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Types of LLD interview.

1. Theoretical
2. Design
3. Machine coding

1. Theoretical

1. Service based / mid tier / old tech companies.
2. Test your knowledge rather than testing how you apply your knowledge.

→ OOPS | Design patterns / Java.

Ex: **Static** keyword.

3. Timed [45-60 minutes]

Ex: Singleton → Please write code → Handle concurrency.

2. Design [Product based companies]. [1 line statement] [1 hour]

Given ↓

Q: Design a system similar to flipkart

What are they testing?

How do you apply the theory that you have learnt to real-time problems.

What is expected out of you?

- 1) 5-8 features that you should list down by taking an explicit confirmation from your interviewer.
- 2) **class diagram**, schema diagram.
- 3) A follow up question, how to handle that?

3. Machine coding [startups, Razorpay, Flipkart - -] [2hr-3hr]

Q: Details of what you need to achieve?

What are they testing?

How do you apply the theory that you have learnt to real-time problems.

Also, implementation skills.

What is expected out of you?

1. Understand the requirements, Ask for clarifications
 2. Class - diagram, schema dia
 3. 1.5 hours you'll sit & write code.
 4. Test what you've done.
- } $\frac{1}{2}$ hr.
- & follow-up questions.

Design

Machine Coding

1. Single line case study,
2. How you structure the code.
How do you bring clarity for ambiguous system.
3. Create a class diagram which will handle the above requirements frozen on?
Schema diagram
4. Some classes/interface/design - Patterns - code on the paper.
5. Follow ups.

1. Detailed requirements.
2. Clarity of requirement that you've got from the given doc.
3. Come with class-diagram.
4. Write code on your machine for all the requirements
5. Follow ups.

Design a Pen

Step 0: Overview of system.

You know something about the system

↳ Explain a bit & make sure your understanding of the system is correct.

You do not know anything

↳ Ask the interviewer to give an overview.

1. Do you want me to create

(i) entities

(ii) real world shw design (working code)

2. Do youve to persist data?

3. How user will interact with the system?

[Rest API's, command line, hardcode].

Step 1: Gather and clarify requirements.

1. Start suggesting features and ask if he needs it/not.

2. (5-8) core features.

3. Try to visualise the slm & suggest some ideas.

4. Note down the pointers that you feel are needed going ahead.

Think a little of what future enhancements can come in.

Whats your defⁿ of pen?

1. A physical entity that writes is a pen.

Yes

2. Should I support diff. types of pen?

Yes;

Gel Pen, Ball Pen, Fountain Pen.

3. Gel Pen, Ball Pen can have re fills, Fountain Pen won't have.

4. Refills can ink,

5. Diff inks can have diff. colors.

6. Pens can have cap or click buttons.

Should all entities support this behaviour.

Behaviours

1. Pen should write

2. Refill the Pen

3. Open / close the pen

→ Yes

→ No for fountain pen

→ work via cap / button.

Class diagram

1. Visualising the SLM / requirements.



TODAY

Go outside to inside to figure out the entities.

2. By finding **nouns** in your requirements.

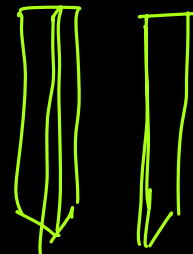
Parking LOT, BMS, Splitwise

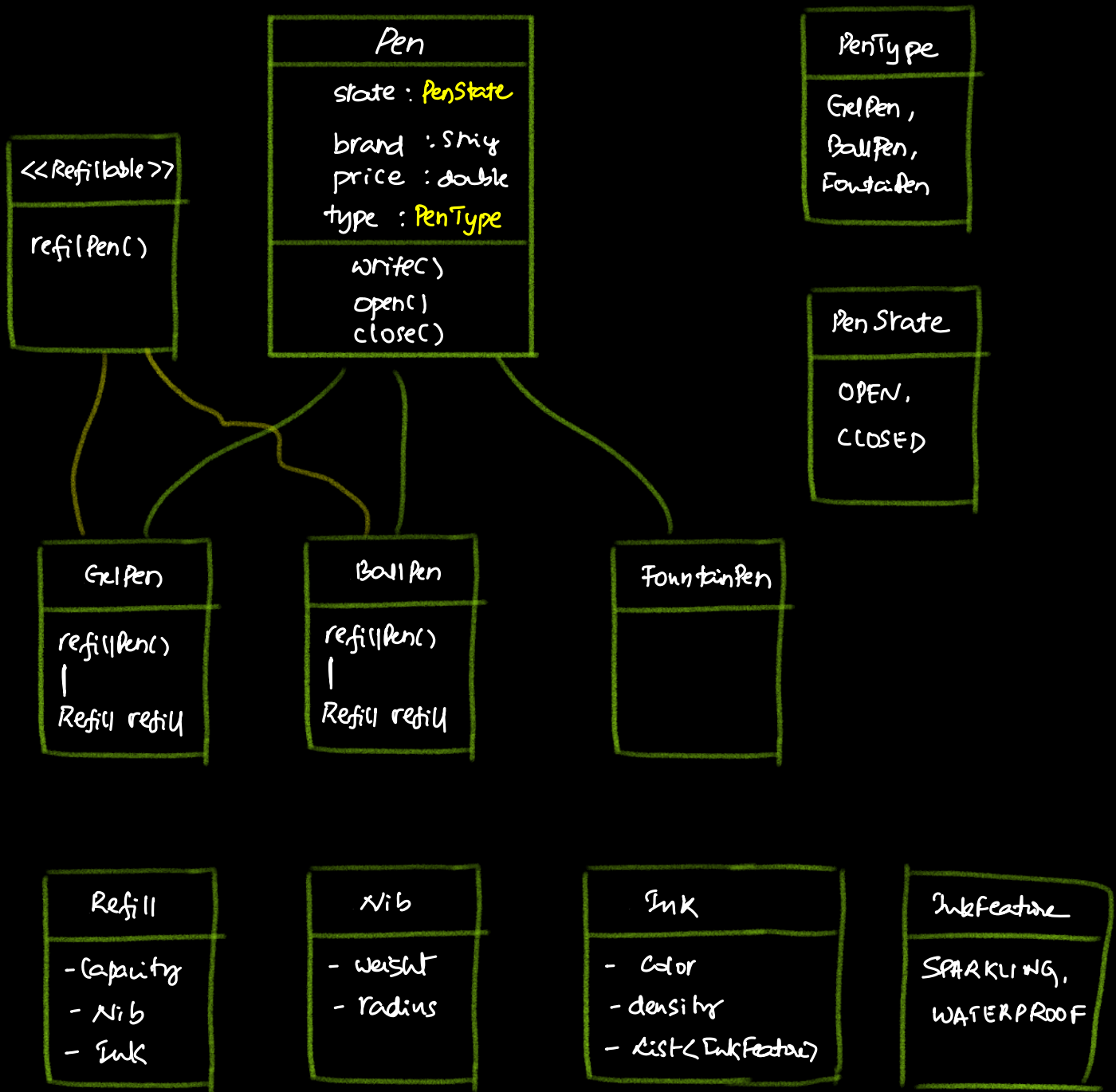
① Visualisation

entities, interface, enums around your entities.

Show usage of any Design-Patterns

You're planning to use.





Choose enum type over boolean.