

Model-Driven Instrumentation for Dynamic Analysis of Legacy Software Systems

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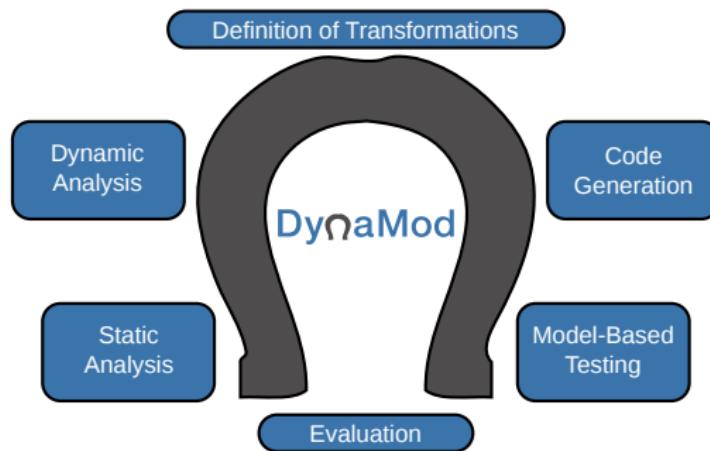


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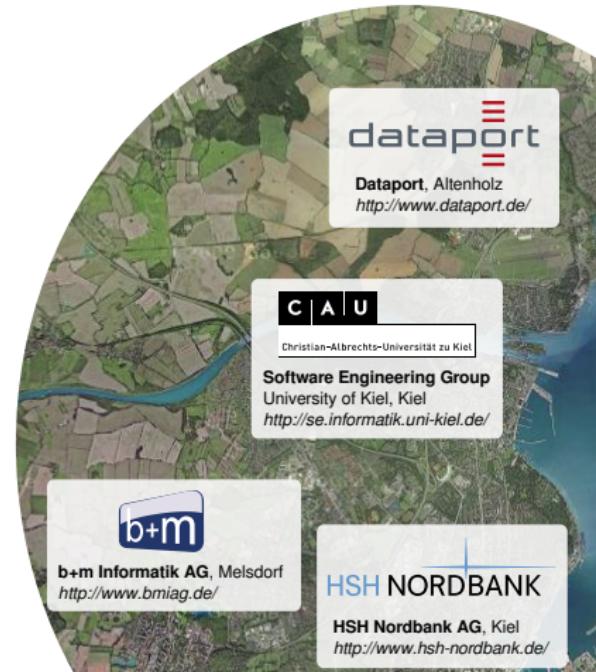
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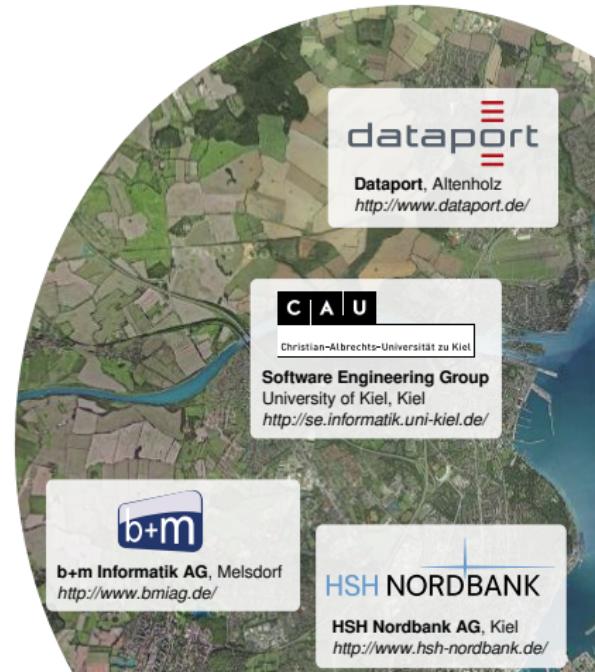
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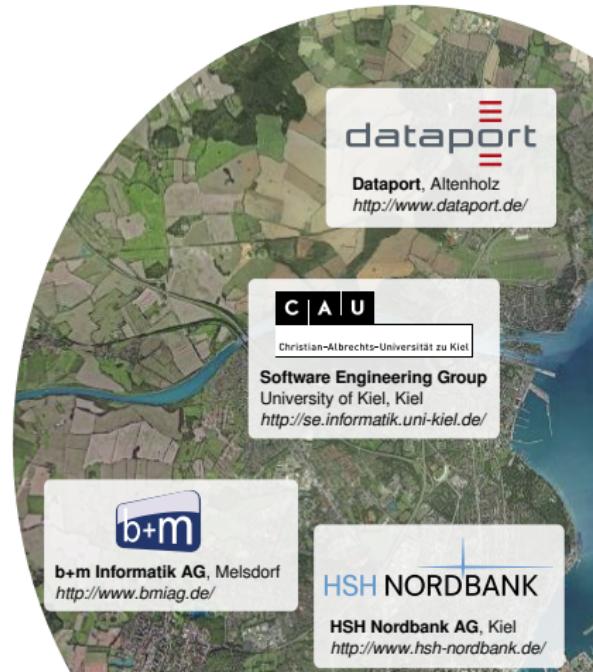
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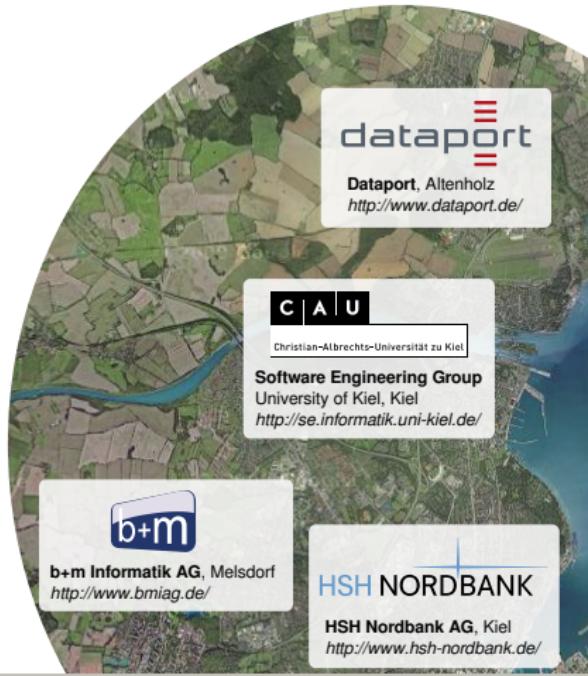
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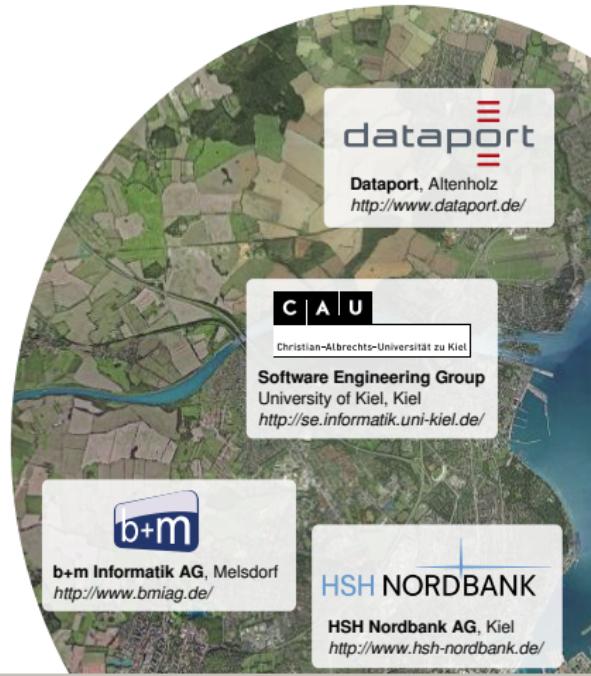
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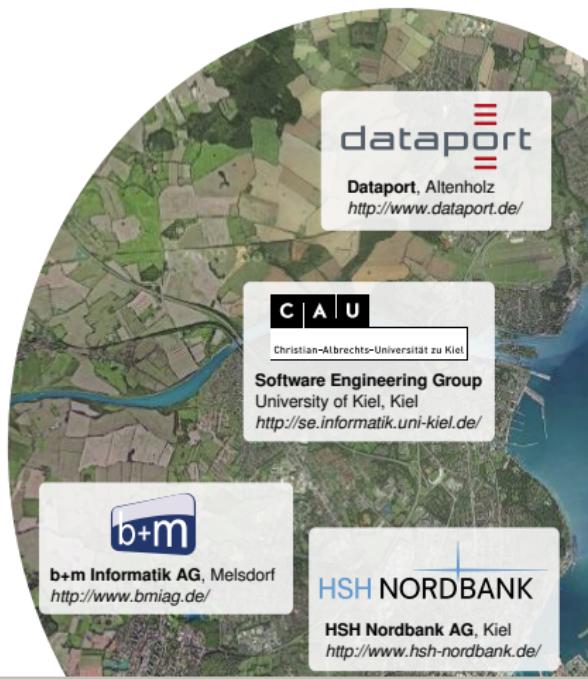
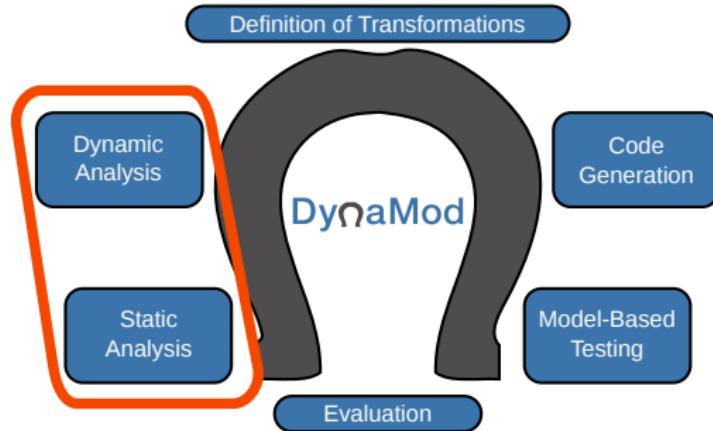
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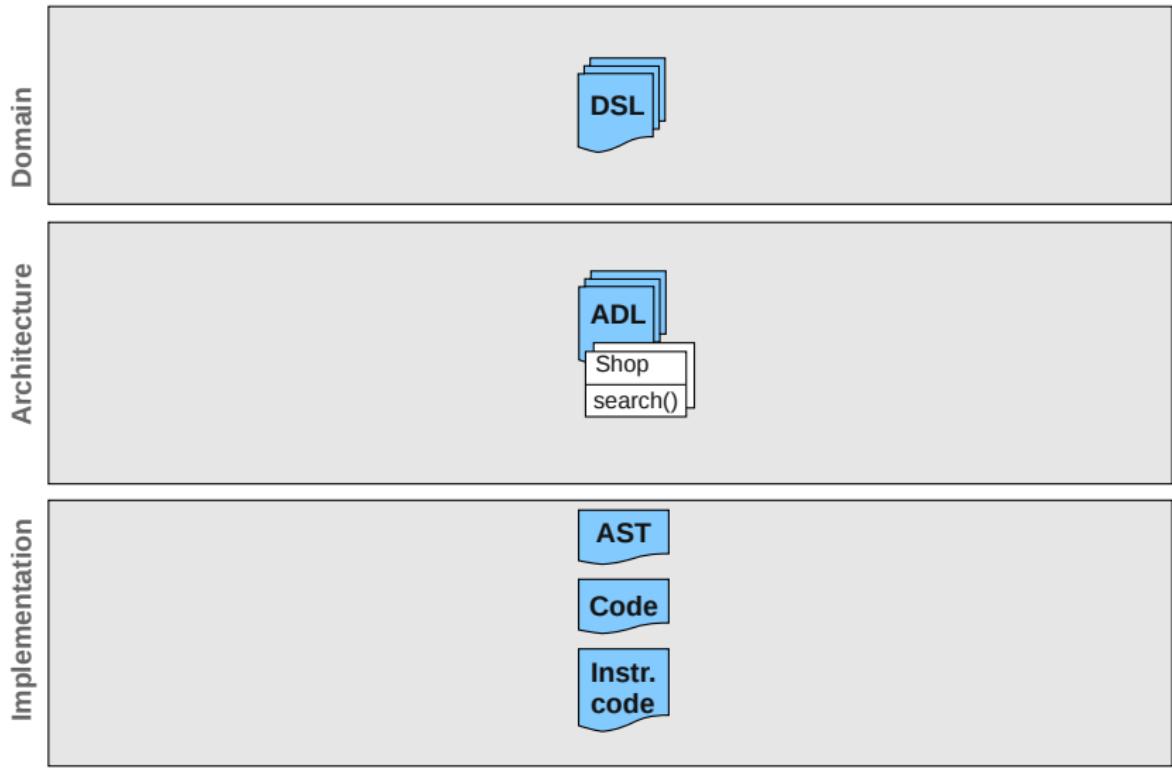
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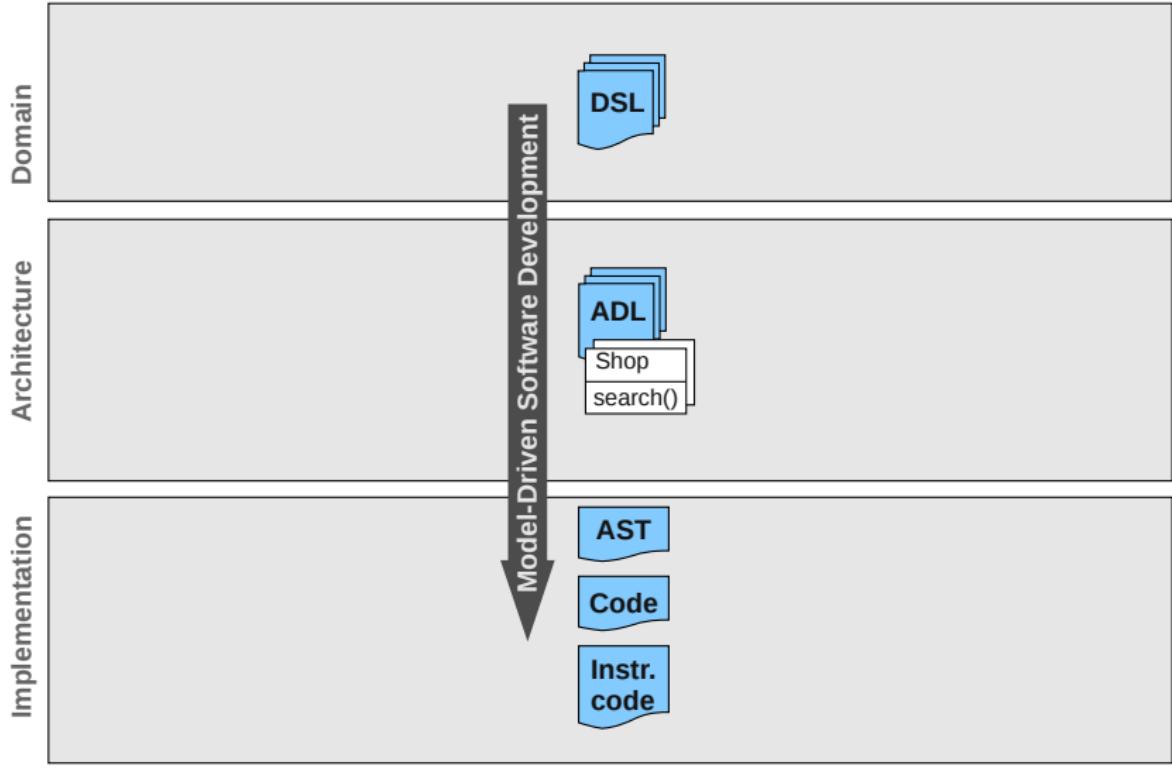
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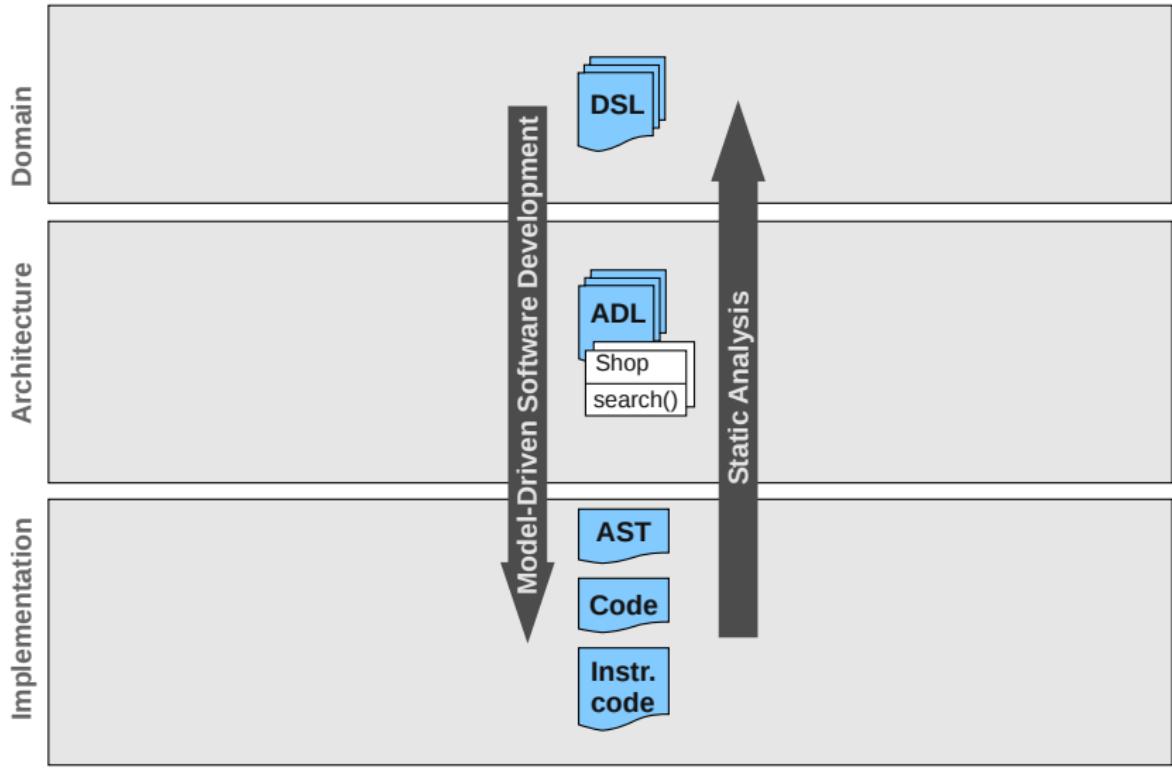
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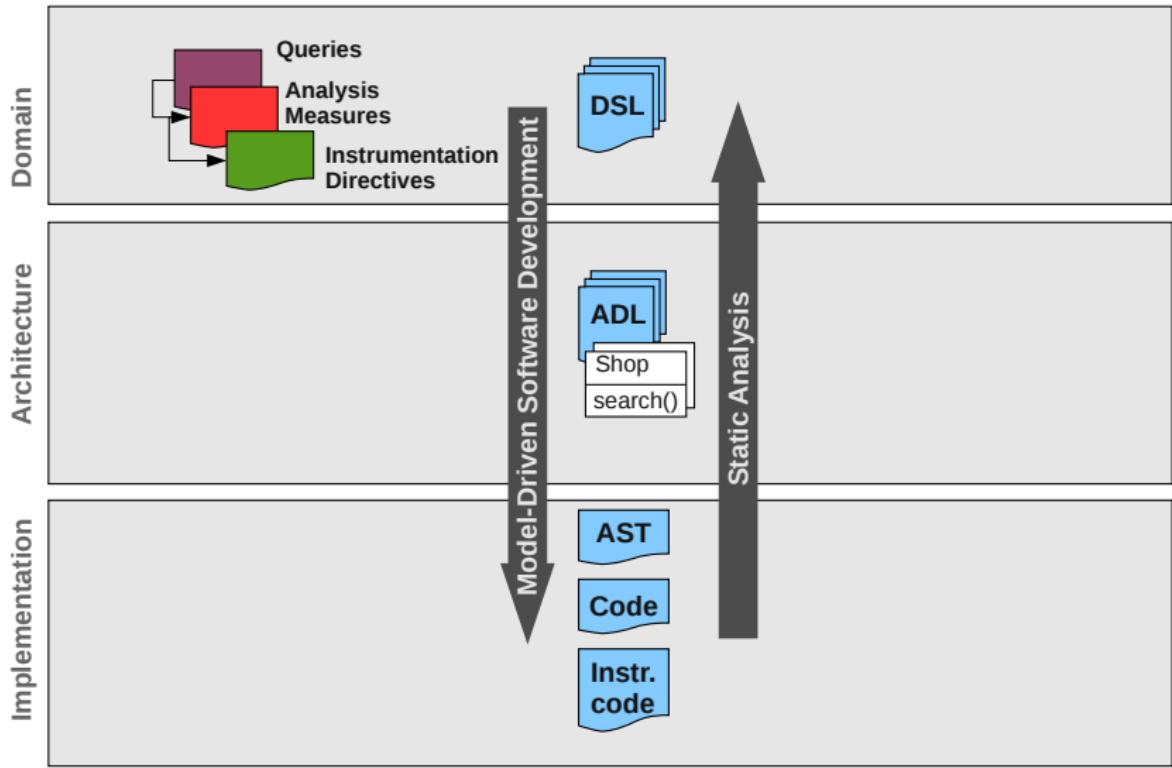
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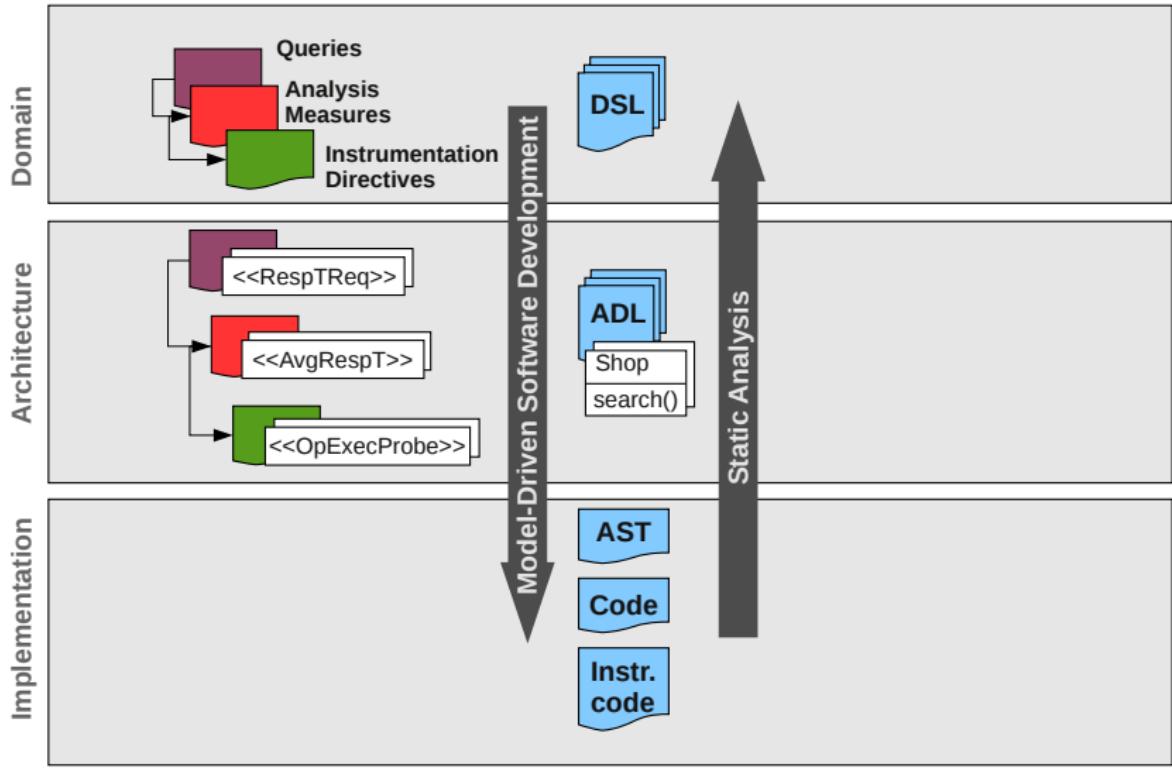
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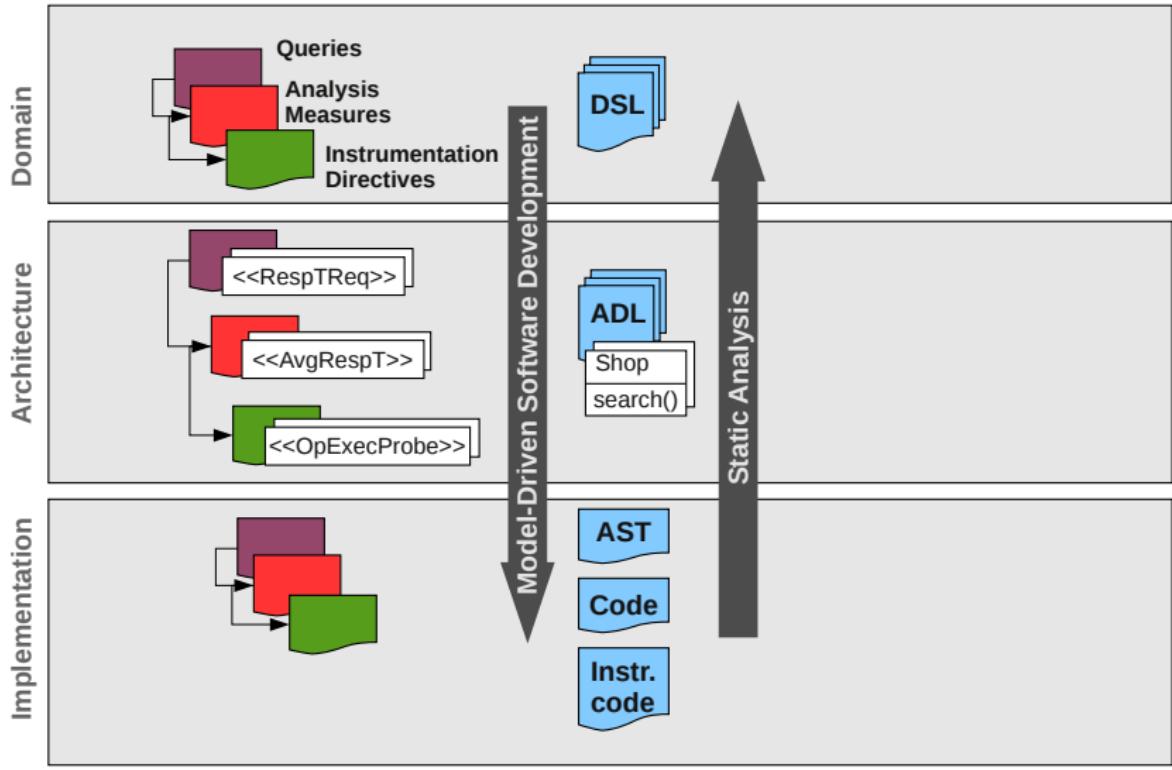
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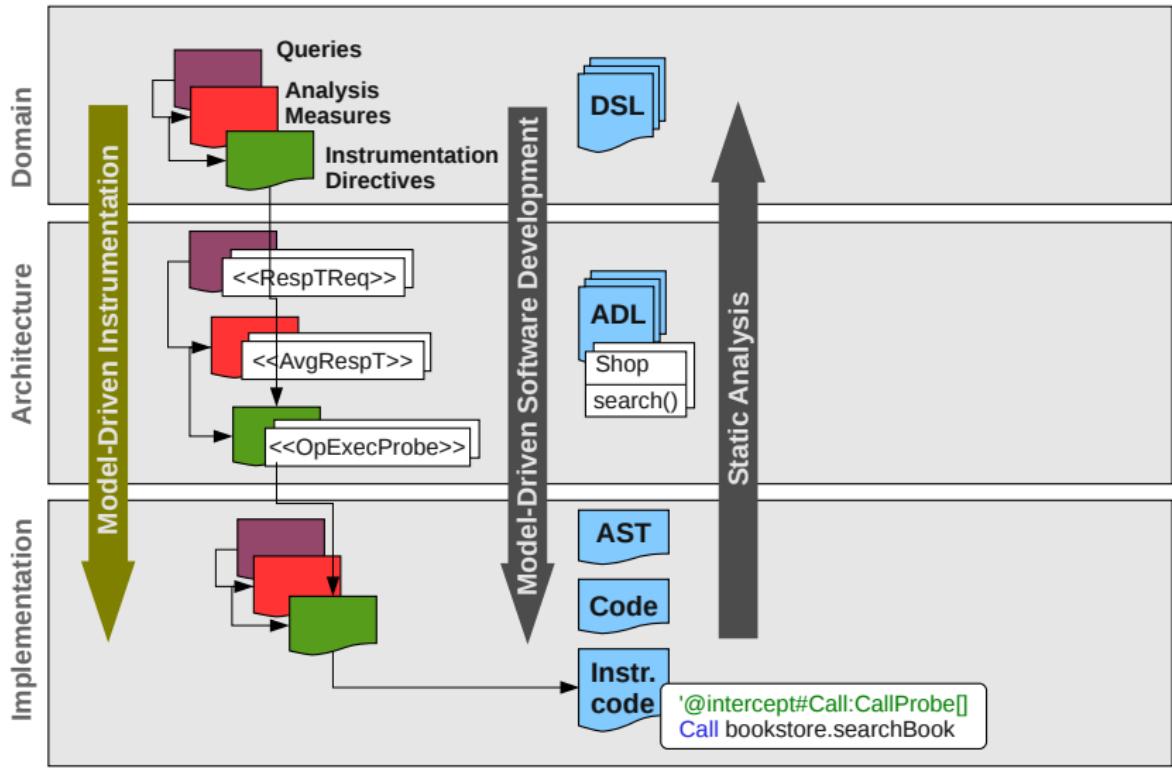
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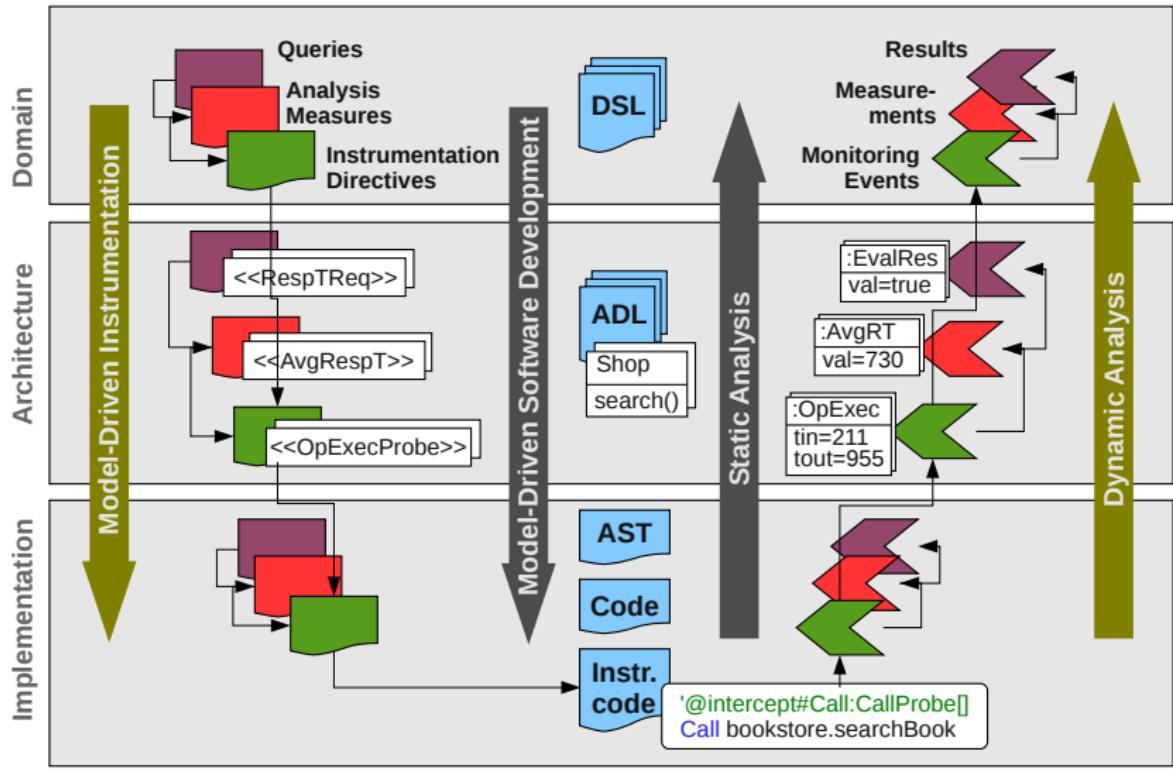
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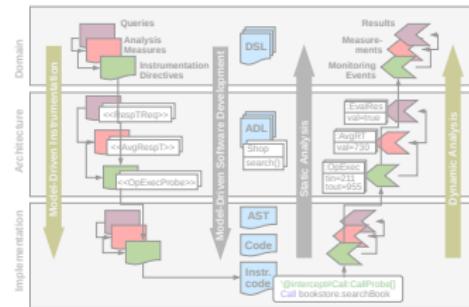
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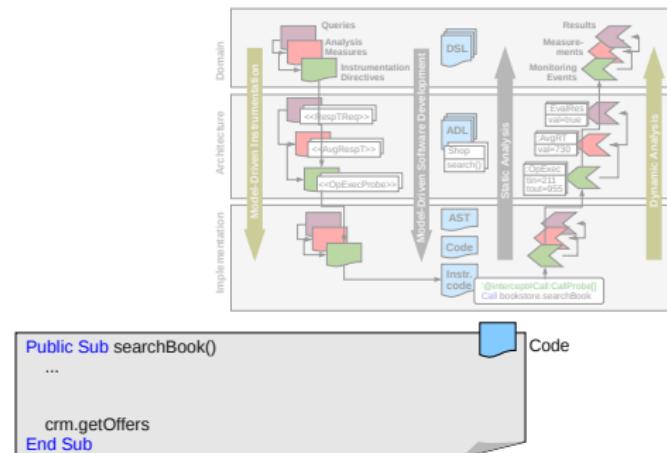
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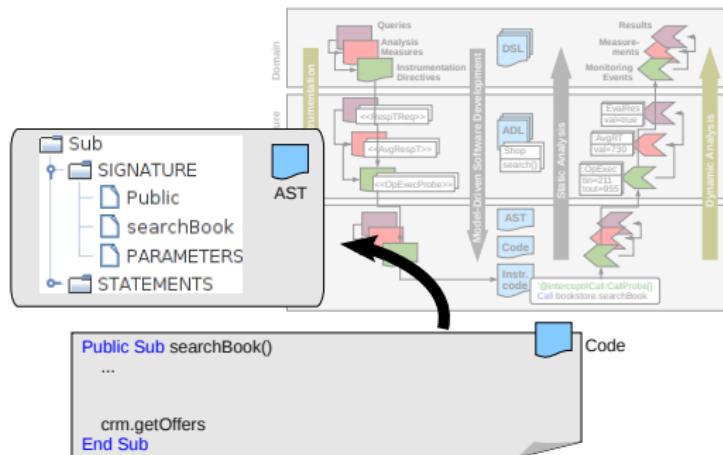
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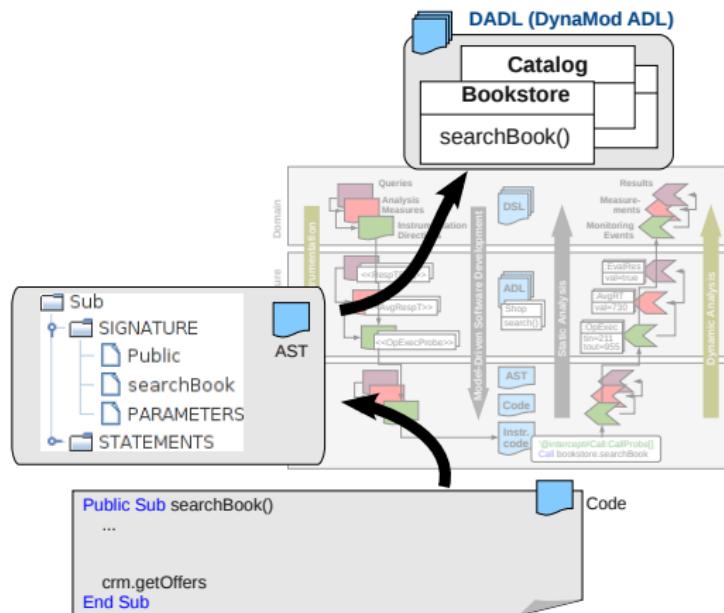
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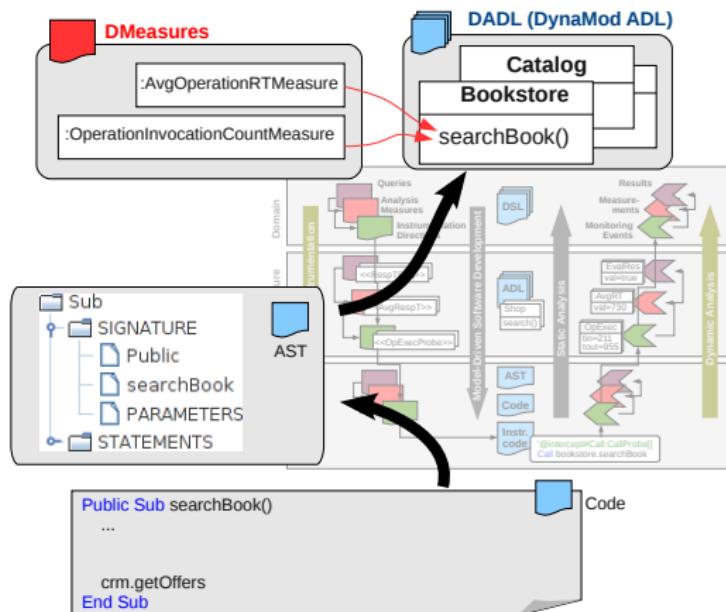
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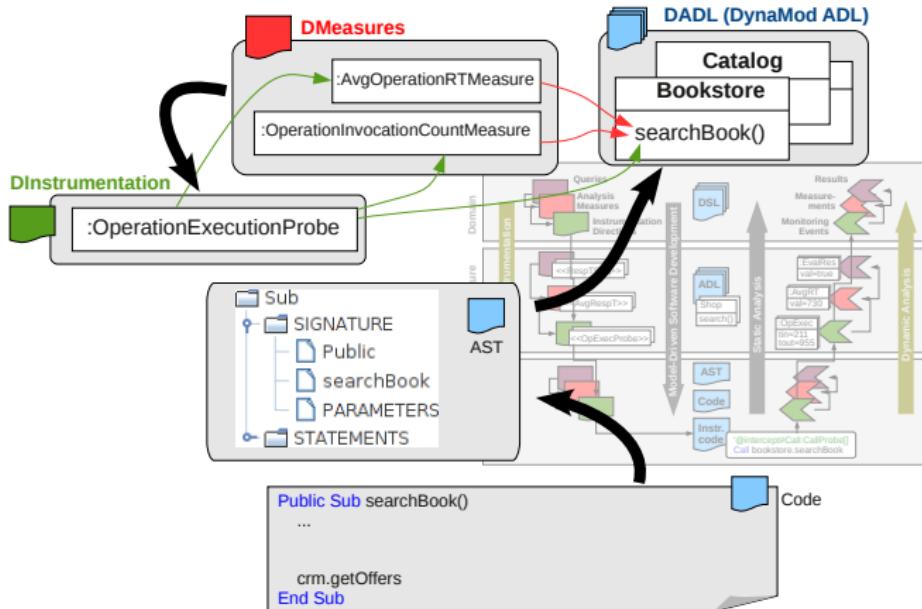
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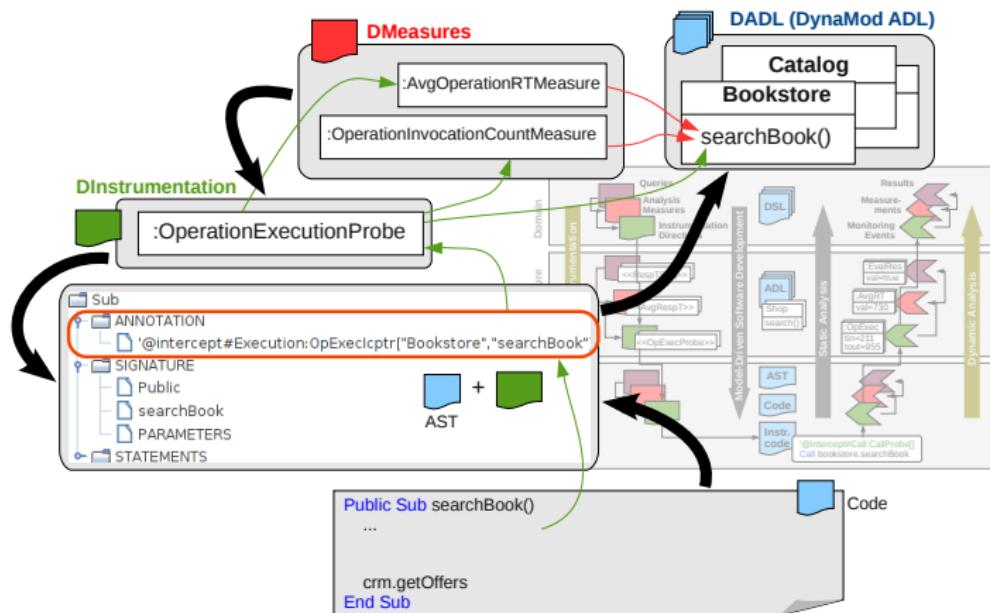
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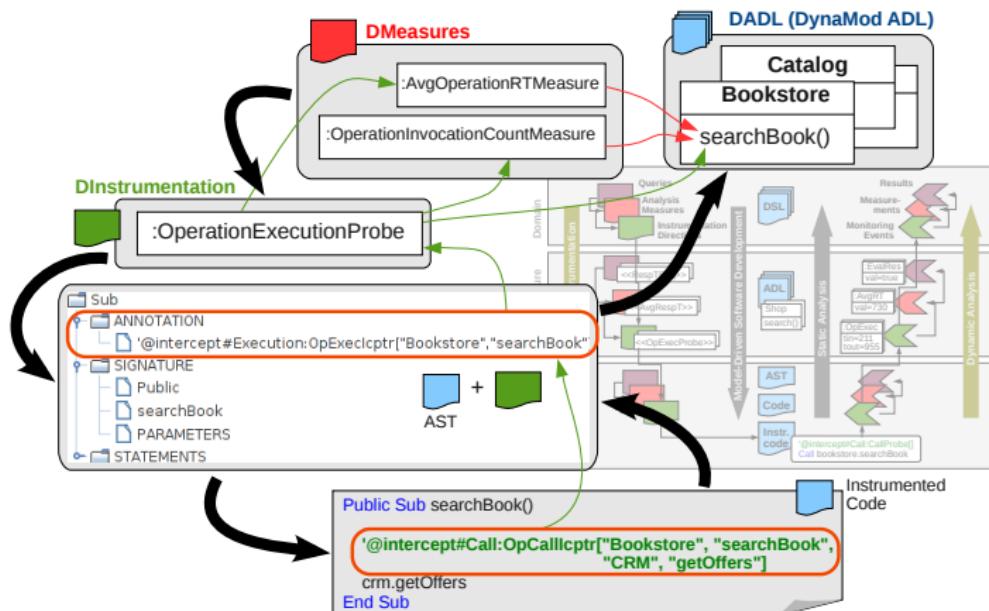
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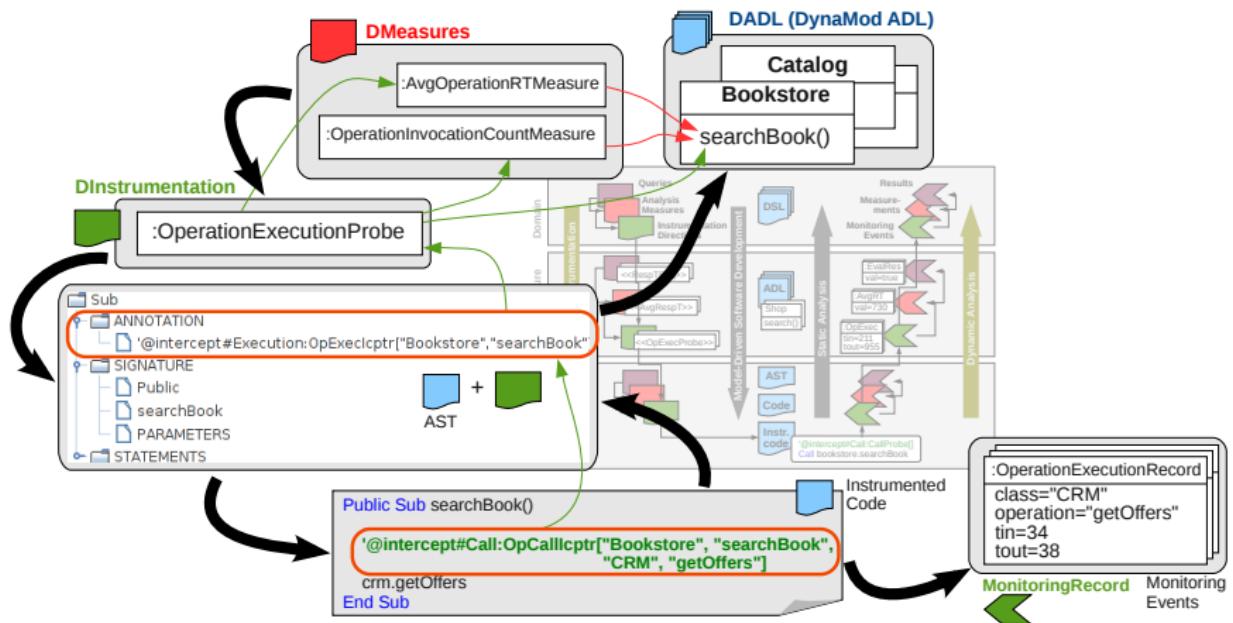
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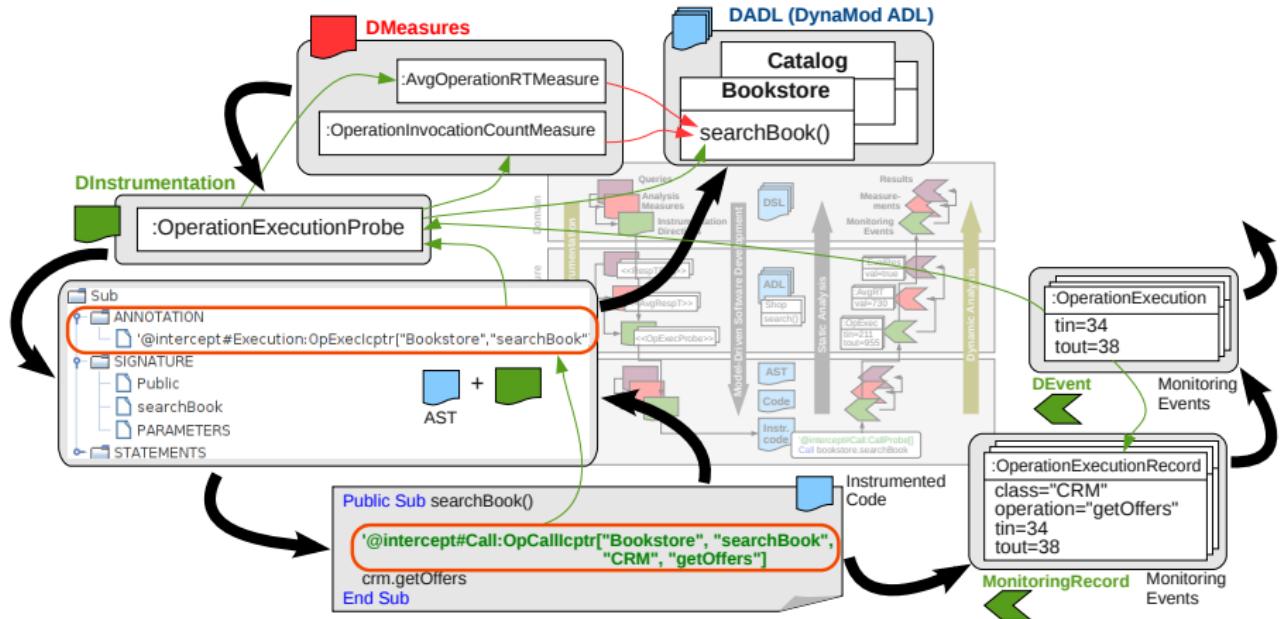
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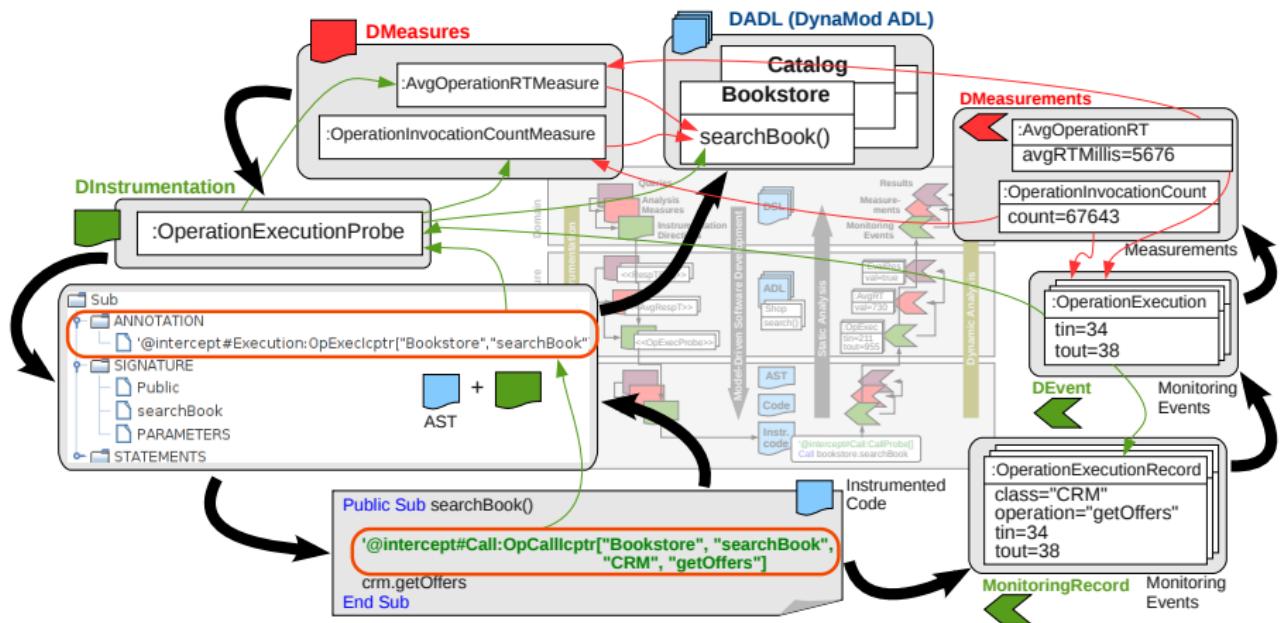
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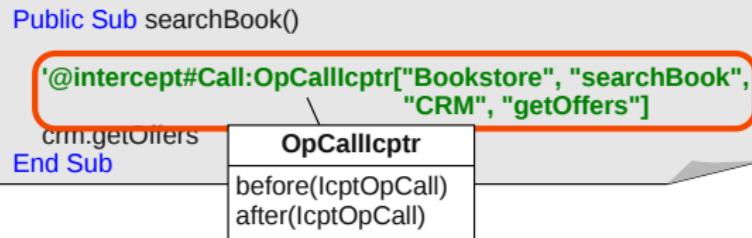
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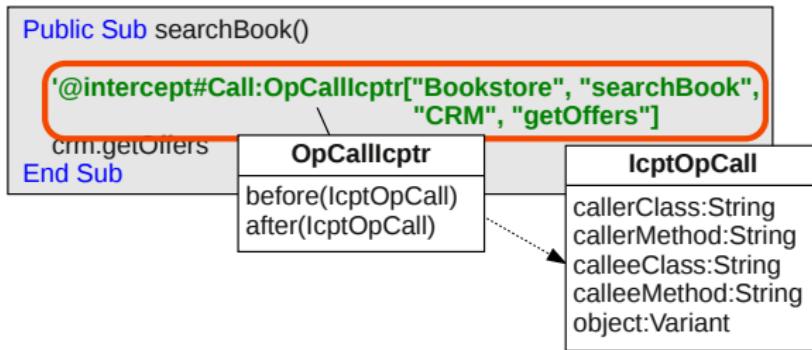


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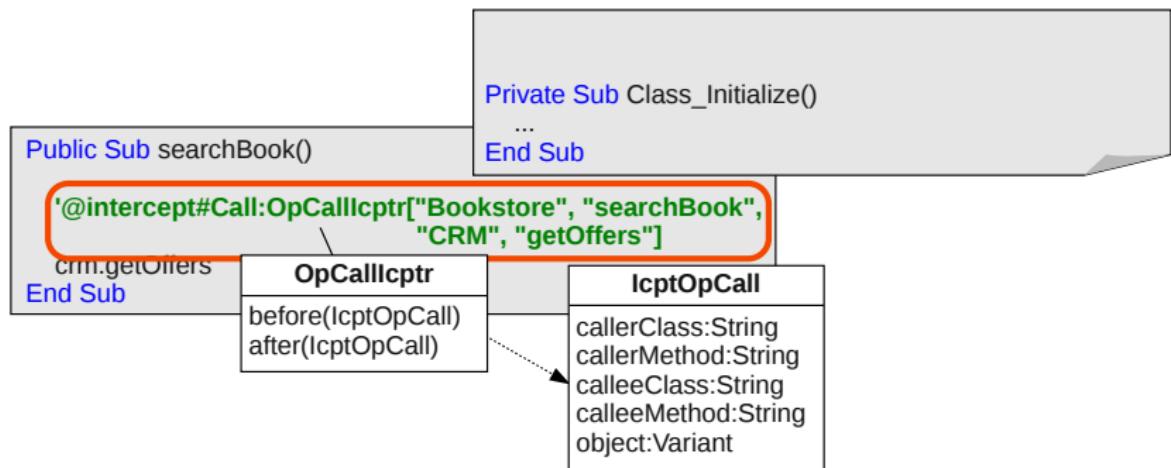
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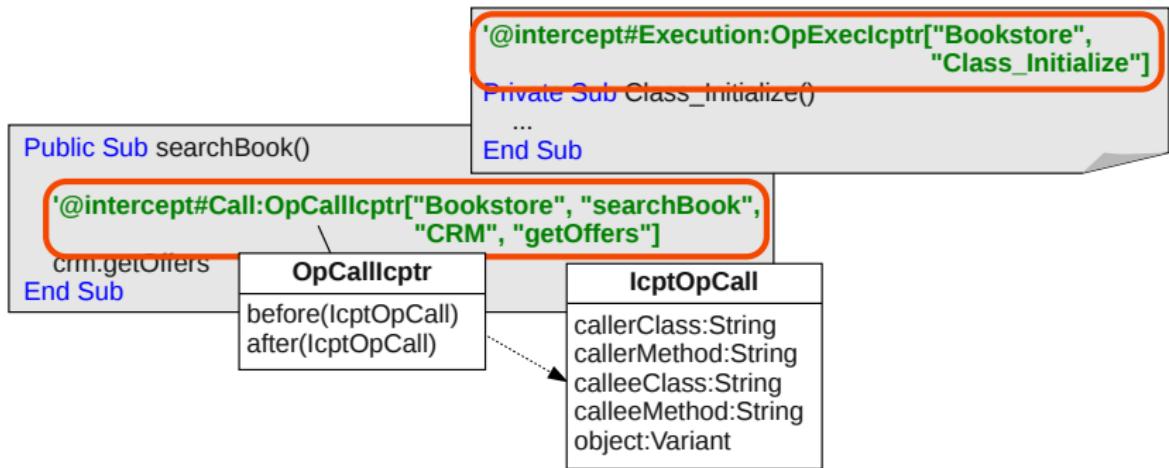
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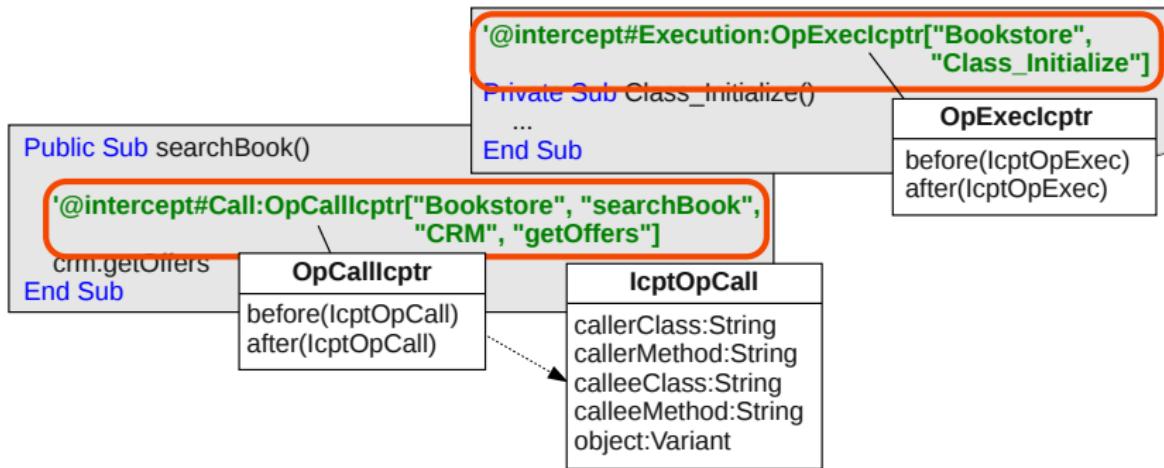
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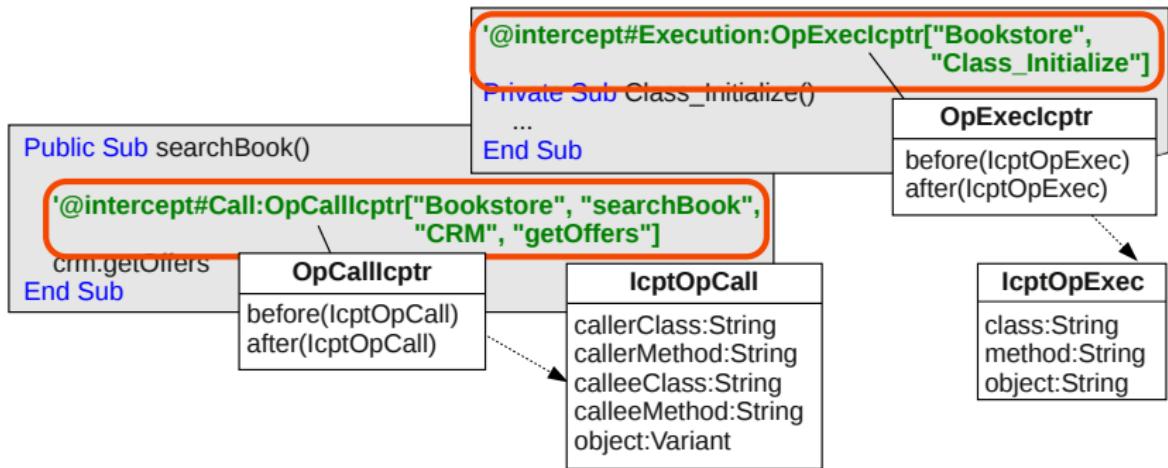
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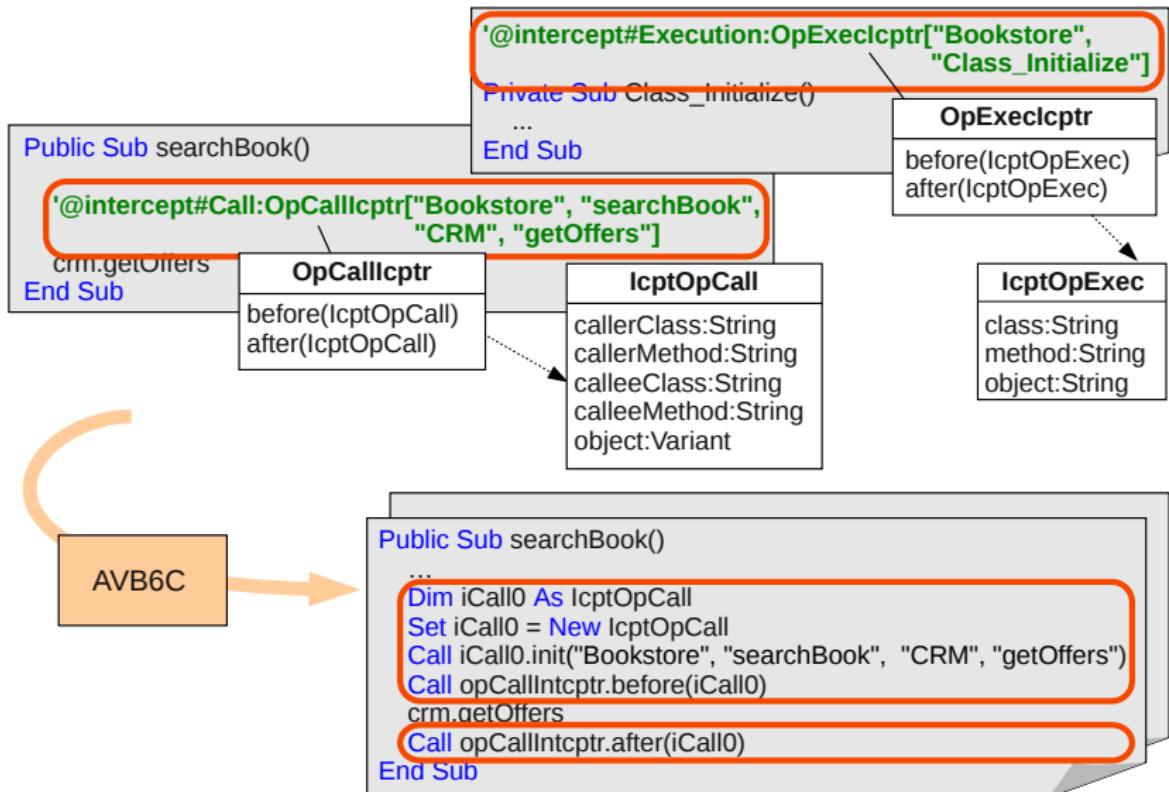
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AVB6C — IDE Integration



The screenshot shows the Microsoft Visual Basic IDE interface. The title bar reads "BookstoreApplication - Microsoft Visual Basic [design]". The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Project, Format, Debug, Run, Query, Diagram, Tools, Add-Ins, Window, Help. The toolbar has various icons. A red circle highlights the "Toolbox" icon on the toolbar. The code editor window contains VBScript code:

```
'@intercept#Execution:OpExecIcpt["Bookstore", "Class_Initialize"]
Private SUB Class_Initialize()
    Set oCatalog = New catalog

    Set oCrm = New crm
    Set oCrm.catalog = oCatalog
End Sub

Public Sub searchBook()
    '@intercept#Call:OpCallIcpt["Bookstore", "searchBook", "Catalog", "getBook"]
    catalog.getBook (False)
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    crm().getOffers
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The project Explorer window on the right shows the project structure:

- Project - BookstoreApplication
- BookstoreApplication
- Modules
 - BookstoreStarter (Module1)
 - Class Modules
 - Bookstore (Bookstore.cls)
 - Catalog (Catalog.cls)
 - CRM (CRM.cls)

The Properties window on the right shows the properties for the "Bookstore" class module:

- ClassModule
- Alphabetical | Categorized |
- (Name) Bookstore
- DataBindingBel0 - vbNone

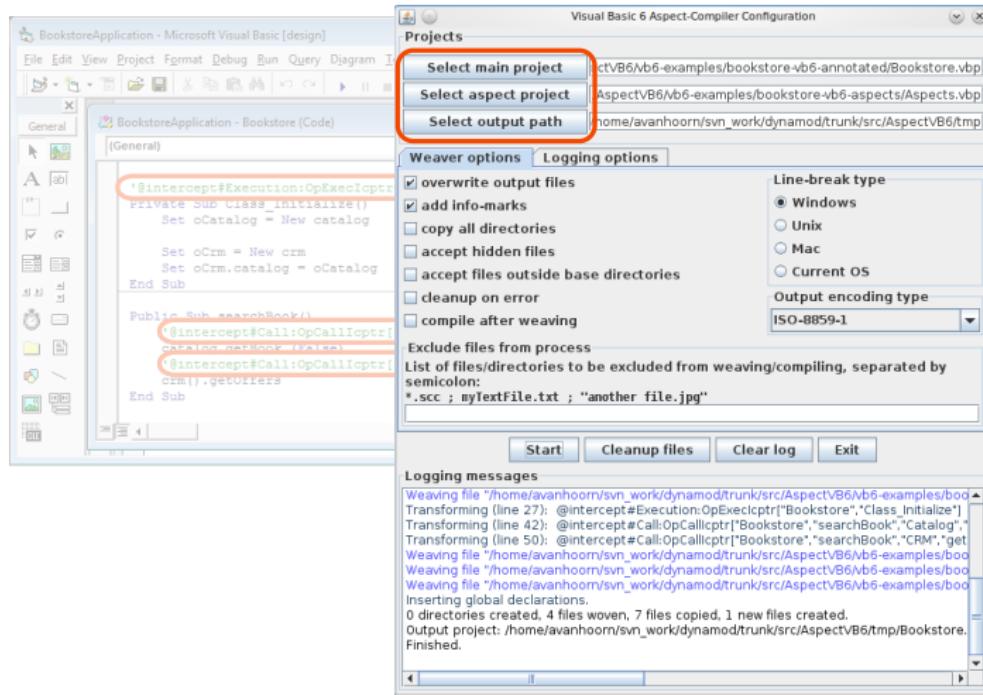
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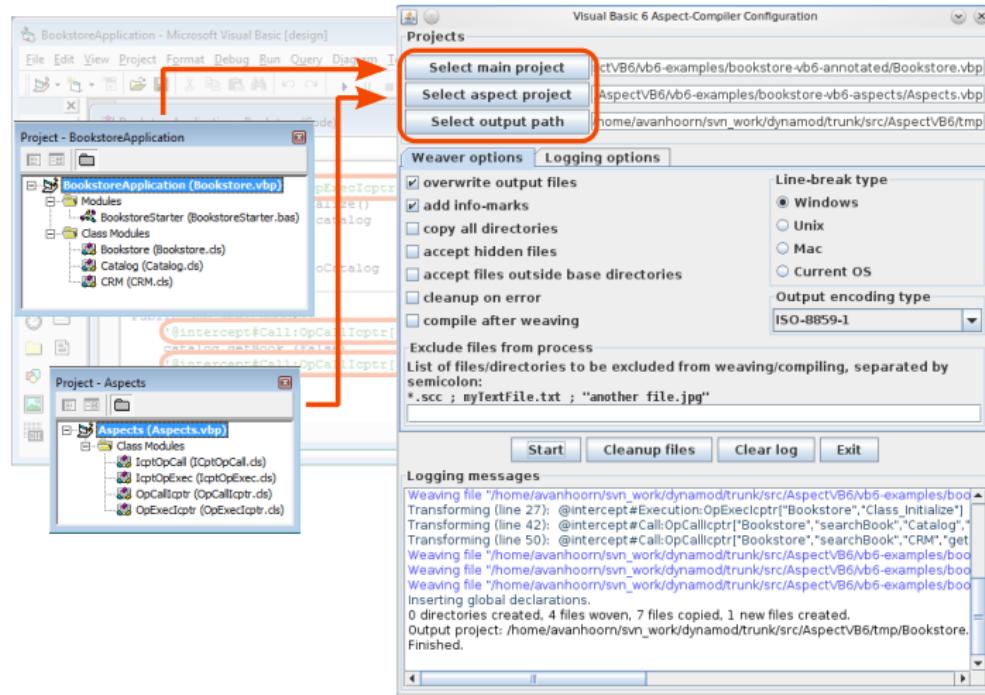


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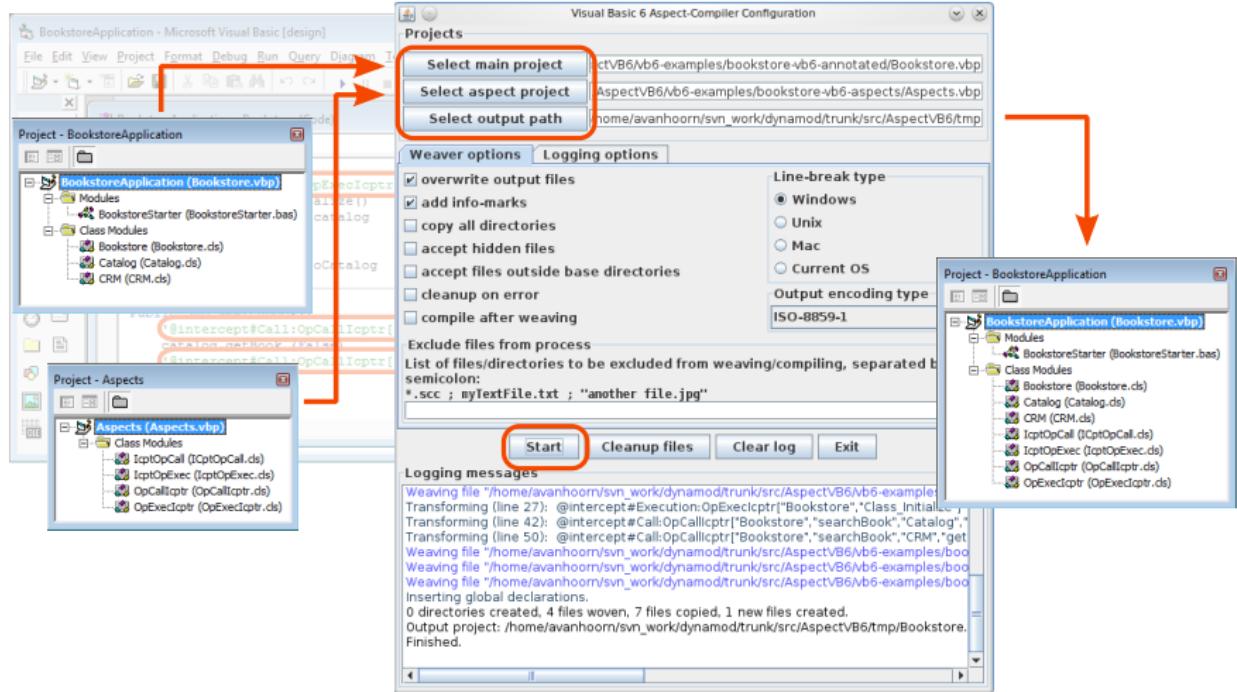


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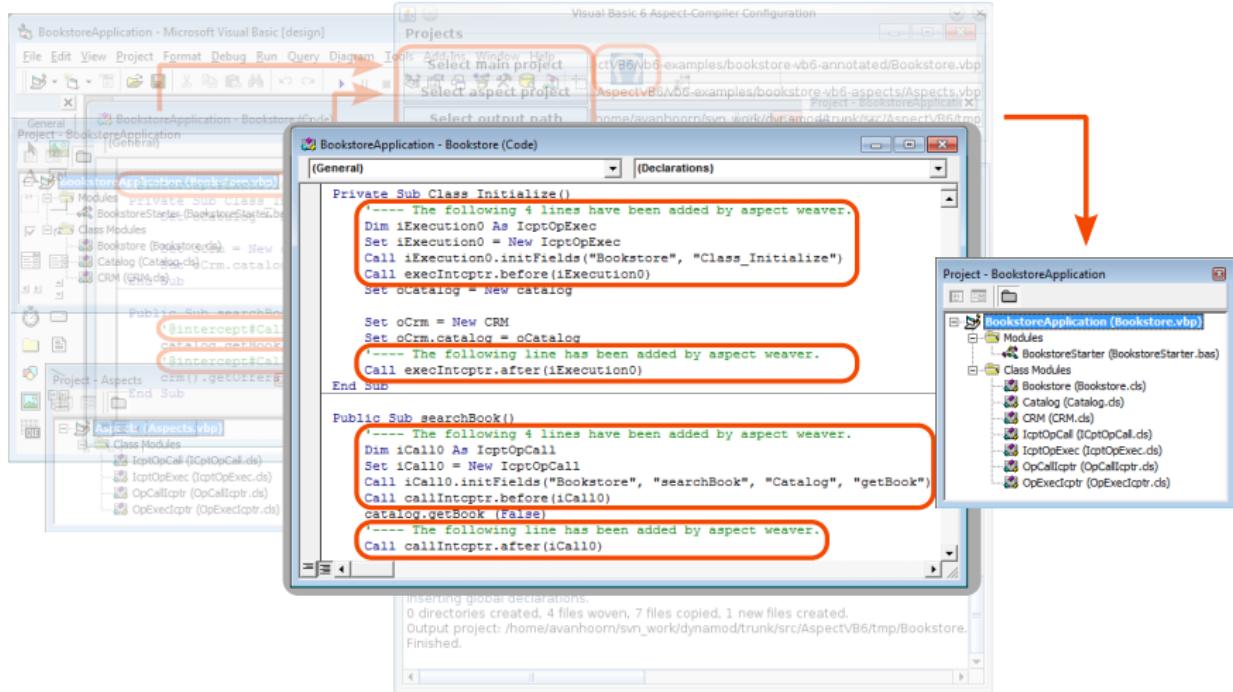
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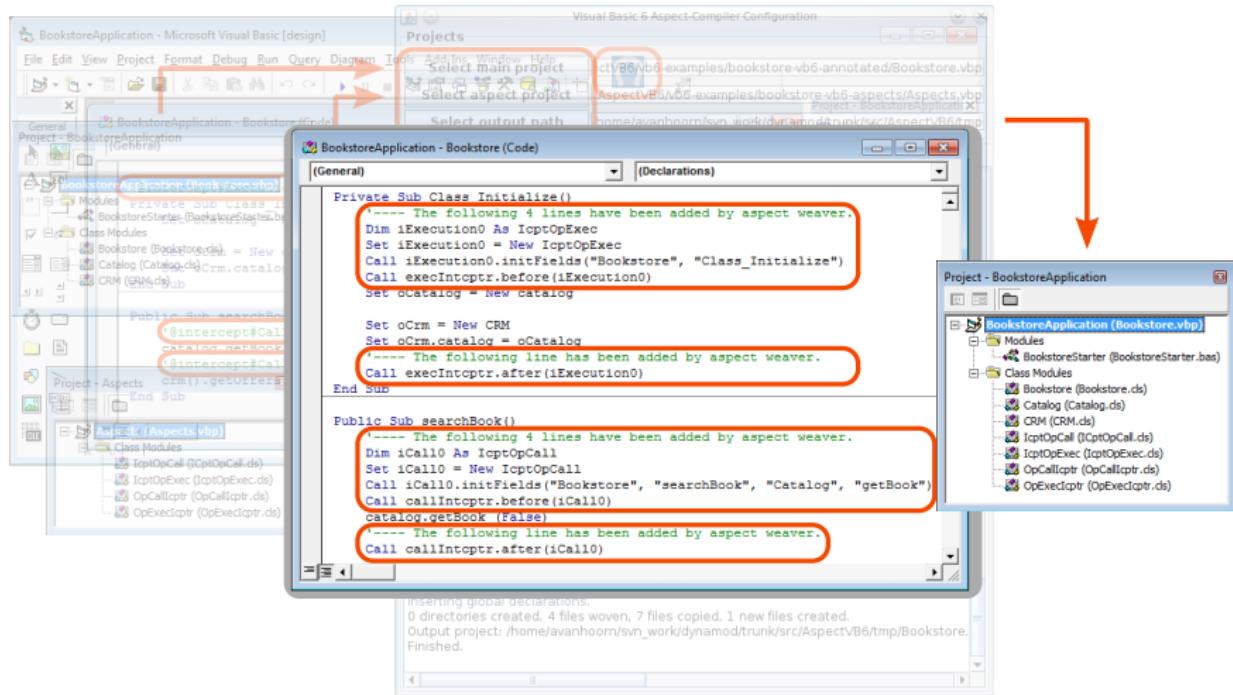
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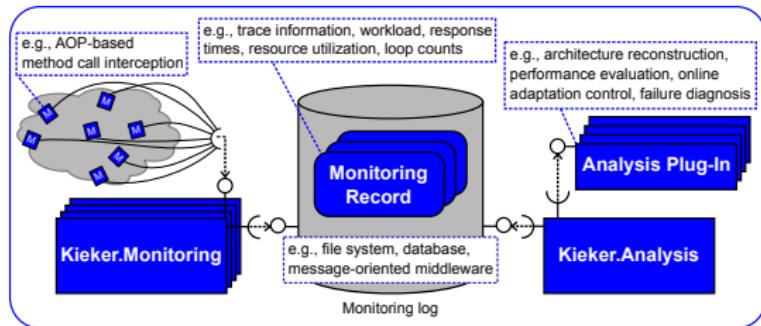


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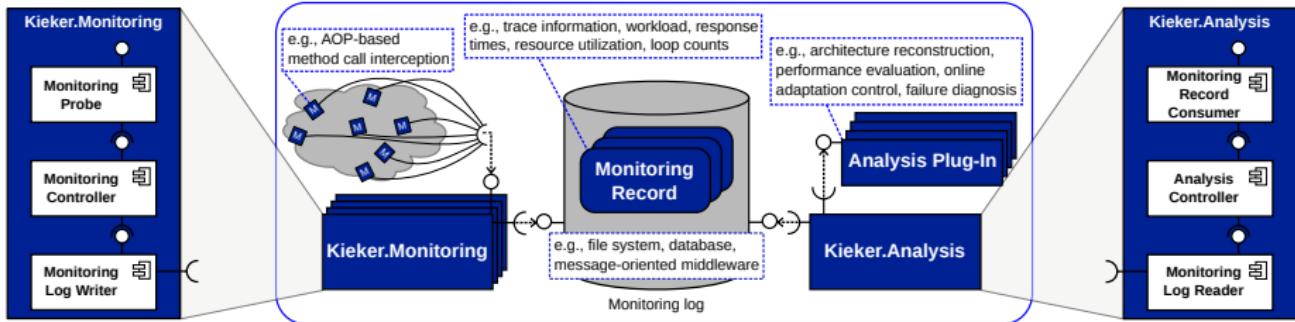
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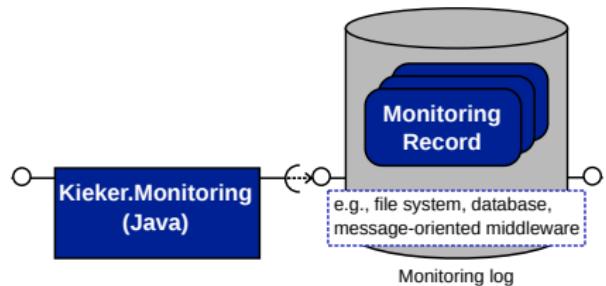


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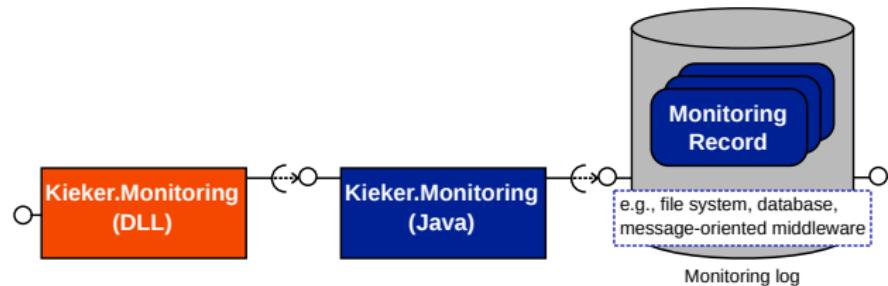
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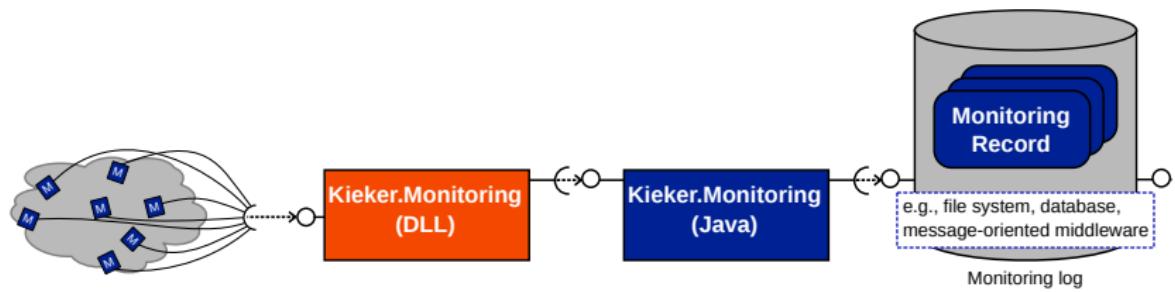
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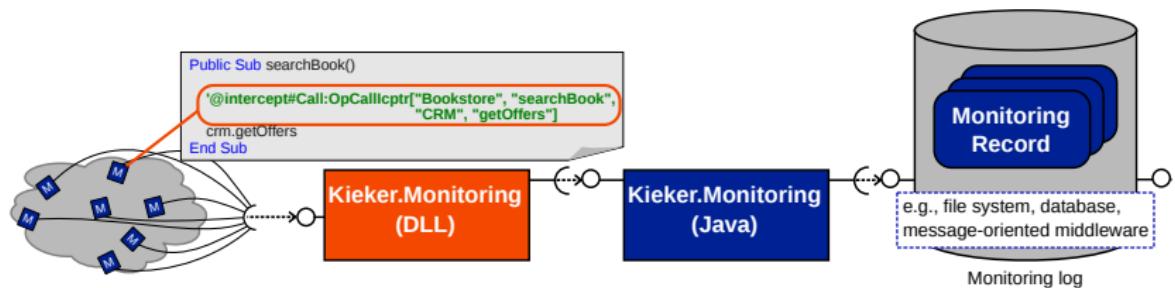
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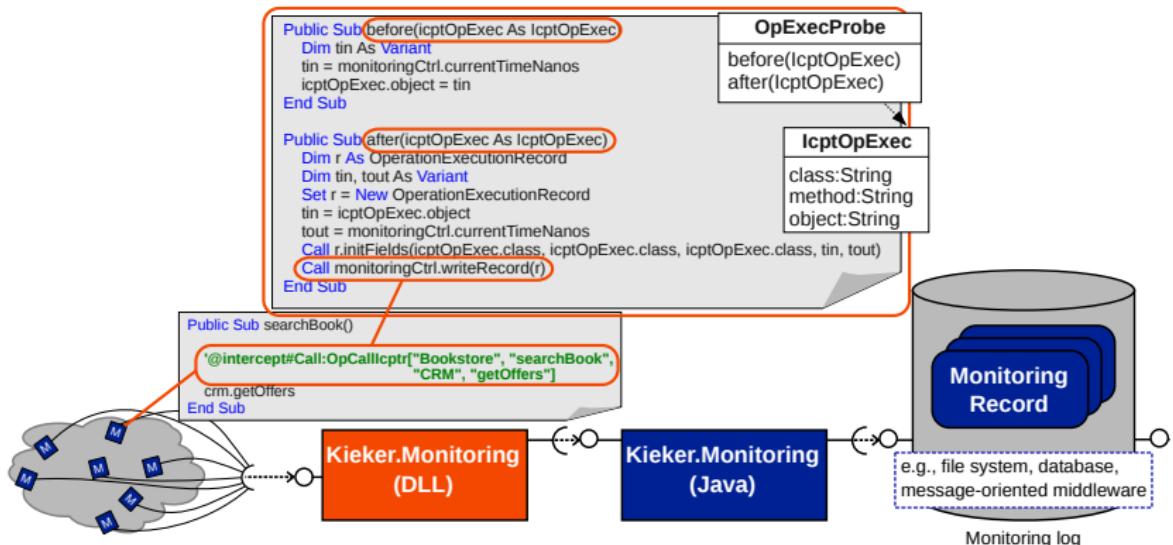
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