Introduction to OOP

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Course outline

- Object oriented programming (day 01)
- Introduction to Unity 2D (day 02)
- Introduction to Unity 3D (day 03)
- Projects (day 04)
- Projects (day 05)

Object oriented programming (day 01)

- Programming language C#
- Basics of object oriented programming
- Learning to use Visual Studio

Introduction to Unity - 2D (day 02)

Introduction to Unity and 2D



Introduction to Unity - 3D (day 03)

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Projects (day 04 and day 05)



Day 01 - Introduction to (Object Oriented) Programming

Language C#

- Developed by Microsoft
- A general purpose multi-paradigm programming language
- Used by Unity engine
- Has syntax inspired by C, C++ and Java
- Will be very familiar to you if you've done some C, C++ or Java before



Language C#

```
using System;
namespace HelloWorld
    class Hello
        public static void Main()
            // This is a comment
            Console.WriteLine("Hello World!");
```

Statements

- Statements are commands that the programmer issues
- Computer executes the statements and produces some result
- It's important that we are very precise because computer is a machine
- In real world, statements would be something like:
 - turn aroud
 - get up
 - start running
 - turn off the light
- In C#, a statement is **terminated** by a semicolon;

Statements

```
using System;
namespace HelloWorld
    class Hello
        public static void Main()
            int x = 10;
                                        // statement 1
            int y = 20;
                                     // statement 2
            Console.WriteLine(x + y); // statement 3
```

- Language C# is a **typed** language
- This means that every variable we create needs to have a type

```
// Wrong! What is the type of x?
x = 5
// Correct! Type of x is Integer
int x = 5;
```

Types

Туре	Represents	Range	Defau Value
bool	Boolean value	True or False	Fals
byte	8-bit unsigned integer	0 to 255	0
char	16-bit Unicode character	U +0000 to U +ffff	'\0'
decimal	128-bit precise decimal values with 28-29 significant digits	(-7.9 x 10^{28} to 7.9 x 10^{28}) / 10^0 to 28	0.01
double	64-bit double-precision floating point type	(+/-)5.0 x 10 ⁻³²⁴ to (+/-)1.7 x 10 ³⁰⁸	0.00
float	32-bit single-precision floating point type	-3.4 x 10 ³⁸ to + 3.4 x 10 ³⁸	0.0F
int	32-bit signed integer type	-2,147,483,648 to 2,147,483,647	0
long	64-bit signed integer type	-9,223,372,036,854,775,808 to 9,223,372,036,854,775,807	OL
sbyte	8-bit signed integer type	-128 to 127	0
short	16-bit signed integer type	-32,768 to 32,767	0
uint	32-bit unsigned integer type	0 to 4,294,967,295	0
ulong	64-bit unsigned integer type	0 to 18,446,744,073,709,551,615	0
ushort	16-bit unsigned integer type	0 to 65,535	0

Types

- We also call the previously shown types with the name primitive types
- Why? They are **primitive**:)
- They don't represent anything complex or composite
- From primitive types, in Unity we will be mostly be using bool, char, int and float
- There are also more complex types that we represent with classes
- We will get to that a bit later but it's the main topic of the object oriented programming

Variables

- With variables we wish to store some information at some convenient place
- We also wish to be able to retrieve that information when needed
- Variables have a name and a type
- A type is what we've seen before for example int
- A name is the name of the variable for example x

```
int x = 10;
int y;
float z = 3.1f;
char w = 'a';
```

Variables - exercise

Task 01

Write a program that creates variables x and y with values 10 and 20. Write out the values x*y, x+y, x-y and x/y.

If statement

- What if we wish to do something depending on a certain condition?
 - Close the door **if** it's cold, **otherwise** do nothing?
 - If today is Tuesday then learn C#, otherwise have fun
- We can accomplish this using the if statement

If statement

```
static void Main(string[] args)
    int x = 4;
    bool even = x \% 2 == 0;
    if (even)
        Console.WriteLine("Number is even!");
    else
        Console.WriteLine("Number is not even!");
```

If statement - multiple branches

- We can also allow if to have multiple branches
- How much? It's up to you.

```
if (CONDITIION 1) STATEMENT 1
else if (CONDITIION 2) STATEMENT 2
else if (CONDITIION 2) STATEMENT 2
else if (CONDITIION 3) STATEMENT 3
...
else if (CONDITIION N) STATEMENT N
else STATEMENT N+1
```

Loops

- Loops are a mechanism that allows us to execute a block of statements multiple times
- If you wanted to write Hello 10 times to standard output, how would you do it?

```
Console.WriteLine("Hello");
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Console.WriteLine("Hello"):
```

Loops

```
Or maybe this?
for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
{
    Console.WriteLine("Hello");
}</pre>
```

Loops - for loop

```
for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
{
    Console.WriteLine("Hello");
}</pre>
```

- At the start, variable i is 0
- Then code inside the block is executed
- Then i is incremented (value increased by 1)
- Then i is checked against the condition i < 10, it's true as i = 1
- So next iteration happens and code inside the block is executed
- Then i is incremented (value increased by 1)
- Then i is checked against the condition i < 10, it's true as i = 2
- So next iteration happens and code inside the block is executed

Loops - for loop

- We keep on going until...
- Then code inside the block is executed
- Then i is incremented (value increased by 1)
- Then i is checked against the condition i < 10, it's true as i = 9
- Then code inside the block is executed
- Then i is incremented (value increased by 1)
- Then i is checked against the condition i < 10, it's false as i = 10
- The loop stops and program continues after the loop

Loops - while loop

```
i = 0;
while (i < 0)
{
    Console.WriteLine("Hello");
    i++;
}</pre>
```

- A while loop is a bit different and simpler
- It keeps on executing until the condition is true
- Usually it's used when we don't know the amount of required iterations
- Does the code above remind you of something?

Functions

- Functions are a basic building block of our programs
- Function is a block of code that we give a name to
- Ignore the word static for now

```
static int Add(int a, int b)
    return a + b;
static void ShowFirst(int n)
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
        Console.WriteLine(i+1);
```

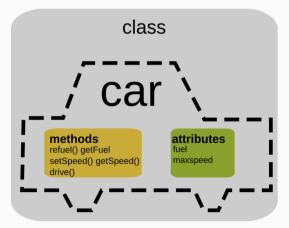
Functions

- It's very good to break our code into multiple functions
- As program grows we break it down into multiple files also
- But how do we describe complicated things with these simple constructs?
- Using Object Oriented Programming, it's much easier to do it! Let's check it out!

Object Oriented Programming (OOP)

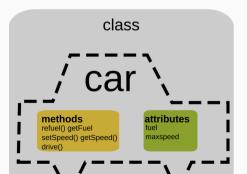
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- So far we have learned about types like int, float and similar
- We also mentioned that we can construct more complex types. How?
- By constructing a class!



Classes and objects

- A class is a template that describes an object
- A class defines:
 - Attributes (we also call them properties)
 - Methods (they are basically functions)
- A attribute is some data that the object contains
- A method is a function that can get invoked on an object



The OOP

- We use classes to create templates for the objects that exist in our world
- For example, if we are creating:
 - music program classes are Song, Artist, Album, Playlist...
 - video game classes are Player, Enemy, NPC, Tree, Ball...
- Objects are concrete examples of a class, we also call them **instances**
- Our program is an interaction of objects
- This is similar to real world actually!

Class - constructor

- A Class has a constructor (shorthand is ctor)
- A constructor is a special function that allows us to instantiate an object

```
public class Point {
    // Class attributes
    private float x, y;
    // Constructor (ctor)
    public Point(float someX, float someY)
        x = someX:
        v = someY:
```

Class - constructor

- How do we instantiate an object?
- We use the keyword new
- This invokes the constructor from the class

```
static void Main(string[] args)
{
    Point p = new Point(2.3f, 4.1f);
    Console.WriteLine(p);
}
```

Class - methods

- Methods are services that an object gives us to use
- For example, we can ask a point to move in 2D space

```
public class Point {
    private float x, y;
    public Point(float someX, float someY) {
       x = someX;
        y = someY;
    public void translate(float dx, float dy) {
       x += dx; // update x by vector dx
       y += dy; // update y by vector dy
```

Class - methods

Please do note that we call a method on an object!

```
Point p = new Point(1.0f, 2.0f);
p.translate(3f, 4f);
// NOT! translate(p, 3f, 4f) or translate(3f, 4f)...
```

Class - visibility specifiers

- So far you've probably noticed things like private and public
- What are they?
- They are only used for things that are class related
- They handle the problem of visibility of a function, class or variable
- If something is private, then we can't see it outside of its scope
- If something is public, then everyone can see it

Class - visibility specifiers

• Outside of class Point, you can't see variables x and y!

```
public class Point {
    // Class attributes
    private float x, y;
    // Constructor (ctor)
    public Point(float someX, float someY)
        x = someX;
        y = someY;
```

C# Coding Standards

Variables:

- Variable names should start with lowercase
- If a name is formed of multiple words, use camelcase notation

Functions:

- Function name should start with a Capital case letter
- If a name is formed of multiple words, use camelcase notation
- Same for class methods

Class attributes:

- Name should be prefixed with an underscore _
- If a name is formed of multiple words, use camelcase notation



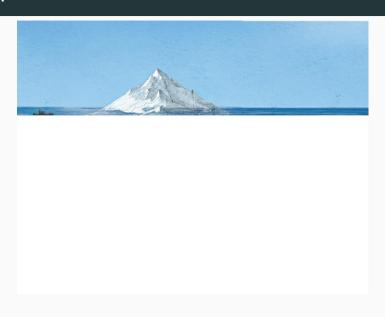
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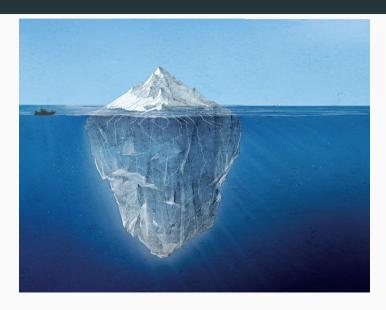
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OOP - Advanced concepts

The Pillars of OOP

- The three main pillars of OOP are:
 - Encapsulation
 - Polymorphism
 - Inheritance





- Sometimes, we only see the tip of the iceberg
- And also, lots of times, we only wish to see the tip
- It makes using libraries and foreign code much easier

Encapsulation is a principle by which we wish to hide internal logic from the outside world.

- It's acomplished by:
 - Showing a public interface to the user (exposed via public)
 - And hiding internal logic (hidden via private)

- Let's assume we need to create a class for both a Player and Enemy
 - Both of them will have a position in our game world?
 - Both of them will have health?
- So, do we create two classes that both have the same things?
- Or, maybe there's a better way?

- Inheritance allows us to extend the functionality of a class
- We say that class B inherits class A.
- This means that B is also A.
- But A is not B.
- B is a special case of A
- You confused?

- Inheritance allows us to extend the functionality of a class
- We say that class Husky inherits class Dog.
- This means that Husky is also Dog.
- But Dog is not Husky (not every dog is a Husky!)
- Husky is a special case of Dog
- Not confused anymore?



Inheritance in C#

```
class GameObject
    private Vec2 _position;
    public GameObject(Vec2 position)
        _position = position
```

Inheritance in C#

```
class Player: GameObject
   public Player(Vec2 position) : base(position) { }
class Enemy: GameObject
   public Enemy(Vec2 position) : base(position) { }
```

Inheritance in C#

- Class can inherit only one class
- Casting to parent class is often useful
- object1 and object2 give out only the public interface of the class GameObject

```
GameObject object1 = new Player(new Vec2());
GameObject object2 = new Enemy(new Vec2());
```



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As we've seen, we can cast objects of B onto parent class A

```
GameObject object1 = new Player(new Vec2());
GameObject object2 = new Enemy(new Vec2());
```

- This also allows a cool property hierarchical polymorphism
- That is, we can define a function in class A and redefine it in class B

```
class GameObject
   private Vec2 position;
    public GameObject(Vec2 position)
        position = position
    public void Move(Vec2 movementVector)
        _position += movementVector;
```

```
class Player: GameObject
   public Player(Vec2 position) : base(position) { }
   public override void Move(Vec2 movementVector)
        // Add our own custom logic
       Console.WriteLn($"Player is moving by {movementVector}!");
        // Invoke the parent class implementation
        super.Move(movementVector);
```

```
GameObject object = new Player(new Vec2());

// Call the .Move method of the `Player` class
object.Move(new Vec2(2f, 3f));

// RESULT: Player is moving by (2.0, 3.0)!
```



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