

## 36. Story Driven Modeling – A Practical Guide to Model Driven Software Development

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## Overview

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Story Driven Modeling:

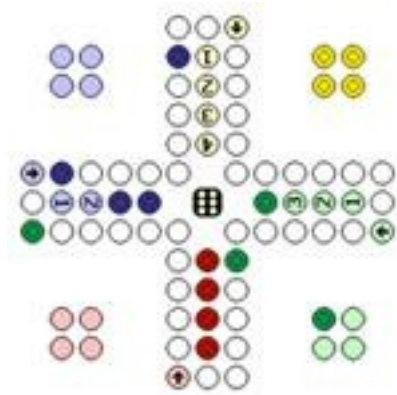
Steps:

- Textual use case description
- Story Boarding (OOA)  
(Test specification)
- Class diagram derivation (OOD)
- Behavior derivation (Coding)
- Code generation
- Validation (Testing)

Features:

- Use Case Driven
- Model Driven
- Iterative
- Test Driven Development

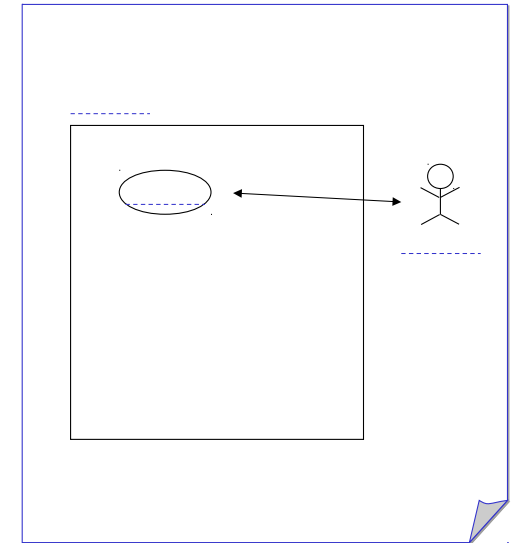
## 36.2. The running example: Ludo



## 36.3. Use case diagrams (Rpt.)

Requirements elicitation as usual:

- Use case diagrams for overview



## Use case description (cont.)

Textual scenario descriptions:

- focus on scenarios
- several scenarios per use case
- focus on one example situation at a time
- use concrete names

Use case \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ :

Start situation: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Invocation: \_\_\_\_\_

Step 1: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Step 2: \_\_\_\_\_

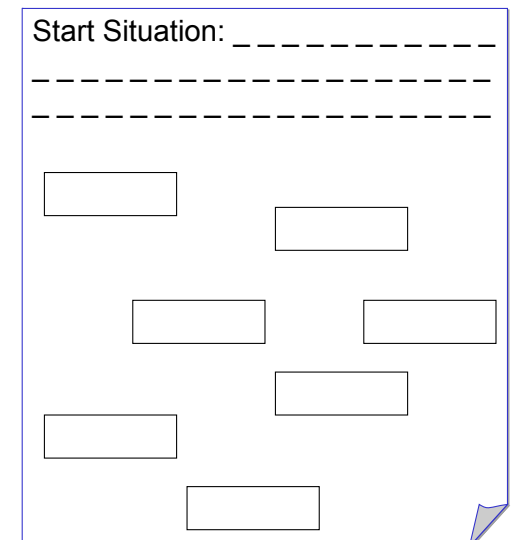
\_\_\_\_\_

Result situation: \_\_\_\_\_

## Story-Driven Modeling (SDM)

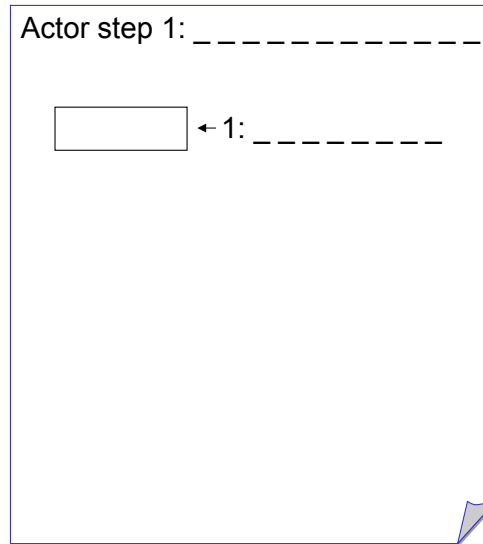
SDM approach:

- analyse the text scenarios
- nouns become *objects*
- verbs become *method invocations or links*
- ...



## 36.4 Object oriented analysis with story boards

- use case execution is modeled by one method invocation
- drawn as collaboration message
- multiple scenarios for one use case call the same method (but in different situations)
- this method implements the use case
- use case  $\leftrightarrow$  method mapping enables traceability
- step descriptions may become implementation comments



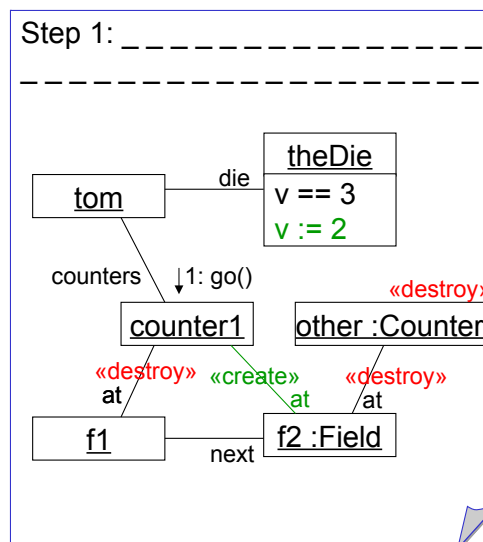
## Object oriented analysis with story boards

use case  $\leftrightarrow$  method mapping

- uc1  $\ll$ uses $\gg$  uc2 → method uc1() may call method uc2()
- uc1  $\ll$ includes $\gg$  uc2 → uc1() always calls uc2()
- uc2  $\ll$ extends $\gg$  uc1 → uc1() provides extension points / call backs. uc2() may subscribe for such a call back

## Object oriented analysis with story boards

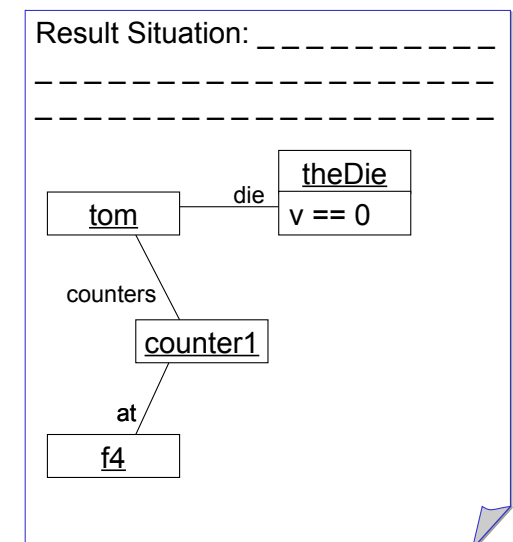
- $\ll$ create $\gg$  and  $\ll$ destroy $\gg$  markers
- := attribute assignments
- recurring objects without class name first time on stage with class name (change of perspective)
- collaboration messages
- alternatively sequence diagrams



## Object oriented analysis with story boards

Result situation:

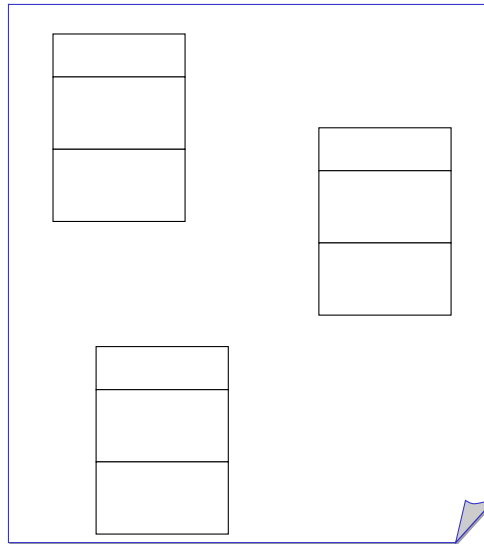
- models resulting object structure
- used for testing



# Derivation of Class Diagrams

Collect the types from the story boards:

- Classes
- Associations
- Attribute declarations
- Method declarations



# Derivation of Class Diagrams (cont.)

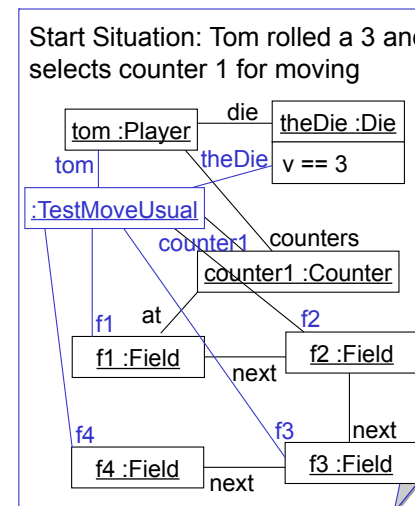
- Class diagram derivation is straight forward
- Semi-automatic tool support by Fujaba
- Intermediate story board step results in much better domain level class diagrams
- code generation for class diagrams
- *story boards are appropriate for the analysis and discussion of behavior*
- story boards also useful during refinement and coding
- story boards may serve as test specifications
- story boards may drive the implementation

## 36.5. Test Derivation

- Scenarios → JUnit Tests
- start situation → setup code
- invocation → invocation
- result situation → code that checks object structure equivalence

## Test Derivation (cont.)

- Scenarios → JUnit Tests, start situation → setup code and fixture



```
class TestMoveUsual implements TestCase {
    private Player tom;
    private Die theDie;
    private Counter counter1;
    ...
    void setUp () {
        tom = new Player ();
        theDie = new Die ();

        theDie.setV (3)

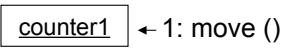
        tom.setDie (theDie);

        counter1 = new Counter ();
        tom.addToCounters (counter1);
        ...
    }
}
```

## Test Derivation (cont.2)

- Scenarios → JUnit Tests, start situation → setup code

Invocation: counter 1 is moved

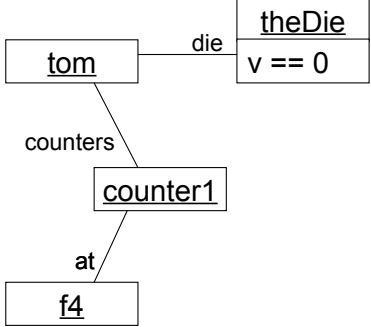


```
class TestMoveUsual implements TestCase
{
    ...
    void testMoveUsual ()
    {
        this.counter1.move();
        ...
    }
}
```

## Test Derivation (cont.3)

- Scenarios → JUnit Tests, start situation → setup code

Result Situation: the die is counted down to zero and counter 1 reached field 4



```
class TestMoveUsual implements TestCase
{ void testMoveUsual ()
{
    this.counter1.move();
    assertTrue (tom.getDie() == theDie);
    assertTrue (theDie.getV() == 0);
    assertTrue (counter1.getPlayer () == tom);
    assertTrue (counter.getAt () == f4);
}
}
```

## Test Derivation (cont.4)

- more complex result situations work, too (see later)
- start situation, invocation, result situation → JUnit tests
- steps may be exploited, too, cf. [SCESM05]
- analysis scenarios ↔ tests
- test driven software development

## Derivation of the Implementation

- Dobs + BeanShell + Coding

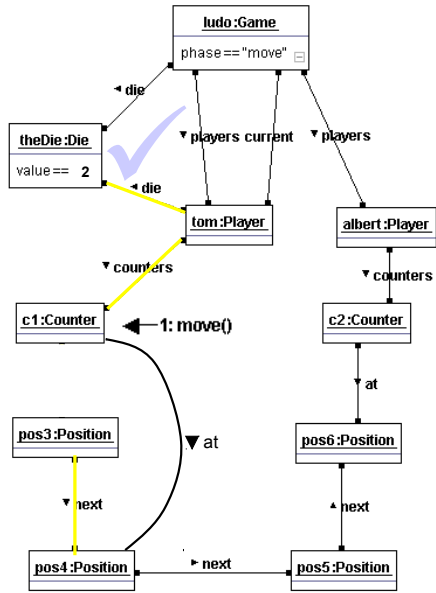
Tool Demo

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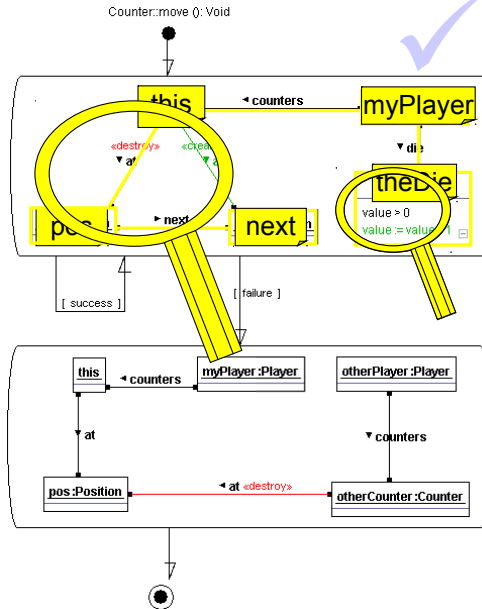
- combine story boards to rule diagrams [SCESM04]
- assign execution semantics
- code generation

# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.)

## Main Memory Objects

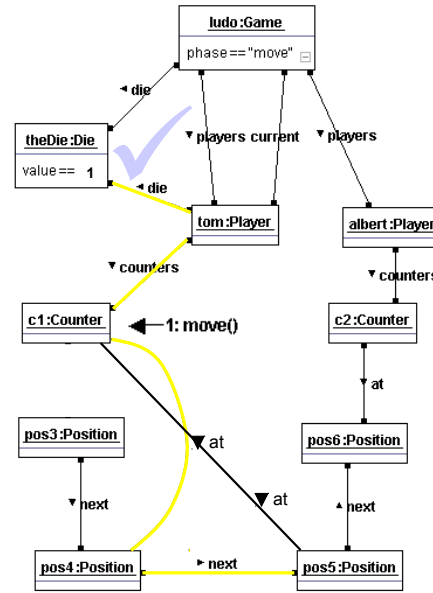


## Rule Diagram / Program

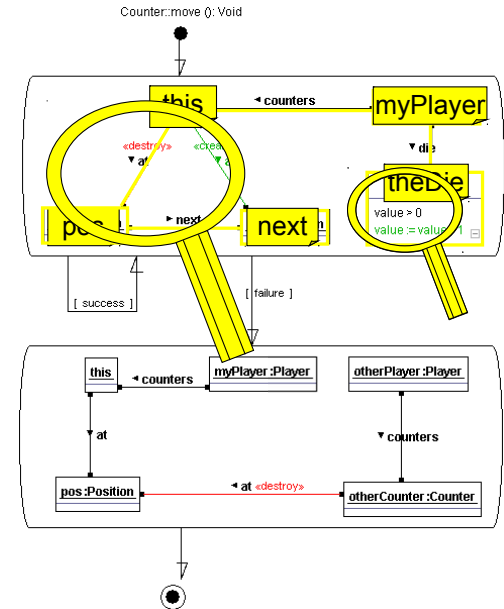


# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.2)

## Main Memory Objects

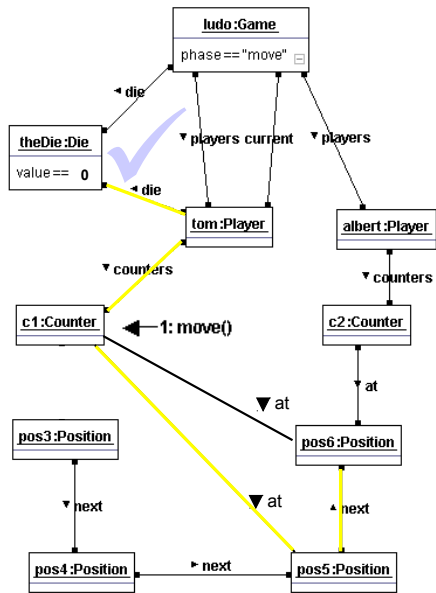


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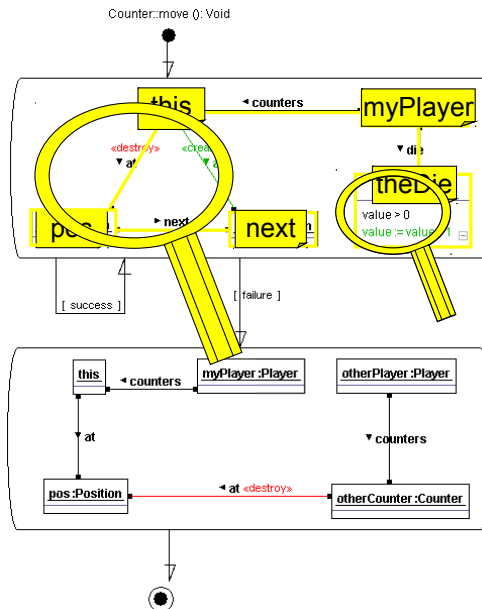


# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.3)

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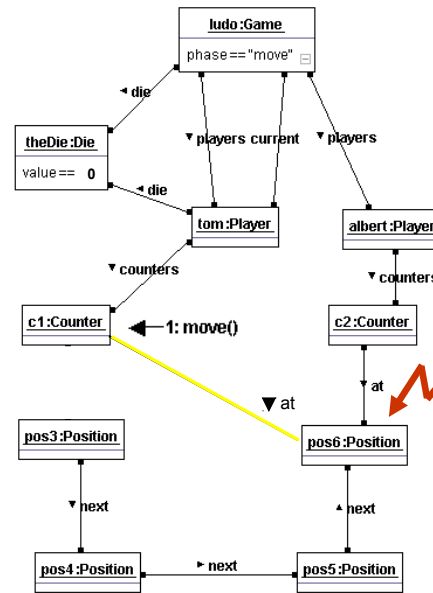


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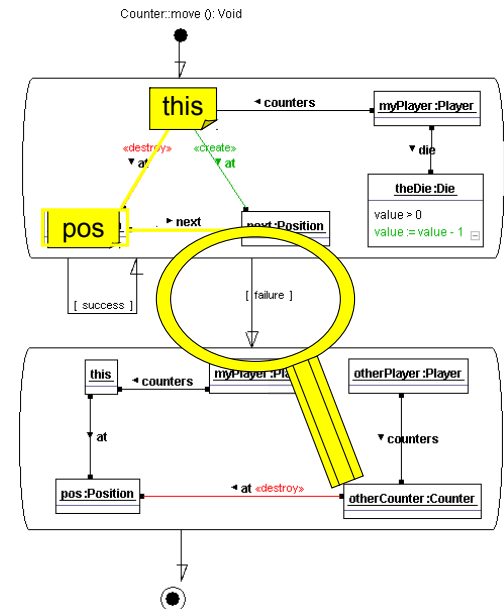


# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.4)

## Main Memory Objects



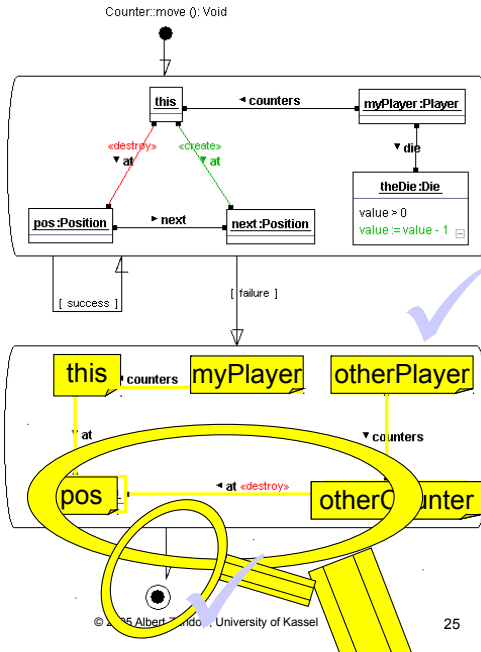
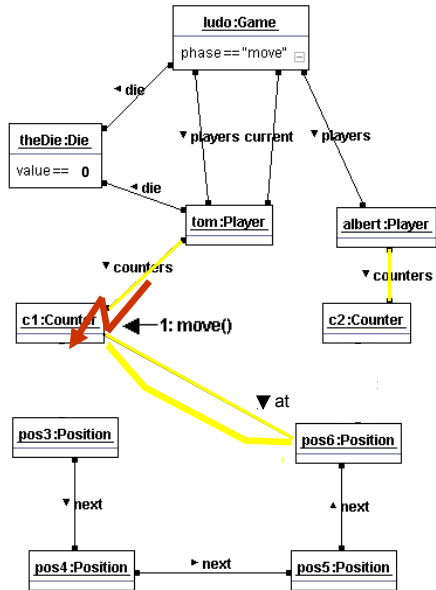
## Rule Diagram / Program



# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.5)

Main Memory Objects

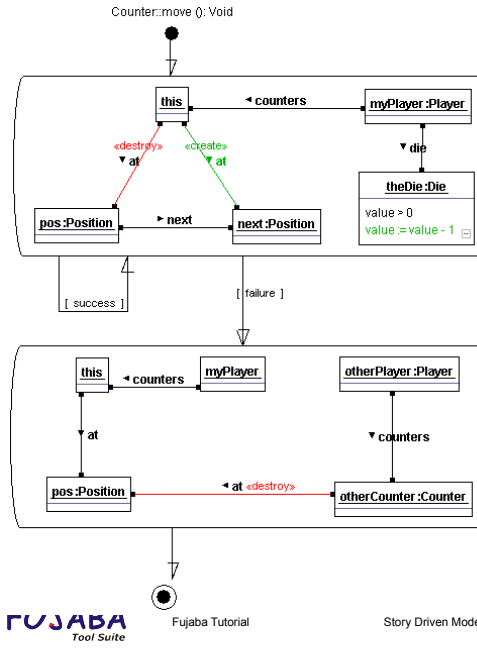
Rule Diagram / Program



# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.6)

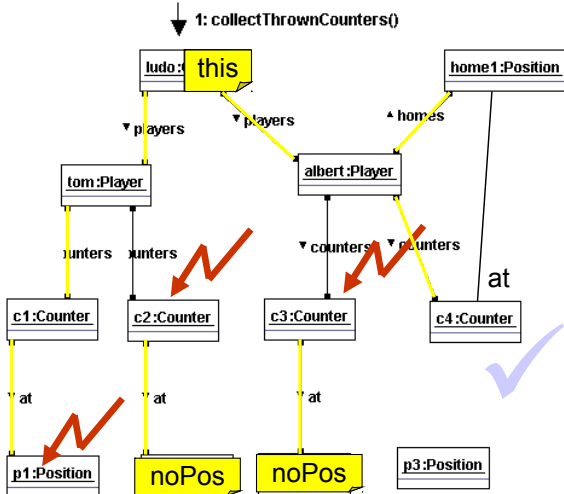
```

class Counter {
public void move () { Position pos; ...
while (sdmSuccess) {
try {
sdmSuccess = false;
pos = this.getAt ();
JavaSDM.ensure (pos != null);
next = pos.getNext ();
JavaSDM.ensure (next != null);
myPlayer = this.getOwner ();
JavaSDM.ensure (myPlayer != null);
theDie = myPlayer.getDie ();
JavaSDM.ensure (theDie != null);
JavaSDM.ensure (theDie.getV() > 0);
sdmSuccess = true;
this.setAt (null);
this.setAt (next);
theDie.setV(theDie.getV() - 1);
} catch (SDMException e) {}
} // while
}
    
```

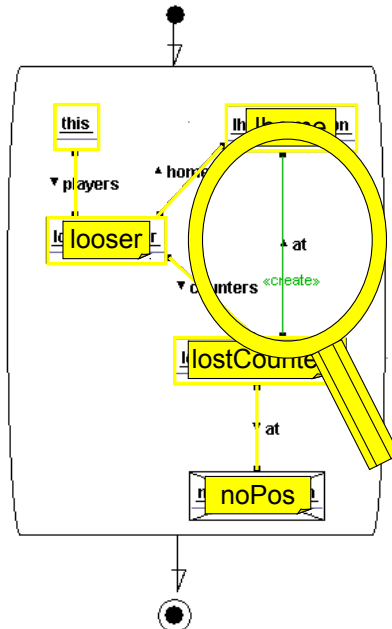


# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.7)

# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.8)



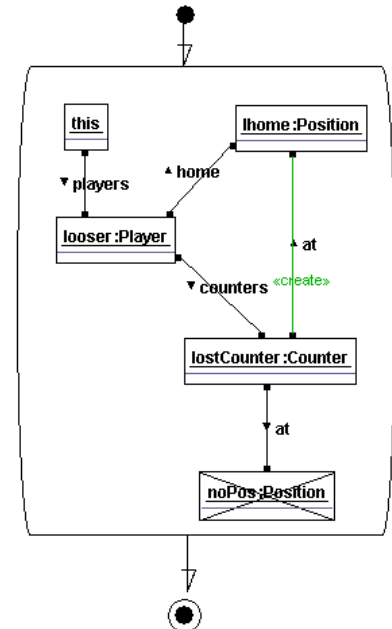
Game::collectThrownCounters () : Void



```

class Game {
public void collectThrownCounters () { ...
Iterator loserIter = this.iteratorOfPlayers();
while (!sdmSuccess && loserIter.hasNext()) {
try {
sdmSuccess = false;
loser = loserIter.next ();
lhome = loser.getHome ();
JavaSDM.ensure (lhome != null);
countersIter = loser.iteratorOfCounters ();
while (!sdmSuccess && countersIter.hasNext()) {
try {
lostCounter = countersIter.next ();
JavaSDM.ensure (lostCounter.getAt() == null);
sdmSuccess = true;
lostCounter.setAt (lhome);
} catch (SDMException e) {}
} // while
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} // while
}
    
```

Game::collectThrownCounters () : Void



# Derivation of the Implementation (cont.9)

- manual derivation of rule diagrams from stories
- brain required
- systematic guide lines provided e.g. in [SCESM04]
- automatic code generation [GraGra]

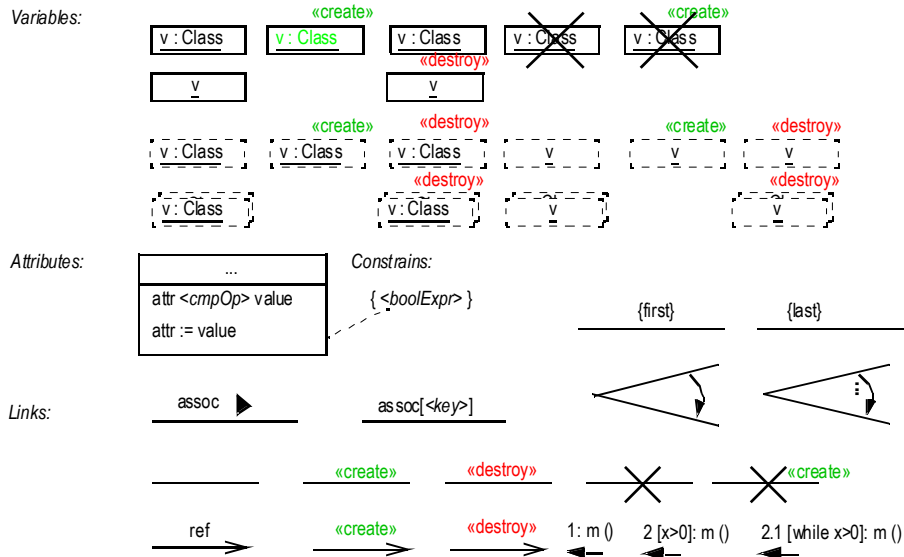
# Summary

## Story Driven Modeling

- model level analysis with story boards
- model level tests
- model level implementation with rule diagrams
- code generation
- model level testing / debugging

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# Addendum A: Story Pattern Elements:



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