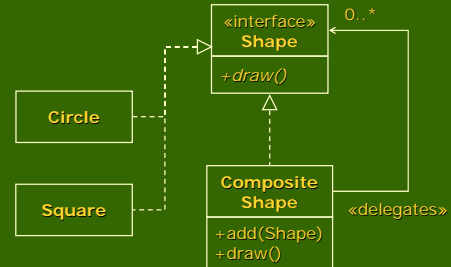


Design Patterns: Set 2

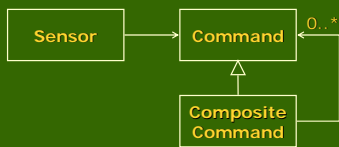
- COMPOSITE
- OBSERVER
- ABSTRACT SERVER
- ADAPTER
- BRIDGE
- PROXY
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COMPOSITE



COMPOSITE and COMMAND



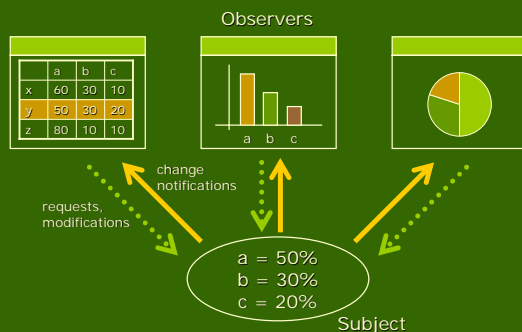
- **Sensor** and **Command**: one-to-one association
- COMPOSITE provides a way to have one-to-many behaviour without one-to-many association
 - list management and iteration appears only once in the composite class
- Cf. j ava. awt. geom. **General Path**

OBSERVER

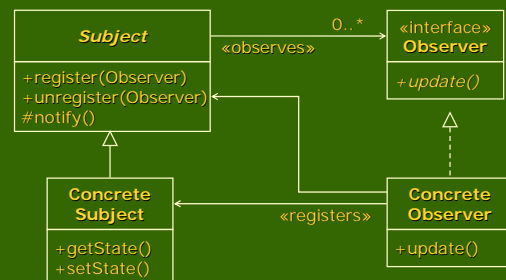
- Service call can be seen as a global event to which the related modules can react
 - creator and handler(s) of the event do not have to know one another → no direct dependency
- Define an object keeps the data model (Subject)
 - Delegate all 'view' functionality to decoupled and distinct Observer objects
 - register to Subject at creation
- When Subject changes, it notifies all registered Observers
 - Observer can query Subject for the data that it is responsible for monitoring
- The number and type of Observers can be configured dynamically at run time



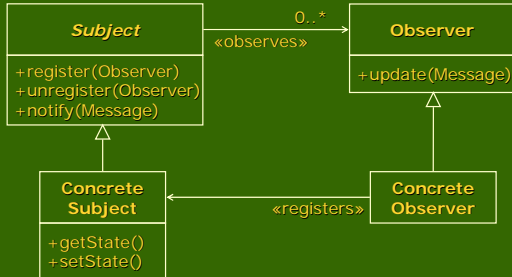
Synchronous Event-Handling



OBSERVER: Pull Model



OBSERVER: Push Model

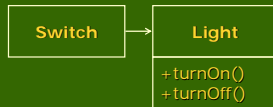


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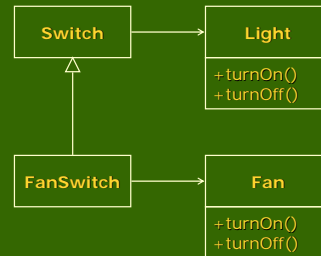
- Use Observer when
 - an abstraction has two aspects, one dependent on the other
 - a change to one object requires changing others, and you do not know how many objects need to be changed
 - an object should be able to notify other objects without assumptions about these objects
- Observer is a widely used pattern: once you understand it, you see uses for it everywhere
 - you can register observers with all kinds of objects rather than writing those objects to explicitly call you
- Cf.
 - `java.awt.event.ActionListener`
 - `java.util.Observer` and `java.util.Observable`

ABSTRACT SERVER – A Motivating Example

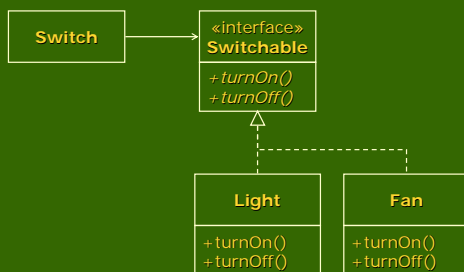
- Design software for a simple table lamp
 - switch: on/off
 - light: on/off
- The simple design violates
 - DIP
 - OCP



Example: A Bad Way to Extend Switch



Example: Extending Switch with ABSTRACT SERVER



Who Owns the Interface?

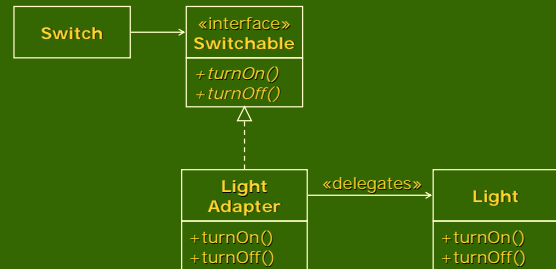
- Interfaces belong to the client, not to the derivative
 - Switch cannot be deployed without Switchable
 - Switchable can be deployed without Light
- Inheritance hierarchies usually should not be packaged together
 - package clients with the interfaces they control
- Cf.
 - `java.io.Closeable`, `java.io.Flushable`
 - `javax.swing.table.TableModel`

ADAPTER

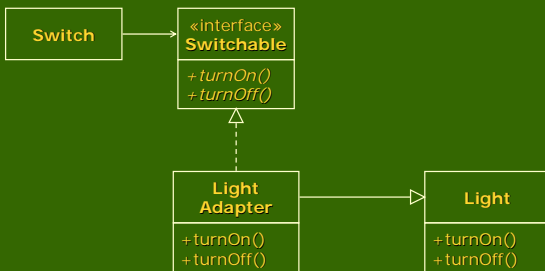
- Potential SRP violation in ABSTRACT SERVER:
 - Light and Switchable may not change for the same reasons
 - what if Light cannot be inherited?
- Solution: add a class that can be adapted to the interface
 - drawback: extra classes, instantiations



Example: Object-Form Adapter



Example: Class-Form Adapter



BRIDGE – A Motivating Example

- Modelling animal characteristics
 - each type of animal can have different number of legs (integer)
 - each type of animal can have different type of movement: fly, walk or crawl
 - an animal must be able to return the number of legs when asked
 - an animal must be able to calculate how long it would take to move a distance given the type of terrain
- Variation in number of legs: a member variable with get/set methods
- Variation in movement type:
 - a member variable to indicate the type and to select different code for movement
 - tight coupling, messy code
 - animal types are derived from a base class
 - need to manage subtypes of animals
 - no animals with more than one type of movement
 - subtyping based on one property: what about classifying them as mammals, reptiles and birds?



Example: Bridging Two Hierarchies



- Encapsulate the behaviour (i.e. movement) into a class
- The animal class contains an object that has the appropriate behaviour

Commonality and Variability

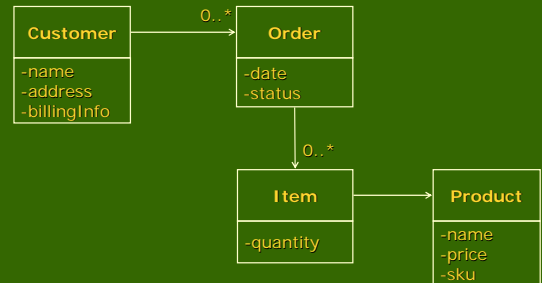
- Commonality analysis
 - what are the common elements among the elements
 - define a family to which the elements belong and a context where things vary
 - find the structure that is unlikely to change over time
- Variability analysis
 - how things vary within the context of commonality (variability only makes sense within a given commonality)
 - find the structure that is likely to change
- Shortly: When the type hierarchy has more than one degree of freedom
 - separate the hierarchies
 - tie them together with a bridge

PROXY

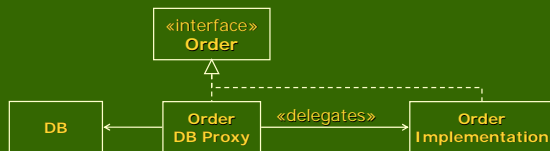
- Allows to cross a barrier without either of the participants knowing about it
 - database
 - network
- Theory: PROXY can be inserted in between two collaborating objects without them knowing about it
- Reality: not so trivial...



Example: Web Shopping Cart



Example: Order Proxy



- Interface that declares all the methods that clients need to invoke
- Class that implements those methods without knowledge of the database
- Proxy that knows about the database

Example: Order Proxy (cont'd)

```
public interface Order {
    public String getCustomerId();
    public void addItem(Product p, int quantity);
    public int total();
}

public class OrderImp implements Order {
    private List<Item> items;

    public int total() {
        int total = 0;
        for (Item item : items)
            total += item.getProduct().getPrice() * item.getQuantity();
        return total;
    }
    /* rest of the implementation omitted */
}
```

Example: Order Proxy (cont'd)

```
public class OrderProxy implements Order {

    public int total() {
        OrderImp imp = new OrderImp(getCustomerId());
        ItemData[] itemDataArray =
            DB.getItemsForOrder(orderId);
        for (ItemData item : itemDataArray)
            imp.addItem(new ProductProxy(item.sku),
                item.qty);
        return imp.total();
    }

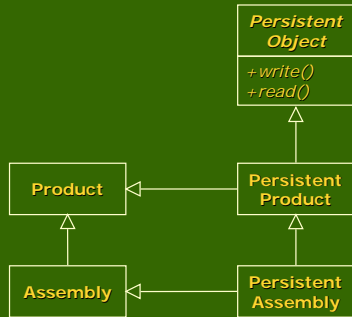
    /* rest of the implementation omitted */
}
```

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- Achieves dependency inversion (like PROXY)
- Employs a variation on the class form of ADAPTER
- Only useful in languages supporting multiple inheritance
- Completely separates knowledge of the database away from the business rules of the application



STAIRWAY TO HEAVEN (cont'd)



Reading for the Next Week

- Section 6: The ETS Case Study
 - Chapter 28: VISITOR
 - Chapter 29: STATE
 - Chapter 30: The ETS Framework