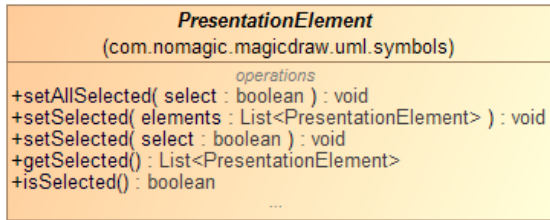


# Selection in diagrams

Every [com.nomagic.magicdraw.uml.symbols.PresentationElement](#) can access selected elements or change their own selection status.



## Related pages

- [Presentation element selection events](#)

## Collecting selected presentation elements in a diagram

```
Project project = ;  
DiagramPresentationElement diagram = project.getActiveDiagram();  
List<PresentationElement> selected = diagram.getSelected();
```

## Selecting element in a diagram

```
presentationElement.setSelected(true);
```

[Presentation element selection events](#) page describes selection change events