

Testing Actors and MySQL

Lecture Question

Task: Create and test an actor class to track funds in a bank account

- This question is similar to Monday's in that your actor will only track a single value. Through this question you will practice writing a test suite for actors
- In a package named bank create a class named BankAccount that extends Actor
- Create the following case class/objects in the bank package that will be used as messages
 - A case class named Deposit that takes an Int in its constructor
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- In a package named tests, write a class named TestBankAccount as a test suite that tests the BankAccount functionality

Due: Sunday @11:59pm

Traits and Mixins

- We've seen inheritance by extending abstract classes
- What if we want to extend multiple classes?
 - Example: You want an object class that extends `PhysicalObject` to have physics applied and extend `Actor` to run concurrently
 - This is not allowed
- Can avoid this need by using composition
 - Make a class that extends `actor` and stores a `PhysicalObject` in an instance variable

Traits and Mixins

- Traits
 - Similar to abstract classes
 - **Cannot have a constructor**
- No limit to the number of traits that can be extended

```
trait Database {  
  def playerExists(username: String): Boolean  
  def createPlayer(username: String): Unit  
  def saveGameState(username: String, gameState: String): Unit  
  def loadGameState(username: String): String  
}
```

Traits and Mixins

- Mixins
 - When extending multiple traits, we use the term mixin (ie. The traits are mixed into the class)
- Extend any one class/abstract class/trait using "extends"
- Add any number of Traits using "with"
- Must implement all abstract methods from all inheritances

```
class ActorAndDatabase extends Actor with Database {  
  override def receive: Receive = {  
    case _ =>  
  }  
  override def playerExists(username: String): Boolean = {  
    false  
  }  
  override def createPlayer(username: String): Unit = {}  
  override def saveGameState(username: String, gameState: String): Unit = {}  
  override def loadGameState(username: String): String = {  
    ""  
  }  
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Testing Actors

- We've seen our first actor system where multiple actors can run concurrently
- **But how would we test such a program?**
- Use a FunSuite like we have all semester?
 - FunSuite starts the actor system
 - Creates actors
 - Sends messages
 - Runs some asserts that likely execute before the first message is received by an actor
- Can wait with `Thread.sleep` to wait for messages, but the FunSuite can't receive messages from the actors
 - Now way of gaining information from the actors

Testing Actors - Library

- Lets pull in a new library to help us out
- The testing library we'll use is the Akka testkit
- Make sure the version number matches your version of the Akka actor library

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>com.typesafe.akka</groupId>  
  <artifactId>akka-actor_2.12</artifactId>  
  <version>2.5.25</version>  
</dependency>
```

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Testing Actors - Setup

- Using this library, we'll setup a new type of TestSuite using the TestKit class
- This setup can is directly from the test kit documentation and can be reused whenever you setup a test suite for actors

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import akka.testkit.{ImplicitSender, TestKit}
import org.scalatest.{BeforeAndAfterAll, Matchers, WordSpecLike}

import scala.concurrent.duration._

class TestActors() extends TestKit(ActorSystem("TestValueActor"))
  with ImplicitSender
  with WordSpecLike
  with Matchers
  with BeforeAndAfterAll {

  override def afterAll: Unit = {
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Testing Actors - Setup

- Import classes/traits from the libraries
- The test kit is build on top of scaliest so we'll use both libraries
- Import the duration package from Scala to use 100.millis syntax
 - Important: This must be manually added. IntelliJ will not suggest importing this and you will have an error on your millis

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Testing Actors - Setup

- Extend the TestKit class which has a constructor that takes an ActorSystem
- Name and Create a new ActorSystem directly in the constructor

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Testing Actors - Setup

- Mixin traits for additional functionality
- These traits contain defined methods
 - No methods that need to be implemented

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Testing Actors - Setup

- From the BeforeAndAfterAll trait, we inherited the afterAll method which is called after all our tests complete
- By default, afterAll is implemented but does nothing
- We override afterAll to properly shutdown the actor system

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Testing Actors - Setup

- Finally, we can setup our tests
- Instead of a test name as we had for unit testing, the test kit uses behavioral tests
 - Name tests by the expected behavior of your code

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Testing Actors - Setup

- Methods "must" and "in" are inherited from WordSpecLike and are called inline
 - Uses a string wrapper class (ie. "A value actor" is implicitly converted to the wrapper class which contains the must method)
- All this to achieve more human readable syntax

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Testing Actors

- With the test suite setup, we're ready to start testing our actors
- We have access to the actor system we created in the constructor in the system variable
 - Use this system to start your actor(s)

```
"A value actor" must {  
  "track a value" in {  
    val valueActor = system.actorOf(Props(classOf[ValueActor], 10))  
  
    valueActor ! Increase(5)  
    valueActor ! Increase(5)  
  
    expectNoMessage(100.millis)  
  
    valueActor ! GetValue  
    val value: Value = expectMsgType[Value](1000.millis)  
  
    assert(value == Value(20))  
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Testing Actors

- Send messages to the actor using the `!` method

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Testing Actors

- **New:** Use the `expectNoMessage` method (inherited from `TestKit`) to wait for messages to resolve before testing
- The test suite will wait for the specified amount of time
 - If there's an error on millis, don't forget to import Scala's duration package

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Testing Actors

- Send a message to an actor that is expecting a response
- The test suite is part of the actor system and can receive the response for testing

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Testing Actors

- **New:** When you expect to receive a message, call `expectMsgType` with the message type you expect
- The time provided is the maximum amount of time to wait before failing the test
 - If we don't receive a message of type `Value` within 1 second, this test fails

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Testing Actors

- When the message is received, use asserts to make sure it contains the expected values

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Testing Actors

- Caution: When testing message types with undefined variable names **do not access the variables for testing**
 - For today's lecture question, the names of the Int variables are not defined and it is unlikely that we will use the same names
 - If we use different names => error in AutoLab

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Testing Actors

- Instead of accessing message variables
 - Create a new message of that type and check for equality
 - Recall that case classes have an equals method that compares the values of its variables instead of comparing references

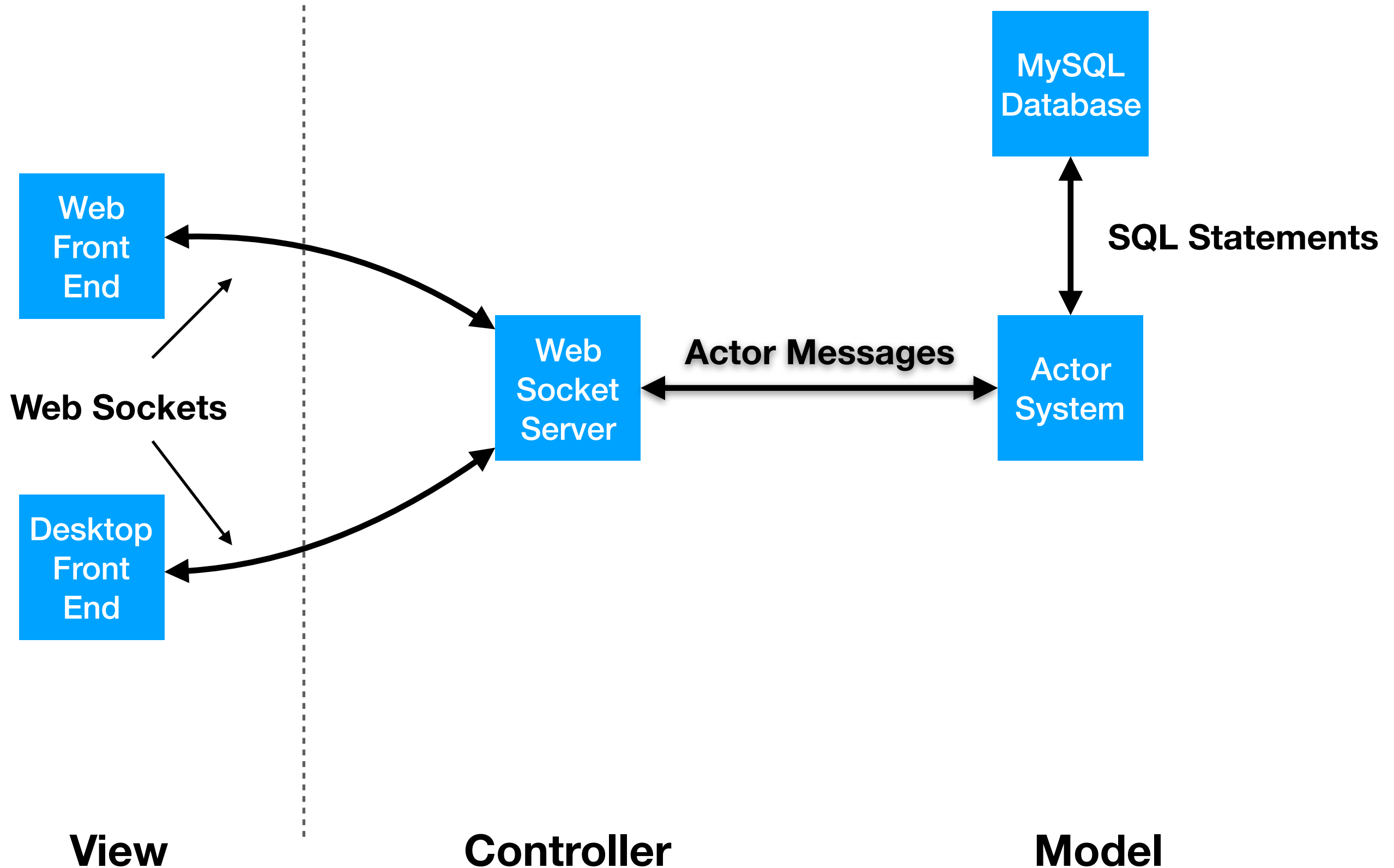
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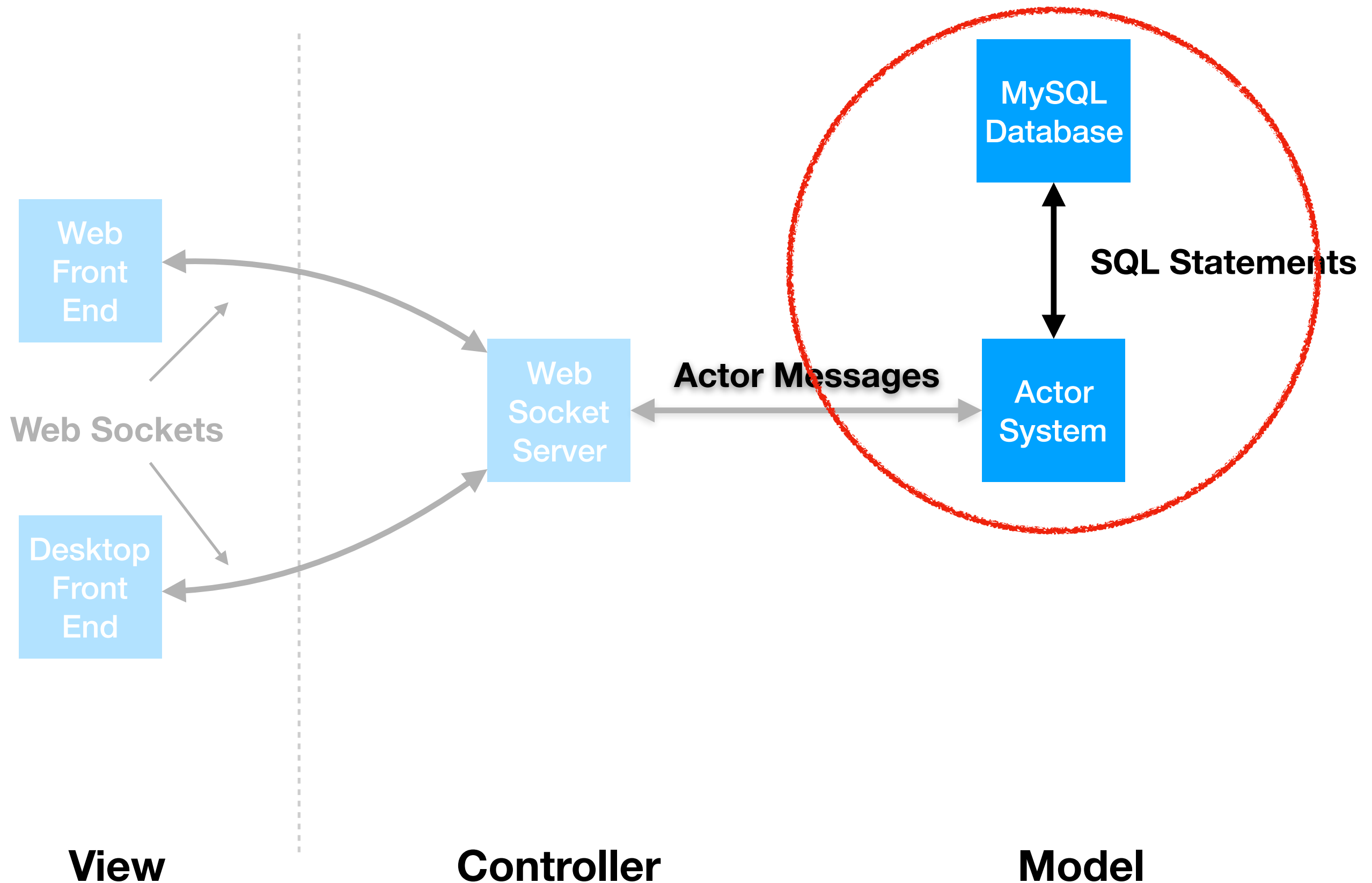
- For Clicker: All the message types and variables are defined and provided in the starter code
- You can freely access the message variables when writing tests for Clicker

Databases

MMO Architecture



MMO Architecture



MySQL v. SQLite

- MySQL
 - Database server
 - Runs as a separate process that could be running on a different machine
 - Connect to the server and send it SQL statements to execute
- SQLite
 - Removes networking
 - Must run on the same machine as the app
 - Can be used for small apps
 - Common in embedded system - Including Android/iOS apps

MySQL

- A program that must be downloaded, installed, and ran
- Is a server
 - By default, listens on port 3306
- Connect using JDBC (Java DataBase Connectivity)
 - Must download the MySQL Driver for JDBC (Use Maven. Artifact in repo)
 - JDBC abstracts out the networking so we can focus on the SQL statements

MySQL

- After MySQL is running and the JDBC Driver is downloaded..
- Connect to MySQL Server by providing
 - url of database
 - username/password for the database
 - Whatever you chose when setting up the database

```
val url = "jdbc:mysql://localhost/mysql?serverTimezone=UTC"  
val username = "root"  
val password = "12345678"
```

```
var connection: Connection = DriverManager.getConnection(url, username, password)
```

MySQL - Security

- For real apps that you deploy
 - **Do not check your password into version control!**
 - A plain text password in public GitHub repo is bad
 - Attacker can replace localhost with the IP for your app and can access all your data
 - Common to save the password in a environment variable to prevent accidentally pushing it to git
 - **Do not use the default password for any servers you're running**
 - This is what caused the Equifax leak (Not with MySQL)
- Attacker have bots that scan random IPs for such vulnerabilities

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MySQL

- Once connected we can send SQL statements to the server

```
val statement = connection.createStatement()  
statement.execute("CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS players (username TEXT, points INT)")
```

- If using inputs from the user, always use prepared statements
 - Indices start at 1 🥲

```
val statement = connection.prepareStatement("INSERT INTO players VALUE (?, ?)")  
  
statement.setString(1, "mario")  
statement.setInt(2, 10)  
  
statement.execute()
```

MySQL - Security

- Not using prepared statements?
 - **Vulnerable to SQL injection attacks**
- If you concatenate user inputs directly into your SQL statements
 - Attacker chooses a username of `'';DROP TABLE players;`
 - You lose all your data
 - Even worse, they find a way to access the entire database and steal other users' data
 - SQL Injection is the most common successful attack

MySQL

- Use `executeQuery` when pulling data from the database
- Returns a `ResultSet`
 - The `next()` methods queue the next result of the query
 - `next` returns false if there are no more results to read
- Can read values by index or by column name
 - Use `get` methods to convert SQL types to Scala types

```
val statement = connection.createStatement()
val result: ResultSet = statement.executeQuery("SELECT * FROM players")

var allScores: Map[String, Int] = Map()

while (result.next()) {
    val username = result.getString("username")
    val score = result.getInt("points")
    allScores = allScores + (username -> score)
}
```

SQL

- SQL is based on tables with rows and column
 - Similar in structure to CSV except the values have types other than string
- How do we store an array or key-value store?
 - With CSV our answer was to move on to JSON
 - SQL answer is to create a separate table and use JOINS (Or move to MongoDB)
 - This is beyond CSE116 so we'll stick to data that fits the row/column structure

MySQL

- No automated testing of MySQL in this course
- Fair warning:
 - You will use MySQL in the next lab activity (After demo 2)
 - Have MySQL installed, running, and tested before that lab so you have enough time to complete the activity

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