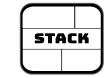
Decentralized reconfiguration plan synthesis

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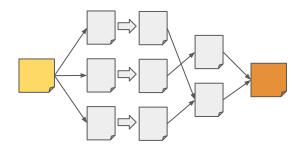


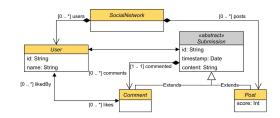
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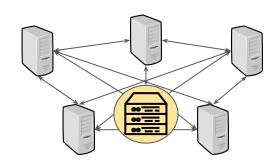


Master's degree

- Parallel programming and skeletons
- Correctness of programs
- Distributed computing (MPI)







Ph.D

- Model-Driven Engineering
- Distributed computing
- Feature analysis



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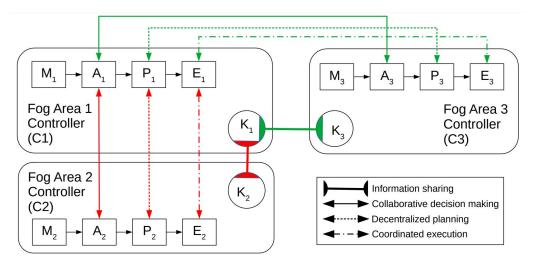
Postdoc

- Fog computing
- (Re)configuration of systems
- Constraint programming

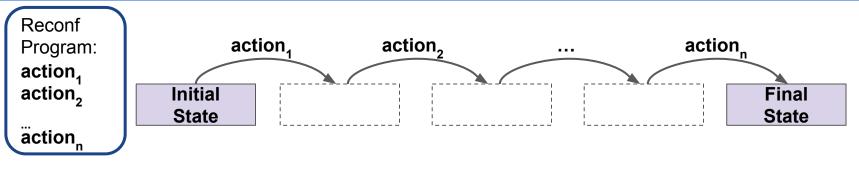
MAPE-K and SeMaFoR

Coordinated Control Pattern model

- Monitor its state and the state of the environment
- Analyze to decide which state to reach \rightarrow WP2
- Plan the reconfiguration \rightarrow WP3
- Execute the reconfiguration to reach the new state
- Knowledge that is common, to take a decision



Reconfiguration planning



Objectives:

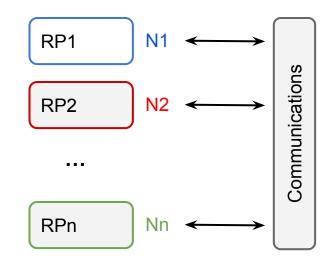
- Infer reconfiguration actions
- Optimal overall reconfiguration

Challenges:

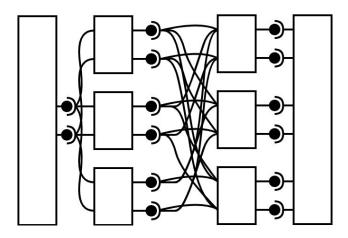
- Locally: partial view of the system
- Collaboration with neighborhood

Inspiration:

■ SMT-based work by Robillard et. al.



Concerto-D (Antoine Omond's PhD)



Components are connected using ports:

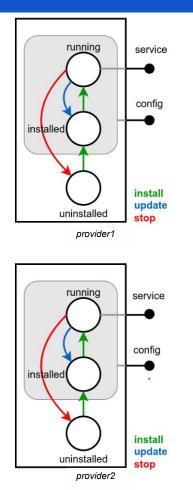
- Provide port
- Use port

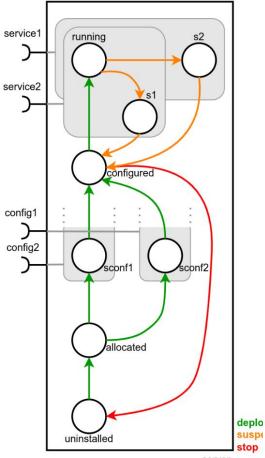
creating coordination constraints

Concerto-D: A reconfiguration language for decentralized components

- Involved components
- Interactions / connections between components
- Changes in the component

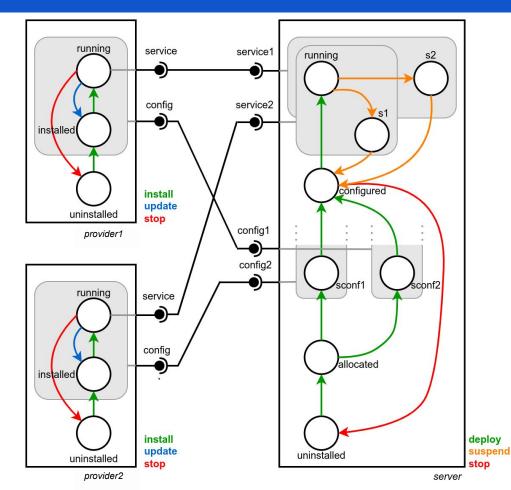
Concerto-D: Involved components





add("provider1", Provider)
add("provider2", Provider)
add("server", Server)

Concerto-D: Connections between components

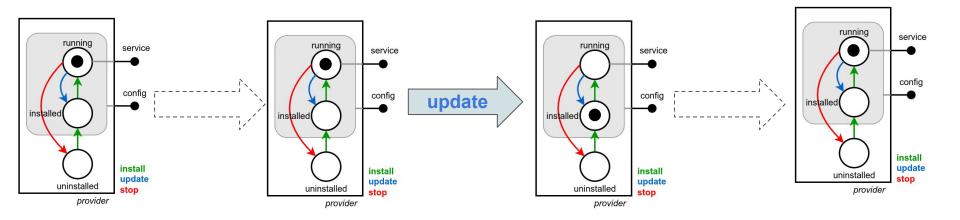


add("*provider1*", Provider) add("provider2", Provider) add("server", Server) connect("provider1", "service", "server", "service1") connect("provider1", "config", "server", "config1") connect("provider2", "service", "server", "service2") connect("provider2", "config", "server", "config2")

Concerto-D: State and changes in the component

Example of objective:

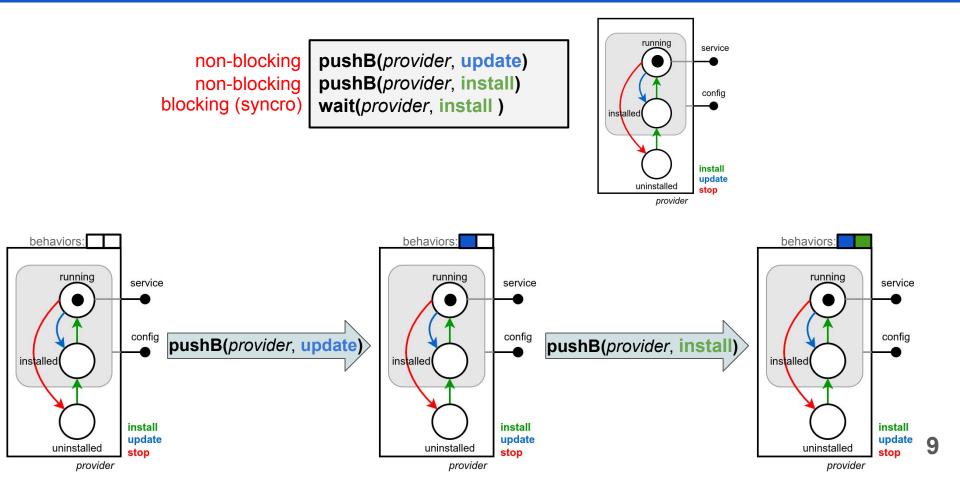
- Update a running provider
- End the reconfiguration with a running *provider*



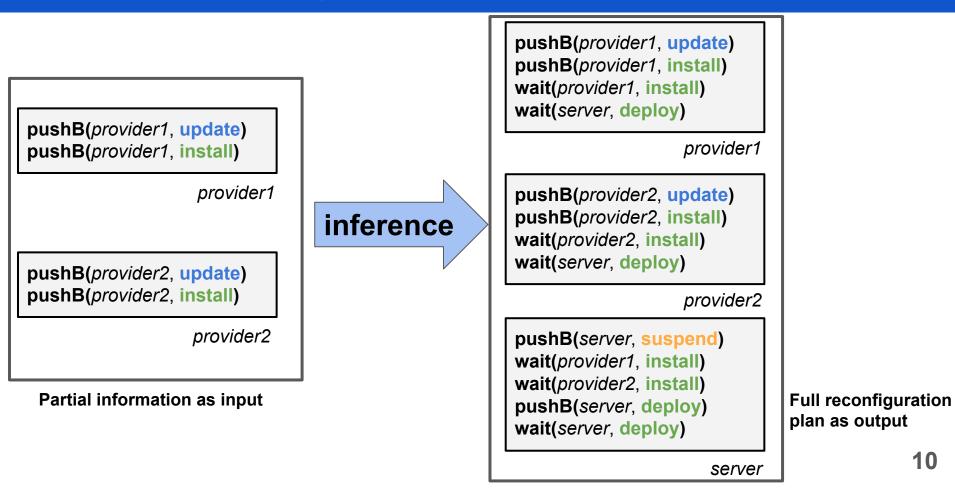
Inferred actions:
 update provider

• install provider

Concerto-D: State and changes in the component



Decentralized configuration plan



Decentralized planning of reconfiguration plans

For each component: Inputs:

- Local decision of the target configuration (WP2)
- Set of possible reconfiguration instructions
- Partial view of the current configuration (state of the system)

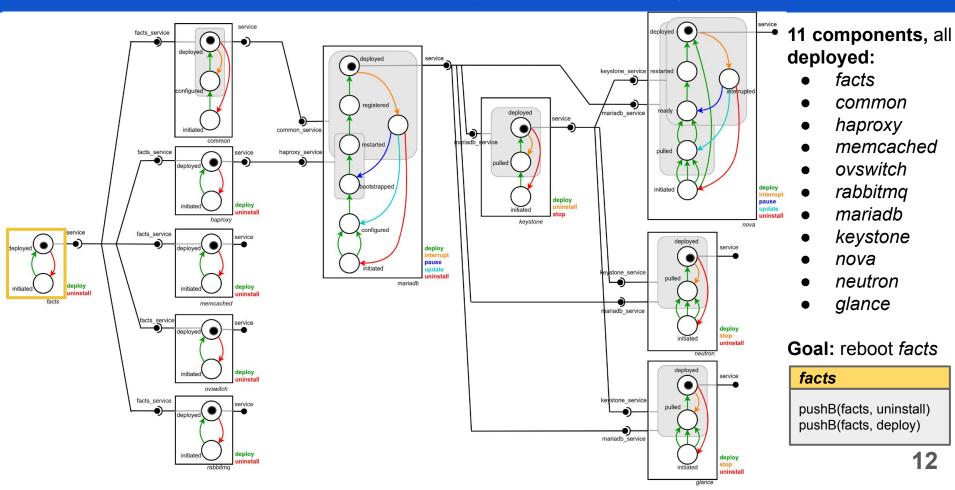
Output:

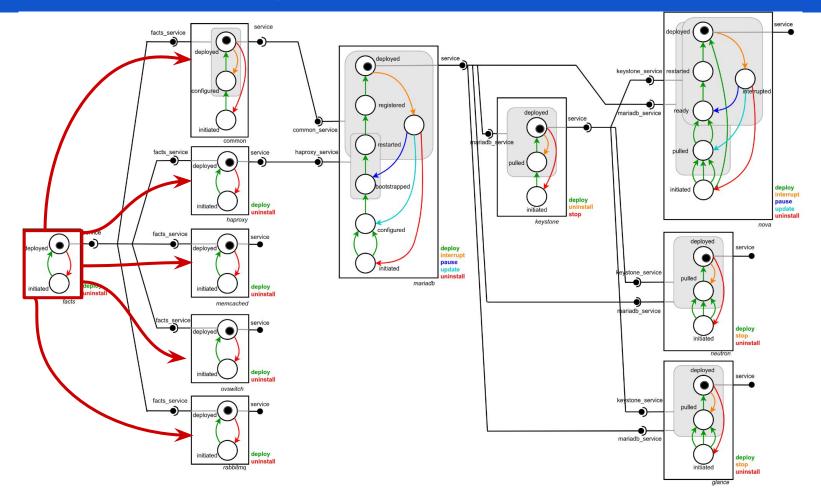
- Reconfiguration plan (or program) to reach the targeted configuration

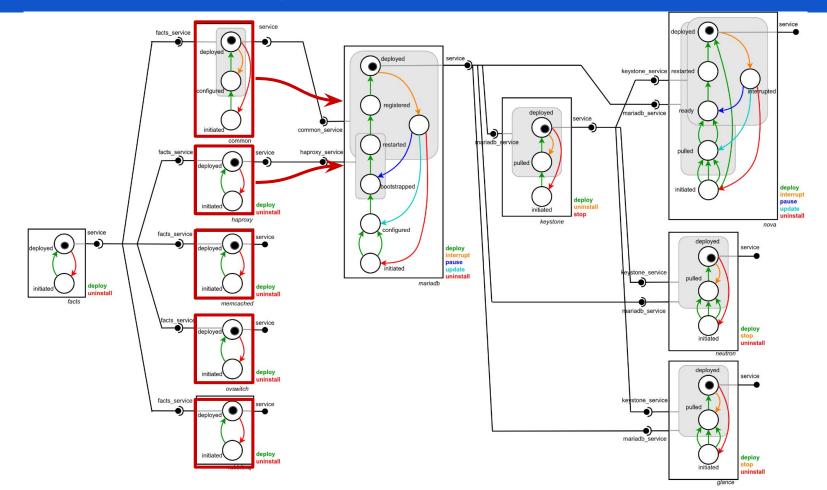
Intuition of the solution:

- Sharing protocol with message passing (impacted port) (rumor-spreading inspired)
 - Local decision (MiniZinc's automata)
 - Inputs: Current configuration + Input messages + Reconfiguration instructions
 - **Outputs**: Set of behaviors + Output messages
 - Local planning
 - **Inputs**: Set of behaviors + Output messages
 - Output: Reconfiguration plan

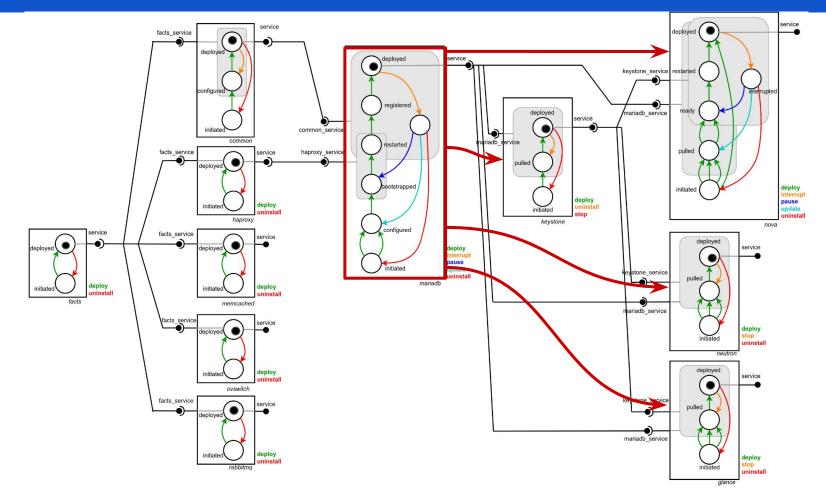
Example of stratified assembly and reconfiguration



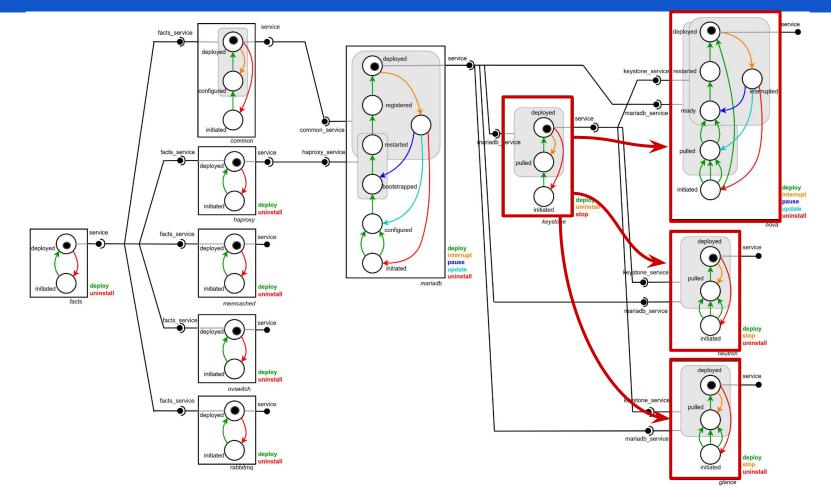


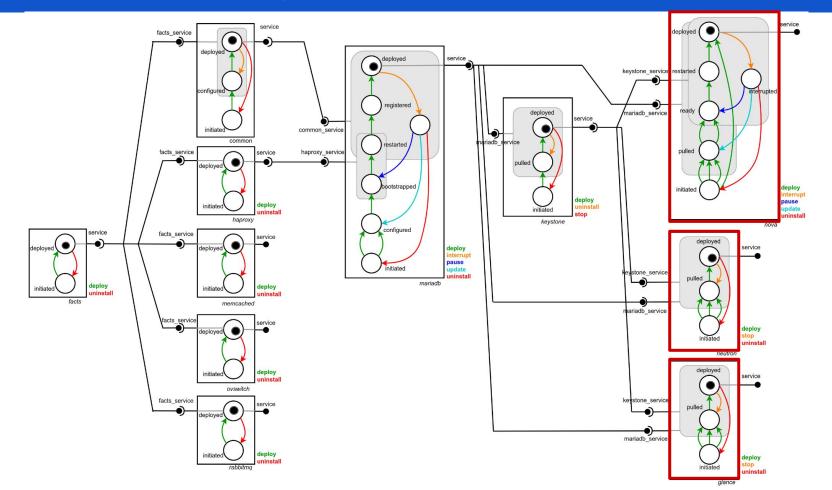


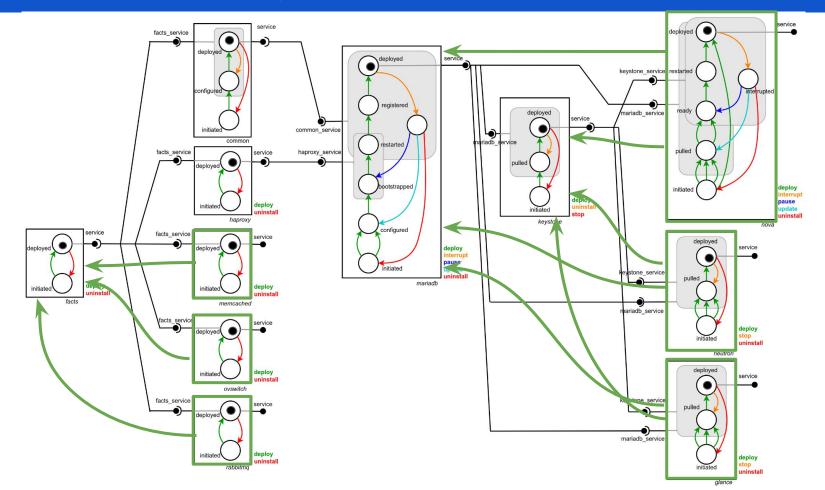
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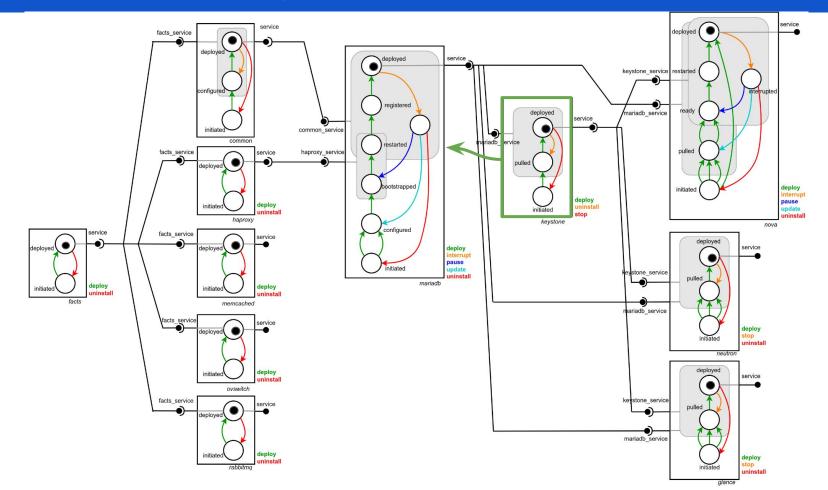


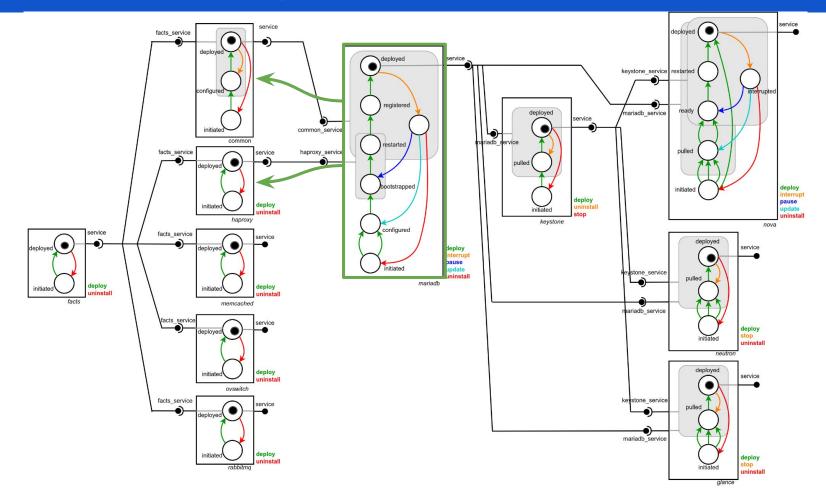
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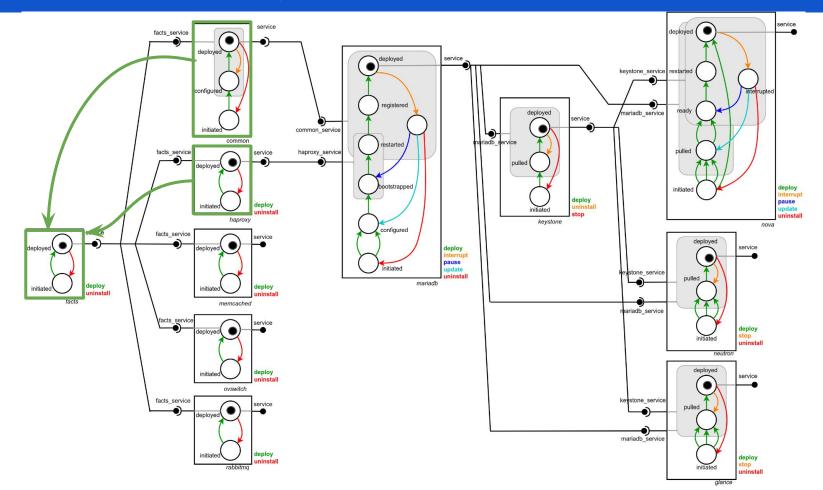




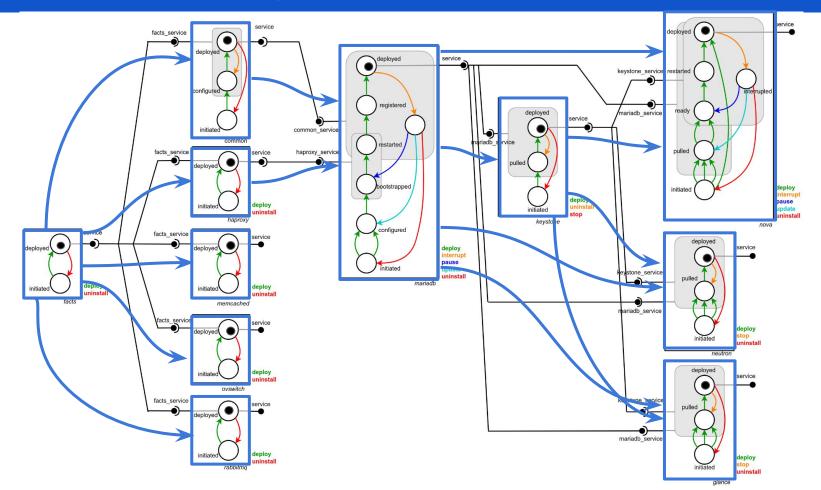




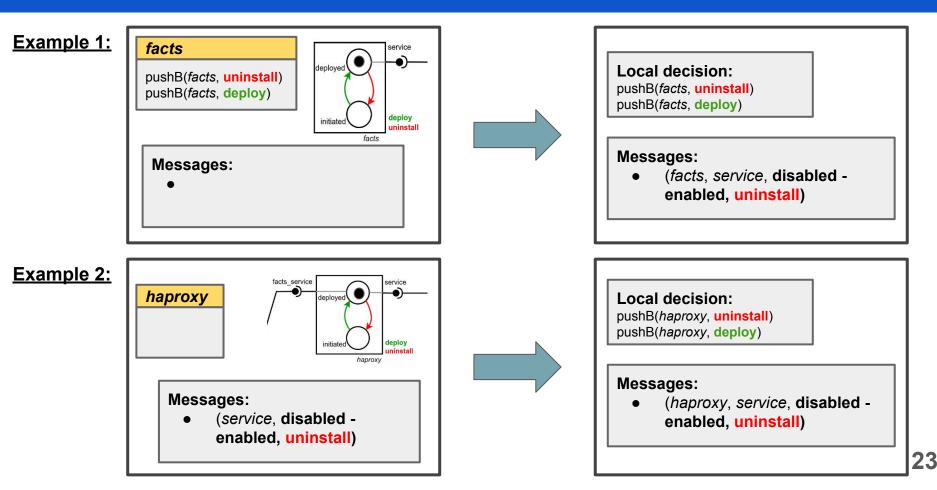




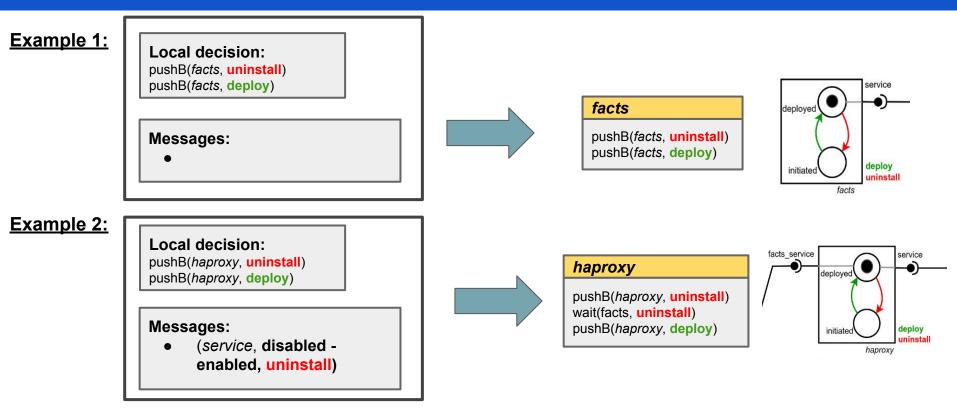
Information sharing protocol - Step III: Global ack from root



Local decision



Local planning



Several strategy: Brute Force; CP-based

Pseudo-code for sharing protocol

- 1 **function** decentralized_plan(comp, targeted_state, roots):
- 2 **while**(true):

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- 3 messages = get_messages(comp)
 - If ((messages.empty and comp.in(roots)) or message.size > 0):
 - bhvs, ports = local_decision(comp, messages, targeted_state)
 - If (not ports.empty):

msgs = send_messages(comp.neighbors, ports)
sent_msgs = sent_msgs ++ msgs

- 9 If (sent_msgs.allAcked):
 10 send_ack(sent_msgs.sources)
- 11 If (sent_msgs.allAcked and comp.in(roots)):
 12 bcast_ack(comp)
- 13 **If** (roots.**allAcked**):
 - return local_plan(bhvs, messages)

- Lack of decentralized planning for distributed system reconfigurations
- Propose a decentralized solution based on a sharing protocol
- Information sharing protocol
 - Local decision
 - Local planning

Questions?