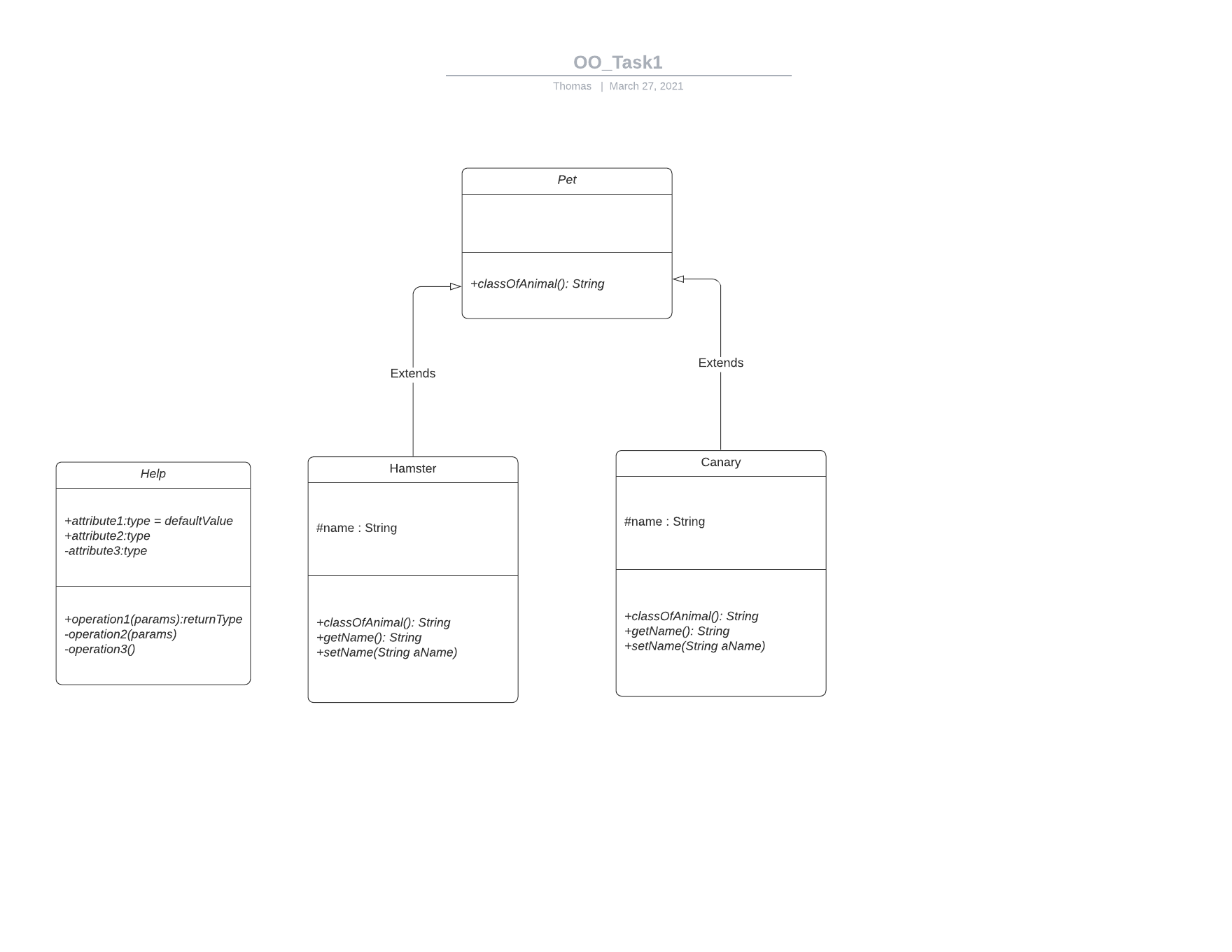
**Task 1.1**



Task 1 UML Diagram for classes Pet, Hamster and Canary with an inheritance relationship

**Task 1.2**

public class Pet {

protected String name;

public void setName(String aName) { name=aName; }

public String getName() { return name; }

public String classOfAnimal() {

return("Pet");

}

}

public class Hamster extends Pet {

public String classOfAnimal() { return("Hamster"); }

}

public class Canary extends Pet {

public String classOfAnimal() { return("Canary"); }

}

I refactored the code by removing the repeated methods and the variable name from class Hamster and class Canary. This code was then written into the super Pet class.

This reduced the amount of code written in the program saving on storage, it also reduced the complexity of the program as now all shared code between the Pet child classes is inherited from the Pet super class. As the code only exists on one place it also is now easier to modify as changing the code in Pet will change it for both Hamster and Canary whereas before changes would have to be made to both possible introducing inconsistencies.

**Task 1.3**