

# Spring 2015 CS151 Programming Assignment 2

## Calendar

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Due: Friday March 13 11:59 pm

- Study `java.util.GregorianCalendar` to learn how to manipulate day, week and month of calendar. Also, [here](#) is an example I wrote for you to reference.
- In your implementation, `ignore cases` to recognize a user request and make sure to follow the given example format to enter data.

In this assignment, you will design and implement a `calendar` similar to one you can find in your phone. The calendar is going to be implemented as a `console application`.

The initial screen shows the current month looking like this. It also `highlights today's date`, for example, using a pair of brackets.

```
February 2015
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
1  2  3  4  5  6  7
8  9 10 11 12 13 14
15 16 17 18 19 20 21
22 23 [24] 25 26 27 28
```

The `initial screen` comes with a `main menu` with following options: `View by`, `Create`, `Go to`, `Event list`, `Delete`, and `Quit`. After the function of an option is done, the main menu is displayed again for the user to choose the next option.

Select one of the following options:

```
[L]oad [V]iew by [C]reate, [G]o to [E]vent list [D]elete [Q]uit
```

The user may enter one of the letter highlighted with a pair of bracket to choose an option. For example,

v

will choose the View by option.

- `[L]oad`

The system loads `events.txt` to populate the calendar. If there is `no such file` because it is the first run, the load function `prompts a message` to the user `indicating this is the first run`. You `may use Java serialization` this function.

- `[V]iew by`

User can choose a `Day or a Month view`. If a `Day view` is chosen, the calendar `displays the current date`. If there is an event(s) scheduled on that day, display them `in the order of start time` of the event. With a `Month view`, it displays the `current month` and `highlights day(s)` if any `event scheduled` on that day. After a view is displayed, the calendar gives the user three options: `P`, `N`, and `M`, where `P`, `N`, and `M` stand for `previous`, `next`, and `main menu`, respectively. The previous and next options allow the user to `navigate the calendar back and forth` by day if the calendar is in a day view or by month if it is in a month view. If the user selects `m`, navigation is done, and the user gets to `access the main menu` again.

```
[D]ay view or [M]view ?
```

If the user `selects D`, then

```
Tuesday, Feb 24, 2015
Dr. Kim 13:15 - 14:00
```

```
[P]revious or [N]ext or [M]ain menu ?
```

If the user `selects M`, then

```

February 2015
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
1  2  3  4  5  6  7
8  9 10 11 12 13 14
15 16 17 18 19 20 21
22 23 24 25 26 27 28

```

[P]revious or [N]ext or [M]ain menu ?

- **[C]reate**

This option allows the user to **schedule an event**. The calendar asks the user to **enter the title, date, starting time, and ending time** of an event. For simplicity, we consider **one day event only**. Also, let's **assume there is no conflict between events** that user entered, and therefore your program doesn't have to check if a new event is conflict with existing events. Please stick to the following format to enter data:

- **Title:** a string (doesn't have to be one word)
- **date:** MM/DD/YYYY
- **Starting time and ending time:** 24 hour clock such as 06:00 for 6 AM and 15:30 for 3:30 PM. The **user may not enter ending time if an ending time doesn't make sense** for the event (e.g. leaving for Korea event may have a starting time but no ending time.)

- **[G]o to**

With this option, the user is asked to **enter a date in the form of MM/DD/YYYY** and then the calendar displays the **Day view** of the requested date including any event scheduled on that day in the **order of starting time**.

- **[E]vent list**

The user can **browse scheduled events**. The calendar displays **all the events scheduled** in the calendar in the order of starting date and starting time. An example presentation of events is as follows:

```

2015
Wednesday, February 25 13:15 - 14:00 Dentist
Thursday March 12 15:00 - 16:00 Job Interview
2016
Friday June 3 17:00 Leave for Korea

```

- **[D]elete**

User can **delete an event** from the Calendar. There are **two different ways to** delete an event: **Selected** and **All**. Other type of deletion will not be considered for simplicity.

- **[S]elected:** all the events scheduled on the selected date will be deleted.
- **[A]ll:** all the events scheduled on this calendar will be deleted.

[S]elected or [A]ll ?

If the **user enters s**, then the calendar **asks for the date** as shown below.

Enter the date.

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- **[Q]uit** saves all the events scheduled in a text file called **"events.txt"** in the **order of starting date and starting time**. You **may use Java serialization** if you don't want to persist data in a text file.

The **main menu will be displayed after each option** is done. It is crucial to have a **user friendly interface** for the user to enter input. For example, if the calendar needs a date from the user, suggest a specific format of the date for the user to use. Our **class grader will be the user to operate your calendar**, and you don't want to frustrate the user with a confusing interface.

## Deliverable

**Softcopy** of your implementation through the course web page:

- **All source programs** you wrote (.java) required to run the application.
  - Name the class with **main** method as **MyCalendar**

- Put **javadoc** comments in the source codes.
- Submit **.java** files only.
- Do **NOT** use packages.
- Put all **.java** files in a directory called **hw2**
- Put **input.txt** (described below) in the **hw2** directory as well for input redirection.
- Put **output.txt** as a result of **output redirection**. You may produce **output.txt** as shown below.

```
C:\>java MyCalendarTester < input.txt > output.txt
```

- In the **hw2** directory, run

```
javadoc -d ./doc *.java
```

That will automatically generate all the javadoc pages and put them in the **doc** directory.

- Zip **hw2** to **hw2.zip** and submit it.
- **events.txt** (get this result from an exemplary run of your **MyCalendarTester**)
- **input.txt** for input redirection as shown below.