# **Design Patterns**

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### **Agenda**

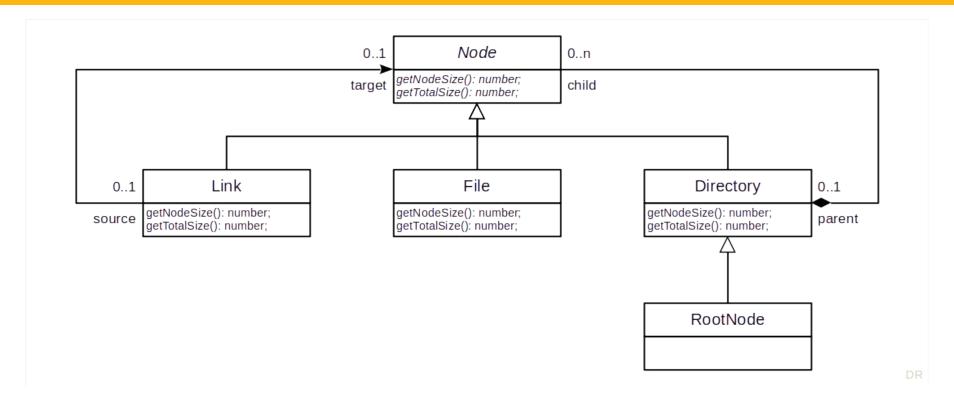
- 1. Three design examples
- 2. The Composite pattern
- 3. Software design patterns
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1. Three Design Examples

# **Three Design Examples**

- 1. File system
- 2. Financial portfolios
- 3. Test suites

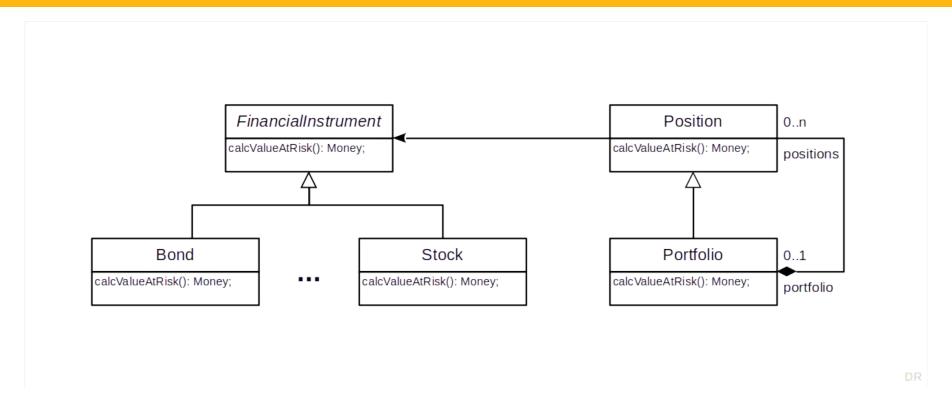
### The File System Design Example



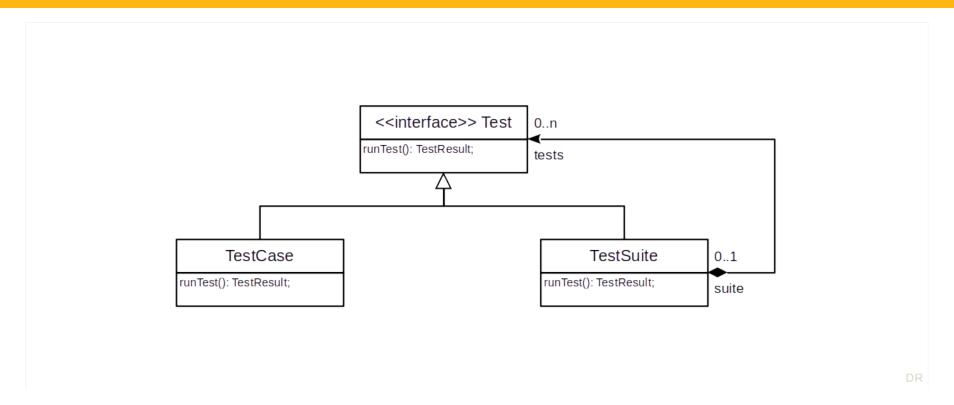
# Node.getTotalSize() Exercise

#	Size	Туре	Path	Who?	Result
1	1	RootNode	1		
2	1	Directory	/usr		
3	1	Directory	/usr/bin		
4	12	File	/usr/bin/ls		
5	579	File	/usr/bin/code		
6	1	Directory	/media		
7	1	Directory	/home		
8	1	Directory	/home/riehle		
9	10	File	/home/riehle/.bashrc		
10	344	File	/home/riehle/wallpaper.jpg		
11	1	Directory	/home/riehle/projects		

### **Example Design of a Financial Trading Application**



# The Core JUnit Design (Java)



# What is Common to the Three Examples?

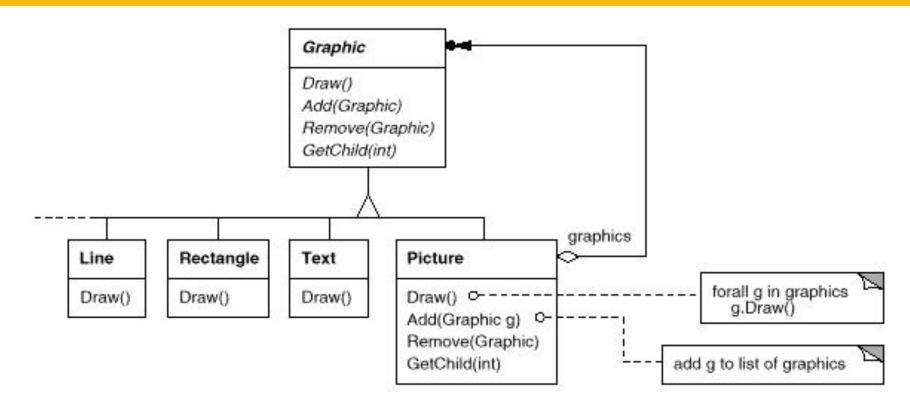
- Classes?
- Names?
- Structure?
- Dynamics?

2. The Composite Pattern

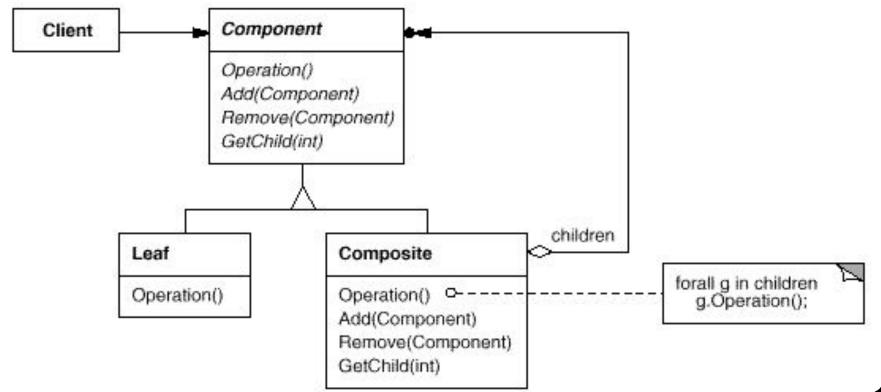
### **Intent of the Composite Design Pattern**

Compose objects into tree structures to represent part-whole hierarchies. Composite lets clients treat individual objects and compositions of objects uniformly.

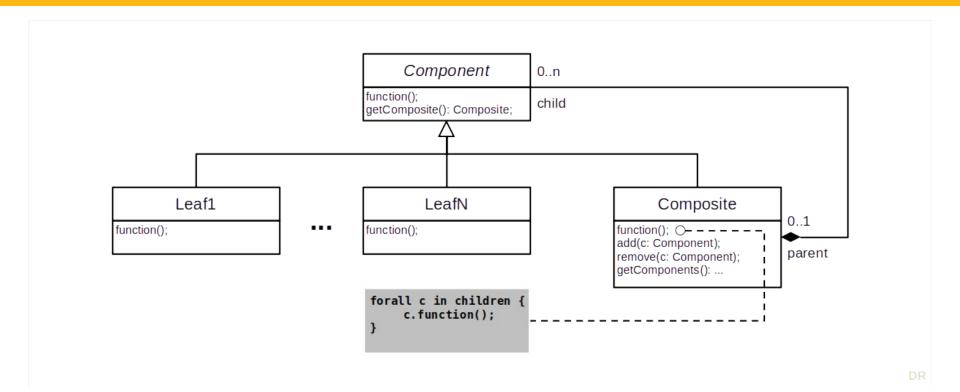
### **Motivation of the Composite Design Pattern**



### Structure Diagram of the Composite Design Pattern



# The Structure Diagram of the Composite Pattern



# **How Would You Model a Computer Configuration?**

Hint: Use the Composite design pattern

3. Software Design Patterns

### **Design Pattern**

A design pattern is (the abstraction from)

- A recurring solution
- To a recurring problem
- In a defined context

### **Benefits of Using Design Patterns**

Better, faster, cheaper ...

- Designing of software
- Documenting of software
- Communicating designs

### The Design Patterns Book 1 / 2

The design patterns book [1]

- A.k.a. the patterns catalog
- A.k.a. the Gang-of-four book

is a seminal book that started the design patterns movement.

(Original German translation by yours truly [2].)

### The Design Patterns Book 2 / 2

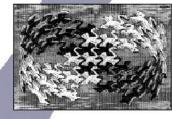
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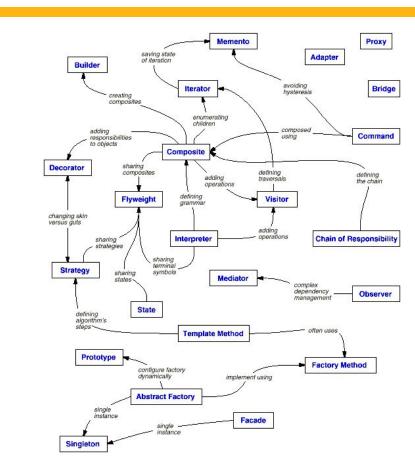
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## **Beyond The Design Patterns Book?!**

- Null Object
- Value Object
- Type Object
- Role Object
- ..

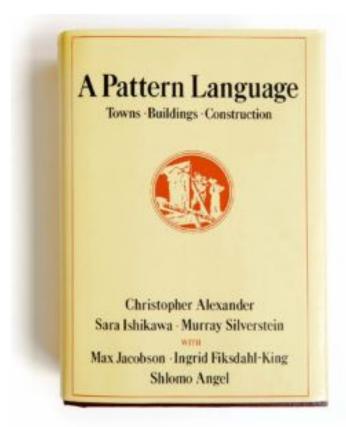
# **Sections of an Original Design Pattern Description [1]**

1. Intent	2. Also known as	3. Motivation	4. Applicability
5. Structure	6. Participants	7. Interactions	8. Consequences
9. Implementation	10. Example code	11. Known uses	12. Related patterns

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### **A Simpler Pattern Description**

- Context (where are we?)
- 2. Problem (what's the problem?)
- 3. Solution (how to solve it)



### The Composite Pattern as Context / Problem / Solution

### Context

We need an easy way to work with a tree on every level

### **Problem**

Each tree node must be able to represent the whole subtree

### Solution

Move child object handling from node class into new subclass

### A Highly Abridged History of Patterns in Software

- A pattern language
- 2. "No object is an island"
- 3. ET++ and Interviews
- 4. The design pattern catalog
- 5. A system of patterns
- The PLoPD book series
- 7. The TPLoP journal

4. Other Types of Patterns

# **Levels of Granularity**

- 1. Architectural patterns (a.k.a. styles)
- 2. Design patterns
- 3. Programming idioms

### **Architectural Pattern Example**

### Event bus (a.k.a. publish/subscribe architecture)

- Context
  - A software system of communicating components that come and go unbeknownst to each other
- Problem
  - How to ensure components can send and receive all information they need?
- Solution
  - Mediate communication between components through a bus that
    - Allows for the definition of event types
    - Can receive events for defined event types
    - Can distribute events to those registered for the event type

### **Architectural Style Example**

Pipes and filters architecture (a.k.a. dataflow architecture)

- Context
  - A system to transform data received from data sources for consumption by data sinks
- Problem
  - How to flexibly create those systems from reusable components
- Solution
  - Allow only for two types of components: Pipes and filters
    - Pipes receive data from filters or sources and distribute them to other filters or sinks
    - Filters receive data from pipes, process it, and feed it into further pipes
    - Build a pipes and filters system as a DAG from existing pipes and filters

## The 23 Design Patterns from the Patterns Catalog

### **Creational Patterns**

- Abstract Factory (87)
  - Provide an interface for creating families of related or dependent objects without specifying their concrete classes.
- Builder (97)
  - Separate the construction of a complex object from its representation so that the same construction process can create different representations.

### **Structural Patterns**

- Adapter (139)
  - Convert the interface of a class into another interface clients expect. Adapter lets classes work together that couldn't otherwise because of incompatible interfaces.
- Bridge (151)
  - Decouple an abstraction from its implementation so that the two can vary independently.

### **Programming Idiom Example [1]**

```
class NumberArrayWithFixedIterator {
  protected data: number[] = [];
  protected count: number = 0;

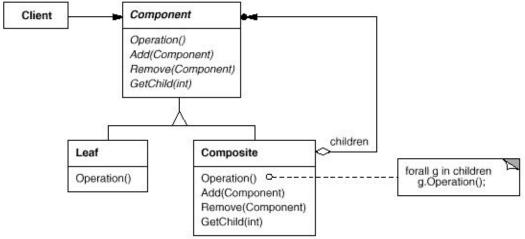
constructor(data: number[]) {
    this.data = [...data];
  }

public getNextAndInc(): number {
    const result = this.data[this.count++];
    return result;
  }
```

5. Describing Design Patterns

### What Notation is This? [1]





### Illustration vs. Template

An illustration is

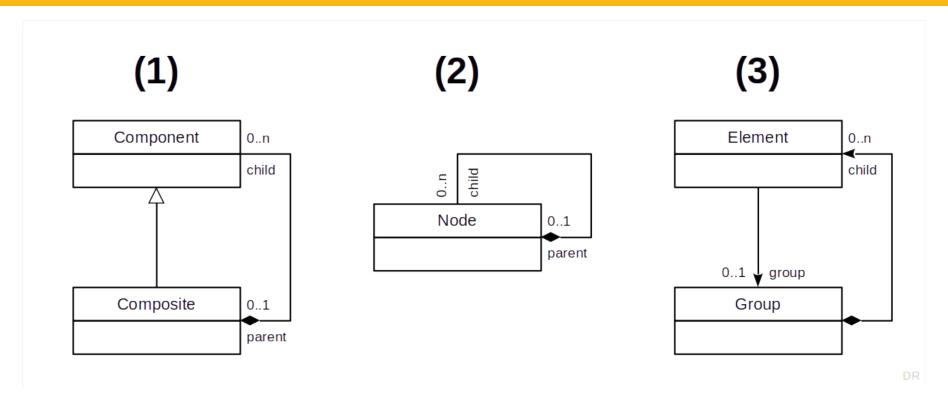
A made-for-humans informal description (of a design pattern)

A template is a model that is

A sufficiently formal description that can be applied to deliver an instance

The structure diagram is an illustration of the most common form

### **Variations of the Composite Pattern's Structure**



### **Pattern Collections**

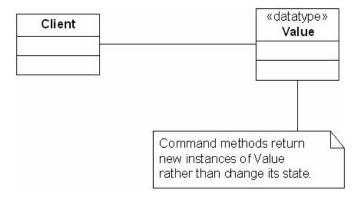
- 1. Pattern catalogs
- 2. Pattern handbooks
- 3. Pattern languages

6. The Value Object Pattern

### The Value Object Pattern

### Design pattern book style [1]

- Intent
  - Implement data types as immutable classes so that their instances can be handled like built-in values.
- Structure



### Alexanderian form

- Context
  - Any object-oriented system
- Problem
  - You can't natively express values
- Solution
  - Implement value types as immutable classes

## Some Design Patterns Could be Language Features

Visitor → Double-dispatch (or multiple dispatch) function calling

Value Object → Domain-specific values as first-class citizens

Type Object → Types as first class citizens (a.k.a. Meta Object)

Role Object → Traits and collaborations as first class citizens

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# Thank you! Any questions?

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