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Fundamentals of Object Oriented Programming

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Method returning Objects



```
1 - class distance{
           int feet;
           int inches;
           distance(int x , int y)
 4
 5 +
 6
                   feet=x;
                   inches=v;
8
 9
           void displaydistance()
10 -
                   System.out.println(feet+" feet"+inches+" inchess");
11
12
            static distance_add (distance one, distance two)
13
14 -
15
                   int f=one.feet+two.feet;
                   int i=one.inches+two.inches;
16
17
                   if(i>=12)
18 -
19
                          f++;
                          i=i-12;
20
21
22
                   distance d=new distance(f,i);
23
                   return d;
24
25
    }//distance type created
26
```



```
27 - class Executedistance {
28
29 -
           public static void main(String[] args) {
                  distance d1=new distance(10,9);
30
31
                  System.out.println("the first distance is :");
32
                  d1.displaydistance();
33
                  distance d2=new distance(9,10);
                  System.out.println("the second distance is :");
34
35
                  d2.displaydistance();
                  distance sum=distance.add(d1,d2);
36
                  System.out.println("the sum of their distance is :");
37
                  sum.displaydistance();
38
39
                           7- Terminal
40
                           sh-4.3$ javac Executedistance.java
41
                           sh-4.3$ java Executedistance
42
   1
                           the first distance is :
43
                           10 feet 9 inchess
                           the second distance is :
                           9 feet 10 inchess
                           the sum of their distance is :
                           20 feet 7 inchess
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```

Using Command-Line Arguments



```
1 → public class CommandLine {
       public static void main(String args[]){
          for(int i=0; i<args.length; i++){
              System.out.println("args[" + i + "]: " + args[i]);
5
6
           7- Terminal
          sh-4.3$ javac CommandLine.java
          sh-4.3$ java CommandLine All the best for your Mid Term Examinations
          args[0]: All
          args[1]: the
          args[2]: best
          args[3]: for
          args[4]: your
          args[5]: Mid
          args[6]: Term
          args[7]: Examinations
          sh-4.3$
```

Passing Arrays to Methods



```
import java.util.Scanner;
    public class FindSum
         public static void main (String [ ] args)
 5 -
                int [ ] number = new int [ 10]; // instantiate the array
 6
                int i;
                int sum=0;
                Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
                for (i = 0; i < 10; i++)
                                                       // fill the array
10
                   number[ i ] = in.nextInt();
11
12
                sum = find sum(number);
                                           // invoke the method
13
               System.out.println("The sum is"+ " " +sum + ".");
14
        }
15
16
17
        public static int find sum(int [ ] value) //method definition to find sum
18 -
              int i, total = 0;
19
              for(i=0; i<10; i++)
20
21 -
                  total = total + value[ i ];
22
23
24
25
              return total;
26
27
```



2- Terminal

```
sh-4.3$ javac FindSum.java
sh-4.3$ java FindSum
10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100
The sum is 550.
sh-4.3$
```

Java passes reference by value



```
import java.util.Scanner;
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   public class Modify
 3 - {
         public static void main (String [ ] args)
 4
               int [ ] number = new int [3]; // instantiate the array
 6
               int i:
               int sum=0;
               Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
               System.out.println("Outside method");
10
11
               for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) // fill the array
12
                  {number[i] = i+1;}
13
                  if (i==2)
                  System.out.println(" " +number[i]);
14
15
                  else
                  System.out.print(" " +number[i]);
16
17
                System.out.println("Reference of an Array number " +number);
18
19
               modify array(number); // invoke the method
20
21
22
```



```
public static void modify array(int [ ] value) //method definition to find sum
23
24 +
             int i:
25
             System.out.println("Inside method");
26
27
             for(i=0; i<3; i++)
               {value[ i ]=-10;
28
               if (i==2)
29
                  System.out.println(" " +value[i]);
30
               else
31
32
               System.out.print(" " +value[i]);
33
             System.out.println("Reference of an Array value " +value);
34
35
36
                    P- Terminal
37 }
                   sh-4.3$ javac Modify.java
                    sh-4.3$ java Modify
                   Outside method
                    123 /
                    Reference of an Array number [1@5c647e05]
                   Inside method
                    -10 -10 -10
                    Reference of an Array value [1@5c647e05
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                    sh-4.3$
```



WAP using a method to find the number of elements in a given integer array which are divisible by 7. Pass this array in the method.





```
import java.util.Scanner;
   public class FindDiv7
3 + {
        public static void main (String [ ] args)
 4
 5 -
 6
               int [ ] number = new int [ 10]; // instantiate the array
               int i:
               Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
 8
               for (i = 0; i < 10; i++)
                                                   // fill the array
 9
                  number[ i ] = in.nextInt();
10
11
12
               int count = find div by 7(number); // invoke the method
              System.out.println("The count is"+ " " +count + ".");
13
14
15
       public static int find div by 7(int [ ] value) //method definition to find sum
16
17 -
                                        2- Terminal
             int i, count = 0;
18
             for(i=0; i<10; i++)
19
             { if (value[i]%7==0)
                                        sh-4.3$ javac FindDiv7.java
20
21
               ++count;
                                        sh-4.3$ java FindDiv7
22
23
                                        7 14 21 40 50 60 70 80 90 100
             return count;
24
                                        The count is 4.
25
                                        sh-4.3$
26
```

JAVA



• Java is pass by value. Well, pass by reference value.

Oh well, even better is pass-by-copy-of-the-variable-value!
 ;)

this keyword in java



- In java, this is a reference variable that refers to the current object.
- There can be a lot of usage of java this keyword.

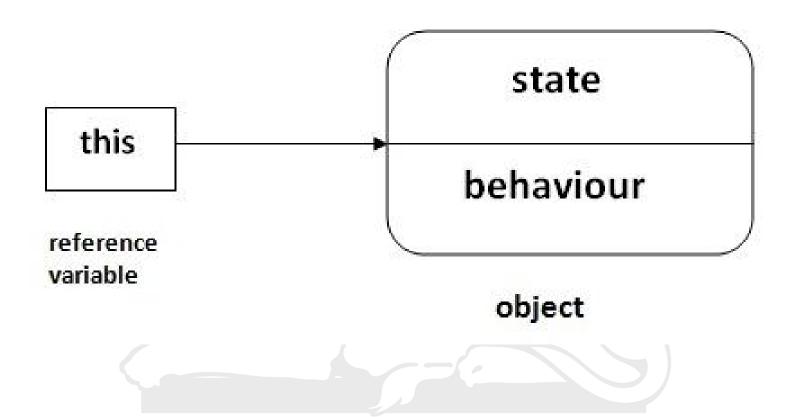


Usage of java this keyword



- 1. this keyword can be used to refer current class instance variable.
- 2. this() can be used to invoke current class constructor.
- 3. this keyword can be used to invoke current class method (implicitly)
- 4. this can be passed as an argument in the method call.
- 5. this can be passed as argument in the constructor call.
- 6. this keyword can also be used to return the current class instance.





The this keyword can be used to refer current class instance variable



 If there is ambiguity between the instance variable and parameter, this keyword resolves the problem of ambiguity.



```
1 * class Student10{
        int id;
        String name;
 4
 5 -
        Student10(int id, String name){
 6
        id = id;
 7
        name = name;
        void display(){System.out.println(id+" "+name);}
 9
10
        public static void main(String args[]){
11 -
        Student10 s1 = new Student10(18, "Virat");
12
        Student10 s2 = new Student10(3, "Suresh");
13
        s1.display();
14
                        7- Terminal
        s2.display();
15
                       sh-4.3$ javac Student10.java
16
17
    }
                       sh-4.3$ java Student10
                       0 null
                       9 null
                       sh-4.3$
```



 In the above example, parameter (formal arguments) and instance variables are same that is why we are using this keyword to distinguish between local variable and instance variable.

```
1 - class Student11{
        int id;
 3
        String name;
 4
        Student11(int id, String name){
 6
        this.id = id;
        this.name = name;
 8
 9
        void display(){System.out.println(id+" "+name);}
        public static void main(String args[]){
10 -
        Student11 s1 = new Student11(18, "Virat");
11
        Student11 s2 = new Student11(3, "Suresh");
12
        s1.display();
13
                        2- Terminal
        s2.display();
14
15
                        sh-4.3$ javac Student11.java
16
                        sh-4.3$ java Student11
                        18 Virat
                        3 Suresh
                        sh-4.3$
```

this() can be used to invoke current class constructor.



```
1 - class Student13{
        int id:
 2
        String name:
        Student13(){System.out.println("default constructor is invoked");}
 4
 5
        Student13(int id, String name){
        this ();//it is used to invoke current class constructor.
7
        this.id = id:
8
9
        this.name = name:
10
        void display(){System.out.println(id+" "+name);}
11
12
                                                       P- Terminal
13 -
        public static void main(String args[]){
14
        Student13 e1 = new Student13(18, "Virat");
                                                       sh-4.3$ javac Student13.java
        Student13 e2 = new Student13(3, "Suresh");
                                                       sh-4.3$ java Student13
15
                                                       default constructor is invoked
16
        e1.display();
                                                       default constructor is invoked
        e2.display();
17
                                                       18 Virat
18
                                                       3 Suresh
19
                                                       sh-4.3$
```

Why to use this() constructor call



```
1 → class Student14{
                                       2- Terminal
        int id:
 2
                                       sh-4.3$ javac Student14.java
        String name;
 4
        String city;
                                       sh-4.3$ java Student14
 5
                                      18 Virat null
        Student14(int id, String name){
 6 -
                                       3 Suresh Muradnagar
        this.id = id:
 7
 8
        this.name = name;
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 9
        Student14(int id, String name, String city){
10 -
        this(id,name);//now no need to initialize id and name
this.city=city;
12
13
        void display(){System.out.println(id+" "+name+" "+city);}
14
15
16 x
        public static void main(String args[]){
        Student14 e1 = new Student14(18, "Virat");
17
        Student14 e2 = new Student14(3, "Suresh", "Muradnagar");
18
        e1.display();
19
        e2.display();
20
21
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22
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```