

# Part I

# Classes

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {x y}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [addDist {arg} {+ {send arg mdist 0}
                    {send this mdist 0}}]]}

{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {z}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this z}
                  {super mdist arg}}]]}

{send {new Posn3D 1 2 3} addDist {new Posn 3 4}}
```

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

A well-formed program should never error with

- not a number

```
{+ 1 {new Posn 1 2}}
```

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- not an object

```
{send 1 mdist 0}
```

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```
{get 1 x}
```

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

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- not an object
- wrong field count

```
{new Posn3D 1 2}
```

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

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- wrong field count
- not found
  - class, field, or method

```
{new SquareCircle}
```

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```
{get {new Posn 1 2} z}
```



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```
{send {new Posn 1 2} area}
```

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```
{class Circle extends Object
  {}
  [area {arg} {super area arg}]}
```

# Typed Class Language

```
<Class> ::= {class <Symbol> extends <Symbol>
             {<Field>*}
             <Method>*}
<Field> ::= [<Symbol> : <Type>]
<Method> ::= [<Symbol> {[arg : <Type>]} : <Type> <Expr>]
<Type> ::= num
          | <Symbol>
```



## Part 2

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {send {get this x} mdist 0}
      {send {get this y} mdist 0}}]}
```

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**No** — the **x** and **y** fields are not objects

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   [+ {get this x} {get this z}]]}
```

10

**No** — `Posn` has no `z` field

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {send this get-y 0}}]}
```

10

**No** — `Posn` has no `get-y` method

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]}
```

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**No** — result type for `mdist` does not match body type



## Typechecking Programs with Classes

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```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   [+ {get this x} {get this y}]]}
```

10

**Yes**

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   [+ {get this x} {get this y}]]}

{new Posn 12}
```

**No** — wrong number of fields in `new`

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   [+ {get this x} {get this y}]]}

{new Posn 12 {new Posn 1 2}}
```

**No** — wrong field type for first `new`

## Typechecking Programs with Classes

Is this program well-formed?

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn {get this x} {get this y}}]}

{send {new Posn 1 2} clone 0}
```

Yes

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  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn {get this x} {get this y}}]}

{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]}

{new Posn3D 5 7 3}
```

Yes

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  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]}
[clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
  {new Posn {get this x} {get this y}}]}

{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn 10 10}]}

{new Posn3D 5 7 3}
```

**No** — override of `mdist` changes result type

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  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn {get this x} {get this y}}]}

{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]
  [clone {[arg : num]} : num
    10]}

{new Posn3D 5 7 3}
```

**No** — override of `clone` changes result type

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  [clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn {get this x} {get this y}}]}

{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]
  [clone {[arg : num]} : Posn
    {new Posn3D {get this x} {get this y}
      {get this z}}]}

{new Posn3D 5 7 3}
```

**Yes** — which means that we need subtypes



## Typechecking Summary

- Use class names as type
- Check for field and method existence
- Check field, method, and argument types
- Check fields against **new**
- Check consistency of overrides
- Treat subclasses as subtypes

## Part 3

# Datatypes

```
(define-type ClassT
  (classT [super-name : Symbol]
         [fields : (Listof (Symbol * Type))]
         [methods : (Listof (Symbol * MethodT))]))
```

```
(define-type MethodT
  (methodT [arg-type : Type]
          [result-type : Type]
          [body-expr : ExpI]))
```

# Datatypes

```
(define-type Type  
  (numT)  
  (objT [class-name : Symbol]))
```

# Type Checking

```
(define (typecheck [a : ExpI]
                 [t-classes : (Listof (Symbol * ClassT))]) : Type
  (begin
    (map (lambda (tc)
          (typecheck-class (fst tc) (snd tc) t-classes))
         t-classes)
    (typecheck-expr a t-classes (objT 'Object) (numT))))
```

## Type Checking: Classes

```
(define (typecheck-class [class-name : Symbol]
                        [t-class : ClassT]
                        [t-classes : (Listof (Symbol * ClassT))])
  (type-case ClassT t-class
    [(classT super-name fields methods)
     (map (lambda (m)
            (begin
              (typecheck-method (snd m) (objT class-name) t-classes)
              (check-override (fst m) (snd m) t-class t-classes)))
          methods])])])
```

## Type Checking: Methods

```
(define (typecheck-method [method : MethodT]
                        [this-type : Type]
                        [t-classes : (Listof (Symbol * ClassT))]) : ()
  (type-case MethodT method
    [(methodT arg-type result-type body-expr)
     (if (is-subtype? (typecheck-expr body-expr t-classes
                                     this-type arg-type)
                     result-type
                     t-classes)
         (values)
         (type-error body-expr (to-string result-type))))]))
```

## Type Checking: Method Overrides

```
(define (check-override [method-name : Symbol]
                       [method : MethodT]
                       [this-class : ClassT]
                       [t-classes : (Listof (Symbol * ClassT))])
  (local [(define super-name
            (classT-super-name this-class))
          (define super-method
            (try
              (find-method-in-tree method-name
                                   super-name
                                   t-classes)
              (lambda () method)))]
    (if (and (equal? (methodT-arg-type method)
                    (methodT-arg-type super-method))
            (equal? (methodT-result-type method)
                    (methodT-result-type super-method)))
        (values)
        (error 'typecheck (string-append
                          "bad override of "
                          (to-string method-name))))))
```



## Part 4

## Type Checking Expressions

```
(define typecheck-expr : (ExpI (Listof (Symbol * ClassT)) Type Type -> Type)
  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            ....]
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(numI n) (numT)]
        ....
        [(argI) arg-type]
        [(thisI) this-type]
        ....))))))
```

## Type Checking Expressions

```
(define typecheck-expr : (ExpI (Listof (Symbol * ClassT)) Type Type -> Type)
  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            (define (typecheck-nums l r)
              (type-case Type (recur l)
                [(numT)
                 (type-case Type (recur r)
                   [(numT) (numT)]
                   [else (type-error r "num")])]
                [else (type-error l "num")])])])
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(plusI l r) (typecheck-nums l r)]
        [(multi l r) (typecheck-nums l r)]
        ....))))
```

## Type Checking Expressions

```
(define typecheck-expr : (ExpI (Listof (Symbol * ClassT)) Type Type -> Type)
  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            ....]
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(newI class-name exprs)
         (local [(define arg-types (map recur exprs))
                 (define field-types
                  (get-all-field-types class-name t-classes))]
           (if (and (= (length arg-types) (length field-types))
                   (foldl (lambda (b r) (and r b))
                          #t
                          (map2 (lambda (t1 t2)
                                (is-subtype? t1 t2 t-classes))
                                arg-types
                                field-types)))
               (objT class-name)
               (type-error expr "field type mismatch")))]
          ....))))))
```

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  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            ....]
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(getI obj-expr field-name)
         (type-case Type (recur obj-expr)
           [(objT class-name)
            (find-field-in-tree field-name
                                class-name
                                t-classes)]
           [else (type-error obj-expr "object")]])]
        ....))))))
```

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  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            ....]
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(sendI obj-expr method-name arg-expr)
         (local [(define obj-type (recur obj-expr))
                  (define arg-type (recur arg-expr))]
           (type-case Type obj-type
             [(objT class-name)
              (typecheck-send class-name method-name
                               arg-expr arg-type
                               t-classes)]
             [else
              (type-error obj-expr "object")]))])
        ....)))))
```

## Type Checking Expressions

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  (lambda (expr t-classes this-type arg-type)
    (local [(define (recur expr)
              (typecheck-expr expr t-classes this-type arg-type))
            ....]
      (type-case ExpI expr
        ....
        [(superI method-name arg-expr)
         (local [(define arg-type (recur arg-expr))
                  (define this-class
                    (find t-classes (objT-class-name this-type)))]
           (typecheck-send (classT-super-name this-class)
                           method-name
                           arg-expr arg-type
                           t-classes))]
          ....))))))
```

## Type Checker: Sends

```
(define (typecheck-send [class-name : Symbol]
                        [method-name : Symbol]
                        [arg-expr : ExpI]
                        [arg-type : Type]
                        [t-classes : (Listof (Symbol * ClassT))])
  (type-case MethodT (find-method-in-tree
                      method-name
                      class-name
                      t-classes)
    [(methodT arg-type-m result-type body-expr)
     (if (is-subtype? arg-type arg-type-m t-classes)
         result-type
         (type-error arg-expr (to-string arg-type-m)))]))
```



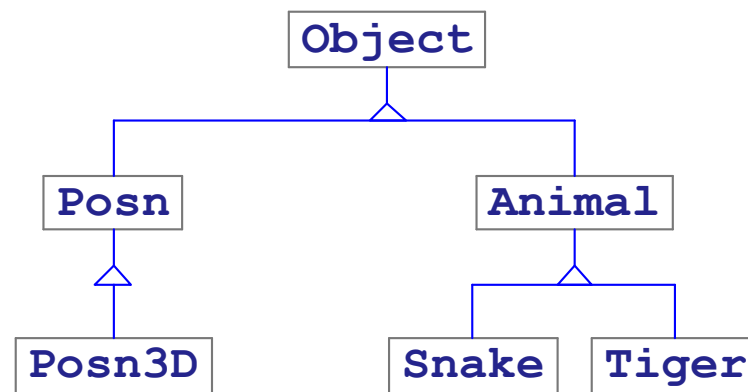
## Part 5

## Type Checker: Subtypes

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [addDist {[arg : Posn]} : num
   {+ {send this mdist 0} {send arg mdist 0}}]}

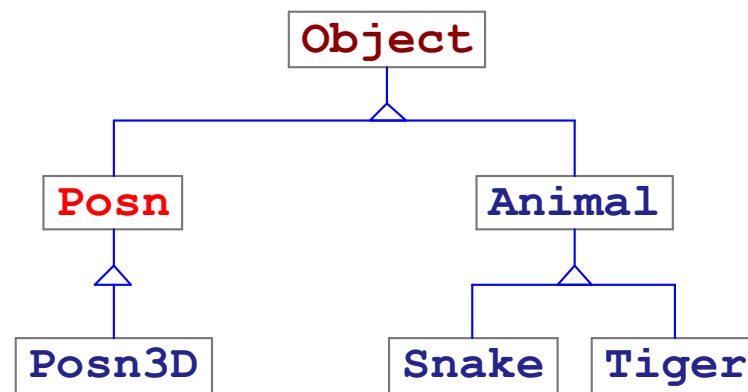
{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
   {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]}
{send {new Posn3D 7 5 3} mdist 0}
```

## Type Checker: Subtypes



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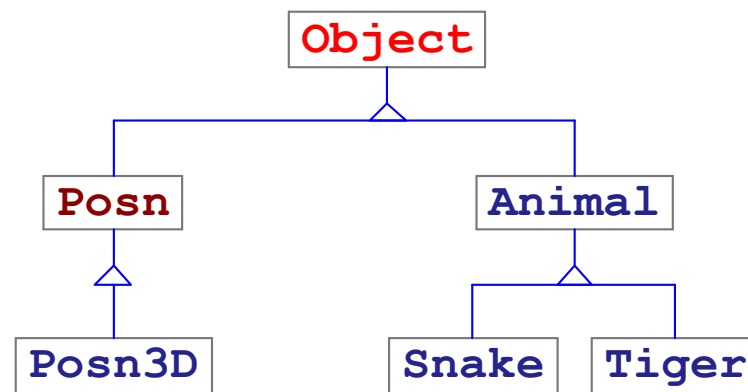
**Posn** is a subtype of **Object**?



**Yes** — starting from **Posn** reaches **Object**

## Type Checker: Subtypes

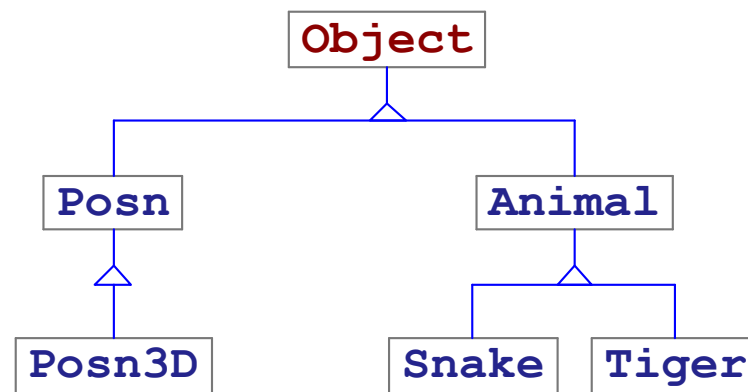
**Object** is a subtype of **Posn**?



**No** — starting from **Object** doesn't reach **Posn**

## Type Checker: Subtypes

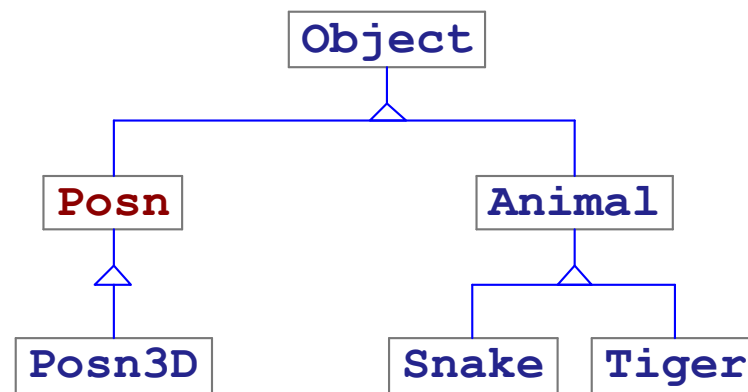
**Object** is a subtype of **Object**?



**Yes** — match at start

## Type Checker: Subtypes

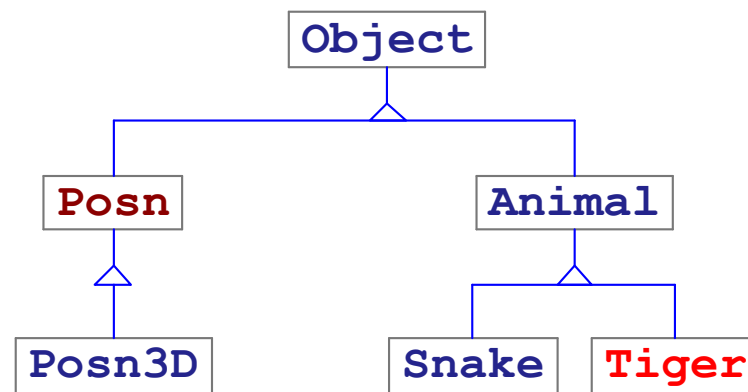
**Posn** is a subtype of **Posn**?



**Yes** — match at start

## Type Checker: Subtypes

**Tiger** is a subtype of **Posn**?



**No** — starting from **Tiger** doesn't reach **Posn**



## Type Checker: Subtypes

```
(define (is-subclass? name1 name2 t-classes)
  (cond
    [(equal? name1 name2) #t]
    [(equal? name1 'Object) #f]
    [else
     (type-case ClassT (find t-classes name1)
       [(classT super-name fields methods)
        (is-subclass? super-name name2 t-classes)]))])

(define (is-subtype? t1 t2 t-classes)
  (type-case Type t1
    [(objT name1)
     (type-case Type t2
       [(objT name2)
        (is-subclass? name1 name2 t-classes)]
       [else #f])]
    [else (equal? t1 t2)]))
```

## Part 6

# Implementing Classes

**ClassT**  
types



**ClassI**  
inheritance  
super



**Class**  
method dispatch  
fields

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {[x : num] [y : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [addDist {[arg : Posn]} : num
    {+ {send this mdist 0} {send arg mdist 0}}]}
{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {[z : num]}
  [mdist {[arg : num]} : num
    {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]}
{send {new Posn3D 7 5 3} mdist 0}
```

```
{class Posn extends Object
  {x y}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [addDist {arg} {+ {send this mdist 0} {send arg mdist 0}}]}
{class Posn3D extends Posn
  {z}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this z} {super mdist arg}}]}
{send {new Posn3D 7 5 3} mdist 0}
```

```
{class Posn
  {x y}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this x} {get this y}}]
  [addDist {arg} {+ {dsend this mdist 0} {dsend arg mdist 0}}]}
{class Posn3D
  {x y z}
  [mdist {arg} {+ {get this z} {ssend this Posn mdist arg}}]
  [addDist {arg} {+ {dsend this mdist 0} {dsend arg mdist 0}}]}
{dsend {new Posn3D 7 5 3} mdist 0}
```

# Interpreter

```
(define interp-t : (ExpI (Listof (Symbol * ClassT)) -> Value)
  (lambda (a t-classes)
    (interp-i a
              (map (lambda (c)
                     (values (fst c) (strip-types (snd c))))
                   t-classes))))

(define strip-types : (ClassT -> ClassI)
  (lambda (t-class)
    (type-case ClassT t-class
      [(classT super-name fields methods)
       (classI
        super-name
        (map fst fields)
        (map (lambda (m)
               (values (fst m)
                       (type-case MethodT (snd m)
                         [(methodT arg-type result-type body-expr)
                          body-expr])))
              methods))]))))
```