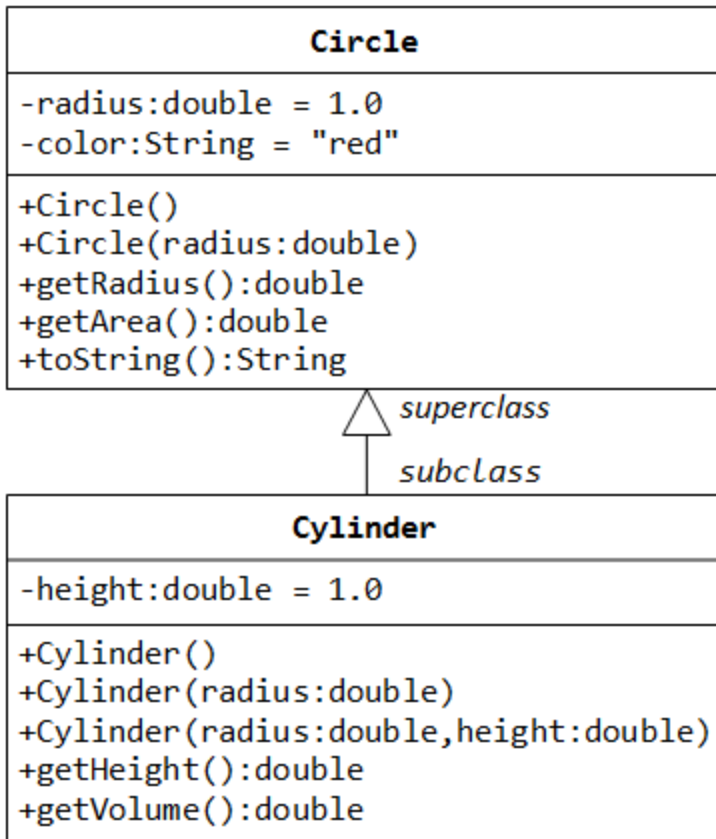


## 2. Exercises on Inheritance

### 2.1 Exercise: The Circle and Cylinder Classes



In this exercise, a subclass called `Cylinder` is derived from the superclass `Circle` as shown in the class diagram (where an arrow pointing up from the subclass to its superclass). Study how the subclass `Cylinder` invokes the superclass' constructors (via `super()` and `super(radius)`) and inherits the variables and methods from the superclass `Circle`.

You can reuse the `Circle` class that you have created in the previous exercise. Make sure that you keep `"Circle.class"` in the same directory.

```
public class Cylinder extends Circle { //save as "Cylinder.java"
    private double height; // private variable

    // Constructor with default color, radius and height
    public Cylinder() {
        super(); // call superclass no-arg constructor Circle()
        height = 1.0;
    }
    // Constructor with default radius, color but given height
    public Cylinder(double height) {
        super(); // call superclass no-arg constructor Circle()
```

```

        this.height = height;
    }
    // Constructor with default color, but given radius, height
    public Cylinder(double radius, double height) {
        super(radius); // call superclass constructor Circle(r)
        this.height = height;
    }

    // A public method for retrieving the height
    public double getHeight() {
        return height;
    }

    // A public method for computing the volume of cylinder
    // use superclass method getArea() to get the base area
    public double getVolume() {
        return getArea()*height;
    }
}

```

Write a test program (says `TestCylinder`) to test the `Cylinder` class created, as follow:

```

public class TestCylinder { // save as "TestCylinder.java"
    public static void main (String[] args) {
        // Declare and allocate a new instance of cylinder
        // with default color, radius, and height
        Cylinder c1 = new Cylinder();
        System.out.println("Cylinder:"
            + " radius=" + c1.getRadius()
            + " height=" + c1.getHeight()
            + " base area=" + c1.getArea()
            + " volume=" + c1.getVolume());

        // Declare and allocate a new instance of cylinder
        // specifying height, with default color and radius
        Cylinder c2 = new Cylinder(10.0);
        System.out.println("Cylinder:"
            + " radius=" + c2.getRadius()
            + " height=" + c2.getHeight()
            + " base area=" + c2.getArea()
            + " volume=" + c2.getVolume());

        // Declare and allocate a new instance of cylinder
        // specifying radius and height, with default color
        Cylinder c3 = new Cylinder(2.0, 10.0);
        System.out.println("Cylinder:"
            + " radius=" + c3.getRadius()
            + " height=" + c3.getHeight()
            + " base area=" + c3.getArea()
            + " volume=" + c3.getVolume());
    }
}

```

**Method Overriding and "Super":** The subclass `Cylinder` inherits `getArea()` method from its superclass `Circle`. Try *overriding* the `getArea()` method in the subclass `Cylinder` to compute

the surface area ( $=2\pi \times \text{radius} \times \text{height} + 2 \times \text{base-area}$ ) of the cylinder instead of base area. That is, if `getArea()` is called by a `Circle` instance, it returns the area. If `getArea()` is called by a `Cylinder` instance, it returns the surface area of the cylinder.

If you override the `getArea()` in the subclass `Cylinder`, the `getVolume()` no longer works. This is because the `getVolume()` uses the *overridden* `getArea()` method found in the same class. (Java runtime will search the superclass only if it cannot locate the method in this class). Fix the `getVolume()`.

Hints: After overriding the `getArea()` in subclass `Cylinder`, you can choose to invoke the `getArea()` of the superclass `Circle` by calling `super.getArea()`.

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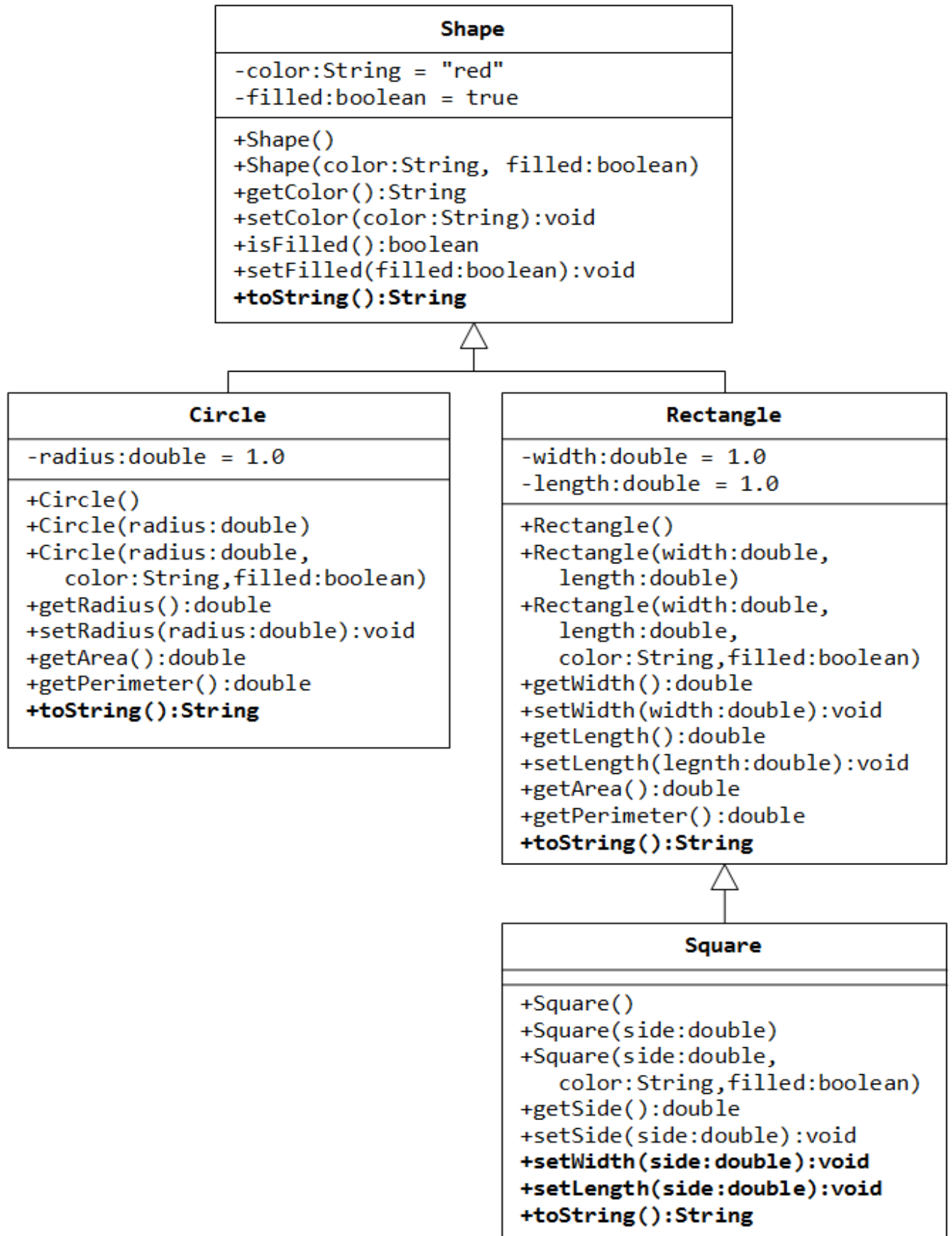
Provide a `toString()` method to the `Cylinder` class, which overrides the `toString()` inherited from the superclass `Circle`, e.g.,

```
@Override
public String toString() {           // in Cylinder class
    return "Cylinder: subclass of " + super.toString() // use Circle's
    toString()
        + " height=" + height;
}
```

Try out the `toString()` method in `TestCylinder`.

Note: `@Override` is known as *annotation* (introduced in JDK 1.5), which asks compiler to check whether there is such a method in the superclass to be overridden. This helps greatly if you misspell the name of the `toString()`. If `@Override` is not used and `toString()` is misspelled as `Tostring()`, it will be treated as a new method in the subclass, instead of overriding the superclass. If `@Override` is used, the compiler will signal an error. `@Override` annotation is optional, but certainly nice to have.

## 2.2 Exercise: Superclass Shape and its subclasses Circle, Rectangle and Square



Write a superclass called `Shape` (as shown in the class diagram), which contains:

- Two instance variables `color` (`String`) and `filled` (`boolean`).
- Two constructors: a no-arg (no-argument) constructor that initializes the `color` to "green" and `filled` to `true`, and a constructor that initializes the `color` and `filled` to the given values.
- Getter and setter for all the instance variables. By convention, the getter for a `boolean` variable `xxx` is called `isXXX()` (instead of `getXxx()` for all the other types).
- A `toString()` method that returns "A Shape with color of xxx and filled/Not filled".

Write a test program to test all the methods defined in `Shape`.

Write two subclasses of `Shape` called `Circle` and `Rectangle`, as shown in the class diagram.

The `Circle` class contains:

- An instance variable `radius` (`double`).
- Three constructors as shown. The no-arg constructor initializes the `radius` to `1.0`.
- Getter and setter for the instance variable `radius`.
- Methods `getArea()` and `getPerimeter()`.
- Override the `toString()` method inherited, to return "A Circle with radius=xxx, which is a subclass of yyy", where `yyy` is the output of the `toString()` method from the superclass.

The `Rectangle` class contains:

- Two instance variables `width` (`double`) and `length` (`double`).
- Three constructors as shown. The no-arg constructor initializes the `width` and `length` to `1.0`.
- Getter and setter for all the instance variables.
- Methods `getArea()` and `getPerimeter()`.
- Override the `toString()` method inherited, to return "A Rectangle with width=xxx and length=zzz, which is a subclass of yyy", where `yyy` is the output of the `toString()` method from the superclass.

Write a class called `Square`, as a subclass of `Rectangle`. Convince yourself that `Square` can be modeled as a subclass of `Rectangle`. `Square` has no instance variable, but inherits the instance variables `width` and `length` from its superclass `Rectangle`.

- Provide the appropriate constructors (as shown in the class diagram). Hint:

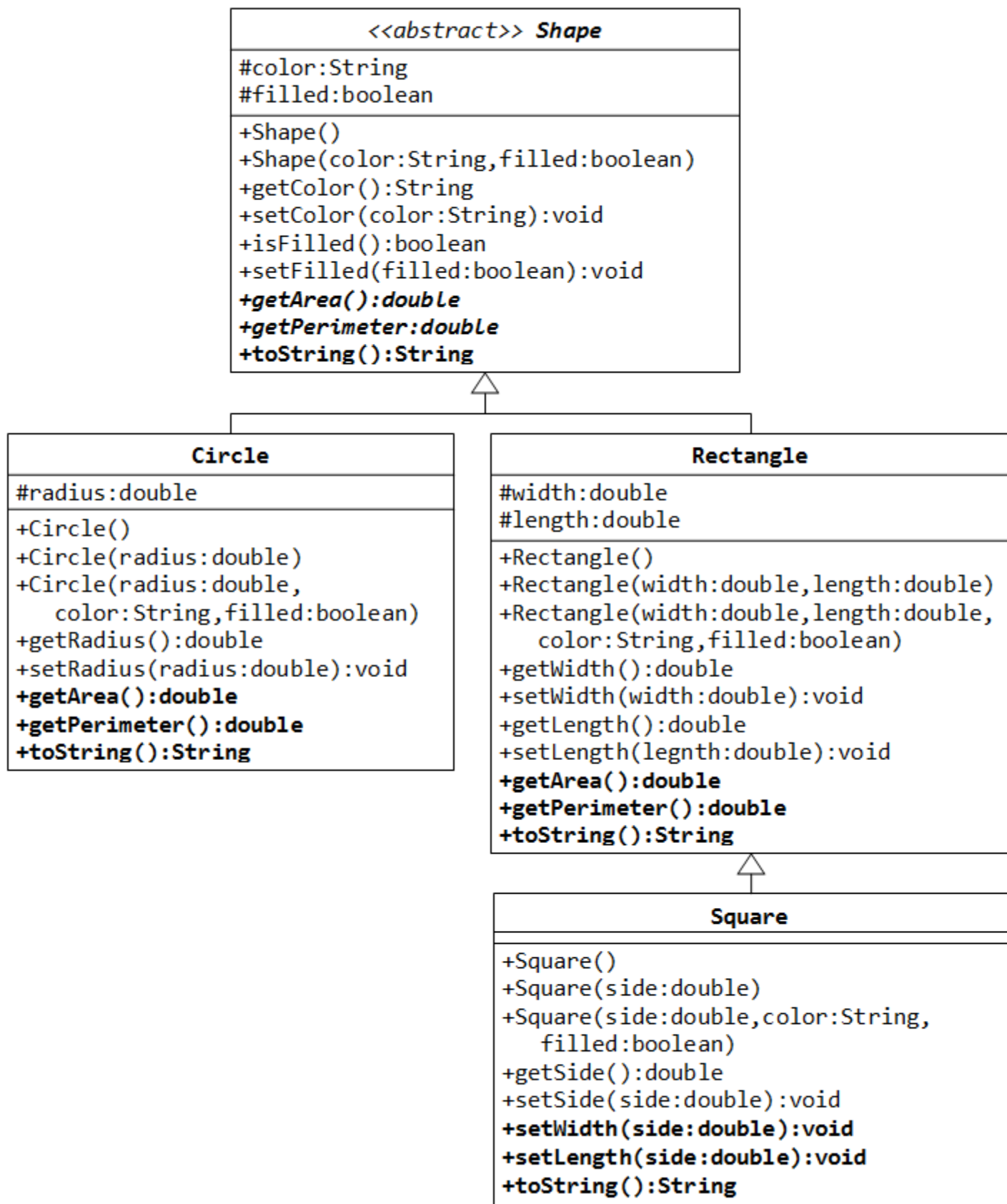
```
public Square(double side) {  
    super(side, side); // Call superclass Rectangle(double, double)  
}
```
- Override the `toString()` method to return "A Square with side=xxx, which is a subclass of yyy", where `yyy` is the output of the `toString()` method from the superclass.
- Do you need to override the `getArea()` and `getPerimeter()`? Try them out.

- Override the `setLength()` and `setWidth()` to change both the `width` and `length`, so as to maintain the square geometry.

## **4. Exercises on Polymorphism, Abstract Classes and Interfaces**

### **4.1 Exercise: Abstract Superclass Shape and Its Concrete Subclasses**

Rewrite the superclass `Shape` and its subclasses `Circle`, `Rectangle` and `Square`, as shown in the class diagram.



In this exercise, `Shape` shall be defined as an `abstract` class, which contains:

- Two protected instance variables `color(String)` and `filled(boolean)`. The protected variables can be accessed by its subclasses and classes in the same package. They are denoted with a '#' sign in the class diagram.
- Getter and setter for all the instance variables, and `toString()`.
- Two abstract methods `getArea()` and `getPerimeter()` (shown in italics in the class diagram).

The subclasses `Circle` and `Rectangle` shall *override* the abstract methods `getArea()` and `getPerimeter()` and provide the proper implementation. They also *override* the `toString()`.

Write a test class to test these statements involving polymorphism and explain the outputs. Some statements may trigger compilation errors. Explain the errors, if any.

```
Shape s1 = new Circle(5.5, "RED", false); // Upcast Circle to Shape
System.out.println(s1);                  // which version?
System.out.println(s1.getArea());         // which version?
System.out.println(s1.getPerimeter());    // which version?
System.out.println(s1.getColor());
System.out.println(s1.isFilled());
System.out.println(s1.getRadius());
```

```
Circle c1 = (Circle)s1;                  // Downcast back to Circle
System.out.println(c1);
System.out.println(c1.getArea());
System.out.println(c1.getPerimeter());
System.out.println(c1.getColor());
System.out.println(c1.isFilled());
System.out.println(c1.getRadius());
```

```
Shape s2 = new Shape();
```

```
Shape s3 = new Rectangle(1.0, 2.0, "RED", false); // Upcast
System.out.println(s3);
System.out.println(s3.getArea());
System.out.println(s3.getPerimeter());
System.out.println(s3.getColor());
System.out.println(s3.getLength());
```

```
Rectangle r1 = (Rectangle)s3; // downcast
System.out.println(r1);
System.out.println(r1.getArea());
System.out.println(r1.getColor());
System.out.println(r1.getLength());
```

```
Shape s4 = new Square(6.6); // Upcast
System.out.println(s4);
System.out.println(s4.getArea());
System.out.println(s4.getColor());
System.out.println(s4.getSide());
```

```
// Take note that we downcast Shape s4 to Rectangle,
```



```
// which is a superclass of Square, instead of Square
Rectangle r2 = (Rectangle)s4;
System.out.println(r2);
System.out.println(r2.getArea());
System.out.println(r2.getColor());
System.out.println(r2.getSide());
System.out.println(r2.getLength());

// Downcast Rectangle r2 to Square
Square sq1 = (Square)r2;
System.out.println(sq1);
System.out.println(sq1.getArea());
System.out.println(sq1.getColor());
System.out.println(sq1.getSide());
System.out.println(sq1.getLength());
```

**What is the usage of the abstract method and abstract class?**