

# Creational Design Pattern

- \* Abstract the Instantiation process
- \* Make system Independent of how objects are created, composed.

Class  
creational  
pattern  
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\* Factory.

Object  
creational  
pattern

- \* Abstract factory
- \* Builder
- \* Prototype
- \* Singleton

# ① Factory Design Pattern

\* Define interface for creating object, but let subclasses decide which class to instantiate

\* Factory Method lets a class defer instantiation to subclasses

↳ Other Name → Virtual Constructor

Library Creator → Library Consumer

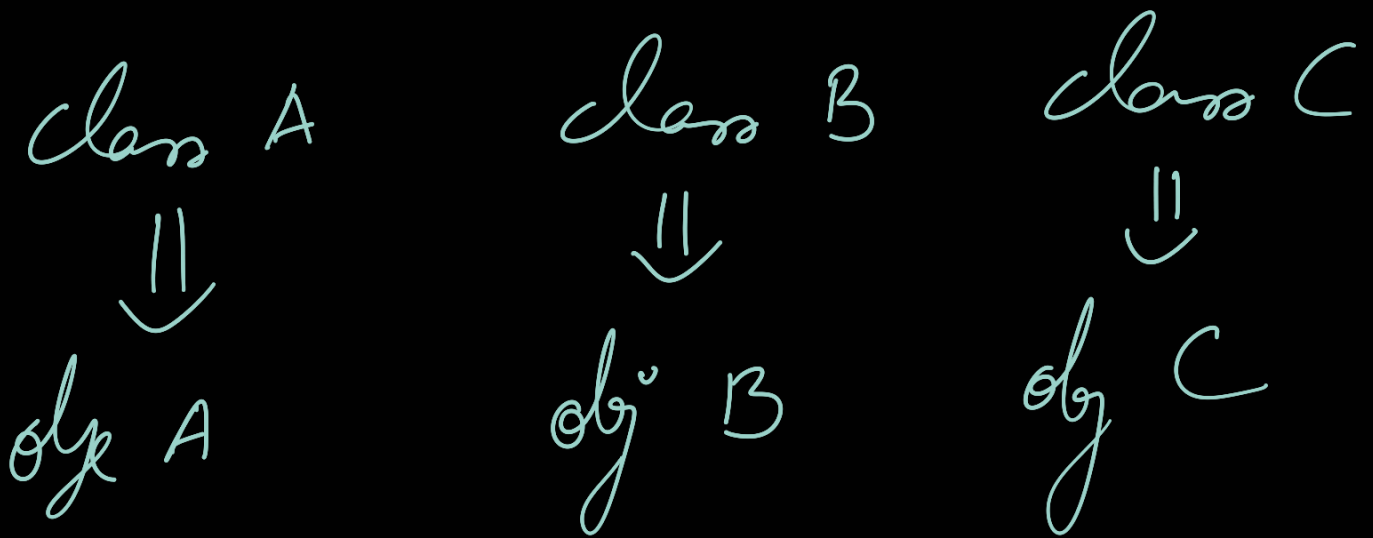
Creation of object handled by this

which object to create passed by this

This pattern is helpful when:

- The exact type of the object to be created isn't known until runtime.
- A system needs to be independent of how its products are created.

\* Used to create reusable framework and libraries like GUI Library.



Switch (object type)

```
switch (obj) {  
    case obj A:  
        return obj A;  
    case obj B:  
        return obj B;  
    case obj C:  
        return obj C;  
}
```

✓  
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This code has to be repeated  
everywhere we want object of  
class A/B/C

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We can move this switch logic  
of creating object inside factory  
class.

```
class CreationFactory {  
public:  
    createObject()  
    // switch case
```

✓ ✓