Software Design Patterns

What are Software Design Patterns?

- Reusable solutions to commonly occurring problems
- Emerge over time as developers write code and establish best practices
- Solve particular problems in code generation and interactions
- Powerful if used in the correct way and applied in the correct circumstance

WHO WERE THE ‘GANG OF FOUR’?

Design Patterns:
***Elements of Reusable Object-Oriented Software* (1994)**

- Erich Gamma, Richard Helm, Ralph Johnson and John Vlissides

‘Capturing a wealth of experience about the design of object-oriented software, **four top-notch designers present a catalog of simple and succinct solutions to commonly occurring design problems**. Previously undocumented, these 23 patterns allow designers to create more **flexible, elegant, and ultimately reusable designs** without having to rediscover the design solutions themselves.’

- Addison-Wesley publishers, emphasis added for this session

The Principle of Balance

Find the balance between…

Too simple

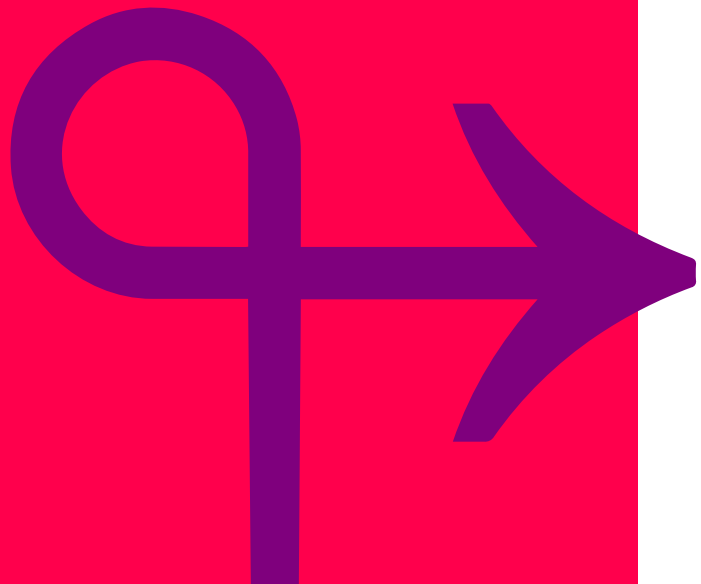
Flexible

Not fragile

Code is simple to follow

Too complex

COMMON DESIGN PATTERNS



- **Facade**
- **Proxy**
- **Command**
- **Observer** (subsumed into .NET as events)
- **State**
- **Strategy / Template Method**
- **Factory**
- **Singleton**

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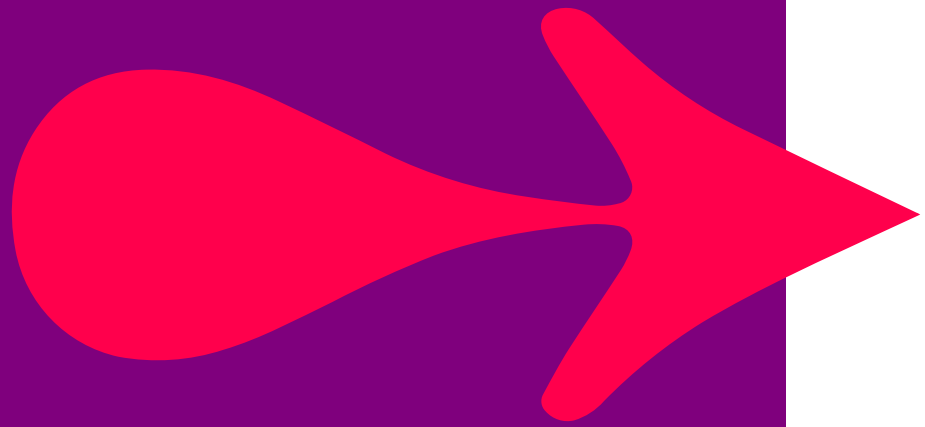
GANG OF FOUR PATTERNS

THREE TYPES



Creational Design Patterns

- **Builder**
- **Factory**
- **Singleton**
- **Prototype**

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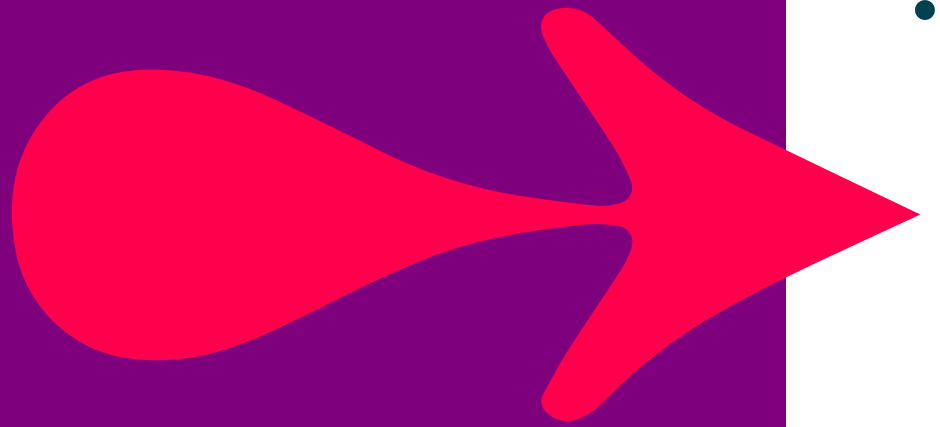

Structural Patterns

- Adapter
- Bridge
- Composite
- Decorator
- Facade
- Flyweight
- Proxy

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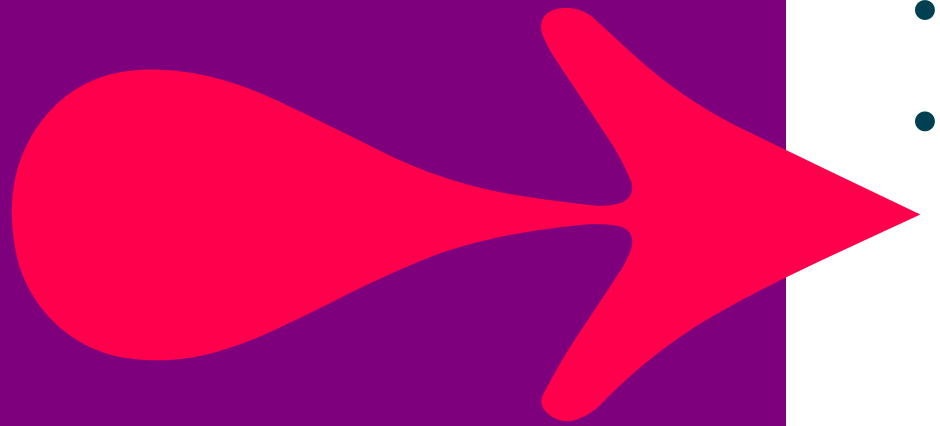

- **Behavioural Patterns**
  - **Chain of Responsibility Pattern.**
  - **Command Pattern.**
  - **Template Pattern**
  - **Iterator Pattern.**
  - **Observer Pattern.**
  - **State Pattern.**
  - **Memento Pattern.**
  - **Strategy Pattern.**

LAB

Please do the lab for this chapter