First Steps in Object-Oriented Programming



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Project Architecture Splitting Code into Logical Parts

Splitting Code into Functions



- We use methods to split code into functional blocks
 - Improves code readability
 - Allows for easier debugging

```
for move in moves:
    for row in range(len(room)):
        for col in range(len(room[row])):
        if room[row][col] == 'b':
        ...
```



```
for move in moves:
    def move_enemies()
    def killer_check()
    def move_player(move)
```

Splitting Code into Functions



A single function should complete a single task

```
do_magic ( ... )
deposit_or_withdraw ( ... )
deposit_and_get_balance ( ... )
parse_data_and_return_result ( ... )
```

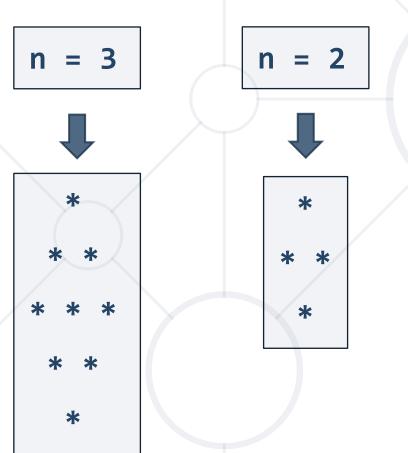
```
withdraw ( ... )
deposit ( ... )
get_balance ( ... )
to_string ( ... )
```



Problem: Rhombus of Stars



Draw on the console a rhombus of stars with a size of n







Solution: Rhombus of Stars



```
def print_row(size, star_count):
    for row in range(size - star_count):
        print(" ", end="")
    for row in range(1, star_count):
        print("*", end=" ")
    print("*")
```

Reusing code

```
size = int(input())
for star_count in range(1, size):
   print_row(size, star_count)
for star_count in range(size, 0, -1):
   print_row(size, star_count)
```



Scope and Namespace

Local, Global and Built-In Namespace

What is Namespace?

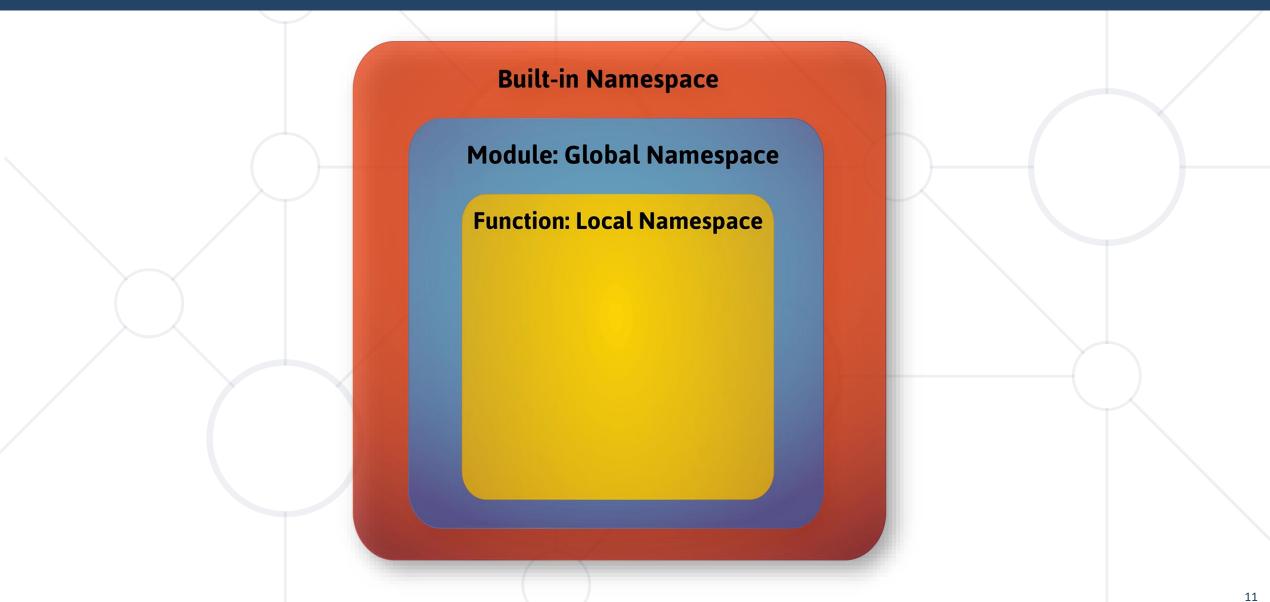


- A mapping from names to objects
- Examples:
 - Built-in names, for example, the abs() function
 - Global names in a module
 - Local names on a function invocation
- There is no relation between names in different namespaces



Namespaces Order





What is a Scope?





- In most of cases there are at least three nested scopes:
 - The innermost is checked first
 - The scopes of any enclosing functions
 - The next-to-last scope (module's global names)
 - The outermost (built-in names)



Scopes Example



```
def scopes():
    def local_scope():
        text = "local text"
```

Local Scope

```
def nonlocal_scope():
    nonlocal text
    text = "nonlocal text"
```

Nonlocal Scope

```
def global_scope():
     global text
     text = "global text"
```

Global Scope

Problem: Scope Mess



- Fix the provided code, so it prints the expected result
- Download the code from here

```
# current output
global
outer: local
```

inner: nonlocal

outer: local

global

```
# expected output
global
outer: local
inner: nonlocal
outer: nonlocal
global: changed!
```

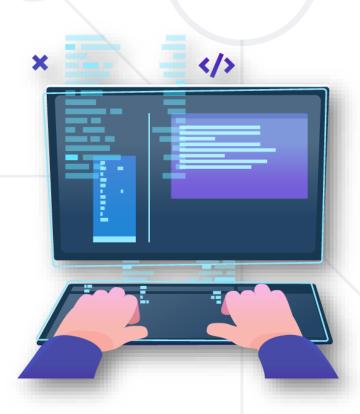
Solution: Scope Mess



Here are the changes that need to be made

```
def inner():
    nonlocal x
    x = "nonlocal"
    print("inner:", x)
```

```
def change_global():
    global x
    x = "global: changed!"
```





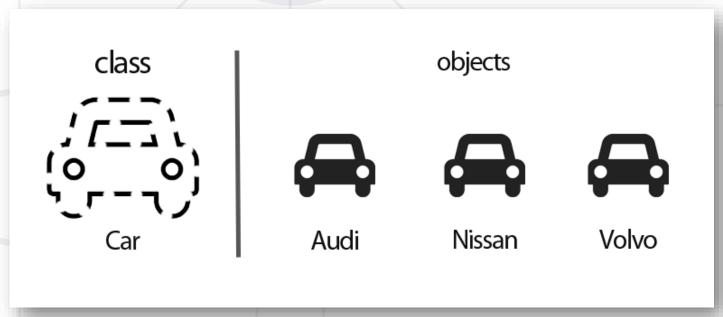
Basics of OOP

Building Data Functionality Together

What is an Object-Oriented Programming?



- It is the most popular programming paradigm
- It relies on the concept of classes and objects
- A class is used to create an individual instance of an object





Advantages of OOP



- Provides a clear program structure and a clean code
- Reduces complexity
- Make it easy to write a reusable code
- Could test each behavior of an object separately
- Facilitates easy maintenance and modification of existing code



Objects in Python



Everything in Python is an object and has a type



- **1**0.5
- "Python"
- **•** [1, 2, 3, 4]
- {"name": "Peter", "age": 26}
- We could create as many objects as we like, manipulate them, or remove them

Example



Create an object of type list

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 10]
```

The internal representation of the list is private

Manipulate the object by adding an element

```
numbers.append(5)
print(numbers) # [1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 10, 5]
```

You need to know how to use its methods

Remove the object

```
del numbers
print(numbers) # Error
```

What is an Object?



- Object is a data abstraction that captures an internal representation and an interface
- The internal representation should be private
- The interface defines behaviors but hides implementation



Characteristics of an Object



State

Help to distinguish an object from other objects

A phone could have a color, a size, a weight

Behavior

- The tasks that an object performs
- A phone could turn on, turn off



What is a Class?



- The class is a blueprint that defines the nature of a future object
- In Python, a class is created by the keyword class

```
class Phone:
    def __init__(self, color, size):
        self.color = color
        self.size = size

def turn_on(self):
    return 'The phone is turned on'
```

What is an Instance?



- Specific realization of an object of a certain class
- The creation of an instance is called instantiation

```
class Phone:
    def __init__(self, color, size):
        self.color = color
        self.size = size

phone = Phone("blue", 4.7)
```

Instance



Creating a Class



The keyword class defines a new type

```
class Person:
pass
Type Person
```

We define the state of the object using attributes

```
class Person:
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name
        self.age = age

Attributes
```

Problem: Class Book



- Create a class called Book
- Upon initialization, it should receive a name, author, and pages (number)
- Submit only the class in the judge system
- Use test code to test your code

```
book = Book("My Book", "Me", 200)
print(book.name)
print(book.author)
print(book.pages)
My Book
Me
200
```

Solution: Class Book



```
class Book:
    def __init__(self, name, author, pages):
        self.name = name
        self.author = author
        self.pages = pages
```

Method



- We define the behavior of the object using methods
- It is like a function, that works only within a class

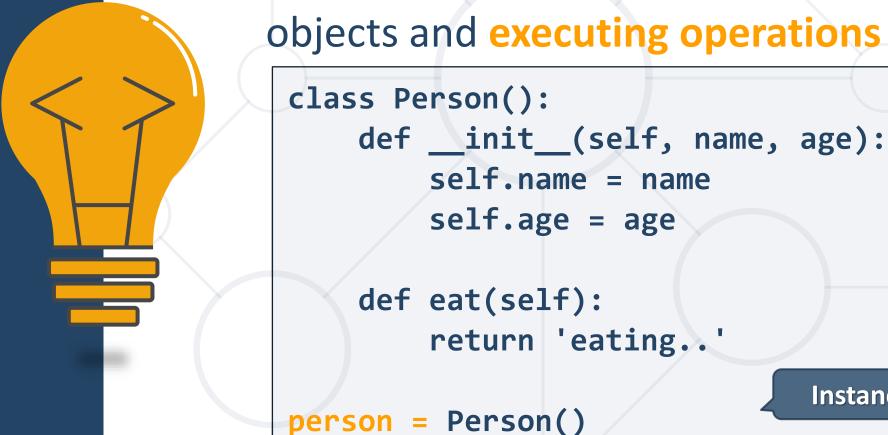
```
class Animal:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name
    def sleep(self):
        return "sleeping.."
animal = Animal("cat")
print(animal.sleep()) # sleeping..
```

Defining a Method

Using a Class



 Using a class means creating new instances of objects and executing operations on the instances



Instance

Problem: Car



- Create a class Car that receives name, model, and engine upon initialization
- It should have a method called get_info() which returns
 'This is {name} {model} with engine {engine}'
- Submit only the class in the judge system

```
car = Car("Kia", "Rio", "1.3L B3 I4")
print(car.get_info())
```



This is Kia Rio with engine 1.3L B3 I4

Solution: Car



```
class Car:
   def __init__(self, name, model, engine):
        self.name = name
        self.model = model
       self.engine = engine
   def get_info(self):
       return f'This is {self.name} {self.model} ' \
               f'with engine {self.engine}'
```

Problem: Music



- Create a class Music that receives title, artist, and lyrics upon initialization
- It should have 2 methods
 - print_info() returns 'This is {title} from
 {artist}'
 - play() returns the lyrics
- Submit only the class in the judge system
- Test your code with your own examples

Solution: Music



```
class Music:
   def __init__(self, title, artist, lyrics):
        self.title = title
        self.artist = artist
        self.lyrics = lyrics
   def print_info(self):
        return f'This is "{self.title}" from "{self.artist}"'
   def play(self):
        return self.lyrics
```

Summary



- OOP relies on the concept of classes and objects
- Object is a data abstraction that captures an internal representation and an interface
- Class is a blueprint that defines the nature of a future object
- Instance is a specific realization of any object





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