

Object Oriented Programming – Design

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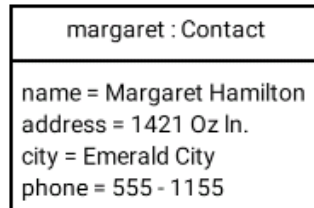
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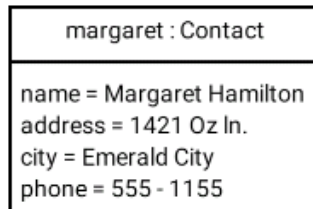
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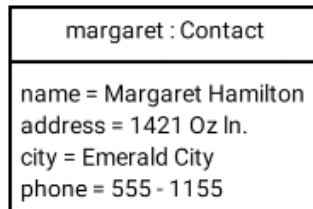
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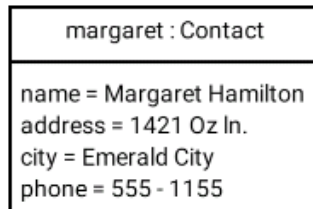
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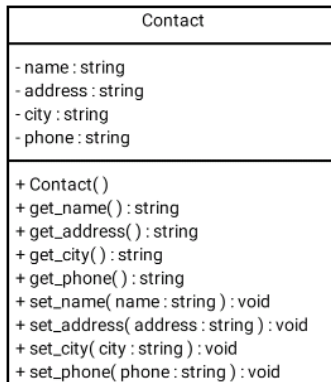
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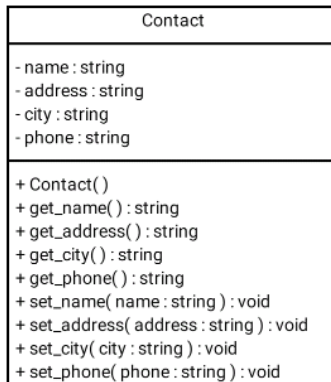
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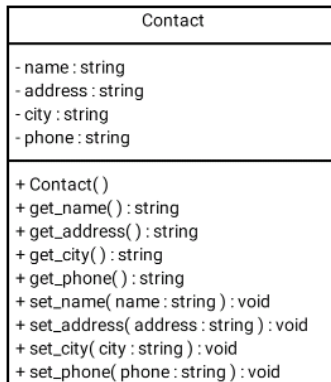
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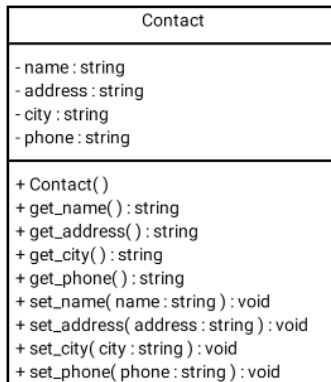
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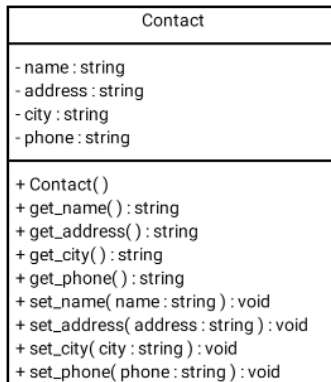
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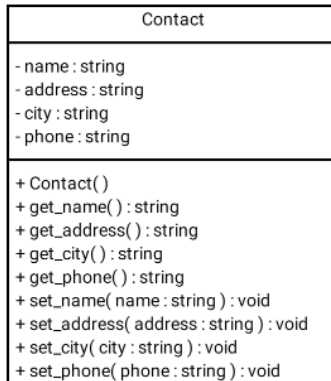
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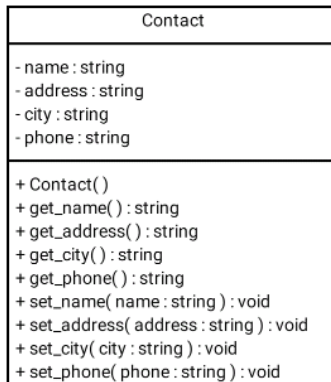
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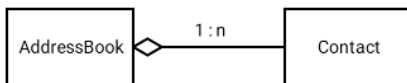
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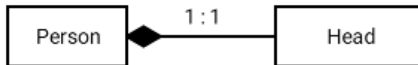
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- What sorts of thing do we want to do with an address book?
- What do the contact records look like?
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- What relationships exist between the classes?

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The Stock Program (Program 5)

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