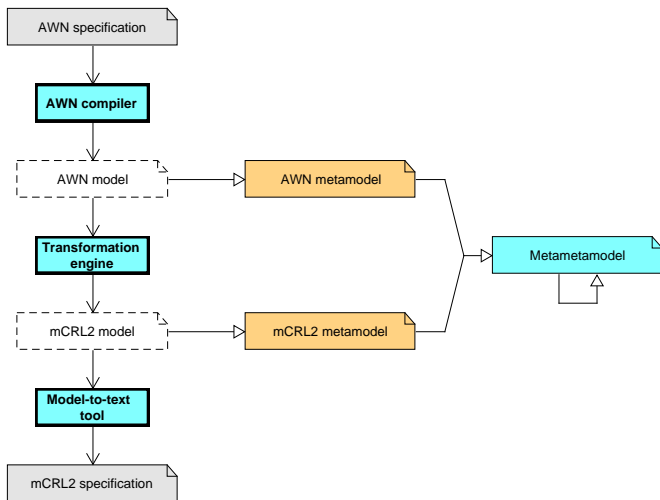
Model

= Bunch of related objects organized according to a metamodel

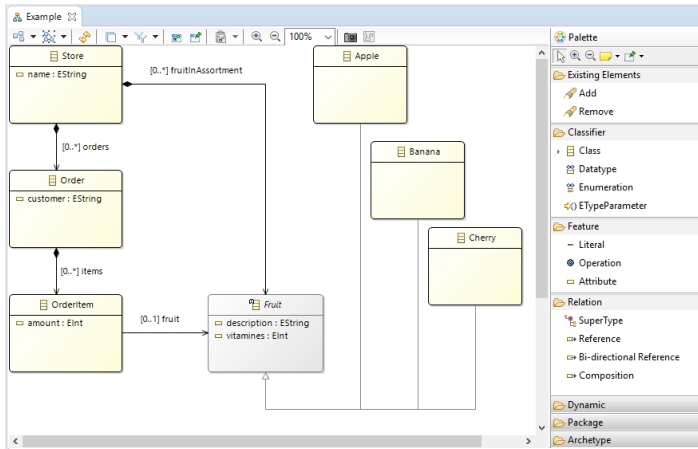
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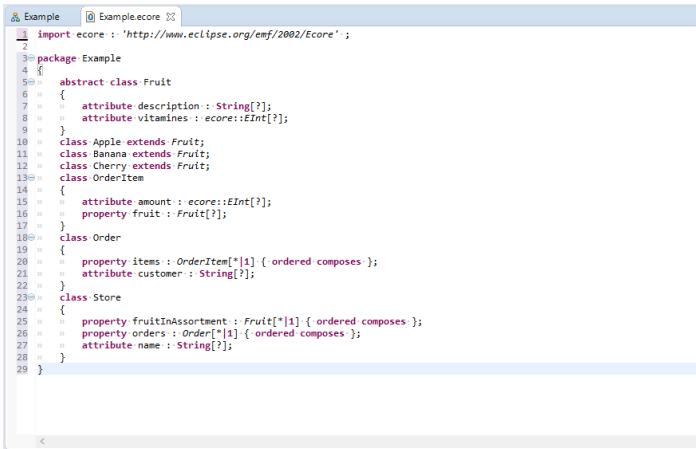
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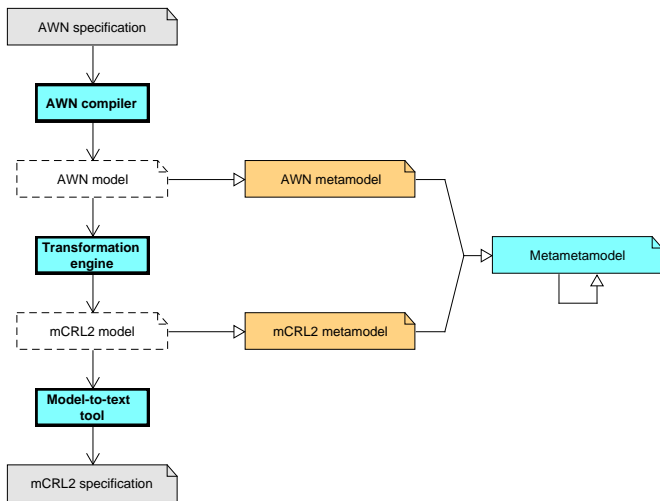


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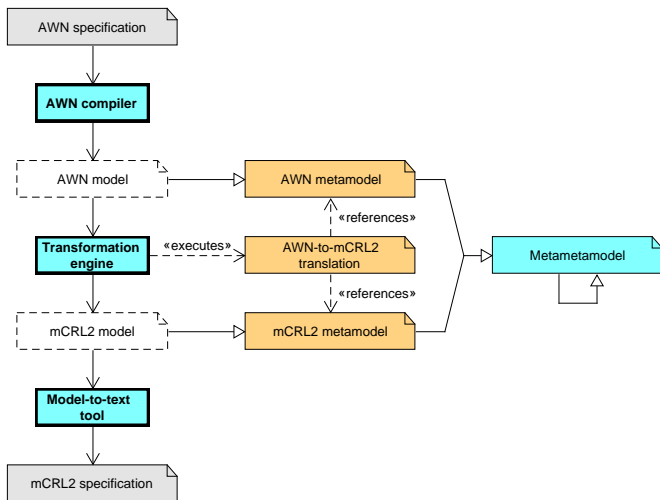


```
1 import ecore : 'http://www.eclipse.org/emf/2002/Ecore';
2
3 package Example
4 {
5     abstract class Fruit
6     {
7         attribute description : String?;
8         attribute vitamines : ecore::EInt?;
9     }
10    class Apple extends Fruit;
11    class Banana extends Fruit;
12    class Cherry extends Fruit;
13    class OrderItem
14    {
15        attribute amount : ecore::EInt?;
16        property fruit : Fruit?;
17    }
18    class Order
19    {
20        property items : OrderItem[*] - { ordered composes };
21        attribute customer : String?;
22    }
23    class Store
24    {
25        property fruitInAssortment : Fruit[*] - { ordered composes };
26        property orders : Order[*] - { ordered composes };
27        attribute name : String?;
28    }
29 }
```

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AWN to mCRL2 transformation

$$T(p + q) = T(p) + T(q)$$

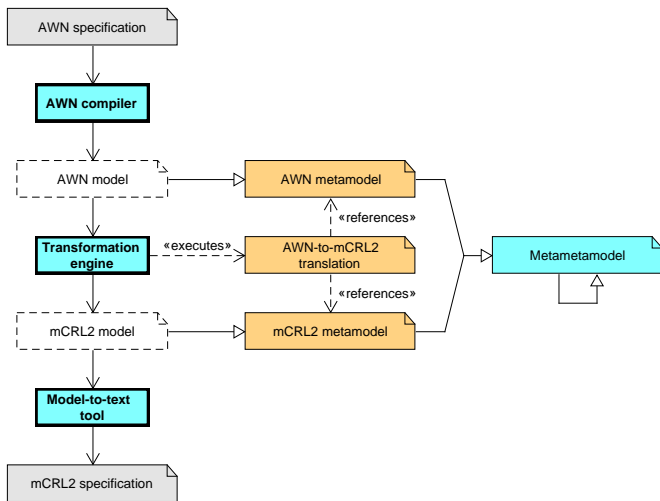
```
mapping AWN::Choice::transform() : MCRL2::Choice {  
  lhs := self.lhs.map transform();  
  rhs := self.rhs.map transform();  
}
```

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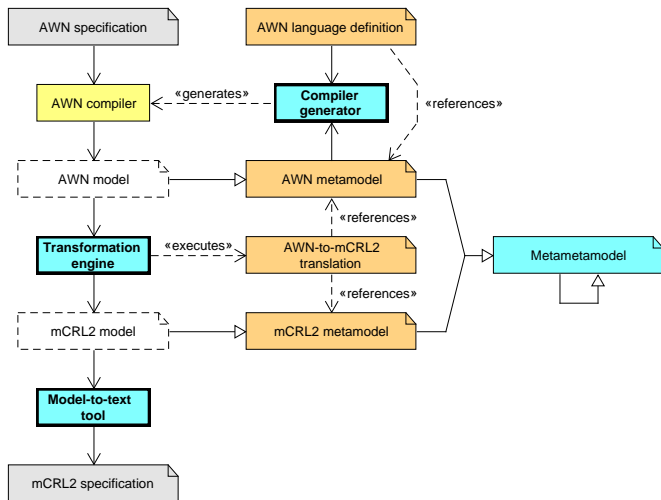
$$T(\text{broadcast}(msg).p) = \sum_{R \in \mathcal{P}(IP)} \text{broadcast}(R, R, msg).T(p)$$

```
mapping AWN::Broadcast::transform() : MCRL2::SumOperator {
  sumVariable := object MCRL2::Variable {
    name := "R";
    type := "Set(IP)";
  };
  p := object MCRL2::ActionExpr {
    action := object MCRL2::Action {
      name := "broadcast";
      params := Sequence {
        sumVariable.createReference(),
        sumVariable.createReference(),
        self.msg.map transform()
      };
    };
  };
  p := self.p.map transform();
};
}
```

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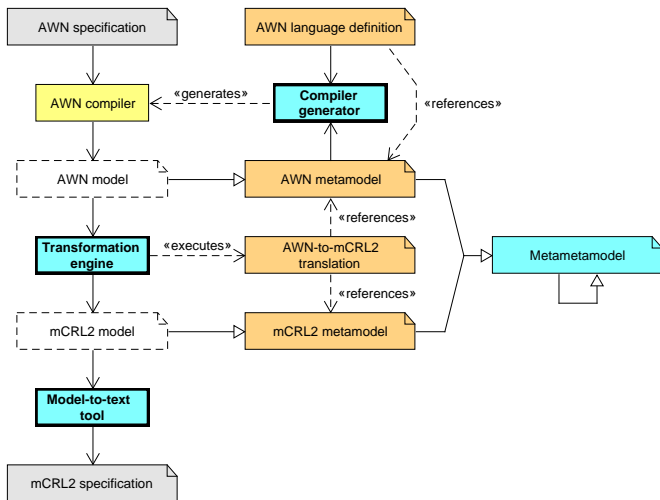
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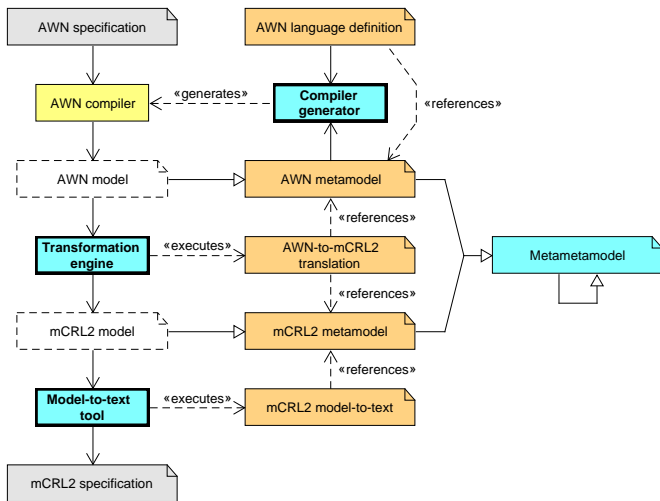
AWN language definition

```
1 // automatically generated by Xtext
2 grammar csiro.data61.jawn.Jawn hidden (WS, ML_COMMENT, SL_COMMENT)
3
4 import "csiro/data61/jawn/rawASTModelDef"
5 import "http://www.eclipse.org/emf/2002/Ecore" as.ecore
6
7 @InputModelRoot returns Protocol:
8   {Protocol}
9   (wired?='wired'|'wireless')? 'protocol' name=ID ';'
10  ('message' ('globalDefs+=MessageVariable' ',' globalDefs+=MessageVariable)*')? ';'
11  (
12    globalDefs+=Constant
13    | globalDefs+=NamedExprType
14    | globalDefs+=Function
15    | globalDefs+=Equation
16    | globalDefs+=RegularProcess
17    | globalDefs+=SimulationProcess
18    | globalDefs+=ParallelProcess
19    | networks+=Network
20    | simulations+=SimulateInit
21  ) *
22 ;
23
24 @SimulateInit returns SimulationProcess:
25   'simulate' {SimulationProcess} rootAction=Action ';'
26 ;
27
28 @Constant returns Constant:
29   {Constant}
30   'const' name=ID ':' type=ExprType '!=' expression=Expression ';'
31 ;
32
33 @MessageVariable returns MessageVariable:
34   {MessageVariable}
35   name=ID ':' type=ExprType
36 ;
37
```

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mCRL2 model-to-text

```
[comment encoding = UTF-8 /]
[module generate('http://www.eclipse.org/uml2/3.0.0/UML')]

[template public generate(aClass : Class)]
[file (aClass.className(), false)]
    package [aClass.containingPackages().name->sep('.')]

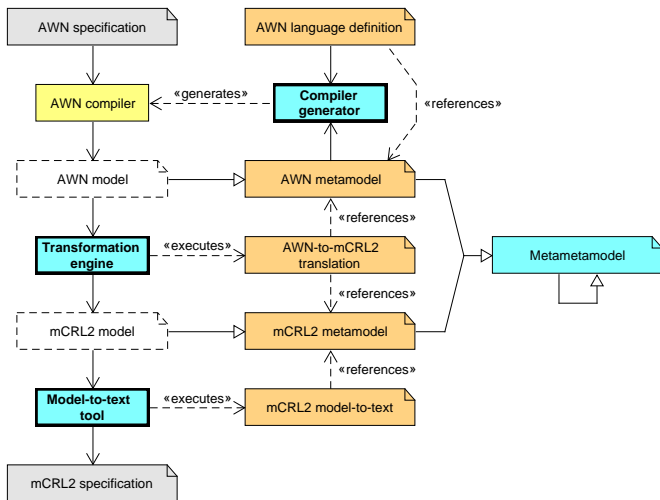
    // [protected ('imports')]
    // [/protected]

    public class [aClassName.toUpperFirst()] {
        [for (p: Property | aClass.attribute) separator('\n')]
        private [p.type.name/] [p.name/];
        [/for]

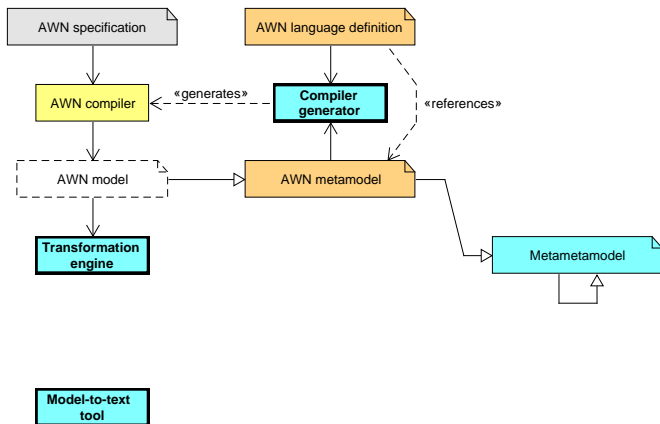
        [for (p: Property | aClass.attribute) separator('\n')]
        public [p.type.name/] get[p.name.toUpperFirst()]() {
            return this.[p.name/];
        }
        [/for]

        [for (o: Operation | aClass.ownedOperation) separator('\n')]
        public [o.type.name/] [o.name/]() {
            // [protected (o.name)]
            // TODO should be implemented
            // [/protected]
        }
        [/for]
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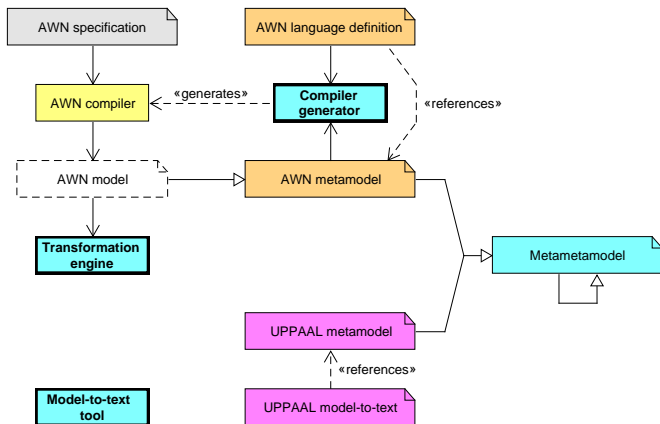
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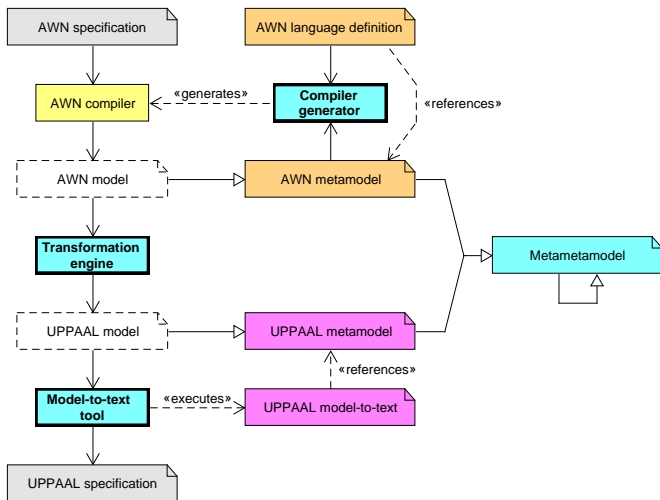
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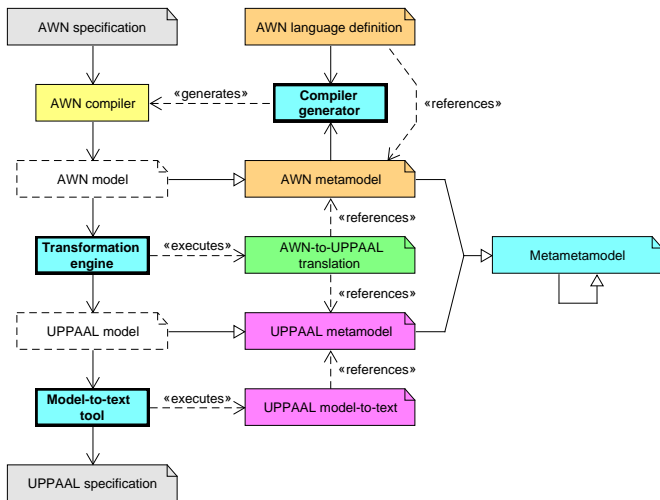
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Advantages/Disadvantages

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Fewer files required
Domain rules apply automatically
Peripheral tools available
Improved interoperability
Improved reusability
Improved maintainability

Disadvantages

Extra design efforts
Knowledge of DSLs required

Future work

Tasks:

- ▶ Finish the translation from AWN to mCRL2.
- ▶ Prove validity of the translation.
- ▶ Automate the translation.
- ▶ Determine the suitability of MDE techniques in practice.

The project will take 6 months.