

Object-Oriented Design

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Design patterns

Design patterns are common solutions to common object-oriented design problems

Some design patterns

Flyweight a factory returns small objects that share state

Singleton a class allows for only one instance

Adapter an class adapts an object from one interface to another

Builder instead of taking all the constructor arguments at once, a class provides an API for assembling the object piece by piece

Composite single objects and groups of objects are treated alike via an interface

Bridge each object has a pointer to a separate implementation, allowing each to vary independently

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This is called “interning”

Interning strings: symbol class

```
class symbol
{
public:
    const std::string& name() const;

    bool operator==(const symbol& that) const
    { return ptr_ == that.ptr_; }

private:
    std::shared_ptr<std::string> ptr_;
};
```


Interning strings: symbol table class, take 1

```
class Symbol_table
{
public:
    symbol intern(const std::string&);

private:
    unordered_map<string, shared_ptr<string> > table_;
};
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How?:

- Make its constructor and destructor private
- Require accessing it through a static member function

Singleton symbol table class

```
class Symbol_table
{
public:
    symbol intern(const std::string&);

    static Symbol_table& instance();

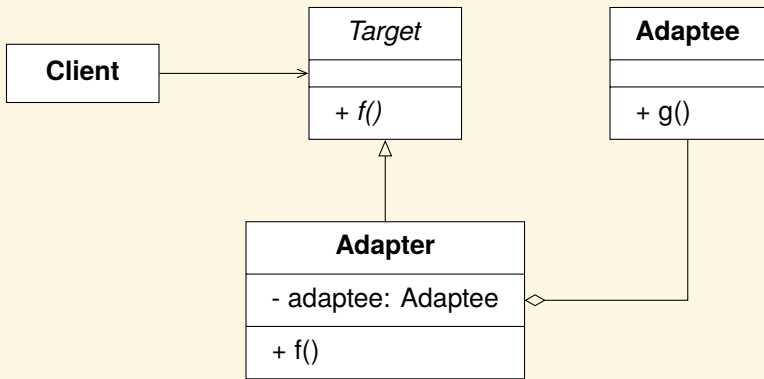
private:
    Symbol_table();
    ~Symbol_table();

    unordered_map<string, shared_ptr<string> > table_;
};
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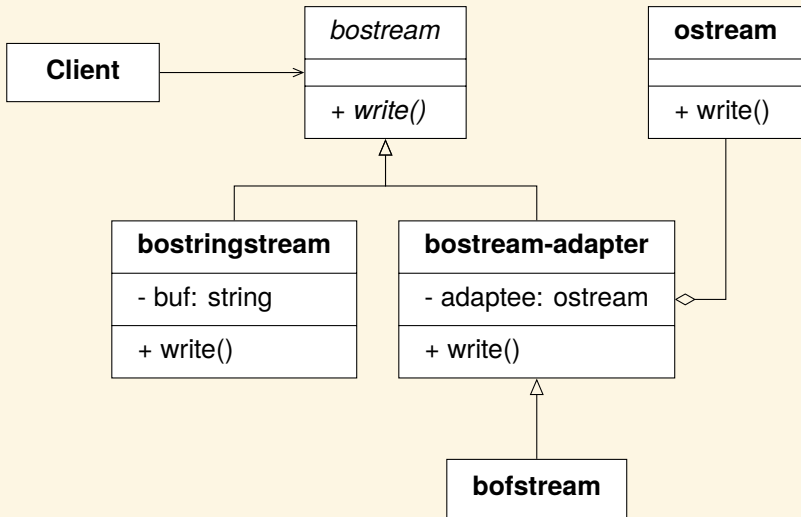
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See `symbol.h`.

Adapter Pattern



bit_io: Adapter Pattern



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The telescoping constructor anti-pattern

```
class Pizza
{
public:
    ...
    Pizza();
    explicit Pizza(crust_t, sauce_t = sauce_t::regular);
    Pizza(crust_t crust,
          sauce_t left_sauce,
          const vector<topping_t>& left_tops,
          sauce_t right_sauce,
          const vector<topping_t>& right_tops);
    ...
};
```

Solution: The Builder Pattern

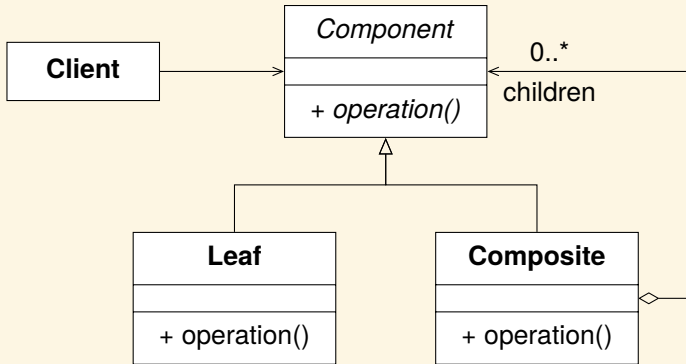
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class Pizza
{
public:
    ...
    class Builder
    {
    public:
        Builder& crust(crust_t);
        Builder& sauce(sauce_t, side_t = side_t::both);
        ...

        Pizza build() const;
        ...
    };
    ...
};
```

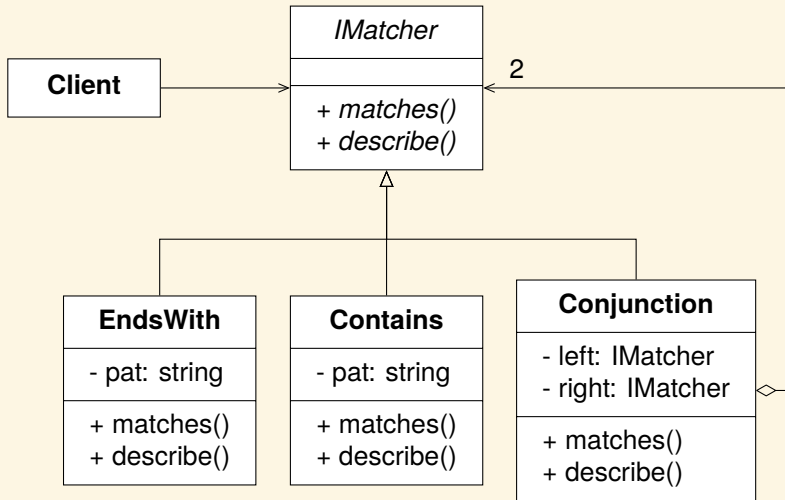
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The Composite Pattern



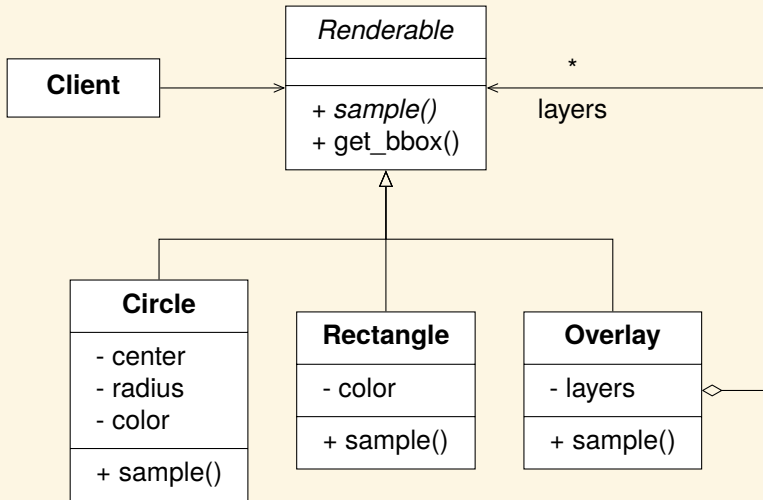
Composite example: string matchers



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See `matcher.h`.

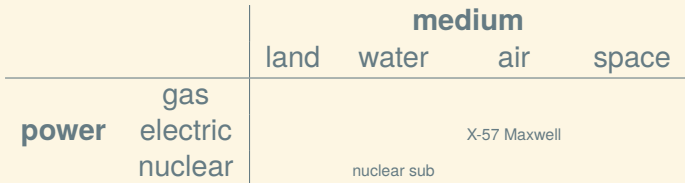
Composite example: renderables



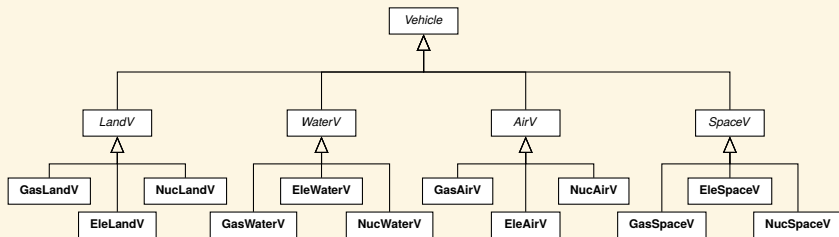
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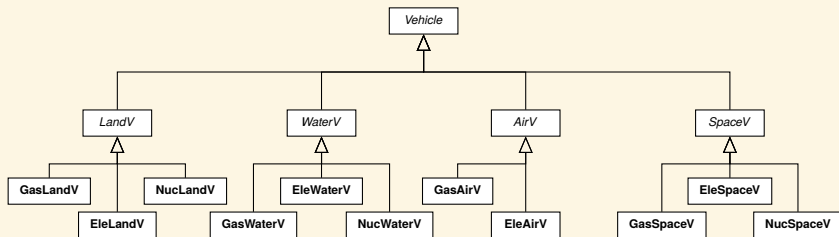
Vehicles: a class family varying along two axes



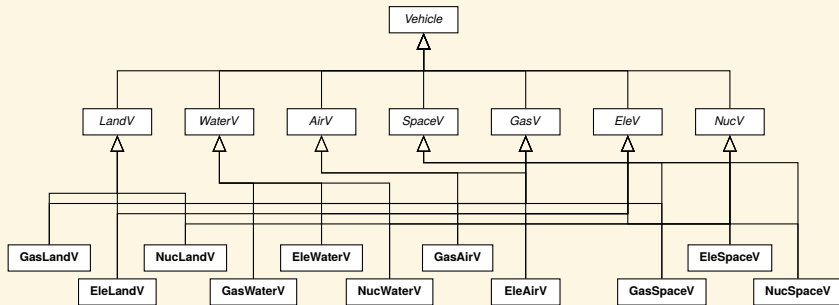
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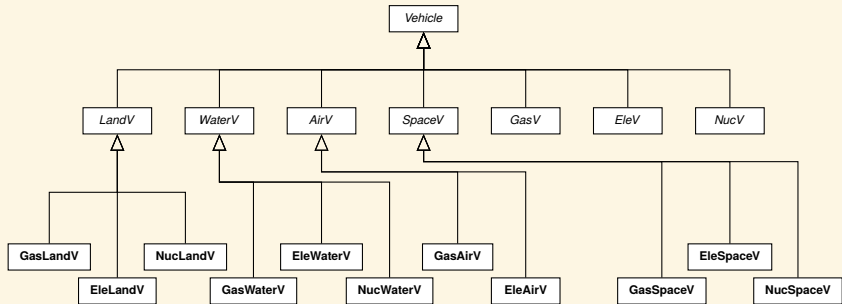
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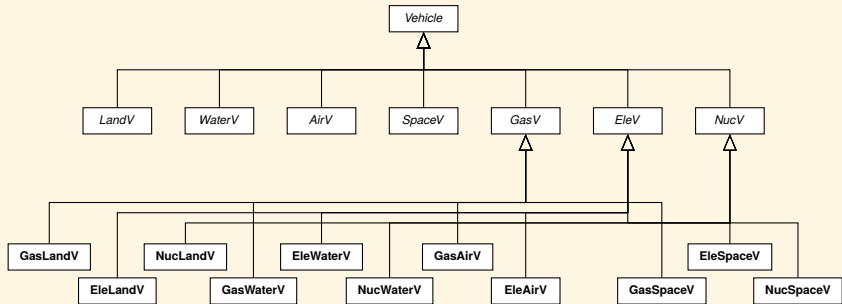
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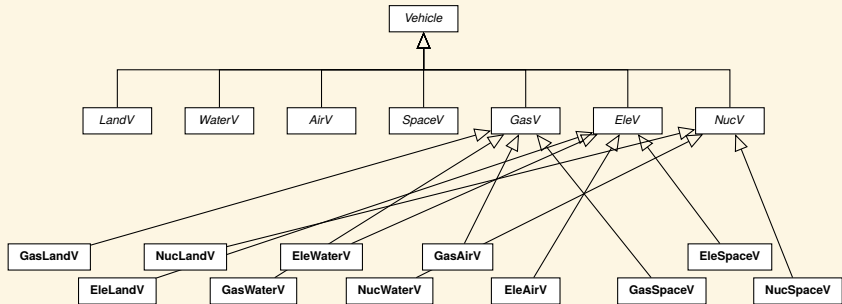
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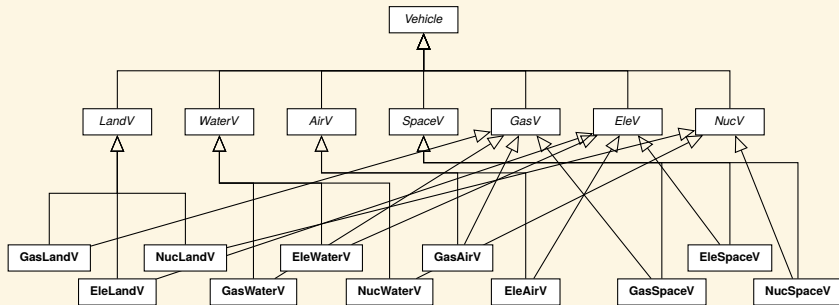
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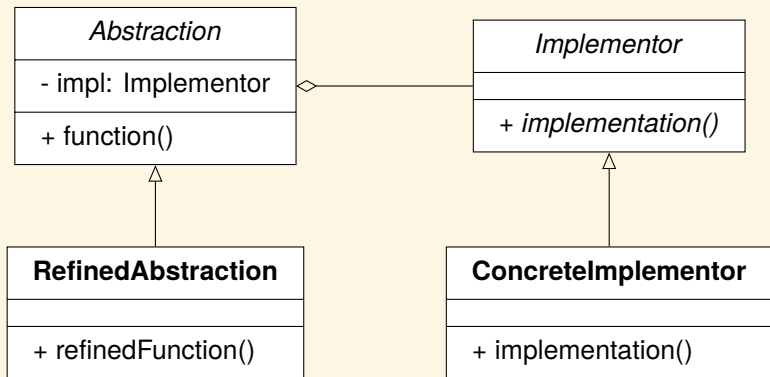
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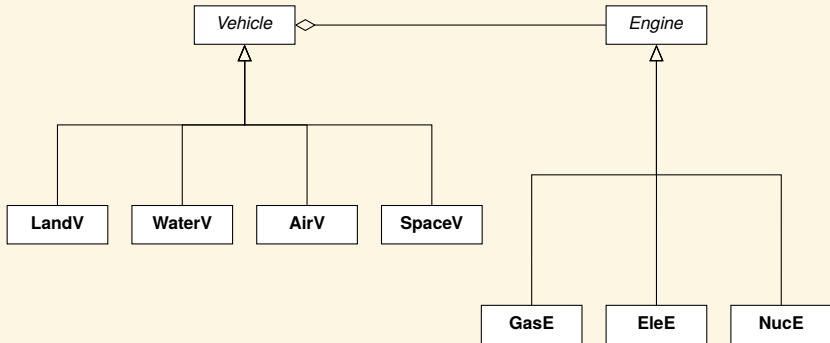
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Bridge Pattern



Vehicle example: Bridge Pattern



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See `vehicle_bridge.h`.