CSE201: Advanced Programming

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This lecture is to help you in avoiding situations like this...

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OOP: Classes and Objects

What is OOP?



It is a programming paradigm based on the concept of "objects", which may contain data in the form of fields, often known as attributes; and code, in the form of procedures, often known as methods (Wikipedia)

Encapsulation

- An encapsulated object can be thought of as a *black* box -- its inner workings are hidden from the client
- The client invokes the interface methods of the object, which manages the instance data



Procedural v/s OOP



Classes

A class can contain data declarations and method declarations



Object Instances

• We can depict the two objects of Dice class as follows:



Each object maintains its own faceValue and numFaces variable, and thus its own state

Identifying Classes and Methods

For accessing an online email account, the customer will first click the login button on the home page of the email account. This will display the login page of email account. Once the customer gets directed to the login page, he will enter his user id and password, and then click OK button. The email account will first validate the customer credentials and then grant access to his email account.

Classes	Methods
Customer	clickLogin
HomePage	display
LoginPage	enterCredentials
EmailAccount	clickOK
	validate

- Classes
 - Class represents a group of objects with similar behaviors
 - Look for nouns
- Methods
 - \circ Verbs

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Sequence Diagram: Tracing Object Methods and Interactions



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Class Relationships

Class Relationships

- When writing a program, need to keep in mind "big picture"—how are different classes related to each other?
- Most common class relationships
 - \circ Association
 - Composition
 - Dependency
 - o Inheritance

Association Relationship

- Class A and class B are associated if A "knows about" B, but A does not contains (instantiate) object of B
 - But this is not symmetrical! B need not know about A
- Class A holds a class level reference to class B
- Lifetime?
 - Objects of class A and B have their own lifetime, i.e., they can exist without each other



```
class Project {
   private String name;
   public boolean status() { ... }
   . . . . .
   Contractor's project keep changing
//
class Contractor {
   private Project currentProject;
   public Contractor(Project proj) {
     this.currentProject = proj;
   }
   public void setProject(Project proj){
     this.currentProject = proj;
   }
}
```

Composition Relationship

- Class A contains object of class B
 - o A instantiate B
 - But this is not symmetrical! B need not contain/knowabout A
- Lifetime?
 - o The death relationship
 - Garbage collection of A means B also gets garbage collected



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```
class Project {
   private String name;
   public boolean status() { ... }
   ....
}
// Contractor has a fixed project
class Contractor {
   private Project project;
   public Contractor() {
     this.project = new Project("ABC");
   }
   public boolean projectCompleted() {
     return project.status();
   }
}
```

Dependency Relationship

- Neither class A or class B contains or know-about each other
- Class A depends on class B if A cannot carry out its work without B
 - Need not be symmetrical! B doesn't depends on A
- Created when class A receives a reference to another class B as part of a particular operation or method



```
class Product {
   private double price;
   .....
   public double getPrice() { ..... }
}
class Cart {
   private double cartPrice;
   public void addProduct(Product p) {
      cartPrice += p.getPrice();
   }
}
```

Interfaces and Polymorphism



Declaring an Interface

public interface Transporter { public void move(); } Implementing an Interface public class Car implements Transporter { public Car() { //code elided public void drive(){ //code elided @Override public void move() this.drive(); this.brake(); this.drive(); //more methods elided

Interfaces

- Group similar capabilities/function of different classes together
- Interfaces can only declare methods not define them
- Interfaces are contracts that classes agree to
 - If classes choose to implement given interface, it must define all methods declared in interface
 - if classes don't implement one of interface's methods, the compiler raises error

@Override is an annotation – a signal to the compiler (and to anyone reading your code)

Interface and Polymorphism

```
public class App {
    public App() {
        Race r = new Race();
        r.startRace();
    }
}
public class Race {
    private Racer _dan, _sophia;
```

```
public Race(){
    __dan = new Racer();
    __sophia = new Racer();
}
public void startRace() {
    __dan.useTransportation(new Car());
    __sophia.useTransportation(new Bike());
}
```

```
public interface Transporter {
    public void move();
}
```

```
public class Racer {
   public Racer() {}
   public void useTransportation(Transporter transport){
       transport.move();
   }
}
public class Car implements Transporter {
   public Car() {}
   public void drive() {
      //code elided
   public void move() {
       this.drive();
}
public class Bike implements Transporter {
   public Bike() {}
   public void pedal() {
       //code elided
   }
   public void move() {
       this.pedal();
   }
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```

Inheritance and Polymorphism

Inheritance

- In OOP, inheritance is a way of modeling very similar classes
- Superclass/parent/base: A class that is inherited from
- Subclass/child/derived: A class that inherits from another
- A subclass inherits all of its parent's public and protected capabilities
- Inheritance and Interfaces both legislate class's behavior, although in very different ways
 - Interfaces allow the compiler to enforce method implementation
 - An implementing class will have all capabilities outlined in an interface
 - Inheritance assures the compiler that all subclasses of a superclass will have the superclass's public/protected capabilities without having to respecify code – methods are inherited







Method resolution

Abstract Class

- We declare a method abstract in a superclass when the subclasses can't really re-use any implementation the superclass might provide
- Any class having an abstract method is an abstract class and is denoted using abstract keyword
- Abstract classes cannot be instantiated but its constructor must still be invoked via super() by a subclass
- Subclass at any level in inheritance hierarchy can make abstract method concrete by providing implementation
- Abstract class v/s interfaces
 - Can define instance variables unlike interfaces
 - Can define a mix of concrete and abstract methods, unlike interfaces where you cannot have any concrete method
 - You can only inherit from one class whereas you can implement multiple interfaces

Abstract Class and Methods

```
public class Convertible extends Car{
    @Override
    public void loadPassengers() {
        Passenger p1 = new Passenger();
        p1.sit();
    }
}
```

```
public class Sedan extends Car{
  @Override
  public void loadPassengers() {
     Passenger p1 = new Passenger();
     p1.sit();
     Passenger p2 = new Passenger();
     p2.sit();
  }
}
```

```
public class Van extends Car{
    @Override
    public void loadPassengers(){
        Passenger p1 = new Passenger();
        p1.sit();
        Passenger p2 = new Passenger();
        p2.sit();
        Passenger p3 = new Passenger();
        p3.sit();
    }
}
```

```
    All concrete subclasses of Car
override by providing a concrete
implementation for Car's abstract
loadPassengers() method
```

 As usual, method signature must match the one that Car declared

Making a Class Immutable

- 1. Don't provide any methods that modify the object's state.
- 2. Make all fields private. (ensure encapsulation)
- 3. Make all fields final.
- 4. Ensure exclusive access to any mutable object fields.
 - Don't let a client get a reference to a field that is a mutable object (don't allow any mutable representation exposure.)
- 5. Ensure that the class cannot be *extended*.



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Object Comparison and Copying

The Class Object

- The class Object forms the root of the overall inheritance tree of all Java classes.
 Every class is implicitly a subclass of Object
 No need to explicitly say "extends Object"
- The Object class defines several methods that become part of every class you write. For example:
 - public String toString()
 Returns a text representation of the object, usually so that it can be printed.



The equals Method in Object Class

```
1. public class Point {
2.
      private int x, y;
3.
      public Point(int x, int y) { ... }
4.
      @Override
5.
       public boolean equals(Object o1) {
6.
          if(o1 != null && getClass() == o1.getClass()) {
7.
            Point o = (Point) o1; //type casting
8.
            return (x==0.x && y==0.y);
9.
          }
10.
          else {
11.
            return false;
12.
13.
14.
15.
    // subclass of Point
    class Point3D extends Point {
16.
17.
        private int z;
        public Point3D(int _z) { ... }
18.
19.
        @Override
        public boolean equals(Object o1) {
20.
8.
          if(o1 != null && getClass() == o1.getClass()) {
            Point3D o = (Point3D) o1; //type casting
9.
8.
            return (super.equals(o1) && z==0.z);
9.
          }
10.
          else {
11.
            return false;
12.
13.
14.
```

- getClass returns information about the type of an object
 - Stricter than instanceof; subclasses return different results
- getClass should be used when implementing equals
 - Instead of instanceof to check for same type, use getClass
 - This will eliminate subclasses from being considered for equality
 - Caution: Must check for null before calling getClass 28

```
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```

Comparable Example

```
public class Rectangle implements Comparable<Rectangle> {
    private int sideA, sideB, area;
    public Rectangle (int _a, int _b) { ... }
    @Override
    public int compareTo(Rectangle o) {
        if(area == 0.area) return 0;
        else if(area < 0.area) return -1;
        else return 1;
    }
}</pre>
```

- In this Rectangle class, the compareTo method compares the Rectangle objects as per their area
- You can choose your own comparison algorithm!

Comparator Example

public class RectangleAreaComparator

```
implements Comparator<Rectangle> {
```

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@Override

```
public int compare(Rectangle r1, Rectangle r2) {
```

```
return r1.getArea() - r2.getArea();
```

}

}

}

}

```
} else {
```

return r1.getSideB() - r2.getSideB();
}

- Using Comparators, two objects could be compared in different possible ways
- For creating different comparison, implement different objects of Comparator type

Object Clonning

 Copying the list of transactions (and any other modifiable reference fields) produces a deep copy that is independent of the original.

Generics and Collection Framwork

Generic Programming



Cup<

- Our generic cup can hold different types of liquid
- In the notation Cup<T>:
 - \circ T = Coffee
 - **T = Tea**
 - \circ T = Milk
 - \circ T = Soup
 - 0

Cup == Generic Container



Generic Programming

```
public class Pair <T1, T2> {
    private T1 key;
    private T2 value;
    public Pair(T1 _k, T2 _v) {
        key = _k; value = _v;
     }
    public T1 getKey() { return key; }
    public T2 getValue() { return value; }
}
```

• This is usage of a generic class with multiple fields

Restrictions

- Type parameters cannot be instantiated with primate types
- Instantiating type variables is not allowed
- Generic array creation is not allowed
- Type variables are not valid as static field of a generic class
- Generic does not supports sub typing



Java Collection Framework

- A collection (sometimes called a container) is simply an object that groups multiple elements into a single unit
 - Iterator interface provides access to the content of a collection
 - Collection interface defines fundamental methods that are enough to define the basic behavior of a collection
 - Lists are like resizable arrays
 - ArrayList and LinkedList
 - Set interface methods are same as Collection interface but it does not allow duplicates
 - HashSet and TreeSet
 - Maps keep unique <key, value> pairs
 - HashMap and TreeMap 35

Exception Handling

Basic Exception Handling

- Exception handling
 - To catch runtime errors
 - **try / catch / finally** block to exception handling
 - try/catch blocks could be nested
 - Single **try** could have multiple **catch** blocks
 - Methods can throw exceptions

```
public class Andy {
    public void drinkWater() {
        try {
            getWater();
        catch(NullPointerException e) {
            System.out.println(e.getMessage());
    public void getWater() {
        try {
            water = wendy.getADrink();
            int volume = water.getVolume();
        catch(NullPointerException e) {
            this.fire( wendy);
            System.out.println("Wendy is fired!");
            throw new NullPointerException("NO Water");
        }
    }
}
```

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Advanced Exception Handling

- Exceptions are classes that extends Throwable
 - Checked exceptions
 - Those that **must** be handled somehow (e.g., IOException)
 - **o** Unchecked exceptions
 - Those whose handling isn't mandatory (e.g., RuntimeExceptions)
 - You should **not** attempt to handle exceptions from subclass of Error
- Golden rules for using "throws" in method declaration
 - Any method that calls another method capable of generating checked exceptions, then the caller method must either try/catch the exception or declare the list of those checked exceptions using "throws" statement
 - In inheritance, if an overridden method in child class throws checked exceptions, then declaration of this method in parent should also declare those checked exceptions using throws

All the best for your exam !!

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