Aggregation in Java:

* If a class have an entity reference, it is known as Aggregation.
* Aggregation is a special form of association.
* It is a relationship between two classes like [**association**](https://beginnersbook.com/2013/05/association/)
* It is directional association which means one way association
* It represents HAS-A relationship

Why we need it ?

* For code re-usability

In Java, we have two types of relationship:

1. **Is-A relationship:** Whenever one class inherits another class, it is called an IS-A relationship. **(Inheritance** helps to achieve IS-A relationship)
2. **Has-A relationship:** Whenever an instance of one class is used in another class, it is called HAS-A relationship.(**Aggregation** helps to achieve Has-A relationship)