

# SFWR ENG 3A04: Software Design II

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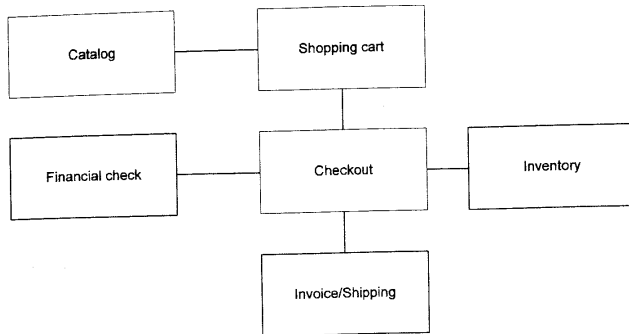


Figure: Block (box-and-line) diagram

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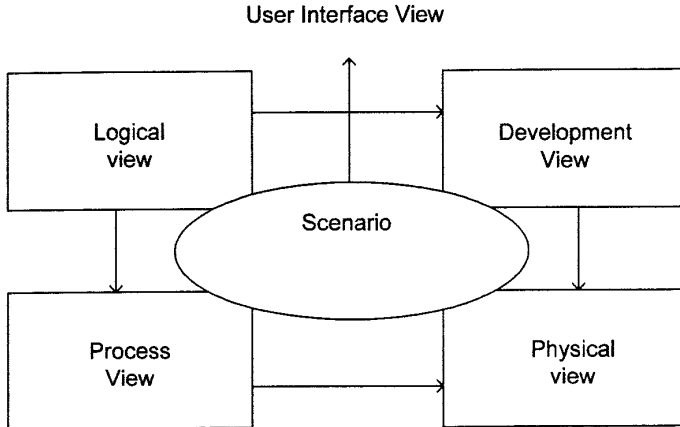


Figure: The "4+1" view model



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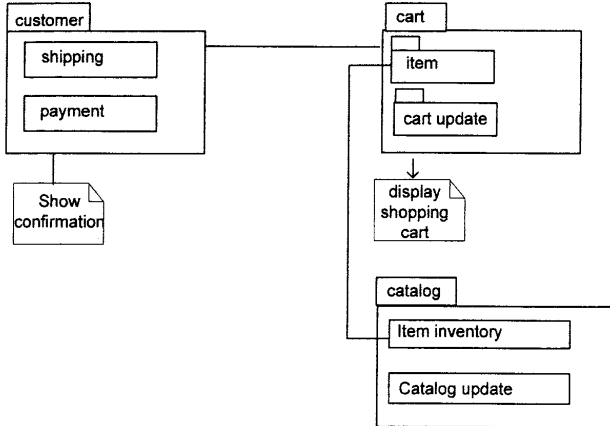


Figure: Package diagram in the development view

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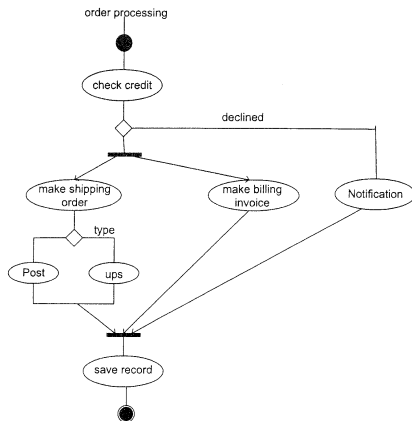


Figure: Activity diagram in the process view

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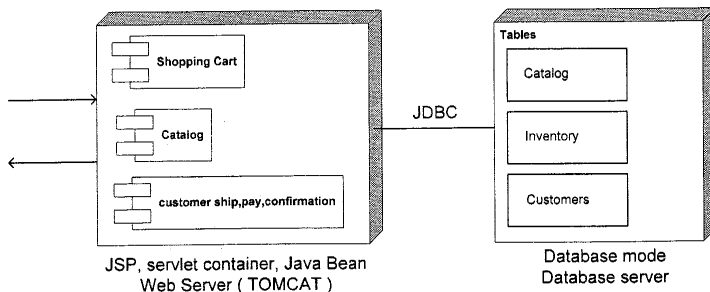


Figure: Deployment diagram in the physical view

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- It provides many modeling diagrams which can be grouped into two major categories: **Structural** (static) and **Behavioral** (dynamic).

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  - Examples: sequence diagram, collaboration diagram, activity diagram

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  - Class diagrams can be derived from use cases/Scenarios

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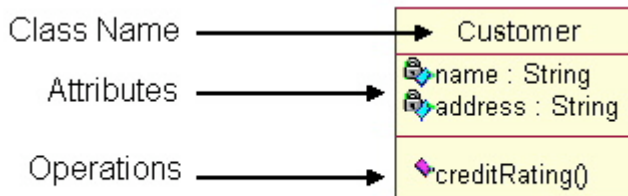


Figure: Elements of a class

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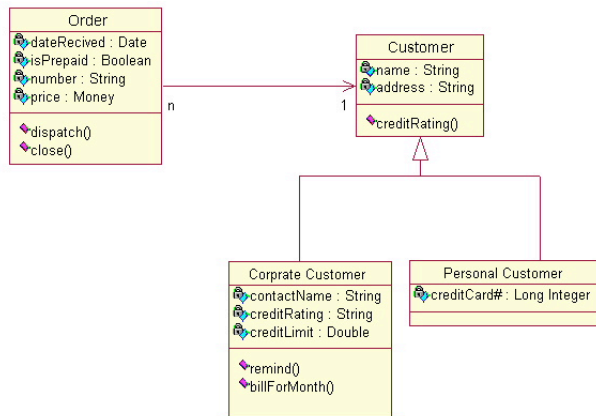


Figure: Class diagram (Example 1, different notation for composition)

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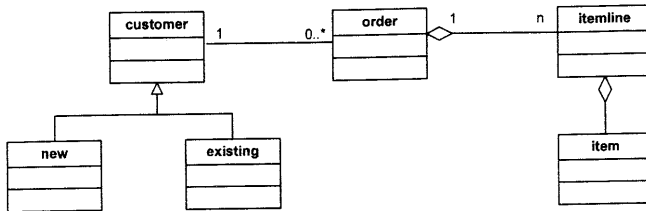


Figure: Class Diagram (Example 2)



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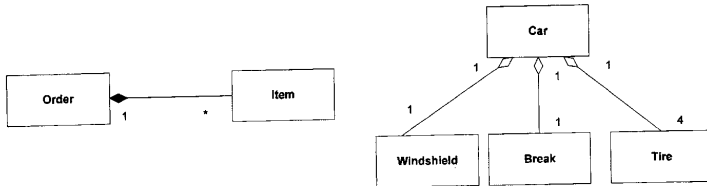


Figure: Composition (left) Aggregation (right)

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    - A class **X** depends on another class **Y**, if changes to the elements **Y** will lead to the changes of **X**

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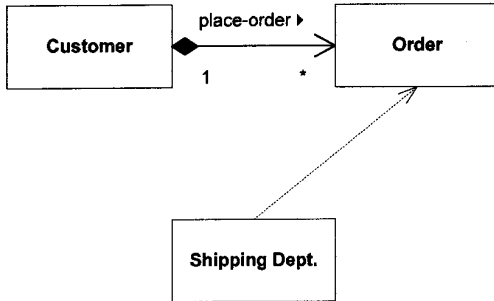


Figure: Association and Dependency (dotted arrow line)

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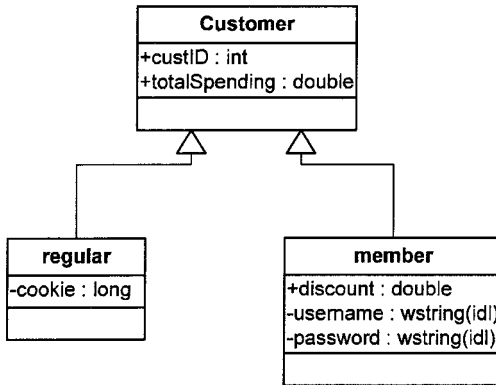


Figure: Inheritance relationship

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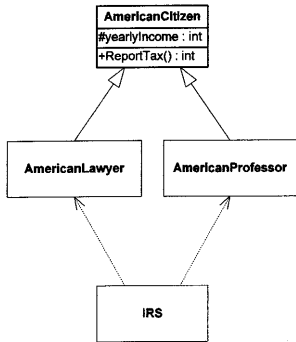
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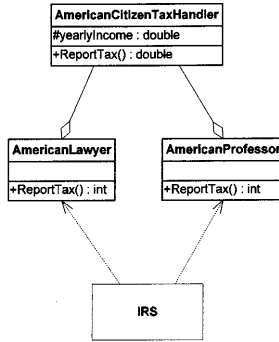
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Figure: Composition vs. inheritance

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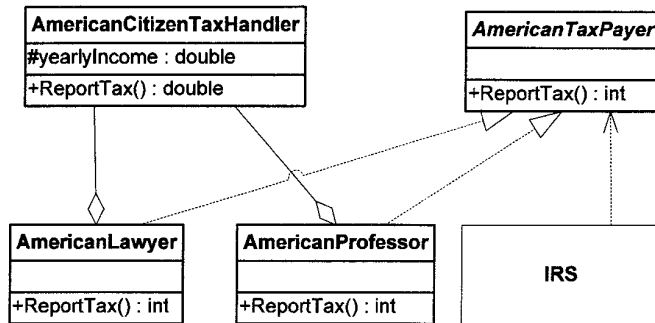


Figure: A refined design of the previous example

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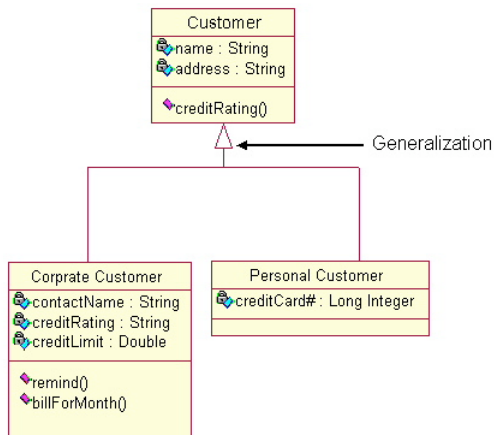


Figure: Class relationships: generalization

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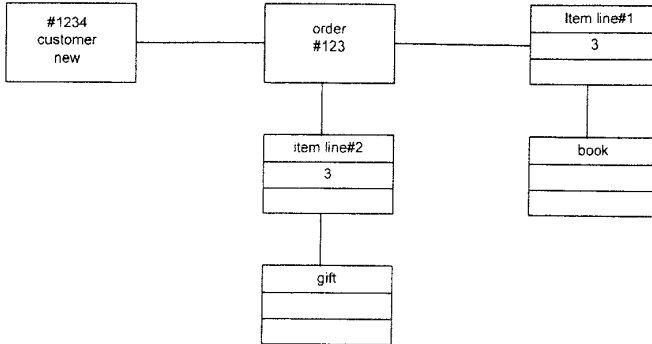


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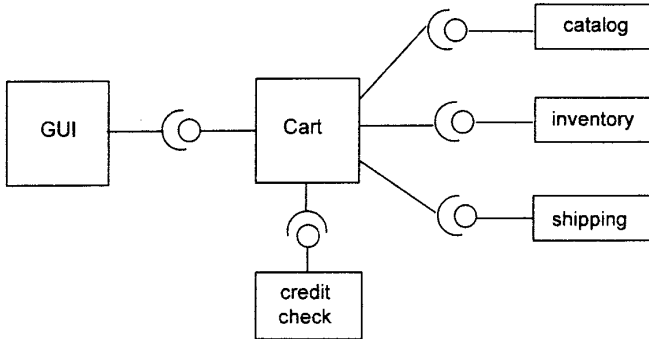


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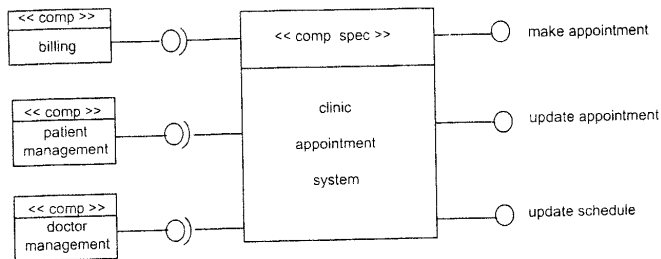


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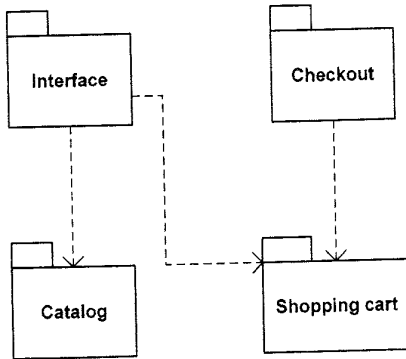


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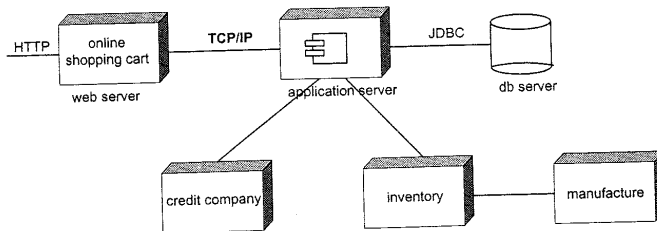


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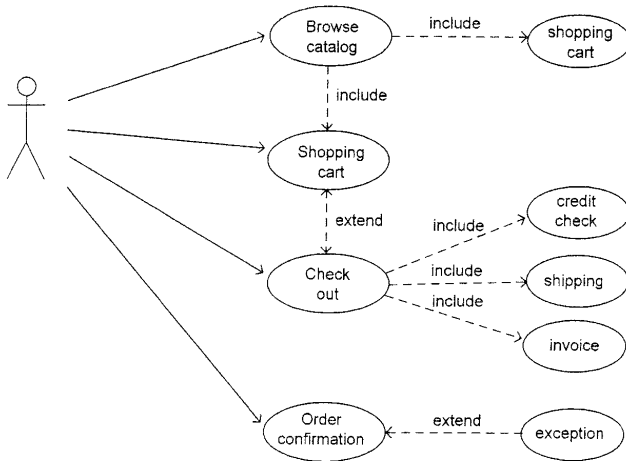


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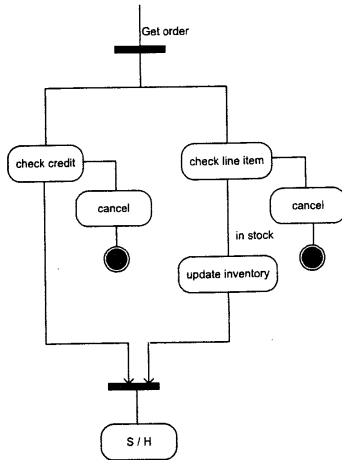


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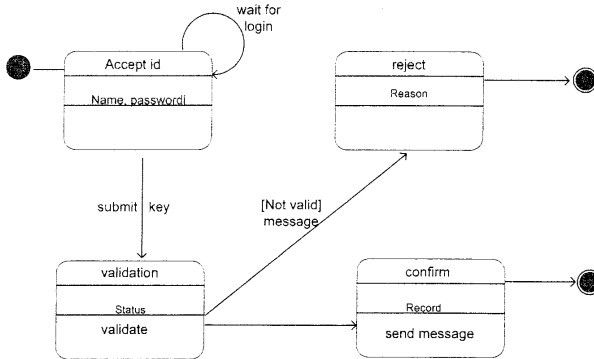


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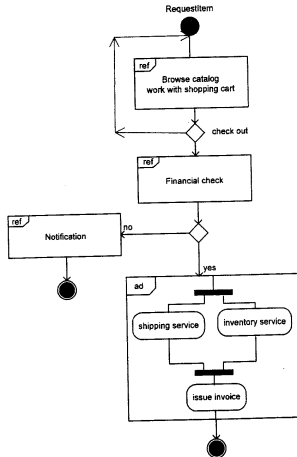


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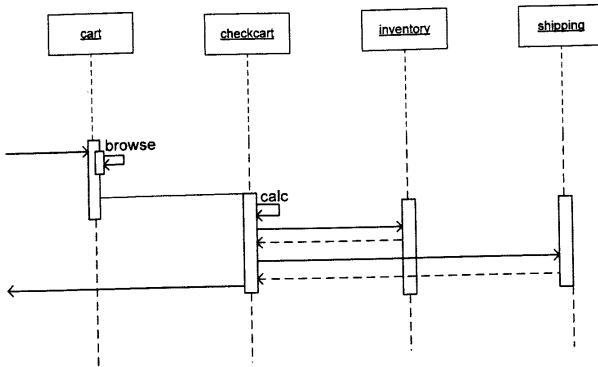


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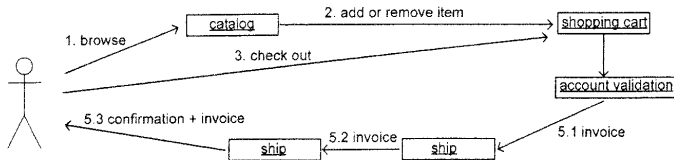


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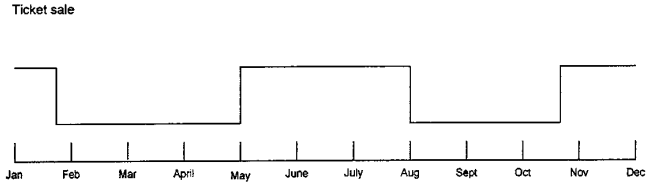


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