

Stateful beans

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public class StatefulSessionBean implements
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A client with stateful and stateless

```
package _client;

public class _Client {

public static void main(String[] args) throws NamingException {
    Properties jndiProps = new Properties();
    jndiProps.put(Context.INITIAL_CONTEXT_FACTORY,
        "org.jboss.naming.remote.client.InitialContextFactory");
    jndiProps.put(Context.URL_PKG_PREFIXES, "org.jboss.ejb.client.naming");
    jndiProps.put(Context.PROVIDER_URL, "remote://localhost:4447");
    jndiProps.put(Context.SECURITY_PRINCIPAL, "user");
    jndiProps.put(Context.SECURITY_CREDENTIALS, "pw");
    jndiProps.put("jboss.naming.client.ejb.context", true);
    Context ctx=new InitialContext(jndiProps);
}
```

A client with stateful and stateless

```
StatelessSessionBeanRemote bean = (StatelessSessionBeanRemote)
    ctx.lookup("_Server/_Server-ejb/StatelessSessionBean!
    session.StatelessSessionBeanRemote");

StatefulSessionBeanRemote sf_bean = (StatefulSessionBeanRemote)
    ctx.lookup("_Server/_Server-ejb/StatefulSessionBean!
    session.StatefulSessionBeanRemote");

StatelessSessionBeanRemote bean1 = (StatelessSessionBeanRemote)
    ctx.lookup("_Server/_Server-ejb/StatelessSessionBean!
    session.StatelessSessionBeanRemote");

StatefulSessionBeanRemote sf_bean1 = (StatefulSessionBeanRemote)
    ctx.lookup("_Server/_Server-ejb/StatefulSessionBean!
    session.StatefulSessionBeanRemote");
```

A client with stateful and stateless

```
        System.out.println(bean.ping());  
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        System.out.println(bean.ping());  
        System.out.println(sf_bean.ping());  
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        System.out.println(bean1.ping());  
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        System.out.println(sf_bean1.ping());  
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    }  
}
```

Execution results

SL hits =1

SL hits =2

SL hits =3

SF hits =1

SF hits =2

SF hits =3

SL hits =4

SL hits =5

SL hits =6

SF hits =1

SF hits =2

SF hits =3

No instance variables in stateless!

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WRONG!

EJB Patterns

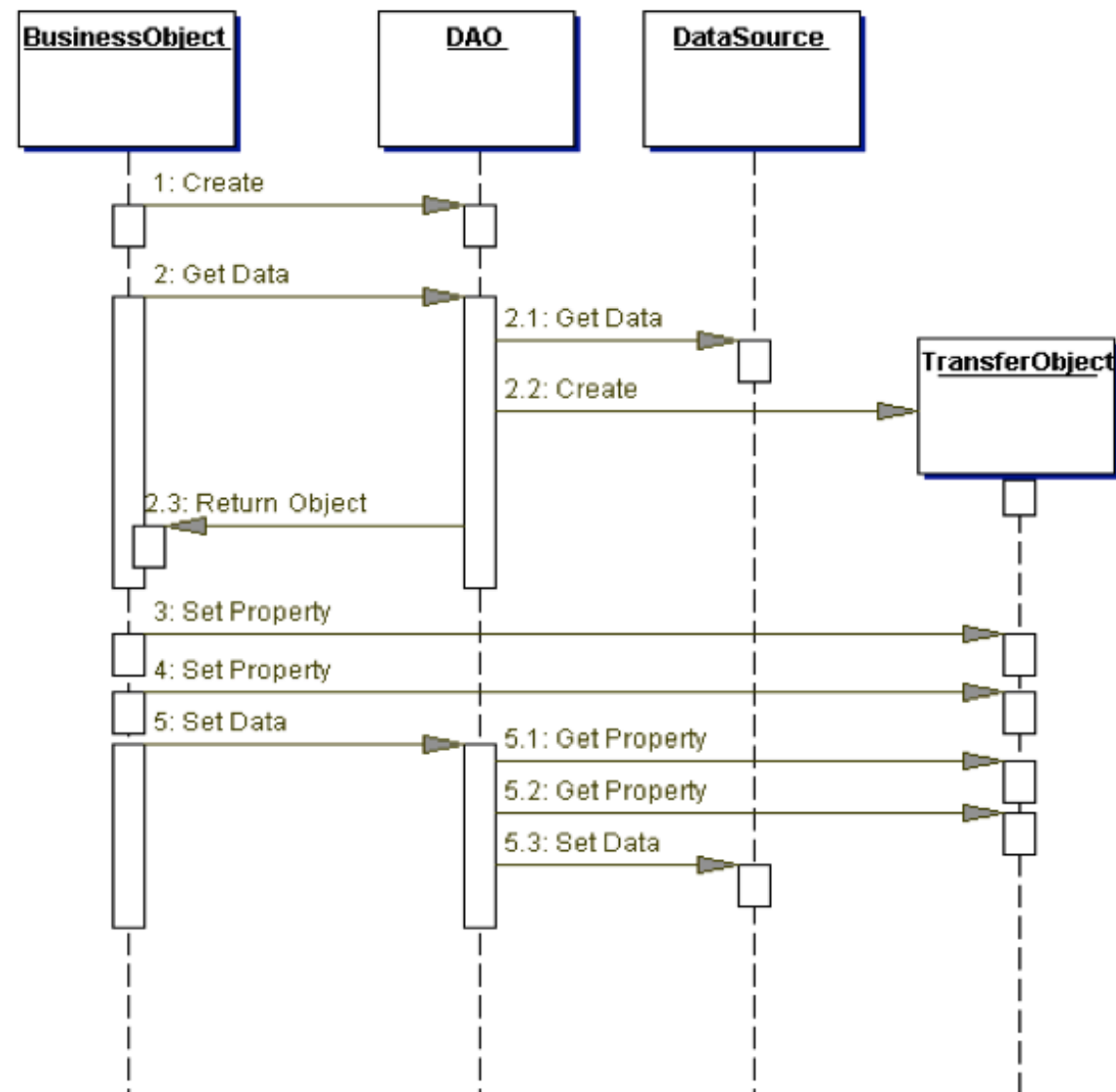
What is a pattern?

The best solution to a recurring problem”

Recurring software design problems

identified and catalogued in a standard way
so as to be accessible to everybody and usable
in any programming language.

DAO – Data Access Object



DTO – Data Transfer Object

also known as **Value Objects** or **VO**,
used to transfer data between software
application subsystems.

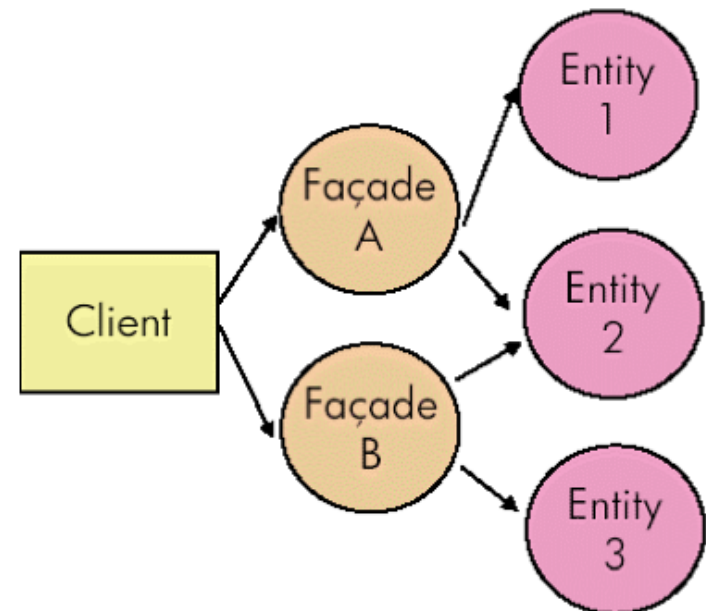
DTO's are often used in conjunction with DAOs
to retrieve data from a database.

DTOs do not have any behaviour except for
storage and retrieval of its own data (mutators
and accessor).

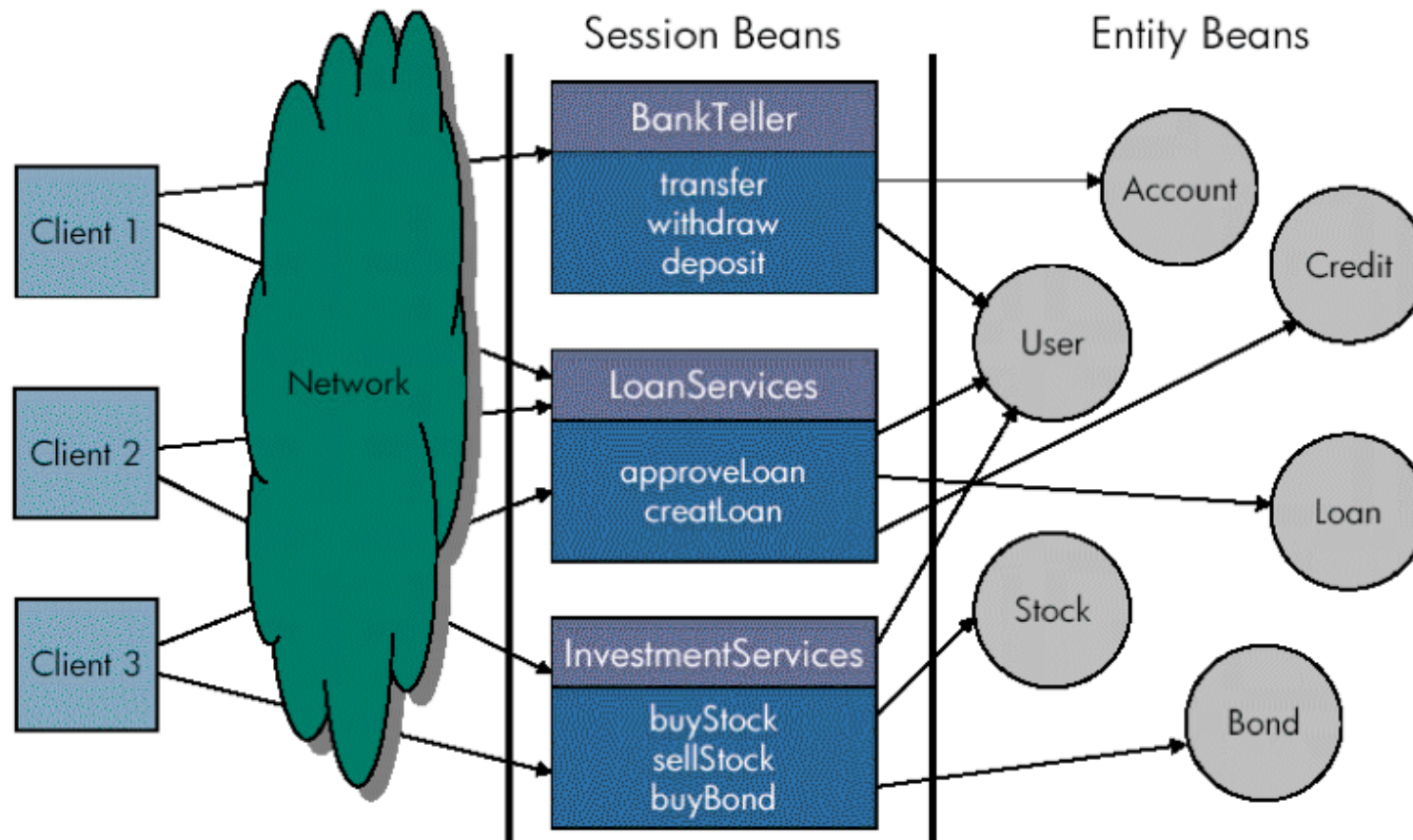
Session Facade

Uses a session bean to encapsulate the complexity of interactions between the business objects participating in a workflow.

Manages the business objects, and provides a uniform coarse-grained service access layer to clients



Mapping Session Facade on use cases



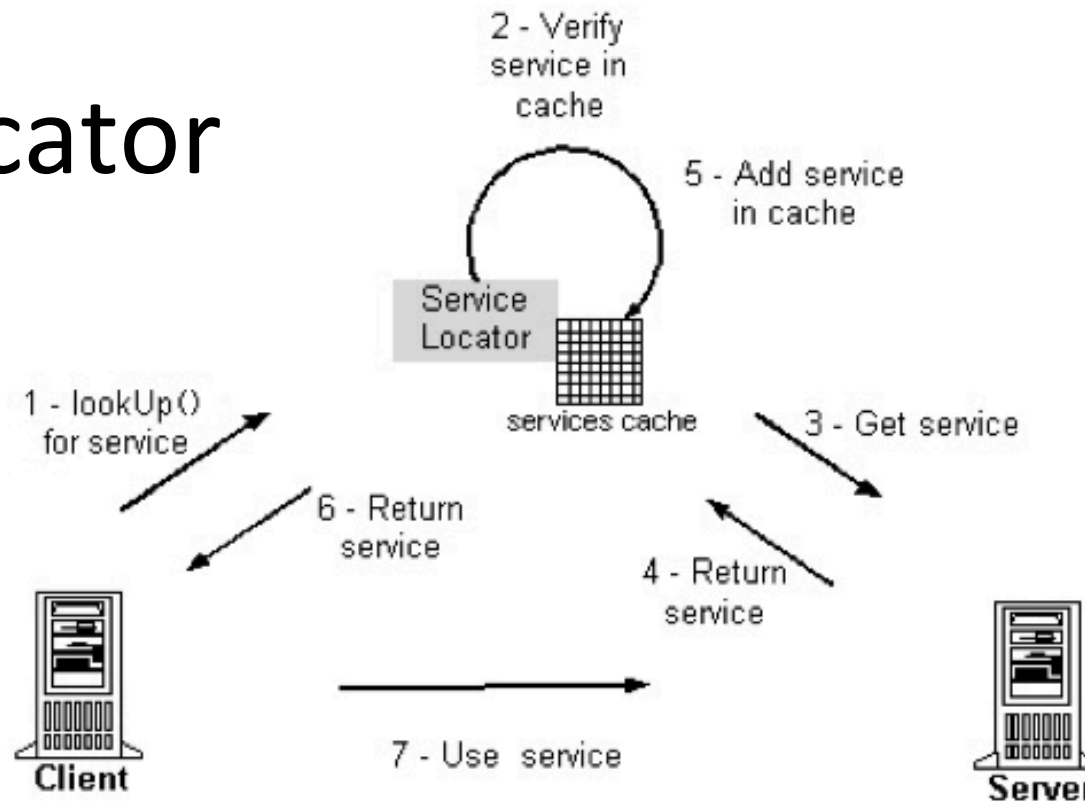
Business Delegate Pattern

Use a BusinessDelegate to

- Reduce coupling between presentation-tier and business service components
- Hide the underlying implementation details of the business service components
- Cache references to business services components
- Cache data
- Translate low level exceptions to application level exceptions – Transparently retry failed transactions
- Can create dummy data for clients

Business Delegate is a plain java class

Service Locator



Use a ServiceLocator to

- Abstract naming service usage
- Shield complexity of service lookup and creation
- Promote reuse
- Enable optimize service lookup and creation functions
- Usually called within BusinessDelegate or Session Facade object

Service Locator

```
package ...; import ...;
public class ServiceLocator throws Exception {
    private static ServiceLocator serviceLocator;
    private static Context context;
    private ServiceLocator() { context = getInitialContext(); }
    private Context getInitialContext(){
        Hashtable environment = new Hashtable();
        environment.put(..);
        return new InitialContext(environment);
    } public static synchronized ServiceLocator getInstance(){
        if (serviceLocator == null) {
            serviceLocator = new ServiceLocator(); }
        return serviceLocator;
    }
    public Object getBean(...) {return context.lookup(...)}
}
```

Overall view

