

Agenda

→ Access Modifiers

→ Constructors

→ Default
→ Copy
→ Manual.

→ Shallow (vs) Deep Copy

→ Pass by value (vs) Pass by Reference.

ACCESS MODIFIERS.

- ① Public : Anyone can access from anywhere
- ② Private : Can only be accessed within the class.
- ③ Protected : Can be accessed within the package & child class outside the package.
- ④ Default : Can be accessed within the package only.

```
Class Student {  
    String name;  
    int age;  
    double psp;  
    String batch;  
}
```

Memory Allocation

Student st = new Student();

Default Constructor

looking like a fun.

```
Student rohan = new Student();
```

Default Constructor.

If we don't create our own constructor in a class, a default constructor is provided.

⇒ Default constructor creates a new object of the class and initializes all the attrs of the class to their default values.

```
Class Student {  
    String name;  
    int age;  
    double psp;  
    String batch;
```

```
Student() {  
    name = null;  
    age = 0  
    psp = 0.0  
    batch = null;
```

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⇒ Special function.

⇐ Automatically generated by JAVA but not visible to us.

⇒ Default Constructor.

- 1) No return type
- 2) Constructor name will be same as of the class name.
- 3) Initializes the class attrs with default values
- 4) Public.

CUSTOM CONSTRUCTORS.

Student st = new Student();

{
st.name = "Nikhil";
st.psp = 85.0
st.batch = "MWF 4PM";

↓

Student st = new Student("Nikhil", 85.0, "MWF 4PM",
...);

Class Student {

String name;
int age;

double psp;

String batch;

Student (String name, age, psp, batch) {

Belongs
to the
current
object of
the class

⇒ this.name = name;
this.age = age;
this.psp = psp;
this.batch = batch;

}_

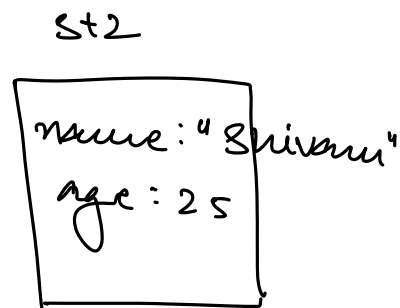
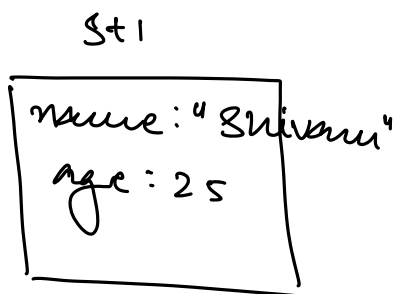
⇒ How Custom Constructor works

- ① It initializes the object with the default values
- ② Starts executing further lines to set the attribute values

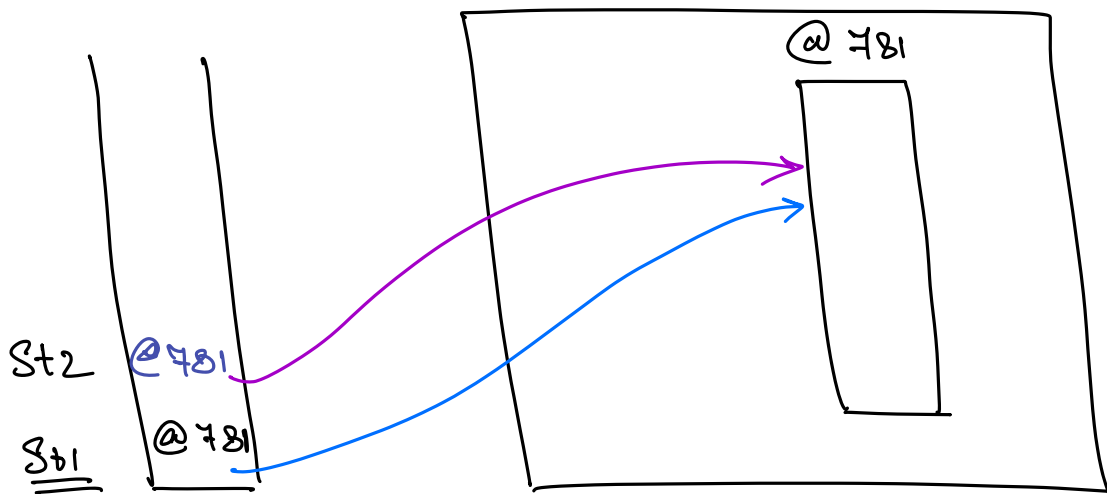
COPY CONSTRUCTOR.

→ We already have an object of Student.

→ We want to create a new object of Student that has exact same values of the existing object.



✓ Student St1 = new Student();



Student st2 = st1; ← Not even a Copy
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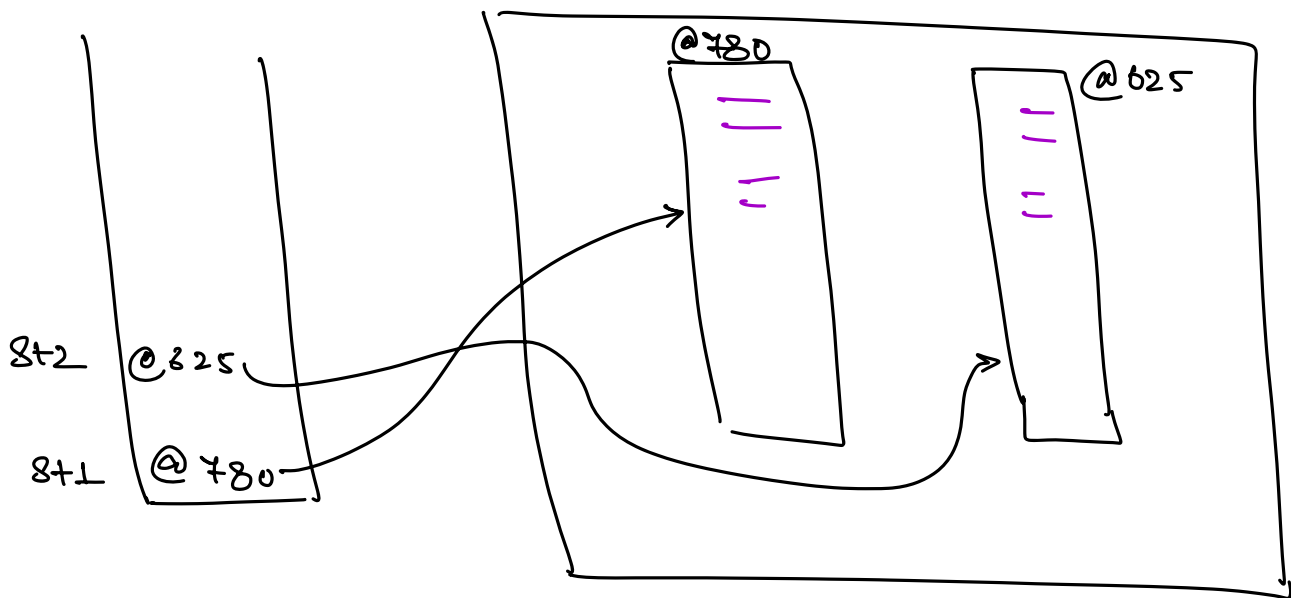
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```
Student st2 = new Student();
```

```
st2.name = st1.name;
```

```
st2.age = st1.age;
```

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⇒ Class Student {

String name;
int age;

double psp;

String batch;

Student (Student st) {

this.name = st.name;

this.age = st.age;

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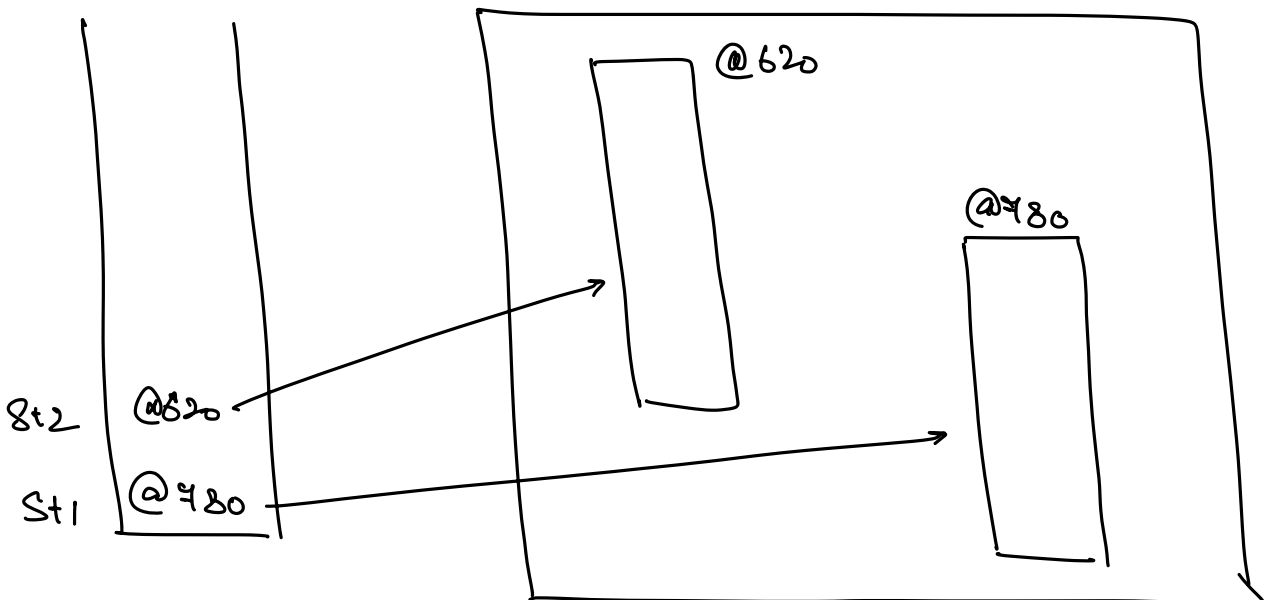
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Copy Cons.

Student st2 = new Student (st1);

Copy Object.

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JAVA MEMORY.

- Primitive : Simple [int/bool/double]
- Non Primitive : Object [String | Objects of any class].

```
Student st = new Student();
```



```
st.name = "Deepak"
```

```
st.age = 25;
```

```
_____  
_____  
_____
```

```
Class Student {
```

```
String name; ⇒ Non primitive
```

```
int age; } Primitive
```

```
double psp;
```

```
String batch; ⇒ Non primitive
```

```
Student (Student st) {
```

```
this.name = st.name;
```

```
this.age = st.age;
```

```
_____  
_____  
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```

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STACK

st

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HEAP

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name: @400 →
age: 25
batch: @500
email: @200

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"Deepak"

@500

"MWF"

@200

"abc@—"

cout (st.name)

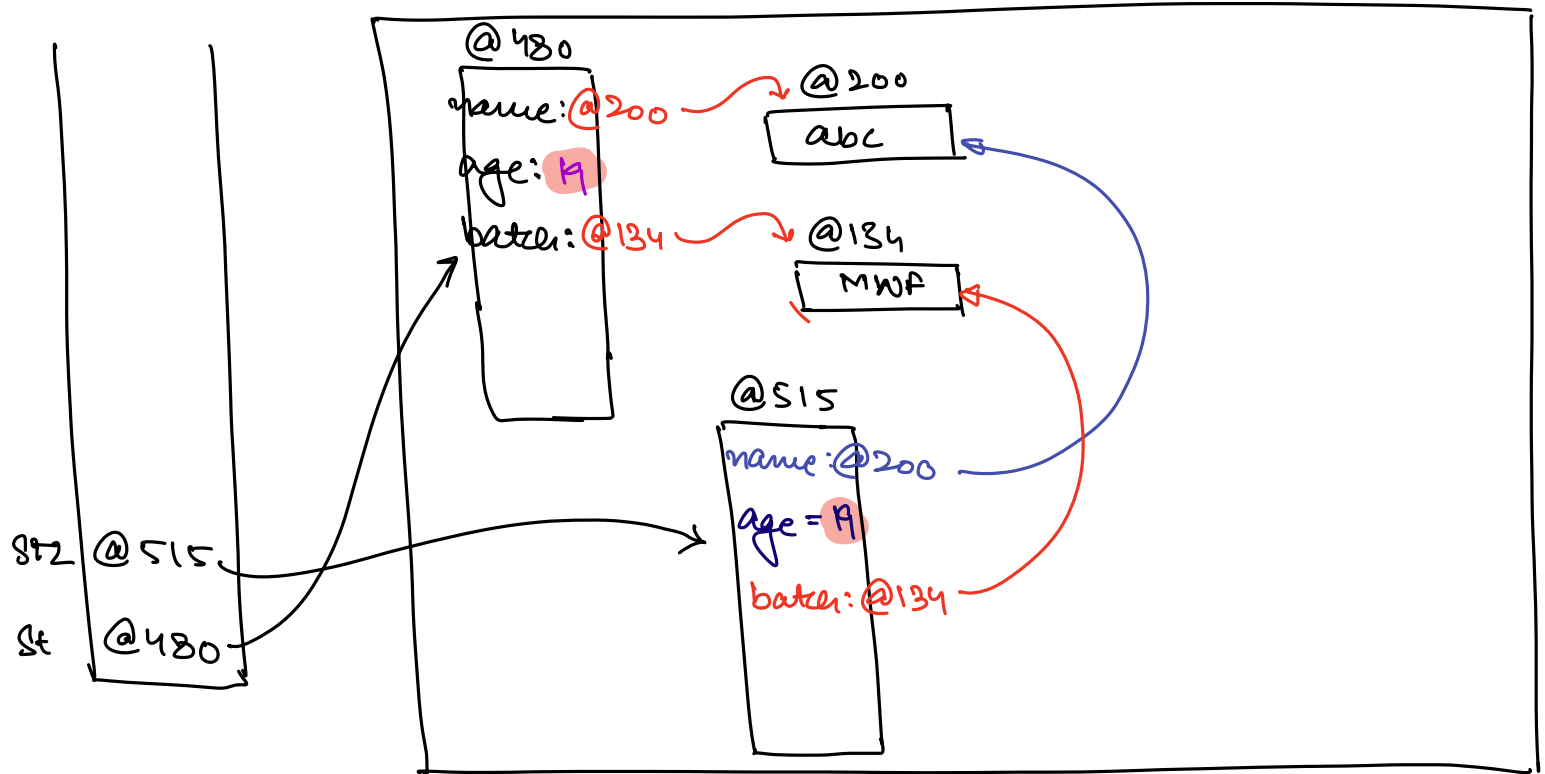


780.name



780.400 ⇒ Deepak

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Student (st) = new Student()

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Student st2 = new Student(st);

st2.name = (st1.name) = @200

st2.age = st1.age

st2.batch = st1.batch;

$st + 2 \cdot name = 4 \times 2$

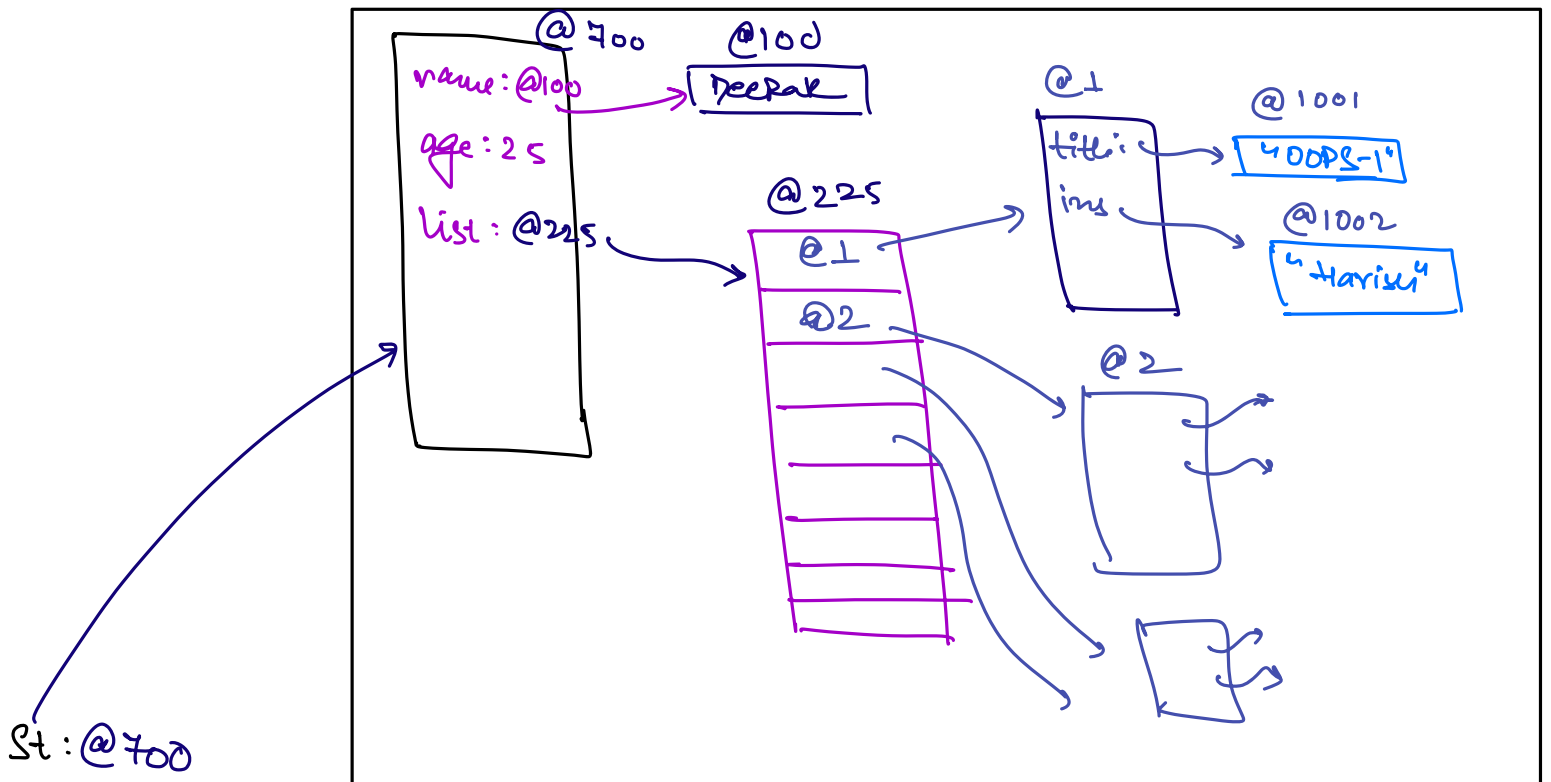
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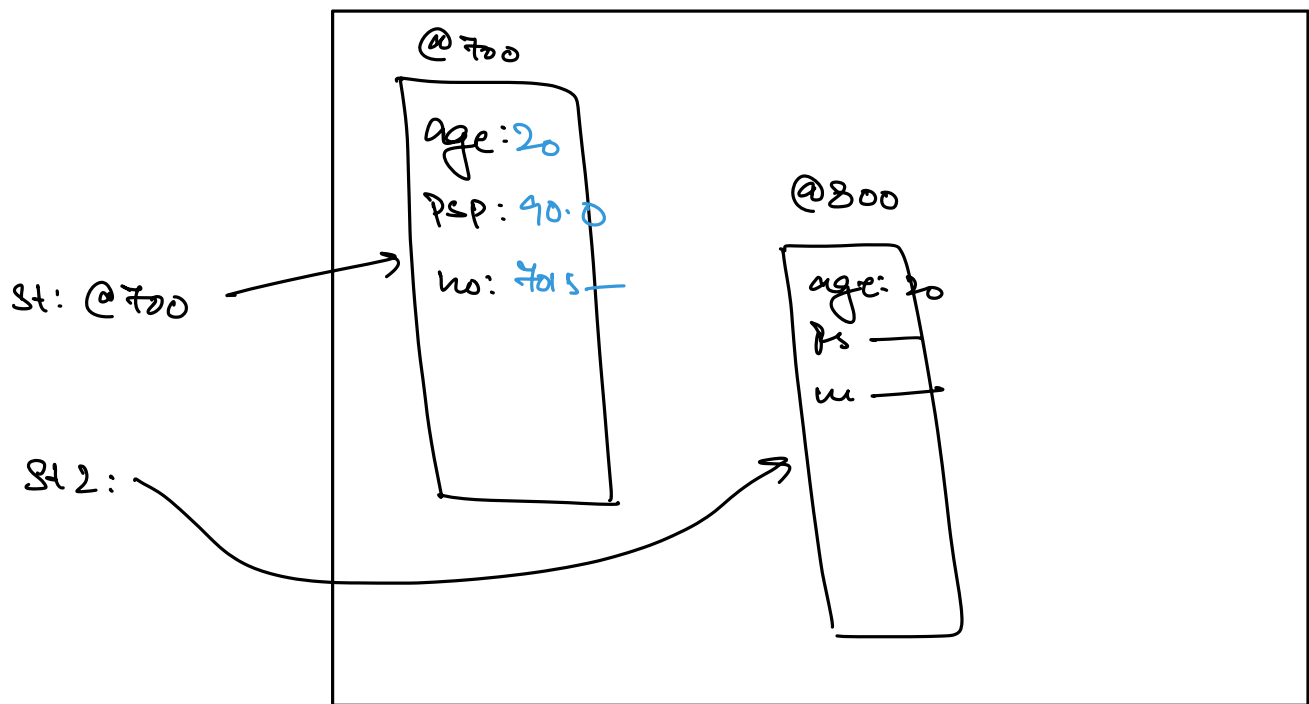
⇒ DEEP COPY.

```
Class Student {  
    list<Lecture> lectures  
    name  
    age  
          
}
```

```
Lecture {  
    title  
    instructor  
}
```

⇒
Student st = new Student();





Student St2 = new Student(St)

⇒ void doSomething (Student **St**) {

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Student **St** = new Student();
 doSomething (St);
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⇒ Pass By Value : Passing object address inside the fun.

Destructor.

→ Destroys the object.

→ In Java, it is called automatically by GC to destroy unreferenced object.

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