

# CS 103 Computer Programming Spring 2018

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### Week 02

Basic Pillars of OOP
Objects & Classes
Abstraction
Encapsulation
Structures vs Classes

# Lecture 04

Objects and Classes

# **Basic Pillars of OOP**

- Abstraction
- Encapsulation
- Inheritance
- Polymorphism



# Object

Everything in thing world is an object.

In general we say:

"Any tangible or intangible thing for which we want to save Information".

# Classify tangible or intangible objects

- Cup
- BankAccount
- Time
- Desk
- Fan
- TeamPlayer
- Date



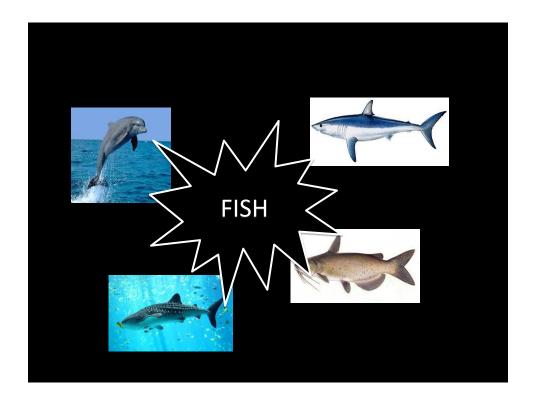
# Defining an Object

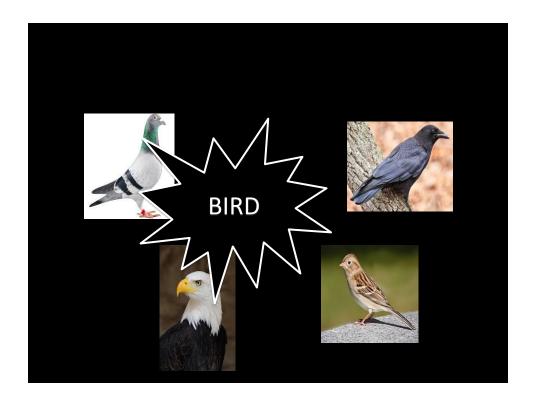
An **object** is a self-contained entity with attributes and behaviors

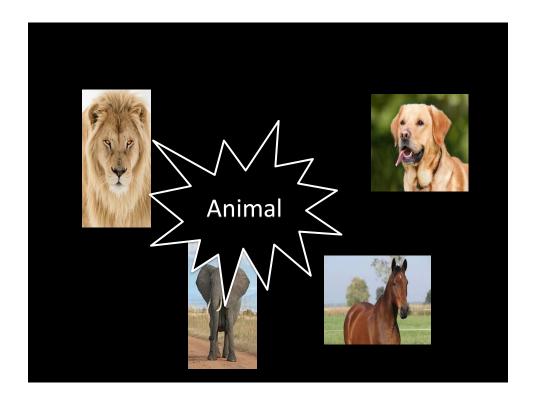
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#### Discussion

- Object belongs to a group.
- Which are similar.
- Have some common attributes.
- Have some common behaviors.
- We can categorized objects on some basic features ....?

# Shoe – An Object

#### **Properties**

- Size (a number)
- Width (C, D, EEEE, etc.)
- Style (Sneaker, High Heel, Golf, etc.)
- Brand (Nike, etc.)
- Color (Black, etc.)
- Owner (Mine, yours, etc.)

#### **Behavior**

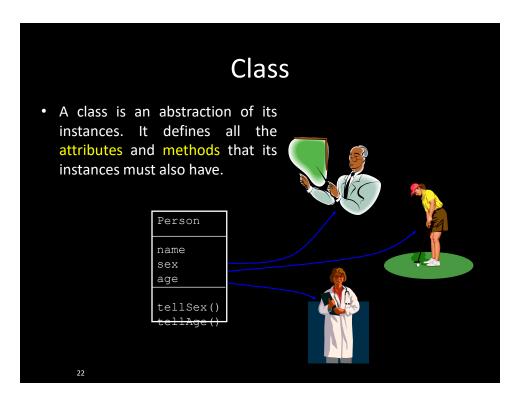
- Put on
- · Take off
- Tie
- Lace
- Polish
- Buy
- Throw
- Put Away

# Your Turn

- Phone
- Humans
- Fish
- Bird
- Animals
- Fan

# Object

- Technical Definition:
  - "An Object is an Instance of a class"
  - "An Object is the implementation of a class"



# Class

- Collection of Similar object.
  - $\boldsymbol{-}$  The objects that share some common features.
  - It is the a design of an object.
  - It is a detail of an object.
  - It tell us what an object contains in it.

#### Class

- Technical Definition:
  - "A class is blueprint of an object"
  - "A class is a template of an object"
  - A *class* is a group of objects with the same properties and the same <u>behavior</u>.

#### Instance and Instantiation

- Each copy of an object from a particular class is called an *instance* of the class.
- The act of creating a new instance of a class is called *instantiation*.



# Class Vs Instance-Example

- A class is like a recipe for red velvet cake.
- The recipe itself is not a cake.
- You can't eat the recipe (or at least wouldn't want to).
- If you correctly do what the recipe tells you to do (instantiate it) then you have an edible cake.
- That edible cake is an instance of the red velvet cake class.

# Class Vs Object

• Class Bicycle:

Bicycle

Speed Gear

ChangeGear()
SpeedUp()
ApplyBrake()

• Object: Ali's Bicycle



# Instances of a Class- Bicycle

Two different instances of the same class will have the same properties, but different values stored in those properties.



#### Summarize

- A class:
  - It's a blue print .
  - It's a design or template.

#### An Object:

- Its an instance of a class.
- Implementation of a class.

NOTE: Classes are invisible, object are visible

#### **Generalized Class**

- The class that only exhibits the common features of its objects.
- Examples:
  - ANIMAL
  - BIRDS
  - HUMAN
  - No object of generalized class is found.

# **Specialized Class**

- The class that exhibits different or unique features (behaviors)
- ANIMAL (Generalized)
  - Specialized:
    - Mammals
    - Cats
    - Dog

