# Analysis of typical design patterns in EOlang

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## **Abstract**

Design patterns are formalized best practices that the programmer can use to solve common problems when designing an application or system. Eolang programming language is a new Object-Oriented Programming language that has been going through many phases of development in this research. In this phase, we analyze typical design patterns in Java and C++ by researching multiple popular open-source repositories, to detect common design patterns and their usage statistics and then suggest alternatives in Eolang that could replace such patterns which are not supported in the language. We additionally provide explanation why Eolang alternative could be better

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### 1 Introduction

This report includes pattern analysis, usage statistics, comparison of design patterns implementation in C++ and Java, implementation of some popular design patterns in Eolang, explanation of why Eolang does not support some design patterns, description of alternatives and explanation of why Eolang alternatives could be better.

#### 1.1 Backround

Design is one of the most difficult task in software development [21] and Developers, who have eagerly adopted them over the past years [32], needed to understand not only design patterns [26] but the software systems before they can maintain them, even in cases where documentation and/or design models are missing or of a poor quality. In most cases only the source code as the basic form of documentation is available [29]. Maintenance is a time-consuming activity within software development, and it requires a good understanding of the system in question. The knowledge about design patterns can help developers to understand the underlying architecture faster. Using design patterns is a widely accepted method to improve software development [20]. A design pattern is a general reusable solution to a commonly occurring [23] problem in software design [9, 16, 19?]. A design pattern isn't a finished design that can be transformed directly into code neither are they static entities, but evolving descriptions of best practices [22]. It is a description or template for how to solve a problem that can be used in many different situations. A design pattern systematically names, motivates, and explains a general design that addresses a recurring design problem in object-oriented systems. It describes the problem, the solution, when to apply the solution, and its consequences. It also gives implementation hints [12, 27]. Design patterns help to effectively speed up development and engineering processes by providing proven development patterns/paradigms. Quality software design requires considering issues that may not be visible until later in the implementation. Reusing design patterns helps to avoid subtle issues that may be catastrophic and help improve code reliability for programmers and architects familiar with the patterns. Design patterns provide general solutions, documented in a format that doesn't require specifics tied to a particular problem. They help software engineers to communicate using wellknown, well understood names for software interactions. Common design patterns can be improved

over time, making them more robust than ad-hoc designs [8, 28]. In short, the advantages of design patterns include decoupling a request from specific operations (Chain of Responsibility and Command), making a system independent from software and hardware platforms (Abstract Factory and Bridge), independent from algorithmic solutions (Iterator, Strategy, Visitor), or avoid modifying implementations (Adapter, Decorator, Visitor) [17]. Design patterns, overall, helps to thoroughly and designed well implemented frameworks enabling a degree of software reusability that can significantly improve software quality [25, 33?].

In this paper, we analyse typical design patterns in Java and C++ and detect common patterns and further look at their usage statistics. There are many design patterns in software development and several of them are common to Java and C++. These design patterns come under three main types.

# 2 Design Patterns

#### 2.1 Creational design Patterns

These design patterns are all about class instantiation or object creation. These patterns can be further categorized into Class-creational patterns and object-creational patterns. While class-creation patterns use inheritance effectively in the instantiation process, object-creation patterns use delegation effectively to get the job done. Creational design patterns are the Factory Method, Abstract Factory, Builder, Singleton, Object Pool, and Prototype [24, 34].

**2.1.1 Factory Method:** Factory Method, also known as virtual constructor, is a creational design pattern that provides an interface for creating objects in a superclass, but allows subclasses to alter the type of objects that will be created [11] in a way such that it doesn't have tight coupling with the class hierarchy of the library [13]. Factory Method is one of the most used design patterns in Java [5]. It is widely used in C++ code and is very useful when you need to provide a high level of flexibility for your code [10].

2.1.2 Abstract Factory. Abstract Factory patterns work around a super-factory which creates other factories. Thus, it defines a new Abstract Product Factory for each family of products. This factory is also called as factory of factories. It provides one of the best ways to create an object. Abstract Factory design pattern covers the instantiation of the concrete classes behind two kinds of interfaces, where the first interface is responsible for creating a family of related and dependent products, and the second interface is responsible for creating concrete products. The client is using only the declared interfaces and is not aware which concrete families and products are created [18]. Adding a new family of products affects any existing class that depends on it, and requires complex changes in the existing Abstract Factory code, as well as changes in the application or client code [18]. Bulajic and Jovanovic [18] demonstrates a solution where adding a new product class does not require complex changes in existing code, and the number of product classes is reduced to one product class per family of related or dependent products.

In Abstract Factory pattern an interface is responsible for creating a factory of related objects without explicitly specifying their classes. Each generated factory can give the objects as per the Factory pattern [4]. Abstract Factory pattern is almost similar to Factory Pattern is considered as another layer of abstraction over factory pattern [14].

Abstract factory pattern implementation provides us a framework that allows us to create objects that follow a general pattern. So, at runtime, abstract factory is coupled with any desired concrete factory which can create objects of desired type, [2]. Fig. ?? shows a UML class diagram example for an Abstract Factory Design pattern.

This pattern is particularly useful when the client doesn't know exactly what type to create. The Abstract Factory pattern helps you control the classes of objects that an application creates by isolating concrete classes. The class of a concrete factory appears only once in an application, that is where it's instantiated. This makes it easy to change the concrete factory an application uses.

Abstract Factory makes this easy for an application use object from only one family at a time when product objects in a family are designed to work together. Abstract Factory interface fixes the set of products that can be created. This serves as a disadvantage because extending abstract factories to produce new kinds of Products is not easy. The abstract factory design pattern can be implemented in both Java and C++ as demonstrated at [1, 14]. The Abstract Factory pattern is pretty common in C++ code. Many frameworks and libraries use it to provide a way to extend and customize their standard components

- 2.1.3 Builder. Builder pattern builds a complex object using simple objects and using a step-bystep approach and the final step will return the object. The builder is independent of other objects. Fig. 2 show a UML diagram of builder design pattern. Immutable objects can be build without much complex logic in object building process. Builder design pattern also helps in minimizing the number of parameters in constructor and thus there is no need to pass in null for optional parameters to the constructor. As a disadvantage, it requires creating a separate ConcreteBuilder for each different type of Product [7, 15].
- **2.1.4 Singleton.** In software engineering, the term singleton implies a class which can only be instantiated once, and a global point of access to that instance is provided [2]. This pattern involves a single class which is responsible to create an object while making sure that only single object gets created. It one of the simplest design patterns in Java and C++.
- **2.1.5 Prototype.** Prototype pattern refers to creating duplicate object while keeping performance in mind. This pattern involves implementing a prototype interface which tells to create a clone of the current object.

#### 2.2 Structural

These design patterns are about organizing different classes and objects to form larger structures and provide new functionality. Structural design

patterns are Adapter, Bridge, Composite, Decorator, Facade, Flyweight, Private Class Data, and Proxy [24, 34].

- **2.2.1 Adapter.** Adapter design pattern allows objects with incompatible interfaces to collaborate [3]. Adapter pattern works as a bridge between those two incompatible interfaces. A real-life example could be a case of card reader which acts as an adapter between memory card and a laptop. You plugin the memory card into card reader and card reader into the laptop so that memory card can be read via laptop [6].
- **2.2.2 Bridge.** The bridge pattern is used when we need to decouple [32] an abstraction from its implementation so that the two can vary independently [3]. It helps you split a large class or a set of closely related classes into two separate hierarchies—abstraction and implementation—which can be developed independently of each other.
- **2.2.3 Composite.** Composite design pattern helps in composing objects into tree structures and then work with these structures as if they were individual objects. It is used where a group of objects need to be treated in similar way as a single object. This pattern creates a class that contains group of its own objects and provides ways to modify this group of same objects.
- **2.2.4** Chain of responsibility. Chain of responsibility pattern suggests a chain of receiver objects for a request. It decouples sender and receiver of a request based on type of request. It allows you to pass requests along a chain of handlers. Upon receiving a request, each handler decides either to process the request or to pass it to the next handler in the chain.
- **2.2.5 Command.** Command pattern is also known as action or transaction pattern. This pattern turns a request into a stand-alone object that contains all information about the request. The transformation allows you pass requests as a method argument, delay or queue a request's execution, and support undoable operations. It is data driven and it wraps an object under an object as command [32] and passes it to invoker object. Invoker object looks

for the appropriate object which can handle this command and passes the command to the corresponding object which executes the command.

**2.2.6 Null Object.** In Null Object pattern, a null object replaces check of NULL object instance. The intent of a Null Object is to encapsulate the absence of an object by providing a substitutable alternative that offers suitable default do-nothing behaviour in case data is not available.

#### 3 Criticism

The concept of design patterns has been criticized by some in the field of computer science.

#### 3.1 Targets the wrong problem

The need for patterns results from using computer languages or techniques with insufficient abstraction ability. Under ideal factoring, a concept should not be copied, but merely referenced. But if something is referenced instead of copied, then there is no "pattern" to label and catalog. Paul Graham writes in the essay Revenge of the Nerds [8].

Peter Norvig provides a similar argument. He demonstrates that 16 out of the 23 patterns in the Design Patterns book (which is primarily focused on C++) are simplified or eliminated (via direct language support) in Lisp or Dylan.

#### 3.2 Lacks formal foundations

The study of design patterns has been excessively ad hoc, and some have argued that the concept sorely needs to be put on a more formal footing. At OOPSLA 1999, the Gang of Four were (with their full cooperation) subjected to a show trial, in which they were "charged" with numerous crimes against computer science. They were "convicted" by  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the "jurors" who attended the trial.

#### 3.3 Leads to inefficient solutions

The idea of a design pattern is an attempt to standardize what are already accepted best practices. In principle this might appear to be beneficial, but in practice it often results in the unnecessary duplication of code. It is almost always a more efficient solution to use a well-factored implementation rather than a "just barely good enough" design pattern [8].

# 3.4 Does not differ significantly from other abstractions

Some authors allege that design patterns don't differ significantly from other forms of abstraction, and that the use of new terminology (borrowed from the architecture community) to describe existing phenomena in the field of programming is unnecessary. The Model-View-Controller paradigm is touted as an example of a "pattern" which predates the concept of "design patterns" by several years. It is further argued by some that the primary contribution of the Design Patterns community (and the Gang of Four book) was the use of Alexander's pattern language as a form of documentation; a practice which is often ignored in the literature [8].

According to [36], generality, precision, and understandability are the most important goals to consider in order to simplify software design pattern description.

# 4 Common design patterns in popular open-source repositories and their usage statistics

Hahsler [20] analyses the application of design patterns in Java by identifying patterns in projects using their log messages to look for names and descriptions. This attempt was done based on the idea that the names of design patterns become part of a common design language which developers use to communicate more efficiently. Fig. ?? shows the graph of the usage statistics according the approach of Hahsler [20].

Vokac [31] analysed the weekly evolution and maintenance of a large commercial product (C++, 500,000 LOC) over three years, comparing defect rates for classes that participated in selected design patterns to the code at large. He extracted design pattern information and concluded that Observer and Singleton patterns are correlated with larger code structures. The Template Method pattern was

Occurrences	%
183634	77.5%
20237	8.5%
3331	1.4%
16061	6.8%
5381	2.3%
1513	0.6%
485	0.2%
953	0.4 %
2390	1.0%
612	0.3%
2279	1.0
	183634 20237 3331 16061 5381 1513 485 953 2390 612

**Table 1.** Frequencies of Pattern Occurrences and Percentage of Code Covered by the Patterns

used in both simple and complex situations, leading to no clear tendency. The frequencies of pattern occurrence are shown in table 1.

# 5 Implementation of Some Design Patterns in Eolang

#### 5.1 Abstract Factory

An abstract factory is a pattern that generates objects.

**5.1.1 Purpose.** Provides an interface for creating families of interconnected or interdependent objects without specifying their specific classes.

#### 5.1.2 Participants.

- 1. AbstractFactory abstract factory: declares an interface for operations that create abstract product objects.
- 2. ConcreteFactory specific factory: implements operations that create specific objects-products.
- 3. AbstractProduct abstract product: declares the interface for the type of object-product.
- 4. ConcreteProduct specific product: defines the product object created by the corresponding particular factory, and implements the AbstractProductinterface.
- 5. Client: uses only interfaces that are declared in the AbstractFactory and AbstractProductclasses.
- **5.1.3 Implementation.** The template assumes the use of interfaces that are not present in the EO. In this case, an attempt was made to implement the interface through the EO object has a type parameter depending on which a specific implementation of the object factory is selected. This makes the interface object dependent on the set of implementations of this interface (when adding anew implementation, you must make changes to the interface object).

#### 5.2 Singleton (singles)

A singleton is a pattern that generates objects.

**5.2.1 Purpose.** Ensures that the class has only one instance and provides a global access point to it.

#### **5.2.2 Participants.** Singleton Singleton:

- 1. Defines an Instance operation that allows clients to access a single instance. Instance is a class operation, that is, a static method of a class
- 2. May be responsible for creating your own unique instance.
- **5.2.3 Relations.** Clients access an instance of the Singleton class only through its Instance operation.
- **5.2.4 Implementation.** There are no classes in the EO, so this pattern is not implemented in its pure form. If we define Singleton in terms of EO as an object that is guaranteed to have only one copy, then the implementation of this object is also impossible for the following reasons:
  - 1. There are no references in the EO. Any use of an object in a location other than the place of definition is a copy of this object.
  - 2. EO does not have the ability to restrict access to objects or prevent it from being copied. You cannot restrict the creation of copies of an object.

#### 5.3 Prototype

A prototype is a pattern that generates objects.

- **5.3.1 Purpose.** Specifies the types of objects to create using the prototype instance and creates new objects by copying the prototype.
  - 1. prototype: declares an interface for cloning itself.
  - 2. Concrete Prototype: implements the operation of cloning itself.
  - 3. client: creates a new object by asking the prototype to clone itself.
- **5.3.2 Implementation.** In Eolang, each object can be copied, and each object can perform template functions.

#### 5.4 Observer

In EO, all objects have immutable state. Based on the purpose of the template, its use in EO is pointless.

#### 5.5 Bridge

A bridge is a pattern that structures objects.

**5.5.1 Purpose.** Separate abstraction from its implementation so that both can be changed independently.

#### 5.5.2 Participants.

- Abstraction abstraction: defines the abstraction interface, and stores a reference to an object of type Implementor.
- 2. RefinedAbstraction refined abstraction: extends the interface defined by abstraction abstraction.

- 3. Implementor implementer: defines the interface for the implementation classes. it does not have to exactly match the interface of the abstraction class. In fact both interfaces can be completely different. usually the interface of the Implementor class provides only primitive operations, and the Abstraction class defines higher-level operations based on these primitives.
- 4. ConcreteImplementor specific implementer: implements the interface of the Implementor class and defines its specific implementation.
- **5.5.3 Relations.** The Abstraction object redirects client requests to its Implementor object.

#### 5.6 Chain of responsibility

A chain of responsibilities is a pattern of behavior of objects.

**5.6.1 Purpose.** Avoids binding the sender of the request to its recipient by providing the ability to process the request to multiple objects. Binds the receiving objects to the chain and passes the request along that chain until it is processed.

#### 5.6.2 Participants.

- 1. Handler handler: defines the interface for processing requests; (optionally) implements communication with the successor.
- ConcreteHandler specific handler: processes the request for which it is responsible; Has access to his successor; If ConcreteHandler is able to process the request, it does so, if it cannot, it sends it to its successor:
- 3. Client: Sends a request to some ConcreteHandler object in the chain.
- **5.6.3 Relation.** A request initiated by a client is moved along the chain until some ConcreteHandler object takes responsibility for processing it.

#### 5.7 Command

Command pattern is a behavioral design pattern.

**5.7.1 Purpose.** Encapsulates a query in an object, thereby allowing clients to be parameterized for different requests, queued or logged requests, and supports cancellation of operations.

#### 5.7.2 Participants.

- 1. Command command: declares the interface to perform the operation.
- 2. ConcreteCommand is a specific team: defines the relationship between the Receiver receiving object and the action; implements the Execute operation by calling the corresponding operations of the Receiverobject.
- Client— client: Creates a ConcreteCommand class object and sets its recipient.
- 4. Invoker— initiator: calls the command to execute the request.

 Receiver — recipient: has information about how to perform the operations necessary to meet the request. Any class can act as a recipient.

#### 5.7.3 Relations.

- 1. The client creates a ConcreteCommand object and sets a recipient for it.
- 2. The Invoker initiator saves the ConcreteCommandobject.
- 3. The initiator sends a request by calling the ExecuteCommandOperation. If undoing of actions performed is supported, ConcreteCommand stores sufficient status information to perform the cancellation before calling Execute.
- 4. The ConcreteCommand object invokes the recipient's operations to execute the request.

#### 5.8 Null

The Null Object Pattern is one of the behavioral design patterns

- **5.8.1 Purpose.** Null object pattern is used to replace check of NULL object instance to simplify the use of dependencies that can be undefined.
- **5.8.2 Problem.** In Null Object pattern, a null object replaces check of NULL object instance. Instead of putting if check for a null value, Null Object reflects a do-nothing relationship. Such Null object can also be used to provide default behaviour in case data is not available. The concept of null objects comes from the idea that some methods return null instead of real objects and may lead to having many checks for null in your code.

In Java and C++, the key to the Null Object pattern is an abstract class that defines the interface for all objects of this type. The Null Object is implemented as a subclass of this abstract class. Because it conforms to the abstract class' interface, it can be used any place this type of object is needed. Null object should not have any state.

In Eolang, the concept of null does not exist as every object is meant to dataize to a value, and as such given a value on creation. As classes and interfaces do not exist here either, the closest implementation in Eolang would be to have every object implement a null attribute that either dataizes to a Boolean or a string representing a lack of value/data or whatever the default value of an object may be. In this case, there may still be checks to see if null is true or false or contains the expected string.

#### 5.9 Decorator

Decorator is a structural design pattern.

**5.9.1 Purpose.** Decorator pattern allows you attach new behaviors to objects by placing these objects inside special wrapper objects that contain the behaviors.

**5.9.2 Problem.** Decorator pattern allows a user to add new functionality to an existing object without altering its structure. This pattern creates a decorator class which wraps the original class and provides additional functionality keeping class methods signature intact. In Eolang, a copy of an object can be made, and new functionality be added. Here, the original object represents the decorator.

It can be concluded that decorator design pattern naturally exits in Eolang.

#### 5.10 Builder

Suppose, we have a class with a variety of input parameters. The input parameters are used to configure instances of the class. Some of the parameters may be optional, while some of them are mandatory to be sat up. Hence, the following techniques of configuration of instances of the class may be applied:

- 1. Configuration of instance variables of an object directly in the user code through Setter Methods calls or by referencing variables straightforwardly. This practice may not be considered appropriate because it makes code instances more cohesive and interdependent while violating encapsulation of the inner state of objects (which may lead to breaking of the integrity of business logic of an application), and, hence, the usage of the practice is not encouraged. In addition, this technique may allow situations in which objects are being in an incomplete state, which also may break the logic of an application.
- 2. Creation of subclasses of the considered class when each successor has a slightly changed prototype of its constructors. This technique implies that prototypes of constructors of different subclasses have subsets of optional parameters in them while omitting some parameters, which makes it possible to create configurable instances of objects in a controlled manner. This practice is more encouraged to be applied in practice since it implies control over the creational process. However, it is not recommended for use when choosing the sole parent superclass is challenging or when the practice produces a wide or deep hierarchy of inheritance
- 3. Overloading of constructors or setting a single constructor with optional parameters. While this practice allows classes to create instances in a controlled way, it is undesirable in cases where the number of parameters or constructor overloads is too large to be manageable and understandable.

The Builder pattern may be considered a universal solution to the problem. The pattern defines the Builder class, which has methods (stages) for building objects. The user code can call the stages in any order, omitting some of them (optional configurations). Also, the Builder class may check

that all the required parameters are set up. At the end of construction, user code is required to call a method that finishes the construction process and returns a ready-made object. The pattern encapsulates the creational sensitive logic inside the Builder class and makes the configuration process manageable to the user code.

5.10.1 Code Instances Involved. Builder is an abstract class that defines the contract of the creational steps of Products for its successors (concrete builders). Also, the Builder superclass defines the finizaliotion method. Product is an interface for products (instances being created and configured through the Builder pattern). The interface defines the contract for all products so that these may be managed by Builders. (optional) Director is a class, which defines higher-level (that is, higher than the level of "understanding" of the builder itself, for example, rules for mandatory fields and compliance with business logic) scripts for building objects. The director can be used to reuse some high-level business logic for constructing objects based on various builder implementations.

**5.10.2 Relations.** Implementations of the Product interface are products. Inheritors of the Builder class provide concrete implementations for the building steps (or borrow some of those steps from the superclass). The Director (optional entity) class can manage builders in a general style (based on some configuration) in accordance with the higher-level logic of business rules. The client code can contact the Director, giving it the configuration, or build an object using the Builder directly.

**5.10.3 Implementation.** First, we should mention that the problem solved by the Builder pattern may be addressed by the partial application mechanism embedded into the language as one of its features. The partial application mechanism allows programmers to partially apply objects (i.e., create objects with some or all of the input attributes omitted and then, optionally, set unbound attributes after throughout the program). This technique may be utilized as a more concise alternative to constructor overloading.

In conclusion, we would like to notice that the problem originally stated above (problem of optional configuration of objects with a lot of input parameters) and solved with the Builder pattern may not be actual to EO since it has the partial application mechanism that allows programmers to perform such configuration and, in addition, EO does not allow objects to have more than four free attributes (although, this restriction may be mitigated through passing complex object structures as free attributes). Nevertheless, the EO implementation of the Builder pattern may find its utilization in scopes where encapsulation of the creational process of objects is required. For instance, it may be needed when business logic validation of values passed for binding to free attributes is required.

#### 5.11 Factory Method

The Factory Method Pattern is a creational object-oriented design pattern.

**5.11.1 Purpose.** Defines the creational method in the Creator superclass that defines a rule (that is, an interface or a contract) for creating an object (product) of some supertype Product. This method is used by the superclass or its more specific implementations, and the factory method can also be called from outside the class by other entities within the application. Concrete implementations of the Creator class with a factory method can return subtypes of the Product type, thereby "tailoring" a specific implementation of the product class to the one required by the factory method contract. Hence, the pattern allows programmers to implement seamless configuration of the architecture of the application.

**5.11.2 Problem.** The pattern addresses the problem of extending the architecture of an application. By specifying the product contract (Product Interface) and by defining the class contract with the Factory Method Class, the architect separates the responsibility for creating the product itself from other methods of the creator class. This can be useful when:

- It is not known what types of the Product class may be used in the future, but it may be appropriate to leave a headroom for a potential extension of the application architecture. Otherwise, this can be interpreted as an implementation of the "Open / Closed" principle (O in SOLID).
- 2. Implementation of the principle of "Single Responsibility" (S in SOLID). The code responsible for setting (configuring) a specific version of the product can be placed in a single place, for example, in a class that configures the application based on the environment settings. Here, the Dependency Injection mechanism can also be used to perform such a configuration in an invisible manner.
- The pattern allows programmers to separate the logic of product creation from other logic of the creator class. This facilitates the reuse of identical code.

**5.11.3** Code Instances Involved. Creator is an abstract class that defines the contract of the reutilized steps (here, it is someOperation) and the creational step (createProduct) of Products for its successors (concrete creators). Product is an interface for products (instances being created and configured through the Factory Method pattern). The interface defines the contract for all products so that these may be managed by the pattern.

**5.11.4 Relation.** Implementations of the Product interface are products. Inheritors of the Creator class provide concrete implementations for the creational method and inherit the rest methods. The concrete implementation of the creational method may return different implementations of

Product, which implies the substitution of logic (or configurability of the application).

Here, we used the technique of passing decoratee as a free attribute of the object creator. Its decoratee is passed in the app object. The decoratee has the only attribute createObject that the creator object inherits and relies on. The createObject attribute decides what version of a product should be chosen based on the environment configuration. This implementation of the pattern may be considered as more idiomatic and flexible from the EO perspective.

#### 6 Conclusion

It is possible to conclude that (1) EO is principally applicable to all the considered patterns; (2) For some patterns, EO is able to give a fairly concise and intuitively clear code, since the language combines the features of Functional Programming and OOP; (3) the issues of effective implementation of patterns on EO are largely determined by the characteristics of the environment (IDE + compiler) and today remain open.

Also, EO has no local variables or any kind of stacklifetime storage. Instead, any name refers to an object (stored in heap) that may be accessed through the scope of any other object via the dot-notation mechanism. Even anonymous objects may allow programmers to access its local scope (including parent and decoration hierarchies) freely. In addition, EO has no access modification instruments. This makes closures technique almost similar to the partial application mechanism. Moreover, the publicity of any attribute of any object makes encapsulation impossible in the language. This differentiates EO from functional programming languages and, also, from object-oriented languages. Absence of instruments of access modification (or simulation of it) may be a severe violation of object-oriented principle of encapsulation, which may lead to insecure environments breaking business logic of problem domains.

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The implementation of the design patterns in Eolang is available at [30].

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