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# A Case Study on Software Evolution towards Service-Oriented Architecture

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#### 1. Introduction



- Maintenance costs in software: \$\$\$
- Maintainability: capability of the software product to be modified (ISO 9126)
- SOA systems: low coupling, high maintainability, less costs
- Problem at hand: How to evolve a legacy system to SOA??



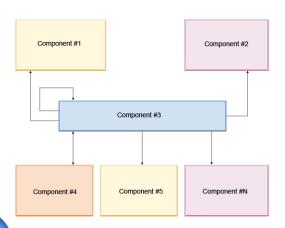
#### 2. Evolution to SOA process



Architecture recovery



**QAR** workflow

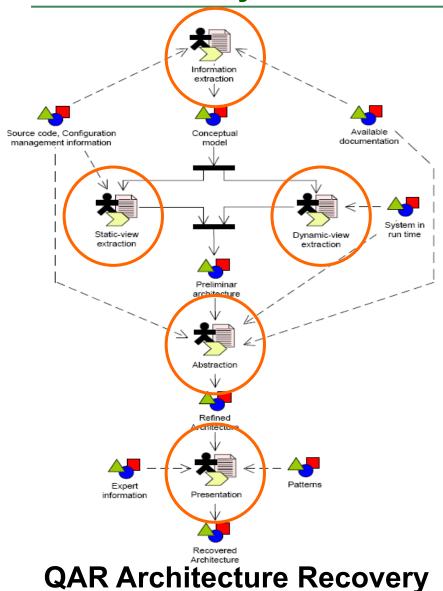


- II. Evolution planning
  - a. Architecture selection
  - b. Define evolution cycles
  - c. Plan evolution cycles
  - d. Preliminary feasibility check
- III. Evolution execution





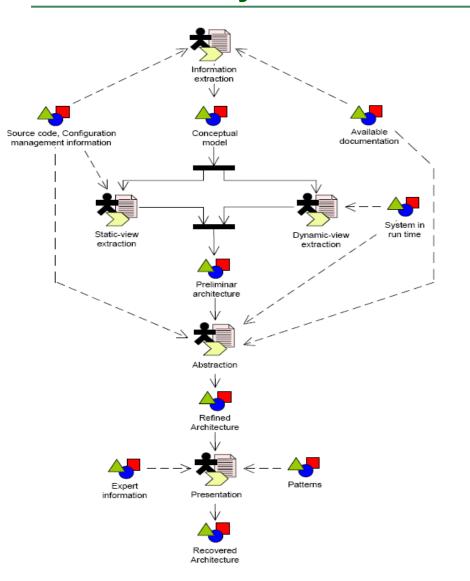




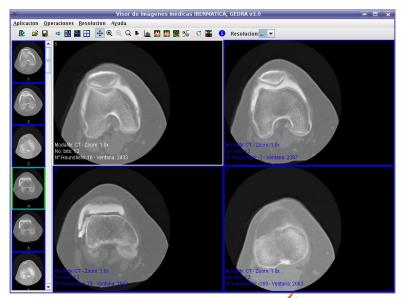
- QAR defines a generic workflow for architecture recovery
- Designed with OMG SPEM notation.
- Five processes:
  - Information extraction
  - Static-view extraction
  - Dynamic-view extraction
  - Abstraction
  - Presentation







- Legacy System to recover its architecture with QAR:
  - Medical Image Viewer



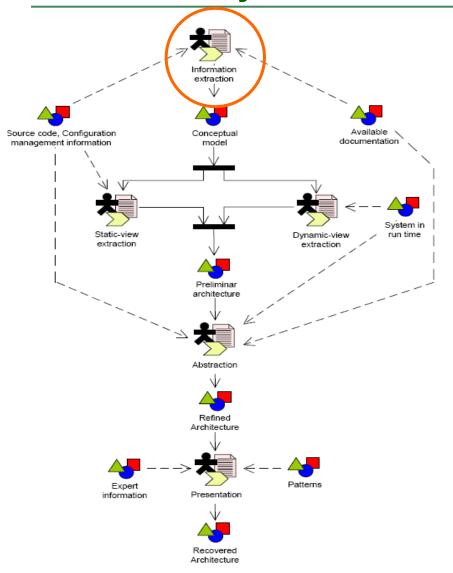
Developed in Java



Used in several Spanish hospitals



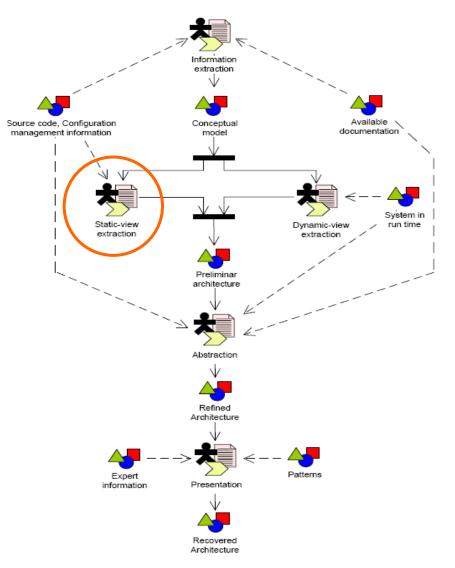




- Information extraction:
  - Source code analysis
    - Lines of code: 9973
    - Number of classes: 211
    - Number of packages: 17
  - Javadoc analysis
    - Image Format: BMP, JPEG, DICOM
    - Imaging: AWT, Java2d, JAI
    - GUI: Swing
  - User manual analysis
    - Functionality





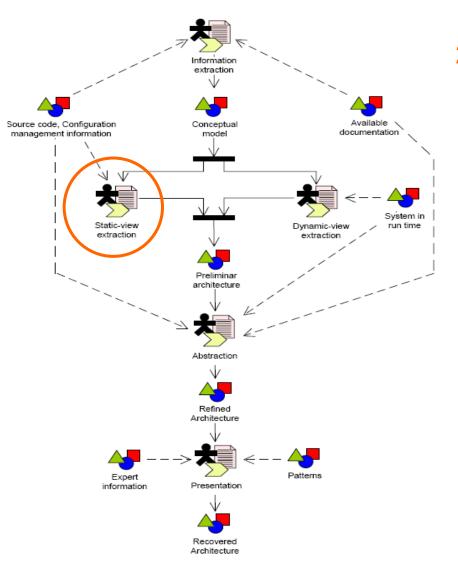


2. Static-view extraction. Tools:

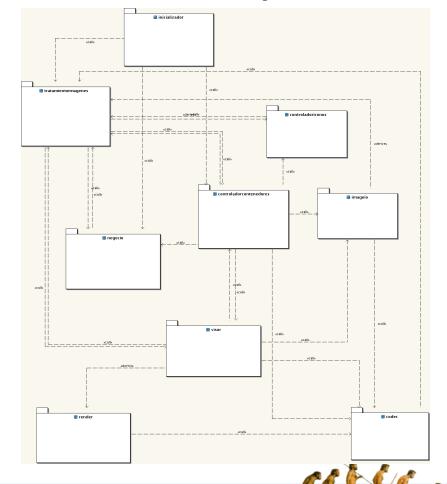
- Jude Community Edition
  - Generates UML from code
  - Detecting dependencies and inheritance
  - 1st approach to architecture



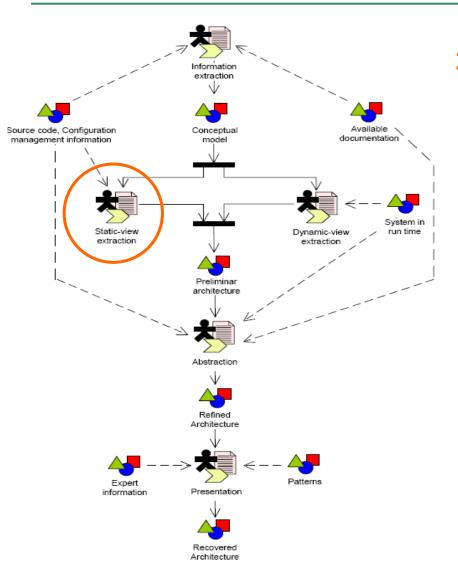




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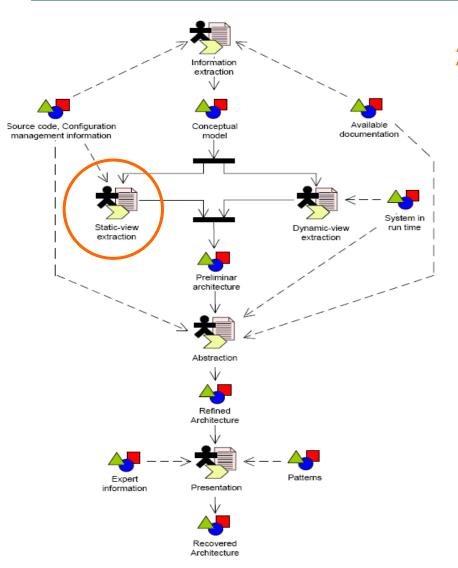


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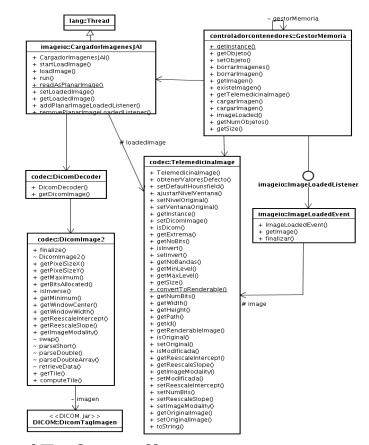
- Omondo Studio Edition
  - Class diagrams
  - Association detection







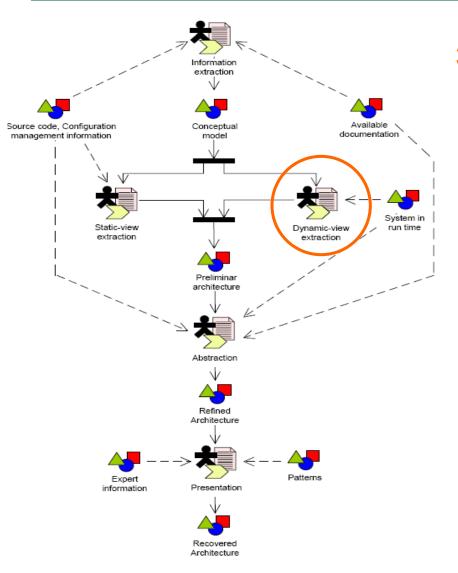
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17 class diagrams



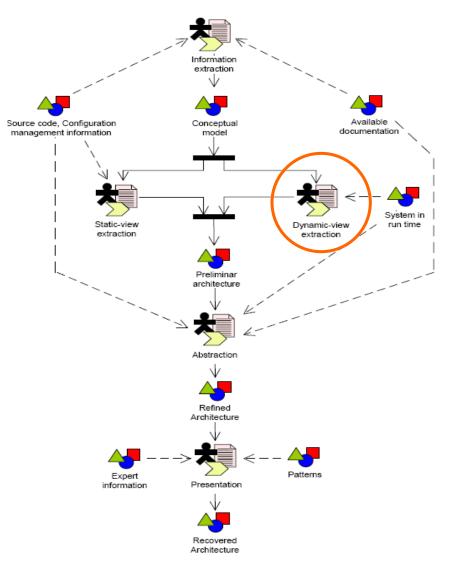




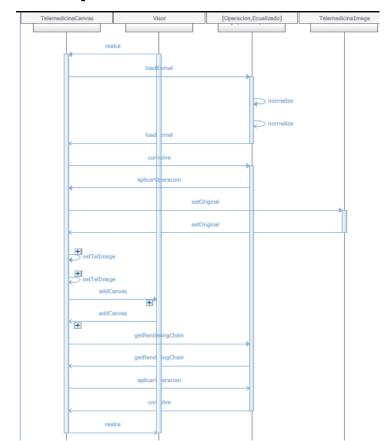
- 3. Dynamic-view extraction. Tool:
  - Eclipse TPTP
    - Agents for testing and monitoring applications
    - Sequence diagrams





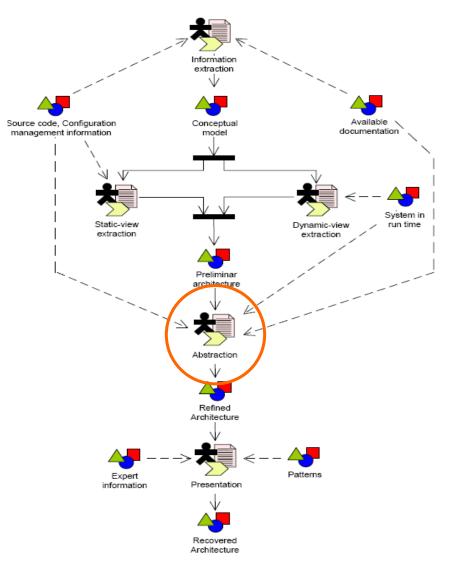


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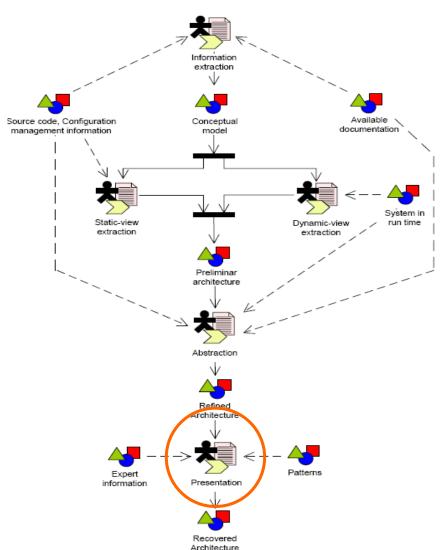




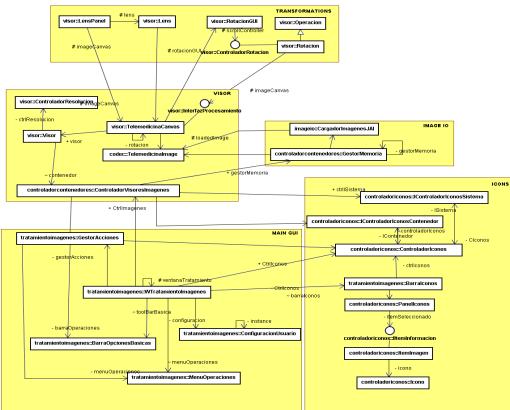
#### 4. Abstraction

- Filter non-relevant elements
- Filter unused elements
- Detect fundamental classes
- Define higher level modules





**5.** Presentation (final architecture)



- 21 classes (90% abstraction)
- Defining higher level modules

## 3. Case study: II. Evolution Definition



#### Architecture selection

- Framework: OSGi
  - Service Oriented Java Framework
  - OSGi R4 implemented by Eclipse Equinox
- Eclipse PDE (Plugin Development Environment) as workbench

#### b. Definition of the steps:

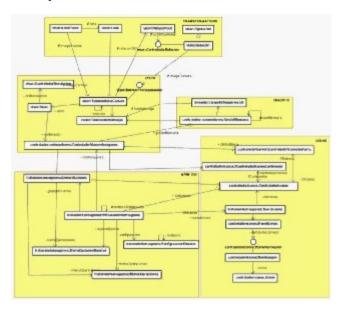
- Based on architecture diagrams recovered
- Dividing packages in bundles
- Linking components by Whiteboard



## 3. Case study: II. Evolution Definition



c. Planning of the steps



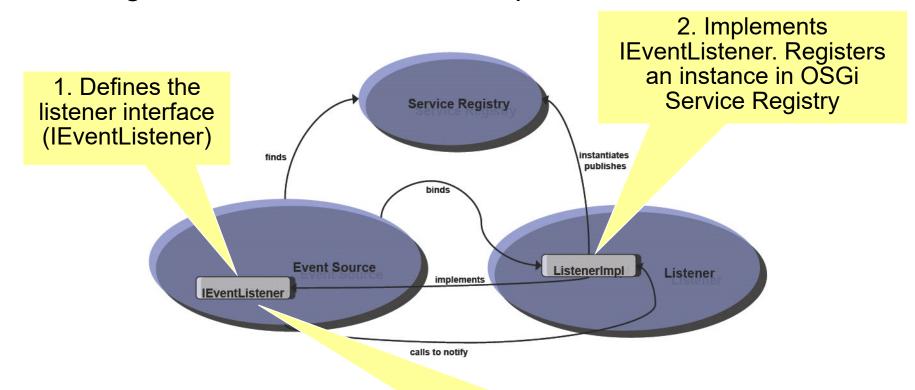
- Best practices: resolving dependencies with import-package
- d. Feasibility check of the steps
  - Unit testig in OSGi bundles with JUnit



## 3. Case study: III. Evolution Execution



Binding Services with whiteboard pattern

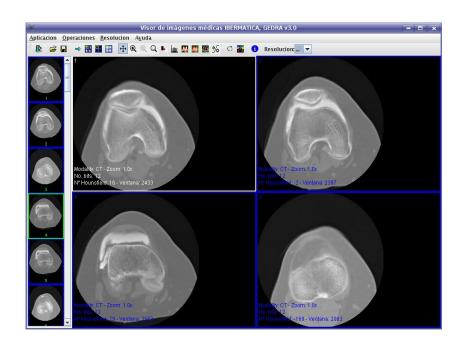


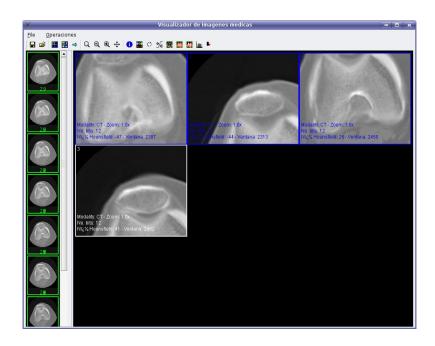
3.When an event is fired, event source find all registered IEventListener services and binds it

## 3. Case study: III. Evolution Execution



Result: decoupling view from logic (Swing & RCP)





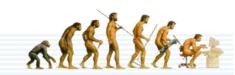
(implemented two GUIs with the same underlying logic)



#### 4. Conclusions



- Architecture recovery as 1st stage in evolution to SOA
- How to recover the architecture of a system:
  - QAR workflow
  - Java Tools:
    - Static-View: Jude & Omondo
    - Dynamic-View: Eclipse TPTP
- How to evolve a Java application to SOA-OSGi:
  - Platform: Eclipse Equinox and PDE
  - Bundles dependencies: import-package
  - Decoupling services: Whiteboard pattern





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