Practical 4

Class Modelling Behaviour Modelling

Some Advice (1)

- Write a paragraph describing a class diagram
 - Use ALL the information in the diagram
 - Make clear the difference between generalisation, aggregation and composition
 - Remember the semantic test for identifying them!
- Arrange classes into a diagram
 - The semantic test is crucial in discriminating between aggregation/composition and generalisation
 - Don't forget reasonable multiplicities

Some Advice (2)

- Valid object diagrams
 - What are the implications of generalisation?
 - What are the implication of a composition?
 - What do multiplicities mean?
 - Don't forget that you need to justify your answer
 - In exam papers the justification is what really matters!
- Class Responsibility Collaborators (CRC) Cards
 - Responsibility something you know or you can do
 - Collaborator any class need to get information from or delegate part of your responsibility
- Collaboration diagrams are interaction diagrams!
 - The diagram needs to be consistent with the CRC Cards

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Remember the activity diagram swimlanes!

