

Computational Structures in Data Science



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Lecture #9: Object-Oriented Programming

Administrivia: We hear you!



- Thank you for filling out midterm survey!
- Thank you TAs for doing data-science on them!

Immediate results:

- More Guerilla Sections: See Piazza
- Talks with Data Science Curriculum Coordinator and Dean about upping the units for this class.

Also:

- Additional optional lectures online (deep dive into fundamentals): https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL17CtGMLr0Xz3vNK31TG7 mJlzmF78vsFO
- Class becomes a lot more practical from here on (no change of plans)

Computational Concepts Toolbox



- Data type: values, literals, operations,
- Expressions, Call expression
- Variables
- Assignment Statement
- Sequences: tuple, list
- Dictionaries
- Data structures
- Tuple assignment
- Function Definition
 Statement
 - **Conditional Statement**

Iteration: list comp, for, while

Lambda function expr.

- Higher Order Functions
 - Functions as Values
 - Functions with functions as argument
 - Assignment of function values
- Higher order function patterns
 - Map, Filter, Reduce
- Function factories create and return functions
- Recursion
 - Linear, Tail, Tree
- Abstract Data Types
- Generators
- Mutation
- Object Orientation

Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)



Objects as data structures

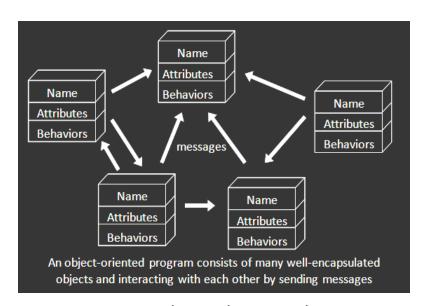
- With <u>methods</u> you ask of them
 - » These are the behaviors
- With <u>local state</u>, to remember
 - » These are the attributes

Classes & Instances

- Instance an example of class
- E.g., Fluffy is instance of Dog

Inheritance saves code

- Hierarchical classes
- E.g., pianist special case of musician, a special case of performer
- Examples (tho not pure)
 - Java, C++



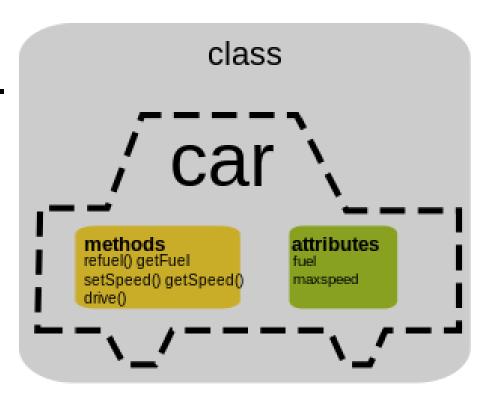
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Classes



- Consist of data and behavior, bundled together to create abstractions
 - Abstract Data Types
- A class has
 - attributes (variables)
 - methods (functions)

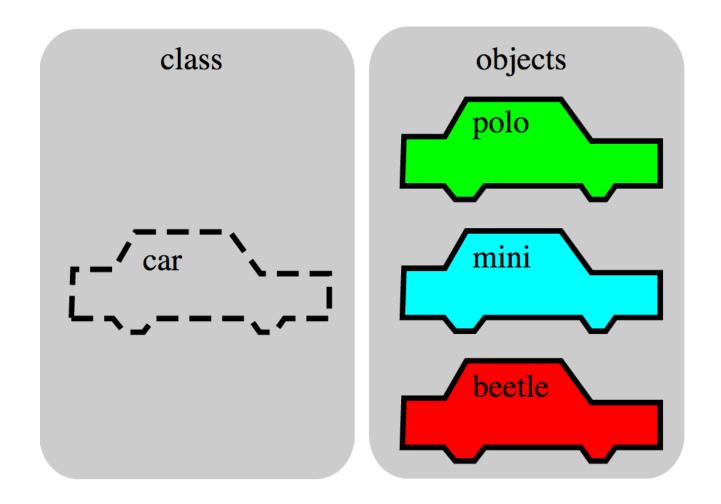
that define its behavior.



Objects



An object is the instance of a class.



Objects

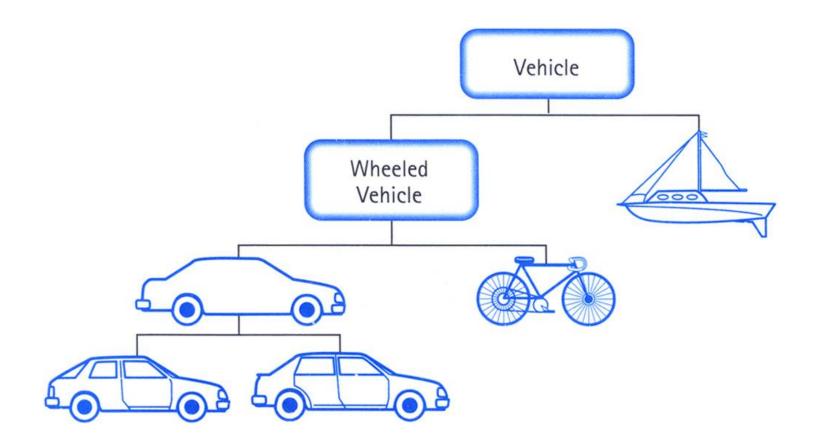


- Objects are concrete instances of classes in memory.
- They can have state
 - mutable vs immutable
- Functions do one thing (well)
 - Objects do a collection of related things
- In Python, everything is an object
 - All objects have attributes
 - Manipulation happens through methods

Class Inheritance



 Classes can inherit methods and attributes from parent classes but extend into their own class.



Inheritance



- Define a class as a specialization of an existing class
- Inherent its attributes, methods (behaviors)
- Add additional ones
- Redefine (specialize) existing ones
 - Ones in superclass still accessible in its namespace





```
account number seed = 1000
def account (name, initial deposit):
    global account number seed
    account number seed += 1
    return {'Name' : name, 'Number': account number seed,
             'Balance' : initial deposit}
def account name(acct):
    return acct['Name']
def account balance (acct):
    return acct['Balance']
                                  >>> my acct = account('David Culler', 100)
                                  >>> my acct
def account number(acct):
                                  {'Name': 'John Doe', 'Balance': 100,
    return acct['Number']
                                  'Number': 1001}
                                  >>> account number (my acct)
def deposit (acct, amount):
                                  1001
    acct['Balance'] += amount
                                  >>> your acct = account("Fred Jones", 475)
    return acct['Balance']
                                  >>> account number (your acct)
                                  1002
def withdraw(acct, amount):
                                  >>>
    acct['Balance'] -= amount
    return acct['Balance']
```

Python class statement



```
class ClassName:
    <statement-1>
    <statement-N>
class ClassName ( inherits ):
    <statement-1>
    <statement-N>
```

Example: Account



class BaseAccount:

```
def init(self, name, initial deposit):
           self.name = name
new namespace
           self.balance = initial deposit
       def account name(self):
                                  ~attributes
           return self.name
                                           The object
       def account balance(self):
           return self.balance
                                      da dot
       def withdraw(self, amount):
           self.balance -= amount
           return self.balance
                                  methods
```

Creating an object, invoking a method



```
my_acct = BaseAccount()
my_acct.init("John Doe", 93)
my_acct.withdraw(42)
```

Special Initialization Method



```
class BaseAccount:
    def init (self, name, initial deposit):
        self.name = name
        self.balance = initial deposit
    def account name (self):
        return self.name
                                    return None
    def account balance(self):
        return self.balance
    def withdraw(self, amount):
        self.balance -= amount
        return self.balance
```

More on Attributes



- Attributes of an object accessible with 'dot' notation obj.attr
- Most OO languages provide private instance fields for access only inside object
 - Python leaves it to convention
- Class variables vs Instance variables:
 - Class variable set for all instances at once
 - Instance variables per instance value

Example



```
class BaseAccount:
    def __init__(self, name, initial_deposit):
        self.name = name
        self.balance = initial_deposit
    def name(self):
        return self.name
    def balance(self):
        return self.balance
    def withdraw(self, amount):
        self.balance -= amount
        return self.balance
```





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        return self. balance
```





```
class BaseAccount:
    account number seed = 1000
   def init (self, name, initial deposit):
        self. name = name
        self. balance = initial deposit
        self. acct no = BaseAccount.account number seed
        BaseAccount.account number seed += 1
   def name(self):
        return self. name
   def balance(self):
        return self. balance
   def withdraw(self, amount):
        self. balance -= amount
        return self. balance
```

More class attributes



```
class BaseAccount:
    account number seed = 1000
    accounts = []
    def init (self, name, initial deposit):
        self. name = name
        self. balance = initial deposit
        self. acct no = BaseAccount.account number seed
        BaseAccount.account number seed += 1
        BaseAccount.accounts.append(self)
    def name(self):
    def show accounts():
        for account in BaseAccount.accounts:
            print(account.name(),
                  account.account no(),account.balance())
```

Example



```
class Account(BaseAccount):
    def deposit(self, amount):
        self._balance += amount
        return self._balance
```

More special methods



```
class Account(BaseAccount):
    def deposit(self, amount):
        self. balance += amount
        return self. balance
    def repr (self):
        return '< ' + str(self. acct no) +
               '[' + str(self. name) + '] >'
                            Goal: unambiguous
    def str (self):
        return \Account: ' + str(self. acct no) +
               '[' + str(self. name) + ']'
                          Goal: readable
    def show accounts():
        for account in BaseAccount.accounts:
            print(account)
```

Classes using classes



```
class Bank:
    accounts = []
    def add account(self, name, account type,
                    initial deposit):
        assert (account type == 'savings') or
               (account type == 'checking'), "Bad Account type"
        assert initial deposit > 0, "Bad deposit"
        new account = Account(name, account type,
                               initial deposit)
        Bank.accounts.append(new account)
    def show accounts(self):
        for account in Bank.accounts:
            print(account)
```

Key concepts to take forward



- Class definition
- Class namespace
- Methods
- Instance attributes (fields)
- Class attributes
- Inheritance
- Superclass reference

Nevertheless, I consider
OOP as an aspect of
programming in the
large; that is, as an
aspect that logically
follows programming in
the small and requires
sound knowledge of
procedural programming.

Niklaus Wirth