

Peinto

Description

The application is a paint app called *Peinto*. It's implemented in Java and the GUI is made using SWING in which we made use of its Graphics class which is the abstract super class for all graphics contexts which allow an application to draw onto components. The shapes are drawn on Canvas using Graphics2D.

Design Overview

The code's architecture follows MVC (Model View Controller) architectural pattern in which the Model is responsible for managing the app's drawing data, plus saving and loading them. On the other hand, the view is the user's interface, the paint window and it doesn't talk directly to the model but through the controller. The controller commands the View's actions and command what to display. The controller takes command and information from the user through multiple action and mouse listeners and motion, process the information and talks to the Model to retrieve or send data. It also takes all compiled information and command the View to how represent it to the user.

The code implements some important design patterns such as:

Singleton DP: used to create classes from which we can create only one object. The Canvas class is used as singleton because only one Canvas is needed per paint project.

Strategy DP: used in saving and loading in XML and JSON. XML and JSON classes both implement an interface called SaveAndLoad and override its two functions: save() and load().

Factory DP: used in constructing new shapes to draw on Canvas by taking String parameter specifying the required shape to draw and returning the new shape created.

Memento DP: used in redo/undo functionalities, consists of 3 classes: *Memento*, *Originator* and *CareTaker*. The *Memento* is the project's state at a specific point in time, it saves the ArrayList of shapes. The *Originator* takes the state of the project as the ArrayList shapes and save it to a Memento object and vice versa. *CareTaker* contains 2 LinkedLists: undo and redo which contain the project's states/Mementos.

Command DP: used in redo/undo functionalities, consists of an interface *Command* which has one function *execute*, *UndoCommand* class and *RedoCommand* class which implement *Command*, an *Invoker* class which takes and executes commands and the *ControlDrawingEngine*'s redo and undo functions request invoking *UndoCommand* and *RedoCommand* from *Invoker*. *Invoker* object uses command pattern to identify which object will execute which command based on the type of command.

The features of the application

- Drawing shapes (line segment, circle, ellipse, square, rectangle, and triangle) and editing them using mouse dragging.
- Selecting single or multiple shapes one which different operations can be performed such as: resize, delete, move, change fill and stroke color.
- Undo/Redo on all operations.
- Save shapes in XML or JSON.
- Load previous drawings and modify them.
- Choose where to save the file.

Assumptions

- Every time a user wants to draw a shape he must click on its corresponding label then drag and drop the mouse on Canvas.
- If user wants to select a shape, he must click on select label then click on the shape.
- If user wants to deselect a shape, he must click on deselect then click on the shape he wants to deselect.
- If user wants to deselect all shapes he can just click on deselect all button
- When more than one shape is selected, operations like copy, delete, move and resize will be performed on all selected shapes.
- When selecting a shape it's stroke will be dashed.
- If the user wants to do any operation on the shape like coloring the shape, changing the stroke color, resizing the shape... he must select it first.
- The default fill color is white and the default stroke color is black.

- Undo and redo can be done over 20 operations maximum.
- Resizing and moving can be done anywhere in the Canvas.

Team work

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- Code design.
- Implemented MVC AP.
- Canvas (Singleton DP) and its Mouse Listeners and Adapters.
- Redo/Undo functionalities (Memento and Command DP).

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The saving and loading feature:

- JSON, XML files and file chooser.
- Following strategy DP.

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- Implemented Factory DP.
- Functions in ControlDrawingEngine.
- GUI design.

Data Structures

The code has 3 main data structures HashMap, ArrayList and LinkedList. The HashMaps were used to store each shape properties. The shapes currently drawn on the Canvas were stored in an ArrayList of type Shape. And finally, in Memento design pattern, two LinkedLists were used in CareTaker class, one to store the Canvas undo states (Mementos) and the other to store the Canvas redo states (Mementos).

Description of the important functions/modules

Canvas Class

Canvas class is a class that extends JPanel which is used to draw on. It displays the arrayList of Shapes and it contains important methods like: PaintComponent method where all of the painting code should be placed. The method will be invoked when it is time to paint. Singleton DP is also implemented in this class because we only need one object for the canvas.

ControlDrawingEngine Class:

ControlDrawingEngine class implements the interface "DrawingEngine". This class has all the main methods and operations done on shapes (select, deselect, copy, move, delete, clear, resize, redo, undo, save, load). It also has the method drawCurrentShape which calls the draw method for the current shape at that moment.

Refresh method: redraws all the shapes in the arrayList on the canvas, it's called in the paintComponent method which is in the canvas class.

DrawCurrentShape: it draws the current shape which is held in currentShape object by setting all its properties then calling the draw method in the shape's class.

Copy: It saves the state of the canvas only if there are selected shapes, then it clones the selected shapes (deep copying) and adds them to the arrayList and draws them on the canvas.

Delete: delete methods saves the state of the canvas only if there are selected shapes, then it deletes all the shapes selected by removing them from the arrayList then repainting the Canvas.

DeleteAll: it clears the Canvas by deleting all the shapes.

Resize: it resizes all the selected shapes by changing their end or start positions by dragging the mouse.

Select: loops through the arrayList and sets the first shape that the mouse is on to be selected by changed its stroke to a dashed line and setting the selected

property to 1.0 , it also makes the selected shape appear on the top of another shapes if there is shape overlapping.

Move: it gets the difference between the first mouse click and then the dragged distance and adds this difference to the start and end points of the shape. If multiple shapes are selected they are all moved together from any point.

Saving and loading functions in XML and JSON classes:

The function takes two parameters: path, ArrayList of type Shape.

As the user choose the type of file (JSON or XML) the corresponding function will be called.

XML saving function:

The encoder will write the ArrayList of shapes in the file following XML format.

XML loading function:

The decoder will read the ArrayList from the XML file and the previous shapes will display on the Canvas.

JSON saving function: Using “json-simple 1.1 library”.

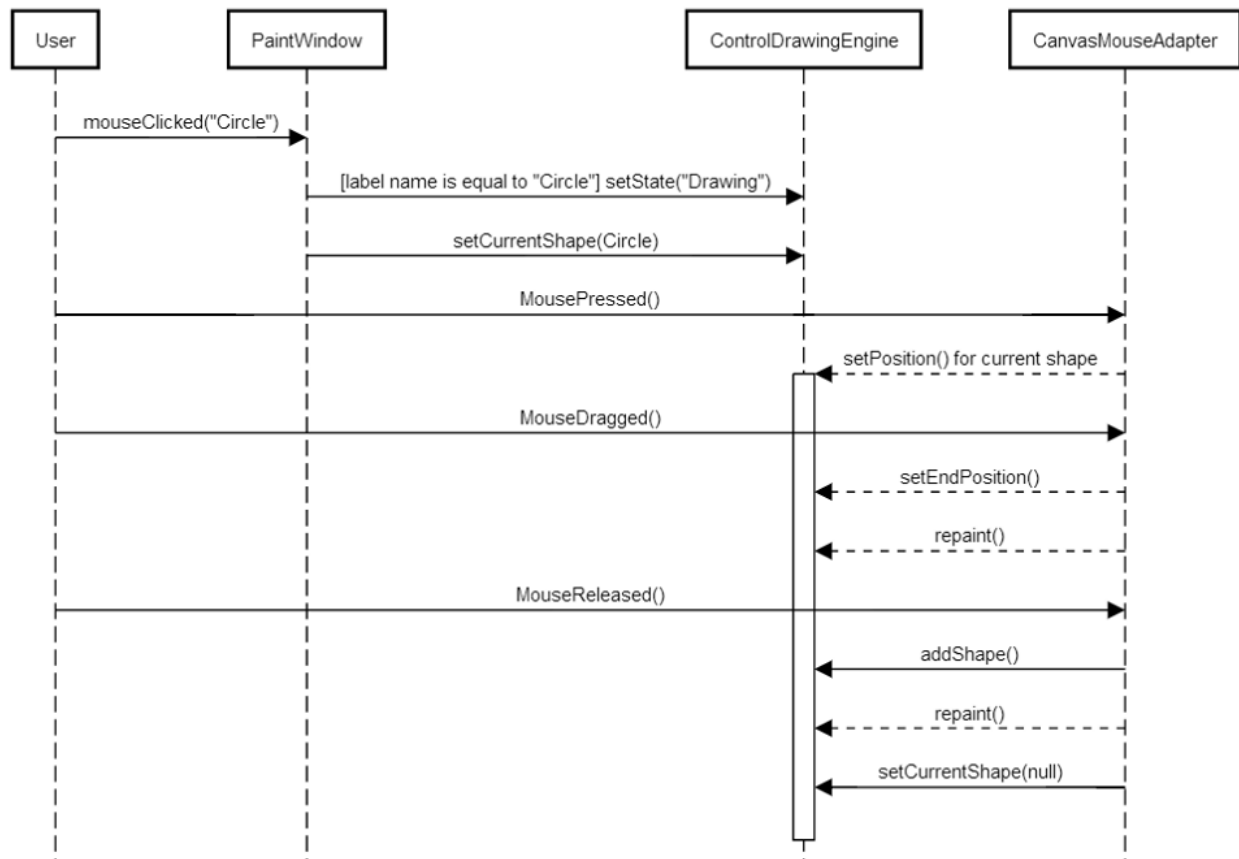
The function takes every detail in the ArrayList and save it in a HashMap.

JSON loading function: Using “json-simple 1.1 library.”

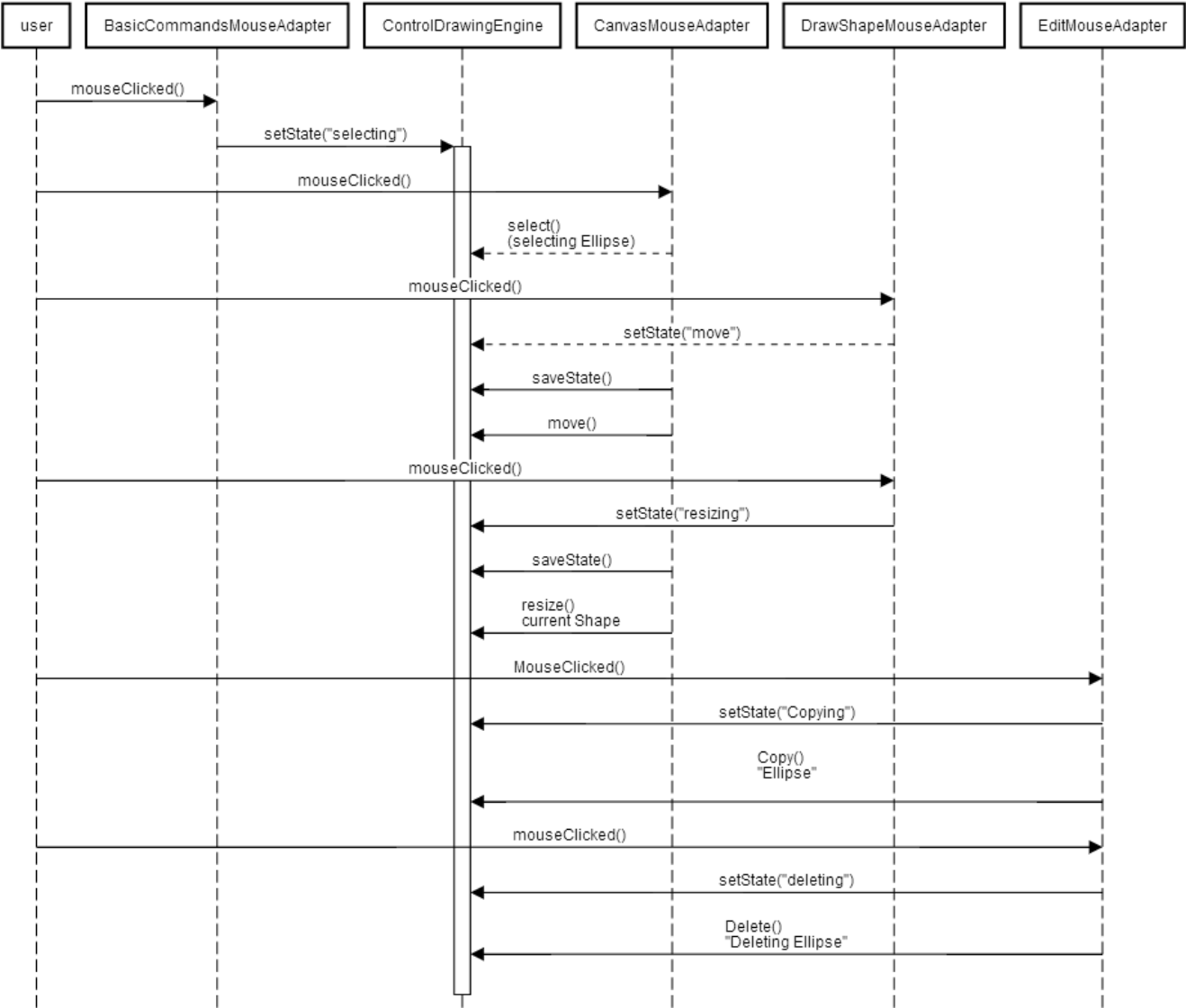
Using parser in the reading, it will read the HashMap from the file then display the previous shapes on the Canvas.

Sequence diagrams

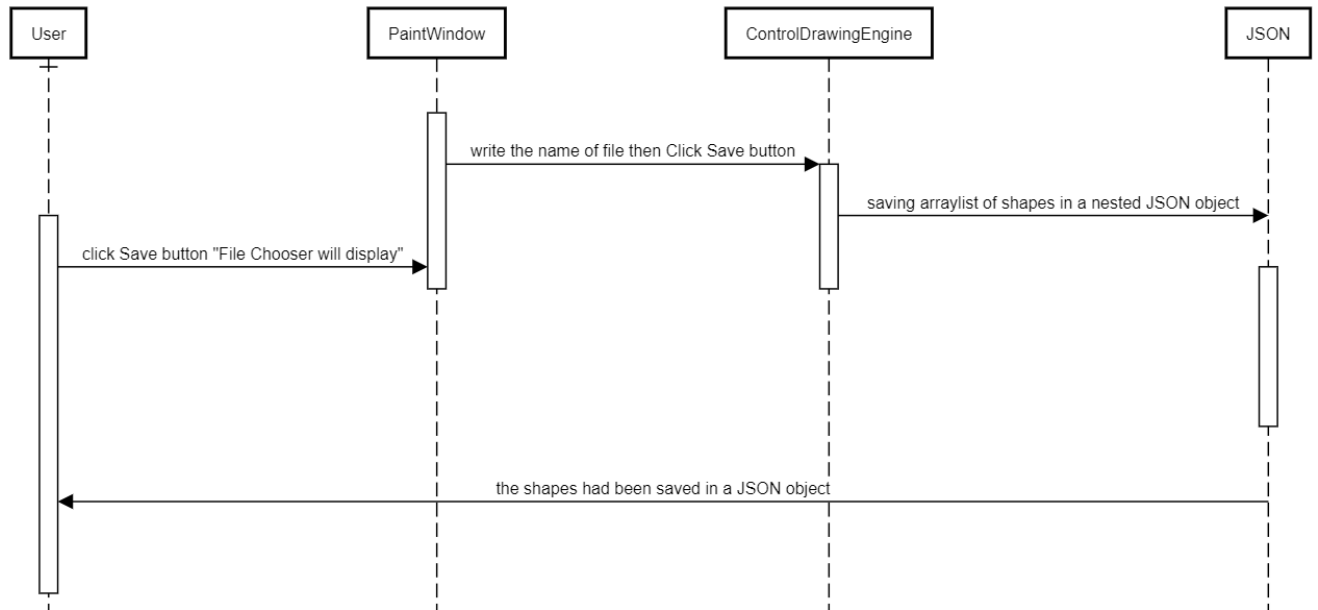
Drawing a Circle



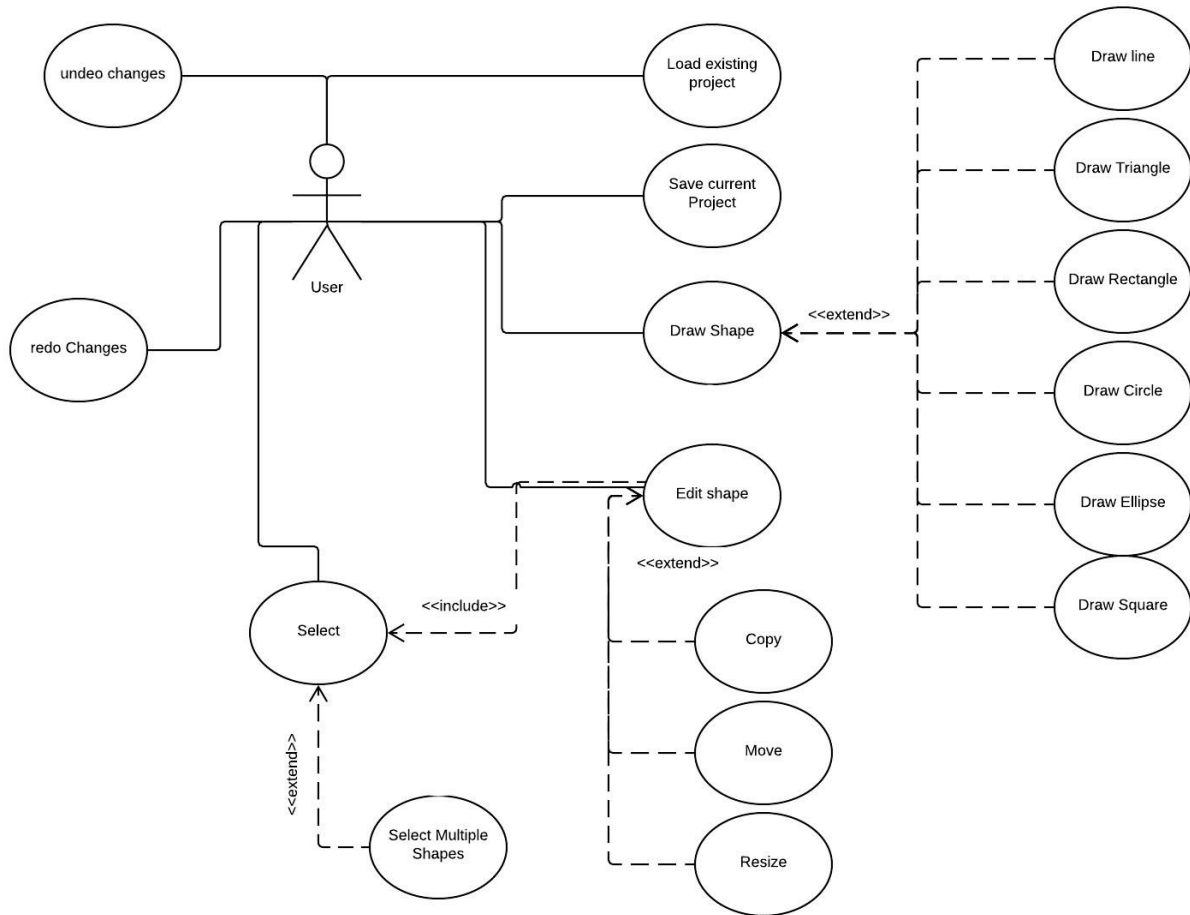
Editing an Ellipse



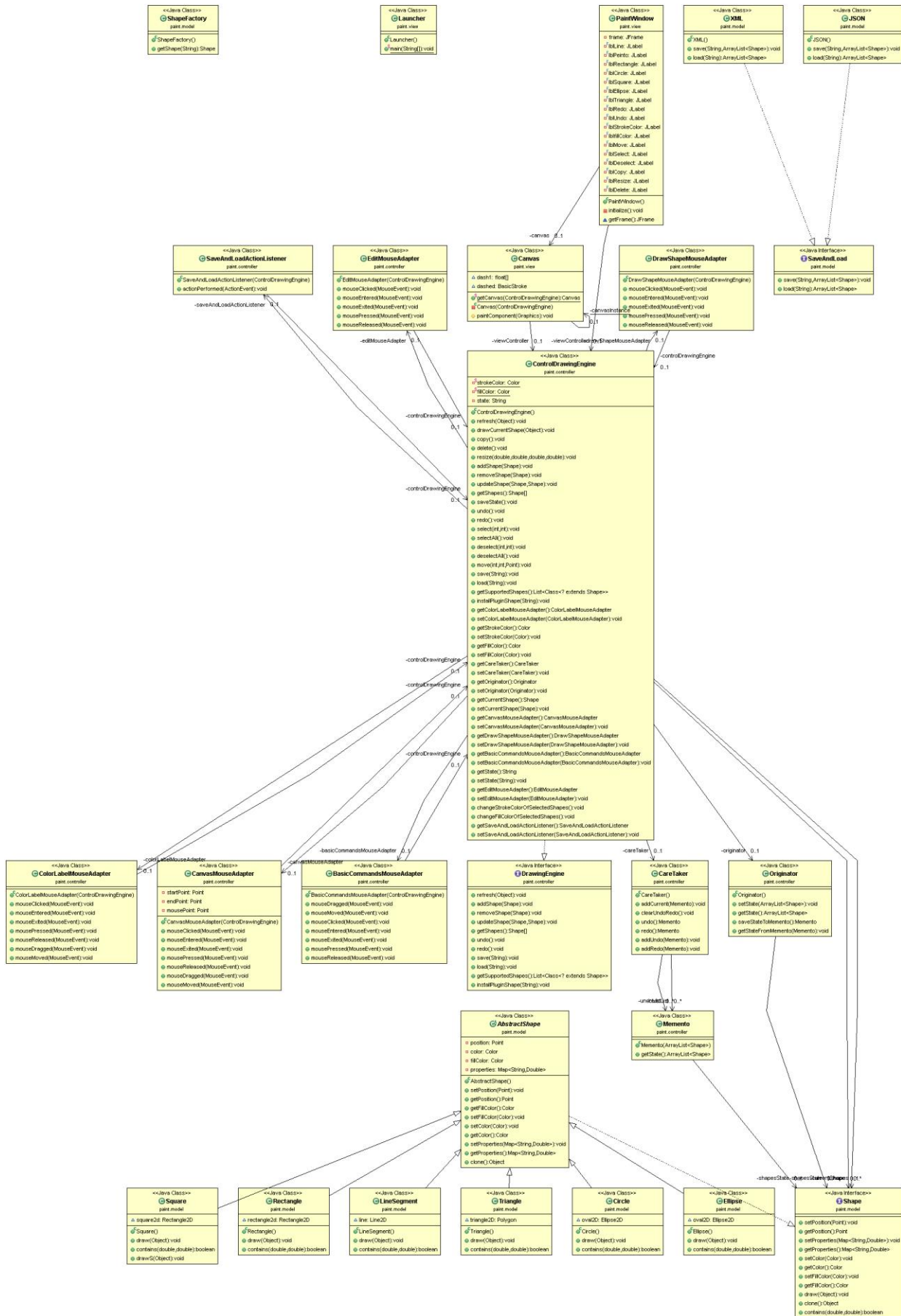
Saving in JSON file



Use case diagram



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Sample runs

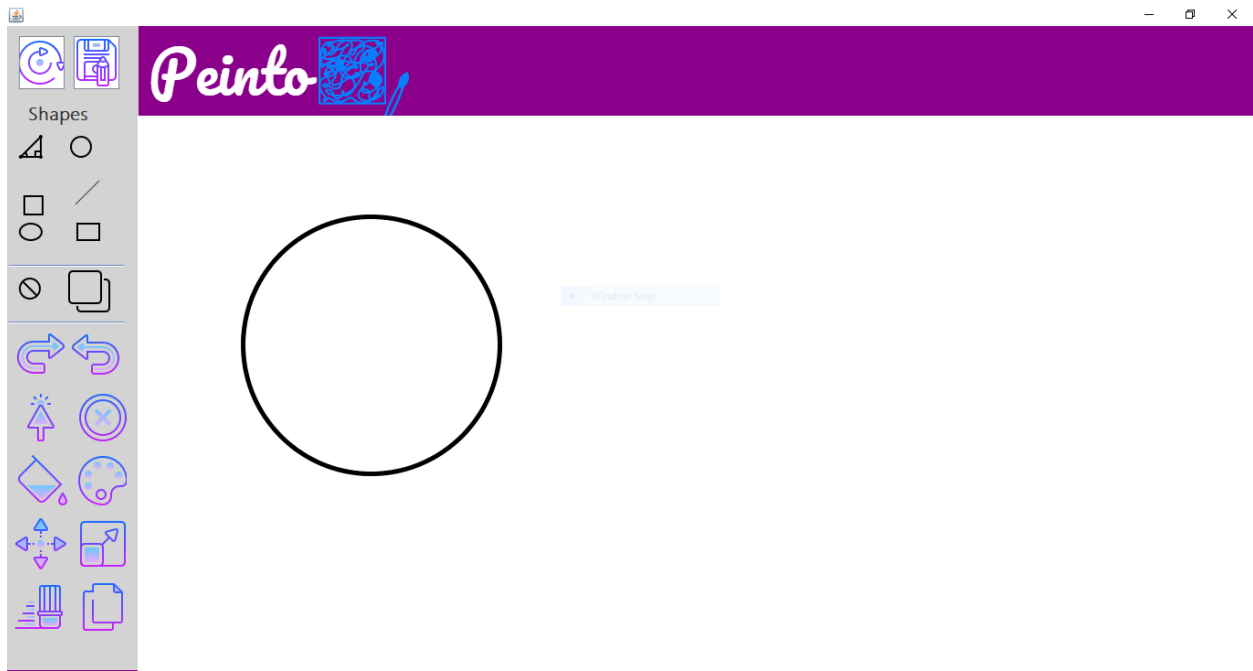


Figure 1: Drawing a Circle

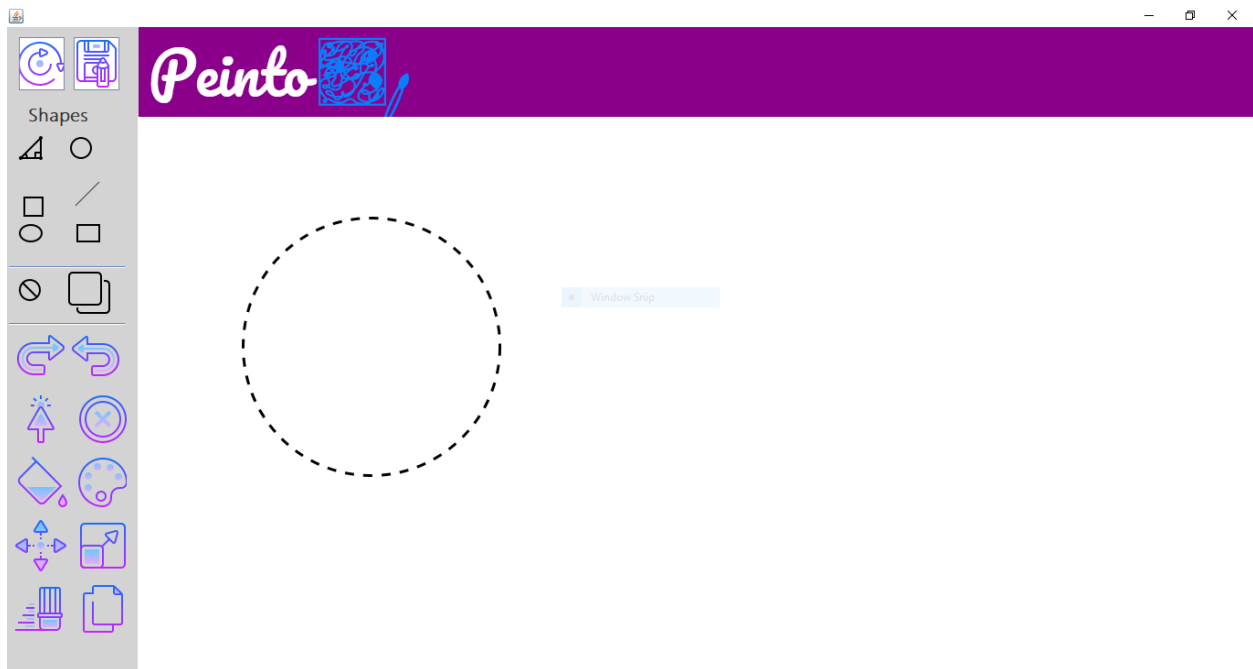


Figure 2: Selecting a circle.

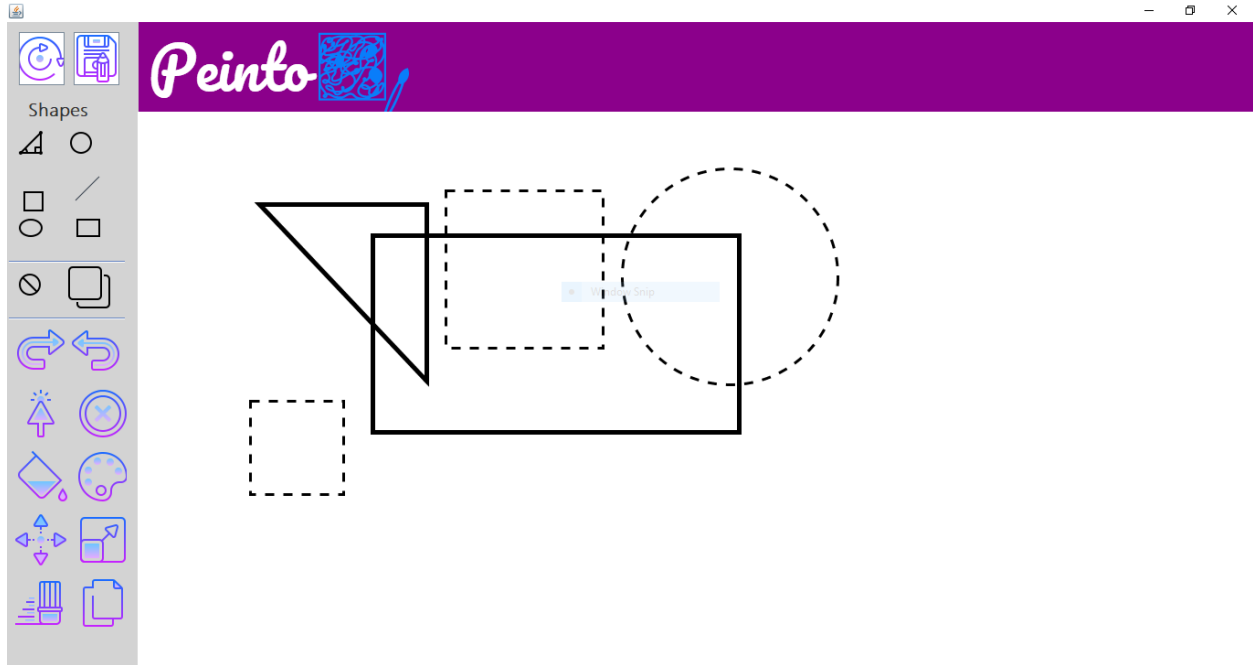


Figure 3: Selecting Multiple Shapes

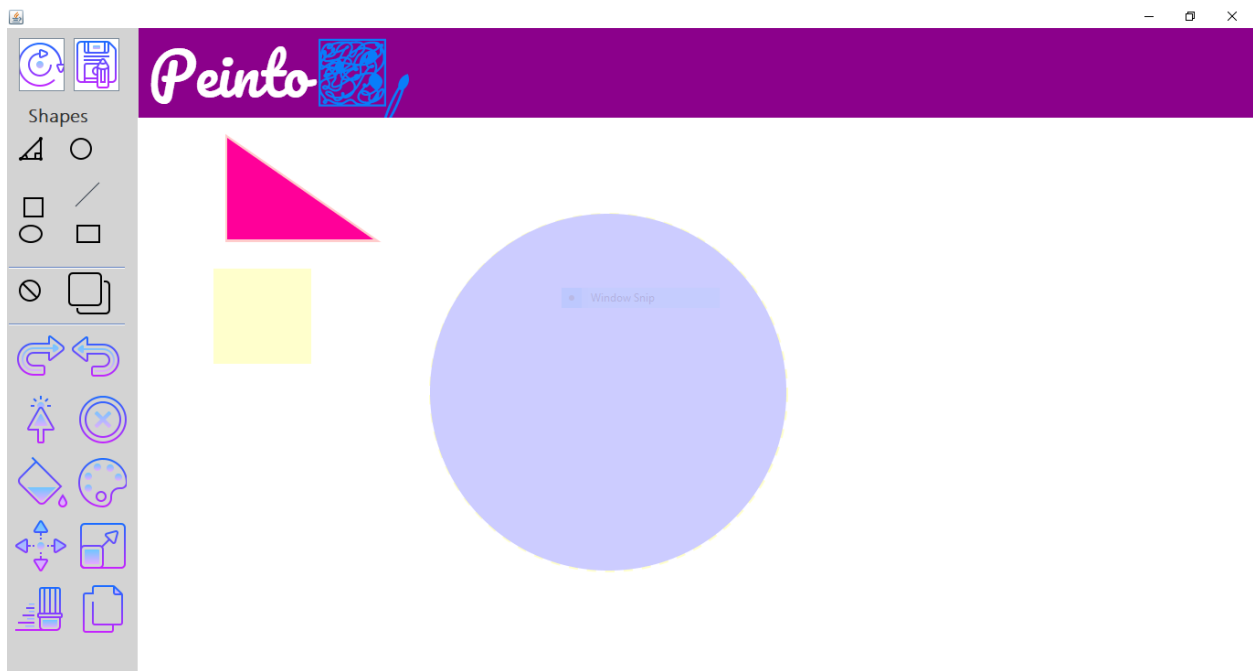


Figure 4: Drawing colored Shapes.

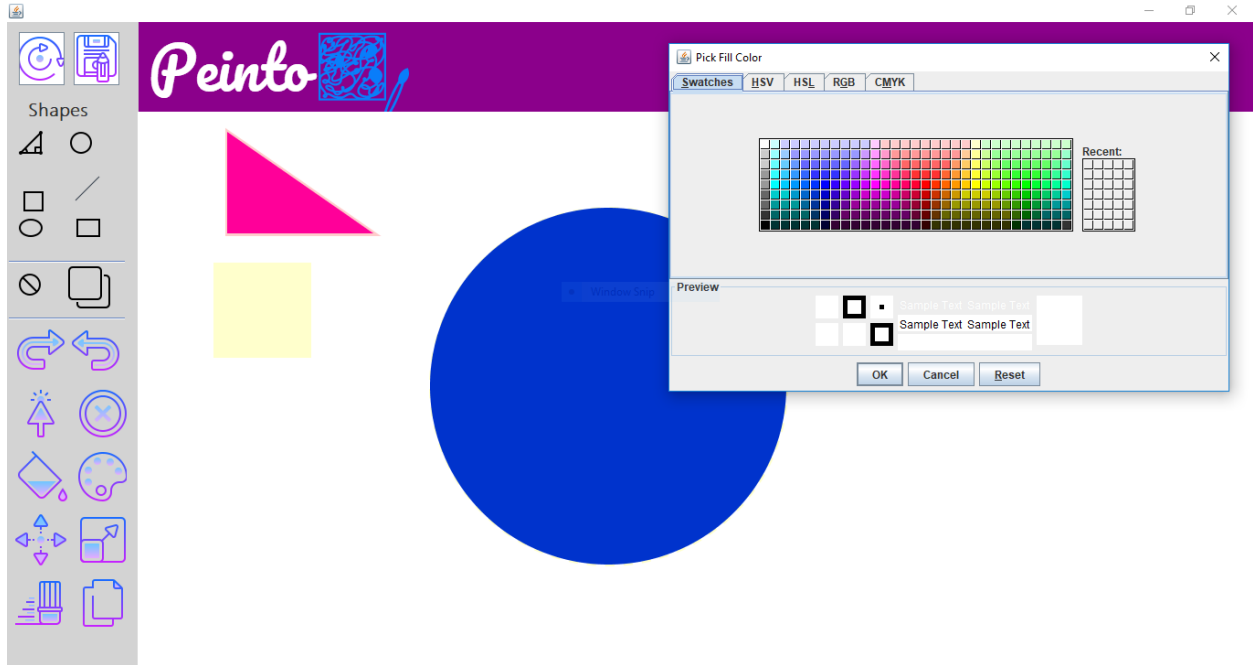


Figure 5: Changing color of selected shape.

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