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Abstract class & pure virtual method

virtual class;

endclass

-- can't take its instance ; only can extend

in virtual class – can't define method ; so can declare pure virtual method without body

virtual class;

pure virtual function void get_properties; // no – implementation

endclass

Upcasting (Polymorphism)

Same code – works differently – for different types.

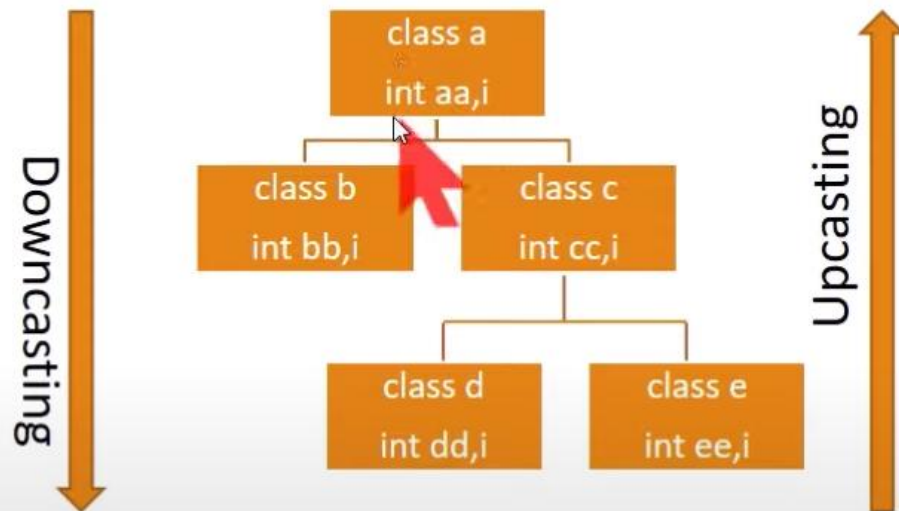
Static – parameterized types ... Dynamic – virtual method

virtual function



code reuse ----- HOW ?

Overridden members – Upcasting & Downcasting



Upcasting – casting e into a – (a = e) **LEGAL**

```
e e1; a a1;
```

```
e1 = new;
```

```
a1 = e1;
```

Downcasting – a into e – (e = a) **ILLEGAL**

```
a a1; e e1;
```

```
a1 = new;
```

```
$cast(e1, a1);
```

Inheritance memory allocation

```
class a;  
  int i;  
  function get_i; endfunction;  
endclass : a
```


```
class b extends a;  
  int i;  
  function get_i; endfunction;  
endclass : b
```

```
b = new();
```

Memory Allocation

parent class storage allocation
Here – class a
i, get_i

class b storage allocation
Here - class b
i, get_i



Chain constructor

super.new()


class a;
endclass : a

class b extends a;
function new();
 super.new();
endfunction
endclass : b

1 level of inheritance

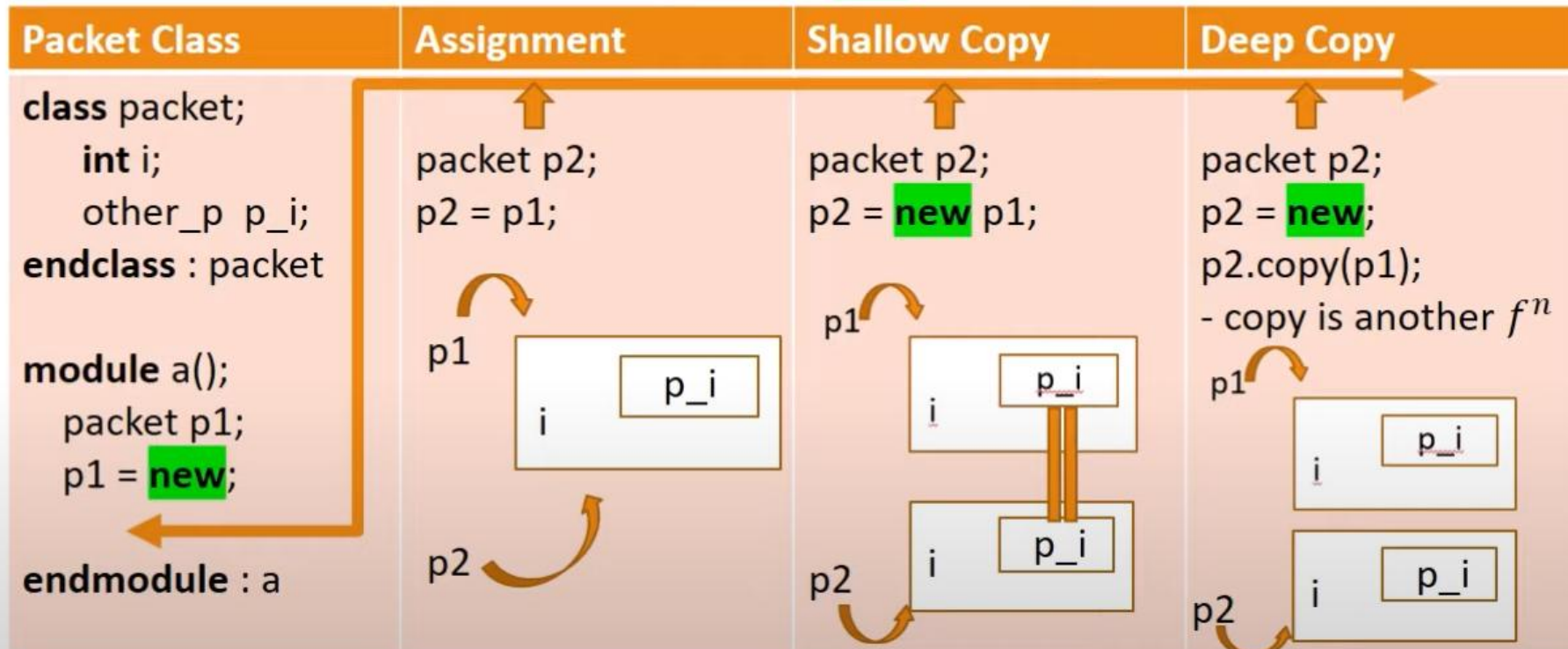
super.super.new X

this, super & local(data hiding)

this	super
<p>to access current class properties</p> <pre>class a; int i; int delay=5; local int j; function new(int i); this.i = i; endfunction endclass</pre> 	<p>to access parent class properties</p> <pre>class b extends a; int result; int delay=10; function print; result = this.delay + super.delay; endfunction endclass</pre>

Object assignment, shallow copy & deep copy

How many times – **new** is called?



Agenda

- ✓ Object assignment, shallow copy & deep copy
- ✓ Inheritance
- ✓ this, super & local(data hiding)
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CLASS & OOPS – PART II

