

OBJECT-ORIENTED INTRODUCTION

Advanced Programming

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Layered Architecture Pattern

The **layered architecture pattern** is a **software architecture pattern** that is widely used in the development of enterprise systems.



Software Design Roles

The **software architect** is the person who is responsible for the **high-level design** of the system. He/she is the person who makes the **technical decisions** and is responsible for the **overall quality** of the system.



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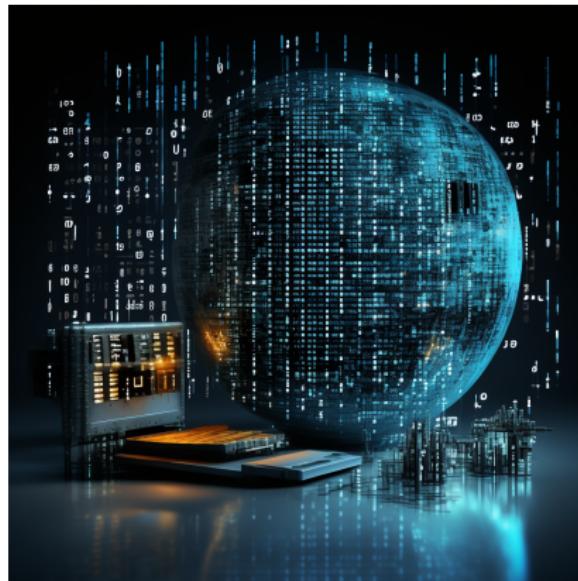


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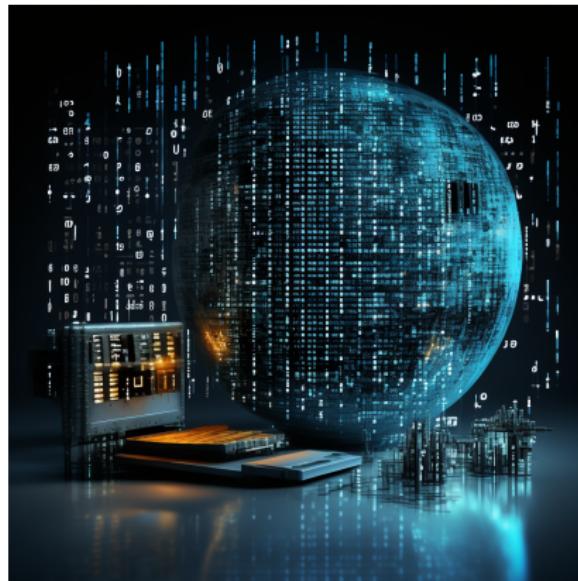


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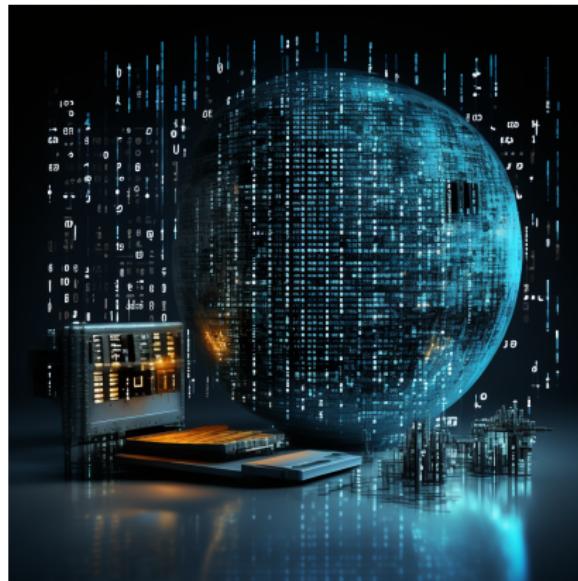


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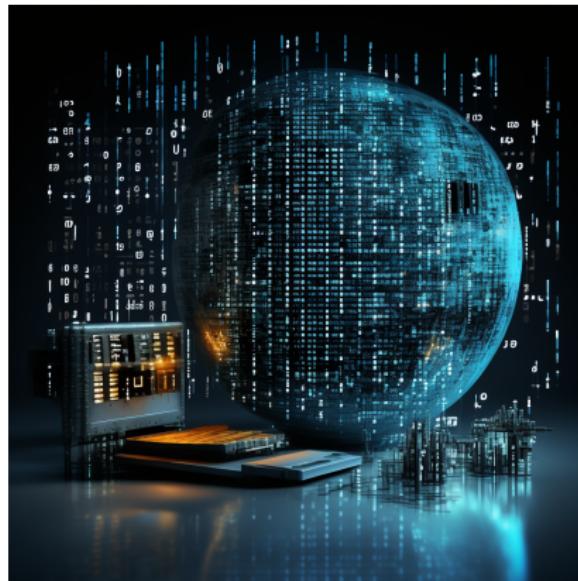


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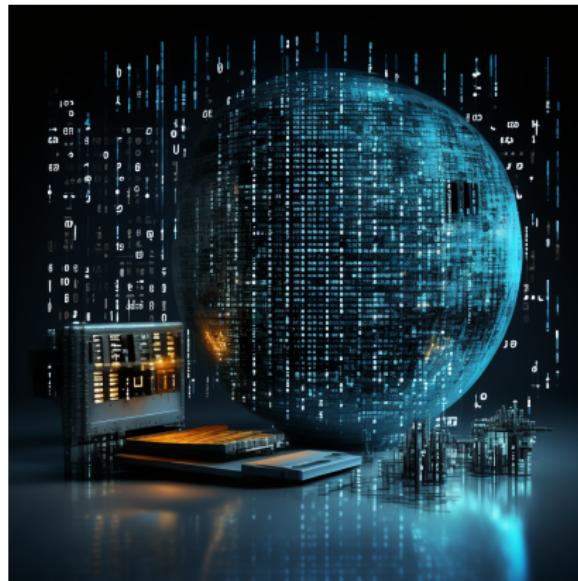


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What is a class?

A **class** is a **blueprint** for creating objects (a particular **data structure**), providing initial values for **state** (member variables or attributes), and implementations of **behavior** (member functions or methods).



Why Objects?

- Objects are a **natural** way to model the **real world**.
- Objects are **modular**, and can be **reused**. Also they can be **extended**.



Why not Objects?

- Objects are **complex** to understand and to design in big systems.
- Objects are **expensive** in terms of memory and processing.
- Objects sometimes are **difficult** to test.



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Data Types and Abstract Data Types

- A **data type** is a **classification** that specifies which type of **value** a variable can hold.
- An **abstract data type** is a **mathematical model** for a certain class of data structures that have similar behavior. It is a **data type** that is defined by its **behavior** from the point of view of a user.



Behaviours: Methods and Functions

- A **function** is a **procedure** that is defined outside of a **class**.
- A **method** is a **function** that is associated with a **class**. It is a **procedure** that has access to the **object** and its *data*.



Entities and Duties

- An **entity** is a **thing** that exists in the **real world** and can be **distinguished** from other things.
- A **duty** is a **task** that someone is required to perform.
- In **object-oriented programming**, an **entity** is an **object** and a **duty** is a **method**.



Software Life Cycle

The software life cycle is a **process** that is used to design, develop, and test **high-quality software**.



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Unit Testing and Test-Driven Development

- Unit testing is a **software testing method** by which individual units of source code are tested to determine whether they are fit for use.
- Test-driven development is a **software development process** that relies on the repetition of a very short development cycle.



Software Quality and Metrics

- Software quality is a field of study and practice that describes the **desirable attributes of software products**.
- Software metrics are a **measure** of some **property** of a piece of **software** or its **specifications**.



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Thanks!

Questions?



Repo: <https://github.com/EngAndres/ud-public/tree/main/courses/advanced-programming>

