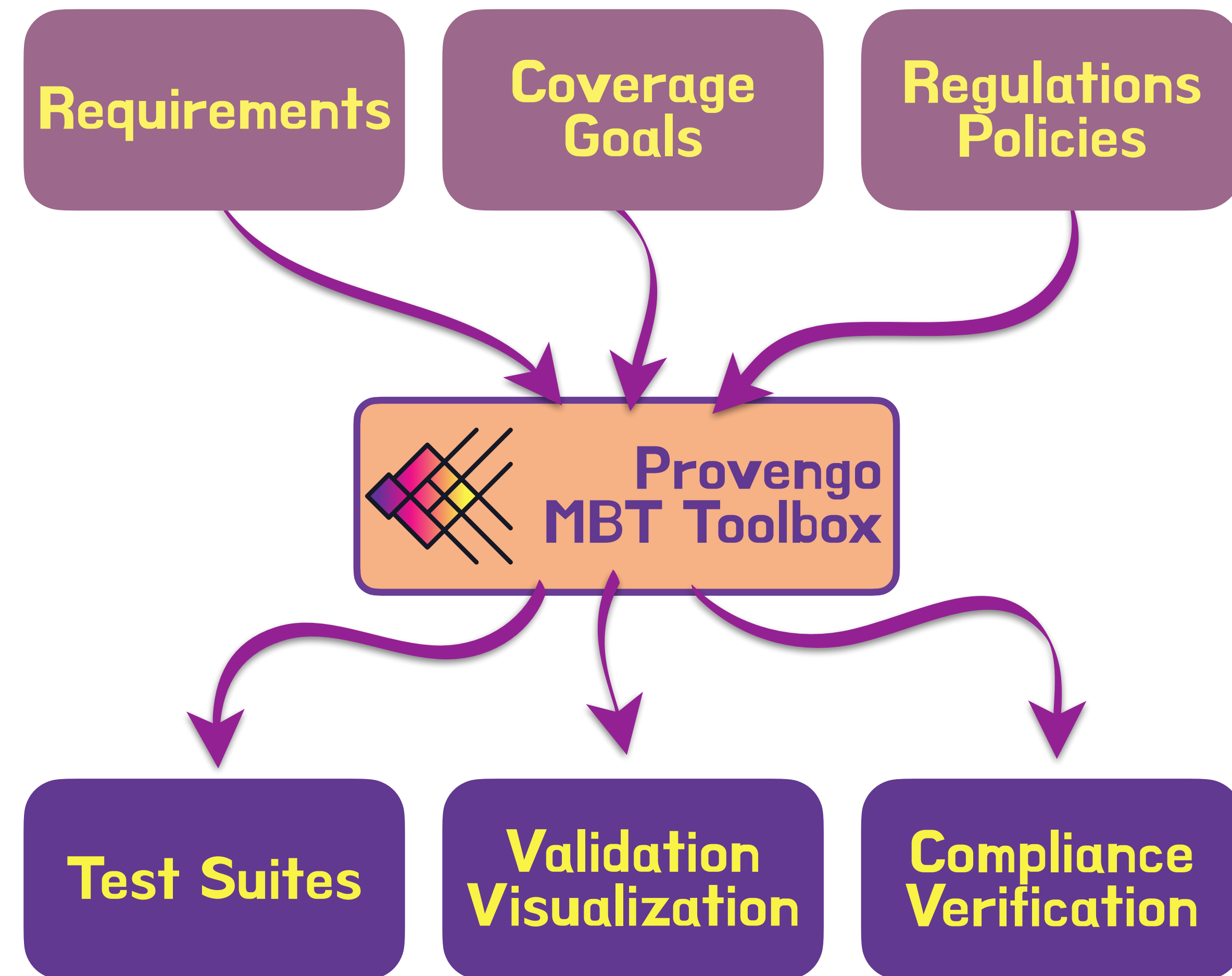




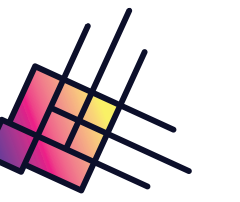
# Power Tools *for* Model-Based Testing

# Model-Based Testing

Model-Based Testing is a set of tools and techniques to **automatically derive test suites and test scenarios** from system specifications. Derived tests can be executed using **test automation**, exported as **manual test books**, or generated as code for **3rd party tools**. Model-Based Testing can also **validate and verify** system or feature specifications, even before implementation begins.



# Upsides of Model-Based Testing with Provengo



## *Provengo's Model-Based Testing Toolbox helps you:*

- Reduce time to market
- Stay within budget
- Improve quality *without sacrificing* agility
- Reduce development risks and deploy with confidence
- Get comprehensive test coverage faster
- Drastically reduce test maintenance efforts
- Uncover design errors earlier and at a lower cost
- De-risk usage of GenAI coding tools

Topic — Artificial Intelligence



## AI-Generated Code is Causing Outages and Security Issues in Businesses

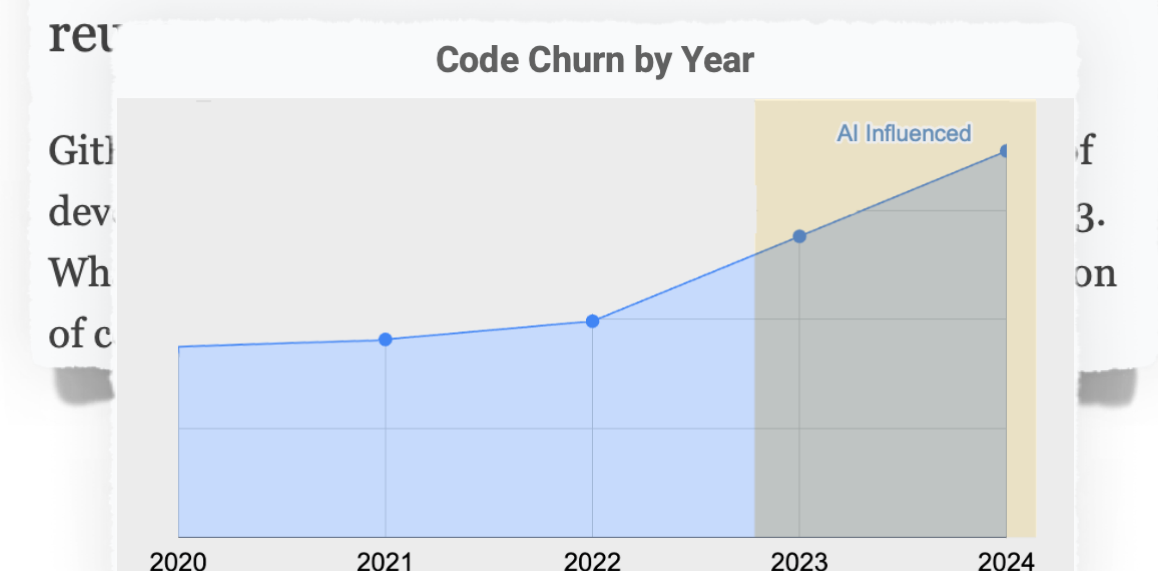
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Tariq Shaukat, CEO of Sonar, is “hearing more and more” about companies that have used AI to write their code experiencing downtime.

## Coding on Copilot: 2023 Data Suggests Downward Pressure on Code Quality

Including 2024 projections for specific code



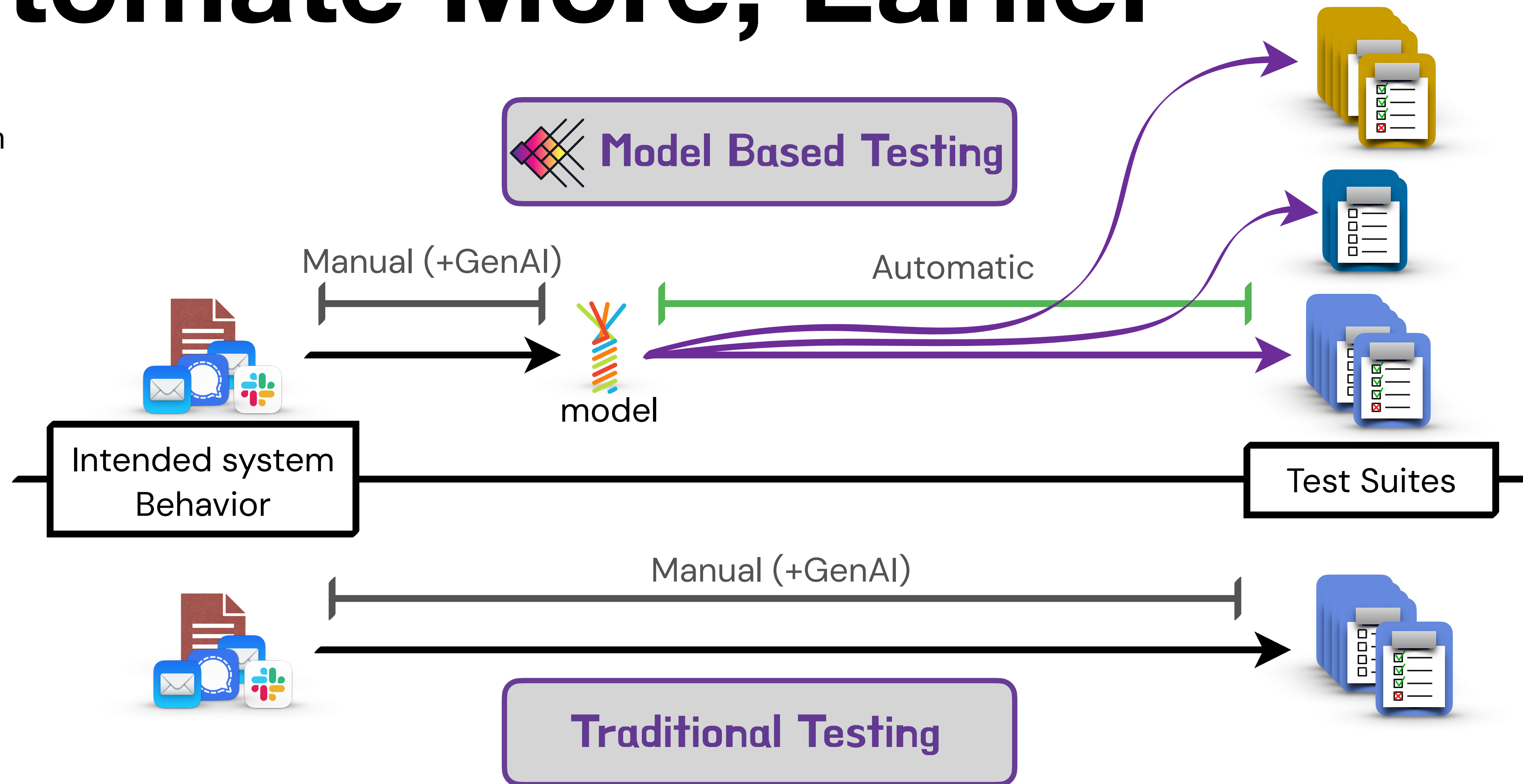
# Automate More, Earlier

Traditional testing methods rely on the QA team writing maintaining test scenarios manually.

Maintaining alignment between the requirements and the test suites is tricky and laborious.

Model-based testing captures intended system behavior in a formal model. It then uses this model to automatically generate test scenarios, and compose optimized test suites. Maintaining alignment between the requirements and the test is done automatically.

Since test suite generation is automatic, it is very easy and fast to generate and maintain test suites focused on specific goals.

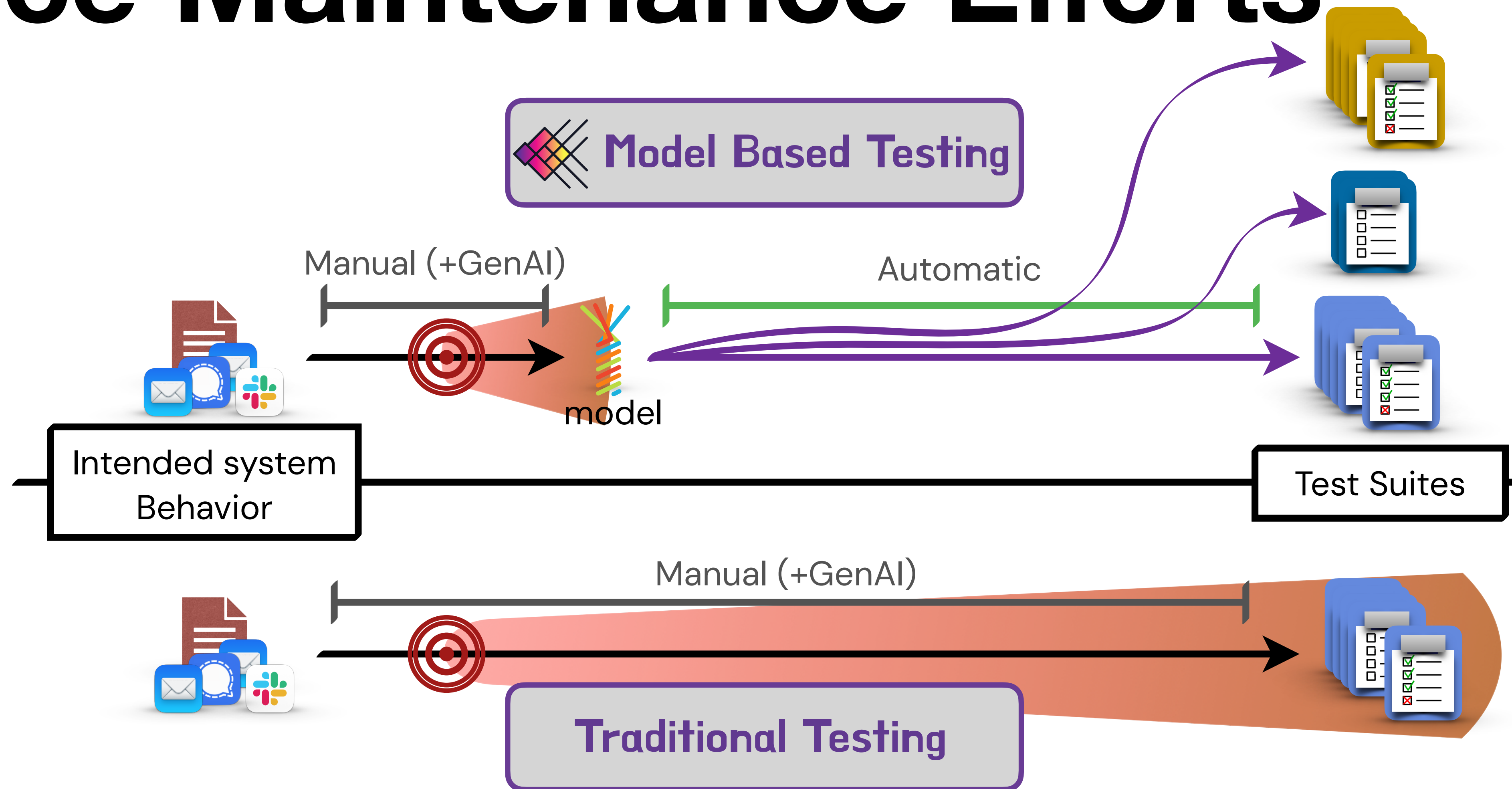


# Reduce Maintenance Efforts

Changes\* in system requirements or interfaces require changes to test suites and individual scenarios.

In traditional testing techniques, this effort is proportional to the amount of test scenarios, which forces QA team to choose between being agile and having a good test coverage.

When using Provengo, users can discard the old scenarios, update the model, and re-generate the test suites. So you can be both agile *and* have good test coverage. With less effort.



\* Or mis-alignments, ambiguities, and general mis-understandings between stakeholders. We know, we've been there ;-)



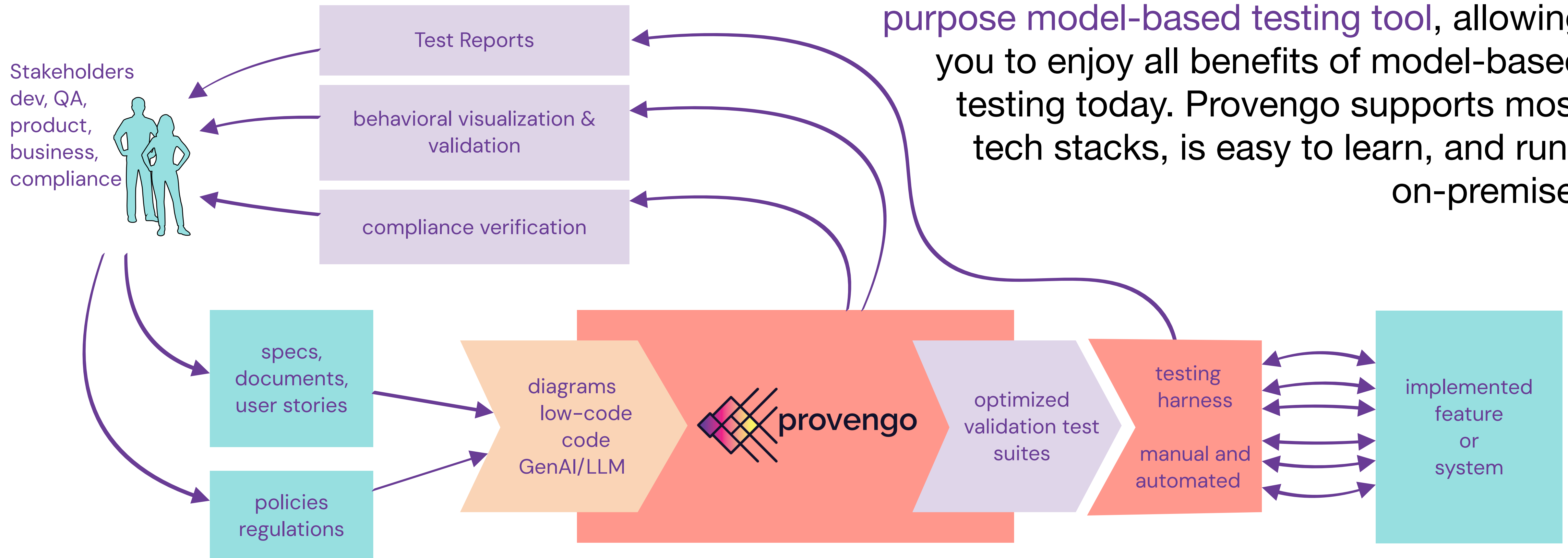
# Testing: Model-Based vs. Traditional

|                                | Traditional                              | Model Based Testing  |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Test Scenario Generation       | Manual                                   | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Test Plan Generation           | Manual                                   | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Test Plan Maintenance          | Manual, laborious                        | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Requirement Validation         | n/a                                      | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Scenario Visualization         | n/a                                      | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Stakeholder Alignment          | n/a                                      | Helps align teams using automatically generated visualizations and scenarios                            |
| Measurable Functional Coverage | n/a                                      | Automatic                                                                                               |
| Test suite optimization        | Manual, lots of work                     | Automatic                                                                                               |
| System and test documentation  | Manual                                   | Accurately documents intended system behavior                                                           |
| Effect on Agile                | Test maintenance decreases team velocity | Faster+earlier feedback cycles, increased quality at no cost to team velocity                           |
| Automation                     | After system development                 | <i>Starts with design</i>                                                                               |



# Provengo System Overview

Provengo created a **breakthrough general-purpose model-based testing tool**, allowing you to enjoy all benefits of model-based testing today. Provengo supports most tech stacks, is easy to learn, and runs on-premise.

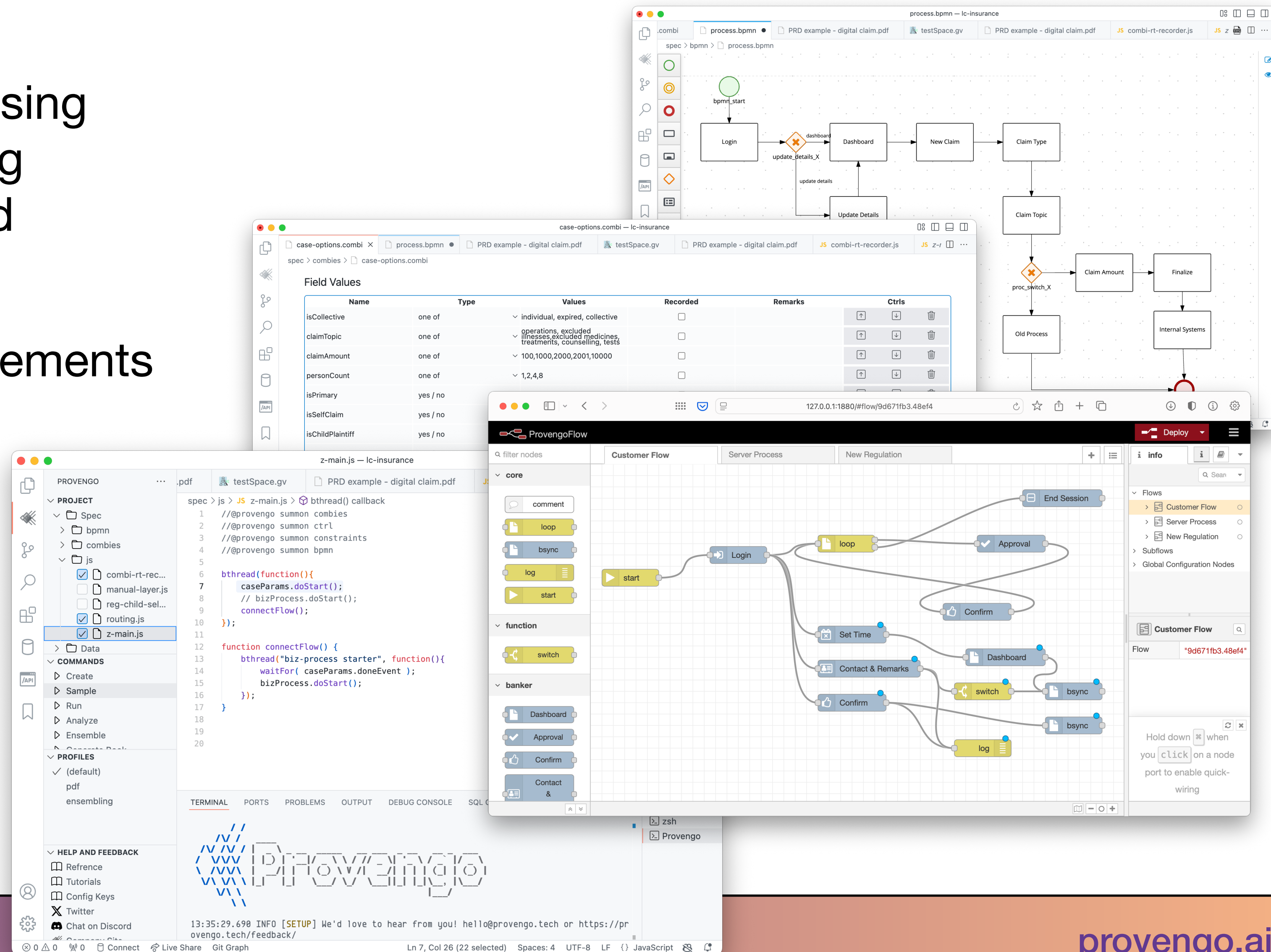


# Modeling with Provengo

Describe intended system behavior using various modeling languages, including diagrams, low-code, form-based, and specialized JavaScript.

Use Generative AI tools to turn requirements into code.

Provengo compiles multiple languages into a single, complete model. This allows users to create comprehensive models by mixing and matching intuitive, complementary descriptions.



# Visualization and Validation

Model visualizations and generated scenarios are great ways to validate intended system behavior with non-technical stakeholders, *before development even begins.*

Provengo Test-Book

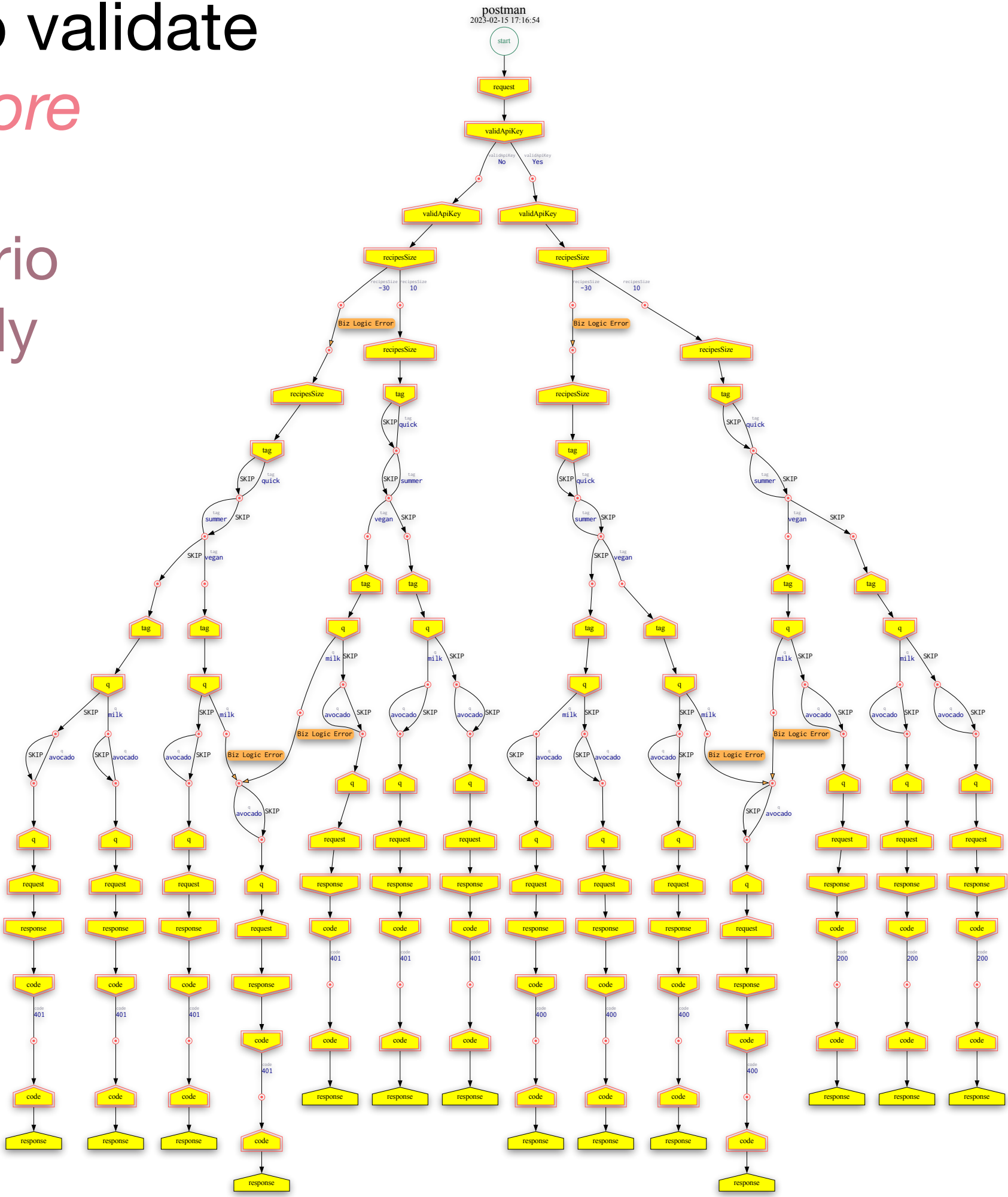
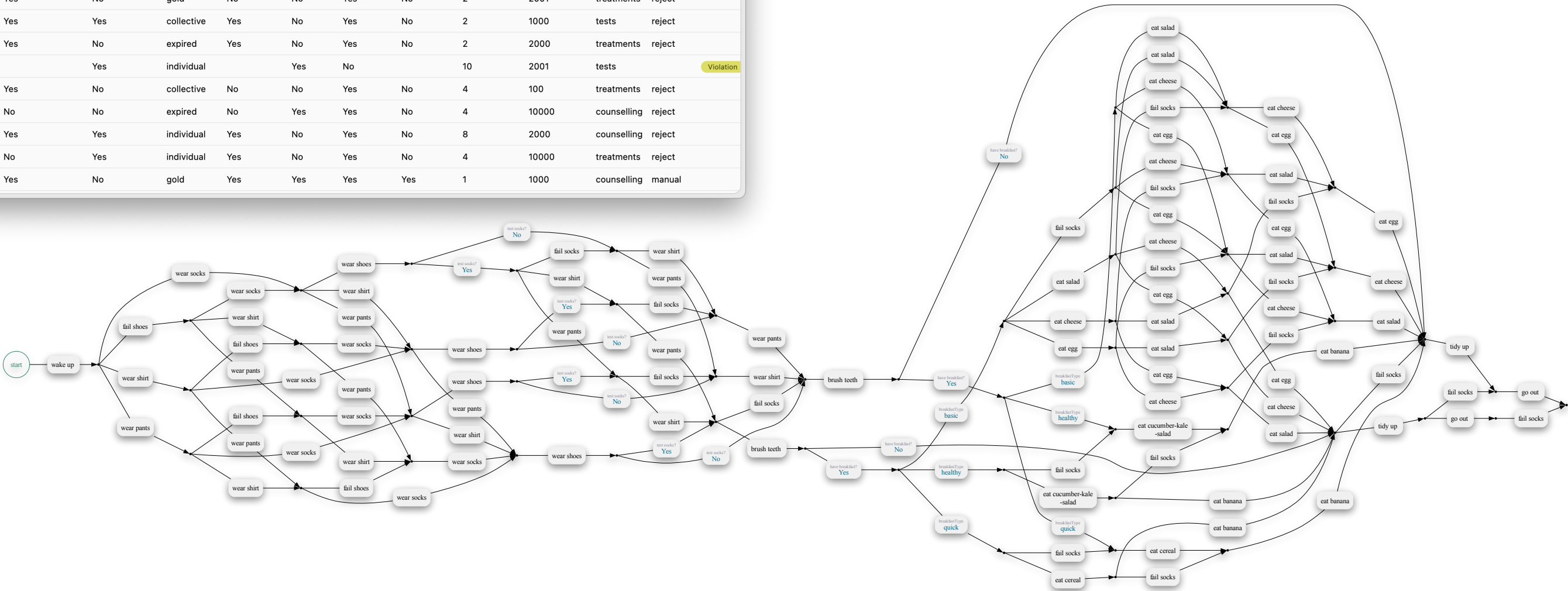
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| Test 2  | No         | Yes               | No               | Yes              | collective   | Yes           | Yes       | Yes         | Yes           | 4           | 2001        | treatments  | manual  |           |        |
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| Test 7  | No         | Yes               | Yes              | Yes              | collective   | Yes           | No        | Yes         | No            | 2           | 1000        | tests       | reject  |           |        |
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| Test 12 | No         | Yes               | Yes              | Yes              | individual   | Yes           | No        | Yes         | No            | 8           | 2000        | counselling | reject  |           |        |
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Model visualizations and scenario tables on this page automatically generated using Provengo.

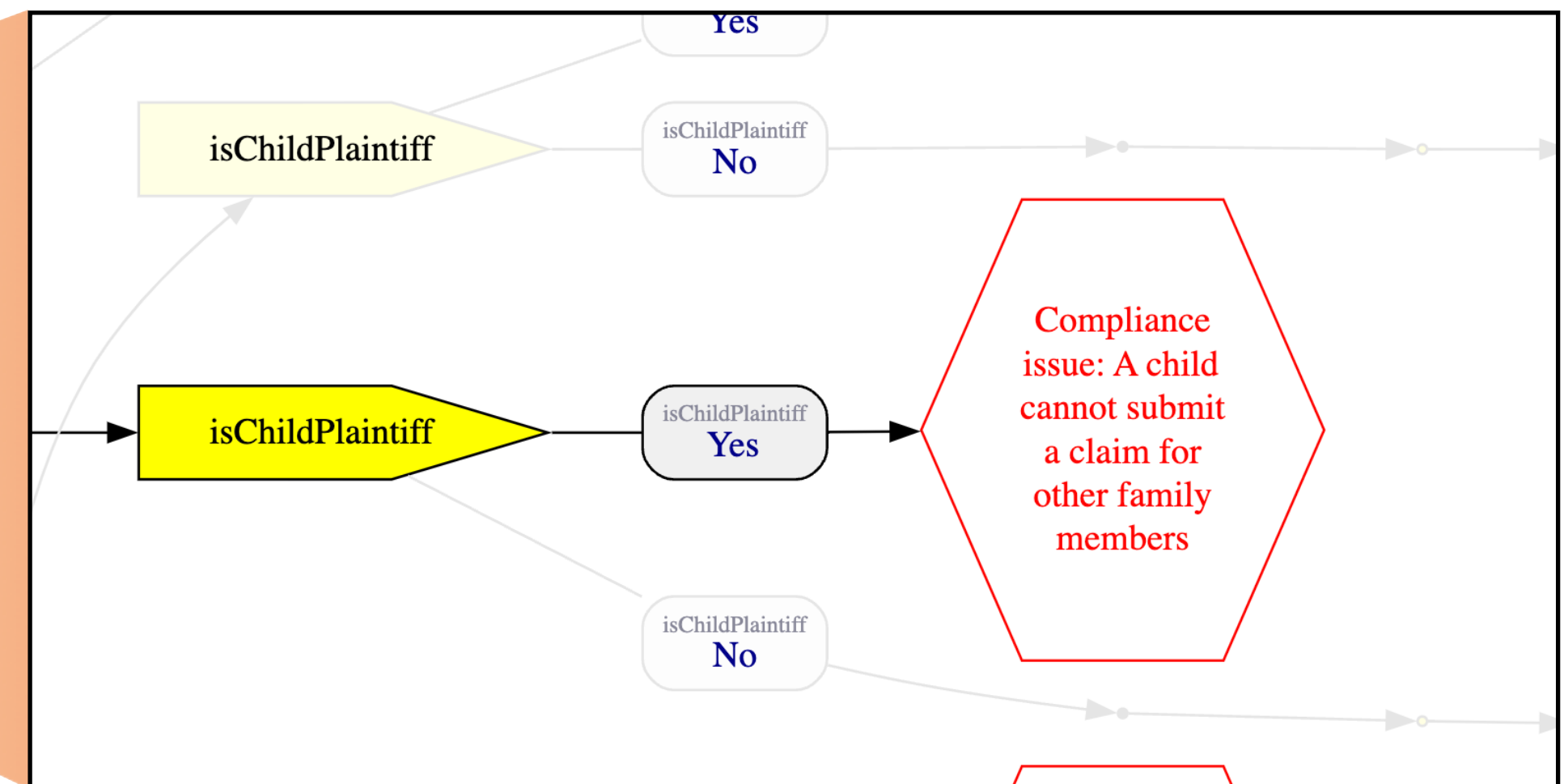
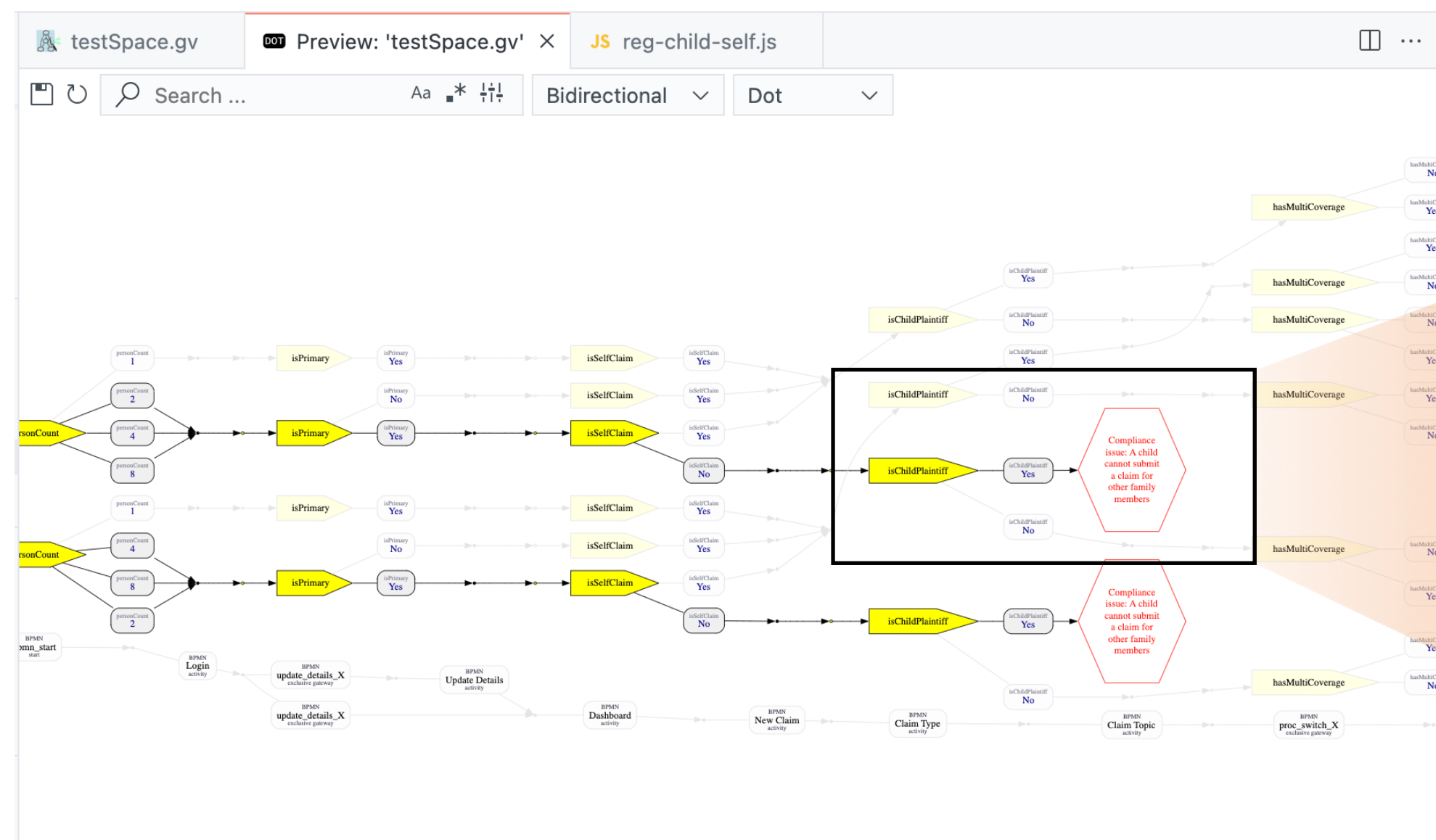


# Requirement Verification

Provengo detects cases where the intended system behavior does not comply with regulations and company policies - essentially **finding bugs in the requirements** before implementation begins.

Provengo detects both *safety violations* ("something bad happened", e.g. money transferred to an unknown customer) and *liveness violations* ("something good did not happen", e.g. a user can remain forever at a free tier that supposed be offered for a limited time only).

Provengo provides the series of steps leading to the violation, *helping product definition teams correct requirements before sending them to developers.*

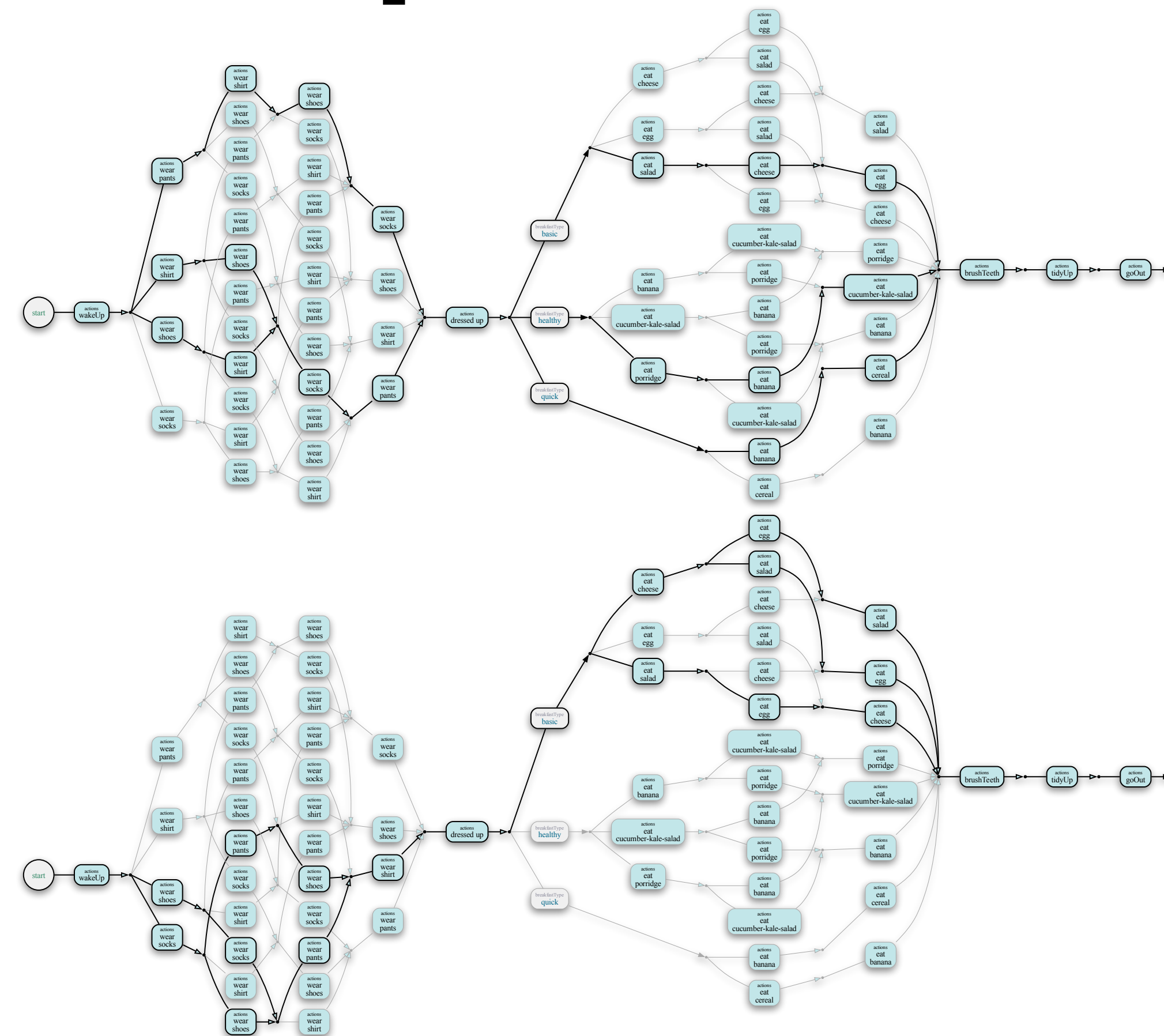


# Automatic Test Suite Composition

Define test coverage goals such as functionalities, feature usages, events, sub-processes, or pairwise, and let our advanced algorithms compose a test suite optimized to your goals.

In seconds.

Provengo uses advanced algorithms such as *evolutionary programming* to compose optimized test suites based on user-defined criteria. This means that test suite generation becomes easy, so you can focus on testing a specific problematic feature, generate a system-wide sanity suite, or a thorough UAT suite - without all the time and effort this would normally take.

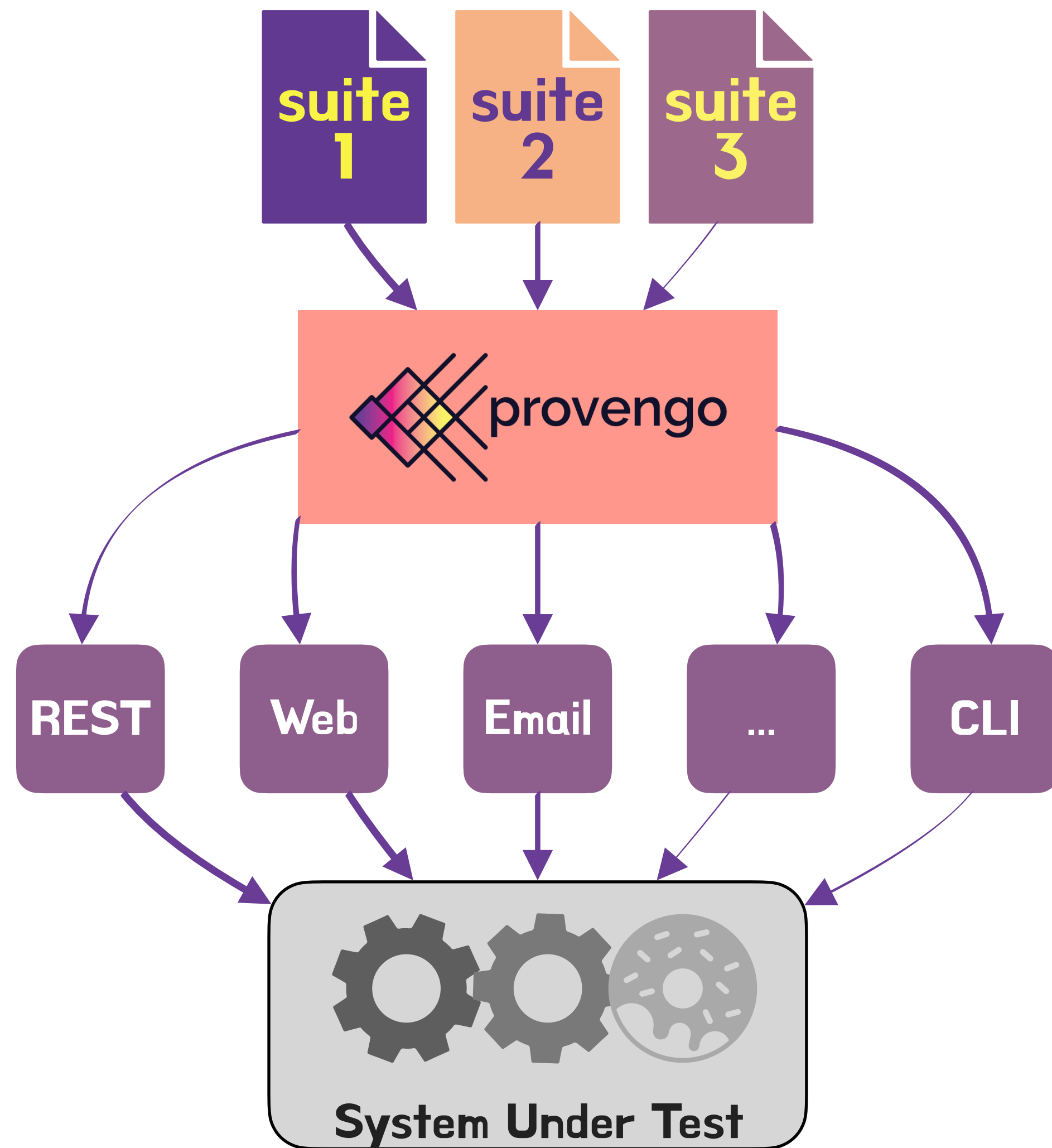


## Same system, different test plans

Two tests suites for the same system, generated using different coverage goals. Visualizations generated using Provengo.



# Test Automation



Test suite ready? Now execute it using our many automation options, including Selenium, Playwright\*, REST API, Email (IMAP), Text Messages (SMS), AS/400 (TN5250), and command-line execution.

Provengo allows you to combine different automations in a single test scenario, so you can kick off a process from a web interface, check that emails were sent using our IMAP integration, and validate that the back-end (or mainframe) got the messages using REST. All on the same test.

Need another automation connector? Talk to us, we're happy to connect!

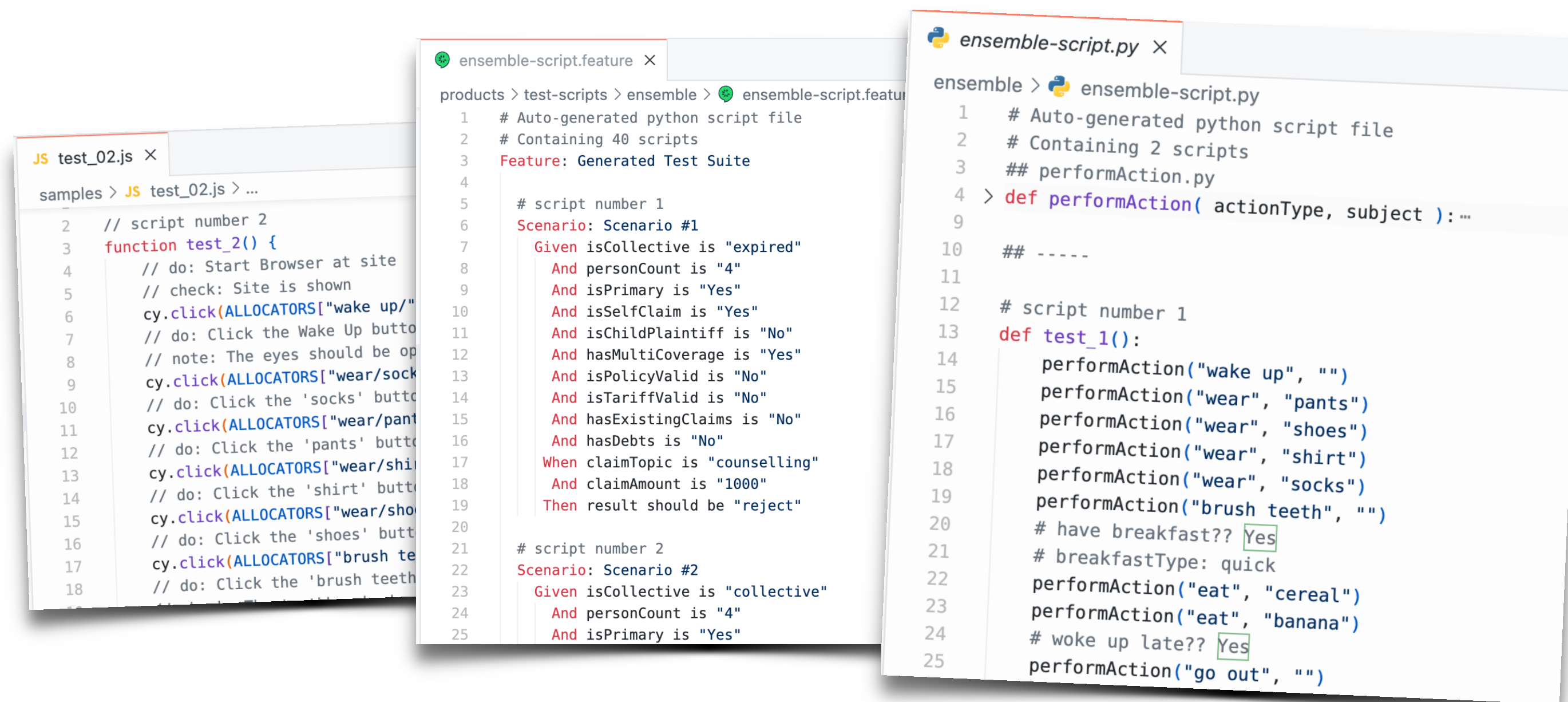
\* Coming Soon



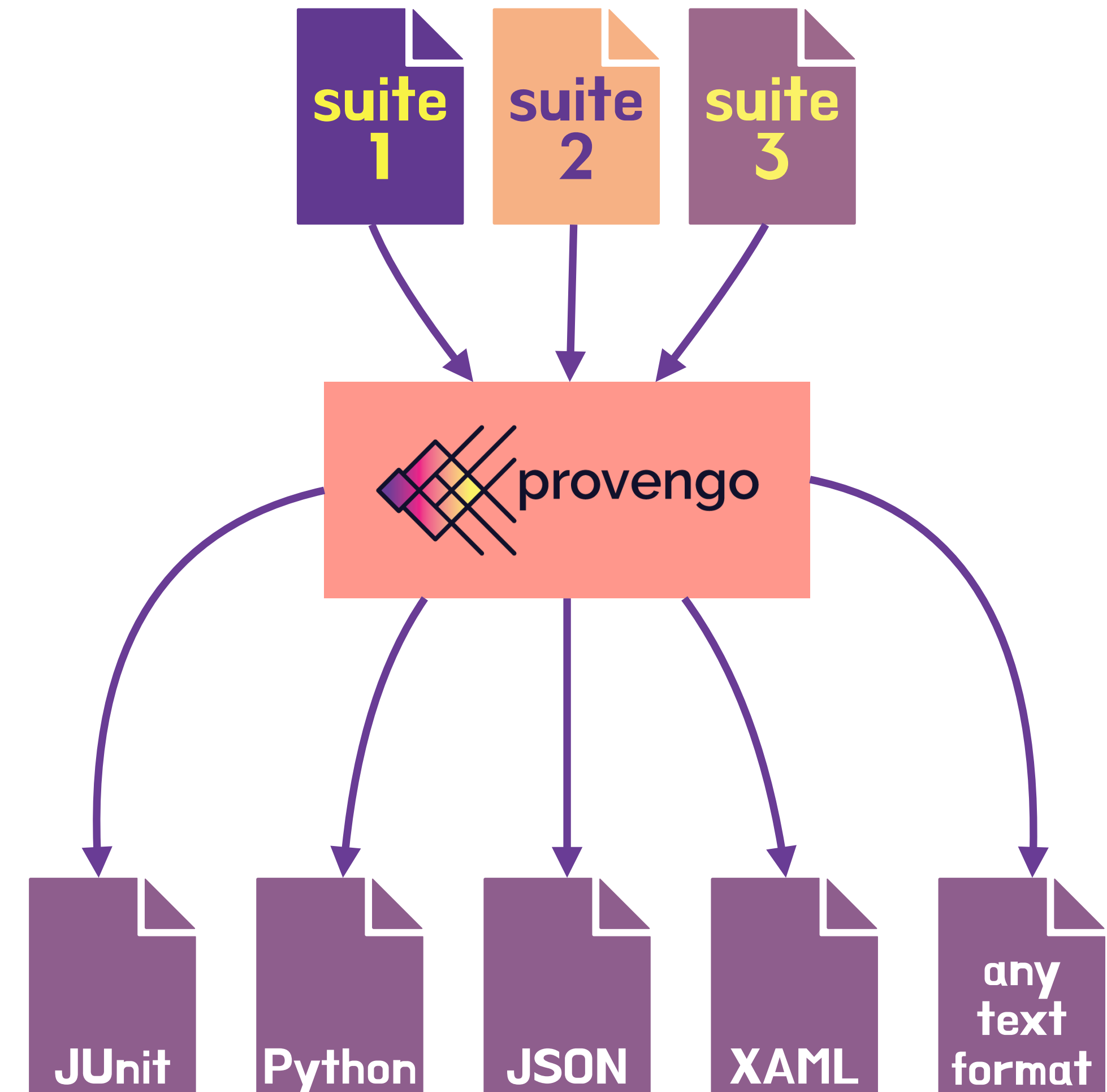
# Script Generation

Generate tests in Python, Java, Gherkin, JSON, XML... or any other text-based format.

Provengo allows users to convert test suites into files in any text-based format. This way you can use Provengo to generate test suites, and run these suites using your existing test infrastructure.



The image shows three overlapping screenshots of generated test scripts. The leftmost screenshot is a JavaScript file named `test_02.js` containing a `test_2()` function with Cypress commands like `cy.click` and `cy.click(ALLOCATORS["wake up"/`. The middle screenshot is a Gherkin feature file named `ensemble-script.feature` with a scenario titled "Scenario #1" and several `Given`, `And`, `When`, and `Then` steps. The rightmost screenshot is a Python file named `ensemble-script.py` containing a `performAction` function and a `test_1()` function that calls `performAction` with various arguments like `"wake up", ""`, `"wear", "pants"`, etc.



# Testimonials



Provengo has confirmed again and again why we brought them on – their solution is extremely valuable and has shown that it can meet our needs and help us reduce development costs and time while improving our coverage. I strongly believe in Provengo and their ability to make a dramatic change in the development world.

***Mikhail Korman, CTO,  
Ayalon Insurance***



The Provengo concept of Model Based Testing for the masses is the way of the future. It reflects tools and languages that allow to reach complete coverage, Risk Based Testing, easy integration with the new AI Era, explainability and relatively easy test maintenance. Provengo is on the right path to improve and change how QA is done.

***Tamir Zano, CTO DevOps & Automation Manager,  
Ness Technologies***



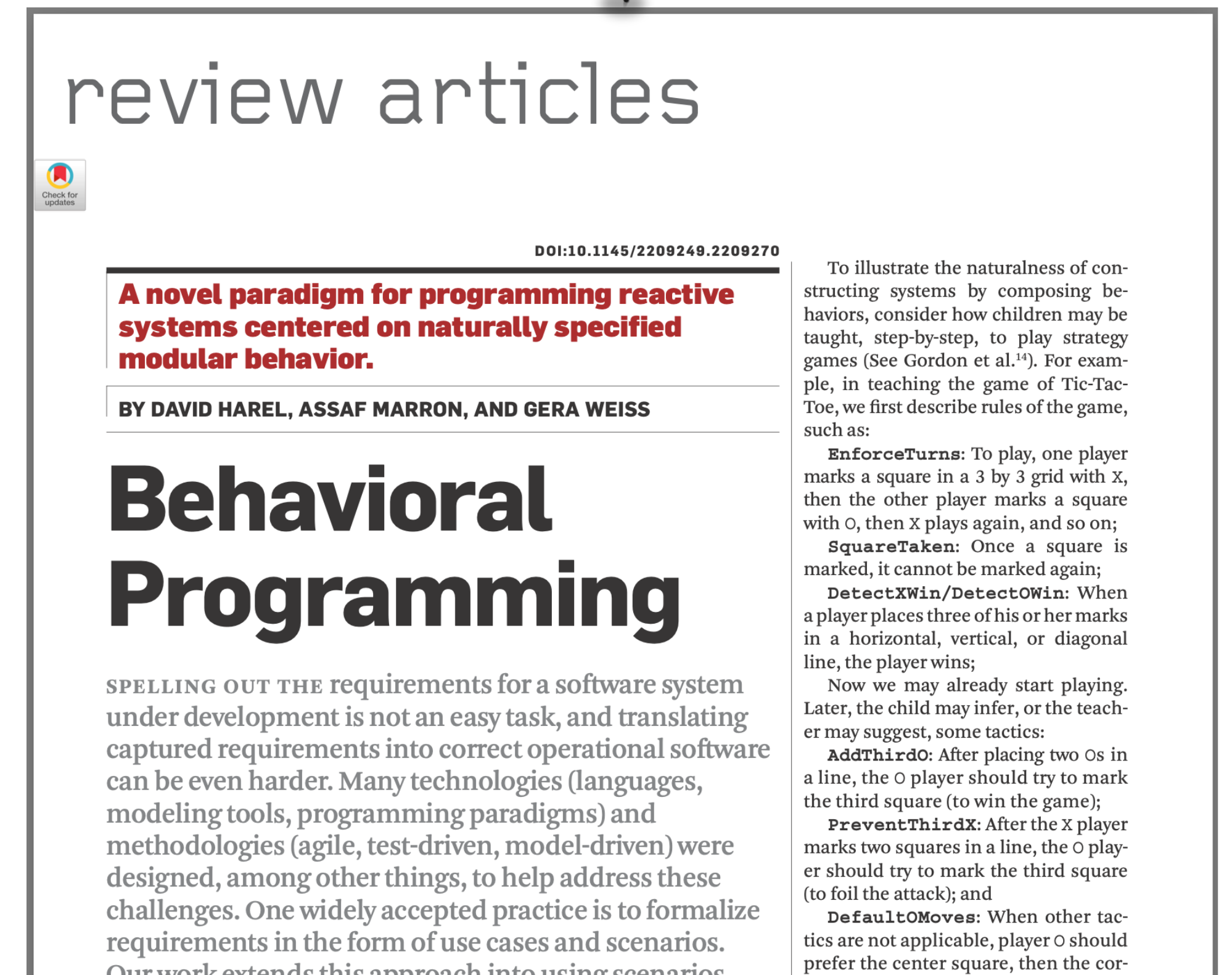
# Solid Scientific Foundations

Provengo is based on *Behavioral Programming*, a novel executable modeling paradigm developed by David Harel, Assaf Marron, and Gera Weiss\* circa 2010. Using this paradigm, users create intuitive descriptions of complex systems by combining multiple simple behaviors. A lot of academic and field work has gone into Behavioral Programming since the original papers were published, including notable contributions from members of the Provengo founding team.

Provengo is proud to be the first company to bring Behavioral Programming-based tools to mainstream markets

\* One of Provengo's founders

Read the original 2012 paper, published on *Communications of the ACM*, here:  
<https://doi.org/10.1145/2209249.2209270>



# Resources

Provengo's main site

<https://provengo.ai>

Reference Documentation

<https://docs.provengo.tech/>

Tutorials

<https://provengo.github.io/Tutorials/>

Sample code repo

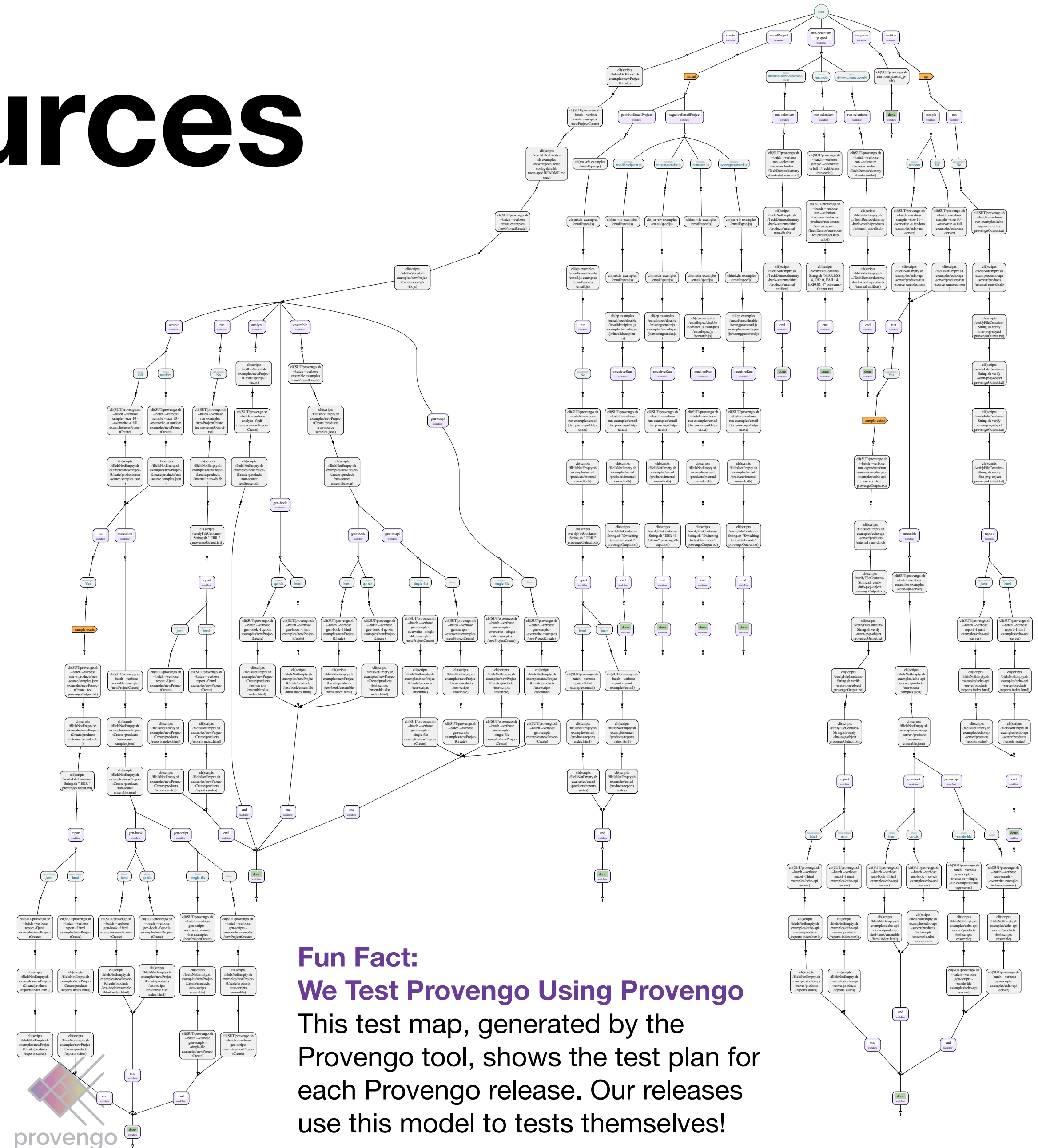
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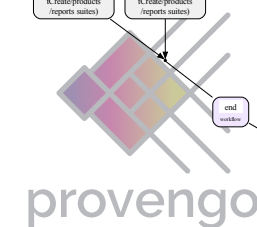
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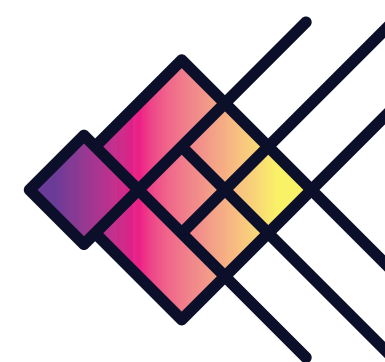
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**Fun Fact:**  
**We Test Provengo Using Provengo**  
This test map, generated by the Provengo tool, shows the test plan for each Provengo release. Our releases use this model to tests themselves!



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