

AdvJ-Lab5-Generics & Regular Expression

1. Demonstration a generic class with one parameter.

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```
class Pair<T>
  public Pair() { first = null; second = null; }
  public Pair(T first, T second) { this.first = first;
this.second = second; }
  public T getFirst() { return first; }
  public T getSecond() { return second; }
  public void setFirst(T newValue) { first = newValue; }
  public void setSecond(T newValue) { second = newValue; }
  private T first;
  private T second;
class ArrayAlg
    / * *
       Gets the minimum and maximum of an array of strings.
       @param a an array of strings
       @return a pair with the min and max value, or null if a is
      null or empty
    public static Pair<String> minmax(String[] a)
       if (a == null | a.length == 0) return null;
       String min = a[0];
       String max = a[0];
       for (int i = 1; i < a.length; i++)
          if (min.compareTo(a[i]) > 0) min = a[i];
          if (\max.compareTo(a[i]) < 0) \max = a[i];
      return new Pair<String>(min, max);
 }
public class PairTest1
     public static void main(String[] args)
        String[] words = { "Mary", "had", "a", "little", "lamb"
};
        Pair<String> mm = ArrayAlg.minmax(words);
        System.out.println("min = " + mm.getFirst());
        System.out.println("max = " + mm.getSecond());
     }
```



The result:

```
min = Mary
max = little
Press any key to continue . . .
```

2. Demonstrate a simple generic method.



```
/*
Java 2, v5.0 (Tiger) New Features
by Herbert Schildt
ISBN: 0072258543
Publisher: McGraw-Hill/Osborne, 2004
* /
public class GenMethDemo {
  // Determine if an object is in an array.
 static <T, V extends T> boolean isIn(T x, V[] y) {
    for(int i=0; i < y.length; i++)</pre>
      if(x.equals(y[i])) return true;
   return false;
 public static void main(String args[]) {
    // Use isIn() on Integers.
    Integer nums[] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\};
    if(isIn(2, nums))
      System.out.println("2 is in nums");
    if(!isIn(7, nums))
      System.out.println("7 is not in nums");
    System.out.println();
    // Use isIn() on Strings.
    String strs[] = \{ "one", "two", "three",
                       "four", "five" };
   if(isIn("two", strs))
      System.out.println("two is in strs");
    if(!isIn("seven", strs))
      System.out.println("seven is not in strs");
    // Opps! Won't compile! Types must be compatible.
      if(isIn("two", nums))
//
        System.out.println("two is in strs");
//
 }
}
```

The result:



```
D:\Java_Dev\WEB\java2s>java GenMethDemo
2 is in nums
7 is not in nums
```

3. Split a String into a Java Array of Strings divided by an Regular Expressions

The result:

```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

O "the darwin"
1 " devon"
2 " explod"
3 " chicken"
Press any key to continue . . . _
```

4. Find a string using pattern



```
import java.util.regex.Matcher;
import java.util.regex.Pattern;

public final class MatcherTest {

  private static final String REGEX = "\bdog\\b";

  private static final String INPUT = "dog dog dog doggie dogg";

  public static void main(String[] argv) {
    Pattern p = Pattern.compile(REGEX);
    Matcher m = p.matcher(INPUT); // get a matcher object int count = 0;
    while (m.find()) {
        count++;
        System.out.println("Match number " + count);
        System.out.println("start(): " + m.start());
        System.out.println("end(): " + m.end());
    }
    }
}
```

The result:

```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

Match number 1
start(): 0
end(): 3
Match number 2
start(): 4
end(): 7
Match number 3
start(): 8
end(): 11
Press any key to continue . . .
```

Do It Yourself

- 5.1. Do workshop of the module 6, 7
- 5.2. Create a class Car with fields: Name, Price, Production and properly methods. Create another class named GenericCar with a parameter of the T type. This class manages a collection of object T (may be LinkedList). Implementing some methods for GenericCar: add, display, getSize, checkEmpty, delete.

Write a program to use GenericCar as below menu (use Regular expression to validate data: Name doesn't contain any numeric character, Price contains only numeric characters).



Menu
Add
Display
GetSize
CheckEmpty
Grad
Exit
Your choice: _

5.3. Read content of a text file replace all the word 'is' into 'was' and display after-effected text on screen.

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