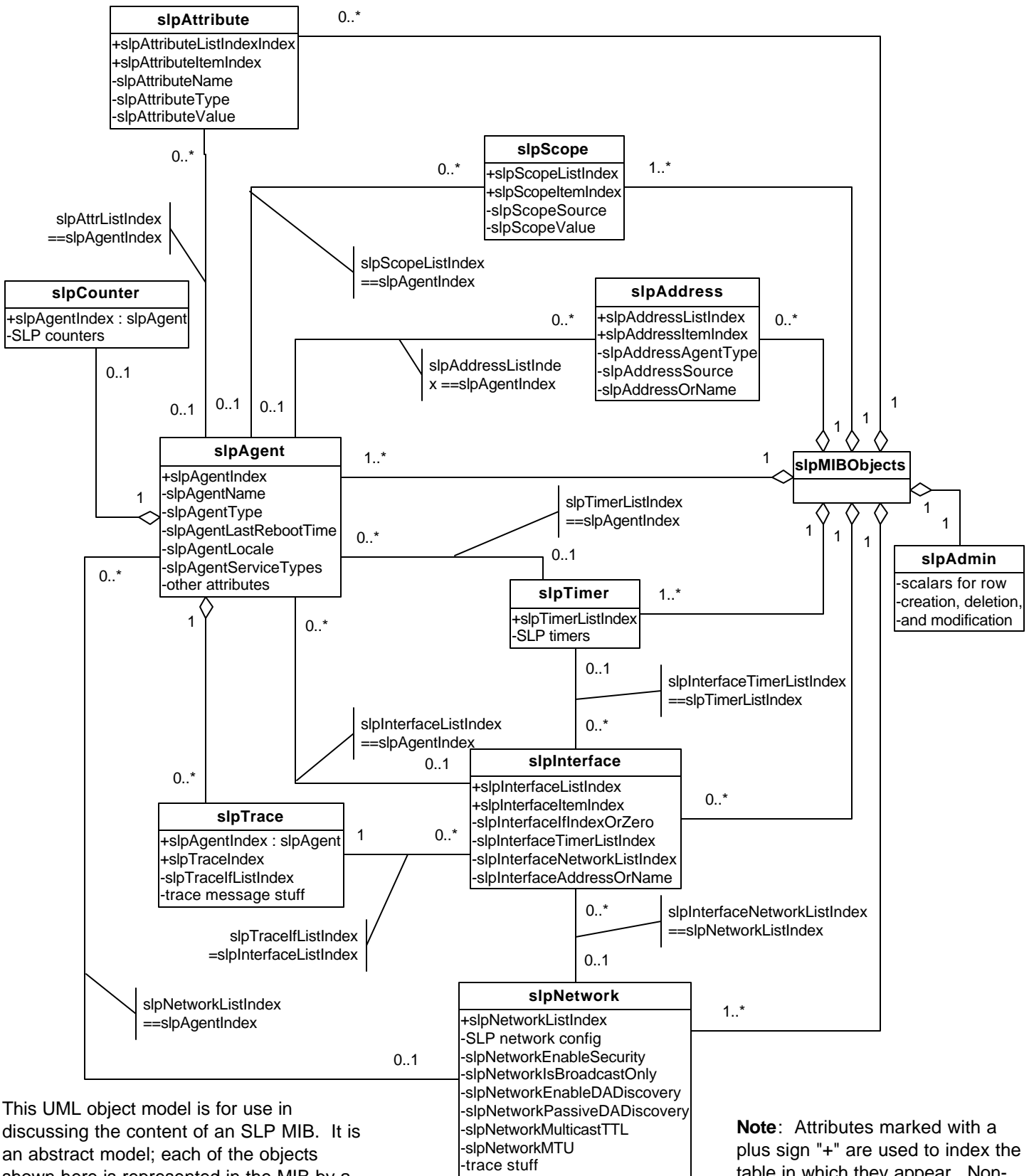


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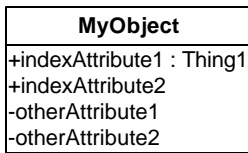


This UML object model is for use in discussing the content of an SLP MIB. It is an abstract model; each of the objects shown here is represented in the MIB by a set of tables. For clarity, not all attributes are shown, and no statistics are specified. In the event that these objects do not match the MIB, the MIB is the final authority.

Note: Attributes marked with a plus sign "+" are used to index the table in which they appear. Non-index attributes are marked with a dash "-". For more information on reading these data models, please see the next page.

UML (more or less) Drawing Key

UML objects appear as boxes with a class name and a set of attributes. The example on the left is for the class "MyObject".



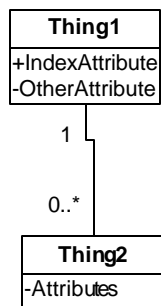
Attributes marked with a plus sign "+" are used to index the table in which they appear. This notation is a departure from formal UML models. Some index attributes will have a ": <otherobject>" after them to indicate that an index from another object is used as part of the index for this one. In the example on the left, MyObject is indexed by "indexAttribute1" from the class Thing1, along with its own index. This makes MyObject a sub-table of Thing1.

Non-index attributes are marked with a dash "-".

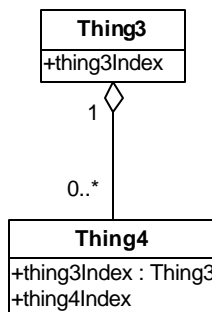
For those more familiar with UML, we did not define any methods for these objects, since these are just used as simple data models.

We are using three types of UML relationships:

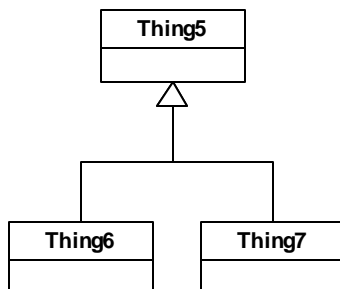
- Association
- Aggregation
- Inheritance



Association - There are zero or more Thing2 instances associated with each Thing1. A Thing2 is associated with exactly one Thing1.



Aggregation - Each Thing3 contains zero or more Thing4 instances. A Thing4 belongs to exactly one Thing3 and cannot exist without a Thing3.



Inheritance - Each Instance of Thing7 or Thing6 is also a Thing5. A Thing5 must be either a Thing6 or Thing7. Thing6 has the attributes of Thing5 + Thing6; Thing7 has the attributes of Thing5 + Thing7. This sounds complicated, but we are not using this relation anyway.

"I will pick up the hook. You will see something new. Two Things. And I call them Thing One and Thing Two." -- Dr. Seuss