

Object Oriented Programming with Java 8 PG-DAC

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Agenda

- Class
- Object
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Class

- Consider following examples:
 - 1. day, month, year related to Date
 - 2. hour, minute, second related to Time
 - 3. red, green, blue related to Color
 - 4. real, imag related to Complex
 - 5. xPosition, yPosition related to Point
 - 6. number, type, balance related to Account
 - 7. name, id, salary related to Employee
- If we want to group related data elements together then we should use/define class in Java.



Class and object

- class is a non primitive/reference type in Java.
- Classes and Objects are basic concepts of Object Oriented Programming which revolve around the real life entities.

A **class** is a user defined blueprint or prototype or template: from which objects are created. It represents the set of properties(DATA) and methods(ACTIONs) that are common to all objects of one type.

Class declaration includes

- 1. Access specifiers: A class can be public or has default access
- 2. Class name: The name should begin with a capital letter & then follow camel case convention
- 3. Superclass(if any): The name of the class's parent (superclass), if any, preceded by the keyword extends. (Implicit super class of all java classes is java.lang.Object)
- 4. Interfaces(if any): A comma-separated list of interfaces implemented by the class, if any, preceded by the keyword implements. A class can implement more than one interface.
- eg: public class Emp extends Person implements Runnable, Comparable {...}
- 5. Body: The class body surrounded by braces, { }.
- 6. Constructors are used for initializing state of the new object/s.
- 7. Fields are variables that provides the state of the class and its objects
- 8. Methods are used to implement the behavior of the class and its objects.

eg: Student, Employee, Flight, Purchase Order, Shape, Bank Account.....



Object

- It is a basic unit of Object Oriented Programming and represents the real life entities. A typical Java program creates many objects, which interact by invoking methods.
- An object consists of :
 - State: It is represented by attributes of an object. (properties of an object) / instance variables(non static)
 - Behavior: It is represented by methods of an object (actions upon data)
 - Identity: It gives a unique identity to an object and enables one object to interact with other objects. eg: Emp id / Student PRN / Invoice No
- Creating an object
 - The new operator instantiates a class by allocating memory for a new object and returning a reference to that memory. The new operator also invokes the class constructor.



Class

- Field
 - \emptyset A variable declared inside class / class scope is called a field.
 - \emptyset Field is also called as attribute or property.
- Method
 - \emptyset A function implemented inside class/class scope is called as method.
 - \emptyset Method is also called as operation, behavior or message.
- Class
 - \emptyset Class is a collection of fields and methods.
 - \emptyset Class can contain
 - 1. Nested Type
 - 2. Field
 - 3. Constructor
 - 4. Method
- Instance : In Java, Object is also called as instance.

Note: All stand-alone C++ programs require a function named main and can have numerous other functions. Java does not have stand alone functions, all functions (called methods) are members of a class. All classes in Java ultimately inherit from the Object class, while it is possible to create inheritance trees that are completely unrelated to one another in C++. In this sense, Java is a pure Object oriented language, while C++ is a mixture of Object oriented and structure language.

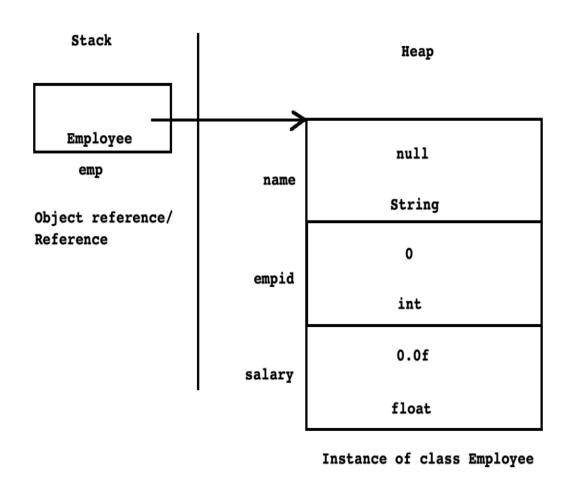


Instantiation

- Process of creating instance/object from a class is called as instantiation.
- In C programming language
 - Ø Syntax : struct StructureName identifier_name; struct
 - Ø Employee emp;
- In C++ programming language
 - Ø Syntax : [class] ClassName identifier_name;
 - Ø Employee emp;
- In Java programming language
 - Ø Syntax : ClassName identifier_name = new ClassName();
 - Ø Employee emp = new Employee();
- Every instance on heap section is anonymous.

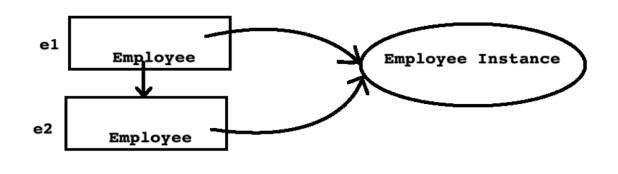


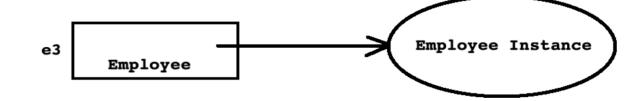
Instantiation



For eg:

- 1. Employee e1 = new Employee();
- 2. Employee e2 = e1;
- 3. Employee e3 = new Employee();





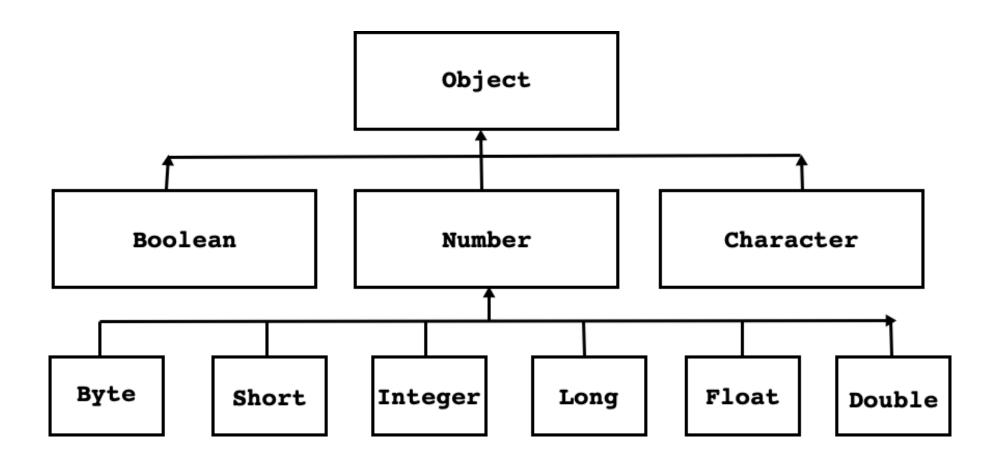


Wrapper class

• In Java, primitive types are not classes. But for every primitive type, Java has defined a class. It is called wrapper class. All wrapper classes are final. • All wrapper classes are declared in java.lang package. Uses of Wrapper class 1. To parse string(i.e. to convert state of string into numeric type). example : int num = Integer.parseInt("123") float val = Float.parseFloat("125.34f"); double d = Double.parseDouble("42.3d"); 1. To store value of primitive type into instance of generic class, type argument must be wrapper class. > Stack<int> stk = new Stack<int>(); //Not OK



Wrapper class





Widening

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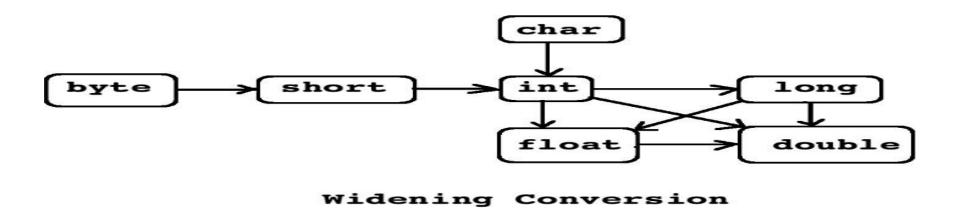
- Process of converting value of variable of narrower type into wider type is called widening.
- E.g. Converting int to double

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
   int num1 = 10;
   //double num2 = ( double )num1;   //Widening : OK
   double num2 = num1;   //Widening : OK
   System.out.println("Num2 : "+num2);
```

- In case of widening, there is no loss of data
- So , explicit type casting is optional.



Widening



The range of values that can be represented by a float or double is much larger than the range that can be represented by a long. Although one might lose significant digits when converting from a long to a float, it is still a "widening" operation because the range is wider.

A widening conversion of an int or a long value to float, or of a long value to double, may result in loss of precision - that is, the result may lose some of the least significant bits of the value. In this case, the resulting floating-point value will be a correctly rounded version of the integer value, using IEEE 754 round-to-nearest mode.

Note that a double can exactly represent every possible int value.

long --->float ---is considered automatic type of conversion(since float data type can hold larger range of values than long data type)



Rules

• src & dest - must be compatible, typically dest data type must be able to store larger magnitude of values than that of src data type.

- 1. Any arithmetic operation involving byte, short --- automatically promoted to --int
- 2. int & long ---> long
- 3. long & float ---> float
- 4. byte, short......& float & double----> double



Narrowing (Forced Conversion)

• Process of converting value of variable of wider type into narrower type is called narrowing.

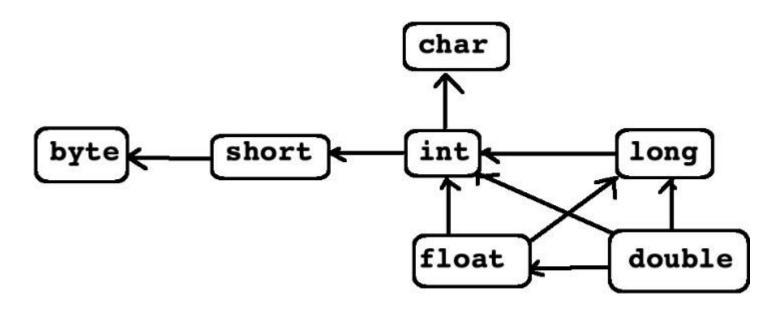
```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    double numl = 10.5;
    int num2 = ( int )num1; //Narrowing : OK
    //int num2 = num1; //Narrowing : NOT OK
    System.out.println("Num2 : "+num2);
}
```

• In case of narrowing, explicit type casting is mandatory.

Note: In case of narrowing and widening both variables are of primitive



Narrowing



eg ---

double ---> int

float --> long

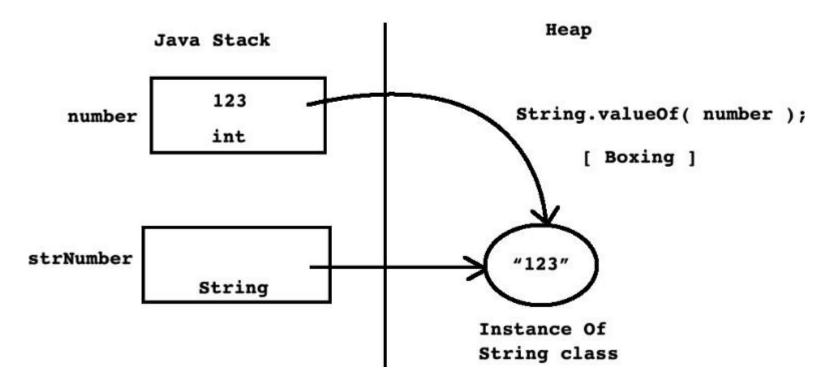
double ---> float

Narrowing Conversion.



Boxing

```
int number = 123;
String strNumber = String.valueOf( number ); //Boxing
```





Boxing

• Process of converting value of variable of primitive type into non primitive type is called **boxing**.

- int n1=10; float f=3.5f; double d1=3.45
- String str1=String.valueOf(n1);
- String str2=String.valueOf(f);
- String str3=String.valueOf(d1);



Unboxing

• Process of converting value of variable of non primitive type into primitive type is called unboxing.

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    String str = "123";
    int number = Integer.parseInt(str); //UnBoxing
    System.out.println("Number : "+number);
}
```

• If string does not contain parseable numeric value then parseXXX() method throws NumberFormatException.

```
String str = "12c";
int number = Integer.parseInt(str); //UnBoxing : NumberFormatException
```



Unboxing

```
String str = "123";
      int number = Integer.parseInt( str ); //UnBoxing
           Java Stack
                                        Heap
  str
              String
                                      Instance of
                                      String class
             123
number
                                          Integer.parseInt( str )
              int
```

Note: In case of boxing and unboxing one variable is primitive and other Is not primitive



Command line argument

```
+ User input from terminal:- java Program 10 20.3f 35.2d (Press enter key)
```





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