

Class in Java & Inheritance

Goals

- Practice about Java class with an example
- Begin coding to learn about composite classes
 - Objects inside other class
 - Methods with object arguments
 - Methods return object
- Learn about inheritance in Java with an example



Review

Inheritance

- **Definition:**

- A class (called *subclass*, *derived class*, *extended class*, or *child class*) that is **derived from another class** (called *superclass*, *base class* or a *parent class*).

```
public class ClassName extends SuperClass {  
    ...  
}
```

- **What You Can Do in a Subclass**

- A subclass inherits all of the **public** and **protected** members of its parent. (NOT vice versa)
- You can declare a field in the subclass **with the same name** as the one in the superclass, thus *hiding* it (**Not recommended**)
- The inherited methods can be **used directly** as they are.
- You can write a new instance method in the subclass that has the **same signature** as the one in the superclass, thus **overriding** it.
- You can write a subclass constructor that invokes the superclass's constructor, either implicitly or by using the keyword **super**.

```
super(parameter); //call parent class 's constructor  
super.parentMethodName(parameter);  
super.parentFieldName;
```

- Java does **not support multiple inheritance**, but you can use Interface for implementing multiple inheritance. (next class)



Exercise



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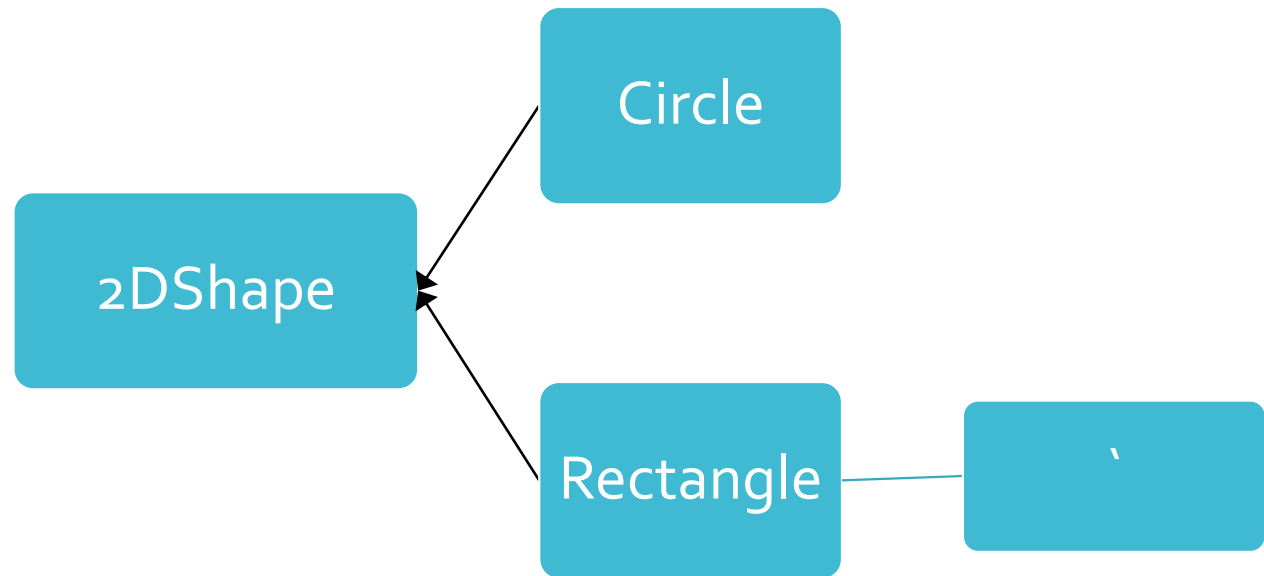


Introduction

- Objective:
 - Use inheritance to create hierarchies of related classes
 - Extend behavior and override existing behavior
- To Do:
 - Create the hierarchies with classes: **Circle, Rectangle, Square, TwoDimensionalShape**.
 - Implement constructor for all class.
 - Implement method to **return the String** of the **current class** and **direct super class**.
 - Implement method to **return the area** of object.

Class hierarchy

- Design **superclasses** to store **common characteristics**
- Design the **subclasses** to store **specialized characteristics**



Exercise output

- Create objects and print the result like this:

Four shapes have been created:

1.Circle [Radius()=3.0]

Cir One's area is 28.27, radius is 3.00

2.Rectangle [Width()=3.0, Height()=4.0]

Rec One's area is 12.00, width is 3.00, height is is 4.00

3.Square [Side()=4.0]

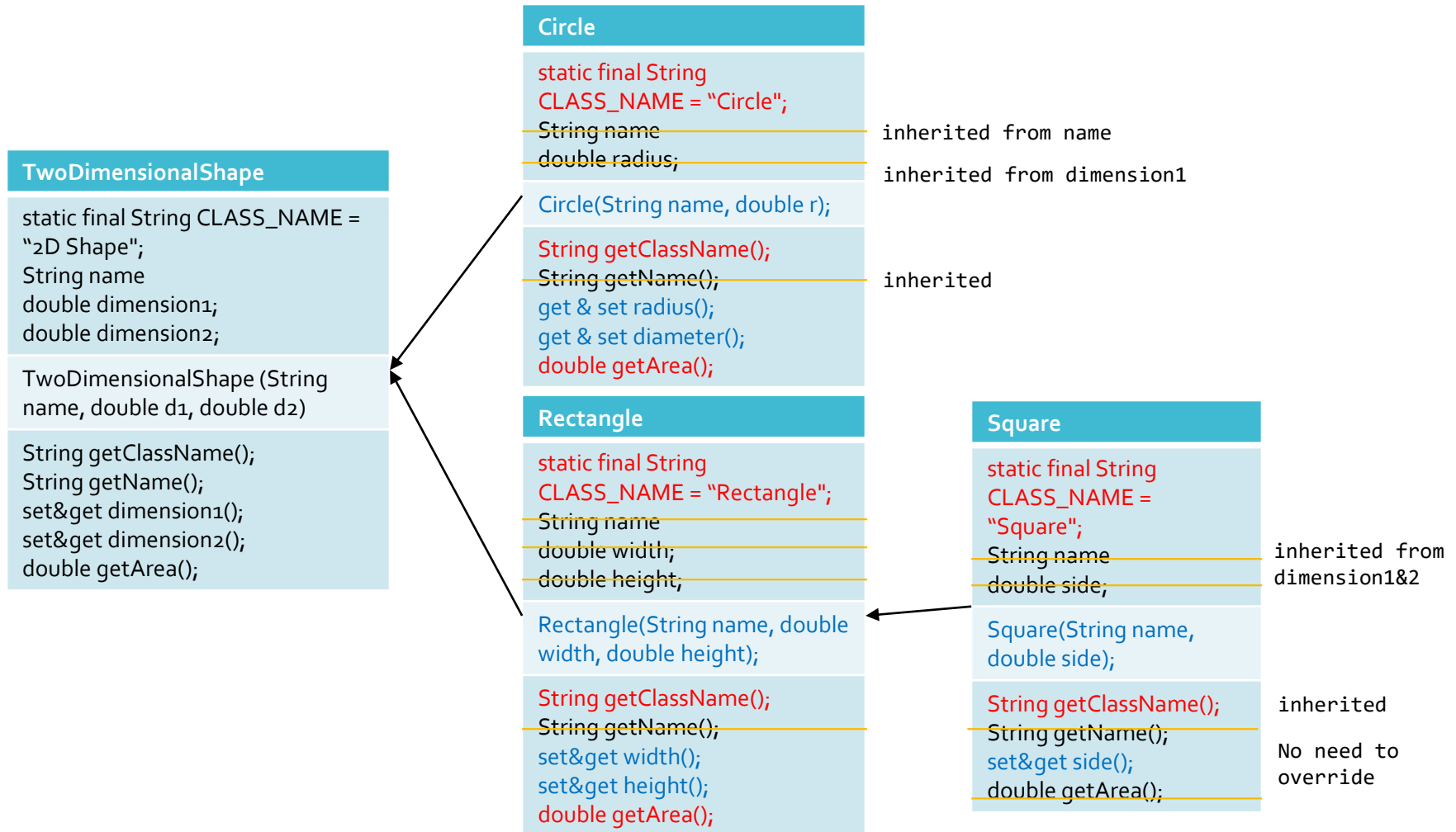
Square Two's area is 16.00, side is 4.00

4.Square [Side()=4.0]

Square Two's area is 16.00

Is Rec One a TwoDimensionalShape? true

- Design **superclasses** to store **common characteristics**
- Design the **subclasses** to store **specialized characteristics**



TwoDimensionalShape Class

TwoDimensionalShape	Description
static final String CLASS_NAME = "2D Shape"; String name double dimension1; double dimension2;	<i>class fields</i>
TwoDimensionalShape (String name, double d1, double d2)	<i>initialize all class fields</i>
String getClassName() String getName() Get & Set dimension1() Get & Set dimension2(); double getArea();	<i>return the CLASS_NAME return the name of the class return 0, will be overridden by child class</i>

```

/**
 * Create class of 2Dshape and can be subclassed.
 */
public class TwoDimensionalShape {

    private static String CLASS_NAME = "2D Shape";

    private String name;

    private double dimension1;

    private double dimension2;

    // constructor
    public TwoDimensionalShape(String name, double d1, double d2)
    {
        this.name = name;

        this.dimension1 = d1;

        this.dimension2 = d2;
    }

    // get name and class name
    public String getClassName() {

        return CLASS_NAME;
    }
}

```

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    public String getName() {

        return name;
    }

    // get & set methods for dimension 1
    public double getDimension1() {return this.dimension1; }
    public void setDimension1(double d) {this.dimension1=d;}

    // get & set methods for dimension 2
    public double getDimension2() {return this.dimension2;}
    public void setDimension2(double d) {}

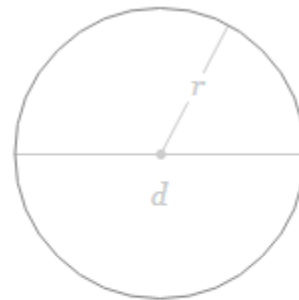
    // don't know the kind of current shape
    // so return 0 only
    // must be implement in subclass
    public double getArea() {

        return 0;
    }
}

```

Circle Class

Circle	Description
<code>static final String CLASS_NAME = "Circle";</code>	<i>override the CLASS_NAME of super class</i>
<code>Circle(String name, double radius);</code>	<i>initialize all class fields The name is inherited from name of super class The radius is inherited from dimension1 of super class</i>
<code>String getClassName();</code> <code>get & set radius();</code> <code>get & set diameter();</code> <code>double getArea();</code>	<i>return the CLASS_NAME fields of this class Call the super method to update the dimension1 Calculation and call the super method to update the dimension1 return the area of the circle</i>



$$A = \pi r^2$$

```

public class Circle extends TwoDimensionalShape {

    private static String CLASS_NAME = "Circle";

    public Circle(String name, double r) {

        super(name, r, r);

    }

    @Override

    // return current class name

    public String getClassName() {

        return CLASS_NAME;

    }

    public double getRadius() {

        return super.getDimension1();

    }

```

```

    public void setRadius(double r) {

        super.setDimension1(r);

        super.setDimension2(r);

    }

    @Override

    public double getArea() {

        return Math.PI * super.getDimension1() *
super.getDimension1();

    }

    @Override

    public String toString() {

        return String.format("%s is a [%s], and is a [%s]",
super.getName(), getClassName(), super.getClassName());

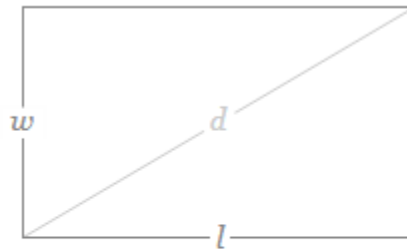
    }

}

```

Rectangle Class

Rectangle	Description
<code>static final String CLASS_NAME = "Rectangle";</code>	<i>override the CLASS_NAME of super class</i>
<code>Rectangle (String name, double width, double height);</code>	<i>initialize all class fields The name is inherited from name of super class The width is inherited from dimension1 of super class The height is inherited from dimension2 of super class</i>
<code>String getClassName();</code> <code>double getWidth();</code> <code>double getHeight();</code> <code>setSize(double w, double h);</code> <code>double getArea();</code>	<i>return the CLASS_NAME fields of this class Call the super method to get the dimension1 Call the super method to get the dimension2 Call the super method to set the dimension1&dimension2 return the area of the Rectangle</i>



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- Similar with Circle class

```
public class Rectangle extends TwoDimensionalShape {  
    private static String CLASS_NAME = "Rectangle";  
    public Rectangle(String name, double width, double height) {  
        // store width in field demension1, height in field  
        demension2  
        super(name, width, height);  
    }  
  
    public String getClassName(){  
        return CLASS_NAME;  
    }  
  
    public double getWidth() {  
        return super.getDimension1();  
    }  
  
    public double getHeight() {  
        return super.getDimension2();  
    }  
}
```

```
public void setSize(double w, double h){  
    super.setDimension1(w);  
    super.setDimension2(h);  
}  
  
public double getArea() {  
    return super.getDimension1() * super.getDimension2();  
}  
  
public String toString() {  
    return String.format("%s is a [%s], and is a [%s]",  
        super.getName(), getClassName(), super.getClassName());  
}  
}
```

Square Class

Square	Description
<code>static final String CLASS_NAME = "Square";</code>	<i>override the CLASS_NAME of super class</i>
<code>Square(String name, double side);</code>	<i>initialize all class fields The name is inherited from name of (indirect) super class The side is inherited from dimension1 and dimension2</i>
<code>String getClassName();</code> <code>Get & Set side();</code>	<i>return the CLASS_NAME fields of this class Call the super method to get & set both the dimension1 and the dimension2</i>



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- Inheritance from Rectangle Class

```
public class Square extends Rectangle {  
    private static String CLASS_NAME = "Square";  
    public Square(String name, double side) {  
        // this will call the constructor of Rectangle  
        super(name, side, side);  
    }  
}
```

```
public String getClassName(){  
    return CLASS_NAME;  
}
```

```
public double getSide() {  
    return getWidth();  
}
```

```
public void setSide(int side) {
```

```
    super.setSize(side, side);  
}
```

```
public String toString() {  
    return String.format("%s is a [%s], and is a [%s]",  
        super.getName(), getClassName(), super.getClassName());  
}  
}
```

Test Program

- Create these objects:
 - Circle cir1 = new Circle("Cir One", 3.0);
 - Rectangle rec1 = new Rectangle("Rec One", 3.0, 4.0);
 - Square sq1 = new Square("Square One", 6.0);
- Print the fields of the class
 - Circle: area, radius, diameter
 - Rectangle: area, width, height
 - Square : area, side

```

public class ShapeTester {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // create an object

        Circle cir1 = new Circle("Cir One", 3.0);

        Rectangle rec1 = new Rectangle("Rec One", 3.0, 4.0);

        Square sq1 = new Square("Square One", 6.0);

        TwoDimensionalShape sq2 = new Square("Square Two", 4.0);

        System.out.println("Four shapes have been created:");

        // print the object properties

        System.out.println("1." + cir1);

        System.out.printf( "%s's area is %.2f, radius is %.2f\n",
            cir1.getName(),cir1.getArea(), cir1.getRadius());

        System.out.println("2." + rec1);

```

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        System.out.printf( "%s's area is %.2f, width is %.2f,
height is %.2f\n",

            rec1.getName(),rec1.getArea(), rec1.getWidth(),
rec1.getHeight());

        System.out.println("3." + sq1);

        System.out.printf( "%s's area is %.2f, side is %.2f\n",

            sq1.getName(), sq1.getArea(), sq1.getSide());

        // print all circle shape

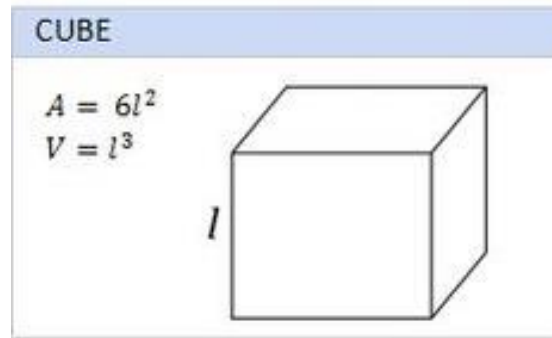
        System.out.printf("Is %s a TwoDimensionalShape?
%s\n",sq1.getName(), sq1 instanceof TwoDimensionalShape);

        System.out.printf("Is %s a Rectangle? %s\n",sq1.getName(),
sq1 instanceof Rectangle);

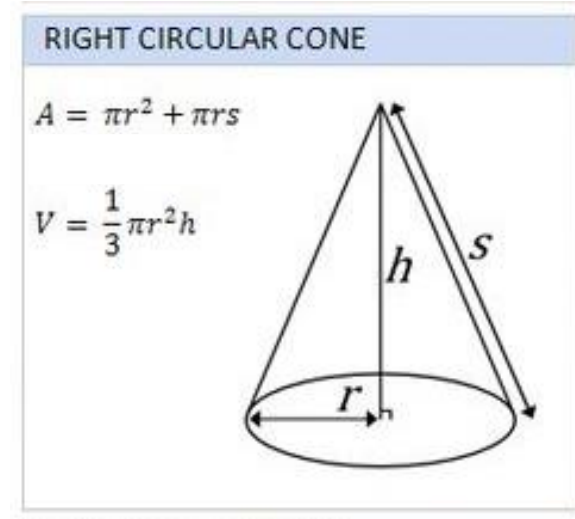
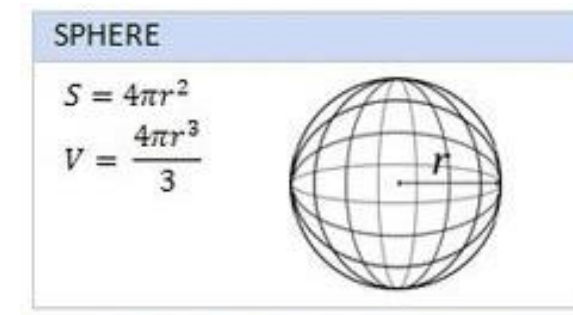
        System.out.printf("Is %s a Square? %s\n", sq1.getName(),
sq1 instanceof Square);
    }
}

```

Self practice Exercise



- **Design** a class **Cube**, **Cone** and **Sphere**. Then **create** the objects of each class and **print** to screen this information:
 - Object name, the class name and the parent class name
 - Surface Area value and Volume value (The formulas are below)



Self practice Exercise

- Implement **Cube, Cone, Sphere** class as inherited class of the classes created today (2DShape, Circle, Rectangle, Square) to reduce the code and complexity.
- You can decide which class is the superclass (parentclass).
- You will override the **getArea()** method and implement new method called **getVolume()** for these classes (**Cube, Cone, Sphere**)

Possible classes designs

