# **Design Rationale**

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# 1. Grass and Fruit Implementation

## 1.1 Spawn Grass during beginning of the game

When **Application** class is first run, a **World** object will be created and it represents the entire game. This means that the initialization of actors and map will happen in the **Application** class. This also applies to spawning **Grass** objects during the beginning of the game. Therefore, this functionality is added into the **Application** class. How it works is that it will iterate each location of the map and check if it is a **Dirt** class. If the particular location is a **Dirt** object, there is a probability that the location will be replaced by a **Grass** object. Since Grass class is a child class of Ground class, the method setGround(Ground ground) in the **Location** class can be used to set the particular location with a certain Ground type.

#### 1.2 Spawn Grass when Dirt is near Grass or Tree

Since **Dirt** class is a subclass of **Ground** class, **Dirt** objects can experience the time functionality in the game by overriding *tick(Location currentLocation)* from the parent class. How the grass spawning functionality works is that for each **Dirt** object, it will check for each location 2 boxes away from the **Dirt** object to see if there is a **Grass** object. If a **Grass** object exists, the method *calculateProbability(Int chances)* in the **Probability** object will be called. If the method returns True, a **Grass** object will replace the **Dirt** object. The similar functionality applies the same when a **Dirt** object is near a **Tree** object, whereby each **Dirt** object will check for each location 1 box away instead.

The new class **Probability** is created because in this game, there are many functionalities which require the system to generate randomly based on a certain percentage. Therefore, in order to avoid DRY principle and repeated codes, this new class is created so that it can provide the functionality to classes that wish to implement it. Furthermore, this design also obeys the design principle of "Classes should be responsible for their own properties". Other classes should not implement the probability functionalities because it is not their job. This ensures clear validity and the information needed is stored as close as possible to where it is needed.

In the previous implementations, the class **Exit** was not being implemented. In the new design, we have used **Exit** to get each location from a **Dirt** object. A first for loop will iterate all Exit locations and check if the location has a Tree object. A second inner loop will iterate each Exit of Exit to check if the location has a Grass object. This implementation prevents duplicated code, as the previous implementation needs to copy and paste the same conditions over and over again. Thus, it looks much clearer and less complicated to be refactored in the feature.

#### 1.3 Tree object can drop Fruit

Since **Tree** class is a subclass of **Ground** class, **Tree** objects can also experience time functionality in the game by overriding *tick(Location location)* from the parent class. This implementation of method overriding shows that this design provides an advantage of runtime polymorphism and provides specific implementation of a method declared in the parent class. The implementation works in such a way that for each turn played in the game, **Tree** objects will use the method *calculateProbability(int chances)* in the **Probability** object to see if they can drop fruits. If a **Tree** object manages to drop **Fruit** object, the **Location** object will call the *additem(Item item)* method. This is so that the **Fruit** can be picked up by the Player or eaten by Dinosaur. **Fruit** would also override the *tick(Location currentLocation)* method and it creates an int attribute called *age* which will increments by 1 when each turn. This is so that if a **Fruit** object stays on the ground for 20 turns consecutively and not in **Player**'s inventory, it would disappear.

Also, a **Tree** is only allowed to drop **Fruit** provided that there is no Fruit lying on the same location as the Tree. If a **Fruit** has been dropped and has not rotten, **Player** will have to pick the **Fruit** up in order for the Tree to drop a new **Fruit**. This is because if a **Tree** can drop many **Fruits**, and if a **Dinosaur** is standing on the pile of **Fruits**, its **foodLevel** will increase <u>drastically</u> in just a few turns as **Fruit** contributes to a significant increase of the Dinosaur's **foodLevel**.

Since there are many types of items, one of those being food items, a new abstract class **FoodItem** is created in which it inherits **Item** class. This allows the developers to accrue less technical debt in the future because the developers do not have to reclassify the items into different categories.

In the current implementation, **FoodItem** class has been replaced. The reasons and details will be explained later in **Section 2.2**.

# 1.4 Harvesting Grass and Picking Up Fruit from Tree

In the design, two new classes in charge of the feature of harvesting grass are created which are HarvestingGrassBehaviour and HarvestingGrassAction. The Player class would have an array of Behaviour types which store the behaviours classes, which include HarvestingGrassBehaviour class. In HarvestingGrassBehaviour class, it would implement the Behaviour interface which then override its *getAction* method. The utilization of Behaviour interface gives an advantage such that the security of the implementation is achieved. In the implementation of the method, if the current location has a Grass object, HarvestGrassAction can be called. This gives an option for the Player to choose if they want to harvest the grass, which produces objects of a new class called Hay and stores them into their inventory. If the HarvestGrassAction is executed, the ground type of current location would be set to Dirt object again.

For the feature of picking fruit, two new classes are created which are

SearchFruitBehaviour and SearchFruitAction. SearchFruitBehaviour object is also created and stored in the array of Behaviour field in the Player class. This implementation shows that a Player object can have multiple behaviours by using an array data type to store them, its behaviours are not hard coded. SearchFruitBehaviour object would return

SearchFruitAction object if the current location of the Player is having a ground type of Tree. In the SearchFruitAction class, calculateProbability(int chances) of an Probability object would be used to determine if the Player has successfully picked the fruit and retrieved it into the inventory.

# 2. Hungry Dinosaur Implementation

# 2.1 Hunger implementations

To know if a Stegosaur is hungry, an Enumeration class named **DinosaurCapability** is made to record the current health status of Stegosaurs using different Capabilities such as:

- ALIVE
- DEAD
- HUNGRY
- UNCONSCIOUS

When a Stegosaur object is created, the Capability ALIVE is added to the Stegosaur.

The **Capability** *ALIVE* is removed from **DinosaurCapability** as it was realised that it is not used significantly in the code and will only create confusion.

For the Stegosaur to feel hungry, an int attribute named **foodLevel** is first added to the Stegosaur Class. To decrease the foodLevel, a method that decreases the foodLevel of Stegosaur is implemented and is called in every playTurn of the Stegosaur. As a result, the foodLevel of Stegosaur will decrease by 1 for every round until it reaches 0 where the Dinosaurs become unconscious.

A new method that checks the status of the Stegosaur and adds or removes suitable **DinosaurCapability** to the Stegosaur is implemented in the Stegosaur Class and called in every play turn of the Stegosaur. The implementation is as following:

- When the foodLevel of Stegosaur drops below 30 and is above 0, a new Capability
   HUNGRY is added to the Stegosaur provided the Stegosaur did not have the
   Capability HUNGRY
- When the foodLevel of Stegosaur has increased above 30, the Capability HUNGRY is removed.
- When the **foodLevel** reaches 0, a new **Capability** *UNCONSCIOUS* is added to the Stegosaur.

When Stegosaur is unconscious, **DoNothingAction** is returned, Stegosaur cannot move or eat when it is unconscious. Also, since Stegosaur is supposed to die after 20 rounds of

unconsciousness, a new class named **DeadActorAction** that inherits the Action class and overrides the *execute* method and *menuDescription* method is implemented to remove the Stegosaur from the map.

Previously, checking if the **Stegosaur** is unconscious is being done in the *playTurn* method. However, as different types of **Dinosaur** are being added to the system, to reduce <u>duplicated code</u>, it is being extracted as a method in the **Dinosaur** class which can be inherited by its children class. This adheres to the Liskov Substitution Principle.

#### 2.2 Eating and Feeding Implementations

\*Assumption: Hay can be dropped can be eaten by Stegosaur from Ground

To avoid the Stegosaur dying, two new classes named **EatFoodAction** that inherits the **Action** class and **EatFoodBehaviour** that implements the **Behaviour** interface is implemented to let the Stegosaur eat to increase its foodLevel. **EatFoodBehaviour** is added to the **Behaviours** array in the **Player** Class for the Player to execute when conditions are met. EatFoodBehaviour would return a **EatFoodAction** if the Stegosaur is currently standing on a grass by checking the location ground's type using the *getGround()* method or if the Stegosaur is standing on a fruit or a hay by checking the items that is laying on the ground at the Stegosaur's location. This is based on the assumption that Stegosaur will eat the food whenever it is standing on the food regardless of being hungry or not.

Since Stegosaur's food can be of **Ground** or **FoodItem**, two constructors are needed for **EatFoodAction** where one constructor takes grass which is a Ground as the food to eat and another constructor takes an instance of **FoodItem** as the food to eat. **EatFoodAction** will check for which attribute (FoodItem or Ground) is not null and increase the foodLevel of the Stegosaur by the food's food points.

## **Changes to EatFoodAction:**

During the implementations, as the method that increases the **foodLevel** of the **Dinosaur** by the **foodPoints** is implemented in the **Dinosaur** class. As the *execute* method in **EatFoodAction** only accepts **Actor** type as the argument, to increase the **foodLevel** of the **Dinosaur** would need to *downcast* the **Actor** into **Dinosaur** type.

This in many ways has violated the **SOLID Principles**. Firstly, it has violated the **Open-Closed Principle**. In the future, if we are to implement new **Actors** that can eat food as well, we will need to modify the existing **EatFoodAction** and find another solution to solve the downcasting issue.

Therefore, adhering to the <u>SOLID principles</u> and concept of OOP, <u>Polymorphism</u>, a new Interface named <u>EatingInterface</u> is added. In the <u>EatingInterface</u>, the methods *increaseFoodLevel*, <u>decreaseFoodLevel</u> and <u>hunger</u> is added. The <u>Dinosaur</u> class is made to implement the <u>EatingInterface</u> and implements all methods in the <u>EatingInterface</u> in its own class. The children class that inherits the <u>Dinosaur</u> class will inherit the methods as

well, and the children class do not need to implement the methods in the **EatingInterface** which reduce duplicated code.

Although in the execute method in **EatFoodAction**, it is required to cast the actor as **EatingInterface** which can be a code smell, it is still a better solution than downcasting the **Actor** to a **Dinosaur**.

The *downcasting* issue can be easily solved by adding abstract methods for increasing and decreasing food level if we are allowed to modify the **Actor** class in the **engine** package.

Food points of various foods for the Stegosaur are stored in a class named **FoodPoints**. Food points are stored in a *HashMap* as a value where the key is the food. This allows more food to be added to the *HashMap* in the future with convenience.

## **Changes to storage of foodPoints:**

In the previous design, the food and **foodPoints** are manually added into the **HashMap** in the **FoodPoints** class. However, this design would have violated the **Open-Closed Principle** as in the future, if more **food** are added to the system, we have to go back to the **FoodPoints** class to add the **food** and its **foodPoints**.

Therefore, a new Interface named **FoodInterface** and the **FoodPoints** class is renamed to **Food**. The responsibility of the **Food** class is to store a collection of all **foods** and their respective **foodPoints** in a *HashMap*. To allow new **food** to be added to the HashMap, a method named *addFood* that takes in the **displayChar** of the **food** and the **foodPoints** as the arguments. The **displayChar** is chosen as the argument because the *HashMap* cannot just store **Item** or **Ground** as the key as **food** can be of **Item** type or **Ground** type. The class also contains a getter for the **foodPoint** when given the food's *displayChar*. A method that checks if an object is a food is also added and will return true if the object is a food, false if not.

All **Items** or **Ground** that is a food are made to implement the **FoodInterface**. Their **foodPoints** are added into the *HashMap* in their own constructor. If we are to implement any new food in the future, there is no need to go back to the **Food** class and add it. Also, the **foodPoint** of each food is made to be a **constant** in their own class as all instances of the same **food** will have the same **foodPoint**.

If a Stegosaur is not standing on a food, it needs to move to a food source. Therefore, MoveToFoodBehaviour is implemented. MoveToFoodBehaviour implements the Behaviour Interface and overrides the <code>getAction()</code> method. This Behaviour will only be executed when the Stegosaur is hungry, that is when it has the Capability HUNGRY. It will check if there is any food next to the Stegosaur and find the nearest food source to the Stegosaur. MoveToFoodBehaviour will return a new instance of MoveActorAction with nearest food source Location and name of the Exit of the Stegosaur to the food as the arguments. Also, it is assumed that Stegosaur cannot move to the food source and eat the food in the same round. Stegosaur must first move to food source and eat the food in the next round.

#### **Changes to MoveToFoodBehaviour:**

It was realised that there is no need to find the nearest food source **Location** of the **Dinosaur** as **MoveToFoodBehaviour** only checks if there is any **food** on the ground on the immediate **Exits** of the **Dinosaur** and each **Exit** cost the same amount of steps. Therefore, **MoveToFoodBehaviour** do not have a dependency on **CalculateDistance** as there is no need to find a nearest **Location**.

For the Player to feed the Stegosaur, two new classes FeedingAction and FeedingBehaviour are implemented. FeedingBehaviour implements the Behaviour Interface and overrides its *getAction* method. FeedingBehaviour will first check if a Stegosaur is nearby the Player by checking if each Exit of the Player contains an Actor. If true, if Player's inventory contains a FoodItem Object, it will return a new instance of FeedingAction with the FoodItem Object and Location of Stegosaur as the arguments. FeedingAction will remove the FoodItem Object from the Player's Inventory and call EatFoodAction to enable the foodLevel of Stegosaur to increase accordingly.

The reason **EatFoodAction** is called in both **FeedingAction** and **EatFoodBehaviour** is to reduce duplicated code. This is because Stegosaur can eat food to increase its foodLevel through feeding by the Player or eating food on own choice. As the functionality is similar, there is no need to implement another class for increasing the foodLevel of Stegosaur when it is fed by Player. Thus, we have adhered to the **"Don't Repeat Yourself"** principle.

# 3. Breeding

#### 3.1 Breeding Implementation

To indicate a Stegosaur is healthy enough to breed, a **Capability** *HEALTHY* is added to the **DinosaurCapability**. If a Stegosaur has foodLevel above 60 and hitPoints above 90, the **Capability** *HEALTHY* is added to the Stegosaur. To know the gender of the Stegosaurs, a boolean named **male** is added as an attribute to the Stegosaur class and the user is required to indicate the gender when creating a Stegosaur, *true* if it is a male, *false* if it is a female. To indicate if a Stegosaur is pregnant, a boolean attribute named **pregnant** is added to the Stegosaur class and a setter and getter is created.

For the Stegosaurus to breed, two new classes **BreedingAction** and **BreedingBehaviour** are introduced. BreedingBehaviour implements **Behaviour** Interface and overrides the *getAction()*. BreedingBehaviour will first check if the Stegosaur has the **capability** *HEALTHY*. If not, it will return null. If another opposite sex Stegosaur that is not pregnant is right next the Stegosaur, it will return a **BreedingAction** with the Stegosaur Actor and the Location of another opposite sex Stegosaur.

If the Stegosaur is not next to another opposite sex Stegosaur, **BreedingBehaviour** will checked if there another opposite sex Stegosaur that is not pregnant two square away from the Stegosaur and if so, a new instance of **FollowBehaviour** with the opposite sex Stegosaur as the arguments. **FollowBehaviour** will be executed to find the nearest path to the opposite sex Stegosaur. Also, it was realised that **FollowBehaviour** and **EatFoodBehaviour** has

some similar functionality that is, it both finds the nearest path to its target and returns it. To obey the **DRY** principle, a new Class named **CalculateDistance** is created to find the nearest path to a target and returns an **Exit**.

**BreedingAction** inherits the **Action** class and overrides the *execute* and *menuDescription* method. The probability of breeding successfully is set to be 20%. The calculateProbability method in Probability class is called to see if breeding is successful. If successful, **BreedingAction** checks which Stegosaur is a female Stegosaur and sets pregnant to be true. If not, it will return a String saying breeding has failed.

Similar to **EatFoodAction**, it was found out that if the previous design is followed, it is required to <u>downcast</u> the actor to **Dinosaur** to access to the setter and getter of the *pregnant* attribute. As this violates the <u>SOLID principle</u>, a new Interface named **BreedingInterface** is added and the **Dinosaur** class is made to implement it. **Dinosaur** class overrides the method in the **BreedingInterface** which consists of the setter and getter of the pregnancy status, a getter of the gender of the actor that returns a boolean and a method to check if a pair of **Actors** can mate.

#### **Changes to BreedingAction:**

**BreedingAction**'s constructor has been modified to take the opposite sex **Dinosaur** as the only parameter. This is because taking the location of the **Actor** just contributes to extra lines of codes that can be reduced if the parameter is changed.

# Changes to BreedingBehaviour:

**BreedingBehaviour** does not check if the Actor has the **DinosaurCapability** HEALTHY and if the **Actor** and its mating partner is pregnant or not. Instead, **BreedingBehaviour** calls the method that is implemented in the **Dinosaur** class that checks if a pair of Actors can mate which does the checking for the **DinosaurCapability**, gender and *pregnancy* status of both Actors. This allows future implementation of other **Actor** that can breed to have their own condition for breeding.

# 3.2 Dinosaur Egg and BabyDinosaur implementation

If a Stegosaur is pregnant, after 10 turns, it will lay an egg. Therefore, a class named **DinosaurEgg** that inherits the **Item** class is implemented. After 30 turns, the egg will hatch and a baby dinosaur should be added to the map. The gender of the babyDinosaur is chosen by using the method *calculateProbability* in **Probability** class. The baby dinosaur has an equal chance of being a male or a female.

A **BabyDinosaur** class that inherits the **Stegosaur** class is created. **BabyDinosaur** will grow up if it has a age of 30 and has **foodLevel** above 80 and **hitPoints** above 95. This condition is being checked for every play turn of the baby dinosaur in the playTurn method.

**BabyDinosaur** can grow when it has a age of 30 and a foodLevel above 60 and hitPoints above 95.

To let the baby Dinosaur grow up to be an Adult Dinosaur, a new class named **GrowUpAction** that inherits the **Action** class is implemented. **GrowUpAction** will first remove the babyDinosaur from the map and add an adult dinosaur (Steogosaur or Allosaur) to the map. The gender of the adult dinosaur will be the same as the gender of the baby dinosaur.

If the conditions for the babyDinosaur to grow up are met, **GrowUpAction** will be called with the **babyDinosaur** as the arguments.

The **BabyDinosaur** has similar characteristics as an adult dinosaur except that it cannot breed. To do this, new **Capability** ADULT and JUVENILE is added to DinosaurCapability. The method that checks if a pair of **Dinosaurs** can mate in the **Dinosaur** Class will check if the **Dinosaurs** are an adult by checking if the **Dinosaur** has the **DinosaurCapability** ADULT. If the **Dinosaur** is not an adult, the method will return false.

It is assumed that the priority of Dinosaur behaviours is as following from highest to lowest:

- 1. EatingBehaviour
- 2. MoveToFoodBehaviour
- 3. BreedingBehaviour
- 4. AttackBehaviour (for Allosaur)
- 5. WanderBehaviour

# 4. Eco points and Purchasing

#### 4.1 Introduction of EcoPoint in the game

A new class called **EcoPoint** is added into the system in which it contains an int attribute called *ecoPoint*. A new interface class called EcoPointInterface is created and the interface contains a **EcoPoint** object. Since the EcoPoint class contains a method called *addEcoPoint(int newPoint)*, other classes can implement the **EcoPointInterface** so that it can call the method and increase or decrease the existing eco points.

This feature is designed in such a way that only the classes which will increase the eco points will need to implement the EcoPointInterface. The implementation of the **EcoPointInterface** also allows classes to implement multiple interfaces as multiple inheritance is not supported in Java.

The classes which implements **EcoPointInterface** are:

- **BuyingAction** Decreases eco points when items are bought in the vending machine
- **DinosaurEgg** Increases eco points when a stegosaur or an allosaur hatches
- FeedingAction Increases eco points when hay or fruit is fed to a dinosaur
- Grass When grass grows each turn

- HarvestGrassAction When hay is obtained by harvesting grass
- Player Represents the total eco points a player is having right now

# 4.2 Purchasing feature

A new class called **BuyingBehaviour** which implements **Behaviour** interface is created. In this class, *getAction(Actor actor, GameMap map)* is overridden by only returning null value. This is because **Player** can buy many items, so there should be 1 or more than 1 actions to be returned. Therefore, a new method called *getMoreActions* is called in which it will return an **Actions** object instead. In the **Player** class, a conditional statement is added during the iteration of for loop in the *playTurn* method in such a way that if the **Behaviour** obtained is **BuyingBehaviour**, it will add all individual **Action** in the returned **Actions** object in the **Actions** object stored in **Player** class.

This design implementation utilizes previous features as much as possible as it is a hassle and bad design habit to design a new user interface just to allow **Player** to buy items from the **VendingMachine**.

In the improved version of purchasing feature implementation, we ensured that each Item object that will be sold in VendingMachine has a constant price attribute. This would ensure the **Open/Close Principle** is followed because the **VendingMachine** would not have to be modified in its methods when it comes to adding item prices. Instead, only in the constructor of the **VendingMachine** that we have to add the new item to be sold, but the item price will still be obtained as the method **addItemPrice()** would iterate over the item list and add the string representation of item and its price to a hashmap. Each item sold in the VendingMachine would have implemented **ItemSoldInterface** in order to store their respective price. **VendingMachine** would also implement the interface in order to retrieve the item price hashmap.

Since each item to be sold in the **VendingMachine** has its own price, the price will be constant because the item price will not be changed. This would also prevent changes to the prices when **Player** is buying the items. This is an exception in the **DinosaurEgg** class because different species of egg have different prices.

#### 4.3 Meal Kits and Laser Gun

**VegetarianMealKit and CarnivoreMealKit** are two new classes in which both inherit from **FoodItem** because they can be consumed by the **Dinosaur** objects. Since both meal kits have unique string representations, the hashmap attribute called *foodPoints* in the **FoodPoints** class will map String into Integer value.

Both of the meal kits will not no longer inherit from FoodItem, but instead they will inherit from **PortableItem** which then implements **FoodInterface**. The **FoodInterface** will store **Food** object, in which the items sold can access the method of **Food** *addFood()* to add respective items sold to a hashmap. This reduces redundant codes, as compared to

previous implementation of FoodItem and FoodPoints because there are some foods that are not Items such as **Grass**.

LaserGun is a new class which inherits from WeaponItem. In order to activate the feature of Player whereby it can attack, AttackBehaviour class is created. In the AttackBehaviour class, if a Player is 1 box away from the Dinosaur objects, the AttackAction object will be returned. If a Player has a LaserGun object in the inventory, Player can attack other Dinosaur objects. An additional feature for LaserGun is also added in such a way that a Player can only carry and use LaserGun for 100 turns. This increases the difficulty of the game and brings in real-world logic of durability into the game.

#### 5. Allosaurs

#### 5.1 Dinosaur Abstract Class and Allosaurs

Since we have two different species of dinosaurs (Stegosaur and Allosaur) that have similar characteristics, a new abstract class named **Dinosaur** is implemented. The **Dinosaur** class inherits the **Actor** class and overrides its *getAllowableActions* and *playTurn* methods. A new class named **Allosaur** is created to represent the new species of dinosaurs that we have in our game. **Allosaur** class inherits the **Dinosaur** class and the **Stegosaur** class are modified to inherit the **Dinosaur** class. The methods previously implemented in the **Stegosaur** class are moved to **Dinosaur** class. The **Stegosaur** and **Allosaur** has their own constructor that is different from their super class and overrides the *playTurn* method. Both playTurn method in Stegosaur and Allosaur class calls the super method in the Dinosaur class. This can help us to reduce duplicated code in Stegosaur and Allosaur class which aligns with the **DRY** principle.

To record the different species of Dinosaur, a new *String* attribute named **species** is added to the **Dinosaur** class. The name of the species will be recorded when a Dinosaur is created. **Species** does not require input from the user when creating a **Stegosaur** or **Allosaur** Object as it has been set in the constructor of Stegosaur and Allosaur.

To avoid interbreeding between Stegosaur and Allosaur, **BreedingBehaviour** will check if the Dinosaurs are of the same species before returning **BreedingAction**.

In the implementation, we have decided to allow the **Dinosaurs** to interbreed and the **BabyDinosaur** will follow the species of its mother. This may contribute to interesting features in the future such as having a new species when different species of Dinosaurs breed.

Apart from that, **BabyDinosaur** is modified to inherit the **Dinosaur** class as well. Baby dinosaurs will be the same species as their parents.

To add on the previous design, a String attribute that records the species of the mother of the **DinosaurEgg** is added to the **DinosaurEgg** class. This is so that, when the DinosaurEgg hatches, a new BabyDinosaur that is of the same species with its mother is added to the map.

#### 5.2 Diets

As **Stegosaur** and **Allosaur** has different diets, new **Capability** named *HERBIVORE* and *CARNIVORE* is added to the **DinosaurCapability** class. When creating a **Stegosaur** object, it is automatically assumed that it is a herbivore and the **Capability** *HERBIVORE* is added to the **Stegosaur** Object. Likewise for **Allosaur** as a carnivore. **BabyDinosaur** will have either the **Capability** *HERBIVORE* or *CARNIVORE* added according to the species of its parents.

A new Enumeration class named **TypeOfFood** that stores the **Capability** HERBIVOROUS and CARNIVOROUS is added to the system. Depending on the type of food, the Capability

is added to each food respectively. For example, **Fruit** has the **Capability** HERBIVOROUS as it a **Herbivore's** food and **Corpse** has the **Capability** CARNIVOROUS as **Corpse** can only be eaten by carnivores.

As **Allosaur** can consume dead corpse of Stegosaur, a new class named **Corpse** that inherits the **PortableItem** class and implements the **FoodInterface** as it is a type of food is implemented Previously, when a **Dinosaur** dies, it is removed from the **map** automatically. Since **Corpse** can be eaten, when **Dinosaur** dies, it is removed from the map and a **Corpse** needs to be added to the map. Therefore, a new class named **RemoveActorAction** is implemented to remove the Dinosaur from the map. **RemoveActorAction** inherits the **Action** class and overrides the *getExecute* and *menuDescription* methods.

Also, since **DinosaurEgg** can be eaten by **Allosaur**, **DinosaurEgg** is modified to **implement FoodInterface**. **Corpse** and **DinosaurEgg** are added to the **Food** class along with its respective food points. At here, we assume that eating a Stegosaur Egg and eating a Allosaur Egg will give the same food points.

It is assumed that Player can feed Allosaur a Vegetarian food but there will be no increase in the foodLevel of Allosaur as Allosaur will not consume it. Also, Player can feed a Stegosaur meat but it will not consume it and thus, no increase in its foodLevel. This feature is eliminated from the current implementation as it will be a waste of the Player's ecoPoints to purchase things but not being able to use its function correctly. Player can only feed Stegosaur(Herbivore) with Herbivorous food and Allosaur(Carnivore) with Carnivorous food. The changes have been reflected in the FeedingBehaviour class to check the type of food and the type of diet that the Dinosaur takes.

#### 5.3 Allosaur Attacks Stegosaur

For Allosaur to attack Stegosaur, AttackBehaviour class that has been implemented previously has been added as a behaviour of Allosaur. Instead of modifying code in the playTurn method in the Allosaur class which will cause duplicated code as it now has different behaviours than Stegosaur, a new method named AttackAbility that returns a boolean that indicates whether an Actor has the ability to attack another Actor is implemented in the Actor Interface. Player, BabyDinosaur, Stegosaur and Allosaur needs to implement the method in each of their class. Since Stegosaur and BabyDinosaur cannot attack other Actors, AttackAbility will return false when it is called. Player and Allosaur are able to attack other Actors, thus, AttackAbility will return true when called.

The **AttackBehaviour** class is then modified to check if the **Actor** has the ability to attack. **AttackAction** will only be returned in the **AttackBehaviour** class if the **Actor** has the ability to attack.

**AttackBehaviour** is used by different **Actors** via *delegation* and is reused which reduces duplicated code in the system and possibly reduces work in the future if changes are to be made.

# 6. Quit Game

The user can choose to quit the game at every turn by inputting the hotkey. This is being done by the **removeActorAction** that was implemented previously. This helps to reduce duplicated code and improves the usability of classes.

# **Assignment 3 New Functionalities**

#### 7. Thirst and Water

# 7.1. Added Water terrain type

A new class **Water** is added to the game package. Since it is a terrain type, it inherits from **Ground** to access its functionalities. To ensure that land-based dinosaurs cannot enter water, a new constant called **ACROSSWATER** is added to our enum class **DinosaurCapability**. In the method of *canActorEnter()* of **Water** class, it checks if the actor has the **AcrossWater** capability or not. Also, since water can be drunk by Dinosaurs, a new Capability named **WATER** is added to the enum class **TypeOfFood** to represent water. All water has the Capability **WATER**. Also, the foodPoint of water is stored in the Food class.

# 7.2 Thirst and Drinking

For Dinosaurs to feel thirsty, a new Capability **THIRSTY** is added to **DinosaurCapability** class and a new attribute named *waterLevel* is added to the **Dinosaur** class. All **Dinosaurs** have an initial *waterLevel* of 70. Similar to the implementation of eating, a new interface named **DrinksInterface** is added and consists of 3 methods: *decreaseWaterLevel*, *increaseWaterLevel and thirst*. Since Dinosaurs can drink, **Dinosaur** class is made to implement the **DrinksInterface** and its method. At every playturn of Dinosaur Actor, the *waterLevel* of the **Dinosaur** is decreased by 1. When the dinosaur's waterLevel drops below 40, the **DinosaurCapability THIRSTY** is added to the dinosaur. When the waterLevel of a Dinosaur drops to 0, the DinosaurCapability UNCONSCIOUS is added to the Dinosaur. After 20 rounds of unconsciousness, Dinosaur will die.

To enable Dinosaurs to drink, the class **DrinkAction** and **DrinksBehaviour** is added. **DrinksBehaviour** implements the **Behaviour** interface and its *getAction* method. **DrinksBehaviour** will check if the **Dinosaur** is standing on water or it is beside water by checking if the ground has the TypeOfFood Capability **WATER**. If so, **DrinksBehaviour** will return **DrinkAction** with the actor, current map and the ground as the arguments. Then, **DrinkAction** will check if the Actor is an instanceof **DrinksInterface** and if so, call the *increaseWaterLevel* method to increase the *waterLevel* of the Dinosaurs. To prevent Dinosaurs from continuously drinking as DrinksBehaviour will always return DrinkAction as long as the Dinosaur is standing on or besides Water. Without intervention, Dinosaurs will execute DrinkAction forever. Therefore, DrinkAction overrides the *getNextAction* in the **Action** class and returns a **MoveActorAction** through a new instance of **WanderBehaviour**.

## 8. Agilisaurus

A new class named **Agilisaurus** that inherits the **Dinosaur** class is created. Since **Agilisaurus** is an omnivorous dinosaur, the **DinosaurCapability HERBIVORE** and **CARNIVORE** are added to **Agilisaurus**. Thus, **Agilisaurus** can eat both herbivorous food and carnivorous food.

Since **Agilisaurus** inherits the **Dinosaur** class, it can breed, eat, drink and attack. In the **BabyDinosaur** class and **DinosaurEgg** class, **Agilisaurus** is added to ensure baby **Agilisaurus** can be borned and the ecoPoints is added accordingly.

Although Agilisaurus is unable to attack any Actor on the map currently, It is assumed that Agilisaurus has the ability to attack Dinosaurs that have a smaller size compared to itself. This complies with the Open-Closed Principle as we do not need to come back and modify the class when an Actor that is attackable by Agilisaurus is added to the system in the future. Therefore, new Capability SMALL and LARGE is added to the DinosaurCapability class to represent the size of the Dinosaurs. All Agilisaurus have the DinosaurCapability SMALL and all Allosaur, Stegosaur and Archaeopteryx have the DinosaurCapability LARGE.

Dinosaurs that have the **DinosaurCapability SMALL** cannot attack another **Dinosaur** that has **DinosaurCapability LARGE**. This condition will be checked in the **AttackBehaviour** class to ensure a smaller dinosaur cannot attack a larger dinosaur.

Since the **foodPoint** of different **Dinosaurs' Corpse** should be different, this indicates that Dinosaurs are foods. Therefore, **Dinosaur** class is made to implement the **FoodInterface** and the **foodPoint** of each Dinosaur's **Corpse** is stored in the **Food** class.

# 9. Archaeopteryx

A new class named **Archaeopteryx** that inherits **Dinosaur** class is created. Since **Archaeopteryx** is a carnivorous Dinosaur, the **DinosaurCapability CARNIVORE** is added to it. All **Archaeopteryx** has the **DinosaurCapability ACROSSWATER** as it can traverse water. **Archaeopteryx** can enter a pool of water and drink from it.

Similar to all other **Dinosaur, Archaeopteryx** can eat, drink and breed. Since **Archaeopteryx** can attack other **Dinosaurs** for food, the *attackAbility* method in the **Archaeopteryx** class will always return true.

## 10. Second Map

#### 10.1 Moving from one map to another

To implement this feature, a new class called **Border** is created which is a terrain type and inherits from **Ground**. The creation of a Border object will have a respective field of **Location** of the map to be transported. In the overridden *allowableActions* method, the **Border** class would return **MoveActorAction** which basically transports **Player** to different maps. We chose to do it this way because there might be many maps that the game can have in the future. Therefore, in order to <u>reduce technical debt</u> and follow the <u>Open/Close principle</u>. Border class is created to ensure that the developer only has to create new maps and not worry about the existing functionalities at all.

#### 11. Game Modes

#### 11.1 User input

To do the user input feature, we implemented a new class called **ModeDisplay** which is associated with the **Display** class. This is because instead of using *system.out.println* to display the messages, we can use the methods from **Display** class to <u>reduce code</u> <u>duplicates</u>. In the *inputNumber* method, we have implemented a try catch method to ensure user inputs number correctly and does not terminate the program if inputs wrongly.

To choose the mode, we have implemented another method in the Application class called *setMode* which basically creates a ModeDisplay object and calls its method to allow the user to choose modes and enter a number of moves and eco points.

# 11.2 Winning conditions

In the **Player** class, we have added different fields which keep track of player's moves every turn as well as setting the winning moves and winning eco points. Since there is challenge mode and sandbox mode, the field for winning conditions is only implemented when a boolean field of *challengeOrNot* is true.

# 11.3 Endless game until user quits.

To allow user to quit the game at any point of time, we have created a new class called **EndGameAction** which inherits from **Action** class. This extension from **Action** class allows the quit game option to appear in the user menu every turn.

To ensure that user can play another game, we have implemented a while loop inside the **Application** class. As long as the user does not choose the quitting option, the loop will allow the game to be reinitialized and restarted based on the user's chosen game mode.