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TYPES OF MODIFIERS



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Modifiers Types

- It is a keywords.
- It is used to set access levels for classes, variables, methods and constructors.
- 4 types of access modifier:
 1. Default
 2. Public
 3. Private
 4. protected



Access Modifier (default)

- No need keyword.
- Visible to the package, the default. No modifiers are needed.
- The data members, class or methods which are not declared using any access modifiers.
- It accessible only within the same package.



Access Modifier (default)

D:/p1/Dog.java

```
package p1;
```

```
class Dog
```

```
{  
    void display()  
    {  
        System.out.println("Hello World!");  
    }  
}
```

D:/DogNew.java

```
import p1.*;
```

```
class DogNew
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String args[])  
    {  
        Dog d=new Dog();  
        d.display();  
    }  
}
```

Compile time error

Because only access within
same package



Access Modifier (public)

- Keyword: public
- Accessible from everywhere in the program.
- There is no restrictions on the scope of a public data members.
- Class, method, or data members which are declared as public.



Access Modifier (public)

D:/p1/Dog.java

```
package p1;
```

```
public class Dog
```

```
{
```

```
    public void display()
```

```
    {
```

```
        System.out.println("Hello World!");
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

D:/DogNew.java

```
import p1.*;
```

```
class DogNew
```

```
{
```

```
    public static void main(String args[])
```

```
    {
```

```
        Dog d=new Dog();
```

```
        d.display();
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

Hello World



Access Modifier (private)

- Keyword: private
- Accessible only within the class.
- Any other class of same package will not be able to access.
- Only visible within the enclosing class.



Access Modifier (private)

D:/Dog.java

```
class A
{
    private void display()
    {
        System.out.println("Hello World!");
    }
}

class B
{
    public static void main(String args[])
    {
        A a=new A();
        a.display();
    }
}
```

error: display() has private access in A obj.display();



Access Modifier (protected)

- Keyword: protected
- Accessible within same package or sub classes in different package.
- only visible within the enclosing class and any subclasses



Access Modifier (protected)

D:/p1/Dog.java

```
package p1;
```

```
public class A
```

```
{
```

```
    protected void display()
```

```
    {
```

```
        System.out.println("Hello World!");
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

D:/DogNew.java

```
import p1.*;
```

```
class B extends A
```

```
{
```

```
    public static void main(String args[])
```

```
    {
```

```
        A d=new A();
```

```
        d.display();
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

Hello World

