

M8 (a) – Inversion of Control

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Job Hunting Example





```
public interface JobSeeker
{
    public void noticeMe();
}
```



```
public interface JobProvider
{
    public void acceptApplication(JobSeeker pJobSeeker);
    public void noticeCandidates();
}
```



```
public class Company implements JobProvider
  private JobSeeker aJobseeker;
  private boolean applicationAccepted=false;
  @Override
  public void acceptApplication(JobSeeker pJobseeker)
     assert pJobseeker != null;
     aJobseeker = pJobseeker;
     applicationAccepted = true;
  @Override
  public void noticeCandidates() {
     if(applicationAccepted)
                                Callback method
       aJobseeker.noticeMe();
}
```



```
public class UndergradJobSeeker implements JobSeeker
{
    private int aSkillLevel = 5;
    @Override
    public void noticeMe()
    {
        practiceDesignPatterns();
    }
    private void practiceDesignPatterns()
    {
        aSkillLevel++;
    }
}
```

Provide the interview schedule to JobSeeker?

```
public class Company implements JobProvider
{
    private LocalDateTime aInterviewSchedule;
    ......
    @Override
    public void noticeCandidates() {
        if(acceptApplication)
            aJobseeker.noticeMe(); //Callback method
    }
    /**
    * Setup interview date is three days from today
    */
    private void scheduleInterview() {
        aInterviewSchedule = LocalDateTime.now().plusDays(3);
    }
}
```

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```
public class Company implements JobProvider
{
    private LocalDateTime aInterviewSchedule;
    .....
    @Override
    public void noticeCandidates() {
        if(acceptApplication)
            aJobseeker.noticeMe(aInterviewSchedule); //Callback method }
    /**
    * Setup interview date is three days from today
    */
    private void scheduleInterview() {
        aInterviewSchedule = LocalDateTime.now().plusDays(3);
    }
}
```

Provide the interview schedule to JobSeeker?

```
public class Company implements JobProvider
   private LocalDateTime aInterviewSchedule;
   @Override
   public void noticeCandidates() {
      if(acceptApplication)
          aJobseeker noticeMe(this); //Callback method
   }
                                   Plus, a public method to get a Interview Schedule
   /**
   * Setup interview date is three days from today
   */
   private void scheduleInterview() {
       aInterviewSchedule = LocalDateTime.now().plusDays(3);
```







JOBPROVIDER ACCEPT MORE THAN ONE APPLICATIONS

Activity 1: Add additional functions to the current design.

JobSeeker and JobProvider are loosed-coupled

Observer Pattern

Intent

Define a one-to-many dependency between objects so that when one object changes state, all its dependents are notified and updated automatically.

• Participants:

Subject

Observer

Concrete Subject

Concrete Observer

JobSeeker and JobProvider are loosed-coupled

Activity 2: Matching Participants with (potential) Responsibilities

Subject Observer Concrete Subject Concrete Observer

defines an updating interface for objects that should be notified of changes in a subject.

implements the updating interface to keep its state consistent with the subject's.

stores state that should stay consistent with the subject's.

maintains a reference to a ConcreteSubject object.

sends a notification to its observers when its state changes.

provides an interface for attaching and detaching Observer objects

stores state of interest to ConcreteObserver objects.

Observer Pattern for more complex situations

 Different departments/teams in the company need the information of jobseekers:

Design team in SE development department

Needs candidates who are specialized in design with minimal 5-year experience

Testing team in SE development department

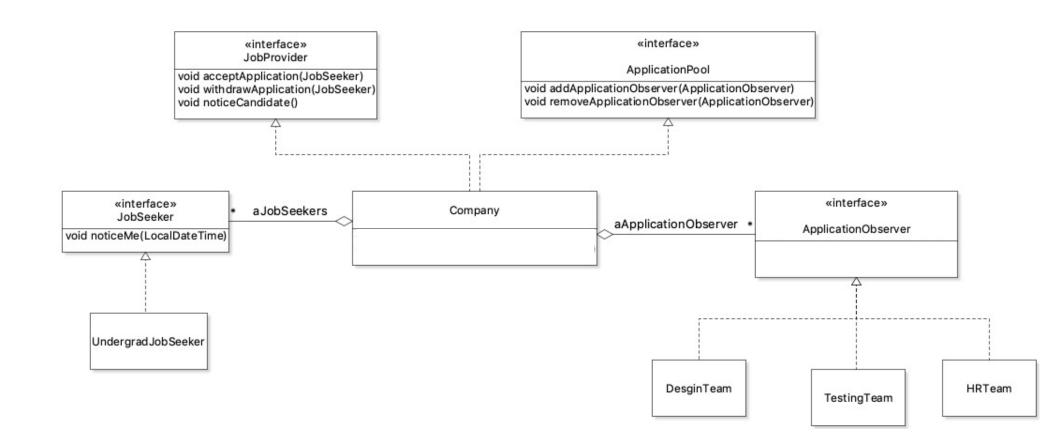
Needs candidate who are specialized in testing with reference letters.

HR departments

Performs analysis on the statistics of all job seekers

```
public interface JobSeeker
{
   public void noticeMe(LocalDateTime date);
   public TechSpecialty getTechSpecialty();
   public int getYearOfExperience();
   public boolean haveReference();
}
```

```
provides an interface for attaching and detaching Observer objects?
public class Company implements JobProvider, ApplicationPool
{
                                        What is the state of interest for those teams
   List<JobSeeker> aJobseekers;
   boolean acceptApplication=false;
   Map<JobSeeker, LocalDateTime> aInterviewSchedules;
   private List<ApplicationObserver> aApplicationObservers;
   @Override
   public void addApplicationObserver(ApplicationObserver pApplicationObservers)
   }
   @Override
   public void removeApplicationObserver(ApplicationObserver pApplicationObservers)
```



When and how to send Notification

• Requirements:

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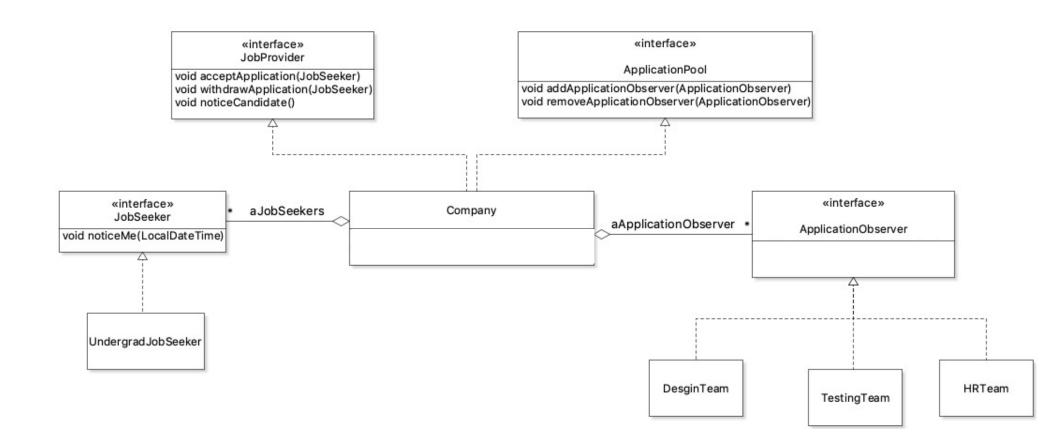
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When and how to send Notification

Who should trigger the notification?

ApplicationPool Sends notification as soon as an application is added or removed.

ApplicationPool provides a notification method to be called by client



When and how to send Notification

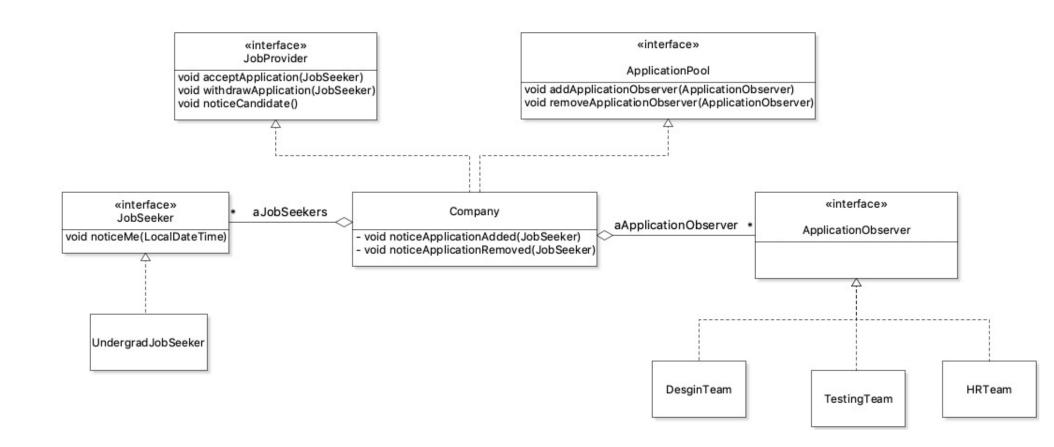
Data Flow Strategy?

ApplicationPool sends observers detailed information about the change, whether ApplicationObserver want it or not

Push model

ApplicationPool sends the most minimal notification, and ApplicationObserver ask for details explicitly thereafter.

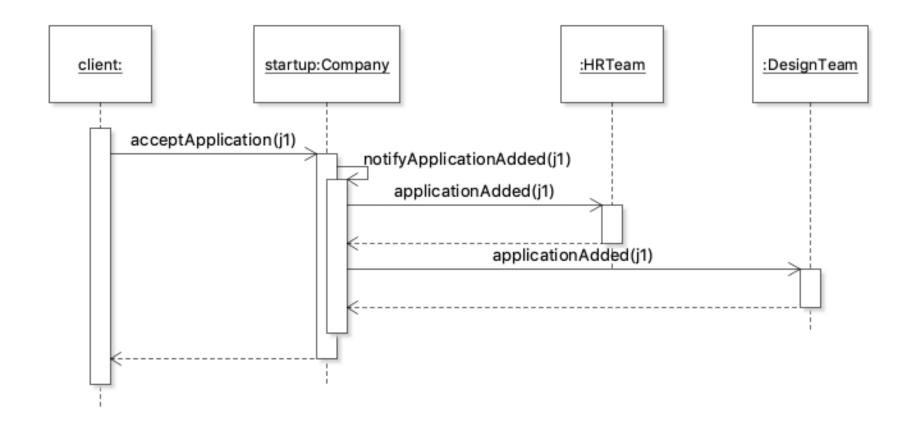
Pull model



Acitivty3: Draw sequence diagram

```
Company startup = new Company();
ApplicationObserver hrTeam = new HRTeam();
ApplicationObserver designTeam = new DesignTeam();
startup.addApplicationObserver(hrTeam);
startup.addApplicationObserver(designTeam);

JobSeeker j1 = new UndergradJobSeeker(TechSpecialty.UI_Design, 10, true);
startup.acceptApplication(j1); <= When this statement is executed</pre>
```



Push model

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Event

- A notification that something interesting has happened.
- Examples in Graphic Interface?

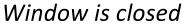
Move a mouse

User click a button

Press a key

Mouse press and drag

Menu item is selected







Define an event handler

implement

Interface EventHandler<T extends Event>

WindowEvent

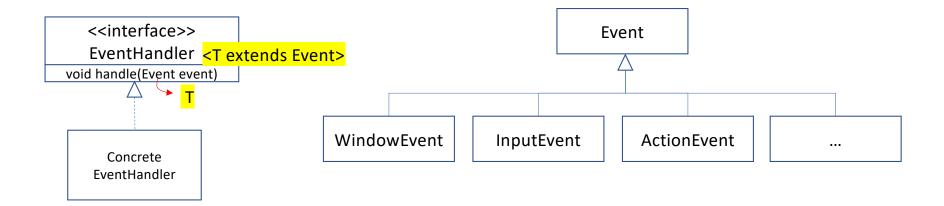
InputEvent

ActionEvent

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void handle(<u>T</u> event) <= Callback method</pre>

Invoked when a specific event of the type for which this handler is registered happens.



```
Public class MyEventHandler implements EventHandler<ActionEvent>
{
    @Override
    public void handle(ActionEvent event)
    {
        //Event Handling steps
    }
}
```

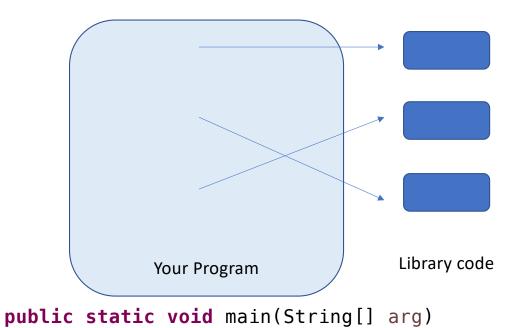
Instantiate and register the event handler

```
MyEventHandler eventHandler = new MyEventHandler();
Button btn = new Button();
btn.setOnAction(eventHandler);
```

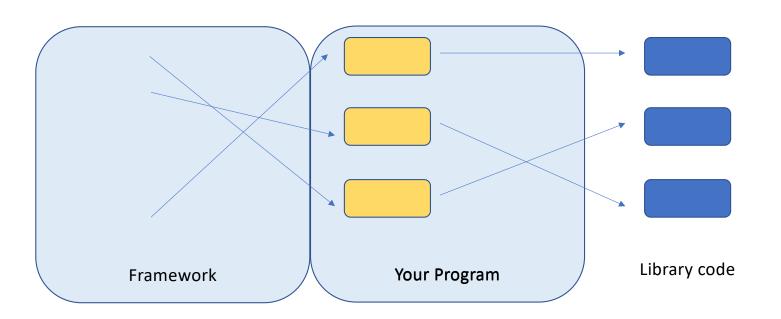
Button

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Library vs Framework

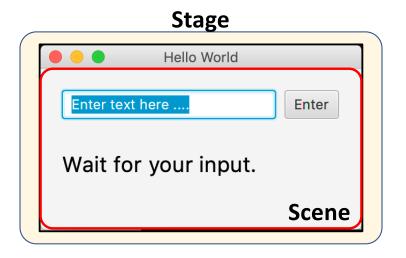


Library vs Framework



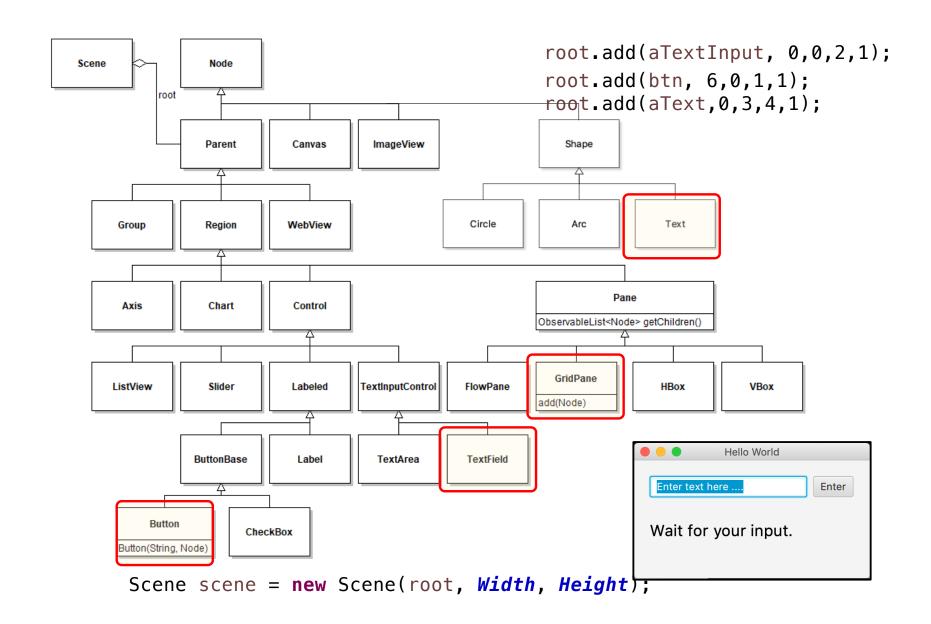
Launch JavaFX framework

```
public class MyApplication extends Application
   /**
   * Launches the application.
   * @param pArgs the command line arguments passed to the
   application.
   public static void main(String[] pArgs)
       launch(pArgs);
   @Override
    public void start(Stage pPrimaryStage)
       //Setup the stage
        pPrimaryStage.show();
    }
}
```

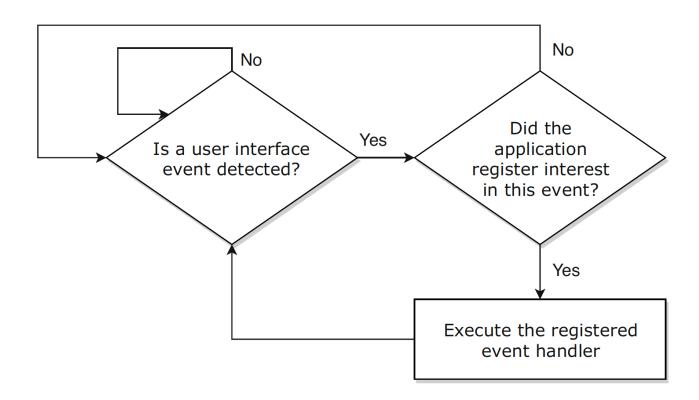


```
GridPane root = new GridPane();
root.add(aTextInput, 0,0,6,1);
root.add(btn, 6,0,1,1);
root.add(aText,0,3,4,1);

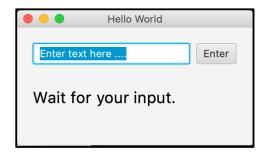
Scene scene = new Scene(root, Width, Height)
primaryStage.setScene(scene);
```



When does event handling happen?



Text Display Demo



```
Text aText = new Text();
TextField aTextInput = new TextField();

aTextInput.setOnAction((actionEvent) -> aText.setText(aTextInput.getText()));

Button btn = new Button();
btn.setOnAction((actionEvent) -> aText.setText(aTextInput.getText()));
```

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Lucky Number Example

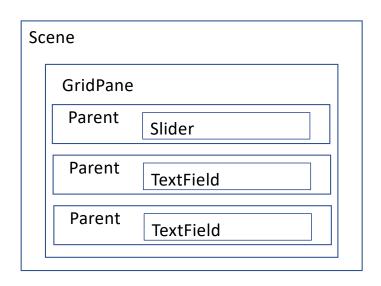
The user should be able to select a number between 1 and 10 inclusively.



The selection should be performed through either typing it, writing it out in the corresponding fields, or selecting it from a slider.

The current selection should also be able to viewed in the integer and text fields and the slider.

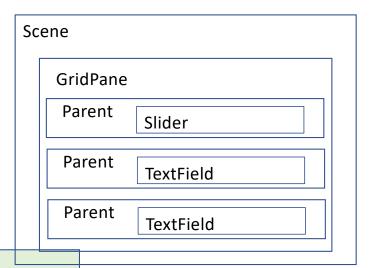




SliderPanel

int aSelection Slider aSlider

void setSelection(int)
int getSelection()



IntegerPanel

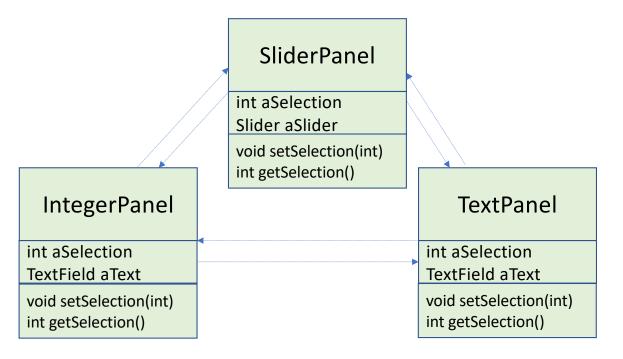
int aSelection TextField aText

void setSelection(int)
int getSelection()

TextPanel

int aSelection TextField aText

void setSelection(int)
int getSelection()



High Coupling

Components are inter-dependent

Low Extensibility

hard to add/remove selection mechanism

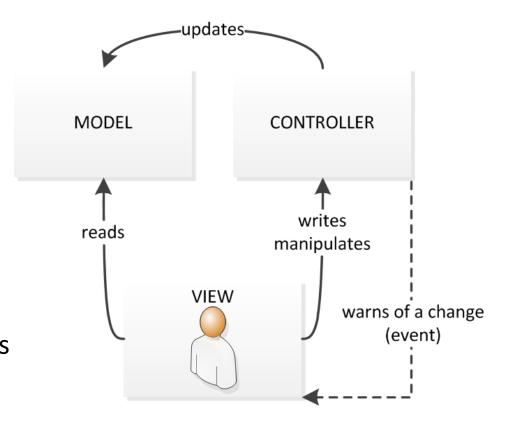
MVC Decomposition

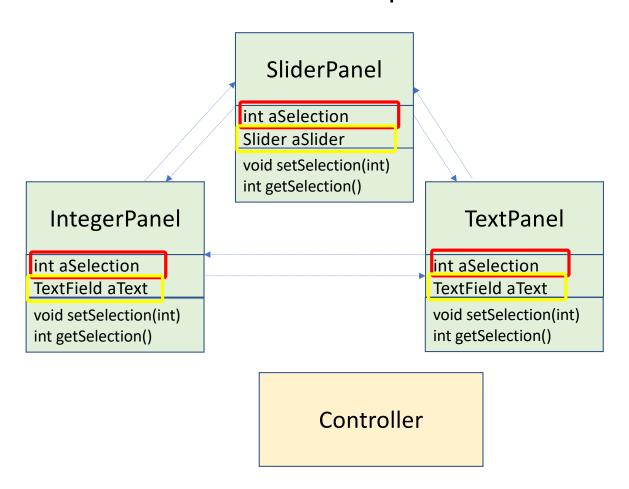
Model – View – Controller

Design pattern

Architectural pattern

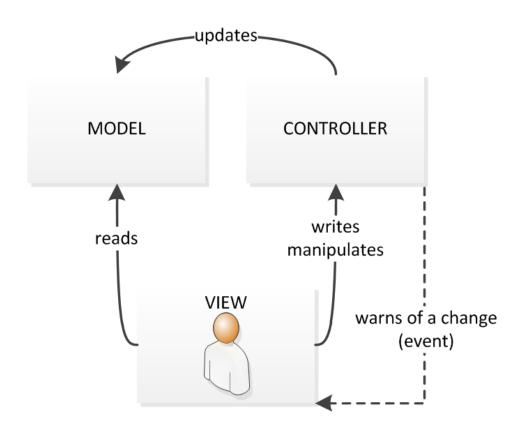
Guideline to separate concerns





Data Storage (Model)

View



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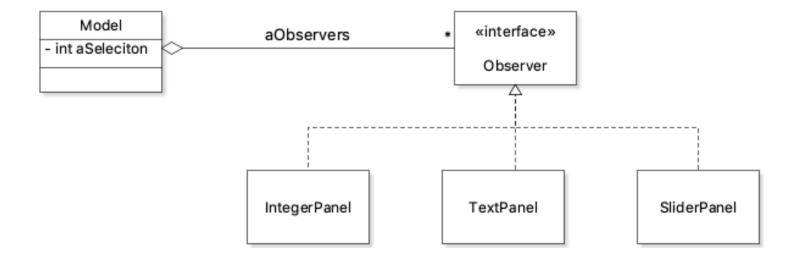
View/Controller

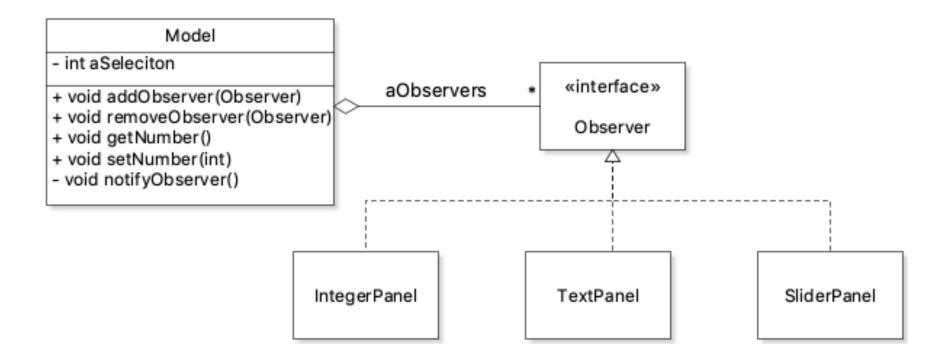
Activity

• Improve the design using Observer Pattern and MVC decomposition.

Activity: Applying Observer in MVC

• What methods should be included in Model?





```
/**
 * Abstract observer role for the model.
 */
interface Observer
{
   void newNumber(int pNumber);
}
```

```
/**
* Constructor.
*/
IntegerPanel(Model pModel)
   aModel = pModel;
   aModel.addObserver(this);
   aText.setMinWidth(LuckyNumber.WIDTH);
   aText.setText(new Integer(aModel.getNumber()).toString());
   getChildren().add(aText);
   aText.setOnAction(new EventHandler<ActionEvent>(){
      @Override
      public void handle(ActionEvent pEvent){
         int lInteger = 1;
         try{
            lInteger = Integer.parseInt(aText.getText());
         } catch(NumberFormatException pException ){
            //Code to handle exception
         }
         aModel.setNumber(lInteger);
   });
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```

