## CMPE 101 Object Oriented Programming



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# Methods, Constructors, Parameters, Primitive Data Types and Encapsulation

### 2.7 Arithmetic Operator

Java operation	Operator	Algebraic expression	Java expression
Addition	+	f+7	f + 7
Subtraction	_	p-c	р – с
Multiplica- tion	*	bm	b * m
Division	/	$x/y$ or $\frac{x}{y}$ or $x \div y$	x / y
Remainder	%	$r \mod s$	r % s

**Fig. 2.11** Arithmetic operators.

### 2.7 Arithmetic Operator (cont.)

- The asterisk (\*) indicates multiplication
- ▶ The percent sign (%) is the remainder operator
- ▶ The remainder operator, %, yields the remainder after division.
- Parentheses are used to group terms in expressions in the same manner as in algebraic expressions.
- If an expression contains nested parentheses, the expression in the innermost set of parentheses is evaluated first.
- As in algebra, it's acceptable to place *redundant parentheses* (unnecessary parentheses) in an ex-pression to make the expression clearer.

### 2.7 Arithmetic Operator (cont.)

#### Rules of operator precedence

- Multiplication, division and remainder operations are applied first.
- If an expression contains several such operations, they are applied from left to right.
- Multiplication, division and remainder operators have the same level of precedence.
- Addition and subtraction operations are applied next.
- If an expression contains several such operations, the operators are applied from left to right.
- Addition and subtraction operators have the same level of precedence.

### 2.7 Arithmetic Operator (cont.)

Operator(s)	Operation(s)	Order of evaluation (precedence)
* / %	Multiplication Division Remainder	Evaluated first. If there are several operators of this type, they're evaluated from <i>left to right</i> .
+	Addition Subtraction	Evaluated next. If there are several operators of this type, they're evaluated from <i>left</i> to right.
=	Assignment	Evaluated last.

**Fig. 2.12** | Precedence of arithmetic operators.

Step 1. y = 2 \* 5 \* 5 + 3 \* 5 + 7; (Leftmost multiplication)

**Fig. 2.13** Order in which a second-degree polynomial is evaluated.

## 3.2.1 Account Class with an Instance Variable, a *set* Method and a *get* Method (Cont.)

```
// Fig. 3.1: Account.java
   // Account class that contains a name instance variable
   // and methods to set and get its value.
    public class Account {
       private String name; // instance variable
          method to set the name in the object
       public void setName(String name) {
          this.name = name; // store the name
10
12
       // method to retrieve the name from the object
13
       public String getName() {
14
          return name; // return value of name to caller
15
16
17
```

Fig. 3.1 Account class that contains a name instance variable and methods to set and get its value.

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## 3.2.1 Account Class with an Instance Variable, a set Method and a get Method (Cont.)

Each class you create becomes a new type that can be used to declare variables and create objects.

#### Class Declaration

- Each class declaration that begins with the access modifier public must be stored in a file that has the same name as the class and ends with the .java filename extension.
- Every class declaration contains keyword class followed immediately by the class's name.

```
I // Fig. 3.1: Account.java
2 // Account class that contains a name instance variable
3 // and methods to set and get its value.
4
5 public class Account {
```

#### **Identifiers and Camel Case Naming**

- Class, method and variable names are identifiers.
- By convention all use camel case names.
  - Camel case is a naming style where multiple words are joined without spaces, and each word (except the first in lower camel case) starts with a capital letter, like myVariableName or MyClassName.
- Class names begin with an uppercase letter, and method and variable names begin with a lowercase letter.

```
5  public class Account {
6   private String name; // instance variable
7
8   // method to set the name in the object
9   public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name; // store the name
}
```

#### 3.2.1 Instance Variable

- An object has attributes that are implemented as instance variables and carried with it throughout its lifetime.
- Instance variables exist before methods are called on an object, while the methods are executing and after the methods complete execution.
  - Instance variables exist before, during, and after method execution in an object.
- A class normally contains one or more methods that manipulate the instance variables that belong to particular objects of the class.
- Instance variables are declared inside a class declaration but outside the bodies of the class' method declarations.
- Each object (instance) of the class has its own copy of each of the class's instance variables.

```
public class Account {
0
       private String name; // (Instance variable) Stores the account holder's name.
       // Sets the account holder's name
       public void setName(String name) {
          this.name = name; // Assigns the given name to the instance variable
       // Retrieves the account holder's name
       public String getName() {
         return name; // Returns the stored name
```

#### **Access Modifiers**

- **public**  $\rightarrow$  The member is accessible from **anywhere** in the program.
- ▶ protected → The member is accessible within the same package and in subclasses.
- ▶ private → The member is accessible only within the same class and nowhere else.
  - Variables or methods declared with access modifier private are accessible only to methods of the class in which they're declared.
- Most instance-variable declarations are preceded with the keyword private, which is an access modifier.

```
public class Account {
   private String name; // instance variable

// method to set the name in the object
public void setName(String name) {
```

#### **Encapsulation**

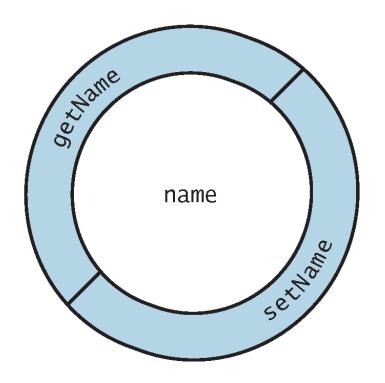
- ▶ Encapsulation is a core idea in object-oriented programming (OOP).
- It groups the data (variables) and the methods (functions) that work on that data into one unit, called a class.
- It limits direct access to some parts of an object.
- ▶ It allows access only through specific public methods (getters and setters).
- Key Benefits of Encapsulation:
- 1. **Data Protection**: By hiding the internal state of an object, encapsulation ensures that data can only be accessed or modified through controlled methods, reducing the risk of unintended or harmful changes.
- 2. Code Maintenance: Makes it easier to change or update the internal implementation of a class without affecting other parts of the program.
- 3. **Flexibility**: Allows the class to control how its data is accessed or modified, providing flexibility to add validation logic.

### Software Engineering with private Instance Variables and public set and get Methods

Declaring instance variables private is known as data hiding or information hiding.

```
public class Account {
       private String name; // instance variable
       // method to set the name in the object
       public void setName(String name) {
          this.name = name; // store the name
10
12
       // method to retrieve the name from the object
13
       public String getName() {
14
          return name; // return value of name to caller
15
16
```

### Software Engineering with private Instance Variables and public set and get Methods



**Fig. 3.4** | Conceptual view of an Account object with its encapsulated private instance variable name and protective layer of public methods.

#### Parameters of a Method

- Parameters are declared in a comma-separated parameter list, which is located inside the parentheses that follow the method name in the method declaration.
- Multiple parameters are separated by commas.
- Each parameter must specify a type followed by a variable name.

#### **Example:**

```
public void displayInfo(String name, int age, double height) {
    System.out.println("Name: " + name);
    System.out.println("Age: " + age);
    System.out.println("Height: " + height + " meters");
}
```

#### **Method Body**

- Every method's body is delimited by left and right braces ({ and }).
- Each method's body contains one or more statements that perform the method's task(s).

```
// method to set the name in the object
public void setName(String name) {
    this.name = name; // store the name
}

// method to retrieve the name from the object
public String getName() {
    return name; // return value of name to caller
}
```

#### Return Type of a Method

- The method's return type specifies the type of data returned to a method's caller.
- Keyword void indicates that a method will perform a task but will not return any information.
- Empty parentheses following a method name indicate that the method does not require any parameters to perform its task.
- A method with a return type must send a result back to the caller when it finishes.

## 3.2.1 Account Class with an Instance Variable, a set Method and a get Method (Cont.)

- The return statement sends a value from a method back to the caller.
- Classes often provide public methods to allow the class' clients to set or get private instance variables.
- The names of these methods need not begin with set or get, but this naming convention is recommended.

```
public class Account {
    private String name; // Stores the account holder's name

    // Sets the account holder's name
    public void setName(String name) {
        // Assigns the given name to the instance variable
        this.name = name;
    }

    // Retrieves the account holder's name
    public String getName() {
        return name; // Returns the stored name
    }
}
```

#### This keyword

this is a reference variable that refers to the current object of a class.

```
public class Account {
  private String name; // Stores the account holder's name (Instance variable)
  // Sets the account holder's name
  public void setName(String name) {// Parameter name matches instance
variable
    this.name = name; // 'this' differentiates instance variable from parameter
                                       name = name;
  // Retrieves the account holder's name
  public String getName() {
    return name: // Returns the stored name
```

#### This keyword (cont.)

We could have avoided using this by giving the parameter a different name in line 9. However, using this in line 10 is a common practice because it keeps the code simple and prevents unnecessary variable names.

```
public class Account {
  private String name; // Stores the account holder's
name (Instance variable)
  // Sets the account holder's name
  public void setName(String name) {// Parameter
name matches instance variable
    this.name = name; // 'this' differentiates instance
variable from parameter
  // Retrieves the account holder's name
  public String getName() {
    return name; // Returns the stored name
```

```
public class Account {
  private String name; // Instance variable
  // Sets the account holder's name
  public void setName(String newname) {// Different
parameter name
    name = newname; // No need for 'this'
  // Retrieves the account holder's name
  public String getName() {
    return name; // Returns the stored name
```

#### **Account Class**

```
// Fig. 3.1: Account.java
   // Account class that contains a name instance variable
   // and methods to set and get its value.
    public class Account {
       private String name; // instance variable
       // method to set the name in the object
       public void setName(String name) {
10
          this.name = name; // store the name
12
13
       // method to retrieve the name from the object
       public String getName() {
14
          return name; // return value of name to caller
15
16
17
```

**Fig. 3.1** | Account class that contains a name instance variable and methods to set and get its value.

#### 3.2.2 AccountTest Class

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```
// Fig. 3.2: AccountTest.java
    // Creating and manipulating an Account object.
    import java.util.Scanner;
    public class AccountTest {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
          // create a Scanner object to obtain input from the command window
          Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
          // create an Account object and assign it to myAccount
10
          Account myAccount = new Account();
12
          // display initial value of name (null)
13
          System.out.printf("Initial name is: %s%n%n", myAccount.getName());
14
15
16
          // prompt for and read name
          System.out.println("Please enter the name:");
17
18
          String theName = input.nextLine(); // read a line of text
          myAccount.setName(theName); // put theName in myAccount
19
          System.out.println(); // outputs a blank line
20
21
          // display the name stored in object myAccount
22
          System.out.printf("Name in object myAccount is:%n%s%n",
23
             myAccount.getName());
24
25
```

#### Scanner Object for Receiving Input from the User

- Scanner method nextLine reads characters until a newline character is encountered, then returns the characters as a String.
- Scanner method next reads characters until any white-space character is encountered, then returns the characters as a String.

```
// prompt for and read name
16
          System.out.println("Please_enter the name:");
17
          String theName = input.nextLine(); // read a line of text
18
          myAccount.setName(theName); // put theName in myAccount
19
          System.out.println(); // outputs a blank line
20
21
          // display the name stored in object myAccount
22
          System.out.printf("Name in object myAccount is:%n%s%n",
23
             myAccount.getName());
24
25
26
```

#### Instantiating an Object—Keyword new

A class instance creation expression begins with keyword new and creates a new object.

```
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    import java.util.Scanner;
    public class AccountTest {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
             create a Scanner object to obtain input from the command window
          Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
            <u>create an Account object and assign it to myAccount </u>
10
          Account myAccount = new Account();
12
13
          // display initial value of name (null)
          System.out.printf("Initial name is: %s%n%n", myAccount.getName());
14
15
```

#### **Calling Class's Method**

**To call a method of an object**, follow the **object name with a dot separator**, the method name and a set of parentheses containing the method's arguments.

```
public class AccountTest {
        public static void main(String[] args) {
           // create a Scanner object to obtain input from the command window
           Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
10
           // create an Account object and assign it to myAccount
           Account myAccount = new Account();
12
13
           // display initial value of name (null)
           System.out.printf("Initial name is: %s%n%n", myAccount.getName());
14
15
16
           // prompt for and read name
           System.out.println("Please enter the name:");
17
          String theName = input.nextLine(); // read a line of text
18
          myAccount.setName(theName); // put theName in myAccount
19
20
          System.out.println(); // outputs a blank line
21
22
           // display the name stored in object myAccount
           System.out.printf("Name in object myAccount is:%n%s%n",
23
             myAccount.getName());
24
25
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26
```



### Common Programming Error 3.1

Splitting a statement in the middle of an identifier or a string is a syntax error.

```
int myVari
able = 10; **
```

```
int myVariable = 10;
```

```
String message = "Hello, this is a very long string.";
```

#### **Local Variables**

- Variables declared in the body of a particular method are local variables and can be used only in that method.
- When a method terminates, the values of its local variables are lost.
- A method's parameters are local variables of the method.

```
public class LocalVariableExampleClass {
   public void displayMessage(String message) { // 'message' is a local variable (parameter)
      int length = message.length(); // 'length' is a local variable declared inside the method
      System.out.println("Message: " + message);
      System.out.println("Message Length: " + length);
    } // Both 'message' and 'length' are lost after method execution
    public static void main(String[] args) {
      LocalVariableExample obj = new LocalVariableExample();
      obj.displayMessage("Hello, Java!"); // Passing argument to local variable 'message'
    }
}
```

#### The Default Value of Instance Variable

- Every instance variable has a default initial value—a value provided by Java when you do not specify the instance variable's initial value.
- The default value for an instance variable of type:
  - String is null
  - int is 0
  - double is 0.0
  - boolean is false
  - 0
- Local variables are not automatically initialized.
  - If you declare a local variable without initializing it, it will not have a default value like instance variables do.
  - Instead, trying to use an uninitialized local variable will result in a compilation error.

#### 3.2.5 Notes on import Declarations on Class AccountTest

- Most classes you'll use in Java programs must be imported explicitly.
- There's a special relationship between classes that are compiled in the same directory.
- An import declaration is not required when one class in a package uses another in the same package.
- By default, such classes are considered to be in the same package—known as the default package.
- Classes in the same package are implicitly imported into the source-code files of other classes in that package.

```
// Fig. 3.2: AccountTest.java
    // Creating and manipulating an Account object.
    import java.util.Scanner;
                                                       Not in the same package with AccountTest class
    public class AccountTest {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
           // create a Scanner object to obtain input from the command window
           Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
           // create an Account object and assign it to myAccount
                                                                          In the same package
           Account myAccount = new Account();
11
                                                                          with AccountTest class
12
           // display initial value of name (null)
13
           System.out.printf("Initial name is: %s%n%n", myAccount.getName());
14
15
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```

## 3.3.1 Declaring an Account Constructor for Custom Object Initialization

```
// Fig. 3.5: Account.java
    // Account class with a constructor that initializes the name.
    public class Account {
       private String name; // instance variable
       // constructor initializes name with parameter name
       public Account(String name) { // constructor name is class name
          this.name = name;
10
// method to set the name
12
13
       public void setName(String name) {
14
          this.name = name;
15
16
       // method to retrieve the name
17
       public String getName() {
19
          return name;
20
21
```

Fig. 3.5 | Account class with a constructor that initializes the name.

#### Constructors

- Each class you declare can optionally provide a constructor with parameters that can be used to initialize an object of a class when the object is created.
- Java requires a constructor call for every object that's created.

#### Constructors Cannot Return Values

Constructors can specify parameters but not return types.

#### Default Constructor

- If a class does not define constructors, the compiler provides a default constructor with no parameters, and the class's instance variables are initialized to their default values.
- There's No Default Constructor in a Class That Declares a Constructor
  - If you declare a constructor for a class, the compiler will not create a default constructor for that class.

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          this.name = name;
10
// method to set the name
12
13
       public void setName(String name) {
14
          this.name = name;
15
16
       // method to retrieve the name
17
       public String getName() {
19
          return name;
20
21
```

Fig. 3.5 | Account class with a constructor that initializes the name.

#### 3.3.2 Class AccountTest: Initializing Account Objects When They're Created

```
// Fig. 3.6: AccountTest.java
   // Using the Account constructor to initialize the name instance
    // variable at the time each Account object is created.
    public class AccountTest {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
          // create two Account objects
          Account account1 = new Account("Jane Green");
          Account account2 = new Account("John Blue");
10
          // display initial value of name for each Account
\mathbf{II}
          System.out.printf("account1 name is: %s%n", account1.getName());
12
          System.out.printf("account2 name is: %s%n", account2.getName());
13
14
15
 account1 name is: Jane Green
 account2 name is: John Blue
```

**Fig. 3.6** Using the Account constructor to initialize the name instance variable at the time each Account object is created.

### **Primitive Data Types**

	Size		
Data Type	(in bytes)	Range	Example
byte	1	Stores whole numbers from –128 to 127	byte b = 100;
short	2	Stores whole numbers from -32,768 to 32,767	short s = 1000;
		Stores whole numbers from -2,147,483,648 to	
int	4	2,147,483,647	int $x = 25$ ;
long	8	Stores whole numbers from – 9,223,372,036,854,775,808 to 9,223,372,036,854,775,807	long l = 50000L;
float	4	Stores fractional numbers. Sufficient for storing 6 to 7 decimal digits	float f = 3.14f;
double	8	Stores fractional numbers. Sufficient for storing 15 decimal digits	double d = 5.67;
char	2	Stores a single character/letter or ASCII values	char c = 'A';
boolean	1	Stores true or false values boolean isTi	

#### Primitive Types vs. Reference Types

- Types in Java are divided into two categories—primitive types and reference types.
- The primitive types are boolean, byte, char, short, int, long, float and double.
- All other types are reference types, so classes, which specify the types of objects, are reference types.
- A primitive-type variable can store exactly one value of its declared type at a time.
- Primitive-type instance variables are initialized by default.
  - Variables of types byte, short, int, long, float and double are initialized to 0.

#### Primitive Types vs. Reference Types (Cont.)

- Variables of type boolean are initialized to false.
- Reference-type variables (called references) store the location of an object in the computer's memory.
- Reference-type variables refer to objects in the program.
- Reference-type instance variables are initialized by default to the value null.
- You need a reference to an object to call its methods.
- An object can have many instance variables and methods.
- A primitive-type variable doesn't refer to an object, so it cannot be used to call methods.

#### 3.4 Account Class with a Balance; Floating-Point Numbers

- A floating-point number is a number with a decimal point.
- Java provides two primitive types for storing floating-point numbers in memory—float and double.
- Variables of type float represent single-precision floating-point numbers and have seven significant digits.
- Variables of type double represent double-precision floating-point numbers.
- double variables require twice as much memory as float variables and provide 15 significant digits—approximately double the precision of float variables.

	Туре	Assigned Value	Stored Value(approx.)	<b>Digit Preserved</b>
<b>•</b>	Float	1234567.1234567f	1234567.1(rounded)	~7
•	Double	1234567.1234567	1234567.1234567(exact).	~15

## Fig 3.8 Account Class with a double instance variable balance and a constructor and deposit method that perform validation

```
// Fig. 3.8: Account.java
2 // Account class with a double instance variable balance and a constructor
    // and deposit method that perform validation.
    public class Account {
       private String name; // instance variable
       private double balance; // instance variable
       // Account constructor that receives two parameters
       public Account(String name, double balance) {
10
this.name = name; // assign name to instance variable name
12
13
          // validate that the balance is greater than 0.0; if it's not,
          // instance variable balance keeps its default initial value of 0.0
14
15
          if (balance > 0.0) { // if the balance is valid
             this.balance = balance; // assign it to instance variable balance
16
17
18
```

```
19
20
       // method that deposits (adds) only a valid amount to the balance
21
       public void deposit(double depositAmount) {
22
          if (depositAmount > 0.0) { // if the depositAmount is valid
23
              balance = balance + depositAmount; // add it to the balance
24
25
26
27
       // method returns the account balance
28
       public double getBalance() {
29
          return balance;
30
31
32
       // method that sets the name
33
       public void setName(String name) {
34
          this.name = name;
35
36
       // method that returns the name
37
38
        public String getName() {
39
           return name;
40
41
```

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#### 3.4.2 AccountTest Class to Use Class Account

```
// Fig. 3.9: AccountTest.java
    // Inputting and outputting floating-point numbers with Account objects.
    import java.util.Scanner;
    public class AccountTest {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
          Account account1 = new Account("Jane Green", 50.00);
          Account account2 = new Account("John Blue", -7.53);
          // display initial balance of each object
10
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $%.2f%n",
11
             account1.getName(), account1.getBalance();
12
13
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $\%.2f\%n\%n\",
             account2.getName(), account2.getBalance();
14
15
```

**Fig. 3.9** Inputting and outputting floating-point numbers with Account objects. (Part 1 of 4.)

- The format specifier %f is used to output values of type float or double.
- The format specifier %.2f specifies that two digits of precision should be output to the right of the decimal point in the floating-point number.

#### Scanner method nextDouble returns a double value.

```
// create a Scanner to obtain input from the command window
16
          Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
17
18
          System.out.print("Enter_deposit_amount_for_account1: "); // prompt
19
          double depositAmount = input.nextDouble(); // obtain user input
20
          System.out.printf("%nadding %.2f to account1 balance%n%n",
21
              depositAmount);
22
          account1.deposit(depositAmount); // add to account1's balance
23
24
25
          // display balances
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $%.2f%n",
26
              account1.getName(), account1.getBalance();
27
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $\%.2f\%n\%n\",
28
              account2.getName(), account2.getBalance();
29
30
```

**Fig. 3.9** Inputting and outputting floating-point numbers with Account objects. (Part 2 of 4.)

```
System.out.print("Enter deposit amount for account2: "); // prompt
31
          depositAmount = input.nextDouble(); // obtain user input
32
          System.out.printf("%nadding %.2f to account2 balance%n%n",
33
34
             depositAmount);
35
          account2.deposit(depositAmount); // add to account2 balance
36
37
          // display balances
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $%.2f%n",
38
              account1.getName(), account1.getBalance());
39
          System.out.printf("%s balance: $\%.2f\%n\%n\",
40
              account2.getName(), account2.getBalance());
41
42
43
```

**Fig. 3.9** Inputting and outputting floating-point numbers with Account objects. (Part 3 of 4.)

```
Jane Green balance: $50.00
John Blue balance: $0.00
Enter deposit amount for account1: 25.53
adding 25.53 to account 1 balance
Jane Green balance: $75.53
John Blue balance: $0.00
Enter deposit amount for account2: 123.45
adding 123.45 to account 2balance
Jane Green balance: $75.53
John Blue balance: $123.45
```

**Fig. 3.9** Inputting and outputting floating-point numbers with Account objects. (Part 4 of 4.)

#### **Group Discussion Question Part-1**

nport java.util.Scanner; // Import Scanner class to take input
ass Member { // Step 1: Create private attributes: name(string), age(int), sport(string), height
loat), weight (double)
// Step 2: Setter methods to set the values of the attributes
// Step 3: Getter methods to retrieve the values of the attributes
// Step 4: Method (displayMemberInfo) to display the member's details

#### **Group Discussion Question Part-2**

```
public class SportsClub {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    // Step 5: Take user input and set the member's details using setter methods and
    // Scanner class' methods: nextLine(), nextInt(), nextFloat(), nextDouble()
    // Step 6: Display the member's details using the method displayMemberInfo()
```



### Questions?