

Method

Java Programming

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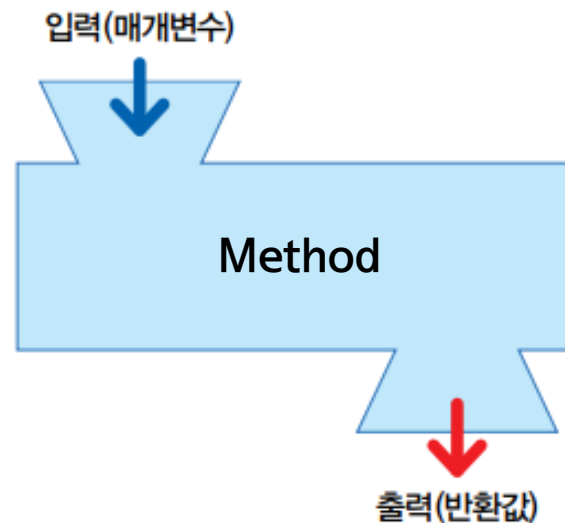
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1. Introduction on method

What is method?

- Method
 - a block of code that performs a specific task
 - a way to encapsulate a sequence of statements into a unit
 - can be executed whenever you need to perform the task, often with different inputs
 - ex) `System.out.println()` ← a method to display your input messages on the console



What is method?

- Field and method

```
public class _01_Method {
```

```
private int year;  
private String month;  
private int day;  
  
public String name;
```

필드 (Field)
→ 멤버 변수 (Member variable)
전역 변수 (Global variable)

```
// 메소드 정의  
public static void sayHello() {  
    System.out.println("This is sayHello() method");  
}
```

Method (definition)
→ 멤버 함수 (Member function)

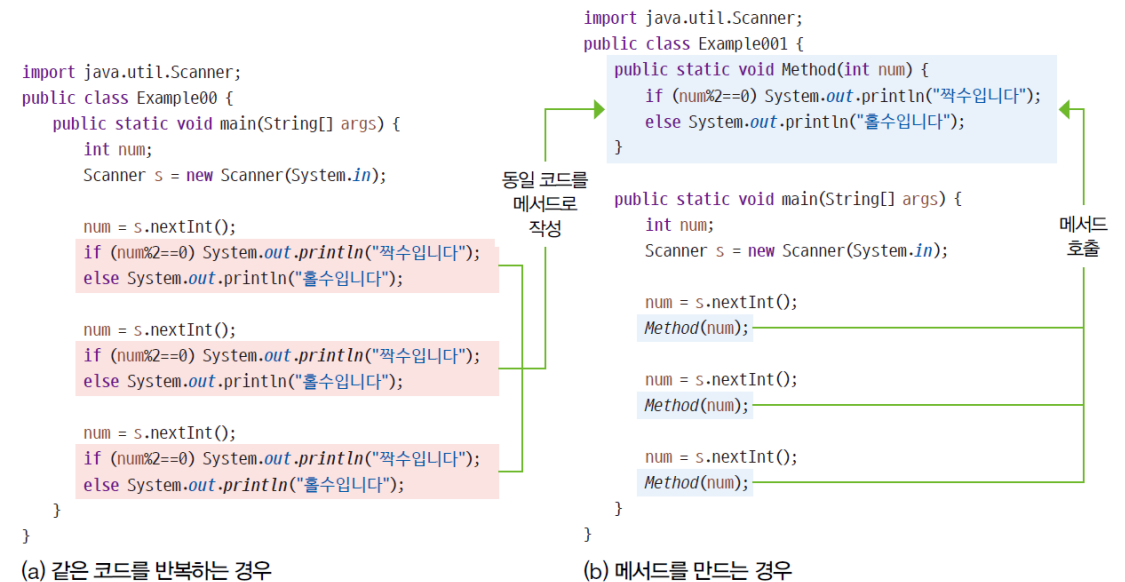
```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    // 메소드 호출  
    System.out.println("Before method call");  
    sayHello();  
    sayHello();  
    sayHello();  
    System.out.println("After method call");  
}
```

→ main() function

```
}
```

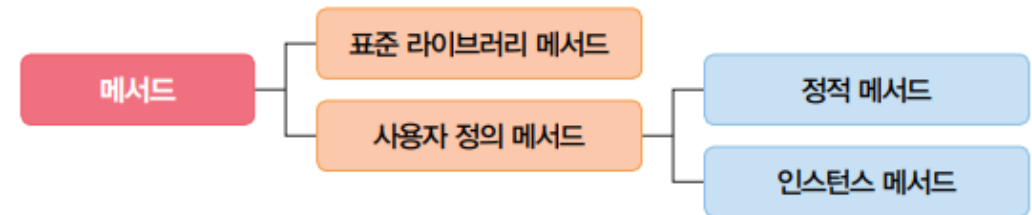
Why methods matter

- Reusability
 - enhance code reusability across different parts of a program
 - avoid repetition (write once, use many times)
 - customizing methods for varied inputs (parameterization)
- Modularity (encapsulation)
 - breaking down a complex problem into manageable units
 - hiding the complexity of operations
- Readability
 - improve code readability and maintenance
 - facilitate debugging by isolating code segments



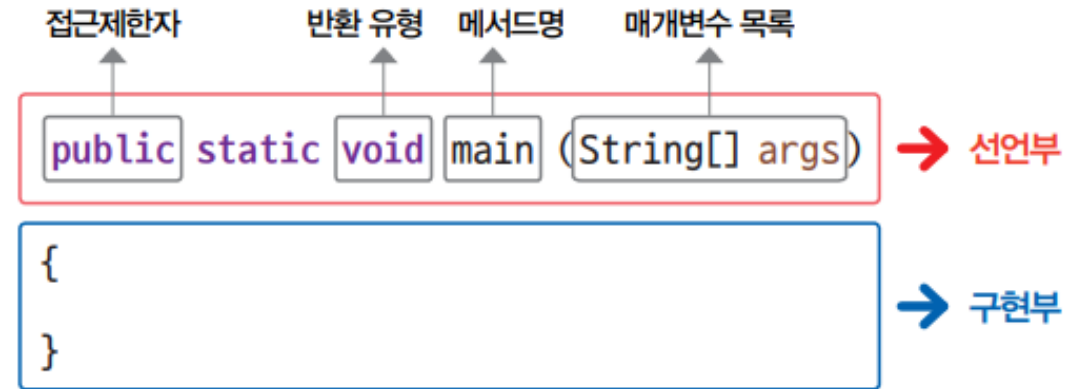
Types of method

- Two types of method in Java
 - **Standard library methods:** predefined in Java's API
 - offer ready-made functionality to perform common tasks
 - efficiency and reliability; extensively tested and commented
 - examples
 - `Math.sqrt(double a)`: calculates the square root
 - `System.out.println(String x)`: prints text to the console
 - **User-defined methods**
 - created by programmers to perform specific tasks
 - flexibility to address specific problems



Basic structure

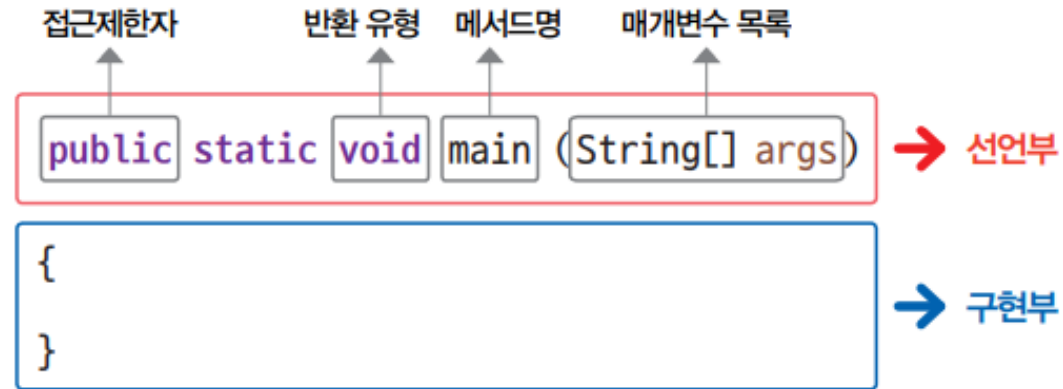
- Basic syntax of Java methods



- method name
 - identifies the method
 - follows Java naming conventions
 - should be descriptive of its purpose

Basic structure

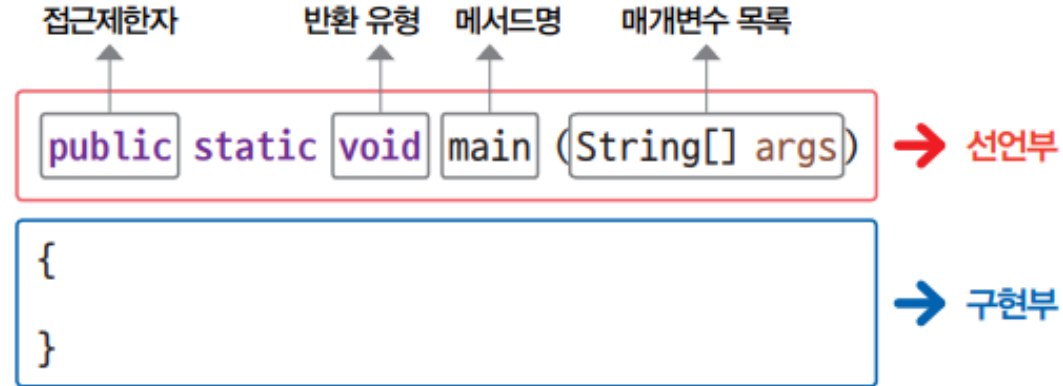
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- return type
 - specifies the types of value the method returns
 - int, double, String, etc.
 - use 'void' if no value is returned

Basic structure

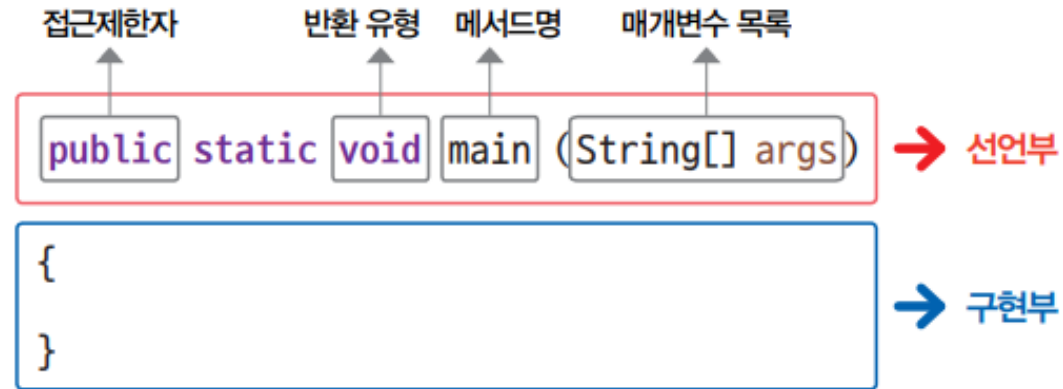
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- parameters (매개변수)
 - optional: methods may accept none, one, or multiple parameters
 - provide input to a method
 - each parameter has a type and names

Basic structure

- Basic syntax of Java methods



- method body
 - contains code that defines the method's operations
 - enclosed in curly braces { }
 - can contain any number of statements

Basic structure

- Example: adding two numbers

```
public int addNumbers(int a, int b) {  
    int result = a + b;  
    return result  
}
```

- **method name:** addNumbers
- **return type:** `int`
 - actually return integer type (result)
- **parameters:** `int a`, `int b`
- **method body:**
 - `int result = a + b;`
 - `return result`

Note: 함수는 반환값이 없거나 오직 1개의 값만 반환할 수 있음

Note: 접근 지정자

- **public**: 모든 class로부터 접근 가능한 메소드

```
public static void sayHello() {  
    System.out.println("This is sayHello() method");  
}
```

- **private**: class 내부에서만 접근 가능

```
private static void sayHello() {  
    System.out.println("This is sayHello() method");  
}
```

Basic structure - examples

```
public static double calculateAreaOfCircle(double radius) {  
    return Math.PI * radius * radius;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static double fahrenheitToCelsius(double fahrenheit) {  
    return (fahrenheit - 32) * 5 / 9;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static double calculatePrismVolume(double length, double width, double height) {  
    return length * width * height;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static String createFullName(String firstName, String middleName, String lastName) {  
    return firstName + " " + middleName + " " + lastName;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static double calculateFinalPrice(double price, double taxRate, double discount) {  
    double taxAmount = price * taxRate / 100;  
    double discountAmount = price * discount / 100;  
    return price + taxAmount - discountAmount;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static void printGreeting(String name, int hourOfDay) {
    String greeting;
    if (hourOfDay < 12) {
        greeting = "Good morning";
    } else if (hourOfDay < 18) {
        greeting = "Good afternoon";
    } else {
        greeting = "Good evening";
    }
    System.out.println(greeting + ", " + name + "!");
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Basic structure - examples

```
public static boolean isPrime(int number) {  
    if (number <= 1) {  
        return false;  
    }  
    for (int i = 2; i <= Math.sqrt(number); i++) {  
        if (number % i == 0) {  
            return false;  
        }  
    }  
    return true;  
}
```

- method name:
- return type:
- parameters:
- method body:

Method call

- Method call
 - a process of invoking a method written in a program so that the instructions contained within that method are executed
- Structure of a method call
 - consisting of the method name followed by parentheses
 - **WITHOUT** data type

```
methodName(argument1, argument2, ..., argumentN);
```

- argument: 인수

Method call

- Example of method call

```
public class Example01 {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("static 메서드입니다");  
        System.out.println(5 + 6);  
    }  
}
```

(a) main() 메서드에 작성된 코드

메서드로
작성

```
public class Example001 {  
    public static void Method() {  
        System.out.println("static 메서드입니다");  
        System.out.println(5 + 6);  
    }  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        method( );  
    }  
}
```

메서드
호출

(b) method() 메서드 작성과 호출

```
int square(int num) {  
    return num * num;  
}  
...  
...  
result = square(10);  
// code
```

return value method call

Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call
 - no parameters, no return type

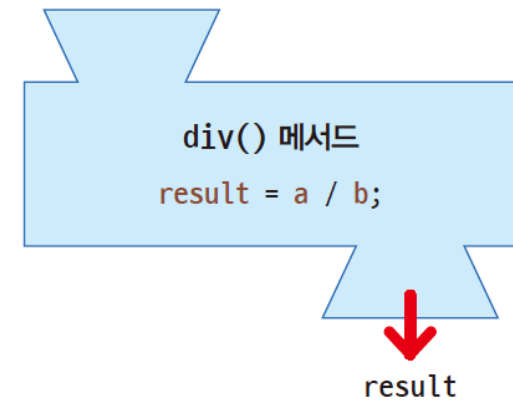
```
public static void method() {
    System.out.println("static 메서드입니다.");
    System.out.println(5 + 6);
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    System.out.println("첫 번째 호출 메서드입니다.");
    method();
    System.out.println("두 번째 호출 메서드입니다.");
    method();
}
```

Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call
 - no parameters, but return value exists

```
public static int div( ) {  
    int a = 10, b = 5;  
    int result = a / b;  
    return result;  
}  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int num = div();  
    System.out.println(num);  
}
```



Note: Local variable and global variable

- Local variable
 - **variables defined within a method** and their **scope is limited to the method** in which they are declared

```
public static void printX(int x) {
    System.out.println("X in printX method = " + x);
    x++;
    System.out.println("X in printX method = " + x);
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    int x = 10;
    System.out.println("X in main method = " + x);
    printX(x);
    x = 50;
    System.out.println("X in main method = " + x);
}
```

```
X in main method = 10
X in printX method = 10
X in printX method = 11
X in main method = 50
```

Note: Local variable and global variable

- Global variable
 - commonly used to refer to variables that have a global scope
 - declared with the **'static' keyword** within a class **but outside any method**
 - **default value is 0 (without initialization)**

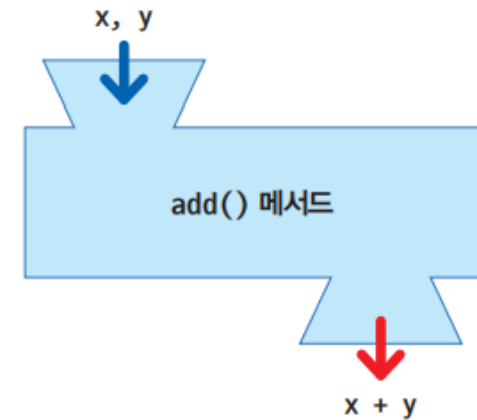
```
public static int count;
public static void counter1() { count++;}
public static void counter2() { count = count + 100;}
System.out.println("Count = " + count); // Output: 0
counter1();
System.out.println("Count = " + count); // Output: 1
counter2();
System.out.println("Count = " + count); // Output: 101
count = 10;
System.out.println("Count = " + count); // Output: 10
}
```

Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call
 - return value and parameters exist

```
public static int add(int x, int y) {  
    return x + y;  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int a = 5, b = 6;  
    int sum = add(a, b);  
    System.out.println(a + " (와) 과 " + b + "의 합은 " + sum + "입니다.");  
}
```

Pay attention to a format for method call

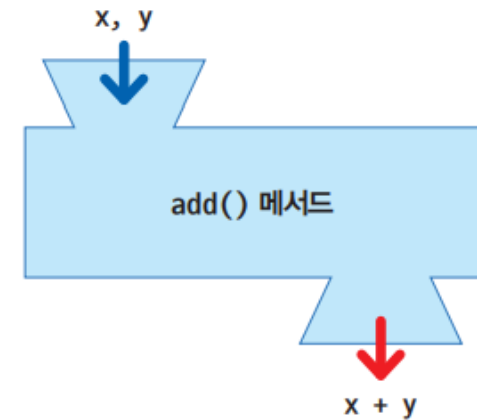


- no data type designation in arguments when method calls

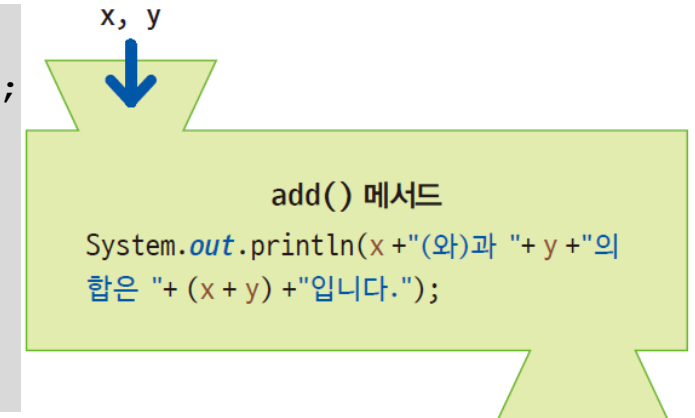
Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call – return or not?

```
public static int add(int x, int y) {  
    return x + y;  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int a = 5, b = 6;  
    int sum = add(a,b) ;  
    System.out.println(a + " (와) 과 " + b + "의 합은 " + sum + "입니다.");  
}
```



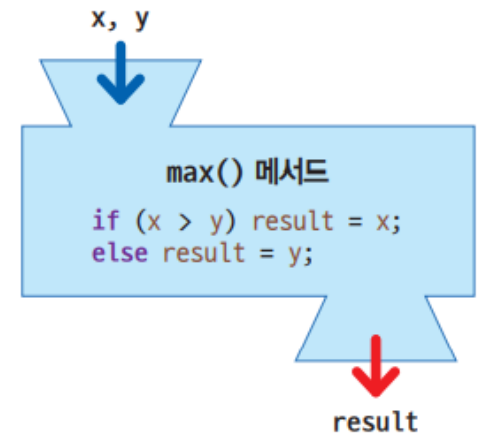
```
public static void add(int x, int y) {  
    System.out.println(x + " (와) 과 " + y + "의 합은 " + (x + y) + "입니다.");  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int a = 5, b = 6;  
    add(a,b) ;  
}
```



Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call
 - return value and parameters exist

```
public static int max(int x, int y) {  
    int result;  
    if (x > y) result = x;  
    else result = y;  
    return result;  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int a = 5, b = 6;  
    int num = max(a,b);  
    System.out.println(a + "(와)과 " + b + "의 수 중 " + num + "이 큼니다.");  
}
```

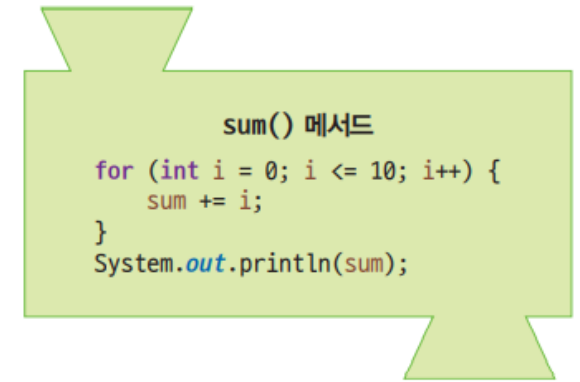


- no data type designation in arguments when method calls

Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call

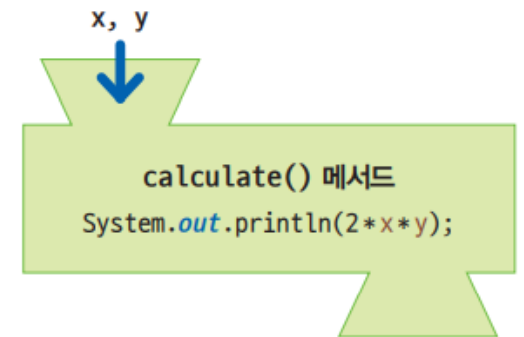
```
public static void sum() {  
    int sum = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i <= 10; i++) {  
        sum += i;  
    }  
    System.out.println(sum);  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    System.out.print("1부터 10의 합계 : ");  
    sum();  
}
```



Usage of method

- Example for method definition and call

```
public static void calculate(int x, double y) {  
    System.out.println(2 * x * y);  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    int r = 4; //  
    double pi = 3.14;  
    System.out.println("원의 둘레 구하는 공식 : 2 * 반지름 * 원주율 ");  
    System.out.print("2 * "+ r + " x " + pi + " = ");  
    calculate(r, pi);  
}
```



Examples and practices for method

- 사용자로부터 두 실수를 입력받고 두 수 중 큰 수를 반환하는 함수와 이를 출력하는 프로그램을 작성해보세요.
 - [file path and name: Chap04Example/MethodPractice01.java](#)
 - requirement
 - method name: **getLarger**
 - input and output examples

```
Enter the two real numbers: 5 -1
The larger number is 5.0
```

```
Enter the two real numbers: 17.4
17.33
The larger number is 17.4
```


Examples and practices for method

- 사용자로부터 실수 하나를 입력받고 양수, 음수 또는 0을 판별하여 출력하는 함수를 작성해보세요.
 - [file path and name: Chap04Example/MethodPractice02.java](#)
 - requirement
 - method name: **checkNumber**
 - input and output examples

```
Enter the one number: 5.71  
5.71 is positive.
```

```
Enter the one number: 0.1  
0.1 is positive.
```

```
Enter the one number: -1.8  
-1.8 is negative.
```

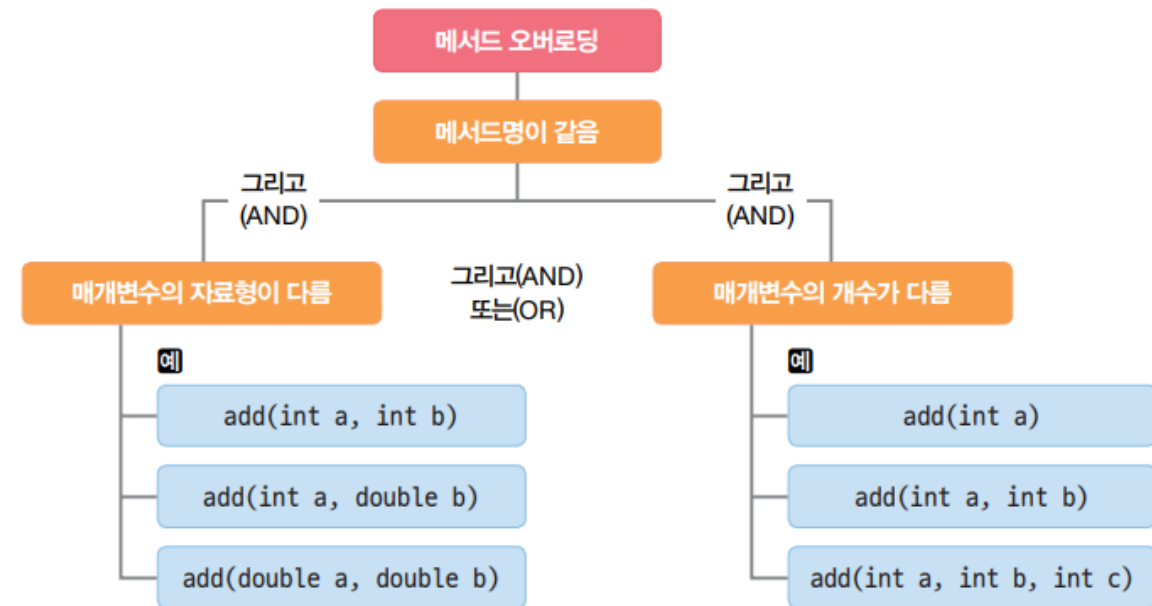
2. Method overloading

What is concept of “overloading”?

- Method overloading
 - allows to have **more than one method with the same name**
 - as long as their parameter lists are different
 - enables methods to perform similar functions but with different types or numbers of inputs
 - supports polymorphism, allowing developers to write more flexible and readable code

Key points of method overloading

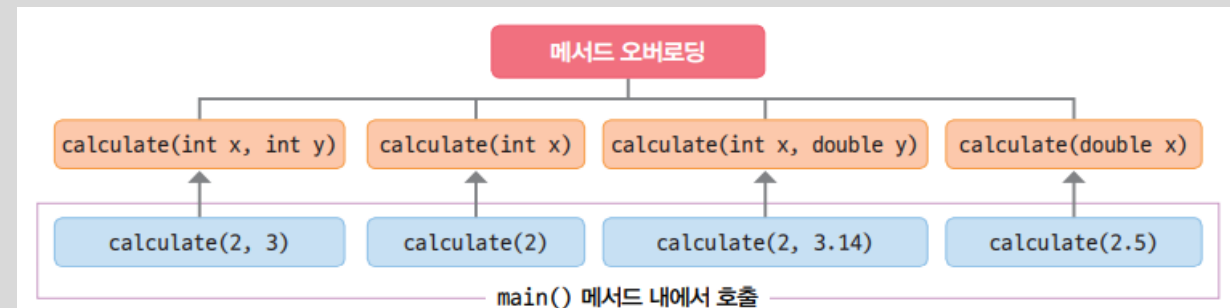
- **Different parameter lists**
 - the overloaded methods must differ in the number or type of parameters
- **Return type irrelevance**
 - return type of the methods can be the same or different
 - in fact, return type alone is not sufficient for method overloading
- **Same method name**
 - the methods must have the same name but must differ in their parameter lists



- parameter의 data type을 보고 컴파일러가 알아서 적절한 method call을 수행

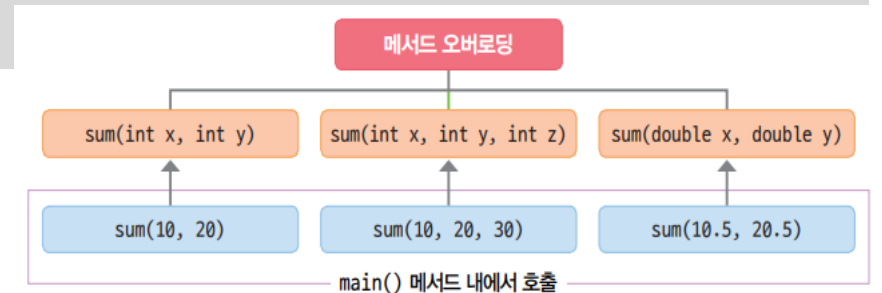
Usage of method overloading

```
public class MethodOverladingExample01 {  
    public static void calculate(int x, int y) {  
        System.out.println(x * y);  
    }  
    public static void calculate(int x) {  
        System.out.println(x * x);  
    }  
    public static void calculate(int x, double y) {  
        System.out.println(x * y);  
    }  
    public static void calculate(double x) {  
        System.out.println(x * x);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        calculate(2, 3);  
        calculate(2, 3.14);  
        calculate(2);  
        calculate(2.5);  
    }  
}
```



Usage of method overloading

```
public class MethodOverladingExample02 {  
    public static int sum(int x, int y) {  
        return (x + y);  
    }  
    public static int sum(int x, int y, int z) {  
        return (x + y + z);  
    }  
    public static double sum(double x, double y) {  
        return (x + y);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("sum(10, 20)의 값 : "+ sum(10, 20));  
        System.out.println("sum(10, 20, 30)의 값 : "+ sum(10, 20, 30));  
        System.out.println("sum(10.5, 20.5)의 값 : "+ sum(10.5, 20.5));  
    }  
}
```



Examples and practices for method overloading

- 메소드 오버로딩을 활용하여 first name(이름)만 입력된 경우와 last name(성)이 함께 입력된 경우와 이름과 성이 함께 입력된 경우를 구분하도록 하는 메소드 2개를 작성해보세요.
 - [file path and name: Chap04Example/MethodOverloadingPractice01.java](#)
 - requirement
 - method name: printName()
 - output examples

```
Hello, Noh  
Hello, Noh Byeongjoon
```

Examples and practices for method overloading

- 사용자로부터 삼각형의 밑변(base)과 높이(height)를 입력받고, 삼각형의 넓이를 계산하고 반환하는 메소드를 작성하세요.
 - [file path and name: Chap04Example/MethodOverloadingPractice02.java](#)
 - requirement
 - method name: getArea()
 - 입력받은 수의 조합이 아래와 같은 경우가 되며, 이를 메소드 오버로딩을 활용하여 처리한다.
 - 정수-정수, 정수-실수, 실수-정수, 실수-실수
 - 결과는 소숫점 이하 둘째자리까지 출력한다.
 - input and output examples

```
Enter the base of triangle: 5
Enter the height of triangle: 1.4
The area is 3.50
```

```
Enter the base of triangle: 5
Enter the height of triangle: 5
The area is 12.50
```


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