


# Classes: Part 2



Memory

Diagram





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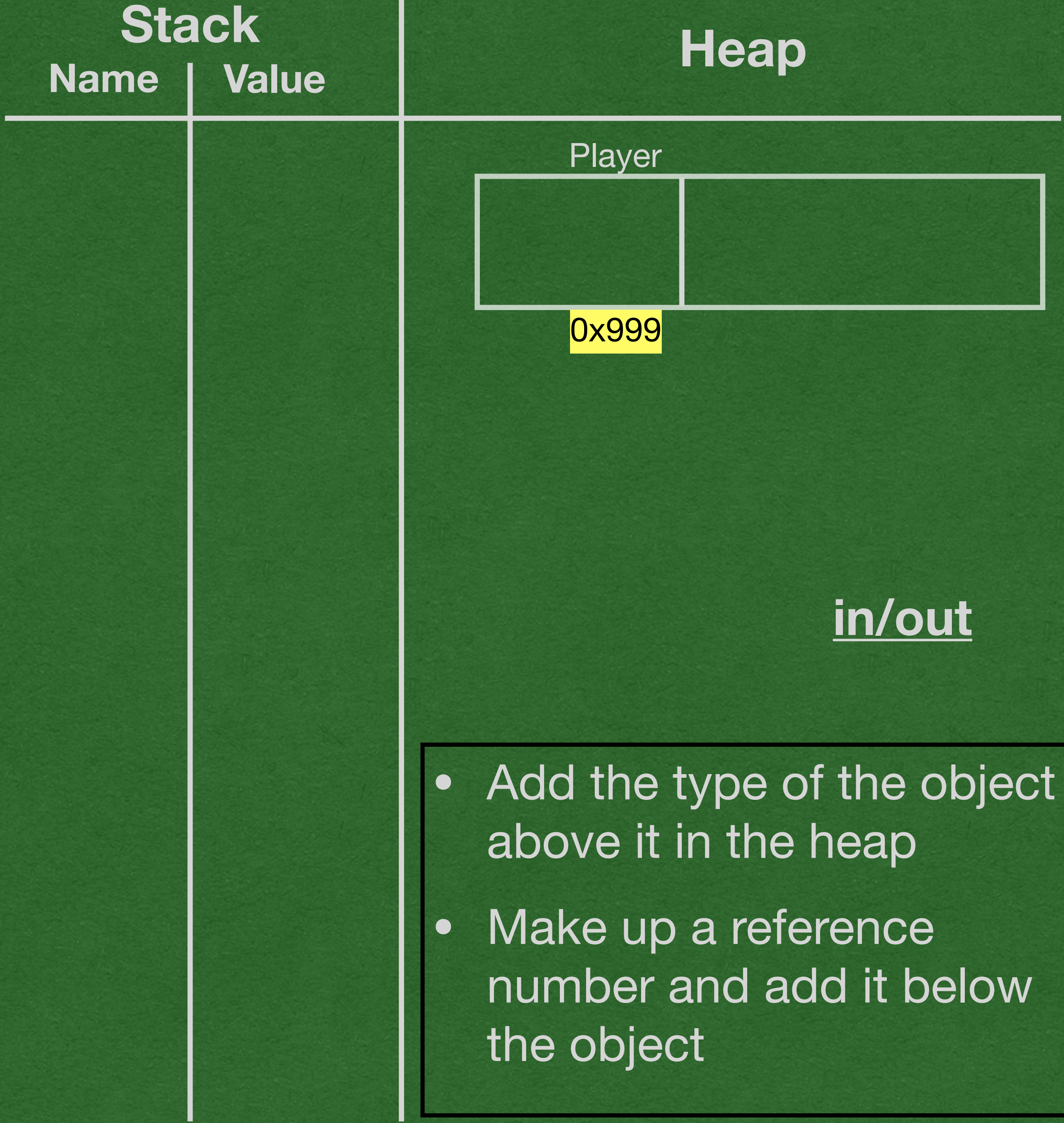
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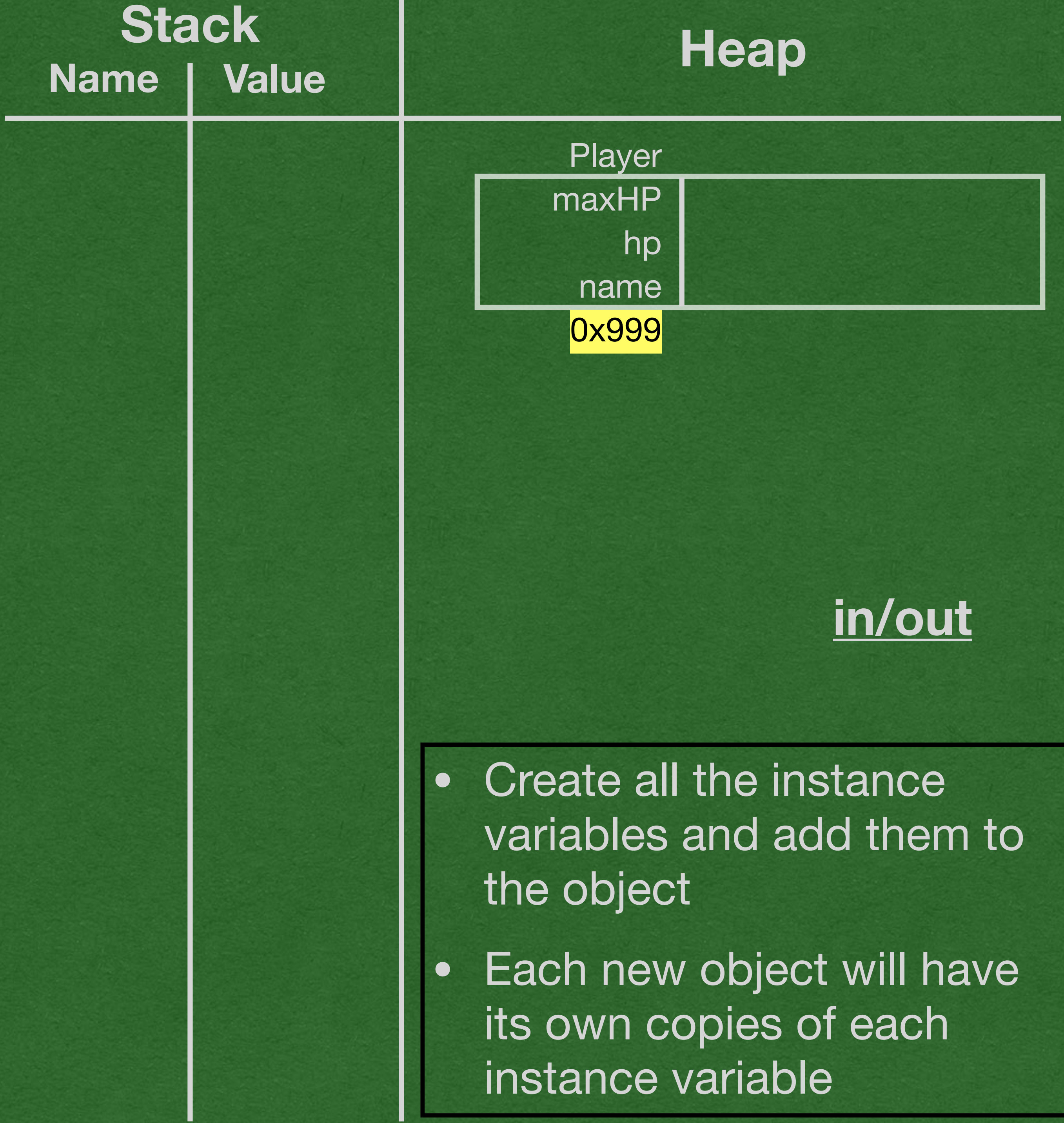
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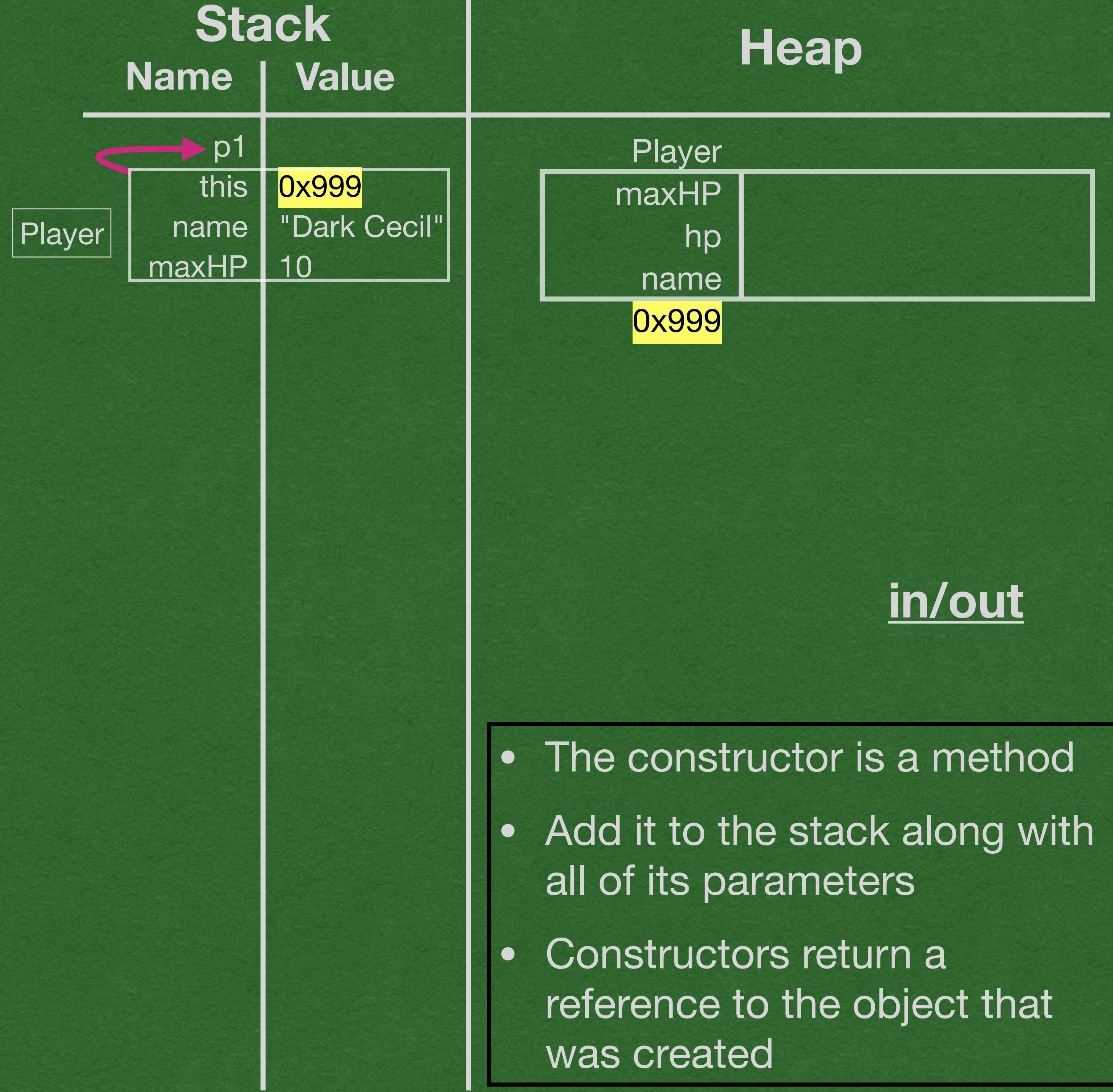
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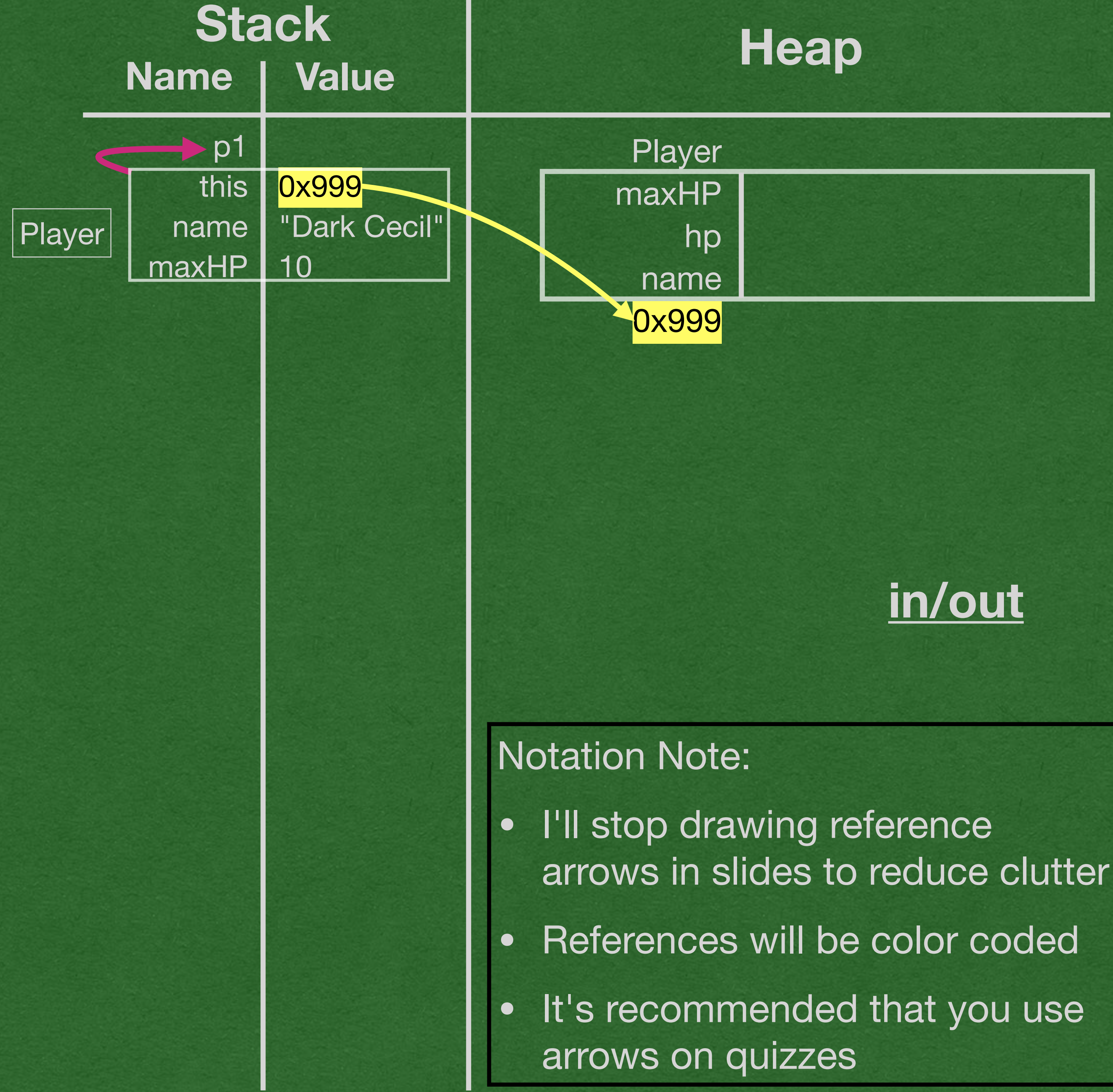
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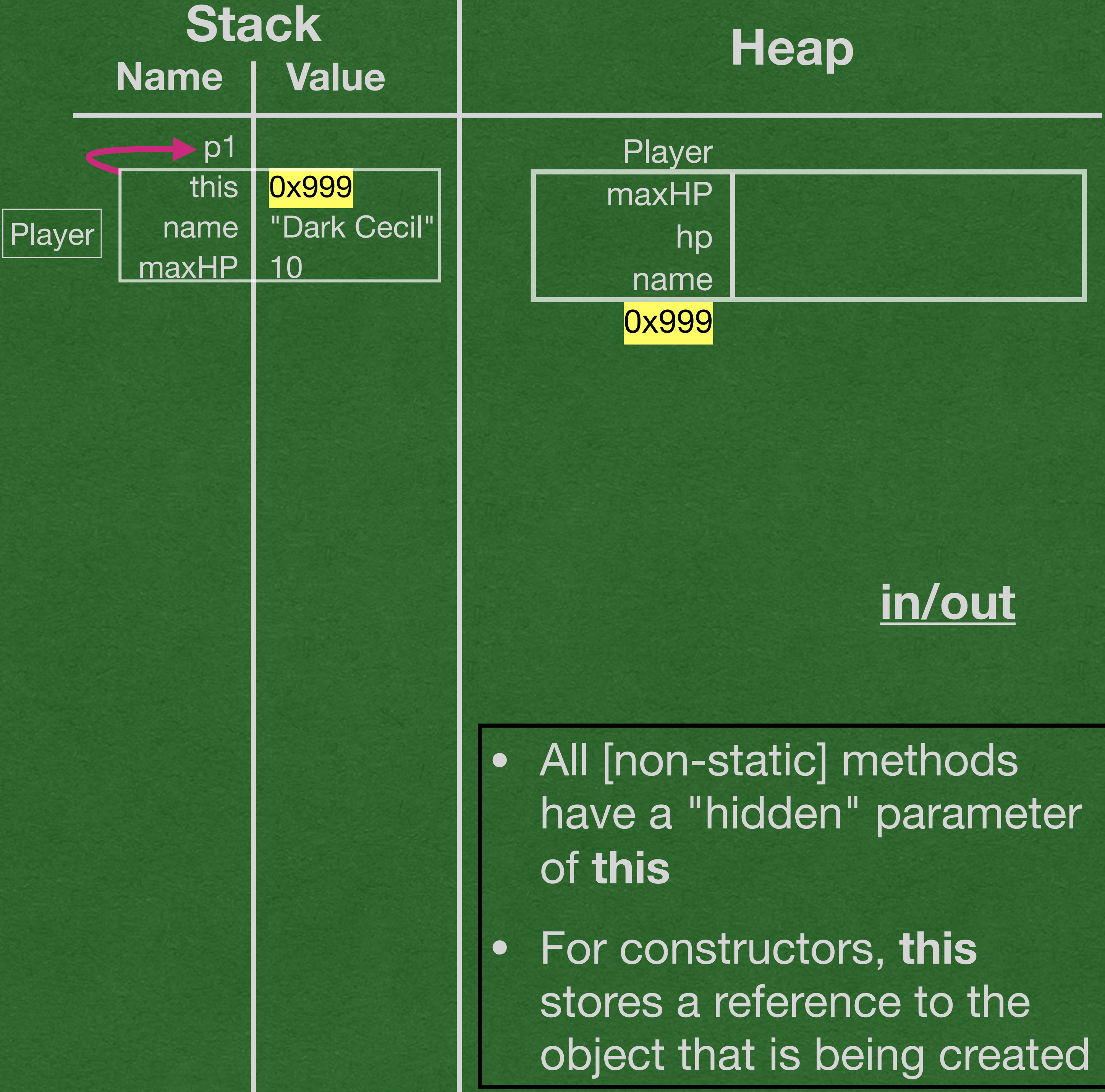
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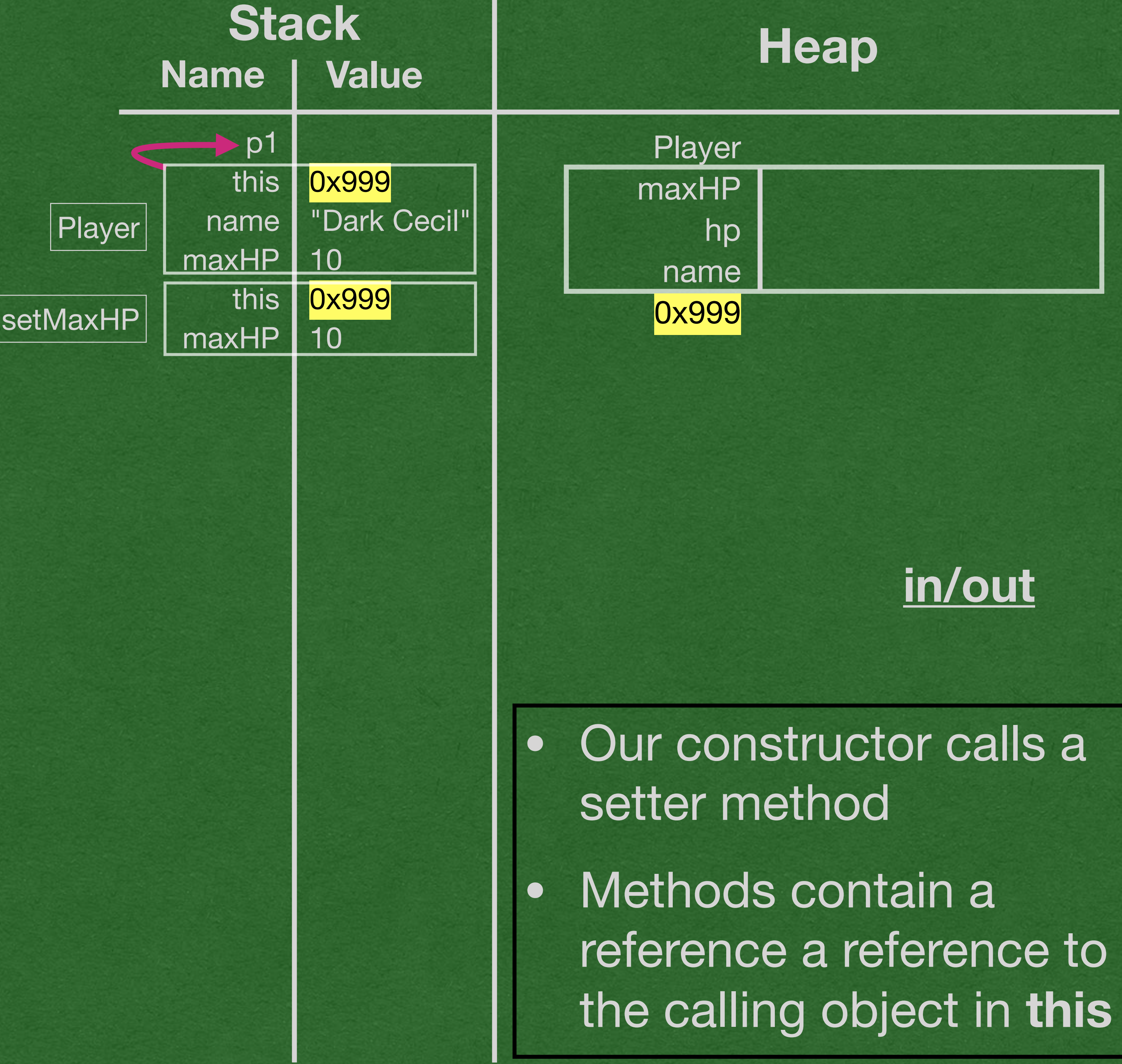
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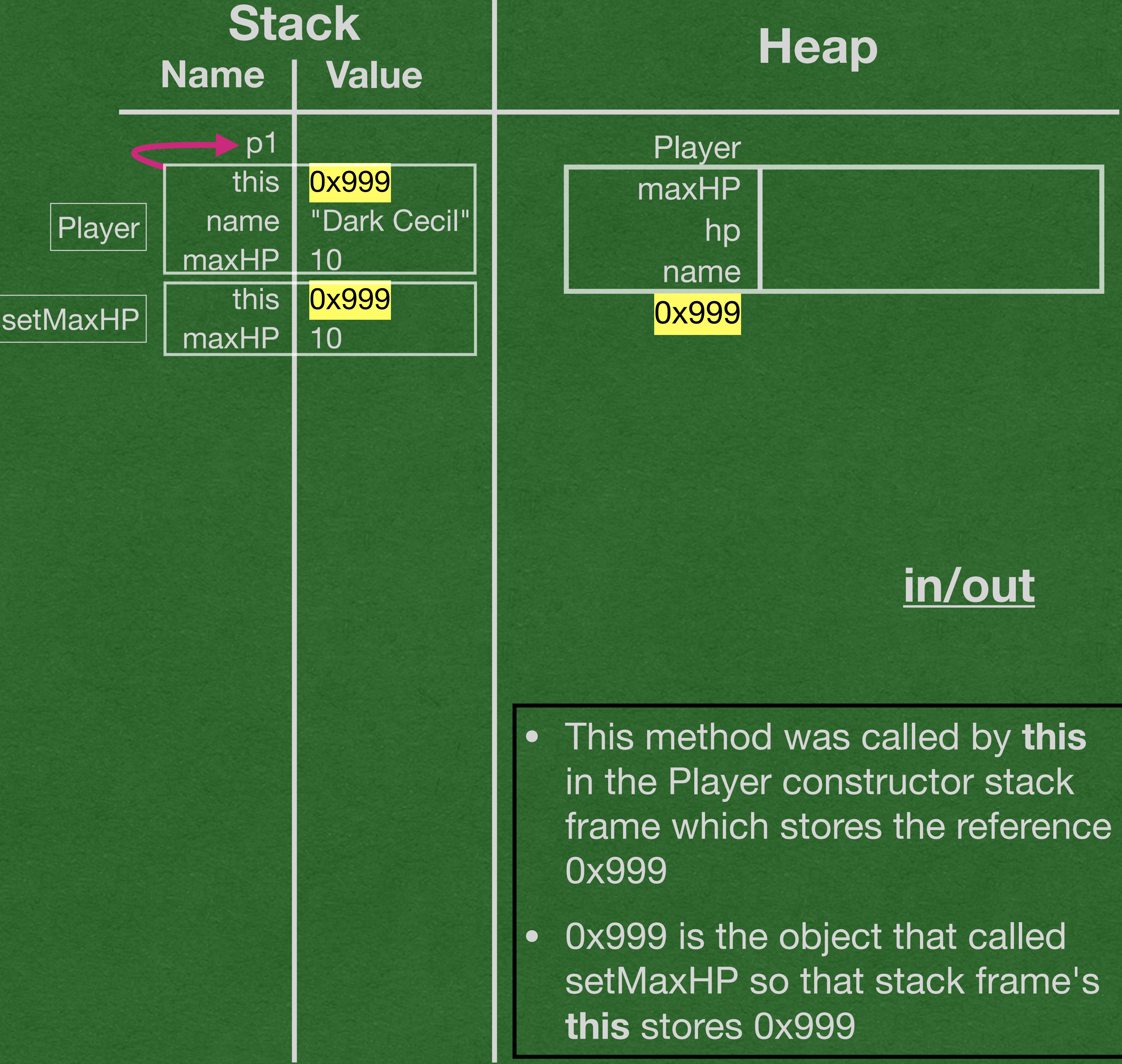
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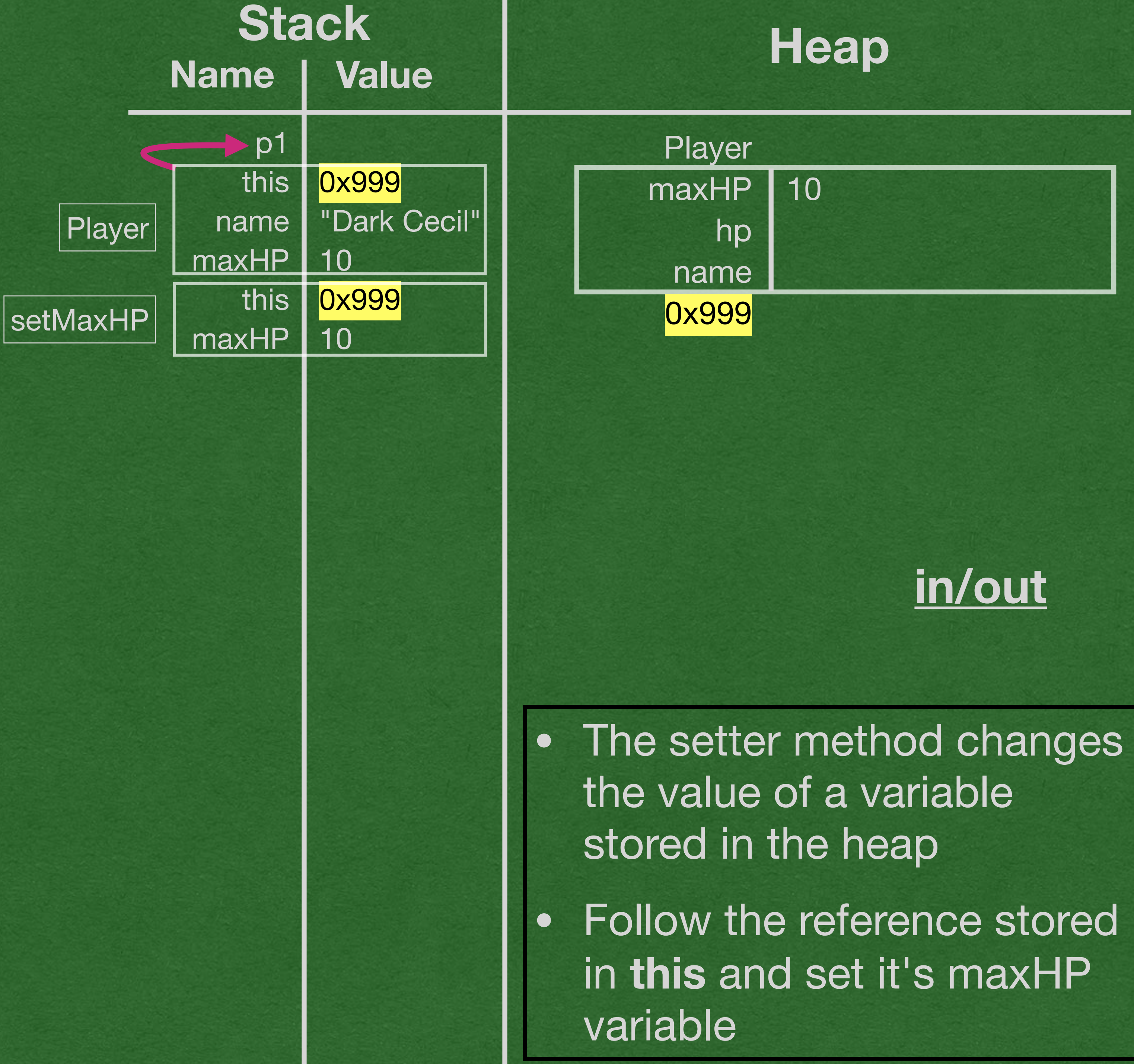
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|----------|-------------------|
| Name     | Value             |
| Player   | p1                |
|          | this 0x999        |
|          | name "Dark Cecil" |
| setMaxHP | maxHP 10          |
|          | this 0x999        |
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Heap

|        |    |
|--------|----|
| Player |    |
| maxHP  | 10 |
| hp     |    |
| name   |    |

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in/out

Notation Note:

- I'll gray out a stack frame that is removed from the stack
- This will have the same meaning as crossing it out
- Makes the variables readable



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- Calling setHP will set the hp variable on the stack for this object



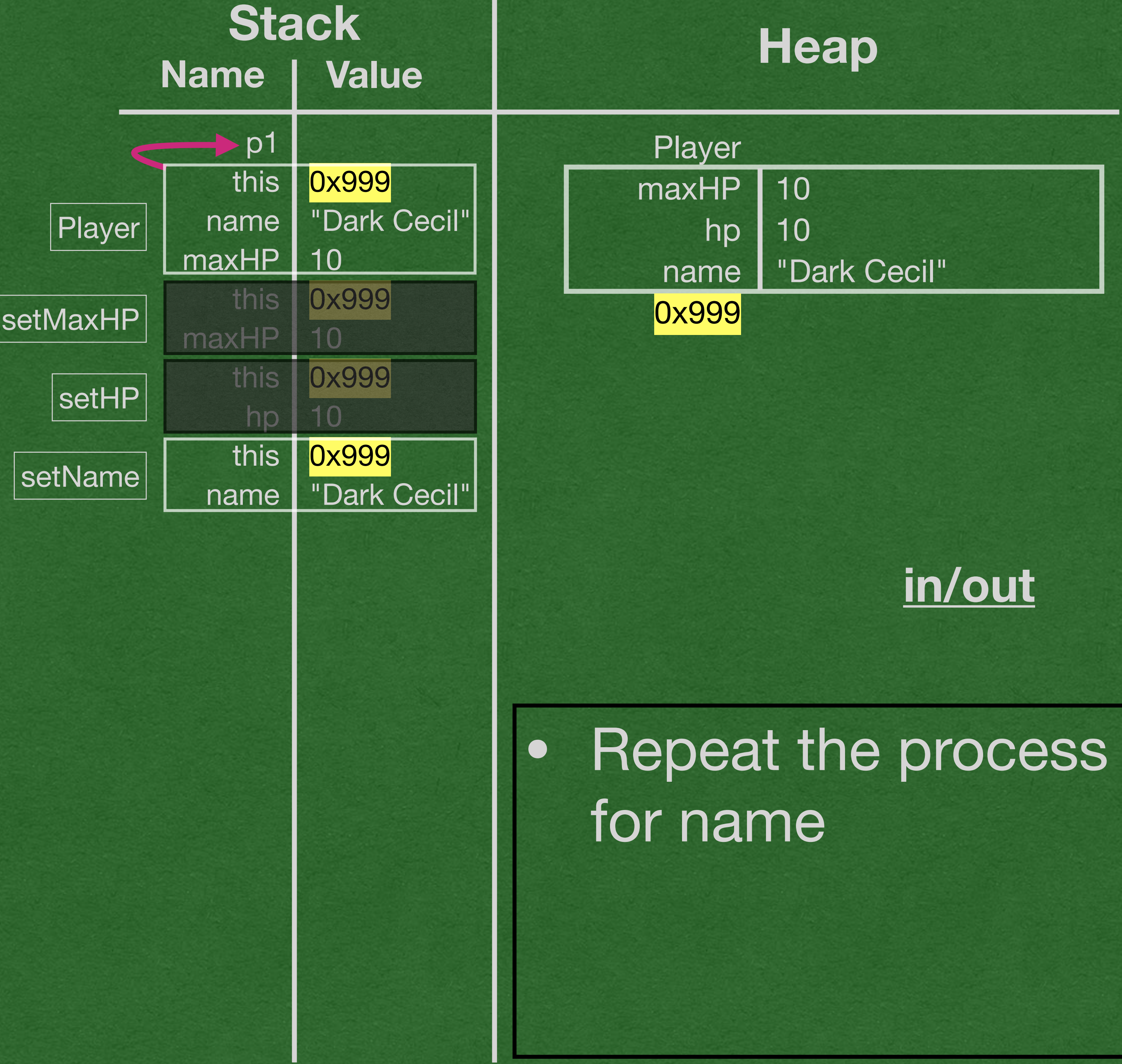
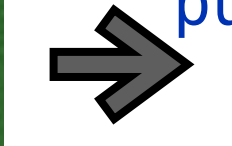
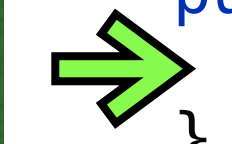
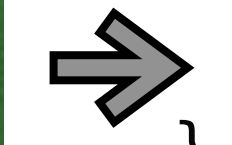
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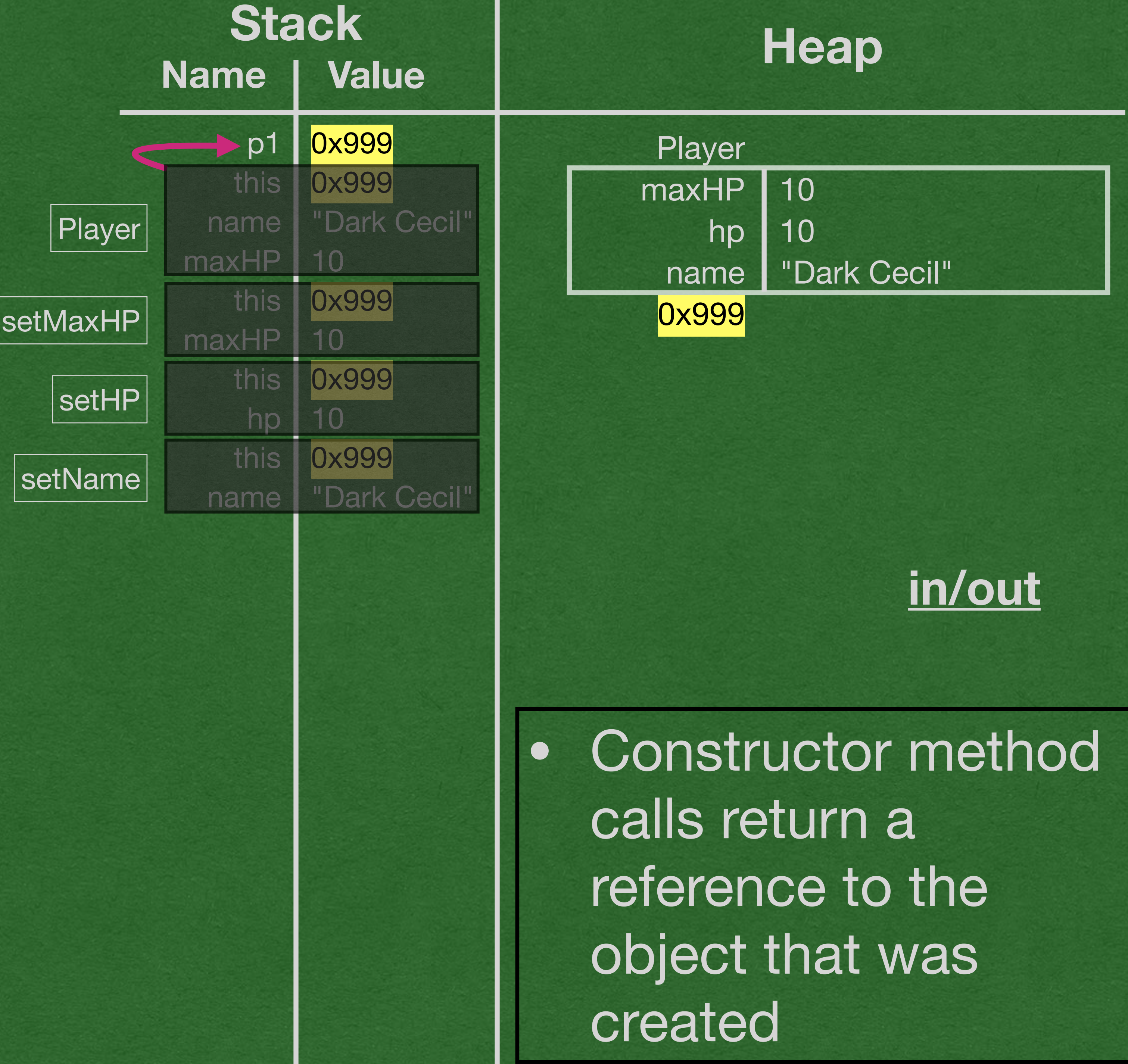
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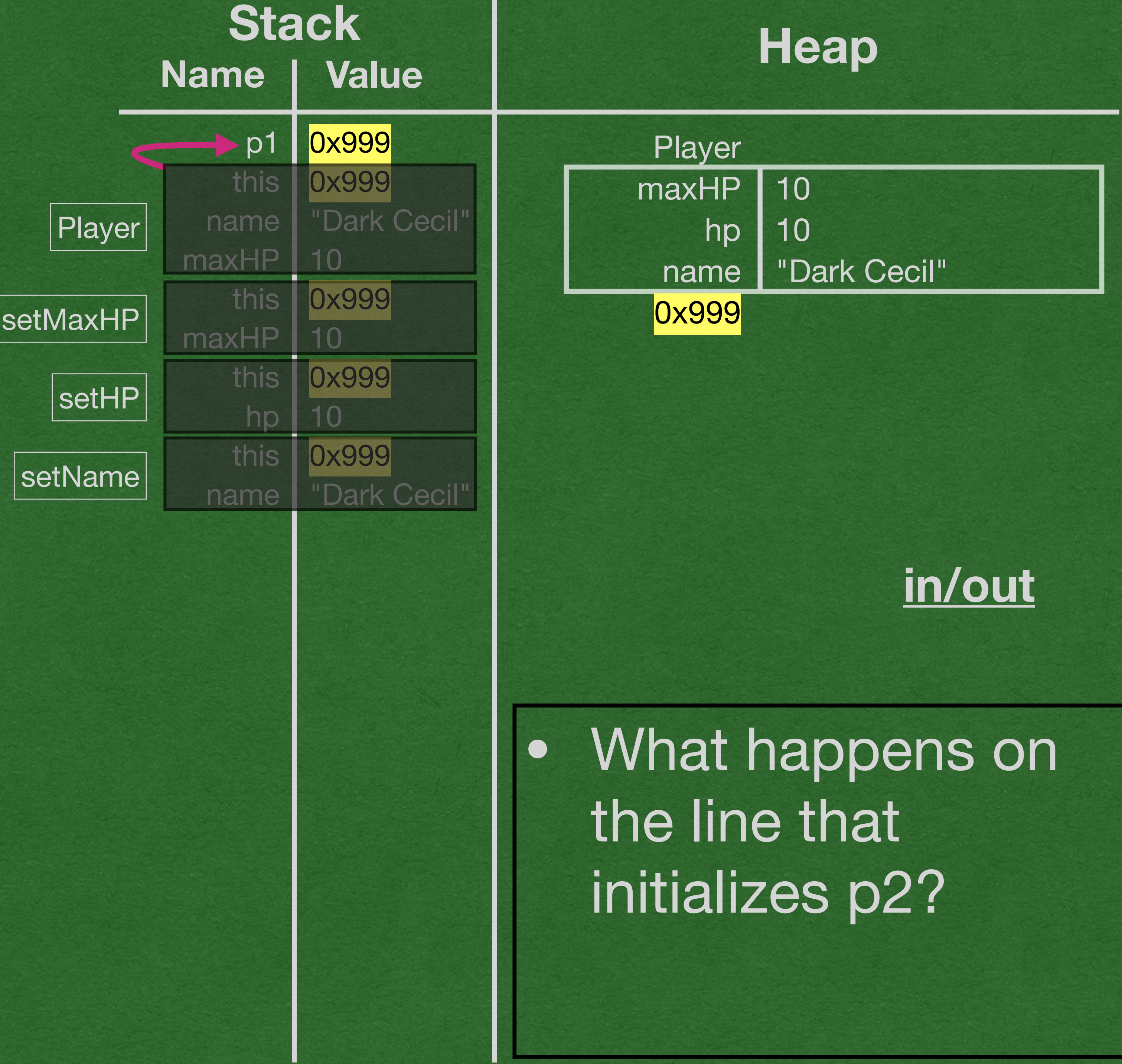
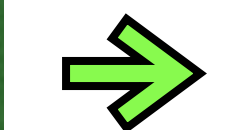
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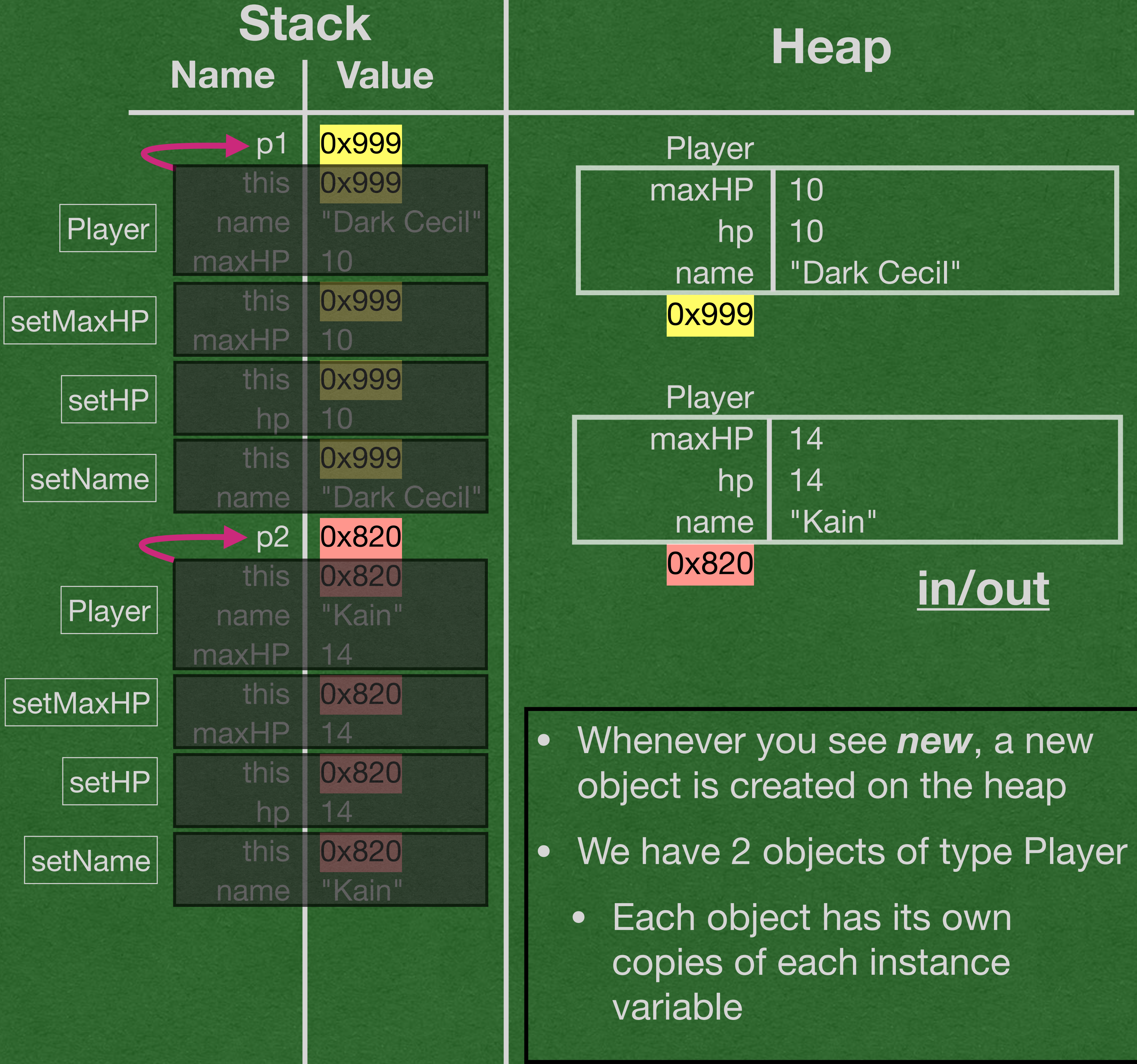
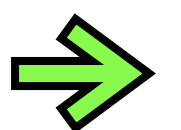
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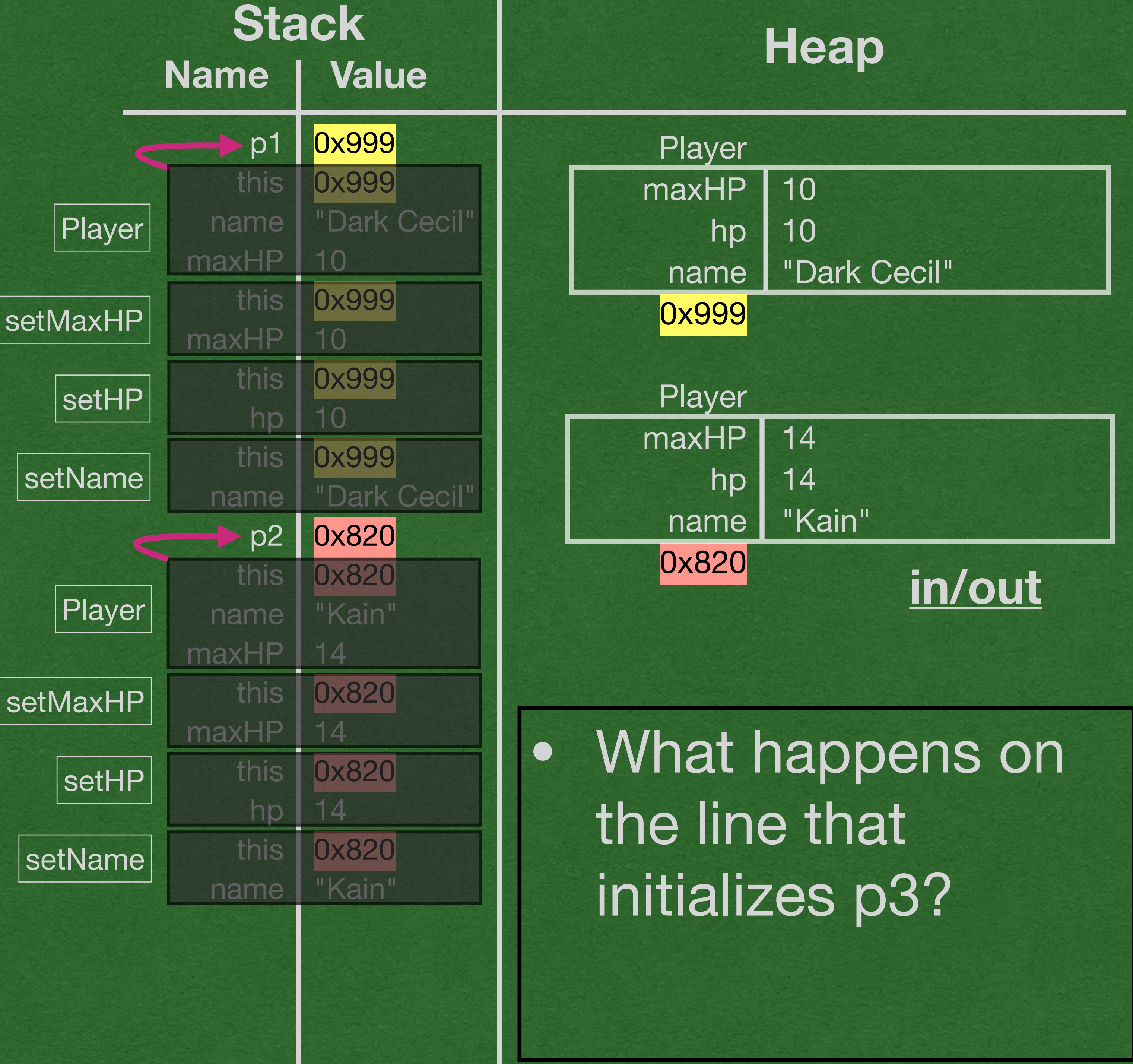
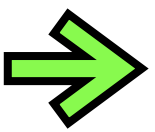
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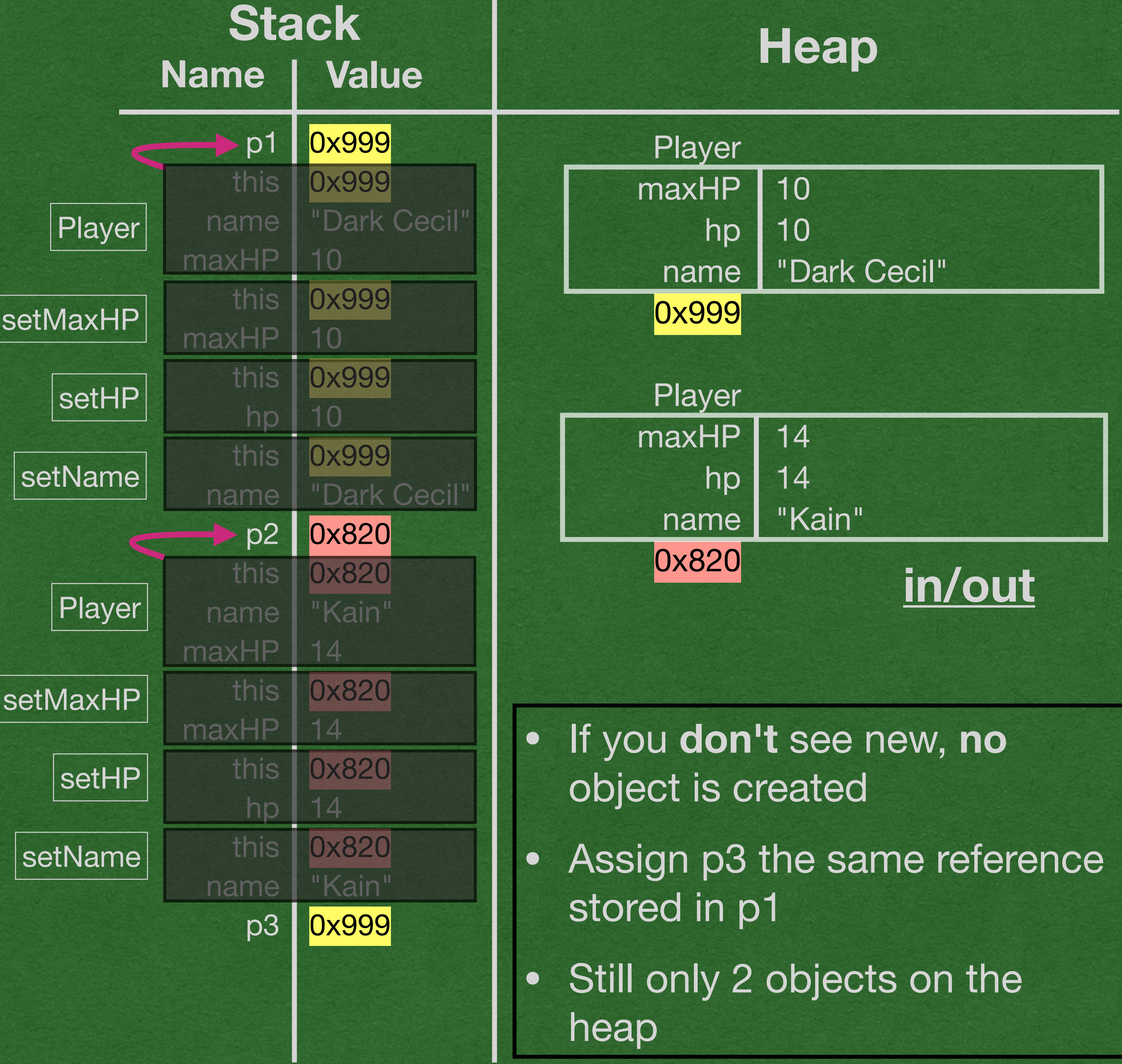
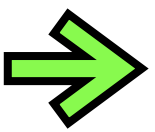
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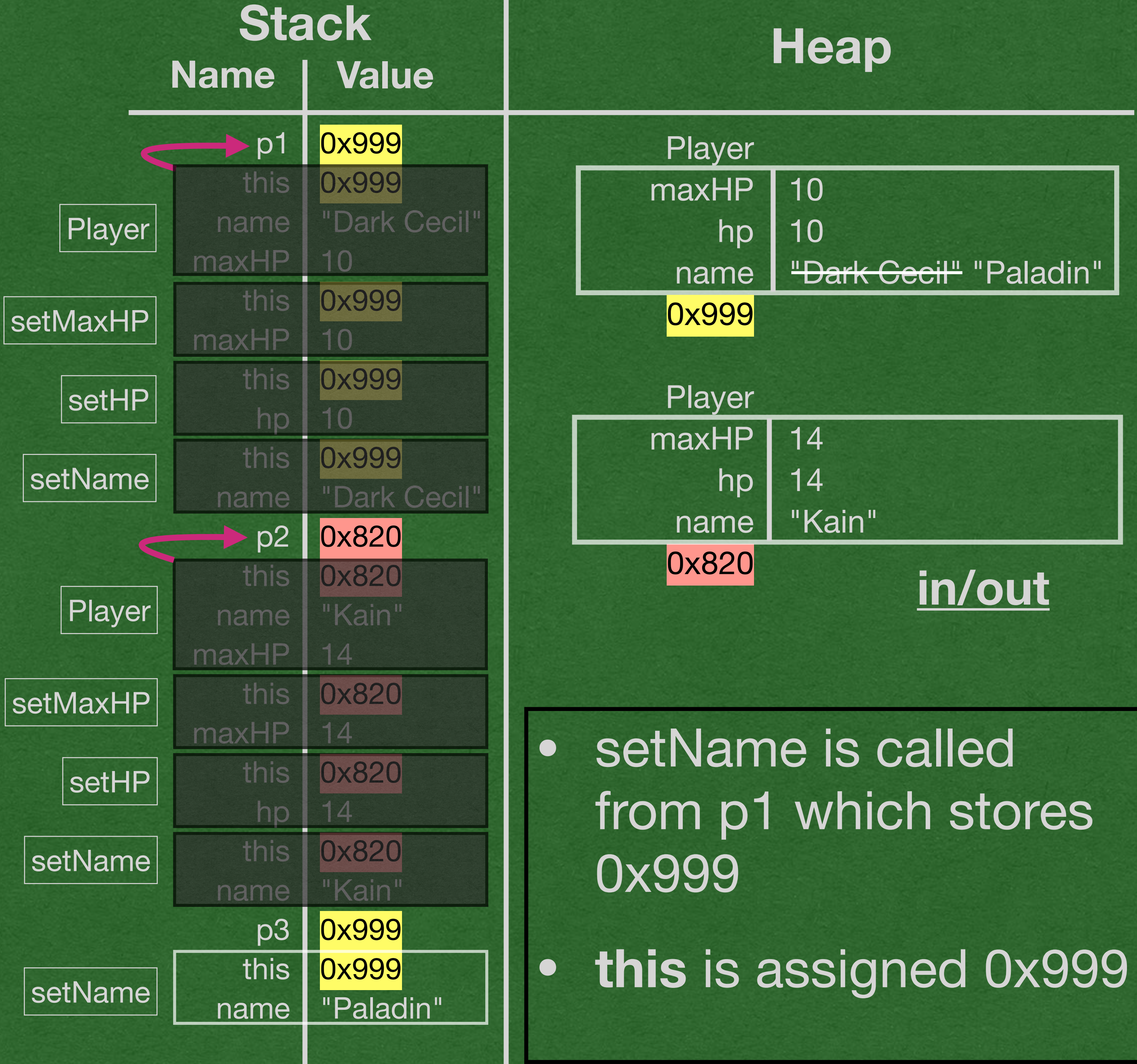
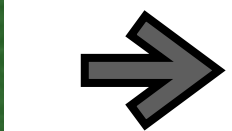
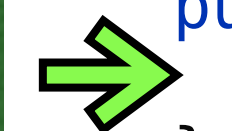
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}
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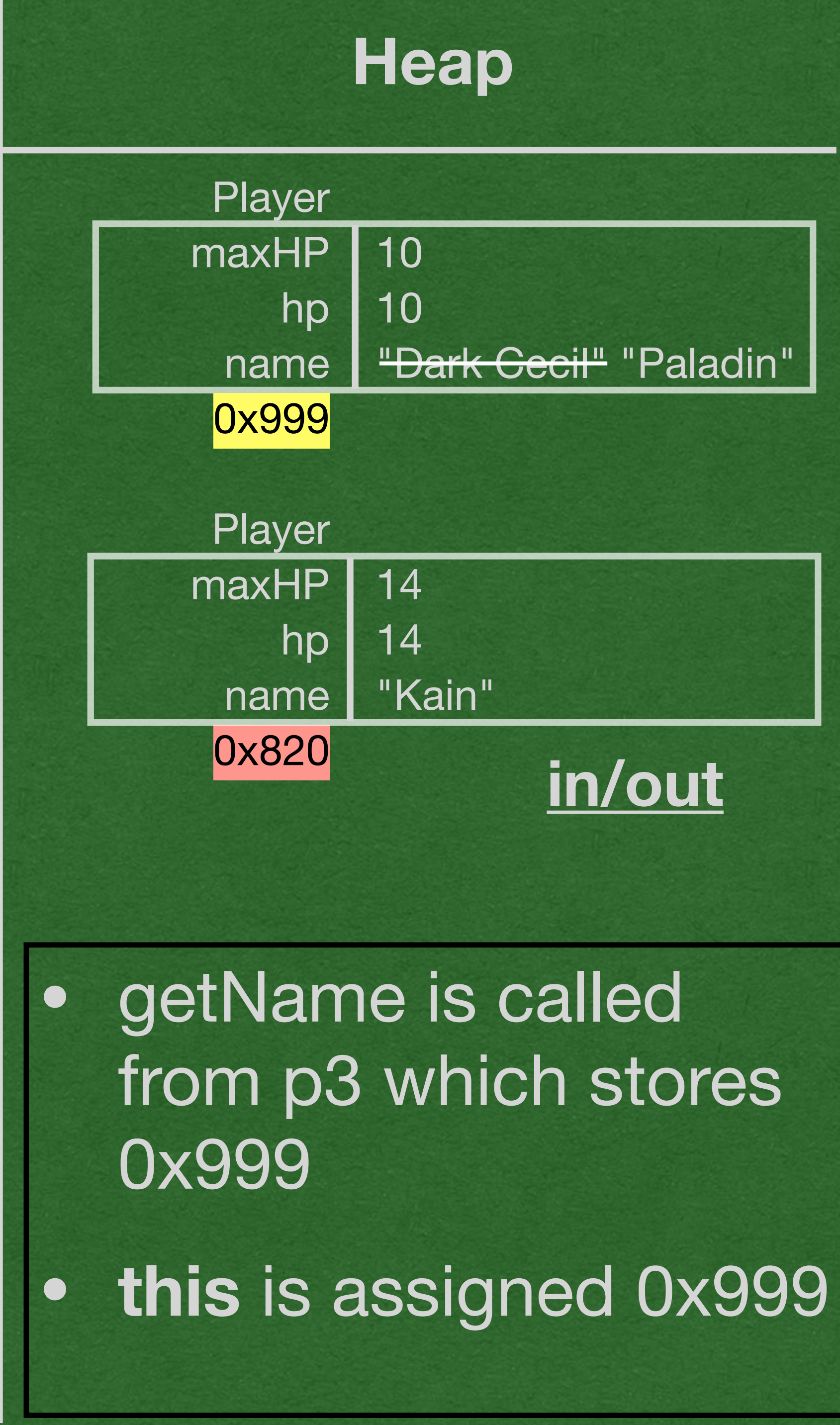
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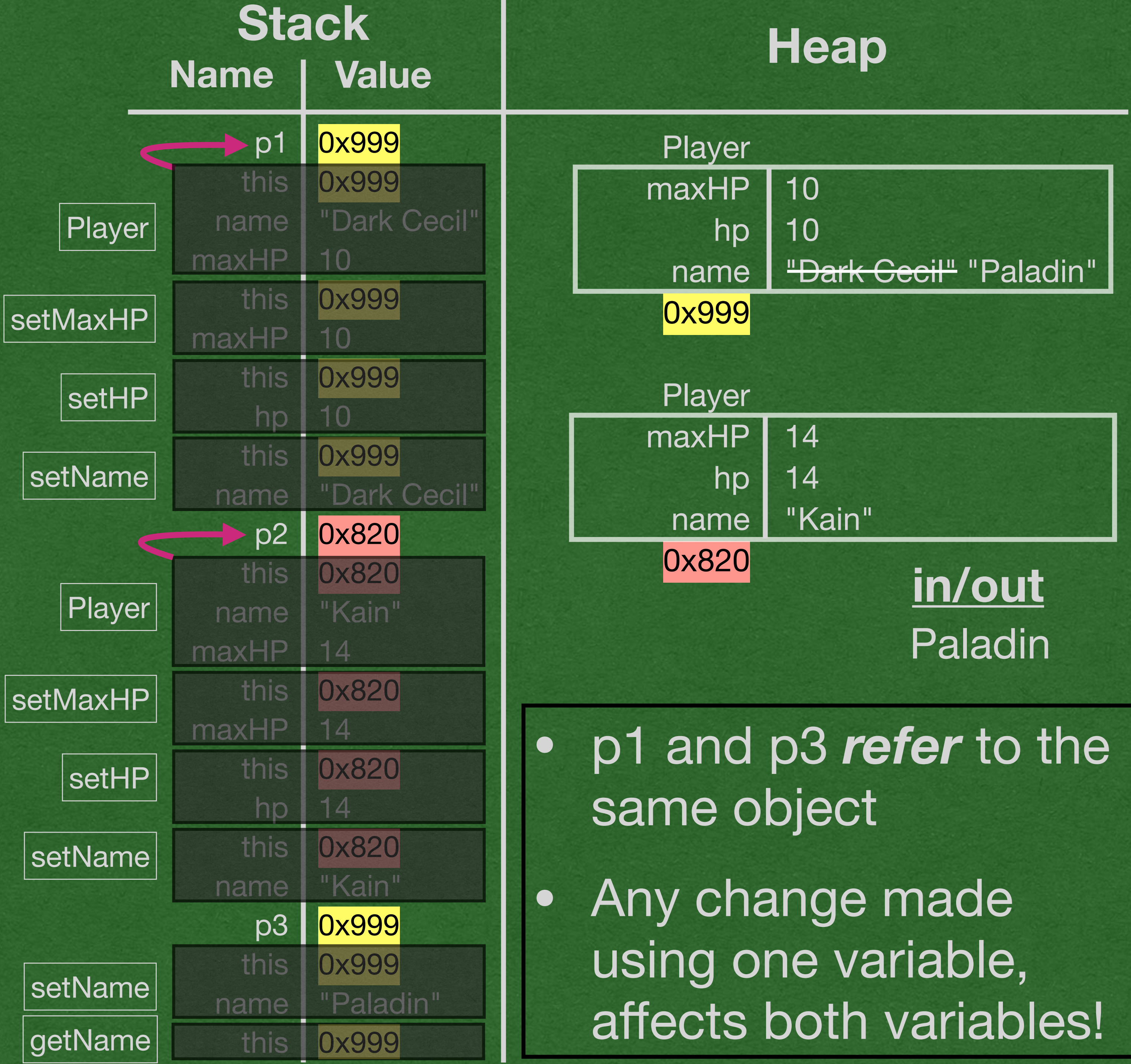
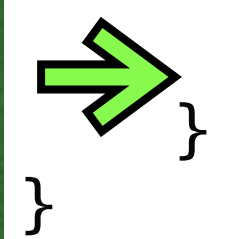
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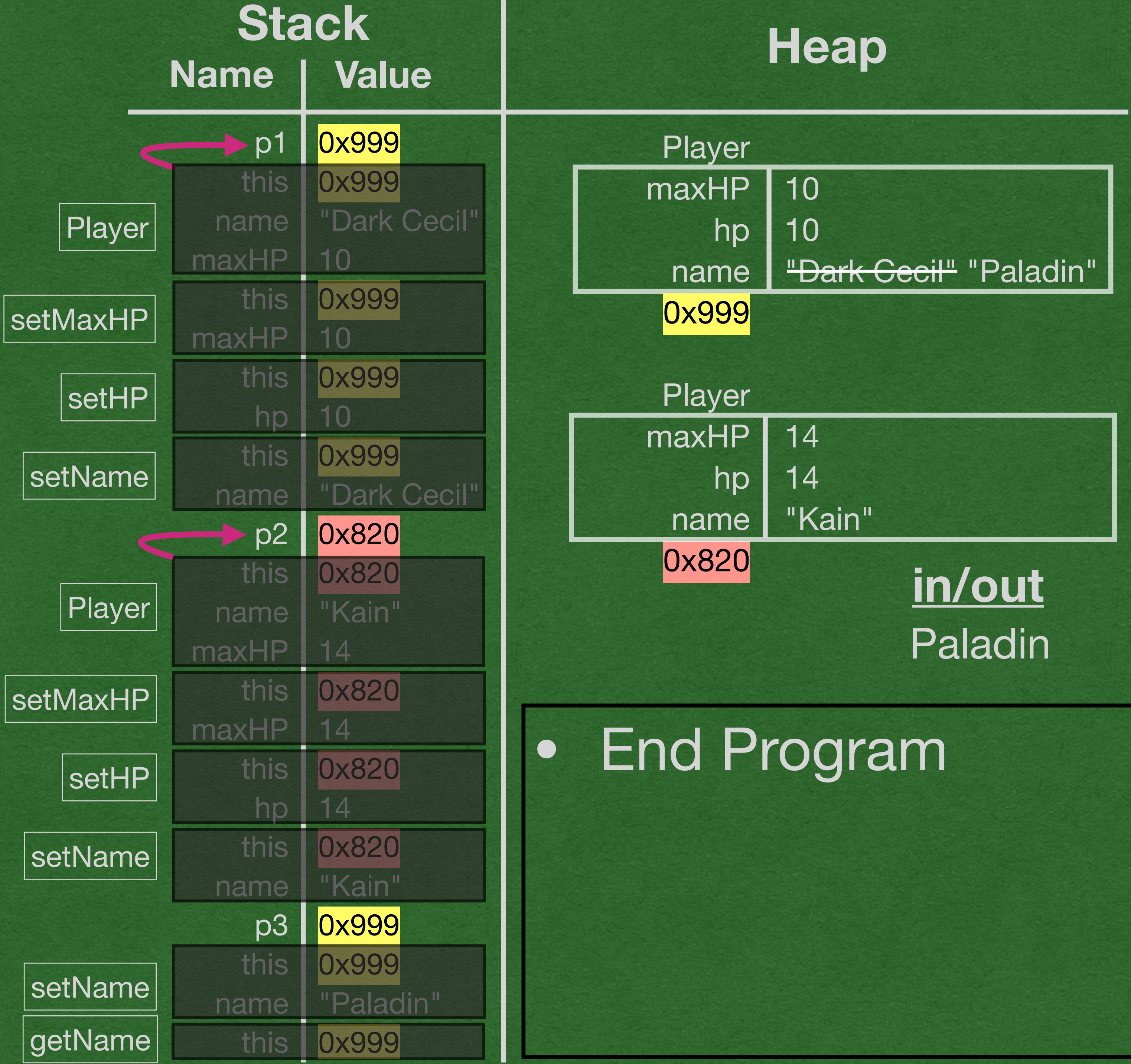
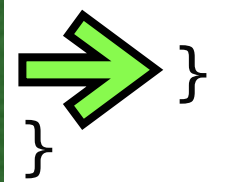
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# Stack Memory

- Only primitive types are stored directly on the stack
  - double
  - int
  - char
  - boolean
  - String\*
  - Double/Integer/Character/Boolean\*
- **Everything else** is stored on the heap with only their references stored on the stack\*\*
  - This includes **every** object created from a class that **you wrote**

\*Strings and boxed types are actually more complex, but we will treat them as though they are on the stack in this course because they *behave* exactly as a value on the stack

\*\*Stack and heap allocations vary by compiler and JVM implementations. With modern optimizations, we can never be sure where our values will be stored  
We'll use this simplified view so we can move on and learn Computer Science



# toString

```
package week3;

public class Player {

    private int maxHP;
    private int hp;
    private int attackPower = 4;
    private String name;

    public Player(String name, int maxHP) {
        this.setMaxHP(maxHP);
        this.setHP(maxHP);
        this.setName(name);
    }

    /** Getters and Setters removed for slide **/

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Player p1 = new Player("Dark Cecil", 10);
        System.out.println(p1)
    }
}
```

**week3.Player@279f2327**

- When you print one of your objects to the screen
- It prints garbage
- Fully qualified name
- @
- "random" hex value
- Almost always not what you want



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    }

    public String toString() {
        String out = "health: " + this.hp + "/";
        out += this.maxHP;
        return out;
    }

    /** Getters and Setters removed for slide */

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Player p1 = new Player("Dark Cecil", 10);
        System.out.println(p1);
    }
}
```

**health: 10/10**

- If we write a special method named "toString" that returns a String
- This method will be called when we print an object of this type



# Types

- Classes define types
- Now that we have a Player type, we can use it wherever we need a type
- Here, we use Player as the type of a method parameter

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        out += this.maxHP;
        return out;
    }

    public void takeDamage(int damage) {
        this.hp -= damage;
    }

    public void attack(Player otherPlayer) {
        otherPlayer.takeDamage(this.attackPower);
    }

    /** Getters and Setters removed for slide */

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Player p1 = new Player("Dark Cecil", 10);
        Player p2 = new Player("Kain", 14);
        Player p3 = p2;
        p1.attack(p2);
        p1.attack(p2);
    }
}
```