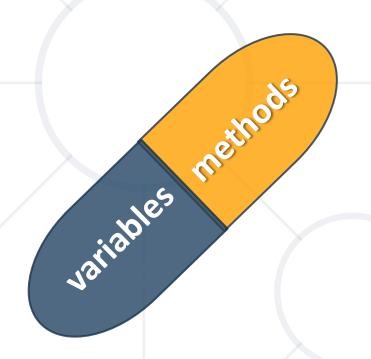
# **Encapsulation**

Benefits of Encapsulation





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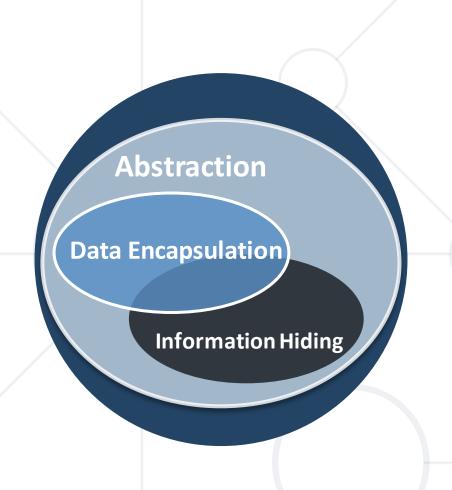


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# Hiding Implementation Encapsulation

#### **Encapsulation**





- Flexibility and extensibility of the code
- Reduces complexity
- Structural changes remain local
- Allows validation and data binding



## Encapsulation



Objects fields must be private

```
class Person {
  private int age;
}
```

Use getters and setters for data access

```
class Person {
  public int getAge()
  public void setAge(int age)
}
```

#### **Encapsulation – Example**



Fields should be private

```
Person
-name: string
                                 - == private
-age: int
+Person(String name, int age)
+getName(): String
                                 + == public
+setName(String name): void
+getAge(): int
+setAge(int age): void
```

Accessors and Mutators should be public

# Keyword this (1)



- this is reference to the current object
- this can refer current class instance

```
public Person(String name) {
  this.name = name;
}
```

this can invoke current class method

```
public String fullName() {
  return this.getFirstName() + " " + this.getLastName();
}
```

# Keyword this (2)



this can invoke current class constructor

```
public Person(String name) {
  this.firstName = name;
}
```

```
public Person (String name, Integer age) {
  this(name);
  this.age = age;
}
```



Access Modifiers
Visibility of Class Members

#### **Private Access Modifier**



Object hides data from the outside world



```
class Person {
  private String name;
  Person (String name) {
    this.name = name;
  }
}
```

- Classes and interfaces cannot be private
- Data can be accessed only within the declared class itself

#### **Protected Access Modifier**



Grants access to subclasses

```
class Team {
  protected String getName () {...}
  protected void setName (String name) {...}
}
```

- protected modifier cannot be applied to class and interfaces
- Prevents a nonrelated class from trying to use it

#### **Default Access Modifier**



Do not explicitly declare an access modifier

```
class Team {
   String getName() {...}
   void setName(String name) {...}
}
```

Available to any other class in the same package

#### **Public Access Modifier**



 Grants access to any class belonging to the Java Universe

```
public class Team {
  public String getName() {...}
  public void setName(String name) {...}
}
```

- Import a package if you need to use a class
- The main() method of an application has to be public

# **Problem: Sort by Name and Age**



Create a class Person

#### Person

```
-firstName: String
```

-lastName: String

-age: int

+getFirstName(): String

+getLastName(): String

+getAge(): int

+toString(): String



#### **Solution: Sort by Name and Age**



```
public class Person {
  private String firstName;
  private String lastName; private int age;
  // TODO: Implement Constructor
  public String getFirstName() { /* TODO */ }
  public String getLastName() { /* TODO */ }
  public int getAge() { return age; }
  @Override
  public String toString() { /* TODO */ }
```

#### **Problem: Salary Increase**



- Implement Salary
- Add:
  - getter for salary
  - increaseSalary by percentage
- Persons younger than 30 get
   only half of the increase

#### Person

```
-firstName: String
```

-lastName: String

-age: int

-salary: double

+getFirstName(): String

+getLastName() : String

+getAge() : int

+getSalary(): double

+setSalary(double): void

+increaseSalary(double): void

+toString(): String

# **Solution: Salary Increase (1)**



Expand Person from previous task

```
public class Person {
  private double salary;
 // Edit Constructor
  public double getSalary() {
    return this.salary;
  public void setSalary(double salary) {
    this.salary = salary;
  // Next Slide...
  // TODO: Edit toString() method
```

# **Solution: Salary Increase (2)**



Expand Person from previous task



## Validation (1)



Data validation happens in setters

```
private void setSalary(double salary) {
  if (salary < 460) {
    throw new IllegalArgumentException("Message");
  }
  this.salary = salary;
}</pre>
It is better to throw exceptions,
rather than printing to the Console
```

- Printing with System.out couples your class
- Client can handle class exceptions

# Validation (2)



Constructors use private setters with validation logic

- Guarantees valid state of object in its creation
- Guarantees valid state for public setters

#### **Problem: Validation Data**



- Expand Person with validation for every field
- Names should be at least 3 symbols
- Age cannot be zero or negative
- Salary cannot be less than 460

```
Person
-firstName : String
-lastName : String
-age : int
-salary : double
+Person()
+setFirstName(String fName)
+setLastName(String lName)
+setAge(int age)
+setSalary(double salary)
```

#### **Solution: Validation Data**



```
// TODO: Add validation for firstName
// TODO: Add validation for LastName
public void setAge(int age) {
 if (age < 1) {
   throw new IllegalArgumentException(
      "Age cannot be zero or negative integer");
  this.age = age;
// TODO: Add validation for salary
```



Mutable and Immutable Objects

## Mutable vs Immutable Objects



- Mutable Objects
  - The contents of that instance can be altered

```
Point myPoint = new Point(0, 0);
myPoint.setLocation(1.0, 0.0);
System.out.println(myPoint);
```



java.awt.Point[1.0, 0.0]

- Immutable Objects
  - The contents of the instance can't be altered

```
String myString = new String("old String");
System.out.println(myString);
myString.replaceAll("old", "new");
System.out.println(myString);
```





#### **Mutable Fields**



private mutable fields are not fully encapsulated

```
class Team {
  private String name;
  private List<Person> players;
  public List<Person> getPlayers() {
    return this.players;
```



In this case getter is like setter too

#### Mutable Fields - Example



```
Team team = new Team();
Person person = new Person("David", "Adams", 22);
team.getPlayers().add(person);
System.out.println(team.getPlayers().size()); // 1
team.getPlayers().clear();
System.out.println(team.getPlayers().size()); // 0
```

#### **Imutable Fields**



For securing our collection we can return
 Collections.unmodifiableList()



```
class Team {
                                        Add new methods for
  private List<Person> players;
                                        functionality over list
  public void addPlayer(Person person) {
    this.players.add(person);
  public List<Person> getPlayers() {
    return Collections.unmodifiableList(players);
                               Returns a safe collections
```

#### **Problem: First and Reserve Team**



- Expand your project with class Team
- Team have two squads first team and reserve team
- Read persons from console and add them to team
- If they are younger than 40, they go to first squad
- Print both squad sizes

```
Team
-name: String
-firstTeam: List<Person>
-reserveTeam: List<Person>
+Team(String name)
+getName()
-setName(String name)
+getFirstTeam()
+getReserveTeam()
+addPlayer(Person person)
```

#### **Solution: First and Reserve Team**



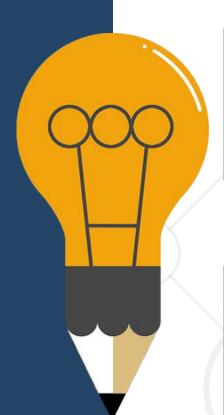
```
private List<Person> firstTeam;
private List<Person> reserveTeam;
public void addPlayer(Person person) {
  if (person.getAge() < 40)</pre>
    this.firstTeam.add(person);
  else
    this.reserveTeam.add(person);
public List<Person> getFirstTeam() {
  return Collections.unmodifiableList(firstTeam);
// TODO: add getter for reserve team
```

# final Keyword final

# **Keyword final**



final class can't be extended



```
public class Animal {}
public final class Mammal extends Animal {}
public class Cat extends Mammal {}
```

final method can't be overridden

```
public final void move(Point point) {}
public class Mammal extends Animal {
    @Override
    public void move() {}
}
```

# Keyword final



final variable value can't be changed once it is set

```
private final String name;
private final List<Person> firstTeam;
public Team (String name) {
  this.name = name;
  this.firstTeam = new ArrayList<Person> ();
public void doSomething(Person person) {
 this.name = "";
                                          Compile time error
 this.firstTeam = new ArrayList<>();
 this.firstTeam.add(person);
```

## Summary



- Encapsulation:
  - Hides implementation
  - Reduces complexity
  - Ensures that structural changes remain local
- Mutable and Immutable objects
- Keyword final



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