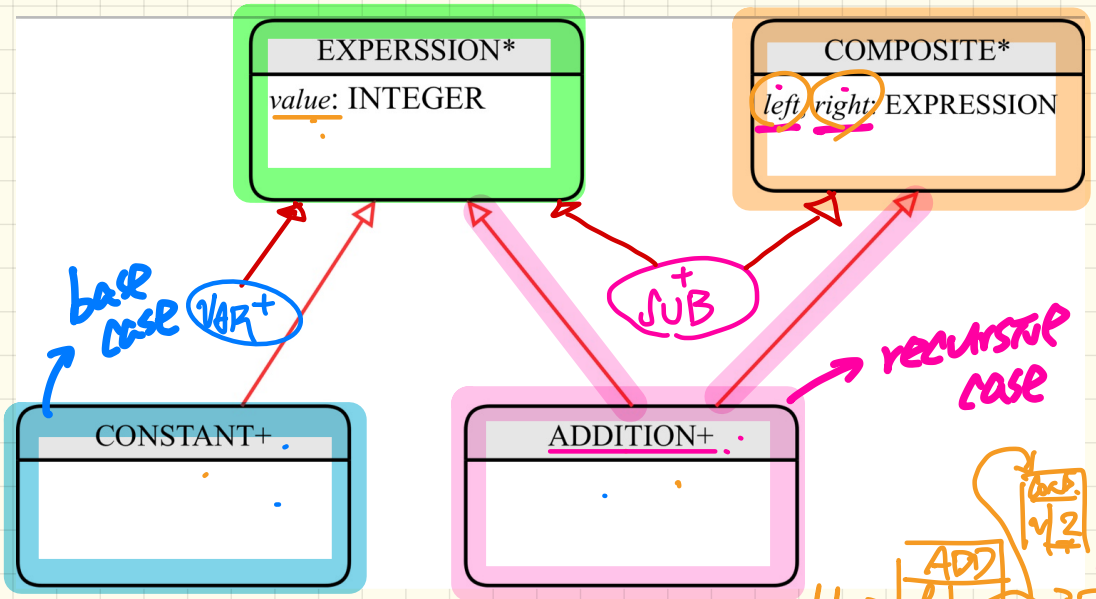
Lecture 11

Part 1

Processing Recursive Systems

Design of Language Structure: Composite Pattern



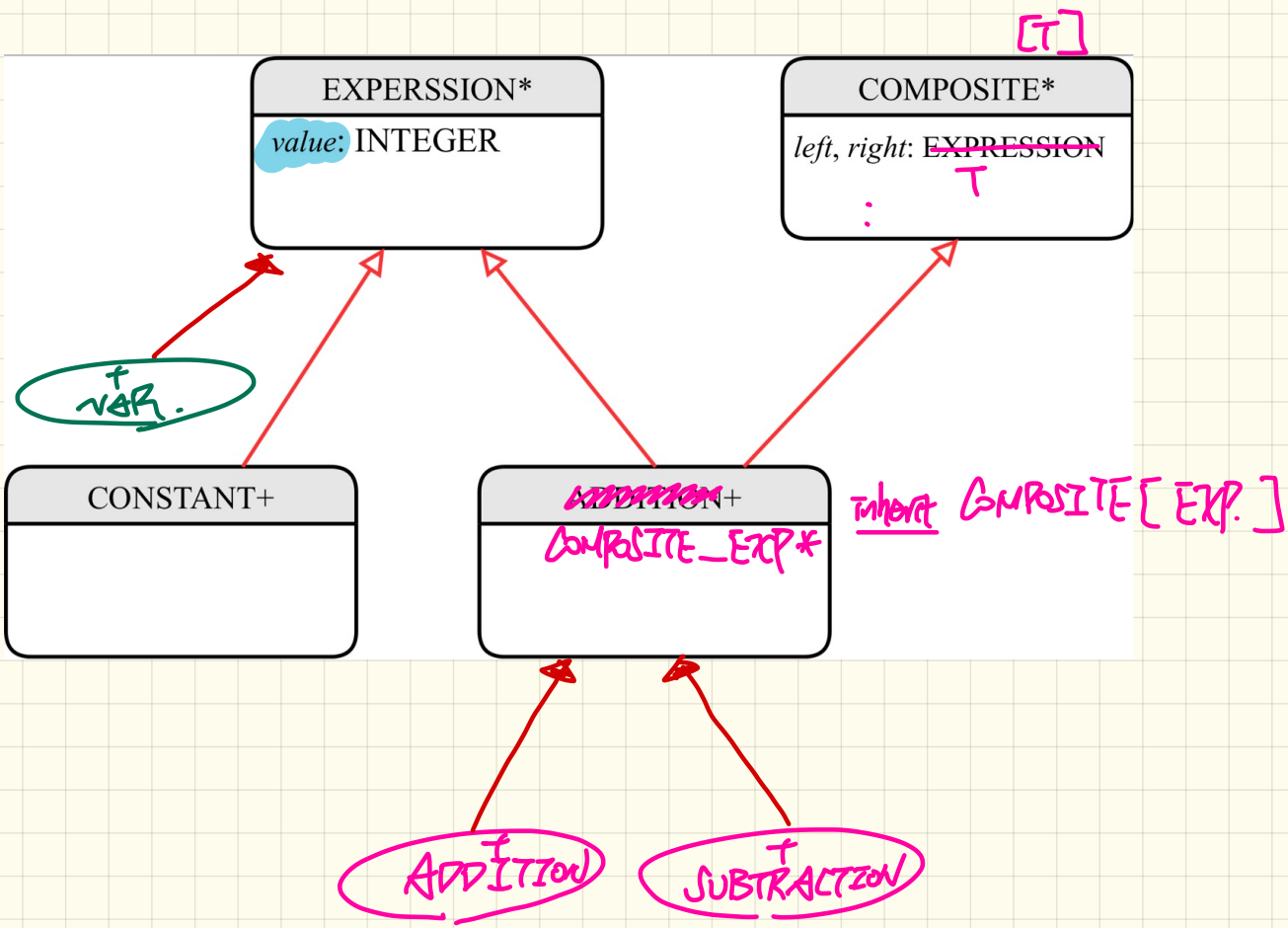
COMPOSITE*
children: LIST[EXP.]
invariant
children = 2

c1, c2: CONSTANT
add: ADDITION
create c1.make(341)
create c2.make(2)
create add.make (c1, c2)
add.value → 343

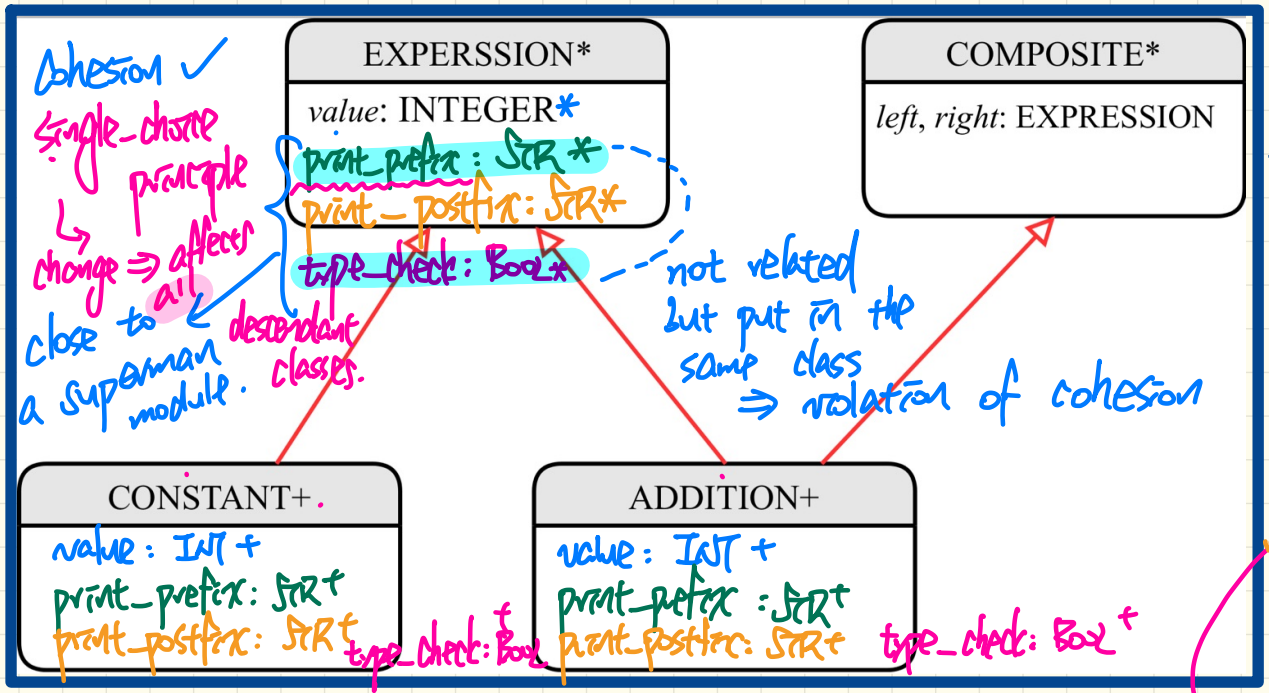
add → ADD (l., r.)

Q: How to construct a composite object representing "341 ⊕ 2"?

Q: How to extend the design to include variables and subtractions?


[T]
EXPERSSION*
value: INTEGER
COMPOSITE*
left, right: EXPRESSION
T
:
VAR.
CONSTANT+
COMPOSITE_EXP*
inherit COMPOSITE[EXP.]
ADDITION
SUBTRACTION

Design of Language Operation: How to Extend the Composite Pattern?



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Part 2

Open-Closed Principle

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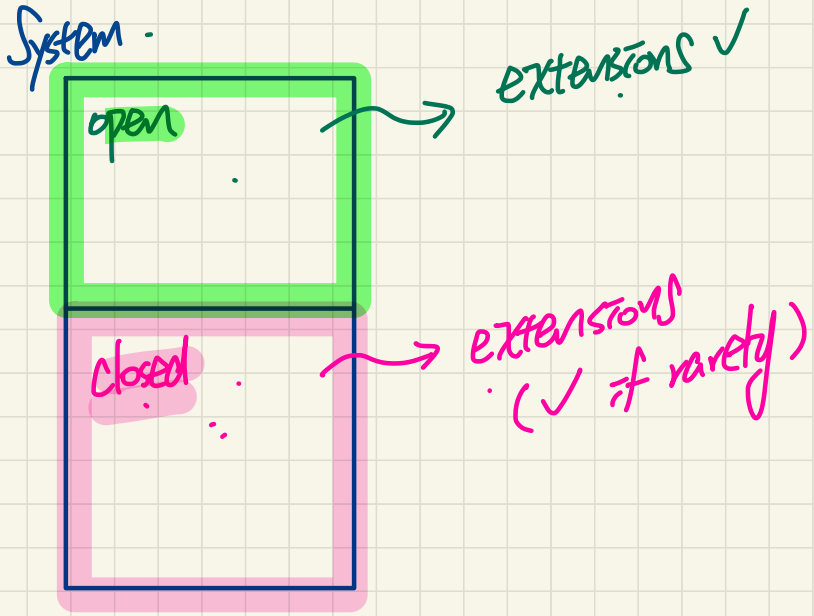
How can the OCP be satisfied?

① There should be a clear separation/decomposition of the system into open vs. closed parts.



If there's a change:

② Mostly the change should touch the open part.

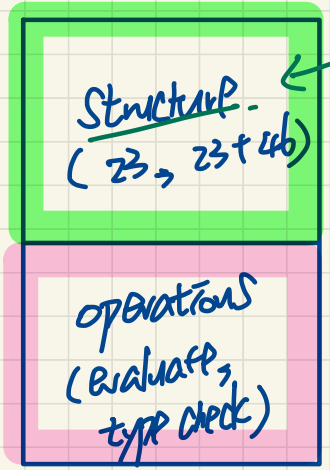
③ Rarely, if at all, a change may have to touch the closed part.

Applying the OCP to Exp. language design.

Both alternatives satisfy OCP.

Alt 1 ✓

Alt 2 → design context/assumption for Visitor Pattern.



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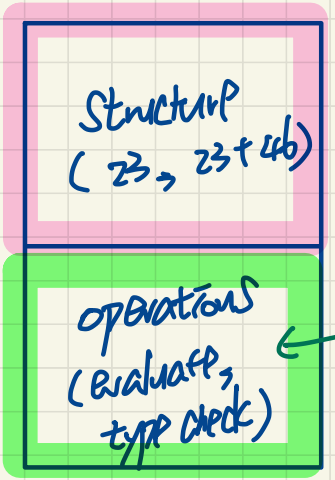

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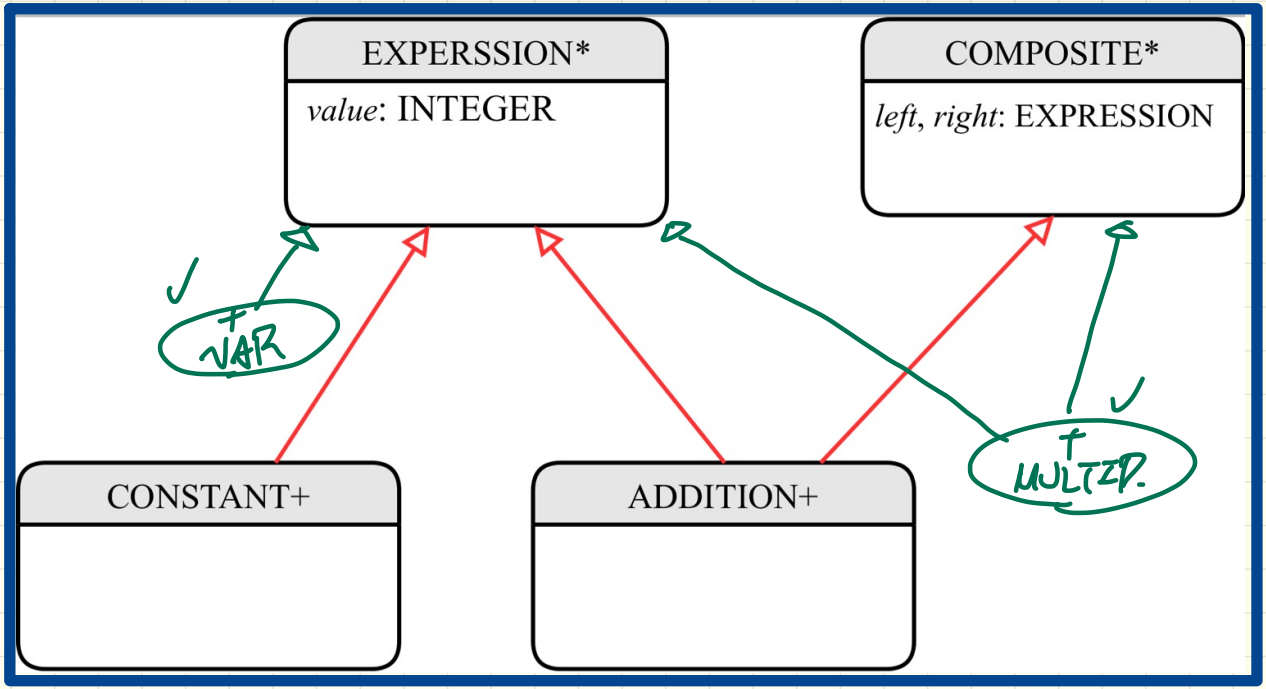
Design of a Language Application: Open-Closed Principle



Structure

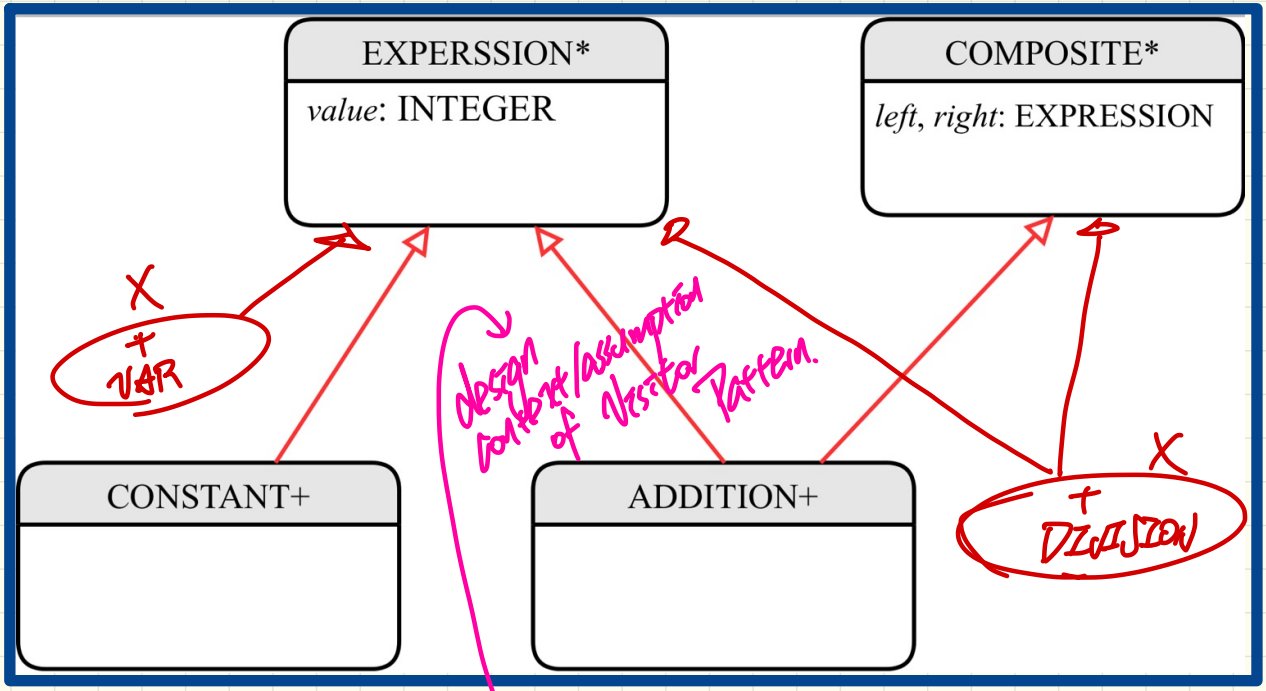
- evaluate
- print_prefix
- print_postfix
- type_check

Operations

optimize
code_gen.

	Structure	Operations
Alternative 1	Open	Closed
Alternative 2	Closed	Open

Design of a Language Application: Open-Closed Principle



Operations
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print_prefix
print_postfix
type_check

code_gen ✓
optimize ✓

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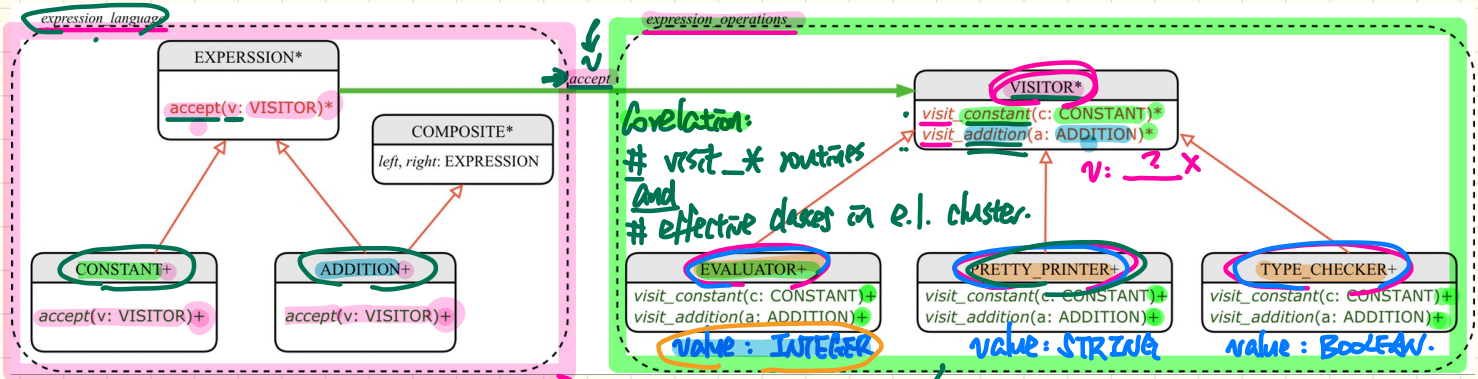
Part 3

Visitor Design Pattern

Visitor Design Pattern: Architecture



How to Use Visitors

```
1  test_expression_evaluation: BOOLEAN
2    local add, c1, c2: EXPRESSION ; v: VISITOR
3    do
4     create {CONSTANT} c1.make (1) ; create {CONSTANT} c2.make (2)
5     create {ADDITION} add.make (c1, c2)
6     create {EVALUATOR} v.make
7     add.accept (v)
8     check attached {EVALUATOR} v as eval then
9       Result := eval.value = 3
10    end
11  end
```

Visitor Design Pattern: Implementation

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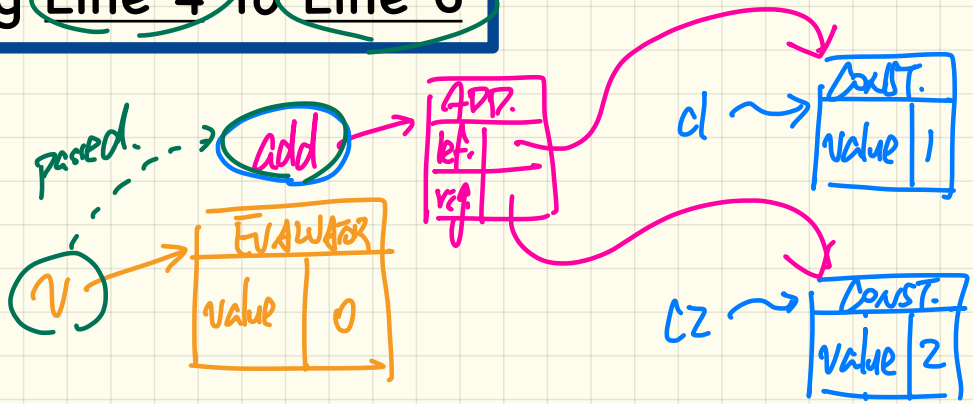
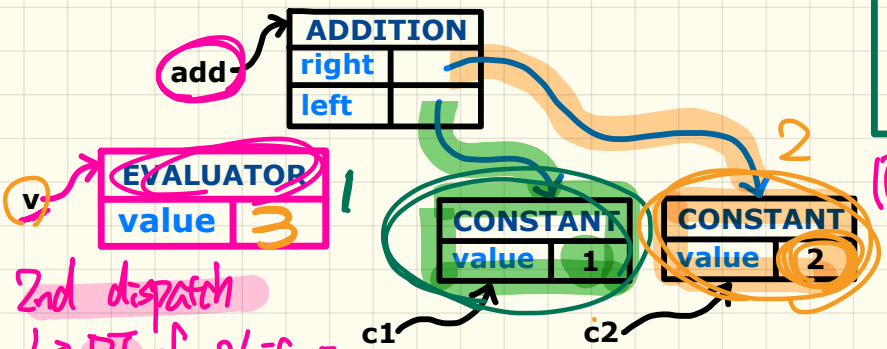
→ building the composite/recursive object.

Visualizing Line 4 to Line 6



Executing Composite and Visitor Patterns at Runtime



2nd dispatch
↳ DT of v is EVALUATOR
↳ visit_addition in EVALUATOR called

Tracing add.accept(v)
Double Dispatch

add.accept(v)
↳ 1st (dynamic) dispatch
↳ DT of add is ADDITION
↳ accept in ADDITION called

```
deferred class VISITOR
  visit_constant(c: CONSTANT) deferred end
  visit_addition(a: ADDITION) deferred end
end
```

```
class CONSTANT inherit EXPRESSION
...
  accept(v: VISITOR)
    do
      v.visit_constant(Current)
    end
end
```

CONSTANT

```
class EVALUATOR inherit VISITOR
  value : INTEGER
  visit_constant(c: CONSTANT) do value := c.value end
  visit_addition(a: ADDITION)
    local eval_left, eval_right: EVALUATOR
    do a.left.accept(eval_left)
       a.right.accept(eval_right)
       value := eval_left.value + eval_right.value
    end
end
```

add

double dispatch

double dispatch

evaluator

1 + 2 = 3

```
class ADDITION
inherit EXPRESSION COMPOSITE
...
  accept(v: VISITOR)
    do
      v.visit_addition(Current)
    end
end
```

v

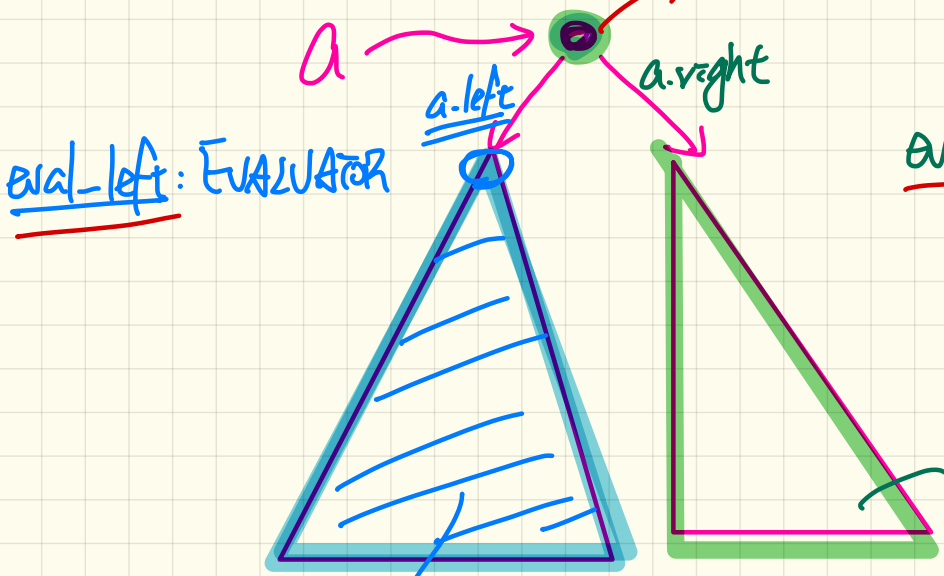
SI.

add

ADDITION

1+2

a : ADDITION



eval_left.value + eval_right.value

eval_right: EVALUATOR

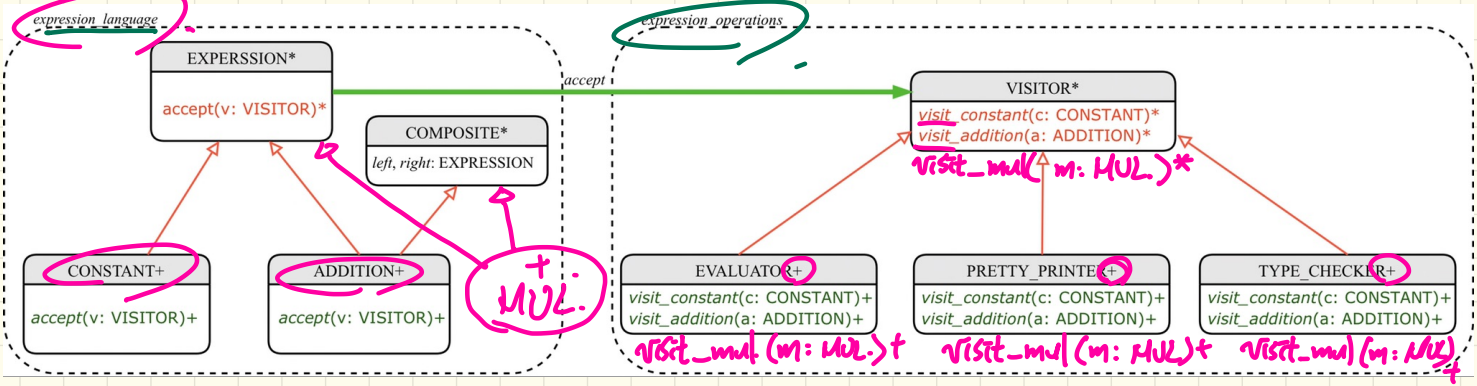
a.left.accept(eval_left)

eval_left.value

a.right.accept(eval_right)

eval_right.value

Visitor Pattern: Open-Closed and Single-Choice Principles



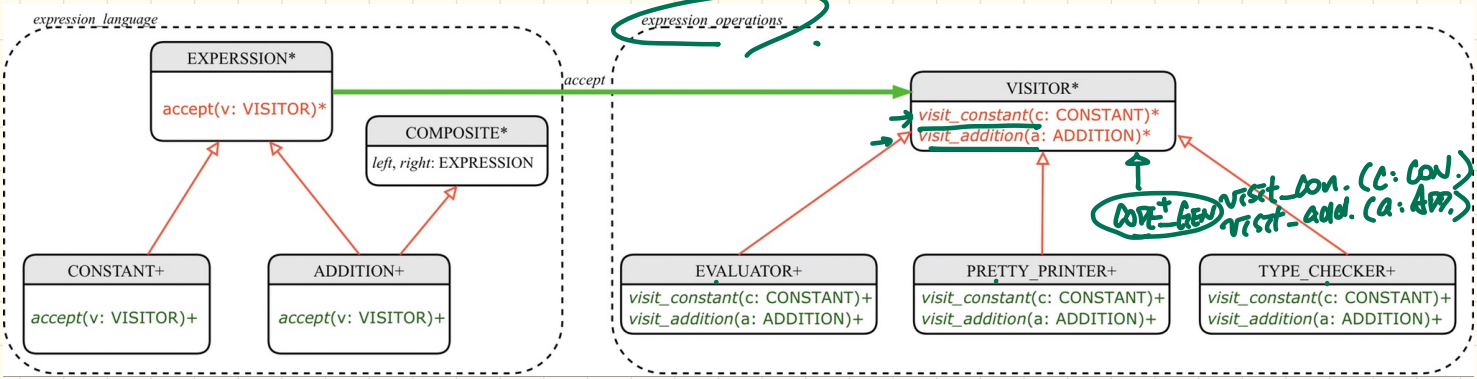
What if a new language construct is added?

① single class to be added to the structure operations] → violates SCP
② multiple places to modify in

If the visitor pattern is adopted, what should be closed?

structure

Visitor Pattern: Open-Closed and Single-Choice Principles



satisfies SCP.

What if a new language operation is added?

① single class added to operations
② all changes are restricted to this single class

If the visitor pattern is adopted, what should be open?

operations.