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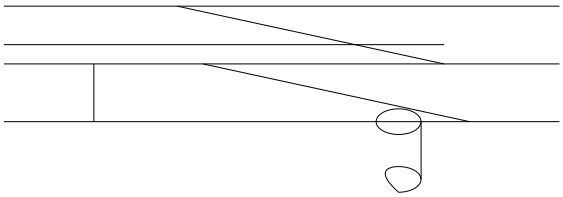

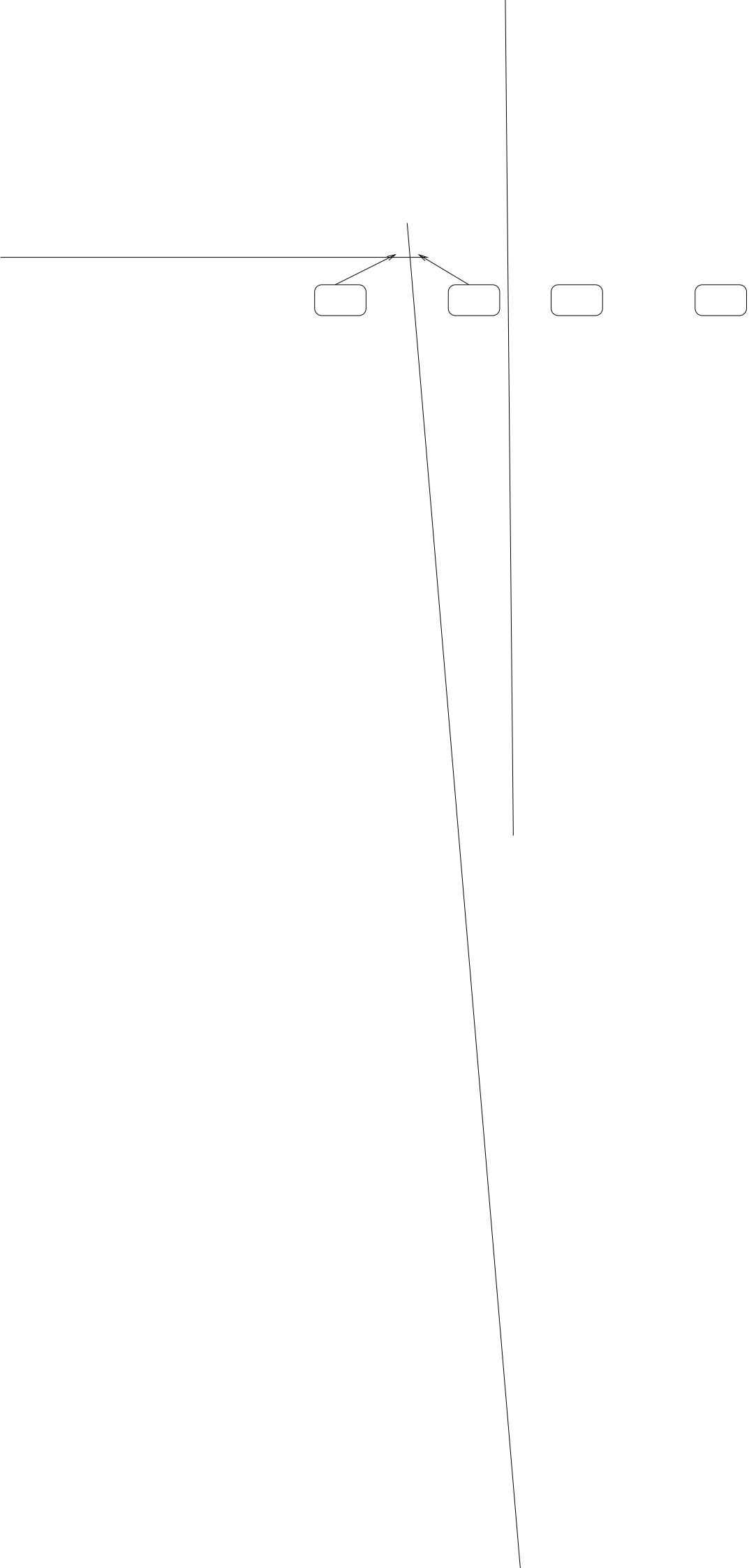

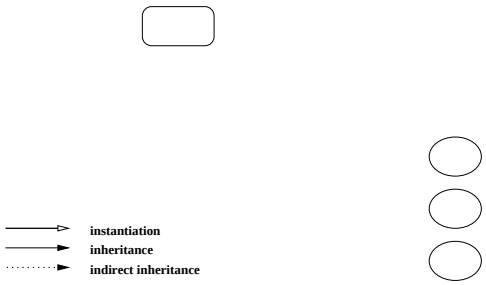
instantiation
inheritance
indirect inheritance

4.5. Constraints

EYEDB supports all standard constraints:

- the `not null` constraint on a attribute within a class X means that no instances of class X can have attribute value not assigned.

- the `unique` constraint on a ute within a class X means that one cannot create an instance of class X has ameute value nribonv instance

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As the attribute `spouse` is not a collection and the target attribute `spouse` is not a collection, this is a one-to-one

a specific C++ API from a given schema, built upon the generic API.

Each class in the EYEDB object model is implemented as a C++ class within the C++ API: there is a one-to-one mapping between the object model and the C++ API.

7.1. Transient and Persistent Objects

There are two types of runtime objects: persistent runtime objects and transient runtime objects.
A runtime object is persistent if it is tied to a database object. Otherwise, it is transient.

By default, EYEDB does not provide an automatic synchronisation between persistent runtime objects and database objects.

The Java binding is very close from the C++ binding: the

9.1. The Generic CORBA Binding

The major external component of the generic binding is the EYEDB IDL. The EYEDB IDL is composed of one module (named `EyeDB_ORB`) which includes about forty interfaces and a few

```
// instantiating a Person
Person_var person = person_factory->
              makePerson();

// set
```

EYEDB is now about 200,000 lines of