# Software Engineering and Programming Basics

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**Object Orientation** 

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- Curly braces show scope of statements:
  - if ([logical expression])
    { [statements when true] }
    else { [statements when false] }
    Loops: while (...) { [statements in loop] }
  - Methods: void triangularNumber () { [statements in method] }
  - Class: class myClass { [attributes, methods in class] }
- New: Curly braces show where variables are valid

## Scope II

 Variables are only valid in the block in which they have been declared (and in sub blocks)

```
int i = 1;
if(i < 5){
   int j = 3;
   i++;
   System.out.println(i + j); // 5
}
System.out.println(i); // 2
System.out.println(j); // Error: j unknow here, is declared in inner block!</pre>
```

 Variables with same name in one block (including sub block) are not allowed (exepct class/instance variables)

```
int i = 1;
if(i < 5){
    double i = 1;
    System.out.println(i); // unclear to which i is referred to
}</pre>
```

# Catching Up: Quiz

There are two errors per loop. Find and fix them

```
public void errorLoops(char k) {
                                         Semi colon instead of comma
  for(int i, i < 5; i++) {
    System.out.println(i);
                                   i not initialized. Fix: i = 0
  boolean run = true;
  int x = 0;
  while(k)
    X++;
    if(x > 5)
                                   No logical expression Fix: while(run)
      continue;
                                     Endless loop! Fix: break instead of continue
  int counter;
  do {
    int counter = 10;
                                     Scope-Error: counter is declared two times
    counter = counter - 2
  } while(counter > 0);
                                        Endless loop! counter is always set to 10
```

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# Catching Up: Calculator

- Implement a calculator on a sheet of paper with the following features:
  - Reads 2 numbers from the user and the operation to be executed [+,-,/,\*]
  - Computes the result and prints it
  - After printing the result, it asks the user whether the program should end and reacts accordingly if the user says "yes"



```
public class Test {
public static void main(String[] args) {
String carryOn = "yes";
Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
do {
System.out.print("Please enter the first number:" );
int num1 = sc.nextInt();
System.out.print("Please enter the second number:" );
int num2 = sc.nextInt();
System.out.print("Please enter operator: (+;-;/;*)");
String operator = sc.next();
switch(operator) {
case "+":
System.out.println("Result is: " + (num1 + num2));
break;
case "-":
System.out.println("Result is: " + (num1 - num2));
break;
case "/":
System.out.println("Result is: " + (num1 / num2));
break;
case "*":
System.out.println("Result is: " + (num1 * num2));
break;
default:
System.out.println("Not known/enter valid operation");
System.out.println("Do you want to continue?");
carryOn = sc.next();
while(carryOn.equals("yes"));
sc.close();
```



## Java

- Structure in Java: classes and objects
- Variables
- Data types
- Constants

```
class Person {
    String firstName;
    String name;
    int age;
    Ort Address;
}
```

# **Learning Goals**

- Getting to know object oriented programming
- Getting to know the difference between classes and objects
- Knowing how to create objects

# Structure in Java



## Variables

```
    Variables of classes/objects = attributes

    They have type and name: boolean hasSiblings;

    Is called variable, because values can vary

     class Person {
       String firstName;
       String name;
       int age;
       Address address;
  [TYPE] [NAME];
  OPTIONAL: [TYPE] [NAME] = [WERT];
  z.B.: int age = 0; String firstName = "Max";
```

## **Constants**

- Defined once, cannot be changed once the program is running
- Are described by type and name (like variables)
- Name has to consist of capital letters
- In Java, defined by keyword final (as in: "Java rocks, and that's final!")

```
final [TYPE] [NAME] = [WERT];
final double PI = 3.14159265359;
final int DAYS IN YEAR = 365;
```

# What Is Object-Oriented Programming?

- Programming Paradigm
  - Idea: Structure program according to real-world structures
- Different concpets
  - This time: Abstraction Select only the relevant properties of an object







More concepts will follow



# Why Do I Need Object-Oriented Programming?

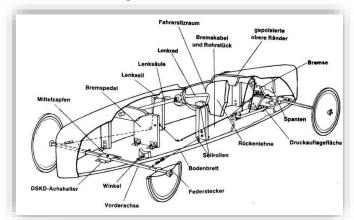
- Idea or problem needs to be put from your "head" to the "computer"
- Object-oriented programming is one way to do it

### Example:

- Store a music collection
- How do I describe "music collection" in a program?
  - Class for collection
  - Collection consists of single songs (class for songs)
  - Songs have composers, singers, titel, duration, etc.
- Saving, searching, filtering, playing are actions that I apply to them

# Classes and Objects

- Classes = Template/Description of properties that an object must have
- Example: Car
  - 4 Tyres
  - Color
  - Engine (Horsepowers)
- Object = Concrete instance of class
  - Example: "My Car"
    - 4 Tyres: Sommer tyres of Pirelli
    - Color: Orange
    - Engine: 170 Horsepowers





# First Concrete Example of a class

- Class: Person
  - Given name
  - Name
  - Age
  - Address
- Point
- Line
- Rectangle

```
In Java
class Person {
    String givenName;
    String name;
    int age;
    Ort address;
class Point {
    int xCoord, yCoord;
class Line {
    Point start;
    Point end;
class Rectangle {
    Line horizontal;
    Line vertical;
```

## Formal: Declaring a Class

- Attributes = Properties of a class
  - Example: Name und Age of a Person
- Methods = Functions of the class
  - Example: maries, isGoingToWork
- Convention: First attributes, then methods (you are helping your tutor a lot if you follow the conventions)

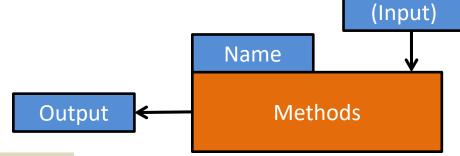
Behavior in Java: Methods of Objects

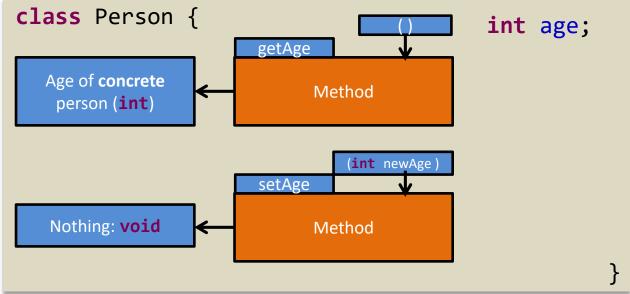
## What Does Behavior Mean?

- Describes possible actions of an object of a class
  - A car can: drive, be filled up with gas, be repared, or get broken
  - A song can: be played, stopped, rewound, or deleted
- All objects of a class have the same behavior
- Behavior is defined via methods
  - A piece of code that defines exactily the behavior

# **Behavior of Objects**

• Is defined via (instance) methods





# Methods of Objects

### • Example:

```
class Person {
  String givenName;
  String name;
  int age;
  Residence address;
 void setName(String name) {
   this.name = name;
  String getName() {
    return this. name;
 void isBirthday () {
   this.age = this.age + 1;
 void movesHouse(Residence newAddress) {
    this.address = newAddress;
```



- Instance methods are defined within a class, yet they apply to objects (instances) of this class
- Thus, you need to first create an object, before you can use an instance method
- In other words:
- Before I can ask about age, I need a concrete person

# Example

#### Class Person:

Name:

GivenName:

Age:

Address:

```
void isBirthday() {
    this.age = this.age + 1;
}
int getAge() {
    return this.age;
}

void setAge(int age) {
    this.age = age;
}
```

## Object person1

Sisko

Benjamin

42

Deep Space Nine

## Object person2

Picard

Jean-Luc

52

Enterprise

## Object person3

Janeway

Kathryn

37

Voyager

# Methods of Objects II

Which behavior could be defined by the following classes?

```
class Book {...};
class MusicCollection {...};
class Tweet {...}
```

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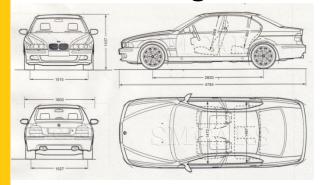


# Creating Objects Constructor and Instantiation



## Constructor

How do I get from the class to an object







## Constructor in Java I

- Special method: creates new object (a.k.a instance) of a class
- Syntactical difference between a constructor and a method:
  - Constructor has the same name as the class of which it creates an object
  - Is the only method without a return type (side effect: creation of an object of that class, return: pointer to the object)
- More than one constructor per method is possible, but with a different signature

## Constructor in Java II

• Example:

```
class Person {
String firstName;
 String name;
 int age;
Person(String firstName, String name) {
 this.firstName = firstName;
 this.name = name;
 this.age = 0;
Person(int age) {
 this.firstName = "John";
 this.name = "Doe";
 this.age = age;
```

- Default-Constructor in Java
  - Is added automatically by the compiler and is empty
  - Does not contain any parameters or statements

## Instantiation

- Creation of new object with the new Operator
- new triggers a call to the constructor
- Example:Person peter = new Person("Peter", "Petersen");
   Person unknown = new Person(22);

- Consequences:
  - Object is created physically in memory
  - Return of call to constructor is pointer to new object of the class

## Constructor and Instantiation

- What are the signatures of the constructors for the classes Book and MusicCollection?
- What is the call to the constructors of the class Tweet?

```
class Book {
    Book(String author, String title){...}
    Book(int jahr){...}
}
class MusicCollection {
    MusicCollection(boolean myFavorite){...}
    MusicCollection(char category, double cost, String owner){...}
}
class Tweet {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Tweet myTweet = new Tweet("Hello World!");
        Tweet repeatTweet = new Tweet("yes",5);
        Tweet delayTweet = new Tweet("Hihi",3.5,true);
    }
}
```

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# Method Calls



# Call to Methods of an Object

- Done with "." (dot)
- Variable + method name + (correct parameters)

```
peter.isBirthday();
int age = peter.getAge(); // 1

peter.isBirthday();
age = peter.getAge(); // 2
```

Access to attributes of object also with "." (dot)

```
peter.age = 20;
```

# Calling Methods of the Same Object

What if I am the person William and want to call my methods?

```
william.turnsOlder();

void turnsOlder()
{
    this.isBirthday();
    isBirthday();
}
Here, I am the object, that is William
```

- I can refer to "myself" via this (or omit this, in case it is unambiguous)
- Using this can avoid naming conflicts (this.x refers to attribute x; x possibly to local variable of a method)

# Scope in Object-Oriented Programming

 With a class/instance variable of the same name as a local variable, the local variable has precedence

```
class Person {
  String firstName;
                            Instance variables (store name and age for every object
  String name;
                            of type Person)
  int age;
                             Local variable with the same name
 Person(String firstName, String name) {
    this.firstName = firstName; Local variable has precedence
    this.name = name;
    this age = 0;
               Using this, the instance variable is used
```

# Take Aways

- Class ≠ objects
  - A class is a form or template
  - An object of a class is an instance (a real representative) with according format
- Necessity and special properties of constructors
- Role of the keyword this