

# Inheritance and Polymorphism 集成和多态

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- **Inheritance** is the mechanism of basing a **sub-class** on **extending** another **super-class**

继承 是将一个 **子类** 建立在 extends 另一个 **超类** 之上的机制

- Inheritance will help us design and implement classes so to avoid redundancy

继承将帮助我们设计和实现类，从而避免冗余

## Declaring a Subclass 声明子类

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- A subclass extends/inherits properties and methods from the superclass.

子类扩展/继承超类的属性和方法。

- 子类还可以

- Add new properties

添加新的属性

- Add new methods

添加新的方法

- Override the methods of the superclass

重写父类的方法

## Are superclass's Constructor Inherited? 父类的构造器会被继承吗

No. They are not inherited 父类的构造器不会被继承

They are invoked explicitly or implicitly

它们被显式或隐式调用

- **Explicitly** using the **super** keyword and the arguments of the superclass constructors

显式: 使用 super 关键字和超类构造函数的参数

- **Implicitly:** if the keyword **super** is not explicitly used, the superclass's **no-arg constructor** is automatically invoked as the first statement in the constructor, unless another constructor is invoked with the keyword **this** (in this case, the last constructor in the chain will invoke the superclass constructor)

隐式: 如果关键字 super 没有显式使用，则超类的**无参构造器**作为构造函数中的第一个语句自动调用，除非使用关键字 this 调用另一个构造函数（在这种情况下，链中的最后一个构造函数将调用超类构造函数）

## Super 关键字

- The keyword **super** refers to the superclass of the class in which **super** appears

关键字 super 是指 super 出现的类的超类 -

- This keyword is used in two ways:

此关键字以两种方式使用：

- To call a superclass constructor (through **constructor chaining**)  
调用超类构造函数 (通过 构造函数链接)
- To call a superclass method (hidden by the overriding method)  
调用超类方法 (由覆盖方法隐藏)

## Constructor Chain 构造器链

**Constructor chaining** : constructing an instance of a class invokes all the superclasses' constructors along the inheritance chain.

**构造函数链接** : 构造类的实例会调用继承链上的所有超类的构造函数。

Step 1:

```
public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}
```

1. Start from the main method

Step 2:

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

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

Step 3:

```

public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() { // super();
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

Step 4:

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public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
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    }
}

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        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

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Step 5:

```

public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
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    }
}

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) { // super();
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

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4. Invoke Employee(String)  
constructor

5. Invoke Person() constructor

Step 6:

```

public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked

6. Execute println

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Step 7:

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    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's over loaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }

    public Employee(String s) {
        System.out.println(s);
    }
}

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

7. Execute println

(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked  
(2) Invoke Employee's over loaded constructor

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Step 8:

```

public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

8. Execute println

```

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

- (1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked
- (2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor
- (3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked

```

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

}

Step 9:

```

public class Faculty extends Employee {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new Faculty();
    }

    public Faculty() {
        System.out.println("(4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

9. Execute println

```

class Employee extends Person {
    public Employee() {
        this("(2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor");
        System.out.println("(3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

- (1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked
- (2) Invoke Employee's overloaded constructor
- (3) Employee's no-arg constructor is invoked
- (4) Faculty's no-arg constructor is invoked"

```

class Person {
    public Person() {
        System.out.println("(1) Person's no-arg constructor is invoked");
    }
}

```

}

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End

## Calling Superclass Methods with super

```

public abstract class GeometricObject {
    ...

    public String toString() {
        return "color: " + color + ", filled: " + filled
            + ", date created: " + getDateCreated();
    }
}

class Circle extends GeometricObject {
}

```

```

...
public String toString() {
    return "Circle with radius " + radius
    + ", " + super.toString();
}
}

```

## Overriding is different than Overloading

### Overriding Methods in the Superclass 重写超类的方法

**Method overriding:** modify in the subclass the implementation of a method defined in the superclass:

**方法重写:** 在子类中修改超类中定义的方法的实现:

```

public abstract class GeometricObject {
    ...
    public String toString() {
        return "color: " + color + ", filled: " + filled
        + ", date created: " + getDateCreated();
    }
}
class Circle extends GeometricObject {
    ...
    public String toString() {
        return "Circle with radius " + radius
        + ", " + super.toString();
    }
}

```

**Method overloading** (discussed in Methods) is the ability to create multiple methods of the same name, but with different signatures and implementations:

**方法重载** (在 方法中讨论) 是创建多个同名方法但具有不同签名和实现的能力:

- Method overriding requires that the subclass has the same method signature as in the superclass.

方法重写要求子类具有与超类相同的方法签名。

## Method Matching vs. Binding 方法匹配与绑定

- For overloaded methods, the compiler finds a **matching** method according to parameter type, number of parameters, and order of the parameters at compilation time.  
对于重载方法, 编译器在编译时根据参数类型、参数数量和参数顺序查找 **匹配** 方法。
- For overridden methods, the Java Virtual Machine **dynamically binds** the implementation of the most specific **overridden** method implementation at runtime.  
对于被覆盖的方法, Java 虚拟机在运行时 动态绑定 最具体的 被覆盖 方法实现的实现。

## Polymorphism, Dynamic Binding and Generic Programming

```
public class PolymorphismDemo {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        m(new GraduateStudent());  
        m(new Student());  
        m(new Person());  
        m(new Object());  
    }  
    public static void m(Object x){  
        System.out.println(x.toString());  
    }  
}  
class GraduateStudent  
    extends Student {  
}  
class Student extends Person {  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Student";  
    }  
}  
class Person /*extends Object*/ {  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Person";  
    }  
}
```

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**Polymorphism:** an object of a subtype can be used wherever its supertype value is required:

The method **m** takes a parameter of the **Object** type, so can be invoked with any object.

**Dynamic binding:** the Java Virtual Machine determines dynamically at runtime which implementation is used by the method:

When the method **m (Object x)** is executed, the argument **x**'s most specific **toString ()** method is invoked.

**Output:**

Student  
Student  
Person  
java.lang.Object@12345678

## Object class

- Every class in Java is descended from the **java.lang.Object** class

Java 中的每个类都是从 **java.lang.Object** 类派生而来的

- If no inheritance is specified when a class is defined, the superclass of the class is **java.lang.Object**

如果在定义类时未指定继承，则该类的超类为 **java.lang.Object**

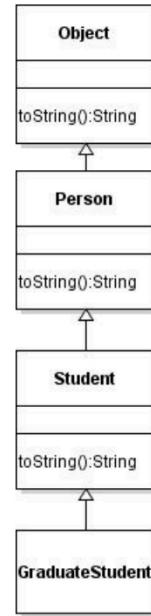
## Dynamic Binding 动态绑定

假设对象 **o** 是类 **C1** (**o=new C1 ()**) 的实例，其中 **C1** 是 **C2** 的子类，**C2** 是 **C3** 的子类，...，**Cn-1** 是 **Cn** 的子类。**Cn** 是最通用的类（即 **Object**），**C1** 是最具体的类（即 **o** 的具体类型）。使用动态绑定：如果 **o** 调用了一个方法 **m**，JVM 会在 **C1**、**C2**、...、**Cn-1** 和 **Cn** 中搜索方法 **m** 的实现，按照这个顺序，直到找到为止，搜索停止，调用第一个找到的实现

# Dynamic Binding

```
public class PolymorphismDemo {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        m(new GraduateStudent());  
        m(new Student());  
        m(new Person());  
        m(new Object());  
    }  
    public static void m(Object x) {  
        System.out.println(x.toString());  
    }  
}  
class GraduateStudent extends Student {}  
class Student extends Person {  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Student";  
    }  
}  
class Person extends Object {  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Person";  
    }  
}
```

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## Output:

```
Student  
Student  
Person  
java.lang.Object@12345678
```

## The `toString()` method in `Object`

- The `toString()` method returns a string representation of the object  
`toString()` 方法返回对象的字符串表示形式
- The default `Object` implementation returns a string consisting of a class name of which the object is an instance, the @ ("at") sign, and a number representing this object

默认的 `Object` 实现返回一个字符串，该字符串由一个类名（该对象是该类的实例） 、 @ （“at”） 符号和一个表示该对象的数字组成

```
Loan loan = new Loan();  
System.out.println(loan.toString());
```

- The code displays something like `Loan@12345e6`

代码显示类似于 `Loan@12345e6` 的内容

- you should override the `toString()` method so that it returns an informative string representation of the object

您应该重写 `toString()` 方法，以便它返回对象的信息性字符串表示形式

## Explicit Casting Is Necessary 显式强制转换是必需的

有时我们需要进行向下的类型转换，这样我们就可以使用子类

```
Student b = o; // Syntax Error
```

A compilation error would occur because an `Object o` is not necessarily an instance of `Student`. We must use **explicit casting** to tell the compiler that `o` is a `Student` object

之所以会出现编译错误，是因为 **Object o** 不一定是 **Student** 的实例。我们必须使用 **显式转换** 来告诉编译器 **o** 是一个 **Student** 对象

```
Student b = (Student)o;
```

显式强制转换语法类似于用于在原始数据类型之间进行强制转换的语法

显式强制转换可能并不总是成功（即，如果对象不是子类的实例），此时我们需要使用 **instanceof** 方法来进行验证。

```
public class CastingDemo{  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        Object object1 = new Circle(1);  
        Object object2 = new Rectangle(1, 1);  
        displayObject(object1);  
        displayObject(object2);  
    }  
    public static void displayObject(Object object) {  
        if (object instanceof Circle) {  
            System.out.println("The circle radius is " +  
                ((Circle)object).getRadius());  
            System.out.println("The circle diameter is " +  
                ((Circle)object).getDiameter());  
        }else if (object instanceof Rectangle) {  
            System.out.println("The rectangle width is " +  
                ((Rectangle)object).getWidth());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

## equals method

The **equals()** method compares the **contents** of two objects - the default implementation of the **equals** method in the **Object** class is as follows:

**equals ()** 方法比较两个对象的 contents: **Object** 类中 **equals** 方法的默认实现如下:

```
public boolean equals(Object o) {  
    if (o instanceof Circle)  
        return radius == ((Circle)o).radius; // && super.equals(o);  
    else return false;  
}
```

## Generic Programming 泛型编程

polymorphism allows methods to be used generically for a wide range of object arguments:

多态性允许方法通用于各种对象参数:

- if a method's parameter type is a superclass (e.g., **Object**), you may pass an object to this method of any of the parameter's subclasses (e.g., **Student** or **String**) and the particular implementation of the method of the object that is invoked is determined dynamically  
如果方法的参数类型是超类（例如， **Object**），则可以将对象传递给参数的任何子类（例如， **Student** 或 **String**）的此方法，并且所调用的对象的方法的特定实现是动态确定的

- very useful for data-structures 对数据结构非常有用

## ArrayList Class

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You can create arrays to store objects - But the array's size is fixed once the array is created.

您可以创建数组来存储对象但是，一旦创建数组，数组的大小是固定的。

Java provides the **java.util.ArrayList** class that can be used to store an unlimited finite number of objects:

Java 提供了 `java.util.ArrayList` 类，可用于存储无限数量的对象：

### Methods

- `ArrayList()`
  - Creates an empty list.  
创建一个空列表。
- `add(o: Object) : void`
  - Appends a new element o at the end of this list.  
在此列表的末尾附加一个新元素 o。
- `add(index: int, o: Object) : void`
  - Adds a new element o at the specified index in this list.  
在此列表中的指定索引处添加新元素 o。
- `clear(): void`
  - Removes all the elements from this list.  
从此列表中删除所有元素。
- `contains(o: Object): boolean`
  - Returns true if this list contains the element o.  
如果此列表包含元素 o，则返回 true。
- `get(index: int) : Object`
  - Returns the element from this list at the specified index.  
返回此列表中指定索引处的元素。
- `indexOf(o: Object) : int`
  - Returns the index of the first matching element in this list  
返回此列表中第一个匹配元素的索引
- `isEmpty(): boolean`
  - Returns true if this list contains no elements.  
如果此列表不包含任何元素，则返回 true。
- `lastIndexOf(o: Object) : int`
  - Returns the index of the last matching element in this list.  
返回此列表中最后一个匹配元素的索引。
- `remove(o: Object): boolean`
  - Removes the element o from this list

从此列表中删除元素。

- `size(): int`
  - Returns the number of elements in this list.  
返回此列表中的元素数。
- `remove(index: int) : Object`
  - Removes the element at the specified index.  
删除指定索引处的元素。
- `set(index: int, o: Object) : Object`
  - Sets the element at the specified index  
在指定索引处设置元素

## MyStack Class - Custom Stack

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A stack to hold any objects.

用于保存任何对象的堆栈。

### Methods

- `isEmpty(): boolean`
  - Returns true if this stack is empty.  
如果此堆栈为空，则返回 true。
- `getSize(): int`
  - Returns the number of elements in this stack.  
返回此堆栈中的元素数。
- `peek(): Object`
  - Returns the top element in this stack.  
返回此堆栈中的 top 元素。
- `pop(): Object`
  - Returns and removes the top element in this stack.  
返回并删除此堆栈中的 top 元素。
- `push(o: Object): void`
  - Adds a new element to the top of this stack.  
将新元素添加到此堆栈的顶部。
- `search(o: Object): int`
  - Returns the position of the first element in the stack from the top that matches the specified element.  
返回堆栈中与指定元素匹配的第一个元素的位置。

## Modifier 受保护的修饰符

### Visibility Modifiers 可见性修饰符

A **protected** data or a protected method in a public class can be accessed by any class in the same package or its subclasses, even if the subclasses are in a different package

同一包或其子类中的任何类都可以访问公共类中的 **protected** 数据或受保护方法，即使子类位于不同的包中

## Accessibility Summary

Modifier on members in a class	Accessed from the same class	Accessed from the same package	Accessed from a subclass	Accessed from a different package
public	✓	✓	✓	✓
protected	✓	✓	✓	-
default	✓	✓	-	-
private	✓	-	-	-

## UML class design

### Visibility:

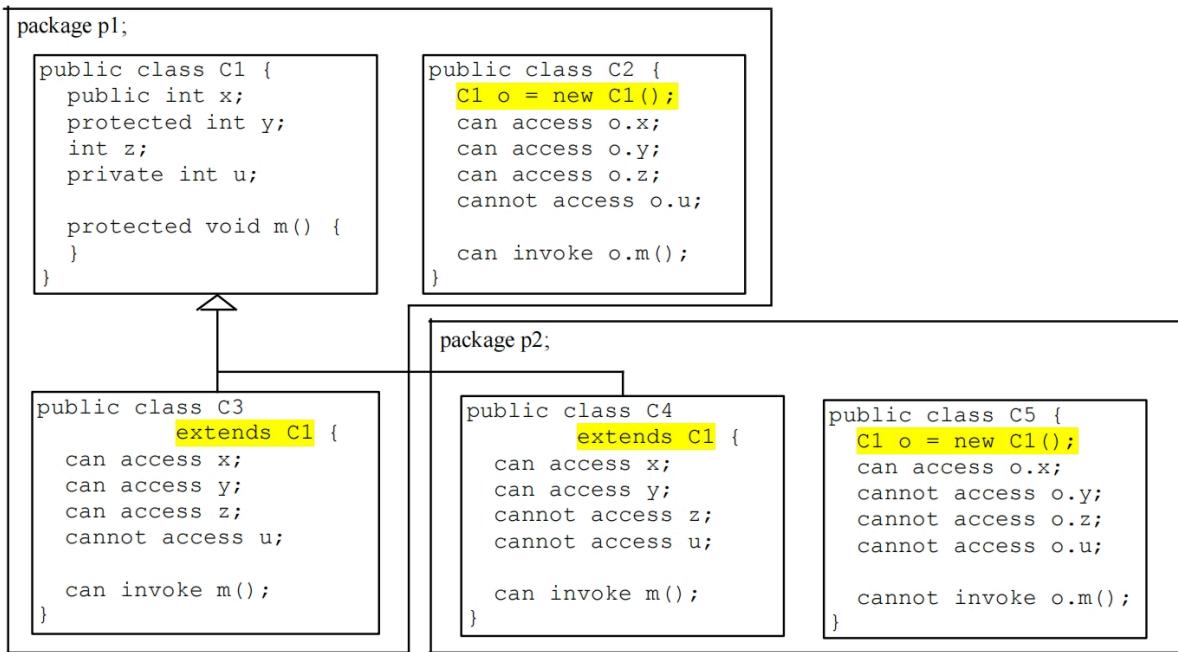
+ = public

- = private

~ = default/package

# = protected

underlined = static



## A Subclass Cannot Weaken the Accessibility 子类不能削弱可访问性

- A subclass may override a **protected** method in its superclass and change its visibility to **public**.  
子类可以覆盖其超类中的 protected 方法，并将其可见性更改为 public。
- However, a subclass cannot weaken the accessibility of a method defined in the superclass.  
但是，子类不能削弱超类中定义的方法的可访问性。
  - For example, if a method is defined as **public** in the superclass, it must be defined as **public** in the subclass.  
例如，如果一个方法在超类中定义为 public，则必须在子类中将其定义为 public。

## Overriding Methods in the Subclass 重写子类的方法

- An instance method can be overridden only if it is accessible  
仅当实例方法可访问时，才能覆盖实例方法
  - A **private** method cannot be overridden, because it is not accessible outside its own class  
无法覆盖 private 方法，因为它无法在自己的类之外访问
    - If a method defined in a subclass is **private** in its superclass, the two methods are completely unrelated  
如果子类中定义的方法在其超类中是 private，则这两个方法完全不相关
- A **static** method can be inherited  
可以继承 static 方法
  - A **static** method cannot be overridden  
不能覆盖 static 方法
    - If a **static** method defined in the superclass is redefined in a subclass, the method defined in the superclass is hidden

如果在超类中定义的 static 方法在子类中重新定义，则超类中定义的方法将被隐藏

## The final Modifier

- Remember that a final variable is a constant: final static double PI = 3.14159;

请记住，最终变量是一个常数：最终静态双 PI = 3.14159；

- A final method cannot be overridden by its subclasses

final 方法不能被其子类覆盖

- A final class cannot be extended:

final修饰的类不能被集成

```
final class Math {
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

## Question

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### Abstract Class and Abstract Methods

- Select the **incorrect** statement:

- Abstract classes can have constructors, but cannot be instantiated
- All methods in an abstract class must be abstract**
- Abstract methods do not have a body and must be implemented by subclasses
- Abstract methods must be declared inside an abstract class
- A subclass that does not implement/override all abstract methods from its abstract superclass must be declared abstract

Answer: No.2

- 抽象类不能被直接实例化：**

抽象类本身是抽象的，不能通过 new 关键字直接创建对象。

- 构造器由子类调用：**

抽象类的构造器只能在其子类实例化时被调用，子类通过 super() 显式或隐式地调用抽象类的构造器。

- 构造器的存在是合理的：**

即使抽象类不能被实例化，构造器的存在仍然有意义，因为它可以用于初始化抽象类的状态，供子类使用。

- ```
abstract class Animal {
    private String name;

    // 抽象类的构造器
    public Animal(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }

    public String getName() {
        return name;
    }
}
```

```

        // 抽象方法
    public abstract void makeSound();
}

class Dog extends Animal {
    // 子类调用抽象类的构造器
    public Dog(String name) {
        super(name);
    }

    // 实现抽象方法
    @Override
    public void makeSound() {
        System.out.println(getName() + " says: Woof!");
    }
}

public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // 抽象类不能被直接实例化
        // Animal animal = new Animal("Unknown"); // 编译错误

        // 子类可以实例化，并调用抽象类的构造器
        Dog dog = new Dog("Buddy");
        dog.makeSound(); // 输出：Buddy says: Woof!
    }
}

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- Overloading 重载 & Overriding 重写

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// Example 1
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        B a = new A();
        a.p(10.0); // 20.0
        a.p(10); // 20.0 重点！
        // a.p(10);: 参数是 int 类型，B 类中没有 p(int i) 方法，但 A 类中有 p(int i) 方法。
        // 由于引用类型是 B，编译时会检查 B 类中是否有匹配的方法。B 类中没有 p(int i)，但有一个 p(double i) 可以接受 int 参数（因为 int 可以隐式转换为 double），因此调用 B 类中的 p(double i)。
    }
}

public class B {
    public void p(double i) {
        System.out.println(i * 2);
    }
}

// 这里是重载 overloading
public class A extends B {
    public void p(int i) {
        System.out.println(i);
    }
}

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// Example 2
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        B a = new A();
        a.p(10.0); // 10.0
        a.p(10);   // 10.0 (自动类型转换int小转换成double大)
    }
}

public class B {
    public void p(double i) {
        System.out.println(i * 2);
    }
}

// 这里是重写
@Override
public class A extends B {
    public void p (double i) {
        System.out.println(i);
    }
}

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- Select the **incorrect** statement about correct equals() implementation:
  - Method signature is public boolean equals(Object obj)
  - Returns true if obj is not null
  - Checks if this and obj refer to the same object
  - Uses instanceof to check if obj is of the same type
  - Compares each field relevant to equality after casting obj

Answer:

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