Ch1. Java Review

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Bird's eye view

- Requirements of program development
 - Representing data in an effective way
 - We need data structures
 - Developing a suitable procedure
 - We need algorithm design methods
- Before you go, you need to be
 - A proficient java programmer
 - An adept analyst of computer programs



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Introduction (1/2)

- When examining a computer program
 - Is it correct?
 - How easy is it to read the program?
 - Is the program well documented?
 - How easy is it to make changes to the program?
 - How much memory is needed to run the program?
 - For how long will the program run?
 - How general is the code?
 - Can the code be compiled & run on a variety of computers?



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Introduction (2/2)

- Regardless of the application, the most important attribute of a program is correctness
- The goal of software courses is to teach techniques that will enable you to develop correct, elegant, and efficient programming
- This course "data structure" is regarding efficient programming techniques
- Let's begin with JAVA



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Java Skeleton (1)

- Every Java program
 - Class with data member & method member
- Stand-alone program
 - Method main()
 - javac programname, and then java programname
- Applet
 - After compilation, applet is embedded in HTML
 - Method *init()*
 - Web browser or applet viewer





Java Skeleton (2)

Source File

- A plain text file (*.java) containing the Java code
- The Java compiler (javac) processes the source file to produce a byte code file (*.class)
- A source file may have
 - Only one public class (or interface)
 - And an unlimited # of default classes (or interfaces) defined within it
- The name of the source file must be the same as the name of the "only one" public class
- Package name can be specified in the source file
 - Compilation created the directory for the classes in a package





Java Skeleton (3)

Declarations

- A declaration introduces a class, interface, method, package, or variable into a Java program
- The order in which you place your declarations in the source file is important
 - 1. The package declaration (optional, at the top)
 - 2. The import function (optional)
 - 3. Any class declarations

Class

- A declaration for a potential object
- You can think of a class as a skeleton or framework that contains methods but no data
- Once the class is initiated it becomes an *object* (or an *instance*)





Java Skeleton (4)

Package

- An entity that groups classes together
- Packages perform the following functions
 - Organize and group classes
 - Help to specify access restrictions to variables and methods
 - Make it easy to import other programmers' classes into your code
- The name of the package must reflect the directory structure used to store the classes in your package after compilation
- Place the package declaration at the top of the source file





Java Skeleton (5)

Each package defines a directory at compile time

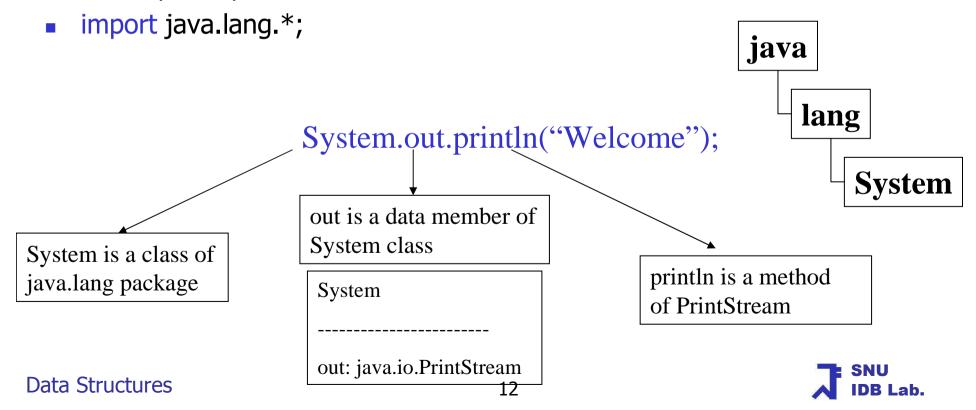
```
package misc; //This program is a member of the package misc
public class Welcome //name of this class is Welcome
{
    public static void main(String args[])
    {
        System.out.println("Welcome to the text Data Structures");
    }
} //Welcome.java is in the directory misc
```





Importing Classes and Packages (1/2)

- An import statement allows you to use shorthand in your source code so that we don't have to type a fully qualified name for each class you use
 - Use a class that is contained in some other program
 - Require a path to this class



Importing Classes and Packages (2/2)

 You can select classes within a package, or select an entire package of classes that you may use in your code



Superclasses and Subclasses (1/2)

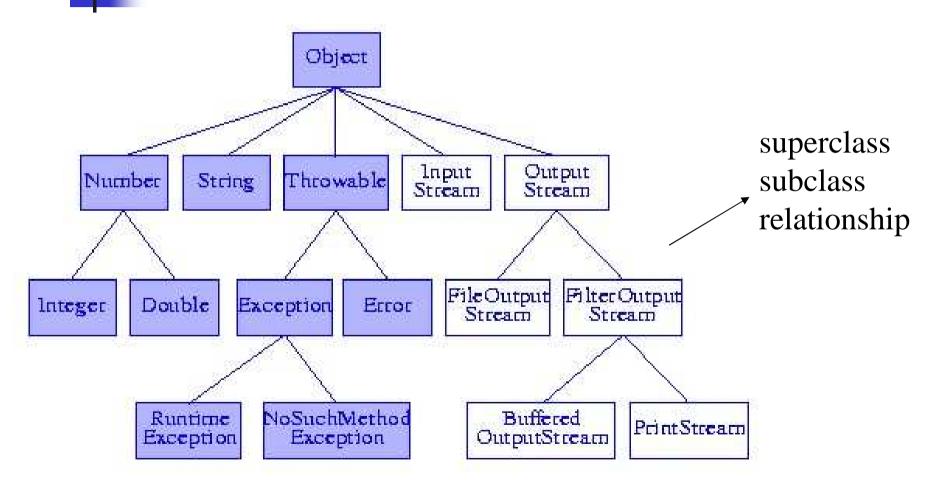


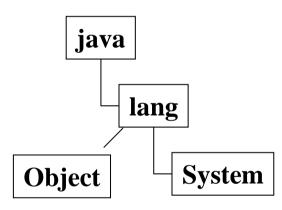
Figure 1.1 Hierarchy for a few Java classes





Superclasses and Subclasses (2/2)

- All classes are subclasses of java.lang.Object
- No class has more than one superclass: single inheritance



```
public class Welcome extends NameOfSuperClass // specify the superclass public final class Welcome // prevent extending the class
```



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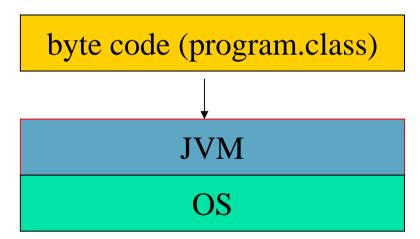
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The JAVA Complier and Virtual Machine (1/2)

- JAVA compiler
 - Javac ProgramName.java // generates ProgramName.class
 - Java ProgramName // JVM interprets ProgramName.class







The JAVA Complier and Virtual Machine (2/2)

- JVM Advantage
 - Write Once, Run Anywhere → Portability
 - Compact size
 - Higher level of security
- JVM Disadvantage
 - Slower than C or C++



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Documentation Comments (1/3)

- Three ways to write comments
 - // beginning with a double slash
 - → /* and ending with */ → general comments
 - /** and ending with */ → documentation comments
 - Java documentation generation system "javadoc"

javadoc –d docDirectory nameOfPackage

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generation of documentation in the
docDirectory for nameOfPackage





Documentation Comments (2/3)

```
/** Method to find the position of the largest integer.

@param a is the array containing the integers

@param n gives the position of the last integer

@throws IllegalArgumentException when n < 0

@return position of max element in a[0:n] */

public static int max(int [] a, int n)

{
    implementation of max comes here
}
```





Documentation Comments (3/3)

javadoc -d docDirectory nameOfPackage

Documentation result

Public static int max(int a[], int n)

Method to find the position of the largest integer.

Parameters:

a is the array containing the integers

n gives the position of the last integer

Returns:

position of max element in a[0:n]

Throws:

IllegalArgumentException - when n < 0



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Data Types (1/3)

Туре	Default	Space	Range
		(bits)	
boolean	false	1	[true, false]
byte	0	8	[-128,127]
char	\10000	16	$[\u000, \uFFFF]$
double	0.0	64	$\pm 4.9 * 10^{-324}$
			to $\pm 1.8 * 10^{308}$
float	0.0	32	$\pm 1.4 * 10^{-45}$
			to $\pm 3.4 * 10^{38}$
int	0	32	-2,147,483,648
			to 2,147,483,647
long	0	64	$\pm 9.2 * 10^{17}$
short	0	16	[-32768, 32767]

Java's primitive data types



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Data Types (2/3)

- Primitive Data Types
 - int, float, long, short, boolean, byte, char, double
- Nonprimitive Data Types
 - Byte, Integer, Boolean, String
 - Declared in java.lang package
 - They have many useful methods of their own

```
String s = "hello";

System.out.println ("The length of s is " + s.length());
```



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Data Types (3/3)

- Creation of an object instance
 - Primitive data type
 - int theInt; // an instance is created & default value is assigned
 - Nonprimitive data type
 - String s; // it creates an object that can reference a string
 - String s = new String("Bye");





Methods (1/2)

Method

A function or procedure to perform a well-defined task

```
public static int abc(int a, int b, int c) //formal parameters { return a+b*c+b/c; } ... ... z = abc(2, x, y) // actual parameters
```

In Java

All method parameters are value parameters





Methods (2/2)

- Java allows method overloading
 - Same name with different signature

```
public static int abc(int a, int b, int c) {
    return a+b*c+b/c;
}

public static float abc(float a, float b, float c) {
    return a+b*c+b/c;
}

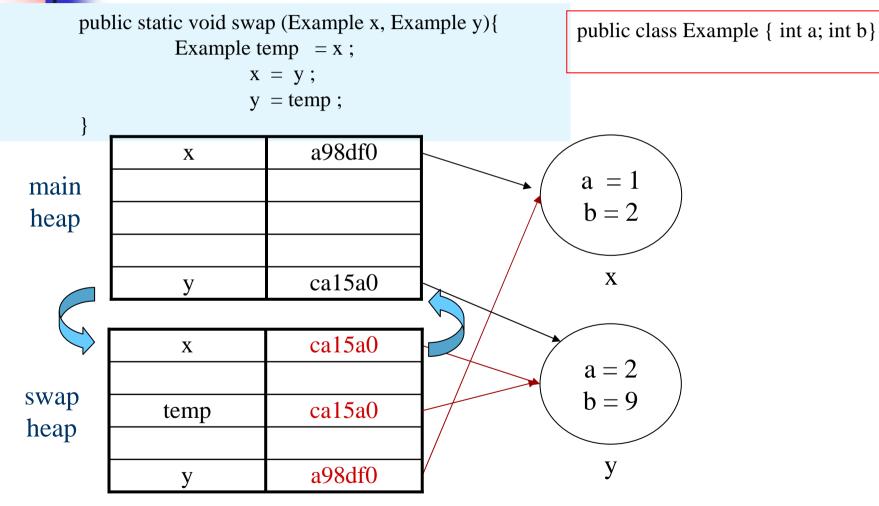
...

z = abc(10, 11, 12);

z = abc(9.9, 10.0, 10.1);
```



SWAP – Changing References

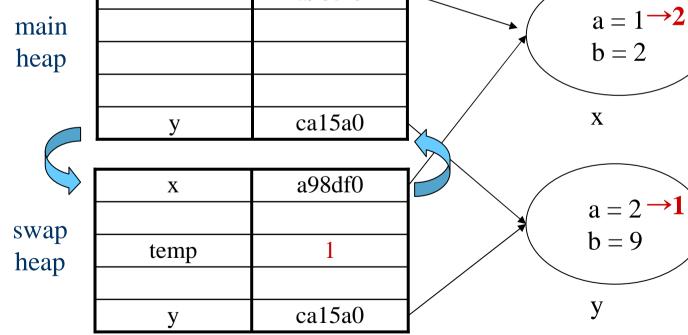




SWAP – Changing Data Member

```
public static void swap2 (Example x, Example y){
  int temp = x.a;
  x.a = y.a;
  y.a = temp;
}
```

public class Example { int a; int b}



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Exceptions (1/4)

- Exception
 - Means "exceptional condition"
 - an occurrence that alters the normal program flow
 - Caused by a variety of happenings
 - HW failures
 - Resource exhaustion
 - Good old bugs
 - When an exceptional event occurs,
 - An exception is said to be thrown
 - The code that is responsible for doing something about the error is called an exception handler
 - The exception handler catches the exception





- Throwing an Exception
 - System Built Exceptions
 - ArithmeticException, ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException,
 IllegalArgumentException, IOException, RuntimeException, Error,......
 - Can be taken care of by system automatically
 - Some system built exceptions can be thrown by the user's program
 - public static int abc(int a, int b) throws IllegalArgumentException
 - Proper exception handler must be provided by the user
 - Some system built exceptions cannot be thrown by the user's program
 - subclasses of either RuntimeException class or Error class





Exceptions (3/4)

- Handling Exceptions
 - try-catch-finally block
 - In a try block, exceptions can occur
 - In a catch block, exceptions are handled
 - Codes in finally block always get executed

```
public static int getVolume (int a, int b, int c) { if (a <= 0 \parallel b <= 0 \parallel c <= 0) throw new IllegalArgumentException ("All parameters must be > 0"); else return a * b * c; }
```

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Exceptions (4/4)

```
public static void main(String [] args) {
 try {
  System.out.println (getVolume(2, -3, 4));
 catch (IllegalArgumentException e) {
   System.out.println ("Some parameters have minus values.");
   System.out.println (e);
 catch (Throwable e) { // Throwable class → Exception Class → many exceptions
        System.out.println (e);
 finally { // this code gets executed whether or not an exception is thrown in the try block
   System.out.println("Thanks for trying this program");
```



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Your Very Own Data Type

- There is a case that you want to specify the format of U.S money with a sign, dollars and cents and avoid the situation that
 - dollars < 0</p>
 - cents < 0 or cents > 99
- If you declare the currency simply with the float data type, you cannot avoid the situation such as
 - Currency = 35.4755
 - Currency = -9.888





The Class Currency

- Define your own data types : Currency class
- Components of Currency: Data Member
 - sign, dollars, cents
- Operations for *Currency*: Methods
 - Set their value
 - Determine the components
 - Add two instances of type Currency
 - Increment the value of an instance
 - Output

```
public class Currency
{
     // data and method members of Currency come here
}
```





The Data Members of *Currency*

- Five data members
 - PLUS, MINUS, sign, dollars, cents
- Keywords
 - Public : Visible to all classes
 - Static : PLUS and MINUS are class data members
 - Final : PLUS and MINUS cannot be changed
 - Private: Visible only within the class Currency

```
// class constants
public static final boolean PLUS = true;
public static final boolean MINUS = false;
// instance data members
private boolean sign;
private long dollars;
private byte cents;
```





The Method Members of *Currency*

- Constructor methods
 - Automatically invoked when an instance is created
- Accessor methods
 - Return the value of data member
- Mutator methods
 - Change the data member value
- Output methods
 - Converting a class instance into its output format
- Arithmetic methods
 - Arithmetic operations on class instances
- Main method
 - Present in all stand-alone Java applications





The Constructors of *Currency* (1)

- Constructor Method name
 - Same as the class name
- Access modifier: default, public, protected, private
 - public Currency()
- Initialize the data members

public Currency (boolean the Sign, long the Dollars, byte the Cents)

- this() invokes a constructor with the same signature
- Constructors never return a value



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The Constructors of *Currency* (2)

```
/** initialize instance to the Sign $ the Dollars. the Cents
 @throws IllegalArgumentException when theDollars < 0 or theCents < 0 or theCents > 99 */
public Currency(boolean the Sign, long the Dollars, byte the Cents)
  sign = theSign;
  if (theDollars < 0)
         throw new IllegalArgumentException ("Dollar value must be \geq = 0");
  else dollars = theDollars;
  if (the Cents < 0 \parallel the Cents > 99)
        throw new IllegalArgumentException ("Cents must be between 0 and 99");
  else cents = theCents;
public Currency() /** initialize instance to $0.00 */
    {this(PLUS, 0L, (byte) 0);}
public Currency(double theValue) /** initialize with double */
      {setValue(theValue);}
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```



Creating Instances of Currency

```
Currency g, h, i, j; //declare variables
g = new Currency(); //create instances using constructors
h = new Currency(PLUS, 3L, (byte)50);
i = new Currency(-2.50);
j = new Currency();

Or

Currency g = new Currency();
```





The Accessor Methods of *Currency*

```
/** @return sign */
public boolean getSign()
    {return sign;}

/** @return dollars */
public long getDollars()
    {return dollars;}

/** @return cents */
public byte getCents()
    {return cents;}
```





The Mutator Methods of *Currency* (1)

Set or change the characteristics of an object

```
/** set sign = theSign */
public void setSign(boolean theSign)
    {sign = theSign;}

/** set dollars = theDollars
    * @throws IllegalArgumentException when theDollars < 0 */
public void setDollars(long theDollars){
    if (theDollars < 0)
        throw new IllegalArgumentException ("Dollar value must be >= 0");
    else    dollars = theDollars;
}
```





The Mutator Methods of *Currency* (2)

```
/** set sign, dollars, and cents from a "double" data */
public void setValue(double theValue) {
   if (the Value < 0) {
           sign = MINUS;
           theValue = - theValue; }
          sign = PLUS;
   else
   dollars = (long) (the Value + 0.005); // extract integral part
   cents = (byte) ((theValue + 0.005 - dollars) * 100); // get two decimal digits
/** set sign, dollars, and cents from a "Currency" object*/
public void setValue(Currency x)
  \{ sign = x.sign; \}
   dollars = x.dollars;
   cents = x.cents;
```

Invoking Methods & Accessing Data Members

- Instance methods
 - byte gCents = g.getCents()
- Class methods
 - double a = Math.sqrt(4.0)
- Accessing data members
 - byte cents = x.cents





Output Method for *Currency*

- The output method: toString()
 - Defined in the *Object* class
 - Redefine toString()
 - We can get the Java to output our object



Arithmetic Methods for *Currency*

```
public Currency add(Currency x) /** @return this + x */
     long a1 = dollars * 100 + cents; // convert this to a long
     if (sign == MINUS) a1 = -a1;
     long a2 = x.dollars * 100 + x.cents; // convert x to a long
     if (x.sign == MINUS) a2 = -a2;
     long a3 = a1 + a2;
     answer = new Currency(); // convert result to Currency object
     if (a3 < 0) { answer.sign = MINUS; a3 = -a3; }
           answer.sign = PLUS;
     else
     answer.dollars = a3 / 100;
     answer.cents = (byte) (a3 - answer.dollars * 100);
     return answer;
 public Currency increment(Currency x) /** @return this incremented by x */
   { setValue(add(x));
     return this;
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Main method for *Currency* (1)

```
public static void main(String [] args)
 { // test constructors
   Currency g = \text{new Currency}(), h = \text{new Currency}(\text{PLUS}, 3L, (\text{byte}) 50),
             i = new Currency(-2.50), j = new Currency();
   // test toString
   System.out.println ("The initial values are: " + g + " " + h + " " + i + " " + j );
   System.out.println();
  // test mutators; first make g nonzero
   g.setDollars(2);
   g.setSign(MINUS);
   g.setCents((byte) 25);
   i.setValue(-6.45);
   System.out.println ("New values are " + g + " " + i);
   System.out.println();
```

Main method for *Currency* (2)

```
// do some arithmetic
   j = h.add(g);
   System.out.println (h + " + " + g + " = " + j);
   System.out.print (i + " incremented by "+ h + " is ");
   i.increment(h);
   System.out.println(i);
   j = i.add(g).add(h);
   System.out.println (i + " + " + g + " + " + h + " = " + j);
   System.out.println();
   j = i.increment(g).add(h);
   System.out.println(j);
   System.out.println(i);
```

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Access Modifiers

Access Modifier	Member Visibility		
default	member is visible only to classes in the same package		
private	member is visible only within the class C		
protected	member is visible to all classes in the same package and to subclasses of C in other packages		
public	member is visible to all classes in all packages		



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Inheritance and Method Overriding

Inheritance

- Data and method member from the superclass
- Newly defined member for the new class
- "extends" means "ISA" relationship

Method overriding

- Same signature as superclass
- Newly defined method is invoked

No more overriding

- public final boolean equals(Object theObject)
- static, private methods cannot be overridden either





Currency Revisited (1)

- Currency has many data members, which make the class complicated
- → What if we use only one data member named 'amount' which is cents representation of the given money?

Money	Data members of <i>Currency</i>	Data members of CurrencyAsLong
\$1.32	sign=PLUS dollars=1 cents=32	amount=132
-\$0.20	sign=MINUS dollars=0 cents=20	amount=-20





Currency Revisited (2)

CurrencyAsLong:

```
•Currency with additional private data member "amount" which is of type long public class CurrencyAsLong extends Currency {
   long amount;

   public CurrencyAsLong add(CurrencyAsLong x) /** @return this + x */
        {return new CurrencyAsLong(amount + x.amount);}

   public CurrencyAsLong increment(CurrencyAsLong x)

   /** @return this incremented by x */
        { amount += x.amount;
        return this;}
```



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Currency Revisited (3)

```
public boolean getSign() { /** @return sign */
   if (amount < 0) return MINUS;</pre>
                    return PLUS;
   else
public long getDollars(){ /** @return dollars */
   if (amount < 0) return - amount / 100;</pre>
   else
                  return amount / 100;
/** Set the sign of amount to the Sign. *For this to work properly amount must be
nonzero. */
 public void setSign(boolean theSign){
   // change the sign as necessary
   if ((amount < 0 \&\& theSign == PLUS) \parallel (amount > 0 \&\& theSign == MINUS))
     amount = -amount;
} // end of class CurrencyAsLong
```

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User-defined Exception Class

We can define our own exception

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Generic Methods (1/3)

 Similar methods differing only in the data types of the formal parameters

```
public void swap (int[] a, int i, int j){
    int temp = a[i];
    a[i] = a[j];
    a[j] = temp;
}

public void swap (float[] a, int i, int j){
    float temp = a[i];
    a[i] = a[j];
    a[j] = temp;
}
```

One generic method can do the same job

```
public void swap(Object[] a, int i, int j){
   Object temp = a[i];
   a[i] = a[j];
   a[j] = temp;
}
```





Generic Methods (2/3)

■ Primitive type → Impossible to write generic code

```
public static void swap (int [] a, int i, int j) {
    // Don't bother to check that indexes i and j are in bounds.

    // Java will do this and throw an ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException

    // if i or j is out of bounds.

    int temp = a[i];
    a[i] = a[j];
    a[j] = temp;
}
```





Generic Methods (3/3)

■ Non primitive type → Generic code works for subclasses

```
public static void swap ( Object [] a, int i, int j){
        Object temp = a[i];
        a[i] = a[j];
        a[j] = temp;
}

public static void main ( String[] args){
        Integer [] i = {new Integer(1), new Integer(3), new Integer(2)};
        Float [] f = {new Float(0.3), new Float(0.2), new Float(0.1)};
        swap ( i, 1, 2); // {1, 2, 3}
        swap ( f, 0, 2); // {0.1, 0.2, 0.3}
}
```





Interface and Generic Method

- A Java interface
 - A list of zero or more static final data members
 - A list of zero or more method headers
 - No implementation is provided
 - No instance is created
- Similar to C++ "Abstract Class"





Interface Computable

/** Interface to be implemented by all classes that permit the standard arithmetic operations. */

```
public interface Computable{
 public Object add(Object x) ;
                                     /** @return this + x */
                                     /** @return this - x */
  public Object subtract(Object x);
                                      /** @return this * x */
  public Object multiply(Object x);
  public Object divide(Object x) ;
                                      /** @return quotient of this / x
                                      /** @return remainder of this / x */
  public Object mod(Object x);
  public Object increment(Object x); /** @return this incremented by x */
  public Object decrement(Object x) ; /** @return this decremented by x */
                                      /** @return the additive zero element */
  public Object zero();
  public Object identity();
                                      /** @return the multiplicative identity element */
```





Generic method using Computable

Using method overload

```
public static int abc (int a, int b, int c)
{
    return a + b*c + b/c;
}
public static float abc (float a, float b, float c)
{
    return a + b*c + b/c;
}
```

Using generic method

```
public static Computable abc (Computable a, Computable b, Computable c)
{
    Computable t = (Computable) a.add (b.multiply(c));
    return (Computable) t.add (b.divide(c));
}
```

Copying a reference vs. Cloning an object (1)



Copying a reference

```
x = new Currency(3.42);
y = x;
y.setValue(6.25);
System.out.println(x); // print "$6.25"
```

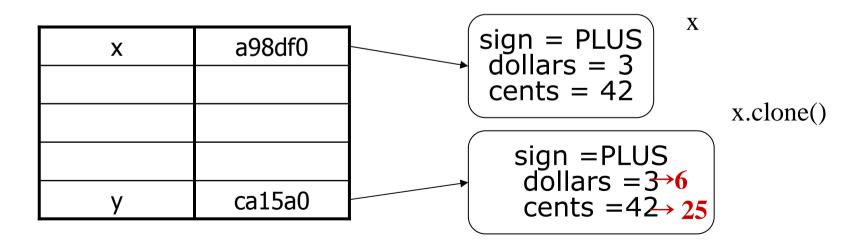
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		sign=PLUS dollars=3>6
		cents=42 25
У	a98df0	

Copying a reference vs. Cloning an object (2)



Cloning an object

```
x = new Currency(3.42);
y = x.clone();
y.setValue(6.25);
System.out.println(x); // "$3.42"
```





Implementing Interface (1)

- public interface Computable {...}
- public interface Comparable {...}
- public interface Operable extends Computable, Comparable {}
- Public interface Zero { public int zero()}
- Public interface CloneableObject { public clone() }
- If a class "implements" one or more interfaces, all of the methods in the interfaces should be implemented





Implementing the Interface (2)

```
public class MyInteger implements Operable, Zero, CloneableObject {
private int value; // value of the integer
public MyInteger (int theValue) {value = theValue;} // constructor
// a Computable interface method : @return this + x */
public Object add(Object x)
{return new MyInteger (value + ((MyInteger) x).value); }
// Comparable interface method
/** @return -1 if this < x, return 0 if this == x, return 1 if this > x */
 public int compareTo(Object x){
   int y = ((MyInteger) x).value;
   if (value < v) return -1;
   if (value == v) return 0;
   return 1;
} // Only some method implementations are shown!
```



Finding out the types of parameters

Example generic code (incomplete)

```
public void myFunc (Object obj) {
   // How can we find out the type of obj ?
   If obj is an instance of String, print "String"
   If obj is an instance of Integer, print "Integer"
}
```

 Every object has a method named `getClass', which returns the type of object

e.g. If x is a String, x.getClass() returns String.class

Example generic code (complete)



The method inputArray

```
/** input objects of type the Class and store into an array */
public void inputArray (Class theClass, MyInputStream stream)
{ try { // get the proper method to be used to read in the values
      Class [] parameterTypes = {MyInputStream.class};
      Method inputMethod = theClass.getMethod("input", parameterTypes);
     // input number of elements and create an array of that size
     System.out.println("Enter number of elements");
     int n = stream.readInteger();
     a = new Object [n];
     Object [] inputMethodArgs = {stream}; // input the elements
     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        System.out.println("Enter element " + (i+1));
        a[i] = inputMethod.invoke(null, inputMethodArgs); }
    } // end of try
   catch (Exception e) { System.out.println(e);
        throw new IllegalArgumentException("Array1D.inputArray");
```

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The alternative *inputArray*

```
/** Input objects of type theClass and store into an array */
public void inputArray (Method inputMethod, MyInputStream stream)
{ try { // input number of elements and create an array of that size
       System.out.println("Enter number of elements");
        int n = stream.readInteger();
        a = new Object [n];
       // input the elements
        Object [] inputMethodArgs = {stream};
        for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
           { System.out.println("Enter element " + (i+1));
             a[i] = inputMethod.invoke(null, inputMethodArgs);
        } // end of try
  catch (Exception e)
   { System.out.println(e);
      throw new IllegalArgumentException ("Array1D.inputArray");
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Garbage Collection

- Memory allocation
 - int [] a = new int[100]; Currency c = new Currency();
- Out of memory
 - Java's garbage collector is invoked
 - Checking the references in program variables
 - If not referenced any more
 - Garbage collection and memory reallocation
- Explicit garbage collection
 - Set the references to null
 - a = null
 - b = null



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Recursive Functions

Define a function in terms of itself

$$f(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \le 1 \\ nf(n-1) & n > 1 \end{cases}$$

- Requirements
 - The definition must include a base component
 - Recursive component on the right side should have a parameter smaller than n

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$$f(5) = 5 X f(4) = 20 X f(3) = 60 X f(2) = 120 X f(1)$$





Induction (1/2)

- Proof
 - Induction base
 - Induction hypothesis
 - Induction step
- Example

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n} i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}, n \ge 0$$





Induction (2/2)

Induction base

$$n = 0, \sum_{i=0}^{n} i = 0$$

- Induction hypothesis
 - We assume that equation is valid for

$$n \leq m$$

Induction step

$$n = m + 1, \sum_{i=0}^{m+1} i = m + 1 + \sum_{i=0}^{m} i = m + 1 + \frac{m(m+1)}{2} = \frac{(m+1)(m+2)}{2}$$

Example 1.1



Recursive Methods for n!

Java allows us to write recursive methods

```
public static int factorial(int n) {
  if (n <= 1)
     return 1;
  else
  return n * factorial(n - 1);
}</pre>
```

```
factorial(5)
= 5*factorial(4)
= 5*4*factorial(3)
.....
=5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1
```

Example 1.2



Recursive Methods for sum

```
<sup>**</sup> Generic sum method.
   * @return null if array has no objects and sum of the objects a[0:n-1] otherwise */
public static Computable sum (Computable [] a, int n)
  { if (a.length == 0) return null;
   Computable sum = (Computable) a[0].zero();
   for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) sum.increment(a[i]);
   return sum; }
/** Recursive Generic sum method.
public static Computable recursiveSum (Computable [] a, int n) {
    if (a.length > 0) return rSum(a, n);
   else return null; // no elements to sum }
private static Computable rSum (Computable [] a, int n)
  { if (n == 0) return (Computable) a[0].zero();
   else return (Computable) rSum (a, n - 1).add(a[n-1]); }
```



Data Structures

Recursive Method for permutations

```
/** perm(x, 0, n) outputs all permutations of x[0:n] */
 public static void perm (Object [] list, int k, int m)
  { // Generate all permutations of list[k:m].
   int i:
   if (k == m) { // list[k:m] has one permutation, output it
     for (i = 0; i \le m; i++) System.out.print(list[i]);
     System.out.println();
    else // list[k:m] has more than one permutation
        // generate these recursively
       for (i = k; i \le m; i++)
         { MyMath.swap(list, k, i);
           perm(list, k+1, m);
           MyMath.swap(list, k, i);
```

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What is Testing?

- Mathematical proof of correctness
 - Even a small program → quite difficult
- Program Testing
 - Test data
 - Subset of possible input data
 - Cannot cover all possible inputs
 - Objective of testing
 - To expose the presence of errors



Example 1.4



Test Example: Quadratic Equation

```
public static void outputRoots(double a, double b, double c){
if (a == 0) throw new IllegalArgumentException ("Coefficient of x^2 must be nonzero");
 double d = b * b - 4 * a * c:
 if (d > 0) {// two real roots
 double sqrtd = Math.sqrt(d);
 System.out.println ("2 real roots:" + (-b + sqrtd) / (2*a) + "and" + (-b - sqrtd) / (2*a));
 else if (d == 0) // both roots are the same
       System.out.println ("1 distinct root: " + - b / (2 * a));
 else {// complex conjugate roots
        System.out.println("The roots are complex");
        System.out.println("The real part is " + - b / (2 * a));
        System.out.println("The imaginary part is " + Math.sqrt(-d) / (2 * a));
```



Designing Test data (1)

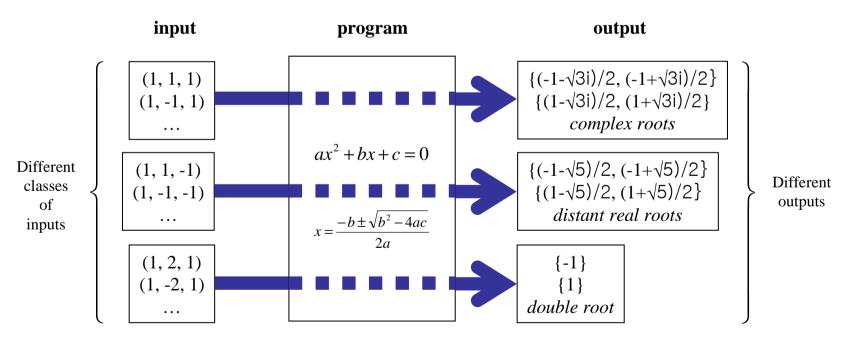
- Evaluating candidate test data
 - What is these data's potential to expose errors?
 - Can we verify the correctness of the program behavior on this data?
- Black box method
 - Partitioning data into qualitative different classes
 - Quadratic equation program
 - Test set \rightarrow 3 classes
 - complex, real and distinct, real and the same roots
- White box method
 - Code based
 - Statement coverage
 - Every lines should be executed by test set
 - Decision coverage
 - Test set should cause each conditional in the program





Designing Test data (2)

- Black box method
 - Partitioning data into qualitative different classes



A test set should include at least one input from each class





Designing Test data (3)

- White Box Method
- Clause coverage
 - Strengthen the decision coverage
 - Boolean expression based
 - If ((C1 && C2) || (C3 && C4)) S1;
 else S2
 - Make test set for C1, C2, C3, and C4 truth combination
- Execution coverage
 - Execution paths → order of statements executed in the program
 - Make test set for each execution path



Debugging

- Try to determine the cause of an error by logical reasoning
- Do not attempt to correct errors by creating special cases
- Be certain that your correction does not result in another error
- Begin with a single method that is independent of the others



Summary

- Requirements of program development
 - Representing data in an effective way
 - We need efficient data structures
 - Developing a suitable procedure
 - We need good algorithms
- Before you go further, you need to be
 - A proficient java programmer
 - An adept analyst of computer programs

