

Inheritance

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```
graph TD; A[Base class] --> B[Derived class]
```

Multi level Inheritance

```
graph TD; A[Base class] --> B[Derived class]; B --> C[Derived class]
```

Vehicle

(Base/Super Class)

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(Intermediate Class - inherits Vehicle)

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(Child Class - inherits Car)

SportsCar

```
// Base Class
class Vehicle {
    public void move() {
        System.out.println("Vehicle is moving...");
    }
}

// Intermediate Class
class Car extends Vehicle {
    public void fuel() {
        System.out.println("Car uses fuel or electricity.");
    }
}

// Derived Class
class SportsCar extends Car {
    public void speed() {
        System.out.println("SportsCar has high speed and performance.");
    }
}
```

```
public class TestMultilevel {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        SportsCar myCar = new SportsCar();

        myCar.move(); // from Vehicle
        myCar.fuel(); // from Car
        myCar.speed(); // from SportsCar
    }
}
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Creating class

```
class Product {
    String name;
    int price;
    float rating;

    // Constructor
    Product(String name, int price, float rating) {
        this.name = name;
        this.price = price;
        this.rating = rating;
    }

    // Method to display product details
    void displayProductDetails() {
        System.out.printf("Product Name: %s", this.name);
        System.out.printf("Price: %d", this.price);
        System.out.printf("Rating: %f", this.rating);
    }
}
```

```
class Base {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // You can create an object of Product here
        Product p = new Product();
        p.name = "Apple";
        p.price = 10000;
        p.rating = 4.5f;
    }
}
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Hybrid Inheritance

```
graph TD; A[Base Class] --> B[Derived Class 1]; A --> C[Derived Class 2]; C --> D[Derived Class 3]
```

multiple inheritance

```
interface Engine {
    void startEngine();
}

interface Fuel {
    void fuelType();
}

class Vehicle {
    void move() {
        System.out.println("Vehicle is moving...");
    }
}

// Child class (Hybrid Inheritance)
class Car extends Vehicle implements Engine, Fuel {
    @Override
    public void startEngine() {
        System.out.println("Car engine starts with a button.");
    }

    @Override
    public void fuelType() {
        System.out.println("Car uses petrol.");
    }

    void display() {
        System.out.println("This is a Car.");
    }
}
```

```
public class HybridInheritanceExample {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Car myCar = new Car();

        myCar.display(); // Own method
        myCar.move(); // Inherited from Vehicle
        myCar.startEngine(); // From Engine Interface
        myCar.fuelType(); // From Fuel Interface
    }
}
```