MODIFICATIONS MADE IN THE UML

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The following is the list of all the changes made in the UML design:

1. Introduction of Zombie, Sunflower and Peashooter subclasses

The subclasses inherit from <u>Piece</u> class (SUPER class). The above-mentioned subclasses represent the specific game pieces for the PLantVsZombie game. Each game piece subclass has its own unique set of characteristics i.e. Name, ShortName, Health, Attack and Cost.

2. View replaced the Main class and Controller replaced GameBoard class

The GameBoard class was the main logic behind the console-based input version for the PLantVsZombie game. The design is based on the MVC pattern thus replacement of the GameBoard class with the Controller Class and the introduction of the View i.e. GUI Display. The View class is responsible for the GUI and visual output for the game.

3. PlantPieces Enumeration class removed

The subclasses replaced the functionality for the PlantPieces enum class which was responsible for listing the game pieces. Also, the Piece class <u>name</u> field type was changed from PlantPiece to String type

4. The introduction of ActionListener Interface and JFrame Super Class

The Controller class uses the method from ActionListener interface for executing accordingly with user commands and selections. View extends JFrame. The JFrame is the hierarchy root for the Swing-based PlantsVsZombie GUI.