MET CS 622: Object Oriented Concepts

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Why Java?

- The second or third most used programming languages. The first one is JavaScript (very similar notation) and in some rankings the second one is python.

- Most enterprise architectures and software companies are heavily using Java, including Twitter, Facebook, Amazon, LinkedIn, eBay, …

- Many demands for Java in the job market, including Androids (smartphone, wearables, IoT,..) related jobs.

- Knowing OOP is very important. Still there are lots of market opportunities for OOP software, e.g. game industry (largest entertainment market in the world).

What you need to do?

- Java Standard Edition Development Kit v.17 (JDK 17).

  https://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html

- Install a decent IDE, e.g. Eclipse, which is the most popular IDE for Java Development.

  https://www.eclipse.org/downloads/packages

- Setting your OS environment PATH to point to the latest JDK you have installed.

```
java -version
```

- Setting your OS environment CLASSPATH to the Java “bin” folder. Otherwise, you might get following error:

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Be patient while you are configuring your OS for the Java Development. Like other installation it might be a cumbersome task.

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What do we need when we plan to create something complicated?

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 …methods and fields will be defined here

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```

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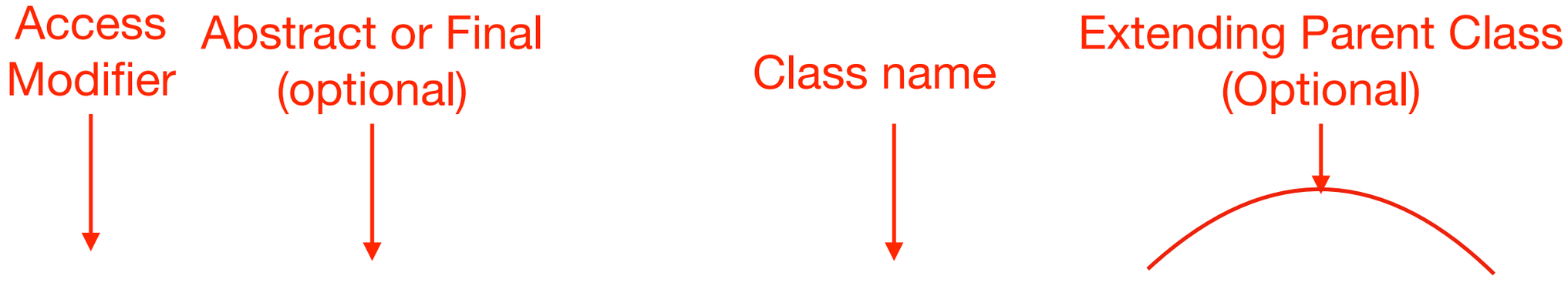


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public abstract class Elephant extends Animal {

 …methods and fields will be defined here

}
```

Classes and Objects

```java
package com.met622.vehicle;

public class Car {
    private String model;
    private int milesDriven;

    public Car (String model, int miles) {
        this.model = model;
        this.milesDriven = miles;
    }

    public int findPrice(){
       if (milesDriven < 50000)
          return 20000;
       else
          return 10000;
    }

    public boolean isRichkid() {
        String expensiveBrand = new String();
        expensiveBrand = "Bugatti" ;
        if (model.equalsIgnoreCase(expensiveBrand))
            return true;
            else return false;
    }
}
```

Classes and Objects

attribute, variable, property, field

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Global variables

Class Constructor

Local variable

Classes and Objects

```
package com.met622.test;

public class Execution {
    public static void main (String[] args) {
        Car mycar = new  Car("Corolla", 95000);
        System.out.println(mycar.findPrice());
    }
}
```

Class

Object

Constructor

- Every class has at least one constructor. In the case that no constructor is declared, the compiler will automatically insert a default no-argument constructor.

- The first statement of every constructor is either a call to another constructor within the class, using `this()`, or a call to a constructor in the parent class, using `super()`.

- Java compiler automatically inserts a call to the no-argument constructor `super()`. It means we can skip writing the `super()` keyword explicitly inside the constructor, the java compiler insert it on its own..

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`super()`, is a statement that explicitly calls a **parent constructor** and may only be used in the first line of a constructor of a child class.

`super()`, keyword references a member defined in a parent class and may be used throughout the child class.

Static

- Static makes the variable/method shared among all instances (objects) of a class and we can use class name to refer to it.

- It means only one single instance of static variable/method exists in JVM. Even, if we create many instances of that class, there is only one static variable assigned in the memory.

- Assume we have following code.

```
Public Class Teststatic {
    String a = new String()
    Static String b = new String()
```

If we make 10 instances from `Teststatic` class, every `'a'` variable occupies a space in the memory, this means we will have 10 `'a'` in the memory. However, we will have only one space assigned to `'b'` in the memory.

Naming Conventions in Java

- Class name must start with **capital** letter.
- Object name must start from **lowercase.**
- Parameter names must start with a **small** letter. Except they are **final static constant** variable. In that case everything should be written in capital. e.g.

```
public static final String SERVER_ADDRESS="192.168.1.1";
```

- Package names are **all lowercase**, separated with dots and should have a meaning, e.g. `edu.bu.met622.test`

Some Coding Conventions (1)

- If you have a list of literals, please keep them in a single class and usually this class name is: Constants.java, Config.java, Properties.Java

- The content of this class is as follows:

  - `public static final string SERVER_ADDRESS = ….`

  - `public static final string LANGUAGE = ….`

  - `public static final string ROOT_FOLDER= …`

Some Coding Conventions (2)

- Your main methods should be inside a class, called “Startup.java”, “MainEntry.java”, ….

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Access Names

- **Public** variables or methods are visible to all classes everywhere.

- **Private** variables or methods are accessible only to methods inside the same class. They are not visible outside the class. Therefore, overriding private variable isn't possible.

- **Protected** variables or methods can be seen by subclasses or packages member. We use `protected` keyword

- **Package Private (default)** can be only seen inside the package in which it was declared.

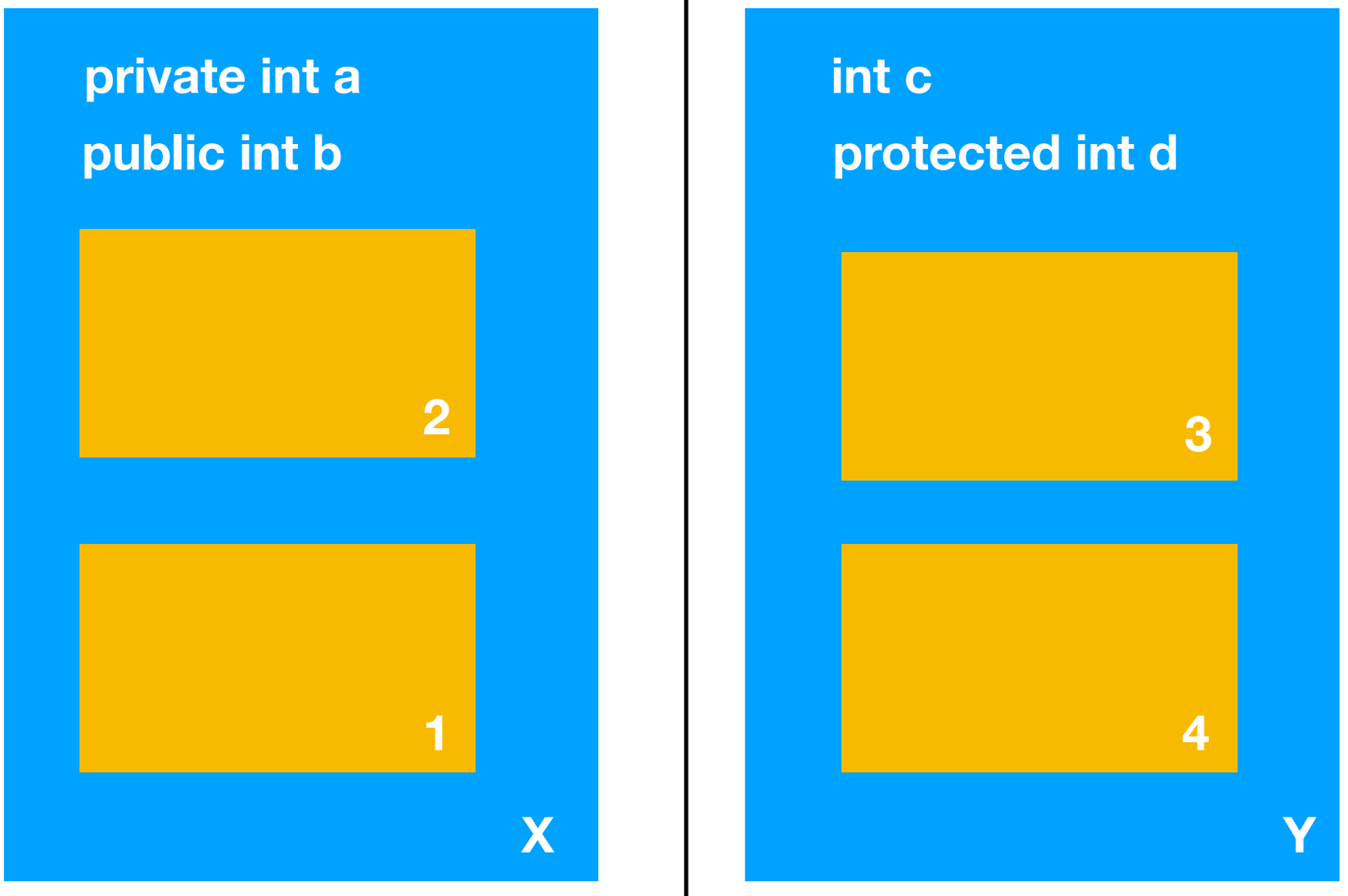
Access Controls Details

	Private	Default (Package Access)	Protected	Public
Member in the Class	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Member in another Class, but same package	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Member in Superclass in different package	No	No	Yes	Yes
Member in a class, but in a different package	No	No	No	Yes

Lets do some examples together

package p.edu

package q.edu



Encapsulation

- Usually all class parameters will be defined as private and we use getter/setter methods to access them.

- Getter/setters hides the unsafe access to the class parameters/fields.

correct, but not recommended:

```
public class TestEncapsulation {
        public int param;
```

correct:

```
public class TestEncapsulation {
        private int param;
        public int getParam() {
            return param;
        }
        public void setParam(inP) {
             this.param = inP;
        }
```

- If the data type is boolean instead of get.. we will use is…

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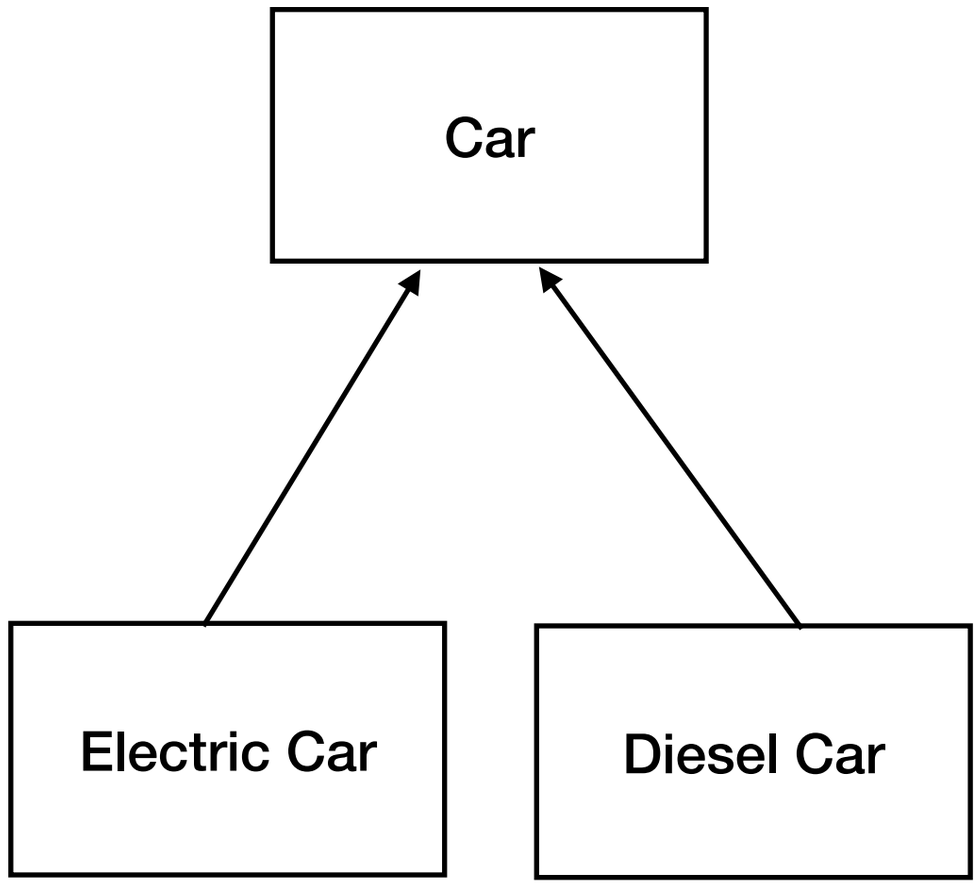

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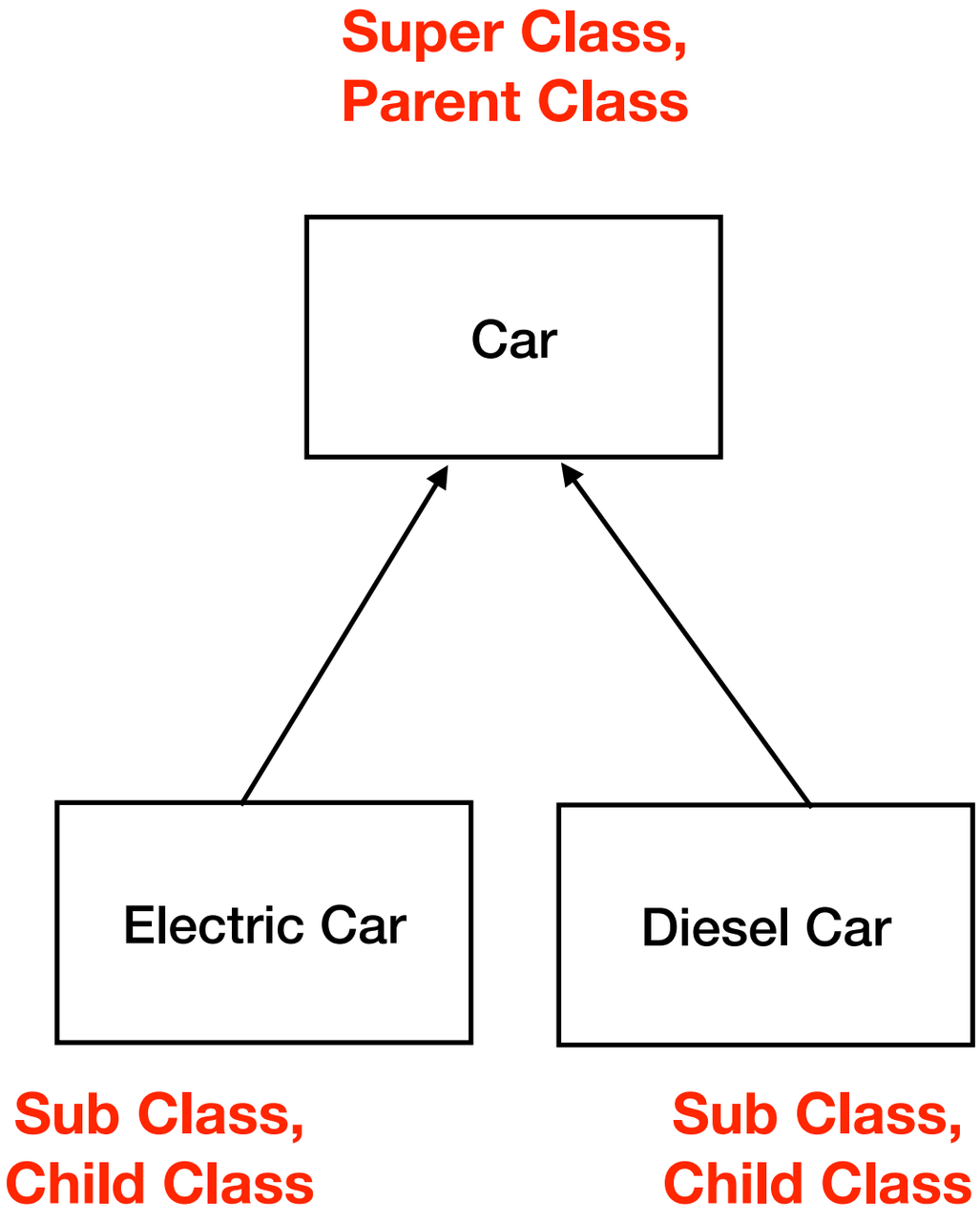

Inheritance Example

```
1  package com.met622.vehicle;
2
3  public class Execution {
4
5      public static void main (String[] args) {
6
7          Car mycar = new  Car("Corolla", 95000);
8          System.out.println(mycar.findPrice());
9
10         Car newCar = new ElectricCar("Tesla", 9899, 2);
11         System.out.println(newCar.findPrice());
12     }
13 }
14
```

```java
package com.met622.vehicle;

public class ElectricCar extends Car {

    private int energyEfficiency;

    public ElectricCar(String model, int miles, int eff) {
        super(model, miles);
        energyEfficiency = eff;
    }

    public int findPrice() {
        int temp = super.findPrice();
        if (energyEfficiency < 3)
            return temp + 20000;
         else
            return temp + 30000;
    }


}
```

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```

Overriding the `findPrice` method

```java
public int findPrice(){
    if (milesDriven < 50000)
        return 20000;
    else
        return 10000;
}
```

Inheritance

- A subclass **inherits everything** (all attributes and all methods with the exception of constructors) of its superclass has, and typically adds some (possibly zero) new attributes and/or some (possibly zero) new methods.

- A subclass can also provide a new definition to a method that it inherits; this is referred to as **overriding**.

- The ElectricCar class inherits method **`findPrice()`** from the Car class and then overrides it.

- Sometimes, while overriding a particular method, a subclass may retain the computation done in the method in the superclass, and then add something to it. This is achieved by a special method call "super".

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Polymorphism

- Polymorphism allows the compiler to be extended with new specialized objects being created while allowing **current part of the system** to **interact with a new object without concern for specific properties of the new objects**.

Source of this example: https://dev.to/charanrajgolla/beginners-guide---object-oriented-programming

Polymorphism

- Polymorphism is an ability that an object can take many form.

- A class that can pass “is-a” test is considered to be polymorphic.

- e.g.

```
Car newCar = new ElectricCar("Tesla", 9899, 2);
System.out.println(newCar.findPrice());
```

- newCar is-a Car
- newCar is-a ElectricCar

Polymorphism

```
public interface Vegetarian{}
public class Animal{}
public class Deer extends Animal implements Vegetarian{}
```

- Deer is-a Animal
- Deer is-a Vegetarian
- Deer is-a Deer

Inheritance causes polymorphism where behavior defined in the inherited class can be overridden by writing a custom implementation of the method. e.g. `findPrice` method in Car classes.

Source of this example: https://www.tutorialspoint.com/java/java_polymorphism.htm

Polymorphism

- Overriding
- Overloading

Overloading

```
public int findPrice() {
    int temp = super.findPrice();
    if (energyEfficiency < 3)
        return temp + 20000;
     else
        return temp + 30000;
}

public int findPrice(String model) {
    if (model.equalsIgnoreCase("Telsa"))
        return 75000;
    else return findPrice();
}
```

Overriding - Overloading

- Overloading: When two or more methods in the same class has the same name but different parameters.

- Overriding: When we have two methods with exactly the same name and same parameters, but one method is inside the parent class and the other method is inside the child class. Their content is also different, otherwise we don't need to have a method described twice.

- When a method/variable is defined as **`final`** it can **not** be overridden. We define a final method/variable, when we need to guarantee a certain behavior in a class, disregard its child class.

- Variables are not possible to be overridden, and obviously overloading does not existed for variables.

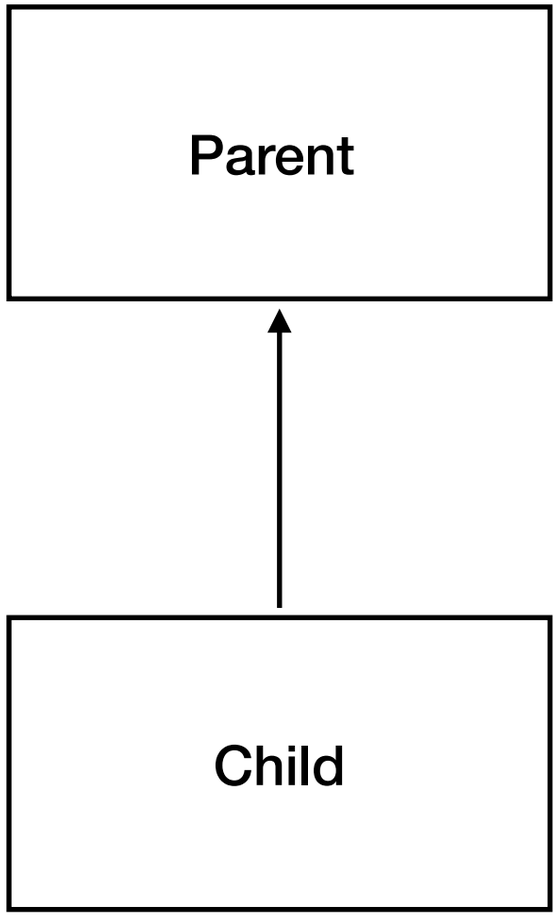
Downcasting and Upcasting

- Upcasting occurs when we cast a child class to the parent class.

- Downcasting occurs when we cast a parent class to the child class.

- Upcasting is always allowed but downcasting causes a type check and it throws “`ClassCastException`”(if we do not specify the class type of parent as a child).

Downcasting and Upcasting



Upcasting:

```
Parent p = new Child();
```

Downcasting (raise error):

```
Child c = new Parent();
```

Correct:

```
Parent p = new Child();
Child c = new Child();
Parent p2 = new Parent();
```

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Abstraction

- Abstraction is the process of hiding implementation details from the user.

e.g. `cluster(dataset, algorithm name)`

We do not need to know how clustering works. We only need to give the dataset and the algorithm name.

Abstract Class

- `'abstract'` is a keyword in Java and we can define a class as abstract.

- An abstract class can not be instantiated. But, its inherited class can.

- If a method is abstract, it should be in abstract class.

```
public class TestAbs {
  …
TestAbs abstract a = new TestAbs();
```

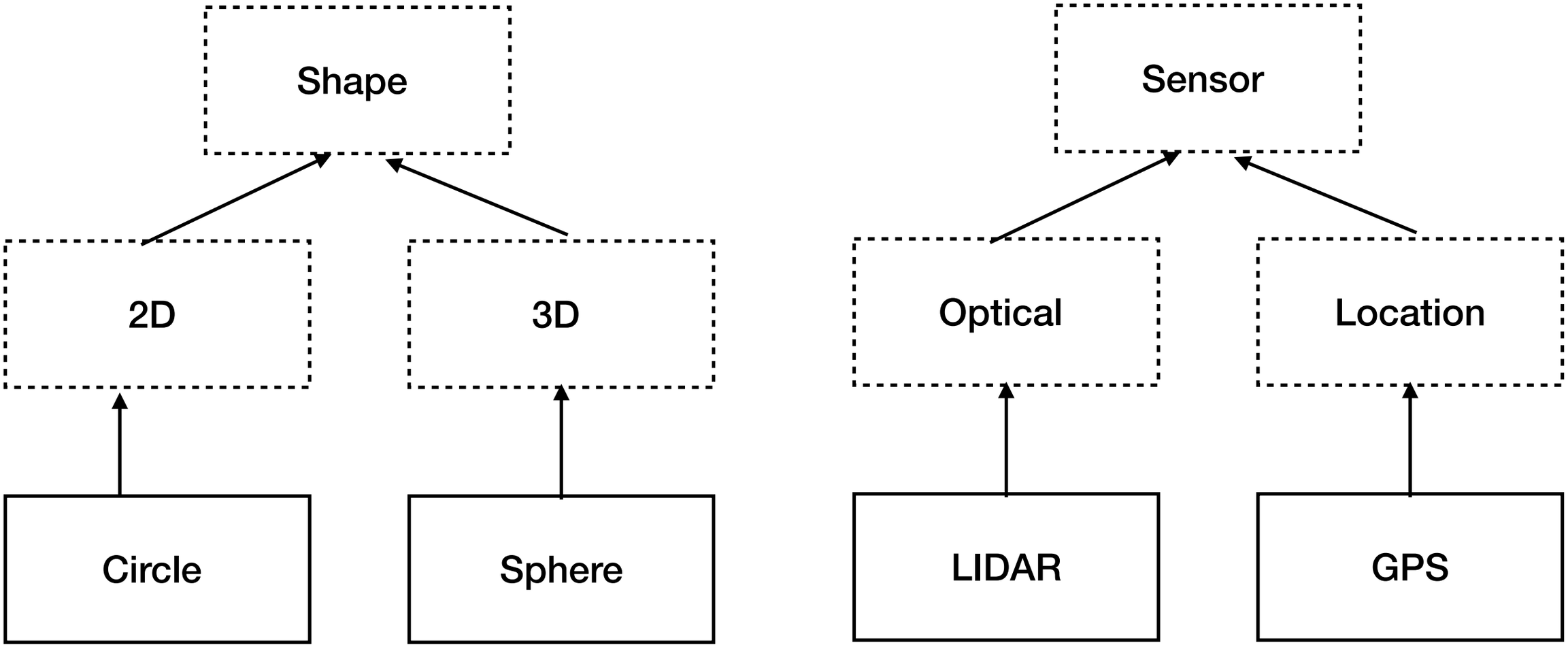
Error

- An inherited class from an abstract class can be instantiated.

```
public class ChildAbs extends TestAbs{
  …
ChildAbs a = new ChildAbs();
```

Correct

Abstract Class Examples



An abstract class is a concept that is required to be implemented by its subclasses

Abstract Class

- An abstract method should not contains the body, it only has method names.

- An abstract class can be extended only and not instantiated.

- An abstract class/method can **not** be **private** or **final**.

- A non-abstract child class that extends an abstract method must implement (override) all of its method without exception. <— this is the use of abstract class (we enforce the child class or override everything)

- An abstract class **can** contain non-abstract methods. But a non-abstract class **cannot** contain abstract method.

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Correct

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Abstract classes provide abstraction and encapsulation, making the code more modular and easier to maintain.

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Additionally, an abstract class can provide a default implementation of specific methods, which can be overridden by subclasses as needed.

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Interface

- Java supports single inheritance, i.e. a class can extend only one class. To handle this we use `interface`.

- Interface is similar to an abstract class (it can not be instantiated), but it can contain only constants, abstract methods, and static methods. It can not contain non-constant fields, but abstract class can contain non-constraint fields.

- In other words, interface is similar to class, but it includes abstract methods and all of its methods should be public.

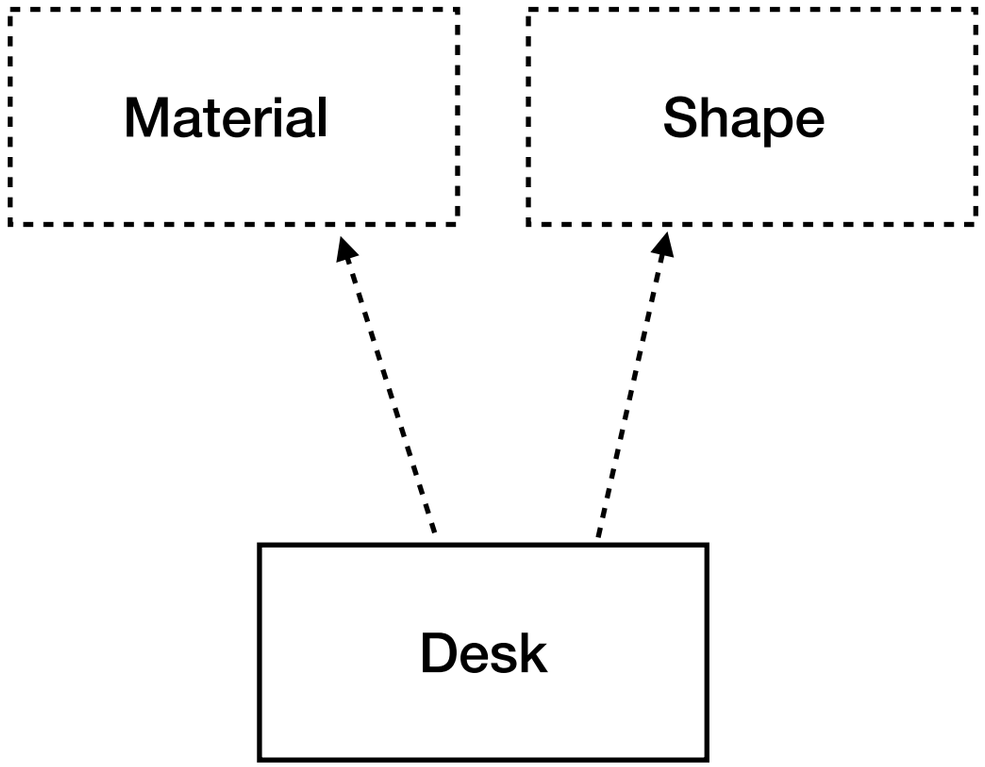
- We cannot instantiate an Interface.

- Interface does not have a constructor.

- All fields in the “interface” should be defined as “static” and “final”.

- All methods in the “interface” must be “public” and “abstract”.

Example



Example

```
public class Desk implements Shape, Weight {

    double getArea() {
        return 100;
    }
    double getSize() {
        return 100;
    }
//  double getWeight() {
//      return 100;
//  }

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Desk d = new Desk();
        System.out.println("---->" + d.getWeight());
    }
    @Override
    public int getWeight() {
        // TODO Auto-generated method stub
        return 0;
    }

}
```

Example

```java
package com.met622.shape;

public interface Weight {
//  public static int getWeight() {
//      return 9999;
//  }
    public abstract int getWeight();
}
```

Correct

```java
package com.met622.shape;

public interface Shape {
    static double getArea() {
        return 0;
        }
    static double getSize() {
        return 0;
        }
}
```

Incorrect
but not error

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Comparable Interface

- Sometimes we define an object with lots of properties and we need our own comparison policy.
- For example, assume we have the class ‘Athlete’ and we need to compare two athletes together. The comparison should be done based on both “strength” and “speed”.

```
public interface Comparable {
    int compareTo(Object obj);
}
```

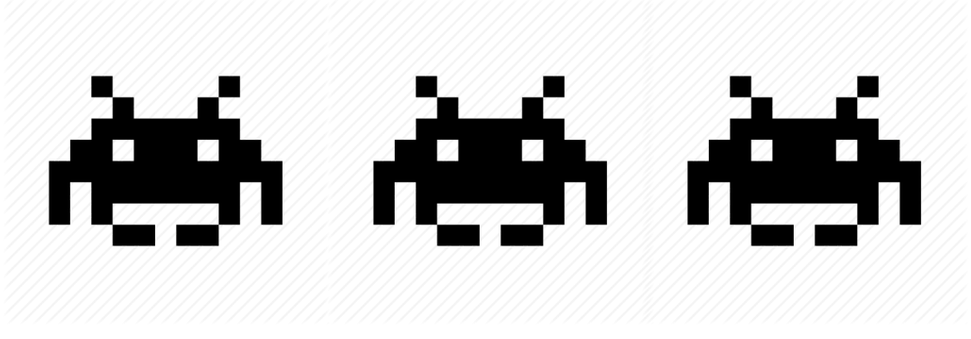
Abstraction vs Encapsulation

Abstraction	Encapsulation
It focuses on removing unnecessary information.	It focuses on keeping the data safe from outside access and misuse
We define it by using **Abstract** and **Interfaces** keywords	We define it by using Access Control Keywords, **public**, **private** and **protected**.
Abstraction focuses on the **design.**	Encapsulation focused on the **implementation.**

Global vs Local Variable

```
public class CLS {
    String x = new String (“variable 1”);
    String y = new String (“variable 2”);
    public void methodB (String x){
        System.out.print(x);
    }
    public static void methodC( ){
      System.out.print(x);
    }
    public void methodA( ) {
        String x = new String(“somevariable”);
        System.out.println(x);
        System.out.println(methodC());
        System.out.println(new CLS().methodB(‘hi’));
    }
}
```

Lets do an Example for Object Oriented Game Design



Another Example, Student, Staff, and Grade

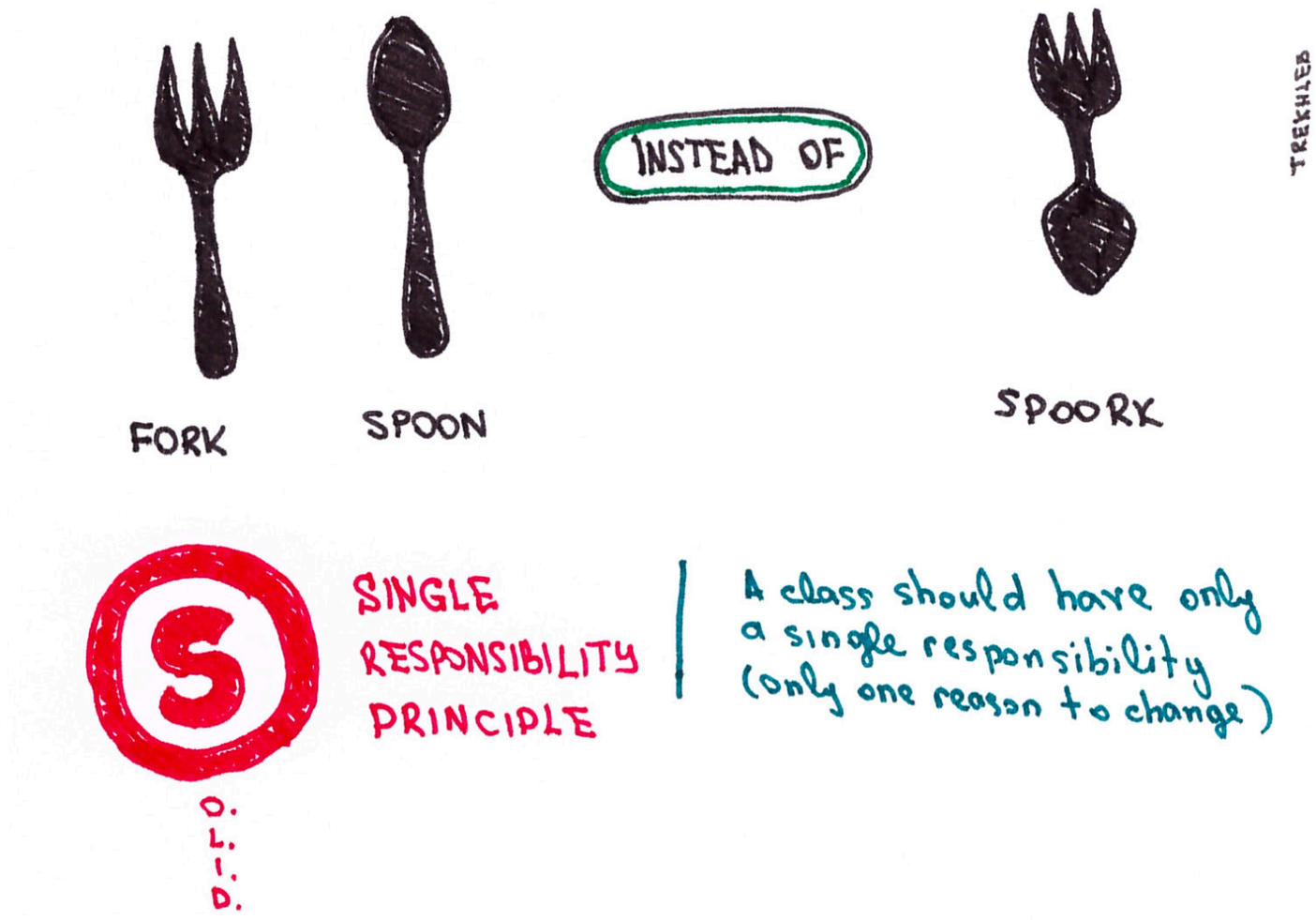
SOLID Concepts

- There are five design principals recommend while doing object oriented programing, which are known as SOLID concepts.

- **Single Responsibility**
- **Open-Closed**
- **Liskov Substitution**
- **Interface Segregation**
- **Dependency Inversion**

SOLID Concepts

- **Single Responsibility:** Each class should have only one responsibility.



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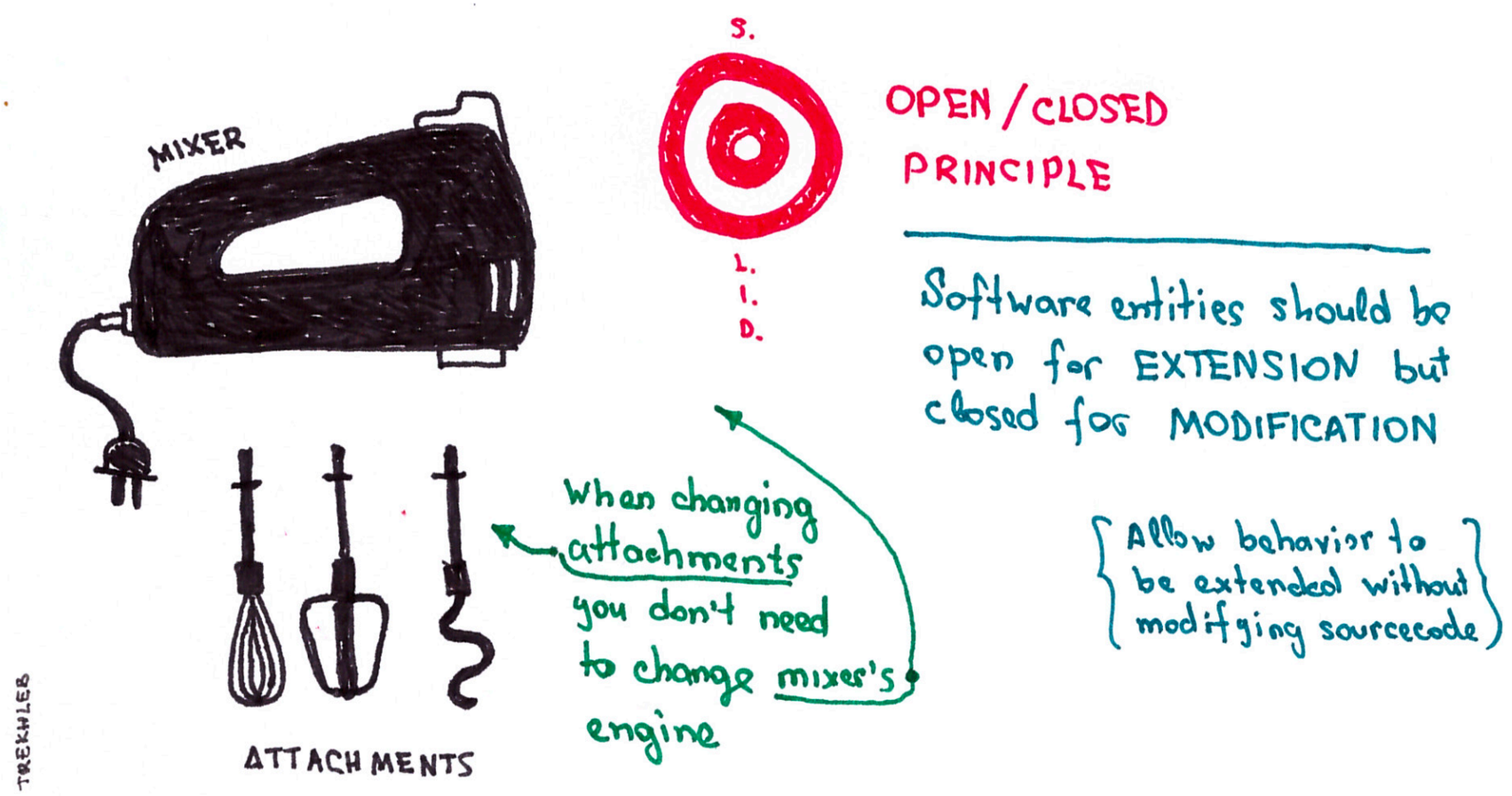
SOLID Concepts

- **Open-Closed:** Software entities, (e.g. your application) should be open for extension, but close for modification.



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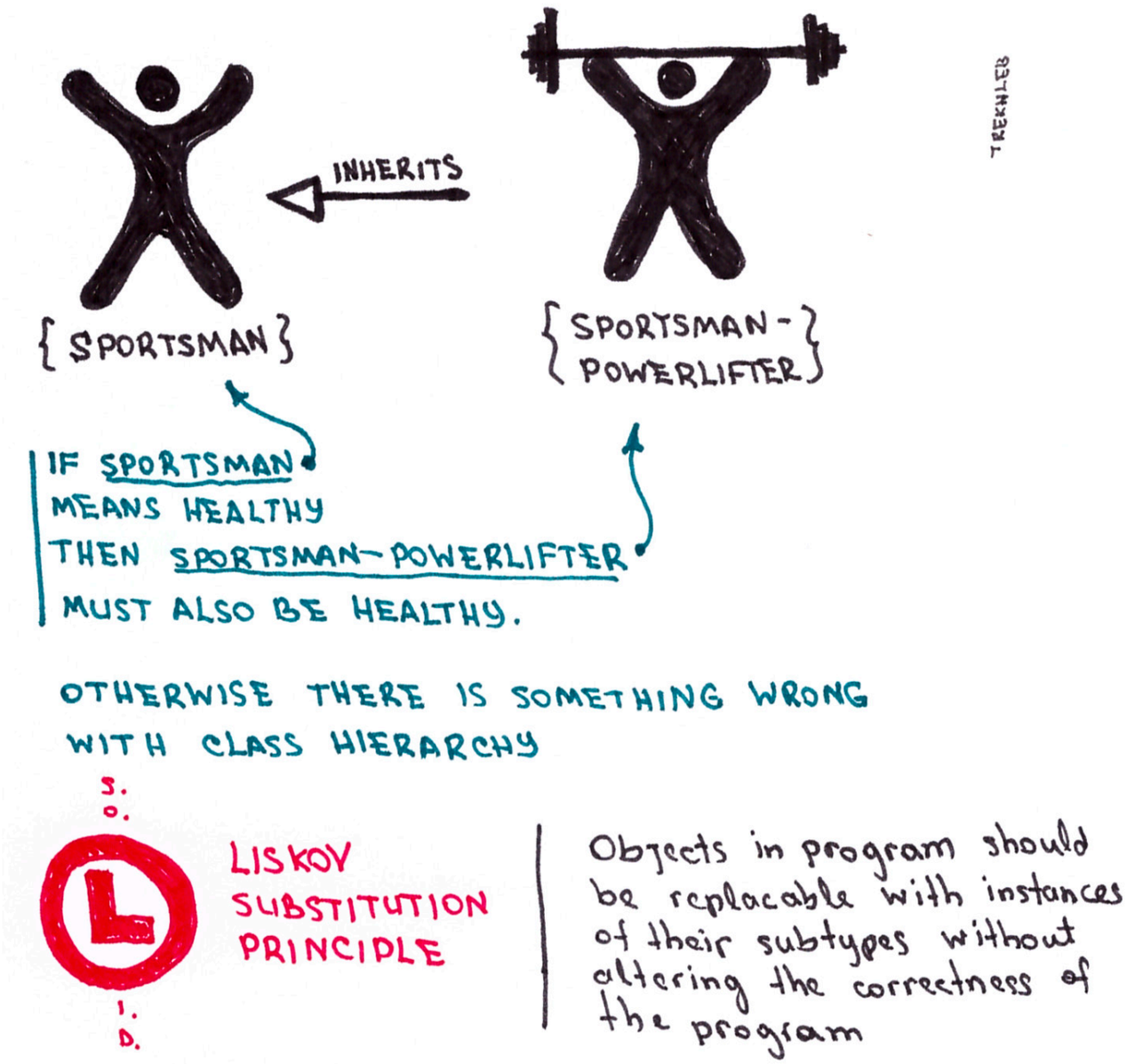
- **Liskov Substitution:**
  Objects in a code should be replaceable with instances of their subtypes without altering the correctness of that code.



SOLID Concepts

- **Interface Segregation:** Several small interfaces are far better than a single general-purpose interface.

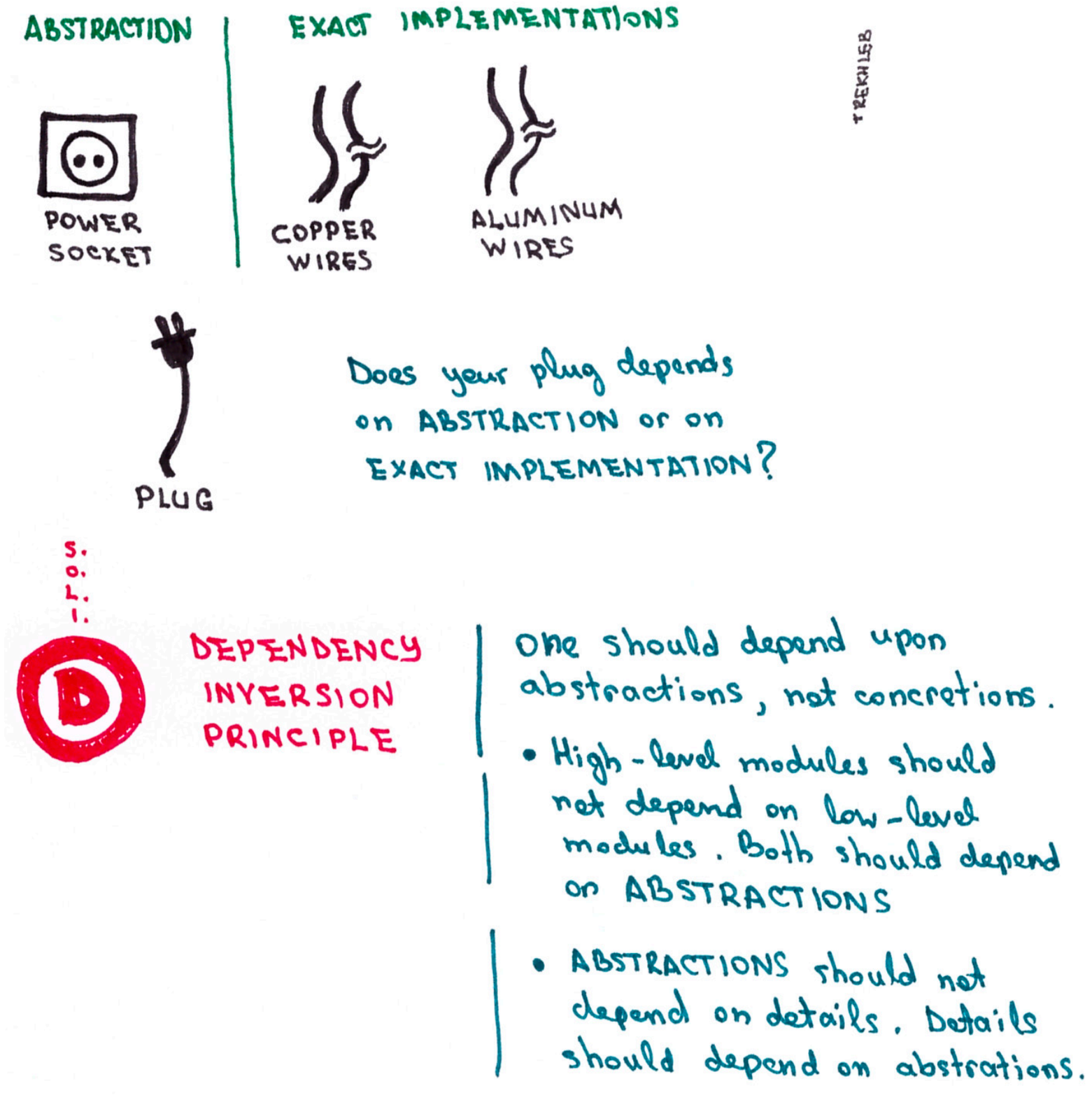
INTERFACE SEGREGATION PRINCIPLE

Many client-specific interfaces are better than one general-purpose interface.

NO CLIENT SHOULD BE FORCED TO DEPEND ON METHODS IT DOESN'T USE

SOLID Concepts

- **Dependency Inversion:** High-level modules should not depend on low level modules, both should depend on abstraction. In other words, abstraction should not care about details, details should care about abstraction.



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