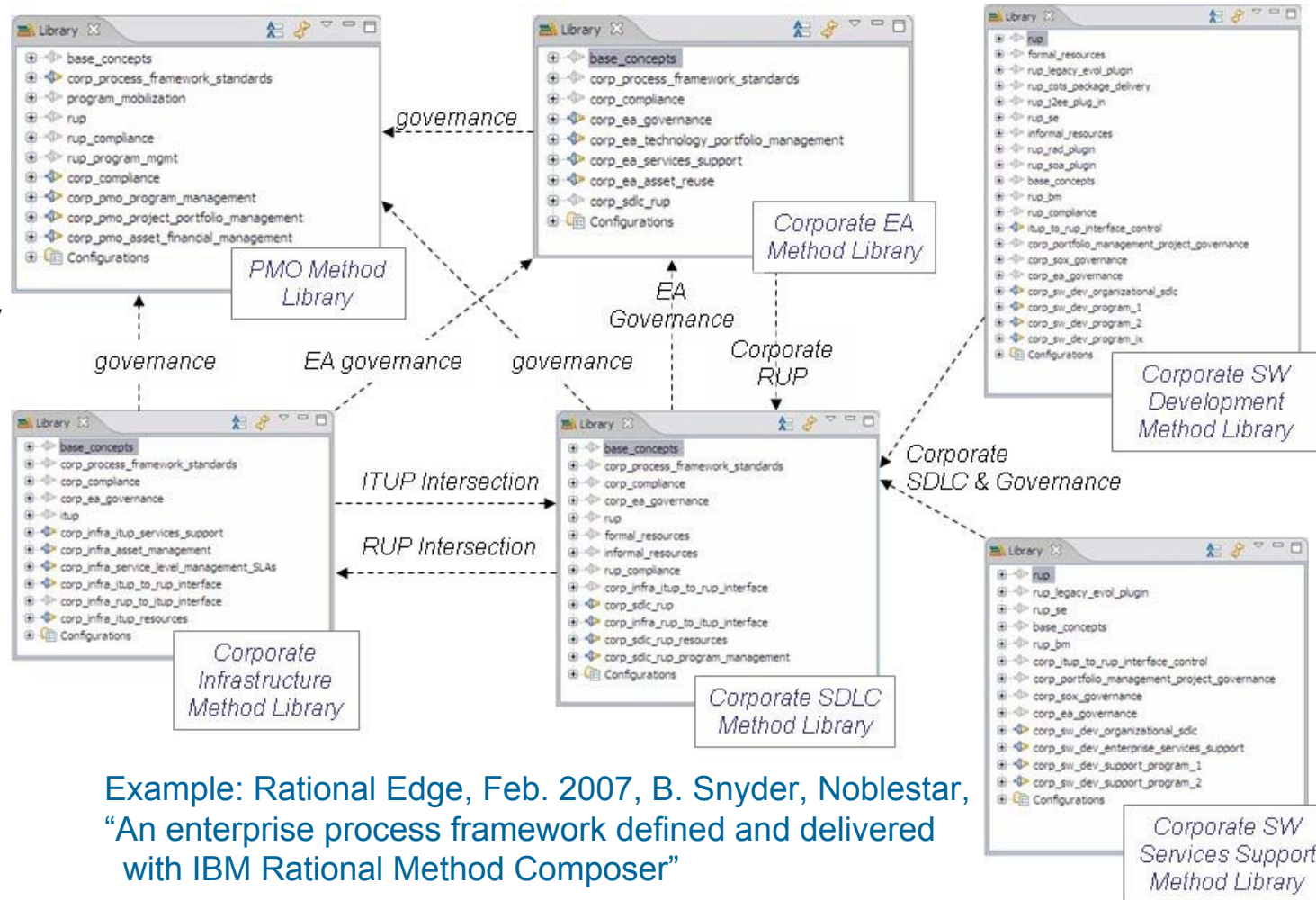


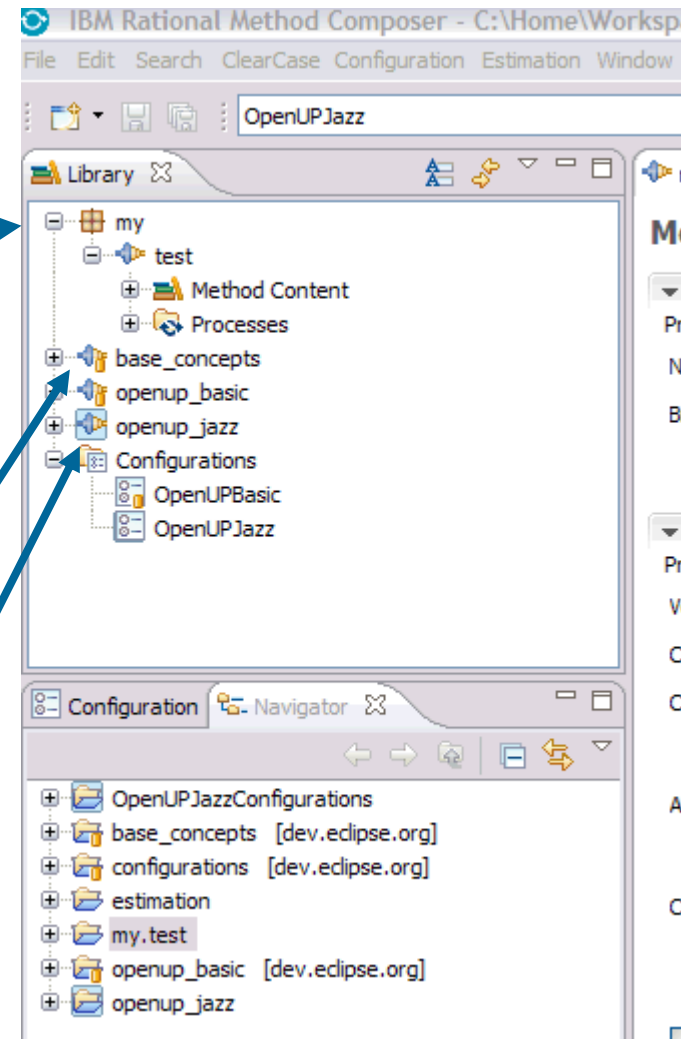
Problem: How to manage families of Method Libraries with shared content throughout the Enterprise?

- Organization-specific libraries
- Shared plugins
- Content on many different servers
- Many different content owners
- Many different version control systems



Solution: Workspace Libraries in RMC 7.2

- Plug-ins can be organized in structured name spaces for a clean Library view
- Method Libraries can be set-up as workspaces that collect method plug-ins from many physical locations
- No more import/export: load only the plugins you need into your workspace and start working
- Use several source control technologies all at the same time
 - ▶ Plugins managed in CVS on Server 1
 - ▶ Plugin managed in ClearCase on Server 2
- Seamless shell-sharing with other Eclipse-based tools (Eclipse 3.3)



Advanced Library Workspaces

- RMC now has two different types of libraries
 - ▶ Prior to RMC 7.2 a library was a standalone unit that contained and owned all of its associated plug-ins and configurations
 - This “straightforward” usage model still holds true
 - ▶ With RMC 7.2 a library can leverage an Eclipse project workspace
 - This enables a library to not be a standalone unit
 - In this form a library is able to reference plug-ins and configurations that exist in other libraries without importing or exporting plug-ins
 - The referenced library continues to own the plug-in as well as any configuration management settings the plug-in is under
 - Intended for advanced team usage and/or very complex method management techniques
 - This is an “advanced” usage model