



The HotCiv GUI

Instantiating the
MiniDraw Framework

[Demo]



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The Framework iteration

Learning Objectives:

- Frameworks:
 - Configure/specialize MiniDraw to support HotCiv GUI
 - See MiniDraw as example of a framework
 - See a lot of patterns in action
- TDD and Stubs
 - You can develop the GUI the TDD way
 - Keep focus & take small steps
 - No automated testing though...
 - You can develop the GUI based only on stubs

The Exercise Sequence

Basically TDD iterations

- 36.37: Observer on Game
- 36.38: Create a new **Drawing** that responds to Game state changes using the observer
 - Game → GUI integration
- 36.39: Create a **Tool** to move units
 - GUI → Game integration
- 36.40 – 36.44: Create tools to do all the other stuff
 - End of turn, change production, execute unit action, ...

i.e. Add features in fast focused iterations...



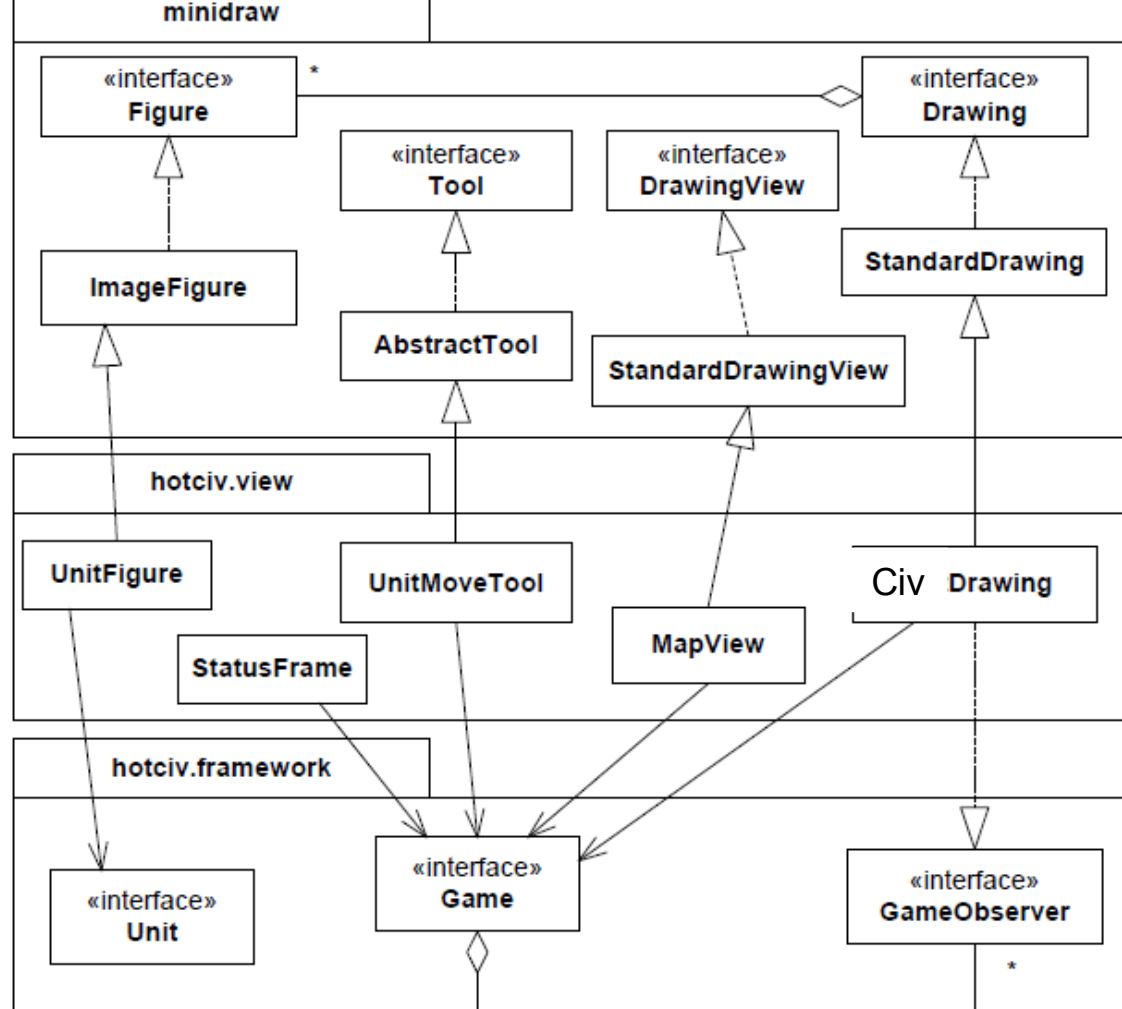
Patterns for Integration

The design

Proper design pattern protocols

- **Facade** pattern [GUI *inform* Domain]
- **Observer** pattern [Domain *inform* GUI]
- only rely on *interfaces*
 - I can develop the GUI using Stub implementations of the Domain's Facade and Observer roles
 - Facade = Interface Game
 - Observer = Interface GameListener
- reuse MiniDraw's graphical abilities
 - *let someone else do the dirty job...*

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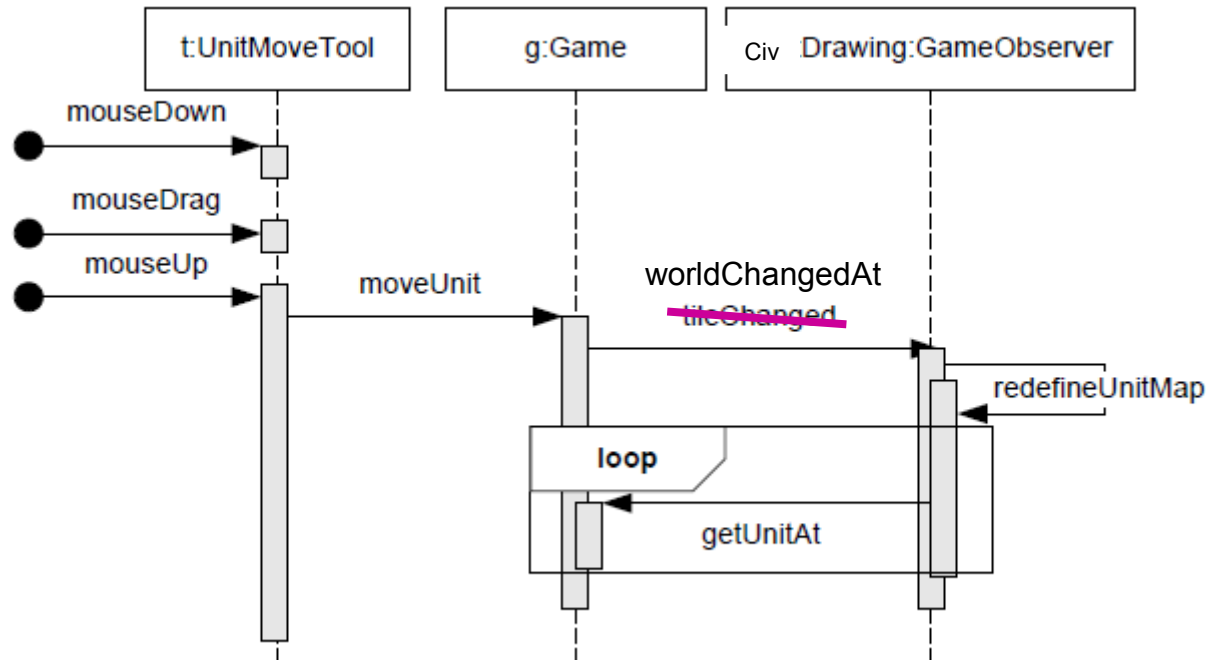
Central Protocol

The protocol between GUI and Domain:

- GUI \Rightarrow Domain
 - **Facade** pattern (Game interface)
 - **MVC + Adapter:**
 - A tool translate mouse clicks to proper method
 - UnitMoveTool: 'moveUnit'
 - StatusTool: 'getCityAt'...
- GUI \Leftarrow Domain
 - **Observer** pattern (GameObserver interface)
 - Drawing must react upon events from domain
 - worldChangedAt()

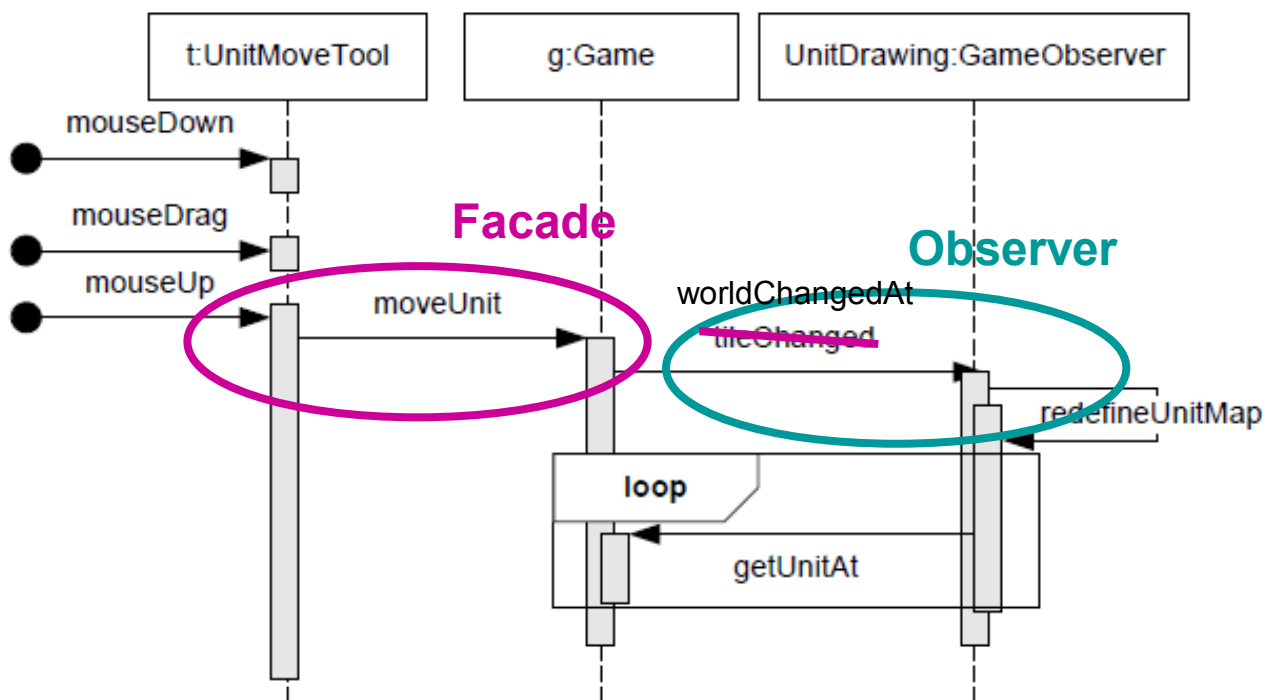
Example: Moving Units

Moving units means invoking game's "moveUnit"



The special dSoftArk provided code implements this

Example: Moving Units



GUI ⇒ Domain ⇒ GUI

Code View

```
public class CivDrawing extends StandardDrawing
    implements Drawing, GameObserver {

    /** the Game instance that this UnitDrawing is going to render un
     * from */
    protected Game game;

    public CivDrawing( DrawingEditor editor, Game game ) {
        super();
        this.game = game;

        // register this unit drawing as listener to any game state
        // changes...
        game.addObserver(this);
        // ... and build up the set of figures associated with
        // units in the game.
        defineUnitMap();
        // and the set of 'icons' in the status panel
        defineIcons();
    }
}
```

A compositional
refactoring pending...

Brute-force
redrawing 😊

```
public void worldChangedAt(Position pos) {
    System.out.println( "UnitDrawing: world changes at "+pos);
    clearSelection();
    // this is a really brute-force algorithm: destroy
    // all known units and build up the entire set again
    for ( Figure f : figureMap.values() ) {
        super.remove(f);
    }
    defineUnitMap();
}
```

Testing without production code?

The GUI can be *completely* developed without *any* real domain production code

- no Alpha, ..., Delta, nor SemiCiv

Why?

- Because I *program to an interface!*
- *Game g = ?*
- *g.moveUnit(...);*
- *g.endOfTurn();*

Example: 36.38

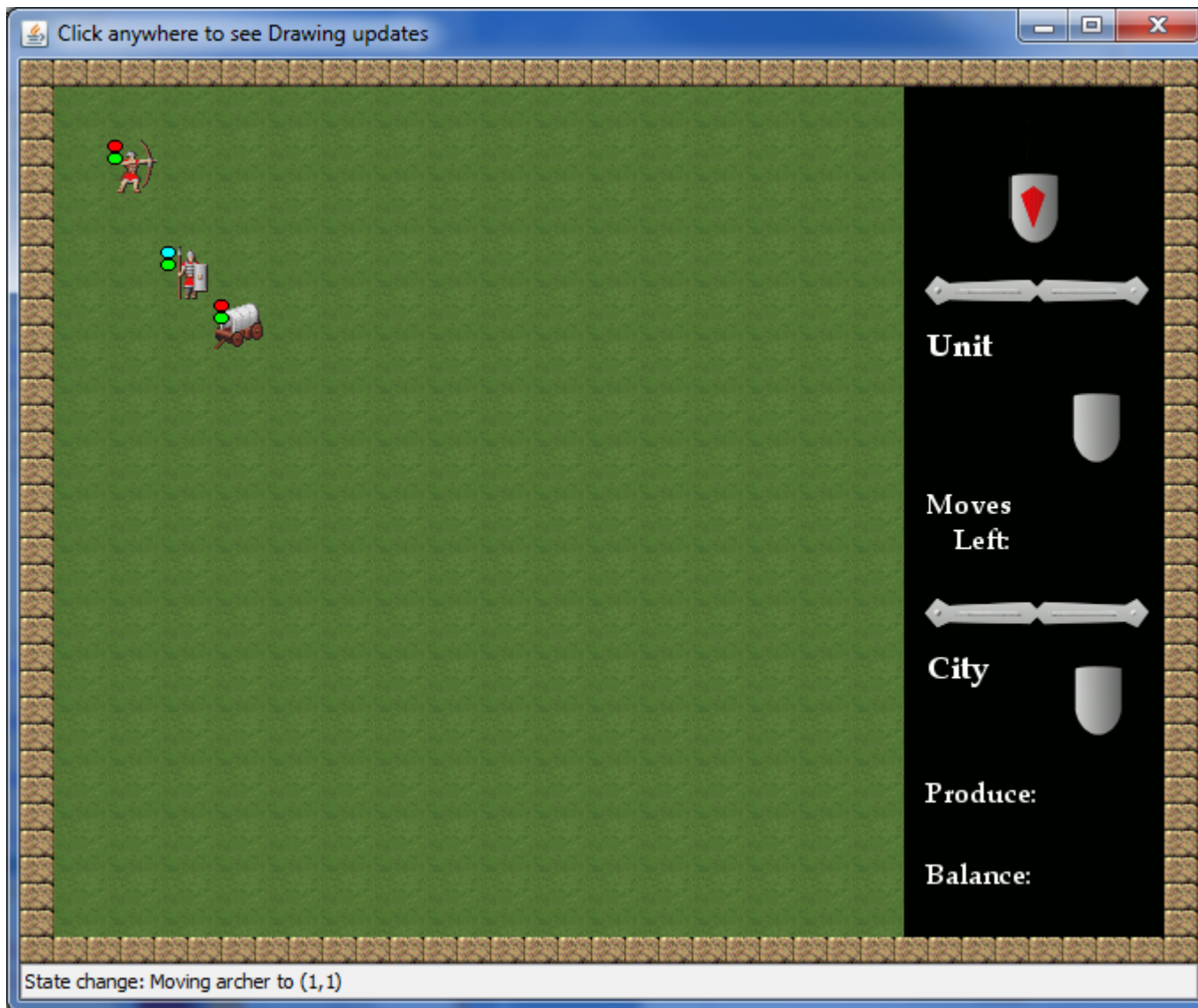
Goal: Implement CivDrawing

- Responsibility:
- update graphics upon game state changes

A testing tool to trigger game state changes

```
class UpdateTool extends NullTool {
    private Game game;
    private DrawingEditor editor;
    public UpdateTool(DrawingEditor editor, Game game) {
        this.editor = editor;
        this.game = game;
    }
    private int count = 0;
    public void mouseDown(MouseEvent e, int x, int y) {
        switch(count) {
            case 0: {
                editor.showStatus( "State change: Moving archer to (1,1)" );
                game.moveUnit( new Position(2,0), new Position(1,1) );
                break;
            }
            case 1: {
                editor.showStatus( "State change: Moving archer to (2,2)" );
                game.moveUnit( new Position(1,1), new Position(2,2) );
                break;
            }
            case 2: {
                editor.showStatus( "State change: End of Turn (over to blue)" );
                game.endOfTurn();
                break;
            }
            case 3: {
                editor.showStatus( "State change: End of Turn (over to red)" );
                game.endOfTurn();
                break;
            }
            default: {
                editor.showStatus("No more changes in my list...");
            }
        }
        count ++;
    }
}
```

Demo: ant update



Game implementation?

- Complete façade, has not sub-objects
- Units: only three
- moveUnit: only moves red archer...

Conclusion: **simple code**

But

- *Sufficient for our sprint goal: to develop the CivDrawing that responds to unit moves, etc.*

```
public class StubGame2 implements Game {

    // === Unit handling ===
    private Position pos_archer_red;
    private Position pos_legion_blue;
    private Position pos_settler_red;

    private Unit red_archer;

    public Unit getUnitAt(Position p) {
        if ( p.equals(pos_archer_red) ) {
            return red_archer;
        }
        if ( p.equals(pos_settler_red) ) {
            return new StubUnit( GameConstants.SETTLER, Player.RED );
        }
        if ( p.equals(pos_legion_blue) ) {
            return new StubUnit( GameConstants.LEGION, Player.BLUE );
        }
        return null;
    }

    // Stub only allows moving red archer
    public boolean moveUnit( Position from, Position to ) {
        System.out.println( "-- StubGame2 / moveUnit called: "+from+"->"+to );
        if ( from.equals(pos_archer_red) ) {
            pos_archer_red = to;
        }
        // notify our observer(s) about the changes on the tiles
        gameObserver.worldChangedAt(from);
        gameObserver.worldChangedAt(to);
        return true;
    }
}
```

Requirement:

- Enough to test all GUI related behaviour
- Example
 - Must be able to GUI's behaviour for illegal moves – therefore some moves must be invalid!

```
/** move units - all moves are valid, except
 * 1) moving to (0,0)
 * 2) moving to the location of another unit
 */
@Override
public boolean moveUnit(Position from, Position to) {
    // find out if it is a battle
    System.out.println( "Moving from " + from + " to " + to );

    if ( to.equals( new Position(0,0) ) ) { return false; }
    . . . . .
}
```


What about TDD

Can I develop the GUI by TDD?

- **Yes:** Define a test first, like
 - “MapView”: **OneStepTest:** *draw the world...*
 - “TestModelUpdate”: *see game state changes reflected*
 - ...
 - and *then* implement the proper MiniDraw role implementations that makes this happen!

- **No:** I cannot make it automated as I have to visually inspect the result to verify behaviour
 - but manual tests are better than no tests!!!
 - especially when I refactored the damn thing to use MiniDraw instead of JHotDraw !!!

The Tool abstraction comes in very handy for testing!

- Define a testing oriented tool that force some behaviour directly

Example:

- TestPartialDrawing
 - drive the implementation of the GUI responding correctly on updates from the Domain
- That is: *when I click with the mouse, make a state change and start the observer protocol update chain...*

On-the-spot Tools

```
public class TestPartialDrawing {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Game game = new StubGame2();

        DrawingEditor editor =
            new MiniDrawApplication( "Click anywhere to see Drawing updates",
                                    new HotCivFactory4(game) );
        editor.open();
        editor.setTool( new UpdateTool(editor, game) );

        editor.showStatus("Click anywhere to state changes reflected on the GUI");

        // Try to set the selection tool instead to see
        // completely free movement of figures, including the icon

        // editor.setTool( new SelectionTool(editor) );
    }
}
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Test Target Demo

[Demo]: “update”

- Note archer movement
- Note also blue city
- Note status field



My Own Sprints

Map (target 'show')

- Draw a graphical world (background for figures)
- DrawingView implementation (**MapView**)

Unit (target 'update')

- Draw units correctly positioned (Figures)
- UnitFigure and CivDrawing
 - MiniDraw delegate all 'model' responsibilities to a Drawing instance. Therefore MiniDraw does not detect that CivDrawing simply brute-force erase and create lists of figures on each Game state change!

Update (target 'update')

- CivDrawing becomes **observer** on Game

Move (target – is mine 😊)

- Moving graphics means moving units in Game
- UnitMoveTool, a new Tool