

Spring

Inversion of Control

RECAP

```
public class CountryController {  
    private Service service = new HolidayService();  
  
    public [...] getCountries() {  
        return [...]  
    }  
}
```

DEPENDENCY INVERSION PRINCIPLE

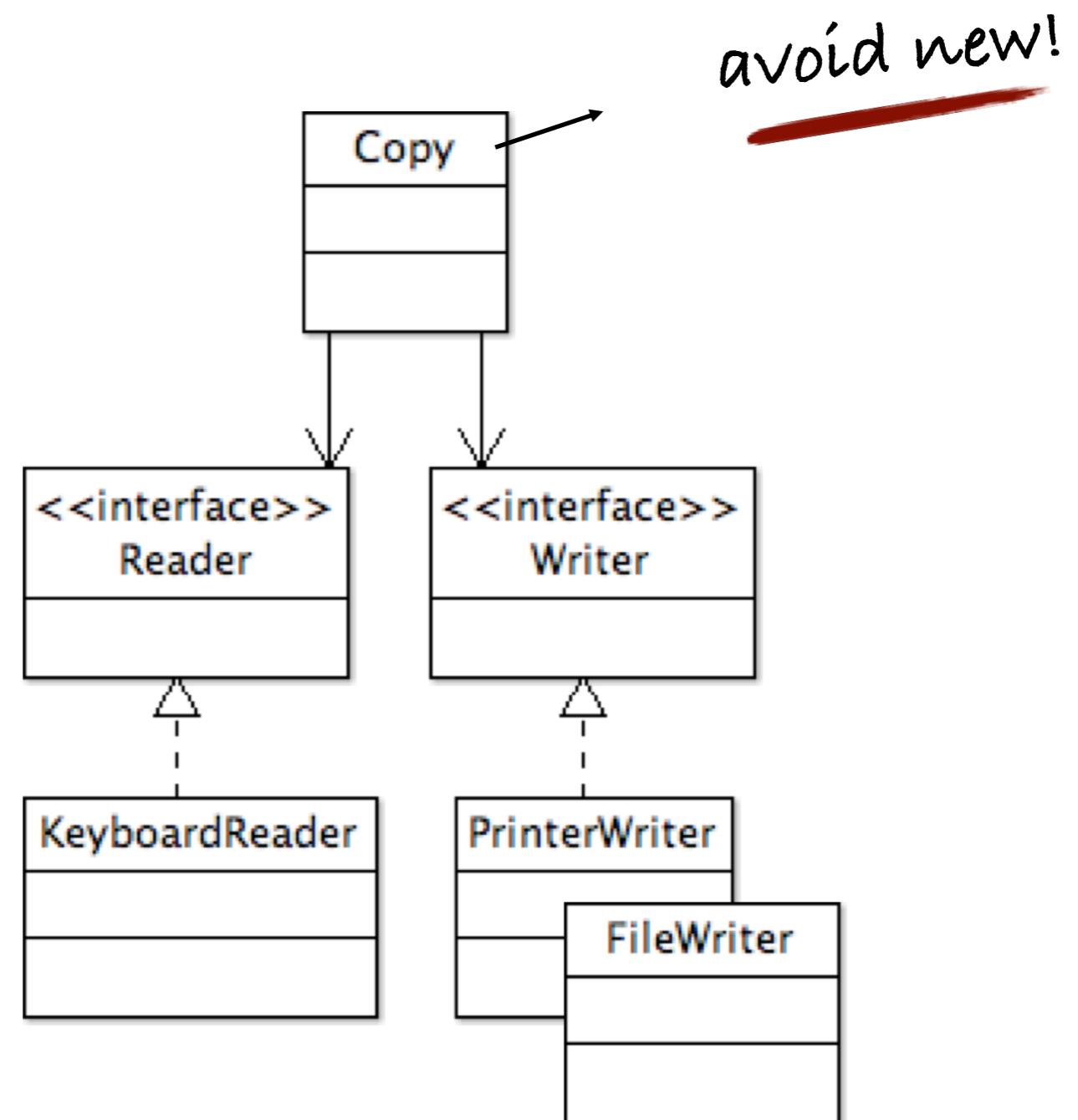
“High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules. Both should depend on abstractions.”

BETTER

High-level class:

***Abstract layer
in between:***

Low-level classes:



DEPENDENCIES

Disadvantage?

service is a **dependency** of CountryController
CountryController **depends** on service

```
@Controller  
@RequestMapping(value = "/country")  
public class CountryController {  
    private Service service = new HolidayService();  
  
    @RequestMapping(method = RequestMethod.GET)  
    public ModelAndView getCountries() {  
        return new ModelAndView("countries", "countries", service.getCountry());  
    }  
}
```

INVERSION OF CONTROL

BY DEVELOPER

```
@Controller  
@RequestMapping(value = "/country")  
public class CountryController {  
    private Service service; → No initialisation here  
  
    public CountryController(Service service) {  
        this.service = service;  
    }  
  
    @RequestMapping(method = RequestMethod.GET)  
    public ModelAndView getCountries() {  
        return new ModelAndView("countries", "countries", service.getCountry());  
    }  
}
```

```
public class ServiceFactory {  
    public Service createService(String type){  
        Service service;  
  
        if(type.equals("holiday")) {  
            service = new HolidayService();  
        } else {  
            service = ...  
        }  
    }  
}
```

→ Dependency is created here and passed as parameter to constructor
→ Done by developer

INVERSION OF CONTROL

BY SPRING

```
@Controller  
@RequestMapping(value = "/country")  
public class CountryController {  
    private Service service;  
  
    public CountryController(@Autowired Service service) {  
        this.service = service;  
    }  
  
    @RequestMapping(method = RequestMethod.GET)  
    public ModelAndView getCountries() {  
        return new ModelAndView("countries", "countries", service.getCountry());  
    }  
}
```

Dependency is created and **injected** by Spring

How does the container know which type?



APPLICATIONCONFIG

```
package be.ucll.tourism.web.config;

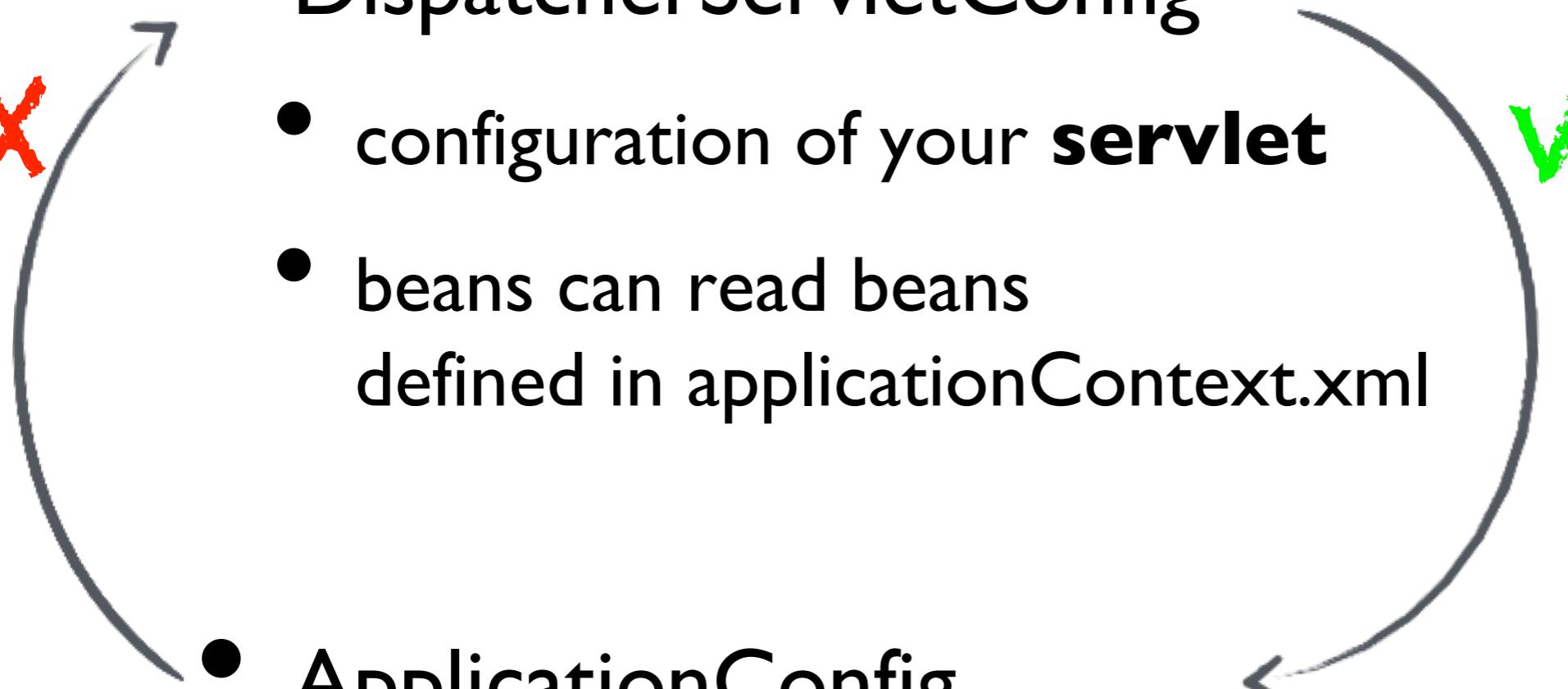
import be.ucll.tourism.service.HolidayService;
import be.ucll.tourism.service.TourismService;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Bean;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;

@Configuration
public class ApplicationConfig {

    name of the object
    @Bean
    public TourismService service() {
        return new HolidayService("Memory");
    }
    type of the object
}
```

argument for the constructor

SPRING CONFIG FILES*

- DispatcherServletConfig
 - configuration of your **Servlet**
 - beans can read beans defined in applicationContext.xml
 - ApplicationConfig
 - general configuration for the **application**
 - beans can NOT read beans defined in dispatcher-servlet.xml
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*can be replaced by annotations

SPRING BEAN

The objects that form the backbone of your application and that are managed by the Spring IoC container are called beans. A bean is an object that is instantiated, assembled, and otherwise managed by a Spring IoC container. These beans are created with the configuration metadata that you supply to the container, ...

- **countryController** is a bean
`org.ucll.demo.controller.CountryController.java`
- **service** is a bean
`org.ucll.demo.domain.HolidayService.java`
- **indexController** is a bean
`org.springframework.web.servlet.mvc.ParameterizableViewController`
- **viewResolver** is a bean
`org.springframework.web.servlet.view.InternalResourceViewResolver`
- ...

REMINDER

JAVABEAN

```
public class Country {  
    private String name;  
  
    public Country() {  
    }  
  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
}
```

public no-arg constructor

getter and setter
define a property



SPRING AND OTHER FRAMEWORKS

- Inversion of control (IoC)

 - Objects **define** their dependencies
 - Spring: @Autowired
 - Container:
 - create and manages beans
 - **injects** dependencies when creating a bean
- also called **dependency injection (DI)**

INVERSION OF CONTROL DEPENDENCY INJECTION

