



Basic design patterns

... in OO ABL

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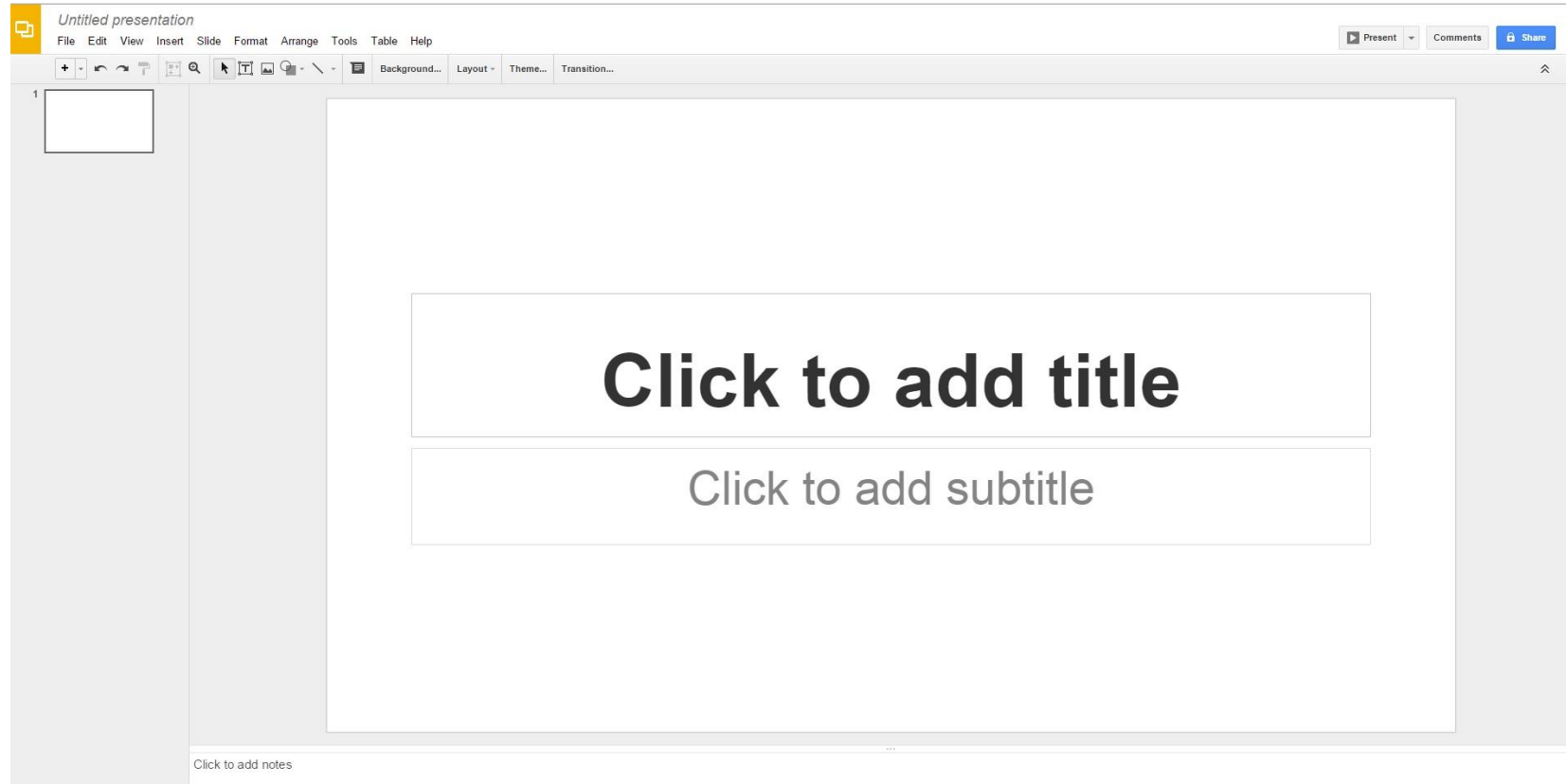
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Goal of this Presentation

- Design and implement a “Presentation”



First of all: determine the right 'size'

- Granularity has changed over the years



Right size



Focus = THIS presentation

Separation of concerns

‘Invented’ in 1974

- Modularity
- Encapsulation
- Information hiding

Solution: The code

- Has the ability to show a page
- Can print itself in pdf format

CLASS EMEAPUGPresentation:

METHOD PUBLIC VOID PrintPage():

/* OUTPUT TO LPT1: */

END METHOD.

METHOD PUBLIC VOID ShowPage():

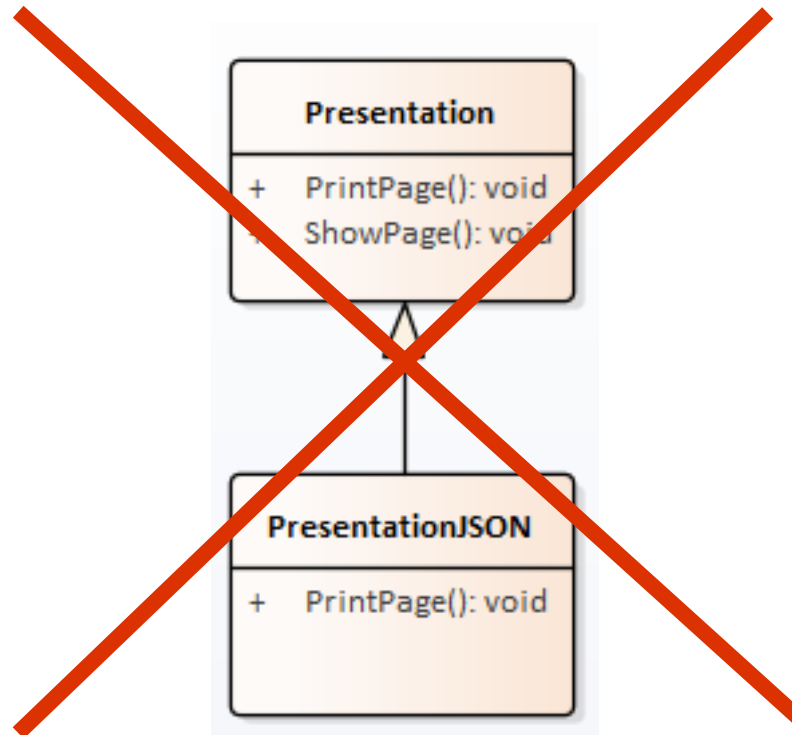
MESSAGE "Hello world".

END METHOD.

END CLASS.

New requirement!

- Print the presentation to a generic format: JSON

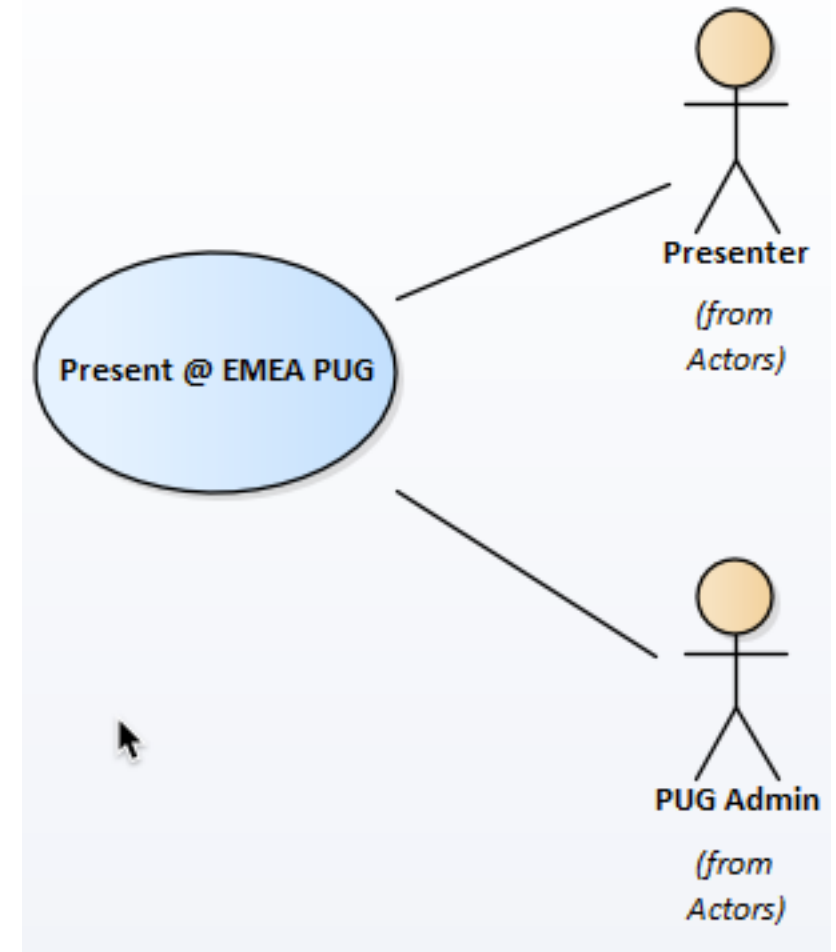


Single Responsibility Principle

A class should have only one reason to change.

So a responsibility is a family of functions that serves one particular actor.

An actor for a responsibility is the single source of change for that responsibility.



Design patterns to the rescue



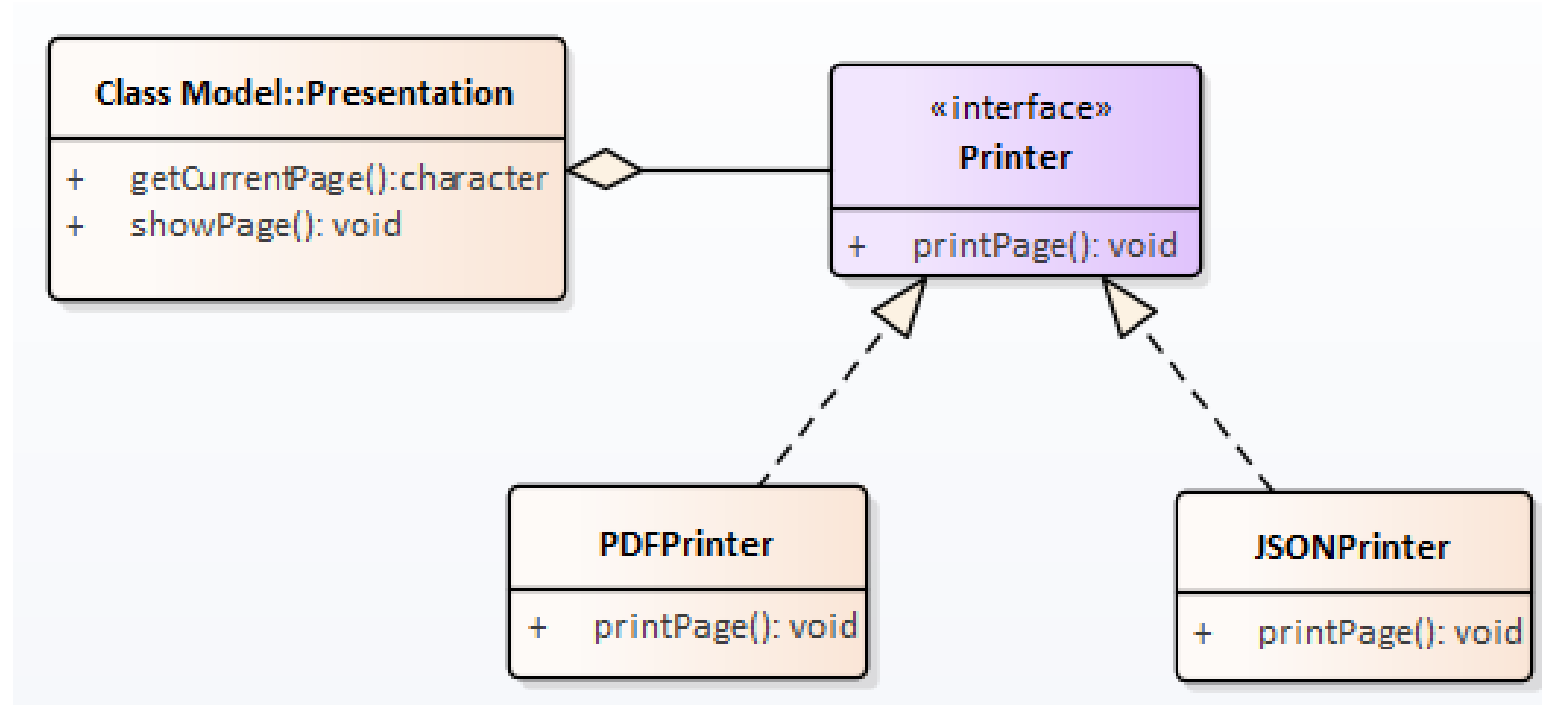
Here, take a cookie!

- A design pattern is like a recipe to bake cookies



Solution: The pattern

The Strategy Design Pattern



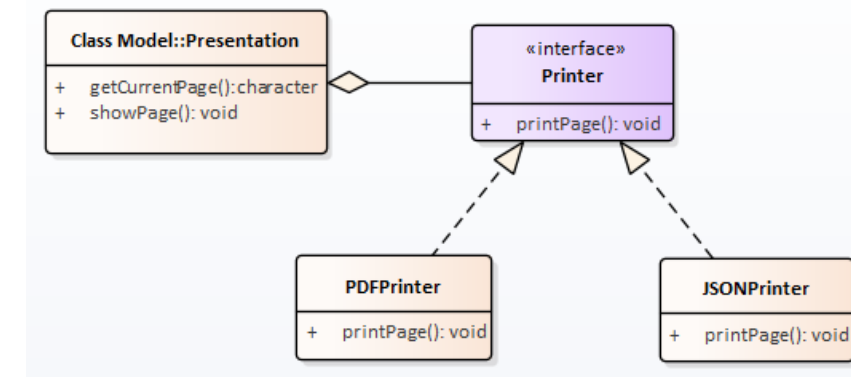
Solution: The code

CLASS Presentation:

```
METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER getCurrentPage( ):
    RETURN "This is not a presentation".
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID ShowPage( ):
    MESSAGE "Hello world".
END METHOD.
```

```
END CLASS.
```

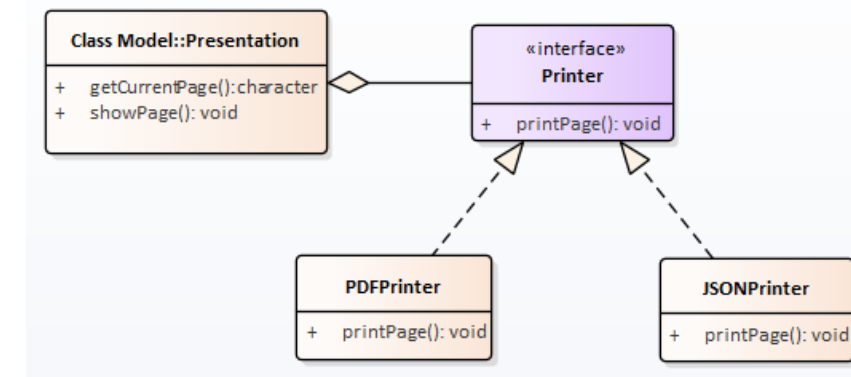


Solution: The code

INTERFACE **Printer**:

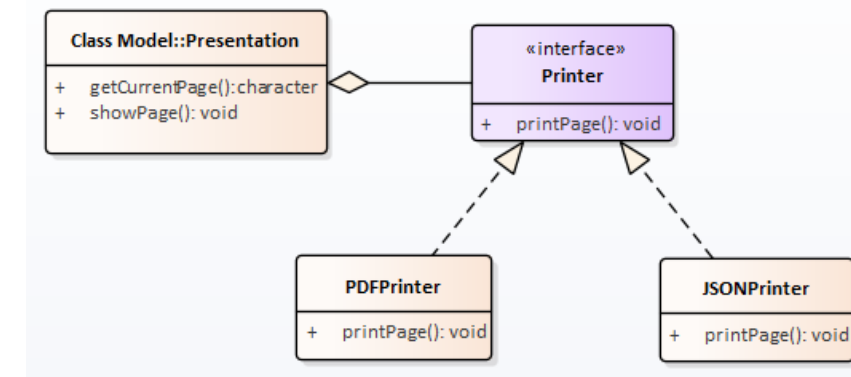
METHOD PUBLIC VOID **printPage**(ipcText AS CHARACTER).

END INTERFACE.



Solution: The code

CLASS **PDFPrinter** IMPLEMENTS **Printer**:



METHOD PUBLIC VOID **printPage**(INPUT ipcText AS CHARACTER):

/* create output in PDF format */

MESSAGE ipcText " in PDF format"

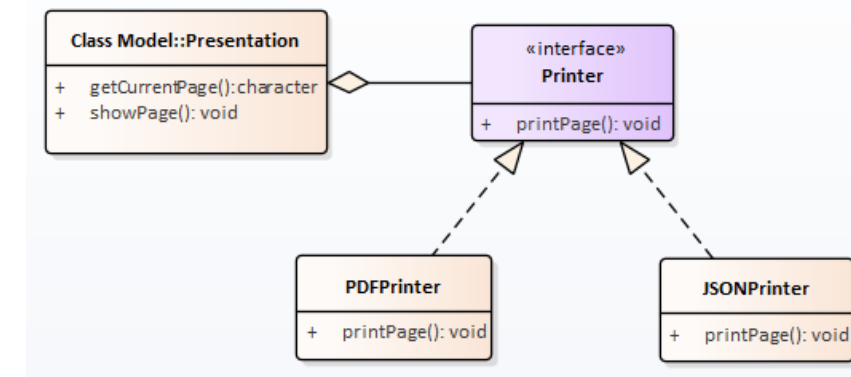
VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.

END METHOD.

END CLASS.

Solution: The code

CLASS **JSONPrinter** IMPLEMENTS **Printer**:



METHOD PUBLIC VOID **printPage**(INPUT ipcText AS CHARACTER):

/* create output in JSON format */

MESSAGE ipcText " in JSON format"

VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.

END METHOD.

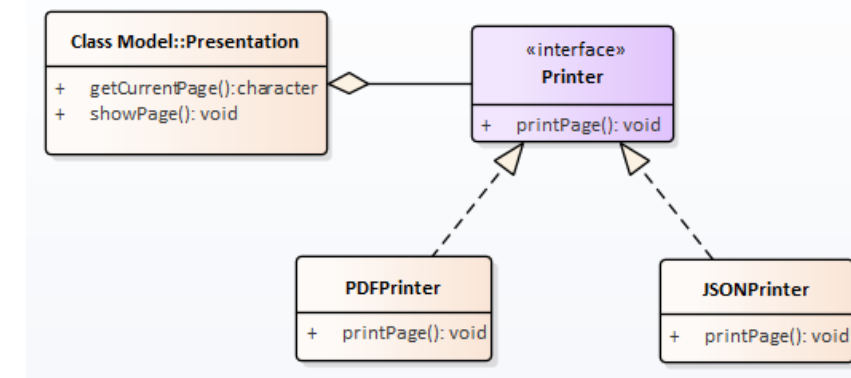
END CLASS.

Solution: The code

```
DEFINE VARIABLE objPresentation AS Presentation.  
DEFINE VARIABLE objPDFPrinter AS PDFPrinter .  
DEFINE VARIABLE objJSONPrinter AS JSONPrinter NO-UNDO.
```

```
ASSIGN objPresentation = NEW Presentation()  
      objPDFPrinter = NEW PDFPrinter()  
      objJSONPrinter = NEW JSONPrinter().
```

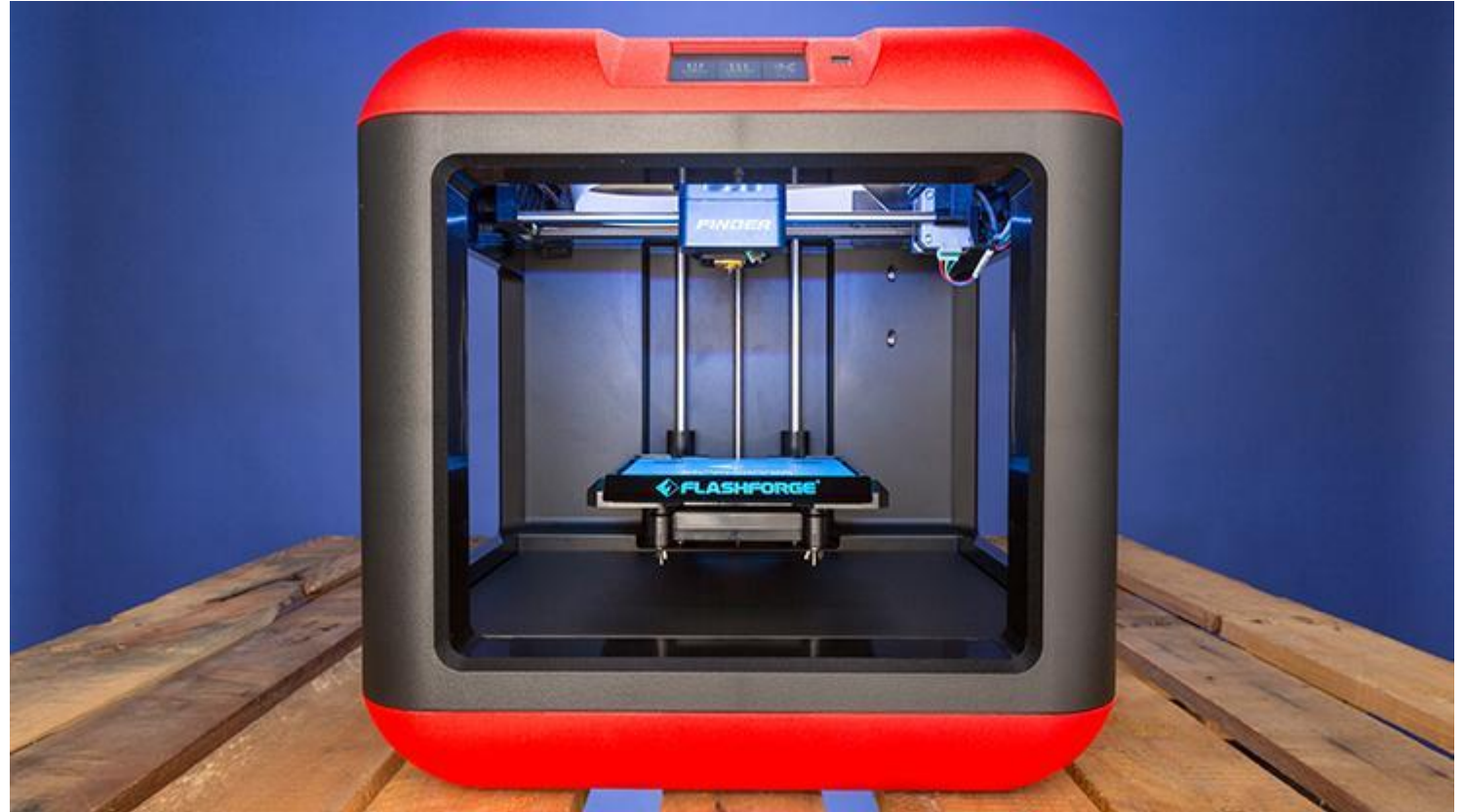
```
objPDFPrinter:printPage(objPresentation:getCurrentPage()).  
objJSONPrinter:printPage(objPresentation:getCurrentPage()).
```



Solution: The demo

There's more to a printer than meets the eye...

- setRGBValues
- choosePaper
- chooseFormat
- resetPage
- ...



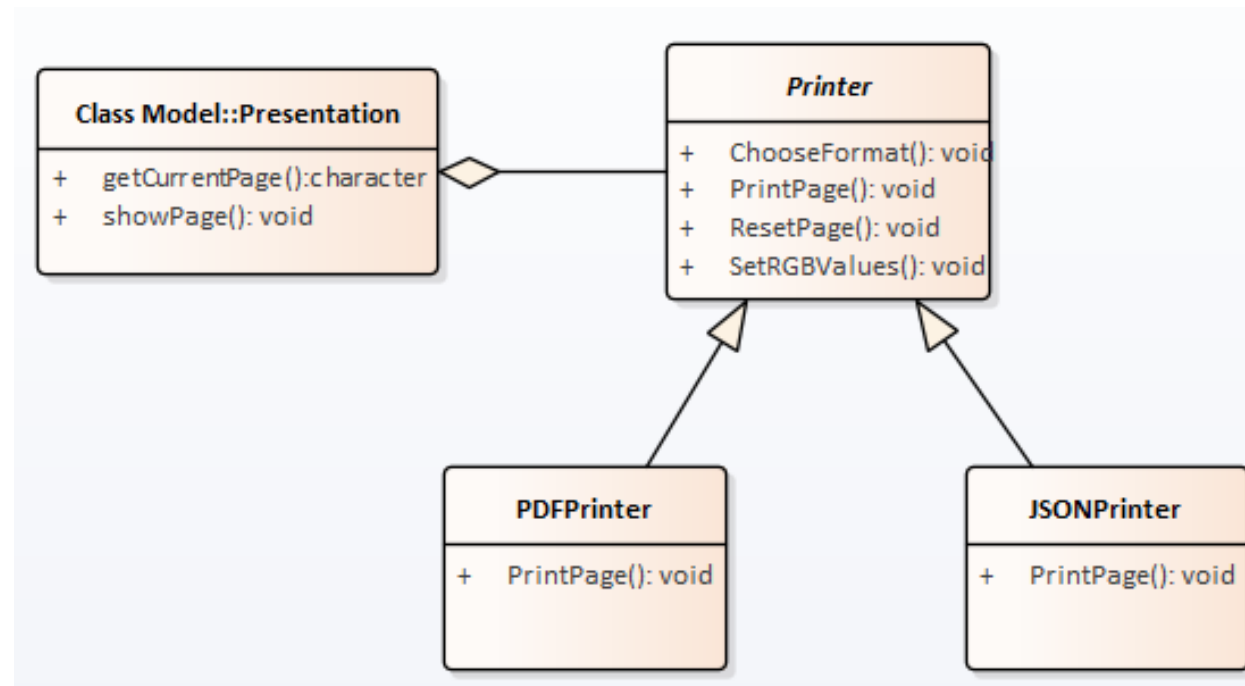
Open Closed Principle

Software entities (classes, modules, functions, etc.) should be open for extension, but closed for modification.

Design modules, classes and functions in a way that when a new functionality is needed, we should not modify our existing code but rather write new code that will be used by existing code.

Solution: The pattern

- The Template Design Pattern



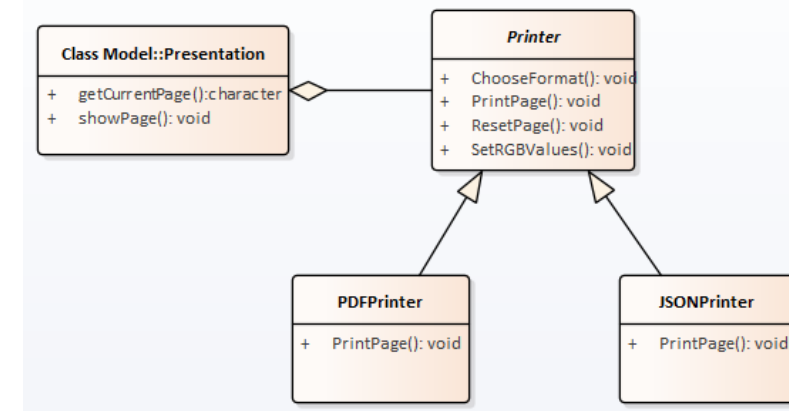
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CLASS Presentation:

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```

```
END CLASS.
```



Solution: The code

CLASS **Printer** ABSTRACT:

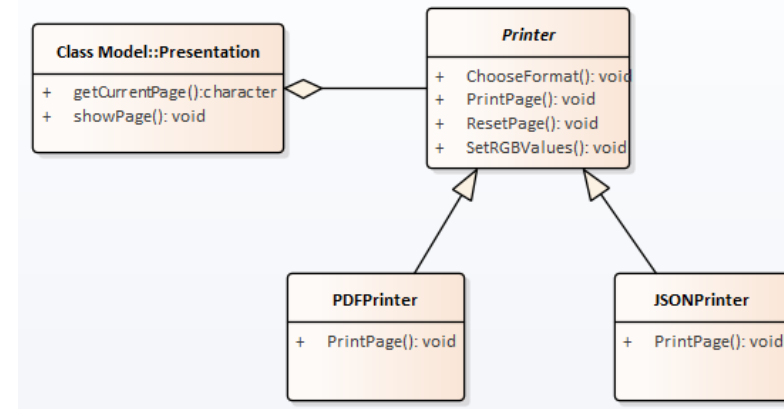
```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID ChooseFormat():  
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID ResetPage():  
    MESSAGE "This page has been reset" VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.  
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID SetRGBValues():  
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID printPage(ipcText AS CHARACTER):  
    MESSAGE ipcText " in undefined format" VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.  
END METHOD.
```

END CLASS.



Solution: The code

CLASS **PDFPrinter** INHERITS **Printer**:

METHOD PUBLIC **OVERRIDE** VOID **printPage**

(INPUT ipcText AS CHARACTER):

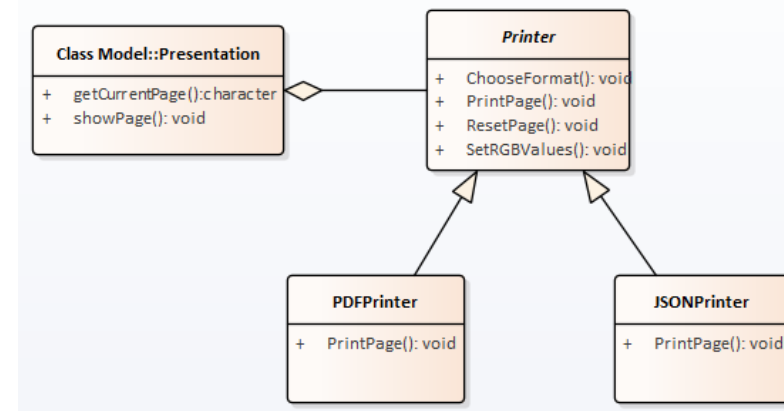
/* create output in PDF format */

MESSAGE ipcText " in PDF format"

VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.

END METHOD.

END CLASS.



Solution: The code

CLASS JSONPrinter INHERITS Printer:

METHOD PUBLIC **OVERRIDE** VOID **printPage**

(INPUT ipcText AS CHARACTER):

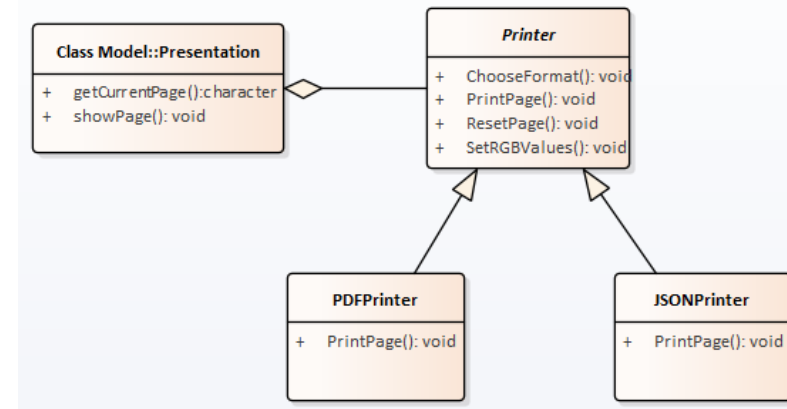
/* create output in JSON format */

MESSAGE ipcText " in JSON format"

VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.

END METHOD.

END CLASS.

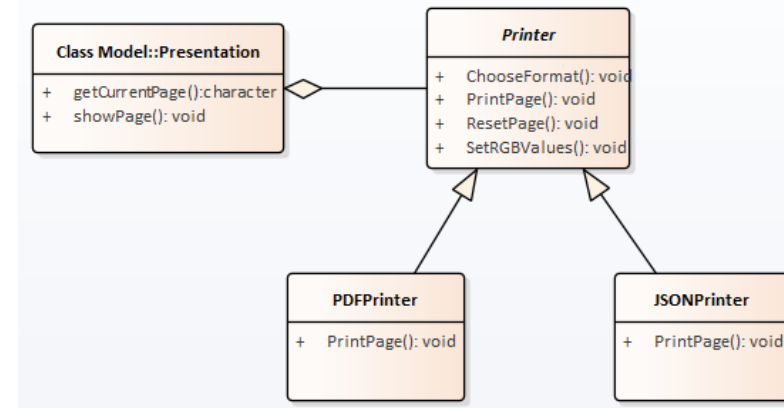


Solution: The code

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```

```
ASSIGN objPresentation = NEW Presentation()  
      objPDFPrinter    = NEW PDFPrinter()  
      objJSONPrinter   = NEW JSONPrinter()
```

```
objPDFPrinter:printPage(objPresentation:getCurrentPage()).  
objJSONPrinter:printPage(objPresentation:getCurrentPage()).  
objPDFPrinter:ResetPage()
```



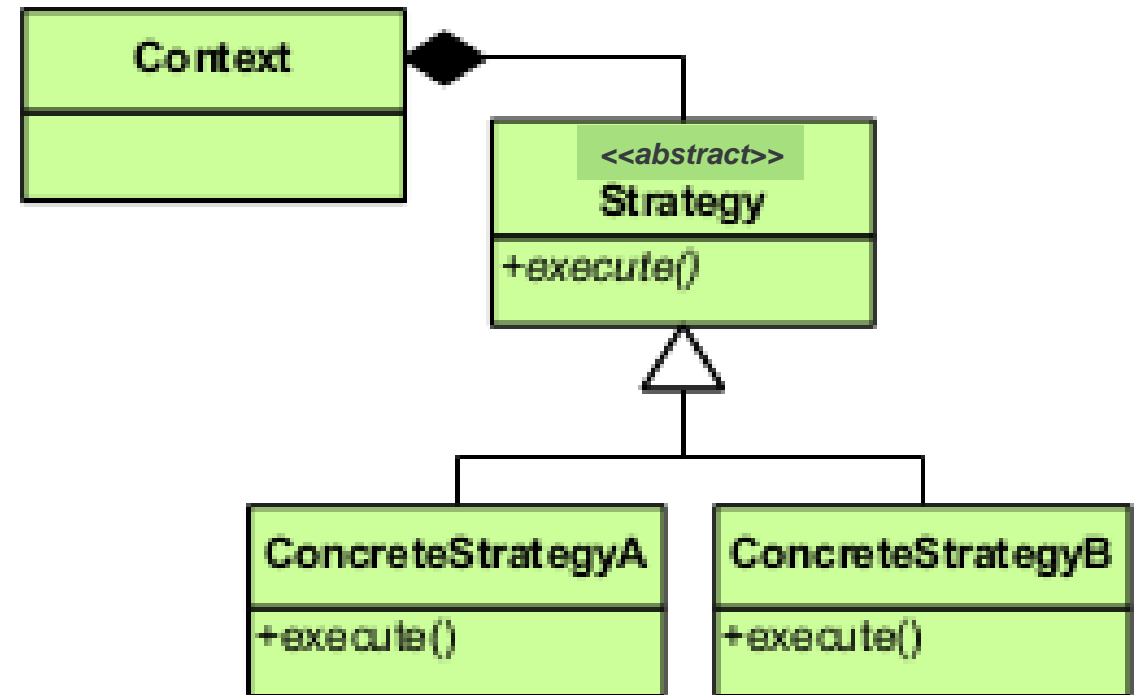
Solution: The demo

And there's more: **SOLID**

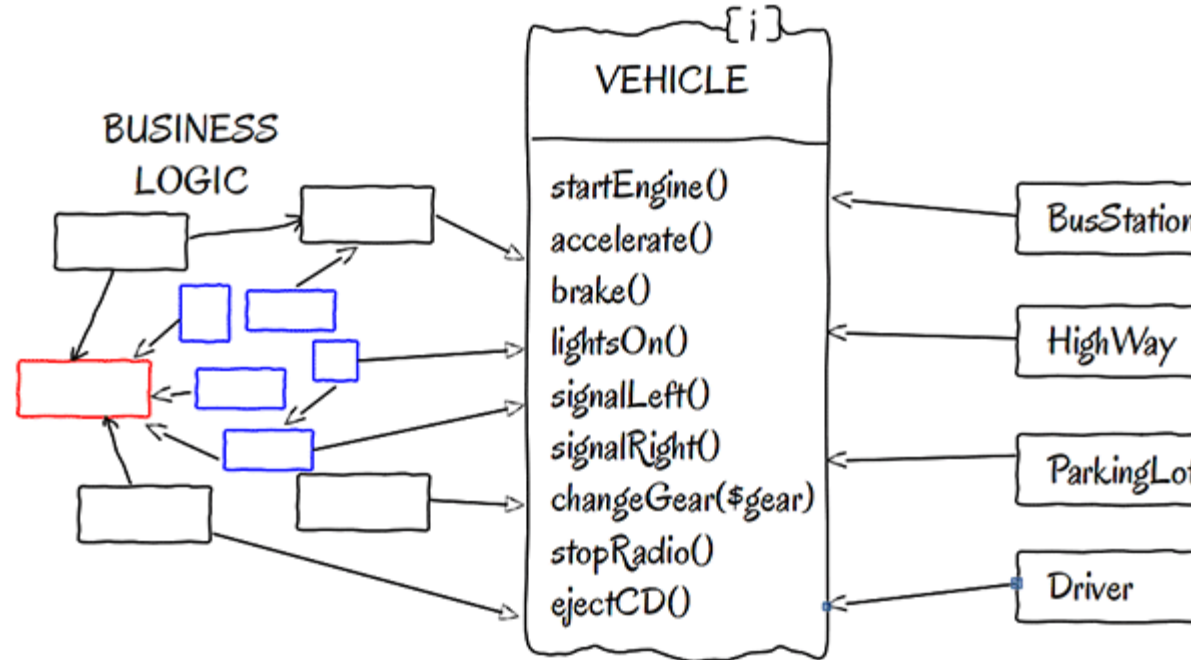
- Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)
- Open Closed Principle (OCP)
- **Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)**
- **Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)**
- **Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)**

Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)

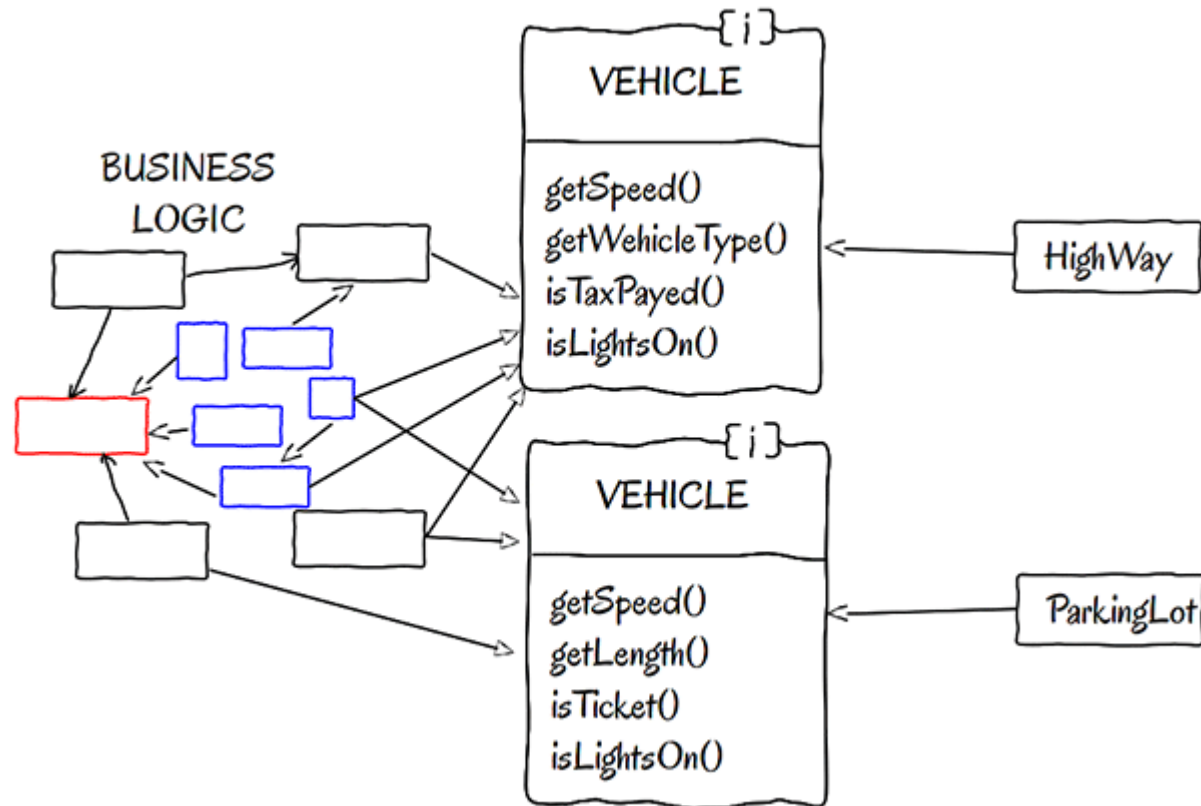
Subtypes must be substitutable for their base types.



Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)



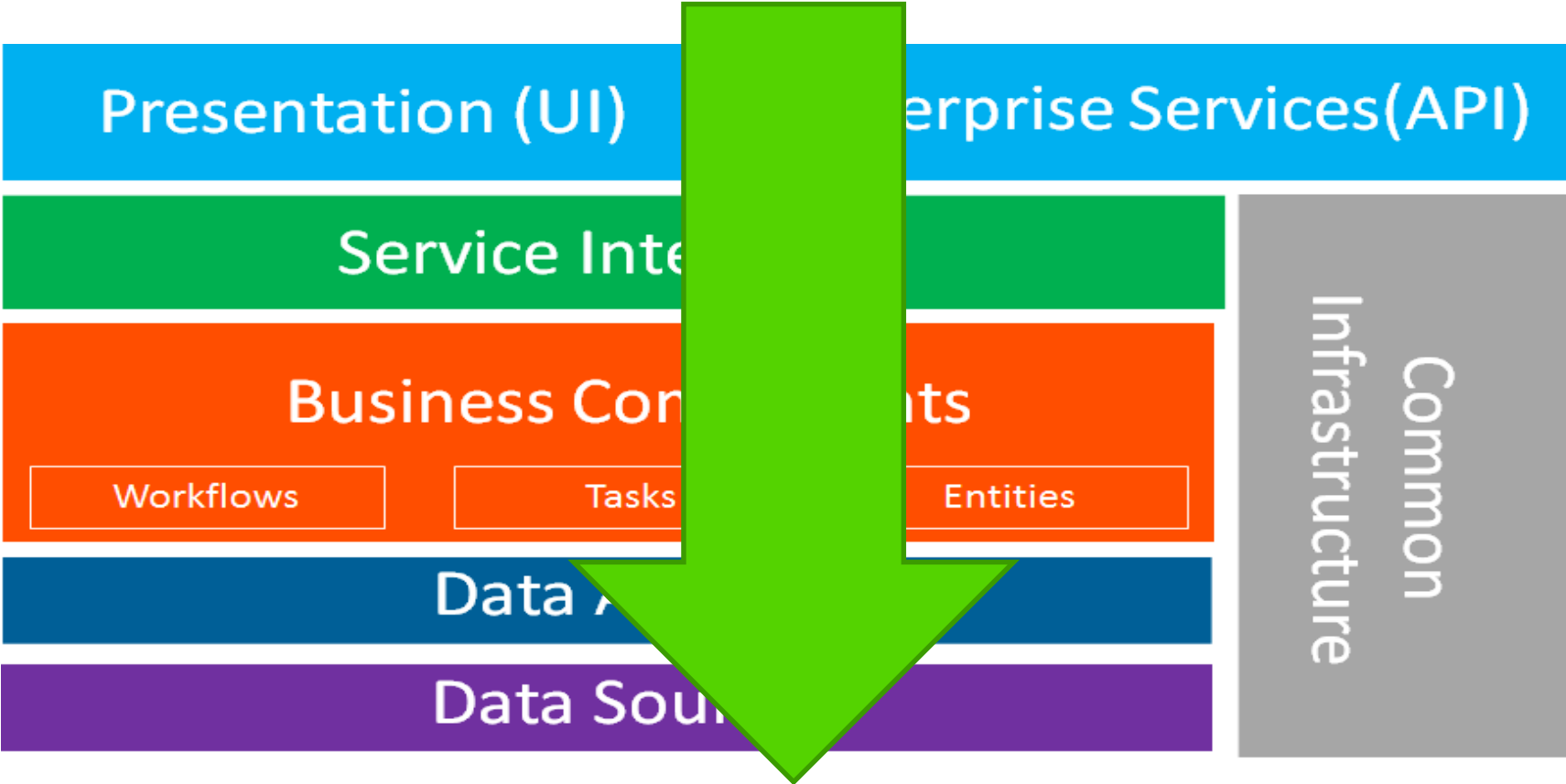
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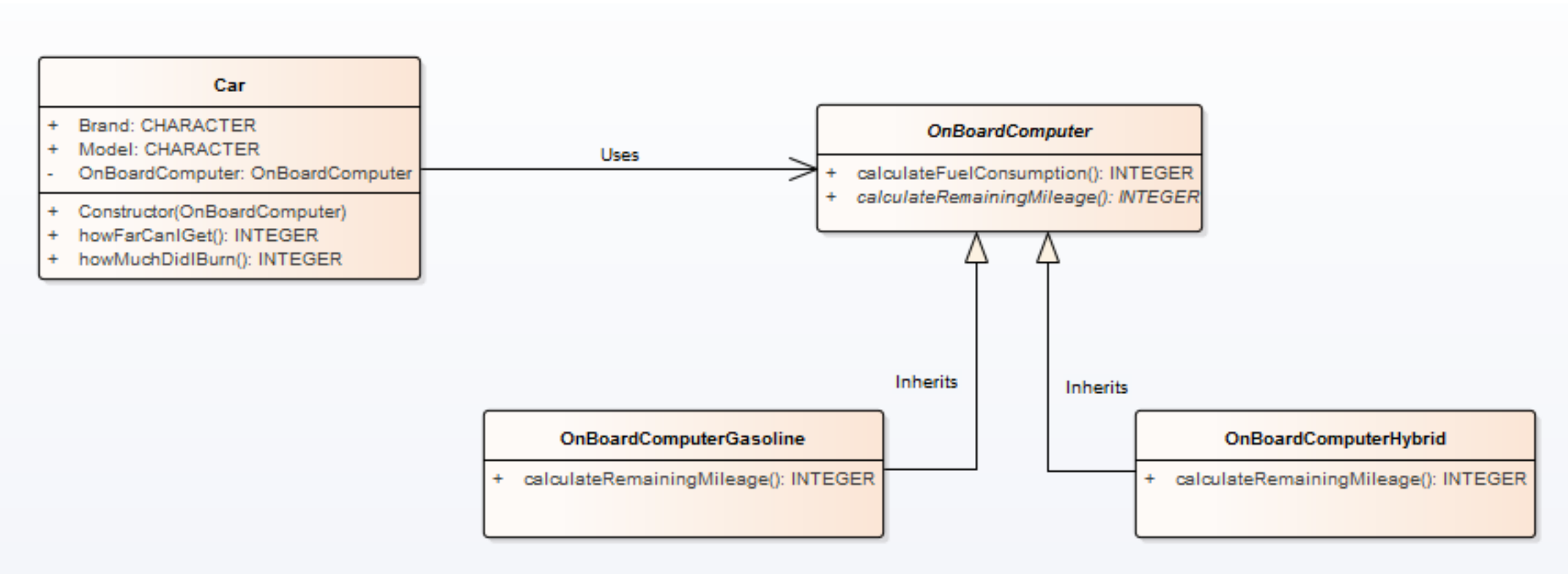
Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

- A. High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules. Both should depend on abstractions.*
- B. Abstractions should not depend upon details. Details should depend upon abstractions.*

Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)



Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)



Favor Composition over Inheritance

When some behaviour of a domain object can change with other features remaining the same.

- Changes in the interface of a super class can break code that uses subclasses...
- E.g. Use the Strategy Pattern as alternative
- *“Make sure inheritance models the is-a relationship”*
 - Is an Employee a Person?

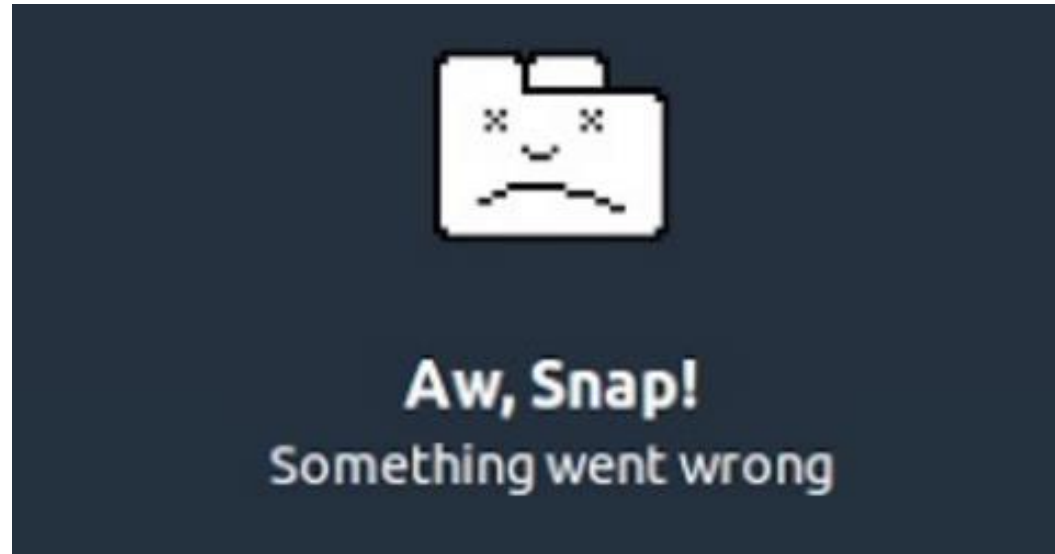
Program to an Interface

, not an implementation

- There is a distinct difference between Public and Published!
- Disadvantage: if you add methods to the interface, all clients need to adapt
- Abstract classes don't have this disadvantage

Now let's start our Presentation

RUN EMEAPUGPresentation().



Solution: **NEW** the Presentation

```
DEFINE VARIABLE objPresentation AS EMEAPUGPresentation NO-UNDO.  
objPresentation = NEW EMEAPUGPresentation().
```

Works! But ... no flexibility.

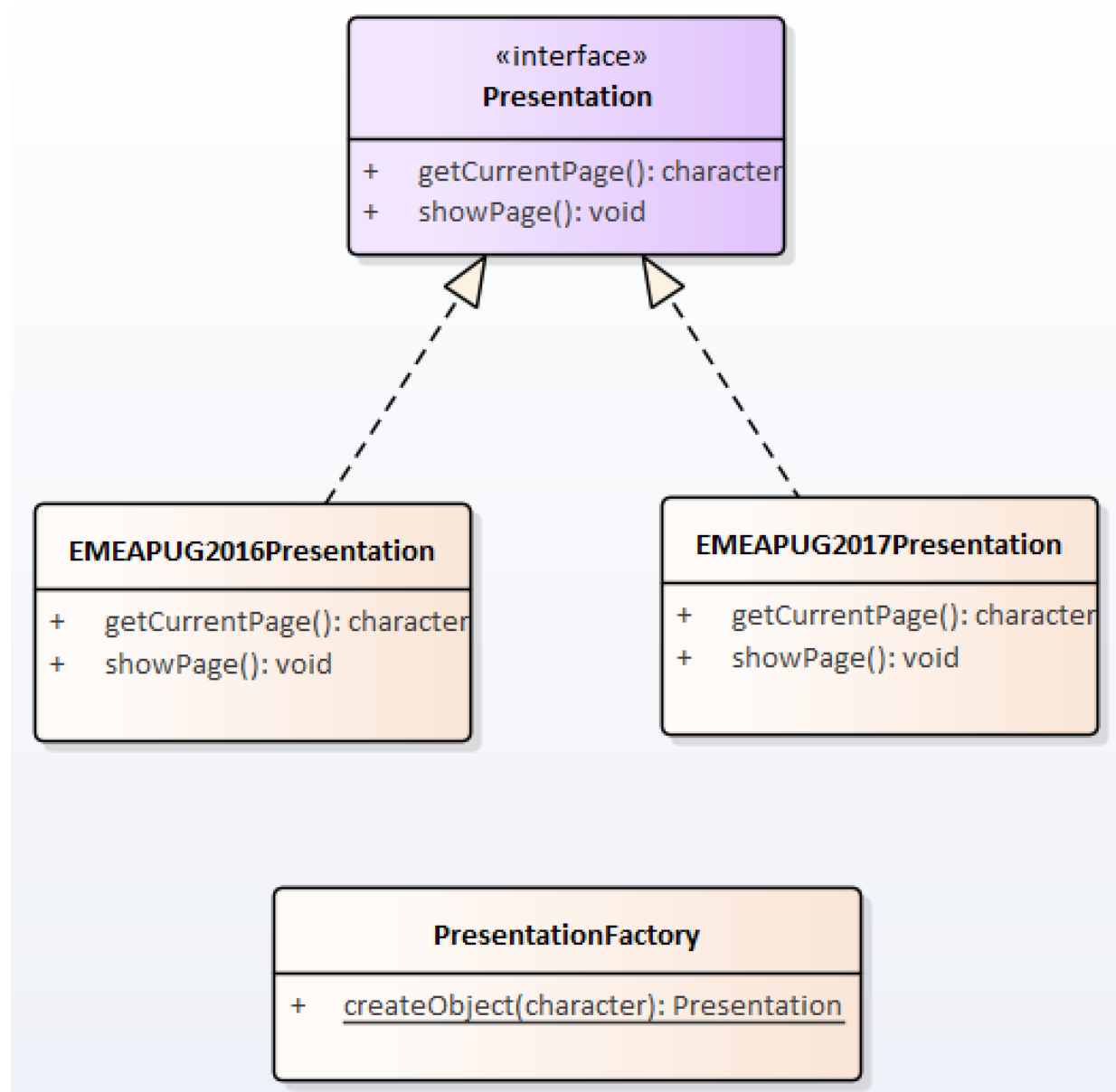
Solution: the Factory (Method) Design Pattern

- One of the most commonly used patterns
 - Delegate the construction to a **specific Factory**
 - Or a **generic Factory**

The specific Factory

- Uses a CASE statement
- That NEWs the Presentation

Solution: The model



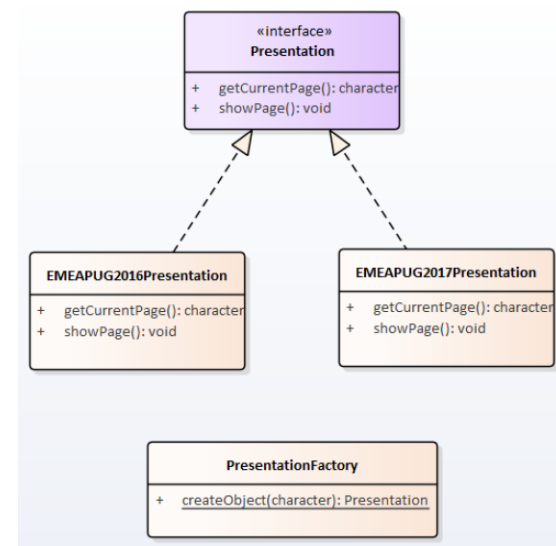
Solution: The code

INTERFACE **Presentation**:

METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER **getCurrentPage()**:

METHOD PUBLIC VOID **ShowPage()**:

END INTERFACE.



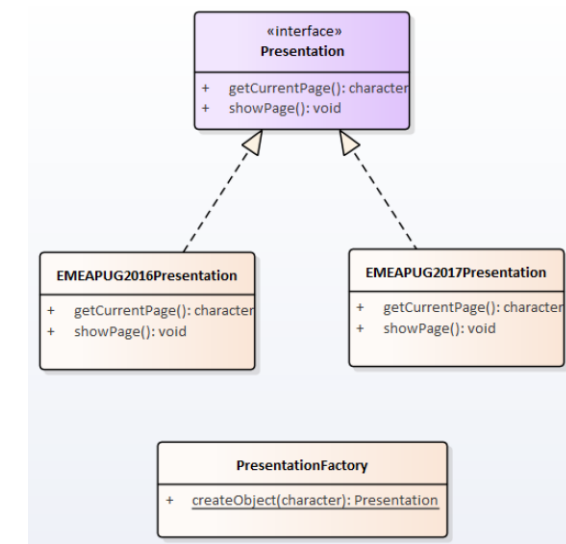
Solution: The code

CLASS EMEAPUG2016Presentation
IMPLEMENTS Presentation:

```
METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER getCurrentPage( ):  
    RETURN "a digital representation of a 2016 presentation".  
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID ShowPage( ):  
    /* MESSAGE "Hello world" */  
END METHOD.
```

END CLASS.



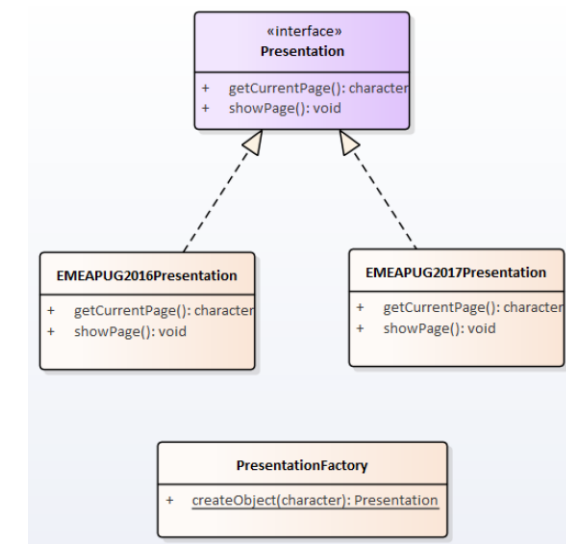
Solution: The code

CLASS EMEAPUG2017Presentation
IMPLEMENTS Presentation:

```
METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER getCurrentPage( ):
    RETURN "a digital representation of a 2017 presentation".
END METHOD.
```

```
METHOD PUBLIC VOID ShowPage( ):
    /* MESSAGE "Hello world" */
END METHOD.
```

END CLASS.



Solution: The code

CLASS PresentationFactory:

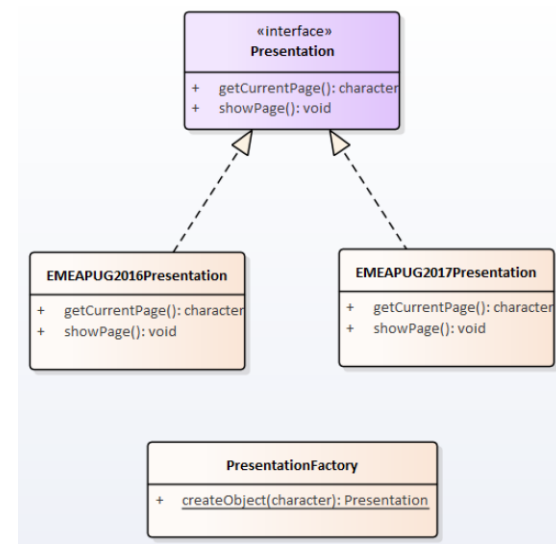
```
METHOD PUBLIC STATIC Presentation createObject(  
    INPUT pcPresentation AS CHARACTER):  
    DEFINE VARIABLE objPresentation AS Presentation NO-UNDO.
```

```
CASE pcPresentation:
    WHEN "2016" THEN objPresentation = NEW EMEAPUG2016Presentation().
    WHEN "2017" THEN objPresentation = NEW EMEAPUG2017Presentation().
END CASE.
```

RETURN objPresentation.

END METHOD.

END CLASS.



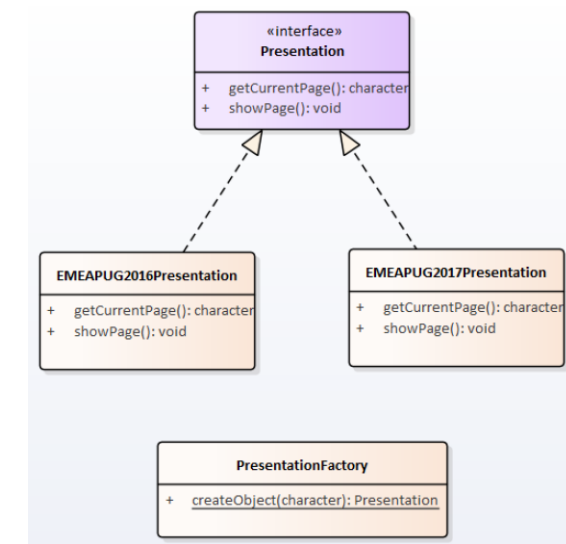
Solution: The code

```
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2016 AS Presentation NO-UNDO.  
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2017 AS Presentation NO-UNDO.
```

```
obj2016 = PresentationFactory:createObject("2016").  
obj2017 = PresentationFactory:createObject("2017").
```

MESSAGE

```
"It took our team a year to move from "  
obj2016:getCurrentPage()  
", to "  
obj2017:getCurrentPage()  
VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.
```



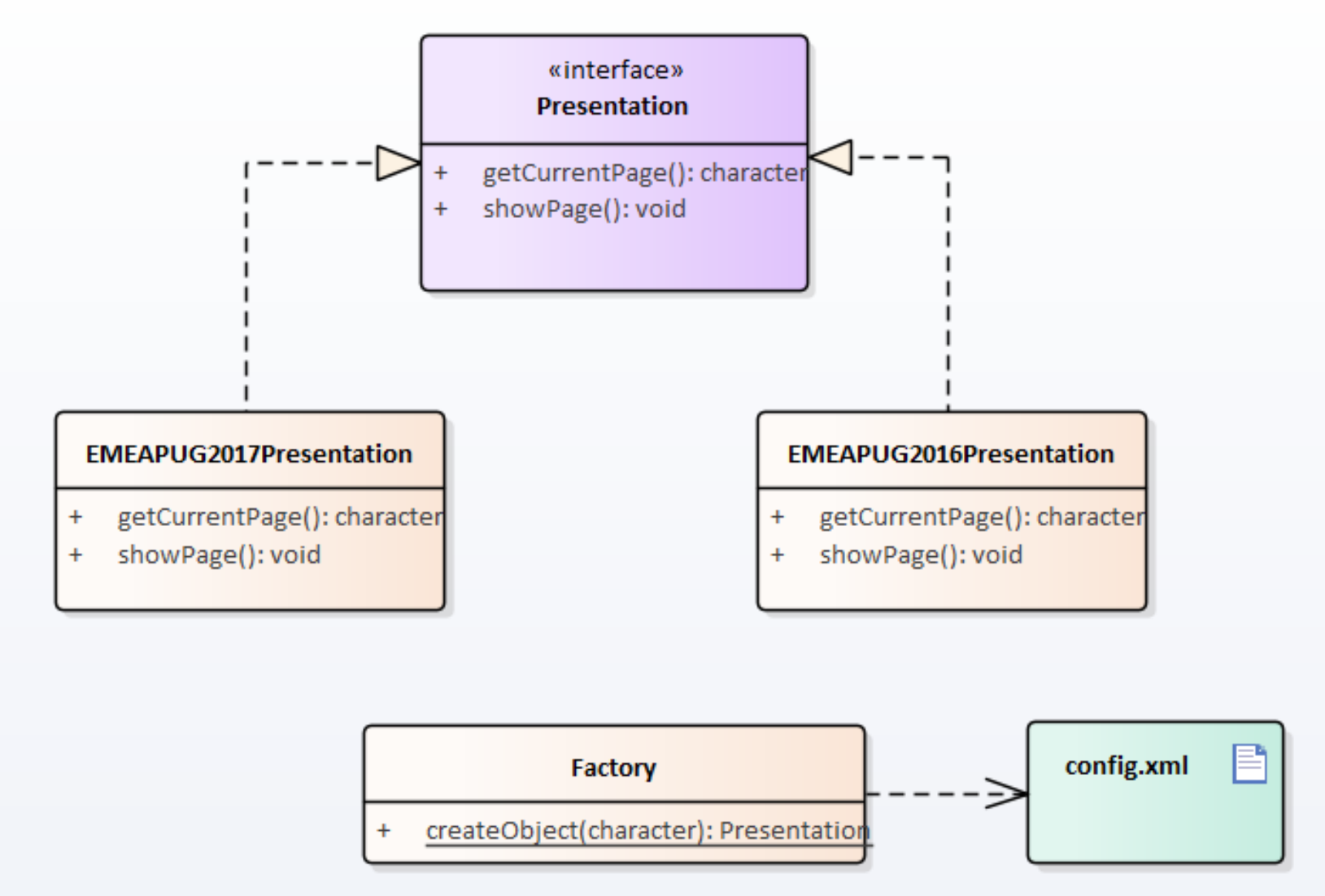
Solution: The demo

Disadvantages!

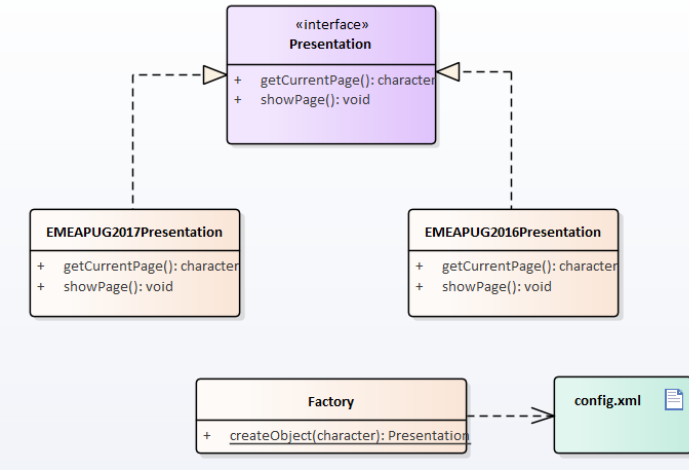
The generic Factory

- Is based on configuration data
- Uses DYNAMIC-NEW
- Works with INTERFACE classes

Solution: The model



Solution: The configuration



Node	Content
?? xml	version="1.0"
dsConfig	
@ xmlns:xsi	http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance
ttConfig	
cType	2016
cClass	PUGDemo4.EMEAPUG2016Presentation
ttConfig	
cType	2017
cClass	PUGDemo4.EMEAPUG2017Presentation

Solution: The code

CLASS **Factory**:

```
DEFINE STATIC TEMP-TABLE ttConfig  
FIELD cType AS CHARACTER  
FIELD cClass AS CHARACTER  
INDEX idxType IS PRIMARY UNIQUE cType.  
DEFINE STATIC DATASET dsConfig FOR ttConfig.
```

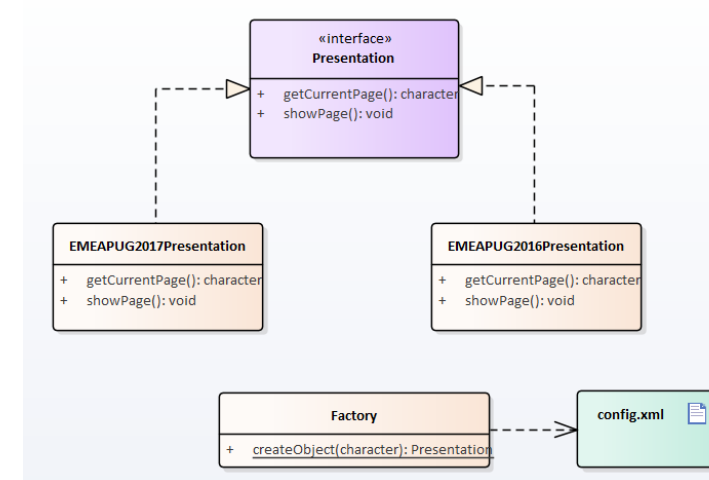
CONSTRUCTOR **STATIC** Factory ():

```
DATASET dsConfig:READ-XML("FILE", SEARCH("config.xml"),?,?,?).  
END CONSTRUCTOR.
```

METHOD PUBLIC **STATIC** Progress.Lang.Object **createObject**(ipcType AS CHARACTER):

```
DEFINE VARIABLE objObject AS Progress.Lang.Object NO-UNDO.  
FIND FIRST ttConfig WHERE ttConfig.cType = ipcType.  
objObject =DYNAMIC-NEW ttConfig.cClass().  
RETURN objObject.  
END METHOD.
```

END CLASS.

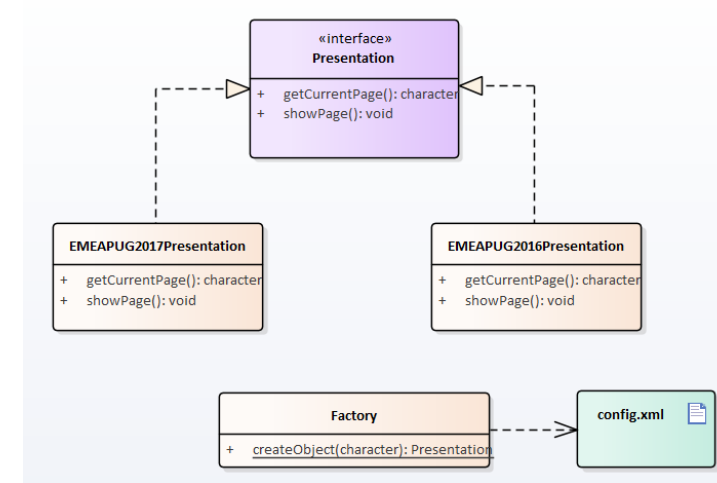


Solution: The code

```
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2016 AS Presentation NO-UNDO.  
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2017 AS Presentation NO-UNDO.
```

```
obj2016 =CAST(Factory:createObject("2016"),Presentation).  
obj2017 =CAST(Factory:createObject("2017"),Presentation).
```

```
MESSAGE "It took our team a year to move from "  
obj2016:getCurrentPage()  
", to "  
obj2017:getCurrentPage()  
VIEW-ASALERT-BOX.
```



Solution: The demo

The number of presentations

- Then, shalt thou count the number thou shalt count. One. Two shalt thou count, excepting that thou count the number one, being



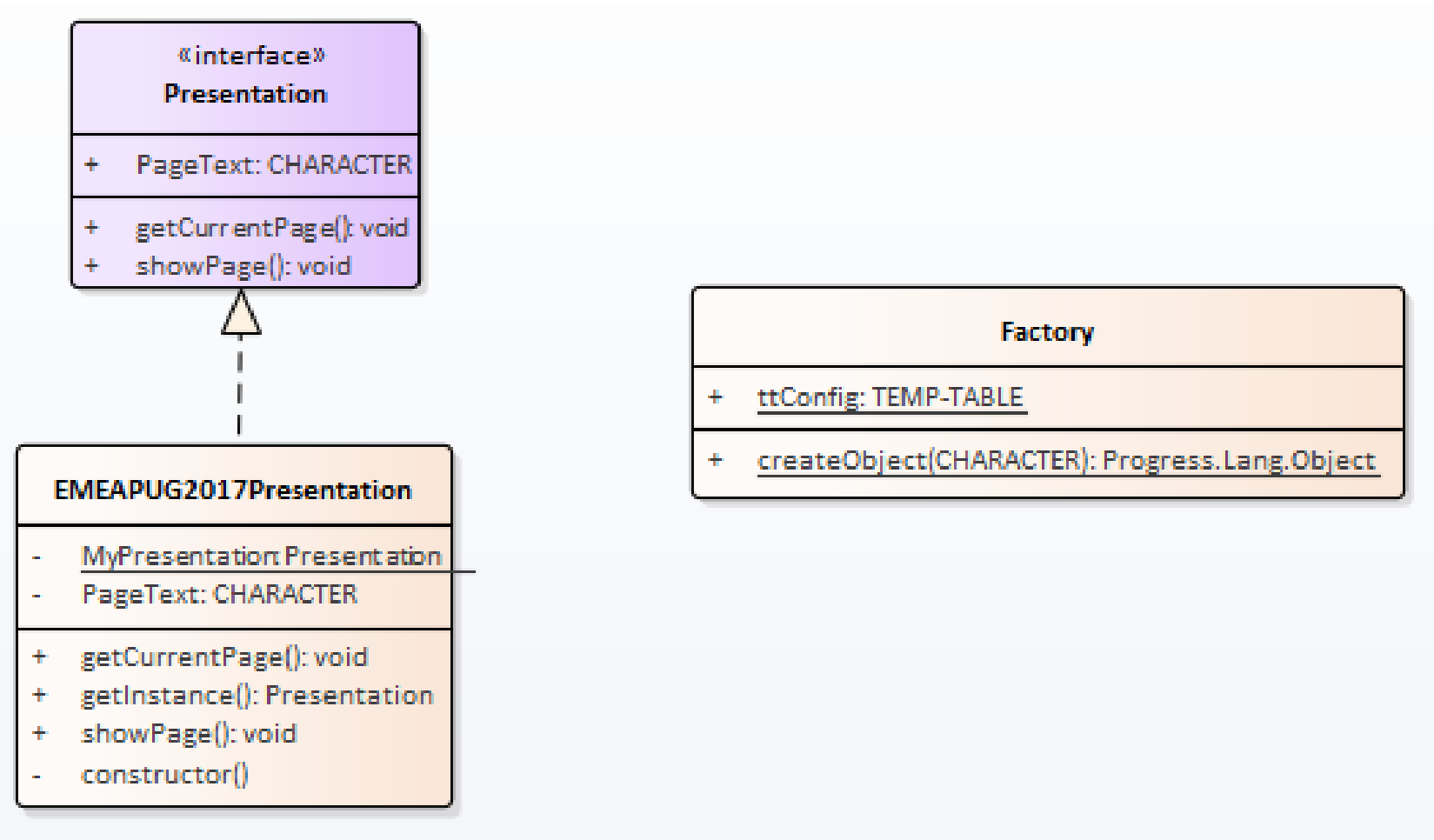
less. One shalt be the
the counting shall be
unt thou zero,
ree is right out. Once

The Singleton Pattern

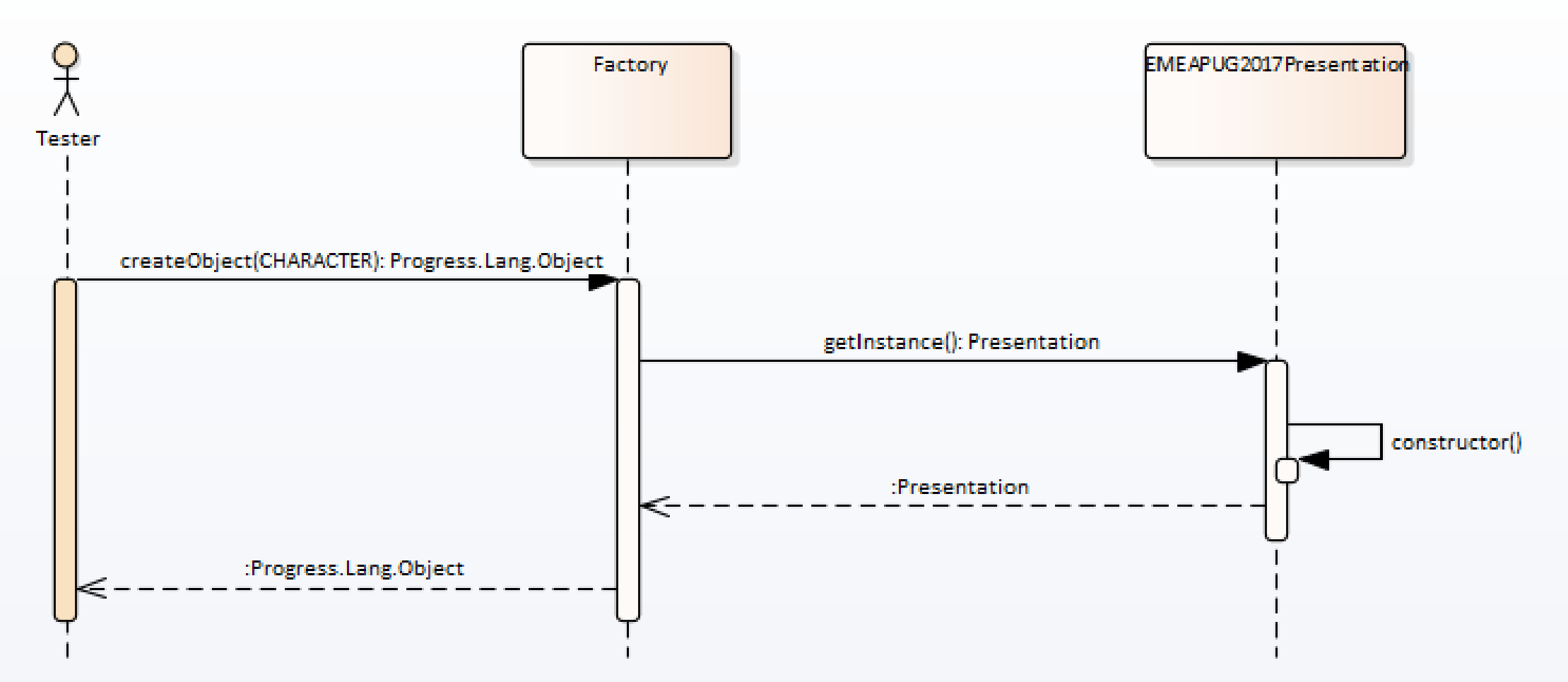
A software design pattern that restricts the instantiation of a class to one object.

- *An implementation of the singleton pattern must:*
 - *ensure that only one instance of the singleton class ever exists*
 - *provide global access to that instance.*
- *Typically, this is done by:*
 - *declaring all constructors of the class to be private*
 - *providing a static method that returns a reference to the instance.*

Solution: The model



Solution: The model



Solution: The code

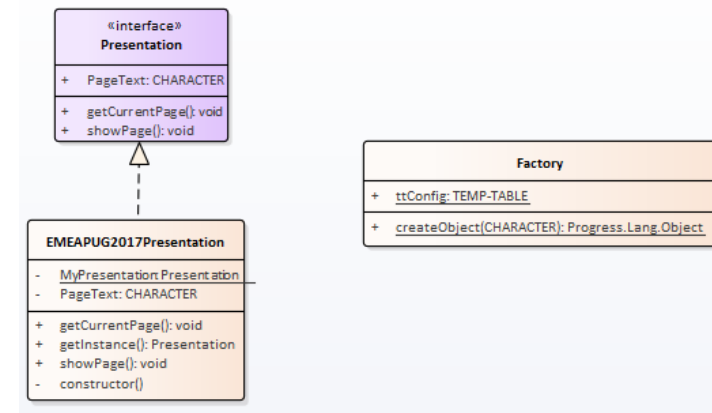
INTERFACE Presentation:

DEFINE PUBLIC PROPERTY **PageText** AS CHARACTER NO-UNDO
GET.
SET.

METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER getCurrentPage():

METHOD PUBLIC VOID ShowPage():

END INTERFACE.



Solution: The code

CLASS EMEAPUG2017Presentation **IMPLEMENTS** Presentation:

DEFINE **PRIVATE STATIC** PROPERTY **MyPresentation** AS Presentation NO-UNDO GET. SET.

DEFINE PUBLIC PROPERTY **PageText** AS CHARACTER NO-UNDO GET. SET.

METHOD PUBLIC CHARACTER `getCurrentPage()`:

 RETURN PageText.

END METHOD.

CONSTRUCTOR **PRIVATE** EMEAPUG2017Presentation ():

 SUPER().

END CONSTRUCTOR.

METHOD PUBLIC **STATIC** Presentation **getInstance()**:

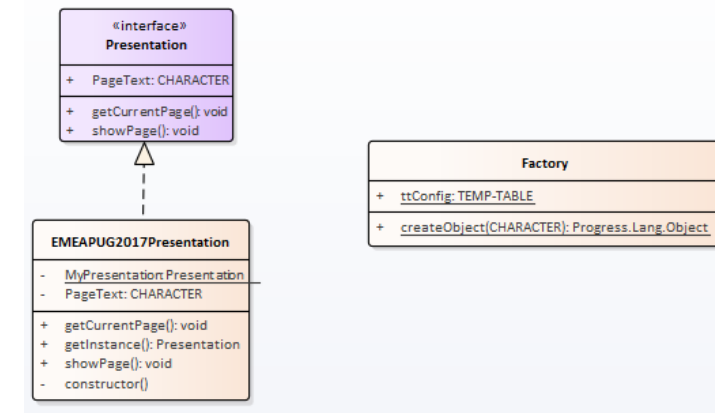
 IF NOT VALID-OBJECT(MyPresentation) THEN

 MyPresentation = NEW EMEAPUG2017Presentation().

 RETURN MyPresentation.

END METHOD.

END CLASS.



Solution: The code

CLASS **Factory**:

```
    DEFINE STATIC TEMP-TABLE ttConfig
```

```
    FIELD cType AS CHARACTER
```

```
    FIELD cClass AS CHARACTER
```

```
    INDEX idxType IS PRIMARY UNIQUE cType.
```

```
    DEFINE STATIC DATASET dsConfig FOR ttConfig.
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CONSTRUCTOR STATIC Factory ( ):
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    DATASET dsConfig:READ-XML("FILE", SEARCH("config.xml"),?,?,?).
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END CONSTRUCTOR.
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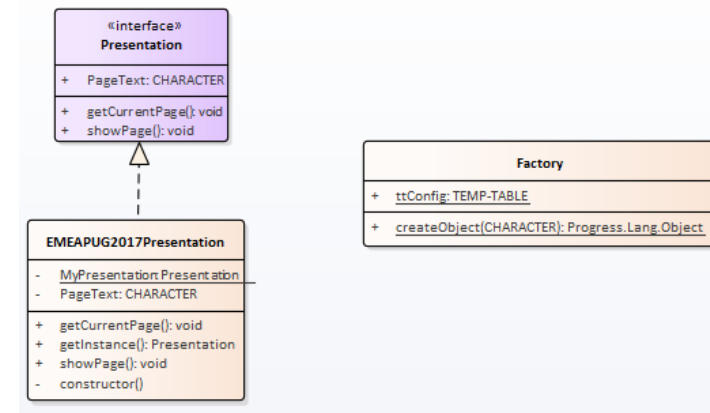
```
    FIND FIRST ttConfig WHERE ttConfig.cType = ipcType.
```

```
    objObject = DYNAMIC-INVOKE(ttConfig.cClass, "getInstance").
```

```
    RETURN objObject.
```

```
END METHOD.
```

```
END CLASS.
```



Solution: The code

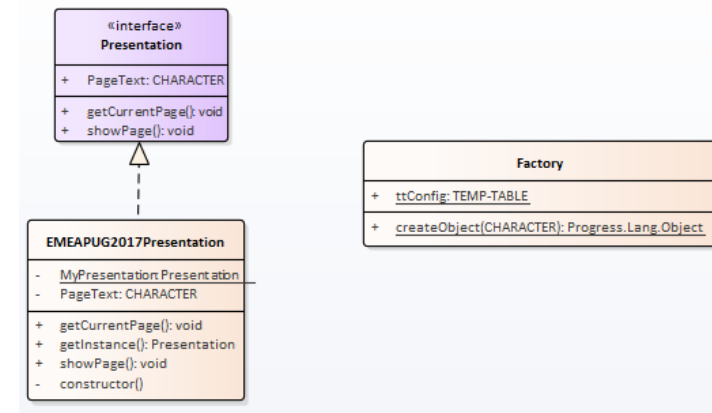
```
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2017First    AS Presentation.  
DEFINE VARIABLE obj2017Second AS Presentation.
```

```
obj2017First    = CAST(Factory:createObject("2017"), Presentation).  
obj2017Second = CAST(Factory:createObject("2017"), Presentation).
```

```
obj2017First:PageText =" Prague ".
```

```
MESSAGE "This is the presentation for “ obj2017First:getCurrentPage()  
VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.
```

```
MESSAGE "This is the presentation for “ obj2017Second:getCurrentPage()  
VIEW-AS ALERT-BOX.
```



Solution: The demo

All done!





Instructor-led training: Advanced OO ABL in the OERA

15:00 - 16:00

Noordwijk

Advanced Design patterns in OO ABL



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In version 10 Progress introduced Object Oriented ABL. Over time the OO elements have been extended and give developers the option to choose between good old ABL and OO ABL. Out of the box, an OO language doesn't necessarily improve the quality of your code. Especially within a team of developers, sticking to the same rules is crucial. To tackle this challenge the software industry has come up with 'Design Patterns', offering best practices for programmers to solve common problems. In 2 sessions, we will show you ways to implement the most commonly used design patterns in OO ABL. Some design patterns tackle the more complex challenges in software design. Like how to link objects to a relational database schema using an ORM. How does this fit into OO ABL? And why some people consider this to be an anti-pattern. Or how to enforce loosely coupling using MVC. Or does that just make things more complicated?