

Introduction to Programming with Python

II.4. Exceptions, OOP

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Exceptions

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```
a = 3
b = 0
c = a/b
print('Hi there')
```

```
a = 3
b = 0
try:
    c=a/b
except ZeroDivisionError:
    print('Calculation error')
print('Hi there')
```

Exceptions

Several exceptions We can have multiple statements in the **try** block and also and multiple **except** blocks, like below:

```
try:
    a = eval(input('Enter a number: '))
    print (3/a)
except NameError:
    print('Please enter a number.')
except ZeroDivisionError:
    print('Can't enter 0.')
```

Exceptions

Not specifying exception Generally not recommended, as this will catch every exception, including ones that maybe you aren't anticipating when you write the code. This will make it hard to debug your program.

```
try:
    a = eval(input('Enter a number: '))
    print (3/a)
except:
    print('A problem occurred.')
```

Exceptions

Using the exception In any case, it is better to use an Exception object and show the problema to the user

```
try:  
    c = a/0  
except Exception as e:  
    print(e)
```

```
int division or modulo by zero
```

Exceptions

else clause The else clause is executed if an exception is NOT thrown

```
try:
    file = open('filename.txt', 'r')
except IOError:
    print('Could not open file')
else:
    s = file.read()
    print(s)
```

Exceptions

finally clause The code in the finally clause is executed ALWAYS, even if a exception is first thrown

```
f = open('filename.txt', 'w')
s = 'hi'
try:
    # some code that could potentially fail goes here
finally:
    f.close()
```


Exceptions

Context manager The **finally** block can be used along with **except** and **else** blocks. This sort of thing with files is so common that it has its own syntax:

```
s = 'hi'
with open('filename.txt') as f:
    print(s, file=f)
```

Object-oriented programming

OOP

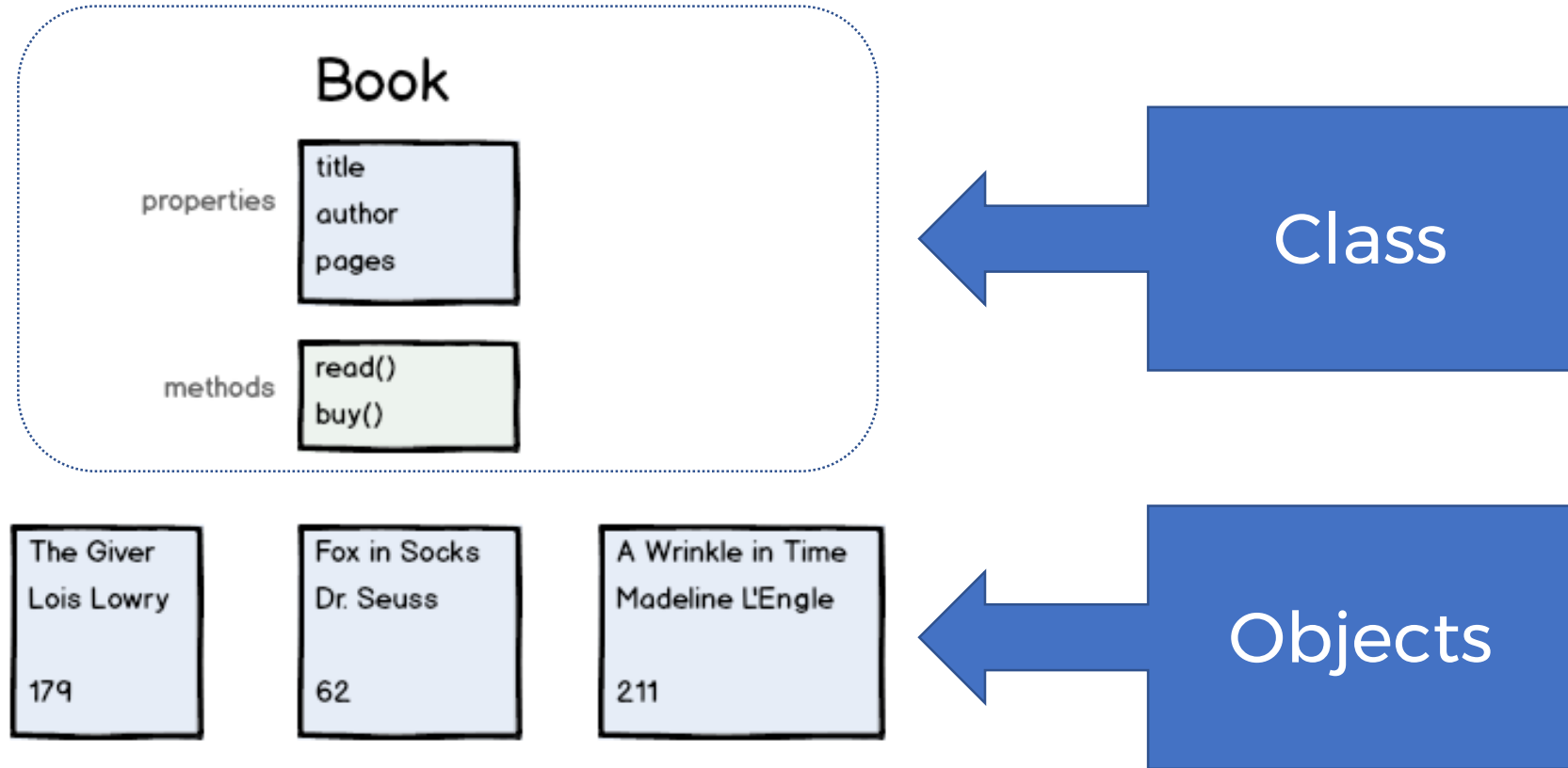
Procedure-oriented

- Top down
- Structured programming
- Centered around an algorithm
- Identify tasks; how something is done

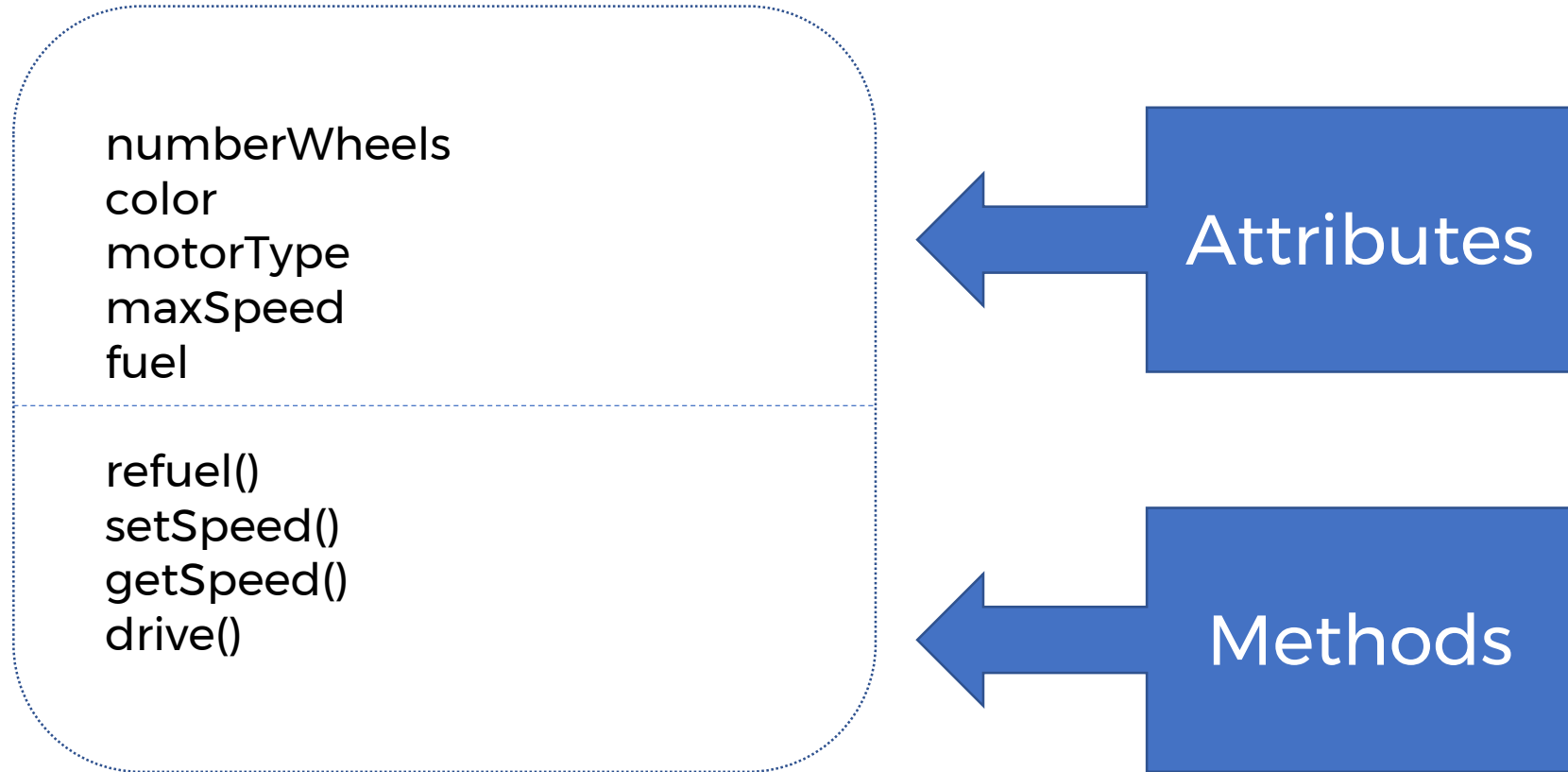
Object-oriented

- Identify objects to be modeled
- Concentrate on what an object does
- Hide how an object performs its task
- Identify behaviour

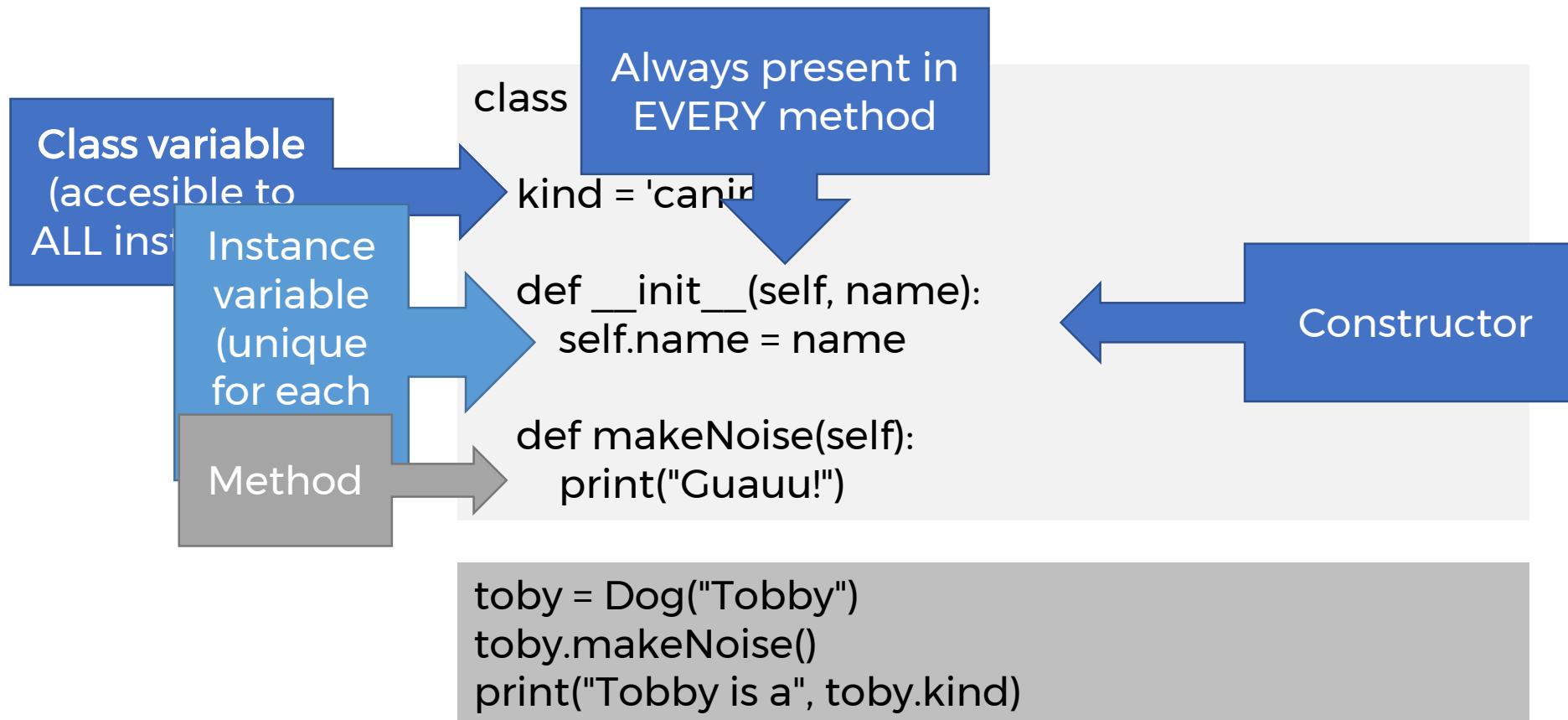
Classes - Objects



How to define a vehicle?



Defining a class in Python



Class vs Instance variables

```
class Dog:
```

```
    tricks = []
```

```
    def __init__(self, name):  
        self.name = name
```

```
    def add_trick(self, trick):  
        self.tricks.append(trick)
```



Unexpectedly
shared by all dogs

```
class Dog:
```

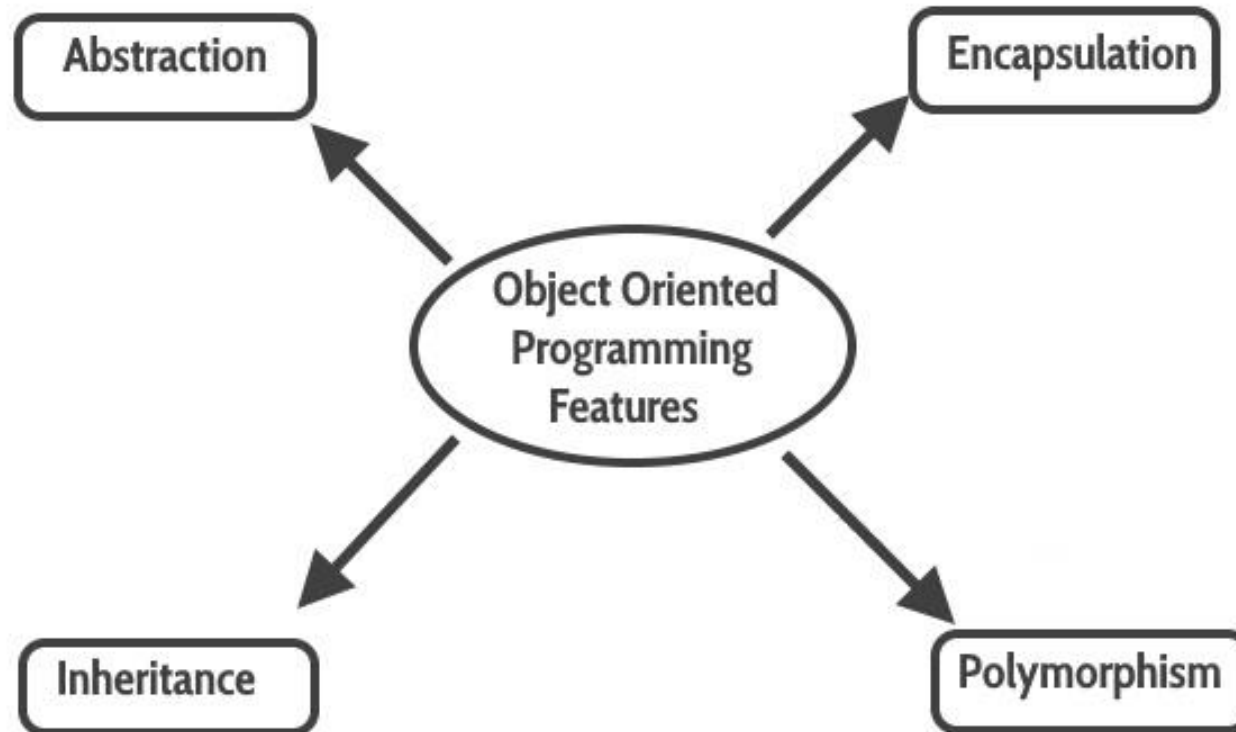
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    def __init__(self, name):  
        self.name = name  
        self.tricks = []
```

```
    def add_trick(self, trick):  
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```



Creates a new empty
list for each dog

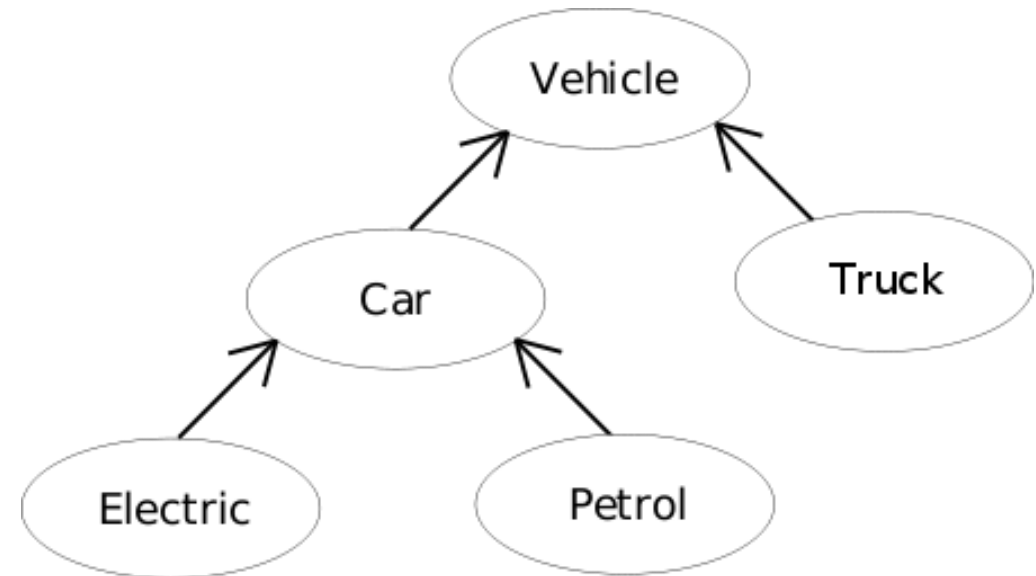
OOP main features



Inheritance

What if we have classes that share common characteristics?

An electric car shares some attributes and methods and differs in others



Inheritance & Polymorphism

```
class Parent:
    def __init__(self, a):
        self.a = a
    def method1(self):
        print(self.a*2)
    def method2(self):
        print(self.a+'!!!')
```

```
p = Parent('hi')
c = Child('hi', 'bye')
```

```
print('Parent method 1: ', p.method1())
print('Parent method 2: ', p.method2())
print()
print('Child method 1: ', c.method1())
print('Child method 2: ', c.method2())
print('Child method 3: ', c.method3())
```

Polymorphism

It can
override
some
methods

```
class Child(Parent):
    def __init__(self, a, b):
        self.a = a
        self.b = b
    def method1(self):
        print(self.a*7)
    def method3(self):
        print(self.a + self.b)
```

Inheritance

New class inherits all variables and methods from
base class

Printing objects

```
class Person:
    def __init__(self, name, id_number, age):
        self.name = name
        self.id_number = id_number
        self.age = age

    def __str__(self):
        return "Name: {0}\nID Number: {1}\nAge: {2}".format(self.name, self.id_number, self.age)
```

```
raul = Person("Raul Perez", "05920673J", 37)
print(raul)
```

Name: Raul Perez
ID Number: 05920673J
Age: 37