COIS 2240

Lecture 2

Requirements Elicitation

Req. Spec. & Analysis

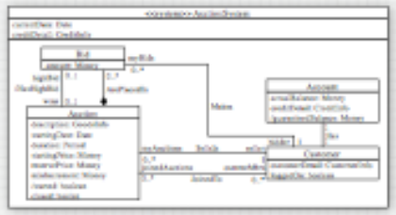
Architecture Design

Detailed Design

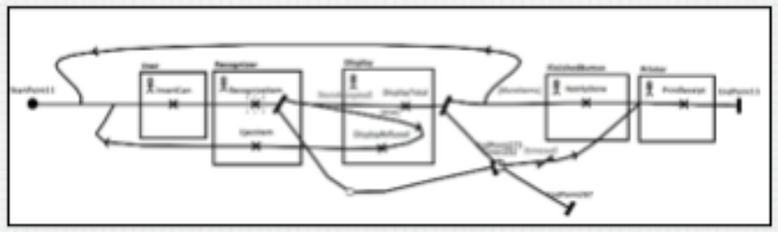
Implementation

Use Case Model

Goal Model



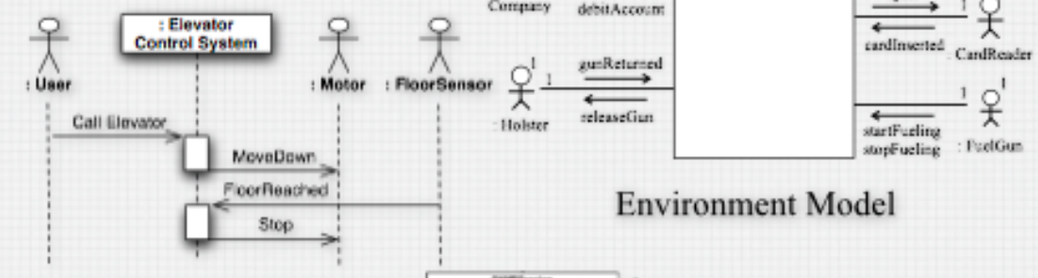
Concept Model



Use Case Maps

```
Operation: EmploymentAgency::jobFilled
(worker: Person, comp: Company, amount: Money);
Description: Creates a job for a given person and company,
where company must have a budget smaller than or equal to
1 million;
Scope: Person; Company; Job;
New: researchJob: Job;
Pre: self.company->select(budget > 1.0E7)->excludes(comp);
Post:
  researchJob.oclIsNew() &
  researchJob.salary = amount &
  researchJob.employee = worker &
  researchJob.employer = comp;
```

Operation Model

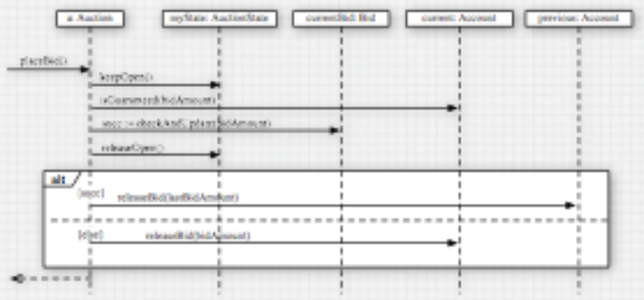


Protocol Model

Environment Model

```
public class Asteroid
  extends Model {

  //position
  float xPos;
  float yPos;

  //dynamics
  float speed;

  public Asteroid() {
    xPos = ConstantWORLD_MAX_X;
    yPos = 0;
  }

  public void moveAsteroid() {
    xPos = xPos - speed;
  }

  public boolean outOfBounds() {
    return xPos < 0;
  }

}
```

Java Code



Interaction Model

Design Class Model

What is UML?

- UML (Unified Modeling Language)
  - Nonproprietary standard for modeling software systems, OMG
  - Information at the OMG portal http://www.uml.org/
- Commercial tools: Rational (IBM),Together (Borland), Visual Architect (business processes, BCD)
- Open Source tools: ArgoUML, StarUML, Umbrello,
- Online tools, look at this list: http://modeling-languages.com/web-based-modeling-tools/
- We will use umple umple.org

UML: First Pass

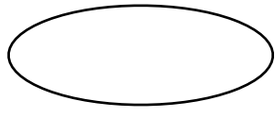
- You can model 80% of most problems by using about 20 % UML
- We teach you those 20%

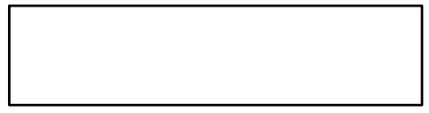
UML First Pass

- Class diagrams
  - Describe the static structure of the system: Objects, attributes, associations
- Sequence diagrams
  - Describe the dynamic behavior between objects of the system
- Statechart diagrams
  - Describe the dynamic behavior of an individual object
- Activity diagrams
  - Describe the dynamic behavior of a system, in particular the workflow.

UML Core Conventions

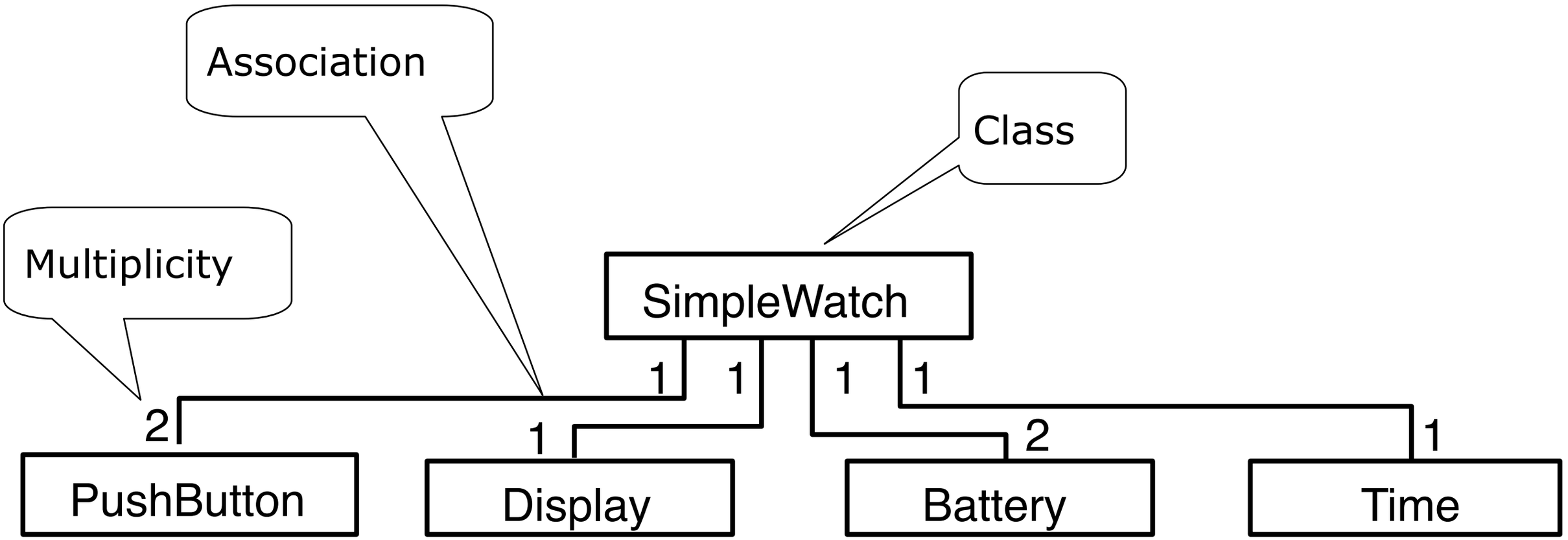
- All UML Diagrams denote graphs of nodes and edges
  - Nodes are entities and drawn as rectangles or ovals
  - Rectangles denote classes or instances
  - Ovals denote functions





- Names of Classes are not underlined
  - `SimpleWatch`
  - `Firefighter`
- Names of Instances are underlined
  - `myWatch:SimpleWatch`
  - `Joe:Firefighter`
- An edge between two nodes denotes a relationship between the corresponding entities

UML first pass: Class diagrams



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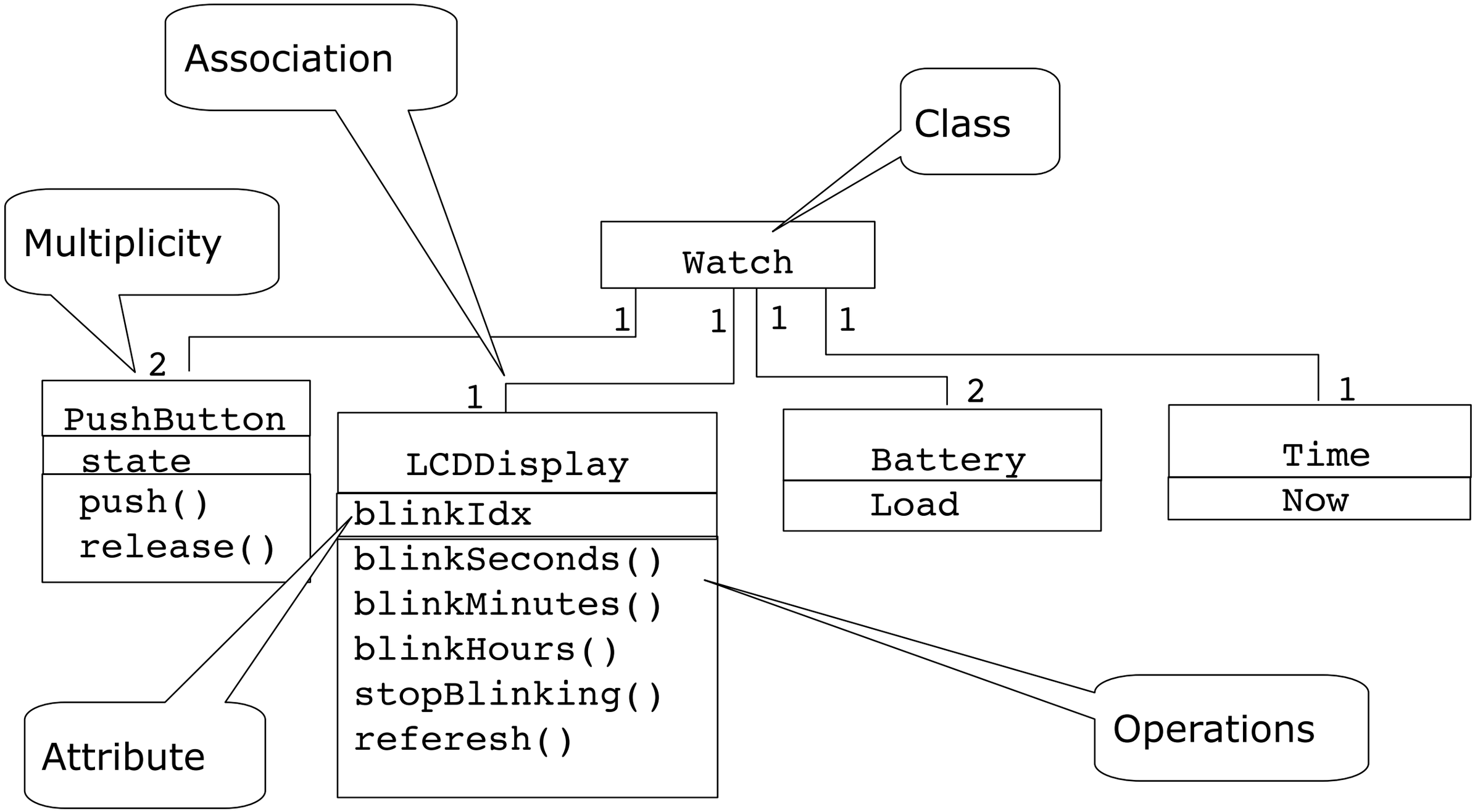
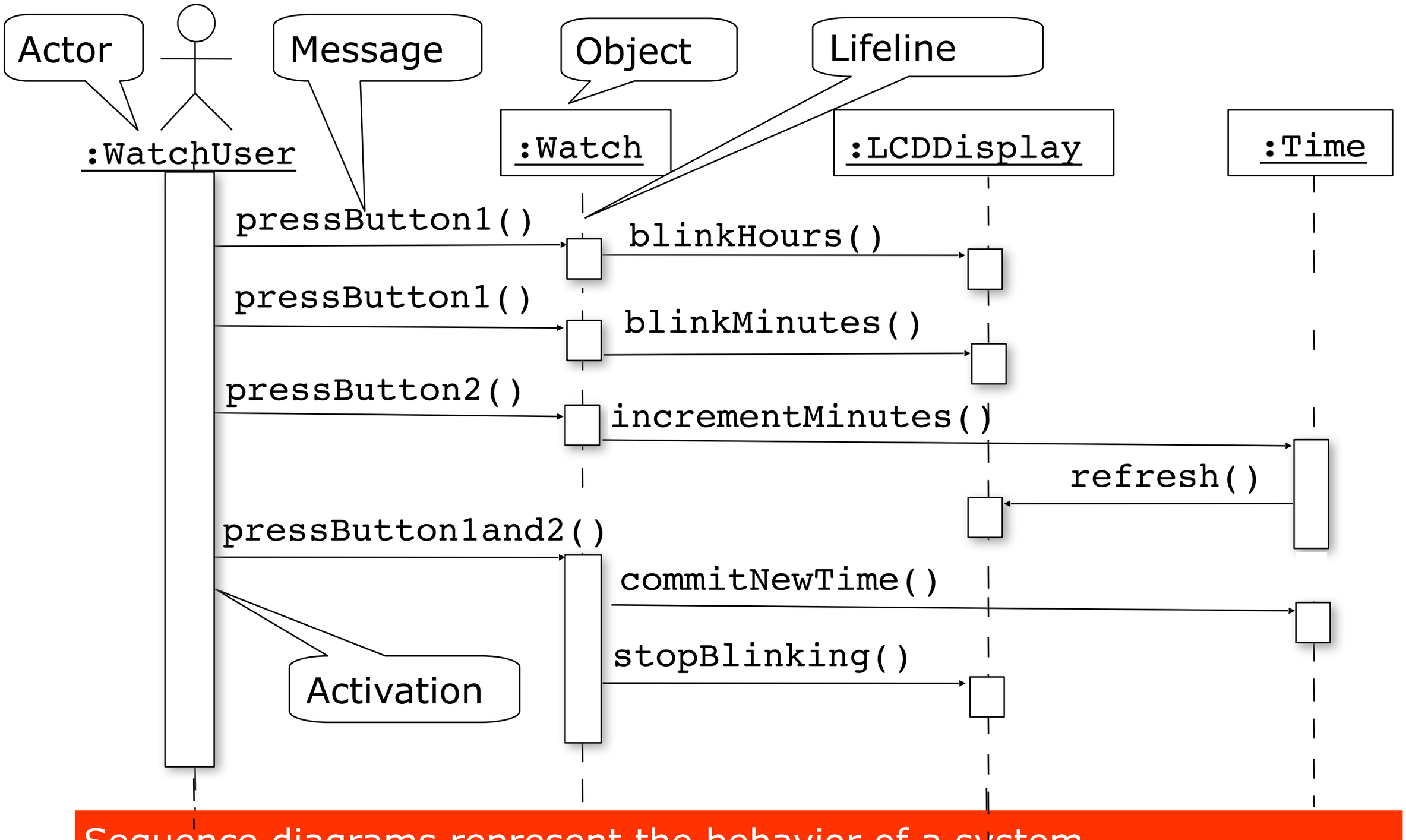
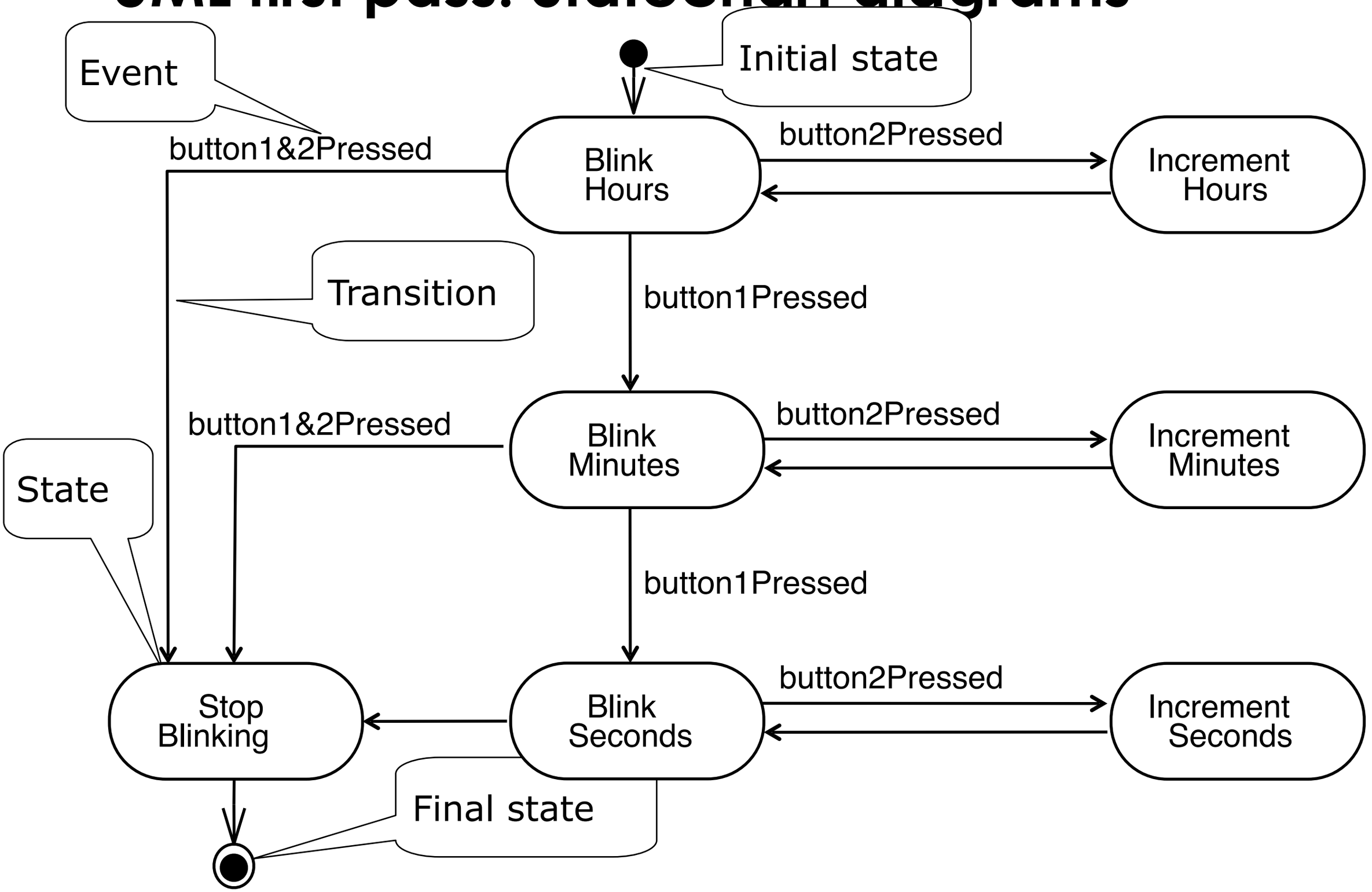


UML first pass: Sequence diagram



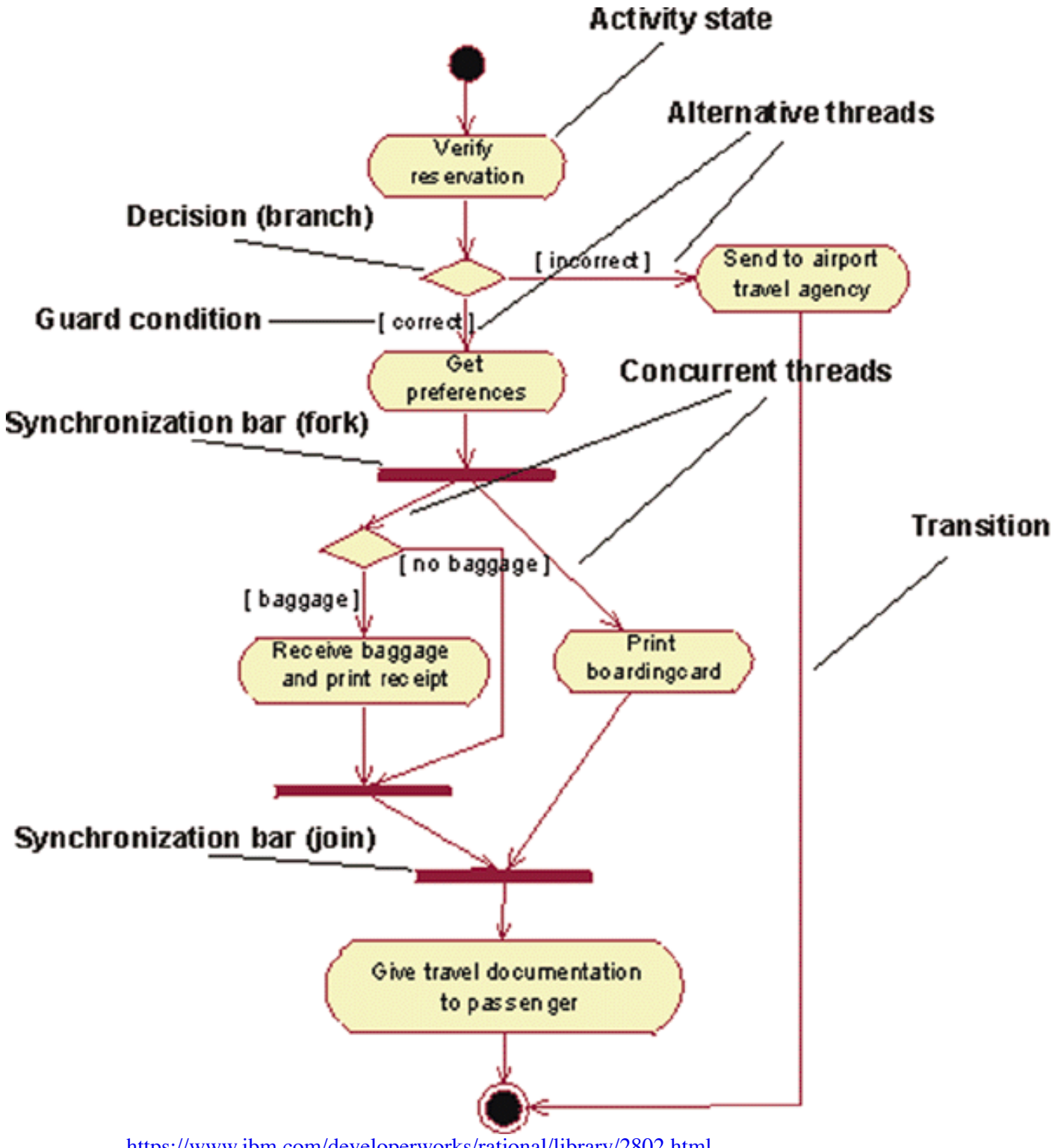
Sequence diagrams represent the behavior of a system as messages ("interactions") between *different objects*

UML first pass: Statechart diagrams



Represent behavior of *a single object* with interesting dynamic behavior.

UML first pass: Activity diagrams



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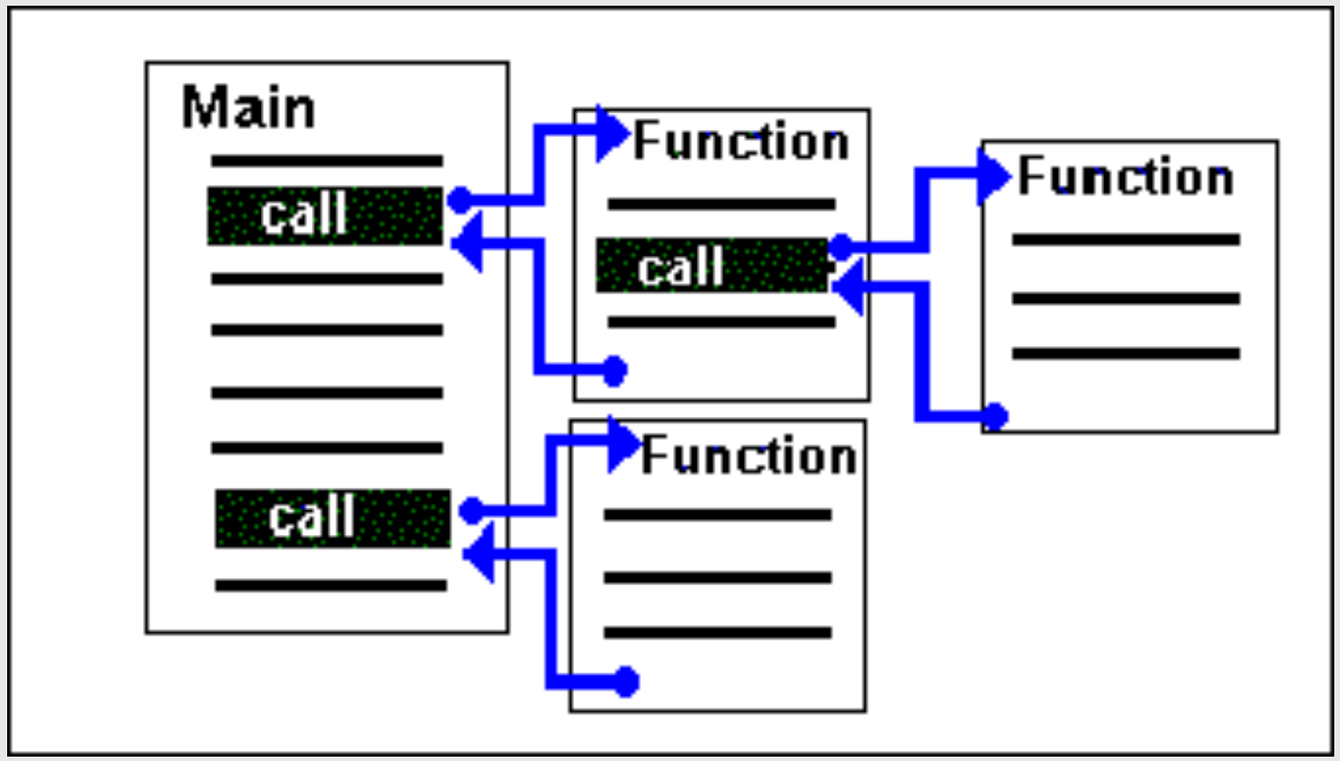
Represent the dynamic behavior of the system (the workflow).

What is Object Orientation?

Procedural paradigm:

- Software is organized around the notion of *procedures*
- *Procedural abstraction*
  - Works as long as the data is simple



What is Object Orientation?

Object oriented paradigm:

- Organizing procedural abstractions in the context of data abstractions

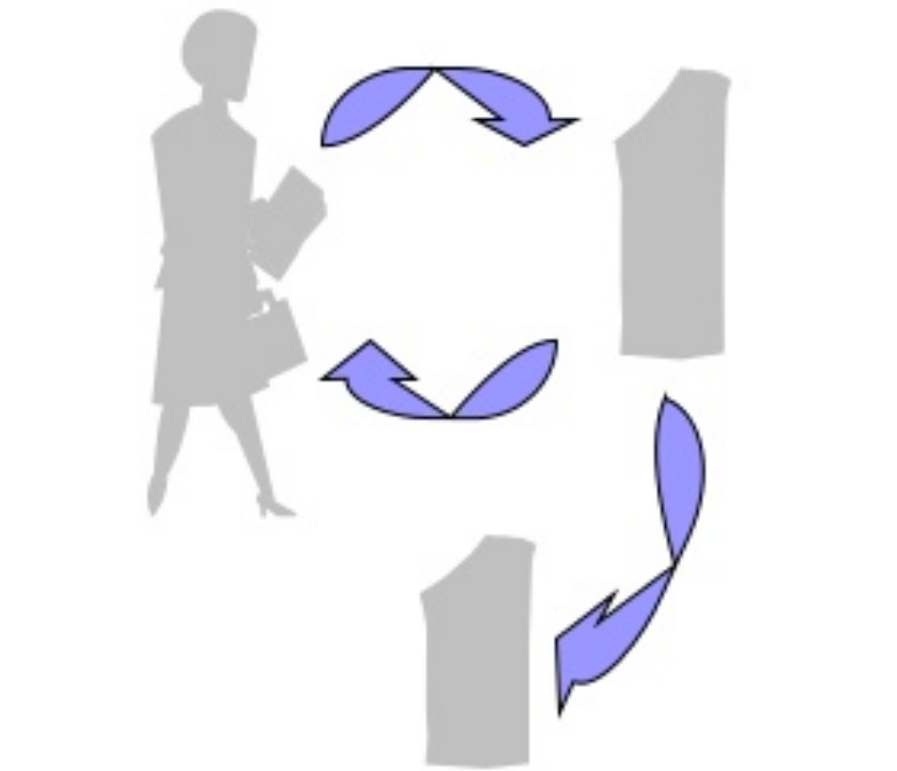
Object Oriented paradigm

An approach to the solution of problems in which all computations are performed in the context of objects.

- The objects are instances of classes, which:
  - are data abstractions
  - contain procedural abstractions that operate on the objects
- A running program can be seen as a collection of objects collaborating to perform a given task

Procedural vs. Object-Oriented

- Procedural



- Object Oriented

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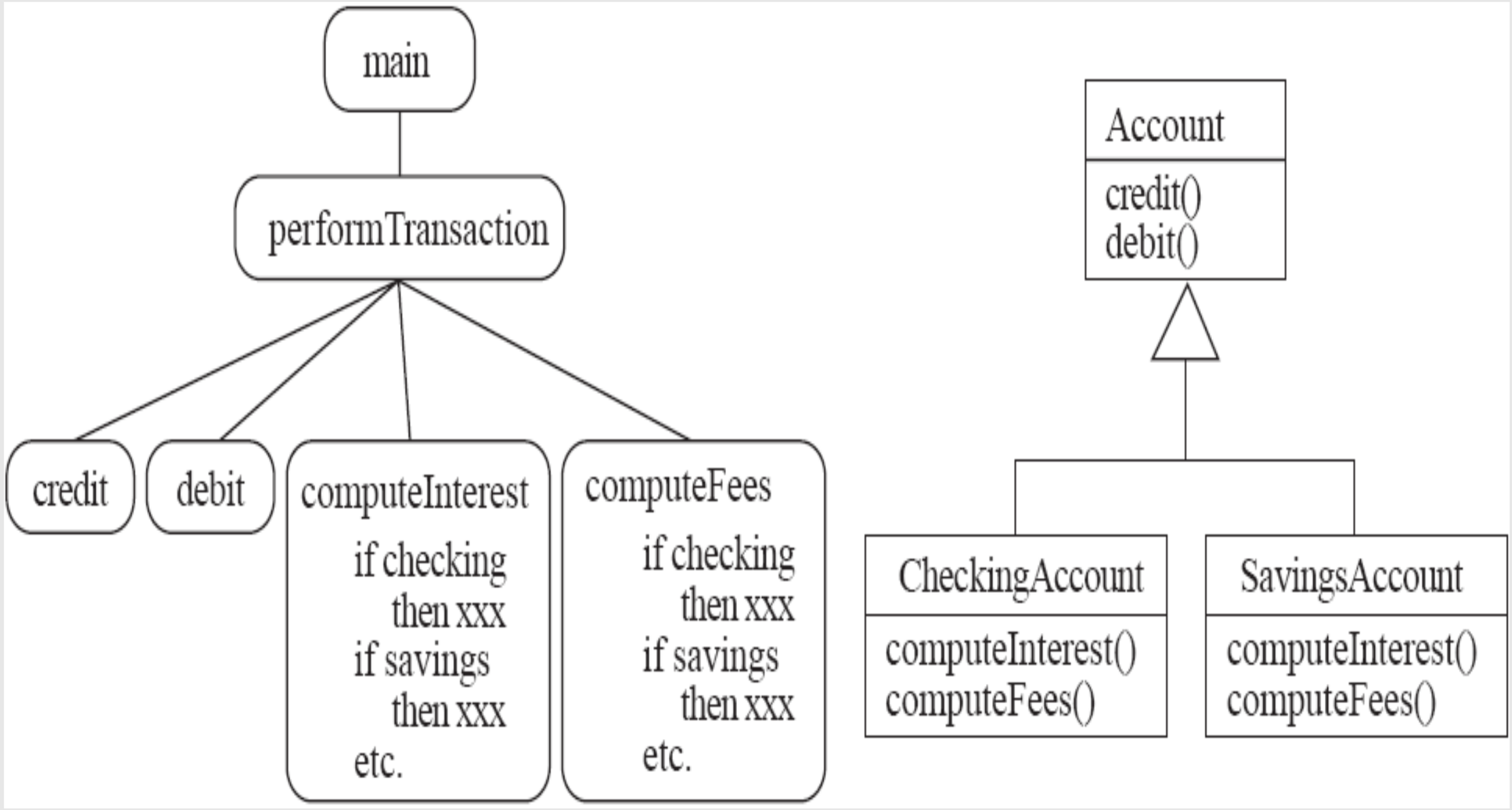
A View of the Two paradigms



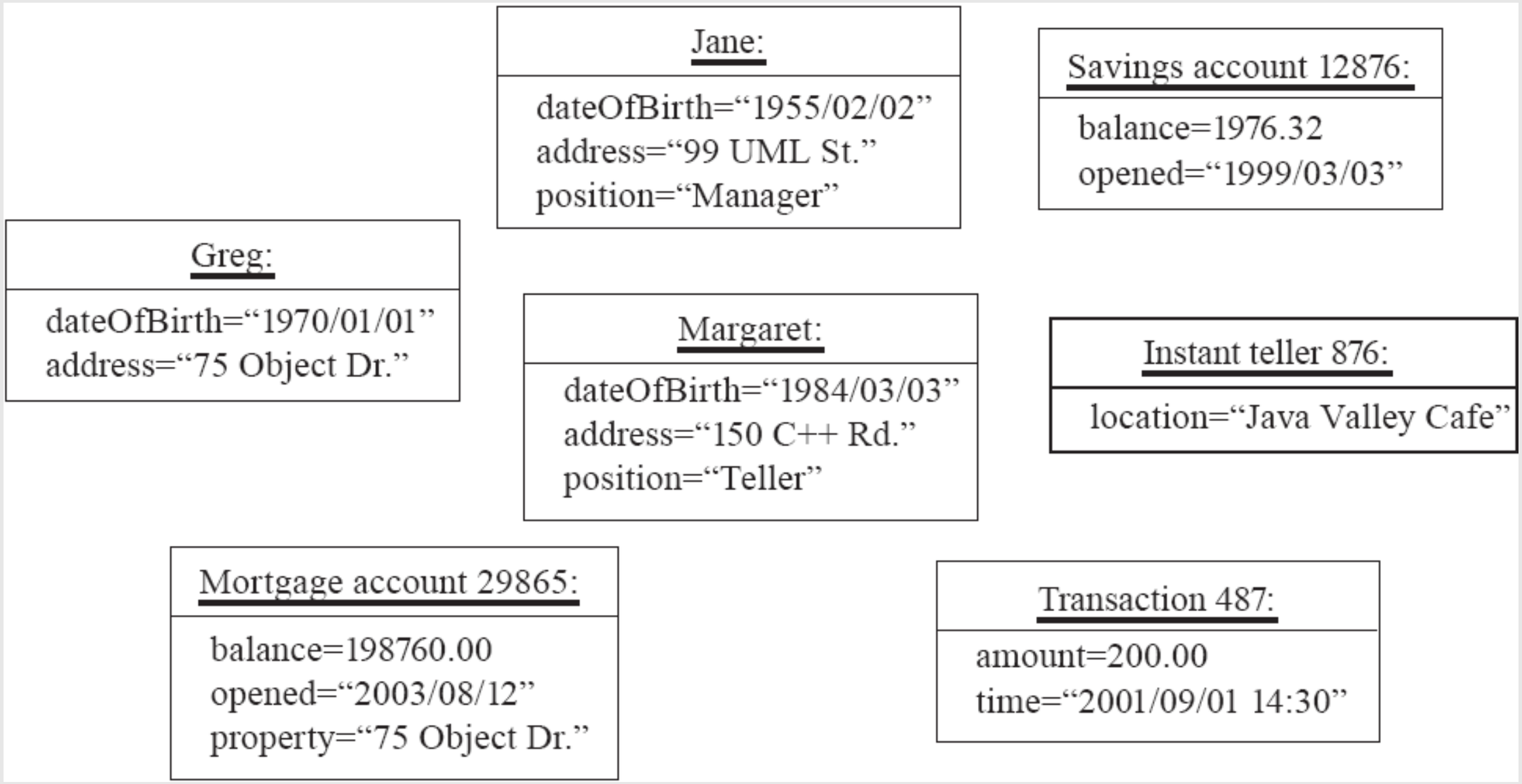
Classes and Objects

Object

- A chunk of structured data in a running software system

- Has *properties*
  - Represent its state
- Has *behaviour*
  - How it acts and reacts
  - May simulate the behaviour of an object in the real world

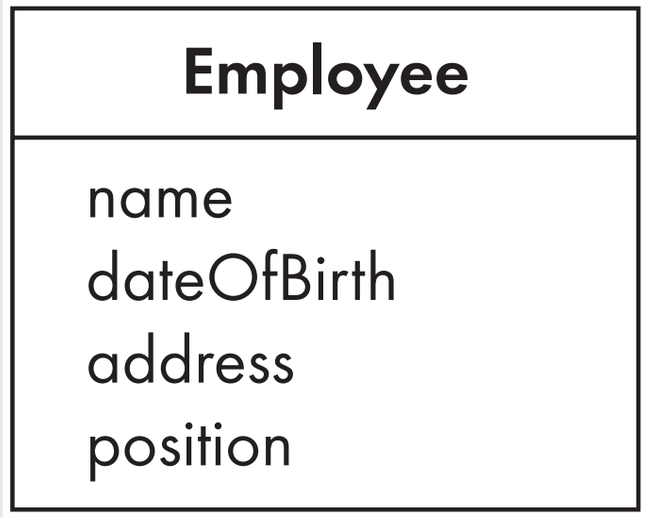
Objects



Classes

A class:

- A unit of abstraction in an object oriented (OO) program
- Represents similar objects
  - Its *instances*
- A kind of software module
  - Describes its instances' structure (properties)
  - Contains *methods* to implement their behaviour



Is Something a Class or an Instance?

- Something should be a *class* if it could have instances
- Something should be an *instance* if it is clearly a *single* member of the set defined by a class

Film

- Class; instances are individual films.

Reel of Film:

- Class; instances are physical reels

Film reel with serial number SW19876

- Instance of **`ReelOfFilm`**

Science Fiction

- Instance of the class **`Genre`**.

Science Fiction Film

- Class; instances include ‘Star Wars’

Showing of ‘Star Wars’ in the Phoenix Cinema at 7 p.m.:

- Instance of **`ShowingOfFilm`**

Naming classes

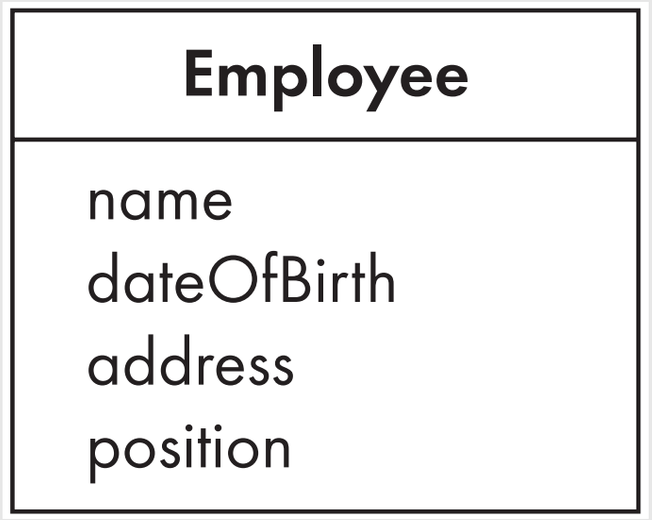
- Use *capital* letters
  - E.g. `BankAccount` not `bankAccount`
- Use *singular* nouns
- Use the right level of generality
  - E.g. `Municipality`, not `City`
- Make sure the name has only *one* meaning
  - E.g. ‘bus’ has several meanings

Variables

Variables defined inside a class corresponding to data present in each instance

- Also called *fields* or *member variables*

- Attributes
  - Simple data
  - E.g. `name`, `dateOfBirth`



Variables vs. Objects

A variable
- *Refers* to an object
- May refer to different objects at different points in time

An object can be referred to by several different variables at the same time

Type of a variable
- Determines what classes of objects it may contain

Example:
```
Employee emp1= new Employee();
         emp1.name= “Omar”;
Employee emp2=emp1;
         emp1= new Employee()
         emp1.name= “Sarah”;
```

Class variables

A *class variable's* value is *shared* by all instances of a class.

- Also called a *static* variable

- If one instance sets the value of a class variable, then all the other instances see the same changed value.

- Class variables are useful for:
  - Default or 'constant' values (e.g. PI)
  - Lookup tables and similar structures

Caution: *do not over-use class variables*

Organizing Classes into Inheritance Hierarchies

Superclasses

- Contain features common to a set of subclasses

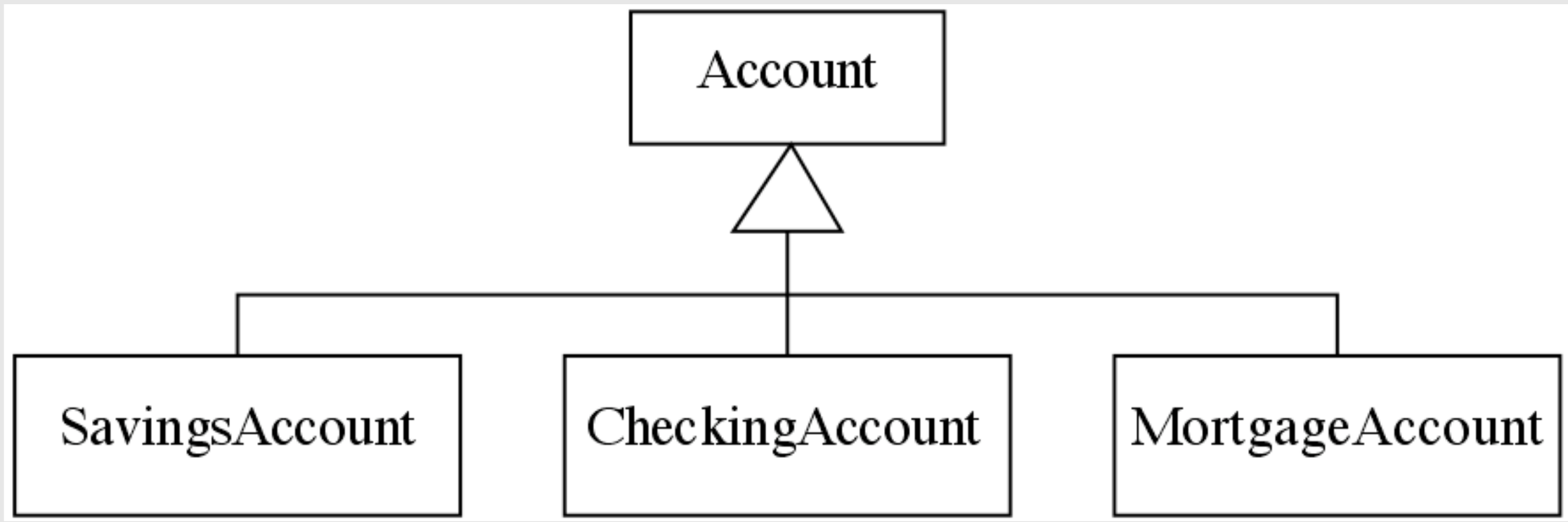
Inheritance hierarchies

- Show the relationships among superclasses and subclasses
- A triangle shows a *generalization*

Inheritance

- The *implicit* possession by all subclasses of features defined in its superclasses

An Example Inheritance Hierarchy

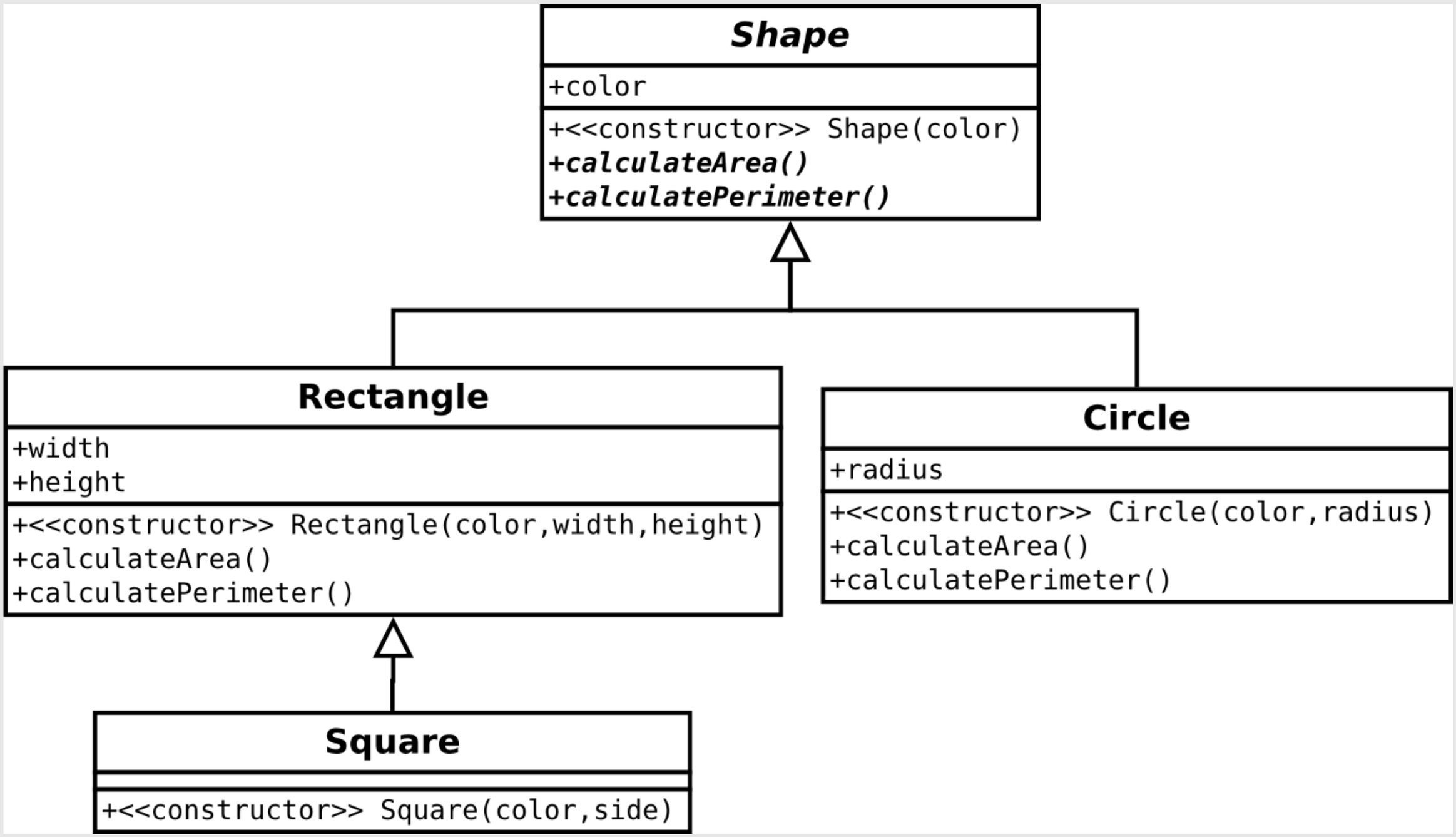


Polymorphism

A property of object oriented software by which an *abstract operation may be performed in different ways* in different classes.

- Requires that there be *multiple methods of the same name*
- The choice of which one to execute depends on the object that is in a variable
- Reduces the need for programmers to code many `if-else` or `switch` statements

Polymorphism



The Isa Rule

Always check generalizations to ensure they obey the isa rule
- "A checking account ***is an*** account"
- "A village ***is a*** municipality"

Should 'Province' be a subclass of 'Country'?
- No, it violates the isa rule
  - "A province ***is a*** country" is invalid!

Why Java?

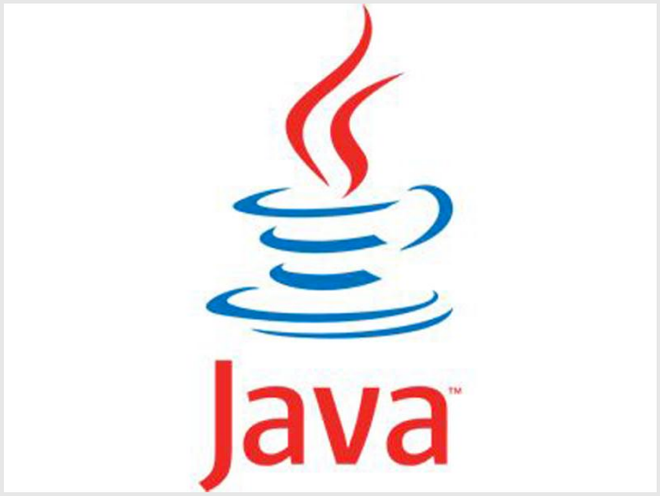
- Java is a general purpose programming language.
- Java is the Internet programming language.
- Java is an Object-Oriented Language.
- Java is widely used in the market

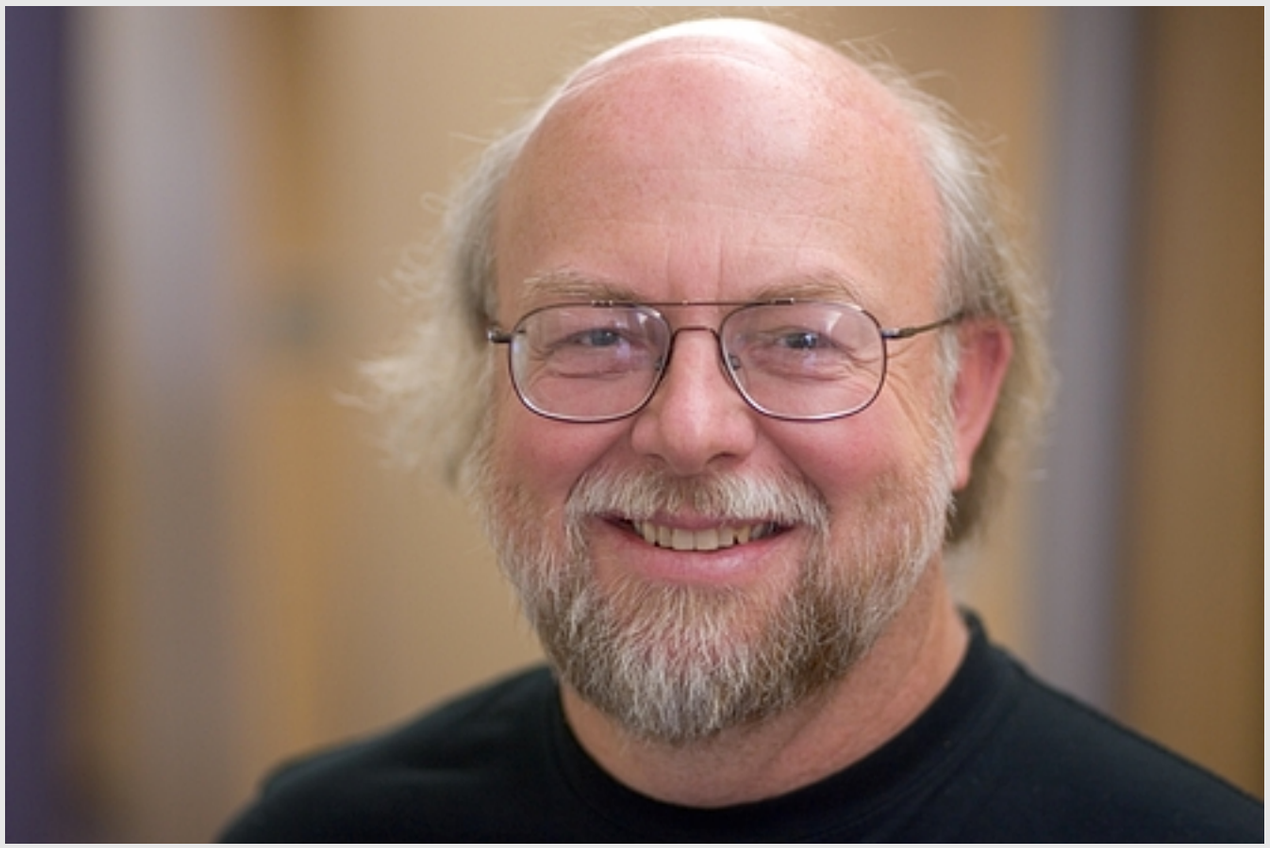
Java, Web, and Beyond

- Java can be used to develop standalone applications.
- Java can be used to develop applications running from a browser.
- Java can also be used to develop applications for hand-held devices.
- Java can be used to develop applications for Web servers.

Java's History

- James Gosling and Sun Microsystems





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Java documentation

Looking up classes and methods is an essential skill

- Looking up unknown classes and methods will get you a long way towards understanding code

Java documentation can be automatically generated by a program called Javadoc

- Documentation is generated from the code and its comments
- You should format your comments as shown in some of the book's examples
  - These may include embeded html

Characters and Strings

`Character` is a class representing Unicode characters

- More than a byte each
- Represent any world language

`char` is a primitive data type containing a Unicode character

`String` is a class containing collections of characters

- + is the operator used to concatenate strings

Arrays and Collections

Arrays are of fixed size and lack methods to manipulate them

`ArrayList` is the most widely used class to hold a *collection* of other objects

- More powerful than arrays, but less efficient

`Iterator`s are used to access members of `Vector`s

- Enumerations were formally used, but were more complex

```
a = new ArrayList();
Iterator i = a.iterator();
while(i.hasNext())
{
   aMethod(i.next());
}
```

Casting

Java is very strict about types

- If variable v is declared to have type X, you can only invoke operations on v that are defined in X or its superclasses
  - Even though an instance of a *subclass* of X may be actually stored in the variable
- If you *know* an instance of a subclass is stored, then you can *cast* the variable to the subclass
- E.g. if I know a `Vector` contains instances of `String`, I can get the next element of its `Iterator` using:

```
(String)i.next();
```

- To avoid casting you could also have used templates:

```
a = ArrayList<String>; i=a.iterator(); i.next()
```

Exceptions

Anything that can go wrong should result in the raising of an Exception

- Exception is a class with many subclasses for specific things that can go wrong

Use a try - catch block to trap an exception

```
try
{
  // some code
}
catch (ArithmeticException e)
{
 // code to handle division by zero
}
```

Interfaces

Like abstract classes, but cannot have executable statements
- Define a set of operations that make sense in several classes
- Abstract Data Types

A class can implement any number of interfaces
- It must have concrete methods for the operations

You can declare the type of a variable to be an interface
- This is just like declaring the type to be an abstract class

Important interfaces in Java's library include
- Runnable, Collection, Iterator, Comparable, Cloneable

Packages and importing

A package combines related classes into subsystems

- All the classes in a particular directory

Classes in different packages can have the same name

- Although not recommended

Importing a package is done as follows:

```
import finance.banking.accounts.*;
```

Access control

Applies to methods and variables

- `public`
  - Any class can access
- `protected`
  - Only code in the package, or subclasses can access
- (blank)
  - Only code in the package can access
- `private`
  - Only code written in the class can access
  - Inheritance still occurs!

Programming Style Guidelines

Remember that programs are for people to read

- Always choose the simpler alternative
- Reject clever code that is hard to understand
- Shorter code is not necessarily better

Choose good names

- Make them highly descriptive
- Do not worry about using long names

Programming style …

Comment extensively

- Comment whatever is non-obvious
- Do not comment the obvious
- Comments should be 25-50% of the code

Organize class elements consistently

- Variables, constructors, public methods then private methods

Be consistent regarding layout of code

Programming style …

Avoid duplication of code

- Do not ‘clone’ if possible
  - Create a new method and call it
  - Cloning results in two copies that may both have bugs
    - When one copy of the bug is fixed, the other may be forgotten

Programming style ...

Adhere to good object oriented principles
- E.g. the ‘isa rule’

Prefer `private` as opposed to `public`

Do not mix user interface code with non-user interface code
- Interact with the user in separate classes
  - This makes non-UI classes more reusable

Implicit Import and Explicit Import

```
java.util.* ; // Implicit import

java.util.JOptionPane; // Explicit Import
```

No performance difference