

## Unit 4: OOPS Concept

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### Object Oriented Concept

- All languages those supports the concepts of OOP they are considered as **OOP programming language**.
- All OOP based languages supports the following concepts.
  - Class and Object
  - Abstraction and Encapsulation
  - Constructor and Destructor
  - Inheritance
  - Polymorphism
- **Class**
  - Class is a group of **methods** and **variables** where methods are known as **Member function** and variables are known as **Data Member**.
  - In vb.net class is created using **Class Keyword** and completed with **End Class**.
  - Once class is created you can created any number of objects.

#### Syntax:

```
[accessmodifier][Shadows][MustInherit | NotInheritable]
Class <Classname>
    [Inherits classname]
    [Implements interfacenames]
    [statements]
End Class
```

#### where

- **Accessmodifier** defines the access levels of the class; it has values as - Public, Protected, Friend, Protected Friend and Private. Optional.
- **Shadows** indicate that the variable re-declares and hides an identically named element, or set of overloaded elements, in a base class. Optional.
- **MustInherit** specifies that the class can be used only as a base class and that you cannot create an object directly from it, i.e., an **abstract class**. Optional.
- **NotInheritable** specifies that the class cannot be used as a base class.
- **Inherits** specifies the base class it is inheriting from.
- **Implements** specify the interfaces the class is inheriting from.

#### Example

- Add new class file to the project and give proper name (Class1.vb). The extension of the class is **.vb**

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- Write down the following code in Class1.vb File

```
Public Class Class1 'class name
    Dim a, b As Integer
    'Class Method
    Sub getdata(ByVal i As Integer, ByVal j As Integer)
        a = i
        b = j
    End Sub
    Sub disp() 'class method
        MsgBox("a==" & a & "b==" & b)
    End Sub
    Function sum() As Integer 'function
        Return a + b
    End Function
End Class
```

- Add windows form name frmclass.vb and write down the following code in btnclass click event.

```
Private Sub btnclass_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnclass.Click
    Dim obj As New Class1 'object is created
    obj.getdata(10, 20) 'method is called
    obj.disp()
    MsgBox("the sum of two no is " & obj.sum())
End Sub
```

### Object

- It is runtime entity.
- It is member of class which is able to access methods and variables of class which has been declared in Public Mode.
- In vb.net ,it can be created as follows:

#### Syntax:

- |                                |
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| ○ <object> As New <Class Name> |
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- Example:

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    obj.disp()
    MsgBox("the sum of two no is " & obj.sum())
End Sub
```

- **Abstraction**

- It refers to the act of representing essentials features without including the background details or explanations.
- It defines way to abstract or hide your data and members from outside class.
- Classes use the concept of Abstraction.
- When we define a classes then different accessibility mode define the access level of variables and methods. They are Public, Private, Protected.

Example:

```
Public Class Class1 'class name
    Dim a, b As Integer
    'Class Method
    Sub getdata(ByVal i As Integer, ByVal j As Integer)
        a = i
        b = j
    End Sub
    Sub disp() 'class method
        MsgBox("a==" & a & "b==" & b)
    End Sub
    Function sum() As Integer 'function
        Return a + b
    End Function
End Class
```

- **Encapsulation**

- It is a process to bind data and methods in a unit called class. When we define class that process itself define the concept of Encapsulation.
- It can protect your data from accidental corruption.
- Rather than defining the data in the form of public, we can declare those fields as private.

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- **Example**

```
Public Class Class1 'class name
  Dim a, b As Integer
  'Class Method
  Sub getdata(ByVal i As Integer, ByVal j As Integer)
    a = i
    b = j
  End Sub
  Sub disp() 'class method
    MsgBox("a==" & a & "b==" & b)
  End Sub
  Function sum() As Integer 'function
    Return a + b
  End Function
End Class
```

- **Constructor**

- It is a special member function which is used to initialize the object of its class.
- It is automatically called when object is created.
- In vb.net, The name of constructor is NEW()
- It can be overloaded.
- There are 2 types of constructor such as constructor with arguments and without arguments.

- **Example**

**Add Class file and give name ClsConstuctor**

```
Public Class ClsConstuctor
  Dim i As Integer
  Dim n As Integer
  'Constructor without arguments
  Sub New()
    MsgBox("I am Default Constuctor")
  End Sub
  'Constructor with arguments
  Sub New(ByVal i As Integer)
    n = i
    MsgBox("I am paramiterized Constuctor")
    MsgBox(n)
  End Sub
  Protected Overrides Sub finalize()
    n = 0
  End Sub
End Class
```

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```
MsgBox("I m Desctuctor")
End Sub
End Class
```

Add windows form and write down the following code in btnconstructor click event.

```
Private Sub btnConstructor_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e
As System.EventArgs) Handles btnConstructor.Click
    Dim x As New ClsConstuctor
    Dim y As New ClsConstuctor(10)
End Sub
```

- **How to call Base Class Constructor**

- It can be called using **MyBase** keyword.
- It cannot be used to access private members of class.
- It refers to the immediate base class and its inherited members

- **Example:**

```
Public Class ClsBase
    Private x, y As Integer
    Sub New()
        x = 0
        y = 0
    End Sub
    Sub New (ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
        x = a
        y = b
    End Sub
End Class
```

```
Public Class clsderive
    Inherits ClsBase
    Private z As Integer
    Sub New()
        MyBase.New()
        z = 0
    End Sub
    Sub New(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer, ByVal c As Integer)
        MyBase.New(a, b)
        z = c
        MsgBox(a & b & c)
    End Sub
End Class
```

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Add windows form and write down the following code in **btnconstructor** click event.

```
Private Sub btnConstructor_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnConstructor.Click
    Dim obj As New clsderive
    Dim obj1 As New clsderive(4, 6, 7)
End Sub
```

- **Destructor**

- It is a special function which is called automatically when a class is destroyed.
- A destructor is also known as finalizer. It is the last method run by class
- Within a destructor we can place code to clean up the object after it is used ,which might include decrement counters releasing resources
- It cannot be overloaded.

- **Example:**

```
Protected Overrides Sub finalize()
    n = 0
    MsgBox("I m Desctuctor")
End Sub
```

- **Inheritance**

- It is a process of creating a new class called derives class from the existing class called Base Class.
- The existing class is known as parent, base, super class.
- The new class is known as child, derive, sub class.
- It is also known as code reusability.
- It can be created by using inherits keyword.
- A derive class obtain all of the methods, properties, and events of the base class.
- There are 3 modifier related with inheritance.
  - Inherits
  - NotInheritable
  - MustInherit(Abstract Class)

- **Syntax**

```
Class <Class Name>
    [inherits] Base Class Name
    Statements
End Class
```

- **Example**

Add class file name clsbase and write down the following code

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```
Public Class ClsBase 'Base Class
    Protected a As Integer = 40
    Sub disp()
        MsgBox("I am Base Class")
    End Sub
End Class
```

```
Public Class clsderive 'Derive Class
    Inherits ClsBase
    Dim b As Integer = 20
    Sub show()
        MsgBox("value from Base Class=" & a)
        MsgBox("value from Derive Class=" & b)
        MsgBox("I am Derived Class Method")
    End Sub
End Class
```

Add windows form and write down the following code in btninheritance click event

```
Private Sub btninheritance_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles btninheritance.Click
    Dim x As New clsderive
    x.disp() 'Base Class Method
    x.show() 'Base + derive Class'
End Sub
```

- **NotInheritable**
  - It is known as seal class. If we write NotInheritable keyword in class then no other class can be derived from this class.
  - It gives surety that your class is not become parent of any class.
- **Example**

Create class clsA as NotInheritable and try to derive it in clsB

```
Public NotInheritable Class clsA
```

```
End Class
```

```
Public Class ClsB
```

```
    Inherits clsA 'ClsB cannot inherit from class ClsA because 'ClsA is declared as NotInheritable
```

```
End Class
```

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- **MustInherit (Abstract Class)**
  - MustInherit Keyword is used to create Abstract Class.
  - It specifies that class is intended as a base class.
  - It provides Skelton to the derived class. it has no actual code.
  - It is not used to create an object.
  - If our class contains at least one MustOverride method then our class should be declare as MustInherit class.
  - Methods written in Abstract class as MustOverride are automatically appear in the derived class.
  - Mustoverride methods must be declared in MustInherit Class.
  - No other statements are allowed and especially there is No End Sub or End Function.
- Example

### Add Class file and give name clsAbs1

```
Public MustInherit Class clsAbs1
    MustOverride Sub add(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
    MustOverride Sub div(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
End Class
```

### Add another Class file and give name clstemp

```
Public Class clstemp
    Inherits clsAbs1

    Public Overrides Sub add(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
        MsgBox(a + b)

    End Sub

    Public Overrides Sub div(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
        MsgBox(a / b)

    End Sub
End Class
```

**Add windows form and write down the following code in btnabstractclass\_Click event**

```
Private Sub btnabstractclass_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnabstractclass.Click
    Dim obj As New clstemp
```



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```
obj.add(10, 20)
obj.div(20, 10)
```

```
End Sub
```

- **Polymorphism**

- It means “one name, multiple forms
- There are two types of it **(1) Design time (2)Run time**
- **Design time** polymorphism is achieved by **function overloading**
- **Run time** polymorphism is achieved by **function overriding**
- Function overloading means we can declare more than one functions with the **same name but arguments are different.**

**Example**

**Add Class file and write this code (it is the example of function overloading)**

```
Public Class Clsmath
```

```
Function add(ByVal a As Integer)
Return MsgBox(a)
End Function
```

```
Function add(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer)
Return MsgBox(a + b)
End Function
```

```
Function add(ByVal a As Integer, ByVal b As Integer, ByVal c As Integer)
Return MsgBox(a + b + c)
End Function
```

```
End Class
```

**Write this code on btnpoly\_click event**

```
Private Sub btnpoly_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs)
Handles btnpoly.Click
```

```
Dim obj As New Clsmath
obj.add(5)
obj.add(5, 5)
obj.add(10, 20, 30)
```

```
End Sub
```

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### Run time polymorphism (function overriding)

- Function overriding means when we declare more than one function with same name **but in different class** and the relationship between class is **parent -child**
- The overriding concept achieve only in inheritance.
- Derive class inherits methods from its base class
- If an inherited property or method needs to behave differently in the derived class.
- **Overridable keyword** is used to mark a function as override. We can redefine overridable methods in derived class
- **The overrides keyword** is used to mark that a function is overriding some base class function.
- The **overrides** keyword overrides an overridable property or method defined in the base class

### Example

```
Public Class Clsoverridable
```

```
Public Class base
```

```
Overridable Sub disp()
```

```
MsgBox("Base class")
```

```
End Sub
```

```
End Class
```

```
Public Class clsderived
```

```
Inherits base
```

```
Public Overrides Sub disp()
```

```
MyBase.disp()
```

```
MsgBox("Derived Class")
```

```
End Sub
```

```
End Class
```

```
End Class
```

**Write this code in btnoverriding\_click Event**

```
Private Sub btnoverriding_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs)
```

```
Handles btnoverriding.Click
```

```
Dim obj As New Clsoverridable.clsderived
```

```
obj.disp()
```

```
End Sub
```

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- **Interface**

### Why interface used?

We cannot inherit more than one class in vb.net. If we want to inherit then? Use interface  
**Interface**

- Interfaces like classes define a set of properties, methods and events. But unlike classes, an interface does not contain any implementation code
- Interface represents **“Has a” relationship**
- Classes which implement interface they write the coding in the interface’s method
- We can implement multiple interface
- If we want to use interface then we need to write **“Implements”** keyword

### Syntax

```
Public Interface iface1
    ....logic
End Interface
```

### Example

#### Add interface in your project

```
Public Interface Interface1
    Sub hi()
End Interface
```

#### Add another interface in your project

```
Public Interface Interface2
    Sub hello()
End Interface
```

#### Add Class File in your project

```
Public Class ClssInterface
    Implements Interface1, Interface2

    Public Sub hi() Implements Interface1.hi
        MsgBox("Hi i m interface 1")
    End Sub

    Public Sub hello() Implements Interface2.hello
        MsgBox("Hello i m interface 2")
    End Sub
End Class
```

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**Write down this code in btninterface\_click Event**

```
Private Sub btninterface_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs)
Handles btninterface.Click
    Dim obj As New ClssInterface
    obj.hi()
    obj.hello()
End Sub
```