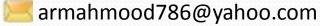
Design Patterns

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Memento Design Pattern

What is Memento pattern?

Memento is one of the 23 Design Patterns which were selected by the GoF (Gang of Four).

		Purpose				
		Creation	Structure	Behavior		
	Class	Factory Method		Interpreter Template		
Scope	Objects	Abstract Factory Builder Prototype Singleton	Adapter Bridge Composite Decorator Façade Flyweight Proxy	Chain of Responsibility Command Iterator Mediator Memento Observer State Strategy Visitor		

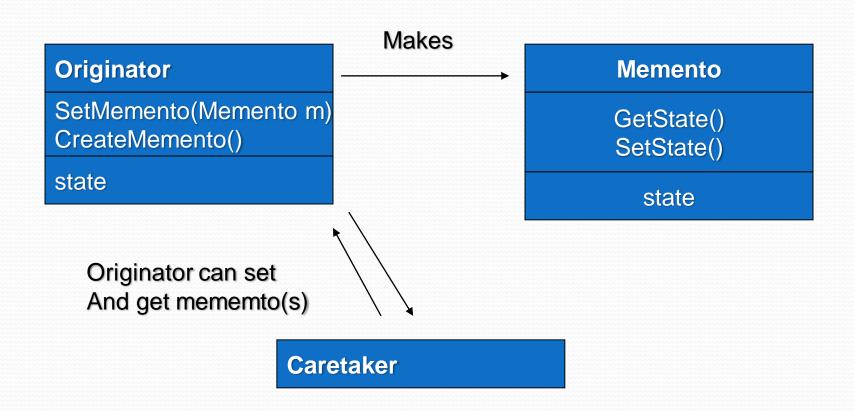
Your Situation

- You want to provide a way to save the state of an object, without violating encapsulation
- Delete from cart and Undo
- Memento pattern is a behavioral design pattern.
 Memento pattern is used to restore state of an object to a previous state. As your application is progressing, you may want to save checkpoints in your application and restore back to those checkpoints later.

Who's involved?

- **Originator:** The <u>object whose state</u> we are going to preserve. Can use memento to restore his state.
- **Memento:** The object <u>who saves the state</u> of the Originator. Can hold a bit or all of originator's data. There is stuff only caretaker can see (the narrow interface), and stuff that originator can see (wide interface).
- **Caretaker:** The <u>object who holds the Memento</u> and possibly returns it to the originator. Doesn't look into the memento.

How do these guys work together?

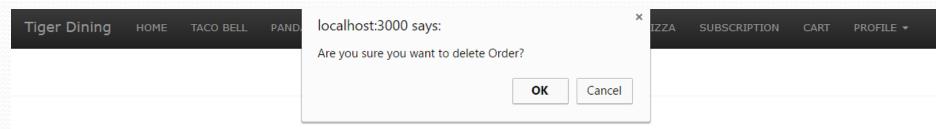


When do I use this again?

you want to save a snapshot of an object's state - so it can be restored later

AND

directly exposing those values would expose implementation details - violating encapsulation.



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Chickfila	Dressing and Toppings	1.59	2	Proceed To Checkout Remove Order
Taco Bell	Double Decker Taco	1.0	2	Proceed To Checkout Remove Order

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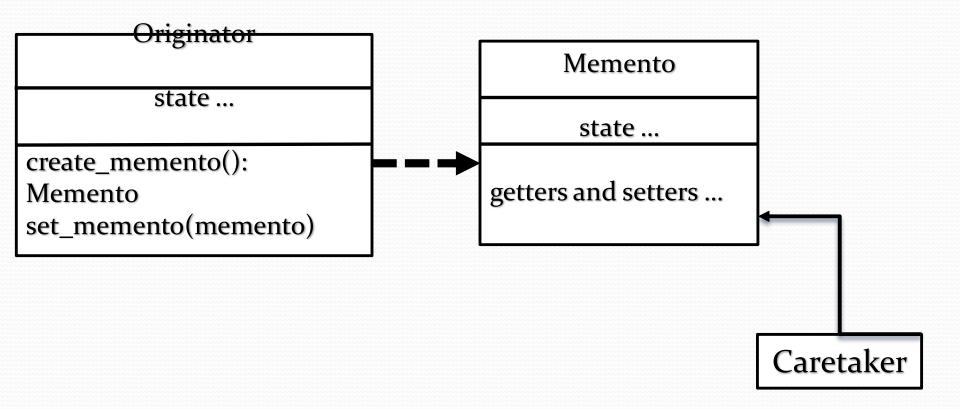
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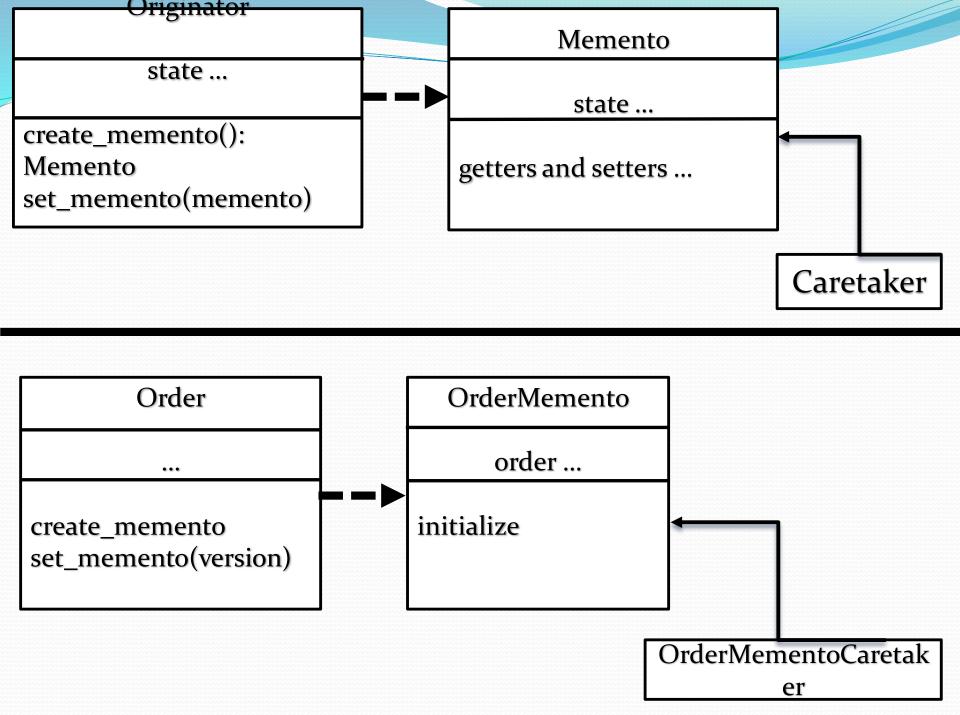
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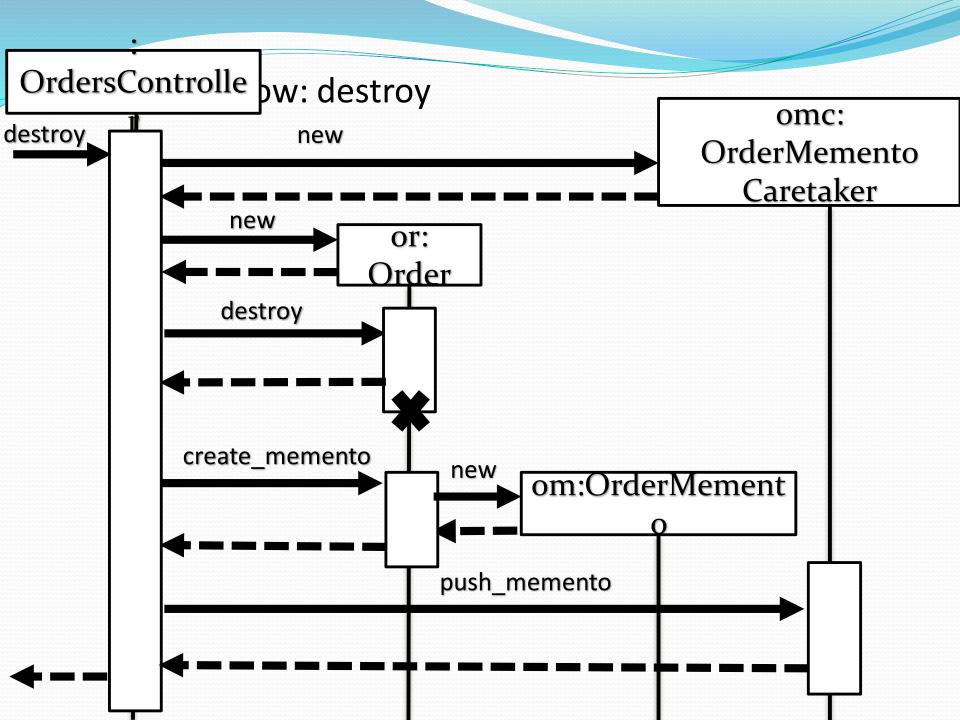
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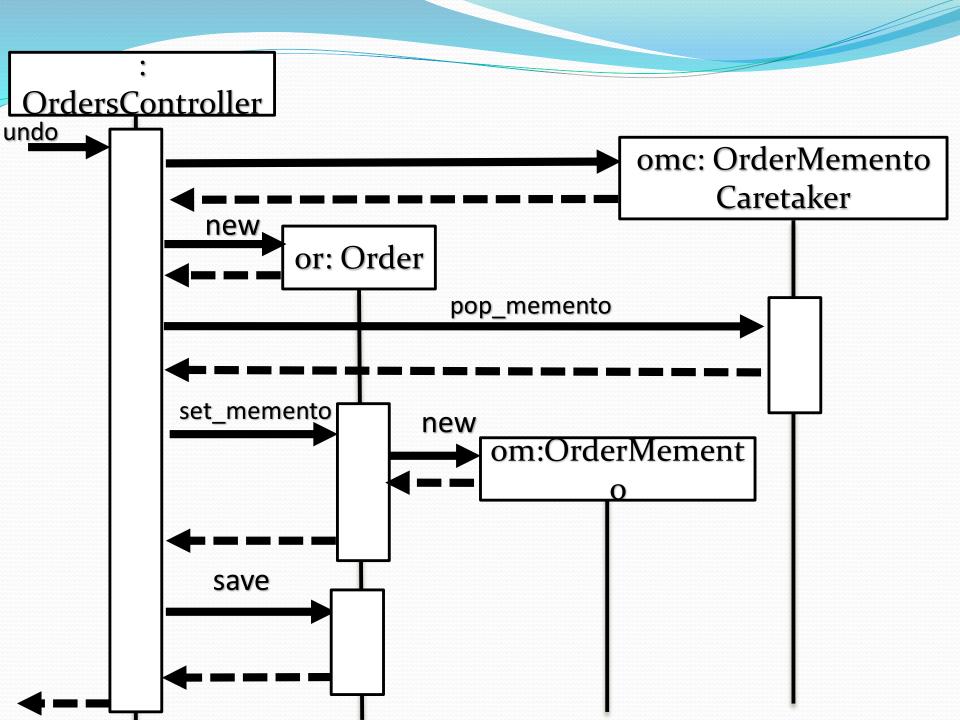
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Solution: Memento the order









Goal: Implement memento pattern

- Order
 - "create_memento" and "set_memento"
- OrderMemento
 - initialize
- OrderMementoCaretaker
 - "push_memento" and "pop_memento"

Consequences

- Preserving encapsulation boundaries. (good)
- Simplifies originator (good)
- Could be expensive (bad)
- Defining narrow and wide interfaces (hard)

Related Classes

- Command: can use mementos to maintain state for undoable commands
- Iterator : Mementos can be used for iteration

Example 1

```
import java.util.List;
import java.util.ArrayList;
class Life {
  private String time;
  public void set(String time) {
     System.out.println("Setting time to " + time);
     this.time = time;
  public Memento saveToMemento() {
     System.out.println("Saving time to Memento");
     return new Memento(time);
  public void restoreFromMemento(Memento memento) {
     time = memento.getSavedTime();
     System.out.println("Time restored from Memento: " + time);
  public static class Memento {
     private final String time;
     public Memento(String timeToSave) {
       time = timeToSave;
     public String getSavedTime() {
       return time;
```

Example 1

```
class Design {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Life.Memento> savedTimes = new ArrayList<Life.Memento>();
    Life life = new Life();
    //time travel and record the eras
    life.set("1000 B.C.");
    savedTimes.add(life.saveToMemento());
    life.set("1000 A.D.");
    savedTimes.add(life.saveToMemento());
    life.set("2000 A.D.");
    savedTimes.add(life.saveToMemento());
                                                    Output:
    life.set("4000 A.D.");
    life.restoreFromMemento(savedTimes.get(0));
```

```
Setting time to 1000 B.C.

Saving time to Memento

Setting time to 1000 A.D.

Saving time to Memento

Setting time to 2000 A.D.

Saving time to Memento

Setting time to Memento

Setting time to 4000 A.D.

Time restored from Memento:

1000 B.C.
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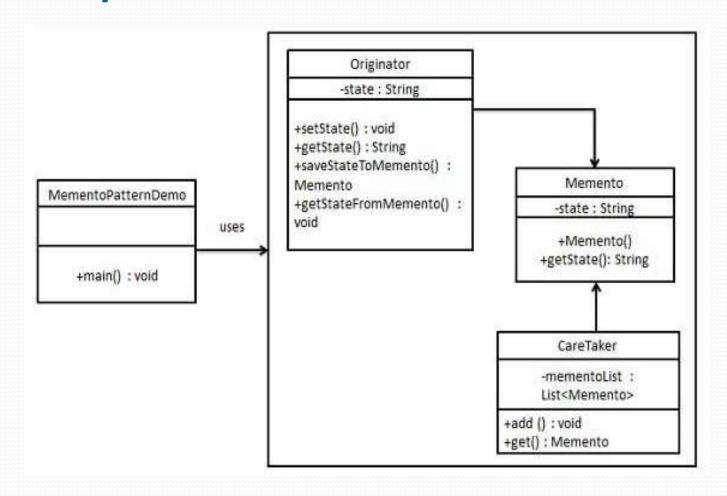
Memento

- Advantage
- We can use Serialization to achieve memento pattern implementation that is more generic rather than Memento pattern where every object needs to have it's own Memento class implementation.
- Disadvantage
- If Originator object is very huge then Memento object size will also be huge and use a lot of memory.

 Memento pattern is used to restore state of an object to a previous state. Memento pattern falls under behavioral pattern category.

Implementation

- Memento pattern uses three actor classes. Memento contains state of an object to be restored. Originator creates and stores states in Memento objects and Caretaker object is responsible to restore object state from Memento. We have created classes Memento, Originator and CareTaker.
- MementoPatternDemo, our demo class, will use CareTaker and Originator objects to show restoration of object states.



- Step 1
- Create Memento class.
- Memento.java

```
public class Memento {
   private String state;
   public Memento(String state){
     this.state = state;
   }
   public String getState(){
     return state;
   }
}
```

- Step 2
- Create Originator class
- Originator.java

```
public class Originator {
 private String state;
 public void setState(String state){
   this.state = state;
 public String getState(){
   return state;
 public Memento saveStateToMemento(){
   return new Memento(state);
 public void getStateFromMemento(Memento memento){
   state = memento.getState();
```

- Step 3
- Create CareTaker class
- CareTaker.java

```
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.List;
public class CareTaker {
    private List<Memento> mementoList = new ArrayList<Memento>();
    public void add(Memento state){
        mementoList.add(state);
    }
    public Memento get(int index){
        return mementoList.get(index);
    }
}
```

• **Step 4**; Use CareTaker & Originator (MementoPatternDemo.java)

```
public class MementoPatternDemo {
 public static void main(String[] args) {
   Originator originator = new Originator();
   CareTaker careTaker = new CareTaker();
   originator.setState("State #1");
   originator.setState("State #2");
   careTaker.add(originator.saveStateToMemento());
   originator.setState("State #3");
   careTaker.add(originator.saveStateToMemento());
   originator.setState("State #4");
   System.out.println("Current State: " + originator.getState());
   originator.getStateFromMemento(careTaker.get(0));
   System.out.println("First saved State: " + originator.getState());
   originator.getStateFromMemento(careTaker.get(1));
   System.out.println("Second saved State: " + originator.getState());
```

- Step 5
- Verify the output.

Current State: State #4

First saved State: State #2

Second saved State: State #3