

Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming

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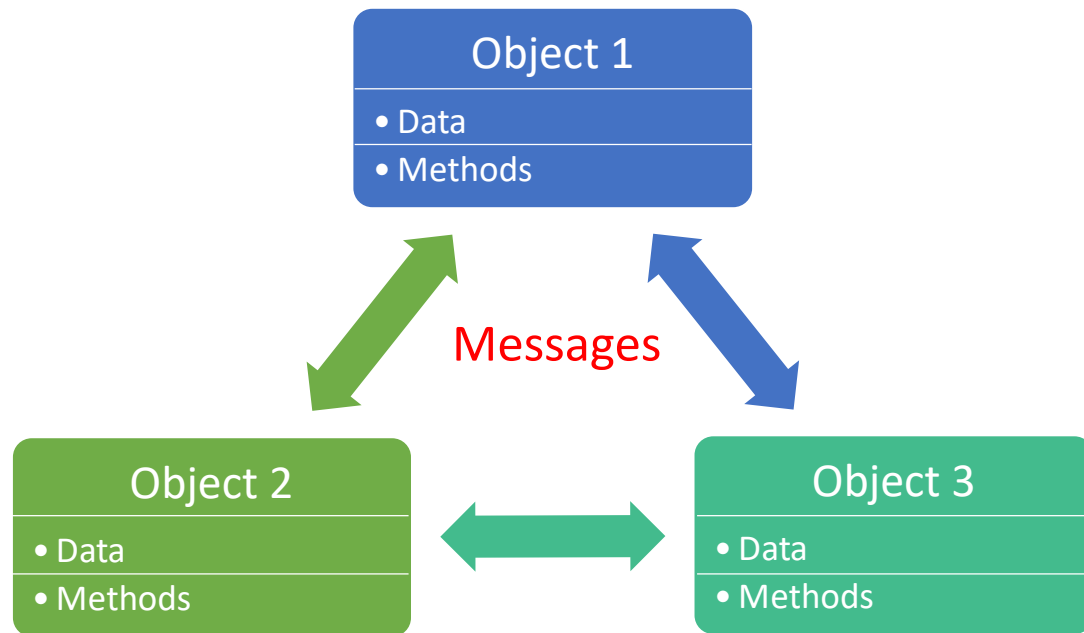
What is Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)?

- A program paradigm based on the concept of **Objects**, which contain **data** and **functions** ([Wikipedia](#))
- Common OOP terminologies:
 - Object -> Class
 - Data -> fields or attributes
 - Functions -> method or behavior

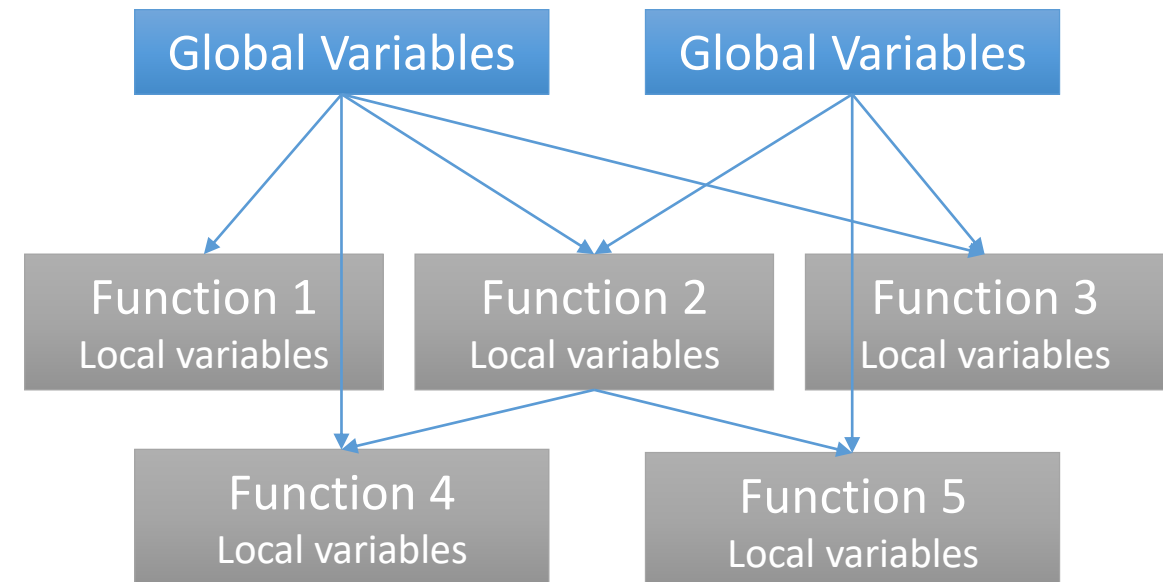


OOP vs. Functional Programming

Object-Oriented Programming

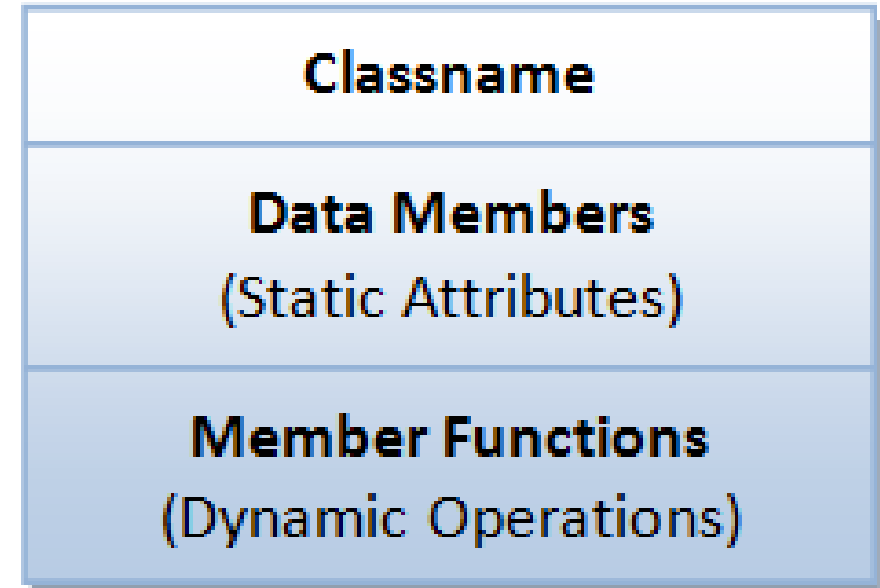


Functional (Procedure) Programming



Object (Class)

- **Class Name**
 - Identifier for the class
- **Data**
 - Or variables, attributes, fields. Save attributes of the class
- **Functions**
 - Or methods. Manipulate the data.



https://www3.ntu.edu.sg/home/ehchua/programming/cpp/cp3_OOP.html



4 Principles of OOP

Abstraction

Encapsulation

Inheritance

Polymorphism



Data Abstraction & Encapsulation

- **Encapsulation**

- Wrap data & functions into a Class

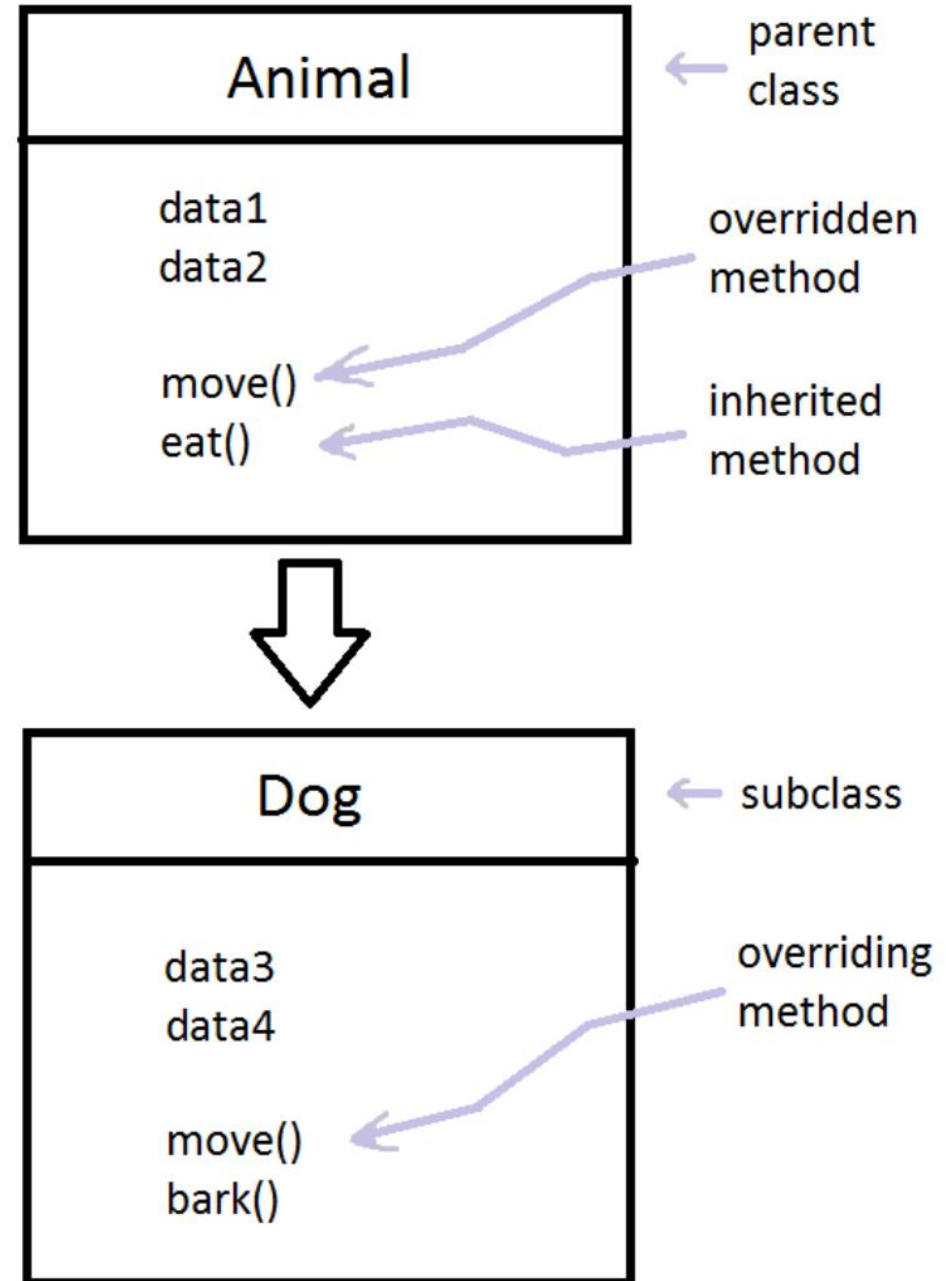
- **Abstraction**

- Define functions but hide the details of implementation



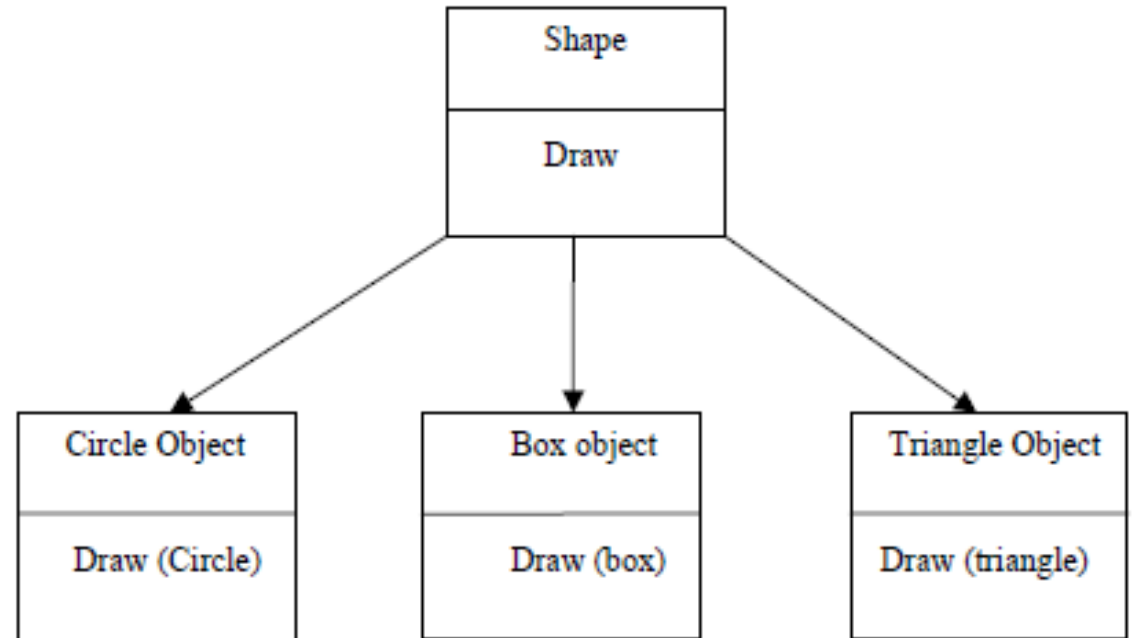
Inheritance

- Derived class can inherit data and functions from parent class



Polymorphism

- Override the behavior of a parent's function
 - Dynamic polymorphism: Overriding
 - Static polymorphism: Overloading



[Pooja Chawla, OOP with C++](#)



Dynamic Binding

- Mechanism for function call of polymorphism and inheritance
- The function is decided at run-time, which depends on the types of pointers



Example: C++ Class

- Define a Box class with length, width, height

```
class Box {  
public:  
    double length; ✓ // Length of a box  
    double width; ✓ // Width of a box  
    double height; ✓ // Height of a box  
};
```



Create Instances of Class

- Declare Box classes and create objects

```
Box Box1;           // Declare Box1 of type Box  
Box Box2;           // Declare Box2 of type Box
```



Print Volume

- Volume = length * width * height
- Output
 - Volume of Box1: 210
 - Volume of Box2: 1560

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class Box {
public:
    double length;    // Length of a box
    double width;     // Width of a box
    double height;    // Height of a box
};

int main()
{
    Box Box1;        // Declare Box1 of type Box
    Box Box2;        // Declare Box2 of type Box
    double volume = 0.0; // Store the volume of a box

    // box 1 specification
    Box1.height = 5.0;
    Box1.length = 6.0;
    Box1.width = 7.0;

    // box 2 specification
    Box2.height = 10.0;
    Box2.length = 12.0;
    Box2.width = 13.0;

    // volume of box 1
    volume = Box1.height * Box1.length * Box1.width;
    cout << "Volume of Box1 : " << volume << endl;

    // volume of box 2
    volume = Box2.height * Box2.length * Box2.width;
    cout << "Volume of Box2 : " << volume << endl;
    return 0;
}
```



C++ Inheritance (2-1)

- Declare a base class “Shape”
 - Data: width, height
 - Functions: setWidth, setHeight
- Declare a derived class “Rectangle”
- Inheritance Syntax
 - `class derived_class :`
`public base_class`

```
shapes.h
#ifndef _SHAPES_H_
#define _SHAPES_H_

// Base class
class Shape {
public:
    void setWidth(int w) {
        width = w;
    }
    void setHeight(int h) {
        height = h;
    }
protected:
    int width;
    int height;
};

// Derived class
class Rectangle : public Shape {
public:
    int area() {
        return (width * height);
    }
};
#endif
```

private:



C++ Inheritance (2-2)

- Create a instance of Rectangle
 - `Rectangle Rect;`
- Call the functions of base class to set width & height
 - `Rect.setWidth(5);`
 - `Rect.setHeight(7);`
- Call the function of derived class
 - `Rect.getArea()`

```
main.cpp
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
#include "shapes.h"

int main() {
    Rectangle Rect;

    Rect.setWidth(5);
    Rect.setHeight(7);

    // Print the area of the object.
    cout << "Total area: " << Rect.area();
    cout << endl;

    return 0;
}
```



C++ Abstraction

- Force derived classes to implement a specific function
- A virtual function “= 0” is a pure virtual function
- In C++, pure virtual function is also called interface

```
// Base class
class Shape {
public:
    void setWidth(int w) {
        width = w;
    }
    void setHeight(int h) {
        height = h;
    }
    virtual int area() = 0;

protected:
    int width;
    int height;
};
```



C++ Polymorphism (2-1)

- Overriding area()

```
class Rectangle : public Shape {
public:
    Rectangle(int a = 0, int b = 0) :Shape(a, b) { }

    int area() {
        cout << "Rectangle class area :" << endl;
        return (width * height);
    }
};

class Triangle : public Shape {
public:
    Triangle(int a = 0, int b = 0) :Shape(a, b) { }

    int area() {
        cout << "Triangle class area :" << endl;
        return (width * height / 2);
    }
};
```



C++ Polymorphism (2-2)

- Create a base class pointer
 - `Shape *shape;`
- Create instances of derived classes
 - `Rectangle rec(10, 7);`
 - `Triangle tri(10, 5);`
- Get reference of instance
 - `shape = &rec;`
- Print result
 - `shape->area();`

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
#include "shapes.h"

int main() {
    Shape *shape;
    Rectangle rec(10, 7);
    Triangle tri(10, 5);

    // store the address of Rectangle
    shape = &rec;

    // call rectangle area.
    shape->area();

    // store the address of Triangle
    shape = &tri;

    // call triangle area.
    shape->area();

    return 0;
}
```



Constructor & Destructor

- **Constructor**
 - Called when an object is created
 - Initialize data
- **Destructor**
 - Called when an object is deleted
 - Can be used to clean data

```
// Base class
class Shape {
public:
    Shape(int a=0, int b=0) {
        width = a; height = b;
    }
    ~Shape(){}

    void setWidth(int w) {
        width = w;
    }
    void setHeight(int h) {
        height = h;
    }
    virtual int area() = 0;

protected:
    int width;
    int height;
};
```



Function Overloading & Operator Overloading

- **Function overloading**
 - Define functions with the same name, but having different types and/or number of arguments
- **Operator overloading**
 - Redefine or overload most of the built-in operators available in C++



Function Overloading

- Define a function that can print different types of data

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class printData {
public:
    void print(int i) {
        cout << "Printing int: " << i << endl;
    }
    void print(double f) {
        cout << "Printing float: " << f << endl;
    }
    void print(char* c) {
        cout << "Printing character: " << c << endl;
    }
};

int main(void) {
    printData pd;

    pd.print(5); // Print integer
    pd.print(500.263); // Print float
    pd.print("Hello C++"); // Print characters

    return 0;
}
```



Operator Overloading

- Can overload default operators (=, +, -, *, /, %, ...)
- Example: Implement “+” for `class Box`

```
class Box {
public:
    // Overload + operator to add two Box objects.
    Box operator+(const Box& b) {
        Box box;
        box.length = this->length + b.length;
        box.width = this->width + b.width;
        box.height = this->height + b.height;
        return box;
    }
    double length;
    double width;
    double height;
};

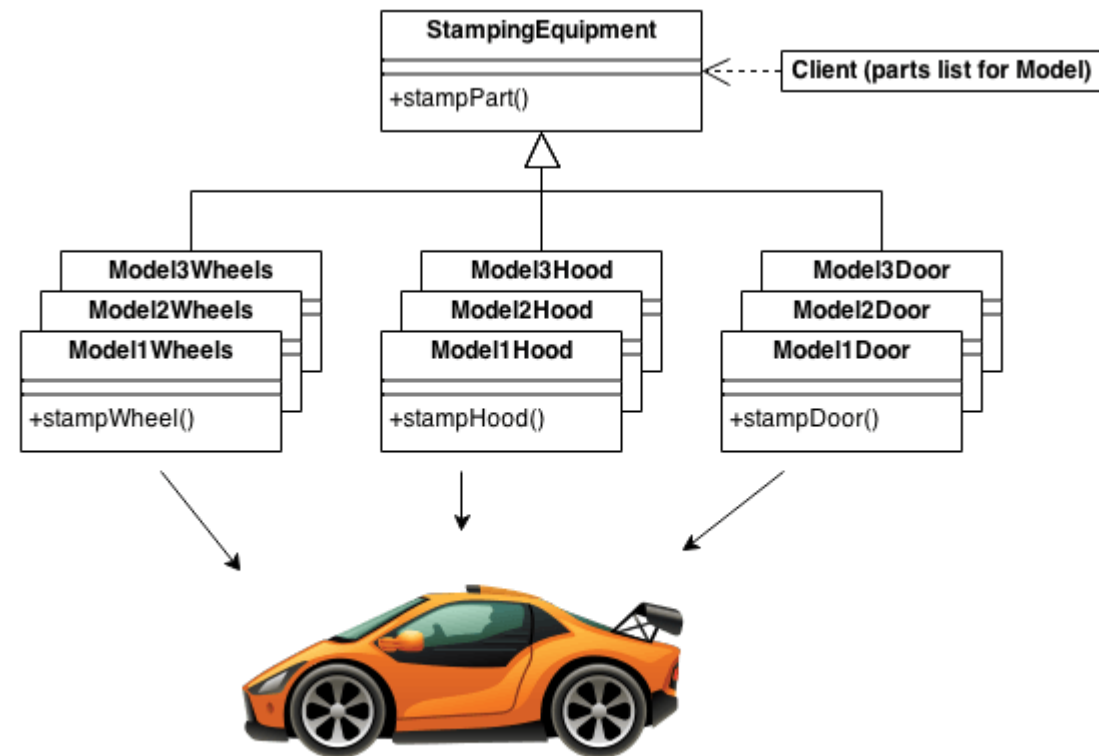
int main() {
    Box Box1; Box Box2;

    Box1.length = 6.0; Box1.width = 7.0; Box1.height = 5.0;
    Box2.length = 12.0; Box2.width = 13.0; Box2.height = 10.0;
    cout << "Volume of Box1 : " << Box1.getVolume() << endl;
    cout << "Volume of Box2 : " << Box2.getVolume() << endl;
    // Add two object as follows:
    Box3 = Box1 + Box2;
    cout << "Volume of Box3 : " << Box3.getVolume() << endl;
    return 0;
}
```



Design Patterns

- **Design pattern** is a general reusable solution to a commonly occurring problem in software **design**
- Three main categories:
 - Creational Patterns
 - Structural Patterns
 - Behavioral Patterns



Origin of Design Patterns

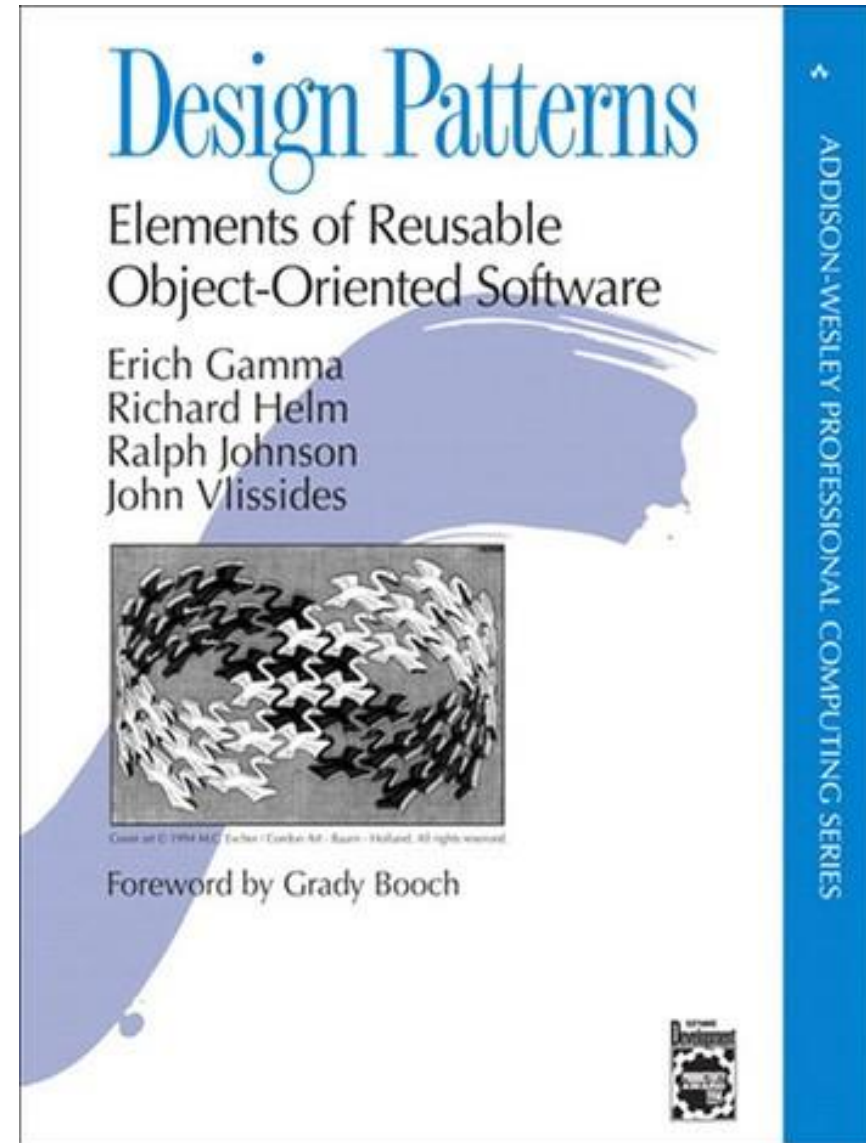
[Erich Gamma](#)

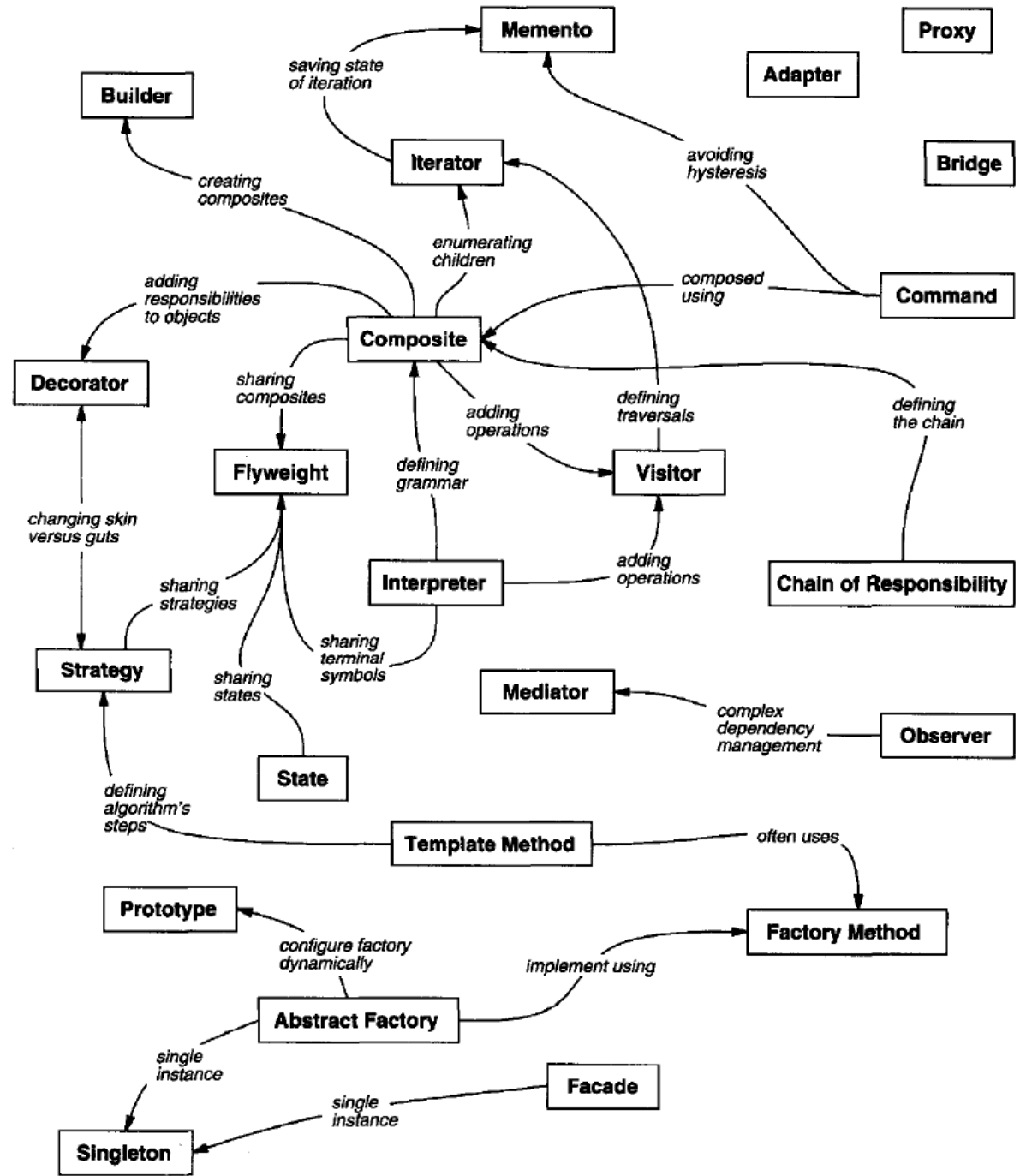
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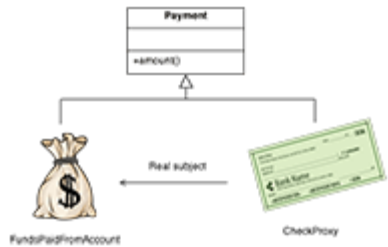
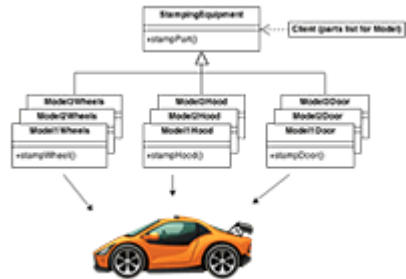
[John Vlissides](#)

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Design Patterns



- Creational design patterns

- Initialize objects or create new classes

- Structural design patterns

- Use inheritance to compose interfaces and compose objects to obtain new functionality

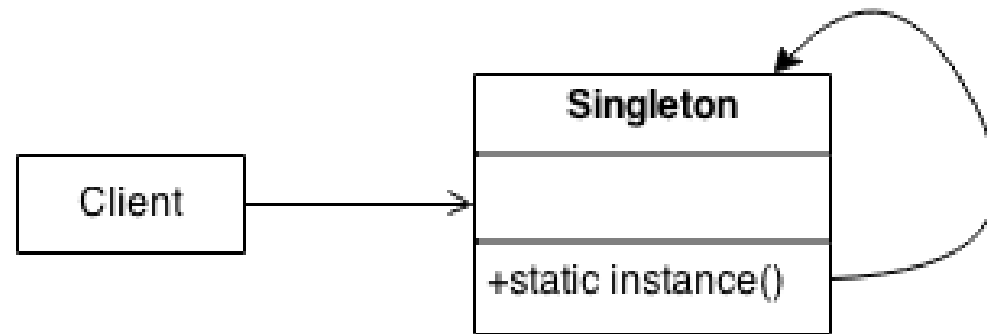
- Behavioral design patterns

- Communication between objects



Singleton Pattern

- Ensure a class has only one instance, and provide a global point of access to it.
- Encapsulated "just-in-time initialization" or "initialization on first use".



C++ Singleton Example

```
class Singleton
{
public:
    static Singleton* getInstance();

private:
    static Singleton* instance; // Here will be the instance stored.

    Singleton(); // Private constructor to prevent instancing.
};

/* Null, because instance will be initialized on demand. */
Singleton* Singleton::instance = 0;

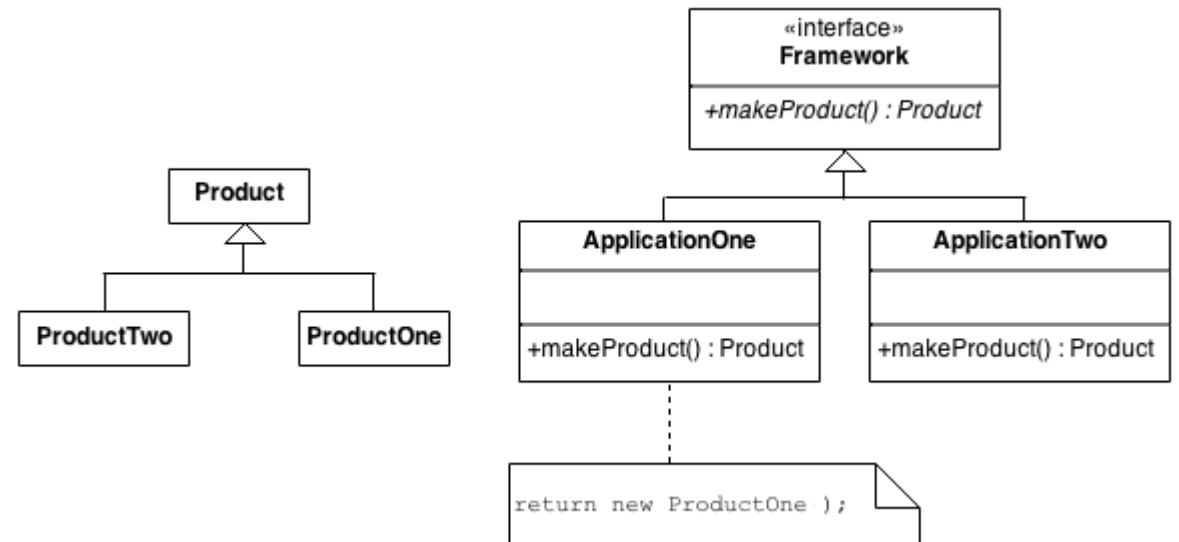
Singleton* Singleton::getInstance()
{
    if (instance == 0)
        instance = new Singleton();

    return instance;
}
```



Factory Pattern

- Define an interface for creating an object, but let subclasses decide which class to instantiate
- Factory Method lets a class defer instantiation to subclasses
- Defining a "virtual" constructor
- The new operator considered harmful



C++ Factory Pattern

```
enum VehicleType {VT_TwoWheeler, VT_ThreeWheeler};
// Library classes
class Vehicle {
public:
    virtual void printVehicle() = 0;
    static Vehicle* Create(VehicleType type);
};
class TwoWheeler : public Vehicle {
public:
    void printVehicle() {cout << "I am two wheeler" << endl;}
};
class ThreeWheeler : public Vehicle {
public:
    void printVehicle() { cout << "I am three wheeler" << endl;}
};
// Factory method to create objects of different types.
Vehicle* Vehicle::Create(VehicleType type) {
    if (type == VT_TwoWheeler)
        return new TwoWheeler();
    else if (type == VT_ThreeWheeler)
        return new ThreeWheeler();
    else return NULL;
}
```



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