

Objects, UML, and Java

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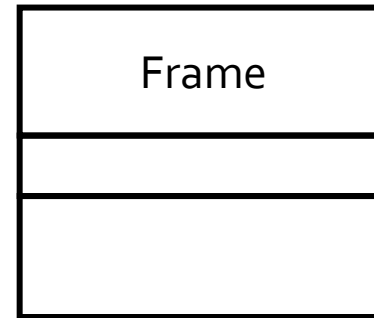
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Java and UML Class

- ```
public class Frame { // version 0
 // represent a 'window'
 /* body of class definition goes here */
}
```



UML class notation



# Encapsulation

- Class:
  - Access control for attributes and methods
    - E.g., public or private
  - Access is not the same as visibility
  - “Design by contract”
    - Public interface represents a contract between the developer who implements the class and the developer who uses the class

# Java Class

- ```
public class Frame { // version 1
    // private implementation

    private datatype variablename;

    // public interface

    public Frame( arguments ) {
        // implementation of constructor
    }

    public returntype methodname( arguments ) {
        // implementation of method
    }
}
```

Java Class

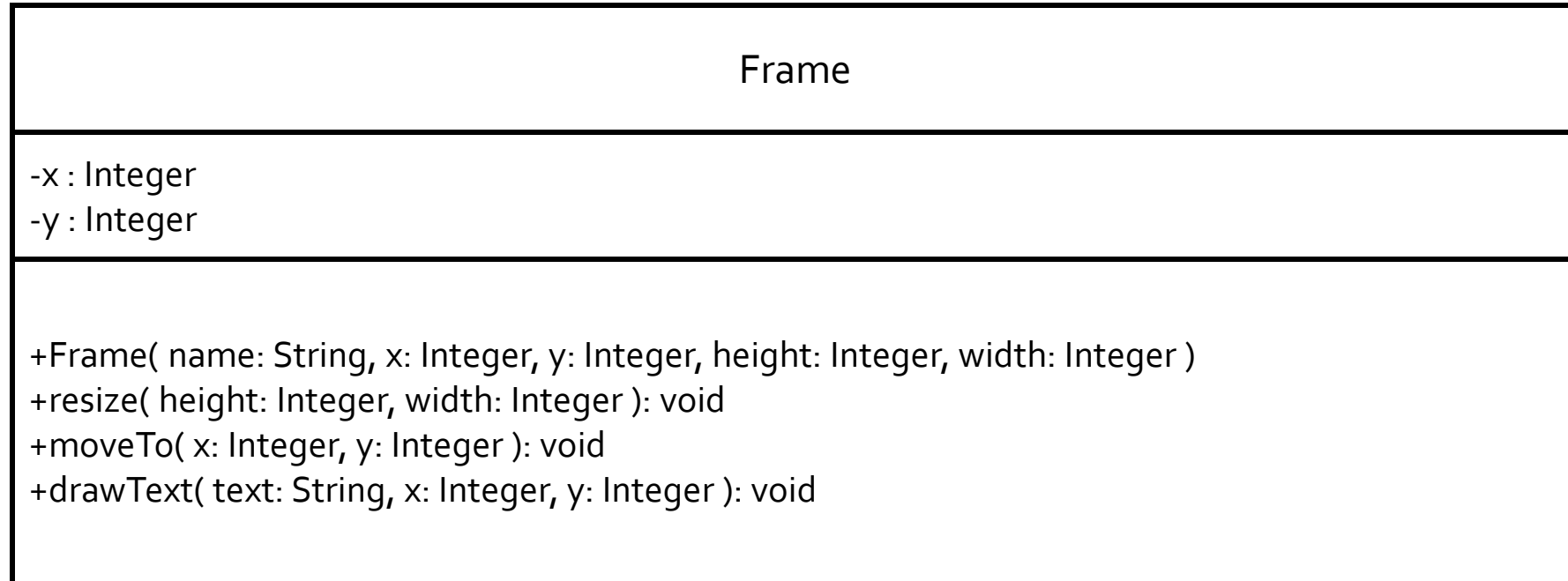
- ```
public class Frame { // version 2
 private int x;
 private int y;
 ...
 public Frame (String name,
 int x, int y, int height, int width) { ... }

 public void resize(
 int newHeight, int newWidth) { ... }

 public void moveTo(
 int newX, int newY) { ... }

 public void drawText(String text,
 int x, int y) { ... }
}
```
- ```
Frame f = new Frame( "Untitled", 0, 0, 480, 640 );
```

UML Class

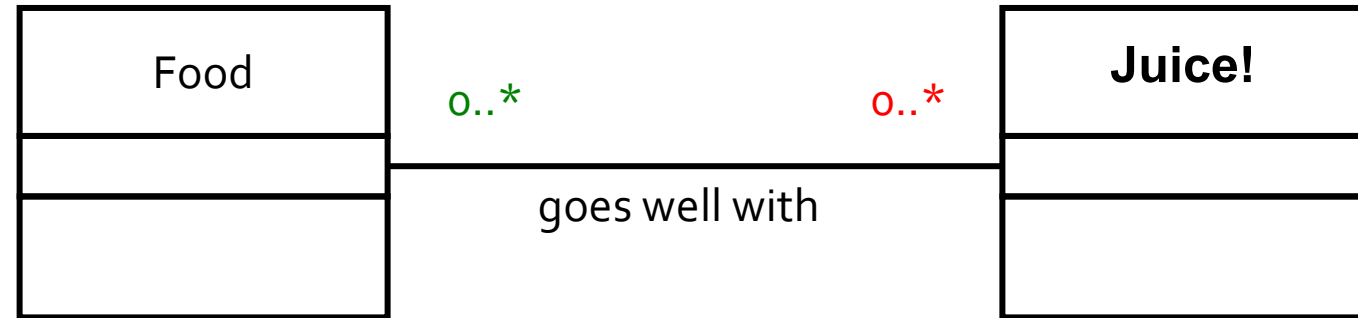


- Private
+ Public

Decomposition

- Association relationship:
 - “Some” relationship between classes
 - E.g., between Book and Patron

UML Association



- Read class diagram using “objects”
 - A *Food object* goes well with a *Juice object*
 - A *Food object* is associated with **0 or more** *Juice objects*
 - A *Juice object* is associated with **0 or more** *Food objects*

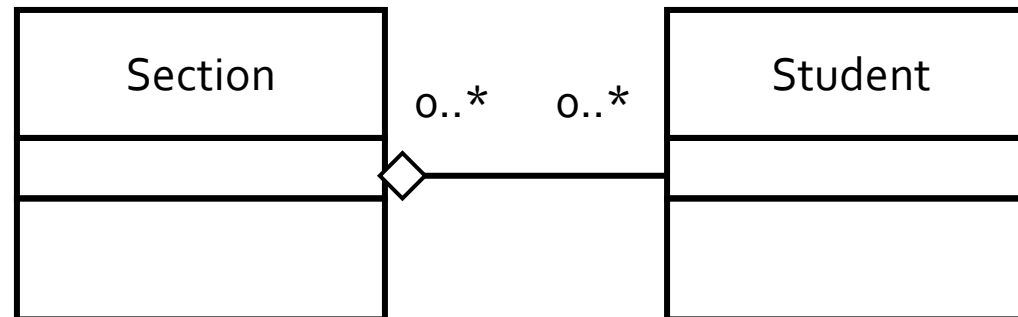
Decomposition

- Aggregation relationship:
 - Weak “has-a” relationship
 - Whole “has-a” part
 - A part may belong to (be shared with) other wholes
 - E.g., a Section and a Student

Java and UML Aggregation

- Dynamic number of aggregated objects:

```
public class Section {  
    private ArrayList<Student> roster;  
    ...  
  
    public Section() {  
        roster = new ArrayList<Student>();  
        ...  
    }  
    public void add( Student s ) { ... }  
}
```



Java and UML Aggregation

- Fixed number of aggregated objects:

```
public class Frame {  
  
    private Location defaultLocation; // shared  
    private Size defaultSize; // shared  
    ...  
}
```

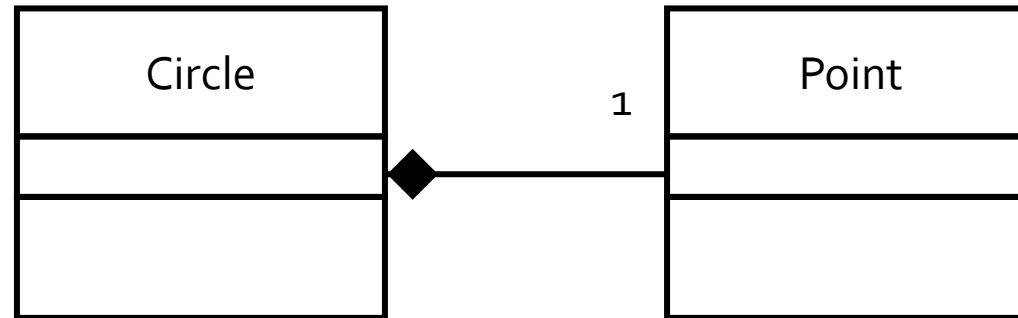


Decomposition

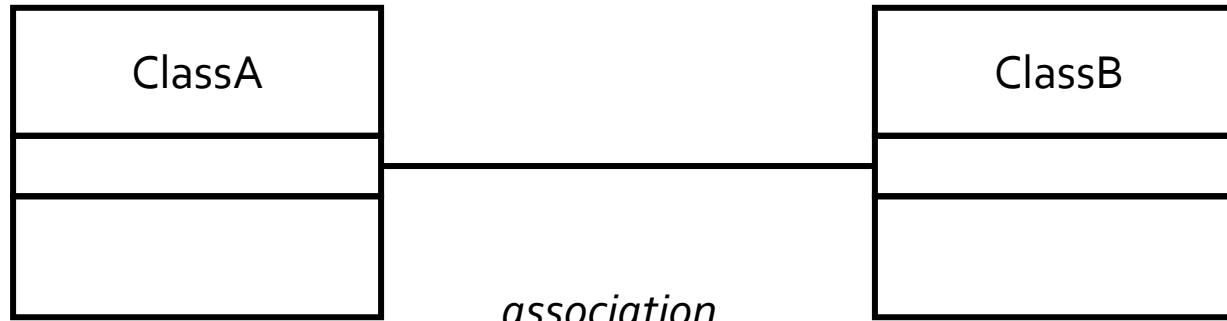
- Composition relationship:
 - Strong “has-a” relationship
 - Exclusive containment of parts
 - Related object lifetimes
 - The whole cannot exist without having the parts; if the whole is destroyed, the parts should also be destroyed
 - Often access the parts through the whole

UML Composition

- Contained *objects* are exclusive to the container



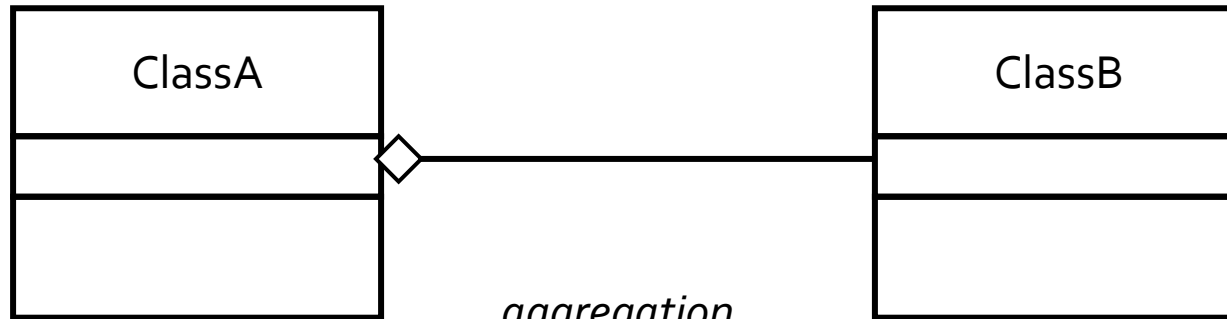
- A Circle object has a Point object that is exclusive to it (however, other objects may contain Point objects, just not this one)



association

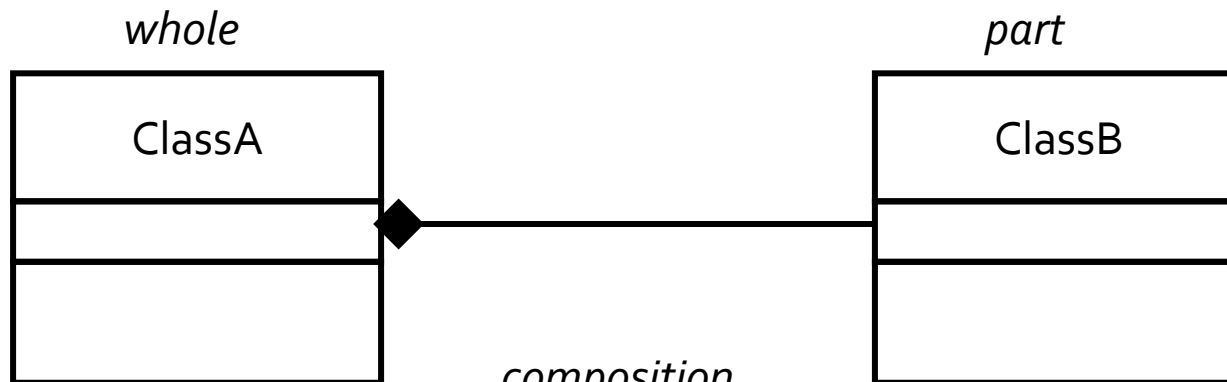
whole

part



aggregation

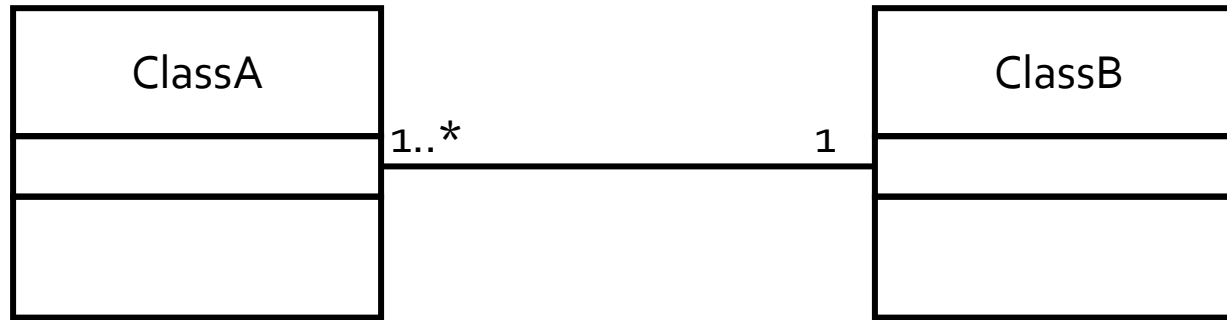
ClassA and ClassB can created/destroyed independently



composition

If ClassA instance is deleted, all of its ClassB instances get deleted too

Navigability

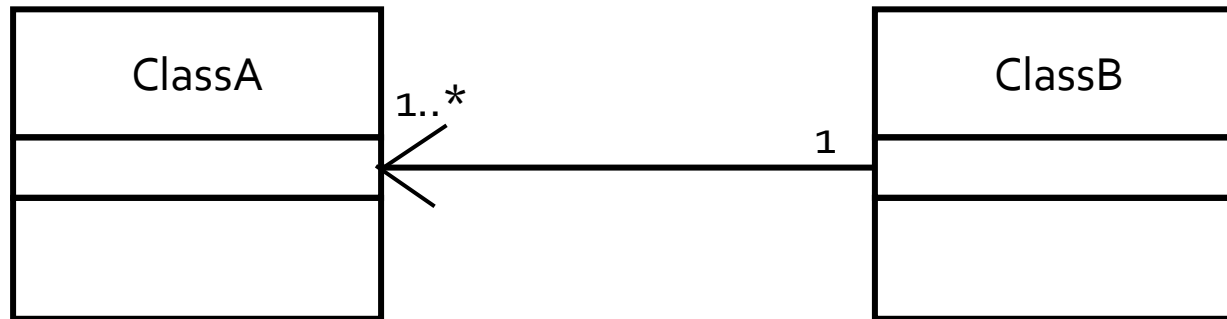


Missing navigability

Usually implies:

A instances have references to one B

B instances have references to one or more A

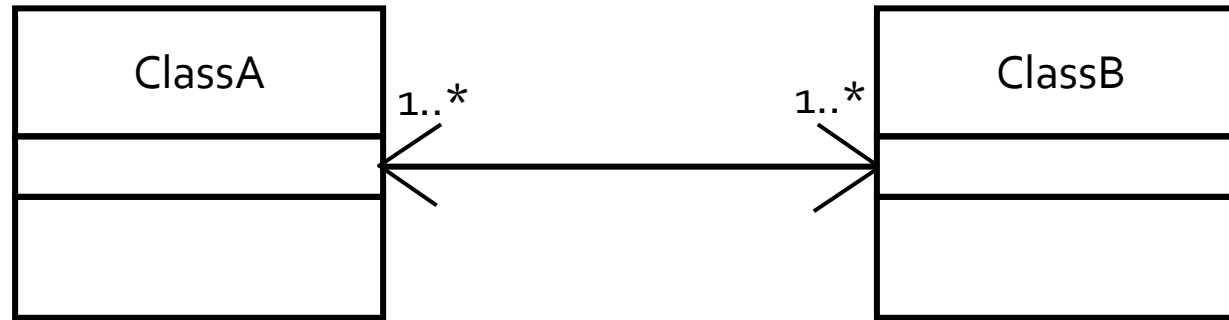


Navigability

← Arrow

B instances have references to one or more A

A instances DO NOT have reference(s) to B



Explicit two-way navigability

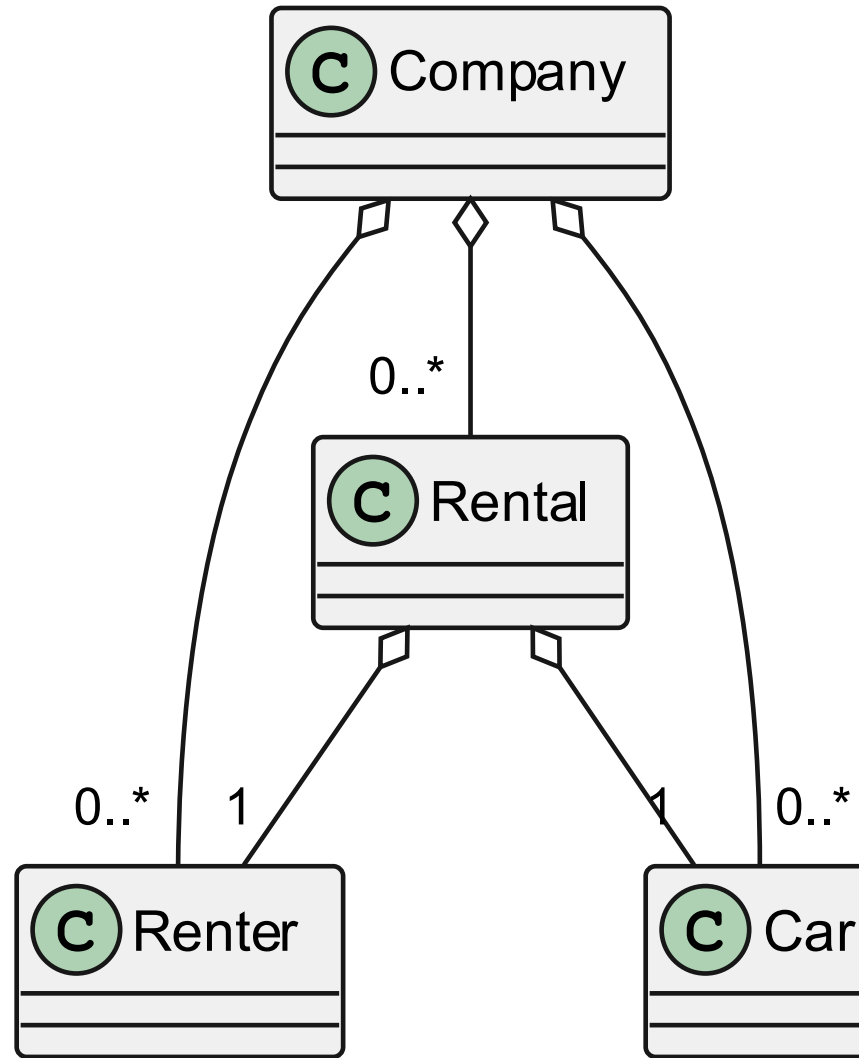
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A instances have references to one or more B

B instances have references to one or more A

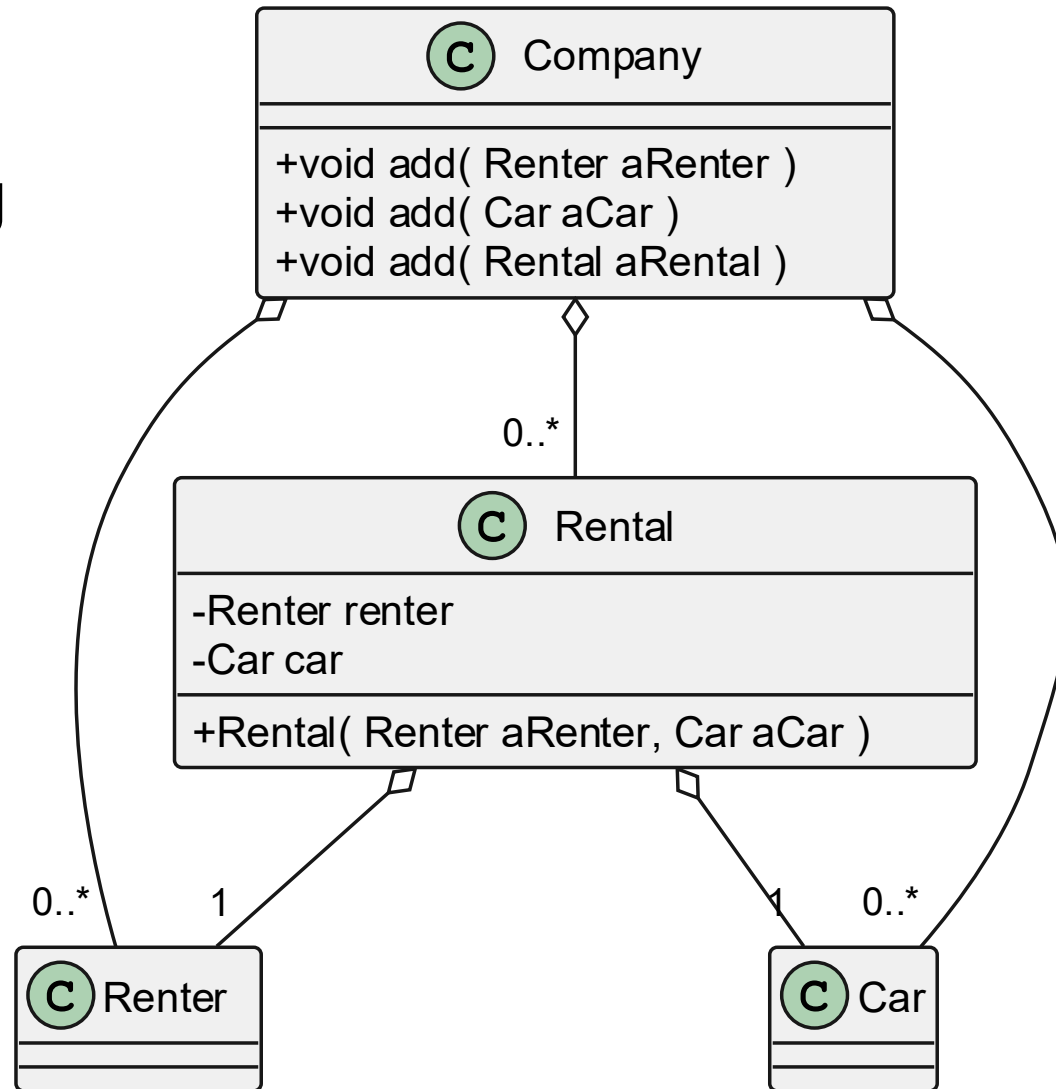
Exercise

- Analyze a UML class model for a car rental company that keeps track of cars, renters, and renters renting cars.



Exercise

- Implement the corresponding Java code.



Generalization

Generalization

- Look for commonalities:
 - Common attributes
 - E.g., all vehicles have...
 - Common methods (behaviour)
 - E.g., all vehicles can...
- Generalize:
 - Find what is common and factor it out into a more general “base” abstraction

Generalization

- Implementation inheritance:
 - Generalize about method signatures, method implementations, and/or attributes
 - I.e., classes having these in common

Implementation Inheritance

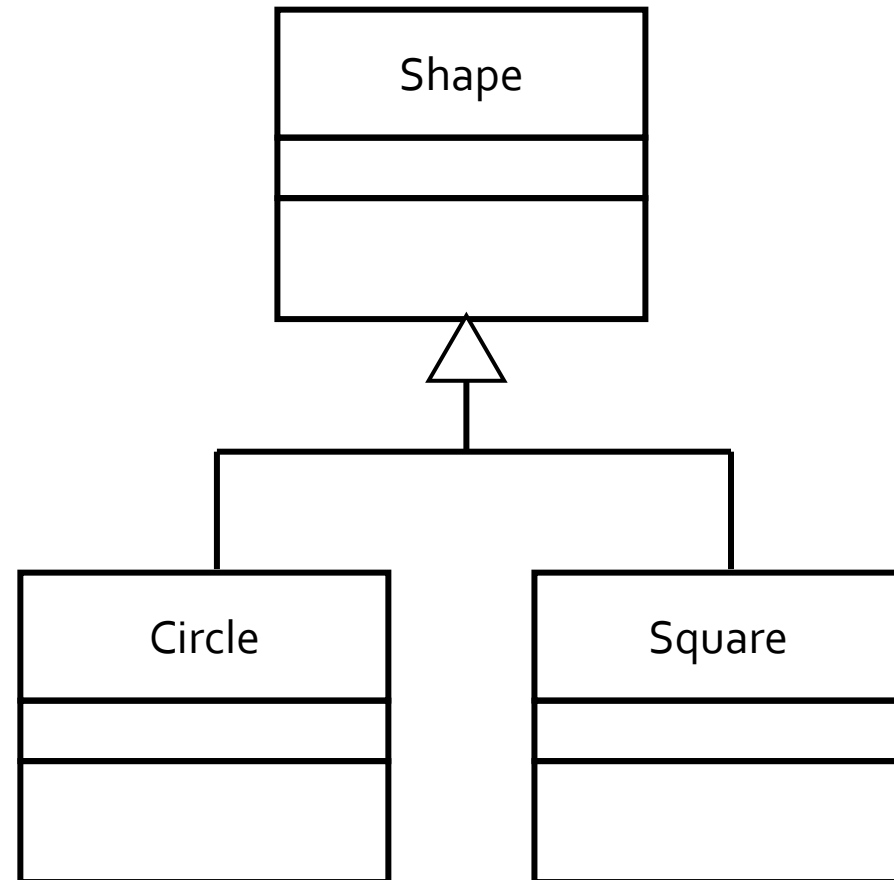
- General part:
 - A base class (or “superclass”) defines the attributes and methods to be shared
- Specific part:
 - A derived class (or “subclass”) is endowed with the attributes and methods of its base class
 - A subclass may “extend” a superclass by adding attributes and methods, or overriding an existing method

Java Implementation Inheritance

- ```
public class Shape { // superclass
 protected Location myLocation;
 public Shape() { ... }
 public void setLocation(Location p) { ... }
 public Location getLocation() { ... }
}
```
- ```
public class Circle extends Shape { // subclass
    private int diameter;
    public Circle() { ... }
    public void setDiameter( int d ) { ... }
    ...
}
```
- ```
public class Square extends Shape { // subclass
 private int side;
 public Square() { ... }
 public void setSide(int s) { ... }
}
```

# UML Inheritance

- Implementation inheritance relationship:
  - “Is-a” relationship between classes
  - I.e., subclass “is-a” kind of superclass
  - I.e., subclass “extends” superclass
- E.g., Circle “is-a” kind of Shape



# Generalization Principles

- Inappropriate inheritance:
  - Subclass inherits from superclass but “is-a” (is a kind of) relationship *does not* exist
  - If “is-a” test fails:
    - Likely not appropriate
  - If “is-a” test succeeds:
    - *May or may not* be appropriate

# Generalization Principles

- Liskov substitution principle:

- An instance of the subclass should be substitutable anywhere a reference to a superclass object is used

- `Shape s;`

```
s = new Circle(); // instance of subclass
```

```
...
```

```
Location l = s.getLocation(); // superclass method
```

# Inheritance Example

- Suppose:
  - class Dog
    - Provides bark(), fetch()
  - class Cat extends Dog
    - “Hides” bark(), “hides” fetch(), and adds purr()
- Question:
  - Cat “is a” Dog?

# Inheritance Example

- Suppose:
  - class Window
    - Provides show(), move(), resize()
  - class FixedSizeWindow extends Window
    - “Hides” resize()
- Question:
  - FixedSizeWindow “is a” Window?

# Inheritance Example

- Suppose:
  - class ArrayList
    - Provides add(), get(), remove(), ...
  - class ProjectTeam extends ArrayList
- Question:
  - ProjectTeam “is a” ArrayList?

Lecture 3 ends here ...