

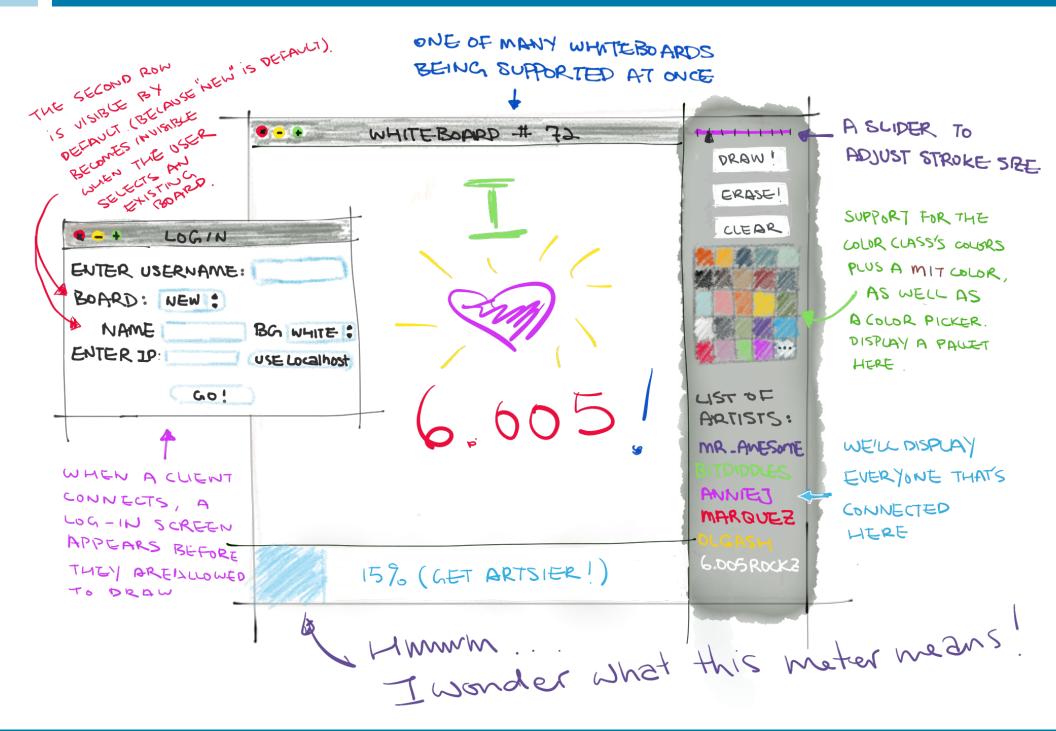
DATATYPE DESIGN

- Server-side:
 - WhiteboardServer
 - has a list of Whiteboards
 - * sends and receives messages to/from clients, creating and modifying Whiteboards
 - * these messages include: selecting a whiteboard, making a new whiteboard, drawing, changing bg, users entering/exiting
 - Whiteboard (ADT)
 - * has a unique name
 - * holds history of all actions done to it
 - calculates artsy meter
- Client-side GUIs:
 - Artist (login screen):
 - * must enter a valid IP to connect to server before anything else
 - then, can select whiteboard from list, or create a new one (this opens a Canvas)
 - to select an existing one, must enter username
 - to create one, must enter username, board name, bg color
 - Canvas
 - * initially sends either a create or a select message to server, if it's a create message, we get back a history of all actions and users
 - * sends and receives new draw actions and users connects/disconnects to/from server, displays them accordingly

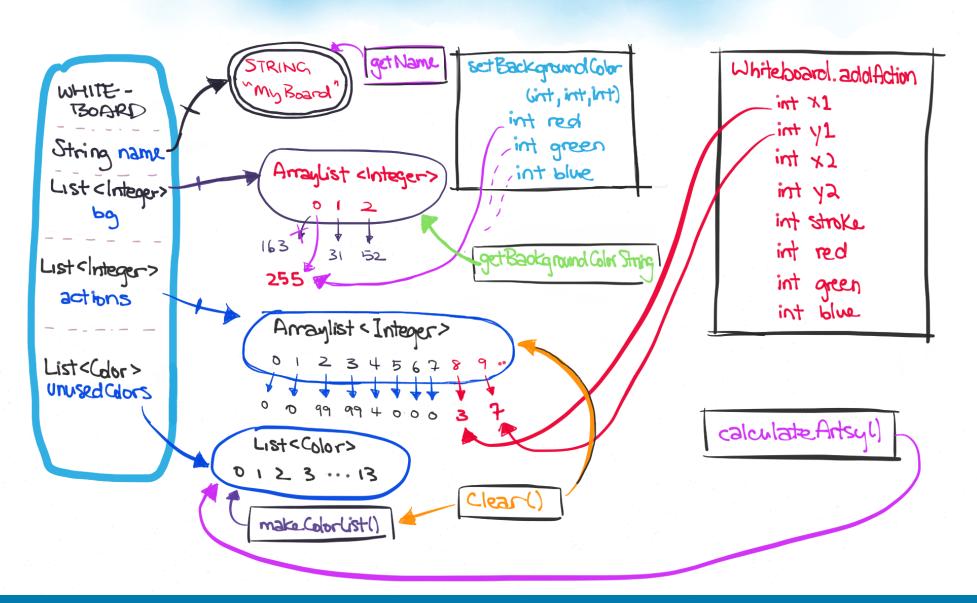


DATATYPE DESIGN [CONTINUED]

- * side panel provides tools that allows client-controlled adjustment
 - a pallet that holds all of Color's colors (with custom options)
 - a slider that changes the stroke size
 - a list that shows the usernames of collaborators
 - a button to clear everything from the board
- * artsy meter at bottom of screen (whiteboard specific)
- * rest of the window is the drawable whiteboard
- * on close, notify server of closing



ADT SNAPSHUT DIAGRAM





METHODS

- Client (GUIs)
 - Artist
 - * toggleNewWhiteboard(boolean visible) controls whether new whiteboard inputs are visible. If the user does not want to make a new whiteboard, hide the enter whiteboard name and choose background color options.
 - * addListeners() to split the GUI into methods. This adds listeners to the buttons/text fields/combo boxes
 - * containsSpace(String) returns true if a String contains a space. This is to provide appropriate error popups for when usernames and white-boardnames contain spaces.

Canvas

- * setupButtons() separate the GUI into shorter methods; compartmentalization
- * addListeners() similar to Artist;
- * setArtsy(int) determines artsiness of the whiteboard using a handpicked set of mysterious and magical criteria
- * addRemoveUsers(String, boolean) adds/removes a username from the JTable of users currently working on the whiteboard
- * setupWhiteboard() communications with server; Send the server the message to create/select a whiteboard, if it's a new whiteboard, nothing is returned; if it's an existing one, set the background color and users list and draw the actions.



METHODS [CONTINUED]

- * parseActions(String, boolean withArtsy) takes in a string representing actions and draws them. The boolean withArtsy lets the method know if a Artsiness value is expected with the string of actions
- * fillBackground() this was changed from the staff code of fillWith-White(), because we would like to initialize a whiteboard with clientchosen background color
- * defaultSetup() creates a welcoming image on the default board
- * handleRequest(String) this method responds to the server's inputs by parsing the string.
- * paintComponents(Graphics), makeDrawingBuffer(), drawLineSegment(), addDrawingController() these methods are provided by staff

Server

- Whiteboard
 - makeColorList() a helper method for determining artsiness
 - * getName() returns a string representing whiteboard name
 - * addAction(8 ints) adds two pairs of coordinates, stroke size, and rgb values into the list of actions. Also updates the artsiness calculations
 - * getBackgroundColorString() returns the background color's RGB values in a string
 - * setBackgroundColor(int red, int green, int blue) changes the background color. This is synchronized for concurrency.
 - * createStringOfActions() returns a string representing actions performed on the whiteboard. Each action is represented by "x1 y1 x2 y2 [stroke] R G B".
 - * calculateArtsy() determines the artsiness of the board
 - * clear() clears the actions on the board



METHODS [CONTINUED]

- WhiteboardServer
 - * createWhiteboard(String, int, int) make a new whiteboard and add it to the list of existing whiteboards
 - * selectWhiteboard(String, String, int) chooses a whiteboard for according to the Client based on the board name, their username, and their client ID
 - * createListOfActions(String) chooses a whiteboard and calls their createListOfActions method. For descriptions, see above
 - * listWhiteboards() returns a string of all whiteboard names separated by spaces
 - * listUsers() returns all a string of all usernames separated by spaces
 - * changeBackgroundColor(board name, RGB ints) changes a whiteboard's background colors based on RGB values
 - * draw(boardName, x1, y1, x2, y2, stroke, RGB) returns a string of the draw action
 - * clear(boardName) clears everything from the board
 - putOnAllQueuesBut(int clientID, String boardName, String message)
 puts the message on all the queues of clients, except the specified client
 - * serve() runs server, listens for and handles the connections. Has handleInput(Socket, int), handleOutput, and handleRequest as helper methods.



PROTOCOL

- Server > Client
 - a list of whiteboard names (WB_NAME WB_NAME...)
 - lines of commands for previous whiteboard state (BGCOLOR_R BCOLOR_G BGCOLOR_B ARTSY_METER "USERS" USER_NAME USER_NAME... "ACTIONS" X1 Y1 X2 Y2 STROKE COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B X1 Y1 X2 Y2 STROKE COLOR_G COLOR_B...)
 - new draw actions to everyone connected to a particular whiteboard ("DRAW"
 ARTSY_METER X1 Y1 X2 Y2 STROKE COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B)
 - new client joins ("NEWUSER" USER_NAME) to all but new client
 - change background color ("BG" COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B)
 - a client leaves ("BYEUSER" USER_NAME)

• Client- > Server

- initial connect message to request whiteboard names ("HELLO")
- select whiteboard (add user to the whiteboard, set user name, return whiteboard state) ("SELECT" WB_NAME USER_NAME)
- make new whiteboard (with color, name), like selecting, but new ("NEW"
 WB_NAME COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B USER_NAME)
- new draw actions ("DRAW" WB_NAME X1 Y1 X2 Y2 STROKE COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B)
- change whiteboard bg color ("BG" WB_NAME COLOR_R COLOR_G COLOR_B)
- disconnect message ("BYE" WB_NAME USER_NAME)



CONCURRENCY & THREAD SAFETY

- No objects are shared between any classes, and no mutable objects shared between instances
- All messages sent are sent as strings
- No sockets shared, only IP addresses
- ID numbers for clients will use AtomicInteger as incrementing counter
- Whiteboards are treated independently and do not share information
- Draw actions and add/remove user actions are synchronized on all levels, so no information can be lost/overriden
- Drawing only happens when a message is received from the server, no local drawing, so all users on a whiteboard see the same thing
- Client and server have blocking queues that processes messages
- Only call UI repaint in Swingutilities.invokeLater()

ERROR HANDLING

- The GUI utilizes JOptionPane.showMessageDialog to provide pop-ups with specific error messages.
- Whiteboard name is taken: "That whiteboard name is taken. Please choose a different one!";
- Whiteboard name contains spaces/is empty: "Whiteboard name cannot be empty and cannot contain spaces."
- Chosen username contains spaces/is empty: "Username cannot be empty and cannot contain spaces."



TESTING STRATEGY

- ADT tests (test public methods of Whiteboard)
 - make sure on initialization, the whiteboard has an artsy meter of zero, and no actions
 - test the name getter
 - test the background color setter and getter
 - test adding new actions and getting them in string format
 - test clearing all actions
 - test the artsy meter increasing when new colors are in actions, but not when custom or repeated colors are added
 - test that the artsy meter returns to 0 when the board is cleared
- Client/server interactions, concurrency, and UI
 - first make sure we can connect via IP address (and localhost) and receive whiteboard names.
 - make sure we can both create and select existing whiteboard with different names and bg colors.
 - make sure the Canvas UI works as planned (artsy meter increases with more colors, all colors work, erasing works, doge button works, clear works).
 - test multiple users sharing one whiteboard (ensure both see the same thing).
 - test multiple whiteboard support (ensure different whiteboards don't send actions to each other).
 - make sure behavior is as expected when one user draws and another user draws/erases common pixels (in equilibrium, the same image must be on both).
 - check to see that whiteboard state is saved during disconnect/reconnect.



TESTING STRATEGY [CONTINUED]

- Automated testing for client/server interactions
 - use out.println("...") to test that the socket connection works as expected.
 Namely, messages that begin with tokes "HELLO", "SELECT", "NEW", "DRAW", "BG", "CLEAR", "BYE", and "BYEARTIST"
 - check to see that "DRAW", "BG", "CLEAR", and "NEWUSER" messages get passed to all clients
 - check to see that "BYE" functions as expected
 - use nextNonEmptyLine(in) and asserts to check that the response is as expected. For example, "HELLO" should give back the list of whiteboards to the client