



Object Oriented Analysis and Design with Java - UE19CS353

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1. Introduction
2. Coding examples - Demo

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Introduction

- A feature that allows a class to have more than one method having the same name, if their argument lists are different.
- **Three ways:** In order to overload a method, the argument lists of the methods must differ in either of these:
 - Number of parameters**
 - Data type of parameters**
 - Sequence of data type of parameters**

Note: Method overloading has no relation with return-type

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Coding Example 1: Number of parameters and Data type of parameters

```
class Bird{
    void fly(){
        System.out.println("Bird is flying");
    }
    void fly(int height){
        System.out.println("Bird is flying "+height+" high");
    }
    void fly(String name,int height){
        System.out.println(name+" is flying "+height+" feet high");
    }
}

class P2_methodOverload {
public static void main(String[] args){
    Bird bird1=new Bird();
    bird1.fly();
    bird1.fly(10000);
    bird1.fly("Eagle",10000);
}
}
```

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Coding Example 2: Number of parameters and Sequence of Data type of parameters

```
class Addition {
    int add(int a, int b) {
        return a + b; }
    int add(int a, int b, int c) {
        return a + b + c; }
    double add(int a, double b) {
        return a + b; }
    double add(double a, int b) {
        return a + b; }
}
class P2_MethodOverload {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Addition a = new Addition();
        int intAdd1 = a.add(1, 2);
        System.out.println("1+2=" + intAdd1);
        int intAdd2 = a.add(1, 2, 3);
        System.out.println("1+2+3=" + intAdd2);
        double doubleAdd1 = a.add(1, 2.5);
        System.out.println("1+2.5=" + doubleAdd1);
        double doubleAdd2=a.add(3.5,2);
        System.out.println("3.5+2=" + doubleAdd2);
    }
}
```



THANK YOU

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