Mapping spaces on polyhedral products

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We construct configuration space models for spaces of maps into certain subcomplexes of product spaces (including polyhedral products). Using these models, we further study a suspension splitting of the loop space of polyhedral products and gain information about certain attaching maps used to construct polyhedral products over a simplicial complex \$K\$. These are computed explicitly in the case where \$K\$ is minimally non-extractible, leading to progress on the conjecture relating Golod complexes and polyhedral products that are co-\$H\$-spaces.

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