

Outline

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 - ▶ Defining is class
 - ▶ Construction
 - ▶ Method

Object and Class

What is Class?

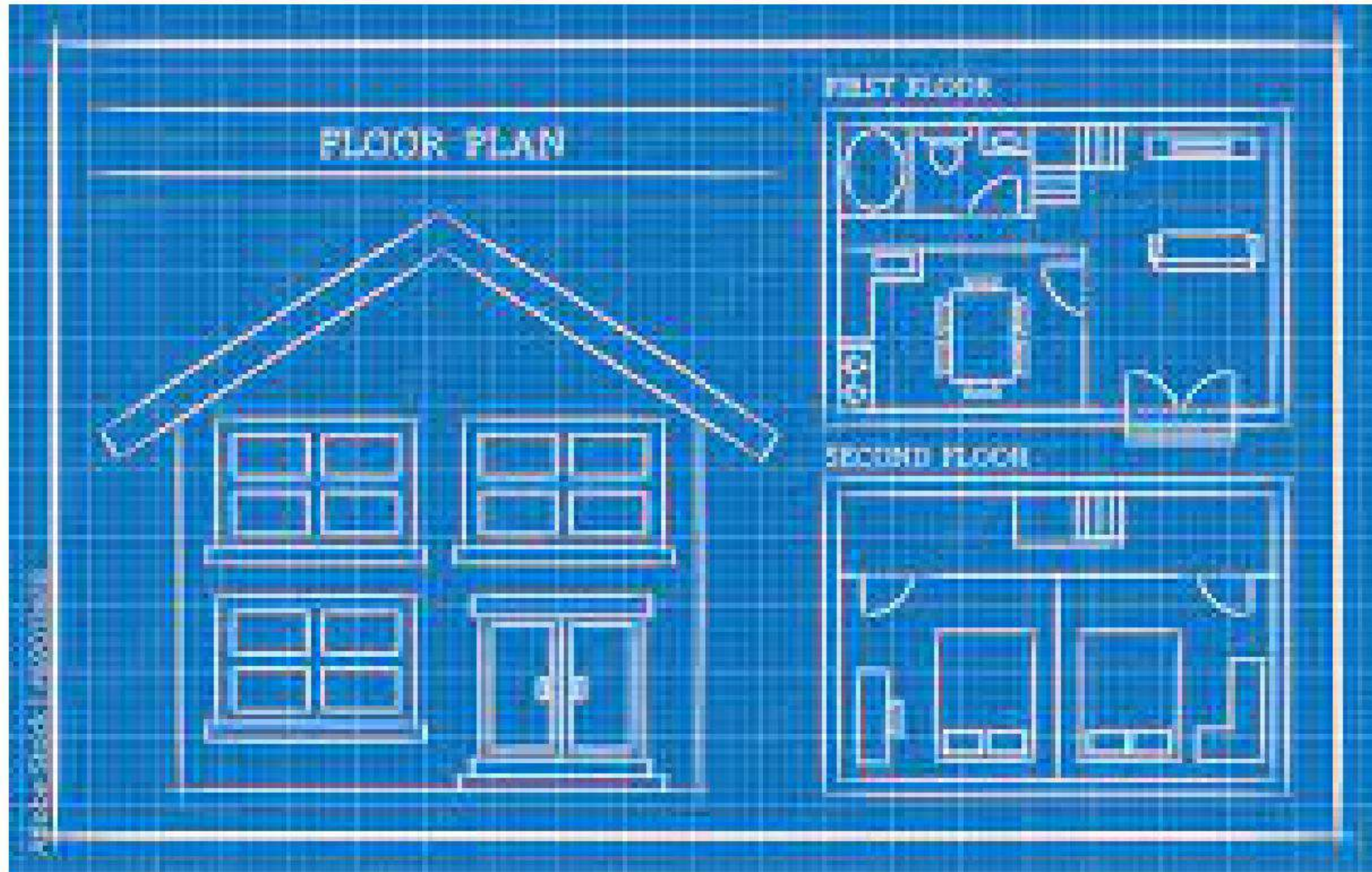
- In object-oriented programming, a **class** is a **basic building block**.
- A class is a **blueprint** or **prototype** that defines the **variables** and **methods** common to **all objects of a certain kind**
- A class is a **group of objects** which **have common properties**.
- **Before** we create an **object**, we **first** need to **define the class**.
- It is a **logical entity**.
 - ▶ It can't be physical

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What is Class?

- We can think of the **class as prototype of a house.**
 - ▶ It contains **all the details** about **the floors, doors, windows, etc.**
- Based on these **descriptions we build the house.**
- Since **many houses** can be **made from the same description**
 - ▶ We can **create many objects** from a class.

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What is Class?

- We can **create a class** in Java using the **class keyword**.
- Class is a **group of variables** of **different data types** and **group of methods**.
- **Syntax to declare a class:**

```
class ClassName
{
    // fields
    // methods
}
```


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What is Class?

- **fields (variables) and methods represent the state and behavior** of the **object** respectively.
 - ▶ fields are used to store data
 - ▶ methods are used to perform some operations

```
class Student
{
    String name;
    int age;
    void display()
    {
        //method body;
    }
}
```

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What is Class?

- The **data, or variables**, defined within a class are called **instance variables**.
- The **methods and variables** defined within a class are called **members of the class**.

What is Object?

- **An object** is an identifiable entity with **some characteristics, state and behavior**.
- **An object** is called **an instance of a class**.
- It is a basic unit of Object-Oriented Programming and represents real life entities.
- A typical Java program creates many objects, which as you know, interact by invoking methods.

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What is Object?

- An object has three characteristics:
 - ① **State**: represents the **data (value) of an object**.
 - ★ item What does it look like?
 - ② **Behavior**: represents **the behavior (functionality) of an object**
 - ★ What does it do?
 - ③ **Identity**: An object identity is typically implemented using **a unique ID**.
 - ★ What do we call it?

Object

For Example

- Pen is an object.
 - ▶ Its **name** is **Reynolds**;
 - ▶ **color** is **white**, known as its **state**.
 - ▶ It is **used to write**, so **writing** is its **behavior**.

Object

For Example

- To create an object of a class, specify the class name, followed by the object name, by using the **new** keyword

```
ClassName objectName = new ClassName();
```

- For Examples

```
// for fruits class  
fruits banana = new fruits();  
fruits orange = new Bicycle();
```


Object

- The **new** operator **dynamically allocates** (that is, allocates at run time) **memory for an object**.
- **for Example:**
Box mybox = new Box();
- This statement combines the **two steps**
 - 1 The first line declares **mybox** as a reference to an object of type **Box**.
 - ★ mybox contains the **value null**
 - 2 The next line **allocates an actual object** and **assigns a reference to it to mybox**.

Object

Examples

```
class Box {  
    double width;  
    double height;  
    double depth;  
}  
// This class declares an object of type Box.  
class BoxDemo {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        Box mybox = new Box();  
    }  
}
```



Object

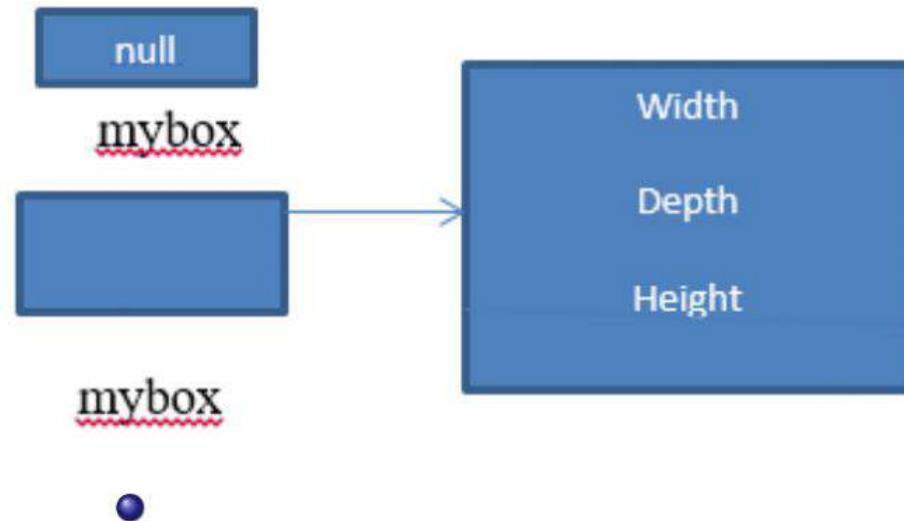
Examples

Statement

box mybox ;

mybox =new box();

Effect



Object

- We can use the **name of objects** along with the **dot (.) operator** to **access members of a class**.
- The **dot operator** links the **name of the object** with the **name of an instance variable**.

Key Differences Between Java Classes and Objects

Class

- A class is a blueprint for creating objects
- A class is a logical entity
- The keyword used is "class"
- A class is designed or declared only once
- The computer does not allocate memory when you declare a class

Objects

- An object is a copy of a class
- An object is a physical entity
- The keyword used is "new"
- You can create any number of objects using one single class
- The computer allocates memory when you declare a class

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Example 1

```
class Box {  
    double width;  
    double height;  
    double depth;  
}  
// This class declares an object of type Box.  
class BoxDemo {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        Box mybox = new Box();  
        double vol;  
        // assign values to mybox's instance variables  
        mybox.width = 10;  
        mybox.height = 20;  
        mybox.depth = 15;  
        // compute volume of box  
        vol = mybox.width * mybox.height * mybox.depth;  
        System.out.println("Volume is " + vol);  
    }  
}
```

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Example 1

- The output of Example one is:
Volume is 3000.0

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Example 2

```
class Lamp {
    boolean isOn;
    void turnOn() {
        isOn = true;
        System.out.println("Light on? " + isOn);}
    void turnOff() {
        isOn = false;
        System.out.println("Light on? " + isOn); }}
class Light {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Lamp led = new Lamp();
        Lamp halogen = new Lamp();
        led.turnOn();
        halogen.turnOff();}}
```



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Example 2

- The output of Example Two is:
Light on? true
Light on? false

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Create objects inside the same class

- **Note** that in the **previous example**, we have **created objects inside another class and accessed the members from that class.**
- **However**, we can also **create objects inside the same class.**

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Example 3

```
class Lamp {  
    boolean isOn;  
    void turnOn() {  
        isOn = true;  
        System.out.println("Light on? " + isOn);  
    }  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Lamp led = new Lamp();  
        led.turnOn();  
    }  
}
```



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Example 3

- The output of Example Three is:
Light on? true

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Example 4

```
class Student{  
    int id;  
    String name;  
    float height;  
    public static void main(String args[]){  
        Student s1=new Student();  
        System.out.println(s1.id);  
        System.out.println(s1.name);  
        System.out.println(s1.height);  
    }  
}
```



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Example 4

- The output of Example Four is:

0

null

0.0

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Example 5

```
class Box {  
    double width;  
    double height;  
    double depth;  
    void volume() {  
        System.out.print("Volume is ");  
        System.out.println(width * height * depth);  
    }  
}  
class BoxDemo3 {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        Box mybox1 = new Box();  
        Box mybox2 = new Box();  
        mybox1.width = 10;  
        mybox1.height = 20;  
        mybox1.depth = 15;  
        mybox2.width = 3;  
        mybox2.height = 6;  
        mybox2.depth = 9;  
        mybox1.volume();  
        mybox2.volume();  
    }  
}
```

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Example 5

- The output of Example Five is:
Volume is 3000.0
Volume is 162.0

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Class Work

- Write the program that display the detail information about Employee

.

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Adding a Method That Takes Parameters

- Some methods **don't need parameters**, most do.
- Parameters allow a method to be generalized.

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Adding a Method That Takes Parameters

```
class Box {  
    double width; double height; double depth; double volume() {  
        return width * height * depth;  
    }  
    void setDim(double w, double h, double d) {  
        width = w; height = h; depth = d;  
    }  
}  
  
class BoxDemo5 {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        Box mybox1 = new Box();  
        Box mybox2 = new Box();  
        double vol;  
        mybox1.setDim(10, 20, 15);  
        mybox2.setDim(3, 6, 9);  
        vol = mybox1.volume();  
        System.out.println("Volume is " + vol);  
        vol = mybox2.volume();  
        System.out.println("Volume is " + vol);  
    }  
}
```

Constructors

- A **constructor** in Java is a **special method** that is used to **initialize objects**.
- The constructor is **called** when an **object of a class** is **created**.
- Constructor is a **block of code** that initializes the **newly created object**.
- It is called when an instance of the class is **created**.
 - ▶ At the time of **calling constructor**, **memory** for the **object** is **allocated in the memory**.

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Constructors

- **Every time an object is created** using the **new()** keyword, at **least one constructor is called.**
- It is called constructor because it **constructs the values at the time of object creation.**
- Following is the **syntax of a constructor**

```
class ClassName
{
    ClassName()
    {
    }
}
```

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Rules for creating Java constructor

- ① **A constructor** must have **the same name as the class itself**.
- ② Constructors **do not** have **a return type—not even void**.

Types of Java constructors

- There are **Three types** of constructors in Java:
 - ① **Default constructor**
 - ② **No-arg constructor**
 - ③ **Parameterized.**

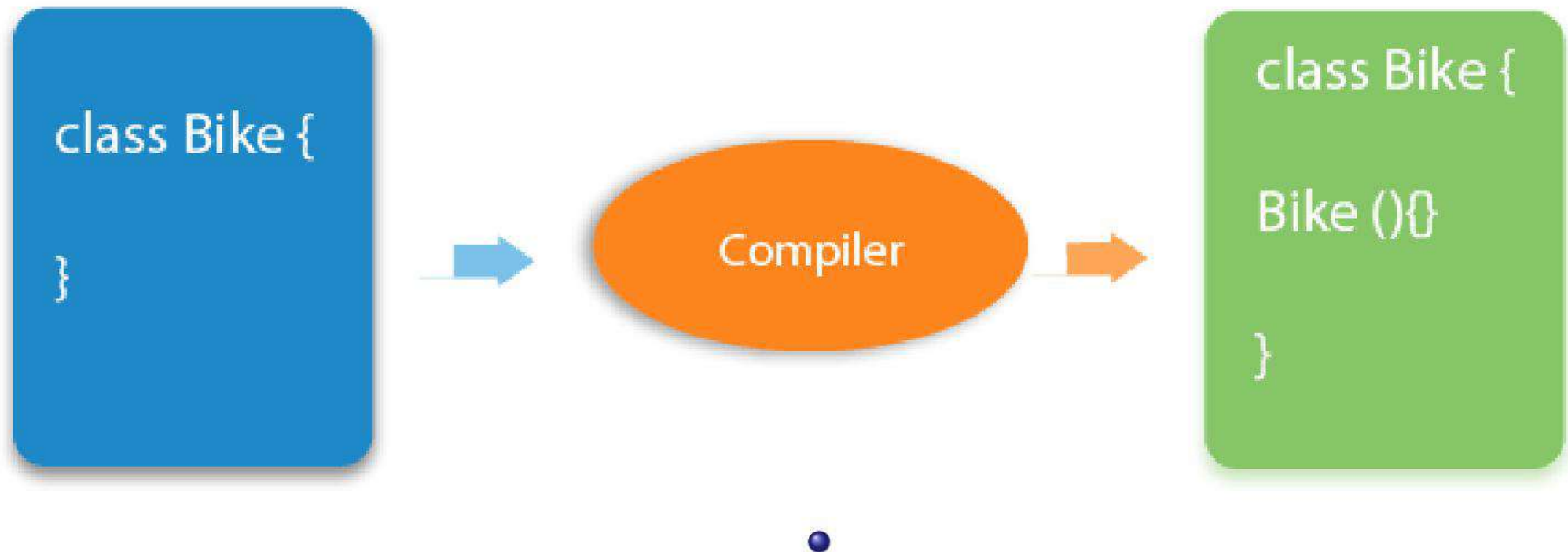
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Default constructor

- If you **do not implement** any **constructor in your class**, Java **compiler inserts a default constructor into your code**
- A default constructor **is invisible constructor**.
- **if we write a constructor with arguments or no arguments** then the compiler does not create a default constructor.

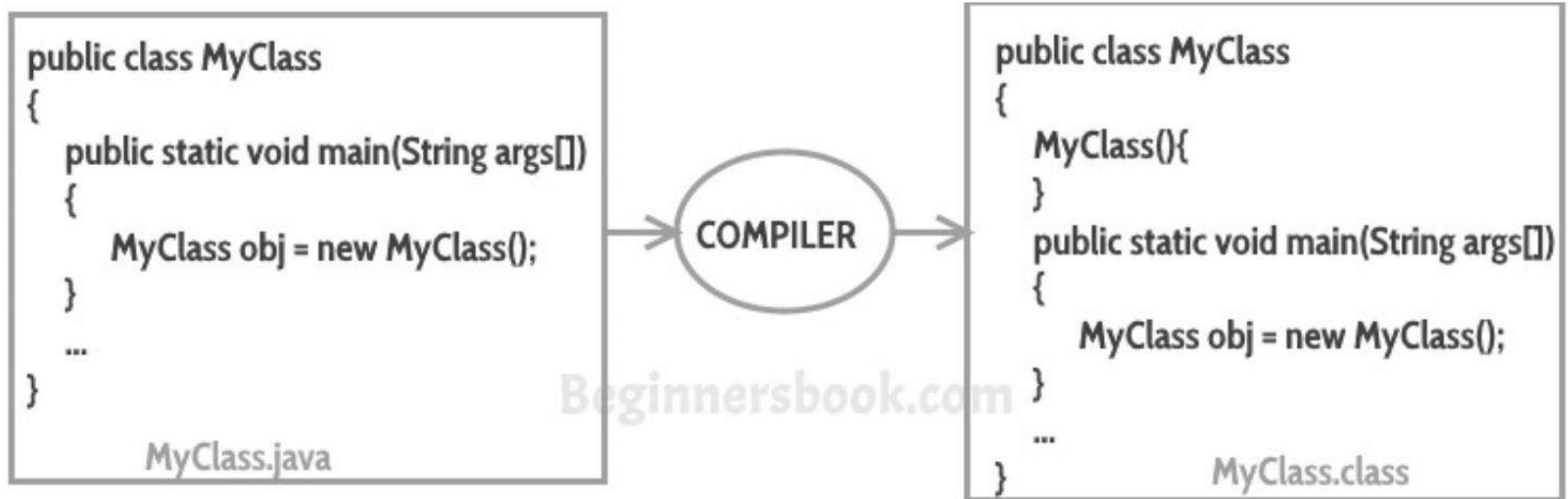
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Default constructor



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Default constructor



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Class Work Question

- What is the purpose of a default constructor?

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Class Work Question

- what is the output of the following code

```
public class Test
{
    public static void main(String args[])
    {
        int a;
        System.out.println(a);
    }
}
```


Types of Java constructors

Class Work Question

- The out of the following code is

```
public class Test
{
    public static void main(String args[])
    {
        int a;
        System.out.println(a);
    }
}
```

- **error** because **the variable are not initialized**

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Class Work Question

- What is the purpose of a default constructor?
- The answer is:
 - ▶ The purpose of the default constructor is to initialize the attributes of the object with their default values.

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Example of default constructor

- what is the output of the following code

```
class Student3
{
    int id;
    String name;
    void display()
    {
        System.out.println(id+" "+name);
    }

    public static void main(String args[]){
        Student3 s1=new Student3();
        Student3 s2=new Student3();
        s1.display();
        s2.display();
    }
}
```

Types of Java constructors

No-Args Constructor

- Constructor **without** any argument is called a no-args constructor.
- The **signature is same as default constructor**
 - ▶ **However body can have any code** unlike default constructor where the **body of the constructor is empty**.

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No-Args Constructor Examples

```
class MyClass
{
    int num;
    MyClass() {
        num = 100;
    }
}

public class ConsDemo {
    public static void main(String args[]) {
        MyClass t1 = new MyClass();
        MyClass t2 = new MyClass();
        System.out.println(t1.num + " " + t2.num);
    }
}
```



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No-Args Constructor Examples

```
class Exam {  
    int num;  
    String name;  
    Exam()  
    {  
        System.out.println(" This is Java programming");  
    }  
}  
  
class ConsDemo {  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Exam x = new Exam();  
        System.out.println(x.name);  
        System.out.println(x.num);  
    }  
}
```



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No-Args Constructor Examples

```
public class Person
{
    String name;
    int age;
    String address;
    Person()
    {
        name = "hana";
        age = 25;
        address = "A.A";
        System.out.println(name+ " " +age+ " " +address);
    }
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        Person p = new Person();
        System.out.println("this the information of hana");
    }
}
```

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Parameterized Constructors

- A constructor which has a **specific number of parameters** is called a **parameterized constructor**.
- If we want to **initialize fields** of the class with our own values, then **use a parameterized constructor**.

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Parameterized Constructors

- **Why use the parameterized constructor?**

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Parameterized Constructors

- **Why use the parameterized constructor?**
- **The Answer is:**
 - ▶ The parameterized constructor **is used to provide different values to distinct objects.**
 - ▶ **However**, you can provide the **same values also.**

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Parameterized Constructors Example

```
class Student4{
    int id;
    String name;
    Student4(int i,String n){
        id = i;
        name = n;
    }
    void display(){System.out.println(id+" "+name);}
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Student4 s1 = new Student4(111,"Karan");
        Student4 s2 = new Student4(222,"Aryan");
        s1.display();
        s2.display();
    }
}
```

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Parameterized Constructors Example

```
class ConsDemo2 {
    ConsDemo2 (String name){
        System.out.println("Constructor with one "
                           + "argument - String : " + name);}
    ConsDemo2 (String name, int age){
        System.out.println(
            "Constructor with two arguments : "
            + " String and Integer : " + name + " " + age);}
    ConsDemo2(Long id){
        System.out.println(
            "Constructor with one argument : "
            + "Long : " + id); }}

class ConsDemo {
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ConsDemo2 p1 = new ConsDemo2 ("Hana");
        ConsDemo2 p2 = new ConsDemo2 ("Hana", 26);
        ConsDemo2 p3 = new ConsDemo2 (325614567);}}}
```

Types of Java constructors

Difference between constructor and method in Java

CONSTRUCTOR

- A constructor is used to initialize the state of an object.
- A constructor must not have a return type.
- The Java compiler provides a default constructor if you don't have any constructor in a class.
- The constructor name must be same as the class name.

METHOD

- A method is used to expose the behaviour of an object.
- A method must have a return type.
- The method is not provided by the compiler in any case.
- The method name may or may not be same as the class name.

Types of Java constructors

Constructor Overloading

- **Constructor overloading** is a concept of having **more than one constructor** with **different parameters list**
 - ▶ In such a way so that each **constructor performs a different task**.
- **Two or more constructors** with the **same name** but with **different signatures** is called **constructor overloading**.
- **If two constructors** of a class have the **same signature**, it represents **ambiguity**.
 - ▶ **In this case, Java compiler** will generate an **error message** because Java compiler will **unable to differentiate which form to execute**.

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Constructor Overloading

- **Java compiler** decides **which constructor** has to be called depending on the **number of arguments passing with objects**.

```
public class School  
{
```

```
// Zero parameter constructor.
```

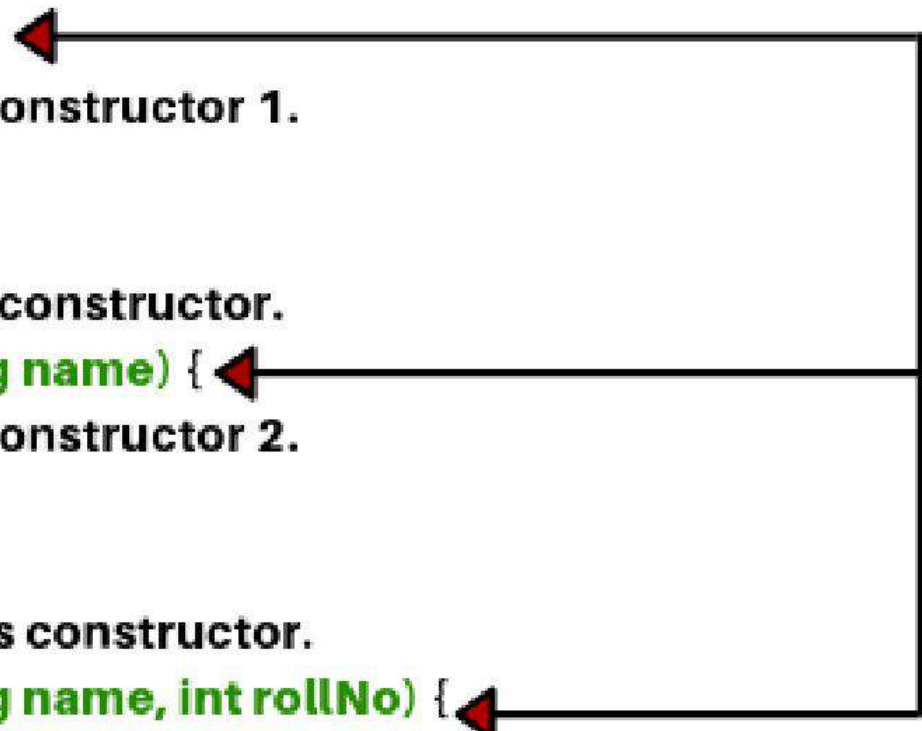
```
School() {  
    // Body of constructor 1.  
}
```

```
// One parameter constructor.
```

```
School(String name) {  
    // Body of constructor 2.  
}
```

```
// Two parameters constructor.
```

```
School(String name, int rollNo) {  
    // Body of constructor 3.
```



Three
constructors
overloaded
having a
different
parameter
list

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Constructor Overloading Example

```
public class School {
    String scName; int estYear;
    School() {
        scName = "RSVM"; estYear = 1975; }
    School(String name) {
        scName = name; }
    School(String name, int year) {
        scName = name; estYear = year; }
    void display() {
        System.out.println(scName+ " " +estYear); }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        School sc = new School();
        School sc1 = new School("RSVM");
        School sc2 = new School("RSVM",1975);
        sc.display();
        sc1.display();
        sc2.display();
    } }
```

Types of Java constructors

Constructor Overloading Example

```
public class Student3 {  
    int id;  
    String name;  
    Student3(){  
        System.out.println("this a default constructor");    }  
    Student3(int i, String n){  
        id = i;  
        name = n;    }  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Student3 s = new Student3();  
        System.out.println("\nDefault Constructor values: \n");  
        System.out.println("Student Id : "+s.id + "\nStudent Name : "+s.name);  
  
        System.out.println("\nParameterized Constructor values: \n");  
        Student3 student = new Student3(10, "David");  
        System.out.println("St Id : "+student.id + "\nStudent Name : "+student.name);  
    } }  

```



End of Chapter Four

- Thank You!!!