



Module 8

More on class & OBJECTS(2)

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- **Programming is about managing complexity.**
- **There are two powerful mechanisms, to accomplish this: **decomposition** and **abstraction**.**
- **Decomposition creates structure.**
 - It allows us to break a program into parts that are self-contained.
 - **Functions** are the major facilitator.
- **Abstraction hides details.**
 - It allows us to use a piece of code as if it were a black box. For example, **lists**.
 - **Abstract data types** are the major facilitator.
 - **Class** allows us to create abstract data types of our own.

- Class definitions start with the **class** keyword followed by the name of class and a colon.
- A class often (~99%) consists of instance attributes and instance methods.
- **Instance attributes**
 - Instance attributes: attributes that vary from one object to another.
 - You access these instance attributes inside the class using **self**.
- **Instance methods**
 - The first parameter of instance methods is always **self**.
 - Python has a few magic methods for instance methods (`__init__`, `__str__`, `__repr__`, `__add__`, `__eq__`, ...)
- A class sometimes (~5%) consists of class attributes and class methods.

- Identify the instance attributes, instance methods, class attributes and class methods in the class Dog.

```
class Dog:
    species = "Canis familiaris"
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name
        self.age = age
    # An instance method
    def speak(self, sound):
        return f"{self.name} says {sound}"
    # Replace description() with __str__()
    def __str__(self):
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Review

(Exercise) Who is Who?

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- Instance attributes: self.name, self.age
- Instance methods: __init__, speak, __str__
- Class attribute: species
- Class method: N/A

Live exercise

Review

Exercise1: Sorted List

- Define a `Sorted_list` class that implements some behavior of sorting lists as specified by the client codes.

```
[2]: a = Sorted_list([5, 4, 3])
```

```
[3]: a
```

```
[3]: Sorted_list: [3, 4, 5]
```

```
[4]: b = Sorted_list([6, 2, 3])
```

```
[5]: b
```

```
[5]: Sorted_list: [2, 3, 6]
```

```
[6]: c = a + b  
c
```

```
[6]: Sorted_list: [2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6]
```

```
[7]: d = a + b + c  
d
```

```
[7]: Sorted_list: [2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6]
```

```
[8]: print(c)
```

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[2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6]
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Review Exercise1: Sorted List (Ans)

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      def __repr__(self):
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      def __str__(self):
          return f'{self.slst}'
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Sorted_List.ipynb

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Sorted_List.ipynb

Review

- Class Creator

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- Class User (Client)

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Exercise2: Point and Circle

- (1) Create a class `Point` in the first cell that represents an (x, y) coordinate pair. Include `__init__` and `__repr__` methods and a `move` method. The `move` method receives a `Point` object to set a new location.
- (2) Create a class `Circle` in the second cell that has its attribute `radius` and `point` (a `Point` object that represents the `Circle`'s center location). Include `__init__` and `__repr__` methods and a `move` method. The `move` method receives a `Point` object and set the center to the new location by calling `Point`'s `move` method.

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      """Point class for maintaining an x-y location."""
      def __init__(self, x, y):
          """Initialize a Point object."""
          self.x = x
          self.y = y
      def __repr__(self):
          return f'Point(x={self.x}, y={self.y})'

      def move(self, p):
          self.x = p.x
          self.y = p.y
```

```
[3]: p = Point(2, 5)
```

```
[4]: p
```

```
[4]: Point(x=2, y=5)
```

```
[5]: p.move(Point(10,10))
```

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[7]: circle = Circle(p, 25)
```

```
[8]: circle
```

```
[8]: Circle(center=Point(x=10, y=10), radius=25)
```

```
[9]: circle.move(Point(-10, 20))
```

```
[10]: circle
```

```
[10]: Circle(center=Point(x=-10, y=20), radius=25)
```

Exercise2: Point and Circle (Ans)

```
[2]: class Circle:
      """Circle class for maintaining a point and radius."""

      def __init__(self, point, radius):
          """Initialize a Point object."""
          self.point = point
          self.radius = radius

      def __repr__(self):
          return f'Circle(center={self.point}, radius={self.radius})'

      def move(self, new_location):
          self.point.move(new_location)
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Circle_Point.ipynb

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Putting Classes in Modules

- A well-defined class or set of classes provides useful abstractions that can be leveraged in many different programs.
- Modularizing classes in python follow what we have learned from functions

Storing Functions in Modules

- Module is a file that contains Python code
 - Contains function definition but does not contain calls to the functions
 - Importing programs will call the functions
- Rules for module names:
 - File name should end in `.py`
 - Cannot be the same as a Python keyword
- Import module using `import` statement

Example: write your own modules for functions

```
1 # The circle module has functions that perform
2 # calculations related to circles.
3 import math
4
5 # The area function accepts a circle's radius as an
6 # argument and returns the area of the circle.
7 def area(radius):
8     return math.pi * radius**2
9
10 # The circumference function accepts a circle's
11 # radius and returns the circle's circumference.
12 def circumference(radius):
13     return 2 * math.pi * radius
```

```
[1]: import circle
```

```
[2]: radius = float(input('Enter radius:'))
    my_area = circle.area(radius)
    my_circum = circle.circumference(radius)
    print('The area is:', format(my_area, '.4f'))
    print('The circumference is:', format(my_circum, '.4f'))
```

```
Enter radius: 10
The area is: 314.1593
The circumference is: 62.8319
```

circle.py

Example: write your own modules for functions

```
1 class Dog:
2     species = "Canis familiaris"
3     def __init__(self, name, age):
4         self.name = name
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6     # Instance method
7     def speak(self, sound):
8         return f"{self.name} says {sound}"
9     # Replace description with __str__
10    def __str__(self):
11        return f"{self.name} is {self.age} years old"
```

```
[1]: from dog import Dog
```

```
[2]: miles = Dog("Miles", 4)
```

```
[3]: print(miles)
```

```
Miles is 4 years old
```

Dog.py

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- You first write your class definition **in a separate .py file**. In this case dog.py and you have the dog module.
- [1] You can now import the Dog class from the dog module.
- [2] – [3] You can now use the Dog class as usual.

Example: Number Class Using Magic Methods

- Create a `foo` module and implement a `Number` class that supports the operators specified by the client codes.

```
[1]: from foo import Number
[2]: a = Number(20)
[3]: a
[3]: Number: 20
[4]: b = Number(10)
[5]: b
[5]: Number: 10
[6]: c = Number(5)
[7]: print(a + b)
30
[8]: print(a + b + c)
35
```

Example: Number Class Using Magic Methods (Ans)

- Create a `foo` module and implement a `Number` class that supports the operators specified by the client codes.

```
1 class Number:
2     def __init__(self, num):
3         self.num = num
4     def __add__(self, other):
5         return Number(self.num + other.num)
6     def __repr__(self):
7         return f'Number: {self.num}'
8     def __str__(self):
9         return f'{self.num}'
```

foo.py

L2_Number_Client.ipynb

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```

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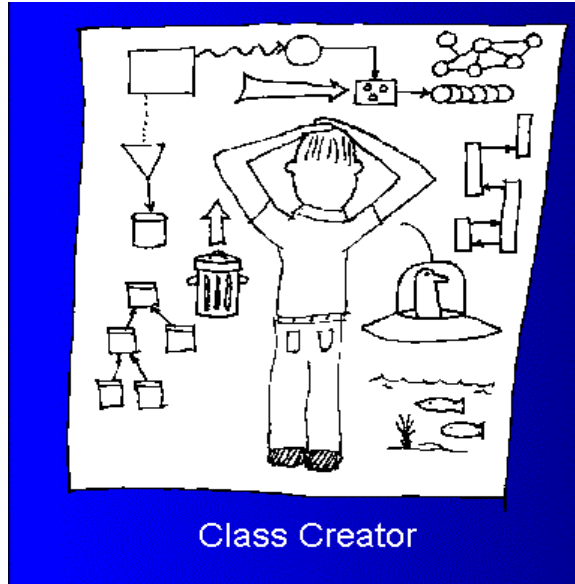
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Object-Oriented Design



The essence of object-oriented design is describing a system in terms of **a set of cooperating classes** and their interfaces. Each class provides a set of services through its interface. Other components are users or clients of the services.

Guidelines for Object-Oriented Design

- 1. Look for object candidates.**
- 2. Identify instance variables.**
- 3. Think about interfaces.**
- 4. Refine nontrivial methods.**
- 5. Design iteratively.**
- 6. Try out alternatives.**
- 7. Keep it simple.**

- Like all design, object-oriented design is part art and part science
- The best way to learn about design is to do it. The more you design, the better you will get.

Example A Dice Poker app

- **A user interface (UI)**
 - Display current result (i.e. hands, money and so on)
 - Stay or leave the game
- **Dice**
 - Roll (randomly)
 - Compute scores
- **A Poker app**
 - Control the logic

hand	pay
Two Pairs	\$ 5
Three of a Kind	\$ 8
Full House (A Pair and a Three of a Kind)	\$ 12
Four of a Kind	\$ 15
Straight (1–5 or 2–6)	\$ 20
Five of a Kind	\$ 30

Object-Oriented Design



Summary

- This module covered:
 - The important mechanisms of class.
 - Putting classes into modules for reuse in other client codes.
 - Guidelines and a case study for object-oriented design.

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