

Strategy Pattern

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Design Aspect of Strategy

An algorithm or a family of algorithms



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Text Composition Design (Strategy)

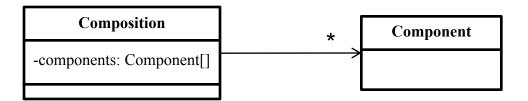
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Requirements Statement₁

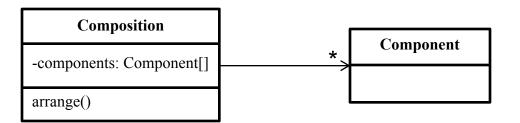
☐ The Composition class maintains a collection of Component instances, which represent text and graphical elements in a document.





Requirements Statement₂

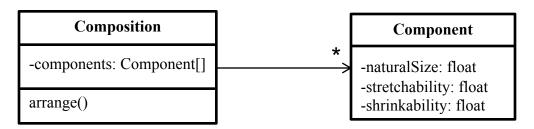
A composition arranges component objects into lines using a linebreaking strategy.





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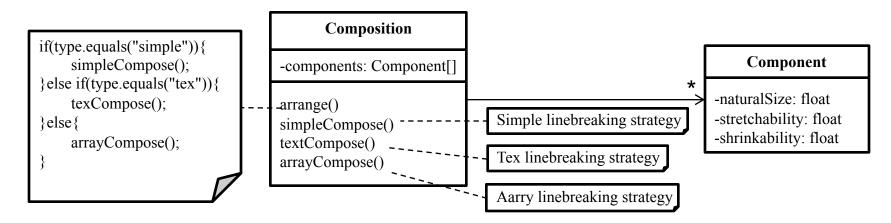
- Each component has an associated natural size, stretchability, and shrinkability.
- ☐ The stretchability defines how much the component can grow beyond its natural size; shrinkability is how much it can shrink.





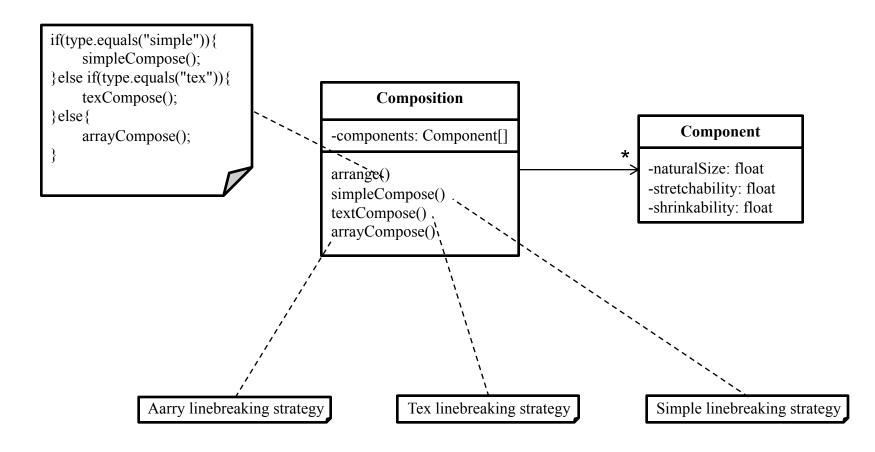
Requirements Statement₄

- When a new layout is required, the composition calls its compose method to determine where to place linebreaks.
- ☐ There are 3 different algorithms for breaking lines:
 - Simple Composition: A simple strategy that determines line breaks one at a time.
 - > Tex Composition: This strategy tries to optimize line breaks globally, that is, one paragraph at a time.
 - > Array Composition: A strategy that selects breaks so that each row has a fixed number of items. It's useful for breaking a collection of icons into rows, for example.



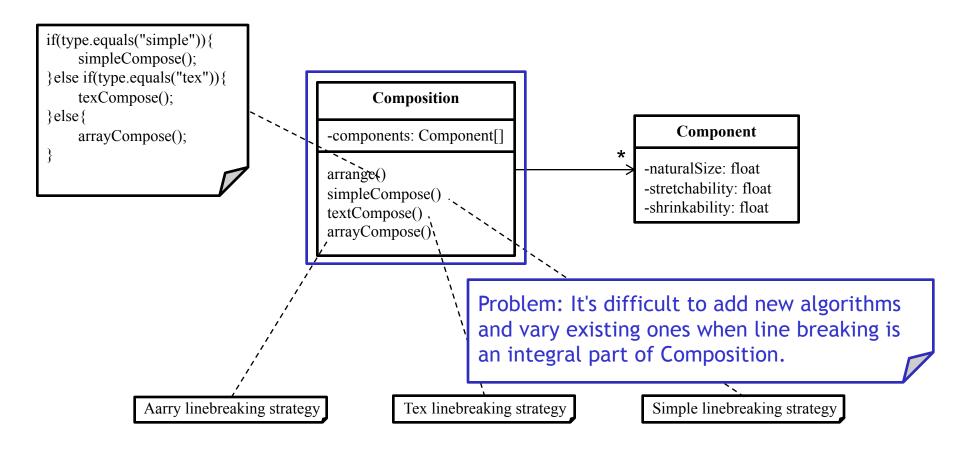


Initial Design



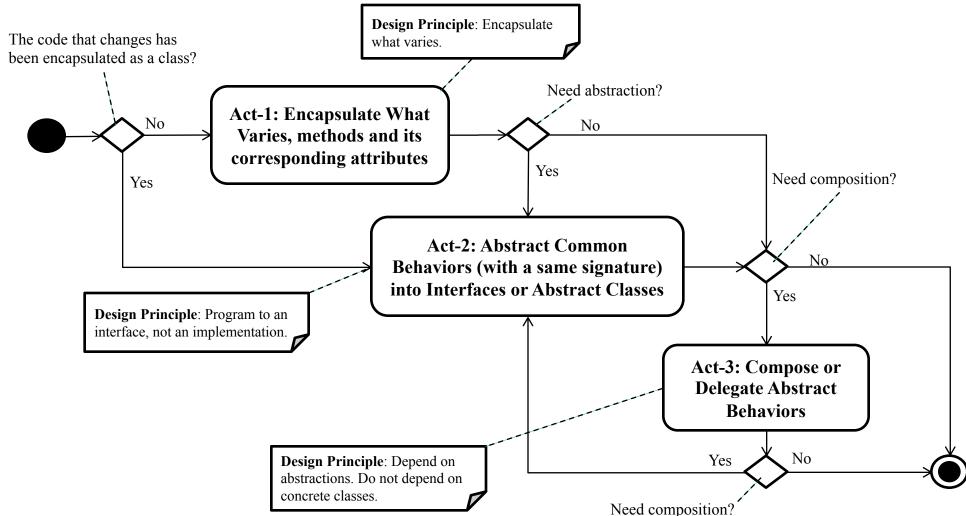


Problems with Initial Design



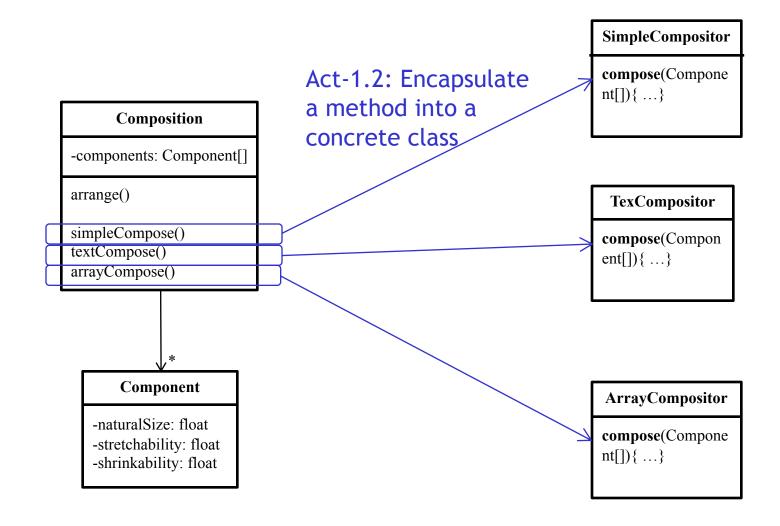


Design Process for Change





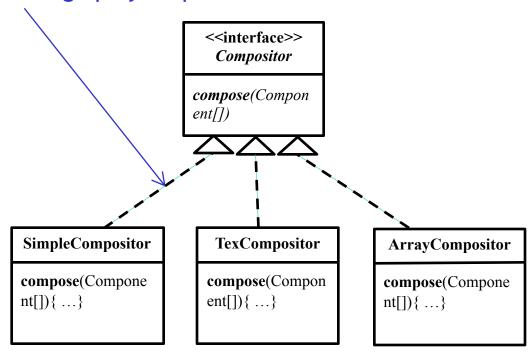
Act-1: Encapsulate What Varies





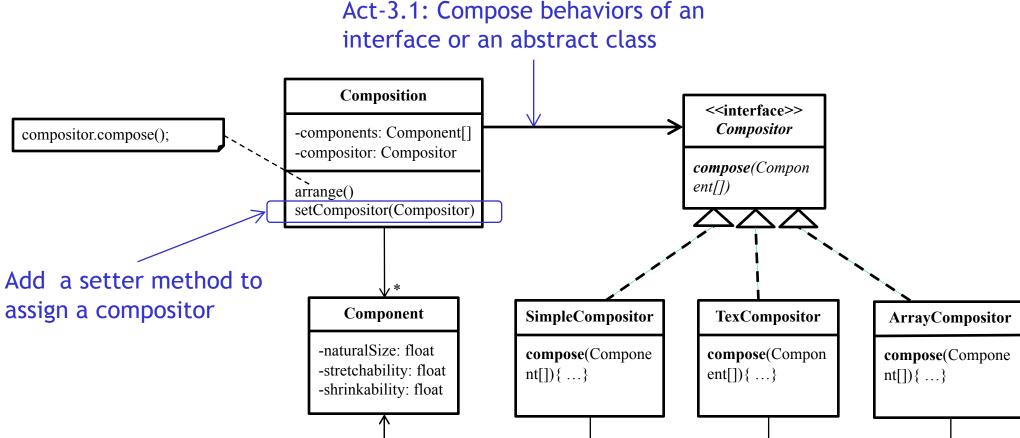
Act-2: Abstract Common Behaviors

Act-2.1: Abstract common behaviors with a same signature into interface through polymorphism



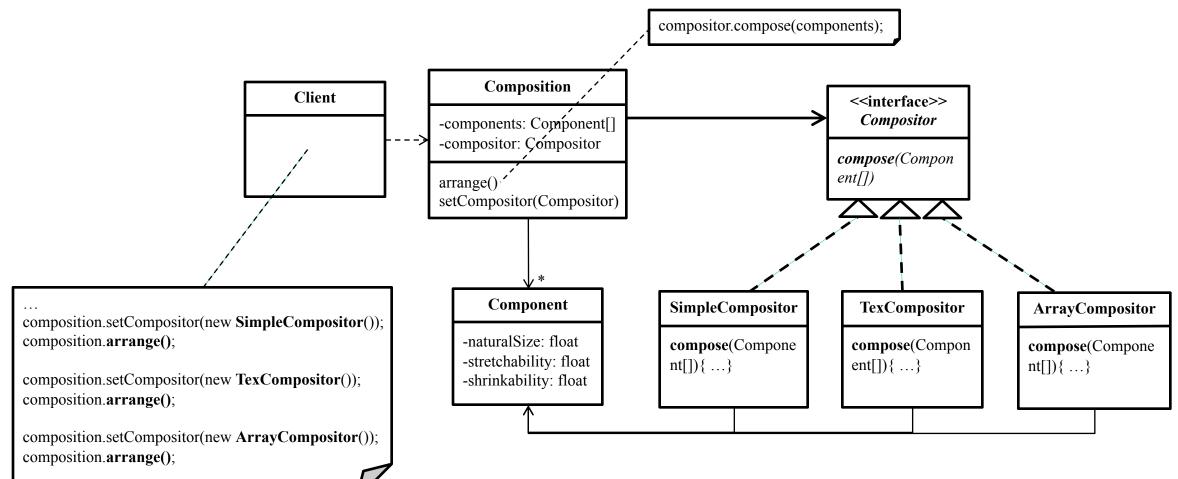


Act-3: Compose Abstract Behaviors





Refactored Design after Design Process





Recurrent Problems

- Multiple classes will be modified if new behaviors are to be added.
 - > It's difficult to add new algorithms and vary existing ones.
- □ All duplicate code will be modified if the behavior is to be changed.
 - > Different algorithms will be appropriate at different times.



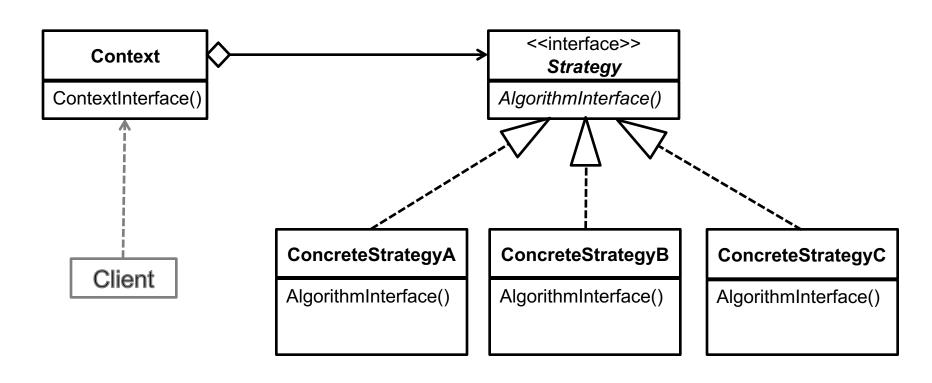
Intent

- Define a family of algorithms, encapsulate each one, and make them interchangeable.
- ☐ Strategy lets the algorithms vary independently from clients that use it.



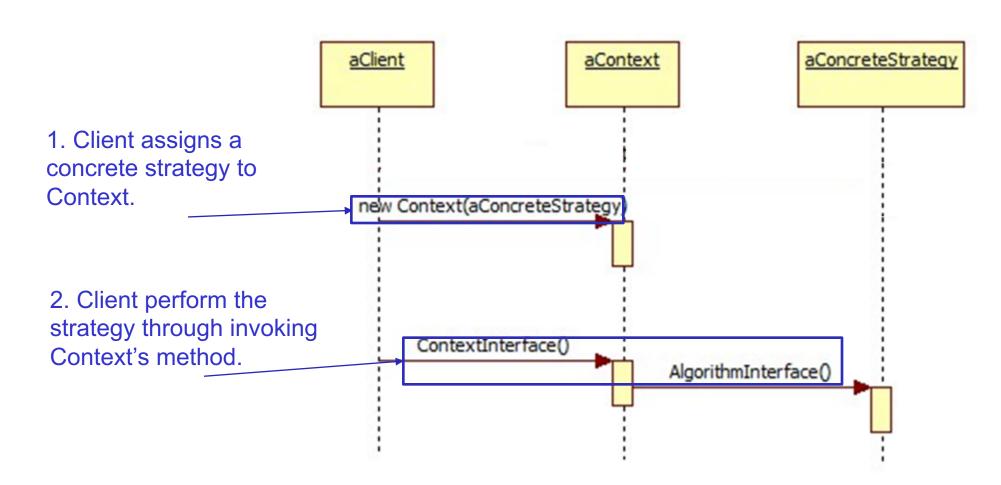
Strategy Pattern Structure₁

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Strategy Pattern Structure₂





Strategy Pattern Structure₃

	Instantiation	Use	Termination
Client	Other class except classes in the strategy pattern	Other class except classes in the strategy patterns	Other class except classes in the strategy pattern
Context	Other class or the client class	Client passes a ConcreteStrategy reference to this class and delegates request to it	Other class or the client class
Strategy	X	Context uses this interface to call the algorithm defined by a ConcreteStrategy	X
Concrete Strategy	The client class or other class except classes in the strategy pattern	Context uses this class which is passed through reference by client through polymorphism	Classes who hold the reference of ConcreteStrategy



Duck Game (Strategy)

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Requirements Statement

- ☐ There are four types of ducks in the game: MallardDuck, RedheadDuck, RubberDuck, and DecoyDuck.
- □ All types of the ducks have the same swim behavior but are with different displays.
- Some ducks can fly with wings, but some cannot fly.
- A duck can quack, squeak, or be silent.
- □ A duck can change its fly or quack behavior at run time.
- New fly or quack behaviors can be added, and the existing behaviors can be modified at compile time.



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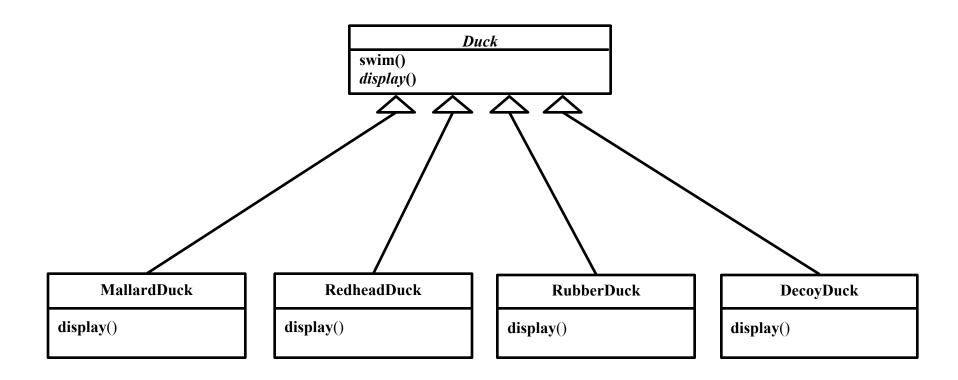
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 MallardDuck
 RedheadDuck
 RubberDuck
 DecoyDuck



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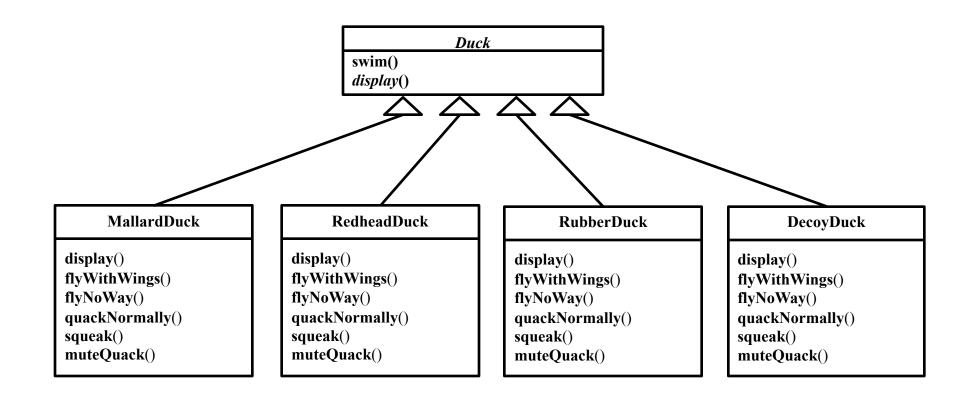
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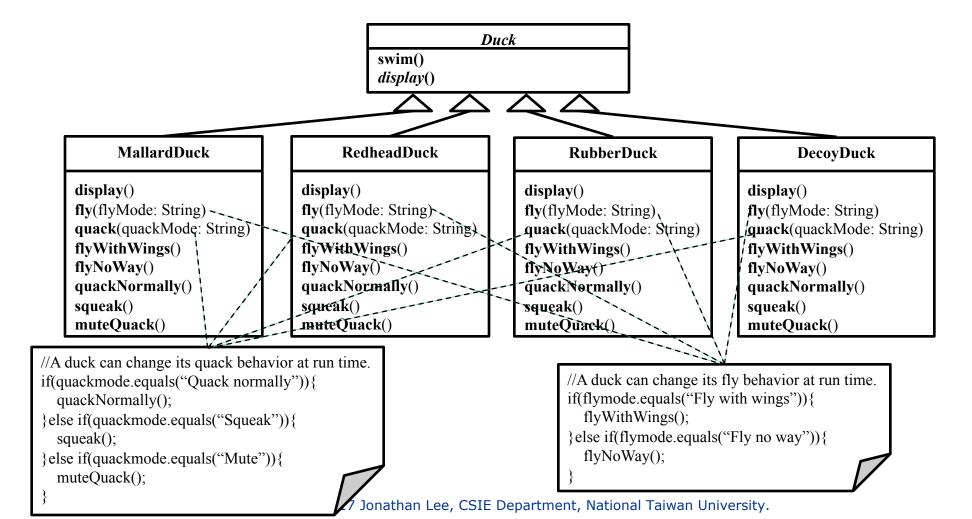
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Requirements Statement₄

A duck can change its fly or quack behavior at run time.



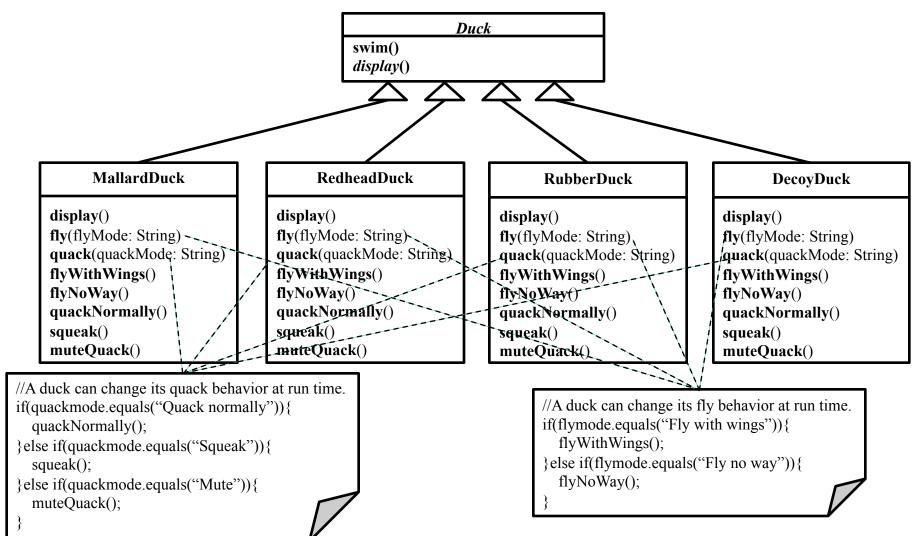
Requirements Statement₅

New fly or quack behaviors can be added, and the existing behaviors can be modified at compile time.

Duck Add new behavior methods swim() and extend the if-else display() statements in fly() or quack() to meet the requirement. MallardDuck RedheadDuck RubberDuck **DecoyDuck** display() display() display() display() fly(flyMode: String) fly(flyMode: String) fly(flyMode: String), fly(flyMode: String) quack(quackMode: String) quack(quackMode: String) quack(quackMode: String) /guack(quackMode: String) flyWithWings() flyWithWings() flyWithWings() flyWithWings() flyNoWay() flyNoWay() flvNoWav() flyNoWay() quackNormally() quackNormally() quackNormally() quackNormally() squeak() squeak() squeak() squeak() muteQuack() muteQuack() muteQuack() muteQuack() //A duck can change its quack behavior at run time. if(quackmode.equals("Quack normally")){ //A duck can change its fly behavior at run time. if(flymode.equals("Fly with wings")){ quackNormally(); flyWithWings(); }else if(quackmode.equals("Squeak")){ }else if(flymode.equals("Fly no way")){ squeak(); flyNoWay(); }else if(quackmode.equals("Mute")){ muteQuack();

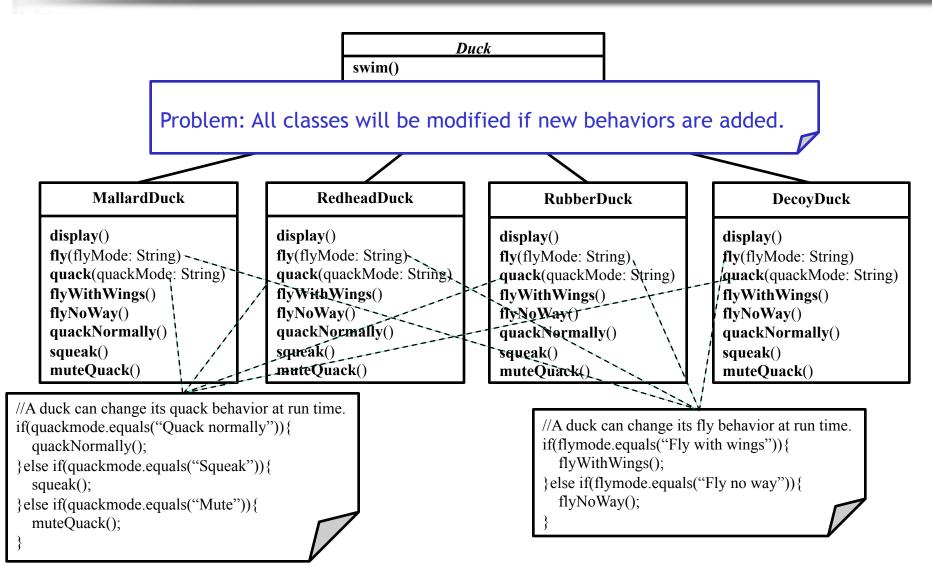


Initial Design - Class Diagram



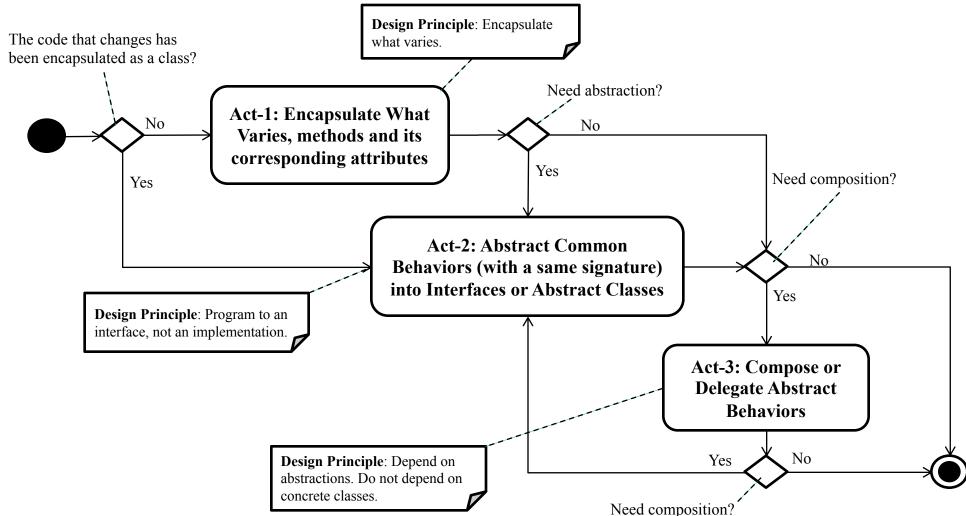


Problem with Initial Design



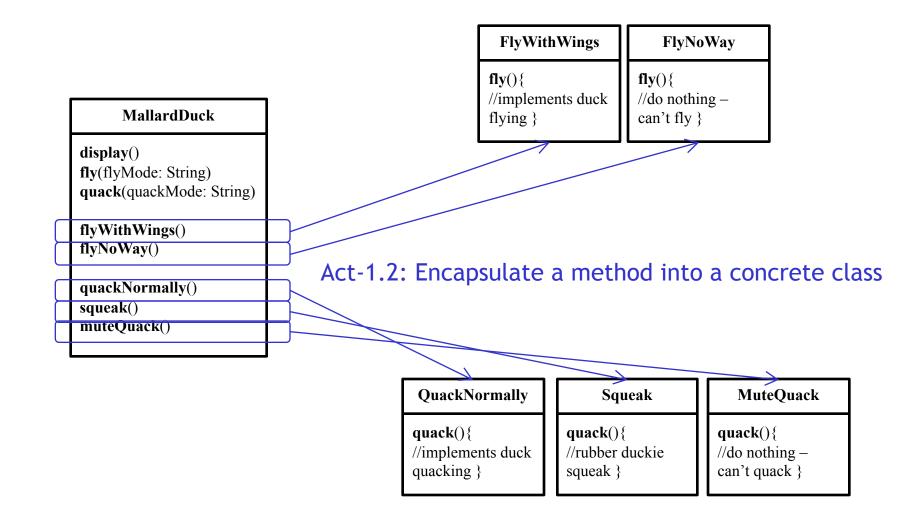


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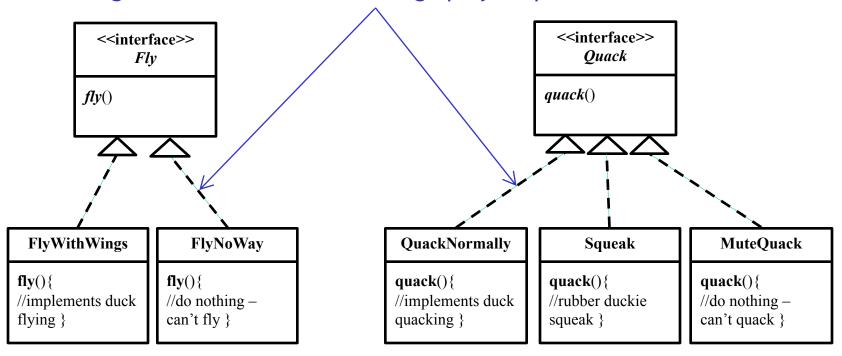
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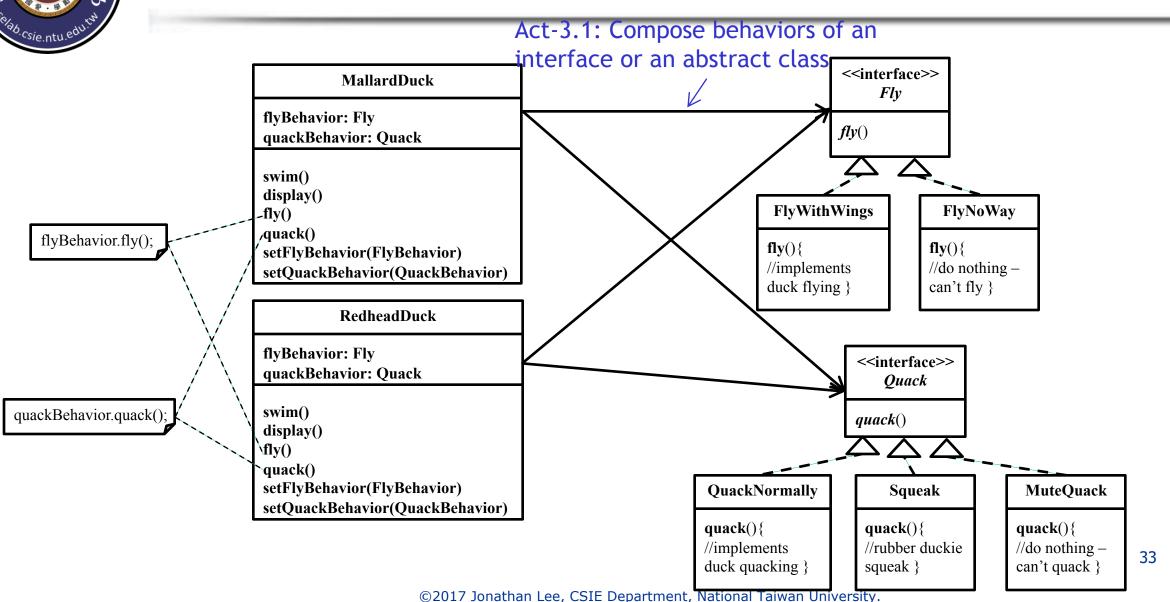
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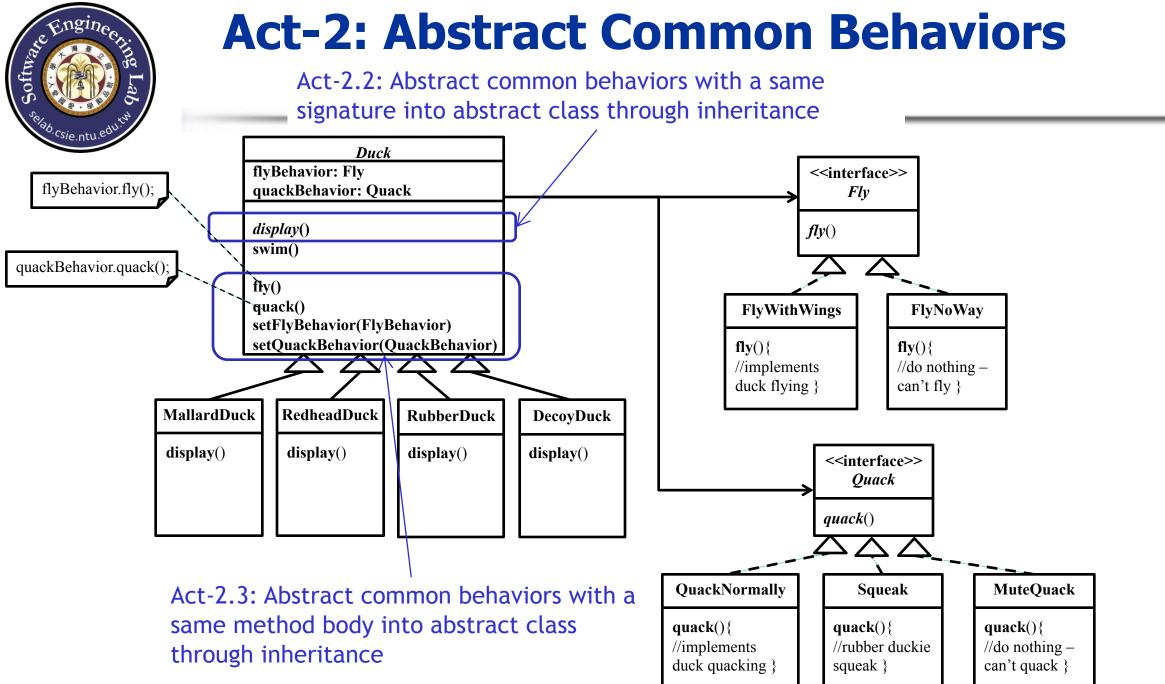
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Act-3: Compose Abstract Behaviors

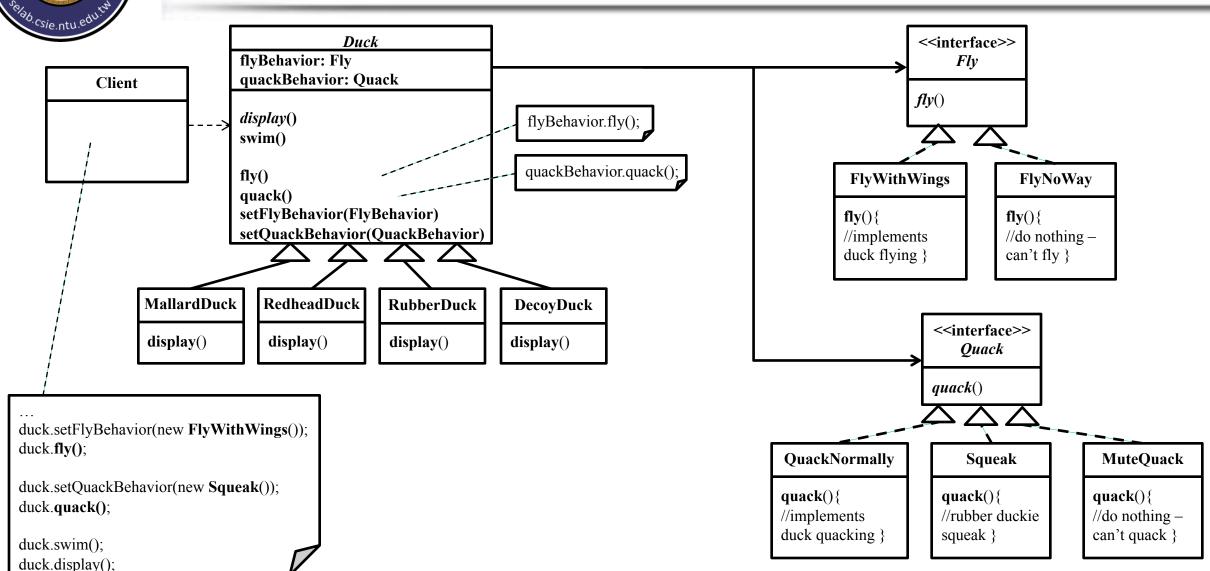




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Refactored Design after Design Process





Homework 1: Requirements Statements₁

- ☐ In a spreadsheet application,
 - ➤ A spreadsheet object, bar chart object, and pie chart object can depict information in the same application data object by using different presentations.
 - > When the user changes the information in the spreadsheet, the bar chart reflects the changes immediately, and vice versa.



Homework 1: Requirements Statements₂

➤ Both a spreadsheet object and bar chart object can depict information in the same application data object by using different presentations.

