

# Practice Problems 2.0

1. Answer the following questions for classes ClassA and ClassB.
  - a. Which method overrides a method in superclass?
  - b. Which method hides a method in superclass?

```
class ClassA {  
    public void methodOne(int i) {  
    }  
    public void methodTwo(int i) {  
    }  
    public static void methodThree(int i) {  
    }  
    public static void methodFour(int i) {  
    }  
}
```

```
class ClassB extends ClassA {  
    public static void methodOne(int i) {  
    }  
    public void methodTwo(int i) {  
    }  
    public void methodThree(int i) {  
    }  
    public static void methodFour(int i) {  
    }  
}
```

2. Write the output of the following code when the main method of class QuestionTwoChecker is executed.  
You have to explain each output after each println statement, e.g.,

First println statement: b

Reason: System.out.println(elements[i]);

It means toString method of class A is executed. Though class A does not have a default toString method, it inherits a toString method from class B which prints b. Hence, the println statement prints b.

Without explanation no answer will be taken into consideration for marking.

```
class C {  
    public String toString() {  
        return "c";  
    }  
  
    public void method1() {  
        System.out.println("c 1");  
    }  
  
    public void method2() {
```

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        System.out.println("c 2");
    }
}

class B extends C {
    public String toString() {
        return "b";
    }

    public void method2() {
        System.out.println("b 2");
    }
}

class A extends B {
    public void method2() {
        System.out.println("a 2");
    }
}

class D extends B {
    public void method1() {
        System.out.println("d 1");
    }
}

public class QuestionTwoChecker{
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        C[] elements = {new A(),
                        new B(),
                        new C(),
                        new D()};
        for (int i = 0; i < elements.length; i++) {
            System.out.println(elements[i]);
            elements[i].method1();
            elements[i].method2();
            System.out.println();
        }
    }
}

```

3. Implement the missing classes shown in the diagram shown below.

For each class, the method signatures are provided, e.g., class Ham should have 3 methods named a(), b(), toString() which prints Ham a, Ham b and Ham respectively.

NB: In class Lamb method a() prints Ham a. To implement this you **cannot write** System.out.println("Ham a"). You have to use the concept of **inheritance** in Java. Same thing goes for the similar methods in the diagram.

A tester class Polymorphism is provided to test the classes with output in the next page.

```

public class Polymorphism {
    public static void main (String [] args){
        Ham[] food = { new Spam(), new Yam(),
                       new Ham(), new Lamb() };

        for (int i = 0; i < food.length; i++) {
            System.out.println(food[i]);
            food[i].a();
            food[i].b();
            System.out.println();
        }
    }
}

```

Output:

```

Yam
Spam a
Lamb b
Yam
Yam a
Lamb b
Ham
Ham a
Ham b
Ham
Ham a
Lamb b

```

## Ham

a(): prints "Ham a"  
b(): prints "Ham b"  
toString(): prints "Ham"

## Lamb

a(): prints "Ham a"  
b(): prints "Lamb b"  
toString(): prints "Ham"

## Yam

a(): prints "Yam a"  
b(): prints "Lamb b"  
toString(): prints "Yam"

## Spam

a(): prints "Spam a"  
b(): prints "Lamb b"  
toString(): prints "Yam"