

Interface as a return type of the Method :

As we know we can take method return type as a class which is known as Factor Method.

Example :

```
public class Test
{
    public Test accept()
    {
        return new Test(); // OR return null OR return this;
    }
}
```

* If we take interface as a return type of the method then we will get more flexibility to return multiple values.

Example :

```
public HotDrink accept()
{
    return new Tea(); //OR return new Coffee(); OR return new Boost();
}
```

Working with interface using Anonymous inner class :

```
package com.ravi.interface_demo;

interface Student
{
    void writeExam();
}

public class InterfaceAnonymous
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        Student placement = new Student()
        {
            @Override
            public void writeExam()
            {
                System.out.println("Placement batch students are writing exam");
            }
        };

        Student regular = new Student()
        {
            @Override
            public void writeExam()
            {
                System.out.println("Regular batch students are writing exam");
            }
        };

        placement.writeExam();
        regular.writeExam();
    }
}
```

Multiple Inheritance by using interface :

* The main purpose of interface to provide Loose coupling and Dynamic polymorphism.

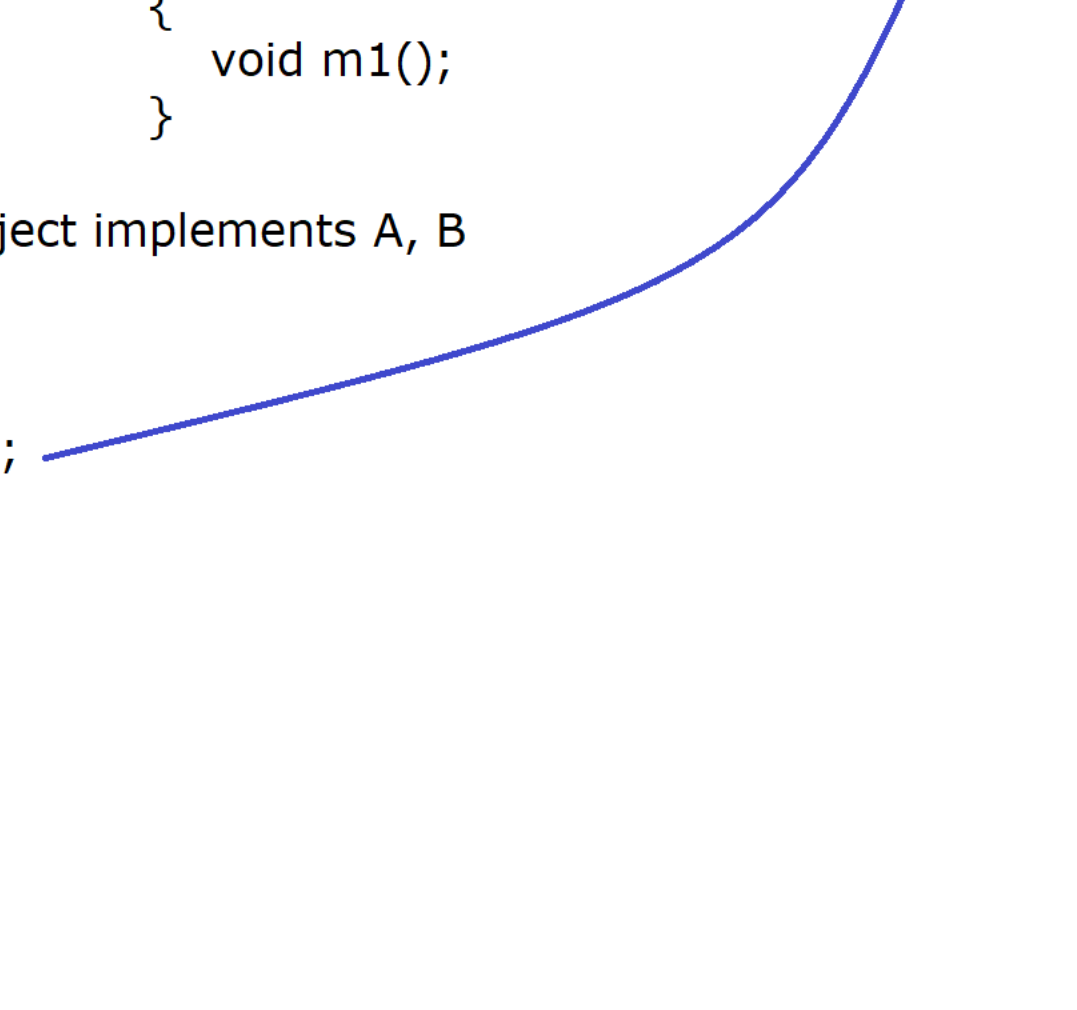
* It does not support constructor so, We can achieve multiple inheritance.

Example :

```
interface A
{
    void m1();
}

interface B
{
    void m1();
}

class C extends Object implements A, B
{
    C()
    {
        super();
    }
}
```



Program :

```
package com.ravi.mi;

interface Alpha
{
    void m1();
}

interface Beta
{
    void m1();
}

class Implementer implements Alpha, Beta
{
    @Override
    public void m1()
    {
        System.out.println("Multiple Inheritance We can achieve using interface");
    }
}

public class MultipleInheritance
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        Implementer i = new Implementer();
        i.m1();
    }
}
```

Extending interface :

* It is possible that one interface can extend another interface as shown in the program.

```
package com.ravi.interface_demo;

interface A
{
    void m1();
}

interface B extends A
{
    void m2();
}

class MyClass implements B
{
    @Override
    public void m1()
    {
        System.out.println("M1 method Overridden");
    }

    @Override
    public void m2()
    {
        System.out.println("M2 method Overridden");
    }
}

public class InterfaceDemo
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        MyClass m = new MyClass();
        m.m1();
        m.m2();
    }
}
```

JAVA 8 features :

* Java 8V was introduced by Oracle Corporation in March 2014.

* It is a very popular feature in the industry because by using Java 8v features we can mainly write concise coding.

Problem with adding new abstract method in an existing interface :

* Whenever we add any new abstract method inside an existing interface then overriding of this method (implementation of this abstract method) is compulsory in all the implementer classes.

* It is one kind of boundation because overriding is compulsory otherwise the implementer class will become abstract class.

* IT industry was suffering from this problem, Java software people (before Java 8V) had provided a solution for this problem which is as follows :

```
interface Vehicle
{
    void run();
}

class Car implements Vehicle
{
    @Override
    public void run()
    {
    }
}

interface Battery extends Vehicle
{
    void battery();
}

class BatteryCar extends Car implements Battery
{
    public void battery()
    {
    }
}
```

What is default method :

It is possible to write default method (default keyword + method body) inside an interface from JDK 1.8V.

A default method we can declare only inside an interface but not in a class.

A default method must be declared with default keyword and contains method body.

By default access modifier of a default method is public.

A default method cannot be marked as abstract, final or static.

A default method may be overridden by a class that implements the interface.[Without any boundation]

//Program :

```
package com.ravi.java_8_features;

public interface Vehicle
{
    void run();
    void horn();

    //Default implementation
    default void digitalMeter() //JDK 1.8
    {
        System.out.println("Digital Meter Facility is coming soon..");
    }
}

package com.ravi.java_8_features;

public class Car implements Vehicle
{
    @Override
    public void run()
    {
        System.out.println("Car is running");
    }

    @Override
    public void horn()
    {
        System.out.println("Car Has Horn");
    }

    @Override
    public void digitalMeter() //JDK 1.8
    {
        System.out.println("Car is having Digital Meter");
    }
}

package com.ravi.java_8_features;

public class Bike implements Vehicle
{
    @Override
    public void run()
    {
        System.out.println("Bike is running");
    }

    @Override
    public void horn()
    {
        System.out.println("Bike Has Horn");
    }
}

package com.ravi.java_8_features;

public class NewFeature
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        Vehicle v = null;

        v = new Car(); v.run(); v.horn(); v.digitalMeter();
        System.out.println(".....");
        v = new Bike(); v.run(); v.horn(); v.digitalMeter();
    }
}
```