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I think "operational" is used in a different way in BMM to mean the ongoing operation of the whole enterprise: what the enterprise is there for. And it never completes. Unlike Mission in UAF which has a start and completion. But I agree it could be clearer - can you raise an issue on BMM RTF?

All this is independent of my NO vote which relates merely to how the issue resolution was described. I understand that it makes sense to get a feeling from the RTF as to whether they like the proposal in general before doing a lot of work to specify all the detail. However that should be a vote of the members not a formal ballot vote on the issue resolution - which must have **complete detail, with no room for discretion**, of how the document and model should be changed.

I suggest you withdraw this ballot and create an email vote, or have an online RTF meeting with a vote.  
**However I also suggest you get Mike's more official guidance before doing that.**

Pete

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The definition of Mission in BMM is very much misleading. It talks about operational Activity then it switches to strategies. It is already misalignment as operational activity is not a strategic concept. It is operational which is what you need to do to achieve a goal rather than defining why.

In UAF the concept of mission is looked at from different viewpoints.

First, Strategic. It is how mission is going to be phased out in time. What capabilities are here to support it and what capabilities need to be developed/acquired. Second, Operational. Just like it is described in BMM. Mission Thread is Operational Activity composed of Mission tasks. This is where we could potentially align if BMM definition would be properly formulated.

Third, resources. How people or systems, or all together execute mission. It is tactics or the How?. Here we have Mission Engineering Threads.

In UAF the mission concept lays out across different viewpoints. You cannot easily compare to BMM which is flat view to the world, but if you understand the way we look at it, there way more alignment than it may appear from the first sight.

Hope this helps.

BR,  
Aurelijus

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Sorry I've got to vote NO on this - not because I think it's inherently bad but because it's inadequately described. And I think the AB would have the same challenges.

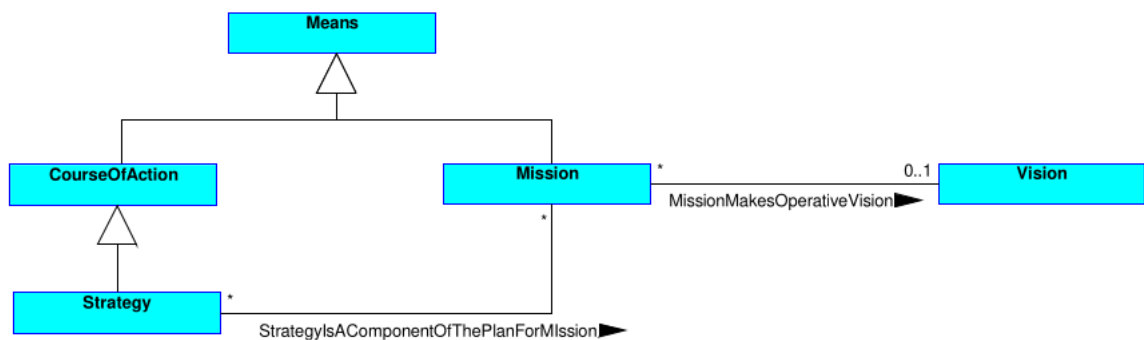
See my comment on the issue here <https://issues.omg.org/browse/UAF13-55>

BTW I'm not saying it's required but is there any intent at all to align/compare UAF with BMM - which has the following for Mission:

### 8.3.2 Mission

A Mission indicates the ongoing operational activity of the enterprise. The Mission describes what the business is be doing on a day-to-day basis.

A Mission *makes* a Vision *operative*; that is, it indicates the ongoing activity that makes the Vision a reality. A Mi *planned by means* of Strategies.



**Figure 8.6 - Mission**

A Mission statement should consist of the following three items only and should be formed using brief statement them.

1. An action part (for example, “provide”)
2. A product or service part (for example, “pizzas”)
3. A market or customer part (for example, “customers city-wide”)

The Mission statement should be focused on day-to-day operations, generic enough to cover all Strategies, and be enough to cover the complete area of operations.

Examples of Mission are shown in the following table:

**Table 8.4 - Examples of Mission**

Enterprise	Objective
EU-Rent	Provide car rental service across Europe and North America for both business and perso customers.
Pizza Company	Provide pizza to customers city-wide.
Consulting Company	Provide consulting, outsourcing, and staff augmentation services to companies in North America.
Retail Pharmacy	Provide generic and ethical drugs to the retail market.

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Dear UAFers,

We are opening the following ballot for UAF RTF 1.3. This means you have got email from OMG to cast your vote.

Ballot includes one single issue: Mission Engineering. This is the final ballot for v1.3.

Please cast your vote to speed up the process releasing 1.3 Mission Engineering additions on time!

If you have any questions, please reach out to me or Matthew Hause.

*Best Regards,*

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Dear UAFers,

We are opening Ballot 1 for UAF RTF 1.3. This means you will get email from OMG to cast your vote.

Ballot includes all issues reported on time that we are deferring to the future version of UAF. There will be another Ballot to vote for planned Mission Engineering additions when this Ballot is complete.

Please cast your vote to speed up the process releasing 1.3 Mission Engineering additions on time!

If you have any questions, please reach out to me or Matthew Hause.

*Best Regards,*

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