Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) in Python

Encapsulation

What is Encapsulation?

Encapsulation is one of the fundamental principles of OOP.

It means binding data (variables) and methods (functions) into a single unit (class) and restricting direct access to some of the object's components.

- ✓ In Python, encapsulation is achieved using access modifiers:
 - 1. Public (name) Accessible everywhere.
 - 2. Protected (name) A convention: should not be accessed outside the class (but still possible).
 - 3. **Private (name)** Strictly hidden from outside the class (name mangling applies).

Why Encapsulation?

- Protects data from accidental modification.
- Increases code security.
- Controls how the data is accessed or modified.
- Makes classes easier to maintain.

```
class Student:
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name  # public
        self.age = age  # public

s = Student("Rahul", 21)
print(s.name) #  Accessible
print(s.age) #  Accessible
```

```
class Student:
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.__name = name # protected
        self._age = age
                             # protected
    def display(self):
        print(f"Name: {self.__name}, Age: {self._age}")
s = Student("Sonia", 22)
s.display()
# Technically accessible, but not recommended
print(s.__name) # Allowed, but against convention
Name: Sonia, Age: 22
AttributeError
                                          Traceback (most recent call last)
/tmp/ipython-input-1957145286.py in <cell line: 0>()
    12 # Technically accessible, but not recommended
 --> 13 print(s.__name) # 🚣 Allowed, but against convention
AttributeError: 'Student' object has no attribute '__name'
```

```
class BankAccount:
    def __init__(self, owner, balance):
        self.owner = owner
        self.__balance = balance # private

# Getter method
    def get_balance(self):
        return self.__balance

# Setter method
    def deposit(self, amount):
        if amount > 0:
            self.__balance += amount
        else:
            print("Invalid deposit amount!")
```

```
def withdraw(self, amount):
    if 0 < amount <= self.__balance:
        self.__balance -= amount
    else:
        print("Invalid or insufficient funds!")

# Testing
acc = BankAccount("Aman", 1000)
print(acc.owner)
# print(acc.__balance) # X AttributeError
print(acc.get_balance()) # V Correct way

acc.deposit(500)
print(acc.get_balance())
acc.withdraw(200)
print(acc.get_balance())</pre>
```

Name Mangling in Python

Even private members can be accessed using name mangling:

```
print(acc._BankAccount__balance) # // Not recommended
```

```
class Student:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.__name = name
        self.__marks = {}
    def set_mark(self, subject, mark):
        if 0 <= mark <= 100:
            self.__marks[subject] = mark
        else:
            print("Invalid mark!")
    def get_marks(self):
        return self.__marks
    def get_average(self):
        if self.__marks:
            return sum(self.__marks.values()) / len(self.__marks)
        return 0
# Testing
s = Student("Rahul")
s.set_mark("Math", 95)
s.set_mark("Science", 88)
s.set_mark("English", 76)
print(s.get_marks())
print("Average:", s.get_average())
```

Polymorphism

★ What is Polymorphism?

The word **Polymorphism** comes from Greek:

- Poly → many
- Morph → forms
- In OOP, Polymorphism allows the same function or operator to behave differently based on the object or data type.
- **Why Polymorphism?**
 - Makes code more flexible & reusable.
 - V Reduces redundancy.
 - Helps in designing extensible systems.
 - Z Encourages abstraction.
- Example 1: Built-in Polymorphism

Some Python functions/operators work on multiple data types.

```
print(len("Python"))  # Works on string → 6
print(len([10, 20, 30])) # Works on list → 3
print(len({"a": 1, "b": 2})) # Works on dict → 2
```

```
print(5 + 10)  # Addition → 15
print("AI" + " ML")  # String concatenation → "AI ML"
```

Example 2: Polymorphism with Functions

A function can take different types of inputs and still work.

```
def add(x, y):
    return x + y

print(add(10, 20))  # int + int
print(add(3.5, 2.5))  # float + float
print(add("Hello ", "AI")) # str + str
```

Example 3: Polymorphism with Class Methods

Different classes can have the same method name but with different implementations.

```
class Dog:
    def sound(self):
        return "Woof! **"

class Cat:
    def sound(self):
        return "Meow! **"

class Cow:
    def sound(self):
        return "Moo! **"

# Using polymorphism
for animal in (Dog(), Cat(), Cow()):
        print(animal.sound())
```

Example 4: Polymorphism with Inheritance (Method Overriding)

Child classes can override methods of the parent class.

```
class Bird:
    def fly(self):
        print("Birds can fly **")

class Penguin(Bird):
    def fly(self):
        print("Penguins cannot fly **")

b1 = Bird()
p1 = Penguin()

b1.fly()
p1.fly() # Overridden method
```

Example 5: Polymorphism with Abstract Classes

We can enforce method overriding using abc module.

```
from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class Shape(ABC):
    @abstractmethod
    def area(self):
        pass
```

```
class Rectangle(Shape):
    def __init__(self, l, w):
        self.l = l
        self_w = w
    def area(self):
        return self.l * self.w
class Circle(Shape):
    def __init__(self, r):
        self.r = r
    def area(self):
        return 3.14 * self.r * self.r
# Using polymorphism
shapes = [Rectangle(5, 3), Circle(4)]
for shape in shapes:
    print(shape.area())
15
50.24
```

Mini Project: Payment System

```
class Payment:
    def pay(self, amount):
        raise NotImplementedError("Subclass must implement pay method")

class CreditCard(Payment):
    def pay(self, amount):
        return f"Paid {amount} using Credit Card = "

class PayPal(Payment):
    def pay(self, amount):
        return f"Paid {amount} using PayPal ! "

class Crypto(Payment):
    def pay(self, amount):
        return f"Paid {amount} using Cryptocurrency ! "

# Polymorphism in action
    payments = [CreditCard(), PayPal(), Crypto()]

for method in payments:
        print(method.pay(500))
```

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,6))
ax.axis("off")
# Nodes
nodes = {
    "Polymorphism": (0.5, 0.9),
    "Built-in\n(len, +)": (0.2, 0.7),
"Function\n(add)": (0.8, 0.7),
    "Class Methods\n(sound)": (0.2, 0.5),
    "Method Overriding\n(fly)": (0.8, 0.5),
    "Abstract Classes\n(area)": (0.2, 0.3),
    "Operator Overloading\n(__add__)": (0.8, 0.3),
# Draw nodes
for text, (x, y) in nodes.items():
    ax.text(x, y, text, ha="center", va="center",
            bbox=dict(boxstyle="round,pad=0.4", fc="lightblue", ec="navy", lw=2))
# Arrows
for (x1, y1) in [nodes["Built-in\n(len, +)"], nodes["Function\n(add)"],
                 nodes["Class Methods\n(sound)"], nodes["Method Overriding\n(fly)"],
                 nodes["Abstract Classes\n(area)"], nodes["Operator Overloading\n(__add__)"]]:
    ax.annotate("", xy=(x1, y1+0.05), xytext=nodes["Polymorphism"],
                arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=2, color="navy"))
plt.show()
```

