

CS 635 Advanced Object-Oriented Design & Programming  
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Undo

# Undo

Some examples

Counter

<code>counter.increase();</code>	<code>//increase counter by 1</code>
<code>counter.decrease();</code>	<code>//decrease counter by 1</code>

# Undo

Some examples

Text editing

Replace "Should" with "Could" at start of 3rd sentence in 5 paragraph

# Undo - Some Issues

Redo

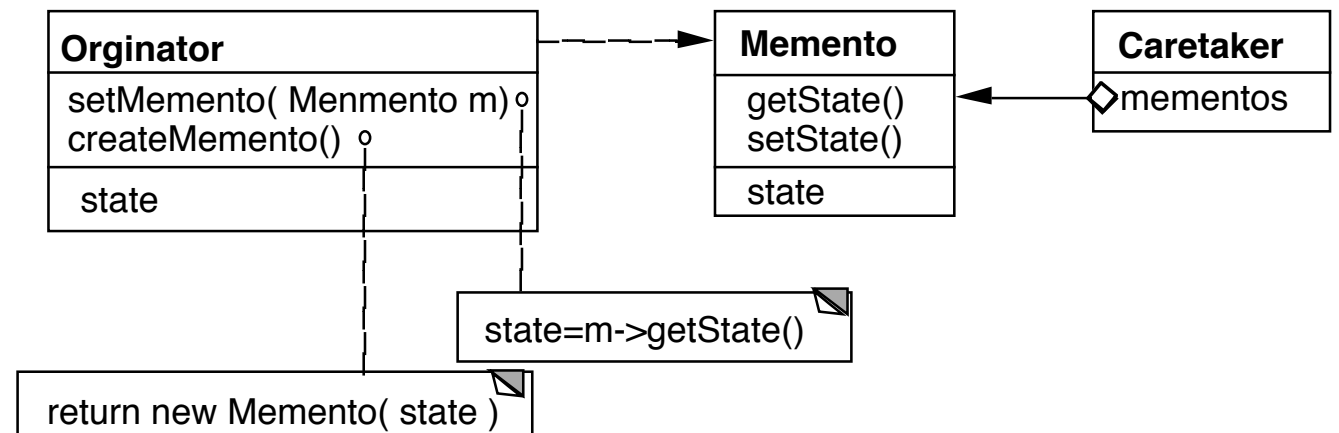
Multiple undo

# Memento

# Memento

Store an object's internal state, so the object can be restored to this state later without violating encapsulation

undo, rollbacks



Only originator:

Can access Memento's get/set state methods

Create Memento

# Example

```
package Examples;
class Memento{
    private Hashtable savedState = new Hashtable();

    protected Memento() {}; //Give some protection

    protected void setState( String stateName, Object stateValue ) {
        savedState.put( stateName, stateValue );
    }

    protected Object getState( String stateName) {
        return savedState.get( stateName);
    }

    protected Object getState(String stateName, Object defaultValue ) {
        if ( savedState.containsKey( stateName ) )
            return savedState.get( stateName);
        else
            return defaultValue;
    }
}
```



# Sample Originator

```
package Examples;
class ComplexObject {
    private String name;
    private int someData;
    private Vector objectAsState = new Vector();

    public Memento createMemento() {
        Memento currentState = new Memento();
        currentState.setState( "name", name );
        currentState.setState( "someData", new Integer(someData) );
        currentState.setState( "objectAsState", objectAsState.clone() );
        return currentState;
    }

    public void restoreState( Memento oldState) {
        name = (String) oldState.getState( "name", name );
        objectAsState = (Vector) oldState.getState( "objectAsState" );
        Integer data = (Integer) oldState.getState( "someData");
        someData = data.intValue();
    }
}
```

# Why not let the Originator save its old state?

```
class ComplexObject {
    private String name;
    private int someData;
    private Vector objectAsState = new Vector();
    private Stack history;

    public createMemento() {
        Memento currentState = new Memento();
        currentState.setState( "name", name );
        currentState.setState( "someData", new Integer(someData) );
        currentState.setState( "objectAsState", objectAsState.clone() );
        history.push(currentState);
    }

    public void restoreState() {
        Memento oldState = history.pop();
        name = (String) oldState.getState( "name", name );
        objectAsState = (Vector) oldState.getState( "objectAsState" );
        Integer data = (Integer) oldState.getState( "someData" );
        someData = data.intValue();
    }
}
```

# Some Consequences

Expensive  
Space

Narrow & Wide interfaces - Keep data hidden

```
Class Memento {  
    public:  
        virtual ~Memento();  
    private:  
        friend class Originator;  
        Memento();  
        void setState(State*);  
        State* GetState();  
};
```

```
class Originator {  
    private String state;  
  
    private class Memento {  
        private String state;  
        public Memento(String stateToSave)  
            { state = stateToSave; }  
        public String getState() { return state; }  
    }  
  
    public Object memento()  
        { return new Memento(state);}
```

# Using Clone to Save State

```
interface Memento extends Cloneable { }
```

```
class ComplexObject implements Memento {
```

```
    private String name;
```

```
    private int someData;
```

```
    public Memento createMemento() {
```

```
        Memento myState = null;
```

```
        try {
```

```
            myState = (Memento) this.clone();
```

```
        }
```

```
        catch (CloneNotSupportedException notReachable) {
```

```
        }
```

```
        return myState;
```

```
    }
```

```
    public void restoreState( Memento savedState) {
```

```
        ComplexObject myNewState = (ComplexObject)savedState;
```

```
        name = myNewState.name;
```

```
        someData = myNewState.someData;
```

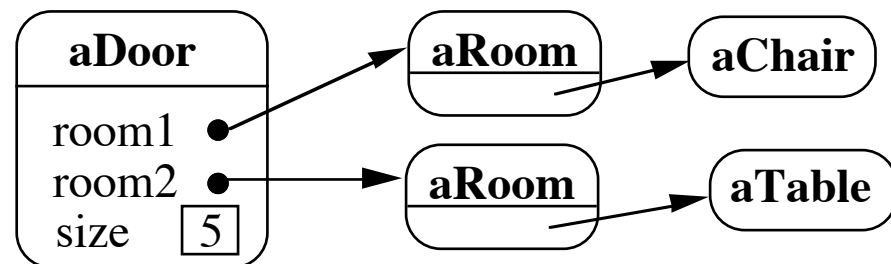
```
    }
```

```
}
```

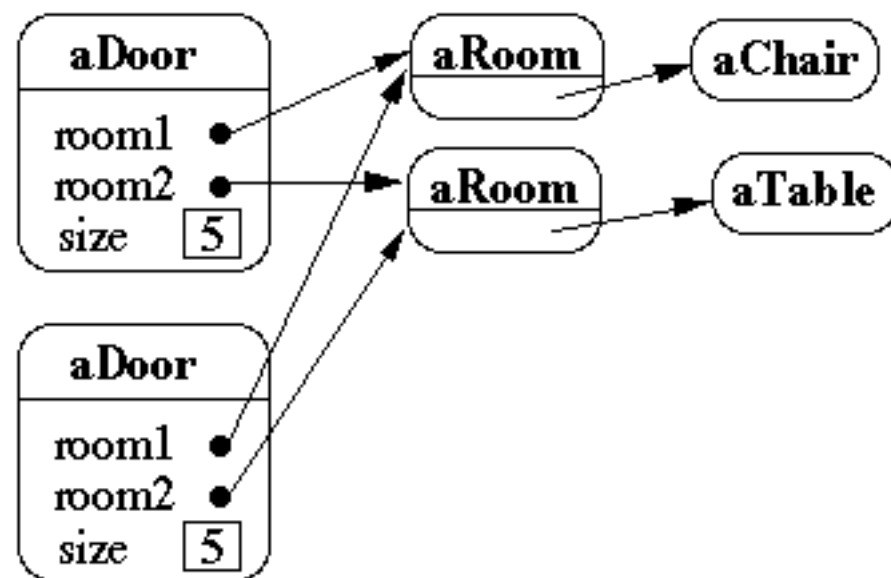
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## Shallow Copy Verse Deep Copy

### Original Objects

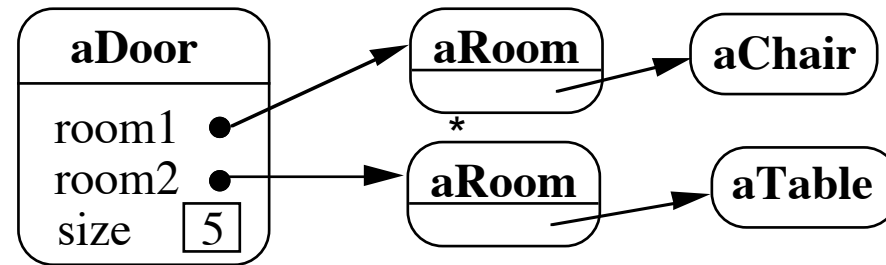


### Shallow Copy

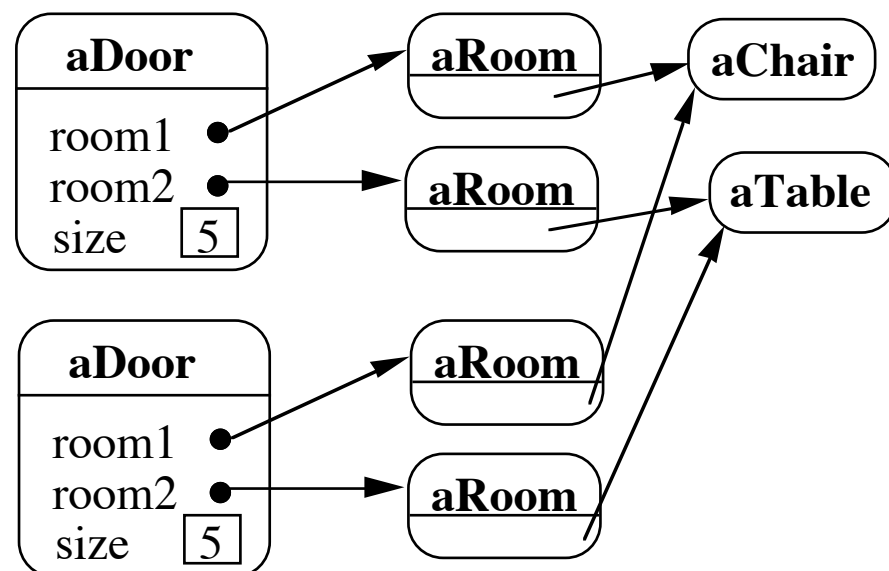


# Shallow Copy Verse Deep Copy

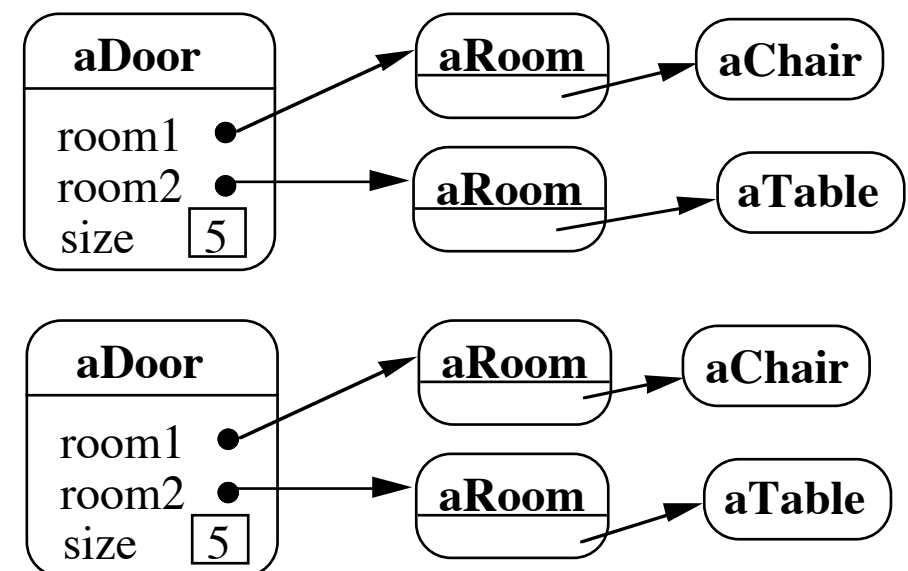
Original Objects



Deep Copy



Deeper Copy



# Cloning Issues - C++ Copy Constructors

```
class Door {  
    public:  
        Door();  
        Door( const Door&);  
        virtual Door* clone() const;  
  
        virtual void Initialize( Room*, Room* );  
        // stuff not shown  
    private:  
        Room* room1;  
        Room* room2;  
}  
  
Door::Door ( const Door& other ) //Copy constructor {  
    room1 = other.room1;  
    room2 = other.room2;  
}  
  
Door* Door::clone() const {  
    return new Door( *this );  
}
```

# Cloning Issues - Java Clone

## Shallow Copy

```
class Door implements Cloneable {  
    private Room room1;  
    private Room room2;  
  
    public Object clone() throws CloneNotSupportedException {  
        return super.clone();  
    }  
}
```

## Deep Copy

```
public class Door implements Cloneable {  
    private Room room1;  
    private Room room2;  
  
    public Object clone() throws CloneNotSupportedException {  
        Door thisCloned =(Door) super.clone();  
        thisCloned.room1 = (Room)room1.clone();  
        thisCloned.room2 = (Room)room2.clone();  
        return thisCloned;  
    }  
}
```



# What if Protocol

When there are complex validations or performing operations that make it difficult to restore later

Make a copy of the Originator

Perform operations on the copy

Check if operations invalidate the internal state of copy

If so discard the copy & raise an exception

Else perform the operations on the Originator

# Memento & Functional Programming

Immutable data

- Data that can not change

- Functional languages have primarily immutable data

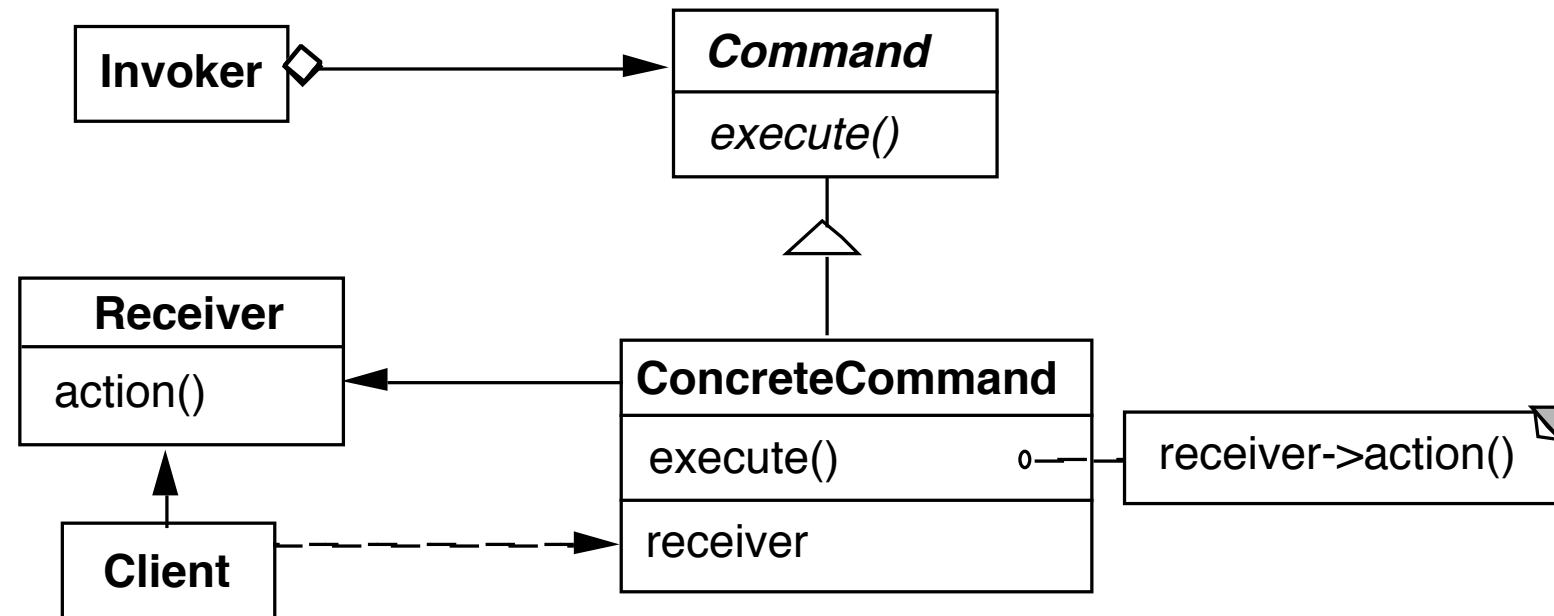
If data can not change

- Don't need memento pattern

# Command

# Command

Encapsulates a request as an object



## Example

Invoker be a menu

Client be a word processing program

Receiver a document

Action be save

# Sample Command

```
public abstract class Command {  
    public abstract void execute();  
    public abstract void undo();  
}
```

```
public class IncreaseCommand extends Command {  
    private Counter subject;  
  
    public IncreaseCommand(Counter toIncrease) {  
        subject = toIncrease;  
  
        public abstract void execute() { subject.increase() };  
  
        public abstract void undo() { subject.decrease() };  
    }  
}
```

# Sample Command - Text Editing

Requires more details

Text that is being edited

Location in text to changed

Replacement text

Undo requires

Text that is being edited

Location in text that was changed

Text that was replaced

# When to Use the Command Pattern

Need action as a parameter (replaces callback functions)

Lambda's replace this use

Specify, queue, and execute requests at different times

Undo

Logging changes

High-level operations built on primitive operations

A transaction encapsulates a set of changes to data

Systems that use transaction often can use the command pattern

Macro language

# Consequences

Command decouples the object that invokes the operation from the one that knows how to perform it

It is easy to add new commands, because you do not have to change existing classes

You can assemble commands into a composite object



# Pluggable Commands

Can create one general Command using reflection

Don't hard code the method called in the command

Pass the method to call an argument

# Java Example of Pluggable Command

```
import java.util.*;
import java.lang.reflect.*;

public class Command
{
    private Object receiver;
    private Method command;
    private Object[] arguments;

    public Command(Object receiver, Method command,
                   Object[] arguments )
    {
        this.receiver = receiver;
        this.command = command;
        this.arguments = arguments;
    }

    public void execute() throws InvocationTargetException,
                                   IllegalAccessException
    {
        command.invoke( receiver, arguments );
    }
}
```

# Using the Pluggable Command

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception  
    {  
        Vector sample = new Vector();  
        Class[] argumentTypes = { Object.class };  
        Method add =  
            Vector.class.getMethod( "addElement", argumentTypes);  
        Object[] arguments = { "cat" };  
  
        Command test = new Command(sample, add, arguments );  
        test.execute();  
        System.out.println( sample.elementAt( 0));  
    }  
}
```

Output
cat
27

# Pluggable Commands using Lambdas

```
public interface Command {  
    void execute();  
}
```

```
public class PluggableCommand {  
    Command do;  
    Command undo;
```

```
    public PluggableCommand(Command do, Command undo) {  
        this.do = do;  
        this.undo = undo;  
    }
```

```
    public void execute() { do.execute(); }
```

```
    public void undo() { undo.execute(); }
```

# Pluggable Commands using Lambdas

```
final Counter example = new Counter();  
PluggableCommand increase;
```

```
increase = new PluggableCommand(  
    () -> example.increase(),  
    () -> example.decrease());
```

```
increase.execute();
```

## Note

Java's lambdas put restrictions on the variable example

# Command Pattern & Lambda

Lambda's can replace command objects for

- Callbacks

- Batch processing

- Logging

- Macro language

# Functional Programming & Command

Simple cases - can just use function

But what if function needs

State

Receiver

# Closures

```
function counter()  
  n = 0  
  return () -> n += 1  
end
```

```
counter_a = counter()  
counter_b = counter()  
counter_a()      # 1  
counter_a()      # 2  
counter_a()      # 3  
counter_b()      # 1
```

So functions can maintain state



# With Multiple Functions

```
function counter(start = 0)
  n = start
  return () -> n += 1, () -> n = start
end
```

```
(plus_a, reset_a) = counter(10)
(plus_b, reset_b) = counter()
```

```
plus_a()          # 11
plus_a()          # 12
reset_a()         # 10
plus_b()          # 1
```

# General Command

```
type Command
  execute::Function
  undo::Function
end
```

```
function execute(command::Command)
  command.execute()
end
```

```
function undo(command::Command)
  command.undo()
end
```

```
function counter(start)
  n = start
  return Command(()-> n += 1, ()-> n -= 1)
end
```

```
count = counter(5)
execute(count)      # 6
undo(count)         # 5
```

# Command Processor Pattern

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Command Processor manages the command objects

The command processor:

- Contains all command objects

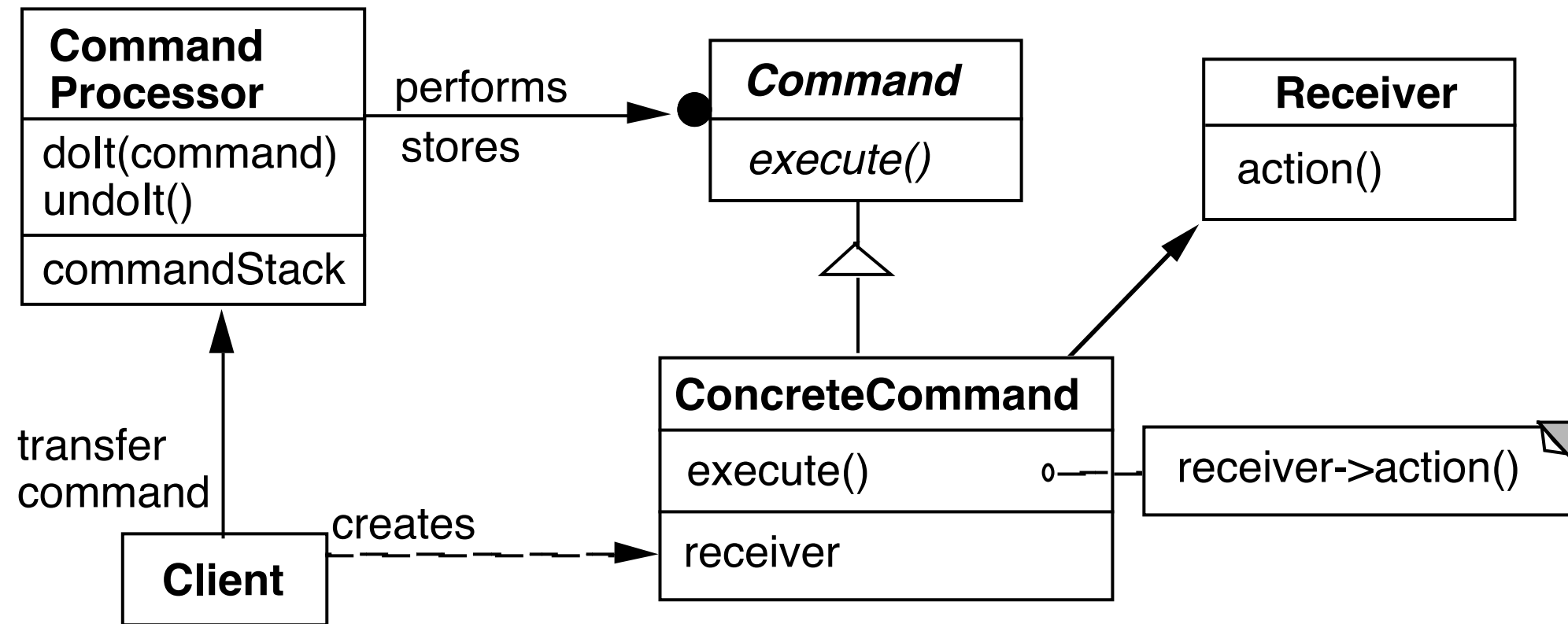
- Schedules the execution of commands

- May store the commands for later unto

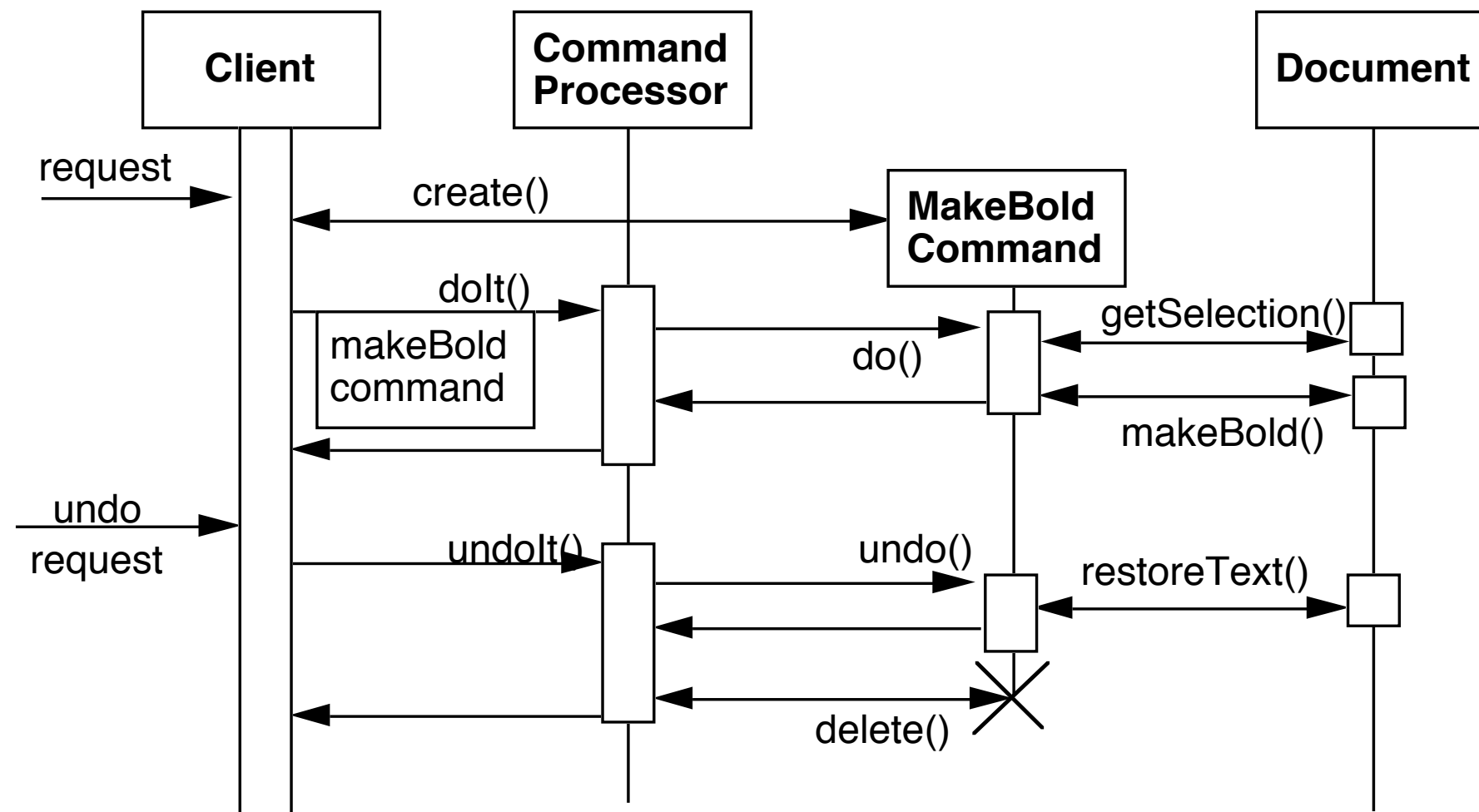
- May log the sequence of commands for testing purposes

- Uses singleton to insure only one instance

# Structure



# Dynamics



# Benefits

Flexibility in the way requests are activated

- Different user interface elements can generate the same kind of command object

- Allows the user to configure commands performed by a user interface element

Flexibility in the number and functionality of requests

- Adding new commands and providing for a macro language comes easy

Programming execution-related services

- Commands can be stored for later replay

- Commands can be logged

- Commands can be rolled back

Testability at application level

Concurrency

- Allows for the execution of commands in separate threads

# Liabilities

Efficiency loss

Potential for an excessive number of command classes

Try reducing the number of command classes by:

- Grouping commands around abstractions

- Unifying simple commands classes by passing the receiver object as a parameter

Complexity

How do commands get additional parameters they need?



# Singleton

# Warning

Simplest pattern

But has subtle issues particularly in Java

Most controversial pattern

# Intent

Ensure a class only has one instance

Provide global point of access to single instance

# Singleton

```
public class Counter {  
    private int count = 0;  
    private static Counter instance;  
    private Counter() { }  
  
    public static Counter instance() {  
        if (instance == null)  
            instance = new Counter();  
        return instance;  
    }  
  
    public int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

One instance

Global access

# Some Uses

Java Security Manager

Logging a Server

Null Object

# Globals are Evil



# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

Singletons provide global access point for some service

Hidden dependencies

Is there a different design that does not need singletons

Pass a reference

# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

Singletons allow you to limit creation of objects of a class

Should that be the responsibility of the class?

Class should do one thing

Use factory or builder to limit the creation



# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

Singletons tightly couple you to the exact type of the singleton object

- No polymorphism

- Hard to subclass

# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

Singletons carry state with them that last as long as the program lasts

Persistent state makes testing hard and error prone

# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

A Singleton today is a multiple tomorrow

Singleton pattern makes it hard to change to allow multiple objects

# Why Singletons Are Controversial(Evil)

In Java Singletons are a lie

More on this later

# Singleton Implementation

# Why Not Use This?

```
public class Counter {  
    private static int count = 0;  
  
    public static int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

# Why Not Use This?

```
public class Counter {  
    private int count = 0;  
    private Counter() { }  
  
    public static Counter instance = new Counter();  
  
    public int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

# Two Useful Features

Lazy

Only created when needed

Thread safe



# Recommended Implementation

```
public class Counter {  
    private int count = 0;  
    private Counter() { }  
  
    private static class SingletonHolder {  
        private final static Counter INSTANCE = new Counter();  
    }  
  
    public static Counter instance() {  
        return SingletonHolder.INSTANCE;  
    }  
  
    public int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

# Correct but not Lazy

```
public class Counter {  
    private int count = 0;  
    protected Counter() { }  
  
    private final static Counter INSTANCE = new  
Counter();  
  
    public static Counter instance() {  
        return INSTANCE;  
    }  
  
    public int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

# Lazy, Thread safe with Overhead

```
public class Counter {  
    private int count = 0;  
    private static Counter instance;  
    private Counter() { }  
  
    public static synchronized Counter instance() {  
        if (instance == null)  
            instance = new Counter();  
        return instance;  
    }  
  
    public int increase() {return ++count;}  
}
```

# Java Templates & Singleton

Does not compile

```
public class TemplateSingleton<Type> {  
    Type foo;  
  
    public static TemplateSingleton<Type> instance =  
        new TemplateSingleton<Type>();  
}
```

**When is a Singleton not a Singleton?**



# When Java Garbage Collects Classes

Singleton class can be garbage collected  
Singleton loses any value it had

Solution

Turn off garbage collection of classes (-Xnoclassgc)

Make sure there is always a reference to the class/instance

# When Multiple Java Class Loaders are Used

When loaded by two different class loaders there will be two versions of the class

Some servlet engines use different class loader for each servlet

Using custom class loaders can cause this

# Purposely Reloading a Java Class

Servlet engines can force a class to be reloaded



# Serialize and Deserialize Singleton Object

Serialize the singleton

Deserialize the singleton

You now have two copies

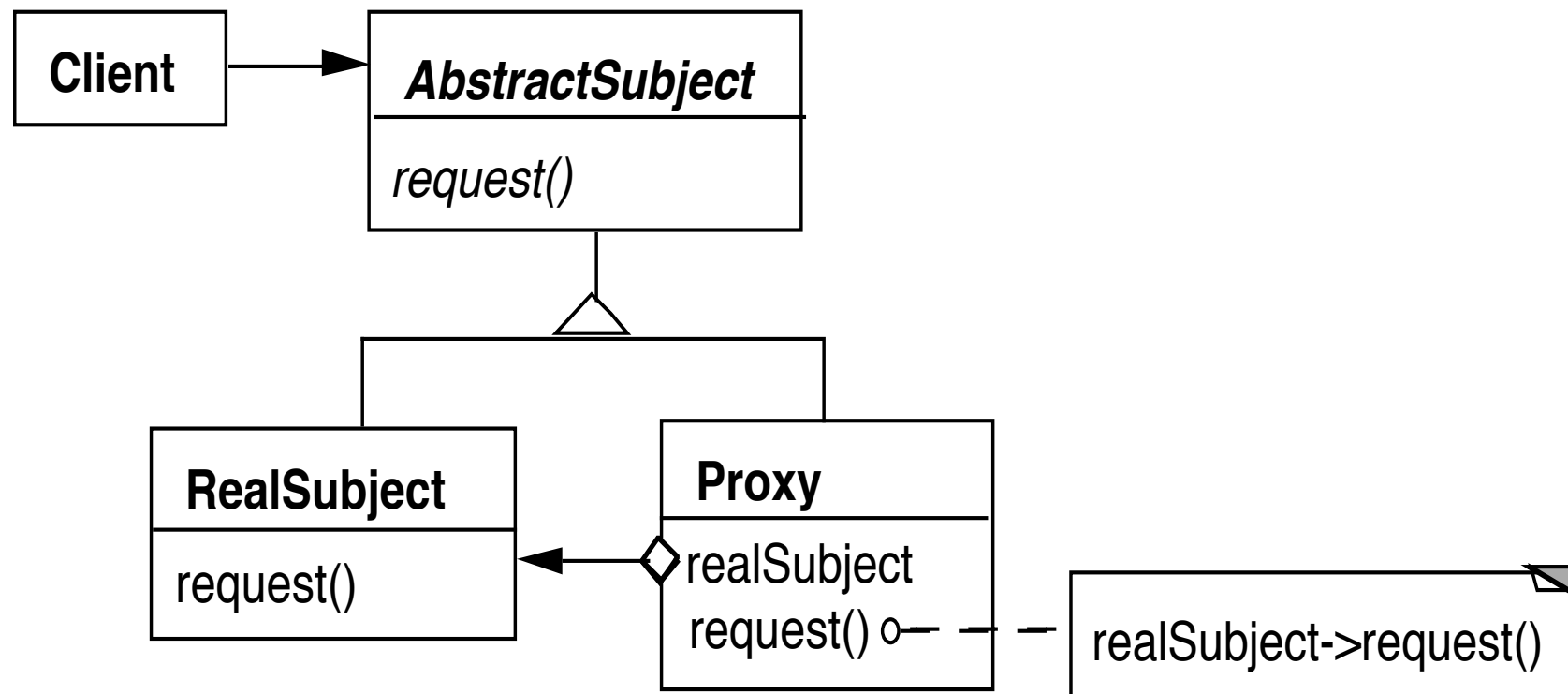
One way to serialize a Java object is using ObjectOutputStream

Ruby Marshal.dump() will not marshal a singleton

# Proxy

## Proxy (Surrogate)

a person authorized to act on behalf of another



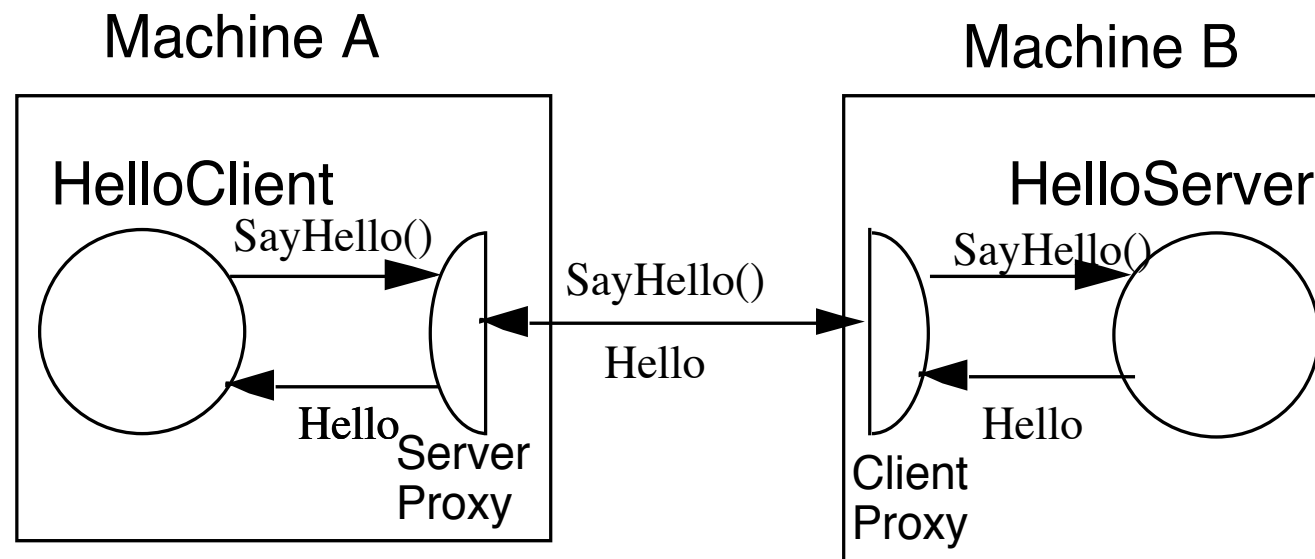
```

class Proxy {
    AbstractSubject realSubject;

    public Foo service(Bar x ) {
        return realSubject(x);
    }
}
  
```

# Why do it?

# Remote Proxy



```
String server = getHelloHostAddress( args);  
Hello proxy = (Hello) Naming.lookup( server );  
String message = proxy.sayHello();  
System.out.println( message );
```

# More General Proxy

```
class Proxy {  
    AbstractSubject realSubject;  
  
    public Foo service(Bar x ) {  
        some preprocessing  
        result = realSubject(x);  
        some postprocessing  
    }  
}
```

# Virtual Proxy

Creates/accesses expensive objects on demand

O-R Mapping Layers



# Java's Synchronized List

```
ArrayList notSafe = new ArrayList();  
List threadSafe = Collections.synchronizedList(notSafe);
```

```
static class SynchronizedList {  
    List list;  
    public Object get(int index) {  
        synchronized(mutex) {return list.get(index);}  
    }  
}
```

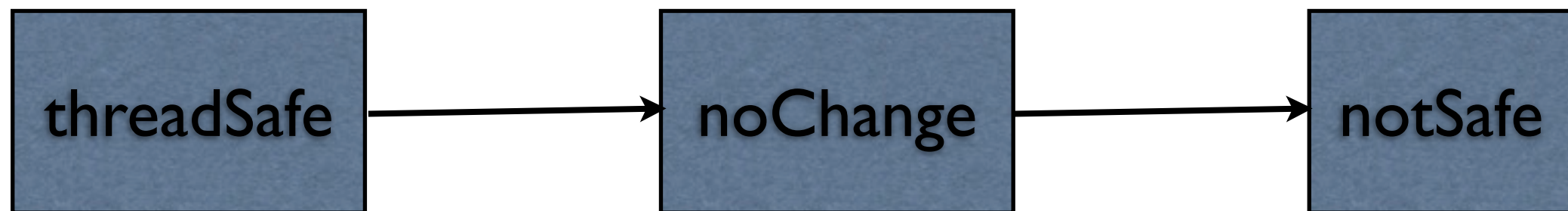
# Java's Unmodifiable List

```
ArrayList notSafe = new ArrayList();  
List noChange = Collections.unmodifiableList(notSafe);
```

```
static class UnmodifiableList {  
    List list;  
    public Object get(int index) { return list.get(index);}   
  
    public Object set(int index, Object element) {  
        throw new UnsupportedOperationException();  
    }  
}
```

# Proxy or Decorator?

```
ArrayList notSafe = new ArrayList();  
List noChange = Collections.unmodifiableList(notSafe);  
List threadSafe = Collections.synchronizedList(noChange);
```



# Proxy verses Decorator

"Decorators can have similar implementations as proxies"

Proxy controls access to an object

Decorator adds one or more responsibilities to an object