Factory Pattern

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Factory Method Pattern

- "Define an interface for creating an object, but let subclasses decide which class to instantiate. Factory Method lets a class defer instantiation to subclasses."
- Also known as "Virtual Constructor".
- □ The "new" operator considered harmful.
- Provides an interface for creating objects in a superclass, but allows subclasses to alter the type of objects that will be created.
- Factory pattern is one of the most used design pattern in Java.

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- java.util.Calender#getInstance()
- java.util.ResourceBundle#getBundle()
- java.text.NumberFormat#getInstance()
- java.nio.charset.Charset#forName()
- java.net.URLStreamHandlerFactory#createURLStreamHand ler(String)
- java.util.EnumSet#of()
- javax.xml.bind.JAXBContext#createMarshaller()

- "Provide an interface for creating families of related or dependent objects without specifying their concrete classes."
- A hierarchy that encapsulates many possible "platforms", and the construction of a suite of "products"
- Also known as "Factory of Factories"
- The "new" operator considered harmful.
- Lets you produce families of related objects without specifying their concrete classes.

- javax.xml.parsers.DocumentBuilderFactory#newInstance()
- □ javax.xml.transform.TransformerFactory#newInstance()
- javax.xml.xpath.XPathFactory#newInstance()

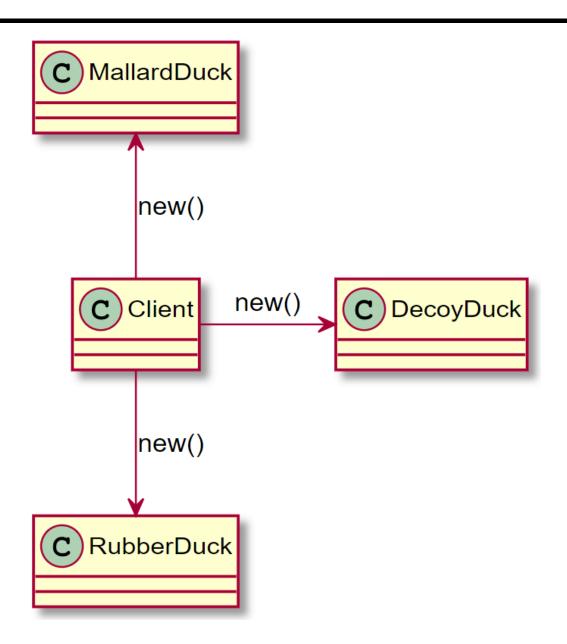
Problem

- Problem with "new"
 - "new" instantiates a concrete class, so that's definitely an implementation, not an interface.
 - This example shows different duck classes, and we don't know until runtime which one we need to instantiate.

```
Duck duck;
if (picnic) {
    duck = new MallardDuck();
} else if (hunting) {
    duck = new DecoyDuck();
} else if (inBathTub) {
    duck = new RubberDuck();
}
```

- OCP violation (not closed for modification)
 - Code needs to be modified when it's time for change or extension
 - Making maintenance and updates more difficult and error-prone

Problem



Factory Pattern

	Description
Pattern	Factory Method, Abstract Factory
Problem	Whenever creating an object using new(), it violates principle of programming for interface rather than implementation which eventually result in inflexible code and difficult to change in maintenance. Another problem is class needs to contain objects of other classes or class hierarchies within it; this can be very easily achieved by just using new(). This is a very hard coded approach to create objects as this creates dependency between the two classes.
Solution	All factories encapsulate object creation.
Result	Factory Pattern promotes loose coupling by eliminating the need to bind application-specific classes into the code. Dependency Inversion Principle

- Let's say you have a pizza shop in Objectville.
- You might end up writing some code like this...

```
void prepareToBoxing(Pizza pizza) {
  pizza.prepare();
  pizza.bake();
  pizza.cut();
  pizza.box();
Pizza orderPizza() {
  Pizza pizza = new Pizza();
  prepareToBoxing(pizza);
  return pizza;
```

■ But you need *more than one type of pizza*

```
Pizza orderPizza(String type) {
  Pizza pizza;
  if (type.equals("cheese")) {
    pizza = new CheesePizza();
  } else if (type.equals("greek") {
    pizza = new GreekPizza();
  } else if (type.equals("pepperoni") {
    pizza = new PepperoniPizza();
                                     Instantiate the
                                     correct concrete
                                     class based on
  prepareToBoxing(pizza);
                                     the type of pizza
  return pizza;
```

□ This code is NOT closed for modification.

```
Pizza orderPizza(String type) {
  Pizza pizza;
  if (type.equals("cheese")) {
    pizza = new CheesePizza();
 } else if (type.equals("greek") {
   pizza = new GreekPizza();
  } else if (type.equals("pepperoni") {
                                          This is what
    pizza = new PepperoniPizza();
                                          varies.
  } else if (type.equals("clam") {
    pizza = new ClamPizza();
  } else if (type.equals("veggie") {
    pizza = new VeggiePizza();
                                          This is what
  prepareToBoxing(pizza);
                                          we expect to
  return pizza;
                                          stay the same.
```

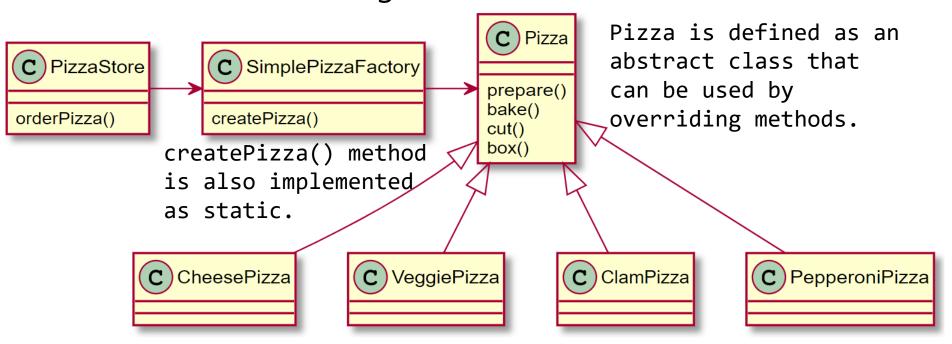
Encapsulating object creation

```
public class SimplePizzaFactory {
  public Pizza createPizza(String type) {
    Pizza pizza = null;
    if (type.equals("cheese")) {
      pizza = new CheesePizza();
    } else if (type.equals("pepperoni") {
      pizza = new PepperoniPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("clam") {
      pizza = new ClamPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("veggie") {
      pizza = new VeggiePizza();
    return pizza;
```

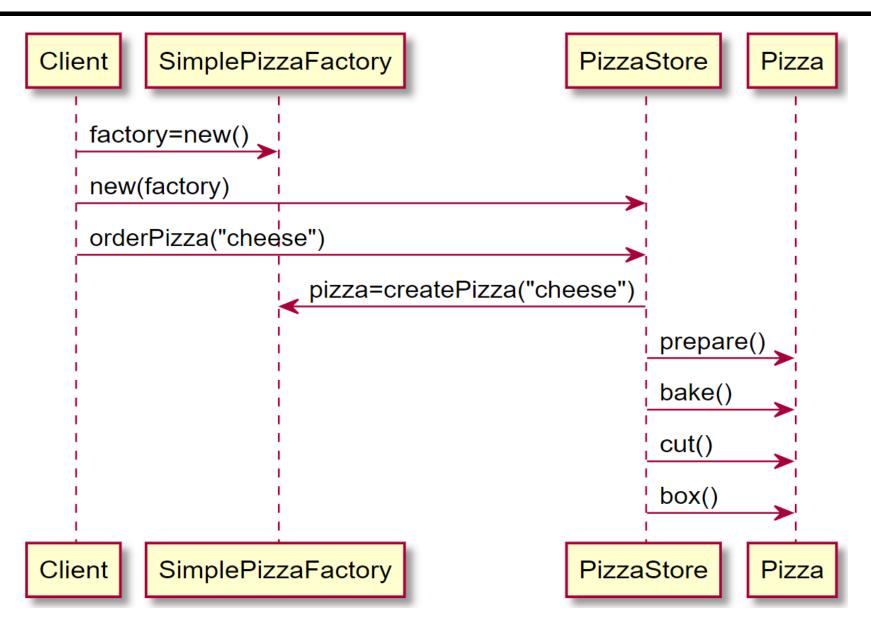
Building a SimplePizzaFactory and reworking the PizzaStore class

```
public class PizzaStore {
  SimplePizzaFactory factory;
  public PizzaStore(SimplePizzaFactory factory) {
    this.factory = factory;
  public Pizza orderPizza(String type) {
    Pizza pizza = null;
    pizza = factory.createPizza(type);
    prepareToBoxing(pizza);
    return pizza;
  void prepareToBoxing(Pizza pizza) {
... // 기존 코드
```

PizzaStore Class Diagram



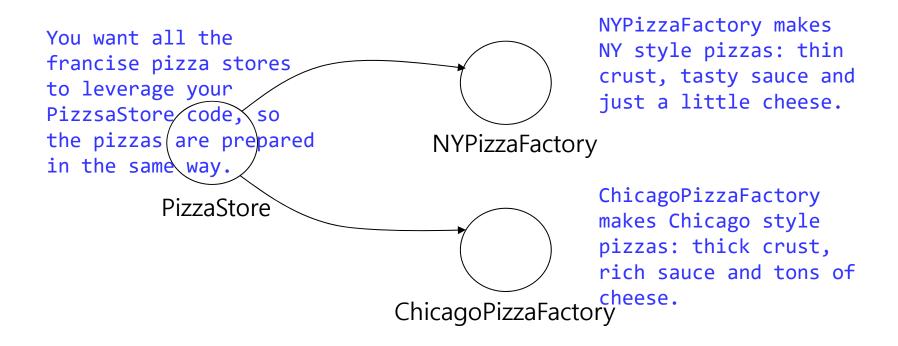
Each Pizza class implements Pizza.



Simple Factory

- Simple Factory determines which object to create and return the right object for user
 - In general, it determines the object to be created according to the string using the "if" statement.
- The Simple Factory isn't actually a design pattern; it's more of a programming idiom. But it is commonly used.

■ As the franchiser, you want to ensure the quality of the franchise operations. But, each franchise might want to offer different styles of pizzas (New York, Chicago, California).



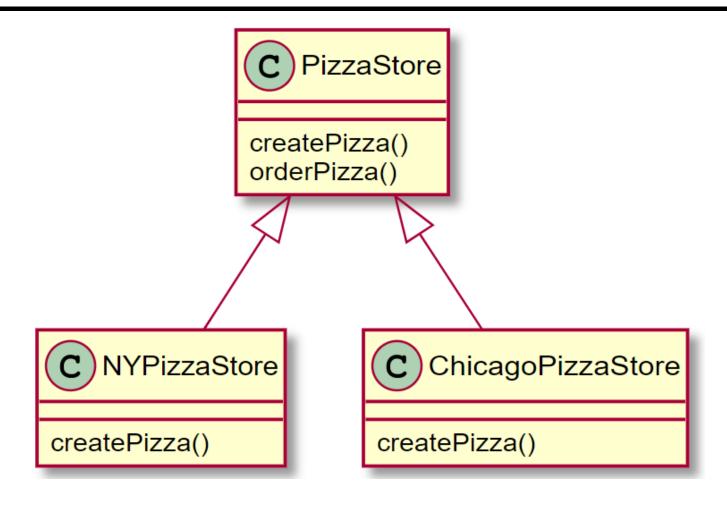
□ If we take out SimplePizzaFactory and create 3 different factories, then we can just compose the PizzaStore with the appropriate factory.

```
NYPizzaFactory nyFactory = new NYPizzaFactory();
PizzaStore nyStore = new PizzaStore(nyFactory);
nyStore.orderPizza("veggie");
ChicagoPizzaFactory cFactory = new ChicagoPizzaFactory();
PizzaStore chicagoStore = new PizzaStore(cFactory);
chicagoStore.orderPizza("veggie");
```

- Problem
 - Since PizzaStore is separate from the pizza creation, it guarantee the flexibility, but it may be difficult to employ their own home grown procedures. (orderPizza process in PizzaStore)
 - Different pizza stores may want different process.

- A framework that ties the **pizza store** and the **pizza creation** together, yet still allows things to **remain flexible**.
 - There is a way to localize all the pizza making activities to the PizzaStore class, and yet give the **franchises freedom to have their own regional style**.
 - Put the createPizza() method back into PizzaStore, but this time as an abstract method, and then create a PizzaStore subclass for each regional style.
 - We're going to have a subclass for each regional type (NYPizzaStore, ChicagoPizzaStore, CaliforniaPizzaStore) and each subclass is going to make the decision about what makes up a pizza.

```
public abstract class PizzaStore {
  void prepareToBoxing(Pizza pizza) {
    pizza.prepare();
    pizza.bake();
    pizza.cut();
    pizza.box();
  public Pizza orderPizza(String type) {
    Pizza pizza = createPizza(type); createPizza is back to
                                       being a call to a
    prepareToBoxing(pizza);
                                       method in the
    return pizza;
                                       PizzaStore rather than
                                       on a factory object.
  // factory method
  abstract Pizza createPizza(String type);
```



```
public class NYPizzaStore extends PizzaStore {
  Pizza createPizza(String type) {
    if type.equals("cheese")) {
      pizza = new NYStyleCheesePizza();
    } else if (type.equals("pepperoni")) {
      pizza = new NYStylePepperoniPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("clam")) {
      pizza = new NYStyleClamPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("veggie")) {
      pizza = new NYStyleVeggiePizza();
```

```
public class ChicagoPizzaStore extends PizzaStore {
  Pizza createPizza(String type) {
    if type.equals("cheese")) {
      pizza = new ChicagoStyleCheesePizza();
    } else if (type.equals("pepperoni")) {
      pizza = new ChicagoStylePepperoniPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("clam")) {
      pizza = new ChicagoStyleClamPizza();
    } else if (type.equals("veggie")) {
      pizza = new ChicagoStyleVeggiePizza();
```

Factory Method

- □ The **factory method** is **abstract**, so the **subclasses** are counted on to handle **object creation**.
- It can separate the client code in the superclass and the object creation code in the subclass.
 - abstract Product factoryMethod(String type)
- The factory method returns an object of type Product that is typically used within methods defined in the superclass.
- The factory method **isolates the client** (e.g., the code in the superclass, like orderPizza()) from knowing what kind of concrete Product is actually created.

Pizza Class

```
public abstract class Pizza {
  String name;
  String dough;
  String sauce;
 ArrayList toppings = new ArrayList();
  void prepare() {
    System.out.println("Preparing " + name);
    System.out.println("Tossing dough...");
    System.out.println("Adding sauce...");
    System.out.println("Adding toppings: ");
    for (int i = 0; i < toppings.size(); i++) {
      System.out.println(" " + toppings.get(i));
  void bake() {
    System.out.println("Bake for 25 minutes at 350");
```

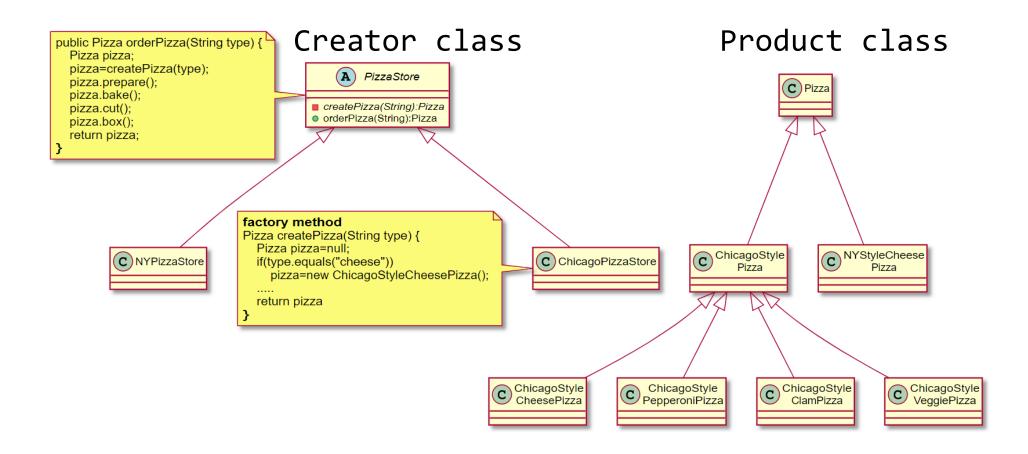
Pizza Class

```
void cut() {
    System.out.println("Cutting the pizza into
diagonal slices");
  }
  void box() {
    System.out.println("Place pizza in official
PizzaStore box");
  }
  public String getName() {
    return name;
  }
}
```

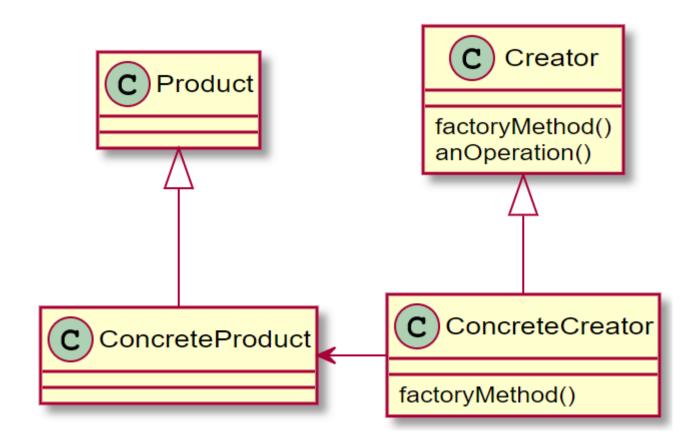
```
public class NYStyleCheesePizza extends Pizza {
  public NYStyleCheesePizza() {
    name = "NY Style Sauce and Cheese Pizza";
    dough = "Thin Crust Dough";
    sauce = "Marinara Sauce";
    toppings.add("Grated Reggiano Cheese");
public class ChicagoStyleCheesePizza extends Pizza {
  public ChicagoStyleCheesePizza () {
    name = "Chicago Style Deep Dish Cheese Pizza";
    dough = "Extra Thick Crust Dough";
    sauce = "Plum Tomato Sauce";
    toppings.add("Shredded Mozzarella Cheese");
  void cut() {
    System.out.println("Cutting the pizza into
square slices");
```

main method

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Define Factory Method Pattern

Creator

Defines a method that needs to create an object whose actual type is unknown. Does so using abstract method call.

ConcreteCreator

 Subclass that overrides the abstract object-instantiation method to create the Concrete Product.

Product

Interface implemented by the created product. Creator accesses the ConcreteProduct object through this interface.

ConcreteProduct

 Object used by the Creator (superclass) methods. Implements the Product interface.

Without Factory Method Pattern?

```
public class DependentPizzaStore {
  public Pizza createPizza(String style, String type) {
    Pizza pizza = null;
    if (style.equals("NY")) {
      if (type.equals("cheese")) {
        pizza = new NYStyleCheésePizza();
      } else if (type.equals("veggie")) {
        pizza = new NYStyleVeggiePizza();
    else if (style.equals("Chicago")) {
      if (type.equals("cheese")) {
        pizza = new ChicagoStyleCheesePizza();
      } else if (type.equals("veggie")) {
        pizza = new ChicagoStyleVeggiePizza();
```

- How to ensure each franchise is using quality ingredients?
 - You're going to build a factory that produces and ships them to your franchise.
 - The problem is that the franchise are located in different regions. New York uses one set of ingredients and Chicago another.

New York

FreshClams

ThinCrustDough

ReggianoCheese

MarinaraSauce

Chicago

FrozenClams

ThickCrustDough

MozzarellaCheese

PlumTomatoSauce

California

Camari

VeryThinCrust

GoatCheese

BruschettaSauce

■ To build the ingredient factories, let's start by defining an interface for the factory that is going to create all our ingredients.

```
public interface PizzaIngredientFactory {
   public Dough createDough();
   public Sauce createSauce();
   public Cheese createCheese();
   public Veggies[] createVeggies();
   public Pepperoni createPepperoni();
   public Clams createClam();
}
```

New York Ingredient Factory

```
public class NYPizzaIngredientFactory implements
                           PizzaIngredientFactory {
  public Dough createDough() {
    return new ThinCrustDough();
  public Sauce createSauce() {
    return new MarinaraSauce();
  public Cheese createCheese() {
    return new ReggianoCheese();
  public Veggies[] createVeggies() {
    Veggies veggies[] = { new Garlic(), new Onion(),
                 new Mushroom(), new RedPepper() };
    return veggies;
```

```
public Pepperoni createPepperoni() {
    return new SlicedPepperoni();
    }
    public Clams createClam() {
       return new FreshClams();
    }
}
```

■ Write a new Pizza class

```
public abstract class Pizza {
  String name;
  Dough dough;
  Sauce sauce;
                             Each Pizza holds a set
  Veggies veggies[];
                             of ingredients that are
  Cheese cheese;
                             used in its preparation.
  Pepperoni pepperoni;
  Clams clam;
  abstract void prepare();
  void bake() {
    System.out.println("Bake for 25 minutes at 350");
  void cut() {
    System.out.println("Cutting the pizza into
diagonal slices");
```

```
void cut() {
    System.out.println("Cutting the pizza into
diagonal slices");
  void box() {
    System.out.println("Place pizza in official
PizzaStore box");
  void setName(String name) {
    this.name = name;
  String getName() {
    return name;
  public String toString() {
    // print the Pizza name
```

- In the factory method pattern, NYCheesePizza and ChicagoCheesePizza classes are the same, except that they use regional ingredients.
 - The pizzas are made the same (dough + sauce + cheese). They all follow the same preparation steps; they just have different ingredients.
 - So, we really don't need two classes for each pizza; the ingredient factory is going to handle the regional differences.

CheesePizza Class

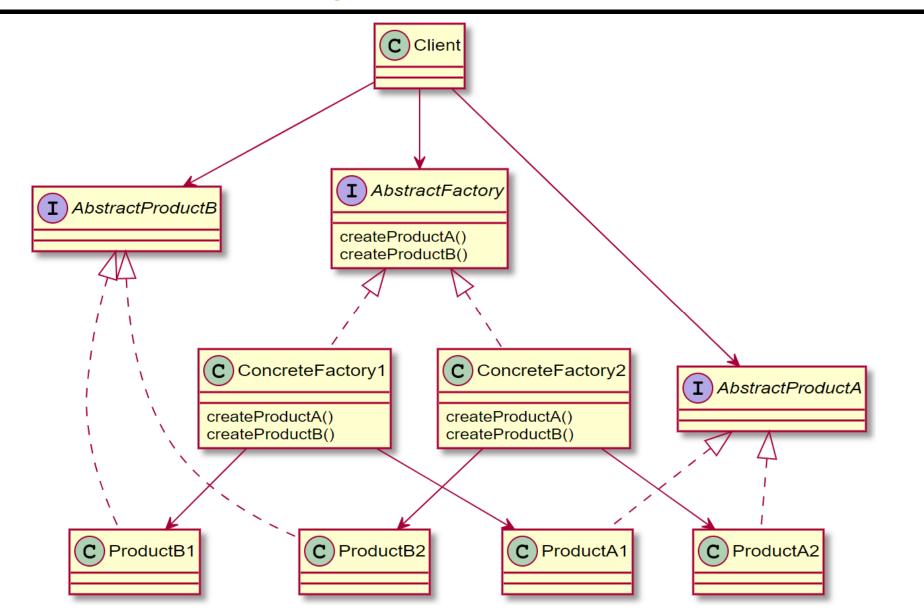
```
public class CheesePizza extends Pizza {
  PizzaIngredientFactory ingredientFactory;
  public CheesePizza(PizzaIngredientFactory
                             ingredientFactory) {
    this.ingredientFactory = ingredientFactory;
  void prepare() {
    System.out.println("Preparing " + name);
    dough = ingredientFactory.createDough();
    sauce = ingredientFactory.createSauce();
    cheese = ingredientFactory.createCheese();
```

ClamPizza Class

```
public class ClamPizza extends Pizza {
  PizzaIngredientFactory ingredientFactory;
  public ClamPizza(PizzaIngredientFactory)
                             ingredientFactory) {
    this.ingredientFactory = ingredientFactory;
  void prepare() {
    System.out.println("Preparing " + name);
    dough = ingredientFactory.createDough();
    sauce = ingredientFactory.createSauce();
    cheese = ingredientFactory.createCheese();
    clam = ingredientFactory.createClam();
```

```
public class NYPizzaStore extends PizzaStore {
  protected Pizza createPizza(String item) {
    Pizza pizza = null;
    PizzaIngredientFactory ingredientFactory =
            new NYPizzaIngredientFactory();
    if (item.equals("cheese")) {
      pizza = new CheesePizza(ingredientFactory);
      pizza.setName("New York Style Cheese Pizza");
    } else if (item.equals("veggie")) {
      pizza = new VeggiePizza(ingredientFactory);
      pizza.setName("New York Style Veggie Pizza");
    } else if (item.equals("clam")) {
    return pizza;
```

- Abstract Factory allows a client to use an abstract interface to create a set of related products without knowing about the concrete products that are actually produced.
- In this way, the client is **decoupled** from any of the specifies of the concrete products.
- Abstract Factory can be used for creating cross-platform UI elements without coupling the client code to concrete UI classes, while keeping all created elements consistent with a selected operating system (Windows, Mac).
 - GUIFactory interface createButton, createCheckBox
 - WindowsFactory createButton creates Windows button & createCheckBox creates Windows checkbox
 - MacFactory createButton creates Mac button & createCheckBox creates Mac checkbox



- AbstractFactory
 - Defines the interface that all concrete factories must implement, which consists of a set of methods for creating products.
- ConcreteFactory1, ConreteFactory2
 - Each concrete factory can product an entire set of products.
- ProductA1, ProductA2
 - They are the product family of ProductA.
- ProductB1, ProductB2
 - They are the product family of ProductB.

Difference between Abstract Factory and Factory Method

- Abstract Factory uses object composition to delegate responsibility of creating object to another class: object creation is implemented in methods exposed in the factory interface.
- Factory Method uses inheritance and relies on a subclass to create object: object creation is delegated to subclasses which implement the factory method to create objects.
- Factory Method is just a method that can be overridden in a subclass. Abstract Factory is an object that has multiple factory methods on it.