

Midterm 1 Review

Concepts

A. UML Class Diagrams

1. Components: Class, Association (including association name), Multiplicity Constraints, General Constraints, Generalization/Specialization, aggregation/composition, attributes
2. Conceptual Model
3. Design Model
  - a. at higher level Many to Many often preserves or replicates associations or aggregations
  - b. 1 to many, many to 1, and 1 to 1, (also 0:\*) usually become attributes
4. Draw a UML class diagram to model something
  - a. Include specific components
  - b. Syntactically correct
  - c. Complete

B. Design Principles

1. Single Responsibility Principle/Cohesion
2. Information Hiding -- hide implementation details
  - a. Specification/Abstract View
    1. Domain
      - a. atomic
        1. restricted atomic
      - b. composite/aggregation
      - c. structured (set, ordered set, multi-set, sequence, tree, map, graph)
      - d. Invariants
        1. Instance
        2. Class Invariants
          - a. Treating the class as an object
    2. Behavior/Method Specification
      - a. Pre-condition
      - b. Post-condition
      - c. What about static methods?
  - b. Implementation in languages
    1. Use of visibility modifiers such as public, private, protected
  - c. In languages: C++ JavaProblems
    1. Spec vs. Implementation
      - a. C++ .h vs .cpp files
      - b. Java: syntactically it really doesn't
        1. Javadoc
        2. Use of Interfaces and Javadoc
      - c. Pre-conditions/Post-conditions
      - d. Domain definition
        1. Invariants
        2. Class Invariants
  - d. Good practices
    1. Make as many fields and methods private as possible

- a. Make the “interface” as thin as possible – fewest methods possible
2. Keep parameters as few and simple as possible
3. Hide inherited fields

### 3. Coupling/Cohesion

- a. Class perspective
- b. Method perspective
- c. Less Coupling == Higher Cohesion

## C. Generalization/Specialization

### 1. Conceptual

### 2. Implementation

#### a. Inheritance

1. Why this is not real generalization/specialization

#### b. Composition

### 3. Design by Contract

#### a. Contract perspective

#### b. Pre-condition

1. Which person should satisfy the pre-condition?
2. If the pre-condition is false will the method fail?
3. When/where should be pre-condition be checked?
3. Use of assertions/exceptions as defensive programming
  - a. Frowned upon by some
  - d. defensive programming – checking requirements

#### c. Post-condition

1. Which person should satisfy the post-condition?
2. When is the developer bound to satisfy the post-condition?
3. Whose fault is it if the pre-condition is true but the post-condition is false?

#### d. Math equation

### 4. Good practice

- a. Access a class only through methods
- b. Every field is private
- c. Why are protected fields in Java a little bit of a problem
  - a. Does making all fields private solve the problem?
- d. Don't let names expose unnecessary detail

## D. Patterns -- How used and why useful?

### 1. Proxy

- a. Remote proxy

### 2. State Pattern

### 3. Façade Pattern

### 4. Observer Pattern

### 5. Singleton

### 6. Descriptions

1. What is the problem?
  - a. Give a specific example
2. Describe general solution using
  - a. UML like diagram
  - b. Using English
3. Give an example of how it can be used

- a. How it was used in Catan
- b. Why it was useful

7. Given a problem or partial example, demonstrate how you would use the pattern and how you would implement it in java.

#### E. Layers

- 1. Benefits
  - a. Layer reuse, modification, replacement
  - b. Reduce dependency (how?)
  - c. Easier to understand
- 2. Behavior
  - a. Down to Bottom then Up (Scenario I)
  - b. Down to Intermediate Level then up (Scenario II)
  - c. From Bottom to Top (Scenario III)

#### H. Dependency Inversion – disconnect to minimal abstraction

- 1. Problem – A.x calls B.y but doesn't want to be dependent on B.y's signature and semantics (pre-, post- conditions) which can be changed by B at any time
- 2. Solution
  - a. Separate B's implementation from its interface
  - b. Put B's interface and semantics where A has sole control (in A or A's package).
  - c. Alternative view: Dependency Inversion depends on two basic ideas. First, we should program to abstractions, not concretions. Second, the caller defines the interface through which the call is made, not the callee.

#### I MVC

- 1. What are the model, view, and controller and their responsibilities
  - a. A controller is often many controllers each with own "View" perspective and "Model" Perspective
- 2. Two views
  - a. V <-> P<->M – often called Model View Presenter
    - 1. What is a View – set of views
      - a. Each view object has a corresponding presenter
    - 2. What is a Model
    - 3. Interactions
      - 1 – Presenter/Controller queries Model for data
      - 2 – Presenter/Controller tells View what data to display
      - 3 – View draws data on screen
      - 4 – View passes user input to Presenter/Controller
      - 5 – Presenter/Controller
        - i. Queries state of View (if needed)
        - ii. Tells Model to change its state
        - iii. Tells View to change its state (if needed) (e.g., enable/disable, error messages, sort, select/unselect)
      - 6 – Model notifies Presenter/Controller that the model state has changed
      - 7 – Presenter/Controller queries Model for new state
      - 8 – Presenter/Controller tells View what data to display

9 – View draws new data on screen

- b. V -> C -> M -> V
- c. How are connections made
  - 1. Call backs (handlers)
  - 2. Observer Pattern
- d. How does a “Server” fit in?

## J SQA

- 1. Verification vs Validation
- 2. Reviews – one of two primary types of SQA activity
  - 1. How to Conduct
  - 2. Most effective!
- 3. Testing – one of two primary types of SQA activity
  - 1. Theory
  - 2. Black box – description or use on example
    - a. Equivalence Partitioning
    - b. Boundary Value Analysis
    - c. Additional Forms
      - 1. Error Guessing
      - 2. State Transition
      - 3. Comparison
      - 4. Testing race conditions
      - 5. Performance
      - 6. Limit
      - 7. Stress
      - 8. Random
      - 9. Security
      - 10. Usability
      - 11. Recovery
      - 12. Configuration
      - 13. Compatibility
      - 14. Documentation
    - d. Given code, how would you do black box testing (Equivalence and BVA)
  - 3. White box
    - a. Coverage
      - 1. Line
      - 2. Branch
      - 3. Complete Condition
    - b. 4 Forms – explain
      - 1. Relational
      - 2. Loop
      - 3. Internal Boundary
      - 4. Dataflow
    - c. Given code, what test cases would you consider to perform the 4 types of white box testing, why?

4. Regression Testing
  - a. What, Why, How
  - b. Automation
5. Formal Verification
6. Unit, Integration, System, Acceptance Testing