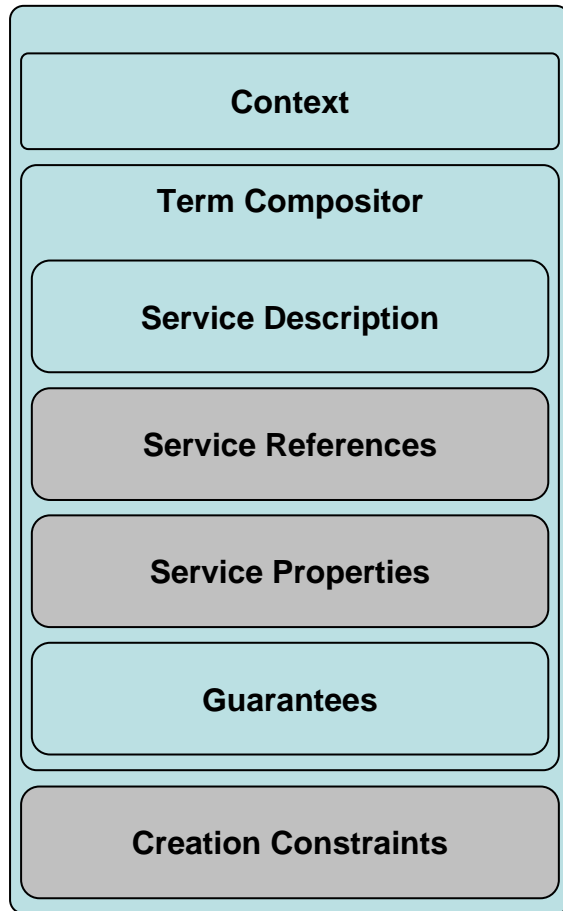
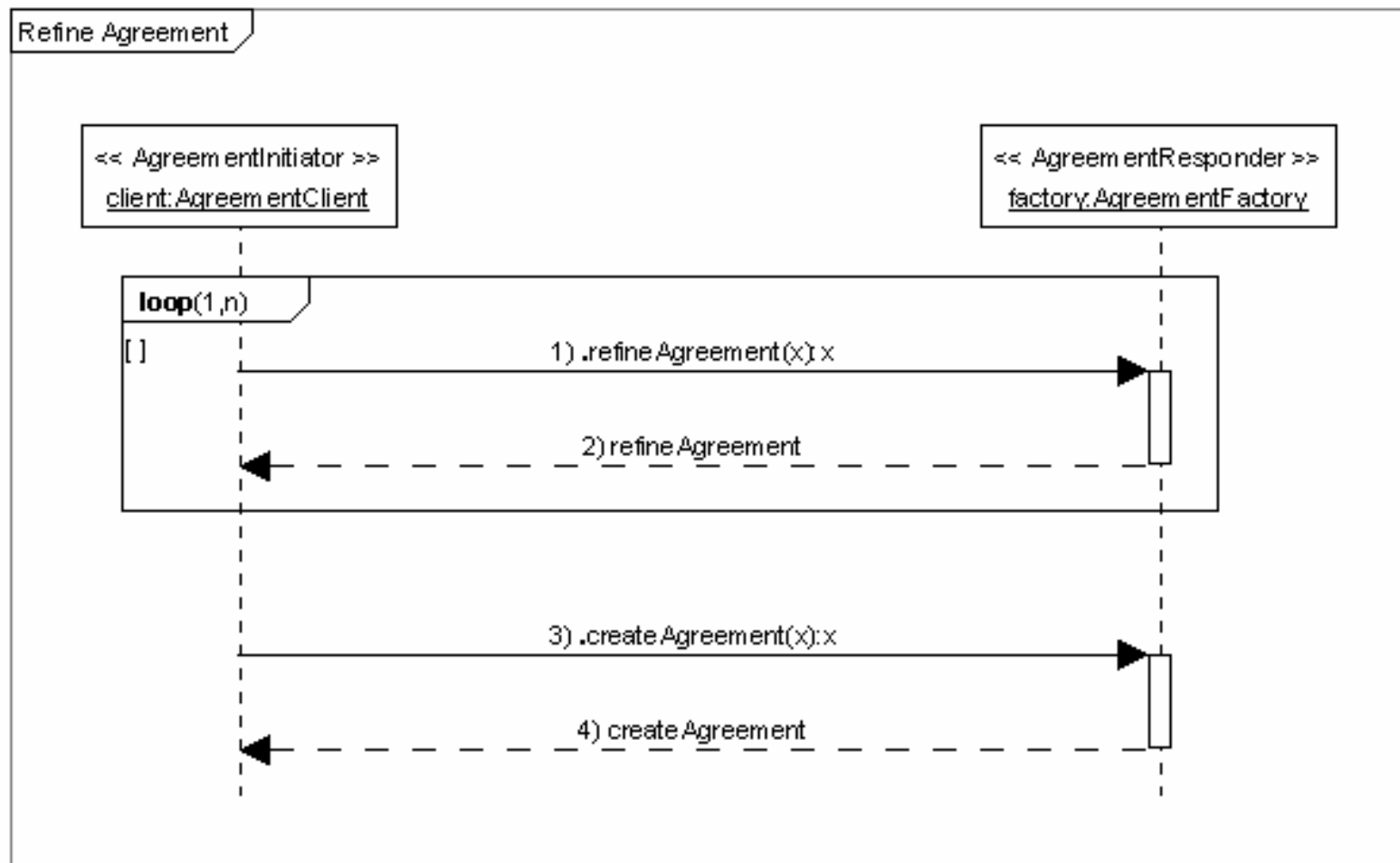


Refine Agreement



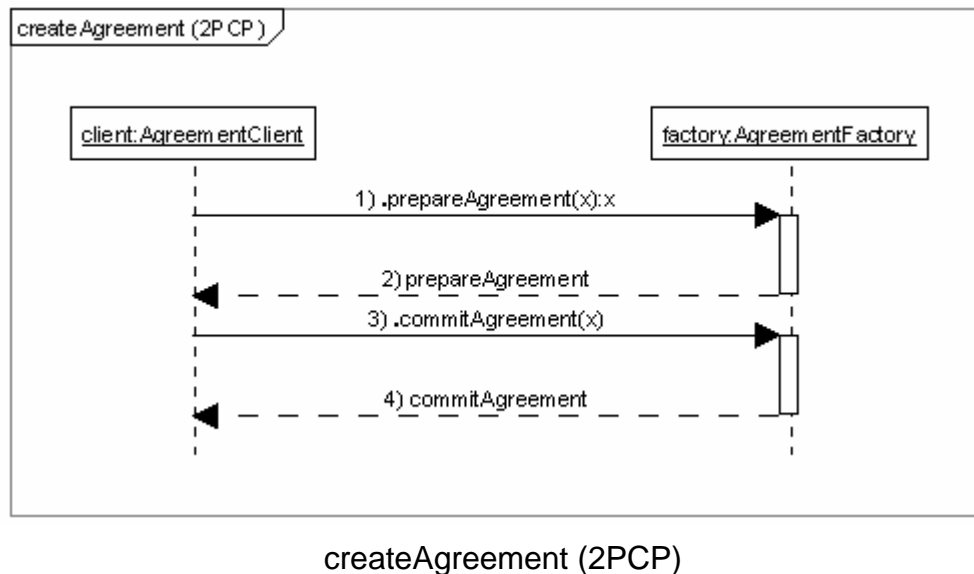
Refine agreement in/output

- New method CounterOffer refineAgreement(Offer)
- Input is a *normal* agreement offer (see WSAG specification)
- No agreement is created / no EPR is sent back
- Response is an (possibly refined) counter offer
- Content may change
 - e.g. ranges (CPU, memory, ...) may be refined
- refineAgreement can be called multiple times subsequently in the negotiation phase
 - Negotiating start times, resources, ...
- Only valid counter offers are returned
 - Counter offer can be created in principle
- Counter offer is only a hint (no guarantee)
 - No pre-reservation implied here
- Grey terms may be skipped in a first step (needed?)



refine agreement and agreement creation

Create Agreement (2PCP)



EPR `prepareAgreement(offer)`

- Same signature as `createAgreement`
- Creates a new Agreement
- Created Agreement is in new state Prepared
- Short lifetime (e.g. one minute)
- Includes resource pre-reservation
- No or reduced Penalties???

`void commitAgreement(EPR)`

- Commits the prepared agreement referenced by the EPR
- Changes the state to observed
- Regular lifetime
- Agreement costs/rewards/penalties become active
- No errors are thrown, since resources are pre-reserved

Communication errors are out of scope

RefineAgreement Extension

Types

```
<xs:element name="refineAgreementInput"
  type="wsag:RefineAgreementType"/>
<xs:element name="refineAgreementResponse"
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    <xs:element name="initiatorAgreementEPR"
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    <xs:element ref="wsag:AgreementOffer"/>
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  <wsdl:part name="parameters" element="wsag:refineAgreementResponse"/>
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```