

kotlin OOP concepts

Sure – let's go over Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) concepts in Kotlin, with examples.

Kotlin is a fully object-oriented language (though it also supports functional programming), and it implements OOP concepts like:

◆ 1. Class and Object

A class is a blueprint, and an object is an instance of that class.

```
class Car(val brand: String, val model: String) {

    fun start() {

        println("$brand $model is starting...")

    }

}

fun main() {

    val car1 = Car("Tesla", "Model S") // Object creation

    car1.start()

}
```

◆ 2. Constructor

Kotlin supports primary and secondary constructors.

```
class Person(val name: String, var age: Int) {  
  
    init {  
  
        println("Person initialized with name = $name and age = $age")  
  
    }  
  
  
    constructor(name: String) : this(name, 18) // Secondary constructor  
  
}
```

◆ 3. Encapsulation

Encapsulation means hiding internal data using access modifiers (private, protected, public, internal).

```
class Account {  
  
    private var balance: Double = 0.0  
  
    fun deposit(amount: Double) {  
        if (amount > 0) balance += amount  
    }  
  
    fun getBalance(): Double = balance  
}
```

◆ 4. Inheritance

Kotlin classes are final by default, so to allow inheritance, mark them with open.

```
open class Animal {  
    open fun sound() {  
        println("Animal makes a sound")  
    }  
}
```

```
class Dog : Animal() {  
    override fun sound() {  
        println("Dog barks")  
    }  
}
```

◆ 5. Polymorphism

Polymorphism allows using a single interface or parent class reference for multiple subclasses.

```
fun makeSound(animal: Animal) {
```

```
        animal.sound()
    }

fun main() {
    val a: Animal = Dog()

    makeSound(a) // Calls Dog's implementation
}
```

◆ 6. Abstraction

Achieved using abstract classes or interfaces.

Using abstract class:

```
abstract class Shape {
    abstract fun area(): Double
}
```

```
class Circle(val radius: Double) : Shape() {
    override fun area() = Math.PI * radius * radius
}
```

Using interface:

```
interface Drivable {
    fun drive()
}
```

```
class Car : Drivable {
    override fun drive() = println("Car is driving")
}
```

◆ 7. Data Classes

Kotlin provides data classes for holding data without writing boilerplate code like `toString()`, `equals()`, `hashCode()`.

```
data class User(val name: String, val age: Int)
```

◆ 8. Object Keyword

The `object` keyword is used for singleton objects or companion objects.

```
object Database {  
  
    fun connect() = println("Connected to database")  
  
}
```

```
fun main() {  
  
    Database.connect() // Singleton instance  
  
}
```

◆ 9. Companion Objects

Used for static-like members inside classes.

```
class Utils {  
  
    companion object {  
  
        fun printHello() = println("Hello from Utils!")  
  
    }  
  
}
```

```
fun main() {  
  
    Utils.printHello() // No need to create an object  
  
}
```

Would you like me to give you a summary diagram or chart of these OOP concepts for Kotlin (e.g., visual cheat sheet)?