

## Class LotteryTicket

java.lang.Object

LotteryTicket

```
public class LotteryTicket
extends java.lang.Object
```

Represents a lottery ticket, with six numbers between 1 and 49.

### Field Summary

Fields

Modifier and Type	Field	Description
private static int	MAX_NUMBER	The largest possible number (49) on any ticket
private static int	MIN_NUMBER	The smallest possible number (1) on any ticket
static int	NUMBER_QTY	The quantity of numbers (6) on each ticket
private int[]	numbers	Six numbers between 1 and 49 with no duplicates, in unsorted order.
private int	ticketId	A unique identifier for the ticket.

# Constructor Summary

Constructors	
Constructor	Description
<code>LotteryTicket(int ticketIdIn)</code>	Constructs a lottery ticket given a ticket id.

## Method Summary

All Methods	Instance Methods	Concrete Methods
Modifier and Type	Method	Description
private void	<code>chooseRandomNumbers()</code>	Generates six pseudo-random integers between 1 and 49 without duplicates, populating the numbers array with these integer values.
int	<code>countWinningNumbers(int[] winningNumbers)</code>	Repeatedly uses the linear search algorithm to check each of this ticket's numbers against the winning numbers.
private boolean	<code>duplicateNumber(int i)</code>	Uses the linear search algorithm to check if numbers[i] is a duplicate of numbers[j] for all values of j that are less than i.
int[]	<code>getNumbers()</code>	Accessor method that returns a reference to the numbers array
int	<code>getTicketId()</code>	Accessor method for ticket id
java.lang.String	<code>toString()</code>	Returns a String to display the status of a lottery ticket

Methods inherited from class java.lang.Object
<code>clone, equals, finalize, getClass, hashCode, notify, notifyAll, wait, wait, wait</code>

## Field Detail

## ticketId

```
private int ticketId
```

A unique identifier for the ticket. Once set for a given ticket, this value does not change.

## numbers

```
private int[] numbers
```

Six numbers between 1 and 49 with no duplicates, in unsorted order. Once set for a given ticket, these values do not change.

## NUMBER\_QTY

```
public static final int NUMBER_QTY
```

The quantity of numbers (6) on each ticket

**See Also:**

[Constant Field Values](#)

## MIN\_NUMBER

```
private static final int MIN_NUMBER
```

The smallest possible number (1) on any ticket

**See Also:**

[Constant Field Values](#)

## MAX\_NUMBER

```
private static final int MAX_NUMBER
```

The largest possible number (49) on any ticket

**See Also:**

[Constant Field Values](#)

## Constructor Detail

### LotteryTicket

```
public LotteryTicket(int ticketIdIn)
```

Constructs a lottery ticket given a ticket id. The six numbers are generated by calling `chooseRandomNumbers()`

**Parameters:**

`ticketIdIn` - The given ticket id

## Method Detail

### getTicketId

```
public int getTicketId()
```

Accessor method for ticket id

**Returns:**

The `ticketId`

### getNumbers

```
public int[] getNumbers()
```

Accessor method that returns a reference to the numbers array

**Returns:**

A reference to the numbers array

## toString

```
public java.lang.String toString()
```

Returns a String to display the status of a lottery ticket

**Overrides:**

toString in class java.lang.Object

**Returns:**

A String that displays ticket id and the 6 numbers in the format like this example "1005: 16 6 3 31 10 26"

## chooseRandomNumbers

```
private void chooseRandomNumbers()
```

Generates six pseudo-random integers between 1 and 49 without duplicates, populating the numbers array with these integer values. Inclusion of this method helps to simplify the code for the constructor.

## duplicateNumber

```
private boolean duplicateNumber(int i)
```

Uses the linear search algorithm to check if numbers[i] is a duplicate of numbers[j] for all values of j that are less than i. In other words, checks to see if the most recently generated number is a duplicate of any of the previously generated numbers. Inclusion of this method simplifies the code for selecting random numbers for the ticket.

**Parameters:**

i - The index of the most recently generated number

**Returns:**

true if a duplicate is found, false otherwise.

## countWinningNumbers

```
public int countWinningNumbers(int[] winningNumbers)
```

Repeatedly uses the linear search algorithm to check each of this ticket's numbers against the winning numbers.

### Parameters:

**winningNumbers** - An array of six integers representing the winning numbers for a lottery draw. These will be six numbers between 1 and 49 without duplicates, in unsorted order.

### Returns:

The quantity of numbers on this ticket that match a winning number; this result will always be between 0 and 6

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