Problem Statement

Create a class Employee with attributes name and salary. Then create a subclass Manager that adds an additional attribute bonus. Write a method displayDetails() in both classes to display the details of the employee and manager. In the main class, create an object of Manager, set its attributes, and display its details.

Solution

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Abstract Class

- An abstract class in Java is a class that cannot be instantiated directly.
- It can contain *abstract methods* (methods without a body) as well as *non-abstract methods* (methods with a body).
- Abstract classes are used to *provide a base class for other classes to extend* and are particularly useful when you want to define a common interface for all subclasses but *allow each subclass to provide its specific implementation*.

Abstract Class

Key Points

- An abstract class is declared using the abstract keyword.
- Abstract classes cannot be instantiated directly. You must *create a subclass* that extends the abstract class and provides implementations for its abstract methods.
- An abstract class can have both abstract methods and non-abstract methods.
- If a class has at least one abstract method, the class itself must be declared as abstract.
- A subclass that extends an abstract class must implement all its abstract methods unless the subclass is also abstract.

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Abstract Class
                    1 // Abstract class
                    2 * abstract class Animal {
                           // Abstract method (does not have a body)
                        abstract void sound();
                          // Regular method (has a body)
Abstract methods
                          void sleep() {
(methods without
                               System.out.println("This animal is sleeping");
a body)
                   10 }
                                                                                                    Sub Class
                      // Subclass (inherits from Animal)
                   13 - class Dog extends Animal {
                           // Providing implementation for the abstract method
                          @Override
                       void sound() {
                               System.out.println("The dog barks");
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Implementations
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for the abstract
method
                   21 public class Main {
                                                                                                         Main Class
                           public static void main(String[] args) {
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                               // Animal animal = new Animal(); // This will give an error, as Animal is abstract
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                               Dog myDog = new Dog(); // Create a Dog object
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                               myDog.sound();  // Outputs: The dog barks
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                                                      // Outputs: This animal is sleeping
                               myDog.sleep();
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```

The final keyword in Java

Final Variables

When a variable is declared with the final keyword, its value cannot be modified after it is initialized. This makes the variable *a constant*.

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Final Method

When a method is declared as final, it *cannot be overridden by subclasses*. This is useful when you want to prevent subclasses from altering the behavior of a method.

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1 class Vehicle {
        final void displayInfo() {
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            System.out.println("This is a vehicle.");
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 7 class Car extends Vehicle {
        // Attempting to override the final method will cause a compile-time error
        // void displayInfo() {
               System.out.println("This is a car.");
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        // }
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14 public class Main {
        public static void main(String[] args) {
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            Car myCar = new Car();
            myCar.displayInfo(); // Outputs: This is a vehicle.
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19 }
```

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Final Class

When a class is declared as final, it *cannot be subclassed*. This is useful when you want to create an immutable class or prevent inheritance for security or design reasons.

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final class Animal {
       void sound() {
           System.out.println("Animal makes a sound");
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  // Attempting to subclass the final class will cause a compile-time error
8-// class Dog extends Animal {
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   public class Main {
       public static void main(String[] args) {
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           Animal myAnimal = new Animal();
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           myAnimal.sound(); // Outputs: Animal makes a sound
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