Design Principles – OCP & LSP



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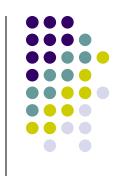
# OCP – The Open-Closed Principle





- The open-closed principle:
  - Open for Extension
  - Closed for Modification
- What this really means is that you should (re)design so that change leads to extending, not modifying existing code

## OCP – An example of violating OCP



 If the client has a reference to a concrete server-class, replacing the server leads to modification of the client.

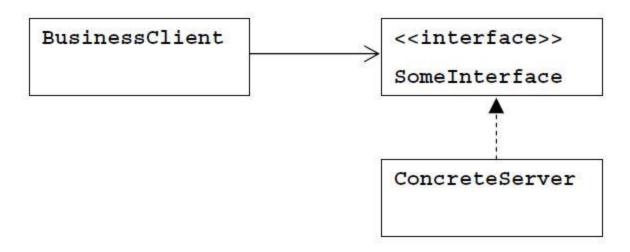


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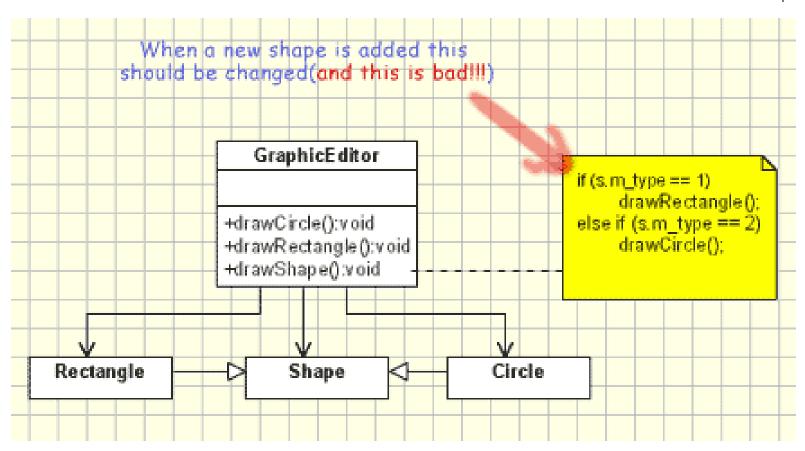
 If the client has a reference to an interface, replacing the server will not lead to modification of the client. The client still references the interface.



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```
// Open-Close Principle - Bad example
class GraphicEditor {
    public void drawShape(Shape s) {
           if (s.m_type==1)
           drawRectangle(s);
           else if (s.m_type==2)
                  drawCircle(s);
    public void drawCircle(Circle r) {....}
    public void drawRectangle(Rectangle r) {....}
```

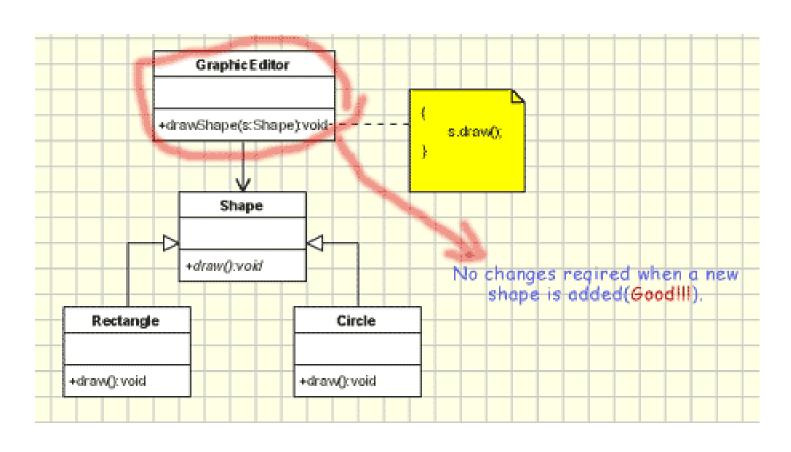


```
class Shape {
      int m_type;
class Rectangle extends Shape {
    Rectangle() {
           super.m_type=1;
class Circle extends Shape {
    Circle() {
           super.m_type=2;
```



## **Example 2**





### Example 2

```
// Open-Close Principle - Good example
class GraphicEditor {
      public void drawShape(Shape s) {
      s.draw();
class Shape {
  abstract void draw();
class Rectangle extends Shape {
  public void draw() { // draw the rectangle }
```



#### **OCP**



- Conforms to the OCP
- To add a new shape:
  - Open for extension Add new subclass for new shape
  - Closed for modification No mod. In drawShape()
- What about the smells?
  - Rigidity Just add new shape-classes
  - Fragility No if's or switches to maintain
  - Opacity, Needless Repetition, Immobility, ... No problem!
- The code is closed against this particular change

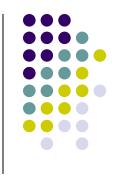
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## OCP – Shape may have more issues

- What if a new requirement states that the shapes must be drawn in some sorted order, e.g. all Circles must be drawn before all Squares:
- No matter how "closed" a module is, there will always be some kind of change against which it is not closed.
- The designer must choose the kinds of changes against which to close his design. Which changes are more likely?
- Plan for OCP, but wait until the change happens!
- To avoid needless complexity, take the first bullet.

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- Stimulate the changes
  - Write tests first.
  - Use short developing cycles
  - Develop features before infrastructure and frequently show those features to stakeholders.
  - Develop the most important features first.
  - Release the software early and often.

### **OCP - Summary**

- Principle: Software entities should be
  - Open for extension new functions are added
  - Closed for modification existing code is unchanged

#### • Implementation:

- Find an abstraction for what is common in the variation
- Use polymorphism to add varying behavior
- Abstractions can also be applied in non-OO languages!







- OCP cannot be achieved for all possible contexts!
  - Strategic choices
  - Apply only for actual changes

#### Question



 Please give an example that violates OCP and explain why? How to modify it to conform to OCP?

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## LSP - Liskov Substitution Principle

#### LSP - Liskov Substitution Principle

- The key of OCP: Abstraction and Polymorphism
  - Implemented by inheritance
  - How do we measure the quality of inheritance?
- If for each object ob1 of type S there is an object ob2 of type T such that for all programs P defined in terms of T, the behavior of P is unchanged when ob1 is substituted for ob2 then S is a subtype of

T. **B.** Liskov, 1988

# LSP - Liskov Substitution Principle



 LSP: Subtypes must be substitutable for their base types.

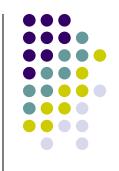
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```
class Rectangle {
      protected int m_width;
      protected int m_height;
      public void setWidth(int width){
             m_width = width; }
      public void setHeight(int height){
            m_height = height; }
      public int getWidth(){ return m_width; }
      public int getHeight(){ return m_height; }
      public int getArea(){ return m_width * m_height; }
```





```
Rectangle
```

```
class Square extends Rectangle {
  public void setWidth(int width){
       m width = width;
      m_height = width;
  public void setHeight(int height){
      m_width = height;
      m_height = height;
```

### **Example**

```
class LspTest {
  private static Rectangle getNewRectangle() {
      // it can be an object returned by some factory ...
       return new Square(); }
  public static void main (String args[]) {
       Rectangle r = LspTest.getNewRectangle();
       r.setWidth(5);
       r.setHeight(10);
      // user knows that r it's a rectangle.
       System.out.println(r.getArea());
      // now he's surprised to see that the area is 100
  instead of //50.
```







- Conclusion:
  - A model, viewed in isolation, can't be meaningfully validated.
  - ISA is about behavior.
    - Behaviorally, a square is not a rectangle.





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