



CS 102

Object Oriented Programming

Inheritance and Polymorphism

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Announcements

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- Assignment 1 grades are available @LMS.
- Check your grade and comment
 - ▣ Any questions and objections, contact to your TA Osman
- Assignment 2 is due tonight!!!
 - ▣ Do not make the same mistakes you did in Assignment 1.
 - ▣ Be careful about submission instructions.
 - ▣ Check them and check them again.

- Let's see more benefits of inheritance

- Assume that we have an animal farm with different types of animals and we don't know inheritance

Cat

```
public class Cat {  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public Cat (String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

Dog

```
public class Dog {  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public Dog (String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Woof";  
    }  
}
```

- Assume that we have an animal farm with different types of animals and we don't know inheritance.
- Can we store all these different animal types in one data structure, like an array?

□ Dog

□ Cat

□ Cow

□ Mouse

Serafettin
Scooby
Sarı Kız
Rin Tin Tin
Tom
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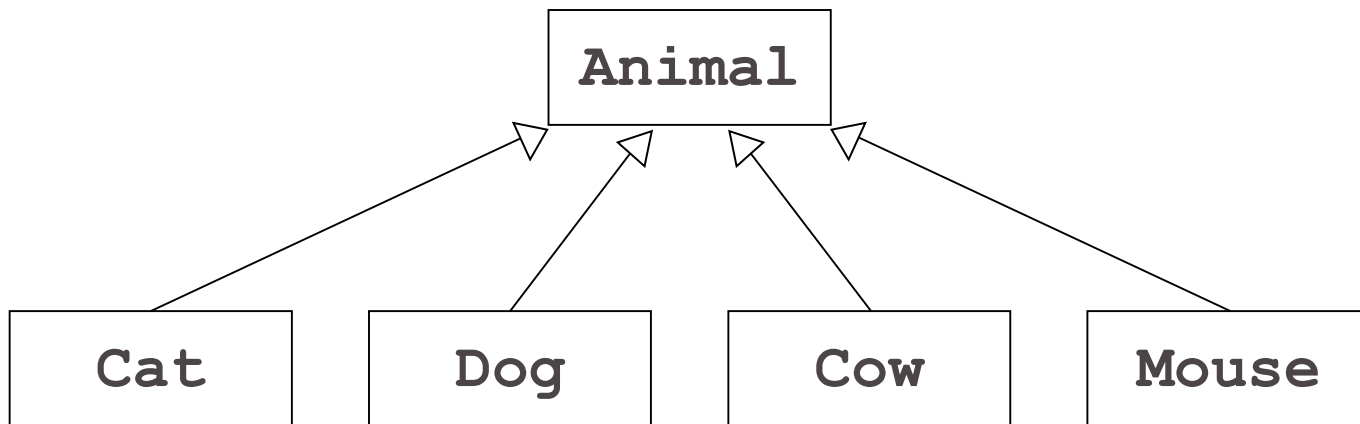
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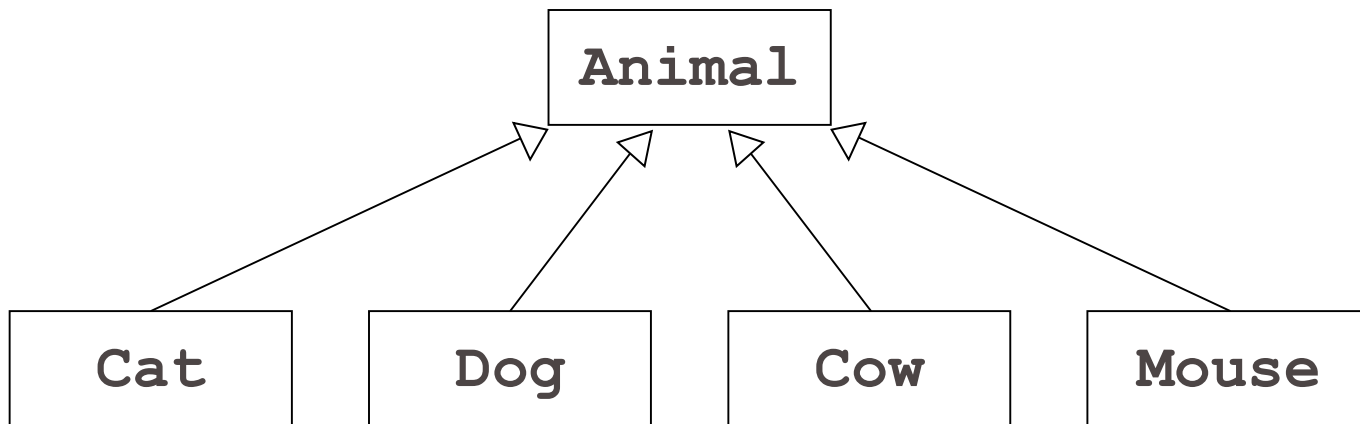
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- A cat/dog/cow/mouse is an Animal

Reference and Object

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```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();
```

Reference and Object

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```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();
```



Reference




Object

Reference and Object

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Reference Object



```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();
```

The diagram illustrates the relationship between the code and the concepts. A blue bracket under 'Reference' points to 'Animal animal1'. An orange bracket under 'Object' points to 'new Animal()'.

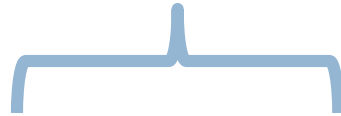
Animal is an animal



Reference and Object

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Reference



Object



```
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");
```

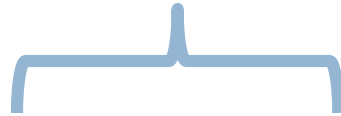
```
Dog dog1 = new Dog("Scooby");
```

Are these statements legal?

Reference and Object

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Reference



Object



```
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");
```

```
Dog dog1 = new Dog("Scooby");
```




Cat is a cat

Dog is a dog

Both of them are legal statements.

Reference and Object

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```
Animal animal2 = new Dog("Rin Tin Tin");  
Animal animal3 = new Cat("Tom");
```

Are these statements legal?

Can an animal reference point to a cat/dog object?


Reference and Object

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Reference Object

Animal animal2 = new Dog("Rin Tin Tin");

Animal animal3 = new Cat("Tom");



Cat is an animal

Dog is an animal

cat/dog has all the capabilities of an animal since it is derived from the animal

Both of them are legal statements.

Inheritance

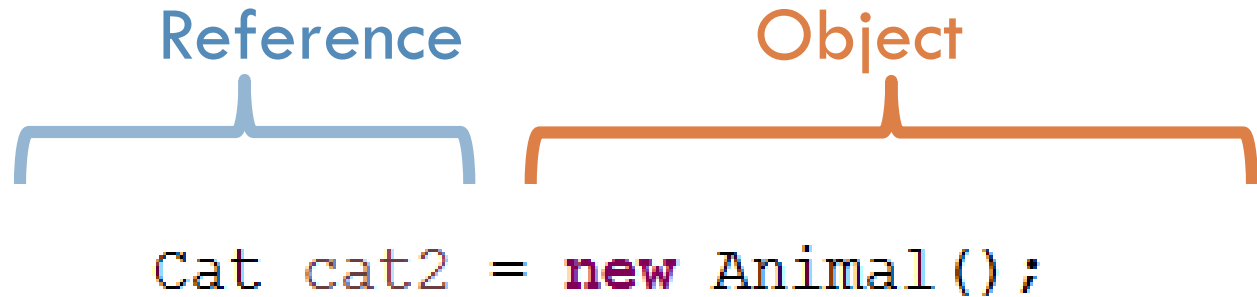
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- Therefore we can keep all animal types in one single data structure.
- An animal array can store an animal object and other animal types (cat, dog etc.).

```
Animal[] animals = new Animal[3];  
animals[0] = new Animal();  
animals[1] = new Cat("Tom");  
animals[2] = new Dog("Rin Tin Tin");
```

Reference and Object

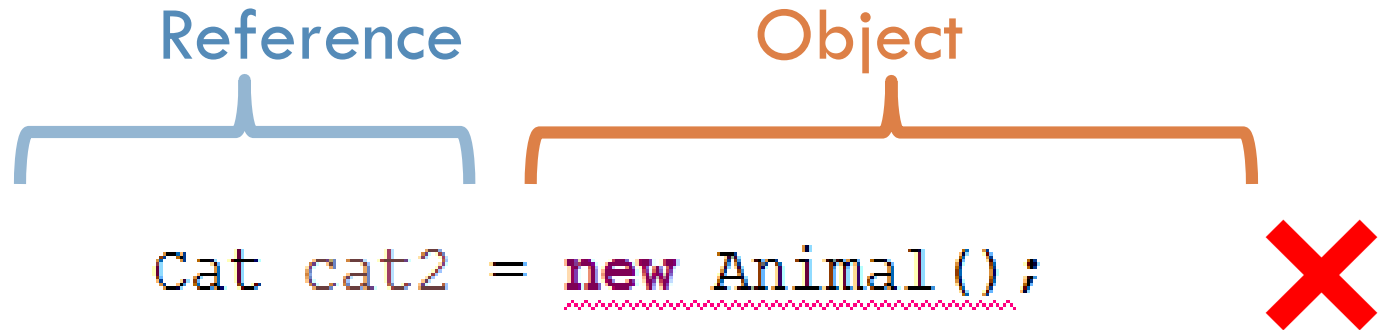
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Is this a legal statement?

Reference and Object

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Not a legal statement

Not all animals is a cat.

An animal may not have all the capabilities of a cat.

Cats can jump but not all animals can.

Reference and Object

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Reference

Object

```
Object object1 = new Cat("Tom");
```

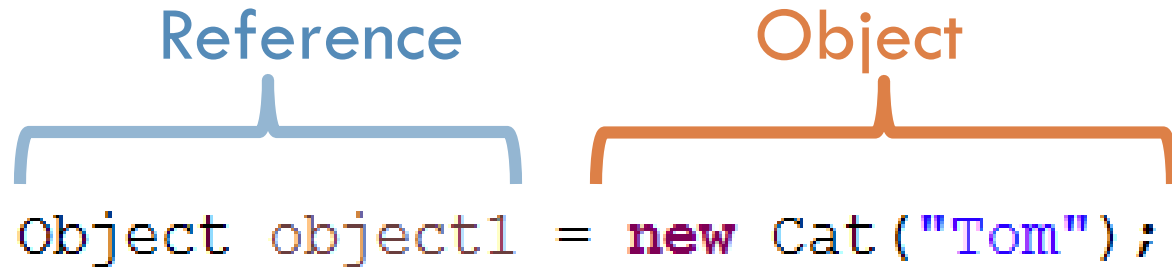
Is this a legal statement?

Reference and Object

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Reference Object

Object object1 = new Cat("Tom");



Cat is an object.

This is a legal statement.

```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {  
    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();  
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");  
  
String color = cat1.getColor();  
animal1 = cat1;
```

□ Are these statements valid?

```

public class Animal {

    private String name;
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    public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }
    public void setColor(String color) {
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        return name;
    }
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        return color;
    }
}

```

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    }
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        return "Miyauv";
    }
}

```

```

Animal animal1 = new Animal();
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");

String color = cat1.getColor();
animal1 = cat1;

```

- An animal reference can refer to a cat object.
- All cats are animal.

```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
}
```

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public class Cat extends Animal {  
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        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();  
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");  
  
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animal1 = cat1;  
animal1.speak();
```



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public class Animal {

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```


- animal1 is an animal reference
- Compiler knows the reference type but not the object type

```



Animal animal1 = new Animal();
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String color = cat1.getColor();
animal1 = cat1;
animal1.speak();

```

 The method speak() is undefined for the type Animal

2 quick fixes available:

-  [Create method 'speak\(\)' in type 'Animal'](#)
-  [Add cast to 'animal1'](#)

Press 'F2' for focus

```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Animal";  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {  
    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Cat";  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Dog extends Animal {  
    public Dog(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("black");  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Dog";  
    }  
}
```

□ What is the output?

```
Animal[] animals = new Animal[3];  
animals[0] = new Animal();  
animals[1] = new Cat("Tom");  
animals[2] = new Dog("Rin Tin Tin");  
  
for (int i = 0; i < animals.length; i++) {  
    System.out.println(animals[i]);  
}
```

```

public class Animal {

    private String name;
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    public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }
    public void setColor(String color) {
        this.color = color;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Animal";
    }
}

```

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```

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Animal
Cat
Dog

```

Polymorphism

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- Polymorphism gives us the capability to call the right method.

Compile Time vs. Runtime

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- What does compiler do?
 - ▣ Compiler interprets our code
- Then what happens in runtime?
 - ▣ At runtime, the environment executes the interpreted code

Compile Time vs. Runtime

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- What does compiler do?
 - ▣ Compiler interprets our code
- Then what happens in runtime?
 - ▣ At runtime, the environment executes the interpreted code
- There are two steps of our programs:
 - ▣ Compiler time
 - ▣ Runtime

Compile Time vs. Runtime

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- Compile time decisions are based on reference type
- Run time decisions are based on object type

Compiler

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- Only knows about the reference type.
- When a method is called, it looks for that method inside that particular reference type class.
- Example in the next slide...


```

public class Animal {

    private String name;
    private String color;

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    }
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Runtime

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- At runtime, the exact runtime object is used to find where a method belongs to.
- The method used needs to match with the signature of the actual method.
- Example in the next slide...

```
public class Animal {

    private String name;
    private String color;

    public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }
    public void setColor(String color) {
        this.color = color;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Animal";
    }
}
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {
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        setName(name);
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    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Cat";
    }
}
```

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    }
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        return "Dog";
    }
}
```

- toString() method
- The method signatures match

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}
```

```
Animal
Cat
Dog
```

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    }
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    }
}

```


- Is there a way to fix this?
- Lets assume that animal1 will always refer to a cat object?

```



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animal1 = cat1;
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    }
}

```

```

public class Cat extends Animal {
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    }
}

```


- It is possible with explicit casting

```



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Casting

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□ Widening

▣ Automatic type promotion (from int to double)

```
int a = 5;  
double b = a;  
System.out.println(b);
```

Casting

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□ Widening

- Automatic type promotion (from int to double)

```
int a = 5;  
double b = a;  
System.out.println(b);
```

- Superclass reference = subclass object;

```
Animal animal2 = new Cat("Tom");
```

Casting

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□ Narrowing

▣ Explicit casting (from double to int)

```
double c = 9.99;  
int d = ((int) c);  
System.out.println(d);
```


Casting

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□ Narrowing

▣ Explicit casting (from double to int)

```
double c = 9.99;  
int d = ((int) c);  
System.out.println(d);
```

▣ Subclass reference = (subclass) superclass reference;

```
((Cat) animal1).speak();
```

▣ Be careful, compiler trusts you at this point

```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {  
    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

- Compiler will search for speak method inside the cat class.

```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();  
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");  
  
animal1 = cat1;  
//animal1.speak(); // does not work  
((Cat) animal1).speak();
```

```

public class Animal {

    private String name;
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    public void setName(String name) {
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    }
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    }
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    }
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    }
}

```

```

public class Cat extends Animal {
    public Cat(String name) {
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        setColor("gray");
    }
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        return "Miyauv";
    }
}

```

- What do you think will happen at this point?

```

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//animal1 = cat1;
//animal1.speak(); // does not work
((Cat) animal1).speak();

```

Casting

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- We won't get a compiler error, relax

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```

Casting

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```
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Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");  
  
//animal1 = cat1;  
//animal1.speak(); // does not work  
((Cat) animal1).speak();
```

- It will be worse, we will get a runtime error

```
Exception in thread "main" java.lang.ClassCastException: AnimalFarmV05.Animal cannot be cast to AnimalFarmV05.Cat  
at AnimalFarmV05.AnimalFarm.main(AnimalFarm.java:51)
```

Casting

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- We need to make sure that we don't cast wrong.
- How?

Casting

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- We need to make sure that we don't cast wrong.
- How?
 - ▣ By doing runtime type check
 - ▣ instanceof operator
 - Checks whether there is an is a relationship

```
Animal animal1 = new Animal();  
Cat cat1 = new Cat("Serafettin");  
  
//animal1 = cat1;  
//animal1.speak(); // does not work  
if (animal1 instanceof Cat) {  
    ((Cat) animal1).speak();  
}
```

Final method

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- A method in the superclass that cannot be overridden in a subclass.
- Any idea which methods can be final?

Final method

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- A method in the superclass that cannot be overridden in a subclass.
- Methods that are declared private are implicitly final, because it's not possible to override them in a subclass.
- Methods that are declared static are implicitly final.

Static vs. Dynamic Binding

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- A final method's declaration can never change, so all subclasses use the same method implementation, and calls to final methods are resolved at compile time—this is known as **static (early) binding**.
- **Dynamic (late) binding:** methods to be executed are determined in runtime, depending on the object type.

What is the output?

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```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
    public void setColor(String color) {  
        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Some Noise";  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Animal " + this.getName() +  
            " is in color " + this.getColor() +  
            " and speaks " + this.speak();  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {  
    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
    Animal animal = new Cat("Tom");  
    System.out.println(animal);  
}
```

What is the output?

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```
public class Animal {  
  
    private String name;  
    private String color;  
  
    public void setName(String name) {
```

```
public class Cat extends Animal {  
    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
}
```

Animal Tom is in color gray and speaks Miyauv

```
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Some Noise";  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Animal " + this.getName() +  
            " is in color " + this.getColor() +  
            " and speaks " + this.speak();  
    }  
}
```

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

What is the output?

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```
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    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
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        this.color = color;  
    }  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
    public String getColor() {  
        return color;  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Some Noise";  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Animal " + this.getName() +  
            " is in color " + this.getColor() +  
            " and speaks " + this.speak();  
    }  
}
```

What is the output?

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    public Cat(String name) {  
        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Cat " + this.getName() +  
            " is in color " + this.getColor() +  
            " and speaks " + super.speak();  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
    Animal animal = new vanCat("Tom");  
    System.out.println(animal);  
}
```

```
public class vanCat extends Cat{  
  
    public vanCat(String name) {  
        super(name);  
        setColor("white");  
    }  
}
```

What is the output?

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        setName(name);  
        setColor("gray");  
    }  
    public String speak() {  
        return "Miyauv";  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Cat " + this.getName() +  
            " is in color " + this.getColor() +  
            " and speaks " + super.speak();  
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public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
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    System.out.println(animal);  
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```
Cat Tom is in color white and speaks Some Noise
```

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- Call to the `super.someMethod()` get bound at compile time.
- Call to the `this.someMethod()` get bound at runtime.

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Any Questions ?