- 1. **What is a constructor in Python? Explain its purpose and usage.**
- A constructor in Python is a special method that is automatically invoked when an object of a class is created. It is used to initialize the attributes of the class. The constructor is defined using the `__init__` method.
- 2. **Differentiate between a parameterless constructor and a parameterized constructor in Python.**
- A parameterless constructor does not take any arguments except `self`, and it typically initializes the class attributes with default values. A parameterized constructor, on the other hand, accepts additional arguments and uses them to initialize the class attributes.
- 3. **How do you define a constructor in a Python class? Provide an example.**

```
""python

class MyClass:

def __init__(self, value):

self.value = value

obj = MyClass(10)

...
```

- 4. **Explain the `__init__` method in Python and its role in constructors.**
- The `__init__` method is a special method in Python that acts as a constructor. It is automatically called when a new instance of a class is created, and it is used to initialize the class attributes.
- 5. **In a class named `Person`, create a constructor that initializes the `name` and `age` attributes. Provide an example of creating an object of this class.**

```
""python

class Person:
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name
        self.age = age
```

```
person = Person("John", 25)
...
```

- 6. **How can you call a constructor explicitly in Python? Give an example.**
- In Python, constructors are automatically called when an object is created. However, you can call the constructor explicitly by using the class name. Example:

```
""python
class MyClass:
    def __init__(self, value):
        self.value = value

obj = MyClass.__init__(MyClass, 10)
...
```

- 7. **What is the significance of the `self` parameter in Python constructors? Explain with an example.**
- The `self` parameter refers to the instance of the class and is used to access attributes and methods associated with the object. It allows each object to maintain its own state. Example:

```
""python

class MyClass:

def __init__(self, value):

self.value = value

obj = MyClass(10)
""
```

- 8. **Discuss the concept of default constructors in Python. When are they used?**
- If no constructor is defined in a class, Python provides a default constructor that initializes the object without any attributes. Default constructors are used when the class does not require any specific initialization.

9. **Create a Python class called `Rectangle` with a constructor that initializes the `width` and `height` attributes. Provide a method to calculate the area of the rectangle.**

```
class Rectangle:

def __init__(self, width, height):

self.width = width

self.height = height

def area(self):

return self.width * self.height

rect = Rectangle(5, 10)

print(rect.area()) # Output: 50
```

- 10. **How can you have multiple constructors in a Python class? Explain with an example.**
- Python does not support multiple constructors directly. However, you can achieve this by using default arguments or class methods. Example:

```
"python
class MyClass:
    def __init__(self, value1=0, value2=0):
        self.value1 = value1
        self.value2 = value2

obj1 = MyClass(10)
obj2 = MyClass(10, 20)
""
```

- 11. **What is method overloading, and how is it related to constructors in Python?**
- Method overloading allows a class to have multiple methods with the same name but different parameters. In Python, constructors cannot be overloaded directly. However, you can use default parameters to simulate overloading.

- 12. **Explain the use of the `super()` function in Python constructors. Provide an example.**
- The `super()` function in Python is used to call the constructor of the parent class in a child class, allowing the child class to inherit properties from the parent class. Example:

```
""python

class Parent:
    def __init__(self, value):
        self.value = value

class Child(Parent):
    def __init__(self, value, extra_value):
        super().__init__(value)
        self.extra_value = extra_value
```

13. **Create a class called `Book` with a constructor that initializes the `title`, `author`, and `published_year` attributes. Provide a method to display book details.**

```
class Book:
    def __init__(self, title, author, published_year):
        self.title = title
        self.author = author
        self.published_year = published_year

    def display_details(self):
        print(f"Title: {self.title}, Author: {self.author}, Year: {self.published_year}")

book = Book("1984", "George Orwell", 1949)

book.display_details()
...
```

14. **Discuss the differences between constructors and regular methods in Python classes.**

- Constructors are special methods used for initializing objects, and they are called automatically when an object is created. Regular methods are used for performing operations on objects and need to be called explicitly.
- 15. **Explain the role of the `self` parameter in instance variable initialization within a constructor.**
- The `self` parameter allows instance variables to be unique to each object. It is used to store values in the instance attributes, ensuring that each object can maintain its own state.
- 16. **How do you prevent a class from having multiple instances by using constructors in Python? Provide an example.**
 - To prevent multiple instances, you can use a singleton pattern. Example:

```
```python

class Singleton:
 _instance = None

def __new__(cls, *args, **kwargs):
 if not cls._instance:
 cls._instance = super().__new__(cls)
 return cls._instance

obj1 = Singleton()

obj2 = Singleton()

print(obj1 == obj2) # Output: True
```

17. \*\*Create a Python class called `Student` with a constructor that takes a list of subjects as a parameter and initializes the `subjects` attribute.\*\*

```
""python

class Student:

def __init__(self, subjects):

self.subjects = subjects
```

```
student = Student(["Math", "Science", "History"])
...
```

- 18. \*\*What is the purpose of the `\_\_del\_\_` method in Python classes, and how does it relate to constructors?\*\*
- The `\_\_del\_\_` method is a destructor in Python, automatically called when an object is deleted or goes out of scope. It allows for cleanup before the object is destroyed, unlike constructors which are used for initialization.
- 19. \*\*Explain the use of constructor chaining in Python. Provide a practical example.\*\*
- Constructor chaining involves calling a constructor from another constructor within the same class. It is used to avoid code duplication. Example:

```
""python
class MyClass:
 def __init__(self, value1):
 self.value1 = value1

 def __init__(self, value1, value2):
 self.__init__(value1)
 self.value2 = value2
""
```

20. \*\*Create a Python class called `Car` with a default constructor that initializes the `make` and `model` attributes. Provide a method to display car information.\*\*

```
""python
class Car:
 def __init__(self, make="Unknown", model="Unknown"):
 self.make = make
 self.model = model

def display_info(self):
 print(f"Make: {self.make}, Model: {self.model}")
```

car = Car("Toyota", "Corolla")
car.display_info()
### Inheritance:
1. **What is inheritance in Python? Explain its significance in object-oriented programming.**
- Inheritance is a feature in Python that allows a class to inherit attributes and methods from another class. It promotes code reuse and establishes a relationship between classes.
2. **Differentiate between single inheritance and multiple inheritance in Python. Provide example for each.**
- Single inheritance: A class inherits from one parent class.
```python
class Parent:
pass
class Child(Parent):
pass
- Multiple inheritance: A class inherits from multiple parent classes.
```python
class Parent1:
pass
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class Parent2:
pass
class Child(Parent1, Parent2):
pass

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3. \*\*Create a Python class called `Vehicle` with attributes `color` and `speed`. Then, create a child class called `Car` that inherits from `Vehicle` and adds a `brand` attribute. Provide an example of creating a `Car` object.\*\*

```
""python
class Vehicle:
 def __init__(self, color, speed):
 self.color = color
 self.speed = speed

class Car(Vehicle):
 def __init__(self, color, speed, brand):
 super().__init__(color, speed)
 self.brand = brand

car = Car("Red", 120, "Toyota")
"""
```

- 4. \*\*Explain the concept of method overriding in inheritance. Provide a practical example. \*\*
- Method overriding occurs when a child class provides a specific implementation of a method that is already defined in its parent class. Example:

```
class Animal:

def speak(self):

return "Animal speaks"

class Dog(Animal):

def speak(self):

return "Dog barks"
```

```
dog = Dog()
 print(dog.speak()) # Output: Dog barks
5. **How can you access the methods and attributes of a parent class from a child class in Python?
Give an example.**
 - You can access parent class methods and attributes using the `super()` function or by directly
referring to the parent class name. Example:
 ```python
 class Parent:
   def greet(self):
      return "Hello from Parent"
 class Child(Parent):
   def greet(self):
      return super().greet() + " and Child"
 child = Child()
 print(child.greet()) # Output: Hello from Parent and Child
6. **Discuss the use of the `super()` function in Python inheritance. When and why is it used?
Provide an example.**
 - The `super()` function is used to call methods from a parent class. It is often used to ensure that
the parent class's `__init__` method is called when a child class is initialized. Example:
 ```python
 class Parent:
 def __init__(self, value):
 self.value = value
 class Child(Parent):
```

```
def __init__(self, value, extra_value):
 super().__init__(value)
 self.extra_value = extra_value
```

7. \*\*Create a Python class called `Animal` with a method `speak()`. Then, create child classes `Dog` and `Cat` that inherit from `Animal` and override the `speak()` method. Provide an example of using these classes.\*\*

```
"python
class Animal:
 def speak(self):
 return "Animal speaks"

class Dog(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Dog barks"

class Cat(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Cat meows"

dog = Dog()
cat = Cat()
print(dog.speak()) # Output: Dog barks
print(cat.speak()) # Output: Cat meows
""
```

- 8. \*\*Explain the role of the 'isinstance()' function in Python and how it relates to inheritance.\*\*
- The `isinstance()` function checks if an object is an instance of a specific class or a subclass thereof. It is useful in inheritance to verify if an object belongs to a certain hierarchy.
- 9. \*\*What is the purpose of the 'issubclass()' function in Python? Provide an example.\*\*

```
- The `issubclass()` function checks if a class is a subclass of another class. Example:
 ```python
 class Parent:
   pass
 class Child(Parent):
   pass
 print(issubclass(Child, Parent)) # Output: True
10. **Discuss the concept of constructor inheritance in Python. How are constructors inherited in
child classes?**
  - Constructors are not automatically inherited in child classes. If a child class has its own `__init__`
method, the parent class's `__init__` method is not called unless explicitly done so using `super()`.
11. **Create a Python class called `Shape` with a method `area()` that calculates the area of a shape.
Then, create child classes 'Circle' and 'Rectangle' that inherit from 'Shape' and implement the
`area()` method accordingly. Provide an example.**
  ```python
 import math
 class Shape:
 def area(self):
 pass
 class Circle(Shape):
 def __init__(self, radius):
 self.radius = radius
 def area(self):
 return math.pi * self.radius ** 2
```

```
class Rectangle(Shape):
 def __init__(self, width, height):
 self.width = width
 self.height = height
 def area(self):
 return self.width * self.height
 circle = Circle(5)
 rectangle = Rectangle(4, 6)
 print(circle.area()) # Output: 78.53981633974483
 print(rectangle.area()) # Output: 24
12. **Explain the use of abstract base classes (ABCs) in Python and how they relate to inheritance.
Provide an example using the 'abc' module.**
 - Abstract base classes define methods that must be implemented by any subclass. They are used
to enforce a particular structure in the child classes. Example:
  ```python
  from abc import ABC, abstractmethod
  class Shape(ABC):
    @abstractmethod
    def area(self):
      pass
  class Circle(Shape):
    def __init__(self, radius):
      self.radius = radius
    def area(self):
```

```
return math.pi * self.radius ** 2
```

```
circle = Circle(5)
```

- 13. **How can you prevent a child class from modifying certain attributes or methods inherited from a parent class in Python?**
- You can prevent modification by using private attributes (prefixing with `__`). You can also define methods as `final` in some languages, but Python does not support final methods directly.
- 14. **Create a Python class called `Employee` with attributes `name` and `salary`. Then, create a child class `Manager` that inherits from `Employee` and adds an attribute `department`. Provide an example.**

```
""python
class Employee:
    def __init__(self, name, salary):
        self.name = name
        self.salary = salary

class Manager(Employee):
    def __init__(self, name, salary, department):
        super().__init__(name, salary)
        self.department = department

manager = Manager("Alice", 50000, "HR")
""
```

- 15. **Discuss the concept of method overloading in Python inheritance. How does it differ from method overriding?**
- Method overloading allows multiple methods with the same name but different parameters in a class. Python does not support true method overloading; instead, default arguments can be used. Method overriding allows a child class to provide a specific implementation of a method already defined in its parent class.

- 16. **Explain the purpose of the `__init__()` method in Python inheritance and how it is utilized in child classes.**
- The `__init__()` method is used for initializing attributes when an object is created. In child classes, it is often called using `super()` to ensure that the parent class's attributes are also initialized.
- 17. **Create a Python class called `Bird` with a method `fly()`. Then, create child classes `Eagle` and `Sparrow` that inherit from `Bird` and implement the `fly()` method differently. Provide an example of using these classes.**

```
class Bird:
    def fly(self):
        pass

class Eagle(Bird):
    def fly(self):
        return "Eagle soars high"

class Sparrow(Bird):
    def fly(self):
        return "Sparrow flies low"

eagle = Eagle()
sparrow = Sparrow()
print(eagle.fly()) # Output: Eagle soars high
print(sparrow.fly()) # Output: Sparrow flies low
```

- 18. **What is the "diamond problem" in multiple inheritance, and how does Python address it?**
- The diamond problem occurs in multiple inheritance when a class inherits from two classes that have a common ancestor, leading to ambiguity. Python addresses this with the Method Resolution Order (MRO) and the `super()` function, which follows the C3 linearization algorithm.

- 19. **Discuss the concept of "is-a" and "has-a" relationships in inheritance, and provide examples of each.**
- "Is-a" relationship represents inheritance where a subclass is a type of the parent class. Example: `Dog is a Animal`. "Has-a" relationship represents composition where a class contains an instance of another class. Example: `Car has a Engine`.
- 20. **Create a Python class hierarchy for a university system. Start with a base class `Person` and create child classes `Student` and `Professor`, each with their own attributes and methods. Provide an example of using these classes in a university context.**

```
```python
class Person:
 def __init__(self, name, age):
 self.name = name
 self.age = age
class Student(Person):
 def __init__(self, name, age, student_id):
 super().__init__(name, age)
 self.student id = student id
 def study(self):
 return f"{self.name} is studying."
class Professor(Person):
 def __init__(self, name, age, employee_id):
 super().__init__(name, age)
 self.employee_id = employee_id
 def teach(self):
 return f"{self.name} is teaching."
student = Student("John", 20, "S123")
professor = Professor("Dr. Smith", 45, "P456")
```

```
print(student.study()) # Output: John is studying.
print(professor.teach()) # Output: Dr. Smith is teaching.
```

### Encapsulation

1. \*\*Explain the concept of encapsulation in Python. What is its role in object-oriented programming?\*\*

Encapsulation is a fundamental principle of object-oriented programming (OOP) where the internal state of an object is hidden from the outside world. It involves bundling data (attributes) and methods (functions) that operate on the data into a single unit, typically a class. The role of encapsulation is to protect the object's internal state from unintended or harmful changes and to provide a controlled interface for interacting with the object's data.

- 2. \*\*Describe the key principles of encapsulation, including access control and data hiding.\*\*
- \*\*Access Control:\*\* Encapsulation involves defining the visibility of attributes and methods. In Python, this is achieved using public, protected, and private access modifiers.
- \*\*Data Hiding:\*\* Data hiding ensures that the internal state of an object is not directly accessible from outside the class. It protects the data from external interference and misuse by providing methods (getters and setters) to access or modify it.
- 3. \*\*How can you achieve encapsulation in Python classes? Provide an example.\*\*

Encapsulation in Python is achieved by defining private attributes and methods using double underscores (e.g., `\_\_attribute`). Access to these attributes is controlled through public methods.

```
class Person:
 def __init__(self, name):
 self.__name = name

 def get_name(self):
 return self.__name

 def set_name(self, name):
 self.__name = name
```

- 4. \*\*Discuss the difference between public, private, and protected access modifiers in Python.\*\*
- \*\*Public:\*\* Attributes and methods are accessible from outside the class. By default, everything is public in Python.
- \*\*Protected:\*\* Attributes and methods are intended to be accessible within the class and its subclasses. Indicated by a single underscore (e.g., `\_attribute`).
- \*\*Private:\*\* Attributes and methods are not accessible from outside the class. Indicated by double underscores (e.g., `\_\_attribute`).
- 5. \*\*Create a Python class called `Person` with a private attribute `\_\_name`. Provide methods to get and set the name attribute.\*\*

```
""python
class Person:
 def __init__(self, name):
 self.__name = name

def get_name(self):
 return self.__name

def set_name(self, name):
 self.__name = name
```

6. \*\*Explain the purpose of getter and setter methods in encapsulation. Provide examples.\*\*

Getter and setter methods provide controlled access to private attributes. Getters allow reading the value of an attribute, while setters allow modifying it. They help enforce rules and validations when accessing or updating private data.

```
"python
class Person:
 def __init__(self, name):
 self.__name = name
```

```
def get_name(self):
 return self.__name

def set_name(self, name):
 if isinstance(name, str):
 self.__name = name
```

7. \*\*What is name mangling in Python, and how does it affect encapsulation?\*\*

Name mangling is a process in Python where private attribute names are altered to include the class name, making them harder to access from outside the class. This helps prevent accidental access but is not a strict enforcement of access control.

```
"python

class MyClass:
 def __init__(self):
 self.__private_attr = 42

obj = MyClass()

print(obj._MyClass__private_attr) # Accessing mangled name
...
```

8. \*\*Create a Python class called `BankAccount` with private attributes for the account balance (`\_\_balance`) and account number (`\_\_account\_number`). Provide methods for depositing and withdrawing money.\*\*

```
```python

class BankAccount:
    def __init__(self, account_number, balance):
        self.__account_number = account_number
        self.__balance = balance

def deposit(self, amount):
    if amount > 0:
```

```
self.__balance += amount

def withdraw(self, amount):
  if 0 < amount <= self.__balance:
    self.__balance -= amount</pre>
```

- 9. **Discuss the advantages of encapsulation in terms of code maintainability and security.**
- **Maintainability:** Encapsulation improves maintainability by localizing changes to the class. Internal changes can be made without affecting external code that uses the class.
- **Security:** Encapsulation enhances security by restricting direct access to an object's internal state, reducing the risk of unintended modifications and preserving data integrity.
- 10. **How can you access private attributes in Python? Provide an example demonstrating the use of name mangling.**

Private attributes can be accessed using name mangling, which appends the class name to the attribute name.

```
""python

class MyClass:
    def __init__(self):
        self.__private_attr = 42

obj = MyClass()
print(obj._MyClass__private_attr) # Accessing private attribute via name mangling
"""
```

11. **Create a Python class hierarchy for a school system, including classes for students, teachers, and courses, and implement encapsulation principles to protect sensitive information.**

```
""python

class Person:

def __init__(self, name):

self.__name = name
```

```
def get_name(self):
    return self.__name
class Student(Person):
  def __init__(self, name, student_id):
    super().__init__(name)
    self.__student_id = student_id
  def get_student_id(self):
    return self.__student_id
class Teacher(Person):
  def __init__(self, name, employee_id):
    super().__init__(name)
    self.__employee_id = employee_id
  def get_employee_id(self):
    return self.__employee_id
class Course:
  def __init__(self, course_name):
    self.__course_name = course_name
  def get_course_name(self):
    return self.__course_name
```

12. **Explain the concept of property decorators in Python and how they relate to encapsulation.**

Property decorators ('@property', '@setter', '@deleter') provide a way to define getter, setter, and deleter methods for attributes. They allow access to private attributes through a public interface while maintaining encapsulation.

^{```}python

```
class Person:

def __init__(self, name):

self.__name = name

@property

def name(self):

return self.__name

@name.setter

def name(self, value):

if isinstance(value, str):

self.__name = value
```

13. **What is data hiding, and why is it important in encapsulation? Provide examples. **

Data hiding is the practice of restricting direct access to an object's data to prevent unintended modifications and ensure data integrity. It is achieved through private attributes and controlled access via methods.

```
""python

class Account:

def __init__(self, balance):

self.__balance = balance

def deposit(self, amount):

if amount > 0:

self.__balance += amount

def get_balance(self):

return self.__balance
```

14. **Create a Python class called `Employee` with private attributes for salary (`__salary`) and employee ID (`__employee_id`). Provide a method to calculate yearly bonuses.**

```
class Employee:
    def __init__(self, employee_id, salary):
        self.__employee_id = employee_id
        self.__salary = salary

def calculate_bonus(self):
    return self.__salary * 0.10 # 10% bonus
```

15. **Discuss the use of accessors and mutators in encapsulation. How do they help maintain control over attribute access?**

Accessors (getters) and mutators (setters) are methods used to retrieve and modify private attributes, respectively. They help maintain control by enforcing rules, validations, or transformations when accessing or updating attributes, ensuring that the object's internal state remains consistent.

- 16. **What are the potential drawbacks or disadvantages of using encapsulation in Python?**
- **Complexity:** Encapsulation can add complexity to the code by requiring additional methods for attribute access.
- **Performance:** Accessing attributes through methods may introduce minor performance overhead compared to direct access.
- 17. **Create a Python class for a library system that encapsulates book information, including titles, authors, and availability status.**

```
""python

class Book:

def __init__(self, title, author):

self.__title = title

self.__author = author

self.__available = True
```

```
def borrow(self):
    if self.__available:
        self.__available = False
        return True
    return False

def return_book(self):
    self.__available = True

def get_info(self):
    return f"Title: {self.__title}, Author: {self.__author}, Available: {self.__available}"
```

18. **Explain how encapsulation enhances code reusability and modularity in Python programs. **

Encapsulation enhances code reusability and modularity by allowing classes to be self-contained units. This means that code can be reused in different contexts without exposing its internal implementation. It also makes it easier to maintain and update the code without affecting other parts of the program.

19. **Describe the concept of information hiding in encapsulation. Why is it essential in software development?**

Information hiding refers to the practice of concealing the internal details of an object and exposing only necessary parts through a controlled interface. It is essential in software development because it reduces complexity, prevents unintended interference, and enhances modularity and maintainability.

20. **Create a Python class called

`Customer` with private attributes for customer details like name, address, and contact information. Implement encapsulation to ensure data integrity and security.**

```
""python
class Customer:
  def __init__(self, name, address, contact_info):
    self.__name = name
```

```
self.__address = address
  self.__contact_info = contact_info
def get_name(self):
  return self.__name
def set_name(self, name):
  self.__name = name
def get_address(self):
  return self.__address
def set_address(self, address):
  self.__address = address
def get_contact_info(self):
  return self.__contact_info
def set_contact_info(self, contact_info):
  self.__contact_info = contact_info
```

Polymorphism

1. **What is polymorphism in Python? Explain how it is related to object-oriented programming.**

Polymorphism in Python allows different classes to be treated as instances of the same class through a common interface. It is related to OOP as it enables objects of different classes to be used interchangeably, enhancing flexibility and reusability.

2. **Describe the difference between compile-time polymorphism and runtime polymorphism in Python.**

- **Compile-Time Polymorphism:** Not typically supported in Python as it relies on method overloading, which Python does not support directly.
- **Runtime Polymorphism:** Achieved through method overriding, where a subclass provides a specific implementation of a method that is already defined in its superclass.
- 3. **Create a Python class hierarchy for shapes (e.g., circle, square, triangle) and demonstrate polymorphism through a common method, such as `calculate_area()`.**

```
"python
class Shape:
  def calculate_area(self):
    raise NotImplementedError
class Circle(Shape):
  def __init__(self, radius):
    self.__radius = radius
  def calculate_area(self):
    import math
    return math.pi * (self.__radius ** 2)
class Square(Shape):
  def __init__(self, side):
    self.__side = side
  def calculate_area(self):
    return self.__side ** 2
```

4. **Explain the concept of method overriding in polymorphism. Provide an example. **

Method overriding occurs when a subclass provides a specific implementation of a method that is already defined in its superclass. This allows a subclass to alter or extend the behavior of the inherited method.

```
```python
```

```
class Animal:
 def speak(self):
 pass
 class Dog(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Woof!"
 class Cat(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Meow!"
5. **How is polymorphism different from method overloading in Python? Provide examples for
both.**
 - **Polymorphism:** Involves method overriding where a method in a subclass has the same
name and signature as a method in its superclass.
 - **Method Overloading:** Not directly supported in Python. However, you can achieve similar
behavior by using default arguments or variable arguments.
 ```python
 # Polymorphism example
 class Animal:
   def speak(self):
      pass
 class Dog(Animal):
   def speak(self):
      return "Woof!"
 class Cat(Animal):
   def speak(self):
      return "Meow!"
```

```
# Method overloading using default arguments
 class Greeter:
    def greet(self, name="Guest"):
      return f"Hello, {name}!"
6. **Create a Python class called `Animal` with a method `speak()`. Then, create child classes like
'Dog', 'Cat', and 'Bird', each with their own 'speak()' method. Demonstrate polymorphism by calling
the `speak()` method on objects of different subclasses.**
 ```python
 class Animal:
 def speak(self):
 pass
 class Dog(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Woof!"
 class Cat(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Meow!"
 class Bird(Animal):
 def speak(self):
 return "Chirp!"
 animals = [Dog(), Cat(), Bird()]
 for animal in animals:
 print(animal.speak())
```

...

7. \*\*Discuss the use of abstract methods and classes in achieving polymorphism in Python. Provide an example using the `abc` module.\*\*

Abstract methods and classes provide a way to define methods that must be implemented by any subclass. This ensures a common interface for different subclasses.

```
""python
from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class Shape(ABC):
 @abstractmethod
 def calculate_area(self):
 pass

class Circle(Shape):
 def __init__(self, radius):
 self.__radius = radius

def calculate_area(self):
 import math
 return math.pi * (self.__radius ** 2)
""

8. **Create a Python class hierarchy for a vehicle system (e.g., car, bicycle, boat
```

8. \*\*Create a Python class hierarchy for a vehicle system (e.g., car, bicycle, boat) and implement a polymorphic `start()` method that prints a message specific to each vehicle type.\*\*

```
"python

class Vehicle:

def start(self):

pass

class Car(Vehicle):

def start(self):

return "Car engine starting"
```

```
class Bicycle(Vehicle):
 def start(self):
 return "Bicycle is ready to go"

class Boat(Vehicle):
 def start(self):
 return "Boat engine starting"

vehicles = [Car(), Bicycle(), Boat()]
for vehicle in vehicles:
 print(vehicle.start())
...

9. **Explain the significance of the `isinstance()` and `issubclass()` functions in Python polymorphism.**
 - **`isinstance(obj, classinfo)`:** Checks if `obj` is an instance of `classinfo` or a subclass thereof.
```

10. \*\*What is the role of the `@abstractmethod` decorator in achieving polymorphism in Python? Provide an example.\*\*

- \*\*`issubclass(cls, classinfo)`:\*\* Checks if `cls` is a subclass of `classinfo`. These functions help in verifying the type of an object and its relationship to other classes, aiding in the implementation of

The `@abstractmethod` decorator is used to declare methods in an abstract class that must be implemented by any subclass. It ensures that the subclass adheres to a common interface.

```
"python

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class AbstractWorker(ABC):

@abstractmethod

def work(self):

pass

class Programmer(AbstractWorker):
```

polymorphism.

```
def work(self):
return "Writing code"
```

11. \*\*Create a Python class called `Shape` with a polymorphic method `area()` that calculates the area of different shapes (e.g., circle, rectangle, triangle).\*\*

```
```python
class Shape:
  def area(self):
    raise NotImplementedError
class Circle(Shape):
  def __init__(self, radius):
    self.__radius = radius
  def area(self):
    import math
    return math.pi * (self.__radius ** 2)
class Rectangle(Shape):
  def __init__(self, width, height):
    self. width = width
    self. height = height
  def area(self):
    return self.__width * self.__height
...
```

12. **Discuss the benefits of polymorphism in terms of code reusability and flexibility in Python programs.**

Polymorphism enhances code reusability by allowing different classes to be used interchangeably through a common interface. It also increases flexibility by enabling the same method to perform

different actions based on the object's class, reducing the need for multiple method names and simplifying code maintenance.

13. **Explain the use of the `super()` function in Python polymorphism. How does it help call methods of parent classes?**

The `super()` function allows you to call methods from a parent class within a subclass. It provides a way to extend or modify the behavior of inherited methods while preserving the original functionality.

```
""python

class Parent:
    def greet(self):
        return "Hello from Parent"

class Child(Parent):
    def greet(self):
        return super().greet() + " and Child"
"""
```

14. **Create a Python class hierarchy for a banking system with various account types (e.g., savings, checking, credit card) and demonstrate polymorphism by implementing a common `withdraw()` method.**

```
""python

class BankAccount:

def withdraw(self, amount):

pass

class SavingsAccount(BankAccount):

def withdraw(self, amount):

return "Withdrawing from Savings Account"

class CheckingAccount(BankAccount):

def withdraw(self, amount):

return "Withdrawing from Checking Account"
```

```
class CreditCardAccount(BankAccount):
    def withdraw(self, amount):
      return "Withdrawing from Credit Card Account"
  accounts = [SavingsAccount(), CheckingAccount(), CreditCardAccount()]
  for account in accounts:
    print(account.withdraw(100))
15. **Describe the concept of operator overloading in Python and how it relates to polymorphism.
Provide examples using operators like `+` and `*`.**
  Operator overloading allows you to define custom behavior for operators (e.g., `+`, `*`) in user-
defined classes. It relates to polymorphism as it enables the same operator to perform different
operations based on the object's class.
  ```python
 class Vector:
 def __init__(self, x, y):
 self._x = x
 self._y = y
 def __add__(self, other):
 return Vector(self.__x + other.__x, self.__y + other.__y)
def __repr__(self):
 return f"Vector({self.__x}, {self.__y})"
 v1 = Vector(1, 2)
```

v2 = Vector(3, 4)

print(v1 + v2) # Output: Vector(4, 6)

...

16. \*\*What is dynamic polymorphism, and how is it achieved in Python?\*\*

Dynamic polymorphism occurs when the method to be invoked is determined at runtime. In Python, it is achieved through method overriding and late binding, where the actual method implementation is resolved based on the object's runtime type.

17. \*\*Create a Python class hierarchy for employees in a company (e.g., manager, developer, designer) and implement polymorphism through a common `calculate\_salary()` method.\*\*

```
```python
class Employee:
  def calculate_salary(self):
    pass
class Manager(Employee):
  def calculate_salary(self):
    return "Manager salary"
class Developer(Employee):
  def calculate_salary(self):
    return "Developer salary"
class Designer(Employee):
  def calculate_salary(self):
    return "Designer salary"
employees = [Manager(), Developer(), Designer()]
for employee in employees:
  print(employee.calculate_salary())
```

18. **Discuss the concept of function pointers and how they can be used to achieve polymorphism in Python.**

Function pointers in Python can be achieved through higher-order functions, where functions can be passed as arguments or returned from other functions. They allow dynamic method invocation and can be used to achieve polymorphic behavior.

```
"python

def greet(person):
    return person.greet()

class Person:
    def greet(self):
        return "Hello"

class Robot:
    def greet(self):
        return "Beep beep"

print(greet(Person())) # Output: Hello
print(greet(Robot())) # Output: Beep beep
```

- 19. **Explain the role of interfaces and abstract classes in polymorphism, drawing comparisons between them.**
- **Abstract Classes:** Define methods that must be implemented by subclasses and provide a common interface. They can include both abstract methods (without implementation) and concrete methods (with implementation).
- **Interfaces:** (Not explicitly defined in Python, but can be simulated using abstract base classes) Define a set of methods that a class must implement without providing any implementation. They ensure that a class adheres to a specific interface.
- 20. **Create a Python class for a zoo simulation, demonstrating polymorphism with different animal types (e.g., mammals, birds, reptiles) and their behavior (e.g., eating, sleeping, making sounds).**

"python class Animal:

```
def eat(self):
    pass
  def sleep(self):
    pass
  def make_sound(self):
    pass
class Mammal(Animal):
  def eat(self):
    return "Mammal eating"
  def sleep(self):
    return "Mammal sleeping"
  def make_sound(self):
    return "Mammal sound"
class Bird(Animal):
  def eat(self):
    return "Bird eating"
  def sleep(self):
    return "Bird sleeping"
  def make_sound(self):
    return "Bird chirp"
class Reptile(Animal):
  def eat(self):
```

```
return "Reptile eating"

def sleep(self):
    return "Reptile sleeping"

def make_sound(self):
    return "Reptile hiss"

animals = [Mammal(), Bird(), Reptile()]
for animal in animals:
    print(animal.eat())
    print(animal.sleep())
    print(animal.make_sound())
```

1. **What is abstraction in Python, and how does it relate to object-oriented programming?**

Abstraction in Python involves hiding complex implementation details and showing only the necessary features of an object. It is achieved through abstract classes and methods, which define a common interface without specifying the detailed implementation. It is a key principle of OOP that simplifies interaction with objects and enhances modularity.

- 2. **Describe the benefits of abstraction in terms of code organization and complexity reduction.**
- **Code Organization:** Abstraction helps in organizing code by defining clear interfaces and hiding implementation details, making the codebase more structured.
- **Complexity Reduction:** It reduces complexity by allowing developers to focus on high-level functionality without being concerned about the intricate details of the implementation.
- 3. **Create a Python class called `Shape` with an abstract method `calculate_area()`. Then, create child classes (e.g., `Circle`, `Rectangle`) that implement the `calculate_area()` method. Provide an example of using these classes.**

Abstraction

^{```}python

```
class Shape(ABC):
  @abstractmethod
  def calculate_area(self):
    pass
class Circle(Shape):
  def __init__(self, radius):
    self.__radius = radius
  def calculate_area(self):
    import math
    return math.pi * (self.__radius ** 2)
class Rectangle(Shape):
  def __init__(self, width, height):
    self.__width = width
    self.__height = height
  def calculate_area(self):
    return self.__width * self.__height
circle = Circle(5)
rectangle = Rectangle(4, 6)
print(circle.calculate_area()) # Output: 78.53981633974483
print(rectangle.calculate_area()) # Output: 24
```

4. **Explain the concept of abstract classes in Python and how they are defined using the `abc` module. Provide an example.**

Abstract classes are classes that cannot be instantiated and are used to define abstract methods that must be implemented by subclasses. They are defined using the `abc` module with the `ABC` class and `@abstractmethod` decorator.

```
""python

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class AbstractAnimal(ABC):
    @abstractmethod
    def make_sound(self):
    pass

class Dog(AbstractAnimal):
    def make_sound(self):
    return "Woof!"

class Cat(AbstractAnimal):
    def make_sound(self):
    return "Meow!"
```

- 5. **How do abstract classes differ from regular classes in Python? Discuss their use cases.**
- **Abstract Classes:** Cannot be instantiated directly and are used to define methods that must be implemented by subclasses. They provide a blueprint for other classes.
- **Regular Classes:** Can be instantiated and provide concrete implementations of methods. They are used to create objects with specific behaviors and attributes.
- 6. **Create a Python class for a bank account and demonstrate abstraction by hiding the account balance and providing methods to deposit and withdraw funds.**

```
"python
class BankAccount:
   def __init__(self, initial_balance):
     self.__balance = initial_balance
```

```
def deposit(self, amount):
    if amount > 0:
        self.__balance += amount

def withdraw(self, amount):
    if 0 < amount <= self.__balance:
        self.__balance -= amount

def get_balance(self):
    return self.__balance
...</pre>
```

7. **Discuss the concept of interface classes in Python and their role in achieving abstraction.**

Interface classes define a set of methods that must be implemented by any class that inherits from them. In Python, they are simulated using abstract base classes (ABCs) with abstract methods. They ensure that a class adheres to a specific interface, promoting a common structure across different classes.

8. **Create a Python class hierarchy for animals and implement abstraction by defining common methods (e.g., `eat()`, `sleep()`) in an abstract base class.**

```
""python

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class Animal(ABC):
    @abstractmethod
    def eat(self):
    pass

@abstractmethod
    def sleep(self):
```

pass

```
class Dog(Animal):

def eat(self):

return "Dog eating"

def sleep(self):

return "Dog sleeping"

class Cat(Animal):

def eat(self):

return "Cat eating"

def sleep(self):

return "Cat sleeping"
```

9. **Explain the significance of encapsulation in achieving abstraction. Provide examples.**

Encapsulation helps achieve abstraction by hiding the internal details of an object and providing a controlled interface. This allows users to interact with objects at a high level without needing to understand or modify their internal workings.

```
class BankAccount:

def __init__(self, initial_balance):

self.__balance = initial_balance

def deposit(self, amount):

if amount > 0:

self.__balance += amount

def withdraw(self, amount):

if 0 < amount <= self.__balance:

self.__balance -= amount
```

```
def get_balance(self):
return self.__balance
```

10. **What is the purpose of abstract methods, and how do they enforce abstraction in Python classes?**

Abstract methods are methods that are declared in an abstract class but not implemented. They enforce abstraction by requiring subclasses to provide concrete implementations for these methods, ensuring that all subclasses adhere to a common interface.

11. Python Class for a Vehicle System

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

```
class Vehicle(ABC):
  @abstractmethod
  def start(self):
    pass
  @abstractmethod
  def stop(self):
    pass
class Car(Vehicle):
  def start(self):
    print("Car is starting")
  def stop(self):
    print("Car is stopping")
class Bike(Vehicle):
  def start(self):
    print("Bike is starting")
  def stop(self):
    print("Bike is stopping")
```

12. Abstract Properties in Python

Abstract properties in Python are used to define properties in abstract classes that must be implemented in derived classes. They are defined using the @property decorator along with the @abstractmethod decorator.

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

```
class MyClass(ABC):
    @property
    @abstractmethod
    def value(self):
    pass
```

```
class ConcreteClass(MyClass):
    @property
    def value(self):
        return "Concrete value"
```

13. Python Class Hierarchy for Employees

```
class Employee(ABC):
@abstractmethod
def get_salary(self):
   pass
class Manager(Employee):
```

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

```
return 80000

class Developer(Employee):
    def get_salary(self):
    return 60000
```

def get_salary(self):

```
class Designer(Employee):
def get_salary(self):
return 50000
```

14. Abstract Classes vs. Concrete Classes

- Abstract Classes: Cannot be instantiated directly. They are meant to be subclassed, and they can contain abstract methods that must be implemented by subclasses.
- Concrete Classes: Can be instantiated directly. They provide implementations for all their methods.

15. Abstract Data Types (ADTs)

Abstract Data Types (ADTs) are a way to define data structures by their behavior (operations) rather than their implementation. They help achieve abstraction by allowing the implementation to change without affecting the code that uses the ADT.

16. Python Class for a Computer System

```
from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

class ComputerSystem(ABC):
    @abstractmethod
    def power_on(self):
    pass
```

@abstractmethod def shutdown(self):

pass

```
class Desktop(ComputerSystem):
    def power_on(self):
        print("Desktop is powering on")

def shutdown(self):
    print("Desktop is shutting down")

class Laptop(ComputerSystem):
    def power_on(self):
    print("Laptop is powering on")

def shutdown(self):
    print("Laptop is shutting down")
```

17. Benefits of Using Abstraction

- Simplifies Complex Systems: By hiding the implementation details, abstraction makes it easier to understand and manage complex systems.
- Enhances Maintainability: Changes to the implementation do not affect the code that uses the abstracted components.
- Promotes Reusability: Abstract components can be reused across different parts of a project or in different projects.

18. Abstraction Enhances Code Reusability and Modularity

Abstraction allows you to define generic interfaces that can be implemented in various ways. This promotes code reusability and modularity by enabling you to use the same abstract components in different contexts.

19. Python Class for a Library System

```
from abc import ABC, abstractmethod
class LibrarySystem(ABC):
  @abstractmethod
  def add_book(self, book):
    pass
  @abstractmethod
  def borrow_book(self, book):
    pass
class Library(LibrarySystem):
  def __init__(self):
    self.books = []
  def add book(self, book):
    self.books.append(book)
    print(f"Book '{book}' added to the library")
  def borrow_book(self, book):
    if book in self.books:
      self.books.remove(book)
```

```
print(f"Book '{book}' borrowed from the library")
else:
  print(f"Book '{book}' is not available")
```

20. Method Abstraction and Polymorphism

Method abstraction is the process of defining methods in abstract classes that must be implemented by derived classes. It relates to polymorphism because it allows different classes to be treated as instances of the abstract class, enabling the same method to behave differently based on the object that invokes it.

from abc import ABC, abstractmethod

```
class Shape(ABC):
  @abstractmethod
  def draw(self):
    pass
class Circle(Shape):
  def draw(self):
    print("Drawing a circle")
class Square(Shape):
  def draw(self):
    print("Drawing a square")
def draw_shape(shape):
  shape.draw()
circle = Circle()
square = Square()
draw shape(circle) # Output: Drawing a circle
draw_shape(square) # Output: Drawing a square
```

#composition

1. Concept of Composition in Python

Composition is a design principle in object-oriented programming where a class is composed of one or more objects from other classes. This allows you to build complex objects by combining simpler ones. It represents a "has-a" relationship.

2. Composition vs. Inheritance

- Composition: Represents a "has-a" relationship. It involves creating objects that contain other objects. It promotes code reuse by assembling objects.
- Inheritance: Represents an "is-a" relationship. It involves creating a new class based on an existing class. It promotes code reuse by extending existing classes.

3. Python Class Author and Book

```
class Author:
    def __init__(self, name, birthdate):
        self.name = name
        self.birthdate = birthdate

class Book:
    def __init__(self, title, author):
        self.title = title
        self.author = author

# Example
author = Author("J.K. Rowling", "1965-07-31")
book = Book("Harry Potter", author)
print(f"Book: {book.title}, Author: {book.author.name}, Birthdate: {book.author.birthdate}")
```

4. Benefits of Composition Over Inheritance

- Flexibility: Composition allows you to change the behavior of a class at runtime by changing the composed objects.
- Reusability: You can reuse components across different classes.
- Decoupling: Composition reduces the dependency between classes, making the code more modular and easier to maintain.

5. Implementing Composition in Python

```
class Engine:
    def start(self):
        print("Engine started")

class Car:
    def __init__(self, engine):
        self.engine = engine

    def start(self):
        self.engine.start()

# Example
engine = Engine()
car = Car(engine)
car.start()
```

6. Music Player System

```
class Song:
    def __init__(self, title, artist):
        self.title = title
        self.artist = artist

class Playlist:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name
        self.songs = []

    def add_song(self, song):
```

```
self.songs.append(song)

# Example
song1 = Song("Song 1", "Artist 1")
song2 = Song("Song 2", "Artist 2")
playlist = Playlist("My Playlist")
playlist.add_song(song1)
playlist.add_song(song2)
```

7. "Has-a" Relationships in Composition

A "has-a" relationship means that one class contains an instance of another class. This helps in designing software systems by breaking down complex systems into simpler, reusable components.

8. Computer System

```
class CPU:
  def __init__(self, model):
    self.model = model
class RAM:
  def __init__(self, size):
    self.size = size
class Storage:
  def __init__(self, capacity):
    self.capacity = capacity
class Computer:
  def __init__(self, cpu, ram, storage):
    self.cpu = cpu
    self.ram = ram
    self.storage = storage
# Example
cpu = CPU("Intel i7")
ram = RAM("16GB")
storage = Storage("1TB")
computer = Computer(cpu, ram, storage)
```

9. Delegation in Composition

Delegation involves passing a task to a composed object. It simplifies the design of complex systems by allowing objects to delegate responsibilities to other objects.

10. Car Class

```
class Engine:
    def start(self):
        print("Engine started")
class Wheels:
```

```
def roll(self):
    print("Wheels rolling")
class Transmission:
  def shift(self):
    print("Transmission shifting")
class Car:
  def __init__(self, engine, wheels, transmission):
    self.engine = engine
    self.wheels = wheels
    self.transmission = transmission
  def drive(self):
    self.engine.start()
    self.wheels.roll()
    self.transmission.shift()
# Example
engine = Engine()
wheels = Wheels()
transmission = Transmission()
car = Car(engine, wheels, transmission)
car.drive()
```

11. Encapsulation and Hiding Details

You can encapsulate and hide the details of composed objects by making their attributes private and providing public methods to interact with them.

12. University Course

```
class Student:
  def init (self, name):
    self.name = name
class Instructor:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class CourseMaterial:
  def __init__(self, title):
    self.title = title
class Course:
  def __init__(self, title, instructor):
    self.title = title
    self.instructor = instructor
    self.students = []
    self.materials = []
  def add_student(self, student):
    self.students.append(student)
  def add_material(self, material):
```

```
self.materials.append(material)
```

```
# Example
instructor = Instructor("Dr. Smith")
course = Course("Python Programming", instructor)
student = Student("Alice")
material = CourseMaterial("Lecture 1")
course.add_student(student)
course.add_material(material)
```

13. Challenges and Drawbacks of Composition

- Increased Complexity: Managing multiple composed objects can increase the complexity of the code.
- Tight Coupling: If not designed carefully, composition can lead to tight coupling between objects, making it harder to change one part without affecting others.

14. Restaurant System

```
class Ingredient:
  def init (self, name):
    self.name = name
class Dish:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
    self.ingredients = []
  def add ingredient(self, ingredient):
    self.ingredients.append(ingredient)
class Menu:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
    self.dishes = []
  def add_dish(self, dish):
    self.dishes.append(dish)
# Example
ingredient = Ingredient("Tomato")
dish = Dish("Salad")
dish.add_ingredient(ingredient)
menu = Menu("Lunch Menu")
menu.add dish(dish)
```

15. Composition Enhances Code Maintainability and Modularity

Composition allows you to break down complex systems into smaller, reusable components. This enhances code maintainability and modularity by making it easier to manage and update individual components.

16. Computer Game Character

```
class Weapon:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class Armor:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class Inventory:
  def __init__(self):
    self.items = []
  def add_item(self, item):
    self.items.append(item)
class Character:
  def __init__(self, name, weapon, armor):
    self.name = name
    self.weapon = weapon
    self.armor = armor
    self.inventory = Inventory()
# Example
weapon = Weapon("Sword")
armor = Armor("Shield")
character = Character("Hero", weapon, armor)
character.inventory.add_item("Health Potion")
```

17. Aggregation in Composition

Aggregation is a form of composition where the composed objects can exist independently of the parent object. It represents a "whole-part" relationship.

18. House

```
class Room:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class Furniture:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class Appliance:
  def __init__(self, name):
    self.name = name
class House:
  def __init__(self, address):
    self.address = address
    self.rooms = []
    self.furniture = []
    self.appliances = []
  def add_room(self, room):
```

```
self.rooms.append(room)

def add_furniture(self, furniture):
    self.furniture.append(furniture)

def add_appliance(self, appliance):
    self.appliances.append(appliance)

# Example
room = Room("Living Room")
furniture = Furniture("Sofa")
appliance = Appliance("Refrigerator")
house = House("123 Main St")
house.add_room(room)
house.add_furniture(furniture)
house.add_appliance(appliance)
```

19. Flexibility in Composed Objects

You can achieve flexibility in composed objects by allowing them to be replaced or modified dynamically at runtime. This can be done by providing methods to set or update the composed objects.

20. Social Media Application

```
class User:
  def __init__(self, username):
    self.username = username
class Post:
  def __init__(self, content, author):
    self.content = content
    self.author = author
class Comment:
  def __init__(self, content, author):
    self.content = content
    self.author = author
class SocialMediaApp:
  def __init__(self):
    self.users = []
    self.posts = []
  def add_user(self, user):
    self.users.append(user)
  def add_post(self, post):
    self.posts.append(post)
# Example
user = User("john_doe")
post = Post("Hello, world!", user)
comment = Comment("Nice post!", user)
app = SocialMediaApp()
```

app.add_user(user)
app.add_post(post)