

# REQUIREMENT

Requirement engineering is about clarifying the requirements and avoid misunderstandings.  
 Important to use complete sentences and verbs such as shall, must & will (deal with all, never, each)  
 Iterative process - 4 steps

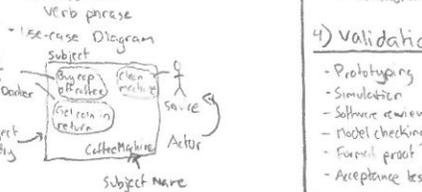
1) **Elicitation**  
 - Understand what the customer truly need  
 - Obtained internally or externally:  
 - Goals / Domain knowledge / Stakeholders / Environment  
 - Can be done through different methods:  
 - Interviews / Scenarios / Prototypes / Observations

2) **Analysis**  
 - Detect & resolve conflicts between requirements  
 - Classify requirements for more effective management  
 - Discover bounds of software  
 - Define interaction with the software  
 - Elaborate high-level req → derive detailed req

Requirement Classification  
 - Functional vs Non-functional  
 - Secure  
 - Product or process req  
 - Priority  
 - Volatility vs. Stability

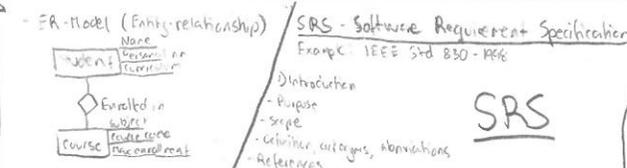
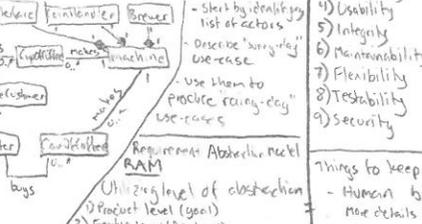
Prioritization  
 - Inherent, category, TUGS method  
 - Good rule between req. Not all critical  
 - Consider cost, risk & timeframe

Conceptual Modeling  
 - Use-case  
 - Description of use-case  
 - "A cell-phone approaches..."  
 - Use-case name  
 - Verb phrase



Use-case name  
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 - Verb phrase

Use-case description  
 - Noun analysis  
 - Underline nouns in use-case description



Interviews  
 - Start  
 - Q&A  
 - Summary feedback  
 - Thank you  
 - What's next

3) **Specification**  
 - Requirement Spec. (RS)  
 - Software req. spec (SRS)  
 - RS important when outsourcing

Use-stories  
 "As a (role) I want to (something) so that (benefit)"  
 Priority: X  
 Estimate: Y  
 - Good for:  
 - Smaller sub-projects  
 - Frequent releases  
 - User feedback  
 - Prototyping  
 - Elicitation  
 - Functional req.

Functional requirements  
 - Describe behavior or feature of software.  
 - Tested by giving input → strict output (fixing)  
 "The user shall be able to add an item to the shopping bag"

Non-functional req  
 - Design constraints limiting solution space  
 "System shall be impl. in PHP"  
 - Quality req, possible to measure  
 "Min response-time of 2 sec"

Iterative process  
 - Living document  
 - Priorities change  
 - Tech issues → Modifications

Quality factors  
 1) Correctness  
 2) Reliability  
 3) Efficiency  
 4) Usability  
 5) Integrity  
 6) Maintainability  
 7) Flexibility  
 8) Testability  
 9) Security  
 10) Portability  
 11) Reuseability  
 12) Interoperability  
 13) Survivability  
 14) Safety  
 15) Manageability  
 16) Supportability  
 17) Reparability  
 18) Functionality

Things to keep an eye on:  
 - Human bias  
 - Not all details are known well

# SRS - Software Requirement Specification

Examp: IEEE Std 830-1998

Introduction  
 - Purpose  
 - Scope  
 - Definitions, acronyms, abbreviations  
 - References  
 - Overview

Overall description  
 - Product perspectives  
 - Product functions  
 - User characteristics  
 - General constraints  
 - Assumptions & dependencies  
 - Lower ambition levels

Specified requirements  
 - Software requirements  
 - User interfaces  
 - Hardware interfaces  
 - Software interfaces  
 - Comm. interfaces

Supporting information  
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Good SRS with the basic issues:  
 - Functionality: what the software should do  
 - External interfaces: how it interacts people and other software  
 - Performance: Speed of functions  
 - Attributes: Portability, Maintainability, Security etc.  
 - Design constraints: Languages, policies etc.

Requirements in a Good SRS are:  
 - Numbered  
 - Inspected  
 - Prioritized  
 - Unambiguous  
 - Testable  
 - Consistent  
 - Traceable  
 - Feasible  
 - Modifiable  
 - Used (as)  
 - operation  
 - maintenance  
 - customer  
 - developer etc.

Characteristics of good Requirements  
 1) **Unique** - Req addresses only one thing  
 2) **Complete** - Fully stated in one place with no missing information  
 3) **Consistent** - One req doesn't contradict another req  
 4) **Non-contradict** - split req. if possible  
 5) **Traceable** - Items which sorted by stakeholder, no more, no less  
 6) **Current** - Not obsolete cause of time  
 7) **Understandable** - Clear, easy to maintain

2) **Specify importance**  
 Req. must specify level of importance

3) **Verifiable**  
 shall be verifiable by basic methods such as inspection, demonstration, inspection etc.

# Project Planning and Processes

Project consists of a starting point, at least one happening and a goal.  
 - Balance between goal & process

SMART - Goals  
 Specific - what will you do? Why is it important?  
 Measurable - Must be able to measure goals  
 Agreed upon - Agreed upon with all stakeholders  
 Realistic - Possible with the current resources knowledge & time  
 Timely - Clear timeframe for the goals

Dependent project parameters  
 Most important when setting the goals for the project  
 1) **Calendar time** - How much time do we need? When can we finish?  
 2) **Resources** - What resources do we have? Personnel, knowledge, Comp. pow.  
 3) **Features** - What features do we want to implement?  
 4) **Quality** - What quality do we require on the finished product?

GRANT - Chart  
 Tool to visualize the process. Makes sure that the project gets done in time  
 Consists of:  
 1) Phases (could be an iteration) includes multiple tasks/activities  
 2) Tasks/activity  
 3) Duration  
 4) Dependencies one task is dependent on another task  
 5) Critical path Activities with the most time-sensitive dependencies. If postpone, the complete project falls behind.  
 6) Slack-time - "Buffer"  
 7) Real time - Estimated time  
 8) Available time = Slack time + Real time

Optimal amount of team members = 5-12

No. of team members	Risk
1	No risk
2	Low risk
3	Med risk
4	High risk
5	Very high risk

Risk management  
 Type of risks:  
 1) **General risk** "A team member gets sick"  
 2) **Project specific risk** "Hardware issues"  
 3) **Direct risk** Project has great control "Our system will not scale"  
 4) **Indirect risk** Project has little control "Server failed due to earthquake"

General steps for risk management  
 1) Risk identification "What can go wrong?" Brainstorm risk  
 2) Risk analysis  
 - Probability: Low/moderate/high/very high (1-4)  
 - Impact: Insignificant, tolerate, serious, catastrophic (1-4)  
 - Risk management indicator: Probability x impact  
 3) Risk planning  
 - Avoidance: Reorganize so that risk disappear  
 - Transfer: Reorganize so someone else take the risk  
 - Acceptance:  
 - Mitigate: Lower probability  
 - Contingency plan: Lower impact  
 4) Risk monitoring  
 "Has the probability changed?"

# The Project Plan

Tool for the project management  
 - Communication medium between project members and other stakeholders  
 - What should be done, when & by who

Content of Project Plan  
 1) **Project description**  
 - Background to project  
 - Relevant constraints  
 - Project goals  
 - Start & expected end date

2) **Project organization**  
 - Roles, knowledge/skills, training, cons. & report

3) **Time & Resource Plan**  
 - Milestones & milestones  
 - Deliverables, activities & resources

4) **Risk management**  
 - Risk, probability & impact  
 - Mitigation & contingency plan

Project status report  
 1) Current status  
 2) Happened since last report  
 3) Happens next (long & short term)  
 4) Problems & risk

2) **Product manager**  
 - Strategic (Product owner/sponsor) - defines market comm. & analysis, budget responsibility & features  
 - Operational  
 - Technical management & expert, effort estimation

3) **Configuration manager** - Select & maintain tools, decides what's in a release  
 4) **Line Manager** - Legal employer, ensures compliance, develops & good working environment to these  
 5) **Process Manager** - Devise on processes & adherence to these  
 6) **Analyst** - Handle everything with requirements, writes SRS  
 7) **Architect** - Ensures requirements are met & specify high-level architecture  
 8) **Lead Designer** - Handles prototypes & design issues, UX & dialogue etc.  
 9) **Environment manager** - Creates & maintains environments for development & testing  
 10) **Developer** - Develops the system  
 11) **Procurement responsible** - Buy components & licenses  
 12) **Component adapter** - Adapt external or reuse components to a system  
 13) **Integrator** - Puts the pieces of software together to a system  
 14) **Tester** - Tests and evaluates the requirements  
 15) **Quality coordinator** - Measure quality & organizes reviews  
 16) **Deployment manager** - Ensures that the product is installed and made available  
 17) **Technical writer** - Responsible for documentation  
 18) **Course developer & leader** - Creates & performs training material & courses  
 19) **Helpdesk** - Helps with & documents customer issues  
 20) **Operations manager** - Ensures that services are provided to the customer  
 21) **Systems Engineer** - Performs maintenance & monitoring on active systems

# Parts. Project Planning & Processes

## Processes

Ways to reach the goal  
 Ordered set of activities  
 Each activity has entry and exit criteria & constraints

## V-model



## Waterfall-model

Remove abstraction (Y-axis) from V-model and we have the Waterfall-model  
 Originate from manufacturing & construction industry  
 Very common, very criticized  
 Finish each phase before next starts  
 Milestones & deliverables at each step

**Advantages**

- Simple & easy to understand
- Suitable for short projects (some weeks)
- Can be used at large system levels (several years)
- Suitable for stable projects, req. don't change
- Suitable for fixed-price projects

**Disadvantages**

- Software requirement change
- Early commitment, change at end => large impact
- Difficult to estimate time & cost of phases
- Risk not part of model => pushes risk forward
- Little room for problem solving

## 4) Rational Unified Process (RUP)

Visually describe workload of different areas.  
 Has 4 main Phases

- 1) Inception - Req. Spec, Prototyping
- 2) Elaboration - Architecture, project plan
- 3) Construction - Development & testing
- 4) Transition - Delivery to customer



## 3) Iterative Model

Royce 1970  
 Utilize either Waterfall or V-model & apply iterations to it

**FIX time & resources and revisit features & quality**

Incremental model when you add features to iterations to reach the goal.

### Advantages

- Flexibility and spread out workload
- Continuously improve process
- Misunderstandings are made clear early

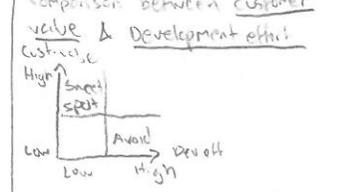
### Disadvantages

- Mapping req. to different iterations
- Prioritizing features.

### Time-boxing

Time period is fixed for each iteration

### Prioritization of Requirement



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## Agile development methods

Early and continues delivery of valuable software

### Manifesto

- 1) Individuals & interaction over processes & tools
- 2) Working software over comprehensive documentation
- 3) Customer collaboration over contract negotiation
- 4) Responding to change over following a plan

### Extreme Programming (XP)

For small/medium-sized teams  
 used when vague & changing requirements

### Values

- 1) communication on-site customer, user-stories, pair programming, daily standup meetings
- 2) simplicity "Do the simplest thing that could possibly work"
- 3) Feedback
  - Unit tests tells programmers status of system
  - New releases every 2-3 weeks for customer to review
- 4) coverage
  - Accept feedback
  - Throw away code
  - Refactor architecture

### Practices

- 1) Pair programming
- 2) Continuous integration
- 3) Refactoring
- 4) Stories
- 5) Test-first programming

### Disadvantages

- Some claim that it's too unstable
- Lack design & documentation

### Burn Down Charts

Showing remaining work in the sprint backlog  
 Updated every day  
 X: Days in sprint  
 Y: Remaining effort in hours

Remove meeting time & vacation time

## 2) SCRUM

Small, cross-functional teams  
 Product split into small, roughly estimated stories  
 Work in iterations (sprints)

### SCRUM-Master

- Ensures that SCRUM is followed
- Removing things that is between the team and their goal.
- Coach the team

### Product owner

- Represent product's stakeholders & customers
- in charge of that the team delivers business value
- Defines user-stories & adds them to backlog & prioritize

### Product Backlog

- Prioritized list of what is required, features & stories.
- Contains bug-fixes, features, non-time req etc.

### Sprint Planning Meeting

- Beginning of each sprint
- Discuss & agree on scope of sprint
- Select product backlog items
- Prepare sprint backlog

### Sprint backlog

- selected during sprint meeting.
- what shall be addressed & done during next sprint
- Task board is often used.

### Daily SCRUM-meetings

- Same time and place every day
- Questions to answer:
  - 1) what did I complete yesterday?
  - 2) what will I complete today?
  - 3) Any problems that can stand in the way of team meeting our sprint goals?

### Sprint review meeting

- Review work done and planned work not done
- Present complete work to stakeholders
- Team + stakeholders collaborate

## 3) Kanban

Lean approach to agile software development  
 Focus on flow of progress

### How it works

- 1) Split work into pieces
- 2) Write each item on card & put it on the wall
- 3) Use named columns to illustrate where in the workflow they are

### Limit WIP (Work in progress)

- Limit number of items in each workflow state
- Limit designed to:
  - Reduce multitasking
  - Maximize throughput
  - Enhance teamwork

### 20% time lost to context switching per task

Perform sequentially yields results sooner

### Typical measurements

- 1) Cycle time: Measured from when you started working on it
- 2) Lead time: Measured from when customer ordered
- 3) Quality: Time spent fixing bugs per iteration
- 4) WIP: Average number of "stories" in progress
- 5) Throughput: Number of "stories" completed per iteration

### Benefits of Kanban

- Eliminates over-production
- Produce only what is ordered
- Flexible to meet customer demand
- Several things are optional: sprints, estimations, agile practices

## 4) Lean Software Development

Adoption of lean principles for software dev.  
 Favoured by start-ups, trying to

- Penetrate markets
- Eliminate waste
- Decide as late as possible
- Empower the team

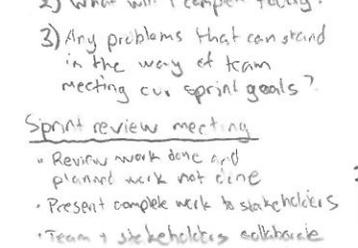
## Design & Architecture

Start of with:

- Comm with stakeholders
- Early design decisions
- Try to find similar systems & components to reuse

Designing is an iterative process

### Box-and-line diagram



### Architectural views

- The step after Box-and-Line Diagrams.
- More detailed
- Often done in UML
- Three main views:
  - 1) Implementation view: show packages, components, artifacts
  - 2) Execution view: show components, connectors & subsystems
  - 3) Deployment view: show physical machines

### Unified Modeling Language (UML)

- Standard for modeling systems & software
- It's divided into different diagrams:
  - 1) Structure diagrams: Package diagram, Component diagram, Deployment diagram
  - 2) Behavior diagrams: Use case diagram, State machine diagram, Sequence diagram

### 1) Package diagram

- Packages to support the system when we need to design and what already exists
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**Tests, Testing & SCM**

**System testing**

- 4 types
- 1) Function testing
  - 2) Performance testing
  - 3) Acceptance testing
  - 4) Installation testing

**Function testing**

- Test functional requirements
- Tests one function at a time
- Useful to use an independent test team that knows the input/output
- Test both valid & invalid inputs
- Have Step Criteria

**Performance testing**

- Test non-functional requirements
- Stress/straining/volume/configurable compatibility/regression security/performance/maintainance/documentation/Usability
- Done by gathering statistical data

**Acceptance testing**

- Test that the users/customers needs are fulfilled
- Consists of:
  - Benchmark tests
  - specially designed tests
  - Pilot tests (In every day work)
  - alpha test - At dev site
  - beta test - At customer site
  - Parallel testing
  - Test new system in parallel with old

**Installation testing**

Same as Pilot-beta testing

**Smoke test**

- Important selected tests on module/system
- Possible to run fast
- Run to make sure you are on the right way

**Typical faults in system**

- Algorithmic - Divide by 0
- Order of operation & precision - order of op
- Documentation - Doc -> trace
- Stress/overload - Data structure size
- Capacity/bounding - 2 devices, 2 parallel tasks
- Timing/broadband - Real time systems
- Throughput/performance - based in req
- Recovery - River failure
- Hardware & system software - Modern
- Standards & priorities - Org. standards

**Self classified by severity**

- 1) Mild
- 2) Annoying
- 3) Moderate
- 4) Disrupting
- 5) Catastrophic
- 6) Very serious
- 7) Extreme
- 8) Intolerable
- 9) Catastrophic

**Full path coverage**

All possible paths executed

**Termination problem**

- When to stop?
- Deadlines
- Certain percentage pass test
- Test budget depleted
- Coverage of code/requirements

**Software Configuration Management (SCM)**

- System that keep track of all the changes in the development process
- Only authorized ppl can make changes

**Change control board (CCB)**

- If large changes they make change decisions

**Continuous Integration (CI)**

- Integrate changes frequently
- Important practices:
  - Automated build of system
  - Automated test of system (unit, system, regression, smoke)
  - Automated integration (commit logs in SCM etc)
  - The use of an SCM

**Revision control**

- System that make changes of files, code, documents etc
- Two common version control systems:
  - 1) Git
  - 2) SVN

**Software Quality**

- **Quality factors**
- See other sheet

**Software Review**

- Systematic peer examination of software products
- **NOT testing!** (Inspection)
- What can be inspected?
  - Req spec
  - Architecture description
  - Design document
  - Source code
  - Dev. process description
  - System build procedure
  - Test documents
  - Release notes
  - Installation procedure
  - Maintenance manuals

**Participants in inspection? (Roles)**

- 1) **Leader (moderator)**
  - Planning & organizing the inspection
  - Ensures inspection data is collected
- 2) **Recorder (can be leader)**
  - Documents defects, results & recommendations
- 3) **Reader**
  - Informs the software product to be tested
  - Author (not leader, recorder or reader)
  - Perform work to meet criteria

**Inspection process**

**6 parts:**

- 1) Input for entry
- 2) Plan & overview
- 3) Individual checking
- 4) Inspection meeting
- 5) Edit & follow up
- 6) Collected data

**Input (Author)**

- Objective statement
- Software product/architects to be inspected
- Inspection procedures
- Reporting forms
- Known defects
- Source documents (SRS, descriptions etc)

**Planning & overview (leader)**

- Identify inspection team
- Assign responsibilities
- Schedule meetings
- Distribute material
- Specify scope & priorities
- Introduce the product (Author)

**Individual checking (inspector)**

- Exam product individually
- Report defects to inspector leader
- Prepare for inspection meeting
- Inspection rate
  - 2-3 page/hour
  - 100-200 lines of code/hour

**Inspection meeting**

- Leader, reader, recorder, inspectors
- Agenda
  - Author present product
  - Inspector produce defect list
  - Review defect list
  - Make exit decisions:
    - 1) Accept no further verification
    - 2) Attempt with rework verification
    - 3) Reinspect, redo the process

**Edit & follow up**

- Author resolves items
- Inspector leader verifies that all items are closed

**Collected data**

- Software product identification
- Date & time of inspection
- Inspection team
- Inspection time (working & individuals)
- Volume of inspected material

**Defected data items**

- Classification
- Log problem, data source problem etc
- Categories
- Missing, extra, incorrect etc
- Ranking

**Other software reviews**

**Management reviews**

- Check deviation from plan
- Products, reports & reports
- Performed by management staff

**Technical reviews**

- Evaluate conformance to specifications & standards
- Performed by tech-leadership
- High volume of material

**Walk-through**

- Informal atmosphere where author present, lead & controls the discussion

**Audit**

- 3rd party independent evaluation of conformance to specifications & standards

**Software Metrics**

- Purpose is to measure the quality factors
- Most commonly measurements:
  - Document, no. of pages
  - Design, no. of module elements
  - Code, no. of lines
  - Process, iteration length
  - Quality, avg no. of hours to learn system
- Metrics is a combination of 3 measurements

**Measurement of some Quality factors**

- 1) **Reliability**
  - Probability that software executes with no failures during a specific time interval
  - MTF - Mean time to failure
  - Reliability =  $MTF / (1 + MTF)$
  - or
  - Software intensity = failures/hours of operation
- 2) **Availability**
  - MTR = Mean time to repair
  - MTF = Mean time to failure
  - Availability =  $MTF / (MTF + MTR)$
- 3) **Maintainability**
  - Maintainability =  $1 / (1 + MTR)$

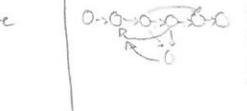
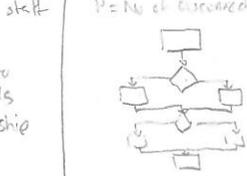
**Process areas of CMMI**

- 1) **Requirement Management (REQM)**
  - Level 2 - Requirement
  - Purpose: Manage requirements, ensure alignment to project plan
- 2) **Requirements development (RD)**
  - Level 3 - Requirement
  - Purpose: Elicit, analyse and establish customer, product & product component requirements
- 3) **Technical Solution (TS)**
  - Level 3 - Design
  - Purpose: select design & implement solutions to requirements
- 4) **Project Planning (PP)**
  - Level 2 (Project Management)
  - Purpose: Establish & maintain plans that defines project activities

**Cyclomatic Complexity**

$V(F) = E - N + 2 \cdot P$

E = No. of edges  
N = No. of nodes  
P = No. of disconnected parts



**Specific Software Metrics**

- 1) **Usage based metrics (Relevance)**
  - Description: No. of good and bad features recalled by users
  - Obtain data: set up test scenario, let users use scenario, collect no. of good & bad features
  - Calculate metrics: Average no. good & bad features
- 2) **Verification & Validation metrics (Safety)**
  - Description: Rate of source defects found in inspection
  - Obtain data: Run inspection
  - Calculate metrics: Divide number of defects with highest severity with total no. of defects
- 3) **Volume metrics (Reliability)**
  - Description: no. of non-completed lines of code
  - Obtain data: Count no. of non-completed lines of code
  - Calculate metrics: See above
- 4) **Structural metrics (Understandability)**
  - Description: Maximum depth of inheritance tree
  - Obtain data: Count depth for all classes
  - Calculate metrics: Maximum value found
- 5) **Effort metrics (Testability)**
  - Description: Time spent in testing
  - Obtain data: Make sure that testing are distinguished in time
  - Calculate metrics: Sum no. of hours for all activities & all ppl

**Software Quality Assurance (SQA)**

**Views of Quality**

- 1) **Transcendent** - Something we learn to recognize
  - 2) **Product-based** - Measurable value
  - 3) **Usage-based** - In the eyes of the beholder
  - 4) **Manufacturing-based** - Conformance to requirements
  - 5) **Value-based** - Market sets the value
- If many opinions -> statistical techniques

**Showhart Cycle**



**Levels of quality assurance**

- 1) **Appraisal** - Defect detection
- 2) **Assurance** - Prediction of defects
- 3) **Control** - Adjust the process
  - Improvements: Reduce variation, improve prediction

**Mature Organizations (members)**

- They have:
  - Inter-group comms & coordination
  - Work accomplished according to plan in inspection
  - Process consistent with processes
  - Processes updated as necessary
  - Well defined roles/responsibilities
  - Management formally commits
- Make things go well, not necessarily speed

**Risk Management (RSTM)**

- Level 3 - Project Management
- Purpose: Identifying potential problems before they occur so risk handling can be planned

**Process & Product Quality Assurance (PPQA)**

- Level 3 - SQA
- Purpose: Prevent shift & management with objective insights into processes & associated work products
- Level 3 - Process
- Purpose: Establish & maintain a viable set of org. process assets, guides & standards, rules

**Organizational Process Definition (OPD)**

- Level 3 - Process
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**Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI)**

- Used to define maturity level of an organization
- Has 5 stages (steps/levels)

**1) Initial**

- Over-committed, processes abandon in crises, no impetus for success
- Success depends on heroes

**2) Repeatable**

- Fewer surprises
- Process based on org policies
- Process adherence is evaluated
- Process are established and follow, even in crises
- Project assume adequate resources
- We know stakeholders needs
- We can control changes
- Project visible in milestones/outcome
- We can repeat previous success
- Successes result for individual projects

**3) Defined**

- Tailoring processes from your own standard definitions
- Standard processes are improved
- Process descriptions are more complete & detailed
- Capable for development at all levels
- Works for a range of projects
- Consistently the minimum level

**4) Managed**

- Qualitative analysis of goals, product & processes
- Higher predictive capability
- Frequent reviews

**5) Optimizing**

- Everyone is committed to ongoing improvements of processes
- Innovation & risk + ability to evaluate new technology
- Outcome of improvements are evaluated at all relevant levels in the organization
- Challenge: Company culture, markets

**ISO 9000-3**

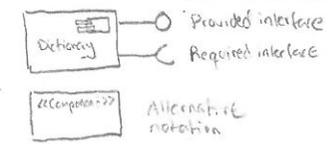
- Guidelines which is built on:
  - Customer focus, leadership
  - involvement of people, process approach, system approach to management, continual improvement, factual approach to decision-making, mutually beneficial supplier relationships

**Total Quality Management (TQM)**

- Management philosophy focusing on what the customer needs are & achievable
- 7 principles:
  - 1) Quality can & must be managed
  - 2) Process, not people, are the problem
  - 3) Don't treat symptoms, look for the cause
  - 4) Every employee is responsible for quality
  - 5) Quality must be measurable
  - 6) Quality requirements must be established

# Ports Design & Architecture

## 2) Component diagram with interfaces



- Port** - Represented by a square in the boundary of a subsystem, connects the component interface with the external interface
- Abstract** - Physical port, like a library
- Manifest** - Implement

## 3) Deployment diagram (view) in UML



order: Physical hardware

## Coupling - Dependency between modules

- Uncoupled** - No dependencies
  - Loosely coupled** - Few dependencies
  - Tightly coupled** - Many dependencies
- We want low coupling, because:
- Repairable, avoid changes
  - Testable, isolate faults
  - Understandable

## Cohesion - Relation between internal parts of the module

- Low cohesion** - Function less or no common
  - Medium cohesion** - some logically related functions
  - Highly cohesion** - Does only what it's designed for
- We want high cohesion
- Understandable & easier to maintain

## Important factors during design & Architecture

- Performance
- Security
- Safety
- Modifiability
- Usability
- Testability
- Availability
- Scalability
- Portability
- Maintainability

## Performance

- Timing, throughput, response time
- Scale up or scale out

## Security

- Confidentiality: Data authorized ppl can read
- Availability: Right info at right time
- Integrity: Only authorized users can modify, edit or delete data

## Safety

- Absence of critical faults
- All critical operations in one or few modules or subsystems

## Modifiability - Cost of change

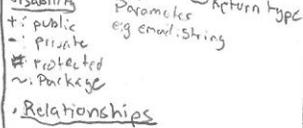
- What can change?
- Platform, returns, protocol etc
- When can change?

## Usability

- Easy to use vs. efficiency
- Word vs. latex

## 1) Class diagram

- Most common UML diagram
- Consists of classes
- Classes consists of:
  - Attributes
  - Operations
  - Visibility
  - Parameters
  - Return type



- Visibility**
  - +: public
  - : private
  - #: protected
  - ~: Package
- Relationships**

### Association A → B

"A" has references to instance(s) of "B"

### Composition A ⊂ B

An instance of "B" is part of an instance of "A"

"B" is not allowed to be shared

Must be 1 or 0..1

### Generalization A ⊃ B

"A" inherits all properties & operations of "B"

Instance in "A" can be used where instance in "B" is expected

"A" can also implement own functions

### Realization A ~ B

"A" provides an implementation of the interface specified by "B"

"A" must implement all functions in "B"

### Dependency A -.-> B

"A" is dependent on "B"

Changes in "B" cause changes of "A"

## Behaviour Diagrams

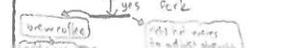
- Use-case diagram
- Activity diagram
- State-machine diagram
- Sequence diagram

### 1) Use-case Diagram

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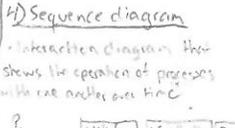
### 2) Activity diagram

- Represent activity from start to end.
- Arrow rectangle = Action
- Diamond = Decision
- Bar = Start/end of concurrent activity
- Black circle = Start node
- Encircled black circle = End node



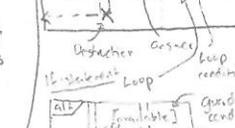
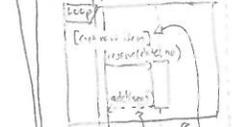
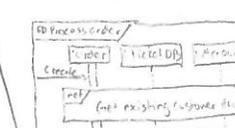
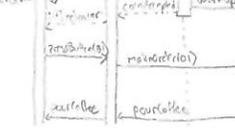
## 3) State-machine Diagram

- Similar to activity diagram
- Represent current state and actions between these states



## 4) Sequence diagram

Interaction diagram that shows the operation of processes with one another over time



## Design Patterns

(Goal is to enable reuse of info & components)

- Three common patterns are:
- Strategy (Policy)
  - Observer
  - Facade

### 1) Strategy (Policy)

Used when needed to select an algorithm at runtime

E.g. if you are validating input data, different input data demands different algorithms

Use an interface for this

- Steps

- Define a family of algorithms
- Encapsulate each one of them
- Make them interchangeable

## 2) Observer

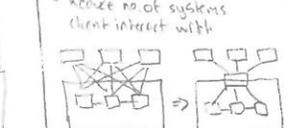
- Mainly used for event-handling systems
- When the main object (subject) gets updated, all its dependencies get informed about the update

## 3) Facade

- Unified interface to a set of interfaces in a subsystem
- Makes the subsystem easier to use. Reduce complexity
- Decouple the system

## Updates

- Things outside the system is not affected by changes in the system
- Reduce no. of systems client interact with



## Architecture styles

- 4 types of styles:
- Client-server
  - Layered
  - Pipe-and-filter
  - Service-oriented architecture

### 1) Client-server

- Describes how code & workload should be distributed between client & server

### 2) Two-tier, thin client

- Client: Presentation layer
- Server: Business layer + Data management

### 3) Two-tier, fat client

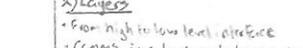
- Client: Presentation layer + Business layer
- Server: Data management

### 4) Three-tier

- Client: Presentation layer
- Middleware: Business layer
- Server: Data management

## 2) Layers

- From high to low level interface
- Comm is only done between layers
- Layer bridging is possible though, but defeats the purpose of layering.



## Pros

- Easy reuse of layers
- Support for standardization
- Dependencies kept local

## Cons

- Can't give performance penalties
- Layer bridging loses modularity

## 3) Pipes-and-filters

- Decomposing complex processes into filters that perform a process and then sends the data forward through pipes



## 4) Service-oriented Architecture

- Everything is broken down into services
- Service is a discrete unit of functionality that can be accessed remotely and called upon and returned independently
- Components communicate with products over the network

## Documentation of design

- When to document?
- Initial design
- Hardware
- After implementation

## What to document?

- System description
- Brief description
- Who the users are
- Main requirements
- Constraints & quality factors
- Important background info

## 1) Different structural views

- Implementation view
- Execution view
- Deployment view

## 2) Mapping between views

- Describe how views relates (they all describe same system, what is different?)
- Require consistency
- Extra important if not co-refer

## 3) Exhaustive testing

- Test with all possible inputs to the program

## 4) Equivalence class testing

- Test all equivalent sets of data
- E.g. At least 12 years old to borrow money, but more than 10000 and less than 100000

- EC1: age < 18
- EC2: age > 18
- EC3: sum < 10000
- EC4: 10000 < sum < 100000
- EC5: 100000 < sum

## 5) Rationale

- Using a decision was made
- What the implication is to change it

## White Box testing

- Find input X and output Y so that Z is executed

## Unit testing

- Test a single unit of the source code before accepting it into the system

## Testing & SCM

- Two central concepts
- Validation: Are we building the right system?
- Verification: Are we building the system right?

Testing is an activity in which a program is executed under specific conditions, the results are observed & evaluated

## Methods for Validation & Verification:

- Formal verification
- Simulation
- Model checking
- Software review
- Prototyping

Error: People make errors

Fault: Result of an error

Failure: When faults execute

## Fault of commission

Enter something into a representation that is incorrect

## Fault of omission

Fail to enter correct information



## Black Box testing

Given input X, software shall give me output Y

- Includes 3 types of testing

- Exhaustive testing
- Equivalence class testing
- Boundary value analysis

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## 3) Boundary value analysis

Focus on boundaries between equivalence classes

- Test each point on boundary, one above and one below

## Integration test

- When integrating single components into an integrated module
- 4 main types:
  - Big bang
  - Bottom-up
  - Top-down
  - Sandwich

### 1) Big bang

- Integrates all components in a big bang therefore test complete module
- Difficult to isolate faults
- Quick

### 2) Bottom-up

- Test from bottom-up (EFS) & (HDB)

### 3) Driver

- Component that mimics higher level functionality
- Possible that it takes until the end to catch big interface defects
- Easy to use

### 4) When to use?

- Bottom-up development
- Complex basic functions

### Problems

- Complex user interface testing is postponed
- End-user feedback is postponed
- Effort to write drivers

### 3) Top-down

- Test from top-down (ABCD)
- Component that mimics lower level functionality
- Easier to write than drivers

### Pros

- Defect in general design found early
- Work well with incremental developer
- Test cases designed for functional req

### Cons

- Technical details postponed
- Many stubs are required
- Many stubs with many conditions are hard to write

### 4) Sandwich

- Combined bottom-up & top-down
- Find testing target level
- (ABCD) (10-20) (EFGH) in parallel
- Good for systems with many layers

### Pros

- Top-down/bottom-up done parallel

### Cons

- Requires more resources