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Object Oriented Programming

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Traditional Perspective

- The traditional perspective in software development had adopted is algorithm perspective.
- In this view, the main software building block are procedures or functions

Object oriented Approach

The main structural components of all systems are:

- Objects
- Class Objects

Main Concepts

- Classes,
- Objects, and
- Instances

Object

- Objects represent an entity and the basic building block.
- Object is something that takes up space in the real or conceptual world with which somebody may do things (Booch et al . 1999)
- The objects have :
 - Name (or ID)
 - state
 - Operations (or behavior)

Object

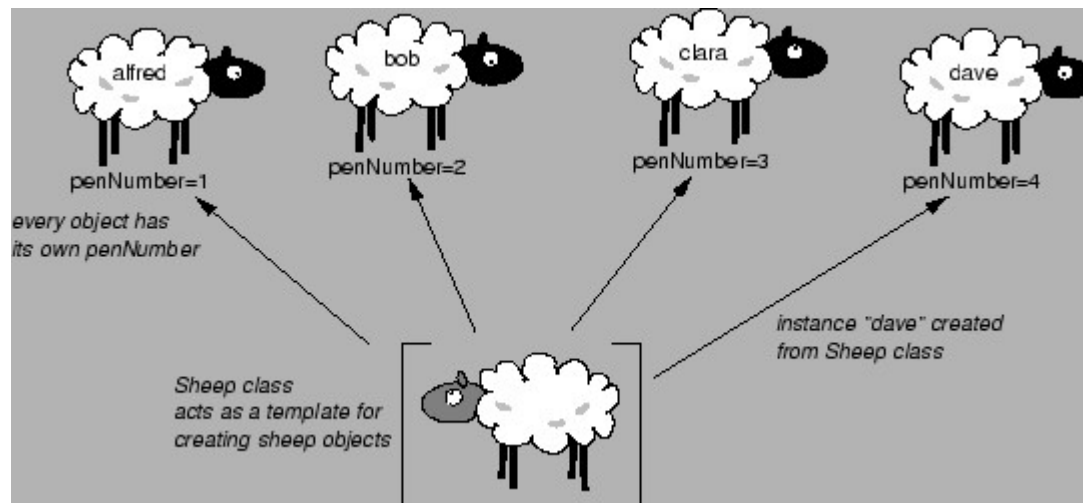
- Name (ID) - The entire object must have a name that will differentiate from other objects in a context (eg my calculator)
- State - An object has state, which involves the object's properties together with the values of these properties (eg connected calculator)
- Operations (behavior) - can do something with the object or the object can do something with another object (eg calculator does sums)

Class

- A class is the description of a set of objects that share the same attributes, operations, relationships and semantics. (Eg calculators).
- Class is the blue print of an object.

Instance

- An object is an instance of a class.
- It is a concrete manifestation of an abstraction . (Eg " my calculator" is an instance of the class "calculating machines ") .



Main characteristics of the approach

- The object oriented approach has as main characteristics:
 - encapsulation
 - abstraction
 - inheritance
 - polymorphism

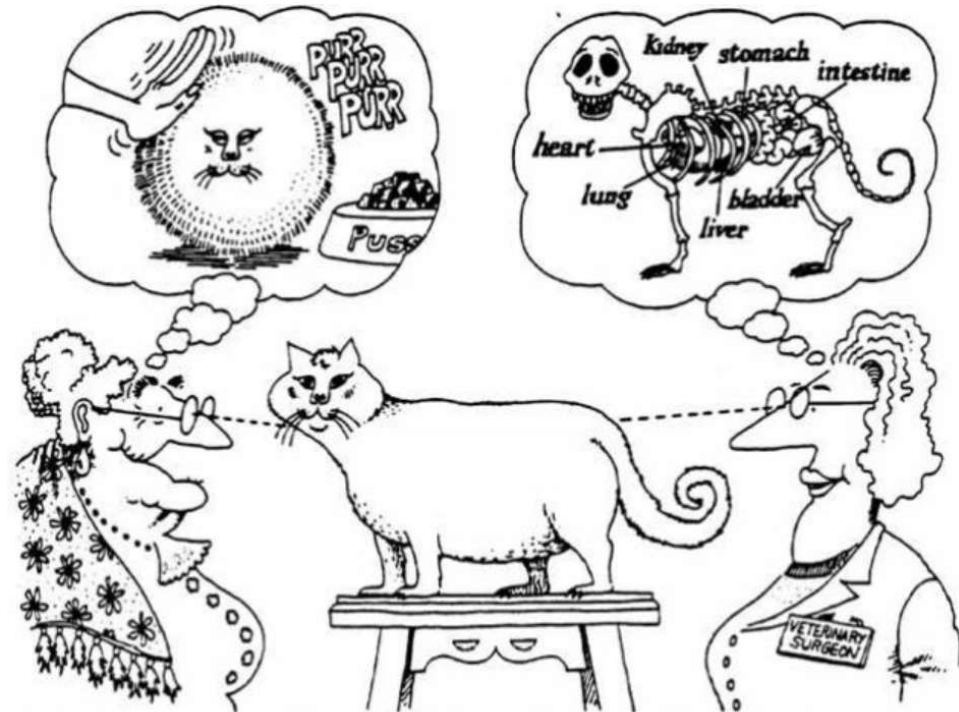
Abstraction

- Abstraction is a principle which consists of ignoring the aspects of a subject that is not relevant for the present purpose, in order to concentrate on in those aspects that are really relevant .



Abstraction

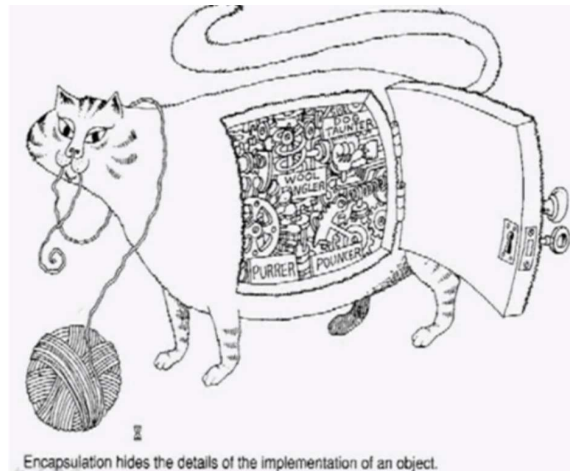
- Abstraction is the concise representation of a more complex object, focusing on the essential characteristics of the object .
- Good abstraction:
 - Appropriate (If there is a real need can be satisfied)
 - appropriate level



Abstraction focuses upon the essential characteristics of some object, relative to the perspective of the viewer.

Encapsulation

- Encapsulation is the mechanism of hiding the implementation of the object, so that other system components do not have access to what is happening inside the object.

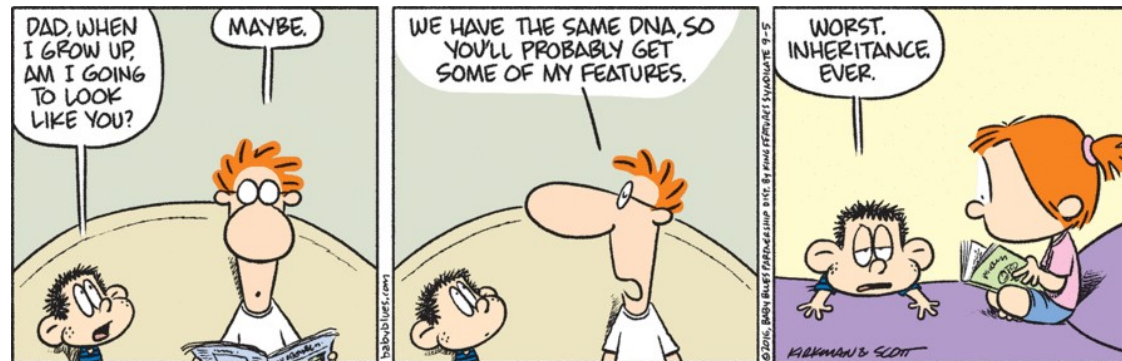


Encapsulation

- This concept is associated with modularity , consisting in decomposing a system in a cohesive set of connected modules.
- Encapsulation is the mechanism of binding the data together and hiding them from outside world.
- Objects interact by message.

Inheritance

- Inheritance is a mechanism that allows an object to incorporate all or part of the definitions of another object as part of itself (eg " doctor " and " optometrist ").
- Inheritance is the mechanism of making new classes from existing one.



Polymorphism

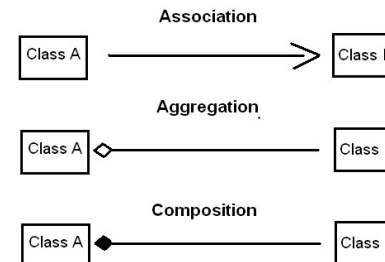
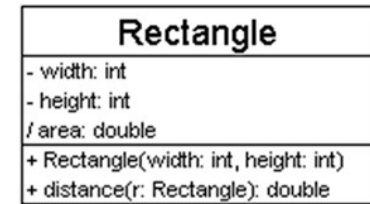
- The word polymorphism means having many forms. In programming, polymorphism means same function name (but different signatures) being used for different types.

Class Diagrams

- Diagrams that allow analyst
 - to specify the static structure of a system
 - according to the object-oriented approach .
- Used to describe the class model

Class Diagrams

- Elements of a class diagram :
 - Classes
 - Relations between classes
 - Associations
 - Compositions
 - Aggregations
 - Generalizations



Classe

ID Class (Class Name)

Campaign
code description annual Cost expected cost
pay() do Budget()

- Refers to specific objects, but the must abstract
- Nouns associated with the textual description of a problem
- Choose carefully the names
- using singular

Attributes

- Values that characterize the objects of a class
- Types : Real, Integer , Text, Boolean , Enumerated , ...

Operations

- Behaviors of the class (service, method)

Relationship

- A relationship UML establishes the connection between elements
- A relationship is graphically represented by a given type of line.
- In object-oriented modeling the three most important types of relationships are:
 - Associations
 - Generalizations
 - Dependencies

Dependency

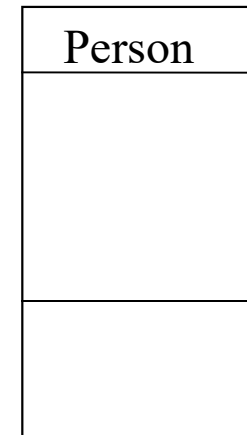
- A relationship of dependence, or simply dependence indicates that the change in the specification of an element can affect another element that uses it , but not necessarily the opposite.



Now let's go to Python...

Class

```
class Person:  
    pass # An empty block  
  
p = Person()  
print(p)
```



Result:

```
<__main__.Person object at 0x0000021D9EED60F0>
```

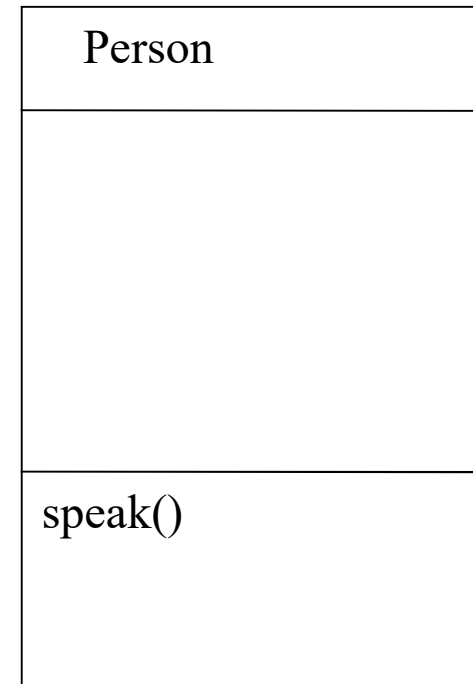
Method

- define class with method

```
# class Person:  
    def speak(self):  
        print('Hello, how are you?')
```

- create object and call method

```
p = Person()  
p.speak()
```



init method

- The first method **init()** is a special method,
- It is called class constructor or initialization
- Is a method that Python calls when you create a new instance of this class.

init method

```
class Person:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name

    def speak(self):
        print('Hello, my name is', self.name)

p = Person('Carlos')
p.speak()
```

Person
<code>__init__()</code> <code>speak()</code>

self

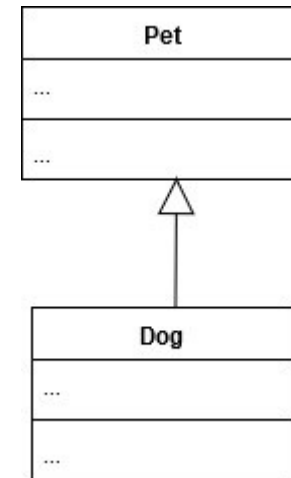
- The first argument of every class method, including `init`, is always a reference to the current instance of the class.
- By convention, this argument is always named `self`.
- In the `init` method, `self` refers to the newly created object;
- in other class methods, it refers to the instance whose method was called.

Class Pet

```
class Pet(object):  
    def __init__(self, name, species):  
        self.name = name  
        self.species = species  
  
    def getName(self):  
        return self.name  
  
    def getSpecies(self):  
        return self.species  
  
    def __str__(self):  
        return "%s is a %s" % (self.name, self.species)
```

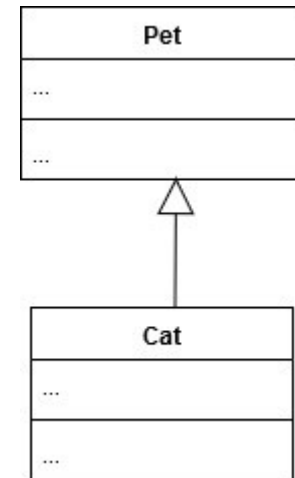
Inheritance

```
class Dog(Pet):  
  
    def __init__(self, name, chases_cats):  
        Pet.__init__(self, name, "Dog")  
        self.chases_cats = chases_cats  
  
    def chasesCats(self):  
        return self.chases_cats
```



Inheritance

```
class Cat(Pet):  
    def __init__(self, name, hates_dogs):  
        Pet.__init__(self, name, "Cat")  
        self.hates_dogs = hates_dogs  
  
    def hatesDogs(self):  
        return self.hates_dogs
```



```
myPet = Pet("Boby", "Dog")
myDog = Dog("Boby", True)
isinstance(myDog, Pet)
isinstance(myDog, Dog)
isinstance(myPet, Pet)
isinstance(myPet, Dog)
```

Access Modifiers

- Classical object-oriented languages, such as C++ and Java, control the access to class resources by public, private and protected keywords
- The access modifiers in Python are used to modify the default scope of variables.
- There are three types of access modifiers in Python: public, private, and protected.

Private

- Private members of a class are denied access from the environment outside the class.
- They can be handled only from within the class.

```
class Person:
```

```
    def __init__(self, name, age):
```

```
        self.__name=name
```

```
        self.__age=age
```

```
p=Person("David",23)
```

```
p.__name
```

Public

- Public members (e.g. methods declared in a class) are accessible from outside the class.
- The object of the same class is required to invoke a public method.
- This arrangement of private instance variables and public methods ensures the principle of data encapsulation.

Public

```
class Person:  
    def __init__(self, name, age):  
        self.name=name  
        self.age=age
```

```
p=Person("David",23)
```

```
p.name
```

Protected

- Protected members of a class are accessible from within the class and are also available to its sub-classes.
- No other environment is permitted access to it.
- This enables specific resources of the parent class to be inherited by the child class.

Protected

```
class Person:  
    def __init__(self, name, age):  
        self._name=name  
        self._age=age
```

```
p=Person("David",23)
```

```
p.name
```

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