



#### Walkthrough of supporting ontologies

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#### Outline

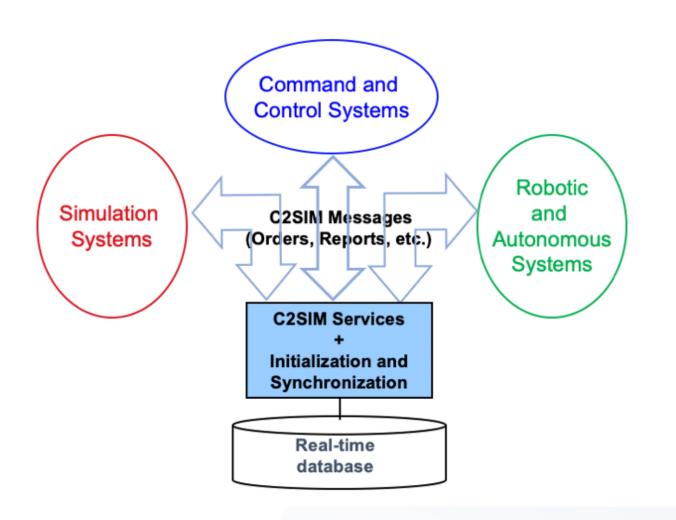


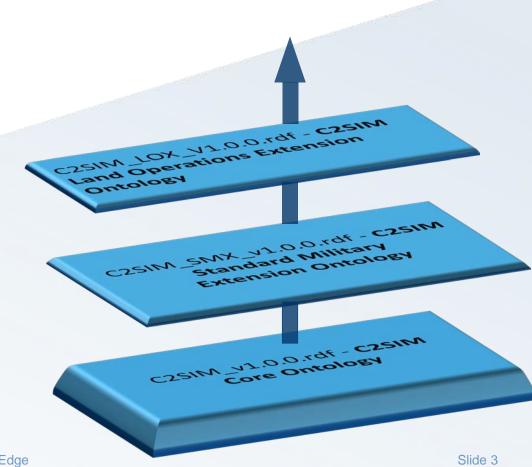
- C2SIM ontologies: Core Logical Data Model, SMX and LOX
  - Ontology Features: Taxonomy, Classes, Properties, Property Restrictions etc.
  - C2SIMContent, InitializationConcept, MessageConcept in different ontology layers
- C2SIM Extension Process using Protégé
  - Include extension into C2SIM structure
  - Model new information into ontology features
- Information Exchange with C2SIM
  - Ontology to Schema transformation
  - Schema to XML message



### C2SIM Information Exchange









## C2SIM Core LDM: Concept Structure



 InitializationConcept
 InitializationDataFile
 ScenarioSetting
 SystemEntityList

 ObjectDefintions
 ObjectDefintions

MessageConceptC2SIMHeaderMessageMessageBodyMessageCodeReportContentRequestContent

C2SIMContent

AbstractObject Action PhysicalConcept Code

Entity EntityType EntityDescriptor EntityState

Relationship Resource



## Ontology Features in Protégé

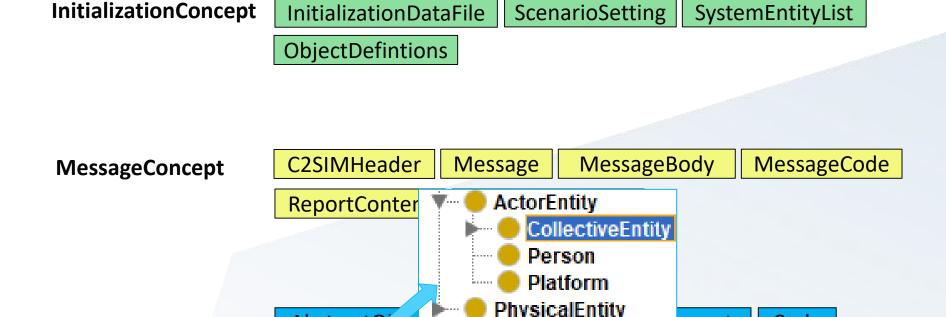


Annotation properties		Datatypes		Individuals
Classes	Object properties		Data properties	



# C2SIM Core LDM: C2SIMContent Entity





EntityType

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Relationship

**Entity** 

**C2SIMContent** 

Resource

EntityDescriptor

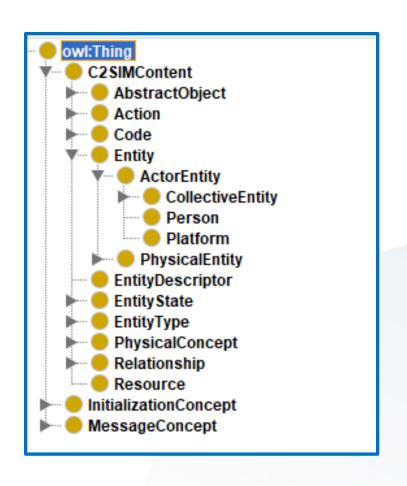
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EntityState



### Ontology Features in Protégé: Taxonomy



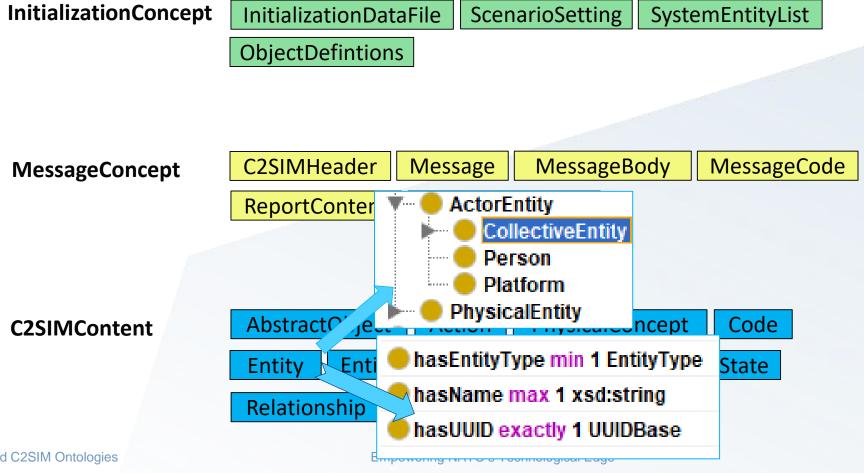


- Hypernymy: Superordination of classes
  - Superclass is defined by attributes
  - Transitive relation
- Hyponymy: Subordination of classes
  - "is a" -relation
  - Subclass inherits attributes from superclass
  - Subclass specifies through additional attributes
  - Transitive relation



## C2SIM Core LDM: Classes and Attributes



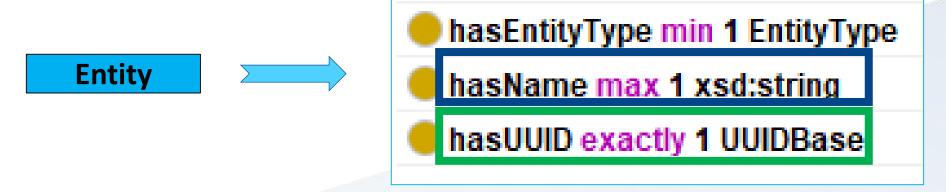




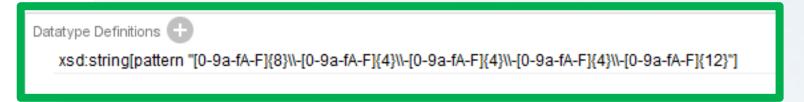
### Ontology Features in Protégé: Datatype Property (Restriction)



Datatype properties assign a property to a value type: string, int, byte, etc.



Definition of specific formats of a value with regular expressions: UUIDBase





# C2SIM Core LDM: Object Property (Restriction)

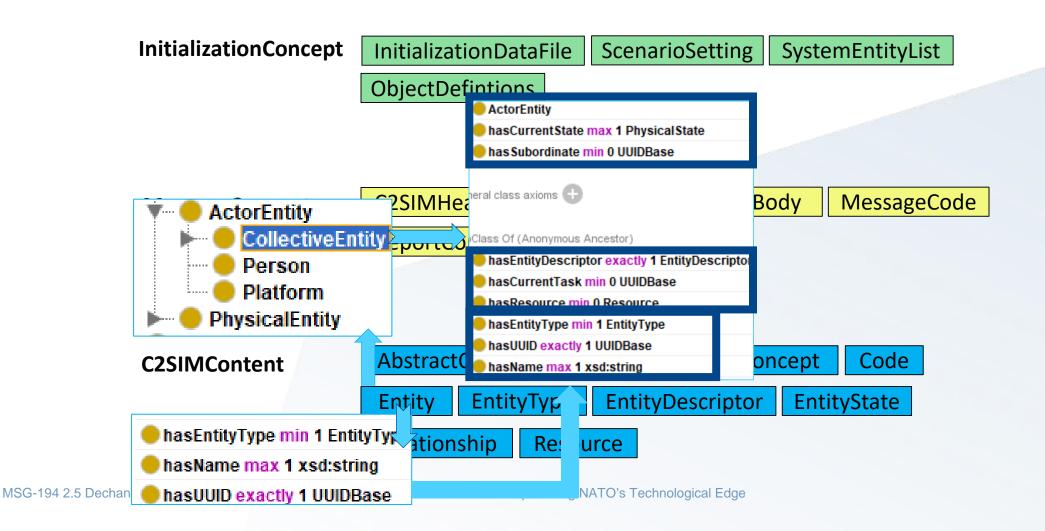


**InitializationConcept InitializationDataFile** ScenarioSetting SystemEntityList ObjectDefintions C2SIMHeader MessageBody MessageCode Message MessageConcept ReportContent RequestContent **AbstractObject** PhysicalConcept **Action** Code **C2SIMContent** EntityType EntityDescriptor EntityState **Entity** hasEntityType min 1 EntityType **nussurce JUDITUR** hasName max 1 xsd:string MSG-194 2.5 Dechan Empowering NATO's Technological Edge hasUUID exactly 1 UUIDBase



# C2SIM Core LDM: Taxonomy, Property Restrictions and Inheritance

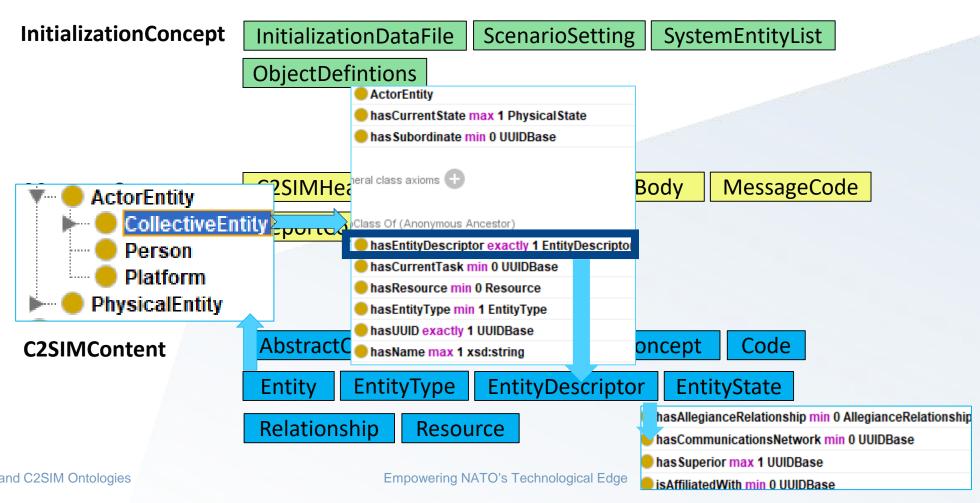






#### C2SIM Core LDM: Property Restrictions and extended Inheritance

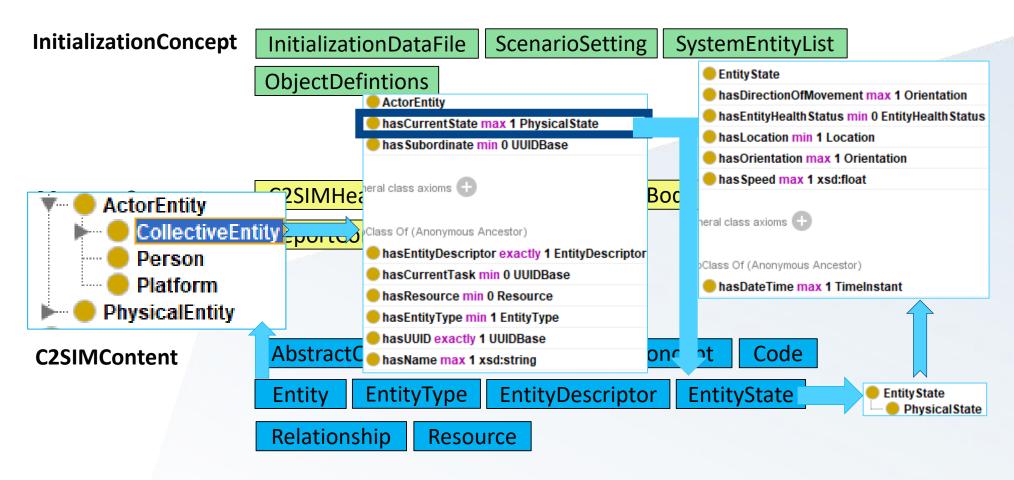






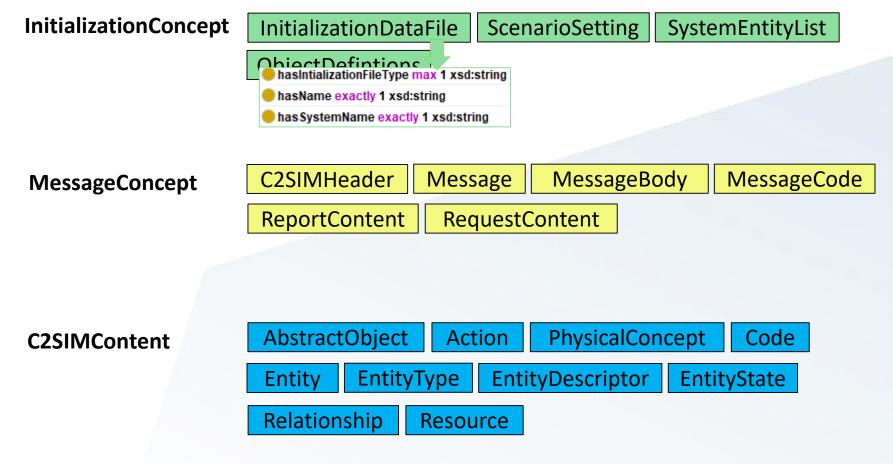
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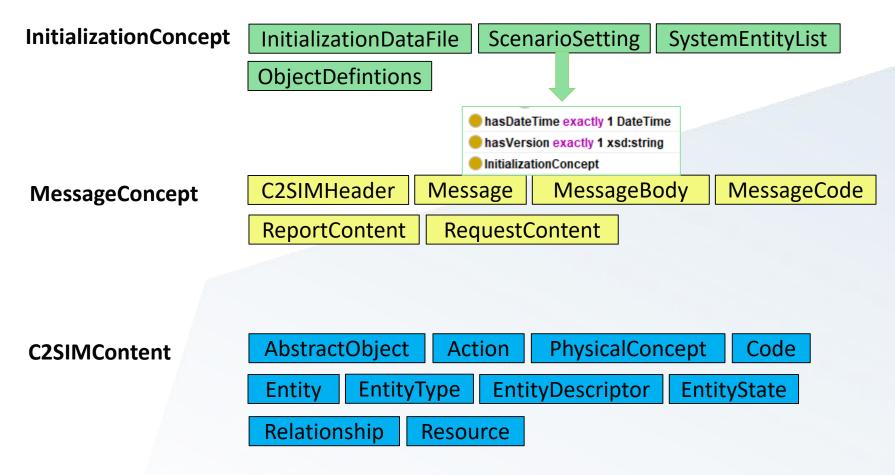


#### C2SIM Core LDM: InitializationConcept **InitalizationDataFile**



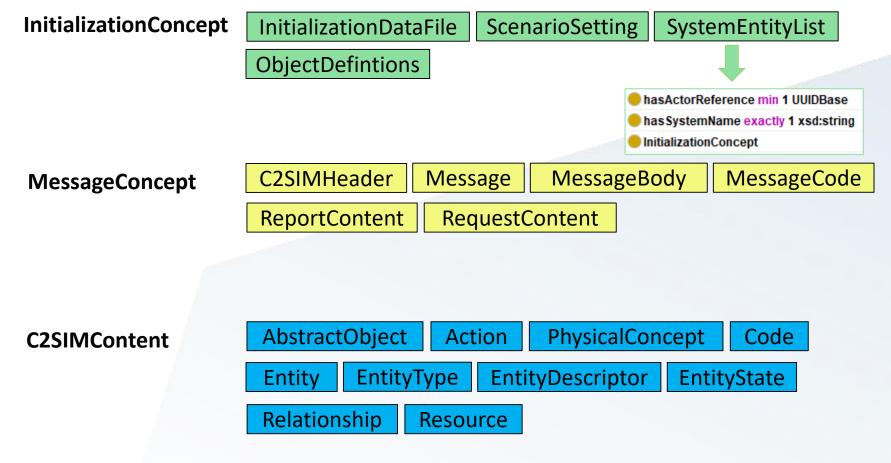


## C2SIM Core LDM: InitializationConcept ScenarioSetting



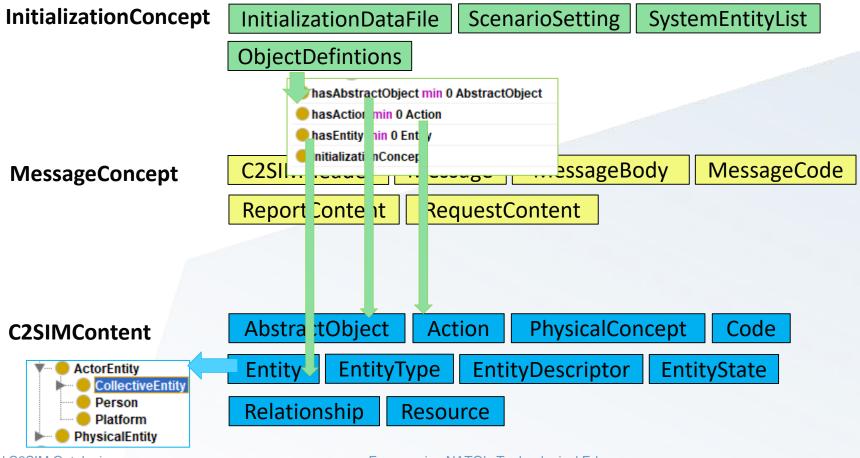


## C2SIM Core LDM: InitializationConcept SystemEntityList



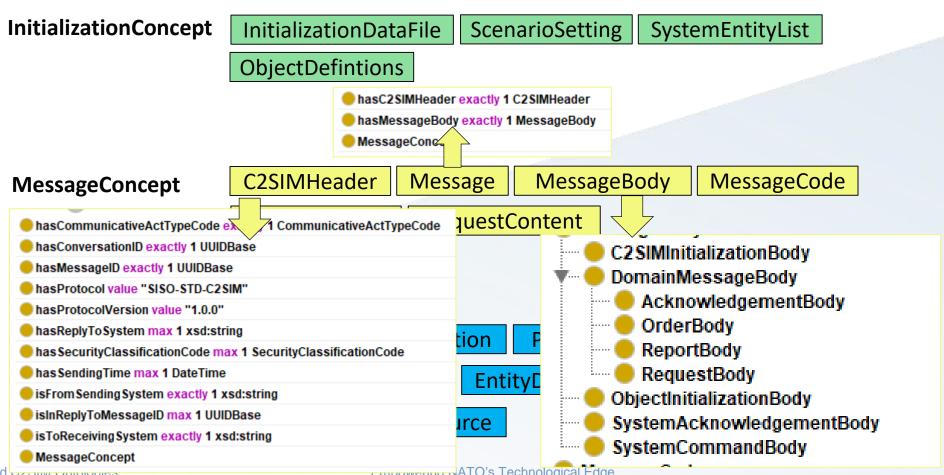


## C2SIM Core LDM: InitializationConceptation **ObjectDefinitions**





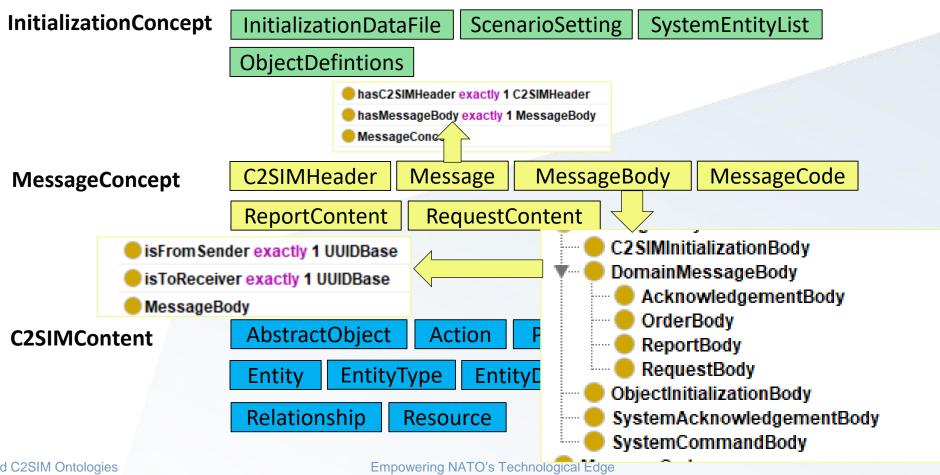
## C2SIM Core LDM: MessageConcept Message, C2SIMHeader, MessageBody





### C2SIM Core LDM: MessageConcept DomainMessageBody

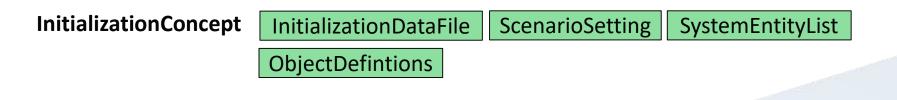


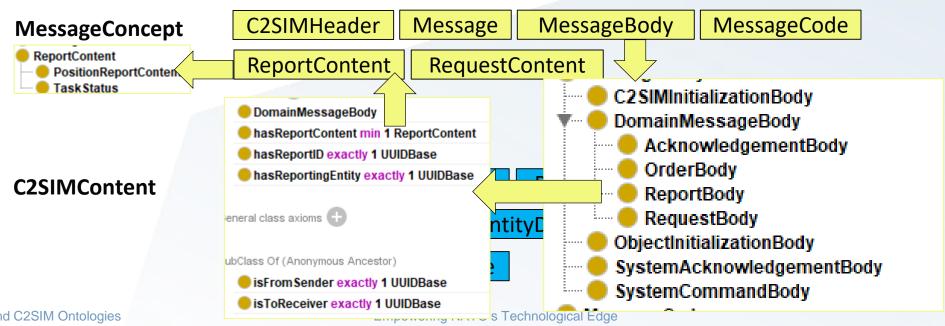




# C2SIM Core LDM: MessageConcept ReportBody



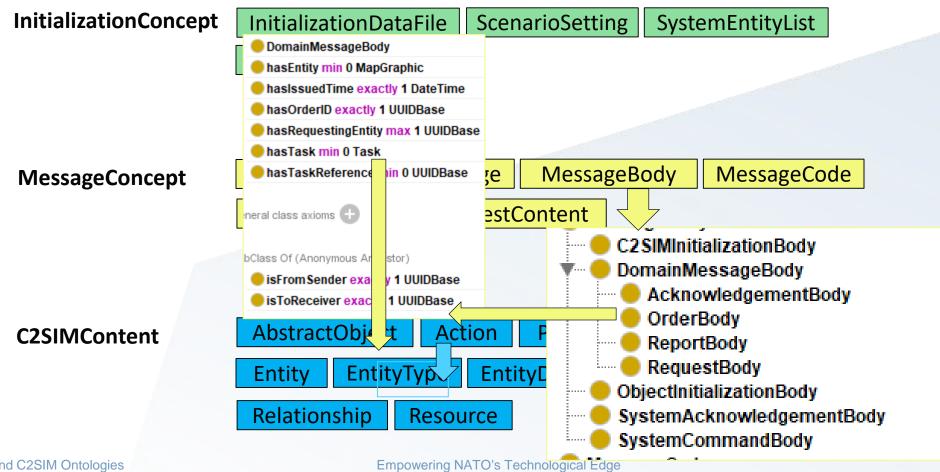






#### C2SIM Core LDM: MessageConcept OrderBody

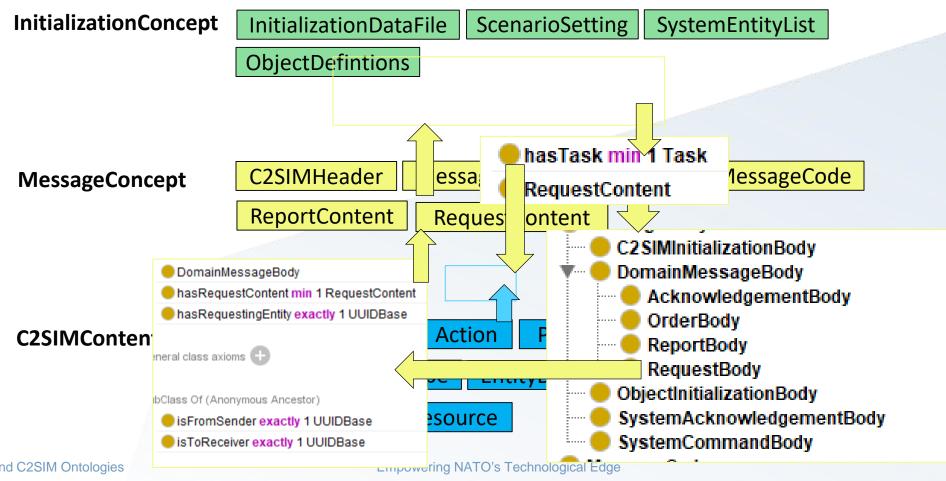






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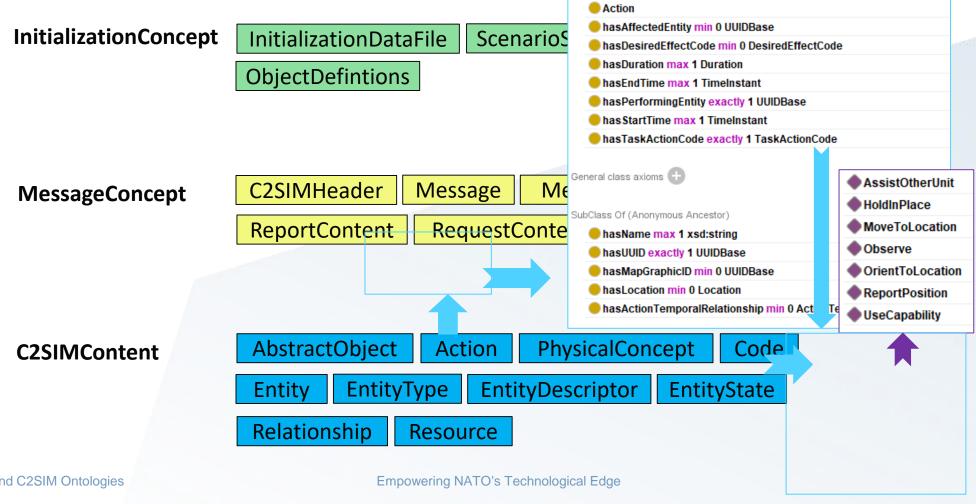




#### C2SIM Core LDM: C2SIMContent



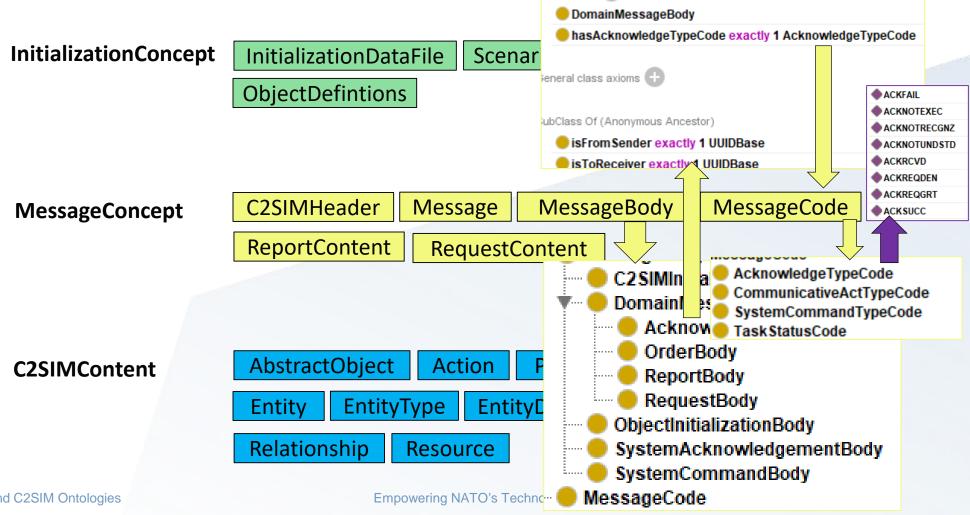
### Task





# C2SIM Core LDM: MessageConcept AcknowledgementBody

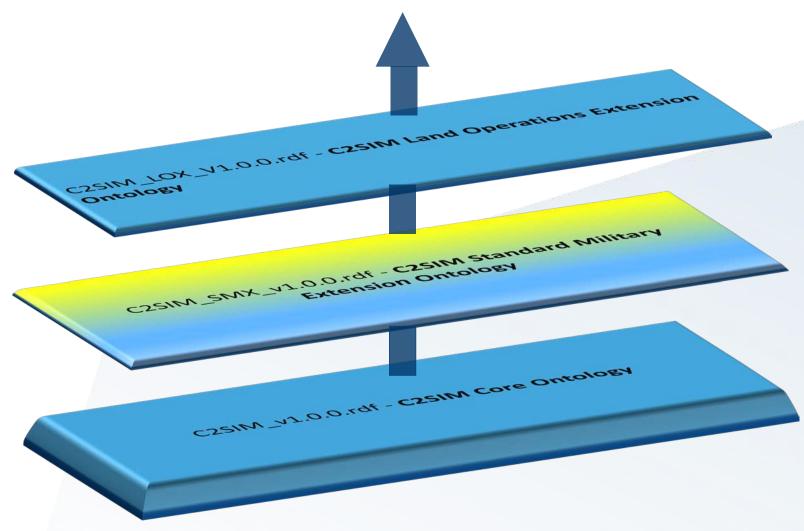






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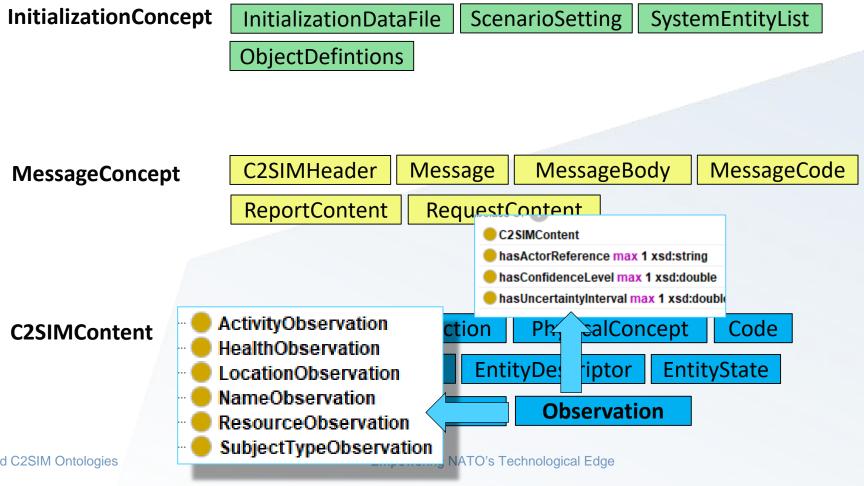






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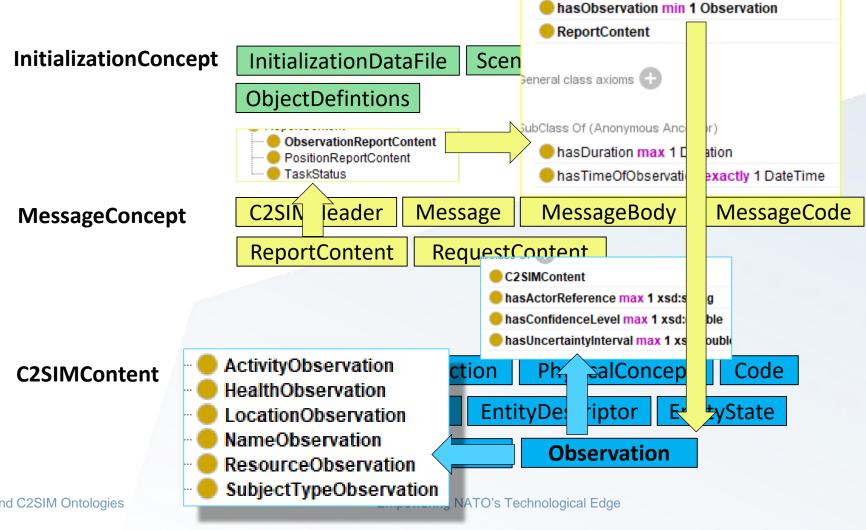






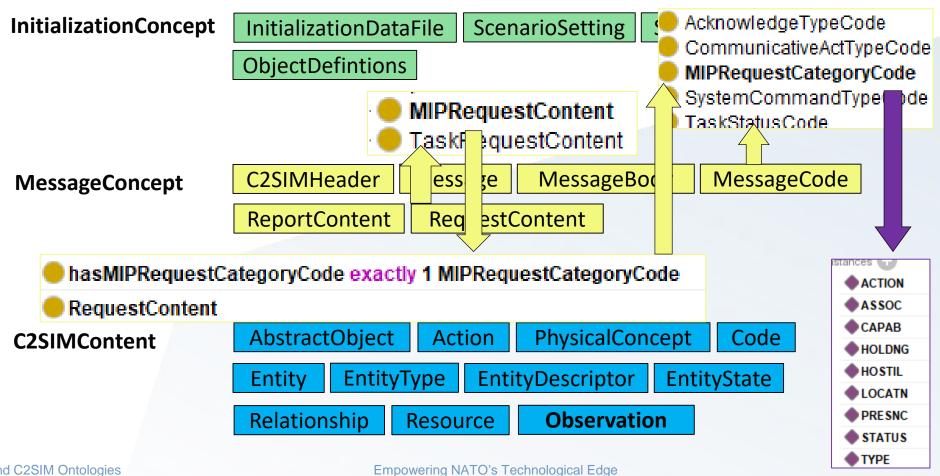
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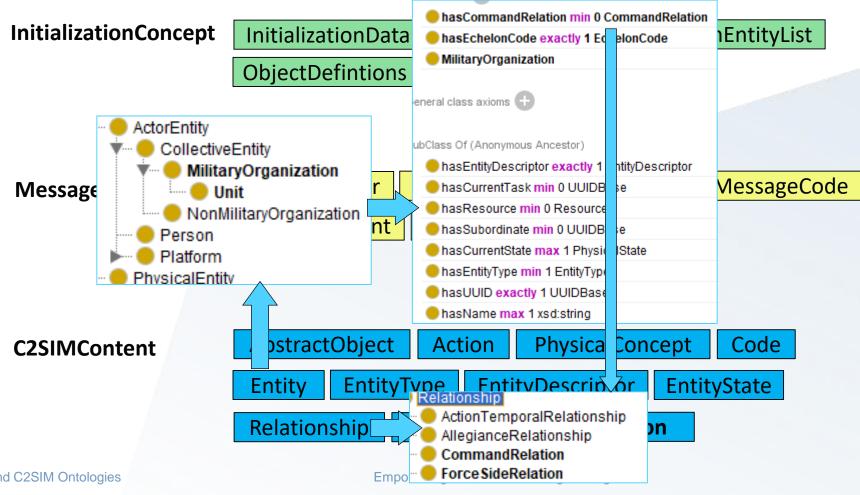
### C2SIM SMX: MessageConcept





# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Entity and CommandRelation

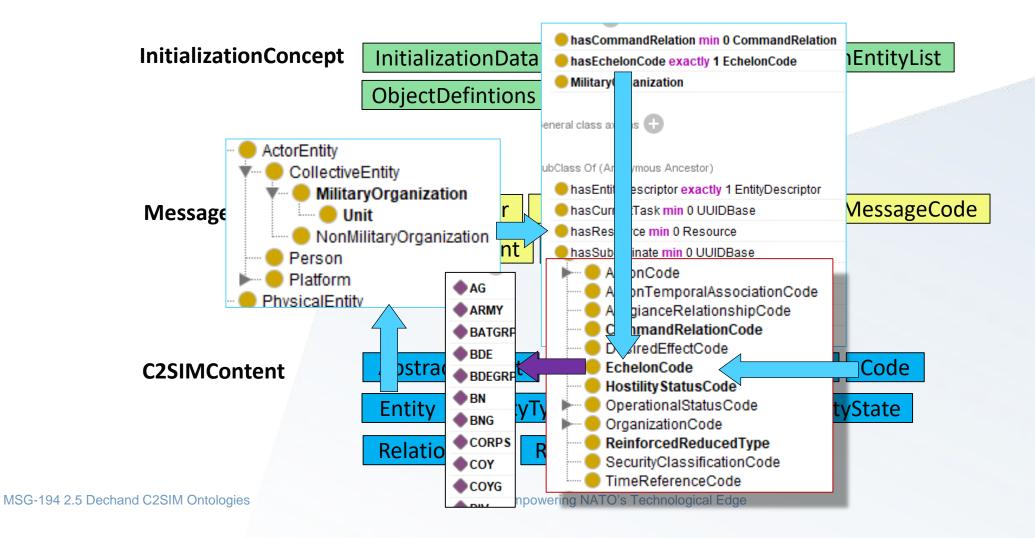






# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Entity and EchelonCode

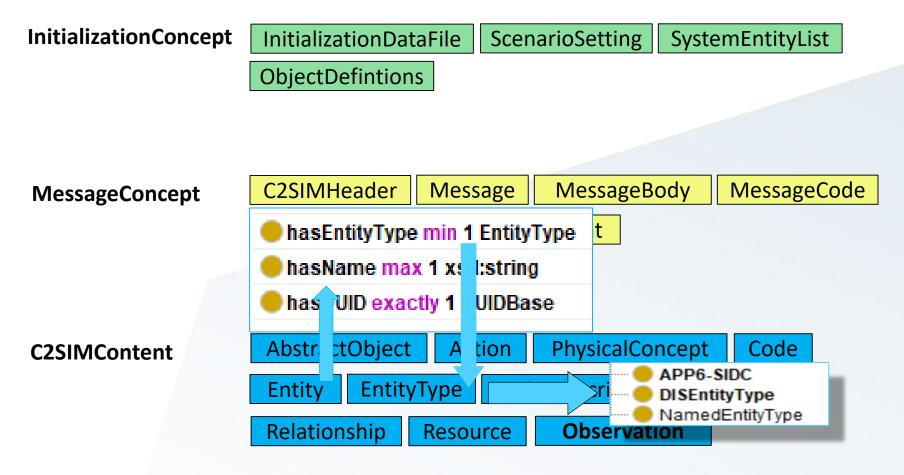






# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Entity and EntityType

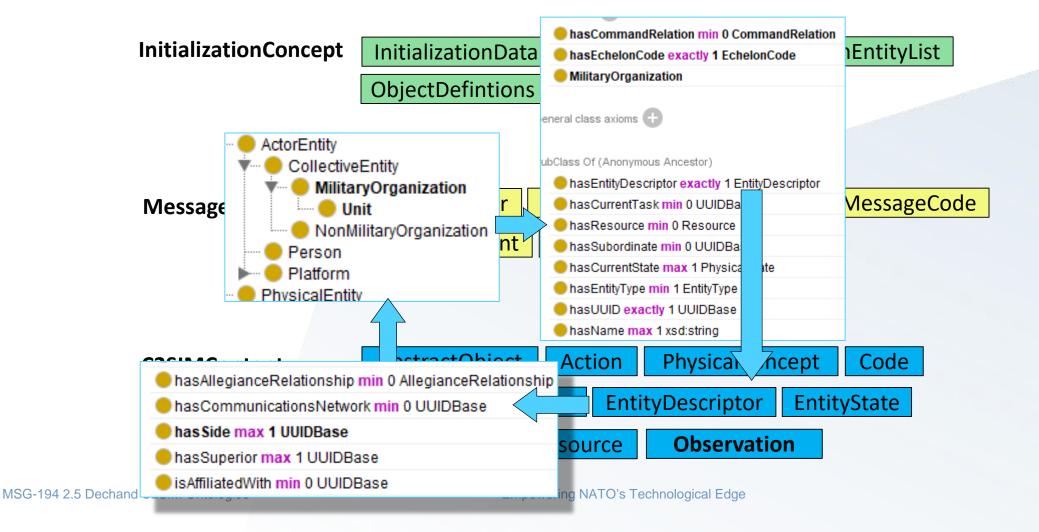






# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Entity and EntityDescriptor

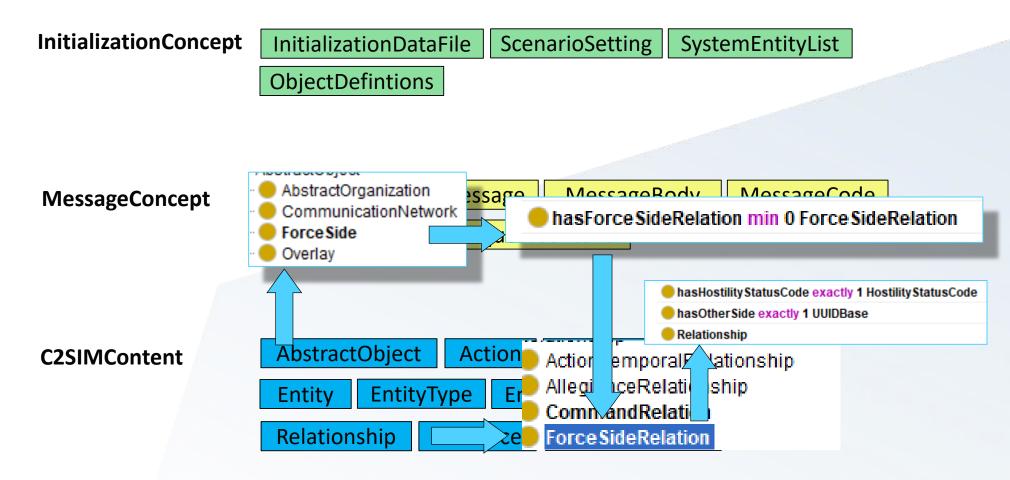






# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent AbstractObject and ForceSide

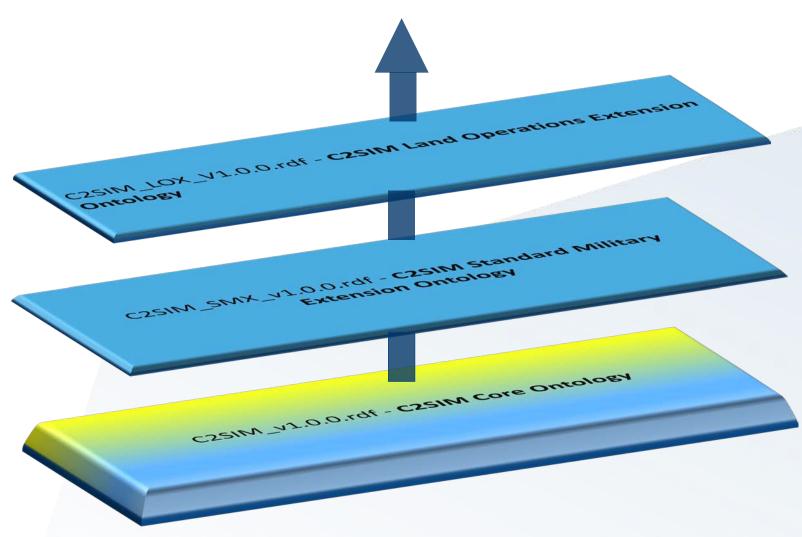






### Land Operation Extension (LOX)

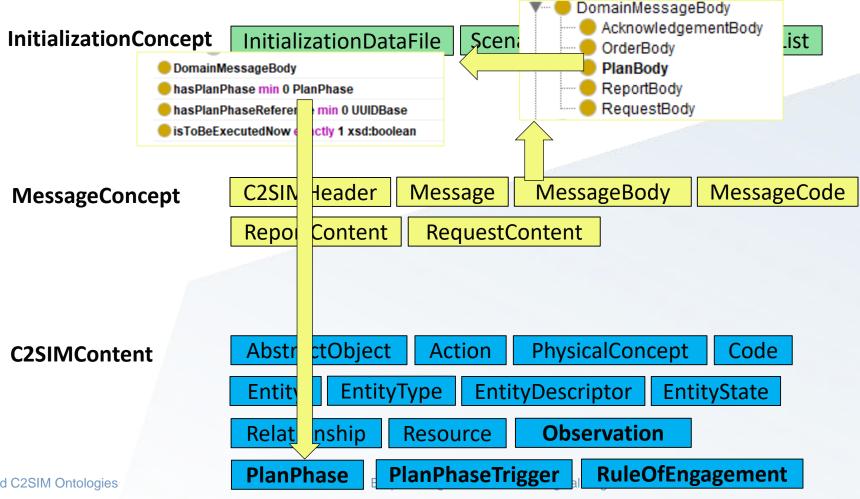






# C2SIM SMX: MessageBody PlanBody







# C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent PlanPhase and PlanPhase Trigger



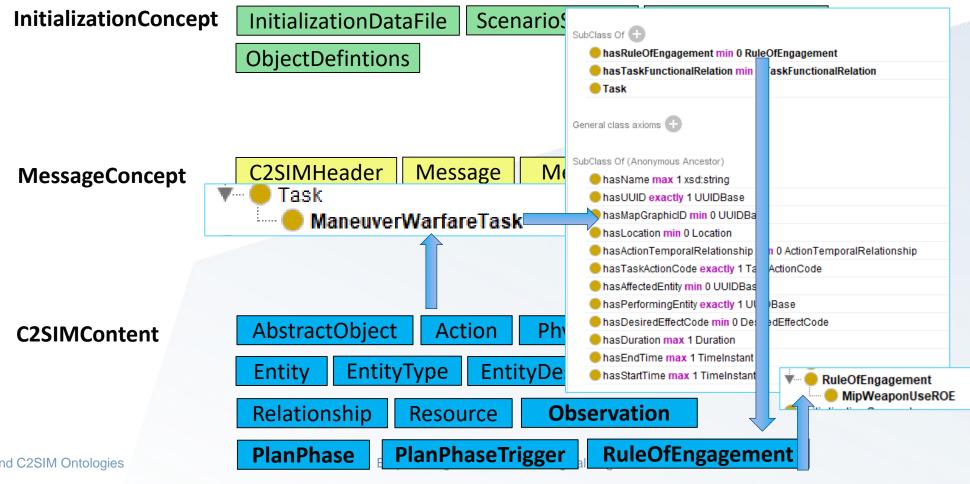
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## C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Task and ManeuverWarfareTask

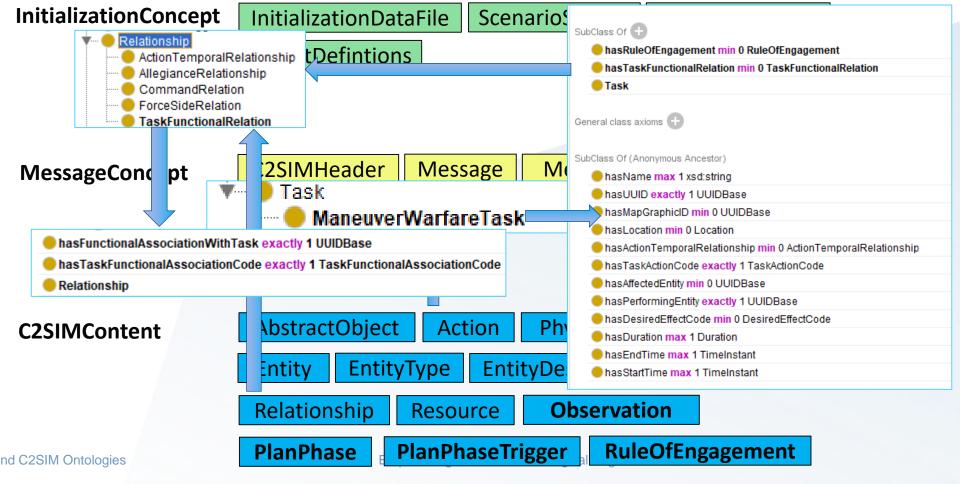






### C2SIM SMX: C2SIMContent Task and ManeuverWarfareTask



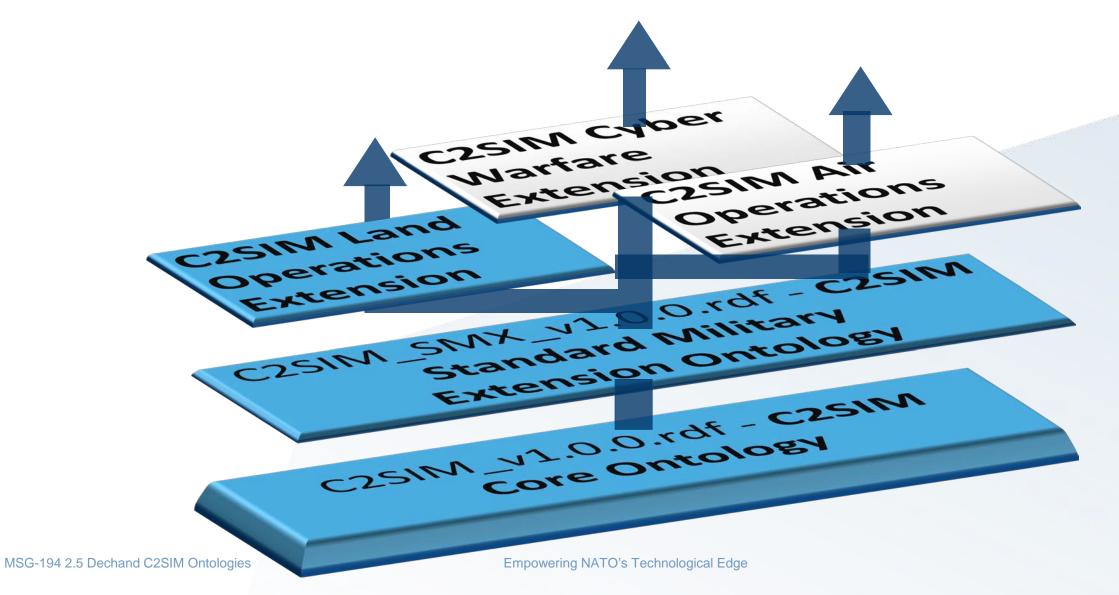




#### **C2SIM Extension Process**



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## C2SIM Extension Process Support

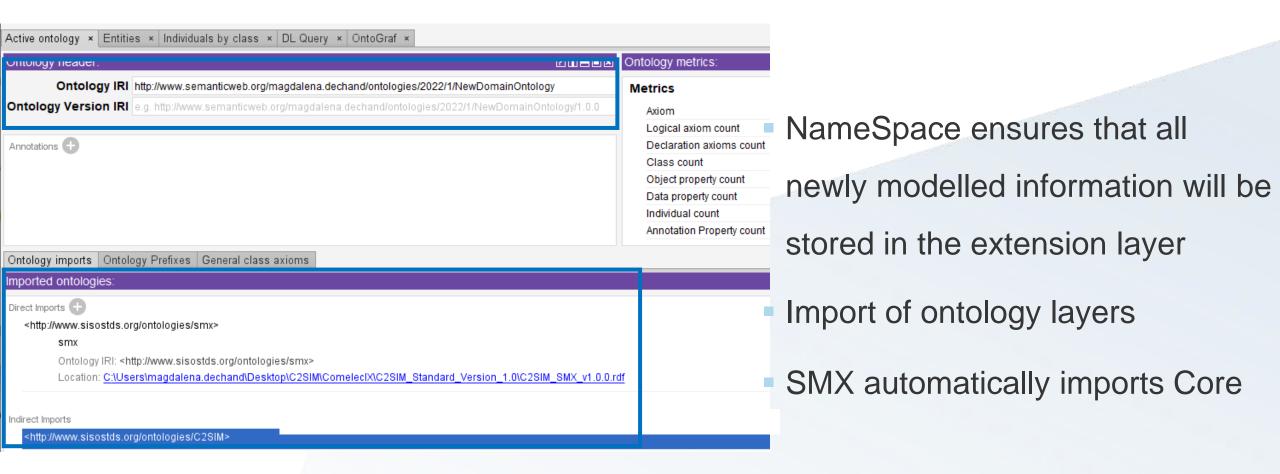


- Scenario driven vs. incorporating different standards to C2SIM
- Enable information exchange for initialization or for tasking and reporting
- Add or change concepts and properties to existing C2SIM ontologies
  - Problem Reports
  - Change Requests
- Create new domain extension
  - Join working group
  - Submit your extension to community



# C2SIM Structure NameSpace and Imports







# C2SIM Extension Ontology Features



- Add new concepts
  - Subclasses
    - Inherits property restrictions of superclass
    - Specify adding property restrictions
  - Create new individuals/instances as member of a class
- Add property restrictions to already existing classes
- Add data properties to use as restrictions
- Add new datatypes to use for datatype properties
- Add object properties to use as restrictions



## C2SIM Extension Process Add Classes

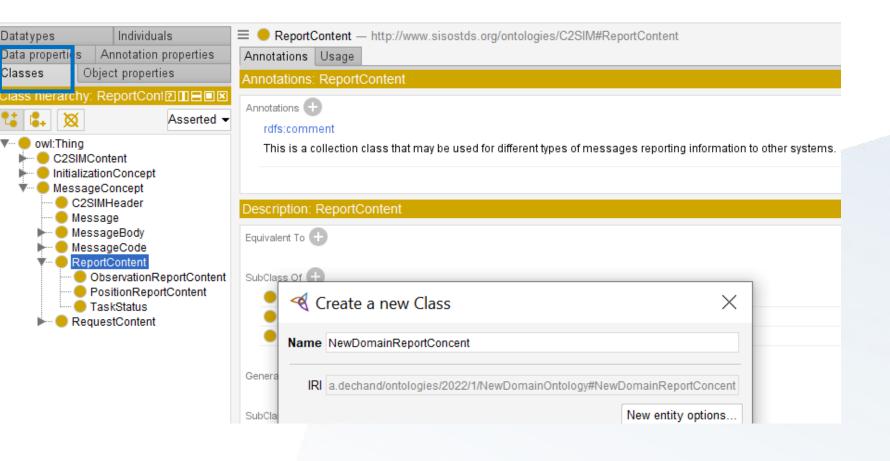


**InitializationConcept InitializationDataFile** ScenarioSetting SystemEntityList ObjectDefintions • • • MessageCode C2SIMHeader MessageBody Message MessageConcept ReportContent RequestContent AbstractObject PhysicalConcept **Action** Code **C2SIMContent** EntityType **EntityDescriptor** EntityState Entity **Observation** Relationship Resource



### C2SIM Extension Process Add Classes in Protégé



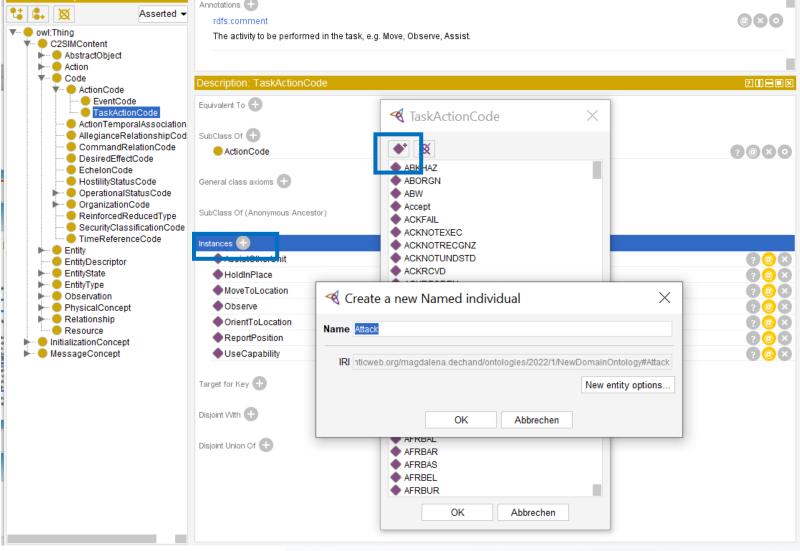


- Choose class Level to add subclass
- Choose name for subclass
- Create subclass



### C2SIM Extension Process Add Instances



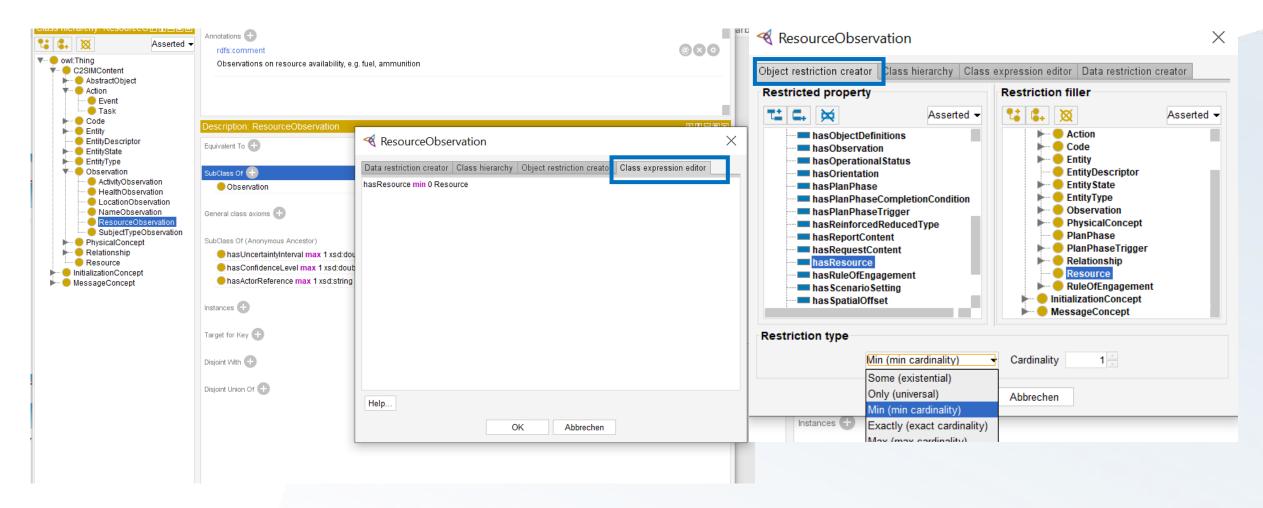


- Assign to a class
  - Use predefined list
- Create new Instance



## C2SIM Extension Process OTAN Add Property Restriction

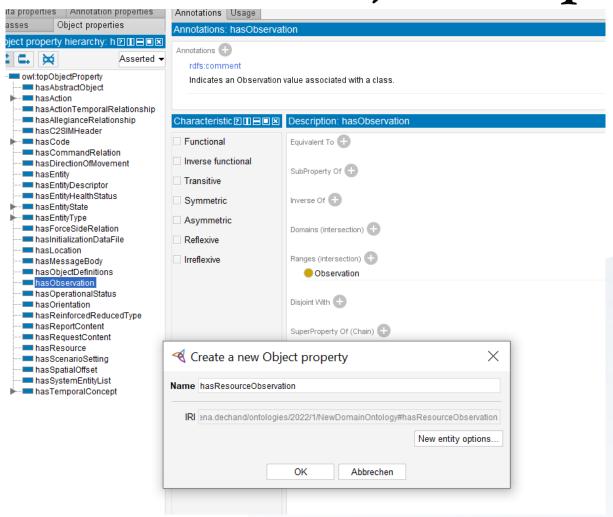






# C2SIM Extension Process Create Object Property



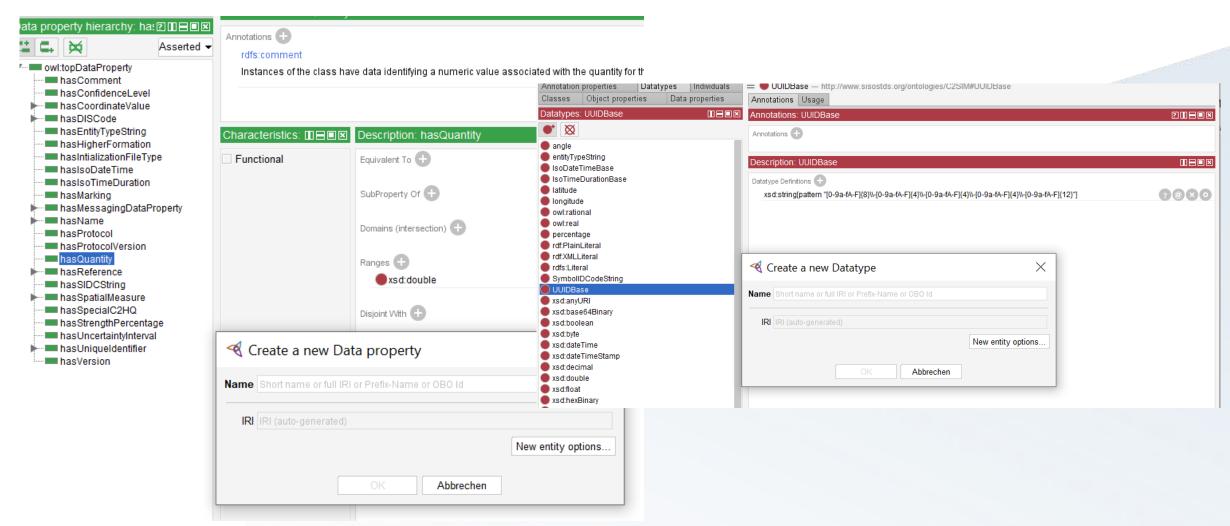


- Properties organized in taxonomy
- Characteristics not used in C2SIM
- Range needed for schema transformation



# C2SIM Extension Process Create Data Property and Datatype

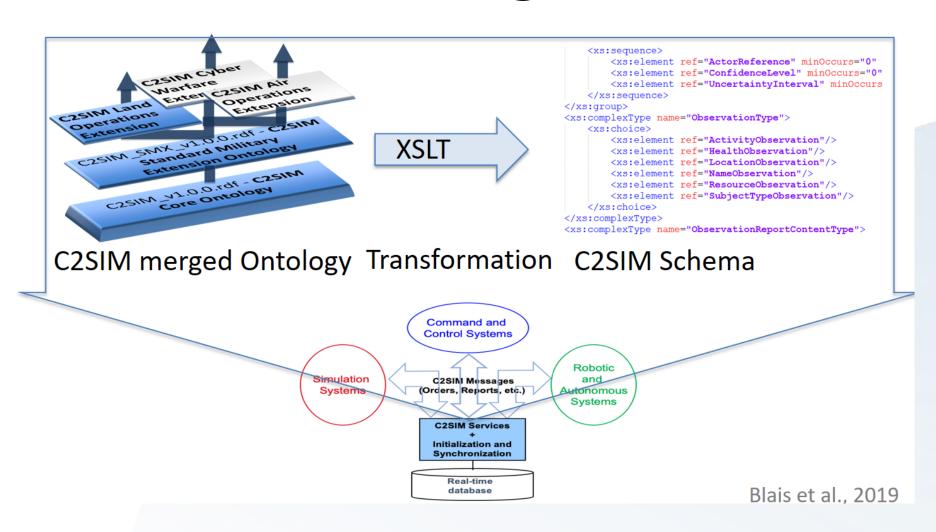






## C2SIM Transformatin Process for Information Exchange







### C2SIM\_SMX\_LOX\_v1.0.0.xsd



#### Schema

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#### XML Messages according to C2SIM Schema



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- C2SIM Products: https://www.sisostds.org/Default.aspx?tabid=105&EntryId=51847





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