

CSE 1203

Object Oriented Programming [C++]

Chapter 5: Java Programming -01

Java: Introduction

What is UML?

Java is a popular object oriented programming language, created in 1995.

It is owned by Oracle, and more than **3 billion** devices run Java.

It is used for:

- Mobile applications (specially Android apps)
- Desktop applications
- Web applications
- Web servers and application servers
- Games
- Database connection
- And much, much more!

Java Specification: java syntax & semantic

- To write English we should follow some rules (Grammar, ...).
- Also, to write Java we should follow some rules → syntax & semantics.
- He **are** playing → syntax error. (Grammar)
- He is hello and bye → semantic error. (Meaning)

API: Application Programming Inter

- Also known as a '**library**'.
- Contains predefined Java code that we can use to develop Java programs.
 - Faster and easier development process | no need to write everything from scratch.

Java Editions: 3 types

- Java Standard Edition (SE): develop applications that run on desktop.
- Java Enterprise Edition (EE): develop server-side applications.
- Java Micro Edition (ME): develop applications for mobile devices.

JDK: Java Development Kit

- Set of programs that enable us to develop our programs.
- Contains JRE (Java Runtime Environment) that is used to run our programs.
- JRE & JDK contain JVM (Java Virtual Machine).
- JVM executes our java programs on different machines.
 - java is independent .

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IDE: Integrated Development Environment

A program that allows us to:

- **Write** | source code.
- **Compile** | machine code.
- **Debug** | tools to find errors.
- **Build** | files that can be executed by JVM.
- **Run** | execute our program.

→ Development is faster and easier.

Popular Java IDEs: NetBeans, Eclipse, IntelliJ IDEA, ...

Java: Basic Concepts



Classes & Objects



Methods



Naming Conventions



Java Program Structure



Packages

Java: Class Structure

```
class class_name {  
    code block  
}
```

Java : Methods

```
return_type method_name( parameters ) {  
    code block  
}
```

Note: every method is written inside a Class.
→ A class is a container of methods.

Java : Method Calling

```
method_name( give parameters );
```

→ The code block of this method will be executed.

Note: the `main()` method is automatically called when we run our java program.

→ it is the first method that is called.

→ it is the starting point of execution of our program

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Java: Naming Convention

Pascal case convention:

→ ThisIsAName
(class Name)

Camel case convention:

→ thisIsAName
(variable, Method Name)

Snake case convention:

→ this_is_a_name

Java: Programming Structure

```
public class Main {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Note: Each java program must have a class that contain **main()** method

4 Java : Package

A container for Classes



Java: println() method

```
System.out.println("hello");  
System.out.println("123");  
System.out.println("");  
System.out.println("456");
```

→

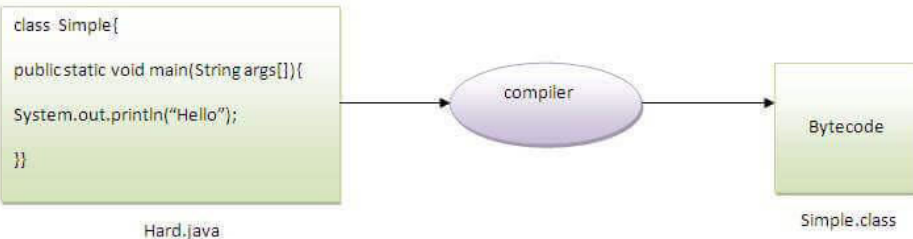
```
hello  
123  
  
456
```

Java : System.out

- **out** is an object of the 'PrintStream' Class.
- **out** has the **print()** and **println()** methods.
→ use **:** to access **print()/println()** of **out**.
- **out** refers to the standard output device. (Screen)
- **System** is a Class (pascal case).
- **out** is **inside System** (field).
→ use **:** to access **out** of **System**.
- **System.out.println()**.

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Java: Compiling



Java Virtual Machine, or JVM, loads, verifies and executes Java bytecode. It is known as the interpreter or the core of Java programming language because it executes Java programming.

Java: Program

Program 1: print a message/text

```
package CSE1203;

public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.print("Welcome to Java World");
    }
}
```

Output

Welcome to Java World

Notes: The class name must be the same as the .java source filename and package should be declared at first

Program 2: print a message/text

```
package CSE1203;
public class Second {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.print("Talk less listen more");
    }
}
```

Notes: A class Second is created under package CSE1203

Program 2 (ex): call main() of second

```
package CSE1203;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Welcome to Java World");
        Second.main(null);
    }
}
```

Output

Welcome to Java World
Talk less listen more

Notes: In the First class just write the class name if you want to call other classes method

Java: Program

Program 2 (ex): change Second class

```
package CSE1203;
public class Second {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Talk less listen more");
        Display();
    }
    public static void Display() {
        System.out.println("Honesty is the best policy");
    }
}
```

Output

```
Welcome to Java World
Talk less listen more
Honesty is the best policy
```

Notes: From First class, main() of Second class is called and inside the main() of Second, Display method is called

Access Modifier: 4 Types

1. public : access from everywhere
2. private: access only inside the class
3. protected: access from everywhere
4. default: access from everywhere

Access Modifier: public

The access level is **everywhere**.

- Inside a class.
- Outside a class.
- Inside the package.
- Outside the package.

Non-Access Modifier: static

You can access fields/methods **using the class name**.

Example:

System.out

→ **out** is a static field of **System**

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Program 3: private method

```
package CSE1203;
public class Second {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Talk less listen more");
        Display();
    }
    private static void Display() {
        System.out.println("Honesty is the best policy");
    }
}
```

Output

```
Talk less listen more
Honesty is the best policy
```

Notes: It is run from Second but in the following it is run from First. It produces error as Display() is private to Second class

```
package CSE1203;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Welcome to Java World");
        Second.Display();
    }
}
```

Program 4: static method

```
package CSE1203;
public class Second {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Talk less listen more");
        Second.Display();
    }
    private static void Display() {
        System.out.println("Honesty is the best policy");
    }
}
```

Notes: static method can be called by its class name with (.) operator. But if you remove the static from Display() in the following then it can not be called from main(). **Remember that a non-static method can not be called from a static method**

```
package CSE1203;
public class Second {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Talk less listen more");
        Display(); //produces error
    }
    Private void Display() {
        System.out.println("Honesty is the best policy");
    }
}
```


Java: Program

Programming Style

```
public class Main {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("hello");  
    }  
}
```

→ Good

```
public class Main {public static void main(String[] args)  
{System.out.println("hello");}}
```

→ Bad

Notes: Use proper spacing and indentation

Programming Style : block

```
public class Main {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("hello");  
    }  
}
```

→ End-of-line style
Used in java API
Source code

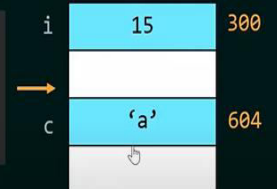
```
public class Main  
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        System.out.println("hello");  
    }  
}
```

→ Next-line style

Data Types: primitives

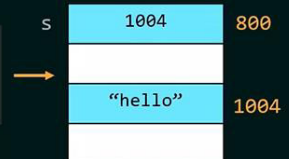
byte, short, int, long, float, double, and char are primitive types

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int i = 15;  
    char c = 'a';  
}
```



Data Types: reference

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    String s = "hello";  
}
```



The variable contains the address of the value.
The variable references the value.
s → "hello"

string class: few methods

charAt()
compareTo()
concat()
equals()

isEmpty()
length()
replace()
substring()

toLowerCase()
toUpperCase()
toString()
trim()

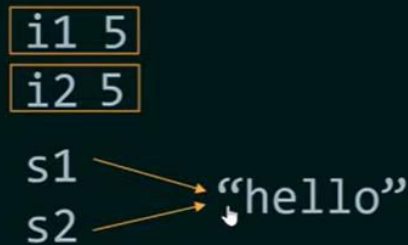
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Primitive vs Reference Types

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int i1 = 5;  
    int i2 = i1;  
  
    String s1 = "hello";  
    String s2 = s1;  
}
```

Memory Allocation

i1	5	100
s2	1008	500
i2	5	200
s1	1008	300
	"hello"	1008



Immutable Objects: primitives

Objects whose contents can not be changed

- A constant is a variable whose value can not change
- An immutable object is an object whose **content** can not be changed
- Immutable objects are created from immutable classes
- The String Class in Java is Immutable
 - The content of String objects in Java can not be changed

Immutable class: string class

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    String str = "Old Value";  
    str = "New Value";  
}
```



```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    String str1 = "Value1";  
    String str2 = str1;  
    str2 = "Value2";  
}
```



Java: Program

scanner class : next() method

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);  
    System.out.print("Enter your name: ");  
    System.out.println("Your name is: " + input.next());  
}
```

Kamal

Your name is Kamal

Methods: scanner class

```
input.next(); // Read a String  
input.nextInt(); // Read an integer  
input.nextDouble(); // Read a double  
  
.nextByte(), .nextShort(), .nextLong(), .nextFloat(), .nextBoolean()
```

When one of these methods is called, the program will pause execution and wait for the user to enter a value, the entered value will be returned by these methods.

Note: we don't have .nextChar()

scanner class : nextInt() method

```
package CSE1203;  
  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class First {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);  
        int a=scan.nextInt();  
        int b=scan.nextInt();  
        int s=a+b;  
        System.out.println("sum="+s);  
    }  
}
```

Here two integers input from keyboard stored in variable a and b. Then s stored sum of a & b

Built in Statements

If, switch, for, while, do-while are the same as C/C++

Java: Program

Local Variable and its Scope

The scope of a variable is the part of the program where the variable can be referenced/used

- A variable defined inside a method is called a **local variable**.
- The scope of a local variable starts from its declaration and continues to the end of the block that **contains** the variable.
- A local variable must be declared and assigned a value before it can be used.
- Parameters are also local variables, their scope is the whole method.

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Java: array declaration

```
dataType[] arr; (or)  
dataType []arr; (or)  
dataType arr[];
```

Java: array instantiation

```
arrayRefVar=new datatype[size];
```

Example: Local Variable

```
package CSE1203;  
public class First {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        if(true) {  
            int i=5;  
            System.out.println("i="+i);  
        }  
        System.out.println("i="+i);  
    }  
}
```

Here error occurs at second println as i declared inside block if

Example: array

```
package CSE1203;  
public class First {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int[] ax=new int[5];  
        ax[0]=10; ax[1]=20;  
        for(int i=0;i<5;i++)  
            System.out.println(" "+ax[i]);  
    }  
}
```

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Example: array pass by reference

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] numbers = {0, 1};
    change(numbers);
    printArray(numbers); // 1 0
}

public static void change(int[] numbers) {
    numbers[0] = 1; // {1, 1}
    numbers[1] = 0; // {1, 0}
}

public static void printArray(int[] numbers) {
    for(int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++)
        System.out.print(numbers[i] + " ");
}
```

Here array is an object and it is passed by reference

Java: anonymous object

Anonymous means **Nameless**. An anonymous object is basically a value that has been created but has no name.

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Example: anonymous object

```
package CSE1203;
import java.awt.Point;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Point p=getPoint();
        System.out.println("p="+p);
    }
    private static Point getPoint() {
        return new Point(1,2); //anonymous object
    }
}
```

Java: array of anonymous object

```
package CSE1203;
import java.awt.Point;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] numbers=getNumber();
        printArray(numbers);
    }
    public static void printArray(int[] numbers) {
        for(int i=0;i<numbers.length;i++)
            System.out.print(" "+numbers[i]);
    }
    public static int[] getNumber() {
        return new int[] {1,2,3,4,5};
    }
}
```

Java: Program

Java: Array class methods for

- Sorting
- Searching
- Comparing
- Filling
- Returning a string representation of an array

Java: Arrays sort() method

```
package CSE1203;
import java.util.Arrays;

public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] numbers= {10,20,70,90,30,80};
        System.out.println("Initial Array:");
        printArray(numbers);
        Arrays.sort(numbers);
        System.out.println("\nSorted Array:");
        printArray(numbers);
    }

    private static void printArray(int[] numbers) {
        for(int i=0;i<numbers.length;i++)
            System.out.print(" "+numbers[i]);
    }
}
```

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Java: Arrays BinarySearch() method

```
package CSE1203;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] numbers= {10,20,70,90,30,80};
        System.out.println("Initial Array:");
        printArray(numbers);
        Arrays.sort(numbers);
        System.out.println("\nSorted Array:");
        printArray(numbers);
        int i=Arrays.binarySearch(numbers, 44);
        //returns index or if not found returns -ve number
        System.out.println("\nIndex of found element="+i);
    }

    private static void printArray(int[] numbers) {
        for(int i=0;i<numbers.length;i++)
            System.out.print(" "+numbers[i]);
    }
}
```

Java: Arrays fill() method

```
// fill(array, value): fill whole array
int[] numbers1 = new int[8]; // {0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0}
Arrays.fill(numbers1, 3); // {3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3}

// fill(array, fromIndex, toIndex, value)
int[] numbers2 = new int[8]; // {0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0}
Arrays.fill(numbers2, 3, 7, 5); // {0, 0, 0, 5, 5, 5, 5, 0}
```


Java: Program

Java: Arrays toString() method

```
package CSE1203;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] ax= {10,20,70,90,30,80};
        System.out.println("Initial Array:");
        System.out.println(Arrays.toString(ax));
    }
}
```

Output

```
Initial Array:
[10, 20, 70, 90, 30, 80]
```

Note: The **toString()** method returns the String representation of the object. By overriding the **toString()** method of the Object class, we can return values of the object, so we don't need to write much code.

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Java: Variable Length Parameter(...)

```
package CSE1203;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] ax= {10,20,70,90,30,80};
        System.out.println(sum(1,2,3));
        System.out.println(sum(1,2,3,4));
        System.out.println(sum(ax));
    }
    public static int sum(int...ax) {
        int s=0;
        for(int i=0;i<ax.length;i++)
            s=s+ax[i];
        return s;
    }
}
```

Java: 2D array Declaration

```
int[][] numbers; // null

numbers = new int[5][3];
```


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Java: ArrayList class

```
ArrayList<Integer> integers; // null
integers = new ArrayList<>();
```

```
ArrayList<Integer> integers = new ArrayList<>();
ArrayList<String> fruits = new ArrayList<>();
ArrayList<Double> doubles = new ArrayList<>();
```

⚠ In an **ArrayList**, we can store objects (**String, Integer, Boolean, Double, Character,...**), not a primitive type (**int, boolean, double, char...**).

Note: The **ArrayList** class is a resizable/variable length array. It includes methods **add()**, **set()**, **remove()**, **size()**, **clear()** etc.

Note: To display the content of an array, it should be written inside the **print()** method. To write **toString()** method after array object is not mandatory

```
for ( TYPE VAR_NAME : ArrayList/Array ) {
    ...
}
```

– In each iteration, the variable **VAR_NAME** will hold the value of an element inside the **ArrayList/Array**, starting from the first element.

– There is no index

– Safe (Boundaries)

Example: ArrayList class

```
package CSE1203;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        ArrayList<String> fruits=new ArrayList<>();
        fruits.add("Apple");//insert at back
        fruits.add("Mango");//insert at back
        fruits.add("Orange");//insert at back
        System.out.println(fruits);
        fruits.add(0,"Banana");//insert at index 0
        System.out.println(fruits);
        System.out.println(fruits.get(0)); //get element of index 0
        fruits.set(1, "Guava");//change value at index 1
        System.out.println(fruits);
        fruits.remove(2); //delete value at index 2
        System.out.println(fruits);
        fruits.remove("Orange"); //delete by value
        System.out.println(fruits.toString()); //same
        System.out.println(fruits.size()); //Total elements
        fruits.sort(null); //sort elements
        Collections.sort(fruits); //Alternative sort
        fruits.clear(); //delete all elements
        System.out.println(fruits);
    }
}
```

Java: Program

Java: for-each loop

```
for ( TYPE VAR_NAME : ArrayList/Array ) {  
    ...  
}
```

– In each iteration, the variable VAR_NAME will hold the value of an element inside the ArrayList/Array, starting from the first element.

– There is no index

– Safe (Boundaries)

Example: for-each loop

```
package CSE1203;  
import java.util.ArrayList;  
import java.util.Arrays;  
  
public class First {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        ArrayList<String> fruits=new ArrayList<>();  
        fruits.add("Orange");//insert at back  
        fruits.add("Mango");//insert at back  
        fruits.add("Apple");//insert at back  
        for(String i:fruits)  
            System.out.print(" "+i);  
    }  
}
```

Java: class & object

Java: class-object

```
package CSE1203;
import java.awt.Point;

public class First {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Circle c1=new Circle(new Point(4,2),3);
        System.out.println("Center="+c1.getCenter());
        System.out.println("Area="+c1.Area());
    }
}
```

Note: here new Point(4,2) is anonymous object. Class Circle can be define in the same file with main() or in the different file.

```
package CSE1203;

import java.awt.Point;

class Circle{
    Point c;
    int r;
    public
    Circle(Point c,int r){
        this.c=c;
        this.r=r;
    }
    double Area() {
        return 2*3.14*r;
    }
    Point getCenter() {
        return c;
    }
}
```

Java: static variable/method

Java: static variable/method

Static variables and static methods belong to the class, they are shared between all objects

- If an object modifies a static variable, all objects of the same class are affected.
- A static variable can be accessed without creating an instance of the class.
- A static method can be called using the same way.
- A static method can not access instance variables or methods.

Java: static variable/method

```
package CSE1203;
import java.awt.Point;

public class First {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Circle c1=new Circle(new Point(4,2),3);
        Circle c2=new Circle(new Point(1,2),4);
        System.out.println("Center="+c1.getCenter());
        System.out.println("Area="+c1.Area());
        System.out.println("Circle
Count="+c1.getCount());
    }
}
```

```
package CSE1203;
import java.awt.Point;

class Circle{
    Point c;
    int r;
    static int count=0;
    public
    Circle(Point c,int r){
        this.c=c;
        this.r=r;
        count++;
    }
    double Area() {
        return 2*3.14*r;
    }
    Point getCenter() {
        return c;
    }
    static int getCount() {
        return count;
    }
}
```

Note: here count is a static variable and it is common for all objects. To return a static variable a static method is used.

Java: static variable/method

Java: Visibility Modifiers

Visibility modifiers can be used to specify the visibility of a class and its members

- **public**: Can be used on classes and class members. Used for unrestricted access, i.e. can be accessed from any other class.
- **private**: Can be used on class members. Used for restricting the access to the defining class, i.e. can be accessed within the class only.
- **protected**
- If no visibility modifier is used, then by default the classes, methods, and data fields are accessible by any class in the same package.

Example: Visibility Modifiers

```
package CSE1203_01
```

```
class C1 {  
    C2 c2; // can access C2  
    C3 c3; // can access C3  
}
```

```
public class C2 {  
    C1 c1; // can access C1  
    C3 c3; // can access C3  
}
```

```
package CSE1203_02
```

```
public class C3 {  
    C2 c2; // can access C2  
    // can not access C1  
}
```

Note: public class can be access from any package but default class can be accessed within the package

Java: Inner class

In Java, inner class refers to **the class that is declared inside class or interface**. Inner classes are **a security mechanism in Java**. We know a class cannot be associated with the access modifier private, but if we have the class as a member of other class, then the inner class can be made private. And this is also used to access the private members of a class.

```
package CSE1203;  
public class First {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        //outer is Outer class object  
        Outer outer=new Outer();  
        outer.Display();  
        //in is Inner class object  
        Outer.Inner in = new Outer().new Inner(45);  
        in.getY();  
    }  
}
```

Note: Here object of private Inner class is created via public Outer class. Outer class private members can be accessed by inner class

Java: static variable/method

Java: Outer class and inner class example

```
package CSE1203;

import java.awt.Point;

public class Outer{
    private int x;
    class Inner{
        private int y;
        public Inner(int y) {
            this.y=y;
        }
        public void setY(int y) {
            this.y=y;
        }
        public int getY() {
            return y;
        }
    }
    public void Display() {
        Inner inner=new Inner(0);
        inner.setY(12);
        System.out.println(inner.getY());
    }
}
```

Java: Inner class example

```
package CSE1203;
public class First {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        //outer is Outer class object
        Outer outer=new Outer();
        outer.Display();
        //in is Inner class object
        Outer.Inner in = new Outer().new Inner(45);
        in.sum();
    }
}
```

```
package CSE1203;

public class Outer{
    private int x=20;
    class Inner{
        private int y;
        public Inner(int y) {
            this.y=y;
        }
        public void setY(int y) {
            this.y=y;
        }
        public int getY() {
            return y;
        }
    }
}
```

```
    public void sum() {
        System.out.println("inside
sum="+x+y));
    }
}
    public void Display() {
        Inner inner=new Inner(0);
        inner.setY(12);
        System.out.println(inner.getY());
    }
}
```

Java: inheritance

Java: Inheritance

```
package CSE1203;

class Calculator{
    int s;
    public int add(int x,int y) {
        s=x+y;
        return s;
    }
    public int aub(int x,int y) {
        s=x-y;
        return s;
    }
}

public class First extends Calculator {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        First cal=new First();
        System.out.println(cal.add(3, 5));
    }
}
```

Note: while defining multiple classes in a single Java file you need to make sure that only one class among them is public. If you have more than one public classes a single file a compile-time error will be generated.

Use **extends** keyword after class definition for inheritance

Java: uses of **super** keyword

1. **super** can be used to refer immediate parent class instance variable.
2. **super** can be used to invoke immediate parent class method.
3. **super()** can be used to invoke immediate parent class constructor.

```
package CSE1203;
class Human{
    String name="Human";
}
class Person extends Human{
    String name="Person";
}
class Employee extends Person{
    String name="Employee";
    public void Display() {
        System.out.println(name);
        System.out.println(super.name);
    }
}

public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Employee emp=new Employee();
        emp.Display();
    }
}
```


Java: inheritance

Java: super method

```
package CSE1203;
class Person{
String name="Person";
public void Display() {
    System.out.println(name);
}
}

class Employee extends Person{
String name="Employee";

public void Display() {
    super.Display();
    System.out.println(name);
}
}

public class First {
public static void main(String[] args){
Employee emp=new Employee();
emp.Display();
}
```

Note: Here using super, parent class method Display() is called.

Java: uses of super keyword

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}
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String name="Employee";
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    System.out.println(name);
    System.out.println(super.name);
}
}

public class First {
public static void main(String[] args) {
Employee emp=new Employee();
emp.Display();
}
}
```

Java: inheritance

Java: super() method

```
package CSE1203;
class Person{
String name="Person";
public Person() {
    System.out.println(name);
}
public Person(String s) {
    name=s;
    System.out.println(name);
}
}
class Employee extends Person{
String name="Employee";
public Employee() {
    super("Rana");
    System.out.println(name);
}
}
```

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called when child class object is created. If we want to call parameterized constructor then super(values) is used as the first statement inside the child constructor.

Java: abstract class

- A class which contains the **abstract** keyword in its declaration is known as abstract class.
- Abstract classes may or may not contain abstract methods i.e., methods with out body (public void get();)
- But, if a class have at least one abstract method, then the class **must** be declared abstract.
- If a class is declared abstract it cannot be instantiated.
- To use an abstract class you have to inherit it from another class, provide implementations to the abstract methods in it.

```
package CSE1203;
abstract class Shape{
String name="Shape";
public abstract void Display();
}
class Circle extends Shape{
String name="Circle";
public void Display() {
    System.out.println("in class "+name);
}
}
public class First {
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Circle c=new Circle();
    c.Display();
}
}
```

Java: inheritance

Java: abstract class

Notes on prev program: In Shape class an abstract method is declared but its implementation is done in Circle class. Here Shape class must be abstract as an abstract method in it. However an abstract class may or may not have abstract method. As Shape is an abstract class no object is created of that class.

Java: interface

An **interface in Java** is a blueprint of a class. It has static constants and abstract methods.

The interface in Java is *a mechanism to achieve [abstraction](#)*. There can be only abstract methods in the Java interface, not method body. It is used to achieve abstraction and multiple [inheritance in Java](#).

In other words, you can say that interfaces can have abstract methods and variables. It cannot have a method body.

Abstraction is a process of hiding the implementation details and showing only functionality to the user.

- Like **abstract classes**, interfaces **cannot** be used to create objects
- Interface methods do not have a body - the body is provided by the "implement" class
- On implementation of an interface, you must override all of its methods
- Interface methods are by default **abstract** and **public**
- Interface attributes are by default **public**, **static** and **final**
- An interface cannot contain a constructor (as it cannot be used to create objects)

Java: multiple interface

```
package CSE1203;
interface FI{
    public void myMethod(); // interface method
}
interface SI {
    public void myOtherMethod(); // interface method
}
class DemoClass implements FI, SI {
    public void myMethod() {
        System.out.println("From FI");
    }
    public void myOtherMethod() {
        System.out.println("From SI");
    }
}
public class First {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        DemoClass myObj = new DemoClass();
        myObj.myMethod();
        myObj.myOtherMethod();
    }
}
```

Notes Two interfaces FI and SI are implemented in DemoClass and there achieving multiple inheritance. Multiple inheritance is only achieved by the interface not by the class

Java: inheritance

Java: interface example

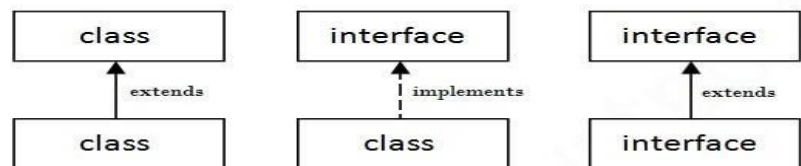
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Java: abstact class vs interface

Abstract class	Interface
1) Abstract class can have abstract and non-abstract methods.	Interface can have only abstract methods. Since Java 8, it can have default and static methods also.
2) Abstract class doesn't support multiple inheritance .	Interface supports multiple inheritance .
3) Abstract class can have final, non-final, static and non-static variables .	Interface has only static and final variables .
4) Abstract class can provide the implementation of interface .	Interface can't provide the implementation of abstract class .
5) The abstract keyword is used to declare abstract class.	The interface keyword is used to declare interface.
6) An abstract class can extend another Java class and implement multiple Java interfaces.	An interface can extend another Java interface only.
7) An abstract class can be extended using keyword "extends".	An interface can be implemented using keyword "implements".
8) A Java abstract class can have class members like private, protected, etc.	Members of a Java interface are public by default.



Relation between class & interface

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