

Programmering og Problemløsning

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Today's lecture

- Encapsulation
 - Data hiding
 - Access modifiers
 - Instance and Static members

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The class is called **Robot**

The object instance is called **bob**

Object instance bob has an attribute Name whose value is **Bob**

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We pass the new value of name as an argument to Robot()

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- What if we wish to start with “Bob” (because it is friendly) and then change it to “Robert” (more serious)?

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- Let's make name mutable

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- Why did it work in bankExample.fs?

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bob.Name <- "Robert" (direct assignment)

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  member x.SayHello() = printfn "Hi, I'm %s" x.Name
  member x.Rename(value) = name <- value
end
let bob = new Robot()
bob.SayHello()
bob.Rename("Robert")
bob.SayHello()
```

Hi, I'm Bob
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- set() allows setting a new value to a class attribute (only for mutable attributes)

get() and set() syntax

Without get() and set()

member alias.AttributeName = current-value

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and set(new-value) = *some-assignment*

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With `get()` and `set()`, class members become:

- Visible outside the class
- Modifiable outside the class (less protected)

Use get() & set() to sanitise input

```
type Robot() = class
  let mutable name = "Bob"
  member x.Name
    with get() = name
    and set(value) =
      if name = "idiot" then
        raise (new Exception("Cannot do this!"))
      else
        name <- value
  member x.SayHello() = printfn "Hi, I'm %s" x.Name
end
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get() and set() alternative syntax

member x.Name

with get() = name

and set(value) = name <- value

OR

member x.Name with get() = name

member x.Name with set(value) = name <- value

Groups of 2 people (5 minutes)

Protect the earth from falling meteors by shooting them with lasers

- Lasers have initial power of 50 units each
- Their power is consumed every time they find a target (-1) or are fired (-10)
- Lasers respond to: find target, shoot
- Lasers do not work without power
- We should be able to recharge lasers without using a class method

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```

type Laser(name) = class
  let mutable power = 50
  member x.Name = name
  member x.Power
    with get() = power and set(value) =
      if value < 1 then raise (new Exception("Laser out of power."))
      else power <- value
  member x.FindTarget() = power <- power - 1
  member x.Shoot() = power <- power - 10
end
let laser1 = new Laser("Laser-1")
laser1.FindTarget()
laser1.Shoot()
printfn "%s has %i power units left" laser1.Name laser1.Power
laser1.Power <- 50
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Static does not mean immutable!

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Because no object instance currently in scope

Valid for all object instances of this class

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