

13. What is **encapsulation** and how did you use it?

- Data hiding by making variables private and providing public getter and setter methods.
- In my project I created multiple POJO/BEAN classes in order to manage test data and actual data.
 - EX: I take JSON from API response and convert to object of my POJO class all variables are private with getters and setter.

14. What is the concept of **Abstraction**?

- In OOP, abstraction is a process of hiding the implementation details from the user, only the functionality will be provided to the user.
- In other words, the user will have the information on what the object does instead of how it does it.
- In Java, abstraction is achieved using Abstract classes and interfaces.
- For example: when you log in to your bank account online, you enter your user-id and password and press the login. What happens then, how the input data sent to the server, how it gets verified are all abstracted away from you.

15. Difference between **Abstraction** and **Encapsulation**?

- **Abstraction** lets you focus on **what** the object does instead of **how** it does it.
 - **Encapsulation** means hiding the internal details of how the object does something.
- **Abstraction** is used for hiding the **unwanted** data and giving relevant data.
 - **Encapsulation** means hiding the code and data, and to protect the data from outside.
- **Abstraction** can be achieved by using Abstract class and Interfaces
 - **Encapsulation** can be achieved by using "private" keyword.

16. Difference between **Abstract Class** and **Interface**?

- Main difference is methods of a Java interface are implicitly abstract and cannot have implementations. A Java abstract class can have instance methods that implement a default behavior.
- A class that is declared with abstract keyword, is known as abstract class. It can have abstract and non--abstract methods.
- An Interface is a blueprint of a class. It is a template and it is declared with interface keyword. It can have abstract methods, default methods, static methods and public final static variables
- When we want to use Abstract class, we use "**extend**" keyword. When we want to use Interface, we use "**implement**" keyword.
- Abstract class and interface both are used to achieve abstraction Both cannot be instantiated; we cannot create an object.

17. What is **Polymorphism**?

- Polymorphism is a very important concept in OOP because;
 - it enables to change the behavior of the applications in the run time based on the object on which the invocation happens.
 - by Polymorphism; one object can have different forms
- Two types → **Compile Time** which is Static and **Run Time** Polymorphism which is related with child and parent class.
- Polymorphism is implemented using the concept of Method overloading and method overriding. This can only happen when the classes are under the parent and child relationship using inheritance.

18. What is **Inheritance**?

- Inheritance represents the **IS-A** relationship which is also known as a parent-child relationship.
- It is the mechanism in java by which one class is allowed to inherit the features (fields and methods) of another class.
- The idea behind inheritance in Java is that you can create new classes that are built upon existing classes.
- When you inherit from an existing class, you can reuse methods and fields of the parent class.
- Moreover, you can add new methods and fields in your current class also.