

# Methods & Tools SIG report

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# Outline

## ◆ Actions

- ⇒ Thermodynamic version support
- ⇒ Flowsheet monitoring
- ⇒ Common interface specification
  - Collection
  - Parameters
- ⇒ COSE Simulation Context interface

## ◆ Objectives next period

# Action: Thermo version support

## ◆ Objective

- ⇒ Provide a means for PMCs and PME's to expose which version(s) of CAPE-OPEN thermodynamic interfaces are supported

## ◆ Progress: delivered

- ⇒ Solution described in latest version of Unit Operation interface specification: refer to chapter 7

# Thermo version support

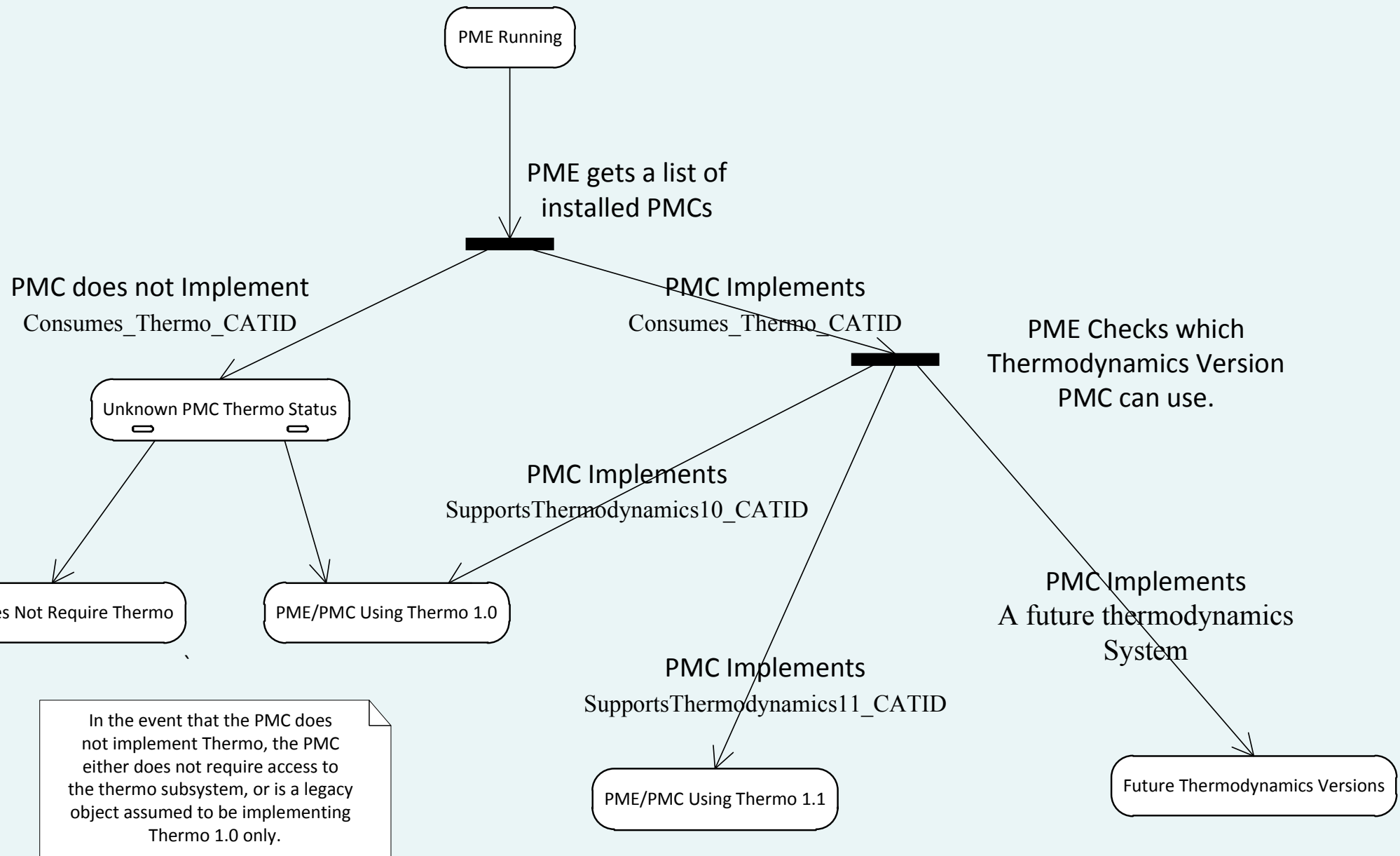
## ◆ Context

- ⇒ Useful for PME to know if a given PMC needs access to thermodynamic subsystem

## ◆ Solution

- ⇒ Any PMC should be registered with following CATID
  - Consumes\_Thermo\_CATID: {4150C28A-EE06-403f-A871-87AFEC38A249}
- ⇒ PMCs that consume thermodynamics will use the following two new CATIDs to indicate which version(s) of the thermodynamic interfaces are supported:
  - SupportsThermodynamics10\_CATID: {0D562DC8-EA8E-4210-AB39-B66513C0CD09}
  - SupportsThermodynamics11\_CATID: {4667023A-5A8E-4cca-AB6D-9D78C5112FED}

# Thermo version support



# Action: Flowsheet Monitoring

## ◆ Objectives:

- ⇒ Review, revise and publish the proposed draft for CAPE-OPEN Flowsheet Monitoring interfaces
- ⇒ Provide demos

## ◆ Progress:

- ⇒ Publicized in journal papers and conferences
- ⇒ No formal review and publication yet
- ⇒ Demos available from AmsterCHEM and US EPA

# Action: Collection Common interface

- ◆ **Objective: Resolve issues with the Common interface specification**
- ◆ **Errata and Clarifications document drafted**
- ◆ **Addresses**
  - ⇒ **A NULL Item pointer should be accompanied by an error condition**
  - ⇒ **Collection lower index should be 1**

# Action: Parameters common interface

## ◆ Objectives:

- ⇒ Publish recommendations for minimum level of parameter support by PME
- ⇒ Review dimensionality

## ◆ Progress:

- ⇒ Modifications brought to interface document
- ⇒ Errata and clarifications document drafted
  - Addresses dimensionality for Boolean and Option parameters

## ◆ Next task:

- ⇒ complete revision of Parameters Common interface to eliminate ambiguities



# Action: COSE Simulation Context interface

- ◆ **Objective:**
  - ⇒ remove ambiguities
- ◆ **Progress:**
  - ⇒ Errata and Clarifications document drafted
  - ⇒ Addresses Named Value list
- ◆ **Future step:**
  - ⇒ Request For Comments and publication

# Objectives next period

- ◆ **Parameters Common Interface specification**
  - ⇒ Publish intermediate errata and clarifications document
  - ⇒ Complete revision
- ◆ **Publish errata and clarifications documents**
  - ⇒ Collection Common interface specification
  - ⇒ COSE Simulation Context interface specification
- ◆ **Flowsheet Monitoring**
  - ⇒ Conduct RFC
  - ⇒ Discuss with software vendors plans for implementation