Module 2 begins

Classes in Scala

- Classes are like blueprints
- val creates accessors, access to the inner state
- var creates mutators, allowing change to inner state
- javap -p is a great utility to see the Java bytecode

Java Getters and Setters

in JAVA person class should have below structure:

```
public class Person {
    private int age;
    public void setAge(int age) {
        this.age = age;
    }
    public int getAge() {
        return age;
    }
}
```

example in: ~/spark-1.6.1/scalatest/Person.java

- Step1: Javac Person.java
- Step2: javap -p Person (compare it with java -p Employee scala class which is having val and var attributes)
- Step3: java Person (to run and see the result)
- use of annotation look at Employee.scala

JAVA Class Declaration vs Scala Class Declaration

```
class PersonScala(var name:String, var age:Int)
public class Person {
   private int age=0;
   private String name;
   public Person(String nme, int ag) {
                                                    Constructor
       name = nme:
       age = ag;
                                                   Setter Function
   public void setAge(int age) {
        this.age = age;
                                                   Getter Function
   public int getAge() {
        return age;
   public void setName(String name) {
                                                    Setter Function
        this.name = name;
   public String getName() {
                                                    Getter Function
        return name;
```

```
Compiled from "Person.java"
public class Person {
  private int age;
  private java.lang.String name;
  public Person(java.lang.String, int);
  public void setAge(int);
  public int getAge();
  public void setName(java.lang.String);
  public java.lang.String getName();
}
```

```
Compiled from "Person.scala"
public class PersonScala {
   private java.lang.String name;
   private int age;
   public java.lang.String name();
   public void name_$eq(java.lang.String);
   public int age();
   public void age_$eq(int);
   public PersonScala(java.lang.String, int);
}
```

Scala Getters\Setters

- Use @scala.beans.BeanProperty
- Apply BeanProperty annotation to the property
- If applied to a val, BeanProperty will create a getter
- If applied to a var, BeanProperty will create a setter

Ancillary Constructors

- Ancillary Constructors look like methods named this
- Primary Constructors are designed for all information up front
- Ancillary Constructors need to find a way to invoke the primary constructor
- Call another constructor by invoking this(...)
- If an ancillary constructor is multi-lined, the first line must be a call to this(...)

Constructor Named and Default Arguments

- Named arguments allow calls by constructor parameter name
- Named arguments allow calls in any order
- Default arguments specify default values in the constructor declaration
- In case default arguments are difficult to call, use named arguments to assist

Singleton Objects

OBJECTS

- Need a singleton
- Need a factory pattern
- Need to implement pattern matching logic
- Need a utility method that doesn't require an instance or state
- Need default values
- Need a main method

Main Method

JAVA'S MAIN METHOD EXAMPLE

```
public class Runner {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Hello, Java Edition")
    }
}
```

SCALA'S MAIN METHOD

```
1 object Runner {$
2    def main(args:Array[String]):Unit = println("Hello, Scala Edition")$
3 }$
```

Companion Objects

- Companion Objects have the same name as the class they represent
- Companion Objects must be in the same file as the class they represent
- Companion Objects have access to their representative class's private information
- Classes have access to the companion object's private information

Case Classes

- Placing case keyword in front of class makes it a case class
- Case classes have an automatic equals, toString, and hashCode
- You can instantiate a class with the new keyword
- If you don't like the methods created. Override your own.

Extending Classes

- Extending a Class in Scala is similar to JAVA
 - → Just like Java, new methods and fields can be introduced or superclass methods or fields could be overridden in subclasses
 - → A class can be declared as final to avoid it being extended
 - → Unlike Java, individual field or method could also be marked as
 - final to avoid them being overridden

Extending Classes

Base Class

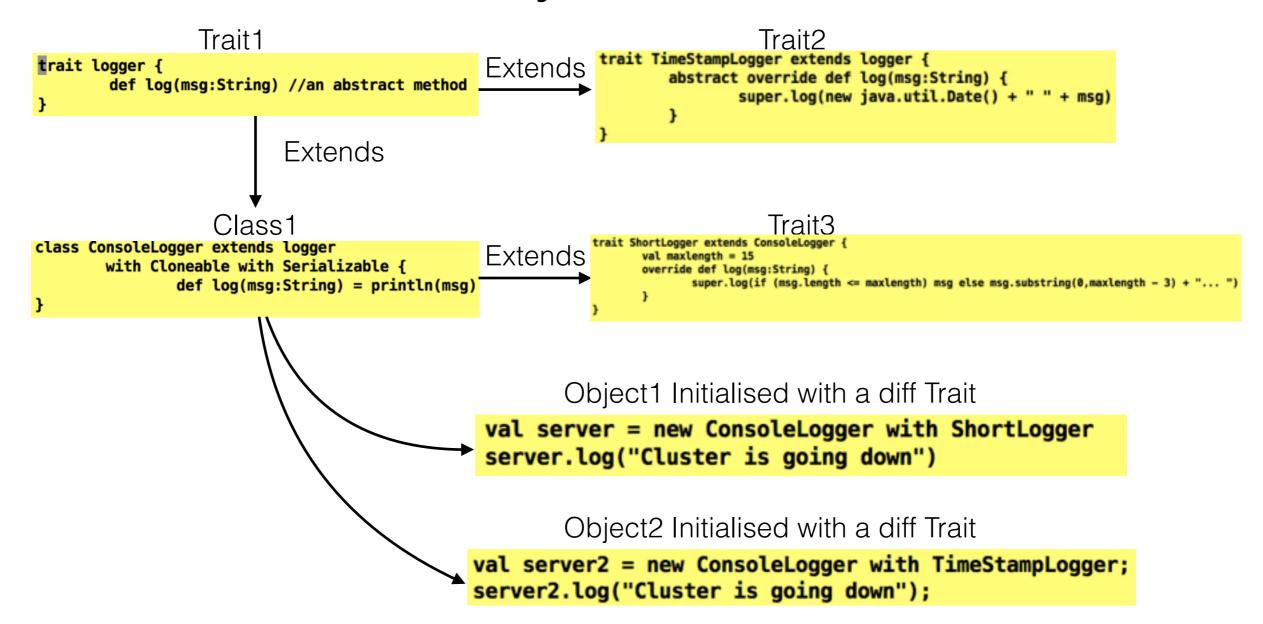
- Inherited class inherits all NON-PRIVATE members of the base class
- SCALA allows inheritance from one class only
- You can still refer the method from super class with the keyword super

Traits

Trait1

```
trait logger {
        def log(msg:String) //an abstract method
                       Extends
                  Class<sub>1</sub>
 class ConsoleLogger extends logger
         with Cloneable with Serializable {
                 def log(msg:String) = println(msg)
              Object Initialised
  val server3 = new ConsoleLogger
  server3.log("Cluster is going down")
```

Multi-Layered Traits



Converting methods into Functions

```
scala> class Foo(x:Int) {
                                     Class declared with a function of type Int => Int
         def bar(y:Int) = x + y
defined class Foo
scala > val x = new Foo(10)
                                     Object Declared on the class
x: Foo = Foo@6440112d
scala> val f = x.bar _
                                      The METHOD x.bar converted into a function f
f: Int => Int = <function1>
scala> val f = x.bar(_)
f: Int => Int = $$Lambda$1150/1671214984@2fee69a1
scala> val f = x.bar _
f: Int => Int = $$Lambda$1151/182124057@7e2bd5e6
scala> f(20)
                          Function f invoked as a utility function
res4: Int = 30
                            We can also call it as .apply magic as
scala> f.apply(20)
                                the f is of trait type Function1
res5: Int = 30
```