

CSC1016S Assignment 6

Subtyping and Inheritance

Assignment Instructions

This assignment involves constructing programs in Java using sub-classes and inheritance.

Furthermore, in this assignments, your solutions will be evaluated for correctness and for the following qualities:

- The use of object types, object creation, and the use of inheritance as appropriate.
- The use of appropriate constructors and methods as appropriate.
- Documentation
 - Use of comments at the top of your code to identify program purpose, author and date.
 - Use of comments within your code to explain each non-obvious functional unit of code.
- General style/readability
 - The use of meaningful names for variables and functions.

These criteria will be manually assessed by tutors and commented upon. Marks will be deducted for non-compliance with the above-mentioned qualities. 20 marks will be allocated to manual marking in this assignment.

Question 1 [20 marks]

Write a program to demonstrate the use of inheritance by creating and outputting 3 simple objects, where the classes for the second and third objects inherit from the class for the first object.

The first object is a Shape with a name and colour. The second object is a Rectangle with additional length and width. The third object is a Circle with additional radius.

Use the provided *Question1.java* file. Use constructors and override methods as appropriate.

Sample Output:

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Pentagon Blue
Circle Purple Radius 3.0
Rectangle Red Length 6.0 Width 8.0
```

Question 2 [60 marks]

Part I [10 marks]

Create a class called Person. Assume that all persons have a name, age and gender.

Create another class called Student derived from the Person class. A student has the following additional attributes, name of institution, programme of study, year of study and hobbies.

Include constructors and accessor methods for these classes as appropriate.

Part II [50 marks]

This second part of the question makes use of some object(s) created in `Part I` above. Now, your task is to create two classes. You have to create a class called `Car` that is derived from `Vehicle` satisfying the following specifications:

class `Vehicle`

A vehicle object that has the following attributes: number of cylinders, name of the manufacturer and the owner (type `Student`).

Constructors

`Vehicle (int numCylinders, String maker, Student owner)`

// create a new Vehicle object.

// The vehicle owner is a Student

Methods

`public String toString()`

//print a string representation of the Vehicle object information.

class `Car`

A car object that inherits from a `Vehicle` object. A `Car` object has the following additional attributes: seating capacity and weight.

Constructors

`Car(int numCylinders, String maker, Student owner, int passengers, double carWeight)`

//Create a new car object.

Methods

`@Override`

`public String toString()`

//print a string representation of the Car object information.

Last but not least, write a program called `Question2.java` which acts as your driver class to test your classes above. Your driver class, having the main method, must conform to the sample input output given below:

Sample I/O:

Enter the vehicle manufacturer:

FIAT

Enter the name of the vehicle owner:

Kennedy Miles

Enter the number of cylinders in the engine:

4

FIAT, 4 cylinders, owned by Kennedy Miles

Enter the Car manufacturer:

BMW

Enter the name of the car owner:

Scott Stapp

Enter the number of cylinders in the engine:

6

Enter the car seating capacity:

8

Enter the weight of the car:

15500

BMW, 6 cylinders, owned by Scott Stapp, 8 seater, weighs 15500.0 kg

(User input in bold)

Marking and Submission

Submit `Shape.java`, `Rectangle.java`, `Circle.java`, `Person.java`, `Student.java`, `Vehicle.java`, `Car.java` and `Question2.java`, (as well any other Java files you have created) in a single .ZIP folder to the automatic marker.

The zipped folder should have the following naming convention:

yourstudentnumber.zip