

**SOFTWARE  
MODELING**

# Motivation

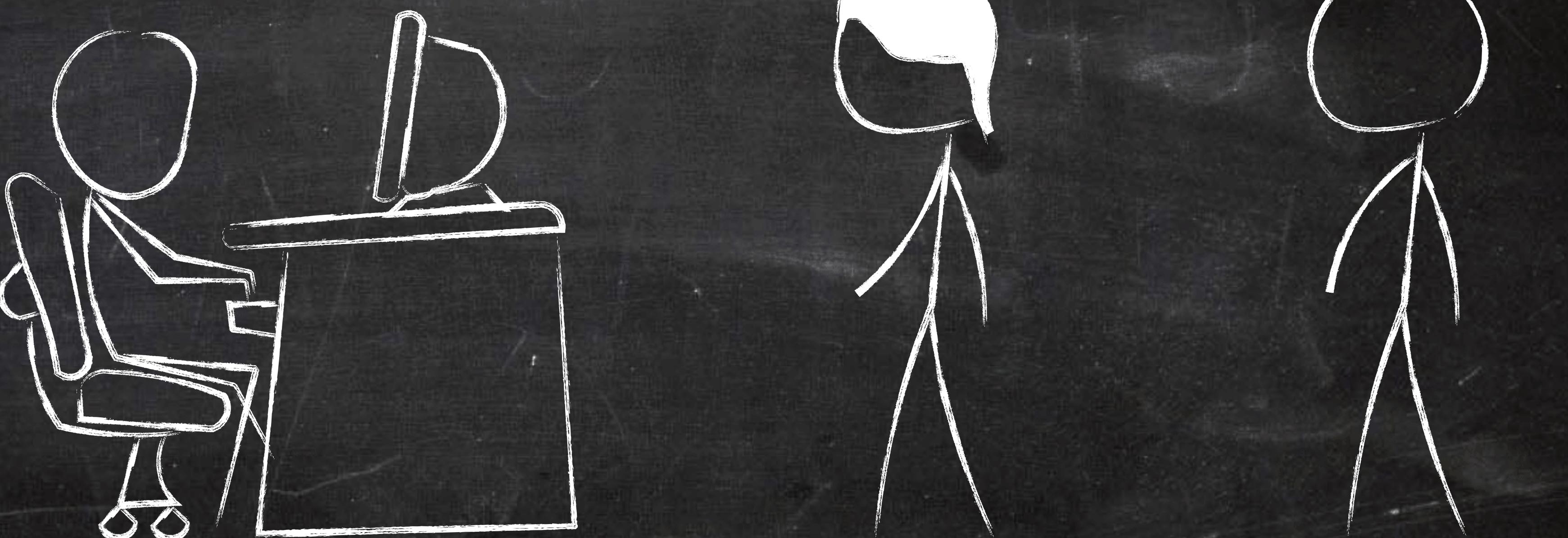
HOW TO ACCESS ALL ITEMS  
IN A LIST?

```
@Override public Iterator<T> iterator() {  
    return new Iterator<T>() {  
        private int idx = 0;  
        @Override public boolean hasNext() { return idx < size && list[idx] != null; }  
        @Override public Type next() { return list[currentIndex++]; }  
    }; }
```

NO, NO. IT'S MORE LIKE  
THIS...

```
template <class Derived, class Value, class CategoryOrTraversal, class Reference =  
Value&, class Difference = ptrdiff_t>  
class iterator_facade {  
public:  
    typedef remove_const<Value>::type value_type;  
    typedef Reference reference;  
    typedef Value* pointer;  
    typedef Difference difference_type;  
    reference operator*() const;  
    Derived& operator++();  
    Derived operator++(int);  
    Derived& operator--();  
...  
}
```

NEED FOR SIMPLE  
IMPLEMENTATION—  
INDEPENDENT WAY TO  
PRESENT STRUCTURE,  
BEHAVIOR, INTERACTIONS,...



# MODELING LANGUAGES

Modeling languages are **artificial languages with certain rules** to express...

- ... **information & knowledge**
- ... **structure, dependencies & workflow**
- ... **and more**

at an **abstract** (i.e., implementation-independent) level.

Used to provide multiple **stakeholders** such as

- ... **software guys** (engineers, architects, analyzers & testers), and
- ... **non-software guys** (users, customers, management,...)

**insights** into a (complex) system or a process **without giving overwhelming** (technical) **details**.

# MODELING LANGUAGES (2)

## Pros & Cons

Modeling languages help to...

- PRO ... avoid need for „reverse engineering & analyzing of code“
- PRO ... getting you started in a complex system (i.e., better orientation)
- PRO ... find dependencies & understand program flow at a glance
- PRO ... communicate with other involved people on a common level

The downside is...

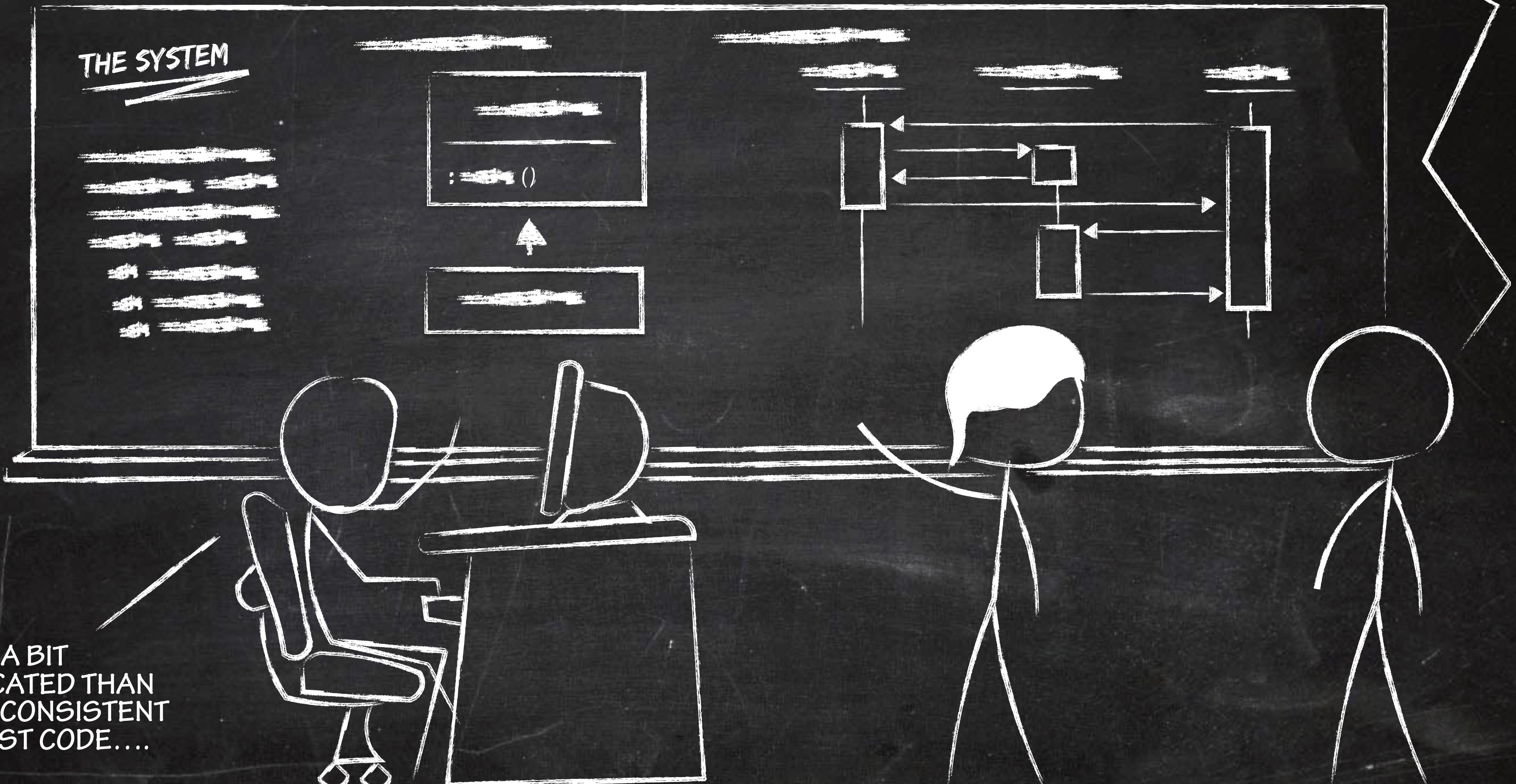
- CON maintenance costs (time/money): keeping model & code consistent is effort
- CON waste effort if wrong audience: hardliner engineers may not need models
- CON every (required) detail (even abstractly) lead to complex diagrams
- CON over-engineering: investing in complex design for simple problems

... also in practice, it's rarely the case that models satisfy 100% of the UML specification

... also in data-intensive system remember design & abstraction introduces (often) overhead that comes with performance penalties

## Motivation (2)

HOW TO ACCESS ALL ITEMS  
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# MODELING LANGUAGES (3)

Important modeling languages:

UML

ER-MODEL

FLOW CHARTS

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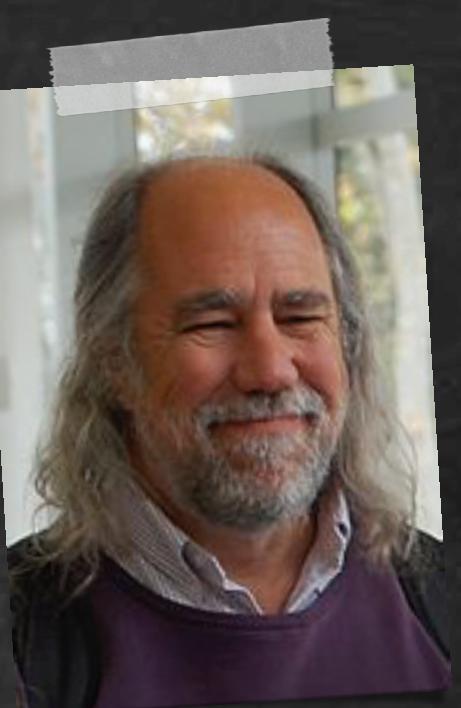
# Unified Modeling Language (UML)

UML is a **kind of visual language** rooted back to mid-1990's

- **standardized 1997 (UML 1.0)**
- **de-facto industry standard**
- Current version UML 2.5

**Set of graphic notations for visual models on different aspects of modularized/object-oriented systems:**

- **Structural diagrams**  
class, object, component, composite structure, package, deployment,...
- **Behavior diagrams**  
use-case, activity, state machine,...
- **Interactions diagrams**  
sequence, communication, timing, interaction overview,...



Grady Booch



James Rumbaugh



Ivar Jacobson

# UML Structural Diagrams (1)

## Class Diagrams (1)

### Purpose

#### Class diagrams:

- show (subset) of **classes** (or interfaces) incl. their **members**, and their **relationships**

shared structure and shared behavior of certain objects (aka instances)

- type name (aka class name)
- type related functions (aka methods)
- contained variables (aka members)
- ...

- parent-child (aka inheritance)
- dependencies
- extension of methods
- ...

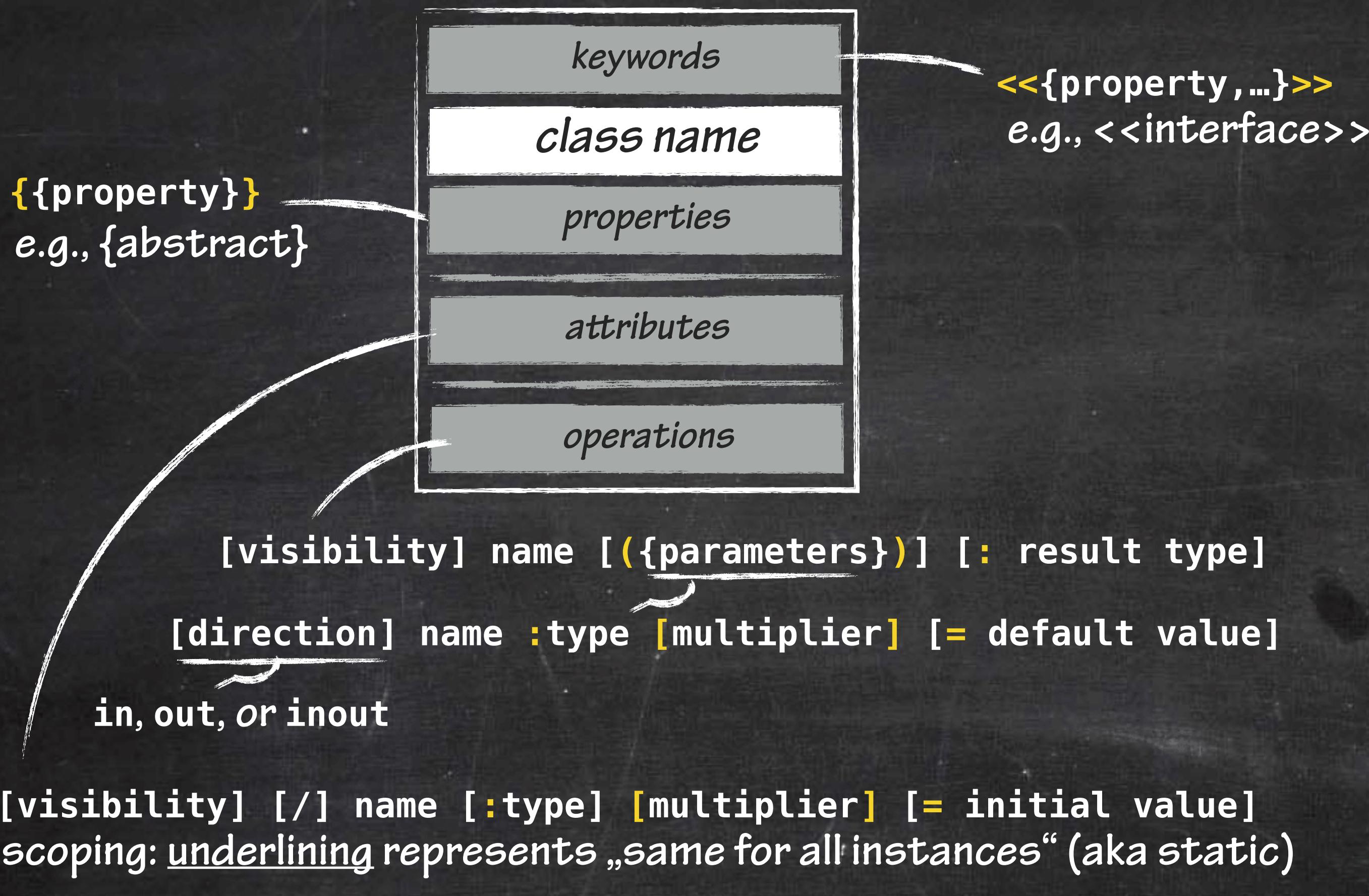
### Purposes

- Design of the system in a **static view**
- Showing **responsibilities** in the system
- Required for component and deployment diagrams

# UML Structural Diagrams (1)

like blueprints  
for objects

+	public
-	private
#	protected
/	derived
~	package



Visibility

Class

Relationships



Mandatory



Optional

[ ] Optional

# Class Diagrams (2)

Notation and building blocks

Generalization



B has implicitly  
all properties  
of A

Association



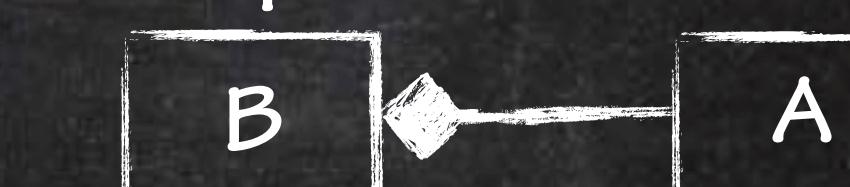
A and B have  
relationship R

Part-whole relationships



A is part of B

Composition



A is part of B  
but A cannot  
exist without  
B

# UML Structural Diagrams (1)

```
<<storage engine>>  
frag_t  
{abstract}  
  
# schema :schema_t  
# ntuples :number  
# tuplet_size :number  
(...)  
  
+ dispose (in self :frag_t) {abstract}  
+ open (out dst :tuplet_t, in self :frag_t, in tuplet_id: number) {abstract}  
+ insert (out dst :tuplet_t, in self :frag_t, in ntuplets: number) {abstract}
```

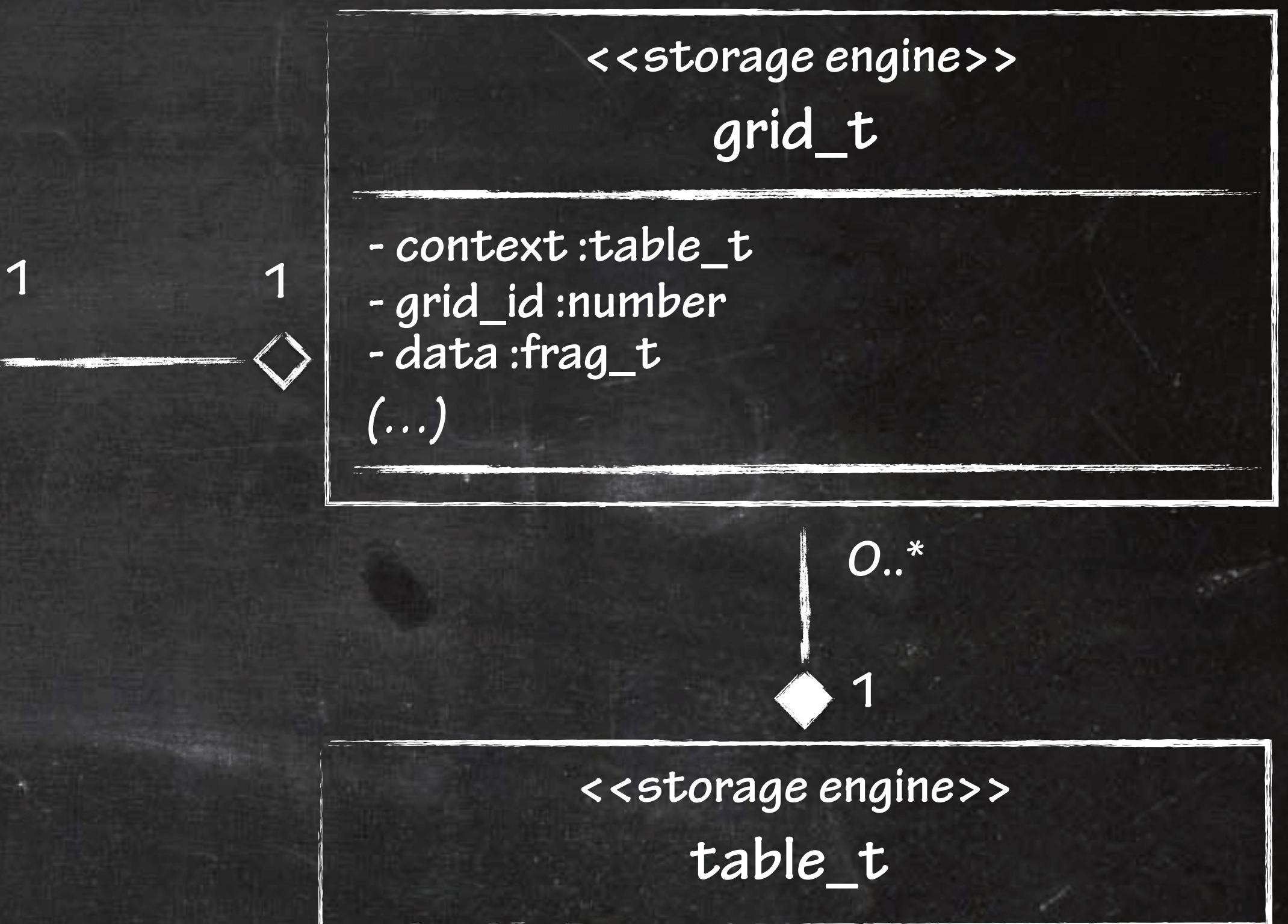


```
<<storage engine>>  
frag_host_vm_t
```

```
<<storage engine>>  
frag_device_gpu_t
```

# Class Diagrams (3)

## Example



# UML Structural Diagrams (2)

## Object Diagrams (1)

### Purpose

Object diagrams:

- show a detailed snapshot of certain instances (incl. values of certain attributes) at a point in time.

it's like pausing your program and take a look into the variable value assignments at a particular time during runtime

Class diagram and object diagram are closely related

- class diagrams focus on classes
- object diagrams focus on instances of these classes (aka objects)

### Purposes

- Shows objects in the system during runtime
- Static view on interaction of objects
- Object behavior and relationships at particular moment
- Prototyping a system (cf., fake/simulate data and environment)

cf. debugging

# UML Structural Diagrams (2)

concrete  
things of  
classes

## Object Diagrams (2)

Notation and building blocks

*same as for class diagrams with the exception that*

- it's about objects not classes
- lines („links“) connect objects

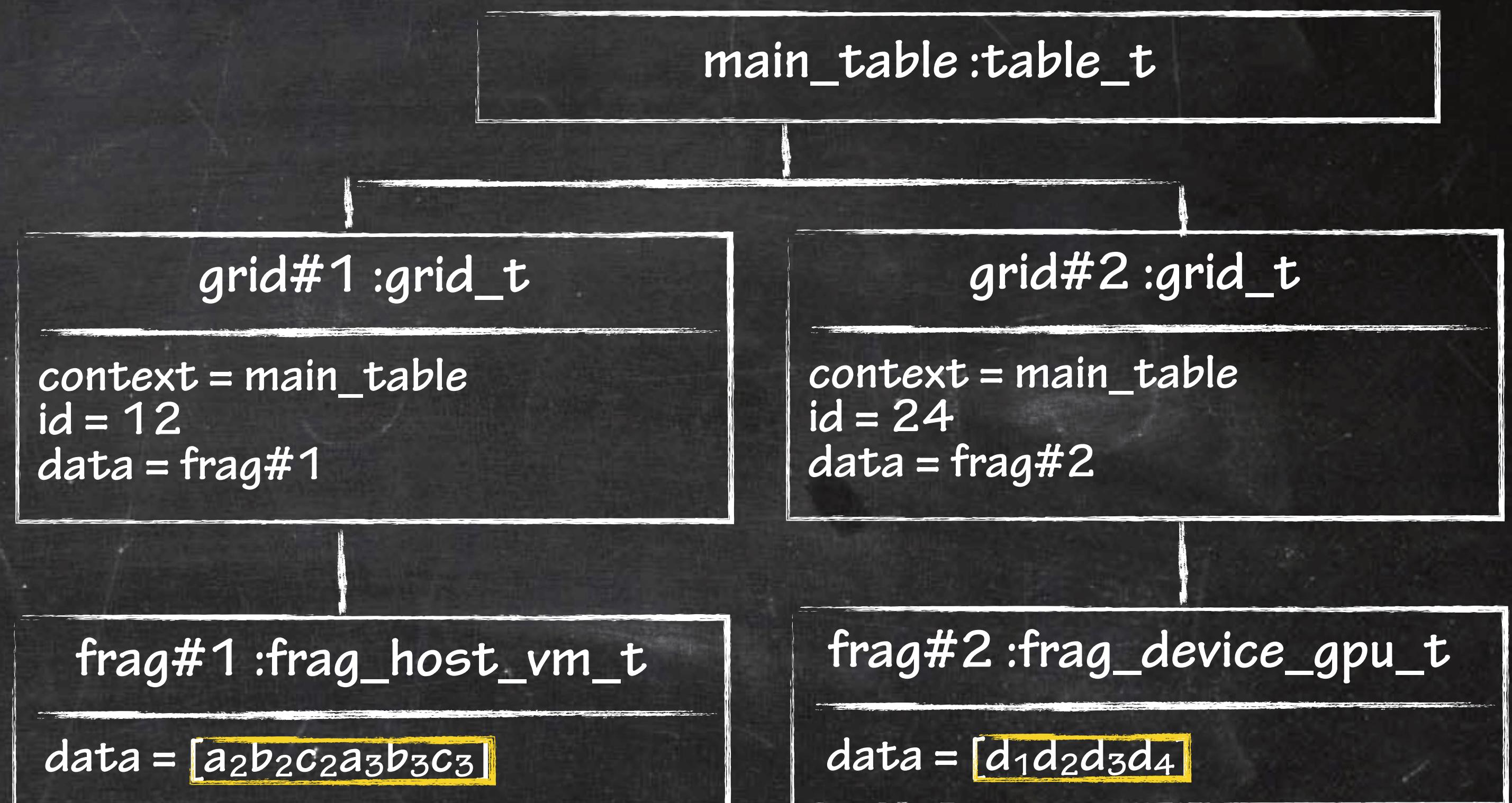
## UML Structural Diagrams (2)

A	B	C	D
a <sub>1</sub>	b <sub>1</sub>	c <sub>1</sub>	d <sub>1</sub>
a <sub>2</sub>	b <sub>2</sub>	c <sub>2</sub>	d <sub>2</sub>
a <sub>3</sub>	b <sub>3</sub>	c <sub>3</sub>	d <sub>3</sub>
a <sub>4</sub>	b <sub>4</sub>	c <sub>4</sub>	d <sub>4</sub>

(data view)

## Object Diagrams (3)

Example



(object diagram)

# UML Structural Diagrams (3)

## Component Diagrams (1)

### Purpose

Component diagrams:

- show organization, hierarchy and relationships of (logical) system components\*.

larger design units that will be implemented using replaceable things

### Purposes

- Visualize the systems logical components (w.r.t. its architecture)
- Communicate early overall view on the system (e.g., to key project stakeholders)

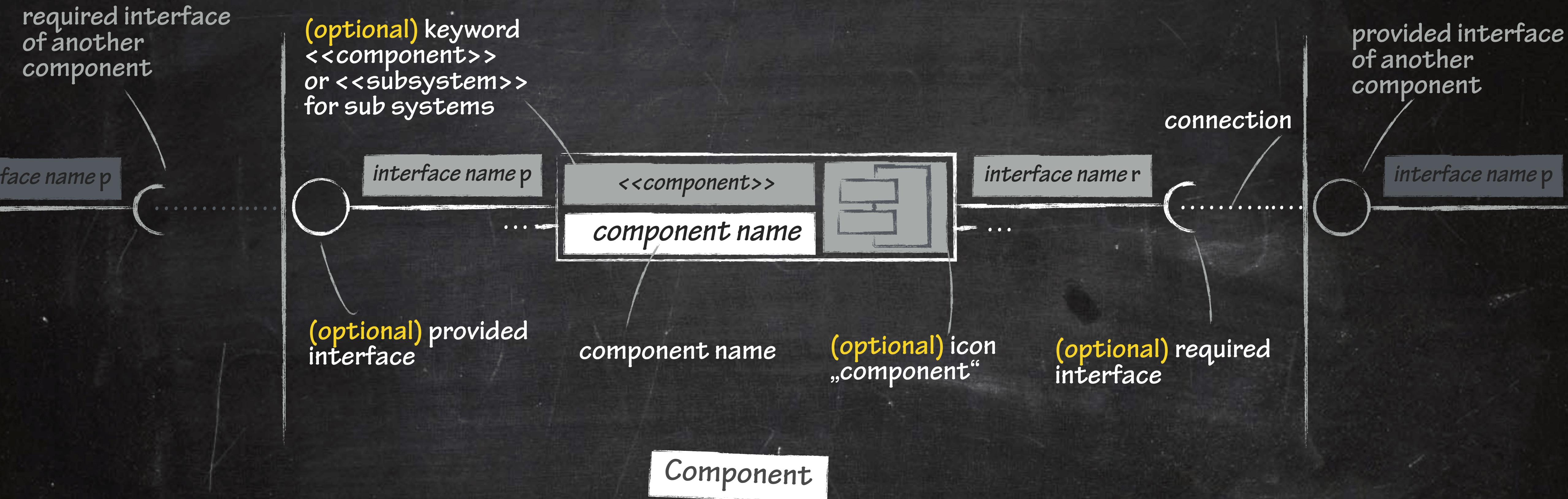
\*since UML 2 the concept „component“ refers to autonomous, encapsulated units within a system that expose at least one interface

# UML Structural Diagrams (3)

## Component Diagrams (2)

### Notation and building blocks

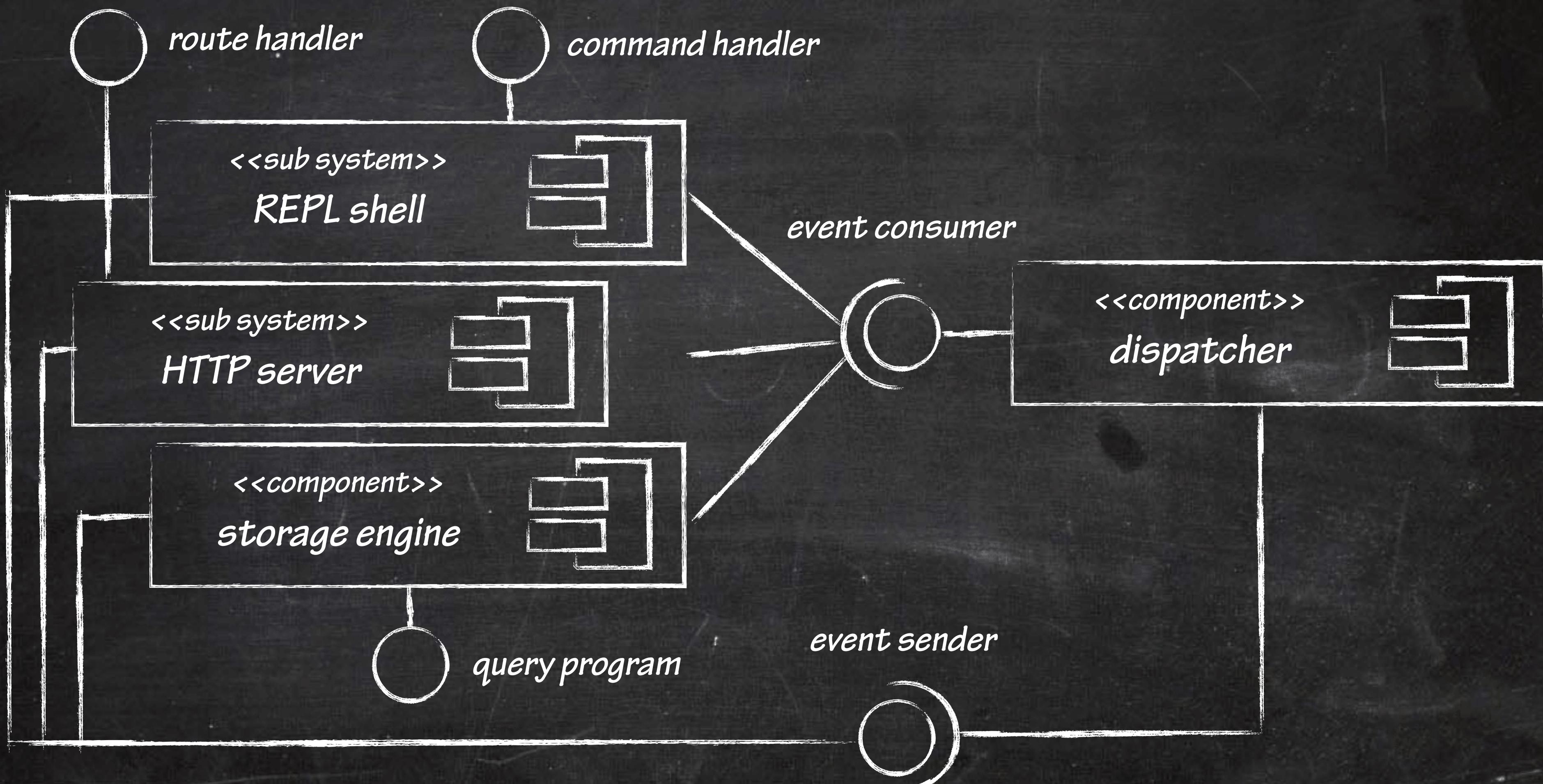
Since UML 2.0, the notation is similar to class diagrams (for better scaling)



# UML Structural Diagrams (3)

## Component Diagrams (3)

Example



## UML Structural Diagrams (4)

### Composite Diagrams (1)

#### Purpose

##### Composite diagrams:

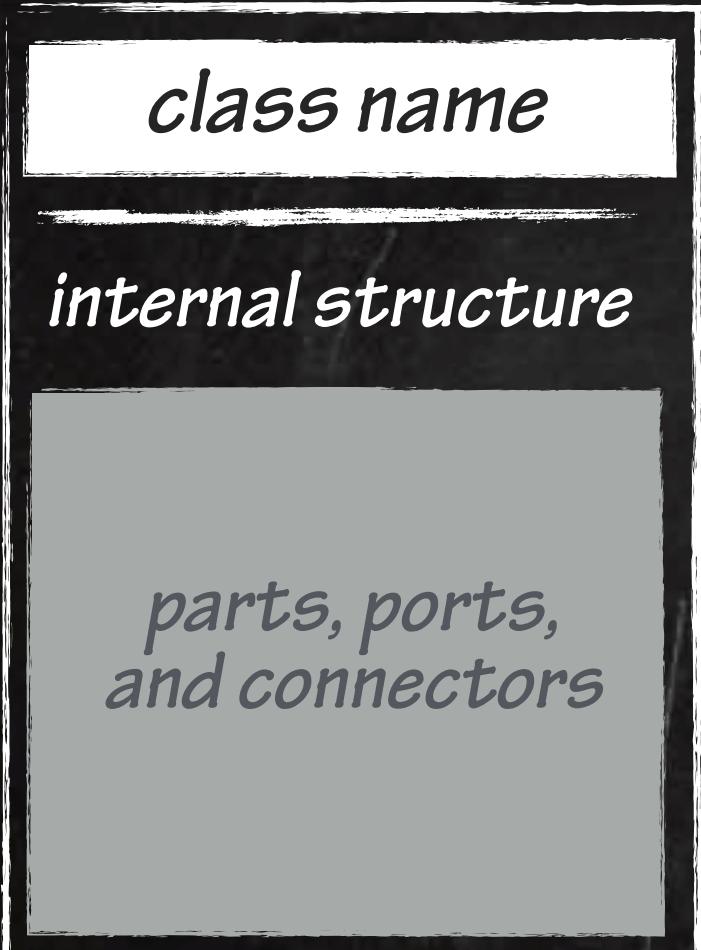
- show class internal configuration and relationships of ports, parts, and their interaction connectors.
- composite structure fulfills some purpose at runtime by collaboration of interconnected elements.

#### Purposes

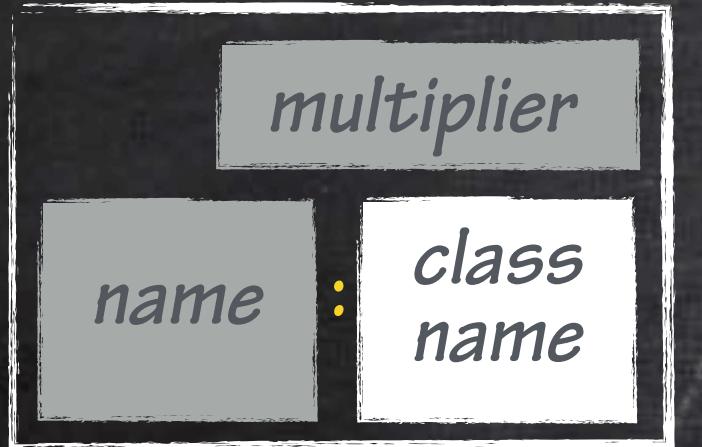
- Visualize a class' internals structure: properties, parts and relationships
- Visualize class interaction with environment: show ports of a class
- Visualize collaboration and behavior: show functionality and contributors to tasks

# UML Structural Diagrams (4)

Class in composite diagram



set of class instances plays a certain role at runtime



interaction points to connect classes with parts and environment

define exposing & requiring services

requests delegation to internal parts or the containing class



connects parts, ports, or classes to each other

interaction during runtime



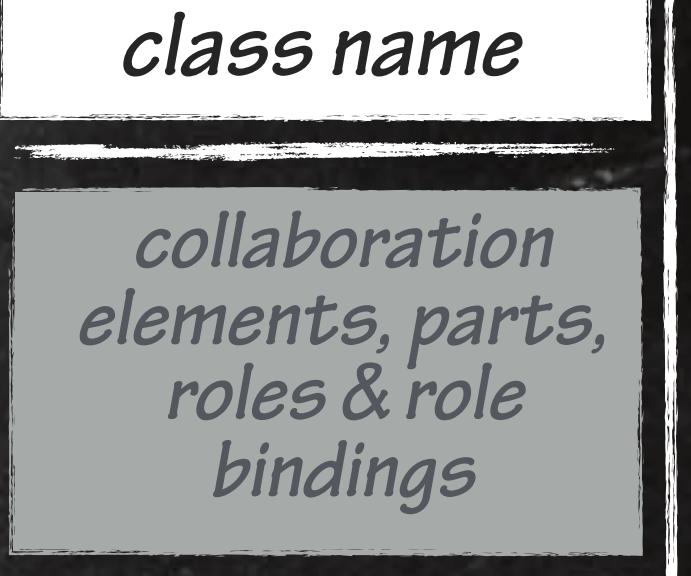
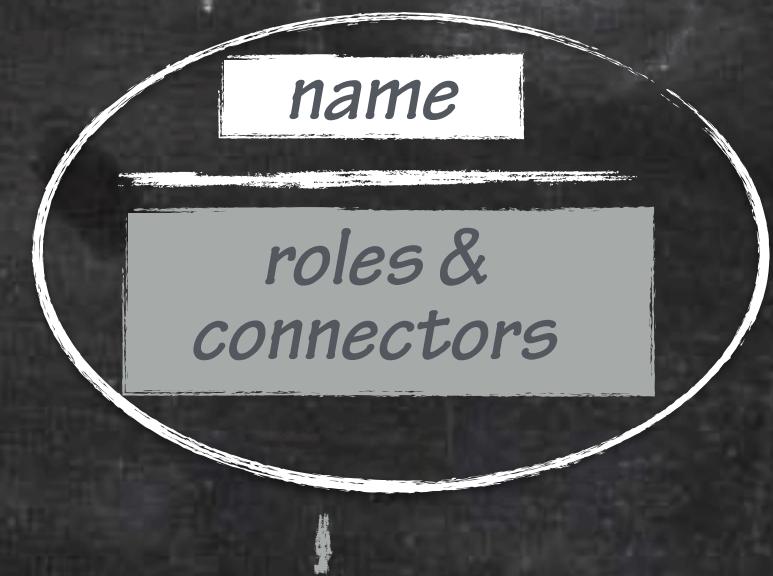
# Composite Diagrams (2)

Notation and building blocks

Collaboration Use Diagrams

set of class instances sending messages or invoke operations to fulfill purpose

show (sub-)set of instances by identifying roles for these instances



collaboration elements

collaboration using elements

Structured Classes

Parts

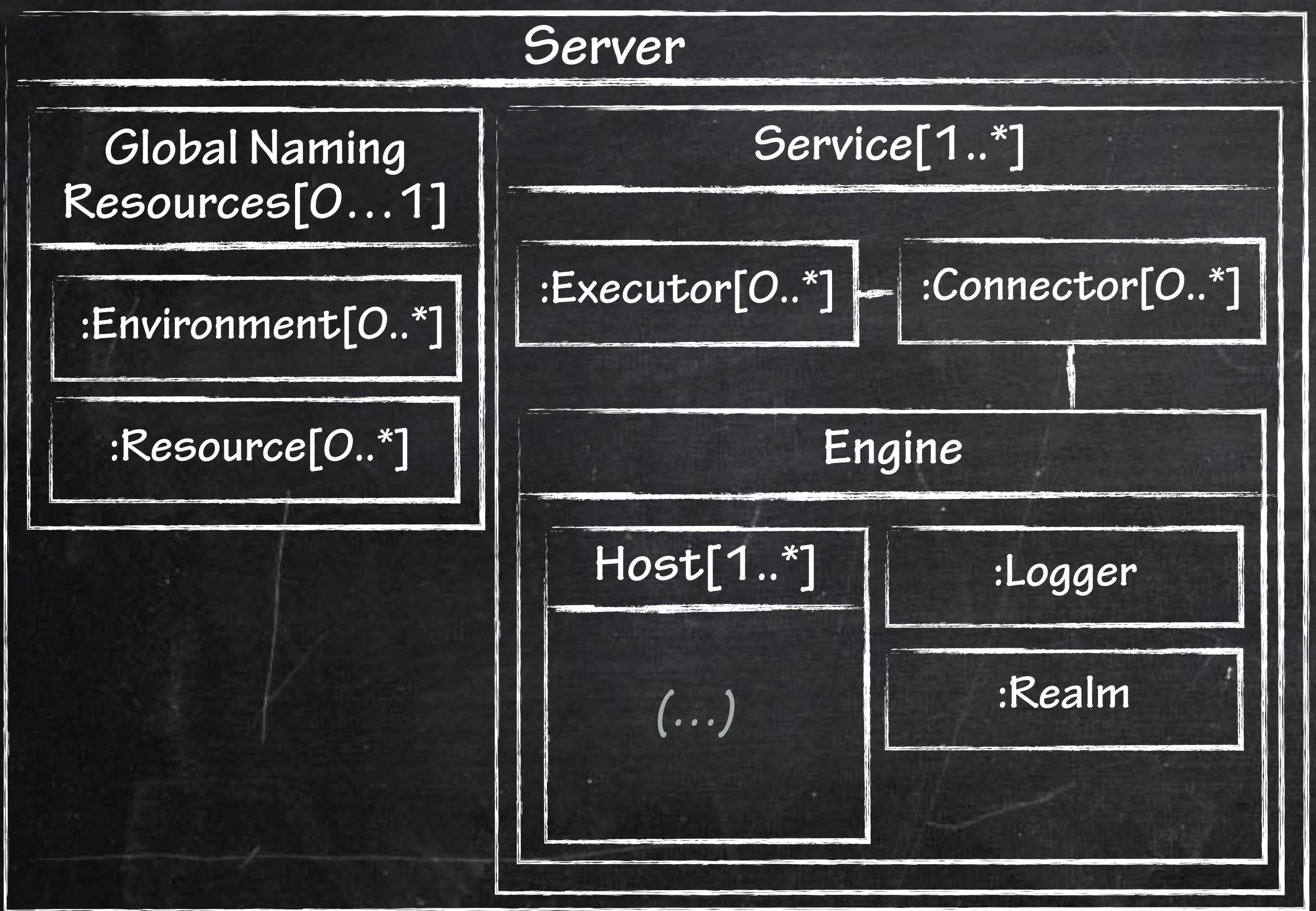
Ports

Connectors

Collaborations

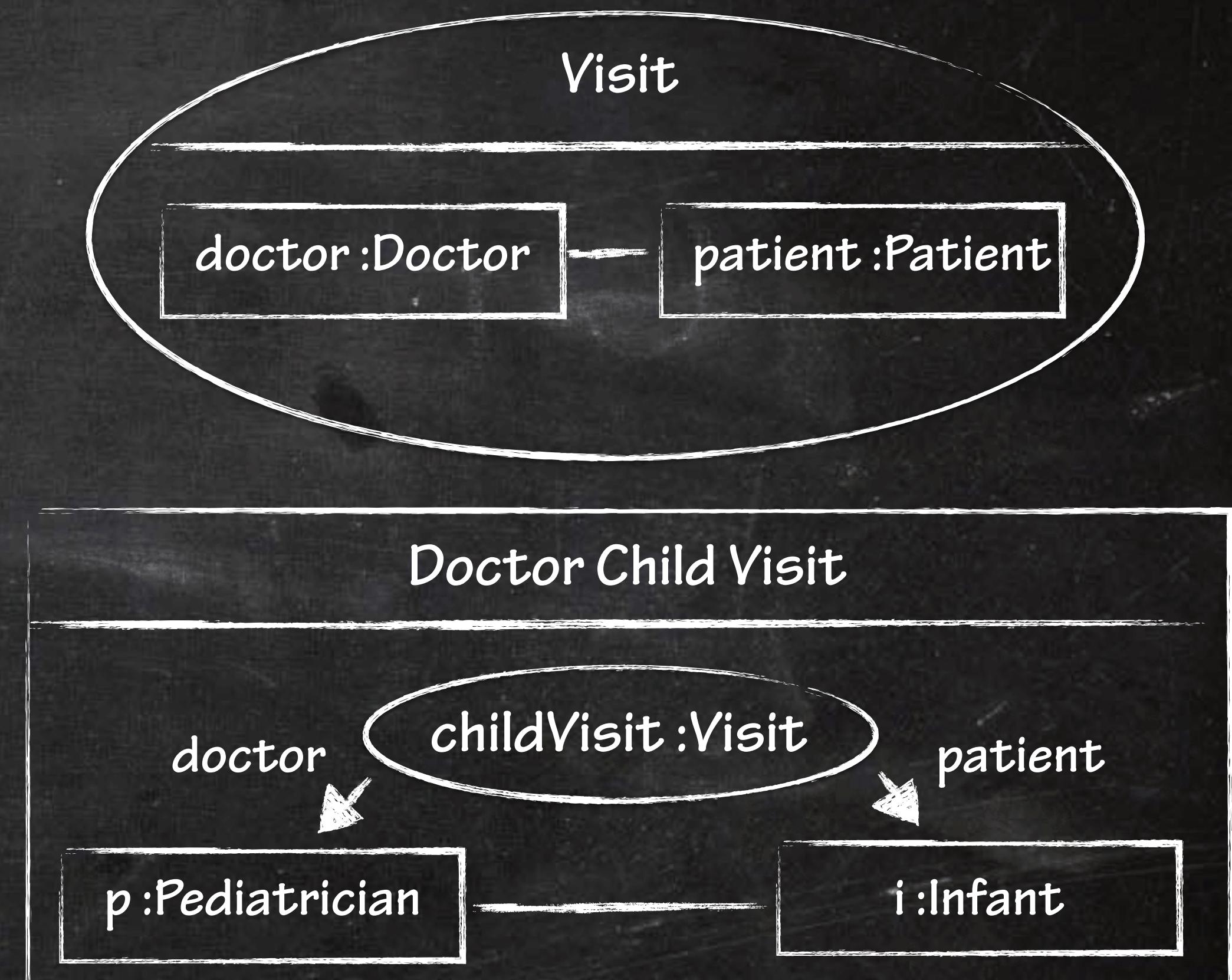
# UML Structural Diagrams (4)

## Internal Structure Diagrams



# Composite Diagrams (3)

## Example Collaboration Use Diagrams



## UML Behavior Diagrams (3)

## State Machine Diagrams (1)

### Purpose

#### State machine diagrams:

- adaption of finite automaton concepts in UML (cf. Mealy and Moore machines from Theoretical Computer Science)
- abstract machine (system, processes,...) accepts or rejects sequence of inputs while internally transitioning from one internal state to another
- States and transitions between states is well-defined
  - State transition depends on input and current active state
- Two types of state machines
  - behavior state machines: model class instance behavior
  - protocol state machines: model protocol usage for classes, interfaces & ports

#### Purposes

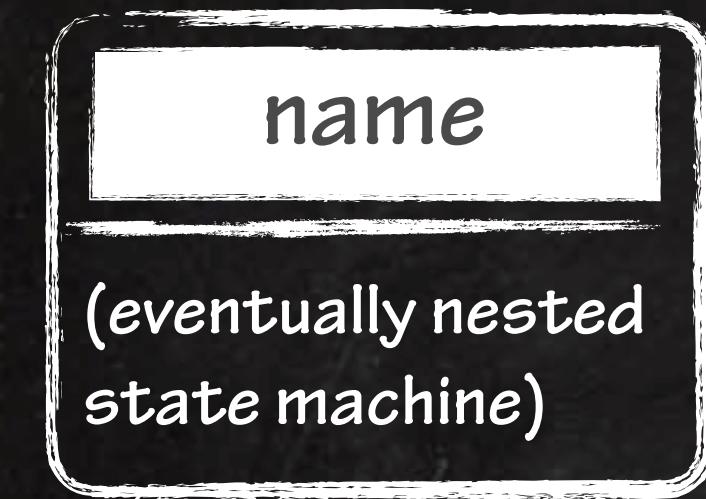
- Support event-driven system design (external, internal event e.g., button press, timeout,...)
- Visualize actions depending on system states and triggering events (cf. Mealy Machine)
- Visualize entry and exit actions depending on states rather transitions (cf. Moore Machine)

## UML Behavior Diagrams (3)

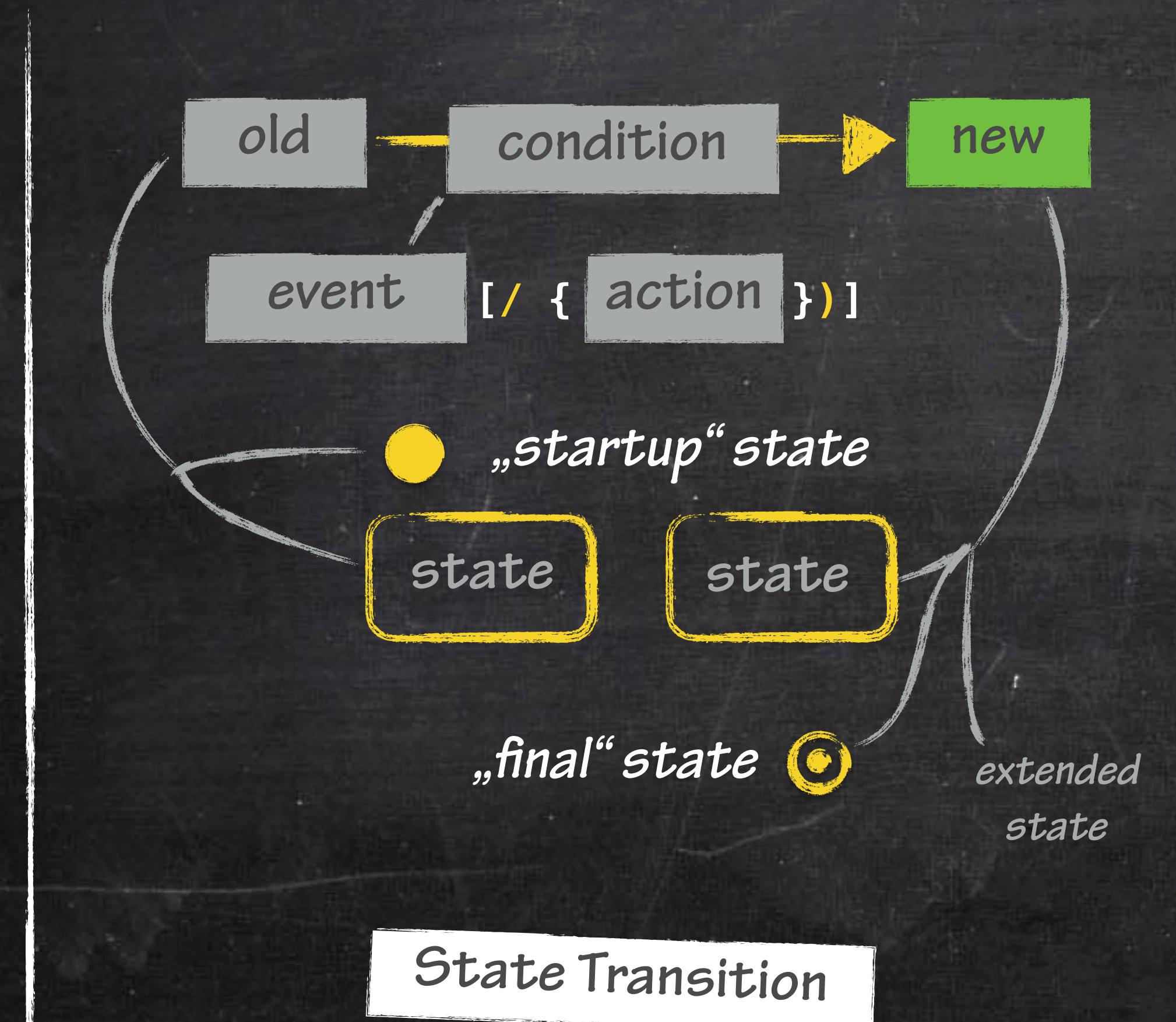
## State Machine Diagrams (2)

### Notation and building blocks

Similar to visualization of finite automatons in Theoretical Computer Science (i.e., directed graph where **nodes** are states, and **edges** are state transitions)



Either a simple (numeric) value indicating the current state, or a class implementing the systems behavior & internal variables (extended state machine)

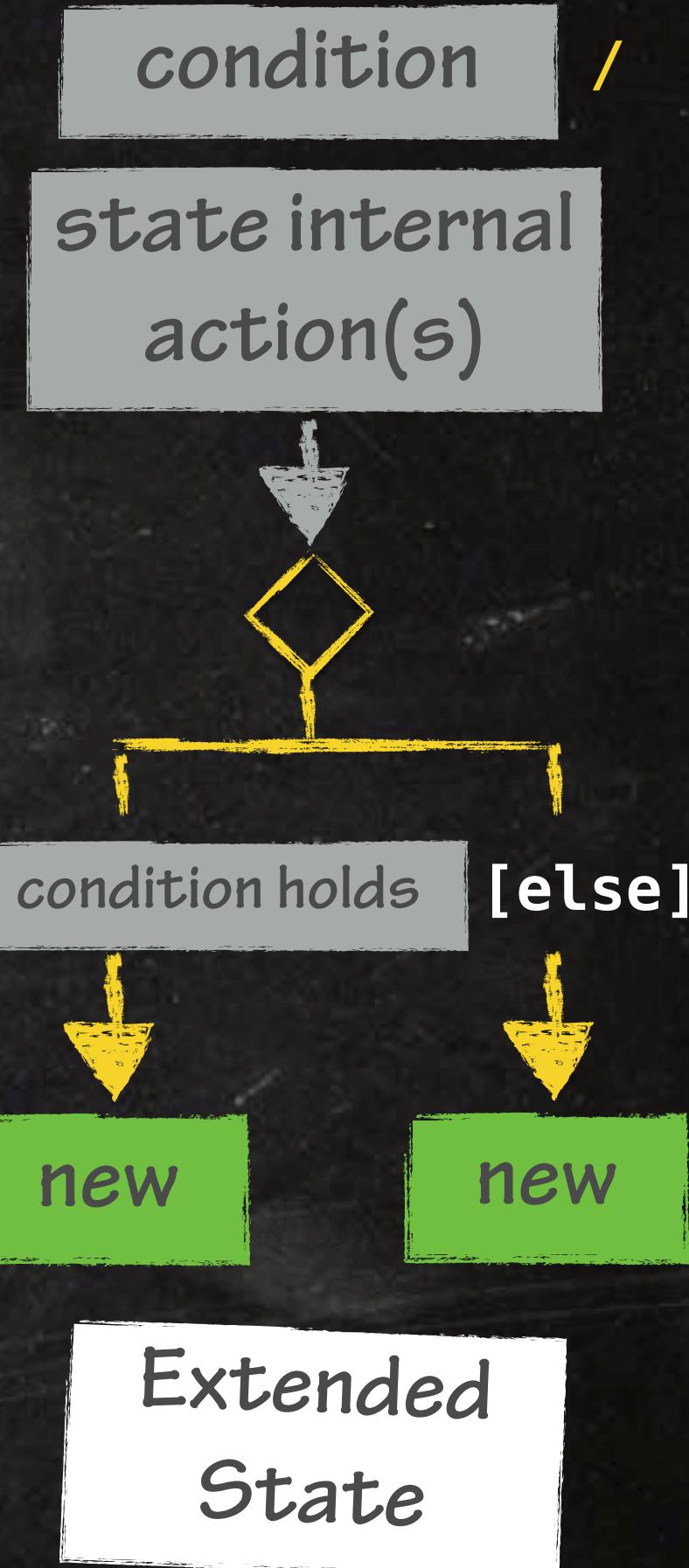


Something that occurs, have parameters and affects the system (e.g., key stroke)

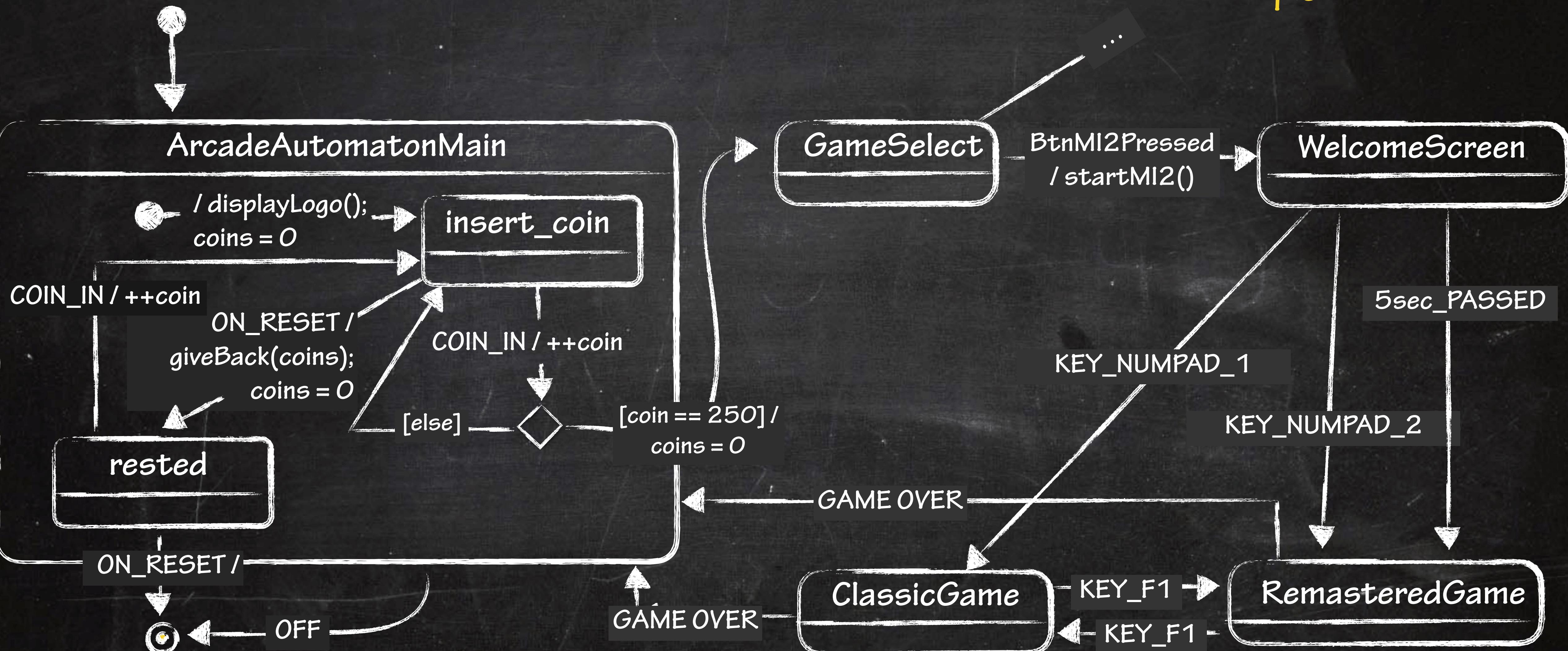
Event life cycle

- Received: added to event queue.
- Dispatched: popped from event queue, processed by state machine
- Consumed: event instance is deleted

Event



## UML Behavior Diagrams (3)



## State Machine Diagrams (3)

(Extended State Machine)  
Example

# UML Interaction Diagrams (1)

## Sequence Diagrams (1)

### Purpose

#### Sequence diagrams:

- Show **interactions between objects** (with limited lifetime) in **sequential order**:
  - **Usage scenarios**: describes ways to use the system in several use cases
  - **Function logic**: describes the logic of (complex) functions or operations
  - **Service logic**: describes interaction between/with web-services, broker,...

#### Purposes

- Visualize interactions between objects in sequential order in which those interactions occur

# UML Interaction Diagrams (1)

classes or instances  
(w/o attributes)



Class Box

represents the time  
needed for a task done  
by a certain class



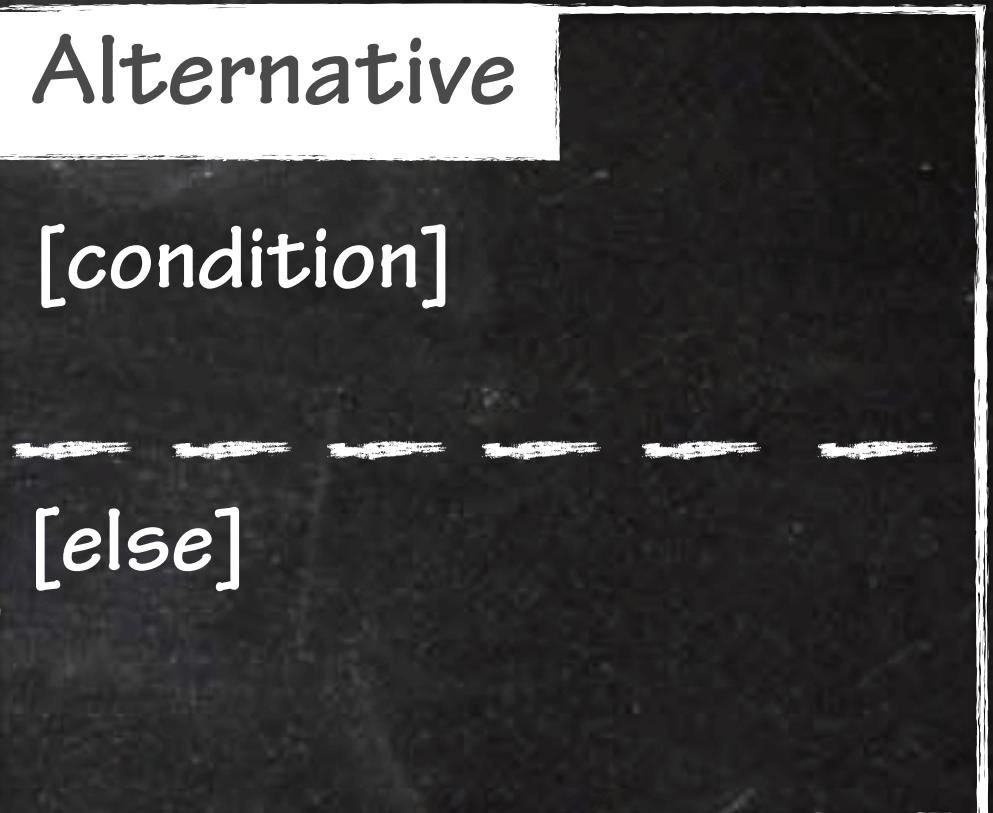
Activation Box

represents sequential  
order on events that  
affect an object



Life Line

represents choice  
between one or more  
event sequences



Alternative

# Sequence Diagrams (2)

Notation and building blocks

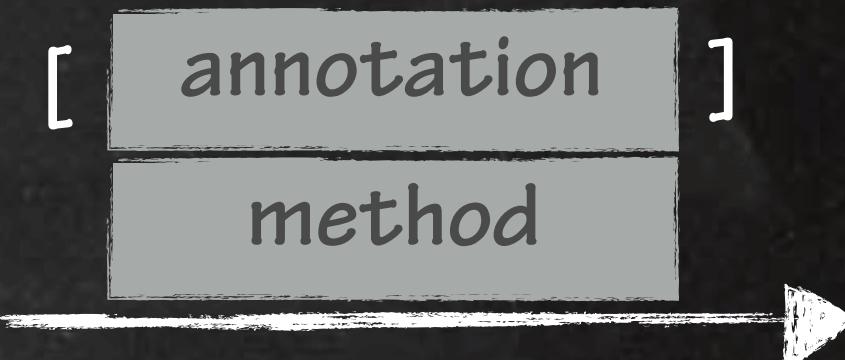
# UML Interaction Diagrams (1)

## Sequence Diagrams (3)

### Notation and building blocks (2)

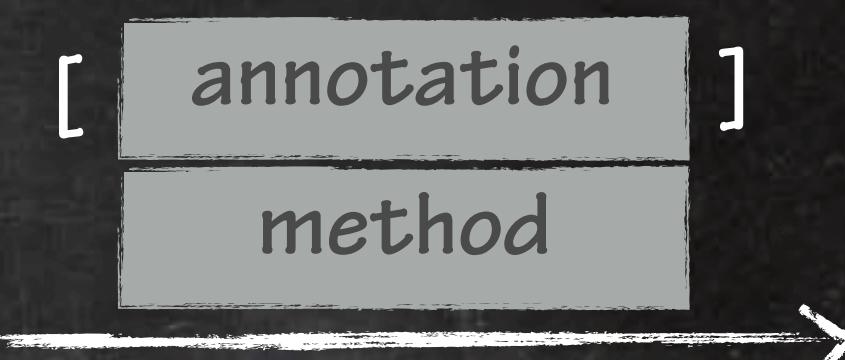
Synchronous Message

blocking: sender must wait for response before program flow continues



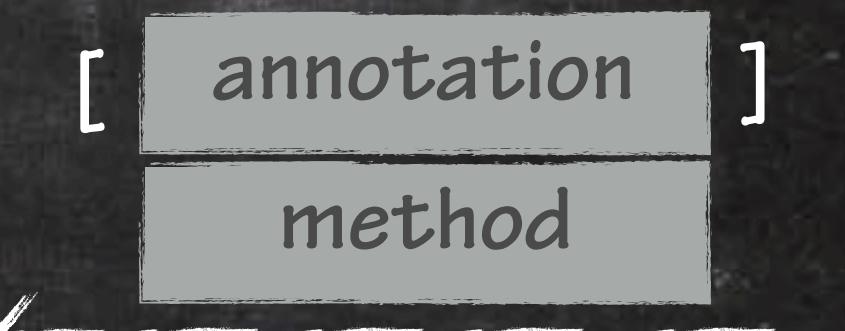
Asynchronous Message

non-blocking: sender program flow continues without waiting for response



Reply Message

indicates that a response to an synchronous/asynchronous message is available



Asynchronous Create Message

sent to lifelines in order to create those



Delete Message

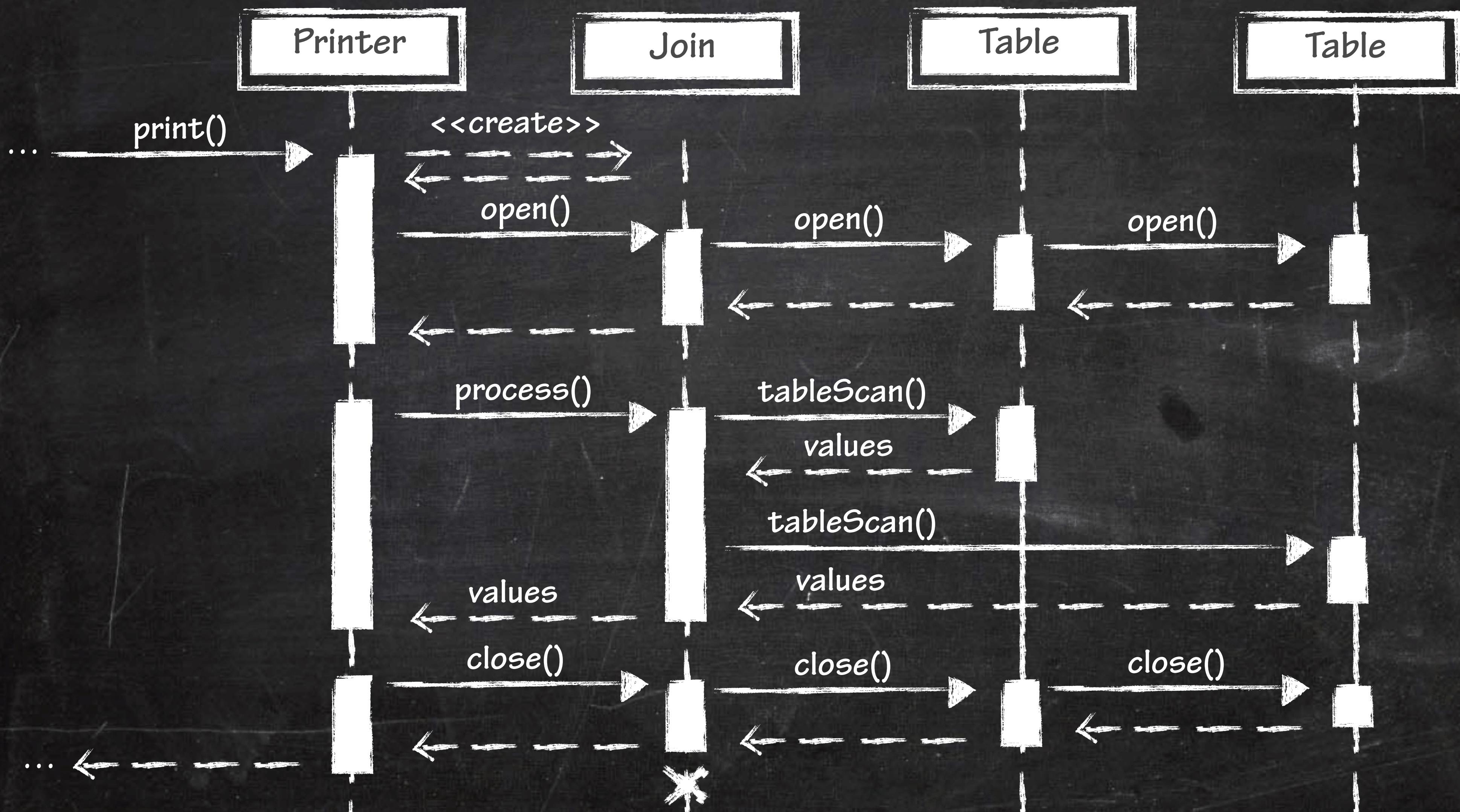
sent to lifelines and indicates the object's destruction



# UML Interaction Diagrams (1)

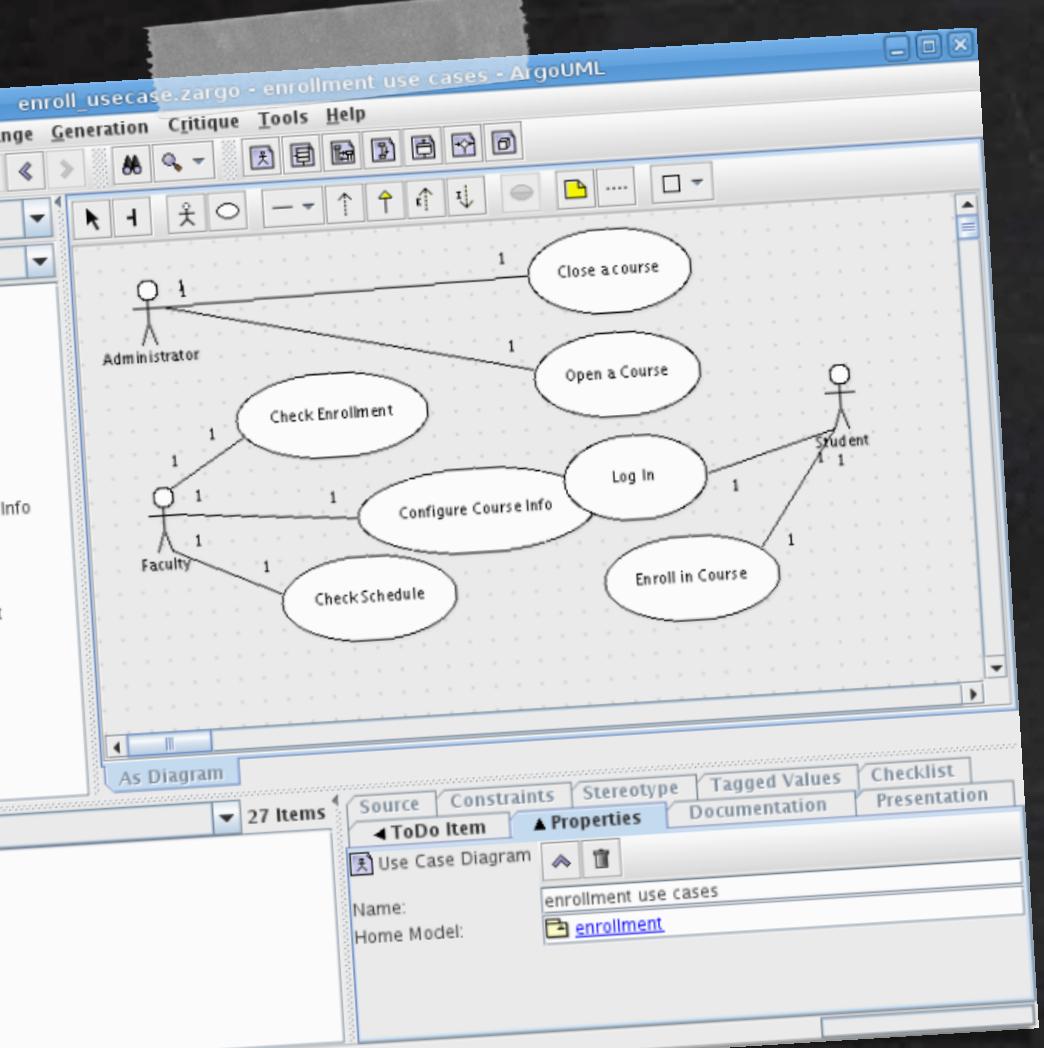
# Sequence Diagrams (3)

Example

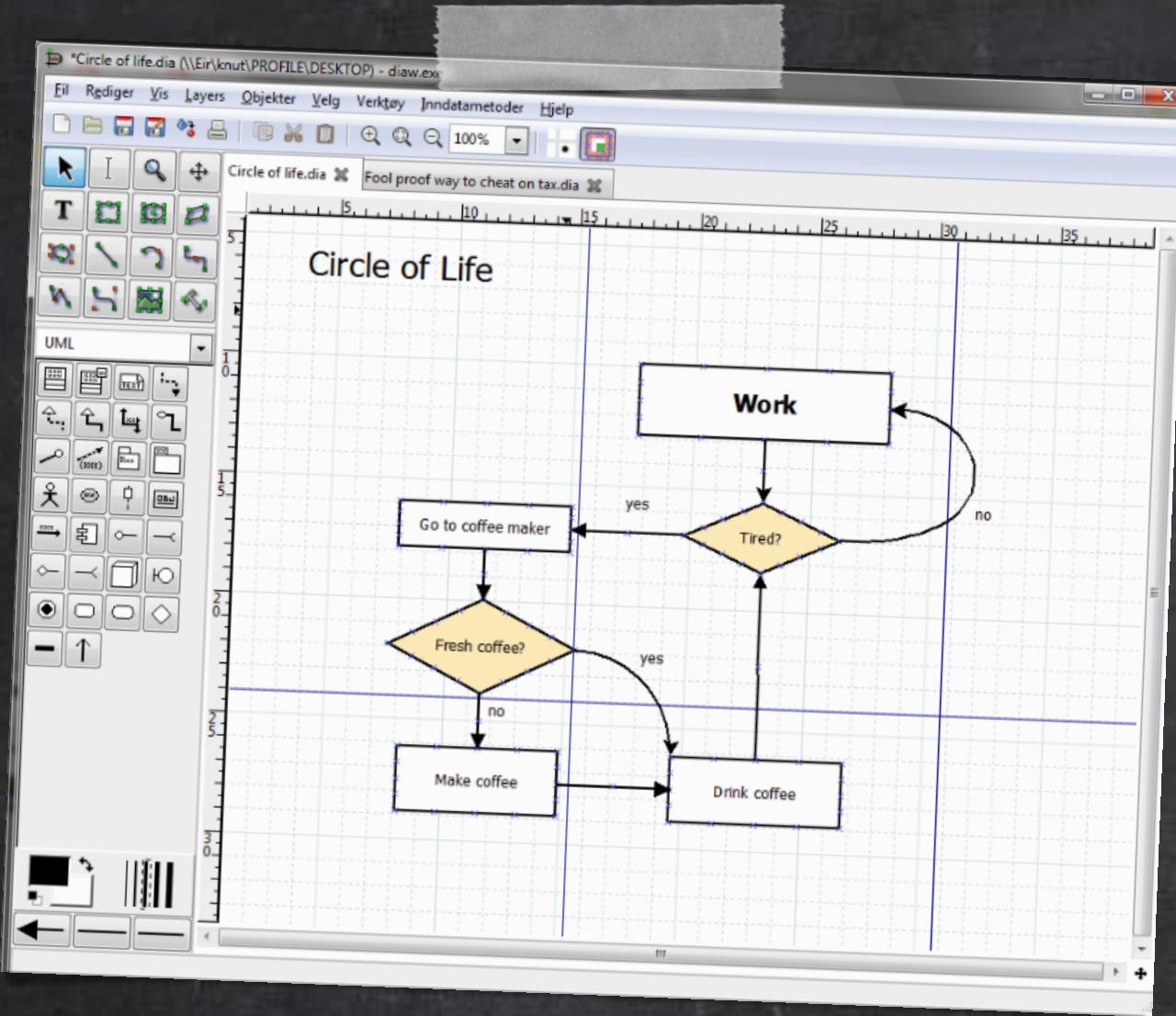


Example: pull-based  
operator-at-a-time  
processing

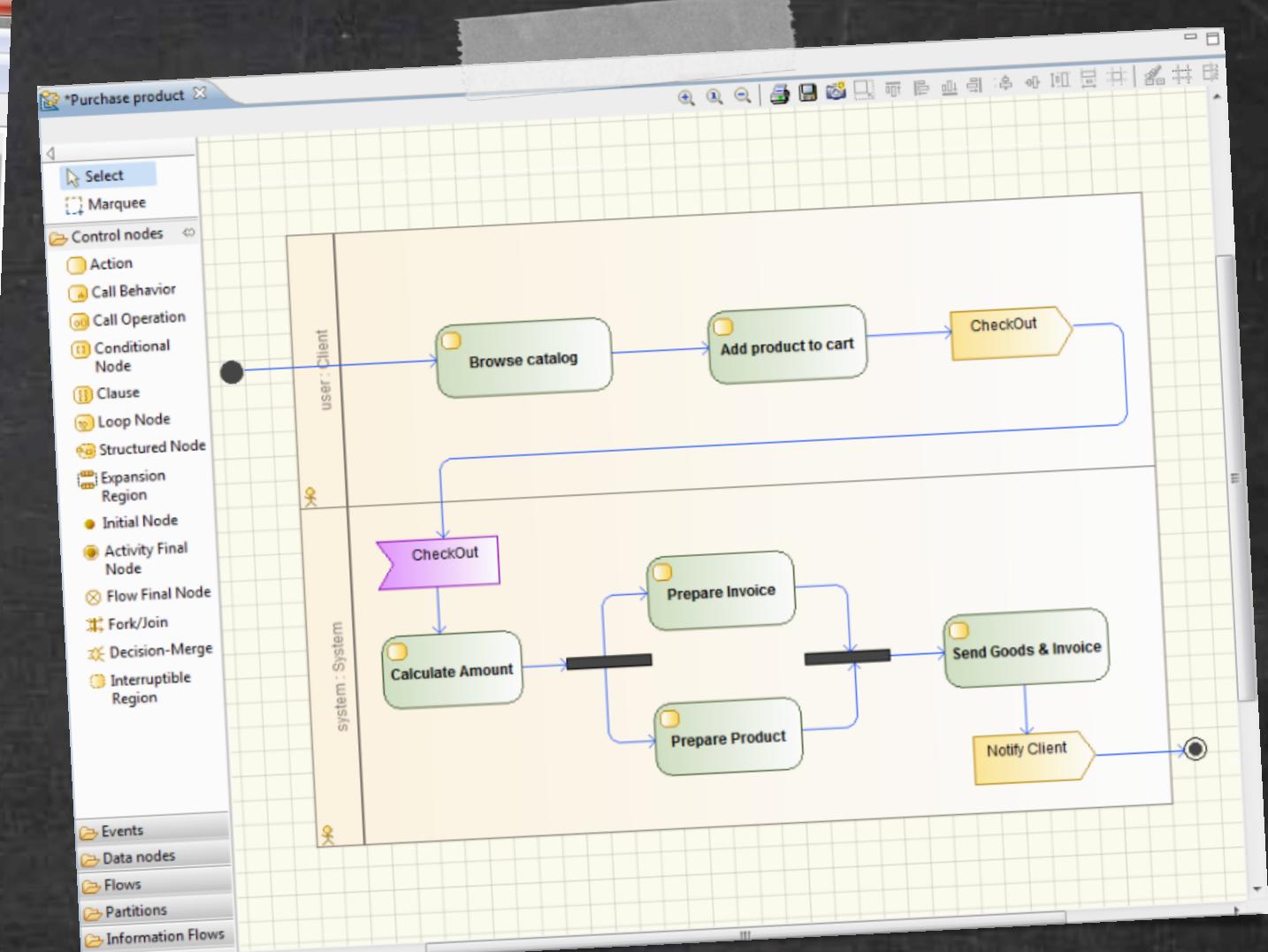
# TOOLING



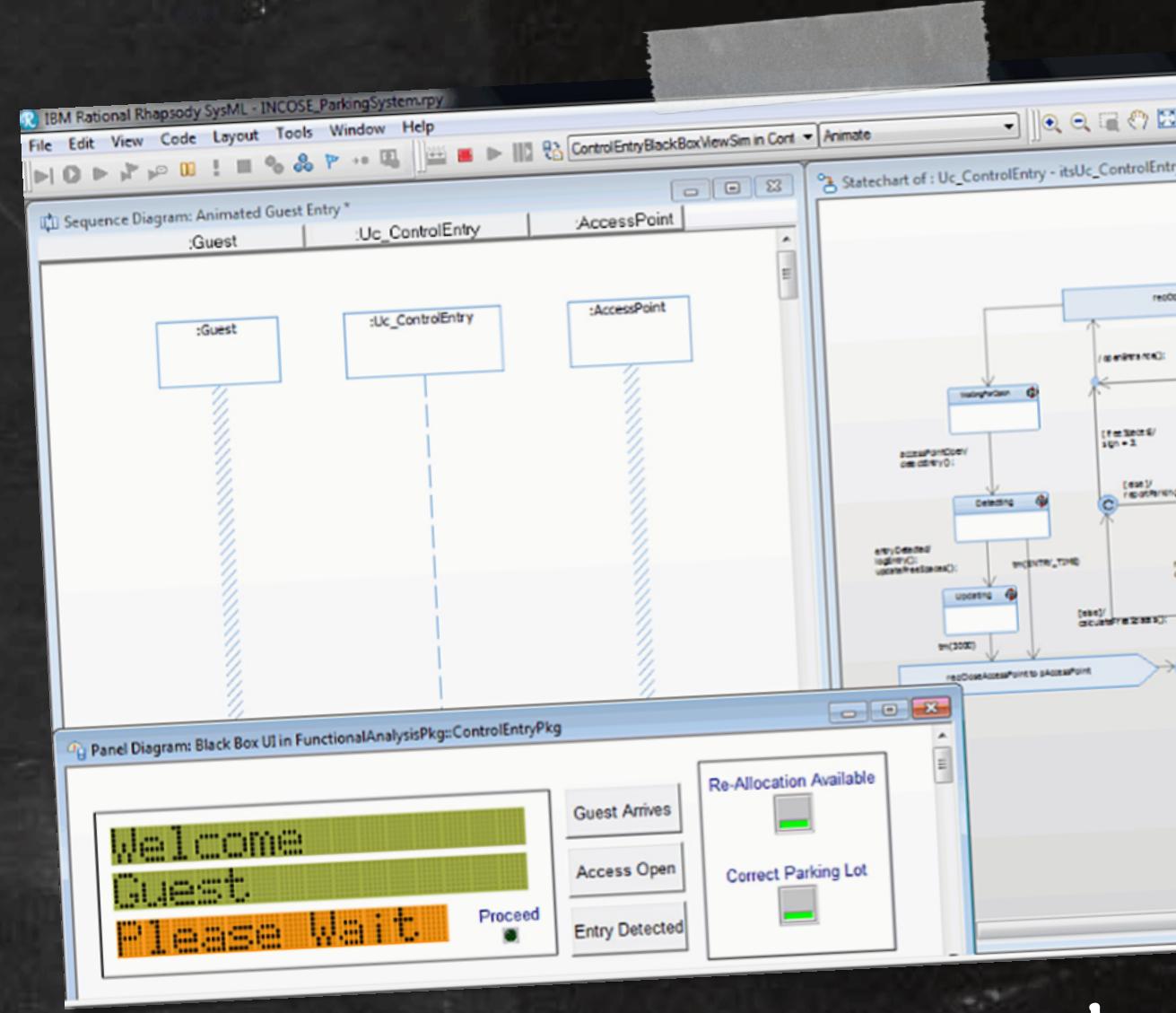
ArgoUML  
(Cross-Platform, OpenSource)



Dia  
(Cross-Platform, OpenSource)



Modelio  
(Windows & Linux, OpenSource)



Rational Rhapsody  
(Windows, Linux & macOS, Comm)

see more: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_Unified\\_Modeling\\_Language\\_tools](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_Unified_Modeling_Language_tools)  
or google for it: **uml software tools**



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exercise

# DESIGN PATTERNS

# Motivation

HEY, DID YOU PULL THE LATEST CHANGES?

JEPP

WHAT'S NEW?

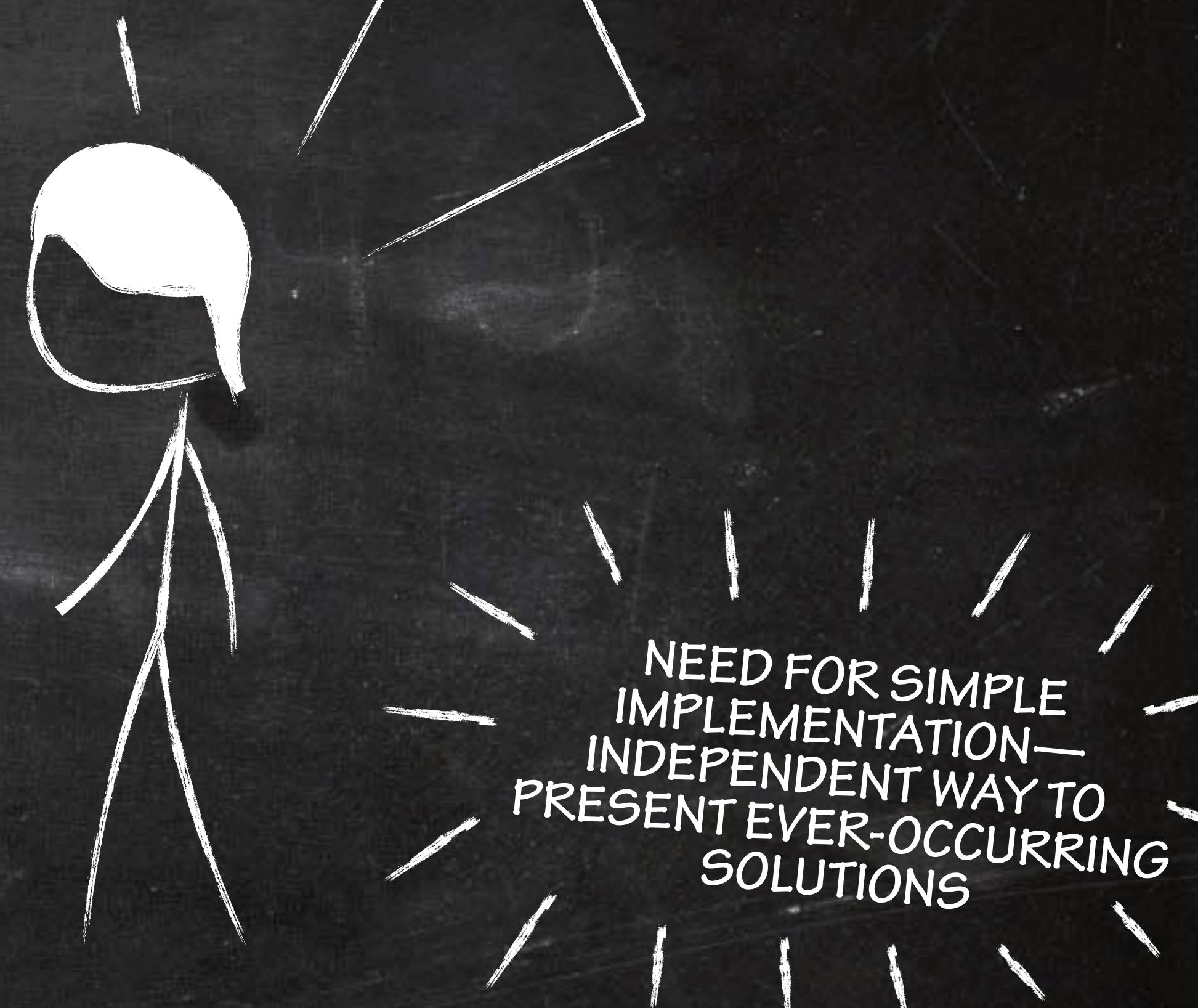
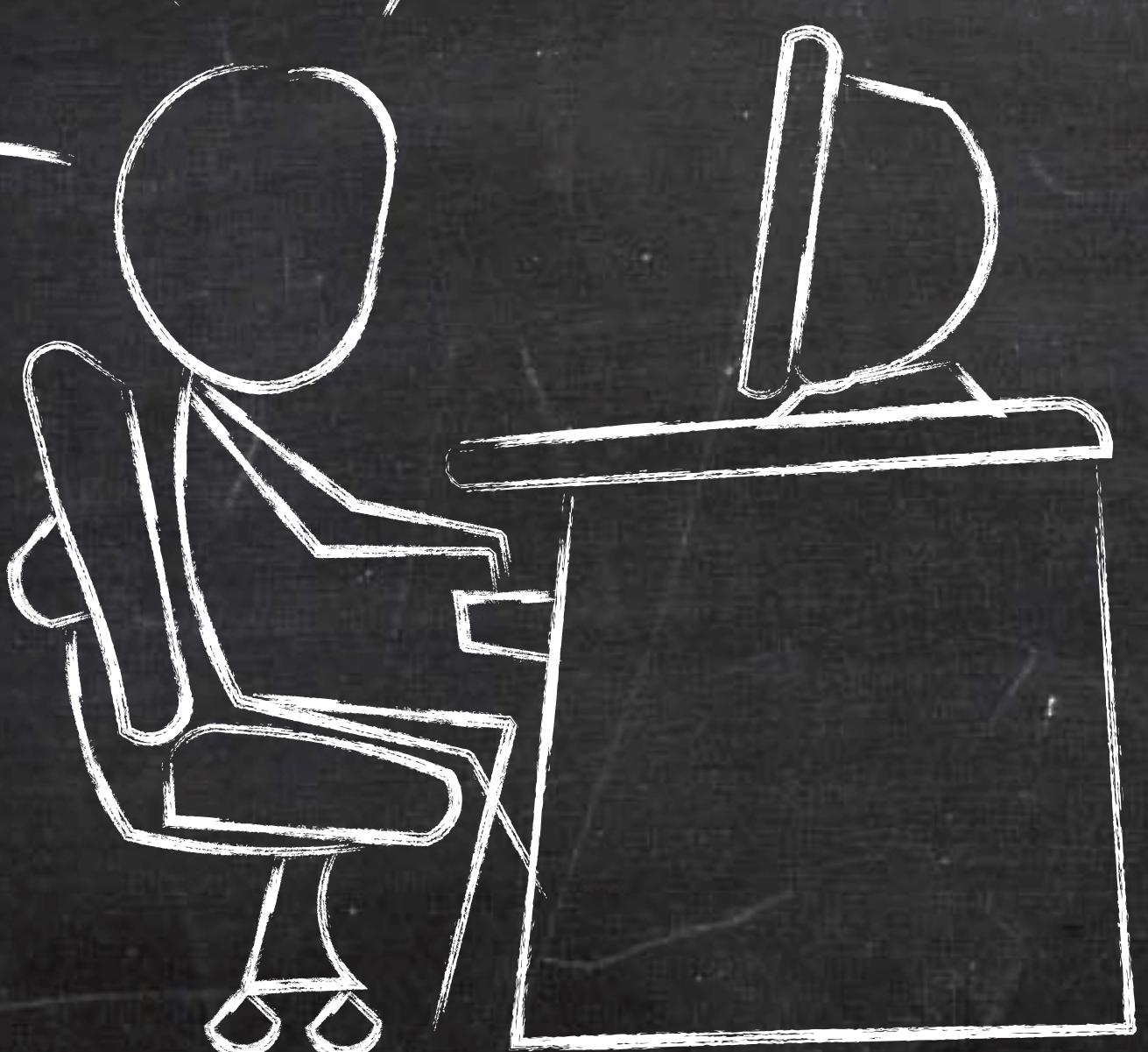
```
typedef struct fp_t { void (*_p)(struct fp_t *ths, FILE *f,  
f_t *fr, size_t off, size_t lim); void (*_f)(struct fp_t  
*ths); tt_e t; void *_; } fp_t;
```

IMPRESSIVE. WHAT'S THAT FOR?

NOT ENTIRELY SURE

HOLD ON! IT'S A KIND OF  
CLASS INHERITANCE I  
GUESS

... THE NEW THING IS  
THAT YOU NOW CAN  
CHOOSE DIFFERENT  
IMPLEMENTATIONS FOR  
THAT!





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exercise

# DOCUMENTATION

# Motivation

OH, THE FUNCTION *BIND* IS WHAT I'M  
LOOKING FOR

LET'S SEE WHAT IT DOES AND HOW TO USE

## DOCUMENTATION

DECLARED IN: bind.h

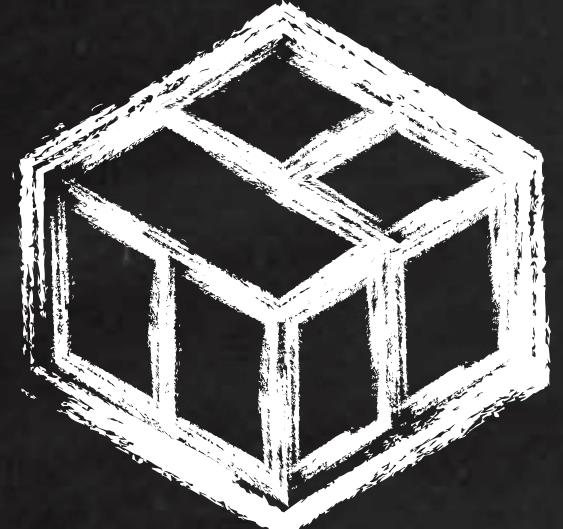
int bind(void \*, const void \*\*)

result = bind()

THANKS.

NEED FOR  
EXPLANATION





# Chapter 1

## A Full-Stack Engineer's Basic Kit



In the lecture...

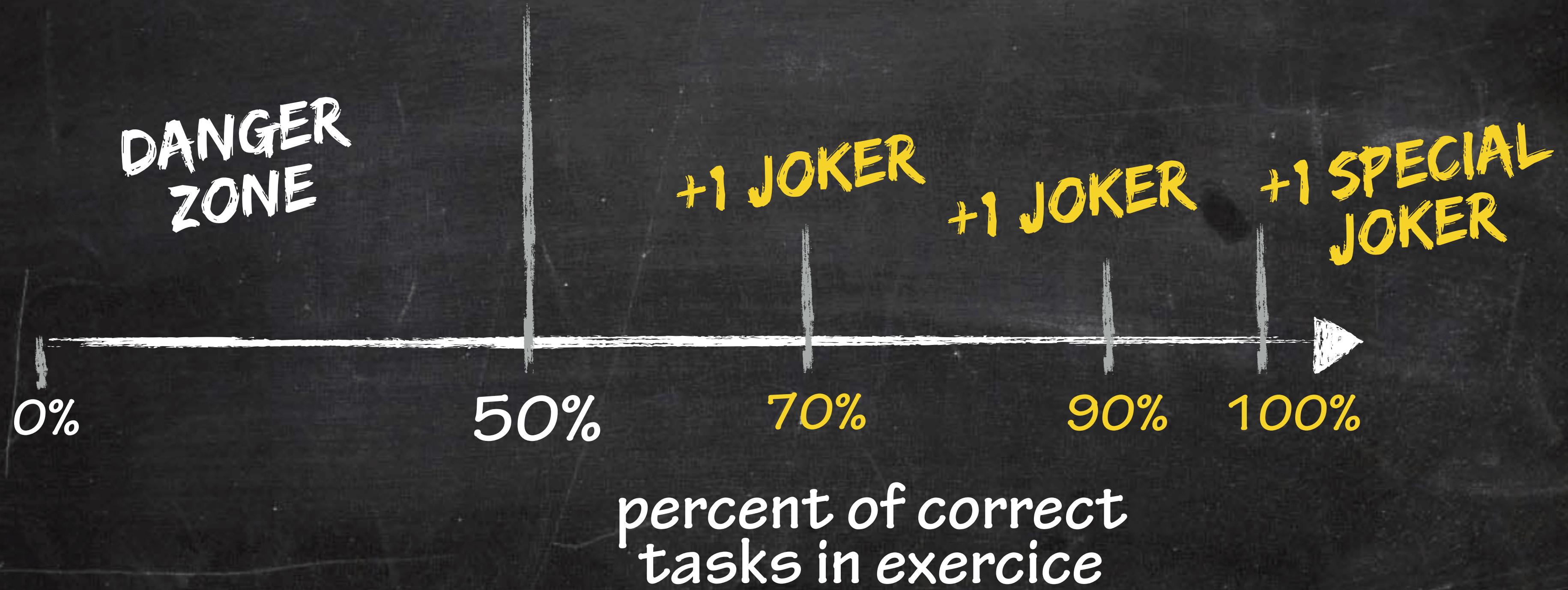
- ✓ What are Version Control Systems
- ✓ Centralized vs Decentralized VCS
- ✓ Git Local Repository Handling
- ✓ Git Remote Repository Handling
- ✓ Best Practice on Commit Messages
- ✓ Branching, Diffs, Merge-Conflicts
- ✓ Fast-Forward vs Non-Fast-Forward
- ✓ Pull-Requests, Merge and Rebase
- ✓ Tagging and Git-Ignore files
- ✓ Most useful Git commands
- ✓ Idea & motivation for branching workflows
- ✓ Four popular branching workflows, incl. forking
- ✓ Fundamental concepts in project management
- ✓ Reasons for failed projects
- ✓ Non-agile vs agile development methodologies
- ✓ Waterfall Model, Spiral Model
- ✓ Agile methods characteristics, pro's and con's
- ✓ Modeling languages, why to use, pro's and con's
- ✓ UML, 3 types of diagrams & representatives
- ✓ Purpose, building blocks of seven diagrams

... from the exercise

- ✓ Git setup, GitHub usage, pull requests
- ✓ Fork, cloning repositories
- ✓ Basic and advanced Git operations:  
committing one out of two  
Ignoring files, merging vs rebasing,  
rewriting history, stash your work
- ✓ Basic understanding of compiler &  
linker, build automation, build  
automation generators, libraries,  
IDEs, debugger, memory debugger,  
profiler, test frameworks, code style  
formatter
- ✓ Most important design patterns
- ✓ Code documentation basics

# INTERMEZZO

## REGARDING THE JOKERS



# INTERMEZZO (2)

GETTING SOMETHING SWEET  
FOR PRESENTING IN EXERCISE  
AT THE END



number of  
presented tasks  
during exercise