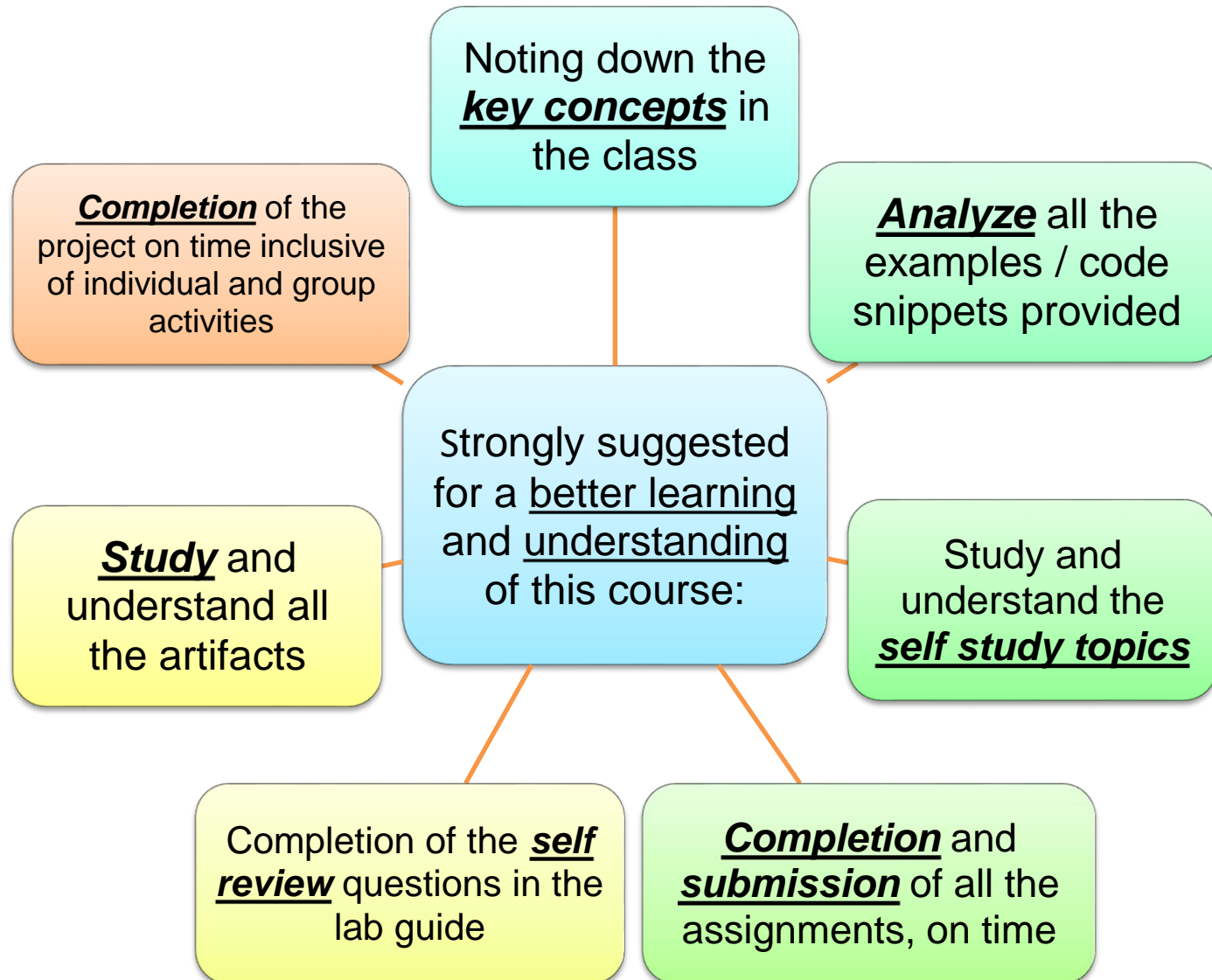


OOP IN JAVA

Instructor:



- ◇ **OOPs Concepts**
- ◇ **Principles of OOP**
- ◇ **Encapsulation**
- ◇ **Inheritance**



Section 1

OOPs Concepts

What is a Class?

- A class can be considered as a **blueprint** using which you can create as many objects.
- For example, create a class **House** that has three instance variables:

```
public class House {  
    String address;  
    String color;  
    double are;  
    void openDoor() {  
        // TODO  
    }  
    void closeDoor() {  
        // TODO  
    }  
}
```

```
public class HouseManagement {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        House house1 = new House("Duytan", "Blue", 1000);  
        House house2 = new House("Tonthatthuyet", "Green", 1200);  
        System.out.println(house1.address + "\t" + house1.color +  
            "\t" + house1.are);  
        System.out.println(house2.address + "\t" + house2.color +  
            "\t" + house2.are);  
    }  
}
```

- This is just a *blueprint*, it does not represent any House
- We have created two objects, while creating objects we provided separate properties to the objects using constructor.

What is an Object

- **Object:** is a bundle of data and its behaviour (often known as methods).
- Objects have two characteristics: They have states and behaviors.
- **Example of states and behaviors**

Object: House

State: Address, Color, Area

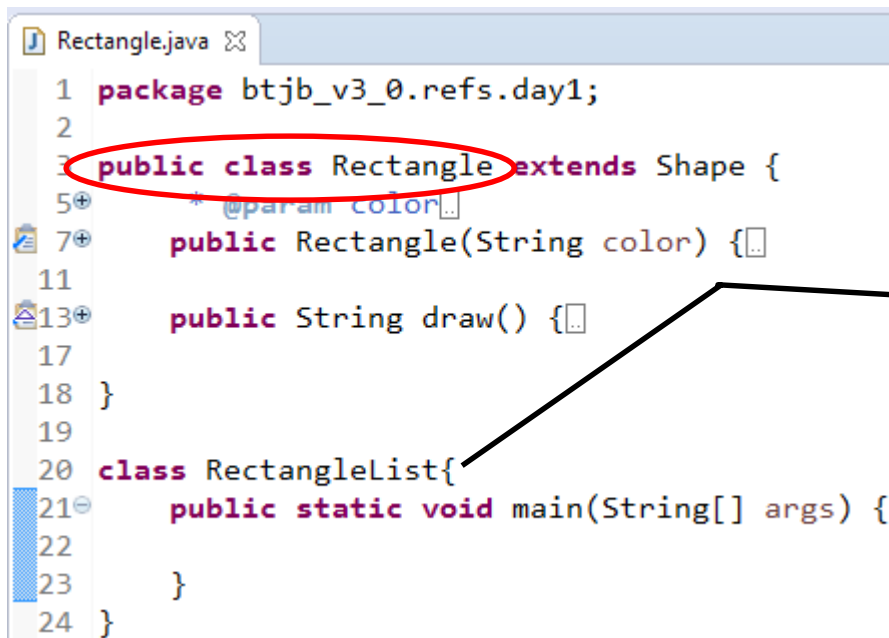
Behavior: Open door, close door

- Create new object type with **class** keyword.
- A class definition can contain:
 - ✓ instance variables (attribute/fields)
 - ✓ constructors
 - ✓ methods (instance method, static method)

- **Syntax:**

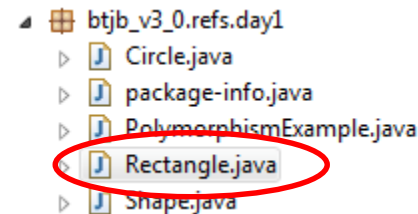
```
[public][<abstract><final>]class <ClassName>  
[extends <SuperClass>] [implements <InterfaceName>]{  
    <Attribute/Field declarations { initialization code }>  
    <Constructors>  
    <Methods>  
}
```

- **public**: that class is visible to all classes everywhere.
 - ✓ only one public class per file, must have same name as the file (this is how Java finds it!).



```
1 package btjb_v3_0.refs.day1;
2
3 public class Rectangle extends Shape {
4     // ...
5     @param color
6     // ...
7     public Rectangle(String color) {
8         // ...
9     }
10    // ...
11    public String draw() {
12        // ...
13    }
14    // ...
15 }
16
17 class RectangleList{
18     // ...
19     public static void main(String[] args) {
20         // ...
21     }
22 }
23
24 }
```

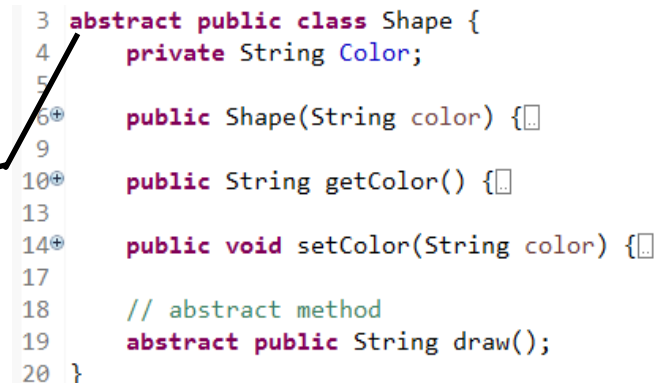
A screenshot of a code editor showing the `Rectangle.java` file. The `public class Rectangle` line is circled in red. A black line points from this line to the text 'If a class has no modifier (the default, also known as package-private)'. Another black line points from the `class RectangleList` line to the text 'Abstract modifier means that the class can be used as a superclass only.'



A screenshot of a project explorer showing a directory structure. The `Rectangle.java` file is circled in red. The directory is `btjb_v3_0.refs.day1` and contains files: `Circle.java`, `package-info.java`, `PolymorphismExample.java`, `Rectangle.java`, and `Shape.java`.

- ✓ If a class has **no modifier** (the **default**, also known as **package-private**)
- ✓ It is visible only within its own package.

- **Abstract** modifier means that the class can be used as a superclass only.



```
3 abstract public class Shape {
4     private String Color;
5     // ...
6     public Shape(String color) {
7         // ...
8     }
9     // ...
10    public String getColor() {
11        // ...
12    }
13    // ...
14    public void setColor(String color) {
15        // ...
16    }
17    // ...
18    // abstract method
19    abstract public String draw();
20 }
```

A screenshot of a code editor showing the `Shape.java` file. The `abstract public class Shape` line is highlighted. A black line points from this line to the text 'Abstract modifier means that the class can be used as a superclass only.'

Creating an Object

- Defining a class does not create an object of that class - this needs to happen explicitly[tự òng minh]:

Name of an
Object



Automatically Calls the
Constructor



```
House myHouse = new House("Duytan", "Blue", 1000);
```



Class name



Automatically Create Object
using new

- In general, an object must be created before any methods can be called.
 - ✓ the exceptions are *static* methods.

```
class FooPrinter {  
    static final String UPPER = "FOO";  
    static final String LOWER = "foo";  
  
    // instance variable, do we print upper or lower?  
    boolean printUpper = false;  
  
    void upper() {  
        printUpper = true;  
    }  
  
    void lower() {  
        printUpper = false;  
    }  
  
    void print() {  
        if (printUpper)  
            System.out.println(UPPER);  
        else  
            System.out.println(LOWER);  
    }  
}
```

What does it mean to create an object?

```
public class SimpleClass {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        FooPrinter foo = new FooPrinter();  
        foo.print();  
        foo.upper();  
        foo.print();  
    }  
}
```

Output:
foo
FOO

- An object is a chunk of memory:
 - ✓ holds field values
 - ✓ holds an associated object type
- All objects of the same type share code
 - ✓ they all have same object type, but can have different field values.

- Constructor is a block of code that initializes the newly created object.
 - ✓ Constructor has same name as the class
 - ✓ People often refer constructor as special type of method in Java. It **doesn't have a return type**
- You can create **multiple constructors**, each must accept different parameters.
- If you **don't write** any constructor, the compiler will (in effect) write one for you:

```
FooPrinter(){}
```

- If you include any constructors in a class, the compiler will **not create a default constructor!**

How does a constructor work

- When ***new keyword*** here creates the object of class Car and invokes the constructor to initialize this newly created object.

```
public class Car {  
    String color;  
    String brand;  
    double weight;  
    String model;  
    public Car() {  
    }  
  
    public Car(String color, String brand) {  
        this.color = color;  
        this.brand = brand;  
    }  
  
    public Car(String color, String brand,  
               double weight, String model) {  
        this.color = color;  
        this.brand = brand;  
        this.weight = weight;  
        this.model = model;  
    }  
}  
  
@Override  
public String toString() {  
    return "Car [color=" + color + ", brand=" +  
        brand + ", weight=" + weight + ", model=" +  
        model + "];"  
}
```

```
public class CarManagement {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Car ford = new Car("White", "Ford",  
                           1000, "2017");  
  
        Car audi = new Car("Black", "Audi");  
    }  
}
```

Multiple (overload) Constructors

- Must accept different parameters.
- One constructor can call another, use **this**, not the classname:

```
public class Car {
    String color;
    String brand;
    double weight;
    String model;

    public Car() {
        System.out.println("No params!");
    }

    public Car(String color, String brand) {
        this.color = color;
        this.brand = brand;
        System.out.println("With two params!");
    }

    public Car(String color, String brand, double weight,
                String model) {

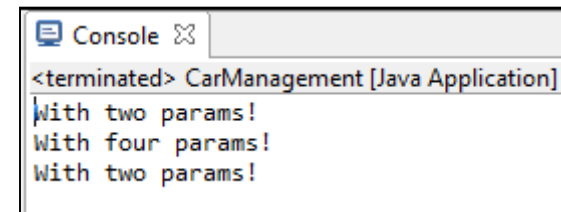
        this(color, brand);
        this.weight = weight;
        this.model = model;
        System.out.println("With four params!");
    }
}
```

```
public class CarManagement {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Car ford = new Car("White", "Ford",
                           1000, "2017");

        Car audi = new Car("Black", "Audi");
    }
}
```

- What will print out?



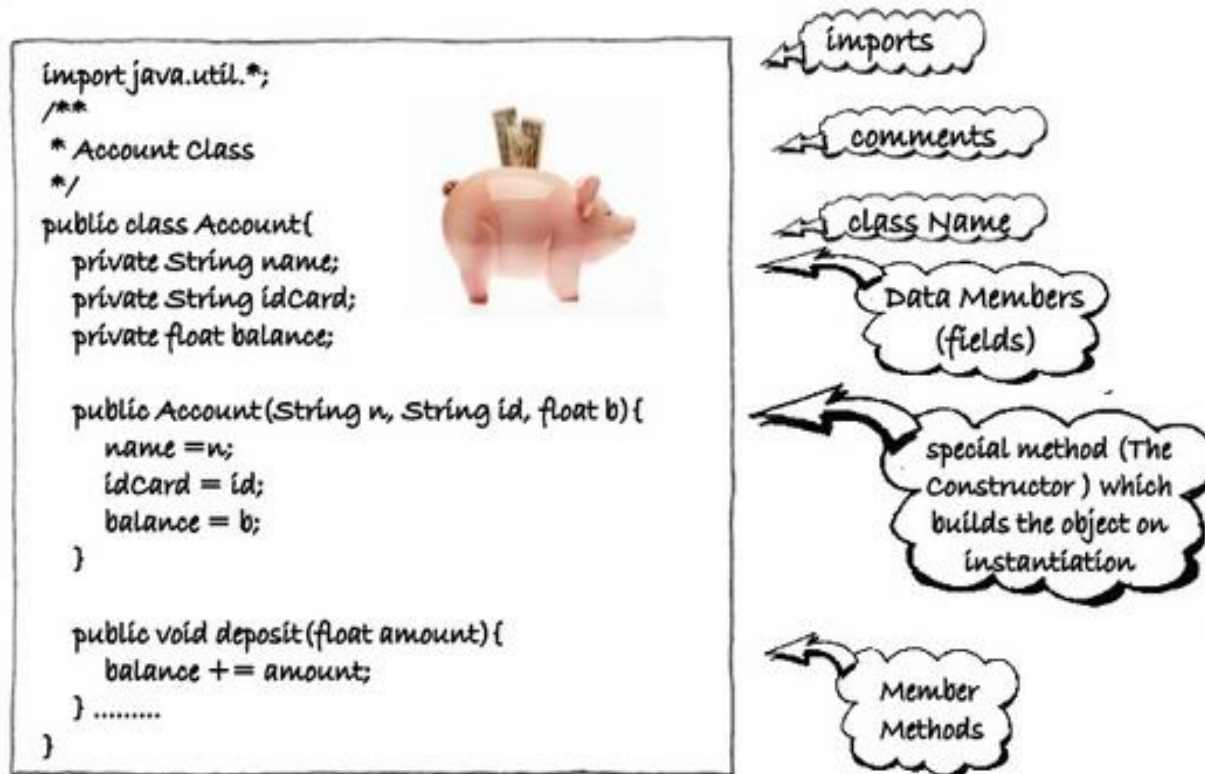
```
Console
<terminated> CarManagement [Java Application]
With two params!
With four params!
With two params!
```

- Nope!
- There is a **finalize()** method that is called when an object is destroyed:
 - ✓ You **don't have control over** when the object is destroyed (it might never be destroyed).
 - ✓ The **JVM garbage collector** takes care of destroying objects automatically (you have limited control over this process).

Instance variable (Field)

- Instance variable in java is used by objects to store their states
- **Fields** (data members) can be any **primitive** or **reference** type
- Syntax:

[Access modifier] <Data type> <field_name>;

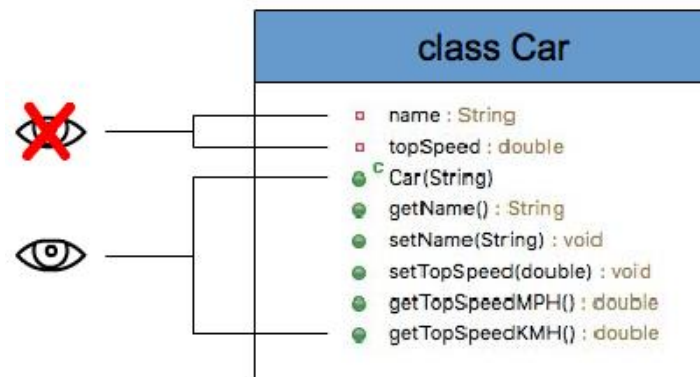


Instance variable (Field)

- The following table shows the **access** to members permitted by each **modifier**:

Modifier	Class	Package	Subclass	World
public	Y	Y	Y	Y
protected	Y	Y	Y	N
no modifier	Y	Y	N	N
private	Y	N	N	N

- Example:**



- Instance method are methods which require an object of its class to be created before it can be called.
- Access modifiers: same idea as with fields.
 - ✓ `private/protected/public/no` modifier:
- No access modifier:
 - ✓ `abstract`: no implementation given, must be supplied by subclass.
 - ✓ `final`: the method cannot be changed by a subclass (no alternative implementation can be provided by a subclass).

Instance method

```
5 public class MaxMinArray {
6     private int[] intArray;
7
8     /**
9      * Initialization the Array with length is 'len'.
10     *
11     * @param len
12     */
13     public MaxMinArray(int len) {
14         intArray = new int[len];
15     }
16
17     /**
18     * Enter values for elements of the Array.
19     */
20     @SuppressWarnings("resource")
21     public void input() {
22         Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
23
24         for (int i = 0; i < intArray.length; i++) {
25             System.out.print("Enter intArray[" + i + "]=");
26             intArray[i] = scanner.nextInt();
27         }
28     }
29
30     /**
31     * Find max value.
32     *
33     * @return
34     */
35     public int findMax() {
36         int max = intArray[0];
37         for (int i = 1; i < intArray.length; i++) {
38             if (max < intArray[i]) {
39                 max = intArray[i];
40             }
41         }
42         return max;
43     }
44 }
```

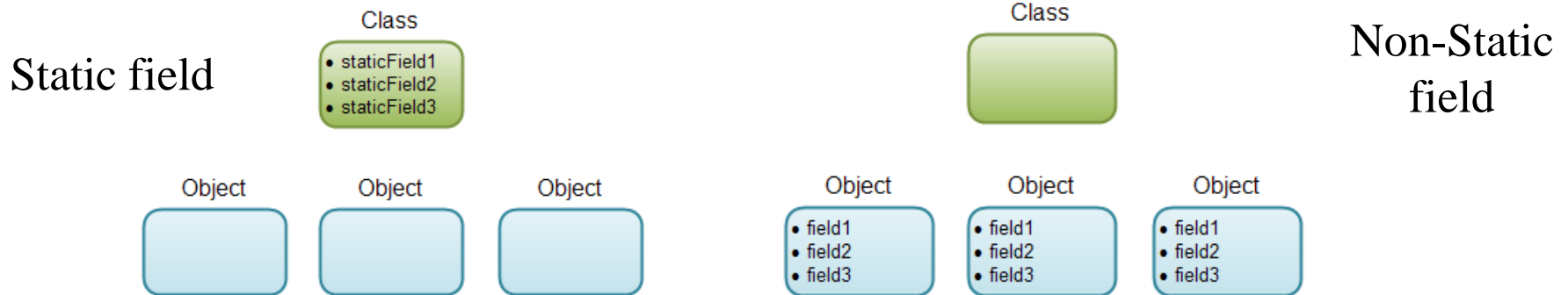
```
45     /**
46     * Find min value.
47     *
48     * @return
49     */
50     public int findMin() {
51         int min = intArray[0];
52         for (int i = 1; i < intArray.length; i++) {
53             if (min > intArray[i]) {
54                 min = intArray[i];
55             }
56         }
57         return min;
58     }
59 }
60 }
61 }
```

```
3 public class MaxMinTest {  
4  
5 public static void main(String[] args) {  
6     MaxMinArray maxMinArray = new MaxMinArray(5);  
7  
8     maxMinArray.input(); // call input() method  
9  
10    // call findMax() method and return max value  
11    System.out.println("Max value: " + maxMinArray.findMax());  
12  
13    // call findMin() method and return min value  
14    System.out.println("Min value: " + maxMinArray.findMin());  
15 }  
16  
17 }  
18
```

■ Output:

```
Enter intArray[0]=4  
Enter intArray[1]=2  
Enter intArray[2]=-2  
Enter intArray[3]=8  
Enter intArray[4]=3  
Max value: 8  
Min value: -2
```

- Fields declared static are called **class fields** (class variables).
 - ✓ others are called *instance fields*.
- There is only one copy of a static field, no matter how many objects are created.



Static fields Examples

```
class Student {
    int rollno;
    String name;
    static String college;
    static {
        college = "ITS";
        System.out.println("Static block");
    }

    Student(int rollno, String name) {
        this.rollno = rollno;
        this.name = name;
        System.out.println("Constructor block");
    }

    void display() {
        System.out.println(rollno + " " + name + " " + college);
    }

    static void changeCollege() {
        college = "FU";
    }
}
```

```
public static void main(String args[]) {
    // Student.changeCollege();
    Student s1 = new Student(111, "Karan");
    Student s2 = new Student(222, "Aryan");
    Student.changeCollege();
    s1.display();
    s2.display();
}
```

111 Karan FU
222 Aryan FU

- Static methods are the methods in Java that can be called without creating an object of class.
 - ✓ Instance method **can access** the instance methods and instance variables directly.
 - ✓ Instance method **can access** static variables and static methods directly.
 - ✓ Static methods **can access** the static variables and static methods directly.
 - ✓ Static methods **can't access** instance methods and instance variables directly.

- **Syntax:**

```
static return_type method_name();
```

Static methods

```
3 public class StaticMethodSample {
4
5     // static variable
6     static int number1 = 10;
7     // instance variable
8     int number2 = 20;
9
10    /**
11     * static method can't access instance variable 'number2'.
12     * @return
13     */
14    public static int getMax(){
15        if(number1 > number2){
16            return number1;
17        }
18
19        return number2;
20    }
```

Cannot make a static reference to the non-static field number2

```
24    /**
25     * Instance method can access static variable 'number1'.
26     * @return
27     */
28    public int getMin(){
29        if(number1 < number2){
30            return number1;
31        }
32
33        return number2;
34    }
```

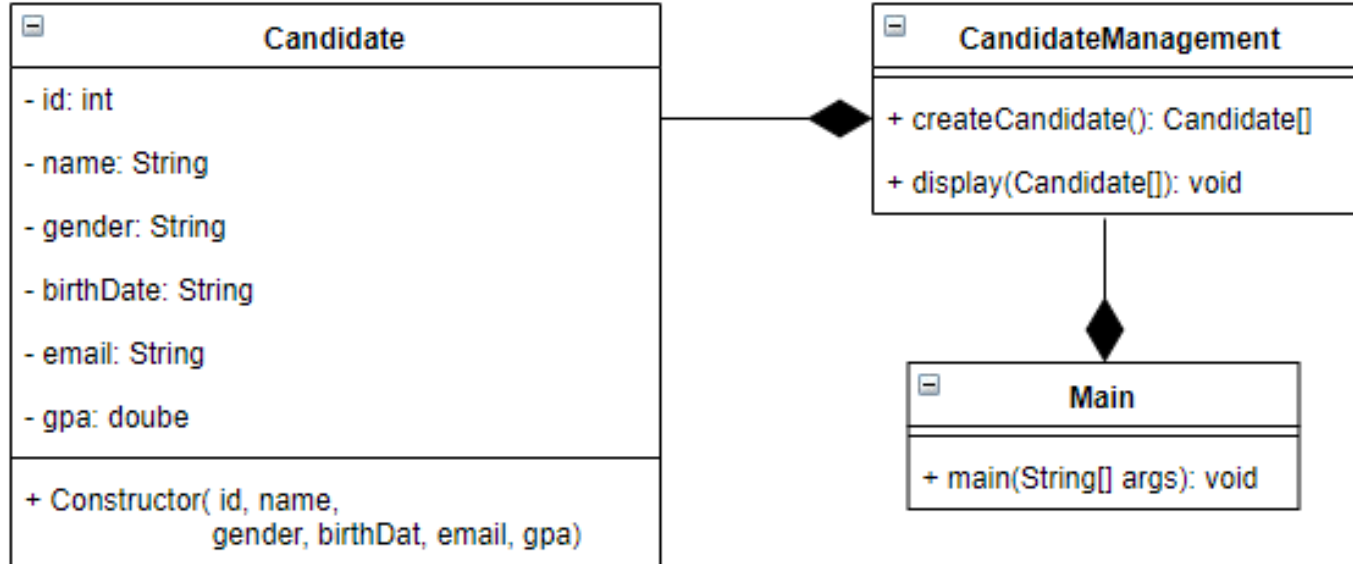
```
35
36    public static void main(String[] args) {
37        StaticMethodSample sample = new StaticMethodSample();
38
39        // Static method can access static method
40        System.out.println("Max value: " + getMax());
41
42        // Static method can't access instance method,
43        // must use reference to object
44        System.out.println("Min value: " + sample.getMin());
45
46    }
47
48 }
```


- The keyword **final** means: once the value is set, it can never be changed.
 - ✓ They must be **static** if they belong to the **class**.
 - ✓ **Not be static** if they belong to the **instance** of the class.
- Typically used for constants:

```
private static final int MAX_LAST_NAME_LENGTH = 255; // belongs to the type
private final String firstName; // belongs to the instance
private final String lastName; // belongs to the instance
```

- **Important Note:**
 - ✓ A **final variable** that is not initialized at the time of declaration is known as **blank final variable**.
 - We can **initialize** blank final variable **in constructor**.
 - ✓ A **static final variable** that is **not initialized** at the time of declaration is known as static blank final variable.
 - It can be **initialized** only in **static block**.

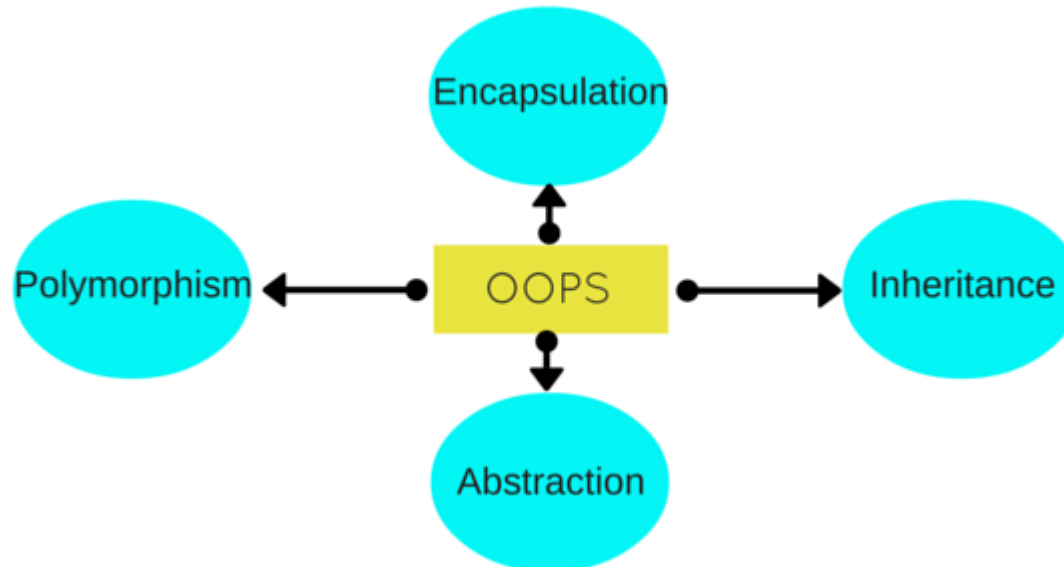
- Implement the class diagram below by java:



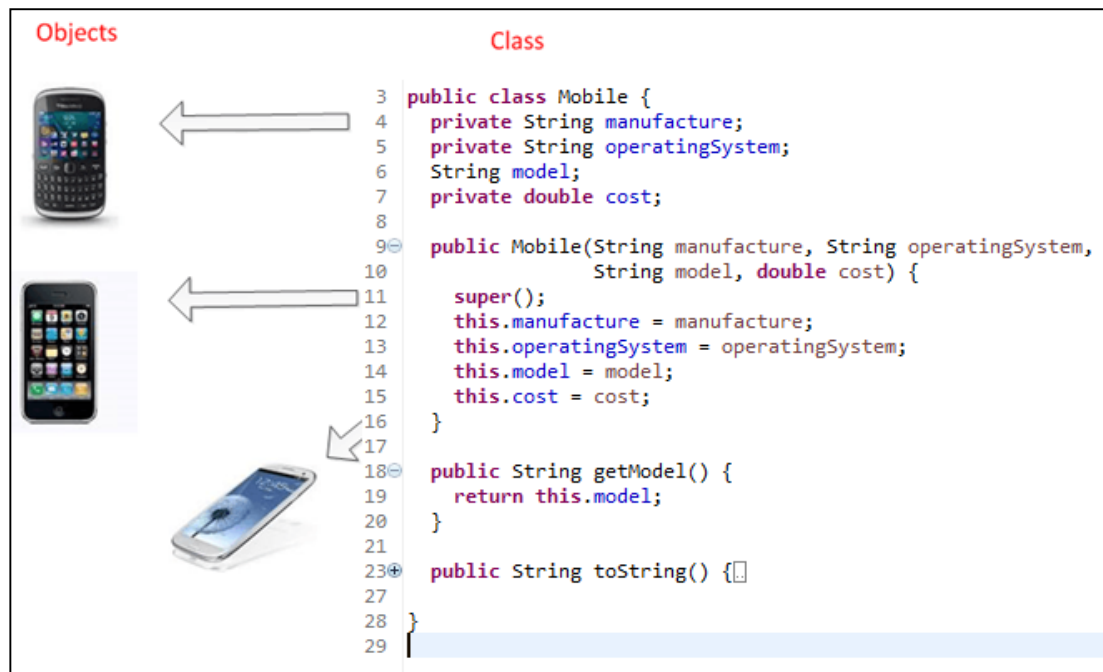
Section 2

Principles of OOP

- Java is an **object oriented language** because it provides the features to implement an object oriented model.
- These features includes **Abstraction, encapsulation, inheritance** and **polymorphism**.



- When one object acquires all the **properties** and **behaviors** of a **parent object**, it is known as inheritance. It provides code reusability.
- You can look into the following example for inheritance concept.
- **Mobile** class:



- The **Mobile** class extended by other specific class like **Android** and **Blackberry**.

- **Android** class:

```
3 public class Android extends Mobile {
4
5     // Constructor to set properties/characteristics of object
6     public Android( String manufacture, String operatingSystem,
7                     String model, double cost) {
8         super(manufacture, operatingSystem, model, cost);
9     }
10
11    // Method to get access Model property of Object
12    public String getModel() {
13        return "This is Android Mobile- " + model;
14    }
15 }
16
```

- **Blackberry** class

```
3 public class Blackberry extends Mobile {
4
5     // Constructor to set properties/characteristics of object
6     public Blackberry(String manufacture, String operatingSystem,
7                        String model, double cost) {
8         super(manufacture, operatingSystem, model, cost);
9     }
10
11    public String getModel() {
12        return "This is Blackberry-" + model;
13    }
14 }
15
```

- If *one task is performed by different ways*, it is known as polymorphism.
 - ✓ Use **method overloading** and **method overriding** to achieve polymorphism.

```
3 public class Animal {
4     public void makeNoise() {
5         System.out.println("Some sound");
6     }
7 }
8
9 class Dog extends Animal {
10    public void makeNoise() {
11        System.out.println("Bark");
12    }
13 }
14
15 class Cat extends Animal {
16    public void makeNoise() {
17        System.out.println("Meawoo");
18    }
19 }
20 }
```

```
3 public class AnimalTest {
4
5     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         Animal a1 = new Cat();
7         a1.makeNoise(); // Prints Meawoo
8
9         Animal a2 = new Dog();
10        a2.makeNoise(); // Prints Bark
11    }
12 }
13 }
```

- *Hiding internal details and showing functionality* is known as abstraction.
 - ✓ Use **abstract class** and **interface** to achieve abstraction.

```
3 public abstract class VehicleAbstract {
4     public abstract void start();
5
6     public void stop() {
7         System.out.println("Stopping Vehicle in abstract class");
8     }
9 }
10
11 class TwoWheeler extends VehicleAbstract {
12     @Override
13     public void start() {
14         System.out.println("Starting Two Wheeler");
15     }
16 }
17
18 class FourWheeler extends VehicleAbstract {
19     @Override
20     public void start() {
21         System.out.println("Starting Four Wheeler");
22     }
23 }
24
```

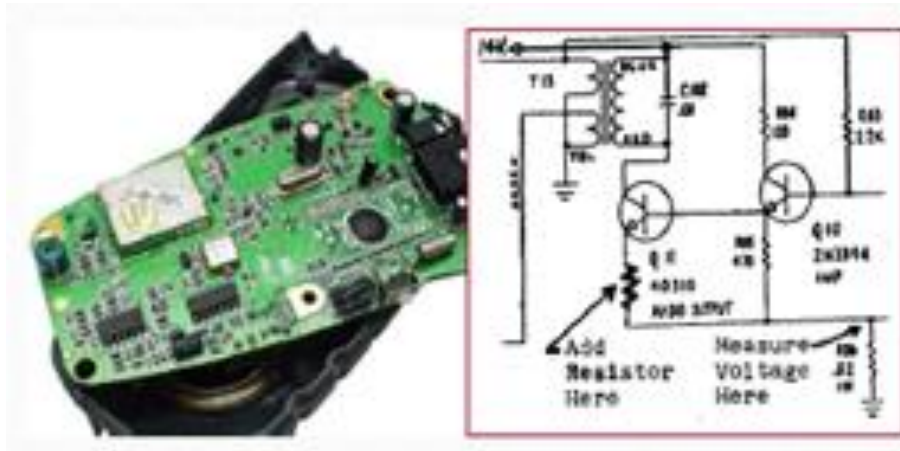
```
3 public class VehicleAbstractTest {
4
5     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         VehicleAbstract my2Wheeler = new TwoWheeler();
7         VehicleAbstract my4Wheeler = new FourWheeler();
8         my2Wheeler.start(); // Prints "Starting Two Wheeler"
9         my2Wheeler.stop(); // Prints "Stopping Vehicle in abstract class"
10        my4Wheeler.start(); // Prints "Starting Four Wheeler"
11        my4Wheeler.stop(); // Prints "Stopping Vehicle in abstract class"
12    }
13 }
14
15 }
16
```


- Encapsulation means putting together all the **variables** (instance variables) and the **methods** into a single unit called **Class**.
- It also means hiding data and methods within an Object.
- A programmer can access and use the **methods** and **data** contained in the **black box but cannot change them**.
- Use access modifier: **private**, **protected**, **default**.

Section 3

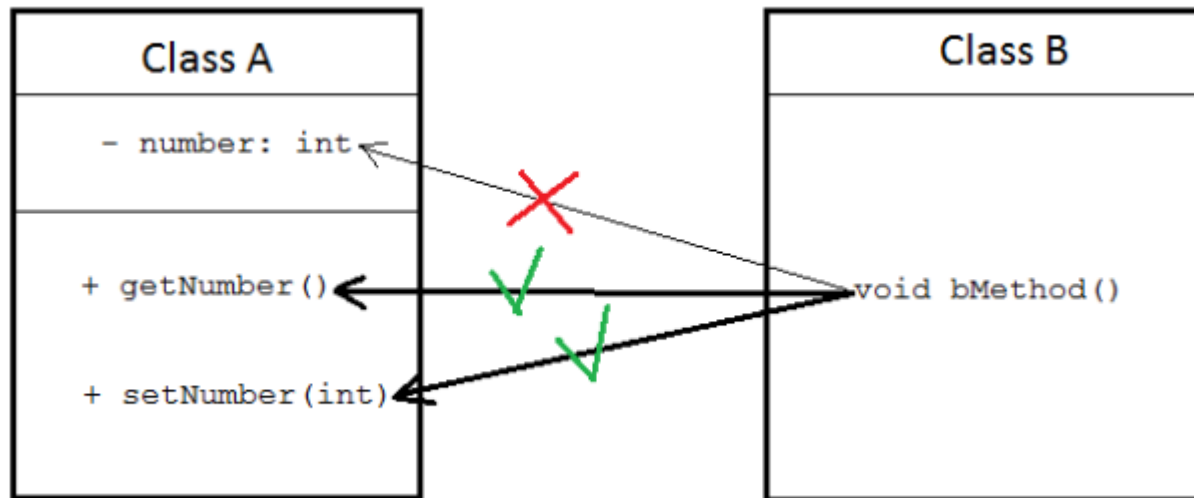
Encapsulation

- **Encapsulation:** Hiding implementation details from clients
 - ✓ Is the technique of making the fields in a class private
 - ✓ Providing access to the fields via public methods.
 - Prevents the *code* and *data* being randomly accessed by other code defined outside the class.
 - The ability to *modify* our implemented code *without breaking* the code of others who use our code.



Getter and setter method

- **Getter** and **setter** are two conventional methods that are used for **retrieving** and **updating** value of a variable.



- The following code is an example of simple class with a private variable and a couple of getter/setter methods:

```
1 public class SimpleGetterAndSetter {  
2     private int number;  
3  
4     public int getNumber() {  
5         return this.number;  
6     }  
7  
8     public void setNumber(int num) {  
9         this.number = num;  
10    }  
11 }
```

- “**number**” is private, code from outside this class cannot access the variable directly:

```
1 SimpleGetterAndSetter obj = new SimpleGetterAndSetter();  
2 obj.number = 10; // compile error, since number is private  
3 int num = obj.number; // same as above
```

- Instead, the outside code have to invoke the getter, **getNumber()** and the setter, **setNumber()** in order to read or update the variable, for example:

```
1 SimpleGetterAndSetter obj = new SimpleGetterAndSetter();  
2  
3 obj.setNumber(10); // OK  
4 int num = obj.getNumber(); // fine
```

Why getter and setter?

- By using **getter** and **setter**, the programmer can control how to variables are accessed and updated in a **correct** manner.
- Example:

```
1 public void setNumber(int num) {  
2     if (num < 10 || num > 100) {  
3         throw new IllegalArgumentException();  
4     }  
5     this.number = num;  
6 }
```

- ✓ That ensures the value of number is always set between 10 and 100.
- ✓ Suppose the variable number can be updated directly, the caller can set any arbitrary value to it:

```
1 obj.number = 3;
```

- The naming scheme of setter and getter should follow *Java bean naming convention* as follows:

getXXX() and **setXXX()**

✓ where XXX is name of the variable.

- For example with the following variable name:

```
1 private String name;
```

```
1 public void setName(String name) { }  
2  
3 public String getName() { }
```

- If the variable is of type boolean, then the getter's name can be either **isXXX()** or **getXXX()**, but the former naming is preferred.

```
1 private boolean single;  
2  
3 public String isSingle() { }
```

- “**this**” keyword in java can be used inside the *method* or *constructor* of Class.
- It (**this**) works as a reference to the current Object, whose Method or constructor is being invoked.
- **this** keyword with a **field** and **constructor**:

```
3 public class Mobile {
4     private String manufacture;
5     private String operatingSystem;
6     String model;
7     private double cost;
8
9     public Mobile(String manufacture, String operatingSystem) {
10        System.out.println("Constructor with 2 params!");
11        this.manufacture = manufacture;
12        this.operatingSystem = operatingSystem;
13    }
14
15    public Mobile(String manufacture, String operatingSystem,
16        String model, double cost) {
17
18        this(manufacture, operatingSystem);
19
20        this.model = model;
21        this.cost = cost;
22        System.out.println("Constructor with 4 params!");
23    }
24
25    public String getModel() {
26        return this.model;
27    }
28
29    public String toString() {
30
31    }
32 }
```

Output:

Constructor with 2 params!
Constructor with 4 params!
Samsung Galaxy S9

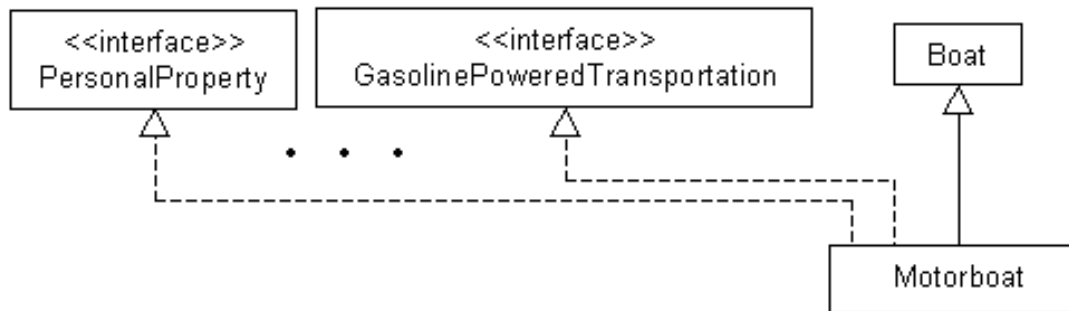
```
3 public class MobileTest {
4
5     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         Mobile mobile = new Mobile("Samsung", "Androis", "Samsung Galaxy S9", 2000);
7         System.out.println(mobile.getModel());
8     }
9
10 }
11 }
```


Section 4

Inheritance

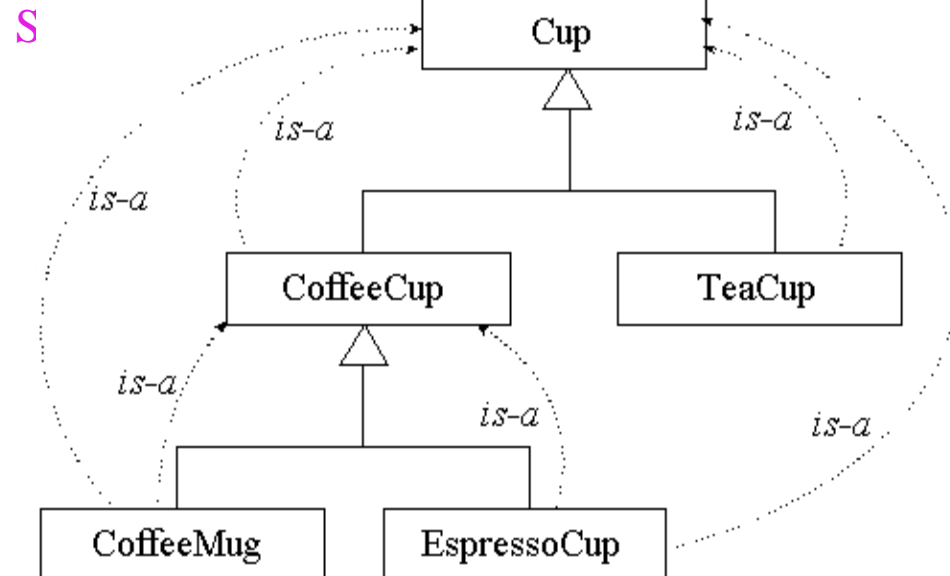
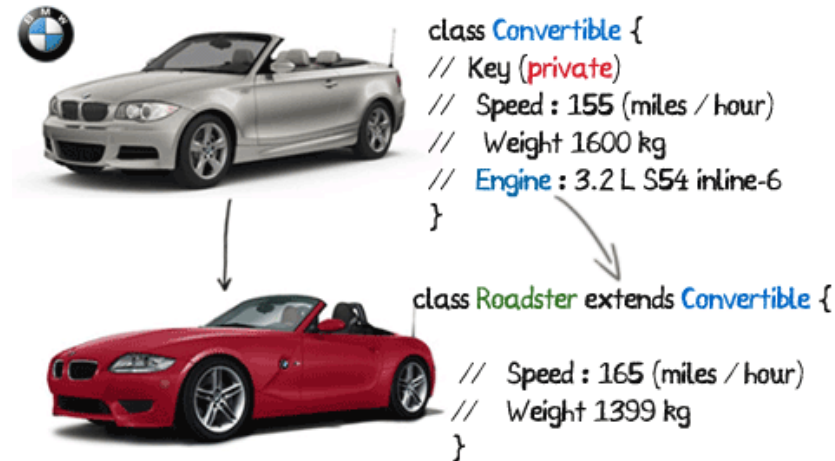
- Inheritance allows you to define a **new class** by specifying only the ways in which it differs from an **existing class**.
- Inheritance promotes software reusability (tính tái sử dụng)
 - ✓ **Create new class from existing class**
 - Absorb existing class's **data and behaviors**
 - Enhance with **new capabilities**

- **Two kinds:**
 - ✓ implementation: the code that defines methods.
 - ✓ interface: the method prototypes only.
- You **can't extend** more than one class!
 - ✓ the derived class can't have more than one base class.
- You can do multiple inheritance with *interface* inheritance.



■ Inheritance Vocabulary:

- ✓ Superclass/Subclass
- ✓ OOP Hierarchy
- ✓ Overriding
- ✓ "isa" - an instance of a subclass is-a instance of the superclass.



■ “IS-A”

- ✓ “IS-A” relationship – this thing **is a** type of that thing

- Inheritance

- Subclass object treated as superclass object

■ “HAS-A”

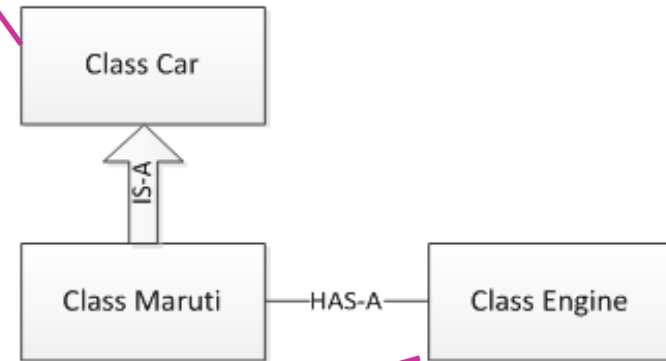
- ✓ “HAS-A” relationship - class A **HAS-A** B if code in class A has a reference to an instance of class B.

- Aggregation

- Object contains one or more objects of other classes as members

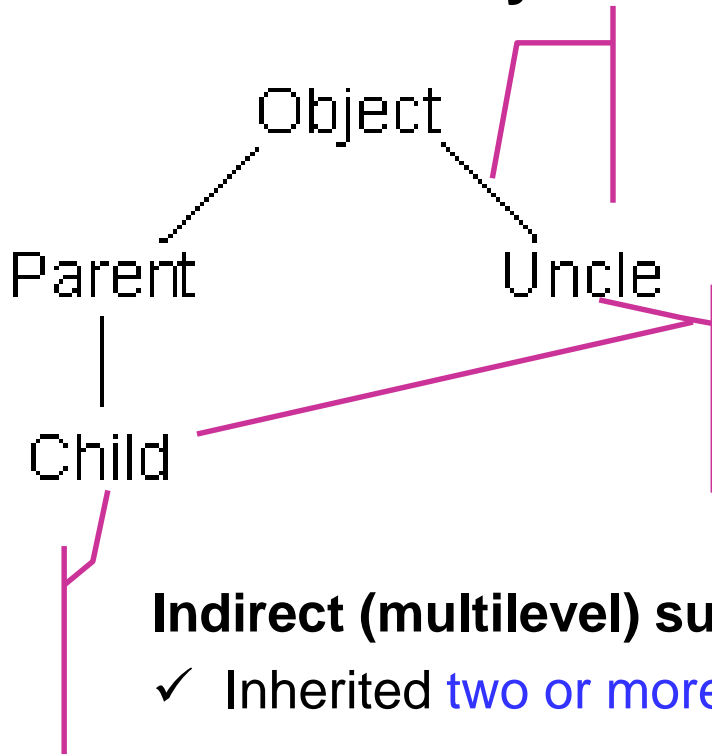
Example: Maruti *is a* Car

- ✓ Car properties/behaviors also Maruti properties/behaviors



Example: Maruti *has a* Engine

■ Class hierarchy



Direct superclass [kế thừa trực tiếp]:

✓ Inherited explicitly (**one level** up hierarchy)

Single inheritance

✓ Inherits from **one superclass**

Indirect (multilevel) superclass

✓ Inherited **two or more levels** up hierarchy

■ Multiple inheritance:

✓ Inherits from **multiple superclasses**

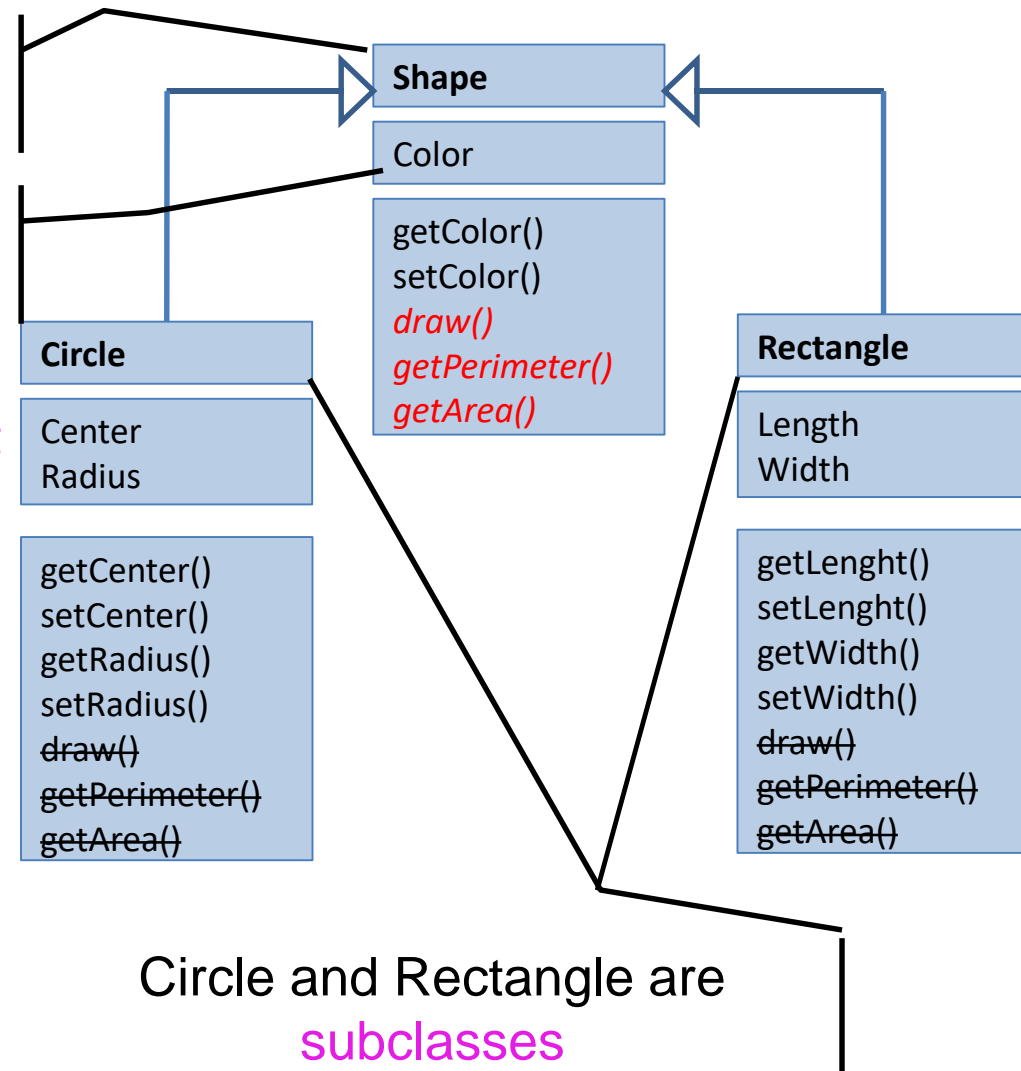
• **Java does not support multiple inheritance in classes**

Inheritance Example

Shape is **superclass**

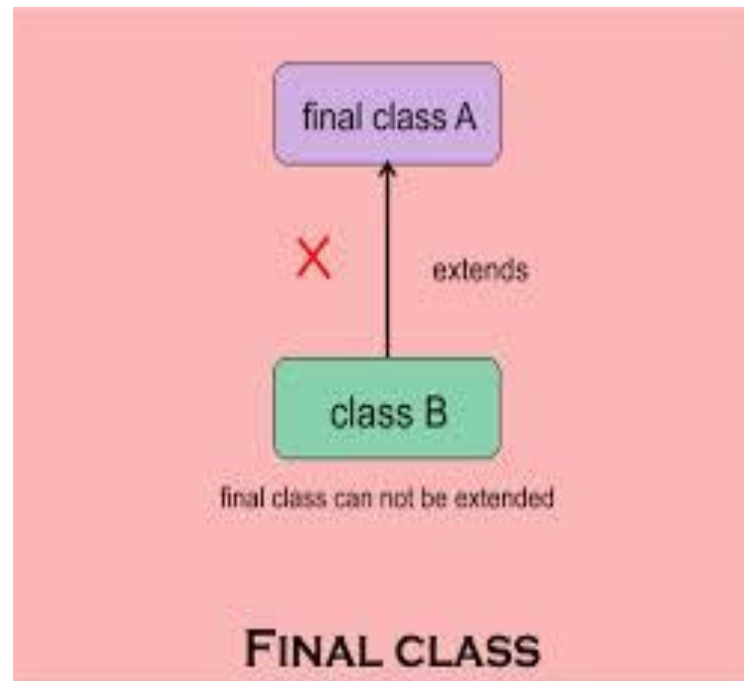
Circle and Rectangle has **Color** property

- Circle **isa** Shape, but Shape **is not** a Circle.
- Method **draw()**, **getPerimeter()**, **getArea()** in Circle overriding method **draw()** , **getPerimeter()**, **getArea()** in Shape.
- If we add/remove property to/from Shape, then it's **affected** to Circle and Rectangle.



■ Final class:

- ✓ You can declare a class is `final` - this prevents the class from being subclassed.
- ✓ Of course, an `abstract` class cannot be a `final` class.



▪ Instantiating subclass object

✓ *Chain of constructor calls*

- Subclass constructor **invokes** superclass constructor
 - **Implicitly** or **explicitly**
- Base of inheritance hierarchy
 - Last constructor called in chain is Object's constructor
 - Original subclass constructor's body finishes executing last.

■ Examples:

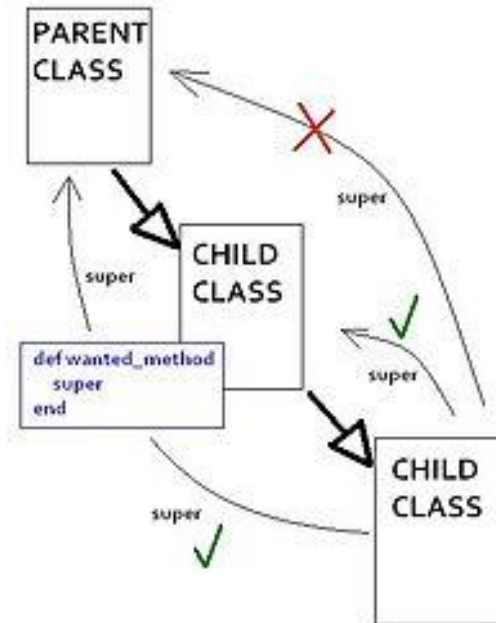
```
class Building {  
    Building() {  
        System.out.print("b ");  
    }  
  
    Building(String name) {  
        this();  
        System.out.print("bn " + name);  
    }  
}
```

```
public class House extends Building {  
    House() {  
        System.out.print("h ");  
    }  
  
    House(String name) {  
        this();  
        System.out.print("hn " + name);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        new House("x ");  
    }  
}
```

- Garbage collecting subclass object
 - ✓ Chain of finalize method calls
 - **Reverse** order of constructor chain
 - Finalizer of **subclass called first**
 - Finalizer of **next superclass** up hierarchy next
 - Continue up hierarchy until final superreached
 - » After final superclass (Object) finalizer, object removed from memory

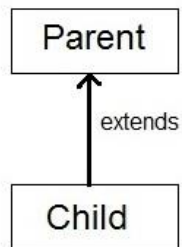
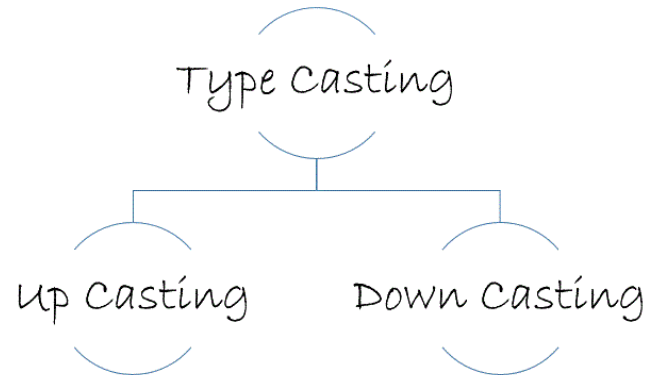
- Can use **super** keyword to access all (non-private) superclass methods.
 - ✓ even those replaced with new versions in the derived class.
- Can use **super()** to call base class constructor.

```
class Parent
{
    String name;
}
class Child extends Parent {
    String name;
    void detail()
    {
        super.name = "Parent";
        name = "Child";
    }
}
```



- Subclass methods are **not** superclass methods

- Java permits^[cho phép] an object of a **subclass type** to be treated **as an object of any superclass type**. *This is called upcasting.*
- Upcasting and downcasting are **NOT like** casting primitives from one to other.



Parent p = new Child();

Upcasting

~~Child c = new Parent();~~

Compile time error

Child c = (Child) new Parent();

Downcasting but throws

ClassCastException at runtime.

Upcasting is done automatically.

Downcasting must be manually done by the programmer

Casting Objects Examples

```
class Animal {
    public void eat() {
        System.out.println("Generic Animal Eating Generically");
    }
}

class Horse extends Animal {
    public void eat() {
        System.out.println("Horse eating hay, oats, " + "and horse treats");
    }

    public void buck() {
        System.out.println("This is buck");
    }
}
```

```
public class TestAnimals {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Animal a = new Animal();
        Animal b = new Horse(); // Animal ref, but a Horse object - upcasting
        Horse h = new Horse();
        a.eat(); // Runs what?
        b.eat(); // Runs what?

        // What is the result?
        Animal c = new Horse();
        c.buck();
    }
}
```

→ Cannot invoke subclass-only (Horse) methods on subclass object through superclass (Animal) reference

▪ **protected** access

- ✓ Intermediate level of protection between **public** and **private**;
- ✓ **protected** members accessible to:
 - superclass members
 - subclass members
 - Class members in the same package
- ✓ Subclass access superclass member
 - Keyword **super** and a dot (.)
 - There is **no super.super....**

- Using **protected** instance variables

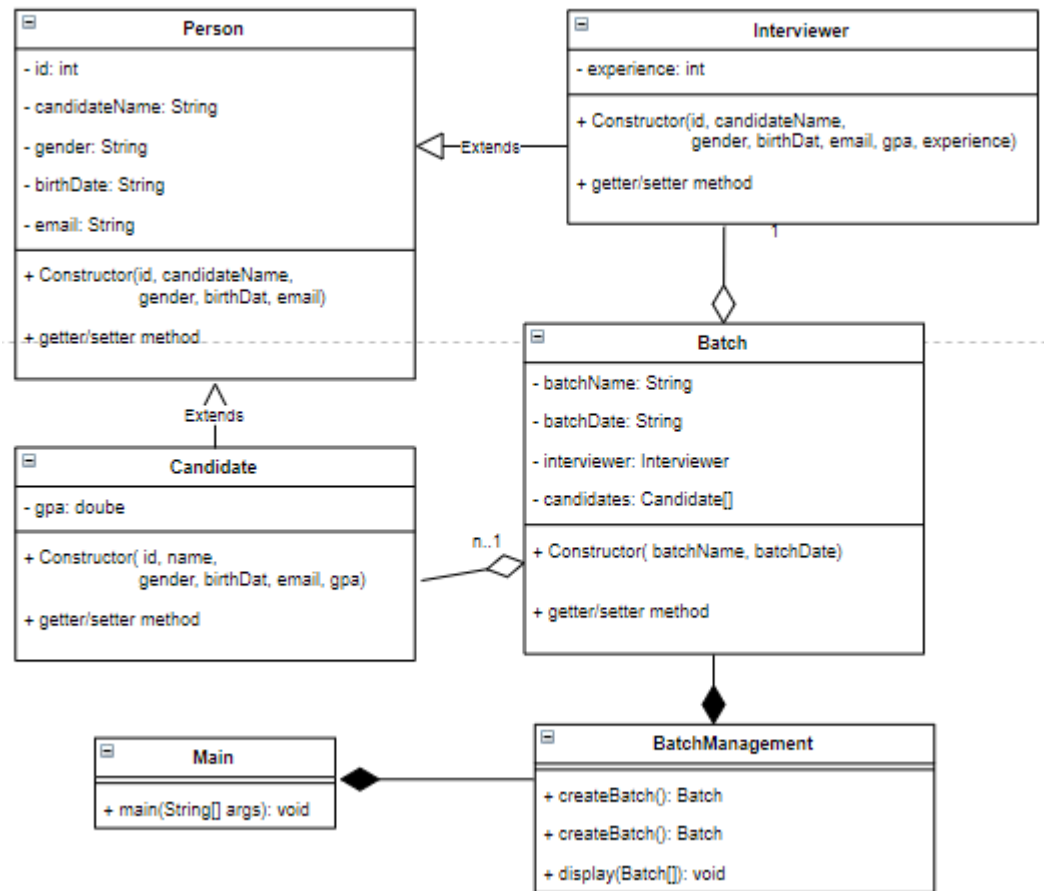
- ✓ **Advantages**

- subclasses can **modify** values directly
- Slight increase in **performance**
 - Avoid set/get function call overhead

- ✓ **Disadvantages**

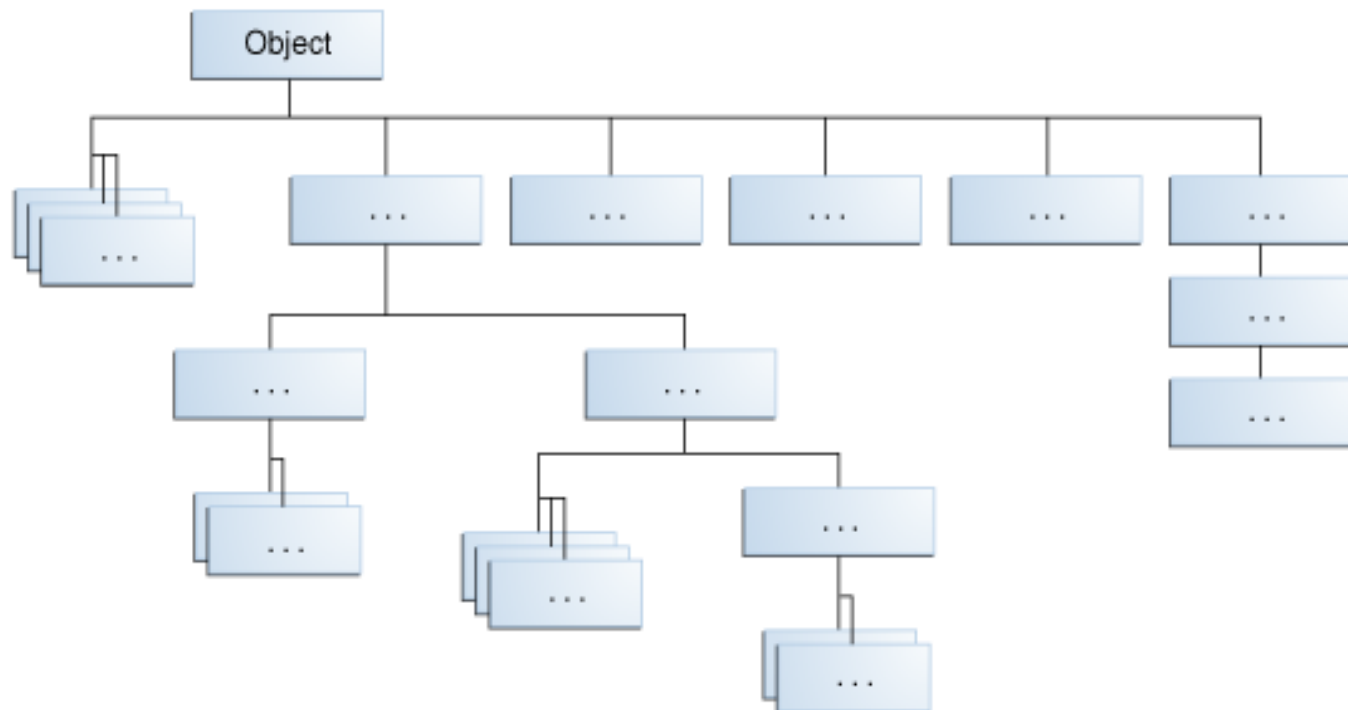
- No validity checking
 - subclass can **assign illegal value**
- Implementation **dependent**
 - subclass methods more likely dependent on superclass implementation
 - superclass implementation changes may result in subclass modifications

- In class diagrams, as shown in following Figure. Let's implement it using Java:



The class Object

- Granddaddy of all Java classes.
- All methods defined in the class Object are available in every class.
- Any object can be cast as an **Object**.



- Inheritance is a mechanism that allows one class to **reuse** the implementation provided by another.
- A class always **extends** exactly one superclass.
 - ✓ If a **class does not explicitly extend another**, it implicitly extends the class **Object**.
- A superclass method or field can be accessed using a **super.** keyword.
- Subclass objects **can not access** superclass's **private** data **unless** they change into **protected** access level.
- If a constructor does not **explicitly** invoke another (this() or super()) constructor, it **implicitly** invokes the superclass's no-args constructor.
- **Encapsulation:**
 - ✓ Hiding implementation details from clients.

Thank you

