# Chapter 2 Elementary Programming

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# Motivations

In the preceding chapter, you learned how to create, compile, and run a Java program. Starting from this chapter, you will learn how to solve practical problems programmatically. Through these problems, you will learn Java primitive data types and related subjects, such as variables, constants, data types, operators, expressions, and input and output.

#### **Objectives**

- **+** To write Java programs to perform simple computations (§2.2).
- **To obtain input from the console using the Scanner class (§2.3).**
- + To use identifiers to name variables, constants, methods, and classes (§2.4).
- + To use variables to store data (§§2.5–2.6).
- **★** To program with assignment statements and assignment expressions (§2.6).
- + To use constants to store permanent data (§2.7).
- + To name classes, methods, variables, and constants by following their naming conventions (§2.8).
- + To explore Java numeric primitive data types: byte, short, int, long, float, and double (§2.9.1).
- + To read a byte, short, int, long, float, or double value from the keyboard (§2.9.2).
- + To perform operations using operators +, -, \*, /, and % (§2.9.3).
- **→** To perform exponent operations using Math.pow(a, b) (§2.9.4).
- + To write integer literals, floating-point literals, and literals in scientific notation (§2.10).
- **+** To write and evaluate numeric expressions (§2.11).
- **★** To obtain the current system time using System.currentTimeMillis() (§2.12).
- + To use augmented assignment operators (§2.13).
- + To distinguish between postincrement and preincrement and between postdecrement and predecrement (§2.14).
- **+** To cast the value of one type to another type (§2.15).
- + To describe the software development process and apply it to develop the loan payment program (§2.16).
- + To write a program that converts a large amount of money into smaller units (§2.17).
- **→** To avoid common errors and pitfalls in elementary programming (§2.18).

# Introducing Programming with an Example

## Ex 2.1 Computing the Area of a Circle

www.cs.armstrong.edu/liang/intro10e/html/ComputeArea.html

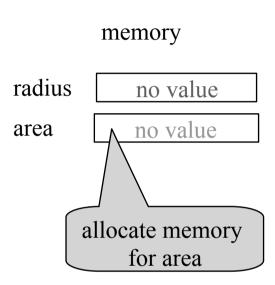
```
public class ComputeArea {
 /** Main method */
 public static void main(String[] args) {
  double radius;
  double area;
  // Assign a radius
  radius = 20;
  // Compute area
  area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
  // Display results
  System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius
   radius + " is " + area);
```

allocate memory for radius

no value

radius

```
public class ComputeArea {
 /** Main method */
 public static void main(String[] args) {
  double radius;
  double area;
  // Assign a radius
  radius = 20;
  // Compute area
  area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
  // Display results
  System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius " +
   radius + " is " + area);
```



```
assign 20 to radius
public class ComputeArea {
 /** Main method */
 public static void main(String[] args) {
                                                             radius
                                                                            20
  double radius;
  double area;
                                                                         no value
                                                             area
  // Assign a radius
  radius = 20;
  // Compute area
  area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
  // Display results
  System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius
   radius + " is " + area);
```

```
public class ComputeArea {
                                                                     memory
 /** Main method */
 public static void main(String[] args) {
                                                                           20
                                                            radius
  double radius;
  double area;
                                                                     1256.636
                                                            area
  // Assign a radius
  radius = 20;
                                                                 compute area and assign
  // Compute area
                                                                 it to variable area
  area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
  // Display results
  System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius " +
   radius + " is " + area);
```

```
public class ComputeArea {
                                                                           memory
 /** Main method */
 public static void main(String[] args) {
                                                                 radius
                                                                                  20
  double radius;
  double area;
                                                                               1256.636
                                                                  area
  // Assign a radius
  radius = 20;
  // Compute area
  area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
                                                                    print a message to the
                                                                    console
  // Display results
  System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius
   ** +
   radius + " is " + area);
                                                                    nd Prompt
                                                               c:\Jook>java ComputeArea
                                                               The area for the circle of radius 20.0 is 1256.636
```

## Reading Input from the Console

1. Create a Scanner object

```
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
```

2. Use the method nextDouble() to obtain to a double value. For example,

```
System.out.print("Enter a double value: ");
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
double d = input.nextDouble();
```



### ComputeAreaWithConsoleInput

www.cs.armstrong.edu/liang/intro10e/html/ComputeAreaWithConsoleInput.html



## ComputeAverage

www.cs.armstrong.edu/liang/intro10e/html/ComputeAverage.html

## **Identifiers**

- **→** An identifier is a sequence of characters that consist of letters, digits, underscores (\_), and dollar signs (\$).
  - + Character. isJavaIdentifierPart() returns true
  - **→** In Unicode Charsets: Characters bigger than 0xC0
- **→** An identifier must start with a letter, an underscore (\_), or a dollar sign (\$). It cannot start with a digit.
  - + Character.isJavaIdentifierStart() returns true
- **→** An identifier cannot be a reserved word.
- ★ An identifier cannot be true, false, or null.
- **→** An identifier can be of any length.
- Correct Identifiers:
  - Body, \_test, \$hello
- Wrong Identifiers:
  - ♦ 5Test, hello\*, world#, class

# Keywords

Some noteworthy points regarding Java keywords:

- const and goto are resevered words but not used.
- o true, false and null are literals, not keywords.
- o all keywords are in lower-case.

The following table shows the keywords grouped by category:

Category	Keywords	
Access modifiers	private, protected, public	
Class, method, variable modifiers	abstract, class, extends, final, implements, interface, native, new, static, strictfp, synchronized, transient, volatile	
Flow control	break, case, continue, default, do, else, for, if, instanceof, return, switch, while	
Package control	import, package	
Primitive types	boolean, byte, char, double, float, int, long, short	
Error handling	assert, catch, finally, throw, throws, try	
Enumeration	enum	
Others	super, this, void	
Unused	const, goto	

## Variables

```
// Compute the first area
radius = 1.0;
area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
System.out.println("The area is " +
 area + " for radius "+radius);
// Compute the second area
radius = 2.0;
area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
System.out.println("The area is " +
 area + " for radius "+radius);
```

## Declaring Variables

## **Assignment Statements**

# Declaring and Initializing in One Step

```
+ int x = 1;
+ double d = 1.4;
```

## Named Constants

```
final datatype CONSTANTNAME = VALUE;
final double PI = 3.14159;
final int SIZE = 3;
```

# Naming Conventions

+Choose meaningful and descriptive names.

#### **+**Variables and method names:

Use lowercase. If the name consists of several words, concatenate all in one, use lowercase for the first word, and capitalize the first letter of each subsequent word in the name. For example, the variables radius and area, and the method computeArea.

# Naming Conventions, cont.

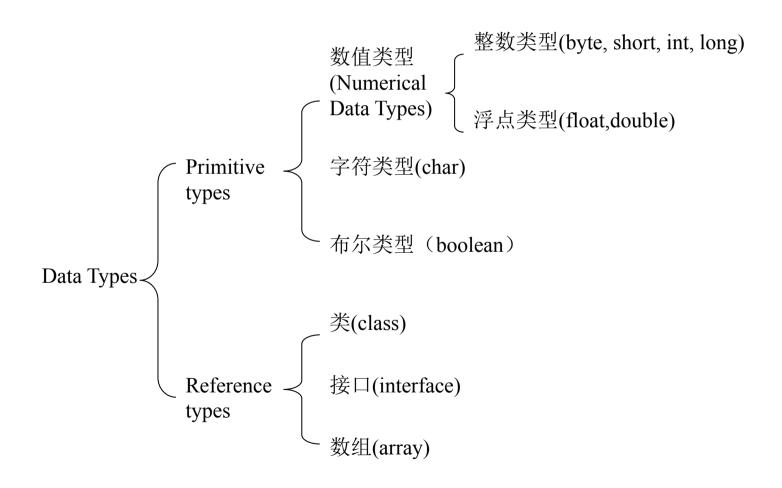
#### + Class names:

 Capitalize the first letter of each word in the name. For example, the class name ComputeArea.

#### + Constants:

Capitalize all letters in constants, and use underscores to connect words. For example, the constant PI and MAX VALUE

# Data Types



# Numerical Data Types

Name	Range	Storage Size
byte	$-2^{7}$ to $2^{7}-1$ (-128 to 127)	8-bit signed
short	$-2^{15}$ to $2^{15} - 1$ (-32768 to 32767)	16-bit signed
int	$-2^{31}$ to $2^{31} - 1$ (-2147483648 to 2147483647)	32-bit signed
long	$-2^{63}$ to $2^{63}-1$ (i.e., -9223372036854775808 to 9223372036854775807)	64-bit signed
float	Negative range: -3.4028235E+38 to -1.4E-45 Positive range: 1.4E-45 to 3.4028235E+38	32-bit IEEE 754
double	Negative range: -1.7976931348623157E+308 to -4.9E-324	64-bit IEEE 754
	Positive range: 4.9E-324 to 1.7976931348623157E+308	

There is **NO UNSIGNED** integer type in Java

## Integer

- Decimal: 124, -100;
- Octal: 0 as prefix, followed by  $0\sim7$ : ex. 0134;
- Hexadecimal: 0x or 0X as prefix, followed by 0~9 or A~F.

# Reading Numbers from the Keyboard

```
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
int value = input.nextInt();
```

Method	Description
nextByte()	reads an integer of the byte type.
nextShort()	reads an integer of the short type.
nextInt()	reads an integer of the int type.
nextLong()	reads an integer of the long type.
nextFloat()	reads a number of the float type.
nextDouble()	reads a number of the double type.

# Numeric Operators

Name	Meaning	Example	Result
+	Addition	34 + 1	35
_	Subtraction	34.0 - 0.1	33.9
*	Multiplication	300 * 30	9000
/	Division	1.0 / 2.0	0.5
90	Remainder	20 % 3	2

# Integer Division

+, -, \*, /, and %

5 / 2 yields an integer 2.

5.0 / 2 yields a double value 2.5

5 % 2 yields 1 (the remainder of the division)

# Problem: Displaying Time

Write a program that obtains minutes and remaining seconds from seconds.

## Floating-Point numbers

Calculations involving floating-point numbers are approximated because these numbers are not stored with complete accuracy.

calculations with integers yield a precise integer result.

## double vs. float

The double type values are more accurate than the float type values. For example,

System.out.println("1.0 / 3.0 is " + 1.0 / 3.0);

System.out.println("1.0F / 3.0F is " + 1.0F / 3.0F);

## **Exponent Operations**

```
System.out.println(Math.pow(2, 3));
// Displays 8.0
System.out.println(Math.pow(4, 0.5));
// Displays 2.0
System.out.println(Math.pow(2.5, 2));
// Displays 6.25
System.out.println(Math.pow(2.5, -2));
// Displays 0.16
```

## Number Literals

A *literal* is a constant value that appears directly in the program.

```
int i = 34;

long x = 10000000;

double d = 5.0;
```

# Integer Literals

An integer literal can be assigned to an integer variable as long as it can fit into the variable. A compilation error would occur if the literal were too large for the variable to hold.

An integer literal is assumed to be of the int type, whose value is between  $-2^{31}$  (-2147483648) to  $2^{31}$ –1 (2147483647).

Integer literal of the long type, append it with the letter L or l.

# Floating-Point Literals

Floating-point literals are written with a decimal point. By default, a floating-point literal is treated as a double type value.

You can make a number a float by appending the letter f or F, and make a number a double by appending the letter d or D.

100.2f or 100.2F for a float number

100.2d or 100.2D for a double number

## Scientific Notation

Floating-point literals can also be specified in scientific notation,

- 1.23456e+2, or 1.23456e2, is equivalent to 123.456
- 1.23456e-2 is equivalent to 0.0123456

## Arithmetic Expressions

$$\frac{3+4x}{5} - \frac{10(y-5)(a+b+c)}{x} + 9(\frac{4}{x} + \frac{9+x}{y})$$

is translated to

$$(3+4*x)/5 - 10*(y-5)*(a+b+c)/x + 9*(4/x + (9+x)/y)$$

## How to Evaluate an Expression

You can safely apply the arithmetic rule for evaluating a Java expression.

The result of a Java expression and its corresponding arithmetic expression are the same.

```
3 + 4 * 4 + 5 * (4 + 3) - 1
3 + 4 * 4 + 5 * 7 - 1
3 + 16 + 5 * 7 - 1
3 + 16 + 35 - 1
4 + 35 - 1
54 - 1
53
(1) inside parentheses first

(2) multiplication

(3) multiplication

(4) addition

(5) addition

(6) subtraction
```

# Problem: Converting Temperatures

Write a program that converts a Fahrenheit degree to Celsius using the formula:

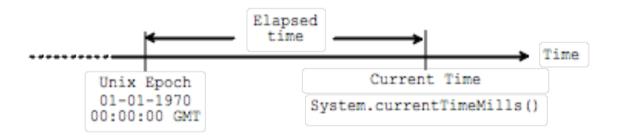
$$celsius = (\frac{5}{9})(fahrenheit - 32)$$

Note: you have to write celsius = (5.0 / 9) \* (fahrenheit - 32)

### Problem: Displaying Current Time

Write a program that displays current time in GMT in the format hour:minute:second such as 1:45:19.

Using *currentTimeMillis()* method in *System* class returns the current time in milliseconds since the midnight, January 1, 1970 GMT.



## Augmented Assignment Operators

Operator	Name	Example	Equivalent
+=	Addition assignment	i += 8	i = i + 8
-=	Subtraction assignment	i -= 8	i = i - 8
*=	Multiplication assignment	i *= 8	i = i * 8
/=	Division assignment	i /= 8	i = i / 8
<b>%</b> =	Remainder assignment	i %= 8	i = i % 8

# Increment and Decrement Operators

Operator	Name	Description	Example (assume $i = 1$ )
++var	preincrement	Increment var by 1, and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j = ++i; // j is 2, i is 2</pre>
var++	postincrement	Increment var by 1, but use the original var value in the statement	<pre>int j = i++; // j is 1, i is 2</pre>
var	predecrement	Decrement var by 1, and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j =i; // j is 0, i is 0</pre>
var	postdecrement	Decrement var by 1, and use the original var value in the statement	<pre>int j = i; // j is 1, i is 0</pre>

# Increment and Decrement Operators, cont.

```
int i = 10;

Same effect as

int newNum = 10 * i+;

int newNum = 10 * i;

i = i + 1;
```

```
int i = 10;

int newNum = 10 * (++i);

Same effect as

i = i + 1;

int newNum = 10 * i;
```

# Increment and Decrement Operators, cont.

Using increment and decrement operators makes expressions short, but it also makes them complex and difficult to read.

 $\underline{\text{int } k = ++i+i}.$ 

# Assignment Expressions and Assignment Statements

Prior to Java 2, all the expressions can be used as statements.

Since Java 2, only the following types of expressions can be statements:

```
variable op = expression; // Where op is +, -, *, /, or %
++variable;
variable++;
--variable;
variable--;
```

#### Numeric Type Conversion

#### Consider the following statements:

```
byte i = 100;
long k = i * 3 + 4;
double d = i * 3.1 + k / 2;
```

#### Conversion Rules

When performing a binary operation involving two operands of different types, Java automatically converts the operand based on the following rules:

- 1. If one of the operands is double, the other is converted into double.
- 2. Otherwise, if one of the operands is float, the other is converted into float.
- 3. Otherwise, if one of the operands is long, the other is converted into long.
- 4. An integer literal can be assigned to an integer variable as long as it can fit into the variable.
- 5. Otherwise, both operands are converted into int.

### Type Casting

#### Implicit casting

double d = 3; (type widening)

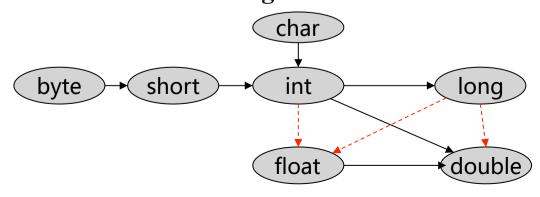
#### **Explicit casting**

int i = (int) 3.0; (type narrowing)

int i = (int) 3.9; (Fraction part is truncated)

#### What is wrong? int x = 5/2.0:

Narrowing ----- --->Widening byte, short, char---> int--> long--> float--> double



# Problem: Keeping Two Digits After Decimal Points

Write a program that displays the sales tax with two digits after the decimal point.

### Casting in an Augmented Expression

An augmented expression of the form x1 op= x2 is implemented as x1 = (T)(x1 op x2), where T is the type for x1.

#### **Therefore**

```
int sum = 0;
sum += 4.5;
```

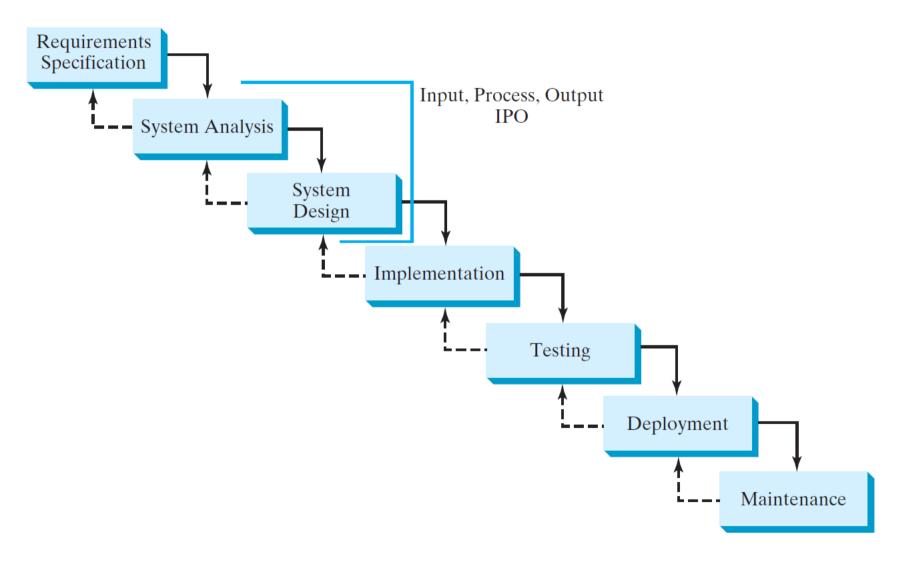
#### is correct

```
sum += 4.5 is equivalent to sum = (int)(sum + 4.5)
// sum becomes 4 after this statement
```

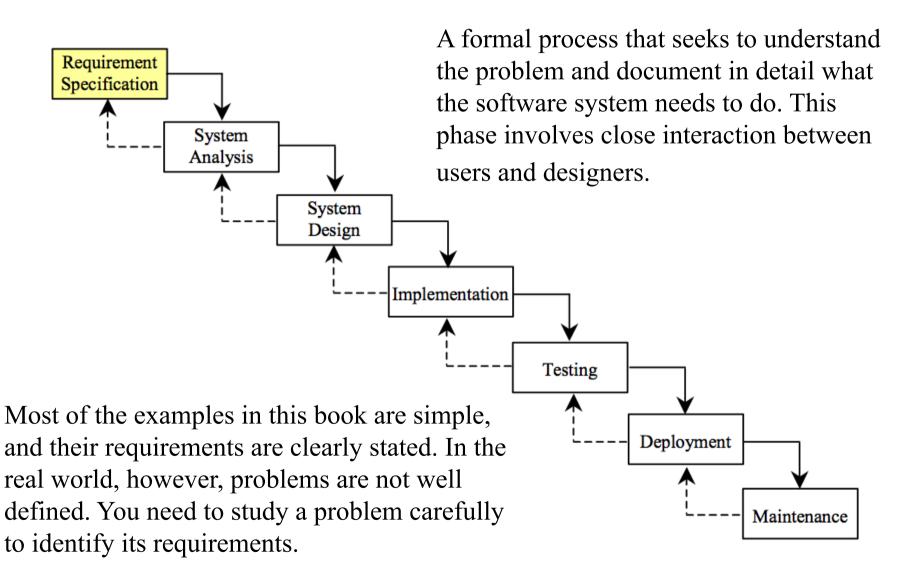
## Boolean type and operators

boolean b=false;

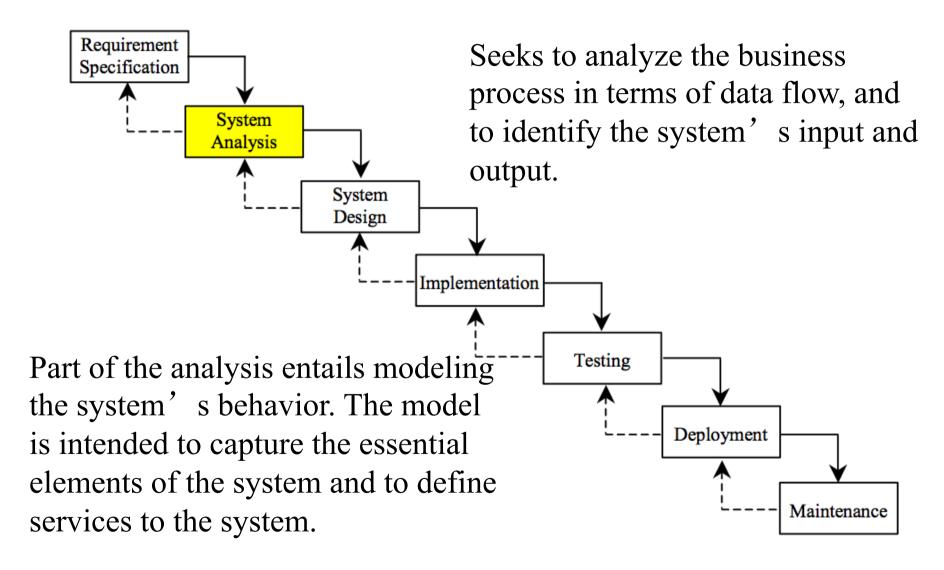
### Software Development Process



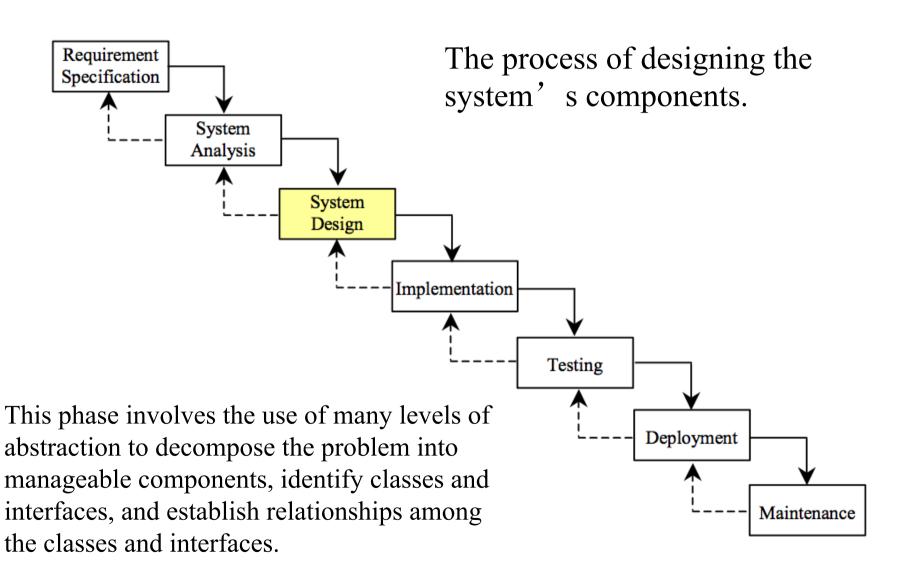
### Requirement Specification



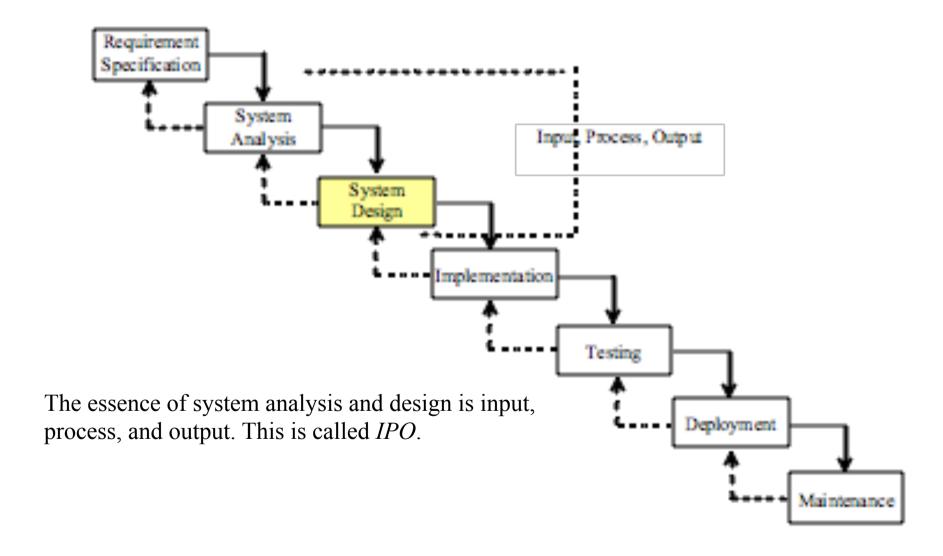
## System Analysis



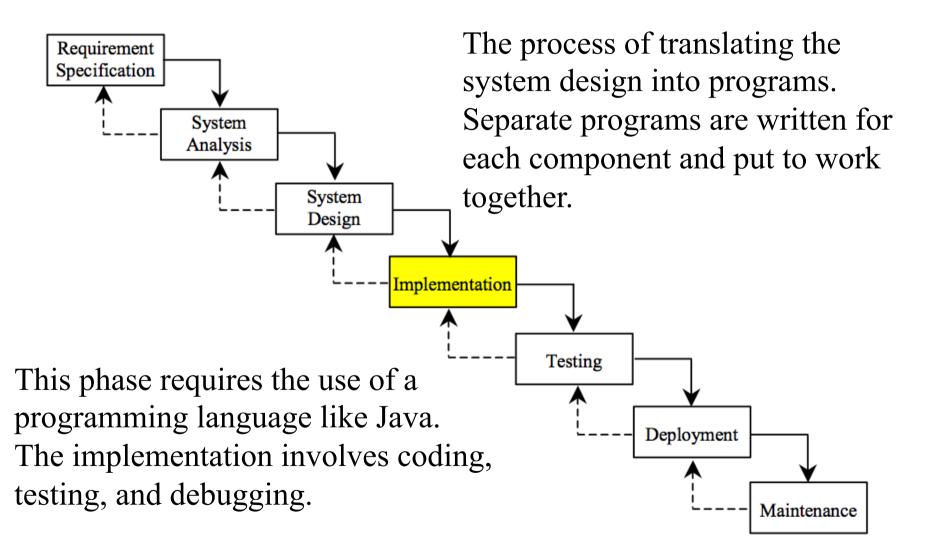
## System Design



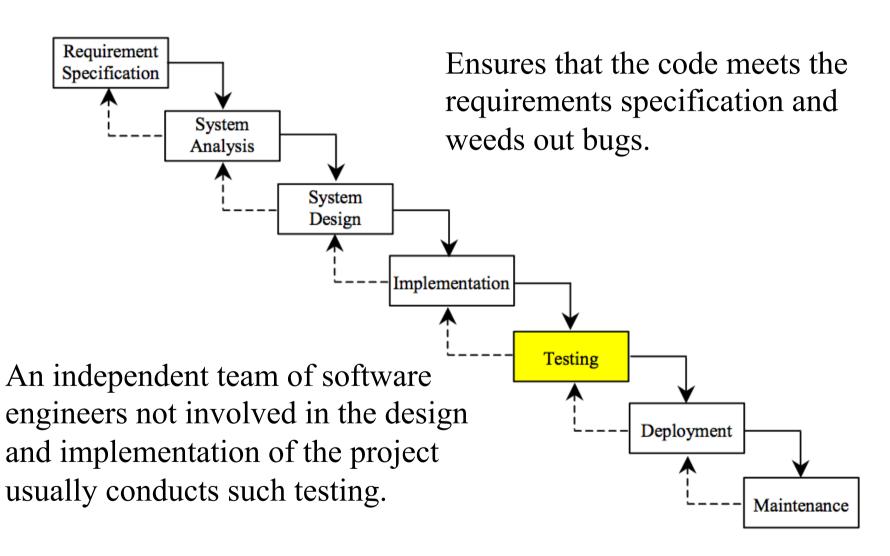
#### IPO



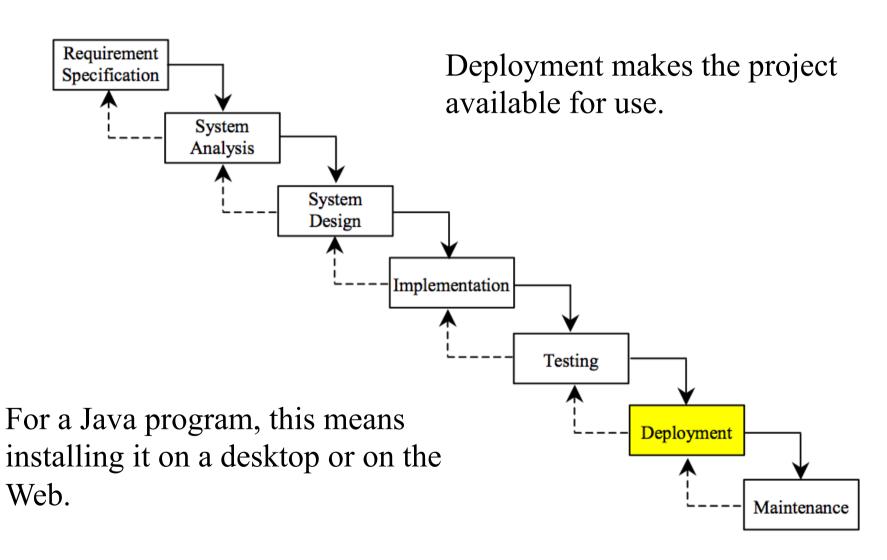
### Implementation



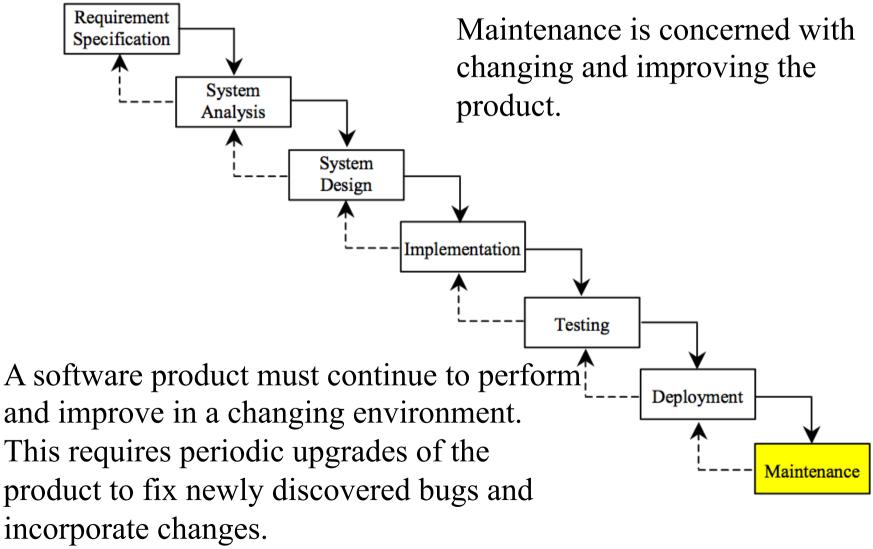
## Testing



## Deployment



#### Maintenance



# Problem: Computing Loan Payments

This program lets the user enter the interest rate, number of years, and loan amount, and computes monthly payment and total payment.

$$monthlyPayment = \frac{loanAmount \times monthlyInterestRate}{1 - \frac{1}{(1 + monthlyInterestRate)^{numberOfYears \times 12}}}$$

#### Problem: Monetary Units

This program lets the user enter the amount in decimal representing dollars and cents and output a report listing the monetary equivalent in single dollars, quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies.

### Supplement reading: Common Errors and Pitfalls

- → Common Error 1: Undeclared/Uninitialized Variables and Unused Variables
- **→** Common Error 2: Integer Overflow
- ◆ Common Error 3: Round-off Errors
- → Common Error 4: Unintended Integer Division
- → Common Error 5: Redundant Input Objects
- → Common Pitfall 1: Redundant Input Objects

## Common Error 1: Undeclared/Uninitialized Variables and Unused Variables

```
double interestRate = 0.05;
double interest = interestrate * 45;
```

#### Common Error 2: Integer Overflow

```
int value = 2147483647 + 1;
// value will actually be -2147483648
```

#### Common Error 3: Round-off Errors

System.out.println(1.0 - 0.1 - 0.1 - 0.1 - 0.1 - 0.1);

*System.out.println(1.0 - 0.9);* 

### Common Error 4: Unintended Integer Division

```
int number1 = 1;
int number2 = 2;
double average=(number1+number2) / 2;
double average=(number1+number2) / 2.0;
```

#### Common Pitfall 1: Redundant Input Objects

```
System.out.print("Enter an integer: ");
int v1 = input.nextInt();

Scanner input1 = new Scanner(System.in);
System.out.print("Enter a double value: ");
double v2 = input1.nextDouble();
```

Scanner input = **new** Scanner(System.in);

#### Exercise 02

#### 2.1 财务应用: 计算未来投资值

编写程序,读取投资总额、年利率和年数,然后使用下面的公式来显示未来投资金额:

未来投资金额=投资总额× (1+月利率) 年数×12

例如:如果输入的投资金额为1000,年利率为3.25%,年数为1,那么未来投资额为1032.98。

#### 2.2 求出年数

编写程序,提示用户输入分钟数(例如十亿),然后显示这些分钟代表多少年和多少天。

为了简化问题,假设一年有365天。

//Submission Deadline: the Next Monday(10/10/2016 9:00am)