

# Process equivalences for Multiparty interactions

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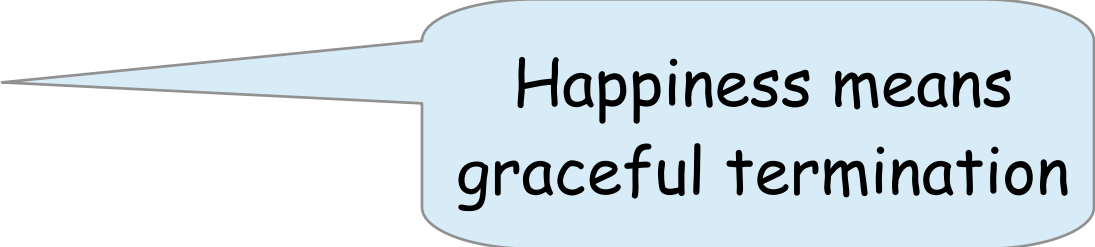
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In what follows we will consider happy clients

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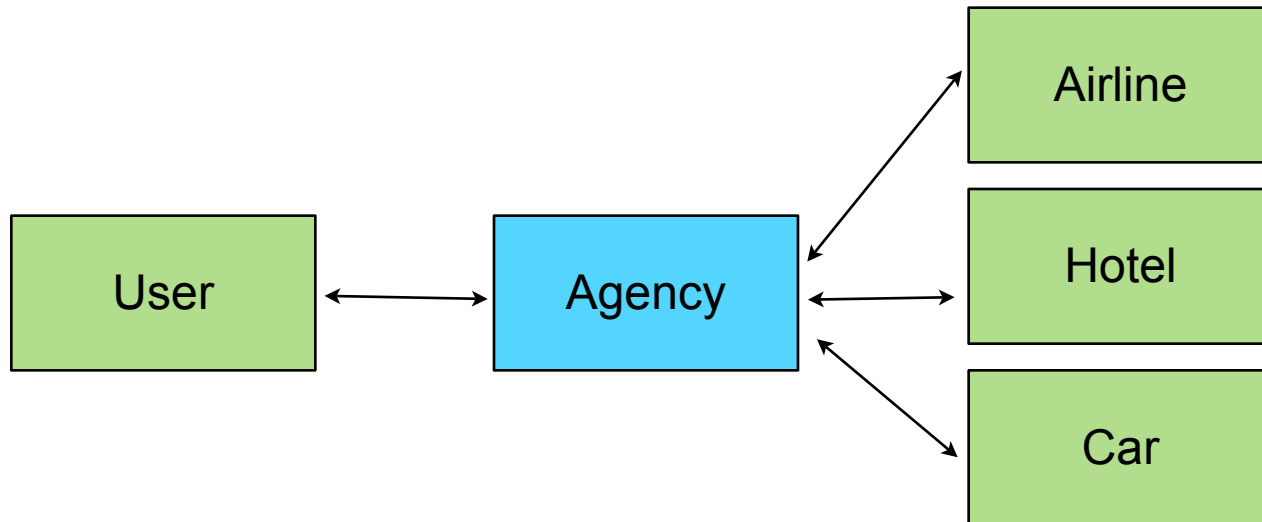
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  - if  $p \prec p'$ . A client happy with  $p$  is equally happy with  $p'$ .
- $\prec$  Ensures safe replacement
- It can be used for service discovery

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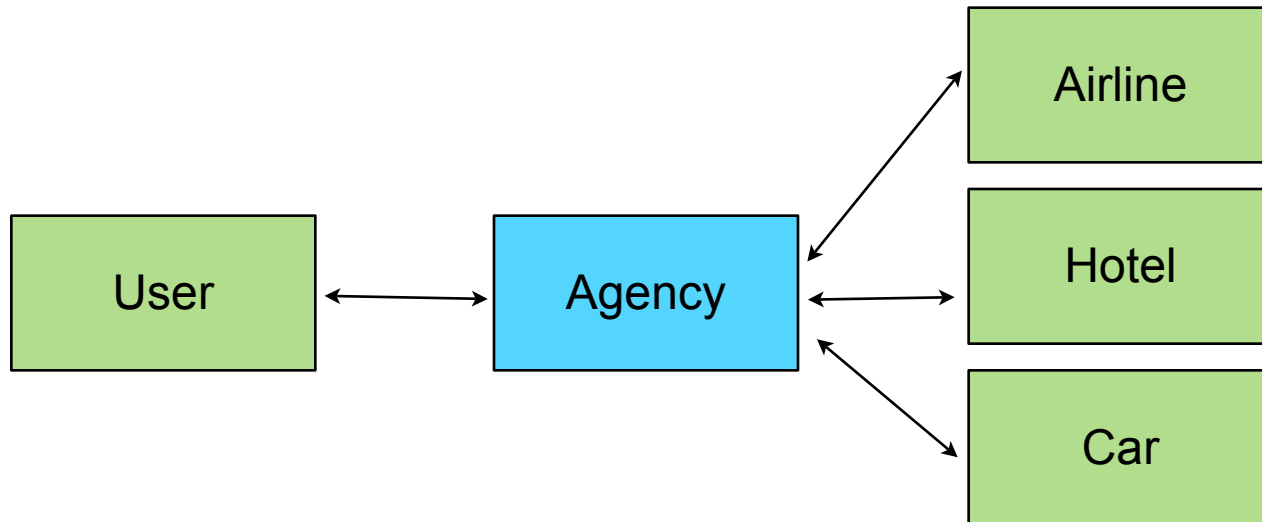
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Two-party compliance induces a subcontract notion that may be too fine-grained in some multiparty context

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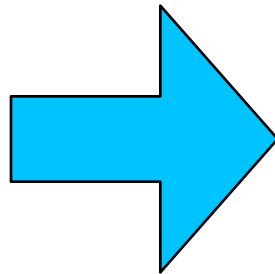
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- Local



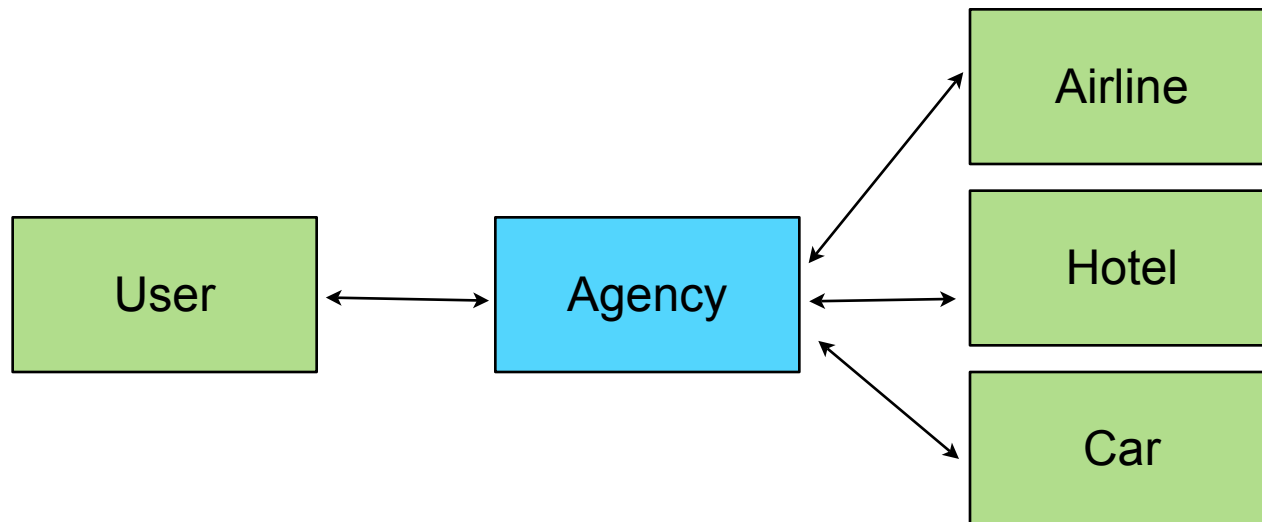
Characterizes the  
degree of coordination  
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$$\mathbf{1} \xrightarrow{\checkmark} \mathbf{0}$$

$$\mu.p \xrightarrow{\mu} p$$

$$\frac{p \xrightarrow{\mu} p'}{p + q \xrightarrow{\mu} p'}$$

$$\frac{q \xrightarrow{\mu} q'}{p + q \xrightarrow{\mu} q'}$$

$$\frac{p \xrightarrow{\mu} p'}{A \xrightarrow{\mu} p'} A \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} p$$

# Testing preorder

- Service composition

$$\frac{c \xrightarrow{\mu} c'}{c \parallel d \xrightarrow{\mu} c \parallel d}$$

$$\frac{c \xrightarrow{\alpha} c' \quad d \xrightarrow{\bar{\alpha}} d'}{c \parallel d \xrightarrow{\tau} c' \parallel d'}$$

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- $p \sqsubseteq_{\text{must}} q$  iff  $p \text{ must } c$  implies  $q \text{ must } c$



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Priori knowledge of  
partners (design-time  
coordination)

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- $a.\bar{c} + b.\bar{d} \not\approx_{\mathbf{dmust}_{\{\{a,b\},\{c,d\}\}}} a.\bar{d} + b.\bar{c}$

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- When having only partial view both look the same

$$a + b$$

$$\bar{c} \oplus \bar{d}$$



# Hiding

$$\frac{p \xrightarrow{\alpha} p' \quad \alpha \in V}{p/V \xrightarrow{\alpha} p'/V}$$

$$\frac{p \xrightarrow{\alpha} p' \quad \alpha \notin V}{p/V \xrightarrow{\tau} p'/V}$$

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  - if  $q \xRightarrow{s}$  then  $p \xRightarrow{s}$

# Mazurkiewicz traces

- Least congruence  $\equiv_D$  s.t.

$$(a, b) \in I_D \implies ab \equiv_D ba$$

- $[t]_D$  denotes the equivalence class of  $t$

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# Noisy traces

- $s \in I_i$  ,  $t \in \text{Act}^*$ . Then  $s \overset{\bullet}{\equiv}_{I_i} t$  when  $ss' \equiv_{\{I_i, \text{Act} \setminus I_i\}} t$  for some  $s' \in (\text{Act} \setminus I_i)^*$
- $[[s]]_{I_i}$  the set of all noisy traces of  $s$



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# Things we would like to explore

- Equational characterizations (Algorithm deduction)
- Coinductive characterizations
- Interplay with client and p2p preorders
- Expressing different kinds of coordination power of the context
  - Can we use choreography descriptions to collect such information?
- Relationship with sub-typing in MST