

Unit_9c_AsteroidsProject

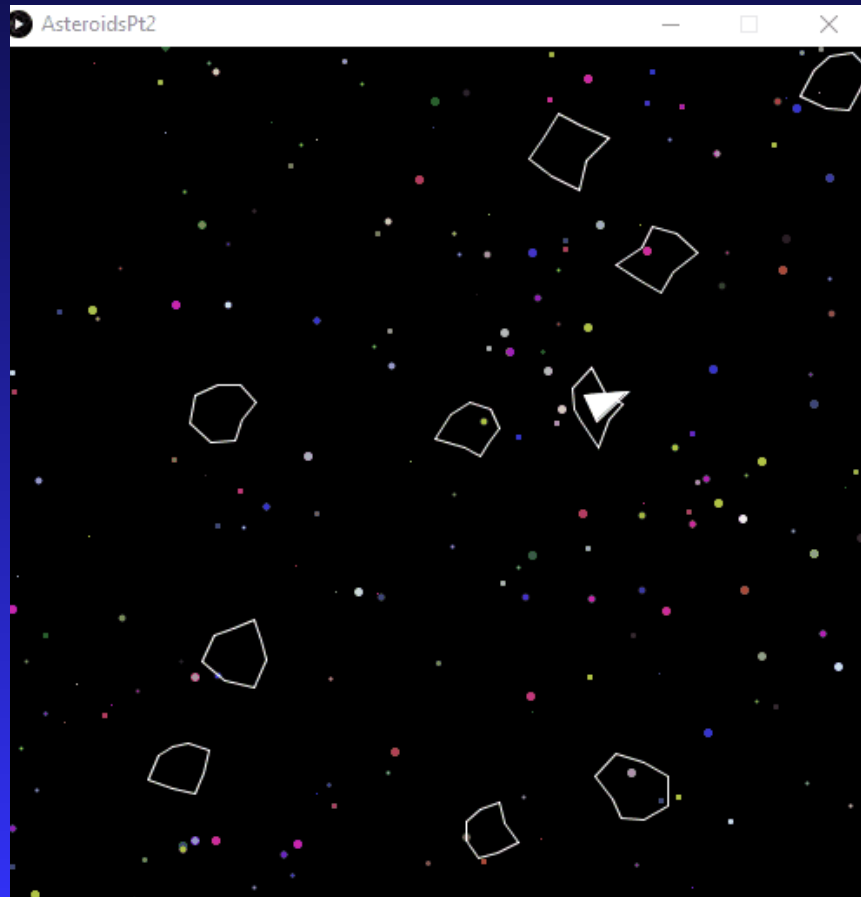
Part 2



- We'll finish the Asteroids arcade game in parts 2 and 3

Asteroids Part 2: Adding the Asteroids

- Notice that the Asteroids move differently than the ship
- They rotate (or **turn()**) while they move



Asteroids Part 2

- In part 2 of Asteroids, we will create an **Asteroid** class
- You'll need a new member variable, constructor, **move()** and some getter and/or setter functions
- You will also need to encapsulate the class

```
class Asteroid extends Floater
```

```
{
```

```
?? double rotSpeed; //randomly + or -
```

```
?? Asteroid() { /*code not shown*/ }
```

```
?? move() { /*code not shown*/ }
```

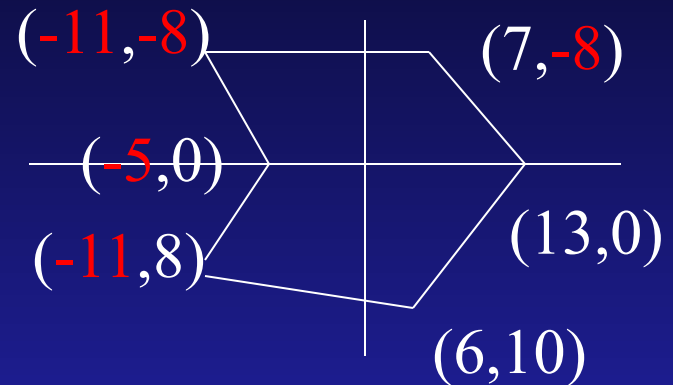
```
//other getters and/or setters
```

```
//may be necessary as well
```

Constructing an Asteroid

Note that half of your coordinates should be **negative**

```
class Asteroid extends Floater {  
    public Asteroid() {  
        corners = 6;  
        xCorners = new int[corners];  
        yCorners = new int[corners];  
        xCorners[0] = -11;  
        yCorners[0] = -8;  
        xCorners[1] = 7;  
        yCorners[1] = -8;  
        xCorners[2] = 13;  
        yCorners[2] = 0;  
        xCorners[3] = 6;  
        yCorners[3] = 10;  
        xCorners[4] = -11;  
        yCorners[4] = 8;  
        xCorners[5] = -5;  
        yCorners[5] = 0;  
        //other code not shown  
    }  
}
```



Important Vocabulary:

Super and Sub classes

`class Spaceship extends Floater`

- **Spaceship** is the *sub* class and **Floater** is the *super* class
- Other less important vocabulary:
 - ◆ **Spaceship** is the *derived* class and **Floater** is the *base* class
 - ◆ **Spaceship** is the *child* class and **Floater** is the *parent* class

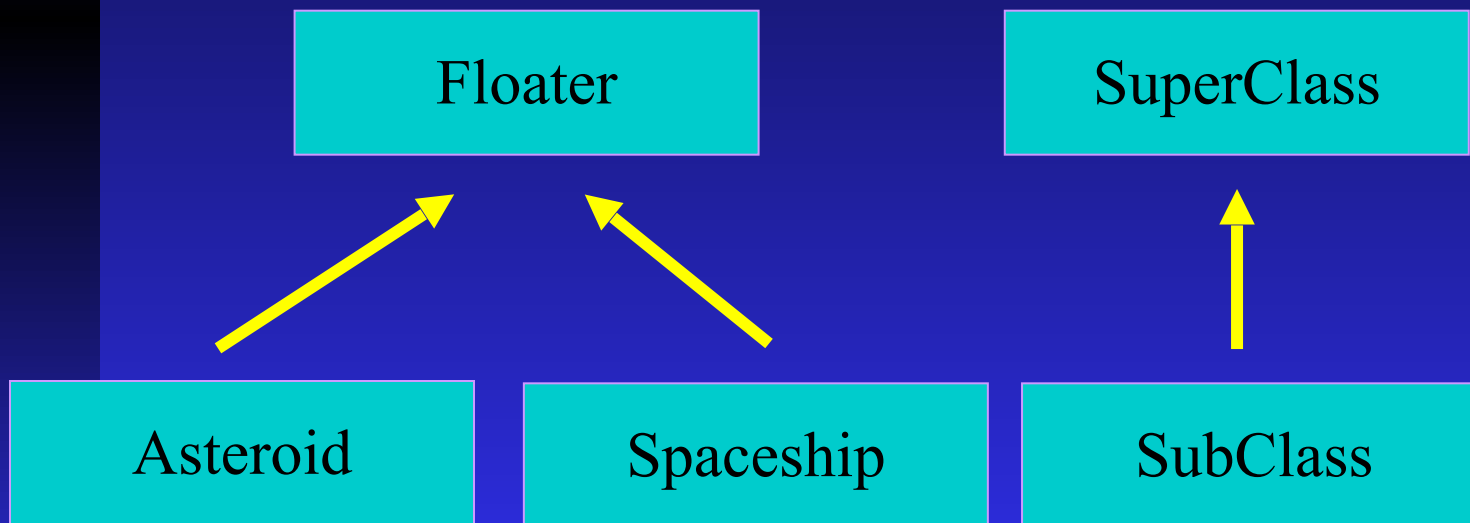
Inheritance Diagrams:

The **arrow** is important and always points up to the **super class**

```
class Asteroid extends Floater
```

```
class Spaceship extends Floater
```

```
class SubClass extends SuperClass
```



Note: the **arrow** designates the *is-a* relationship. A **Spaceship** *is-a* **Floater**

super ()

super .

- The Java keyword **super** has *two* meanings:
 1. With *parenthesis*, it calls the super class *constructor* (e.g. **super ()**)
 2. With a *dot*, it calls the *member methods* of the super class (e.g. **super .move ()**)

super () vs. **super .**

1. By itself, **super ()** calls the base class constructor. It must be used on the *first line* of the sub class constructor. If it's not called explicitly, there is an "invisible call" to the default no argument **super ()**
2. **super .method ()** calls the methods of the super class. You can use the methods in the super class to gain access to private variables that would otherwise be inaccessible

Error!

```
public void setup()
{
    Asteroid pete = new Asteroid(3);
    System.out.println(bob.getNum());
}
class Floater
{
    private int myNum;
    public Floater(int num){myNum = num;}
    public int getNum(){return myNum;}
}
class Asteroid extends Floater
{
    public Asteroid(int num){myNum = num;}
}
```

super() fixes the problem

```
public void setup()
{
    Asteroid bob = new SubClass(3);
    System.out.println(bob.getNum());
}
class Asteroid
{
    private int myNum;
    public Floater(int num_){myNum = num_;}
    public int getNum(){return myNum;}
}
class Asteroid extends Floater
{
    public Asteroid(int num_){super(num_) ;}
}
```

Overriding `move()`

- Asteroids turn (revolve) in addition to moving

```
?? void move()
```

```
{
```

```
    ??
```

```
//other code not shown
```

Overriding `move()`

- Asteroids need to turn AND move

```
?? void move()
```

```
{
```

```
    turn(??) ;
```

```
//other code not shown
```

Overriding `move()`

- Turn and then move just like a normal floater

```
?? void move()
```

```
{
```

```
    turn(rotSpeed) ;
```

```
    ??
```

```
//other code not shown
```

Overriding `move()`

- You could copy and paste the `move()` code from **Floater**

```
?? void move()  
{  
    turn(rotSpeed) ;  
    myCenterX += myXspeed;  
    myCenterY += myYspeed;  
  
    //wrap around screen  
    if(myCenterX > width){  
        myCenterX = 0;  
    }  
    //and so on. . .
```

But wait! There is a better way!

What could we put **here** to avoid copying and pasting code?

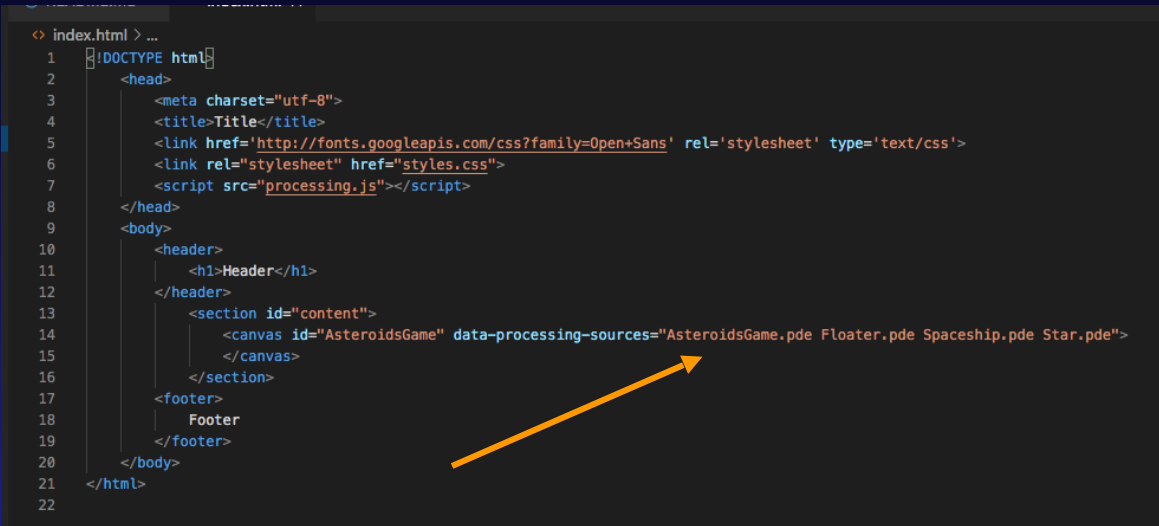
```
?? void move()  
{  
    turn(rotSpeed) ;  
    ??  
    //call move() in Floater
```

`super.move()`

- We could just tell java to use the `move()` function in the `super` class (`Floater`)

```
?? void move()  
{  
    turn(rotSpeed) ;  
    super.move() ;  
    //just 2 lines of code!  
    //that's it!  
}
```


Modifying index.html to load AsteroidsGame.pde

A screenshot of a code editor showing the content of index.html. The code is as follows:

```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <html>
3   <head>
4     <meta charset="utf-8">
5     <title>Title</title>
6     <link href="http://fonts.googleapis.com/css?family=Open+Sans" rel="stylesheet" type="text/css">
7     <link rel="stylesheet" href="styles.css">
8     <script src="processing.js"></script>
9   </head>
10  <body>
11    <header>
12      <h1>Header</h1>
13    </header>
14    <section id="content">
15      <canvas id="AsteroidsGame" data-processing-sources="AsteroidsGame.pde Floater.pde Spaceship.pde Star.pde">
16      </canvas>
17    </section>
18    <footer>
19      Footer
20    </footer>
21  </body>
22</html>
```

An orange arrow points from the bottom right towards the canvas tag on line 14.

- On line 14 of index.html add **AsteroidsGame.pde** to the list of files in data-processing-sources
- The canvas tag should now look like:

```
<canvas id="AsteroidsGame" data-processing-sources="AsteroidsGame.pde Floater.pde Spaceship.pde Stars.pde"> </canvas>
```

Overriding means replacing an inherited function

- If you wrote a **different show()** in **Oddball** you were *overriding* (replacing) the **show()** function inherited from **Ball**

```
class Oddball extends Ball{  
    public void show(){  
        ellipse(myX,myY,30,30);  
    }  
}
```

Vocabulary: Polymorphism

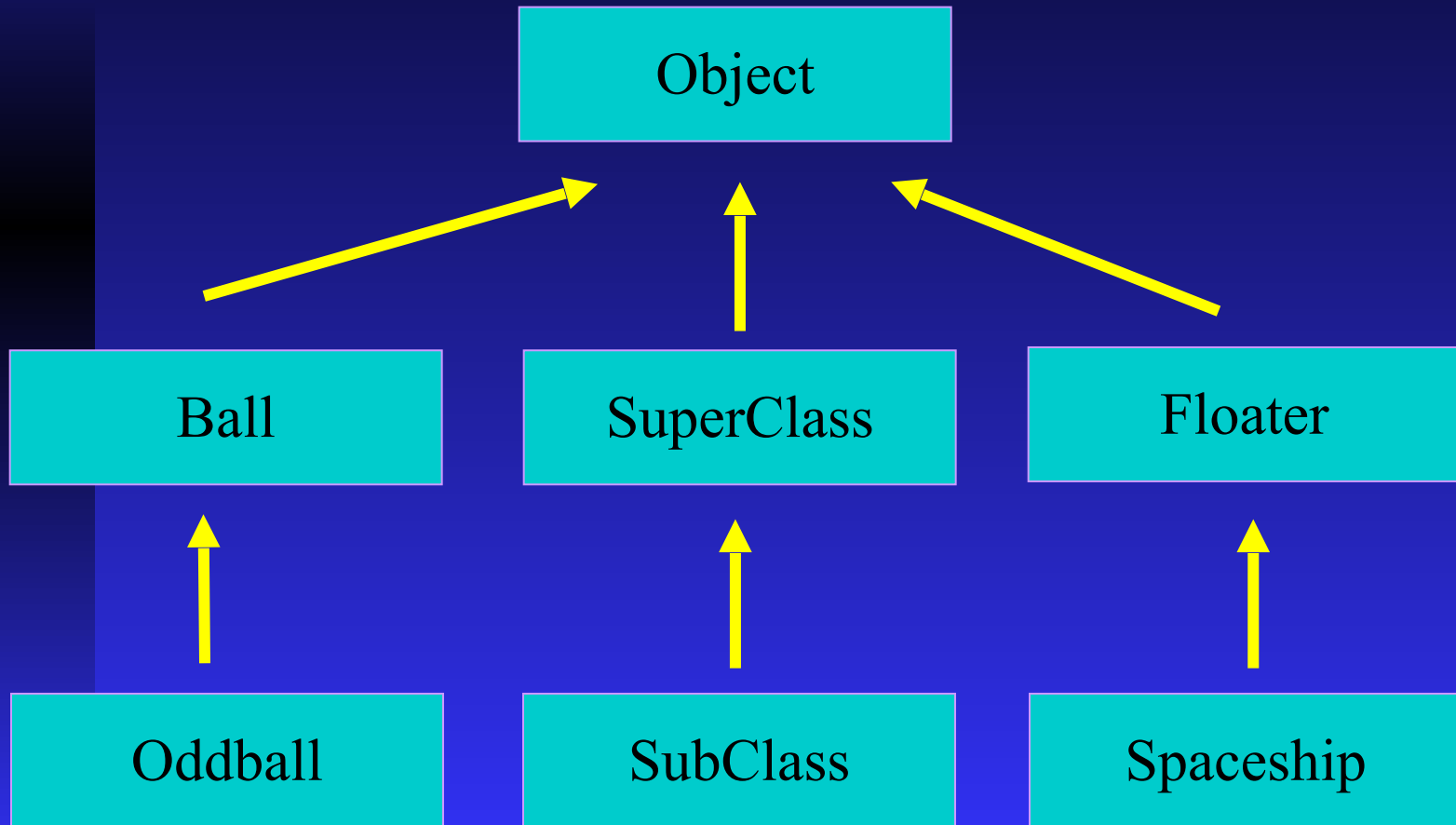
- Polymorphism means *same name different behavior!*

```
Ball[] balls = new Ball[2];  
balls[0] = new Ball();  
balls[1] = new Oddball();  
for(int i=0;i<balls.length;i++)  
    balls[i].show();
```

- The red code is an example of Polymorphism
- **show()** has a *different meaning* for **Oddball** than for **Ball**

All classes **extend** Object

- The **Object** class is the parent class of all the classes in java by default. In other words, it is the topmost class of java
- **AnyClass instanceof Object** will always evaluate to **true**



`public` member variables

- 99% of the time, member variables are **private** and member functions are **public**
- Sometimes, though, you might do it the other way around
- **Constants** are “locked” variables
 - `public final static int LIFE_MEANING = 42;`
- It's fine to make a make **constant** **public** because it can't be changed or “messed up”
- Note that **constant variable names** are usually ALL CAPITALIZED (Not “mixedCase”)

private functions

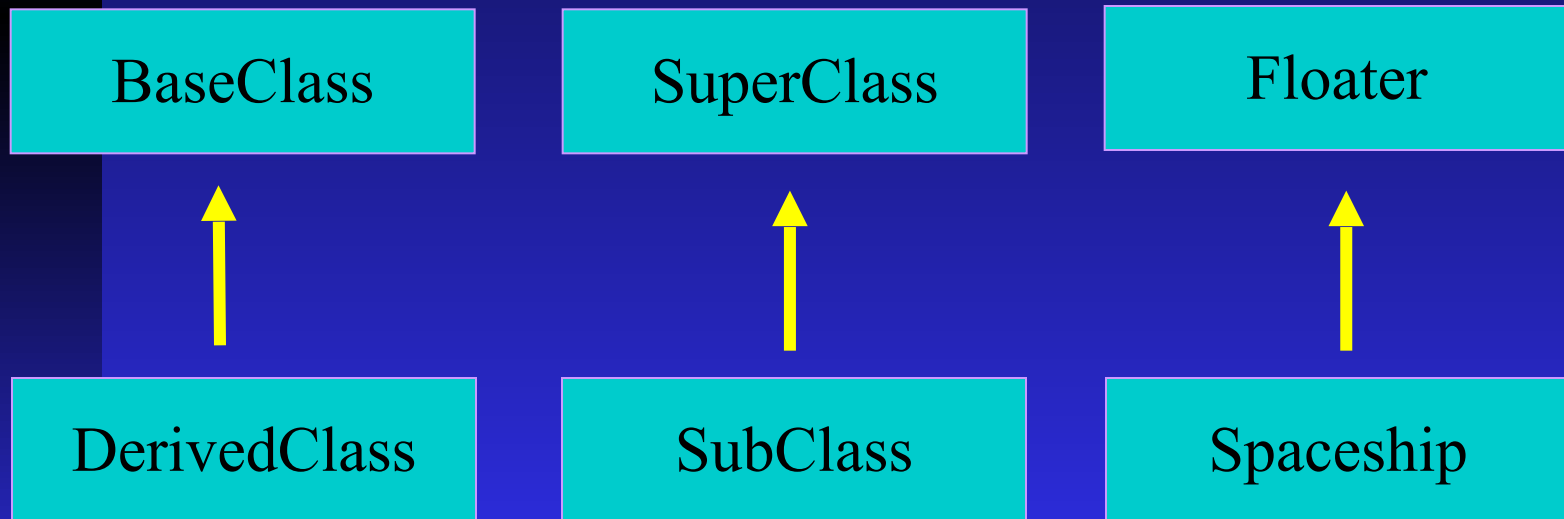
- Functions are **private** when the programmer doesn't want any client programmers (think "team members") to use them
- A "cheat" might be a good example
- For testing purposes, I might make a function that instantly destroys all the asteroids, but I want to restrict who can use it
- As an option write a private function to do just that and test it!

Inheritance: **super** and sub classes

- The Java keyword **extends** is used to create inheritance
- Inheritance means that there are two classes:
class SubClass extends SuperClass
- The sub class inherits everything that the super class has *except constructors*
- The *most common inheritance mistake is to copy or redefine variables or methods* that the sub class inherits

Inheritance Diagrams: The **arrow** is important and always points up

```
class DerivedClass extends BaseClass  
class SubClass extends SuperClass  
class Spaceship extends Floater
```



Note: the **arrow** designates the *is-a* relationship. A spaceship *is-a* floater

Super and Sub class constructors

- Constructors are NEVER inherited
- But there is a relationship between the sub class and super class constructors
- The default, *no argument* super class constructor is “invisibly” called when you create a **new** instance of the sub class
- Huh?

Making a **new** instance of Subclass

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);
}

class SuperClass{
    protected int myNum;
    public SuperClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

Subclass extends SuperClass

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);
}

class SuperClass{
    protected int myNum;
    public SuperClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

Default no argument constructor runs

```
public void setup() {  
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);  
}  
class SuperClass {  
    protected int myNum;  
    public SuperClass() {  
        myNum = 3;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2) {  
        myNum = num1 + num2;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
}  
class SubClass extends SuperClass {  
    public SubClass(int num) {  
        myNum = num;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
}
```

Then SubClass constructor runs

```
public void setup() {  
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);  
}  
class SuperClass{  
    protected int myNum;  
    public SuperClass() {  
        myNum = 3;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){  
        myNum = num1 + num2;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
}  
class SubClass extends SuperClass{  
    public SubClass(int num) {  
        myNum = num;  
        System.out.println(myNum);  
    }  
}
```

Output is 3 and then 5

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);
}

class SuperClass{
    protected int myNum;
    public SuperClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

What if no default SuperClass constructor?

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);
}
class SuperClass{
    protected int myNum;
    //public SuperClass() {
    //    myNum = 3;
    //    System.out.println(myNum);
    //}
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

Error!

Implicit super constructor sketch_141107a.SuperClass() is undefined. Must explicitly invoke another constructor

```
SubClass bob = new SubClass(5);
}
class SuperClass{
    protected int myNum;
    //public SuperClass() {
    //    myNum = 3;
    //    System.out.println(myNum);
    //}
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```


Does the SubClass inherit the default constructor?

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass();
}

class SuperClass {
    protected int myNum;
    public SuperClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2) {
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

class SubClass extends SuperClass {
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

NO!

The constructor sketch_141107a.SubClass() is undefined

```
public void setup() {
    SubClass bob = new SubClass();
}
class SuperClass {
    protected int myNum;
    public SuperClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public SuperClass(int num1, int num2) {
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
class SubClass extends SuperClass {
    public SubClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}
```

```

public void setup() {
    BaseClass bob = new BaseClass(4,5);
    DerivedClass notBob = new DerivedClass(6);
}

class BaseClass{
    protected int myNum;
    public BaseClass() {
        myNum = 3;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
    public BaseClass(int num1, int num2){
        myNum = num1 + num2;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

class DerivedClass extends BaseClass{
    public DerivedClass(int num) {
        myNum = num;
        System.out.println(myNum);
    }
}

```

Practice Quiz Question:
Find 3 lines of output

Hint: `new DerivedClass(6)`
prints 2 lines of output

```
public void setup() {
    SuperClass bob = new SuperClass(5);
    SubClass sue = new SubClass();
    System.out.println(bob.myInt);
    System.out.println(sue.myInt);
    System.out.println(sue.mySecondInt);
}
class SuperClass{
    int myInt;
    SuperClass(int nInt){
        System.out.println("Building a Super");
        myInt = nInt;
    }
}
class SubClass extends SuperClass{
    int mySecondInt;
    SubClass(){
        super(3);
        System.out.println("Building a Sub");
        mySecondInt = 4;
    }
}
```

What is
the
output?

More on **super ()**

- Every time a new instance of a *sub* class is created, we start by building a *super*

```
class SubClass extends  
    SuperClass{...}
```

```
SubClass bob = new SubClass ();
```

More on `super()`

- On the very first line of the **SubClass** constructor, its as if there is an "invisible" call to `super()` ;

```
class SubClass extends SuperClass{  
    public SubClass(){  
        super(); //invisible  
        //lots more java  
    }  
}
```

More on `super()`

- The call is to the default, no argument constructor
- If we want to call a **different version of the constructor**, one with arguments, we need to do it on the **very first line** of the constructor

```
class SubClass extends SuperClass{  
    public SubClass() {  
        super(4) ;//must be first!  
        // any other code after  
    }  
}
```

What happens if a sub class doesn't have a constructor?

- Does it inherit the constructor from the super class?

What happens if a sub class doesn't have a constructor?

- Does it inherit the constructor from the super class?
- NO NO NO!
- Java generates an "invisible" constructor that calls *super()*

```
class SubClass extends SuperClass{  
    public SubClass(){//invisible  
        super();  
    }  
    //lots more Java  
}
```

Every class **extends** **Object**

- In Java, every class has an "invisible" **extends Object**
- **Object** is the ultimate "base" or "super" class for all other objects
- That means, all other classes are “derived” or “sub” classes of **Object**
- This "generic" data type lets us write methods that take any sort of **Object** as an argument

Why Java doesn't allow **super.super**

- You can only "go up one level" with **super**. Java won't let you use **super.super**
- For **someClass** what class would **super** refer to?
- What class would **super.super** refer to?

```
class someClass extends Object //invisible
{
    //code not shown
}
```

What is the output?

```
public void setup()
{
    SubClass bob = new SubClass();
    bob.mystery();
    System.out.println(bob.getInt());
}
class SuperClass
{
    protected int myInt;
    public SuperClass(int nInt) {myInt = nInt;}
    public void mystery(){myInt *= 2;}
    public int getInt(){return myInt;}
}
class SubClass extends SuperClass
{
    public SubClass() {super(2);}
    public void mystery(){
        myInt++;
        super.mystery();
    }
}
```