

BEHAVIORAL PATTERNS

Software Modeling

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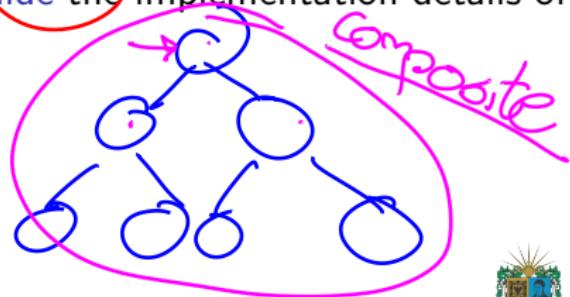
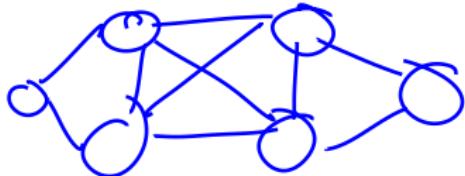
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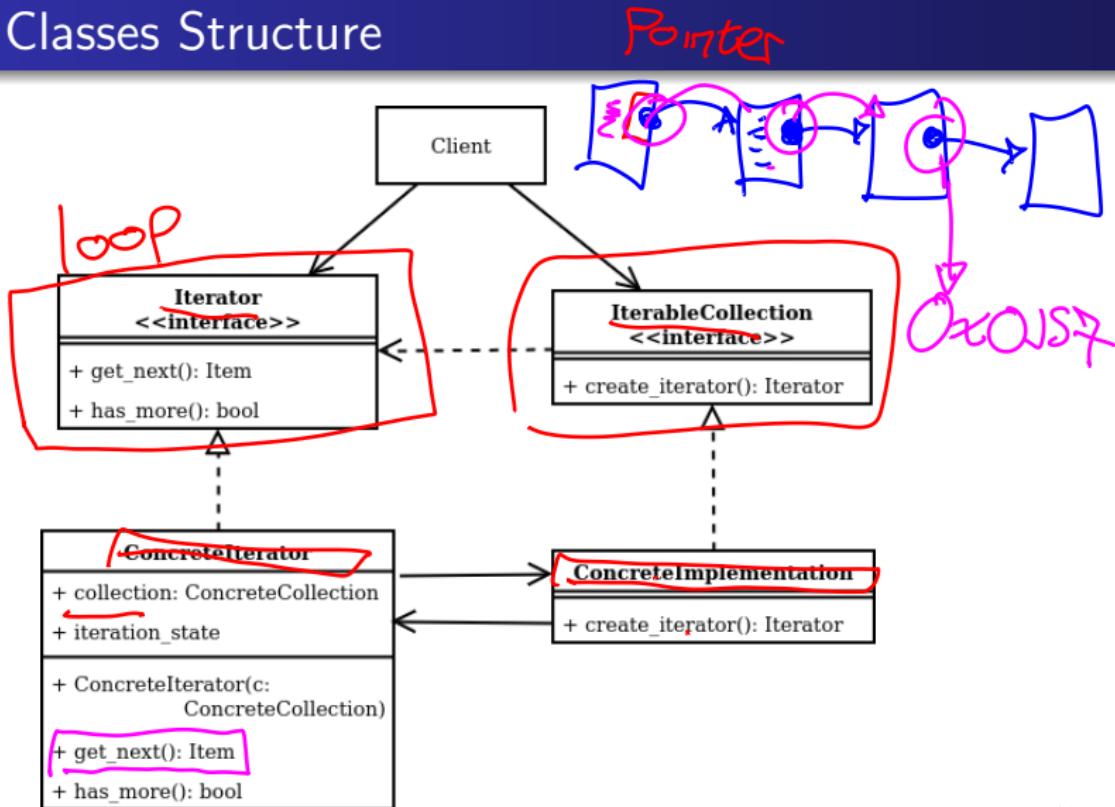
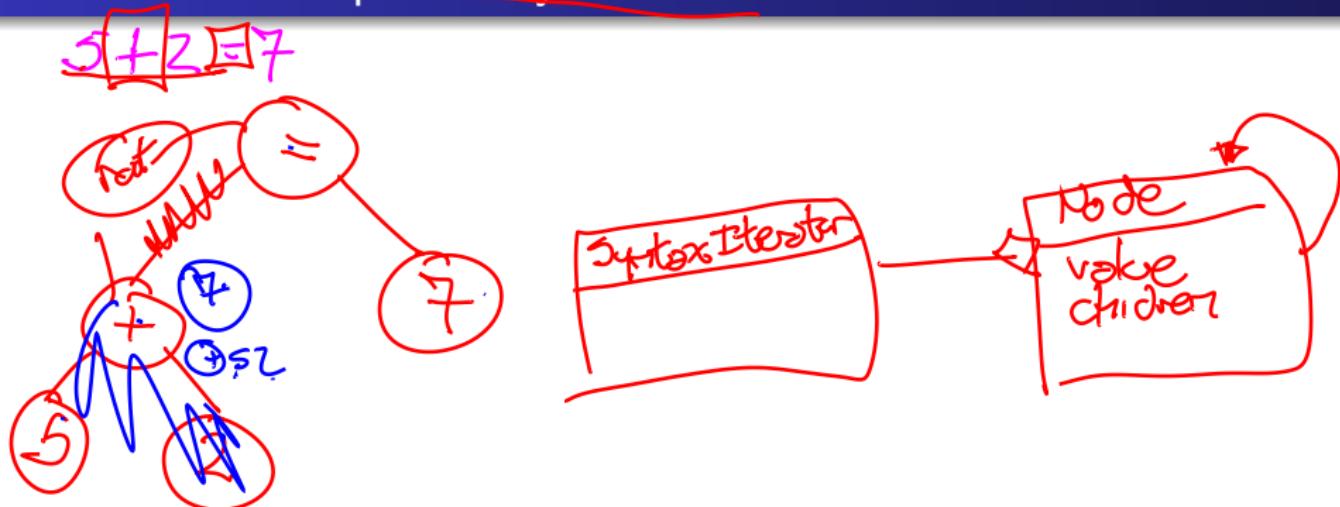


Figure: Iterator Pattern Class Diagram



Iterator Example: A Syntax Tree



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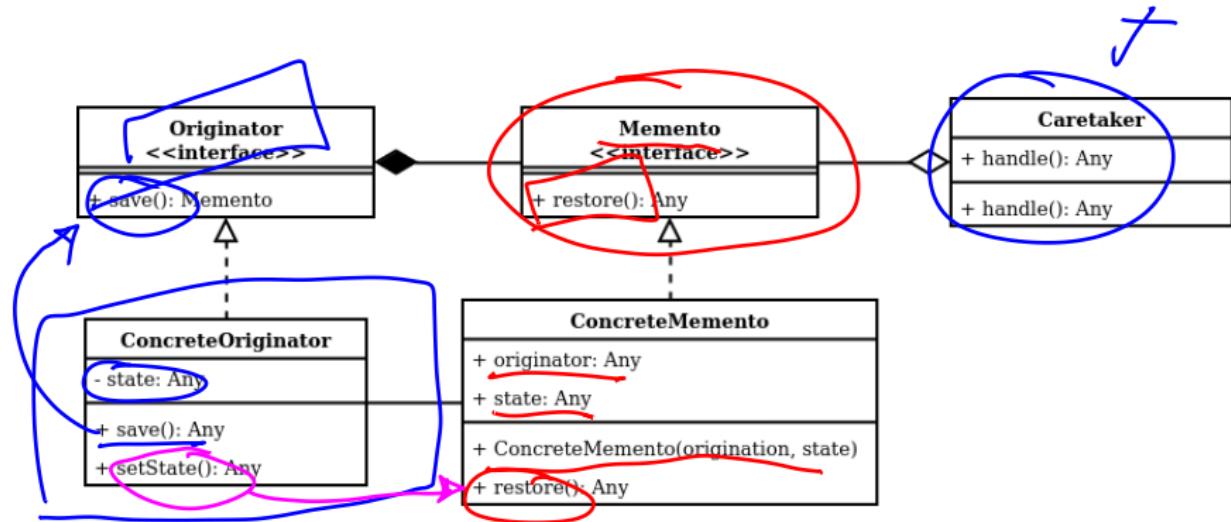
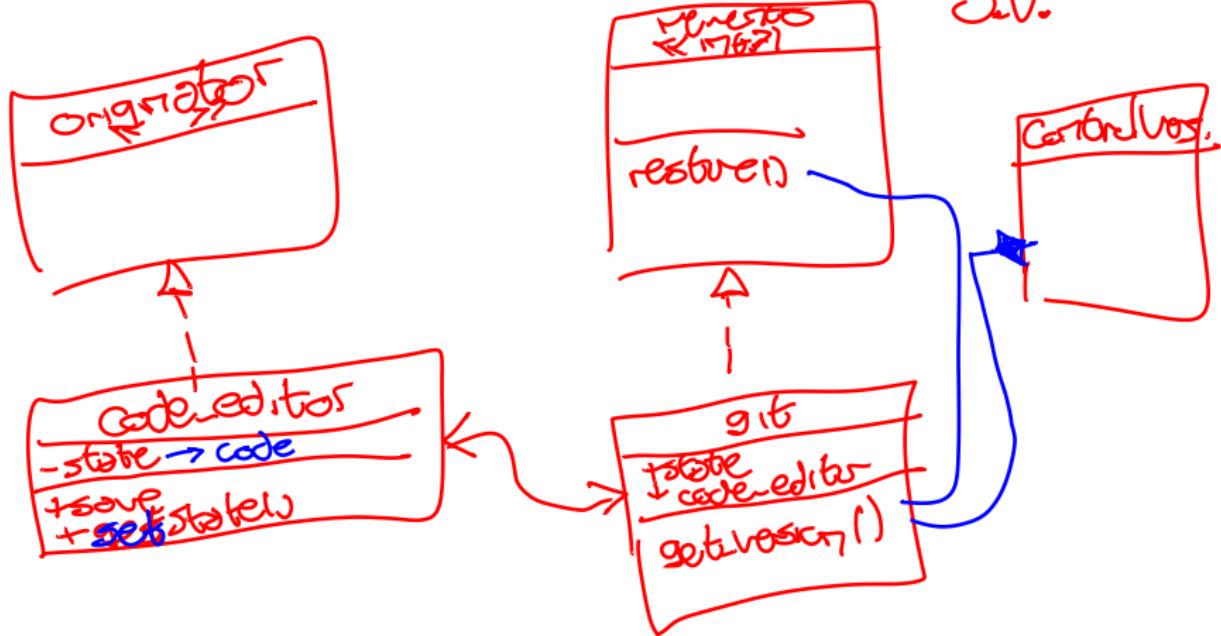


Figure: Memento Pattern Class Diagram



Memento Example: Versioning Your Code

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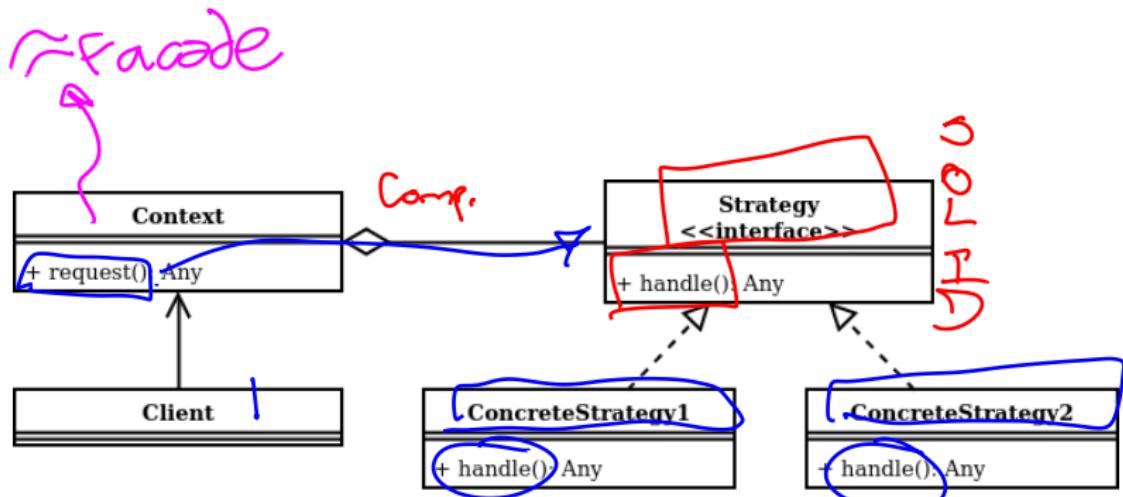
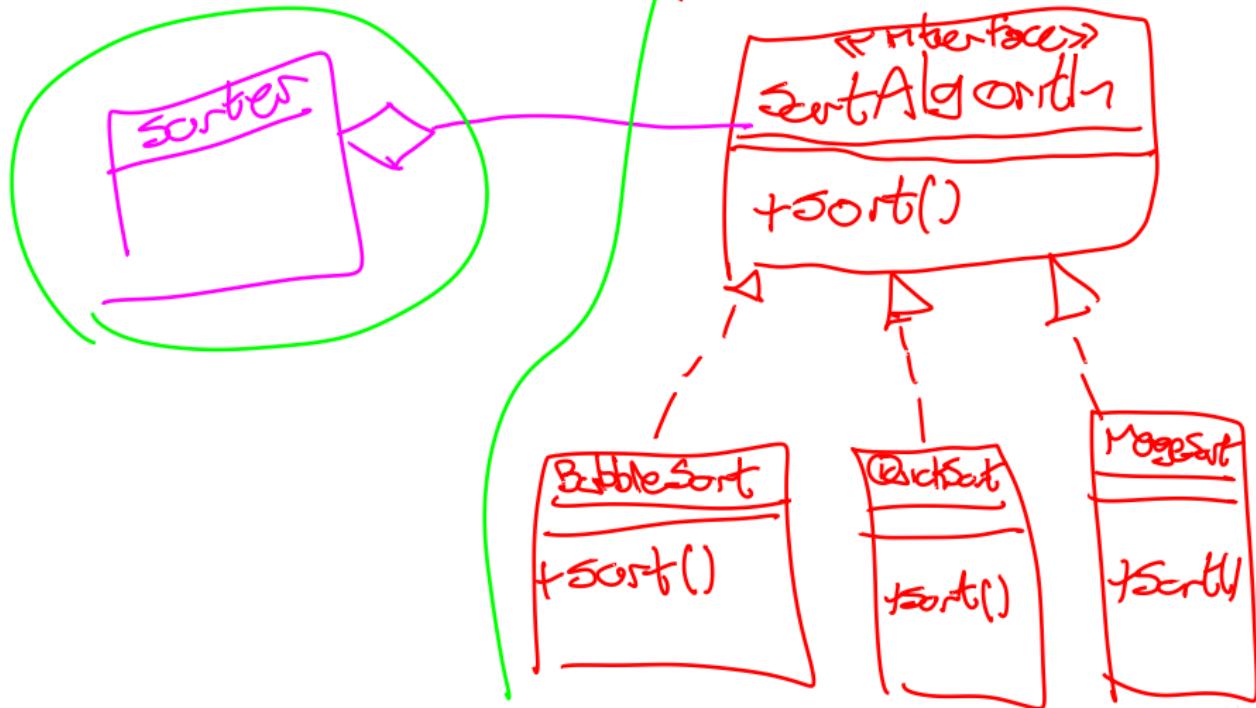


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Strategy Example: Sort Algorithms



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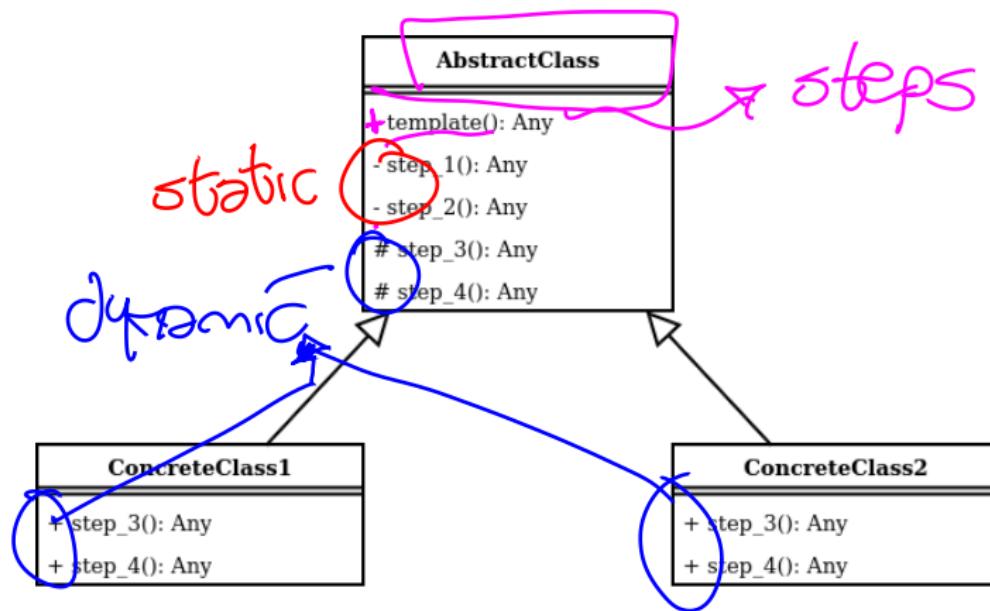
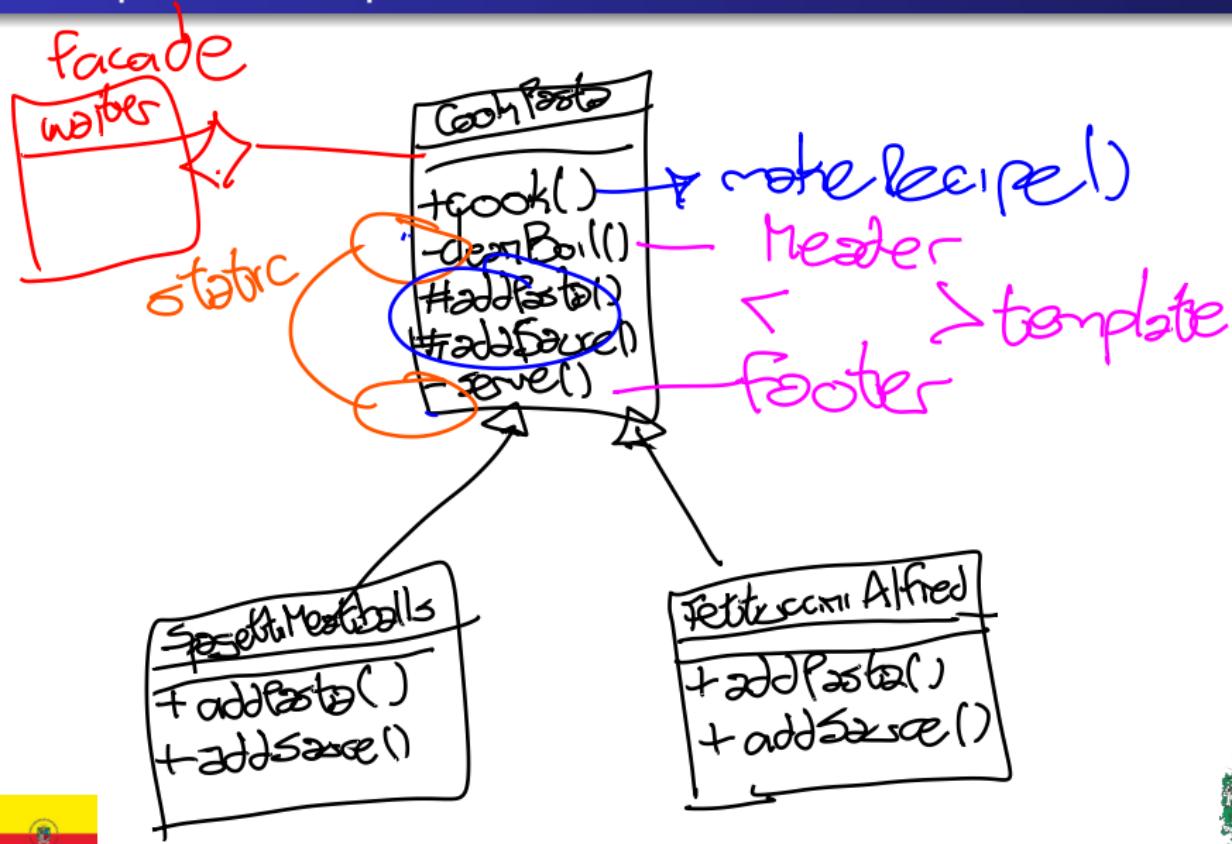


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Template Example: Let's Cook Pasta!



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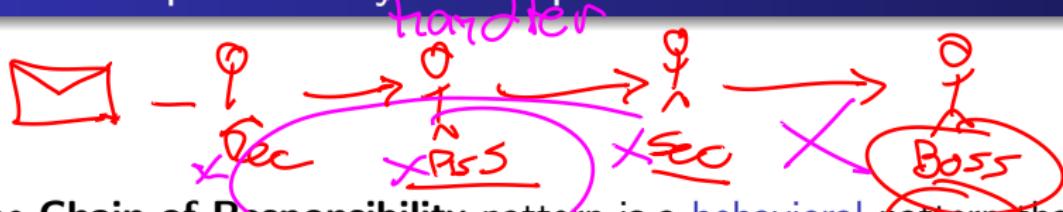
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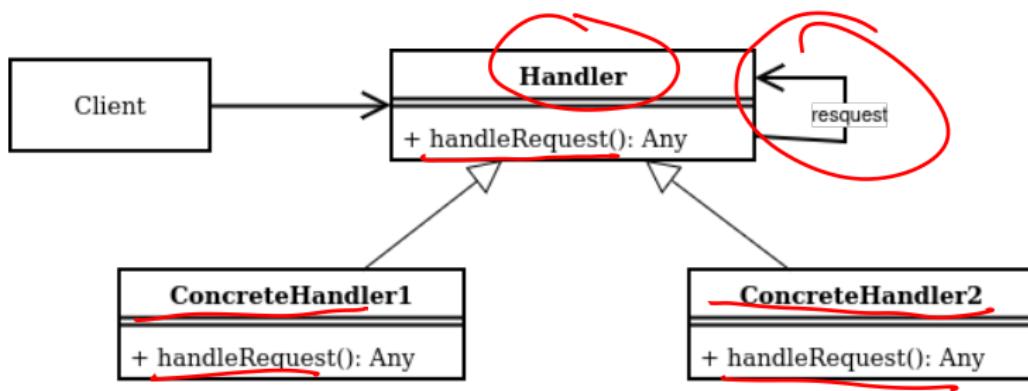
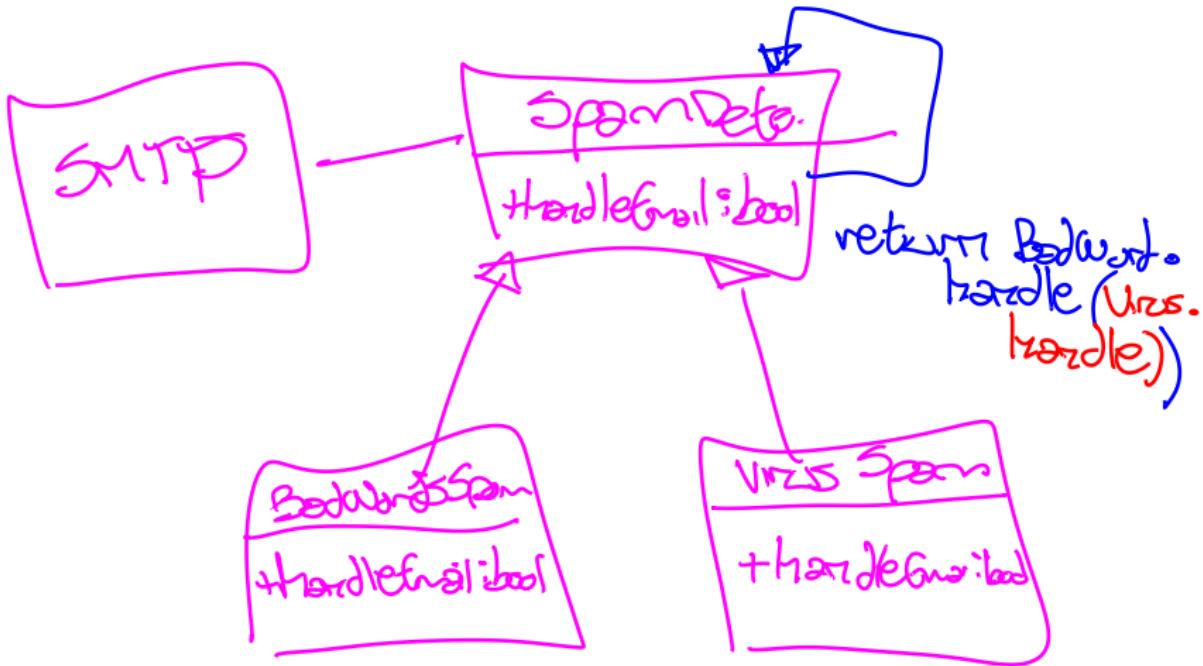


Figure: Chain of Responsibility Pattern Class Diagram



Chain of Responsability Example: Filter an Email



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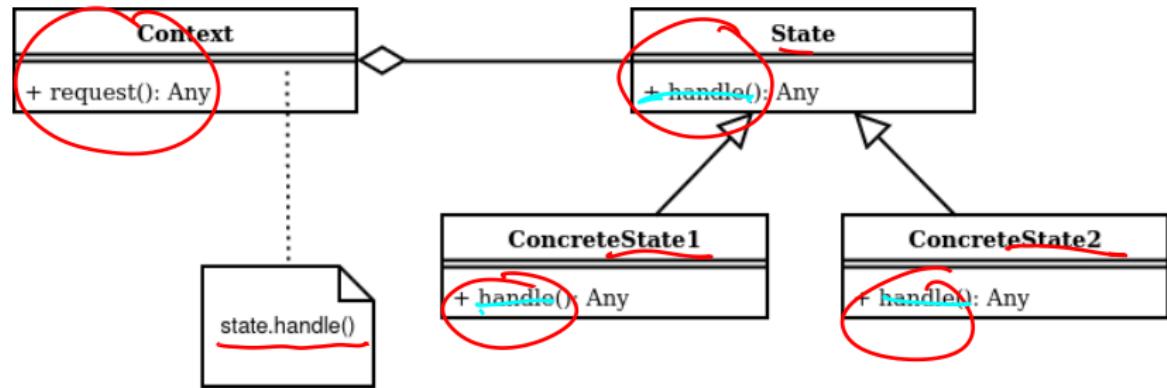
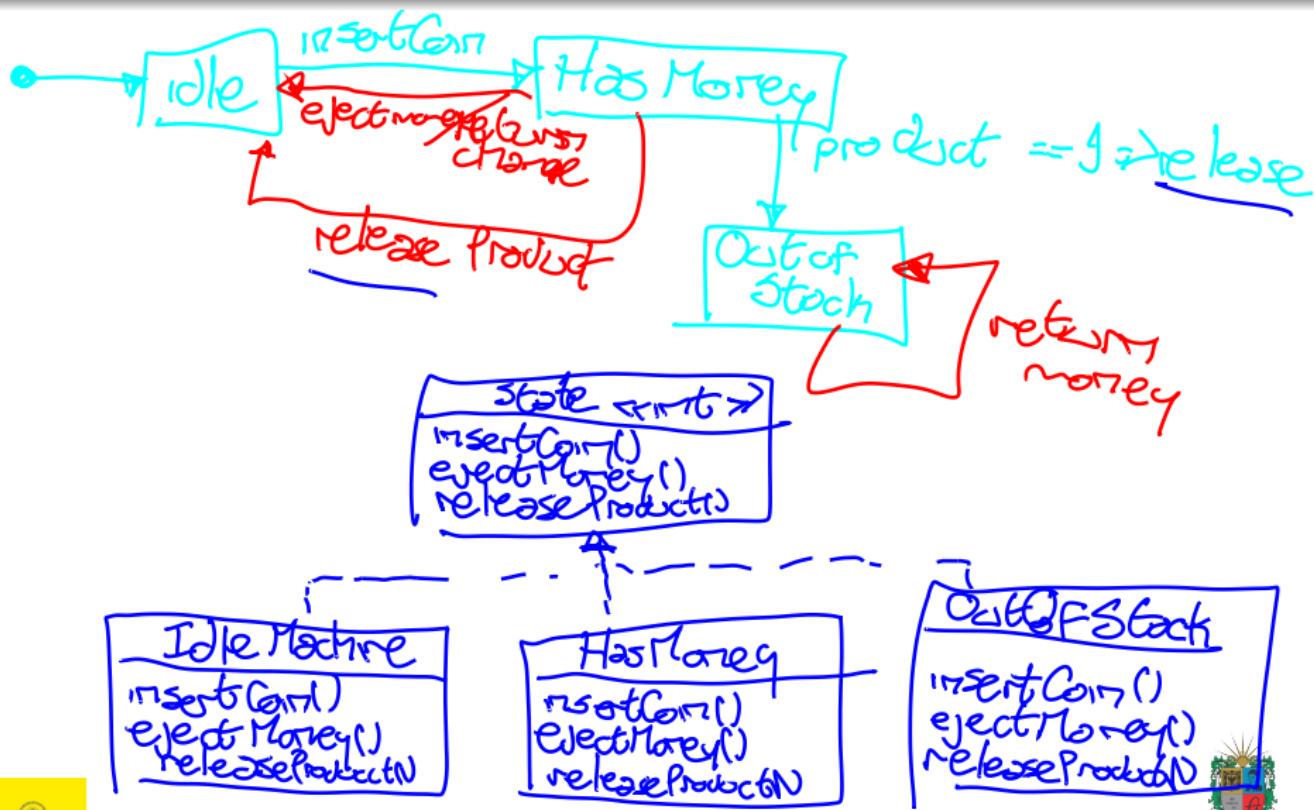


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State Example: Vending Machine



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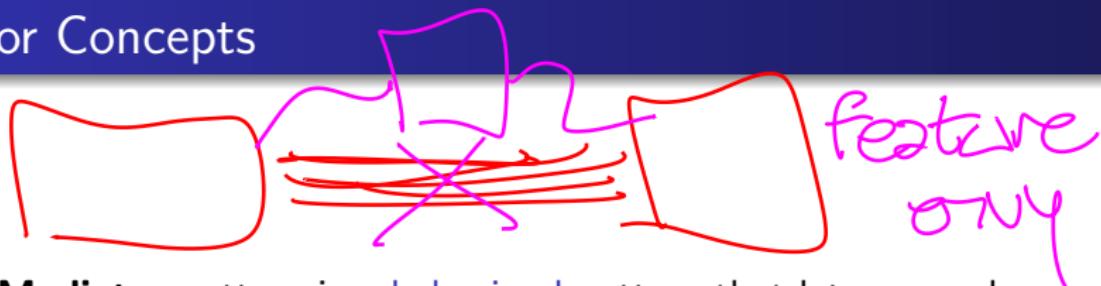
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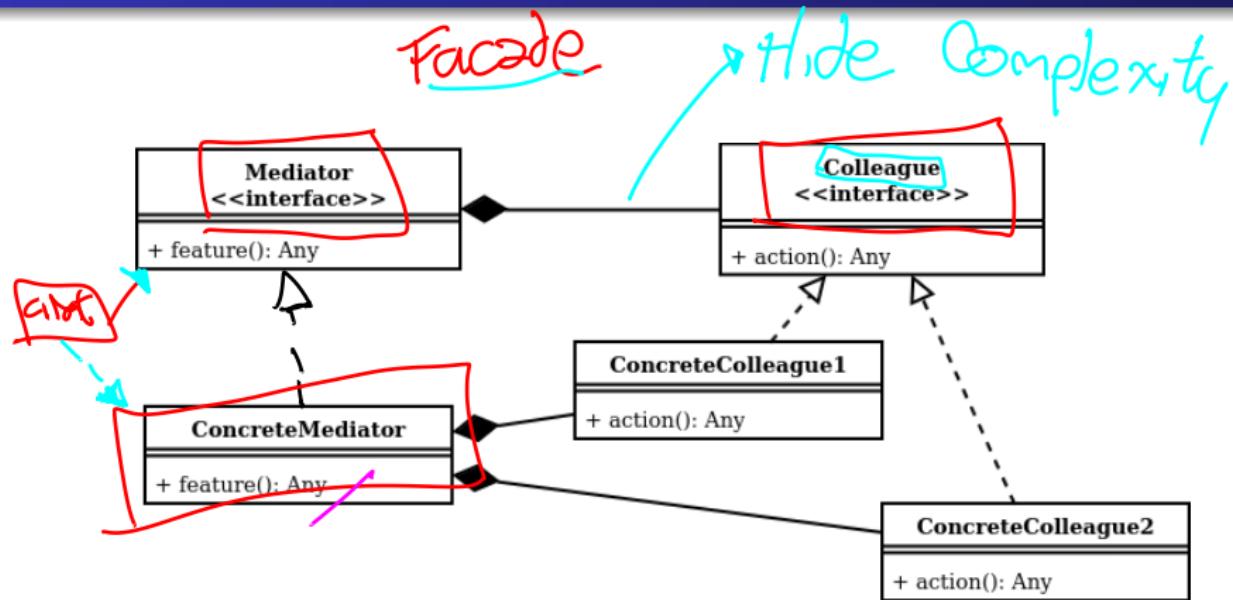
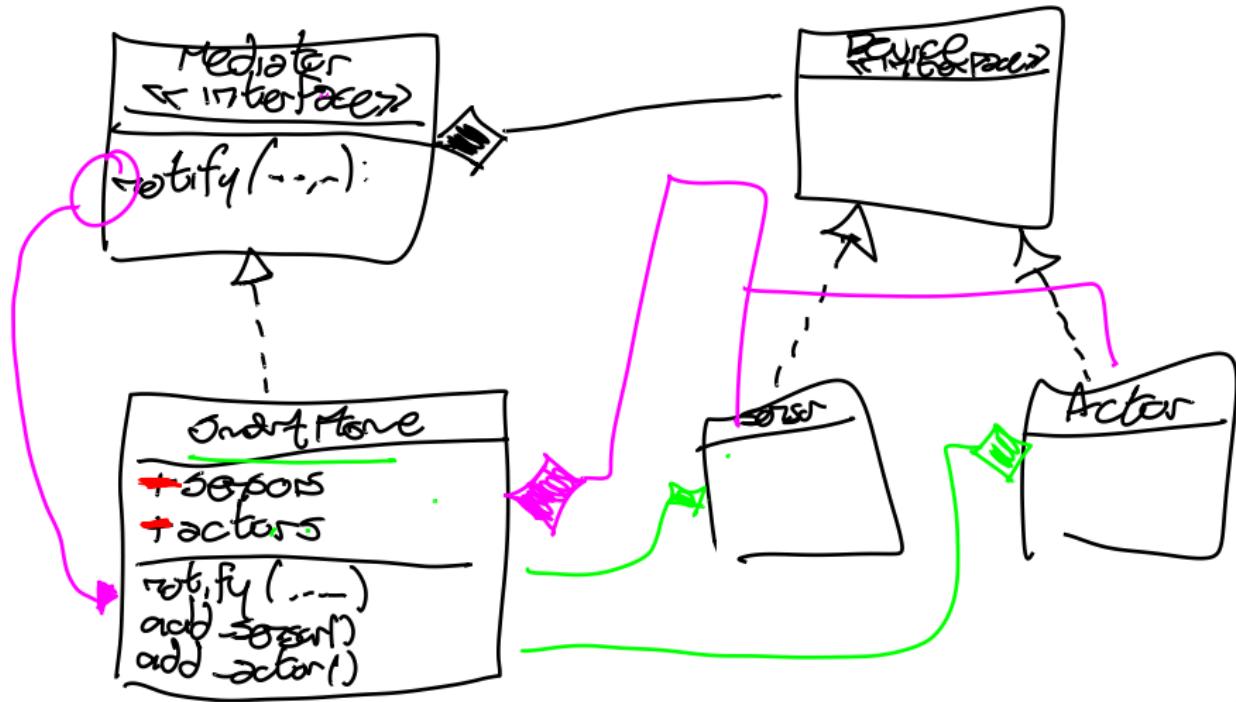


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Mediator Example: Smart Home



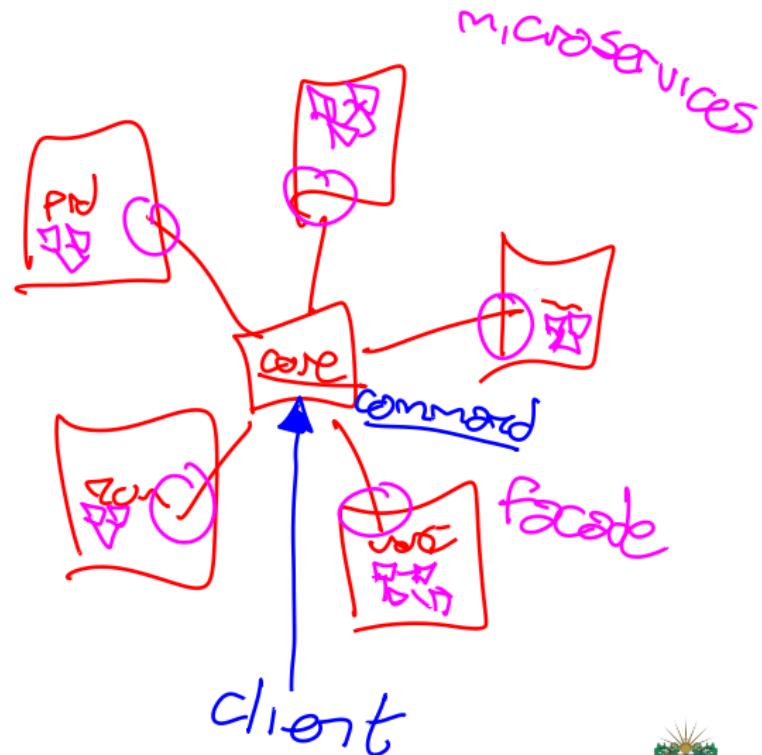
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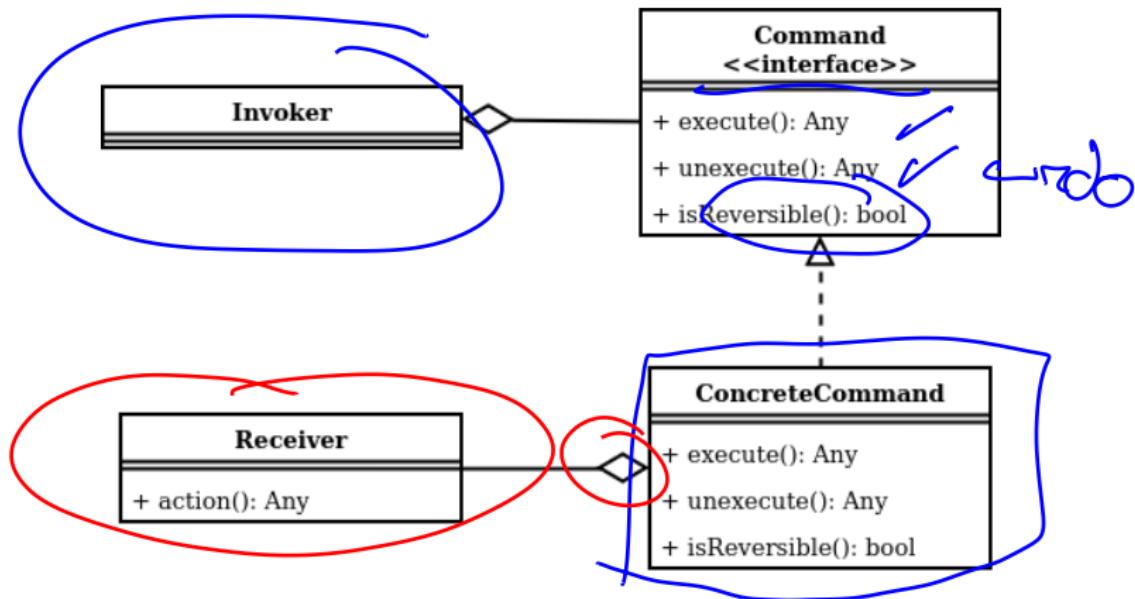
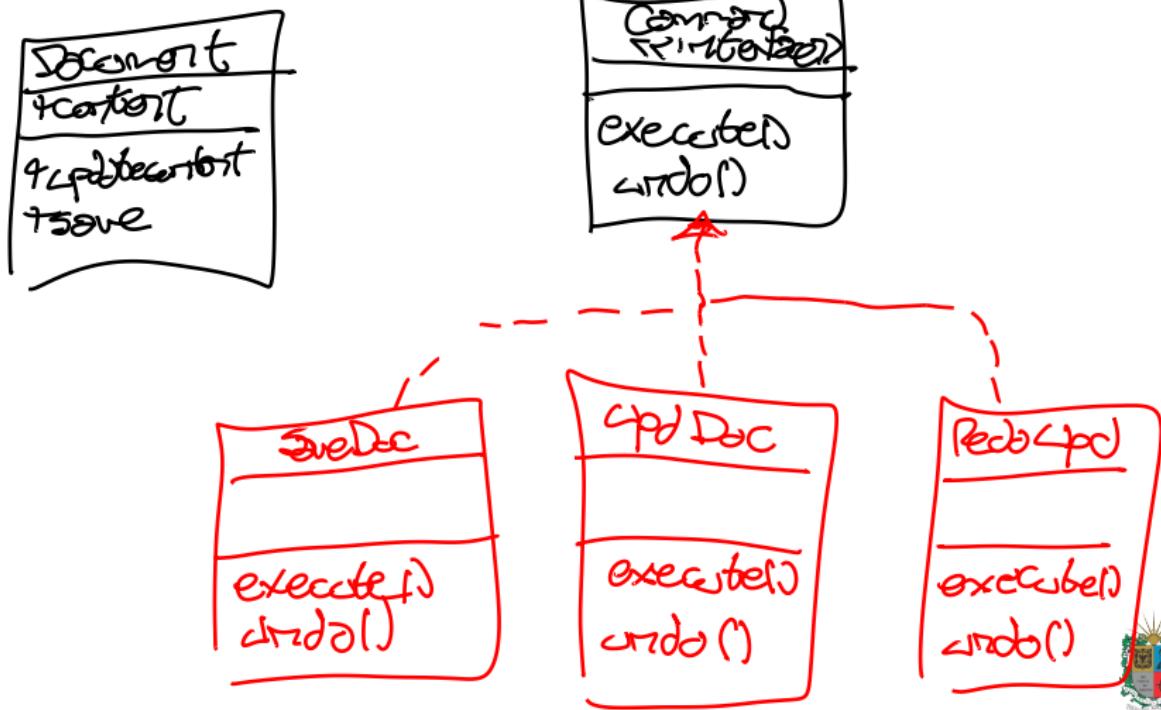


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Command Example: Your Own Text Editor



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news

social
network

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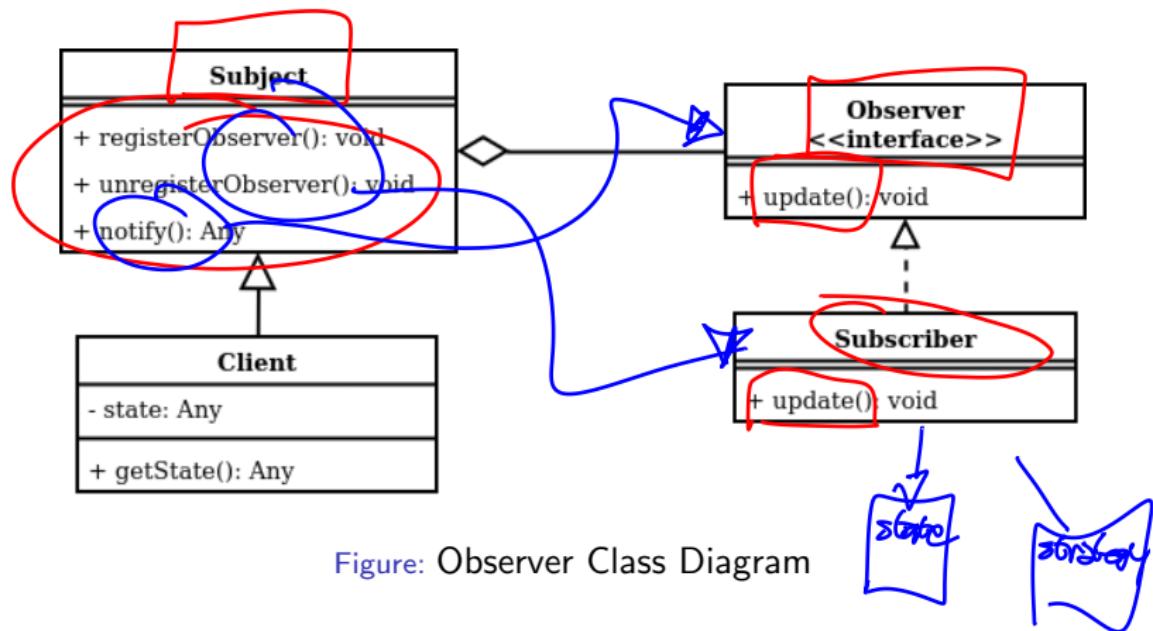
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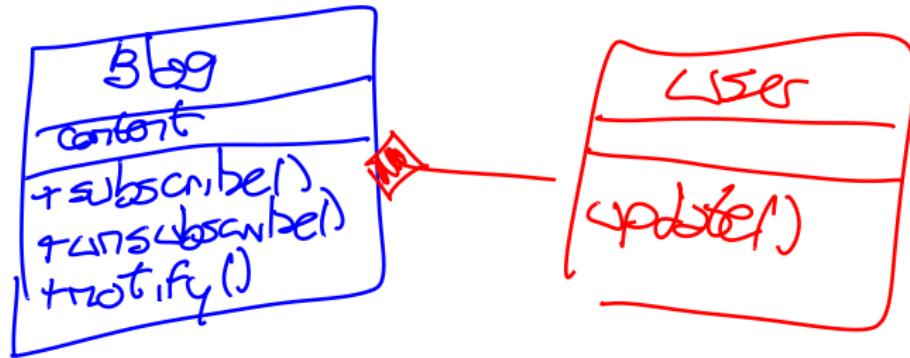


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Observer Example: Blogs!

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