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# Object Oriented Programing with Python

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# 1 Creating an object with a class (basic):

```
class Item:
    pass

item1 = 'Phone'
item1_price = 100
item1_quantity = 5
item1_price_total = item1_price * item1_quantity
```

## 2 Creating the first method

Methods are functions inside classes.

How we can go ahead and design some methods, which are going to be allowed to be executed on our instances?

The answer is, the methods should be created inside our class.

```
class Item:
    def calculate_total_price(self):
        pass

item1 = Item()
item1_price = 100
item1_quantity = 5
item1_price_total = item1_price * item1_quantity
```

### 3 Self

Python passes the object itself as the first argument everytime. So we are not allowed to create methods without the self.

```
class Item:
    def calculate_total_price(self, x, y): # x, and y are parameters
        return x * y

item1 = Item()
item1.name = "Phone"
item1.price = 100
item1.quantity = 5
```

```
print(item1.calculate_total_price(item1.price, item1.quantity)) # When I
    call the method calculate_total_price, Python passes the variables
    as mehtods.
```

### 4 Magic Methods:

 $\_$ init $\_$ 

#### **Instance Attributes:**

An instance attribute is a Python variable belonging to one, and only one, object. This variable is only accessible in the scope of this object, and it's defined inside the constructor function, \_\_init\_\_(self,..) of the class.

```
class Item:
    def __init__(self): # Python executes the init function
        automatically.
        print("I AM CREATED")

item1 = Item()
item1_name = "Phone"
item1.price = 100
item1_quantity = 5

item1 = Item()
item_name = "Laptop"
item1_price = 1000
item1_quantity = 3
Output:
    I AM CREATED
    I AM CREATED
    I AM CREATED
```

How to avoid creating the whole attribute, adding more parameters into the class: Assign the attributes dinamicaly.

```
class Item:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name
        print(f"An instance created from instance: {name}")

item1 = Item("Phone")
#item1.name = "Phone"
item1.price = 100
```

```
item1_quantity = 5
item2 = Item("Laptop")
#item2.name = "Laptop("
item2\_price = 1000
item2.quantity = 3
An instance created from instance: Phone
An instance created from instance: Laptop
class Item:
  def __init__(self, name):
     self.name = name
     print(f"An instance created from instance: {name}")
item1 = Item("Phone")
#item1.name = "Phone"
item1.price = 100
item1_quantity = 5
item2 = Item("Laptop")
#item2.name = "Laptop("
item2\_price = 1000
item2.quantity = 3
Output:
An instance created from instance: Phone
An instance created from instance: Laptop
```

## 5 Simplification / Improvement of objects:

Here is important to observe, that we can simplify the creation of objects adding the attributes to the class. Self is always mandatory.

```
class Item:
    def __init__(self, name, price, quantity = 0):
        self.name = name
        self.price = price
        self.quantity = quantity

    def calculate_total_price(self):
        return self.price * self.quantity

item1 = Item("Phone", 10, 2)
```

```
item2 = Item('Laptop', 50, 15)
print(item1.calculate_total_price())
print(item2.calculate_total_price())

Output:
20
750
```

## 6 Delimiting data types in the class attributes.

```
class Item:
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0
     assert quantity >= 0
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
item1 = Item("Phone", "ten", 2)
item2 = Item('Laptop', 50, 15)
print(item1.calculate_revenues())
print(item2.calculate_revenues())
Output:
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "/home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py", line 16, in <module>
item1 = Item("Phone", "ten", 2)
File "/home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py", line 4, in __init__
assert price >= 0
TypeError: '>=' not supported between instances of 'str' and 'int'
```

# 7 Assertion Error: Technick to find quicklier the errors in the objects input

Assert statement allows us to validate the data types of the objects and to identify errors quicklier.

```
class Item:
   def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
item1 = Item("Phone", 2, -2)
item2 = Item('Laptop', 50, 15)
print(item1.calculate_revenues())
print(item2.calculate_revenues())
Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "/home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py", line 16, in <module>
item1 = Item("Phone", 2, -2)
File "/home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py", line 5, in __init__
assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
AssertionError: Quantity is lower than O
Process finished with exit code 1
```

### 8 Class Attributes

Class attributes are like global attributes. They belong to the class, but they can also be reached from the instance aswell.

For this example I used pay\_rate as a class attribute.

```
class Item:
  pay_rate = 0.8
```

```
def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Instance Level
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
item1 = Item("Phone", 2, 2)
item2 = Item('Laptop', 50, 15)
print(item1.pay_rate)
print(item2.pay_rate)
Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
0.8
0.8
Process finished with exit code 0
```

# 9 Magic Attriute:

To see all the existent attributes: \_\_dict\_\_ This is used to see all the attributes belonging to an object.

```
class Item:
    #Class Level
    pay_rate = 0.8
    def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
        #Run validations to the received arguments
        assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
        assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"

    #Instance Level
    self.name = name
    self.price = price
    self.quantity = quantity

def calculate_revenues(self):
    return self.price * self.quantity
```

### 10 Accessing a class attribute from a method

```
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Instance Level
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * Item.pay_rate
item1 = Item("Phone", 15000, 2)
item1.apply_discount()
```

```
print(item1.price)

Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
12000.0

Process finished with exit code 0
```

# 11 Modify a class attribute for an specific instance

```
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Instance Level
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate # It is important to
         change Item with self. If not, the pay rate will not be read
         from the instance, rather from the class. Without this
         modification, it will be changed on the instance.
item1 = Item("Phone", 100, 2)
item1.apply_discount()
print(f'The price of {item1.name} is {item1.price}')
item2 = Item("Laptop", 1500, 1)
item2.pay_rate = 0.9
item2.apply_discount()
print(f'The price of {item2.name} is {item2.price}')
Output:
```

```
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
The price of Phone is 80.0
The price of Laptop is 1350.0

Process finished with exit code 0
```

### 12 Working with multiple instances:

We create a list, and we append all items from Item to the list all.

```
class Item:
     #Class Level
     pay_rate = 0.8
     all = []
     def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
        #Run validations to the received arguments
        assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
        assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
        #Assign to self object
        self.name = name
        self.price = price
        self.quantity = quantity
        #Actions to execute
        Item.all.append(self)
     def calculate_revenues(self):
        return self.price * self.quantity
     def apply_discount(self):
        self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
item1 = Item("Phone", 100, 1)
item2 = Item("Laptop", 1000, 3)
item3 = Item("Cable", 10, 5)
item4 = Item("Mouse", 50, 5)
item5 = Item("Keyboard", 75, 5)
for instance in Item.all:
  print(instance.name)
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
Phone
Laptop
```

### 13 Magic Method: \_\_repr\_\_

repr: means representing your objects It's a good tool to handle the different objects.

```
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Assign to self object
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
     #Actions to execute
     Item.all.append(self)
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
  def __repr__(self):
     return f"Item name:{self.name}, price: {self.price}, and
         quantity: {self.quantity}"
item1 = Item("Phone", 100, 1)
item2 = Item("Laptop", 1000, 3)
item3 = Item("Cable", 10, 5)
item4 = Item("Mouse", 50, 5)
item5 = Item("Keyboard", 75, 5)
```

```
print(Item.all)

Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
[Item name:Phone, price: 100, and quantity: 1, Item name:Laptop, price: 1000, and quantity: 3, Item name:Cable, price: 10, and quantity: 5, Item name:Mouse, price: 50, and quantity: 5, Item name:Keyboard, price: 75, and quantity: 5]
Process finished with exit code 0
```

The \_repr\_ magic method is also useful to show the objects in a form directly usable to transfer them to another python user. This is part of the best practices according to python document.

```
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Assign to self object
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
     #Actions to execute
     Item.all.append(self)
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
  def __repr__(self):
     return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"
item1 = Item("Phone", 100, 1)
item2 = Item("Laptop", 1000, 3)
item3 = Item("Cable", 10, 5)
item4 = Item("Mouse", 50, 5)
item5 = Item("Keyboard", 75, 5)
```

### 14 Class Method

#### Definition:

A class method is a method that is bound to the class and not the object of the class. They have the access to the state of the class as it takes a class parameter that points to the class and not the object instance. It can modify a class state that would apply across all the instances of the class.

For this I created a csv file named "csv.csv". The content of the file is as follows:

```
name, price, quantity
"Phone", 100, 1
"Laptop", 1000, 3
"Cable", 10, 5
"Mouse", 50, 5
"Keyboard", 75, 5
```

```
import csv

class Item:
    #Class Level
    pay_rate = 0.8
    all = []
    def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
    #Run validations to the received arguments
    assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
    assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"

#Assign to self object
    self.name = name
    self.price = price
```

```
self.quantity = quantity
      #Actions to execute
      Item.all.append(self)
      def calculate_revenues(self):
         return self.price * self.quantity
      def apply_discount(self):
         self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
      @classmethod
      def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
         with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
         reader = csv.DictReader(f)
         items = list(reader)
         for item in items:
         print(item)
      def __repr__(self):
         return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"
   Item.instantiate_from_csv()
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
{'name': 'Phone', ' price': ' 100', ' quantity': ' 1'}
{'name': 'Laptop', ' price': ' 1000', ' quantity': ' 3'}
{'name': 'Cable', ' price': ' 10', ' quantity': ' 5'}
{'name': 'Mouse', ' price': ' 50', ' quantity': ' 5'}
{'name': 'Keyboard', ' price': ' 75', ' quantity': ' 5'}
Process finished with exit code 0
```

## 15 Creating instances using the class method:

```
import csv

class Item:
    #Class Level
    pay_rate = 0.8
    all = []
    def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
        #Run validations to the received arguments
```

```
assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
        assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
        #Assign to self object
        self.name = name
        self.price = price
        self.quantity = quantity
        #Actions to execute
        Item.all.append(self)
     def calculate_revenues(self):
        return self.price * self.quantity
     def apply_discount(self):
        self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
     @classmethod
     def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
        with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
        reader = csv.DictReader(f)
        items = list(reader)
        for item in items:
        Item(
        name = item.get('name'),
        price = float(item.get('price')),
        quantity = int(item.get('quantity'))
     def __repr__(self):
        return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"
  Item.instantiate_from_csv()
  print(Item.all)
Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
[Item(Phone, 100.0, 1), Item(Laptop, 1000.0, 3), Item(Cable, 10.0, 5),
    Item(Mouse, 50.0, 5), Item(Keyboard, 74.5, 5)]
Process finished with exit code 0
```

### 16 Static Method

The static method never sends the object as the first argument.

```
import csv
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Assign to self object
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
     #Actions to execute
     Item.all.append(self)
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
  @classmethod
  def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
     with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
     reader = csv.DictReader(f)
     items = list(reader)
     for item in items:
     Item(
     name = item.get('name'),
     price = float(item.get('price')),
     quantity = int(item.get('quantity'))
  @staticmethod
  def is_integer(num):
     #We will count out the floats that are point zero.
     #For i.e.: 5.0, 10.0
     if isinstance(num, float):
     #Count out the floats that are point zero
     return num.is_integer()
     elif isinstance(num, int):
     return True
     else:
```

```
return False

def __repr__(self):
    return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"

print(Item.is_integer(7.5))
print(Item.is_integer(8.0))

Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/OOP/test.py
False
True

Process finished with exit code 0
```

### 17 static Method vs class Method

**static method**: It is used to do something that has a relationship with the class, but not something that must be unique per instance.

Static method are not passing the object reference as the first argument in the background. They use a **regular** parameter, which is not mandatory.

```
class Item:
    @staticmethod:
    def is_integer():
```

**class method**: It is used to do something that has a relationship with the class, but usually, those that are used to manipulate different structures of data to instantiate objects, like we have done with CSV.

Class method are passing the object reference as the first argument in the background. They use a **mandatory** parameter, which is not mandatory.

```
class Item:
    @classmethod:
    def instantiate_from_something(cls):
```

### 18 Inheritance

It is used to give extra functionalities to the instances, which are special. These instances have something, which make them special. For example a company, which sells phones. These company have 2 broken phones. They have to give them the category of broken, but this category is required only for 2 phones.

In order to solve this problem I have to create a new category, with all the aspects of the old one. Then I have to add these special features to the new category.

For this example, I'm using the inheritance. I created a new class called Phone, which departs from the first class named Item. I'm not adding any special feature to the class Phone yet. But we can observe, that there is not error using the class Phone instead of Item.

```
import csv
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Assign to self object
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
     #Actions to execute
     Item.all.append(self)
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
     @classmethod
  def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
     with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
     reader = csv.DictReader(f)
     items = list(reader)
     for item in items:
     Item(
     name = item.get('name'),
     price = float(item.get('price')),
     quantity = int(item.get('quantity'))
     )
  @staticmethod
  def is_integer(num):
     #We will count out the floats that are point zero.
     #For i.e.: 5.0, 10.0
```

```
if isinstance(num, float):
        #Count out the floats that are point zero
        return num.is_integer()
        elif isinstance(num, int):
        return True
        else:
        return False
     def __repr__(self):
        return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"
  class Phone(Item):
     pass
  phone1 = Phone("jscPhonev10", 500, 5)
  phone2 = Phone("jscPhonev20", 700, 5)
Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
Process finished with exit code 0
```

### 19 Parent Classes

These related classes are composed by parent classes and a child classes.

#### Hierarchical Inheritance

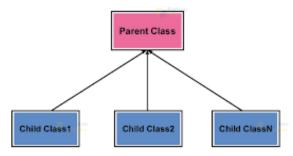


Figure 1:

# 20 Super

Super allows us to have full access to all the attributes of the parent class. By using the **super** function we don't need to copy the old class. It is enough, if

```
import csv
class Item:
  #Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity = 0):
     #Run validations to the received arguments
     assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
     assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
     #Assign to self object
     self.name = name
     self.price = price
     self.quantity = quantity
     #Actions to execute
     Item.all.append(self)
  def calculate_revenues(self):
     return self.price * self.quantity
  def apply_discount(self):
     self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
  @classmethod
  def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
     with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
     reader = csv.DictReader(f)
     items = list(reader)
     for item in items:
     Item(
     name = item.get('name'),
     price = float(item.get('price')),
     quantity = int(item.get('quantity'))
  @staticmethod
  def is_integer(num):
     #We will count out the floats that are point zero.
     #For i.e.: 5.0, 10.0
     if isinstance(num, float):
     #Count out the floats that are point zero
       return num.is_integer()
     elif isinstance(num, int):
       return True
     else:
       return False
```

```
def __repr__(self):
        return f"Item({self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})"
  class Phone(Item):
     all = []
     def __init__(self, name, price, quantity, broken_phones = 0):
        #Call to super function to have acces to all attributes and
            methods
        super().__init__(
        name, price, quantity
        #Run validations to received arguments
        assert broken_phones >= 0, f"Broken Phones {broken_phones} is
            not greater or equal than 0"
        #Actions to execute
        Phone.all.append(self)
  phone1 = Phone("jscPhonev10", 500, 5)
  print(phone1.calculate_revenues())
  phone2 = Phone("jscPhonev20", 700, 5)
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
[Item(jscPhonev10, 500, 5), Item(jscPhonev20, 700, 5)]
[Item(jscPhonev10, 500, 5), Item(jscPhonev20, 700, 5)]
#It is not good to observe that, the broken phones still come from the
    class item.
```

## 21 Separating the objects from each class

Process finished with exit code 0

To avoid the last error of receiving allways that the object comes from the parent class, we modified the string Item with the magic methods:

\_\_class\_\_\_\_name\_\_

```
import csv
class Item:
  # Class Level
  pay_rate = 0.8
  all = []
def __init__(self, name: str, price: float, quantity=0):
  # Run validations to the received arguments
  assert price >= 0, f"Price is lower than 0"
  assert quantity >= 0, f"Quantity is lower than 0"
  # Assign to self object
  self.name = name
  self.price = price
  self.quantity = quantity
  # Actions to execute
  Item.all.append(self)
def calculate_revenues(self):
  return self.price * self.quantity
def apply_discount(self):
  self.price = self.price * self.pay_rate
@classmethod
def instantiate_from_csv(cls):
  with open('csv.csv', 'r') as f:
  reader = csv.DictReader(f)
  items = list(reader)
  for item in items:
  Item(
  name=item.get('name'),
  price=float(item.get('price')),
  quantity=int(item.get('quantity'))
  )
@staticmethod
def is_integer(num):
  # We will count out the floats that are point zero.
  # For i.e.: 5.0, 10.0
  if isinstance(num, float):
  # Count out the floats that are point zero
  return num.is_integer()
  elif isinstance(num, int):
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return True
  else:
  return False
def __repr__(self):
  return f"{self.__class__.__name__}({self.name}, {self.price},
      {self.quantity})"
  #return f"Item(self.name}, {self.price}, {self.quantity})" we
      replaced this command to avoid getting allways the name of the
      class Item.
class Phone(Item):
  all = []
  def __init__(self, name, price, quantity, broken_phones=0):
     # Call to super function to have acces to all attributes and
         methods
     super().__init__(
     name, price, quantity
     # Run validations to received arguments
     assert broken_phones >= 0, f"Broken Phones {broken_phones} is not
         greater or equal than 0"
     #Actions to execute
     Phone.all.append(self)
phone1 = Phone("jscPhonev10", 500, 5)
phone2 = Phone("jscPhonev20", 700, 5)
print(Item.all)
print(Phone.all)
Output:
/usr/bin/python3.10 /home/lucas/workspace/00P/test.py
[Phone(jscPhonev10, 500, 5), Phone(jscPhonev20, 700, 5)]
[Phone(jscPhonev10, 500, 5), Phone(jscPhonev20, 700, 5)]
#Now we can observe the change.
Process finished with exit code 0
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## 22 Use of the super function