# Object-Oriented Software Design

## Unified Modelling Language (UML)

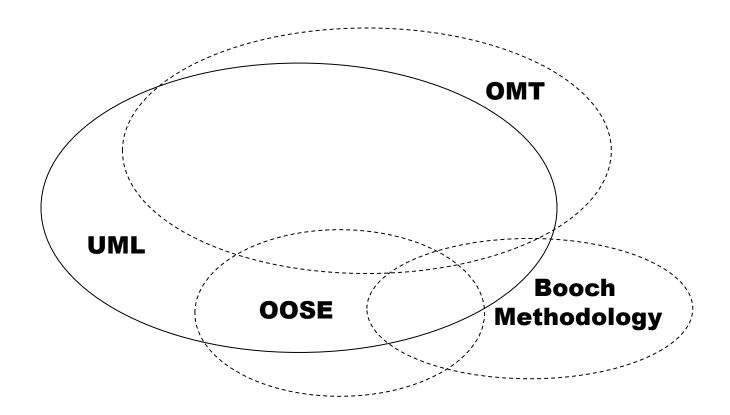
### Origin

- In late 1980s and early 1990s different software development houses were using different notations
- Developed in early 1990s to standardize the large number of object-oriented modelling notations

#### **UML**

- Based Principally on
  - OMT [Rumbaugh 1991]
  - Booch's methodology[Booch 1991]
  - OOSE [Jacobson 1992]
  - Odell's methodology[Odell 1992]
  - Shlaer and Mellor [Shlaer 1992]

## **UML**



Different object modelling techniques in UML

#### **UML**

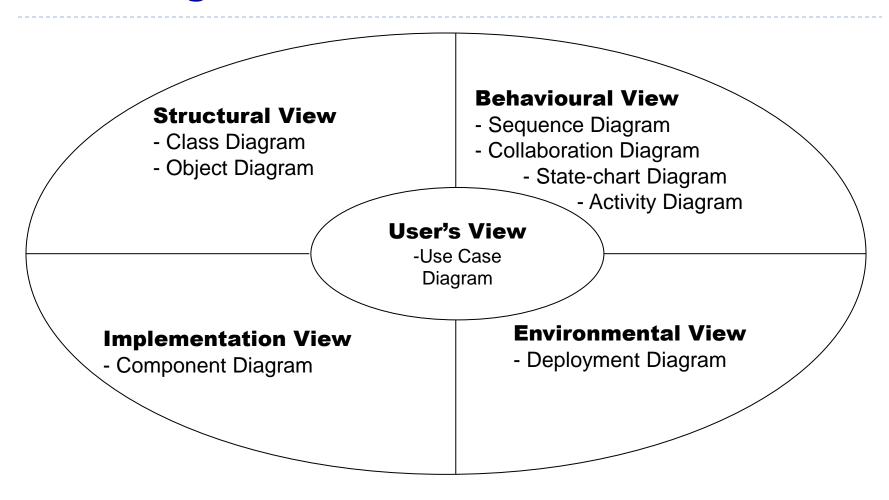
- As a Standard
  - Adopted by Object Management Group (OMG) in 1997
  - OMG an association of industries
  - Promote consensus notations and techniques
  - Used outside software development, example car manufacturing

## Why UML is required?

- Model is required to capture only important aspects
- UML a graphical modelling tool, easy to understand and construct
- Helps in managing complexity

- Nine diagrams to capture different views of a system
- Provide different perspectives of the software system
- Diagrams can be refined to get the actual implementation of the system

- Views of a system
  - User's view
  - Structural view
  - Behavioral view
  - Implementation view
  - Environmental view



Diagrams and views in UML

- User's view
  - It captures the view of the system in terms of the functionalities offered by the system to its user
  - It is a black-box view of the system
  - Dynamic behavior of the components, the implementation etc are not captured.

- Structural view
  - Defines the structure of the problem (or the solution) in terms of the objects (or classes) important to the understanding of the working of a system and its implementation.
  - It captures the relationship among the classes (or objects)
  - Called the static model, since the structure of a system does not change with time.

- Behavioural view
  - Captures how objects interact with each other in time to realize the system behavior.
  - System behavior captures the time-dependent (dynamic) behavior.
  - It constitutes the dynamic model of the system

- Implementation view
  - Captures important components of the system and their interdependencies.
  - Example, implementation view might show the GUI part, the middleware, and the database parts and would capture their interdependencies.

- Environmental view
  - This view models how the different components are implemented on different pieces of hardware.

## Are all views required?

- NO
- Use case model, class diagram and one of the interaction diagram for a simple system
- State chart diagram in case of many state changes
- Deployment diagram in case of large number of hardware components

#### Use Case model

- Consists of set of "use cases"
- An important analysis and design artifact
- Other models must confirm to this model
- Not really an object-oriented model
- Represents a functional or process model

#### **Use Cases**

- Different ways in which system can be used by the users
- Corresponds to the high-level requirements
- Represents transaction between the user and the system
- Define behavior without revealing internal structure of system
- Set of related scenarios tied together by a common goal

#### **Use Cases**

- Normally, use cases are independent of each other
- Implicit dependencies may exist
- Example: In Library Automation System, renewbook & reserve-book are independent use cases. But in actual implementation of renewbook, a check is made to see if any book has been reserved using reserve-book

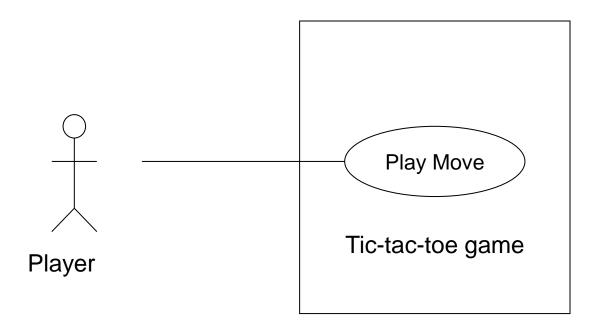
## Example of Use Cases

- For library information system
  - issue-book
  - Query-book
  - Return-book
  - Create-member
  - Add-book, etc.

## Representation of Use Cases

- Represented by use case diagram
- Use case is represented by ellipse
- System boundary is represented by rectangle
- Users are represented by stick person icon (actor)
- Communication relationship between actor and use case by line
- External system by stereotype

## **Example of Use Cases**



Use case model

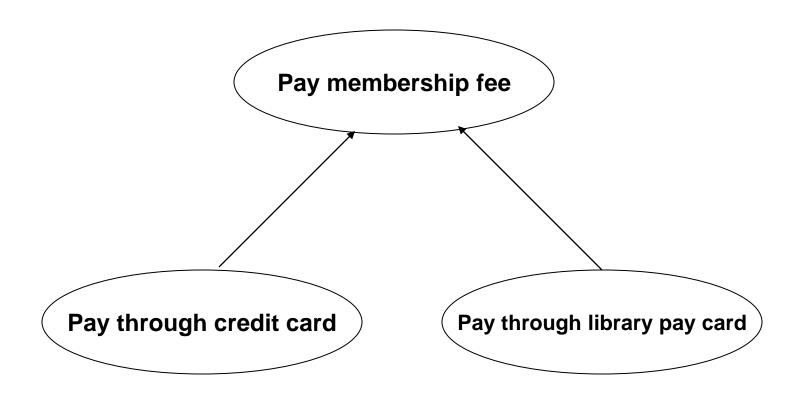
## Why develop Use Case diagram?

- Serves as requirements specification
- Users identification helps in implementing security mechanism through login system
- Another use in preparing the documents (e.g. user's manual)

## Factoring Use Cases

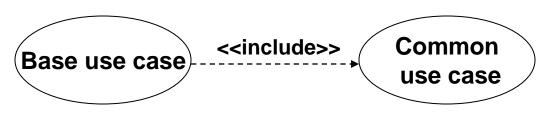
- Complex use cases need to be factored into simpler use cases
- Represent common behavior across different use cases
- Three ways of factoring
  - Generalization
  - Includes
  - Extends

## Factoring Using Generalization

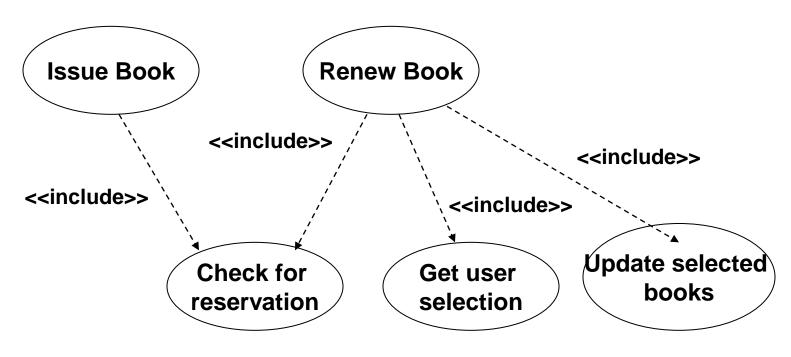


**Use case generalization** 

## Factoring Using Includes



#### **Use case inclusion**

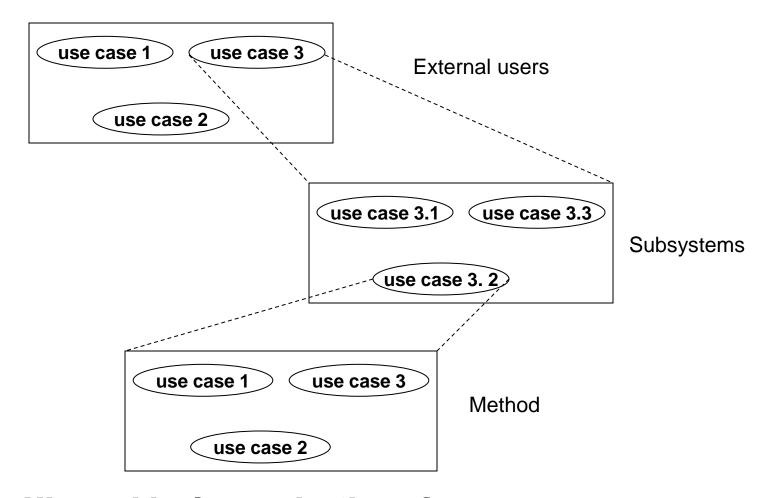


## **Factoring Using Extends**



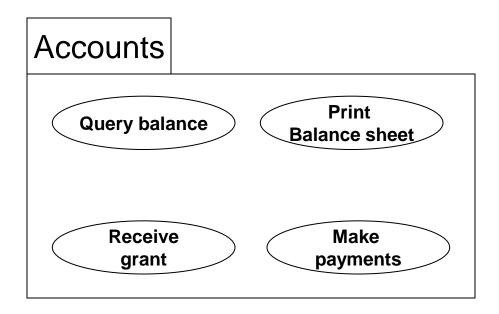
**Use case extension** 

## Hierarchical Organization of Use Cases



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## Use Case Packaging



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