Ingineria programării

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Recapitulare

- GOF: Creational Patterns, Structural Patterns, Behavioral Patterns
- Creational Patterns
- Structural Patterns
- Behavioral Patterns

Recapitulare – CP

- **Abstract Factory** – computer components
- **Builder** – children meal
- **Factory Method** – Hello <Mr/Ms>
- **Prototype** – Cell division
- **Singleton** – server log files

SP

- **Adapter** – socket–plug
- **Bridge** – drawing API
- **Composite** – employee hierarchy
- **Decorator** – Christmas tree
- **Façade** – store keeper
- **Flyweight** – FontData
- **Proxy** – ATM access

BP

- Command
- Chain of Responsability

Behavioral Patterns

- Chain of Responsibility
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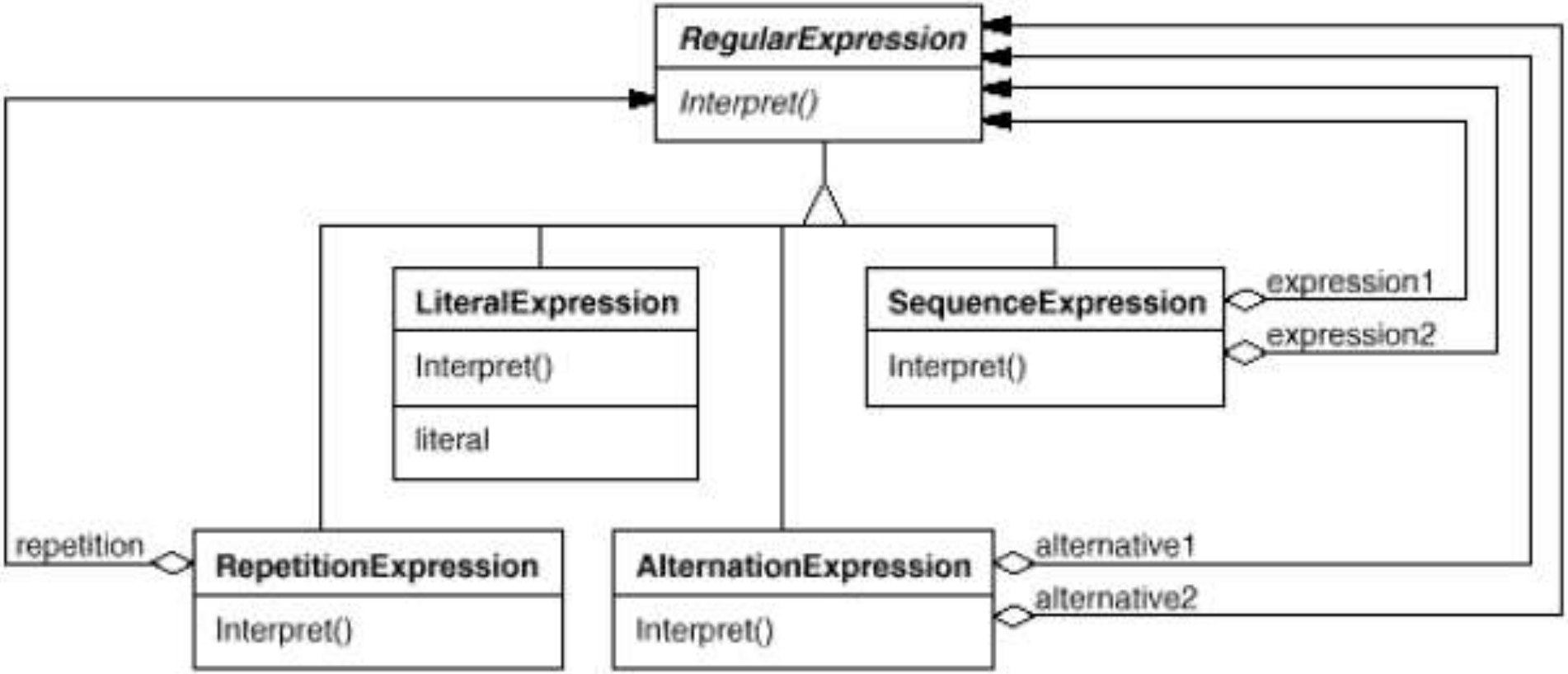
Interpreter

- **Intent – Given a language, define a representation for its grammar along with an interpreter**
- **Motivation** – If a particular kind of problem occurs **often enough**, then it might be worthwhile to **express instances of the problem as sentences in a simple language**. Then you can build an **interpreter** that solves the problem by interpreting these sentences.
- For example, *searching for strings that match a pattern is a common problem*. Regular expressions are a standard language for specifying patterns of strings

Interpreter – Grammar

- Suppose the following grammar defines the regular expressions:
  - expression ::= literal | alternation | sequence | repetition | '(' expression ')'
  - alternation ::= expression '|' expression
  - sequence ::= expression '&' expression
  - repetition ::= expression '*'
  - literal ::= 'a' | 'b' | 'c' | ... { 'a' | 'b' | 'c' | ... }*

Interpreter – Regular expressions



Interpreter – Example

- The “musical notes” is an “Interpreted Language”. The musicians read the notes, interpret them according to “Sa, Re, Ga, Ma…” or “Do, Re, Mi… ” etc. and play the instruments, what we get in output is musical sound waves. Think of a program which can take the Sa, Re, Ga, Ma etc. and produce the sounds for the frequencies.
- For Sa, the frequency is 256 Hz, similarly, for Re, it is 288Hz and for Ga, it is 320 Hz etc…
- We can have it at one of the two places, one is a constants file, “token=value” and the other one being in a properties file

Interpreter – Java 1

- *MusicalNotes.properties*
  Sa=256
  Re=288
  Ga=320

```
public class NotesInterpreter {
   private Note note;
   public void getNoteFromKeys(Note note) {
         Frequency freq = getFrequency(note);
         sendNote(freq);
   }

   private Frequency getFrequency(Note note) {
   // Get the frequency from properties file using ResourceBundle
   // and return it.
         return freq;
   }

   private void sendNote(Frequency freq) {
         NotesProducer producer = new NotesProducer();
         producer.playSound(freq);
   }
}
```

Interpreter – Java 2

```
public class NotesProducer {

  private Frequency freq;

  public NotesProducer() {
      this.freq = freq;
  }

  public void playSound(Frequency freq) {
  }
}
```

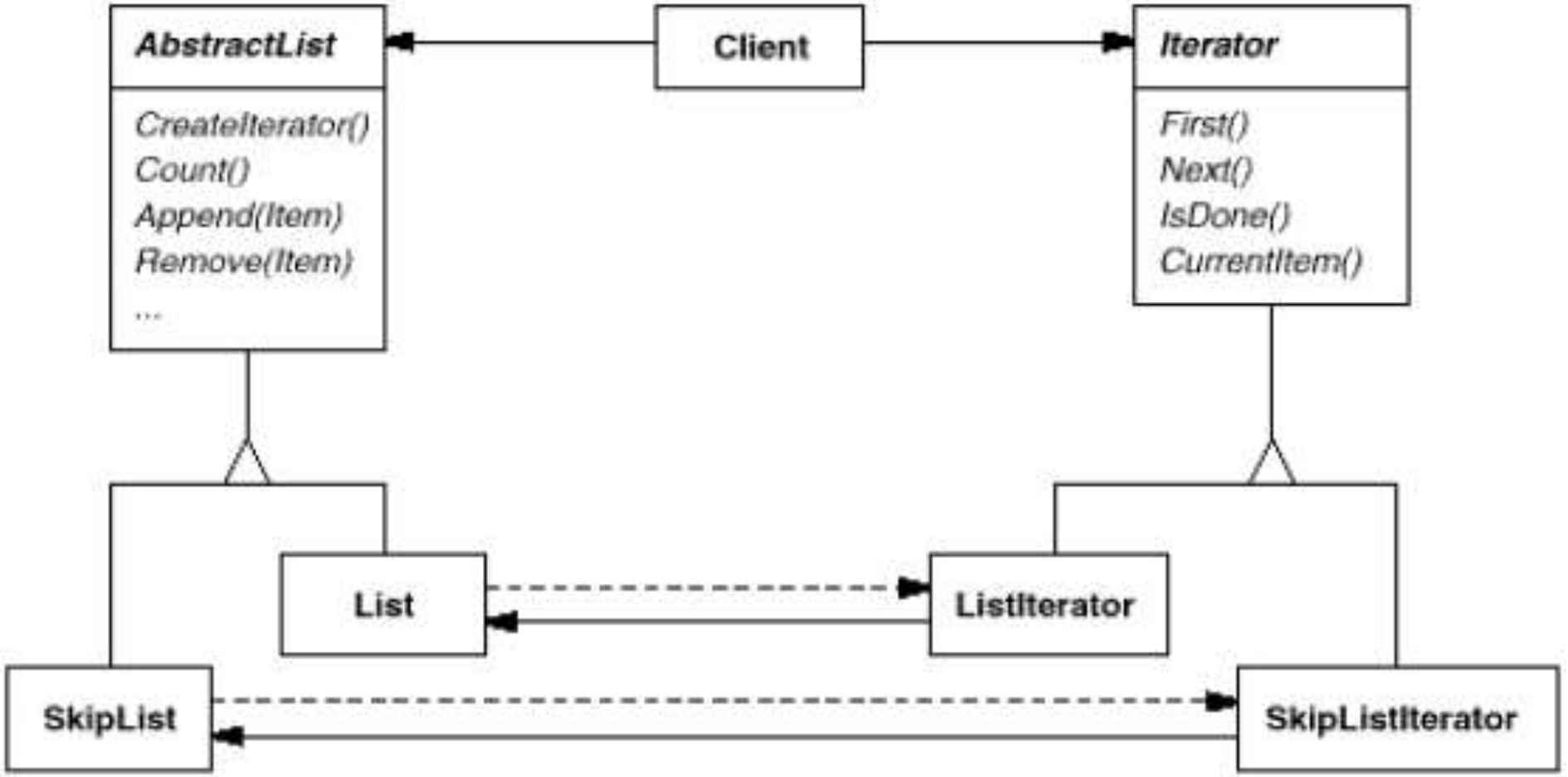
Interpreter – The Good, The Bad …

- Detaches user classes from model classes
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- Code becomes complicated because of lots of extra classes

Iterator

- **Intent** – Provide a way to access the elements of an aggregate object sequentially
- **Also Known As** – Cursor
- **Motivation** – *An aggregate object such as a list should give you a way to access its elements without exposing its internal structure*. Moreover, you might want to traverse the list in different ways, depending on what you want to accomplish

Iterator – Structure



Iterator – Applicability

- to access an aggregate object's contents without exposing its internal representation
- to support multiple traversals of aggregate objects
- to provide a uniform interface for traversing different aggregate structures (that is, to support polymorphic iteration)

Iterator – Example

- For example, remote control of TV. Any remote control we use, either at home/hotel or at a friend's place, we just pick up the TV remote control and start pressing Up and Down or Forward and Back keys to iterate through the channels

Iterator – Java 1

```
public interface Iterator {
   public Channel nextChannel(int currentChannel);
   public Channel prevChannel(int currentChannel);
}

public ChannelSurfer implements Iterator {
   public Channel nextChannel (int currentChannel) {
         Channel channel = new Channel(currentChannel+1);
         return channel;
   }
   public Channel prevChannel (int currentChannel) {
         Channel channel = new Channel(currentChannel-1);
         return channel;
   }
}
```

Iterator – Java 2

```
public class RemoteControl {
  private ChannelSurfer surfer;
  private Settings settings;

  public RemoteControl() {
      surfer = new ChannelSurfer();
      settings = new Settings();
  }
  public getProgram(ChannelSurfer surfer) {
      return new Program(surfer.nextChannel());
  }
}
```

Iterator – The Good, The Bad …

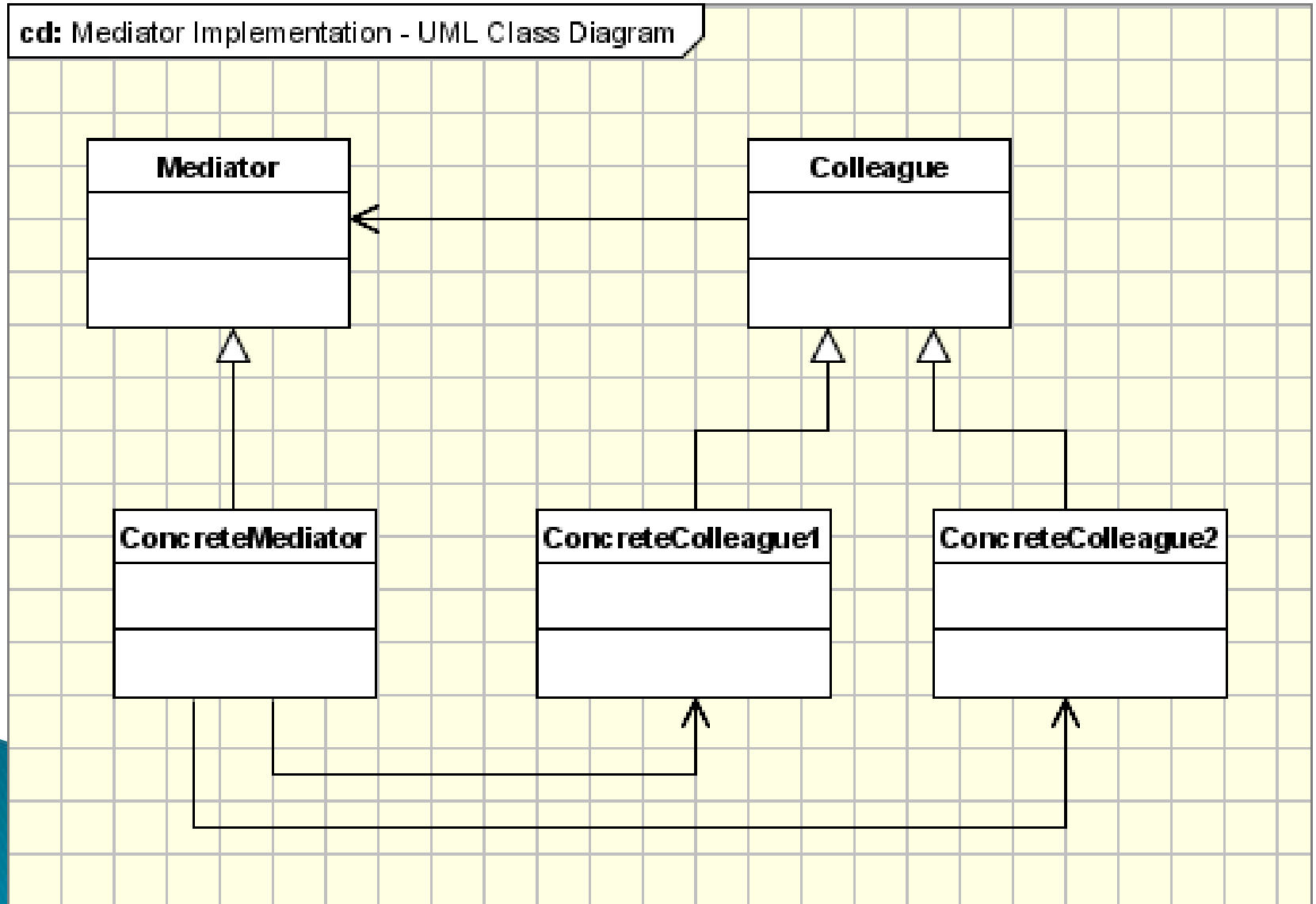
- Allows the use of multiple iterators at the same time on the same collections
- Iteration can be stopped and resumed at will, as each iterator conserves its state
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- May lead to unnecessary complexity for simple collections
- Slows iteration over particular types of collections

Mediator

- **Intent** – Define **an object that encapsulates how a set of objects interact**

- **Motivation – Object-oriented design encourages the distribution of behavior among objects.** Such distribution can result in an object structure with many connections between objects; in the worst case, every object ends up knowing about every other

Mediator – Structure



Mediator – Applicability

- According to (Gamma et al), the Mediator pattern should be used when:
  - a set of objects communicate in well-defined but complex ways. The resulting interdependencies are unstructured and difficult to understand.
  - reusing an object is difficult because it refers to and communicates with many other objects.
  - a behavior that's distributed between several classes should be customizable without a lot of subclassing.

Mediator – Examples

- A very common example can be airplanes interacting with the control tower and not among themselves

- Another popular example is Stock exchange

- The chat application is another example of the mediator pattern

- Other examples?

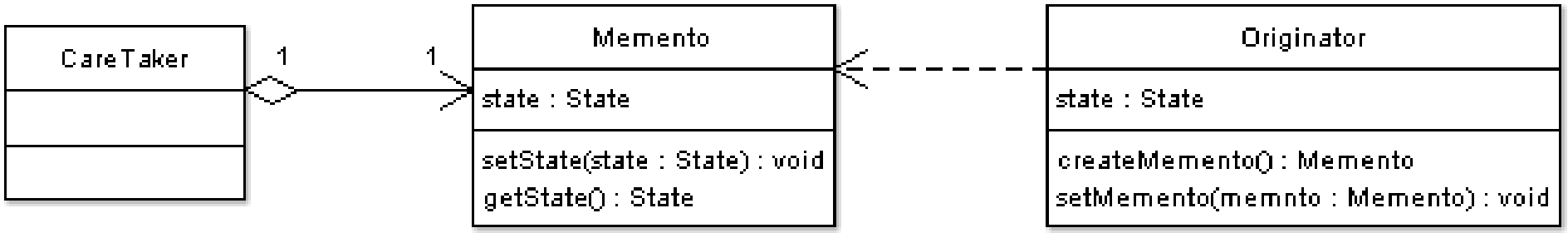
Mediator – The Good, The Bad …

- Reduces coupling
- Allows for easy reuse of classes
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- The Mediator may become a God Object (knows too much, does too many things)

Memento

- **Intent** – Without violating encapsulation, capture and externalize an object's internal state so that the **object can be restored to this state later**
- **Also Known As** – Token
- **Motivation** – Sometimes it's necessary to record the internal state of an object. This is required when implementing checkpoints and undo mechanisms that let users back out of tentative operations or recover from errors. **You must save state information somewhere so that you can restore objects to their previous states**

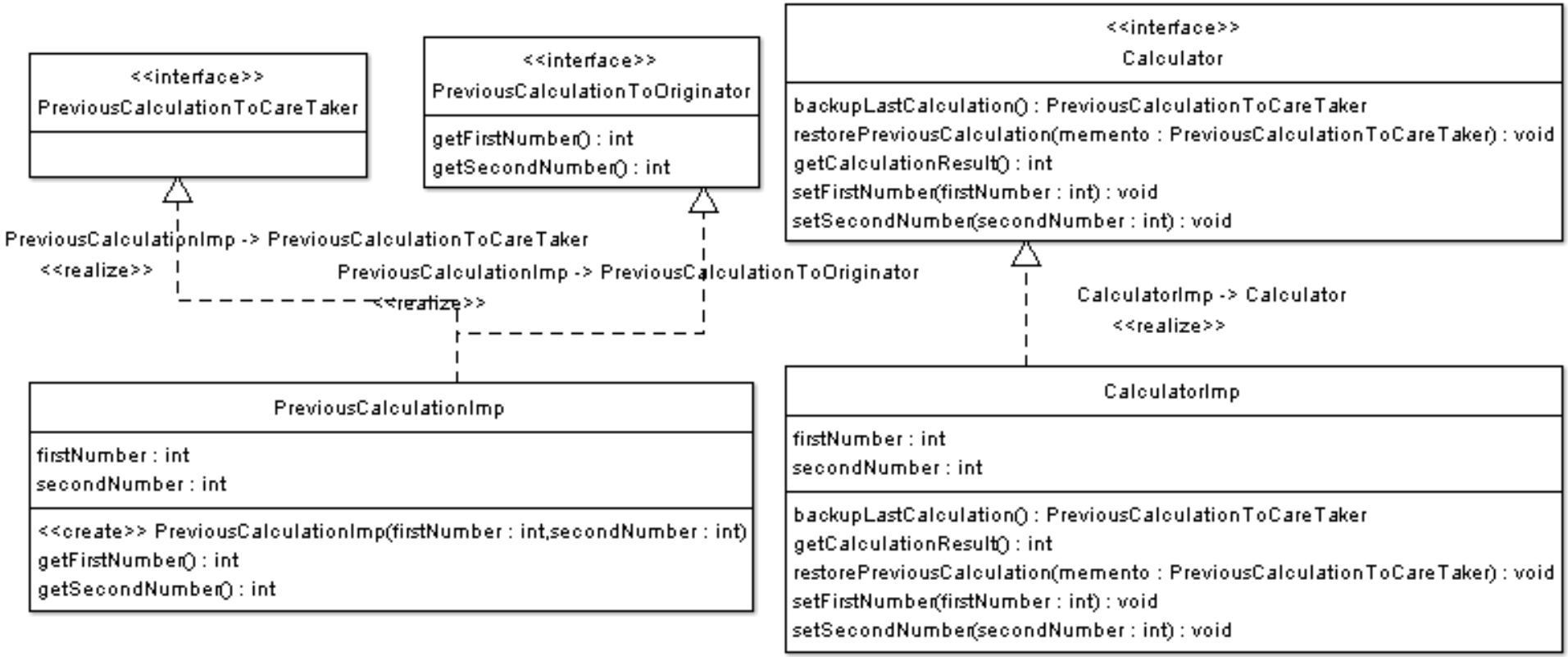
Memento – Structure



- **Memento**
  - Stores internal state of the Originator object
  - Allows the originator to restore previous state
- **Originator**
  - Creates a memento object capturing it's internal state
  - Use the memento object to restore its previous state.
- **Caretaker**
  - Responsible for keeping the memento.
  - The memento is opaque to the caretaker, and the caretaker must not operate on it.

Memento – Example

- **Simple Calculator with Undo Operation**



Memento – Database Transactions

- Transactions are operations on the database that occur in an atomic, consistent, durable, and isolated fashion
- If all operations succeed, the transaction would commit and would be final
- And if any operation fails, then the transaction would fail and all operations would rollback and leave the database as if nothing has happened
- This mechanism of rolling back uses the memento design pattern

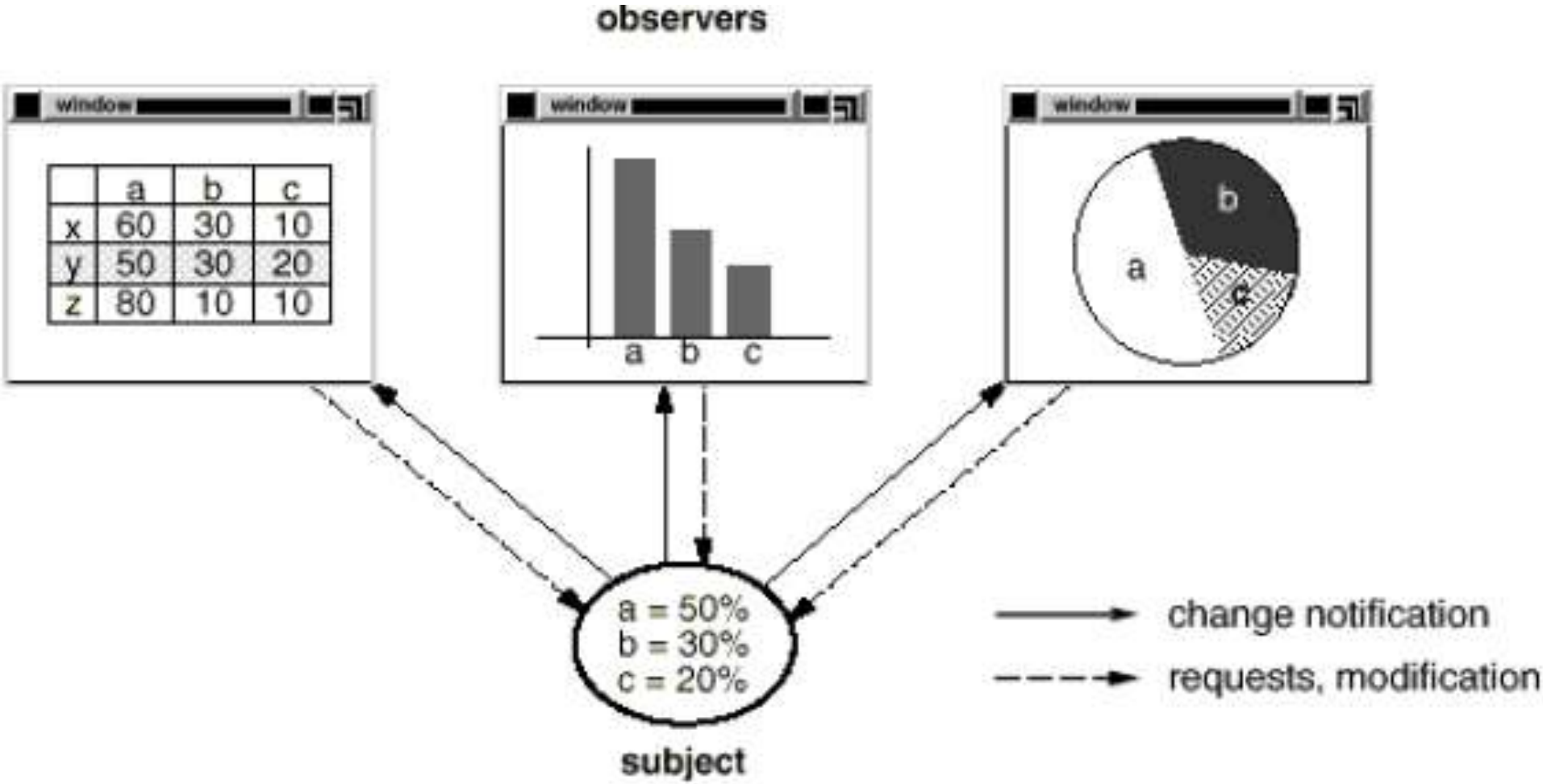
Memento – The Good, The Bad …

- Can produce saves of object states without breaking encapsulation
- Decreases responsibilities of the originator by managing mementos in the caretaker
- Numerous mementos use a lot of memory
- Overhead for the caretakers as they need to manage which mementos are obsolete and destroy them
- Some dynamic programming languages (JavaScript, Python, etc.) cannot guarantee an unchangeable state for the memento

Observer

- **Intent** – Define a one-to-many dependency between objects so that when one object changes state, all its dependents are notified and updated automatically
- **Also Known As** – Dependents, Publish-Subscribe
- **Motivation** – A common side-effect of partitioning a system into a collection of cooperating classes is the need to maintain consistency between related objects

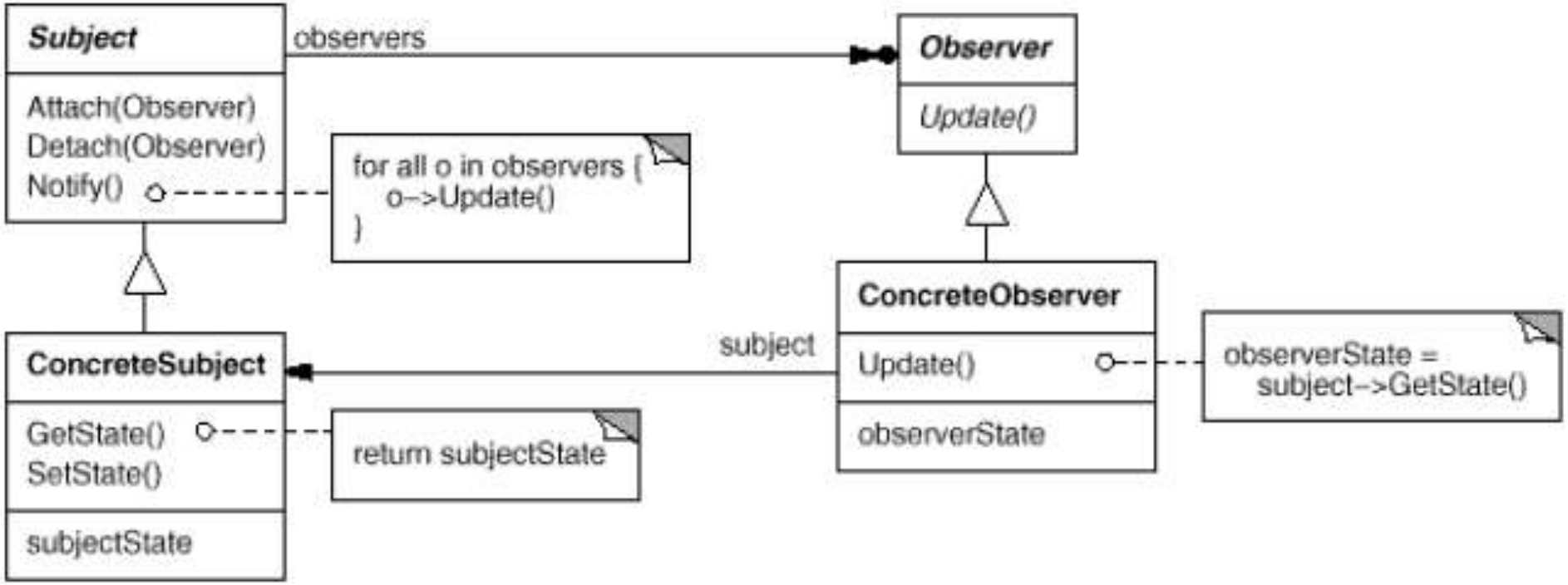
Observer – Example



Observer – Applicability

- When an abstraction has two aspects, one dependent on the other
- When a change to one object requires changing others, and you don't know how many objects need to be changed
- When an object should be able to notify other objects without making assumptions about who these objects are

Observer – Structure



Observer – Example

- Below is an example that takes keyboard input and treats each input line as an event. The example is built upon the library classes **java.util.Observer** and **java.util.Observable**
- When a string is supplied from System.in, the method notifyObservers is then called, in order to notify all observers of the event's occurrence, in the form of an invocation of their 'update' methods – in our example, ResponseHandler.update(...).
- *The Java Swing library makes extensive use of the observer pattern for event management*

Observer – Java 1

```
public class EventSource extends Observable
  implements Runnable {
  public void run() {
   try {
    final InputStreamReader isr = new
  InputStreamReader( System.in );
   final BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader( isr );
    while( true ) {
        final String response = br.readLine();
        setChanged();
        notifyObservers( response ); }
  }
  catch (IOException e) { e.printStackTrace(); } }
}
```

Observer – Java 2

```
public class ResponseHandler implements Observer {
  private String resp;

  public void update (Observable obj, Object arg) {
    if (arg instanceof String) {
       resp = (String) arg;
       System.out.println("\nReceived Response: "+ resp );
    }
  }
}
```

Observer – Java 3

```
public class MyApp {
  public static void main(String args[]) {
    System.out.println("Enter Text >");
    // create an event source - reads from stdin
      final EventSource evSrc = new EventSource();
    // create an observer
      final ResponseHandler respHandler = new
      ResponseHandler();
    // subscribe the observer to the event source
      evSrc.addObserver( respHandler );
    // starts the event thread
      Thread thread = new Thread(evSrc);
      thread.start();
    }
}
```

Observer – The Good, The Bad …

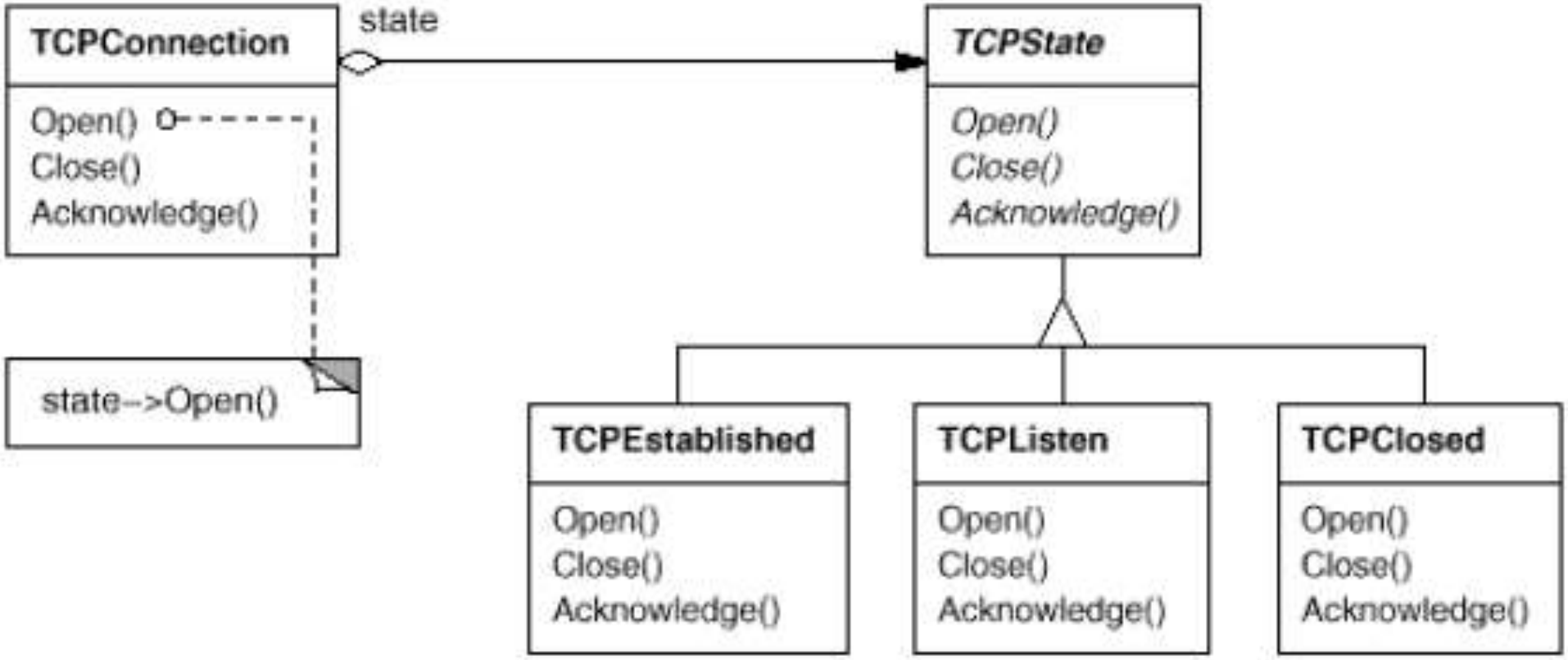
- Can establish relations between objects (not classes) at runtime
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- The order of notification of observers is random

State

- **Intent** – Allow an object to alter its behavior when its internal state changes
- **Also Known As** – Objects for States
- **Motivation** – Consider a class TCPConnection that represents a network connection. A TCPConnection object can be in one of several different states: Established, Listening, Closed. When a TCPConnection object receives requests from other objects, it responds differently depending on its current state

State – Idea

- The key idea in this pattern is to introduce an abstract class called TCPState to represent the states of the network connection.



State – Applicability

- Use the State pattern in either of the following cases:
  - An object's behavior depends on its state
  - Operations have large, multipart conditional statements that depend on the object's state

State – The Good, The Bad …

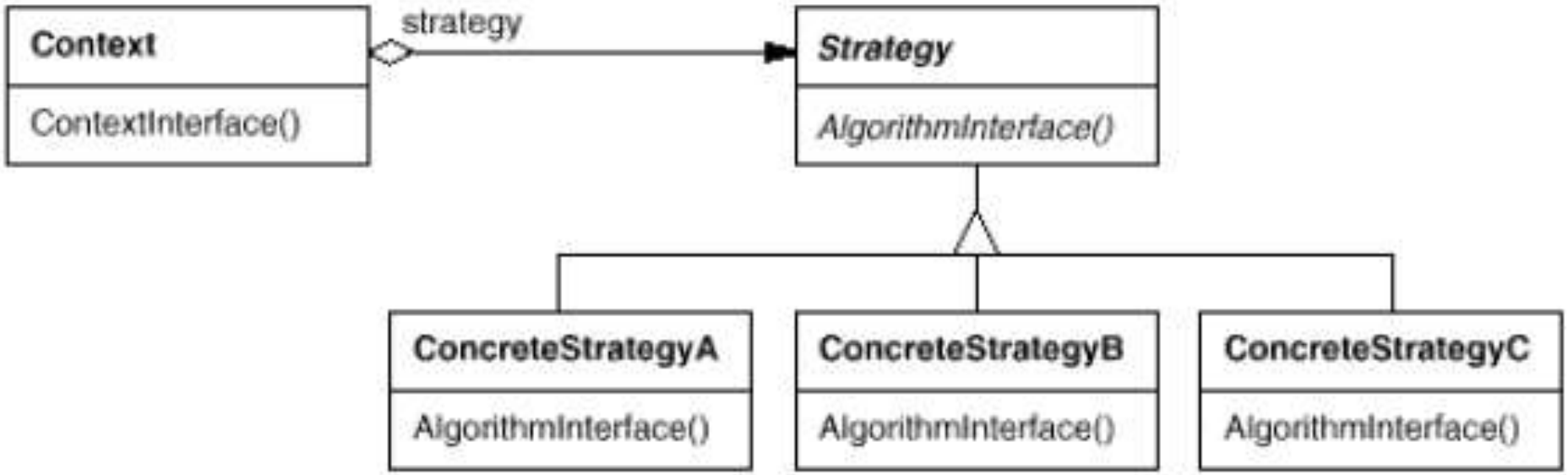
- Simplifies the code of the objects by removing lots of if statements
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- Leads to large and unnecessary overhead for objects with few states or whose states rarely change

Strategy

- **Intent** – Define a family of algorithms, encapsulate each one, and make them inter changeable
- **Also Known As** – Policy
- **Motivation** – Many algorithms exist for breaking a stream of text into lines. Hard-wiring all such algorithms into the classes that require them isn't desirable for several reasons

Strategy – Structure

- With Strategy pattern, we can define classes that encapsulate different line breaking algorithms



Strategy – Example

- In the strategy pattern algorithms can be selected at runtime.
- A standard calculator that implements basic operations: +, −, *

Strategy – Java 1

```
interface Strategy {
   int execute(int a, int b);
}
class ConcreteStrategyAdd implements Strategy {
   public int execute(int a, int b) {
         System.out.println("Called ConcreteStrategyA's execute()");
         return (a + b);
}}
class ConcreteStrategySub implements Strategy {
   public int execute(int a, int b) {
         System.out.println("Called ConcreteStrategyB's execute()");
         return (a - b);
}}
class ConcreteStrategyMul implements Strategy {
   public int execute(int a, int b) {
         System.out.println("Called ConcreteStrategyC's execute()");
         return a * b;
} }
```

Strategy – Java 2

```
class Context {
   Strategy strategy;
   public Context(Strategy strategy) {
        this.strategy = strategy;
   }
   public int execute(int a, int b) {
        return this.strategy.execute(a, b);
   }
}
```

Strategy – Java 3

```
class StrategyExample {

   public static void main(String[] args) {
    Context context;
    context = new Context(new ConcreteStrategyAdd());
    int resultA = context.execute(3,4);
    context = new Context(new ConcreteStrategySub());
    int resultB = context.execute(3,4);
    context = new Context(new ConcreteStrategyMul());
    int resultC = context.execute(3,4);
   }
}
```

Strategy – The Good, The Bad …

- Can swap algorithms at runtime
- Replaces inheritance with composition
- Isolates the implementation of algorithm from the classes using those algorithm
- If you only need few algorithms, the extra complication of code is not useful
- Some functional languages can achieve the same effect by using anonymous functions, and require less code
- Users need to understand the differences between implementations to use them properly

Template Method

- **Intent – Define the skeleton of an algorithm** in an operation, deferring some steps to subclasses
- **Motivation** – Consider an application framework that provides Application and Document classes.
- The Application class is responsible for opening existing documents stored in an external format, such as a file. A Document object represents the information in a document once it's read from the file

Template Method – Example

- The template pattern is often referred to as the **Hollywood Principle**: "*Don't call us, we'll call you*." Using this principle, the template method in a parent class controls the overall process by calling subclass methods as required

- This is shown in several games in which players play against the others, but only one is playing at a given time

Template Method – Java 1

```
abstract class Game {
   protected int playersCount;
   abstract void initializeGame();
   abstract void makePlay(int player);
   abstract boolean endOfGame();
   abstract void printWinner();

   final void playOneGame(int playersCount) {
        this.playersCount = playersCount;
        initializeGame(); int j = 0;
        while (!endOfGame()) {
            makePlay(j); j = (j + 1) % playersCount; }
         printWinner();
   }
}
```

Template Method – Java 2

```
class Monopoly extends Game {
   // Implementation of necessary concrete methods

   void initializeGame() { // ... }
   void makePlay(int player) { // ... }
   boolean endOfGame() { // ... }
   void printWinner() { // ... }

   // Specific declarations for the Monopoly game.
}

class Chess extends Game {
...}
```

Template Method – The Good, The Bad …

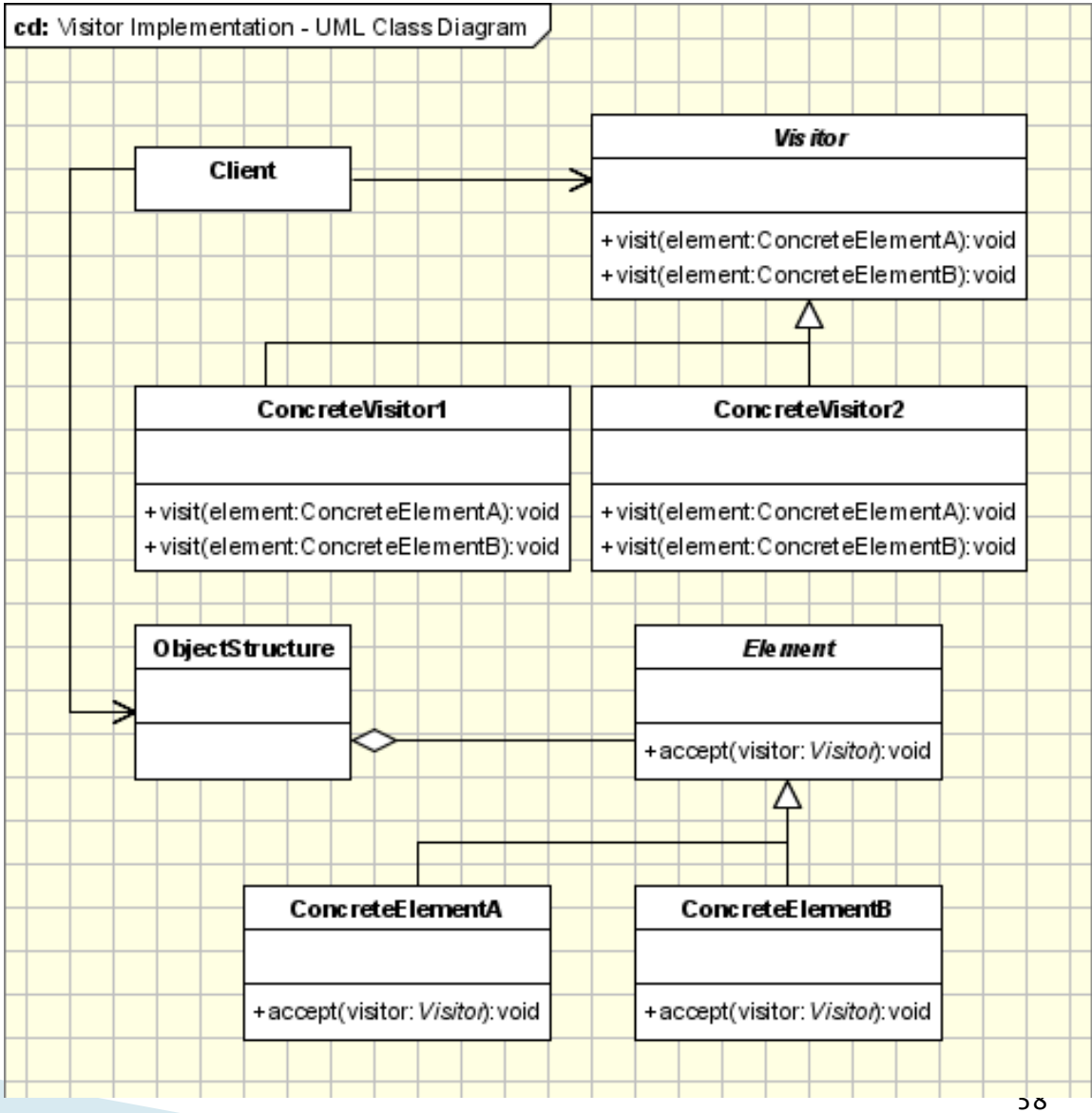
- Clients can choose to override only some parts of the algorithm, and are less affected by changes to other segments
- Duplicate code can be sent to a superclass
- If you override some part of the algorithm, it can lead to breaking Liskov substitution
- The skeleton of the algorithm may not suit some clients
- The more elements in the template, the more difficult it is to manage

Visitor

- **Intent** – Represent an operation to be performed on the elements of an object structure. **Visitor lets you define a new operation without changing the classes** of the elements on which it operates.
- **Motivation** – Collections are data types widely used in object oriented programming. Often collections contain objects of different types and in those cases some operations have to be performed on all the collection elements without knowing the type

Visitor – Structure Example

- We want to create a reporting module in our application to make statistics about a group of customers
- The statistics should be very detailed so all the data related to the customer must be parsed
- All the entities involved in this hierarchy must accept a visitor so the CustomerGroup, Customer, Order and Item are visitable objects



Visitor– Applicability

- The visitor pattern is used when:
  - Similar operations have to be performed on objects of different types grouped in a structure
  - There are many distinct and unrelated operations needed to be performed
  - The object structure is not likely to be changed but is very probable to have new operations which have to be added

Visitor Pattern using Reflection

- Reflection can be used to overcome the main drawback of the visitor pattern
- When the standard implementation of visitor pattern is used the method to invoke is determined at runtime
- **Reflection is the mechanism used to determine the method to be called at compile-time**

Visitor – The Good, The Bad …

- A visitor can accumulate information about visited objects as it passes through the collection, allowing for more informed decisions for later visitations
- Preserves S and O (from SOLID)
- A visitor may not be able to access private or protected fields of visited objects
- Every time you add an extra class to the collection, all visitors must be updated

Other Types of DP 1

- **Concurrency Patterns** – deal with multi-threaded programming paradigm
  - **Single Threaded Execution** – Prevent concurrent calls to the method from resulting in concurrent executions of the method
  - **Scheduler** – Control the order in which threads are scheduled to execute single threaded code using an object that explicitly sequences waiting threads
  - **Producer-Consumer** – Coordinate the asynchronous production and consumption of information or objects

Other Types of DP 2

- **Testing Patterns 1**
  - **Black Box Testing** – Ensure that software satisfies requirements
  - **White Box Testing** – Design a suite of test cases to exhaustively test software by testing it in all meaningful situations
  - **Unit Testing** – Test individual classes
  - **Integration Testing** – Test individually developed classes together for the first time
  - **System Testing** – Test a program as a whole entity

Other Types of DP 3

- **Testing Patterns 2**
  - **Regression Testing** – Keep track of the outcomes of testing software with a suite of tests over time
  - **Acceptance Testing** – Is done to ensure that delivered software meets the needs of the customer or organization that the software was developed for
  - **Clean Room Testing** – People designing software should not discuss specifications or their implementation with people designing tests for the software

Other Types of DP 4

- **Distributed Architecture Patterns**
  - **Mobile Agent** – An object needs to access very large volume of remote data => move the object to the data
  - **Demilitarized Zone** – You don't want hackers to be able to gain access to servers
  - **Object Replication** – You need to improve the throughput or availability of a distributed computation

Other Classes of DP

- **Transaction patterns** – Ensure that a transaction will never have any unexpected or inconsistent outcome. Design and implement transactions correctly and with a minimum of effort
- **Distributed computing patterns**
- **Temporal patterns** – for distributed applications to function correctly, the clocks on the computers they run on must be synchronized. You may need to access pervious or future states of an object. The values of an object's attributes may change over time
- **Database patterns**

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