

# Inheritance

# Override

# Inheritance

- Recall that we used inheritance to add all of the state and behavior of one class to another class
- HealthPotion extends (or, inherits from) GameItem
  - HealthPotion objects have all the instance variables (State) of both HealthPotion and GameItem
- GameItem is the super class of HealthPotion

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public class GameItem {  
    private double xLoc;  
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    }  
}
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- HealthPotion objects have all the methods (Behavior) of both HealthPotion and GameItem
- We add a use method to the GameItem class
- All HealthPotion objects now have a use method

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# Inheritance

- What if we want to extend a class, but don't want 100% of the inherited state and behavior?
- We want a class to inherit the location code from GameItem, but want the use method to something else
- Override!

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# Override

- Weapon will also inherit the state and behavior from GameItem
- We will **Override** the use method with a new definition specific to the Weapon class
  - The inherited method is **replaced** by this new definition

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# Override

- To Override a method definition
- Use the `@Override` annotation before the method
- The annotation makes your intentions clear and tells the compiler that this method will replace an inherited method

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# Override

- The `@Override` annotation is optional [but recommended]
- When overriding a method, your method must have the same *signature* as the method being overwritten
  - Same name
  - Same number of parameters
  - Same parameter types
  - Same return type
- If there are any differences between the methods, the method is not overridden

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- If you have the `@Override` annotation
  - The compiler will let you know if you have mistakes in the method signature
- This code will not compile since `use` does not match the signature of any inherited method
- Without the `@Override` annotation:
  - This code will compile and run, but will not do what you want or expect

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    private double xLoc;  
    private double yLoc;  
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Incoming Memory  
Diagram!!

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Stack		Heap
Name	Value	
		in/out

- What will happen when the use method is called?
- There are 2 definitions of the method in 2 different classes

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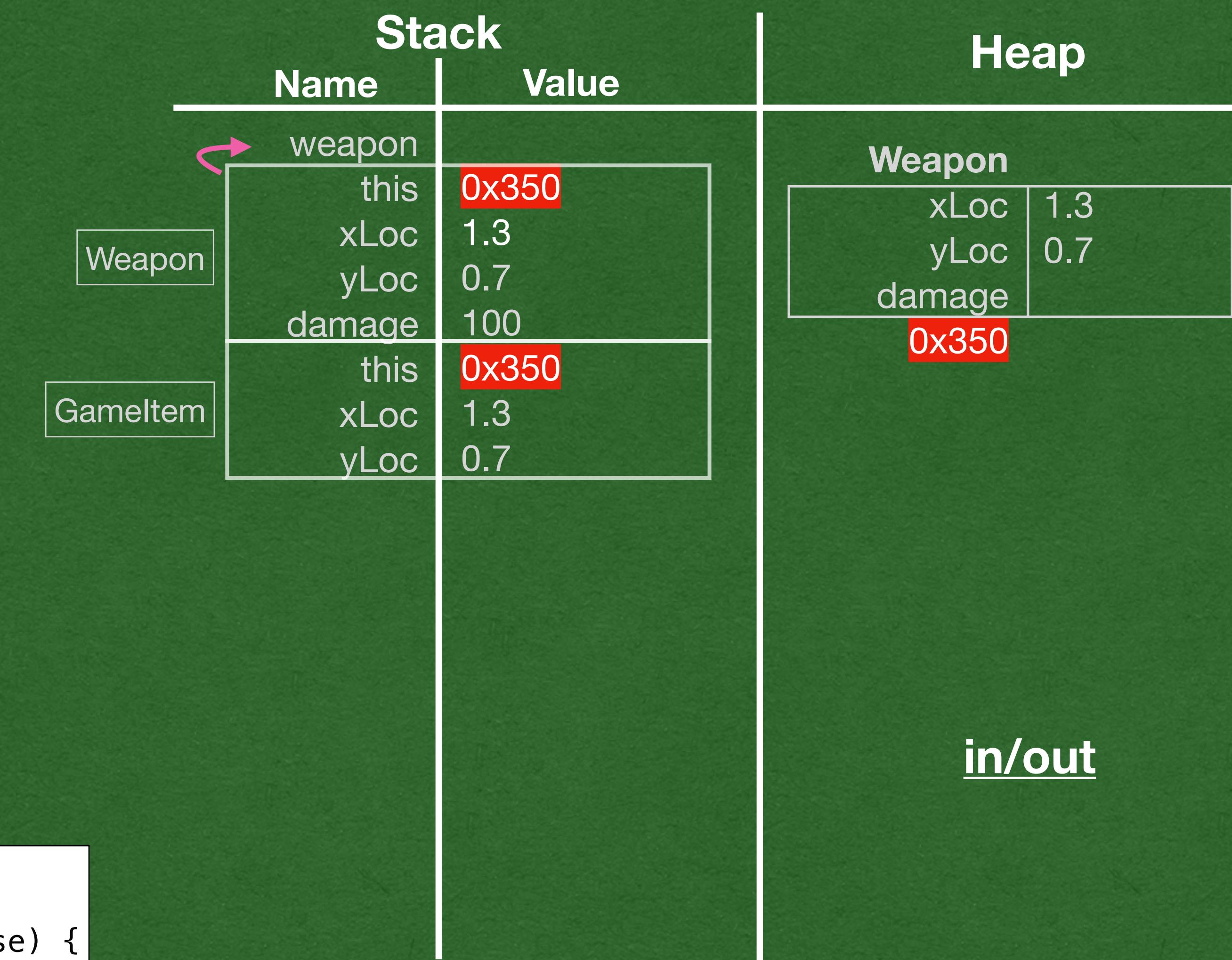
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When a class extends another class:

- Objects inherit all the instance variables of the super class
- The super class constructor is called (Do not forget this stack frame)

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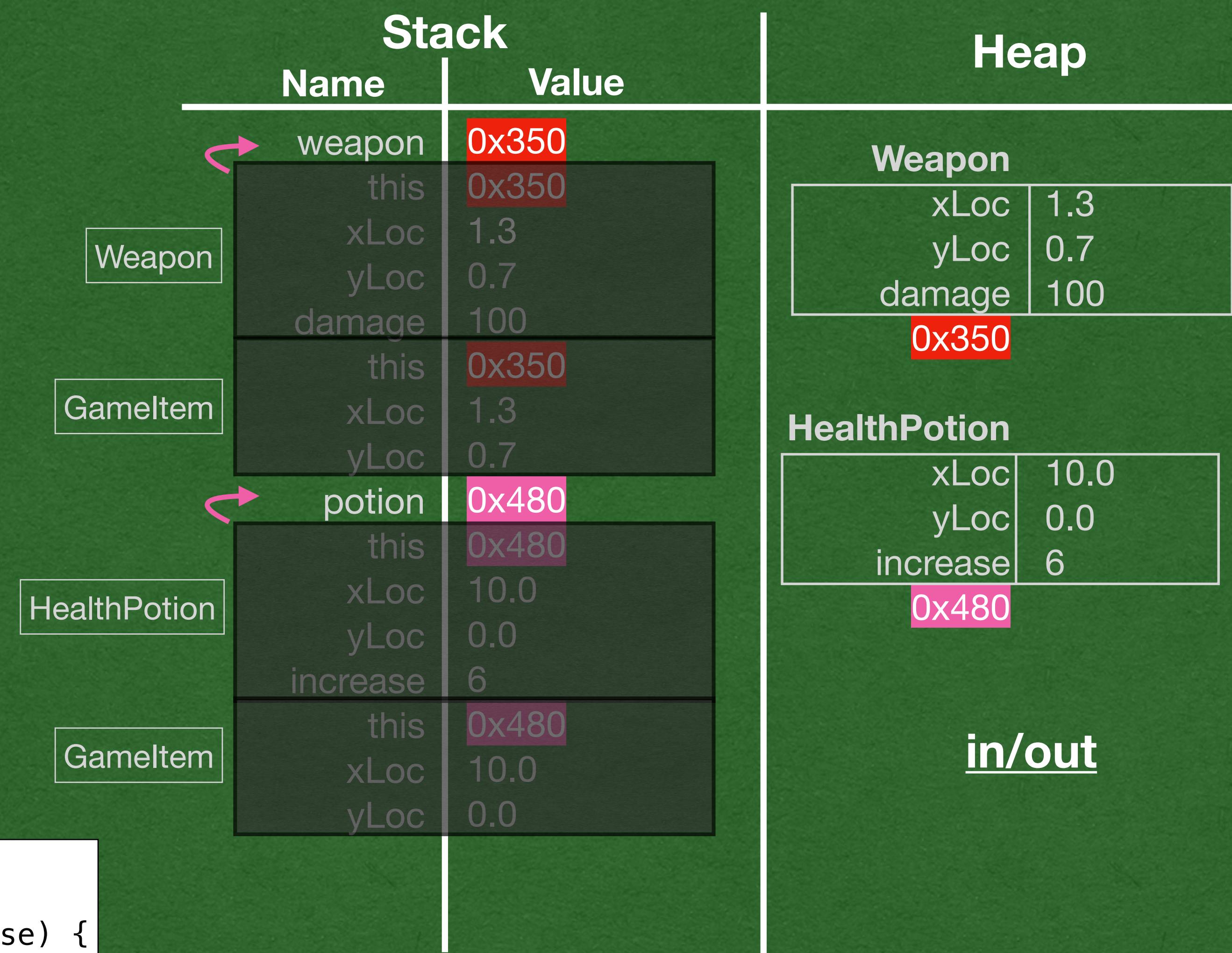
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- The same applies to HealthPotion
- Do not forget the super constructor stack frame

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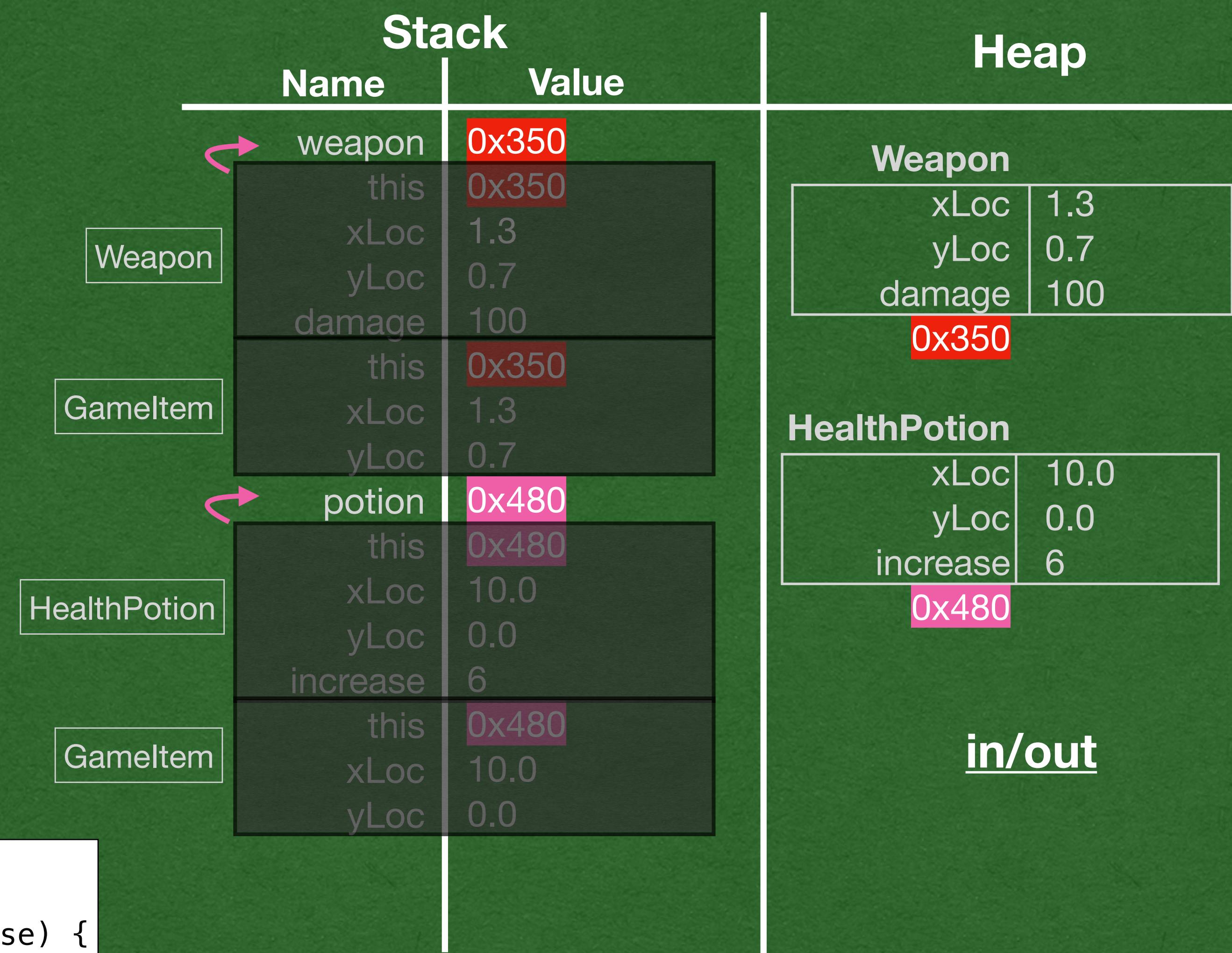
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- We are calling the use method
- What method will be called?
- There are 2 different use methods

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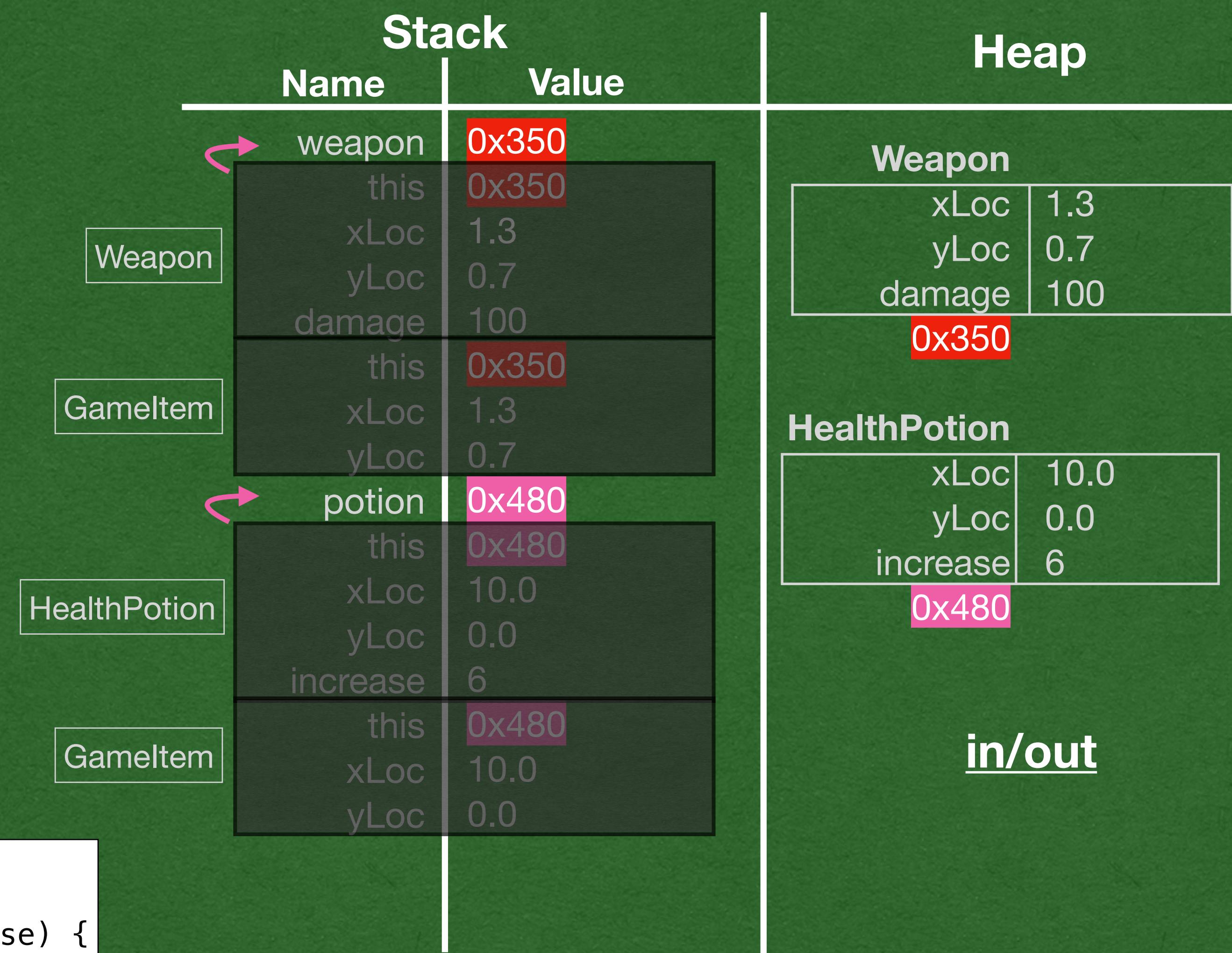
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- Follow the type of the calling object!
- This call is from an object of type **Weapon**
- Look in the **Weapon** class

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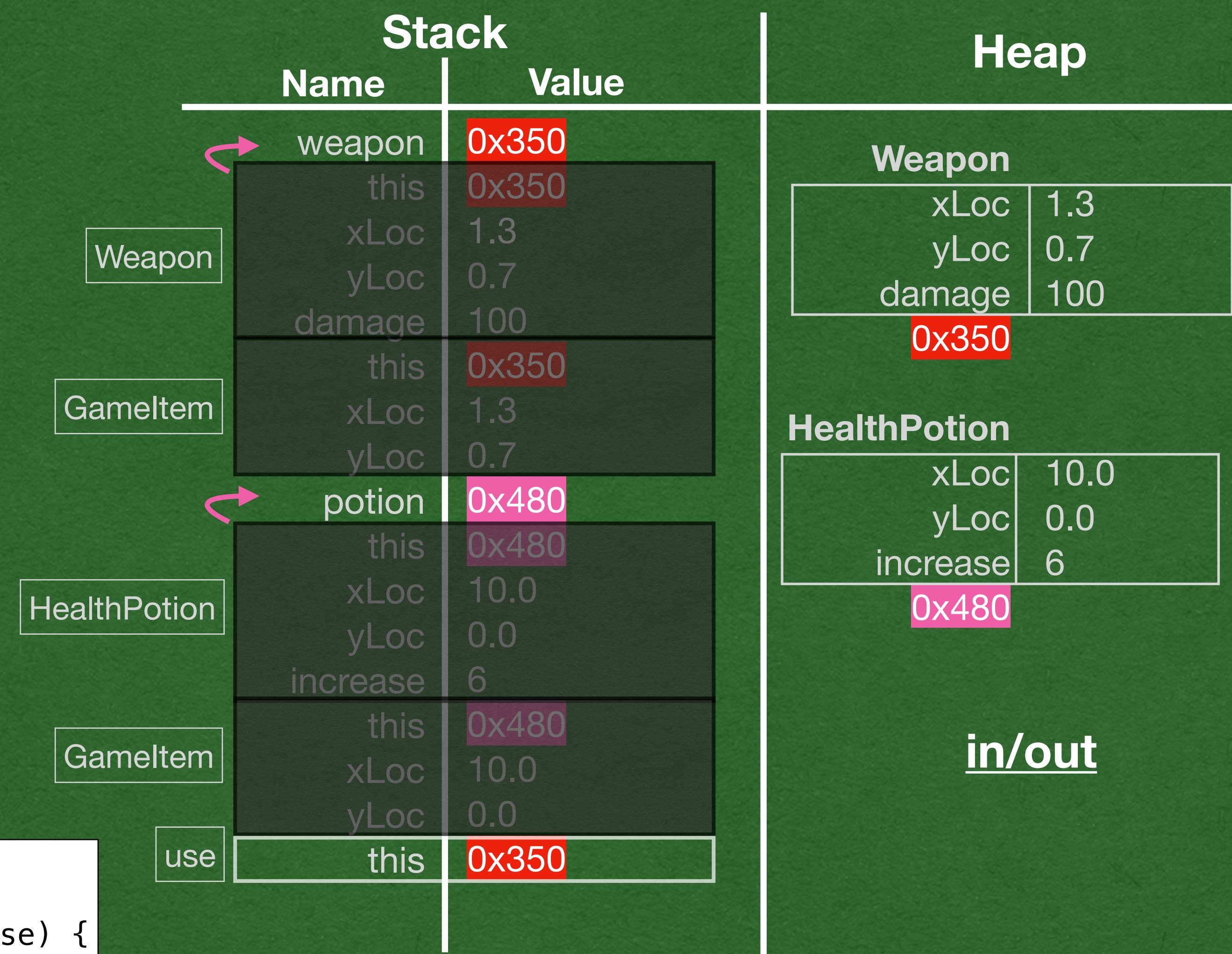
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```



- We find a use method in the Weapon class
- This is the method that's called

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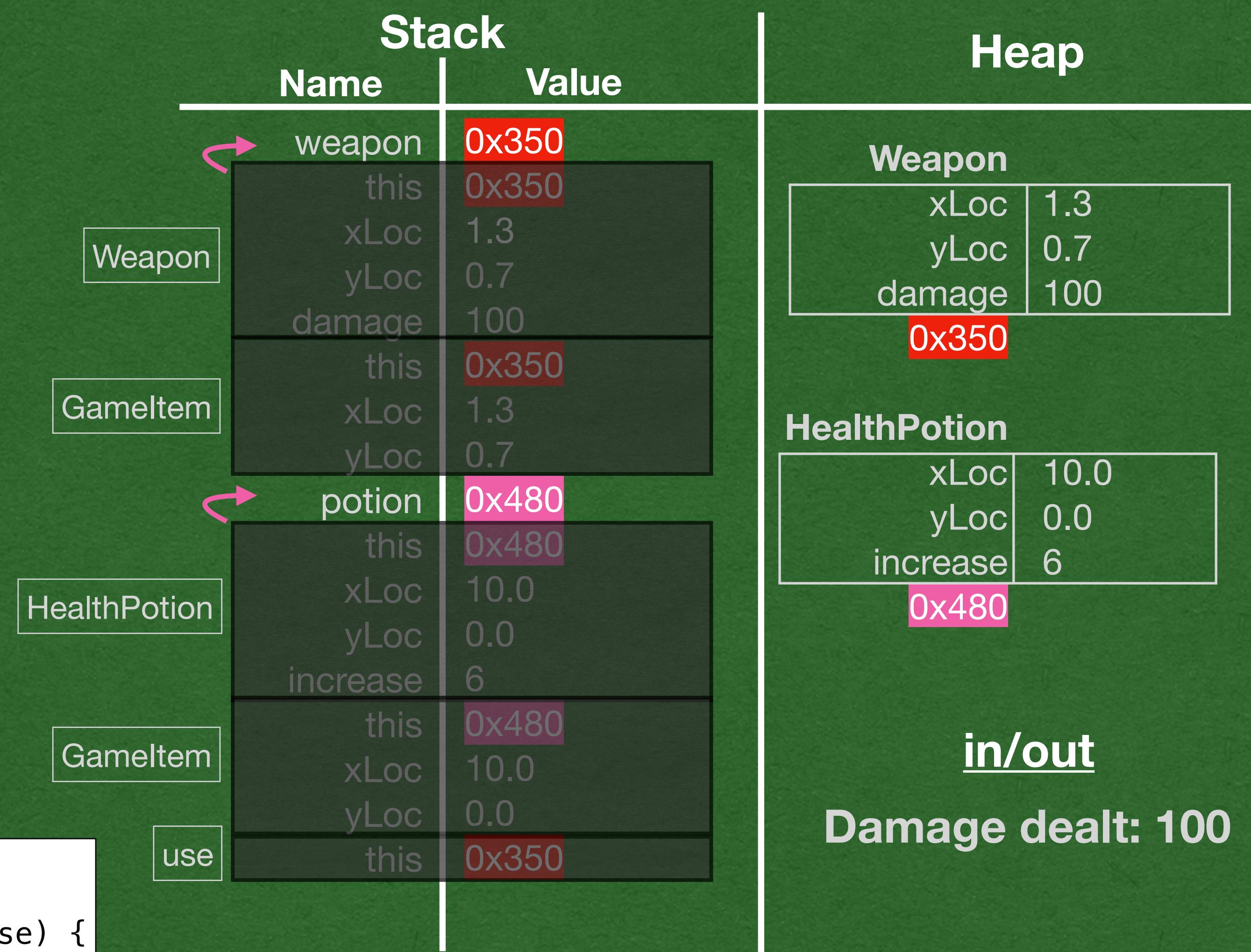
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- Follow the same steps for the next call
- The calling object has type **HealthPotion**
- Look in the **HealthPotion** class

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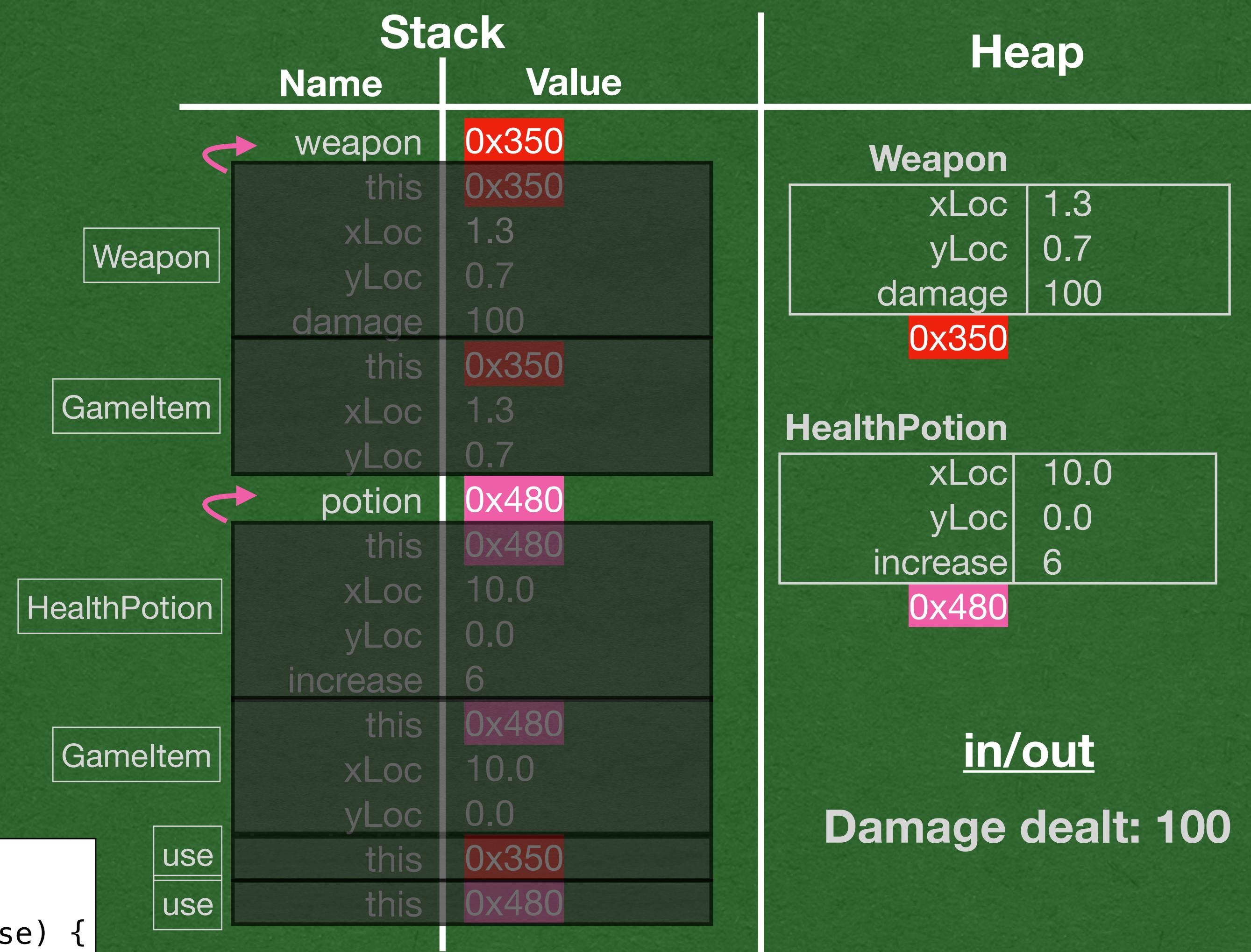
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- We don't find a method named use in the HealthPotion class
- Continue our search in it's super class
  - We find and call the use method in the GameItem class

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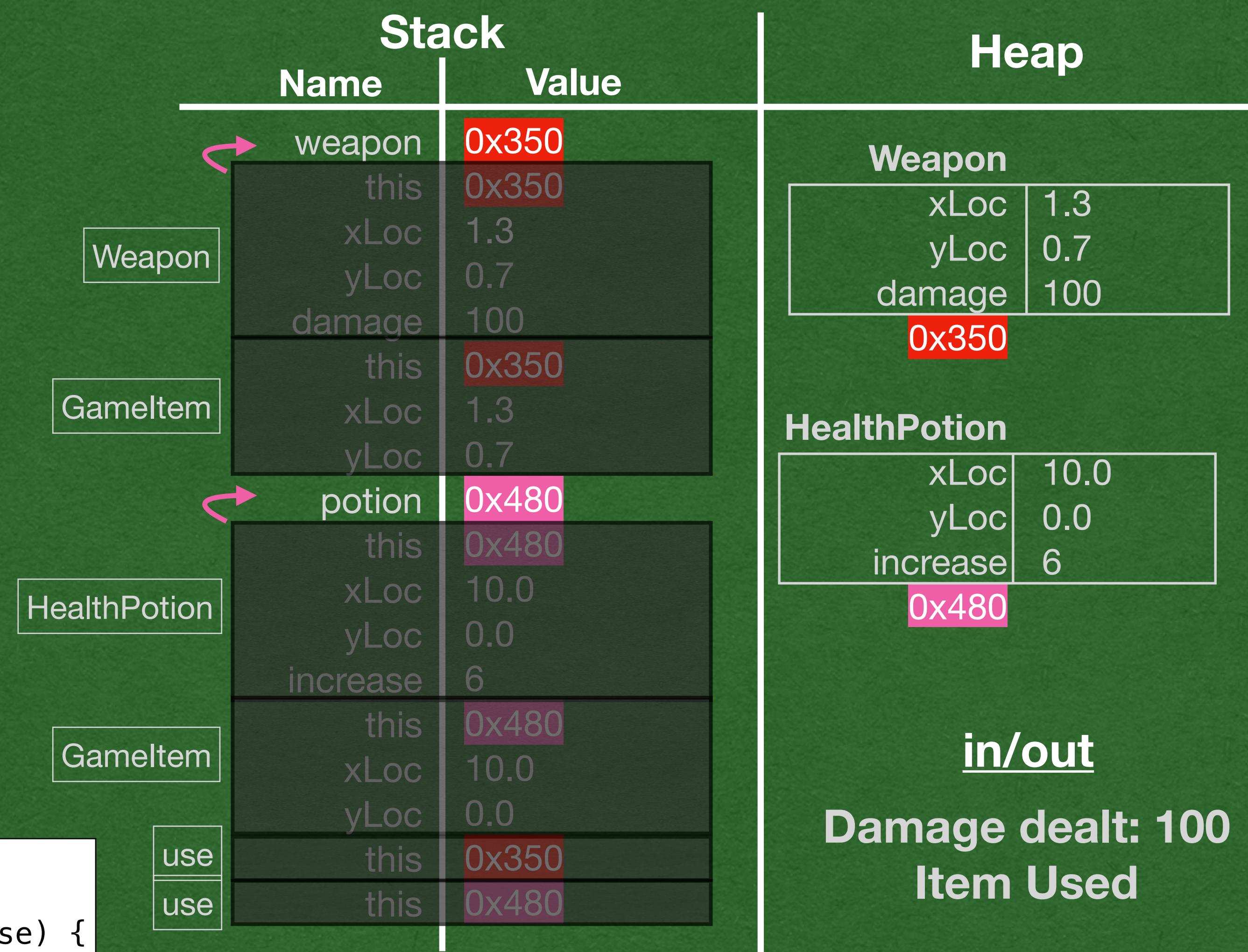
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- Weapon overrides the use method, so its use method is called
- HealthPotion does not override the use method so the inherited use method is called

toString

# The Object Class

- Every class in Java extends Object either directly or indirectly
- Every object in Java has a `toString` and `equals` method that it inherited from Object
- We can override `toString` if we want custom behavior

# toString

- When calling `toString` on `HealthPotion` or `Weapon`:
  - We don't find a `toString` method in the class matching the type of the object
  - Continue the search in `GameItem`
  - Don't find `toString` in `GameItem`
  - Continue the search in `Object`
  - Call the method defined in `Object`

```
public class GameItem {  
    private double xLoc;  
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```

```
package java.lang;  
  
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public class Object {  
  
    public Object() {}  
  
    public String toString() {  
        return getClass().getName() + "@" + Integer.toHexString(hashCode());  
    }  
}
```

# toString

- The `toString` method inherited from the `Object` class will return:
  - `{object_type}@{hex_value}`
  - `week6.Weapon@452b3a41`
  - `week6.HealthPotion@4a574795`

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- The default behavior of `toString` is mostly useless
- Even the official documentation says - "*It is recommended that all subclasses override this method.*"
- We will override this method

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- GameItem implicitly extends Object and inherits toString
- We override this default behavior to return something meaningful to our GameItems
  - In previous lectures, we did this without the @Override annotation
- Weapon and HealthPotion inherit the override method from GameItem

```
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    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {  
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    }  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
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- We can also override a method that has already been overridden
- In both Weapon and HealthPotion
  - Override `toString` again to return Strings specific to each type
- Note: In `Weapon` we omitted the annotation and in `HealthPotion` we used the annotation
  - Both have the same result on our program
  - No reason to mix using and not using the annotation except for an example

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        this.xLoc = xLoc;  
        this.yLoc = yLoc;  
    }  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Weapon extends GameItem {  
    private int damage;  
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {  
        super(xloc, yLoc);  
        this.damage = damage;  
    }  
    public String toString() {  
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;  
    }  
}
```

```
public class HealthPotion extends GameItem {  
    private int increase;  
    public HealthPotion(double xLoc, double yLoc, int increase) {  
        super(xLoc, yLoc);  
        this.increase = increase;  
    }  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
        return super.toString() + " - Health Potion";  
    }  
}
```

# super

- We saw the `super` keyword when calling the super classes constructor
- Another use is to call an `override` method
  - Here, we call the `GameItem`'s `toString` method
  - It's common to add functionality to a method instead of completely replacing it
    - Override the method, but still call the method you are replacing with `super`

```
public class GameItem {  
    private double xLoc;  
    private double yLoc;  
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {  
        this.xLoc = xLoc;  
        this.yLoc = yLoc;  
    }  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;  
    }  
}
```

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public class Weapon extends GameItem {  
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}
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    }  
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    public String toString() {  
        return super.toString() + " - Health Potion";  
    }  
}
```

# Another Memory Diagram

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

public class Weapon extends GameItem {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {
        super(xloc, yLoc);
        this.damage = damage;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

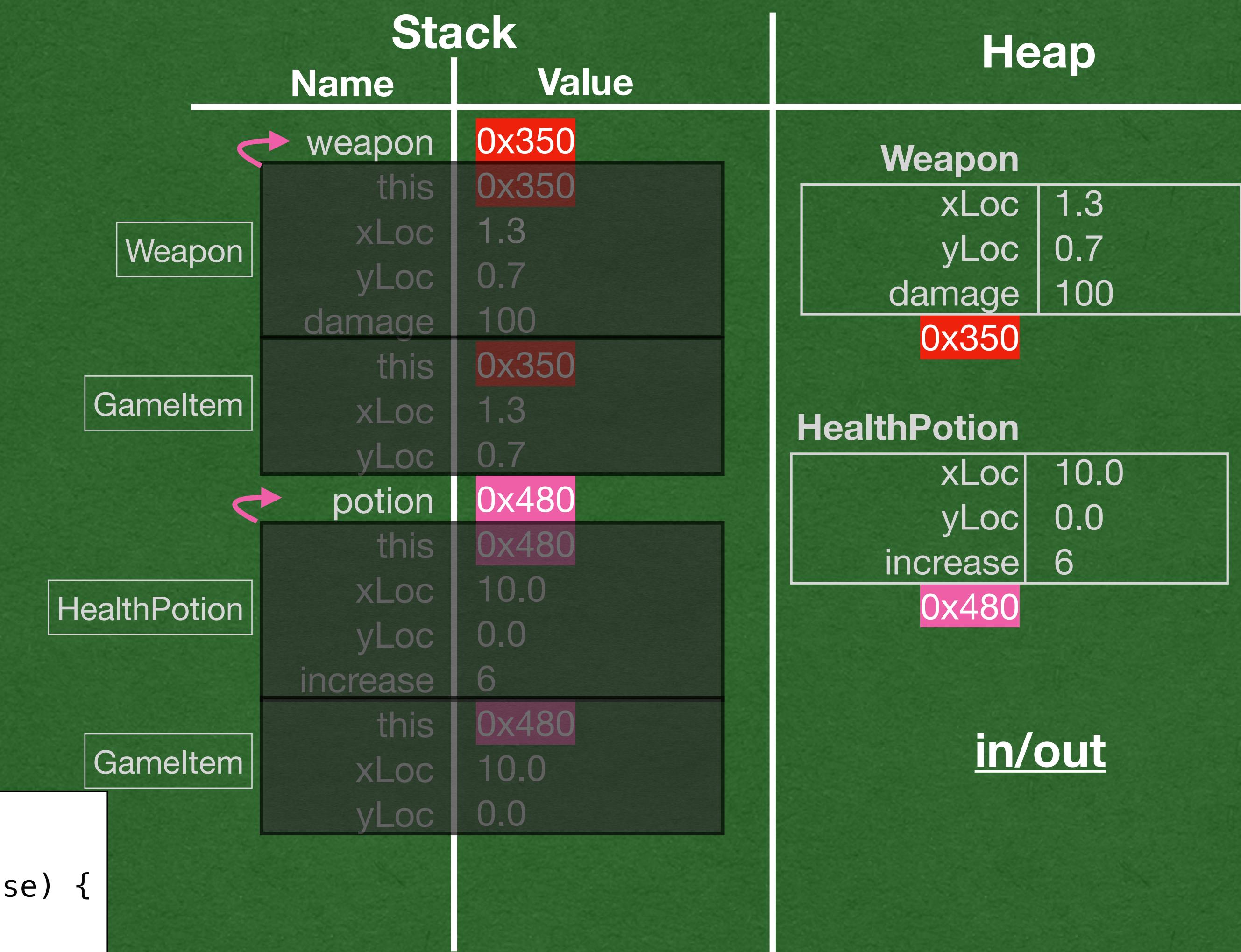
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        this.increase = increase;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return super.toString() + " - Health Potion";
    }
}

```

```

Weapon weapon = new Weapon(1.3, 0.7, 100);
HealthPotion potion = new HealthPotion(10.0, 0.0, 6);
System.out.println(weapon);
System.out.println(potion);

```



- What happens when we print Weapons and HealthPotions to the screen?

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

public class Weapon extends GameItem {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {
        super(xloc, yLoc);
        this.damage = damage;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

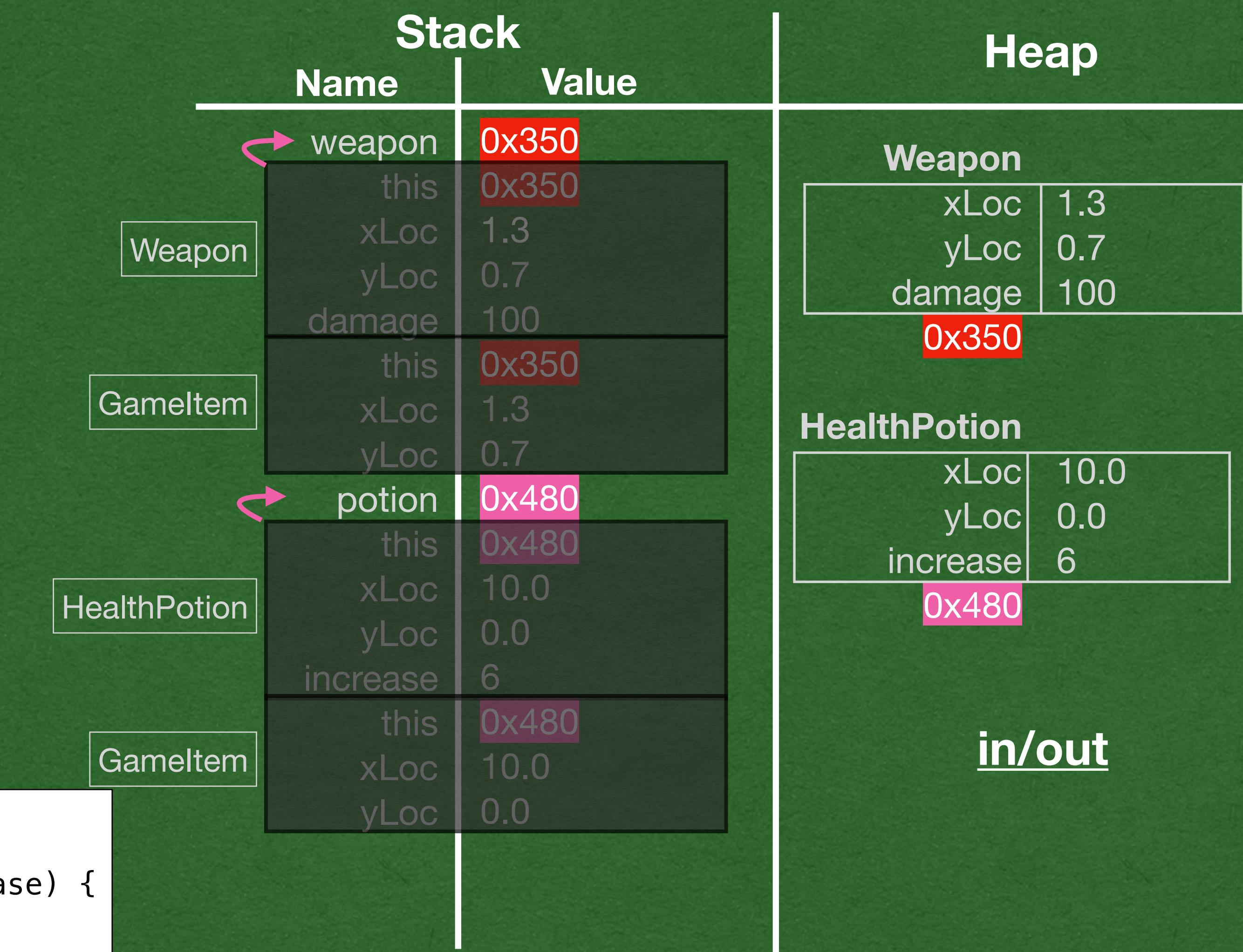
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    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return super.toString() + " - Health Potion";
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}

```

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System.out.println(potion);

```



- System.out.println will call `toString`
- You must call `toString` in your memory diagrams if you have the code for a `toString` method

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

public class Weapon extends GameItem {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {
        super(xloc, yLoc);
        this.damage = damage;
    }
    ➔ public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

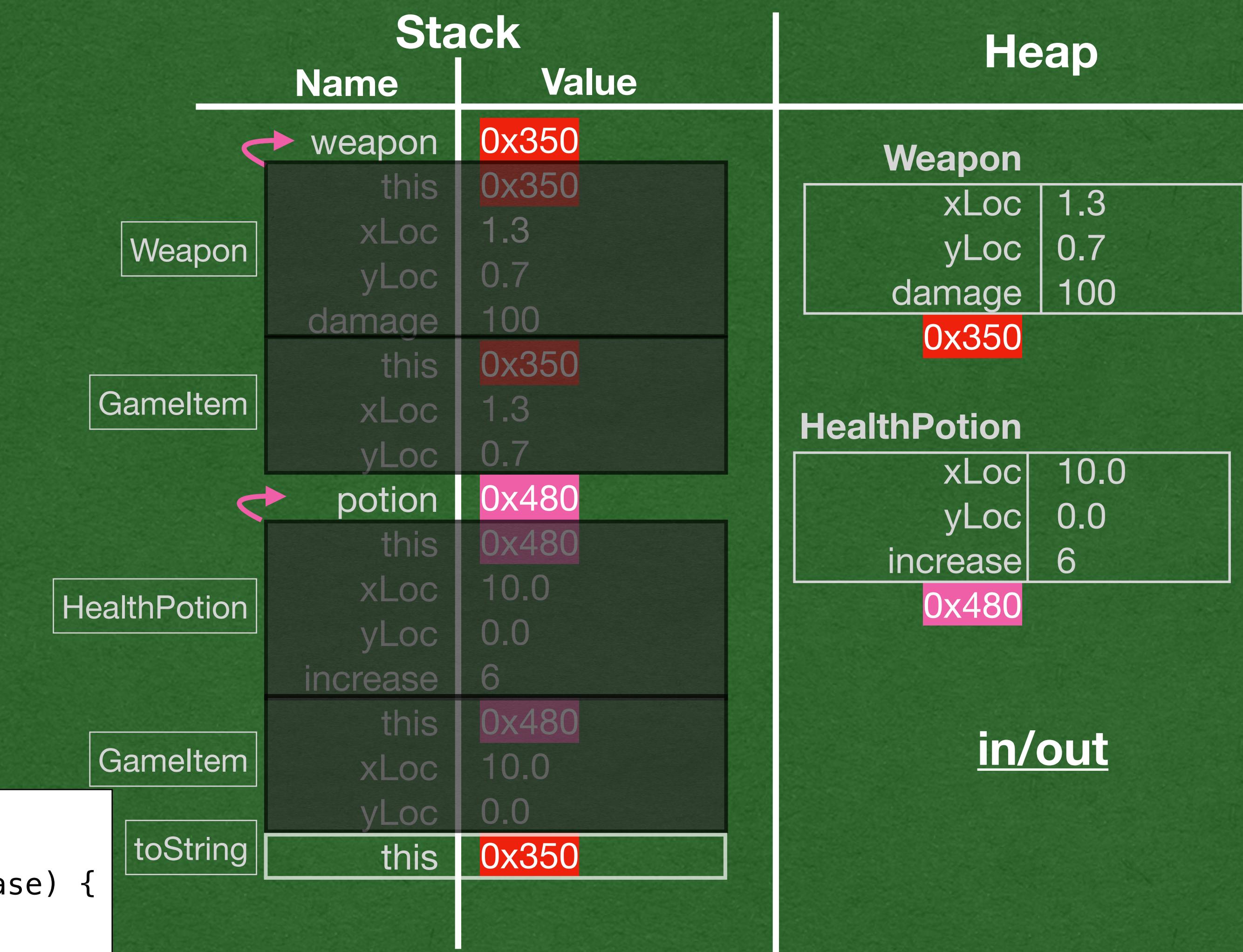
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System.out.println(potion);

```



- The calling object has type **Weapon**
- Find **toString** in the **Weapon** class
- The **Override** is implicit since there's no annotation

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

public class Weapon extends GameItem {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {
        super(xloc, yLoc);
        this.damage = damage;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

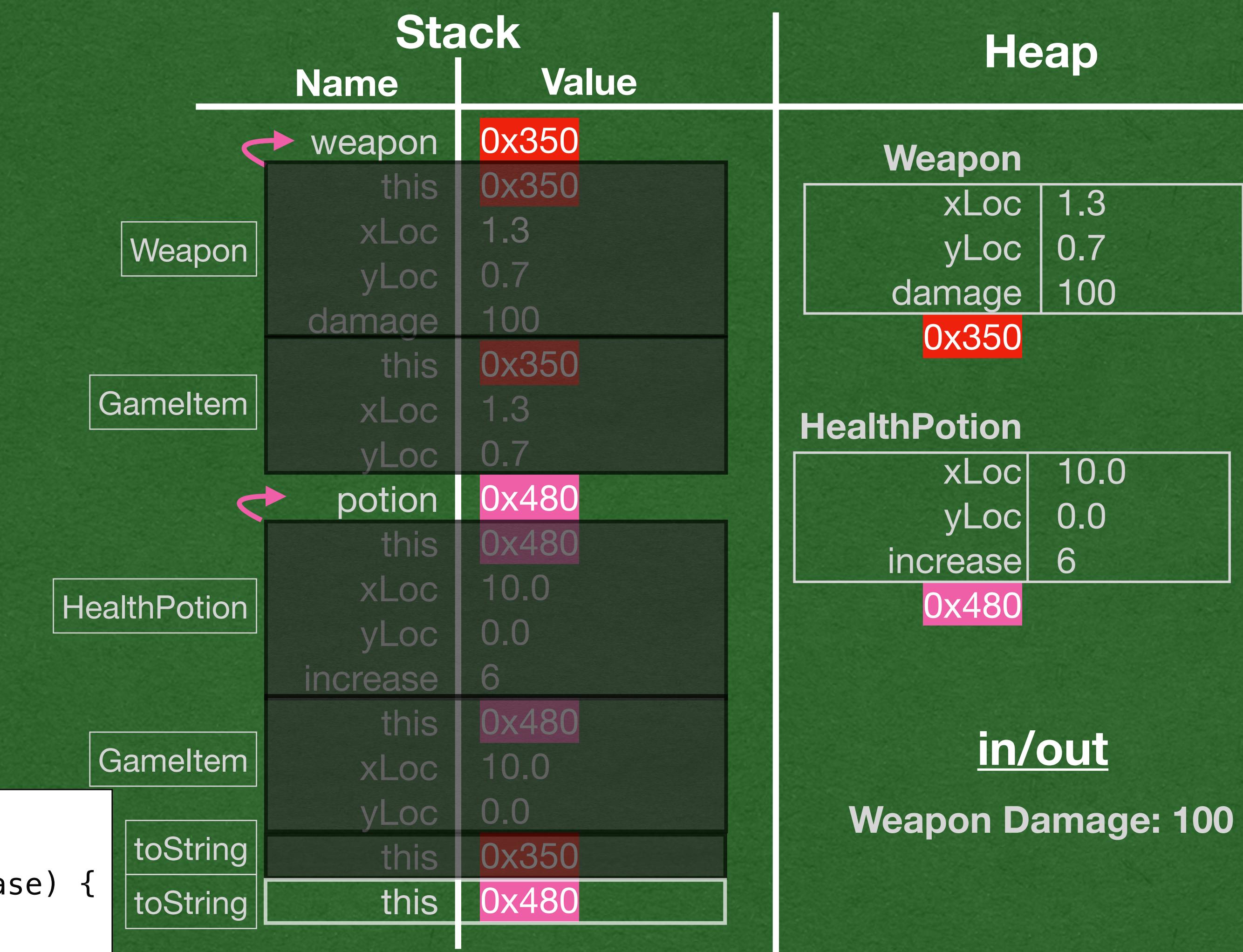
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    @Override
    public String toString() {
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```

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```



- Similar for HealthPotion
- Look in the HealthPotion class and find a `toString` method
- This time the Override is explicit with an annotation

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
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    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

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    private int damage;
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        super(xloc, yLoc);
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    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

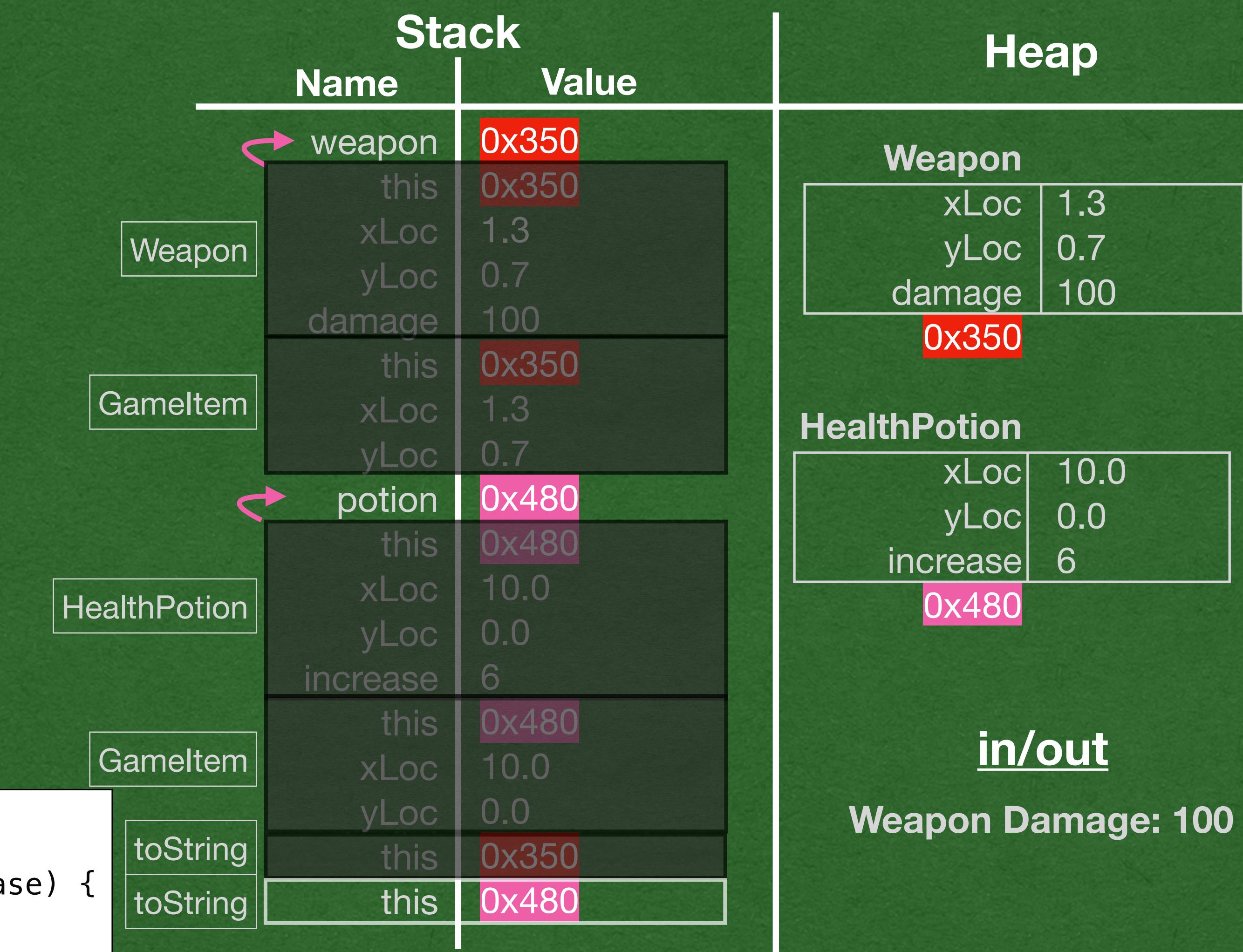
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```

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→ System.out.println(potion);

```



- For a super method call:
- Look in the super class for a matching method

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
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    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    → public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

public class Weapon extends GameItem {
    private int damage;
    public Weapon(double xloc, double yLoc, int damage) {
        super(xloc, yLoc);
        this.damage = damage;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

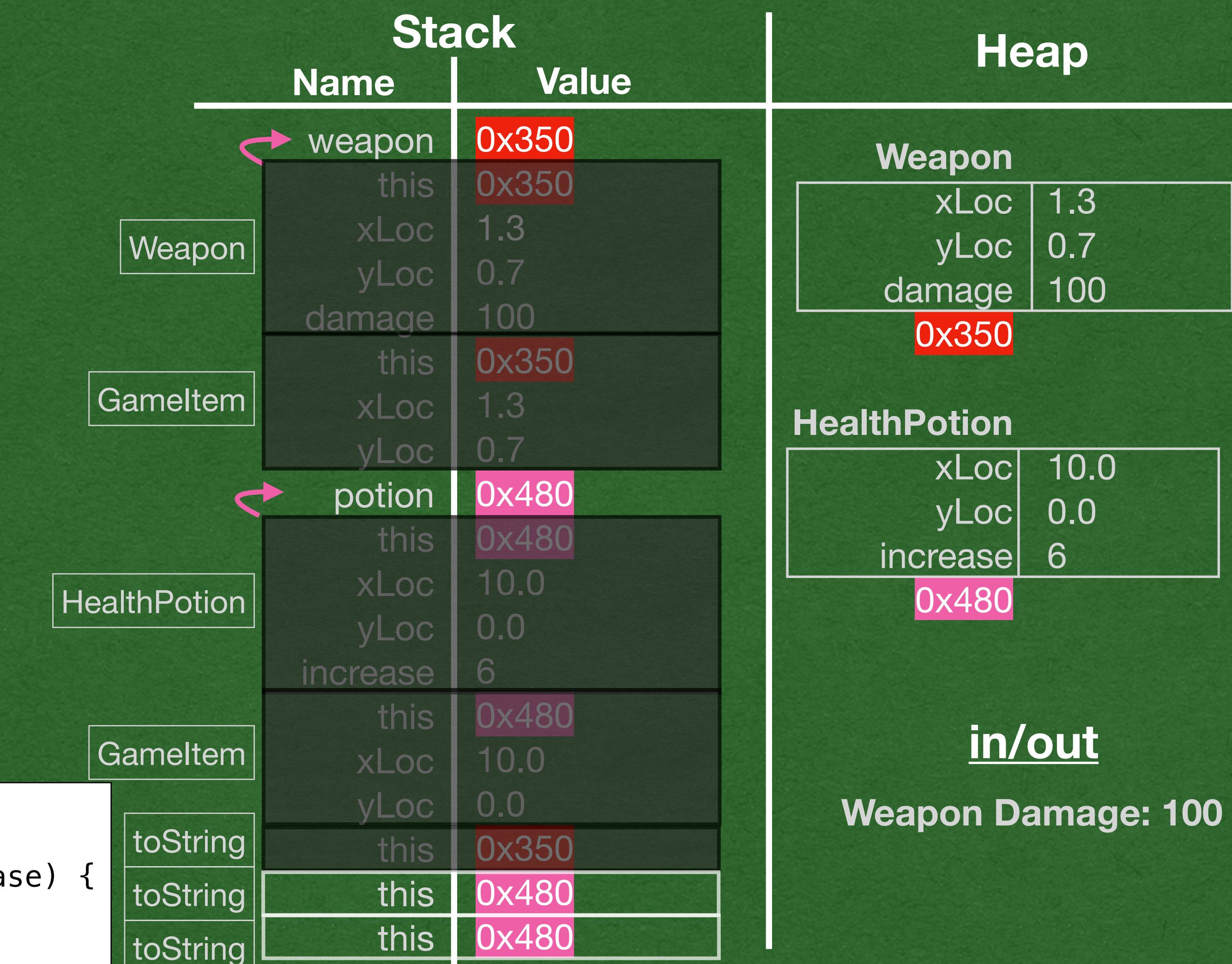
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```



- We find a `toString` method in `GameItem`
  - This is the method called from `super.toString()`
  - `this` in a super method call is the same as the original calling object

```

public class GameItem {
    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
        this.xLoc = xLoc;
        this.yLoc = yLoc;
    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
    }
}

```

```

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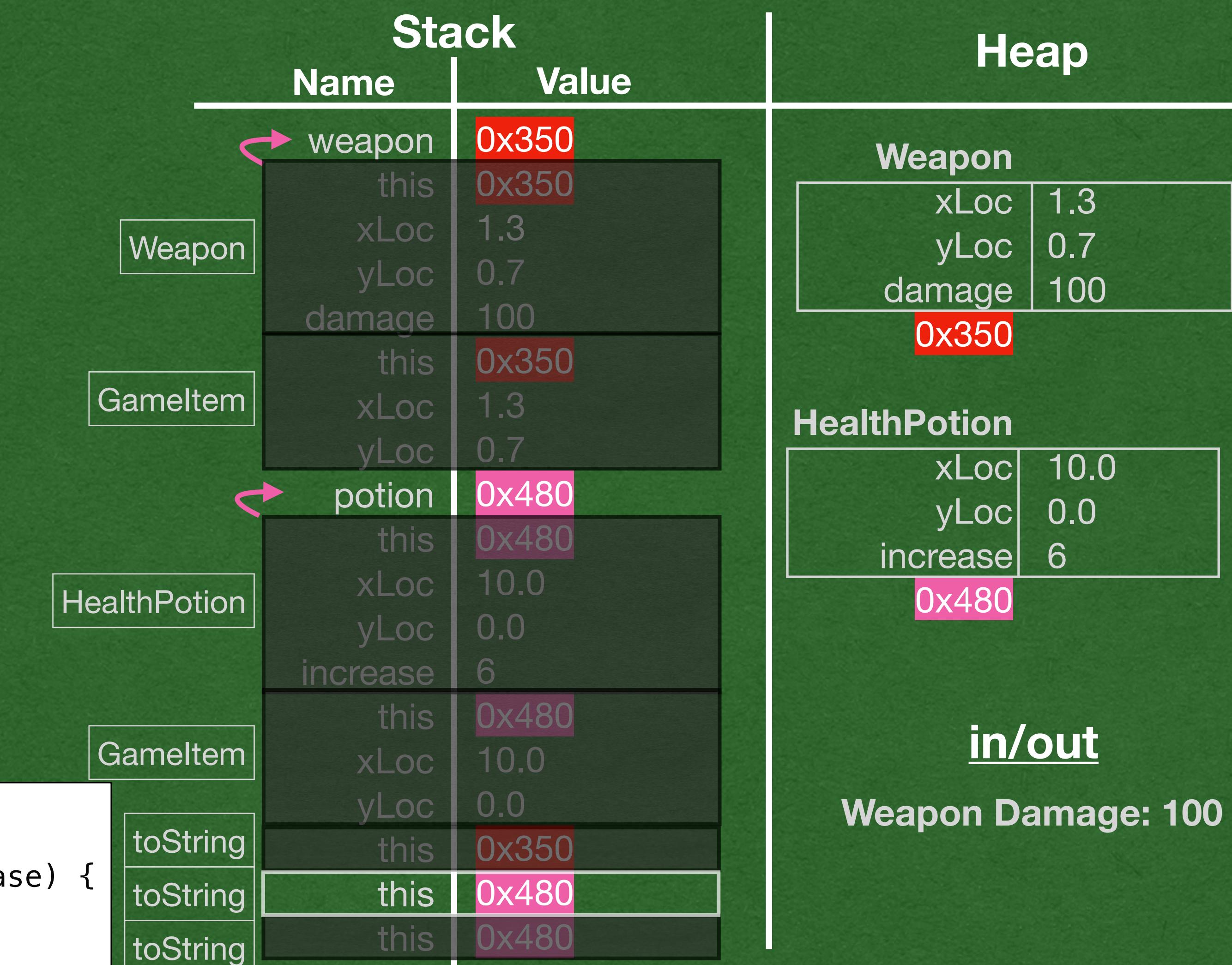
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```



- The super method call returns "x: 10.0 y:0.0"
- The HealthPotion methods concatenates to this and returns

```

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    private double xLoc;
    private double yLoc;
    public GameItem(double xLoc, double yLoc) {
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    }
    @Override
    public String toString() {
        return "x: " + this.xLoc + " y:" + this.yLoc;
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}

```

```

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        super(xloc, yLoc);
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    }
    public String toString() {
        return "Weapon Damage: " + this.damage;
    }
}

```

```

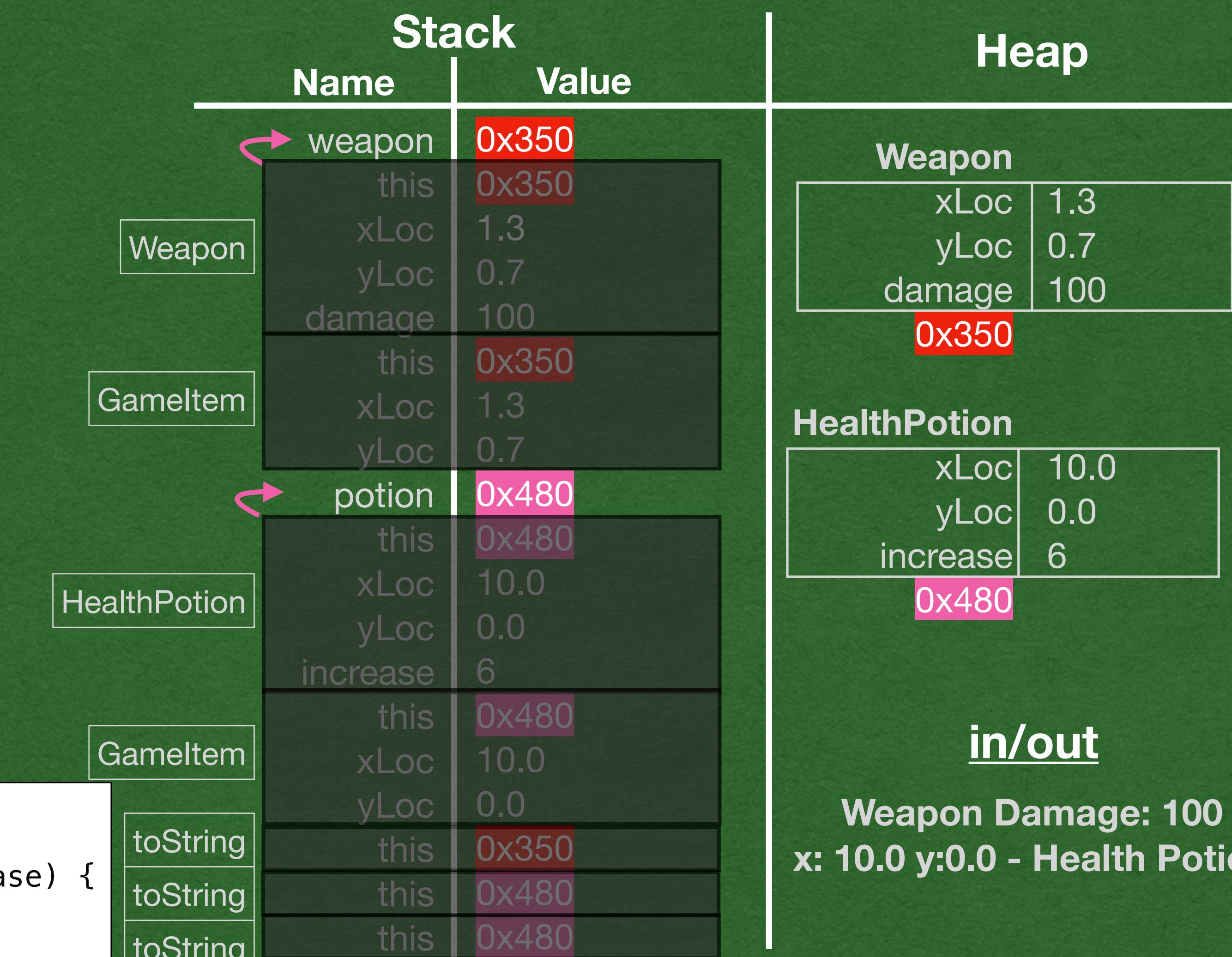
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```



- Print the final String to the screen
- End program